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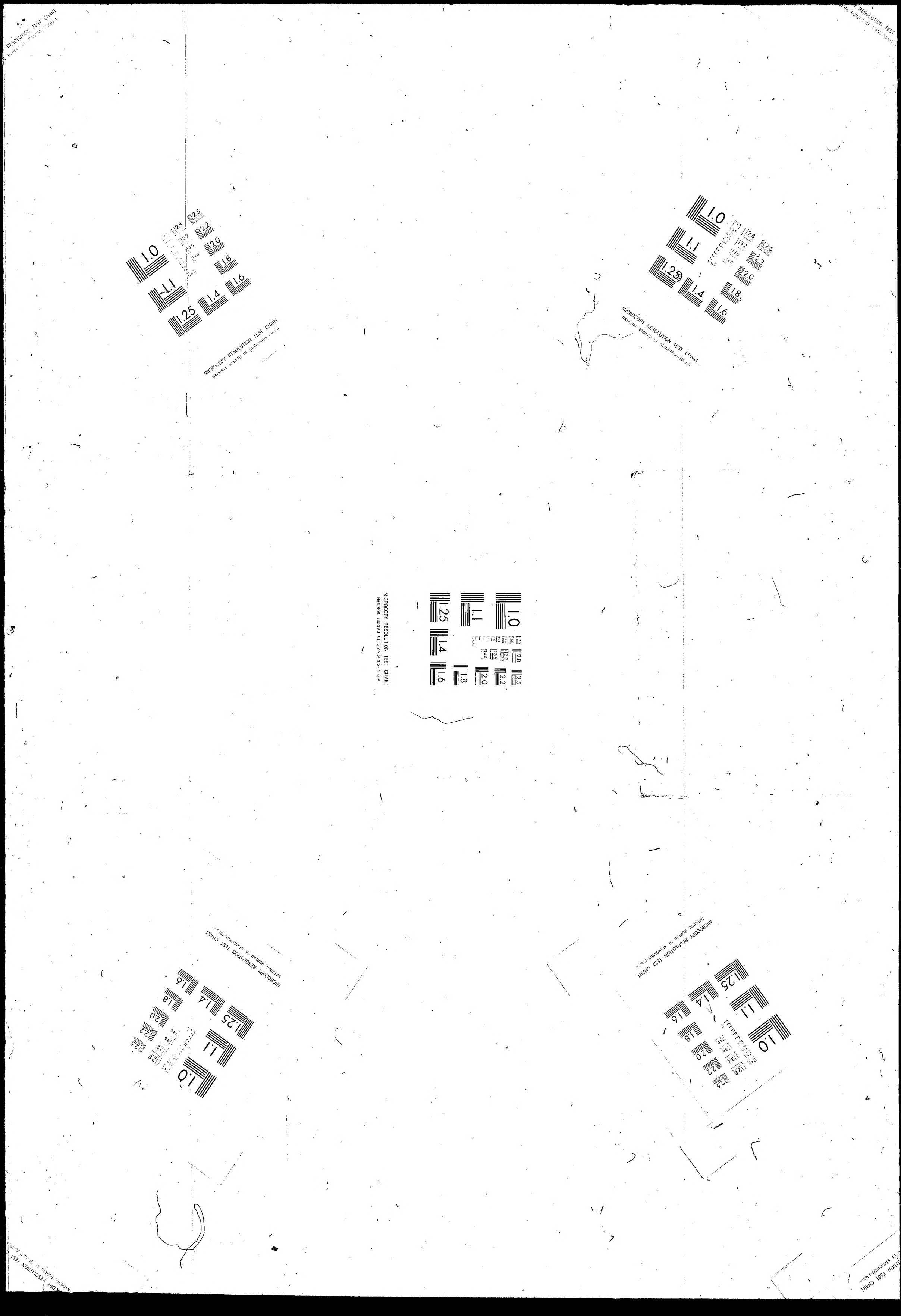
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BAD MEN ARRESTED

HAD PLANTED A COUPLE OF 45-COLTS AND CARTRIDGE BELT NEAR N. P.

UNDOUBTEDLY INTENDED TO HOLD UP N. P. SOUTH BOUND PASSENGER

From Tuesday's Daily—

Chief Eck, Capt. Vonderbeck and Officer Nelson are thought to have made the most important arrest for many months when two men were arrested while returning to a "plant" at 7:30 last evening under the grand stand in the base ball park. Yesterday afternoon Charley Handy, son of Agent Handy of the N. P. happened under the Grand Stand which is located but 400-feet from the N. P. depot and behind a big stump found two 45-Colt revolvers with a cartridge belt full of cartridges.

He notified Chief Eck and he stationed Capt. Vonderbeck and Officer Nelson to watch the "plant". They hid under the grand stand and at 7:30 two men stealthily approached the plant but were ordered to hold up their hands at the point of two guns and did so.

One gave the name of H. Garrity of Miles City, Montana and the other [illegible] was Robert Wade of Pittsburg [illegible]. They were searched and it was a peculiar coincidence that Wade had $9.40 and Garrity $9.20 in cash, looking as tho they had recently made a "cut" of a haul.

There is no doubt in the minds of the police but what it was the intention of the two men to board the N P. passenger which was just about due an[illegible] the train between here an[illegible] Both are bad looking cu[illegible] both kept out of sight tod[illegible] ne remembers of having [illegible] n the streets, and both me[illegible] nervous when questio[illegible] ir intentions and were the[illegible] d for.

T[illegible] o plead guilty to carryin[illegible] weapons but will be held [illegible] and sheriffs in this secti[illegible] a description of the two men. Minute descriptions will be sent to police of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth with the hope of establishing their identity.

The two men were put in the sweat box this morning but both were too wise to say anything of themselves Both stated that when put on trial before the court they would say what they had to say to the court.

When brought before Judge McLean this morning both men asked the court to try the case at once. They were charged with carrying concealed weapons just as an excuse to hold them, and Judge McLean stated that it would be impossible to hear their case before Thursday Jan. 2, before which time it is hoped that the identity of the two men can be established.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. Get DeWitt's. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

HELD FOR TRIAL WITHOUT BAIL

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION OF "GOLDTOOTH MURPHY HELD YESTERDAY

STORY OF THE F[illegible]N EAST GRAND FORKS TOLD WITNESSES

Historical Society

From Tuesday's Daily—

The preliminary examination of Michael Murphy, or as better known "Goldtooth" Murphy, on the charge of stabbing Frank Whittaker, was held yesterday before Judge Sullivan at East Grand Forks. Geo. Finlayson appeared for the prosecution and F C. Massee appeared for the defendant who was taken over from the county jail by Deputy Sheriff Daniels.

A large number of witnesses were examined during the hearing, which occupied the entire day, and the story of the trouble in the morning, before the stabbing, as well as of the crime itself, was brought out. The evidence of the witnesses for the state was to the effect that Murphy persisted in interfering with one of Whittaker's friends in the saloon and tried to get him away from the others. Whittaker objected to his interference and pushed him away once, rebuking him at another time.

Later it appears that Murphy walked into the saloon from the rear and stepping up to Whittaker stabbed him twice, and then turning, left the place by the rear door and disappeared before he could be overtaken. No defense was interposed, and Murphy was held for trial without bail. He was brought back to the county jail last evening.

BACK FROM MEET OF MILITIAMEN

Capt. Westerberg and Lieut. Strassburger have returned from St. Paul where they attended a meeting of the Minnesota National Guard. They report a fine time.

Maj. F. E. Resche of Duluth was elected lieutenant colonel of the Third regiment, Minnesota National Guard. The election was held at the Frederick hotel. Major Eva of Duluth moved up four notches.

Lieut. Col. C. Johnson of Mankato was elected colonel of the regiment to succeed Colonel Van Duzee, whose term has expired. Col Van Duzee announced that he would be unable to accept the office again.

Capt. A. F. Pratt of Anoka was elected to succeed Major Person of Minneapolis and Capt. F. W. Mattson of St. Paul was elected to succeed Major Resche as regimental adjutant.

Back From Iron Range

Sam Wick a former well known G. N. engineer is back from Hibbing where he put in a busy year pulling an ore train on the "Missabe."

O'BRIEN CONFESSED HE MURDERED LE CLAIRE

O'Brien's Confession.

"To J. C. Crawford, Pinkerton Dtective:

"On Sunday, Dec. 22, LeClaire and I went to Gretna twice and drank each time. Coming back the second time both of us were [illegible]reling about who was the best man, and LeClaire said he could [illegible] three O'Briens, and I got mad.

"When we left Cook's shops, I made an excuse to go out to the closet, and I got a hatchet, and we started for the rink.

"When we got down there he made some remarks about fighting me, and he put his foot behind me and threw me over. I got up and he hit me, and I hit him with a hatchet, and after I seen what I done I hit him again, and took his pocket book and threw it in the river. After I realized what I had done, I threw the money in the river.

"I got the hatchet from behind the house where the ice is kept. "I threw the body over the bank, and followed the body down the bank. I think I had hold of him by the collar, and dropped him right in at the head of the dam in the river.

—James O'Brien.

"Witness:

—J. H. Anderson,
—J. C. Fielding.
—George Roadhouse.

Of His Own Free Will.

"I, James O'Brien, do voluntarily make a statement in my own handwriting and of my own free will, before witness, J. C. Fielding and Geo Roadhouse, that the contents of the foregoing statement of how I, James O'Brien, killed Arthur LeClaire on Sunday, Dec. 22, 1907. I have written the above statement for the purpose of telling the truth on my own part, and have not shielded anyone, as there nobody implicated but myself.

(Signed) —"James O'Brien.

"Dated Sunday, Dec. 29, 1907.

"Witness:

—J. C. Fielding.
—George Roadhouse.

The above is the complete confession of young O'Brien:

James O'Brien, of Neche, made a complete confession of the murder of Arthur LeClaire the Great Northern fireman, Sunday. The 16-year-old slayer gave up the details of his crime to J. C. Crawford a Pinkerton detective, who has been working on the case. The confession came after he had been confronted with his bloody clothing, the hatchet with which te crime was commited, a bloody scarf and other evidences of his guilt. When the news was broken to the father of O'Brien, for years a resident of Neche and custom officer there. He broke down completely. Fred LeClaire father of the murdered boy, called on him in an endeavor to console him.

Detective Crawford, 18 years in the business, had quite a time getting the murderer to confess. He worked various schemes, and was finally successful, after picturing to the boy the certainty of his conviction, and calling his attention to the great expense with which his father would be burdened in case he fought the case in the district court.

Neche, N. D., Dec. 31—Following the inquest in Le Claire murder case Saturday, in which Mrs. Timothy O'Brien described a hammer owned by the family in terms which corresponded with those describing the one with which the murder was committed, her son James was arrested on a charge of being the slayer of Arthur Le Claire. In earlier testimony young O'Brien had been called on to describe this same implement, but had done so in entirely different terms than those used by his mother. His father had corroborated his testimony, and both had sworn that the hammer had been lost for more than a month.

Stains on Overcoat.

The overcoat worn by James O'Brien is said to have blood stains in the lining. O'Brien said on the stand that he never had the nose bleed nor any fight recently.

O'Brien, who is only sixteen years old, was a lifelong chum of La Claire, and is the last person known to have seen him alive. He has been under police surveillance since the crime.

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A Happy and Prosperous New Year For its Great Family Of Readers is the Sincere Wish of

The Journal

A PLUMMER MAN'S BBIDE

MILWAUKEE GIRL WILL SHARE FORTUNE WITH YOUNG FARMER

ROMANTIC ENDING OF A COURTSHIP CARRIED ON BY MAIL—SHE CAME

From Tuesday's Daily—

If all went well Miss Jessie Perry of yyesterday, is Mrs. John A. B. Anderson today, the wife of a young farmer near Plummer. Miss Perry passed thru the city yesterday enroute from Milwaukee to her new home, and expected Mr. Anderson to meet her at the depot and the wedding was to have taken place at once.

The newspapers did it. A romantic courtship by mail abetted by a private detective in Milwaukee is involved in this bit of fiction-like fact.

Miss Perry wrote the one appeal that went home to the Plummer man. She said she was a good girl, tired of city life and with a longing in her heart for the blissful and peaceful atmosphere of a country home.

"Dear Miss Perry," wrote Plummer "pack your trunk and come at once."

Miss Perry "came."

ENDS AGONY BY KNIFE.

Woodsman, Pinned Under Tree, Kills Himself by Cutting Throat.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 31.—Jonathan Winters, while chopping wood near this city, was pinned helplessly beneath a big tree. Suffering from two broken legs, with no immediate hope of rescue, he drew his pocketknife and cut his throat. When found the knife was still clasped in his pulseless hand.

CONDUCTOR MAY BE RICH

[illegible] Oil and Pipe Line company, is due to reap a still greater harvest out of it. He only leased it to the company for gas and oil producing purposes. He has lately had an expert at work who has discovered that the ore on the farm contains lead, zinc and copper in encouraging quantities. A company may be organized to develop it and great results are expected. Mr. Wynn is saying but little, but it does not take a detective to discover that he feels elated over his prospects.

GIRL'S BODY FOUND.

Miss Kinner, Who Disappeared in Indiana Dec. 11.

Michigan City, Ind., Dec. 31 — The body of Miss Emogene Kinner of Penn Yan, N. Y., who disappeared from Michigan City on Dec. 11, was found yesterday afternoon on the bank of a creek in a wild and unfrequented place.

She had started out to take a walk and it is supposed that she lost her way and perished in the cold.

DEVOURED BY WOLVES

TERRIBLE TALE COMES FROM INTERIOR OF OTTERTAIL COUNTY

FATHER FOUND TORN BODY OF SON WHO WAS ENROUTE FROM SCHOOL

From Tuesday's Daily—

'Sheriff Albertson returned from a trip to Sebeka Friday, where he went to serve some papers and states that reports were current there of a ghastly tragedy that had just occurred in the timbered country eighteen miles to the eastward of the village. The children of the vicinity have very considerable distances to go to and from school and ordinarily several of them go together. In this instance, a boy of eight had been kept after school for a short time, and his companions went on, leaving him to come home alone.

"He failed to arrive and as darkness came on, his father took a lantern and started out in search of him. He had gone some distance when he heard the growling of wolves in a clump of timber not far away, and going in the direction from which the sound came, was horrified to see the mangled remains of his little boy with two large wolves standing over them.

"The child was dead and partially devoured. Mr. Albertson did not learn the name of the boy. He states that while the story seems almost incredible he was assured that it was true. The country is sparsely settled and wolves are numerous there. Mr. Albertson, who had occasion to drive some distance into the country, could hear their howling every little while, and quite a number were being killed. The liveryman with whom he travelled,

[illegible] few years was supposed to be incurable For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A man can almost afford to have an automobile by giving it up.

AMERICAN FLEET SETS OFF

SAILS FROM PORT OF SPAIN ON SECOND LAP OF LONG JOURNEY.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 31. — The American battleship fleet weighed anchor at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and steamed for Rio Janeiro. Long before the hour set a myriad of small craft, chiefly launches and steam yachts, moved up and down along the lines of anchored warships, the merry parties aboard shouting farewell to the departing visitors. Thousands of residents climbed the surrounding hills to view the great white ships as they moved outward on their journey, while boat loads of excursionists went to the small islands in the gulf and others to the floating dock to catch the last glimpse of the ships that were so royally welcomed to this port almost a week ago.

An average of from ten to eleven knots an hour will carry the fleet to the end of the second lap of the 14,000-mile journey in about twelve days, and it was announced by Admiral Evans before his departure that he expected to reach Rio Janeiro on Friday evening, Jan. 10.

During the week of their visit here the American officers and men received every courtesy at the hands of the residents

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FATHER STAMPS HIS FEET.

Then the Coffee Pot Falls and Child Is Fatally Scalded.

Springfield, Ohio, Dec. 31.—While J. D. Blackman, a rural mail carrier, was stamping his feet, trying to put on his arctics near the stove, he jarred the coffee pot from the top. It fell into the lap of his four-and-a-half-year-old child, which was sitting near, fatally scalding the little one.

SPOTTED FEVER OUTBREAK.

Two Cases Are Found at Naval Training Station.

Newport, R. I., Dec. 31.—Two cases of spinal meningitis or "spotted fever" were discovered at the naval training station. The victims were removed to the naval hospital.

These are the first two cases at the naval training station since two years ago, when much concern was manifested over the prevalence of the malady among the apprentices.

Village Wiped Out.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 31.—A message from Richards Landing says that that village was destroyed by fire last night. The loss is stated to be $200,000. There are only three business buildings left. Details are not obtainable.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

GEORGIA CUTS OUT BOOZE

EDDY HEIRS OBJECT..

"Next Friends" Will Now Attack Proposed $1,000,000 Fund.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 31.—There is to be no delay in reopening the litigation over the property and mental competency of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, leader of the Christian Science church. Suits are to be instituted by "next friends" in New Hampshire. An injunction will be sought restraining her proposed $1,000,000 gift to endow a Christian Science educational institution.

To Invade Guatemala.

Puerto Cortes, Honduras, Dec. 31.—An expedition is being organized at Belize, British Honduras, for the purpose of making an armed invasion of Guatemala, according to advices received here, and Gen. Lee Christmas, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., is recruiting a force at Puerto Barrios, an Atlantic port of Guatemala.

Everybody loves our baby, rosy sweet and warm
With kissy places on her neck and dimples on her arms.
Once she was so thin and cross, used to cry with pain—
Mother gave her Cascasweet now she's well again. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

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NEW PROHIBTION LAW GOES INTO EFFECT NEW YEAR'S—10,000 OUT OF JOBS.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 31.—With the advent of the new year the law preventing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors passed by the last session of the legislature becomes effective; making Georgia the first of the Southern states to be placed in the prohibition column.

The law prevents the keeping or giving away of liquors in public places and imposes a tax of $500 on clubs whose members are allowed to keep drinks in their individual lockers.

There is some agitation to have the law declared unconstitutional. The action may be brought in the United States court within a month.

It was said that Atlanta alone would lose in license taxes $135,612 and that the property value of saloons and breweries here which will go out of business on Jan. 1 is from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000. For the rest of the state the property values involved are about $5,000,000.

It is estimated that 10,000 persons will lose their employment when Jan. 1 rings its bell on the sale of intoxicating liquors.

That the prohibition law will be enforced there is no question. Gov. Smith and the city court officials have been frank in their statements that they intend to enforce the laws.

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ANDERSCH BROS., Department 66, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

1907 TAX BOOKS—The tax books for 1907 that have been compiled in the auditor's office are completed and will be in the hands of the county treasurer after Jan. 1.

HAD CHICKEN FEAST—The fifteen prisoners in the county jail were served an extra treat at the dinner yesterday. Sheriff Gonyea provided a chicken feast that was very much enjoyed by his wards.

SMALL BLAZE—Tuesday evening fire broke out in what is known as the Pinkerton cottage in South Crookston and the place was badly damaged before it was under control. The fire caught from a defective chimney.

LAID UP—John C. Parker who is one of the chief officials of the Donald Land & Lumber Company has been laid up at his home for a week in a hand-to-hand contest with an aggravating attack of rheumatism. John appears to be getting the better of the rheumatism and will undoubtedly be out again in a few days.—Bemidji Pioneer.

COMMISSION RAISED—At a meeting of the St. Paul board of Trade on Tuesday, action was taken raising the commission charge on the sale of hay to 75c per ton with a minimum charge of $7.50 per car. Up to the present time the charge has been 50c per ton with a mimimum car charge of $5.00. The action was in line with that taken by Minneapolis hay men.

COLDS TROUBLNG — Peter Larouchelle of Kertsonville was in the auditor's office in the county building Tuesday on business. The weather of the past fall has given great impetus to the cattle properties in his vicinity and conditions are the best ever. On account of the mild weather a few of his neighbors are suffering with slight colds and coughs but nothing serious.

BRINKEMAN HOTEL NOT CLOSED—The Hotel Brinkeman of Bemidji has not been closed. The dining room and kitchen have been cut out, but the sixty rooms which are in the hotel will be conducted as heretofore on the European plan, with or without hot or cold water baths and attendants, on request. The kitchen and dining room will be used as the Brinkeman Family Theatre and will be opened to the public next Monday.

LIVES TO BE 83 YEARS—Mrs. Mary Vaulin, aged 83 years died Tuesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. Payne, 720 North Fourth St., Grand Forks. She had been enjoying fairly good health up to two weeks ago when she was seized with her fatal illness. The deceased had been a resident of Grand Forks for six years coming here from Michigan. She is survived by only one child, her daughter, Mrs. Payne. The funeral was held from the residence at 11 o'clock this forenoon. Father E. J. Conaty officiating.

BOY TURNED LOOSE WITH ONLY NICKLE

Iva Bornson, a ten year old lad was picked up on the streets Christmas day with a pitiful tale of having been put on the train by his foster parents at Kenmare, N. D., with a ticket and five cents in cash after being told never to return to that village. He said that he was adopted three years ago and cruelly treated ever since. The authorities have commenced an investigation as this is the second case coming within their notice. The first case that of Josie Maix a half witted girl who was sent to Minot from Canada has been taken up by the government authorities.

CORDWOOD AVALANCHE ON THE RAINY RIVER

The snow brought with it an avalanche of cordwood which has swept down upon us with irresistible force. About 75 cars have been loaded this week, and soon there will be a great hue and cry for more box cars. Thousands of carloads of cordwood, cedar posts, etc., go out of this town every winter for the farmers west of Winnipeg.—Beaudette Region.

From Friday's Daily

A DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. H. Cardin are the parents of a fine daughter which came as a Christmas present.

EDITOR IN DUPLICATE— Martin Widstein, editor of the Red River Review of Hendrum and the Forum at Waubon was in the city yesterday attending to some business matters and made the Journal a pleasant call.

REG SMITH A PAPA—A daughter was born on Christmas evening to Mr. and Mrs. Reg Smith at Grand Forks Mother and child are getting along nicely and Reg's many friends will tender congratulations.

A FINE NEW WAGON—Mail Carrier Ole Ulseth of Rural Route No. 4 made his first trip yesterday in that spanking new rig of his, one of the best ever seen in this section. He says the postal rates will not be increased because of the style he is putting on.

MOVES TO FRAZEE—M. F. Underwood who has for a number of years been employed in the mill here, will move his family to Frazee where he has secured a very lucrative position in the mill at that place.

LITTLE BABE DIED—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bracelin died yesterday aged two days and was laid to rest in Oakdale Cemetery. The parents have the sincere sympathy in their bereavement. The little one was their only child.

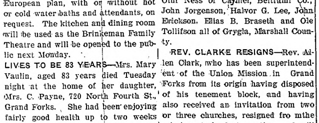
OUT FOR SPORT—Joe Biever and Joe Laroche drove down from Euclid this afternoon just to relieve the monotony of rural life and get a little of the pleasures of modern city life. The rink is the main attraction and the Lyceum comes in for its share, and the Royal Neighbor dance will make them feel repaid for the cold drive.

SEVEN PROOFS FILED TODAY—This was the busy day at the U. S. Land Office. Seven final proofs in a half day is a pretty good record for the efficient corps at the local office. There is considerable of red tape to unwind and a stack of papers to be prepared for filing a final, the lucky men who have completed their obligations to Uncle Sam are: John E. and Oluf Ness of Carmel, Beltrami Co.; John Jorgenson, Halvor G. Lee, John Erickson, Elias B. Braseth and Ole Tollifson all of Grygla, Marshall County.

REV. CLARKE RESIGNS—Rev. Allen Clark, who has been superintendent of the Union Mission in Grand Forks from its origin having disposed of his tenement block, and having also received an invitation from two or three churches, resigned fro mthe mission at the last meeting, and will soon decide upon a new field of labor Rev. Clark and wife passed thru this city this morning for a New Year's visit with their daughter and husband at Virginia, Minn. Rev. Clark was for many years located among the Indians in and about Cass Lake and Bemidji.

CARPENTER AFTER MUNCH—Harry Carpenter of Crookston who recently defeated LeBeau of Duluth in this city is hot on the trail of Joseph Munch of Minneapolis, who poses as the champion roller speed skater of the northwest. Carpenter issued a challenge and went to Crookston to cover Carpenter's money, but when the "coin" was to be laid down, Munch "backed up" and refused to skate on the Crookston rink, virtually admitting that Carpenter is, as the Pioneer has asserted the fastest small-rink skater in the entire northwest.—Bemidji Pioneer.

FEET FROZEN— William Bleamer of Easton, Pa., arrived in Grand Forks yesterday penniless and with his feet badly frozen. He walked from Crookston to Grand Forks Christmas day and applied to Chief Lowe of Grand Forks yesterday for aid. Chief Lowe sent him to a physician and the latter decided that, while the toes would be very sore as a result of the freezing amputation would not be necessary. He recommended that Bleamer be sent to the county hospital at Arvilla for a couple of weeks. Bleamer stated last evening that he was on his way to Butte, Mont., where he had formerly been employed. He had been in Pennsylvania for a visit.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From Saturday's Daily—

From Friday's Daily—

CONCLUDED VISIT—Peter Heydt, wife and son returned this morning from Sargeant, Minn. where he had been to visit his nephew, Phillip. They had a very enjoyable visit.

WILL CLOSE AT FIVE—All the offices in the court house will close at five o'clock every day until after the holidays, the clerks have been granted an extra hour to be with their families.

VACATION—Wm. L. Hendry one of the general delivery clerks at the local postoffice is taking a vacation and is visiting his parents at Perham, Minn., his place at the window is taken care of by Miss Valla Alderman.

ERSKINE LIVERYMAN — Nels Quest proprietor of the Erskine livery is in the city today on business, and is also renewing acquaintances. He states everything around Erskine is booming and as soon as there is a little more snow things will be still better.

TAKING TRIP—Arnold Weber left this morning on the Greenbush train for Red Lake Falls where he will visit for a time and later go to Wylie for an extended visit. Mr. Weber has many friends in that part of the county and expects to have a good time.

STILL ON CRUTCHES—Frank Hanson a farmer of the town of Hammond made his first trip to town since he broke his leg in a grader accident last fall. Mr. Hanson has been laid up for two months and is still on crutches but is getting along very well.

A FINE CHRISTMAS PRESENT—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Koeppe are the parents of a fine daughter which arrived Christmas day and is the very finest Christmas present that ever arrived in that home. This is the special reason for the burning of so many "Leaders" during the past few days.

TO HOME FOR AGED—Ed Lanctot left Thursday evening ror Little Falls where he had gone to place an aged man in the Sisters home. This man whose name we are unable to learn is a charge on the township of Crookston and Mr. Lanctot as a town official took him down.

HERE FROM "KANDI"—Peter and John Defoe of Kandiyohi are here on a visit to their cousins the Mercil Brothers and are partaking of all the holiday time cheer that is going around these pleasant days. The boys will later spend some time with their uncle Mr. Mercil Sr., at Gentilly. Meanwhile, under the chaperonage the boys they are having a good time.

LOST $15—On Thursday night Henry O'Neill who lives just east of the city left three $5 bills in his vest pocket in his room on the second floor and went out for the evening. When he returned the money was gone. He thinks it is the same gang that robbed Peter Peltier of his coat and voilin, and they had to pass his place to get to the Peltiers'.

WAS AT MOUNTAIN HOME—Joe Barrette writing to friends from Twin Falls, Idaho where he is visiting his folks, tells about a trip to Mountain Home and a pleasant visit with Baldy Couvrette and the other Crookstonites there who he says are all doing well but still have a longing for Crookston and the Red River Valley. Mr. Barrette will conclude his visit with the present year and expects to be at home early in the next. Who got the reward?

PROF. WALES IS DEAD — Prof. Wales, for many years a resident of Grand Forks and widely known as the "King of Piano Tuners" died last night at 11:30. He was brought from Minot to Fargo for treatment. He had been employed by Wasem & Gaard. He made Grand Forks his headquarters and traveled over North Dakota and Montana.

ENFORCED VISIT—A trio of Halstad people, B. M. Foss, Hendrick Strand and Bernard Martinson are spending the day in the city enroute to Bagley where they will go on a combined business and pleasure trip. They missed the morning train out and will have to wait until tonight. During their stay they called at the Journal office and saw that their subscription was set ahead and took occasion to go thru the mechanical end.

L. BJORGE BROUGHT HOME — L. L. Bjorge who has been in the M. & O. hospital at Blackduck for some time has been brought to his home in this city. It will be remembered that Mr. Bjorge fell under the wheels of the M. & I. passenger some weeks ago and had his ankle crushed and, on account of a fever sore on his leg, the latter was amputated just below the knee so that he can wear an artificial limb. At the time of the accident there were few who thought he would survive the operation but he is now doing nicely.

Naval Captains Entertained.

Port of Spain, Dec. 28. — The captains of the American battleships and their staffs were entertained at luncheon yesterday by Sir Henry Moore Jackson, the governor of Trinidad, and later were the guests of the governor at the horse races.

NO DAMAGES FOR ANGUISH

SUPREME COURT RULES THAT MALICIOUS INTENT MUST BE ESTABLISHED

RELATIVES WAITING AT DESTINATION ALLEGED MUCH MENTAL SUFFERING

From Saturday's Daily—

The supreme court, in an opinion filed yesterday disposes of the case of Jennie D. Beaulieu, respondent, vs. the Great Northern Railway company, appellant. The result is an affirmation of the district court of Red Lake county. Justice Jaggard, however dissents and gives his position in a lengthy statement attached. He makes the point that there is substantial grounds for damages for mental anguish, tho the others hold malicious conduct must be specified in the complaint to entitle the plaintiff to such.

The case went to the supreme court on a demurrer made to the complaint by the railway company, which was overruled by the lower court. The case will now go back for trial on its merits.

The trouble in controversy was the body of a young child shipped over the Great Northern from Cass Lake to Ogahmah the point of burial. The body was to be transferred to the Soo at Erskine but this the company failed to do, and the casket was carried thru to Crookston. As a result the parents and others in waiting were put to much inconvenience and anguish. The mother thereupon sued for $3,000 damages. The court in disposing of the question of mental anguish, says:

"Damages for mental anguish can be recovered in an action for breach of contract only in those exceptional cases where the breach amounts in substance to an independent willful tort.

"In an action for damages for breach of contract by a railway company to transport a corpse over its line to a particular point, delivering it there to an intersecting carrier, to be conveyed to its place of destination, the breach consisting in the negligence of the company's agents and servants in carrying the corpse beyond the connecting point, thus causing a delay of 24 hours in the funeral arrangements, it is held, that in the absence of willful or malicious misconduct on the part of the company or its agents, damages for mental anguish cannot be recovered.

"The complaint construed and held not to state a cause of action within this rule, tho it does state a cause of action for nominal damages."

Order affirmed, —Brown, J.
Jaggard, J., dissents.

FRANK JEFFERS BADLY INJURED

Frank Jeffers of this city was the victim of a serious accident at Blackduck las tevening. In attempting to board a train he slipped and fell, and it is understood that he will lose both legs below the knee. Mrs. Jeffers was notified and left this morning to join her husband. No further details of the affair have been learned.

WIPED OUT BY VENDETTA.

Last Member of Family Is Killed as Result of Feud.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 28.—Radivaje Rakich was fatally shot yesterday near Bedford, Ohio. Rakich is the youngest member and last of a family that was wiped out by a vendetta. The feud began in Loz, Austria, where the Rakich family was prominent. Young Rakich escaped to this county, but was followed, according to a diary which he kept and which was found in his pocket after the shooting. The young Austrian was shot from ambush. Three unknown foreigners who have been seen loitering about Bedford during the past few days are suspected.

DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED.

Youth Is Killed by Companion While Playing With Revolver.

Gladstone, Mich., Dec. 28. — Arthur Sweeney, aged eighteen, son of the foreman of the Northwestern Cooperage company, shot and almost instantly killed Ralph Goldsmith, aged sixteen, nephew of Superintendent of Public Schools William Sweeney. He picked up a .38-caliber revolver, and thinking it was unloaded pointed it playfully at Goldsmith, and ordered him to throw up his hands. The boy refused to do so and Sweeney pulled the trigger, the bullet crashing through his head. Sweeney is under arrest.

ANNOUNCES GRAIN RULE.

Old Elevator Allowance to Be Restored by North-Western.

Omaha, Dec. 28.—The North-Wsetern Railway company announced yesterday that the elevator allowance of three-fourths of a cent a bushel on grain shipped from St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, which was discontinued last September, will be restored on Jan. 16.

FIDDLING HIS WAY INTO PEN

RUSSELL McKNIGHT RETURNS STOLEN COAT INADVERTANTLY YESTERDAY

WANTED WORK OF A FARMER WHOM HE ROBBED THE DAY BEFORE

From Saturday's Daily—

Russell McKnight and his pals may have inadvertantly fiddled their way in to the state penitentiary. The story runs this way:

Thursday night Peter Peltier, residing 6 miles southeast of the city, furnished music for a dance at the home of his brother, John Peltier who resides on the Roberge farm west of Crookston. Enroute home Peter tied his horse in front of Johnson's feed store on South Main street, and left his overcoat and a $65 violin in the buggy. When he returned to his rig the coat and fiddle were missing. Peter went home without them.

Yesterday afternoon a stranger applied at Peter's home for work. Mrs. Peltier at once recognized Peter's stolen coat which the stranger wore. With rare presence of mind she tipped the deal off to another brother of Mr. Peltiers who resides across the road, and then directed McKnight to her brother-in-law who hired him at once.

Sheriff Gonyea was notified at once and Jailer Ball was sent out last evening and brought McKnight in. He was arraigned in justice court this morning and the hearing postponed for ten days.

The violin has not been located as yet. McKnight, however, is said to be one of several men who have been working for the G. N. and who came from Barnesville Tuesday to get their pay checks. Last night several of them went to South Crookston and got in a row. It is reported that a violin was smashed during the rumpus and Chief Eck is investigating this report today. It is supposed that McKnight or his pals also stole the violin.

HIRED HORSES IN RECORD TIME

ED HENRY GOT EIGHT CARLOADS FOR LUMBER CAMPS IN ONE WEEK

There is renewed activity among the loggers of Northern Minnesota during the past ten days, and the demand for teams is very brisk. A month ago the farmers who were accustomed to send their teams to the woods in the winter could get little satisfaction from the big lumbermen, and it was thought that the cut would be so light that little work would be provided over and above what the logging companies and sawmill owners could handle with their own teams.

Since the money situation is becoming more settled, however, there is evidence that the cut of logs will be greatly increased. Ed Henry, representing Ross and Ross of Kelliher has been in this section for the past week and has picked up six carloads of horses and left last night to get two more carloads at Willmar. Other loggers are also after additional horses, and there will be work for many more men and teams than was expected earlier in the winter. The snow fall has made conditions ideal for logging, and if the weather continues favorable there will be nearly double the amount of logs banked for the coming summer cut than was originally planned by the saw mill men.

The demand for teams will mean a big saving for the farmers who send horses to the woods, as a vast quantity of grain and hay will be saved and the farmers will have an abundant stock left for next spring and early summer as thus far there has been very little of either grain or hay fed, as until the day before Christmas stock was running loose, the cattle of many farmers never having been housed up to that time this winter.

Mr. Henry secured one carload of horses at Angus, two in Western Polk, one at Ardock, one at Emerado one from the Steenersons at Climax and two at Wilmar. This is record time to secure close to 200 heavy horses.

ALBERT JENSON OF MCINTOSH DEAD

Albert, the 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Jenson died at McIntosh Friday morning after an illness of one week of appendicitis. An operation brought no relief. Deceased leaves a father, mother, three sisters one brother and scores of friends to mourn his untimely death. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at McIntosh and will be attended by relatives and friends from this city.

BUILDING FOR CHICKEN SHOW

OLD BANK OF CROOKSTON BUILDING ON NORTH MAIN STREET SECURED

IDEAL ROOM FOR GREAT EXHIBITION OF R. R. VALLEY POULTRYMEN

From Saturday's Daily—

President S. W. Wheeler of the Twenty Five Thousand Commercial Club today secured the old Bank of Crookston building, now located on North Main street for the Fourth Annual meeting of the Red River Valley Poultrymen's Association the use of the building having very generously been donated free of charge by Senator A. D. Stephens. The Association had been unable to secure a building, and notified the Journal the first part of the week to publish the announcement that the convention had been called off. The Journal persuaded Secretary Lewis to postpone the announcement for a few days and took the matter up with President Wheeler of the Commercial Club, and Senator Stephens today donated the use of the building free of cost to the Association. Secretary Moore will notify Secretary Lewis at once and complete all other necessary arrangements regarding the building.

The show room is 35 by 45, well lighted and an ideal show room for the poultrymen. The admission this year will be free and hundreds will be given a wholesome object lesson of the benefits of improving their poultry the same as stock and grain to get the best results.

CERTIFICATES ARE TURNED OVER

CITY TREASURER RECEIVES SINKING FUND DEPOSIT CERTIFICATES

The sinking fund commission today turned over $11,500 in certificates of deposit to City Treasurer McGregor. There was some doubt on the part of the commission as to who should be custodian of the certificates, F. R. Hamel of the commission believing the city treasurer should be the custodian under the charter amendment provision, while Messrs. Carpenter and Marin believed the certificates should remain in the possession of the sinking fund commission. It was decided finally however to turn them over to the city treasurer and this was done today. The other securities still remain with the commission.

DEATH OF DAD RIDLEY.

He Was One of the Oldest Engineers in America.

Red Wing, Minn., Dec. 28.—"Dad" Ridley, one of the oldest railroad engineers in America, died at Northfield, Minn., aged eighty-five years. He is survived by his wife and several grown-up children. He had spent fifty-seven years in the service, and for the past twelve years he was engineer on Grovers train, running between Northfield and Red Wing.

IRON PLANTS TO RESUME.

Industrial Situation Looks Much Brighter at Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Dec. 28.—The announcement that several of the iron plants of the city, which have been shut down for several weeks, will be opened immediately after the holidays with full forces of men is regarded by business men as a most hopeful sign of an immediate change for the better in the industrial and financial situation.

SIX MINERS MEET DEATH.

Four Are Drowned and Two Killed by Train.

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 28.—Six miners met death in West Virginia during the past two days.

Four of the men were drowned yesterday near Sewell, W. Va., while attempting to cross the river in a small boat.

Two miners were killed on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tracks at Newburg, near Grafton, W. Va., yesterday while on their way home from work.

LEANS ON GUN; IS SHOT.

Hunter Receives Fatal Wound While Resting in the Woods.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 28. — Joseph Deneger, nineteen years old, fatally shot himself while out hunting near Springbrook. He was resting himself by leaning over the muzzle of the gun. In some manner the gun slipped and was discharged, the bullet striking him below the ribs on the right side and coming out on the left shoulderblade. On account of the direction the bullet took there is no hope for his recovery.

Even the muck rake has its uses as well as abuses.

When a man means the cook about dinner being so late as to make him swear, he says his wife.

When the Furnace Fails

On many a cold winter morning you will wake to find the fires "out." What are you going to do about it—shiver? Prepare *now* for the emergency with a

PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

and you'll have genial, glowing heat—instantly—wherever you want it—without smoke or smell—smokeless device prevents—turn the wick as high or as low as you like. Easily carried about. Brass font holds 4 quarts of oil—burns 9 hours. Handsomely finished in japan and nickel. Every heater warranted.

The Rayo Lamp makes cheery the long evening—brilliant, steady light for reading or sewing. Made of brass, nickel plated and equipped with the latest improved central draft burner. Every lamp warranted.

If your dealer doesn't carry the Perfection Oil Heater and Rayo Lamp, write our nearest agency for descriptive circular.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
(Incorporated)

From Over The Valley

IMPORTANT SESSION AT WILD RICE EQUITY MEETING

The Wild Rice S. of E. met at Moskvil's hall Twin Valley, Monday afternoon. It was called to order by President Rude and in the absence of Sec. Engeset, J. D. Mason was elected to act in his stead. After a discussion concerning the old and new national organization of the society, delegates were elected to attend the Ada meeting to be held Jan. 6. Those elected were P. H. Aamoth, C. S. Beptley and H. G. Erickson with James Jenson, Herman Natwick and O. G. Natwick as alternates. It was also decided to call a special meeting of the society Jan. 11.

RAILROAD SHIPMENTS AT McINTOSH CONTINUE GOOD

The car lot shipments of freight from this station for the past week dropped to eight cars, but the shipments by local freight were very heavy and the express shipments amounted to 141 pieces aggregating in weight 7519 pounds, mostly country produce Of the car lot shipments four were grain, two hay and two mixed cars of horses, stock and provisions. As against this two cars of freight were received.

AUTOMOBILE SCORCHER PAYS HIS FINE

For running his automobile at a reckless rate of speed and upsetting a bus load of children in a collision near Northwood, N. D., Anton Brekke of Aneta was fined $10 at Larimore yesterday, the fine and costs amounting to $50. Brekke is said to have been very reckless with his car and to have run it at 25 miles an hour and even a greater speed at times.

NEW LIFE COMPANY FOR NORTH DAKOTA

The North Dakota Mutual Life Insurance company has filed articles with State Commissioner E. C. Cooper for approval. The headquarters of the concern are to be in Fargo. The following are to be the directors: A K. Tweto, Abercrombie; Henry Erickson, Towner; J. H. Dahl, Fargo; P. E Sandlie, Lakota; G. H. Korsvick, Abercrombie; I. Johnson, Hickson; W W. King, Tower City. The officers are:

President—A. K. Twete.
Vice President—Henry Erickson.
2nd Vice Pres.—P. E. Sandlie.
Secretary—J. H. Dahl.
Treasurer—I. Johnson.

ROSEAU CO. EARLIEST SETTLER IS CALLED BY DEATH

Norman Lewis one of the best and earliest settlers of Roseau County and Warroad died at his home a mile southeast of Warroad on December 6. He has been afflicted for years with cancer which finally took his life. Mr. Lewis was a good, hospitable farmer, industrious and enterprising.

Flames Fill Mine.

Greensburg, Pa., Dec. 28.—Fire is raging in the Edina No. 1 of the Pittsburg Coal company at Adamsburg, six miles from here. The fire is a serious one and efforts to extinguish it have been futile. Over 300 miners are thrown out of employment.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BEMIDJI FIREMEN

The members of the Bemidji Fire Department held their annual meeting Monday evening for the purpose of electing officers and transacting other business of importance to the department. The following were the officers elected for the ensuing year: Earl Geil, chief; John Doran, assistant chief; Albert Halvorson, secretary; John Godman treasurer. For the Relief Association, the following officers were elected: Herb Doran, president, E. H. Cornwall, vice-president; Harry Geil, secretary; John Goodman, treasurer; Robert Russell, M. F. Cunningham and Charles Daley, trustees. James Miller and John Hillaby were appointed to act as special police at fires with instructions to officiate as regular officers during the fires. There was much discussion of matters of interest to the department and the meeting was one of the most instructive ever held. It was decided that the department provide badges which will hereafter be worn by each member of the department.

PIONEER RESIDENT OF GRAND FORKS IS DEAD

The death of Edward J. Tierney, one of the pioneer residents of Grand Forks, occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon after an illness of seven weeks of bronchitis and a general breakdown. He leaves a widow and seven children, Mrs. W. J. Maddock of Plaza, Mrs. Charles Filteau, George, Sadie, Charles and Katherine. Mr. Tierney was 57 years of age. He came to Grand Forks from St. Paul in 1879 and had been a resident of Grand Forks ever since.

CREATE INTEREST IN AMERICAN HISTORY

The G. A. R. Post of Fergus Falls will again this year give three prizes—a gold medal, a silver medal and a bronze medal—for the best essays by high school students on a patriotic subject. The theme assigned for this year is "The Battle of Gettysburg" and there will undoubtedly be a lively skirmish for the prizes.

LAKE OF THE WOODS AND RAINY RIVER LOW WATER ASS'N

Attorney Jas. D. Taylor of Warroad, was here on Wednesday securing further information regarding the high water in Lake of the Woods. Everyone knows that the water has been unnaturally high for the past few years, but owing to the inactivity of the people the matter has been allowed to drift along.—Beaudette Region.

STURDY COUPLE CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Captain and Mrs. Eckman celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at Hendrum last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Eckman came from Norway in 1891 and settled at Hendrum. Captain Eckman followed the life of a seaman for 37 years, 25 of which he was a captain He commenced sea life at the age of fifteen and with the big salary of $2 per month as cook. He has seen nearly all the countries on the globe and has crossed the equator about 45 times.

From our Exchanges

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Eva Sorenson visited friends at Crookston last Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Felsing was the guest of friends at Crookston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vannet of Crookston were the guests of relatives here over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Kankel of Red Lake Falls spent Christmas here with Mr. Kankel's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kankel of Ulen came up Tuesday morning to remain over Christmas under the parental roof.

Miss Olive LaDue and Miss Josephine Olson are home from St. Cloud where they have been attending the State Normal.

Miss Ovida Trandem, who is teaching at Akeley, arrived home Monday night to spend the holidays with her mother.

George Kronschnabel returned home from Gully Saturday night, where he has been the past two weeks looking after business affairs. Mr Kronschnabel intends closing out his mercantile establishment at the place.

W. H. Graves of Minneapolis was in Minneapolis, was in Fertile last Thursday and closed a deal with H. L. Gaylord whereby he becomes the owner of 320 acres of land a few miles west of Fertile. Mr. Graves thinks this is an ideal country and predicts a great future for it.

OSLO
(Tribune)

Ole A. Bratrud left Tuesday evening for a few days visit at Crookston.

The ten months old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson died Tuesday at 1 o'clock after a severe illness of lung fever.

Miss Annie Boyd has informed the school board that she will be unable to continue her term of school on account of illness.

Mrs. Horace Cross arrived here on Saturday evening from Manvel for a visit thru the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Keefe.

Mark Oseth, who is employed at the Great Northern depot at Crookston arrived here Tuesday for a few days visit at his home in Bigwoods.

Miss Maude Tremblay has been teaching the primary department of our schools during the absence of Miss Boyd.

Miss Hagerty who is teaching a term of school in Higdem township boarded the passenger here Saturday for her home at Grand Forks to spend the holidays.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Sivert Frisvold was down to Crookston the first of the week visiting with friends.

Prof. Wright and family of Crookston spent Christmas with Mr. and Mr W. B. Krouse.

Gustaf Christenson came up from Fertile Tuesday to spend the holiday. with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nason were down to Crookston the first of week visiting with friends.

Miss Emma Noesen came up from Crookston Tuesday to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Will Mullery.

A class of nineteen will join the Modern Woodmen this evening. Great preparations are being made for the event and it is promised that at least one of the candidates gets his money's worth. The Woodmen lodge has long been the strongest one in the city and will continue to grow.

The meeting of the Socialists held in the city hall last Friday evening was very well attended. Dr. P. L. Vistaunet was chairman of the meeting and he introduced George P. Kirkpatrick the speaker of the evening. Mr Kirkpatrick, gave a lengthy address and was listened to with attention.

Vote Out Liquor Dispensary.

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 28.—By a majority of 545 Raleigh yesterday voted out its liquor dispensary and becomes a prohibition city, the dispensary to close at noon to-day.

ARE YOU GOING TO COLLEGE? IF SO, you should remember that the Crookston College has six experienced teachers, accommodations for 500 students, uses the most up-to-date method in teaching telegraphy has placed every one of its graduates in good position, and can furnish you board and room in private family for $3.00 per week. Send for catalogue to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn.

ADA
(Herald)

Miss Bud MacDonald of Crookston spent Christmas here with friends.

Dr. Shelland is enjoying a visit from his father who is here for the holidays

Miss Carlie Watson returned home from Crookston Saturday night where she visited for two weeks.

Miss Stadsvold spent last Friday here the guest of Miss Hattie Hetland while on her way home to Fosston from the Minnesota State University.

A change has been made in the ownership of the East Side meat market Nels Forseth disposing of his interest to Julius Bloom the firm now being Bang & Bloom.

Wallace Watson was down from Crookston for Christmas. Mr. Watson is spending a few weeks traveling on the road in the place of one of the regular salesmen for Finch-Winslow-Carlisle Co.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Crawford expect to leave tonight for Minneapolis where Mr. Crawford will receive medical treatment. Mrs. Beebe, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Crawford, for some time will accompany them.

Emil Farley came down from Grand Forks where he is attending the North Dakota University and spent Saturday and Sunday here. Emil holds the position of librarian in the law department and is compelled to make his holiday vacation rather short.

The Ada corps of teachers are at their homes during vacation as follows:

Miss Barker, Monticello.
Miss Smith, Minneapolis.
Miss Yeo, Minneota.
Miss Ericson, Fergus Falls.
Miss Stevens, St. Paul.
Miss Nason, Staples.
Miss Sweitzer, Pembina.
Miss Sorenson, Fertile.
Misses Hetland and Patterson, at their homes here.

McINTOSH
(Times)

Attorney Maybury is up from Crookston today on legal business.

Martin Hundeby and Ole Overby left last night for Minneapolis for a week's absence.

Joe Mandt spent Christmas with friends here and looks as natural and hearty as ever.

Chas. Magner is at home again, the Great Northern having materially reduced its force of helpers.

Gov. Paquin left with his family this morning for Blackduck where they will reside for the balance of the winter. Incidentally he took along with him a car of horses, cows, and supplies.

Cards are out announcing the coming marriage of Miss Sarah Marie Newton to Mr. Olaus Ostenaa. The wedding takes place at the residence of the bride's father, K. N. Newton of Hill River, on Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1907.

Martin Flom, formerly of Knute, now of Crookston, expects soon to return to his farm in Knute, a change made necessary by the scarcity of work and high cost of living at the county seat.

Andrew Trovaten formerly of Sletten and more recently of Thief River is spending the winter with Mrs. Trovaten's relatives at Stoughton, Wis. He writes that the panic has got its work in a great deal worse there than here.

DYNAMITE AT PARTY.

Boy Who Had It in His Pocket When Crash Came Dies.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 28. — Dan Bradley, sixteen years old, son of a widow at Pratt City, died yesterday as a result of injuries received in an explosion of dynamite at a Christmas party. The boy carried a piece of dynamite in his coat pocket. While on the porch he was jarred and the dynamite exploded.

Labor War Imminent.

New York, Dec. 28. — Recently the Master Carpenters' association announced that wages of carpenters would be reduced from $5 to $4.50 a day. The carpenters' union has refused to accept this cut and committees from both organizations are now trying to reach a compromise.

Forge Prevents Lynching.

Leechburg, Pa., Dec. 28.—A detachment of state constabulary came here from Greensburg yesterday to guard the borough lockup and control a crowd of Americans infuriated over the killing of a fellow workman by a foreigner's bullet.

Rear Admiral Abbot Dead.

Warren, R. I., Dec. 28. — Read Admiral Charles W. Abbot, retired, died last night. Pneumonia was the cause of death He was seventy-eight years old.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

STRANGE MAN FOUND AT MIDDLE RIVER WITH THROAT CUT

WILL BE EXAMINED AS TO SANITY AT WARREN, MINNESOTA

From Saturday's Daily—

A strange man who appears to be somewhat out of his head was found in Middle River yesterday morning with a fresh gash in his throat from which blood had stained his clothes and the sidewalk. He was first discovered at about seven o'clock when Len Olson let him into Hjertos & Dalquist's store.

He claimed to have walked into town, but tells conflicting stories as to where he came from. He says his name is Heron, that he is crazy, tired of life and inflicted the wound in his own throat.

He claimed to have hid $30 in the woods five miles out from town. By direction of the county attorney received by phone the man will be taken to Warren by Constable Hanson this afternoon.

NEW STATE DRAINAGE DITCH

WILL REDEEM THOUSANDS OF ACRES IN EASTERN POLK COUNTY

State Surveyors passed thru McIntosh this morning on their way to Lost River where they will make a survey of the Lost river from the outlet of the Johnson-Equality Judicial Ditch to Espetvet, with a view to the straightening of the channel of the river and preventing overflow. A survey for a new state ditch from Espetvet thru Chester and Gully townships to section 13 town of Gully, will also be made. This is a much needed and very desirable improvement, and one that will redeem thousands of acres of good land now subject to overflow.

THE TAXABLE VALUATION

RED LAKE COUNTY HAS $200,000 MORE THAN LAST YEAR

The total valuation of the real and personal property of Red Lake county for the year 1907, as equalized by the state board of equalization (exclusive of exempted property) is $3,263,705, which is about $200,000 more than last year. Since no reassessments were made this year of the real estate, the figures extended being the same as last year, the raise is therefore entirely on personal property.

A PLACE FOR PENDERGAST

LIKELY TO SUCCEED COL. TROWBRIDGE AS CUSTODIAN OF OLD CAPITOL

L. G. Pendergast of Bemidji will likely succeed to the custodianship of the old capitol made vacant by the death of Col. C. T. Trowbridge. There are a number of candidates for the place.

It was said today that Mr. Pendergast has been summoned to St. Paul by Gov. Johnson for a conference and that the place would be tendered him. Like the late Col. Trowbridge, Mr. Pendergast is an old soldier and if any man is named, it will be a Grand Army man.

Mr. Pendergast was a candidate for custodian of the new capitol and his failure to land the place was reported at the time to have caused strained relations between the administration and himself. As Gov. Johnson's running mate in the 1905 election, he believed that he was entitled to some of the spoils, and when they were not forthcoming, he made no concealment of chagrin.

His appointment as custodian of the old capitol it is now believed will smooth over the trouble. The place pays $1200 a year.

PRESIDENT TO PINE KNOT.

Roosevelt Family Goes to Virginia to Spend Holiday Vacation.

Washington, Dec. 28. — President Roosevelt and family left Washington at 11:10 a. m. yesterday for Pine Knot, Va., the country home of Mrs. Roosevelt, where they will remain until Monday.

The personnel of the party includes the president, Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Ethel, Archie and Quentin and Miss Carew, sister of Mrs. Roosevelt.

Cross-country riding and wild turkey shooting are the president's favorite pastimes at Pine Knot.

ITCHING PIMPLES TORMENT 5 BOYS

Arms and Hands Affected—Could Not Sleep Because of Itching—Suffered for Two Months Until Two Cakes of Cuticura Soap and

ONE BOX OF CUTICURA CURED THEM ALL

"I have five boys, from five to eleven years of age, who were affected some time last winter by some kind of skin disease. The worst parts of the body were around the arms and hands, where small pimples formed and itched. They suffered for two months so that they could not sleep at night. I noticed an advertisement about the Cuticura Remedies and we made a trial of one or two cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment which gave great satisfaction. I washed their bodies with Cuticura Soap and then applied Cuticura Ointment every other day. Since then they have all been healthy. A. E. Carlson, Norcross, Travers Co., Minn., Nov. 26 and Dec. 23, 1906."

WORST ECZEMA

Baffled Medical Treatment For a Year, Cured by Cuticura.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black splotches all over my face and a few on my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering. I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of ——. After a thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in its worst form. They treated me for a year, but their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a complete set of Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that every splotch was entirely gone and the affected parts left as clear as ever. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema for three years. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 540 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, '05."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

ANGRY FARMERS: DYNAMITE DAM

OTTER TAIL LAKES LOWERED BY THE TREMENDOUS OUTBURST

DAM WAS CONSTRUCTED AT OUTLET OF THE LAKE PLEASANT

A message has been received from Sverdrup, Otter Tail Co., stating that the dam at the outlet of Lake Pleasant has burst and that it has been blown by dynamite. The dam was put in last fall and raised several lakes, and residents of the neighborhood had threatened to blow it up. There has been a tremendous outpouring of water, and the channel has been cut sufficiently deep to lower Lake Pleasant and Lake Anna, both of which are meandered lakes below their natural level.

A somewhat similar dam at Otter Tail lake was destroyed by indignant farmers a few years ago, and altho many of them were known no prosecution followed.

Madman Slays Nurse.

Milwaukee, Dec. 27.—Sister Theresa, a nurse at St. Mary's hospital in this city, was shot and killed by Gustav Wirth, aged thirty-two, who is supposed to be insane. The assassin fled after firing four shots into the woman's body, but was captured after being chased several blocks and lodged in the police station. Wirth was operated upon at the hospital about a year ago, and, it is said, showed signs of insanity at that time

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Years Record.

This is the last day of the old year. It has brought many good things for Crookston and the Red River Valley. The year has been the most prosperous enjoyed by farmer, merchant, mechanic, professional men and all kinds of labor for several years. Wages have been high, specially the latter part of the year, and the prices received from crops and other produce has brought more money into this section than for many years past.

In the city many desirable things have come to pass. The adoption of the charter amendments has made it possible to continue the municipal improvements, work on which in many instances was made impossible under the new charter because its provisions tied the hands of the city council.

The solid foundation upon which the prosperity of Crookston and the Red River Valley was never more strikingly illustrated than during the recent financial flurry, the effects were not felt here at all practically. Conditions were never more favorable to Crookston than at present. With the close of a prosperous and successful year it should be the single purpose of everyone to boost for Crookston and the Valley. Let the optimism felt here be diffused in all directions. Let the advantages of this section become known to the home seekers of other sections of the country. In conversations, and in your letters be a booster. If a united front is shown, the effects will be felt the coming year as never before.

The Journal has enjoyed the most prosperous year in its history and this is due to its rapidly growing circulation and advertising patrons. The Journal desires to extend to all most hearty wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

Christmas Aftermath

One cannot at this season overlook the aftermath of Christmas, an oscasion which cost the people of Crookston and vicinity a little item of $500,000 or so—cash or on 'charge" accounts. This aftermath is aptly put into verse by Wilbur D. Nesbit, poet, novelist and dramatist of Chicago in this fashion:

Let us pipe a little carol, clothe our thoughts in this apparel,
Garb our dreams in rhyming raiment if you please;
We have warbled of the holly in a manner blithe and jolly
And have praised the mistletoe in joyful lays;
We have told about the tingle of the time in lighted ingle
And the mystic spell that throbs through us and thrills—
But full soon we shall be yelling of the mysteries of spelling
When the Christmas bells are changed to Christmas bills.

In this connection it is very probable that those who have bills coming in for money spent for Christmas gifts many of which may not be paid for several months to come, will at odd times make a solemn vow that next Christmas they will buy only what they have the cash to pay for, and if this one resolution is kept it will not be necessary to make any others. The person who buys things on credit to give away is taking the wrong tack. As a rule it is pretty poor policy to buy anything on credit, and the system keeps the noses of more people on the grindstone all their lives than any thing else in the world, but to buy a present and have it charged is the heighth of folly barring exceptional circumstances.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

A man's wife would never know he had a temper if he didn't lose it.

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Doctors are in business for the health of others but not for their own.

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Never judge the fidelity of a friend by his eagerness to point out your faults.

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And every man is afraid of something; if it isn't anything else it's a woman.

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A prophet is not without honor in his own community as long as he pays his bills.

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Once in a great while a young man gets busy and does things in spite of his inherited wealth.

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It is easy for a man to have the courage of his convictions if his bank balance is large enough.

BLIND MAN IS SLAYER.

Fell Victim With Cane and Left Him to Die on Prairie.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 31. — William Baker was assaulted and fatally injured by J. J. Fitzmorris, a blind man, last night, while the two, who were beggars, were on their way to the poor farm. Fitzmorris felled Baker by a heavy blow over the head with his cane, and after kicking him until exhausted left the helpless man on the prairie all night to freeze. Baker's legs were frozen to his knees.

ILL-FATED ENGINEER DIES.

Man Whose Two Children Perished in Fire Is Killed in Wreck.

Duncan, Okla., Dec. 31.—Engineer Henry White, whose two children were burned to death when fire destroyed his residence in Fort Worth a few weeks ago, was killed and two mail and two express messengers injured when Rock Island Passenger Train No. 23, a double-header, was wrecked near here.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

A woman has eyes for other to see

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The way to agree with a woman is not to be married to her.

—o†o—

The man who wants to stay out nights wouldn't if he had to.

—o†o—

When a man buys an automobile he is envied for his prosperity; when he gives it up he is admired for being sensible.

Albert Lea Residence Burns.

Albert Lea, Minn., Dec. 31. — Fire wrecked and practically destroyed the fine residence of W. L. Beedle, superintendent of the water plant. Nobody was at home at the time, and there was some delay in giving the alarm, so the fire got a good start. The loss on building and contents is heavy.

Kills Self in Hotel.

Moorhead, Minn., Dec. 31.—Severt Samuelson committed suicide in a room in the Welcome hotel by drinking two ounces of carbolic acid.

Snow in Wisconsin.

Black River Falls, Wis., Dec. 31. — The first heavy snow storm of the winter has been in progress here all day, but it will take a foot of snow to make sleighing. The mercury stands 5 below freezing.

All Steel Bridges.

Faribault, Minn., Dec. 31. — Within two weeks the Rock Island railroad will have all new steel bridges between this city and Owatonna, crossing Straight river, within seventeen miles.

Notice to Our Customers

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. For sale by all druggists.

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Paper Trust's Cinch

The paper trust is taking advantage of the imaginery panic to hammer down the price of pulp wood a couple dollars per cord. But the price of paper keeps up a rigid chin.—Big Fork Compass.

A Question

In view of the reports coming from Washington these days the Duluth Herald thinks it is about time to institute an inquiry whether this is a government of, by and for the people, or a government of the people, by Speaker Cannon and Senator Aldrich for the large interests.—Perham Enterprise.

A Fair Hearing

The press and the people of the state are evidently going to demand a fair trial in the case of Attorney Hart against the supreme court. They do not care to render a verdict on Hart's charges alone, neither do they consider that these charges can be ignored. If Hart has a case it rests with him to prove it.—Sleepy Eye Dispatch.

Unpopular

Speaker Cannon's autocratic method of making committee assignment to suit his reactionary policy will not make him very popular among the people Punishing a representative for standing for what he considers right will not be sanctioned by the average person.—Mora Times.

Insuring Depositors

Did you ever think of it? The banks are fully protected against loss by burglary, but they seem to think that the insuring of depositors against bank failures would be impractical. However, such insurance will be required by law in the near future.—Madison Independent Press.

Good Time Hugging Dummies

It's peculiar how some fellows can have a good time. During the dance last Saturday night Mr. Bockey set two wire dummies outside in order to make more room for the dancers. This he found to be quite a scheme, as a number of the young fellows who were rather bashful were out most of the time hugging those dummies. They seemed to be in such earnest about their affection and desire for hugging that they entirely disabled the poor helpless dummies.—Grygla Eagle.

Hurrahing for Johnson

The Pioneer Press says that altho Governor Johnson is a good enough man to be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination he is not necessarily good enough for a third term as governor of Minnesota. The thousands of Democrats and Republicans thruout the state who voted for him at the last election may have another opinion. Time will tell.—North Branch Review.

DeWitt's Little Early Riser Pills are sold by A. G. Andersen.

From our Exchanges

ERSKINE

(Echo)

Miss Emma Swanson left for Crookston this evening.

Conrad Finsand came up from Crookston Wednesday and spent the day with the home folks.

Miss Laura Miller, of Ellsworth, Wis., spent last Tuesday evening with the Cronqust family here.

Miss Ingeborg Espeseth came down from Bagley Friday evening last to spend holiday vacation with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Notveidt came from Fosston Tuesday evening and spent Christmas day with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Olson, returning home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Paulson of Neilsville, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Melsness and children, of Crookston spent Christmas week at the Melsness home in the town of Badger.

Mr. Christie, an old friend of Ole Narveson, from Bisbee, N. D., stopped off for a short visit here Wednesday night on his way to Alexandria.

Casper Hanson, wife and daughter Agnes, I. I. Stenerson and wife, S. Hanson and wife and Gena Odegaard and daughter were at Bagley Christmas day and partook of dinner with Hans Hanson and family.

FOSSTON

(Thirteen Towns)

Mr and Mrs. Oscar Holden are enjoying a Christmas visit to a brother of the latter, George, and his family, at Little Falls.

Misses Esmee Herchberger and Alma Froland who are students at the Moorhead Normal are home for the holiday weeks.

Wm. Cameron and his sons, Will and Walter returned in time to enjoy their Christmas dinner at home. The boys have spent a number of weeks in the woods, hunting and trapping for fur and were quite successful.

Peter N. Kline left on Monday afternoon, for Rice, Benton county this state, to visit his aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kline, and to celebrate with them their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Kline expects to remain there about two weeks.

Mrs. Louise Knutson of the town of Popple, Clearwater county, passed away last Friday morning 20th inst. succumbing to dread pneumonia. She was 64 years of age at the time of her death.

Owing to the large amount of work being done at the Fosston hospital it has been found necessary to form a partnership. Dr. Chas. B. Stone formerly of Stearns county this state, has entered with Dr. Turnbull into the management of the hospital.

Yesterday afternoon a committee of clerks, Messrs. Louis Sivertson and Rudolph Vaaler called upon the merchants of the town who unanimously signed a petition for the closing of stores at 7 o'clock P. M., from the 2nd of January until the 1st day of September, 1908, with the exception of the 3rd of July, Saturdays, and the days of big shows and celebrations.

RED LAKE FALLS

(Gazette)

Miss Amelia Burget spent Christmas with the home folks at Crookston.

Miss Pauline Neiland teacher in the East Grand Forks schools is at home for the holidays.

John Helm a student at St. John's college at Collegeville arrived home Saturday to eat Christmas dinner under the parental Joseph Helm roof.

Geo. Fink, of Crookston passed thru the Falls last Saturday enroute home from Wylie, near which point he had been looking after his landed interests.

Misses Ella Kruegar, Mayme Linnihan and Stella Hennemuth are taking a vacation from school studies at the State Normal at Moorhead, and will spend the holidays among the home folks.

The local M. B. A. lodge will give a reception party in honor of the marriage of Romeo Ducharme one of their members, on Monday evening, Dec. 30 1907. The party is given for members and their invited guests only.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busch were the recipients on Christmas eve of a fine present from Santa Claus in the way of a bouncing baby boy. The mother and babe are doing nicely, while the father is rejoicing over his Christmas present.

SAUM ITEMS

(Beltrami County)

Martin Mattson went to Battle River Thursday on business, returning Friday.

Gust Barness came up last week from Crookston to spend the winter on his claim in this vicinity.

Oliver Estenson and wife of Kelliher came up last week to make their home on their claim for the winter.

The Misses Tora Krokseng, Judith Stortroen, Jennie Krokseng and Myrtle Blocker spent Thursday at Foy.

Ole Moen left for Crookston last Wednesday He expects to spend the rest of the week there on business and renwing old acquaintances.

Give the average woman plenty of cold cash and she will have a hot time.

From Over The Valley

LET WELL ENOUGH ALONE CONTENT WITH VALLEY

L. A. Kaufer received a letter the first of the week from his brother, Henry, who is located at Calgary, Canada, in which he stated that Northern Minnesota is a garden of Eden compared with the Alberta country. He advises all friends to remain where they are for starvation and famine exists on every hand. Those among the farmers who are able to return to civilization are leaving the country, while the others will exist the best they can He says most of the Red Lake county people have done fairly well, but thinks all should let well enough alone.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

AGED MAN FOUND DEAD IN HOME NEAR BAGLEY

When neighbors called to see Carl Olson living eight miles south of Bagley, this morning they found his dead body on the floor of his home with a stove partly tipped upon him. Death is supposed to have been caused by heart failure. Olson was a widower about 65 years of age. He had attended a dance at the home of one of the neighbors last night, returning to his home at an early hour this morning.

STATE SUPT. OLSON AT STEPHEN, JAN. 13TH

County Supt. Mithun informs us that State Superintendent J. W. Olson will be at Stephen on Monday, Jan. 13th, to hold a convention of the school officers and teachers of Marshall county. The next Western Marshall County Teacher's Association meeting, which was to be held on Feb 8th will be held at the same time and place, or rather be merged in the county convention.—Warren Register.

$500,000 CAPITAL FOR COLD SPRINGS BREWERY

At the regular annual meeting of the Cold Spring Brewing Company in Stearns County it was decided to consolidate it with the Mineral Water & Malting company owned by the same interests, and increase the amount of capital stock to $500,000. It was further decided to erect a large malt house and elevator.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup causes a free yet gentle action of the bowels through which the cold is forced out of the system. Children like it. Contains no opiates nor narcotics. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

EXPLODING DYNAMITE

NARROW ESCAPE FROM INSTANT DEATH BY KNUTE TOWNSHIP MAN

Erskine, Dec. 30. — Mr. Turnquist, while exploding a dynamite cartridge on the farm of O. H. Dale, near this village, last week narrowly escaped instant death, as it was his leg and arm were quite badly wounded. Dr. Friberg was called to dress the wounded members and the patient is now doing nicely.

CARIBOU BUBBLES

As Blown by the Society Editor of the Greenbush Journal's Rural Correspondent — Hot Times Coming in Caribou Township According to the Forecast of the Future—Bill Nye of Roseau County

Prof. Olesim makes regular trips to the six cornered house and the old man says that it is savageness

There is a large crew of men at work on Frank Johnson's house on section 14. Frank says it is alright but it looks suspicious.

There's a hot time at Alf Johnson's place to see who goes after the bread but Billy says he's got the best of it.

Pat and Archie are making regular trips to the swamp and the buckskin horse is having a hot time of it

Frank Weakly left Jim to look after his team this week, and Jim puts in his spare time looking up a new road thru Scoop's pasture.

the line around his claim. The last seen of him he was headed toward Miss Beaver's and we think he was off the line.

Nels is busy these days brushing out

Frank is wearing a long face since Hanna left.

Hubert and Bob returned from out east, they said they were hunting deer and we guess they were. Ella Pierce says that walking is good these days.

Trapping is poor this winter as beaver is scarce

LUMBERJACK SUICIDES

UNKNOWN MAN CRAWLED UNDER COACH AT KELLIHER AND LAID HEAD ON RAIL

An unknown lumberjack crawled under the coach at Kelliher on the M. & I. north of Bemidji, this morning and evidently laid his head on the rail deliberately committing suicide. It was dark at the time and none of the train crew saw him, but after the train started he was found with his head severed from his body. A passenger had seen him crawl under there, but supposed it was a train man fixing the air line or something and paid no further attention to him.

Ludwig Berkland of Twin Valley is in the city today.

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of each member of the family be sure and place one of our little bank books —showing a credit, if only a dollar, in favor of the owner of the stocking. Let the children learn the meaning of a bank account, they will take pride in having one of their 'very own" and will soon learn how rapidly small sums accumulate and become "worth while." They will form the habit of saving and banking their money—a habit which will be valuable to them all their lives.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

CALLED TO STEPHEN—Dr. Wilson Randolph went to Stephen this morning where he was called on professional business and expects to return this evening.

TO THE WOODLOT—Knute Austin was a passenger to Fosston this morning where he has a number of men chopping cordwood from one of his farms, he will stay a few days to see how the work is progressing.

MENTORITES—J. E. Tice and Jens Olson two of Grove Park township pioneer farmers are in the city today in connection with the ditch number 72 matter that is taking up the county board's attention today.

SINCE 1873 — Ex-Sheriff Andrew Steenerson of Climax is in the city today renewing acquaintances and visiting with his brother the postmas-

BURIED AT MENTOR—Carl Olson aged 72 years died last Friday at Bagley and the funeral was held this afternoon at Mentor. Deceased was a pioneer of this section and a highly respected citizen. He was the father of Mrs. M. O. Madson of Mentor and several other children. Rev. T. T. Ove of this city conducted the funeral ser-

OLD PIONEER GONE—The death of Frank Martell Sr., takes from this county another of its pioneer citizens who came here thirty years ago and settled on a claim in Gentilly township. Mr. Martell reached the ripe old age of 92 years and was living with his son Frank when he died. The funeral was held this morning at Gentilly and a large concourse of friends and neighbors paid their respects to the departed. Six children survive him. They are: Mrs. E. Filteau, Louis and John, of Grand Forks; Frank and Charles of Gentilly and Joe, of Duluth.

HELD CONFERENCE—A. W. Rundquist, the circulation manager of the Minneapolis Tribune, recognized as one of the great dailies of America, returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis where he met in conference with other circulation men of the same paper relative to the advance in prices that are to go into effect about the first of the year with all the large city dailies. All subscriptions, including those to other newspapers and correspondents are to be put on a cash basis in the future, and under the new order of the post office department papers sent to subscribers who are more than three months in arrears must have additional postage. It is very probable that all the Twin City and Duluth papers will adopt an iron clad rule in the very near future to demand subscriptions in advance.

COUNTRY ROADS FINE—Jens Rasmussen one of the progressive farmers residing on section 30, Town of Fanny spent Saturday in the city on business He says the wheeling is fine on all graded roads the snow having been blown off and they are hard and smooth as a paved street. Very few farmers are using sleighs tho they could be used in the fields and some of the shallow ditches. Mr. Rasmussen says hundreds of tons of hay was burned in the district east of his this fall, many of the farmers failing to protect their stacks properly. While in the city Mr. Rasmussen called at the Journal office and paid another year in advance for the Daily Journal which is left at his door every morning by the Carrier on Rural Route No five.

ter, Mr. Steenerson is one of the oldest setlers in the Valley and has now retired from active businss life having rented his farms.

AMONG OLD FRIENDS—Hans Lucken who is now a claim holder in Beltrami county spent the gladsome Yuletide among his old friends on Red River in the town of Vineland. He returned east this morning and reported a very enjoyable time, such as only the hospitality of the Red River people always has for visitors.

SHIPMENTS GOOD—J. H. Griffin, traveling freight agent for the Great Northern was in the city this morning and went up the Greenbush line to size up the shipments. Mr. Griffin states that freight business has been exceptionally good this fall and that judging by the railroads business in this immediate locality the times ought to be good.

N. D. PUBLISHER HERE—Ernest D. Susan, publisher of the Walsh Co., Republican of Park River spent Saturday and Sunday in the city visiting with friends. Mr. Susan is a practical printer by trade, and was employed on the Crookston papers for some time. He made many friends while here, and is a young man whose influence for good will be felt in any community in which he resides. He says business conditions are fairly good at Park River and that he is getting along nicely since he became the publisher of the Republican about three months ago.

WILL VISIT MOTHER—Sam J. Lucian will leave this evening for Charles City, Ia., where he will visit his mother for a month, together with other relatives. Mr. Lucian has not been at Charles City for six years having made his last trip to bury his father.

SHOTTLY BROOK—C. O. Espe who has filed on, made final proof, and is now improving a fine farm on Shottly Brook near Battle River in Beltrami county, was down to the Queen City to visit relatives and get a little touch of civilization again. He reports the timber country pretty quiet so far this winter in his locality, but hopes conditions will liven up some after the holidays.

VISITING AT MINOT — Herman Meisch a prominent Northern Minnesota business man and extensive land owner, is spending a few days in the city the guest of his brother, Deputy Sheriff Otto Meisch, and sister Mrs. C. A. Johnson. Mr. Meisch was a resident of Minot some ten years ago, and is greatly surprised at the wonderful growth of the city in that time. He is accompanied on his visit by Mrs. Meisch, who is also known to many of the pioneer residents of the city—Minot Reporter.

JUST A LITTLE HOMESICK—Theo. Labissoniere of Red Lake Falls is visiting in the city at the Martin home a few days, just to help him cheer up the lonesome Christmas week caused by the absence of his wife and daughter Erin, who have preceeded him to the coast to spend the winter. Mr. Labissoniere will join his family at Denver, Col., about Jan. 12 and they will go to Southern California for the rest of the winter.

VERY ILL—Word from the Carman home as we go to press conveys the pleasing news that John Carman, who has been very near death's door from an attack of typhoid fever, is some better. John has been a very sick young man and his hundreds of friends will feel much relieved when the danger of his illness has been passed.—Detroit Record.

BACK TO UPPER FALLS—Joseph Becker the manager of the Thief River Falls branch of the Queen City Bottling works returned home this morning after a pleasant time spent here with relatives, he says its pretty hard to break away and get into the harness again after the time his Crookston friends gave him.

From Tuesday's Daily

NEWFOLDEN MERCHANT— Harry Hoberg of New Folden is in the city on business and is visiting with his uncle A. L. Erickson a few days.

SISTER VERY ILL—Mrs. Ida Peterson will leave for East Grand Forks this evening where she was called by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Julius Cresien. She will return as soon as her sister's condition will permit.

The night came on, the good wife smiled
To herself as she softly said,
"Thank God, we're happy, healthy and bright,
We all take Rocky Mountain Tea at night."—A. G. Andersen.

HAS SOLD OUT—Nels Forsyth of Ada, who recently sold his butcher shop at that place to Julius Bloom spent yesterday in the city on business and had a chat with Nels Anderson and others of this city. He returned home last evening on the flyer

BROUGHT BACK—Sever Cliffgaard who has been here for the past two months and was liable to become a town charge was taken to Crookston on Monday evening by Marshalll Eickhoff. He had been a resident of Crookston for several years and was a town charge there before coming here.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

CONNECTED WITH G. N.—Prof. J. C. Sathre has secured the privilege of having the G. N. wire over which all train orders are given connected with the business college room where instruction in telegraphy is given thus giving the students the advantage of the real work.

WOLF IN TRAP—Irving Heydt increased his Christmas expense money by snaring a big wolf in a steel trap that he had set near his brother-in-law's farm in Fanny township. The bounty on a wolf is $7.50. There is quite a number of wolves roaming around the prairies at the present time and the farmer boys are having considerable sport with them, but they are pretty wary and hard to capture or get a shot at.

If you want the family healthy, strong and active during the winter, give them Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 'Twill surely make and keep the whole family well. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

CO. COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF POLK COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Pursuant to call, the county Board of Polk county, Minnesota, met in special session on December 16th, 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m.

Members present: Rindahl, Thoreson, Clements, Eklund and Driscoll.

The minutes of special meeting held November 14th, 1907, were read and on motion the same were approved.

A hearing was had in the matter of the petition of John Anderson, asking to be set off with his land, Lot 5 of section 5, Township 148, Range 42, from school District No. 230. No one appeared in opposition to the said petition and the same was on motion granted.

At petition presented by Johan P. Olson, asking to be set off with his land from school district No. 18 and attached to school district No. 28 was laid over until the next meeting of the board.

On motion the Board adjourned until 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The board met pursuant to adjournment all members present.

Joseph P. White of town of Fairfax presented an application asking to be granted a license as an auctioneed On motion the same was granted.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Rindahl, was on motion adopted:

Resolved, that the funds on hand in the treasury of each school district, Nos. 22, 132, 183 and 186, and the respective amounts of uncollected taxes levied in said school districts at the time of the formation of school district No. 275, which district was formed out of territory taken from the aforesaid districts, be and hereby are ordered divided between said district No. 275 and the said school districts Nos. 22, 132, 183 and 186 respectively as follows: School districts Nos. 22, 132, 183, and 186 shall pay over to said school district No. 275 the following amounts: School district No 22 the sum of $77.20. school district No. 132 the sum of $39.55; school district No. 183 the sum of $178.38 and school district No. 186 the sum of $45.70. The old districts to assume all bonded and other indebtedness against the respective districts.

The above division has been made on the assessed valuation as a basis and the bonded debt of the respective districts, the funds on hand and the amount of uncollected taxes levied at the time of formation of the new district have been taken into consideration.

On motion the Board adjourned until December 17, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Board met pursuant to adjournment all members present.

The following report, submitted by the county board of auditors was on motion accepted:

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Polk county, Minn.

Gentlemen:

We the undersigned Board of Audit of said county, convened at the office of the County Treasurer of said County, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1907, for the purpose of examining and auditing the accounts, books and vouchers of W. L. Vannet, County Treasurer of said county and to count and ascertain the kind, description and amount of funds in the Treasury and belonging thereto.

We respectfully report that we found said Treasurer indebted to the several funds at the close of business on December 9th, 1907, in the aggregate sum of $251,766.53.

And we find the treasurer in the possession of funds covering said indebtedness in kind and amounts as follows:

Cash in safe	$ 707.13
Cash items, Money Orders, Checks	504.23
On deposit in the various county depositories as follows:	
First National Bank, Crookston	35,629.14
Merchants National Bank of Crookston	35,269.69
Scandia Am. Bank, Crookston	38,367.16
Bank of Crookston	12,393.24
First Nat'l Bank, East Grand Forks	20,194.85
First State Bank, Fertile	13,749.32
Citizen's State Bank, Fertile	11,185.08
Bank of Fisher	7,396.30
State Bank of Erskine	5,865.48
First State Bank of Beltrami	5,463.17
State Bank of Climax	6,390.36
First Nat'l Bank Fosston	15,337.22
First State Bank, Fosston	5,157.74
First Nat'l Bank McIntosh	13,278.30
Citizens Bank, McIntosh	4,939.52
Bank of Mentor	4,291.61
State Bank of Nellsville	6,425.04
First State Bank of Winger	5,121.36
First State Bank, East Grand Forks	4,100.60
Total funds on hand, December 9, 1907	$251,766.54

Respectfully submitted,
—N. A. Hoffard, County Auditor.
—W. A. Lanctot, Clerk of Dist. Court.
—B. Clements, Chairman Co. Com'rs.
Board of Audit, Polk County.

The following resolution, offered by Commissioner Eklund, was on motion adopted:

Resolved, that the county auditor be and hereby is instructed to advertise for sealed proposals for doing the official publishing for the county for year 1908, such bids to be received up to January 8, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. Be it further resolved that proposals for doing the necessary job printing during year 1908 be and are hereby invited to be received up to January 8, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., such bids to be made separately from that of the official publishing.

On motion the Board adjourned until December 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment with members Thoreson, Clements, Eklund and Driscoll present.

A petition presented by Citizens of Town of Reis, asking for repairs to roads and bridges in said town was on motion rejected.

The following resolution, offered by Commissioner Clements, was on motion adopted:

Resolved, that the auditor and treasurer of this county be and hereby are authorized and directed to transfer back to funds of county ditches Nos. 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 the unused part of amounts transferred from said funds in accordance with resolution adopted by this Board on March 1, 1907, to the funds of county ditches Nos. 62, 65, 66, 67 and 68 and Judicial Ditch No. 4.

The following resolution, offered by Commissioner Clements, was on motion adopted:

Resolved, that pursuant to provisions of Chapter 405, General Laws of 1907, in which is appropriated to Polk County by the State of Minnesota, the sum of $3,500.00 to aid said Polk county in building, constructing and repairing bridges and highways within said county, the county board of said county, certify to the state auditor and hereby does certify, that the road and bridge work hereinafter specified has been performed in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 405, that such work has been completed and accepted by this board and that the sums hereinafter named have been paid by Polk county for such work, as follows, to-wit:

Repairing bridge across Gentilly creek in Town of Gentilly	$ 310.00
Grading road on line between sections 1 and 2, Town of Crookston, and on line between sections 35 and 36 24 and 25, Town of Parnell	550.00
Repairing bridge across Red Lake River in Village of Fisher	300.00
Repairing bridge on line between section 2, Town of Lowell and section 35, Town of Fanny	92.55
Repairing bridge across Red Lake river in the City of East Grand Forks	1500.00
Grading road on north and south quarterline in sections 27 and 34, Town of Grove Park	100.00
Grading road on the east line of section 12, on the east and north line of section 1, Town of Lowell and on the east line of sections 35 and 26 in Town of Fanny	700.00
Total	$3552.55

The following bills were audited and allowed:

Louis Gonyea, sheriff's fees (4 bills)	$ 357.14
Louis Gonyea, boarding prisoners	287.67
Dr. H. W. Smith, medical attendance to prisoners	7.00
Chas. Saltzstein & Bro., typewriter supplies	29.50
John Heidstab, ice to court house and jail	25.38
L. W Larson, coal	338.56
A. J. Kelly, wood	85.50
A. K. Austin, removing rubbish	16.50
J. E. O'Brien & Co., hardware (2 bills)	14.95
A. A. Buckingham, coal	60.94
A. Bloom, removing rubbish	2.00
F. C. Massee, appearing for county attorney	5.00
Geo. R. Robbins, appearing for county attorney	5.00
Northw. Tel. Exch. Co., telephone service	44.50
Miller-Davis Printing Co. legal blanks, etc., (6 bills)	60.15
W. L. Vannet, postage, etc	70.70
N. A. Hoffard, postage etc	69.17
B. L. Crowe, work on tract indexes	100.00
Ida Clapp, work on tract indexes	65.00
J. P. Norman, stationery	4.70
S. A. Wallace, stationery, etc.	51.06
Thos. Casey, expenses visiting schools	50.78
J. A. Barrette, merchandise to jail	3.50
Rosenthal & Falk, merchandise to jail	38.00
Ruettell Cloth. Co., merchandise to jail	19.50
The Electric Store, electric light globes	4.80
Louis Hanson repairs at jail	13.50
Crookston Lumber Co., slabs	6.0
Wm. Norman, repairs at court house	1.80
Crookston Journal, stationery	14.00
McKenzie-Robbins Printing Co., blank books, etc	128.75
Pioneer Press Co., legal blanks	5.20
John F. Olson, bal. due on contract for constructing underground crossing at Fertile	903.84
James Hedley, work on state road	34.00
James Secord, work on state road	12.00
Richard Mulcahy, work on state road	73.00
E. B. Anderson, work on state road	130.25
Town of Parnell, work on state road	208.00
J. M. Johnson, repairing bridge on state road	50.65
St. Anthony & Dak. El. Co., lumber for bridge, town road	158.06
The Robertson Lumber Co., lumber for bridge, town of Lowell	77.65
D. B. Ferguson, road work town of Huntsville	34.00
Town of Garden, lumber for repairing bridge, town of Garden	104.40
Town of Gentilly, road work town of Gentilly	117.00
Town of Lowell, road work town of Lowell	22.50
City of East Grand Forks repairing bridge across Red Lake River	1500.00
Edw. H. Reitmier, repairing bridge, town of Lowell	15.00
Henrik Mattson, road work town of Winger (2 bills)	13.00
John Nenzen, roadwork town of Winger	9.00
Christen Chresty, road work town of Winger	9.00
Carl Messelt, road work town of Winger	13.50
L. P. Olson, road work town of Winger	4.50
Peter Erickson, road work town of Winger	15.00
Ole A. Skele, road work town of Winger	6.00
C. L. Tristrom road work town of Winger	6.00
Ole O. Moe, road work town of Winger	3.00
Claus Olson road work town of Winger	3.00
E. M. Rust, road work town of Winger	6.00
John M. Berg, road work town of Winger	9.00
Hans Hanson, road work town of Winger	15.00
Swan Petterson, road work town of Columbia	28.50
John C. Olson, road work town of Columbia	6.00
John Carlson road work town of Columbia	6.00
Carl Bakken, road work town of Columbia	20.00
Erick Erickson, road work, town of Columbia	4.00
Carl T. Molstad, road work town of Columbia	6.00
Gust Nelson, road work town of Columbia	12.00
C. A. Carlson, road work town of Columbia	21.00
Selmer Miller, road work town of Queen	5.25
Peter Johnson, road work town of Queen	3.00
John Berglund, road work town of Queen	18.00
Hans Aamold, road work town of Queen	9.00
Christ Melby, road work town of Queen	9.00
Christ Johnson, road work town of Queen	14.75
C. F. Hasselton, road work town of Rosebud	21.00
Jorgen K. Haugen, road work town of Rosebud	19.76
E. J. Olson, justice fees	4.85
John McLean, justice fees (4 bills)	11.65
G. C. Wilde, justice fees (4 bills)	38.05
C. H. Kampstad, constable fees	15.70
Geo. Guyett, witness fees	2.24
H. Cohen, witness fees (2 bills)	2.24
A. P. Sandberg, witness fees	2.24
Mrs. A. P. Sandberg, witness fees	2.24
Thos. Gorder, withness fees	1.12
Edwin Skelbek, witness fees	10.60
Halvor Jenson, witness fees	10.56
Ole G. Espeseth, juror fees	1.00
Wm. Anglim, juror fees (2 bills)	2.00
C. H. Jefferson, juror fees	1.00
John Rindahl, juror fees	1.00
Charles Forsberg, juror fees	1.00
John Lindberg, juror fees	1.00
Julius Espeseth, juror fees	1.00
N. P. Stone, juror fees	1.00
John P. Sather, juror fees	1.00
J. O. Rindahl, services os Co. Commissioner	6.60
H. H. Thoreson, services as Co. Commissioner (3 bills)	17.70
B. Clements, services as Co. Commissioner (2 bills)	20.30
E. G. Eklund, services ac Co. Commissioner	12.80
James Driscoll, services as Co. Commissioner (2 bills)	10.00
Bjoin & Carlson, hack hire	4.00
A. G. Andersen, medicines and drugs to non-resident pauper	32.75
Slocum Grocery, merchandise to non-resident pauper	4.77
Ruettell Clothing Co., merchandise to non-resident pauper	8.50
E. D. Thompson, care of non-resident pauper	15.00
Ole Miller, care of non-resident pauper	15.00
Mrs. A. W. Preston, care of non-resident pauper 2 bills	45.00
Henry Brosseau, care of non-resident pauper	39.04
M. Norman, burial of non-resident pauper	21.50
Town of Onstad, expense incurred in control of contagious disease	89.50
Foley Bros., extra work on ditch No. 46	419.73
H. A. Wyand, livery for engineer on ditch No. 57	3.50
North Dak. Metal Culvert Co., culvert on ditch No. 61	56.00
George A. Ralph services as engineer on ditches Nos. 62, 63 and 64	64.00
Clement G. Moreau, services as rodman, ditch No. 72	10.50
N. Z. Horton, posting notices of hearing, ditch No. 72	9.00
H. A. Tofsly, services as viewer, ditch No. 72	76.25
T. E. Kjolhaug, services as viewer ditch No. 72	53.88
Th. Thorkelson, services as viewer, ditch No. 72	54.88

Bill of Bjoin & Carlson in the sum of $3.00 was disallowed. Bills of P. A. Peterson and G. O. Johnson were ordered returned for correction.

Bills presented by the following parties were laid over: James Cumming, Frank Johnson, James Wavra Ed. Knuteson, J. P. Johnson, Herman Camp, G. C. Hanson, M. D., Frank Johnson, O. L. Hamery (2 bills) and Elmer L. Hamery.

On motion board adjourned sine die.

—N. A. Hoffard,
County Auditor,
Clerk of the Board.

AFTER CANADIANS—R. S. Pershing of Oklahoma City, Okla., was in the city yesterday confering with G. A. Brodal the local agent of Texas lands for which they are jointly arranging for a series of excursions to the southland. Mr. Pershing's territory is among the dissatisfied settlers in western Canada. He left for Saskatchewan this morning.

FARMER WHO FIGURES—Louis Wentzel is in the city today with a load of pork and beef for which he found a good market and fair price. Mr. Wentzel diversifies in his farming and keeps a complete set of books so that he knows what each animal or field costs and what they produce. He keeps four cows from which he has sold $116 worth of butter besides what he used for himself and the milk for the growing stock. 45 hens netted him forty-five dollars and he still has the increase and all he wanted for his family use. The other stock and grains have not been footed up yet as he has only disposed of part of them.

This is the season when your blood needs purifying; if the blood is pure and healthy you'll be well. The most reliable blood remedy is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Nothing can do more good. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

O'BRIEN CONFESSES HE MURDERED LE CLAIR

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was discovered.

James O'Brien was born here and has lived in this vicinity all his life. He never has borne a bad character.

He has shown no signs of weakening since his arrest. Entering a rig to drive to the jail at Pembina, he said: "Wonder why you would not have a brass band out to see me off." Timothy O'Brient, the father, in tears, bade him good-by, saying, "My son, your mother and I know you are innocent."

Was a Pallbearer.

The father found such a hatchet at home as he and James had described at the inquest, square head and claw gone. The entire family is heartbroken and there is much sympathy for them.

James O'Brien sent to Winnipeg for flowers for Le Claire's funeral and was a pallbearer. He was one of the first to reach the river when the report of the murder spread. He offered to help chop the ice to get the body out.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills they are for weak back, inflammation of the bladder, backache and weak kidneys Sold by A. G. Andersen.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

BANKS OF MINNESOTA IN FINE CONDITIONS

COMPARATIVE ABSTRACT OF REPORTS OF CONDITION OF STATE BANKS IN MINNESOTA, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE DATES NAMED

RESOURCES—	Nov. 12, 1906 450 Banks	Dec. 3, 1907 502 Banks
Loans and Discounts	$62,725,931.17	$58,923,557.32
Overdrafts	471,789.95	395,232.27
U. S. Bonds	6,400.00	5,500.00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Securities	1,317,505.29	1,296,776.52
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	2,371,957.93	2,660,587.80
Other Real Estate	657,786.47	738,701.00
Due from Banks	11,497,589.08	11,360,370.83
Checks and Cash Items	1,419,669.20	696,764.35
Cash on Hand	4,497,041.79	5,865,571.45
Other Resources	63,829.04	66,300.59
Totals	$85,029,499.87	$82,009,362.13
LIABILITIES—		
Capital Stock	$10,346,600.00	$10,436,100.00
Surplus	2,743,766.05	2,437,658.61
Undivided Profits, net	1,228,513.34	1,492,760.95
Bills Payable	622,849.35	569,632.79
Time Certificates	30,070,459.38	35,879,503.20
Dividends Unpaid	7,884.49	6,126.72
Deposits Subject to Check	31,513,857.45	27,414,256.68
Demand Certificates	1,320,881.45	933,824.36
Certified Checks	124,046.01	31,248.36
Cashier's Checks	847,921.56	959,797.42
Due to Banks	6,127,864.31	1,819,191.31
Other Liabilities	64,856.48	29,261.73
Totals	$85,029,499.87	$82,009,362.13

Taking only the 450 state banks included in both the call of Dec. 3, 1907, and that of Nov. 12, 1906, which makes a just and fair basis of comparison of true condition, there is a net increase in round numbers, of $1,800,000 in cash on hand, $2,000,000 in loans and discounts, and $3,500,000 in time certificates of deposit, with no shrinkage whatever in any principal item of banking resources. In other words, notwithstanding the recent monetary flurry, Minnesota state banks make a better general showing of resources and prosperity at this time than at this time last year or any previous year.

—A. Schaefer,
Public Examiner.

ON STRICTLY CASH BASIS

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT PUTS NEW RULING IN EFFECT ON JAN. FIRST

JOURNAL WILL REMAIN AT $3 PER YEAR BUT MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE

From Thursday's Daily—

The new ruling of the post office department which will make it necessary to affix a one cent stamp on all newspapers mailed which are delinquent for over three months after the first of January is explained on the editorial page of this paper. As is well known the price of paper has advanced by leaps and bounds, and nearly every daily paper in the country has advanced its subscription price from 10 to 30 per cent.

The Journal, however will remain at the same old price, $3 per year or 30 cents per month, but under the new ruling this must be paid in advance, or not allowed to run in arrears more than three months.

The Journal is therefore compelled to insist on all subscriptions being paid up, and to be on the safe side they should all be paid in advance. $3 will pay you for a year in advance, and $1.50 will pay for six months in advance either by mail or by carrier in the city.

Subscribers who are in arrears more than 3 months under the new interpretation of the post master general will have to pay over $3 additional to the regular subscription price of the paper. Avoid this penalty by keeping paid up.

TRAGEDY IN BEMIDJI RESORT

BULLET FIRED PROMISCOUSLY BY JOHAN JOHANSON STRIKES HIS PARTNER IN BACK

While giving strenuous demonstration of the reckless use of fire arms in a resort in the west end of Bemidji Christmas Eve, Johan Johanson a common laborer, hit his partner Charles Hill in the back between the shoulders with a bullet from a 38-calibre revolver and that Hill was not instantly killed was probably due to the fact that the weapon, from which the bullet was fired was a poor make, and also that Hill was wearing a heavy coat and three thick shirts.

A complaint was made against Johanson, charging him with assault in the first degree and his case was continued until Jan. 3 he being committed to the county jail awaiting preliminary hearing on Jan. 3.

Platonic love is the banked fire of passion.

$5,000 IN NOTES STOLEN IN GRIP

GRIP CONTAINING $5000 IN NOTES STOLEN OF J. F. CREAMER AT MINOT

THIEF PAWNED SAME FOR 25 CENTS PLEAD GUILTY AND IS HELD

From Thursday's Daily—

Theodore Knuteson, the man who swiped a grip from J. F. Creamer of Crookston at Great Northern depot in Minot Sunday night, and who was rounded up by the police yesterday plead guilty to the charge of grand larceny before the court at Minot this morning and was bound over to the district court. "No use denying the fact," said Knuteson. "I stole the grip and soaked it for a quarter."

DANGEROUS SHOE PEG

CAUSES DEATH OF J. P. BAUER, WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF WADENA

A peg sticking up out of the sole of his shoe, boring a small hole in his foot caused the death of J. P. Bauer, a well known resident of the town of Bluffton last week.

The wound inflicted by the peg led to blood poisoning, which ended fatally. When medical aid was summoned Mr. Bauer's life could not be saved.

He was a poor man of about 60, with a large family of children who are left practically destitute. Friends in Wadena contributed $75 towards their relief.

Two well known young men from Angus who were in Crookston the fore part of the week agreed to settle a difference with their fists. It was understood that whoever wanted to quit after the battle started should cry "enough!" The bigger man got his antagonist down and was hammering him soundly when the man underneath yelled 'enough!" The big fellow paid no attention to his cry and kept on pounding him. Again and again the man underneath gave the signal to stop, but no heed was paid to him.

An onlooker asked: "Why don't you let the feller up? He's yelled ''nough!' "

"He's such a liar you can't believe him," said the victor. Officer Phillips rushed to the scene and sent the belligerents to the station.

It is said that dancing makes girls' feet large. It is said that ice cream makes freckles. Doctors are of the opinion that hanging on the front-gate produces rheumatism. A few more opinions like these and the girls won't have any fun left them.

CONFLAGRATION AT GREENBUSH

TWO SALOONS, HARDWARE STORE, BANK AND GENERAL STORE DESTROYED

LOSS WAS TOTAL BUT ALL WERE WELL INSURED EXCEPT HARDWARE STORE

From Friday's Daily—

This morning, Greenbush, one of the lively towns north of Thief River Falls was visited by the most disastrous fire in its history, two saloons, a bank, a hardware store and a general store being totally destroyed, and the household goods of the proprietors who resided in the same building was also all burned.

The fire started in the rear of Kukowski's general store which is located in the Kukowski Block, and the entire block was soon reduced to ashes. Andrew Larson's saloon occupied the other half of the first floor and was also completely destroyed with contents.

The fire jumped across the street to the State Bank of Greenbush and that building was also burned to the ground Cashier T. Lundervall resided in the rear and saved a little of his furniture.

The saloon of Sloninski and Bazel adjoining the Kukowski block next caught fire and was soon in ashes. The two proprietors reside upstairs and there was no time to save a single piece of furniture.

T. E. Thompson's hardware was next in the path of the flames which spread rapidly fanned by a high wind, and there was no time to save anything. His loss was total and his loss will be the heaviest as he had but very little insurance.

One other vacant building was also destroyed, the loss being light. The individual losses could not be learned but will aggregate fully $50,000. All covered by insurance with the exception of Thompson. Peter Dock, who occupied a suite of rooms in the Kukowski block lost all his household furniture with no insurance.

The fire department responded at once but could do nothing to stay the progress of the flames as the valve controlling the water from the elevated tank refused to work and no water could be secured. Fortunately no one was injured.

RETURNED AFTER TWENTY YEARS

JILTED LOVER SEEKS SOLACE IN ARMY REMAINS TRUE TO HIS FIRST LOVE

Jilted 20 years ago by the girl he wooed, Manfield Kriel broken hearted went to a recruiting office and enlisted as a soldier in the regular army. At Red Lake Falls yesterday he married his old sweetheart who, after a score of years of married life had been left a widow by the accidental death of her husband. Mrs. Gunhaldah Kriel, the bride, is a resident of that city. Mr. Kriel recently received his honorable discharge from the army in which during the last few years he served as a sergeant. He expects to file up on a homestead in Itasca county.

DON'T PROPOSE TO PROPOSE

Women members of Mrs. M. Russell's Widows and Widowers' club of Chicago do not propose to propose next year, which will be leap year They served notice to the effect upon the widowers of the club at the meeting held yesterday afternoon at Mrs Russell's house, 315 East Forty-first street.

The notice came in the form of a secret ballot whereon the members wrote their opinion in the matter and the result was unanimous. Even the widowers who were allowed to vote held to a man that it was not a good custom which upon second thought is not remarkable considering that each of the men had been married at least once before and realized that matrimony is not to be idly undertaken as a matter of compliment to any woman who might ask for one's hand; for, of course, it would be embarrassing to any man of ordinary sensibilities to refuse.

The proposed proposition was characterized by some as "not to be thot of" and "unsexing."

The meeting yesterday was the second of the club's gatherings and was attended by more than sixty members They were all happy altho there was no skirt dancing last night. In fact, Mrs. Russell says that there was none at the first meeting of the club, held a week ago, and that the reports of such proceedings were erroneous.

SMALL POX REGULATIONS

GOING INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1ST CONCISELY EXPLAINED BY DR. DAMPIER

PATIENT QUARANTINED BUT OTHERS CAN EXPOSE THEMSELVES IF THEY CHOOSE

From Friday's Daily—

The following clear explanation of the new small-pox regulations adopted by Minnesota State Board of Health which will become effective on Jan. 1st is very timely and should be carefully read as a great many people have an entirely mistaken concepton of the significance of the new rules. Dr. Dampier, the city health officer writes the Journal as follows:

"Editor Journal: Altho the new regulations of the State Board of Health regarding control of small pox have been published in the newspaper there seems to be a general impression that there is to be no quarantine of small pox after Dec. 31, 1907 and that a person with the disease can mingle with the public at his own pleasure and convenience. I wish to correct that impression and state the facts as they will be.

"Beginning Jan. 1st 1908, every physician must as heretofore report to the health officer at once every case of small pox he is called to attend. If the health officer knows or has reason to believe there exists a case of smal pox not reported he must investigate for himself. Every person with small pox must be confined to his home and a card placed on the house by the health officer. The card is only a warning notice and the other occupants of the house and the public may come and go as they please, but the person with small pox must not leave the house until after his complete recovery, the contents of the house fumigated under the supervision of the health officer and the card removed. A person with small pox in a hotel or a common lodging or boarding house must be removed therefrom as heretofore.

These are the new regulations and they place no restraint upon anyone except the patient; however, even if the law does permit them to do so, everyone will probably be just as well pleased if people from a house with small pox do not necessarily associat with the general public. A little care in that respect can do no harm.

—C. E. Dampier,
Health Officer.

CLOSE COMMISSION FIRM'S OFFICE

TRADERS GRAIN COMPANY QUITS BUSINESS IN CITIES OF THE NORTHWEST

The Traders Grain company, brokers and grain commission, yesterday closed the office in Grand Forks, Duluth, Winnipeg, Fargo and elsewhere F. B Wadsley has been manager of the local office located in the Clifford building. This leaves the local field clear to Charles E. Lewis who has had an office in this city for years. The following notice was issued yesterday:

"All trades will be closed at the opening of the market. We will discontinue sending markets and taking trades until certain claims against us are adjusted. 8:55 a. m., Dec. 26."

YOUNG MAN MAKES A BAD START

Paul Koppang, employed by Ben Rosenberg at the Great Western Clothing House for the past few months, on Monday last forged the name of his employer to a check for $23.75 cashed it at Ed Erickson's meat market and departed for North Dakota points. A warrant is out for his arrest but he has not yet been apprehended. He also forged another check before going, signing another man's name. He will get his Christmas present when he is brought back.

Dewey Seventy Years Old.

Washington, Dec. 28. — Admiral George Dewey was seventy years old yesterday. Numerous officers of the navy and army and other friends called on him at his office and later at his home.

Sleepwalker Is Killed.

San Jose, Cal., Dec. 28. — Bertram Somers early yesterday shot and instantly killed his five-year-old boy, having mistaken him for a burglar. The child, it is believed, was walking in his sleep.

Gets Ninety Days in Jail.

Red Wing, Minn., Dec. 28. — Frank Busch, a stranger from Lake City, while intoxicated, attempted to assault some men that were in a saloon by drawing a knife and received ninety days in the county jail.

ENGINEER RALPH WOULD AMEND STEENERSON BILL

BELIEVES BILL SHOULD EMBRACE PROVISION FOR TAXING HOMESTEADS FOR DRAINAGE—MR. RALPH TELLS OF WORK BEING DONE BY DRAINAGE BOARD

George A. Ralph, official engineer for the Minnesota State Drainage Board has read the bill for drainage in Minnesota, which was introduced in congress a few days ago by Congressman Steenerson and says of the bill:

"I think the Steenerson bill is all right, but there is a very urgent amendment needed with reference to allowing the assessment of the cost of building ditches against land holders under the homestead law.

"In many instances in northern Minnesota the work of constructing ditches that would have been a great benefit to the homesteaders was hampered and delayed for the reason that right-of-way could not be acquired thru the homestead, neither could the homestead land be assessed for any part of the cost of construction.

"As these assessments may be spread over a series of years (the first installment being payable in five years after the ditch is constructed) such assessment would be no hardship to the homesteader. On the contrary, the assessment would be a great benefit, as it would permit the building of roads and the development of the country, which under the present laws cannot be drained, and they could not be ditched as equitably.

"As to the work being done by the state board we are preparing to let contracts for the construction of about a dozen state ditches, the contract to be let in the middle of February. These ditches will all be drainage channels, varying in length from ten to twenty miles and will drain a large area. As these ditches will have highways along the banks constructed from the earth excavated from the ditch, it will not only be a great benefit to adjoining land owners but will also connect the isolated settlements which are now cut off by the intervening swamps.

"The open winter which we are having is very favorable to our work, as we are enabled to make surveys much more cheaply and rapidly thru swamp country over frozen ground than we can when the swamps are full of water."

IS BILLION FEET LESS

THE ANNUAL CUT OF HARDWOOD HAS MATERIALLY DECREASED

MINNESOTA HAS A WEALTH OF HARDWOOD IN ITS NORTHERN FORESTS

Altho the demand for hardwood lumber is greater than ever before, the annual cut today is a billion feet less than it was seven years ago according to a government report. In this time the wholesale price of the different classes of hardwood lumber advanced from 25 to 65 per cent. The cut of oak which in 1899 was more than half the total cut of hardwoods, has fallen 36 per cent. Yellow poplar which was formerly second in point of output, has fallen off 38 per cent and elm has fallen off one-half. The cut of softwoods is over four times that of hardwoods, yet it is doubtful if a shortage in the former would cause dismay in so many industries. The Big Fork country is covered with hardwoods, and when the market developes, its future wealth will be greatly increased.

NORMAN COUNTY BIG DITCH

CONTRACT HAS BEEN LET FOR TEN MILES OF DITCH NUMBER 35

At a meeting of the Norman county commissioners held last week the contract was let for county ditch No. 33. This ditch has its source at the south line of section 36 in Halstad township Norman county and traverses a distance of nearly ten miles in a northwesterly direction, emptying into the Red River. The contract for the work of excavating was let to John L. Baker, of Willmar. Mr. Baker has examined the proposed work very thoroly and will use a small dredge to dig the ditch. He is confident that there will be plenty of water to float the dredge and that he will have no trouble in constructing the ditch in this manner.

SULTAN'S TROOPS WIN.

Two Victories Are Gained for Moroccan Ruler.

Morocco City, Dec. 28. — Recent fighting in this vicinity has resulted in two victories for the partisans of Abd-el-Aziz, the sultaan of Morocco. The Rehamnas, followers of Mulai Hafid, the "southern sultan," attacked the Shragna tribesmen, partisans of Abd-el-Aziz, but were repulsed with a loss of 200 men. After receiving 800 reinforcements from Mulai Hafid the Rehamnas attacked a second time, but again suffered defeat.

Shot by Strikebreaker.

Binghamton, N. Y., Dec. 28.—John L. Sullivan, a switchman, was shot and killed yesterday by an unknown strikebreaker. The ball passed completely through Sullivan's skull and he lived less than an hour.

Wind Wrecks a Train.

Denver, Dec. 27.—The baggage car and first passenger coach of a train was blown from the track and overturned in the ditch near Marshall. Six persons were seriously injured and a number of other slightly hurt.

CITY OFFICER' SLATE MADE UP

AT SECRET CONFERENCE OF THE POWERS AT EAST GRAND FORKS

HANS ELLINGSON TO BE CHIEF OF POLICE—OLE LUKKASON ASSISTANT

From Friday's Daily—

Chief of Police—Hans Ellingson.
Assistant Chief of Police—Ole Lukkason.
Patrolmen—J. J. Clynch, Martin Murphy and Chris Nelson.
City Attorney—D. T. Collins.
City Recorder—C. P. Zimmerman.
City Physician—Dr. Kirk.
Health Officer—Dr. Wilson.
Street Commissioner—Nick Ketter
Supt. of Light Plant—Chas. Fiers.

The much discussed question of the personnel of the executive officers o the city of East Grand Forks under the coming administration has been finally settled at a secret conference between Mayor Elect Dunlevy and th members of the new council, at which the various preferences were harmonozed and a complete slate arranged after an animated discussion. The session was entirely executive and all present were bound to secrecy in the matter, but unofficially the list as finally agreed upon was as above given excepting that Hugh Quigley was slated for assistant chief of police. It was afterwards learned however, that Mr. Quigley would not care for the position, having desired the appointment of chief and Mr. Lukkason was substituted.

Of the above list Messrs. Collins, Wilson, Ketter, Fiers and Nelson, are the present encumbents. The police force, it will be noticed, will be entirely reorganized with the exception of Patrolman Nelson. Mr. Zimmerman, the new recorder, leaves a good position as salesmanager of the Grand Forks Lumber company to accept the appointment. Mr. Ellingson was a member of the police force of Grand Forks for a number of years and late of the police force of E. G. Forks.

FARMERS INSTITUTE BARNESVILLE JAN. 15

BARNESVILLE COMMERCIAL CLUB ARRANGE FOR LIST OF PROMINENT SPEAKERS

The Commercial Club of Barnesville have made arrangements for a farmers' institute to be held in that city on Jan. 15. President T. Gunness of the Barnesville Commercial club, returned last week from the Twin Cities where he has been to secure speakers for the meeting. Among others expected to be present at the convention are State Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph of Crookston, State Highway Commissioner, Geo. W. Cooley, Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl, State Immigration Commissioner Geo. W. Welsh, State Dairy and Food Inspector E. K. Slater and an effort will be made to secure the attendance of J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern.

One of the greatest joys a woman experiences is matching some color in the shops for a friend.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of March, 1904, at four o'clock and ten minutes P. M., in Book 110 of Mortgages on Page 333 whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the Mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the Mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in Polk County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The East half of the Northeast quarter and the East half of the South east quarter of Section Number thirty (30) in Township One hundred forty-eight (148) North, of Range forty-five (45), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One hundred sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to Government Survey thereof,

to secure the payment of the sum of Five hundred sixty ($560) dollars and interest thereon at the rate of seven (7 percent) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and payable on the second day of November, 1908, with interest at the rate of seven (7 per cent) per cent per annum, payable in annual installments thereon.

Said mortgage, contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any state taxes to be assessed thereafter on said premises, previous to the day appointed by law for the sale of lands for state taxes in the State of Minnesota then and thereupon, the whole sum, owing on said note, should become immediately due and payable at the election of the holder of said note and mortgage

Said Mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of Six and 74-100 ($6.74) dollars of the installment of interest due upon said note and mortgage on the second of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of Thirty-nine and 20-100 ($39.20) Dollars, being the installment of interest due thereon on the second day of November 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed upon said premises in the year 1905, amounting to Thirty-four and 58-100 ($34.58) Dollars, as stipulated in said mortgage, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on the said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice, the sum of Five hundred sixty ($560) Dollars, Principal; Forty-eight and 10-100 ($48.10) Dollars of Interest and Thirty-six and 85-100 ($36.85) Dollars for taxes paid and interest and Twenty-five ($25) Dollars, Attorneys' Fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of Six hundred sixty-nine and 95-100 ($669.95) dollars, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof

Now notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder there for, for cash, by the Sheriff of Polk County, at the "main entrance of the Court House" in the City of Crookston in said Polk County and State of Minnesota, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, Attorneys' Fees, taxes paid and further taxes, if any, and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th. 1907.

—L. S. Hackney, Mortgagee.
Bryan & Coffman,
Attorneys for Mortgagee, 1003 Pioneer Press Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.
(Dec 5-12-19-26-07 Jan 2-9-08)

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

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South half of Section one in Township one hundred forty-nine North of Range forty-four, West of the fifth Principal Meridian—Containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to Government Survey to secure the payment of the sum of Seven hundred ($700) Dollars and interest thereon at the rate of seven (7 per cent) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and payable on the second day of November, 1908, with interest at the rate of seven (7 per cent) per cent per annum, payable in annual installments thereon.

Said mortgage contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any state taxes to be assessed thereafter on said premises, previous to the day appointed by law for the sale of lands for state taxes in the State of Minnesota, then and thereupon, the whole sum, owing on said note, should become immediately due and payable at the election of the holder of said note and mortgage.

Said mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of Eight and 43-100 ($8.43) Dollars of the installment of interest due upon said note and mortgage on the second of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of Forty-nine ($49) Dollars, being the installment of interest due thereon on the second day of November, 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed upon said premises in the year 1905, amounting to Thirty-three and 5-100 ($33.05) Dollars, as stipulated in said mortgage, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on the said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice the sum of Seven hundred ($700) Dollars, Principal; Fifty-nine and 86-100 ($59.86) Dollars, Interest and Thirty-five and 25-100 ($35.25) Dollars for taxes paid and interest and Twenty-five ($25) Dollars, Attorneys' Fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of Eight hundred twenty and 11-100 ($820.11) Dollars and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be fore closed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder therefor, for cash, by the Sheriff of Polk County, at the "main entrance of the Court House," in the city of Crookston in said Polk County and State of Minnesota, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, Attorneys' Fees, taxes paid and further taxes, if any, and the costs and expenses of said sale.

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Notice to Printers

Notice is hereby given that the county board of Polk county, Minnesota, will receive sealed proposals up to January 8, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m for doing the official publishing of said county for the year 1908.

Notice is also given that the said county board will receive sealed proposals up to January 8, 1908 at 3 o'clock p. m., for doing the job printing for the county during year 1908. Samples of work to be bid on are on file in my office. Bids for the job printing must be made separately from the proposals for the official publishing. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

By order of County Board of Polk county Minnesota.

—N. A. Hoffard,
County Auditor.

Find 124 Bodies.

Jacob's Creek, Pa., Dec. 28.—Rapid progress is made in the removal of bodies from the Darr mine. All of the entries except No. 27 have been cleared and a total of 124 bodies brought from the mine. A number of other bodies have been located, and it is expected that they will be brought to the surface during the night.

TRIBUNAL NAMED TO TRY F. B. HART

Governor Johnson Tuesday announced the personnel of the court which is to try Attorney Francis B. Hart of Minneapolis on a charge of publicly insulting the supreme court of Minnesota by writing letters to Chief Justice Start and Governor Johnson, criticising certain decisions of that tribunal. The members of the court as announced are:

F. C. Brooks, Minneapolis, chief justice; N. R. Brill, St. Paul; W. S. McClenahan, Brainerd; Nathan Kingsley, Austin; and Myron D. Taylor, St. Cloud. They are judges of the district court in their respective counties. They will sit as a substitute supreme court as the judges of the regular supreme court felt themselves disqualified to act as their decisions were in question. It is the first time in the history of Minnesota that a supreme court has stepped aside to allow a substitute court to sit in its place, and an occurrence rare in the judicial history of any state.

The charges against Mr. Hart, who is a prominent member of the Minneapolis bar, were made by Eli Southward, secretary of the state board of law examiners, and Chief Justice Start asked Governor Johnson to appoint the court. The court will assemble on Jan. 2, at the regular time for the opening of court, and assume all the functions of the state supreme court for this particular case.

FOND FAREWELL TO ALL PASSES

LEGISLATORS AND SHIPPERS GET NO FREE RIDES AFTER JANUARY 1ST

With a new year less than a week distant there is not even local gossip that any changes will be made Jan. 1 in the official staffs of any Northwestern railroad.

The most important change, apparently, that January will bring to the relations between the Minnesota roads and the public will result from the enforcement of the legislative prohibition of passes after the beginning of 1908. Passes will still be issued in this state to railroad employes and their families and to a few other classes of less importance. But no passes can be given to shippers, legislators or public officials. None can be issued in return for advertising or as a matter of courtesy. The chief losers of transportation will be the legislators and the public officials, all "accommodation" having been withdrawn from most other classes by the majority of Minnesota railroads when the federal restrictions upon the issuing of interstate passes went into effect a year ago.

The same state law will prohibit the making of free or special rates by various other public service corporations besides the railroads. The telegraph and telephone companies, the express and the sleeping car companies, must accordingly discontinue the favors they have granted heretofore.

FERGUS FALLS CREAMERY BIG WINTER WORK

The Fergus Falls Co-operative Creamery is making a great winter record these days, turning out about 1,800 pounds of butter each week. This would be a fair record during the summer time, but in winter it is quite extraordinary.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Samuel Currie and Mary H. Currie, his wife, Mortgagors, to Joseph A. Gilfillan, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of Nov., 1902, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of Nov. 1902, at 3 o'clock P. M. in Book 110 of Mortgages, on page 92 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North one half of section eighteen (18) Town one hundred fifty two (152) Range forty-six (46) in Polk County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Crookston in said County and State, on the 18th day of January 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5,285.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 3, A. D. 1907.

Joseph A. Gilfillan,
Mortgagee.

Attorney for Mortgagee,
Detroit, Minn.
(Dec 5-12-19-26-07 Jan 2-9-16-08)

STRENUOUS TASK OF ROAD MAKING

TWO WEEKS SPENT IN HEWING WAY THRU DENSE CEDAR SWAMPS

H. A. Tofsley, one of the prominent farmers of Hammond Township returned last evening from a month spent in assisting in cutting a road thru from Graceton to his claim which lies about eight miles south of Graceton and adjacent to the claims of about a score of others from this city and vicinity. Mr. Tofsley states that the work of cutting the road was strenuous. It took a large crew two weeks to complete the task, and the operation cost Mr. Tofsley one horse of a team he took up to tote supplies etc., with. The crew camped out every night, and the horses would break thru the muskegs and this with scrambling thru windfalls and over stumps proved too much for the nag.

The homesteaders are all erecting comfortable log houses and those who are married will move their families to their timber claims early next spring. There will be quite a Crookston settlement in that district next summer, and all will have neighbors so close that they will feel quite at home.

A PETITION FOR BANKRUPTCY

A number of farmers of the vicinity of Wylie, Minn. ,united in a petition to the United States court at Fergus Falls yesterday asking that Diedrick Kvinlaug, of Wylie be adjudged bankrupt. They allege that he has been disposing of manufactured cheese, and that they are likely to be losers to the extent of the amounts of the claims which they have made against him those claims ranging from $67 to $18. Mr. Kvinlaug is a cheese maker, No estimate as to his liabilities is given.

FATHER'S PILLS FATAL.

Two Iowa Tots Partake of Them and One Is Dead.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Dec. 27. —Chauncy, aged four years; Ada, aged three years, sister and brother, children of Wendell Stull, near Green Mountain, climbed up to a top pantry shelf, secured a box of morphine pills and ate all of them. The boy died two hours later and the girl is in a serious condition and may not live.

Burns Result in Death.

Ashby, Minn., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Alice Melby, wife of John I. Melby, died yesterday from burns caused by the explosion of a kerosene can while she was trying to light a fire.

McKinley's Comrade Dead.

Warrensburg, Mo., Dec. 27.—Capt. A. B. Logan, comrade and lifelong friend of President McKinley, died at his home here yesterday.

Fever Kills Young Homesteader.

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 27.—George Kohl, aged twenty-four years, died recently of typhoid fever at his homestead near the state line, 100 miles south of this city. He had been a homesteader for eighteen months when taken ill.

Schoenburger Fire Extinguished.

Pittsburg, Dec. 28.—The fire in the Schoenburger coal mine at Baird station, near here, which suddenly broke out last Sunday, endangering the lives of 100 miners, was extinguished yesterday. The mine was heavily damaged and extensive repairs will Lenecessary, before work can be resumed.

Killed by Train.

Houghton, Mich., Dec. 28.—Solomon Glass, a peddler residing in Hancock, was struck by a street car while walking on the tracks near Arcadian, sustaining injuries from which he died at St. Joseph's hospital a few hours later.

Killed at Grade Crossing.

Lakeville, Minn., Dec. 28.—While returning to his father's farm Iva Ives, eighteen years old, was run down and probably fatally injured at a grade crossing of the St. Paul road. His horse was killed.

CASH BASIS IS RESUMED

TWIN CITY BANKS ARE DOING BUSINESS AS BEFORE MONEY TIGHTNESS

BANKS THERE ISSUE FORMAL STATEMENT OF RESUMING CURRENCY PAYMENTS

From Thursday's Daily—

St. Paul and Minneapolis banks are now back on practically a cash basis altho in St. Paul there has been no by the banks. shrdluetaoinshrdluuu definite announcement of the fact by the banks. In Minneapolis, however concerted action has ben taken by the banks.

The money stringency while a menace to the Northwestern banks affected this section of the country to a less extent than any other part of the United States. When the banks put on the "lid," following similar action by the banks in other large cities, the bankers, of course, were compelled to do a great deal of explaining to their customers, but once the situation became thoroly understood, depositors appeared to be thoroly satisfied and much business which had been done on a cash basis was carried on thru the medium of bank credits.

There was not a time during the entire period of stringency when the St. Paul and Minneapolis banks were not in excellent condition. Clearings have shown a steady increase over the figures of a year ago, and the fact is notable that for a considerable period, when the weekly clearings of practically all the banks of other large cities showed large decreases, the figures for the St. Paul and Minneapolis banks showed gains, some weeks small, and other weeks in very substantial amounts. This fact has been commented upon as indicating substantial business condtiions in the Northwest.

In Crookston the cash basis was never abandoned but partially and for several weeks past business has been transacted the same as at any other time as the Crookston banks were in excellent condition. The banks of this city and the Valley generally felt less inconvenience during the flurry than any of the financial institutions located in any other part of the country.

CONTRACTORS MUST PAY COST

WHEN CONDITION OF WORK ON STATE DITCHES IS MISREPRESENTED

At a meeting of the state drainage board Tuesday a resolution was adopted compelling contractors of state ditches to pay any inspection expense incurred by the board when work reported by the contractor to be completed was found not to be so.

The resolution came as a result of a trip made to the Northern part of the state last month. On the statement of the contractor that the ditch was completed the board made the usual tour of inspection and found that the ekBav s sh sh sh hssh hs shrdlusshrd ditch was far from being completed. In consequence the state was put to considerable expense and this the board decided should not happen again.

WOLF BOUNTY CHECKS ISSUDE

STATE AUDITOR IVERSON MAILED WARRANTS FOR TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS

The counties of the state received a substantial Christmas gift when State Auditor Iverson distributed warrants to the amount of $10,565 it covering bounties paid for wolves since last June.

In all during the six months, 1,839 wolves were slaughtered in Minnesota, those doing the killing receiving from $3 to $7.50 for each wolf. The latter was for full grown animals.

Ramsey county received $7.50 for one lone wolf. Hennepin county did not figure in the distribution.

The biggest check went to Kittson county. It called for $1,357.50 and represented 247 wolves killed.

Polk county did not participate in the pie but will towards spring.

Found Dead in the Road.

Mondovi, Wis., Dec. 28.—C. Holstine, one of the oldest citizens of the town of Canton, who lives about seven miles west of this city, was found dead in the road near his home. A sudden stroke of paralysis of the heart was the cause of his death.

Fifty Thousand Dollar Blaze.

Emmetsburg, Iowa, Dec. 28. — Fire caused a $50,000 loss at Whittemore last night. The fire consumed one whole block and four business houses on the principal business street.

DIED BY HIS OWN HAND

TED SMITH, FORMER PROMINENT RESIDENT OF BEMIDJI SUICIDES

ENDED LIFE IN SPOKANE WHERE HE WAS IN BUSINESS—A SPIRITUALIST

From Thursday's Daily—

The Spokane Review has the following account of the suicide of Ted Smith, a prominent resident and president of the first city council of Bemidji and was well known in Crookston and thruout the Northwest.

Leaving a note to his wife that he was going to join relatives who 'passed over' two or three years ago, Ted Smith a spiritualist living on Moran prairie, shot and killed himself yesterday morning at 5:30 o'clock. His wife, Mrs. Cora Kincannon Smith, is well known in spiritual circles in this city, and was formerly a lecturer on the subject in Pacific hall.

Smith arose about 5 o'clock yesterday and built a fire in the kitchen stove and then went back to bed. An hour later he dressed and wrote the note to his wife, which he left in the kitchen. After 8 o'clock his wife and her mother, who believed he had taken the car and gone downtown, noticed his hat and coat in the house, and went out to the barn to see of he was still there.

His wife found the body lying beside a pile of wood in a shed near the barn

"It was known that he had been unable to raise sufficient money to complete the payment on the bar fixtures in the Spokoma bar, which he owned and for several other small debts, but as he had refused only a week ago $8500 for his property on Moran prairie, he was considered well to do. He came to Spokane about two years ago from Minnesota, where, it is reported, he was mayor of a small town in the Northern part of the state for two terms.

The message that he left to his wife was as follows:

"Darling Cora—Forgive me for this act. I long to be in the other world I know that Mal and Ed will help me I will make conditions to come and see you as soon as possible, my only love.—Teddy.

"Love to all. Have George Armstrong say a few words for me. Dan Sounwine will help you."

"Mal" and "Ed" to whom he refers are a sister of his wife and her husband who died in Minnesota two or three years ago. Armstrong of whom he speaks, is a spiritualist in this city and Sounwine was one of his business associates.

Mr. Smith was 47 years old and a native of England, where he is said to have a sister who is wealthy."

Ted Smith was one of the first white men to locate in the vicinity of Bemidji. He went there prior to the advent of the railroad, and was prominently identified with the growth and development of the city, until three years ago.

Mr. Smith was a member of Bemidji first village council, being eelcted president and being known as "the mayor." He conducted a saloon and was one of the most prominent residents of the early days in this city. Together with his wife, he moved to Spokane, Wash., three years ago and has made his home in that city ever since.

COL. CROOKS IS LAID TO REST

FUNERAL SERVICES OF COLONEL CROOKS ARE HELD IN ST. PAUL

Col. William Crooks, after whom Crookston was named and one of the Minnesota pioneers who died at Portland, Ore., a week ago last Tuesday was buried Monday in St. Paul, funeral services taking place at the residence, 535 Capitol boulevard. The interment was at Oakland.

Rev. William C. Pope rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd officiated, reading the simple Episcopal burial service. A large number of pioneers and early settlers gathered to pay a last tribute to Col. Crooks, among them many men intimately connected with the history of the state.

The honorary pallbearers, chosen from Col. Crooks' old friends, were: Dr. J. E. Abbott, E. S. Goodrich, Judge William Louis Kelly, Joseph Lockey, Gen. G. M. Morgan, J. J. Hill, Dr. S. A. Beecher Dr. Alfred Wharton, A. Guthrie and W. P. Murray.

The active pallbearers were: William H. Farnham, Charles W. Farnham. A. L. Craig, S. R. McMasters, A. P. Connolly, H. C. Judson and Joseph F. Riley, of Portland, Ore.

Survivors of the Sixth Minnesota regiment of Volunteers, of which Col. Crooks was colonel, attended the funeral in a body.

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TURKEY FASTS FOR 35 DAYS

JOS. BALL DISCOVERS THAT HIS NEIGHBORS ARE GUILTLESS

HAD ACCUSED THEM OF THE THEFT OF A 28-POUND GOBBLER

Jos. Ball, a well known land man of Crookston has solved a mystery the clearing up of which lifts the veil of suspicion from several prominent citizens who had been openly accused of thievery. Mr. Ball had secured a 28-pound turkey for his Thanksgiving dinner and was cramming it with nuts and other delicacies. About a week before Thanksgiving day the turkey disappeared, and all search was fruitless. He accused Atty. W. A. Marin, Will Lowe and other neighbors but they denied the charge.

The incident was being forgotten when Sunday Mr. Ball was in his stable and in moving some hay found the turkey, which appeared a little dopey at first but soon was as spry as ever. The only difference was that the turkey had lost just 10 pounds during its enforced fast. The turkey had been covered up with a load of hay for a period of 35 days, but will be refattened again and sacrificed later on.

FLATTERY CHEERS WIDOW

RECONCILES HER TO $3,750 DAMAGES FOR LOSS OF HER HUSBAND

THOUGHT SHE OUGHT TO HAVE AS MUCH AS MAN LOSING HIS LEG

Hamburg, Germany, Dec. 30.—Frau Bie was awarded by the arbitration court $3,750 for the loss of her husband thru an accident on board a ship Not long afterwards on the same ship a stoker met with an accident which cost him a leg, and the same court awarded him $5,000. Indignant, Frau Bie went to th ecourt to complain because a man who only lost a leg ot so much more than she was allowed for the loss of her husband.

The judge, a bland and wily old gentleman, said:

"My dear lady, that poor stoker can hardly buy a new leg even with $5,000 Now, a good-looking woman like you with $3,750, can easily get a new husband, younger and perhaps more loving than your late husband."

The widow wiped her eyes and smiled. She had not thought of that.

AN EPIDEMIC OF INSANITY

SHERIFF BAILEY HAS REGULAR RUN TO FERGUS FALLS HOSPITAL

Sheriff Bailey has had his hands full of late taking insane prisoners to Fergus Falls from Beltrami County. Last night with Deputy Solberg he took John Parant, who hailed from Kelliher, and of whom very little is known. He was a very quiet patient, but his mind is blank.

Sheriff Bailey has taken down four others within the past ten days and in addition one insane man was killed at Kelliher a few days ago.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new Laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best Laxative. Guarateed or your money back. For sale by all druggists.

WITHSTOOD THE SHOCK WELL

Advices from Blackduck today are to the effect that Frank Jeffers who had one leg amputated above the ankle and a part of one foot amputated as the result of being run over by an M. & I. train last Friday night, is doing as well as could be expected. He withstood the shock well. Mrs. Jeffers is at his bedside. The accident has caused widespread sympathy among his many friends in this section.

Passed Examination Successfully

James Donahue, New Britain, Conn., writes: "I tried several kidney remedies, and was treated by our best physicians for diabetes, but did not improve until I took Foley's Kidney Cure. After the second bottle I showed improvement, and five bottles cured me completely. I have since passed a rigid examination for life insurance." Foley's Kidney Cure cures back-ache and all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. For sale by all druggists.

RINDAL BIG CELEBRATION

OVER COMPLETION OF BUILDING RECENTLY REPLACING ONE BURNED LAST FALL

OVER FOUR HUNDRED WERE FED AT DINNER AND ADDRESSED BY SUPT. ROBERTSON

County Commissioner Rindal is attending the county board meeting today and speaking of the big celebration held in the town of Rindal last Saturday celebrating the completion of the new creamery that takes the place of the one burned last fall, he says it was the largest gathering of farmers ever held in that section.

Supt. Robertson of the state Agricultural school at Crookston was the principal speaker. He dwelt mainly on the subject of clover for the dairy. Other speakers and special music completed the program. Over 400 people were fed at the dinner given.

The association is now eight years old. It started in the creamery business with a debt of $3,000 which it wiped off over four years ago. It has made money from the first day it began to operate a plant, and is now bringing in gratifying returns to all interested in it. The old frame building was burned to the ground last August and has been replaced by a modern brick structure, 30 by 78 feet, costing, with machinery equipment, $6,000 This building can compare favorably with anything of its kind in the state. The first churning will be done on Thursday January 2.

Danger in Asking Advice

When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes For sale by all druggists

SUICIDE ENDS SPREE

DRINKS A DRAUGHT OF CARBOLIC ACID AFTER A BIG DRUNK

THE USUAL END OF THE VICTIM OF THE LIQUOR HABIT

Moorhead, Minn., Dec. 30.—Severt Samuelson about whom little appears to be known here terminated a spree of several days by drinking a draught of carbolic acid in a room over the Hanson saloon after obtaining the poison from a druggist on the claim he desired it to cleanse a wound on his hand.

HIDE THEFT ALLEGED.

Fur Buyer Is Arrested as Result of Several Burglaries.

Lake Crystal, Minn., Dec. 31.—Jake Cosbury, professing to be a fur buyer, was bound over to await the action of the grand jury on the charge of grand larceny in the second degree in stealing hides from the warehouse of a local meat and provision dealer. Several burglaries have been committed here of late.

SMOKER IS SMOTHERED.

Lays Lighted Pipe on Dresser and Fire Results.

Marinette, Wis., Dec. 31.—Leo Berman, a woodsman, was smothered to death in a small fire at the Edwin house, a hotel in this city. Firemen carried the body of Berman from the room after being baffled repeatedly by smoke. The man was dead when found.

Big Tie Contract.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 31. — Former Assemblyman Joseph Maloney of Chippewa county has entered into a contract with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad company to furnish 125,000 ties and 150,000 fence posts, the contract price being $65,000. He has a crew of men at work cutting the material near Roosevelt, Minn.

FUR HUNTING AND TRAPPING

Ole K. Ashland a former resident of this city is here today renewing acquaintances, and getting in touch with civilization again. Mr Ashland has spent the winter at the headwaters of the Roseau river hunting and trapping and reports good returns and has become so enamored with the free open life of the woodsman that he has taken a claim in the wilds and will become a permanent resident there. The lands in the heavy timber is fast settling up but as the growth is so heavy it will take many years for the country to develop into wheat and small grains Cattle, sheep and goats are being raised to a certain extent.

RIVARD BLOCK IS IN ASHES

SOUTH CROOKSTON VISITED BY A BAD FIRE EARLY SUNDAY MORNING

BUILDING AND CONTENTS AND VIAU BLACKSMITH SHOP ALSO BURNED

From Monday's Daily—

Sunday morning about 5 o'clock while E. Rivard stepped out after some fuel his restaurant in South Crookston caught fire and in a very short time the entire block was reduced to ashes, the fire spreading so rapidly that Mr. Rivard could not get all the cash from the till, about $9 going up in smoke.

The restaurant was located in Mr. Rivard's building, in which his saloon was formerly located also. The saloon had been closed for some time past but the fixtures were all there and all is a total loss.

The fire also destroyed O. Viau's blacksmith shop adjoining, which has been vacant ever since Mr. Viau moved to his present location on North Broadway, but the loss will not be heavy as the building was not substantial and contained only a few pair of bobsleighs and a few cutters, none of them new.

Mr. Rivard's loss will be about $3,000 with $1,500 insurance on the restaurant stock and supplies and building.

Mr. Viau's loss was but a few hundred dollars.

The fire department responded promptly but the fire had gained such a headway that all that could be done was to protect surrounding property. M. Sullivan's barn was threatened several times but was saved.

GRADUATES WITH HIGH HONORS

MISS CLARA MATHESON OF CROOKSTON MAKES GOOD RECORD AT ST. LOUIS

Among those to receive diplomas from the Woman's Training School for Nurses of St. Louis, Mo., on Dec. 19, was Miss Clara Matheson of Crookston daughter of John Matheson, who carried off the highest honors in a class of 12.

The class prophecy, written and read by Miss Matheson was one of the finest numbers on the graduating program. Miss Matheson will probably not return to Crookston till next spring. This is but another instance where a student from Crookston has reflected credit upon herself and her home city.

FRAME STRUCTURES BURN IN E. G. FORKS

LOSS IN EAST GRAND FORKS IS $15 000—ENTIRE BLOCK WAS THREATENED

Fire in East Grand Forks Saturday destroyed the saloons of Thomas Powers, Kittleson & Holt and Hans Gaustad and the restaurant of Paul Hagen The total loss is $15,000. The buildings were owned by Hagen, and his loss is $10,000 with insurance of $3,000. Powers had insurance of $3,000 on his stock, and the losses of the others are covered. The Grand Forks department assisted in stopping the flames which threatened to destroy the Minnesota block also.

CONDUCTORS TO CHANGE RUNS

Beginning with New Years there will be a number of changes with G. N. conductors. Conductor D. F. Miller takes Conductor Byrnes' run on the St. Vincent passenger, and Byrnes takes Conductor Remshardt's run on the St. Vincent, Moorhead passenger which will give him a Sunday layover at Fargo while Miller will lay over here.

Conductors Engel and Remshardt go to Grand Forks and will be on the chain gang passenger list there.

Conductor P. C. Keeley, who has been running extra passenger takes the fast freight to Cass Lake and Conductor Joe Nelson leaves that run to take the St. Vincent local freight.

Larceny Is Charged.

Bemidji, Minn., Dec. 31. — Sander Overland has been committed to the Beltrami county sheriff's custody to await the action of the justice of the peace at Big Falls, where he will be tried.

Every married woman knows at least half a dozen men who, she imagines envy her husband.

BIG PROTEST AGAINST DITCH

RUSSIA FARMERS CONTEND THAT PROPOSED NEW DITCH WILL FLOOD THEM

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HAVE ABOUT 50 FARMERS BEFORE THEM TODAY

From Monday's Daily—

The board of county commissioners are in session today holding a hearing on Ditch No. 72, which would be 16½ miles long thru the towns of Godfrey Grove Park and Onstad. None of the farmers who are assessed for the ditch or thru whose farms the ditch runs are opposed to its construction, but the farmers of Russia are here enmasse to protest against the ditch, claiming they will be flooded.

The proposed ditch would connect with Ditch No. 12, which connects with another ditch which empties into Burnham Creek, and these would not be large enough to take care of the additional water from ditch 72.

About 50 farmers are present, R. J Montague appearing for those favoring the ditch, and J. E. O'Brien being spokesman for the Russia farmers The matter may be solved by enlarging the other ditches to take care of the water from Ditch 73.

INCREASE IN SMALLPOX

TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES REPORTED THIS YEAR ARE 2,540

AN INCREASE OF OVER FOUR TIMES AS MUCH AS IN YEAR OF 1906

St. Paul, Dec. 30—Smallpox statistics for the year 1907 show that there have been more than four times as many cases of this disease in Minnesota this year than there were last year The total number of cases reported last year. The total number of cases reported last year was 598, while the total so far this year is 2,528. During last December 159 cases were reported as compared with 403 reported for the first three weeks of this month For the weeks since the last report was made, the record is as follows: Week ending Dec. 2, 62 cases; Dec. 9 81; Dec. 16, 152, and Dec. 23, 170.

FIRST VISIT IN 32 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Dominque Leblanc the well-to-do farmers of Kertsonville departed last Saturday evening on a visit to Montreal, Canada, where they will spend New Years day among Mr Leblanc's relatives whom he has not seen for 32 years. Mr. Leblanc expects to renew many acquaintances of his early boyhood days. They will also visit Massachusetts where he has a sister. Mr. and Mrs. Leblanc will be gone about two months.

ACTION POSTPONED UNTIL APRIL 6

ON THE ESTABLISHING OF DITCH NUMBER 72 BY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

The county commissioners adjourned last night after one of the most strenuous short sessions ever held, the commissioners' room was entirely too small to hold the crowd, and it was suggested by several an adjournment should be taken to the court room or the auditorium. The arguments pro and con had many points in them that were of such merit that the commissioners considered better to delay action until April 6 and Co., Engineer Hinds will see if he can discover a more feasible way to take care of the water that this new ditch number 72 would discharge into the town of Russia. The following composed the Mentor delegation, N. Z. Horton, George Dennison, Webster Farrel, Ed. and J. E. Tice, A. Anderson, Emil and Oscar Bakken of Grove Park township, E. B. Knutson, and J O. Brodden of Godfrey, Nels Grundyson and Alfred Olson of Tilden, N. S Byington of Beltrami. The county board meet again on Jan., 6.

Storm in Southern Minnesota.

Winona, Minn., Dec. 31. — Southern Minnesota is experiencing a severe snow storm. Railroad traffic is crippled. Street car service in Winona has been suspended.

Oratory is merely talk with its Sunday clothes on.

A GASOLINE STOVE LEAKED

SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES MIGHT HAVE FOLLOWED ACCIDENT SATURDAY NIGHT

SAD ENDING TO CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT WAS NARROWLY AVERTED

From Monday's Daily—

Saturday evening what might have been a calamity in Crookston was narrowly averted by cool headed work in extinguishing a fire in Woodmen Hall where the Scandinavian Workingmen's association were entertaining the young folks with a Christmas tree and a short program.

Mrs Bergen was making the coffee for the refreshments on a gasoline stove, and did not notice that it was leaking till a considerable amount covered the floor and ignited after evaporation. For a moment the room was a sheet of flame, but Mrs. Bergen did not lose her head and springing to the stove turned the gasoline off and several men threw water on the flames which were soon extinguished.

At the time of the fire 200 people were in the hall, over half of them children, and 15 minutes later there were 400 crowded in the hall for the festivities and as the stove was but a short distance from the only exit, the only means of escape would have been cut off and had the fire proceeded a stampede would have been followed by most serious results.

A Fine Program

The fire, however, did not interfere with the joy of the little folks as well as the older ones who were entertained by fine selections by the Viking Chorus, a beautiful vocal solo by Miss Aamoth and a good address by Rev. T. T. Ove. After this Emil Anderson attired as Santa Claus gave all the little folks sacks of candy, nuts, apples etc., and all departed happy as clams.

MAY GO TO PEN

THEODORE KNUTESON WHO STOLE GRIP CONTAINING $5,000 WORTH OF PROMISSORY

NOTES AND PAWNED SAME FOR 25 CENTS IS COMMITTED TO THE COUNTY JAIL

Minot, Dec. 30—Theodore Knuteson the man who stole a grip of J. F. Creamer, containing $5,000 worth of notes a few nights ago and pawned it for 25 cents, was arraigned before Judge Murray this afternoon and waived examination. He was committed to the county jail where he will await the action of the district court, the charge against Knuteson being that of grand larceny.

Proper Living

With the exception of those who directly inherit some physical disease, every woman is allowed to start life with all the machinery of her system in perfect working order. The practical side of health and beauty is the care one takes of the natural gifts. There is nothing that preserves the youthful beauty like a good malt tonic, such os golden grain belt beer, taken regularly at meal time and before retiring. Order of your nearest dealer or be suplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

MAY PROVE FATAL

When Will Crookston People Learn the Importance of It?

Backache is only a simple thing at first;

But when you know 'tis from the kidneys;

That serious kidney troubles follow;

That diabetes, Bright's disease may be the fatal end,

You will gladly profit by the following experience.

'Tis the statement of a Crookston citizen.

Mrs. E. P. Spink, of 509 Broadway, N., Crookston, Minn., says: "My husband was troubled for years with a peculiar weakness of the back. It seemed as if some derangement of the kidneys had almost paralyzed him and caused him a great deal of suffering and annoyance. This condition resisted every treatment until Doan's Kidney Pills were procured at Wallace's drug store. The way this remedy took hold of his case was simply remarkable, as it helped him from the first. A continuation of their use brought renewed strength to the parts affected and benefitted his entire system."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

When nature neglects to make a fool of a man it gives some woman a

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY
CROOKSTON RED RIVER VALLEY MINN
BARLEY OATS FLAX DAIRYING
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H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

EDITOR DEAD

PIONEER PUBLISHER AND FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE DIED OF APOPLEXY

WHILE THE GUEST OF FRIENDS AT MINNEAPOLIS—FUNERAL HELD YESTERDAY

Wahpeton, N. D. Dec. 28.—Fred Falley, editor of the Globe-Gazette of this place, a native of New York, aged 48, who came to the Dakotas in 1880 and was considered one of the foremost newspapermen of North Dakota died very suddenly in Minneapolis yesterday, while visiting in that city.

Mr. Falley was secretary of the senate for many terms. He was elected secretary of state in 1896 and re-elected in 1898, serving four years in that capacity.

Mr. Falley was twice married, first in 1885, his wife dying in 1892. He was remarried in 1896 and is survived by a widow and son.

He was a thirty-second degree Mason.

STATE MADE MACHINES

MOWERS AND BINDERS WILL BE MANUFACTURED AT STATE'S PRISON

ACTION MADE NECESSARY TO CURB THE BIG MACHINERY TRUST

Stillwater, Minn., Dec. 30 — The "Minnesota" is the name selected for the new mowers and reapers to be manufactured at the state prison. Patents have been secured in the name of the state and machines are being made at the state prison. A limited supply of them will be placed in the hands of farmers of the state for trial next harvest.

Public Speaker Interrupted

Public speakers are frequently interrupted by people coughing. This would not happen if Foley's Honey and Tar were taken, as it cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia and consumption. The genuine contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

WALKING THE FLOOR O' NIGHTS

because of financial troubles never happens to the provident man. Live within your income and lay by something each week and place where it will be a source of revenue in itself, and you will always find that you can go to bed with an easy mind and not worry over the morrow, especially when you have placed your savings in the First National Bank at 5 per cent interest.

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RAILROADS HAVE ADVANCED RATES

INCREASE GREATER UNDER HEPBURN ACT THAN IN ANY SIMILAR PERIOD—SOME SIGNIFICANT FACTS ARE BROUGHT OUT IN THE ANNUAL REPORT OF COMMERCE COMMISSION

Washington, Jan. 8. — There has been a greater increase of railroad rates in this country since the Hepburn act took effect fifteen months ago than in any similar period heretofore. The increase is still going on. The reductions of rates effected by the commission have been insignificant compared with the increases enforced by the railroads.

These charges have been made repeatedly in the last few months. In its annual report, issued yesterday, the interstate commerce commission, without referring directly to these allegations, vigorously recommends that it be given power to prevent increases of rates. The commission has no such power. The railroads may make any increases and the commission can only act on them upon complaint made and after they are in effect, reducing them after hearing and decision that they were unreasonable.

The commission asks power to suspend any proposed advance until after a hearing and determination. Bills have already been introduced to confer this power, and the commission strongly emphasizes the need of it.

Hurled Far; Little Hurt.

Clinton, Iowa, Jan. 8.—Mrs. Martin Myer [illegible] city was struck by an engine [illegible] Chicago & North-Western cross[illegible] and hurled fort[illegible] feet from the [illegible] of way, escaping with a brok[illegible] wrist and a few cuts and brui[illegible] She is sixty years old.

[illegible]hree Killed at Crossing.

[illegible]benville, Ohio, Jan. 8. — Mrs. G[illegible] Keuhns and her five-year-old s[illegible] were killed and Mr. Keuhns was f[illegible] injured at a railway grade [illegible]ing here.

MOVE IN LID FIGHT

Hotel Charter Is Attacked in Windy City.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—A new move was made in the Sunday closing cases yesterday when State's Attorney Healy filed quo warranto proceedings against the Northern Hotel company, which operates the Great Northern hotel, to oust it from its corporate rights because liquor was sold in the hotel last Sunday. The proceedings are based on the theory that the state will not allow a corporation, which is a creature of the state, to violate state laws. It will thus afford a means of determining judicially whether the statute forbidding the sale of liquor on Sunday applies to Chicago, a municipal ordinance being in conflict with that law.

GEO DIXON IS DEAD

Former Pugilistic Star Victim of Long Fight With Drink.

New York, Jan. 8. — The greatest fighter of his time and the winner of several hundred fistic encounters, George Dixon, the negro pugilist, familiarly called "Little Chocolate," died yesterday in the alcoholic ward of Bellevue hospital, the victim of a long fight with drink. Idolized in his prime by thousands as a pugilistic hero, George Dixon passed away practically penniless and without friends. Dixon was thirty-seven years old, and for many years held the title of featherweight champion.

SIGNS COME OFF CITY SIDEWALKS

CHIEF LOWE ENFORCES THE ORDERS OF CITY COUNCIL DESPITE SOME PROTESTS

As a result of a resolution passed by the city council, Chief Lowe yesterday notified all business men to remove from the sidewalks all the boxes and signs. The list also included wooden boxes and other obstructions that may have been left on the sidewalk. Some of the owners were inclined to protest against obeying the order, but the chief insisted that the obstructions be removed from the sidewalks without delay. The crusade was a result of a theatre company placing signs on all the principal corners of the city. There is an old ordinance relating to the matter, but there has been no demand for its enforcement until of late. A war on billboards has been suggested but the council will probably do nothing in regard to this nuisance.—Grand Forks Herald.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers ar the best pills known. Sold by A. G Andersen.

THE TIMES IS SOLD

C. Arthur Pearson Obtains Control of Great Newspaper.

London, Jan. 8.—The London Times has passed from the control of the Walter family, which has owned and conducted it for three generations. C. Arthur Pearson, one of the two journalistic magnates of London, has secured the direction of the great newspaper. A new company has been formed, with Mr. Pearson as managing director.

The growing competition of the new school of journalism and its adherents, coupled with the high price, 3 pence (6 cents), of the Times are supposed to have seriously affected its prosperity.

REACH AGREEMENT.

France and America Terminate Their Negotiations on the Tariff.

Paris, Jan. 8.—The government has been advised by M. Jusserand, the French ambassador at Washington, that the Franco-American tariff negotiations at Washington have been successfully terminated and that the agreement probably will be signed in that city soon.

KILLED BY STRANGER

Who Was Enraged When Refused Lodging for the Night.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 8. — John Camp, a hunter and trapper living near the village of Fence, in Florence county, was murdered by a stranger, who became angry because Camp would not keep him in his cabin over night. Camp was shot through the fleshy part of the leg with a charge of buckshot and died the next morning from loss of blood.

BANKERS INDICTED

Officials of Wrecked Portland Bank Must Face More Charges.

Portland, Or., Jan. 8. — Affairs in the Title Guarantee and Trust company investigation reached a focus yesterday when the district attorney proceeded criminally against the four principal officials of the wrecked bank. Four indictments were filed against each of the following officers of the company: President J. Thorburn Rose, Vice President George H. Hill, Secretary John Atchison and Treasurer T. T. Eurnhardt. The indictments are for receiving deposits after the bank was insolvent, conversion to their own use of state funds, loaning public schools money, larceny by neglect to pay over school funds on demand.

$250,000 Blaze in Boston.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Two etubborn fires burned simultaneously in East Boston late last night and early this morning, causing a combined loss of about $250,000.

HIGH BIDDER GOT PRINTING

COUNTY PRINTING WAS AWARDED TO HIGHEST COMBINE BID TODAY

McKENZIE ROBBINS AND CRAWFORD GET THE JOB PRINTING

From Wednesday's Daily—

The county printing was awarded by the board of county commissioners this morning to a combine composed of the Fertile Journal the East Grand Forks Valley View, the Fosston Thirteen Towns and the Crookston Times whose bid for the financial statement was 40 ctts per folio for the financial statement and commissioners proceedings and 6 cents per description for the delinquent tax list.

The bid of the Journal was 30 cents per folio for the financial statement, 25 cents for the commissioners proceedings and 4 cents per description for the delinquent tax list.

The matter of letting the contract to the highest bidders will only cost the tax payers a matter of $1000 or $2000 and of course that is of no moment.

The job printing was awarded to McKenzie and Robbins the Journal submitting no bid when it developed that the highest bidder was to get the melon.

GUSTAF DEMOCRATIC.

Decides to Abolish Ceremonies Incident to Opening Parliament.

Stockholm, Jan. 7.—King Gustaf has made known his intentions of abolishing the pompous ceremonies with which the Sweish parliament in the past has been opened.

This step, together with the abolition of the coronation ceremonies ordered by the king, is hailed with great appreciation throughout Sweden as initiating a new democratic era.

Three Drowned.

Jamaica, L. I., Jan. 7. — Francis Stecher, aged nineteen years, and his brother William, three years younger ventured on the ice on Tank pond yesterday. The ice gave way and the two brothers sank. An unknown man hurried to the hole to render assistance. The ice gave way beneath him and all three were drowned.

PROGRAMS ARE OUT

FOR THE FOURTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF R. R. V. POULTRY ASSOCIATION

EXHIBITION WILL BE HELD IN OLD SAUVE HARDWARE BUILDING

From Tuesday's Daily—

The programs are out for the fourth annual exhibition of the Red River Valley Poultry Association which will be held in Crookston Jan. 29-30-31 and Feb. 1st, and are very neat and attractive containing the list of premiums and other information for the benefit of the public and exhibitors.

Senator Stephens generously donated the old Crookston Bank Building for the use of the association but it was a trifle small for the purpose and Oliver Tvedten today very obligingly tendered the use of Mrs. Tvedten's building on North Broadway, formerly occupied by Sauve's hardware store to Secretary Lewis who will arrange the building for the show and it will be an ideal place for the exhibit

Secretary Lewis today received word from both the Great Northern and Northern Pacific express companies. The latter company grants a rate of one and one-half to Crookston on slatted coops, and half fare back home and on cloth coops double rate to Crookston and free fare home. The rate of the G. N. is the same with the exception that cloth coops will be charged a half rate for fare home.

Everything now points to the best exhibit ever held by the association.

FRISCO BOODLER DEAD.

Supervisor Who Admitted Accepting Bribes Dies Suddenly.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—Former Supervisor Thomas F. Lonegan dropped dead at his home here. He was one of the members of the board of supervisors who confessed having received bribes from the United Railroads company and other corporations

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladde Pills. They promptly relieve backach and weak back. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

SKIFF CAPSIZES; 7 DROWN

Kickapoo, Kan., Jan. 8.—As a result of the overturning of a skiff containing nine men, near this city, seven men were drowned.

The men were employed by the Kansas Natural Gas company in constructing a pipe line under the river and had been working on the Missouri side of the river, and the accident happened when the men were rowing to the Kansas side, preparatory to returning to their homes.

They had proceeded about a third of the way across when the boat capsized, throwing the occupants into the water.

STANDARD OIL INTERVENED

Washington, Jan. 8.—On behalf of the Standard Oil company, Attorney F. D. McKenna of this city yesterday filed a petition in the supreme court of the United States for leave to intervene in the case of the Great Northern railway, involving the Elkins law imposing fines for granting or accepting rebates, which was repealed by the Hepburn railroad rate law of the last congress. The same question is involved in the case in which Judge Landis imposed a fine of over $29,000,000 on the oil company, and consequently the decision in the Great Northern case will have a direct bearing on the Standard Oil company's case.

The petition was granted and a brief will be filed in the case on behalf of the Standard. Attorney General Bonaparte made no objection, but said the government did not concede that the two cases are parallel.

The Great Northern company was indicted Nov. 8, 1906, for giving rebates. Besides objecting to the sufficiency of the indictment on a technical ground, the company contends that the original provisions of the Elkins law, under which it was indicted, were repealed by the Hepburn act.

The contention of the government is that the original provisions of the Elkins law, so far as necessary for the prosecution of offenses committed thereunder prior to the passage of the Hepburn act, were saved by section 13 of the Revised Statutes.

OVERFLOW OF THE WIRES

M. Cude, who has been appointed minister of Norway to the United States in succession to M. Hauge, will take up his duties April 1.

Representative Sims of Tennessee has introduced a bill prohibiting rural mail carriers from carrying packages containing intoxicating liquors.

Catherine Devine, or "Little Egypt," the dancer, as she is better known, was found dead from gas asphyxiation in her apartments in New York.

It is declared in Berlin that Prof. Henry Marteau of Geneva has been offered and has accepted the post of director of the Berlin high school of music, in succession to the late Dr. Joseph Joachim.

King Victor Emmanuel has appointed Nelson Gay of Boston, Mass., who is now living in Rome, a knight of the crown of Italy, [illegible] this honor upon him because of Mr. Gay's historic writings on the resurrection of Italy.

Rev. Dr. James M. Crowell, for nearly sixty years prominent in the Presbyterian church, is dead at his home in Philadelphia, aged eighty-one years.

Gen. W. E. Mickle, adjutant general of the United Confederate veterans, has announced that the eighteenth annual reunion will be held in Birmingham, Ala., on June 9, 10 and 11.

An ordinance forbidding women to smoke in cafes, restaurants or other places of public entertainment in New York was introduced at the first meeting of the new board of aldermen.

GRAFT IS ALLEGED BY GOVERNMENT

FORMER CHEMIST IN BUREAU OF PRINTING IS ONE OF THE ACCUSED—MADE $75,000 OUT OF DEAL—INK MANUFACTURER ALSO INDICTED FOR CONSPIRACY TD DEFRAUD

Washington, Jan. 8.—Allegation of fraud and graft in supplying the bureau of engraving and printing with black dry color used in the manufacture of ink, resulted yesterday in the indictment by the federal grand jury here of Edwin M. Vandyck, formerly a chemist and inkmaker employed in the bureau, and Victor Bloede, president of the Victor Bloede company, manufacturers of fine inks and colors. Vandyck and Bloede are charged in the indictments with conspiracy to defraud the government, the allegation being that they entered into an agreement by which Bloede was to pay Vandyck a percentage of the money his company received from the government for the black dry color furnished to the bureau of engraving and printing.

Gets $75,000 Out of It.

Vandyck, it is alleged, in his position of chemist and inkmaker of the bureau, had to pass upon the samples of the color submitted by various manufacturers. It is charged that he fraudulently favored the Baltimore company, and that as a result of the conspiracy he was paid by Bloede in the course of several years between between $70,000 and $75,000.

The indictment purports to give details of the transaction between Vandyck and Bloede as to payments made the former. It appears that Vandyck received his commission in the form of checks, which after being indorsed he would return to the Bloede company and receive in lieu thereof New York drafts.

Something Just as Good.

Attorneys for both Vandyck and Bloede appeared before Justice Stafford yesterday and agreed to $10,000 bail. The attorneys asserted that the indictments were of a technical nature, and that the alleged fraud did not involve necessarily a loss to the government. They claimed that the bureau received the best colors obtainable at a price 10 cents less per pound than it had paid prior to the making of contracts with the Bloede company.

MILK AND BLOOD FLOW

Upset Pail Starts a Knife Fight at Des Moines.

Des Moines, Jan. 8.—Five members of the family of Adam Schaffer were injured, two perhaps fatally, as the result of the overturning of a milk pail last night. Alec Shaffer drove a cow behind a cow being milked by his brother Levi. The cow kicked. Then trouble started. Knives were used.

Neighbors stopped the row and summoned physicians.

Navy Wants Deserter.

Devils Lake, N. D., Jan. 8.—Sheriff Belford has received a telegram from Washington requesting him to transport to Seattle John Moran, who recently gave himself up to the sheriff, claiming that he was a deserted from a battleship. The sheriff will leave this week for Seattle.

BOSTON MEN INDICTED

Two Aldermen and Others Must Face Charges of Grafting.

Boston, Jan. 8. — After two weeks spent in investigating purchases by the city last year of a lot of land on Codman street, prizes for athletic events and payments for flagstone, the grand jury reported indictments yesterday against two members of last year's city government, the superintendent of streets, and several business men.

STEAMER SIGHTED

Mount Royal, Long Overdue, Sighted by Italian Steamer.

Liverpool, Jan. 8. — The Spanish steamer Vivina, which arrived here last night from Pensacola, reported that on Jan. 3, when 250 miles from Fastnet, Ireland, a steamer was sighted resembling the long overdue Canadian Pacific liner Mount Royal. The Vivina was unable to ascertain the name or to read the signals of the supposed Mount Royal. Officers of the Canadian Pacific railway at Liverpool are confident that the steamer sighted is the Mount Royal and have decided to send the steamer Lake Manitoba in search of her, assuming that she is crippled by reason of broken machinery.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that little **Cascasweet** the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

ROAD HAS OPTION

New Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg Line May Be Absorbed.

Duluth, Jan. 8.—An official of the Omaha road has an option for the purchase of the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg road, which runs from Virginia, Minn., to a point near International Falls on Rainy river, and for one-half of all the timber owned by the Cook & O'Brien interest. Cook & O'Brien also own the road. The option expires March 1.

HORSES AID IN MISHAP

Picked Up by Engine and Carried by Crowded Platform.

Cokoto, Minn., Jan. 8.—At the depot at Dassel, just west of here, when the Great Northern train pulled in yesterday, Mr. Seafelt, a German farmer living near the town, was crossing the track near the depot, and his team was hit by the locomotive. He was quite badly hurt, being thrown out of his sleigh. The horses were picked up by the locomotive and carried by the depot, the horses' legs sticking out over the platform, and a couple of men were knocked down and hurt.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE U.S. L. O.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEYS RECEIVED ARE $33,970.06 A GOOD SHOWING

The quarterly report of the United States Land Office at Crookston as prepared by chief clerk Frank Montague for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1907, is as follows.

Cash Entries—

Public lands	$2148.01
Chippewa lands	10646.52
Red Lake lands	18229.68
Fees and commissions	2945.68

This is a very good report and shows a healthy increase in the public business at this office and would also that the present force is earning its salary judging the amount of work they are required to do. Government business is done in the minutest detail and requires a lot of clerical work called by the general public red tape to be performed

Denies Hartje Appeal.

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—The Pennsylvania supreme court yesterday refused to permit an appeal to be taken to that tribunal from the superior court in the famous Hartje divorce case. Augustus Hartje was refused a divorce from his wife by the Pittsburg courts and the decision was affirmed by the superior court.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

AGAIN IN HARNESS—Prof. George T. Churchill returned this morning from Chicago where he spent the holidays with friends. Mr. Churchill is one of the instructors of the Sathre Business College.

BACK TO THE WOODS—A. H. Kahlert came in this morning from Climax and will proceed to Graceton tomorrow morning and again take up the duties of a claim holder and hewer of fortunes from the natural resources of Uncle Sam.

ERSKINE BANKER HERE—A. F. Cronquist cashier of the Bank of Erskine is spending the day in the city on business matters and made it a point to see that his subscription to the Daily Journal was set ahead a few years.

BACK FOR VISIT—Dick Long who three years ago held a position in the yards of the G. N. at this place is here from Tacoma, Wash., where he has acted as yardmaster and will spend some time here visiting ol friends. He may decide to again go tc work at this point as he likes thi place.

FORCE REDUCED—The force at the Great Northern express office has been reduced for a few months until the slack has been taken up a little on the railroad business. Charley Cameron will be laid off and Roy Andrist will replace him. Will Emerich will take Andrist's place as night clerk.

JEFFERS IMPROVING—The reports from the Blackduck hospital as to the condition of Frank Jeffers are very encouraging. He is improving fast and sat up in bed and wrote a couple of letters Saturday nigh. The unfortunate accident is regretted by a host of friends that are doing everything possible for him.

BACK FROM CITIES—Milburn Griffiths, he of New York Life fame, returned yesterday morning to start th New Year in the right place after a combined business and pleasure trip to St Paul and Minneapolis. He says he met scores of travelling men from this section enjoying their holidays below.

MAY VISIT CROOKSTON—O. N. J.Hagen received a letter this morning from Harvey Warninger, who is in the restaurant business at North Yakima with Mr. Schlosstine and doing well, to the effect that if he could get a vacation he would visit Crookston this winter, otherwise he would not be here till next spring.

FINAL INSPECTION — E. Strassburger the architect departed for Bemidji this morning to make a final inspection of the big three story Merchants hotel that has been built under Architect Strassburger's supervision the past year. The hotel has been opened for some time and there has been plenty of time to see if everything was working according to specifications.

NIGHT RATES AGAIN—Beginning Jan. 1 the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., resumes half rates on toll service from 9 p. m. until 6 a. m. When these rates were suspended by the company Oct. 1 the hadf rate hours were from 6 p. m. until 6 a. m. It is certain that commercial travelers and the business public will appreciate the change made by the company for the new year.

BROKE HIS ANKLE—Attorney Geo. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks suffered a painful injury New Year's eve on returning home from St. Michael's hospital. Mr. Finlayson had been visiting his wife, who is confined in the hospital, and started home at a late hour. He slipped on the icy walk and fell breaking a small bone in his ankle. He was removed to St. Michael's hospital and is getting along as well as could be expected.

LEAVES P. O. SERVICE— Albert Lommen who for a year has been employed in the local Post Office but whose resignation took effect on the first of January left this morning for his home at Hillsboro, N. D. where he will spend a vacation with his folks after which he expects to take a course in the U. of N. D. His place here is being filled by Tenny Peterson who is substituting until a regular appointment is made.

BUSY BANKRUPTCY COURT — Referee in Bankruptcy O. J. Vaule's office was a busy place yesterday, the first meeting of creditors in four cases took up most of the time. The first hearing before the court in the bankruptcy cases of Ole A. Peterson of Excel, Marshall County, Gus Holt of Fosston, Northness and Peterson of Mahnomen and John Keenan of Warren were heard and in the first case E. O. Hagen was appointed trustee and in the last three cases W. P. Murphy was appointed trustee.

GOOD PRICES—"The McMillan Fu & Wool Company of Minneapolis Minn., have mailed us copy of their latest circular. Their circular always contains down-to-date information about furs, hides, pelts, wool and the other goods they handle. The quotations are full and they intend to quote as high prices as the market will warrant They claim competition is keen and only by quoting high prices can they expect to have the goods shipped to them. They have been established now for 30 years and have the reputation of making quick cash returns at full market prices."

HICKORY'S HORSES—Louis Cottet left today overland with four head of horses for Chas. Teal Sr., for Kelliher where they will be put to work in the logging camps of A. H. Pitkin. The trip was very nearly abandoned for a time by the strenuous argument which took place between Mr. Cottet and C. Teal, Sr., who re-opened an argument started about 28 years ago as to whether Cottet's Dick and Mollie could pull more than Mr. Teal's Bill and Mike. The dispute was still unsettled when Mr. Cottet raised the bet $5 and started off for the tall timber, Mr. Teal's parting shot being "you don't no nothin' 'bout good horses nohow."

From Friday's Daily

THREE LIVE ONES HERE—C. I. Moore, E. F. Warren and F. Peterson of Hallock dropped in last evening to get a touch of city life and returned home on the flyer this morning.

ON THE ROAD—Zan Montague is here for a few days before taking up his position as travelling salesman for the Peerless Tobacco Co., he will represent this company in North and South Dakota.

HERE FROM MONTANA—Walter Walker, who has been in Montana on a ranch has arrived in the city and will be the guest of relatives for a few days.

ANOTHER LIVE ONE — Edward Reitmeier, one of the progressive farmers of the Town of Lowell spent the day in the city attending to business matters and had his Journal subscription advanced another year.

READY FOR BUSINESS—Dr. Elmer Bertelson who has been at Fergus Falls spending Christmas and New Years with relatives returned home this morning and is now ready to take care of disorderly molars as usual.

FINAL PROOFS — Ole Eggen of Malone P. O., and Paul Nikstad of Plummer Red Lake Co., both made final proof on their homesteads before the United States land office in this city today. Both have fine farms.

TO NEW FIELD—Harry W. Rooney the popular mail clerk on the St. Vincent-Fargo run has transferred to the Fargo-Streeter run and will remove to his new location as soon as relieved here, his successor has not yet been appointed. Harry will be missed by more than one pair of bright eyes here and along the line.

HAD GOOD TIME—Zotique Capistran returned to Stephen this morning after a pleasant week visit spent with his parents and relatives in Crookston, he has prospered since moving to Marshall county and reports the rest of the Crookston colony as doing the same.

NOW IN HARNESS—Creamery Inspector O. A. Storvick, who succeeded Joel G. Winkjer in this territory returned this morning from the southern part of the state where he spent the holidays with his family. He will make Crookston his headquarters and will remove his family here in the spring. He will devote his attention for the next few days to inspecting the cows and dairy arrangements of those who supply milk to the people of Crookston. Later he will make a similar inspection in all the towns in his district.

HOW OLD IS ANN—At the meeting of the county board Monday Surveyor O. L. Hamery handed in a bill for $200 for services rendered in connection with the construction of the underground crossing at this place. The board refused to pay the bill as they had not employed Mr. Hamery and as neither the township nor village employed him it looks as tho Mr. Hamery would be out $200. The question now naturally arises, who was it that employed Mr. Hamery?—Fertile Journal.

ATTENDED BANQUET — P. H Gramer the representative of the N Dakota Metal Culvert Co., of Fargo left last evening for Fargo and had as guests T. E. Biever and Wm. Emmerich of this city and Dr. F. J. Mitchell of Euclid. The party went down to attend the annual banquet given by the company to its agents and friends and from the llurid hue of the sky in that direction today it is suspected that the celebration was one of the real kind. Representatives from all over Northern Minnesota and North Dakota are in attendance. The company has done a big business thruout this section the past year.

GOT TERM IN JAIL—Hans Thompson, whose home is near Shelly is spending the holidays in the jail at Crookston, the result of a charge of assault prefered against him by Peter Rust of this place. It appears that Mr. Thompson was in a saloon here last Friday evening when Peter Rust and another farmer came in. Without any warning the defendant is claimed to have attacked Mr. Rust and knocked him down. The case was tried here Saturday afternoon and the jury brought in a verdict of guilty and he was sentenced to 25 days in the Crookston jail. Constable Hage took the prisoner to Crookston on Monday.—Halstad Advocate.

From Saturday's Daily—

COUNTY COMS.—The county commissioners convene again next Tuesday, it being the first meeting of the year and it is expected to be a long one. The annual printing contracts will be let at this meeting.

BACK IN THE HARNESS—Q. I. Kinder who has just returned from Duluth where he checked up for the year with his house is at Ada today rustling business as usual. He will be back for Sunday.

TO TEACH IN N. D. — Ferdinand Lillo, one of the well known men of Lengby passed thru the city last evening enroute to Oberon, N. D., where he will teach a term of school during the balance of the winter months.

HARD ON THE EYES—A pair of people from this city who went to Moorhead Wednesday evening for a time apparently found conditions there very hard on the eyes judging from their facial expressions after the mix up.

MONEY PAID—H. J. Crommie who recently suffered a loss by fire was yesterday awarded a loss of $937 and the money paid over by W. A. Lanctot who is the agent of the London and Lancashire Ins. Co. in which company he was insured.

IMPORTANT MEETING—The Germania Club members will hold an important meeting in their hall tomorrow at which matters of the utmost importance will be considered and it is hoped that a good attendance will be present.

SOLD SKIM MILK—Manager Batchlor of the N. P. restaurant at Staples was arrested last week for selling skim milk. The sale of such milk without a statement to the effect that it is skim milk is a violation of the pure food laws an dhte penalty is $25 fine. A plea of not guilty was entered and the case set for Jon. 15.

OLD TIMER HERE—Mike Kalof, a former well known and popular resident of Crookston, having been in the jewelry and loan business on Second Street for several years, spent the night in the city after making a trip on the north line today will go to Grand Forks this evening where Sunday afternoon he will attend the wedding of Miss Anna Pyas of that place to a young business man of Winnipeg.

WOLF BOUNTIES—The county had a good sportsman day yesterday when the records show the scalps of seven wolves for which the county pays out the sum $52.50 to the fortunate trappers or hunters. The parties presenting the wolves for the bounty of $7.50 each were: Oscar F. Johnson of Woodside; Bennet Johnson of Brandsvold; Otto A. Eidsmoe of Hubbard and John A. Skaiet of Hubbard brought in four, each of the other fellows only had one.

MAKING SETTLEMENTS — Wm. Marin, representing the Maple Bay Windlstacker Co., of Crookston, was in the city over Sunday. He is making the annual settlements for the company and reports that business is pretty slow, in the northern part of the state especially. Much paper has to be carried and the sales are light for next year's delivery. Things are not so bad in this section. He has three firms in Valley City handling their goods and he considers this one of the best business points in the state.—Valley City N. D., Times Record.

DUNHAM IS MISSING—A. E. Dunham, a well known Great Northern brakeman running out of this city for the past six or seven years turned up missing yesterday and Louis Roy a furniture man has a souvenir in the shape of a $40 check with the name of Conductor Gould attached, which Dunham had forged, and the Union saloon has one of the same manufacture for $25. It is supposed Dunham went to Canada.

ALWAYS WELCOME—Adolph Wentzel who is at present employed in the mechanical department of the Aultman Taylor thresher factory in Minneapolis is here on a week's visit with his children and many relatives who always enjoy having him among them Mr. Wentzel is one of the companies men and his business keeps him on the road all the way from the Gulf of Mexico to the Hudson Bay a great deal of the year as an expert in setting up and repairing machines. During a few months in the winter he goes into one of the shops.

ARE DOING NICELY—Alice Lewis who was badly burned the last day of the old year, her apron catching fire as she was emptying some peanut shells into the kitchen stove, is improving nicely. The little girl is but 6 years old and at the time her dress caught fire her parents were both in the basement. She first tried to put the fire out herself and before her ten year old sister succeeded in pushing her into the basement her clothing was all ablaze. Her father, J. W. Lewis tried to tear off her clothing, but only partially succeeded when his hands became numb from burns, and then seizing her he placed her under the water tap and extinguished the balance of the flames. Her worst burns are on the hip and about her throat, but the physicians say she will not be permanently scarred. Mr. Lewis had his hands terribly scorched, and will be forced to wear bandages for some time He can use neither of them but he will not be permanently disabled. Had he not been present the little girl would undoubtedly have lost her life.

One man doesn't look good to another unless he has more dollars than sense.

MARRIAGES VS DIVORCES

POLK COUNTY HAD 14 WEDDINGS FOR EACH DIVORCE IN YEAR 1907

NOT AS MANY LICENSES ISSUED THIS YEAR AS PRIOR YEARS

From Saturday's Daily—

According to statistics compiled from the records in the office of the Clerk of Court for Polk county, there were 270 marriages and 19 divorces in the county in 1907.

This does not show up very well as there has been a decrease in the number of marriages as compared with the two previous years. The number of licenses issued in 1905 were 282 and in 1906 the records show 272 ten less, and two more than the present year.

The divorce records show 18 in 1905 21 in 1906 and 19 in 1907, a percentage of about one divorce to every fourteen marriages.

As a revenue producer the marriage license business is of no small importance. Each license issued represents $2 turned into the county treasurer, less small fee paid outside deputies of the district court. The licenses issued in the past three years represent $824 that has been turned into the county treasury by persons procuring permits to wed.

The largest number of licenses issued during any one month this year was 40. These were issued in November. It is popularly supposed that June is the "marrying month" of the year but in this instance Cupid seems to have been working hardest in the winter. Only 8 licenses were issued during September last, while 30 were issued in June. The month of March shows only 17 licenses issued.

LEFT $500 IN LYCEUM

MISS ELIZABETH HILL RECEIVED A DECIDED SCARE LAST EVENING

MONEY RETURNED TO HER BY MANAGEMENT LATER IN THE EVENING

From Saturday's Daily—

Miss Elizabeth Hill was the worst frightened woman in Crookston last evening her purse containing about $300 in bills and a certificate of deposit for $225 having turned up missing.

She dropped the purse while attending the Lyceum Theatre and did not miss it till some time after she left the place In the meantime Miss Ella McKinnon on leaving the theatre notified the management that a pocket book was lying on the floor underneath a seat. Messrs. Nault and Simmons investigated and found the purse and were surprised to discover the big roll of bills and certificates it contained.

Shortly afterwards Miss Hill returned looking for the purse, but not expecting to find it. Was she tickled when it was restored? Well her face looked like it, as she was so excited she could hardly speak.

Moral: Leave your money in the bank or carry it in your sock.

ANNUAL ROLL CALL AT BAPTIST CHURCH

WAS HELD LAST EVENING—A PROGRAM RENDERED AND REFRESHMENTS SERVED

The annual roll call of members was held last evening at the Baptist church with the largest attendance noted for many years past. The reports from the different societies were read and showed great activity along all lines of work. One of the most important reports was that of the church treasurer which showed all bills paid to date. The report of the Ladies Social Circle, of which Mrs. Thomas Casey is president showed that the society had cleared nearly $500 the past year, certainly a most creditable record.

Each member as their name was called responded with a verse of Scripture and interspersed during the evening were several special selections by the choir together with congregational singing.

After the services refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. Chas. Babcock, Mrs. E. W. Jones and Mrs. Milburn Griffiths. The church was very prettily decorated for the occasion and the evening was enjoyed by all present.

Following the other events, the organization of a men's club was suggested and a committee consisting of Rev. Markham, Chas. Lohn, M. L. Griffiths, C. H. Babcock, Geo. Judson and O. H. Richardson was named to arrange for a program to be given in the church in the near future at which the formal organization will be effected by the election of officers and the adoption of a constitution.

The Baptist church was never in a more flourishing condition, the attendance at services on Sundays being the largest in the history of the local church.

FLYNN'S "HOGAG" AND BEMIDJI GOAT

The Elks of Bemidji do not do things by halves as is proven by the recent initiation, according to the Pioneer, of Dr. Blakeslee and Con Winslow of the Itasca Logging company's railway from Deer River to Big Fork, one of the most popular young men in Deer River.

A large delegation accompanied Mr Winslow from Deer River yesterday afternoon, all of them being Elks. And with the "bunch" was Conductor P. J. Nelson of Duluth (better known as "Paddy") who is the high chief drag of the P. F. and C. O. D. order of Cass Lake and Duluth. He brought with him from Duluth M. J. Flynn's "hogag" which he put into double harness with the Bemidji Elk's goat.

The team worked in perfect harmony and Winslow and Dr. Blakeslee were given the time of their lives.

PAT CARNEY IS NEW ROADMASTER

Pat Carney, 1st assistant roadmaster of the Red River Valley branch of East Grand Forks has been named to fill the vacancy caused by the death of David Vannet.

FUNERAL WAS IMPRESSIVE

SERVICES OVER REMAINS OF DAVID VANNET LARGELY ATTENDED AT FERTILE

SPECIAL TRAIN CARRIED MANY SORROWING FRIENDS—MASONS CONDUCTED SERVICE

From Saturday's Daily—

The funeral services over the remains of David Vannet were held at Fertile this afternoon at 2 o'clock and the attendance was the largest ever seen at that place. The floral tributes included a magnificent piece contributed by the N. P. employes on the Red River Valley branch in addition to a wealth of private contributions.

The funeral was in charge of the Masons, Tom Morris, Master of the Crookston lodge had charge of the services and was assisted by a large delegation of Masons from this city and other points.

A special train passed thru this city at 10 o'clock this morning for Fertile starting from East Grand Forks with a large delegation of railroad men and old friends of the deceased. Agent Handy, Andrew Bergstrom and about 30 others went from this city. The special was in charge of Conductor Dow.

The Fertile Journal has the following interesting account of the life of the deceased.

"David Vannet was born in Scotland, July 18, 1849 and was therefore 59 years old. He was married in Scotland to Mary Lamb and in 1874 came to America. He entered his career in railroading, working up from a common laborer on the section at Audobon on the Northern Pacific to section foreman at Glyndon; he then went to the Great Northern as section foreman and soon after was given charge of the yards at Barnesville. Soon after he was promoted to roadmaster on he Great Northern with headquarters at Crookston. From there he went to the Northern Pacific as roadmaster and lived at Fargo until he was transferred to this division living at Grand Forks a short while and then moving to Fertile where he has resided fifteen years. He was very popular in railroad circles and was considered one of the ablest roadmasters on the Northern Pacific and had he lived a few years longer was sure of a promotion.

"Mr. Vannet was immensely popular in Fertile where he has lived so long He has been a member of the board of education for a number of terms and has always identified himself with the best interests of our little city. He was a member of the Congregational church and lived a true Christian life. He was greatly attached to his home and was a kind, loving and dutiful husband and father. His sudden demise was an awful blow to the loved ones left behind, and the entire community deeply sympathize with them in this their hour of sorrow.

NEW CURE IS DISCOVERED.

Successful Treatment Is Reported of Antitoxin for Meningitis.

New York, Jan. 1. — The news is made public on what appears to be reliable medical authority that a curative antitoxin for the terrible disease of meningitis has been discovered and put in successful operation. Official announcement of many cures as the results of the treatment is expected during the week.

The disease has heretofore been considered well nigh incurable, defying the best efforts of the most skillful physicians.

NAB RUSSIAN DEFAULTER.

Alleged Embezzler of $5,000 Arrested on Liner at New York.

New York, Jan. 1.—Harry Schauwe was arrested on board the liner Pretoria when that steamer arrived yesterday, charged with the embezzlement of $5,000 from a bank in Moscow. He was detained at the request of the Russian government, which will attempt to extradite him.

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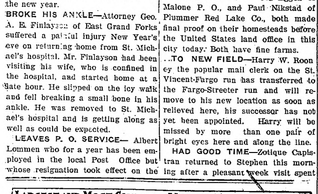
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From Over The Valley

VALLEY CITY HOPES TO ORGANIZE AN ELK LODGE

Valley City Times Record: For some weeks there has been a quiet movement on foot to secure an Elks lodge for Valley City. As soon as the Pettibone Directory company had completed their new directory and the city council adopted the figures 5,686, as the population of the city, a few members of the B. P. O. E. got together and named a committee to solicit membership. It is understood that the committee has met with encouraging success and that the requisite number will be secured for the installation of a lodge. Five thousand is the number required in a town before the order can be established and the city has long since passed that mark.

If the lodge is organized the next thing in order will be a building for its home.

THE HIGHLANDING CREAMERY A SURE WINNER

The board of directors of the Highlanding Creamery Association held a meeting on Sunday afternoon to count up the noses of the cows signed. Altho the territory had not been more than half canvassed it was found that we have cows enough to make a creamery pay from the start and the people are all taking hold of the matter in earnest and that creamery will be built, and will be built next spring for we tell you, when the Democrat Republicans, Socialists and Prohibitionists get to pulling together in Highlanding, there is something going to drop. And to make the matter more solid the north part of the town of Deer Park are coming in with us. —Sunbeam.

BALL CLUB LOGGERS GET OUT 25,000,000 FEET

Paul Solberg was home at Fosston from Ball Club for a few days between Christmas and New Years returning the first of this week. Mr. Solberg is homesteading a valuable claim in the vicinity of Ball Club and reports that active logging operations are being carried on all about him upon the Burlington railroad lands and that the contractor, Gibson will probably get out 25 million feet of timber this season from that locality.

There is more genius floating around than there is plain common sense.

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Amount of cream received	14,448
Average test	27.64
Amount of butterfat	3994
Price paid	27c
Receipts	
Butter shipped	$ 899.39
Sales of creamery	357.61
Other	6.40
Total	$1,263.40
Disbursements	
Paid patrons	$1,078.38
Paid into expense fund	185.02
Total	$1,263.40

Those drawing forty dollars or over:

P. Engelstad	$74.68

—P. Engelstod, Secy.

CLAY COUNTY EDITORS HELD ANNUAL MEETING

The Clay County Editorial association held its annual meeting at the Columbia hotel Saturday night. The attendance was not quite as large as expected, but good reasons were given in letters from absentees and it is possible that another meeting will be called in the near future. The new officers elected are as follows:

President—L. Osborne, The Glyndon News.

Secretary — E. G. Melander, The Moorhead Citizen.

Treasurer—W. D. Titus, The Moorhead News.

A number of trade matters were discussed, including the recent rulings of the post office department. On motion the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president.

ZIMMERMAN GOT $8,000 FOR LOSS OF AN ARM

In the case of Paul Zimmerman against the Northern Pacific railroad in the federal court at Fargo the jury returned a verdict of $8,000 for the plaintiff after being out only two hours. Zimmerman was suing for $15,000 for the loss of his arm which he alleged was due to the railroad's negligence.

The case commenced last Friday Barnett & Richardson were attorneys for the plaintiff and Ball, Watson, Young & Hardy represented the railroad.

NEW G. A. R. OFFICERS FOR MOORHEAD POST

The rooster of officers of the Moorhead post of the Grand Army of the Republic for the year 1908 is as follows the election taking place at a meeting held a day or two ago:

Commander—Peter Czizek.
Senior V. Com.—Wright Works.
Junior V. Com.—W. H. Burley.
Surgeon—Alonzo Wilson.
Quartermaster—William Middaugh.
Officer of the Day—P. Anderson.
Officer of the Guard—E. D. North.
Adjutant—L. Osborn.
Chaplain—S. Parks.

TWO MOORHEAD FIRMS ARE TO RETIRE

Two of the more prominent wholesale business firms in Moorhead have published formal announcements of their retirement from business and that their stocks and fixtures are for sale. The firms are the Pederson Mercantile Co., and Jacob Keifer & Son, and, in the case of the former, the building is for sale.

Indian Goes to West Point.

Ardmore, Okla., Jan. 4. — Lamar Jackson, a full-blooded Choctaw Indian of Atoka, has been appointed to a cadetship in the United States military academy of West Point by Congressman Carter of this district.

From our Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Mrs. K. M. Hansen and son Donald, left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where the latter will receive medical treatment for a few days.

Attorney Samuel Cooke, of this city has decided to locate at Roseau, Minn. Mr. Cooke is a lawyer of ability and his many friends here wish him success in his new location.

W. A. Chubb was up from Barnesville last week visiting old friends here. Mr. Chubb was formerly the foreman of the Soo round house here and has a similar position at Barnesville with the Great Northern.

Mrs. Kerwin Kinslea, who left this city 2 weeks ago to visit relatives at Bemidji, suffered a stroke of paralysis at that place and has been confined to her bed ever since. She is now said to be improving.

Nicholas B. Werstin and Miss Serena Lunde both popular young folks of this city went down to Red Lake Falls last week and were united in marriage by Judge of Probate N. W. Tarrant. The News and their many friends in this city extend congratulations.

H. Fant left last Saturday evening for the place of his birth in the mountain district of Eastern Kentucky. It has been a number of years since Mr. Fant left Kentucky, he leaving tha state at the age of eighteen, and this is his first visit to the scene of his birth.

FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

Martin Ruud, instructor in English at the University of North Dakota returns next Monday after a pleasant visit at his home here.

Robert Ray made a trip to Crookston to have his eyes fitted for new glasses, his others having been broken in the thick of the basketball fray of Tuesday night.

A. M. Bagley of Bemidji, was in town on business last Saturday. Mr. Bagley is now engaged in the ax handle manufacturing business and puts them out of his factory by the cords.

F. R. Campbell returned home from Ada on Wednesday morning, accompanied by Miss Alice Corson of that place who remains for a visit the guest of Mrs. J. E. Campbell.

Misses Ella Parker of Bemidji and Fay Welcome of Crookston have been the guests of Bessie and Lillian Larson last week and this, Miss Parke returning home Wednesday morning

The entire "force" employed in th offices, mill and elevator of the Fosston Elevator & Flouring Mills were sumptuously entertained last Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Stadsvold, at their hospitable home.

Misses Clara and May Johnson wer guests of their aunt here, Mrs. W F. Stokes over Christmas. Miss Clara is engaged as stenographer in th Standard Oil Co's., offices at Fargo while Miss May is at Devils Lake, in the central telephone office.

Mrs. D. McClain returned Saturday and Mrs. A. W. Foss on Tuesday from a visit with Mrs. S. Sutor at Endion Hotel, Cass Lake, over Christmas. Mrs. McClain also made a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. Phibbs at Bemidji during her absence.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lenes entertained handsomely in honor of Misses Stadsvold and Hetland and the large gathering of young people enjoyed one of the pleasantest occasions of the festive season.

Monday evening the Misses Esther "Doddy" and Emily Ray (the latter of whom is home from the Duluth Normal for vacation) gave a delightful dancing party to a company of upwards of thirty guests. Needless to say, the event was a most agreeable one for all.

PRICK BY FIN MAY KILL.

Catfish Slightly Injured Angler and Blood Poisoning Results.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Jan. 4.—Pricked by the fins of a monster catfish which he caught three months ago in the Des Moines river, Joseph Fiala, a well known farmer, dies in the hospital at the point of death. Blood poisoning set in from the supposed insignificant injury, and physicians pronounce the case almost hopeless.

Atttempt to Kill Priest.

Sprink Valley, Ill., Jan. 1.—An alleged attempt was made early yesterday to assassinate Father Volitas, pastor of St. Ann's Catholic church. While the priest was asleep three bullets crashed through the window of his bedroom, but he escaped injury. The congregation is composed of Lithuanians and factions exist.

McINTOSH
(Times)

Dr. Stone came down from Fosston Monday evening to ride the Woodmen goat.

County Auditor Hoffard and wife visited here Sunday with K. K. Hoffard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Berg entertained about thirty young people at a "watch party" New Year's eve. Cards and refreshments.

E. P. Nelson formerly of this city has recently been appointed Chief Weighmaster at the port of Superior Wis. While here Mr. Nelson acceptably filled the position of agent for McCabe Bros.

The Ole Lillesve farm in the town of Hill River has been soldd to John N. Nelson of Northwood Iowa, for $3,000. This adds another quarter section to Mr. Nelson's already large holdings of land in that section and proves better than words his faith in its productveness.

ERSKINE

H. B. Wells and wife spent Xmas at McIntosh with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens Notvedt of Fosston spent Xmas here with Mrs Notvedt's parents.

Miss Emma Swanson left for Crookston last Friday night.

Miss Ida Rovang visited with friends at McIntosh over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Narveson spent Sunday with their daughters at McIntosh.

Mrs. Harris of McIntosh held services in the Woodmen hall here Sunday evening.

Miss Grace Brogan of Bagley visited over Sunday with her sister Mrs Olaf Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Pederson and family spent Xmas with relatives at Plummer.

The young people of the surrounding country enjoyed a dance held in the Woodmen hall here last Friday night. Mr. Chris. Jorgenson and Morris Bye had charge. Supper was served at midnight and dancing was enjoyed until one of the wee hours Saturday morning. A joyous time was reported by all that attended.

Conrad Finsand came up from Crookston Sunday morning.

Mr. Charles Magner of McIntosh visited here with friends Sunday night.

Mrs. D. J. Webb and daughter was in Crookston Saturday night between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Nelson of this place, and Pete Wilson of Mahnomen left Tuesday morning for Bagley. Will spend New Year's with friends and relatives at that place.

Mr. Hans Hanson and family of Bagley are visiting here with relatives.

NORMAN CO. TAX ASSESSMENTS

TOTAL TAX AMOUNTS TO $160,665 MASONIC OFFICERS INSTALLED

Ada, Jan. 2.—(Special to the Journal.)—The auditor's force has just finished the assessment books for the year 1907 and find that the taxes Norman County will have to pay this year including state, school, ditch and all other taxes amounts to $160,655.78. Of this there are $20,863.24 ditch taxes, $39,144.82 special school tax, $6,021.57 local 1 mill school tax and $94,626.15 general taxes. Ada contributes as her share $16,467.86. The average rate for the county is 21.9 mills.

The Masonic lodge installed the following officers:

B. E. Dalquist, W. M.
G. Kittilson, S. W.
H. Jenkins, Jr. J. W.
Carl O. Simenson, Sec.
Peter Sharpe, Treas.
Walter Corson, S. D.
Arthur Dullard, J. D.

KILLS DRAINAGE PLAN.

Land Owners Object to Expense of Large Iowa Project.

Burlington, Iowa, Jan. 4.—The board of supervisors yesterday knocked out the project of draining the low lands in the northern part of the county, delaying an improvement that meant the expenditure of $250,000 and an improvement estimated at $1,000,000 increase in the value of the land. The action of the board was taken because of strenuous protests from land owners, who objected to the expense.

It sometimes happens that a self made man is unmade by a woman.

ROOSEVELT AFTER ROAD

SOO LINE URGED TO EXTEND FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS

PROJECT IS PRESENTED TO BUSINESS MEN AND IS STRONGLY ENDORSED

From Friday's Daily—

W. F Hunt of Roosevelt is agitating his scheme of building a railroad from Thief River Falls to Roosevelt eighty-two miles due northeast. Such a road would tap a section rich in natural resources and would probably prove a profitable investment. Mr. Hunt's idea is to interest the officers of the Soo road and to secure either a promise from that company to construct a line as a branch of its system or to furnish all the materials and equipment at a very low figure. In case this does not prove satisfactory to the company, he believes it would be easy to secure the necessary amount by popular subscription.

At present shipments from Thief River to Roosevelt must be sent by way of the Soo and Canadian Pacific to Winnipeg and thence down on the Canadian Northern to Warroad. From the latter place it is necessary to haul them overland to Roosevelt, which tho a small village, is the distributing point for a large territory. The time required to forward a shipment is in some cases two weeks.

Last Thursday evening a mass meeting was held at Thief River Falls and Mr. Hunt outlined his plans, which met with approval. A committee of five leading business men was appointed to sound sentiment. This committee will also take the matter up with the Soo railway company and will report at a later date.

G. N. LUCK AGAIN SAVES DEATH

ENGINE CRASHES INTO REAR OF FREIGHT DEMOLISHING TWO CABOOSES

Passenger train No. 6, eastbound, on the Great Northern, crasned into the rear of a freight at Ashby, twenty miles south of Fergus Falls. The passenger does not stop at Ashby, and was going through at a high rate of speed. The freight train was sidetracked, but there was something wrong with the switch and the passenger followed it up on the siding. The engine crashed into the rear of the freight and two cabooses were demolished. Fortunately neither was occupied. The wreckage took fire, but the blaze was soon extinguished. The engineer and fireman of the passenger train escaped with slight injuries.

RENEWING OLD ACQUAINTANCES

J. W. Hayes who was one of the charter members of the local lodge of Elks and also a member of the U. C. T. lodge of Crookston is spending a few days here attending to his duties as Depot Inspector on the G. N. and today went up the Greenbush line and will return this evening.

Mr. Hayes has found a number of old friends during his stay here with whom he has had a pleasant visit as it has been eleven years since he left here during which time he has covered considerable country, for a time acting as steamship agent at Hong Kong, China for various lines and during his absence has changed considerable, his old time friends barely recognizing him. His new duties cover the entire G. N. system East of Devils Lake. He makes his home at Osakis, is married, has a fine home and a large farm near there.

BOMB FOR DANCING PARTY.

East Pierre Merrymakers Target for an Infernal Device.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 3.—A bomb made of a piece of gaspipe filled with powder and plugged was exploded last night under a window of a hall in East Pierre where a private dancing party was in progress. No trace of the perpetrators of the outrage has been secured.

Held on Embezzlement Charge.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 3.—Frank E. Dunlon, formerly cashier of the Milwaukee station here, has been held to the district court after the preliminary hearing. His shortage, at first placed at $600, is now said to be $2,000.

Children of God Meet.

Windom, Minn., Jan. 1. — The Children of God are holding their eleventh annual convention in Windom. Delegates and traveling evangelists are present from Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska.

DOCTOR'S ORDER WAS: 'CUTICURA'

For a Bad Case of Eczema on Child —Suffered for Three Months— Disease Reached a Fearful State —Pain and Itching were Terrible.

CURED AFTER OTHER PRESCRIPTIONS FAILED

"When I was small I was troubled with eczema for about three months. It was all over my face and covered nearly all of my head. It reached such a state that it was just a large scab all over, and the pain and itching were terrible. I doctored with an able physician for some time and was then advised by him to use the Cuticura Remedies which I did and I was entirely cured. I have not been bothered with it since. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment but do not know exactly how much was used to complete the cure. I can safely say that Cuticura did a lot for me. Miss Anabel Wilson, North Branch, Mich., Oct. 20, 1907."

ITCHING CURED

With Cuticura Remedies in Three Days After Six Months of Suffering.

"I suffered fully six months. The trouble began on my arms in little red pimples and it was not long before it was all over my body, limbs, face, and hands. It was so bad that I could not rest night or day and during the six months, I did not get a good night's sleep. I doctored for three or four months and spent at least twenty dollars trying to find a cure but none could be found. Then I saw the Cuticura Remedies advertised, and the next day I purchased some for seventy-five cents at the druggist's. I used them and I was relieved of the itching in three days, and I have never had a sign of any skin disease since. The Cuticura Remedies are the only remedies to use for skin diseases, they have cured me and they will cure others in the same way. J. W. Bloom, R. R. Telegrapher, Holloway, Mich., Nov. 20 and Dec. 29, 1906."

Cuticura Remedies are guaranteed absolutely pure under the United States Food and Drugs Act.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

POLK SCHOOLS GET $16,351

AUDITOR HOFFARD RECEIVED A DRAFT FOR THAT AMOUNT YESTERDAY

CROOKSTON HIGH SCHOOL WILL GET A SUBSTANTIAL SUM

From Thursday's Daily—

State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart has completed negotiations with the Twin City banks for financing the payment of the state aid to schools amounting to $856,889. This money was payable in October, but owing to the financial stringency negotiations for loaning the necessary money to make the payments fell through.

The warrants were drawn by State Auditor Iverson's force and were ready for distribution on Oct. 21, when word was received that the banks would not be able to carry the loan. As a result the warrants were held until Tuesday when the loan was negotiated. The warrants went out as a New Year's goft to the school districts.

County Auditor Hoffard received a draft for $16,351 yesterday to be distributed among the schools of Polk County today. The money was hardly expected at this time, as the legislature in granting the aid anticipated the receipt of the taxes for this purpose which will not be received by the state till about March 1st, and had the loan not been negotiated the money could not have been received by the schools till after March 1st. Mr. Hoffard did not receive a statement from the state treasurer regarding the amount the various schools of Polk Co., will receive but will receive this in a day or two.

The Crookston high school will receive several thousand dollars of the money.

CROOKSTON GETS $2,900 CASH

THIS SUM RECEIVED AS SPECIAL STATE AID BY RECENT APPORTIONMENT

The Journal yesterday stated that something over $16,000 had been received by County Auditor Hoffard as special state aid to High, Normal and Graded Schools. Of this sum the Crookston high school gets $2150 and the Normal department gets $750. East Grand Forks and Fosston gets $2150 each, Fertile $1684, McIntosh $1485, Carman $570 and Fisher $575.

There are more ways than one for a woman to have her own way.

If a man is healthy he can afford to take chances on health food.

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The Northwest and the Bank Clearing

For the fifth successive week the northwest draws the attention of the financial world by persistently recording an increase in bank exchange figures while the rest of the United States is falling off. It is most remarkable exhibit, says the Minneapolis Journal.

Saturday's weekly summary again shows that of the first twenty-seven cities arranged according to size, every one shows a loss excepting only Minneapolis and St. Paul. Gains here compared with last year are 1.4 and 1 per cent for the two cities, which means full maintenance of comparative banking activity, while in he other twenty-five cities decreases range all the way from 5.4 to 61 per cent. New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Cleveland, Louisville, Indianapolis, Los Angeles and Salt Lake City show greatest losses.

The fact is that the country back of Minneapolis and St. Paul is the most prosperous section of the United States. The reason is plain. The crops last year were smaller, but the market prices have been so much higher that the seven principal crops of Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota, had a farm value $60,000,000 greater than in 1906."

And this is why Crookston as the center of the Red River Valley is beyond the reach of financial troubles experienced in the East. We have the produce to sell and are getting the money for it.

Wanted; Some Winter Weather

Duluth News Tribune: It would seem like "the sarcasm of destiny and the irony of fate" that Duluth should ever need to manufacture ice in competition with nature. Yet the ice consumers would look forward to the hot months of next summer with much more equanimity if there were artificial ice factories in the city.

The health department has forbidden the harvesting of ice in the bay even for refrigeration and it is right in doing so. But this will largely increase the demand from other sources and there are but two close at hand—Lake Superior and Spirit Lake.

The latter will soon be out of the markett by reason of the location on its shores and the encroachment upon its shallows of the steel plant. To the novice that might not be considered a material loss, with Lake Superior left to draw upon, but ocasionally it is magnificent in promises while grudgingly shy in performance.

Just now it is as open as in the month of July and the weather man gives little comfont for th efuture. When it does close, it is as fickle as a bachelor girl wedded only to her own whims and loving only independence. It may be frozen one day and open the next; the ice going as the winds not the ice men, listeth.

No dependence can be placed upon it and a magnificent crop of crystal water moves before a southwest wind from Duluth to Two Harbors and on to Thunder Bay and the open lake, as if drawn out by a vast fleet of tugs. There still may be an abundance of ice this winter and next and there may be an ice famine.

No man knows which, and as the city grows and the waters of the bay and river become more and more polluted by industries and sewerage, the problem of the ice supply will grow.

So while the artificial ice sounds strange in the ears of Minnesotans, and sort of unreal, like forordination and peridition, it may and doubtless will be a fact before many years, and now would find a ready market for domestic consumption. In the meanwhile Duluth's sign is out.—"Neededd, Some Winter Weather."

STATE PRESS

Deficient in Patriotism

The governor of Nevada pleads for the retention of United States troops at Goldfield on the ground that the state has no milita. If he state is too poor in purse to maintain a few companies of militia or the people of the state are too few in numbers or too deficient in patriotism or state pride to furnish the number of state guards the state should have, it is high time that Nevada should cease to be a state and that it should be annexed to one of the adjoining states or territories that is able and willing to protect its own citizens when their persons and property are threatened by the lawless element. — Warren Register.

Uniform Credit System

The Kenyon Commercial Club at a recent meeting discussed the subject of a uniform credit system and is formulating some kind of an agreement which will be adopted by the business men of that city. It will be only a matter of time when the cash buyer will get a discount from the prices paid by the once-a-year-and-thendoubtful customer And there is no good reason why this should not be so.—Fertile Journal.

Not Whiskey

A woman died the other day in Ohio at the age of 106. For a wonder she never ascribed her long life to drinking bad whiskey, but to a free indulgence in apples. That is a pleasant variation from the old stereo typed story.—Badger Herald Rustler.

Hope He's Hit

This is leap year and the unmarried man who remains unscathed by cupid's arrows till another year is ushered in, must be very heavily armored.—Warren Sheaf.

A Good Fellow, Nit

We have among us a few "fast" young men who are always spoken of as "good fellows" and in some respects they are; but it is well to remember that they are not "good fellows" who indulge in pleasure at the expense of what their duty demands of them. There is no lack of time for pleasure and there are ways of enjoyment for everyone; but in the long run the young man will find it neither pleasurable nor profitable to win admiration for companionable qualities from the idle, the dissolute and the vicious. There is nothing new in all this—it is an old, old story—yet every day young men are seen going to the bad thru the allurements of so-called good fellowship, and the public teacher cannot too often or too strongly admonish the youth of the folly of such a course.—Shevlin Advocate.

Calls It Sentiment

After all there is more or less sentiment in the advocacy of Gov. Johnson as good presidential timber. Aside from the fact that as a democrat he was elected governor by a large majority in a state which gave Roosevelt 100,000 majority there is nothing in particular about his statesmanship executive ability or fitness which could not to be found in thousands of other Minnesota citizens.—Roseau Times.

Two Unwelcome Visitors Here

At this season La Grippe and Pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures la grippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it.—Sold by all druggists.

From our Exchanges

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Jessie Johnson of Crookston is here on a visit to relatives.

Miss Lena Sparby came down from Crookston last week for a short visit.

Ralph Tarlseth, of Warren spent New Year's in Fertile with relatives.

Mrs. L. K. Duckstad was the guest of relatives at Crookston Monday.

Miss Lottie Cooke is confined at her home with a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. E. Mossefin is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Taralseth of Warren.

Miss Ellen Opheim is assisting Thressa Knutson in taking care of the confectionery store during Mr. and Mrs. Knutson's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cooke of Roseau, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kankel several days last week. From here they went to Ulen to visit their daughter Mrs. Chas. Kankel.

WARREN
(Sheaf)

Carl Sands, of Alvardo returned yesterday morning from the Rainy River country where he has a claim.

Misses Synneva and Clarice Grindeland and Stella Swanson spent Sunday visiting at Thief River Falls.

Jos Staska who is interested in the Warren ice rink has been spending a few days at his home at Angus during the past week.

Licenses to wed have been issued to Albert Oberg and Clarence A. Osand, James R. Mack and Hattie E. Williams, Frank H. Carrels and Flora Winifred Daniels.

Mark Oseth who has a situation in the Superintendent's office of the Great Northern R. R. at Crookston, spent a few days visiting at his home at Bigwoods this week.

The Warren lodge of Modern Woodmen will have installation of officers followed by a banquet on Tuesday evening, January 7th. All neighbors are cordially requested to be present.

Of Vital Importance

No other organs of the body are so essential to good health as the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Remeddy makes the kidneys healthy so that they will strain out the impurities from the blood which is consantly passing thru them. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger.—Sold by all druggists.

BAGLEY
(Independent)

S. S. Stadsvold, of Fosston, was in town Tuesday, on business.

Dean Helland, of Fosston visited friends in town, the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Rowland Gilmore of Bemidji arrived yesterday on a visit to Mrr. and Mrs. A. Kaiser.

P. M. Mark and son of Fosston, came down New Year's to spend the day with A. Kaiser and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. King and baby visited over New Years with Mr. King's parents at McIntosh.

ERSKINE
(Echo)

Ole Narveson and wife spent last Sunday with their daughters at McIntosh.

Ole Carlson has added a new gasoline engine to his conveniences on his stock farm west of the city which will materially aid in doing his work.

Dan Anderson and Bennie Indahl have killed two large wolves north of the city during the week They report quite a number in the country but that they are exceedingly cunning and hard to get at.

The lauge barn on the farm of J. O. Bosseneau north of here was consumed by fire together with a cow and about one hundred chickens last Wednesday while the family was away from home visiting. How the fire originated is a mystery. The barn was partially covered by insurance.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially recommended for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

S. A. D. Puter Pardoned.

Portland, Or., Jan. 8.—A pardon, issued by President Roosevelt at the instance of Francis J. Heney, was received in this city yesterday for S. A. D. Puter, who was convicted of conspiracy to defraud the government of its public domain, and was sentenced to two years in prison and a fine of $7,500.

Prominent Lumberman Dies.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 8.—Charles M. McDonald, who for many years was one of the most prominent figures in the lumber world at the time of the development of the industry in the Northwest; died at his home here, aged sixty-five years.

Grip Grips Allison.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Senator William B. Allison of Iowa is ill of grip at his home in this city. The senator's condition gives no cause for alarm.

DEATH BLOW TO SIDE LINE

RURAL LETTER CARRIERS CAN'T CARRY BOOZE FOR THEIR CUSTOMERS

POSTMASTER GENERAL MEYER HELPS ALONG PROHIBITION MOVEMENT

Postmaster General Meyer has issued an order which has direct bearing upon the prohibition movement. The order is as follows:

"It is hereby ordered that it shall be the condtiion of any contract hereafter entered into for the carrying of mails upon star, screen wagon, messenger or special service route that the contractor shall not transport intoxicating liquor from one point to another upon such a route while in the performance of mail service."

The order will become effective at once in many sections of the country as it is necessary to install new and supplementary service.

The carriers out of Crookston however, will be permitted to deliver all the wet goods they choose till their present contracts xpire.

4,000,000 FEET OF TIMBER CUT NEAR BLACKDUCK

Ernest Fleming of Bena, has begun cutting his 4,000,000 feet of timber which is located near Blackduck, operating three camps to do the work. The timber will be banked in Becker and Otter lakes and driven down Third river to lake Winnebogoshish in the spring—Cass Lake Voice.

SOCIETY OF EQUITY MET

ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING AT ADA POSTAL SAVINGS BANK SCHEME

OLD SETTLERS OF NORMAN COUNTY ALSO FORM TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION

The annual meeting of the American Society of Equity of Norman County was a very enthusiastic gathering at Ada. Nearly every precinct in the county was represented.

A resolution was adopted recommending the establishment of Postal Saving Banks which resolution is to be sent to Congressman Steenerson for his co-operation in having the same passed at this session of Congress.

A resolution was also passed to see that the society be organized in every township in the county Christ Matson was named as organizer for the west half of the county and Andrew Engeset for the east half. The officers elected for the coming year are:

J. C. Bergh, president, Hendrum.
A. K. Rude, vice pres., Wild Rice.
C. M. Bell, secretary, Hegne;
L. B. Larson, treas., Halstad.

After the meeting of the Equity society an old settler's union perfected a temporary organization by electing D. C. Lightbourn, president and D. E. Fulton, secretary, both of Ada. The chairman was authorized to appoint a person from each township and they to meet and perfect a permanent organization. A resolution was passed making elligible to membership those who have resided in county 20 years or more It is planned to have an old settlers' meeting during the coming summer sometime.

KODOL is the best remedy known today for dyspepsia, indigestion and all troubles arising from a disordered stomach. It is pleasant, prompt and thorough. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

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From Over The Valley

VANDALISM RIFE NEAR BADGER, ROSEAU COUNTY

Nels Torreson's house, town of Stafford was set fire by some vandal Christmas eve, and had it not been for the prompt action of Guy Jaenicke it would now be in ashes. Young Jaenicke who happened to be passing noticed the fire and immediately set to work single handed to put out the blaze. He succeeded in doing so but was badly burned about the hands and face. The house which was unoccupied at the time had been used as a carpenter shop and the floor was covered with shavings. In these the fire was burning when discovered and the damage is confined to the walls ceiling and floor, which were badly scorched. The same evening the barn doors at A. A. Johnson's had been opened, presumably, by the same parties and the stock the next morning were found nearly froze and one cow was found with an ear nearly cut off.

A THRILLING CLEARWATER COUNTY WOLF STORY

The Clearwater Crystal is responsible for the following narrative:

"It is told of a farmer from Pine Lake that in order to get to town early he started out before daybreak but forgot to grease his wagon. When he got into the hills on the range line the wheels began to creak. The farmer thinking there were a hundred wolves after him, whipped up the horses and drove like a madman until the hubs were so heated that the old dry grease melted and stopped the noise. He drew a sigh of relief and promised he would not be caught out that time of night again."

INDIAN AGENT BEAULIEU MOVES MORE INDIANS

Indian Agent Theodore H. Beaulieu left Saturday morning for the White Earth Indian Reservation with eleven Indians—men, women and children. One of the party was old Chief Ney-Gwon-Ay-Be, the oldest chief of the Mille Lacs Lake band and one of the most stubborn. He has up to this time persisted in living in the land of his fathers, and Mr. Beaulieu feels highly pleased that he has convinced the old gentleman that White Earth is a much better place for him than Mille Lacs Lake. Ney-Gwon-Ay-Be is 85 years old and can well remember the time when he helped lead the Mille Lacs band against the waring Sioux fighting side by side with the early pioneers of Minnesota. There are still about 250 Indians at the lake, which Mr. Beaulieu expects to have transported to White Earth in the next few months.—Mora Times.

BANK OF LENGBY FOLLOWS THE LENGBY STAR

It is a matter of regret that the Bank of Lengby, which has been a valued addition to the business institutions of the place for the last two years, has been closed to business with the ending of the old year. It is understood that the new law placing private banks under state supervision and practically compelling all such to suspend or incorporate as state or national banks, has been the cause of the business being discontinued the stockholders not feeling warranted in taking the latter step at the present time. However, it is confidently expected that Lengby will have a state bank established here in the not far distant future. The Lengby Lumber, Brick & Fuel Co., will retain the building for their offices and the bank fixtures remain as before.

TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR FIRE SUFFERERS

On Monday a safe was removed to Greenbush from the Scandinavian American bank of Badger to be used by the State Bank of Greenbush. Cashier Lundevall put up a temporary building as all the books were saved, he was able to open up for business without much delay The State bank will put up a concrete building in the spring to replace the one that burned. —Badger Herald Rustler.

YOUNG TRAPPER SHOT THROUGH THE HAND

Last Friday while engaged in setting some traps, a younger brother of Ed and Oscar Houg, of the town of Minerva, Clearwater Co., accidentally shot himself thru the hand with a large callibre rifle. The young man was in the act of arranging a trap when the gun was discharged the bullet entering the palm of the hand and coming out at the base of the thumb. As the bullet was of the steel jacket variety and his hand was so close to the muzzle when the gun was discharged the wound is not considered a very serious little one, only a flesh wound resulting.

FREIGHT MOVEMENT GOOD COMPARED WITH LAST YEAR

Freight shipments and receipts have been light for the past week, but five car lots having been billed out during the week, but the receipts for the month of December have been excellent and show a gratifying increase over the same month last year. December 1906 has to its credit freight receipts to the amount of 144,809 but December 1907 swells this to 505,855. The express business at this station for the past week shows 102 shipments amounting to 4,683 pounds with receipts of 45 pieces amounting to 460 pounds.—McIntosh Times.

TEAM OF PRIZE WINNING CLEVELAND BAYS

Carl Miller made a trip to White Earth this week, returning Wednesday While there he purchased an exceptionally fine team of mares from Mr. Lynch of that place and he expects them here tomorrow. They are full blooded Cleveland bays. One of them has taken two first premiums at the Minnesota state fair and the other has been awarded first one year.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

IS FOUND INJURED; DIES.

Aged Man Is Believed to Have Been Struck by Train.

Iowa Falls, Iowa, Jan. 8. — Fred Gade, aged seventy-four years, died here yesterday from injuries received a few days ago. Mr. Gade, who lives on the East side, was returning home after dark and was walking along the Illinois Central track. No one saw the accident, but the supposition is that the man was struck by the blind end of a freight train that had been cut in two at the coal chutes and was backing down to the passenger station. His skull was injured and four ribs were broken, resulting in internal injuries.

The Valley has It Now

New York Papers expect times will be good there again when the money sent west to buy the crops comes back to Wall street. In the west they say times will improve when they can begin to draw the money they have in New York. With each looking to the other for relief it would seem as tho the entire country had got to economize for a while in order to make money real plentiful.—Fergus Falls Journal.

The Man Who Succeeds

in getting things to come his way generally makes sure by going out to meet and invite them in. He has a checking account at the bank because of its real value in limiting wastful expenses, its convenience, its safety and he knows it is an invitation to successs to meet him half way—an invitation she is in the habit of accepting. Why don't you have a bank account?

The Personal Interest

you take in building up and caring for it will have much to do with your individual success and success of any enterprise with which you identify yourself. It is all under your own control—come in and let us tell you how easy it is to start an account with

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

OFF TO KALAMAZOO—Walter Latta left last night for a six weeks' visit among scenes of earlier life at Kalamazoo, Mich., and Clinton, Wis.

DIED THIS NOON—Mrs. John Torgeson died at the Bethesda hospital this noon of Brights disease aged 35 years. She leaves a husband and a child 4½ months old. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

HAD NICE VISIT — Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and children returned home this morning from a six weeks' visit very pleasantly spent in various Iowa towns where they have numerous relatives and friends.

A NEW P. M.—Congressman Steenerson has recommended John A. Hawkinson for reappointment as postmaster at Parkers Prairie. The postoffice there has been raised to the Presidential class.

STILL SHIPPING— Another batch of horses were shipped to the woods today among them were some of Andy Webster's of Fisher that he drove over this morning. This lot were for the logging firm of Ross and Ross.

LEAVE FOR THE SOUTH—Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Purvis will leave this evening for southern Minnesota and during the balance of the winter Mr. Purvis will attend to land business there and in points in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and other states.

NOT COMING BACK—Hud Taylor one of the old time traveling men will not return to his territory in this section this year, having accepted a position with a Chicago horse-shoe nail house and will have other territory. This will be a keen disappointment to his many friends in this section.

WITH NEW CONCERN—Jack Walsh the genial travelling man formerly with Pat Bowlin of St. Paul has accepted a position with Keely and Steinmitz of Minneapolis and his leader this year will be the "Umpire" brand of wet goods. He will make the same old territory.

A CLOSE CALL—Wednesday night on his return from a visit to Bemidji Dr. Gilberrt found all his household very near to their last from breathing poisoned gases that had been escaping from their coal stove but by opening the doors and windows he soon had them all right.—Cass Lake Voice.

LOCATES AT YAKIMA —Michael Quesnell of Red Lake Falls, Minn., is in the city and expects to locate in this vicinity. He has relatives in the Moxee and on Nob Hill. He is much impressed with the country and believes for a place to reside and a place to invest discounts anything he ever has seen.—Yakima Herald.

INTRODUCING BOSSIE — Torkel Hoiland of Lengby was in the city yesterday. He left last evening for Big Falls, where he has a claim. Mr. Hoiland is getting out 3,000,000 feet of logs this winter, and stated that he already has $1200 worth on skids at Big Falls. He has a car of cows at Big Falls which he will sell to farmers in that vicinity.—Bemidji Jioneer

SUCCESSFUL — A. H. Pitkin of Crookston who was formerly manager of the Beltrami County Mercantile company's establishment at Kelliher came in yesterday afternoon from Crookston. He left last evening for Kelliher, near which place he is doing some logging this winter. Mr. Pitkin says he is doing well with his logging and expects to realize on the right side of the ledger next spring.—Bemidji Pioneer.

UP THE GREENBUSH — Messrs. Chas. Holt, Eli Asselin, H. W. Odney, Alex Thompson and Bert Levins took a run up the Greenbush line this morning to get a peek of their patrons' 1908 faces. There was trouble between Conductor Withey and Alex Thompson the latter wearing a vest so loud that no one else could share a double seat with him. It was hand crocheted, and was made by a member of the Scotch nobility under the shadows of Carnegie's castled home across the pond.

THE HOUSE OF CONRAD—Yesterday morning, J. J. Kelley (Coffee), of this city G. O. Hanson, formerly of Crookston and now of Minot and I. I. Hillestad of Fosston but who makes North Dakota territory, all with Conrad & Co., of Chicago returned yesterday morning from a trip to Chicago where they conferred with the house for a week. Their business the past year has been excellent, and all return feeling very optimistic regarding the prospects for the coming year. They are popular travellers representing a popular firm which sells popular goods to appreciative customers.

It goes to the root of disease, strengthens and invigorates. Its life giving qualities are not contained in any other remedy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has stood the severest test—time. For thirty years the surest remedy. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

From Tuesday's Daily

PROBATE COURT — The hearing on claims in the estate of the deceased A. R. Amber of Fosston occupied the attention of the court yesterday.

OFF FOR TEXAS—Gus Brodal left last evening with a party of land prospectors for Texas where he will show them some of the southland farms that he is so extensively advertising.

TO HAUL CORDWOOD — Hugh Douglass and two sons of East Grand Forks spent last night in the city en route to Bagley with three teams where they will spend the balance of the winter hauling cordwood.

BEFORE THE BOARD—Wm. Rickett one of the supervisors of Grand Forks township over in western Polk is in the city today on business before the county commissioners.

SENIOR AT U.—Kent Lohn of Fosston passed thru last night to take his final course in law at the Minnesota University, and will graduate with the class in June.

U. S. L. O.—Three parties from Beltrami county were in to make final proofs before the land office today, they were C. P. Thompson, George R. and Thomas C. Dalton all of Carmel P. O.

KEY WESTERS—Mr. and Mrs. William Gunnes were here from Key West yesterday calling on their many friends. Mrs. Gunnes was formerly Miss Woodall and taught for years in the city schools.

RECREATION—A. P. Moen of Eldred is spending the day in the city, Mr. Moen has been very successful on the farm the past season and feels entitled to take an occasional flyer to the city for a little recreation.

EDUCATION—John Estenson of Climax is in the city today visiting with friends and will leave tonight for Grand Forks where he will enter an institution of learning for the rest of the school year.

PIONEER GONE—Joseph Roy, another of the early pioneers and a man of good qualities has passed to the Great Beyond. The death of Mr. Roy occurred on Friday morning, Dec. 27th at the age of about 65 years —Argyle Banner.

TO VISIT DAUGHTER — August George left last night for Columbus O., to pay a visit to his daughter Mrs. Guy Thornburg who has recently moved to that city. Mr. George will extend his visit to New York and Washington and will probably return to Seattle via a southern route.

MOTHER VERY ILL— Mrs. N. P. Stenshoel received the sad news from Harmony Minn., yesterday of the serious illness of her mother Mrs. Berkelie of that place who is 80 years of age and suffered a stroke of paralysis Mrs. Stenshoel departed for Harmony last night to be with her mother.

A LITTLE LADY OPERATOR — Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fox are the parents of a fine little baby girl which arrived at the John Darkow home in this city Sunday at 11:45 p. m., where Mrs. Fox has been visiting her parents. The happy dad was here to welcome the arrival of the young lady but left yesterday for his duties at Larimore.

CHIEF JACKSON POPULAR—The 14th annual Firemen's dance given New Year's eve at Thief River Falls was largely attended and everybody enjoyed the occasion. One of the features of the evening's program was the presentation of a gold headed umbrella to their retiring chief, C. C. Jackson, who gives up the leadership of the department after eight years of service.

PRAISE FOR WALKER —Fletcher Walker has been up from Minneapolis the past week in the interest of their mammoth industry here. Mr. Walker is credited with being one of the ablest lumber men in the northwest as well as one of the most considerate of employers. There would be less friction between capital and labor were there more men like the managers of the Red River Lumber Co.—Akeley Independent.

IDEAL WEATHER— The weather Sunday was ideal. During the greater part of the day the snow and ice melted and there were hundreds of people out in buggies and autos with their ordinary winter wraps, gloves and hats. The weather continued warm yesterday altho a high win has prevailed and the ice and snow has almost again entirely disappeared until the streets and hills are as bare as in September.

MILLIONAIRES' AID CLUB—Some of the enterprising young men of the village have organized a club to be known as "The Millionaires' Aid Club of Cass Lake." The object of the club is to get together and devises means for assisting Carnegie, Rockefeller and Morgan in acumulating and disposing of their vast wealth. A special meeting will be held sometime next week, when officers will be elected.—Cass Lake Voice.

OPERATORS CHANGE— Operator O'Drasky arrived this morning from Muskoga, Minn., to relieve night operator J. S. Strickler at the N. P. depot Mr. Strickler will be transferred to Muskoga, the change being simply a swap of positions by the two men.

OFF FOR EUROPE—Consul H. Bendeke of Grand Forks left last evening for points east, and on January 25 will sail from New York in company with a party of friends for Naples. From there the party will travel over the continent, expecting to spend the entire winter in European countries. Mr. Bendeke will be home by April 1. Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Campbell also of Grand Forks will be members of the party.

BUYING HARDWARE—Messrs. Wm. Merdink and M. L. Larson of Stephen and John Hagen of McIntosh, all hardware dealers were in the city yesterday looking over the display of the Kelley-Howe-Thompson Hardware Co., of Duluth and buying stock for the coming year's trade. They kept Messrs. Roemer, Fuller and other house men busy, and W. M. Ferguson, representing the Peters Cartridge Co., whose goods are jobbed by the "Hickory" people was also peddling big chunks of laughing gas with the bunch

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She was the pride of the country 'round,
Envied by other girls was she;
In beauty and health she did abount.
By taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
—A. G. Andersen.

From Wednesday's Daily

BACK TO THE U—Messrs. Vance, Benoit, Turner, Sheffield and Kirsch who were home for the vacation all returned to the University to complete their year's work.

WELL REPRESENTED —Messrs. M. A. Foote, Geo. B. Seavy, Jos Mongoven, Oscar Banik and Geo. Carl of East Grand Forks who were here as district court witnesses yestreday all returned home last evening.

WESSEL ILL—Joe Wessel, the candy kid from St. Paul, member of the Curbstone Quartette of this city and the latter day Beau Brummel of the Northwest has been confined to his room at the Hotel Crookston for the past few days with a combination of grippe, gout and gum drops on the liver. His condition is not at all serious.

PEN PUSHERS HERE—Crookston is the mecca of pen-pushers of Polk County today those present being Editor Foss of the Fosston Thirteen Towns, W. R. Stoughton of the Valley View, East Grand Forks; C. P. Hole of the Mentor Herald; Editor George of the Fertile Journal and C. T. Lanman of the McIntosh Times.

PROBATE JUDGES MEET — The judges of probate of the various counties in Minnesota will meet at St Paul on Jan. 17 at which time matters affecting the business transacted in their offices will be discussed, and plans perfected for as near uniform work as possible. Judge Morken of this city will probably attend.

You'll be healthy and happy if your liver, and bowels work naturally. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea keeps these organs working right, brings robust health to all. Try it now. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

ACCIDENT WAS PECULIAR—Mrs. A. J. Andyke of Grand Forks was the victim on Saturday of an accident which resulted in a most painful injury. It sems that she, with Mr. Andyke, was engaged in hanging portraits. Mr. Andyke was handing him a portrait from the floor. She had it held over her head, when the glass fell out, the edge of it striking her on the nose, resulting in a deep gash. A physician was called several stitches being necessary to close the wound.

ANOTHER ATTORNEY—David L. Fulton, a law student of the State University who will graduate next spring and who has been the guest of Geo. Judson for a few days, will open a law office in Crookston as soon as he graduates. He was very much pleased over Crookston during his visit here and decided at once to locate here. Mr. Fulton has attended the University of Wisconsin and California and has been an extensive traveler and has also had practical experience having been connected with a Bank at Hudson for some time.

HALLOCK COMMERCIAL CLUB NEW OFFICIAL ROSTER

At the annual meeting of the Hallock Commercial Club on Thursday evening, the following were elected officers: Pres., E. Ellis; Vice Pres., W. G. Thompson; Sec, T. M. George Treas., G. Goodman. As members of the board of directors in addition to the executive officers, the following were elected: Arthur Hanson, P. H. Konzen, J. H. Bradish, Wm. Inglis and J. D. Henry. The treasurer report showed the club to be in excellent financial condition.

WHERE MONEY COMES FROM

A FURTHER LIST OF SOME OF POLK'S HEAVY TAX PAYERS

EAST GRAND FORKS HAS A HIGH RATE AND FURNISHES MUCH CASH

So much interest was displayed in the list of personal property tax payers in Crookston and few surrounding towns published in the Journal last Friday, that the heavier tax payers in several other villages are given in the following list:

East Grand Forks

Rate 81 mills; Valuation $177,485; Tax $14,376.19; 195 tax payers.

G. Forks Lum. Co.	3,549.26
First Nat. Bank	1,433.97
First State Bank	680.72
Arneson Mer Co.	$636.17
G. Forks Gas & Elec. Co.	202.50
E. G. Forks Trans. Co.	199.26
Mrs. J. W. Spargur	154.63
I. Kingman	99.31
Smith & Sinclair	74.68
Paul Gerard	65.85
M. J. Enright	55.80
Grace Noble	54.68
Billings & Kaiser	54.43
Sullivan Bros.	53.30
Young & Paupore	49.90
W. C. Nash	49.17
Getts Music House	48.44
Hugh Dunlevy	$48.11
Carrie Watson	40.98
Stoughton & Stember	37.26
Thomas Connell	36.45

Saloons

Harm & Oeschger	462.51
Russel & Heinlein	449.71
N. C. Olson Co.	336.15
W. F. Franklin	323.03
J. E. Sullivan	162.08
Chas. S. Reed	106.11
Skaren & Olson	97.52
R. E. Hatch	93.88
L. O. Lystad	71.68
P. V. Murray	69.58
E. Nelson	61.88
A. O. Lystad	60.34
Chris Engen	57.92
Benner & McCarthy	55.65
Frank Longtine	55.32
Charles Doll	48.28
Harry Hutchins	45.28
Ed Lodgaard	44.79
Joe Jarvis	43.01
Ernest Rytter	43.17
Paul Hagen	37.26
Mohowald Bros.	35.65
M. J. Sullivan	34.43
John Vosler	32.48
Chas. E. Keller	32.16
James Jarvis	32.80
Ben Amble	32.80
Ole Mybben	30.05

Breweries

Hamm Brew. Co.	610.90
Gund Brew. Co.	342.23
Thomas White	308.93
Dul. Brew. & Malt Co.	302.94
Mpls. Brew. Co.	209.14
Fitzger Brew Co.	186.06
Heileman Brew. Co.	175.12
Schlitz Brew. Co.	78.00
Val Blatz Brew Co.	53.46
Jung Brew. Co.	26.73

Fertile

Rate 43 3-4 mills; Valuation $56,522; Taxes $2,431.54; Tax payers 81.

Firsrt Nat Bank	513.60
Citizens State Bank	181.73
Andrew Opheim	179.08
Fertile Lumber Co.	159.73
Holton & Carlson	140.64
Brown Duckstad	99.94
E. B. Gustofson	92.06
Robertson Lumber Co.	79.86
Great Western Elev. Co.	68.16
J. A. Erickson	67.41
Monarch Elev. Co.	55.64
Norman Hanson	55.99
Dr. A. Nelson	53.89
Nesseth & Gullickson	43.66
Lars Knutson	43.19
G. J. Demars	46.82

Fisher

Rate 30 mills; valuation $38,622; Tax $1,158.66; Tax payers 30.

Bank of Fisher	225.00
St. Anthony & Dak Lum. Co.	96.00
Hamilton Bro.	90'60
Ole Larson & Son	74.46
St. Anth. Dak Elev. Co.	69.30
Bank of Fisher	64.08
Gunder Krostue	61.20
Nels Nelson	72.00
Sam Torrison	58.20
N. W Elev. Co.	55.44
P. A. Merill	52.89
Duluth Elev. Co.	46.20
M. Rosaaen	34.53
N. F. Kile	29.46

Beltrami

Rate 27 3-4 mills; Valuation $27,654; Tax $767.40; Tax payers 31.

First State Bank	$277.00
St. Anth. & Dak Lumber Co.	110.80
E. W. Johnson & Co.	78.00
St. Anth. & Dak. Elev. Co.	65.82
Thorpe Elev Co.	43.88
Wm. Street	34.71
Boyer Bros. & Co.	30.47
Budd & Regedaal	30.47
Beltrami Cry. Co.	16.62
A. Aanden	14.46

GAME WARDENS WOULD MEET

MEN WHO LOOK AFTER INTERESTS OF FISH AND GAME

WOULD KNOW EACH OTHER—PLAN OF MUNCH AND RUTLEDGE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Game wardens of the state are planning to hold a convention at St. Paul for the purpose of getting acquainted with one another and getting together on questions of mutual interest. The agitation was started recently by the Warden Wm. Munch of Crookston and Warden A. G. Rutledge of Bemidji and on their suggestion it is likely that Carlos Avery, executive agent of the state gamme and fish commission will call a general conference of all the game wardens of the state to be held at the capitol some time soon.

Minnesota is known to have as good service for protection of game and regulation of hunting and fishing as any state in the union, but at present the wardens are not acquainted with one another to any extent and each man is obliged to do his work independently and without knowing, except in a general way, what the others are trying to do.

It is generally believed among the wardens that they could work to much better advantage if they could know one another personally and could have some sort of general understanding as to their methods. Mr. Avery also believes this to be the case and it is understood that he will take steps to arrange for a convention.

HELD JOINT INSTALLATION

WOODMEN AND ROYAL NEIGHBORS ENJOYED SOCIAL EVENING LATER

The Modern Woodmen of America and Royal Neighbors held a joint installation last evening, and the occasion drew one of the largest crowds seen in the Woodmen hall for a long time. The Woodmen officers were installed by Past Council Martin O'Brien and Mrs. Phalen, Past Oracle of the Royal Neighbors installed for the other lodge.

Following the installation ceremonies a program was given including instrumental and vocal solos and recitations. The musical program was given by pupils of St. Cecelia's Music Academy who had been specially drilled for the occasion and included a piano solo by Miss Grace Kemmerer, vocal solo Miss Etta Koelmel, Violin obligato, Mr Irvin Burkhardt, recitation, Master Johnston; song, Little Miss Johnston; Violin Duet, Wilbert Koelmel, Forest Lancaster; song, Miss Frances Hoch, recitation, Prof. J. A. Button,

Following this a splendid lunch was served, and dancing and cards enjoyed till a late hour, the occasion being one of the most pleasant that was ever given by the two organizations.

Woodmen Officers

Daniel W. Hughes, Council.
Fred Davis, Advisor.
Carl Riedesel, Clerk.
Nels Peterson, Treasurer.
John N. Kirsch, Escort.
Peter Couvrette, Watchman.
Nels Swanson, Sentry.
O. Mercil, Manager.

Camp physicians chosen are, Drs. Kjelland, Dunlop, Dampier and Just.

Royal Neighbor Officers

Oracle—Mrs. Bertha Koelmel.
Vice Oracle—Miss Rose Asselin.
Chancellor—Mrs. Nettie Winfield.
Recorder—Mrs. Annie Arries.
Receiver—Mrs. Maggie Rauch.
Marshal—Miss Ida Lehman
Inner Sentinel—Mrs. Florence Hoch
Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Clara Teidt.
Manager—Wm. Millette.
Physician—Dr. Kjelland.
Delegate—Mrs. Annie Arries.
Alternate—Mrs. Agnes Finlayson

The convention of the Grand Lodge to which Mrs. Arries is elected as delegate convenes in Chicago in May

How to Avoid Pneumonia

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

Euclid Township

Valuation $22,787; Rate 25 1-4 mills; Taxation $754.91; Tax payers 52. Tax of Villagers only.

Peter Stuhr	101.20
St. Anth. & Dak. Elev. Co.	119.21
Minn. & Dak. Elev. Co.	65.93
J. S. Chaplin	13.30
Red Lake Falls Mill Co.	7.33

WERE SETTLED OUT OF COURT

FOUR DAMAGE SUITS COMPROMISED BY THE GREAT NORTHERN TODAY

CHAS. BEATON RECEIVED $1900 AND ALL EXPENSES FOR INJURIES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Four damage suits against Great Northern were settled today before any of them came to trial. They were the suits of E. O. Hagen, Chas. Forsberg, Geo. Altrow and Chas. Beaton.

Rowe and Longley were the attorneys for the plaintiffs in the last three named suits. Chas Beaton received $1900 and all expenses. He was the employe who was injured from a fall from the turntable in the great Northern yards in South Crookston last summer and was permanently injured. For a time it was not thougnt that he would recover.

Verdict for the Defendant

In the suit of Lockwood vs. Abrahamson the jury returned a verdict for the defendant. The plaintiff sued to recover the value of his share of the crop raised on the farm which he rents to the defendant in the town of Kertsonville. The defendant put in a counter claim, contending that the roof of the barn fell in injuring some livestock and that the roof of the house leaked and rain damaged his furniture.

Other G. N. Cases

The case of John Black, a farmer near Benoit who is suing to recover damages from flowage will go to the jury late this afternoon. The next case to be called will be that of Peter Johnson vs. The Great Northern for personal injuries.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous a they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

EAST GRAND FORKS NEW CITY OFFICERS

O'LEARY ADMINISTRATION OUT AND DUNLEVY ADMINISTRATION STEPS IN

The new city administration is at the helm in East Grand Forks and the O'Leary administration has stepped aside for the new officials. The personnel of the new officers appears below and the change took place officially last evening, when the former city council held its final meeting, adjourned sine die and the new mayor and aldermen were sworn in and held their first meeting.

The New Administration

Mayor—Hugh Dunlevy
Aldermen—
First Ward—J. Borchers
Second Ward—J. F. Craig.
Third Ward—C. Bydal.
Fourth Ward—J. H. Shelly.
At Large—J. H. Sherlock and Neil Kelliher.
President of Council—J. H. Sherlock.
Vice President—J. F. Craig.
Treasurer—Jas McIlraith.
Municipal Judge—T. A. Sullivan.
City Attorney—D. T. Collins.
City Recorder—C. P. Zimmerman.
Chief of Police—Hans Ellingson.
Assistant Chief—J. J. Clynch.
Patrolmen—Martin Murphy, Hugh Quigley and Nickolas Busch.
City Physician—Dr Kirk.
Health Officer—Dr. Wilson.
Street Commissioner—Nick Ketter.
Supt. Light Plant—Chas. Fiers.
To be Named Later—Chief of fire department, engineer of fire department and city assessor.

It is very important and in fact is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

A Model.

A witty professional man was chatting with some women about a friend of theirs who was notoriously henpecked. His better half makes him walk a chalked line, and woe be unto him if he deviates from it.

"He is a model husband!" exclaimed one woman in the party.

"Nay, not model, but modeled," interrupted the professional man, "but whether in clay or putty deponent sayeth not."

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of March, 1904, at four o'clock and ten minutes P. M., in Book 110 of Mortgages on Page 333 whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the Mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the Mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in Polk County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The East half of the Northeast quarter and the East half of the South east quarter of Section Number thirty (30) in Township One hundred forty-eight (148) North, of Range forty-five (45), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One hundred sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to Government Survey thereof,

to secure the payment of the sum of Five hundred sixty ($560) dollars and interest thereon at the rate of seven (7 percent) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and payable on the second day of November, 1908, with interest at the rate of seven (7 per cent) per cent per annum, payable in annual installments thereon.

Said mortgage, contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any state taxes to be assessed thereafter on said premises, previous to the day appointed by law for the sale of lands for state taxes in the State of Minnesota then and thereupon, the whole sum, owing on said note, should become immediately due and payable at the election of the holder of said note and mortgage

Said Mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of Six and 74-100 ($6.74) dollars of the installment of interest due upon said note and mortgage on the second of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of Thirty-nine and 20-100 ($39.20) Dollars, being the installment of interest due thereon on the second day of November 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed upon said premises in the year 1905, amounting to Thirty-four and 58-100 ($34.58) Dollars, as stipulated in said mortgage, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on the said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice, the sum of Five hundred sixty ($560) Dollars, Principal; Forty-eight and 10-100 ($48.10) Dollars of Interest and Thirty-six and 85-100 ($36.85) Dollars for taxes paid and interest and Twenty-five ($25) Dollars, Attorneys' Fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of Six hundred sixty-nine and 95-100 ($669.95) dollars, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instututed to recover said debt or any part thereof

Now notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder there for, for cash, by the Sheriff of Polk County, at the "main entrance of the Court House" in the City of Crookston in said Polk County and State of Minnesota, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, Attorneys' Fees, taxes paid and further taxes, if any, and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th. 1907.

—L. S. Hackney, Mortgagee.

Bryan & Coffman,
Attorneys for Mortgagee, 1003 Pioneer Press Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.

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CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of March, 1904, at four o'clock and ten minutes P M., in Book 110 of Mortgages on Page 331, whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the Mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the Mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in Polk County, Minnesota, to-wit:

South half of Section one in Township one hundred forty-nine North of Range forty-four, West of the fifth Principal Meridian—Containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to Government Survey to secure the payment of the sum of Seven hundred ($700) Dollars and interest thereon at the rate of seven (7 per cent) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and payable on the second day of November, 1908, with interest at the rate of seven (7 per cent) per cent per annum; payable in annual installments thereon.

Said mortgage contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any state taxes to be assessed thereafter on said premises, previous to the day appointed by law for the sale of lands for state taxes in the State of Minnesota, then and thereupon, the whole sum, owing on said note, should become immediately due and payable at the election of the holder of said note and mortgage.

Said mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of Eight and 43-100 ($8.43) Dollars of the installment of interest due upon said note and mortgage on the second of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of Forty-nine ($49) Dollars, being the installment of interest due thereon on the second day of November, 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed upon said premises in the year 1905, amounting to Thirty-three and 5-100 ($33.05) Dollars, as stipulated in said mortgage, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on the said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice the sum of Seven hundred ($700) Dollars, Principal; Fifty-nine and 86-100 ($59.86) Dollars, Interest and Thirty-five and 25-100 ($35.25) Dollars for taxes paid and interest and Twenty-five ($25) Dollars, Attorneys' Fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of Eight hundred twenty and 11-100 ($820.11) Dollars and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be fore closed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder therefor, for cash, by the Sheriff of Polk County, at the "main entrance of the Court House," in the city of Crookston in said Polk County and State of Minnesota, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, Attorneys' Fees, taxes paid and further taxes, if any, and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th, 1907.

—L. S. Hackney, Mortgagee.

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SOLON BEFORE JUSTICE.

J. W. Wright Is Charged With Some Law Violation, but Acquitted.

Litchfield, Minn., Jan. 4. — Stanley Wells, Charles Berkner and State Senator J. W. Wright were brought before Justice of the Peace Bacon, charged with killing a deer in Darwin township, Meeker county, on Dec. 17. The charge was that Wells and Berkner did the hunting and that Wright drove out with a wagon in which the deer was brought to town during the night. Berkner pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $50 and costs, the complaints against the others being then dismissed.

DRINKS CARBOLIC ACID.

Mrs. A. Rogers Takes Poisonous Draught in Little Falls Jail.

Little Falls, Minn., Jan. 4.—Mrs. A. Rogers, who has been lodged in the county jail here for the last few weeks on a charge of passing a forged check at the Buckman hotel here, awaiting the action of the grand jury, drank one-half ounce of carbolic acid yesterday morning. She had been using the compound as a medicine. She is said to be a morphine fiend and just ran out and lost control of herself before getting more. Sheriff Long's wife gave her fresh cream, which induced vomiting, and three doctors were called. She is better.

THIEF RIVER IS TO HELP

WILL TRY TO CREATE A SENTIMENT IN FAVOR OF DRAINAGE BILL

PLAN TO SEND DELEGATES TO TWIN CITIES AND TO DULUTH

Thief River Falls is going to do what it can to help create a sentiment in this state in favor of the bill introduced by Congressman Halvor Steenerson to drain the ceded lands of the Red Lake Indian reservation says the News.

At a meeting of business men held last week it was unanimously decided to send a couple of representatives to St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth and try to get the commercial bodies of these cities to take an active interest. Mayor Hamre and Daniel Shaw were selected and they will go to the cities in about one week.

STEAM HAULER WILL BE USED

WILD RICE LUMBER COMPANY UNLOADED MACHINE AT BAGLEY LAST FRIDAY

The Wild Rice Lumber Company o Ada, Minn., has sent a new steam hauler into their camps south of Bagley o the reservation The machine was unloaded there last week coming direc from the manufactory in Wisconsin: I cost $6,000, and weighs nineteen ton and is capable of hauling from five to six or seven ordinary sleigh loads o logs at once.

TRAINMEN DEFER ACTION.

Committee Decides Not to Enforce Demands for Wage Revision.

Chicago, Jan. 1. — Trainmen and conductors on all the railroads running east of Chicago have decided to defer action on their demands for a general revision of wages and working conditions. This was the decision of the executive committee, which completed here yesterday its canvass of the vote.

BURNED ALIVE BY ROBBERS.

Burglars Rifle Railway Station, Then Burn It and the Agent.

Clarington, Ohio, Jan. 1. — Edward Hutchinson, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad agent here, was robbed and murdered at an early hour yesterday and the station burned over his head. It is said that the murderers got a large sum of money. The burglars evidently decided to burn Hutchinson as he lay bound, in order to conceal their identity.

A wise husband is one who brags about his wife's cooking.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Samuel Currie and Mary H. Currie, his wife, Mortgagors, to Joseph A. Gilfillan, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of Nov., 1902, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of Nov. 1902, at 3 o'clock P. M. in Book 110 of Mortgages, on page 92 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North one half of section eighteen (18) Town one hundred fifty two (152) Range forty-six (46) in Polk County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Crookston in said County and State, on the 18th day of January 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5,285.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 3, A. D. 1907.

Joseph A. Gilfillan,
Mortgagee.

Jeff H. Irish.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Detroit, Minn.

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LOOKS GOOD TO APPLICANTS

CONGRESSMAN TAWNEY OF MINNESOTA SAYS THOSE WHO HAVE MADE

APPLICATION FOR OREGON R. R LANDS HOLD PRIOR RIGHT

From Thursday's Daily—

The following from the Umpqua Valley News, Roseburg, Oregon of Dec 26th 1907 will be of special interest to those who have filed here or contemplate filing:

"The matter of filing applications for railroad land of late has been going on and there has been much said relative to this procedure to get possession of the land at the price of $2.50 per acre, as is declared by many the only price the railroad company can demand from those who wish to purchase. Attorney C. I. Leavengood of this city, is in receipt of the following communication from F. P. Rolfe of the Potlach Lumber Co., of Idaho which throws considerable light on this matter and will be of interest to the many who have made application for railroad land. The communication is as follows:

"'Potlach, Ida., Dec. 18, 1907. Mr C. I. Leavengood, Roseburg, Or.—Dear Sir: I will say for your information a son of Congressman Jas. A Tawney, of Minnesota, is here at Potlach and is one of the filers on O. & C. railroad land. He wrote his father at Washington telling him what he thought his chances were. Congressman Tawney immediately went to the land department and took the matter up with the Commissioner and writes his son that there is not a shadow of a doubt but he will get the land and that application for purchase now made will give such applicant a prior right of purchase. Says it will take time, but that the matter is now in litigation and that we will win.

"'Congressman Tawney is a power in Washington and will help our cause greatly. Looks good. Yours truly

—F. P. Rolfe.'"

This will interest quite a number of parties from here that have applied to purchase this land.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD YESTERDAY

LADIES AID SOCIETY OF HAUGES CHURCH HAD ACTIVE YEAR

The Ladies Aid Society of Hauges Lutheran church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Krogstad in annual session and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

President—Mrs. Nels Anderson.
Treasurer—Mrs. Eli Steenerson.
Secretary—Mrs. S. C. Johnson.

The society has been very active the past year. By various functions they cleared $200 in cash, and one third of this was divided between home and foreign mission work, the balance going to the local church direct. There was a large attendance at the meeting and the society plans another active year's work.

In the evening the Young Ladies Society of the same church met at the same place. They have raised $200 during the past year with which they purchased a new organ for the church and assisted in other work. Last evening they presented Rev. and Mrs. Krogstad with a beautiful mahogany music cabinet.

Rev. and Mrs. Krogstad expect to leave for their new charge at Madison Wis., about January 15, and will begin their work there on Jan. 19th. They will be greatly missed in Crookston.

LAND OFFICE MONTHLY REPORT

The December report of the land office shows a very healthy conidtion and an increase over the previous months. The following is the report.

Pub. Lands (cash sales)	$ 1798.01
Chippewa lands (cash)	5289.38
Red Lake lands (cash)	7859.36
Fees and Commissions	1135.10
total	$16,081.85

BUNNY SAFE; MAN SHOT.

Nimrod Aims at Rabbit, but Hits His Brother.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Jan. 1. — While hunting rabbits near Springbrook, Henry Warner was accidentally shot in the leg by his brother Edward. A rabbit was passing between the two brothers and Edward, not seeing Henry, blazed away, the bullet striking Henry in the leg and missing the rabbit.

C. R. STONE KNOWS THAT ADVERTISING PAYS WELL

STONE'S MUSIC HOUSE OF FARGO DID $415 WORTH OF ADVERTISING WITH THE CROOKSTON DAILY JOURNAL IN 4 MONTHS AND IS PLEASED WITH RESULTS—SOLD PIANOS IN ALL PARTS OF THE UNITED STATES FROM VERMONT TO WASHINGTON — SOLD MORE GRAND PIANOS DURING THE CONTEST THAN DURING THE THIRTEEN YEARS PRECEEDING — 125,000 000 VOTES WERE ISSUED DURING THE CONTEST

The great voting contest inaugurated at Stone's Music house of Fargo, N. D., four months ago came to an end at midnight Tuesday night. It is a daring remark, but this enterprise undertaken by C. R. Stone is reputed to have been the greatest commercial venture of the kind ever undertaken by a commercial house in the United States or any other country.

The advertising was done through the newspapers in four states. Three hundred of the best newspapers of North and South Dakota and Minneapolis and Montana were the mediums of reaching from 3,000,000 to 7,000,000 people every week, but the advertising went further than in the states mentioned. It went all over the United States as results demonstrated

The Crookston Daily Journal was one of the Minnesota mediums selected and while we do not know what Mr. Stone paid others, he did $415 worth of advertising in the Journal, during the four months and he is well pleased with the results.

"Does advertising in newspapers pay, Mr. Stone?" inquired a representative of the Call of C. R. Stone of Stone's Music House yesterday, after commenting on the great voting contest which closed at midnight, New Year's Eve, and was decided a little later when the votes were counted.

"Does advertising in newspapers pay? I know it pays. Why, I believe that my business is the best advertised in the United States. I am perfectly satisfied with my experiment," said Mr. Stone with enthusiasm.

Mr. Stone stated that he sold more grand pianos during the contest than during the thirteen years preceding. He sold four grand pianos in one afternoon during the contest, he sold seven pianos in the state of New York, two at Springfield, Vt., several in Iowa, two in Michigan, one in Ohio one in Indiana, three in Kansas, seven in California, two in Seattle more than forty in Montana and a great many in other sttaes principally North and South Dakota and Minnesota. Perhaps the fact that during the month of December alone, the last month of the contest more than $62,000 in cash were taken in by Stone's Music House may assist in clearing the minds of others.

The fact is that the big advertising campaign paid and paid well. Mr. Stone's music business is the best advertised in the United States. Of course it cost a good deal of money.

The winners of the 14 pianos and the number of votes received are as follows:

Fargo College Conservatory of Music, Fargo, N. D.	3,871,100
Miss Milla Amundson, Ortonville Minn.	3,246,700
Dr. C. S. Putnam, Fargo, N. Dakota	3,244,800
St. John's Academy, Jamestown, N. D.	3,058,900
Sacred Heart Academy, Fargo	2,027,400
Mildred Reineke, Fargo	3,016,400
Ursuline Nuns, Grand Forks	3,013,300
Catherine Austin, Casselton	2,240,600
Mrs. Levina Battey, Minot, N. Dakota	1,673,600
Mrs. C. L. Prescott, Minot	1,584,100
Mrs. J. W. Salten, Walton, N. York	1,571,600
Mabel Klaster, Sharon, N. D.	1,412,900
Mrs. W. E. Porter, Tolley, N. Dakota	1,384,000
J. C. Heusten, Fargo	1,294,400

The judges of the contest were Mayor Elliott, W. A. Scott, John P. Edwards and J. J. Jordan, editor of the Fargo Call.

MOLLERUD WAS ROBBED

MAN FROM FERTILE HELD UP BY TWO NEWLY MADE FRIENDS IN FORKS

EXCITING TRIP COST HIM $65—STOPS PAYMENT ON DRAFT FOR $85

From Friday's Daily—

Ingebert Mollerud of Fertile, who was robbed of $65 and a bank draft for $85, returned home from Grand Forks last night a sadder and wiser man. He was decoyed from the G. Northern depot by two strangers who offered to buy a drink. A little later he rushed into an East Grand Forks Minnesota Point saloon and reported that he had been robbed.

One of his comrades got a half Nelson on him while the other robbed him. A fairly good description was secured of the men, but no arrests have been made. Mollerud was on his way to his claim near Minot. He intends to get some more money and leave for there in a few days. Payment on the draft was stopped.

MADE $1500 ON $38 INVESTMENT

The Grafton News and Times tells of a farmer who estimates that he cleared at least $1500 by the use of printer's ink. He had an auction sale and was not satisfied to get along with 100 or 200 hand bills. He advertised for weeks in the local paper, winding up with a half page ad. and distributed 500 extra copies of the paper. He also gave a big free dinner. There was 3,000 people at the sale and he took in $4,500. His advertising cost $38.

NO NEW TRIAL FOR PAUL FOURNIER

Judge Spooner of Bemidji has filed an order denying the motion for a new trial in the case of the State vs. Paul Fournier, who is now serving a term of life imprisonment in the state penitentiary, having been convicted of the murder of N. O. Dahl.

ATTENDED BIG MEET

SUPT. ROBERTSON AND PROF. HARRINGTON OF AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

RETURNED FROM MEETING OF EDUCATIONAL ASS'N AT ST. PAUL

From Friday's Daily—

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experimental farm and Prof. Harrington of the Agricultural high school returned this morning from St. Paul where they attended the meeting of the Minnesota Educational Ass'n. for two days. They report the gathering a very large one, and both were enthusiastic over the character of the work being done there by the various sections. Yesterday they attended the superintendent's section and of their part in the meeting the St. Paul Dispatch of last evening says:

"L. P. Harrington of the Crookston School of Agriculture, who has done so much for rural school agriculture in McLeod county, had fewer difficulties to contend with, apparently, perhaps because he had appealed directly to the boys themselves. That Crookston is a good, wide field for thought and energy also appeared in Prof. William Robertson's address, and his urgent proposal that 'if teachers really want industrialism in the schools, let them demand it.

"Minnesota always gives what she is asked for hard enough. A summer school for teachers and superintendents at the School of Agriculture, St. Anthony Park, where a full equipment and experimental work in process provided already more than half what was needed. A few instructors for four weeks, and the thing was done."

Prof. Robertson advised that this school be modeled somewhat after the annual 'short course for farmers.'"

City Ousts Tough Ones.

Deadwood, S. D., Jan. 1. — City officials have started a housecleaning among the tough element of the city and have commenced by raiding a number of the notorious "dope" fiends.

Fight Ends in Draw.

Milwaukee, Jan. 1. — Hugo Kelly of Chicago and Billy Papke of Spring Valley, Ill., fought ten fierce rounds to a draw before the Badger Athletic club last night.

THE HEAVY PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX PAYERS

SEVEN CONCERNS IN CROOKSTON PAY HALF THE PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN CROOKSTON — PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES NOW DUE AND WILL BE DELINQUENT MARCH 1ST — LIST OF LEADING TAX PAYERS IN OTHER COUNTY TOWNS ALSO GIVEN—AN OPPORTUNITY GIVEN TO MAKE SOME INTERESTING COMPARISONS

Jan. 1, 1908, the 1907 personal property taxes became due, and tax notices will be issued to all the taxpayers in the county by the county treasurer as soon as possible.

Personal property taxes will become delinquent March 1, 1908, when a 10 per cent penalty will attach. If by April 15, 1908, the 1907 personal property tax is not paid, together with the penalty, the tax will be turned over to the sheriff, who will proceed to collect the tax, penalty and costs by distress and sale.

The total valuation of personal property in the city of Crookston for 1907 is $473,641 and the amount of personal property tax levied is $26,032.57.

According to the figures on the county treasurer's books there has been but little increase in personal property taxes over 1906.

Crookston has the reputation of having a large number of wealthy citizens or those in well-to-do circumstances. As a general rule the person who pays a personal property tax of $40 or over is considered eligible to that class, and the Journal today following its annual custom, publishes in full the list of Crookstonites who will pay a personal property tax of $40 or over. There are a large number whose personal property tax is slightly under the amount named.

The heaviest personal property taxpayer in Crookston or Polk County is the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., whose tax for 1907 was $2814 which is about $600 more than their 1906 tax.

The Merchants National Bank is the second heaviest personal property payer in the city or county the tax amounting to $2296. The third on the list is the Crookston Lumber Co., $2290, the Fourth the First National Bank $2263, the fifth the Scandia-American bank with $1597, the sixth the Finch, Winslow, Carlisle Co., $840, and the 7th Wright Ruggles & Co., with $672.

The total personal property taxes paid by the above seven firms amounts to $12,772, practically one half of the personal property taxes paid in the city, and as there are 724 personal property tax payers on the list, the balance or 714 have to pay the other half. There are 27 others who pay from $30 to $40 each, so that the balance pay very little. The rate in the city is 54 mills, with a ward tax running from 1 to 4 mills.

There are 85 in Crookston who pay $40 or more in personal property taxes and the list follows together with a list of the heaviest tax payers in the villages of the county:

Crookston

Crookston Water Works Power & Light Co.	$2814.77
Merchants Nat'l Bank	2296.85
Crookston Lumber Co.	2290.76
First National Bank	2263.84
Scandia American Bank	1597.56
Finch Winslow Carlisle Co.	840.79
Wright Ruggles Co.	672.06
Bank of Crookston	519.75
Rosenthal & Falk	425.81
A. Chabot	352.70
Ruettell Clothing Co.	346.73
Cowley & Holmboe	243.42
J. E. O'Brien & Co.	205.66
Kiewel Brewing Co.	190.30
C. C. Strander	190.24
Bray & Spokely	182.49
Robertson Lumber Co.	178.51
National Elev. Co.	176.39
Crookston Milling Co.	171.93
Workmen Bldg. & Loan	169.50
W. S. Lycan & Co.	159.50
N. W. Marble Works	149.64
Wheeler Misner Loan Co.	141.25
Maplebay Mrg. Co.	130.69
Peterson & Booth	118.45
Syllvester Mercil Co.	116.91
S. A. Wallace	116.13
R. Marotte	110.10
Hamm Brewing Co.	108.17
Rosenberg & Cohen	103.41
Louis Roy	101.96
Crookston Marble Works	101.43
D. D. Clark & Co.	99.21
Bjoin & Carlson	97.51
Carl Reidesel	91.80
Dufault Merc. Co.	90.80
W. E. Slocum	90.48
A. G. Andersen	85.66
G. F. Gilbert	85.25
S. C. Johnson	82.77
Crookston Auditorium Co.	82.50
A. A. Miller	76.20
Nor. Pressed Brick Co.	75.54
P. G. Tornquist	75.08
Mpls. Brewing Co.	74.57
Crookston Brick & Tile Co.	73.85
S. L. Collins	71.17
Courrette & Cardin	69.97
Hieleman Brewing Co.	68.57
H. F. Brown	67.81
A. C. Fournet	65.97
Inter. Har. Co.	62.15
McNichols Co.	61.38
Tom Morris	59.89
Ben Rosenberg	59.40
A. J. Sauve	59.12
G. S. Chesterman	55.56
Fred Brosseau & Co.	55.30
Crookston Times Prtg. Co.	54.31
J. F. Koelmel	54.14
C. C. Hoch	53.20
N. P. Stenshoel	52.26
M. E. Kirsch	50.57
A. M. Ingersoll	50.12
J. E. Morrisey	49.82
Miller & Foote	49.29
John Cromb	48.40
Emma Berg	48.23
H. A. Wyand	48.07
N. Rapin	47.78
M. Mackoff	47.28
Ed. Erickson	46.51
A. Laliberte	46.25
Harry Brandow	46.17
K. K. Austin	45.07
E. Rolsch	44.44
M. Eriesson	44.35
A. F. Rauch	43.89
Walter & Erickson	42.14
N. P. Stone & Co.	42.07
F. Hillard	41.80
L. W. Larson	41.13
C. F. Brennan	41.03
E. J. Keating	40.81
Ole Fylling	40.75

Fosston

Valuation $76,475; rate 48½ mills; tax, $3.722.46; tax payers 107.

First National Bank	$545.13
First State Bank	365.27
Mittun & Rankley	245.53
D. A. Ray	214.90
Nor. Elev. Co.	176.18
O. R. Vaaler	123.42
Stephenson & Ness	113.64
L. W. Larsen	181.22
Holden & Hancock	179.32
John Hallestad	192.90
Mpls. Nor. Elev.	95.83
Nor. Elev. Co.	95.83
St. Anthony Elev. Co.	95.83

Climax

Valuation, $31,423; tax, $692.77; rate 22 mills; tax payers 52.

State Bank of Climax	$ 92.64
St. Anthony & Dak. Elev. Co.	105.60
St. Anthony & Dak. Elev. Co.	38.72
Stortroen, Estenson & Co.,	82.32
Crookston Milling Co.	34.98
Erickson Bros.	42.35
John Fossum	23.74
Lindblad, Spokley & Co.	28.23
Northwestern Elev. Co.	29.04
Hans Kjelorud	10.60
Mrs. S. P. Swenson	10.00

Mentor.

Rate. 13 mills; personal property valuation, $23,552; personal property tax, $567.23; personal property tax payers, 42.

Bank of Mentor	$87.27
A. K. Austin & Co.	62.01
P. Gulbrandson & Son	31.66
Madson & Co.	46.63
Mpls. Nor. Elev. Co.	53.93
Northern Elev. Co.	80.81
St. Anthony & Dak. Elev. Co.	55.68
Victor Wadekemper	42.36
Ole Hesla	16.17
Jos. W. Benoy	13.27

Erskine

Valuation $19,558; rate 55 mills; tax $1087.80; tax payers, 42.

Steenerson Bros.,	$171.76
State Bank of Erskine	166.15
St. Anthony & Dak. El. Co.	118.90
Gilbertson & Espeseth	89.32
Mpls. & Nor. Elev. Co.	102.85
Southmayd & Kaassa	68.97
O. T. Berg (estate)	66.00
L. F. Benson	50.82
Nels Quist	47.74
Hanson & Nelson	29.05
Anne Larson	24.86
N. C. Lillimoe	23.10
Gunder Stenerson	20.68

McIntosh

Valuation $66,461; rate 32½ mills; tax $2,166.66; payers 76.

First State Bank	$281.18
St. Anthony & Dak. Elev. Co.	275.80
St. Anthony & Dak. Elev. Co.	60.54
F. A. Mathieu	110.32
S. P. Johnson	108.17
First Nat. Bank	281.18
Halvorson, Handeby Hdw. Co.	96.82
Bolstad Hdw. Co.	90.89
Carpenter & Webster	135.78
Federal Elev. Co.	65.00
Citizens Bank	152.54
Anderson & Gage Elev. Co.	56.01
Ole C. Norben	56.01
Nor. Elev. Co.	52.75
Everett Southmayd	96.04

LOBSKAUS FROM THE ROSEAU BACKWOODS

A Correspondent of the Journal Gets Busy with his Quill and makes Public a Few State Secrets Regarding Recipe for a Famous Dish and Adds a Few Remarks About Other Things Including Currency-Phobia.

Recipe for Lobskaus

Take some remnants of "Lutefisk", some "Gammelost"—Kruct and a pair of wornout rubbershoes, grind it fine on a Republican organgrinder and mix the grist with any old offal from a dinner table such as meat, pork, beans, potatoes, chicken bones and Limburger cheese, then take one part of Republican prosperity, one part of Democratic tariff, and one part of Socialistic expectation and soak it thoroly in half a gallon of Prohibition whiskey knead the whole thing, grist offal and all to a pliant dough and fry it in campaign fat, and it is ready to be served.

Do you remember how to prepare Lobskaus, Mr. Editor? If you or your readers have forgotten it, you better—for good and sufficient reasons stated below reprint the recipe. It is to be found in your issue of Feb. 9th, 1907. Not only are Lobskaus good for the health in general, but it is the best remedy for the main prevailing disease called currency-phobia caused by the present panic.

For some time I was afflicted with the disease myself and wrote to an expert specialist in currency-phobia located in New York and inquired, if he would be kind enough to furnish me with a diagnosis of the malady, and a direction as to its treatment, and what, in his opinion, would be the most effective remedy for the same. I received the following answer, which is self-explanatory:

"My dear sir: Your esteemed favor of recent date relative to currency-phobia is at hand and in answer to the same will say that most marked and peculiar symptom of currency phobia is a disagreement with John Pierpont Morgan regarding currency reform and a desire to reform our financial system contrary to the sound and infalable judgment of Wall Street captains of finance. The most effective remedy is Lobskaus taken in liberal doses night and morning together with some Morgan pills, and during the treatment care should be taken so the patient reads nothing but the big dailies inspired by Wall Street If this direction is religiously followed the cure is certain. To cite one instance may be sufficient to prove this assertion. Before Congress assembled I was called in to treat the president as he was quite seriously affected, and after being treated as herein prescribed he was perfectly cured as shown in his last message. He dropped all ideas of his own as far as currency reform is concerned. Yours truly, —Specialist.

Upon receipt of the above letter I immediately applied to myself the prescribed remedy and I was cured in a remarkable short time. And when two such strenuous persons as the president and myself were cured there is no reason why the same treatment should not cure others, and being of a philanthropic heart and mind myself, I give the information for the benefit of a suffering public. And to show how hard my own case was I will herewith make public a letter I wrote the president under date of Nov. 16th—two weeks before congress assembled.

"Your Excellency, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States Wash., D. C.,—Being a great admirer of you personally, a warm friend of your policies, and a well wisher for your future achievements and success I herewith take the liberty of making a few suggestions, which if adopted I believe would not only stop the panic but tend to hasten the fulfillment of your highest expectations as a result of your policies.

To be plain, brief and concise I will confine my suggestions to two main propositions, namely, the distribution of government funds, and the basis for our future currency. Mr. President, I noticed the other day that you had ordered your secretary of the treasury to deposit still more of the government's money with banks and to place such money where it would do the most good. Now, it is a common knowledge that such deposits generally go to the biggest gamblers in Wall Street—to those very fellows who nourish and feed the panic-dragon for the very purpose of scaring the timid confidence-ghost out of the country whenever it suits their purpose. We farmers of the northwest are unable to see wherein gamblers are more deserving of government favors than we are, and in so far as placing government where they would do the most good I respectfully submit that nowhere could they do more good than being placed among the bachelor farmers of the wild and wooly west. Bachelordom, Mr. President, is the most complete form, shape and manner of the dreadful calamity you yourself have named race-suicide, and believe me, we bachelors are not race suiciders from choice. The world has not come our way—to use a common expression—and we need a helping hand. If the secretary of the treasury would distribute, say a few thousand dollars with every bachelor, I believe it would do more good for the country in general than anywhere else. It would enable them to do a little gambling in the matrimonial line, and instead of enforced race-suicide they would cheerfully comply with the Scriptural injunction to became fruitful and replenish the earth.. Our money basis should be the very best.

Now that the gold standard has been weighed and found wanting, and the chimera called confidence has proven itself to be like the Irishman's flea when you try to put your finger on it it is not there and, as is well known, the gamblers of Wall Street have for several years been clamoring for a set currency, it is time that our financial system be reformed in a sensible, wise and statesmanlike way. Some months ago, in a most eloquent and patriotic speech, you stated, Mr. President, that the very best asset any man possibly could have was a large family of boys and girls. Altho a bachelor myself, I agree with you, and if we are going to have an asset currency I believe it is pertinent to ask, why not base our currency on the very best asset any man can have? In the first place the very best ought to be good enough and furthermore, if we take a new start and practice in actual life our highest ideals and most beautiful theories, we would, as a nation, before long be leading a truer and nobler public life. But this is not all. I believe it to be self-evident that the very best asset as a basis for our currency would be the surest and most effective remedy for race-suicide. If a man could issue—say a thousand dollars on each one of his boys and girls, every marriageable man would take a hustle on himself and court a girl, and nobody would evermore think of curtailing the number of his family. It is true that boys sometimes run away with girls, but even so the tendency would only be to increase the basic asset. It would be a gain instead of a loss, and no panic could result from it as the case is now, whenever confidence takes a flight.

Hoping, Mr. President, that my suggestions will receive due consideration at your hands, and that you can see your way clear to embody them in your message to the coming session of congress, I remain, sir, your most obedient servant.

—Bachelor.

DEATH CLAIMS MINN. PIONEER

G. P. BITZER DIED AT HOME OF DAUGHTER, MRS KAUFMAN AGED 65 YEARS

New Years day brought sorrow instead of gladness to several homes in Minnesota, when G. P. Bitzer the father of Mrs. Jacob Kaufman of East Grand Forks died at his daughter's house yesterday afternoon. Mr. Bitzer or "Grandpa" Bitzer as he was familiarly called by all who knew him located at East Grand Forks about two years ago.

"Grandpa" Bitzer was born in Germany and was 65 years old at his death. He immigrated from the old country at the age of 37 and settled in Minneapolis where he lived until he went to East Grand Forks. The deceased leaves a wife and four children. Mrs. Bitzer is living with Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman. Two sons one from Davidson, Minn., and the other from Monticello, as well as a daughter from Minneapolis are expected to attend the funeral which will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the German Evangelical church in Grand Forks. The body will be interred in the Grand Forks cemetery.

Some dreams go by contraries, but the majority don't go at all.

It it wasn't for the fool and his money lots of wise guys would starve.

REGISTER'S REPORT SHOWS GRATIFYING CONDITIONS

RECEIPTS OF THE OFFICE ARE $1560.25 OVER AND ABOVE THE SALARY OF REGISTER OF DEEDS STAIR, DEPUTY THOMPSON AND ALL CLERKS—THE NUMBER OF MORTGAGES FILED IN PAST YEAR ARE 600 LESS THAN FOR 1906

The annual report of Register of Deeds Stair was completed the last day of the old year, which indicates keeping work up to date, and an inspection shows most gratifying conditions. The total receipts of the office are $1647.75 less than the year previous, and this is due principally to the fact that there were 600 less mortgages filed last year than in 1906 which is certainly a most pleasing indication. In all there were 1710 less papers filed last year than the year before, but the loss in fees on the mortgages alone would total about $800.

The total receipts of the office were $1560.25 over and above all salaries, and this amount goes into the general fund of Polk County. The report in full is as follows:

Annual Report of Fees Received

Crookston, Minn., Dec. 31, 1907.

To the County Board of Polk County, Minnesota:

Gentlemen:

The following is a full and correct statement of all Fees, Gratuities and Emoluments of whatever nature received by me as Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, Minnesota, for and during the full calendar year of 1907, to-wit:

Salary as Register of Deeds for the year,	$1500.00
Fees for recording 1375 Mortgages	1822.25
Fees for recording 1428 Satisfactions	869.75
Fees for recording 1640 Deeds	1390.50
Fees for recording 500 Assignments	306.00
Fees for recording 63 Patents	53.25
Fees for recording 101 Sheriff's Certificates	283.25
Fees for recording 18 Commissioners' Certificates	13.50
Fees for recording 42 Wills and Final Decrees	46.00
Final Receiver's Receipts	5.20
Fees for recording 29 Writs of Attachment	36.25
Fees for recording 13	
Fees for recording 32 Powers of Attorney	63.75
Fees for recording 60 Liens	60.25
Fees for recording 45 Lis Pendens	23.75
Fees for recording 32 Agreements	36.00
Fees for recording 9 Redemption Certificates	8.75
Fees for recording 20 Judgments & Decrees	18.75
Fees for recording 8 Plats	10.50
Fees for recording 16 Articles of Incorporation	17.00
Fees for recording 248 Miscellaneous	216.55
Fees for recording 4 Tax Certificates	2.75
(No fees charged) for recording 91 County Officers' Bonds & Appointments Town Treasurers' Bonds, Ditch Liens, Auditor's Plats and other papers for the County.	
Fees for making 5824. 44 certified Copies	76.25
Total	$5360.25

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

J. H. Stair, being first duly sworn, upon oath says the foregoing is a full and complete statement of all Fees, Gratuities and Emoluments of whatever nature received by me as such officer in connection with the work of my said office during said calendar year 1907.

—J. H Stair.

Subscribed and sworn to before me. this 31st day of December, A. D., 1907. (Register's Seal)

—T. A. Thompson,
Deputy Register of Deeds.

MORE EVIDENCE OF PLAN TO HOLD UP N. P.

THREE MEN SLEPT IN CULVERT AT CROSSING AND BOARDED N. P. SAME NIGHT GARRITY AND WADE WERE ARRESTED—GOT OFF AT HAROLD STATION AND NOT FINDING PALS CAME BACK TO CROOKSTON—GARRITY AND WADE LET OFF WITH FINE

That H. Garrity and Robert Wade who were arrested Monday evening while visiting a "plant" of revolvers and cartridges under the grand stand at the ball park near the N. P. depot were connected with a gang of train robbers who had intended holding up the southbound N. P. passenger the same evening is now certain from later developments.

When the N. P. passenger train arrived at Harold station, which is the first station east of here about 6 miles and where no agent or operator is located, on Monday evening, Section Boss Carlson who wa sstanding in the small shed in which the hand car is housed noticed three men get off the blind baggage. They appeared to be looking for some one, and after the train pulled out hesitated for some time and after walking about for some time and giving several shrill whistles started back towards Crookston on the railroad track.

Two miles and a half south and east of Crookston the N. P. crosses the G. N. and all trains stop there. The sewer pipe culverts are four feet in diameter, and Section Boss Bergstrom who runs between here and Harold station on Tuesday noticed fresh tracks leading to the culvert, and investigating found a bed made of hay inside the culvert, and which had been recently occupied.

On Monday evening no tickets were sold from here to Harold station and the conductor took none up for that point, so that it is certain that the three strangers who were seen to get off the blind baggage had boarded the train at the crossing and had intended co-operating with the pals who were arrested here, and when the latter did not show up they drilled back to the city to see what had happened.

Tuesday three strangers were seen hanging about the Great Northern depot by Agent Bell and he reported the matter to the police, but when the police put in an appearance the men were gone, and as the train for Fargo had just pulled out it is thought they headed in that direction. Garrity and Wade will be given a hearing today but the case will undoubtedly be adjourned in order to give time for further investigations.

Another clue was the finding yesterday of a freight bill, or rather a copy of a freight bill made out at West Union, Ia., or Decatur, Ill., and which Agent Handy says are a part of the office records of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul there, and must have been stolen. The bill was dated June 12 last. It was found tied around the branch of a tree near where the Colts revolvers were planted, and being a large piece of yellow paper made a very noticeable signal, and is believed to have had some significance to some members of the gang of robbers. Garrity and Wade were put in the sweat box and both closed up like clams, refusing to say a single word of any kind whatever.

Garrity and Wade were arraigned before Judge McLean this afternoon and discharged after paying a fine of $1 and costs each for loitering about public buildings.

OLD INDIAN SKULL IS FOUND NEAR EBRO

The coroner and sheriff at Blackduck were notified last night that the head of a man was sticking out of a swamp near Ebro. Early this morning they drove down to the swamp and found a skull of what the doctors here think is an Indian. As the trunk of the body could not be found, it is thought that the head drifted in from an adjoining lake.—Bemidji Pioneer.

ORDER IS REVERSED

CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON ARGUES SUCCESSFULLY IN BEHALF OF

ABOUT 100 HOMESTEADERS IN THIS SECTION BENEFITTED BY ORDER

At the conclusion of an argument made by Congressman Halver Steenerson in Washington Saturday, Secretary Garfield reversed an order of the general land office whereby about 100 settlers in northern Minnesota, whose homestead entries were held for cancellation will be granted patents. The secretary ordered that the lands be patented to entrymen who had complied with all requirements of the department prior to last January. At that time a ruling was made requiring 14 months continuous residence on homestead lands.

Fred Lidgell, who was one of the entrymen, had resided for 8 months on his land and had also been credited with the usual six months constructive residence, and when his entry was rejected on the ground that he had failed to live on the land for 14 months he took an appeal with, 100 others. Congressman Steenerson told Secretary Garfield this morning that unless the ruling was reversed he would take the matter before congress About 16,000 acres of land are effected.

OFFICERS AND TEACHERS MEET

FOR MARSHALL COUNTY AT STEPHEN ON JANUARY THE THIRTEENTH

January 13th a meeting of school officers and teachers of Marshall Co., will be held at the high school at Stephen also the regular meeting of the Marshall County Teachers' Association There will be prominent educators present, among whom will be State Superintendent of Schools, J. W. Olsen; Pres. Weld, of Moorhead Normal Supt. Hay, of Thief River Falls; Supt. Keenan of Warren; and many others.

KILLED MINK AT KIEWEL BREWERY

James Johnson, fireman at the Kiewel Brewery killed a large and fine mink this morning in the engine room shortly after he came to work. How the animal got in there is a mystery, but probably dug thru from the river bank. The skin is worth a goodly sum. There have been very few mink caught in this section in recent years, tho in the early days there was a large number trapped.

Moodiness

Moodiness indulged in becomes a disease. One who has failed to conceal moods that lie like a fog over family and friends, has failed to learn an elementary lesson in self-control No one can avoid moods, but can avoid displaying them. A duty you owe yourself and family is to serve daily with your meals a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. It will nourish your nerves and enrich your blood. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

BACK FROM IDAHO—J. A. Barrette returned this morning from a fortnight's visit in the West, the most of the time was spent at Twin Falls where his folks reside. He reporrts having enjoyed a very pleasant trip and left all the Crookston contingent doing nicely and well pleased with their new surroundings.

Correspondence

TERREBONNE

On the 15th of December a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marcellin Thibert. Peter Lundy and Miss Agnes Gaudet stood for the child.

Rev. Fr. Veilleux spent the week visiting his parishioners in town and out.

A fine church musical program was executed Christmas in the George Dupont and Edmund Prudhome. Some rendered beautiful symphonies on the violin, while Miss Ida Wolf played the organ. Miss Zélia Quesnell and Miss Marie Perrault charmed the audience with their appropriate hymn.

FIGHT SHY OF POOL-ROOMS

CHIEF OF POLICE WILL SEE THAT MINORS AND STUDENTS OF CITY

ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PLAY—BY ORDER OF THE CITY ATTORNEY

From Monday's Daily—

Chief of Police Eck was notified today by City Atty. O'Brien that the law prohibiting boys under the age of 21 and all students to patronize pool rooms would be strictly enforced, and that proprietors of pool rooms who permitted them to do so would have trouble in having their licenses renewed if this order was not carried out to the letter

Yesterday a number of boys were absent from Sunday school and it developed that some of them were playing pool by the parents and teachers who investigated.

NEW RESERVATION PHYSICIAN NAMED

SUCCESSOR TO DR. RODWELL ARRIVES AT CASS LAKE FROM OKLAHOMA

Dr. W. H. Smith who was appointed to fill the position of Indian Physician for the Cass and Leech Lake Indians, made vacant by Dr. Rodwell's retirement to another field, arrived in Cass Lake last Saturday and at once began dealing out advice and medicines to his subjects. Dr. Smith is a man of good address, hails from Oklahoma but is a bred and born Michigander hailing from the city of Grand Rapids. His office has been thronged with Indians since his arrival and if the government stock of drugs holds out every Indian on the reservation ought soon to be well. The people of Cass Lake cordially extend to the new doctor all the courtesies due him and his profession.

ROSEAU CO. PAID 456 WOLF BOUNTIES

AN INCREASE OF 24 OVER THE YEAR 1906—BOUNTY IS $7.50 EACH

The county auditor of Roseau county reports a total of 456 wolves for which bounty was paid during 1907. Of this number 50 were cubs and 406 adult wolves. Bounty was paid on 532 in 1906.

ENDS FAMOUS IDAHO TRIALS

ACQUITTAL IN PETTIBONE CASE MARKS LIMIT OF STATE'S EFFORTS.

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 7.—The end of the prosecution of the men charged with the murder of Former Governor Frank Steunenberg, with the exception of the cases of Harry Orchard and Jack Simpkins, came Saturday with the acquittal of George A. Pettibone. Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who was under indictment with Pettibone and Haywood for the murder of Gov. Steunenberg, was formally released Saturday afternoon and in a few days he will return with Pettibone to Denver.

The case of Orchard, the self-confessed assassin of Steunenberg, is in the hands of Prosecuting Attorney Vanduyn of Canyon county. No statement as to the future procedure in the case has been made, but it will be called during the next term of the court at Caldwell, when it will probably be disposed of finally.

Simpkins, a member of the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners, who is charged with complicity in the crime, is a fugitive from justice and the charge against him will stand.

The verdict freeing Pettibone was reached after fourteen hours' deliberation and was received without any demonstration in the court room.

Pettibone, pale and emaciated because of his long illness, merely smiled as he heard of his freedom, and a moment later he was surrounded by his attorneys and friends.

BIG AUCTION SALE AT EUCLID

There will be a large auction held at Euclid on Thursday January 16 by S. E. Raffaty on his farm in section 12 of that town. There will be a large number of horses, cattle, sheep, chickens, buggies and farm implements put on sale by Auctioneer Hitchcock and will go at what is bid. Sale to begin at one o'clock.

A THRILLING PHENOMENON

FALLING STAR SATURDAY CAUSED CONSIDERABLE CONSTERNATION

LIGHT AS DAY FOR A FEW SECONDS—ALL OBJECTS GIVEN BLUISH TINGE

One of the most thrilling phenomenon ever witnessed in this section startled people of Crookston who happened to be out-of-doors Saturday evening last about 15 minutes of eight o'clock.

It was in the form of a falling star, or some other heavenly body, and those who witnessed it thought it was about half of the milky way falling earthward. It was as light as day for a period of about 30 seconds, though it is very probable that the real time that elapsed was not more than four or five seconds.

The streak of light appeared in the western heavens, slightly south of west, and increased in breadth till those witnessing it were seized with a terrible fear. Finally when apparently close to the earth it burst like a Roman candle, and a second later prevailed.

The specially awesome feature was that the brilliant light gave everything a bluish tint, and while buildings could be distinguished at a long distance everything looked as tho it had received a recent application of indigo water

Hack horses standing on the street reared and snorted, and J. L Anderson a farmer enroute home after a visit to the city lost control of his team which ran madly for about two miles toward home after being startled by the strange occurrence.

A number of people in the city were badly frightened, never having witnessed anything like the demonstration in the heavens before. The light was so brilliant that it was blinding for a few seconds and a very peculiar thing about it was that the star or whatever it was seemed a bright red while the reflection gave everything a distinct blue tinge.

A stranger in the city, who had witnessed a falling star or meteor, portions of which fell on his farm, was of the opinion that the heavenly body landed less than ten miles from Crookston, but no trace of anything of the sort could be secured thru inquiry of the farmers along the rural telephone rural routes leading from this city in that direction.

MC KNIGHT CASE WAS DISMISSED

The case against Russell McKnight accused of stealing an overcoat and a violin from Peter Peltier a short time ago was dismissed in Judge McLean's Court today Both were returned to the owner and there was no evidence against McKnight. He claimed he got the coat off the Great Northern warehouse, and Walter Millette to whom the violin was sold says the defendant was not the man who sold it to him.

SILVER GRAY FOX PELT $90

Sung-a-na-gee-shig brought in to Cass Lake a fox skin the other day which he thought was a silver fox. Some doubts were expressed on that point however, but it certainly was a pretty looking animal. He sold it to H. D. Latendres of that village, for $90. Should it prove to be a real silver fox it is worth at least $150.

Iowa Tar Killed in Gotham.

Webster City, Iowa, Jan. 8.—Daniel Wren of this city yesterday received a telegram from the navy department announcing the sudden death of his son George, who was in the navy. The young man was killed in New York city by a train.

Dana to Quit La Crosse.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 8.—Because of poor support, it is announced that Prof. Frank G. Dana, bandmaster of the Third Regiment band, W. N. G., will leave La Crosse.

LARGE STOCK AT THE AKELEY LUMBER CO'S. YARD

The inventory of stock lately completed by the Red River Lumber Co., places the amount of lumber in their yards at Akeley at 45,000,000 feet. This is more than has ever been in the yard at one time before.

This is Worth Remembering

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

J. O. RINDAL IS CHAIRMAN

COMMISSIONERS OF POLK COUNTY ORGANIZED FOR YEAR THIS MORNING

BEN CLEMENTS V. P. — COMMITTEES WILL NOT BE NAMED TILL TOMORROW

From Tuesday's Daily—

The board of county commissioners met this morning in regular session and proceeded to organize for the year by the election of J. O. Rindal as chairman and Ben Clements vice chairman. Chairman Rindal will announce his committee assignments tomorrow morning.

There was a petition for a hearing for the organization of a new school district in the town of Eden and it was granted, the date to be named later.

John Olson also petitioned to be set off from District 18 and attached to school district 28 in the Town of Lowell

that the state auditor abate the taxes

The commissioners recommended on the G. A. R. hall in this city.

The commissioners will open the bids for county printing tomorrow and expect to clean the slate and adjourn tomorrow evening.

COUNTY AUDITORS MEET JAN. 21

WILL GATHER IN HENNEPIN COUNTY COURT HOUSE IN ANNUAL SESSION

State Auditor Iverson notified County Auditor Hoffard by letter this morning of the annual meeting of the county auditors of the state which will be held this year in the Hennepin county court house, in Minneapolis Thursday Jan. 21. At the meeting last year, which Mr. Hoffard attended there was a great deal done toward making the work thruout the counties of the state more uniform, and another step forward will without doubt be taken at the meeting to be held this year.

TWINE RECEIPTS $900,000 DOLLARS

BOARD OF CONTROL HELD MEETING AT STILLWATER PRISON

The receipts of the state for convict made twine in 1907 amounted to over $900,000 and will soon have pass ed the million dollar mark. Farmers are meeting their notes promptly and the receipts are heavy every day There are ten applications for paroles, five of them being new ones.

SOME CHANGES OF G N. EMPLOYES

Owing to the new arrangements in the local G. N. offices here Napoleon Rapin will henceforth have complete charge of the transfer work under Agent J. J. Burke. The recent cut among the office force of the entire road has taken from the transfer the assistance of two men. Altho the total tonnage of the local Great Northern freight yards exceeded the total tonnage of last year by many hundred tons and the per ton cost of handling has been still further less than at any other time in the history of the road, slashes have been made in many of the departments of the company's administration. The Barnesville freight has been withdrawn and the regular freight of the road will be taken care of by the extras.

HOMESTAKE MILL BURNS.

Damage of $5,000 Is Laid to Boys' Smoking.

Deadwood, S. D., Jan. 7.—Fire in the Homestake stamp mill of the Homestake company threatened the destruction of the mill. The boiler room and the change room were ruined, and the mill will be out of commission for two days. It treats one-fifth of the output of the company and is the oldest mill here. The fire may have been the result of boys smoking in the change room. The loss is nearly $5,000.

WISCONSIN MAN KILLED.

Thought That He Fell From a Train and Was Run Over.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—The body of Lyman W. Barber, secretary of the Standard Car Truck company and formerly a manufacturer of Beaver Dam, Wis., was found on the tracks of the South Side Elevated Railroad company early yesterday morning.

$36,000 FOR POLK CO. FARM

RICHARDSON FARM SOLD BY GEO M. HARDING OF CROOKSTON FOR $45 PER ACRE

MRS. LILLIAN M. RINGSDORF OF HURON S. D. WAS THE PURCHASER

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday a deal was completed for the sale of the L. B. Richardson farm north of Fisher by Geo. M. Harding, real estate dealer of this city, to Mrs. Lillian M. Ringsdorf of Huron, S. D. wife of Warren M. Ringsdorf, the couple formerly having resided at Green Bay, Wis.

The farm consists of 800. acres of land and good buildings, and was sold for $45 per acre, making a total of $36,000, and the deal was spot cash.

Mr Harding worked on the deal for some time and finally landed it. It is one of the biggest deals made in sev- months in which Polk county dirt is involved.

The Richardson farm is one of the best in the county, and good buildings are located on it. Mr. and Mrs. Ringsdorf will be in Crookston in a short time and will operate the farm themselves tho they may not remain here all the time.

The people who realize that Polk County lands will never be cheaper are the ones who are buying now. There is no question but what there will be a substantial advance in prices during the coming summer, and much of the land now for sale will be withdrawn from the market.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS

Do not Endanger Life when a Crookston Citizen shows You the Cure

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney somplaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness headaches, languor, why allow them selves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use. because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

If you have any, even one of the symptoms of kidney diseases, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Read this Crookston testimony.

R. G. Burkhardt, bookkeeper at sheriff's office, and living at 309 Fifth St., E., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is with sincere pleasure that I endorse Doan's Kidney Pills, which proved their remarkable value by removing pains of a rheumatic nature from my back and limbs. I was also greatly bothered with a weakness ofthe kidneys. The disordered nature of the secretions showed that the kidneys were the seat of the whole trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended by some of our town people that I procured a box at Wallace's drug store and began using them. I improved immediately and continued their use until the pains had disappeared. I can get a good night's rest now with out being disturbed by symptoms of kidney trouble, and my present improved health attests to the sterling merits of Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and ake on other

PATALLY BURNED.

Prominent Girl Student at Wisconsin U Is Burned to Death.

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G. N. Flowage Case

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In connection with this and other G. N. Cases which will be called at once. Claim Agent Jorden is here together with Atty J. D. Mason of Fergus Falls, Dr. Gilbert of Cass Lake, Agent E. E. Chamberlain and Wm. Eckstein of Cass Lake.

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New York, Jan. 15—The attorneys of Harry K. Thaw, at the trial yesterday began relentlessly to build up a case of legal insanity which they have interposed in his behalf as a defense for the killing of Stanford White. The two principal witnesses were Prof. Charles H. Koehler of Winona, Minn who acted as instructor to Thaw in Wooster, Ohio, university in 1886 and Mrs. Amy Grosette, of San Mateo, California who attended Thaw as a trained nurse at Monte Carlo in 1897. They both told of the young man's eccentricities and declared that his manner always was irrational.

After the state had presented its case and Assistant Attorney Garvan had characterized the killing of Stanford White as "a premeditated, deliberate and cowardly murder," Martin W. Littleton, for the defense, made the opening plea for the prisoner. His promise of new evidence was sensational and held the supreme attention of all in the court room. Mr. Littleton promised to forge a chain of circumstances and to produce a line of testimony which will prove Harry K. Thaw insane at the time of the homicide.

Has New Evidence.

Evidence of hereditary insanity and of strange, unusual acts of Thaw, not even hinted at during the first trial, was told of by Mr. Littleton, who said that physicians and nurses who had attended Thaw were hurrying here from Europe; that teachers of the defendant from childhood would be on hand to give their impressions of "the wide-eyed, distant boy." In conclusion Mr. Littleton challenged the district attorney to produce a single reputable physician who would say Thaw was not insane at the time he killed the noted architect. Mr. Littleton's speech fairly bristled with surprises.

Springs Sensation.

He startled the court room by declaring that when Evelyn Nesbit had told him her story in Paris in 1903 Thaw "drenched himself with poison" and would have died but for the heroic work of three physicians who labored over him all of one night. Mr. Jerome had his surprise to offer, too, and when Mr. Littleton started to launch into the relations of Stanford White with the girl whom Thaw married, the district attorney was on his feet with an objection. Justice Dowling sustained him, and the name of the architect was not linked again with that of the defendant's wife.

Keep Evelyn's Story Out.

Littleton touched but lightly upon the girl's story as she told it to Thaw, but, careful as he was on this point, he again drew an objection from the prosecuting officer. Again Justice Dowling sustained the objection.

It was reported at the beginning of the trial that Mr. Jerome would fight this year to exclude the testimony of young Mrs. Thaw. Mr. Littleton spared neither Thaw nor his family in his recital of the defendant's life history. During the speech Thaw sat wide-eyed and pallid, looking fixedly at his counsel. The outline of the defense was generally considered as reflecting a determination on the part of Thaw's attorneys to prove him insane in 1906 regardless of all consequences.

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Baseball Pitcher Engages in a Row and Has Throat Cut.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 15 — With throat cut from ear to ear Pat Seay, a pitcher for St. Joseph and Omaha, in the Western league, and for Rock Island, in the Three-I's, was taken to a hospital last night, where he is reported dying.

James Troutman, recently released from the penitentiary, gave himself up, saying he cut Seay. Troutman engaged in an altercation with a waiter in the Colorado house. He said Seay struck him and he then slashed Seay's throat.

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Tramp Is Supposed to Have Murdered His Companion, a Farmer Boy.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 15.—With the back of the head crushed, the body of Keevil Albring, son of A. J. Albring, a prairie farmer, was found on a country road near Hillyard, a suburb.

On Dec. 24. young Albring and a tramp companion started to this town, leaving Hillyard shortly after noon. Two hours later a rancher driving homeward met the tramp riding alone in the wagon. The tramp has disappeared.

DEBATE ON BOND ISSUE

Further Controversy Postponed Until Secretary Cortelyou Is Heard From.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The recent issue of bonds by the secretary of the treasury for the purpose of relieving the financial stringency was the subject of an animated debate in the senate yesterday. The discussion was precipitated by an inquiry by Senator Culberson, and was participated in by Senators Aldrich, Tillman and Bailey. It resulted in an agreement to postpone further controversy until a statement can be received from Secretary Cortelyou.

The senate passed Senator Tillman's resolution calling on the interstate commerce commission for information concerning purchases by railroad companies of stocks of competing roads.

Vigorous defense of state's rights in dealing with violations of civil rights or with special state elections where troops have been called into service, served to enliven the debate in the house of representatives yesterday in connection with the consideration of the bill to codify the penal laws of the United States.

The bill was still under consideration when at 5:02 p. m. the house adjourned.

WANT THE RATES CUT

Loftus and La Follette File Petition With Interstate Commission.

Washington, Jan. 15.—G. S. Loftus of St. Paul, accompanied by Senator La Follette, filed with the interstate commerce commission yesterday a petition asking for a reduction of 25 per cent in the lower berth rates of the Pullman company and the fixing of the rates for upper berths at one-half that of the lower berth rate. The reduction is asked on all interstate business throughout the United States.

HAVING CHILLS

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Chicago, Jan. 15.—Influenza has Chicago firmly in its grasp. Nearly 650,000 people are suffering from this disease or its "corollaries," according to the city health department's weekly bulletin, issued last night.

"Not since the epidemic season of 1898-99 has influenza played such an important part in the mortality as at present," said the report.

During the last week thirty-one deaths from this disease were reported.

RAISE DEBT IN AN HOUR.

Winnebago Methodists Quickly Take Burden From New Church.

Winnebago, Minn., Jan. 15.—Bishop Joseph F. Berry of Buffalo, N. Y., preached an able dedicatory sermon in the new First Methodist Episcopal church, which cost, including basement, $16,000. At its conclusion the indebtedness on the building was found to be $6,000. This sum was raised in less than one hour's time.

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Nature of New Evidence Promised by the Defense Startles the Court Room.

TO PROVE THAW WAS INSANE

Jerome Shuts Out Story of Relations Between White and Mrs. Evelyn Thaw.

New York, Jan. 15—The attorneys of Harry K. Thaw, at the trial yesterday began relentlessly to build up a case of legal insanity which they have interposed in his behalf as a defense for the killing of Stanford White. The two principal witnesses were Prof. Charles H. Koehler of Winona, Minn who acted as instructor to Thaw in Wooster, Ohio, university in 1886 and Mrs. Amy Grosette, of San Mateo, California who attended Thaw as a trained nurse at Monte Carlo in 1897. They both told of the young man's eccentricities and declared that his manner always was irrational.

After the state had presented its case and Assistant Attorney Garvan had characterized the killing of Stanford White as "a premeditated, deliberate and cowardly murder," Martin W. Littleton, for the defense, made the opening plea for the prisoner. His promise of new evidence was sensational and held the supreme attention of all in the court room. Mr. Littleton promised to forge a chain of circumstances and to produce a line of testimony which will prove Harry K. Thaw insane at the time of the homicide.

Has New Evidence.

Evidence of hereditary insanity and of strange, unusual acts of Thaw, not even hinted at during the first trial, was told of by Mr. Littleton, who said that physicians and nurses who had attended Thaw were hurrying here from Europe; that teachers of the defendant from childhood would be on hand to give their impressions of "the wide-eyed, distant boy." In conclusion Mr. Littleton challenged the district attorney to produce a single reputable physician who would say Thaw was not insane at the time he killed the noted architect. Mr. Littleton's speech fairly bristled with surprises.

Springs Sensation.

He startled the court room by declaring that when Evelyn Nesbit had told him her story in Paris in 1903 Thaw "drenched himself with poison" and would have died but for the heroic work of three physicians who labored over him all of one night. Mr. Jerome had his surprise to offer, too, and when Mr. Littleton started to launch into the relations of Stanford White with the girl whom Thaw married, the district attorney was on his feet with an objection. Justice Dowling sustained him, and the name of the architect was not linked again with that of the defendant's wife.

Keep Evelyn's Story Out.

Littleton touched but lightly upon the girl's story as she told it to Thaw, but, careful as he was on this point, he again drew an objection from the prosecuting officer. Again Justice Dowling sustained the objection.

It was reported at the beginning of the trial that Mr. Jerome would fight this year to exclude the testimony of young Mrs. Thaw. Mr. Littleton spared neither Thaw nor his family in his recital of the defendant's life history. During the speech Thaw sat wide-eyed and pallid, looking fixedly at his counsel. The outline of the defense was generally considered as reflecting a determination on the part of Thaw's attorneys to prove him insane in 1906 regardless of all consequences.

ENCOUNTER WAS FATAL

Baseball Pitcher Engages in a Row and Has Throat Cut.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 15 — With throat cut from ear to ear Pat Seay, a pitcher for St. Joseph and Omaha, in the Western league, and for Rock Island, in the Three-I's, was taken to a hospital last night, where he is reported dying.

James Troutman, recently released from the penitentiary, gave himself up, saying he cut Seay. Troutman engaged in an altercation with a waiter in the Colorado house. He said Seay struck him and he then slashed Seay's throat.

HEAD WAS CRUSHED.

Tramp Is Supposed to Have Murdered His Companion, a Farmer Boy.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 15.—With the back of the head crushed, the body of Keevil Albring, son of A. J. Albring, a prairie farmer, was found on a country road near Hillyard, a suburb.

On Dec. 24, young Albring and a tramp companion started to this town, leaving Hillyard shortly after noon. Two hours later a rancher driving homeward met the tramp riding alone in the wagon. The tramp has disappeared.

DEBATE ON BOND ISSUE

Further Controversy Postponed Until Secretary Cortelyou Is Heard From.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The recent issue of bonds by the secretary of the treasury for the purpose of relieving the financial stringency was the subject of an animated debate in the senate yesterday. The discussion was precipitated by an inquiry by Senator Culberson, and was participated in by Senators Aldrich, Tillman and Bailey. It resulted in an agreement to postpone further controversy until a statement can be received from Secretary Cortelyou.

The senate passed Senator Tillman's resolution calling on the interstate commerce commission for information concerning purchases by railroad companies of stocks of competing roads.

Vigorous defense of state's rights in dealing with violations of civil rights or with special state elections where troops have been called into service, served to enliven the debate in the house of representatives yesterday in connection with the consideration of the bill to codify the penal laws of the United States.

The bill was still under consideration when at 5:02 p. m. the house adjourned.

WANT THE RATES CUT

Loftus and La Follette File Petition With Interstate Commission.

Washington, Jan. 15.—G. S. Loftus of St. Paul, accompanied by Senator La Follette, filed with the interstate commerce commission yesterday a petition asking for a reduction of 25 per cent in the lower berth rates of the Pullman company and the fixing of the rates for upper berths at one-half that of the lower berth rate. The reduction is asked on all interstate business throughout the United States.

HAVING CHILLS

650,000 Persons Suffering From Influenza, Says Health Bulletin.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Influenza has Chicago firmly in its grasp. Nearly 650,000 people are suffering from this disease or its "corollaries," according to the city health department's weekly bulletin, issued last night.

"Not since the epidemic season of 1898-99 has influenza played such an important part in the mortality as at present," said the report.

During the last week thirty-one deaths from this disease were reported.

RAISE DEBT IN AN HOUR.

Winnebago Methodists Quickly Take Burden From New Church.

Winnebago, Minn., Jan. 15.—Bishop Joseph F. Berry of Buffalo, N. Y., preached an able dedicatory sermon in the new First Methodist Episcopal church, which cost, including basement, $16,000. At its conclusion the indebtedness on the building was found to be $6,000. This sum was raised in less than one hour's time.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills known. Sold by A. G Andersen.

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GREAT POULTRY SHOW ON IN CROOKSTON 29-31 FEB. 1

The Fourth Annual Exhibition of the Red River Valley Poultrymen's Association will be held in Crookston Jan. 29-30-31 and Feb 1 and the exhibit is one that should arouse general interest. A great deal has been said and done looking towards the improvement of the condition of the farmer. Columns have been written and thousands of dollars expended for the betterment of seed grain, the improvement of breeds of hogs, cattle, horses, sheep, etc., and none are more important than an improvement of the breeding of chickens, the income from which, if properly cared for, will bring as great clear profit in relation to the investment, as any of them.

Following is the official program, together with a list of the Association officers and other information for the benefit of the public and exhibitors. The exhibit will be held in the Tvedten building on North Broadway formerly occupied by Sauve's Hardware store.

OFFICERS:

T. J. COUCH, President.	Grand Forks, N. D.
F. C. MITCHELL, 1st Vice Pres.,	Crookston, Minn.
H. HEWISTON, 2nd Vice President,	Grand Forks, North Dakota
J. W. LEWIS, Sec'y-Treasurer.	Crookston, Minnesota.

BOARD OF MANAGERS—CONSISTS OF THE OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Superintendent —W. G. FULLER.

GENERAL INFORMATION

All stock must be sent prepaid. Each coop must be plainly marked using tags furnished by the secretary.

All birds will be seal banded by the Association free of charge.

The score card will be used at this exhibition.

Exhibitors should read the rules carefully.

Courtesies to the Press.

The usual courtesies will be extended to the members of the Press, and a cordial invitation is extended to the editorial fraternity to be present.

Admission Free.

RULES GOVERNING COMPETITION

Rule 1—Entries. Competition open to all.

Premium lists and entry blanks will be furnished free by the secretary or any member of the association.

All entries must be made on the proper blank, and be in the hands of the secretary by 9:00 o'clock P. M., January 29, 1908.

Rule 2—Form of Entries. There will be two forms of entry. First single specimens, cock, hen, cockerel and ullet. Those over one year old shall be considered cock or hen; under one year old, cockerel or pullet. Second, as exhibition pen, which shall consist of one male and four females of the same variety. All single birds entered for competition shall be eligible for pen competition if the additional entry fee on pen is paid; but no bird shall compete for pen premium unless entered as single specimen also.

Rule 3—Entry Fee. Single specimen, 25c. Breeding Pens, $1.00 additional. **All exhibition coops free of charge thruout entire show.**

Fowls not in competition, 10 cents each.

All entry fees must be paid in full No attention will be given entries not accompanied by the proper fees. No specimens will be allowed in the hall, except such as are duly entered on the books of the association.

Mail all entries and make all remittances payable to John W. Lewis, Secretary-Treasurer, Crookston, Minn.

Rule 4—Ownership. All specimens competing for prizes must be entered in the name of the owner. Those entered in any other name than that of the actual owner will forfeit all prizes won by said exhibitor.

Rule 5—Leg Bands. Every specimen must be marked with a numbered band securely fastened about the leg, and the number thereon entered on the entry blank, opposite the entry in the space provided therefor.

Rule 6—Advertising. Exhibitors will be allowed to advertise as freely as they wish, on or about their own coops only, after the birds have been passed on by the judge, but not before. This rule will be strictly observed.

Rule 7—Sales. Exhibitors, particularly those who cannot attend, are urged to name on the entry blank, in space provided therefor, prices for birds they wish to sell. No charge will be made for selling birds on which an entry fee has been paid. All prizes and score cards for birds sold during the show, whether before or after being scored, go to the person making the entry unless otherwise agreed on.

Rule 8—Shipping Directions. All exhibits shall be shipped to the Red River Valley Poultry Association, Crookston, Minn. The express charges must be fully prepaid.

Rule 9—Conditioning. All specimens must be exhibited in their natural state, except games and game bantams, which may be trimmed and docked.

Rule 10—All birds will be weighed as soon as practicable after arrival.

Diseased or severely injured specimens will not be exhibited, but will receive prompt treatment and be returned to the owner. Out-of-town exhibitors will have prompt notice mailed them, giving condition of their exhibit, when received.

Rule 11—Care of Exhibits. Owners unable to attend are assured that their exhibits will receive the best care. Attendants will feed, water and care for exhibits free of cost.

The association will not be responsible for loss by fire or theft, but will provide a watchman who will use all diligence and care to prevent any loss or damage.

Rule 12—Handling. No persons except those authorized will be permitted to handle any birds except their own. This is imperative. Anyone so doing will forfeit all his premiums and score cards.

Rule 13—Removals. No specimens can be removed from the hall without the knowledge and consent of the superintendent.

Rule 14—Scoring. The judge will be governed solely by the Revised American Standard of Perfection.

Each specimen scoring 86 points or over will be entitled to a score card.

PREMIUMS IN ALL POULTRY CLASSES.

Rule 15—Awards. No premiums will be awarded where birds or pens fail to score as follows:

First Premium Birds must score not less than 90 points.
Second Premium Birds must score not less than 89 points.
Third Premium Birds must score not less than 88 points.

Rule 16—First Premium Pen must score 180; Second Premium Pen must score 179; Third Premium Pen must score 178.

REGULAR PRIZES—Single Classes.

16 entries in class—First, $2.00; Second, $1.50; Third, $1.00.
12 entries in class—First, $1 50; Second, $1.00; Third, 50c.
9 entries in class—First, $1.00; Second, 75c; Third, 50c.
6 entries in class—First, 75c; Second 50c; Third, 25c.
3 entries in class—First, 50c; Second, 25c.
1 entry in class—25c.

1st, 2nd and 3rd awards will receive ribbons also Certificates of Merit.

Pen Prizes.

6 entries in class—First, $3.00; Second, $2.00; Third, $1.00.
1 entry in class—$1.00.
3 entries in class—First $1.50; Second, 75c; Third, 50c.

Sweepstakes—Members Only.

$15.00 for highest scoring Hen any variety.
$10.00 for highest scoring Pullet any variety.

THE PIGEON DEPARTMENT.

The Pigeon Department is subject to the same Rules and Regulations as those governing the Poultry Department, except when in conflict with any of the following rules:

Special space will be provided for this department.

No entry fee will be charged.

Exhibitors will furnish their own exhibition coops.

Premiums in this Department will be awarded as follows:

First Premium, 75c; Second Premium 50c; Third Premium 25c.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

The folowing special premiums are contributed by the Prussian Remedy Co., of St. Paul, Minn., through their agent, Model Poultry Yards, F. C. Mitchell, Prop., Crookston, Minn.

Best Pen White Plymouth Rocks, one 50c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.

Best Pen Buff Plymouth Rocks, one 50c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.

Best Pen Golden Wyandottes, one 50c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.

Best Pen Barred Plymouth Rocks, one 50c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.

Best Pen White Leghorns, one 25c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.
Best Pen Light Brahmas, one 25c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.
Best Pen Dark Brahmas, one 25c package Prussian Poultry Tonic.
Best Pen Brown Leghorns, one 50c package Prussian Liquid Lice
Best Pen Brown Leghorns, one 50c package Prussian Liquid Lice Killer.
Best Pen Spangled Hamburgs, one 50c package Prussian Lice Killer
Best Pen Black Minorcas, one 25c package Prussian Lice Powder.
Best Pen Cornish Games, one 25c package Prussian Lice Powder.
Best Pen Golden Seabright Bantams, one 25c package Prussian Lice Killer.

For the largest number of coops displayed by one person, one $1.00 package of Prussian Poultry Tonic.

Silver Cup—for 3 highest scoring pens any one variety
Silver Cup—for 5 best game birds.
Silver Cup—for 10 highest scoring birds exhibited by farmer.

1 Boy's Sweater for best display of pigeons, given by Ruettell Clothing Co.

1 Girl's Sweater for best display of bantams, given by Ruettell Clothing Co.

From Over The Valley

RED LAKE COUNTY COUPLE CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING

Monday the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Parbst who reside west of Thief River Falls and of Mr. and Mrs. Parbst's. wedding, and they were pleasantly surprised by a large number of their friends and neighbors. They reside west of T. R. Falls. Some 44 guests were present and all had a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Parbst were married at Skan, Norway, and have recided in Red Lake County since 1885. They are held in universal high esteem.

COMMISSIONER BROWN RECEIVES FINAL PROOFS

The following made final proof before Commissioner Brown of Shevlin, Monday: Geo. S. Fletcher, Adolph W. Gustafson, John Gramer and the heirs of Knud Overland by Ole Overland of Henning, Minn.

FINAL PROOF NOTICES MADE AT GREENBUSH

The following made final proof of their homesteads this week, viz: Gustaf Anderson, Zakarias Hamberg, William Moser, Maline Nygaard, August Polczynski, Martin A. Olson, before U. S. Commissioner Sanders of Greenbush.

LUMBER JACK FROZE HIS FOOT

Michael Griffin who was working at the landing at Pine Island, last week got his right foot wet which froze in a short time. He was brought here and Saturday was sent to the hospital at Bemidji He will probably lose two toes.—Blackduck Enterprise.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT MIDDLE RIVER

The Eastern Marshall County Teachers' Association will convene on Friday Jan. 31, at Middle River for a two days session as at that time there will be a teachers' examination in addition to the regular business of the association. There will be a dance too in honor of the occasion.

CHOSE DEATH BY HANGING IN PREFERENCE TO ILLNESS

Fearing another attack of nervousness coming on her again, that she had several years ago, Mrs. Wm. Williston, residing ten miles south of Kelso, Traill Co., N. D., committed suicide yesterday by hanging herself in the granary. Her husband who had gone to Hunter for a doctor, arrived a short time after her death. A daughter went to look for her mother, finding her hanging with a wire around her neck fastened to a nail.

MISSING HANDCAR IS FOUND AT CAVALIER

The handcar used by the Walhalla, N. D., burglars and safe blowers yesterday morning, was found today at Cavalier. This would indicate that the men left the railroad track at that place and by this time have gotten well away from the scene of their work. Officials are doing everything possible to capture the men who committed the job.

COUNTY AUDITOR WHO HAS AN INSTRUCTIVE CALENDAR

"Spaug's Almanac" as County Auditor M. A. Spaug's calendars are called has reached us. These calendars have all the data which a taxpayer ought to know about his county and all the important periods of tax and legal transactions having to do with the auditor's office and other offices. In a separate tab leaves are to be torn off when the month leaf is expired and there is shown for each month what is to be done by the auditor and the county board and the taxpayer. It is a useful work saving the citizen much time in hunting up what he wants to know, and the work shows the official to be alert to the duties of his office. —Deer River News.

WEEDING OUT THE TUBERCULOSIS HERDS OF COWS

A representative of the state dairy department has been testing the herds of the Moorhead milkmen, and the result is that 120 cows out of a total of 271 have been condemned as tuberculer. The cows were in three herds, and supplied the city with milk. All of those condemned have been shipped to St. Paul and slaughtered. The state pays the owners two-thirds of their appraised valuation. They receive about $20 for each cow killed.

GRAND FORKS PRINTERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

The Grand Forks Typographical union installed new officers at a regular meeting, held Sunday afternoon. The new officers:

President—J. J. O'Donnell.
Vice Pres.—J. P. Fahnlander.
Sec.-Treas.—A. J. Tagley.
Sergeant-at-Arms—J. N. Murray.
Executive Committee—Ernest Harding, W. H. Ford and Harry Hunter.
Auditors—W. E. Sheppard and J. P. Fahnlander.

LUMBERMAN, BANKER AND MINING MAN LAID TO REST

Under the auspices of the Masons and the Odd Fellows the funeral of L. F. Knox a well known resident of Itasca Co., was held at Grand Rapids on Monday. There was a large attendance. Mr. Knox was the senior member of the lumber firm of L. F. Knox & Co., a director of the First National bank, was also interested in several promising iron mining properties in this section and a man of affairs in Itasca county. He is survived by his wife and a son and a daughter both of age. Representative Knox of Aitkin is a brother of the deceased.

CASS COUNTY N. D. MEDICS ANNUAL MEET

The annual meeting of the Cass County Medical Society was held Monday night at the Commercial Club parlors and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres.—Dr. F. H. Bailey, Fargo.

Vice Pres.—Dr. H. G. Fish Wheatland.

Secretary—Dr. A. W. Skelsey, Fargo.

Treasurer—Dr. P. H. Burton, Fargo.

TRAPPERS FORTUNATE

FUR BUYERS SAY THEY ARE MEETING WITH MUCH SUCCESS

D. L. HAWKINS FINDS MANY HOMESTEADERS IN THE BUSINESS

D. L. Hawkins, a Minneapolis fur buyer, passed thru Crookston yesterday, returning home from a trip thru the Northern Minnesota forests. He started in at the Big Fork river, went to Rainy River and came down thru Warroad, Roseau and Greenbush, traveling most of distance by dog team. Mr. Hawkins bought up quite a bunch of pelts and found the trappers enjoying a very sucessful season.

"The fact that there is not much snow in the woods is of assistance to the trappers," he said. "They can carry on operations more easily, and with less loss than if the snow were two or three feet deep. When there is a snow storm every few days, as is the case some seasons, the traps become quickly buried. Most of the men in the business are meeting with fair success thru Northern Minnesota, and some of them will make good stakes before the season is ended.

"It is not so easy to pick up good furs cheap as it was a few years ago. More buyers are in the field, and the greater the competition the more one has to pay for raw material. I have always made it a practice to pay a fair price, but others were not so scrupulous and in the old days they treated the Indians shamefully, often buying a $10 pelt for perhaps a dollar or giving something in exchange of less value than a dollar. The Indians and white men alike are now pretty well educated up to the market price on furs, and there is no opportunity to cheat, even if one wants to.

"Quite a number of Indians are engaged in trapping thru the northern part of the state. While there are numerous professional trappers there are also many amateurs who live on homesteads and trap a little as a side line. They pick up enough money in this manner to carry them thru the summer. One advantage about the business is that living expenses are next to nothing, especially with the professional, who moves about from one place to another. He carries with him only the actual necessities of life, such as corn meal, flour, salt and coffee. All his meat he shoots himself. The simple fare, and being constantly out of doors, keeps him in perfect health, and it really isn't such a bad sort of a life as one might suppose.

"While there are districts in Northern Minnesota where trapping is still pretty good, it will not be many years before fur-bearing animals are so scarce as to make trapping decidedly unprofitable, except in the cases of homesteaders, who, as I say do it as a pastime."

TYPOS ELECT OFFICERS AT FARGO SUNDAY

Fargo Typographical union held a meeting Sunday afternoon at Union hall, and elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing term:

President—G. P. Wood.
Vice Pres.—R. J. Weymouth.
Secretary-Treasurer—C. J. Rusness.
Recording Sec.—E. C. Fleming.
Sergeant-at-Arms—A. W. Bowman.
Executive Committee—R. H. Straub F. L. Tilotson, Charles Herdeg.
Auditing Committee—Edward Melander, J. H. Freeman, F. L. Tilotson.
Delegates to Trades and Labor Assembly—R. H. Straub, E. C. Fleming, C. A. Fraser.

THE REPORT WAS NOT QUITE COMPLETE

In reporting the late holiday celebration given at the home of Mr. J. W. Sischo near Pitt, we forgot to mention the old veteran's exploits on that occasion. Tho somewhat indisposed and under the weather, he danced an "Irish reel" with his son, Wesley J., to the music furnished by Iley McDonald's phonograph.

During the strenuous times of '61 to '65 he was a soldier in the 94th New York Infantry, fought in the battle of Gettysburg, and was awarded a medal of honor for meritorious service in that three days' fight. — Rainy River Region.

BURGLARS BLOW SAFE.

They Get Little at Depot, but Are Rewarded at Jewelry Store.

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 10.—Burglars at Walhalla, N. D., blew the Great Northern safe and robbed the Helfach jewelry store. Nothing of great value was taken from the depot and Helfach reports the loss of rings and watches worth $700.

WOOD OWNERS WERE UNWISE

TWIN VALLEY COMMENTS ON THE DROP IN WOOD PRICES

HIGH PRICES EDUCATE HOUSEHOLDER TO USE COAL INSTEAD

It appears to us that those who are responsible for quoting and selling popple wood for $4.00 and $4.50 per cord in the Twin Valley market are doing the wood business here a permanent injury, says the Times of that place. Many have already begun to burn soft coal and more are preparing to do so. We believe we are safe in saying that at least one third less wood will be consumed in the village hereafter than has been in the past if the price of popple wood is to be above $3.00 per cord. $3.00 is all it is worth. If one hires it sawed and split it will cost another dollar and we are confident that two cords of it are not the equivalent of a ton of soft coal which costs in Twin Valley at present about $8.00. It is really too bad that the coal-using idea was ever forced upon us by such high prices for wood for there are thousands of cords left within a few miles of the village wood that is dead and down and going to decay, that the owners should be marketing in the village. Now that the coal idea has taken root there will be less and less demand for this class of wood and it is doubtful if it will, to any great extent, ever be marketed.

GAME LAWS WELL ENFORCED

Violations of the game and fish laws of Minnesota in the course of last year entailed the prosecution of 321 criminal cases and the assessing of fines ranging from $10 to $100 according to reports received by Game Warden Munch of this city.

Statistics prepared by Carlos Avery executive agent of the game and fish commission show 183 prosecutions for violations of the laws in regard to fishing, 39 for violations of the provisions in regard to killing of birds, 55 for violation of the "big game" laws and 44 for violations of the laws for protection of mink and muskrats.

There were in all 283 penalties imposed and there are 5 cases still pending Among the other 33 cases many of the defendants pleaded guilty and were convicted but were permitted to go without penalty on promise of future good behavior.

Several fines of $100 each and many of $75 and $50 each were imposed for killing big game out of season.

THIEF RIVER FALLS CITY OFFICIALS

Following is a list of the city officials of Thief River Falls who will keep the municipal machinery wheels greased for the next year:

Mayor—Hamre.
Chief of Police—Ed Jarneson
Patrolmen — A. W. Lang and Ole Eible.
Health Commissioner—Dr. P. L. Vistaunet.
City Atty.—O. Halvorson.
City Treas—Ed Evenson.
Pres. of Council—W. W. Pritchard.
City Clerk—Lars Backe.
Fire Chief—D. Lesage.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

SECOND SEMESTER—

The second semester of the year of the state agricultural school term, opened last Monday under the most favorable conditions, the increase in attendance was far beyond expectations There are now forty scholars enrolled and the private residence on Mr. Robertson's farm near by has been fitted up with furniture and a number of the students room there. About ten more boys and a few more girls will have filled it to present capacity altho any number can be taught if they elect to board down town but in that case the results would not be as good.

NEW STUDENTS ENROLLED—

The new students enrolled this term are: Nels Thompson and August Henderson of Birkholz, Peter Hendrickson of Elvarado, Marshall Co., Olaf and Oliva Nelson of St. Hilaire, Mons Monson of Drayton, N. D., Carl Nordlum and Alfred Olson of Beltrami Julius Jacobson of East Grand Forks Martin Ostrem of Perley Norman county; Arthur Kelsben Gentilly, Hilda Hendrickson, Warren, Albert Rindal, Fertile, Carl Eklund, Ada and Arthur Casmey, Euclid.

SOME OF THE VISITORS—

Only a partial list of the visitors can now be given some of whom were Mr. and Mrs. Neprud of Shelly, they were especially interested in the poultry department. Mr. Hanson and daughter of Fertile, Dr. Street a retired capitalist of Freedom County was a guest of Supt. and Mrs. Robertson who were old neighbors of him in the southern part of the state.

LAST SUNDAY MEETING—

A very good program was given at last Sunday afternoon's meeting, Rev Green was the speaker and gave a very good talk on the "On influence and personal responsibility". The school room was crowded with students and visitors.

LITERARY SOCIETY—

The regular meeting of the literary society will be held next Saturday to which every one is invited, the program is:

Song by the Society.
Recitation by Christ Fosbakken.
Song, Miss Linberg.
Debate; Question, Resolved that United States Senators should be elected directly by the people. The leaders are affirmative, Christ Fosbakken and negative, Mr. Lee.

RECEPTION—

Next Saturday evening the B. Class will give a formal reception to the new students. This entertaining feature is part of the social culture work and everything has to be done according to the latest in social etiquette. Home made candies and pop corn will be enjoyed with refreshments of coffee and cakes.

LAUNDRY EQUIPMENT—

The domestic science department has received a new laundry outfit for teaching the theory and practice of washing. The exhibit of the work in this department was very much admired by the large numbers who visited the school during the teachers' convention.

NOT MUCH VACATION—

Principal Harrington did not enjoy much rest during vacation as he was called on shortly after his arrival at home at Hutchinson to take the place of his friend and successor County Supt. of Schools McKay who died very suddenly the night before. The duty fell upon Prof. Harrington to prepare McLeod county industrial exhibit for the state convention which took the first prize.

SPEAK AT MEETINGS—

Prof Harrington will leave Saturday for Thief River Falls to attend the convention of the Red Lake county teachers and school officers and will read a paper on "seed contests" of which he has been very successful and on Monday he will go to Stephen to speak at the Marshall county meeting of the same nature.

FARGO MEETING—

Superintendent Robertson will attend the Tri-State meeting of the grain growers at Fargo next week and will read a paper before convention. Miss Woodruff expects to be able to attend one day also to visit the domestic science department at the N. D., Agricultural School.

EDITORS CALL—

On Wednesday the school was honored by the Polk county editors paying it a visit under the chaperonage of Editor John Kirsch. In the party were L. George of the Fertile Journal H. R. Stoughton of the East Grand Forks Valley View. A. W. Foss of the Fosston Thirteen Towns, C. T. Lanman of the McIntosh Times and I. I. Hillestad of Fosston. This was the first trip of most of the party and they were all agreeably surprised at the extent of the work being done and so expressed themselves before students who had gathered in the assembly room, where Mrs. Schroeder was conducting the class in music. The editors were shown over the barns and farm and were treated to coffee refreshments before departing.

WHOLESALE WOOD THEFTS

J. D. BACON IN CITY ENROUTE TO CANADA TO STOP BOLD WOOD STEALING

THIEF WAS PROMINENT AND JUSTICE DID NOT WANT TO ISSUE WARRANT

From Friday's Daily—

J. D. Bacon proprietor of the Hotel Dacotah at Grand Forks was in the city Wednesday evening enroute to Winnipeg where yesterday he joined ex-Sheriff A. F. Turner, his partner in the ownership of some timber lands located near Winnipeg. They have held the land for several years and last winter considerable timber was stolen from it and as it is close to market it is valuable. This winter they got a tip that some one was cutting the timber again, and about ten days ago the two made a trip and caught a wealthy business man red handed. He had 250 cords cut on the land and about 50 cords hauled to town, and had a big crew of choppers and teams at work.

The Canadian agreed to stop work at once and allow the real owners to sell the wood. Messrs. Bacon and Turner thereupon sold the wood to two Norwegians and returned to Grand Forks. The Norwegians hired teams and proposed to haul the wood away but when they arrived on the grounds they found a horde of half breed choppers who threatened to make cordwood of the Norwegians also if they did not make themselves scarce.

Mr. Turner thereupon returned to Canada and consulted an attorney. They went to a justice of the peace and tried to secure a warrant for the arrest of the timber thief but the justice refused to issue one. Mr. Bacon was advised at Grand Forks of the situation and phoned the Canadian attorney at once, but was advised that the timber thief was a very prominent man and it might be unwise to arrest a man of wealth and prominence. This did arouse the ire of Mr. Bacon who is a North Dakota State Representative and he said some things over the phone that would have resulted in his arrest for les majeste had he been across the border. However he induced his attorney to force the issuance of a warrant and yesterday went up to see what manner of laws Canada has that a thief could steal with impunity because he was rich and influential.

He vowed that he would get justice before returning, or that there would be a vacancy in the North Dakota legislature.

From other sources it is learned that the timber lands of many Americans is being plundered this winter especially, because so many Americans have returned to the States for the winter and left their property unguarded and that the Canadians many of them, stand together and do not consider it out of the way to pilfer wood from a foreigner's lands.

SAVES DROWNING HUNTER.

Nimrod's Companion Pulls Him Out as He Is Sinking.

La Crescent, Minn., Jan. 9.—William Cook of La Crosse was saved from death while rabbit hunting near here by his companion, John Webber, who grasped him as he was disappearing under the ice of Pine creek, through which he had fallen. Cook was forced to walk eight miles to his home without changing clothing.

Dr. O'Brien Is Bound Over.

Viroqua, Wis., Jan. 9. — Dr. D. F. O'Brien of La Crosse was given a hearing yesterday on a charge of manslaughter in connection with an alleged criminal operation, was bound over to the June term of court under $2,000 bail, which he was unable to furnish.

Forgery Is Charged.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 9.—John S. Kedrie, a Syrian, was brought here from Parkers Prairie to await the action of the district court on the charge of passing a forged check. The check was for $16.75. Bail has been fixed at $500.

IN THE REALM OF INSURANCE

Minnesota Insurance Department Bulletin No. 4—John A. Hartigan, Ins. Com.,—Published to protect Journal Readers against fake Insurance.

St. Paul, Minn., January 1, 1908:

The Fidelity Mutual Aid Association of San Francisco, Cal., has reinsured with the National Casualty Co., of Detroit, Mich., and has withdrawn from this state. The reinsurance became effective October 24, 1907.

The Attorney General has rendered an opinion to this department to the effect that co-partnerships or corporations may not be licensed as insurance agents or brokers. Licenses will be issued to individuals only.

The following companies withdrew from the state Dec. 31st 1907:

The United States Life Insurance Co., of New York; the Michigan Mutual Lige Insurance Co., of Detroit, Mich., and the Des Moines Life Insurance Co., of Des Moines, Ia.

The National Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Omaha, Neb., which was refused a license by this Department at the beginning of 1907, has just gone into the hands of a receiver.

Laws enacted by the Minnesota Legislature of 1907, becoming effective on January 1st, 1908, require that:

Life insurance policies must contain the entire contract and no inducement of any kind may be offered with the policy.

No company may issue a deferred dividend contract.

Life insurance companies must apportion accumulations to existing policies by classes.

No form of life insurance policy may be issued in this state that has not been approved by the Insurance Department.

The above laws do not apply to assessment life companies of which there are still a few in the state.

Commissioner Rittenhouse, of Colorado, expresses so well the policy concerning unauthorized companies, constantly urged by this Department, that we quote from his last bulletin as follows:

"In order to get the full protection of the insurance laws, of the insurance department and of the courts, the people of this state should do no business with companies that are not licensed to do business in the state."

Every agent of any company organized outside of the state has a license from the Insurance Department and every prospective policy-holder should insist upon seeing it before paying any money or signing any contract.

Any interested person may learn the standing of any domestic or foreign company at the cost of a one-cent postal card inquiry addressed to this department.

CORRESPONDENCE

BRAY

This winter weather is as fine as anybody could wish for but almost everyone you meet is wishing for just enough snow to make good sleighing.

John and Gust Scholin left last Thursday for the woods with their teams to spend the remainder of the winter.

Ed Aubal, Nels K. Anderson and John Swanson respectively treasurer president and secretary of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Co., were busy Monday and Tuesday fixing up the accounts for the company for the past year. The company is gaining rapidly and will soon have property to the value of half a million dollars insured.

Alex Melin of Polk Centre was a caller at Bray Sunday.

Albert Johnson went down to Louisville Monday where he and R. Melin of Polk Centre are hauling stone for the intended dam of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., in the Red Lake River at that place.

A. Q. Letvig of St. Hilaire has drilled an artesian well for Chas Lindquist and was fortunate in securing a good flow of water.

Ed Crown drove to Thief River Falls Thursday accompanied by Miss Cora and George of that place who had been visiting here for a while.

Our local librarian Oscar Akerlund has received an additional library of 25 Swedish volumes from the State traveling library.

MENTOR

Miss Stella Benoy has been visiting with Crookston friends and relatives this week.

Fred Grover left for Crookston on Monday evening having spent a week with relatives here.

Miss Clara Gulbranson left last Monday evening for the Hot Springs where she will spend some time to regain her health.

M. O. Madson returned from Norwich, N. D., Wednesday evening where he has been looking after their mercantile business for a few days.

Little Ray Morland had the misfortune of breaking his right arm below the elbow last Tuesday by tipping over in one of the seats in the school room. He was taken to Crookston in the evening for treatment.

100 MORE MINE VICTIMS.

240 Bodies Already Recovered From Scene of Disaster.

Jacobs Creek, Pa., Jan. 11.—It is persistently declared by miners here that there are 100 bodies yet in the Darr mine. One of the miners' organizations, it is claimed, has seventy members unaccounted for, and it is the opinion of this organization's leaders that the bodies of the seventy will yet be brought from the mine. A total of 240 bodies has been recovered to date.

SHELLY

Mr. and Mrs. Nordal Neprud spent Saturday in Crookston.

Jas. T. Hansen went to Crookston Friday morning of last week returning the same day.

Albert Oistad left last Monday for Crookston where he will take up a course of study at a Crookston college

Inez Hansen who spent her Xmas vacation at her home in Crookston, returned last Saturday evening.

The masquerade ball given at Budworth's New Years Eve was well attended and an enjoyable time was reported by all.

A number of students who are attending the State Normal at Moorhead returned last Monday to resume their work after spending their Christmas vacation at home.

LOCKHART

Ernest Erickson returned to Crookston Wednesday.

Roy Casselman drove to Fertile on Saturday to take his niece Esther Nichols up to her father, who has just finished building a barn on his farm and from there Mr. Nichols and his daughter went to their home at Rockfor, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Casselman and daughters Lulu and Ruth, spent New Years day in Crookston.

Mr. McDonald state veterinary surgeon was here last week and shot Charley Petri's horses, four in number—as they had glanders. Everything about his premises is being cleaned up, as also will the barn on the farm where he recently lived. In all probability this will stamp the disease entirely out. Altho Mr. Petri will get some money from the state the loss is a severe one for him as he also lost his crop this year by hail.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson were down from Polk county Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Building wire fence is not supposed to be January work in the Red River Valley but that was what Jesse Barnes was doing Saturday and he worked with bare hands too.

Rev. Mr. Brunchau, of Oklahoma, preached Sunday in the M. E. church Monday he started for his home accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Menge who will spend the winter in Oklahoma with their daughters.

At the annual meeting of the Lockhart Creamery Association all officers were re-elected and E. O. Granley hired for another year, showing that the management of the creamery for the past year has given good satisfaction.

It's too bad that some people can't buy sense with their dollars.

The only kind of red hair a woman likes to have is when it isn't really.

From our Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart and son were up from Crookston last week visiting at the Kretzchmar home.

Miss Grace Meehan, Miss Annie Connelly and Miss Halseth left Monday for Moorhead to attend the state normal school at that place.

Miss Golda Hill, who had spent the holidays in the city, returned to Minneapolis Saturday to resume her duties in the public schools.

School opened Monday morning after the holiday vacation and the enrollment was greatly increased. There are now over 1000 pupils attending the city schools.

Charles Hoar, a former Thief River Falls boy, who is travelling for a Duluth paper house will again make this territory, for the past year he has been working out of Duluth.

A new postoffice called Mavie eight miles directly east of town, has been established with Charles P Quist as postmaster. The new office will be convenient for a large number of patrons.

Miss Eva Olson and Miss Laura Siminson teachers in the Grand Forks College and O. T. Felland superintendent of the Twin Valley schools was in the city last week visiting at the home of H. P. Sponheim.

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Mr. and Mrs. Amy Benoit spent New Year's day with her Crookston friends.

Carl Krueger spent Christmas at the home of his brother Herman, in Crookston.

Miss Mabel Zaiser leaves this evening for Faribault where she will complete her school studies.

Rumor has it that Henry Kaufer the barber is quite ill at his home in Calgary, Alberta, of pneumonia.

Mrs. Philip Wieland and Miss Jessie Owens of Euclid were guests at the Chas. Kruse home last week.

Miss Lucie Crompe was at Crookston last Wednesday visiting with her friends. She enjoyed her visit very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Hall and Miss Albina Lemieux partook of New Year's dinner with the "Sully" Hall family at Crookston.

Emil Hennings, Roseau's popular jeweler, visited his brothers and numerous young friends at this place the fore part of the week.

Claude Duffy has returned to his duties as station agent at Aitkin after spending a delightful holiday visit with relatives and friends in the city.

Sidney Bottineau and little daughter Miss Emerald, returned Monday evening to their home in Superior, Wisconsin, after having spent several days as guests at the home of his mother, Mrs. Peter Bottineau.

Grand Rapids Independent: Mrs. Dolph Patnode, of Red Lake Falls, was in town yesterday accompanied by her son Eusebe Patnode who has just recovered from an attack of an operation for appendicitis at the hospital at Coleraine where the young man has been working.

ADA
(Herald)

Mrs. John Sand and Miss Bertha Hagen left yesterday morning for Fertile where they will visit relatives.

J. H. Woodbury of Crookston has been the guest of his brother M. A. Woodbury of this place this week.

Thos. Christianson of Crookston, has accepted a position as stenographer in County Attorney Brattland's office.

Dr. C. S. Putnam, formerly of this place, was a winner of one of the $1,000 pianos in the Stone Music Co's recent contest.

Last Thursday Clerk of Court Semling issued a marriage license to Ole M. Skauge and Miss Lena Kragero, both of Twin Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mellang and children returned to their home at Climax yesterday morning after having spent a week here with T. T. Braaten and family.

H. O. Hermanson of Gary chairman of the board of county commissioners was in Ada Saturday assisting Auditor Fulton in checking up the business of the county for the year just closed preparatory to the annual meeting of the commissioners now being held at the court house. Mr. Hermanson is interested in a flour mill at Milton, N. D., and came directly from that place. He is considering a proposition to trade his interest in the flour mill for some Canadian land.

ERSKINE
(Echo)

T. K. Berge did a hurry up business turn to Crookston Tuesday evening returning on the night train.

Conrad Finsand has been put on as night man at the G. N. depot here. Alvin Slabough former night operator here has been transferred to Lengby.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hamery, Miss Stella and Elmer Hamery of Crookston spent last Saturday and Sunday here as guests at the H. T. Gilbertson home.

The merchants of Erskine have agreed upon an early closing hour which goes into effect January 15th and lasts until April 1st during which time all stores will close at 7:45 in the evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ness yesterday morning, a daughter. A glance at Mr. Ness' face as he came up town much earlier than usual, told the story. It is not only reflected in his face, but the rapidity with which he walked convinced all that he had one more to provide for.

BAGLEY
(Independent)

W. H. Hill transacted business at Crookston between trains on Monday evening.

Kent Lohn a brother to Frank Lohn of this place visited in Bagley Saturday.

Ed Barness proprietor of the Busy Bee restaurant, was a visitor at Fosston, Sunday.

The Misses Herschberger and Espeseth returned Sunday night from their homes after having spent vacation there.

The Misses Collins and Iddings, teachers in our schools arrived Sunday from their homes where they have spent their holiday vacation.

Mandel Barnes has accepted a position in a tonsorial parlor at Fosston having severed his connection with the Palace barber shop last week.

Historic Building Burned.

Newbern, N. C., Jan. 11.—The old historic building which was part of Gov. Tryon's palace before the Revolutionary war was destroyed by fire yesterday. The building was used as a residence and was in a state of excellent preservation, notwithstanding its extreme age.

ADA PEOPLE ARE ALIVE

COMMERCIAL CLUB OF THRIVING TOWN PROPOSES TO DO SOMETHING

HELD ROUSING METING WEDNESDAY EVENING — OTHER NORMAN COUNTY ITEMS

Special to the Journal:

Ada, Minn., Jan. 10—The Commercial club held a rousing meeting Wednesday night in the city hall, nearly every business man was present. The principal question before the club was the widespread differences in the prices of grain between Ada and the twin cities which is about 16 cents, while 10 cents would give the elevators a good margin. A committee consisting of C. J. Lofgren, A. L. Hanson and Jason Weatherhead were appointed to investigate the cause.

The question of our merchants giving the creameries a boost by paying 10 per cent more than their face value for creamery checks in trade was discussed. Some had already agreed to do this and as it is desired to act in harmony it was decided that the merchants should confer with the local creamery people at the annual creamery next week.

It was also agreed to boost the village and surrounding country and see that actual settlers be secured on the vacant lands

The county commissioners have held their regular session the last days and H. O Hermanson was re-elected chairman and P. O. Ingberg vice chairman.

Ole M. Skauge and Lena Kragero of Twin Valley were licensed to wed the other day and Thursday they were married at the home of the bride. The bride will be remembered as the defendant in the recent trial for infanticide.

The Modern Woodmen celebrated the 25th anniversary of the organization of the order in Gilbertson's Hall Thursday evening where between 150 and 200 guests assembled. Cards, a program, refreshments and dancing and dancing were the features of the evening.

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A Good Suggestion

St. Paul lines are now seriously considering a reform which if adopted will prove an important curb to the activities of Chicago catalogue houses Heretofore catalogue-house freight shipments into the northwest amounting to many thousands of packages, have been loaded in full cars and forwarded to Saint Paul, the individual shipments being unloaded into the warehouse here and then forwarded individually to consignees. This means that such houses have paid a car-lot rate over three-fourths the distance the shipment to the northwest goes, and the usual less than car lot merchandise rate for the distance from St. Paul to destination. It is now proposed to charge 3 cents per 100 pounds for distributing such shipments in warehouses, which means additional freight of $30 per car on catalogue-house shipments. Several Chicago houses are shipping as high as 20 cars a day of such freight.

The proposed new rule will also operate against the practice of loading cars at the catalogue houses in Chicago, switching them to local freight houses and there distributing their contents for shipment to destinations without cost.

Will Protect The People

The recent order of the state board of health in practically abolishing all quarantine regulations will probably not affect the people of Crookston, as last night an ordinance passed its first reading which will in all essential features put baack in force the old regulations in this city.

The City Council in its action last evening is following a course similar to that being pursued by other cities. Duluth has recently passed an ordinance in which the quarantine regulations will continue as stringent, or more so, than the old regulations enforced by the state board, and the city council of Crookston is taking the same course.

One of the chief objections made by those who favored the old regulations is that they were a dead letter to a greater or less extent. Such an argument is a very poor one for their abolishment. Because a law or regulation is not enforced is not a good and sufficient reason why it is not a good one. There are a great many laws that have been winked at, but which are nevertheless among the wisest and best on the statute books. There is no question in the mind of the average man but what reasonable quarantine regulations are beneficial, and protect the general public against that class of people who have no regard for the safety of others.

In its action in protecting the people of Crookston the city council of Crookston will receive the hearty support and co-operation of the vast majority of thinking citizens.

Need o Industrial Training

Minnesota is not in the front rank of states in regard to child labor legislation but it has a creditable place, according to Miss Jane Addams of Hull House, Chicago, who yesterday gave an interesting talk on "The Waste of Child Labor" before the Women's club in Minneapolis.

Miss Addams made a strong plea for the industrial or trade school. "If the state keeps the child in school when he might be earning money, it should prepare him for the work he will do. Industrial training means an increase in wages," she said and told of the Manhattan trade school for the daughters of immigrants in New York. The girls worked in sweatshops for $1 and $2 a week. In order to obtain their parents' consent for them to attend the school they were paid the same wages during the first year, but when it was discovered that the training they received enabled them to earn from $8 to $10 after they left school, there was no trouble in obtaining pupils. "A trade education is necessary for both the consumer and producer," said Miss Addams. "This is an industrial age, and in order to get the best there is in it we must know the technique of industry."

"It is the member of the family who the house and where the holder of the purse is a little child the family relation is turned upside down. The parent loses control over the child who supports him, and a child is still a child, whether a wage earner or not and is incapable of carrying the adult responsibility that is thrust upon him

The objection of the self-made man who began work at 10 and climbed the ladder of fortune, and who would not have the law rob other boys of a similar chance, was met by the statement that industrial conditions are vastly different now from what they were in the days of apprentices. "Look out for this statement," warned Miss Addams. "It is one you will have to answer from your own prominent men."

Child labor is not skilled labor and it lessens the value of its product. A ton of cotton made into cloth in Alabama, is not worth, by many times, what the same woven by adults in Massachusetts would bring. Miss Addams told pathetic incidents of the small workers, many of them mere babies, who are losing health and life in the factories of the South.

"The street is better for the child than the factory," she declared. "It gives the child freedom and outdoor life and teaches him self-reliance."

STATE PRESS

A Little Advice

A little advice to bachelors: Don't grab at the first bunch of skirts that throws itself at you. Find out if she can cook, wash dishes, bake bread, keep the house clean, etc., or if she is only one of those dear little dolls that can do nothing but spend money on dress and gad about the streets. If you're looking for a wife get a woman, not a doll. Do this and you will be happy ever after.—Clay County Herald.

Common Sense Rare

It was Barnum who said that people like to be humbugged. We are constantly having proofs of that. The get-rich-quick schemes, lotteries and fake enterprises owe their existence and sucess to the gulibility of people. The exercise of a little common sense would convince them that all these schemes ar frauds. But fortunately, common sense is somewhat rare.—Badger Herald Rustler.

KODOL is the best remedy known today for dyspepsia, indigestion and all troubles arising from a disordered stomach. It is pleasant, prompt and thorough. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Why Not?

In view of the contention of Dr. Bracken a person cannot but wonder why the United States government maintains quarantine stations. The doctor could save the service a lot of money by extending to it the benefit of his discoveries as to infectious diseases and the usefulness of quarantine.—Duluth News Tribune.

Stand on High Ground

The only way to life a man up is to get above him. You can push him up from beneath, but you can lift him up only when you are on a higher level. As it is part of our duty and a privilege to lift others up socially and morally it is needful that in these things we stand on high ground.—Badker Herald Rustler.

Teddy's Successor

William H. Taft is the man to succeed President Roosevelt. He has the training and the ability and his heart is in the good work begun by Theodore Roosevelt. Every voter who wants the Roosevelt policies carried out should work for Taft.—Todd Co. Argus.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

MISITING LIST—

Visitors at the Crookston school of Agriculture were as follows this week:

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. DeMott.
Mrs. Tom Brown.
Mrs. F. H. Fearon, St. Cloud.
Miss Ellise Cornelius.
Mr. Chas. Rowe.
Mr. and Miss Stalmo.
Prof. Thoreson.
Mr. Evans.

DIVIDE CLASSES—

The increase in students since Christmas has made it necessary to divide the military drill class into two sections and the boys manifest great interest in the work.

NEW STUDENTS—

New students registered this week as follows: Arthur Casmey of Euclid; Antoinette Riopelle of this city; Carl Ecklund of Ada.

EXHIBIT POULTRY—

Mr. C. E. Brown manager of the poultry department sent a shipment of poultry to St. Paul for the poultry show this week.

ATTENDING SCHOOL MEETINGS—

Prof. L. P. Harrington was at Thief River Falls Saturday to present to the school officers meeting of Red Lake county the subject: "Industrial Contests in Public Schools" and reports a very enthusiastic meeting over 250 persons being present. On Monday he presented the same subject at Stephen to the school officers and teachers of Marshall County and reports a very good meeting over 200 officers and 100 teachers being present.

PRIZE FROM AFRICA—

Students are very interested in a genuine leopard skin that arrived from Africa and measures 7 2-3 feet from tip to tip. This leopard was shot by Rev. Guthrie an African missionary who visited his friends at the school this fall.

MORE TEXT BOOKS—

An extra supply of text books and laboratory equipment had to be ordered on account of the arrival of a large number of new students.

AT SABBATH SERVICE—

Rev. C. C. Markham of the Baptist church of Crookston delivered a very appreciative sermon to the students on Sunday afternoon.

LITERARY EXERCISES—

The program rendered by the Agricultural Literary Society was as follows:

Song by the Society.
Reading by Mr. Fossbakken.
Reading by Mr. Rager.
Song by the Society.
Debate—Question was: Resolved, That the U. S. Senators should be elected by the people." The affirmative won by a majority of votes.

RECEPTION A SUCCESS—

The class of '09 entertained the class of '10 at an informal party on Saturday evening. The features of the evening were guessing contests the chief being identifying the contents of bottles by the sense of smell Miss Clara Medchill won first prize which consisted of an agricultural product. Light refreshments were served in the dining hall. Everybody reported a very enjoyable time.

THE NEW BUILDING—

The work on the new building is progressing very fast. It being now all inclosed with the windows in gives an opportunity for lots of inside work by the carpenters and plumbers. The stone entrance is now being put in and it will be an artistic piece of work.

PERSONALS—

Very much enthusiasm is now manifested at chapel since Christmas on account of the increase in students.

Prof. L. P. Harrington dined with friends in Crookston Sunday.

From Over The Valley

GRAND RAPIDS G. A. R. POST ELECTED OFFICERS

The B. F. Husen Post G. A. R. met at the courthouse on Saturday last, and elected the following set of officers for the year 1908: Com. H. S. Husen; S. V. C. James Everton; J. V., C. E. Ferster; Adjutant, Wm. Wetzel; Q. M., R. H. Bailey; Surgeon, E. L. Mitchell; Chaplain, J. T. Temby; O. O., E. Ethridge; O. G., A. Lock; Q. M. S., W. D. Lehman; S. M., M. A. Jones.

Meetings of the post are held on the afternoon of the last Saturday of every month, at the courthouse.

LARIMORE COMMERCIAL CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Larimore Commercial club was held and the following officers were elected:

President—Anthony Stonehouse.
Vice President—N. N. Fuller.
Treasurer—G. L. Sande,
Secretary—Thos. H. Pugh.

The following resolution was passed That the thanks of the Commercial club of Larimore is hereby extended to the teachers and all the ladies and others who assisted in serving the banquet at the Farmers' Institute on December 19, 1907.

ROSEAU BANK OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1908

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens State Bank of Roseau was held Tuesday and the following directors elected: Benedix Holdahl, Olaf Holdahl, S. T. Holdahl. The board of directors thereupon elected the following officers: President, Benedix Holdahl; vice president, S. T. Holdahl; cashier, Olaf Holdahl. The meeting was a harmonious one.

DR. LOCKWOOD LEAVES HALLOCK FOR CALIFORNIA

With the departure of Dr. Lockwood and family for their newly chosen home in California, Hallock and for that matter, all of Kittson county suffers a serious and regretable loss. During his twelve years of practice here, he has proven himself a broadminded and useful citizen and a most successful practitioner. They have our best wishes for God's speed in their new location and trust they will be rewarded with the success that is deserved.—Hallock News.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

OFFICERS OF SWEDISH LUTHERAN CONGREGATION OF WARREN

The Swedish Lutheran congregation at Warren held its annual meeting at the church last Thursday evening. All the old officers were re-elected as follows: C. H. Lindberg, secretary; Peter Dahlquist, deacon; Sanfrid Johnson and John A. Bloomquist, trustees; John Westman, Sunday School Supt; and Aug. Lundgren and Nels Bystrom Assistant Supts.; Mrs. Aug. Ostlund, organist. The report of the treasurer Aug. Lundgren, was encouraging. During the year the Ladies' Aid Society had done nobly raising funds for the good work.

HAS CLAIMS IN THE GOLDFIELDS OF ALASKA

Conard Miller a brother of Axel, Charles and Ernest Miller, arrived last week from Alaska. He had come from Seattle to spend the holidays with folks and friends at Stephens. His journeys during the last five years have taken him over much of our western states. The last two years he has spent in Alaska where he has claims. He will start for Alaska in the latter part of February with a large stock of supplies.

NEW MANAGER AT THE FOWLDS SUPPLY STORE

Wm. Bruce left last Saturday morning for Fowlds, Minn., where he will take charge for the Crookston Lumber company of their large store and logging department. Harry Thursdale who formerly held the position, resigned and Mr. Bruce was assigned the place.—Kelliher Journal.

SEVERAL NEW SCHOOL CREATED DISTRICTS IN 1907

During the year 1907 several new school districts have been organized thruout Kittson county, which shows that the people of the county are making splendid progress along educational lines. New schools are being built and other improvements being made, so that this county can hold its own with any in the state as far as education and schools is concerned.

This is Worth Remembering

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

The Man Who Succeeds

in getting things to come his way generally makes sure by going out to meet and invite them in. He has a checking account at the bank because of its real value in limiting wastful expenses, its convenience, its safety and he knows it is an invitation to successs to meet him half way—an invitation she is in the habit of accepting. Why don't you have a bank account?

The Personal Interest

you take in building up and caring for it will have much to do with your individual success and success of any enterprise with which you identify yourself. It is all under your own control—come in and let us tell you how easy it is to start an account with

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

From our Exchanges

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Miss Frances Eickhoff of Crookston was a New Year's guest at the Arthur Zaiser home.

Napoleon Gamache left Monday for Collegeville where he will take up studies at St. John's College.

Mrs. Jos. Laframboise of North Yakima is visiting among friends and relatives here for a few weeks.

County Auditor O'Brien received a telegram this morning from Jasper announcing the death of his sister Mrs. Margaret Lund.

Mrs. Eugene Besse has returned to her home in Grand Forks after spending the holidays at the M. Bray home in this city.

Francis Gamache returned Monday evening to his labors in Cass Lake after spending New Year's at the Joseph Gamache home.

The newly elected officers of the I. O. O. F. lodge are: Wm. Findeisen, N. G.; F. A. Grady, V. G.; F. A. Mizen, R. S.; J. E. Argue, F. S.; H. C. Hansen, Treas.

Miss Ina Philips returned to her home in Crookston Saturday evening after spending several days a guest of Misses Ethel Bourdon and Hazel Healy.

CASS LAKE
(Voice)

George Lydick and J. E. Tapley were in Walker Tuesday on business fore the county commissioners.

Mrs. Anne L. Lange, wife of Judge L. M. Lange, died last Thursday.

J. L. Carlton has sold his interest in business of the Great Northern hotel to Panke & Garvick, experienced restaurant and hotel men of Crookston. They will take possession about the 15th inst.

At the annual meeting of the Congregational church Tuesday evening Mrs. E. D. Boyce was elected deaconess, H. N. Harding and S. C. Close trustees, L. M. Lange clerk, H. L. Hartley treasurer and E. D. Boyce deacon. After the heavy business was disposed of a light lunch was served.

STEPHEN
Leader

Mrs. Harry Hurt visited friends at Crookston the fore part of the week. Henry Hoper, Sr., went to Euclid on Monday evening to visit friends in that vicinity.

Mrs. Fred Anderson went to Crookston Wednesday evening for a few days visit with friends.

Miss Helen Danielson, of Crookston was a northbound passenger Saturday morning for Hallock where she will make an extended visit with friends.

Miss Adeline Aamoth returned to her home at Crookston the latter part of last week after a few days spent here visiting her friend Miss Tess Walters.

Wm. Merdink, our popular East Side merchant transacted business at Warren and Crookston the forepart of the week.

Miss Tess Walters left last evening for a few days' visit with friends at Warren after which she will go to her home in Crookston.

ST. HILAIRE
(Spectator).

Supt. McAnulty informs us that the examinations for teachers will be held this year on Jan. 30-31 and February 1st at St. Hilaire, Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls.

The annual business meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church was held on January 8th and was well attended. Johan Johanson was elected deacon for three years and August Svenson trustee. C. W. Erickson was elected organist and Anton Anderson secretary for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ives, Daniel Patterson and Miss Katherine Patterson, C. L. Hanson and A. S. Wilson drove up to Thief River Falls last Monday evening to attend the point installation and banquet given by the Masons and the Eastern Star lodges.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladde Pills. They promptly relieve backach and weak back. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MIND DISTROYED BY BANDIT'S BLOW

Jack Ward Is Now Running Wild In Forest- Posse Is Trying to Find Him

Jack Ward, demented and haunted by wild fears of capture for some fancied crime, is wandering somewhere in the woods near Zim while his brother Frank and a posse of lumbermen from the camps are searching the country in vain for him.

Information of insanity was filed with the probate judge at Duluth yesterday by the brother and a warrant for the unfortunate man's arrest requested. The letter from the brother stated that the insane man fled from the lumber camps where he had been employed last Friday and thus far no word has been received of his capture

It is stated that Ward was held up and robbed of $450 at Grand Forks N. D., last fall after having completed a successful season in the harvest fields and was struck on the head by his assailants. He never recovered his mental faculties and has been growing steadily worse for some time until Friday when he fled into the forest.

The sheriff will be advised if the man is located and a deputy will go after him. His case is said to be a violent one with little hopes for recovery.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

IMPROVING CLAIM— John Cornelius of Crookston is up in Rainy River region for a couple of weeks to look after his daughter's claim three miles west of Beaudette.

OFF COURTING—W. O. Braggan, court stenographer in Judge Grindeland's court and Attorney W. J. Brown of Warren spent the night in the city and left for Roseau this morning where Judge Grindeland opens a term of court this morning.

YOUNG WOMAN DIES—Miss Emma Odegaard, aged 28 years died at her home 504 Chestnut street Grand Forks Saturday morning. The funeral was this morning. The burial was at the Grand Marias church six miles from East Grand Forks.

BACK TO KANDIYOHI—John and Peter Defoe of Kandiyohi who have spent a fortnight in this vicinity visiting relatives and partaking of the good cheer and many parties going around will leave tonight for their homes with many regrets of not being able to stay longer.

VISITED RELATIVES—Ed Bray a prominent business man of Red Lake Falls accompanied by his wife spent yesterday in the city the guests of Nap Bray and Mrs. Fred Brosseau, and their many friends, they returned this morning.

IS VOUCHED FOR—H. H. Zaiser of Red Lake Falls was an overnight visitor in the city returning to his home this morning. Mr. Zaiser had been on a short trip thru Dakota and vouches for the truthfulness of all the June weather reports that are being circulated.

GOES WITH BROTHER—Bert LaFreniere who for the past three months has been doing stunts on the St. Hilaire Spectator, has severed his connections therewith and departed for Grand Rapids where he goes to accept a position with his brother, A. L., on the Independent.

Eat everything you want, don't starve yourself, fearing it won't agree for Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea cleans the bowels and stomach, and makes indigestion easy. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

BACK TO MACALESTER — John Stuhr who has been visiting during the vacation with his parents at Euclid, and brother Dr. Stuhr at Argyle returned to the Macalester college last night he is a week late but his high standing in his studies will easily allow him to catch up. After a preparatory course at Macalester he will take up the University Medical course

MAIL CLERK IS HURT—Charles E. Flora who runs beween Duluth and Grand Forks as mail clerk on the Great Northern has gone to his home in Duluth to receive treatment for an injury received while the car was being switched in the Grand Forks yards. The jolt threw him off his feet and he struck against some of the car equipment with a great deal of force.

CONDUCTOR PHILLIPS —George Coppersmith conductor on the Brainerd-International Falls M. & I. passenger run, was compelled to abandon his regular trip last evening on account of illness. David Phillips "subbed" for George—and Dave looks pretty "spick and span" with that elegantly-fitting blue suit and those becoming bright buttons and a dainty cap. Dave is all right.—Bemidji Pioneer.

ENJOYED RABBIT HUNT—Rabbit hunting is the chief sport being indulged in by the local sportsmen. Register of Deeds Stair, Secretary Moore of the Twenty-Five Thousand Commercial Club and John Kimball hunted at Maple Lake Sunday and bagged 37 fine jack rabbits. The members of the party were entertained by Jos. Benoit and report that he is a princely entertainer and a true sportsman from the ground up. Saturday night J. H. Stair put on a musical stunt which those who liked a noise greatly enjoyed while those with an ear for real music were somewhat annoyed.

ROBERT SMYTH APPOINTED POSTMASTER AT WYMORE

Word comes from Washington that Robert E. Smyth was yesterday appointed postmaster at Nebish to succeed Charles Hamlin, resigned.

Robert E. Smith is a son of D. C. Smyth of this city, and agent for the M. R. L. & M. railway at Nebish, also being manager for the company's store at Nebish.

"Bob" is a splendid young fellow and well deserves the appointment.—

GOT MONEYS WORTH—Peter Quigley and Mat Quirk two of the staunch young farmers of the Red River district departed for home last evening after spending several pleasant days in the city. They had just returned from the big woods and wanted a touch of civilization and stopped over a few days, and enjoyed the many attractions that the city affords at the present heighth of the social season, the roller rink, the Lyceum, the horse races on the river and many dances given at the different halls, all went towards giving them a merry chase in the social world. A new buggy was purchased from Crookston dealers, and their relatives need not worry about their welfare as they were under the chaperonage of Remi Marrotte of the Grand Central.

How to Avoid Pneumonia

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

From Tuesday's Daily

BACK FROM THE PEG — Chas. Thomas is here from Winnipeg on a visit and may decide to again become a permanent resident of the city.

TAXES COMING IN—The personal property taxes are beginning to slowly come in at the county treasurer's office, the deposits are mostly cash and help the banks a great deal as a circulation medium.

VISITED DAUGHTER—Henry Daubenberg returned Sunday night from Mapes, N. D. where he had been to visit his daughter. He reports that farmers are all making preparations for an early spring and that a number are even now discing their fields.

ANOTHER VICTIM DIPPY—Deputy Sheriff Arne Solberg of Beltrami county took Gust Eklund an insane patient living near Blackduck to the Fergus Falls insane hospital last night He was accompanied by Andrew Johnson as an assistant.

IN TACOMA HOSPITAL—The many friends of Leslie McDonald a former Polk County boy will be sorry to hear that he is confined in a Tacoma hospital suffering from nervous prostration brought on from overwork.

AFTER CRAZY MAN—Deputy Daniels is at Grand Forks today and will return on the Northern Pacific with Fred Constance whose mind has become unbalanced. The examination will be held immediately and if found insane he will be taken to the asylum on the late train.

ACQUIRE EATING HOUSE—Messrs. Panke and Garvick of the Great Northern restaurant have bought out the restaurant at Cass Lake and will take charge at once. Mr. Garvick will take the management which assures that it will be run as a first class place.

IN CLAIM LAND— Axel Peterson who has spent the past week visiting with his brother in Erskine returned Thursday to his home in Foy. While away Mr. Peterson located J. C. Sanders on a homestead in the Shotly country. The latter will remove his family from Fredricks, Wis., to their new home in the near future.—Kelliher Journal.

STATE DITCH HEARINGS— Remi Fortier has returned from Duluth where he has been serving as a state ditch viewer at hearings on three state ditches. Mr. Fortier has been busy with his duties as a state ditch viewer the greater portion of the time since early fall. The state has been doing a great deal of work in the Northern part of the state.

TAKING A TRIP—Bernard Tiedeman of Euclid and Henry Haper of Stephen who has been visiting the Tiedeman homestead, were passengers on the flyer last night bound for Ada where they expect to enjoy a short visit with some old time Goodhue county friends.

A SCARED NEIGHBORHOOD—The action of a couple of suspicious characters in the vicinity of the N. P. watertank aroused that section of Elm street. The men appeared to be dodging in and out of a vacant shed, and departed on the Northern Pacific train The police arrived shortly after and only found a spoony couple making love on the baseball grand stand.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially recommended for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

STRUCK BY ENGINE—The developments in the case of the death of John Olson near Winger show that he had been out with a number of convivail spirits and they imbibed too freely and Olson left the party to walk up the track to the Ostby home where he was staying. That was the last seen of him alive. It was a clear case of accidental death, there being no motive for robbery on murder.

ATTRACTS ATTENTION— For a number of days the Journal has displayed a poster in its window advertising "The Philippine Carnival" to be held at Manilla Feb. 3rd to 8th. The poster is attracting considerable attention but we have as yet to hear of any one who will attend the international congress of sports scheduled. The Journal is indebted to Mr. Christ Hagen who mailed it to us from Manilla where he is teaching the natives.

LOST HIS WIFE—Fritz Jucken has certainly suffered a great misfortune He returned this morning from a two months' visit at St. Paul and on being asked by his friends at the depot this morning where his wife was realized for the first time that she had been overlooked in the excitement and left on the train. Therefore Fritz is receiving the sympathy of his friends over his great bereavement. There are others think that it is one of Fritz's jokes

The Woodmen meet tonight.

During the long, dreary winter months mothers become tired, worn out, can't eat, sleep or work. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest blessing for mothers. Makes them happy and well. 35c, Tea or Tablets. —A. G. Andersen.

From Wednesday's Daily

ON BUSINESS—Carl Thompson one of Fosston's prominent business men returned to his home last night after a day spent here on business matters.

OFFICE IMPROVEMENTS—Architect Strassburger has made a number of improvements in his offices, a table railing has been placed between the working department and the public office.

AURORA ASSELIN DEAD—Many friends will grieve over the announcement of the death today of Aurora Asselin, the 13 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Asselin after an illness of three weeks. The funeral will be held Friday from St. Anne's church. Further announcement later.

CASE CONTINUED— The case of Dan Sullivan, charged with fracturing the Sunday closing ordinance, scheduled for hearing in the E. G. Forks municipal court yesterday was continued until this afternoon on account of the absence of the city attorney from the city.

NON RESIDENT—Frank Constance who was brought over from the Forks last night on an insanity charge was upon examination found to have a family in Chicago and should be a resident of that city. He is undoubtedly insane and his case will be referred to the state board of control who have been advised of the case.

There was once a maiden young and gay,
She'd laugh and sing the whole long day,
For I am so happy and well, said she,
Now that I take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.—A. G. Andersen.

CHAMPIONSHIP TO BE SETTLED

Supt. MacLean of the Fergus Falls high school has been in conference with the superintendent of the East Grand Forks schools and has arranged to have the coming debae for the championship of the Ninth congressional district held in Fergus Falls Jan. 31, Fergus Falls will take the negative of the proposition, thus reversing the position taken in the former debate and if the Fergus team wins out it will be prepared to handle either side of the question in the contests with the winners in the other districts.

The first debate in the state league contest in the ninth congressional district took place in Fergus Falls and day night between Fergus Falls and Ada high school teams, and resulted in a decisive victory for Fergus Falls.

The question was: Resolved, that the federal government should subsidize the southern states for the education of the negro, it being granted that such subsidies would be constitutional, and that the south would not object." Fergus Falls had the affirmative.

AN HONORED PIONEER DEAD

GEORGE QUINCY ERSKINE DIED SUDDENLY AT ONE O'CLOCK THIS MORNING

PRIVATE FUNERAL TOMORROW—REMAINS TO BE INTERRED AT RACINE WIS.

From Wednesday's Daily—

George Quincy Erskine died this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sheldon W. Vance at 1 o'clock after an illness of a little over a day of pneumonia. He was conscious up to the last.

Deceased was 80 years of age Dec. 13, and has been a widower for two years. He leaves two children, Mrs. Archibald Coddington of Chicago, who arrived this morning, and Mrs. S. W. Vance of this city.

Mr. Erskine was born and raised in New Hampshire and was married at Waterford, Pa., in 1856, and took his bride to Racine, Wis., where he had located a few years previous.

Later he moved to Plainview, Minn where he established a bank in connection with the First National Bank of Fargo, and was a director of the latter bank till a year ago.

He became interested in Crookston in 1881 and in that year was one of the incorporators of the First National bank of this city and has been a director ever since.

In 1888 he platted Erskine which was named after him, and has divided his time between Crookston, Fargo and Erskine for many years past.

Mr. Erskine was a 32nd degree Mason, having taken both the Scottish and the York Rite degrees, and was raised at Racine. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Vance residence and will be private. The remains will be escorted to the N. P. depot tomorrow evening by Masonic pall bearers and the interment will be at Racine. Erskine W. Vance, a grand child joining the funeral party at St. Paul.

Any encomiums are needless. Deceased was a man of high ideals, and lived and died a just man, honored by all while living, mourned by all after his death.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS OF LOCAL BANKS

THREE BANKS OF THE CITY RE-ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

The Merchants, First National, Scandia held their annual stockholders' meeting and election of directors yesterday, there were no changes in any of the banks except the Merchants W. E. McKenzie retiring and John Moore elected in his place.

Following are the boards of directors of the different banks as elected yesterday for the ensuing year:

First National Bank—G. Q. Erskine, William Anglim, J. R. McKinnon, E. M. Walsh, H. C. Misner, J. W. Wheeler, H. C. Clark.

Merchants National Bank — John Cromb, A. D. Stephens, Max Ericsson John Moore, J. H. Peterson, V. L. McGregor, A. Braley.

Scandia American Bank—J. P. Foote C. C. Strander, Charles Loring, Geo. F. Carpenter, Halvor Steenerson, A. A. Miller, L. Ellington, F. E. McGregor, H. Holte.

The officers of the Crookston elected about six weeks ago are Pres., L. E. Jones, Vice Pres., J. A. Northrup, Cashier, L. D. Fosket, and Teller J. L. Humphrey.

G. N. TRAIN LEAVES TRACK

COAST FLYER NUMBER THREE TAKES TO THE PRAIRIES WEST OF MINOT

No. 3, the westbound Great Northern passenger train was thrown into the ditch at Ross yesterday morning and the passengers saved only by a miracle. A broken rail threw six cars, the engine and tender into a ditch. The passengers were bruised but no one killed or seriously injured. The wreck occurred on a curve one mile out of Ross.

Attend Conductors' Pow-wow

Conductor Fiske of E. G. Forks went to Minneapolis Sunday evening to attend the annual meeting of the order of Railway Conductors which convened there yesterday. Conductors representing each division of the various lines of railway in the country are in attendance. The conference will last some time. Mrs. Fiske accompanied him.

COURT CLOSES NEXT WEEK

DISTRICT COURT NOT IN SESSION TODAY—MANY CASES ARE SETTLED

GRAND JURY CONVENES TOMORROW TWO CRIMINAL CASES BEFORE IT

From Wednesday's Daily—

The jury in the case of Bodahl against Peterson for damages brought in a verdict late yesterday afternoon for the plaintiff for the amount of $25 There was no case ready for trial today and the jury was excused till tomorrow. The first case will be that of the Minneapolis Brewing company vs. Dan Sullivan over a disputed account.

Grand Jury

The Grand Jury will convene tomorrow morning. There will be two criminal cases to consider, Hoken Everson for robbing C. J. Sundall in Ole Gaugstad saloon, and Mike Murphy for stabbing Frank Whittaker both from East Grand Forks.

The criminal cases will be taken up next week and the jury cases will all be taken care of and court adjourned Saturday Jan. 25th.

INVENTORY OF CIGAR FACTORIES

DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTORS HAVE A BUSY TIME TILL JAN. 20

Deputy Revenue Inspector Guy A. Aubol who makes his headquarters in this city has been on the jump since the first of the year and will be very busy till after the 20th of the month. All callectors have to take the annual invenory of all the cigar factories in their respective districts before the 20th of January, and as Mr. Aubol has a large territory to cover it keeps him hopping to do the work in the prescribed limit.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous a they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

SUBSCRIPTIONS POURING IN

The Journal feels highly gratified at the manner in which paid-in-advance subscriptions have been pouring in during the past three months. The Journal has not had a subscription solicitor at work for over a year not even for a day, but the subscriptions are coming in rapidly just the same. Not only in the city but the farmers from the rural routes running out of Crookston have come in to the office by the score and subscribed for a year in advance or renewed their old subscriptions. In addition to this the mail every morning brings in paid in advance subscriptions, those received yesterday morning being from the following:

Anthon Lindem, ex-county commissioner of Polk Co., and a prosperous farmer on rural route No. 1 out of Fisher.

G. H. Tripp, a former Polk Co., farmer east of this city who is now located at Eugene, Ore., who said he could not get along without the Journal.

Leslie Raff, of Des Moines, Ia., who graduated from the Crookston high school last year.

K. H. Grundeson, East Grand Forks.
E. E. Quee, Randen, Minn.
Leon Bries, McIntosh.
L. E. Slyter, R. R. No. 4.
Lorenzo Miller, R. R. No. 4.
R. D. Bartlett, Euclid.
State Bank of Shelly.
John C. Sjolander, Fosston.
Jos. Mercil, Roosevelt.
Louis Olson, Fisher.
Zan Montague, Grand Forks.
Ed Reitmeir, R. A. No. 5.
A. L. Bolstad, McIntosh.
W. A. Reitmeier, R. R. No. 5.
E. A. Sweet, Spokane.
Ben Franklin, Barnesville.
P. S. Quigley, Climax.
Miss Jennie M. Peterson, Ebro, Minn.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that little Cascasweet the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

RED LAKE FALLS CREAMERY ASSN.

HELD THEIR ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTED FULL SET OF OFFICERS

FIFTY NEW SHARES OF STOCK SOLD—BUTTERMAKER MALVIN RETAINED

The Red Lake Falls Creamery association held their anual meeting Monday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Ildage Baril, president; George Orr, vice president; Geo. F. Hennings, secretray; Wm. Sharper, treasurer; Frank Grenier, manager. The board of directors are George Walker, Charles Patnode and Matt Waldorf, while the service and past record of P. L. Malvin, the buttermaker, were considered worthy of his hire for another year. The meeting was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held by the association, and fifty new shares in the corporation were sold.

BUT THE CHECK CAME BACK

F. B. HARRIS WILL HAVE TO DIG UP A FEW BASE BALL SHEKELS

Atty. W. B. Brown of Warren and a good 32nd degree fan he is, spent Sunday in the city enroute to Roseau where he is attending court. When preparing for the trip he put on a vest which he had not worn since July 10th last, and in one of the pockets thru which he fumbled he discovered a check for $16 with the signature of Fred B. Harris attached thereto. It seems that Mr. Brown had his ball team here last summer, and was given the check by Fred Harris for expenses It being early in the base ball season Brother Brown was flush, and needing not the coin, he shoved the check in his pocket where it has remained ever since.

His season as manager of the Warren team cost Mr. Brown about $400 shekels out of his own pocket and the $16 check looks like a draw back that he had not expected—in fact it looks to him like clear velvet.

In the mean time Mr. Harris had squared up everything in the base ball line, and there is no question but what the $16 check will be a painful reminder of the honors heaped upon him when he was made treasurer of the Crookston All-Star aggregation of ball tossers. We have not interviewed the man of Belle fame as yet but predict that he will smoke a LaZinda on top of two Belles when that check gets back and is charged to his account at the bank. And Brown laughed when he thought of it.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

Correspondence

TERREBONNE

On Sunday, Freddie the thirteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexis Fournier was buried at Terrebonne.

Komuald Hernas was visiting with friends here on New Year's Day.

Thursday the 9th inst. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Laurent celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage. A high mass of thanksgiving was sung for them at St. Anthony's church to which a great many friends were present. In the evening at their beautiful home dinner was served to sixty couples. Rev. Father Roy of Lambert, an old friends of the family, was present together with Rev. Fr. S. Veilleux. Magnificent and numerous presents were presented to th happy couple.

GLANDERS KILLS HORSES.

Horse From a Trader Infected Farmer's Stock.

Albert Lea, [illegible]—Veterinarian M. R. Higbee of this city was called to James Nielsen's place in Riceland township to attend a sick horse that was so near death that he was down and nothing could be done for him. The other horses on the place, three in number, were examined, and Dr. Higbee decided they all had glanders. He notified the township board and the live stock board of the state, and R. J. Coffeen, the field agent, came down and confirmed the diagnosis of Dr. Higbee and the horses were all destroyed.

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BRAKEMAN IS MADE TARGET

OF THE BULLETS FROM A GUN IN THE HANDS OF A DRUNKEN ROUSTABOUT

QUICK ACTION OF SHERIFF BAILEY PREVENTS MURDER AND AVOIDS HANGING

From Friday's Daily—

While aboard the M. & I. northbound passenger train last evening between Blackduck and Funkley, Harry Smith, a resident of Cass Lake who has a stone and timber claim near Little Fork, pulled a revolver from his pocket and fired a shot at Frank Coppersmith, the brakeman, who was but a short distance from Smith the bullet missed the intended mark.

Sheriff Bailey of Beltrami county happened to be on the train and seeing the man draw the gun struck his arm when he fired sending the bullet thru the ceiling, Smith was immediately taken prisoner by the sheriff and taken to jail at Bemidji on the next train.

Smith had come over from Cass Lake in company with other residents of Cass Lake who have claims near Little Fork. He boarded the M. & I. train at Bemidji and from the time he entered the car attempted to have trouble with nearly everybody whom he met.

The brakeman on the train, spoke quietly to Smith and asked him to cease his troublesome talk and quarreling. Smith would not be quiet, but became more boisterous than ever, and every time the brakeman went thru the train, attempted to have trouble with him.

Coopersmith finally told Smith to behave himself or he would treat him as he deserved. Coppersmith turned his back on Smith and started to walk for the door, when Smith drew a revolver from his pocket and attempted to shoot Coppersmith. But for the prompt action of Sheriff Bailey, Coppersmith would undoubtedly have been seriously wounded.

FARMERS BUSY ON FIELDS

ENGAGED IN DISCING—GROUND IS WORKING UP IN GOOD SHAPE

Trainmen on the Farmers' road running north of Devils Lake report that a number of farmers are busily engaged in discing their fields and getting it ready for spring work. The ground is in very good shape. This is the earliest for spring work to start in many years.

CREAMERY FOR TOWN OF STAR

SETTLERS IN THE NEW TOWN MAKING THE RIGHT KIND OF A START

The settlers living in the new town of Star are now thinking of building a creamery. An organization has been effected of which John Gillis is president and H. A. Halvorson is secretary and a meeting will be held soon to decide on whether or not to build. There are lots of settlers and cows in the town of Star and all that is needed is a creamery to bring prosperity to all.

Presidential Appointments.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The president yesterday sent to the senate the nomination of Fred T. Dennett, of North Dakota to be commissioner of the general land office; also the nomination of James F. Tracey of New York to be a member of the Philippine commission and secretary of finance and justice.

P. JOHNSON GOT $4750

PETER JOHNSON ASKS $20,000 FOR PERSONAL INJURIES RECEIVED

JOHN BLACK LOST CASE—KNUTE FLAKNE CASE IS NOW ON TRIAL

From Thursday's Daily—

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Verdict for Plaintiff

At 4:15 this afternoon the jury in the Peter Johnson case cited below returned a verdict of $4750 for the plaintiff.

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At 3:30 this afternoon the damage case of Peter Johnson against the G. N. was given to the jury. He sues for $20,000 damages for injuries received last summer while working with a pile driver gang between here and Cass Lake. He says he was not properly notified to clear the track his shoulder and permanently injur and was struck by a train breaking ing his spine.

Wants $150

The next case is that of K. O. Flekne of Beltrami who claims $150 from the G. N. for damaged furniture in shipment.

Verdict for Defendant

In the flowage case of Black of Benoit vs. the G. N. the jury brought in a verdict in favor of the defendant on stronger testimony than a jury gave the plaintiff a verdict of $150 upon a year ago, the supreme court sending the case back for a re-trial. This was a test case and had the plaintiff won several other cases similar would have been started.

Will be Appealed

It is stated that steps will be taken immediately by Skulason & Husband, attorneys for the defendant bond company, to appeal the case of Bailey vs. the Grand Forks Lumber Company, decide on Tuesday in favor of the defendant to supreme court.

Peet Cases Postponed

By stipulation the Peet case hearing which was scheduled to come up some time this month before Judge Watts has been continued until February at the request of Mr. Tigue the attorney for Peet

BACK WITH TWO LAND SEEKERS

JOS. BALL RETURNS FROM TRIP TO ILLINOIS—IS OPTIMISTIC

Jos. Ball returned last evening via Grand Forks from a trip to Illinois where he has been for the past few days and accompanied by two land seekers in the persons of Jas. McKibbin and E. F. Hewen of Hebron, Ill.

Mr. Ball states that there is a great deal of inquiry for Valley lands in the central states at the present time and he is looking for a heavy movement in the spring. He says the people there realize that an opportunity to purchase land in this section at present prices is apt never again to present itself, and that those who keep posted on land values propose to make hay while the sun shines and get in on the ground floor.

GOOD SUM PAID IN WOLF BOUNTIES

During the past year County Auditor Hoffard has issued warrants for $1372 for wolf bounties for Polk Co. In the previous year, 1906 the amount paid was $1061, making a substantial increase during the past year. While the money is advanced by the county it is later refunded by the state. Some of the young hunters and trappers of the county have materially added to their income during the past year by getting after the wolves.

NEW INSPECTOR FOR RAINY RIVER DISTRICT

R. F. Davis who has been U. S. Immigrant Inspector along the Rainy River boundary line for a couple year left Beaudette on New Year's day for his new post at the Soo, Michigan. His family accompanied him. The Davis folks were very popular here, and tho we shall miss them, our best wishes shall accompany them. His place will temporarily be filled by Max Feldstyner who has been relieving Mr. Swenson at International Falls. In a few days, Patrick A. Donohue of Springfield, Mass., will arrive at Beaudette to take charge of this place for some time to come.

COUNTY DADS FINISH UP

DITCH 62 ACCEPTED FROM CONTRACTOR WITH SMALL REDUCTION

BILLS ALLOWED AND $1000 VOTED AS COUNTY ATTY'S. CONTINGENT FUND

From Thursday's Daily—

The county commissioners will adjourn this afternoon after finishing up a large amount of routine business including the allowance of the usual bills, etc.

Ditch Accepted

Ditch No 62 between the townships of Andover and Lowell was accepted from Contractor Donald Hamilton of Fisher after he deducted $200 for unfinished work. He was paid $2700.

The board also set aside $1000 for the county attorney's contingent fund to be used in extraordinary cases where available cash is necessary to promote the ends of justice. $250 was also voted for incidentals such as postage etc.

Committees Named

The following committees were appointed by Chairman Rindal:

Road and Bridge—Clements, Eklund and Driscoll.

Ditch—Eklund, Driscoll and Thoreson

Finance—Thoreson, Driscoll and Clements.

Tax—Driscoll, Eklund and Rindal.

Bills and Claims—Eklund, Clements and Thoreson.

Purchasing—Clements, Eklund and Thoreson.

Grounds—Rindal, Thoreson and Eklund.

RETURNED FROM THE BIG WOODS

HAVE HORSES WELL INSTALLED AND SAW A GREAT DEAL OF COUNTRY

P. S. Quigley and M. Quirk returned last night from Northome where they had been to see their teams properly placed in the lumber camps. Messrs. Quirk and Quigley beside the visit to the lumber camps took especial interest in investigating the country from a farmer's standpoint, but as these gentlemen come from the town of Tynsid, a garden spot in the Red River Valley, their comparison would be hardly be fair to the big wood country when they state there is no place like the Valley.

KAISER AND COMSTOCK BEING MENTIONED

Al Kaiser of Bagley returned home last evening after attending to some important business matters in the city. Mr. Kaiser is being prominently mentioned as a delegate to the National Republican convention from this part of the state. Two delegates are to be named from each congressional district in the state, and from the south end of the district Hon. S. G. Comstock is being mentioned by his friends and Mr. Kaiser would be a popular selection from the North end of the district. Mr. Kaiser has always been a hard worker and has never been an office holder. Beltrami County is entitled to recognition and Mr. Kaiser would meet with the approval of the people of that county without question.

DUNHAM STILL UNDER COVER

Nothing has yet been heard from E. A. Dunham since he took French leave of Crookston the morning of January 2nd after having forged the name of Conductor Gould to checks amounting to several hundred dollars and cashed them at the various places of business about the city. It is practically certain that he is some where in Canada and the police are hot on his trail. As he has never done anything but work on a railroad in the capacity of brakeman or tend bar in recent years the officers know in about what company they will find him. Chief Eck is sending out cards all over the country with Dunham's picture attached and developments are expected soon.

MYSTERIOUS ROBBERY.

Valuable Gems Are Stolen, With No Trace of the Thieves.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Thieves entered the residence of Samuel Schwartz, in Waukegan, yesterday and took $6,000 worth of jewelry, mostly diamonds.

The police are baffled, as there are no signs of ingress or egress.

RATES ARE TOO HIGH

CROOKSTON INTERESTED IN A HEARING TO BE HAD AT DULUTH SOON

RECENT ACTION OF ROAD RAISING RATES ON LOGS IS QUESTIONED

The railroad and warehouse commission has arranged for a hearing at Duluth on Jan. 29 on the question of the reasonableness of the existing rates on ties and other forest products The hearing is called on the complaint of Joseph W. Reynolds who has complained to the commission that the present rates on such products on the Great Northern are excessive. The present rate on this class of products is the same as that which applies on lumber shipments, and the claim is made that a distinction should be made between the rates on finished lumber and on ties, logs and such rough products of the forest. It is urged that the cost of loading lumber is greater than that of ties or logs and that the danger of damage in shipments is much less in the case of the latter.

The main reason for the closing down of the Crookston saw mill the coming summer is the prohibitive rate charged for railing the logs in. Were the rate reasonable there is no question but what the Crookston Lumber Company would have planned to run the local mill the coming season with the usual shift.

For this reason the outcome of the hearing at Duluth will be watched with greater interest by the people of Crookston, and should the commission decide that the rates charged are exhorbiant it is within the realm of possibilities that an order for a lower schedule may be made in time for the Crookston Lumber Co., to reconsider the decision to close the local mill for the season.

PASSED THROUGH ON HONEYMOON TRIP

WELL KNOWN NORTH VALLEY COUPLE ARRIVED LAST EVENING

Yesterday morning at the Catholic church at Argyle J. A. Trudell of Pembina and Miss Emma Roy of Argyle were united in marriage in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The usual wedding festivities followed and the happy couple was the recipient of some very beautiful gifts.

Last evening Mr and Mrs. Trudell arrived in the city on the passenger from the north and took the Duluth train later for a brief stay at the head of the lakes before returning to Pembina near where they will at once begin housekeeping on a fine farm owned by Mr. Trudell. He is one of the progressive young farmers of that secection and his bride was one of the accomplished and popular young ladies of Argyle.

SLOW GRIND IN DISTRICT COURT

G N. WON ONE FLAKNE SUIT AND THE OTHER IS NOW ON TRIAL

In the case of Knute Flakne of Beltrami vs. the Great Northern for $100 damages which he claimed was sustained by furniture which he shipped over defendant's road the jury brot in a verdict for the defendant this morning at 10 o'clock. In another suit now on trial Mr. Flakne asks $400 damages to two cars of cattle which he had shipped over the G. N. There was a dispute over the freight bill and the cattle were shipped on here from Beltrami and then driven back. The case will probably be finished today.

PASTOR LOSES LICENSE.

Rev. Trask Is Ousted From Herman Church, Where Discord Is.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 11.—At a special meeting of the Red River presbytery, held in this city, it was voted to revoke the license of J. J. Trask, who has been occupying the pulpit of the Presbyterian church at Herman. There has been trouble in the Herman church, but Mr. Trask declined to appear and explain.

ROMANTIC CAREER ENDED.

Woman Who Had Been Interpreter, Cook at White House and Spy.

Muskegon, Mich., Jan. 11.—A woman known as Spanish Lou, alias Agnes Whitcomb, and said to have had a romantic career as interpreter at Washington, cook at the White House and federal spy during the Civil war, died suddenly yesterday. She maintained that blood of European nobility ran in her veins.

WHO KNOWS EARL PAULEIN

MAYOR McPHEE WIRED BY MAYOR OF SHOSHONE, IDAHO LAST NIGHT

EARL PAULEIN IS DEAD THERE AND RELATIVES SUPPOSED TO BE HERE

Mayor McPhee last evening received the following telegram from the Mayor of Shoshone, Idaho:

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"Earl Paulein, our city dead. What shall we do with the remains? Wire answer."

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A family with a similar name resided in this city till a short time ago when they departed no one seems to know where. Mayor McPhee wired back for further particulars but as yet has received no response.

Any one knowing the deceased, or the whereabouts of his relatives should notify Mayor McPhee or the police at once.

It is possible that the name is Paule and that the "in" added was a mistake on the part of the telegrapher the intent of the sender having been to say "Earl Paule in our city dead."

THE HILLSBORO SCHOOL CLOSED

SCHOOL OFFICERS TAKING PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES AGAINST SMALLPOX

Hillsboro has a small pox scare on its hands and as a precautionary measure the schools will remain closed next week says the Banner. There is no great cause for alarm, and if the citizens will faithfully observe the regulations prescribed by the health officers the disease will be speedily stamped out. There are now known to be four cases in the city, and three houses are quarantined. The local board of health recommends that no public gatherings be held before January 10th.

GORMAN WILL GO TO THE PACIFIC COAST

Retiring City Recorder of E. Grand Forks, James Gorman, has decided to go to the Pacific coast to spend the winter. Mr. Gorman was in the office this morning finishing up the work and Recorder Zimmerman was busy arranging the office to suit his ideas for its continuance. Mr. Gorman will assist in the auditing of the books and as soon as everything is in shape it is understood he will leave for western points.

TOOK THREE FIRST PREMIUMS

F. C. MITCHELL'S SPANGLED HAMBURG'S SCORE HIGH AT OMAHA

F. C. Mitchell yesterday received his pen of birds which he exhibited at the Trio City Poultry Exhibition which was held in the Auditorium at Omaha the finest exhibition hall in the South, and this morning received his scores.

He took first on pen, score 188½, first on cockerel, and first on pullet, score 95½, and two other pullets scores 95 1-4, all Silver Spangled Hamburgs.

These scores are exceptionally high specially the pen. Mr. Mitchell will exhibit next week from the 14 to 18 at Fargo. He had landed several first prizes every where he has exhibited this year.

STOLE GRAIN FROM CARS.

Wholesale Arrests of Railroad Employes Expected at Clinton, Iowa.

Clinton, Iowa, Jan. 11. — Warrants are out for a dozen Clinton employes of the North-Western Railway company, and wholesale arrests are promised soon. The men are accused of stealing shelled corn and oats from North-Western cars in the Clinton yards by boring holes in the cars and allowing the grain to run down into sacks.

Row Is Fatal to Two.

Shopville, Ky., Jan. 11.—In an altercation between Postmaster Harvey McHargus and Claude Price, McHargus was shot and killed and Price was probably fatally stabbed. The trouble is said to have been the result of McHargus ordering Price to refrain from calling on a young woman in the postmaster's home.

Indicted for Land Frauds.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 11.—An indictment was returned by the federal grand jury yesterday against E. M. Briggs of Durango, Colo., and Welch W. Nossaman of Pagosa Springs, Colo., on the charge of conspiracy to obtain 8,000 acres of government land by illegal methods.

TWO REMARKABLE CURES OF ECZEMA

Over Twenty-three Years Ago Baby had Severe Attack—Years Later Grandfather Suffered Torments with the Disease—Virulent Sores Developed from Knees to Toes.

BOTH OWE COMPLETE RECOVERY TO CUTICURA

"In 1884 my grandson, a babe, had an attack of eczema, and after trying the doctors to the extent of heavy bills and an increase of the disease and suffering, I recommended Cuticura and in a few weeks the child was well. He is to-day a strong man and absolutely free from the disease. A few years ago I contracted eczema, and became an intense sufferer. A whole winter passed without once having on shoes, my ankles and nearly from the knees to the toes being covered with virulent sores. I tried practitioners, specialists, dermatologists, etc., to no purpose. My daughter-in-law reminded me of having prescribed Cuticura for my grandson more than twenty years ago. I at once procured the Cuticura Remedies and found immediate improvement and final cure, till to-day, though well along in years, I am as though I had never had that disease. I am well known in the vicinity of Louisville and Cincinnati, and all this could be verified by witnesses. M. W. LaRue, 845 Seventh St., Louisville, Ky., April 23 and May 14, 1907."

The agonizing itching and burning of the skin, as in eczema; the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair and crusting of scalp, as in scalled head; the facial disfigurement, as in acne—all demand remedies of extraordinary virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are such stands proven by testimonials of remarkable cures when many remedies and even physicians have failed. One set is often sufficient to cure.

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

H. P. STRATE PASSED AWAY

COUNTY TREASURER OF CLAY COUNTY DIED YESTERDAY AT MOORHEAD

EARLY SETTLERS OF MOORHEAD—COUNTY TREASURER DURING THE PAST 20 YEARS

From Friday's Daily—

The death of Hans P. Strate county treasurer of Clay county, ocurred at his home, 219 Third street south, Moorhead, yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock after an extended illness of a complication of diseases. For a couple of weeks his death was almost expected hourly.

Hans P. Strate was about 67 years of age and was one of the early settlers of Moorhead being a wheat buyer in that city in early days. About twenty years ago he was elected county treasurer and each two years since has been re-elected practically without opposition.

Besides a wife five children survive the deceased. Thos. Strate is a responsible railway official in St. Paul Miss Clara Strate is a student at the University of Minnesota. Miss Bertha Strate is at home and also Miss Ida Strate and Hans Strate, younger children.

When you climb on the water wagon stay there; don't ask the driver for a transfer to a beer wagon.

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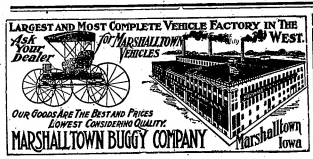
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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

HAS SMALLPOX—Ernest Wilde is confined to his home in Jeromes addition with an attack of smallpox.

CASE OF SMALLPOX—Night operator McNab of the Northern Pacific at E. G. Forks is reported suffering from a mild attack of smallpox.

PAINTED HOUSE—On Monday last Emil LaPlante gave his house on Hurlburt street a fresh coat of paint. The weather this winter makes painting feasible at this season of the year, and painters have been kept busier than usual as a result.

RESUMES STUDIES — Clarence Rosaan of Fisher, was here spending a few days with his uncles Jas T. and L. M. Hansen at Shelly and went to Moorhead last Monday evening to resume his studies at the Concodia college.

OUT AT BLACKDUCK—O. H. Bjoin of Crookston came in yesterday from his home and spent the day in the city He left last evening for Blackduck, where he owns a claim and considerable valuable timber.—Bemidji Pioneer.

WILL GO TO COAST—Former City Recorder Gorman of E. G. Forks will go to Seattle to accept a flattering offer as bookkeeper for a large mercantile concern. The best wishes of his numerous friends will acompany him.

BIG ELK HERE—John C. Parker, one of the leading members of the Antlered herd in the Elks herd at Bemidji spent last evening in the city between trains, hurrying back to see that the elks milk was properly set for the use of prospective fawns.

HERE FROM MICHIGAN — Amie Lanctot has arrived in the city from Lake Clinton, Michigan and will visit relatives in the city for several weeks He is very much taken with the weather that is being dished up in this section of the country.

IMPROVING SLOWLY—A. A. Glenn who was injured about a month ago is improving steadily but very slowly and will not be able to get out for at least three weeks more. His many friends are glad to learn however, that he is on the mend.

GOES TO CHICAGO—H. G. Maxwell, who has been the leader of the band at Red Lake Falls since last spring received a call last Friday to a lucrative position in Chicago and has left to enter upon the discharge of his new duties. He will have the arrangement of new music for a large publishing concern, hence his departure from there.

BLACK'S BUSY DAY—W. E. Black the insurance man and collector had a very busy day yesterday but also found time to royally entertain Guy L. Cadwell the attorney for the American Surety Co., for which Black is agent in this territory. Mr. Cadwell was in the city in the interest of his company.

NEW FLOORS—The floors in the offices of Attorney Clough in the Palace Block are being relaid with a fine hardwood flooring, Mr. Clough says that it may be a temptation to his friends and co-inhabitants to do a few stunts in terpsychorean degree of the society man and relieve some of the overburdened dancers especially when the percentage is three to one

MARRIED AT SEATTLE — Soren Oistad who was with W. E. Black in this city for some time and has recently gone west and located at Raymond Wash., was married at Seattle last Monday to Miss Lena D. Hoven a former resident of Fosston. Both of the young people are well known in Crookston and Polk county, Miss Hoven having attended the local high school, and both also were teachers

BROTHERHOOD OF OWLS—W. J. Higgins of Grand Forks, supervising organizer for the Brotherhood of Owls the motto of which is Truth, Silence and Wisdom, arrived in the city this morning. He recently instituted flourishing lodges in Grand Forks and Fargo and will institute one in Crookston in the near future. It is a social organization giving sick benefits and physicians' services, but no insurance.

500 Farmers Attend.

Hayfield, Minn., Jan. 11.—A farmers' institute was held here yesterday, attended by nearly fifty farmers from this and surrounding counties.

From Friday's Daily

HORSES TO SWAN RIVER—Frank Hanson of Scandia shipped 4 horses yesterday to go to work in one of the logging camps.

GOES TO KALISPEL—James Arnold leaves this evening for Kalispel where he will spend a few days visiting and attending to some business matters. Rev. and Mrs. Green, formerly of this city are located there.

TO THE CITIES—H. E. Nesne will leave this evening for St. Paul where he will spend several days looking after some business for the Northern Pressed Brick Co. He expects to return next Tuesday morning.

HOME FOR VISIT—Ed Schroeder who is assisting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bakke in the management of a large hotel at St. Peter is spending the week in the city visiting the home folks and attending to some business matters.

LOSS PAID—S W. Vance & Co., agents for the Detroit Fire and Marine Insurance Co., today paid to Joe Viau $200, the total amount of insurance for the recent loss sustained by Mr. Viau in the fire at Carman.

COMPLIMENTS THE WEATHER—R. Erdman one of Parnell township's substantial farmers was doing business in the city yesterday. This is one of the finest winters for the farmers that Mr. Erdman has ever experienced

ENTERTAINING BROTHER—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burke have been enjoying a visit from Mr. Burke's brother A. H. Burke of Minneapolis who spent a few days in the city, going over to Grand Forks for a further visit.

BELTRAMI O. K.—Theodore Iverson of Beltrami is in the city today and is visiting among his many friends, Mr. Iverson is a genuine booster for his home town and if there were many like him down there the berg would be well and favorably known from the north pole to the gulf of Mexico.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY — Malcolm MacAskill a tailor of Duluth has filed in the United States district court at Duluth a voluntary petition in bankrupcy. The indebtedness is set at $426.30 and the assets are $500 in household goods and $100 in tailors' tools.

G. N. WITNESS— John Ditty who has beena passenger brakeman on the Great Northern since the days when Commodore Kittson ran the boats on the river and Fisher was the terminus is in the city today as an important witness in one of the numerous damage cases the railroad has to contend with, Mr. Ditty for a number of years was a resident of this city.

A CHORUS CHOIR — Prof. M. E. Wright is at the present time organizing a large choir which will consist of over fifty members, all being students at the Crookston College. They will for three months receive instructions from Prof. Wright, and after that time they will give concerts before the public.

WITH FLY NETS—J. G. Anderson of Fisher drove over yesterday and enjoyed the warm breezes and spring like weather. Bill Welch says, he drove in with his flynets on the horses but Stanley Collins denies the story. He says there may be several flies and one or two mosquitoes wandering around these June days.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES — The Week of Prayer is being observed by the Scandinavian M. E. church and the services so far have been very good and impressive. At the meeting last night it was decided to hold cottage prayer meetings for the balance of the week. The meeting tonight will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kroog, 401 Woodland Avenue. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

A SWELL NEW SIGN—C. C. Bowen The Man Behind the Brush, and a crew, today placed a unique pool room sign in front of W. F. Peterson's place Robert street. The sign is the first of the kind ever placed in Crookston, being concave on both sides with single lights directly in front of the sign with rays converging by means of shades directly upon the lettering

The more favors a man asks the fewer he is willing to grant.

What society needs is shorter engagements and longer marriages.

From Wednesday's Daily

TO CONFIRM ENTRY — The senate committee on public lands has reported favorably a bill confirming the land entry of Gertrude Aaby, a widow living in the Crookston land district.

ADDRESSED STUDENTS—Yesterday afternoon Rev. Green addressed the students of the Crookston College His address was a most eloquent one, and was much appreciated by all who heard him.

SPEAK AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Prof. Squires of the University of North Dakota will speak at the Congregational church at both morning and evening services tomorrow.

CAPACITY LIMIT—The transient trade at the Grand Central is keeping the hotel filled at all times and the business thruout is increasing and is an indication of the up-to-date and satisfactory manner which it is conducted

LAND CAPITALIST—Senator C. D. Works of Mankato is a transient visitor in the city today having been up at Bemidji the past week looking after his landed interests in Beltrami county. Mr. Works also has a number of farms in this vicinity.

BACK AMONG THE SAVAGES—Ed Hanson who has been in Chicago the past two years where he has a good position as candy maker, is visiting friends in the city. The two years of metropolitan life has not changed Ed much but to him Crookston seems to have deterioriated since he has been used to rubbering up at 13 story buildings.

RESTING QUIETLY—Wm. Marrotte who suffered the severe injury by fire is resting easily today and if there is no relapse he is out of danger. It was a pretty close call for him and a steady stream of his friends are congratulating him on his narrow escape Carl Borghen got several views of Bill's bandaged face today and Joe thinks that some attorney is trying to get Bill to start a damage suit.

KLEVEN RETURNS—A. H. Kleven returned Saturday from Roseberg, Oregon, where he went to look over the country with the view of locating a number of people from this country on lands embraced in an old land grant to one of the railroads in that section and which is now subject to purchase and entry. He was highly successful and thinks well of the country—Bemidji Sentinel.

NORTH TOWNS PROSPEROUS — Henry Tiedt returned Thursday night from Argyle where he had been visiting with relatives and attending to some business matters. Mr. Tiedt says that the quiet times report does not go with the north country towns. because the farmers are prosperous and have lots of money and consequently the business men are correspondingly prosperous.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Samuel Currie and Mary H. Currie, his wife, Mortgagors, to Joseph A. Gilfillan, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of Nov., 1902, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of Nov. 1902, at 3 o'clock P. M. in Book 110 of Mortgages, on page 92 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North one half of section eighteen (18) Town one hundred fifty two (152) Range forty-six (46) in Polk County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Crookston in said County and State, on the 18th day of January 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5,285.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 3, A. D. 1907.

Joseph A. Gilfillan,
Mortgagee.

Jeff H. Irish.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Detroit, Minn.
(Dec 5-12-19-26-07 Jan 2-9-16-08)

EASTER DATE VERY LATE

RESSURRECTION MORN TO DAWN ON APRIL 19 OF THIS YEAR

LEADING CHURCH DAYS GIVEN WITH ECLIPSES FOR 1908

The almanacs for the year 1908 have arrived and contain much information of general interest. They show, among other things, and the one thing in which the public takes the greatest interest, that Easter Sunday comes this year, on April 19 a dae considerably later than last year.

The year 1908 comprises the latter part of the 132d and the beginning of the 133d years of the American independence and corresponds to the year 6621 of the Julian period; the years 5668-5669, the year of the Jewish era. The year 5669 begins at sunset on Sept. 25; the year 2661, since the formation of Rome according to Varo, the year 2568 of the Japanese era and the 51st year of the period entitled "Metji" the year 1326 of the Mohammedan era, or the year of Hergira, begins on Feb. 4, 1908. The first day of January is the 2,417,942d day since the commencement of the Julian period.

Church Days in 1908

Epiphany—Jan 6.
Septuagesima—Sunday Feb. 16.
Sexuagesima—Sunday Feb. 23.
Shrove Tuesday,—March 3.
Ash Wednesday—March 4.
Quardragesima—Sunday March 8.
Palm Sunday—April 12.
Good Friday—April 17.
Easter Sunday—April 19.
Low Sunday—April 26.
Rogation Sunday—May 24.
Ascension Sunday—May 28.
Whit Sunday—June 7.
Trinity Sunday—June 7.
Corpus Christi—June 18.
Advent Sunday—Nov. 29.
Christmas Day—Dec. 25.

Ember Days for 1908

New Year's Day falls on Wednesday Washington's birthday falls on Saturday Feb. 22; Memorial day falls on Saturday; Labor day falls on Monday Sept. 27. Thmanksgiving day falls on Thursday, Nov. 26.

Eclipses for 1908.

In the year 1908 there will be three eclipses of the sun and a lunar appulse.

A total eclipse of the sun, Jan. 3, not visible in the United States, except parts of the southwest, and they are visible only as a partial eclipse—the sun setting eclipsed. The path of America across the Pacific ocean is to a point about midway between New Zealand and Japan.

2. An annual eclipse of the sun, June 2, visible in the United States as a partial eclipse.

3. A lunar appulse, Dec, 7, the moon just rising at Washington and visible generally thruout Europe, Asia Africa and the extreme eastern portions of North and South America.

A central eclipse of the sun, Dec. 23, invisible here.

Stars for 1908

The planet Venus begins as evening star and continues as such until July 5, after which date she is the morning star to the end of the year.

The planet Mars will be evening star until Aug. 22, and then will be morning star the balance of the year.

The planet Jupiter begins as morning star, and continues as such until Jan 20, after which date he is the evening star until Aug. 17 and from then morning star to the end of the year

The planet Saturn begins as evenstar and continues as such until Mar. 21, after which date it is the morning star until Sept. 30, and then evening star the rest of the year.

GRAND FORKS WON BEMIDJI GAME

BASKET BALL TEAM LANDED VICTORY WITH BIG BEMIDJI

18 TO 15

In a hard fought game at Bemidji last evening the Grand Forks Independents won a victory from the "Big Bemidji" basket ball team. The final score was 18 to 15. The game was the best that has ever been seen here and the play was fast and furious even rough at times.

During first half the Grand Forks team got the hump on the locals and the score was 15 to 9. But in the second half the local boys did much better and were but three points behind when time was called for the end of the game.

Query—Does a man suffer more by ignorance of by knowledge?

OLE OLSON KILLED BY SOO TRAIN AT WINGER

Tragedy Occured in Eastern Polk this morning. Is a Brother of Mary Olson who resides with Wilhem Johnson West of this city Was Spending Winter here with his friends. 24 years of age and single.

From Saturday's Daily—

Passengers arriving on the Duluth train this morning brought news of the tragic death of Ole Olson at Winger this morning, he having been run over and instantly killed by a Soo train in the eastern Polk town.

The details of the accident could not be learned, one passenger claiming that Olson had fallen under the train and a travelling men having heard that Olson was driving across the track when he was struck by the Soo train.

Deceased is 24 years of age and with his sister, Mary Olson who is spending the winter at the home of Wilhelm Johnson west of the city, came down from his claim at Weber, Sask., Canada, last fall to spend the winter with old friends and relatives in Polk Co. He has been visiting at Winger for some time.

Olson is single, and has another brother, Victor, in Canada, who has also been telegraphed for.

The unfortunate man has many friends in this city and vicinity who will hear the tragic news with deep regret.

ANNUAL MEET AND BANQUET

OF THE TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND CLUB WILL BE HELD THURSDAY JAN. 23

CHAS. KIEWEL MAKES VALUABLE SUGGESTION REGARDING COLD STORAGE PLANT

From Saturday's Daily—

At the meeting of the directors of the Twenty-five Thousand Commercial club last evening at the city hall club rooms considerable routine business was discussed.

It was decided to hold the annual meeting on Thursday evening, January 23, in the dining room of the Odd Fellows Hall at which time the officers will be elected and the work of the past year gone over.

The election will be followed by a banquet, tickets for which will be sold for 50 cents and a committee will make the canvass for their sale in a few days. Following the banquet there will be a smoker at which there will be a program of addresses covering a number of important subjects.

The secretary read a letter from Chas. Kiewel which opens the way for the erection of a cold storage plant here at a minimum cost. Mr. Kiewel stated that his cold storage plant had a capacity far exceeding the needs of his business, and that connection could readily be made at small cost with the proposed cold storage plant. The machinery of the plant is very costly and this scheme makes the cold storage available with only the cost of the building and the actual cost of the "manufacture" of the required amount of cold for the proposed plant.

The Kiewel plant is also located close to the G. N. tracks where the railroad facilities could not be better. The matter was referred to the cold storage plant committee of which J. H. Stair is chairman for further consideration.

ATTY CLYDE CHAPIN IS ADMITTED

TO PRACTICE IN HIGH COURTS—WAS A FORMER EUCLID RESIDENT

Clyde R. Chapin of the law firm of Sharp & Chapin at Moorhead returned this morning from St. Paul where he has been arguing a case before the supreme court. While in the capital city Mr. Chapin was granted certificates admitting him to practice before the United States district court, the United States circuit court and the United States circuit court of appeals. His next step, admittance to practice before the highest tribunal in the country, the United States supreme court, cannot be taken under the rules of that court until the expiration of five years. Mr. Chapin has been patiently anticipating the possession of the certificates which he now has, for some time.

All of Atty. Chapin's former friends and schoolmates at Euclid will be pleased at the success he has attained in his chosen profession.

DOTSON'S WORK VERY COARSE

WEDNESDAY RINDAL VOTES DOTSON SLICE OF PUBLIC MONEY

FRIDAY THE TIMES TROTS RINDAL OUT AS CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

From Saturday's Daily—

"You scratch my back and I'll scratch yours". Wednesday County Commissioners Rindal was enthusiastic in his support of the high bid of the Times' combine for the county printing, voting to make a present of $2,000 or $3,000 of the county money to the Times et. al. and Friday the Times trots out Mr. Rindal as a candidate for sheriff of Polk County. The only course now for the people of Polk Co., is to fall in line and vote for the man Dotson was paid to bring out with the peoples' money voted to him by Commissioner Rindal.

We have seen coarse pieces of political work but this really takes the premium over anything of the kind ever sprung on a long suffering public.

The Journal will now, watch the people of Polk County fall all over themselves in fighting for a chance to vote for Commissioner Rindal for sheriff of Polk County because Mr. Dotson intimates that he must really be elected as he has agreed to deliver the goods.

PRAIRIE FIRES IN JANUARY

Victor Barlund who lives on a farm near Erskine was yesterday busy burning the dead grass off his meadows and maintains that this is an excellent time to do this as the fire will not destroy the grass roots on account of the frost in the ground How is this for a Northern Minnesota winter, January 9th?

A derrick will not help a man out when he falls in love.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

SPECIAL MEETING FOR MUNN

STATE BOARD OF PARDONS WEIGHS MUNN'S LIFE JANUARY 21

LETTERS ASKING FOR CLEMENCY FROM EX-GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN

From Tuesday's Daily—

The state board of pardons will meet in St. Paul on January 21 next for the purpose of determining what disposition will be made of the case of Martin S. Munn, sentenced to be hanged in Bemidji next month. The meeting of the board will be a special adjourned session from the regular meeting which was held yesterday in the capitol.

The reason of adjournment for the purpose of considering the case of Munn arises from large correspondence from all parts of the northwest addressed to the Minnesota state board of pardons appealing for mercy to the condemned. It is well known about the capitol that such letters have been received from prominent men in the northern portion of the state and especially from men of the highest public note in the state of Wisconsin from which Munn came. No other than a former governor of Wisconsin signs among these letters.

If extenuating circumstances in the life and actions of the condemned make any recommend of clemency in his case his sentence will undoubtedly be commuted. That is all that his two brothers and other friends are holding out hope of.

Attorney E. D. Clough of Crookston, the leading attorney in the behalf of Munn returned from St. Paul last Saturday night where, it is understood, he appeared before the board and directed its special attention to the case of his helpless client. While he will make no definite statement as to the progress of the case, he undoubtedly has some assurances of Munn's escape from the gallows.

Martin S. Munn was convicted at the last term of the Beltrami county court for the murder of August Franklin at Beaudette in a restaurant which both men owned jointly. Alleged relations of Munn with Mrs. Franklin was the apparent grounds of the jury's extreme action.

EAST GRAND FORKS' NEW FIRE CHIEF

LIEUT. BURKE OF ST. PAUL FIRE DEPT. CHOSEN AT A SALARY OF $1,200

At yesterday's meeting of the East Grand Forks city council the selection of Lieut Burke of the St. Paul fire department as chief of the East Grand Forks department was confirmed and Mr. Burke was made fire warden as well and will be endowed with police powers to enforce the regulations regarding precautions for the prevention of fires. Mr. Burke's appointment was made for a term of three years at a salary of $1200 annually. He will take steps towards the reorganization of the department and it is expected that one engine company a hook and ladder truck company, and two hose companies will be organized and drilled by the new chief. The purchasing committee was authorized to purchase furniture for the dormitory and ten call firemen will sleep at the engine house ready for instant service in response to night alarms.

The council reappointed Thomas Powers as chief engineer of the fire department at his present salary.

Two Unwelcome Visitors Here

At this season La Grippe and Pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures la grippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night.. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it.—Sold by all druggists.

Some people seem to have no use for anything common—not even common sense.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

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Anyone having for sale a good
FARM or
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TOWN PROPERTY
In any good locality may find a cash buyer, without paying any commission, by sending description and price at once, to
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We WILL deal only with Owners.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AT CROOKSTON

JANUARY 30th AND 31st, FEBRUARY 1ST, 1908

Notice is hereby given that the semi-annual teachers' examinations for Polk county will be held in the City of Crookston at the Court House Thursday January 30th, and at the High School building, Friday and Saturday, January 31st, and February 1, 1908.

Teachers entitled to renewal of their certificates, and teachers who write to remove conditions must bring their certificates to the examination.

Program of examinations for teachers' state certificates, January 30th, and 31st, and February 1st, 1908.

Program.

Thursday January 30th.
(First Grade Studies.)

A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:15 Geometry.
10:00 Physics.
P. M.— 1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

Agriculture may be taken at any one of above periods, and may be substituted for either Geometry or Physical Geography.

Friday, January 31st.
(Second Grade Studies.)

A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00 Arithmetic.
P. M.— 1:15 Geography.
2:45 Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

Saturday, February 1st
(Second Grade Studies Continued)

A. M.— 8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English Grammar.
11:30 Music.
P. M.— 1:15 Physiology-Hygiene.
2:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

Note: Teachers living at a distance should come to the city the night before the examination so as not to be disappointed in taking the examination, by delayed trains.

—Thomas Casey,
County Supt.

BAUDETTE LODGES HAVE JOINT INSTALLATION

Last night the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors of Baudette gave a semipublic joint installation of officers, which was followed by a grand supper and ball. Hoelscher's orchestra was engaged, the attendance was very large and the occasion a very enjoyable one.

TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER DIOCESE

ARCHDEACON APPLEBY, WHO ASSAILED BISHOP, TRANSFERRED TO MISSOURI

Dr. T. H. W. Villiers Appleby has been transferred from Duluth to the diocese of Missouri.

Dr. Appleby has been an archdeacon in the Episcopal church for years and for a long time was apostle to the Indians at White Earth and also located at St. Vincent in the early days.

He astonished the congregation at St. Paul's church Duluh last summer by denouncing Bishop Morrison from the pulpit. He was deposed soon after and has been quietly moved to another field.

He has had several offers from Los Angeles and other cities.

Dr. and Mrs. Appleby and Miss Appleby are now going to New York for a long visit.

20 MILES OF NEW DRAINS

WILL BE CONSTRUCTED IN CASS COUNTY DURING CURRENT YEAR

According to the estimates of the county drainage board, about twenty miles of new drains will be dug in Cass county this coming year. The three new drains in Gardner and Wiser townships will be twelve miles in length and the Stanley drain will be eight miles long. When these drains are completed, there will be 175 miles of drains in Cass county.

It is very important and in fact is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by A. G. Anderson.

VERDICT FOR VONDERBECK

JURY WAS OUT BUT 17 MINUTES IN DECIDING IN HIS FAVOR YESTERDAY

PERSONAL ASSAULT CASE ON TRIAL THIS AFTERNOON—CRIMINAL CASES SET

From Tuesday's Daily—

In the suit of E. S. Brown who sued Capt. Vonderbeck for $5000 damages for alleged assault two years ago when as a police officer he took Brown's team to a livery stable after it had been left standing on the street for several hours in the winter, the jury yesterday afternoon took just 17 minutes to reach a verdict for the defendant, Vonderbeck. Brown tried to have Vonderbeck indicted for assault before two grand juries and failing in this brought the suit for damages which ended yesterday.

Damage Suit On

This afternoon the suit of D. D. Brodal who wants $1000 from John B. Peterson as damages suffered as the result of a fight over east some time ago is on. E. O. Hagen represents the plaintiff and H. A. Johnson the defendant. The case will require all afternoon.

Jurors Ill

Yesterday Edwin Monson one of the jurors drawn for the Brown-Vonderbeck trial was taken ill and the case was finished with 11 jurors. Today Chas. Jefferson was also excused on account of illness.

Next Monday the criminal cases will be taken up.

SECOND BRILLIANT METEOR SEEN HERE

LOCAL POLICE HAVE EVIDENCE THAT THEY DID NOT "SEE THINGS"

Last Saturday Capt. Vonderbeck and Officer Lalonde reported having seen a very brilliant falling star between 4 and 5 o'clock Saturday morning, so bright that it cast a shadow from them while they were standing directly underneath an electric street lamp. Naturally some of their friends accused them of "seein' things" but they were not the only ones who witnessed the brilliant spectacle as the following from the Grand Forks Herald of this morning will bear witness:

"Engineer A. F. Mallick of Jamestown reports seeing a very brilliant meteor at 4:54 Saturday morning while pulling N. P. train No. 6 a mile east of Sterling. The meteor which was as white and brilliant as an electric light and half the size of the moon was moving from north to south and leaving a broad and exceedingly brilliant trail. The earth was lighted up for eight or 10 seconds. Gradually the meteor died out as it approached the earth."

CONTEST CASE IS DISMISSED

On Tuesday last two contest cases were scheduled to come off before Carl S. Dahlquist a notary of Beaudette. The land involved is located some twenty odd miles up the Rainy from there and is in the Cass Lake land district. It is not far from the Long Sault rapids.

The parties to the contests were Otto Gunderson against Mike Maruskv, and Hannah Stokke against Harry Maruska. Attorney C. R. Middleton had been retained to represent the contestants. A few days ago, Joseph Maruska, of Angus, Minn., appeared for his two sons and conferred with the contestants and their attorney, and it was agreed to settle the controversy without suit. The result was that the contestants withdrew their charges and Mr. Maruska went up river to the claim.

CLUB ELECT AT HALLOCK

HALLOCK COMMERCIAL CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YETAR

The Hallock Commercial Club at its annual meeting last week elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

E. Ellis, president.
W. G. Thompson, vice president.
T. M. George, secretary.
G. Goodman, treasurer.
P. H. Konzen, J. D. Henry, A. L. Hanson, Wm. Onglis and J. H. Bradish directors.

The man with a swelled head usually wears a small hat.

AWFUL GASH IN SCALP

ALPHONSE PFAFF FELL FROM G. NORTHERN BRIDGE AND CUT HEAD

GASH 5 INCHES LONG IN SCALP AND BACK SEVERELY WRENCH—BROUGHT HERE

From Monday's Daily—

Just before noon today, Alphonse Pfaff who resides in Sampson's addition fell from a G. N. bridge between here and Eldred striking his head on a jagged rock sticking up from the ice about 12 feet below and inflicting a terrible wound about 5 inches long in addition to sustaining a severe wrench in his back.

Mr. Pfaff is section foreman on the Great Northern between here and Eldred and had but one man working with him. He bled terribly and it was with much difficulty that the other man assisted him to the Carlson farm a mile and half from the bridge, and about 10 miles from this city.

Mr. Carlson hitched up his horse and buggy and drove the injured man to this city and Dr. Just dressed his wounds and it is believed he will recover nicely unless there are internal injuries. At a hasty preliminary examination Dr. Just was of the opinion that the skull was not fractured.

Mr. Pfaff was very weak from the excessive loss of blood, but displayed great nerve. Had it not been for a most vigorous constitution he would have collapsed immediately after the accident.

The two men were levelling up the track on the bridge when Mr. Pfaff's foot slipped and the plunge below resulted. That the injured man escaped breaking his neck or skull was almost a miracle, striking as he did upon the frozen stream below.

Mr. Pfaff is a married man and resides at 402 Waadland Avenue Sampson's addition.

HACKS ORDERED INTO ALLEYS

EAST GRAND FORKS NEW MAYOR WANTS VEHICLES KEPT OFF DEMERS AVENUE

There was consternation among the East Grand Forks hackmen yesterday when they were notified of an edict of Mayor Dunlevy that hereafter hacks when not in service shall not stand on DeMers avenue as in the past, but confine their presence to the alleys. The order went into force last evening. A similar regulation was in force some months ago but the order was finally rescinded after repeated appeals from the hackmen.

EARLY BIRD REPORTED

MOURNING DOVE IS SEEN EATING WHEAT NEAR MILL IN WALHALLA

Walhalla, N. D., reports Dr. Graham as seeing a wild mourning dove on the road between the mill and bridge eating wheat. The latter bird is one of the first to migrate to the south on the approach of winter.

If it wasn't for the easy marks in this world there wouldn't be so much "doing."

The success of the man who succeeds is usually due to the the failure of others.

TAKE IT IN TIME

Scores of Crookston Citizens Have Learned It

If you suffer from bachache,
There is only one way to cure it.
The perfect way is to cure the kidneys.
A bad back means sick kidneys.
Neglect it, urinary troubles follow.
Doan's Kidney Pills are made for kidneys only.
Are endorsed by Crookston people.

Leroy G. Burkhardt, a packer at Brown's cigar factory and living at 309 Fifth St., E., Crookston, Minn., says: "I speak from personal experience when I say that Doan's Kidney Pills are a valuable and reliable remedy for kidney complaint. Being in need of such a medicine I got a supply at Wallace's drug store. The use of which quickly convinced me that the many endorsements of Doan's Kidney Pills published in our local papers were not exaggerated. The soothing and healing influence of Doan's Kidney Pills was felt almost from the first dose. A continued use absolutely cured me of kidney trouble that had bothered me. I am always ready to recomend Doan's Kidney Pills."

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WILL CONFORM WITH FEDERAL

COMMISSIONER E. K. SLATER WILL REVISE PURE FOOD LABELS

JAM AND JELLY LABELS WILL BE SAME AS PRESCRIBED BY FEDERAL LAW

E. K. Slater state dairy and food commissioner has prepared a set of new rules and regulations relating to the manufacture and labelling of food products offered for sale in this state which will go into effect about the first of February. The purpose is to secure uniformity in the regulations of the state and the federal government in order to avoid unnecessary restrictions and expenses upon the manufacturer.

Under the present regulations the requirements of the state law differ in some respects from the federal requirements which makes it necessary for manufacturers from outside the state to affix two labels of goods shipped into Minnesota, altho the labels vary only in a minor and unimportant feature. By adjusting such differences to the federal regulations it is hoped that a greater uniformity will be reached.

Under the present Minnesota regulations jams and jellies when containing products other than the fruits or fruit juices and cane sugar, must be labeled "mixed" or "adultered" where as the federal law requires them to be Similar differences occur with reference to other products and in the case of jams and jellies, the state regulations are made to conform with the federal regulations.

FATHER OF N. D. PROHIBITION

ARNE P. HAUGEN DIED AT REYNOLDS ON SUNDAY EVENING

Word arrived in the city yesterday of the death of Hon. Arne P. Haugen at his home in Reynolds, N. D., aged 62 years after a brief illness. The deceased was a member of the first N. Dakota legislature under statehood and introduced the prohibition bill in 1889, which became a law. He was a member of the legislature several terms since that time and served in the legislature last winter. Mr. Haugen was a constant supporter of prohibition in North Dakota and never failed to lend his influence in behalf of the cause.

INJURED BY A FALLING TREE

ERICK BALSUM A WOODSMAN IS PLACED IN A BEMIDJI HOSPITAL

While working in the woods near Northome Saturday Erick Balsum, a young Norwegian, was struck by a falling tree, causing injuries that may prove fatal.

Balsum was engaged in trimming a tree which had been felled, while two of his fellow workers were sawing a large white pine nearby. Balsum was warned several times of danger, but did not make any effort to get out of the way until the tree began to fall In running he unknowingly took the direction the tree was going, which came down with a terrible crash, and with the result that the unfortunate man was pinioned beneath it.

BIG BEMIDJI WON B. B. GAME

THEY REDEEMED THEMSELVES FOR THE DEFEAT OF FRIDAY NIGHT

The "Big Bemidg" basket ball team turned the tables on the strong independent team from Grand Forks, Saturday evening, at Bemidji when the visitors went down to defeat, by score of 11 to 7, the Bemidji team showing an entire reversal of form from Friday evening when the Grand Forks quint won a game defeating the locals by a score of 18 to 15.

YOUNG MURDERER COOL.

O'Brien Jokes With Friends on the Way to Prison.

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 14.—James O'Brien, slayer of Arthur Le Claire, a Great Northern fireman, passed through Grand Forks yesterday on his way from Pembina to Bismarck, where he will serve a life term in the state penitentiary.

There was no hostile demonstration, but scores of people visited the Great Northern train to see the sixteen-year-old slayer. O'Brien visited with this and joked with the people he knew.

AN OLD MAID

Once there was an old maid who said that she did not need a husband. She had a parrot that swore, a monkey that chewed tobacco and a cat that went out nights. But the Old Maid needed a bank and YOU need one.

TRY
The Old Reliab .
First National Bank
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U. S. Depositary.

TO PURCHASE PHEASANTS

SPORTSMEN PLAN TO PURCHASE LARGE COLONY TO LIBERATE AT MAPLE LAKE

CONDITIONS ARE IDEAL — SUGGESTED THAT HUNTERS SUBSCRIBE $5 EACH

The sportsmen in this city and surrounding territory are interested in a plan suggested by W. M. Ferguson, the northwestern representative of the Peters Cartridge Co., to raise a substantial sum of money by contributing from $5 to $10 each into a pool for the purchase of a substantial colony of Mongolian Ring-necked pheasants to be liberated near Maple Lake where the conditions are ideal for their thriving.

A short time since the game and fish commission liberated six birds in that vicinity but for satisfactory results the hunters think a much larger number should be added at once, and with that end in view a subscription will be taken up in the near future with the object in view of having first class pheasant shooting within the next few years.

A number of enthusiastic hunters who were chatting at the Hotel Crookston last evening were heartily in favor of the scheme and each evinced a willingness to contribute from $5 to $10 each to a fund for the purchase of the ring-necked Mongolian pheasants which it has been proven are best suited for this climate, prolific breeders and have beautiful plumage.

Near Maple Lake there is just enough brush for good cover, and protection in the winter, with abundant grain fields for feeding. The Journal will be glad to receive any suggestions along this line from other hunters who would care to assist in improving the conditions for the sportsmen of this section.

Spiders Set Style in Lace Making

A singular fact about Paraguayan laces is that the designs are borrowed from the curious webs spun by the semitropical spiders that abound in that country. For this reason the lace is called by the natives nanduti, an Indian word that means "spider web." The quality of the materials used in the brewing of golden grain belt beer makes it not only the best of all beverages, but also the purest Keep the home table supplied with this delicious liquid bread. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

A VERDICT OF GUILTY

RETURNED AGAINST JOHN LEE OF LIBERTY THIS MORNING

FRANK MONNET LARCENY CASE IS ON THIS AFTERNOON—OTHER CASES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Before Judge Watts this afternoon the case of Frank Monnet for the stealing of clothing and a grip from the Farmers Hotel in this city was taken up with W. P. Murphy and County Atty. Maybury prosecuting.

The grand larceny case of John Matheson who is accused of robbing Oscar Anderson of $55 at East Grand Forks is set for tomorrow and the rape case against Dave Goodrie and the Hoken Evanson grand larceny case have been set for next Monday.

Found Guilty

This morning the jury in the case of Miss Casperia Eggerness vs. John Lee of Liberty township for bastardy which has been on trial for the past two days returned a verdict of guilty The jury disagreed in the same case last spring. An appeal will probably be taken.

INVENTORY COMPLETED

GUY A. AUBOL COMPLETES INVENTORY IN HIS DISTRICT

Guy A. Aubol of Crookston deputy revenue collector for this district of Minnesota has completed taking inventory of all cigar factories and tobacco factories in the district upon the order of the internal revenue officials.

The orders received by Mr. Aubol were to complete taking inventory of all factories before Jan. 20th. There are twenty-four cigar factories and two tobacco factories in the district. As these factories are scattered over a wide territory, the task of completing the inventory of each before Jan 20, was a difficult one, but Mr. Aubol "hustled" and finished his work within the time prescribed in the order.

Mr. Aubol was obliged to cover some 2000 miles in traveling over the territory covered by the factories, and was at his home in Crookston but once since he commenced the inventories.

Ten Miners Hurt.

La Salle, Ill., Jan. 22.—Ten miners were severely hurt yesterday when a cage fell down the shaft of a coal mine. Two of the injured men may die.

CENSUS SHOWS MANY CATHOLICS

THERE ARE 13,877,426 IN CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES

There are 13,877,426 Roman Catholics in the United States according to the advance sheets of the 1908 Wiltius Catholic directory, published in Milwaukee. These figures show an increase of 788,093 over last year. Including the Catholic population of the Philippines, which amounts to 7,106,452, and adding the 1,000,000 Catholic population of Porto Rico, and the 35,000 Catholics of the Sandwich Islands the entire Catholic population under the United States flag amounts to 22,018,898. As all figures are submitted to the directory publishers by the various archbishops and bishops, the total may be taken as a very reliable estimate. A census has been taken in most of the archdioceses and dioceses and the very latest figures have been submitted

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It takes a lot of Christianity to enable a man to feel glad when he is called upon for $10 to help repair the church.

BANKS ALL FLOURISHING

SPIRIT OF THRIFT IS GROWING AMONG ALL CLASSES IN CROOKSTON

A GENERAL DISPOSITION EVINCED TO SAVE EARNINGS IN CROOKSTON

One of the most important features of the banking business of Crookston is the large number of people who are carrying savings bank accounts. The large financial institutions of the city all have savings departments and all are flourishing.

Men, women and children have been induced to deposit their small sums with results that in every case are gratifying not alone to the depositor [illegible]t to the institution.

[illegible]here is an old adage that if the [illegible]es are taken care of, the dollars [illegible] take care of themselves, and this i[illegible] true today as when it was first ut[illegible]d.

[illegible] city of Crookston stands high in t[illegible]ist of cities that are making reco[illegible]n the matter of acquiring savin[illegible]. The depositors range from the boy who is just starting his career as a paper merchant to the man and woman who have incomes and who desire to set aside for a rainy day a certain portion each month. A late topical song strikes the right key for the person with a disposition to save. It is, in effect, that every little bit added to what you now have makes a little bit more.

Money has muscle and brains doubly discounted in the matter of making more money. If one gets enough of it to make a start and uses the ordinary judgment with which human beings are endowed, and is patient, he is sure to succeed. He may meet with reverses, but his experience is valuable. If he has been honest and industrious and energetic he will find people ready and able to help him back on to his feet again, and if he does not, he will, if he is made of the right kind of mettle, fight his way back with such legitimate means as may be at his command. The chances are that if he meets with one failure, the experience of that will prevent a second one.

HOMESTEADER WAS GENEROUS

A. F. RAUCH LAYS FLOOR IN HIS NEIGHBOR'S CLAIM CABIN

A good story is being told on Adolph Rauch, who with E. J. Keating, A. G. Sandberg and Nels Anderson returned Monday evening from their timber claim south of Graceton. It seems that Mr. Rauch purchased lumber at Graceton for a floor for his cabin, and hired a man to haul it out. The team returned to Graceton and Mr. Rauch was busy laying the floor with two men when a man appeared at the door.

"What are you doing?" he asked.

"I am laying a floor in my cabin" replied Mr. Rauch.

"What is your name?" inquired the stranger.

"Mr. Adolph F. Rauch of Crookston Minn.," was the reply.

"Well, have all the fun you want, but you are laying a floor in my cabin," said the stranger.

An investigation followed, and after sizing up the surroundings Mr. Rauch discovered that the cabin was not his own. It was built by the same parties, was the same size, constructed of the same material, located the same distance from the road and on the same kind of a little ridge, but Mr. Rauch's cabin was a half mile further on. As the team had been sent back to Graceton, Mr. Rauch and the two men had a nice job of tearing up the floor which had been half laid, carting it on their backs for a half mile and relaying it where it belonged.

Mr. Rauch is not telling the story himself.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that little Cascasweet the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

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PETER TASDALE WAS FOULLY MURDERED

Brother-in-law of Nels Peterson the Victim of A Terrible Tragedy on Ranch Near Great Falls. No Details Received of Affair. Motive Supposed to be Robbery. Mr. Peterson Left to Investigate and Take Charge of Property Last Evening. Accompanied by Brother of the Dead Man. Details are Lacking.

A message was received here Sunday by Neys Peterson to the effect that his brother-in-law Peter Tasdale had been foully murdered in his cabin on his ranch near Great Falls, Montana, and Mr. Peterson left last evening for the scene of the tragedy accompanied by Ole J. Tasdale, brother of the murdered man, who resides at Morris, Ill.

The message contained no details of the tragedy, but stated that some relative of the deceased should go to Great Falls at once and take charge of the stock and ranch owned by the murdered man.

Peter Tasdale has visited Crookston several times and has many friends in this section, and the receipt of the news of the circumstances which surrounded the awful crime here did not even intimate whether the murder had been committed with a knife, gun or what, and it is not known what the motive was, but it is supposed to have been robbery, as deceased was well-to-do.

A WILD BUFFALO IS KILLED BY FARMER

Story from Kenmare Tells of Wild Buffalo Being Killed Near There After It Attacked Cattle.

Kenmare, N. D., Jan 15—After a wild buffalo that had strayed over the Canadian boundary had battled with his Red Poland bull and nearly killed it, tore down a portion of a barn in its frenzied rage and attacked a big Percheron mare, J. A. Englund killed the Buffalo with two well aimed shots from a rifle. The Englund cattle herd had been grazing on the Des Lacs bluffs, each evening being brought to the farm. The buffalo joined the herd and when Foreman Sanders rounded up the bunch in the evening he failed to notice the buffalo until the herd was brought home and was being placed in the different corrals. Sanders sought Englund to tell him about the buffalo and when they returned they found that there was a fierce battle in progress between the buffalo and the farm bull. Using pitch forks the men tried to separate the animals. Finally Sanders jabbed the prongs into the buffalo's neck and succeeded in driving him away from the bull which was nearly dead from the attack. When the buffalo partially wrecked the barn and attacked a horse Englund decided to kill him. Englund has communicated with the Canadian authorities, owners of the buffalo, concerning the matter, and has told the game warden of the circumstances.

FIVE WERE INDICTED FOR THE ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR

THREE LENGBY SALOON KEEPERS AND TWO RESIDENTS OF TABOR DREW A BATCH OF 31 INDICTMENTS—FOUR OF THOSE INDICTED ENTERED PLEAS OF GUILTY AND WERE FINED FROM $25 TO $50 EACH—GRAND JURY MADE FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDED SOME IMPROVEMENTS IN COUNTY JAIL—JOHN LEE CASE STILL ON BEFORE JUDGE WATTS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The bastardy case of Miss Casperia Eggerness vs. John Lee of Liberty township which was started yesterday afternoon before Judge Watts is still dragging on today. It will probably reach the jury some time before adjournment this afternoon.

In the case of Erickson vs. Propp of Fertile in which $80 was claimed for rent the jury late yesterday afternoon returned a verdict for $45 in favor of the plaintiff.

Thirty-one Indictments

The grand jury turned in a batch of 31 indictments last evening just before 6 o'clock reported no further business for consideration and was discharged by Judge Watts. Carl Lindberg, Ole Lindberg and J. N. Hengstrom three saloon keepers of Lengby drew 18 indictments between them for selling to minors, keeping open after hours and on Sunday, Frank Novak who holds a government license in Tabor township was indicted under four counts and Anton Sireck of Tabot who holds only a government license was indicted under nine counts, both being guilty of having retailed liquor and having sold to minors. Novak at once entered a plea of guilty and was fined $25 and costs, and the others will probably do the same and be sentenced under one count with the others held in abeyance during strict compliance with the laws in future.

Today, John Vig, the Fosston attorney, entered a plea of guilty on the part of the three Lengby saloon keepers and each was fined $50. Anton Shirack is expected to appear this evening and enter a plea of guilty also.

In its report the grand jury recommended replacing the chain hangers supporting the steam pipes in the basement of the old part of the jail by more substantial brackets, and recommended making other improvements to the steam pipes in other parts of the jail. They also reported that the jail stairway to the cellar should be rebuilt.

They reported that after a careful inspection of the court house, jail and sheriff's dwelling they found everything in a gratifying condition, showing care and efficiency on the part of the officials. The jury was discharged and most of them left for their homes last evening and this morning.

POLK SHOULD GET BUSY

STATE ROADS SHOULD BE DESIGNATED AT AN EARLY DATE

GEO. W. COOLEY WRITES LETTER COVERING THE PROPOSITION

George W. Cooley, secretary of the state highway commission, has sent out circular letters to the boards of county commissioners of the various counties of the state, warning them to at once decide upon new roads which they might contemplate building and thus make early application for state aid.

The state highway commission will hold its regular annual meeting in St. Paul on Tuesday, March 3, for the purpose of alloting to the different counties such amounts from the state aid funds as it deems advisable. This fund will be so distributed that any one county may receive a maximum of 3 per cent or a minimum of one-half of 1 per cent.

The total fund will approximate $75,000 so that the maximum may run as high as $2,250 while the minimum will average about $387. Whatever the amount received it will be entitly expended on roads to be designated as state roads.

Section 16 of Article IX., of the constitution provides that the state shall only pay one-third of the cost of such road work so the county must contribute twice the amount contributed by the highway commission; that is to say, if the state aid allowed any county is $1,000, the county must appropriate double the amount of $2,000 all of which is to be expended under proper supervision on some designated state road under the rules and supervision of the state highway commission.

Application must be made by the counties immediately and rules governing the expenditures will be sent out until Feb. 1.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new Laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best Laxative. Guarateed or your money back. For sale by all druggists.

MISSING ONES ARE SOUGHT

JOHN W. CALDWELL'S MOTHER IS DYING IN OHIO AND WISHES TO SEE SON

Chief Eck has received a communication from Miss Maude Lasher, of a Minnesota town who seeks information of Miss Minnie Montany. She is very anxious to hear from her friend and believes she was in Crookston and Grand Forks not long ago.

John Caldwell, formerly of Mt. Gilead, Ohio, is being sought by his sister, Mrs. Ralph Fulton, She writes to Chief Eck that Caldwell's mother is seriously ill at Mt. Gilead. Caldwell was here for a while.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. —F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Boy Is Missing.

Barnesville, Minn., Jan. 22. — Clarence Morben, son of R. Morben of this city left Saturday night and has not been heard from since. When he left home he had $30 in his pockets. The boy is fifteen years old. It is thought he is in Crookston.

Top of Head Blown Off.

Elkader, Iowa, Jan. 22.—While William Reimer was hunting Sunday afternoon his gun was accidentally discharged in crossing a wire fence, blowing the top of his head off.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

SENTENCE IS COMMUTED

PETER MATHIESON WILL NOT HANG—SPEND LIFE IN STATE PRISON

MARTIN S. MUNN'S PETITION FOR COMMUTATION IS DENIED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The efforts of the Danes in the state and of many other states in behalf of Peter Mathieson who was sentenced to hang February 7 in Bemidji culminated yesterday in the commutation of his sentence to that of life imprisonment. The case in the last week has been pushed by many prominent Danes and tho the result was unexpected in this city yet a great deal of pressure has been brought to bear on the board of pardons.

Mathieson was convicted last January of the murder of his comrade March. Mathieson's story was that a Johan Johanson near Tenstrike in gun in their shack was accidentally discharged when he went to pick it up from the table. There were several contradictions in his story but it was claimed by his intercessors that these were due largely to his inability to understand the English language. Mathieson was found guilty by the jury although the evidence was purely circumstantial. His cause was immediately taken up by many prominent Danes in the state and his countrymen in other states have also become interested. Among those who appeared in the hearing before state board of pardons were Ex-Governor John Lind, Dr. John Johnson, the Danish consul stationed at St. Paul; C. C. Rasmussen, president of the principal Danish publication in the state; H. S. Swenson, a prominent Danish attorney of Minneapolis, and Rev. S. E. P. White of Bemidji.

By order of the governor the gun with which the alleged killing was done was brought to Minneapolis as an exhibit before the board of pardons The weapon was shown to be faulty in construction and the probable truth of Mathieson's story claiming that the discharge was accidental was demonstrated. Gibson and Torrence of Bemidji the attorneys for Mathieson, have worked hard in his behalf and the success in securing commutation of his sentence has been largely due to their untiring efforts.

E. D. Clough of Crookston also appeared before the board in behalf of his client Merton S. Munn, who was sentenced to hang at the same time as Mathieson. The board, however, denied his petition and unless something intervenes the execution will take place on Feb. 7.

NERVY DRUNK IN PARLOR

TAKES POSSESSION OF ROOM AND FRIGHTENS WOMAN AT GRAND FORKS

Thomas Connolly, who says his home is in Buffalo, New York took possession of the parlor bedroom of N. H. Mohowald, at Grand Forks at an early hour this morning. He was heard coughing in the room by Mrs. Mahowald who feared he was a burglar and awakened her husband. Mahowald soon decided it was no burglar. He telephoned the police station and Officer Benson took Connolly to the police station.

"I was belong right here in Buffalo said Connelly when jailed. He was very drunk.

WORK IN PLANNING MILL PROGRESSES ALL WINTER

The planning mill whistle at Spooner has been sounding its joyous work call during the past week. The company has quite a few orders on hand at that place and as the season advances indications tend to an increase of business thus it may be possible that work will continue from now on all winter.

It is very important and in fact is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

The Country Mouse.

By TEMPLE BAILEY.

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Felicia packed into a little trunk her one white party dress, a pretty gray dinner gown, a half dozen shirt waists and an extra hat, and away she went to town to visit her cousin, Mary Barnes.

Mary's brother Roger met her at the station.

"Mary is planning no end of things for you," he told Felicia when he had settled her in the carriage. "She is going to give a luncheon and a tea and a theater party and a dance, and half of her friends are enlisted to make you have a good time. It will be a lively existence for you, little girl."

"Oh," Felicia leaned forward, "I shall love it! My greatest excitement for a year has been a church social or a sleigh ride, and I am longing for society."

"Mary spells society with a big 'S,'" Roger told her. "She is a slave to it, and she needs a rest. She is as thin as a wafer and as pale as paper."

"But think what a lovely time she has!" Felicia said, all pink and white with enthusiasm.

"Humph!" Roger said. "You don't know when you are well off, little Felicia."

But Felicia fell on Mary's neck when she reached the great stone mansion.

"I can stay two weeks," she said. "The school board gave me a vacation, and I am going to have the time of my life."

"Indeed you are," Mary said and carried her away to a delectable bedroom, where rose leaves drifted across the wall paper.

"I'll get into my kimono, and then we can talk," Felicia said joyously as she opened her little black bag. But Mary shook her head dubiously. "The girls are coming for luncheon in just a half hour. There are ten of them, and the table decorations are to be in pale pink, because that is your favorite color."

"What shall I wear?" Felicia asked. "I have a gray gown and a white one, and the white one is for evening."

"The gray will be all right with a ducky little knot of pink carnations and lilies of the valley. The florists are doing them that way now, and Roger can get you some."

Roger got the flowers, but the gray gown was not gorgeous, and beside Mary's shimmering chiffon creation Felicia felt depressingly shabby.

But the luncheon was exquisite, and the girls were friendly, and Felicia did not have much time to think of herself, for there was a tea on immediately after, and she was carried off by Mary and Roger, wearing a long and splendid wrap of Mary's, for her own simple tailor made jacket was out of the question.

"No one will notice that it is mine," Mary assured her, "in the crush," so Felicia, feeling very elegant, swept through the crowded rooms and talked as fast as she could to dozens of people and came out breathless.

"Wasn't it awful?" Roger asked her. "I shouldn't have gone a step if it hadn't been for you."

"It was delightful, Felicia gurgled—"the pretty women, the lights, the music, the ices and everything."

"Humph!" Roger grumbled, and Felicia made a little face at him and said, "You're an unsociable bear, Roger," and Roger said, "Oh, it's such a waste of good material for you to spend your time with such people when you might be talking to me, Felicia."

Felicia opened her eyes wide at that. "Do you like to talk to me, Roger?" she questioned, and Roger laughed and said, "Yes, but you don't deserve it." And Felicia, feeling very much flattered, leaned back in the carriage and peeped at Roger now and then, while Mary mapped out the programme for the next day.

"We will go to the hairdresser's early. Roger, don't you think Felicia will look dear with her hair marceled?"

"I think Felicia looks dear with her hair any way."

"O-o-o-h," murmured Felicia from her corner.

Mary laughed and went on.

"There are the Deering luncheon and three teas and the art exhibit and the Colburns' dinner and a box party after, and then the cotillon."

"Oh, stop!" Felicia pleaded, looking at her cousin with startled eyes. "Do you expect me to do all that in one day, Mary?"

"She does," Roger asserted, surveying his country cousin with melancholy eyes. "and where, oh, where in all that programme will you have a minute to spend with me?"

"I am not worrying about that," Felicia told him, dimpling, "but what am I going to wear, Mary? What am I going to wear?"

"There's your white dress," Mary said slowly.

"But I can't wear that one dress to a luncheon and three teas and a theater party and a dance. What are you going to wear, Mary?"

"My pale blue broadcloth will do for the luncheon and the tea and the view. Then I shall wear white lace to the dinner and the rest of the evening."

"When in all that rush will you find time to change?" was Roger's question.

Mary leaned back in the corner of the carriage. She was very pale, and there were dark circles around her eyes.

"Oh, I don't know; I don't know," she said. "Sometimes I feel as if I were on a treadmill and no one would let me stop."

Felicia looked at her with startled eyes.

"Why, I thought you liked it," she gasped.

Mary straightened up at that.

"Oh, when I get into it," she said, trying to speak lightly, "it's not so bad, but I have felt the strain this winter awfully."

Between rushes that night Roger caught Felicia for a moment alone in the library. "Mary is dreadfully blue," he told her. "She broke her engagement with Bob Carruth in the summer, and she hasn't seen him since, and she misses him."

"What did she break it for?" Felicia asked.

"He wanted her to go south with him and settle in a little town where he could practice medicine, and she wouldn't give up society, and now I think she regrets it."

"Oh," said little Felicia, "if I loved a man I would go to the end of the world with him!"

"Would you?" Roger asked.

"Yes."

"Well, I am leaving for Japan next week," ingratiatingly.

Felicia gazed at him with intense indignation for a moment; then she turned her back on him. "Silly!" she said.

When Felicia went to bed that night she was so tired that she could not sleep. The next morning she was as pale as Mary. For a week the two girls dragged their engagements, finishing up on Saturday night with another cotillon.

"Felicia wore her white dress. It was mussed, and she knew that she was not looking her best, but she was so tired that she did not care. Roger had sent her a bunch of violets, and her dance card was filled with names, but the fact gave her no satisfaction.

The fourth dance was Roger's.

"Enjoying it?" he asked briefly as he swung her out into the floor.

"Oh, I am so tired I shall drop," she said. "Can't I go home, Roger?"

She looked so like a little weary child that Roger laughed.

"Baby," he teased and then tenderly, "I'll hunt Mary up, and we will cut the rest of it."

In the carriage Mary collapsed. "I didn't dream I was so tired," she sobbed, with her head on Felicia's shoulder, and Roger, surveying the pair with twinkling eyes, said, "Let me prescribe."

"Well?" came back in muffled agreement.

"You pack your trunk, Mary," he planned, "and go home with Felicia. It's lovely in the country now, and I'll come up and bring Bob Carruth with me."

Mary sat up, with her face ablaze.

"Bob Carruth?"

"Yes. I had a letter from him yesterday. He's coming up for a visit."

Faint pink tinged Mary's cheeks.

"Do you think he will want to see me, Roger?" she asked wistfully, and Roger said gently, "I know he will, Mary."

So Felicia packed her little trunk, and Mary packed a larger one, and away they went to the country, where the trees were crimson and gold and brown and where the air was like wine. And there Bob Carruth and Roger followed them.

"So she is really going to marry him and live in a country town," Roger commented, and he and Felicia followed Mary and her lover along a path that seemed to end in a golden sunset.

"Yes," Felicia said.

"And you are going to marry me and come and live in the city," Roger ventured.

"I haven't promised yet," said little Felicia. "I am afraid that some day I should be saying, 'Give me again my hollow tree, my crust of bread and liberty.'"

"You aren't afraid of anything of the kind," Roger told her. "You know we would live happy ever after."

"Oh, well, if you are so sure," said Felicia as she tucked a confiding hand through his arm and looked up at him with happy eyes, "I guess I shall have to say yes, Roger."

The Bellbird.

The most remarkable thing in connection with the bellbird is its powerful voice. It utters a clear metallic note that can be heard at a distance of three miles. Its noise is like that produced by a blacksmith striking his anvil. Sometimes it repeats its notes in quick succession, sometimes at fairly long intervals. There is no mistake about the voice of this bird; it is loud and piercing and would be heard above the din produced by every inmate of the zoo raising its voice at once.

Except for a space of naked skin on the throat and around the eyes, which during the breeding season is of green color, this bird is pure white. The contrast between the sexes in the bellbirds is extreme, for, while the male is pure white, the female is brownish green. Darwin refers to the bellbird when he points out that "white is a very rare color in terrestrial species of moderate size and inoffensive habits."—Pall Mall Gazette.

In a Bad Way.

There is a Pennsylvania divine who is not averse to telling a good story at his own expense.

Once in addressing a mission meeting in Philadelphia which was attended mainly by sailors the good man had sought to adapt his remarks to his hearers by using nautical similes, and in so doing he ventured somewhat beyond his depth.

"And now what shall we do—what shall we do?"

"Nothin' doin', cap'n!" sang out one of the sailors. "Ye're in bad! Ye're goin' in starnforemost!"

ASKS TIDINGS OF HER SON

PATHETIC CASE OF MOTHER OF FRANK HENNINGER, CONVICT

ASKS FOR HIS ADDRESS WHICH IS STILLWATER—CARE STATE PENITENTIARY

If Mrs. Jennie Henninger who gives her address as Rural Route No. 2, Canfield, Ohio, discovers where her son Frank is her grief will be greater than it is now. The aged lady wrote Postmaster Steenerson in order to get some trace of her son, over whom she was worried because she had not heard from him during the past five weeks.

As a matter of fact Frank Henninger was arrested Dec. 7, last for stealing a diamond ring from the A. P. Sandberg home in this city, where he roomed, and after pleading guilty and restoring the stolen property was sentenced to the state penitentiary at Stillwater by Judge Watts of this city on Dec. 13 and is now serving his sentence.

The old lady's writing is hard to read, and her son's identity could not have been established had it not been for the fact that she stated in her letter of inquiry that her son was the young Great Northern brakeman who had snatched the little child of G. C. Bales from beneath the wheels of a moving train just in time to save it from a horrible death on Dec. 2nd last. Henninger was the brakeman, and he is the man now serving time at Stillwater for grand larceny.

Postmaster Steenerson wrote the old lady last night to the effect that her son's present address was Stillwater, Minn., but did not say care of the penitentiary.

The letter brought tears to the eyes of those who read it. She referred with great pride to the heroism of her son in rescuing the little child. She said that Frank was the eldest of a family of 21 children, and that she was greatly worried that he did not write to her.

Under the circumstances people who have learned of the case have started a movement for the circulation of a petition for the pardon of Henninger, and it will be very liberally signed here, and it may be that the aged mother waiting at home, may never know of her son's disgrace.

B. F. NELSON IS AGAIN AT HEAD

MINNEAPOLIS MAN RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

B. F. Nelson was re-elected president of the Minnesota State Agricultural society at the meeting in St. Paul yesterday. Other officers elected were: Vice presidents, C. M. Griggs and J. J. Furlong. D. S. Hall of Buffalo Lake was re-elected to the board of managers, and George Atchinson of Mankato succeeded G. W. Patterson of Worthington who retired.

The election of officers of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association resulted as follows: President, Arthur Cooper, St. Cloud; vice presidents, D. S. Hall, Buffalo Lake and C. B. Crandall of Randolph; secretary Professor Andrew Boss of St. Paul; treasurer, G. W. Glotfelter of Waterville. Executive committee one member from each congressional district. J. J. Furlong of Austin, L. C. Hodgson of Luverne, J. A. Timpane of Waterville, Luke Stanard of Taylors Falls J. B. Irwin of Minneapolis, Charles Kenning of Osceola, G. N. Craig of Duluth and T. H. Canfield of Lake Park.

CONTST HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN

Atty. Beum of Mahnomen County is in the city today and announces that the contest instituted some time ago to test the legality of the organization of Mahnomen County from a portion of Norman County has been withdrawn.

Detectives Kill Thief.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—In a pistol duel William Finkerhauser was killed by Detective Michael Kern. Finkerhauser was attempting to rob two men when he was seen by the policeman and the shooting followed.

Kills Father With Ax.

Davidson, N. C., Jan. 18.—A brutal murder was committed near here yesterday morning when Ezekia Gregory, a farmer over sixty years old, was killed by his son Dave, the weapon used being an ax.

How many people do you know who neglect to say anything when they talk?

FURTHER QUEST FOR IRON ORE

N. P. MEN BEHIND NEW MOVEMENT IN THE CUYUNA RANGE

$10,000 IN CASH JUST PAID FOR THE RIGHT TO EXPLORE FIFTEEN FORTIES

One of the heaviest options for leases on the Cuyuna range has just become known. On Dec. 24 the Northwestern Improvement company paid to the Minnesota Park Region Land company of Brainerd $10,000 in cash for the privilege of exploring fifteen forties between Brainerd and Klondike. The privilege carries with it an option for a royalty lease.

The Northwestern Improvement Co. organized by Northern Pacific interests to develop the iron deposits along the road, last summer paid $40,000 for the fee on a tract of land which a few years previous was sold by the agent of the company to Cuyler Adams for $200, one-tenth only being paid down. The company has two drills at work on the newly leased land and has a year in which to prove the deposits.

SUPREME COURT DECISION

AN IMPORTANT NORMAN COUNTY CASE IS DECIDED

Sophia Walker, plaintiff, Ingval H. Aamoth, intervenor, respondent, vs. Charles H. Sanders, appellant.

Syllabus: First—Any person having such an interest in the subject matter in litigation between others that he may gain or lose by the judgment therein, may intervene and become a party to the action in the manner pointed out by section 1505 revised laws of 1905.

Second—Plaintiff brought this action to set aside a deed theretofore executed by her to defendant on the ground that it was obtained by fraud and fraudulent representations. After the commencement of the action she conveyed by warranty deed the property thus transferred to defendant to the intervenor, and he was permitted by the court to intervene in the action and join plaintiff in contesting the validity of defendant's deed. Held, under the statute referred to above, that he had the right to intervene and the court's granting leave to do so was proper.

Third—The right of substitution and the consequent complete elimination of a party to the record, arises only in those cases where the whole beneficial interest in the cause of action is assigned and transferred pendente lite.

Fourth—If by the terms of such an assignment the plaintiff retains any substantial interest in the further prosecution of the action, or may become liable to assignee if the action fails intervention by the assignee and not substitution is the proper remedy.

Affirmed. —Brown, J.

BRANCH SOCIETY AT BORUP

Chris Madson, who was appointed one of the Norman county organizers of the American Society of Equity, informs us that a meeting was held this afternoon, for the purpose of organizing a local union of the American Society of Equity at that place.

Now that the trouble has been cleared up in the national organization every effort will be made to induce the farmers to join this organzaton. The membership is rapidly growing.

Ada First State Bank

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank of Ada was held last Saturday. The following directors were elected: A. L. Hanson, B. F. Tenny, D. C. Lightbourn, A. J. Vagnes, C. R. Andrews, F. L. Hampson and Sylvester Peterson The following officers were elected:

Pres.—A. L. Hanson.
Vice Pres.—A. J. Vangnes.
Cashier—B. F. Tenny.
Asst. Cashier—Carl Simenson.

H. Jenkins, who held the position of cashier for a number of years declined the re-appointment and we understand expects to remove west in the spring. The usual dividend was declared by the directors.

How small a doctor's pills are when compared with his bills!

The man who is buried in thought can write his own obituary notice.

It's funny the way a woman's figure changes according to the fashions.

The more money a man has the less he is willing to admit he has.

Ballet Shoes.

Ballet shoes fit like a stocking. They are of leather, with a thin leather sole about an inch wide and with the uppers sewed so that they come under the foot. The ballet dancer wants no rubber heels, instep arch supports nor any other of the foot supporting or reforming devices which are commonly used by ordinary mortals. The toe dancer desires a hard box toe on her ballet shoes, but the ordinary dancer seeks only shoes that will give perfect freedom of movement of the joints and muscles of the feet. It is a rule of good dancers, a shoe man of experience says, to wear shoes that will allow for space between the toes. It is a point of good fit that all persons should heed, he says. High heels are put on to stage shoes for effect, not to promote good dancing. Many stage shoes are made with short fore parts and high heels to make the feet look smaller and the person taller.—Boston Globe.

What Did He Mean?

Mike Maloney's wife was an invalid, and the doctor had been doing all sorts of things for her, changing the medicine so often that poor Mike's income would scarcely reach and make both ends meet, and at last the doctor said that his wife must go to a warmer climate.

Mike listened to that advice for several months, and finally when October came the doctor told Mike one Saturday evening after all of his week's wages had been spent that his wife positively must be sent "to a warmer climate without delay."

Mike left the room for a few minutes, and when he returned he was wiping his eyes with his left hand, while with his right hand he brought an ax, which he gave to the physician, saying:

"I hate to do it, doc. You please do it for me."—Kansas City Independent.

Practical Help For Deafness.

I have proved that this is really practical.

Get a common pasteboard mailing tube such as pictures or music is mailed in and hold it to the ear closely. The result is wonderful. A very deaf person can hear distinctly everything that is said by any one sitting on the other side of the room. At first thought one is inclined to ridicule so simple a method. I bought a good long one, large enough to fit over the ear, for 10 cents. One can get them at any business stationer's. I tried it on grandmother, who is very deaf. She could hear well and, what was more remarkable, could also hear with her very deaf ear, with which she has not heard a sound for seven years. Try it! That's all I have to say.—Harper's Bazar.

American Woman In German Eyes.

American girls, whether born or merely brought up in America, evidence the same independence of judgment and the same complete self reliance. It is hard to say whether this is the result of the education in the public schools and colleges or in their freedom from that condition of legal and social subserviency to which the gentler sex is doomed in older countries.—Max von Brandt in Berlin Deutsche Revue.

French Superstitions.

The French superstitions regarding deaths and funerals are all but numberless. "If you meet a funeral while driving, you will have an accident before your drive is over unless you turn back," they say. Many a gambler en route for Monte Carlo will not gamble that day if he meets a funeral. Others will bet only at rouge et noir and persistently on the black. The peasants have at least a hundred superstitions about bees. They believe (and did not Virgil, too, or did he but chronicle it of his contemporaries?) that bees are bred of dead men's bones and flesh. This seems to be one of the oldest of the current French superstitions, for on a very old tomb at Arles (found in the world famous Alyscamp) is this inscription: "This Has Become the Home of Unhallowed Bees."—London Answers.

A Wasted Motion.

"Ladies," called the president of the afternoon whist club—"ladies, it has been moved and seconded that there shall be no conversation at the card tables. What shall we do with the motion?"

"I suggest that we discuss it while we play," piped a shrill voice from Table A, and the suggestion was adopted.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Avarice.

Avarice is an incurable malady, an ever burning fire, a tyranny which extends far and wide, for he who in this life is the slave of money is loaded with heavy chains and destined to carry far heavier chains in the life to come.—St. John Chrysostom.

The Grocer's Jest.

"Most of my customers," remarked the grocer who had been out trying to collect some bills, "remind me of a pair of trousers sent to the tailor."

"How so?" inquired the cashier.

"Because they are pressed for money."—New York Press.

Sleep and Longevity.

Sleep is as necessary as air or food. Those who shirk the sleep of life are only hastening unconsciously to the sleep of death.—Brussels Independance Belge.

The Tramp's View.

"The times are getting worse. They offered me work at five different places today."—Fliegende Blatter.

Silk and velvet put out the kitchen fire.—German Proverb.

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VALUABLE FOX HIDES ON BATTLE RIVER

PETER SYVERSON TRAPS 2 SILVER GREYS, 2 CROSSES AND 2 RED FOXES

Peter Syverson who lives on the Battle River, near Saum postoffice (some 15 miles from Kelliher) is the most fortunate trapper in Beltrami county.

Mr. Syverson was in Bemidji yesterday, and he had with him the skins of two silver grey foxes, the hides being in excellent condition, and the color of the hair being of an exceptional brilliancy. In addition to the two silver greys, Mr. Syverson also had two cross foxes and two reds.

It is estimated that Mr. Syverson will realize about $575 from the fox hides which he secured. The silver grey skins are said to be worth at least $250 each; the cross skins will bring $30 each, and the two red skins are worth probably $20.

Mr. Syverson will go to St. Paul, where he will personally deal with hide and fur companies in order that he may secure the highest market price for his hides.

The trapping of two silver grey foxes was an exciting venture. Mr. Syverson dug his trap from a hole where it had been drawn, and in the bottom of the hole were two silver grey foxes an exceptional catch for a northern Minnesota trapper.

Very Sympathetic.

The manager of a shop in Lewes stood in the doorway the other day when a man with a wooden leg and a crutch came along and said:

"I want you to do me a favor. I want to leave my leg with you for a few minutes and go around to the next street and work a house for half a crown. I've an idea that the folks are very sympathetic. If I go with one leg I am sure of it."

"Very well," said the shopkeeper. "Just leave your leg here, and I'll take care of it."

The wooden substitute was unstrapped and handed over, and the cripple used the crutch to help himself down the alley.

Five minutes later he rang the doorbell of a house in the next street, to have it opened by the man he had just seen.

"Wh-wh-what!" he gasped.

"Very sympathetic family lives here," quietly replied the other. "You seem to have met with a sad loss, and I'm anxious to help you. Here is a wooden leg which may fit you."

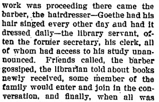
The leg was handed over. The man sat down on the steps and strapped it on, and as he got up and stumped through the gate he said to himself:

"I've heard of coincidences since I was a youngster, but this is the first one that ever hit me with both feet at once."—London Answers.

When Goethe Dictated.

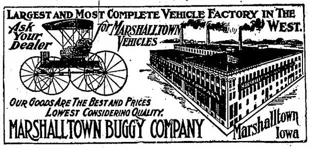
In Wilhelm Bode's "Studies With Goethe" an interesting chapter is made up from the recollections of his last secretary, Christian Schuchardt. Of Goethe's method when he dictated "Wilhelm Meister" Schuchardt says: "He dictated with a certainty and rapidity which made one fancy that he was reading from a printed book. If this had been done in quiet and without interruption, I would not have marveled so much. But while the work was proceeding there came the barber, the hairdresser—Goethe had his hair singed every other day and had it dressed daily—the library servant, often the former secretary, his clerk, all of whom had access to his study unannounced. Friends called, the barber gossiped, the librarian told about books newly received, some member of the family would enter and join in the conversation, and finally, when all was again quiet, I would read the last sentence, and the dictation would proceed as though there had been no interruption."

Mistaken.



"Dear me, how gratifying to see a little boy in such a hurry for school!"

"Aw, g'wan! Don't yer hear de fire engines?"—New York World.



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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

HERE FROM BEMIDJI—B. W. Lahr and A. Lord of Bemidji were in the city yesterday attending to some business matters.

COURT MATTERS — The case of Gilbert vs. Gilbert and J. H. Nelson vs The Northwestern Elevator Co., that should have been tried in district court yesterday have been continued until the next term of court.

ATTEND BANK MEETING — Geo. F. Carpenter spent yesterday at Epping, N. D., where he is heavily interested in the hardware business also the bank at that place. He will look after business matters while there.

BE HERE THURSDAY—The many friends of T. J. Thoreson president of the Washington Shoe Manufacturing Co., of Seattle are anticipating a pleasant visit with him next Friday when he will stop over a day, while enroute on a trip to the eastern trade centers.

AS GOOD AS NEW—Joe Barrette's damaged bar has been repaired and is again as good as new. Will Marrotte has had the bandages removed from his face but it will take some time before he regains the beauty of countenance for which he is noted.

ASSISTS IN POOLROOM—Emil Lindell is now with W. F. Peterson assisting him to take care of the immense business he is doing in his new poolrooms. Mr. Lindell is popular among the boys and will be a valuable man to Mr. Peterson in the business.

TWO ARRESTS — H. E. Skage and Carl Stevens were arrested for assault and the use of abusive language respectively on complaint of J. A. Button today and their hearing before Judge McLean adjourned till Saturday. The trouble took place in the G. N. depot last evening.

PROMINENT IN STATE— Dar F. Reese of St. Paul, prominent in business and political circles of the capital city and well known all over the state was in the city yesterday transacting business. Mr. Reese was formerly for many years clerk of the supreme court of Minnesota.

LAND MEN BUSY—Albert Odette has been here from Marshalltown, Iowa, the past week and has been busy taking prospective farm purchasers over the country to investigate the various lands listed for sale. He has W. L. Tiffton and S. R. Berrymas out this afternoon.

WOLF BOUNTIES—The auditor did did quite a stunt in the wolf bounty line yesterday, six checks of seven-fifty were issued to each of the scalp getters who were Anton Moen, Len Olson, P. G. Bonlie, John Christianson of Eden. Kant S. Knutson of Columbia, and John C. Hanson of Lowell.

WINONA CAPITALIST—D. E. Tawney of Winona was in the city a few hours yesterday morning on his way to Greenbush where he is heavily niterested in lands. Mr. Tawney is well known to a number of the valley business coming into this section looking after his large interests. He is a brother of Congressman Tawney.

LOOKING UP MARKET—Gust Heidrich who has a wood camp up near Blackduck this winter was in the city last night on a visit to his parents and left this morning for Duluth where he will look into the pulp wood market of which he has several carloads. He reports all of the Crookston colony doing well.

HELD BIG MEETING — The Elks held a big meeting last evening, initiating three candidates, City Recorder Zimmerman of East Grand Forks J. J. Padden, manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., at Red Lake Falls and Engineer Alex Arnold of this city. Following the initiation Ed Ralston of the Grill served an elegant lunch. A delegation from East Grand Forks included Will Buckley, P. Girard, Billy Wolff, John McDonald and I. Kingman.

HORSES DRAWING SALARIES — Richard Casmey of Euclid is in the city today on business and says, altho the wind yesterday raised the dust it didn't raise any for him. But his horses are, and they are a good asset besides drawing his various farm machineries during the summer they are drawing good salaries in woods this winter. Mr. Casmey still has plenty of chores to do taking care of forty seven head of stock.

From Friday's Daily

LITTLE BABE ILL — The infant child of Conductor and Mrs. P. C. Keeley is very ill with typhoid fever.

PROGRESSIVE FARMER IN—Julius Wentzel one of the well known and successful farmers on Rural Route No. 5 is in the city today attending to some business matters and paid for the Daily Journal for a year in advance.

INCORPORATED—The First Bank of Gary has incorporated as the First State Bank of Gary. The shareholders are W. H. Matthews, Ada; Norman Hanson, Fertile; D. C. Jones, Gary. Capital stock is $10,000.

VIEWED FINE HOT HOUSE—Mike Herrick of East Grand Forks and T. H. Nesseth of Fertile were the guests of Alderman Zerracher yesterday afternoon and were shown the finest and most up to date arrangements in a hot house for winter vegetables and flowers in the northwest at his place.

BEMIDJI DELEGATES—F. S. Lycan, W. N. Bowser and C. J. Pryor are the Bemidji delegates at St. Paul this week to attend the meeting of the representatives of commrcial clubs thru out th state which is being held in St. Paul.

PLANS RETURNED —Postmaster Steenerson today received orders to return the plans for the new government building for Crokseton to the supervising architect at Washington. This looks like busines in the building line.

IN HOSPITAL—Royal Welcome the young son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Welcome has been taken to St. Vincent hospital suffering with typhoid fever Last night his fever was very high and his condition caused some misapprehension. He is slightly improved today and many friends hope for a steady gain hereafter.

OFF FOR GRACETON—The following left on the flyer Wednesday morning for their timber claims south of Graceton: Messrs. A. F. Rauch, A. G. Sandberg, J. M. Stephens, E. J. Keating, Howard Bailey and C. C. Bowen. They have agreed on Teehsloob as the name for the Crookston settlement.

FOUND MUCH SNOW—Jack Turner and Clarence Shepard who left here a couple of weeks ago for Grand Junction, Tenn., are nearing the end of their journey in an automobile according to advices received here. They had the greatest difficulty in some snow drifts in Iowa and find only a little mud to bother them on the rest of the trip. They expect to be in Grand Junction Sunday. Both of the autoists have enjoyed the trip despite the fact that there was lots of work necessary to get thru the snow. When they left here they intended to return in the machine but it is not known wheher they will do so.—Grand Forks Herald.

BORUP POSTMISTRESS—A change has been made in the postmastership at Borup. John Torske the Borup merchant who has had the position for a number of years recently took a homestead in North Dakota, and recently resigned the postmastership. The friends of Mrs. F. F. Kelling circulated a petition for her appointment and she was appointed postmistress of Borup the office having been transferred last week.

LUMBERMENS BANK ELECTS OFFICERS—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lumbermens National bank of Bemidji was held in this city yesterday at which the officers for the ensuing year were elected. The election resulted in the retention of all old officers, as follows:

President—A. P. White, Bemidji.

Vice President—A. D. Stephens of Crookston.

Cashier—W. L. Brooks, Bemidji.

Assistant Cashier—L. Berman, Bemidji.

A resume of the business transacted by the bank during the past year was very satisfactorily received by the stockholders and showed that the bank was in a most excellent condition.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The longer a man tries to prolong an argument the less he knows about the subject.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

MINNESOTA PIONEER DEAD

JOHN CARDLE SR., PASSES AWAY AT HIS HOME IN ST. PAUL AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

SPENT MUCH TIME IN CROOKSTON LOOKING AFTER FARMING INTERESTS

John C. Cardle, Sr., 75, pioneer settler and father of 11 children 10 of whom are living and prominent in social and business life of the North west, died Monday in his apartments Dakotah flats St. Paul, after a short illness.

Mr. Cardle, with his son, James Cardle owns a fine farm three miles southeast of Crookston in which he had become greatly interested.

Mr. Cardle was the head of a family of four generations and his death was only the second in 50 years, a son having died just five months ago.

Mr. Cardle was born in Castle Douglas, Scotland, in 1824, and came to this country in 1852, and a year afterwards settled in the Northwest which was still a wilderness.

Up until 10 years ago, when he moved to St. Paul, Mr. Cardle resided at Blue Earth. He was one of the most prominent and respected of Minnesota's pioneers.

Seven of Mr. Cardle's surviving children and his widow reside in St. Paul. They are Mrs. Fred Horey, Mrs. Homer E. Westcott, Mrs. Joseph Spell, Miss Irene Cardle, Archie Cardle, Alexander Cardle, John Cardle, Jr. The others are James Cardle of Duluth, Ernest Cardle of Portland, Ore., and Angus Cardle of Brainerd.

Mrs. J. Alex Sloan Minnesota flats, is the granddaughter of Mr. Cardle.

The funeral service was held from the Dakotah apartments at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment at Oakdale followed.

MENTOR M. W. A. TO BURN MORTGAGE

ALL DEBTS PAID AND $105 STILL LEFT IN THE LODGE TREASURY

Mentor Camp 5288 recently elected officers for the ensuing year. The public installation will be held Saturday next for members and their families followed by a banquet. Following the banquet the mortgage on the Woodmen Hall at Mentor will be formally burned, and it might further be stated that the Mentor Camp has a balance of $105 in the treasury with all debts paid. The officers elected are as follows:

V. C.—Jos. Tagley.
W. A.—Edward Drinkwine.
Clerk John O. Buhn.
Banker—J. E. Tice.
Escort—F. E. LePage.
Watchman—Wm. Halliday.
Sentry—Orin Galland.
Manager—John Tice.

FIERCE PRAIRIE FIRE

BARNESVILLE, MINN., THREATENED BUT STRENUOUS EFFORTS SAVE TOWN

A prairie fire has been raging near Barnesville, Minn., since Sunday afternoon. It started a few miles south of that town and continued without doing much damage until Monday afternoon, when the wind arose and swept the flames towards Barnesville. Many hay-stacks were burned, but by strenuous efforts the town was saved.

At 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, the wind again changed and drove the flames away from the town. The fire is still burning but the town is not now believed to be in danger.

H. JENKINS DIES AT ALEXANDRIA

PROMINENT OLD SOLDIER AND ATTORNEY VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

After an illness of ten days from pneumonia General Horatio Jenkins for 25 years a resident of Alexandria and one of the best known attorneys in that part of the state died at his home here yesterday.

He is survived by one son, Horatio Jenkins, of Ada, Minn., and two daughters, Mrs. H. A. Barnes, of Minneapolis, and Mrs. W. D. Plant, of Lorain, Ohio, all of whom were at the bedside when death came. Mrs. Jenkins died about two years ago. The remains will be taken east for burial.

And Uncle Sam should see that we get pure food for thought.

NOTED RESORT IS DESTROYED

CARRIE BARNEY'S PLACE, KNOWN AS "225" AT EAST GRAND FORKS BURNED

ADJACENT BUILDINGS HAVE A NARROW ESCAPE—PROPERTY LOSS $13,000

From Friday's Daily—

Thirteen thousand dollars went to blazes in East Grand Forks last evening in one of the most spectacular fires seen in the city in many a day. The sporting house in the hollow known as "225" and conducted by Mrs. Carrie Barney was completely destroyed together with practically all of its contents, the inmates losing everything except the clothes they wore. The adjacent buildings also had a very narrow escape from destruction, which was averted only by the fact that there was little or no wind at the time and the effecive work of a number of volunteer firemen.

The fire had its origin in the basement and when discovered about 7 p. m. the flames were eating their way up through the south side of the building and the large structure was evidently doomed.

Within two or three minutes after the fire was discovered, however, the basement of the building was a mass of flames and flames were shooting out of the roof on the south side of the building and the inmates were obliged to flee for their lives, without stopping to secure any of their effects. One of the girls succeeded in escaping only by jumping through a window and in doing so her hand and arm were severely cut and lacerated by broken glass and she is now under a physician's care.

Finding that the burning building was doomed the firemen devoted their energies to saving the adjacent buildings which were threatened by the flames both on the south and the west of the Barney building and but a short distance away. The fire engine was taken down on the river by way of the old crossing near the Bruce avenue bridge and Engineer Powers had it in operation in short order. It was necessary to lay over 1500 feet of hose in order to reach the fire and a team was dispatched for a second lot of hose. A second line of hose was laid By this time the entire structure one of the largest buildings in the city, was burning fiercely and the flames were shooting up a hundred feet or more in the air. Very fortunately there was little wind to carry the burning embers to other buildings or the city would have had the worst conflagration in its history, as there were numerous other frame structures close by which could not have been saved.

The burned building was one of the old landmarks of the city. The original building was erected in 1889 and has been enlarged from time to time until it was perhaps the largest frame building in the city. The resort was conducted for a long time by the notorious Lou Livingston and has been the scene during its history of numerous orgies and escapades. The building was owned by Mrs. Carrie Barney and was valued at $8,500. Max Rabinovitch held insurance policies to the amount of $5,000 as security for a loan The furniture was valued at $4,500 and was insured for $1,500.

The property of the inmates destroyed by the fire is estimated at $1,500 more. It was reported there last evening that a well known travelnig man is minus a $200 diamond stud he left in the place in his hurried exit

DECLARES THE REWARD IS DUE

Editor Journal: As I have been returned to the city—and alive, having been transported the entire distance from Euclid in safety, the reward offered for my return has been declared valid and due. In consequence thereof, an order has been issued as follows:

To Ed Murney, Harry Chapin, Mark Keeley, and all others who so generously subscribed to said reward:

You are kindly requested to deposit the amounts respectively named, and as much more as possible, into the hands of Jay McCaffrey, a duly authorized receiver, whereby all bills of expense incurred in this transaaction may be promptly and 'satisfactorily "liquidated."

The form of above order was copied from the dairy of a squaw from New Jersey, who recently perished during one of the cold blizzards prevalent in southern California. Yours truly,

—Mel Converse.

If we could see ourselves as others see us we would all be pessimists.

Some women even condescend to help their husbands with the housework.

GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATES

CROOKSTON CLAIM HOLDERS WILL BE WATCHED BY UNCLE SAMUEL

REGISTER MONTAGUE ASKED FOR INFORMATION BY INSPECTOR COLTER

The business men of Crookston who have filed on claims near Roosevelt Williams and Graceton within the past few months will need to watch their knitting pretty close as the government inspectors are getting a line on them and there is no question but what all who have filed will have to live up to both the letter and the spirit of the law or they will not hold their claims.

Following is a letter received by Register Montague of the land office here this morning, which needs no explanation:

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Duluth, Minnesota, January 14, 1908. Hon. R. J. Montague, Register, United States Land Office, Crookston, Minnesota. Dear Sir: Information has reached me that ten or eleven business men of Crookston, Minnesota have made homestead on public lands in the vicinity of Roosevelt and Williams, Minnesota, and I have to request that you carefully examine your records and forward to me the names and address, together with the business and occupation of each of these persons, as well as a description of the lands entered, showing the number of the entry and the date of filing. Very respectfully,

—L. J. Colter,
Chief of Field Division No. 8.

A COMBINED SUMMER SCHOOL

RED LAKE AND MARSHALL COUNTIES TO HAVE A JOINT MEETING AT T. R. FALLS

The Summer schools of Red Lake and Marshall counties will be combined this year the joint session to be held in Thief River Falls beginning the middle of June and continuing for six weeks.

At the schools of the past, there have been approximately one hundred teachers for each county hence it is fair to presume that there will be at least two hundred in attendance at the Upper Falls during this summers session.

NO PRECEDENT FOUND FOR LABOR

The Washington correspondent of the Minneapolis Journal sends the following to that paper: There are reasons for believing that former chairmen of the house militia committee have not worked very hard. Representative Steenerson of Minnesota is now getting comfortably located in that chairmanship and is planning in a month or two to move over into the new house office building, where he will have two large rooms, one for committee purposes, and the other for his personal use.

"In taking inventory of stock the past week, he has discovered that none of his predecessors provided for a single book shelf, and that the committee did not possess a single volume of law, or other kind. Apparently, this chairmanship has heretofore been something of a sinecure, but the house would better watch Mr. Steenerson's smoke. If he doesn't make the committee work and give a good account of itself, it will be because he doesn't know how.

He is now planning to have book shelving built in the new offices, and on these shelves he will stack all the volumes he can lay his hands on in which national guard matters are discussed. He thinks he sees an opportunity for the committee to get real busy and no doubt he is right about it. The new committee rooms which are on the north side of the new office building, are finished and furnished, but Mr Steenerson wants to stay away from them until the walls have had a chance to dry."

STATE TREASURER DINEHART VISITS OLD COLLEGE CHUMS

Clarence Dinehart state treasurer, was in Thief River Falls Wednesday enroute home to St. Paul from North Dakota points. While here, Mr. Dinehart visited his old college mates, Perl W. Maybey and J. P. Curtis.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

WILL STAND BY GOV. JOHNSON

STATE LIBRARIAN JOHN E. KING SAYS DEMOCRATS WILL RALLY

TO SUPPORT OF JOHN A. JOHNSON FOR PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE

From Friday's Daily—

State Librarian John E. King arrived in the city this morning from Moorhead and will spend a few days in this section of the state. Mr. King is a strong Johnson man and expressed his views to the Journal in the following words:

"Governor Johnson has insisted that he is not a candidate for president, but nevertheless the governor's friends are determined that the delegation to the Denver convention from Minnesota shall be made up of his friends.

"The Hudson-Manahan campaign for Bryan is really directed at Governor Johnson. They hope to run the convention and secure control of the state organization.

"However it is questionable if they can carry a single county of the state. Governor Johnson's friends are becoming awakened to the scheme of these plotters, and whenever his interests are at stake Minnesota democrats can be depended upon to stand in solid phalanx back of the man who has done so much to make his party respectable and respected."

MAY YET CHEAT THE GALLOWS

CONVICTED MURDERER WILL PROBABLY BE PARDONED SOON

Peter Neilson Mathiasen under sentence of death for the murder of Johan Johanson near Tenstrike, may escape the gallows.

Atty. Torence who defended Mathiasen said two of the jurors did not believe Mathiasen guilty and only returned their verdict in the belief that Mathiasen would not be hanged when the jury recommended clemency.

Mathiasen claimed that he shot Johanson accidentally.

The case was continued until Tuesday next.

AFTER RAILROAD DATA.

President Roosevelt Will Meet Vice Presidents Jan. 27.

Washington, Jan. 1 . — President Roosevelt yesterday made an appointment for Jan. 27 to confer with a committee of the operating vice presidents of the leading railroads in the country. The object of the conference is to bring to the knowledge of the president matters which are regarded as materially affecting adversely the railway operations of the country.

PUMMELS TO VENT SPITE.

Man Assails Pedestrian Just to Let Out Wrath.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 16. — Assault cases are not infrequent in the criminal court, but it is seldom a man grows so enraged by brooding as he traverses the streets that he will leap upon an innocent pedestrian and vent his spite in a good pummeling. That is what John Koniczny did, however, and he was fined $20 and costs.

URGES BETTER BUILDING.

Steenerson Presents Bill for $90,000 Plan for Crookston.

Washington, Jan. 16. — A bill was presented yesterday by Representative Steenerson to authorize an increase in the cost of the public building at Crookston, Minn., to $90,000. Mr. Steenerson hopes to secure the approval of this bill by the committee on public buildings.

Fall May Prove Fatal.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 16.—As a result of a fall from a chair Dennis McCarthy lies in a critical condition at Kaukauna. His hip is fractured, two ribs are broken and he is internally injured. On account of his advanced age, eighty-nine years, it is feared he will not recover.

Killed in Pistol Duel.

Rosemark, Tenn., Jan. 16.—G. Washington Smith, a prominent planter, was shot and killed here yesterday in a pistol duel with M. W. Yarbrough. The latter was a tenant of Smith and the men were en route to Memphis to submit a money difference to arbitration. Yarbrough escaped.

Ship Went Ashore.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 16.—The British steamer Tolesby, bound from Galveston for Havre went ashore during a heavy snow storm last night at Fresheather Point, Cape Race. It is thought the vessel will be a total loss. The crew is safe.

Relative of Kitchener Kills Self.

Colon, Jan. 16.—Suffering from insomnia, a woman named Mrs. Kitchener, widow of a brother of Viscount Kitchener of Khartoum, committed suicide in the port of Colon last night.

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Col. Goethals on the Canal

The meeting of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce last week was enlivened by the apperance of Col. Goethals the present chief engineer of the Panama Canal. He was called on to tell of the progress of the work there and the prospect for its completion. He made quite a good impression on the members of the committee as many of them said afterwards and left the impression that the canal was in good hands and was liable to be completed without unnecessary delay.

Col. Geothals is rather a big, gruff man but one of the sort you feel you can tie to. He was kept under a battery of questions for more than an hour and answered them all to the satisfaction of the questioners. He said frankly that he thought the canal would cost $300,000,000 to complete He said that the matter of the lock versus the sea level type had been thoroly thrashed out and that the best engineering talent was on the side of the lock canal. He said the width could be made whatever the government wished, and incidentally a bill has been introduced increasing the width to 110 feet tho the recommendation of the president in his message was for a width of 120 feet. This of course is a mere detail. Probably 110 feet will be sufficient for all practical purposes since while the construction of trans-Atlantic liners is increasing constantly in size, the size of ships using the canal is likely to be limited by the size of the harbors they can enter and there are few ports that traversing ships will ever enter where the depth is enough for a ship of 100 feet beam.

Col. Goethals said that the number of men on the canal pay roll varied from 30,000 to 40,000 that there was more labor available now than the commission needed and that as the depth of the canal prism in the Culebra cut increased, it would be neecsary to reduce the force at work. He was confident that the work in this great cut could be finished in between three and four years.

The scanitary work of the Canal Zone is in good shape and there is nothing in the way of the completion of the canal.

The Battle of The Trusts

New York Journal of Commerce: The relation of trusts to prices is a question that will devolop largely in public notice during the current year. The claim is put forward by corporate managers in various sections of industry that they have the market so well under control that they can to a consideraable extent regulate prices. Now, while this power may constitute an element of strength in times of panic, it were futile to imagine that any trust, no matter how powerful, could permanently frustrate the natural law of supply and demand. Either prices will have to be reduced when depression comes, or output will have to be curtailed sufficiently, to insure the absence of a surplus. Which course are the trusts going to pursue in this connection? Apparently the United States Steel Trust the greatest of all our combinations, is bent upon keeping down its production. But while this will check overproduction it means that a less quantity of goods will be sold. Would it not be preferable to allow prices to recede in harmony with the value of other commodities and thus facilitate a resumption of enterprise? It is unnecessary at this late date to explain that the crisis was the culmination of inflated values all round, and that the sooner there is a return to a sane level just so much the sooner will activity become normal.

Will the labor trust follow the example of the trusts managed by the capitalists and refuse to allow prices to decline? Mr. Gompers emphatically declares that this course will be rigidly pursued. Can he be greatly blamed for essaying such a suicidal policy when he sees other trusts attempting to do the same thing? The year 1908 will be called upon to settle momentous problems not heretofore brought to the front. The common people will watch with interested concern the impending combat between trade trust and the labor trusts. It need only be added that any effort to stem inexorable economic laws is likely to fail whether put forth by capital or labor.

Insurance of Bank Deposits

In discussing the proposed legislation in connection with the insurance of bank deposits the Grand Forks Herald says:

"It is said that the insurance of bank deposits does not meet with much favor in congress, the great city banks having been able to impress on many members their view that to insure deposits would be to place a premium on dishonest banking. The evils of dishonest and unsafe banking can largely be guarded against by proper methods of inspection. The present system of bank inspection is largely a farce, anyway.

"Every banker who knows that there are men engaged in the work of examining banks whose word and judgment they would not accept as to the value of a peanut stand. Such a man enters a bank, checks a joke or two, looks wisely at the books, signs his name and departs. The bank has been "examined."

"This is not intended as a thrust at examiners as a class, or at any particular individual. It is simply one of the faults of the system that because we have not yet been able to divorce ourselves from some of the old traditions and because the government does not insist in all cases on the highest class of expert work in bank examinations, men entirely unfit are too frequently placed in these positions because of political pull, and the whole system of bank examinations is brought in dispute. It may seem a little hard to the banker who has built up a good name for his institution by following the best practices to be placed on the same level in the matter of solidity with his less scrupulous neighbor. But the source of a panic is a general feeling of insecurity and in a panic the sound institution as well as the unsound one may go to the wall."

When the practical work for the needed reform of the money system of the United States was concentrated in Chicago last week, the chances brightened that something would be accomplished in time for consideration of the present Congress. The departure to Europe of Chairman A. B. Hepburn of the currency commission of the American Bankers' Association signified that a Chicago man, Joseph T. Talbert, vice-president of the Commercial National Bank, would become a leading force in the effort to reach an agreement getween differing factions among the bankers. Mr. Talbert was authorized by Chairman Hepburn to act and speak for him, a fact which is significant of the willingness of the New York interests to come to an agreement with western interests upon a measure. Already the country has so far recovered from the financial pinch caused by the rigid financial system of bond-secured-currency that even bankers are losing sight of the damage which that system recently caused. The faults in the present system are illustrated by the case of the National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City, which on October 15th was the largest bank in the western cities with $37,000,000 on deposit. When the Wall Street smashes startled the country the deposits of this bank were reduced $20,000,000 in sixty days. Then the Comptroller's call for a statement, with the result that a receiver was asked for as the best means to prevent a run, $7,000,000 in cash and $10,000,000 in good securities being turned over to a receiver. The bank and its depositors were needlessly hurt. The proposals of Alexander H. Revell of this city for the insurance of bank deposits by the government and that of Arthur E. Stillwell of Kansas City for a central bank of issue were interesting and significant of the principal plans which will be urged upon the present congress.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially recommended for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Tears of joy and sadness come from the same tank.

STATE PRESS

Listen to Payne

Fergus Falls Wheelock's Weekly: Those who believe the newspapers united, are strong enough to pry loose the paper trust from its protective tariff on wood pulp, have doubtless failed to see the comment of Chairman Payne of the ways and means committee of the house. He remarks that it would be a good thing if some of the newspapers were to suspend publication: The tariff is too sacred a graft to be lightly attacked, even for the benefit of the Republican editors who have helped to elect its defenders and beneficiaries.

West Must be Heeded

Anoka Union: The time is coming when national legislation will cease favoring the East instead of the West. The West is getting so powerful and wealthy that its demands must be heeded by congress.

Minnesota May Celebrate

Ada Herald: There are those who think that Minnesota will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary by furnishing the next president of the nation.

Approves Reforestration.

We have always considered the Forestry commission at the head of useful and meritorious state institutions and the present commissioner, Col. C. C. Andrews a faithful, energetic, able and invaluable official, who is devoting his life mainly, to serve posterity.

Mother Nature gave us a heritage of forest lands, which this generation has worked overtime to chop down, saw up and sell; these despoiled forests our far-seeing Commissioner proposes to replant for the advantaage of people yet to be.—St. Vincent New Era.

All is not Lovely

During the past week ugly rumors have been circulating which involve some of the Border Towns' contingent of business men, charges of blackmail are covertly made, and threats of open exposure are heard. Honest business methods are not conducive to such and it may be well to hew a little closer to the golden rule is our advice. —The Northern News.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers ar the best pills known. Sold by A. G Andersen.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

This is the way the Grand Forks Herald puts it:

"There are two announced candidates in Minneapolis for the position of delegate at large from the state of Minnesota to the republican national convention, Lowry and Heffelfinger. Mr. Lowry was asked some time ago as to his views on policies and candidates and he dodged every time. He didn't know whether he approved of the president's course or not. He wasn't sure whether he would approve a progressive policy or the reverse. He could not say what his attitude toward Taft or any other candidate might be. Heffelfinger knows where he is at, and is not backward about expressing himself. He is in favor of what the president has done in important national matters in the past and he wants it kept up. He is outspokenly and enthusiastically in favor of the nomination of Taft. The situation so far as these two candidates is concerned seems to be reasonably free from complications. As between the two, if the people of Minnesota want a progressive policy and a man who will carry it out, they will support Heffelfinger. If they don't know what they want, and don't care what they get, Mr. Lowry will probably suit them first rate.

There is on unconfirmed report going the rounds of the press that R. C. Dunn may become an active candidate for the republican nomination for governor, and further that there is an understanding with J. F. Jacobson, which may result in the Madison man's support for Dunn.

Fertile Journal: If they nominate Taft it will be just like Roosevelt running again.

Cannon Falls Beacon: A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota is mentioned for attorney general at the next year's election. We happen to know Mr. Rockne and there isn't a more earnest lawyer or better practitioner in the state, and on this the Princeton News comments as follows: Nor was there an abler man in either branch of the legislature during the last session. Mr. Rockne is to be reckoned with in the future politics of the state. A forceful personality is bound to make room for itself near the top, and it is no flattery of Mr. Rockne to say that he possesses these qualifications.

The Young announcement is taking well. Only verbal comment has been heard as yet, and it is impossible to say how it will strike the more enthusiastic Jacobson supporters. However, the tone of it is such as to disarm criticism. It does not invite a pre convention struggle but a calm, deliberate choice by republicans in the interests of party success. If that attitude would only be maintained by all aspirants, the situation would convey excellent hopes of success in the coming campaign.—Minneapolis Journal.

Park Rapids Clipper: Hon. J. F. Jacobson could render the state valuable service as a member of the legislature and as a candidate for that position would eliminate himself as an agreed element of discord in the gubernatorial situation.

International Falls Border Budget: It makes no difference. The stiffest backed republican in the state is proud of the praise Governor Johnson is receiving from those Eastern Democrats.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Some men just can't foot a bill without kicking.

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No, Alonzo, a nervous woman isn't necessarily nervy.

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Some finished orators don't seem to know when to quit.

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A milkman doesn't cry over spilt milk if there is a pump handy.

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The trouble with a jealous woman is that she can't keep the lid on.

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By the bloom on a man's nose you may recognize his distaste for water.

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The ties that bind some actors together belong to the railway companies.

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Nothing hurts a woman more than to have a man tell her that she is nothing but a woman.

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It is easier for a man to acquire a bad reputation than it is for the children to live it down.

* * *

Probably the best salve for healing the broken heart of a woman is a mixture of time and another man.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

ACKNOWLEDGE IT

Crookston has to Bow to the Inevitable—Scores of Citizens Prove It

After reading the public statement of this representative citizen of Crookston given below, you must come to this conclusion: A remedy which cured years ago, which has kept the kidneys in good health since, can be relied upon to perform the same work in other cases. Read this:

John Dunn, Sr., of 336 Central Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is more than five years since I first recommended Doan's Kidney Pills but I can endorse them more confidently today than before. Before I used this remedy I had suffered for about ten years with pains and aches in the back and about the kidneys. The kidney secretions were highly colored and too frequent. Doan's Kidney Pills which I got at Wallace's drug store removed these symptoms and I was pleased to testify to the facts in a testimonial published in the local papers. The gratifying results before described have proved of a permanent nature, and I have been recomending Doan's Kidney Pills ever since.'

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York. sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

An industrious man can easily earn his own living but the trouble is he usually has to earn a living for a lot of others.

The best way to get money as well as the slowest, is to work for it.

DECISIONS OF INTEREST

As Compiled by the West Publishing Co.

Right of Wife to Sue for Alienation of Husband's Affections. Oregon like many other states, has a statute removing all disabilities upon a wife which are not imposed or recognized as existing as to the husband. Under this statute the Supreme Court of that state in Keen vs. Keen, 90 Pacific Reporter, 147, holds that a wife may maintain an action for an alienation of her husband's affections. As supporting authorities the court cites Postlewaite v. Postlewaite, 1 Ind. App. 473, 28 Northeastern Reporter, 99; Beach v. Brown, 20 Wash. 266, 55 Pacific Reporter, 46, 43 L. R. A. 114, 72 Am. St. Rep. 98. As to the state authorities on this proposition the court says: "In a few of the states it has been ruled by the courts of last resort that such an action cannot be maintained; but where modern legislation recognizes the doctrine that the wife has rights which the court should respect, reason and a great weight of authority uphold the principle that for the loss of consortium, which includes the husband's society, love, and assistance, the law now affords her an adequate remedy."

Validity of Labor Law. The validity of the New York law prohibiting the employment of females, regardless of age, in factories between 9 p. m., and 6 o'clock a. m., came up for final determination by the state courts in People v. Williams, 81 Northeastern Reporter, 778. The Court of Special sessions of the First Division of the City of New York (100 New York Supplement, 337) held the law unconstitutional as infringing the constitutional right to contract. This decision was affirmed by the Appellate Division by a divided court (101 New York Supplement, 562, 116 App. Div. 379). The Court of Appeals now affirms the decision of the court below, and holds the law unconstitutional on the same grounds as the Court of Special Sessions. The court says that the courts have gone very far in upholding legislative enactments framed clearly for the welfare, comfort, and health of the community; but when it is sought as here, arbitrarily to prevent an adult female citizen from working at any time of the day that suits her, it is time to call a halt. Such a law arbitrarily deprives citizens of their right to contract with each other.

Testamentary Capacity of Spiritualist. The Michigan Supreme Court in O'Dell v. Goff, 112 Northwestern Reporter, 736, holds that mere belief in spiritualism is not evidence of insanity, but, on the other hand one who thinks so persistently on the subject as to become a monomaniac, incapable of reasoning, does not possess testamentary capacity; and, where a believer in spiritualism has such confidence in spiritualistic communications thru mediums or otherwise that he is compelled to follow them blindly, his free agency is destroyed and a will made under such circumstances cannot be admitted to probate, whether such conclusion be based on incapacity or undue influence.

Additional Compensation of Expert Witness. The right of a physician called into a case as an expert to additional compensation is often insisted upon, and sometimes questioned. In Burnett v. Freeman, 103 Southwestern Reporter, 121, the Kansas City Court of Appeals collates numerous authorities on this proposition, and comes to the conslusion that such an expert is not entitled to additional compensation for his services in a case.

Goats As Fixtures. To lawyers in common-law states the decision of the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, in Morton Trust Company v. American Salt Company, 149 Federal Reporter, 540, appears to be rather novel. It is there held that goats placed on land for the sole purpose of destroying brush and weeds thereon and keeping down the grass are fixtures. This decision is, of course, based on the civil law, and in the opinion the court notes that in France it has been held that cows attached to dairy farms are fixtures or immovables.

It's better to have your teeth filled in a restaurant than in a dentist's chair.

Of Vital Importance

No other organs of the body are so essential to good health as the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Remeddy makes the kidneys healthy so that they will strain out the impurities from the blood which is consantly passing thru them. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger.—Sold by all druggists.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

PERSONALS—

Visitors were registered at the Crookston school of Agriculture as follows:

A. C. Fournet of this city.
J. T. Fournet of this city.
A. J. Sethney of Twin Valley.
E. C. McAvery of West Concord.
Miss Julia Jacobson of Gracy, N. D.
Mr. O. O. Kroken of Crookston.
Mr. K. J. Ike.
Miss Julia Thebarge.
Mr. and Mrs. R. R. DeMott.
Mr. H. Hendrickson of Warren.
Miss Amanda Medchill of Plummer.

Two men students registered this week. Wm. Clemens of this city and Albert Malm of Argyle.

Messrs. Oscar Quarberg and Alfred Olson visited at their homes over Sunday.

Mr. Anton Kroken who has been confined to his bed with rheumatism has been removed to Bethesda hospital.

Professor Thorson and Evans of the Crookston High School spent the day at the school Saturday to see the practical work of the students.

Mr. Earl Harrington who is teaching school northeast of this city spent Sunday with his father at the Agricultural school.

NEGATIVE WON—

The program rendered by the Literary society was as follows:

Song by society.
Reading by Mr. Olaf Nelson.
Recitation by Miss H. Hendrickson
Recitation by Miss Olivia Nelson.
Song by the Society.

Debate: Question—"Resolved that the White Leghorn Hen is more profitable to raise on the farm than the Plymouth Rock Hen."

Messrs. Paulsand, Johnson and Rager sustained the affirmative, while Mr. Nordlum, Miss Wilkinson and Mr. Regeimbal debated the negative. The negative won the debate.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous a they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

MENTOR

Mrs. Van Tyle of Crookston is visiting among friends here.

Ralph Stoddard and wife visited with friends at Erskine Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Benoy is visiting with her parents north of McIntosh this week.

Misses Clara and Minnie Johnson are visiting with friends at Crookston this week.

Thos. Vollom left again last Wednesday evening for S. Dakota where he will lecture for the temperance cause during the next two months.

Rudolph Waadekamper, formerly a citizen of these parts but now located in Oregon arrived here last Saturday and is visiting with friends and relatives and looking after a few business interests.

Phil Girard of East Grand Forks spent yesterday in the city enroute to St. Paul. He has been employed by the East Grand Forks Valley View for some time past in the composing department.

Wonderful Peacock Throne

The throne of Persia, known as the Wonderful Peacock Throne, is probably the most costly in the world. It is literally covered with jewels, and is valued at between two and three million pounds. The value of a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer is becoming well known, and is the favorite table beverage in thousands of homes. It is unsurpasseed as a tonic and muscle builder. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Saturday's Daily—

ON SICK LIST—Harry L. Falk has been on the sick list for the past few days, the grip having gripped him.

BAKKE AT HELM—The Newfolden Review, which has been published by Editor Haines for the past year, has been sold to A. E. Bakke, a son of D. B. Bakke of T. R. Falls who takes immediate possession.

WARREN ATHLETE— Joe Staska and Ingolf Grindeland of Warren were in Thief River Falls last week and returned home via this city. Mr. Staska is an aspirant for honors in either skating or foot races. While at the Upper Falls he stated that he would like to arrange a race with local speed artists.

ADDRESS APPRECIATED—Friday afternoon Rev. Ward addressed the students of the Crookston College. His address was eloquent and interesting and was much appreciated by all who heard him. All the students hope that Mr. Ward will visit the college again in the near future.

TAKING DEPOSITION — Special Agent A. W. Layman of the Interior Department was here this morning enroute to Thief River Falls where today he will take depositions in the case of the government against Joe Guinan in which they seek to set aside his entry to government lands in this district. Guinan will be represented by Attorneys Moran and Gossman of this city and Cooke and Richardson of Thief River Falls.

TO NEW FIELD—Charles L. Bang left last night for Bemidji where he will at once assume his duties as Manager of the Northwestern Telephone Company exchange at that point. Mrs. Bang and son Kenneth will remain here for the presnt. Charlie has hosts of friends here who will regret to have him and his estimable wife leave this city, both being very prominent in both social and lodge circles, but are pleased to have his ability recognized by the company.

TOO MUCH SNOW—A letter received from Jack Turner and Clarence Sheppard announces that they were forced, to give up their trip from Grand Forks to Grand Junction, Tenn. in an auto. They found a foot of snow in the vicinity of Quincy, Ill., and underneath the beautiful there was all kinds of mud. It was decided that, inasmuch as there was lots of bad roads ahead, that it would be wise to take a train the rest of the way. The auo was placed on a car and is now on its way to Grand Forks.

SIMPLY IDEAL— The remarkably mild weather continues and the present winter bids fair to be the warmest ever known in Minnesota. Mild, calm nights followed by fine, clear delightful days are the rule, and makes one feel it a pleasure to be alive. The mercury has hardly been down to zero all winter and there has been but one snow storm (Dec. 24) worthy of the name. On prairie roads wagons are most used for heavy loads but in the woods there is five or six inches of snow, making good sleighing and ideal conditions for geting out wood.

From Monday's Daily—

BIG MEETING WEDNESDAY—On Wednesday evening of this week Valley Encampment No. 9 will hold a big meeting at which the newly elected officers will be installed and degree work done.

MOVES TO GLENWOOD—J. L. Edgar of Kittson leaves today with two cars of stock, machinery and household goods for Glenwood, Minn., where he expects to make his future home. The family will follow in a few days.

SPECIAL SERVICES— Special services will be held at the Scandinavian M. E. church every evening this week barring next Saturday. Rev. Andreason will be assisted by Rev. C. J. Rynning of Warren who is a very able speaker.

KERTSONVILLE HEAVY WEIGHT—Omer Sauve is in from the farm today and with the rest of the farmers is praising the weather especially to the stockman, of which he is heavily interested and which is feeding on half required in a hard winter.

VISITED RADIUM — Herbert and Elsie Stahl returned last Saturday morning from a visit with friends at Radium. Miss Lydia Leslie of that place accompanied them to their home at Euclid, Minn., where she will visit for a few days.—Warren Sheaf.

SAME WEATHER — Mrs. Owen Cronkhite writes from North Yakima Wash., that the weather is warm; that straw hats are in evidence and so is the nice soft mud. She has gained the impression from her neighbors that she may expect dust and heat as the next new feature of their new home.

OUTLOOK PLEASES—Hon. D. E. Tawney of Winona was in Hallock on Monday attending the stockholders meeting of the First National Bank. He expressed himself as being pleasantly surprised over the splendid showing made by the bank even during an adverse season.—Hallock News.

TOO EARLY IN GAME — Brown Duckstad ex-mayor of Fertile and a prominent hardware dealer of that city, is spending the day here attending to some business matters. When approached for a few pointers on politics Mr. Duckstad asked to be excused as it was rather early in the game.

It fills the arteries with rich red blood, makes new flesh, and healthy men, women and children. Nothing can take its place; no remedy has done so much good as Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

RAINY WEATHER ON COAST—A. H. Kleven was in town yesterday and says that while out West he located several valuable claims on railroad lands, some Blackduck parties being among the lucky ones. He does not like rainy, wintry weather on the coast and could not even find a dry spot in the woods to lay down on.—Blackduck Enterprise.

A JOLLY SCOT HERE—Tom Nesbet who owns several fine farms in Western Polk county is spending the day in the city attending to some business at the court house. He will be one of the big moguls at the Mallory festivities on the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, the beloved Scottish bard next Friday evening.

FERTILE LAND MAN— Theodore Proop of Fertile who deals extensively in real estate in southern Polk county is a court visitor in the city today, he is very optimistic regarding the future business in his line, the inquiries for lands are double that of last year or any previous year with one exception.

GAMBLING IN BLACKDUCK — In playing checkers at Blackduck a party lost $30 to George Horton and yesterday sued George to recover his money and today accepted $10 in payment of his claim. Now George has the man arrested for gambling and he was put in jail this morning pending the hearing of the case at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

BIG DOINGS AT MENTOR—Saturday evening there were great doings at Mentor when the new officers of Mentor Camp 5288, M. W. A. were installed and a banquet for Woodmen and their friends enjoyed, interspersed with a program. There were about 100 present and a great feature was the burning of the mortgage on Woodmen hall at that place. The enthusiasm resulted in three new applications for membership.

From Tuesday's Daily

INSPECTED NORTH COUNTRY—Post Office Inspector W. M. Hughes week inspecting the post offices north of Bemidji.

RED LAKE OFFICIAL—County Auditor O'Brien of Red Lake County passed thru the city last night enroute to St. Paul on official business, Red Lake county has had an exceptionally prosperous year and not a bit of discontent in the whole territory.

AFTER PAUL KOPANG —Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels left this mroning for Winnipeg and will probably return this evening with Paul Kopang the youthful forger who could sign Ben Rosenberg's name to checks with such celerity.

RETURNED MISSIONARY — On Wednesday evening at the Baptist church, Rev. Cronkhite a returned missionary will make an address on Foreign Missions. He had several years' actual experience in the far east and his address will be full of interest to those interested in the work of foreign missions.

LOOKING AFTER LAND—A well known farmer residing near Minot, N. D., has returned home after having spent a few days in Crokston where he was showing some fine valley land by local dealers and will make several purchases before spring. This is "hedging" on the part of the farmers in the flickertail state.

IS FARMING RIGHT—J. H. Kathman one of the progressive farmers of Polk who resides on the old Lorenzo Davis farm on section 18 in the town of Andover was in the city today negotiating for a cream separator. Mr. Kathman has a number of fine cows and will increase his herd from time to time, as he thoroly believes in diversified farming and practices what he preaches. He took out a load of feed

OFFICIALLY POPULAR — L. H. Aamoth is becoming a busy man in spite of the fact that he has nothing to do. The Twin Valley Creamery Association, the Wild Rice Orphan's Home, the Flom Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and in fact nearly every organization extant in the village thrusts an office upon him. Well its all right It will help keep Lars out of mischief. Twin Valley Times.

NEW "HELLO" MANAGER—Chas. Bang, who succeeds A. E. Harris as local manager for the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company, came over from Crookston Saturday to assume his new duties. Mr. Bang will from now on make this city his home and will be identified with the business men of Bemidji.

"Charley" Bang has been a resident of Crokston ever since he was a "kid" and he has of late years been engaged in business in the "Queen City." He will undoubtedly make a good manager for the "hello" company.—Bemidji Pioneer.

L. L. C. BROOKS RECOVERING—Mayor McPhee is in receipt of a letter from James H. Lockhart, the multi millionaire and former owner of the Keystone and Lockhart farms, the largest in this section of the country, in which he stated that L. L. C. Brooks, ex-president of the Tri-State Telephone Co., of Minneapolis and who in the early days was paymaster on the two farms above mentioned was just recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever at his home in St. Paul. Mr. Brooks was widely known in Crookston and Polk county and many friends will be pleased to

John—"What kind of tea do you like best? Priscilla—"Goo-tees, some, but Rocky Mountain Tea best." John—"Why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea best?" Priscilla—"It speaks for itself John." (Makes lovely complexions.) A. G. Andersen.

STOCK OF MERCHANDISE—E. P. Schaefer the well known Crookston land man has traded land for a large stock of general merchandise at Hebron, Ill., which he is retailing at that place. He expects to have it closed out about the 1st or 15th of March after which he will return to Crookston and will be located in the same old stand in the Fournet Block selling Red River Valley dirt. As noted in the Journal several days ago Mrs. Schaefer and son Kenneth have left for Hebron to remain with him during balance of the winter. Mr. Schaefer is one of the land men who can be found hustling all the time, and is as good a booster as there is in the business. He came into the possession of his present merchandise stock as the result of a large land deal which he completed a short time ago.

From Wednesday's Daily

CARL IS "SORE"—Carl Frisvold, one of the students of the Crookston College is confined to his room with a sore arm as the cause of a recent vaccination.

CIRCULATING AGAIN—Henry Ebbighausen who has been confined to his home for some time past with lumbago, is circulating among his friends again today.

MOTHER IS DEAD — Roadmaster P. J. Carney of the Northern Pacific received a telegram yesterday morning advising him of the death of his mother in Minneapolis on Monday. Mr. Carney aand daughter left last night to attend the funeral.

DID NOT RETURN—Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels who went to Winnipeg yesterday morning after Paul Kopang, the youthful forger, did not return last evening as expected, but will probably return this evening with the prisoner.

PICTURE OF HEALTH—Attorney Hagen's stenographer, Frank Raff returned this morning from Fertile where he went last Friday evening to recuperate from a severe attack of la grippe. Mr. Raff reports a very enjoyable time and looks the picture of health.

STRAWBERRIES IN BUD—Oscar Wick of Western Polk says his strawberries are in bud and if the weather keeps warm enough he will soon have ripe berries. The crop is doing well anyway, and a good yield is assured. Mr. Wick says we don't need to go south to find a banana belt this year. (Note: This was remarked yesterday and is subject to revision.)

FUNERAL OF HIS BROTHER — Iver Johnson a prominent farmer living north of East Grand Forks passed thru the city last evening having been called to Spring Grove, Houston county by the death of his brother, Guneras Floberg. Only meagre particulars were given in the telegram received beyound the fact that death resulted from lung fever.

Advice to Mothers: Don't let your children waste away. Keep them strong and healthy during the winter with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It is the greatest tonic for children. Pure and harmless, does the greatest good. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

DIFFICULTY SETTLED—It is understood that Chas. McCarthy has settled with Nels Hanson, the hack driver, the latter having paid him $20 for any damages done his wife in the recent unpleasantness. There are several stories afloat regarding the affair, and it appears that Hnson was not entirely to blame for the unpleasant features of the case.

TAKES TERRY'S PLACE — John Moran, the well known travelling man who has been with a Duluth crockery house was in the city yesterday. He has been assigned the place formerly occupied by Terry McCosker of Grand Forks who in the future will be in charge of the travelling men for McDonald Bros., of St. Paul, whom he has been working for for the past 20 years. Mr. Moran left last evening for Grand Forks.

INTERESTING ADDRESS—This afternoon Rev. Cronkhite and Rev. Markham addressed the students of the Crookston business College. Rev. Cronkhite is a missionary in Burmah where he has a school and his address contained some very interesting information regarding the conditions there, and he had a number of very fine pictures which he exhibited and which were thoroly appreciated.

PREPARING FOR CONVENTION—At a meeting of the Grand Forks implement dealers yesterday plans were discussed for the entertainement of the North Dakota and Northwestern Minnesota Implement Dealers' association in Grand Forks on Feb. 4, 5 and 6. There will be in the neighborhood of between 250 and 300 delegates present and the convention promises to be of unusual interest. The following committees were named at the meeting of the local dealers: Financial—O. A. Anderson, M. Sullivan, L. Stinson and George E. Duis. Entertainment—D. C. Hazlett, P. P. Houghton, Kane and Weiss. Space—C. O. Gaunt. Advertising—M. C. Bachellor.

This Is Worth Remembering

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

EAST COUNTY ELECTS CREAMERY OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Olga Creamery association held last week the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year:

E. A. Engebretson, president.
Ole Ekevold, secretary.
John Lindberg, treasurer.

GREAT GATHERING OF MINNESOTA SONS

FOURTH ANNUAL BANQUET TO BE HELD AT NORTH YAKIMA TONIGHT

Sons and Daughters of Minnesota, resident in North Yakima and vicinity, will hold their fourth annual banquet at Tieton hall North Yakima tonight. The society there of former residents of the North Star state has a membership of over 500 and expects to greatly increase the length of the roll this season. Their prosperity is well known and their enthusiasm for the Yakima valley together with their joyful way of expressing it have become proverbial so there is little doubt that the attendance and enthusiasm at the anniversary will be great

The time for this annual meeting was chosen so as to furnish a full moon for those who drive in from the country.

The committee on entertainment has prepared to accommodate 600 people in Tieton hall and that the program in preparation will afford the company an enjoyable time and an excellent chance for renewing old acquaintances and getting the latest news from the old home in Minnesota.

At the beginning of the meeting a short time will be devoted to social intercourse. At 8:15 p. m. all will fall in for the opening grand march which will end up with "Happy is the Miller".

M. L. Matterson and Bert Bivins the latter a pioneer and well known former resident of Crookston, have been chosen as leaders in a 15 minutes old-fashioned spelling match. Words for the match will be taken largely from the geographical names in Minnesota.

A male quartette of Minnesotans will furnish a few breezy selections and a unique feature of the exercises will be a balloting contest on Minnesota's favorite sons.

The roll call of the counties will also afford an excellent opportunity for people to meet and know those from their particular section of the state.

The election of officers will take place at 10 o'clock and will be at once followed by a banquet.

A FORMER G. N. OFFICIAL DEAD

AUGUST OLSON FORMER ROADMASTER AT LARIMORE IS NO MORE

A dispatch from Berwick, N. D., announces the death of August Olson aged 46, a well known railroad man and formerly a roadmaster on the Great Northern at Larimore and other point on the system. He has been suffering with tuberculosis for the past two years and death occurred at the home of Eli Larsen, about five miles north of Berwick. The remains were taken to Minot for interment. The deceased was a Norwegian by birth and was well liked among his associates. He was unmarried and leaves a number of brothers and sisters to mourn his loss.

How to Avoid Pneumonia

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

Correspondence

KEYSTONE

Mrs. Geo. Unz and daughter Miss Hulda called on Mrs. Aeschlimann and daughters last Thursday.

Samuel Aeschlimann and John Gerber were transacting business in Grand Forks last Saturday.

Miss Julia Byington returned from Grand Forks last Saturday where she has been visiting with friends.

John Gerber and family visited at the Aeschlimann home last Sunday.

Adolph and Miss Alma Horn, called on Casper Tiedemann last Sunday afternoon.

Earl and Everet Capes and John and William Grundahl, spent last Saturday evening with Simon Aeschlimann and family.

Misses Tillie and Bessie Brantl have been seriously ill for the past week.

Two boys, whose ages are sixteen and seventeen and are attending school at district No. 30, had quite an accident last week, which caused considerable confusion. Returning from class one of the boys sat too close to the edge of the seat and with an extra shove from his partner he fell on the floor. As a punishment his partner will sit with one of the girls on account of scarcity of seats.

Samuel Aeschlimann and sister Lydia and Miss Laura Ramstad visited with Henry Horn and family last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brantl and Mr. Edward Brantl returned to Grand Forks last week after spending several days visiting friends and relatives.

A box social is being planned by Miss Laura Ramstad and her pupils to be held some time in the near future.

Laura Ramstad and Persida Aeschlimann drove to Sherack last Saturday and on returning their horses became frightened and started at such a pace down the road that it was hard for the young ladies to get them under control. No one was hurt however, but they were dreadfully frightened altho for a time matters did look bad.

Miss Laura Ramstad called on Mrs John Gerber last Saturday.

BELTRAMI ITEMS

Bryant Jackson and Carl Scott, students in the local high school spent the end week holidays at their respective homes in Lockhart and Fertile.

Harry Johnson son of J. P. Johnson landlord of the North Star hotel visited the county seat the guest of friends over Sunday.

Bertha the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Budd has been seriously ill, Mr. Budd being called home Sunday night from Beltrami county where he is interested in some of the logging contracts. However at last accounts the baby was improving.

Miss Maye B. Fearon of the teaching staff visited with her brother and mother at Crookston Saturday and Sunday.

W. J. Bond, wife and two sons visited over Sunday at Crookston the guest of Mrs. Bond's brother, John Scott.

Miss Jessie Budd is visiting friends in Crookston for a few days.

Mrs. D. H. Fearon of St. Cloud was a Beltrami visitor last week the guest of her daughter Miss Maye.

J. A. Kirkpatrick socialist lecturer spoke in the hall last Thursday night to a large and enthusiastic audience on the issues of the day. After the lecture an oyster supper was served and dancing was enjoyed the rest of the evening.

Webster Heath has gone to St. Paul for a week's visit and will combine pleasure with business.

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REPORT MADE AGAINST PLAN

TO DIVERT THE WATERS OF THE RED RIVER INTO THE MINNESOTA RIVER

SECRETARY TAFT AND GEN. McKENZIE OPPOSE THE IDEA

Secretary Taft yesterday transmitted to congress a report of Maj. Shunk corps of engineers, on the preliminary examination authorized by the river and harbor act of 1907 of the Bois De Sioux river, Lake Traverse and Big Stone lake and the portage between said lakes and said river, with a view of diverting the flood waters of the Red River of the North into the Minnesota river. After an examination of this proposition, Maj. Shunk reports to Gen. McKenzie, chief of engineers that the flood waters of the Red River of the North ought not to be deflected into the Minnesota river and in this view Gen. McKenzie concurs, as also does Secretary of War Taft.

SHOWERED WITH MANY HONORS

SENATOR A. D. STEPHENS HAS A LONG LIST OF HANDLES TO HIS NAME

Senator Stephens would make the ordinary titled gentlemen of England Germany or France look like 40 cents should he ever give his signature in full. It would look like this, Andrew D. Stephens, State Senator from the 62nd district, Cashier of Merchants National Bank of Crookston, President of the First National Bank of Fosston, President of the First National Bank of Bagley, President of the State Bank of Little Fork, President of the Bank of Mentor, Vice President of the Lumbermans National Bank of Bemidji, the Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire and director in all the above and the First State Bank of Shevlin and the State Bank of Middle River.

Now if the genial senator would only sell his titles to some marriageable young man, a trip across the Atlantic by one ambitious mother and her daughter with a trunk full of bonds would be unnecessary. Titles? Well we guess we got 'em here as long as the best of 'em.

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PRINTING SCRAP IN THE COURTS

INJUNCTION PROCEEDINGS STARTED IN RED LAKE COUNTY YESTERDAY

TO RESTRAIN CO. OFFICIALS FROM GIVING PRINTING TO PLUMMER PIONEER

Special to the Journal—

Plummer, Minn., Jan. 15. — Sheriff Nelson this afternoon served papers in injunction proceedings on Chas. W. Latta, publisher of the Plummer Pioneer, the proceedings being brought by Harry Ives, publisher of the St. Hilaire Spectator, to restrain the county officials from entering into a contract with the publisher of the Plummer Pioneer for the county printing for the ensuing year. The papers were served yesterday morning on the county auditor and members of the county board.

When the question of letting the county printing came up before the board on Wednesday last there were two bids submitted. One was by Mr. Ives and it provided for the publication of the tax list, financial statement and commissioners' proceedings in the St. Hilaire Spectator, the Red Lake Falls Gazette, and the Press and News at Thief River Falls, the price asked being legal rates less ten per cent. The other bid was by Mr. Latta and provided for the publication of all publications in the Plummer Pioneer and the mailing of a copy of each legal publication to every taxpayer in the county applying for same free of charge.

In this bid the price asked was 8 cts per description for the tax list and 40 and 20 cents per folio for all other notices. After a lengthy discussion and consideration of the bids a motion was made that the latter bid be accepted and the Plummer Pioneer designated as the official paper for the ensuing year, provided Mr. Latta would agree to mail a copy of all such legal publications to every tax payer in the county, as shown by the tax roll, on the day of publication. This motion was declared carried and the Pioneer duly awarded the county printing. On Thursday Mr. Latta signed the contract demanded by the board and it was filed with the auditor by the county attorney.

The grounds on which the restraining order is asked are that the county board had no right to take such an action and that the Plummer Pioneer is not a legal weekly newspaper. In the latter contention the plaintiff takes the ground that the Pioneer, which is a six-column folio paper does not comply with the requirements of the statute because it is not all printed in Plummer. The plaintiff also claims that the Pioneer has not two hundred and forty paying subscribers in the immediate vicinity of Plummer and Red Lake County.

Mr. Ives' paper, the St. Hilaire Spectator, is a seven column folio, half printed at home and is considered by many to have about the same circulation as the Plummer Pioneer.

The ruling of the court will be of interest to publishers thruout the state In many counties the printing is done by papers the size of the Pioneer and if the court should knock out the six column folio as a legal sized newspaper it will probably drive many of the small publishers out of business. The court will also have to decide what is meant by the term "paying subscriber." Unless the subscribers who may be a little in arrears and those paying considerations other than strict cash are ruled out the Pioneer will easily be able to establish its list as being ample to meet the requirements of the statute.

DOUBLES HIS GUARDS.

Series of Robberies Near Rockefeller's Home Causes Extra Precautions.

New York, Jan. 18.—Twice within a week there have been robberies at Pocantico Hills, near the estate of John D. Rockefeller. The residents of the district have formed a vigilance committee and it is stated that Mr. Rockefeller has doubled the guards that always patrol the grounds near his house. Several dogs are also used at night about the house as guards.

Jury Has Walsh Case.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Eight hours after the jury which is considering whether John R. Walsh was guilty of misapplication of funds of the Chicago National bank had retired, no word had come to the waiting attorneys and court house attaches that a verdict was in prospect. The twelve men began their deliberations on the evidence shortly before 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Fire Causes $150,000 Loss.

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 18. — Fire which started in the Pendleton-Corbett Grain company's grain storehouse last night destroyed the Montgomery B elevator, the storehouse itself and between fifteen and twenty freight cars. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

FIND FOR PLAINTIFF

IN CASE OF GLIDDEN VS. CARPENTER — THRESHING BILL CASE ON

GRAND JURY DELVING INTO LENGBY AND TABOR LIQUOR SALES

From Friday's Daily—

In district court this morning the jury in the case of Glidden vs. Carpenter, to collect for the storage of some machinery at Hallock brought in a verdict of $40 for the plaintiff. The plaintiff was represented by P. H. Konzen of Hallock and the defendant by A. A. Miller.

The case of Jacob O. Jorgenson vs John N. Stallmo for the collection of a $400 thresher bill is now on, being an appeal case from the municipal court of East Grand Forks, and following that the case of Stallmo vs. Jorgenson, an appeal case from Fisher for $50 worth of grain sold to the defendant.

Grand Jury

The Grand Jury finished the investigation of the Murphy stabbing affray at East Grand Forks last night. Murphy is the man who slashed Frank Whittaker's throat with a knife a few weeks ago. Today the grand jury is investigating some liquor sales in Tabor township and Lengby.

From Thursday's Daily—

The repeated reports of cases being settled or continued is becoming monotonous to the interested court room spectators. On account of the Minneapolis Brewery vs. Sullivan case being continued until the next term the court had nothing further scheduled for today and the jury was excused until tomorrow morning.

The first case on for Friday is Jacob O. Jorgenson against John N. Stallmo appealed from the municipal court of East Grand Forks, and is for $400 claimed to be due on a threshing bill

In the following case the same litigants are involved except that Stallmo is the agressor and sues Jorgenson for a grain bill of about $50 this is also an appeal case, from the Fisher justice court. The other case on the calendar for tomorrow is Glidden vs. Carpenter transferred from Kittson County to this court and is for a small amount claimed by Glidden for storage of machinery.

Grand Jury

The grand jury is today examining a long list of witnesses from East Grand Forks on the Mike Murphy stabbing affray, and will probably take the rest of the day. The witnesses who are here in this case are Frank Whittaker, Dr. W. C. Wilson, Frank Davis Vincent Hogan, Harry Hutchins, Mel Hagnes, Wm. Riley, Thomas Conlin, John Dudley, Harry Fralik, Daniel Myron, John Kelly and Henry Bergen.

INS. COMPANY HOLDS MEETING

OFFICERS OF DEALERS' MUTUAL ARE ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL SESSION

The annual meeting of the North Dakota Implement Dealers' Mutual Fire Insurance company was held here yesterday. The company sustained no losses of any great importance during the year and the finances are in good shape. Reports of the officers were read and approved and all the business disposed of. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—D. W. Luke, Grand Forks
Vice President—D. G. McIntosh, St. Thomas.
Secretary—Geo. E. Duis, Grand Forks.
Treasurer— P. S. Houghton, Grand Forks.

The list of directors includes the above officers and J. J. Daugherty of Park River, N. D.; D. W. Horton of Wahpeton and Peter Goldammer of Lakota.

ANGUS.-TABOR TELEPHONE CO.

The annual meeting of the Angus-Tabor Rural Telephone Company was held at Angus last Monday afternoon Jan. 12. The following officers were elected for the present year: J. F. Montgomery, president; J. W. Campion, secretary; and A. Stroble, treasurer. The board of directors consists of Frank Sherack, Edward Pulkrabek, James Wavra, John Kuzel and Louis Osterloh. The company will extend their line seven miles more as soon as the weather will permit. It will not be long before every farmer will enjoy a telephone.

His Satanic majesty is more interested in you than he is in your enemies.

NO FRAUD ORDER ISSUED

OLE TIEGEN HAS THOROLY INVESTIGATED MATTER WITH P. O. DEPT.

REPORT OF COM. OF GENERAL LAND OFFICE DISCUSSES R. R. LAND GRANT

The report published in the local papers that a fraud order had been issued in connection with those who were securing filings for the lands in Oregon granted to the Oregon and California R. R. Co., proves to have been without foundation. No fraud order has been issued and no application has been made for one acording to a letter received today by Ole Tiegen from the post office department.

Mr. Teigen also received the last report of the Commissioner of the General Land office in which the following reference is made to the disputed land which must be sold for $2.50 per acre.

"The grant to the Oregon and California Railroad Company under the act of July 25, 1866 (14 Stat., 239), embraced 3,821,901.80 acres. The prescribed conditions of the grant not having been met by the company, the time for performance was extended by the act of April 10, 1869 (16 Stat., 47). Altho the company failed to comply with the terms of the grant within the time specified, it complied with them substantially before a forfeiture, and title to all the lands consequently vested in the company (see Schulenberg v. Harriman, 21 Wall., 44), subject only to the covenant expressed in the proviso of the act of 1869, which declares—that the lands granted by the act afore said shall be sold to actual settlers only in quantities not greater than one quarter section to one purchaser and for a price not exceeding $2.50 per acre.

"There have been patented out of this grant 2,765,657.10 acres, leaving 1,056,244.70 acres yet to be patented. In view of the fact that the grantee has not complied with the foregoing proviso, and of the contemplated action of the Department of Justice to institute proceedings in the courts to protect interests of the government this office has declined to further consider pending selections of the railroad company awaiting the result of the action of the Department of Justice."

NORMAN COUNTY ATTORNEY MAKES PUBLIC REPORT

The report of County Attorney Brattland of Norman county for the year just closed shows that there were thirty one prosecutions in the county during 1907 and that the fines and receipts amounted to $925.92.

A man may be as good as his word and still not be a saint.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Samuel Currie and Mary H. Currie, his wife, Mortgagors, to Joseph A. Gilfillan, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of Nov., 1902, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of Nov. 1902, at 3 o'clock P. M. in Book 110 of Mortgages, on page 92 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North one half of section eighteen (18) Town one hundred fifty two (152) Range forty-six (46) in Polk County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Crookston in said County and State, on the 18th day of January 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5,285.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 3, A. D. 1907.

Joseph A. Gilfillan,
Mortgagee.

Jeff H. Irish.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Detroit, Minn.
(Dec 5-12-19-26-07 Jan 2-9-16-08)

DAN CUPID TRIUMPHED

JESSIE PERRY OF MILWAUKEE WEDS FAR-FAMED PLUMMER BACHELOR

HAPPY CULMINATION OF "WIFE WANTED AD" IN MILWAUKEE NEWSPAPER

From Thursday's Daily—

A romance that commenced some months ago by the publication of a letter from a lovelorn swain in a Milwaukee newspaper, culminated happily at Plummer today by the marriage of John A. B. Anderson of this place to Miss Jessie Perry of Milwaukee.

Some months ago Anderson wrote to a friend in Milwaukee and his letter breathed the loneliness of a bachelor of thirty-five years old who was holding down a nice quarter section of land on the recently opened portion of the Red Lake reservation. Anderson is a scant five feet in height, but he longed for loving human companionship with all the ardor of a giant. He stated in his letter that a wife was worth more than $5,000,000 to a lonely man on a farm and intimated that, if he had it, he would willingly pay that amount for some nice woman to love for life.

The friend in Milwaukee gave the letter to the Free Press which published it in full giving the name and address of the writer. The letter was widely copied and Anderson was deluged with letters from women who wanted to marry him. He received letters from all parts of the country but Miss Perry's was the first letter to reach him.

Maybe that letter caught him at the psychological moment, for of all the applicants for his hand and heart Miss Perry held a leading position in the race all the time. Photographs were exchanged and after a lengthy correspondence and mature deliberation by Anderson he decided to marry Miss Perry. He wrote to her to "Pack her trunk and come at once."

That was nearly three weeks ago, but it takes time for a woman to prepare for an event of that kind and it was not until Tuesday night that Miss Perry arrived at Plummer ready and willing to be married to the man of her choice. Her coming had been wired ahead and a crowd of about two hundred people, mostly bachelors, were at the depot to sustain the waiting bridegroom and welcome the bride. As Miss Perry descended from the train she was greeted by a hearty cheer and her waiting spouse was quickly found. Arm in arm they made their way to the hotel where a crowd of the idly curious loitered for some time discussing the happiness of the couple and the merits of judicious advertising.

They repaired to the office of a Plummer justice of the peace, John A. Retisten, and were quietly married. They will spend the honeymoon on the bridegroom's homestead where they will revel in a full measure of love and the groom will teach the city bride the mysteries of raising little chickens and things which will delight her heart.

A curious circumstance is that in Mayfield township, in which Mr. Anderson resides there are still about 25 bachelors remaining. Every one of these has a good quarter section of land, and they are all prosperous and steady. What a beautiful place for the leap year maiden seeking for happiness, or the widows of Vinton, Ia., who have declared their purpose to marry. "Widders" are said to be very satisfyin', have had some experience, and are not so hard to please.

From Friday's Daily—

John A. B. Anderson, the Plummer man who was married at that place Wednesday morning to the Milwaukee maiden, Miss Jessie Perry, is now a grass widower—his bride, married at noon, took the train for her Beer City home without waiting to see her new husband's farm. The wedding dinner was hardly finished at the Plummer Hotel when the bride gave Anderson to understand that she did not care to remain and share his future lot and talked to him with such good effect that he was willing to let her go back and feel thankful that she did. Before they separated a stipulation for divorce was signed by both parties and it is said that Anderson gave her $25 to pay her car fare home.

Mr. Anderson is somewhat reticent in talking about the failure of his matrimonial venture, and feels his disappointment keenly. He is a good hearted simple minded fellow and his faith in feminine human nature has received a horrible jolt. In time he will get over his disappointment but it is a safe bet that he will never again undertake to secure a partner through the aid of any Milwaukee agency.

Many a young man has acquired that tired feeling and a rich father-in-law about the same time.

ITCHING HUMOR ON LITTLE BOY

His Hands were a Solid Mass, and Disease Spread All Over His Body —In Four Days the Child was Entirely Cured—Mother Strongly

RECOMMENDS CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"One day we noticed that our little boy was all broken out with itching sores. We first noticed it on his little hands. His hands were not as bad then, and we didn't think anything serious would result. But the next day we heard of the Cuticura Remedies being so good for itching sores, etc., that I thought I would get them. By this time the disease had spread all over his body, and his hands were nothing but a solid mass of this itching disease. I went to the drug store and purchased a box of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment, and that night I stripped my little boy and took the Cuticura Soap and lukewarm water and washed him well. Then I dried him with a soft bath towel, and took the Cuticura Ointment and rubbed him thoroughly with it. I did this every evening before I put him to bed and in three or four nights he was entirely cured. You have my permission to publish this because anybody who suffered as my baby did ought to know of the Cuticura Remedies. I will surely and gladly recommend the Cuticura Remedies, for they are a godsend to all suffering with skin diseases. Mrs. Frank Donahue, 208 Fremont St., Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 16, 1907."

PIMPLES

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Gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, but do not rub. Wash off the Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue to bathe the face freely for some minutes. Repeat morning and evening. At other times use hot water and Cuticura Soap for bathing the face as often as agreeable.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

CROOKSTON CAPACITY

TO ACCOMMODATE CONVENTIONS AND LARGE CROWDS AT ITS HOTELS

THIRTEEN HOTELS IN THE CITY CAN ACCOMMODATE NEARLY 900 PEOPLE

From Thursday's Daily—

There are some thirteen hotels in Crookston which are capable of accommodating comfortably 854 people, according to statistics obtained for the Journal from reliable sources. This does not include boarding houses or rooming places. The local hotels and their capacities are as follows:

Crookston	150
Grand Central	80
Palace	75
Scandia	97
Cleveland	63
Columbia	45
Germania	52
Svea	70
Vendome	48
Ottawa	52
West	43
Farmers	38
Riverside	41
Total	854

Most of the time all of the hotels are well filled the figures given are for the full capacity, not including use of cots. However, with the boarding houses and rooming places and restaurants Crookston can accommodate some large crowds as demonstrated in the past.

There's many a slip between the engagement ring and the wedding ring.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

From Over The Valley

REPORT OF ELECTION THIEF RIVER FALLS BANKS

But one change was made in the list of directors at the Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls at the annual meeting held on Jan. 8th this being the election of Ole O. Aubul the town of Rocksbury farmer, in place of J. Q. Cronkheit. The business of the bank for 1907 was entirely satisfactory to all concerned.

The directors of the First National Bank held their annual meeting yesterday. Three changes in directors were made, the list being increased by one and Mr. E. J. Skewis dropping out. The new directors are L. O. Robertson, Fred Roth and J. P. Curtis. The bank officials were all re-elected. The volume of business has been very satisfactory during the past year.

HORRIBLE DEED OF TWO FINLANDERS

One of the most dastardly and horrible deeds ever committed in the annals of this country occurred Tuesday, when two Finlanders cut and stabbed one of their chums in frightful shape. After cutting his face right and left with a sharp knife they cut off part of his tongue and then pursued by an angry mob they took flight and so far have not been captured.

The injured man was brought to the Cass Lake hospital and is in a terrible condition. The affair occurred near the logging camp at Schley on the reservation. The man is so severely injured that he is unable to tell his name. No motive is known for the cowardly act.

THIEF RIVER FALLS MAY GET A MANUFACTURING PLANT

A meeting was held in the Antlers Club rooms to discuss offering inducements to secure the location of the Carmichael-Conklin Milking Machine Company in Thief River Falls. Mr. Carmichael was present and stated that an offer of free site and $2000 bonus or $10,000 subscribed toward the capital stock of the company, would be a satisfactory inducement. A committee was appointed to witness a practical demonstration of the merits of the machine, and until the report of this committee is furnished, the club no definite action will be taken by the Thief River Falls citizens.

INSTALL OFFICERS AT LAST MEETING

Deputy High Chief Ranger Nic Simmer last evening installed the officers of the Catholic Order of Foresters of Grand Forks. Following the installation of officers a social session was enjoyed. The new officers:

Chief Ranger—John Sheehy.
Vice Chief—John Britt.
Past Chief—Nic Simmer.
Treasurer—Thos. Neville.
Financial Sec.—Gerard Rafter.
Trustees—M. Neville, H. Neurater,
Medical Examiner—Dr. O'Keefe.
Senior Conductor—W. V. O'Connor.
Junior Conductor—W. G. Emard.
Inside Sentinel—Jos. Mahowald.
Outside Sentinel—Phil Bourassa.

ARRESTED AT FERTILE ON STATUTORY CHARGE

Fertile, Minn. Jan. 17—Iver Kana a well known tinsmith of this place has been placed under arrest by the sheriff of Red Lake county on a statutory charge and taken to Red Lake Falls, where he will be arraigned. It is alleged that Kana went to Thief River Falls some time ago in company with a woman of this place, stopping at one of the hotels there as man and wife, registering as Mr. and Mrs. Iver Olson. The couple was seen and recognized at the hotel by people of Fertile.

ADA CREAMERY HAS A. D. LAUGHLIN PRESIDENT

At a meeting of the stockholders of Ada Creamery Association held at the village hall Monday afternoon the following officers were elected:

Pres.—A. D. Laughlin.
Vice Pres.—Matt Olson.
Sec. and Manager—H. F. Sprung.
Treas.—Ben Ashbach.
Directors—Wm. Beck, C. M. Bell, Hans Larson.

It was decided to re-open the creamery April 1st.

POLK COUNTY FARMER HAS BAD MISFORTUNE

Adam Nephew, of Godfrey, met with a severe accident last Friday while engaged in moving the old cheese factory building from near Leeston to his place. Mr. Nephew was working around the capstan when the sweep broke lose from the team pulling it, causing it to fly backward with great force, striking him on the leg and breaking it in several places.

FIRST BUSINESS CHANGE IN TWIN VALLEY FOR 1908

The first business change in the village in 1908 that we learn of is the transfer of P. O. Hanson's hardware store and stock to J. S. Sundberg of Minneapolis in exchange for Oregon timber land. The deal which was being negotiated for the past month or two was completed the first part of last week. Mr. Hanson's store building is an excellent one being a part of the new brick block put up a couple of years ago. The store is well stocked and Mr. Hanson has been enjoying a good trade hence Mr. Sundberg comes into possession of an excellent property and we wish him the best of sucess among us. We understand that he takes possession immediately. The land falling to Mr. Hanson consists of 800 acres of heavily fir timbered in southwestern Oregon. Mr. Hanson will go out to look it over soon, after which he will devote his time in agricultural pursuits on his farm adjoining the village to the southwest.—Twin Valley Times

95,938 POUNDS OF BUTTER MADE AT PLUMMER

The Secretary's annual report of business done at the Plummer Creamery for the year beginning December 1, 1906 and ending December 1, 1907 shows the following figures:

Cream received	320,043 lbs
Butter fat	82319 lbs
Butter made	95938 lbs
Average price paid for butter	28c
Average overrun	16.54 per cent.
Average test	25.72
Average yield	29.97
Total money received for butter sold	$23,096.44
Running expense including sinking fund	$2,458.06
Total paid to patrons	$20,637.43
Surplus in running expense fund	$.95

These figures show a very substantial increase in business over the preceeding year. and prove a fine progress in the development and wealth of the country tributary to Plummer.

WINTER COWS PAY NEAR MIDDLE RIVER

The experience of C. A. Anderson, living three miles south of town, in the winter management of his cows, ought to be an object lesson to many other farmers. Mr. Anderson's cows all of them came in in the spring and had they been fed on dry feed as many cows in this section are, they would all of them have been dry this winter. But Mr. Anderson raised several hundred bushels of beets and turnips which he is feeding his cows during the winter and is consequently getting a creamery check of about $25 each month instead of nothing. The cow can be depended on to do her part every time if the farmer will do his in the matter of feeding and caring for her.—Middle River Pioneer.

SUDDEN DEATH OF A. ST. LAWRENCE

The death of Alexander St. Lawrence one of the pioneer residents of the city, occurred yesterday morning at his home in Elm Grove addition at East Grand Forks at the age of 63 years. Mr. St. Lawrence has been in failing health for some time, but was able to be about up to the day before. A complication of diseases with heart trouble is understood to have been the cause of his death. Mr. St. Lawrence came to Polk county from Ontario 25 years ago, and for some years past had conducted a saloon at East Grand Forks. He leaves one son, Joseph, and two daughters, Genevieve and Mrs. E. Jeffrey.

The funeral was held from the church of the Sacred Heart Friday morning at East Grand Forks

EAST GRAND FORKS BANK ELECTED OFFICERS

The annual election of officers and directors of the First National bank of East Grand Forks was held last evening. E. Arneson was elected president for the ensuing year; T. A. Sullivan, vice president; G. R. Jacobi, cashier, and J. R. Johnson assistant cashier. The above together with the following, constitute the board of directors for the coming year: A. O. Lystad, J. Kingman, Ernest Jacobi and Paul Hagen. The directors at their annual meeting declared the usual dividend. The business of the bank for the year was reported very satisfactory.

UPPER FALLS IS AFTER A MILITIA COMPANY

C. Wiste this week circulated a petition to secure signatures of prospective members of the militia talked of for Thief River Falls. He met with very good success in securing names.

Penned and Pilfered

Sam Felsing is telling one on himself. He says he hates to do it, but it's too good to keep.

"I was bowling along out on the Experimental Farm road one day last fall," he said, "and came up with a man who was walking in the middle of the road. A dog followed him at a distance of about ten feet and looked thoroly devoted to the man ahead.

"As my machine over took the pair the dog started suddenly to cross the road. He was hit by the car and instantly killed. I got out at once and approached the owner of the pup expecting trouble. 'Very sorry, old man', I said, 'but it can't be helped now. Will five dollars fix it?'

" 'Oh, yes,' the fellow replied, sort of meditatively, 'five dollars will fix it, I guess,' and I peeled off a greenback, thinking I was getting off mighty easy.

"Well, just as I was getting into the car again the fellow who still stood poking at the carcass of the dog in a meaning sort of way, looked up innocently and remarked: 'wonder whose dog it was anyway!' "

There are several firms in New York and other large cities that make a business of buying up guns and war material that have been discarded by Uncle Sam. The goods are then catalogued and sold to the people, and in the catalogues are listed every thing from a 22 calibre revolver to the largest cannon. Is there another government on the earth that would allow such goods to be sold within its borders? Well, hardly, and still our country is just as safe, notwithstanding the mixed nationalities comprising its population, for those guns, when bought by the people, would be used only in defense of themselves or of their country.

Attempts are now being made to organize new camps of Sons of Veterans and to this end calls have been issued from the state headquarters asking all sons and grandsons of Union soldiers to take an interest in the matter and take steps to organize camps wherever there are enough qualified persons to warrant such actions. It will not be long before the brave and noble army that saved the union will have dwindled to insignificant numbers, or have faded away altogether, but if the right spirit of patriotism prevails among the people an army four times as large as the Grand Army of the Republic has ever been, should be ready to take its place, or better still should already have taken it, and should continue to teach those true principles of fellowship which have made the Grand Army of the Republic so dear, not only to the hearts of its members, but of the entire people. To those who are entitled to wear the badge of the Sons of Veterans, and do not do so, can only be ascribed a painful lack of patriotism and should the organization be allowed to entirely die out then indeed, can it be truthfully said, that in the hearts of Americans sentiment is dead, and commercialism has taken its place.—Barnesville Record Review.

Forecasters state that this warm winter up to date has been caused by an "Atlantic high". They point out that a great volume of heavy air over the Atlantic off the southeast coast of the United States has set up atmospheric currens that have deluged the country with warm air from the gulf. They guess that in some way this Atlantic "high" has so disarranged things as to turn the storm centers from their usual path so that the cold waves that ordinarily would follow them have not materialized. This reason looks as good as any. Why are arrangements not made to keep the Atlantic high right where it is until April 15th? By that time the backbone of winter will be broken. Do you remember how the first robin makes a sound like the joyful noise?—"A. J. R." in Minneapolis Journal.

WOULD RETAIN TROOPS.

Legislature Will Ask That They Remain Until State Can Provide Force.

Carson, Nev., Jan. 17.—A joint caucus of the special committees of the senate and assembly of the Nevada legislature met yesterday afternoon and framed a joint resolution which will be introduced in the senate this morning asking the president of the United States to retain troops in Goldfield until such time as the state can provide either a police force or other means to maintain order in the mining camp.

NO POLITICS FOR ADE.

Indiana Humorist Decides to Withdraw From Race.

La Porte, Ind., Jan. 17.—George Ade of Chicago, humorist and playwright, who owns a farm at Kentland, Ind., which he calls his real home, and who recently declared himself a candidate for delegate from the Tenth Indiana district to the Republican national convention, yesterday announced his withdrawal. Ade gives as the reason for his action that he has no time for politics.

MORE DRUNK UNDER LID.

Number of Arrests Since Laws Were Enforced Show Big Increase.

Faribault, Minn., Jan. 17. — The chief of police has made his annual report to the council. The arrests for drunkenness during the year 1907 numbered 154, against 68 in 1906. Mayor Smith has kept the lid on tight after 11 o'clock and on Sundays, yet there were more than twice as many arrests made. The total arrests for 1907 numbered 261, while the total for the preceding year was only 96.

Minnesota Postmasters Named.

Washington, Jan. 17. — James A. Gerrie is appointed postmaster at Cedar Bend, Roseau county, Minnesota, vice Mary Pratty, resigned, and Henry W. Keyes at Ray, Koochiching county, Minnesota, vice Peter Gibbons, resigned.

Negro Given Nineteen Years.

Superior, Wis., Jan. 17. — William Winlock, colored, pleaded guilty to the charge of murder and was sentenced to nineteen years in the state penitentiary.

Chicken Coops Raided.

Young America, Minn., Jan. 16. — Chicken stealing has been carried on in this village and vicinity to a large extent the past few weeks, and there is considerably angry feeling stirred up over it.

Miner Scalded to Death.

Marquette, Mich., Jan. 16.—Descending the Pickands-Mather company's Brotherston mine at Wakefield, Gogebic iron range, Stephen Laine was scalded to death by steam from a burst pipe.

Foxes Destroy Geese.

Le Roy, Minn., Jan. 18.—Farmers in this locality are suffering great losses through the depredations of the fox. Foxes are destroying whole flocks of geese. One farmer lost twenty-four in one night.

PLAYED WITH DYNAMITE.

Green Bay Youth Loses Hand in an Explosion.

Green Bay, Wis., Jan. 17. — James Scott, fourteen years old, met with an accident yesterday which nearly cost him his life. Three dynamite cartridges with which the lad was playing exploded, crushing his left hand so badly that it was necessary to amputate it.

FALLS INTO BOILING LARD.

Sioux City Man May Lose Legs as Result of Accident.

Sioux City, Iowa, Jan. 17. — With both of his legs cooked to a turn by boiling lard, Emmett Brennan, an employe of the Cudahy Packing company, probably will have to undergo amputation of both legs. While at work in the Packing house Brennan slipped and fell feet first into a vat of lard.

Seek Share in Estate.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 17.—A contest has been started here of the will of Cornelius Rinkjob by nieces and nephews who were specifically cut out in the document. Rinkjob left about $5,000, and gave it all to favorite relatives, while those he did not like were cut off without a penny.

Deadlock at East Grand Forks.

East Grand Forks, Minn., Jan. 17.—The new council seems to be unable to get together. A deadlock developed over the election of city assessor. James Enright received one vote, Peter Kelley two and George Chambers three. Three ballots were taken with the same result.

Stumbles; Kills Self.

Minong, Wis., Jan. 17.—John Zimmerman was found dead yesterday near his home in Gull Lake with a bullet wound in his left breast. It is thought he fell over a block of wood found near him, discharging his rifle and inflicting a fatal wound.

Four Children Almost Perish.

Mason City, Iowa, Jan. 17.—The residence of Mrs. Ella Collins burned yesterday. The fire originated from an overheated stove. Four children in the family almost perished.

STEEL LAID TO HAYTI.

South Dakota Central Suspends Rail Work Until Spring.

Arlington, S. D., Jan. 17. — The South Dakota Central railway has finished laying steel to Hayti, and will suspend track laying until spring. A "Y" will be put in at Hayti for convenience of trains until the road reaches Watertown, where a turntable will be installed. At present the trains are compelled to run backwards on their southern trip.

Crack Meat Market Safe.

Lamberton, Minn., Jan. 17. — Burglars cracked the safe in Knute Anderson's meat market a night or so ago and secured notes to the value of $7,000. There is no clue.

It is easier to apologize for what you didn't do than for what you did wrong.

Help down
a hot griddle cake
on a cold morning with
Karo
CORN SYRUP
The health-giving essence of golden corn. Tastes good —*does* good.
In air-tight tins, 10c., 25c., 50c.
CORN PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING CO.

From our Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Ms. F. M. Hathaway visited with the J. Tracy family at Red Lake Falls over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Schei are the proud parents of a ten pound son, born to them Friday.

Mrs. Rose Noesen left for her home at Crookston Wednesday following a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Mulry.

After visiting at her home and with her sister Mrs. W. B. Fuller, Miss Josephine Bourque returned to her school at Strip the first of the week.

At the village election held at Wauun last week L. S. Waller who resided here until a few months ago, was elected treasurer of the village. Mr. Waller has a bank at Wauun.

Attorney Sam Cooke left for Roseau Monday. He will take up the practice of law at the Roseau county seat town and has hopes for a bright future both for himself and the town.

Oscar Halvorson of Upham is in the city visiting his brother-in-law, Andrew Berg. Mr. Halvorson is one of North Dakota's prosperous farmers who formerly resided with Mr. Berg in this vicinity.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Schellbach, formerly of this city will be interested to know that the family is now located at Evanston, Wyoming where Mr. Schellbach is principal of schools.

C. C. Jackson returned Wednesday morning from Montrose where he was called by the death of his brother-in-law. On his way home, he stopped at Minneapolis to see Mrs. Jackson who has been in a hospital there for some weeks, and found her very much improved in health. She anticipates getting back home in a short time now

FERTILE
(Journal)

Charley Ross is down from Crookston for a few days.

Pay your personal property tax at the Citizens State Bank.

Mrs. Ed Nicholson of Hood River Oregon, arrived here last week on a visit to her mother, Mrs. D. Vannet.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Clementson left here Sunday night for Fargo to attend the Grain Growers convention held in that city the forepart of the week.

Lars Knutson and O. O. Kvenvolden went to Crookston this morning to serve on the grand jury, that august body having convened this morning after adjourning over the holidays.

Jimmy Burns last week received a check for $400 from the Oliver Mining Co., of Hibbing in settlement for injuries received to his hand while working in the company's mine at that place last summer.

O. H. Taralseth of Warren, attended the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens State Bank at this place last Friday. Mr. Taralseth was re-elected president; Ed Mossefin vice president and A. P. Hanson, cashier.

ADA
(Herald)

Knute Hovey has purchased the day line from Anton Vaara.

Mrs. W. H. Matthews is enjoying a visit from her mother Mrs. Rasmusson who is here from Wisconsin.

F. L. Hampson left Sunday night for Minneapolis where he will attend the annual convention of the Lumbermen's Association. He will also visit several places on business before returning home.

J. F. Prigge and daughter Tracy returned home last Thursday morning from St. Paul where it was intended that the latter would undergo a surgical operation, but the doctors advised waiting for a few weeks.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Norman County Telephone Co., held Monday night the board of directors was re-elected. The directors are A. L. Hanson, C. C. Allen, C. H. Brown, N. T. Moen, M. A. Brattland, W. B. Bosworth, D. C. Lightbourn. The financial report showed the company to be in good condition.

Chas Sletto died at the home of his parents at Fergus Falls last Wednesday night of consumption. A few years ago Mr. Sletto was married to Mabel Diech, of this place. Besides his wife he leaves two small children. His wife who has been in poor health, has been in Colorado this winter with her mother and was expected to reach Fergus Falls in time for the funeral.

BODY CUT TO SHREDS.

Robert Wilkinson, Brakeman, Is Run Over by a Freight Train.

St. Paul, Jan. 18. — Robert Wilkinson, head brakeman on a freight train that reached the Omaha yards at Payne avenue last night, was ground to pieces under the trucks of the train. His body was dismembered and strewn along the tracks for nearly a mile. Parts of the body are still missing.

It is not known how he happened to fall from the car. He was not missed by the crew until the train had slowed up and his services were needed.

BODY FOUND NEAR TRACK.

Unidentified Man Is Struck by a Passing Train and Killed.

Glenwood, Wis., Jan. 18.—The body of an unknown man was found near the Wisconsin Central tracks a few miles east of Colfax. An examination showed that the man evidently had been struck by a passing freight train during the night. Nothing was found on his person to give any clue to the identity of the remains, which were taken to Colfax for burial.

Will Not Resign.

Washington, Jan. 17. — Secretary Taft has indicated that he would like to be quoted as saying that there is absolutely no foundation for the rumors that he is to resign from President Roosevelt's cabinet in order to devote his attention to his campaign.

TO HAVE SAENGERFEST.

La Crosse Makes Plans That Clinch the Convention.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 16.—At meetings yesterday the final clinchers were hammered into the Northwestern German saengerfest, and La Crosse will entertain the gathering beginning July 23. The plan adopted is the erection of a temporary auditorium by private individuals, which will seat 2,000 upon the stage and between 3,500 and 4,000 in the auditorium.

Sentences Imposed.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 16. — The supreme court yesterday sentenced Former Supreme Court Clerk Lawson E. Emerson to ten days in jail and State Senator Austin of Toledo to ten days in jail and $100 fine in connection with the charge of securing the latter's certificate to practice law in this state without proper examination.

Girl Skaters Fall In.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 16.—While skating on the Fox river Miss Lydia Helwig and Miss Mary Kichbush, a teached in the Evangelical Lutheran school at Kaukauna, went through the ice. They were saved from drowning by two boys.

Pioneer Hangs Self.

Mantorville, Minn., Jan. 16. — Mr. H. L. Shane, a prominent farmer and old settler, living on his farm in Concord, about seven miles north of here, committed suicide.

NEW SCHEME PROPOSED

PLANNED TO CONSTRUCT TRUNK ELECTRIC LINE THROUGH CROOKSTON

THE PROMOTERS ARE AT GRAND FORKS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEAL

The Grand Forks Press says:

"This morning at 10 o'clock President W. C. Webber of the Seattle Electric line and Travelling Auditor Trano of the same road, discussed with the board of directors of the Commercial Club the feasibility of the electric line coming thru this city instead of following the original route planned on by the company.

Local Line

"They also discussed the installation of a local electric spstem of street cars, to be operated in connection with the through line, but to be installed as quickly as possible so as to be in operation by the time the electric trunk line reaches this city.

"The directors gave the matter careful consideration and seemed very favorable towards the proposition, which has good backing in a financial way.

"The original route of the line was to have followed the N. P. quite closely, but a letter from The Press and several other letters from local parties interested the company in the possibilities of deviating from the route. This deviation would take the line thru a new territory in Minnesota, direct to Crookston, from there to this city, and then south to Carrington and Bismarck, the route between this city and Carrington being problematic, but likely to touch the cities of Mayville Sherbrooke, Cooperstown and Carrington, making a direct line from Carrington to Bismarck; thence going west along the original proposed route.

"The proposed route as outlined above would open up a vast territory to this city, and would enter a field that is not at present well supplied with railroads.

"The fact that this city has no complete local electric line at present is one of the strong inducements that are being held out to the company, and will do much towards inducing them to adopt the proposed route to this city and then southwest.

"President Webber and Travelling Auditor Trano may spend a few days in the city looking up the matter, and as the surveying party is being organized now, so as to start work from the twin cities by the first of February it is likely that a definite announcement as the exact route will be made within a few days or a week.

"Last evening a number of prominent citizens of East Grand Forks and this city met Messrs. Webber and Trano at their hotel, and talked over the matter.

"To a Press representative today the gentlemen stated that they were highly pleased with the reception they have received in this city and are very favorably impressed with new route and the opportunity in this city for an electric line, forming a loop, and crossing the river to the east side.

Line Coming

"President Webber after the meeting with the board of directors of the Commercial club, announced that he was so well pleased with the attitude of the club and the people of the city that he would go to the dictorate of the company, and recommend that the trunk line be constructed thru this city, and that a construction crew be sent to this city the first thing in the spring for the purpose of starting actual work on the local line.

"In the meantime if the directorate accepts his recommendations, arrangements will go forward for the obtaining of a franchise from the city, as well as rights of way for the trunk line, and the approaches to the points on the river where a bridge would have to be built across the Red River

"Mr. Webber will take the matter up at once as surveying work is to be commenced February 1, and if the directorate aacepts his recommendation will send the engineer a Mr. Towns, formerly of the Great Northern, to this city to attend to the preliminary work, and select the rights of way and approaches for the bridge.

SEASONS WORK IN N. D. CLOSED

W. A. Marin who has charge of the North Dakota sales and collection department for the Maplebay Windstacker factory and spends most of his time in that state came in from Minot Sunday night having closed up the season's work. Mr. Marin will leave for Beltrami county next week to arrange for the cutting of logs and wood on some timber lands owned by him. Mr. Marin reports a very successful year's work in North Dakota for the stacker factory and collections uniformly good.

GETTING IN GAME EARLY

GEO. J. FLATEN FILES AS A CANDIDATE FOR TREASURER OF POLK

HAS BEEN DEPUTY FOR MANY YEARS—THE SECOND TO FILE FOR COUNTY OFFICE

From Saturday's Daily—

This morning Geo. J. Faten, who has served as deputy for County Treasurer Wm. Vannet, filed as a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket for treasurer of Polk Co.

This is the second filing to be made for county office, J. O. Rindal having filed for sheriff some time ago, and displays a disposition to get into the game plenty early.

There will be several more filings made in the near future. Orin Daniels the present deputy will file for sheriff and several others are being mentioned who have no intention of running including Chief Eck who never authorized any one to state he was a candidate and has no intention of being one.

James Thompson deputy register of deeds will file for register and will have at least one opponent. John Lindberg, a former deputy, who is treasurer of the Olga Creamery and who announced his candidacy in the Thirteen Towns yesterday. Register Stair will not be a candidate. For auditor, N. A. Hoffard will not be a candidate, but Deputy Henry Welte has announced his candidacy.

TOM COUCH'S GOOD WINNINGS

HAD 39 BIRDS AT SHOW AND WON 36 PRIZES WITH THEM

Tom Couch of Grand Forks President of the Red River Valley Poultrymens association which will hold its 4th annual meeting here Jan. 29-30-31 and Feb. 1, won a silver cup, black Langshan cup for the best pen, Buff Orphington cup for the best pen and the folowing prizes at the Poultry show in Fargo:

Black Langshan—First cock, first cockerel, first hen, second pullet, third and fourth pullet, first, second and fourth pen.

White Langshan—First cockerel, first, second, third and fourth pullet, first pen.

Buff Orphingtons—First cock, first second, third and fourth hen; first and third pullet; first pen.

R. C. Black Minorcas—First pullet, second, third and fourth pullet; first cock, first and second cockerel, first pen.

Rhode Island White — First cock, first and second hen and second display.

MRS. MATHIEU IN A RUNAWAY

QUITE BADLY HURT WHEN SHE WAS THROWN FROM THE SLEIGH

Last Monday afternoon Mrs. Jas. A. Mathieu who resided here several years ago when her husband was connected with the Crookston Lumber Co., while out for a drive with her children and their nurse had an extremely serious mishap by the overturning of the equipage while driving around a corner in Rainy River.

It appears that one of the horses being a new one lately purchased by Mr. Mathieu is somewhat fractious and tho Mrs. Mathieu being a proficient driver and horsewoman, did not slacken the speed sufficiently in making the turn which owing to the new horse crowding in too much was too short for safety, and consequently the sleigh tipped over. The children and nurse were thrown off the vehicle and fortunately without injury to any one, however Mrs. Mathieu clung to the reins attempting to stop the team from a run-a-way, and in consequence was dragged a considerable distance when she finally realized the futility of her efforts and let go her hold. By this time the horses were thoroly excited and madly tore thru the streets until the entire sleighs and harness were a complete wreckage. The sleigh was of the large Russian type and but lately received as a gift thus the loss will be more deeply felt. Tho apparently unhurt at the time by her experience Mrs. Mathieu has since been confined to her room necessitating the call of Dr. Oppliger who upon examination found that his patient had, aside from a severe shaking up also sustained a sprained shoulder but which it is hoped will not incapacitate her for long.

FINE RECORD OF CHEESE FACTORY

GENTILLY DAIRY ASSOCIATION PAID PATRONS 31 CENTS FOR BUTTER FAT

NEARLY A MILLION POUNDS OF MILK RECEIVED DURING THE PAST YEAR

From Saturday's Daily—

The annual report of Father Elie Theillon, treasurer of the Gentilly Dairy Association coverning the period from May 1st to Nov. 1st last year has just been completed and shows the Gentilly cheese factory to be a most prosperous institution. Great credit is due the management for the splendid success of the factory, and Father Theillon has displayed most excellent judgment in encouraging the industry in every way possible.

The farmers about Gentilly are among the most prosperous in Polk County and are entitled to great credit for the manner in which they are diversifying their farming. They have gone far enough in that line to be certain that diversification means certain prosperity. The report of the treasurer follows:

Pounds milk received	939700
Pounds fat received	38937
Pounds cheese made	99312
Average test	4.15
Average yield lbs of milk to 1 lb cheese	9.46
Average price paid to patrons per 1 lb butterfat	31c
Average price paid to outsiders per 1 lb butterfat	29 1-4c
Average price paid to patrons per 100 lbs milk	$1.28
Pounds cheese sold to patrons	741
Pounds cheese shipped within the state	37651
Pounds cheese sold out the state	60920
Total pounds cheese sold	99312
Balance from last account	$ 405.32
Money received from cheese	$13408.51
Total	$13813.83
Paid net to patrons for milk	$11899.72
Running expenses	$1331.36
Total money paid out	$13231.08
Balance on hand	$582.75

—Elie Theillon, Treas.

Gentilly, Minn., Jan., '08.

BOBBY BURNS CLUB TO CELEBRATE

USUAL BIG TIME SCHEDULED AT MALLORY FRIDAY OF THIS WEEK

The Bobby Burns Club of Mallory, will celebrate their sixth annual banquet, Friday, Jan. 24, '08 in Woodmen Hall at Mallory. This club is practically the only one in the northern part of the state that annually celebrates the birth of the great Scottish poet Many from this city usually attend these banquets and if the weather and conditions remain favorable, a large number will be in attendance.

The program will include an address of welcome; response; song by the choir; music by the orchestra; recitations, etc and Tommy Johnston and children will contribute liberally as usually.

A social dance will follow the program in which the Highland Fling will be one of the leading features.

STRAWBERRIES PROFITABLE

POLK COUNTY FARMER SAYS THEY CAN BE RAISED SUCCESSFULLY

Wm. Huggins, of western Polk county, has made a great success of raising small fruits and vegetables on his farm north of East Grand Forks. Last summer he had 480 quarts of strawberries on one-eighth of an acre. He says strawberries can be raised very easily here and expects to have a big crop next summer. He sold the berries at 15 cents a quart last summer.

A GAS PLANT FOR VALLEY CITY

According to the reports sent out from Valley City George F. Carpenter of this city has made application to the city council for a franchise for installing a gas plant. The franchise for installing a gas plant. The franchise has not yet been presented to the council, but it is understood that the terms are very favorable and that it will probably be granted. If he secures the franchise Mr. Carpenter will go to Valley City at once and begin work on the installation of the plant.

PAUL KOPANG APPREHENDED

YOUTHFUL FORGER LOCATED BY CHIEF ECK AT WINNIPEG

SHERIFF GONYEA WILL LEAVE IN THE MORNING TO GET HIM

From Monday's Daily—

Chief of Police Eck received a message this morning from Chief McRae of Winnipeg to the effect that Paul Kopang had been arrested and would be held till officers from here went after him. Chief Eck notified Sheriff Gonyea who will leave on the Flyer tomorrow morning and return with Kopang tomorrow night.

It will be remembered that Kopang was the young man employed by Ben Rosenberg last fall, and shortly before the holidays after he had been discharged he forged two checks in favor of himself for $23.75, both drawn on the Merchants National Bank with the name of Ben Rosenberg signed to them. One check he cashed with Ed Erickson, the butcher, and the other with J. A. McCaffrey.

The forgery leaked out the next day as Mr. Rosenberg did his business with the First National Bank instead of the Merchants. Kopang headed for Dakota, but later wound up at Winnipeg.

M'COSKER GETS PROMOTION

JOINS HOUSE STAFF OF McDONALD BROS., IN CHARGE OF SALES FORCE

Announcement was made this week that Terry McCosker of Grand Forks, will hereafter be connected with the house staff of McDonald Bros., Minneapolis, in charge of the sales force.

Mr. McCosker has just completed his twentieth year in the service of McDonald Bros., as road salesman. When he went with the firm 20 years ago his territory comprised much of the country north and west of Minneapolis to the Montana line. During the past few years his work has been largely in northern Minnesota and North Dakota.

McDonald Bros. established their wholesale enterprise in Minneapolis about a quarter century ago. When Mr. McCosker first became connected with the house, the northwest could be covered with a comparatively small force of salesmen. Today the house employs a large staff of salesmen in the big territory between the Great Lakes and the Pacific coast.

Mr. McCosker has a wide acquaintance among traveling salesmen as well as retail merchants throughout the northwest. He was for some time at the head of the United Commercial Travelers in the northwest and has always been active in the work and councils of that organization.

WANTS THE DEED TO HIS FARM

AN INTERESTING CASE FROM OSLO IN THE PROBATE COURT

Some 17 years ago Ralph Sherlock of East Grand Forks bought some railroad land near the present town of Oslo on long time. He had some crop misfortunes and not having the means to make his payments obtained the money from John McCabe of Manvel securing the latter by having the deed made out in his name. Some years ago McCabe moved to California and before his departure discussed the matter with Sherlock, and informed him that he would deed the land back to him on the payment of $1,500 the amount he had invested in the land. Sherlock who has since been relying on his agreement has since been looking forward to securing the deed.

He has made extensive improvements on the land and the quarter section is now valued at $4000 to $5,000. McCabe died a short time after moving west and left his money and property to the Catholic church, Bishop Shanley and various clergymen but making no provision for his natural heirs. It appears that a Los Angeles attorney was appointed executor and has instituted proceedings in Marshall county, as it is supposed with a view to securing title to the land occupied by Sherlock. None of the legatees named in the will have received their share of the estate and Mr. Sherlock will petition the probate court for an order requiring the executor to comply with the agreemnt made with Mr. McCabe and deed the land to Sherlock on the payment of $1,500. The matter will come up for hearing February 7 at Warren. Bronson & Collins appear for Sherlock.

DISTRICT COURT DOINGS

CASE TRIED AND VERDICT RETURNED IN DISTRICT COURT IN 35 MINUTES

GRAND JURY INDICTMENTS INVALID BECAUSE ONE JUROR HAD NOT BEEN SWORN

From Saturday's Daily—

A record for quick work in a district court was made here today before Judge Watts which probably was never equalled in the state in the case of Stallmo vs. Jorgenson, an appeal case from Fisher started to recover $50 for grain sold the defendant. The jury was impanelled, the case tried and a verdict returned in just 35 minutes. The plaintiff was given $14.

Several Indictments

The Grand Jury which reassembled Thursday this morning returned several indictments as follows: Mike Murphy for assault with intent to kill having carved Frank Whittaker's neck at East Grand Forks last month; Dave Goodrie for indecent assault at East Grand Forks; Hoken Evenson an East Grand Forks rounder for grand larceny in the 2nd degree for flim-flaming C. J. Sundell a laborer out of $175 in an East Grand Forks saloon.

All these indictments were dismissed however, shortly after returned as it was discovered that one member of the jury had not been sworn which would invalidate the indictments. Other indictments against the same parties will be returned this afternoon.

Indictments are expected today against saloon keepers of Lengby and Tabor for selling liquor to minors and there are quite a number of people implicated judging from the horde of witnesses summoned. It is also expected that Nels Hanson will be indicted for indecent assault. He is the hack driver who insulted Mrs. Chas. McCarty here Thursday and ducked to Fargo before he was apprehended. Mrs. McCarty may, however refuse to prosecute because of the undesirable publicity.

With the new criminal cases it will take Judge Watts ten days or two weeks to clear the criminal calendar beginning next Monday. The civil calendar is about wound up, a vast number of cases having been settled or put over the term.

From Monday's Daily—

The district courts attention till the middle of the afternoon was taken up with the case of Erickson vs. Propp from Fertile. The case was to collect $80 claimed to be due as rent. The defendant claims that he had to make certain repairs on the roof which should be deducted for the rent of the building which is used as a machinery warehouse. This case went to the jury at 3 o'clock this afternoon and the jury is still out.

The next case taken up was that of Casper Aggerness vs. John Lee, both from Liberty Township, relative to the parentage of a child. The case has been tried in justice court, was appealed to the district court last spring and the jury then disagreed.

The grand jury have returned two indictments but they are not for publication till the parties wanted are apprehended.

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MARK WELLS IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

WELL KNOWN GRAND FORKS RESIDENT PASSED AWAY AT AGE OF 79

Mark Wells died at his apartments in the Hotel Northern at Grand Forks Saturday afternoon at 3:30 after an illness of about two weeks. He had a touch of pneumonia and it left him in such a weak condition that he had insufficient strength to rally.

The deceased was born in Deerfield Mass., and was 79 years old on Dec. 29, the last day he was able to be about. He left Deerfield in 1843 and came to Rice county, Minn., where he located at Faribault and was engaged in the manufacture of brooms. He served in the civil war and made an excellent record. Fifteen years ago he came to Grand Forks and since that time has made his home at the Hotel Northern with his son, Herbert N. Wells. Two other children survive him, C. A. Wells, of Chicago, and Mrs. Geo. H. Wilder, of Grand Forks. They have the sympathy of everyone in their bereavement.

He was best known as "Grandpa" Wells. He was kindhearted and never made any enemies. He accomplished a good deal of charity and aided the sick and poor frequently.

FARM FOR INEBRIATES

CROOKSTON WILL CONTRIBUTE $360 FOR LAST YEAR UNDER STATE LAW

LAWS OF 1907 PROVIDE THAT 2 PERCENT OF LICENSES BE THUS EXPENDED

From Monday's Daily—

Section 19 of chapter 288 of the laws of 1907 which was effective April 1st of last year, provided that 2 percent of all money received for liquor licenses be voted to the establishment and maintenance of a state farm and hospital for inebriates.

This is now due from the various cities of the state and city clerk Childs has received a requisition from the state auditor for Crookston's share which amounts to $15 each for the 24 licenses granted in Crookston last year or a total of $360.

This is to be paid in two semi-annual installments, and total fund available will be very large judging from the amount contributed by the city of Crookston.

WILL BE WAR IN TWENTY YEARS

IF OLD THEORY OF MALE BIRTHS OVER FEMALE BIRTHS IS TRUE

The statistics of births and deaths of Brainerd as given by the Dispatch of that place is as follows: The total number of births during the year was 177 of which 105 were males and 72 were females. There is an old traditional theory that when the birth rate of boys exceeds that of girls there will be a war about the time the boys come of age. Under that theory the year 1927 should be a sanguinary one. The total number of deaths in the city of Brainerd was 161.

It cannot be helped to note the difference of birth and death rate between that city and this as the population is about the same. Crookston reports 229 births and 100 deaths, Brainerd reports 177 births and 161 deaths.

EARNED A COAT OF TAR & FEATHERS

HACK DRIVER NELS HANSON LEAVES TOWN FOR HIS HEALTH

If Nels Hanson a hack driver had not succeeded in getting out of the city last evening before it became generally known that he had frightened Mrs. Chas. McCarthy, Manitoba Street nearly to death Thursday evening he would have received a pretty rough course of treatment. Mrs. McCarthy came down town shortly after six o'clock, quarantine for smallpox having just been raised at her home. She was taken suddenly ill however and decided to take a hack home. Nels Hanson was the driver, and instead of taking her home drove to the out skirts of the city, stopped the hack and got in the carriage himself. Mrs. McCarthy screamed and Hanson was frightened into driving the woman to her home. He kept in hiding yesterday and last evening took a train out of town, heading for Fargo, and it will be conductive to a continuance of good health on his part if he stays out for some time to come.

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PRES. MITCHELL VOTED SIX MONTHS' PAY

Includes All Expenses and Also Medical Attendance. Will Take Long Vacation to try to Recover Health

Historical Society

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 29—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America today unanimously voted President Mitchell six months' pay with all expenses including medical attendance. Propositions sent to the resolution committee to employ Mr. Mitchell after his retirement as president, April 1, as counsel at salary of $5,000, to place him at the head of a national educational board, to work in connection with the national executive board, and to levy a per capita tax of from 10 cents to 50 cents, were reported unfavorably after Mr. Mitchell hal been consulted and had refused to accept any of them. Mr. Mitchell had been consulted and had tends to take a long vacation to endeavor to recover his health. Resolutions presented by the Socialists They were similar to those presented to the convention each year.

GREAT NORTHERN BEING GIVEN HEARING

Is Charged With Discrimination in Lumber Rates. Claimed that it Forces Sales of to Itself.

Duluth, Jan. 29—Ira B. Mills, G. F. Staples and F. E. Young, members of the state railway and warehouse commission, are today conducting a hearing in Duluth, at the Spaulding hotel, on the complaint against the Great Northern railroad, brought by shippers of forest products out of Northern Minnesota, charging that the road discriminates in shipping rates on ties and certain other products again producers in favor of brokers, that it forces sales by producers to the road by charging them excessive freight rates, and that it charges prohibitive freight rates on cord wood.

Mr. Reynolds for shippers contended that a different classification of rates should be provided for lumber ties, posts, poles, pulpwood, etc., instead of having all come under one rate.

SLAVE TALK IN SENATE

Charged That Actual Human Slavery Is Maintained in Philippine Islands.

Washington, Jan. 28. — Greatly to the surprise of every one, the subject of slavery was introduced in the senate yesterday. Secretary Taft was directly charged with having a knowledge of slavery in the islands. The debate was made pertinent by the sections of the bill revising the criminal code of the United States, which provides penalties for dealing in slaves.

Mr. Hale asserted that such provisions should be stricken out, as he regarded slavery as obsolete in the United states and he could see no reason for referring to it. Senator Heyburn, in charge of the bill, declared that not only is there immoral traffic in white slaves, but that coolie labor in the form of practical slavery does exist, and added that actual human slavery is still maintained in the Philippine islands.

Mr. Lodge made an attempt to disprove the charge of slavery in the islands.

At 4:50 p. m. the senate adjourned.

The street railway systems of the District of Columbia and the financial question occupied the time of the house of representatives yesterday.

BEST FAIR PROMISED

Big Stone County Agricultural Association Promised.

Clinton, Minn., Jan. 29.—At the annual meeting of the Big Stone County Agricultural association, held at Ortonville yesterday, the following officers were elected: President, John McCallum; secretary, M. I. Matthews; treasurer, J. H. Erickson; assistant secretary, J. C. Pender. Vice presidents were appointed, one for each township. The constitution of the association was amended changing the place for holding the annual meeting from Ortonville to Clinton. A three days' fair will be held here the latter part of September and it promises to be the best ever held in the county. The association now has a membership of 250.

BUSCH IS NO MORE

Wealthiest Citizen of Red Wing Dies After Long Illness.

Red Wing, Minn., Jan. 29.—Frederick Busch, one of the early settlers of this county and the wealthiest citizen of Red Wing, a leader in banking, business and manufacturing enterprises and well known for his beneficences in Catholic church circles, died yesterday after an illness of several months' duration. Death was due to an affection of the liver, which gradually sapped his vitality and caused life gently to ebb away. He was sixty-nine years old.

MAY BE FIRED FOR UNION IDEAS

Law That Protects Members of Labor Unions Declared Void by Supreme Court.

IS CONTRARY TO CONSTITUTION

Employer Has Perfect Right to Discharge Man Because of Union Affiliations.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The constitutionality of the act of congress of June 1, 1898, prohibiting railroad companies engaged in interst commerce from discriminating against members of labor organizations in the matter of employment, was called into question by the case of William Adair vs. The United States, which was decided by the supreme court of the United States yesterday favorable to Adair. The opinion was by Justice Harlan and held the law to be repugnant to the constitution.

Has Right to Fire Man.

The court held that Adair, as master mechanic of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad company, had a right to discharge an employe because he was a member of a labor organization, just as it was the employe's right to quit such employment because of his membership in such organization. Such a course the decision added, might be unwise, but regarded as a mere matter of right there could be no doubt. Congress could not under the constitution authorize a violation of contracts under the guise of protecting interstate commerce.

Justice McKenna delivered a dissenting opinion favorable to the law, in which he said the court's decision proceeds along very narrow lines.

Lower Court Overruled.

The case came up to the supreme court on a writ of error from the United States district court for the Eastern district of Kentucky, where Adair had been fined $100 for threatening to discharge from the employ of the company a locomotive engineer named Coppage because the latter was a member of a labor union.

In his decision Justice Harlan held it was Adair's right to serve his employer as best he could, so long as he did nothing forbidden by law as contrary to public welfare.

Justice Holmes also expressed the opinion that the law should be construed as constitutional. He thought that the right to make contracts had been stretched to the limit by the court's decision in this case. That congress had a right to so legislate as to encourage labor organizations was another suggestion of Justice Holmes.

Of Vital Importance

No other organs of the body are so essential to good health as the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Remeddy makes the kidneys healthy so that they will strain out the impurities from the blood which is consantly passing thru them. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger.—Sold by all druggists.

PITTSBURG CHANGE OPEN.

After Suspension of Three Months, Stock Market Resumes Business.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 29.—The Pittsburg stock exchange reopened for business yesterday, following a suspension of three months on account of the recent financial flurry.

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ARGUMENTS BEGUN TODAY

DEFENSE CLOSES ITS CASE WITH INTRODUCTION OF THREE ALIENISTS

TESTIMONY IN THAW CASE ALL IN AND THE END IS NOT FAR OFF

ATTORNEY LITTLETON IS MAKING HIS PLEA TO THE JURY TODAY

New York, Jan. 29—With no attempt on the part of the state to combat with scientific testimony, the claim of insanity urged in behalf of Harry Kendall Thaw the taking of evidence in the second hearing of Madison Square Garden murder trial ended today. Tomorrow morning Martin W. Littleton will begin his plea for the defendant, and is expected to occupy both the morning and afternoon sessions. District Attorney Jerome will speak on Thursday. He has promised to be brief and if his address should not extend beyond the morning session, Justice Dowling will hand the case over to the jury on Thursday afternoon. The court announced, however, that he probably

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PORTLAND'S BIG LOSS

Fire Causes Twelve Business Houses to Suspend.

Portland, Me., Jan. 29. — A dozen business houses in the wholesale district suspended business yesterday morning because of the fire which destroyed the brick block containing the wholesale dry goods establishment of Milliken, Cousen & Co. and the shoe jobbing house of A. E. Cox & Son Sunday night and yesterday. Owing to the danger from falling walls, the police maintained fire lines at safe distances tnat prevented the transaction of business at these places. Revised estimates place the aggregate losses at $830,000.

How to Avoid Pneumonia

You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

MINNESOTAN KILLS SELF

Robbed of Money Saved to Go Back to Sweden With.

Somerville, N. J., Jan. 29.—Because he was robbed of money which he had saved to pay for his passage from New York to his old home in Sweden, Ivan Ostman of Grasston, Minn., killed himself in a trapper's cabin near here yesterday.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

GIRL'S BURNS ARE FATAL.

Daughter of Wisconsin Governor's Private Secretary Dies.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 29. — Miss Helen Munson, aged twenty-three, daughter of O. G. Munson, private secretary of Gov. Davidson, state senator and one of the Republican leaders of the state, died at her home at Viroqua last night of burns received on Jan. 6 last.

NORTH DAK. DEMOCRATS

DECLARE FOR BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT AND JOHNSON FOR VICE PRESIDENT

GRAND FORKS GETS STATE CONVENTION TO BE HELD ON MARCH 25TH

APPORTIONMENT PROVIDES FOR 689 DELEGATES AT STATE CONVENTION

Grand Forks, Jan. 29—The North Dakota democratic state central committee and prominent democrats who were also in the city yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution declaring for William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, for president and Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, for vice president.

Grand Forks was selected as the place for holding the state convention to elect delegates to the national convention. Grand Forks, Fargo and Jamestown were suggested as meeting places.

The majority report on apportionment for the state convention was adopted. The report provided for a total of 689 delegates to consist of 601 delegates and 88 at large.

HINDUS MOBBED

Driven Out of California Town — Complain to British Consul.

Marysville, Cal., Jan. 29.—A mob of twenty citizens of Live Oak, a town nine miles north of Marysville, in Sutter county, made a raid on two houses occupied by seventy Hindus who had been discharged from the employ of the Southern Pacific and ordered the Hindus to leave town. They were then driven to the edge of the town and told to continue. The leader of the Hindus came to Yuba City and swore to complaints charging the members of the mob with grand larcency, alleging they stole $1,950. Two were arrested. The head Hindu also took the matter up with the British consul at San Francisco, threatening international complications. The members of the mob say no money was taken.

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FORTUNE FOR LOVE

Man Bequeahts $30,000 to Pretty Widow Who Rejected Him.

Des Moines, Jan. 29. — Mrs. J. E. Watts, a pretty and accomplished widow here, has just received a bequest of $30,000 from the estate of H. C. Hendricks, who committed suicide at Chattanooga. He fell in love with her at Hampton years ago, but because she was more than twenty years his junior she refused to become his wife.

$75000 LOSS CHICAGO FIRE

Half Million Dollar Loss and More Than a Score of Firemen Are Injured.

FIERCE GALE FANS FLAMES

Hotel Florence Destroyed — Another Fire Causes $75,000 Loss in Wholesale District.

Chicago, Jan. 29. — More than a score of firemen were hurt and as many more escaped injury or death after thrilling experiences in a fire which destroyed the Mayer building, a seven-story brick structure, and the Hotel Florence, 163-167 Adams street, shortly after 3 a. m. yesterday. The loss will amount to half a million dollars. One fireman is reported missing. Hotel guests and night workers fiel scantily clad into the blizzard.

Fanned by a forty-mile gale, the fire scattered burning embers about the southern portion of the loop district. Twenty guests of the hotel were roused from their beds by policemen and firemen. All of the inmates are believed to have escaped.

Skyscraper Stands Test.

Adjoining the burning structure on the east is the partially completed sixteen-story building of the Corn Exchange National bank. The new skyscraper was given a severe test, but with the exception of some temporary woodwork resisted the flames successfully.

The fire started in the rear of the second story of the Hotel Florence. Before it was discovered it gained considerable headway and shortly after the firemen arrived the second and third floors and a portion of the rear wall fell. A six-story building adjoining the hotel on the west caught fire and was partly gutted. It was occupied by six printing and two tailoring concerns.

Two hours after the first alarm had sounded the flames were under control.

Firemen in Collision.

Fire in the wholesale machinery district last night caused damages of $75,000. The flames were confined to a five-story structure which housed half a dozen firms. While driving at full speed to the fire the horses of an engine and truck company collided. The drivers escaped injury by jumping, but the engine apparatus was so badly damaged that it had to be returned to quarters.

Farmer Hangs Self.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 29. — A message from Lakeview township, across the line in Becker county, says that Andrew Munson, a prominent farmer, who has resided there for twenty-five years, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn.

Accused of Poisoning Team.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 29.—Carl Skue, a drayman of Hunter, was arrested yesterday charged with poisoning a team of horses at the livery stable of Peter Hoy at Hunter, Dec. 22.

JAP TRY TO GET PLANS

Unknown Men, Supposedly Japanese, Make Night Attack on Frisco Armory.

San Francisco, Jan. 29. — Bullets fired with deadly intent by national guard sharpshooters yesterday morning frustrated a second attempt to rob the armory of Companies K and M, Fifth infantry of the national guard. In the building, which is located at Buchanan and Waller streets, are kept valuable military maps of San Francisco coast defense and topographical plans of the peninsula. That the attack on the building was not a burglars' ordinary operation seems apparent from the persistency of the mysterious visitors. Early Saturday morning and again in the darkness of Sunday morning two men tried to gain an entrance into the premises. Fearing that a third attempt might be made, the officers in command ordered the guard of soldiers doubled last night. Armed men watched the premises from nightfall Sunday until dawn yesterday morning.

From the descriptions of the trespassers furnished the officers of the regiments by the sentries, the authorities are working on the theory that Japanese spies were seeking to gain entrance to the secrets of the armory.

CZAR IS PLAINTIFF

Sues in Manitoba to Recover Money Stolen by Former Treasurer.

Winnipeg, Jan. 29. — One of the most extraordinary lawsuits that has been instituted in Manitoba has begun in the prothonotary's office in Winnipeg. The plaintiff is the czar of Russia and he is suing for an immense sum of money taken from his faraway province of Turkestan by the erstwhile treasurer of the department of the interior of Turkestan.

The alleged faithless steward of the czar is Stefan Proskurekoff. During his tenure of office he received sums amounting to 340,000 rubles and over, or over $160,000, and stole or embezzled and appropriated the money for his own use.

FALL MAY PROVE FATAL

Farmer Is Thrown From Load of Wood When Wagon Slues.

Black River Falls, Wis., Jan. 29. — H. W. Smith, a farmer living a few miles south of here, was probably fatally injured while hauling a load of wood. The wagon slued with the load and he was thrown violently against a stump.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Haze Salve is especially recommended for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Penned and Pilfered

Miller S. D., is somewhat troubled in mind over queer lights that appear on the prairie this winter. They have been explained on the principle of the ignis fatuus as due to decaying vegetable matter, but others hold that the ig. fat. is not working when everything is frozen up. The lights are, however, no new thing. Deputy Sheriff Ober tells the Miller Sun that he has noticed them many times. Mrs. Bradford, a school teacher, met one of these jokers west of the city at one time. It jumped up from the darkness in front of her horse and the animal became unmanageable.

It doesn't cost anything to keep your fingers crossed when you pass one of these lights on the prairie.—A. J. R. in Minneapolis Tribune.

Winner of a debate on capital punishment after a meeting of his parish debating club on Saturday night, Seth Schuyler, 18 years old was found hanging dead in his bath room the next morning in his home in New York. He had wound a silk muffler around his neck and hanged himself to a gas bracket. The police theory is that he committed suicide in a fit of despondency. The grief-stricken members of his family refuse to accept this view, and his boy friends assert their belief that the young man came to his death in trying to discover experimentally the sensations a victim of an execution by hanging may feel. Peace to his ashes. Moral: Don't monkey with the hangman's rope. All necktie parties should be official.

A little boy whose interest in religion had waned somewhat, was met on the street one day by his pastor.

"Johnny, why haven't I seen you at church lately?" asked the minister.

"I don't like to go now. You swear too much in the pulpit."

"Why Johnny," gasped the surprised churchman, "you're mistaken. I never swear."

"Oh, yes you do," persisted the lad.

"Well, my young friend, suppose we put it to the test. Now you come to church next Sunday and if you hear me swear, I'll give you an apple pie; and if you don't hear me, you are to give me one and come to church regularly afterwards."

To this Johnny agreed.

When the Lord's Day came, Johnny was on hand, way down front. The sermon was about half thru, and the good clergyman had committed no offense until, unsuspectingly, he uttered the words, "And it is by God we live and by God we die"—whereupon Johnny, jumping to his feet, cried out, "And, by God, you lose your apple pie."

SCHEME FOR RESERVOIRS

OTTER TAIL COUNTY LAKE REGION MAY RECEIVE ATTENTION

WIDESPREAD INTEREST TAKEN IN FEDERAL PLAN TO PREVENT FLOODS

The following from the Morhead News will be of interest here as it indicates that the government is likely to make reservoirs of the lakes of this vicinity other plans for preventing floods in the Red River Valley having been rejected:

"The two reports which have been made to congress this session on the improvement of the Red River of the North have gone into such detail on the possibility of preventing disastrous floods in the Red River valley, that it is not unlikely that some comprehensive scheme of improvement will be worked out in the near future says a dispatch from Washington.

"Gen. McKenzie chief of engineers of the army has endorsed the report and recommendations of Maj. Shun, of St. Paul, that the feasibility of a system of reservoirs on the upper portion of the Red river be fully investigated and estimates made of the cost of such improvements. While it is admitted that such cost will run into millions of dollars, the situation thruout the Red River Valley indicates that such expenditure would be well made, if it stopped the spring overflow of the rich farming lands along the river bottom.

"The Red river has carried four disastrous floods since farming possibilities of the region were first developed. At these times the river swelled up well over the "bank full" mark, and flooded grain lands for miles on either side of the river. In the 1897 flood the actual damage without taking into consideration the depreciation in value of the lands over flowed was placed at $4,531,693.

"Since 1897 the value of Red River Valley farms has increased materially, and another flood as great as that of 1897 would undoubtedly destroy more millions of dollars' worth of crops and farm property than the 1897 flood did.

"The government engineers stated in the report made to congress early in the session that it would be impracticable to straighten the Red River by cuting canals thru the bends, thereby giving greater velocity to stream. This would prevent flooding at some points but would pile up great floods of water on the northern portion of the river, flooding lands there and flooding the Canadian shores of the river.

"In the second report made to congress this week, the plan to divert the flood waters of the Red River into the Minnesota river is also declared to be impracticable. The plan of general reservoir system is the one which the government engineers have finally decided will solve the flood problem if it can be solved; and their recommendations for a more thoro investigation of the project are likely to have considerable weight with congress.

"The engineers believe that a system of reservoirs constructed by damming up the outlets of the lakes and natural depressions, from which the river takes its course, would serve to catch and hold the flood waters to such an extent that they could be released gradually, and the danger of an overwhelming flood averted."

SELECT MINOT; ENDORSE TAFT

NORTH DAKOTA STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE HOLDS SESSION IN FARGO

TOTAL OF 446 DELEGATES FOR MINOT CONVENTION MAY FOURTEENTH

The North Dakota republican state central committee at a meeting in Fargo yesterday declared for Taft for the presidency. Minot gets the next republican convention, and May 14 was the date fixed for the event. There will be 446 delegates in the convention.

Minot was made the unanimous choice.

On the matter of time for the meeting it was decided that Thursday, May 14, was about the best time and that date was fixed.

On motion of Mr. Callahan a resolution endorsing the candidacy of Taft for president was unanimously adopted.

GETS $1,000 FOR HIS INJURIES

G. N. FIREMAN ON THE PELICAN RAPIDS BRANCH SETTLES WITH RAILROAD

Fireman F. M. McInaney, who was injured in the wreck of the Pelican Rapids train five miles from Fergus Falls a short time ago, has effected a settlement with the company, receiving $1,000 on account of his injuries.

Walker Appointed

F. B. Walker has been appointed resident engineer of the Great Northern at St. Paul, vice Alfred Jackson resigned. Mr. Walker came recently from Superior where he was resident engineer of the lake district, which has been consolidated with the St. Paul district. Mr. Jackson has been connected with the Great Northern since 1880, starting in as assistant engineer. He has been resident engineer at St. Paul since 1903. Mr. Walker, who is a graduate of the University of Technology, was resident engineer on construction Great Northern from February 1898, to June 1899. He reentered the Great Northern service in the spring of 1900 as assistant engineer in charge of the Seattle tunnel, being located at Superior since March 1905.

LIFE SPARED BY PARDON BOARD.

Sentence of Peter Neilsen Mathiasen is Commuted.

St. Paul, Jan. 23.—Peter Neilsen Mathiasen will not be hanged for the murder of his friend, Johan Johansen. The pardon board yesterday commuted his death sentence to one of life imprisonment. The principal argument in Mathiasen's favor was made by Former Governor John Lind of Minneapolis, who insisted that the evidence showed quite conclusively that the shooting was accidental. The tragedy occurred in Beltrami county.

Charity always covers a multitude of sinners.

From Over The Valley

NORMAN CO., PIONEER GOES TO HIS REWARD

The death of K. N. Bragestad occurred at his home at Gary last Wednesday afternoon after an illness of long duration. Deceased was well known in Norman county. He was born ear Decorah, Iowa, March 30th, 1858, and at the age of 21 he came to Norman county, where he had to accustom himself to the ups and downs of pioneer life and located on a claim in town of Strand. The first two years he taught public school and in 1884 he married Miss Jennie O. Espe. They were blessed with ten children, only three of these are living, whose names are John, Agnes and Hulda, the oldest being fourteen years of age, besides these he leaves a wife, one brother John, one sister, Anna, who were also present during his last illness. In 1896 he was elected Clerk of Court and served in this position for four years after which he went to Gary where he has since been in business. The funeral occurred last Friday afternoon from the Strand church.—Norman Co. Herald.

ADA BASKETBALL TEAM DEFEATS HENDRUM BUNCH

The Ada High School basket ball team took the honors in the game played against Hendrum at the opera house last Saturday night after a spirited contest. The first half was an even contest, both teams playing fast ball. When time was called at the close of the first half the score stood 12 to 13 in favor of the visiting team. In the second half Ada went in with a determination to win and luck seemed to be with them in the change of positions of baskets. Hendrum did not put up as good a game as in the first half and at the close of the game Ada was the winner with a score of 36 to 28. Another game will be played at the local opera house Saturday evening of this week between the Ada and Fergus Falls teams.—Norman Co. Herald.

HOLD DOWN CLAIM AND DO SOME LOGGING

The Arthur Zaiser family have removed from our midst. Mrs. Zaiser and the baby have gone to Crookston and will remain until spring under the parental Eickhoff roof while the genial Arthur has braved the forest and will "do time" on his claim up in the Bigfork valley. A company has been formed with both Arthur and H. H. members, and the object will be to do logging. A mill is to be erected in the near vicinity of Arthur's claim and will be operated in the interests of the homesteaders of that locality. Success to the promoters is the wish of all friends.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

NARROWLY ESCAPES DEATH BY SCALDING

Engineer Ohland and his fireman, William Lake, were badly scalded about the face and hands and had a narrow escape from being cooked to death by steam when blowing out a boiler in a plant in Cavalier. Some scale plugged up the boiler and the engineer tapped it with a hammer. This loosened it and it let out steam with tremendous force, filling the pit back of the boilers with hot steam. As the two men had no other way to escape except to crawl over the boilers, their position was a dangerous one. While climbing over Lake fell back twice but he was assisted each time by the engineer until they reached a place of safety.

DANFIELD SECOND IN BIG EVENT

COUNT WHITESTONE SECOND WINNER OF NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

W. M. Ferguson received a telegram last evening stating that Count Whitestone 2nd had captured the national championship stake in the grand final event of the field trials held near Grand Junction, Tenn. This is considered the prize par excellence of the circuit which concludes with the Grand Junction field trials. The prize is a beautiful $500 silver cup and the national championship. Count Whitestone 2nd is a descendant of Count Whitestone and is owned by a Mississippi man.

But the most interesting feature of the event to local sportsmen is the fact that the runner up in this event was Danfield, once owned by Clarence Shepard of Grand Forks and winner of the North Dakota field trials held near Berwick, N. D., last fall. This is another Grand Forks dog to win national honors.

ICEMEN ARE WORRYING ABOUT THEIR HARVEST

The local ice men are considerably worried over the present outlook for ice, and unless there is some genuine winter weather soon, the city may have something of a famine in this line next summer. The ice harvest began a few days ago, with the ice about half as thick as usual. To put up ice of this thickness is considerably more expensive per cubic foot than to put up the ordinary three foot cakes. Ice always melts to some extent in the ice houses and the thinner cakes will naturally disappear more rapidly than the cakes of larger size, so that there is going to be quite a loss on this score. One ice house was being filled Monday, and the water was running out of it in streams. Worse than this, cakes of ice that were left exposed for any length of time became honeycombed and brittle and the work was given up temporarily. It has since been resumed but the ice men are hoping for thicker ice It will take some steady cold weather to send the frost down.—Fergus Falls Journal.

FERGUS FALLS METHODISTS WILL BURN MORTGAGE

Next Sunday the people of the Methodist church at Fergus Falls, will celebrate their freedom from church debt by burning the mortgage. Rev. J. B. Hingeley D. D. a former pastor, will preach at 10:30. After the service the mortgage will be burned by the pastor's youngest daughter. At 7:30 there will be a reminiscence meeting at which all who wish may participate All who were there during the early history of the church are especially invited to take part. Letters from former pastors and a short statistical history of the church will be read. Rev. A. H. McKee, the presiding elder, will be present and assist in the ceremonies.

SOLD VALLEY FARM AT $40 PER ACRE

J. R. Miller this week disposed of his 480 acre farm near Borup to parties from Farmington Minn. The price paid for the land is $40 an acre, which shows that Norman county real estate has considerable merit in the eyes or real judges of real estate. Indications are that there will be considerable activity in real estate in this section during the coming spring and fall. G. L. Thorpe recently disposed of a half section in town of Mary and several other deals have recently been made. In Norman county.

GAINING REPUTATION AS HOG RAISERS

C. O. Kyernon of the town of Queen is entitled to first honors for hog raising in this neck-o'-the-woods. The first of the week he brought to Bagley two hogs whose combined weight, dressed was 727 pounds—one weighing 380 pounds the other 347 pounds. Our local meat market snapped them up.—Bagley Independent.

WANTS $5000 FOR THE AFFECTIONS OF HIS WIFE

Christian Pederson, a resident of St. Cloud, has brought suit against Ludwig Hanson, also a resident of that city, for alienation of his wife's affections. He values his loss at $5,000 and the suit is brought for that amount. The family that has been disrupted consists of a five-year-old son and the husband and wife.

WILL OPERATE BIG BAKERY

HARRY L. CARPENTER LEAVES FOR MISSOURI VALLEY, IA., TONIGHT

It will come as a surprise to the many friends of Harry L. Carpenter to learn that he is to leave this evening for Missouri Valley, Ia., this evening where he will take the active management of a bakery which he, with others, has purchased. The bakery is a large institution doing both a wholesale and retail business, and Mr. Carpenter will devote his entire attention to its conduct.

Mr. Carpenter claims that the deal is a purely business matter, and denies that the move was made because of its being leap year and additional inducements desired by Mr. Carpenter as an "eligible."

Miners Killed in Cave-In.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 24.—News reached here to-day of the killing by a cave-in of the shaft of several miners at work in La Estrell mine, one of the Veta group in Zacatecas, Mex.

From our Exchanges

McINTOSH (Times)

Hans Hole is about over the small pox and will be around again in a few days.

Ole Ellingson and Asle Bjella returned last Friday to their home at Epping, N. D., taking a car of emigrant goods with them.

The state drainage board has in view the straightening of the Sand Hill river through Garden and Winger and State Engineer Ralph is expected there shortly to make a survey.

Knute Brokke formerly of this city is dangerously near death from consumption and his son Ole, and his daughter Miss Selma were called to his home in Minneapolis last week. Miss Selma has been teaching in the Wardeberg district.

At the recent stockholders meeting of the Farmers' Supply House the old officers were re-elected with one or two immaterial changes on the directorate. The management has changed hands however, and L. P. Poppenhagen succeeded Ole Pearson in charge last Monday.

BAGLEY (Independent)

Adolph Peterson of Ebro, spent Tuesday in town on business.

L. L. Omdahl returned Tuesday rfom a business trip to Crookston.

Miss Aleda Hershberger spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Fosston.

Mrs. G. B. Upton and children of Shevlin visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sundet went to Bemidji Saturday and spent Sunday with friends at the Jester farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Andrist of Crookston arrived Saturday to spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sundet. Mr. and Mrs. Andrist are parents of Mrs. Sundet.

The farewell dance given by Arthur Beaulieu was largely attended every body enjoying the dance thoroly. Mr. Beaulieu will depart for the west in the near future.

Many a man gets the upper hand by dealing it to himself from the bottom of the deck.

MAY BECOME COPPER KING

MAYOR McPHEE AND JAKE VOLLAND INVESTIGATING COPPER MINE

WILL LOOK OVER PROPERTY NEAR HINKLEY AND MAY PURCHASE

Mayor J. D. McPhee of this city and Jake Volland of Ada left Tuesday night for Hinkley, Minn., where they will spend a day or two investigating a copper mine which has been represented as the real thing by the owners.

If the mine proves what is claimed for it, Crookston and Ada may be the homes of two copper kings in the future, and it is possible that F. Augustus Heinze and other would-be copper kings may look like 30 cents worth of the cheapest kind of dog meat in the course of a very short time.

People buying anything in the copper line hereafter, should insist that it bears the stamp of the McPhee-Volland mine. All others will be base imitations.

LAND QUESTION UP AT JIMTOWN

TURK WHO PROVED UP LAND IS TURNED DOWN ON NATURALIZATION PAPERS

An unusual question has arisen in the case of Moustafa Malmond Mounnauar, a Turk, who has taken a claim ten miles from Jamestown. On July 3, 1905, he filed on a claim and on Sept. 9, 1907, made final proof. He paid $400 for the land and took a receipt therefor, the proof being sent to the general land office in the usual way. Several days ago he appeared in Jamestown and made application for citizens papers. From the Washington department an order now comes to resist the naturalization of the applicant, supposed to be a Turk.

Now the question as to what effort this will have on his claims to his homestead arises. If the effort to deny his naturalization is successful and he is denied citizenship and the issuance of his intention was unwarranted, it looks as tho Mounnauar will be out his land. It is said that there are many such cases in North Dakota and the outcome will be watched with interest.

STEAMERS IN COLLISION.

Amsterdam and Axminster Come Together Near Nieuwe Waterweg.

Roterdam, Jan. 24.—The steamer Amsterdam, belonging to the Great Easter Railway company, and the British steamer Axminster, from New York Dec. 30 for Rotterdam, collided in a fog last night near Nieuwe Waterweg. The Amsterdam had a great hole stove in her bows, and the water began coming in so fast that the captain decided to lower his boats and transfer his passengers to the Axminster There is considerable anxiety over the fact that one of the Amsterdam's boats still in unaccounted for. The missing boat is reported to contain a dozen or a score of passengers or mumbers of the crew, several women being included.

Skull Crushed by Pail.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Jan. 24.—Ernest Anderson, a well-known farmer, was fatally injured by getting his skull crushed by a falling bucket while working at the bottom of a well.

THE BEST FOR MANY YEARS

RAILWAY MEN SAY WEATHER CONDITIONS ARE BEST FOR 24 YEARS

ALL TRAINS ARRIVED PRACTICALLY ON TIME TO JAN. TENTH

With practically summer weather conditions prevailing thus far this winter operating officials of the lines in the northwest are comparatively free from troubles in the handling of trains They are now enjoying a breathing spell which they have not known in years, for on the one hand there are no snow blockades to combat nor on the other are they bothered with a car shortage. On the whole the operating officials are spending a calm existence and getting a respite which will put them in fine trim when the rush time comes on again.

Railroad men say that not in 24 years has the operation of trains been carried on in January under such favorable weather conditions. The snowplows have been called out only a couple of times during the entire winter, and then they had only a little skimming to do. Occasionally a snow bank slides down the western mountains, but at no time this season have they been bad enough to impede traffic. The snow has had little chance to accumulate, but has melted quickly so that washouts have not ben known this winter.

Comparing conditions with what they were a year ago, the railroads of the northwest are operating under the best of conditions. It was costing some of the lines almost more to keep their lines open last January than the revenue they were getting for moving the traaffic. In addition the employes and officials were exposed to numerous hardships while this winter they have almost been able to run around in their shirtsleeves.

Trains on Time

The favorable conditions under which operating officials are working is shown in the manner in which the trains are running. Transcontinental trains are making as good time as they do in the summer, while in some respects it might be said that they are running better.

The Great Northern has issued a statement showing the performance of its passenger trains for the period from Jan. 1 to 10, which speaks eloquently of the good work being done by the operating department under present conditions. The record for the period follows: Train No. 1 arrived at Spokane on an average of only three minutes late; Train No. 3 averaged 17 minutes late; at Seattle Train No. 1 arrived on time every day while No. 3 averaged 36 minutes late at St. Paul, Train No. 2 averaged but one minute late: Train No. 4 was late only one day, and that was only five minutes; Train No. 8 arrived from Winnipeg an average of 20 minutes late.

FATAL AFFRAY IN TOBACCO WAR.

Two Negroes Killed by Night Guards at Clarksville (Tenn.) Factory

Clarksville, Tenn., Jan. 24.—An attempt was made last night to set fire and dynamite the loose tobacco factory of the Hayes-Sory Tobacco company, local representatives of the Italian Regies. Two negroes, Tony Allen and Walter Watkins, were killed by night guards while trying to escape. One other negro escaped but is thought to have been wounded.

GRAND RALLY OF THE COMMERCIAL CLUB

Annual Banquet and Election of Officers Last Evening Was A Largely Attended and Enthusiastic Affair and Assures Another year of Progress. H. C. Misner Elected President With Balance of Officials All Live Ones. Splendid Addresses Given by Prominent Business and Professional Men Who are Optimistic Regarding the Future.

THE NEW OFFICERS

President—H. C. Misner.
First Vice President—J. E. O'Brien
Second V. Pres.—J. W. Wheeler
Secretary—J. F. Moore
Treasurer—Geo. S. Chesterman
Directors—J. D. McPhee, George H. Wright, Max Ericsson, Sam Rosenthal, Lewis Ellington, Chas. Kiewel, J. P. Dotson, O. Mercil, O. O. Christianson, W. A. Marin, J. N. Kirsch.

From Friday's Daily—

Over 100 members of the Twenty-Five Thousand Commercial club assembled in the armory of Co. I in the Odd Fellows block last evening and marched in a body to the banquet hall in the basement where the ladies of the Presbyterian church had spread a bountiful repast. The dining room was appropriately draped with flags and bunting and the scene was an inspiring one.

Work Reviewed

At the conclusion of the supper, to which full justice was done the meeting was formally called to order by Vice President H. C. Misner who read a letter from President S. W. Wheeler who is out of the city, in which the work of the club during the past year was read and some valuable suggestions were made as to work that should be done in the future.

The New Officers

The election of officers was then taken up and the list above named, elected. The election of H. C. Misner as president was unanimous. Mr. Misner at first declined the honor, stating that he would be absent from the city for two months during the year but on motion of James E. O'Brien he was granted a two months leave of absence and finally accepted the position. Mr. Misner stated that he was thoroly appreciative of the honor done, him, and that he felt that he owed Crookston and vicinity a debt, having resided here for the past 29 years and realized that whatever success he has enjoyed was due in a great masure to his surroundings.

A committee of three, J. W. Wheeler A. D. Stephens and A. A. Miller was named by President Misner to nominate a board of directors, and their report in favor of the above named board was unanimously adopted.

Reason for Optimism

J. W. Wheeler was the first speaker called upon and made a few remarks which it would be well to remember. He spoke in a humorous vein at the beginning, saying that he had prepared no set address and as he came first he only represented the skirmish line or light artillery, and that the heavy guns would come later on. He complimented the Crookston papers on the wide publicity being given the advantages of this section of the country and believed that the tide of immigration was turning to the Red River Valley from both Texas and the Canadian northwest. What the valley wants, he said, is more people. and he believed the realization of this hope was near at hand.

Personal Sacrifice

Supt. McIntire of the city schools was slated for an address but was unavoidably absent, and James E. O'Brien was next called upon and made a short address that teemed with good suggestions. He spoke of the necessity of sacrificing your personal business and convenience at times in serving the public, and paid a high tribute to the class of men who labor for others with no hope of any further reward than promoting the general welfare of their fellow men. He believed that the future had great things in store for Crookston, and urged the necessity of the maintenance of a solid front for progress on the part of the people of this city.

Old Times Recalled

Postmaster Elias Steenerson was the next speaker and he told several stories of the early days and referred to the rapid manner in which the city was striding forward. He emphasized the necessity of harmony and unity of purpose if the best results were to be obtained and illustrated his remarks with several stories. He spoke of the advantages Crookston held over other cities by location and that there was every reason to feel optimistic over the outlook for the future.

Good Suggestions

Atty. Geo. J. Cannon made a very enthusiastic address in which he referred to the importance of Crookston as a commercial and financial center, and the wonderful natural advantges possessed. He paid a high tribute to the pioneer captains of industry and believed they were entitled to every credit for the way they had fought for Crookston's advancement. He believed the commercial club could accomplish still greater things and urged faithful and conscientious support on the part of every citizen.

He advocated the establishment of club rooms as a means of making the work of the club more effective, and bringing all members closer together.

From Newcomer's Standpoint

Alderman Geo. H. Wright was the next speaker and his remarks were along a most happy line. As one of the comparative new comers to Crookston, he desired to express how he appreciated the welcome he had received, together with encouragement on every hand. He said it was certainly a pleasure to live in such a city and that it would be a hard experience for him to leave Crookston. He paid a high compliment to the old timers of Crookston who had laid the foundation for the city that has come to pass, and spoke of the manner in which the vitality a man gives to his home city outweighs any gift he can make in cash contributions.

Ex-secretary Spoke

Thomas R. Brown made an interesting address regarding the work that could be accomplished by a commercial club and discussed briefly some of the things that had been done by the Crookston Commercial club. He also devoted some attention to a discussion of the value of an electric street car line and a system of interurban lines, and what a powerful factor they would be for the rapid up-building and general development of Crookston. He believed that the future of Crookston was assured, and that now as never before it was necessary for a general getting-together of all interests to boost for Crookston.

On the Right Tack

Atty. A. A. Miller made one of the most earnest and inspiring addresses of the evening. He stated that no city could be better than the aggregate of citizens and that every resident of Crookston should indulge in a little introspection occasionally. He stated that he believed more farmers brought to this vicinity would be better for Crookston than the bringing of manufacturing industries here, tho both would help. He spoke of the fertility of the Red River Valley and the advantages offered to the young man who had no capital but who had stick-to-itiveness that would always result in success. All that was needed was bull-dog tenacity and any one could make a success of life here and in a few years be independent. He said all pessimists should take a back seat. He did not believe in the giving of bonuses to secure new industries. The pioneers started here and were successful, and they received no bonuses other than the bonus of a healthful climate and a rich soil. He spoke from experience as he came here 20 years ago Feb. 1.

A Pioneer's Views

Capt. M. R. Brown made a characteristic address. He has been a resident of Crookston for 30 years during which he said there had been years of prosperity and very few of adversity. He said all that was necessary was the proper development of the natural resources of this section, and the future growth and prosperity of Crookston was as certain as that night will follow day.

String of Good Stories

Prof. Wm. Robertson of the State Experimental Farm made a splendid address illustrating with a string of good stories which kept his hearers in an uproar. He spoke of his appreciation of the backing the Commercial club had given him since his arrival and the consistent work which had been done in promoting the school of Agriculture. He gave one little couplet which illustrated his ideas. It ran something like this:

Optimist and pessimist
  Difference something droll,
Optimist sees the doughnut,
  Pessimist sees the hole.

Knockers Should Help Boost

W. A. Marin made a very pointed address in which he said that the knockers should attend the meetings of the club and help those who are trying to do something for the city. The ones who are not satisfied with present conditions, he said, should be the very ones to help make improvements. He said the club members should help themselves if they expected to be helped. He specially urged the importance of attending the meetings.

The Lawmaker

Senator A. D. Stephens made the closing address and as usual his remarks contained many sound, sensible suggestions which if followed would result in a bigger and a better Crookston. He said a good crop meant more to Crookston than an advance in land values. He said Crookston had the capital, and what was needed was skilled mechanics. He suggested that every member of the club should think of some small industry or factory to be started in Crookston and then with the assistance of the club try and land it.

Special Features

During the evening those present were highly entertained by solos by Mr. Ross Chesterman accompanied by Miss Meda Chesterman, solos by Mr. Lucius Miller accompanied by Miss Slocum and selections by Miss Ida Clapp accompanied by Miss Verroneau, and instrumental selections by Miss Fern Lancaster.

Retiring President's Letter

Whitewater, Wis., Jan. 13, 1908.

H. C. Misner, V. P.,
and Members of the "25,000"
Club, Crookston, Minn.

Gentlemen—I regret very much that I will be unable to attend the annual meeting and banquet of the "25,000" Club. Let me assure you of my great interest in the club, and the welfare of Crookston.

When I am on the road, I talk Crookston, its advantages and its future, day and night. We have the best city of its size in the United States, Loyal citizenship is what every town needs for success.

Our Honorable Mayor in his letter to the Minneapolis Journal voiced my sentiments when he said that every citizen should join the "Booster" club in 1908. This would mean a larger and better Crookston in a few years. The "Club" has acomplished a great work since its organization, and I wish to thank the members for their loyalty to the club while I was its President.

What Has Been Done

I wish to enumerate a few things to refresh our memories of the work accomplished: First, the Library is being built, the Euclid Road is built, the state has completed one half mile of what they call experimental road north to the Experimental Farm. We secured a state road through the county, and quite a little work has been done. The Great Northern has given us permission to use the old grade from Shirley to Wiley for road purhis aid in a most efficient manner in trying to secure an appropriation of $100,000, and we succeeded in getting $97,500. With all due regard to the great ability of our Senator to get what he goes after, it would have been impossible for him or anyone else, to have gotten what he did, had the club and the citizens not come to his aid with the needs and the cramped condition of our school with a petition signed by several thousand farmers asking that we have due consideration.

poses. Several miles of road out of Crookston were kept in first-class condition by the Club last year.

Boomed Agricultural Road

When the first agricultural building was completed at Crookston, the club hired men to go and solicit scholars, they filled the building beyond its capacity, and when our Honorable Senator went to St. Paul they came to

Support is Due

When the new building is completed we owe our support to Prof. Robertson in assisting to fill the new agricultural school building, and our good will and support to Senator Stephens when he goes back to the Senate in such a way that he may feel honored, and encouraged to ask for double the amount and get it. "In union there is strength." I believe we have been paid a hundredfold for the money and time expended through the club.

Good Advertising

There have been thousands of letters sent out from the club setting forth the advantages of Crookston as a wholesale and manufacturing center The value of this cannot be estimated at present, and the publicity that our esteemed newspapers have given the club without cost would sweep like wild fire over the country. Let the people know what we have. These are only a few things that have been accomplished but I do not wish to take up too much of your valuable time.

Good Suggestions

However, permit me to make a few suggestions: First, elect a good, live president that can be at home most of the time, and will devote some of it to the interests of the club. Then select a good set of directors that will work in harmony with the president. The secretary is the most important officer; he must be a hustler, an originator, and a good "mixer."

Secretary's Work

Let him constantly make suggestions to the directors, and when they find them practical, carry them out as nearly as possible. Permit me to express at this time my appreciation for the loyalty of the directors of the club during my term of office, and also of the members in general. I must also at this time decline to be a candidate for another term should the members see fit to honor me in this manner. I shall be away most of the time this year, and could not do justice to the office, but whether I am at home or abroad, I will consider it a privilege to boost, in any way I am able. One more suggestion. I think one of the most important things the club has got to consider this year is a cold storage plant. Endeavor to interest some one in the live stock business. Nothing would tend to build up Crookston, more rapidly.

Wishing you a pleasant and profitable meeting I remain, Yours truly,

—S. W. Wheeler.

Invocation	Rev. Willard S. Ward

Banquet—Smoke Social and Business Session—Election of Officers—Election of Directors—Social Features

Solo	Mr. Ross Chesterman
Talk	Mr. J. W. Wheeler
Solo	Miss Clapp
Talk	Mr. J. E. O'Brien
Talk	Mr. Elias Steenerson
Instrumental Music	Miss Lancaster
Talk	Mr. Geo. J. Cannon
Talk	Mr. Geo. H. Wright
Solo	Mr. Lucius Miller
Talk	Mr. Thomas R. Brown Jr.
Talk	Mr. Martin O'Brien
Solo	Mr. Ross Chesterman
Talk	Mr. A. A. Miller
Talk	Mr. C. R. Winslow
Solo	Miss Clapp
Talk	Mr. M. R. Brown
Talk	Prof. Wm. Robertson
Instrumental Solo	Miss Lancaster
Talk	Mr. W. A. Marin
Talk	Hon A. D. Stephens
Solo	Mr. Lucius Miller
Talk	Mr. H. R. Robertson

FEDERAL PRISONER RUNS.

Alleged Mail Sack Thief Escapes at Fergus Falls.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 24.—A. R. Applin escaped from the county jail in this city yesterday and efforts to locate him have thus far been unavailing. He was allowed to bring in wood for exercise under the eye of a deputy, and the deputy lost sight of him for a minute, whereupon he made a break and escaped. Applin was charged with stealing a mail sack from the station platform at Staples and appropriating its contents.

Same Hand Cut in Same Mill.

Perham, Minn., Jan. 24.—N. G. Bolton, proprietor of a portable saw mill located in the timber west of here, had his right hand nearly severed at the wrist while at work yesterday. The hand will be saved, but it will be badly crippled. Part of the same hand was cut off in an accident in the same mill five years ago.

Japs Can't Go to Hawaii.

Honolulu, Jan. 24.—Japanese Consul Saito has received a cablegram from Foreign Minister Hayashi notifying him that beginning Feb. 1 the only Japanese laborers who will be permitted to emigrate to Hawaii are those who are returning and who are immediate relatives of those already there.

Burglars Get Little.

Breckenridge, Minn., Jan. 24.—The large harware store of Louis Gewalt of this city was broken into last night. The thief forced two doors in the rear to gain entrance. The cash in the till, amounting to little more that $3, a number of razors and pocket knives was the extent of the booty.

FOUND LIVING LIKE WILD MAN.

Mystery Envelops Recluse Sorrow Drives to Woods.

St. Cloud, Minn., Jan. 24.—A St. Cloud man with his hair a foot long, with a beard reaching down a foot in length, was discovered living in a hut about fifteen miles from Big lake by two homesteaders a few days ago. He claimed to hail from this city and apparently has gone almost mad over some terrible sorrow. He told of a vow that he had made never to speak to a living person. His hosts thought him demented and decided to take him to big Falls and turn him over to the proper authorities. He, however, overpowered them and got away. No one since has been able to find a trace of him.

MAY SAVE MUNN'S NECK

JUDGE WHO SENTENCED M. S. MUNN TO HANG IS NOW INTERCEDING

IN HIS BEHALF—E. D. CLOUGH IS THE MAN'S ATTORNEY

From Friday's Daily—

Altho the state board of pardons has declined to consider the application for clemency in the case of M. S. Munn sentenced to hang for the murder of August Franklin at Bemidji last fall, the sentence of the court may not be carried out.

Gov. Johnson yesterday received a telegram from Judge McClenahan who sentenced both Munn and P. N. Mathiasen, whose sentence was commuted in which the judge contends that of the two, Munn was the more entitled to the clemency of the pardon board, inasmuch as there was an element of self-defense entering into his case which was lacking in the case of Mathiasen.

It is probable that the communication of Judge McClenahan may result in the reopening of Munn's case.

E. D. Clough of this city was one of the attorneys for Munn.

TWINE TO SELL ONE CENT CHEAPER

Warden Wolfer of the state prison has announced that the prices for binder twine at the prison for the ensuing year have been made up, and that they will be one cent per pound less than in 1907 for all grades.

The new prices are lower than those fixed for this season by any other factory, and are even lower than the prices in other prisons. The prices the grades and the quality are all guaranteed for the season. The contemplated output will be 23,000,000 pounds.

For standard, 500 feet to the pound the price is 7 3-4 cents per pound; sisal 500 feet, 7 3-4 cents; standard Manila, 550 feet, 8 3-4 cents; Manilla 600 feet 9 3-4 cents; pure Manilla 11 cents.

PURDY MAY SUCCEED LOCHREN.

Federal Judgship, It Is Said, Will Be Vacated Before May 1.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Milton D. Purdy of Minneapolis is said to be slated for Judge Lochren's place on the federal bench. While no information is obtainable here giving a definite time for the resignation of Judge Lochren of the United States district court, the impression is general among Minnesota people here that it is the purpose of the judge to relinquish his office before May 1.

Gossip about the prospective change is induced here at this time by suggestions among Minnesota people here that it seems to be practically settled that Mr Purdy, at present assistant to the attorney general of the United States in the department of justice, has been slated for the position.

STEAM SHOVEL DYNAMITED.

Foreman of Construction Crew Is Fatally Injured.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 24.—Mark Murphy, foreman on the shovel job in the work of construction of a spur track of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railway, in the Newburg mill district, was probably fatally injured last night when a steam shovel was destroyed by dynamite. There is no definite clue to the perpetrators. The construction work is being done by non-union men, it is said.

Panic in Dance Hall.

St. Paul Jan. 24.—Fire in the kitchen of Hiawatha hall at 9 o'clock last night caused a panic among the dancers. The firemen prevented many young women being injured in their frantic efforts to escape down the stairway. The firemen soon extinguished the fire with chemicals.

Highwaymen Sent Up.

Custer, S. D., Jan. 24.—Pleading guilty to robbery and forgery, three prisoners in the circuit court were sentenced by Judge McGee to various terms in the state penitentiary. Abel Worth and Charles Ventling, who held up "Panner Joe," received respectively fifteen and four years.

Two Men Injured.

Zellenope, Pa., Jan. 24.—Two men were injured and considerable damage done when the Pittsburg Fulminite Powder company's building at Fombell, near here, blew up. The cause of the explosion is not known.

ASKS $14,000,000 for Census.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Director North of the census bureau yesterday asked the house committee on census for an appropriation of $14,000,000 to defray the cost of taking the census of the United States for 1910.

A newly married couple should cupy apartments in which there is room for suspicion.

CUTICURA CURED MOTHER AND BABY

Southern Woman Suffered With Itching, Burning Rash—Drove Her Nearly Crazy—Her Baby Had Sore on Neck, and Two Other Babies Had Skin Troubles—Calls

CUTICURA A STAND-BY THAT NEVER FAILS HER

"I just can't say enough for the Cuticura Remedies, I can't find words high enough to express my thanks to God for hearing of the wonderful remedies. My baby had a running sore on his neck and nothing that I did for it took effect until I used Cuticura. My face was nearly full of tetter or some similar skin disease. It would itch and, after scratching, it burned so that I could hardly stand it. Two cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment cured me. Two years after it broke out on my hands and wrist. I cured it for a while, but it came again in the summer. Sometimes I would go nearly crazy for it itched so badly. I used ten dollars' worth of so-called blood medicines which did no good at all, then I went back to my old stand-by, that had never failed me. One set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent did the work. One set also cured my uncle's baby whose head was a cake of sores, and I know of another woman's baby who was in the same fix and nothing else did any good. I speak a word of praise for Cuticura whenever I see a case that needs it. Mrs. Lillie Wilcher, 770 Eleventh St., Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 16, 1907."

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Post Free, How to Cure Skin Humors.

VALLEY ENCAMPMENT INSTALLED OFFICERS

WARREN MAN IS HONORED WITH ELECTION TO AN OFFICE

Last evening Valley Encampment No. 9 I. O. O. F. held a regular meeting and installed the officers elected some time ago. Following the installation a social session was held and refreshments served. E. T. Frank was honored by election to office, being the first man outside of Crookston who was ever thus honored. The officers installed were as follows:

Chief Patriarch, A. A. Glenn.
Sr. Warden, E. T. Frank.
High Priest, O. K. Berget.
Jr. Warden, N. A. Hoffard.
Scribe, G. S. Chesterman.
Treasurer, M. Collin.

Appointive Officers

First Watch, W. D. Rowe.
Second Watch, Pat McGlynn.
Third Watch, Henry Krogman.
Fourth Watch, Magnus Lundberg.
Inside Sentinel, Alfred Lefevre.
Outside sentinel, R. B. Mackoff.
Guards of the Tent, C. D. Billings and A. O. Busterud.

Pittsburg Bank Closes.

Pittsburg, Jan. 24.—The Traders and Mechanics' bank, a state institution, with a capital of $100,000, closed its doors yesterday.

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What is Origin of Ground-hog Day

What is the origin of Ground-Hog Day? February second which falls on Sunday next or Candlemas Day was a favorite holiday, marked by public gaiety and ceremonies in Europe during the Middle Ages. It is still marked there by the closing of banks and offices, but not otherwise outside of the reading of church services. In the church calendar it is known as the Feast of Purification of the Virgin, and was first instituted by Pope Sergius, about the year 684 A. D. The popular name of the day is derived from the early custom of lighting up the churches with candles and carrying these in procession on this festival.

As to the weather superstition that gives to Candlemas the name of the "ground-hog day" that is a worldwide fable. In Germany it is the badger that breaks his winter nap on this day to essay the thankless task of weather prophecy; in France and Switzerland it is the marmot, in England the hedgehog. Observation shows that none of these small animals do thus observe the date fixed also that the weather on this date does not accurately foretell that of the following two months, as is supposed. But it is a general truth that in temperate latitudes, warm and sunny weather in the first half of February is apt to be followed by a change and a cool spring, and on this fact our ground-hog and badger stories are founded.

Crookston's Wonderful Health Record

Crookston's health record for last year is worthy of more than passing notice. The total death list was just 100, while the list of births was 230 an increase that should make Crookston a particular favorite with President Roosevelt and should make that bill for an additional $40,000 for the Crookston Government building go through Congress humming.

Healthfulness is one of the greatest advertisements a city could possibly have. and Crookston has it in a degree unsurpassed by any city in the United States. Of the depths a large number were due to the bringing here of desperate hospital cases from out side towns, where the condition of the patients in many instances were hopeless but where the only possible chance of life was an operation.

Would it not be a good thing for residents to remember and talk about it in conversation with visitors in the city, or when making a trip to other cities and towns?

It is a record of which we may well be proud, and which reflects credit upon the members of the medical profession, to whose skill in a material degree belongs the credit for the splendid showing of the small death record of a city with nearly 10,000 souls.

Just remember to toot your horn about this in the future, for the old saying "he that bloweth not his own horn, for him no horn shall be blown" is more truth than poetry.

A novel development in the plans of the administration for the preservation of the country's national resources is the suggestion that an annual convention be held at which judges, government officials and representative professional men shall have an opportunity to confer on questions of national business policy. This plan has been carried out with great success in Germany, where every year representatives of the government and prominent civilians meet for twelve weeks of lectures and study of institutions and commerce. The results of these conferences have proved an important factor in the recent industrial awakening of Germany, according to Prof. J. Lawrence Laughlin of the University of Chicago, who has just returned from an investigation of economic conditions in Europe. "The difference between Germany and the United States in this respect", he said "is as wide as the poles. In Germany the state not only fosters science and scholarship, but it wishes to use the result in the problems of government; in America a scholar is discounted as a theorist and is patronized by the merely rich. The old "Vaterland" is passing as a result of the steady social and industrial awakening throughout the country. The finest houses in the capital are those belonging to the men who have risen to fortune in the new industrial movement which has brought Germany into such intense rivalry with Great Britain and made it a factor in international commerce and trade." No details of the planned convention for this country have yet been worked out but it is thought to have the favor of President Roosevelt, as it is in line with his policy as expressed in parts of his last message urging a more scientific study of our natural resources and the most practical means of conserving them.

Saint Paul's bank clearings for the week show a total af $9,117,000 which is an increase of eight percent. Reports from responsible officers of leading northwest railways indicate a firm belief that the present lull will be followed very shortly by a marked increase of business, and that the falling off in traffic is certain to prove a blessing in disguise, since it affords a breathing spell in which to prepare for the spring rush. General business conditions are promising and there are no signs of apprehension.

Minnesota has never had better advertising than kind Nature has given the greatest state in the Union this winter. The official records of the St. Paul weather bureau show that Jan. 23 the mercury touched zero but once. On that date it dropped to seven degrees below, the coldest weather of the winter so far. State and eastern papers have been full of Minnesota banana belt jokes some of which had a foundation of fact. A St. Paul boy living on Monument Street caught a large butterfly only a week ago and the street cleaning brigade has worked summer hours thruout the present month. In Duluth there was not show enough for the ski tournament and but for a chance cold snap which permitted the construction of an artificial slide, there would have been no sport on the big hills. Even now the Mississippi is partially free of ice at St. Paul, and light overcoats are in common use.

An Associated Press dispatch from Ottawa says: "The Dominion government has decided to loan sufficient funds to the farmers of the new provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan whose crops were a failure to purchase seed grain. The scheme will involve about $4000,000. The advances will be payable in three years at the usual government rates of interest." The United States never had to bolster up the farmers of Minnesota.

Secretary William Taft, who is prominently in the public eye as a candidate for the presidency, will visit St. Paul within the coming 2 months The big war secretary has advised the Roosevelt Club that he will be glad to come to Minnesota, and will accept their invitation within this period, altho he will not be able to definitely fix a date for the present.

The "grip" seems to have made its annual visit among some of the families in the city during the past two weeks and while the illness affects the old as well as the young to a certain degree few serious cases have been reported, outside of the doctors who are working overtime prescribing for the unfortunates.

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Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

CLASS ORGANIZED—

The class of 1910 met Saturday afternoon for the purpose of organizing. Miss H. Wilkinson was elected president; Mr. R. Erlenson, secretary and Mr. M. Monson treasurer. The colors chosen to represent the class are gold and white.

LITERARY—

The program rendered by the Literary society was as follows:

Song by society.
Reading, Mr. Peterson.
Duet, Misses Opdahl and Pederson.
Recitation, Mr. Regeimbal.
Violin solo, Mr. Ostrung.
Song by society.
Debate: Question—Resolved that liquor has done more harm in the U. S. than war. Affirmative, Messrs. Munson, Johnson and Eklund. Negative, Messrs. Opdahl Erlenson and Lether. The affirmative won the debate.

JOINT DEBATE—

The students of the Crookston Business College have perfected arrangements to hold a debate with the students of the School of Agriculture at the latter place on Saturday Feb. 8, at 7:30 p. m.

VISITORS—

Mr. R. A. Johnson of Hallock.
Mrs. J. W. Wheeler.
Mrs. C. H. Denniston.
Mrs. Chas. Loring.
Mrs. L. Roy.
Mr. Nap Regeimbal.
Mrs. A. A. Buckingham.
Mgr. Grafft of the Northern Pressed Brick Co.
Mr. Joseph Ball.

PERSONALS—

Messrs. Paulsrud and Quarberg visited at their respective homes over Sunday.

Mr. Anton Kroken who was removed to Bethesda hospital is improving rapidly.

Rev. Ward of the Presbyterian church addressed the students at 3 o'clock Sunday and delivered a forcible address.

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FIRE DANGER FROM MATCHES

OFFICE OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL, ST. PAUL, MINN., JAN. 1908. PUBLIC BULLETIN NO. 4.

Reports made to this office show that ten per cent of our six million dollar annual fire waste and the loss of several lives is due to carelessness with matches. Six hundred thousand dollars a year is too much to pay for the privilege of using a poor match instead of a good one.

Nearly all fires caused by careless use of matches are due either to the explosive qualities of the head of the match, or to the fact that the wood in the stick continues to glow for an average interval of forty-eight seconds after the flame is out. In igniting, the head often explodes or the stick breaks; flaming chemicals fly and ignite waste paper, sweepings, lace curtains and clothing. After using a match a twirl or a toss given to it without looking to see if is still glowing will often place it where it may start a fire. And a large proportion of match fires result from one of these hot sticks being thrown upon inflammable substance. Matches lyloose in drawers or on desks or on the floor or walk are liable to take fire from rubbing or from a blow. On the mantel piece they are often ignited by heat from the grate or stove. In each one hundred matches-fires, forty one are from flying match-heads or glowing sticks thrown into rubbish, which fact says "Clean up the place."

The name "Parlor" is given to all matches except the 'Safety." They are made without sulphur, thereby avoiding the odor given out by the "Lucifer" match. Its head contains phosphorus, chloride of potash, rosin, whiting and powdered flint, held together by glue. Phosphorus ignites at 140 degrees Fahrenheit. The heat produced by the friction of the particles of flint in the head when it is struck ignites the phosphorus. The chloride gives up the 39 per cent of oxygen it contains, with explosive spluttering and intense heat which fires the rosin and they together fire the paraffin with which the stick is saturated and the stick itself. By substituting either saltpetre or sulphur for chloride a silent and slow match is made which does not snap and fly.

The use of the "parlor" match, and in fact all other matches except the "safety" should be discontinued and prohibited by law. This would be no hardship to the users or to manufacturers because "safety" matches which can be lighted only by rubbing them on the box or a special place prepared for that purpose are made on the same machine and at practically the same price as other matches. The exclusive use of the "safety" match would not only lessen the fire loss and reduce fire insurance premium rates about 10 per cent, but it would also serve to keep free from the ugly-looking scratch stains of the ordinary match. And no match should be used the wood of which is not impregnated or saturated with a saline acid or other solution to prevent the formation of a glowing coal following combustion.

The legislatures now in session in several states are considering the advisability of prohibiting the use of any other but the "safety" matches. Any manufacturer can make them without changing his machine and the increased cost to the consumer would be too small for consideration.

From Over The Valley

FOSSTON WINS TWO AT BASKET BALL

Cass Lake, Jan. 27—The boys' and girls' basketball teams of the Cass Lake high school were defeated here Saturday evening by the boys' and girls' teams of Fosston high school, the boys' game ending 10 to 8 in favor of the girls' game being 8 to 6 with the Fosston girls on the long end of the score. The games were played at the gymnasium of the Cass Lake high school and were called at 8:30 p. m. Prof. Biddinger of Bemidji was chosen referee and Village Attorney Funk of Cass Lake acted as umpire both gentlemen giving entire satisfaction to both players and spectators.

MAY NOT LIVE TO FACE A JUDGE

Roy Griffith a prisoner in the Grand Forks county jail may not live to face a judge. Griffith who is accused of forgery, has been ill since Friday. His heart seems to be especially affected and a physician who was called to look after him succeeded in helping him so that he felt fairly well Sunday. Yesterday afternoon he was seized with another attack and grave fears for his recovery were entertained. He seemed to be resting some what easier last night.

ESTABLISH A NEW CREAMERY AT KRATKA

On last Monday evening a meeting of farmers was held at Kratka and an organization perfected for starting a new creamery. The officers elected were: R. M. Johnson, president Steve Singer, Secretary; Peter Hedin Treasurer. The capital stock is $3,900 and we understand that all of it is subscribed for. The work on building is to be commenced at once and it will be located close by the Kratka store and postoffice.

EMARDVILLE CREAMERY HAS A NEW BUTTER MAKER

The board of directors of the Emardsville Creamery Association have hired a new buttermaker to take the place of William Lauritzen whose term expires Feb. 1st. The new man is Lars Haslerud and he has a fine record as a buttermaker.

WILL FORGET THE BOATS WHEN RAILROADS COME

At the meeting of the board of Directors of Red Lake River Transportation Co., last Tuesday the following officers were elected:

President—P. C. Wold.
Vice Pres.,—Ole Howard,
Secretary—Andrew Ellingson.
Teas.—I. W. Vrolson.

RULES IN EFFECT EASTFR SUNDAY

REGULATIONS REGARDING MARRIAGE OF CATHOLICS ARE CONSIDERED IMPORTANT

CATHOLICS MUST BE MARRIED BY A PRIEST TO BE RECOGNIZED

The Catholic church's new laws touching on betrothal and marriage are to be promulgated Easter Sunday in every Catholic diocese in the world and they go into effect at noon on that day.

Under these laws are marriage contracted between Catholics will be absolutely void in the eyes of the church unless it be celebrated in the presence of a duly qualified priest and two witnesses. At present the marriage of a Catholic pair by a non-Catholic clergyman or by a civil magistrate is valid, altho it is considered illicit and the persons contracting it render themselves liable to excommunication.

Protestants married by a minister will be regarded as lawfully married under the new law.

"In brief" said a Catholic clergyman, "marriages between Catholics in Protestant churches or registry offices will be for Catholic not only sinful, but invalid, and the persons who contract them will have only gone thru an empty ceremony and will be no more husband and wife than they were before. This law binds all Catholics, even tho they are apostateor excommunicated.

"But is does not affect those who are not and never have been Catholics. Consequently, Protestants and non-Catholics are outside of the scope of the law, in the eyes of the church. and such marriages are recognized by the Catholic church, all else permitting it, as real and true marriage."

The principles contained in the new laws have long been recognized in the church, it is explained and their recent promulgation is said to be due to the increase of marriage before civil magistrates in this country and abroad. Of course, this does not apply to Maryland, as only ordained ministers and those of the Society of Friends have authority to perform marriage ceremonies in that state.

COULD NOT REBATE TAXES

TAXES MUST BE PAID ON G. A. R. HALL IN CROOKSTON

County Auditor N. A. Hoffard this morning received word from the state tax commission to the effect that the recommendation made by the city council and endorsed by the county commissioners of Polk county that the taxes on the G. A. R. Hall in this city should be abated could not be granted as there were no provisions in the statute providing for such an abatement. This being true the members of the legislature should get busy and make such provision at the next session.

DISMEMBERED BY TRAIN.

Man Believed to Be Olaf Anderson Killed Near Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 28.—A man supposed to be Olaf Anderson was horribly mangled on the Northern Pacific railroad, between Fargo and Dilworth, Minn. The body was entirely dismembered, every limb being cut off. It is claimed he had been stealing a ride.

$3,000 Blaze.

St. Paul, Jan. 28.—Fire, which for a time threatened to spread to several surrounding dwellings, destroyed the barn of F. H. Wetherald in Little Canada. A quantity of hay, one cow, a span of horses and a young colt were burned. The damage amounted to about $3,000.

Burns to Death in Well.

North Platte, Neb., Jan. 28.—James Thomas, a farmer near here, descended a shallow well to thaw out some pipes. His clothing caught from the blaze. He could not reach the top, and was burned to death.

Thieves Take Furs.

Tyler, Minn., Jan. 28.—Magandy & Rasmussen, butchers, were robbed of $75 worth of furs, consisting of 200 muskrat skins and eight mink. The burglar is believed to have been hiding under a counter.

Mortgage Is Burned.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 29.—The $3,700 mortgage which has encumbered the M. E. church property here was burned with fitting ceremonies Sunday. Special services had been arranged and the church was crowded to the doors.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new Laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best Laxative. Guarateed or your money back. For sale by all druggists.

BURNED IN RESIDENCE

MURDOCK McLEOD PERISHED IN FIRE, WHICH DESTROYED HOME

NEIGHBORS NOTICE HOUSE GONE FIND REMAINS IN THE CELLAR

From Tuesday's Daily—

News reached here yesterday of the tragic death near Calvin N. D., of Murdick McLeod in a fire which destroyed his home. Murdock lived with John McLeod and family who drove to a neighbor's in the evening leaving Murdock alone. While there one of the children became ill and they were compelled to remain away. Murdock went to Calvin and spent the evening there, returning home about 10 p. m.

In the morning neighbors noticed that the house was gone and went in search of John. They met him on the road and told him about the fire. He hurried to the scene and investigated with the result that the remains of Murdock were found in the cellar, burned to a crisp.

Tried to Put Out Fire

No one will ever know how the fire originated but everything goes to show that Murdock had made an attempt to fight the flames. It is surmised that while Murdock was inside fighting the flames he was overcome and perished. From childhood he had been afflicted with very poor eyesight. He was 40 years old.

The house was insured for $1,000. It was owned by John McLeod.

ARGUMENTS BEGUN TODAY

(Continued from page one)

would not deliver his charge until Friday morning.

Judge Asks Questions.

The prosecutor contented himself with drawing from the alienists the fact that last year they swore it was during a "brain storm" that Thaw committed the homicide.

It was left to Justice Dowling to make a most important inquiry of the alienists. He desired to know the exact nature of "manic-depressive" insanity and if the attacks were likely to recur. He also asked if a person suffering from this form of insanity would be likely to commit assaults. He learned that it was a recurrent form of mental disorder, the attacks coming suddenly and without warnings, a period of insanity being followed by a mental outburst, then by a period of complete depression and then by another lucid interval. It seemed that the presiding judge was securing information upon which to predicate judicial action in the event of a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity or of a straight acquittal.

Calls It "Manic-Depressive."

An English physician, one of three men of medicine who testified, first gave the name of "manic-depressive" or "subacute mania" to Thaw's mental condition. Dr. Sydney Russell Wells of London made the diagnosis during an outbreak by Thaw in London in 1899.

Mr. Littleton's hypothetical question, which was answered by the three experts, was a complete resume of the evidence. The question contained some sixteen thousand words.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

A BABY GIRL— Mr. and Mrs. E. Strandell are the parents of a very fine baby girl born at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Both mother and daughter are doing well and the proud father has a two-by-twenty-eight smile decorating his face.

BRINGING OUT WOOD—A. I. Hunter has returned to Grand Forks from Blackduck and Bagley where he has been looking after the wood cutting operations of the Red River Brick corporation. Wood is being taken out at the rate of 120 cords per day and the work is progressing satisfactorily More snow is needed in the woods, however.

FLAGEL TO LEAVE—The directors of the Erskine Creamery Association met last Monday and paid 30 cents net for December butter fat. O. C. Taftner, of Argyle, was engaged as butter maker for the coming year, Mr. Flagel's contract expiring Feb. 15 and not wishing to remain another year. Mr. Taftner is a married man and was highly recommended to the board.

THE OLD TIMERS — Conductor Dink Miller without doubt had a strenuous day but did not deign to send any bulletins. He had a big bunch of the old timers headed up the North line this morning and as they were not used to winter weather they were somewhat obstreperous and as the train was pulling out all were cantering up and down the aisles headed by "Gramps" Morehous who was singing that touching old song "This is my Last Trip o'er the Prairies, I'll Soon Decorate a Leather Chair with the House."

It is very important and in fact is absolutely necessary to health that we give relief to the stomach promptly at the first signs of trouble. Take something once in a while; especially after meals; something like KODOL For Dyspepsia and Indigestion. It will enable your stomach to do its work properly. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

COME AGAIN FROM ITALY.

Tide of Emigration Has Turned This Way Once More.

Rome, Jan. 28.—The return to Italy of emigrants from the United States is gradually stopping, while emigration to that country is being resumed.

Steamers leaving Genoa and Naples before the end of the month will take back to America at least 5,000 emigrants.

Must Have Herds Tested.

Hudson, Wis., Jan. 28.—Because the veterinarian found tuberculosis in two herds of cattle east of this city, the board of health now is requiring dairymen to have their herds tested. In a herd of twenty-three cattle four were found to be infected.

Babe Scalded to Death.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 27.—At Christ hospital, an institution conducted by the Protestant Episcopal church for poor women and children, a baby was scalded to death under peculiar circumstances. A nine-year-old child turned on the hot water.

Guests Escape in Night Clothes.

Pontiac, Ill., Jan. 2. — Tht Central hotel burned early yesterday. The hundred or more guests in it had only time to make their escape in their night clothes. One woman jumped from the second story and was bruised badly. Loss, $15,000.

BOIES IS IMPROVING.

Former Hawkeye Governor Expects to Soon Return to Waterloo.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 29.—Former Governor Horace A. Boies of Iowa, who arrived in this city a day or two ago after having been taken seriously ill while en route here from his home, is improving. He is living in a cottage at the beach and will return to Waterloo, Iowa, as soon as his health will permit.

An Expensive Fad

Of all the fads in the world that of collecting and saving old and rare editions of printed books is perhaps the most costly. The prices of many of these books run up into the thousands An inexpensive fad and a popular one is that of serving golden grain belt beer at mealtime. This clear, sparkling beverage is refreshing and appetizing—an aid to digestion and a muscle builder. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

From Tuesday's Daily

VISITING HERE—Alex Gagnier of Oakwood N. D., is spending the day in the city visiting his cousin, Remi Fortier while enroute home after a trip to Minneapolis.

MURPHY TO PEN—Sheriff Gonyea will leave this evening for Stillwater with Mike Murphy who will serve two years for assault with a deadly weapon on Frank Whittaker at E. G. Forks.

DEDICATED NEW CHURCH—Dr. Dodds a former resident of this city who is now located at Staples as pastor of the M. E. church dedicated a new church in that city on Sunday. The new edifice costs $10,000 and is said to be an elegant building.

BABY BOY DIED—The 14 months old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig Thoreson of Melvin died last Thursday from convulsions caused from cutting teeth. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of all in their great affliction.

VISITING FRIENDS—H. W. Rooney a former mail clerk on the St. Vincent-Fargo run who recently transferred to the Fargo-Streeter run is spending the day in the city visiting with friends. Harry has a warm spot in his heart for Crookston and has many friends who are glad to see him.

BARHOLZ AGAIN LANDLORD — F. C. Barholz again took charge of the Fertile House last Saturday. Mrs. Trandem who has had charge of it, left Saturday night for Twin Valley to take care of her mother who is in feeble health.

The long indoor life of winter makes the blood weak, and the system easily catches colds and disease. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest winter remedy; prevents colds and disease, keeps you well all winter. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

REMOVED TO HIS HOME—Jos. F. Koelmel who was taken to St. Vincent's hospital last Friday evening was removed to his home late yesterday afternoon his acute attack of appendicitis having been overcome by his physician without an operation, and he will be about his business as usual in a few days.

TO ATTEND BIG MEETING—Wm. Emmerich left last evening for Stillwater where he will attend the state meeting of the Sons of Hermann as a representative of the Crookston branch of the order. He will visit St. Paul and Minneapolis for a few days before returning.

LITTLE SON BURIED—Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence in South Crookston funeral services were held over the remains of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor. The little fellow was 2 years and 9 months and died Saturday evening after a short illness of pneumonia. The services were held by Rev. T. E. Green of the M. E. church and the floral offerings were very beautiful. The members of the bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

HOG RAISING PAYS—Frank Stacy the America merchant and Frank Hawley a homesteader in Clearwater formerly of Grand Forks, were transacting business in Roseau yesterday. The Times acknowledges a pleasant call from the gentlemen. Mr. Stacy is interested in raising hogs, which he feeds on rootst during the spring and summer and fall months. Last year he turned off over $700 worth of hogs at a profit of about $300. He has 22 on hand with which to start in this year.—Roseau Times.

SHOULD PURCHASE STAMPS—Postmaster Steenerson desires to call tatention to the practice of some patrons of the rural delivery of placing loose coins in their boxes each time they desire to dispatch letters instead of supplying themselves with postage in advance of their needs. This practice imposes undue hardship on rural carriers in removing loose coins from boxes and delays them on the service of their routes. The postmaster, therefore urgently requests that patrons of rural delivery provide themselves and keep on hand a supply of stamps consistent with and in advance of their needs. It is also very desirable that rural patrons place in their mail boxes small detachable cups of wood or tin in which to place coins, when necessary, in purchasing supplies of postage stamps.

From Wednesday's Daily

RYE GRASS SEED—Jacob Stennes recently shipped 2,070 pounds of rye grass seed to a seed house at Faribault, Minn., and sold it for 7c per pound a total of $145. He had four acres of it, and still has twenty bushels of the seed left. The grass resembles brome grass.—Hendrum Review.

WILL VISIT IRELAND—Rev. J. F. Greene of East Grand Forks and well known here, contemplates a trip to Ireland to visit the scenes of his younger days. His health has not been good for some time and it is believed the rest he would get in a trip such as proposed would prove most beneficial.

Mr. London writes: "If I owned your Tea, I would guarantee a cure or refund their money. I say it's Nature cure and the only one for the blood." Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea cured him where other remedies failed. 'Nuff said.—A. G. Andersen.

GOES TO GRAND FORKS—Jack Rose, who has been employed for some time past at Alden Braley's tonsorial parlors left last evening for Grand Forks where he has accepted a position. He is one of the best barbers who ever worked in Crookston and during his stay here has made a host of friends who hope he will return soon to Crookston.

BACK FROM THE WEST—A. O. Stortroen, cashier of the Bank of Fisher returned home this morning after a trip west along the new extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul where he looked over the situation and reports that conditions are satisfactory in every way.

Nature paints in colors bright,
Our cheeks and lips so fine;
Assist nature to paint for thee,
By taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
—A. G. Andersen.

NEW PASTOR ARRIVES — Rev. Johnson and family arrived Monday night from Cando, N. D. and has leased a house on Houston Avenue. Rev. Johnson comes here to fill the position of pastor of Hauges Lutheran church made vacant by the departure of Rev. A. J. Krogstad for Madison, Wis. The new pastor will hold his first services on next Sunday.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES—Ivar Wallin has begun suit in the United States court asking for damages for injuries sustained by his son, in the callapse of an elevator at a small siding in Kittson county. The boy was struck by a piece of timber and it is claimed he was seriously injured. The elevator company alleges that it does not know the extent of his injuries but intimates that they are not very serious and sets up the allegation that the boy accepted $25 in settlement of his claim against the company shortly after the accident.

A TOUCH OF WINTER—The weather man got busy last night and sent the thermometer on a rapid downward slide bringing it to a stop at 33 below zero, the coldest point registered by the government thermometer early this morning. The weather is getting on its good behavior again and is ascending the tube being only 8 below at three this afternoon. The forecast for tomorrow shows rising temperature which will help some. At Moorhead the weather observer reported it 39 below at 6 this morning.

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Tornado Causes Great Damage.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 29.—A tornado swept through the northeastern portion of Etowah county late Sunday night, and while no lives were lost much damage was done to property. At Coats Bend several dwellings were destroyed, fences demolished and other damage done.

LORING IS IN WASHINGTON

IN CONNECTION WITH A CASE OF INTERNATIONAL IMPORTANCE

SCRAP OVER DAM CONSTRUCTION IN CONNECTION WITH RAINY RIVER

From Wednesday's Daily—

Dissensions between promoters of the plan for constructing a power dam across the Rainy river at the international boundary have arisen over the flooding of lands on the American side belonging to homesteaders.

Yesterday Representative Beede introduced a bill in congress to extend the time for the construction of the dam for one year, and representatives of both sides were present to present their side of the case. Hector Baxter of Minneapolis is representing the company constructing the dam and Charles Loring of this city law partner of Representative Steenerson is representing the homesteaders.

It is said there are international questions involved, as the dam is partially on Canadian territory.

It is said that this is one question that Ambassador Bryce will discuss with the Canadian government officials at Ottawa, where he went last week.

Atty. Loring went to Washington after a trip to St. Louis where he appeared as attorney before the U. S. Court of Appeals in an important case.

FROM THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

The following items are taken from the Moxee correspondent to the Yakima, Wash., Democrat and are interesting as all the parties spoken of are old residents of Crookston and Polk county.

A. Plant is building a residence on his ranch just purchased from the Moxee company.

Mrs. C. Champoux and Mrs. J. J. Woods left for Nevada last Thursday to join their husbands where they will make their future home.

Miss Malvina Labrie returned home last Saturday from Seattle where she had been attending school at the Academy of the Holy Names.

Married, last Sunday at the Catholic church Miss Anna Quesnelle and Xavier Regimbal. It was a very quiet affair.

Mrs. A. J. Beauchene returned last Sunday from a two months' visit to relatives in Minnesota.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. Champoux a boy. Mother and child are doing fine.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sauve a girl, which only lived three days.

Also a child was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Plant.

A 3-year old child of Ben Menard died last Sunday from croup—the only case heard of in the Moxee.

Also the following extracts from the Belma correspondent of the same paper may be of interest to Journal readers.

Joseph Poulain and wife of North Yakima, was here last week visiting his uncle Henry Lachance. He returned home Monday.

Wm. Lemay recently sold his 40 acres of school land to Charles Connell of North Yakima. This land lies just east of the Euclid school house near the Benton county line.

John Toulouse and wife entertained the following guests at dinner on Sunday: Arthur Lemay and family and Joe Beaudry and family of Mabtonton, Harry McGaughy of North Yakima, William Lemay and family, and Joseph Lechance and Paul Killian.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers ar the best pills known. Sold by A. G Andersen.

SAD DEATH OF A PIONEER

The village of McIntosh was saddened Monday when the announcement was made of the death of Mrs. E. King which occurred on Sunday night. Mrs. King was one of the pioneers of original Thirteen Towns and was quite well known in this city which she visited frequently.

She leaves beside her husband, four sons, Harrison, Truman, Merton, and Earl and a daughter Mrs. E. N. Tracy.

HOLD UP AT NOYES

TOOK PECULIAR REVENGE WHEN BARRED FROM THE UNITED STATES

HIGH JINKS STUNT PUT ON IN THE NORTH LINE TOWN

From Wednesday's Daily—

A few days ago American customs officers at Noyes, Minn., were held up by a drunken foreigner, heavily armed, and made to perform many curious calisthenic exercises, according to a story told by a party who came from there last night.

The immigrant was refused admission to the states by the custom officers at Emerson, the last station on the Canadian side and all his protests and assertions were of no avail and he was turned back. Enraged at his treatment he waited around an Emerson hotel a few hours, then walked to Noyes, on the American side of the boundary. Arriving there and armed with two revolvers, a Winchester and a long bowie knife he made the customs staff and several train hands, hold up their hands all the while shooting out nearby windows until there was not a whole pane of glass in the station or custom house. Then he scribbled upon their records with an indellible pencil, which he afterward sprinkled with water.

When the performance was beginning to pall upon the irate foreigner Station Agent McKay arrived upon the scene with a posse. The man saw them coming and surprising the party in the rear, captured McKay and locked him in the station, while the others scattered. He then broke open a safe but left the cash intact.

The last seen of the stranger he was headed for Winnipeg but the officials at Noyes were not over-enthusiastic in reporting the affair; in fact they are doing all they can to hush it up.

GREAT STRIDES IN NORTHWEST

NORTHERN PACIFIC TERRITORY SHOWS WONDERFUL GROWTH IN PAST YEAR

STILL BETTER SHOWING EXPECTED IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA

The marvelous growth of the northwest is shown by statistics which have been compiled by the emigration department of the Northern Pacific. The figures presented cover only certain sections but they are indicative to a greater or less degree of the wonderful development of the territory traversed by the Northern Pacific R. R.

"Minnesota has made considerable gain, but it can still make a better showing if the swamp lands in the northern part of the state are drained," said C. W. Mott, general emigration agent of the Northern Pacific. "If a comprehensive drainage system is inaugurated in northern Minnesota the population will be more than doubled. It will bring settlers from Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin, who have had successful results from the drainage system."

Two Unwelcome Visitors Here

At this season La Grippe and Pneumonia cause more deaths than consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures la grippe coughs that may result in pneumonia over night. Do not take chances with a cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will quickly cure it.—Sold by all druggists.

DEATH ENDED SUFFERINGS

MRS. ALBERT JANCE DIED AS RESULT OF ACCIDENT AT FISHER

PHYSICIANS COULD DO NOTHING TO RELIEVE HER SUFFERINGS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock Mrs. Albert Jance of Fisher died as the result of terrible burns which she received yesterday morning after pouring kerosene on a soft coal fire in the Jance suite of rooms over the Bank of Fisher building at Fisher.

An explosion resulted shortly after she poured the kerosene on the stove and when her screams attracted the attention of those in the bank, the mother urged those who rushed to her assistance to rescue her children in an adjoining room first which they did and were carried out uninjured.

The thoughtfulness of the mother probably resulted in her own death, as when the rescuers returned for her she was so badly burned that the physicians could do nothing for her, and after five hours of terrible suffering she passed away.

Fisher today is shrouded in sorrow Deceased was beloved by all who knew her and leaves two children, aged two years and three months respectively, and a husband to mourn her untimely death.

Deceased was 28 years of age at the time of her death, and during her residence in Fisher has been prominent in both church and social circles where her loss will be keenly felt.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and many from this city will attend the services. The many friends of Mr. Jance, one of the leading business men of Fisher, join in extending heartfelt sympathy in his hour of bereavement.

SATURDAY IS SALE DAY

FREE LUNCH SALE WILL BE HELD BY C. A. HITCHCOCK

LIST ANYTHING YOU HAVE FOR SALE WITH HIM AT ONCE

On Saturday next the free auction sale will be held by C. A. Hitchcock of this city. The past sales have been very successful and both the buyers and sellers have been more than satisfied. Mr. Hitchcock does not charge either the buyer or the seller, and he will sell anything you have from a feather bed to a quartet of steers.

Do not forget to list anything you have with him no matter whether it is furniture or dressed pigs.

WILL VISIT IN GERMANY

MR. AND MRS. CHRIS EICKHOFF WILL LEAVE THIS EVENING

This evening Mr. and Mrs. Chris Eickhoff will leave for a visit to Germany where they will spend several months. They will go direct to New York where they will spend a few days before taking passage for the old country. Their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Williams is here from Grand Forks visiting prior to their departure and will remain a few days at the parental home. Mr. and Mrs. Eickoff will visit friends and relatives in the old country for several months before returning to this country and anticipate a very pleasant trip.

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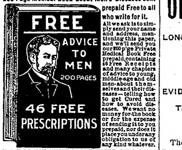

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SCARED H'S JAG AWAY

INDIAN LEISURELY WALKED OFF TRAIN FROM DULUTH LAST EVENING

IN BACKING UP TO GET HIM THE TRAIN CAME NEAR RUNNING OVER VICTIM

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening an Indian, who with a bunch of bucks coming in from the Cass Lake line, all of whom were comfortably jagged, leisurely walked off the rear end of the train beyond Mentor.

The conductor was at once notified stopped the train and backed it up and in the darkness came near running over the Indian who had stumbled to his feet and was coming down the track in a dazed condition.

He had a bad cut on his head, and was shaken up well, but by the time Crookston was reached he was fairly sobered up and continued on his journey to North Dakota. The experience would without a doubt have been fatal to a sober man.

LESLIE M. SHAW QUITS JOB.

Has Trouble With Owner of Trust Company and Resigns.

New York, Jan. 23.—Leslie M. Shaw has resigned the presidency of the Carnegie Trust company which he assumed early last March on his retirement from the treasury portfolio at Washington. In explaining his resignation last night Mr. Shaw said that he had "small differences" with Charles C. Dickinson, the organizer and chief owner of the trust company. Of his future plans he would say nothing definite beyond this statement: "I may shy my caster into the political ring."

BAN ON WOMAN SMOKERS.

New York Aldermen Adopt Ordinance Aimed Against Them.

New York, Jan. 23.—Women will not be permitted to smoke in New York restaurants and other public places. This question was definitely settled, for the present at least, by the board of aldermen yesterday, when an ordinance directed against women smoking in public places was adopted. Tacit permission had been given for women to smoke in several of the Broadway restaurants since New Year's eve, when the proprietor of one of the well-known restaurants first suspended the order against it.

Train Kills Hudson Man.

Hudson, Wis., Jan. 23.—Nels Matson was killed here last evening when he was run down by the Ellsworth local train. The man's body was terribly mangled.

Gotch Is Champion.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 23.—Frank A. Gotch and Hjalmar Lundin wrestled for the heavyweight championship of America at the opera house last night. Gotch won, getting two falls in succession after a gruelling series of twists.

To Have $1,000,000 Clubhouse.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Announcement was made yesterday that the Hamilton club is to have at $1,000,000 clubhouse in the central business district of the city.

FARMERS TO BEGIN SEEDING.

In Otter Tail County Planting Is Anticipated This Week.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 23.—A fine shower of rain fell here shortly before midnight last night. There was light frost later in the night, and the streets were covered with ice this morning, but this disappeared as soon as the sun rose. Farmers expect to begin seeding the latter part of the week.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

TASDALE VICTIM OF AN ASSASSIN

LONELY RANCHER IS SHOT DEAD AS HE SAT BY THE FIRE

EVIDENCE THAT HE HAD ENTERTAINED TWO PERSONS BEFORE THE CRIME

The following dispatch from Fort Benton, Montana, gives additional details regarding the murder of Peter Tasdale an account of which was published in the Journal exclusively last Monday, and which is being investigated by Nels Peterson of this city, a brother-in-law of the deceased, and a brother from Morris, Illinois. The dispatch says:

Peter Tasdale an unmarried man of about forty years who lived on a ranch on Belt Creek in Chouteau county was found dead in his house last week. He was sitting in a rocking chair in front of a cook stove with a bullet hole thru his neck and a great pool of dried blood about him on the floor.

Investigation showed a clean-cut hole thru the window pane about six feet back of the body, thru which a rifle ball had passed. It is supposed he had been dead several days when found by George Hoefler a neighbor.

It was evident that he had just finished his supper and that two other persons had eaten with him. The officers have not been able to find out who was with him, and in fact have made no announcement of any clue. Tasdale lived alone and was not on friendly terms with some of his neighbors. His home is in a very rugged country in the brakes of Belt Creek, off the travelled road.

The body and premises evidently had not been searched for money and it is not thought that robbery could have been the motive for the killing.

The deceased was well fixed having property and livestock of the value of about $5000. Owing to the fact that the murder occurred at a point close to the line between Cascade and Chouteau counties, officers from both counties have been investigating.

ADA FIREMEN ENTERTAINED

BUSINESS MEN WERE BANQUETTED—FINE ADDRESSES MADE BY SEVERAL

Last evening at Ada the members of the fire department banquetted the business men of the city and a delegation of 12 firemen from Halstad The chiefs of other fire departments were invited but failed to put in an appearance.

The affair was a grand success in every way. Chief Bang of the Ada fire department presided and after the banquet had been served Atty. Braatland and C. C. Allen made addresses on the proposed city charter and President P. A. Onstad of the Ada commercial club gave an address urging a greater unity of interests among the business men. Rev. Symons gave an address on "Our Aim in Life" which aroused much enthusiasm and in conclusion progressive whist was played, K. T. Hovey winning the first prize and G. Gilbertson the consolation prize.

The affair was one of the biggest successes ever scored in Ada and the members of the fire department were the recipients of many compliments for their hospitality.

Convicted Man Kills Himself.

Osage, Iowa, Jan. 25. — Arlie Botham of Toeterville, convicted of illegal liquor selling, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head.

Lagercrantz to Leave.

Stockholm, Jan. 25. — I. F. Lagercrantz, the Swedish minister to America, has been appointed minister ad interim at Copenhagen.

Howard Is Indian Agent.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The president yesterday nominated John R. Howard to be Indian agent at the White Earth agency in Minnesota.

Bay City Postoffice Robbed.

Ellsworth, Wis., Jan. 25.—The postoffice at Bay City was broken into last night and robbed of $5 worth of stamps.

BEER FREE; FATAL RIOT.

Race Trouble at Lorain, Ohio, Ends in Death and Seven Arrests.

Lorain, Ohio, Jan. 23.—One foreigner is dead, another is dying, while a third is seriously injured and seven men are under arrest as the result of a race riot here. A new saloon gave away beer and many foreigners became intoxicated. Rioting followed, which was finally stopped by the police.

MATHIESEN NOT GUILTY

JURY FAILED TO CONVICT HIM OF GRAND LARCENY AS INDICTED

SUIT OF FATHER AGAINST SON FOR SUPPORT IS NOW ON TRIAL

From Friday's Daily—

The jury in the case of the State vs. Mathieson, charged with grand larceny, brought in a verdict of acquittal last yesterday afternoon in districvt court.

The case of Olaf Jorgenson vs. his son Jacob has been on all day. It seems that in 1899 the father deeded his farm to his son, the latter agreeing to support him the balance of his life. The son is willing to keep his father now, but refuses to pay for his board elsewhere.

Tomorrow the holdback cases for wages against the Grand Forks Lumber Co., will be tried.

Dam Gave Out.

Sparta, Wis., Jan. 24.—The Bergoman Bros.' mill dam, which was completed last week, went out again, causing a loss of about $3,000. This is the second time in less than one year.

Guilty of Illegal Fencing.

Portland, Or., Jan. 24.—Former United States Commission H. H. Hendricks in Judge Hunt's court to-day pleaded guilty to his share in the alleged fencing of land by the Butte Creek Live Stock and Lumber company.

EAST GRAND FORKS JOINTS RAIDED

LIZZIE RAY AND FLORA JONES PLEAD GUILTY AFTER PROSECUTION CLOSES CASE

The ultimatum of the East Grand Forks city council emphasized yesterday in the arrest of Lizzie Ray, charged with keeping a disorderly house over Harry Hutchin's saloon, and Flora Jones as a frequenter of the same. They were arraigned in the municipal court and entered pleas of not guilty at first but after City Attorney Collins had submitted the evidence for the prosecution both changed their pleas to guilty. The former was assessed a fine of $80 and costs and the latter $25 and costs. They were warned that a second offense would mean a jail sentence. The authorities are determined to enforce the ordinances now in force and an ordinance will be submitted providing that disreputable houses adjacent to or over saloons will be deemed sufficient cause for revoking license of the saloon.

ASYLUM GETS MURDERER.

Minneapolis Negro Is Shown Leniency by Jury.

Minneapolis, Jan. 25.—After having deliberated half a day, the jury in the case of Henry Itsen, a negro, on trial for the killing of John Dutton in the rooms of the Richelieu club Nov. 29 last, brought in a verdict of not guilty and recommended that the prisoner be confined in a hospital for the insane, believing the prisoner to have been mentally deranged when he fired the fatal shot.

BEAM BREAKS; MAN KILLED.

Conductor Who Tries Switching Experiment Meets Death.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 25. — William Freund, a conductor on the Chicago & North-Western road, was killed at Kimberly. At the time of the accident Freund was holding a beam between the engine and a box car in an effort to send the car further into a siding, so as to clear the main track. The beam broke and Freund was crushed between the car and engine.

PHONE SAVED A LIFE.

Mazeppa Woman by Mistake Took Aconite for a Cough Remedy.

Mazeppa, Minn., Jan. 25.—Mrs. William Befort, Sr., of this place took a dose of liniment containing aconite and belladonna instead of cough medicine, as she supposed. The prompt use of the telephone brought aid and her life was saved.

Razor Cut Is Fatal.

Black River Falls, Wis., Jan. 25. — Thomas Robinson, who slashed himself in the neck, died yesterday morning. Temporary insanity superinduced by an attack of the grip is the alleged cause of the suicide.

Crushed Under Tree.

Jordan, Minn., Jan. 25.—Frank Slavicek, aged forty-seven, was killed by a tree while working in his wood lot. Mr. Slavicek was passing under the tree trunk when it fell and crushed him to death.

Killed in Runaway.

Sparta, Wis., Jan. 24.—A telegram from California states that Dewitt C. Bull and wife, old residents of Sparta, were severely injured in a runaway accident. Mr. Bull died later.

MONNET WAS FOUND GUILTY

MATHIESEN CASE WENT TO JURY LATE THIS AFTERNOON

JOHN RING GRAND LARCENY CASE HAS BEEN PUT OVER THE TERM

From Thursday's Daily—

In the case of the State vs. Frank Monnet, charged with grand larceny for the theft of a grip and other things from the Farmers' Hotel in this city belonging to a farmer, the jury brought in a verdict of guilty today. The case against Mathiesen for grand larceny was next taken up and went to the jury at 3:30 this afternoon.

The grand larceny case against John Ring, charged with having stolen $200 from Anton Anderson was put over till next term and the defendant released on his own recognizance.

The jurors were excused this afternoon, and the first case to be taken up will be that of Ole Jorgenson vs. Jacob Jorgenson tomorrow morning.

DERAILMENT CAUSE DELAY

TRAIN NOS. 6 AND 4 GREATLY DELAYED AT DEVILS LAKE

Train No. 6 the passenger train from the west, failed to arrive until after midnight last night on account of a freight wreck at Keith, a station this side of Devils Lake. A big freight engine went off at a switch. A brakeman went ahead of the engine to turn the switch, but there was some obstruction which did not allow it to work properly and the result was the derailment of the engine and a delay of hours to traffic. Train No. 4 the St. Paul express was held up for the same length of time as No. 6. An engine was sent out from Devils Lake to haul the derailed engine back on the track

DEER RIVER HAS BAD FIRE

SIX BUILDINGS IN BUSINESS SECTION DESTROYED WITH LOSS OF $75,000

A disastrous fire at Deer River yesterday caused a loss estimated at over $75,000 and totally destroyed six buildings in the center of the business district of the village. The fire started in the second story of the block used by F. J. Baker, as a general merchandise store.

The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is certain that it had its first start at a point between the rafters on the inside of the building.

The loss althogether with the insurance carried as nearly as can be estimated at this writing is as follows: F. J. Baker, general merchandise store loss $50,000, insurance $20,000; F. J. Beard, Itasca Clothing company, loss $12,000, fully insured; M. J. Taylor, Itasca County Independent, newspaper, and post office, loss estimated $1,500, insurance not known; A. D. Brooks, saloon building and fixtures, loss $4,500; Mrs. Phifer's store and millinery stock, loss $3,000; Eli Loselle saloon and fixtures and barber shop, loss $5,000.

WAS INJURED IN RUNAWAY

While driving under the Great Northern tracks on 6th street last evening at 8 o'clock the team of Mr Shankey, a farmer living ten miles north of the city, became frightened and ran away throwing Mr. Shankey to the ground and bruising him badly. He was taken to St. Vincent hospital and his injuries dressed. The team ran home and relatives met them half way.

DEJECTED SUITOR A SUICIDE.

Had Been Told by the Girl's Father to to Discontinue His Visits.

Duluth, Jan. 23.—Despondent because he had been ordered to discontinue his attentions to Miss Nellie Coning, by her father, James Schildberger left his sweetheart's home, and, walking across the street to a vacant lot, put two bullets through his head.

Scarlet Fever Epidemic.

Preston, Minn., Jan. 23.—An epidemic of scarlet fever has broken out here and several families have been quarantined. The disease is of a mild form fortunately. The school board held a meeting to-day to consider the advisability of closing the schools. It was determined to continue school but to enforce a strict quarantine.

MUST BE ON THE SQUARE

REPRESENTATIVE OF DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE IN CROOKSTON TODAY

APPLICATIONS FOR CITIZENSHIP PAPERS ARE ALL RIGIDLY CHECKED

From Saturday's Daily—

To become a citizen of the United States at the present time requires a pretty close record. A few years ago about all that was necessary was to mumble something about your intentions and your papers were issued in a rush, and the right to vote in most states went with the issuance of the first papers.

It is different now. In only a few states is the right of franchise extended unless the final papers are issued. It takes two years after the first papers are issued before the final papers are issued, and no person can receive final papers who has not been in the country for at least five years.

C. T. Moore, representing the department of justice is here from St. Paul today checking up the applications filed here and will conclude his work this evening. He has just come from North Dakota and states that eight out of 11 applications were recently rejected in one instance because of the illiteracy of the applicants, one of whom did not know who the president of the United States is.

Not only applicants, but the witnesses as well are all closely checked and Uncle Sam is determined to have everything straight.

BASE BALL LEAGUE SPLITS

NORTHERN COPPER LEAGUE DIVIDES INTO TWO SECTIONS

A dispatch from Houghton, Mich., says at the annual meeting there yesterday of the Northern-Copper Country League the western clubs, Duluth and Winnipeg separated from the Michigan clubs, Houghton and Calumet. The clubs were granted permission by the national commission to organize new leagues of any cities in their territory excepting Fargo, N. D. the old member of the league which now is under the ban of the national commission.

FREED AND REARRESTED.

Alleged Slayer of Katherine Kille Faces Same Charge.

Pierre, S. D., Jan. 25. — When the case against Aurelius Bowen, charged with the murder of Katherine Kille, was called in the circuit court at Fort Pierre yesterday the defense moved to quash the indictment. The motion was granted and Bowen was released. He was immediately rearrested on the same charge.

Snow Storm in New York.

New York, Jan. 25. — Following a week or more of the balmiest sort of spring weather, the mercury suddenly dropped yesterday and by nightfall the city was white with snow that a blustering wind rapidly piled up in the way of trouble for the traction companies and the street department. Snow fell all the evening and promised before morning to reach three inches.

Young Scot a Suicide.

Portal, N. D., Jan. 25.—Joseph Ramsey of Glasgow, Scotland, committed suicide at North Portal. He came down from Estevan and said he was going to Duluth, where he understood he could get work.

Capitol Victim Is Dead.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 25.—Charles D. Pugh, the laborer who was injured by a cave-in Wednesday on the tunnel of the new capitol, died yesterday from an internal hemorrhage.

Man Drinks Aconite.

Eldora, Iowa, Jan. 25.—Mistaking a glass containing aconite for water and drinking the fluid, Frank Krause, twenty-five years old, died here this morning in fearful agony.

Blows Up; Hurts Druggist.

Menominee, Wis., Jan. 25.—Clifford Stocklin, a druggist of this city, was seriously injured and temporarily blinded by the explosion of chloride of lime which he was mixing. Eye specialists believe their his eyesight can be restored.

Convicted of Assault.

Fargo, N. D., Jan. 24.—Clayton Rhodes, charged with criminal assault on the person of Miss Ana Kopernick, was convicted in the district court. The assault is alleged to have occurred after intimidations with a revolver. The minimum sentence is ten years in the penitentiary. Rhoades was a telegrapher.

Seminary Burns Down.

Wessington Springs, S. D., Jan. 24.—Wessington Springs seminary, a Free Methodist institution, burned down yesterday. One hundred students were in attendance, but no one was injured. The loss is about $20,000.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once

Correspondence

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Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson was called to the Great Beyond early Friday morning. Her husband the late Andrew E. Anderson died very suddenly three years ago at Alexandria, Minn., at which place their wedding occurred in 1880.

In 1884 Mr. Anderson bought a homestead about 2 miles out from here living there until about eight years ago, they bought property in town. So they numbered among the early settlers.

The deceased was 58 years old well known and loved by all that knew her and will be greatly missed in both church and social circles. She was a member of the Synod church of this place.

She had only been sick a week or ten days with throat trouble thought to be tonsilitis. She seemed no better Thursday evening so the doctor thought that if she had not improved Friday morning he would operate upon her throat but when he called Friday morning he found her dying. Death came peacefully. She leaves only nephews and nieces to mourn her death having no nearer relatives.

Her nephew Mr. Olaf Gilbertson of Alexandria came up Friday evening to take charge of her remains and property. Her remains will be laid beside those of her husband at Alexandria, Minn. Funeral services announced later.

BRAY

O. P. Johnson drove up to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Chas. Lindquist transacted business at St. Hilaire today.

January will soon be gone and still there has not been snow enough for a sleigh ride.

Willie and August Crown drove up to Thief River Falls Friday, returning Saturday.

Miss Annie Pederson of Park River N. D. has been visiting relatives and friends around here for the past week.

Chas. Englund, Manne Akerlund, Emil Larson and several others from this vicinity attended the annual meeting of the Wylie Elevator & Mercantile Company at that place Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Schumacher entertained a large number of friends at cards last Wednesday evening. Progressive whist was played and two prizes given—one to the person winning the most games, and the other to the one winning the least. The first prize was captured by Oscar Pederson and the latter by Oscar Swanson. All departed well pleased with Mr. and Mrs. Schumacher as host and hostess.

Court's Danger; Drowns.

Belle Fourche, S. D., Jan. 23.—While skating on the Belle Fourche river with his younger brother Philip Fisher, eight years old, fell through the ice and was drowned. Fisher was playing "ticklish" on the thin ice, trying to see how near the hole he could get without falling in.

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Anyone having for sale a good
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In any good locality may find a cash buyer, without paying any commission, by sending description and price at once, to
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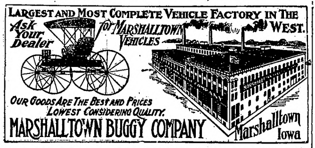
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FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

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A SMALL SALARY—The superintendent of schools of Mahnomen county received $20 as his salary last year. The total amount paid out in salaries in that county last year was $2,638.60. The total tax collection for the year amounted to $821.00.

GATHERING STATISTICS— Julius Moresch, statistican, with the bureau of labor and commerce of this state arrived in the city this morning and is gathering the statistics which are necessary for his report. He paid the Journal a call this morning.

STILL SICK—A. A. Glenn who has been confined to his house for nearly two months as the result of an accident is still, having a merry time of it. He has had the grip with his other troubles for the past few days and if anything else is due him he would like to know what it is.

DRIVE POOR BARGAINS—Editor Widsten of the Hendrum Review who spent a month on the reservation says the Indians hold an 80 acre tract of land at $800 when first approached for a sale, but later sell for a team of horses, a buggy and $50 in cash.

TO THIEF RIVER—E. J. Keating who spent yesterday at Grand Forks returned this morning and left on the Thief River train for a trip up that line. He now has a nice business in North Dakota in the musical instrument line.

VETERINARY HERE — Dr. E. T. Frank of Warren was in the city last evening to attend the Encampment of the Odd Fellows. He is one of the old timers in the Valley, having been brought up on a farm between Angus and Warren. He has been very successful as a practitioner.

LAYS IT TO WEATHER—The warm weather this winter seems to have the effect of bringing out candidates for political honors early, in neighboring counties at least. In Polk county there are at least a half dozen active candidates in the field for sheriff and also several for treasurer and register of deeds.—Norman County Herald.

SAVED FROM PEN—A change of plea from guilty to not guilty saved William Armstrong, a Fargo mail carrier, accused of embezzling a money order, from a term in the penitentiary When first arrested he pleaded guilty. He asked permission to change his plea, which was granted. At the conclusion of his trial Judge Amidon directed a verdict of acquittal.

ANOTHER OPERATION—Mrs. G. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks will be obliged to undergo another operation and was taken to St. Michael's hospital yesterday. She underwent an operation recently but the results have not proved entirely satis factory and another slight operation will be necessary. Mr. Finlayson is still at the hospital as the result of a fall and a broken ankle, but expects to be out again in a few days.

FLAG ARRIVED—The beautiful all wool flag ordered by the school board for the McKinley school arrived this morning and will be used at the official flag raising at McKinley school, in Jeromes addition on Jan. 29 the anniversary of McKinley's birthday, on which occasion and appropriate program is now being prepared. Mrs. Phoebe Streeter was the originator of the idea, which is a most commendable one.

JUGGED HIMSELF—One of the leading attorneys of Fergus Falls learned Tuesday what it means to be behind iron bars. He had occasion to visit the court house during the forenoon, and entering the vault in the clerk's office began looking over some documents on file there. Becoming deeply interested, he did not notice the approach of the noon hour, and his presence in the vault was also forgotten and the door was locked making him a prisoner. He discovered his predicament in a short time, and going to the barred window, managed to attract attention of another citizen who was passing. The janitor was notified and went to the home of the deputy clerk who hastened back to the court house and released the prisoner.

STORMS IN ILLINOIS — County Treasurer Helland of Ada is in receipt of a letter from Jacob Gerdes written at Minonk, Ill., under date of January 15th. Speaking of weather conditions down there Mr. Gerdes says —"Last Sunday we had an old-fashioned blizzard here and usually we would expect to get this kind of weather from the northwest, but from reports this storm started in Texas and came all the way over to this territory and east from here, left about ten inches of snow on the average with drifts as high as seven or eight feet. Judging from your report, you must be picking strawberries in your country."

FOOLISH FALSEHOODS—Phil Girard owes no man so far as W. R. Stoughton can learn. He has been looking up some sensational reports and finds that there is absolutely no truth in them. Mr. Girard who has been employed on the Valley View left on a visit to Mentor and Minneapolis. He owes the Valley View nothing and his room rent, board bill and all other bills have been paid, Editor Stoughton finds. Conversations with people who would probably loan money to Mr. Girard has convinced Mr Stoughton that there is absolutely no truth in the sensational and ill-advised reports published as news.—Grand Forks Herald.

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From Friday's Daily

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BUSINESS GOOD—L. J. Stranahan came up from Fargo this morning and proceeded to St. Hilaire. He is with a metal culvert company of Fargo, being a member of the firm, and reports business excellent.

ON LAND BUSINESS—Atty. Ira C. Richardson spent the night in the city attending to some land business and returned home this morning. He says the prospects are the best for years for heavy movement of valley land.

TO CUT CORDWOOD—Frank Carrey, Otis Jones and John and James Conneran will leave the first of the week for John Conneran's farm three miles east of Mentor where they will spend the balance of the winter cutting cordwood.

A SPRING TOAD—A youthful resident of Grand Forks brought to the Herald for inspection yesterday a live toad which seemed like a harbinger of spring until it was explained that the beast had been found hopping about in the cellar.

BLEW IN FROM NORTH—Claude Goodwin drove in from Angus this afternoon and is circulating among his many friends here. He says the weather has beat all previous records, that the hens have started bearing fruit and the gophers have been scurrying about the prairie up that way for several weeks.

IN A QUANDRY—The ownership of a saloon in E. G. Forks recently changed hands in which the new proprietor have apparently overlooked the ordinance which requires the holders of the saloon licenses to be residents of that city and are now looking for a way to escape from their quandary.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL—Jos. Koelmel suffered an acute attack of appendicitis late yesterday afternoon and was at once removed to St. Vincent's hospital. He is reported some what improved today. An operation will be performed in the near future and his many friends hope for a very speedy recovery.

FATHER CONATY SPEAKS—The Rev. Father Edward Conaty formerly of this city, but now of Grand Forks, N. D., where he has charge of a parish is spending a short vacation in this city, and is renewing many old acquaintances. Yesterday Father Conaty celebrated the 9 o'clock mass at the Sacred Heart church and delivered an address which made a great impression. Father Conaty is an eloquent speaker, as will be remembered by those who were acquainted with him during his life in this city, and particularly at the time when he was engaged in the practice of law.—Taunton (Mass.) Gazette.

For Lung Troubles

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral certainly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption. And it certainly strengthens weak throats and weak lungs. There can be no mistake about this. You know it is true. And your own doctor will say so.

"My little boy had a terrible cough. I tried everything I could hear of but in vain until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. The first night he was better, and he steadily improved until he was perfectly well."—MRS. S. J. STEELE, Alton, Ill.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of
Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills and thus hasten recovery.

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BADLY BRUISED — M. Shankey who was badly hurt in a runaway accident night before last is still confined in St. Vincents hospital is improving slowly but none of his bruises while very painful are not serious.

ABOUT THE SAME—Reports from the bedside of Jos. Koelmel who is at St. Vincent's hospital are that his conditions is about the same. It is not yet determined whether an operation for appendicitis will be necessary.

ACCEPTS S. D. POSITION— John A. Henry for eight years with Nash Bros., at Grand Forks, has accepted a position with Winston, Harper Fisher company, wholesale grocers, and will have South Dakota as his territory.. He will make Aberdeen his headquarters.

A THREE WEEKS' TRIP—A. W. Rundquist the representative of the Minneapolis Tribune in Northern Minnesota, returned last evening from a three weeks' trip over the Canadian Northern and had a fat order book as a result. He found two of his little children ill on his arrival, but the condition of neither is serious.

LIVE ONE FROM FISHER — Albert Jance one of the leading business men of Fisher spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters. Mr. Jance reports everything peaceable over west. He is one of the live ones who is always welcomed in Crookston.

RETURNED TO WORK — Arthur Roy has returned to his labors in Watertown, S. D., after spending a week under the parental Napoleon Roy roof at Huot. Arthur is lineman for the Western Union Telegraph Company, with a division out of Watertown, and is progressing nicely with his work.

ARMY EXPERT HERE—Geo. Herlicker ex-commander in chief of the German Army, and who lead the United States forces to victory up San Juan Hill, was here from Fisher yesterday and will shortly appear in one of Crookston's places of amusement and give the army drills of Germany and Uncle Sam, at which he is an adept.

OLD SETTLER VERY ILL—Our work this week has been cut short and delayed by sickness. Our faithful assistant was called home at a critical hour by the dangerous, possibly fatal sickness of his mother, Mrs. E. King, who has for some time been a patient sufferer from cancer of the stomach, and the writer was sent to bed by an acute attack of nervous prostration while attempting to do two men's work. Under the circumstances we have done our best and we trust our friends and patrons will over-look our short comings.—McIntosh Times.

HOME FROM TOUR OF THE WORLD

MISSES BROWN WILL VISIT HERE FOR A WEEK—RETURN TO MINNEAPOLIS

The Misses Margaret and Matie Brown returned this morning from a tour of the world and will remain in the city guests of Capt. and Mrs. M. R. Brown for about a week before returning to Minneapolis where they will open massage parlors as soon as they can secure suitable apartments in a desirable location. They left Crookston on March 20th, nearly a year ago going to Seattle via the G. N. and taking the boat at that point for the Orient.

Their special correspondence to the Journal during their tour was read by hundreds of friends thruout the northwest but to the thrilling stories and graphic descriptions given of manners, customs and conditions in foreign lands, an interview today added much more of interest which limited time makes it impossible to report.

They report a grand trip in every particular. The weather was ideal and the only rain they encountered was while in London and Paris. No storms were encountered during the ocean trips, tho the Atlantic was rough a part of the time on the homeward voyoge.

Both travelers agree that Japan and Switzerland were the two most interesting countries visited. The progressiveness of the Japanese excites the admiration of all visitors. During their entire trip they were both deeply impressed with the uniform courtesy extended to travellers by foreigners. A moment of hesitation on a street corner always resulted in a quiry from some one willing to direct them.

No inconvenience was encountered thru inspecting officers. The inspection in this country being more strict than in any country they visited.

The Misses Brown both return in the best of health and their visit here will be keenly enjoyed as both ladies have a store of experiences and impressions which indicates that they took the trip with a purpose beyond the whiling away of time. A number of social affairs are being planned in their honor, and their visit here will be all too brief to suit their relatives and friends, who would fain hear graphic recitals of an experience that falls to the lot of but very few—a trip around the world.

IN MEMORY OF BURNS

GRAND CELEBRATION BY BURNS CLUB AT MALLORY LAST EVENING

250 PEOPLE ENJOYED GREAT BANQUET AND EXCELLENT PROGRAM

The annual celebration of the Robert Burns Club of Mallory in the Woodmen hall of that place was one of the grandest meetings the club has ever held. The attendance was very large, nearly 300 people having gathered from the vicinity of Mallory, with large delegations from Crookston, Grand Forks and other points who are alwoys assured of a delightful evening.

Thomas R. Johnston of this city officiated as toastmaster as usual and his address was one of the best he has ever delivered, confining his remarks to "Scotchmen at Home and Abroad" and he certainly entered fully into the spirit of the occasion.

The supper was a most elaborate spread, and after the feast dancing and other special features were added to the regular program. The solos and quartette numbers by the Misses Hannah, Bryson, McDonald and Bain were thoroly enjoyed, as were the piano selections by Mrs. Thomas R. Johnston.

Space forbids making special mention of the various numbers on the program. All were excellent and were most heartily applauded. The numbers by Archie Millar of Grafton who is 88 years of age, but sings the old Scotch will all the spirit of youth were a special feature, and the Highland Fling by John McLeod of Grand Forks was done just as nimbly as he did it 50 years ago.

The delegation from Crookston including Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Johnstone and Jessie and Tom Johnstone, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Harper, Mrs. J. D. McPhee, Miss Mary Crawford and Anson Howe all report a most delightful time. The program rendered was as follows, with dancing and several special numbers thrown in, lasting till train time this morning:

Program:

Proram of the 7th annual meeting of the Mallory Burns club—Thos. R. Johnstone, Toastmaster.

Invocation ... ...John Hannah
Supper.
Address of Welcome .. Jas. Comings
Response ...... Thos. R. Johnstone
Song, Pride O' Dundee. .Marais Choir
Recitation, Hail Scotsmen ....
... ...Tom Johnstone, Jr.
Song, Bonnie Banks of Lochlomond
... ...N. B. Black
Encore, Annie Laurie.
Duet, Hoo can Ye Gang Laddie....
... ..Tommy and Jessie Johnstone
Recitation, Cottage where Burns was Born .... Archie Millar
Speech, A Trip to Scotland ....
... ...Dr. Williamson
Song, Sweet Afton .... Elsie Bain
Song, Land o' the Leal ....
........Tom and Jessie Johnstone
Song. Robin Adair ... .. N. B. Black
Encore, There Was a Lad.
Song, Comin' thru the Rye.......
... ...Marais Choir
Song, Wast Thou in the Cauld Blast
... ...Thersa Hultgren
Recitation, One Legged Goose....
... ...Alice Dinnie
Encore, Value of a Reputation.
Song, Scots Wha Hoe Tom Johnstone
Song, The Barrin' o' the Door.....
... ...John Hannah
Song, We'd Better Bide Awee.....
... ...Jessie Johnstone
Song, ...John Farmer
Recitation, She Liked Him Rale Weel .... Hazel Nesbit
Song, Bonnets of Blue... ... .
... ... Thos. R. Johnstone
Duet, The Crookit Bantee........
........Tom and Jessie Johnstone
Song, John Anderson My Jo ......
... ... .Jessie Johnstone
Song, Robin Tamson Smiddy......
... ...Dave Morrow
Dance, Highland Fling John McLeod
Song, A Man's a Man for a' That..
... ...N. B. Black
Song, Blau the Whistle Wave the Thistle ... ... Archie Millar

STRONGLY FAVORS GOVERNOR JOHNSON FOR PRESIDENT

MARTIN O'BRIEN, MEMBER OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE FROM THIS DISTICT MAKES A STATEMENT WHICH SHOWS SENTIMENT VERY STRONG FOR JOHNSON—A SPLENDID ENDORSEMENT OF MINNESOTA'S GOVERNOR

The following interview from Atty Martin O'Brien, member of the Democratic State Central Committee from this district, and who is in close touch with the rank and file of the party as any man could be, will be of special interest at this time:

"The sentiment in this part of the state amongst democrats is strongly in favor of Gov. Johnson for president This feeling seems more pronounced if possible in the old line of Bryan adherents than elsewhere. We all appreciate the high character and sterling worth of William J. Bryan, we have made two strenuous campaigns for him, and would gladly make the third if we thought it would be of avail but in view of past experiences and the fact that in our midst is a new personality, who combines in his makeup all that the rank and file of the people can desire in a president, one who has ever placed the man before the dollar, and who in his public life has proven himself a true and faithful servant of the people, who has stayed the hand of greed and predatory wealth, and answered unflinchingly every call to duty, while at the same time exhibiting a poise and spirit of fairness that has commanded the respect of even his most bitter enemies, the rank and file of the party seem to be almost unanimously for Governor Johnson and yet I believe, few of us realize the great genius of the man. I believe that at Denver we will see repeated the history of the Wigwam Convention of Chicago when all pre-convention signs indicated the nomination of William H. Seward on the first ballot, but in which the wonderful personality of the comparatively unknown Lincoln resulted in the nomination of one of the greatest characters in American history.

"We are approaching troublous times in the internal affairs of this nation, and the ship of state requires at the helm a just man with a clear brain and steady hand. We believe that Governor Johnson possesses these attributes, and is fully equipped to meet any condition, which may be presented, fairly, honestly and unflinchingly."

JOHN NORMAN WAS INSANE

NOW IS CONFINED IN AN ASYLUM AT JUTELAND IN SWEDEN

RELATIVES OF INSANE MAN ARE COMMUNICATED WITH

John Norman whose sensational disappearance from his home near McIntosh during the fall or early winter was noted in these columns has again been heard from by friends.

It will be remembered that after disappearing without saying a word to anyone or making any provision for the care of his stock or property he wrote back from Montreal that he was on his way to his old home in Sweden and requested that $50.00 or such a matter be forwarded to him at Gotheborg, as he was nearly out of money.

This request was complied with, but before the remittance reached him, Norman was taken into custody by the authorities at Gotheborg and adjudged insane. Inquiry revealed his citizenship and his relatives there were communicated with, with the result that he is now in an asylum at Jenteland, where everything possible will be done for him.

SALARIES WERE FIXED

NO HITCH OCCURRED IN CITY COUNCIL MEETING LAST EVENING

C. W. NEWBERY WILL FURNISH BONDS AT $4.28 FOR TWO A YEAR TERM

All was lovely at the special meeting of the city council last evening for the purpose of fixing salaries at which there was a deadlock at the last meeting. The bid of C. W. Newbery of $4.28 per $1,000 for the two years' term of all officers was accepted and he will furnish all security bonds for officials.

The salaries were fixed as follows:
Mayor, $300 per year.
City Treasurer, $300 per year.
City Engineer, $1700 per year.
City Assessor, $450 per year.
City Attorney, $600 per year.
Street Commissioner, $80 per month
Chief of Police, $75 per month.
Capt of Police, $65 per month.
Patrolmen, $60 per month.
Custodian of the garbage depository $30 per month.
Janitor of the City Hall, $45 per month.
City Weighmaster, the receipts of the office not to exceed $600 per year.

Flour Mills Are Busy.

Minneapolis, Jan. 25.—Following a slackened output of floud by the Minneaolis mills. conditions have again shaped themselves into a prosperous era nd all of the larger mills are running night and day up to 80 per cent of their normal output.

MARSHALL TO THE FRONT

RED RIVER VALLEY WINS SOME PRIZES ON FLAX SEED

AND OATS AT THE MID-WINTER SEED GRAIN EXHIBIT

James A. Frank returned to Warren yesterday from St. Paul, where he took part in the Minnesota Mid-Winter Seed Grain Contest held in connection with the Minnesota Field Crop Breeders' Association and succeeded in winning for Marshall County the first prizes on flax and oats. As there were many contestants present from all parts of the state, the honor will be no small one, and demonstrates beyond a doubt the capabilities of Marshall County soil for growing perfect and well matured grains. Among other exhibitors from Warren and vicinity were L. Lamberson, Chas. Wentzel, Harmon D. K. Thomas, J. B. Bren, and L. O. Munger, Mr. Munger securing first prize on flax and Mr. Lamberson first and third prizes on blue stem wheat. Altogether $23 worth of prizes were secured by farmers in the vicinity of Warren.

Polk County was not represented, a grave oversight.

MIKE MURPHY GETS 2 YEARS

ENTERED A PLEA OF GUILTY TO ASSAULT IN SECOND DEGREE

OLAF JORGENSON GETS VERDICT OF $325 AGAINST HIS SON JACOB

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening in district court Mike Murphy entered a plea of guilty to assault in the second degree for stabbing Frank Whittaker at East Grand Forks and was sentenced to two years in Stillwater by Judge Watts.

The jury in the case of Olaf Jorgenson against his son Jacob returned a verdict of $325.

C. K. Sundell refused to appear against Hoken Evanson indicted for grand larceny and the case was dismissed.

The first hold back case against the Grand Forks Lumber Co., went to the jury after noon today but no verdict has been returned.

BRIDEGROOM IS KILLED.

Iowa Wife Is Widowed by Accident Two Months After Marriage.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Jan. 25. — Anton Erickson, who was married two months ago, was fatally injured at Pomeroy yesterday by a falling log. His leg was amputated and death resulted from shock and internal injuries.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

CASE BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

CASE AGAINST DAVE GOODRIE TOO JUICY FOR THE PUBLIC

GRAND FORKS LUMBER CO., LOST IN THE HOLD BACK CASES TRIED

From Monday's Daily—

In district court this morning the case of the State of Minnesota vs. Dave Goodrie of Grand Forks for indecent assault is on trial the complaining witness being Miss Julia Roynstad, of Espevet, P. O. Chester Township, the alleged crime having been committed in a wine room in an East Grand Forks saloon.

The jury was secured just before noon today, and because of the nature of the case Judge Watts decided to hear the evidence behind closed doors and the decision of the court in this matter will meet with hearty public approval.

The jury in the case of Angus Wood of East Grand Forks vs. the Grand Forks Lumber Co., for the cellection of 'hold back" wages that is wages that were agreed upon if the full term of labor agreed upon was served, was decided in favor of the plaintiff, who was given a verdict of $24.50, the amount due for labor performed but no "hold back" money was allowed and the jury in the second case similar in character also returned a verdict for the plaintiff. The third case was settled on the same basis.

NEW MANAGER FOR BRICK COMPANY

C. W. GRAFFT HAS ARRIVED FROM MINNEAPOLIS TO TAKE THE MANAGEMENT

C. W. Grafft has arrived from Minneapolis with his family and will make Crookston his future home. Mr. Grafft was introduced by H. E. Nesne today among the business men of Crookston as the new manager of the Northern Pressed Brick Co., as Mr. Buckingham has decided to devote his entire attention in the future to the management of the Crookston Fuel Co., tho retaining his interest in the brick company.

Mr. Grafft is a thoroly experienced brick man and fully competent for the important position to which he has been assigned, and he will be very cordially welcomed by the people of Crookston. He is also a very affable gentleman to meet and is certain to make the Northwestern Brick Company more popular than ever.

DIED IN THE PRIME OF LIFE

Richard Hooper son of Geo. W. Hooper formerly of Hammond township, died last evening at his home in St. Hilaire after a short illness of pneumonia. He was 19 years of age and a young man of excellent character, popular with all who knew him. The funeral will probably be held tomorrow. Mrs. H. L. Ross who resides south of the city went to St. Hilaire this morning and will remain for the funeral.

This Is Worth Remembering

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package.—Sold by all druggists.

WILL NOT STRETCH HEMP

DEATH SENTENCE OF MERTON S. MUNN WAS COMMUTTED SATURDAY

WILL SPEND BALANCE OF HIS DAYS IN STILLWATER—HE WANTS NEW TRIAL

From Monday's Daily—

Following the telegram of Judge McClenahan, who had the bench in the two recent Bemidji murder cases the state board of pardons Saturday commutted the sentence of death by changing to life imprisonment in the case of Merton S. Munn for the murder of Franklin of Beaudette.

Following the commutation of the death sentence of Mathieson from that of death by hanging to life imprisonment obtained thru the influence of notable Danes in Nebraska, Iowa and Minnesota, Judge McClenahan wired the board from his Brainerd home, that if clemency was to be shown, the board had shown clemency to the less desirable of the two. The state board had just made a decision refusing to commute Munn's sentence.

A scaffold was being erected at Bemidji for the execution in February, but Sheriff Bailey happily ceased operations thereon when the unofficial news of the commutation of Munn's sentence reached the city.

The history of the case after it had passed the sentence of the court is interesting because of the fact that Munn received no support from outside influences of power or money. E. D Clough of this city and H. Taylor of Warroad, appointed attorneys of Munn, pursued their course for the commutation totally at their own expense and in behalf of the sentenced man. The two gathered whatever influence they could arouse in Munn's home town of Thorpe, Wisconsin, and appeared before the state board on January 21.

Naturally there has been some official correspondence between Judge McClenahan and E. D. Clough of this city with reference to the case and what statements his honor made are not known, but from the pleasant surprise of E. D. Clough last night when he received the news it is evident that he held only desperate hopes of any resulting action on his honor's part which represented the last chance for the life of Munn.

Merton S. Munn was born in 1876 of respected parents in Thorpe, Wisconsin. His father died when he was 12 years old. At the death of his father he went to work in a stave factory for the support of himself and mother. His mother married again and a few years later her husband deserted her, leaving he with two young children and Merton who was now nineteen years old. The mother taught school in the home town until her death a few years ago. When his mother died Munn left Thorpe. The impressions he left behind him in that little town are manifested in the appearance at St. Paul February 21 of a paid attorney from there together with a petition signed by every old settler of that town. Munn has no known living relatives with the exception of a half brother in Omaha and a half brother working at iron ornamentation in Minneapolis the last of whom has interested himself in the case.

When Munn heard of the refusal of the state board to grant commutation he collapsed but upon the action of Judge McClenahan he revived hope and now feels like a new man.

There will undoubtedly be a motion made for a new trial in the near future.

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The Man Who Succeeds

in getting things to come his way generally makes sure by going out to meet and invite them in. He has a checking account at the bank because of its real value in limiting wastful expenses, its convenience, its safety and he knows it is an invitation to successs to meet him half way—an invitation she is in the habit of accepting. Why don't you have a bank account?

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of Crookston, Minnesota.

GOODRIE IS FOUND GUILTY

JURY WRESTLED WITH THE EVIDENCE FOR SIX HOURS BEFORE AGREEING

TO BE SENTENCED TOMORROW—TERM COMPLETED AND THE JURY DISCHARGED

From Tuesday's Daily—

Retiring yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, at 11 o'clock last night the jury returned a verdict of guilty in the case of the state vs. Dave Goodrie for indecent assault, the complaining witness being Miss Julia Roynstad of Espevet, P. O., Chester township, the crime having been committed at East Grand Forks last summer.

Judge Watts will probably sentence Goodrie tomorrow, and it is not likely that a motion for a new trial will be made.

This was the last case and the corridors of the court house will no longer resound with the hearty greetings of Bailiffs B. F. Zerracher of this city and Mike Herrick of East Grand Forks two of the jolliest jolliers going, and the gentle feet-steps of as good a lot of jurors as ever served Polk county, will no longer be heard in the house on the hill.

All jurors not serving on the Goodrie case were discharged yesterday morning, and the balance were discharged by Judge Watts last evening.

The work of the present session has been disposed of with great dispatch few of the cases dragging to a wearisome length but some time was lost because of the postponement of cases after they had been set and the settlement of others.

RUNNING DOWN ANOTHER CLUE

REPRESENTATIVE OF STANDARD OIL COMPANY IN GRAFTON SATURDAY

According to advices from Grafton M. McDonald of St. Louis representing the Standard Oil company, spent Saturday in Grafton investigating the estate of former Dr. Livingstone (Rockefeller) who resided on a large farm near the city of Park River until a few years ago. Dr. Livingston, acording to the residents of the section in which he lived for years, was the father of John D. Rockefeller and was one of the pioneer settlers of Walsh county. He left here for Illinois and lived there until his death last year. The farm formerly owned by Dr. Livingston is now the property and home of Robert Arnot.

TO EXTEND THE MAIL SERVICE

M. & I. WILL CARRY MAIL TO INTERNATIONAL FALLS AFTER FEBRUARY 3RD

On Monday next, February 3, the Minnesota & International railroad will commence the carrying of United States mail to International Falls. Up to this time the mail car has been switched out at Big Falls and has remained there until the train returned the next morning. After Monday next it will be carried thru with the rest of the train. It is thought with the rest of the train. It is thought in railway mail circles that another man and perhaps a helper will have to be added to the run. It is not known yet who will be assigned to the positions.

When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that little **Cascasweet** the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CHAMPIONS OF NORTHERN MINN

The Central Y. M. C. A. of Duluth by defeating the Bemidji club Friday evening, picked off the basketball championship of northern Minnesota. The locals beat Bemidji by a score of 18 to 17, the contest being one of the best ever played in the north. Considerable rough work was featured.—Duluth News Tribune.

The Bemidji Pioneer of Saturday insists that the game was a tie affair after five minutes extra play had been indulged in to play the tie off.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

for children; safe, sure. No opiates

DIED FROM EXPOSURE

OLE S. HOEL WELL KNOWN FORKS NEWSPAPER WRITER FOUND DEAD

HAD BEEN IN THE HABIT OF FALLING ASLEEP IN OPEN AIR

From Tuesday's Daily—

Ole S. Hoel, aged 55, a well known newspaper writer was found dead near the east end of the Minnesota avenue bridge at Grand Forks Sunday afternoon about 1:30. His body was frozen and his position indicated that he had lain down and had soon perished from exposure. His body was taken to Norman's undertaking room and Sunday evening an inquest was held. A verdict that death was due to liquor and exposure was brought in.

It was shown by the evidence of James Jarvis a saloon keeper on Minnesota Point, that Hoel had been in the Jarvis saloon at 10:10 and had left for his home in Grand Forks. It appeared that Hoel's hat had blown off and that when he went to look for it he had become overcome by liquor exhaustion and laid down to die. The body was on the west bank of the river.

Good Editorial Writer

Hoel was known as a strong editorial writer and for a number of years he was employed on the Normanden leaving it about four years ago. He settled on a claim near Souris and with money secured from the sale of the land made a trip to Norway. He returned about a year ago but was so dissipated he could not secure a place on the Normanden. In December he was given the Keeley cure for the second time through the kindness of friends. He was given employment on the Normanden but soon began to drink and lost his place a couple of weeks ago. Since then he drank all the liquor he could obtain. When found he had no money and his watch was gone evidently having been pawned somewhere for liquor. Hoel had been in the habit of falling asleep in public places while intoxicated. He had been found in alleys in Grand Forks and had many narrow escapes from freezing to death.

The deceased had no relatives in United States so far as known. He has a sister in Norway who kept up a correspondence with him.

The funeral will be held this afternoon from the Arlington Park hotel.

SAD NEWS OF SISTER'S DEATH

H. F. AND CHARLES BROWN LEFT LAST NIGHT TO ATTEND FUNERAL

H. F. Brown received the sad news of the death of his sister, Mrs. M. Kappel which occurred yesterday morning at 9:15 after a short illness. at Red Wing. Deceased was 65 years of age and leaves a husband and seven children. Deceased had been a resident of Minnesota since 1865 and the news of her death will bring sorrow to the hearts of many people of this section of the country who came from Red Wing and vicinity. H. F. Brown of this city and Charles Brown of Ada left last evening to attend the funeral services.

DOES NOT FAVOR LA FOLLETTE

SENATOR STEPHENS IS INTERVIEWED BY DULUTH NEWSPAPER

A. D. Stephens of Crookston a prominent republican of Minnesota, and who was prominently considered as a candidate for the nomination for governor of the state two years ago, is at the Spaulding. He has arrived here from an extended western trip. Mr. Stephens declined to be interviewed further than to say that in his opinion this state should not send a La-Follete delegation to Chicago next June. He will be in the city several days.—Duluth News Tribune.

INSPECTING THE MIDLAND

General Manager Gruber, of the G. Northern railway was in Grand Forks yesterday on his way north where he made a tour of Midland railway. Gruber was joined at Grand Forks by General Manager Byron of Minot and the officials proceeded north in a special train. They planned to go from Portage La Prairie to Brandon over the Canadian Pacific and from Brandon to return south.

HAVE HALF THEIR WHEAT

SHELLY BUSINESS MAN SAYS FARMERS HAVE MUCH WHEAT IN THEIR BINS

HENDRUM REVIEW SAYS LITTLE WHEAT IS BEING MARKETED ON HALSTAD LINE

From Tuesday's Daily—

James Hanson a prominent business man of Shelly, having a large hardware farm implement and furniture business is in the city today enroute to Fisher where he will spend a few days visiting with his sister, Mrs. H. A. Rosaan. In conversation with a representative of the Journal Mr. Hanson said:

"I do not believe that much if any over half of the wheat in this section has been marketed by the farmers. They want a dollar for their wheat or want the wheat, and they are holding on to it. This is the condition around Shelly and I believe that it is the condition very generally in this section of the country."

On same subject the Hendrum Review in its issue of last week said:

"Very little wheat is being sold at the towns between Moorhead and Crookston at present, whenever the price is below the dollar mark. All those who are holding grain yet seem to have their mind made up that is the minimum price they will accept for No. 1 northern. Week before last while the price was up there was a rush to market at every town along the line, but a week ago Saturday, when the price slumped two or three cents the movement seems to have ceased all along the line. The same thing must be true all over the northwest, because the receipts at the terminals get large as soon as wheat goets to $1.10 or over, while they immediately drop off when the price goes below that figure. While the Equity Society is at the bottom of this the action is not confined to members of that organization."

MINN. SOC. BANQUET AT YAKIMA WASH.

FORMER CROOKSTONITES TAKE ACTIVE PART—BERT BIVENS ELECTED PRESIDENT

The Yakima Democrat gives the following report of an event which occurred last week.

The banquet given Tuesday evening by the Minnesota Society of this valley was attended by 450 "Gophers." Jackson orchestra was in attendance. As the guests arrived the names of their native Minnesota towns were pinned on them and thus each one was enabled to find his own townspeople. At 8:15 the grand march began led by Miss Katherine Van Slyke and Albert Hoffman; at its close all united in singing "The Jolly Miller."

Mr. Nichols, Mr. Bivens and Miss McMurtrie were appointed a nominating committee to suggest names for the officers for the year. The male quartette composed of W. F. F. Selleck Harold Selleck, Milo Whitney and Rev. Whitney, sang several original Minnesota songs which received much applause. Mr. Bivens and Mr. Nichols chose up sides for an old-fashioned country spelling match. In the county roll call every county in the state had sent several delegates to this valley.

In a short business meeting following the program, Bert Bivens was elected president for the year, Miss Van Slyke vice president, Miss Maud Colton secretary, and Charles Druse treasurer. Delicious refreshments were served by the ladies at the close of the evening.

POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE WEDDED

This morning at 11 o'clock Rev. T. T. Ove spoke the words which united for life Mr. August Buness of Eldred and Miss Sena Glaserud, the ceremony being performed at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Twite 517 Cowing Street in the presence of a few friends and relatives. The bridesmaid was Miss Hilda Halstenson and Martin Glaserud brother of the bride acted as best man. Following the wedding a wedding-dinner was served by Mrs. Twite. The bride and groom will leave this evening for Eldred where a reception will be tendered them in Woodmen hall. The bride is a cousin of Mrs. Thomas Twite and Mr. Peter Boukind of this city and is a very popular and accomplished young lady. The groom is a trusted employe of the Eldred Mercantile Co., well and favorably known there and has a host of friends in this city who join in extending wishes for a long and happy wedded life. They will begin housekeeping at once in Eldred.

LOWER FALL SUFFERS LOSS

RED LAKE FALLS EXPERIENCES A $15,000 BLAZE LAST SATURDAY

GENERAL STORE OF GARCEAU & ZAISER IS BADLY DAMAGED —ORIGIN UNKNOWN

From Monday's Daily—

The village of Red Lake Falls was again visited by fire Saturday morning when a blaze was discovered in the building occupied by Garceau & Zaiser, general merchants and before the flames were gotten under control the building and stock had been damaged to the extent of about $15,000. The origin of the fire which started in the basement is unknown.

The building is a brick structure, owned by J. B. Damerals. The loss on the building was less than $1,000 but Garceau & Zaiser's stock of merchandise valued at nearly $20,000 suffered about a three-fourths loss. The latter firm carried insurance on stock to the amount of $17,000 while the building was fully insured.

Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

WAS JUGGED FOR TWENTY DAYS

JUDGE McLEAN SENT EUGENE LEACH UP FOR STEALING A REVOLCVER

For the next 20 days Eugene Leach will be given an opportunity for some deep reflections on "does it pay to pilfer?"

Eugene read a wild west story and thought he would begin turning Buffalo Bill by getting a revolver and going to the room occupied by O. K. Ashland took a revolver. He was discovered and was sent up to Hotel Gon yea by Judge McLean this morning.

WILL LOCATE AT TWIN FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. Amie Brosseau and family have arrived from Northome and in a few days Mr. Brosseau will leave for Twin Falls Idaho where he will open well equipped tonsorial parlors. Mrs. Brosseau and the family will remain in Crookston visiting with relatives for about a month before joining Mr. Brosseau out west. Scores of friends will wish them every success in their new home, while regretting their decision to leave Crookston.

UPRISING IN HONDURAS.

State Department Hears Rumors, but Details Are Lacking.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Rumors of an uprising or invasion in Honduras have reached the state department. Details are lacking, but it is believed that the leaders of the movement are persons who were driven out of Honduras into Guatemala during the last revolutionary outbreak. The revival of the attempt to overthrow the government at this time is believed to have been inspired by the fact that the elections for president are to be held to-day.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and merit alone will stand the test of time.

Crookston people appreciate merit and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they do so still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just a srepresented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne of 322 Spendley St. Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying backache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose, or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

BOYCOTT DEALT STiFF BLOW

IS CREMATED IN HIS HOME.

Sheepman Is Burned to Death on Ranch.

Historical Society

Miles City, Mont., Feb. 5. -- Word has been brought to town that Pat Cunningham, a sheepman near the Sheep mountains, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed his house a few nights ago. Cunningham's bones were all that remained of him.

Captain Is Drowned.

Havre, Feb 5.—Capt. Verlynde of the French line steamer La Bretagne was found drowned last night in the harbor here. It is believed that he fell into the water while leaving the vessel in the dock.

DYNAMITE IN COAL CARGO

Discovery Is Made While Coaling Battleship at Port of Spain.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The commanding officer of the battleship Ohio reports that while taking coal from the chartered collier Fortuna at Port of Spain, Trinidad, a stick of dynamite about five inches long was found. The Fortuna had a cargo of New river coal, supplied by the Berwind-White Coal Mining company at Newport News.

This dynamite was evidently a stick used in mining the coal and escaped the observation of the miners and persons who subsequently handled the coal while loading it into the collier.

WEDS HIS STEPMOTHER

IOWAN ESPOUSES HIS FATHER'S RELICT SOON AFTER THE FUNERAL

YOUNG MAN IS TWENTY-THREE STEPMOTHER-WIFE IS FORTY-FIVE

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Feb. 5.—While on their way to Hugo, Colo., from the funeral of Nicholas Greiveldinger, pioneer merchant here, the son and wife were married at Omaha, wearing deep mourning.

Arthur, the groom, is twenty-three and his stepmother-wife is forty-five. They both own claims at Hugo, where they will live.

The groom will now be husband to his stepmother and father to his own sister. They waited until they reached Omaha, as such a marriage is illegal in Iowa.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

Boycotted Firm May Recover Three Times Damages Under Anti-Trust Law.

JUSTICES ARE UNANIMOUS

United States Supreme Court Rules Penalty for Restraint of Trade Applies to Labor.

Washington, Feb. 5.—That section 7 of the anti-trust law, awarding to the complainant three times the amount of damage sustained by a combination in restraint of interstate trade can be invoked to prevent a boycott by organized labor was held yesterday in a decision by the supreme court of the United States in the case of Loewe & Co., hat manufacturers of Danbury, Conn., vs. Martin Lawler and 200 other members of the United Hatters' union of that city. The decision of the court was announced by Chief Justice Fuller and reversed the holding the United States circuit court of appeals for the Second district.

Decision Is Unanimous.

The opinion of the court was unanimous and no dissenting view was presented.

The suit was instituted by Loewe & Co. in the United States circuit court for the district of Connecticut. The company, alleging damages by a boycott against their factory to the extent of $80,000, asked for a judgment for $240,000, in accordance with the terms of the Sherman act. Not only the members of the hatters' union but the American Federation of Labor, of which the union is a subordinate organization, was included in the suit.

Declared a Boycott.

In the complaint it was alleged that that the labor organization had undertaken to compel the manufacturers to unionize their factory, and it was asserted that when they falied in this effort the union hatters withdrew and induced other employes to do so. This act was followed by the declaration of a boycott against Loewe's hats wherever they were found.

JUMP TO SAVE LIVES

Devils Lake Couple Leap From Second Story of Burning Buildign.

Devils Lake, N. D., Feb. 5.—Attired in their night clothes Mr. and Mrs. J. Green were obliged to jump from the window of their apartments in the second story when a fire started early yesterday in a draying office below. The building was completely destroyed.

Politician a Suicide.

Boone, Iowa, Feb. 5. — George W. Smith, Democratic candidate for county superintendent of schools, committed suicide by hanging at his home near Pilot Mound. No cause is known for his act.

TALK POLITICS IN THE HOUSE

Three of the Giants Have Their Innings. The Widows' Pension Bill Is Passed.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Three of the giants of the house of representatives had their innings yesterday. Before the political question cropped out the house, with but one dissenting voice, passed a general widows' pension bill granting a flat pension of $12 a month to the widows of all honorably discharged soldiers of the United States who have not heretofore received the benefits of the pension law.

The political debate was opened by Mr. Townsend of Michigan, who claimed for the Republican party credit for all national legislation in the last fifty years of vital interest to the public. In this he was vigorously disputed by Mr. Cockran of New York, who afterwards launched into a discussion of the president's message of a few days ago. The president's utterances in that document, he declared, were such that neither party could ignore, for he had named the conditions for which both must contend.

Mr. Hepburn also defended the president's message.

Senator Piles of Washington yesterday delivered an eloquent appeal in the senate in favor of an appropriation by congress of $700,000 for a government exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, to be held in Seattle next year.

The day was chiefly devoted to a consideration of bills on the calendar.

FISHER SWEPT BY A DISASTROUS FIRE

Four of the Leading Business Places Completely Destroyed by Fire Last Night. Nothing Was Saved.

General Store, Drug Store, Hardware Store and Saloon Went up in Smoke. Fairly well Insured.

From Wednesday's Daily—

At 11:55 last evening W. D. Hamilton, the well known business man of Fisher discovered fire in the hardware store of Ole Larson and Son at Fisher, and by 3 o'clock this morning four of the leading business places of that city, Ole Larson and Sons hardware store, Ole Gunstenson's drug store, Gunder Krostue's general store and Carl Vinje's saloon were ashes, practically nothing having ben saved so fierce was the progress of the flames.

The origin of the fire will never be known, but it is supposed to have started from a stove in the hardware store. No one had been in the store for several hours and the fire had a god start when it was discovered by Mr. Hamilton as he happened to look out of the window of his room where he was sitting reading.

The fire department was called out at once and did good work, but the conditions were too great to successfully combat the flaames until the three buildings were doomed. All were frame structures, located close together and burned like tinder.

Fortunately no one was injured during the progress of the fire. Practically the entire population turned out to the fire but there was no time to save practically any of the contents of the doomed structures and the loss is practically total, with the losses fairly well covered by insurance, tho every man burned out will lose more or less.

The approximate losses with insurance are as follows:

Gunder Krostue, loss on stock and building $8,000, insurance $2500.

Ole Gunstenson, loss on building and drug stock, $3000 insurance $1,000

Ole Larson and Son loss on building and hardware stock $7,500 insurance $5,000.

Carl Vinje loss on saloon stock $2,000 insurance $1500.

Mr. Falewsky loss on building occupied by Carl Vinje $2,000, insurance $1,000.

Mr. Felewsky is a wealthy farmer residing a few miles out of Fisher.

Several other buildings caught fire several times, but willing hands put out the incipient blazes and saved further devastation by the flames.

It is probable that all the concerns burned out will at once re-engage in business as soon as new quarters can be secured excepting Larson & Son who it is understood will not open up again.

BOY RUSTLER IS SENT UP

LAD WHO DOESN'T RESIST HORSE STEALING GOES TO THE REFORM SCHOOL

THIRTEEN YEAR OLD BOY — IMAGINATION POISONED BY DIME NOVELS

Belle Fourche, S. D., Feb. 5.—Just rounding thirteen years old, Roy Palmer, an orphan, is now on his way to Plankington, where Sheriff Moses will place him in the state reform school to correct his desire for horse stealing. Young Palmer has been for some time past left largely to his own resources. He was living at Slim Butte, north of town, and became an expert rider. On more than one occasion he took a horse and failed to return it, but was pardoned for the offense. However, on the last trip he made an attempt to get out of the country on one of J. H. Livingston's animals and was succeeding when the officers caught up with him. Palmer at one time lived in Keystone, in the Southern Black Hills.

Ruef Pleads Not Guilty.

San Francisco, Feb. 1. — Abraham Ruef was called upon to plead in Judge Dunne's court yesterday to the fourteen indictments charging him with offering a bribe in connection with the Park side trolley franchise. Ruef pleaded not guilty to each charge.

Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills. They are easy to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

ORDERED TO BRING SUIT

RECEIVER OF FAILED BUTTE BANK GETS MANDATE FROM JUDGE

$97500 IS AMOUNT HEINZE OWES FOR STOCK NEVER PAID FOR

[illegible], Mont., Feb. 5.—By an order signed by Judge Lynch of the state district court yesterday, Robert M. Lyons, receiver in charge of the Aetna bank, which failed in October, 1907, is directed to bring suit against F. Augustus Heinze, former director, and A. B. Clements, former treasurer, for $97,500, the amount of cash due for stock held by Heinze in the bank, and which, it was developed, Heinze never paid for.

Sailors Have Good Time.

Punta Arenas, Strait of Magellan, Feb. 4.—The officers and men of the American fleet, now that the warships are safely riding at anchor, are beginning to enjoy hospitality ashore. Official visits have been exchanged, and yesterday guns were booming all day.

Fire In Blizzard.

Rome, N. Y., Feb. 4.—In the teeth of of the wildest blizzard that has swept Oneida county this winter, firemen of three cities fought for five hours yesterday a fire that before controlled had caused a total loss of a quarter of a million dollars in the business section of the city.

WOODMEN ELECTED DELEGATES TO THE COUNTY CONVENTION

At the meeting of the Modern Woodmen of Crookston last evening delegates to the county convention were elected who will meet in this city in April and elect delegates to the state convention. The delegates and alternates are as follows: Martin O'Brien Carl Reidesel, Ed. J. Newhall W. E. Black, John Scott, F. L. Davis Mercil, A. Lytle, Peter Couette, Dan Hughes, J. E. O'Brien, J. W. Wheeler and J. N. Kirsch. Alternates, Jos. LeBlanc, F. Schmeiding, Chas. St. Martin, Ed Thompson, J. Sullivan, W. A. Lanctot, Oliver Tvedten, F. Lanctot, Nels Peterson E. Bourbonniere, F. C. Mix and A. P. Kirsch.

BURNED TO WATER'S EDGE

St. Cuthbert Destroyed During a Wild Blizzard Off Coast of Nova Scotia.

FIFTEEN SAILORS DROWNED

Their Boat Swamped by Heavy Sea—Thirty-seven Members of the Crew Are Rescued.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 5.—In the midst of a wild blizzard yesterday afternoon the steamer St. Cuthbert was burned to the water's edge off the Nova Scotian coast. Fifteen members of the crew were drowned by the swamping of a small boat in which they attempted to leave the vessel after the fire had broken out. The other thirty-seven members of the crew, including the captain, were rescued by the White Star liner Cymric. After taking off the survivors the Cymric abandoned the burning steamer and proceeded to Boston.

Burning Ship Abandoned.

News of the destruction of the St. Cuthbert was received here in a wireless message from Capt. Finch of the Cymric. The message read:

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BOYCOTT DEALT STiFF BLOW

Boycotted Firm May Recover Three Times Damages Under Anti-Trust Law.

JUSTICES ARE UNANIMOUS

United States Supreme Court Rules Penalty for Restraint of Trade Applies to Labor.

Washington, Feb. 5.—That section 7 of the anti-trust law, awarding to the complainant three times the amount of damage sustained by a combination in restraint of interstate trade can be invoked to prevent a boycott by organized labor was held yesterday in a decision by the supreme court of the United States in the case of Loewe & Co., hat manufacturers of Danbury, Conn., vs. Martin Lawler and 200 other members of the United Hatters' union of that city. The decision of the court was announced by Chief Justice Fuller and reversed the holding the United States circuit court of appeals for the Second district.

Decision Is Unanimous.

The opinion of the court was unanimous and no dissenting view was presented.

The suit was instituted by Loewe & Co. in the United States circuit court for the district of Connecticut. The company, alleging damages by a boycott against their factory to the extent of $80,000, asked for a judgment for $240,000, in accordance with the terms of the Sherman act. Not only the members of the hatters' union but the American Federation of Labor, of which the union is a subordinate organization, was included in the suit.

Declared a Boycott.

In the complaint it was alleged that that the labor organization had undertaken to compel the manufacturers to unionize their factory, and it was asserted that when they falied in this effort the union hatters withdrew and induced other employes to do so. This act was followed by the declaration of a boycott against Loewe's hats wherever they were found.

Historical Society

IS CREMATED IN HIS HOME.

Sheepman Is Burned to Death on Ranch.

Miles City, Mont., Feb. 5. — Word has been brought to town that Pat Cunningham, a sheepman near the Sheep mountains, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed his house a few nights ago. Cunningham's bones were all that remained of him.

Captain Is Drowned.

Havre, Feb 5.—Capt. Verlynde of the French line steamer La Bretagne was found drowned last night in the harbor here. It is believed that he fell into the water while leaving the vessel in the dock.

DYNAMITE IN COAL CARGO

Discovery Is Made While Coaling Battleship at Port of Spain.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The commanding officer of the battleship Ohio reports that while taking coal from the chartered collier Fortuna at Port of Spain, Trinidad, a stick of dynamite about five inches long was found. The Fortuna had a cargo of New river coal, supplied by the Berwind-White Coal Mining company at Newport News.

This dynamite was evidently a stick used in mining the coal and escaped the observation of the miners and persons who subsequently handled the coal while loading it into the collier.

WEDS HIS STEPMOTHER

IOWAN ESPOUSES HIS FATHER'S RELICT SOON AFTER THE FUNERAL

YOUNG MAN IS TWENTY-THREE STEPMOTHER-WIFE IS FORTY-FIVE

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Feb. 5.—While on their way to Hugo, Colo., from the funeral of Nicholas Greiveldinger, pioneer merchant here, the son and wife were married at Omaha, wearing deep mourning.

Arthur, the groom, is twenty-three and his stepmother-wife is forty-five. They both own claims at Hugo, where they will live.

The groom will now be husband to his stepmother and father to his own sister. They waited until they reached Omaha, as such a marriage is illegal in Iowa.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

JUMP TO SAVE LIVES

Devils Lake Couple Leap From Second Story of Burning Buildign.

Devils Lake, N. D., Feb. 5.—Attired in their night clothes Mr. and Mrs. J. Green were obliged to jump from the window of their apartments in the second story when a fire started early yesterday in a draying office below. The building was completely destroyed.

Politician a Suicide.

Boone, Iowa, Feb. 5. — George W. Smith, Democratic candidate for county superintendent of schools, committed suicide by hanging at his home near Pilot Mound. No cause is known for his act.

TALK POLITICS IN THE HOUSE

Three of the Giants Have Their Innings. The Widows' Pension Bill Is Passed.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Three of the giants of the house of representatives had their innings yesterday. Before the political question cropped out the house, with but one dissenting voice, passed a general widows' pension bill granting a flat pension of $12 a month to the widows of all honorably discharged soldiers of the United States who have not heretofore received the benefits of the pension law.

The political debate was opened by Mr. Townsend of Michigan, who claimed for the Republican party credit for all national legislation in the last fifty years of vital interest to the public. In this he was vigorously disputed by Mr. Cockran of New York, who afterwards launched into a discussion of the president's message of a few days ago. The president's utterances in that document, he declared, were such that neither party could ignore, for he had named the conditions for which both must contend.

Mr. Hepburn also defended the president's message.

Senator Piles of Washington yesterday delivered an eloquent appeal in the senate in favor of an appropriation by congress of $700,000 for a government exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, to be held in Seattle next year.

The day was chiefly devoted to a consideration of bills on the calendar.

FISHER SWEPT BY A DISASTROUS FIRE

Four of the Leading Business Places Completely Destroyed by Fire Last Night. Nothing Was Saved.

General Store, Drug Store, Hardware Store and Saloon Went up in Smoke. Fairly well Insured.

From Wednesday's Daily—

At 11:55 last evening W. D. Hamilton, the well known business man of Fisher discovered fire in the hardware store of Ole Larson and Son at Fisher, and by 3 o'clock this morning four of the leading business places of that city, Ole Larson and Sons hardware store, Ole Gunstenson's drug store, Gunder Krostue's general store and Carl Vinje's saloon were ashes, practically nothing having ben saved so fierce was the progress of the flames.

The origin of the fire will never be known, but it is supposed to have started from a stove in the hardware store. No one had been in the store for several hours and the fire had a god start when it was discovered by Mr. Hamilton as he happened to look out of the window of his room where he was sitting reading.

The fire department was called out at once and did good work, but the conditions were too great to successfully combat the flaames until the three buildings were doomed. All were frame structures, located close together and burned like tinder.

Fortunately no one was injured during the progress of the fire. Practically the entire population turned out to the fire but there was no time to save practically any of the contents of the doomed structures and the loss is practically total, with the losses fairly well covered by insurance, tho every man burned out will lose more or less.

The approximate losses with insurance are as follows:

Gunder Krostue, loss on stock and building $8,000, insurance $2500.

Ole Gunstenson, loss on building and drug stock, $3000 insurance $1,000

Ole Larson and Son loss on building and hardware stock $7,500 insurance $5,000.

Carl Vinje loss on saloon stock $2,000 insurance $1500.

Mr. Falewsky loss on building occupied by Carl Vinje $2,000, insurance $1,000.

Mr. Felewsky is a wealthy farmer residing a few miles out of Fisher.

Several other buildings caught fire several times, but willing hands put out the incipient blazes and saved further devastation by the flames.

It is probable that all the concerns burned out will at once re-engage in business as soon as new quarters can be secured excepting Larson & Son who it is understood will not open up again.

BOY RUSTLER IS SENT UP

LAD WHO DOESN'T RESIST HORSE STEALING GOES TO THE REFORM SCHOOL

THIRTEEN YEAR OLD BOY — IMAGINATION POISONED BY DIME NOVELS

Belle Fourche, S. D., Feb. 5.—Just rounding thirteen years old, Roy Palmer, an orphan, is now on his way to Plankington, where Sheriff Moses will place him in the state reform school to correct his desire for horse stealing. Young Palmer has been for some time past left largely to his own resources. He was living at Slim Butte, north of town, and became an expert rider. On more than one occasion he took a horse and failed to return it, but was pardoned for the offense. However, on the last trip he made an attempt to get out of the country on one of J. H. Livingston's animals and was succeeding when the officers caught up with him. Palmer at one time lived in Keystone, in the Southern Black Hills.

Ruef Pleads Not Guilty.

San Francisco, Feb. 1. — Abraham Ruef was called upon to plead in Judge Dunne's court yesterday to the fourteen indictments charging him with offering a bribe in connection with the Park side trolley franchise. Ruef pleaded not guilty to each charge.

Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills. They are easy to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

ORDERED TO BRING SUIT

RECEIVER OF FAILED BUTTE BANK GETS MANDATE FROM JUDGE

$97500 IS AMOUNT HEINZE OWES FOR STOCK NEVER PAID FOR

Butte, Mont., Feb. 5.—By an order signed by Judge Lynch of the state district court yesterday, Robert M. Lyons, receiver in charge of the Aetna bank, which failed in October, 1907, is directed to bring suit against F. Augustus Heinze, former director, and A. B. Clements, former treasurer, for $97,500, the amount of cash due for stock held by Heinze in the bank, and which, it was developed, Heinze never paid for.

Sailors Have Good Time.

Punta Arenas, Strait of Magellan, Feb. 4.—The officers and men of the American fleet, now that the warships are safely riding at anchor, are beginning to enjoy hospitality ashore. Official visits have been exchanged, and yesterday guns were booming all day.

Fire in Blizzard.

Rome, N. Y., Feb. 4.—In the teeth of of the wildest blizzard that has swept Oneida county this winter, firemen of three cities fought for five hours yesterday a fire that before controlled had caused a total loss of a quarter of a million dollars in the business section of the city.

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FIRST PLAN FOR READJUSTING WAGES OFFERED BY NORTHERN PACIFIC

CLAIM IT WOULD DEPRIVE THEM OF ALL OF THEIR RIGHTS

Representatives of the railroad telegraphers on the Northern Pacific are in St. Paul conferring with General Manager George T. Slade and other officials regarding schedules and and working conditions to be made when the federal law providing for a nine-hour day for railroad employes goets into effect.

The general board of the Northern Pacific division of the order of Railroad Telegraphers and composed of the fourteen division chairmen, and Som Johnson, general chairman, has held one joint meeting with the railroad officials at which a plan for readjustment was presented by the railroad.

This plan proved unsatisfactory to the men and they will submit a scheme of their own at a late date. Said an operator:

"It was proposed to make a reduction of 20 per cent in our salaries, but this was not so important as some of the changes in working rules. The proposed plan would do away with the seniority rule, that is, those men who have been the longest in the service should be given preference in promotion. While this rule is not laid down in black and white, it is generally followed.

"Telegraphers might also be required to scrub stations and clean platforms under the proposed arrangement. If we had accepted, it would have gone back to the day when we had no voice in working conditions."

THE CHINESE NEW YEAR

CHINESE TO CELEBRATE NEW YEAR IN APPROPRIATE STYLE NEXT SUNDAY

As the celebration of the Chinese New Year will result in a noise only among the celestials themselves, Chief of Police Eck does not think it necessary to put the ban on them.

The Chinese New Year commences next Sunday Feb. 2. One day is usually not enough for a fitting celebration of the day and event and often a full week of time is taken and there are usually plenty of fireworks, etc., here in Crookston there are only a few Chinese and a few hours will be sufficient for them.

GRAND LODGE SONS OF HERMAN

WM. EMMERICH ATTENDED MEETING — MANKATO SELECTED FOR NEXT MEETING

Wm. Emmerich returned this morning from Stillwater where he attended the Grand Lodge Sons of Hermann as a delegate from the Crookston Lodge.

The grand lodge selected Mankato as the meeting place next year and re-elected the former officers: Fritz Ziegler, Stillwater, president; Gustave Borchert, Minneapolis, vice president; Charles Harpke, St. Paul secretary; Frank Noethen, Minneapolis, treasurer. It was declared that the reserve fund of $97,000 will be raised to $100,000 within three months and the membership of 2,650 increased.

There were 140 delegatess present and Mr. Emmerich reports the meeting a very enthusiastic one in every respect, and the reports of the officers showed the organization to be in a most flourishing condition.

CROOKSTON IS IN THE RUNNING

The judging of the entries at the Duluth poultry show has about been completed altho not all of the prizes have been awarded and Crookston is in the running as follows:

Single Comb Buff Leghorns, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, second cockerel, first pullet. Silver Spangled Hamburgs, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, Minn., first cockerel, second and third pullet.

CAUGHT KILLING MOOSE.

Men Apprehended by Game Warden Pay $50 and $100 Fines.

Roseau, Minn., Jan. 31.—Game Warden E C Cooke caught Charlie and Henry Hanson in the act of killing two moose, one of which was a cow. The accused men were brought before Justice Miller and were fined respectively $50 and $100 and costs.

OFFICERS OF HEN SHOW

PRACTICALLY SAME LIST OF OFFICERS WILL CONTINUE TO SERVE

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE INSPECT BIRDS—JUDGING BIRDS TODAY

From Friday's Daily—

President — T. J. Couch, Grand Forks.

1st V. Pres.—W. F. Peterson Crookston.

2nd V. Pres.—J. A. Cowley, Crookston.

Sec.-Treas. (for 5 yrs.)—J. W. Lewis, Crookston.

Supt.—G. W. Fuller, Crookston.

Board of managers includes all the association officers.

Last evening the life members of the Red River Valley Poultry Association who include T. J. Couch, W. F. Peterson, H. Hewiston, J. F. Hanon, J. W. Lewis and J. A. Cowley met at the rooms formerly occupied by the Sauve Hardware Store on North Broadway where the poultry show is being held and elected the officers named above, the term of Secretary Treasurer, J. W. Lewis having been extended to a period of five years.

An auditing committee consisting of Messrs. Cowley, Peterson and Hanon was appointed and after checking the books, found all the acocunts in first class shape.

Large attendance

The attendance at the show both yesterday, last evening and today is most gratifying. Men, women and children have been flocking to the exhibition and the liveliest kind of interest is being displayed in all the exhibits. That the show will do a great deal towards creating a desire to improve the strains of poultry goes without saying, and the interest manifested by the young boys and girls will without question lead to an increase of interest on their part in the poultry industry.

300 Birds Exhibited

With the exhibits received last evening from Red Lake Falls the total entries now number over 300, and the class is the best ever exhibited in the northwest. There is not only a greater variety, but the birds are high class and the fanciers are highly pleased with the splendid showing made and the evident improvement shown in the class of birds exhibited from year to year.

Birds Being Judged

G. D. Holden, arrived from Owatonna arrived this morning and has been busy all day judging the birds but will not complete his work till late tomorrow when the prize winners will all be published. Judge Holden is one of the very best men in the business in the entire country and his work is certain to be completely satisfactory.

29 Exhibitors

There are 28 owners of birds exhibiting and ducks, geese, chickens, turkeys, doves of all varieties are to be seen.

The Children Hustling

The boys and girls are doing some great hustling for the fine prizes offered for the highest number of votes and theese contests will all be decided tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock when the best looking girl under six years of age will also get a prize.

MAIL CLERKS NEEDED.

Civil Service Examinations Will Be Held in Dakotas Feb. 26.

Washington, Feb. 1. — The civil service commission announces an examination on Feb. 26 at all postoffices where city letter carriers are employed in North and South Dakota for the purpose of securing eligibles to fill vacancies in the position of railway mail clerks in these states.

Swine Have Simple Colic.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 1. — Local veterinarians have examined hogs declared to have been infected with cholera here and announced that the illness of the animals was caused by acidity from eating garbage containing lemon and orange peels. It is unlikely the state veterinarian will be called.

Mother in Hospital; Babe Dies.

Wessington Springs, S. D., Feb. 1.—The four months' old baby of Harry Martin, Milwaukee railway agent at this place, died of spinal meningitis yesterday morning. The mother was at the hospital at Rochester, Minn., at the time, having gone there for an operation about three weeks ago.

Hear Walsh Plea March 10.

Chicago, Feb. 1. — The arguments on the motion for a new trial of John R. Walsh, the former president of the Chicago National bank, who was convicted of illegal use of the funds of the institution, have been set by Judge Anderson of the federal court for March 10.

Survives Fall of 120 Feet.

Duluth, Feb. 1. — A remarkable thing happened at the Adriatic mine, near Aurora, on the Mesaba range yesterday. Joe Takovitz, a miner, fell down the shaft, a distance of 120 feet.

From Over The Valley

BELTRAMI COUNTY TO SUE CLEARWATER COUNTY

The board of county commissioners of Beltrami county have passed a resolution instructing County Attorney Henry Funkley to bring suit against Clearwater county for the funds claimed to be due Beltrami. This suit is the outcome of a disagreement as to the apportionment of the funds which should have been made to each county when Clearwater county was set aside from Beltrami county, some five years ago. An attempt was made by the officials of Beltrami county to make satisfactory adjustment of the matter about two weeks ago, when the members of the Clearwater county board, together with the county auditor, and the county attorney of that county, were in Bemidji to consult with the local board of county commissioners.

No amicable agreement could be reached in the matter, and the county board of Beltrami county has decided to push matters in connection with the settlement hence the instruction to the county attorney to bring suit in the matter.

WILL TRY THE "PARENTS' DAY" SCHEME

The citizens of Detroit are going to try a plan that should result in a great deal of good. They have arranged a "parents' day" at the public school. During the day special arrangements will be made for the parents to visit the school and examine the work of the scholars and in the evening a program will be given which will be participated in by prominent citizens of the town. Occasions of this kind should serve to strengthen the bond between the citizens of a community and its greatest public enterprise — the public school.

HOT GAMES ARE SCHEDULED AT BEMIDJI

The Warren basketball team claimants of the northern Minnesotaa championship of last year, will play two games at Bemidji one on Friday evening and one on Saturday evening against the "Big Bemidg" team of that city. The Warren team is considered one of the very fastest basketball quints in the state north of St. Cloud. Last year the team defeated everything in the north half of the state, with the exception of Bemidji, but no game was played with the team in that city to determine the relative merits of the teams.

REVIVAL MEETINGS IN CLEARWATER COUNTY

A series of revival meetings were conducted during the later part of last week in the Bronson church at Bagley. The meetings were well attended. The following visiting pastors were present: Rev. P. Sten from Fosston, Rev. G. O. Bronsdal from Brunkeberg and Rev. Andrew Olson of Starbuck.

Fined for Gambling.

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 1. — J. J. Heffron of Ardoch was fined $250 at Grafton by Judge W. J. Kneeshow for running a gambling house. He paid the fine.

A CLOSE CALL FOR RAY HERRON

Ray Herron oldest son of Wm. Herron was brought to his home at Thief River Falls the first of the week suffering from a bad bruisse on the head. While at work driving a loading team in one of the Thief River Falls Lumber company's camps in the Red Lake country last Saturday, the load of logs upset and one of them struck Herron on the head. He was knocked senseless and for a time it was thought that he was dead. He is now getting along nicely, however, and will suffer no bad effects from the injury he received.

GRAVEL PIT ALMOST AS GOOD AS A GOLD MINE

A farm which Leslie Welter of Moorhead and his friends bought a few months ago is turning out to be almost as good as a gold mine. It was owned by a man who did not take the trouble to dig. On the farm tract, which is near Muskoda, there is a valuable sand pit, from which thousands of cars of sand have been shipped. The question arose to the mind of Mr. Welter, if sand why not gravel? Some digging was done with the result that an extensive strata of valuable gravel, just the thing for concreting, has been found and estimated to produce probably 10,000 cars of gravel.

INDIANS DISCUSS SWAMP LANDS SUIT AT WASHINGTON

A delegation of White Earth, Red Lake and Mille Lac Indians are in Washington to consult with their attorney, C. A. Richardson, relative to the swamp lands suit entered in the district court last week, and to take up other matters with Commissioner Leupp. They will also see the president before they return home. Geo. H. Beaulieu, in whose name the swamp lands suit was begun is one of the delegates.

WELL KNOWN SETTLER LOSES HIS HELPMATE

Mrs. H. A. Lesin wife of one of the well known settlers living up near Kratka in Red Lake County, died Tuesday from the bursting of a blood vessel in the head. Mrs. Leslin was born in the state of New York of German parents and came to Thief River Falls in 1904 at the opening of the eleven towns for settlement. She was 34 years of age and leaves four small children and a husband.

LAST RED LAKE COUNTY TOWNSHIP ORGANIZED

Town 152-39 was organized last Saturday. The new town will be known as Hickory and there is not an unorganized township in Red Lake county now.

FOUR NEW CREAMERIES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED

Four new creameries established in Northwestern Minnesota in the past few days. These are at High Landing, Red Lake county; Reiner, Marshall county; Ross and Strathcona, Roseau county.

Penned and Pilfered

Hiram Penhecker of East Wind, Ind., after attending a lecture on "The Rights of Man", went home and announced to his wife that he would no longer wash the dishes and scrub the floors. Mr. Penhecker subsequently telephoned to the local drug store for a dollar's worth of court plaster.

A young teacher whose efforts to inculcate elementary anatomy had been unusually discouraging at last asked in dispair: "Well, I wonder if any boy here can tell me what the spinal cord really is?" She was met by a row of blank and irresponsive faces, till finally one small voice piped ujp in great excitement: "The spinal cord is what runs thru you. Your head sits on one end and you sit on the other."

Professor Egbert Gurrem of Pensacola hypnotized a mule last week, and then tickled its heels with a feather. uH shrdlue she shes se shrdluudlu A mixed quartette sang his favorite anthem "O for the Wings of the Dove" the following Thursday.

Three tired citizens — a lawyer, a doctor and a newspaper man—sat in a back room recently in the cold gray light of early dawn. On the table were many empty bottles and a couple of packs of cards. As they sat in silence a rat scurried across the hearth into the darkness beyond. The three men shifted their feet and looked at each other uneasily. After a long pause the lawyer spoke.

"I know what you fellows are thinking," he said; "you think I saw a rat but I didn't."

Fourteen young women of Bingtown Mo., organized a Single Blessedness Club four years ago. Since then six of them have sued for divorce one has eloped with a widower with eight children, three have filed papers in breach-of-promise cases and the rest have hopes.

The following is an incident related by a country exchange: A farmer's wife took her poultry to market in two lots, placing 30 of the finest chickens in one crate and 30 of the poorest in another. The butcher offered her $1 for each pair for the first lot $1 for each in the second lot. Figuring that she would receive $25 for her chickens the woman receipted the offer. But the butcher only paid her $24 and when she said that the price was $25 he explained the matter thus —at $1 for each pair of chickens in one crate and $1 for each three in the other, she should receive $2 for 5 chickens and there were 12 bunches of 5 chickens each, in the entire lot 60, the price $24, paid was correct. Al tho the woman felt that the butcher had gained a dollar on the deal, she took the money and went home.

SWINDLED THE FARMERS

MAN WHO GAVE HIS NAME AS LOUIS MUNSEN OF CROOKSTON TURNS TRICK

BEAT FARMERS IN NORTH DAKOTA OUT OF A ROUND SUM OF CASH

From Friday's Daily—

According to the Minot Independent a fakir beat a number of farmers in the vicinity of Foxholm N. D. out of several hundred dollars.

About two months ago, a Norwegian, giving his name as Louis Munsen walked into the Foxholm country ment agent, authorized to dispose of dimension lumber, fence posts, telegraph and telephone poles, bridge timber and Indian relics, the latter being made at Red Lake, Minn. He quoted cheap prices, especially on the timber, dimension lumber being sold at $16 per thousand. He seemed quite independent and did not apparently care much whether he sold anything or not. Many bought from $5 to $25 worth of stuff, paying cash for the same. Munsen saying that the government did only a cash business. He sold buckskin mocasins at $1 per pair and buckskin underwear for $6 a suit. He had a lot of Indian goods with him for samples. He had a vast amount of paper money in one grip estimated to be three or four thousand dollars' worth and also had a large quantity of gold. He told the farmers that he kept away from the cities because he did not care to get held up. Munsen gave his postoffice address as Crookston, Minn. but letters sent here have been returned as no such person could be found.

No word has been received from Munsen and the farmers who bit are certain that they have been swindled One of the victims swore out a warrant for the arrest of Munsen and Sheriff Lee of Minot is now looking for him, tho he is no doubt far from Minot by this time. Munsen gave four names and operated close to Minot. He is about 45 years old and wore a light overcoat.

The victims have become wise and hereafter will have nothing to do with strangers travelling thru the country. Munsen of course claimed that the government could quote prices lower than the home merchant This is another argument in favor of dealing with the home man, who must do the square thing.

BAKER SHOOTS BURGLARS.

Wings Two Marauders in Chicago; Both Caught, One Will Die.

Chicago, Feb. 1. — Two burglars were shot, one of them fatally, by Christopher Paulsen, a baker in the shop of J. J. Larsen. Both men were captured. One of them, Thomas Frawley, was shot in the head, and the other, John Armour, was shot in the abdomen and in the face. Armour cannot live.

BERNER AND STANG NAMED.

Radicals and Conservatives in Norway Elect Leaders.

Christiania, Feb. 1. — The Radical and Conservative parties have elected their leaders, President Berner of the storthing being chosen by the radicals and Frederick Stang by the conservatives. The Radicals adopted resolutions opposing the giving of business concessions to foreigners.

ROBBERS IN GUN FIGHT.

Citizens, Aroused by Explosion, Give Chase to Bandits, Who Escape.

Alton, Iowa, Feb. 1. — Five bandits attempted to blow the safe of the Northwestern National bank here yesterday morning between 4 and 5 o'clock.

Aroused by the explosion, three hundred citizens, armed, rushed to the scene and opened fire on the retreating bandits. Over forty shots were exchanged, the plate glass windows in a number of stores being shattered. During the confusion the bandits made their escape, supposedly to Sioux City. Although not securing any money, the explosion of nitroglycerin wrecked the safe, which contained $10,000 in cash.

Assault on Housekeeper.

Charles City, Iowa, Jan. 31.—G. B. Eastman, a wealthy octogenarian and old settler of this city, attempted to kill his housekeeper, Miss Etta Schlung. He has showns signs of mental aberration recently and will probably have to be taken to the asylum. Mr. Eastman is considered worth a quarter of a million dollars.

Farmers' Institute Popular.

Grand Meadow, Minn., Jan. 31.—The farmers' institute conducted here yesterday by Mr. R. A. Schutz of Le Roy and others was a success. The hall was packed to its utmost capacity and much interest was shown in the topics discussed.

All Three Victims Die.

Clinton, Iowa, Jan. 31. — As the result of the grade crossing collision last night between an interurban electric car and a buggy, three farmers — George Barley, Albert Henry and Emil Cashier—are dead. They resided near Princeton, Iowa.

MEETING OF EDUCATORS

FIVE HUNDRED MEMBERS OF THE TEACHING PROFESSION WILL GATHER

IN MOORHEAD ON MARCH 13 AND 14TH FOR ORGANIZATION

From Friday's Daily—

The Commercial club of Moorhead is endorsing and co-operating in the efforts which are being made by a number of educational men in this section of the state of Minnesota, for the organization of an association similar in its working lines to the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association, which usually meets in Crookston.

The inception for the move was brought about at an informal gathering of school men from Clay and adjoining counties during the meeting of the state educational association, at St. Paul in December. In the course of a few days President Richards of the commercial club will appoint a committee to take the initial steps in the arrangements for a big meeting of school men and women, in Moorhead, Friday and Saturday March 13 and 14. The proposed association will probably comprise an area covering Clay, Becker and adjoining counties.

Some idea of the scope of the association may be gathered from the fact that it means the massing of 125 school officers the body of rural school teachers and the superintendents of the county and bigger schols a total ensemble of nearly 500 men and women interested in the general welfare of the schools and educational institutions of the state.

LIFTED THE LID AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

JOHN TANGNESS FINED $50 FOR HAVING SALOON OPEN ON SUNDAY

A Thief River Falls saloon keeper John Tangness who recently purchased the Knut Aidahl place on La Bree avenue in that city was fined $50 and costs for having his saloon open last Sunday. Tangness was not personally guilty, his bartender being the one to have the saloon open. The bartender was not quite clear about the matter and did not remember whether or not he had the saloon open but after talking the matter over with the chief of police he came to the conclusion that he was in the saloon doing business on Sunday and so Mr. Tangness entered a plea of guilty and paid the fine.

GAME WARDEN VERY ACTIVE

E. C. COOKE, ROSEAU NABS TWO HUNTERS OF BIG GAME

The hunters of big game out of season are having all manner of grief of late, due to the vigilance of the game wardens and the activity of the state game and fish commission which spares no effort to bring to punishment those who fracture the laws for the protection of game in Minnesota.

Game Warden E. C. Cooke of Roseau, who tho one of the game wardens who has served but a year is a very efficient officer, is the latest man to make a killing, having arrested Charles and Henry Hanson who were fined $50 and $100 respectively for killing a male and female moose.

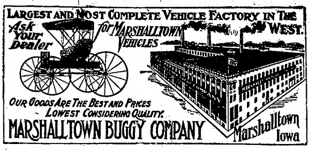
It is this rigid enforcement of the law that protects the game and efficient service on the part of the game wardens is thoroly appreciated by every law abiding citizen.

SMITH HELD TO THE GRAND JURY

Harry Smith, the man who shot at Brakeman Frank Coppersmith on the Minnesota & International passenger train a couple of months ago waived examination at Brainerd and was bound over to the grand jury his bond being fixed at $1,500. Bail was furnished by a druggist and a saloonkeeper of Cass Lake, and Smith was released.

FIR DESTROYS AN ELEVATOR AT SARLES.

Fire yesterday destroyed the Acme elevator in Sarles and threatened to wipe out a large share of the town. A big string of elevators was saved by the fire department. The total loss is $20000. There was 8,000 bushels of grain in the building.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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

GONE TO FRAZEE—Olaf Dokken left last Monday night for Frazee at which place he has secured a good position as fireman in the big saw mill at that place, his family will remain in the city for some time yet.

A NEW SON—J. A. McCaffrey received a letter from his brother, M. E. McCaffrey who is an expert accountant employed in the Capitol building at Madison, Wis., which announced the arrival of a new son at his home.

GETS 30 DAYS—E. Barrett a transient was picked up by the police at the depot last night and not being able to give a very good account of himself was given 30 days by Judge McLean which he will put in at Hotel de Gonyea.

TO ADJUST LOSS—Messrs. Chas. G. Bates and A. B. Everts of Minneapolis were here this morning enroute to Red Lake Falls where they go to adjust the fire loss on the stock of Garceau and Zaiser whose store was damaged by fire recently.

STILL LIKES CROOKSTON—A. P. Utter formerly agent of the G. N. Express Co. at this point is making this city headquarters while making the nearby towns for the company which he is on the road for. He likes this city and says the city is one of the best of them.

HAS FINISHED WORK—Inspector Neuman who has been checking up the books of the Crookston Land office for the past few days left this morning for North Dakota where he will be employed for the next few weeks on a similar mission. Everything in the local land office was found to be in ship-shape.

WILL LOCATE ON CLAIM—Chas. Casmey the well known Euclid farmer announces that he will leave with his family about March 15 for his claim south of Beaudette where he will make his home for the next few years. He has decided to take a lay off from farming and thinks the tall timber is about the proper place to enjoy a vacation.

A FINE PRESENT—President T. J. Couch of Red River Valley Poultry Association today presented Bradford Swedburgh with a trio of Rhode Island Rose Whites as fine a pen as was ever seen in the northwest. Bradford is very much interested in the chicken business and this present nearly sent him off his feet.

MRS. INDERLEE DEAD—The death of Mrs. Julia Inderlee a pioneer resident of Fosston occurred at Denver, Colorado, five days ago and the remains passed thru here this morning enroute to Fosston for burial. Mrs. Inderlee accompanied by her daughter Grace had gone to Denver over a year ago in an effort to regain her health but to no avail. She is survived by her daughter and numerous other relatives at Fosston.

A SAD ENDING—A sad story had a fatal ending at the county poor farm at Arvilla N. D., yesterday when a young woman giving her name as Miss Albright gave birth to a child and died shortly afterward. The unfortunate young woman had been at Larimore for a couple of weeks and seemed to seek to hide her identity by telling conflicting stories about her home and her relatives. After she was taken to the hospital at the poor farm, a young man who said he was from Wales, N. D., and was a brother of the young woman, called at the poor farm, but when he learned that the woman had been removed to the hospital, he departed, and so far has not been heard from. So far the relatives of the young woman have not been located, and it is probable that she sought to shield her name and her friends by her silence, as well as the author of her misfortune, as she stated to the attendants that the father of her child was dead. The ending was indeed a sad one, for the girl who was quite young.

BRING SWINDLER BACK.

Horace McKinley, Wanted for Fraud in Government Land.

Portland, Or., Feb. 1. — The Oregonian says that Horace [illegible] McKinley, convicted of stealing government land, and who escaped from this country to the Orient, while awaiting sentence, sailed from Hongkong for Portland, in custody of a detective.

From Friday's Daily

FROM PURCHASING TRIP—J. H. Ruettell returned this morning from Chicago and Eastern cities where he has been on a buying expedition.

ATTENDED FUNERAL—Those attending the funeral of Mrs. Albert Jance of Fisher today, from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O'Reilly, J. A. McCaffrey and Al Bierman.

PLENTY HERE—"Jack Frost" is the name of the new temperance drink that has been introduced in Georgia. It can hardly be expected to give much comfort to the people who feel the need of something hot.

HOME FROM REDWING— H. F. Brown returned this morning from Red Wing where he went to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. M. Kappel. His brother Charles Brown of Ada also attended the funeral.

SO LINE BANDS—Geo. La Bounty, local band leader made a trip up the line visiting Halma, Bronson and Lancaster at each of which places he reports having made arrangements for the organization of local bands.—Karlstad Advocate.

ADA FARMER BANKRUPT—Three bankruptcy petitions were filed in the United States court at Fergus Falls Wednesday among which is that of John D. Stevenson a farmer of Ada who places his assets at $6,234 of which $221.50 is exempt and his liabilities at $10,371.73.

AUTOMOBILING WEATHER— A trio of Roseau automobiles conveying the Roseau Hockey team, thundered past our parlor door Saturday afternoon, enroute to Hallock where the uproar was the greatest from the Hallock seven who won out by a score of 7 to 2. —Karlstad Advocate.

HAVE TURNED FARMERS—Charley and Alton Bauman have gone to Rollis to look after their farm and other interests there. They have both of them been laid off the railroad during the winter but expect to resume their jobs of braking about April 1st.

NEW PASTOR ARRIVES—Rev. O. F. Johnson, successor to Rev. A. J. Krogstad has arrived from Cando, N. D., and will preach his introductory sermon in the Norwegian language 11 a. m. Sunday and in English at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Johnson will reside at 224 Houston Ave.

NEXT MAYOR OF BEMIDJI—P. J. Russell a former resident of this city and the next mayor of Bemidji was here last night between trains enroute to St. Paul. Pat has entered the race for mayor of "Big Bemidg" and his friends here are willing to bet he will win out.

VISITED POULTRY SHOW—The Poultry class of the school of Agriculture are spending the afternoon very profitably at the Poultry Show. The students were accompanied by Prof. Harrington, Miss Woodruff, the science teacher and Prof. Brown of the Poultry department.

MANY TITLED JOE—Joe A. Wessel vice president of the Wessel Bros. candy factory alias Cough Drop Joe and a prominent member of the Elks' quartette of this city is circulating among the dealers in his line today besides distributing a quantity of hot air to his host of friends to assist them in driving away the winter weather.

A DAILY HELP—F. H. Ross the well known farmer from over Fisher way spent yesterday in the city doing some shopping and called at the Journal office and had his subscription to the Daily Journal set ahead another year. The daily visist of the Journal is eagerly looked for and is one thing that makes life on the farm pleasant. He was also an interested visitor at the poultry show.

GETS VERDICT AGAINST REA—W. D. Smith a Minneapolis man secured a verdict for $2,391.20 in a suit against Dr. Rea in the district court in Hennepin county this week, for defective treatment of a disease of the ear. Dr. Rea is a traveling doctor who visited this city at regular intervals some years ago. The Hennepin county medical society backed Smith in his fight for damages.

Killed at Crossing.

Clinton, Iowa, Jan. 30. — George Barlow was killed and two others probably fatally hurt when an Iowa & Illinois train struck their buggy at Princeton, Iowa, last night.

From Saturday's Daily—

MONAT TO PRISON—Louis Gonyea, Jr., will leave tomorrow night in charge of Monat taking him to Stillwater to serve 18 months term in prison for stealing from the Farmers hotel in this city.

WILL GO TO EAST FORKS—Angus Cameron who has been behind the bar at Rap's buffet the past two years will remove to E. Grand Forks where he has secured a lucrative position.

INSTALLED PICTURE SHOW —Luther J. Palmer has returned from Warren where he installed a moving picture show outfit for Messrs. Mathews & Johnson of that place. Luther is an expert in that line as he has already installed a number for different parties.

WOLF BOUNTIES—The near neighbors to Crokston seem to be the most successful wolf hunters and bounty receivers, two warrants were issued by the County Auditor for $7.50 each to John L. Trafton and John C. Hanson of Lowell township. Also Thomas J. Haugen of Queen township gets a bounty.

A DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. John Gilstorf are the parents of a fine baby daughter which was born Jan. 30 and to say that the proud father is stepping high is putting it very mildly. This is the first baby and of course it is the only baby in the whole world—according to John's version.

QUICK RETURNS— Henry Schmidt administrator of the estate of the late Joseph Schmidt, this morning received a draft of $1,000 the amount due on the insurance policy held in the Sons of Hermann lodge. Which is indeed a speedy payment on an insurance policy, Mr. Schmidt had not long been a member when he took sick.

SOMEWHAT SURPRISED— About fifty of the neighbors took possession of the home of John Vanderwoort on the old Corser farm in the township of Andover last night and they certainly done things according to the Journal's informant. The event was the 45th birthday of Mr. Vanderwoort and it was a complete surprise and an unusually good time was had.

TO SEE POULTRY — Miss Ethel Couch and brothers Ralph and Clarence arrived from Grand Forks this morning to see the poultry show and visit friends. Clarence has a fine exhibit of pigeons at the poultry show The three are children of President Couch of the Red River Valley Poultry Association.

HOME FROM WISCONSIN — Al Barnes who has been visiting with relatives at Menominie Falls and Appleton Wis., for the past five months returned to Crookston this morning and will remain here for a few weeks and may remain here permanently. While absent he worked for two months in a beet sugar factory and in consequence he may appear a trifle sweeter to some than when he was here before.

ADDRESSED STUDENTS—Friday afternoon W. A. Rice addressed the students of the Crookston College. His subject was "Longfellow and his poems". Mr. Rice has visited and travelled over the same road where Paul Revere made his famous ride. He has also visited the old North Church where the signal lights were hung. His address was a most interesting one and was much appreciated by all who heard him.

DEATH OF NORBERT FORTIER—Norbert Fortier aged 77 years, died at his home in Blackduck Monday night from a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Fortier has been ailing for some time not having recovered from a paralytic stroke received some weeks ago. He was born in the province of Quebec, Canada and came to Minnesota twenty-eight years ago settling in Red Lake Falls, residing there until he came to Blackduck. He is survived by a widow and six children. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Catholic church in Blackduck.

LOSS WAS SERIOUS — To have your winter's meat and fuel burned up all in one sitting means a great deal to the average wage earner. This is what happened to R. F. D. Carrier Habel who serves the people on Route No. 5. With his wife he got up early last Sunday morning and shortly afterwards discovered his woodshed burning with all in it and the loss was about $150. He resides near Darkow's residence on the road to the cemetery.

VERY SUCCESSFUL—W. F. Peterson is highly pleased with the poultry show. Regardless of the prizes he won, he disposed of several pens of birds at good figures and Lambert Roesch of Ada purchased seven fine Single Comb Buff Orphingtons and one pair of Single Comb Black Minorcas. This is a purchase of which the gentleman can be very proud, as no better birds of these breeds can be found in the country, and will give him a fine start in the poultry business.

ATTENDANCE VERY LARGE

129 APPLICANTS FOR TEACHERS CERTIFICATES ARE NOW WRITING

HIGH SCHOOL ROOM PACKED WITH THE INDUSTRIOUS CANDIDATES

From Saturday's Daily—

There are 129 applicants for teachers' certificates before County Superintendent of Schools Casey today the attendance being the largest for some time past. The list of those writing for certificates is as follows:

Crookston, Minn.

Wm. Conneran.
Ada H. Tafsley
Anna C. Hanson.
Thorvald Lund.
Carrie Klemsrud.
Ada Gunderson.
Emma Sylvester.
Mary O. Hagen.
Laura Buckman
Maria Bauman.
Eva Callaghan.
Minnie Stocker.
Rae Mortenson.
Clara E. Hanson.
Ina Mae Phillips
Martin Kjolhaug
Anna S. Eickhof.
Agnes Engstrom.
Valla Alderman.
Ottilie I. Woelk
Caroline Bennen
Ida C. Matheson.
Hannah Bennen.
Hazel Wilkinson.
Katherine Florin
Emily Rasmussen.
Ellen B. Sandeen.
Bessie May Miller.
Florence A. Carey.
Esther O. Johnson.
Nellie A. Hopkins.
Carrie Ca sselman.
Martha Waterstrat
Belle May Balfour.
Nana O. Amundson.
Martin Casey. Ella Cone.
Arthur Toupin. Ida Sandeen.
Ernst Hanson. Mary Brown.
Bessie Burns. Flora Duval.
Hope Harding. Marie Mahlen.
Ada Chilbeck. Minerva Glenn.
Rita McLaren Jose Knutson.
Edna Glenn. Rubye Withey.
Louise Bakke Clara B. Beck.
Maude Allard Janet Wallace.
Nora Jensen. Jose O. Lance.
Rose Becker. Clare A. Dargan
Ruby J. Dewar Ella Conneran.

McIntosh, Minn.

Tina Larson.
Mattie Knudson.
Louise M. Husby.
Dora Rasmuson.
Sarah Cornelia Stowe.
illie L. Holton Mary Albert.

Fisher, Minn.

Mable Stoughton.
Rosetta A. Dalby.
Julia F. Thompson
Inga M. Martinson.
Bertina Gunstenson.
Isabelle J. Anderson.
Roy Horton, Tabor.
Oscar Ellifson Olga.
Gustave Ellefson, Olga.
Eva M. Lee Halstad.
Nellie Garvin, Gentilly.
Anton Ellifson Wanke.
Cecilia Paranto, Borup.
Anna F. Gust, Angus.
John Jenson, Winger.
Selma Stromstad, Shelly
John C. West, Crary, N. D.
Agnes Danielson, Hallock.
Adolph Gunderson, Nielsville.
Josephine M .Orvold Lindsay.
Hannah Tvedt. Flossie Dalby
Olga Skyberg. Alma Skyberg
Carrie M. Hegg. Emma Jarvis.
Dollie Logan. Elsie Bain.
Clara J. Knutson Beatrice Bain.

East Grand Forks, Minn.

May E. McDonald
Laura Rogers.

Beltrami, Minn.

Emelia Lewton.
Kamilla Holmvik.
Hannah G. Nelson.
Ruth W. Gullickson.
Ellen Gustafson Otto Will.

Fosston, Minn.

Bettie Ulseth.
Mrs. Anna Rue
Margarett Rue.
J. A. Oierie Ida Moen

Gary, Minn.

Nora Nereson
Ada Gunderson.
Mattie Gunderson.
Clara Aanru. Effie Dahl
Ida Welley Josie Rude.

Erskine, Minn.

Christine Hagen.
Aura A. Hiler. Eldrie Moen.
John Hagen. Gena Hagen.

Fertile, Minn.

Edna Sorenson
Lottie L. Cooke
Clara M. Gredvig.
Nellie Boen. Tillie Sletto.

Euclid Minn.

Maggie Goergen.
Cora L. Champlin

THE BIG POULTRY SHOW WILL END TONIGHT

THE JUDGING WAS FINISHED TODAY AND THE PREMIUMS AWARDED—BIG VOTING CONTEST WILL END THIS EVENING—CROWDS ATTEND

From Saturday's Daily—

The fourth annual exhibition of the Red River Valley Poultry Association will end this evening when the voting contest in which all the youngsters are hustling will be decided.

Judge Holden finished the scoring last evening and the tabulation today shows the following winners:

Buff Orpington

T. J. Couch high on three cockerels 1 2, 3, 4, hen.

Harry Boh, 2 cockerel, 1, 3, Pullet.

W. F. Peterson 4 cockerel, 4 pullet.

C. E. Brown, 1 cockerel, 2 pullet.

R. I. Reds

J. C. Wilkinson, Red Lake Falls 1 cockerel. 1, 2, 3, pullet.

W. Rocks.

J. C. Wilkinson, Red Lake Falls, 1, 2, cockerel, 1, 2 hen.

S. C. W. Leghorn

L. W. Hofer, Moorhead, 1, 2, 4 cockerel, 3, 4 pullet. 1, 3, 4 hen. 1, 2 pen.

Geo. Hauseman, Hillsboro, 3 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet, 2 hen, 3 pen.

S. C. Brown Leghorns

Baby Stone, 1 cockerel, 1, 2, 3 pullet, 1 hen.

Buff Leghorn

Ed Shaft, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet.

Minorca

W. F. Peterson, 1, 2, 3, 4, pullet.

S. S. Hamburg.

Ed. Shaft, 2 cockerel.

W. Wyandottes

Geo. Hauseman, Hillsboro, 1 cockerel, 1, 2 pullet, 1, 2 hen.

F. L. Farley, Red Lake Falls, 3, 4 hen.

S. Wyandotte

W. H. Chilbeck 3 pullet, 3 cockerel 2 hen.

F. C. Mitchell, 1 cockerel, 1 hen, 1, 2 pullet.

G. Wyandotte

W. G. Fuller, 1 cockerel, 1, 2, 3 pullet.

B. Langshan

T. J. Couch, Grand Forks 1 cock. 1, 2 cockerel. 1, 2, 3, 4 hen. 1, 2, 3, 4 pullet.

W. Langshan

T. J. Couch, 1 cockerel, 1, 2, 3 pullet.

Bronze Turkey

Pat McGlynn, 1 tom.

W. Holland Turkey

Wm. Secord, 1 tom.

African Geese

Experimental farm, 1 gander, 1 goose.

Pekin Ducks

Experimental Farm, 1 drake, 1 duck

Buff Cochin Bantam

L. D. Canniff, Fargo, 1 cock, 1, 4 pullet.

Jack Crabbe, Fargo 2 cockerel, 2, 3 pullet.

B. B. Red Game Bantam

W. K. Chilbeck, 1 cockerel 1, 2 pullet.

Rumpies

W. K. Chilbeck, 1 cockerel, 1 hen.

AGED COUPLE PASSED AWAY

HUSBAND 102 YEARS, WIFE 105 YEARS OF AGE ARE DEAD

THEY WERE THE FIRST SETTLERS OF THE TOWN OF TABOR

From Saturday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zedlik of the town of Tabor Polk County, passed away on succeeding days this week at a ripe old age, both having passed the century mark. The wife died on Tuesday, her age being 105 years and on Wednesday her faithful husband rejoined her on the other shore his age being 102 years. They were the first settlers of the town of Tabor, and came from across the sea, Bohemia, in the early days.

The pair, who had enjoyed the sunshine and weathered the storms and adversities of life together for three quarters of a century were not long separated. They are survived by a daughter, a number of grandchildren and other relatives. One son who once lived in Tabor died in 1892.

STAIR WILL BE A CANDIDATE

WILL FILE NEXT WEEK AS REPRESENTATIVE FROM 62ND DISTRICT

Register of Deeds J. Harry Stair has announced that next week he will file as a candidate for the republican nomination as representative in the Minnesota legislature from the 62nd district which includes Polk County. It is rumored that one or both of the present representatives are undecided as to whether or not they will file for renomination and many not come out again. The wide acquaintance of Mr. Stair will make his candidacy very strong.

PROHIBITION CO. CONVENTION

MEETING IS TO BE HELD IN THE G. A. R. HALL ON FEBRUARY 12TH

A meeting of the Prohibition party is to be held in the G. A. R. hall on February 12th which is to be attended by delegates from all parts of the county at which the temperance question will be thoroly discussed.

An evening meeting beginning at eight o'clock will be held the main feature of which will be an address by W. G. Calderwood State Secretary of the Prohibition Committee.

HAVE MANY AFFLICTIONS

FRED BAATZ AND FAMILY HAVE MORE THAN THEIR SHARE

PRACTICALLY WHOLE FAMILY IS AFFLICTED WITH SOMETHING

From Saturday's Daily—

Some families have some troubles and some have a few troubles but the family of Fred Baatz which resides about 10 miles south of the city seem to have all the troubles going at the present time.

Mrs. Baatz has erysipelas.

Mr. Baatz was hooked in the face recently by a cow and is laid up.

Two sons are now suffering with tonsilitis.

This is about all the trouble one family is able to take care of, and applicants for more can apply most any place.

BANNER YEAR FOR CREAMERY

CLIMAX CREAMERY IS IN THE HEART OF THE DAIRY BELT

The following is a report of the Climax creamery which is situated on the Red River and its patrons are the wealthy and successful farmers in the townships of Vineland and Hubbard.

The Climax Creamery made 34,092 pounds of butter from Jan. 1st to December 1st 1907. The patrons were paid 26½ cents per pound for butter fat or $7,523.89. The patrons receiving over $200 are as follows:

Ole O. Estenson, $764.96;
Paul Simon, $337.77;
O. S. Nelson, $307.23;
J. Rarick, $261.96;
John Thompson, $250.43;
A. E. Hanson, $235.29;
Frank Hanson, $213.36;
P. O. Satermo, $208.49;
Mrs. G. Koppang, $208.80;
C. H. Bolki, $207.23;
C. Steenerson, $205.43.

WENT OFF IN GOOD SHAPE

The free auction sale held by C. A. Hitchcock today was well attended and everything offered was disposed of at good prices and al lwere well satisfied. The next sale will be held Saturday March 7th.

JOS. KOELMEL OUT—Jos. Koelmel was at his place of business today for the first time since he was stricken with appendicitis 10 days ago and while he is not feeling as well as he might he is able to be about. This is good news to his many friends in

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Is Up to the People.

In his message to Congress Theodore Roosevelt has put the issue squarely before the people. It is simply up to them. The Journal believes very firmly that persistent opposition to all corporations is foolish. The proper control of corporations on the other hand is most proper. There is no valid reason which can be advanced why the general prosperity of the people is not advanced when the legitimate corporations prosper to a reasonable degree.

In his message which stirred up a sensation in Congress yesterday, President Roosevelt among other things said:

"On behalf of all our people, on behalf no less of the honest man of means than of the honest man who earns each day's livlihood by that day's sweat of his brow, it is necessary to insist upon honesty in business and politics alike, in all walks of life, in big things and in little things; upon just and fair dealing as between man and man. Those who demand this are striving for the right in the spirit of Abraham Lincoln when he said:

" 'Fondly do we hope, fervently do we pray, that this mighty scourge may speedily pass away. Yet, if God wills that it continue until all the wealth piled by the bondsmen's two hundred and fifty years of unrequited toll shall be sunk, and until every drop of blood drawn with the lash shall be paid by another drawn with the sword, as was said three thousand years ago, so still it must be said, "The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether. With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in.'

"In the work we of this generation are in, there is, thanks be to the Almighty, no danger of bloodshed and no use for the sword; but there is grave need of those stern qualities shown alike by the men of the north and the men of the south in the dark days when each valiantly battled for the light is it was given each to see the light. Their spirit should be our spirit as we strive to bring nearer the day when greed and trickery and cunning shall be trampled under feet by those who fight for the righteousness that exalteth a nation."—Theodore Roosevelt.

It is up to the people now, to take a firm stand in relation to the activities of the great corporations engaged in interstate commerce. These roads are open.

First—To abandon all effort to oversee and control their actions and permit a return to utter lack of control which would obtain if they were left to the common law.

Second—To have the regulation undertaken by the nation.

Third—Or by the several states.

Of course, in any event both the national government and the several state governments must do each its part and each can do a certain amount that the other cannot do, while the only really satisfactory results must be obtained by the representatives of the national and state governments working heartily together within their respective spheres.

"But in my judgment," says President Roosevelt, "thorogoing and satisfactory control can in the end only be obtained by the action of the national government for almost all the corporations of enormous wealth—that is, the corporations which it is especially desirable to control—are engaged in interstate commerce, and derive their power and their importance not from that portion of their business which is intrastate, but from the interstate business."

Remain in the Country

"To succeed, shun the big city". was the counsel that reverses the prevalent ideas of the Ambitious Young Man, given by Samuel Alschuler of Chicago among reasons why cities as big as Chicago should discourage the influx of people. Not one in 10,000 who seek fortune or favor in a great hive of people realize their hopes. "Instead of flocking to cities young men ought to take up farming or trades," he said. "Those vocations should absorb just as keen men as the professions and the professions are overcrowded. There are 6,000 lawyers in Chicago and a tenth that number would be enough. Here in this city of over 2,000,000 people, most of us are not producers of wealth; we are packed into a limited area like so many ants. To farther crowd this area means to diminish the possibilities of all the rest making a living. This means that misery will result for the many. It is wonderful how the city draws the young people to it—and more wonderful how they manage to live when they get here. The nation of small cities is the better off but the rural population persists in flocking into urban life.

"The aim of industrial education which has taken a new impetus thruout the country is to raise the trades in popular estimation."

Millions For Hogs.

Thirty-six million dollars has gone into farmers' pockets during month of January as a result of the phenomenal shipments of hogs which have poured into Chicago, Kansas City and other points for the past few weeks, It is estimated that 4,000,000 hogs reached primary receiving points. This breaks all previous January records including the last one, which was made in January 1901. In addition to this another $4,000,000 worth of porkers were slaughtered on the farms. Taking the country as a whole it is the heaviest run of hogs in trade history. Iowa South Dakota Minnesota and Wisconsin have made the heaviest contributions to the movement and the receipts at Milwaukee and St. Paul show enormous gains. The cattle trade is in a rut at present and prices for sheep and lambs are low. The hog movement, however, proves the soundness of the livestock business in the west and successfully disposes of the theory that the present industrial depression is based on any real depreciation in value of the natural resources of the country.

Student Shoots Himself.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 5. — Robert Sedgwick Minot, Jr., of Dover, Mass., a freshman at Harvard university, was taken to the Stillman infirmary late yesterday with a bullet wound in his head, thought to have been self-inflicted. It was said that he had been worrying much of late over his studies. His recovery is doubtful.

Famous Abolitionist Dead.

Alton, Ill., Feb. 5.—Joseph C. Burton, the last survivor of the meeting in Alton in 1834, at which the first abolitionist organization in Illinois was formed, died here yesterday, aged ninety-three years.

Lewis Heads Mine Workers.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 5.—Thomas L. Lewis of Bridgeport, Ohio, was declared elected president of the United Mine Workers of America at yesterday's closing session of the annual convention.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy an improvement on the laxatives of former years as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. For sale by all druggists.

WHY IT SUCCEEDS

Because It's for One Thing Only and Crookston People Appreciate This

Nothing can be god for everything.

Doing one thing well brings success

Doan's Kidney Pills do one thing only.

They cure sick kidneys.

They cure backache, every kidney ill.

Here is Crookston evidence to prove it.

Mrs. E. P. Spink, og 509 Broadway, N., Crookston, Minn., says: "My husband was troubled for years with backache. Some derangement of the kidneys had almost paralyzed him and caused him a great deal of suffering. This condition resisted the use of every remedy until Doan's Kidney Pills were procured at Wallace's Drug store They helped him from the first and a continuation of their use brought, renewed strength to the parts affected and benefitted his entire system."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

STATE PRESS

The Trust Problem

Princeton Union: We have studied this trust problem and have come to the conclusion that the government is not equal to the task of dissolving the combines. So the only way we can see of getting even with the monopolies is to save our money and buy stock in them.

Not Yet Started

St. Cloud Journal-Press: The state papers are saying some kind things of E. T. Young, but the gubernatorial band wagon hasn't started yet. There is a general impression that Jacobson has three of the wheels up in his shop at Madison and the other is located in the rear of Bob Dunn's print shop at Princeton. And there is not snow enough for runners.

Not Servants

Albert Lea Standard: A clique of besotted bosses in congress assume that they are the government and not merely servants employed to represent the people, and the people by re electing them confirm the assumption

No Siree!!

Anoka Herald: Now that the county printing is all settled let's hope that the brethren of the press will pull off that tense expression which they have been wearing when they meet one another.

Driver Has Leg Broken by Ice.

Cambridge, Minn., Feb. 1.—Manny Helene, while hauling ice for M. C. Strait had both legs broken. He was driving down a small hill, when the ice cakes slipped, carried the driver down and fell upon him.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

STEPHENS HALL—

The last of the masonry was completed this week when the imposing entrance was completed. This part of the stone work was not completed last fall with the rest of the mason work but the fine winter has permitted the work to be completed. The carpenters have all the time been busy on the wood work.

LITERARY SOCIETY—

The last Saturday night literary program was one of the best of the series every one taking part, doing very credibly. The question for debate was, "Resolved that character has more influence than money". The debaters were Miss Pederson, and Messrs. Regeimbaland Kelsven for the affirmative and Messrs. Ecklund, Monson and Olaf Nelson for the negative. The affirmative won. The new officers elected were Pres., Mons Munson; Vice Pres., Marius Sether; Sec., Miss Pederson; Treas. Louis Fosbakken; Sergeant at Arms, Mr. Monson.

NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT—

The literary exercises next Saturday night are expected to be very interesting it being the occasion of the annual debating contest between the agricultural school and the Crookston Business College. The question will be, "Resolved that George Washington did more good for his country than Abraham Lincoln." The school has the negative (Lincoln) side of the debate and will be represented by Robert Erlandson, leader, Marius Sether and Albert Petterson. The Business College colors will be borne by Frank Raff, leader, Bertha Fosse and Carl Frisvold, and they will try to convince the judges that Washington was the most useful.

The following program will also be rendered.

Music, College Orchestra.
Recitation Mr. Mons Munson.
Vocal Duet, Mrs. Wm. Robertson and Mr. Danielson.
Recitation, Miss Hazel Wilkinson.
Reading, Mrs. Oscar Opdahl.
Song by the Society.
Debate.

About 200 business college students and many other interested visitors are expected to attend the meeting.

SABBATH SERVICES—

The Sabbath day services last Sunday were very nice the students were fortunate in having the privilege of listening to Prof. Squires of the University of North Dakota. Next Sunday Atty. A. A. Miller will favor the school with an address at the Sabbath services.

POLK COUNTY FARMERS' CLUB—

Preparations are being made to entertain the Polk County Farmers' Club when they meet in Crookston which will be the latter part of this month. This club is a state institution and is composed of agricultural school students; graduates and their wives and husbands. The meetngs will be held in the city but the school will give them a program entertainment also.

PREPARING TO ENTERTAIN—

The editors of the valley who have so kindly assisted the school in publishing its articles and giving publicity to its benefits to the farmer, will be invited in the near future to partake of its hospitality for one day. The day has not been definitely set but it is expected to be in the third week of February.

PART OF ROUTINE—

From time to time we will attempt to give part of the daily routine of the classes so as to inform the public as to our work. The industrial classes are in two grades B and C. Class C are the freshmen and are divided in two classes as to their proficiency to do the work, the boys' section of this class spends part of the afternoons of Tuesdays, and Fridays at carpentry, Wednesday and Friday at blacksmithing, and Thursday at mechanical drawing. The girls are meanwhile learning the art of cooking, sewing laundry and the other arts pertaining to the domestic sciences. Class B or the sophomores during these hours on regular days are churning, testing vegetable gardening and experimenting in dairy chemistry. The girls and boys all take this work and are appropriately gowned therefore. So if any one is interested in this class of work and knows when we are doing it, they are cordially invited to be present.

MANY SPEAKING DATES—

Prof. Robertson attended the farmers' meeting at Warren Tuesday and was on the program for a lecture, and next week will speak at McIntosh at a farmers' club meeting. Prof Harrington is scheduled to read a paper at the Douglas county teachers' and school officers' meeting that will be held at Alexandria on Feb. 15. The faculty of the Crookston school is recognized as very proficient and is constantly called upon to attend meetings which they are pleased to do.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT—

The hens and roosters are the pride and delight of every student and visitor on the farm and Mr. Brown the manager of this department is very solicitous of his pets and general satisfaction is manifest at the number of ribbons awarded to the farm exhibit at the recent poultry show in Crookston. The farm exhibit received ten prizes, six first, three second and one third. Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Leghorn, and Buff rpington chickens, and a few pens of ducks and geese were exhibited. Mr. Brown is at the present time receiving many inquiries regarding the care and breeding of chickens, also for remedies for the ailing, which tends to show there is an increased interest in this class of the farm product.

STOCK BARNS—

There is very little to be said regarding the stock this time of the year altho feed tests are being constantly conducted much to the enlightenment of th e students and the visiting farmers who are seeking the best results. Lambing season is at hand and there are already many of the little pets born, to increase the inhabitants of the barns. This may seem early but if the facilities for care taking are alright it is advisable as the lambs will come to maturity a season earlier.

Newspaper Burned Out.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 4.—The four-story brick building containing the mechanical department of the Plain Dealer Publishing company was practically destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss on building and contents is estimated at $200,000.

Mistake Corrected

Correct the mistake of risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. For sale by all druggists.

KING AND CROWN PRINCE ARE SLAIN BY ASSASSINS

Portuguese Royal Family Attacked by Regicides While Driving in Street.

MANUEL IS PROCLAIMED KING

Second Son, Who Was Wounded by Assassins, Is Now Ruler; Country Overwhelmed.

QUEEN TRIES TO SAVE SONS

Heroic Act of Mother Is Too Late; Three Regicides Killed; Rumor of a Republic.

Lisbon, Feb. 4.—King Carlos of Portugal and the crown prince, Luiz Philippe, were assassinated Saturday while driving in an open carriage. All Portugal is overwhelmed at the tragedy.

Story of the Tragedy.

No more beautiful day could be imagined than that which hereafter will mark the date on which King Carlos and Crown Prince Luiz met their death at the hands of assassins. Returning from a sojourn at the king's estate at Villa Vicosa, accompanied by the queen, the crown prince and the infant Manuel, the sovereign seemingly was in a happy mood when he stepped into the carriage in waiting at the railroad station. Thousands of spectators, gayly attired, in combination with the bright decorations, set out to welcome the royal family, made an animated scene.

Take Escort by Surprise.

It was because of the beautiful weather that an open carriage was in waiting for the royal family, and when they took their places they were greeted with some lifting of hats, but mostly in silence. Then as the carriage sharply turned into the Rua do Arsenal there was a cracking of guns and a shower of bullets tore their way into the bodies of the king and crown prince and the little prince, who proved to be an easy target. The assassins, numbering six in all, boldly ran up to the sides of the carriage and poured in a hail of lead before the stupefied escort could intervene. The king and crown prince, half rising, fell back into the cushions, the blood gushing from their wounds.

Tries to Shield Her Sons.

Queen Amelie, uttering a scream that could be heard by all who had not become frenzied by the attack, threw herself toward her sons, shielding their bodies with her own. She frantically struck at the murderers with a bouquet of roses which she had been carrying, but even in the face of this the men fired again and again. As he saw his father and his brother fall, Prince Manuel whipped out a revolver and discharged it at the men, but he was himself struck on the right arm by a bullet from a carbine. A footman in the carriage also was wounded, and it was stated that a bullet grazed the queen's shoulder, but did not do her harm.

Three Regicides Killed.

Only mounted police accompanied the carriage, as the king had refused military escort. The attack came from the rear, for it was found afterwards that the king had been shot in the back of the neck, and it was so entirely unexpected that the murderers had employed their carbines and revolvers almost before the police knew what was going on and had turned to flee into the crowd that now, panic-stricken, had dropped back before their weapons. The guard charged upon them, pursuing them down the street and riddling three of them with bullets. Hundreds of the people joined in the pursuit and the others of the band of assassins were made prisoners.

Grief Is Heartrending.

The royal carriage had by this time been driven into the quadrangle and the gates of the arsenal were shut. The grief of the queen and Prince Manuel was heartbreaking.

The news of the assassination spread like wildfire and thousands of people, bewildered and terrified, poured into the streets. Soon the troops and police occupied all the prominent places and the people hurried to their homes and barricaded the doors and windows to await in fear the unknown future. The strictest measures were taken by the officers in charge of the troops to suppress the slightest sign of disorder, but their work was light. There have been no disturbances in Lisbon in the last twenty-four hours, and Sunday passed off only in the deepest gloom, with the populace mourning on every hand.

Queen Sits With Her Dead.

The bodies of the king and crown prince rest in the royal palace, and beside them the queen sat throughout the night, sometimes with her hand pressing the forehead of King Carlos and sometimes stroking the face of the dead crown prince. The condition of the newly proclaimed king, Manuel, is satisfactory to the physicians in attendance. His wounds are not severe, and if there are no complications, of which there are no signs now, he is expected to make speedy recovery. He carries his arm in a sling and declares that he suffers no pain.

The bodies of King Carlos and Prince Luiz were embalmed yesterday and will lie in state, according to the custom of the court. The funeral probably will be held on Feb. 10.

Work of Revolutionaries.

The republicans disclaim responsibility for the assassinations, which they lay at the doors of the anarchists, but the identification of a dead regicide as a cavalry sergeant is accepted by many officials as proof that the assassinations were the work of revolutionaries, who had successfully spread the propaganda, smuggled in arms and bombs, and who, headed by prominent republicans, plotted to proclaim a republic a fortnight ago.

FARM LOANS

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THAW CRAZY

Not Guilty of Murder, by Reason of Insanity, Is the Verdict of the Jury.

IS RUSHED TO THE MADHOUSE

Court Rules Prisoner Dangerous Person and Commits Him to Matteawan Asylum.

New York, Feb. 4.—Adjudged not guilty of the murder of Stanford White by reason of insanity at the time the fatal shots were fired. Harry Kendall Thaw Saturday was held by the court to be a dangerous lunatic and was whirled away to the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan.

The verdict came after twenty-five hours of waiting and when every one connected with the case had abandoned all hope of an agreement ever being reached in this or any other trial.

To Asylum in Four Hours.

Four hours after the foreman's lips had framed the words "not guilty," with the accompanying insanity clause, Thaw, protesting that he was sane, was on his way to Matteawan. A little after nightfall he had been received in the institution under commitment papers which directed his detention "until discharged by due course of law."

No more unwilling patient ever made a journey to a state institution.

Bows Haughty Thanks.

The first thrill of the words of acquittal brought Thaw to his feet in the court room, and with that lack of grace which always has characterized his movements he awkwardly, almost haughtily, bowed his acknowledgments to the twelve jurymen as they were discharged by the court. A smile played about his pallid features and there was every reason to believe that he was entirely pleased with the outcome.

It was after he had heard the words of Justice Dowling committing him to Matteawan on the ground that his release, in the opinion of the court, would endanger the public safety, and after the elation of the verdict had died away, that Thaw rebelled.

In Fear of Madhouse.

He commanded his attorneys immediately to swear out a writ of habeas corpus to have his sanity tested before he was sent away to the up-state institution where the insane of criminal tendency are confined.

Under promise that some action speedily will be taken looking to the appointment of a commission to inquire into his present sanity or for his transfer to a private institution, where his wife and other members of the family might reside with him, Thaw consented to go without further protest.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous a they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

ANOTHER PRINTER — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. English of Grand Forks were yesterday presented with a fine baby girl their second, and there is great rejoicing in the Darkow home.

HAD A BIRTHDAY—Chas. Hoeft yesterday had a birthday. It was his 29th, and all his friends in the city did not fail to remember just what the trouble was.

HAD THE GRIP—John Carter, the well known citizen and Salvation Army man made his appearance this morning for the first time in two weeks. He says he is still weak but it able to pound the drum so it can be heard for two blocks.

Why get up in the morning feeling blue,
Worry others and worry you;
Here's a secret between you and me,
Better take Rocky Mountain Tea.—
A. G. Andersen.

A WHOLESALER HERE — J. W. Orness, of the firm of Orness Esswein and Co., wholesaler dealer in groceries, etc., who make a specialty of cheese and fish is spending the day in the city. He sold a couple of whales to J. A. McCaffrey weighing 13,000 and 17,999 pounds each respectively.

WAS AT FORKS— Arnold Weber spent yesterday at East Grand Forks the guest of Isaac Larson who is at present employed in a large hardware store at that place. Mr. Weber enjoyed his trip very much having met a large number of old friends.

IN EARLY DAYS—"Doc" Rutledge in the Bemidji Pioneer tells of an early day anecdote in this city in the following: "H. J. Tonskemper who so ably represents the T. M. Partridge company of Duluth, was circulating among local business men here yesterday and last evening. Mr. Tonskemper says that our old friend Frank Gravelle is enjoying the best of health over in that wicked town of Duluth. We can't forget the time that Frank officiated as judge at a baby show at a county fair at Crookston, some ten years ago. Frank gave a personal prize to every one of the "kids" and he is the only man we know of who ever escaped from a similar position with a whole hide."

If you suffer with indigestion, constipation, feel mean and cross, no strength or appetite, your system is unhealthy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the system strong and healthy, 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

Vivian Sheldrew a carpenter of East Grand Forks was arrested yesterday charged with cruel and inhuman treatment of his wife, and was placed under a bond to keep the peace. Sheldrew, it is said, had been rather strange for the last several weeks and his neighbors say that he seldom sleeps and acts as if he was somewhat deranged. A grand finale to a series of family troubles was brought about yesterday when he is said to have chased his wife out of the house with an ax and to have performed other acts not befitting a civilized person.

It is expected that he will behave himself for a time and the bonds will undoubtedly be an incentive to good behavior.

The residence of S. H. Cook one mile north of Northome was destroyed by fire yesterday. Clifford, the oldest son, rescued his little brother and sister by throwing them out of a second story window, but was himself overcome by smoke and perished in the flames.

Mrs. Cook jumped from a window in the upper floor and was badly cut about the face hands and arms.

Mr. Cook attempted to enter the building and was terribly burned about the face and hands. Both are in a precarious condition but will recover.

The two children thrown out of the window by their brother were only slightly injured. Mr. Cook is manager for the Stone-Cook Lumber company.

From Tuesday's Daily

A MARRIAGE LICENSE—A marriage license was issued today to Olaf Lebacken and Miss Margaret Rusten of McIntosh.

A PLEASANT TRIP—Mark Killam returned Sunday morning from Plummer where he visited for a few days with friends and relatives. He makes his home with the family of Mike Wentzel west of the city.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—J. H. Maybury returned this morning from Minneapolis where he has been attending to professional business for the past few days. He says things are very quiet in the cities.

BACK FROM SEATTLE — John Waterstradt returned this morning from a trip to the Coast which he took to look over the country but conditions are far from satisfactory in the West at present and not very encouraging to one from this locality.

AN IRON FARMER—Herman Acker drove in from Euclid this morning with a load of iron which he sold here at a good price and returned home with a load of sawdust. This is a case where a farmer had the dust when he came to town and returned with still more of it.

REMAINS BROUGHT BACK—The remains of J. A. Johnson, 26 years of age, arrived from Minneapolis this morning and the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from Chesterman's Undertaking Parlors. His uncle O. P. Johnson, took charge of the remains. The cause of death which occurred in Minneapolis was pneumonia.

Builds up waste tissue, promotes appetite, improves digestion, induces refreshing sleep, giving renewed strength and health. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

TO VISIT OLD HOME

Nic. Bertrand who for years has been employed at the Cleveland Hotel is to leave tonight for a two months' trip which will be spent visiting his aged parents in the Province of Luxemburg whom he has not seen for a good many years. He anticipates a most delightful trip to the home of his childhood and will take with him the best wishes of a host of friends.

MAKE GOOD MONEY—Will Kohler, formerly of Euclid, was in the city last evening and while here deeded a quarter section of land in North Dakota to another party for a cash consideration of $2900. The land was a homestead upon which he filed three years ago, and the sale price represents clear profit to him for three years' work. This is a neat sum to make in that time and is a nice nest egg for Mr. Kohler.

CAPTAIN HAS STIFF NECK — Capt. Vonderbeck of the local police force returned this morning from Stillwater where with Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea, he went with Mike Murphy. He remained in St. Paul and Minneapolis for a day and when he arrived here this morning he had a malignant attack of stiff neck caused from rubbering at the high buildings of the cities. He is using Mustang linament to reduce the swelling.

Cascasweet, the well known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Wm. Wentzel is in the city today calling on his friends and reports that a fine specimen of deer was seen on his father's farm on section 12 in the Town of Lowell, seven miles west of the city. This is a very rare thing in recent years and the best theory advanced is that some knowing doe strayed from the big game preserves looking for a mate knowing that it is leap year.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

From Wednesday's Daily

TO MINNEAPOLIS— A. Lariviere left last evening for Minneapolis where he will spend a couple of weeks visiting with relatives and friends and attending to some business matters.

TO GRAND FORKS—C. D. Billings left this morning for Grand Forks where he will look after business interests for a few days during the illness of his partner in the laundry business in East Grand Forks, Mr. Kaiser.

AWAY ON BUSINESS — Andrew Lariviere departed last night for St. Paul and Minneapolis where he will spend a week attending to some business matters and may take a short run out to nearby towns to visit relatives.

BACK TO EUCLID— Will Kohler returned to Euclid this morning after attending to business matters here for a day. While here he completed the sale of his North Dakota farm for which he received $2900. This is clear profit for three years work but had the farm been located in the Red River Valley it would have been worth twice that sum.

TO VISIT WADENA—Wilbur Perry who has been giving moving picture shows in this section of the country left last night for Wadena where he will spend a few weeks with his parents intending to return to this section of the country in the early spring He made many friends during his many visits to Crookston, which he has made his headquarters for some time past.

IN BRAND NEW DUDS—The pool room of John Smith in the Rolsch block on Second Street has just received a new set of skirts in the shape of a new ceiling and walls, with all the interior woodwork repainted and redecorated. The place is now one of the most attractive in the northwest and the genial proprietor blossomed out this morning in a new standup collar with sideboards.

TO SOUTHWEST—Joe Nelson and Wm. Sullivan departed last night for St. Paul where they will spend two or three days and then depart for St. Louis and points in the remote southwestern portions of the United States where they will spend the winter. The gentlemen are among the most popular young members of the O. R. C. running out of Crookston on the Great Northern.

COLD PLUNGE IN RIVER

FRANK ARRIES TOOK INVOLUNTARY BATH EARLY THIS MORNING

WAS HAULED OUT, UNINJURD BY HIS FELLOW WORKMEN

From Wednesday's Daily—

This morning Frank Arries while loading ice for John Helstab on the Red Lake River near the Walsh residence, stepped in an open space which was covered by heavy snow and went into the river clear to his neck.

Two of his fellow workmen pulled him out and being uninjured he ran home changed his clothing and was again at work before dinner.

Had he slipped under the ice the result might have been fatal.

What Everybody Wants

Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

A SUCCESSFUL VALLEY FARMER

CAME FROM IOWA FOUR YEARS AGO AND MADE GOOD MONEY ON FARM

Ole Brown one of the progressive farmer citizens of Donaldson is in the city on a visit to his daughter Mrs. H. O. Johnson. Mr. Brown is one of the valley's most optimistic boomers He came to this section four years ago and invested heavily in lands and started right in to put the same on paying basis and has succeeded beyond his anticipation. Mr. Brown is also an extensive contractor in grade and ditch work having put in a large ditch on the experimental farm and also dug one six miles long northeast of Euclid last year. He was a visitor at the agricultural school and experimental farm yesterday, institutions which he takes a great deal of interest in.

IMPLEMENT DEALERS

LARGE ATTENDANCE PRESENT AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION AT FORKS

SECRETARY CARPENTER ADVOCATES A SALARIED SECRETARY

Peter Gramer and Will Stone returned this morning from Grand Forks where the North Dakota and Northwestern Minnesota Implement Dealers Association opened its annual convention yesterday. They report a splendid gathering and state that a splendid banquet with other entertainment was provided in the Commercial club rooms last evening.

During the past year, Secretary Carpenter of this city has made up a list of the implement dealers engaged in business in the territory covered by the association. There are about 800 members and only about 175 of these are members of the association. A discussion of the settlement of difficulties which come up from time to time was gone into, the secretary giving an illustration of the method employed by a certain farmer in securing goods from a jobbing firm.

"If out of the 800 dealers that are in the state, this association could have a membership of 500 or 600 they could build up an organization that would be a power for good in the land that no manufacturer or jobber would care to go contrary to," said Secretary Carpenter. "I have always advocated and still think that the best thing for this association is for it to have a paid secretary to devote his time to the work. Of course this cannot be done until such a time as the membership can be increased to a sufficient number to bring the revenues to pay a secretary's salary. If the association was increased to 500 or 600, it would give an income of $2500 a year which would permit of paying the salary of a competent man and allow him some money for traveling expenses, so that he could get out and make some trips through the territory and brace up the dealers and assist them in various ways in the problems that confront them at various times. I hope that some day this state of affairs can be brought about."

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are sold by A. G. Andersen.

LEM RAFFERTY PASSED AWAY

ANOTHER VALLEY PIONEER IS CALLED TO GREAT BEYOND TODAY

Many friends in this city and vicinity will be shocked to learn of the death of Lem Rafferty at his home at Warren at an early hour this morning after an illness of several weeks.

Deceased since the early days has been manager of the large Woodward farm near Warren but for the past few years has made his residence in Warren. He was a broadminded, big hearted man who has spent the best part of his life in developing the Woodward farm, and was very successful.

He was 57 years of age and leaves a widow and two children, the children by his first wife both having died a few years before the death of their mother seven years ago.

The funeral services will be held from the house tomorrow afternoon from the residence at Warren and the remains will be shipped to the old home of the deceased at Eau Claire, Wis.

Mayor McPhee of this city will be one of the pall bearers, and James and Thomas Nesbet of Western Polk Co., will also attend the funeral.

DEATH CLAIMS JUDGE CAROTHERS

GRAND FORKS ATTORNEY PASSED AWAY AT HOSPITAL FOLLOWING OPERATION

Judge R. M. Carothers the well known Grand Forks attorney died yesterday morning at 4 o'clock after an illness of a week. He had been critically ill for two days and for several hours it was known that there was no hope for him. Following an operation he rallied for a few days and it was believed he would recover.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

SLAYER OF PETER TASDALE

ARRESTED AT MINOT ON INFORMATION FROM MONTANA AUTHORITIES

JEROME McINTOSH IS CHARGED WITH KILLING PETER TASDALE ON RANCH

Charged with murdering Peter Tasdale a ranchman at Fort Benton, Mont Jerome McIntosh, arrested in Minot by Policeman Art Day was taken back to that city today.

Mr. Tasdale who was killed was a brother-in-law of Nels Peterson of this city and was worth about $50,000. He lived in a lonely cottage and used to keep a large quantity of money in his house. At one time he had about $200 in a drawer in a table. It is alleged that McIntosh who has a bad reputation entered the house while the ranchman was there and took $4 which was on the table. According to the story the ranchman pitched onto McIntosh and got the $4 back. McIntosh did not know at the time about the $200 in the drawer.

Plans for Mystic Toilers.

Des Moines, Feb. 4. — Elaborate plans are being made here for the entertainment of the national convention of the Mystic Toilers on Feb. 18. It is expected that 400 people will attend.

Murdered in Philippines.

Washington, Feb. 4. — Anna E. Hahn, one of the first American school teachers to go to the Philippines, was murdered at Batangas, Island of Luzon, Jan. 29. No details are given.

Negro Shot to Death.

Quitman, Ga., Feb. 4.—Charles Pitman, a negro barber who was arrested on suspicion of being the murderer of Miss Lorena Allen, at Greenville, Fla., was shot to death last night.

Fire Loss, $100,000; Two Hurt.

Louisville, Feb. 4. — The Second Presbyterian church was almost totally destroyed by fire. The loss is about $100,000. Two firemen were injured.

BIG MEETING AT ST. HILAIRE

FARMERS AND DAIRYMEN TO MEET THERE ON FEBRUARY 21ST

HON. J. R. MORLEY WILL BE ONE OF THE LEADING SPEAKERS ON LIST

A large farmers' and dairymen's meeting will be held at St. Hilaire on Friday, February 21st.

Besides other speakers the Hon J. R. Morley of Owatonna, Secretary of the State Dairymen's Association will be present and give one of his very interesting and practical talks on some subject of great interest to the dairy men of the Red River Valley.

The St. Hilaire Creamery was organized six years ago on the 21st of February and this meeting is a good way to celebrate its birthday as it were.

There are some farmers and dairymen near Crookston who will without doubt attend this meeting.

Geo. L. Austin, the buttermaker at the St. Hilaire creamery is one of the best in the entire state.

CRAZED BY FIRE.

Burning of Neighbor's House Excites Biwabik Woman.

Biwabik, Minn., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Frank Globoker, living next to a house that burned Sunday night, has become violently insane as a result of the excitement connected with the blaze. She is to be taken before the probate court at Duluth for examination.

A Night Alarm

Worse than an alar mof fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL MISSIONARY

The following is a report of the work accomplished by C. M. Williams Sunday school missionary representing the American Sunday school union in eight counties in Northwest Minnesotaa who has been known as the missionary for the Crookston district for the past six years.

Number of new Sunday schools organized in communities where none existed 64 with 192 teachers and 2226 scholars, Sunday schools reorganized 43 with 139 teachers and 1672 scholars, this makes a total number of 107 Sunday schols put in operation. Sunday schools given aid and encouragement by visit or otherwise for the first time number 65 with 426 teachers and 6038 scholars, then Sunday schools were given aid by visits or otherwise that had been previously visited 559 times. Thus the missionary was enabled to give some good encouragement at different times to 2506 teachers and 30,157 scholars this means of course that he visited a great number of Sunday schools from three to six times during the six years

Number of visits made to homes and most of these were in homes in the rural districts 10,770, number of addresses delivered in school house, home, or church 1,052, number of persons publicly making profession of faith in Christ 485.

Preaching stations have been opened in conection with 21 of the Union Sunday schools organized where some neighboring minister has established regular services. Churches have been organized as a definite outgrowth from Union Sunday schools in 5 communities these represent three different denominations and at three of these places there have been church buildings erected to the worship of God.

Number of Bbles and Testaments distributed by sale or gift 1312, literature distributed representing the American Sunday School Union Publications by sale or gift amounted to $517.00 and over 6000 pounds of good second hand literature sent to the missionary by friends was given away also articles of good clothing for the comfort of the needy children numbering 2,350.

Over 3600 letters have been written in the interest of the work. There has been during the six years in the neighborhood of $3,000 raised over the field toward the support of the work. The missionary in accomplishing the work has travelled 42,251 miles.

We would like to thank all those who have had any part in making this good work possible among the neglected children of the remote districts in this section of Minnesota, and assure them that all has been most heartily appreciated by the missionary and those connected with him in this great work for the Master.

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America Is Ruled by Half a Dozen Men.

By Congressman W. BOURKE COCKRAN of New York.

DURING THE LAST TEN YEARS THE ENTIRE CONTROL OF PRODUCTIVE AGENCIES HAS PASSED INTO THE HANDS OF A FEW MEN—NOT A DOZEN IN NUMBER, LESS THAN HALF A DOZEN. FRANKLY, IF YOU ASK ME TO GIVE THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO ENTIRELY DOMINATE THE ENTIRE INDUSTRIAL FIELD I COULD NOT MENTION MORE THAN FOUR TO SAVE MY LIFE, AND IF I MENTIONED THEM I AM QUITE SATISFIED THAT YOU WOULD ALL REALIZE THAT THEIR COMBINATION IS STRONGER THAN ANY GOVERNMENT THAT EVER EXISTED.

The agencies of production—that is, the source from which commodities are created and the agencies of transportation by which they are exchanged—are dominated by LESS THAN HALF A DOZEN MEN. I think we will take the names of Rockefeller, Morgan, Harriman and Hill, and for a fifth we will say Armour, and you have all that PRACTICALLY CONTROL THE IMPORTANT INDUSTRIES AND AGENCIES OF TRANSPORTATION. Not merely do they control these agencies, but by the influence which this control gives them of VAST DEPOSITS they have come to dominate our financial institutions, our great insurance companies, our leading banks and trust companies.

WHAT, THEN, DOES IT SIGNIFY BUT THAT THEY CONTROL NOT MERELY THE AGENCIES OF PRODUCTION AND EXCHANGE, BUT CONTROL THE AGENCIES OF CREDIT—THE ENTIRE INDUSTRIAL LIFE OF A COMMUNITY?

The power has been transferred from the officers who were chosen to powers whose identity we cannot even fix, for, although I have given four or five names of those who are associated with the domination of these enterprises, THERE IS NO CERTAINTY THAT THEY ARE REALLY THE PERSONS THAT CONTROL THEM.

Mr. Rockefeller, for instance, is generally assumed to be a dominant figure in the oil industry and other corporations, but he himself has said he has NOTHING to do with them, and there are no means of determining whether the public impression or his denial comes the nearer to the truth.

We have had all manner of government, but we have NEVER BEFORE had a government exercising all the power without knowing who proposed it. We have had despots all through the history of the world, and some of them were very capricious. Sometimes they disappeared from public gaze while their decrees were being executed, but THERE WAS NEVER ANY DOUBT AS TO THE IDENTITY OF THE DESPOT.

National Bank Idea Killed by Andrew Jackson.

By WILLIAM G. SUMNER, Professor of Political and Social Science, Yale University.

IT is not creditable to the country that the currency question should recur so OFTEN, but as the government of the country is democratic-republican there is NO ONE TO BLAME BUT OURSELVES. Banks in the past have played the devil with currency. They have the power—gone the limit.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF THE UNITED STATES WAS KILLED DEAD FOREVER BY ANDREW JACKSON AND NICHOLAS BIDDLE. ANDREW JACKSON DID NOT KNOW MUCH, AND BIDDLE DID NOT KNOW MUCH MORE. THERE IS NO REASON WHY WE SHOULD NOT HAVE A NATIONAL BANK OF THE UNITED STATES IF WE WANT ONE, BUT JACKSON HAS PUT HIS FOOT ON IT SO HEAVY THAT THE IMPRINT REMAINS INDELIBLE. I THINK THE SYSTEM OF THE IMPERIAL BANK OF GERMANY IS ADMIRABLE.

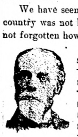
Our politics and our currency are AT WAR ALWAYS, and the former comes out the stronger. This congress will be full of currency. Every member will have a separate bill when they set the thing loose. God only knows what will come. I think we would better stick to what we have. THE PRESENT CURRENCY IS BAD, IT IS UNSCIENTIFIC, IT IS NOT CONNECTED WITH SPECIE, AND THERE IS NO TRUE BASIS FOR IT. It is the greatest conceivable foolishness. Some day we may get ready for some GRAND REFORM, but until we do let us hang on to what we have.

No Fears For America's Future.

By WHITELAW REID, Ambassador to Great Britain.

NOTHING could be more un-American than to be downcast over TEMPORARY discouragements or to despair of the republic because some of our people unhappily have lost their money ALMOST AS FAST AS THEY HAVE MADE IT.

We have seen such things before, and it was WORSE when the country was not half so big or half so rich as it is now, and we have not forgotten how we came out of them.



WHEN THE CLOUDS ROLL BY IT WILL BE SEEN THAT WE STILL HAVE THE COUNTRY THAT PROVIDENCE GAVE US, THAT WE STILL HAVE A PEOPLE AND THAT WE STILL HAVE THE BOUNDLESS OPPORTUNITIES WHICH, AFTER EVERY REVERSE IN THE PAST, INVARIABLY HAVE SPEEDILY LIFTED US HIGHER AND YET HIGHER. GIVEN THESE, WHAT AMERICAN FEARS THE RESULT?

In most respects our country NEVER has been in a happier position than today. It is not merely at peace, but on terms of absolute good will, with all the world.

The men of today have not lost the FAITH OF THEIR FATHERS, and they are not unworthy the inheritance they have received. They have seen clouds before, but their hearts are as brave and glad as those of the Plymouth pilgrims or the heroes of the civil war.

A Broken Vow.

By JANE LUDLUM LEE.

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"Shall I put this gray dress in the trunk, Alice, or do you think it will be too thin?"

This remark was addressed to a disconsolate looking girl who sat huddled up in a big armchair at the window day dreaming. Her dark, red brown hair had not been combed, and her dress consisted of a pink silk wrapper carelessly tied around the waist. No answer was forthcoming to the question.

"Alice, do you hear me?"

"Yes—that is, no, auntie—that is, I don't care. I don't want any clothes."

"But, my child, you can't go to a hotel without clothes. Come; you must help me with the packing. I'll attend to the body of the trunk, and you pack the tray."

Alice moved leisurely from her corner and languidly threw some trifles in the trunk. She went over to her desk and scratched off a hasty note while her aunt finished her part of the packing. Finally the task was finished, and Alice offered to lock the trunk. This she did, putting the key in her purse.

"THIS IS NOT MY TRUNK AT ALL!"

"Thank you, auntie. I'll be ready promptly at 2, and ask Mary to mail this letter, please."

At about the same hour Willard Kean was walking the floor of his handsome bachelor apartment in a fashionable district of the city.

"I'll be darned if it was my fault, and I'll be darned if I apologize. She can just sulk it out, and I'll leave town where I'll not be tempted. Perry, Perry!" he called, and a little Japanese servant appeared.

"Throw a few of my duds into a trunk, will you? I'm off for a few days at Hot Springs. You know what I'll need—dress suit, dinner coat and a few togs for loafing on the piazza. And, Perry, be quick about it, for I'm going on the first train out."

Perry began his task, bobbing in and out of the room, his arms laden with linen, fancy vests, suits, etc. When the packing was finished he asked for the key.

"I'll lock it," replied his master. "You call a cab. That train leaves about 2 o'clock, and if I miss it there will be just one less Jap in this town tomorrow."

Kean walked to the mantelpiece, picked up something, threw it in the trunk and locked the latter. He caught the 2 o'clock train and settled himself in his section.

Alice and her aunt made the same train and were soon comfortably fixed in the stateroom of the adjoining car. Orders were given that meals should be served to them there, while Kean ate in the regular diner.

After a half hour of absolute silence auntie opened the conversation.

"Alice, dear, you must pull yourself together. Willard Kean is not the only man in the world. We really cannot afford this trip, and you must try to get some benefit from it. Hot Springs is full of young people, and I simply cannot have you going about with that long face."

"I didn't want to take the trip. I didn't want anything except to be let alone. I don't want to get any benefit, and I simply will not try to be pleasant to anybody, so there now."

Auntie dropped the conversation for a time more propitious. The next day brought them to Hot Springs, where they got off and drove to the hotel. The clerk assigned them to a room, and they asked that their trunks be sent up at once. Two trunks were soon delivered, and Alice stopped to unlock hers. The key went in rather hard. It turned harder, but finally it gave to the strength of her hand. She opened the lid, and her own photograph stared her in the face.

"Auntie, did you put that picture in here?"

"Certainly not, my dear. Why should I? Besides, I have none like that."

"Auntie, this is most peculiar. This is not my trunk at all! Why, see, it is full of men's shirts, vests, ties, etc. It's all a mistake except the picture. There's no mistake about that. It's mine, all right enough. But what is it doing in a strange man's trunk?"

"Maybe the photographer sold it to him."

"Maybe he did, auntie, but look on the back: 'To the dearest sweetheart in the world—Alice.' That picture I gave to Jack just after we were engaged. The owner of this trunk is a common thief, and I'll report him to the hotel management. Help me fix my hair, auntie. I am going right to the office and have this matter adjusted at once."

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Kean dropped off the car at Hot Springs, sauntered up to the hotel and went to his room, where he lit his pipe and began walking the floor. A knock at the door interrupted his thoughts, and he opened it to let in the men with his trunk.

"That's not my trunk, you muttonhead! Get out of here with it!"

"Marked with your name, sir, on the tag. Just try your key and see if you are sure it's wrong."

Kean took out his key ring, all the while talking as he fitted the key in the lock.

"Sure it's wrong! Why, you thick headed chump, don't a man know his own baggage? What is this—a hotel or a batty house? Holy Moses!" he exclaimed as the key fitted and the trunk opened upon a large photograph of himself in a leather frame.

"All right, boys, my mistake," he added as he handed each man a dollar bill.

Left alone, he picked up the photograph and walked with it to the window, pinched himself to see if he was alive, then laughed, then swore. Examining the trunk, he realized it was not his, as he had no use for silk petticoats and lingerie dresses.

"I'll keep this photo, all right, all right, but the lady can have her trunk," he mused as he made his way to the office. The clerk smiled as he made the complaint.

"Come right with me, will you, Mr. Kean? A lady just came down from room 411 who, I think, can explain this mistake and give you your rightful belongings."

"All I want is my trunk. I'm not anxious to see the lady."

"But I'd rather you came along to make it easier for me," and Kean followed in silence.

The clerk's knock at the door of 411 was answered by "Come in," and they entered.

"Here is the gentleman whose trunk you have and who can return yours, Miss Buckingham, and"—

"Billy!"

"Alice!"

"Mr. Kean!"

"Miss Buckingham!"

Auntie seemed to have something private to say to the clerk, for she asked him to step into the hall for a moment with her, thus leaving the two culprits alone.

Alice looked like a wilted flower, and tears came to her eyes. What could a man do, even if it was not his fault, even if he had taken a solemn oath not to apologize? He reached out his arms, and she slipped into their embrace and cried just a few happy tears on a shoulder very dear to her.

"Please don't cry, Alice. Of course I was to blame. It was nasty of me to tease you about that Benton girl; but, really, dear, I only did it just to see how much you cared."

"And I cared so much. But, Billy, dear, how can you explain about those trunks? My key opened yours."

"Easy enough, darling. We bought those two trunks on that shopping expedition when auntie chaperoned us in Paris at the Bon Marche, and evidently the locks were the same. We won't have that trouble again, Alice, for the next time we take a trip there will only be one trunk for both of us. Where is your ring, dear—consigned to the ocean or the ash barrel?"

"Oh, Billy, you're horrid to find me out! Here it is around my neck. You see, I wrote you saying the engagement was all off, but I kept the ring just for a day or two, you understand, thinking maybe—oh, don't be so mean!"

"Well, I'll forgive you this time, but don't take it off again until the plain gold one goes on under it."

And she promised to do as he said.

Wooing the Fickle God.

"I have been troubled with insomnia all my life," remarked the nervous man, "and, like most people similarly afflicted, I have tried all the familiar dodges to induce sleep. The results were never particularly satisfactory in the way of producing the desired effect until one night I thought I had actually found a sleep inducer when I chanced to grasp one of the rods at the head of my bed with both hands and practically hung the weight of my body on it. That sent me to sleep, and it did the same thing for a few times, when, to my extreme disappointment, I found it had ceased to work. I was as badly off as ever recently until one night, when I had a bad cough, as well as an attack of sleeplessness, I tried the well known remedy of trying to send myself off into the land of Nod by taking long, deep breaths. What it did to me and has done several times since was not to only send me to sleep, but to stop my cough completely before I lost consciousness. Just why it did so is not of much consequence. That it did so is the thing that concerns me most."—New York Press.

Solons in Special Session.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 30.—A special session of the legislature called by Gov. Dawson convened here yesterday. The most important subject considered in the governor's message is that of tax revision.

A Sweet You Can't Beat

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Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS

(News)

Attorney Richardson was down to Crookston last week.

H. G. Dobner left Sunday evening for Lake City to visit his parents for a few days.

Mrs. F. H. Gambell left Tuesday for Euclid to spend a few days visiting with friends.

James Meehan came up from Minneapolis Sunday morning to look after his interests here for a few days.

Ed Evenson who had been up in the Pea Soup island country for a couple of weeks looking after a portable saw mill he owns there, returned to this city last week.

Thomas Dean a brother of Hugh Dean, died at the Soo hotel in this city last Tuesday of consumption. The deceased had been a resident of this city but a few years. The funeral services were held Friday.

MENTOR

The water flowed down the county ditch last Monday as tho it was a regular spring day.

C. C. Lawton returned Sunday morning from a month's visit with friends and relatives in New York state.

Several of our young people attended the masquerade ball at Dugdale Wednesday evening and report a good time.

August Thurn and family came up from Crookston last Sunday morning and visited with friends and relatives here until the following day.

As the time for holding the spring elections are drawing near there is considerable talk as to who will be the officers for the coming year. The license question is much agitated and the wise ones predict that the "drys" will carry the day.

NEW YORK BANK CLOSES DOORS.

National Examiner in Charge of New Amsterdam National Bank.

New York, Jan. 31.—The New Amsterdam National bank, capitalized at $1,000,000, was closed by the order of the controller of the currency last night and National Bank Examiner Charles A. Hanna was placed in charge. The institution's liabilities are placed at $4,482,016, of which $2,065,272 are due depositors. The bank's officers assert that not only will every depositor be paid in full, but the stockholders will receive substantial dividends.

Autoist Given Nineteen Months.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 31.—Dr. Walter H. Morris, a young dentist, whose automobile ran over and killed Marcus J. Jacobs, a theatrical manager, here last September, was yesterday sentenced to serve nineteen months in the penitentiary.

Opium Smuggled In.

San Francisco, Jan. 31. — The customs house searchers yesterday found 230 five-tael tins of opium stowed away on top of the donkey boiler of the steamer City of Pueblo. The duty on the opium seized would amount to about $600.

Summer Resort Burned.

Spirit Lake, Iowa, Jan. 31.—The Orleans hotel, a $15,000 summer resort here, burned to the ground last night from some unknown cause.

Anna Gould Coming Home.

Paris, Jan. 31.—Gil Blas says that Mme. Anna Gould intends to sell her property in Paris and return to America.

RED LAKE CO. PETIT JURY

NO CRIMINAL CASES THEREFORE NO GRAND JURY NEED BE CALLED

COURT CONVENES IN RED LAKE FALLS APRIL THE 7TH

Following is a list of the jurors drawn for the spring term of court, in Red Lake county, which will convene in Red Lake Falls April 7th:

Octave Lefebvre, Garnes.
Lars Torske, Garnes.
Anton Peterson, Wyandotte.
Louis Theroux, Terrebonne.
Gust Kankel, R. L. Falls City.
Ovide Emard, R. L. Falls City.
John Olson, Garnes.
L. A. Kellogg, Lake Pleasant.
John A. Dahl, Smiley.
Jacob Jones, Thief River Falls.
Ole Berg, City of Red Lake Falls.
Andrew Rolandson, Deer Park.
C. Fred Bender, Equality.
Ole Iverson, Kratka.
S. O. Finhart, Rocksbury.
John L. Finke, Norden.
Herman Ohm, T. R. Falls.
C. A. Carlson, Sanders.
L. H. Omlid, Silverton.
John Lenertz, R. L. Falls City.
K. R. Kiiland, St. Hilaire.
Joe Fisher, Smiley.
O. L. Bendickson, Equality.
Ole Quam, T. R. Falls.

There are no criminals in the county bastile hence no call for a grand jury.

DIES IN SAVING HIS SON.

Machinist Pushes Boy From Before Staten Island Train.

New York, Jan. 30.—John Gladys, a machinist, lost his life at Great Kills, S. I., yesterday in saving of his eleven-year-old son. The boy and father were walking along the tracks of the Staten Island Rapid Transit company when the little fellow stepped directly in front of a moving train. Seeing the boy's peril, Gladys rushed after him and pushed him out of danger, but in doing so slipped on the icy track and fell directly in the path of the engine. The boy was unhurt.

None Hurt in Bad Wreck.

Hattiesburg, Miss., Jan. 30. — Four cars of the fast New Orleans & Northeastern north-bound passenger train No. 4 toppled over a low trestle near here yesterday and rolled down an embankment without killing or fatally injuring a person.

Calls Salesman Forger.

Eau Claire, Wis., Jan. 30. — Fred Hartmann, a young man employed by Mr. Steinberg, a music dealer, to sell phonographs, was arraigned yesterday on the charge of forgery.

Killed by Ninety-foot Fall.

New Ulm, Minn., Jan. 30. — L. H. Cahoon fell from the Minneapolis & St. Louis bridge over the Little Cottonwood, near Searles and was instantly killed.

La Crosse Man Gives Up Battle.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 30.—Despondent over being out of work and tired of the struggle to make a living for himself and family, John Goetsche, a carpenter, killed himself with a double-barreled shot gun at his home.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals lungs

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WAS GLAD TO GET BACK

E. D. THOMPSON AND WIFE RETURN FROM A TRIP TO CANADA

WEATHER THERE WAS ANYTHING BUT AGREEABLE DURING THEIR STAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thompson returned this morning from a trip to Canada, where they have been since December 12. They visited Toronto Montreal and many other places in Eastern Canada where they have relatives. The climate must have agreed with them as both returned in the best of health and E. D. reports that he gained 20 pounds while away and is now in the heavy weight class.

He says that the weather was mild while he was absent, but that the snow, rain and sleet made it very uncomfortable and that he was glad to get back to the Red River Valley. He says that conditions there as a rule are very satisfactory but that money is a little on the tight order.

YARMOUTH HEARING FIXED.

Case Will Come Up in London Divorce Court Wednesday.

London, Feb. 1.—Sir Birrel Barnes, president of the divorce court, fixed the hearing of the suit brought by the countess of Warmouth, who was Alice Thaw of Pittsburg, against her husband for the annulment of her marriage, for next Wednesday.

Bankers Must Stand Trial.

San Francisco, Feb. 1. — Judge Frank H. Runne overruled the demurrers to the indictments charging embezzlement against J. Dalzell Brown, former general manager, and Walter J. Bartnett, former vice president of the California Safe Deposit and Trust company, which is now in the hands of the receiver.

Aunt Dies, Aged 120 Years.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Feb. 1. — Mrs. N. L. Carson of this city received word from Hillsboro, Or., of the death of her aunt. Mrs. Mary Ramsey Wood, who died yesterday at the age of 120 years, 7 months and 11 days. Mrs. Wood was born in Tennessee in 1787.

Missing Pastor Located.

Echo, Minn., Feb. 1. — Rev. F. L. Honeywell, who was reported missing from his home in Wood Lake, has been located in Vinton, Iowa, at the home of his mother

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WIFE TOOK FRENCH LEAVE

FERTILE MAN'S WIFE TURNED UP MISSING TUESDAY LAST

HUSBAND VISITED CROOKSTON BUT FAILED TO LOCATE HIS SPOUSE

From Friday's Daily—

Mrs. Jennie Sorenson wife of Soren Sorenson, of Fertile suddenly took French leave of her husband and her home Tuesday morning taking the passenger from that place for the north and her present whereabouts are not known by her husband. She was accompanied by her two small children Mr. Sorensen was out of town and knew nothing about his wife's absence until he returned. Husband and wife have recently had family troubles and we understand, the former had commenced an action for a divorce.

Mr. Sorensen followed his fleeing wife as far as Crookston and searched this city for her, but finding no trace returned home to Fertile.

WERE WEDDED AT RIPE OLD AGE

MARSHALL CO., LOVERS SCOUT DR. OSLO'S AGE THEORY

It is seldom that Cupid's shafts hold out 27 years on the same victim as they did in the case of John Dolan and Miss Mary Hickey and which culminated in the pretty scene at Hymen's Altar in a Manvel, N. D., church last Tuesday with Mary and John Hickey, niece and nephew of the bride as supporters. The combined ages of bride and groom are 30 years and the courtship served many interesting items to their many friends thruout the long years of waiting, which however is at an end as Mr. Dolan brought his bride to his home on the banks of the Red at the ferry which bears his name where they are "at home" to their friends and neighbors near Bigwoods, Marshall County.

ON A TRIP OF INSPECTION

S. W. Leavitt and P. M. Ringdahl, members of the board of control, together with Clarence Johnson, the architect of the board, returned to St. Paul yesterday from the East, where they have been visiting and inspecting prisons and jails. The trip was for the purpose of securing ideas to be used in the new prison which the board will build at Stillwater.

MERCANTILE FIRM CHANGE HANDS

DUFAULT MERCANTILE COMPANY DISPOSES OF ITS STORE TO M. COLLIN

A business deal of importance was consumated yesterday in which M. Collin purchased the entire stock of the Dufault Mercantile Co., on North Broadway and with him will be associated Victor Billeadeau.

The store is now closed and an inventory is being taken of the stock which they expect to finish up in time to again open the place for business on Saturday. The new proprietors have decided to assume the name of Crookston Supply House and both are experienced men in general store work.

ENDS COUNTY SEAT WAR.

Judge Smith of Yankton Orders Election to Be Held.

Yankton, S. D., Jan. 30.—The bitter county seat war in Gregory county was decided yesterday. Judge Smith holds for the town of Herrick, and ordered the county commissioners to act on the petition and call for a vote between the towns of Fairfax and Herrick.

To Prison for Fifteen Years.

Kimball, S. D., Jan. 30. — Found guilty of committing rape upon his seventeen-year-old step daughter, Mabel Burger, Sherwood Sysinger was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary by Judge Frank B. Smith.

Herd of Cattle Condemned.

Waseca, Minn., Jan. 30. — Twenty-three out of a herd of forty-two Shorthorn cattle belonging to A. S. Hawkes of this county were condemned as afflicted with tuberculosis and ordered to South St. Paul to be slaughtered.

Bank Closes; Cashier Missing.

Enid, Okla., Jan. 30. — The Alva Bank of Commerce was closed yesterday and Cashier Lou Westfall is missing. He is charged by the directors with looting the institution of practically all of its deposits.

PROTESTS AGAINST THE DELAY ON DITCH

The following from the Norman County Herald will be of special interest here:

Gunner Ela, who owns a quarter section of land in Good Hope, along the north boundary line of the county, was in Ada last Friday. While in town Mr. Ela called at the court house and entered a vigorous protest against the manner in which the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 2—between Norman and Polk counties—had been conducted. This is one of the large ditches of this section and the contract was let some years ago. The ditch starts on the county line at a point about 40 rods west of the railroad track and continues west until it reaches the Red River. While in conversation with the Herald scribe Mr. Ela informed us that about five miles of the east end of the ditch was fully completed and for the next mile and a half but little work had been done while on the succeeding mile and a half no work whatever has been done on the ditch. Further west a very small portion of the work has been done and for three miles out from the Red river the ditch has been completed. This leaves the ditch in bad shape for taking care of the excessive spring water and the farmers residing along portions of the ditch state that it is of more of a damage than a benefit to them and it would appear that their complaints are well founded. As this is a Judicial ditch the county officials have but little more to do than that of assessing and collecting taxes altho Norman and Polk counties are joining together in a suit against the bondsmen Judge Watts is the district judge who has had charge of the ditch and Geo. A. Ralph is the engineer who has been employed. According to the report of Engineer Ralph filed in the office of the county auditor here Oct. 1 1906 there were then 58,285 cubic yards of dirt to be removed from the ditch before completing the contract. The contract called for the removal of 316,454 yards and if the engineers estimates are correct but one sixth of the work remains to be done. Mr. Ela was of the opinion however, that much more than this still remains undone.

County Auditor Fulton informs us that there is still considerable money on hand with which to pay for the balance of the work and hopes that with what there is on hand in both Polk and Norman counties that there will be sufficient to pay for the completion of the ditch. The county auditors are compelled to make payments on the order of the court based on the estimates of the engineer.

The contract price of the ditch was $36,360.66 at 11.49 cents per cubic yard. Of this amount Norman County is to pay 48.75 per cent.

A. K. Austin of Crookston attempted to do some work on the ditch last fall with a dredge but did not get onto the job early enough to make much headway. The dredge, with its machinery is still at the ditch and we understand that Mr. Austin intends to resume work early in the spring. County Auditor Fulton was at Beltrami Sunday and while there was informed by H. B. Budd that the dredge was large enough for practical use and after undergoing some repairs in the spring would be in condition for doing considerable work.

DIVERSIFIES; GETS RESULTS

SEED FROM TIMOTHY THAT REJUVINATES LAND BRINGS BIG RETURNS

John C. Barchus who is owner of a fine farm on the north side of the river in Lowell Township three miles west of the city was in the city yesterday doing some trading and getting some pointers on poultry at the chicken show. Mr. Barchus came to the valley about four years ago and has been successful ever since. He is a firm believer in diversified farming and has already rotated almost all his lands that had been wheat sick. Timothy is grown very successfully by Mr. Barchus and he threshes quite a number of bushels every year for which he gets from $1.50 to $2.00 per bushel, and has the hay left for stock. Mr. Barchus contends that this is the finest country in the world to mature and ripen grasses as the extra long summer days with their two hours more of sunshine than Illinois or Iowa, at the time that the ripening process is on produces results in healthy and abundant seed.

SURPRISE PARTY ON E. M. WALSH

MAYOR McPHEE AND TOM MORRIS WERE THE HASHERS

Last evening 17 of the friends of E. M. Walsh took him by surprise and invaded his residence. They took complete possession and served a Dutch lunch, Mayor McPhee and Tom Morris acting as cooks and serving the refreshments without a single mis-step on the highly polished floor. The evening was spent at cards and was passed most pleasantly. Those present were: Messrs. H. C. Misner W. B. Sheffield, Fred Mix, M. Ericsson A. Braley, J. R. McKinnon, C. E. Dampier, Tom Morris, A. D. Stephens, Tom Brown, Sam Wallace, F. M. Brown, L. W. Larson, C. C. Strander, Thomas Spence, J. D. McPhee, Ben Clements.

FEAR WOLVES ATE FARMER.

Wisconsin People Have Not Seen Peter Nelson Since November.

Washburn, Wis., Jan. 30.—Although searching parties have been scouring the woods for two months, no trace has been found of Peter Nelson, who mysteriously disappeared from his home near the town of Mason last November. It is feared by relatives that he either died in the woods or was eaten by wild beasts.

Log Long Pins Down Man.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 30. — While loading logs Fred Pleman of Freedom was pinned to the ground for two hours by a log rolling on his arm. At the time of the accident the man was alone.

ACCUSES FRIENDS OF TAKING MONEY

McINTOSH MAN SAID TO HAVE BEEN RELIEVED OF $55 IN E. G. FORKS

The following is taken from the Duluth Herald under an East Grand Forks date line:

"Robbed of $55 by three college friends he met in a saloon in East Grand Forks Hans Holton promises to have them arrested. Holton, who is a resident of McIntosh, says he met the boys and they had a number of drinks. They suggested a stroll and asked Holton to lead the way. When he did so, they hit him in the back of the head he declares, and rendered him unconscious. When he recovered consciousness he found that he had been robbed. As the young men have had good reputations previously and insist that they left Holton to go where he pleased they have not been arrested and the affair is being thoroly investigated. The East Grand Forks authorities promise to act if the evidence warrants it."

BOUND OVER TO DISTRICT COURT

EVENSON AND KOLSTAD BOUND OVER TO DISTRICT COURT UNDER $500 BONDS

The hearing of Hoken Evenson and E. A. Kolstad the two men arrested here by Chief Eck on the charge of robbing Benj. Ramberg a passenger on the Northern Pacific of $85 were bound over by Judge Wilde to the District Court under $500 bonds. The bonds were furnished the men by E. G. Forks parties and they were released.

CONVERT PLEADS GUILTY.

Man Who Confessed in Minneapolis Mission Arraigned at Madison.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 30.—Knolan H. Whiteside, who confessed to Supt. E. G. Master of the Charity mission, in Minneapolis, that he assisted in the burglary of the home of L. M. Hanks, in a fashionable residence district of this city, on the night of April 23, 1904, was brought to Madison yesterday and pleaded guilty. He will be sentenced to-day.

Gift for John Mitchell.

Indianapolis, Jan. 30.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America yesterday unanimously voted President Mitchell six months' pay, with all expenses, including medical attendance.

Rural Carriers to Convene.

Langdon, Minn., Jan. 30. — Hennepin, Ramsey and Washington counties Rural Letter Carriers' association will hold its regular meeting in Minneapolis next Saturday evening.

CRIME IN NORTH DAKOTA

QUARTET OF WALSH COUNTY PRISONERS ADMIT GUILT TO COURT

THREE BOOZE SELLERS AND A GAMBLER WANT THEIR MEDICINE

Grafton, N. D. Feb. 1—In the district court here this morning four prisoners pleaded guilty to charges lodged against them as follows:

Tom Vondrashack, Conway, violating prohibition law.

Iver Bjelde, violating prohibition law.

Gus Weberg violating prohibition law.

J. J. Heffron, Ardoch, gambling.

T. Christianson, mayhem.

Sam Winter, rape.

Carl Bergquam, rape.

The case of the state against Coulter, charged with bastardy is now being tried.

NINTH DISTRICT DEBATE AT FERGUS

CHAMPIONSHIP OF NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT TO BE DECIDED FRIDAY

The arrangements for the debate between the Fergus Falls high school and the high school of East Grand Forks have been perfected and the contest will occur at the Lyceum theater in Fergus Falls on Friday evening of this week. This debate will decide the championship of the Ninth Congressional district. Fergus Falls will again be represented by Walter Unger, Florence Leach and John Fabian while the East Grand Forks team is composed of Edward McIlraith, Hannah Erie and Walter Quigley.

The question will be "Resolved, that the Federal government should subsidise the southern states for the education of the negroes; granted, that this would be constitutional and that the southern whites would not object."

MANY ARE INTERESTED

The revival services at the Baptist church where Rev. Dunnett is speaking is attracting a large attendance, and all who have heard him are deeply impressed with his ability as a speaker. He talks as a man of experience and what he says appeals strongly to his auditors. Hear what he has to say tonight.

MERCHANTS SEEK PROTECTION

FROM THE MAN WHO NEVER PAYS HIS JUST ACCOUNTS

In every community there is on element who thru shiftlessness or even intentionally contracts large bills in the retail stores and never pays them When their credit is used up at one place they will seek another store to victimize. To do away with this heavy loss the merchants have formed an organization and have retained W. A. Marin as their attorney and a system of ferriting out these dead beats has been devised, so that hereafter no one can go from one merchant to another and get credit before he has made good to his previous creditor.

FIRE ENDANGERS HOARD.

Man Who Buries Gold in Cellar Loses His Home in Flames.

Biwabik, Minn., Jan. 30. — Isaac Arentti's dwelling was destroyed by fire last night, and the claim that there is more than a million dollars in old socks on the range would seem to be verified. Arentti had $800 in gold buried in the cellar and was more worried about the ready cash than for the house and furniture. The loss was $1,000.

Merchant Is Bankrupt.

Waseca, Minn., Jan. 30. — Joseph Hunt, proprietor of the Famous shoe store of this city filed a petition in bankruptcy, and his stock was put into the hands of receivers.

Mayor Assaulted; Three Arrests.

Blue Earth, Minn., Jan. 30.—E G. Pratt, Fred Snyder and Lewis Hillestad were arrested for an assault upon Mayor Andrew Conrad on the evening of Jan. 22.

Our idea of a wise man is one who isn't foolish enough to try to convince a woman by arguing with her.

PRONOUNCED HIS CASE INCURABLE

Whole Body Raw with Eczema—Life was Intolerable—Was Even Incased in Plaster—Discharged from Hospitals as Hopeless.

SUFFERED 14 YEARS
CURED BY CUTICURA

"From the age of three months until fifteen years old, my son Owen's life was made intolerable by eczema in its worst form. He was all right until a red rash broke out on his forehead, but we were not alarmed at first. Very soon, however, the rash began to spread over his head and shoulders, and it caused him great discomfort. I took him to a doctor and tried half a dozen other treatments, all with the same result: no improvement at all. The disease gradually spread until nearly every part of his body was quite raw. We had to strap him down in bed, for he used to tear himself dreadfully in his sleep. The agony he went through is quite beyond words. No one thought we would rear him. The regimental doctor, a very clever man, pronounced the case hopeless; at least, he said the only hope was that he might, if he lived long enough, outgrow it to some extent. We had him in hospitals four times and he was pronounced one of the worst cases, if not the worst, ever admitted. From each he was discharged as incurable; in fact he got worse under the successive treatments. At one hospital they incased him in plaster, and this seemed to aggravate the soreness terribly. He looked so badly that no one liked to go near him and his life was a burden to him. We kept trying remedy after remedy, but we had got almost past hoping for a cure. Six months ago we purchased a set of Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent Pills and persevered with them. The result was truly marvelous and to-day he is perfectly cured, his skin not having a blemish on it anywhere. Mrs. Lily Hedge, 51, Vaughan Road, Coldharbour Lane, Camblewell Green, Eng., Jan. 12, 1907."

Send to nearest depot for free Cuticura Book on Treatment of Skin Diseases.

Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world. Depots: London, 27, Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5, Rue de la Paix; Australia, R. Towns & Co., Sydney; So. Africa, Lennon, Ltd., Capetown, etc.; U.S.A., Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS

SOPHIA LEVERSON OF ERSKINE GETS BREAKFAST AT 2 A. M.

FEARED THAT HER EXTREME NERVOUSNESS MAY CAUSE TROUBLE

From Thursday's Daily—

Miss Sophia Leverson of Erskine was sent to her home at Erskine this morning, and her extremely nervous condition has caused great apprehension on the part of her friends.

She has been here for the past two weeks at the home of C. M. Tvedten, but was so extremely nervous that her return home this morning was imperative.

This morning she arose at 2 o'clock and prepared breakfast and as this was a trifle early for average people it was decided best to send her home.

Friends of the unfortunate young woman fear that the final outcome of the case will be serious, but hope for the best.

T. A. THOMPSON FILES FOR REGISTER

T. A. Thompson the present deputy register of deeds today filed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for register of deeds of Polk county and will make an active campaign for support. Register of Deeds Stair will not file for re-election and here are no other avowed candidates up to the present time.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

WINNIPEG HAS A VERY TIGHT LID

THREE HUNDRED PERSONS REPORTED FOR INFRACTIONS OF SUNDAY LAW—FEW OCCUPATIONS TO BE EXEMPTED—MINISTER WAS REPORTED FOR PERFORMING A MARRIAGE CEREMONY—TWO UNDERTAKERS REPORTED FOR CONDUCTING FUNERALS AND REPORTERS FOR WRITING UP SUNDAY SERMONS—ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL HAVE TO PASS ON CASES—LAW FOLLOWED TO THE LETTER

J. M. Lamb manager of the Winnipeg base ball team spent last evening in the city on business leaving this morning for Grand Forks. He says that Winnipeg has a "lid" that is a lid and that approximately three hundred cases of infractions of the Lord's day act were reported by the police Sunday, these including all classes of work, business and occupations which are not mentioned in the special exemption clauses in the act. Tho the police do not claim that this list includes all the infractions which occurred Sunday, it is thought that the ground has been fairly well covered.

Were All Reported

When instructions were issued that all persons who violated the act were to be reported, copies of the act were handed to the constables on duty, along with instructions as to how reports were to be made. Each constable was to report any infractions noted on or near his beat, and these reports were entered in a book especially provided for the purpose. In addition the sergeant and members of the detective division also visited a number of places of business which would come outside the duty of the constables.

Letter of the Law

So far as it could be interpreted by the police the letter of the act has been followed in making the reports which will be included in a general report to the attorney general as soon as it can be compiled. Many of the cases which will appear will come as a surprise to those who are asking for the enforcement of the act.

Shoe shine stands, cigar stands and newspaper stands in hotels were practically all open for business and went down on the list of offenders. The drivers of cabs and delivery rigs not coming under the exemption clauses were included, as were the men and boys who sell and deliver American papers, which come in on the Sunday trains. Some of the city bakers were hard at work, in several stores merchants were found taking stock, in one hotel carpenters were at work making repairs in the bar, while all the restaurants and cafes were serving customers with goods which could not be included in the list of necessities. Last, but by no means least train crews and switching crews were at work in all the railway yards, shunting cars, making up trains and doing similar work. This latter is the subject of a special clause in the act, which provides that such work can only be done in certain hours.

Funerals and Weddings

As no clause could be found providing exemption in the act, two undertakers were reported for having conducting funerals yesterday, as was also a minister who performed a marriage ceremony. In all three of the Winnipeg newspaper offices employes were found outside the hours provided in the act. On the river rink and at the tobaggan slide at the foot of Kennedy street there were a number of persons seeking recreation and a man was present selling hot coffee; this was reported. There was only a small concert at the Royal Alexandria hotel but this was included.

Among the many other reported offenders may be mentioned practically all the city hotels, where cigars or similar goods were on sale. The drug stores were all open and were offering for sale other goods than medicines. The fruit stores were doing a rushing business among the many Winnipegers who live in apartment or boarding houses and who have no facilities for keeping fruits and similar goods in store. This is an infraction of the act and was reported accordingly.

SCHEME FOR GREAT WATER POWER ON THE RED RIVER

Plans for a big Dam Are Being Made by Messr Knute Aaker and Elias Steenerson. Will Push Project.

A Co-operative Company Planned to Furnish Power for Fargo, Grand Forks and Crookston Electric Line.

Knute Aaker one of the pioneer and substantial residents of Hubbard Township in western Polk Co., spent today in the city conferring with Postmaster Steenerson regarding the proper procedure for securing permission from the government to construct an immense dam across the Red River one mile above where the Sand Hill River Unites with the Red River in the township of Hubbard, and after consultation decided to leave for Washington in a few days together with others interested in the project, where they will consult with United States Senators Knute Nelson, Moses E. Clapp, Congressman Steenerson and others regarding the project.

According to the government survey the banks of the Red River at the point where it is planned to build the dam are 63 1-2 feet high and by cutting off what is known as One Mile Point and backwatering for 5 miles which would not overflow any of the adjacent land a fall of 19 feet could be secured.

This cut-off would only necessitate a small canal for a short distance and would not be an expensive operation, and the power that could be generated would be sufficient to operate an electric road from Fargo to Grand Forks, from Grand Forks to Crookston and from Crookston to Moorhead making a complete circuit.

It is planned to organize a co-operative company to push the project and steps to this end will be taken at once.

Mr. Aaker now has a water power on his farm through which the Sand Hill River runs which is equal to the power of the Climax Roller Mills. Elias Steenerson also has a fall of 18 feet on his farm according to a survey made by Geo. A. Ralph, engineer of the state drainage board, made a few years ago.

This projected dam would not only furnish water power for an electric road, according to the promoters, but would also furnish power for scores of manufacturing plants in this and adjacent cities.

SWITCH HOGS HANDED PACKAGE

The railroad men running up Emerson way are telling of the loyal supporters the "Switch Hogs" of that town have been to the local Hockey team.

A friendly game of Hockey was played with the Hallock team the other evening and the boys were all there in force to coach their team to victory, which was in their estimation was to be an easy one and flashed all kinds of money at 10 to 1 that their team would double the score. It was a difficult matter to place all their money but finally succeeded in doing so after considerable coaxing. The game was a warm one and when time was called the score was four and four and it took five minutes over time for Emerson to get the deciding score but at that the score was from being doubled and the switch hogs are out considerable hard earned money and now it will be 10 to 1 on Hallock with them when the return game is played. The boys are all well known to the railroad men here and they are hearing from it on all sides.

GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATES

A JOINT RESOLUTION PASSED BY CONGRESS REGARDING R. R. LANDS

WESTERN RAILROAD GRANT WILL BE PROBED BY THE GOVERNMENT

From Tuesday's Daily—

There has been a great deal of talk of late regarding the western land grant of the government covering valuable timber lands in Oregon which people are anxious to get hold of at a very low price per acre. The railroad company preferred to with draw the lands and the government has now taken the matter up as the following taken from the Congressional Record of Jan. 31 will show. The record says:

The joint resolution (S. R. 48) instructing the Attorney-General to institute certain suits, etc., was read the first time by its title and the second time at length as follows:

Whereas at divers times various railroads and other corporations have received large grants of public lands of the United States, under and by virtue of the acts of the Congress, containing conditions to the effect that such lands should be sold to actual settlers only or in quantities not exceeding for any one purchaser a limit fixed by the act relating thereto, or at a price per acre not greater than an amount mentioned in the act authorizing such grant, to the end that such lands might promptly become the homes of citizens of the United States; and

Whereas, it is currently reported and widely believed that the Department of Justice has information to the effect that certain of the corporations aforesaid, or their alleged successors in title, having obtained colorable title to large tracts of land within a State or States of the Pacific slope by virtue of the grants above mentioned, and still holding considerable portions thereof, have violated or evaded the equitable and salutary conditions so, as aforesaid imposed by the Congress upon such grants for the public good, yet the Congress is not advised that any action has been taken by the Department of Justice to enforce the said conditions or restore the said lands to the public domain: Now therefore be it

Resolved, etc., That the Attorney General be, and he is hereby, directed, authorized, and empowered to take such proceedings or institute such suit or suits on behalf of the United States as may be necessary, appropriate, or expedient to insure a compliance with the above mentioned conditions or to restore the said lands to the public domain, or to report to the Congress why such action as aforesaid has not been or should not be taken.

MORE WINTER IS IN STORE

GROUND HOG SAW HIS SHADOW YESTERDAY UNLESS HE IS BLIND

Yesterday was ground hog day, and unless the animal is as blind as a bat he saw his shadow. This means that he will return to his winter quarters and will remain there for six weeks longer or in other words six more weeks of winter are at hand. As there has been but one week so far, the fact that there will be but six weeks more will cause no alarm, as six weeks is really needed to kill any germs that might be afloat Here is hoping that the ground hog gets the rest which has been denied him during the winter weeks to which they were really entitled.

Good Sense and Brotherliness.

It is a matter of good sense as well as brotherliness, to throw over "the bear" in the disposition, "come into the azure and love the day" as Emerson puts it. It is also a matter of good sense to serve daily with your meals a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. This delicious table beverage cheers the depressed, strengthens the weak and builds up the run down. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Ninety-one Miners Killed.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 5.—By the Empress of India a colliery disaster is reported from Yubari colliery, Hokkaido, where a gas explosion killed ninety-one miners. A large number who escaped from the mine were severely burned.

Cheese Kills Child.

Rapid City, S. D., Feb. 5.—Cheese poisoned in some unknown way resulted in the death of four-year-old Albert Cottle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cottle of Wasta. a small town on the North-Western line east of here.

AN EARLY MORNING BLAZE

THIS MORNING AT 5:30 THE SCHAFF HOME WAS COMPLETELY GUTTED

IT STARTED AFTER MR. SCHAFF HAD GOT UP FOR DAY'S WORK

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning at about 5:30 fire broke out in the W. A. Schaff home on Bridge street Jeromes addition. just across the Jeromes addition bridge, and despite a very quick response on the part of the fire department the kitchen of the home was gutted.

The house belongs to Geo. Stone, anud the sawdust filling between the studdings made it very hard to extinguish the fire. The household goods in the kitchen were ruined by water and smoke and the balance of the household gods were practically ruined by water and smoke.

Mr. Schaff had just got up and started the fires in the siting room and kitchen. While he was finishing dressing he smelled smoke and going to the kitchen discovered when he opened the door that the room was filled with smoke.

Not waiting to get hat or coat he rushed to the fire hall and gave the alarm and Chief Tom Morris and the department were very soon on the ground.

Mrs. Schaff was nursing at the home of John Telke whose mother was very ill, and she was almost frantic when she arrived on the scene. Mr. Schaff before he turned in the alarm aroused the children and all got out without harm.

Mr. Schaff had no insurance on his household goods. But Geo. Stone who owns the building was fully insured.

LEFT $4,000 FOR FIANCE

BROTHER IS NOW TRYING TO CONTEST WILL OF BAGLEY WOMAN

The will of Louise Knutson of Bagley an informal instrument, written on a piece of letter paper in the Norwegian laanguage attempting to dispose of an estate of about $4000 entirely to a man who had worked for her and to whom she had been engaged to be married, cutting off several brothers and sisters, came up before the probate court for admission to probate. The will is contested by a brother of the deceased.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

KILLS SMOKE ORDINANCE.

Mayor McClellan Vetoes Measure Aimed at Women.

New York, Feb. 5—The ordinance recently passed by the board of aldermen forbidding women from smoking in public places was vetoed yesterday by Mayor McClellan. The mayor states that the aldermen have no power to make such a law.

Seven Men Killed.

Sunbury, Pa., Feb. 5, — Seven were killed and a half dozen injured by the explosion of a boiler in the rolling mill of Van Allen & Co., at Northumberland, near here.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

"OLD JACK" IS RECALLED

WANT AD. PUBLISHED IN JOURNAL RESULTS IN INTERESTING STORY

FAITHFUL OLD HORSE OF PETE CORNELIUS HAD GREAT HISTORY

From Monday's Daily—

A simple want ad. in the Crookston Journal by P. J. Lachapelle to find the owner of a horse hide robe which he found on the streets of the city last Saturday brought to light a very interesting story in which a noble specimen of horseflesh is connected.

The robe was claimed yesterday by Peter Cornelius, one of the pioneers of this section of the Red River Valley and he told a very interesting story regarding the horse from which thte robe came.

He owned the animal known as "Old Jack" to all the early residents of Crookston, for 24 years and shot him only a year ago when the owner of the faithful old horse thought life was a burden to him and then had the hide tanned as a keepsake.

Mr. Cornelius got "Old Jack" from a man named Larson Norby who had secured him from an Indian Chieftain on the White Earth Reservation and Norby had used the horse to haul mail from Lake Park to Twin Falls from 1879 to 1883, and the faithful animal would face any blizzard to make the trip, and a rein was not needed as when he once started he would go the route day or night and never was known to get off the road.

Mr. Cornelius got Old Jack in 1883 and the two were fast friends ever afterwards. The old horse would go home at any hour of the day or night, rain or shine blizzard and blow, and nothing would turn him from his course.

During late years the animal did not care to serve anyone but Mr. Cornelius himself. On several occasions Mrs. Torgerson of this city, a daughter of Mr. Cornelius, attempted to drive Old Jack to Crookston. Old Jack would come as far as the edge of the farm and would then back the buggy in the ditch, turn about and take driver, buggy and all home in spite of all the whipping and reining the driver could do. The faithful old horse thought that if Pete Cornelius was not in the buggy something was wrong. No amount of urging or coaxing would induce the noble old horse to come to Crookston without his master was in the buggy, and after Mr. Cornelius drove him to the city he could not be either lead or driven home unless his master was in the rig.

The old horse is gone to the happy hunting ground or where all good horses go but his faithfulness is still proverbial among the old timers, who talk of him in the same manner as they would an old pal.

ADMITTED THEIR GUILT

FIVE BUSINESS MEN PAID FINES BEFRE JUDGE WILDE TODAY

THE FAULT LIES WITH WHOLESALERS WHO PUT OUT THE GOODS

From Monday's Daily—

Deputy Pure Food Commissioner E. B. Heiberg is in the city today and will remain in this section for some time. He had five business men of Crookston arrested today and all pleaded guilty before Judge Wilde and were fined $25 and costs each which they paid.

Three were selling candies which were illegal one bottled cherries and two blackberry brandy. The wholesalers were to blame in each instance and therefore the names of the business men will not be mentioned.

GIRL PROPOSES TO PAUPER.

Finds Leap Year Affinity and Is Married Twenty-five Minutes Later.

Aurora, Mo., Feb. 5.—Perhaps the most unique leap year marriage recorded is that of Miss Joanna Thieme of Howell county, who found her affinity at the poor farm near West Plains, and twenty-five minutes after she met him they were man and wife. Young William Mitchell was temporarily embarrassed financially and had sought the refuge of the county charity institution.

POULTRY SHOW NOW HISTORY

VOTING CONTEST WON SATURDAY EVENING BY FLORENCE SWEDBURGH

ALVIN ANDERSON AND BABY HANON ALSO WON FINE PRIZES

From Monday's Daily—

The Fourth Annual exhibition of the Red River Valley Poultry Association came to a close late Saturday evening with the conclusion of the children's voting contest. Miss Florence Swedburgh daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Swedburgh, received the greatest number of votes and was awarded the pen of Black Langshans offered by President T. J. Couch of the Association, valued at $75. The total receipts from the contest was $73.70. Alvin Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Anderson was second and won the handsome pair of pit games offered by J. F. Hanon, and Baby Goldie Hanon was declared the handsomest girl under 6 years of age and was awarded the pen of Golden Wyandottes offered by W. G. Fuller.

The entire show was a grand success, and the attendance was far beyond the anticipations of even the most enthusiastic poultrymen, and the value from an educational standpoint was worth 10 times what the show cost the business men of Crookston.

In addition to the awards published in the Journal Saturday evening the following were anounced later.

Silver cup for 10 highest scoring birds exhibited by a farmer, Geo. Hauseman Hillsboro, N. D.

Silver Cup for the 3 highest scoring pens of any one variety, T. J. Couch, Grand Forks.

Silver Cup for the highest scoring five game birds, Mathias Watts. All three of the above silver cups were offered by the Association.

Barred Plymouth Rocks

First, cock, Baby Stone.
Second, cock, C. H. Eissner.
3rd, cock, Wm. Secord.
1st and 2nd, hen, Experimental farm
3rd hen, C. H. Eissner.
1st and 3rd pullet, Baby Stone.
2nd pullet, Experimental farm.
1, 2, 3, cockerel, Experimental farm

Silver Spangled Hamburgs

1, 2, 3, pullet, F. C. Mitchell.
1, 3, cockerel, F. C. Mitchell.
2nd cockerel, Edgar Shaff.

Buff Leghorns

1, 2, 3, pullets, F. C. Mitchell.
1, 2, 3, cockerel, F. C. Mitchell.

Music by John Kolby's orchestra and a vocal solo by Miss Florence Swedburgh were among the pleasing features of the close of the show Saturday evening.

Kodol is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids with natural digestants and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Each dose will digest more than 3,000 grains of good food. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

HAD MONEY IN SHIRT

DICK MORRISON DISCOVERED MONEY WHICH HE THOT WAS STOLEN

ON THE ROCKS FOR A WEEK AND FOUND $45 IN HIS SLEEP

From Monday's Daily—

Dick Morrison of Cass Lake was a happy man Sunday. A week ago he thought he was robbed of all his money in some way. All last week he stopped at the Germania hotel wondering what to do.

Sunday morning he awoke early and was bothered by an itchy feeling on one arm.

He scratched for a while and later investigated and found his roll of $45 under his sleeve of his undershirt, just where he had put it and then forgotten all about it.

No Case on Record

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

Kodol FOR DYSPEPSIA
DIGESTS WHAT YOU EAT
Relieves Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Belching of Gas, Etc.
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TROOPS FAIL TO STOP LYNCHING

Historical Society

Two Thousand Enraged Citizens Overpower Armed Guard and Hang Negro.

MEMBERS OF MOB ARE INJURED

Soldiers Fire Upon Citizens as They Seize Negro—All Show Marks of the Fight.

Brookhaven, Miss., Feb. 12. — Eli Pigot, a negro, who assaulted Miss Williams, a young white woman, near here several weeks ago, was early yesterday taken from the custody of the Jackson military company and a posse of deputies and hanged from a telegraph pole within less than a hundred yards of the court house.

He was to have been tried yesterday for his crime. The military company and the posse were overpowered by a mob of more than 2,000 citizens. Several shots were fired during the melee and two members of the mob were wounded.

Mob Attacks Militia.

Pigot reached Brookhaven from Jackson shortly after 7 o'clock, in custody of Sheriff Frank Greer and under the armed escort of the Capital Light guards, ordered into service by Gov. Noel to protect the negro during the trial.

When the soldiers and negro alighted from the train the mob surged around them, and a fierce hand-to-hand fight ensued. The soldiers clubbed the members of the mob with their guns.

The fight lasted five minutes and the military started with the prisoner to the court house, when the mob, reinforced and reorganized, made another attack, secured the prisoner, dragged him to a telephone pole and hanged him.

All Show Marks of Fight.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 12.—The Jackson military company, from whose custody a mob secured Eli Pigot, the negro lynched at Brookhaven yesterday, returned to this city late last evening, almost every member of the company bearing some mark of their encounter with the mob. One of the militiamen, Corporal Leslie Arms, was seriously injured.

Capt. Albert Falley, who was in command of the local militia, stated that the soldiers exerted every means to save the negro from the mob, both as to courage and to effort, but that it was a case of fighting against overwhelming odds. The local company was joined at Brookhaven by the company stationed at that place and in all numbered fifty-eight men.

RESTS WITH ANCESTORS

Bodies of King Carlos and Luis Philippi Laid Away—Almost Ends in Disaster.

Lisbon, Feb. 12. — The bodies of King Carlos and Crown Prince Luiz Phillippe were yesterday laid away beside those of their royal ancestors in the sacred sepulchres of the pantheon. The official closing of one of the most tragical incidents in Portuguese history was done in a scene which almost ended in disaster. A great crowd, numbering into the thousands struggled outside the cathedral San Vicente seeking to enter and view the bodies before the doors were finally closed for the ceremony.

Brushing back the police and guard of Royal Archers, they poured into the church, sweeping everything before them. A panic was threatened and the cavalry was called out to disperse the pushing thousands. Women and children were caught in the crush, and many of them were bruised and trampled upon, but no fatalities have been reported. When the doors eventually were closed to the public the ceremony of entombment was carried out.

MRS. THAW VISITS HER SON.

Woman Appears In Feeble Health at Matteawan.

Matteawan, N. Y., Feb. 11. — Mrs. William Thaw, mother of Harry K. Thaw, visited her son for over an hour yesterday at the Matteawan state hospital. Mrs. Thaw appeared to be in feeble health and was assisted off and on the train by a nurse.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy an improvement on the laxatives of former years as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. For sale by all druggists.

NELSON WITH DYING SON.

Senator From Minnesota Will Remain in Colorado to the End.

Denver, Feb. 12.—Senator Nelson of Minnesota has arrived at Colorado Springs, to be with his son Henry, who is dying of tuberculosis. The senator has given up all hopes of his son's recovery and will remain until the end. The young man has been failing since he was brought here last March from Everett, Wash.

CONGRESS

Senator Aldrich Opens Debate on His Currency Bill.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, chairman of the committee on finance, opened the debate in the senate yesterday on his bill to provide an emergency currency. He was listened to with great attention.

During the day Senator Foraker made reply to the president's statement concerning the use of the appointing power for political purposes, and had letters read, showing the president's attitude in one case.

A brief but fiery speech by Mr. Leake (Dem.) of New Jersey, in which he outlined his opposition to William J. Bryan as a candidate for the presidency, relieved somewhat the monotony of debate on the Indian appropriation bill in the house.

Considerable progress was made with the Indian appropriation bill.

BURNS LICKS ENGLISH PUG

TOOK ONLY FOUR ROUNDS TO PUT PALMER TO SLEEP

JACK PALMER WAS ENGLISH CHAMPION BUT HAD NO SHOW

Knocks Out English Champion in Four Rounds.

London, Feb. 12.—Tommy Burns, the American heavyweight pugilist, last night knocked out Jack Palmer of Newcastle, the English champion, in the fourth round of what was scheduled to be a twenty-round contest for the heavyweight championship. It was a one-sided affair from the sound of the first gong until the middle of the fourth round, when Palmer, on his knees, was finally counted out.

VOTE FOR TWO SHIPS.

House Naval Committee Refuses to Recommend Four New Battleships.

Washington, Feb. 12. — The house committee on naval affairs voted to recommend an appropriation for the building of two battleships of the Delaware class, instead of the four battleships recommended by the navy department and urged by the president.

IS ENGAGEMENT OFF?

Miss Ashford Denies Rumor and Gassaway Won't Discuss It.

Washington, Feb. 12.—It is reported that the engagement of Henry Gassaway Davis and Miss Ashford has been terminated. She denies it and Mr. Davis refuses to discuss the matter.

LYNCHING THREATENED.

Mob Seeks Life of Engineer Whose Train Killed Aged Man.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 12.—A special from Prestonsburg, Floyd county, says that Engineer William Art[illegible] of the local railroad line there, in charge of a train which struck and killed an aged man named Burks, was dragged from his engine cab and hustled to jail, where he is in danger of being lynched by the angry citizens.

What Everybody Wants

Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

EDISONS ROYALITY

$3000,000 COMBINE WILL CONTROL WORLD'S MOVING PICTURE MACHINES

EDISON WILL RECEIVE $200,000 ROYALTY FOR USE OF PATENTS

Moving Picture Combine to Control Business of World.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12. — The legal wars which Thomas Edison, the inventor, has participated in with moving picture machine manufacturers and dealers for the past nine years, has been settled. It was learned here yesterday, through the formation in Buffalo on Saturday of a $3,000,000 combination to control the entire moving picture business of the world. Edison will receive from the combination $200,000 a year royalty, in return for which he is to permit no other concern to use any of his patents without which films cannot be made.

NEED MORE LABORERS

JOBS GO BEGGING WHILE WAGES ARE RAISED FIFTEEN PERCENT

NORTHERN WISCONSIN CONFIRMS REPORT OF SCARCITY IN TIMBERED REGIONS

Grand Rapids and Other Wisconsin Men Need More Laborers.

Milwaukee, Feb. 12.—Northern Wisconsin confirms reports that there is a scarcity of men and that premiums are being paid for labor. A well known paper manufacturer from Grand Rapids, Wis., said:

"The cry for men is still going up at Port Edwards, near our city. The mills cannot get enough help to keep the tracks clear of the pulp cars that arrive daily. The company's offer of $1.50 a day has been raised to $1.70, and yet sufficient help cannot be secured."

Plans Beet Sugar Factory.

Miles City, Mont., Feb. 11. — It is learned that the president of a Billings beet sugar factory contemplates locating a beet sugar factory near Miles City, as this place is at the junction of the Milwaukee and Northern Pacific railroads, and action in this direction is considered as certain if Senator Carter's bill opening the Keogh reserve to settlement is passed.

Pastor Is Dangerously Ill.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 11.—Rev. John K. Fowler, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, is in a dangerous condition at the La Crosse hospital with an attack of peritonitis. He was taken ill while traveling near Denver.

Rob Home; Get Jewelry.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Feb. 11. — Thieves entered the home of E. J. Dawson some time last night and stole watches and jewelry of a value of $150. The theft has been reported to the police, but there is no clue.

WRITER DISCHARGED

NO TRUE BILL FOUND AGAINST MRS. GRAY MAGAZINE WRITER

SHE WAS CHARGED WITH DEFRAUDING INDIANS IN MONTANA

Grand Jury Fails to Indict Eastern Magazine Writer.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 12.—The federal grand jury yesterday submitted its final report to Judge W. H. Hunt and was discharged. The expected indictment of Helen Pierce Gray, the Eastern newspaper and magazine writer, on the charge of defrauding the Indians, did not materialize, but the grand jury took occasion severely to criticise officers of the Indian Rights association, who have been active in bringing about her exoneration through counter charges against government employes at the Eastern Montana reservation.

DIES FOR CHILDREN

WOMAN LITERALLY ROASTED WHILE SAVING CHILDREN FROM FLAMES

RESULT OF EXPLOSION OF GASOLINE IN A KITCHEN RANGE

Explosion in Minneapolis Causes Awful Tragedy.

Minneapolis, Feb. 12. — Mrs. Mary Brandys is dead as the result of burns received while extinguishing the clothing of her two children, four and six years old, which became ignited as the result of an explosion of gasoline in a kitchen stove.

Nearly every garment was burned from the woman, who was literally roasted. In her agony she ran from the house and rolled about in a snow bank. She fainted and in this condition was later discovered by neighbors. After many hours of suffering the woman died yesterday.

Murdered and Burned.

Richmond, Mo., Feb. 12.—While her husband was absent from home and their two children were at school, Mrs. Charles McGonnigle was murdered by an unknown person and her body was burned in a fire started by the murderer which consumed her home, five miles southwest of here yesterday.

Found His Wife Dead.

Brainerd, Minn., Feb. 12. — When Axel Berg, a farmer, living about eight miles east of Brainerd, arrived home from a trip to this place he found his wife lying on a couch cold in death. Mrs. Berg had an attack of apoplexy a couple of years ago and the second seizure caused death.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently but promptly on the bowels. It stops the cough by soothing the throat and lung irritation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

STANDARD OIL TRUST ATTACKS NEW LAW

Standard Oil Files Demurrer in the Case Brought By Attorney General.

St. Paul, Feb. 12.—The constitutionality of the Hinton anti-discrimination law passed by the legislature is to be tested in the courts in the suit brought by the state to secure the cancellation of the Minnesota charter of the Standard Oil company. The company yesterday entered a demurrer to the complaint, alleging that the law is unconstitutional and void, being in contravention of several provisions of the state and federal constitutions.

The state alleges in its complaint that the company on a certain date was selling a certain grade of oil in the Twin Cities at a price several cents a gallon lower than it was charging for the same grade at other points. The law relates only to dealers in oils and expressly prohibits the charging of a higher price at one point than at another, allowance being made for the difference in the cost of transportation. Upon the conviction of a company on this charge the secretary of state is directed to cancel its charter to do business in Minnesota. The company claims that it is class legislation because it relates solely to dealers in oils and does not cover other commodities.

BANKER MORSE IS INDICTED TWICE

New York County Grand Jury Finds True Bills Against Man of Many Banks.

GRAND LARCENY IS CHARGE

Other Indictments Ordered by Grand Jury as Result of Investigation of Banks.

New York, Feb. 12.—The grand jury for New York county, which has been investigating certain business transactions involving some of the banks with which Charles W. Morse, the organizer of the American Ice company and the Consolidated Steamship company, until recently was identified, yesterday returned five indictments. Three of these indictments had to do with liquor tax cases, while two indictments charged grand larceny.

The indictments were not made public, but in asking that a good-sized bail bond be required, District Attorney Jerome stated to the court that two charges of grand larceny were laid against "a man now on his way over here" from Europe.

Morse Is the Man.

Following the court proceedings, it was stated authoritatively that the man referred to by Mr. Jerome was Charles W. Morse, who sailed for Liverpool a week ago Saturday on the Campania, but is now returning upon the advice of his counsel. Mr. Morse is a passenger on the Cunarder Etruria, due here late next Saturday. The grand jury, it is learned, has ordered other indictments in connection with its investigation into banking affairs. Among the matters which the grand jury looked into was a transaction in which two notes for $200,000 figured. The federal grand jury, which also has been investigating the banking situation, concluded its day's session yesterday without handing down any indictments.

POSTAL ROBBER TAKEN.

Prisoner at Waco, Tex., Accused of Rifling $50,000 Pouch.

Waco, Tex., Feb. 12.—John A Gee, was arrested in Bryan, Tex., and brought here on a complaint charging him with the theft of two mail pouches at Temple in December last. The pouches were looted near Waco and $50,000 worth of checks, money orders and drafts thrown into a small stream while all the money in the letters was taken.

PUNISHED

Embezzler Is Given Two and a Half Years Additional Time.

Fargo, N. D., Feb. 12.—Two and one-half years added to his sentence because he told a lie to Judge C. A. Pollock is the fate of Frank E. Dunlop, self-confessed embezzler of funds while cashier of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway office. Two weeks ago Dunlop pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two and one-half years in the state penitentiary. Before passing sentence the court asked Dunlop if he had ever before been in prison. Dunlop said not. Later Judge Pollock learned he had served time and the sentence was nullified. Dunlop was given an indeterminate sentence of not more than five years in the penitentiary.

How a man fols himself when he thinks he is fooling his wife.

PRINT PAPER MERGER NEXT

PROPOSED GIGANTIC PRINT PAPER TRUST IN LIME LIGHT AGAIN

EASTERN CAPITAL HAS COMPLETED ARRANGEMENTS FOR PROPOSED COMBINE

J. G. Hanrahan Is in Wisconsin, and Will Soon Go to Duluth.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 12.—The gigantic print paper mill merger again has come to light with the arrival here of John G. Hanrahan of New York.

The engineer of the gigantic paper deal is as reticent as ever on the subject, but it is said that since he left here for New York the last time arrangements have been made for swinging the financial part of the deal. Local manufacturers believe that the merger would have culminated several months ago had it not been for the condition of the money market, and are now laboring under the impression that Eastern capitalists have completed arrangements for the proposed combine.

Mr. Hanrahan will leave for the northwestern part of the state some time this week, and it is supposed will hold a conference with the owners of the Minnesota mills at Duluth.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It is up to the dental student to take drawing lessons.

LIES ILL WITH DEAD BABY.

Child-wife Is Unattended Two Days and Infant Succumbs.

Lead, S. D., Feb. 12. — For two days Mrs. Amanda Blaycock, an eighteen-year-old wife, lay alone in her room unattended with the body of her newborn infant, which had died from lack of care. To neighbors who discovered her the girl said that she recently had come from Montana with her husband, but that he had gone away shortly before the birth of the child. The sheriff has communicated with the girl's father and she will be sent to her Montana home.

NINE MEN ARE KILLED

Slow Blast Sets Off Accumulated Gas and Wrecks Interior of the Mine.

Central City, Ky., Feb. 12. — Nine miners were killed and one other fatally injured by an explosion of gas in the mine of the Moody Coal company at South Carrollton, three miles from this city, yesterday afternoon. The mine is a small one and only thirteen men were at work in the digging at the time of the explosion. The accident was caused by a slow blast setting off the gas which had evidently accumulated in considerable quantity, as the interior of the mine was wrecked and the cages smashed so that it was impossible to get the ten victims and the three survivors to the surface until 7 o'clock last evening. The three men who escaped managed to reach the bottom of the shaft and keep clear of the gas.

REMARKABLE WIRELESS.

Some Long Distance Talking in Navy Department.

Washington, Feb. 11.—A remarkable instance of wireless telegraphic communication has been verified at the bureau of equipment, navy department. A wireless station at Point Loma, near San Diego, picked up the Connecticut, then talking off the coast of Cuba, took down the message and also picked up a message being sent from the wireless station at Pensacola, Fla. Experts are wondering whether the message went across the continent or in the other direction around the world.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

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Ask Your Dealer for MARSHALLTOWN VEHICLES
OUR GOODS ARE THE BEST AND PRICES LOWEST CONSIDERING QUALITY.
MARSHALLTOWN BUGGY COMPANY
Marshalltown Iowa

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

HERE FROM KELLIHER — Guy Munroe is here from Kelliher and will spend several days visiting with relatives and friends.

BACK FROM TRIP—Chas. Kiewel returned today from a trip to Thief River Falls, Red Lake Falls, Brooks and other points where he called on the trade.

WITH PNEUMONIA—Chas. Kaiser the well known East Grand Forks laundryman is seriously ill with an attack of pneumonia. The attending physician is hopeful for his recovery however. C. D. Billings is attending his bedside at present.

WOLF BOUNTIES — Four wolf bounties have been paid this week to the following parties, and each drew a warrant for $7.50: Alfred P. and Carl Christianson of Lowell township Arthur Anderson of Knute and Ole N. Locken of Chester.

DITCH HEARING—George A. Ralph of Crokston official engineer for the state drainage board, arrived in the city last evening and spent today here. Mr. Ralph is interested in the judicial ditch hearing, which was on before Judge McClenahan in district court today—Bemidji Pioneer.

WILL GO WEST— Henry Funk and Emil Brink will leave for Spokane the first of next week where they will spend some time looking over the situation, and may locate there temporarily. Their many friends in Crookston will hope to see them back in Crookston very speedily.

A FINE SON—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Strander are the parents of a very fine baby boy which arrived last evening and applied for the foremanship of the Strander Abstract and Investment Co. the first time he made a noise. His application was received and placed on file.

VISITING NORTH COUNTRY — J R. Rasmusson of Crookston came over from the "Queen City" yesterday noon and spent the afternoon in the city. He left last evening to visit north-country points along the north line of the M. & I. railway.—Bemidji Pioneer.

MOTHER VERY ILL—W. B. Krause of Thief River Falls left last evening for Green Bay, Wis., where he was called by the serious illness of his mother, over whose condition grave apprehension is felt. Mrs. Krause is 65 years of age and has hardly known a sick day till the present time.

THIEF RIVER FALLS ELKS — All the necessary steps have been completed to meet the requirements of those of official authority in Elkdom and word was received from J. H. Guerin, organizer in charge of this district that he would be in Thief River Falls here this week to prepare for the establishment of a local lodge of Elks in this city. Twenty-five names were all that the rules for organization demanded but some sixty-five of the leading business and professional men have signed the petition as desirous of becoming connected with the society as charter members.

C. W. BAUMBACH DEAD —C. W. Baumbach died Feb. 1 at Oklahoma City, Okla. Particulars concerning his death are lacking but it is known he had been troubled with his heart. He was the son of W. R. Baumbach of Wadena and before going south was cashier of the First National bank at Wadena. He was widely known thruout northern Minnesota. Until recently he was at the head of the Bankers' Trust company of Ardmore, I. T., later going to Oklahoma City. The remains will be taken to Wadena for interment. W. R. Baumbach was at the head of the company which built Crookston's first telephone line.

From Friday's Daily

HERE FROM FISHER — Albert Jance, the well known business man of Fisher is here today with his daughter who is being treated for her eyes by Dr. Norman.

MEET FEB. 17—The next meeting of the county commissioners of Polk Co., will be held on Monday Feb.17 and there will be a large grist of business to be attended to at that time.

ELECTED TREASURER—Will Reidesel was elected treasurer of Co. I., M. N. G. Wednesday evening at a meeting which disposed of very little other business.

JOHN DINNIE QUITE ILL—John Dinnie was taken seriously ill at his home yesterday morning and, for a time apoplexy was feared. Last night it was stated that his condition was somewhat improved. — Grand Forks Herald.

CLEARWATER SURVEYOR— Co. Surveyor Bert Umland of Clearwater county was in the city this morning between trains enroute to his claim in his home county after a trip to St. Paul where he appeared before the State Drainage Board on official business.

TERRITORY INCREASED — Lawrence Ricketts, the representative of the American Book Co., in this territory returned to Minneapolis last evening after spending several days in this territory. He had had 13 more counties added to his territory but does not appear to be at all superstitious regarding the fateful number.

WILL TRAP—Dick Giese left this morning for his claim near Thief Lake where he will spend the balance of the winter hunting and trapping. He was accompanied by Charley Johnson who will remain with him and make a specialty of fricassing hoot owls. The fur animals trapped will be shipped to John Giese the well known fur man of this city.

SIX PRISONERS IN JAIL—There are but six prisoners in the Polk County jail serving sentences for petty offenses, and six have been taken to the state penitentiary during and since the present term of court three having plead guilty and three were convicted.

BELTRAMI FARMERS HERE—H. O. Hanson a well known and prosperous farmer north of Beltrami was in Crookston today calling on friends and incidentally called at the Journal office and paid for another year's subscription to the Journal. He was accompanied by S. Ogard a neighboring farmer who farms right.

BUSINESS WAS POOR— Deputy Pure Food Commissioner E. B. Heiberg left last evening for Ada where he will spend the day looking after business for the department. Mr. Heiberg spent yesterday at Thief River Falls where he had a man spotted who had fractured the dark blue pure food statutes but he found on his arrival there that his man had sold out and had flown the coop. Consequently Mr. Heiberg thought business was poor yesterday.

JOKE ON HILDE—The boys are having lots of fun with Elmer Hilde of Sampsons addition. He was worked with Helstab's crew on the ice last Wednesday when Frank Arries fell in the river. Some one shouted to throw him a pike pole but Hilde was excited, his friends say, and was standing on two but could not see any. Some one else grabbed a pole from under Hilde's feet and assisted Arries out.

WORE HUSBAND'S CLOTHING.

Woman Arrested in Chicago Intended to Steal Ride.

Chicago, Feb. 8—Mrs. Rudolph Colb, twenty-five years old, put on some of her husband's clothing and with him was on the way to the Lake Shore station to steal a ride on a freight train to Detroit when she was arrested. They had but $1.75. Colb recently lost his position. He has relatives in Detroit.

From Saturday's Daily—

DIVORCE SUIT—Mrs. Jennie Sorenson who suddenly left home last week, is said to be in Crookston and has commenced an action for divorce —Fertile Journal.

HIGHER ALTITUDE— Bert Slee of Warren left for Longmont, Col., where he was called by his mother's illness. He will return in the spring if he doesn't take a liking to the west

LOCATED AT WILLISTON—Jas. Thompson formerly with the Wisconsin Grain Co., at this point is now located at Williston N. D. It is probable that a few more months will see him back in Crookston.

TAKEN TO THE HSPITAL—Miss Nora Anderson the 13 year old daughter of Mr. Anderson of Nielsville was taken to the St. Vincent hospital this morning for an operation. Her condition is quite serious.

JEFFERS BETTER—Frank Jeffers expects to be able to return to this city from Blackduck net Tuesday. He is improving steadily and the report that another operation had been performed this week is untrue.

WILL DANCE TUESDAY—The Foresters team of the Modern Woodmen will give another fine dancing party Tuesday next and plans are being made for a banner evening's pleasure and the Foresters know just how to go about it.

HAD A LONG SIEGE—The many friends of A. A. Glenn were glad to see him down town today for the first time in eight weeks. He has not been able to get out since he broke his leg at that time and his friends were mightily pleased to be able to give him the glad hand.

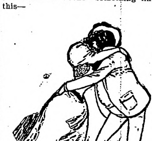
GOES TO FARIBAULT — Adnrew Lariviere who has been visiting in Minneapolis for the past few days leaves this evening for Faribault where he will visit with relatives and friends returning to Crookston in a week or ten days.

G. FORKS FUNERAL—The funeral of Judge R. M. Carothers was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Presbyterian church. The funeral will be under auspices of Acacia lodge A. F. & A. M. with a Knights Templar escort. Representatives of the grand lodge and grand chapter were present from all parts of the state.

FINE PARAPHERNALIA—The Foresters team of the Woodmen lodge of this city this morning received a set of fine aluminum axes for degree team work, together with much other paraphernalia and will go to the meeting of the head camp with the intention of landing some of the big prizes Last year they gave the leaders a close rub and this year should win.

DID NOT GET HIS SOUVENIR

A few days ago Peter Boukind came in from Devils Lake and a fellow passenger happened to be a charming young lady also enroute to Crookston. Mr. Boukind managed to strike up a conversation and as the journey progressed. He assisted his new found friend to alight from the train and with her grip in hand he intended to see her home and perchance discover her name. Imagine his discomfiture when a young man rushed to the car as she alighted and presented a scene something like this—



since the incident Peter has refused to be interviewed but the souvenir he expected to get was given to another in front of his face and he is now developing into a full fledged woman hater.

Jumps to Her Death.

New York, Feb. 8. — During a fire that destroyed an eight-family apartment house early yesterday, Margaret Landon, twenty-one years of age, jumped from a sixth story window and was instantly killed.

THERE WAS NO CONFESSION

STORY THAT MIKE MURPHY CONFESSED TO ORIN DANIELS IS BOSH

MURPHY SIMPLY TOLD ALEX GONYEA THAT HE KNEW GRACE BURNS

From Saturday's Daily—

The story published in the Grand Forks and Fargo papers to the effect that while being taken to Stillwater by Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels and Deputy Alex Gonyea, Mike Murphy had confessed that he was the murderer of Grace Burns at Fargo last summer is absolutely false. Deputy Sheriff Daniels says that Murphy did not even mention Grace Burns name to him on the way to Stillwater or at any other time. Murphy did tell Alex Gonyea on the way to Stillwater that he knew Grace Burns very well and that he had often trotted her on his knee. From this story the sensational confession was manufactured.

Because Murphy is a tough character the authorities decided to investigate and Sheriff Gonyea ordered a photograph of Murphy which will be sent here from the penitentiary and will be sent by Sheriff Gonyea to Sheriff Hunt of Fargo who thinks Murphy was in Fargo at about the time the foul murder was committed and of course it is possible that there may be developments.

The confession sctory, however, is absolutely false.

FAVOR CLOQUET LAND SALE.

Senator Clapp's Bill for Transfer of 2,000 Acres to Minnesota Wins.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Senator Clapp has secured the passage by the senate of his bill authorizing the sale of 2,000 acres of Indian land near Cloquet to the state of Minnesota for forest purposes.

SHAW'S YEAR PROFITABLE.

Nets $1,0,000 While Acting as President on Carnegie Trust Company.

New York, Feb. 8.—Leslie M. Shaw, the former secretary of the treasury, who has announced his intention of resigning from the presidency of the Carnegie Trust company, has told his friends that his stay of one year in New York has netted him $110,000.

No Other Hogs Tuberculous.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 8.—Local veterinarians who have examined the stock of the farmer who sold a diseased hog in La Crosse are convinced that there are no more of the animals afflicted. The hog sold to a local butcher was found diseased with an advanced case of tuberculosis.

Montagnini to Vatican.

Rome, Feb. 8. — Mgr. Montgnini, who was at one time secretary of the papel nunciaturo at Paris and who was forcibly expelled from France at the height of the church and state troubles, has been called to Rome, where he will be given a secretaryship at the Vatican.

Elk Point Gets G. O. P. Convention.

Elk Point, S. D., Feb. 8.—At a meeting of the Republican central committee of Union county Elk Point was selected as the place for holding the county convention on March 24 to select delegates to the state convention for the election of delegates to the national convention.

Frightened to Death.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 8.—W. Smith, a Hazel Kirk coal miner, was frightened to death yesterday by a live wire. He came in contact with a lightly charged electric wire and dropped dead. An examination showed the wire did not carry sufficient voltage to even stun a man.

Cheaper to Buy License.

Frazee, Minn., Feb. 8. — Deputy Game Warden S. C. Mayer caused the arrest of Anson Pimmerle of Hubbard county yesterday on a charge of hunting in Becker county last November without first having obtained a hunter's license. He was brought here yesterday and pleaded guilty to the charge in Judge Jepson's court, and was fined $25 and costs.

Epidemic of Mild Smallpox.

Superior, Wis., Feb. 8.—Smallpox is spreading through the city and giving the physicians and the health department a considerable amount of trouble. The trouble does not come so much from the disease itself as from the fact that it is in such a mild form that it is hard to keep track of the epidemic.

$200,000 Loss at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Feb. 8.—Four fires in this city, all burning at the same time, caused damage estimated at $200,000.

City Is Snowbound.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Feb. 8. — This city is completely snowbound. Not a train arrived or departed during the day. A gale from the southwest sprang up last night and is causing the heavy snow that fell to drift badly.

ROBBED WHILE GIVING ALARM

GRAND FORKS WOMAN LOSES PROPERTY AND JEWELS BY THEFT

REALIZING DANGER HELPLESS WOMAN WALKS FROM BUILDING DURING FIRE

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 8.—While Mrs. Frank Tiballs and her daughter were hurrying through the corridors of the Hotel Hall early yesterday morning, warning the other boarders that the place was on fire, sneak thieves entered the women's room and stole several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry from the dressers.

Among the boarders aroused by Mrs. Tiballs was Mrs Louis Roth, who had been a helpless invalid for years, but as soon as she realized the danger she climbed from her bed and walked out of the building without aid.

Damage of approximately $9,000 was done by the fire.

KEEGAN INJURY IS FATAL

VICTIM OF COLLISION THURSDAY NIGHT SUCCUMBS TO INJURIES

William J. Keegan of Moorhead whose injury by being struck by a Northern Pacific engine Thursday evening was reported in yesterday's Journal died from his injuries. Death was due to internal injuries.

GET THE CASH FOR BOUNTIES

A good bunch of men received bounties for wolves killed in Polk Co., today among them being the following: Hans M. Svenson Columbia; Bert B. Benson, Erskine; Carl Carlson, Erskine; Peter K. Mefald, Bransvold. This means a nice little bunch of clear money.

WAS TAKEN TO INSANE ASYLUM

John Haaglund who shot his father P. O. Haaglund near St. Hilaire a few days ago was yesterday committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls and was taken below last evening by Sheriff Nelson and his deputy the deputy bringing him this far alone, Sheriff Nelson arriving from Bemidji. Young Haaglund was quiet last evening but seemed in a sulky and ugly mood, but was given no chance to cut up any didos. He was confined in the city jail while in the city.

F. E. B.

We heard a man say the other morning that the abbreviation for February —Feb. —means Freeze every body and that man looked frozen in his ulster. It was apparent that he needed the kind of warmth that stays the warmth that reaches from head to foot, all over the body. We could have told him from personal knowledge that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives permanent warmth, it invigorates the blood and speeds it along thru artery and vein, and really fits men and women, boys and girls, to enjoy cold weather and resist the attacks of disease. It gives the right kind of warmth, stimulates and strengthens at the same time, and all its benefits are lasting. There may be a suggestion in this for you.

CLOSE TO THE CENTURY MARK

SIMON BERNIER WAS LAID TO REST IN CATHOLIC CEMETERY

WAS OLD RESIDENT OF LAMBERT AND HAD RESIDED HER FOR 7 YEARS

From Saturday's Daily—

The funeral of Simon Bernier took place from St. Annes church this morning at 9:30 death having taken place Thursday evening at the home of his son Thomas, Washington Ave., with whom he had resided for some years with his wife.

Deceased was 90 years of age and came to this section from Canada in the early days settling in Lambert township where he lived till seven years ago when he moved to Crookston.

One side has been paralyzed entirely for a short time before death. His wife is within three months of the age of her husband and is also confined to her bed.

The old gentleman was honest and industrious and held in high esteem by all who knew him.

JOS. KOELMEL OPERATED UPON

A TURN FOR THE WORSE MADE APPENDICITIS OPERATION NECESSARY

This morning Dr. H. W. Smith operated upon Jos. Koelmel for appendicitis at St. Vincent's hospital. He stood the shock very well, and while his condition is critical it is hoped that he will mend rapidly. He was getting better rapidly but last evening took a turn for the worse and an operation was imperative.

SAXTON MANAGER AT T. R. FALLS

Tom Hovet manager of the branch Finch-Winslow-Carlisle wholesale house at Thief River Falls has resigned his position with the company in this city and accepted a position as traveling salesman for a Duluth house Mr. Hovet's family will continue to reside in Thief River Falls and his territory will cover this section of the state. N. F. Saxton is to be the new manager of the wholesale house at Thief River Falls. He has been in the employ of the Finch-Winslow-Carlisle company for a number of years and is well known in this city.

DEATH VISITS TOFSLEY,S HOME

The angel of Death visited the home of H. A. Tofsley and family of Hammond township on Wednesday night at nine o'clock and took away little Harry Benard after a brief illness of three days with an attack of brain fever. He was seven years one month two week and two days old. Doctor Huffman of Climax did all that could be done to save him, but he was past human aid. Four girls and three boys now remain to comfort the stricken parents in their first affliction. Harry was exceptionally bright and loved by all.

The funeral will take place on February 12, at o'clock p. m. from the home, and the remains will be interred at the cemetery on the farm. Rev. Berg of Climax will officiate.

WATER WORKS CASE GOES TO THE SUPREME COURT

EVIDENCE COVERS 336 PAGES—ALL PAPERS WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE SUPREME COURT THIS EVENING AND THE CLOSE WILL COME UP FOR TRIAL AT THE APRIL TERM — SUIT THE MOST IMPORTANT IN CONNECTION WITH MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS OF CROOKSTON

From Saturday's Daily—

The case of Ed L. Erickson vs. the Crookston Water Works and Light Co., for damages alleged to have been received for lowering of the head of artesian water and stopping the flow of his well which has been appealed to the supreme court will come up at the April term of supreme court.

Erickson asked for damages and to have the company restrained from pumping the water below a level which would affect other wells and in the trial of the case before Judge Watts Erickson was given $290 damages and a restraining of the defendant from lowering the water beyond a certain depth.

Clerk of Court Lanctot will today forward all papers in connection with the case to St. Paul this evening. The paper book containing the evidence contains 336 pages. L. H. Gossman appeared for Erickson and others and Rome G. Brown for the power company.

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From Over The Valley

DISCUSSED FEDRAL GRAIN INSPECTION BILL

The Fertile Commercial club held a special meeting Monday night to take some action in regard to federal grain inspection the question having been submitted to the club by Congressman Steenerson for its views in the matter.

INSTANTLY KILLED BY A FALLING TREE

Frank Dunnell, a son of Louis Dunnell, who lives a mile and a half west of Mahnomen, was killed last week by a tree falling on him. He had cut the tree and in falling it wsa caught by the branch of another tree, aud as he passed under the tree the branch gave way and he was felled to the ground being instantly killed. His funeral was held from the Pembina church.

NORTHWEST STOOD HIGH AT NORTHFIELD CONTEST

At the butter makers' contest held at the Minnesota State Dairymen's convention at Northfield January 22, the highest award went to Charles Mickelson of the New London creamery. C. Johnson of the Thief River Falls creamery served 91½ points as did also George Austin of the St. Hilaire creamery.

INCREASING DAIRY HERD THE COMING YEAR

W. E. Casselman, of Lockhart, is going into dairying more extensively than ever this year. He has made arrangements to milk at least 40 cows during the summer.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FOUR CLUB B. B. LEAGUE

FARGO DULUTH BRANDON AND WINNIPEG ORGANIZE FOUR CLUB LEAGUE

100 GAMES SCHEDULED, SEASON TO OPEN LATTER PART OF MAY

From Thursday's Daily—

At yesterday's baseball meeting, held at Fargo it was decided to organize a four club circuit of the Northern league, composed of Fargo, Duluth, Winnipeg and Brandon.

This action was decided upon after two long sessions, lasting practically all of yesterday and several hours last night. The entire baseball situation in the northwest was gone over carefully and it was the opinion of those having the matter in charge that the interests of the great national sport in the northwest would be best subserved by eliminating the weak points of the old organization as far as possible and forming a strong and compact league.

Winnipeg has 125,000 people, Duluth 75,000, Fargo 15,000 and Brandon 15,000 making a total of 230,000 inhabitants to draw from for support in the cities alone. The league is international like the Eastern league, Winnipeg and Brandon being in Canada and Fargo and Duluth in the United States.

GRAND TIME AT OMER SAUVE HOME

SEVERAL PEOPLE FROM THIS CITY ENJOYED THE FESTIVITIES

There was a grand time last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Sauve near Benoit Station last evening their fine home being thronged by many friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Sauve who are noted far and wide for their hospitality and while the affair last evening was in the nature of a surprise it was none the less enjoyable. There was a sumptuous service of eatables and cards, music and dancing served to make the occasion a most delightful one. The festivities were kept up till this morning, when the Crookston guests took the train home. Those present from here were Mr. and Mrs. Trudeaux, Mr. and Mrs. Brule, Jos. Barrette and A. J. Normandin.

ARE GRATEFUL TO BUSINESS MEN

POULTRYMEN APPRECIATE THE ASSISTANCE THEY RECEIVED IN CROOKSTON

Secretary J. W. Lewis called at the Journal office this morning and requested that the thanks of the Red Red River Valley Poultry Association be publicly expressed for the splendid assistance they received from the business men of this city, which went so far toward making the recent meeting the success it proved.

No Case on Record

There is no case on record of a cough or a cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

SENT MESSAGE AT COST OF $37

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER'S FATHER PAID FEGAN A FAT FEE

EVERYTHING FROM A FARM TO PIGS INCLUDED—PAID $37 FOR MESSAGE

From Friday's Daily—

W. W. Fegan of Grand Forks states that he had dealings with Dr. Livingston father of John D. Rockefeller, years ago when Mr. Fegan was employed by the Great Northern railway at Larimore. Dr. Livingstone came in to the telegraph office and stated that he wanted to send a message to Cleveland, O. He said his home was at Park River but he did not want the people up there to know anything about his business and so he came to Larimore to send his message.

He started in to write it and then decided it would be easier to dictate it to Mr. Fegan from a memorandum. The message contained a list of what Livingston proposed to buy and the cost of the same, the total amount being $18,000. It ranged from a tract of land to pigs.

Pays for Message

When Mr. Fegan got thru and figured the cost of the message he found it would be just $37 and he supposed from Dr. Livingston's appearance that he would ask to send it collect. He was all ready to refuse such a request when Dr. Livingston produced a fat wallet and paid the $37 without a murmur.

Mr. Fegan cannot remember who the message was addressed to but knows it was not to John D. Rockefeller. He believes it went to an agent of the oil magnate.

The recent talk concerning Rockefeller's father recalled to Mr. Fegan the incident of years ago.

INJURIES ARE VERY SERIOUS

N. A. BRAY RECEIVED LETTER FROM BROTHER AT BLACKDUCK TODAY

Nap Bray of this city this morning received a letter from Paul Brunnelle of Red Lake Falls, written from Blackduck and telling of the accident to Joe and Zotique Bray at Little Fork several days ago. Zotique left for his home at Brooks two days later and while badly hurt his condition was not considered dangerous. Joe Bray however, was badly hurt, striking on his head and shoulders when the bus team ran away with the two other passengers aside from himself and brother.

Joe's head was so badly hurt that he has been in agony ever since the accident when conscious. His right leg is paralyzed but the physicians believe he will recover the use of the limb in time.

Zotique had the flesh terribly torn from his ribs and the experience would have been fatal to any less rugged man physically.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bray of Red Lake Falls went to Blackduck yesterday to see the injured man, and Nap Bray left this morning to see how his brothers are recovering. Both injured men are uncles of Rene Morin of the New York Store.

Ground to Bits by Train.

New Hampton, Iowa, Feb.8.—A man supposed to have been Ned Randall was run down and ground to bits by a south-bound Chicago Great Western train.

DEVELOPEMENT OF GREAT WATER POWER

Some Facts Regarding Early History of the Promotion of Railroads in the Great Northwest.

Rainy Lake, Crookston and Pacific Was Organized in Crookston in 1891 but N. P. went bump.

Widespread interest has developed in the project of Elias Steenerson and Knute S. Aaker who have taken the initiative in the development of a gigantic water power in the Red River of the North just south of Climax and as a sequel to the first announcement of the project it may be stated that Knute S. Aker has purchased all the land adjacent to the dam and there can be no drawbacks in that direction. The direction of the proposed dam would also make Nielsville the head of navigation on the Red River and this is also sugnificant.

The development of such a water power, for which privileges will be asked from congress means a great deal to the entire northwest and specially to Crookston, Fargo, Grand Forks and the intermediate towns including Moorhead, which city is as much interested as any in the quartette, for it is intimately connected with the establishment of the long talked of interurban electric line, and with Climax as the reserve power depot, it will be plainly seen tnat the power depot would be very centrally located for the serving of the territory mentioned.

There is more than mere talk connected with this project. Knute S. Aker is wealthy and has secured possession of the required land, and Post master Elias Steenerson of this city is also well-to-do financially and is a brother of Congressman Steenerson who can be relied upon to secure the necessary grants from Congress.

The plans of the present projectors include the construction of local electric lines in Crookston and Grand Forks, Fargo, Moorhead and Crookston and an interurban line running northeast from Crookston, to Rainy Lake country. This agitation recalls some interesting early history when in the winter of 1891 the Rainy Lake, Crookston and Pacific R. R. Co. was organized, the first project at that time being the construction of a railroad from Crookston to Rainy Lake to the northeast of this city and from Crookston southwest to near Climax, the site of the proposed great water power.

The intention of this company was to connect with the N. P. at Fargo or west of there, but the N. P. went into the hands of a receiver at about this time and in '93 the panic came on and nothing further was done.

Even at that early day $15000 bonds were voted to further this project for another line to the Pacific Ocean, Crookston voting $8000 of the bonds and Vineland, Roome, Andover, Hubbard and Shelly the balance.

When the company was organized Halvor Steenerson was elected president, (now congressman), John R. McKinnon, vice president, Max Ericsson, 2nd vice president, and L. Ellington, (present cashier of the Scandia American bank) secretary and treasurer, and Elias Steenerson (now post master of Crookston) general manager.

A survey was made and the right of way for the proposed road secured from Crookston to Shelly and at this juncture the N. P. trouble started.

At about this time there was a general agitation for the construction of railroads in this section. Hines activity to secure a Farmers' railroad to Duluth which hastened the construction of the G. N. from Crookston to Duluth, and the G. N. at that time hastened the completion of the Halstal extension to this city.

All of which goes to show that agitation on any railroad project, if it is backed by good men with means will result in the carrying out of their schemes or the plans of other along the same lines.

From our Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

County Supt. of Schools McAnulty was in the city last Saturday.

Mrs. Kretzschmar was down from Renolds the first of the week visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. W. Bagley.

Charles N. Bourd of Red Lake Falls was in the city Monday being enroute to Waubon where he has a bank.

Miss Lillian Buse and Mollie Allard of Red Lake Falls visited friends in the city the first of the week.

Elias Angell and Miss Hilda Furrnes both popular young people of this city were married last week.

Miss Marie Arneson who had been visiting friends at Stillwater for several weeks, returned to this city last Saturday.

John O. C. Carlson of Plummer, was married to Miss Hilda Norby of this city Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. J. T. Aastad. They will make their future home at Plummer.

FERTILE
(Journal)

An ice rink has been fixed up in town and the young people are enjoying themselves immensely.

Miss Hannah Gredvig was taken to Crookston Monday to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mossefin returned last week from an extended visit to the twin cities, Chicago and points in Iowa.

Knute Nelson and Ed Mossefin attended the annual meeting of the Garden Valley Telephone Company at Rindal Tuesday.

Frank X. Gravel, every old timer in Fertile knows him, spent Monday in Fertile calling on the trade as the general salesman for F. A. Patrick & Co., of Duluth, wholesale dealers in dry goods.

Big bundle of old newspapers for a nickel at the Journal office.

PENNIES CARRIED DEATH.

Baby Boy Rubbed Them on His Lips and Dies of Blood Poisoning.

Dubuque, Iowa, Feb. 8.—Karl Demuth, the infant son of George Demuth, rubbed pennies on his lips when they were chapped and soon blood poisoning set in and the babe died yesterday.

Fire Causes $30,000 Loss.

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 8.—St. Ignace narrowly escaped a big conflagration yesterday. The Edgar hotel and opera house, both two-story buildings, were burned, as was one dwelling, Wixon's barber shop and White's cigar store. The two latter were located in the theater block. Estimated loss, $30,000.

Rider Is Thrown and Badly Hurt.

Ceylon, Minn., Feb. 8.—B. D. Alton, a prominent farmer living near here, was seriously injured this morning while attempting to break a colt. The animal became vicious, throwing Mr. Alton against the side of the barn, breaking his collarbone and injuring him internally.

SNOW SHOVEL KILLS BOY.

Lad Slips and Handle of Implement Penetrates His Body.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 8. — Clifford Kaphinst, aged twelve years, met with an accident which will cost him his life. The boy was shoveling the walk with a shovel which had no crosspiece on the handle, the lad slipped, striking the sharp end of the handle, which penetrated his body.

Killed by Falling Tree.

Hibbing, Minn., Feb. 8.—William Buchanan, a settler living south of Hibbing, was struck on his head a few days ago by a falling tree, fracturing his skull. He was brought to this place and placed in the hospital, but died without regaining consciousness.

Mines Are Burning.

Grafton, W. Va., Feb. 8.—The McGraw Coal company mines at Simpson, this county, known as the New York mines, caught fire from some unknown cause two days ago and are still burning. Two hundred men are at work trying to put out the blaze.

Read the Journal Want Ads.

Penned and Pilfered

Many up-to-date villages and cities now have a City Forester, who has supervision of the tree planting and care of the trees on the streets. If it is decided to have elms on a street he has authority to prevent some eratic individual from setting out box elders or willows and spoiling the symetry of the street. He also fixes the line and the distance between the trees. He also supervises the trimming and no telephone or electric light vandal comes along and slashes shade trees right and left with impunity. In some states county boards are setting trees along the main travelled county roads. This will not only result in beautiful drives but add greatly to the comfort of the teams as well as the people who travel them.—Fergus Falls Journal.

People take newspapers nowadays read them and throw them away. They never think what a source of pleasure and profit—or reminiscence and thought a file or a few numbers of such a paper would be to them 20 or 30 years afterwards. Pay for your papers and then keep them.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has a new one. His department has been grafting honey bees on lightning bugs so that the bees could work at their honey enterprises at night and it has produced a lot of results too. His latest exploit, overtops all former ones.

"You young men knew," said the vet of the cabinet "that certain kinds of bees have a method of milking certain varieties of ants. Well, we never knew much about why they did it, but we-ve found out at last.

"There is nothing so remarkable about a bee milking an ant, when you think of it. Probably the bees and ants would be just as much surprised at noticing that human beings milked goats and sows. Anyhow, our people in Hawaiian Islands have been looking into the habits of certain bees which make honey, but don't seem ever to bother about the flowers. Here is what we've found:

"These bees hold up the aphis, a variety of industrious ants in the sect mammalia. They milk the ants and have some process of turning the milk into honey.

"The honey produced is called honey dew, and it's mighty good. The ant does most of the real work, collecting the ingredients. The bees calmly milk the ants and complete the process of making the milk into honey.

"Yes, we expect to naturalize the process in this country somehow, but haven't got it worked out yet."

Boozy. Va., has voted for prohibition. This is the biggest blow to the rum demon since Bourbon county, Kentucky, went prohibition, says the Minneapolis Journal.

ROAD BUILDERS ARE TO MEET

ENGINEER GEO. W. COOLEY SENDS OUT OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS

POLK CO., SHOULD GET BUSY AT ONCE ON THIS PROPOSITIONS

From Friday's Daily—

President Geo. S. Chesterman of the Polk County Good Roads Association today received official notification of a convention of Road Builders of of Minnesota will be held in the office of the Highway Commission in the new Capitol in St. Paul on Thursday Feb. 27th 1908, commencing at 10 a. m.

At this meeting all persons interested in road construction are urgently invited to be present. County and Town Boards are especially requested to send at least one delegate, and all County Superintendents of Highways and Town Road Inspectors are expected to be present and take part in the discussion of all matters pertaining to Road Construction.

The laws relating to the Highway Commission and distribution of State Aid; details of construction and maintenance of roads and all matters pertaining thereto will be subjects for general debate.

If you have any particular plan or suggestion, or advice in the matter of road work or any question to ask, take part in the proceedings so that all be benefited by a mutual interchange of ideas.

The Minnesota Surveyors' and Engineers' Society meets in Minneapolis on February 25th and 26th, and this meeting will be held immediately after.

All Superintendents of Highways are requested to notify their Town Road Inspectors of this meeting and to see that a copy of this invitation is inserted in all local papers.

County Audtors are requested to send a copy to each member of the County Board and to be present themselves if possible.

If you cannot be present send in such questions as you may wish to have information on and they will be replied to immediately after the close of the meeting.

As the Highway Commission meets on March 3rd for the purpose of distributing the 1908 fund, it is deemed of great importance that Polk County should be officially represented at this meeting.

Starts Course in Advertising.

New York, Feb. 8. — The school of commerce, accounts and finance of New York university has announced a course in practical advertising, which will begin at the university on Saturday, one lecture being given every Saturday evening during the university term.

New Pistol Is Deadly.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 8. — Another case of "did not know it was loaded" cost Harry Dauterman, aged fifteen years, his life. He was showing a companion a new revolver, when it went off, the bullet penetrating his brain.

A SHOCKING MACHINE

A PROGRESSIVE MARSHALL COUNTY FARMER INVENTS

A NEW MACHINE TO PUT BUNDLES OF GRAIN IN SHOCK

The Stephen Leader prints the following: G. L. Leisner has invented a shocking machine to be attached to the binder so that the grain can be reaped, bound and put up in shocks by simply sitting in the seat of the binder driving the horses. We have not seen this new invention but if it does what it is intended to do it will be a great saving for the farmers.

WOODMEN HOLD BIG MEETING

MOORHEAD WOODMEN INITIATE CLASS OF ONE HUNDRED LAST EVENING

What was unanimously pronounced the biggest meeting of Woodmen ever held in Moorhead was held last evening, when county class adoption was held. A class of 100 candidates from Clay county was on hand. The large degree team did the work.

The mater of county class adoption is something new, but promises to create new interest in the work. The meeting was atended by many from out of town including state officers of the lodge.

H. T. MURRAY TAKES THE NELSON CURE

FORMER PROMINENT RESIDENT OF CROOKSTON WILL START OVER AGAIN

H. T. Murray, better known as plain HANK MURRAY, for years a well known and popular railroad conductor in this city who worked up from the bottom of the railroad ladder, is taking the Nelson Cure at Galesburg, Ill., according to notices received today by creditors in this city from John J. Turnicliff, referee in banksuptcy at that place. The first meeting of creditors will be held in Galesburg on the 15th of this month.

Mr. Murray for some time past has been in charge of the Burlington yards at Galesburg.

10,000,000 MORE THAN SAWING CAPACITY

Charles Alexander came down from the Red Lake country last week where he is employed by the Thief River Falls Lumber company in looking after their log scale. Mr. Alexander says that the Thief River Falls Lumber company is getting a big cut of logs this winter and that in the neighborhood of 10,000,000 more than can possibly be sawed this summer is being cut.—Thief River Falls News.

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The Board of Control Plan.

The Illinois legislature has taken up the board of control idea, and is considering a bill placing all of the state's charitable institutions under such a body. As a result argument for and against the plan is waxing hotter, as it did in Minnesota when the plan was proposed here, says the Duluth Herald.

Minnesota's experience with the idea has been satisfactory, on the whole. The chief reason why it was adopted here is that before the management of state institutions was turned over to a single board, each session of the legislature presented a disgraceful spectacle of lobbying and log rolling in behalf of the several institutions. The senator or representative from an institution town was practically useless to the state at large, because it was considered his chief duty to get as much money as he could for his particular institution. To do this he must trade votes and join hands with other representatives of institution towns, and the result was that the graver business of the state was set aside to a large extent in favor of the biennial scramble for appropriations.

The board of control law had a stormy history, chiefly because when it was first adopted it placed the educational institutions under the same board that managed the charitable and correctional institutions. This came about, curiously enough, through an attempt to defeat the measure.

When it was pending and seemed likely to pass, its enemies conspired to add an amendment placing the educational institutions under the board of control. This was done in the hope of beating the bill. It didn't; on the contrary the bill passed, including this objectionable amendment. Then several sessions were devoted to rescuing the schools from this control, and when it was finally accomplished, the plan proceeded on a legitimate and business-like basis. It has not altogether abolished the log-rolling for institutions, but it has reduced it very materially, and some important economies have been brought about.

Besides, it takes the institutions out of politics, in which they never should be entangled. There were good arguments in favor of the local boards of management which the board of control supplanted, such as that local citizens having an interest in the institutions thru their membership in these boards would visit them frequently and see that they were properly conducted. A criticism of the board of control plan being made in Illinois is to the effect that in case of abuses the members of the board of control acting as supervisors would hardly be willing to find fault with their own work as managers. Minnesota, at the suggestion of Governor Johnson, has provided a state board of visitors which meets this criticism. At the same time it is difficult to see why the same criticism would not apply to local boards, providing there were no supervisory system such as Minnesota has provided.

From Over The Valley

A NEW PRINTERY TO BOOST SHEVLIN

Iver Krohn one of the most prominent business men of Shevlin, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Krohn has purchased a brand-new printing outfit consisting of presses and type, etc and contemplates the publication of a real live newspaper at Shevlin. Mr. Krohn expects to publish the first issue of his paper before March 1st and it is his intention of inducing settlers to locate on the excellent farm lands of this part of the state. Mr. Krohn is an old hand at the newspaper business, and will no doubt get out a newsy publication—Bemidji Pioneer.

MENTOR SCHOOL CHILDREN HAD VACATION LAST WEEK

J. E. Rand, principal of the Mentor schools received a message informing him of the death of his sister at Windom, Minn., last Tuesday and left the same evening to attend the funeral, consequently the pupils are enjoying a vacation the balance of the week.

ERSKINE BANK IS INTERIOR REMODELED

The State Bank of Erskine has Contractor Palm at work remodeling the interior of the bank and when it is completed will add much to the comfort and conveniences of the inmates.

HOCKEY IN FULL SWING IN NORTH COUNTRY

Hallock, Warren, Roseau and a junior team from Winnipeg have been having some interesting games of hockey lately. Hallock is cock of the walk thus far and has been an easy winner from the rest of the towns.

EAST GRAND FORKS RECORDER MOVED HIS OFFICE

City Recorder Zimmerman of E. G. Forks has moved his office to new quarters on the second floor of the fire hall, which has been extemporized for his use. It will take him a day or two to get settled but he will manage to find time to take care of all electric light money that comes his way.

Mistake Corrected

Correct the mistake of risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. For sale by all druggists.

CREAMERY AT BADGER HAS SUCCESSFUL YEAR

At the annual meeting of the North Star Co-operative Creamery association held at Badger about twenty-five stockholders were present and they were all well pleased with the results of the year just past. From the secretary's report it appeared that there was a decrease of over 10,000 pounds in the amount of butter fat received owing to the severity of the previous winter and the unusually late spring. This was offset however, by the higher price received for butter there being over $1,300 more paid to the patrons than in 1906. The creamery gained eighteen patrons during the year.

Officers were elected as follows: A. G. Lokken, president; Theo. E. Haug, vice president; Peter Forness, secretary; John Hegstad, treasurer; Aron Swanson, Tollef Lindeland and J. S. Sunderland, directors.

NORTH DAKOTA MAN WILLING TO ASSIST

Having learned of the organization of the Chippewa Falls, Wis., Bloomer Leap Year union, said to be composed of thirty charming women, G. R. Stowell of Tower City, N. D. says he will assist in making their organization a success by guaranteeing each and every one a husband. He declares there are plenty of rich farmers who want wives and adds:

"I want one myself. I have 640 acres and would be willing to marry a Blomber girl between the ages of 25 and 35 years."

INDIAN GIRL BRINGS A SUIT FOR ALLOTMENT

Annie Fairbanks, a 14-year-old Indian girl distant relative of the vice president, residing on White Earth reservation, through her father Benjamin L. Fairbanks, yesterday began an action against the United States of America for an allotment of 80 acres of land which she says is due her from the government under the treaty of 1889.

The case will be heard in United States circuit court in Duluth.

$25,000 PAROCHIAL SCHOOL IS JUST COMPLETED

Bishop Shanley, of Fargo, assisted by many priests, dedicated and blessed the new parochial school building at Bismarck just completed at a cost of $25,000. Many visitors from out of town were there.

Try to get rich quickly today then hunt a job tomorrow.

STATE PRESS

Give 'Em a Chance

Crookston and Grand Forks horsemen seem to be having a hard time getting up a horse race between the two towns. Let them include Warroad in their challenges and they will get a horse race so quick that their heads will swim. It may be all true that we are up in the woods but we are here with the goods when it comes down to true sports and we have got the horses to back us up.—Warroad Commonwealth.

Municipal Affairs

The man who owns his home is in a position that the renter can never reach. The renter usually finds that his rent is too high, or he is dissatisfied for some reason, and is restless and discontentment stalks before him He wants to move. He does not take the same interest in municipal affairs in his own affairs, nor is he as solicitous of his neighbors as the man who owns his home.—Erskine Echo.

Extra Day Month

February is the month in which you pay your personal property taxes, buy some more coal, send valentines and have two holidays, besides four Sundays. An extra day has been added this year to allow the old maids more time to capture a man and lead him to the altar.—Hendrum Review.

Socialist Gain

The socialists claim they will pass the million mark in number of votes in this country this year. With a few more revelations of the crookedness in our business system it will not be surprising if they do.—Hendrum Review.

Kodol is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids with natural digestants and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Each dose will digest more than 3,000 grains of good food. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

Fairmont Standard: The partisan newspapers keep harping away on the statement that Mr. Bryan has made money on the lecture platform and from his books. They seem to think the ability to thus make money disqualifies a man for the office of president. Had he made his money by gambling in Wall street, swindling bank depositors looting insurance funds, watering stock, or stealing from the poor under the guise of a high tariff, these editors would have considered him a great captain of industry and fine presidential timber.

Princeton Union: What has the present session of congress accomplished? Hasn't it tinkered with the Aldrich bill and carried by unanimous vote every motion to adjourn?

LeSueur News: Senator Tillman is accused of being a hypocrite. Never. We may not agree with all he says, but we do not believe that any man who hits straight out on every occasion is a hypocrite.

Albert Lea Standard. Is Roosevelt "tamed?" Does Wall street now consider that he is properly "subdued?" His message is the greatest battle cry of freedom since Lincoln, and if it does not suit Wall street it certainly does satisfy and rejoice the rest of the country exceedingly.

Austin Transcript: Sherm Smith the man mainly responsible for counting Judge Lovely out of the fair nomination in the Republican state convention has recently been convicted and sentenced to the peitentiary for attempting to influence jurors and witnesses. The mills of the gods grind slow but—.

LITTLE GRAIN STILL LEFT

NORTH DAKOTA ELEVATOR MAN SAYS THERE IS ONLY 15 PERCENT

OF THE 1907 WHEAT CROP STILL IN THE HANDS OF FARMERS OF THAT STATE

There is only 15 percent of the wheat crop of 1907 in the hands of the elevators and farmers of North Dakota exclusive of what is needed for seed, according to W. F. Redman who is travelling elevator agent for a company. The high price of wheat and the fact that the farmers needed the money last fall on account of the pressure brought on them by creditors who were being crowded by the wholesalers and big money interests resulted in nearly all the wheat being shipped to the terminals and sold. There is very little wheat to be shipped to the markets now.

There are other grain men who are inclined to think that 15 per cent is too high an estimate of the wheat left in the state. They believe that the amount of wheat needed for seed will scrape the bins clean and there will be none left to be shipped east.

WILL CELEBRATE INDEPENDENCE

THE NORWEGIANS WILL HOLD A FESTIVAL IN FARGO ON MAY 17TH

May 17 next the Norwegians of Fargo and Moorhead and this vicinity will observe Norway's independence day by appropriate exercises at the Fargo opera house afternoon and evening. A splendid program has been arranged. There will be music and speaking. Among the speakers will be Governor John Burke Hon. M. N. Johnson, Prof. Kildahl of Northfield, Minn., and Consul Gade of Chicago.

Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills. They are easy to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

40,000 TONS OF COAL ON FIRE

OFFICIALS HAVE SHAFT SUNK IN IMMENSE PILE AT DEVILS LAKE—EMPLOYES

FEAR COAL HAS CAUGHT ON FIRE FROM SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION

Great Northern railway officials have been having a good deal of anxiety concerning a pile of 40,000 tons of soft coal at Devils Lake which is believed to have been on fire from spontaneous combustion. Shafts have been sunk in the pile but so far no fire has been located. The condition of the pile indicated that there was a fire or the coal was about in shape to break out.

Some of the employes are of the opinion that there is a good sized fire smouldering deep down in the immense pile and fear that it will not be long before the entire pile will be endangered. Further efforts to locate the fire will be made and precaution taken to prevent any further danger of spontaneous combustion.

The coal has been smoking in a way to indicate that there was a probability that a pretty good sized fire has gained a start.

3,000,000 FEET LUMBER CONTRACT

HENNIPIN LUMBER COMPANY CONTRACTS WITH CORMENT MILL OWNER

S. L. Marshall of Nimrod has taken a contract from the Hennepin Lumber company to cut and saw 3,000,000 feet of lumber for that company at his mill on the Corment seven miles west of Kellihe, says the Journal. The contract calls for putting the lumber on board cars at that station. Camps are now being built.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

THE JOINT DEBATE—

The joint debate between the Crookston college and School of Agriculture was held Saturday Feb. the 8th. The program was as follows:

Music .. Crookston College Orchestra
Recitation .... Mr. Munson
Quartette Mrs. Robertson, Miss Woodruff, Messrs. Danielson and Munson.
Reading .... Mr. Opdahl
Music,
Agricultural Literary Society Debate.

Resolved that Washington did more for his country that Lincoln did.

Affirmative, Crookston College; Negative School of Agriculture.

The speakers on the affirmative were: Mr. Frank Raff, Leader; Miss Bertha Fosse, Mr. Carl Frisvold, Assisants. Negative, Mr. Robert Erlandson, Leader; Mr. Marius Sether, Mr. Albert Betterson, Assistants.

Duet, Mr. A. J. Danielson and Mrs. Robertson.

Music, Crookston Business College Orchestra.

The decision of the judges was unanimously for the affirmative.

The event was one about which unusual interest was centered and the seating capacity at the school was taxed to the limit with students from the respective schools and visitors.

SABBATH SERVICE—

The Sunday afternoon service was one of unusual interest. Mr. A. A. Miller of Crookston addressed the students taking as his subject: "What is a successful life?" He discussed the subject from the business, educational and moral standpoints.

INDUSTRIAL CLASS—

The class in carpentry is constructing trap nests and feed hoppers for the Poultry Department the work is very instructive and of practical benefit to the students.

MEET WITH OFFICIALS—

Prof. L. P. Harrington left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to meet with the state committee on "courses of study for public schools." He returned this morning for regular work at School.

PERSONALS—

Mr. Gilbert Olson and Mr. Rudolph Thompson of Beltrami attended the debate on Saturday evening and remained at the school over Sunday visiting Mr. Alfred Olson.

Mr. George Wilson of Reynolds, N. D., stopped on his return from Thief River Falls and spent Tuesday at the school. Mr. Wilson will be remembered as the father of Prof. James A. Wilson now principal of the Agricultural department of the Stout school at Menominee, Wisconsin.

Miss Clara Norman of St. Hilaire Minn., stopped over Tuesday to visit with her cousins Miss Olivia and Mr. Olaf Nelson, while enroute to St. Paul where she is to enter the training school at Bethesda hospital.

The visitors at the school were: Mr. Earl Harrington of Crookston; Messrs. Arthur Peterson and Tom Morken, East Grand Forks, Mr. S. N. Wheeler and daughter and Miss Andreason of Crookston.

Mr. J. M. Ball, son and daughter took advantage of the fine weather and walked out to the Sunday afternoon service.

Mr. John Kirsch of the Crookston Journal was a school visitor on Tuesday and gave a short talk before the students in chapel.

Mr. Martin Ostaeng spent Sunday with his parents at Perley.

From our Exchanges

ERSKINE
(Echo)

T. K. Berg and Andrew Lien spent a few hours at Crookston Saturday evening.

Gust Bradley mail carrier on No. 3 out of here has been sick with quincy the past week and Dan Anderson has been acting in his capacity

The sixteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Krist Noren of this township died Sunday morning from a lingering illness caused by teething and cramps.

Gunder and I. I. Stenerson have just received the sad news that their father, Ingemund Stenerson, who will be remembered by many of our citizens as a visitor here about ten years ago, died at his home in Numedal, Norway, on the 17th of last month at the age of 78 1-2 years.

Emil Johnson one of Woodside's prosperous farmers left last Saturday morning for a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in the twin cities Mr. Johnson formerly lived in Minneapolis but has not been back there for twenty some years and will undoubtedly find many changes.

ST. HILAIRE
(Spectator)

C. L. Hanson was a business visitor at Crookston Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Nelson returned yesterday from Crookston where they had spent a couple of days visiting friends.

Reev. A. H. McKee presiding elder of the M. E. church, preached and held quarterly conference in the M. E. church last Thursday evening.

Miss Clara Norman left on Monday for Minneapolis where she will enter Bethesda hospital and expects to continue there until she graduates as a trained nurse.

Mauritz Brink came home last Thursday from Noyes Minn., where he has been working as an operator for the G. N. He expects to spend a month's vacation here.

Martin E. Hoff has received word that he has been appointed as carrier on rural route number two which starts March 1st. Mr. Hoff passed the recent examination at Red Lake Falls his papers taking a grade of 98 1-4 and he should prove an efficient carrier.

Some bachelors hurry thru life as if leap year widows were chasing him.

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Mrs. Theo. Garceau is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Lily. Barrettė, of Crookston, was the guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

The "stag" party and smoker given by the Woodmen last evening was a grand success socially and all present report it the event of the season.

Editor and Mrs. H. E. Ives were down from St. Hilaire over Tuesday night, returning the next morning accompanied by Miss Margaret Helen who for the past month has been stopping with her grandmother Mrs. Mrs. P. E. Pirath.

Jos. Heim the implement dealer was looking after business interests at Lakota, N. D., the first of the week. He also visited his daughter Miss Rose, who is attending Normal at Mayville, and states that she is getting along nicely.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for working this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Now! Now! Now.

is the time to start a bank account, and not be a "Tomorrow Man."

A check account sets your family a good example and shows that you have their welfare at heart by taking good care of your means.

If you are awake to your own interests, if the spirit of thrift and independence has its proper place in your make up, you will start a bank account NOW.

Scandia American Bank

of Crookston, Minnesota.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

UP AMONG THE JACKS— Chas. Holt donned his war paint this morning and left for a trip up among the lumber jacks and Indians and will make an extended trip before returning.

A BABY BOY—Has come to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Goodman Goodmanson of south Front St. The little son and heir was born on Friday night, and is of the regulation weight and lung power.

GOES TO LOWER FALLS—Knute Rauk will leave Shevlin where he has lived for several years in a short time to accept a good position at Red Lake Falls. Knute is an all around good fellow and a hustler and will be much missed in Shevlin.

HOMESTEADER'S DEATH—Leon Anderson a young man well known in Crookston having been employed here for several years, is reported to have recently died on his claim in the township of Johnson this county. He suffered from both small pox and diptheria.

UP COUNTRY PROSPERITY — Ole J. Bottem came over from Roseau Wednesday. Ole says business is on the jump and that the late snow allows the farmers and others to do their hauling and that the streets are crammed full of people and teams every day.—Greenbush Journal.

COUSIN HERE—Art Johnson was agreeably surprised Saturday when his cousin, H. L. Stratton whom he has not seen for five years dropped into the city and took supper with him. Mr. Stratton was enroute to Melrose where he will visit with a brother for a few weeks.

MAC OF FISHER—Tom McCleary of Fisher is in the city today attending to some business matters and paying a good batch of taxes. Mr. McCleary reports Fisher somewhat scorched from the recent fires but the old town is still on the map and will surely come to the front again.

AHEARN'S SUCCESSOR — Virgil A Johnson who has succeeded Mike Ahearn as the representative of Geo. Benz & Sons of St. Paul spent yesterday in the city. He succeeds one of the most popular men on the road but gives evidence of being able to fill the shoes very nicely.

GULLICK SICK—John R. Rasmussen the general agent for the Hamm Brewing company left on this morning's westbound passenger train for his home at Crookston. Mr. Rasmussen has been in this vicinity for the most part of the present week, looking after the Hamm interests during the illness of Theodore Gullickson, local agent for the company.—Bemidji Pioneer.

DOING NICELY—Jos. Koelmel and Alphonse Lalonde who were operated upon last Saturday the former for a serious case of appendicitis and the latter for a trivial matter are both improving. Mr. Koelmel whose condition was serious for a time is now gaining steadily and is resting as easy as could be expected. The friends of both patients are pleased at the good progress they are making

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

From Tuesday's Daily

BACK AT HELM—G. A. E. Finlayson is on duty at his office again after several weeks' absence as the result of a broken ankle.—Grand Forks Herald.

PRESIDING ELDER HERE — Presiding Elder McKee of the M. E. church spent yesterday in the city a guest of Rev. Green of the M. E. church and the two left last evening for Moorhead.

GET BOILED OUT—Barney Haggerty, Tom Buckley, M. Stanchfield, J. M. Westberg, Albert Panzram and Joe Jarvis a bunch of west Polk Co., substantial citizens, left last week for a sojourn at Hot Springs, Ark.

LOCATED AT LANSFORD—Chas. Rapin has left for Lansford, N. D., where he has accepted the position as chef in Will Winney's hotel and the patrons of that hotel are certain of having grub thrown at them in appetizing form.

A tissue builder, flesh producer, brings health and happiness into the system. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has done for millions. 'Twill do the same for you. 35c, Tea or Tablets. — A. G. Andersen.

CHECK FOR $2,000—Secretary G. S. Chesterman of the local lodge of Maccabees this morning received a draft for $2000 covering a policy on the life of the late E. F. McIntyre and will be forwarded to the beneficiaries this evening.

WILL DISPOSE OF STOCK —Ed. L. Healy of Red Lake Falls passed thru the city last evening enroute to Herman, Minn., where he owns an $11,000 stock of merchandise which he traded for a short time ago and which he expects to dispose of this trip.

BIG CLEARANCE SALE — H. P. Boukind, manager of the Eldred Mercantile Co. is spending the day in the city calling on his hosts of friends and attending to business interests. He is preparing for a big clearance sale at Eldred which will be a hummer.

ANTHER PLUMBER—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brennan are the parents of a fine 8 pound boy which arrived Sunday and City Engineer Carroll has the plumber's license all prepared for the young man. Mother and son are doing well, and Mr. Brennan is wearing his honors gracefully.

BACK TO CALGARY—Hector Rapin who has been here on a visit for several weeks expects to return to Calgary about April first. He says that business will begin to boom in that section in a week or two now and that the prospects for a big business and prosperity were never so bright in Calgary.

BACK AT WORK—The surveyors working on the big state ditch projected in the Sand Hill district returned to work Sunday evening. They were ordered to desist when the heavy snow fell and the probable blizzard which was expected to follow but which failed to materialize. Ex-policeman Roberts was in the party.

TO PARK RIVER—Jack Engel came down from Euclid last evening, spent the night here with friends and left this morning for Park River where he has accepted a position on the fine Currie farm near Park River where he held a position last season. His brother Gus is employed on the same farm and was recently here on a visit.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MORRISON BETTER— John Morrison Sr., the sage of Red Lake, came down from that place this forenoon. He was accompanied by his daughters Mrs. Elsie Urand and Mrs. Alex McDougal of White Earth to visit Mrs. Morrison who has ben ill for two weeks past, but who has improved very materially.—Bemidji Pioneer.

LOCATED IN FARGO—R. O. Belland, who visited in the city a few weeks ago is now located in Fargo where he has accepted a position with the North Dakota Improvement Co. He has been here during the past few days selling shares and the purchasers include some of the leading business and professional men of Crookston. The scheme is a savings proposition on the building and loan plan with other features.

ONE OF BUNCH—J. A. Barrette will journey to Duluth tonight as a chaperone for the bunch that is going down to take in the big ski meet that is now on in that berg. Joe is afraid that the town that is described as ten miles long half, a mile wide and one and a half miles high, may so act on the man from the prairies that in hitting the high spots he may fall off nto the lake and get drowned.

JOE BRAY BETTER—Ed Bray of Red Lake Falls passed thru the city this morning enroute home from Blackduck accompanied by his wife, where he has been for the past few days at the bedside of his brother Joe who was seriously injured about ten days ago. He says Joe is getting on nicely and will soon be about as usual. Mr. and Mrs. Bray went to Grand Rapids for a day's visit with friends enroute home.

No flower could at all compare,
With this pretty lass so young and fair;
Her step is light, her heart is free,
Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea.
—A. G. Andersen.

FUNERAL SERVICES — Funeral services were held over the remains of Mrs. Fred Telke who died yesterday, this morning at 10 o'clock in St. Marys church Father Smiers officiating. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. R. and Allan McKinnon, J. E. O'Brien, Geo. W. Roberts, John McLean and L. E. Gossman. As stated in the Journal last evening the remains will be shipped to Barron, Wis., the old home of the deceased, for interment.

From Wednesday's Daily

PATNAUDE ILL—Fred Patnaude is ported quite ill at his home in the town of Crookston with heart trouble A physician was called out to see him today.

WARE GOES TO COAST — Paul Ware, editor of the Flaxton Times, is in the city. Mr. Ware leaves tomorrow for the west where he will look after some mining interests which he holds.—Minot Reporter.

QUITE LOW—Mr. John O'Brieght one of the old respected farmers in Fanny township is reported today to be quite low and his demise may be expected at any time. Mr. O'Brieght has been for some time a sufferer of cancer of the stomach.

A FOOTLIGHT ARTIST—Guy Price who has been doing a vaudeville stunt at Grand Forks is spending a few days in the city with his brother Clyde Price and before his departure may put on a few sketches in Crookston. He is clever in the business.

One reads many ads claiming wonderful results. Some we believe, others we don't. We are not trying to deceive you by fancy ads, but simply ask you to try Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea; if it fails, get your money back. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

A DOUBLE STUNT—Buttermaker F. S. Whirry of the Crookston Creamery did a double stunt last week. Saturday he did the churning for the Grand Forks creamery owing to the illness of the butter maker there and will probably make another trip to the Forks about Friday of this week.

A BATCH OF WOLF BOUNTIES—There was another batch of applicants for wolf bounties including the following: Selmer O. Lien, Winger; M. B. Gasvigen, Badger; C. J. Lillo, Columbia; Henry Nyhus, Brandsvold; Lars Hengslad, Badger; Carl O. Carlson, Badger.

PAYING TAXES—Jack Love is one of the north county substantial farmers who is today circulating his coin among the business men and also visited the house on the hill and left a nice little bunch of money to build roads and maintain schools and pay the many officers salaries.

A GOOD CITIZEN—This is the season of the year that taxes are coming due and the good citizens visit the court house and pays his allotment without a murmur. But always resolving to go back home and attend the next town meeting and find out where the leaks are that makes them so high.

ARE TIRED OF CANADA

SETTLERS IN DOMINION SEEKING LANDS IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA

ARE DESIRIOUS OF GETTING LANDS COVERED WITH TIMBER

The Journal is in receipt of a communication from George Welch commissioner of immigration for the state of Minnesota, to the effect that settlers in Canadian Northwest are tired of living in Canada and want to come to Minnesota if lands can be obtained here. The letter follows:

"The state board of immigration is in receipt of a number of communications from the Canadian Northwest in which the writers ars asking for information about homestead lands in Minnesota. They say they have no money and consequently are unable to buy lands. They inform me that their crops have been entirely destroyed for two consecutive years.

"I believe the people of our state should be acquainted with these conditions, and therefore I take the liberty of writing you. I feel no hesitation in saying that if the homesteader of today was acquainted with the opportunities that are offered in the Northern sections of Minnesota, that district would receive a setlement unparalleled in history.

"In the communications that come to this office I find a large percentage of the writers desirious of settling on lands on which there is a quantity of native timber."

LOCAL MEN WELL REPRESENTED

SYLVESTER PETERSON VICE PRESIDENT OF PORTLAND BANK

Sylvester Peterson, former receiver of the U. S. Land office in this city who has been located at North Yakima since he left here has removed his residence to Portland where he is vice president of the Scandinavian American Bank. Other officers of the bank are C. F. Hendrickson of Grafton president formerly president of the Scanda American Bank of this city, Anthon Eckern, formerly of Halstad, cashier, and H. Rustad, formerly of Grand Forks Assistant cashier.

Mr. Peterson has done well since going west and the bank with which he is identified is one of the strongest in Portland.

Cascasweet, the well known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MORE HORSES FOR LOGGERS—G. H. Barnes of Buffington is shipping another carload of horses today to Swan River, Itasca county to be used for the hauling of logs.

SETTLED IN NEW YORK—A letter from Rev. Allan Clark to A. J. Pierce notes that Mr. Clark and family are getting settled at their new home in Nekoma. Mr. Clark's pastorate includes congregations at Nekoma Adams and Loma, with occasional services at other points.—Grand Forks Herald.

MUCH SICKNESS IN IOWA—Mrs. S. A. Rowe returned yesterday morning from Cherokee, Ia. where she was called a short time ago by the death of her brother-in-law, John Regal. Mrs Rowe reports the weather there about the same as it is here at the present time, and that there is a great deal of sickness there, seven funerals having taken place during one week of her stay. The trouble seems to be a combination of grip and typhoid fever, and the doctors are not able to successfully combat it. Mrs. Rowe returned to resume her residence with her son, W. D. Rowe of this city with whom she has lived for many years.

A FINE SPEAKER—Rev. Matt Evans pastor of the Atlantic Congregational church of St. Paul filled the congregational pulpit in this city yesterday both morning and evening and delivered two very fine sermons. Rev. Evans is an earnest speaker and his pleasant, face and twinkling gives evidence that he regards religion as something joyful rather than awful. May he come again.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. Mr. Barber refers to DeWittt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are sold by A. G. Andersen.

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CROOKSTON CITY HALL IS TO BE REPAIRED

CITY COUNCIL HELD A BUSY SESSION LAST EVENING—CITY PRINTING BIDS REFERRED TO SPECIAL COMMITTEE FOR REPORT—DR. WILSON RANDOLPH APPOINTED CITY PHYSICIAN — ALD. SARGENT APPOINTED POOR COMMISSIONER — COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS NEED NOT BE READ IN FUTURE—SMALL POX AND BUCKET SHOP ORDINANCES PASSED THEIR FINAL READINGS —RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE PARK BOARD

From Wednesday's Daily—

The City Council held a busy session last evening and while there were some fire works in connection with the city printing in which some outside influences worked over time to no avail, the council settled down and business went ahead like clockwork. Crookston certainly has a working council, and President Snyder sustained his reputation last evening of a successful presiding officer and has the support of a majority of the members.

Omit Reading Minutes

The work of City Clerk Childs was materially lessened upon the advice of City Attorney O'Brien who stated that it was not necessary to read the minutes of the previous meeting of a motion was passed suspending the reading of the minutes if the clerk found them to have been the same in the legal publication as in the original, and a motion covering this was passed and the reading omitted.

A Legal Charge

The City Attorney ruled that drugs furnished to people who could not pay for them were a proper charge against the city and on this showing the bill of A. G. Andersen which was rejected at the last meeting was allowed.

Sargent on Salary

A resolution was passed naming Alderman Sargent, chairman of the poor committee, poor commissioner, and setting his salary at $10 per month. The council was of the opinion that Ald. Sargent could save the city many times his salary if he devoted considerable time to the duties of poor commissioner, and thoroly investigated each case in which aid was applied for, seeing that the deserving ones were aided and the grafters turned down.

Dr. Randolph Named

Dr. Wilson Randolph was named as city physician his bid being $9 per month for all operations, attendance for accidents, illness of any kind or childbirth in connection with city charges. One bid was $8 per month and ranged from that to $20 per month, but the bid of Dr. Randolph was the most specific and covered all medical attendance and operations on city charges and it was thought it would be cheaper in the long run.

Will Repair City Hall

A resolution was passed providing for the repair of the city hall at an estimated expense of $3,000 and the work all be done by the city under the supervision of a competent man. Steel trusses and beams for the floor will be advertised for and other essential repairs made, including an entrance to the fire hall from the south side of the building. The original estimate was $6000 but this was cut in the offices on the second floor and other minor changes. The work will be done at once.

Referred to Committee

Two reports were made by the printing committee, one signed by Ald. Christianson which recommended that the printing be awarded to the Times and one signed by Ald. Zerracher to the effect that the bids were practically the same and recommending that the matter be taken up by the council as a whole. Ald Leahy moved that the latter report be adopted but the motion was lost on a tie vote, Aldermen Zerracher, Harris, Leahy and Snyder voting for the motion and Aldermen Sargent, Bang, Wright and Christianson voting against it. Here the fire works started, and Alderman Leahy in his remarks stated that it was beyond his comprehension how any self-respecting alderman could vote to award the printing, other things being equal to a scurrilous sheet like the Times which had villified Mayor McPhee, libelled the members of the council and which he doubted very much had the required 240 subscribers to make it a legal publication.

The pernicious activity of City Clerk Childs relative to the city printing, and his demand practically that the printing be awarded to the Times would indicate a very warm place in his heart for that publication, and an as yet unexplained friendship for the Times editor. City Clerk Childs awarded the printing to the Times at the meeting of the city council when the bids were submitted some weeks ago, but it happened that the council has not as yet turned all its functions over to the city clerk who is so anxious to shoulder grave responsibilities that are hardly numbered among his prescribed duties. The members of the council decided they were competent to pass on such matters without too much assistance and a motion to refer the bids to a committee of three to see which was the lowest prevailed. President Snyder will announce the committee later.

Park Board Busy

The City Park Commission recommended that Oakdale Ave., leading to the cemetery be widened to 66 feet and properly graded and that the city garbage depository be changed to some site outside the city limits where it would not be a menace to the health of the city and an eyesore. Both communications were referred to the proper committees.

Reports Received

The report of Chief Eck for the month of January was received including the name of each party arrested was given together with the final disposition of the case ,and this furnished some interesting information.

The report of Chief Morris of the fire department for the year ending Jan. 1 1908 was received and placed on file, and the report of the election of the Fire Department officers laid over from the last meeting was taken up and the officers laid over from the last meeting was taken up and the officers as previously published all confirmed by the council.

Ordinances Passed

The smallpox quarantine regulation ordinance passed its final reading as did the bucket shop ordinance, and the curtain ordinance which had passed its first reading was not brought up as it will be supplanted by one differently worded.

Council Notes

Sam Rosenthal was reappointed as a member of the Park Board and duly confirmed.

City Atty. O'Brien was allowed $100 for extra expenses in connection with the meter rate fight with the Water Works Co.

The city clerk was instructed to call for bids for sidewalks, curbs and tiling for the coming year.

Petitions for the water and sewer in the block where the Germania Hall is located and for water on certain portions of Front Street were referred to committees.

The usual monthly bills and payroll were allowed.

Alderman Sargent's sewer ordinance was referred back to the committee for further consideration.

Chief Eck reported that James O'Brien had been arrested twice during January, once for disorderly conduct, and once as a vag. Everybody thought of the other "Jimmy" and smiled.

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FARGO GETS NEXT MEET

IMPLEMENT DEALERS CHOOSE NORTH DAKOTA METROPOLIS FOR 1909

D. G. McINTOSH IS ELECTED PRESIDENT AT GRAND FORKS CONVENTION

From Thursday's Daily—

Increased attendance and interest marks the progress of the North Dakota and Northern Minnesota Implement Dealers' convention. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President — D. G. McIntosh St. Thomas, N. D.

Vice President—James Allen Jamestown, N. D.

Secretary-Treasurer — G. F. Carpenter, Crookston, Minn.

Director—John R. Ames, Hankinson, N. D.

Delegates to National Federation—John Paulson, Hillsboro, N. D.; G. F. Carpenter, Crookston, Minn., George E. Duis, Grand Forks, N. D.

Fargo was chosen as the place for the 1909 convention.

OLD SOLDIER IN PRISON.

Civil War Veteran Confesses to a Charge of Horse Stealing.

Colville, Wash., Feb. 6.—S. Thompson, aged sixty-five, a veteran of the Civil war, has been sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary for horse stealing. He confessed. Old soldiers of the state, however, will make an effort to have Gov. Mead pardon Thompson.

Lid Wins in Duluth.

Duluth, Feb. 6.—Ald. R. H. Haven (Rep.) was yesterday elected mayor of Duluth over Emil A. Tessman (Dem.), president of the city council, in the bitterest campaign ever conducted in Duluth. The issue was the lid, of which Haven is the champion. Haven's majority is estimated at 1,000.

Assaulting Old Man Charged.

Milbank, S. D., Feb. 6. — Joseph Buckley and Joseph Conture, both from Fort Rice, N. D., were bound over to the district court here before Judge Connolly on a charge of assault with rifles on an old man named Kass, living near Fort Rice.

Explosion Wrecks Building.

Tweed, Ont., Feb. 6.—When fire in the Ontario powder works yesterday reached the explosive building the resulting explosion destroyed twelve buildings and shattered windows for miles around. There were no casualties.

Mother and Son Starve to Death.

Chicago, Feb. 6. — Mrs. Ellen Schwartz, thirty years old, and her son Francis, eleven years of age, were found dead in their home. Their deaths are thought to have been caused by starvation and exposure.

The Jar of Coughing

Hammer blows, steadily applied, break the hardest rock. Coughing, day after day, jars and tears the throat and lungs until the healthy tissues give way. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops the coughing, and heals the torn membranes.

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RING-NECKED PHEASANTS

GAME PROTECTIVE ASS'N POLK COUNTY WILL TURN 500 LOOSE

MONEY NOW BEING COLLECTED TO CARRY OUT THE FINE PLAN

The Polk County Game and Fish Protective Association which was organized over a year ago and has over 100 live members paying $1 dues each is now planning on a fine scheme to place approximately 500 ring necked pheasants in Polk County the coming season and dues for this year are now being collected and most cheerfully paid by all the members and most of money will be used in the pheasant scheme.

The plan is to purchase 500 ring-necked pheasant eggs of Wallace Evans of Oak Park, Ill., and hatch them here under domestic hens. Experiments have proven that 90 per cent of the eggs hatch and the eggs when purchased in lots of 500 can be secured at $20 per 100.

These birds are worth $7.50 per pair, and thus it can be seen that the investment is a very good one. The birds are prolific breeders and are the best in the world for this climate. It is possible that the sportmen from East Grand Forks Fertile and other points may also get in the game and purchase eggs and if this is done the pheasant shooting would be excellent in 1910 when the law will first permit of their being shot.

AN OTTER TAIL PIONEER DIES

NELS P. PETERSON DIES AT THE AGE OF EIGHTY-THREE YEARS

Nels P. Peterson, one of the earliest residents of Otter Tail county, died at his home in the town of Aural at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon from complications incident to old age. Mr Peterson was born at Konisgerg, Norway and would have been 84 years of age had he lived until April 16 of this year. He came to America in 1860, settling first in Wisconsin, and the following year enlisted with Co. K, 3rd Wisconsin infantry. He served in the Army for three years, taking part in some of the greatest battles of the war.

His health was undermined to quite an extent by hardships and fatigue incident to the service and he never fully regained it. He came to Otter Tail county thirty-nine years ago and has resided in the town of Aural ever since, except a year and a half which he spent in the town of Maine. He has been gradually growing weaker and has been confined to his bed for three or four months past sinking gradually until death ensued.

Mr. Peterson was a good citizen and is survived by his wife and a family of five children. They are Mrs. Andrew Olson, of the town of Maine Adolph Peterson, of Fergus Falls and Samuel, Christ and Fred Peterson, of Aural.

SENATOR IMPROVES.

H. C. Hansbrough Expects to Leave Hospital in Few Days.

St. Paul, Feb. 6. — Senator H. C. Hansbrough of North Dakota, who is at St. Joseph's hospital suffering from ear trouble, is said to be getting along nicely and will be able to leave for Washington, D. C., in a day or two.

Hotel Guests Escape.

Mount Clemens, Mich., Feb. 6.—Fire last night destroyed the Minnestola hotel, a two-story structure which had fifty rooms. The fire started in the heating plant in the basement and spread rapidly. All of the guests escaped in safety except I. H. Ellsworth of Oak Harbor, Ohio, who sprained his back severely in jumping from a second-story window. The loss is about $20,000.

Woman Burned to Death.

Brainerd, Minn., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Mary Stevens was burned to death in her home four miles north of Sylvan, in Cass county, in a fire which consumed the residence. She was alone at the time and the cause of the fire is unknown.

Small Burglary.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Feb. 8.—Thomas Agren's saloon in this city was burglarized at an early hour yesterday morning. The thief gained entrance by smashing the panel of the rear door and drawing back the bolt. He secured $15 in cash.

Lynched by a Mob.

Delhi, La., Feb. 8.—Robert Mitchell, an alleged negro murderer, was taken from a deputy sheriff by a mob at Oak Grove, near here, yesterday afternoon and lynched. Mitchell is alleged to have shot and killed, without provocation, Leon Threlkeld.

ON the COASTER SPECIAL.

By TAYLOR WHITE.

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"Do you think King can keep this pace all the way to town?" asked Joyce anxiously.

Dick Torrington's chin squared itself as he looked at the sturdy black flying over the hard packed snow.

"If King doesn't keep going," he said, with an uneasy laugh, "you'll keep on being Joyce Waring and not Joyce Torrington. I've timed it so as to just make the train. If we miss that, your father will be after us in no time at all."

Joyce shivered at the suggestion For years she had lived in dread of the stern old man who since his wife's death had looked on life with hatred. When Joyce had come, her gentle mother had slowly faded away, and Hiram Waring, blaming the innocent child for the death of the woman he loved so passionately, had never shown her the affection that was her heritage.

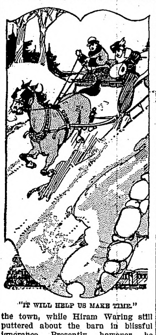
As a child her innocent transgressions were punished with an unjust severity, and when Dick Torrington had asked her father for her hand he had been driven from the house for no other apparent reason than Mr. Waring's hatred of Joyce. The father would not give his consent to a marriage because it would make her happy, and thereafter he watched her more closely than ever.

But Dick Torrington was not of the sort to take his unjust dismissal without an effort to win the woman he loved, and the elopement was the result.

Busby was the terminal station of a branch line on which the single train made two trips daily each way. Hank Carew took a pride in the punctuality with which the road was run, and it was certain that the morning train would leave exactly at half past 9.

By planning the elopement so as to reach the station just as the train started, Dick was assured that there could be no successful pursuit. King could cover the ground faster than Waring's double team, even should the latter be already hitched.

The start of the elopement had been successfully accomplished, and now King was flying over the road toward the town, while Hiram Waring still puttered about the barn in blissful ignorance. Presently, however, he would come into the house, and then perhaps he would realize what was up. Meanwhile they would have made the train, and presently they would be across the state line, where licenses were not necessary. The laws of their own state required residence before a license could be issued, and as town clerk Joyce's father was charged with the issuance of licenses.



"IT WILL HELP US MAKE TIME."

All would have gone well if a small boy had not thrown a snowball at Dick. The well packed ball of snow missed the driver, but struck King a smart blow in the ribs. The high spirited horse was unused to such treatment and bolted down the road with Dick frantically sawing at the reins.

"It is all right!" he shouted. "It will help us make time. It will be easy if I can stop him before we reach the Hill."

Joyce's face blanched. The Hill (always spelled with a capital) was a steep descent of nearly a mile, with one ugly turn. If King should bolt down the hill, there was little chance that Dick would be able to guide him around the curve, and they would be thrown down the side.

"You will stop him before then," she said confidently. But the corners of her mouth were drawn and her lips were white. She knew King and realized how little chance there was even while she sought to comfort Dick with her confidence.

It was a little more than a mile to the top of the Hill, and Dick fought the horse every inch of the way. He had called to Joyce to kneel in the bottom of the cutter, and just as they reached the descent he pulled King's head to one side and guided the crazed animal into a tree.

Dick shot over the side of the cutter as they struck, but he was on his feet in an instant to hold the horse. There was no need for that. King lay still on the sparkling snow with his head twisted oddly to one side and for a moment Dick gazed sadly upon his favorite.

Joyce, he had seen, was unharmed. Her position and the thick robes had saved her from worse than a shaking up, and she had regained the seat.

"Poor old King!" she cried as she saw with relief that Dick was unhurt. "I could kill that little Edwards boy."

"Never mind the Edwards boy," said Dick brusquely. "What we have to think about is the train. We never can walk that hill in time to make the train. Have you nerve enough to coast it in the cutter?"

"I'd risk anything rather than return home," cried Joyce. "I never will let father catch us."

"Then here goes," cried Dick gayly as he pulled the cutter back into the road and caught up one of the broken shafts. "It's been a long time since I went bobbing, but I think I can make it."

He gave Joyce the shaft to hold and pushed the cutter over the brow of the hill, climbing in over the back when he had it started.

Once back in the cutter he took the shaft and improvised a steering rudder. The body work afforded him leverage, and Dick laughed as the sleigh began to gain speed.

For the first half mile the road was straight, and little steering was necessary. Then ahead loomed the turn, and Dick's face turned grave as he dug the shaft into the road.

Slowly the sleigh responded to the pressure, and in another instant they had swung around the curve as neatly as a champion coaster on his low pointer, and they were again on the straight and headed for the station.

Hank Carew had just backed his engine down from the house, and a white plume of steam rose from the dome as the engineer waited for the minute hand of the clock to touch the bottom of the dial.

The runaways were still a quarter of a mile from the station when the cutter slowed up, but they had gained more than a minute in their swift descent, and they did not have to run.

As they came up to the station platform the little knots of loungers gathered about them. Rapidly Dick explained the reason for the coast, and the listeners cheered as they heard the tale. For years they had grumbled at the way Waring treated Joyce, and they were glad that at last she was to be released from her father's hard reign.

"Here comes your dad now!" piped a shrill voice. And with one accord they turned to see the familiar Waring team tearing over the brow of the hill.

Carew glanced at the steam gauge and the clock. Then he leaned out of the window.

"All aboard that's going!" he called in a stentorian voice. "We're changing the schedule today. The 9:30 is going out at 9:28!"

Another instant and the train was rattling down the road toward the state line, and Hiram Waring came dashing up to the platform to be greeted by ironical cheers.

"The train went ahead of time!" he sputtered. "I shall report this to the officials!"

"You're wrong, squire," drawled Ned Burns, who posed as a wag. "That ain't the regular train. That's the Coaster special. Makes close connection with the Cutter express, from up your way."

The laugh which followed showed Waring that the sympathy was all with the runaways. He was to be a candidate for county treasurer in the fall. It would not do to turn his townspeople against him. As he headed the horses for home he half turned in his seat.

"When that Coaster special completes the round trip," he shouted out, "you might tell Dick Torrington to come out to my place. I ain't going to kill the fatted calf, but there's a turkey I was saving up for Christmas. I guess that'll do as well."

His Discovery.

A one armed man sat down to his noonday luncheon in a little restaurant the other day, and seated on the right of him was a big, sympathetic individual from the rural district. The big fellow noticed his neighbor's left sleeve and kept eying him in a sort of how-did-it-happen way. The one armed man failed to break the ice, but continued to keep busy with his one-hand supplying the inner man. At last the inquisitive one on the right could stand it no longer. He changed his position a little, cleared his throat and said, "I see, sir, you have lost an arm," whereupon the unfortunate man picked up the empty sleeve with his right hand, peered into it, looked up with a surprised expression and said, "By George, sir, you're right."

Whittier at Close Range.

Whittier belonged to those natures who would advance with firmness and joy to martyrdom in a good cause, but are never comfortable in society, and who impress one with the idea that they would like to run out of the door at any moment. Yet few enjoyed the society of congenial friends as did the Quaker poet. No one relished a good story more or related one with better grace. His sense of the ludicrous was very vivid, and the absurdities of life and its situations struck him never more forcibly than when they involved himself. As Whittier's nephew and biographer has asserted, it would be a mistake to suppose that gentleness was a necessity of his nature. His was in reality the result of resolute self control and the habitual government of a tempestuous spirit. Indeed, the poet had his shrewd, assertive and almost vindictive side, else he had never been so successful a politician and reformer.—Caroline Ticknor in Harper's Weekly.

FOUR BURNED TO DEATH IN HOME

Farm House Destroyed Near Preston, Minn., and Inmates Perish in Flames.

ONLY SURVIVOR IS INJURED

Bodies of Four Victims Almost Completely Incinerated—Awakened by Smoke.

Preston, Minn., Feb. 7.—Fire starting at a stovepipe hole in the floor of the house caused the deaths of four persons and the possible fatal injury of a fifth on the farm of C. W. Engle, six miles southwest of here, shortly after midnight last night. The dead are:

C. W. Engle, thirty-seven years old.

Mrs. C. W. Engle.

Mrs. Thomas Yeast, mother of Mrs. Engle.

Baby Engle, the infant child of the first named victims.

Thomas Yeast, Mrs. Engle's father, was the only inmate of the house who escaped from the flames, and he was so seriously burned in attempting to rescue the others that his injuries, with the subsequent exposure, may cause his death. He inhaled smoke and flames, and internal injuries are feared.

The house was completely destroyed.

Awakened by Smoke.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeast lived with their daughter and husband, and material had been taken to the place to build a new home in the spring large enough to accommodate the two families.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeast occupied a room on the first floor of the house. Mr. Yeast awoke some time after midnight, partly suffocated by smoke. He ran into the hall and met his son-in-law at the foot of the stairs. The latter was clad only in his underclothing and both those garments and his hair were in flames. Mr. Yeast hurriedly wrapped a quilt about the man and calling to his wife to warn her of the danger, ran to the granary for a ladder with which to rescue his daughter and grandchild. The fire drove him back, however, and he was unable to reach their room.

All Four Incinerated.

By this time he noticed that his wife had not appeared, but efforts to go to her aid were baffled by the flames and he was obliged to remain alone in the cold until help from neighbors arrived.

The bodies of the four victims of the fire were almost completely incinerated. No trace whatever of the baby could be found in the ruins. Of the other victims nothing is left but their skulls and a few bits of partly burned flesh and clothing, all of which could be gathered up in a bushel basket.

Insurance Commissioner Resigns.

Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 7.—A. Rolling, deputy insurance commissioner, has resigned his position and will leave for Portland, Or., for a more lucrative position. Commissioner Cooper has accepted Rolling's resignation and will name a successor in a few days.

Farmer Falls Dead.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Feb. 7.—Peter Engel, who resides near Pelican Rapids, fell dead while driving home from that village yesterday. He was about fifty years of age and leaves a family.

Phone Gives Alarm.

Waseca, Minn., Feb. 6. — Fire destroyed the house and effects of William Frank of this city. One of the boys of the family discovered the fire and went to telephone to call the fire department, but before central answered his call he was driven away by the flames. Fortunately he dropped the receiver and the telephone operator heard the cries in the house and gave the alarm. All the members of the family were rescued. The loss is $2,000.

Plague Is All Gone.

San Francisco, Feb. 7. — With the discharge of the last patient under treatment at the isolation hospital, San Francisco was officially declared to be free of bubonic plague.

Night Riders Too Much.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 7. — W. E. Wall of Fredonia, Montgomery county, Tenn., has sold his 500-acre farm and will leave the state because of the night riders' raids.

A Night Alarm

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

COULD NOT WALK FOR FOUR MONTHS

Mass of Itching, Burning Humor on Ankles—Feet Fearfully Swollen—Opiates Alone Brought Sleep—Many Treatments Failed but

TORTURES OF ECZEMA YIELDED TO CUTICURA

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CLOSE UP BIG ESTATE

LARGE ARRAY OF LEGAL TALENT FACING JUDGE MORKEN TODAY

FINAL SETTLEMENT OF $17,000 ESTATE OF ALEX GALLAGHER IS ON

From Thursday's Daily—

The final hearing of the estate of Ale Gallagher former partner of Mart Lynch of East Grand Forks who died in St. Paul is on before Judge Morken today. The estate is valued at $17,000 and there are two heirs. Daniel W. Lawler and Administrator Griffiths are here from St. Paul, Attys. Massee and Geo. Bangs of Grand Forks, Mart Lynch and Hugh Thompson of East Grand Forks and W. A. Marin and others of this city are also present at the hearing.

Trial of South Dakota Feb. 25.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—The new armored cruiser South Dakota, sister ship of the California and the other armored cruisers now on the coast, will have her first government trial trip on Feb. 25, according to information given out yesterday.

Jilted Farmer Kills Himself.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 8.—Jilted by his sweetheart, Morris Hollingsworth, a young farmer, living with his mother near Beaconsville, placed the muzzle of a shotgun to his breast and touched off the trigger with a forked stick, dying instantly.

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It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

SAFE IS BLOWN $30 SECURED

BURGLARS ESCAPE WITH LOOT SECURED IN OLMSTEAD STATION

The station building on the Farmers' railroad at Olmstead was entered by burglars, the safe blown open and $30 in cash stolen. Sheriff Belford immediately sent out notices to his deputies in Ramsey county. Two strange men were seen hanging around the town of Olmstead and they are suspicioned of being the robbers. They are described as follows: One of them weighed about 140 pounds, was about five feet six inches high, sandy complexioned one eye blood-shot; the other one had a black and blue mark under the eye, and was evidently very nervous, and wore a light brown sack coat.

GREAT CORNER IN OATS BREWING

Winnipeg, Manitoba, February 7—Grade oats advanced 4 cents more yesterday at Winnipeg which makes 10 cents in two days. Much of this movement was described by professionals as being in sympathy with the strong tone of the Chicago, Minneapolis and other American markets but this explanation, which served very well at first was exposed yesterday when the local market ran up from 3 to 4 cents above the American markets.

There is not the slightest doubt that Winnipeg manipulators, who have their agents thruout the west, and are thus well acquainted with the situation, have come to the conclusion that the grade oats supply is practically exhausted in Canada and that as a consequence the opportunity is favorable for the establishment of a corner.

Canadian extremists are even talking of "dollar oats."

Much has been said of the partial failure of the western Canada wheat crop last season, but practically nothing has been published regarding the oat crop. Some grain men believe that practically every bushel of seed oats planted the coming spring in the Canadian west will have to be imported. The measures being taken by federal parliament to supply western farmers with seed apply far more to oats than to wheat.

Never before in its history has so extensive a program of railway construction been planned for the Canadian prairie country. In addition to existing lines which include beside the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Northern, the various Jim Hill branches the Grand Trunk Pacific is this year spreading out its lines of development on its new trunk system and affiliated branches.

"Railroads are built by oats," remarked a prominent railway man today, "and lack of oats may tie up western development the coming season."

One Canadian railway which is pushing western construction, has contracted for 500,000 bushels of oats from the Baltic. Seed oats must be imported and farmers thruout the west are complaining that two bushels of oats grown last season will not go as far as one bushel in ordinary years. Frost caught practically the entire crop.

Janesville Boy Loses Foot.

Janesville, Minn., Feb. 6.—Carl Bell, only son of Mrs. Minnie Bell, was playing on a freight train in the yards when his foot caught between draw beams and was so badly crushed that it was necessary to amputate it above the ankle.

ARE WORTH INSPECTING

NEW TURN TABLE TO BE RUN BY COMPRESSED AIR ARRIVES IN CROOKSTON

OHER IMPROVEMENTS ARE PLANNED AND WILL SOON BE COMPLETED

From Thursday's Daily—

To the person who has not visited the Great Northern yards in south Crookston for some time past there are many things of interest to be seen.

The new turn table, which will turn the largest Great Northern engine on the system has arrived and will be installed soon. The pitt is now being enlarged for the installation of the big turn table which will be placed on the same as the old one. The new table is the very latest made and is run by compressed air. Jack Reagen will be chief engineer of the new table when it is installed. A new line of engines, larger than those in common use have also been received but they will not be put in commission for a time yet.

The new electric lights in the round house have been installed and are run by a special G. N. motor, a great improvement over the old system.

Added to this the hot air heating plant has about been completed which will replace the present stoves.

The boys do tell that Machinist Bob Huffman has ordered a new set of standup collars eight inches deep which he will don when things get fixed up just to suit him.

THE CATHOLIC POPULATION

OF DULUTH DIOCESE OF WHICH CITY OF CROOKSTON IS A PART

Advance sheets of the Official Catholic Directory published by the M. H. Wiltzus company Milwaukee, Wis, give the following statistics regarding this the Duluth diocese: Population (Catholic) about 54,330; bishop, 1; Clergy 65; churches 86; colleges and academies, 3; parishes with schools 10; children attending 1,580; orphan asylums 1; orphans 85; charitable institutions 9.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM FREEZING

A transient visitor who gives his name as Phillip Fentland, went to sleep in the snow at an early hour yesterday morning with that tired feeling which might be due to overindulgence in firewater and but for his timely discovery by Officer Nelson he would doubtless have frozen.—Grand Forks Herald.

GOODRIE CLAIMS HE IS INNOCENT

Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea accompanied by his brother George left last evening for Stillwater in charge of Dave Goodrie who was sentenced to 6 months for indecent assault. Goodrie stoutly maintained his innocence last evening at the depot, and said the people would yet know that he had been wronged.

THAW FAMILY PLANS FLIGHT

Nullifying of Yarmouth Marriage Decide Family to Seek Seclusion in Europe.

Pittsburg, Feb. 7. — Pittsburg no longer is the home of the Thaw family, action having been taken to sever all connection with this city, financial and social. This was announced authoritatively yesterday after the result of the Yarmouth divorce suit was made known. Alice, no longer Countess Yarmouth, will return to America at once and remain with her mother for a stay of indefinite duration.

This will be followed by the departure of Mrs. Thaw, Alice, Harry K. Thaw and wife for Europe, where all will try to lose themselves for several years from the public gaze. The time of flight to Europe will depend upon the time elapsing until Harry is released from confinement.

Whether he is kept at Matteawan or transferred to another institution, Mrs. Thaw and Alice will secure a house in close proximity to the asylum and there will stay as long as he is deprived of freedom.

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THE HORTON-ROLLAND WEDDING ALL RIGHT

PEOPLE WELL KNOWN IN CROOKSTON HERE TODAY LOOKING AFTER SOME PROBATE MATTERS—WERE FORMERLY OF FERTILE AND NOW RESIDE AT GRAND FORKS—GIRL WAS UNDER AGE BUT THE MARRIAGE WAS DECLARED LEGAL

From Thursday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Horton arrived in the city this morning from Grand Forks to attend to some probate matters before Judge Morken. Regarding the affair, or another chapter of it the Grand Forks Herald this morning says:

Judge L. K. Hassell of the county court, was confronted with a queer matrimonial tangle yesterday afternoon when Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Daniel Horton, of Grand Forks appeared and asked to be married over again. They were accompanied by Mrs. Horton's mother, of Fertile, Mrs. Nettie Rolland, who arrived the day previous for a visit with her daughter. Rev. A. J. Hulteng, of the Zion Lutheron church had been summoned to perform the ceremony. Mrs. Horton is under 18 years and so the consent of her mother was necessary. When she was asked to give her consent she declined despite the pleadings of her daughter and advice of Rev. A. J. Hulteng and Judge Hassell.

Because it appeared on the records that Horton had given the age of the young woman at 24 on Nov. 27 last it was believed by Horton and his wife that it would be better to be re-married. Horton who is rather deaf declared that he misunderstood when he gave the age of his wife as 24. The marriage was performed Nov. 27 by Judge Hassell. The young woman is tall and it was not thought that there was any question as to her age.

Since the marriage was performed Horton and his wife have resided in Grand Forks. There has been some discussion with Mrs. Rolland over some property left to herself and her children by the father of Mrs. Horton.

According to Mrs. Horton she did not know that her husband had sworn falsely to her age. She had informed him that she would not be 18 years of age until next June. On this showing that the bride was not a party to the deception Judge Hassell ruled that the marriage was valid as it stood and no second ceremony would be necessary but to make all parties satisfied he would give out another license, with the consent of the bride's mother and Rev. Hulteng would again tie the nuptial knot.

Mother Refuses Consent

Mrs. Rolland balked. She gave it out that if the November marriage was valid there would be no necessity of another one.

Horton was closely questioned as to how he could have given in his financee's age as 24 years when she was only 17 years old. He insisted that there had been a misunderstanding. His attorney in Fertile had advised him to come to North Dakota to get married. Ninety days had expired since he had secured a divorce in district court at Crookston but the Minnesota law required that six months should have elapsed and it was less than that length of time since he had secured the decree.

With the bride-to-be then Miss Thirza C. Rolland, he came to Grand Forks and the marriage ceremony was performed. Since that time he has been employed as a paper hanger.

More Trouble Promised

Just what will be the next move seems problematical. From the disposition shown by Mrs. Rolland it seemed probable that she would take some action against Horton. As a counter move it is said that Mrs. Horton will demand a division of certain property left by her late father a matter she has before Judge Morken. She will have her share coming in June. Those who know the facts in the case believe that some sort of a compromise will be effected and, not unlikely a second marriage ceremony will be performed.

JANUARY WAS WARM MONTH

LAST MONTH WAS WARMEST JANUARY IN TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS

The month of January just past made a record as the warmest January since the establishment of the weather bureau at Moorhead. To be sure it was only a very little warmer than the Januarys of 1898 and of 1900 but it had the advantage of a fraction of a degree. The warmest January day in 28 years was the 20th of last month when the temperature went up to 54 degrees. The daily temperature was 12 1-2 degrees above the average for January.

90 DAYS FOR SHOOTING COW MOOSE

GRAND RAPIDS GAME WARDEN LANDS ANOTHER GAME LAW VIOLATOR

Game Warden Wm. Munch this morning received a letter from Carlos Avery executive agent of the Minnesota State Game and Fish Commission in which a report is given of the arrest and conviction there of Charles Sawyer for killing a cow moose, for which he was awarded a sentence of thirty days by the judge, the arrest and conviction having been the result of the work of Deputy Game Warden Jesse Harry a well known hunter in this part of the state.

County Commissioner Ben Clements left last evening for Faribault in charge of Ed Lefave who was yesterday committed to the home for the feeble minded at Faribault. Lefave is perfectly harmless, but as he had no relatives near Gentilly but a feeble old mother it was decided best to have him taken where the best of care could be given in an institution provided by the state for that especial purpose. He was accompanied by A. Gendron the store keeper at Gentilly. On the return trip Commissioner Clements will spend a few days in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Night Riders in Raid.

Salem, Ky., Feb. 6.—Two hundred masked night riders visited Dyeusburg, Ky., and burned Bennett's tobacco warehouse and distillery. The loss is about $46,000.

THEIR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS THOMAS R. JOHNSTONE

There was a very delightful party last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Johnstone, the occasion being the 14th anniversary of their wedding.

The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. Johnstone who found the guests all present when he arrived home last evening after a trip to North Dakota. A splendid supper was served at 11 o'clock after which the company was entertained by piano selections, songs and recitations in gilt costumes by Miss Jessie and Thomas Johnstone Jr. whose performances are highly creditable. This was followed by Scotch reels and songs by the entire company, the evening proving a most pleasurable one. On behalf of the visitors Mr. John Crawford presented Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone with a handsome hand painted cream and tea set and Mr. Johnstone responded appropriately. The festivities lasted till 2 o'clock this morning. Those present were Mayor and Mrs. J. D. McPhee, Mr. and Mrs. John Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Allan McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Archie McKinnon, Misses Mary and Margaret Crawford and Mr. John Crawford.

The New 9-Hour Law

In line with other railroads centering in the Twin Cities, the Great Northern and Northern Pacific systems are making arrangements to comply with the federal nine-hour law, which takes effect March 4.

"We are now lining up runs of engineers and train crews," said an official of the Great Northern, "and reorganizing our forces so as not to work any men more than nine hours. Railway telegraph operators and tower men cannot be worked more than nine hours. Train crews must not be worked more than sixteen hours. The law however, does not apply to one man operators and agents who are in continuous service, living, as a rule, in the building where they work."

Freight Agent Here

Geo. Merritt, travelling freight agent for the Northern Pacific is spending the day in the city the guest of Charles Handy.

KEEP TRAINS ABOUT ON TIME

G. N. AND N. P. NOT PARALYZED BY THE LARGE SNOW STORM

TIE-UP WOULD PROBABLY RESULT IF HEAVY WIND SHOULD PREVAIL

Despite a fall of snow from six inches to a foot and a half in depth in 48 hours, trains on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific were nearly on time last night. The snowfall is the heaviest of the winter. The Great Northern had wedge plows at work on the Sarles and Hannah branch and on the main line between Grand Forks and Devils Lake a Russell plow was run. Last night the wind had moderated and the snow fall hal about ceased. Conditions are just right for a blizzard if the wind should rise oldtimers state.

Sarles reports a fall of a foot and six inches and Lakota says there is a foot of loose snow. The government report in Grand Forks showed a total fall of six inches and this is about what fell here.

So far the section hands have been able to handle the snow and no extra help has been employed by the Great Northern along the line.

The storm was general over the northwest and was especially welcome in the Minnesota woods where there has been scarcely enough for logging in many sections.

JACK LONDON AND WIFE SAFE

The special correspondent of the Woman's Home Companion in San Francisco has telegraphed the following message in regard to Jack London from San Francisco:

"Jack London and wife arrived on the Mariposa, safe and well. Snark laid up for repairs."

London's bankers in Oakland despairing of his safety recently recorded the mortgage against his home at Glen Ellen, which was drawn last April in order that the adventurous writer could obtain funds with which to fit out the Snark. It was understood that the mortgage was to be held without being recorded as long as London's safety seemed assured. The action of the bank was taken as an indication that its officers feared he had met disaster.

Jack London left Hilo, Hawaii on October 27th for Tahiti of the Society Islands on his voyage around the world for the Woman's Home Companion in his little ketch-rigged boat the Snark. He should have reached Tahiti by the first of December and it was feared that some serious accident had befallen him. With London in the Snark were his wife, James L. Warren, who is captain, Martin Johnson, the engineer, one sailor and two Japanese servants.

London intends to spend seven years on his voyage around the world describing for the Woman's Home Companion the life and customs and countries of the strange people he meets. From the Society Islands he expects to touch at Samoa, Tasmania New Zealand, Australia, New Guinea then up through the Philippines to Japan, Korea and China, and so on to India. After this is to come Europe, the Atlantic Coast of America and San Francisco again, via the Horn.

The Snark is forty-five feet on the water line, weighs thirty tons, and has an auxilliary gas engine, which, getting out of repair caused the delay that has occasioned so much worry. The engines are now being overhauled at Papeiti. The boat as originally planned, was to cost $7,000. She actually cost about $25,000 before she left San Francisco si months late, the terrible increase in cost being due to the earthquake and fire and to the subsequent scarcity of labor.

RAILROAD MAN MAY LOSE EYE

ALECK PENDER OF BARNESVILLE HAD SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT SHOPS

While uncoupling the steam hose between two coaches at Barnesville Alex Pender car foreman at Barnesville was struck in the eye by one of the connections and seriously injured both by the blow and the escaping steam. He was brought to St. John's hospital at Barnesville on a special and may lose an eye.

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stops the cough and heals lungs

GRAND LARCNYY IS CHARGED

JOHN OLSON WHO KNOCKED A MAN THROUGH HOYUM'S WINDOW

ARRESTED AND TAKEN TO RED LAKE FALLS THIS MORNING

From Saturday's Daily—

John Olson, the man who gained notoriety in Crookston last summer by knocking a man thru Johnny Hoyum's window on South Main street and served six months for the offense was in the city jail last evening again, Chief Eck and the officers taking charge of him during the night while Sheriff Nelson of Red Lake county, who brought him here from Bemidji last evening, took John Haaglund to Fergus Falls.

Sheriff Nelson was after Olson and located him at Bemidji and he will now have to face a grand larceny charge at Thief River Falls where it is alleged he stole some clothing last fall. Olson is a genuine tough and if convicted this time will without go over the road for a good stiff sentence. Sheriff Nelson with Olson and the deputy returned to Red Lake Falls this morning.

UNITED STATES OFFICER NABBED

ARRESTED IN EMERSON ON A CHARGE OF KIDNAPPING TWO CANADIANS

George Foulkes, an American revenue officer was arrested on the Soo flyer at Emerson Wednesday on a charge of kidnapping two Canadians who were accused of smuggling. Foulkes was on his return to this side of the line from Winnipeg when nabbed. He objected to his being arrested by the Canadian constable stood pat and made him get off the train. Yesterday he refused to give bail This is the Canadian version of the affair:

The kidnapping took place in December of last year. Albert E. Tolton of Emerson was suspected of smuggling barley across the border, and George Foulkes in the capacity of special agent for the treasury department at Washington had been patrolling the border in the vicinity for some months in the hope of catching Tolton across the line.

Failing in this he attempted to entice him across on various pretenses but again was unsuccessful. Driven to desperation on the night of Dec. 3, Foulkes caught Tolton and Casson on International avenue at Emerson seized their horse and dragged both horse and men across the track into American territory. Casson returned with the rig and Tolton was taken to the railroad station at Noyes.

Signed Under Duress

In the office of the customs department at Noyes, Mr. Tolton under duress, signed a declaration to the effect that he had smuggled barley and would appear at Noyes whenever he was called upon. This he did in order to be allowed to return home to an invalid wife.

SHOWING MADE WAS EXCELLENT

Mrs. F. C. Mitchell of this city is highly gratified over the showing her birds made at the Duluth Poultry show which closed last week. The following letter from the secretary of the Association shows the splendid record made.

Duluth, Minn. Feb. 4, '08. Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, Minn. Dear Madam: Enclosed find check for $16.00 Duluth Poultry Association premium as follows:

S. S. Hamburg st ckl. $1.50.
S. S. Hamburg 2nd ckl. $1.50.
S. S. Hamburg 2nd pullet $1.50.
S. S. Hamburg 3rd pullet $1.00.
S. S. Hamburg, 1st pen $4.00.
Special prize best pen Hamburgs $2.50.
Buffington 1st pullet $2.00.
Buffington, 2nd ckl. $1.50.

Ribbons also enclosed. We hope your birds were received in good shape and would be glad to have you with us net year.

Very truly
—J. B. Greenfield,
Secretary.

Insane Man Slays Wife.

London, Ont., Feb. 6.—James Hartwick, an aged resident of Missouri township, murdered his wife with a butcher knife while insane, and then went half clad to a neighbor's to whom he told his crime. Later the body was discovered and Hartwick was arrested.

2 TREE CLAIMS 2 PRE-EMPTIONS

FURTHER EVIDENCE OF DISHONESTY OF DR LEVINGSTON

RECORDS IN DEVILS LAKE SHOW HOW HE GRABBED UP LAND

From Tuesday's Daily—

Further evidence that Dr. Levingston father of John D. Rockefeller, not only was leading a double life, but was crooked as well, is furnished by the records of the Devils Lake land office. Receiver Cockburn of the land office knew the old man quite well and he recalls that when the townsite of Park River was laid out it was claimed that Standard Oil interests were interested.

The records of the United States land office in Devils Lake show that on May 5, 1879, William Levingston filed on the se 1-4 sec. 27, township 154-52. This entry evidently was contested and it was cancelled. On May 31, 1881 William Levingston filed another timber culture entry on the nw 1-4 27-157-55 which was the town site of Park River. This he relinquished April 11, 1883. July 13, 1881, William Levingston pre-empted the nw 1-4 27-155-55.

From a perusal of the land office record, if the Wiliam Levingston is the same person in each instance it appears that if he was leading a double life he was also playing the government double for he appears to have filed on two timber cultures and on two pre-emptions.

SHOULD COME TO THE R. R. VALLEY

PEOPLE OF VERMONT ARE ENJOYING 52 BELOW ZERO WEATHER

Walter Ruggles of the New Store yesterday received a letter from home folks who reside in Vermont to the effect that the thermometer registered 52 degrees below zero on the day the letter was written and that the winter had been a cold hard one thus far and that factory employes who had been thrown out of employment had suffered many hardships as a result—all of which should make the people of the Red River Valley more thankful than ever that they had cast their lot in a land of sunshine where the duster and straw hat are appropriate any time of the year.

SAMUELSON HOME HAS BEEN STRICKEN

HANS ARTHUR THE FIFTEEN-YEAR OLD SON PASSED AWAY

Last night Hans Arthur Samuelson the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Samuelson of Climax passed away at 2 o'clock this morning after a lingering illness at the family home The members of the bereaved family are overcome with grief.

The young man was popular with all who knew him and general regret is felt over his untimely death.

Deceased leaves a brother and sister besides his parents. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon and nterment will be made in the family cemetery at Climax.

MRS. FRED TELKE PASSES TO BEYOND

This afternoon at 3 o'clock, after a year and a half of patient suffering death relieved Mrs. Fred Telke at the family home 102 State Street. Deceased has been a widow many years She has been a resident of Crookston for the past 3 years and was beloved by all who knew her. She leaves three children John and Jennie employed by the N. W. Telephone Co., and Edna aged 9. The remains will be taken to Barron, Wis., for interment on the G. N. flyer Tuesday evening. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved children.

Exercise for Brain Workers

Walking is said to be the best exercise for brain workers. This is indeed fortunate, for poets and other "high brows" can seldom afford any other means of transportation. Great is the law of compensation. For overworked brain or muscle we suggest the daily use of golden grain belt beer. Serve this delicious beverage with your meals and you put health and strength into your system. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

MADE NIGHT HIDEOUS

JOHN THOM CREATED A SENSATION AT THE DEPOT LAST EVENING

CAPT. VONDERBECK HAD TO CLEAR THE TRAIN—TAKEN TO FERGUS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening Sheriff H. J. Holt and Deputy Willborg of Clearwater Co., passed through the city enroute from Bagley to Fergus Falls with John Thom who was committed to the asylum.

Thom is an old German and had been working in the lumber camps of Tom Keefe near Bagley. He began acting strangely and finally left the camp, but a search was started and the old man found wandering thru the woods.

He was taken to Bagley and turned over to the authorities after which an examination was held and he was committed to Fergus Falls. When found he had $371.19 on his person and this sum will be invested by Clearwater County and with the earnings will be turned over to Thom as soon as he is released.

Thom created a sensation at the depot last evening by his screeching and jabbering. A crowd gathered about him and followed him and onto the coach where it took a great deal of effort to put him. The train was packed with the curious, some of whom seemed to think that the old man was being held up and finally Capt. Vonderbeck boarded the coach and cleared the aisle.

Thom kept raving about $650 which he said he lost in a bank at Elbow Lake which he seemed to think had failed. The sheriff was of the opinion perhaps that the old man had some money in the bank on time deposit and that he was not allowed to draw it out without the required notice, and that worry had unbalanced his mind.

REV. VILLESVIK HAS RESIGNED

FIVE PARISHES NEAR BAGLEY UNITE AND CALLS STARBUCK PASTOR

Bagley, Minn. Feb. 10.—Delegates from the five congregations comprising the parish of Rev. H. J. Villesvik met at the Brorson church and decided to extend a call to Rev.Andrew Olson, of Starbuck Minn., to succeed Rev. Villesvik who has resigned.

ANOTHER RURAL TELEPHONE LINE

Manager Frank Bracelin of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., of this city was at Fisher Saturday where ne was present at a meeting of the farmers of Lowell township north of the river who want a rural telephone line constructed. The meeting was adjourned till Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock when all farmers interested in the project are requested to meet in the school house in district No. 82 on Section 18 Lowell Township when it is expected the company will be organized. This line will connect with the Wentzell farms and other prosperous farms in that direction.

50,000 PERSONS DESTITUTE.

Labor Union Calls for Help for People of Philadelphia Mill District.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12. — An appeal for aid for destitute people in the Kensington mill district of Philadelphia, one of the greatest industrial centers in the world, was made at the meeting at the Central Labor union. The union appointed a committee to act on the plea of a delegation of textile workers who claimed that from 35,000 to 50.000 men, women and children in the Kensington district are in need of relief.

Kills Sweetheart and Self.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 12.—L. Graff, a Hungarian, thirty-five years old, this evening shot and killed the woman to whom he was said to have been engaged to be married, Theresa Kase, twenty-three years old, and also ended his own life.

Crimean War Veteran Dead.

Elk Point, S. D., Feb. 12.—Patrick Nolan is dead at the age of seventy-three. He was born in Ireland, was in the English army eleven years, serving all through the Crimean war.

You will be surprised to find how much good there is in the world if you'll sit up and take notice.

AWFUL ACT OF JILTED SUITOR

SHOCKING MURDER AND SUICIDE AT PARK RAPIDS TAKES

PLACE ALMOST IN THE PRESENCE OF THE SCHOOL CHILDREN

From Tuesday's Daily—

A passenger from Bemidji today brought the details of a frightful tragedy enacted at the country school house in Becker county near Park Rapids almost in the presence of a score or more of little boys and girls.

Miss Bessie Graham, a teacher was shot and almost instantly killed by Chas. Boldt who then in his frenzy turned the revolver upon himself and inflicted a fatal wound.

The shooting occurred at recess and it is thought here that Boldt called the girl to the door of the little school and that the shooting was done outside. The scholars were thrown into a panic and screaming and weeping carried the news to neighbors who in turn informed the officers of Becker and Hubbard counties.

A love affair furnished the motive for the murder and suicide. It is supposed the girl had jilted young Boldt. They had been keeping company several months. Miss Graham had lived with her parents at Ponsford 20 miles north of Park Rapids. She attended school at Park Rapids and was a young woman of fine character and good attainments.

Young Boldt made his home with his parents on a claim in the northern part of Hubbard county. Little is known concerning him. The murderer and victim were each about 21 years old.

CLAERWATER CO. DISTRICT COURT

WILL CONVENE AT BAGLEY NEXT WEDNESDAY—84 CASES ON CALENDAR

The February term of the Clearwater county district court will be convened at Bagley next Tuesday, February 11th. and bids fair to be a long one. Eighty-four cases are on the calendar and if they all come to trial the court will be busy.

The grand jury will also take up several cases, and witnesses have already been subpoenaed.

DAMAGING BEMIDJI FIRE

HAMM BREWING CO., J. H. SULLIVAN AND JAMES THURSTON LOSERS

Fire at Bemidji badly damaged the building owned by the Hamm Brewing company, and occupied by J. H. Sullivan as a saloon, on the corner of Minnesota avenue and Second street, and also scorched the adjoining building which was occupied by James Thurston, who also conducted a saloon.

FARMERS BUILT BARB WIRE FENCE PHONE LINES

Two farmers residing two miles from Thief River are operating a barb-wire telephone line between their houses, a distance of two miles The men are Andrew J. Berg and O. G. Loftness. Mr. Berg had read of such a line and, despite ridicule from his neighbors suceeded in inducing Mr. Loftus to help him. They bought telephones, made the necessary connections and line works perfectly.

FRED ROBSON IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

In his apartments in the Ryan hotel Sunday opening at 8:30 o'clock occurred the death of Fred M. Robson, head bookkeeper for the Gund Brewing company of East Grand Forks. His death was quite sudden and the result of a complication of troubles following illness with grip. He had been ailing for a fortnight but at no time did his friends look upon his sickness as serious until Sunday about noon when he took a turn for the worse and sank rapidly until the end.

Kills Wife and Self.

Richmond, Ky., Feb. 11.—Alvia Newby, a prominent farmer of Valley View, twelve miles from here, shot and killed his wife and then committed suicide yesterday. No cause for the tragedy is known.

30 Below in Oil City.

Oil City, Pa., Feb. 11.—The coldest weather in the history of the oil regions was experienced here last night, the temperature ranging from 2 to 30 degrees below zero.

$1320 FROM 27 COWS

OVER $900 WAS PAID TO HIM FOR BUTTER BY THE HOTEL CROOKSTON

CALVES AND OTHER PRODUCE FROM COWS MADE BALANCE OF TOTAL

Farmers who are doubtful regarding the amount of money to be made from cows might investigate the record made last year by Geo. M. Swift of Mentor.

He has 27 cows and last year his receipts were $1320 from his herd and of this amount he received over $900 from the Hotel Crookston alone from butter sales and in addition to the butter he sold elsewhere he sold a large amount of veal.

Pretty fair return from 27 cows and any farmer in the Valley can duplicate it if he goes at it right. Prices were much higher than the average last year, but the butter will not lower much of any in price this year and nothing short of an earthquake will ever bring butter down to the ridiculous price where it has been at times in the past ten years.

SPIKED THE LID AT GREENBUSH

SAY BUSINESS THAT CANNOT THRIVE ON 5534 HOURS A YEAR SHOULD QUIT

The village of Greenbush has had the lid clapped on and the Journal of that place comments as follows:

"Mayor A. P. Kukowski of this city was around with his hammer and nails Saturday and spiked the lid on. She is on tinghter'n blazes too. Oh, well, if a saloon man can't sell enough booze six days in the week between the hours of 5 a. m. to 11 p. m. for 52 weeks to pay his license and running expenses besides laying up a little for a rainy day it will not be long before we were all prohibition."

U. S. MAIL CLERKS ARE RICHEST YET

The mail clerks of Grand Forks are the richest as a class of any mail clerks in the country if not in the world. This is a proved statement, according to statisticians who have looked into the matter and the reason advanced is as follows: On account of the large number of wrecks that have taken place west of here a number of mail clerks have received damage money from the railway companies, sometimes the amount reaching into the thousands and always several hundred dollars at least. As a result nearly every one of them has a bank account many of them fine homes, and all a good reputation as saving, energetic men. Naturally several of them have been hurt in the various wrecks but they have been liberally recompensed by the railroads and find their work fairly satisfactory and agreeable.

FOSSTON AND BAGLEY BROKE EVEN SATURDAY

The girls' first team of the Bagley high school played the second girl's team of the Fosston high school at Fosston Saturday evening the result being a score of 10 to 7 in favor of Bagley. The game was closely contested and exciting thruout. The second boys' team also played a game. The contest was extremely one-sided the Fosston boys winning by a score of 26 to 1.

REVELRY ENDS IN TRAGEDY.

Woman Is Killed In a Trolley Car In New York.

New York, Feb. 12.—A night spent in hilarity by three women and three men ended early yesterday in a tragedy when one of the women, known as "Queenie," but who is said to be Mrs. Annie Conning of Delaware, was shot to death in a trolley car at Second avenue. Mabel Couzzie confessed yesterday afternoon that a shot accidentally fired from a pistol in her muff killed "Queenie."

The Couzzie woman has been held without bail to await the coroner's inquest.

Alleged Thief Gets New Trial.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 12. — James Howard, convicted of stealing an overcoat from a country schoolhouse, has been granted a new trial by Judge Fruit in the circuit court. Error in the court's charge to the jury is the ground on which the new trial is given.

Jealousy Causes Tragedy.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 12.—Joseph March shot and probably fatally wounded his wife yesterday. He then killed himself. Jealousy is believed to have been the cause.

MUST WAIT FOR DRAINAGE

LINE TO ROOSEVELT GETS SETBACK AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

TROLLEY INTO BELTRAMI IS REGARDED WITH VERY MUCH FAVOR

Following the discussion regarding the construction of an airline railroad from Thief River Falls to the village of Roosevelt, eighty miles north a meeting was held last week to come to a definite decision in the matter. The project has been thoroly investigated and it was the general opinion that such a line would be practical when parts of the country which are wet at most seasons of the year are drained by the government ditches to be constructed in the next few years.

The proposition which did appeal to those present however, was the construction of an airline electric railway from Thief River Falls to north western Beltrami county, a distance of about sixty miles. This line would run thru a much better country than would the Roosevelt line, and would tap sections which now have no rail road facilities. Waterpower to provide the motive power is here and experts say the road could be constructed for approximately $50,000.

D. P. O'Neill was elected chairman and G. Halvorson secretary of a committee to perfect an organization for the purpose of investigating such a movement. Mr. O'Neill has selected to assist him the folowing business men: W. W. Prichard, L. M. Hoag, Olof Ramstad, Mayor T. P. Hamre, Matt Barzen, D. N. Winton, Dan Shaw, Robert McGinn and C. M. Emerson.

THE LONGEST CORDUROY

ROAD IN THE COUNTRY RECENTLY COMPLETED IN MAHMOMEN COUNTY

Waubun Forum: The corduroy across the bog has been completed as far as the laying of the popple poles. about 4,000 poles being used. The poles are fast being covered with flax straw and hay, after which dirt will be placed on top of the whole. It will be ready for use next summer and will shorten the road from Flom to the village several miles. This will make one of the longest corduroys in the country being over half a mile in length.

PHONE COMPANY IS IN FINE SHAPE

LOWELL FARMERS LINE ELECTED NEW OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

Last evening at the farm residence of Nels C. Hanson the stockholders of the Lowell Rural Telephone Co., held their annual meeting. The business of the past year was gone over and the affairs of the company found to be in excellent shape in every way. During the past year cross arms have been put on the poles and other improvements made and during the coming year some of the lines will be extended. All debts have been paid and there is a cash balance in the treasury. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows

President—Wilhelm Johnson.

Vice President—Jake Weidenhoeffer.

Secretary—O. K. Berget.

Treasurer and Collector—J. K. Quamme.

Directors—N. C. Hanson Emil Peterson and John Pelke.

Lineman—Wilhelm Johnson.

HORACE BAGLEY BUYS NEWSPAPER AT TOWNER N. D.

Miller Bros., of Towner have sold the Tribune to Horace Bagley who is an old newspaper man and will devote part of his time to the paper. H. Miller will be remembered as secretary of the State Fair association in Grand Forks last year.

ADD MATERIALLY TO BIG FORK DAIRY INTERESTS

On the 15th of December, T. Hoilland shipped to Big Fork seven head of milch cows. One sold for $45; two for $40; three for $35 and one for $25. These cows were sold in that vicinity and will add materially to the local dairy interests.

Ever notice how particular a bald man is about the care of his hair.

WIDOWS TO GET $12 PER MONTH

BILL PASSED GRANTING ALL WIDOWS OF VETERANS PENSIONS

THOSE FORMERLY GETTING $8 GET A $4 INCREASE—A POPULAR MEASURE

From Monday's Daily—

Many people in this section, specially widows of veterans of the civil war are very much interested in the fact that the house has passed a general widow's pension bill granting a flat pension of $2 a month to all widows of honorably discharged soldiers of the United States who have not heretofore received the benefits of the pension law, and an increase of $4 a month to all those who have under the act of June 27, 1890 which granted $8 per month. The bill involves the annual expenditure of $12-000,000 and was passed with but one dissenting vote.

RUNAWAY SENT HOME

MINOT POLICE SENT LIZZIE BARRET TO HER PEOPLE IN MINNESOTA

WAS 16 YEARS OLD AND FELL IN WITH SHADY PEOPLE IN MINOT

Chief of Police Hagen of Minot raised sufficient funds Saturday to send Lizie Barret a 16 year old girl home to her parents at Barnesville, Minn. It appears that the girl was living a rather fast life in Minot keeping shady company and going wrong generally. Chief Hagen investigated her case and finally located her parents at Barnesville. He corresponded with her father and learned that Lizie had run away from home some few weeks ago. Her people are poor and the father did not have any money to pay the girl's fare home. He asked that she be sent home if possible, by the authorities. Chief Hagen took matter in hand and succeeded in raising enough money among the townspeople to pay all expenses and yesterday the girl was placed in the charge of Wm. Mackenroth who is employed by the Great Northern as Master Mechanic and who runs between Barnesville and the Montana Division, and he took her to Barnesville and turned her over to her people.

CROOKSTON COLLEGE WON THE DEBATE

The debate at the school of Agriculture between the debaters of that school and Crookston College on the question "resolved that Washington did more for his country than Lincoln" resulted in a victory for Crookston College who represented Washington end of the argument. The judges were J. W. Wheeler, A. A. Miller and Joseph Ball. There was a large crowd present from the city and state farm. The school of Agriculture debaters were Messrs. Robert Erlandson Marius Sether and Albert Peterson, and for College Messrs. Frank Raff, Bertha Fosse and Carl Frisvold.

No Case on Record

There is no case on record of a cough or a cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

GOOD PROGRESS ON DRAINAGE SURVEY

Historical Society

GOVERNMENT ENGINEERS HAD MANY DIFFICULTIES TO SURMOUNT IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA—A. P. MEADE RETURNED FROM THE FIELD OF ACTIVITIES AND MAKES SOME INTERESTING STATEMENTS—SURVEY OF THE MUD LAKE DISTRICT HAS BEEN COMPLETED—COMPRISES 402,500 ACRES

From working waist deep in soft bogs to working across the frozen cover on snowshoes, in running many miles of spirit levels and determining various elevations is the kind of summer and winter outing enjoyed by the geological surveyors in connection with the drainage survey of the Red Lake district of northern Minnesota At present the government party is traveling on snowshoes and sleeping nights in a movable cabin built on a sled and hauled from place to place each day by a team of stout horses.

A. P. Meade who has been in charge of the surveying party during the past season has recently come in from the field and reports a completed survey of approximately 1,200,000 acres during 1907. This special survey was ered by congress, with a view to ermining the feasibility of the reclamation by drainage of the ceded Chippewa lands in northern Minnesota. These lands embrace about 2,500,000 acres which have been ceded by the Indians to the United States to be held in trust and disposed of for their benefit. Without improvement of the land, however there is little likelihood of the Indians getting anything out of them, since they constitute a vast swamp. with only here and there small patches of arable land. Even in cases where the land is slightly higher than the surrounding bogs it makes at best mere island farms and altho fertile is for months in the year absolutely cut off from communication with civilization. The settlers on these isolated tracts are as completely marooned during long periods as the located upon islets in the Pacific.

Last year the geological survey completed the survey of what is known as the Mud lake section of this district, embracing 402,500 acres and drew drainage plans therefor, showing an average cost for complete reclamation of $2.75 per acre.

Chippewas will be Rich

A small surveying party as stated is still in the field the work being facilitated by the frozen condition of the bogs altho the weather is reported as most severe.

The mapping of last season's work is now in progress at Washington to determine the cost of reclaiming this additional area. Some 760,000 acres still remain to be surveyed next year.

The appropriation for this work came under the Indian bill, and the house committee on Indian affairs recently authorized an additional $10,000 for the completion of the survey and plans.

It is stated that the lands of this section of Minnesota when reclaimed will sell readily at $25 and $30 an acre, which, if realized will make the Chippewa Indians among the wealthiest of redmen in the country.—Written by Geological Survey Press Bureau.

NEWCOMERS PROSPERING

SETTLERS SOUTH OF ROOSEVELT ARE WELL PLEASED WITH THEIR HOLDINGS

CROOKSTON COLONY IS ABOUT 4 MILES FARTHER SOUTH FROM THERE

John Henry Mansfield, formerly the night manager of Mrs. Rose's restaurant on Robert St. returned from his claim in the ten towns recently opened up about 12 miles south of Roosevelt which he took last fall. He has relinquished his claim for valuable consideration on account of illness of his parents in Massachusetts where he lives. He states that under the doughty leadership of Dr. Brown homesteaders thruout the territory south of Roosevelt are kept busy filling tie and pole contracts for the Canadian railways who have let immense contracts out to A. J. Cones, the energetic Roosevelt merchant prince. Mr. Mansfield states that the progress is going along rapidly in that newly settled district and believes that it will be thickly populated and wealthy in the next ten years. Dr. Brown who hails from Rochester, Ind., and other "Hoosiers" whom he brought along with him have all placed their families in the houses on their claims and are living high on the many resources that that abounding country furnishes from all sides. The Crookston colony is about four miles east of Brownsville where the Doctor's manor is located.

REDUCING THE LOANS

STATE IS ABLE TO TAKE UP $250-000 OF SHORT-TIME NOTES

State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart took the first step Saturday to reduce the floatin gindebtedness of the state. He called in $250000 of the loan negatiated with the banks in December which was for $900,000. All will be taken up before the end of the month from the proceeds of railway taxes due. The Milwaukee made its fourth payment of $50,000 today.

ANNUL GAS FRANCHISE

GRAND FORKS CITY COUNCIL REPEAL G. AND E. CO., GAS FRANCHISE

CO. CLAIM PRESENT PRICES ARE LOW—WILL NOT BE DICTATED TO

At the session of the Grand Forks city council last night an ordinance was passed repealing the franchise of the Grand Forks Gas and Electric company. Vote on the proposition was 7 to 4.

Officials of the gas company, were present and presented figures to show that the company made but very little money over the cost of the production of gas. There were several warm arguments and the truth of statements made by friends and foes of the gas company were assailed. The company declared that they would close up the gas plant rather than allow the council to dictate to them what they should charge for the product.

The council now plans to go ahead and fix the rates of gas, and drastic action is promised if the gas company fails to come to terms.

RETURNED WITH DAUGHTERS REMAINS

A. H. INDERLEE SUFFERS A DOUBLE LOSS IN SHORT TIME

A. H. Inderlee, one of the prominent residents of Fosston passed thru the city today with the remains of his daughter Grace, who died a few days ago in Colorado. His daughter was sent west for the benefit of her health On Jan. 15 she was taken to a hospital suffering with typhoid fever and was removed Feb. 8. She was thought to be recovering but toxine poisoning developed and despite all that could be done it proved fatal and death followed. The blow comes particularly sad at this time because of the death of her mother which occurred but a few weeks ago. The remains will be interred at Fosston this afternoon.

GREAT GATHERING OF BUTTERMAKERS

NATIONAL CONVENTION WILL BE HELD IN ST. PAUL MARCH 11-12-13 AND THE GATHERING WILL BE THE MOST IMPORTANT OF THE KIND EVER HELD IN MINNESOTA WHICH IS NOW RECOGNIZED AS ONE OF THE LEADING BUTTER STATES OF THE UNION—PROGRAM INCLUDES ADDRESSES BY THE LEADING BUTTER MAKERS OF THE ENTIRE COUNTRY

Below we give the program for the coming convention of the National Creamery Buttermaker's Association which will be held in St. Paul, March 11 12 and 13 and it will be seen that every subject on it is a live one.

They are subjects that the buttermaker is up against in his every day creamery work and which are constantly demanding solution at his hands. They are subjects that intimately affect the success of every creamery in the entire country and so are of equal interest to the patrons as well as the buttermakers. It will be further noted that these subjects are to be handled by men eminently qualified by experience to handle them. Addresses on these subjects, with the discussions that will follow, cannot fail to be both interesting and instructive.

These buttermakers' meetings durnig the past have been of inestimable value in increasing the buttermakers' knowledge of the art of buttermaking and creamery proprietors, creamery managers and boards of directors should see to it that it made possible for their butter maker to attend this meeting.

They should do more than this they should show their appreciation of their buttermaker's willingness and desire to increase their knowledge and improve their methods so as to make a better grade of butter (which means more money for the creameries) by going with the buttermakers to this convention.

One of the greatest of troubles in the creamery business today is that the buttermaker and patron do not work close enough together. They are not working with a thoro understanding of the needs of each other. If every creamery company would send one or more representatives to this meeting, they would go home with a better understanding of their duties towards their creamery and enlighten others who did not attend.

Program National Creamery Butter-Makers' Association

March 11, 10 A. M.—Invocation Rev F. A. Cone; music; address of welcome, Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota; response, H. J. Nietert, Walker, Ia.

11 A. M.—President's address, J. J. Farrell, Carver, Minn.; report of secretary and treasurer, S. B. Shilling, Chicago, Ill.; appointing committees, auditing, legislative, resolution; visiting machinery hall.

12 M.—Adjournment.

2 P. M.—"How Can the Buttermaker Hold His Patronage Against 'Unwhole some' Competition and Yet Get a Good Quality of Cream," H. Cornelliuson, Eau Claire, Wis.; discussion.

3 P. M.—"Starters and Cream Ripening," M. P. Mortenson, Cokato, Minn.; discussion.

4 P. M.—"Should the Pasteurization of Milk or Cream to Be Manufactured Into a Food Product Be Made Compulsory by law; Ralph C. H. Fowler, Moravia, N. Y.; discussion.

March 12, 9 A. M.—"How to Secure Uniformity in Overrun and Quality of Butter," A. Jenson, Eureka, Cal.; a team scoring contest.

10 A. M.—"Do Buttermakers Need Accident Insurance," L. S. Edwards, Arlington, Ia.

11 A. M.—Election of officers.

12 M.—Adjournment.

2 P. M.—Music, Jules Lombard; "Creamery Records," B. D. White, Washington, D. C.; discussion.

3 P. M.—"The Work of the Creamery Buttermaker," Prof. Ed. Webster, Washington, D. C.; discussion; music.

4 P. M.—"Market Quotation," Frank Urner, New York; discussion.

4:30 P. M.—"Can Butter Be Paid for According to Quality Under Present Conditions," W. S. Moore, Chicago; discussion.

5 P. M.—Adjournment.

March 13, A. M.—Visiting butter-room.

10 A. M.—"Creamery Sanitation," Helmer Rabild, Alma, Mich.; discussion.

11 A. M.—Question box, discussion of unfinished subjects.

12 M.—Adjournment.

2 P. M.—Music, report of committees, reading of scores, presentation of cups, new business, adjournment.

ST. HILAIRE FARMERS' INSTITUTE FRIDAY

St. Hilaire, Feb. 17—Over four hundred invitations to the farmers in this vicinity have been sent put this week by the St. Hilaire Commercial Club to attend the big farmers meeting at the Imperial hall on Friday, February 21 at 10:30 a. m. It is the wish of the club that every farmer in this part of Red Lake county will attend and with every invitation a dinner ticket was enclosed.

A large number have already signified their intention of being present and all indications point to the largest meeting of farmers ever held in Red Lake County. The speakers who will be here are all men of experience and they will without a doubt give many valuable hints to the farmers atending. Don't miss the date, Friday, Feb. 21st.

The following is the program:

Address of welcome, Chm., C. H Martz.

Proper Feeding of Milch Cows, O. A. Storvick.

General discussion, by local farmers and others.

Dinner.

Cheap Milk Production, Hon. John R. Morley.

Horticulture and Hogs, R. A. Schulz

Dairy Notes Charles Nelson.

Query Box.

SOL DREW WAS CHAMPION SKATER

THE FORMER McINTOSH BANKER ACCOMPLISHMENTS KNOWN ONLY TO A FEW

Sol Drew who was a McIntosh resident for many years but now of Minneapolis was a champion roller skater in the early days according to the following item taken from the Grand Forks Herald "25 years ago" columns:

S. H. Drew now a Minneapolis banker won a twelve mile skating race against two champions for a $200 purse and the affair occasioned considerable interest in sporting circles.

ROBERT E. LEE OF MALLORY IS DEAD

ELEVATOR MAN WELL KNOWN HERE SUCCUMBS TO BRIGHT'S DISEASE

The death of Robert E. Lee of Mallory occurred at the family home at 5 o'clock Saturday morning of Bright's disease. Mr. Lee was an elevator buyer and also owned considerable property in the vicinity of Mallory. He was well known thruout Polk county and has many friends. He had been a sufferer from the disease for some time. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BENNIE STEENERSON DROWNED SUNDAY

SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN ATTEMPTING TO SAVE A COMRADE WHEN HE LOST HIS LIFE—CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON AND WIFE HURRYING TO SCENE OF ACCIDENT AT NEWPORT, R. I. WHERE THE ACCIDENT TOOK PLACE—GENERAL SORROW IS FELT HERE AS A RESULT OF THE TERRIBLE TRAGEDY

Captain Rich of the tug says they leaped overboard without warning near Conanicut point, but it is believed McIntosh was pushed overboard in a quarrel with N. I. Olsen, and that Steenerson atempted to rescue him.

Rescuers hauled the body of Steenerson to boats side, but his clothing gave way in the grasp of the boat hooks and the body disappeared.

There is said to have been a dispute between the two marines and Olsen over the ability of the United States to whip Denmark. Friends of the men are not inclined to credit the story that they jumped overboard voluntarily.

Newport, R. I. Feb. 17,—Benjamin G. Steenerson was drowned yesterday off the tug Annie R. Wood, on the way from Newport to Fort Greble. He is supposed to have perished in an attempt to save the life of John M. McIntosh, a marine. Steenerson was a private in the United States army. Both men drowned. There are indications of foul play which the police are investigating. The two were friends and awaiting discharge from the army.

Representative Steenerson left Washington for Newport early today to investigate. A telegram stated that death was due to an accident. Mr. and Mrs. Steenerson received many messages of sympathy.

General sorrow is felt here as a result of the tragedy. Bennie was born in Crookston 24 years ago and was popular with all who knew him. He is the only remaining child of Congressman and Mrs. Halvor Steenerson they having buried their daughter only a few years ago, which makes the shock doubly hard to them. The many friends of the family will unite in extending heart-felt sympathy in their hour of trouble.

Postmaster Elias Steenerson received a telegram from Congressman H. Steenerson late this afternoon to the effeffct that Ben was drowned Sunday and that the body had not yet been recovered. The parents are enroute to Newport. Bennie was a clerk in the commissary department of the Navy at Newport at the time of his sad death.

TILING LAND AUTOMATICALLY

GREAT INVENTION HAS BEEN PERFECTED BY NORWEGIAN IN CHRISTIANIA

WILL DIG TRENCH AND LAY 3,000 FEET OF TILING IN TEN HOURS

From Monday's Daily—

An invention which has been brought to the notice of Engnieer Geo A. Ralph which he thinks will be a great factor in the decvelopment of the farming sections of the state of Minnesota, is the perfection of a machine for digging trenches and laying tile automatically. The machoine was invented and is being manufactured in Christionia, Norway, and works automatically, all that is necessary being to feed the tiling into the machine which digs the trench and lays the tiling more accurately than it can be done by hand.

The machine will lay upwards of 3000 feet of tiling a day, and thus it will be seen that two or three days would be sufficient to tile the average farm, and many could be drained in one day. It can be equipped with steam, gasoline or electric power, and is very simple in operation.

The machine will cost $2,000 or less and Engineer Ralph is deeply interested in it as he believes that it will have a wonderful effect on the better development of the Red River Valley and other portions of the state needing tile drainage.

PIONEER RESIDENT DIES OF PARALYSIS

DEMISE OF MRS. ANNA MOZER ONE OF EARLY RESIDENTS OF E. G. FORKS

The death of Mrs. Anna Mozer, one of the pioneer residents of East Grand Forks occurred yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Zengle, resulting from a paralytic stroke slustained a week ago. Mrs. Mozer was 76 years of age and a native of Germany. She came to this country nearly 30 years ago and located at Crookston in 1880, when this place was but a small village. She removed to East Grand Forks in 1888 and for some years past has made her home with her daughter.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house Rev. C. F. Bronson officiating.

REVOLUTIONIZE FARM METHODS

GEO. A. RALPH SAYS PLOW WITH CAPACITY OF 120 ACRES PER DAY

HAS BEEN INVENTED BY MINNEAPOLIS MAN AND IS AN UNDOUBTED SUCCESS

From Monday's Daily—

Geo. A. Ralph who is attending to business matters in the city for a couple of days says that the invention of a gasoline plow by a Minneapolis man will revolutionize farming in the Red River Valley and in all other agricultural sections. He says he has seen the plow and that there is no question as to its efficiency and success. It consists of either 12 or 14 plows 14 inches wide and travels at a speed of 3 miles per hour and in 10 hours will turn over 60 acres of stubble in ten hours and with a day and night crew would turn over 160 acres in a little over a day and a half. This means the work of 96 horses and 24 men as the plowing is done at the present time, and in addition the work will be done in much better shape, being much deeper.

The inventor of the plow, which has been thoroughly tested, Engineer Ralph states, guarantees that the plow will do the work at a cost from 35c to 45c per acre, while it costs about $1.50 per acre under the present system. In addition to this the machine needs but little guidance, being practically automatic in its workings. Mr. Ralph is of the opinion that this invention will do more than anything else to put a renter on every farm in the Red River Valley and get all land under cultivation as plowing is the most expensive operation in connection with the tilling of the soil.

BIGGEST PAYROLL OF MANY YEARS

In spite of reductions in all departments of the railroads during the last two months of last year when the financial stringency was most keenly felt, reports of earnings and expenditures of the roads filed with the inter state commerce commission disclose the fact that aggregate amount paid by the roads in salaries far exceeded that of previous years and reached the immense sum of $1,041,160,000. This aggregate payroll included the names of 1,607,788 employes over 212,000 miles of track, or 94 per cent of the total mileage of the country. The average yearly salary for 1907 was $647.

Penned and Pilfered

Many of our California cities and towns are adopting ordinances requiring vacant lots and untidy premises to be cleaned up says the Los Angeles Times. In Riverside the notification of passage of such legislation is placed in the hands of the park commission which has sent out the following notice to property owners:

"A provision in the new cleaning up ordinance makes it the duty of the park commissioners to inspect the streets and report all such vacant lots and other premises as would come under the provisions of the ordinance (copy of which is herewith inclosed) to superintendent of streets, whose duty would be to serve legal notice to property holders.

"It is the opinion of this board that a simple reminder in the large majority of cases will be all that is necessary to secure the desired results hence we take the liberty of calling your attention to the neglected condition of the frontage (description) respectfully requesting that prompt attention be given it that formal legal notices to the superintendent of streets may not be necessary."

A janitor in a neighboring school threw up his job the other day. When asked what was the trouble, he said, "I'm honest and I won't stand being slurred. If I find a pencil or a handkerchief 'bout the school I hang it up. Every little while the teacher or some one that is too cowardly to face me, gives me a slur.". In what way?" asked the officer. "Why, a little while ago I saw written on the board 'find the common multiple.' Well I looked from the cellar to the garret and I wouldn't know the thing if I met it on the street. What made me quit my job? Last night in big writing on the blackboard, it said, 'find the greatest common divisor.' Well I says to myself, both of those darn things are lost now, and I'll be blamed for swipin' 'em so I'll quit.'"

An exchange gives the following receipt for filling our penitentiary:

When your boy doesn't want to go to school let him loaf; when he gets into mischief and your neighbor reports it to you curse your neighbor in the presence of your boy, but do not reprimand the boy. When he gets a litle larger and purloins something of value and you find it out, just laugh at it and let it go; when he gets into something that calls him into justice court, and he is found guilty, pay the fine, curse the court, the jury, and every one in conection with the matter, pity the boy and you will soon have a splendid candidate for the pen.

"Just at this time the country needs a new religion that will make a man pay his debts," says the Methodist Advocate. "Shouting doesn't settle old accounts with God and man. We bounce right into a fellow and put him out of the church if he goes to a ball or theatre but we never say a word to a pious chap who never pays his debts People who do not pay their debts are doing the church more harm than dancers, for there are more of them ni the church. Reader, are we getting close to you? Then lay down your paper and go and pay up and read on with ease. And don't stop paying because the statute of limitations excuses the open account you made for meat and bread. You must pay it in fire and brimstone. God knows no such excuse as 'homestead exemption.' When you raise that excuse to keep from paying your debts you can stop singing, "When I can read by title clear to mansions in the skies.' You've no home up there."

Two moons were observable one night last week at Cass Lake, one was Luno the goddess of night, and the other was Ole Moon a setler from the north part of the state. Both were resplendent, the former was in its first quarter, the latter was chock full and sparks of wit scintillated from every facet of his rotund face. When charged with being full Ole responded: "I am always full; my last quarter is always as freely spent as my first, and it is only when my sister Luna gets 'bibbous' that I admit her superiority."

The St. Paul Commercial Club faced a difficult problem in the visit to St. Paul of Booker Washington the famous negro educator. Its rules definitely say that the club privileges shall be extended only to white persons. The directors evaded the rules gracefully by extending the distinguished visitor special privilege cards, and the rules were temporarily forgotten. Prof. Washington called on Gov. Johnson while in the city and was the recipient of courtesies from many prominent men.

PROVES "GREEN XMAS" SAW.

Warm Weather Brings Death to Many Old Persons.

Black River Falls, Wis., Feb. 14. — The old saying that a green Christmas makes a fat churchyard seems to be proving true here. The death rate has been far beyond that ever known here, and the deaths are nearly all of old people, few of them being less than seventy years old.

Driven to Die by Dream.

Minneapolis, Feb. 14.—Fearing that a dream in which he imagined he had committed a terrible crime might come true, Christopher Fagon yesterday forenoon sent a bullet crashing into his brain. His body was found on the floor of his room, and in his hand he still grasped the revolver.

Game Law Violations.

Barron, Wis., Feb. 14.—State Game Warden J. W. Stone's report for January shows forty-seven arrests, fines of $716 and costs of $145.12. Fifty-two seizures were made, the sales of which amounted to $238.52.

Kills Self With Scissors.

Chicago, Feb. 14. — William Andrews, thought to have been from Sioux City, Iowa, committed suicide at the county hospital yesterday by severing his jugular vein with a pair of scissors.

Three Killed in Wreck.

Portland, Or., Feb. 13. — A Southern Pacific passenger train was wrecked last night near Forest Grove, twenty miles from Portland. Three passengers were killed and eighteen injured.

FIRE AT FAULKTON.

Hardware Company's Loss Is $15,000—Origin of Blaze a Mystery.

Faulkton, S. D., Feb. 14.—No clue has been found to the origin of a fire which caused a loss to the Byrden estate of $3,500, with insurance of $2,500. The Olson Hardware company's loss was $15,000, with $12,000 insurance. This does not cover the firm's loss for the reason that it is completely put out of business, as there is not a building or location to be had in town.

TRIN WRECKERS FOILED.

Tie and Pile of Stone Discovered on Baltimore & Ohio Tracks.

Girard, Ohio, Feb. 14.—An attempt to wreck the New York-Chicago express on the Baltimore & Ohio railway was made yesterday. A tie and a pile of stone were placed on the track, but were discovered by a section boss. Steve Vargo and John Metro were arrested near the scene.

Negro Horsewhipped by Mob.

Salina, Kan., Feb. 14—George Washington, a negro, charged with a brutal assault upon his wife, was taken from the jail at Ellsworth, Kan., by a mob of a hundred masked men yesterday and threatened with hanging. He was released after a horsewhipping was administered.

Broke Leg on Stage.

Deadwood, S. D., Feb. 14.—Annette Van Doyne, an actress in a local theater, broke her leg while dancing. In attempting a fancy step she slipped and fell. Surgeons say she will never be able to dance again.

Murderer's Wife Weds Again.

Waterloo, Iowa, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Josie Margaret Burns was married to Clifford Olney of Cedar Falls. The bride is the daughter of the late Bartlett Stone, who was killed at Cedar Falls three years ago by Charles Burns, her former husband. Mrs. Burns was divorced shortly after her husband was incarcerated at Anamosa for a term of fifteen years.

French Ravage Country.

Paris, Feb. 12.—Telegraphic advices received from Gen. d'Amade, the French commander in Morocco, state that he has occupied Kasbah Ouled Said without resistance and ravaged the surrounding country. The caid of Mzab made submission.

Explosion Fatal to Two.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 12.—Two men were fatally burned and five or six others injured in two explosions early yesterday at the Monongahela furnace at McKeesport, near here.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

EXPECTING LARGE TRADE THIS SPRING

INFLUX OF BUYERS FROM COUNTRY TO NEW YORK CITY ENCOURAGING—BIG SPRING TRADE EXPECTED BY ALL—SOME OF THE BIG WESTERN HOUSES HAVE SOLD OUT ALMOST WHOLE STOCK—MORE THAN 3,000 BUYERS IN NEW YORK AND AT LEAST 8,000 ARE EXPECTED TO MAKE PURCHASES FOR SPRING TRADE—AVERAGE AMOUNT SPENT BY EACH IS $10,000—MANY NEW BUSINESS HOUSES HAVE STARTED

More than 3,000 buyers and business men from all over the country are now in New York with orders for goods of every description for the spring and summer trade. The great influx of buyers was expected by the jobbing houses there and it is said by merchants to be an evidence of the return of confidence thruout the country. The general financial depression last fall and the consequent small amount of buying at that time has left merchants throughout the country short in their stocks and for that reason the buyers are going to New York earlier than usual.

Every hotel in New York that caters to the commercial trade is crowded and New York merchants are in a joyous mood at the prospect of an enormous spring trade.

Mr. C. S. Mead the secretary of the New York Merchant's association, regarding the situation says:

"Monday was what we call our first registration for the spring trade and it proved to be next to the largest registration day we have experienced in ten years. That is to say there was only one other first day like it in ten years, so you can imagine what joy it brought to the business men about town. Today, as a second registration day, is the largest second registration day we ever had. By that I mean in numbers—numbers of out of town buyers and out of town merchants. To day they kept pouring in and telling of the bright outlook for the spring trade. They had to come, as their stocks had run low.

"Some of the big western houses have sold out almost all the goods they had and this means a great era of prosperity. It means that at least 8,000 out of town merchants and their representatives will buy goods here for the spring trade. Now the most experienced merchant in town will tell you that the average amount spent by each buyer is $10,000. This practically means that with the ordinary trade $80,000,000 will be spent in New York by the buyers for spring trade.

"The most peculiar thing about this year as shown by the arrivals yesterday and today is that many new concerns have cropped up in the west and have sent representatives here to buy. I should say that at least 25 per cent of the arrivals are representatives of new business houses. They represent the biggest firms in the west and from Chicago to Oklahoma they declare that business is good."

FACTS ABOUT THE AMERICAN HUMANE EDUCATION SOCIETY

GEORGE T. ANGEL

The American Humane Education Society was incorporated by a special act of the Massachusetts legislature in 1889 (being the first of its kind in the world). It has power to hold a million of dollars. Its objects are to teach and promote "Kindness, Justice and Mercy to Every Living Creature, both Human and Dumb." Its president is George T. Angell of 19 Milk Street, Boston; its vice-presidents are Curtis Guild, Jr., Governor of Massachusetts, ex-Governor John D. Long, Most Reverend William H. O'Connell, Bishop Mallalieu, and others well known. On its board of directors are two of our Massachusetts judges ex-Attorney-General Albert E. Pillsbury and others well known. Its directors are elected for life; when one does another is elected. By a special act of the Massachusetts legislature its property is held for investment by three trustees, Messrs. Alfred Bowditch, Laurence Minot, and Thomas Nelson Perkins, widely known as trustees and investors.

It has established Bands of Mercy all over our country and elsewhere which now number over seventy-one thousand, with between two and three millions members. It claims that by humane education it is not only preventing cruelty but protecting property and life from all forms of outrage. It has carried the circulation of the one book, "Black Beauty" up to over three millions copies. By prize offers and otherwise it has obtained various other humane stories and valuable humane literature, which have had wide circulation in our own country and elsewhere, some of them reaching a circulation of hundreds of thousands. It has employed several missionaries. It sends its organ, Our Dumb Animals, every month to the editors of every newspaper and magazine in America north of Mexico, to the presidents of all American universities and colleges north of Mexico, to all members of Congress, to all lawyers, doctors and clergy of Massachusetts, and to many others too numerous to mention.

Among the prizes which it has recently offered are: First one thousand dollars for the best drama of "Black Beauty"; secand, six hundred dollars for the best essays in favor or against vivisection; third, one thousand dollars for the best drama of "The Christ of the Andes"; fourth, one thousand dollars for the best story showing the folly and wickedness of international wars; fifth, one thousand dollars for the best story calculated to make the rich and poor more kind to each other, and so harmonize the disputes between capital and labor.

It has recently undertaken to print at a cost of about ten thousand dollars, two hundred thousand copies of its "Black Beauty" and other humane stories to be sold at one-half their cost and to be given away; and it furnishes every year to its Bands of Mercy thousands of dollars worth of humane literature.

I believe that every dollar spent for humane education is a dollar spent for the prevention of wars incendiary fires, railroad wrecks, and every form of cruelty and crime, and I want contributions from all who are able to give them to aid us in carrying humane education into all the schools of our country.

NO DELAY ALLOWED ACTOR.

Hitchcock Must Appear for Trial on Feb. 24.

New York, Feb. 12. — The trial of Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, was set yesterday for Feb. 24, despite the objections of his counsel. An affidavit was presented to the court stating that the district attorney's office consented to allow Hitchcock to go his road tour and that his detention would cause a great financial loss of his managers.

Justice Dowling ruled that the financial loss to the managers was an extraordinary reason to advance for a delay in the prosecution of a criminal case, and notified Hitchcock's counsel that his client's bail of $7,500 would be forfited if he were not in court on Feb. 24.

Escapes Death Penalty.

Monte Carlo, Feb. 13. — The death sentence against Mrs. Violet Goold, who with her husband, Vere St. Leger Goold, was convicted of the murder of Emma Levin here last summer, has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

MINER FALLS 1,100 FEET.

Leaves Work Because of Toothache and Is Killed.

Houghton, Mich., Feb. 14—Sephini Baratoni, twenty-one years old, had a severe attack of toothache while at work in B shaft of the Champion Copper company last night, and about midnight started to go to the surface to get some treatment. He rode up in the skip, but when a hundred feet from the surface lost his balance and fell to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of 1,100 feet and was dashed to pieces.

FATHER AND DAUGHTER DIE.

Girl Taken Ill With Diphtheria at Funeral of Parent.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 14. — Miss Ruth Bleekman, who was called here from Calumet, Mich., to attend the funeral of her father, the late A. E. Bleekman, a week ago, died yesterday of diphtheria, aged twenty-six years. She was taken ill at her father's funeral and was removed to a hospital for an operation.

From Over The Valley

MANY STUDENTS FAILED AT THE "U"

Instructors and students at the university of Minnesota are looking aghast at one another over the result of the semester examinations. It was found that 530 "conditions" and "flunks" were recorded in the academic department when the returns of the examinations were made public. The figures show an increase of twenty three and one-half per cent over the number a year ago. Fifteen professors have not reported yet, and the number will be swelled still larger

Professors and students at the university claim that the system of requiring an attendance six days each week is responsible for the bad results. They point to the fact that the number of failures has gone up steadily each semester since the present system was established. It is possible that the faculty will allow the institution to return to the old five-day system.

TAKES UP PRACTICAL END OF ELECTRICITY

Phinney Larson came home from the state university last Sunday upon a brief visit, leaving again yesterday for Minneapolis to take up practical work of electrical engineering with the Northwestern Telephone Co. Mr. Larson has been fitting himself at the university for this business and has not yet completed the course, but now takes this step to acquire the practical experience necessary to 'round off" his colege training and prepare him for the completion of his studies.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

LAMBERT CREAMERY OPENS MARCH FIRST

Gov. Paquin came down from Blackduck Tuesday after another car or so of provisions and supplies and proceeded to Lambert the same evening where he made arrangements for the opening of his creamery there on Mar. 1 next. The Governor anticipates a very prosperous season for the creamery this year, and hopes to both merit and receive the patronage of all his old customers, and many new ones as well.—McIntosh Times.

BAGLEY VS. FOSSTON AT BASKET BALL

Bemidji basket ball teams played Fosston Saturday evening and won one victory. The boys lost by a score of 26 to 1; the Fosston boys playing much too fast a game for them. The girls won by a score of ten to seven. It was the second team of boys that played and the girls play e dthe girl second team. After the game refreshments were served at the school house.

BIG BOG WILL BE PLANKED—AND GOOD ROAD SECURED

Thru the efforts of County Commissioner John Sorum the Marshall county board this week appropriated $500 to fix the road across the big bog between Germantown and Grygla. It is the intention to build a plank road across this bad piece of road.

ANOTHER LABOR SAVING DEVICE FOR THE FARMER

The Stephen Leader prints the following: G. L. Leisner has invented a shocking machine to be attached to the binder so that the grain can be reaped, bound and put up in shocks by simply sitting in the seat of the bindder driving the horses. We have not seen this new invention but if it does what it is intended to do it will be a great saving for the farmer.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Friends of County Commissioner Rudolph Sieber of Clay county residing at Barnesville will learn with deep regret that on Wednesday morning he was stricken with apoplexy at the home of his daughter Mrs. Pat Mulcahy, who resides on the old home farm. Mr. Sieber passed his 73rd anniversary only a week or so ago and his age it is feared, makes his recovery a question of grave doubt.

TRAILL COUNTY HOTEL BURNED TO GROUND

The hotel at Buxton N. D., was burned to the ground on Wednesday. The loss was $0,000 with insurance of half that amount.

PRIVATE BANK AT STEPHEN BECOMES NATIONAL

The private bank of H. I. Yetter and H. W. Smith of Stephen is to be organized as a National bank says the Stephen Leader. The personnel of the officers is not given for publication as yet.

NAPPER IS INSTALLED AT FOSSTON WOOLEN MILLS

A few days since one of the latest improved and highest priced "nappers" or finishing machines made was placed in position in the Fosston Woolen mill and is now in operation.

As would be understood by the name, this machine is used to put the "nap" upon the goods requiring such finish that are turned out of this mill such as mackinaw goods, blankets and blanket flannels, and the work that it accomplishes is a surprise to the uninitiated.

This napper is the best that could be procured and will add materially to the quality and appearance of these lines of good turned out by the mill hereafter. The napper weighs over four tons and is itself a "thing of beauty."

VILLAGE OF ROSEAU FIREMEN ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Roseau fire department was held Wednesday evening and the following officers elected.

President—Knut Torgerson.
V. Pres.—B. H. Erickson.
Sec.—P. H. Buran.
Treas.—Carl von Rohr.
Trustee—Mike Holm.
Chief—John J. Ross.
Asst. Chief—L. W. Thompson.

The first four named were also elected the officers of the relief association.

Two new members were added to the department, Oscar Peterson and Oliver Ole.

The department and relief association have nearly $200 in their treasuries.

EXALTED TO VICE PRESIDENT OF GOWAN-PEYTON-TWOHY CO.

Thomas J. Burke a former Stillwater boy who was for a number of years manager of the Lammers Brothers' store at Solway, Minn., has been at Duluth during the past year or two is now vice president of the Gowan-Peyton-Twohy Co., one of the large wholesale grocery firms of Duluth. — Stillwater Gazette.

GRAIN RECEIPTS INCREASE AT HEAD OF LAKES

The grain receipts for the past week at the head of the lakes were far in excess of the same week a year ago. Wheat receipts were 582,000 bushels as against 93,000 bushels the same week in 1907. Flax receipts were 155,000 bushels as against 23,000 bushels. The receipts of all kinds of grains yesterday were 328 cars.

BISMARCK ODD FELLOWS DEDICATE NEW LODGE

Bismarck, N. D.—On Wednesday evening, Feb. 26, the Bismarck N. D. Odd Fellows lodge will dedicate their new temple. The Grand Master and a number of the other grand officers will be present and take part in the ceremonies.

MINISTERS' ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT FERGUS FALLS

The ministers of Fergus Falls perfected their organization at their meeting this week by electing the following officers:

President, Rev. Thos. D. Whittles.
Vice-president, Rev. Chas. H. Flesher.
Secretary, Rev. E. L. Brooks.
Treasurer, Rev. James G. Ward.

The association will hold meetings every two weeks.

It is organized for mutual helpfulness, and for civic, charitable and social purposes and promises to be a power for good in the city.

Is It Your Own Hair?

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! Use this splendid hair-food, stop your falling hair, and get rid of your dandruff.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
SARSAPARILLA.
PILLS.
CHERRY PECTORAL.

LAWSON AND HIS FIGHT

BOSTON MAN SAYS HIS WAR ON SYSTEM WAS ONLY A BLUFF

CLAIMS FINANCIER NEVER SACRIFICED A CENT FOR THE "COMMON PEOPLE"

A. C. Ashleigh of Boston who arrived from Duluth last evening and left on the G. N. Flyer for Winnipeg this morning, gave a sharp shake of the head and "why him" expression that expressed much, when asked what he and the other good citizens of Boston thought of Thomas W. Lawson and his latest appeal to publicity in his elaborate explanation of "why I gave up the fight."

"He has gone back to the interests, of course," said Mr. Ashleigh. "Lawson, it is believed by a great many people in Boston and the East in general, has never sincerely harbored that deep and abiding love for the interests of the common people. It is doubtful if Lawson really ever had any great difference with the system and if he had, you may be sure that he will be forgiven and received again as one of them.

"All those cock and bull stories that Tom was so fond of spinning about his losing money and sacrificing his time in the interests of the people is rot, pure and simple. He is a buncaneer on the high seas of finance. He was always for Tom Lawson and he has now torn the mask from his face and will again be one of the system he was so ardently flaying thru his magazine.

"Thomas W. Lawson never willingly sacrificed a cent for the people, and many people who are in a position to judge say that he is richer today than he was when he started his widely heralded war on the system. It was a sham from start to finish. People have lost money and gone broke in playing his free advice. He is a wolf in lamb's skin; the people are just getting the tardy knowledge, and Lawson is fully aware of this. It is because of this that he comes out and casts the blame on the C. P., when people on the inside have been wondering all the time just how long he could play his gigantic bluff.

"Lawsonism is dead. He was the biggest gambler of them all; he never reformed and the people who have any respect for a square deal are glad that he has been placed in his true light. When he returns to his place among the stock manipulators and gamblers he will be in his rightful element. Tom Lawson as a reformer—it is to laugh."

HONORED PIONEER CALLED HENCE

OLE CHRISTIANSON STRICKEN WITH HEART DISEASE LAST EVENING

Last evening Ole Christianson the well known farmer residing 4 1-2 miles west of Crookston died suddenly of heart trouble. After supper he walked out of the house and was stricken with the spell. He reached the inside and as he sank into a chair said "Goodbye" and in five minutes life had fled.

Deceased was one of the pioneer farmers of Polk county and very successful. He came here in 1876 and has been farming in Lowell township ever since that time. He was a man with a high sense of honor and held in high esteem by all who knew him.

He leaves a wife and five children all of whom reside at home, the youngest being 10 years of age: Carl, Alfred, Christine, Lorina and Alice. He also leaves three sisters and one brother as follows: Mrs. T. Thygeson and Mrs. H. C. Johnson residing west of the city, and one sister in Denmark and A. P. Hanson a brother, cashier of the Bank of Fertile.

The funeral services will be held from the farm résidence Monday at 1:30, Rev. Andreasen of this city officiating.

MOVED BACK TO POLK COUNTY

NO BETTER PLACE O NEARTH THAN RIGHT HERE FOR THE ABBOTT FAMILY

H. E Abbott and family who sold their farm west of Mentor about a year ago and left for the state of Oregon are back and will again establish themselves in their old home. They returned last Saturday and are now fully convinced that there is no better place on earth than right here.

COURT GRIND AT BAGLEY

WITH JUDGE SPOONER IN THE CHAIR MUCH BUSINESS DISPOSED OF

NO REPORT HAS BEEN MADE AS YET BY THE GRAND JURY

From Thursday's Daily—
District court for Clearwater county at Bagley, Judge Spooner presiding, is disposing of a great deal of business rapidly.

Judge Spooner called the grand jury and charged them, appointing Theodore Welte as foreman after which they retired for deliberation.

The first investigation made by the grand jury was the case of the state against Frank Constanzo who was bound over from the justice court upon the charge of assault to await the action of the grand jury. Today the jury returned no indictment, and the prisoner was later discharged by the court.

The first case to be tried was that of J. W. Torkelson vs. Bert Nelson the jury bringing in a verdict for the defendant.

A number of cases were taken under consideration and the following disposal made of same.

J. A. Hendricks vs. Jette Lejambe, dismissed without costs or prejudice to either party.

Erick Erickson and Matt Fogner, petitioners vs. school district No. 22 Clearwater county, was dismissed on stipulation filed.

Hamm Brewing Company vs. Nellie Heinzelman and Martin Heinzelman, will be submitted on briefs.

Hans Hanson vs. H. L. Holst was settled out of court and the case of Orrin J. Person as special administrator of Jane Bernice Persons vs. P. H. Pederson will be tried by jury.

Olav K. Lolland vs. R. J. Rudser was settled by consent and judgment entered against the plaintiff for $75.

Paul W. Carpenter and E. A. Webster co-partners as Carpenter and Webster vs. A. C. Quitberg and Signe Quitberg was dismissed without costs to either party.

The case of May Edith Rice vs. Arthur William Rice is an action for divorce and will be tried by the court.

In the case of William Anderson vs. J. W. Torkelson there was a stipulation signed by the plaintiff and defendant without the consent of the defendant, dismissing the action. The attorney for the defense made a motion to have the case re-instated on calendar, which motion was denied.

The case of Ole Erickson vs. Sam Olson, First National Bank and Albert Kaiser is to be tried by jury on Thursday as is also the case of the First National Bank of Bagley vs. Ole Erickson.

The state of Minnesota vs. Red River Lumber company. This was an action for tresspass upon state lands, the state suing to recover $16,000. The case was settled out of court.

The cases of the state of Minnesota vs. S. O. Austad and forty-two other persons, brought for the purpose of enforcing tax levy assessed against their real estate as their proper share of the expenses of the construction of ditch No. 1, near Winsor is attracting some attention at this term, the defendants claiming that at the time the assessment was made their lands were government lands, not having been proved up until after the assessment was made.

JUDGE SPOONER HAS RESIGNED

ACCORDING TO A REPORT PUBLISHED IN THE ST. PAUL NEWS

"Marshall A. Spooner former Minneapolis lawyer has resigned as judge of the 15th district, Bemidji," says the St. Paul News. Continuing the News says:

"Mr. Sponer intends removing to the Pacific coast. His successor will be appointed in a few days by Governor John A. Johnson. C. W. Stanton International Falls, is a candidate for the vacancy."

CINCINNATI HAS $90,000 FIRE.

Fireman May Die of Injuries Received While Fighting Flames.

Cincinnati, Feb. 13.—A loss of nearly $90,000 was incurred, one fireman probably fatally injured and a dangerous panic narrowly averted in a fire in the five-story building at 215 West Fourth street yesterday afternoon. The building was occupied by several concerns, the heaviest losers being two wholesale millinery establishments.

Raisuli to Go on the Stage.

London, Feb. 15.—It is announced that there is a prospect of Raisuli, the Moroccan bandit, appearing on the variety stage of London.

NEW RULES FOR TRAIN CREW

OFFICIALS ARE PREPARING TO COMPLY WITH THE FEDERAL ACT

SIXTEEN HOUR LIMIT PROVISION MAKES NECESSARY MANY CHANGES

Operating officials are busy figuring how they will be able to comply with the provisions of the federal law making it illegal for any employe connected with the movement of trains to work more than sixteen hours consecutively. The act, which becomes effective March 4, is specific in its terms, but to make working conditions thru out so that they will fit in calls for extraordinary efforts from the officials.

"I wish we knew what we were going to do about the law," said a railroad official yesterday. "We are now seeking to learn from the legal lights what will have to be done."

Operating officials say that the men usually do not have to work longer than sixteen hours. But there are exceptional cases. There may be a hot box or the other hundred and one little accidents, to delay the movement of a train and the crew gets in at the terminal several hours behind the schedule.

A train might be only a few miles from its destination but according to a liberal interpretation of the law the crew cannot take it through if the legal time limit has expired. The train would have to stand idle on a sidetrack, waiting until the crew shall have had eight hours' rest. Within only a few miles from the terminal this in reality would work a hardship on the crew, who would prefer to work a little longer in order to get a rest at home. Several new working rules will have to be devised, all of which will have to meet the requirements of the law and yet be practical.

Governing Clause

The section of the act which applies to trainmen is as follows: "That it shall be unlawful for any common carrier, its officers or agents, subject to this act to require or permit any employe subject to this act to be or remain on duty for a longer period than sixteen consecutive hours, and whenever any such employe of such common carrier shall have been continuously on duty for sixteen hours he shall be relieved and not required or permitted to go on duty until he has had at least ten consecutive hours off duty; and no such employe who has been on duty sixteen hours in the aggregate in any twenty-four hour period shall be required or permitted to continue or again go on duty without having had at least eight consecutive hours off duty."

The railroad violating the law shall be liable to a fine of not to exceed $500 for each violation.

FISHER GIRLS IN SAD PLIGHT

WANDER STREETS AFTER MISSING TRAIN FOR HOME TOWN

Two Fisher girls were in a sad plight at Grand Forks last evening when they missed their train for home after spending all the money they had left for tickets. They were wandering around on the streets about 10, when found by a lady who decided to take care of them. She took them to the Hotel Northern and paid for their room for the night.

PHONE COMPANY WAS ORGANIZED

As the result of the meeting called in Fisher last week by Manager Frank Bracelin of the N. W. Telephone Co., of this city, an adjourned meeting was held yesterday at which an organization was effected by the election of Fred Ross president, and Aug. E. Wentzel secretary. There were 19 signers on the petition that a line be constructed an dmany more will be secured. A committee was secured to secure more names, consisting of Wm. Brown of Nesbit and Jos. Capistran and J. L. Wentzel of Lowell and another meeting will be held on February 27.

A Night Alarm

Worse than an alar. mof fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

PREACHER STOOD PAT

WOULD NOT MARRY COUPLE WHEN GIRL WAS BETROTHED TO ANOTHER MAN

JILTED LOVER TOLD MINISTER AND COUPLE WAS MARRIED IN CROOKSTON

The nuptial ceremony which was to have been held last week Wednesday at the Vernes church near Lindsay, north of McIntosh with Miss Clara Larson and O. E. Johnson as the contracting parties was interrupted and the arrangements altered by the refusal of Rev. Hildahl to perform the ceremony he having been previously warned by Albert Erickson that the bride-to-be was betrothed to him.

In view of this and the Sacred church Discipline, Rev. Hildahl refused to perform the ceremony and the bridal couple were compelled to retire and return home without the nuptial knot being tied. The reception at the bride's home was made as pleasant as it could be made under the circumstances, and the couple came to Crookston next morning and the ceremony was duly performed.

LOOKS LIKE IT MEANS TROUBLE

CANADIAN AUTHORITIES WILL MAKE IT HOT FOR LIQUOR SELLERS

Trouble is brewing for Gretna Manitoba, hotel keeper who sold liquor to Jas. O'Brien and Arthur LeClaire on the Sunday on which LeClaire was murdered by O'Brien at Neche. Coroner Brown of Pembina county has received a request from A. Rogers provincial minister of works for a copy of the proceedings at the inquest at Neche.

SELECTED A WET PLACE TO SIT

There was a laughable incident at the corner this side of Button's Business College last Tuesday, when all the low places were covered with water. A young lady left the college with a young man and was amusing herself by throwing handsful of snow in the air and letting it come down on his hat. All went well till she threw a handful of snow just as she was crossing the puddle of water at the foot of the hill when splash, down she came and in so daing kicked the young man's feet from under him and he sat down in her lap.

The water proved to be wet—and also chilly, and she did not stutter any as she urged him to please arise and let her get out of the pond. He assisted her to her feet. She looked funny. Her clothes clung to her till she looked like a half draped statue. She did not turn and run—she just backed towards the college and told Mr. Man to go on down town and attend to his business.

It was funny—awfully funny,—and a prominent county official who was riding down town on his bike was so interested in the graceful outlines brought into prominence that his wheel went off the sidewalk into the ditch and tho he turned a back summersault it is said that he never took his eyes from the retreating figure with the sticky clothing—not till she disappeared within the college building.

FUNERAL HELD AT CLMAX TODAY

The funeral services over the remains of Hans Arthur Samuelson son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Samuelson of Climax took place at Climax today. The funeral was attended by people from every direction, being one of the largest ever held in Climax. Deceased was very popular among old and young and his friends were only limited by the number who knew him. Postmaster and Mrs. Elias Steenerson John Sundet and Harold Bjoin were among those who attended from this city, leaving last evening.

Baker Burned to Death.

Reading, Pa., Feb. 13.—Charles Cyrane, a journeyman baker, was burned to death here early yesterday in a fire which destroyed the bakery of William H. Berles. He slept in the building and his charred remains were found in the ruins.

Will Hold Primaries.

Miller, S. D., Feb. 12.—A Hand county Republican committee meeting was hel dhere and it was decided to hold primaries to select the delegates to the state convention.

ON CHARGE OF MURDER

KILLING OF WILLIAMS BY GODATTE WILL BE BEFORE COURT

AT INTERNATIONAL FALLS NEXT WEEK WHEN SESSION BEGINS

From Saturday's Daily—
The district court for Koochiching county will be opened at International Falls next week commencing on Tuesday, with Judge Spooner presiding.

One of the principal cases to be considered by the grand jury will be that of James Godatte charged with murder in the first degree.

Godatte is a colored man and is accused of having killed Carlos H Williambs on a claim near Big Falls on Aug. 21 last. Godatte's killing of Williams was witnessed by no one but Godatte's wife.

According to the testimony which he gave at his preliminary hearing a few days after the killing of Williams Godatte and Williams had a quarrel; Williams went into his house for his gun and Gotatte got a revolver and subsequently shot Williams. There was bad blood between the two men and they had several quarrels according to the people who live at Big Falls, their differences being over some timber matters.

Godatte has been confined in the jail at International Falls.

The case is attracting considerable attention. Godatte has secured the services of Charles W. Sohrutchin the colored attorney of Bemidji, who will conduct his defense and it is expected that the case will be stubbornly contested from start to finish.

Godatte once lived in Crookston.

FINE NEW CHURCH WAS DEDICATED

INTERESTING MEETINGS AT WARREN—NEW EDIFICE IS DEDICATED

The "circuit" meeting held this week in the Trinity church of the Norwegian Lutheran Synod at Warren was attended by a large number of pastors and lay delegates and has been full of interest. The following ministers were in attendance: Rev. I. T. Aasted and F. Seltz, of Thief River Falls;; H. Bjornson of Brunkeberg S. H. Aarnes, Liner; S. T. Palm, of Sandridge; A. Salveson of Crookston; A. G. Quammen Audobon; N. Forde, of Starbuck; O. G. Juul, Elbow Lake and Rev J. W. Preus, of Minneapolis.

The meeting opened on Tuesday and the services and discussions have been conducted each day according to program. On Wednesday evening Rev. O. G. Juul of Elbow Lake delivered an able and uplifting sermon in English taking the parable of the prodigal son as his text. Yesterday the handsome and cozy church building was dedicated with impressive exercises, a powerful and eloquent dedicatory sermon being preached by Rev. J. W. Preus, of Minneapolis.

ANSWERED QUESTIONS BUT DIDN'T PASS

The following answers were made by a boomer railroad man who made application for a position as brakeman in one of the railroad offices:

Trainmaster—What does a freight-train consist of?

Boomer—It's made up uv a bunch uv scrap-iron tied wit' haywire, a miles of empties an' a "dog house." (caboose.)

T. M.—What does a freight-train crew consist of?

Boomer—A hog-head (engineer); a hot-head, (fireman); a swell-head, (conductor), and two pin-heads, (brakemen).

He didn't pass.

NO SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES

Coroner Chesterman returned from East Grand Forks where he investigated the sudden death of a well known character there who went by the name of "Coal Oil Johnny" Ward, having been nicknamed after the unique charcter of the same name. The statement that he was the original "Johnny" is all a hoax. He died in a saloon from ecessive drinking, to which he has been addicted for many years He will be buried as a county charge. There were no suspicious circumstances surrounding his death.

TRYING TO BREAK WILL

ANDREW BORGEN TRYING TO GET PROPERTY LEFT TO DECEASED BROS' CHILDREN

JUDGE GRINDELAND IS HOLDING SPECIAL TERM OF COURT AT ADA TODAY

From Saturday's Daily—
Judge Grindeland was in the city last evening enroute to Ada to hold a special term of court to try the Borgen Will case. August Borgen died and willed his property to the five children of a deceased brother. The will was presented by the mother ofthe children and probated in Nov. '06 and held good.

Now Andrew Borgen another brother of the deceased appeals from the probate court and wants to break the will. He is represented by M. A. Brattland of Ada, and the widow is represented by County Atty. C. G. Dosland of Clay County.

Property valued at thousands of dollars is involved.

COMMITTED TO HOSPITAL

SIMON A. OEFSTEDAHL TO BE TAKEN TO FERGUS FALLS TONIGHT

This morning before Judge Morken ofthe probate court, Simon A. Oefstedahl was examined as to his sanity and at the conclusion ordered committed to the hospital for insane at Fergus Falls and will be taken down tonight accompanied by his cousin Attorney P. R. Lavik of Fertile. The unfortunate man is a pioneer farmer near Fertile and is very well to do, being worth about $40,000. He is perfectly rational regarding business matters, three days ago purchasing a farm, and making a shrewd bargain.

He has peculiar ideas regarding religion. He imagines that he is one of the Lord's chosen, and that the millenium is at hand. He thinks he is going to St. Paul to propogate his ideas, and talks incessantly on the subject. He had a similar attack three years ago, and it is hoped by relatives that he may respond to treatment in the present instance.

PABST BREWERY AT E. G. F. SCORCHED

The heating plant of the Pabst warehouse was the occasion of a blaze at E. G. Forks early yesterday morning which but for prompt work on the part of the fire department would have resulted in a disastrous fire. It appears that the supply of water in the boiler ran low and the surplus of heat engendered set fire to the wood work surrounding the furnace. Chief Bruke was on hand promptly and with a hose attached to the Northern Pacific hydrant soon had the flames extinguished with a nominal loses.

Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

SOO PLANS LINE TO DEVILS LAKE

Lawton Ramsey County, N. D., reports that a large party of Soo surveyors have been working in that vicinity and are working on a survey running from Adams to Devils Lake. The survey crosses the Great Northern at Lawton. The citizens of Lawton are greatly interested in the proposed line. The information as to the route is given by the surveyors. Adams is almost directly northeast of Devils Lake and is one of the principal towns on the Thief River-Kenmare line of the Soo which was built two years ago.

NINE KILLED IN EXPLOSION.

Men Were Thawing Out Dynamite When Disaster Occurred.

Montreal, Feb. 12.—News has reached here that nine men have been killed by an explosion in the Standard Explosive works at Vaudreuil, a summer resort, some twenty-five miles from here. All the particulars available about the explosion are that the men were thawing out dynamite and that the explosion was the result. The Standard Explosive works are used for the manufacture of high explosives.

Accepts Son's Resignation.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The secretary of the navy has accepted the resignation of his son, Midshipman Victor N. Metcalf, because of ill health. It was with considerable reluctance that Secretary Metcalf accepted the resignation, as he was anxious that his son should have a navy career.

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Food for Thought

When it is remembered that 70,000 head of cattle find their way from the Northwest into Iowa and Illinois every year to be fed and sold at a profit in Chicago and that about 60,000 worth of dead carcasses are shipped into Minnesota alone, it is evident that the Northwest is losing a large sum of money annually to the cattle feeders of Illinois and Iowa. Attention is being directed to this condition of things in Saint Paul and the question is being asked, how can the intelligent farmer work his land, and what system of cropping can he adopt in order to keep it in a high state of fertility so that he can raise enough grain to fatten the cattle which are raised in the Northwest, and so put into his pockets the profits which are finding their way into the pockets of the southern cattle feeders. That this desirable condition of things can be brought about has been demonstrated by the Agricultural College of Minnesota. If only the rank and file of farmers can be prevailed upon to adopt the most modern methods not only would they become richer but the Northwest would add about $6,000,000 a year to its income.

Too Much Gall

It is an old scientific idea that no one dies a natural death. Were it not for various means of slow poisoning for which science has not yet found an antidote men could go on living forever. Dr. Louis B. Wilson, of Rochester, who delivered a lecture before a large audience at Saint Paul recently advanced the theory that life was considerably shortened, in the human being, on account of the presence in the human body of a superfluous amount of stomach and intestines. If only these could be dispensed with, the lecturer urged human life might be indefinitely prolonged. In support of this theory the lecturer ascribed the blame to the improvements in modern methods of cooking food which, he says, has done away with the necessity for the grinding apparatus in the lower regions of the stomach.

Being out of employment, as it were this part of the human body carries on a crusade against the health of the whole system, generates cancers and other diseases and is responsible for many of the germs which shorten human life. The appendix and the gall bladder have long been declared useless by eminent physicians, but it is a question how many people will seek to prolong their lives by submitting to the operation of having about six feet of their intestines cut out.

Are Disappointed.

There was bitter disappointment both at the navy department and the White House over the decision of the Naval Appropriations Committee to cut down the estimate for new battleship construction from four ships to two. The President had confidently counted on the four new ships and had they been provided they would have furnished additional argument against recalling the battleship squadron from the Pacific coast on the theory that there was already the nucleus of a battleship squadron in Atlantic waters and that both coasts should be provided with a strong battleship fleet. One of the remarkable features in the working of the naval appropriations is the way in which the submarine boat companies slid in at the last moment and secured appropriations for more submarines than the Secretary of the Navy had asked for. In fact a combination was made whereby the battleship appropriation was cut in favor of the submarine construction when it was too late for the administration to marshall its forces and head off the deal. It has been known for years that the submarine lobby at the Capitol is one of the most powerful and astute in Washington and this is only another sample of its activity.

Secretary Wilson, of the United States department of Agriculture has the reputation of being an industrious investigator of schemes. Some years ago he discovered that by grafting honey bees on to lightening bugs he could keep up a constant supply of honey day and night. Few apiarias took this statement seriously but now the same authority asserts that certain kinds of bees have a method of milking certain kinds of ants. "There is nothing sensational about a bee milking an ant, when you think of it" said an apiarist of St. Paul a few days ago "the bees and ants, for all we know, are just as much surprised when they see a human being milking a goat or a cow." The subject is certainly an interesting one and the apiarists will probably think of Solomon's advice; "Go to the ant, thou sluggard, consider her ways, and be wise." Frank Pott of this city is very much interested in the idea.

James J. Hill the railroad magnate of Saint Paul believes that there will be a decrease in railroad earnings this coming summer, but he is of the opinion that this decrease will not affect the conditions in the Northwest From all parts of the country reports are coming in that industrial conditions are improving, and it is certain that in the Northwest the farmers will plant as much wheat this year as ever. The Great Northern Railway reports a large increase in its gross earnings for January. The comparison is made with the corresponding month of January of last year, when the road was severely handicapped by the severity of the weather.

One of the squad of cavalry which overtook and captured John Wilkes Booth, who shot Abraham Lincoln all but had fulfilled his last wish that he might die on Lincoln's birthday and his funeral was held in Chicago this week. Andrew Wendell enlisted as a trooper in the Sixteenth New York Cavalry and served through the Civil War. He was later stationed in Washington and shared in the prize money paid for Booth's capture, his portion being $1800.

STATE PRESS

Oklahoma Leads

Fairmont Sentinel: Oklahoma, which the politicians tried to keep out of the Union because of its up-to-date scaicYshrde sh sh sh sh hs s shrdlu constitution has a law now in force by which the state guarantees bank deposits. The rotten old boroughs overrun by corrupt politicians are far behind Oklahoma.

Czar Cannon

Lake Crystal Union: Old Speaker Cannon can trump up any old excuse to stay off congress. This czar would just as soon have the country elect a Democrat as not. Such men as Cannon ought to be retired.

Bob is Caustic

Princeton Union: The sins of the fathers upon the children are insignificant when compared with the sins of congress upon the country.

Would Keep Young

Minneota Mascot: Speaking of attorney general, what is the matter with keeping Mr. Young where he is? It seems to us as they say in lodge rooms, there is some "unfinished business" yet to be disposed of that Mr. Young is in better shape to handle than would be a new man. With the present status of the Jacobson "boom" we can not see where the attorney general stands much show of landing the gubernatorial nomination.

Not Co Here

St. Peter Herald: Thousands of voters are watching and waiting—watching their congressman do nothing and waiting for him to come home and tell how hard he worked to support the policies of Roosevelt.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

From our Exchanges

CASS LAKE
(Times)

Miss Maggie Lunney has been visiting friends at Crookston.

Bishop Morrison held services at the Episcopal church Wednesday evening.

Warren Goss who is attending business college at Crookston spent Sunday at home.

Miss Pearl Auringer who is attending business college in Crookston is at home for a week's vacation.

The many friends of Mrs. Sutor will be glad to know she has so far recovered from a severe attack of neuralgia of the heart that she is able to sit up.

If you hear a new steam whistle next Monday morning don't think it is the fire alarm but listen to it with pleasure for it is the official call of the laborers at the crate factory.

John Trumble of Blue Earth City, this state, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Cardle this week. Mr. Trumble is brother to Mrs. Cardle.

Hon E. S. Oakley made an over-Sunday visit to St. Paul. These visits are getting to be pretty regular of late and it is wagered that they mean something.

ERSKINE
(Echo)

Mrs. Thursten and daughter of Melvin, are visiting for a few days with the Dillon family this week.

Some people marry because it is contagious. Others because they can't work in single harness. But the most marry because they fall in love and can't fall out.

Chief Dillon called out the fire department last Wednesday afternoon to test their ability to cope with a conflagration and to prove that the machinery was in good working order.

All parties wishing logs sawed will please confer with A. F. Cronquist at once stating the number of logs you have. If a sufficient number of logs can be had a mill will be placed on his farm. Sawing to be done this coming spring.

A mimic battle was fought on the lake last Monday between the boys and girls. After both forts had been destroyed and several warriors had felt the bad effects of snow-balls the girls were proclaimed victors.

FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

Martin E. Randkley was in Crookston on business Wednesday.

Martin Strand and Faste Sather are taking advantage of the sleighing by hauling lumber from Gonvick.

Miss Mary Monson is home from Bemidji upon an extended vacation.

Miss Josephine Nelson of Thief River Falls is visiting here this week with Miss Anna Nelson and Misses Rue.

Mrs. A. W. Foss was in Cass Lake from Sunday until Wednesday with her sister Mrs. S. Sutor who has been quite ill but is now recovering.

dward Sovick who has spent the last six years in Washington and Alaska, returned home Monday and is now enjoying a visit with his relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Larson, Master Victor and Miss Louise, returned to their home last Saturday from their extended visit to relatives at St. Olaf Ia., where they were called by the fatal illness of the mother of Mrs. Larson some weeks ago.

FISHER

Ray Webster and Miss Merrill took a nauto ride around the village Sunday.

Father Green of E. Grand Forks held services in the Catholic church and a large crowd was in attendance.

Prof Giles because of the efficiency displayed as principal of the high school for the past three years has been hired for another term.

The recent conflagration in this town was a benefit in disguise to the public as negotiations are on foot now for replacing the buildings with substantial brick structures

Mrs. J. W. Stoughton and son William returned from their visit to Cobourg, Ont. where they went to visit Mrs. Erwin, Mrs. Stoughton's mother Mrs. Erwin was one of the pioneers of Fisher coming here 35 years ago, but left here 5 years ago. She is not altogether satisfied with her new home and may come back here again next summer.

Killed While at Play.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Henry Scarlotta, five years old, was accidentally shot and killed by his brother James, eight years old, while the two were at play.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

At every legislative session there are many officers appointed by each body and some of them are already canvassing the situation regarding their chances and endeavoring to have the legislators or would-bes commit themselves. The appointment of Mr. Langum to the position of postmaster of the national house of representatives will give a new man a chance to his former position of secretary to the state senate. W. A. Simonton of Glenwood, assistant secretary of the last senate is after the position and is already making strenuous efforts to secure sufficient senators' promises to insure his appointment.

The fight for county attorney in Polk county promises to be a warm one next fall. Yesterday William Rowe, formerly county attorney, announced his intention of seeking the election on the democratic ticket, and G. A. E. Finlayson of this city will run on the republican ticket. Rowe in his office gave good satisfaction and will probably make a strong run. Finlayson is well known in the county and has many friends and adherents both here and in Crookston who will support him strongly. The primaries for general election will be held on Sept. 15 and the election on Nov. 3.—Grand Forks Press.

Politics in Norman county are rather slow and so far only one candidate for county office has filed, being Gregor Moe of Gary, having filed for treasurer on the republican ticket. The prohibitionists held a county convention last week at Halstad and it is understood that they endorsed C. L. Sulerud, a hardware merchant of Halstad, for the legislature and it is expected he will file before long.

Fairmont Sentinel: If Minnesota Democrats do not "watch out" they will get into a row which Republicans have planned for them. The majority party may safely enjoy the diversion of an internal squabble but the minority never.

Madison Independent Press: It is the loud-mouthed politician who goes about claiming the earth and the fullness thereof that makes the trouble every time.

Albert Lea Times-Enterprise: And it is said to have been Senator Foraker, while governor of Ohio, who discovered Taft and appointed him to a judgeship. Possibly Mr. Foraker is now led to ponder why he did it.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Marriage is a short cut from romance to reality.

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The man who poses as a model citizen has a hard job.

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You can flatter any man by telling him he is flattery-proof.

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Among the other trusts we have mistrusts and distrusts.

It is easier to do a charitable act than it is to refrain from talking about it.

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Never judge the kind of mother a man had by the woman who marries him.

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Courtship is expensive, marriage more so and alimony—well, that's the limit.

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Occasionally a woman marries a man for the purpose of lifting him up—and then makes it a case of hold-up forever after.

From Over The Valley

CALL FOR N. D. STATE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Chairman L. B. Hanna of the N. D., republican state committee has issued a formal call for the holding of the republican state convention at Minot May 14, for the purpose of electing delegates to the national convention which will meet at Chicago next June.

FRESHMEN FORCED TO WALK TO UNIVERSITY

Several clashes occurred between the sophomores and freshmen of the university Monday evening, the sophomores insisting on making it hot for the baby class whose president was unavoidably absent from the festivities. The freshies held their own fairly well with the upper class men. The day's enjoyment was made complete when the sophomores succeeded in grounding the current on the university car line and the freshmen had to walk to the University.

SPECIAL ELECTION IS SET FOR MARCH 30

The East Grand Forks council met last evening and took up the waterworks ordinance providing for an issue of $50,000 bonds for the construction of the municipal waterworks plant to take effect on ratification by a two-thirds vote of electors was considered and passed its second reading The date for calling a special election to vote on the bonding proposition was fixed for March 30.

SMOOTH SWINDLER GETS HIS MONEY

Leon Brenski, of Minneapolis, was the victim of a smooth swindler at Minot. Brenski is a Jew and cannot talk English very well. He met another Jew in Minot and told him he was going to Minneapolis. His newly made friend said he would purchase his ticket for him and would secure it for less than the usual price. Brenski gave him $10 an dhis friend returned with a ticket. Brenski came east on a Great Northern train and at Larimore found that his ticket would carry him only as far as that point.

BIG PARTY WILL LEAVE THIS WEEK

W. L. Stockwell, state superintendent of schools of North Dakota was in Grand Forks yesterday for the purpose of arranging for the transportation of school men and women who will travel over the Milwaukee and Pennsylvania lines to Washington to attend the national convention of the department of superintendence of the United States. The North Dakota delegation will leave the state next Friday. From Minneapolis they will travel in a special car to Washington R. D. Rovig of the Milwaukee and G. L. A. Thompson of the Pennsylvania were there yesterday. Superintendent Kelly of Grand Forks will be one of the delegates.

Curious Coin

A curious coin used by the Gauls about 2,000 years ago was shaped like a horseshoe or the capital U. and was about a quarter of an inch thick and two inches across. A scientific investigation proves that golden grain belt beer is rich in nutrition and nerve food. Keep the home table supplied with this wholesome beverage and enjoy good health. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are sold by A. G. Andersen.

Telegraphing Made Easy

A Soo Line Operator Invents a Machine that Makes the Dots—Sold All Over the World

F. T. Vail, formerly chief operator of the "Soo Line" at Minneapolis, now the chief electrician of the International Vailograph Co. with an aggressive and pushing organization at his back, is heralded as the latest great inventor in the telegraphic field.

As is generally known, a telegraph operator "talks by dots and dashes" made with a key that opens and closes the electric circuit. To make dots and dashes is nerve racking work. In rapid sending it is estimated that an operator makes 30,000 nerve movements an hour. Mr. Vail has invented a machine that makes this mere child's play, as the Vailograph makes the dots. A large number of telegraph operators and other people with money to invest are buying stock in the company, which has recently installed a factory at Minneapolis and will sell its product all over the world. Parties seeking a safe investment will find it to their interest to write the

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ST. HILAIRE WILL VOTE WET OR DRY THIS SPRING

For the first time St. Hilaire was incorporated as a village it will have to vote on the question this spring, whether or not we will have saloons for the coming year.

PURCHASED CROOKSTON LUMBER CO. STORE AT KELLIHER

A. O. Johnson and P. R. Rustvold of Turtle River and F. O. Sibley of Island Lake have purchased the general store at Kelliher belonging to the Crookston Lumber Company and will conduct a first class general merchandise establishment. The gentlemen purchased an entire car of flour from Joseph Lennes the representative of the Fosston Roller Mills.

Mr. Rustvold will have active management of the business.

ERSKINE CREAMERY ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1908

The Erskine Creamery association held its annual meeting at the Woodmen hall last Monday which was attended by about fifty shareholders. The following officers yere elected for the ensuing year: C. C. Ness, president; O. H. Dale vice-president; H. T. Gilbertson, secretary; A. F. Cronquist, treasurer; Joe Dussell, O. T. Rovang and E. O. Melsness, directors; H. G. Sandli, Arne Haugen and John C. Nelson, auditors. The report of the secretary and treasurer showed the association in a flourishing condition.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and the merit alone will stand the test of time

Crookston people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills they do still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne, of 322 Spendley St., Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying backache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CLIMAX WHEAT.

We are offering Dakota Climax seed wheat while it lasts, at $1.50 per bushel. This is an early Bearded Wheat, grading the same as Fife or Blue Stem and bringing the same price on the market.

It is from a week to ten days earlier and has yielded much larger crops than Blue Stem wherever tried. Send for sample and catalogue.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

A BIG DROP—During the past two days barley has dropped 16 cents. Now the beer drinkers are wondering if the price of beer will not drop to two for 5 cents.

VISITED FISHER—Chas. Moeckel and John Smith spent Saturday at Fisher visiting friends and doing a good stunt in their line of business.

BACK FROM SEATTLE—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patterson have returned from a trip to Seattle. Mr. Patterson wil resume his duties as roundhouse foreman in the G. N. yards at South Crookston.

SUMMER ICE SUPPLY — G. H. Barnes is hauling ice out to his farm near Buffington to fill the ice house for the summer supply of frigidness. The quality of ice is the best this season it has been for years.

A SAD MISSION—John Telke returned this morning from Barron Wis. where he accompanied the remains of his mother a few days ago. His two sisters, Jennie and Edna will remain there for a visit with relatives for a few days.

Cosmetics, injure the complexion. The highest types of complexion beauty comes through the blood. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes rich red blood, gives you that clear, healthy complexion, which will wash but not rub off. 35c, Tea or Tablets. —A. G. Andersen.

BROTHER VERY ILL—Mrs. Geo. Cannon left last evening for St. Paul where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, P. A. Egan whose condition is causing considerable apprehension on the part of friends and relatives.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—C. C. Bowen returned this morning from St. Paul where he has been for the past few days getting the finishnig touches for the Merchants Bank. He will finish the interior decorations in a very few days.

BELGIUMITE HERE—John Stroot Jr., of Belgium township was in the city Saturday enjoying the sights and the many attractions the city at the present time affords the visitors. Mr. Stroot can also be counted on to bring in a good supply of farm produce at every visit.

HOME FROM TRIP—M Rauenbuehler returned this morning from a three weeks' trip. He was called to Iowa by the death of a cousin and later visited with relatives in Missouri and Wisconsin. He says the weather below is not as good as it is here, and that there is a great deal of snow in some sections.

MOTHER ILL—H. A. Kirkelie of Bowbells N. D., left yesterday for his home after a few days visit in the cvity with his sister Mrs. N. P. Stenshoel. He has just been at Harmony, Minnesota where he was called by the illness of his mother. Mrs. Stenshoel was there a short time ago.

FORMER CROOKSTON PASTOR—Richard H. Battey of Minneapolis agent for the Surety Fund Life Co., was in the village yesterday. Mr. Battey was formerly manager of the anti-saloon league in this state and has spoken here several times.—Hawley Herald.

SEPARATOR MAN—A. R. Gerber of Bellow Falls Vermont, representing the high class U. S. Cream Separator made at that place, spent Sunday in the city the guest of a number of would be milk maids, and is today interviewing S. L. Collins the local agent in Crookston.

WILL VISIT CANADA — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Saver left this morning on the flyer for Montreal where they will visit friends and relatives for the next few weeks. Mr. Saver is a well known and popular brakeman on the Cass Lake local and is taking a well earned vacation.

Kodol is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids with natural digestants and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Each dose will digest more than 3,000 grains of good food. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

PROBATE COURT—A few minor hearings and the appointment of Oscar Wick of E. G. Forks as administrator of the estate of Alexander St. Lawrence occupied the attention of Judge Morken today.

ANOTHER SON—Alderman Gilbert Bang is still talking of that fine son which arrived at his home a week ago His friends missed him at his usual haunts but did not know what the cause was. Now they know.

LEAVE FOR WILMAR—John Bjorling with his wife have left for the A. D. Stephen's farm near Wilmar. Anton Bjorling will leave this evening for the same place and the two men will co-operate the Stephen's farm next year.

FINE HORSE DIED—Tom Sundets horse, which was stated in the Journal of Saturday as afflicted with the lockjaw died late Saturday afternoon. The animal was one of the finest ever seen in the city. The loss is a heavy one and it will be a hard task to get a mate for the remaining horse.

MEETING OF FARMERS—A call of farmers has been issued at Lindsey for farmers in that section with the intention of building a road from Brooks, Mentor and Leon to Red Lake Falls. Delegations will be present from Hill River, Chester and Eden.

WAS WELL KNOWN HERE—J. B. Healy received a message last night from his father-in-law Lafayette Dodds, of Staples, informing him of the death of his son Harry Dodds. Miss Helen Healy left last evening to attend the funeral. Mr. Dodds was well known here having visited in Grand Forks frequently. — Grand Forks Herald.

INVADED BY DEATH—C. O. Longley received a telegram this morning to the effect that the 5 year old child of his brother Alfred Longley an attorney at Waterloo, Ia., had died suddenly as the result of an operation for appendicitis. The father is well remembered here, having visited in Crookston 3 years ago while on a hunt.

We could send you thousands of testimonials from people restored to health by Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. No other remedy so effective and sure. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

MAGEAU MONUMENT — W. R. Jack of Grand Forks spent yesterday in the city and placed the biggest monument in Oakdale Cemetery in the Mageau lot. It weighed six tons and Chas. Hoeft the drayman had to make three trips to haul the stones out. The monument is not the highest but it is the heaviest in the cemetery. Mr. Jack will return in a few days and place the cross at the top which will complete the monument.

WHY IS IT—The clerk of court records disclose an unusual condition in the matrimonial line there has not been a marriage license issued since Feb. 4. Realizing the size of Polk county and there has not been a marriage in two weeks many are wondering the cause. Some are inclined to believe that Leap Year is a hoodoo and that the male will have to assert himself before 1909. No such remarkable condition has ever been known in the history of the county.

PASSED AWAY—Grandma Wilson mother of Mrs. H. B. Tvedten, Mrs. G. B. Tvedten, Mr. W. . Wilson, deceased and Miss Thilda Wilson, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. H. B. Tvedten in Sampsons addition yesterday at 1:45 a. m. Deceased has lived with her daughter for 14 years and was 90 years and 3 months old. The funeral will be held from the house, Thursday at 2 p. m. and from the Synod church at 2:30 p. m. interment at Our Saviour's cemetery.

WELL ENTERTAINED — David Patterson one of southern Polk county's old settlers and prosperous farmers visited in the city the past week, the guest of Jack Scot of South Main. Mr. Patterson notes the many improvements Crookston is having every year and thinks it a fine town, but will not change it for the farm especially after they secure the proposed rural route and farmers telephone that they are pushing for at the present time. He returned to Beltrami last night.

From Tuesday's Daily

A LITTLE GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, rural route number 5 are the parents of a very fine baby girl. All are doing well.

ON SICK LIST—Mrs. Louis Johnson wife of a prominent farmer residing on rural route No. 5 is quite ill, but friends are not apprehensive regarding the outcome.

TO LOOK AFTER HORSES—Walter Shell of Warren and Jesse Campion of Angus spent last night in the city and left this morning for Gemmel on the M. & I. north of Bemidji where the latter will look after his horses which are hauling logs for Ross and Ross.

A little love, a little wealth
A little home for you and me;
It's all I ask, except good health,
Which comes with Hollister's Rocky
Mountain Tea.—A. G. Andersen.

PENSION INCREASED — George Walsh a brother of E. M. Walsh of this city who is now located at International Falls and who was formerly a resident of Grand Forks has had his pension increased from $12 to $30. This increase was secured by Senator P. J. McCumber of North Dakota.

AGAIN ON RUN—Alexander Arnold who has been laying off during the past few days on account of initiation into the Shriners at Minneapolis returns to his duties tonight. The big engineer is now firing on the Cass Lake passenger out of Grand Forks until the winter slack of business begins to gather up.

VISITING THE WEST—Dr. G. J. Couvrette formerly of this city but now located at Grand Forks is looking over the west and at the present time is at Twin Falls Idaho with Amie Brosseau who left here a short time ago and has purchased a barber shop and expects to reside there permanently. Dr. Couvrette will be absent for several weeks.

INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM—Dr. H. Holte was called to the farm of Peter A. Kroken yesterday. Mr. Kroken's son is suffering terribly with inflammatory rheumatism. During the present month there has been a great deal of this trouble, much more than usual and the physicians lay it to the abnormally warm weather.

IMPROVING STEADILY—Jos. Koelmel who was operated on over a week ago for appendicitis at St. Vincent's Hospital is improving steadily and Dr. Smith says he will be able to be taken home in a few days. The patient is feeling fine and will be as good as new in a short time. This will be most welcome news to his many friends who have been anxious regarding the outcome of his illness.

GOOD SLEIGHING — The sleighing during the past few days has been absolutely perfect—the best sleighing in a number of years. The snow turned to slush in the recent soft weather, and this is now frozen, giving a solid ice bottom, which in turn is covered by an inch or two of snow. Farmers are rushing grain to market as they realize that the weather is likely to turn soft again at any time.

HEADED FOR THE WOODS— C. Teal, Sr., of Euclid spent yesterday in the city attending to business matters and visiting friends and left this morning for Mentor where he will visit Bert Teal who is cutting a few cars of cordwood on his farm, and will later go to Kellifher and Blackduck where he has horses working in the woods. He will be gone several days and says he will fatten up on pork and beans before returning.

A JUST DECISION—Under a Washington date in this issue a dispatch is published relative to the use of the name "Corn Syrup" for the product of the Corn Products Refining Co., known as Karo Corn Syrup. The decision of Secretaries Wilson, Cortelyou and Straus sustains the right of the company to use the words corn syrup. As a matter of fact Corn Syrup is an ideal name as it correctly and unmistakably describes the article which is made wholly from corn and nothing else.

ABOUT FURS—"The McMillan Fur & Wool Company, of Minneapolis, Minn., have mailed us copy of their latest circular. Their circular always contains down-to-date information about furs, hides, pelts, wool and the other goods they handle. The quotations are full and they intend to quote as high prices as the market will warrant. They claim competition is keen, and only by quoting high prices can they expect to have the goods shipped to them. They have been established now for 30 years and have the reputation of making quick cash returns at full market prices."

No Case on Record

There is no case on record of a cough or a cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

MRS. CARROLL ILL—Mrs. J. E. Carroll was taken to St. Vincents hospital yesterday where she will receive treatment. Her condition is not serious and she will be out in a few days.

A DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. Will Laurent are the parents of a very fine baby both doing well and the proud papa shortened his check rein so that his head is held one notch higher.

A FINE SON—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Robbins are the parents of a very fine son which was welcomed Sunday. Mother and child are doing well. Mr. Robbins made only one statement—that the young man would never be a job printer if he could prevent it.

CONTRACTOR HERE—C. J. Hurd the plastering contractor of Grand Forks arrived in the city last evening and is spending the day here looking after some contracts in his line. He has just completed the work on the new Dinnie apartment block across from the Hotel Dakotah which has 14 suites of nine rooms each, not counting the closets.

BACK FROM TRIP— Conductors Jos. Nelson and M. W. Sullivan returned this morning from a 2 weeks' trip south. The former went as far as St. Louis and Mr. Sullivan visited his home at Rochester and went on to Chicago. Both spent several days in St. Paul. Both have been greatly missed and their friends are pleased at their return. They left an aching void in societty circles here during their trip and widows' weeds were donned by several.

A SPECIAL TRIP—Alfred Vonderbeck drove down from Euclid today his special mission being to get a pair of opera glasses the strongest to be obtained for Tom Keeley of Euclid, who is much interested in the coming production of "The Deacon" in that village, and does not want to miss any of the details. He will not onluy have the opera glasses but has reserved the center seat in the bald headed row so that he can see all that is going on. He applied for the position of superintendent of wardrobes but Dr. Mitchell landed this plum.

HOME FROM WOODS—Messrs. John Feeman, Barney Thompson and Fern Acker of Euclid returned last night from Northome where they have been employed in the logging camps of Ross and Ross for past two months. The two former went to Euclid this morning and Fern Acker remained over for a day to attend to some business matters. He says that Ross and Ross will complete their contracts in about three weeks if the roads hold out. He says the winter has been the finest he has ever experienced in the woods. The horses are fat and good progress has been made with the work.

Mistake Corrected

Correct the mistake of risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. For sale by all druggists.

From Wednesday's Daily

GOES TO BEMIDJI—Henry Funk of this city has accepted a position in the buffet at the Hotel Markham at Bemidji and will greet his friends there in the future.

MARRIAGE LICENSE—A marriage license was isued yesterday at Grand Forks to Arthur J. Corrivou of E. G. Forks and Miss Annie B. Grogan, of Grand Forks.

LEAVE FOR BARNESVILLE—The family of B. Franklin who is foreman of the roundhouse at Barnesville will leave this evening to join him. He has been located there for several weeks past.

FINAL PROOF — Having lived on his claim five years Martin O. Wilson submitted final proof papers at the land office today. In about 30 days he gets a patent to the land.

CATTLEMAN—N. A. Mott of Ada is spending several days in this vicinity looking up the cattle market. Mr. Mott does a large business in the cattle buying line and makes numerous trips to Crookston.

STALWARTS CANDIDATE — Dr. J. D. Taylor was last evening selected at a meeting of stalwarts and anti Duis men at Grand Forks to make the race against Mayor Geo. E. Duis. The meeting was held at the Hotel Dacotah and was attended by over a score it was stated.

HAD A FINE TIME—The Junior Class of the Crookston High School was delightfully entertained last evening at the home of Raymond Smith at Kittson. There were two sleigh loads 35 in number and they enjoyed oysters and ice cream and music and games. Prof. Thorson chaperoned the party, and the festivities continued till one o'clock this morning.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

ENLIGHTENMENT ON GRIPPE—Bert Cochrane came to town this morning the first time in three weeks having for the first time experienced an attack of the grippe, which kept him housed up for the three weeks. Bert will no longer consider the ailment a joke. The Cochrane family have had considerable of sickness the past winter, Mrs. Cochrane is at the present time ill.

HAVE CATTLE EAMINED — Ex-Co. Commissioner A. Lindem of Bygland is in the city today paying up the taxes, and will have his herd of cattle examined for tuberculosis which is infecting some of the herds in the northwest. Mr. Lindem wishes to be on the safe side and if there should be any of the stock with the disease they will be killed off.

RESIGNED POSITION—O. S. Brandt the assistant postmaster at Fosston has resigned his position and left last evening for California where he expects to engage in business for himself. He is one of the old time residents of Fosston and many friends join in wishing him success in his new location.

DIED AT PASEDENA—Olaf Evenson, 24 years old son of John Evenson of Vineland township was buried today at the Neby cemetery in that town. The young man had been for a number of years employed at Canby, Minn., until poor health overtook him and he went to Pasedena, Cal., hoping that the change would be beneficial, but he did not receive any help and died there. The remains were brought back to the old home for interment.

WILL SAW LUMBER — John Michiel who has been working for Goss the well known logger of Cass Lake returned to the city last evening. He says that a number of farmers who have been banking logs near Farris want an engine to operate their portable saw mill near that place, and "Red" will probably ship his engine from Ada to Farris to to the work required.

HAD NO TRUBLE—Deputy Sheriffs Orin Daniels and Alex Gonyea returned yesterday morning from Fergus Falls where they took Simon Oefstedahl of Fertile. They had no trouble on the trip, tho the patient rather insisted that he continue to St. Paul with his cousin P. L Lavik who the unfortunate man believed was going to assist him in propogating some special revelations from heaven.

RACED FOR THE TRAIN — Passengers on train from Grand Forks last evening state that Mayor McPhee and Chief Morris of the Fire Department can both "mose" some when occasion requires. They were at Fisher last evening on business, and both were in Will Hamiltons store when the train whistled. They took French leave and started on a run for the depot. No one held a watch on them but the time they made in getting to the depot was certainly fast. They got there just in time to make the train and on the trip here were engaged in a dispute as to who reached the train first. They certainly went some and Chief Morris claims that he beat Mayor McPhee out by at least a foot. Might as well have claimed a rod.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

LITERARY EXERCISES—

The literary program of Feb. 15 was as follows:

Song by society.
Reading by Mr. Julie Swisse.
Reading by Miss Hendrickson.
Reading by Mr. Ole Lee.
Debate.

The question was, Resolved that fire is more destructive than water. Mr. Charles Graves leader and Miss Lena Opdahl, Mr. Wm. Ragen. While Miss Fossbakken leader, Mr. Julius Paulsrud and Mr. Eklund debated the negative. The decision of the judges were for the affirmative.

Song by the society.

SUNDAY SERVICES—

Senator A. D. Stephens addressed the students at the school last Sunday talking on various subjects of interest to the students.

PERSONAL—

Mrs. Robertson visited a week with friends at Hallock, Minn.

Miss Irene Slyter visited at her home south of the city over Sunday.

FARMERS' MEETING—

Prof. Robertson was called to McIntosh last Saturday to attend the farmers' meeting of that place. The speakers were: Supt. A. J. McGuire of the Grand Rapids Experiment station, he talked of Management of a Dairy Farm. Prof. Wm. Robertson of the school of agriculture talked of Crop Rotation. Carl Carlson of Erskine talked on Dairying. W. E. Speyter of the McIntosh High School talked of Raising of Hogs and Miss Van Slyke of McIntosh High School talked on Domestic Science.

Mr. Ole Lee was obliged to leave school for his home at Erskine to help his father with the farm work.

AGRICULTURE CLASS—

The class in vegetable gardening and botany has been examining and judging different varieties of clover seed.

Prof. L. P. Harrington spent Monday at Grand Forks and other places at N. D., He returned the same day.

POULTRY DEPT.—

Mr. C. E. Brown Mgr. Poultry Dept. is having his hands full filling out orders for poultry besides caring for them. Orders for eggs have already begun to come.

Last week three cockerels were shipped to the Northeast Experiment Station and nineteen pullets and cockerel to Mankato, Minn., this shows that the N. W. Experiment Station has good poultry.

INDUSTRIAL CLASS—

The class in blacksmithing is just beginning to do tempering of tools as chisels, punches, drills etc. Mr. Opdahl and Mr. Sether are especially ahead in this work.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion o fthe ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

WARRANT FOR OFFICIAL.

Oklahoma Lieutenant Governor Is Charged With Flourishing Gun.

El Reno, Okla., Feb. 19.—A warrant was sworn out here yesterday for G. W. Bellamy, lieutenant governor, charging him with flourishing a revolver during a row in the Democratic county convention here last Saturday. As a result of the row there was a split and contesting delegates were sent to the state convention at Muskogee.

SOLON IS NEAR DEATH.

Senator Latimer in Critical Condition, Following Operation.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Following an operation for a twist of the bowels, Senator Asbury C. Latimer of South Carolina, for five terms a member of the house of representatives and since 1903 a member of the senate, is lying in a critical condition at the Providence hospital here.

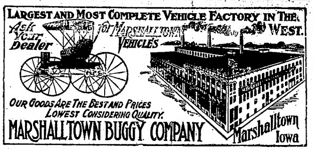
BADGER ROMANCE TANGLED.

Man Averts Breach of Promise Suit After First Bride Gets Bonds Cut.

Marinette, Wis., Feb. 19.—The marriage of Miss Alvina Ladusire and Julius Behrendt of this city in Menominee Sunday evening was the climax of one of the most strenuous romances ever brought to light in Marinette. Behrendt on Aug. 23, 1907, married Miss Katheryn Shannon, a masseuse, and hair dresser of this city. The following day Miss Lausire brought a breach of promise suit against the groom, claiming that she was preparing her trousseau to marry Behrendt at the time she heard of his marriage to Miss Shannon. One week after the marriage Mrs. Behrendt secured a divorce before Judge Hastings of Green Bay. The breach of promise suit was then withdrawn by Miss Ladusire and the incident was closed Sunday by the marriage across the Wisconsin line.

What Everybody Wants

Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.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OUR GOODS ARE THE BEST AND PRICES LOWEST CONSIDERING QUALITY.
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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

DETERMINED—"Lord willin' and if the breeching don't break I will spend the day at Red Lake Falls" said Dad Sabin as he lit a cigar this morning and settled himself in a seat on Commodore Withey's yacht.

HAD A BIRTHDAY—Alex Thompson had another birthday yesterday and entertained a few friends in the evening. He says he has one every year and that they seem to be coming faster.

HEAVY PURCHASES—Ben Rosenberg returned yesterday from an extended trip to Chicago, New York and other centers where he made heavy purchases for his clothing store here. He is preparing for another big year's business.

BUYING GOODS — Harry Hoberg the well known New Folden merchant is spending a few days in the city laying in his stock of spring goods. Business prospects in his locality look very bright for the ensuing year. He leaves for his home in the morning.

TWO MORE GUESTS—Chas. Close a disorderly, and Myrtle Smith in the same class are the two latest guests at the county jail from East Grand Forks getting 15 and 30 days respectively Judge Sullivan of East Grand Forks having been partial to Myrtle and given her the longer vacation.

SKIRMISHING OVER WEST—Deputy Sheriff Daniels returned to his home at East Grand Forks this morning after a night spent in the city. He was supposed to have lived in Crookston but for the past two weeks he has spent nearly every day serving civil papers in Western Polk or lugging prisoners from the west end.

WILL SELL STOCK—T. B. Noesen has sold a portion of his shoe stock to an outside party and this is being packed ready for shipment. The balance of the stock will be disposed of at retail at prices which will make every pair of boots, shoes etc., go like hot cakes.

AMPUTATED HIS LEG — George Finlayson amputated his leg yesterday with the aid of a saw and without taking chloroform. It was the leg of one of his crutches which was a trifle too long for convenience and George claims that he felt better immediately after the operation was completed.—Grand Forks Herald.

CONDITION SERIOUS— The condition of Charles Kaiser one of the proprietors of the Star Laundry at East Grand Forks who is ill with pneumonia, continues critical and his friends are becoming apprehensive. C. D. Billings his partner is looking after the laundry during Mr. Kaiser's illness.

BELTRAMI FARMER HERE—Ed Quigley a well known farmer of Beltrami returned home last evening after spending a couple of days in the city. He says the farmers in that section are looking forward to a good year and that a larger acreage will be sown this spring than for a number of years.

LAND MILITIA CO.—Atty. Halvorson, formerly of this city spent the night here from Thief River Falls attending to some legal matters and reports that the militia company has been landed for Thief River Falls and that the organization of the company is now progressing rapidly. It is the intention to have a fine armory and do business according to Gunter from the start.

WANTS TO SEE WINTER—Chas. Kiewel left this morning for Roseau via the Greenbush line. He said he was fearful the winter months would all pass and he would not experience any winter weather. There has been no winter here and he thought he would try the Roseau country. Incidentally he will dispose of a few cases of White Seal, the warm weather having created a summer demand for it.

TOO EARLY IN THE GAME—Yesterday's Crookston Times contained a statement to the effect that City Attorney Collins was out as a candidate for county attorney and expected to land the republican nomination. Mr. Collins stated last evening that he had made no such announcement. A number of friends have suggested that he become a candidate for the position, but he had given the matter little attention, considering it altogether too early in the year.—Grand Forks Herald.

HEARING ON MARCH 5TH —The hearing on the will of the late Geo. Q. Erskine filed for probate recently will be held March 5 at which time an administrator will be appointed. The personal property amounts to $100,000 or more, and in addition to this there is real estate at Erskine, Crookston Fargo and other places. The property was left in trust to two daughters Mrs. S. W. Vance of this city and Mrs.

PLEASED WITH HIS TRIP—Postmaster Elias Steenerson returned last evening from an extended trip thru the Roseau country accompanied by his brother Andrew. They drove from Middle River through to Roosevelt and there took the train for Winnipeg, Elias Steenerson returning here while his brother continued west to Regina to attend to some business matters. Mr. Steenerson says that the first 40 miles out of Middle River is well settled and that the country is ideal for dairy farming. Beyond that there is a large amount of fine land that has not as yet been taken but that without doubt will not remain on the market long. He was very much pleased with his trip.

From Friday's Daily

MORE WOLVES —Louis Wentzel and Irving Heydt shot another wolf in Lowell yesterday, and Victor Brown of the same township also killed one.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS DANCE — The Royal Neighbors give a dance in the Woodmen hall this evening. The Neighbors have a reputation of giving successful parties and no doubt a large crowd will atend.

CONDITION CRITICAL— Reports from Charles Kaiser of East Grand Forks last evening were to the effect that his condition is decidedly critical and fears are entertained that he may not survive.

JOLLIED THE WOODMEN— District Deputy John N. Kirsch of the Woodmen spent yesterday at Lockhart and Beltrami where he jollied up the members of the order returning home this morning.

OFF FOR THE BUSHES— C. F. Heiser left this morning for Greenbush his old stamping ground and the rumor that he will not return alone will not down. Mr. Heiser when interviewed this morning denied positively that he was matrimonially bent, but he will be met by a delegation Saturday evening and get caught in the act if he has fibbed.

NO TIDINGS RECEIVED—F. M. Reed, whose wife and daughter, Virginia, disappeared from Grand Forks Feb. 2 searched Minneapolis aund St. Paul Wednesday and Thursday in an effort to secure some clue as to the whereabouts of the pair. He was unsuccessful. Mrs. Reed's father is ill in Des Moines. It was thought possible that they had gone to Des Moines but this has been found to be an incorrect theory.

RUMORED SALE OF RUSHFORD—There is a rumor to the effect that George W. Harris of Winona has purchased the Rushford hotel property at Thief River Falls from James Meehan Mr. Harris was there the first of the week and looked over the property. He seemed to be well satisfied and it is quite likely that the deal will go thru. Mr. Harris is an experienced hotel man and if he buys will take active charge of the place which is now under the management of W. B. Krause.

BOUGHT FINE HORSE — Albert Anderson of Greenbush arrived in the city last evening and today will return on the local freight with a fine Percheron stallion which he recently purchased from a breeder at Lansing, Minn., and which is a very fine specimen of horse flesh. The animal arrived here from the south last evening in charge of Ole Erlandson also of Greenbush.

SLOWLY IMPROVING—Jos. Koelmel who was operated on for appendicitis at St. Vincent Hospital last week is gaining slowly but steadily. His condition for a time was critical but he is now past all danger and will be out again in a very short time. His many friends have been very anxious regarding his condition, and will be very much pleased at the news that all danger is now considered past by his physician.

WILL VISIT FACTORY — J. F. Creamer left last evening for Minneapolis where he will spend week or two of the Minneapolis Thresher Co., get er portion of his time in the factory o fthe Minneapolis Thresher Co., getting portion of his time in the facting next to the latest wrinkles and spuaring away for the next year's sprint. While there he will attend the Grand Lodge meeting of the A. O. U. W. the regular delegates from the Crokston lodge being H. W. Norrie and Henry L. Sellineit. The Grand Lodge will convene on Tuesday next.

..**WORK FOR THE WINTER**—Henry O'Neill the well known farmer east of the city has just completed cutting 80 cords of wood on his 60 acre tract of woodland on the river adjoining his farm. He hauled it all to Crookston getting $4 per cord for the basswood, and $7 per cord for the ash, of which he had 32 cords. He has a lot of cord wood which he will cut later on, and is of the opinion that cutting cord wood is a pretty good way to keep men and teams busy during the quiet winter months. He also advanced his subscription to the Daily Journal yesterday while here.

VOTE ON LICENSE — A petition was filed with the village recorder at Fertile last Tuesday asking that the license question be submitted to the voters of Fertile at the annual village election to be held March 0th.

AFTER MILLING WHEAT—S. M. Sivertson, manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling company left last evening for points in North Dakota where he will look up some wheat for grinding in the Red Lake Falls and Crookston mills.

WITH NEW HOUSE—J. Kirke Davies spent the night in the city with his brother, N. S. Since the first of the year he has been sales manager for the Buck Stove and Range Co., for North and South Dakota with headquarters at Groton, S. D. He left this morning for Grand Forks.

THOROLY INSPECTED—A creamery and food inspector was at Fertile last week. He inspected all the creameries in that vicinity and also examined the food products carried by the merchants and the country stores hereabouts. There were no violations of the law as found by the inspector.

KILLED WOLF—Victor Brown, the 16-year-old son of E. S. Brown of Nesbit tonship killed a large timber wolf yesterday with a 22-calibre rifle. The wolf was 250 yards distant when the first shot was fired and 100 yards at the second. The dog held the wolf while a shot at close range finished him.

ENJOYED VISIT—H. T. Gendron, the well known Gentilly merchant is spending the day in the city on business matters. Mr. Gendron recently returned from a combined business and pleasure trip which included St. Paul, Faribault and Henderson Minn. He enjoyed his trip to the utmost especially at the latter place where he visited with his folks.

MAHER IS IMPROVING—Brakeman J. H. Maher who fell from a freight train Wednesday afternoon when the train broke in two as he was stepping from the top of one car to another is doing well and will be about again in a few days. Had it not been for the air brakes he would have been out to pieces.

FIVE DOLLARS A THROW—Geo. Heath is not telling a good story on himself but a fellow trevaling man is. It seems that Heath while on the Range a few days ago wanted a fresh cigar, and fishing in his pocket for a coin poked it into the machine. He got his cigar and thought no more of the incident till he had reached another town, when looking for a $5 gold piece he had in his pocket found it was missing. He did a little quiet studying and then remembered that without question he had put it in the slot machine. Well it isn't everyone who can smoke $5 cigars—and Mr. Heath is not apt to do it again in the very near future.

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From Saturday's Daily—

NEW P. M. AT NOBLE—Advices received from Washington tell of the appointment of Albert J. Pederson as postmaster at Noble Polk County vice Ole Gjerde who has resigned.

BACK TO WOODS—Matt and Ed. Quirk spent the night in the city and left this morning for Kellher where they have their teams in the woods for the winter.

P. O. TO BE DISCONTINUED — The postoffice at Birkholtz in the northwestern part of this county is to be discontinued on February 29th according to instructions received from Washington.

M. W. A. AT MENTOR—The Woodmen will give their fourth annual masquerade ball at their hall at Mentor next Friday evening Feb. 2st. Music is to be furnished by the Fosston String orchestra and a good time is promised all who attend.

THE S. S. S. BRAND—Joseph Lenes of Fosston spent yesterday in the city consulting local merchants relative to their desires for flour manufactured by the Fosston roller mills which is owned at Fosston by that prince of good fellows, S. S. Stadsvold.—Bemidji Pioneer.

HAGGLUND GETTING BETTER—John Hagglund, who last week shot his father, P. O. Hagglund of the town of Rocksbury, was adjudged insane and taken to the Fergus Falls asylum by Deputy Sheriff Lee. Mr. Hagglund is getting along nicely and will suffer no bad effects from the wound he received at the hands of his insane son.—Thief River Falls News.

VISITING SON — O. D. Salveson, who is holding down a claim in Williams county N. D., is visiting with his son, Rev. A. Salveson. Rev. Salveson received a leter from his brother who also resides in Williams County saying that a heavy snow fell a few days ago, but that it was fast melting and the weather is about the same as it is here.

WILL VIEW MINE—J. B. Conger of the Standard Securities company of St. Paul having in charge the placing of the stock in the Great Northern Copper company, is in Grand Forks today and will leave this evening for the mines of the company at Hinckley Minn. with a number of Grand Forks men who are interested in the proposition.—Grand Forks Times.

CONFER AT ST. PAUL—J. E. McLaughlin formerly with the Crookston Fruit Co. of this city which was operated in conjunction with Nash Bros. of Grand Forks to keep out competition in Crookston, passed thru the city last evening together with Knight Marshall of Grand Forks and R. E. Sinclair of this city who will all attend a conference of traveling men employed by the packing company to be held in St. Paul over Sunday.

EUCLID MERCHANT HERE—Peter Stuhr, the well known Euclid merchant spent the night in the city. Mr. Stuhr's Thespian tendencies are well known and he will take one of the heavy parts in the drama to be put on in Woodmen Hall at Euclid next Friday evening, Feb. 21. He reports everything quiet and peaceable at Euclid with creamery checks coming in regularly and farmers looking forward to an early spring.

WELCOME TO CROOKSTON — James Hance has again assumed the charge of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's., elevator at Red Lake Falls while E. W. Brouillet has been transfered to Crookston. Ere they broke up houskeeping in our midst a large number of friends and neighbors invaded their hospitable home and made them a pleasant surprise. While it is with much regret they sever daily relations with our people all join with the Gazette in wishing for them happiness and prosperity in their new home.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

ENJOYING HIS TRIP—Nick Bertrand who left this city about two weeks ago for a trip to Luxenberg, Germany wrote from New York that he would leave there Wednesday last and is well on his way across the ocean by this time. He is making the trip on the steamer Finland. He reports a fine trip overland and says that he saw the heaviest snow storm in his life between Chicago and New York, never anything approaching it having occurred during his many years' residence in the Northwest. He ordered the Journal to follow him every day in his last letter.

AN ARIST HERE—D. E. Stifft the well known Minneapolis travelling man who never fails to entertain the crowd in the lobby of the Hotel Crookston with his Legerdemain, arrived in the city last evening and will leave tonight. He had one egg spread all over the lobby floor at noon today, and made Baby Walsh imagine she was running the biggest hennery in the state of Minnesota. Mr. Stifft is dickering with W. S. Lycan to drop around about once a week and grab a new supply out of the air. In that case the Crookston will serve "fresh air" eggs three times a day and all day Sunday.

From our Exchanges

FERTILE
(Journal)

Knute Flackne was in town the latter part of last week on land business.

Jacob Larson of Garden is hauling lumber from Fertile for a new dwelling house.

C. H. Carlson and G. P. Demars attended the Prohibition county convention at Crookston yesterday.

Lars Ingebrigtson of Garden, will build a large barn next spring and is hauling lumber from Fertile for the structure.

An effort should be made to have a farmer's institute this spring. The Commercial Club should consider this matter at their next meeting.

The $7,000 waterworks bonds become due in June, this year, and in all probability a special election will be called soon to vote new bonds to take up the old ones.

The regular meeting of the Fertile Commercial Club will take place next Monday night at the Citizens State bank. All members are urged to attend as important business is to be transacted.

Owing to inclement weather, the home talent concert given at the opera house last night was not largely attended as it would have been otherwisce. The entertainment was first class in every respect and deserved a full house.

BAGLEY
(Independent)

Raymond Brown took his turn at the popular game of "grip" last week.

Miss Marie Lien visited over Sunday with her parents at Fosston.

A. L. Gordon came up from Shevlin Monday to serve on the grand jury now in session.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carver and Mrs. McTaggart of Bemidji came up to attend the leap year ball given by the Rebekah lodge last Friday. They were well pleased with the affair.

At the Congregational parsonage on Tuesday Feb. 11th, at 11 o'clock, Miss Ida Lundin was given in marriage to Mr. Hans Sellberg of Alida. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edmund Larke.

You can't always get the true measure of a man by consulting his tailor.

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Mrs. Parr of Fork will leave the first of next week for Saskatchewan to visit with her daughter.

Ex-editor DeVany left for his home at Devils Lake, N. D., Tuesday after a couple of weeks' visit with—friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Krogh drove down to Warren Thursday to attend the circuit meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church which convened there this week.

Mrs. Josephine Charboneau and family left Tuesday evening for their home at Overly, N. D., after a pleasant visit in Argyle with friends and relatives.

On Wednesday last the Stephen high school basket ball quint came to Argyle and administered a drubbing to the local high school basket ball team to the tune of 55 to 8.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

J. A. Rolston last week purchased the Oyster Bay restaurant from Sam Torgerson.

James Meehan came up from Minneapolis the first of the week to attend to business matters for a few days.

Mrs. S. W. Bagley left Monday evening for Pipestone, Minn., to visit Mr. Bagley's mother who is quite ill.

The total enrollment in all grades to the first of February is 1,046. Of this, 146 are found in high school.

It rained all day Tuesday but yesterday morning the rain turned into snow, so that we will have good sleighing for a few weeks it is hoped.

The year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Greibstein died last Friday of diptheria. It was their only child, and the parents have the sympathy of all.

Miss Laughlin the second grade teacher of the central who has been ill at her home in Minneapolis for three weeks, returned last Sunday and is again in her accustomed place.

A subscription paper was circulated about town the first of the week to secure funds with which to hire a band leader. A sufficient amount was raised and Prof. Bruchman formerly the leader of the Red Lake Falls band has been hired.

DANGER ON THE RIVER

M. CILLIER CAME NEAR LOSING A VALUABLE HORSE YESTERDAY

WAS HAULING SAND FROM THE WHITE FARM WHEN HORSE WENT THROUGH

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon while hauling a load of sand up the river to the city from the J. P. White farm M. Cillier came near losing a valuable horse which broke through the ice and was only rescued after hard work and with the assistance of the other horse several men and a log chain.

Mr. White is of the opinion that the river is unsafe for teams, and that the accident referred to should be a warning to others to keep off. On account of the extremely mild weather he says there are scores of places where the ice is not safe for a team and load, and while it is safe in spots the best way is to keep off and stick to terra-firma.

BANKER WHEELER TALKED — Yesterday afternoon the students of the Crookston College were addressed by J. W. Wheeler President of the First National Bank of this city, who gave a very interesting address on the subject of money. His speech was much appreciated by all who heard him, and it is the wish of the students that Mr. Wheeler visit the college again in the near future.

A LITTLE DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. Lute Palmer are the parents of a very fine baby daughter which arrived this morning. Mother and daughter are doing well and Lute is getting on passably himself.

GOES ON ST. VINCENT LOCAL—Theodore Darkow who has been breaking on the Cass Lake fast freight has been transferred to the St. Vincent local, and will make his first trip out tonight on number 405 which is in charge of Conductor Niel.

When a mouse loves in sight a woman acts as if she had rats in her garret.

POLK CO. BOY LOSES LIFE

HILMAR LOFTHUS FROZEN TO DEATH IN NORTHWESTERN CANADA

WAS HUNTING WITH FRIENDS WHEN HE LOST HIS WAY—BODY FOUND

From Saturday's Daily—

News of the tragic death of his son Hilmer, has reached Nils Lofthus of Sletten from the home of the former in the Shellbrook country, northwestern Canada, and the sadly grieved father left at once to attend the interment of the remains at the place where he had intended to make his home in the future.

Few details of the fatality are at hand but it appers that Hilmer and two companions were out hunting in the spruce timber seven or eight miles from his homestead and in the course of their traveling about the woods Hilmer became separated from the others and lost his way.

The other members of the party made desperate efforts to locate him, but two whole days passed before they came upon him and when at last discovered he was frozen stiff having wandered about until exhausted and then succumbing to the severe cold prevailing there.

The news of Hilmer Lofthus' untimely death brings sorrow among his friends and sympathy for the bereaved family. Growing to manhood in eastern Polk he was highly regarded by all, who had hoped that he would prosper in his newly chosen home and live to enjoy his success. He was 26 years of age and single.

FRIEND BREAKS MAN'S NECK.

"Indian Wrestling" Match Near Ivanhoe May Prove Fatal.

Ivanhoe, Minn., Feb. 14. — Gustaf Lobestrand, a farmer sixty years old, residing a short distance south of Ivanhoe, is not expected to live as the result of a broken neck, from which his entire body is paralyzed. The injury occurred while he was engaged with a young man of eighteen in an Indian wrestle, a sport in which the loser is thrown backwards over his head.

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KOPANG MUST COME BACK

HIS CASE REMANDED BEFORE WINNIPEG JUDGE TILL THE NINETEENTH

WHEN AFFIDAVITS AND IDENTIFICATIN WILL BE DULY PREPARED

From Friday's Daily—

County Attorney J. H. Maybury received word today from his atorneys at Winnipeg to the effect that the extradition judge at that place yesterday remanded Paul Kopang for one week, but that at the end of that time something must be done, and it will be done.

Ben Rosenberg, whose name. Kopang forged to several checks, just returned from a trip east, and his affidavits will be sworn to today, and arrangements will be made to have some one go to Winnipeg for the hearing which will be held before the Extradition Judge next Wednesday Feb. 19th.

The Kopang case has been dragged along for some time past owing to the absence of Mr. Rosenberg, but will now be vigorously pushed as the authorities are of the opinion that it would not be wholesome for a young man to think he could forge checks promiscuously and get out of trouble by skipping across the Canadian boundary line.

EUCLID TALENT IS IN ACTION

A FIVE ACT COMEDY DRAMA ON FEB. 21 FOLLOWED BY A BIG DANCE

There will be several kinds of things doing at Euclid on Friday evening Feb. 21 at Euclid when an array of talent of that place will put on a five act Comedy Drama, "The Deacon," in Woodmen Hall under the auspices of the Woodmen and Royal Neighbors. The cast of characters and other details is given in a display advertisement in another column of this issue.

Following the presentation of the drama there will be a big dance and the evening will be one of those old time enjoyable ones to which visitors to Euclid are very familiar.

A large delegation from Crookston will attend, and those who go will get their money's worth with compound interest.

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MEN BREAK OUT OF JAIL

JOSEPH O'NEILL AND EDWIN ROSS SAFE BLOWERS, ESCAPE IN RAIN

BELIEVED THAT THEY HAVE ESCAPED TO CANADIAN SIDE OF LINE

From Thursday's Daily—

News was received in Crookston yesterday of the escape from the county jail at Pembina of Joseph O'Neill and Edwin Ross, two men held under heavy bonds for the blowing up of a safe in the Great Northern depot at Walhalla and the looting of They asked Sheriff Roadhouse to get them a pail of water and when he left they pulled the bar, opened the cell door and ran out. The jail door had been left unlocked by the sheriff.

Escape in Darkness

In the darkness they eluded the sheriff. Rain added to the darkness of the night and the difficulty of tracing the fugitives was great.

Yesterday it was thought that the men had been traced to a point about 12 miles from Emerson and on the Canadian side.

Last night it was said at Pembina that the men were still at large but Sheriff Roadhouse hoped soon to capture them. He has offered a reward of $100 for the capture of the men. a jewelry store there. The men made their escape at 6:30 Tuesday evening. They were kept in the cages which are opened by a sliding bar. This bar can be operated only from the outside unless unusual methods are used. The prisoners tied a cord to the bar and fixed it so that the cord could be reached in the cell.

HUMPHRIES SUES TO RECOVER $532

AMOUNT CLAIMED FOR MONEY LOANED AND WORK IN MINNESOTA

Suit has been instituted by William Humphries and wife of Grand Forks to recover a total of $532 from Charles Kreg. It is set forth in the complaint that Mrs. Humphries loaned the defendant $10 on Sept. 25, 1905 $5 on Feb. 5, 1906, $50 March 1, 1906, and that she earned $60 as nurse in the family of Kreg. For the services of Earl Spearm as chore boy the sum of $384 is claimed. The suit will be tried in Warren in the district court of Marshall county.

NELS BRENNA IS ALL RIGHT AGAIN

RECOVERS FROM TERRIBLE FALL AND IS IN THE BEST OF HEALTH

Some months ago the Herald received a communication from a South American port stating that Nels Brenna, of Grand Forks county had been severely injured by a fall from the mast of a vessel and had been taken to a hospital in Valparaiso. Mr. Brenna had been employed on the vessel and the letter was sent by the captain. His mother has been anxiously awaiting information as to the outcome of his injuriees and The Herald wrote to the consul at Valparaiso to ascertain the facts. Consul Alfred A. Winslow replied, the letter being received yesterday. He stated that Nels Brenna left Valparaiso Nov. 5, 1907, on the Euphrates and his health was apparently good.—Grand Forks Herald. Brenna is well known in Crookston and the news that he has recovered will be received with genuine pleasure.

IS SEEKING HIS WIFE

F. M. REED ASKS FOR INFORMATION OF MISSING WIFE AND GIRL

LAST SEEN IN GRAND FORKS ON FEB. 3, THE DAUGHTER STAGE-STRUCK

Mrs. F. M. Reed and daughter, Virginia are mysteriously missing from Grand Forks and search is being made for them by Mrs. Reed's husband who travels for the Metropolitan Music company. He returned from a trip to find them mysteriously missing. According to his account of the disappearance Mrs. Reed and daughter were last seen at the Great Northern depot at Grand Forks at 9:10 on the evening of Feb. 3.

Mrs. Reed wore extra large purple hat, two large plumes, long black tight fitting coat, low shoes, with black spats. Virginia rather short, full round face, long brown coat, small fur neck piece, large black, drooping hat or red cap. Each carried light colored shopping bags. Supposed to have dark colored suit cases and light colored grip.

He believes that the pair came to Crookston and have gone to Winnipeg from there. Virginia, who was 17 years old was stage-struck and it is thought that her mother may have gone with her and may be endeavoring to secure a place for her with some company.

They were former residents of Minneapolis. Mr. Reed is particularly anxious to locate Mrs. Reed and daughter at this time on account of the illness of Mrs. Reed's father in Minneapolis.

DEATH ENDED LONG SUFFERING

JOHN O'BRECHT, A PIONEER FARMER PASSES PEACFULLY AWAY

Last night death ended the sufferings of John O'Brecht aged 66 who resides in Fanny township, after an illness covering the past four years the last two months of which he has been confined to his bed.

Deceased is one of the pioneer farmers of Polk county having come here in 1880 from Frontenac, Minn., and has resided her ever since. He was a very successful farmer, and leaves his family in very comfortable circumstances. He was widely known throughout this section as a man whose word was as good as his bond, whose character was beyond reproach and was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

Deceased leaves a widow two sons Louis and Fred who reside at home and a step-daughter, Mrs. S. L. Collins of this city.

The funeral services will be held from the house Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Willard S. Ward of this city officiating and interment will be made in Oakdale cemetery.

The members of the bereaved family will receive the heart-felt sympathy of the entire country-side.

KNEW EXACTLY WHAT HE WANTED

HE WAS VERY SLEEPY AND WOULD LIKE AN EASY CHAIR

An individual somewhat the worse for an accumulation of spiritus frumenti, wandered into one of the local furniture stores today and asked to see an easy chair he said, something large and strong. The obliging clerk got down a large arm chair and put it in a convenient place for him to try its merits. After several unsuccessful attempts to locate the furniture he sank more or less gracefully into the chair, stretched out his legs, let his chin drop to his chest, and in less than a minute his strenuous snores announced that he was asleep. The clerk stood for awhile speechless with admiration at the nerve displayed by His Jags, then awoke him up and conducted him to the street.

He crossed to the other side, turned around a few times, and then returned evidently under the impression that he was going to another store. This time he failed to have any goods shown him.

Hurt by Auto; Sues for $10,000.

Webster City, Iwa, Feb. 13—J. H. Ellis of Homer, aged over seventy years, has brought suit against J. N. Garth of this city, asking damages in the sum of $10,000. Nov. 15 last Garth in his automobile collided with Ellis. The latter sustained a broken leg, a broken arm and was severely bruised about the head and neck.

WIRE MEN MAY GO ON STRIKE

NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN N. P. GEN. MAN. AND TELEGAPHERS BROKEN OFF

MANAGEMENT INFORMS MEN THAT SCHEDULE IS DECIDED UPON

From Friday's Daily—

There may yet be a strike of the telegraphers on the Northern Pacific judging from the latest developments in the controversy between the men and the officials over the working rules and salary schedule which are to go into effect when the federal nine-hour law becomes operative March 4.

All negotiations between General Manager Slade and the telegraphers' committee have been broken off, according to Secretary Holmes of the committee at St. Paul.

At the last conference between members of the general committee representing the Northern Pacific division of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers and General Manager Slade the latter issued an ultimatum. He said that a schedule of working hours and salaries under the new nine-hour law satisfactory to the officials had been prepared and this would be mailed to individual telegraphers on the road as soon as it was printed and would be put in force without consulting the committee.

Mr. Holmes stated that he did not know what the new schedule was, but that Mr. Slade had intimated it would be worse for the men than the last one which he had sent the committee.

The committee has appealed to C. M. Levy, third vice president of the Northern Pacific, and will endeavor to negotiate with him. At the present time Mr. Levy is not in St. Paul. What the telegraphers committee will do in the event that he refuses to negotiate with it Mr. Holmes did not say.

Before the big strike in 1905 the telegraphers on the N. P. carried their case up to President Elliott and it is probable they will do the same this time in an endeavor to avoid a strike.

Mr. Slade had nothing to say regarding the matter today.

The disagreement between General Manager Slade and the telegraphers is not so much over the matter of a reduction in salary, which the men expected but it is over the working rules. The men want the rules now in force continued under the nine hour law and the railroad officials desire to change them materially especially the rules relating to overtime and the hour at noon.

It is asserted by the telegraphers that if the company has its way they will lose all they have gained in the way of working schedules thru organized effort in the past two decades.

SMALL FIRE IN SNUFF FACTORY

COMPANY WAS WELL INSURED AND LOSS WAS COMPLETELY COVERED

Fire broke out about 7 o'clock last Thursday evening in the Barkman snuff factory at Roseau. The department was on hand in short order and had the situation under control from the start tho some difficulty was experienced in getting at the fire which had started in the basement, probably from an overheated stove.

BUSINESS GOOD AT R. L. FALLS

H. H. ZAISER AND OTHERS CUTTING 12 MILLION FEET OF LUMBER

H. H. Zaiser, the merchant of Red Lake Falls was in the city this morning between trains enroute home from trip to Larimore where he went to purchase a line of store fixtures for their new store which replaces the one destroyed by fire a short time ago. He secured quite a lot of what he wanted but the floor cases would not fit and he will have to secure them elsewhere.

H. H. Zaiser Arthur Zaiser and V. L. Knights of Red Lake Falls, and H. K. Lutz of St. Paul have placed a big outfit in the woods near Big Fork and are cuting 12,000,000 feet of timber this winter. Arthur Zaiser and Knights are in charge of the camps and the former's wife is at the home of her parents during his absence in the woods, keeping house while Mr. and Mrs. Elkhoff are visiting the old country. Mr. Zaiser stated this morning that business at Red Lake Falls was good this winter. In sixteen days in January they did more business than during the entire month of a year ago.

POLITICS VERY WARM

STATE SEN. WORKS REPORTS WARM TIMES IN THE CITIES

IS SPENDING A FEW DAYS HERE LOOKING AFTER HIS VALLEY LANDS

From Friday's Daily—

State Senator A. D. Works of Mankato arrived in the city this morning and will spend a day or two here looking after his lands in this section practically all of which are under cultivation. He is well pleased with his investments in this section, and last summer added to them materially. Speaking of politics Senator Works to a Journal representative this morning said:

"I never saw politics so warm in St. Paul and Minneapolis at this season of the year. The political pot is just about boiling over. The situation is so peculiar that it is pretty hard for one man to interpret just what significance there is in the other fellow's move and there will be a lot of knots to untangle before the situation assumes intelligible shape. There are certainly going to be some warm times before the coming campaign is over."

SPOONER TO RESIGN ON MARCH 1ST

BEMIDJI CORRESPONDENT SAYS JUDGE IS GOING WEST

Relative to the resignation of Judge Spooner mentioned in the Journal yesterday the Bemidji correspondent of the Duluth News Tribune says:

"That Judge Marshall A. Spooner of the Seventeenth judicial district, will resign from the bench is now believed to be an assured fact and it is said he will hand in his resignation to Gov. Johnson the first of the coming month. Judge Spooner has for some time been desirous it is said of removing to the Pacific coast and is understood to have made arrangements on his recent trip to the west to locate at Spokane, Wash. In fact, a copy of a newspaper from a point in Idaho, where the judge visited has just been received, in which the statement is made that he had so decided.

"The matter of a successor to Mr. Spooner is already the occasion for more or less speculation, and as the appointment is in the hands of Gov. Johnson attention naturally turns to some Democrat, with the result that C. W. Stanton, of International Falls, county attorney of Kochiching county and a life long Democrat, is prominently mentioned. Former Senator C. C. McCarthy of Grand Rapids, altho a Republican has also considered a likely candidate for the judgeship. He was a candidate for the appointment six years ago when the district was given an additional judge by the legislature but the plum fell to Judge Spooner at that time, and he was elected to the position four years ago. The latter still has nearly three years to serve."

DEALER IN TIES POSTS AND POLES

PROMINENT BORDER COUNTRY CITIZEN TODAY IN CITY FROM PITT

A. D. Grignon a merchant from Pitt a town on the north border of Beltrami county was in the city yesterday attending to some business matters. Mr. Grignon deals extensively in timber of all desciption and reports the market pretty fair altho, if the Great Northern would only extend its Greenbush line to reach them it would be a great benefit to all concerned. At present they have only the Winnipeg market for their produce and it is unsatisfactory. Mr. Grignon reports the country fast setling up and development is sure to follow. The Crookston contingent he says has secured very good claims near Graceton which will be valuable in a few years.

CLAY COUNTY PIONEER SUDDENLY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Edith Dickelman wife of John Dickelman of Sabin, died at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at St. John's hospital, Fargo. Deceased was 35 years of age and a daughter of Mr and Mrs. Gehrke of Sabin. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home at Sabin.

Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills. They are easy to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

BABY GIRL CRIED AND SCRATCHED

All the Time—Torturing Eczema Covered Her Body—Could Not Sleep—Doctor Said Sores Would Last for Years—Skin Now Clear.

CURED IN THREE MONTHS BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I take great pleasure in telling you what a great help it was for me to use Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for my baby niece. She was suffering from that terrible torture, eczema. It was all over her body but the worst was on her face and hands. Her hands were so bad that she could not hold anything. She cried and scratched all the time and could not sleep night or day from the scratching. I had her under the doctor's care for a year and a half and he seemed to do her no good. I took her to the best doctor in the city and he said that she would have the sores until she was six years old. But if I had depended on the doctor my baby would have lost her mind and died from the want of aid.'

"I used all the remedies that everybody told me about and I tortured the child almost to death. Then I saw in the paper how Cuticura was the thing for irritating skin. I bathed her with warm water and Cuticura Soap and used the Cuticura Ointment. She was cured in three months. Now her skin is as clear and smooth as it could be. I shall recommend the use of Cuticura wherever I see the skin in bad condition. Alice L. Dowell, 4769 Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo., May 2 and 20, 1907."

GROWS HAIR
Cuticura Removes Dandruff and Soothes Itching Scalps.

Warm shampoos with Cuticura Soap, and light dressings with Cuticura, prevent dry, thin, and falling hair, remove crusts, scales, and dandruff, destroy hair parasites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces, stimulate the hair follicles, loosen the scalp skin, supply the roots with energy and nourishment, and make the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp when all other treatment fails.

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BIG SPREE MAY COST LIFE

CARPENTER OF LAKOTA BUYS A CASE OF BOOZE AND GETS A "STILL" ONE

ARTHUR DEPARIS WILL LOSE ONE LEG AND PART OF ANOTHER FOOT

From Friday's Daily—

At a consultation of physicians in the case of Arthur DeParis who was terribly frozen in his shack at Lakota it was decided that there was no hope of saving his feet. An operation will be performed within the next few days at the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forkse where DeParis has been receiving treatment. One leg will be amputated near the knee and it is hoped to save a part of the foot on the other limb.

DeParis' condition has been such that an operation could not be performed. He was found in his shack by H. J. and Fred Smith. About a week before he received a case of liquor and took it to his shack. He locked the door on the inside and consumed the liquor for a week before he was missed and when Smith called to see him he was unable to unlock the door being helpless in bed.

A physician was summoned and he was taken care of and later taken to Grand Forks. His feet were swollen to an enormous size. DeParis is a carpenter. He has no relatives so far as known.

UP AGAINST REAL THING

WESTERN CANADIAN FARMERS SOLD THEIR FROSTED WHEAT

RECEIVED BUT 60 CENTS PER BUSHEL AND NOW HAVE NO SEED

David Coutts returned to Argyle from Regina on Monday. Mr. Coutts verifies the reports sent out of hard times and want being prevalent in parts of that country, and farther says that farmers are up against the real thing. They have no seed grain and the Canadian government has been called upon to supply same. Farmers in that country were forced to accept 60 cents per bushel for grain this last fall when the market price at Winnipeg was over the dollar mark.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

MUCH DITCH WORK AHEAD

MANY NEW WATERWAYS WILL BE CONSTRUCTED COMING YEAR

WORK WILL BE DONE CHEAPER BY MEANS OF DRY DIRT DREDGES

From Monday's Daily—

Engineer Geo. A. Ralph of the State Drainage Commission says that from present indications there will be a vast amount of drainage work done in Minnesota the coming summer, and that it will be let at very low figures. He says the cost of excavating ditches has been greatly reduced by the dry ditch dredges which are rapidly supplanting the wheeled scrapper and horse flesh. He says that the best dry ditching machines now used will move 2,000 yards of dirt in ten hours, which is equal to the work of 70 horses and 35 drivers, in addition to a scraper holder for every two or three teams.

He also says that the dry earth as well as the water dredges have been greatly improved. The weak spots have all been remedied and there is very little interruption to the work when in charge of competent men.

FARMER LOST FUR OVER COAT

SOME SNEAK THIEF STOLE IT FROM HIS SLEIGH SATURDAY AFTERNOON

John Huffman, a well known farmer residing seven miles south of Crookston is shy a good fur overcoat. He was in the city Saturday to attend to some business matters and left this coat in the sleigh south of the Rauch block about 5:30. At six o'clock when he was ready to start home he discovered that his coat had been taken from the sleigh. With Capt. Vonderbeck he searched the city but no trace of the coat was found. No one had offered to pawn it, and the thief probably put it on and hiked out of the citiy. A description has been sent to the near by towns and the thief may yet be landed.

This theft should be a warning to farmers as the police have no means of knowing whether a person taking a coat from a sleigh standing in the street is the owner or a thief, and it is a good practice for people from the country to always take their coats and robes to some store or livery stable for safe keeping.

WAS TRYING TO SAVE COMRADE

BODY OF BEN STEENERSON HAS NOT YET BEEN RECOVERED

According to the latest advices from Newport the remains of Ben Steenerson have not yet been recovered. Regardless of the fact that the Newport police have abandoned the investigation because the dual tragedy occurred outside their jurisdiction and because Chief Crowley believes that there was no foul play, the naval authorities at the training station are by no means satisfied with the conclusions reached by the police in connection with the drowning here of Privates Benjamin G. Steenerson and John M. McIntosh of the marine corps.

Representative H. F. Steenerson came to Newport from Washington yesterday to be present during the search for the body of his son. Representative Volstead came with the Crookston congressman. Mr. Steenerson is convinced that intimations of the drowning being other than accidental are wholly without foundation. According to information reaching them through the officials at Newport and in the navy department at Washington, his son was aboard the tug, in company with McIntosh, who fell overboard, and in an effort to save him Steenerson also lost his life.

Launches from the station have been engaged all day in a search for the bodies, but without success. The search will be continued and as soon as the bodies are recovered an inquest will be held under the direction of the navy department.

First Lieutenant Richard B. Creecy, who is in charge of the marine squad at the station, said that he was not satisfied with statements by some of the crew of the tug regarding trouble on board prior to the drowning of Steenerson and McIntosh.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

MORE DAIRY CONTESTS ON

R. R. V. DAIRYMEN'S ASS'N CONDUCTING BOTH COW AND HERD CONTESTS

MANY HAVE ENTERED AND SUCCESS OF LAST YEAR WILL BE SURPASSED

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Red River Valley Dairymen's Association was organized for the promotion of the dairy industry in the Valley and one of the best ways to do this is to educate the farmer in the art of breeding and selection of dairy stock and teach them to feed more intelligently. A good method to work up some interest along this line is by means of contests between individual cows and also between different herds in the production of butterfat per cow.

By means of these contests it can be shown what a great difference there is in cows as to the amount of butterfat they will produce under the same conditions and it will also be shown what effect the different methods of feeding and caring for cows has upon the production of butterfat. By means of these contests it will be discovered where some of the best cows are located and what their records are and they will to a certain extent be taken as a standard by other dairy men in the Valley who are keeping unprofitable cows and so on the interest in the matter will continue to grow.

The Red River Dairymens' Ass'n conducted a cow contest last year and much enthusiasm was worked up and good accomplished. This contest is being conducted again this year along the same lines and quite a large number of cows has been entered. For any who have been keeping a record of the butterfat production of their cows since September or October it is not too late to enter the contest yet.

This Association will also conduct a creamery patrons' herd contest during the coming year. Ten dollars in cash will be given to the patron receiving the largest amount of cash per cow from the creamery between January 1st and October 1st 1908. In order to get at the right number of cows milked during the period it will be necessary to figure the number of cows milked each month and take the average at the end of nine months. This contest is open to dairymen in the Red River Valley who is a patron of some creamery except those who have already entered the cow contest.

An affidavit must be made out and sworn to by two disinterested parties besides the owner of the herd as to the number of cows milked during the period. A picture of the winning herd will be framed and hung in the hall at the next convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Ass'n and the owner's picture will be printed on the programs. The names of all those entering the contest with amount received for the nine months will be published in the Dairy Record of St. Paul. If some desire not to have their names published they should notify the secretary at the end of the period.

All those wishing to enter this contest should notify the secretary by March 15th, 1908.

—George L. Austin,
Secretary,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

EXPLOSION OF OIL IS FATAL

Miss Nettie Smith aged 19 years was fatally burned in her home 849 Belmont Avenue Grand Forks Sunday evening about 8 o'clock, following the explosion of a can containing kerosene oil with which she sought to rekindle the fire in the kitchen stove. She was alone at the time. She was taken to the Deaconess hospital shortly after the terrible accident and passed away shortly after 11 o'clock.

The deceased had returned about 8 o'clock from the Presbyterian church where she attended the services of the Christian Endeavor society. The fire was low and it is believed that she thought it had gone out. Everything indicates that she poured some kerosene in the stove from the can and the explosion followed. Her clothing caught fire and she was burned from head to foot.

With her twin sister Miss Nellie, Miss Nettie celebrated her 19th birthday on Saturday last. The twins were deeply attached to each other and the grief of Miss Nellie on learning of the fate of her sister was heart breaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and daughters have been residents of Grand Forks county for the past 28 years. They lived near Emerado until five years ago, when they came to Grand Forks The Misses Smith have been attending the high school.

PREVENTED A GUN PLAY

ALAS PETWAY WANTED TO SHOOT HEAD OFF BOB SHEVLIN SATURDAY

CAPT. VONDERBECK NABBED MAN WITH GUN BEFORE THE SHOOTING

From Monday's Daily—

Only the vigilance of Capt. Vonderbeck of the Crookston police force prevented what would probably have been a murder in this city Saturday evening. A. Petway a barber of the city and Bob Shevlin, both colored are both enamored of Mossy Dunham a prepossessing young colored woman of the city. Early Saturday evening Petway complained to Capt. Vonderbeck that Shevlin wa sfollowing him around and that if he did not quit it he would get a shot gun and shoot his —— —— head off. Capt. Vonderbeck thought little of the incident but warned Petway to behave himself.

Later in the evening Vonderbeck met Shevlin and was talking of the affair. Shevlin claimed that he was not shadowing Petway at all and explained that the trouble was caused by Petway's jealousy of him in connection with the Dunham girl. Looking across the street Vonderbeck saw Petway entering a pawnshop where he rented a 12 guage shot gun and loading it stepped into the pool room next door where Shevlin spends considerable time and asked if Shevlin was in. He was not and as he stepped out and started down the street gun in hand Vonderbeck sprang from behind a hack where he had been spying Petway and seizing the gun arrested Petway and lodged him in jail.

When arrested Petway said: "I told you I would blow his —— head off and I would have done it if you had left me alone. I'll show him that he cannot dog my footsteps."

This morning before Judge Wilde the defendant was released on his own cognizance and the case against him was adjourned to Friday the 2st of February.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy an improvement on the laxatiyes of former years as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. For sale by all druggists.

ROBERT E. LEE LAID TO REST

MANY FRIENDS PAY TRIBUTE OF RESPECT TO HONORED RESIDENT OF MALLORY

The funeral of Robert E. Lee who died at his home near Mallory on Feb 15th took place Monday Feb. 17th at 2 p. m. Rev. Willard S. Ward of Crookston officiating from the Bethel Presbyterian church.

Robt. E. Lee was born at MacDonalds Corners, Lanark County Ontario, on Feb. 19th 1867 being almost 41 years of age at his death. He came to Mallory with his parents in the spring of 1878 growing from his boyhood in the neighborhood of Mallory and by his genial disposition, uprightness and honesty in all his business methods, surrounded himself with a large host of friends which was demonstrated by the large concourse of friends that followed his remains to their last resting place in the Nesbit cemetery.

Robt. Lee was the fifth son of the family of James and Christina Lee, the father dying April 20, 1907. He owned a fine farm at Johnstown, N. D., and has been for years the trusted agent of the St. Anthony & Dakota Elevator Co., at Mallory and was highly respected by all who came in contact with him in a business way.

He has been in failing health for about a year and an aggravated attack of lagrippe contracted about two weeks ago hastened the end.

He leaves a widowed mother and seven brothers and one sister to mourn his untimely death and who were at his bedside when death took place. They wish to express to their many friends their sincere thanks and deep gratitude for the many and beautiful floral offerings and kindnesses shown to them at this time in their sad bereavement.

Railroad gross earnings taxes will be twice as much in 1908 as the direct taxation on the state valuation of $1,000,048,000.

The state rate is 1.7 mills, which will bring in approximately $1,700,000 The railroads will pay to the state treasurer a total of $3,500,000.

Cascasweet, the well known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

SAUNDERS SUES FOR $30,000

WANTS BALM FOR LOSS OF AN ARM LOST ON NORTHERN PACIFIC

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF MRS. EDGAR BROSSEAU AND MRS. FRANK DELUDE OF CROOKSTON

George Saunders better known to the travelling fraternity as "Short" Saunders has instituted a suit for $30,000 against the Northern Pacific road for damages as the result of the loss of one of his arms. The accident occurred on December 4, 1907. The papers in the suit have been filed in the district court of Stutsman county. Special interest is taken in the case here as the plaintiff is a brotherinlaw of Mrs. Edgar Brosseau and Mrs. Frank Delude of this city.

The complaint alleges that the plaintiff was mailing a letter in the postal car at the center platform of the depot and just as he finished dropping the letter in the postal car the train moved forward and at the same time he started towards the depot. His foot struck a projection at the edge of the platform and he fell between the platform and the rail the wheels of the mail car passing over his arm requiring amputation.

H. S. McGinley of Minneapolis is the plaintiff's attorney associated with J. A. Murphy of Jamestown. It is probable that the case will be transferred to the federal court.

Since the arm was amputated he has been having lots of trouble with it and the work of a Jamestown physician in the employ of the Northern Pacific is claimed to have been of such a character as to prevent the wound from healing and the result has been great pain and suffering and loss of time.

SICK MAN ORDERED AWAY

FELTON OFFICIALS ACCUSED OF ORDERING SMALLPOX SUFFERER OUT

After being compelled to ride all night on a freight train, exposed to the weather while he was suffering from smallpox, George Garner of Felton, Clay county, is in the quarantine hospital in Moorhead. Garner says that he was living in Felton when it was found that he had smallpox and that the mayor and one other member of the village council told him he must leave town, altho he had been living there for some time.

H. C. Sinks special inspector for the state board of health has just returned from a trip to Clay and Stearns counties and has reported to the board recommending stringent measures because of the failure of the local officers at some of the towns to do their duty as laid down by the law. He says that at Felton he found there had been smallpox in the home of the mayor, but the house had not been quarantined, and that other places where the disease had existed had not been closed. The board may send a special officer to Felton to take charge of the situation and enforce the quarantine law.

A dance held at Collegeville, Stearns county, about Jan. 20 is believed by the state board to have been the means of spreading smallpox thru that portion of the state. It is said that thirty-three cases of the disease have been traced directly to the dance.

Dr. H. M. Bracken secretary of the state board has issued explicit instructions to the local health authorities at Collegeville, St. Joseph and neighboring towns as to strict enforcement of the quarantine laws, and it is believed there will be no further trouble.

POGUE RE-ELECTED MAYOR OF BEMIDJI

The city election at Bemidji yesterday showed the largest vote ever cast in the city, there being 825 votes. J. P. Pogue the present mayor, is re-elected by a majority of 64 the vote being as follows:

J. P. Pogue, 442; P. J. Russell 378.

Recorder, T. Maloy.

Assessor, J. E. Cahill.

Treasurer, Earl Geil, no opposition

Alderman, 1st ward, L. F. Johnson; 2nd ward, Thomas Smart; 3rd ward, E. J. Gould; 4th ward G. W. Rhea.

The proposition to build a steel bridge across the Mississippi carried by a vote of 475 for and 119 against.

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BLOSSOMS OUT AS A CITY

CITY CHARTER WAS ADOPTED AT ADA YESTERDAY BY 2 TO 1 VOTE

A SYSTEMATIC CAMPAIGN WILL BE CARRIED ON TO BUILD UP CITY

At a special election held at Ada yesterday for the purpose of voting on the proposed city charter, as presented by the Charter Commission it was adopted with a majority of nearly two to one and hence Ada will be in the city class in the future.

From this time forward a systematic campaign will be carried on looking towards a bigger Ada and plans to this end are now being formulated The vote showed general approval of the charter compiled by the commission, and tho there may be some mistakes in it, they will be corrected as soon as discovered.

MADE TOUR OF COAST CITIES

ALFRED AND ALBERT AMUNDSON THIS CITY SEE MANY FORMER VALLEY PEOPLE

Alfred and Albert Amundson, sons of John Amundson the well known Fairfax farmer returned Monday from a two months' trip which was mostly spent at points in the state of Washington on a pleasure trip.

The young men report a most enjoyable trip and seen many of the former residents of the Valley whom they found in the best of health and meeting with prosperity in their new homes but at that all of them had a very warm spot in their hearts for Crookston. At North Yakima they found former Crookstonites on all sides who made their visit very pleasant, they being there at the time of the Minnesota residents' meeting and banquet and the boys say they were all there.

At the other cities they visited they always found former residents of the valley and one of the most interesting things they found on their journey was to be able to read a copy of the Journal, keeping them in close touch with home affairs and were surprised at the number of different people who are subscribers. The only disagreeable part of their trip was the rainy weather which they encountered and they come back well satisfied with Crookston and vicinity. The cities on the coast are overrun by men seeking employment and the outlook is not very encouraging for them jobs are almost impossible to be had.

LOST WIFE ON TRIP TO AMERICA

L. Banik, employed in the Great Northern round house at Grand Forks has lost a wife somewhere between Grand Forks and Kresleff, Russia, and he is making strenuous efforts to locate her. Eight months ago he sent a ticket. After waiting for several weeks he wrote to his father in Russia and learned that Mrs. Banik had departed for this country in September. It is thought possible that she was lost in New York or is a victim of accident or foul play.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently but promptly on the bowels. It stops the cough by soothing the throat and lung irritation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

DOINGS OF CO. COMS.

POLK MAY CHANGE FROM TOWNSHIP TO THE COUNTY SYSTEM

IN CARING FOR THE POOR OF THE COUNTY — WILL VOTE ON IT

From Wednesday's Daily—

The board of county commissioners will adjourn late this afternoon after a three days' session during which many important questions have been passed upon.

At the session today the most important action was the passage of a resolution instructing the county auditor to place on the county ballot the question as to whether Polk county should change from the township to the county system of caring for the poor.

If this plan is favored, a county poor tax will be levied and all the poor of the county will be cared for by the county instead of the townships and the cities as at the present time.

On ditch No. 75 viewers were named as follows: P. Torkelson, John A. Wyand and Bert Cochrane.

The usual bills were allowed.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The board of County Commissioners met this morning and there is a big grist of business up for consideration. Among others there is a hearing on a petition for a new school district in the Town of Eden to take land now included in districts from districts 239 and 243 and will include sections 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, and 24 in the town of Eden. Herman Johnson, Herman Schmoff, favor the petition, and Carl Torkelson, Albert Bergh, H. O. Halvorson and K. Shyerven oppose it.

It is expected that the board of commissioners will be in session for at least three days.

From Monday's Daily—

The board of county commissioners continued in session today and disposed of a large grist of business. The petition for the organization of a new school district in the township of Eden was denied late yesterday. The petition for a hearing was granted to Ole J. Lommen who wants to be set off from district No. 198 and be attached to No. 42 the Fosston district, and the hearing will be had at the next meeting of the board.

Johan Olson was set off from school district 18 and joined to 28, the Fisher district.

The board of viewers for the Hammond ditch No. 74 was named as follows: O. Hinds engineer; Ole Estenson, John Saugstad and Chris Houston. O. Hinds was appointed engineer for ditch No. 75 in Kertsonville and the board of viewers will be named this afternoon.

The board will be in session all day, tomorrow and perhaps longer.

MELVIN ITEMS

Miss Bertha Moen of Woodside, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Folstad last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fican, Mr. and Mrs. Folstad and Mrs. L. A. Thorson attended the services in Vaernaes church last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. L. A. Thorson left for a few days' visit with relatives and friends at Erskine.

Miss Agnes Storeng returned from Crookston last week.

Alvin Johnson and Miss Gena Lee spent last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Thorson.

Miss Francis Virness of Northome is visiting with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Thorson.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

LIFETIME IN PRISON

IS THE SENTENCE METED OUT TO GODETTS FOR MURDER

RECOMMENDATION FOR MERCY TO THE COURT SAVED HIS NECK

From Wednesday's Daily

The jury in the case of the state against James Godetts returned their verdict yesterday afternoon at International Falls, which in substance is that James Godetts willfully and premeditatedly murdered Charles Williams at the latter's homestead near Big Falls on the 21 of August, 1907.

The jury came to the court room at 10 o'clock in the morning and brought in the above verdict. It is said that they arrived at the verdict at one o'clock but decided to sleep until morning before making their return. Godetts was cool and collected when he entered the court room to listen to the verdict and when the fatal word of "guilty" was read he never flinched but set his jaw and gazed defiantly at the jury and the court.

The verdict was something of a surprise to some.

The court room was crowded to its utmost capacity by the expectant crowd when the verdict was announced and read.

When the verdict was read, Mrs. Godetts and the children who were present, broke down and sobbed violently and had to be removed from the room.

Judge Spooner commended the jury on their verdict as coinciding with his views of deliberate murder on the part of Godetts.

Before being taken to the cell Godetts was handcuffed and he bears up wonderfully well under the strain.

With their verdict the jury recommended the prisoner to the mercy of the court.

Godetts formerly resided in Crookston.

FIVE DISTRICTS IN KOOCHICHING

ARE CREATED BY COMMISSIONERS OF NEW COUNTY UP NORTH

The board of county commissioners has divided Koochiching county into five commissioners' districts. International Falls will be in a district which will skirt Rainy River east, from the mouth of the Big Fork River and include the town of Ray. The Little Fork district adjoins this one on the south and extends from the Big Fork east to the St. Louis line, and south to the Itasca, being the second largest district in point of area. The Black river district is a compact one it comprising eighteen townships in the northwestern part of the county, west of the Big Fork river. South of that is the Big Forks district, it extending from the Beltrami county line on the west, through the center of the county to the Little Fork district and south to the Itasca line. This is the largest district in point of area. The Northome district is the best shaped one of all and comprises fourteen townships in the southwestern corner of the county. The division was made on a basis of population.

BOUNDARY LINE IS SET.

Minnesota-Wisconsin Controversy Is Settled.

St. Paul, Feb. 26. — The Minnesota and the Wisconsin game and fish authorities have agreed to consider the middle of the Mississippi river and of Lake Pepin as the boundary line between the two states, so far as the enforcement of the fish laws are concerned. This question has been a source of considerable friction between the two departments for years, the deputy game wardens of the two states both asserting authority over the same portions of the waters.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

NO ONE IS HELD FOR HER DEATH

JURY RECOMMENDS FURTHER INVESTIGATION OF SCHMOCHEL CASE

FINDS THA[illegible] ILLEGAL OPERATION HAD [illegible] PERFORMED

Historical Society

From Wednesday's Daily—

That the death of Lillie Schmochel aged 17 years, was due to an illegal operation at Grand Forks was the finding of the coroner's jury, consisting of C. P. Trepanier, William Spriggs and W. P. Davies, last evening after a session of two days in which several witnesses were examined. The jury recommended that the proper authorities further investigate the death of the girl. The verdict as rendered:

"That said Lillie Schmochel came to her death at St. Michaels hospital in the city of Grand Forks county and state aforesaid, on the 21st day of February, 1908, from the direct cause of acute peritonitis. The remote cause was criminal abortion which has been procured several days prior to her entrance to said hospital.

"That we, the jury, recommended the proper authorities to further investigate this case."

To Continue Investigation

In accordance with the verdict of the jury, State's Attorney Wineman will continue the investigation of the death. It was after 8 o'clock last evening when the verdict was returned.

The proceedings yesterday were secret, but it is known that the witnesses included a physician who has been represented by Atorney F. B. Feetham during the proceedings from the beginning of the inquest. This physician admitted that the girl had visited his office but denied that there was any illegal operation performed.

It was brought out that the girl had gone to a hospital in East Grand Forks on a Saturday and left it the following Thursday. She came to a rooming house on the Grand Forks side and later went to St. Michaels hospital.

Kodol is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids with natural digestants and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Each dose will digest more than 3,000 grains of good food. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CHRIS HAGEN A DELEGATE

CONVENTION WAS HELD IN THE PHILIPPINES ON JANUARY 21ST

ELECTED AS A DELEGATE AND OTHERS WILL ALSO ATTEND

From Monday's Daily—

E. O. Hagen this morning received a letter from his brother Chris Hagen who is stationed in the Philippines dated Jan. 21, which is to the effect that after a desperate fight he was elected as a provincial delegate to the republican convention which will be held in Chicago the coming summer.

Chris says that all the sentiment across the water is in favor of Taft and he will come as a delegate for Taft or any other nominee that is favored by Roosevelt. Such is the candidate that will meet with the approval of the people of the Philippines.

Put Back on Full Time.

Pueblo, Col., Feb. 25.—By an order issued by the Santa Fe here yesterday all of the men who were victims of the retrenching process recently were put back to work on full time.

New Postmaster at Fort Ripley.

Washington, Feb. 26. — Leon J. Clouse was yesterday appointed postmaster at Fort Ripley, Crow Wing county, Minn., vice J. L. Berge, resigned.

Man's Arm on Mail Car.

Chicago, Feb. 26. — The arm of a man was found wedged between the trucks of a mail car on the Santa Fe road when it arrived here.

Leap Year query—Has she asked you yet

COUNTERFEITERS NABBED FOR PASSING BAD BILLS

Coney Miller and Thomas Kennedy Arrested by Deputy Sherriff J. N. Bailey for Passing Counterfeit Ten Dollar Bills.

Deputy Sheriff J. N. Bailey returned yesterday morning from Funkley, where he went last night to serve warrants on Coney Miller and Thomas Kennedy, two hangers-on at that place, bringing them with him to Bemidji yesterday morning.

The warrants were sworn out by Louis Lateral, charging them with having passed counterfeit ten-dollar gold certificates. In the charge Mr. Lateral says that Kennedy passed one of these at his place of business on last Saturday and that Monday another was passed by Miller, Miller giving the counterfeit certificate to another man to have changed for him. Mr. Lateral saw this transaction, took the ten-dollar bill and requested the men to keep away from the prisoners until he could get to Bemidji and have the proper papers made out.

Upon examination of the certificates it is said that the counterfeit is a crude piece of work, tho a person in giving change for them and not examing them closely, would take them for the genuine ten-dollar gold certificate.

The defendants will be given a hearing before a justice of peace and will no doubt be bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

TOO HANDY WITH GUN

KELLIHER BARTENDER ONLY GOT A THIRTY-MINUTE TO HIKE SENTENCE

Kelliher, Feb. 24—"Five dollars and costs" and a gentle invitation to leave town, was the sentence imposed by Judge Magill on Tony Serpa a bartender employed in Joe Kenvill's place, for drawing a gun on a lumberjack last Saturday evening. Serpa claims that the "jack" was to persistent in demanding a "bottle" for company when he got ready to hit the trail thru the tall timber for a camp and that he (Serpa) merely pulled the gun to frighten the jack away.

COUNTY JAIL IS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

DELEGATION VISITED THE PLACE YESTERDAY AND LOOKED INTO CONDITIONS

Yesterday afternoon a delegation of citizens decided to visit the county jail just to discover the conditions which were existing. Sheriff Gonyea was present and showed the bunch around and it is certain that they were pleased with the conditions as they found them. Everything was found in shipshape and those in the jail all stated that they were receiving the very best of treatment.

NOBODY SPARED

Kidney Troubles Attack Crookston Men and Women, Old and Young

Kidney ills seize young and old.
Come quickly with little warning.
Children suffer in their early years
Can't control the kidney secretions.
Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.
Women worry, can't do daily work.
Men have lame and aching backs.
The cure for man, woman, or child.
Is to cure the cause—the kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys—
Cure all forms of kidney suffering.
Crookston testimony proves it.

Mrs. R. Johnson, of 222 Front St., S. Crookston, Minn., says: "Kidney complaint and backaches clung to me persistently in spite of the fact that I used numerous remedies. At times there were severe pains through the loins and over the kidneys and a dull heavy bearing down feeling, also considerable inconvenience from the irregularity of the kidney secretions. The local reputation of Doan's Kidney Pills led Mr. Johnson to go to Wallace's drug store and procure a box for me. Their use strengthened my kidneys, banished the pains in my back and helped my system in a general way. Mr. Johnson, who was also troubled in a similar manner found equally fine results from using Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

MCPHERSONS CLOSE CALL

LOGGING CHAINS BROKE GOING DOW INCLINE—MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

Kelliher, Feb. 25—Rod McPherson a teamster employed in Jim Holmes' camp had a narrow escape from serious injury if not death while hauling logs last Monday. In going down a steep hill the runners of the sleigh became stuck on the sand with which the hill is strewn, bringing the sleigh to a sudden stop and breaking the chains with which the logs are held. Mr. McPherson and the four horses were entirely buried under the logs but when they were extricated it was found that neither Mr. McPherson nor the horses were injured.

BIG FIRE AT JAMESTOWN

A PORTION OF THE N. P. ROUNDHOUSE WAS DESTROYED SUNDAY NIGHT

Word arrived in the city yesterday morning of a big fire in the Northern Pacific roundhouse Sunday night at Jamestown. The machinery and black smithing departments of the roundhouse were destroyed and a part of the roundhouse proper. Two locomotives were ruined. The damage is estimated at many thousands of dollars.

LICKS STAMPS; GETS SICK.

Postoffice Assistant Has Disease of the Tongue.

New York, Feb. 25.—For the second time in two years Miss Myra Silvernale of Norfolk, Conn., is in a New York hospital suffering from a disease of the tongue which is said to have been contracted through contact with postage stamps, while she was engaged as an assistant in the Norfolk postoffice. The disease is exceedingly painful and the hospital surgeons are at a loss to account for it but believe it to be the result of poisoning.

Shoots Daughter and Self.

New York, Feb. 25.—As a climax to a long series of trouble between his wife and himself, George Van Pelt, a tugboat owner and captain, shot and fatally wounded their eight-year-old daughter Ruth last night and then fired two bullets into his brain. Both will probably die.

Killed as Result of Grudge.

Shawneetown, Ill., Feb. 25.—Walter Holbrook, a well-known farmer, was fatally shot last night by Fred Norman. The shooting was the result of an old grudge.

Jackies See Sights.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 25.—Yesterday was a day of sightseeing for the men of the American battleship fleet now lying in the harbor of Callao. More than 3,000 of the them came ashore during the day. The conduct of the bluejackets and marines was admirable.

Burns Self to Death.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Augusta Strey, seventy-three years old, committed suicide yesterday by setting fire to her clothing.

IN MANTLE OF WHITE

EIGHTEEN INCHES SNOW IS COVERING EARTH—BLOCKADE

COUNTRY SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED—FEW CITY PUPILS ARE PRESENT

From Wednesday's Daily

Our many readers who are natives of Illinois will readily recognize the following article taken from the Canton, (Ill.) Weekly Register and in every paper published in Illinois is printed almost similar accounts. But still the Red River Valley is in the "Frigid Zone??"

A world in white greeted Cantonians Wednesday morning.

The snow which had begun falling early Tuesday morning and continued all through the day, had not ceased in the night, and for 24 hours the whirling flakes had sifted down, until 18 inches of snow on the level mantled everything in white. All the rough edges and harsh corners were toned down and everywhere were the sweeping curves of the wonder-billows of crystalline whiteness. Pavements, curbs, sidewalks and even fences were as one now beneath the leveling snow while trees, towers and buildings were wreathed with the glistening rime of flakes that floated and flew and swirled over all.

It was a great snowstorm. It will go down in history as one of the greatest—certainly as the heaviest snowfall of the twentieth century, thus far, in this city.

Drifts Everywhere

The east wind of Tuesday, shifting to northeast in th e night, piled the snow in high drifts everywhere. Streets were rendered well-nigh impassable; walks were lost beneath high piles, stiffened and unyielding, by the force of the wind.

All Trains Delayed

On the railways the snow delayed all evening trains Tuesday from one to three hours. The southbound midnight train arrived in Canton about 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, and the train from the south, due here at 2:26 in the morning, went through about 6 o'clock. At Norris this train ran into heavy drifts and further progress was impossible for hours. Both it and the train that left Canton at 7:27 Wednesday morning were still at Norris at 10 o'clock.

HAVE LEFT FOR ALASKA

TWO POPULAR YOUNG MEN WELL KNOWN IN CROOKSTON GO TO FAR NORTH

Red Lake Falls, Feb. 24—The many friends of Lee E. Healy were greatly surprised last week when it was rumored about that he had tendered his resignation as principal of the north side schools and, in company with Brunelle, left for Alaska. The boys have accepted position with the Alaska Fish and Lumber Co., and left Saturday evening for Seattle, there to take the boat which will convey them to Shakan, S. E. Alaska, where they will engage in the new work with plenty of spare moments in which to recall the many happy days spent in our mbidst.

The boys were given a farewell dance at the K. P. hall at Red Lake Falls Friday night and a large number of invitations were issued.

GAMBLER IS CHAINED UP.

Unique Punishment for Refusal to Pay Fine.

Harrisburg, Ill., Feb. 26.—The stocks and pillory of early times were revived in memory here yesterday when D. H. Dillon, said to be a former Chicago gambler, was chained to a telephone pole all day for refusing to pay his fine for having fleeced several young men of the town. He was arrested and fined for running a poker game. Shackles were placed about his feet and he was securely fastened to a telephone pole in the lock-up. Chief Pridwell says the character of punishment was advised by Judge McKenzie, who fined the prisoner. The chief said last night Dillon would be chained up daily until he pays his fine or agrees to work on the city streets.

THREE PEOPLE CREMATED

TERRIBLE FIRE OCCURRED AT HINES YESTERDAY MORNING

WELLS JOHNSON, VINA DOYLE AND RODNEY OWEN PERISHED

From Wednesday's Daily—

One of the most destructive fires to occur in this part of the country was the fire which occurred at Hines yesterday morning rendering homeless the family of V. M. Owen and burning to death three human beings.

The dead are Wells Johnson, brother of Mrs. V. M. Owen and who was clerking in the store for them at the time; Vina Doyle a domestic in the Owens family, and Rodney Owen the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Owens and but eight months of age.

Upon the first discovery of the fire all thought was for the saving of the infant child and the other children.

The child was asleep in its crib over the kitchen at the outbreak of the fire, and Wells Johnson, the first one to notice the child's danger, made a heroic effort to save the little one from the flames but perished as he was lifting the little one out of its crib.

Miss Vina Doyle, the young lady who was working for the Owens slept in a room over the kitchen and all escape for her was barred by the flames and she perished with out any chance of escape.

JACKLIN STAR HOCKEY PLAYER IN ROSEAU TEAM

Warroad defeated the Roseau hockey team last Saturday by a score of 4 to 1 on the former's rink. The Warroad team had been strengthened by players from Rainy River and Baudette. Those who saw the game report that Jacklin, goal for the Roseau team played a star game. In the three games with Warroad this year, each team has one victory and a tie to its credit, but Roseau has scored 14 points to their opponents' 7.

"ROOTS AND HERBS" PASSED AWAY

OLDEST DRUG SALESMAN WHO MADE THE NORTHWEST DIED TODAY

S. A. Wallace today received a telegram from the Minneapolis Drug Co. announcing the death of J. H. Reynolds, the oldest drug salesman who ever made this territory. He made this territory when railroads were unknown in most of the territory. He died today in Minneapolis and the funeral will be held Thursday afternoon. Several people will atten dfrom this city. It is unnecessary to make any further statements regarding "Jim Reynolds". Every man he ever met during his years of travel in this territory is his friends. He had a big heart and could never do too much for his friends.

Brother Reynolds was about 64 years of age, and was one of the best known Elks in the entire state. His death will be sincerely mourned by a host of friends all over the state.

KANKEL IS GOING TO HAVE GUESS ON BOLTS

G. A. Kankel Red Lake Falls, the hardware man, wants to keep up his Market Day reputation and upon the 22nd inst will have on display in his front window a large pan of bolts which together with the pan, will be given as a prize to the person guessing nearest to the number of bolts therein.

SOUTH DAKOTA HEALTH.

State Has a Death Rate of Only 9.4 Per Thousand.

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 25.—The report of the bureau of vital statistics of the state shows that South Dakota, with a death rate of 9.4 per thousand, stands at the head of any of the states of the Union. No other state reports less than twelve.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

TANTALUM AND SOME INTERESTING HISTORY

IT WAS FIRST DISCOVERED IN 1802 BY A SWEDE AND DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS HAS BEEN EXCITING GENERAL INTEREST—THE NAME RESULTED FROM A VERY PECULIAR CIRCUMSTANCE—AN INTERESTING ARTICLE REGARDING SEVERAL ILLUMINANTS WHICH ARE NOT YET IN GENERAL USE

Tantalum is a rare metal which has attracted universal attention during the last two years, before which it was scarcely known outside of some scientific laboratories. It was discovered and investigated in 1802 by a Swedish chemist named Exelberg, who on account of the tantalizing difficulties experienced in extracting the metal from its ores called it "tantalum."

Only two years ago, says the Engineering Magazine, it was decided by German scientists that what the discoverer thought to be tantalum was an alloy of it and a carbide. More tantalizing efforts were then necessary to produce the metal in its perfectly pure state.

This being achieved, tantalum immediately became of such importance that it is now revolutionizing at least one large industry, that of the manufacture of incandescent lamps for electric lights.

The so-called tantalum lamp is an incandescent electric lamp with a filament made of a very fine tantalum wire instead of a carbon filament, as in the ordinary incandescent bulbs. The most salient features of the tantalum lamp are that while the filament is so arranged as to have a total length of about two feet without materially increasing the size of the lamp, but half of the amount of current is needed to produce a light of the same intensity as that of an ordinary lamp with a carbon filament, and the light is so much brighter and whiter and the life of each lamp is at the same time increased to considerably that in view of all these advantages it would be more economical to pay one dollar for a tantalum lamp than to get the old carbon lamps for nothing.

Altho the attempt has been made to use tantalum as a steel hardening agent, the mechanical difficulties in alloying tantalum with steel have been so great that we shall probably see other applicants come into prominense first. Tantalum is one of the hardest substances known and its use for scientific instruments where price stands always second to accuracy and durability, will doubtless be developed much sooner inasmuch as tantalum also resists the corrosive influence of acids and alkaline solutions in a very remarkable degree.

One of the most striking experiments to demonstrate the hardness of tantalum was that for the purpose of boring a hole through a sheet of pure tantalum metal, a diamond drill bore was used, revolving incessantly for three days and making 5,000 revolutions a minute. The result showed a depression of less than 2.02 in the metal, while the diamond had become entirely dull and smooth.

Another group of rare minerals which is of the utmost importance in the illuminating industry contains the elements thorium, cerium, yttrium, zirconium and some others. These minerals on account of their physical character are generally known under the name of "rare earths."

Monazite, occurring in the form of sand, is the only commercially developed source of the metal thorium, which since its discovery in 1828 until about a decade ago belonged to that class of rare metals whose existence was of consequence rather in the higher range of chemical speculations than for industrial uses; but the invention of the gas burner mantle shifted it at once from this class of substance into that of products indispensable to our every day need.

The discovery of the illuminating power of thorium oxide, if combined with other chemical compositions, especially a nitrate of cerium, which is likewise extracted from monazite sand, has practically been the salvation of gas as an illuminant in competition with other lighting methods.

Zirconium, the chief constituent of the mineral zircon, and yttrum, principally derived from gadolinite, furnish the main substance of the glower of the Nernst lamp, on which there exist more learned treatises than on any other lamp but which has not come into general use.

CROP REPORT OF NORTHEAST . . . EXPERIMENT STATION . . .

For the Year 1907—Press Bulletin No. 68—By A. J. McGuire, Supt.

Eighty acres of the experiment farm is given to a system of farming considered practical and best for this section of the state.

1907 was the second year crops were grown in the rotation that is to be followed on the different fields of this 80 acre tract.

The acreage grown to the different crops are as follows: Wheat 4 acres, Peas 2 acres, Clover 20 acres, Fodder corn 14 acres, Stock roots 2 acres, Potatoes 4 acres Tame pasture (clover er and timothy) 8 acres.

In 1907 the wheat yielded 17 bushels per acre. The average yield of the state was 13 bushels, of the United States 13.2 bushels.

Oats 35.5 bu. per acre, that of the state 24.5 bu., of the United States 23.7 bu.

Barley 22.7 bushels per acre, that of the state 22.5, of the United States 23.8 bushels.

Peas 8 bus. per acre, in 1906, 2 bus per acre, in 1905, 16 bu. per acre.

Clover hay, 3 tons per acre, first cutting. Second crop mostly pastured.

Fodder corn 11.5 tons per acre green (cut for ensilage.) Field cured 6 tons per acre.

Stock roots 10 tons per acre or 335 bus. In 1906 15 1-4 tons per acre.

Potatoes 184 bus. per acre, average of state 101 bus. of United States 95.4 bus.

The above is the yield of the 80 acres under field conditions. Some parts yielded much higher than others owing to better drainage etc. but the average of all was taken.

This yield may be considered only fair as a measure of the productiveness of this section owing to the very late and cold spring, which was general throughout the northwest.

The wheat grown was Minn. 169, an improved variety of blue stem. oats, improved Ligowa; barley, Mandscheuri, peas, Canada field, clover, medium red (some alsike.) Fodder corn, Minn. 13; potatoes, Carmen No. 1, roots, Mastidon stock carrot.

The wheat, oats, barley and potatoes are the selection of several years from a great many varieties. They are the varieties found to do best in this section of the state.

Miscellaneous crops, and vegetable fruits, etc., will be taken up in later bulletins.

GRAND FORKS PRESS SUSPENDS FEB.29

The Grand Forks Press Publishing company announced last evening that on Feb. 29 it would cease publication of the Evening Press of that city and discontinue business. The creditors of the company will be paid in full. It is all stated that arrangements are being made to take care of the subscribers of the Press. A. C. Reinecke who has been managing the newspaper announces that he will enter another field.

Big bundle of old newspapers for a nickel at the Journal office.

MATRIMONIAL ☐ ICE BROKEN

Two marriage licenses were granted today from the office of the clerk of court the first since Feb. 4 and this is said to have been the longest period during the past quarter of a century in Polk county when Cupid failed to land a victim.

Mr. Charles Arneson was granted a license to wed Miss Inga Gangstad both of Fosston, and the wedding will take place in that city on next Tuesday, Feb. 25th.

Another license was granted to Mr. Adolph Dubuque and Miss Cora Page of this city, who will also be united in marriage on Tuesday next Feb. 25.

THOUSANDS OF ACRES WILL BE CULTIVATED

POLK COUNTY LANDS WHICH HAVE BEEN LYING IDLE FOR THE PAST FEW YEARS WILL BE PUT UNDER CULTIVATION THE COMING SPRING—ONE FIRM WILL HAVE GASOLINE PLOW AT WORK WITH A CAPACITY OF 40 ACRES PER DAY—OTHER PURCHASERS WILL SHIP MANY HORSES AND FULL MACHINERY TO OPERATE LAND—ROBERT PURVIS LAND COMPANY HAS SOLD OVER 5,000 ACRES SINCE NOVEMBER LAST

From Thursday's Daily—

Crookston and Polk County will be benefited this season by the amount of acres that will be put under cultivation in Polk County by the people who have purchased lands from the R. H. Purvis land company during the last season. Mr. W. H. Rounseville of St. Peter Minn. has just completed a purchase of one of the largest gasoline plows that is made. This machine will be shipped to Crookston and will be used on section 7 south of Crookston known as the Thurston farm, also on sections 25 and 30 in Andover and Fairfax Townships respectively, also on section 23 in Fairfax Township. Mr. Rounseville and Doty own over 2500 acres in Polk county which they purchased thru the R. H. Purvis Land Co., and expect to put into crop this season in the neighborhood of two thousand acres. This gasoline plow is guaranteed to plow forty acres per day.

Mr. Andrew J. Rush who has bought 1280 acres from the Purvis Co., has just made arrangements for 24 head of horses to be shipped to Crookston and he expects to put in a thousand acres into crop this spring.

Senator S. D. Works who has purchased 3,000 acres of Polk county land through the same company has made arrangements for 35 head of horses to be shipped to Crookston and he will put into crop this season two thousand acres of Polk county land.

Mr. B. B. Gislason who has purchased 1280 acres of the R. H. Purvis land company expects to put in a thousand acres this season and is making arrangements to shrip stock and machinery from southern Minnesota to Crookston to take care of his farms this season.

"Notwithstanding the hard times, the Robert H. Purvis Land Co., has sold since Nov. 1st, last past over five thousand acres of Polk county land," writes Mr. Purvis under a Mankato date. "This will be sneered at by some who read it, but it is true nevertheless, and time will tell when the shipments of stock will unload at Crookston, and I congratulate myself for being the means of having in the neighborhood of from six to seven thousand acres of land put into crop in our county, and I think that it will finally be conceded that Robert H. Purvis was right when he told the people that Polk county was the best county in the state, and I think that it will only be a few years until we will see the most of the farming land in Polk County under cultivation, and although there have been a great many people trying to hold down the prices of Polk County lands, they cannot do it, and they may as well throw up their hands now as later, and say: "Let us all boost" and let the good work go on.

"We expect to sell more acres of Polk county land this season than we have any time in the past, for we are looking forward to a great emigration to the Red River Valley and Crookston is known far and near as headquarters for land seekers and as being one of the prettiest and most up-to-date cities in the Northwest. I receive your paper every day and take great pleasure in reading it".

BIG TRACT TO BE RECLAIMED

GOVERNMENT HAS BIG PROJECT FOR BENEFIT OF NORTHWESTERN STATES

MUD LAKE SCHEME WILL MEAN MUCH TO NORTHERN MINNESOTA

From Friday's Daily—

"The government has no more important work on its hands than that of the reclamation service," said Clarence J. Blanchard statistician in the United States reclamation service at Minneapolis yesterday.

"It is a more important work and a bigger one than digging the Panama canal," he said. "One million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars are being spent on it every month and 16,000 people are employed."

"The canals already dug would reach, placed end to end from New York to Denver. In all, 1,815 miles of canals have been completed.

"On seven great projects involving an expenditure of $51,000,000 and the reclamation of 1,200,000 acres of land the benefit will be directly to the twin cities. The projects lie in North and South Dakota, Montana and Washington.

"Another project of direct interest is that concerning northern Minnesota the Mud Lake reservation and the ceded lands of the Chippewa Indians. Surveys have shown that 400,000 acres of swamp land can be reclaimed at an expense of less than $5 an acre."

KIDNAPED WHEN FIVE YEARS OLD

ILLINOIS WOMAN MAKING VISIT TO HER PARENTS AT FERGUS FALLS

Mrs. Van Fossen of Macombe, Ill., who was kidnapped from her home in St. Charles, Minn., when she was 5 years old, is now visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maire, at Fergus Falls whom she had not seen since she was stolen 26 years ago.

After being kidnapped, she was placed in an orphan asylum at Quincy Ill. Having learned that her parents were in Fergus Falls, she arrived there yesterday to visit them.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

MAY BUILD A RAILROAD

T. R. F. COMPANY INCORPORATED TO BUILD AN ELECTRIC LINE

OFFICERS ELECTED AND $15,000 OF THE CAPITAL STOCK IS SUBSCRIBED

From Friday's Daily—

At a meeting of the business men in Thief River Falls held Monday evening articles of incorporation of the Thief River Falls Electric Railway company were signed and approved and officers for the new company were elected. A total of $50,000 of the capital stock was subscribed for at the meeting. The officers elected were as follows:

President—D. N. Winton.
Vice President—D. P. O'Neill.
Second Vice-president—M. Forder.
Third Vice President—M. V. Evenson.

Secretary—T. P. Hamre.
Treasurer—L. M. Hoag.
Council—G. Halvorson.

Directors—O. J. Schei, John Morgan, M. V. Evenson, T. P. Hamre, L. M. Hoag, D. B. Bakke, C. M. Evenson, G. Halvorson, M. Forder, D. P. O'Neill Olaf Ramstad, D. Shaw, D. N. Winton Math. Barzen, C. C. Jackson, W. W. Prichard, I. L. Erickson, Goodnow Torrison, C. A. Robbecke, H. P. Spoonheim and H. G. Dobner.

It is the intention of the company to build an electric line into the country northeast of Thief River Falls, but no definite route has been selected nor will one be until assurance can be had from the farmers that a free right of way and other concessions are granted. The farmers living to the east and north of Thief River Falls have long desired railway connections with that city and if they now show the proper spirit they will get a line. The stockholders in the new company are all men of means and they have been assured of a liberal backing.

MIDDLE RIVER BOASTS OF CREAMERY OUTLOOK

A shipment of butter tubs consisting of 800 tubs was received by the creamery Tuesday. This looks like a lot of tubs, but they won't last long when the creamery gets to churning 50 tubs a week or better, as Buttermaker Berggren says he expects to do in the best of "the good old summer time."

CANADA MAY COME HERE FOR SEED

DOMINION GOVERNMENT HAS MILLIONS TO SPEND—POOR CROPS IN NORTHWEST PROMPTS PARLIAMENT TO APPROPRIATE BETWEEN THREE AND FOUR MILLION DOLLARS TO SUPPLY SEED GRAIN FOR FARMERS WHO HAVE NONE — LOCAL DEALERS INTERESTED

Minneapolis grain men and owners of land in the Canadian west are interested in the plan of seed grain distribution which the Canadian government has undertaken on a large scale it is even possible that some seed grain may be bought in Minneapolis for shipment into Canada.

The Dominion government stands ready to expend between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000 to see that every farmer in the west who had a poor crop last year gets a chance to start right this spring. Alberta will get 100,000 bushels of wheat, 600,000 bushels of oats and 100,000 bushels of barley for seed. Saskatchewan will get 100,000 bushels of wheat, 1,000,000 bushels of oats and probably as much as 200,000 bushels of barley. Manitoba will not need so much assistance from the government.

R. E. A. Leach and forty assistants are at work in Winnipeg, where the seed grain is being cleaned and bagged. Later the distributive headquarters will be moved to Regina.

Farmers are Encouraged

The proceeding is of a nature of tone up the entire western part of Canada where in consequence of indifferent to poor crops last year, harvest returns were small. The Canadian government is going upon the theory that the weather of last season was extraordinary and not likely to occur again in half a century if ever. It is proposed to give opportunity to every farmer who was unable last year to save seed grain, to get a ready and ample supply when spring opens. It is expected that 50,000 applications will be received.

Minneapolis may come in for some part of the 500,000 bushels of oats that will be needed over and above what Winnipeg can supply altho there is some Canadian sentiment in favor of bringing the seed from England.

That Minneapolis will sell Canada any seed wheat is unlikely but not wholly improbable. It will depend upon how the supply in Canada holds out and in the event of it being exadian government.

The import duties on grain from the United States into Canada vary from 10 to 12 cents a bushel, but the Canadian officials have the power to cancel this on any shipments intended for seeding purposes.

SHEEP IN THE VALLEY

A HILLSBORO MAN OF WIDE EXPERIENCE IN THE BUSINESS GIVES

AN INTERESTING INTERVIEW IN THE GRAND FORKS HERALD YESTERDAY

From Friday's Daily—

F. L. Goodman, of Hillsboro who is in Grand Forks attending the Pythian meeting, has had a good deal of experience in handling sheep on valley farm lands, and his experience may be usefully suggestive to others. For several years Mr. Goodman and some associates have bought sheep off the Montana ranges in the fall, shipped them to the valley, grazed them on the stubble for a time in the fall, finished them off on screenings and shipped them to the Chicago markets where they have sold at a price which has yielded a good profit. This season the results have not been so good as the financial stringency came on at a time which interfered with such operations, and the chances are that there will be little profit directly in sheep feeding this year, but this is one of the exceptions.

Mr. Goodman finds that the best results are generally obtained when scheep are grazed in comparatively small bands. Last fall about 3,000 animals were kept in one flock to run on the stubble, and onother 3,000 were divided into smaller groups. The smaller groups did much better than the large one. In every flock there are a number of weaklings, and the larger the flock the more these weak animals are crowded to the rear by their stronger companions, and the worse they thrive.

The gain in weight from grazing on stubble is practically clear profit as everything that the animals pick up would otherwise go to waste. Feeding in pens on screenings is also profit less the labor required to clean the grain before shipping. Unless grain is cleaned the farmer pays freight on the screenings and at the other end makes a present of it to the buyer, who thus receives for practically nothing feed which is of great value.

Aside from the saving thus effected there is to be considered the effect on the land of grazing sheep on it. Every one knows that the sheep is one of the best scavenger that can be put on a farm. Weeds that many other animals refuse to eat are very acceptable to it, and continued grazing by sheep will clear fields of foul weeds which cannot be cleared in any other way. In addition to this the land is well fertilized, which is an important matter. Altogether the grazing of sheep appears to be an industry which may be followed with profit anywhere in the valley, and probably in most sections of the state. And the experience of many people with sheep raising as well seems to be thoroly satisfactory.—Grand Forks Herald.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

RULING IS IMPORTANT

ALL CITIZENSHIP PAPERS MUST BE HEREAFTER TAKEN OUT

IN COUNTY WHERE APPLICANT RESIDES—EFFECTS ARE FAR REACHING

From Thursday's Daily—

Since the change in the law in 1906 as to the manner of persons declaring their intention to become citizens of the United States and to become citizens, the idea has been that such declaration of intention to become citizens or proceedings to become full citizens might be in any part of the judicial district in which the applicants resided. Recently the Department of Commerce and Labor, having control of all matters in relation to citizenship, has ruled that declaration of intention to become a citizen must be made in the county wherein the applicant resides, and all proceedings taken to become citizens of the United States must be in the county of which the applicant is an actual resident.

t appears that all papers taken out whether declaration of intention or final papers in counties other than those in which the applicant resided, are void.

The Land Office at Crookston today had to refuse an application to make homestead entry by Ingeborg Olsen, of Baudette, because she declared her intention in Koochiching County, in place of in Beltrami county.

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"Hale Bordwell, R. F. D. 3, Cedar Corners. Tipton, Ia., Aug. 17, 1907."

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NORMAN COUNTY PROHIBITIONISTS

HOLD CONVENTION AT HALSTAD AND ELECT DELEGATES AND LEGISLATIVE CANDIDATE

The Prohibitionists of Norman county will have a candidate for the legislature again this year. At the convention held at Halstad last week C. L. Sulerud, of Halstad was nominated to make the run.

An executive committee of seven members was elected consisting of the following men: A. D. Laughlin, Ada; W. B. Larson, Halstad; H. O. Rask, Hendrum; Oscar Lovsnes, Ada; J. F. Heiberg, Twin Valley; Enoch Dybing, Shelly; John Nygard, Halstad

Eight delegates were elected to attend the State Convention that will be held in the Twin Cities on the 16th and 17th of June, and as many alternates were also elected.

The delegates and alternates are: C. L. Sulerud, H. O. Rask, J. F. Helberg, Enoch Dybing, Oscar Lovsnes, Wm. Larson, H. P. Nygaard, Bernt Jermstad. Alternates, A. J. Grothe, L. B. Larson, A. Hanson, F. L. Thompson, A. D. Laughlin, Wm Anderson, C. C. Sulerud, Jens Anderson.

ORIENTALS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Red River Valley Hut No. 64 of East Grand Forks, order of Orientals held one of the largest meetings in its history last evening.

A class of candidates including P. J. McCoy, H. E. Grabbotte, Archie Karnes, O. Olson, Wm. Powers and Deputy Sheriff Daniels were escorted across the sands of the desert into the palatial inner circle of the order and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Grand Herald—Ed. Lodgard.
Grand Orient—H. P. Gies.
Treasurer—Dan Buckley.
G. A. W.—H. E. Grabbotte.

After the business of the evening was over a social enlivened the occasion and an elaborate feast was served.

CLIMAX WHEAT.

We are offering Dakota Climax seed wheat while it lasts, at $1.50 per bushel. This is an early Bearded Wheat, grading the same as Fife or Blue Stem and bringing the same price on the market.

It is from a week to ten days earlier and has yielded much larger crops than Blue Stem wherever tried. Send for sample and catalogue.

FARGO SEED HOUSE,
Fargo, N. D.

HARDWARE STORE WAS DESTROYED

DISASTROUS FIRE TOOK PLACE IN CROOKSTON EARLY LAST EVENING

TOTAL DAMAGE WAS ABOUT $15,000 WELL COVERED BY INSURANCE

From Thursday's Daily—

Fire broke out about 7 o'clock last evening apparently in the rear of the Clarke hardware store on Robert St., and before the flames were controlled the store was entirely gutted and the loss on stock practically total.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but is supposed to have started in the basement of the building and was probably caused by defective electric wiring.

Mr. Clarke was the heaviest loser, his stock being valued at $12,000 and insurance carried was for but $6000 Mr. Clarke stated this morning that as soon as the insurance can be adjusted and the building be put in shape for occupancy that the firm will again open for business at the same old stand.

As the store and basement contained no fires, and was heated with city steam the origin of the fire is still a greater mystery.

A. G. Andersen, whose drugstore is located just east of the Erickson block suffered a loss of a few hundred dollars from smoke. The water in his basement caused no damage to speak of. His loss is covered many times over by insurance.

Dr. Holte who rooms over Andersen's says that his office furniture was not damaged by the smoke and no water was turned on.

The loss in Bangen's photograph gallery was probably $400 fully covered by insurance.

E. L. St. Marie lost about $300 in carpets and furniture from water and smoke and was fully insured.

H. G. Ebbighausen lost about $400 in his basement from water and was fully insured.

Bennie Moe, Sam Miller Ed Ralston Ole Tiegen and W. B. Sheffield, the latter having only an office, were all losers from smoke only. They were all fully covered by insurance however. The three roomers all succeeded in getting their trunks out of their rooms, but in doing so Sam Miller was overcome by smoke and it was with difficulty that he was resuscitated.

M. A. Bratrud suffered some damage from smoke and water in his basement. His furnace was submerged and his greatest damage was the result of stepping onto floating sawdust and landing in about three feet of water when he thought he was stepping on terra firma.

Otto Koeppe suffered no loss. His basement was flooded about 6 inches deep but his stock of tobacco was all on boxes and he suffered no loss worthy of mention.

The floor of the Place saloon was half submerged. and the basement was covered with water but there was no loss to speak of. The loss of H. G. Ebbighausen consisted principally in the washing off of labels of case stock was in the basement. The water was three feet deep for practically two hours.

The fire was discovered by N. B. Moran who was in T. B, Noeson's shoe store.

Smoke was seen and Mr. Noesen was of the opinion at first that some one had thrown a lighted match in the cuspidor. Investigation proved that the smoke was issuing through the wall and Mr. Moran at once ran into Koeppe's cigar store and phoned to the fire department.

Ed Erickson, the meat man who purchased the Adams block where the fire occured, about a year ago, sustained a loss of about $5,000, and his loss will be fully covered by insurance As soon as the losses are adjusted the building will be repaired and Mr. Clark will resume business in the same place. In the meantime he will conduct a fire sale at some other stand.

PAUL KOPANG STILL REFUSES TO RETURN

Sheriff Gonyea together with Ben Rosenberg and J. A. McCaffrey returned last evening from Winnipeg where they attended the hearing of Paul Kopang who a few weeks ago forged the name of Ben Rosenberg to checks which were cashed by Messrs. McCaffrey, Ed Erickson and others. Kopang admitted his guilt but after the hearing he refused to return to Crookston As a result requisition papers will be issued and the guilty party will without doubt receive a heavier sentence than would have been pronounced had he returned without the trouble that will have to be gone to now.

LOSES HAIR IN A NIGHT

PECULIAR HAPPENING TO A HOMESTEADER LIVING NEAR BEAUDETTE

LOSES HEAVY GROWTH OF HAIR DURING NIGHT WHILE SLEEPING

From Friday's Daily—

Doctors are much puzzled over the remarkable case of John Cottam a homesteader residing near Beaudette who retired Wednesday evening in his usual good health and with a heavy growth of hair, and awoke in the morning with his head as bald as a billiard hall. So far as known Mr Cottam has been suffering from no illness that would have a tendency to cause the hair to fall out which, together with the fact that practically every hair on his hear and even his evebrows fell out, all in the course of a few hours makes his case all the more remarkable.

Mr. Cottam moved some six years ago from Eagle Lake, Minn., taking a homestead near Beaudette and has since made his home there with his family. He is nearly 60 years of age.

Some time during last Wednesday night he awoke and complained to his wife that he had one of the worst headaches he had ever had in his life and expressed the fear that he would probably come down with an attack of grip. After lying awake for a little while he felt somewhat better and fell asleep again.

When Cottam awoke in the morning he did not himself at first realize that anything particular was the matter with him until the members of the family astonished at his unusual appearance told him that he had not a hair left on his head he knew that what they said was only too true and he was as much astonished as the rest of the family.

Doctors who have been advised of the circumstances say that they can not account for the strange happening.

HOME FROM THEIR SOUTHERN TRIP

MR. AND MRS. BALL E. W. JONES, FOURNET AND WILL LOWE ARE BACK

On the flyer this morning Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ball, E. W. Jones, Wm. Lowe and Felix Fournet returned from their trip south after having been absent from the city for 31 days Mrs. Jones was with the party but she remained in Minneapolis where she will visit for a few days, returning to Crookston next Tuesday.

The party spent some time in New Mexico, and looked over lands in old Mexico for a week or two and all invested in coast lands near Tampico, close to the Gulf. The lands are undeveloped and are fitted for the raising of oranges, corn cotton, etc. ,and will be developed later on.

They all report a very pleasant trip The party visited at the ranch of E. DeBarnett, an old Minnesotan who has a magnificent ranch near Tampico They brought home a sample of tangerines, practically the same as an orange and they were picked from a tree that had 1200 of them on it.

They also brought back fine samples of grape fruit, limes and lemons, and the latter were of a very large and fine variety. In addition to fruit the land owners of that section do a thriving business in raising tomatoes and other early vegetables for the market north.

MASON ROBERTS DIES SUDDENLY

EXPIRED ALONE ON "FARM OF HEART DISEASE DURING THE NIGHT

Mason Roberts the well known farmer residing five miles west of the city died very suddenly of heart disease some time during the night as it was not discovered until this morning when the housekeeper went to call him. Mr. Roberts came here from Iowa about four years ago and purchased the Lommen place and was a successful farmer. but domestic troubles overtook him and his health began to fail until the end which came suddenly. Mr. Roberts was about 54 years of age, he leaves no family but has relatives residing at Beaver Dam, Wis., where the interment will take place.

One way to avoid overtaking disaster is to slow down your running expenses to a walk.

VISITED THE STATE FARM

PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY OF STATE DAIRYMEN'S ASSOCIATION

ARE MUCH PLEASED WITH EXPERIMENTAL FARM AND SCHOOL

From Friday's Daily—

President Robert Crickmore of the Minnesota State Dairymen's Association, of Owatonna, and Hon. J. R. Morley secretary of the same association spent yesterday in the city enroute to St. Hilaire where today both will be speakers at the meeting to celebrate the 6th aniversary of the starting of the St. Hilaire creamery, which celebration is being held under the auspices of the St. Hilaire Commercial club.

The St. Hilaire Creamery is one of the entire state. It has won prizes at every contest in which it has ever figured, and the class of butter produced and the size of the average checks paid to the farmers is a credit to the management and a standing advertisement for the creamery industry in this section of the state.

While in the city yesterday the two gentlemen were chaperoned by State Senator A. D. Stephens who took them for a trip of inspection over the State Experimental farm north of the city and they also visited the School of Agriculture on the same farm. After their return to the city yesterday afternoon Hon. J. R. Morley acted as spokesman in an interview with your representative, and all that he said received the hearty "amen" of President Crickmore. Mr. Morley said: "We were certainly very much pleased as a result of our visit to the State Farm and School of Agriculture. A great work is being done by both in Northern Minnesota. We cannot speak too highly of what is being accomplished by Supt. Robertson and his assistants. The value of their work cannot be estimated. It means not only prosperity for the present generation, but much more to the sons and daughters of the present farmers. Let the good work go on. Senator Stephens has worked hard to secure what has been accomplished thus far. Future generations will appreciate it more than the present. It means a new era of prosperity for the entire Red River Valley."

President Crickmore and Secretary Morley left for St. Hilaire this morning where the following program wil lbe carried out:

10:30 S. M.

Address of Welcome, Chairman C. H. Martz.

Proper Feeding of Milch Cows, O. A. Storvick, State Dairy Inspector.

Dinner, 1:30 p. m.

Cheap Milk Production, Hon. J. R. Morley Secretary Minnesota State Dairymen's association.

Horticulture and Hogs, R. A. Schulz State Farmers Institute.

Dairy Notes, State Farmers' Institute.

Query Box.

TEACHER MAY BE GOVERNOR

FORMER MARSHALL COUNTY EDUCATOR ON NORTH DAKOTA GOVERNORSHIP SLATE

We note that C. A. Johnson of Minot, N. D., formerly a school teacher in this county, is slated for governor on the republican ticket, says the Argyle Banner.

Mr. Johnson taught school in what is known as the Meisch district some years since, and is a brother-in-law to Herman Meisch of this city. He has many friends in Argyle and vicinity who wish him success and if he proves to be as good a governor as he was school teacher, North Dakota may consider herself lucky.

GEO. SANDERS ACCEPTS $5,100

A letter was received in the city this morning sttaing that George Sanders best known to the traveling fraternity of the state as "Short" Sanders has reached a settlement with the Northern Pacific Railway company. He accepted according to the letter, $5,100 as settlement.

The settlement must have taken place several days ago.

George Sanders is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Edgar Brosseau and Mrs. Frank Delude of this city. He lost an arm at the Jamestown depot last December while trying to mail a letter by falling partly under a moving train.

ENGINEER IS ARRESTED

MAJOR KEELEY CHARGED WITH THREATENING MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY

WAS ARRESTED LAST EVENING AND TAKEN TO BARNESVILLE

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening Engineer James J. Keeley, better known as "Major" Keeley who has one of the passenger runs from this city to Greenbush, and who is said to be the oldest engineer on three divisions, The Northern, Dakota and Barnesville, was arrested by the sheriff of Clay county from Moorhead and taken to Barnesville where he was charged by the members of his family with assault

Engineer Keeley stops at A. B. Moran's at Carman, and is well known to all the railroad boys. He is very popular here and the news that he went home last Saturday night, as is his custom every Saturday and had trouble with the members of his family can hardly be credited.

It is alleged that he threatened to do a killing stunt on his last visit home, but the details have not as yet been learned here.

Engineer Keeley is not related to Conductor Keeley of this city nor to the Keeleys of Euclid who are well known throughout this section of the state. He is about 55 years of age and it is reported that there is something behind the present prosecution which will come out later.

RECORD SMASHED ON PANAMA CANAL

CHARLES ANDERSON WRITES THAT EXCELLENT PROGRESS IS MADE THIS YEAR

Charles Anderson who was for many years chief clerk in the superintendent's office in Grand Forks writes to J. H. Griffin, division freight agent that the records for yardage were all smashed in January on the Panama canal. In the Culebra cut, the division on which Mr. Anderson is employed, 1,200,000 yards of earth was moved. On the whole canal 2,500,000 yards were moved. Mr. Anderson scores the newspapers which have been telling of how little has been accomplished on the canal.

Mr. Anderson states that practically all the desirable jobs are under civil service rules. H. Sliter is head of the Panama Railway which is owned by the United States government and run by a private concern. Good wages are paid by the United Fruit company and Pacific Steamship company and they often need men.

Cal Stone, formerly with the Great Northern is passenger agent with one of the companies. Fortesque Anderson, who was also employed in the local Great Northern head quarters as road masters clerk has been working at Gorgona. Jesse Yount formerly stenographer in the local G. N. offices is at Empire the town in which Charles Anderson former chief clerk is employed by the railway company.

It is admissible for any one figuring on going to the canal to study Spanish, Mr. Anderson concludes.

MID-WINTER CREAMERY REPORT

THE WHEAT FARMER DOZES WHILE DAIRY FARMER RAKES IN THE COIN

For the month of January the following patrons of the St. Hilaire creamery get over $50.

H. Houpt, $103.19.
Andrew Mortenson, $81.97.
Emil Just, $76.96.
John Konickson $63.16.
August Swanson, $61.55.
N. E. Beebe, $58.05.
O. W. Brink, $60.98.
N. A. Nelson, $50.23.
Peter Johnson, $56.23.
Claus Henricks, $51.32.

The price paid is 33 cents and the total amount of business for the month is over $3,000.

WIFE LOST ON JOURNEY.

Woman Who Left Russia in September Has Not Arrived at Grand Forks.

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 21.—L. Banik, employed in the Great Northern roundhouse, has lost his wife somewhere between Grand Forks and Kresleff, Russia. Eight months ago he sent her a ticket. After waiting for several weeks he wrote to his father in Russia and learned that Mrs. Banik had departed for this country in September. It is thought possible that she was lost in New York or is the victim of accident or foul play.

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FRIENDS DO NOT BELIEVE IT

STORY OF SUICIDE OF HARRY DODDS IS TAKEN WITH A GRAIN OF SALT

STRYCHNINE YARN IS NOT BELIEVED BY HIS MANY FRIENDS IN CROOKSTON

The press dispatches published in the city papers regarding the suicide at Staples of Harry Dodds, son of Rev. Lafayette Dodds formerly of this city receives but very little credence in this city.

According to the reports he told his sister he had a headache, he lay down on the sofa, and shortly afterward went into convulsions. Medical aid came too late.

A year ago while attending the state university at Minneapolis, young Dodds was shot twice by burglars who had entered his boarding house and since then he has been exceedingly nervous.

It is generally figured here that he took the medicine to relieve his nervousness and that he had no idea that it would prove fatal. Harry attended the Crookston high school and at that time never showed any suicidal intentions. There is no known reason why he should want to suicide, and his friends here scout any such a theory. They attribute his death to accident entirely and this looks like the most probable solution.

A BOOM FOR JOHN E. KING

RED LAKE COUNTY MAN MAY BE THE BOSS DEMOCRAT

It is exceedingly probable in the light of recent events, that either John E. King, state librarian and editor of the Red Lake Falls Gazette, or Carlos Avery, executive agent of the state game and fish commission, will be successor to Frank A. Day as chairman of the democratic state central committee. Mr. King has been in close touch with the committee and its active work during recent campaigns and is a man capable in every way to take this important position and his many friends throughout the northern part of the state, regardless of party affiliation will be pleased to see him get the appointment he is slated for.—Argyle Banner.

Prince to Go to Quebec.

London, Feb. 20. — It is declared here with some show of authority that the prince of Wales will attend in August of this year the 300th anniversary of the founding of Quebec by the French.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion o fthe ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Do You Keep a Flock of Sheep on Your Minnesota Farm.

If not, come to the Farmers' Institute at Crookston, March 17, and hear some of the reasons why Minnesota farmers should be sheep feeders and growers. The problem of securing reliable farm labor for dairying and general farming is confronting many farmers in these times. Poor seasons for yield and quality of small grains have reduced the profits on many grain farms in Minnesota. Do you realize as a farmer that Minnesota is one of the best located and best adapted states in the Union for the growing and feeding of sheep Do you realize how a good flock of sheep will help to solve your labor problem and return you a profit in unfavorable grain years Read the following account of 39 ewes owned and cared for by a farmer in S. W. Minnesota. These figures are accurately gathered and the amounts of feed weighed and recorded by an employee of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station.

On Jan. 1st, 1906, the flock consisted of 39 ewes ranging from one to five years of age. They were fed hay and fodder corn with a light grain ration during the winter months. In the spring the flock was turned into the grain fields, and allowed to graze until the grain was 6 inches high. During the summer they were allowed the run of the pasture and farmstead and after the grain was stacked in the fall they were turned into the grain fields where they picked their living until October 26th, when ewes and lambs were all sold.

Financial Account of the Flock

Jan. 1st. to inventory	$240.00	
Barley	.60	
Salt	.97	
Oats	7.71	
Wheat screenings ...	5.92	
Flax	5.00	
Bran	1.50	
Fodder corn	10.00	
Pasture	9.75	
Hay	9.75	
Wool twine	.40	
Cash cost of shearing	3.25	
Man and horse labor	6.17	
By wool		90.00
By 39 ewes and 38 lambs		587.50
Gain	377.38	
	$677.50	$677.50

A Scheme of The Interests

The administration is certainly going after the labor vote in the coming election. The latest indication is the instruction of the president to the Interstate Commerce Commission. The chances are that it is a wise precaution too in the way of preparing for an emergency. Heretofore there has always been an immense hullabaloo when there was a big strike in any trade, but there has never been any precaution to get information about trade conditions in advance. Now railroads along with almost all other trades have largely increased wages in the last few years. As the tide of "prosperity" rose there were demands for increased wages from all sorts of labor organizations and as the employers were making a lot of money out of the public, they agreed to many of the demands for advances and took the increase out of the consumers in increased prices. This was all very nice so long as it lasted. Prices were high, but so were wages. It amounted to about the same in the long run, and there was no particular protest form the employers.

With the turn of the tide however there was a necessary reduction in many prices and there have been corresponding cuts in wages all along the line or what amounted to the same thing, a reduction of working hours. There have been some cuts in railroad wages and threats of more to come It is an era of railroad retrenchment and it will not be long before there is a general railroad strike as the result of this far-reaching economy. It is generally suspected that this would not be altogether unwelcome to the railroads and to some other big corporations. It would accentuate the appearance of hard times and tend to discredit the administration before the public. The president and those following his policies have no dearer enemies than the big business interests not because the President has proved a menace to business as so many claim, but because he has been distinctly a menace to dishonest business methods.

Now that there is every outlook for trouble in the railroad world, the President has ordered the Interstate Commerce Commission to gather statistics of railroad earnings and wages for some time back, their comparative rise and fall and their relation to each other with a view to offering meditation and arbitration when the almost inevitable conflict comes. Unfortunately there is not yet such a thing as compulsory arbitration where great public utilities are concerned, so that it is possible mediation would be rejected by one side or both if it were offered, but the president concludes his instructions with the significant statement that the facts desired will be useful in "promptly forming an enlightened public opinion on the subject if necessary." That is one of the things that the party in the wrong in a strike always dreads quite as much as it would a judicial decision and heretofore the public has been left to form its opinion on a wage dispute from the biased statements put out by the two parties to a strike or lockout. This move for information looks like a rather sensible precaution, the most remarkable thing about it being that it has never been tried before. There is nothing very sensational in it, but it is the sort of thing that will appeal to the labor element and probably will make votes for Secretary Taft.

STATE PRESS

Not Good Policy

Burying the hatchet — in your friends—will not be liable to bring forth harmony and good cheer—this year.—Stillwater Gazette.

Twice Over

It makes an editor bite his lip with anger when he reads a list of many of those who want to be delegates to the national republican convention. —Anoka Union.

Highest Criticism

The trouble with the supreme court judges in Minnesota is that they have too often been selected with regard not so much to their profound knowledge of the law, as to their ability to get votes, geographical location very frequently cutting more figure than the temperament and erudition generally considered as attributes to a place on the bench. Moreover they have been chosen not unfrequently in conventions that were scandalous because of their corruption and disregard of fitness for position. Do you expect to gather grapes from thorns or figs from thistles?—New Ulm Review

Still Exchange

The Duluth News Tribune and The Duluth Herald are two of the state's best daily newspapers which still continue to exchange with the country newspapers. This fact is highly appreciated by the country newspaper boys and it is not believed that the Duluth papers will suffer from their generosity in this matter. Duluth is the coming business center of the state and this fact is ably reflected by the newspapers of the great city at the Head of the Lakes, for while these papers never appear to miss a piece of news the advertising columns are also well patronized. — Morris Sun.

A Night Alarm

Worse than an ala mot fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. For sale by all druggists.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

The way for the republican party of Minnesota to bring its 'renegades' back into line, is to make the party as attractive as it was before the 'renegades" bucked.—Hibbing Messaba Ore.

Jacobson must clear himself of all conections with a Dunn deal or give up his credit for superior honesty and as a stickler for fair and open politics.. The voters of the state will no sooner agree to Bob Dunn's being the political boss than they would to his being governor. Jake had better cut loose.—Appleton Press.

Hennepin county republicans cannot expect to reinstate themselves in the good graces of the party in this state by selecting Thomas H. Shevlin as a delegate-at-large to the republican national convention. The much shorter course to accomplish this difficult feat would be to endorse for that position William Henry Eustis, whose party work has been constructive rather than destructive.—Alexandria Post News.

We in Minnesota know what it means to have factions knifing each other at every election. We continue to shout 'Harmony; Harmony!" when there is none of the article. We do not wish to see this state of affairs spread until it shall include and engulf the republican party of the whole country.—Warren Register.

The Duluth Herald which the country press of Minnesota unanimously declare is the best paper printed in either of the three "big cities" protests most vigorously against the tyranny of Speaker Cannon. It says: "The house with its 400 members sitting in helpless awe, rendered impotent and useless by the arbitrary power of one man, presents one of the most shameful and pitiful pictures in the history of the government. Yet the house continues not only to tolerate this ancient satrap of the big interests, but to return him to his place of power time after time."

The above is gospel truth, yet the majority of the house, or rather party decree, continues this czar-like rule indefinitely. The house of representatives is not a representative body.—St. Cloud Times.

From Over The Valley

MEMBER OF CO. I 23 OHIO McKINLEY'S—GETS N. D. CLAIM

Thursday afternoon an old soldier of the Union Army, Alfred Day, by name, residing at Almont, the hustling new town of Morton county, N. D., took out final proof papers at the land office. Mr. Day had three years and forty days' credit for service in the army. When the first call for three-year volunteers came, he enlisted in Company K. 23rd Ohio, which was then commanded by Rosecrans and later by McKinley and Hayes. Mr. Day, is, with good reason, proud of this distinction, and also of the fact that at the age of 71, he was able to hol ddown and prove up a claim. He is a hale and hearty specimen of old age.

JOHN RELLIS DIES AT GRAND RAPIDS, MINN.

John Rellis chairman of the Democratic central committee of Itasca county, died Saturday evening of pneumonia at his home in Grand Rapids after an illness of 48 hours.

Mr. Rellis was one of the best known politicians and business men of northeastern Minnesota and for 20 years had been allied with the Democratic party in Itasca county of the state. He was active in commercial life and in recent years was interested in several mining projects. He was one of the company which has a lease on the Itasca county poorfarm, which is being drilled for iron ore.

GRAND FORKS COUNTY CRIMINAL CALENDAR FIXED

The following cases have been set for trial at the March term of the district court in Grand Forks:

Ed. Purcell, rape.
John J. McDonald, rape.
C. L. Griffith forgery.
Thomas Hokal attempt to do bodily injury.
Walter Pooler, grand larceny.

TELEPHONE LINES ARE RAPIDLY EXTENDING

The St. Hilaire telephone line has been extended into the country the past week and N. E. Beebe, John P. Nelson and Mike McAndress are now connected with the local exchange.

DR. NELSON OF ST. HILAIRE HAS RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

Dr. H. E. Nelson is around on crutches this week on account of breaking a bone in his leg in a runaway last Saturday. The team started while he was hitching up and threw him out and got away. They did but little damage to themselves or the rig and the doctor will be alright in a short time.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

ST. HILAIRE AID SOCIETY HAVE REORGANIZED

The Ladies' Aid society of the St. Hilaire M. E. church was re-organized at a meeting held and the following officers were elected:

Mrs. R. C. Workman, President.
Mrs. G. W. Hooper, Vice President.
Mrs. Jens Nelson, Secretary.
Miss Alice Hall, Treasurer.

The first meeting will be held at the M. E. church next Thursday evening.

TRYING TO SELL FIN A WOODEN LEG

The artificial limb concerns about the country have been flooding the office of Attorney Finlayson with circulars and personal letters telling of the excellencies of their limbs and how they sympathize with him in his loss, but still believing that they can supply the loss caused by amputation. When Finlayson first got out of the hospital he found his crutches too long and the papers told of the amputation of his crutches which relieved him considerable. The artificial limb concerns got hold of the article head amputation without reading it i its entirely and as a consequence "Fin" is kept busy denying the need of a limb.—Grand Forks Times.

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGH WAYS

John A. Gjelhaug of Beaudette has been appointed deputy superintendent of highways of Beltrami county. This will be quite an advantage to the settlers who want the boundaries of their claims located and made a matter of record with the Register of Deeds. He will be empowered to lay out roads, etc. Mr. Gjelhaug has invested in some more surveying instruments so as to be able to meet the demands of his office.

DIVORCE CASE IN GRAND FORKS COUNTY

Testimony was introduced in the district court at Grand Forks this morning in the divorce case of R. Spott against Theresa Spott. There is as yet, certain corroborative testimony to be introduced, and this will be taken up very soon. The plaintiff in this suit alleges cruel and inhuman treatment.

Mistake Corrected

Correct the mistake or risking pneumonia by neglecting a cough or cold when Foley's Honey and Tar will not only stop your cough but expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is the best and safest throat and lung remedy. For sale by all druggists.

DOROTHY

Louis and Audrie Patnode were visitors at Dorothy Sunday.

Hazel the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Cassavant is seriously ill.

Fred Mathews has taken charge of the mail between Dorothy and Red Lake Falls.

Cora, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mathews who is attending St. Joseph's school in Red Lake Falls, spent Sunday with the home folks.

J. F. Mathews has sold his store to F. J. Boivin, and Joe is now cleaning up the building and putting in a fresh line of groceries and dry goods.

A crowd of merry young folks gathered at the home of J. B. Marcotte last Saturday evening and a few hours was spent very pleasantly at dancing and playing games.

From our Exchanges

ST. HILAIRE
(Spectator)

Rev. Alex Sand is in Minneapolis this week attending the annual conference of his church.

Miss Lizzie Powers was here on Wednesday, from Wylie, visiting with Mrs. David Collins.

Miss Anna Fellman who completed her school term in District 6 left last Friday for Hilda, Minn., where she has been engaged to teach the spring term.

A number of young people of River Falls gave a farewell party at the home of Wm. Cuno, for Miss Edna Brink last Thursday evening.

Olaf and Miss Olivia Nelson came up from Crookston yesterday where they are attending the agricultural college to attend the farmers' meeting.

Messrs. Will Prichard, Willis Akre Lawrence Higgins and the Misses Ione Higgins, Hazel Toye and Marie Gilbertson, of Thief River Falls were here last Sunday visiting at the Patterson home.

MENTOR
(Herald)

Anton Jenson of McIntosh was a business visitor here last Monday evening.

Andrew Ricke finished his work of putting up a large amount of ice for Grand Forks parties last Wednesday.

The Congregational ladies aid society will entertain and serve lunch at the town hall in Mentor on Saturday Feb. 29th. All are welcome.

C. C. Lawton closed a deal with Jens Olson last week whereby he becomes the owner of the latter's herd of cattle consisting of about 38 head.

M. O. Madson, Jens Olson, P. N. Barnes and T. T. Reese were a committee appointed to attend a business meeting of the United churches at Erskine last Wednesday.

KEY STONE

The basket social given last Saturday evening by Miss Laura Ramstad, and her pupils was a great success. As it was given on Washington's birthday the school house was prettily decorated with the colors, red, white and blue. The program was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Samuel Aeschlimann left for Illinois last week on very important business.

John Brantl is spending several days at St. Paul.

John Gerber and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann left for West Bend, Iowa, to attend the funeral of Mr. Gerber's brother.

Miss Margaret McDonald is among the sick this week.

Lewis, Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann and Laura Ramstad and Mr. and Mrs. Karstad and daughter, called on Mr. and Mrs. Wiles last Sunday afternoon.

Edward, Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brantl are spending several wekes' at their claims near Thief River Falls.

WARREN
(Register)

Miss Rose Asselin of Crookston, visited in the city last week the guest of her brother.

George F. Barnes who left Warren some years ago and settled in Washington recently suffered a severe stroke of paralysis. At last report his condition was somewhat improved.

W. F. Powell left on Friday for River Falls Wis., to visit his mother who makes her home there with one of her daughters. From there he will go to Milwaukee to visit his sister Mrs. C. M. Gould He will probably be away about ten days.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Marshall County Agricultural Association will be held in Warren at the rooms of the Commercial Club on Tuesday Feb. 25, 1908, at 8 o'clock p. m. All persons who have subscribed to the Association are urged to be present.

Dr. D. Bernard received word a few days ago that the moose head he shipped to London, England, last fall arrived in good shape and was put up in one of the largest office buildings there and was admired by hundreds of people.

GREENBUSH
(Journal)

R. McMahon, of Stephen was here last week on telephone business.

Chas. Kiewell was up from Crookston last week on business. He returned home Saturday.

Miss Clara Dalby returned home Tuesday from her visit at Crookston.

Peter Heltne came up from Crookston Monday and spent several days here visiting old friends.

Phil Slominski and A. P. Kukowski were at Roseau last Saturday as witnesses in Judge Holm's court.

Fred Langdon, agent for the Hamm Brewery was up from Crookston yesterday on business and renewing acquaintances.

BRAY

Mike Ault drove to St. Hilaire on Thursday.

Arthur Melin of Polk Centre was in Bray Friday.

Henry Limblom transacted business at Wylie Saturday.

Otto Bessler one of our young men who moved in here from Indiana a year has rented the August Hoppe farm in Sanders and will make his home there during the coming summer.

O. P. Johnson, Esther and Alma Johnson and M. J. Akerlund drove to Thief River Falls last Friday. Mr. Johnson intends to sell out his property here and move to Thief River Falls to make his future home.

Alfred Olson is wearing one of the won't-come-off smiles, the cause of it is the arrival of a bouncing baby boy who came to brighten his household Sunday morning. Well Alfred we all smoke the Anna Held.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

VACATION—

Washington's birthday anniversary was observed by the students and school was dismissed Friday evening. Most of the students spent the vacation at their homes, while those that remained were entertained by a costume party Saturday evening. Each student represented some celebrated person as George Washington, Martha Washington and Booker Washington, etc.

STUDENTS TO THEIR HOMES—

The students that spent vacation at their homes were Mr. Alfred Olson, Mr. Oscar and Miss Lena Opdahl at Beltrami; Mr. Julius Paulsrud, at Neilsville; Mr. Marius Sether at Halstad; Mr. Mons Monson at Drayton, N. D.; Messrs. Julius Jakobson and Albert Rindahl, Grand Forks; Miss Sene Slyter at Crookston; Mr. Arthur Kelsven at Gentilly and Mr. Olaf and Miss Olivia Nelson at St. Hilaire. They left Friday morning in order to attend the Farmers' Meeting at that place.

PERSONAL—

Prof. Wm. Robertson made a trip to Winnipeg Friday. He attended the Horticultural meeting at that place.

PROMINENT DAIRYMEN—

Mr. Crickmore, president of Minnesota State Dairymen's association and Hon. John Morley, secretary of same, both of Owatonna were visitors at the school last Thursday enroute to St. Hilaire to attend the Farmers' meeting at that place. Mr. Morley gave an interesting talk before the students in chapel.

PERSONAL—

Mr. Arthur Quarberg visited his brother at the school last week.

Mr. Julius Sether accompanied his brother Marius on his return from vacation. He will stay for a few days.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

TO FELTON—Dr. Wilson Randolph left last evening for Felton where he was called on professional business and will return Tuesday.

ENJOYED VISIT— Lloyd Gleason of the N. D. Agricultural College leaves this evening for his home at Fargo, after a pleasant week's visit at the home of D. J. Mereness on South Ash Street.

FINAL HEARING—The final hearing in the Mary Rusten estate was held this afternoon in the probate court before Judge Morken. A. Rusten her son, who was administrator received his final discharge.

BUYING FURNITURE—F. S. Lycan spent a few hours in the city this morning, enroute to Bemidji after spending a few days there buying furniture. He says that business in Bemidji is fine and that tho he is loyal to his own town that Crookston is his second choice.

CALL IT CHILGREN — Atty. A. Chilgren formerly of Crookston is now busy homesteading north of Roosevelt He was in Beaudette on business last Tuesday. Their township 162-34 is about to be organized and there will be a new name on the map.—Rainy River Region.

SOUGHT BUSHES GREEN—C. F. Heiser of Crookston formerly of this place was shaking hands with his many friends in this city Thursday and Friday of last week. He looks hale and hearty and says he likes his new location, but we know Charley has a longing in his big heart for Bushes Green.—Greenbush Journal.

WAS AMICABLY SETTLED—Engineer Keeley who was involved in some trouble with his family at Barnesville a few days ago and was taken back home, returned to Crookston this morning and will resume his run on the Greenbush line. It develops that the whole trouble was caused by gossiping neighbors. The same old story—too much talk by out siders where they were not concerned.

HERE FROM HALSTAD—G. J. Gilbert a brother of Charles Gilbert the well known resident of this city, is spending the day here from Halstad where he is a well known and highly respected business man, having operated a drug store there for many years past. He wanted to keep in touch with the doings in the valley and of course subscribed for the Journal.

AN OLD TIMER HERE — Robert Westacott one of old time business men of Grand Forks, who has sold horses all over Polk County spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters and at the same time called on a number of his friends. Mr. Westacott last year decided that Maple Lake property was a good investment and bought several hundred acres. He could dispose of the property he bought today at a big advance over what he paid for it.

A POST GRADUATE COURSE — Bandmaster Riggs will leave about March 10 for Chicago where he will take a post-graduate course under the tutelage of Prof. A. F. Weldon, who is considered one of the greatest cornet teachers in the entire country. More soloists have graduated from his school than from any other teacher in the entire United States. Bandmaster Riggs has not done any study ing here-to-fore for the past 15 years.

ON UNCLE SAM'S SIDE AGAIN—Maurice A. Malone formerly chief clerk at the U. S. Land office at Crookston, Minn., and later bookkeeper for the Rainy River Lumber Company, has now accepted the position of bookkeeper for the Shevlin-Mathieu Lumber Company at Spooner. Our boys will be glad to have Mr. Malone on this side where he has always lived until a couple of years ago—Rainy River Region.

OPTIMISTIC OF FUTURE—G. D. Bennet of Henning, Ill., a large holder of Red River Valley lands has spent several days in the city the guest of Mayor McPhee while looking after his interests here. Mr. Bennet has the most optimistic faith in the future of the valley so that at every visit he adds another batch of Polk Co., soil. Mr. Bennet proceeded west this morning for a visit thru North Dakota before returning to Illinois.

Be Pleasant

Be pleasant even if the other fellow does not reciprocate. It won't hurt him or make you lose your dignity. Try it until it becomes a habit and you will find that it helps a lot. Insure good health and a cherful disposition by the daily use of golden grain belt beer. This delicious beverage is an ideal food drink—pure, wholesome and nourishing. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Yesterday morning, following the morning service, Rev. C. C. Markham read his resignation as pastor of that church. The matter will be considered by the church board at a meeting to be held in about two weeks.

Rev. Markham stated that he had no definite plans for the future. He has been very successful in his pastorate in this city, and has nearly doubled the membership of the church since he came here.

A. M. Sivertson has a large force of workmen at work remodeling the second and third stories of the Opera House block. A light well is being installed and the space formerly occupied by the spacious auditorium is being transformed into modern flats. The work, done at this quiet season of the year, is giving employment to many men who would other wise be idle, and Mr. Sivertson chose a most opportune time for making the changes

From rheumatism, aches and pains,
Your system will be free,
If you'll but take a nightly drink,
Of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.
—A. G. Andersen.

From Tuesday's Daily

WOLF BOUNTIES—The following were the recipients of wolf bounties from Polk county today: C. L. Ostlie, Columbia; Victor Brown, Fanny and Henry Erdman, Parnell.

IMPROVING RAPIDLY—Jos. Koelmel who was operated upon for appendicitis at St. Vincent's Hospital about two weeks ago was removed to his home Friday and is improving steadily.

VISITING BROTHER—J. J. Flynn of the Maplebay Manufacturing Co., is entertaining his brother from Washington who is a steam shovel engineer and who has made many friends during his few days' stay in Crookston.

FINEST SON EVER—Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Bakke are confident that the son which arrived at their home three weeks ago is about the finest young man ever. The newspapers of the city failed to discover that there was a new arrival.

C. SNYDER GETS JOB—C. Snyder, the well known drayman will devote his entire attention to doing the draywork for the Crookston Fruit Co., a branch of the Grand Fokrs Fruit Co., which will open for business in the opera house block about March 1st. Bids were called for from the local draymen and Mr. Snyder's bid was the lowest.

ELECTED DELEGATES—Chris Hagen, brother of Attorney E. O. Hagen of this city, writes from the Philippines that he was a delegate to the Territorial convention held in Manila on Feb. 3rd at which time two delegates were elected to attend the Republican National convention which will be held in Chicago the coming summer. The convention was a very enthusiastic affair and was largely attended.

GOOD MARKETS HERE — Mark Rauenbuehler, the harness maker stated to a representative of the Journal this morning that the farmers in this section are getting more for their produce by considerable than the farmers in certain portions of Wisconsin He takes a paper printed within 75 miles of St. Paul and two weeks ago the price of butter was quoted at 20 cents and eggs were quoted at 18 cents. At the same time eggs were bringing 25 cents and butter from 28 to 30 cents in this city.

SELLS MILLINERY STORE—Mrs. Ella Pierson has disposed of her millinery store on North Broadway to Mrs. R. E. Sperry of Minneapolis and Mrs. T. Klock of Spokane, sisters, who take possession Monday next. Mrs. Pierson has been in the business during the past four years and during that time has succeeded in building up a fine business. She will remain in Crookston for some time, but expects to spend some time travelling.

FAILS TO FIND WIFE—F. M. Reed who travels for the Metropolitan Music company of Minneapolis, has been unsuccessful in a search of many cities for his wife and daughter, Virginia, who disappeared from Grand Forks about three weeks ago. Beyond a slight clue secured in this city he has been unable to get any trace of the missing ones. He visited Crookston and found that an officer here had noticed a lady and girl answering the description of Mrs. Reed, but the officer was not absolutely sure. The woman and the girl left on the train for Winnipeg he believed. Mr. Reed visited Winnipeg and inserted advertisements, in the newspapers there, but with no result. Mr. Reed is puzzled by the case. He has written to traveling friends all over the country to look out for his wife and daughter and is hopeful that some report will be received before a great while.

ADJUSTING — The insurance adjusters for the companies who suffered loss in the Clark hardware fire are in the city, and it is expected a speedy settlement will be made.

LOOKING FOR WHEAT—S. M. Sivertson the manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., spent the night in the city left this morning for Warren where he will purchase a few car loads of wheat.

PLENTY OF WORK—M. Rauenbuehler reports that work in the harness line is very brisk for this season of the year. He has all he can do and is working overtime to clear up his jobs.

PAINTED HIS DRAY—Jack Scott the well known drayman is out with his dray decorated with a fine new coat of paint. Fred Schmeiding did the job and he did it well. Mr. Scott says there will be no extra charges for the new dress of the dray.

LOOKING AFTER FARM— James Cardle of Cass Lake, formerly a conductor on the Great Northern, and a mighty popular one, arrived this morning from the east and will spend a day or two looking after his farm located near this city.

OSLO CREAMERY—At the annual meeting of the Oslo Creamery association O. H. Bang was elected president for the coming year and J. C. Figenskau secretary. The creamery will be reopened for the season April 1st.

A SON BORN—A fine son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ball at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ball on North Main Street parents of the groom, where Mrs. Ball is visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ball reside in Beaudette.

THIRTY DAY SENTENCE—Pauline Emsted was given a thirty day sentence in the county jail by the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday after a hearing on the charge of disorderly conduct and was brought to Crookston last evening.

VISITED FARGO—Mr. and Mrs. C E. Gildersleeve visited Fargo over Sunday the guest of Dr. John Cromb and family. If Gilder had remained in Fargo another day we believe he would have returned with a base ball franchise somewhere about his clothes.

HEARING ON CLAIMS—There was a hearing on claims in the probate court today in the estate of the late P. J. Nelson, a former well known farmer in western Polk county and Attorney F. C. Massee is here from E. G. Forks as one of the attorneys in the case.

A NEW BARN—Ernest Rolsch is superintending the constructon of a new barn on his property. He intends purchasing some more stock and wil keep it all at home in the future. Heretofore he has been keeping his horses at Couvrette and Cardin's livery stable.

GOING AFTER TEAMS -- John Frank of Euclid was a visitor in the city last night between trains enroute east to Kelliher, having been called thither to get his teams that are hauling logs. Mr. Frank thinks that the soft weather has broken up all the logging roads.

OLE SPEETEN PASSED AWAY—O. N. Speeten who has for a number of years conducted a tailor repairing shop on south Main street died yesterday. He had been in poor health for some time and finally developed into consumption. Mr. Speeten was 59 years of age and is survived by his wife, a brother, and sister. The funeral will be held from the residence Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

A. O. U. W. DELEGATES RETURN—Mr. and Mrs. Gus Johnson and Harry Norrie have returned from the meeting of the Grand Lodges of the A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor recently held in St. Paul and report having a very successful meeting and much information acquired that will be given in detail at the next meeting of the lodges Thursday evening and it is expected every member to be present.

TRIPS ARE NUMEROUS— If the numerous trips taken to Climax by John Estenson and Kittle Bjaaland are only to visit their parents they are certainly model and dutiful sons, but there are those who suspect other attractions that are taking the young from their studies in the business college at Grand Forks. The aforesaid young men would not be interviewed on the subject as they passed thru Crookston last night.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock Mr. Adolph Dubuque and Miss Cora Blanche Page were united in marriage at St. Anne's church, Father Tapin officiating. The affair was a quiet one, attended only by immediate relatives. Both the contracting parties are well and favorably known in Crookston and will make their future home in this city.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. Mr. Barber refers to DeWittt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are sold by A. G. Andersen.

COWS AND HENS PRODUCT MORE : : : THAN GRAIN CROP : : :

COWS AND HENS PRODUCTS ARE WORTH MORE THAN EXTIRE GRAIN CROP OF STATE—FIGURES FROM STATE RECORDS—W. W. WALL, SECRETARY STATE DIARY AND FOOD COMMISSION WRITES ARTICLE

From Wednesday's Daily

ILL FOR A WEEK—Geo. O'Reilly who has been laid up with rheumatism for the past week was able to be out yesterday for a short time and will be fully recovered in a few days.

VISITED GRAND FORKS—Martin Logan, one of the well known farmers of western Polk was in from Red River yesterday and spent last night at Grand Forks returning home this morning.

MOVING WEST—Hugh Mickle who has lived on the DeLance farm the past five years is today loading a car with stock and household goods and will leave this evening for North Yakima to make his future home.

Girls, a clear skin is the first requisite for personal beauty; to secure it good digestion is the secret. Perfect digestion comes from the use of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes rich red blood and clear healthy skin. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

ATTENDS FUNERAL — Oscar Stearns of Grand Forks received the sad news yesterday of the death of his mother at Waupaca, Minn. Mrs. Stearns was well known in Grand Forks having visited there on several occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Stearns left last night to attend the funeral.

RED LAKE EDUCATOR HERE — Superintendent of Schools McAnulty of Red Lake County spent last evening in the city and returned home this morning. He reports the conditions very staisfactory in schools of Red Lake county. While here he called upon Superintendent Casey and other friends.

MATCH RACE IS ARRANGED — A match race between that East Grand Forks horse "Gyp" and C. A. Rheinhart's horse, "Kiwasha" has been decided on, the final arrangements for the go being settled on. The race will be pulled off on the ice at Grand Forks either Wednesday or Saturday for $10 a side.

QUIET UP NORTH—S. M. Sivertson manager for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., who spent yesterday up the north line looking after wheat says that there is little doing in that direction but that the farmers and business men are all optimistic and feel greatly encouraged over the prospects for the future.

WERE NOT SATISFIED—Jos. Hollerin and Wm. Russell who left for the west a few weeks ago were not very well pleased with the conditions as they found them in the railroad world. Russell returned this morning from the west and has decided that Crookston is good enough for him but Hollerin decided to continue to the coast.

Are you lacking in health—the easiest thing in the world to keep the hardest to get? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is health itself. No other remedy so effective. Satisfy yourself. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

INTERESTING DOG FIGHT—There was an interesting time at the Great Northern depot this morning about the time the train left for the north. Two curs had a merry time for a few minutes and those who were present got more returns for their money than would be expected from a $2 show at the Crookston Metropolitan opera house.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

HAL DAVIES HERE—Hal Davies telegraph editor of the Fargo Call and who has been employed on the Journal and Times in this city arrived last evening to spend a day with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Davies. He was discharged a few days ago from the detention hospital at Fargo after a nice siege of the smallpox but, owing to the use of beauty salve his complexion was not in any way injured.

SUCCESSFUL GRAIN FARMER—Oscar Bergos who is farming the old Will Lytle farm south of the city was a visitor at the Journal office today and took a great delight in seeing a daily newspaper created. Mr. Bergos has on an average of 275 acres seeded to grain every year and gets good results from this farm which has always been well tilled and is now as clean and fertile as when first broken up. He is authority for the statement that many southern farmers will remove to the valley the coming spring to occupy some of the vacant farms.

The Dispatch(?) is in receipt of the following article from the pen of W. W. Wall, secretary of the State Dairy and Food Commission concerning the comparative values of the poultry and the grain produce of Minnesota:

"The possibilities of diversified farming in Minnesota are so great that very few if any of our farmers or business men realize even in a small measure what the future has in store for our citizens in that respect. The fame of Minnesota as the Bread and Butter state has been heralded far and wide, and justly so, and it has been the means of calling merited attention to our commonwealth, as a desirable location for the sturdy citizen seeking a soil and climate productive not only of wealth but health also. While thousands have come in the past few years to enjoy the manifold blessings vouchsafed here, there are yet thousands of broad acres awaiting only the magic touch of the intelligent farmer to bring forth bountiful crops and spread the smile of happy hearts to all comers.

"Of course if 'you are from Missouri', you will want to be shown' and wherever you are from it is proper you should judge from facts and not from glittering generalities.

In 1906 according to government statistics Minnesota produced in grain as follows:

	Bushels	Value
Flax seed	4,741,528	$ 4,883,774
Potatoes	12,123,944	4,485,850
Buckwheat .. .	63,532	34,307
Barley	31,591,420	11,056,997
Rye	1,707,046	853,523
Oats	72,011,160	25,203,906
Wheat	55,801,591	39,619,130
Corn	50,149,277	17,050,754
Total		$103,188,241

"The above is a fairly good showing in itself, but remember that every bushel of that grain was taken from the soil and its productive properties and if followed exclusively for many years mean faiure and decay to the agricultural interests of our state. Happily and largely through the teachings of the educational forces of Minnesota along lines of diversified farming, our farmers instead of robbing the soil have been adding to its value, and how? Well, in 1906 there were in the state 1,019,700 cows and the farmer was not only milking dollars for them, but they in turn were feeding to the soil in fertilizer the very elements that had been exhausted in the production of grain crops. When we add to the earning capacity of the cow, that of the hen, the combination will prove one that nothing but the providence of the Almighty could overcome. This may seem an unwarranted statement, but facts are facts and to prove the truthfulness of the claim made above let us quote you the statistics of dairy production and of the value of poultry and egg products in our state and then judge for yourself.

"Here is the value of cows, butter, cheese, calves, skim milk, eggs and poultry in Minnesota in 1906, and and the figures speak for themselves:

Value of creamery butter .. ..$	21,554,431.75
Value of dairy butter and milk sold in cities	19,727,000.00
Value of skim milk returned to the farmers from creamery	3,882,401.00
Value of cheese	307,192.38
Value of calves	2,000,000.00
Value of eggs	15,975,616.00
Value of milch cows (1,019,700 in number)	31,046,000.00
Total .. ..$	106,399,212.93

"Think of this you toilers of less fortunate claims and especially you struggling denizens of the crowded cities. Well you know what the strenuous life and the white man's burden is, and the never ending grind of a mere existence. Under the conditions wherein this vast wealth is produced there is an uplift of our citizenship, a broadening of the brotherhood of man, an elevation of society generally. How strange that the countless thousands standing on the borderland of want and misery do not turn their faces and, like the Star of Empire 'Westward take their way.' Dame nature stands with the horn of plenty ready to pour out her generous gifts, only demanding industry, sobriety and clean thinking to make the now virgin soil bloom with untold products for man's comfort. And let me say that while northwestern Minnesota is but sparsely settled today, at least in the comparative sense, yet with its vast mineral wealth and agricultural possibilities, if rightly directed along proper and reasonable lines so far as diversified farming is concerned, it may become one of the richest portions of the United States.

"The opening of that section and doting each eighty or one hundred and sixty acres with prosperous husbandmen and happy homes must be done with the splendid help of the cow and hen. While the sturdy farmer is pulling stumps old boss and the hens will be pulling him out of debt besides feeding the family. This may seem far fetched to the uninitlated but when we consider the fact that the value of dairy cows and their products combined with the value of the hen and her products exceed the value of the grain raised in Minnesota by about $3,000,000.00 the proof is conclusive. These figures are quite marvelous and will make the banker and baker 'sit up and take notice.' If you will just give the hen a chance she will not only scratch out what iron ore there is in that section, but will lay enough eggs to feed the men who are making the farms, and the cow will produce enough fat to grease the throats of the steel trust magnates and then leave enough to swell the bank account of the farmer to such proportions that he will be glad he left the fatherland.

Yours truly,

W. W. WALL."

DEATH COMES TO MAN WHO SHOT HIMSELF

Olavus Fiskum who attempted to commit suicide near Viking Ottertail County last week died in this city at an early hour Monday morning from the effects of his injuries. Mr. Fiskum shot himself in the forehead, and the bullet fractured the skull without penetrating it directly. He was taken to Fergus Falls and has been lying in a sort of stupor the greater part of the time since.

Cascasweet, the well known remedy for babies and children will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

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A check account sets your family a good example and shows that you have their welfare at heart by taking good care of your means.

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From our Exchanges

MIDDLE RIVER
(Pioneer)

Postoffice inspector W. M. Hughes of St. Paul came up on yesterday's train and went out to Ingalls on an inspection trip.

The state dairy and food inspector was in town the other day and so far as we have learned he found everything all right.

L. G. Carr, father of the writer, who went from here to Koochiching several weeks ago, returned to Middle River Tuesday.

Mrs. Amundson of Crookston, mother of Andrew Amundson of Randen, arrived here yesterday and went to Randen by stage this morning.

The whole ninth congressional district will sympathize with Congressman and Mrs. Steenerson in their bereavement in losing their son by drowning at Newport.

Mrs. Carr has so far recovered from her illness that the nurse, Mrs. Bahrs went home to Thief River Monday leaving the invalid in charge of Miss Murphy.

Ole L. Melgaard and Ed Amungaard of Argyle after attending to some business matters in Newfolden last Saturday, drove on over to Middle River and remained here over night. It was their first visit to Middle River and they were agreeably surprised at things here.

WARREN
(Register)

Miss Jane Edgar visited her sister Mrs. F. B. Robinson at Thief River Falls last week.

A daughter was born last week to Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Fulton, formerly of Warren but now of Oakes, N. D.

Misses Jennie Wood and Maud Findeisen were unable to attend to their duties as teachers in the city schools a portion of last week on account of illness.

Deputy Treasurer A. G. Lundgren and L. M. Olson spent Friday and Saturday at Stephen collecting personal property taxes.

Mrs. R. E. Kezar left the first of the week for Grafton, N. D. to visit her sister, Mrs. W. F. Zinke who lives in the vicinity of that city.

The Marshall county summer school will this year be held in Warren and will open on July 6th, with Prof. E. A. Freeman of Grand Rapids as conductor.

ARGYLE
(Banner)

The Ladies Reading Circle met with Mrs. N. S. Hegnes on Tuesday evening.

The First National Bank has had the interior of its banking room remodeled this week thus affording them more room for customers.

A. J. Marsh reports that the poplar trees on the Will Menzel farm are in blossom. Will had better hurry home and clean his seed wheat.

Louis Durand and bride of Radison N. W. T., visited at the home of his brother, H. Durand in the city last Thursday, leaving for their home on Friday. Mr. Durand has just returned from Drysdale, Ont., where he went last fall to get married.

O. L. Melgaard went up to Kennedy Tuesday and brought back with him the three children of Lauritz Melgaard, his brother, their mother being very ill. A wire message from Kennedy yesterday pronounced her condition improved and many friends hope for her recovery.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

BAGLEY
(Independent)

S. M. Bugge of the Clearwater Co., State Bank returned last Saturday noon from a short business trip to Mentor.

Nels Nelson, the "Big Swede" formerly of this place but now of Beaudette has been here visiting old friends in town the past week.

We understand that Oliver Lee of Shevlin has got his foot out of the fire. He feels so jubilant over the fact that he hardly knows which foot to stand on.

Mossefin our photographer, will attend the Eastman school of photography at St. Paul next week. He intends to be back by the first of March better able than ever to turn out up to date work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McFarland and little sons left last Friday on a visit to their son Earl and family at Mizpah. Earl is now station agent on the M. & I. railroad at that place. They were accompanied home Tuesday by their daughter Maude, who was visiting there for some time.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

M. W. Evenson was down to Crookston last week attending to business matters.

H. H. Halvorson treasurer of the new Highlanding Creamery association was in the city Monday attending to business matters. He says that work on the new creamery is to be rushed

Rev. J. P. McColough and family left last Friday evening for Wyoming to make their future home. The McColough family has made a large number of friends during their residence in this city and all greatly regret that they have departed

The young ladies of this city are just now decidedly popular with the young men. This is all occasioned by a leap year dancing party to be given in the Evenson Hall tomorrow evening. The young men who have been favored with an invitation are walking on air and the others—well, there is no use to discuss an unpleasant subject .

ADA
(Herald)

Miss Carlie Watson returned home from Crookston Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hadler left last week for Colorado where they go for the benefit of the former's health.

Senator A. L. Hanson and family left Monday night for Southern California where they expect to spend the remainder of the winter.

Yesterday John DeJong ,of Polk county, was united in marriage to Miss Winnie Eppink, of Spring Creek, Judge Sharpe performing the ceremony.

Miss Lilly Larson daughter of H. L. Larson formerly of this place has been confined in a hospital at Crookston for some time with a serious attack of typhoid fever but is now recovering.

Alfred Remark came down from the lumber camps Monday night to receive surgical treatment here. While at work on the steam log hauler his thumb on the left hand became caught in the machinery and was so badly mached that amputation was necessary.

TO HOLD MURDER TRIAL.

John St. Pierre Will Be Prosecuted at Elk Point Next Month.

Elk Point, S. D., Feb. 21. — The March term of the circuit court of Union county will convene in this city on March 11, with Judge Joseph W. Jones of Sioux Falls presiding. There are a number of cases to be tried, the most important being the State vs. John St. Pierre for murder.

Must Obey the Law.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 21. — The Iowa railroad commission yesterday served notice upon the express companies doing business in the state that they must live up to the long and short haul provisions of the Iowa transportation laws, which have in the past been applied only to freight and passenger rates.

Accused of Stealing Hogs.

Rosemount, Minn., Feb. 21. — Five hogs were stolen from the slaughter house yard of Henry Hagemiester of this place a week ago. Since that time a quiet investigation has been carried on and yesterday Otto Benter and Frank Hackel, two farmers, were arrested and taken to Hastings on suspicion.

Penned and Pilfered

Mr. Anson Judson of Hoppertown is quite absent minded at this writing. Last Thursday morning he ate up a whisk broom and thought it was breakfast food. Uncle Ezra Harkins has got some new hair ribbons for his whiskers.

The people in these parts are some undecided as to whether Taft or Farobanks will get to be president, all excepting Grandpa Bibbins, who is still voting for Samuel Tilden.

Hank Tumms will run for constable next election and expects to pull Taft thru in this vicinity all right. Hank has wrote to T. Rosevelt telling him of the good news. Grandma Whipple set for one of them "taken at home" pictures last week, which is all the rage down at Yakima. Grandma is running the village snowplow at this writing for exercise and postponed her funeral indefinite. Miss Amy Stubbs expects to take advantage of leap year soon and it's expected Mr. Elmer Spink will be the happy party.

The people say we are having a cold snap. It's cold all right, but it's no snap. There is so much frost on the millinery store windows that Mr. Elmer Spink and Mr. T. Egbert Penvey can't look in and all the ladies that have done their hair dressing while going by the plate glass winder are obliged to fix their hair at home.

Here is another slam at "edication" floating around says the Redwood Gazette. Johnnie belonged to the great unwashed and was a sore trial to his teacher. When forbearance no longer seemed a virtue, teacher wrote Johnnie's mother: "Please give John a bath. He is so dirty and smells so badly that I really cannot stand it any longer." Johnnie's mother rose to the occasion and sent Johnnie back next day as dirty as before with the following note: "Johny hain't no violet don't smell him, lern him."

What did you tell that man just now?

I told him to hurry.

What right have you to tell him to hurry

I pay him to hurry.

What do you pay him?

Two dollars a day.

Where did you get the money to pay him with?

I sell bricks.

Who makes the bricks?

He does.

How many bricks does he make?

Twenty-four men can make 24,000 bricks a day.

Then instead of you paying him he pays you $5 a day for standing around and telling him to hurry.

Well, but I own the machinery.

How did you get the machinery?

Sold bricks and bought it.

Shut up; you'll wake the foots up and then they'll make bricks for them selves.

It is said, tho not generally known that the family which possesses a cream separator need never be without nice soft water. By running hard water through your separator, that which comes out the cream spout will be found to be soft. The hard or heavier substance in the water will be thrown to the center, and can be separated as easily as the cream from the milk. The only reason rain water is soft is because the processes of evaporation leaves the heavier or mineral substance on the earth. Just try this experiment.

Thirteen young men of McCanna, Grand Forks county, N. D. have issued a public notice over their signatures to the effect that they are willing and anxious to receive proposals from matrimonially inclined women; Here's a promising chance for the leap year girls to get busy.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

EUCLID ITEMS

Miss Alma Langevin has commenced teaching a term of school in Parnell township five miles southwest of here known as Reedy school district.

Oscar Barnes a first class practical blacksmith has located at Euclid and has purchased an entire new outfit of tools and machinery and installed them in the old blacksmith. He is prepared to take care of all the work in this vicinity. Euclid has been without a blacksmith since Mr. Murney removed to Crookston and the coming of Mr. Barnes is greatly appreciated.

Mr. G. Vonderbeck one of our respected citizens was greatly pleased by the receipt of a fine heavy gold watch chain from Mrs. Vonderbeck's sister, Mrs. Rother of Hamburg, Germany. The present from relatives in the fatherland is very much appreciated by Mr. Vonderbeck and was worn for the first time at the Woodmen Gala night Feb. 21.

Miss Ramstad who is teaching in the Aschlemann district held a basket social at the school Friday night, and a program was enjoyed in honor of Washington's birthday.

Robert Aschlemann and family have arrived here with their household goods, stock and machinery and are located on the Losey farm, three miles northeast of the city. F. J. Wise accompanied them.

The people in this city are free from sickness very little having been experienced in the immediate vicinity.

Among the pleasant social doings here the present winter are the dancing parties given by the Good Fellows club, an organization that did much to liven up the long winter evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickler have returned from a pleasant fortnight visit at various points in Iowa.

Mrs. C. Nelson on Thursday received a message informing her of the serious illness of her daughter Mrs. Dr. Hennemuth who resides at Waterford, California. Mrs. Nelson left the same night to be with her. Mrs. Hennemuth was a former Polk county teacher and had many friends thruout the county who are hoping her illness is not of a serious character and a speedy recovery experienced.

Alfred Vonderbeck is making preparations to move to Crookston, it being more centrally located for Mr. Vonderbeck's business. He has lived among us all his life and we do not like to see him go.

Elaborate exercises were given at the schools on Friday in honor of the "Father of His Country." The program was carried throughout by the children and was greatly enjoyed by many of the fathers and mothers who added to the occasion by visiting the school on that day.

The primary department of the school which is in charge of Miss Amber Nelson is the proud possessor of a fine large silk flag, that has been purchased thru the personal earnings of the little tots. It was appropriately dedicated at the Washington birthday exercises.

A NORWEGIAN TRIUMPH

Sir Thomas Lipton, in one of his interviews made the remark: "The smartest sailors I ever saw in my life are sailing the Reliance." Sir Thom as was correct, as the result proved. As compared with the crew of Shamrock III., they were quicker and more intelligent, and quickness and intelligence in obeying orders count for success in a race. They were men who anticipated Capt. Barr's orders and were ready to obey them before they were given. In other words they were experts in navigation specialties and each man was selected for special work. Capt. Wringe's sailors were not so quick because they did not anticipate orders.

Sir Thomas Lipton's remark has been accepted as a compliment to American seamanship, and there has been much boasting over "a Yankee boat and a Yankee crew." Reliance is a Yankee boat. It was built in Bristol. But, alas Reliance did not have a Yankee crew. There was not an American on board of it nor a person born in America. Its captain is a Scotchman, who has taken out his first papers. The first, second and third mates are Norwegians. Of its crew of forty-two men, thirty-seven are unnaturalized and two naturalized Norwegians, 2 unnaturalized Swedes and one unnaturalized Dane. Reliance therefore was a Yankee boat manned by a Scotch-American captain and a Scandinavian crew and the result must be set down as a Norwegian triumph. Evidently the days of the Maine and Deer Island American sailors, who figured in the old contests, have passed awak. It is surprising that Sir Thomas, with a knowledge of the skill and elertness of these descendants of the Vikings on the water has not manned one of his Shamrocks with Norwegians instead of Britishers, for the Norwegians are the men who successfully maintain the blue ribbon of the seas.

PROCEEDS OF LAND SALES FOR DRAINAGE WORK

The department of the interior bill to approriate the receipts from sales of public lands in a number of states to the construction of works for the drainage of reclamation of swamp or over flowed lands belonging to the United States today was ordered favorably reported at Washington by the senate committee on public lands.

From Over The Valley

MARSHALL AND KITTSON CO. FARMERS INSTITUTE DATES

St. Vincent, 18th; Kennedy 19th; Argyle 20th; St. Hilaire 21st; Red Lake Falls 28th and Fisher 29th.

HARVESTER TONGUE TRUCK PATENTED NEAR ARGYLE

Levi Johnson of Apple, Marshall Co has had patented a harvester-tongue truck which will doubtless prove valuable to farmers. The patent was entered on May 14th and allowed on Feb. 6th.

GERMANTOWN CREAMERY CONTRACTS BUTTERMAKER

Henry Nelson, who has been helping his cousin, Gus Berggren in the creamery at Middle River this winter has secured the position of buttermaker in the Germantown creamery for the coming season.

GONE TO COLORADO HAS CHRONIC BRONCHITIS

On Thursday evening C. F. Stenhammar and family, for many years well known and highly respected residents of Emardville township left over the Soo line for Denver, Col., where Mr. Stenhammar hopes to obtain relief from chronic bronchitis from which he has been suffering for some time. On Wednesday the members of the Ladies Society of the Swedish Mission and nearly all of Mr. Stenhammar's neighbors called on him to say farewell and made him a handsome present as a token of their esteme and friendship.—Plummer Pioneer.

WANTS TO JOIN THE NAVY— CAN'T LEAVE LITTLE WIFE

Gustavus Gustavuson of Thief River Falls, is anxious to keep house on a big battleship of the United States navy. He has the dearest little wife ever a man had and he thinks of joining the navy, but he could not leave his better half and he has written the Minneapolis office to find out what kind of quarters married men have aboard ship.

He wants to enlist as a clerk and evidently it has never dawned on him that the navy is a poor place for a man who likes his own hearthstone.

"My wife is a good cook and puts out the whitest washing in town," he writes "and I couldn't be comfortable away from home unless she were with me to look after me. But I tell you, tho, her presence would inspire any man to deeds of heroism. Let me know at your earliest convenience what you can do for us."

Now, Lieut. Gay, who received the letter, is a married man, and since his stay in Minneapolis has known for the first time since he married what it is to have a home and Mrs. Gay with him, so he wrote Mr. Gustuvuson that Thief River Falls is a better place for married people than anything the navy has to offer.

TRIAL MARRIAGES SUCCESS IN NORTH

In a recent address in the east V. Stefanson formerly a student of the North Dakota university and at one time city editor of the Plaindealer of Grand Forks gives some interesting details as to the life of the "little brown people of the north." His description of the marriage customs of the Esquimaux are especially interesting.

There, marriages are not according to conventional canons. He described the wooing of a young man of 18, who arrived on a passing steamer and told the captain to wait a little as he saw a pretty girl, and if she would have him he would not go on. He went to the girl's father, who demurred, but said he would speak to his wife. They decided it was not much of a match, but they would refer it to the girl.

"I don't see anyone; but I'll go out and look," she remarked, and after the inspection gave her verdict:

"He's not much but I guess I might as well," or Esquimaux to that effect.

This was the beginning of it, Mr. Stefanson said. He was along later to see the sequel when fish became scarce and the family had to move. The young man said he was tired of fish and would go to a rabbit country. The girls said rabbits were problematical and fish were certain, and she would stay with her father. So they parted. This was only a first marriage. After a second, third, fourth, or fifth marriage, when congenial partners are found the marriage is permanent. After two years' companionship, divorces are unknown.

FORMER SOLDIER IS DEAD AT BAGLEY

Nathan Rolls, an old soldier and well known character at Bagley, is dead from alcoholism. He has no relatives known to the people of Bagley but he has been about that place for seven or eight years.

ALL TEACHERS OF SCHOOLS RE-ELECTED

All theteachers of the Grand Forks city schools were re-elected at a meeting held yesterday afternoon by the board of education. The board granted to Supt. Kelly leave of absence to attend the meeting of the superintendents of the United States in Washington next week. He will leave Friday evening.

CALUMET ELKS WILL HAVE A $25,000 HOME

An Elks' temple to cost between $25,000 and $50,000 is planned by Calumet, Michigan, lodge of Elks of which Josiah Harper is exalted ruler and C. E. L. Thomas, treasurer. The Calumet lodge is one of the strongest in Michigan and its membership has increased more this year than any other Elks' lodge in the state. It is strong financially, as well as in membership.

N. D. U. TO CELEBRATE 25TH ANNIVERSARY

The exercises in celebration of the 25th anniversary of the state university will be held in Baptist church Saturday evening. In the absence of President Merrifield, Dr. George S. Thomas, dean of the college of arts and acting president, will preside.

Chancellor Frank Strong of the University of Kansas will deliver the address of the evening.

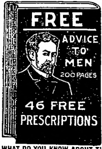
The other speaker of the evening will be Governor John Burke, who stands among the foremost orators in our state.

TELEPHONE IMPROVEMENTS FOR THIEF RIVER FALLS

Manager Frank Bracelin of the Northwestern Telephone Co., was in Thief River Falls the first of the week This company desires to transfer its exchange from the Hotel Rushford to the Dobner-Meehan block and permission is to be asked of the T. R. F. council in the near future to allow several long distance phones to be installed in different business houses in the city.

HODGE IS ACCUSED OF THEFT OF $100

Charged with taking possession of a pocketbook containing over $100 and spending a good share of it in East Grand Forks saloons, John Hodge was arrested yesterday afternoon on complaint of Jeff Barton transfer man at Grand Forks. Hodge was arraigned before Judge Church and a continuance taken to Monday. Barton lost his money Tuesday evening. While Hodge who had been employed by Barton, was in the office, an employe came in and turned a check over to Barton. Barton took out his pocket book and put the check in it. He supposed that he put it back in his pocket, but several hours later discovered it was gone. He was convinced that he lost it, and had the police commence an investigation. It was ascertained that Hodge had been broke up to Tuesday and on Wednesday and Thursday spent the money freely in East Grand Forks saloons. When arrested yesterday at Barton's barn Hodge had only 45 cents on his person. He was taken to the county jail in Grand Forks in default of a bond.



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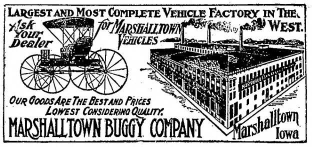
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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

81ST BIRTHDAY—Grandpa Fulton celebrated his 81st birthday last Saturday. A family party was given in his honor Saturday evening at the home of his son Auditor Fulton in Ada.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL—Royal Welcome was today brought home from St. Vincent's hospital where he has been for the past five weeks after a seige of typhoid fever. He is not yet able to sit up but is slowing gaining.

LEFT FOR WASHINGTON—Supt. McIntyre left last evening for Washington, D. C., where he will attend a meeting of superintendents branch of the N. E. A. He will be absent for about two weeks.

TABORITE — Bernard Tiedeman, one of the old north county pioneers is spending a few days in the city among his old German friends and says that if he could wean himself from the farm he would come to town for good.

WILL INSTITUTE LODGE—District Deputy Tim Hastings together with G. Chesterman and Dr. A. A. Just will leave this evening for Bagley where tonight they will institute a new lodge of Odd Fellows.

IN BANKRUPTCY COURT — Ole Larson and Lars O. Larson merchants at Fisher Minn., have filed a bankruptcy petition in Federal court at Fergus Falls placing their firm assests at $9,888.39 of which $4,800 is in insurance policies and their liabilities at $12,467.36.

ENJOYS VISIT—Harry W. Roney the well known mail clerk is up from Fargo for a few days visit with his many friends and finds Crokston a very interesting point to visit in more ways than one. He is attracted up the north line today, by a pair of bright eyes and the boys say Stephen is his destination.

A BIG BUSINESS—Arthur Dinnie of Grand Forks arrived in the city last evening enroute home from a trip to Winnipeg and went over this morning. He has a big cement block factory near Winnipeg and states that there will be a big demand for the product the coming season.

ELECTED OFFICERS— The East Grand Forks Christian Endeavor society of Mendenhall Presbyterian church at its regular meeting elected as officers for the coming term Miss Margaret Shuttelworth, president; Miss Margaret Brown vice president; Wesley Wickwire, recording secretary George Benson, corresponding secretary; Miss Ada Fiers, treasurer.

FERTILE FINANCES GOOD—A. P Hanson cashier of the Fertile National bank is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters. Mr. Hanson reports that the prosperous condition of the farmers of southeastern Polk county made the banking business very easy for them during the financial flurry.

A DAILY READER—M. Engelstad a prominent Russia township farmer was a business visitor in the city today. The farmers down his way are mostly all supplied with stock and dairy cows and are well pleased with the open winter this year thereby savnig a great deal in feed. Mr. Engelstad ordered the Journal to make him daily visits over the R. F. D.

HERE FROM THE WEST—E. D. Childs former well known resident of Crookston arrived in the city last evening after visiting with his son Jesse at Mayville and his sister at Inkster, N. D. He has a fruit ranch at North Yakima and after spending a couple of days here will proceed to the cities where he will spend a week before returning west.

KENT SHOOTS THE FOX—Frank Kent yesterday shot a fox which had made its den in the ground back of his jewelry store at Grand Forks. Barber Bell, of the Dudley shop in that city told Kent about the animal and Kent shot the fox from Bell's room up in the block. The fox was one of a bunch that was on exhibition in the window of a tailor shop for quite a while. It was not very wild.

A PICTURE SHOW — Conductor Geo. Johnson one of the well known G. N. conductors running out of this city has established a moving picture show at Stillwater where he is doing well. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bjoin who returned to the city yesterday from Minneapolis spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Johnson at Stillwater and report that Mr. Johnson is doing a fine business and that they are pleased with their new location.

SPECIAL MEETINGS—will be held at Salvation Army commencing Sat., Feb. 22 continuing for one week. Special Music and songs you never heard before. Ensign Jackson will conduct the same. He is a fine musician playing banjo and concertina and is an able speaker. The following are some of his subjects: "The man who married the wrong wife;" "From the dungeon to the throne in a day;" "What God commanded and never intended, was half finished and never ended;" "A great warrior;" "The story of my life". Everybody come.

POLK PIONEER—Andrew Ophiem one of Polk county's oldest residents a prominent merchant at Fertile is spending the day in the city among old friends. Mr. Opheim returned last night from a trip to Lengby, and as the train was two hours late he missed connections home, therefore his stay here today.

WANTS DAMAGES —Mrs. Ursilla Sandilla who lives north of East Grand Forks has begun an action against Chas. Loring of Crookston, to recover $2500 damages which she claims to be due her because of damages which she received in an automobile accident which occurred north of East Grand Forks last fall. Mr. Loring claims contributory negligence and will make a defense on these grounds.

From Friday's Daily

This afternoon Bernt Eidsvik, who has been a resident of Crookston for the past few years is being examined as to his sanity before Judge of Probate Morken.

The petitioner is a brother of the unfortunate man, Carl Eidsvik of N. Dakota. Bernt has been confined in the St. Vincent Hospital for some time past and as his condition has been growing steadily worse it was decided to have the examination today He is 36 years of age, and it is alleged that his trouble resulted from an unrequitted love affair.

GONE TO CLAIM—C. A. Blomberg left this city Wednesday morning for Middle River from where he went to his homestead near Randen Marshall County.

PLACES LIMIT—Thief River Falls has raised the liquor license to $1000 and will hereafter license any number of saloons instead of limiting them to 16 as heretofore.

GONE WRONG—Sale bills are out announcing the sale of the personal effects of W. H. Drew, of Rollis. We have heard that he is going to Washington. Another good man gone wrong. — Middle River Pioneer.

OLD TIMER HERE—Harry Ward who worked at the Grill several years ago when Chas. Morley was at the helm is spending a couple of days in the city after a trip west. He is enroute to his home in southern Minnesota.

FINED $5—A. Petway the colored man who said he was doing a shooting stunt a few nights ago was arraigned in Judge McLean's court this morning and was fined $5 and costs. The complaint was sworn to by the police and Bob Shevlin was called as a witness for the state.

WARRANT SWORN OUT —Louis Datka, of Tabor township was in the city today and swore out a warrant for the arrest of a prominent resident of Euclid before Judge McLean, who he charged with assaulting him with a crutch. Until there is more definite information regarding the affair the Journal will not mention the defendant in the case, as it would appear there must be some mistake in the matter.

BACHELOR DAYS OVER—G. I. Fitzgerald, representing Geo. R. Newell & Co. of Minneapolis who sells umpty steen kinds of cigars and things will leave this evening for Ada where he will meet his wife and return in the morning on the Winnipeg flyer. Mrs. Fitzgerald has been in Minneapolis for several weeks past where she has been attending members of her family who have been ill.

BACK FROM TRIP—Will Fee, who has been visiting his parents near Warroad for several weeks returned to Grand Forks yesterday and will go out on the road this week. He had an enjoyable visit at Warroad and played in a number of hockey games. The last game was played Saturday when Warroad defeated Roseau by a score of 5 to . Mr. Fee states that there is lots of logging going on in Northern Minnesota. The slush formed by the recent rain and snow was followed by cold weather and more snow and the roads are in fine shape for the loggers.

E. G. F. COMMERCIAL CLUB — In response to invitations extended by the committee appointed at a former meeting, a representative meeting of citizens was held last evening at Gies hall and the Commercial club of East Grand Forks was duly animated discussion. F. C. Massee presided and J. H. McNicol officiated as secretary. Articles of incorporation and a constitution were adopted and provisions made for holding the first annual meeting on March 2 when a president, secretary, treasurer and ten directors will be elected. A committee on by-laws was appointed consisting of A. H. Briggs, D. T. Collins, G. A. E. Finlayson, Dr. Wilson and C. P. Zimmerman. Another committee consisting of E. Arneson, T. A. Sullivan, J. L. Diven, J. C. Sherlock and W. R. Stoughton was appointed to arrange a place for holding the meeting on March 2 and to provide for a temporary club room.

HOME FROM TRIP SOUTH—Dr. Elmer Bertelson returned yesterday from month's visit with relatives and friends south. He spent three days at Fergus Falls and later visited St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chicago and reports a very pleasant time while absent from the city.

HAS BAD FOOT—Lars Larson son of Ole Larson of Fisher, and a member of the hardware firm of Ole Larson and Son of Fisher, came over this morning to have a bad foot treated by Dr. Hodgson. He had his foot injured at the recent fire and it is troubling him severely.

WILL COFFEE HALLOCK—J. S. Shinners who represents the Columbia Coffee company of St. Paul, left this morning for Hallock where he will load the people of that town up with coffee. He also represents the McFadden Candy Co., of St. Paul but this is simply a side issue with him.

LIVELY PART OF THE TIME — The members of the party who went to Winnipeg after Paul Kopang Wednesday morning report that things are fairly lively in that city six days in the week, but that on Sunday it is a graveyard on a large scale. The people are not very well pleased with the length of the screws which are holding down the Sunday lid.

LOCAL HSPITAL—R. B. Johnson, the furniture dealer of Hallock, passed through the city Saturday on his way to St. Vincent Hospital, Crookston, where his little son, Stanley, is confined. Mr. Johnson informed the editor that while playing hockey last Friday his little son was unfortunate in having an eye knocked out with a hockey stick. His little daughter is also very ill at her home in Hallock and her recovery is doubtful.—Argyle Banner.

From Saturday's Daily—

A 30-DAY MAN—The sheriff's office was notified today of a 30-day man at East Grand Forks and a deputy will leave this evening to bring him over for a month's good feed.

VISITING FOSSTON— Judge Morken is spending the day at Fosston attending to business matters and looking after political business at the same time.

SANKEY'S WOES—"If the fellow who was seen swiping wood from wood-pile Tuesday night will step into the woodshed he will find wood nicely split up" is the invitation of Brother Carr.

LITTLE DOING—Today was a very quiet Saturday in Crookston the most quiet in many months. The court house, land office and many offices were deserted and there was very little doing anywhere in the city.

BUYING CHICKENS— Charles V. Evenson of Grand Forks, for many years deputy treasurer of Grand Forks County and who is now a clerk in that office spent the day in the city purchasing some thorobred chickens of F. C. Mitchell.

THIEF RIVER ELKS—J. H. Gerenrin, of Little Falls district deputy of the Elks lodge will be in the city Saturday and will make all of the arrangements for installing the new lodge of Elks here.—Thief River Falls News.

HERE FOR THE DAY—Ed Ebbighausen the well known engineer arrived in the city last evening and is spending the day with his parents Mr and Mrs. H. G. Ebbighausen. He is running out of Grand Forks now and is kept busy all of the time.

HAD FINE TIME — E. G. Ebbighausen returned last evening from Grand Forks where he attended the big K. P. meeting. There were delegations from all parts of the northwest, and Hillsboro was especially well represented, the degree team coming from that place and included ex-Governor E. Y. Sarles and a lot of other live ones.

FIRST CLASS MUSIC—Messrs. Irvin Burkhardt and Lukkason and Miss Fern Lancaster returned this morning from Larimore where they furnished the music for a ball given by several of the society leaders. There was a large attendance and a delightful time was enjoyed.

AN ERROR MADE—The Journal stated last evening that on leaving Mr. D. D. Clark the proprietor of the the store the evening of the fire, store had turned switch cutting off the entire electrical connections in the building. This was an error, the fact being that there is no such switch in the store, the lights being all individual affairs and the only way they can be turned off is one at a time.

A TRIP SOUTH—Olaf M. Brandt of Fosston made his departure for sunny California last Sunday leaving in the afternoon. He stopped in Minneapolis several days and does not expect to reach his destination before Sunday night. At this time Mr. Brandt is not decided as to whether he will enter into business there or merely enjoy an extended vacation in the south. His vacancy at the post office has been supplied by John Graftaas.

ENJOYED FINE TRIP — Messrs. Wm. Wentzel and Wm. Heydt returned this morning after a week's trip below. They visited the penitentiary at Stillwater and report a very fine time, the visit being voluntary. They were guests of Adolph Wentzel, who is employed by the Aultman, Taylor Co., of Minneapolis, and also spent some time in St. Paul with friends. They both disclaim that their eyes were over-strained from rubbering at spring hosiery or that a slight stiffness in their necks is due to looking at the high buildings. Friends think

HELD TO GRAND JURY — At a hearing before Justice Vig of Fosston Tuesday and Wednesday two men who gave their names as Clarence Warner and Henry Michels were bound over to the grand jury on the charge of keeping a disorderly house. They had been in town but a few days when arrested and a woman who was with them was discharged and allowed to return to her home in one of the counties further north. The two men are now languishing in the county jail here.

LOCAL OPTION—On Monday afternoon of this week a petition bearing the signatures of 17 legal voters of the village, was filed with Recorder Brager of Fosston, asking for the submission of the question of licensing saloons to a vote at the annual village election, which takes place upon March 10th, two weeks from next Tuesday. The antisaloon people are early in the game and will make an active campaign. Since the organization of the village of Fosston, the question of "license or no license" has come before the voters at many regular spring elections and the variation of the vote at various times in the past proves interesting history. In 1895 thirteen years ago, license carried by barely 9 votes. Four years later the petition for a vote upon license was filed too late to be legally considered, but in 1900 license carried by 50 majority. No petition was presented at the following election and in 1902 the "wets" had their highest record majority — 62. In 1904, 38 more votes were polled for license than against, while license was defeated by 33 majority in 1905 and the village went "dry" for the year. A year later however, saloons were returned by 20 majority and last year the ballot showed in favor of license by 36.

Geo. Heath is spending the day at Augus and will return this evening with a few new stories manufactured by J. F. Montgomery—together with a well filled order book.

OLD MAN SLAIN FOR HIS MONEY

BERNARD ROEHMER OF WABASHA VICTIM OF NIGHT ASSASSINS

BEATEN TO DEATH IN HIS YARD BY TWO STRANGERS— SEARCH FOR GOLD

From Saturday's Daily—

The many former residents of Wabasha and vicinity will be interested in the brutal murder of Bernard Roehmer last night. The victim of the terrible tragedy was well known to many residents of this city and Euclid having resided on a farm adjoining the one owned by the father of T. E. Biever of this city.

Roehmer who was a defenseless old man, was murdered last night as he was doing what he thought was an act of kindness and courtesy for two strangers who had called at his humble home.

One of the men struck him over the head with a culb. The skill of the old man was crushed by the blow and he fell senseless and soon died in the dooryard of his house.

Roehmer lived about three miles out of town on what is known as Pepin hill. He lived alone except for a housekeeper who kept his place in order and prepared his meals. It was believed that he was a man of some means and as he was known to have a small iron safe the stories of his wealth were enlarged upon by each retelling and it is thought by some that large sums were concealed in his home.

Came to Ask Favor

The two men knocked at his door and when he opened it they asked to be directed to a certain locality. The better to show them the way, the old man stepped outside and proceeded toward the front gate with them.

While one of the men walked by the side of Roehmer the other fell in behind them and then with a blow of a bludgeon, crushed the skull of their unsuspecting victim.

Fired Upon Housekeeper.

The murderers then returned to the house and fired a shot from a revolver at the woman, who had started to run to a neighbor's. Apparently they had plotted to kill both inmates of the place and the housekeeper owes her life to the fact that in the darkness and excitement the aim of Roehmer's slayers was uncertain.

Everything in the house was turned upside down by the murderers in their search for Roehmer's hidden store. It is believed the men spent a large part of the night in the search No one yet knows the amount taken, if any, by them. Roehmer's safe resisted their efforts and all its contents are intact.

Roehmer was 70 years of age. Four years ago he was robbed of $1,500, but the burglar was caught and most of the money found upon him.

The girl who kept house for Roehmer furnishes what is believed to be a good description of the murderers One of them she says was about five feet nine inches in height and had a short gray chin beard. He wore a brown fur coat. The other man was considerably younger and was about five feet ten inches in height and wore a black overcoat. His complexion was light and fair and he had a black mustche.

$500 Reward

A brother of Roehmer is offering $500 for evidence that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the assassins By some it is believed that they are men well acquainted with the habits of Roehmer and his reputation for hoarding his money and are really no strangers to the community.

TAPPED HIM ON SHOULDER

DIGNIFIED BUSINESS MAN CAUSED EMBARRASSMENT TO THE YOUNG LADY

A dignified business man was stooping over his mail box at the postoffice last evening, when he was tapped on the shoulder and a sweet voice said: "Say, the next time I make a date with you, you'll know it, I tell you—" Just then the business man looked up and the young lady's face turned crimson, and she almost fainted, recovering enough in an instant to say "Oh I beg your pardon. I—I made a mistake."

The business man smiled and hurried out to keep from roaring with laughter but as he thought later on what a predicament he might have been in had his wife witnessed the incident, he almost shivered.

The question of local option will be submitted to the voters of Kittson county at the coming election.

PLANS ARE COMPLETED

FOR THE MORRIS BLOCK TO BE ERECTED THE COMING SPRING

BIDS FOR THE BLOCK WILL BE OPENED HERE ON MARCH 15TH

From Saturday's Daily—

Architect B. D. Keck has completed the plans for the new brick block to be erected by Tom Morris next to the post office block. The plans call for a two story building with a 25 foot frontage and the walls will be constructed so that a third story can be added at any time desired.

The plans are now ready to be figured upon by the contractors and bids will be opened March 15th next. The intention is to have the work started as early as the weather will permit, and the improvement will be a notable one on Second Street. Architect Keck has also completed plans for the construction of a $4000 residence for E. M. Engelbert at Bronson one of the new towns on the Soo line. He states that from present indications there will a large amount of building the coming spring in this section of the state.

INDUSTRIOUS BEAVERS WON

LOGGING COMPANY TIRES OF REMOVING BEAVER DAM AND HAVING IT REBUILT

The Park Rapids Lumber company has been beaten out by a colony of beavers, a rare thing in this country at the present time.

The beavers are on Suay creek in the northern part of Becker county. They had a dam built across the creek and the lumber men removed it. The beavers set to work and rebuilt the dam. It was again removed by the lumbermen.

Now that the beavers have shown such persistency the lumber company has decided not to molest them further. They will be allowed to add and strengthen their dam unmolested

From Thursday's Daily—

The county commissioners wound up a very busy meeting last night by appointing Orvis Hinds county superintendent of highways a new office created by an act of the last legislature. The board also settled an old matter that had been in and out of the courts for the past four years—the Ditch No. 45 case out near Fosston. The contractor had failed to fulfill the specifications, the St. Hilaire bank were assigned the orders but could not collect. The matter was settled satisfactorily to everyone so no one will be the loser.

Telegraphing Made Easy

A Soo Line Operator Invents a Machine that Makes the Dots—Sold All Over the World

F. T. Vail, formerly chief operator of the "Soo Line" at Minneapolis, now the chief electrician of the International Vailograph Co. with an aggressive and pushing organization at his back, is heralded as the latest great inventor in the telegraphic field.

As is generally known, a telegraph operator "talks by dots and dashes" made with a key that opens and closes the electric circuit. To make dots and dashes is nerve racking work. In rapid sending it is estimated that an operator makes 30,000 nerve movements an hour. Mr. Vail has invented a machine that makes this mere child's play, as the Vailograph makes the dots. A large number of telegraph operators and other people with money to invest are buying stock in the company, which has recently installed a factory at Minneapolis and will sell its product all over the world. Parties seeking a safe investment will find it to their interest to write the INTERNATIONAL VAILOGRAPH CO., (Incorporated) Guaranty Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

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Relieves Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Belching of Gas, Etc.
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IS CHARGFD WITH BIGAMY

ARTHUR MOORE APPREHENDED IN CITY LAST EVENING ON SERIOUS CHARGE

MARRIED WELL KNOWN YOUNG LADY OF ADA—ALREADY HAD ONE WIFE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening at the Palace Hotel in this city Arthur Moore was arrested by Sheriff Gonyea after returning from a trip up the north line, charged with bigamy.

The details of the affair could not be learned. It is known however that Moore, alias Horace Benson, who hails from Des Moines, has a wife at that place, and one month ago he married Miss Lilly Woodbury at Ada where he worked at the cigar trade.

Moore is a cigar maker by trade and holds a card in the Crookston Cigarmakers' Union. Moore was lodged in the county jail and this evening will be taken back to Ada by Sheriff P. A. Peterson of Norman Co., where he will have his preliminary hearing, and as it is said the evidence against him is strong, will undoubtedly be held to the grand jury of Norman Co.

The charge is a very serious one, but Moore refused to discuss the matter when seen.

RAILROAD "CONS" ENJOY BIG FEED

GRAND FORKS RAILROAD CONDUCTORS HAVE BANQUET FIT FOR A KING

Grand Forks Times: Fidelity, justice and charity mingled in neat, nifty and nobby style and dished up as it was at the bountiful repast served to the Great Northern conductors at Logan's cafe in this city last night, will never ravel out in the minds of the "cons".

It was a regular landslide, reunion and old settlers picnic combined. It was a better combination lunch than ever a "con" had made an impression in while bumping the bumps between jerkwaters. The risibilities from soup to nuts were of the bang-in, jimmycane, glory-be order, and even the postlude of the menu bore the inscription from "Dink"—"always leave them laughingly when you say good-bye."

A touch of pathos with a slight tinge of reverance was rendered by the famous calwife band of division 178, composed of Professors Schyuler, Else and Wright, and they did with such vivaciousness that even parental progenitors were compelled to applaud even vociferiously. The menu cards bore the likeness of his highness on the cover. It was "James" in all his glory from one of his best photographs. The color designs were of red and green.

The annual banquet of the Great Northern Division 178 of the O. R. C. was a decided success both externally and internally.

FINE SOUVENIR OF RED WING

CAPT. VONDERBECK RECEIVES SOME SPLENDID VIEWS OF RED WING

Capt. Vonderbeck of the local police force this morning received a very handsome booklet from Alderman C. H. Tiedeman, a former Euclid boy which is filled with several score illustrations of the business houses and fine views in and about Red Wng. The booklet is very fine advertisement for Red Wing and shows enterprise on the part of the Commercial Club or whoever was behind its publication.

Alderman Tiedeman wrote for a copy of the underground telephone ordinance passed by the Crokston council which Capt. Vonderbeck will forward to him this evening.

Simple Remedy for LaGrippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous a they frequently devolep into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough bue heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

MAKE MONEY by sending your HIDES, FURS, ETC., to us. We pay highest prices, and sell guns, traps, etc., cheap.
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Write for Catalog and Price List.

THE FARMERS ARE BUNCOED

PAYING $79 FOR RANGES THAT CAN BE BOUGHT FOR 55 DOLLARS

ANOTHER OUTFIT SELLING SILK GOODS FOR DOUBLE PRICES

For some time past several wagons have been running out of this city selling stoves to farmers. They are selling kitchen ranges for $79 which are not as good as can be purchased of the hardwaremen in this city for $55 but the salve used by the salesmen should be used with a grain of salt.

It should be remembered that the goods sold are not guaranteed by responsible parties. Far better buy a stove of people who are in business in your home town and whom you can come to at any time and know that you will get just what was promised you.

There is also an outfit making the farming districts selling silk goods. The stock they are selling is worth about one half what the same goods can be bought for right here in Crookston. Such peddlers should be turned down by every woman in the country. They can come to Crookston and buy goods at about half the price.

ORGANIZED AT FERGUS FALLS

FERGUS FALLS TRAVELING MEN FORMED AN ORGANIZATION SATURDAY NIGHT

The traveling men of Fergus Falls met Saturday evening and organized "The Commercial Travelers' Club of the City of Fergus Falls" selecting the following officers:

President—Bronson Strain.
Secretary—E. A. Morgan.
Treasurer—J. W. Robinson.

The secretary was instructed to request all traveling men residing in the city of Fergus Falls to be present at the next meeting to be held at the Grand hotel on Saturday evening, March 7, at 7:30 o'clock.

Following is a list of the members: J. W. Shehan, B. Strain, J. W. Robinson, B. Sprague, J. P. Anderson, Chas. Schuenemann, E. J. McKenna, Arthur Wright, Frank Lawrence, Bert Harris, Ole Grinager, O. M. Leonard, C. E. T. Larson, E. A. Solem, W. D. Martin, B. A. Clark, M. Hunt, W. Gardner, W. B. Brawley, J. A. Jackson G. P. Smith, F. A. Kemp, Chas. Bent, Wm. Noel, Wm. McBride, M. R. Lowry, Albert Gjerset, E. A. Morgan, Max Sachs, J. Jordahl, E. S. Lambert.

NEW RUN FOR CONDUCTORS

IMPORTANT CHANGES ARE TO BE MADE IN RUNS

The passenger divisions of the Great Northern were changed Sunday and as a result all the crews on Trains Nos. 1, 2, 5 and 6 will run from Grand Forks to Devils Lake instead of from Grand Forks to Minot. From Devils Lake to Williston constitutes another passenger division extends from Breckenridge to Devils Lake instead of from Larimore to Minot.

All the conductors who have been running out of Grand Forks will continue to make their home there with the exceptions of Conductors Wallrath, Carnathan and Tibbs, who will run between Devils Lake and Williston.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy an improvement on the laxatives of former years as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. For sale by all druggists.

BANQUET FOR WU TING FANG.

New Chinese Minister Will Be Guest of Frisco Chamber of Commerce.

San Francisco, Feb. 26.—The Chamber of Commerce yesterday received a cable message from Wu Ting Fang, the new Chinese minister to the United States, accepting an invitation to a banquet to be given in his honor on the evening of his arrival in this city. He is expected to arrive here next Friday on the steamer Siberia.

BIG RECORD OF THE WILLISTON LAND OFFICE

During the last four months the total receipts of the Williston Land office have been raised over $400,000. In January there were 600 final proofs made, while in February the same record will be attained. In March there will be between 400 and 500 final proofs made.

STEENERSON'S BODY WILL BE RECOVERED

Naval Court Finding Prove that Ben Jumped into the Water to Save Comrade.

Letters received in the city from Congressman Steenerson state that the body of Ben had not yet been recovered but that the naval officers and searchers were sure that it would in a short time be found as there is no record of them not in time getting those who have drowned in those waters. Mr. Steenerson also writes that Mrs. Steenerson is very poorly as the shock was so great to her that she nearly lost her reason. The findings of the court that Ben gave his life for his comrade is a source of great satisfaction to his many friends here who would not for a moment entertain the idea it was a suicide.

The following is an account of the sad occurrence taken from the Newport (R. I.) News of Feb. 19th:

An official statement was given out yesterday afternoon by a member of the naval board of investigation which is looking into the deaths of Privates Steenerson and McIntosh of the marine corps, who were drowned on last Sunday afternoon.

"From the evidence given by the crew and passengers of the tug Annie R. Wood, it has been decided that there is no truth in the rumor that Private Steenerson committed suicide

'The disappearance of Private McIntosh is still unexplained, but it appears that all hands on the tug were looking for McIntosh who had presumably fallen overboard, when Private Steenerson either fell overboard in an attempt to rescue his comrade.

"The evidence further shows that Private Steenerson was not under the influence of liquor, but was most naturally excited over the disappearance of McIntosh.

"The testimony of two uninterested witnesses, men upon whom no blame can rest, establishes the fact that Private Steenerson made every effort to reach the life buoy which was thrown to him from the tug. He was seen to swim in the direction of the buoy for several minutes. The buoy, however, was continually being swept away from him by the tide and current."

No Reason for Suicide

The same member of the board stated that so far as searching inquiry had been made there was absolutely no reason for Steenerson committing suicide and this verdict is shared in by all members of the board and by officers and enlisted men at the Training Station.

The court has not yet completed its sessions.

Congressman Steenerson father of Private Steenerson, who reached Newport yesterday morning, stated he could only corroborate what the member of the board (First Lieutenant Richard B. Creecy, U. S. M. C.) had stated. "I heard the testimony and I am satisfied the theory of suicide is unwarranted. My boy tried to save himself and went into the water thinking he saw his lost comrade and wanted to save him. The tug was turned around at my son's request and for 20 minutes everyone was looking for McIntosh.

"Captain Rich of the tug thinks my son jumped into the sea thinking he saw something or slipped and fell overboard. My son hollered for help which shows plainly he was not trying to drown himself. My son was of a cheerful disposition and wished to stay in the marine corps for a year and I had promised him at the end of that period to secure him his discharge when he intended to take up the practice of law."

Congressman Steenerson also told of the many letters he had received from his son, everyone of which were written in the most cheerful terms. showing again he had not been in any other but a cherful frame of mind and was willing to serve a year's enlistment.

Representative Steenerson

Representative Steenerson is a fine type of a westerner. He is several inches over six feet and has a large frame and a commanding presence. He is a man who would attract attention anywhere. He called at the Herald office yesterday afternoon to thank the staff for aid. He said he had been deeply touched by the spirit of comradeship among the marines, nearly every one of whom was out searching for the body of his son, each working energetically in the cold of the afternoon. The naval officers he said, had also been most kind. He will remain several days in hope of recovering his son's body.

While seamen and marines from the Training Station and marine barracks continued their search for the bodies of Privates Steenerson and McIntosh yesterday a naval court of investigation consisting of Commander William B. Fletcher, U. S. N., with Major W. N. McKelovy and First Lieutenant Richard B. Creecy, U. S. M. C., were in session at the marine barracks.

All those who were on board the tug Sunday afternoon save Neil Olsen of the dredger Urban went over their testimony which was practically the same as that given the police on Monday. Inspector Allan C. Griffith of the Newport police department, who took the statements of witnesses on Monday was also present.

The officers of the investigation board examined witnesses carefully and they found their stories were identically the same as given to the police.

Capt. Dillingham in Charge

Congressman Steenerson was given every facility by Captain Albert C. Dillingham, U. S. N., senior officer present to carry on a personal investigation of his son's death, and he took an active part in the examination of the witnesses. Congressman Steenerson is deeply grieved over the sad ending of his only son.

Olsen, who is locked up in the Newport county jail for assaulting William Champion, Jr., on the tug Sunday afternoon will be arraigned in the district court next Friday morning and it is likely his case will be continued so he will be held as a witness.

The naval court needs Olsen's testimony but he cannot be taken to the marine barracks by the sheriff unless the attorney general is served with a writ of habeas corpus, which is likely to be done, through naval channels.

Congressman Steenerson brought instructions from the navy department to Rear Admiral John P. Merrill, U. S. N., who has been called to Washington on official business and whose office is being filled by Captain Dillingham superintendent of the naval training system.

Chief of Police Crowley who has thoroly investigated the circumstances of the marines' death, expressed himself again yesterday as being firmly of the opinion that Private McIntosh was accidentally drowned and Private Steenerson jumped overboard foolishly after his chum.

The watchman at the Naval Torpedo Station has found the dress uniform cap of a marine which he picked up during his rounds yesterday near the boat house at the north end of the station, it having been washed up by the tide. This discovery was immediately reported to Commander Albert Gleaves, U. S. N., in charge of the Torpedo Station, who turned it over to the board at the marine barracks. The cap has been identified as that belonging to Private Steenerson. On the back of the leather sweat band and inside the cap in black ink was found the letter "S".

No Blood on Hat

Members of the marine guard of which Privates Steenerson and McIntosh were members continue to work and investigate every possible clew about the city and elsewhere. The cap belonging to Private Steenerson found floating at the Torpedo Station boat house yesterday was sent by the board of investigators to the naval hospital for the surgeons there to examine to ascertain if there were any blood marks on it. None were found.

It is hardly probable that the board of investigation will complete its labors today. In the meantime the search for the bodies will be continued.

Mr. Harry McIntosh brother of Private McIntosh who was drowned, arrived here last evening from his home in Pittsburg for the purpose of making a personal investigation into his brother's death.

No Case on Record

There is no case on record of a cough or a cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. For sale by all druggists.

GOOD SEASON PREDICTED

FARMERS AND OTHERS ARE INTERESTED IN SHRUBBERY AND FRUITS

PAST FEW YEARS HAVE BEEN VERY FAVORABLE TO THEIR GROWTH

From Tuesday's Daily—

Frank Haseltine, the nursery man left this morning for Hallock where he will sell shrubbery and small fruit plants to the progressive farmers.

The past few years have been very favorable to the growth and bearing of all small fruits in the Red River Valley. Strawberries, currants, raspberries, plums and gooseberries have been raised in large quantities, and the flavor of the northern grown fruit and berries is far superior to those grown in the southern and middle states. The products of the Valley nurseries are far superior for planting in this section to the output of the southern nurseries because they are acclimated and thrive better. In the early days thousands of dollars were expended in nursery stock by the farmers, and in many instances the results were not satisfactory.

Now, however, after experimenting for years, the varieties have been selected which are best adapted to this climate and now the experienced nursery men of this section will sell nothing but what they can guarantee will give excellent satisfaction.

OLD RESIDENTS ARE TO LEAVE

WM. CREIGHTON AND FAMILY TO LEAVE FOR NORTH YAKIMA

Wm. Creighton one of the old time residents of Crookston, who last fall invested in some property at North Yakima, Washington, has sold his property in Crookston and Thursday evening will leave for his new western home. Mrs. Creighton and the family will leave the first of next week. They are among the pioneer residents of Crookston and their departure will be sincerely regretted by a very large circle of friends. The house hold goods are now being packed for the trip.

For years Mr. Creighton operated a dray line in Crookston, and made a success of the business.

THE VERY LATEST IN BAND MUSIC

BANDMASTER RIGGS WILL TAKE INSTRUCTIONS FROM FOREMOST MASTERS

The band concert will be held at the Auditorium on Tuesday March 3rd. There will be no concert in April owing to the fact that Bandmaster Riggs will be out of the city as stated in the Journal yesterday. Mr. Riggs has been trying to arrange his business so that he can leave Crookston about March 10 and will go direct to Chicago where he will take a course in music from the very best masters. It is also probable that he will go to New York where he will also take instructions from the men who are recognized to be at the head of the profession.

Bandmaster Riggs desires to give the Crookston band the benefit of the very latest instruction in that line and his trip will be of great benefit to the band which is recognized to be the leading organization of the kind in the northwest.

What Everybody Wants

Everybody desires good health, which is impossible unless the kidneys are healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and cures all forms of kidney or bladder disorders. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and prevent Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

SAD N EWS RECEIVED

GOTFRIED BURKHARDT DIED SUDDENLY YESTERDAY AT MENOMINEE

WAS AN UNCLE OF OTTO AND RUDY BURKHARDT AND MRS. KOELMEL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon a telegram was received by Otto Burkhardt proprietor of the Cleveland House, bearing the sad tidings of the death of Gotfried Burkhardt, his uncle, at Menominee, Wisconsin. Death took place yesterday afternoon and was very sudden.

Deceased was 66 years of age and leaves a wife and several children. He was one of the leading brewers of Wisconsin and was a man of strict integrity and held in high esteem by all who knew him. He visited in Crookston in the early 80's and is well remembered by scores of the old timers of this city and vicinity.

Deceased was a brother of Ex-Senator Henry Burkhardt, Rudolph Burkhardt, and Gotlieb Burkhardt of Wabasha and Jacob Burkhardt of St. Jacobs, Ill., and an uncle of Otto Burkhardt, Rudy Burkhardt and Mrs. Jos. Koelmel of this city.

Otto Burkhardt left last evening for Menominee to attend the funeral which it is expected will be held tomorrow. Definite information has not yet been received, but it is supposed that the remains will be interred in the family lot at Wabasha.

Deceased was a veteran of the Civil War and both of his parents have been dead for several years. The members of the bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in the hour of their trouble.

MONDAYS RAIN SPOILED THE ROADS

FARMERS REPORT THAT SLEIGHING HAS GONE GLIMMERING

Farmers and liverymen who were interviewed by a Journal man today state that the sleighing in the country was practically completely destroyed by the rain of yesterday. On the streets of this city the sleighing is also practically gone and most of the draymen this morning returned to their wagons. There has been less sleighing in the valley the present winter than ever before in the history of the country.

MALCOLM ITEMS

(Beltrami County)

Miss Clara Bakke of Minneapolis, is again here to make the required residence on her claim.

P. E. Spink resigned his school in district 104 and is now at home attending to business matters.

J. Knutson left for Thief River Falls Thursday to meet his wife who has been visiting in Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson and daughter, Esther, who went to Crookston last week, returned Wednesday.

Ralph Spink who has been engaged in the printing business at Minot, N. D. during most of the past year, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Elsey of Minot, N. D., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Spink. Mr. Elsey is a linotype operator and has been employed the past year on the Daily Optic of Minot, N. D. They will move into their house on their claim as soon as the building is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Spink and little daughter arrived here from Minot, N. D., where Mr. Spink was foreman in the job department of the Daily Reporter. They have located on their claim here and are much pleased with it altho Mr. Spink says that the tall timber is a few "picas" too near his door.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST BANK IN NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

HOP RIGHT IN GAME

INDEPENDE[illegible] GRAIN SHIPPERS M[illegible] [illegible]FINITE [illegible]

Historical Society

TO MARKET GRAIN TH[illegible] [illegible]ENT YEAR — TO IN COR PORATE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Independent Grain Shippers' association will shortly open a commission house either in Minneapolis or at the Head of the Lakes. This matter was definitely settled at a meeting held at Fargo and which was attended by seventy-five prominent independent shippers of North Dakota.

The firm is to be organized with a capital of $5,000 the stock to be subscribed by the grain men and the independent elevators with not less than 100 elevators securing the stock A committee of twelve was appointed to sell the stock to organize and to incorporate. This committee is composed of L. E. Foss, Maddock; E. Biessbarth, Brinsmade; L. Thompson Matten; E. Steenerson, Crookston; L. Noltmeier, Valley City; O. G. Major, Hope; G. K. Jordet, Finley; D. F. Seigfried, Drager, Rugby, and Mr. Vannice and Mr. Hart.

This committee will also act as a nominating committee for the election of officers of the new firm.

The committee adjourned to meet at Devils Lake during the meeting of the Chautauqua on the last Saturday in June.

The action of the independent shippers means that by the time the next grain crop is ready to be moved the new commission firm will be fully established and will handle the consignments of the independent elevators in the northwest.

The proposed firm will operate on a little different basis from the other commission houses, in that the independent dealers will consign their grain to this firm without having been solicited by an agent, which official the new firm will dispense with making a saving of at least a half-cent a bushel on all shipments. The organization of an independent grain commission house is another step towards a terminal elevator, and the prospects of a strong commission firm have greatly enthused the hopes of the independent shippers.

VALLEY COVERED BY MANTLE OF SNOW

A heavy snow storm began Saturday afternoon and continued till late Sunday evening, a total of 14 inches of snow falling, more than had fallen during the entire winter. The horse owners are rejoicing as it means that the teams in the woods will remain for several weeks and practically all logging contracts will be finished.

It also means that horses in the woods will not only be earning good money but the feed bill for their owners will be avoided for another month or six weeks, which at present prices of grain and hay is a very big item.

DEEDS, NOT WORDS

Crookston People have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home

It's not words, but deeds that prove true merit.

The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills,
For Crookston kidney sufferers,
Have made their local reputation.

Proof lies in the testimony of Crookston people who have been cured to stay cured.

John Dunn, Sr., of 336 Central Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is more than five years since I first recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, but I can endorse them just as highly today as when I gave my first statement in their favor. Before I used them I had suffered for about ten years from pains in the back and about the kidneys. The kidney secretions were also disordered, being too frequent in action. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at the Wallace's Pharmacy, removed every symptom. The gratifying results have proved of a permanent nature, and I have been recommending Doan's Kidney Pills ever since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

EXCELLENT PROPOSITION

CANNING AND PICKLE FACTORY PLANNED WOULD EMPLOY 150 MEN

WOULD MEAN AN OUTLAY OF BUT $18,000—CLUB MEETS ON THURSDAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The proposition presented to the directors of the 25,000 club yesterday afternoon by R. M. Peacock, proprietor of a large canning factory at Clear Lake Minnesota, and who is connected with several other canning and pickle factories was without doubt one of the most practical ever considered by the commercial club. and a special meeting of the directors of the club will be held this evening, to further consider the proposition that will be brought before a special meeting of all members of the club to be held Thursday evening.

Mr. Peacock stated that a canning factory costing $18,000 would employ 150 men the year around. Peas, beans tomatoes and everything in that line would be canned an da pickle factory would also be run in conection.

Mr. Peacock and Mr. Davis who represents a large concern in Minneapolis which builds and equips canning factories started this morning for a drive out into the country to interview the farmers and get their sentiments, and will drive in a different direction tomorrow and thoroly canvass the situation as large quantities of garden vegetables would be necessary.

The proposition is one that should receive the hearty support of the commercial club and every individual citizen and farmer.

THEY WILL OFFER LABOR PLANKS

STATE FEDERATION COMMITTEE WILL WORK FOR REFORM LAWS

The state Federation of Labor has appointed a state central committee which will look after the interests of labor in politics. Union labor will not nominate any candidates but will work for candidates of either party who are known to be in sympathy with the cause. A special effort will be made to get an employer's liability law for the state, such as President Roosevelt is advocating for the nation. Another purpose is to abolish all contract prison labor. The federation committee will presnt planks on both subjects to the republican and democratic state conventions for adoption.

The executive council of the federation met yesterday in St. Paul and empowered President George B. Howley to appoint the political committee. He named three at large, G. W. Deacon and N. C. O'Connor of Minneapolis and John Kirby of Red Wing, and the following by congressional districts:

Second district, Garfield E. Morrison, fourth district, W. B. Van Brunt St. Paul, fifth district, Louis Roth, Brainerd; eighth district, Henry Perreault, Duluth; ninth district, Richard Straub, Fargo, N. D. Three other district members will be named

The executive council passed a resolution recommending that each local union devote time and study to the question of industrial schools. The federation is neither for nor against the proposition at this time, recognizing that there is much to be said on both sides.

BOYS INVADE CLUB HOUSE.

Example to Be Made of Young Winona Vandals.

Winona, Minn., March 3.—A score or more of boys are implicated in the breaking into of the club house of the Meadow Brook Golf club here and destroying property valued at about $200. Several of them have been arrested and the others will be taken into court this morning. The interior of the club house was defaced, the lockers broken open and considerable property taken away. An example is to be made of the boys to prevent future depredations.

Aged Woman Rescues Husband.

Waterloo, Iowa, March 4. — Plunging through blinding smoke and roaring flames, Mrs. Tim Tuhpit, aged seventy, saved her aged husband when their home burned at Clarksville. Both left their home in their night clothes, but the husband returned to get his money, when his wife dragged him unconscious to safety.

STATIONS ARE BEING CLOSED

G. N. DOING AWAY WITH OPERATORS WHEREVER IT IS POSSIBLE

SEVERAL STATIONS ARE CLOSED AND OTHERS ARE ORDERED CLOSED AT NIGHT

The Great Northern is making big reductions to the telegraph force. Stations are being closed and the telegraph is being done away with as much as possible. Between Devils Lake and Grand Forks the block system has been put out of commission The following stations have been closed: Powell, Ojata, M. R. Tower, Shawnee and Keith. The following stations have been ordered closed at night: Anvilla, Petersburg, Mapes and Bartlett.

On the branch lines none of the stations are kept open nights and there will probably be no changes made. About all the men employed at the branch stations are an agent who does all the work. Usually his knowledge of telegraphy is slight.

Day Business is Slight

One reason given for the reduction of the force of operators between Grand Forks and Devils Lake is that the through traffic has fallen off since the Devils Lake-Aneta cutoff was finished. A great share of the freight is sent over that line now. The cut in the pay list will make up for all the extra men who will have to be employed as a result of the 9-hour law.

DEPUTIES ORGANIZE

F. A. Edmonds of St. Paul was elected president at the annual meeting of the deputy state boiler inspectors held Saturday in the old capitol, St. Paul. M. J. Clouse of Minneapolis was chosen vice president and J. E. Morrisey of Crookston secretary. Regulations tending to strengthen the present laws and increase the degree of safety in the use of boilers were adopted.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CALL ISSUED FOR CONVENTION

THE OFFICIAL APPORTIONMENT NOW COMES TO 1,143

POLK GETS 17 — OTHER NORTHERN COUNTIES GET THEIRS

Thomas H. Salmon secretary of the republican state committee issued the call today for the republican delegate convention to be held in Minneapolis April 16. Copies were sent to each county committee.

Following the decision of the committee at its meeting last Thursday the apportionment is based on the average vote cast in 1906 for the first six candidates on the republican state ticket. One delegate is allowed for each 200 votes or major fraction thereof, with an additional five delegates at large for each county. This makes a convention of 1,143 delegates. This is larger than figured for the committee at the meeting last week, and several counties have increased representation. The official apportionment is announced as follows:

Aitkin 9, Becker 11, Beltrami 12, Clay 13, Clearwater 8, Hubbard 10, Itasca 13, Kittson 9, Koochiching 5, Mahnomen 5, Marshall12; Norman 12 Otter Tail 19, Polk 17, Red Lake 12, Roseau 9, St. Louis 39.

EDISON ROTARY MIMEOGRAPH

An Edison Rotary Mimeograph has been purchased for the county auditor's office that will do a great deal to facilitate the work and permit the officers to economize on the amount of printing necessary having done. This machine will correctly copy from one typewritten impression by means of a self-inking perforated sheet any number that the operator [illegible] in have printed. In the different offices there are many occasions to send out to the various township and school officers circular notices that can be done very readily on this machine.

Read the Journal Want Ads.

ANARCHISTS FORBIDDEN TO MEET IN CHICAGO

Chicago, March 4.—Chief of Police George M. Shippy, his son Harry and his driver, James Foley, were wounded by an anarchist, who attempted to assassinate the police official in the hall of the latter's residence yesterday morning. The desperate struggle, in which Mrs. Shippy and her daughter joined, was terminated when the chief drew his own revolver and killed his assailant.

The anarchist was identified as Lazerus Averbuch, twenty-three years old, a Russian student who came to America three months ago from Austria, whither he fled two years ago from Kishinev to escape the persecution of the Jews in that city.

The attack is believed to have been the result of a widespread conspiracy to harm officials who have been active in suppressing manifestations of anarchy in this community.

Other Officials Threatened.

Other city officials are said to have been threatened and a police spy has recognized the corpse of the man who invaded Shippy's home as that of a person who regularly attended an anarchist meeting. He asserted that the man was chosen by lot to do away with not only the chief of police, but Mayor Busse as well. The ramifications of the plot are said to extend to other cities and to be closely connected with the killing of the Rev. Leo Heinrichs, a Roman Catholic priest, who was shot down at the altar of his church in Denver.

Chief Stabbed in Arm.

Harry Shippy is the most severely hurt of those injured in yesterday's affray. At a late hour he was said to have a very good chance of recovery. His father was stabbed in the arm, while Foley received a bullet in the wrist. Mrs. Shippy was kicked by the desperado, but her hurts are slight.

Following the attack squads of police were sent into the Italian and Ghetto districts of the city. Places known as headquarters of secret societies suspected of anarchistic tendencies were raided and before midnight a score or more of arrests had been made. State's Attorney Healy announced that the grand jury will be given an opportunity to investigate anarchistic organizations in an attempt to fasten responsibility for the attack upon its instigators. It was also reported that Mayor Busse intends to issue an order forbidding all street meetings.

Hands Chief a Letter

That the attempt to kill Chief Shippy resulted in failure was due largely to the policeman's quickness in anticipating the purpose of his visitor's presence is apparent. When the man rang the doorbell the chief himself answered the call.

"As I opened the door," said Mr. Shippy later, describing the attack, "the man raised his hat, and I allowed him to step into the hallway. He handed me an enevlope. I glanced at it and the thought struck me that the man was up to some wrong. He looked like an anarchist. I grabbed his arms and called to my wife, who was in another room. When she ran into the hallway I said: 'Mother, see if this man has a revolver.' She felt one of his pockets and said that he had.

"I tried to hold him with one hand and drew my revolver with the other, but he jerked away and fell against the door. I caught him again, and while we were struggling my son, who was upstairs, started to my aid.

Put Six Bullets in Red.

"He was only a few steps from the bottom of the stairs when the man freed one hand, drew his revolver and fired two shots at Harry. Then Foley, who had been summoned by my daughter, stepped into the hallway and the man shot him. The anarchist kicked my wife to one side, and by this time I had secured my own revolver and both Foley and I opened fire. At my first shot, which struck him in the head, he fell. I fired three more, one in his head and two in his body. Two of Foley's shots also struck the assassin."

Policemen from all sections of the city were at once put to work on the case. The police are firm in the belief that the attack on their chief was due to an anarchistic plot.

Both the chief and Mrs. Shippy assert that the former's life was saved by the bravery of their son.

MONEY FOR THE SCHOOLS

MARCH SETTLEMENT LARGEST IN THE HISTORY OF THE STATE

POLK COUNTY WILL DRAW $15,127.80 ON 7,962 SCHOOL PUPILS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The March apportionment of school money, figures on which have just been completed by J. W. Olson, state superintendent of instruction, will realize the schools of the state, $712,034.70, or $1.90 a pupil.

This is the largest March apportionment in the history of the state, and will be distributed on the basis of 375,988 pupils. The money will be sent to the various counties as soon as the warrants can be drawn.

Last March the amount per pupil was $1.60 making a total of $605,057.73 The number of pupils participating was greater than this March, the total being 378,251.

Pupils to participate in this apportionment must have attended school forty days or more.

Polk County has 3196 students in the schools of the Independent districts eligible to draw apportionment and 4766 in the common school districts or a total of 7962 in the county who at $1.90 will draw $15,127.80 for Polk County as a result of the March settlement. This with the amount received for the year something over $4.00 per capita.

HERMAN WALLACE KILLED IN MEXICO

FORMER WELL KNOWN EUCLID FARMER — OTHER ITEMS FROM EUCLID

It is reported that Herman Wallace an old time resident of Euclid was killed a short time ago in New Mexico.

No details have been received regarding the affair. Wallace at one time farmed nearly 1000 acres near Euclid and was well known in Crookston, Grand Forks and thruout this section.

Euclid Items

P. J. McLaughlin the north section boss who has been on the sick list for several days is able to be out again.

Carl Fausct is visiting at Casper Tiedmann's.

Miss Helen Riedesel spent Friday and Saturday with friends in Euclid.

A goodly number of Miss Etta Casmey's friends gave her a pleasant surprise at her home west of Euclid, last Friday evening reminding her that it was her birthday. A fine time was reported.

A pleasant evening was spent by a number of young people at the Fitzsimmons home on last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Philip Wyland is quite sick with tonsilitis.

Our new blacksmith reports business lively and the merry sound of his hammer can be heard all day long.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Vonderbeck spent a few days in Argyle last week visiting at the home of his sister Mrs August Michael.

The ladies Thimble Bee met with the Misses Lucy and Ida Stroot last Wednesday evening. They report being royally entertained.

Nearly ten inches of the beautiful (and it certainly is beautifully white) fell here Saturday and Sunday and farmers say the sleighing could not be better.

Father Smears conducted pre-Lenten services here on Monday.

The Euclid Dramatic Society have acepted an invitation to play "The Deacon" at Argyle on Friday evening March 13th. "What's the matter with Euclid Dramatic Society? They're all right!"

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPhee of Crookston took dinner with Doctor and Mrs. Chapin last Saturday.

Misses Bessie Burns and Clare Chapin spent Saturday at their homes in Euclid.

A Narrow Escape

Many people have a narrow escape from pneumonia and consumption as a result of a cold that hangs on. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds no matter how deep seated and prevents pneumonia and consumption Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

HOME FROM GERMANY

AUGUST SCHULER RETURNED LAST EVENING FROM TRIP TO OLD COUNTRY

GIVES INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF TEN WEEKS' TRIP ACROSS THE WATERS

From Monday's Daily—

August Schuler the well known mason of this city returned last evening from a ten weeks' trip to Sensweiler, Rhine Province, Germany, his old home and to a representative of the Journal gave a very interesting account of his travels.

Mr. Schuler left Crookston Dec. 13 and enjoyed his trip tho the return trip was made on the Kaiser Wilhelm required 9 days, which is ordinarily made in 6 days, the weather being extremely rough during the entire trip. This was his first trip to his old home in 27 years and he found many changes. One schoolmate, his old chum, was on his death bed, and the rest had scattered, tho many old friends were found.

He says general conditions are very good there. He was particularly pleased with the pension system. Every one pays a certain pension tax and after reaching the age of 60 all people draw a pension and this prevents any indigents during old age.

Mr. Schuler was particularly impressed with the fine railroad accommodations. He states that local service stopped at 12 o'clock at night nothing but thru trains running after that hour.

His brother-in-law is a foreman in the coal mines near his old home and he made one trip underground which is required every day by the inspector. The trip of inspection required one hour of steady walking underground, and Mr. Schuler states that when he saw day light he had no further desire to visit coal mines 1800 feet underground.

He had a pleasant visit with his two sisters and his brother-in-law but states that he is glad to get back to Crookston.

The man with a wife and several grown daughters seldom hoards his money.

OLD RESIDENTS LEAVE CROOKSTON

Tomorrow evening Mrs. Wm. Creighton and children will leave Crookston for their new home at North Yakima having been preceded by Mr. Creighton several days ago. The family is one of the old and respected ones of Crookston and it is with the deepest regret that scores of old neighbors and friends witness their departure. Mrs. Creighton today to the Journal expressed her genuine regret at leaving Crookston and many tender associations here during the past years Frank Creighton one of her sons, was the oldest carrier boy on the Journal staff and one of the most faithful carriers that ever worked for the Journal, and his departure is keenly regretted.

The many friends of the family will wish them every success and happiness in their new home. The Journal will visit them daily and keep them in touch with their old friends.

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

CONGRESS.

House Passes Four Hundred Pension Bills.

Washington, March 3. — Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan yesterday spoke against the railroad feature of the Aldrich currency bill pending before the senate.

Most of the day was devoted to the passage of bills on the calendar which are not of general importance.

A variety of subjects were considered by the house yesterday. A resolution was passed authorizing the immigration committee to investigate charges of peonage in certain states.

Four hundred pension bills and a few other private bills were passed, and the balance of the time was consumed in considering the postoffice appropriation bill.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Penned and Pilfered

A Crookston young man who had a little flirtation with a local telephone girl is all broken up because she won't flirt with him any more, and it was not the fault of either that it was broken off. They were the victims of circumstances and neither understood The young man had promised to send the girl a Christmas present, but it miscarried in some manner and the young man who is quite bashful and more in earnest perhaps than the girl knew, did not ask her if she received it. He took it for granted that she had and the coolness which she observed towards him was interpreted by him to mean that she did not like the present. The young man did not get onto the fact that one of his joke-loving men friends had gotten wise to the flirtation and the present and had impersonated him on the 'phone in a conversation with her. He had told the girl that he was the other fellow; that he had sent her a present, but was not as good as the one he was sending to his best girl, etc. Of course that line of talk was not calculated to cement any friendships and when the girl did not get the present at all she concluded she had been trifled with enough and gave her adorer the icy stare. The situation had not been explained to either the girl or the young man up to a few days ago, and this squib may serve the purpose.

The remains of John Jones, famous as the "Jim Bludsoe" of the upper Mississippi river, were laid to rest at Dakota Minnesota Thursday. Jones' experience was so much similar to that of the hero of John Hay's famous poem that many believe he was the inspiration of it. Jones was the pilot of the ferry boat Warsaw which transferred passengers from LaCrosse to the Minnesota side of the river in the period just after the civil war. About forty years ago the Warsaw caught fire while in the middle of the channel with several hundred passengers aboard, but Jones headed the steamer for an island in the center of the river and in the words of the poem, "Held her nozzle against the bank until the last galoot was ashore." He then was obliged to make his own way to land through the burning boat Altho he received serious injuries, he survived and died of old age.

A Crookston lady, who was looking about her husband's office recently, noticed the large red figures which stands out so prominently on the Minneapolis Tribune maps of Minnesota.

"What are those figures for, John," she inquired.

Her husband glanced up from his work and said, "Those, why those are the numbers of the Congressional districts."

Now, the lady was a good Methodist and she mistook the word "Congressional" for "Congregational."

"Well," said she, highly indignant, "why don't they have the Methodist districts' numbers on too?"

This is the fifth Saturday in this month the shortest of the year. The month began and ended on the last day of the week, an incident that may not happen again within the lifetime of a majority of those now living.

WOMAN IS SWEATING GLASS.

Physicians Believe an Attempt Was Was Made to Murder Her.

Marietta, Ohio, Feb. 28.—Physicians here are much interested in the remarkable case of Mrs. Frank Stage, from whose body 310 pieces of glass have worked out through pores all over her person. It is believed that crushed glass was placed in the woman's food and that it is coming from her body. The pieces are minute. The water in the well at the Stage home was found poisoned recently.

Uxorcide Is Charged.

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 28. — Isaac Crane of Waynard, Ohio, near here, is under arrest charged with the murder of his wife yesterday. Following a quarrel, Mrs. Crane fled from the house. Crane, it is asserted, followed and fired two shots into her back as she ran. She fell dead on the highway.

Brigands Rob a Train.

Kielce, Russian Poland, Feb. 28. — Ten brigands yesterday attacked a train, hurling three bombs at it and firing many shots from their rifles. They killed one soldier and wounded three soldiers and three trainmen. They made their escape on the engine of the train with $10,000 in gold.

Fire Panic in School.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 28.—Pupils of St. James' Catholic school were thrown into a panic as they were leaving the building at noon by the discovery of flames in the basement. The children were marched out without mishap.

Twelve Hurt in Fire.

New York, Feb. 28. — Twelve persons were seriously burned, two of whom will die, it is said, in a fire early yesterday in a five-story tenement house.

Loses Job; Kills Self.

Cincinnati, Feb. 28. — Despondent and ashamed over the fact that he had been discharged from a position he held for twenty-two years, Ernest Eugene Maeir, chief clerk in the German consulate at Cincinnati, committed suicide.

A man who is looking for trouble has only to say a few words pertaining to the relative worth of his mother and wife.

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GETS DYNAMITE IN MAIL.

City Solicitor of Easton, Pa., Gets Remembrance From Italy.

Easton, Pa., Feb. 28.—City Solicitor H. R. Turner of Easton received a package in the mails from Italy yesterday and when he opened it he found it contained a stick of dynamite to one end of which was attached an explosive cap. Fortunately the cap burned a little in transit, destroying its power to explode the dynamite when the package was opened.

Turner was formerly assistant to the district attorney, and it is supposed that the dynamite was sent him by one of a number of Italians he prosecuted who have since been released from jail and gone home.

MURDER IS CHARGED.

Warrant for Arrest of Paul E. Roy Is Sent to Paris.

Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 28.— A warrant for the arrest of Paul E. Roy on the charge that he murdered his brother-in-law, George A. Carkins, at Newington on Jan. 2, was sworn out last night. Although Roy is in France and is said to be a citizen of that country, the authorities have determined to get him here for trial if possible. The warrant was sworn out following a statement by Roy's wife, Glycia Calla, the beautiful opera singer, who charged that Roy killed her brother.

Soldier Charged With Murder.

Fort Reno, Okla., Feb. 28.—P. M. Roberts, private in Company K, Nineteenth infantry, was arrested by military authorities yesterday upon orders from the adjutant general's office in Washington. He is wanted on the charge of murdering a girl in New Jersey and will be turned over to the civil authorities.

Storm in Michigan.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 28. — A storm swept over the upper peninsula of Michigan yesterday, with the wind reaching a velocity of forty miles an hour at times, and was general throughout the southern peninsula. At Traverse City a foot of snow was reported. Railroad traffic has been seriously delayed.

Yaquis Kill Three.

Yuma, Ariz., Feb. 28.—L. D. Cook, a conductor on the Rio Grande, Yaqui & Pacific railroad, brought word here yesterday that three Mexicans belonging to his train crew were killed by Yaqui Indians. The engineer and himself were spared, he said, only because they were Americans.

NOSE SEVERED IN FIGHT.

Flight of Bauer, Who Maimed Antagonist, Is Checked at Bismarck.

Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 27. — Chris Bauer of McLean county was arrested by Sheriff Gillis at the station last night just as he was taking a train for the West. Bauer had been convicted of cutting off a man's nose and was out on $1,000 bail awaiting sentence, when he decided to take flight.

Heavy Birth Rate.

Montgomery, Minn., Feb. 28.—During the year of 1907 the records of this city show that there were eighteen deaths and thirty-nine births, making an increase of nearly 2 per cent on the entire population for the year.

21,000 Men Dig Snow.

Kharkov, European Russia, Feb. 28. —A great fall of snow has blocked all traffic in the Donets valley. Twenty-one thousand workmen, fifty-five freight trains and 1,500 teams are engaged in clearing the tracks.

From our Exchanges

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Dr. Stuhr made Warren a professional visit on Tuesday evening, returning Wednesday evening.

Justice O. Barker is confined to his bed this week with a severe cold and other complications.

Miss Jessie MacLaren of the Argyle school spend several days at her home in Crookston the first of the week.

Miss Delima Landreville left last week for Terrebone where she will keep ohuse for her father, Vielleux Landreville of that place.

The fourteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morin is very seriously ill and many friends of the family hope for her recovery.

H. P. Krogh left Tuesday evening for Baudette and other points in that vicinity to be away for ten days or more on a business trip.

Dr. G. A. Demars, Mrs. Demars and Mrs. Robertson, their daughter of Hallock, spent a couple of days in the city the fore part of the week.

Ruth the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Melgaard, has been confined to her home the past week and has suffered a slight affection of scarlet fever. The patient and Mrs. Melgaard have been under quarantine restrictions while Mr. M. and the other children have enjoyed their liberty and have been making their home at the residence of Mrs. Behlmer. The quarantine will soon be raised.

FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

Dr. John Turnbull, of McIntosh visited his brother here, Dr. R. Turnbull, last Sunday.

Sam Sutor, of Cass Lake was in Fosston last Sunday afternoon and evening, accompanied by his son, Clare.

Misses Cora and Alice Ebbighausen of Crookston visited relatives here over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. Brabander and family.

Arne Grundysen, at one time sheriff of Polk county and popular thruout the county, was a visitor here last Saturday as young and robust as ever.

Rev. M. Iverson, lately of Maplebay but now taking the pastorate over four United Lutheran congregations in northern Clearwater county, was a visitor in town Wednesday. Rev. Iverson will have charge of the Sanhoed church, Genvick; Sarom church Winsor; Silver Creek church, Teckla, and Greenwood church near Leon.

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Clara Cooke departed Sunday night for Detroit to accept a position with the Record.

Miss Horton of Crookston, was the guest of Miss Gertrude Felsing several days last and this week.

N. H. Romuld spent Sunday at Crookston with his wife, who is receiving treatment at a hospital in that city.

Miss Gertude Felsing was surprised Saturday night at her home by a number of her friends. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Rev. Axel E. Strom and bride arrived here this morning from Albert Lea. They will shortly commence housekeeping in the Stark residence in the south part of town.

Ole Knutson completed a deal last week whereby he becomes the owner of the J. S. LaDue residence in this place now occupied by Banker A. P. Hanson. Consideration $2500.

SHEEPFOLDS ATTACKED.

Starving Wolves Kill Sheep and Calves in South Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Feb. 29.—Wolves have killed 150 lambs and several calves in one locality in this county. Rabbits and other natural prey of the wolves are scarce, and the wolves are so ravenously hungry that they frequently attack sheep in broad daylight.

Dynamite Is Costly Toy.

Anoka, Minn., Feb. 29.—Emil Erickson of Ham Lake, thirteen-year-old son of Ole Erickson, lost an eye yesterday while tossing a dynamite cap from one hand to the other. It struck a knife in his hand and exploded.

Sold on Sunday; Fined.

Hokah, Minn., Feb. 29. — G. Yahn, George Rippe and John Smith, saloonkeepers of Brownsville, this county, pleaded guilty to charges of selling liquor on Sunday and were fined $50 on each count.

BAGLEY
(Independent)

County Attorney Teitsworth returned Monday from a professional visit of several days to St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bovee came up from Lengby and attended the Royal Neighbors' dance Friday night.

Julius Sundet has had his store entirely renovated inside and new fixtures put in ready for the spring trade.

Rev. Edmund Lake, of the Congregational church, departed Monday for Nymore where he will assist the local minister there in revival work for a week.

B. F. Brown is slowly convalescing from an illness of several weeks' standing. Mr. Brown says that during the illness of himself and family there were plenty of women visitors, but he missed the men badly.

On Tuesday of this week Chas. Arneson of this place but formerly of Fosston was joined in happy wedlock to Miss Inga Gangstad also of Fosston. Mrs Arneson is the new proprietor of the Busy Bee restaurant.

C. A. Covey who has been seriously ill from an attack of the grippe the past two weeks, made his first appearance on the streets again Friday afternoon. Altho still weak from the effects of his illness, Mr. Covey is rapidly recovering, and it is hoped he will soon be his old self again.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Mrs. C. W. Stewart and young son came up from Crookston last Saturday to visit at the home of Mrs. Kretzschmar.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter and Mrs. J. J. Padden arrived in the city Tuesday from Red Lake Falls, and are visiting at the Kretzschmar home.

Charles E. Boughton, attorney, statesman, poet, authority on county seat matters, automobiles, dogs, etc., of Red Lake Falls transacted business in the city Tuesday.

Herman Ohm went up to the town of Excel yesterday to attend a good old fashioned German wedding—Miss Elsie, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Furstnau to Mr. Basner.

Dr. G. A. Penney very pleasantly entertained a large number of his gentlemen friends last Thursday evening at his home on the East Side. Norwegian whist was played and Dr. Grundy won the head prize.

The farmers and their families who are in Thief River tomorrow to attend the farmers institute are to be well entertained. Tickets for dinner, good at any hotel or restaurant in the city, are to be given to the farmers at noon with the compliments of the Thief River Falls commercial club. Promptly at 1 o'clock a special performance will be given at the Bijou which will be free to all the farmers and members of their families.

ERSKINE

Mr. and Mrs. G. Gunderson left Tuesday morning for their new home at Shawnee, N. D.

Mr. C. Finsand visited at Mentor between trains Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Nelson spent Friday and Saturday visiting with relatives at Bagley.

Mr. D. J. Webb is confined to his home with the rheumatism. Relief Agent Salter now greets the public at the Great Northern depot.

Mr. A. F. Cronquist was a business visitor at Crookston Thursday night.

Mr. Ole Narveson visited at Fosston Thursday.

Mr. Floyd Cronquist is confined to his home with the rheumatism.

Guy and Grayce Webb visited in Crookston Saturday evening.

The local telephone line is now connected with the Northwestern.

Theodore Berg is unable to be out of doors as yet being confined with rheumatism.

Mrs. Paine visited with her mother at Oakes, N. D., last week.

For Stealing a Dress Skirt.

Sergeant Bluffs, Iowa, Feb. 27. — Mrs. Robert Ingersoll, a member of a prominent family of this town, was arrested at Omaha, together with her husband, charged with stealing a dress skirt from Miss Louise Gould of Sioux City, in whose house they visited for a short time.

Will Argue March 4.

St. Paul, Feb. 27. — Counse representing the transcontinental lines left last night for Washington, where they will appear on March 4 before the interstate commerce commission to present arguments on the lumber rate case.

From Over The Valley

LACK OF MAIL CLERKS IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA

J. M. Shoemaker, secretary of the Eighth United Statese civil service district, has announced to the local government officials that there is a noticeable scarcity of eligibles and employes for railroad mail service in the northern part of the state. Many positions are open and there is a lack of applicants from which to choose.

The places and dates of examinations convenient to applicants from the northern part of the state are as follows. Duluth, March 18; Grand Forks, N. D., March 19; Fargo, N. D. March 20; and St. Paul, April 11.

BAGLEY LADIES' AID ELECT OFFICERS FOR 1908

The Ladies Aid society of the Synod church of Bagley held their annual meeting with Mrs. Mrs. Sannan's Feb. 10th, and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. J. Higdem V. President Mrs. Oscar Barness; Treasurer, Mrs. I. S. Hov; Secretary, Mrs. Olie Erickson. It was also decided to have a working committee and Mrs. Forland, Mrs. Sannan and Mrs. G. Hanson were elected members on same committee.

WILL SOON COMMENCE WORK ON FARMERS' TELEPHONE

It is the intention of the Farmers' Mutual Telephone Co., of Red Lake county to build 20 miles of line this year and work is to be commenced as soon as the frost goes out of the ground. Shares of stock are selling at $35 an da large number have subscribed at present and more are expected to come into the company in the near future. The line is to be built this year and will be in the towns of Sanders and Rocksbury and connections with both St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls will be made.

FERTILE BANK ISSUES FLATTERING STATEMENT

The First State Bank of Fertile is forging ahead. Its statement published in this issue shows an increase of $2,738.16 in deposits and $12,483.48 in loans since statement published pursuant to call for December 3, 1907, and $43,161.74 and $72,998.97 respectively since call for January 26, 1907, all of which indicates that this community is prosperous and that this bank enjoys its confidence and good will.—Fertile Journal.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN MEETS DEATH IN FIRE

Thomas Warren living at White Earth, Minn., and a veteran of Company G., of the 9th Minnesota Volunteer infantry of the Civil War met with a terrible death last night. It seems that after retiring for the night the house in which he lived caught fire and before he could be awakened and the neighbors render assistance the house burned down and the old soldier was practically incinerated.

BADGER ROSEAU CO., COMMERCIAL CLUB ELECTS

The annual meeting of the Badger Commercial club was held Tuesday evening and the following officers elected: President, G. J. Brenden; Vice President, P. Sjoberg; Secretary F. W. Swanson; Treasurer, T. P. Anderson; Directors, I. L. Iverson, H. C. Reed, P. O. Fryklund, G. G. Jackson.

"WHITE MAN'S BURDEN" WHO PAYS THE TAXES

District court expenses in Beltrami county for 1907 amounted to $21,193.62. In 1906 these expenses were but a trifle over $8,000. Two murder cases during the past year added greatly to this it em.

MUST NOT OVERWORK MEN.

Railroads in Montana Are Declared Bound by Law, Say Court.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 2[illegible].—The Montana sixteen-hour law for railroad employes in the train service was yesterday declared by the state supreme court to be valid and constitutional, and the Northern Pacific must pay the $100 fine for its violation imposed by Judge Clements of this county. The law provides that employes must not be worked for more than sixteen hours without eight consecutive hours for rest.

TO RETURN ALLEGED BOOTY.

Youth Agrees to Pay Back $152 Farmer Says Was Stolen.

Little Falls, Minn., Feb. 27.—Marvin Bouchey, a Little Falls youth, arrested on a charge of robbing an aged farmer by the name of Blair of $152 on Jan. 17, appeared before Justice Gaudet yesterday, and on agreement to return the amount of money taken from Blair and to pay all costs, he was discharged from custody.

WELL KNOWN CHRISTIAN WOMAN OF KENNEDY DEAD

Just as we go to Press we learn of the death of Mrs. Lauretz Melgaard wife of Cashier Lauretz Melgaard of the State Bank of Kennedy, which occurred at the family residence in that place Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Melgaard is spoken of by all who knew her as an exceptionally good woman, an excellent wife and mother, one who made her home life the center of her interests. She was also actively interested in church work and in work for the moral betterment of the community and she will be greatly missed by her associates. Besides the sorrowing husband she leaves behind four small children to grow up without a mother's care. The sympathy of all is extended to Mr. Melgaard in his sorrow. The funeral services will be held in the Swedish Lutheran church at Kennedy Monday at 2 o'clock p. m. Rev. T. A. Hagen will officiate.—Donaldson Record.

GETS OUT OF PENITENTIARY RIGHT INTO WORKHOUSE

After being out of state's prison one day, J. H. Lambert is again in the toils. Lambert was sent to Stillwater from Cass Lake, Minn., a year ago for forgery and was released Sunday. Immediately upon emerging from the walls of the prison he indulged in a drink of liquor for the first time. It went to his head very suddenly and he was jailed for drunkenness at Stillwater. He told the authorities there that if he could get to Minneapolis he could obtain enough money to pay a fine. They allowed him to go. Arriving in this city he was soon arrested on the same charge. In police court yesterday he was sent to the workhouse for 5 days.—Minneapolis Daily News.

CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERIES ORGANIZED IN OTTER TAIL

Articles of incorporation of the Farmers' Co-operative Creamery Co., of Rothsay, were received for filing in the register's office at Fergus Falls Thursday. The authorized capital is $10,000 divided into shares of $50 each. The officers are Albert Korth, president; O. K. Aaberg, vice-president, and K. K. Peterson secretary and treasurer. These with Theo. Stras, Casper Rudth, Ole Hanson, Wm Manck Geo. Nelson and Jacob Amundsen are the incorporators and directors.

THE LATEST FARMER'S FRIEND RECEIVING ATTENTION EVERYWHERE

The certificate of incorporation of the Western Co-operative Rural Telephone Co., has been filed in Register office of Otter Tail. The company was organized sometime ago and incorporated with an authorized capitalization of $30,000 and proposes to construct a new telephone line in the country southwest of Fergus Falls. The incorporators are W. S. Toombs, president; O. M. Sholberg, vice president; G. H. Beamish, secretary and treasurer and August Nissen.

ROSEAU COUNTY BANK ELECTS NEW CASHIER

F. W. Swanson will retire the first of next month as cashier of the First State Bank at Badger, Minn., being succeeded by G. I. Brandt, formerly of the National bank of Roseau. Mr. Brandt has already been at Badger for some time familiarizing himself with his new position.

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Lobskaus From The Roseau Backwoods : : :

By "BACHELOR"

Motto: Han' slog paa sloan og bonkte paa morra."

Thus runs an old dialectical Norwegian adage and if my beloved readers will patiently and attentively follow me down this column I will not only tell him what it means but I will also show how congressmen and senators apply it to the president. But have a little patience, my old friend, for patience is a virtue at all times.

A Difference

As everybody knows this is the country of the boss. If you see a man at work, you will also see a man standing over him, self important and with an air that would cause the Czar of all the Russians to take a back seat. Nothing can be done without a boss. Even in politics this exalted genius has taken command. And so it happens that our servants, the members of congress, have their boss, too.

Congress however, is somewhat dissimilar to other working crews. In the first place they elect their boss, which other laborers do not. And their boss is also different from other bosses. While the ordinary boss tries to squeeze out of his men all the work he possibly can, the congressional boss uses all his ingenuity to keep his men idle. In one case it is: Do as much as you can or little more; in the other, do as little as you can, or little less.

The Political Boss

And the congressional boss has succeeded eminently in keeping our servants idle. We the real masters, have no say in the matter at all because we are not a boss, "don't you see." Three months have now elapsed since congress met, but when Roosevelt put his specs on a short time ago he could not see that anything was done. Then he applied a microscope to find, if some small things were attempted, but in vain. So he adjusted a telescope with a view of ascertaining if our solons had legisated for some far off countries, such as the Philippines, or our planitary neighbor Mars. The result was the same he found nothing done in any direction. And so he sat down and wrote his special message telling congress that it was about time to go to work. He reminded them again about the fact that the political and industrial field is pretty weddy, and that besides what cleaning operation he had previously mapped out for them, he also had some new jobs that required their attention.

Did Not Heed

Did congress heed the president and get a hustle on itself? Bless your dear soul, no. Instead of going to work, the wise ones started to talk. A wise-looking fat senator meditated and expressed his gravest fear that the president's message would have a very bad political effect and tend to help Bryan and the Democratic party while a just as wise-looking and well fed representative just as gravely expressed his fear that the message would so stir up the country as to make "sound and sane" politics impossible, and that unbridles (broncholike) radicalism would run amuck over the whole continent, while still others joyfully expressed as their opinion that the reactionaries had received a body blow, and that Taft's nomination was now an assured thing. It did not seem to occur to any of them that the president meant what he said. Indeed, they all thought that "Han slog paa sloan og tonkte paa morra," which means that he whipped the sleighs and thought he struck the horses.

Watered Stock

Let me quote a few lines from that message. Speaking of watered stock and the necessity of a real estimate of the true value of railroads the president says: "When the physical value of one of these properties is determined and made known, there will be eliminated from railroad securities that element of uncertainty which lends to them their speculative quality, and which has contributed much to the financial stress of the recent past."

Frown on Dishonesty

But part of the movement to uphold honesty must be a movement to frown on dishonesty. We attack only the corrupt men of wealth, who find in the purchased politician the most efficient instrument of corruption and in the purchased newspaper the most efficient defender of corruption."

Speakin gof the Standard Oil and its practices and contempt for the public the president says: "Such contempt the public deserves so long as it permits men of such principles and sentiments to avow and act on them with impunity. The outcry against stopping dishonest practices among wrong doers who happen to be wealthy is precisely similar to the outcry raised against every effort for cleanliness and decency in city government, because forsooth, it will hurt business."...."We have just passed through two months of acute financial stress. At any such time it is a sad fact that entirely innocent people suffer from no fault of their own; and everyone must feel the keenest sympathy for the large body of honest business men, of honest investors, of honest wageworkers, who suffer because involved in a crash for which they are in no way responsible."

Due to "Speculative Folly"

"I do not for a moment believe that the actions of this administration have brought on business distress; so far as this is due to local causes and to the actions of any individuals it is due to the speculative folly and flagrant dishonesty of a few men of great wealth, who seek to shield themselves from the effects of their wrongdoing by ascribing its results to the actions of those who have sought to put a stop to the wrongdoing. But if it were true that to cut out rottenness from the body politics meant a momentary check to an unhealthy seeming prosperity, I should not for one moment hesitate to put the knife to the corporation."

Control of Railroads

Speaking of the necessity for control of railroads the president says: "Our people should clearly recognize that while there are difficulties in any course of conduct to be followed in dealing with these corporations, these difficulties must be forced and one of three courses followed. The first course is to abandon all efforts to oversee and control their actions in the interest of the general public, and to permit a return to the utter lack of control which would obtain if they were left to the common law. I do not for one moment believe that our people would tolerate this position."

Trend of the Message

The above shows the trend of the message. To me it sounded like a voice from the grave. It reminded me of the rampant good old populist days when populist editors and orators thundered their denunciations against corruption, against purchased politicians and purchased newspapers. The populist party is dead and buried but while its political body is mouldering in the grave, its spirit is still marching on—even in the president's messages. And it was the utter lack of control" that the populists departed more than anything else, but at that time, to their thundering warning, the echo brought back the giddy and vulgar answer: "Longhaired and wildeyed populists."

May we hope that the efforts of our strenuous president will be crowned with better success!

A Useful Panic

In an interview with the editor of the French paper, Le Petit Journal, John P. Morgan, said that he thought the present panic, extremely useful, and that he did not care to see it relieved at all just now. Asked for his reasons for this he candidly mentioned one, and that was that the working people would either have to submit or starve. There is no hypocracy in this. But as Mr. Morgan is also the biggest railroad king in the country it is natural to presume that he, in his innermost heart, feels the same way towards all who advocate control of railroads, and that all insurrectionary tendencies ought to be crushed out, whether they are found among laborers, farmers or business men. Railroad kings do not want anyone to interfere with their business, you know.

Not Always True

In his great speech at Minneapolis about New Year's time, Mr. James J. Hill boldly stated that he was at Washington when congress assembled and that he "never found our public men so anxious to do right (!) Speaking about the panic in this connection he said that "if congress does nothing all will be well."

When our public men are anxious to do right in the eyes of railroad magnates and money kings, the general public had better look out; and when such men want congress to do nothing, it is time for the common herd to wake up and wipe their sleepy eyes. The inaction of congress must be very pleasing to Mr. Hill and his fellow railroad kings, and it is perhaps not to be wondered at that so many of its members persuaded themselves to think that the president "Slog paa Sloan og tankte paa morra."

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

DOESN'T HEED DECALOGUE.

Burglar Takes $10 Bill That Marks Bible at Fifth Commandment.

Des Moines, Feb. 27.—When a burglar in the home of Mrs. Mary Sumpter here opened the family Bible at where it commanded "Thou shalt not steal" and found a $10 bill there he surrendered to his weaker impulses and took the bill. He also searched further until he found enough to make up the sum of $580. The owner believes the burglar discovered the money in its hiding place merely by chance.

CARRIERS MEET AT GLENCOE.

Rural Organization Is Formed by Postal Employes.

Langdon, Minn., Feb. 27.—The rural letter carriers of McLeod county held a meeting in the Hibernian hall at Glencoe and organized with eighteen charter members. Prospects are good for ten more in the near future. State president Crippen of Langdon, Minn., explained the benefits derived from association to the carriers, the department and the rural patrons.

PROD BARBED WIRE TRUST.

Congress to Be Asked to Put Product on the Free List.

Washington, Feb. 29. — Charging that barbed wire not only costs too much, but that it is deteriorating in quality, representatives of the farming interests in congress are loading a gun for the barbed wire trust in the form of a campaign to put its product on the free list.

Fire Causes Panic.

Chicago, Feb. 29.—Two girls fainted and forty-eight other telephone operators in the main exchange of the Chicago Telephone company were thrown into a panic when smoke entered the building from an adjacent structure, where a fire was dicovered in the basement. Four firemen were slightly overcome by smoke. The damage is estimated at $40,000.

Mrs. Whipple Dead.

Faribault, Minn., Feb. 29. — Mrs. Fannie Whipple, aged eighty-two years, is dead. She was the widow of Lieut. John C. Whipple, whose heroic efforts in serving the artillery saved Fort Ridgley from capture by the Indians at the time of the outbreak. She is survived by one son, William, of Los Angeles, Cal.

Heavy Box Crushes Man's Chest.

Faribault, Minn., Feb. 29.—Christian Behna, a teamster, was seriously injured while unloading freight. A large box of glass fell on him, breaking his shoulders and several ribs, and he otherwise was internally injured.

Angry Man Runs Amuck.

Philadelphia, Feb. 29.—In a rage because she had refused to go with him to New Jersey to live, Jacob Koehler yesterday shot and killed his wife, Lillian, wounded her father and mother and then tried to end his own life.

Fleet to Sail Saturday.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 29.—The American battleship fleet is to leave Callao Saturday morning. Several large steamers already have been chartered to take out spectators to witness the departure.

BAD MONEY PASSED.

Two Men Are Arrested on a Charge of Using Counterfeit Bills.

Bemidji, Minn., Feb. 28. — Deputy Sheriff J. N. Bailey returned from Funkley, where he went to serve warrants on Coney Miller and Thomas Kennedy, bringing them with him to Bemidji.

The warrants were sworn out by Louis Lateral, charging them with having passed counterfeit ten-dollar gold certificates.

Won't Reduce Wages.

Reading, Pa., Feb. 28.—It is learned here from official sources that there has been no thought of reducing the wages of railroad employes in Eastern Pennsylvania.

SUPT. CASEY GETS RETURNS

65 OUT OF 139 WHO TOOK EXAMINATION RECEIVE CERTIFICATES

STILL ENOUGH SUCCESSFUL TO SUPPLY SCHOOLS OF POLK COUNTY

From Thursday's Daily—

Supt. Thos. Casey this morning received the returns from State Superintendent Olson for the teachers' examinations held in Polk county. There were 139 who took the examination, 65 getting certificates and 74 failing, or 53 per cent being refused certificates.

There were five first grades and 60 second grade certificates granted. The reason for the large percentage of failures is that such a large number of young people who were inexperienced and took the examination only to receive markings.

Nothwithstanding the large number of failures Supt. Casey announces that there will be plenty of competent teachers with certificates to supply the schools of Polk county and he hopes that the school boards will not encourage the hiring of teachers who will have to secure permits when there will be an abundance of licensed teachers to fill all vacancies.

The strict markings of the examinations by the state board is resulting in a higher grade of teachers in Polk County and should be encouraged in every way possible. There is no better way to encourage this class of talent than to insist that the teachers hired are duly licensed. Following is a list of those who received certificates and their address:

First Grade

Elsie J. Bain, Fisher.
John Jenson, Winger.
Thorvald Lund, Fosston.
Lura L. Rogers, E. G. Forks
John C. West, Crary, N. D.

Second Grades

Crookston

Clara E. Hanson.
Martin Kjolhaug
Carrie Casselman
Carrie Klemsrud
Ottilie Ida Woelk
Minerva S. Glenn.
Florence A. Casey
Emily Rasmussen.
Agnes D. Engstrom
Ida Corinne Matheson.
Ella Conneran
Ida L. Sandeen.
Valla Alderman
Mary O. Hagen
Rubye Withey.
Edna L. Glenn
Ada Chilbeck
Martin Casey.
Clara B. Beck
Clara Nelson.
Sarah Scully
Hannah Tvedt

Fisher

Dollie Logan
Beatrice Bain
Clara J. Knutson
Mabel Stoughton
Bertha M. Knutson
Inga M. Martinson

Fosston

Margaret Rue
Mrs. Annie Rue
Mrs. Bettie Ulseth.
J. A. Olens
Ida Moen

Erskine

Tillie M. Erickson
Nana O. Amundson
Mary Mahlen
Anna C. Hanson
Gena Hagen
Eldrie Moen.

Fertile

Clara M. Gredvig
Anna Haugen
Lottie Cooke
Ettie J. Scott
Tillie Sletto

Beltrami

Otto Will
Hannah G. Olson

McIntosh

Mary Albert
Louise T. Thompson

Viola E. Cousins, McClusky, N. D.
Gustav Ellefson, Olga, Minn.
T. Adolph Grundeson, Nielsville,
Nellie Garvin, Gentilly.
Ada Gunderson, Gary.
Agnes C. McKirney, Gentilly .
Miss Alice O. Kolars, E. G. Forks.
Eva M. Lee, Halstad
May E. McDonald, E. G. Forks.
Nora Nereson, Gary.
Jose Rude, Gary .
Selma A. Stromstad, Shelly.

$1,000,000 NOT NEEDED.

Foreign Insurance Companies Not Affected by Wisconsin Ruling.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 27.—The attorney general yesterday ruled that the Old Colony Life Insurance company of Chicago can be admitted to do business in Wisconsin. Under a former ruling of the attorney general the insurance commissioners thought that the company could not be admitted until it had $1,060,000 of insurance in force. The attorney general holds that this requirement only affects companies organized in this state.

Eleven Hurt In Collision.

Alexandria, Va., eb. 29. — Eleven persons were injured, one seriously, in a collision last night between a Southern railway freight engine and an electric train.

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A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY NORTH OF FOSSTON

From Thursday's Daily—

One of t hemost shocking tragedies in the history of Polk Co., took place Tuesday evening about dusk when Paul K. Fossbakken a well known farmer residing 6 miles north of Fosston was cremated in his barn.

About 4:30 looking out of the window Mr. Fossbekken noticed smoke issuing from the barn, he went out to investigate. His wife followed him to the barn, thinking he was all right she released all stock and when he failed to reappear in a few minutes she called to him.

Hearing no response she entered the mow but failed to locate her husband. Fearing he was overcome by smoke she hastily summoned neighbors and a nearby farmer went to the mow with a lantern to search for Mr. Fossbakken. The smoke was very dense and the lantern went out.

Other neighbors arrived on the scene and further frantic efforts were made to locate the unfortunate man, but they were without avail.

By this time the fire broke out in the haymow and the barn was soon in ruins. In the smoking remains the body of the dead man was located, burned beyond recognition.

The affair has caused widespread sorrow. Three children of the deceased have been attending the State Agricultural School here and were at once notified and left the evening of the tragedy for their home accompanied by Supt. Robertson who returned this morning.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. The barn was one of the finest in Polk County being 30 by 64, Mr. Fossbakken being engaged in the dairy business on an extensive scale and owned 25 head of cows.

Deceased was 47 years of age and one of the best known and most highly respected farmers in Polk county. He leaves a widow and a large family of children who have the deepest sympathy of all in their terrible bereavement.

GUILTY OF EMBEZZLEMENT

NORTHWEST MANAGER OF ELECTRIC AIR LINE IS AN EMBEZZLER

S. A. PHILLIPS CONVICTED AT ST. PAUL OF FIRST DEGREE GRAND LARCENY

From Friday's Daily—

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 28—The jury in the Ramsey county district court tonight found S. A. Phillips, the Northwest maanger and agent for the Hancock company, which had charge of the flotation of capital stock of the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line company, guilty of grand larceny in the first degree. The verdict was returned at 10 o'clock. The specific charge was that Phillips had embezzled $2,000 of funds of Hancock Co., while acting as its representative in Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota.

OLD TIMER HERE FROM ST. PAUL

J. C. WILSON TALKED OVER OLD TIMES WITH FORMER CAPITOL RESIDENTS

J. V. Wilson who represents the Northfield Iron Works and is boosting for the Otis Concrete Mixer, spent last evening in the city on business. Mr. Wilson is certainly one of the old timers in Minnesota, having been here for 38 years. In the early days he was very active in politics in St. Paul as well as in Ramsey county and the history he discussed with Tom Smythe, who was a resident of St. Paul at that time was thoroly enjoyed by a coterie of friends.

Mr. Wilson was identified with the early railroad construction work in Minnesota and when he came to the state St. Cloud was the most westerly point in the state that could be reached by a railroad.

The Great Northern is preparing for improvements at Red Lake Falls this spring and has purchased a site for a new station. The old station probably will be used for freight and storage.

The older the pessimist gets the less faith he has in human nature.

MOORE HELD FOR TRIAL

ALLEGED BIGAMIST WHO MARRIED ADA GIRL LODGED IN JAIL HERE

BAIL FIXED AT $1,000 AND HE IS UNABLE TO FURNISH THE BOND

From Thursday's Daily—

A. B. Moore alias Maurice Benson, who was for sometime employed in the Ada Cigar Factory and about a month ago was married to a young lady of Ada, and was arrested in Crookston on the charge of bigamy. It is claimed that he has a wife living at Williston, N. D. He was taken to Ada for trial before Justice Hintze and waived examination and bound over to the grand jury which meets in May. His bond was fixed at $1,000 and upon failure to secure same was committed to the county jail here, being brought up by sheriff Peterson of Norman County.

Nearly Drowned in Saving Team.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 28.—Nic Kaizer and Fremont Darling, while hauling hay, broke through the spongy ice and narrowly escaped drowning here. Both horses were saved, though the men nearly lost their lives in the attempt.

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Telegraphing Made Easy

A Soo Line Operator Invents a Machine that Makes the Dots—Sold All Over the World

F. T. Vail, formerly chief operator of the "Soo Line" at Minneapolis, now the chief electrician of the International Vailograph Co. with an aggressive and pushing organization at his back, is heralded as the latest great inventor in the telegraphic field.

As is generally known, a telegraph operator "talks by dots and dashes" made with a key that opens and closes the electric circuit. To make dots and dashes is nerve-racking work. In rapid sending it is estimated that an operator makes 30,000 nerve movements an hour. Mr. Vail has invented a machine that makes this mere child's play, as the Vailograph makes the dots. A large number of telegraph operators and other people with money to invest are buying stock in the company, which has recently installed a factory at Minneapolis and will sell its product all over the world. Parties seeking a safe investment will find it to their interest to write the

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Fairness Should Govern.

The Journal has always desired to be fair. It is willing to publish the views of the temperance people but at the same time does not intend to be biased. As a newspaper the Journal proposes to publish the news, and is favoring no faction in so doing.

Everyone versed with the situation in North Dakota knows the Grand Forks Herald, which is acknowledged to be the greatest daily published in North Dakota is the mainstay of prohibition and law enforcement as well as clean politics in North Dakota. Its stand has been so well defined during the past 25 years that there can be no doubt of its sincerity in favoring temperance, still on the front page under the two column caption "Total Abstainers are Mollycoddles" it has printed the following telegram under a Washington date:

"A man who never takes a drink of whiskey is a mollycoddle, according to Dr. H. W. Wiley, pure food expert of the department of agriculture.

"It will be a sorry day to this country of ours, the head of Uncle Sam's poison squad thinks, if booze ever is banished from the domain. Instead of a nation of men the country would be a suppine weak affair, with the back bone of a gnat.

"In other words the man who investigates the poisons dishonest people put into foods thinks a good, stiff drink is a mighty good thing now and then for the man who is inclined to be a "sissy."

"When a boy who has been tied to his mother's apron strings most of the time since he knew anything prefers a page of Robert Bowning to the sporting section, shudders a little when he hears a good lively line of swear words and blushes at the telling of a risque yarn, Dr. Willey thinks there is something the matter with him.

"He has a remedy too. The old-fashioned schoolmaster would prescribe getting the alleged mollycoddle fighting mad and give him an "all-fired good licking," and then have him lose all his effeminate ideas in fighting back.

"But Dr. Willey's remedy is simpler yet and not nearly so much trouble. He would have the young man drink whiskey not for his stomach's sake but to give him nerve, self-reliance and all that sort of thing.

"Whiskey is excessively good for the alimentary secretions," said Dr. Wiley in an address to the University club on "Heredity and Environment"

"The effect of an absolutely prohibition environment on a man who never took a drink would be to make him more of a mollycoddle," he added.

The doctor's plea for whiskey had aroused the club members and they fired all sorts of questions at him."

The Chicago Tragedy.

The Chicago tragedy is another illustration of the indirect influence of anarchy in this country, says the Minneapolis Journal in a very timely editorial. The rooms of the dead would-be murderer, when searched, revealed the presence of the kind of literature one would expect to find One of the books on which he had evidently fed was a volume entitled "King Hunger" and in this there were underscored such sentences as, "In the world there is a king who has no money—king hunger!" and "In battle you get your rights."

According to the testimony of the relatives of the dead man he had been in this country but a few months, and connection with anarchist groups. had not formed they think, any Those who worked in the same commission house with him say that he talked anarchy and argued that all governments were wrong and that the people would never get their rights until some one was ready to act. Apparently he made up his mind that he was elected to act.

It is not germane that his act was a mad one and not at all calculated to accomplish anything practical for the people he assumed to represent. What is germane is that in all our large cities are such un-American elements and that such opinions are liable to translation into action at any time.

One of the leaders of the parade of the so-called unemployed admitted that at the meeting held after the Chicago parade was broken up, the police and Chief Shippy were denounced, but added: "That was no fault of mine; I could not control the speakers."

If there are any American working men out of employment, they should take into consideration before joining in meetings at which anarchists are almost certain to get the floor the probable consequences of countenancing such gatherings.

Questions of national importance to dairymen will be discussed at the coming National buttermakers convention which opens at the new Auditorium in Saint Paul on March 11 and continuous for three days. Those conventions have been of inestimable value to Minnesota and have contributed much towards the acknowledged supremacy of the state in the manufacture of good butter and in the advance of dairying. A very large attendance of practical creamery and dairy representatives is expected and the proceedings of the convention will contain much that will be valuable and helpful to these interests in Minnesota. established a central distributing plant in Chicago and is arranging business like methods by which Minnesota dairymen can ship direct to Chicago where their products will be distributed to buyers and market centers. By this means it is expected that middlemen's profits will be largely eliminated and an increased price to the Minnesota producers secured. The plan will be in working order in a few weeks.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

STATE PRESS

No Compliment to Bryan

We did not support Johnson in his two campaigns for the governorship because his party is not our party but we will say this, that he has conducted the office in a manner that has made every loyal Minnesotan proud of him. We do not believe that he could be elected president if he received the Democratic nomination, but we are sure that he could gather up votes so much faster than Bryan could do it, that along toward the end of the campaign all we good Republicans would be sitting up nights wondering how it would come out— Moose Lake Star-Gazette.

Whackety Bang!

Recent developments seem to indicate that the public interest would be served if the public examiner of Minnesota watched as closely the expenditure of contingent funds as he does the administration of affairs of the Soldiers' home or the St. Paul workhouse.—Northfield News.

A Timesly Subject

The matter of proper advertising of Minnesota is receiving wide spread attention. It is timely. There is no reason why the best class of farmers and others from states where land is worth $100 an acre should not settle on the unsurpassed lands of Minnesota instead of going to the arid and frigid regions beyond. Let them know of our advantages and they will stop here.—Austin Transcript.

The Financial Question

One of the important issues besides local opeion to be settled by the next legislature is the state guparantee bank deposit fund. No banker will object to a law of this kind because all honest banks mean to do the square thing. There will be no more run on banks after a law of this kind is passed.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, small safe, sure little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

From Over The Valley

WOMAN IN STATE PRISON WILL FIGHT DIVORCE

The suit for a divorce on the grounds that his wife has been convicted of a crime and is in the state prison which is sufficient grounds in this state for a divorce, which the husband of Anna Ostroski Jarmuzek the Morrison county girl who kidnapped the Glauqe baby of Minneapolis is bringing against her will be contested by her to a finish.

Thru her attorney E. R. Lynch, she has brought counter charges against her husband and alleges that her being convicted of the crime and her imprisonment in the state prison are directly due to his inhuman treatment of her; and she further states that he has been given a sixty-day workhouse sentence for his inhuman treatment of her and was released only after he pleaded with the judge that he would treat her better. She claims he treated just as bad if not worse than before, after his release.

CHANGE OF BANK CLERKS AT McINTOSH

Alfred Hoel has resigned his position with the Citizens State Bank at McIntosh and expects to leave about March 1st to look over new fields of which he has several in view. His place will be filled by A. I. Solberg of Knute who is not only a good accountant but well and favorably known throughout the county.

MANY TEACHERS FAIL IN EXAMINATIONS

St. Cloud, Minn., Mar. 3—According to the returns from the statesuperintendent received by Superintendent Ahles of Stearns County, only 67 out of the 274 teachers who took the examination here recently for first and second grade certificates were successful. This is the smallest percentage of successful applicants in years.

GOVERNOR OFFERS $300 FOR MURDERERS' ARREST

Gov. John A. Johnson has issued a proclamation offering a reward of $300 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Bernard Roehmer at his farm house near Pepin Wabasha county on the night of February 20.

R. L. F. FARMERS' INSTITUTE A COMPLETE SUCCESS

Red Lake Falls was largely populated last Saturday by rural citizens who came for miles around to attend the Farmers' Institute and also participate in the market day bargains. From early morn the streets were thronged with people and the meeting was a grand success in every particular. The Institute speakers were Messrs. R. A. Schultz, Chas. Hale and John Carlson and they injected into the minds of their hearers many new ideas about farming and dairying that will be of great benefit to the whole populace when put into actual practice. The afternoon session was attended by a packed house and our rural friends has thus manifested a disposition to be instructed by such meetings. We hope for many more such gatherings, as a "family reunion" occasionally is beneficial to all. —Red Lake Falls Gazette.

SUES FOR FOREMAN FOR ALLEGED CRIMINALITY

A rather unusual suit has been brought by J. L. Martinson of East Grand Forks against the Grand Forks Lumber company to recover $1,000. Martinson alleges that he was taken seriously ill in a lumber camp north of Blackduck. He was lying in his bunk when the foreman told him to get up and go to work. He said he was too ill to go to work. The foreman told him he would either have to go to work or get out. Martinson pleaded, but the foreman was obdurate and put him out. He survived but claims that he endured great suffering as a result of the heartlessness of the foreman.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT AT BAGLEY RE-ELECTED

The school board at Bagley at a recent meeting hold for the purpose re-elected Professor Hov, the present superintendent for the term of three years, with an increase of salary of $100 per year. The corps of teachers was also re-elected with one exception for the coming year and an increase of wages granted to each ranging from $2.50 to $5 per month.

Nature seldom hides a massive brain behind a pretty face.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

Widespread interest has been taken in the Minnesota delegation to the National Republican convention. Chas. B. Cheney the political writer for the Minneapolis Journal has canvassed the situation pretty thoroly and he sizes the situation up as follows:

The make-up of Minnesota's delegation to the Chicago convention is beginning to take pretty definite shape. As for the delegates at large to Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, is conceded a place. No candidate has yet appeared from northern Minnesota in opposition to E. B. Hawkins of Duluth. Minneapolis will present W. W. Heffelfinger or Thomas Lowry, with the chances in favor of Heffelfinger, who would have no opposition in the state convention. The fourth man will come from southern Minnesota. He will be either W. B. Parsons of Winona, Frank W. Hunt of Mankato or Senator F. E. Putnam of Blue Earth.

The most likely selections in the first district are Senator A. S. Campbell of Austin and Dr. J. H. Adair of Owatonna.

The second will send T. C. Collins of Windom and probably F. W. Betz of Fairmont. If George W. Somerville runs for atorney general, the second man will undoubtedly be Betz

The third seems to have agreed on C. M. Buck of Faribault and George J. Bradley of Norwood.

The fourth will send W. B. Webster of St. Paul and George H. Sullivon of Stillwater.

The fifth or Minneapolis district, is unsettled with several candidates in the field.

The sixth will send Senator C. J. Gunderson of Alexandria, but the other man is not in sight.

The seventh district's delegation will likely be Andrew Peterson of Wheaton and F. E. Bentley of Montevideo.

The eighth will send Senator C. J. Swanson of Fridley and probably C. A. Congdon of Duluth.

Al Kaiser of Bagley seems to be one of the ninth district selections and the other will be Senator F. H. Peterson of Moorhead or E. E. Corliss of Fergus Falls.

These are the probabilities at present but some changes may develop in the next six weeks. Most of the district conventions will probably be held April 15, the day before the state convention. All of the probabilities mentioned in the foregoing, except Mr. Lowry have declared themselves Taft men.

Royalton Banner: The delegates to the national convention should be instructed for Taft as the first second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth choice of the Republicans of Minnesota. The chances are that if he is not nominated the nit will be Teddy so he should be named as eleventh and twelfth with LaFollette as the thirteenth choice.

Milaca Times. R. C. Dunn has lost no friends in Mille Lacs county or elsewhere since the campaign of 1904. On the contrary Mille Lacs county's "grand old man" has gained a host of friends who now realize in full the injustice of that campaign.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

LITERARY—

The literary Society met Saturday Feb. 29. The program was as follows:

Song by society.
Recitation .. ..Mr. Malm
Music by Messrs. Brown, Poulsrud and Peterson.
Recitation .. .. Miss Riopelle
Reading .. ..Mr. Lindberg

Debate—Question was as follows: Resolved, that Indians should have civil rights.

Affirmative, Mr. Wm. Rager, Miss Opdahl and Miss Wilkinson.

Negative, Mr. Regeimbal, Miss Nelson and Miss Hendrickson.

The negative won by the majority of votes cast by the judges.

SUNDAY EXERCISES—

Mr. C. W. Hale, who is on the Farmers' Institute corps spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and gave a short talk to the students on Sunday afternoon.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT—

Mr. C. E. Brown reports an increase of 50 per cent in the laying of eggs by his pullets, altho the temperature sometimes runs down to 28 degrees below zero. Mr. Brown now says he is getting up to 15 dozen eggs per day. He is also getting his incubator ready for the season's campaign.

PERSONALS—

Mr. Storvick, Deputy Dairy Inspector for Northern Minnesota had charge of the Dairy Chemistry class during Prof. Robertson's absence.

Mr. Nordlum from Beltrami visited his son Carl Nordlum last week. Carl has been sick lately but is getting better now.

Miss Irene Slyter visited her home in Crookston over Sunday.

Miss Jacobson and Miss Morken from East Grand Forks visited the school Friday.

Miss Jacobson stayed several days in Crookston visiting with her many friends.

Mrs. Robertson who has been sick lately is now improving and has been over to the office several times.

NEW OFFICERS—

New officers were elected at the Literary meeting last Saturday night as follows:

President—Mr. Wm. Rager.
Secretary—Miss Nelson.
Treasurer—Mr. Opdahl.
Serg. at Arms—Mr. Poulsrud.
Vice Pres.—Mr. Swisse.

From our Exchanges

RED LAKE FALLS (Gazette)

Miss Mayme Linnihan came up from Moorhead and spent Sunday with the home folks.

Miss Anna Sutor has returned from her visit among relatives and friends at Crookston.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Norman passed from this life last Saturday and interment was made in the cemetery Sunday.

Rev. Philip A. Schwartz was at Wylie the forepart of the week organizing a Sunday school class and a report of his success will be given next week.

Mrs. Jos. Lafranboise, Jr., who for some weeks past has been visiting at the Delorme home and among her many friends will leave on Monday for her home in North Yakima.

We are pleased to announce the recovery of Henry Kaufer from his recent illness and that he has again resumed work at his chair in the Calgary tonsorial parlors.

Mr. John Riha of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MIDDLE RIVER (Pioneer)

Miss Nellie Nelson came up from Crookston Monday and returned on Tuesday.

Sam Mikkelson of Randen was in town Tuesday enroute to Crookston where he is spending several days.

Henry Nelson leaves today for Germantown to enter upon his duties as buttermaker at the creamery there. Success to him.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Olson's two daughters Mesdames Torson and Tagley have been visiting them since Saturday.

Dr. Teal veterinary surgeon of Thief River Falls was in town on professional business Tuesday. He was accompanied by his wife.

The sleighing party that went out with the dray team and sleigh Sunday had more fun than a mule could pull. If you don't believe it ask Earl Ratrie the G. N. agent.

A Life at Stake

Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's diseaase and diabetes start with a slight irregularity that could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney Remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. For sale by all druggists.

FARM GROWN SEEDS

Press Bulletin No. 70—By A. J. McGuire, Supt. of Experimnetal Station at Grand Rapids

Clover: The ease and abundance in which clover grows in this section of the state is the strongest indorsement of its agriculture. Wherever clover may be grown, farming may be conducted successfully.

Clover is not only one of the most valuable feeds for all kinds of stock but it enriches the soil where it is grown.

Clover is grown in every rotation and on every field on the Experiment Farm at least every fourth year. This done to give all the fields its benefit Generally it is used but one year and then plowed up for some other crop. Owing to the high price of clover seed this frequent reseeding may seem an expense but the increased yield not only in clover, but in the crops that follow pays for the seed many times In fact the increased yield from one acre of the first year cutting, over that of an old field will more than pay for the seed of te nacres.

Clover may be seeded with any kind of grain in this section of the state The growth is so vigorous that no consideration need be given to nurse crop.

It may be seeded with or without timothy. On the Experiment Farm a mixture of the two is used, about half and half in weight. It cures more easily and makes a finer quality of hay than if grown alone. From 6 to 10 pounds seed per acre and the same of timothy, owing to the richness of the soil, moisture, etc.

Use medium red clover for the upland hay crop, mammoth for plowing under (recommended only for very sandy soil) and alsike for low land that is in danger of standing water and where it is left in meadow more than two years. Clover hay is a valuable feed for dairy cows, but requires considerable care in curing to retain all its quality.

It should be cut early, rather than too late, and put up green rather than over dried or rained upon. Best results are secured when cut in full bloom. Our system in haying is to cut one day and get in the mow the next. The hay may be sufficiently cured in this time when the weather is favorable. A hay tedder is very necessary in curing clover hay, that yields from 2 to 3½ tons per acre. Hay that is cut one forenoon is tedded the next morning as soon as the dew is off, and again just before dinner. The rake is started in the afternoon, and the hay hauled in at once. One ton of clover hay cured in this way is worth two tons of hay that has been rained on and weather beaten, especially in the production of milk.

Grow clover. Feed it on the farm It has a double value, and for this section it replaces "corn as king."

—A. J. McGuire.

The devil invented a warm bed to discourage early rising and the Lord arranged cold bath rooms to hustle a man in getting dressed.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

A CIVIL CASE—County Atty. Jas. H. Maybury left this morning for East Grand Forks where he spent the day looking after the interests of a client in a civil action. He will return home this evening.

GAINING RAPIDLY—Jos. Koelmel is again attending to business matters at his place of business after a three weeks' vacation during which he parted with his veriform appendix which he states he never had any use for anyway.

RURAL TELEPHONE FOR MALLORY—The farmers residing in the vicinity of Mallory have become interested in a rural telephone line and a meeting has been called by D. B. Ferguson one of the prominent farmers of that locality for March 5th at 2 p. m. at which the matter will be thoroly discussed.

It makes no difference how long you've suffered, or what failed to cure you. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes sick weak men, women and children strong and healthy. It's done so for thousands, why not for you? 35c, Tea or Tablets. — A. G. Andersen.

FUNERAL HELD—The funeral of Abner the baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether was held Sunday afternoon from the Norwegian Lutheran church. The twin brother died a few weeks ago. This community extends heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved parents. Their children, are safe, very safe, on the other shore.—Warren Sheaf.

DIED AT FOSSTON—After a protracted illness, Ingeborg wife of Knute Alfson whose home is situated a few miles southwest of town, succumbed to the fatal disease, gangrene on the 24th inst. Mrs. Alfson was 68 years of age and had been afflicted for over a year. An attempt was made to arrest the disease by amputation of the leg afflicted but without success.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

DONALD McNIEL IMPROVING—The many friends of the family will rejoice to hear that there is a decided change for the better in the condition of little Donald the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNiel of Grand Forks who was taken seriously ill last Monday at the Leguee home here. He was at the point of death for several days with ptomaine poisoning, but shows great improvement and it is very probable that he will recover.

COL. ARNESON HERE—Col. Joakim Arneson representative of the Allan Line with headquarters in Minneapolis, Royal Mail Steamships, spent Saturday in Crookston calling on his many old friends. He reports business very good during the past winter there having been more than the usual amount of travel to the foreign countries. This would seem to indicate no pronounced hard times in the Red River Valley where the greater portion of the business thru the Minneapolis branch of the company has been done.

Last Saturday afternoon Conductor C. W. Andrist of this city was seriously injured at Warren while handling way freight with his freight crew They were loading a barrel of gasoline when the barrel slipped and fell on him inflicting most painful injuries. He was brought to his home in this city and will be laid up some time as the result of the unfortunate accident.

The Oldest Tree in the World

The oldest tree in the world is said to be the famous tree of Teneriffe, which is estimated to be from 4,000 to 6,000 years of age. The intelligent public in general agree that golden grain belt beer is unequaled as a table beverage. It is brewed from the best of nature's products in a better way than other beers and deserves a place on the home table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

It must be a great relief to some men when their wives become widows.

From Tuesday's Daily

PLEASANT VISIT—Arthur Holberg a member of the Northern Pacific office force at East Grand Forks returned home yesterday morning after visiting in Crookston.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL — The Misses Belle and Dorothy Harlocker who are attending a local business college were both taken to St. Vincent's hospital suffering with typhoid fever several days ago, are both improving.

ON LEGAL AFFAIRS—Ex-County Attorney George Hammond of Wabasha county is in the city to attend to some legal business and is visiting with the numerous friends he finds among the old Wabashaites residing here. Mr. Hammond now resides at Lake City.

TO PURCHASE HORSES—E. M. Lancaster left last evening for Minneapolis where he will purchase a car load of horses for J. M. Blatchford of Berlin, N. D., and will accompany the car to its destination. Mr. Lancaster is a shrewd horse buyer, having had many years of experience in the business.

GOODRIE GOOD—Alex Goodrie the East Grand Forks boy who got six months at the last term of court, for assault on a young lady, writes back that his prison isn't so bad but he is glad his term is so short and when he gets out he will brace u pand make himself a useful citizen to the community.

GLAD TO GET BACK—I. Scribner and wife who left for North Yakima last fall returned to Crookston last evening with the firm determination to remain right here. Crookston is good enough for them and they state that the glories of the great west should be taken with a grain of salt. Both state that a person in comfortable position is foolish for going west.

HOME FROM WOODS — Messrs. Thomas Rutherford, Theo. Goosen and A. Oeschelman all returned this morning from the camps of the J. Irvine Lumber Co., near Kelliher. They all reside west of Euclid and continued on their way home. They had a good winter and their horses returned in very good shape.

CROOKSTON THE BEST—B. T. Vance who lived here for two years in the piano tuning and music teaching profession has returned to the city and located here again. Mr. Vance has travelled over a great deal of the United States since leaving here and has found no place that looks as good to him as Crookston.

HAS COTTON FIELDS—Wm. Halverson leaves Monday for Longsworth Texas where he will put in forty acres of cotton and make arrangements for the building of a residence on his farm before returning. He number of homeseekers from this secexpects to be accompanied by a tion who are favorably looking to the sunny south as a place of possible future residence.—McIntosh Times.

SUNDAY IN YAKIMA—Bill Sunday now called "Billy" but formerly known as Sunday, the candy center fielder of the Chicago Nationals, a hard hitter and able to cover his territory with the greatest possible ease and precision is holding a series of revival meetings in North Yakima. As a revivalist he is declared to be even more of a success than he was as a ball player.

OPERATION AT ST. VINCENTS—Morton McKnight a prominent farmer residing north of Erskine in this county, was brought to the St. Vincent hospital last Saturday and at once operated upon for acute rupture which he has had since birth, but never troubled with until the other day he slipped while getting water. Dr. Kahala performed the operation and the patient is getting along nicely.

Foley's Orino Laxative is sold under a positive guarantee to cure constipation, sick headache, stomach trouble, or any form of indigestion. If it fails, the manufacturers refund your money. What more can any one do. For sale by all druggists.

From Friday's Daily

HERE FROM BYGLAND— B. T. Danielson, a prosperous farmer of Bygland is spending the day in the city and paid for the Journal another year in advance as usual.

ON LAUNDRY BUSINESS—W. A. Collins and J. C. Shepherd both of Grand Forks, laundrymen, were over last evening on business connected with the laundry association.

FINE DRAFT TEAM—Supt. Robertson this morning received a fine team of draft horses from Reynolds, N. D., for his personal use on the farm. The team is a heavy one and would take the eye of the lover of fine horse flesh.

BELTRAMI PAINTER BANKRUPT—Jens A. Hoff a painter and paperhanger of Beltrami filed a bankruptcy petition in the Federal court at Fergus Falls on Tuesday placing his assets at $560, all exempt and his liabilities at $1,157.12.

CLAIM LIFE — Chas. Ackerlund, Letter Carrier No. 3, of the local postoffice left this morning on the Winnipeg Flyer for his claim near Beaudette and will spend the next two weeks enjoying life amongst the pines.

FARMERS' MEETING—There will be a big farmers' meeting at Oslo on next Saturday, March 7, at which Postmaster Elias Steenerson of this city will be the principal speaker. Large posters have been printed advertising the affair.

UMBRELLA PATENT— Among the list of Northern Minnesota inventors this week appears the name of W. Theodorf of St. Vincent who is granted a patent on an umbrella. Will was a former resident of this city and his friends will raise his umbrella if the opportunity is ever granted them.

WIFE IS IMPROVING —Mrs. Ole Lunde who was operated upon recently at the Bethesda hospital for tumor of the stomach is doing well. Her husband, Ole Lunde, a prosperous farmer of Olga came down last evening to see her returning home this morning.

HOME VISIT—Duane Clapp came in last night from Devils Lake, N. D. where he is agent of the G. N. express Co., and enjoyed the Bachelor Girls' party last night and today is calling on his numerous friends. His stay is cut short he expecting to return tonight.

How She Won Him—It's the pretty winsome face that's leading most men to the altar. Girls, get wise, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea and get that clear, sweet look, happy smile that wins them. Begin now. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

PLEASED WITH CROOKSTON—J. F. Hanson, Sr., of Britton, S. D. returned home last evening after a pleasant visit with his son, J. F. Hanson manager of the local branch of the Standard Oil Co., of this city He visits in Crookston quite frequently and is very favorably impressed with this city.

WILL MAKE GOOD—M. E. Williamson unloaded a car load of stock and machinery at Burwell Monday and moved at once on the farm. Mr. Williamson had purchased 160 acres in Fairfax and it not having any cdladwlhesflw9sbuld sh sh sh sh shr buildings, he rented the adjoining farm.

AN OLD SCHOOLMATE — R. D. Whitford of Eau Claire, Wis., is spending the day here with his college class mate, Atty. A. A. Miller enroute to Warren for which point he will leave in the morning but will return to attend the presentation of the Merry Dairymaids at the Auditorium Friday evening and after spending another day here will return to his home Saturday evening.

COMMISSION RECEIVED— Louis Johnson, the well known farmer west of the city today received his commission as administrator of the estate of the late Mason T. Roberts and is make big preparations for an auction sale on March 17 on which he will dispose of all the personal property of Mr. Roberts. Deceased left 260 acres of good land which will be sold later.

DOING NICELY—Theodore Elken formerly a well known Crookston boy who was known as just "Ted" and is now located at Colorado Springs, Col., sends the Journal a check for another year's subscription to keep in touch with the doings of his old friends. He is doing well and his health is improving.

OUT OF DANGER—A letter received from Bemidji this morning is to the effect that Dr. E. H. Marcum, who has been critically ill with dyptheria for the past few days is very much better. His throat is practically clear and his many friends are glad to hear that the chances are he will be all right in a few days. He had a bad siege but his rugged constitution stood him in good stead in this instance.

LOST HER PURSE—When returning to her home at Fosston last Monday evening, Miss Regina Saeter of Fosston, the little daughter of Rev. Saeter of that place lost her purse in Crookston. It was a small black purse with a gilt chain attached, and contained $1.40 in cash. The finder is requested to return purse to the Journal or O. N. J. Hagen's restaurant.

WIFE IS DEAD — Mrs. Geo. W. Pape wife of a railway mail clerk who runs from Grand Forks to Havre and at one time ran out of this city, died Saturday in St. Paul where she had undergone an operation. She was a resident of Grand Forks for many years and had many friends and acquaintances there. Two years ago the family removed to the farm near Wahpeton. The husband and three children survive her.

With health, all things are happiness, without it, other blessings can't be enjoyed. We make health—for Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is health. Try it; 'twill surely make you well. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

A BUILDING BEE—A number of farmers, neighbors of James Hedley of Kittson whose farm residence recently burned gathered at the Hedley farm and proceeded to start a "building bee" the purpose of which was to erect a temporary dwelling on the place. A building 16 by 20 was erected sufficient to allow the men on the farm suitable quarters until the erection of the new farm home.

BOUGHT BLOODED HORSES — Liveryman Murray of Grand Forks who always wants to keep up-to-date was in Crookston the other day accompanied by Wm. Westacott and purchased two of the finest saddle horses ever brought to the northwest of R. H. Purvis. They were "Highlander" and "Lottie" two standard bred horses brought from Missouri last year and are both high priced animals. Highlander took second prize at the Minnesota State Fair last fall in the Gents' riding horse class, and both have a series of steps that would do credit to a dancing master.

FISHER

Mrs. Arthur Erwin of Beltrami is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bassler.

D. A. Hamilton spent the latter part of the week in Deer River on business.

Wm. Peterson who has been at school in Minneapolis is home on a visit.

Miss Clara Berg of Red Lake Falls is the guest of Miss Hortense Worden this week.

Mrs. Ida Merrill spent Saturday in Grand Forks on business.

Miss Selma Kile left Saturday for Grand Forks where she will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Wm. Stoughton who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever is rapidly recovering.

H. Tanner who has been confined to his home with an attack of rheumatism is able to be around again.

Chas. Flaiske with a large force of teams and men are making great progress for the construction of a new double brick building to be erected as quickly as possible.

T. B. Wanamaker Dies.

Liverpool, March 4. — Thomas B. Wanamaker of Philadelphia, son of Former Postmaster General John Wanamaker, died suddenly at the Hotel Liverpool here. Mr. Wanamaker had long been a sufferer fro n rheumatic gout, complicated with other ailments.

Shovellers Busy

The recent heavy snow has required the services of a good force of shovellers on the Great Northern tracks near the depot here, and in the Carman yards. The lack of any wind to cause drifting has made the work comparatively easy, but a large force of men will be kept busy for several days and should a blow come up the number of men employed will have to be doubled.

Itasca Line has a Newsboy

An epoch of improvement on the Minneapolis & Rainy River railroad was marked as there has been installed a regular "candy butcher" on the passenger train of that line having all the outfit of the regular newsy and the jacks now can have all the sweets, nuts, cigars, novels and the cracker-jack they want to appease their appetite till they reach town. The agency is put in by John Small of the Great Northern line, and the young man handling for him is Bennie Marks of Duluth. — Deer River News.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

BETTER PROTECTION FOR OUR WILD GAME

The meeting of the State Game Wardens opened in St. Paul today and will be in session for two days. Wardens are present from all parts of the state, the object of the conference to devise methods and means for th very best possible protection of the wild game of Minnesota.

One of the very best papers read during the convention was the one on the situation in Northern Minnesota, read by Game Warden Wm. Munch of this city and who is in charge of this district. Warden Munch's address is given in full below:

Paper by Warden Munch

In order to deal with this subject it is perhaps advisable first to consider the nature of the country comprised within the valley of the Red River of the North. As is well known along that river on the Minnesota side as well as on the Dakota side for a distance varying from fifty to one hundred miles the adjacent territory is almost level prairie interspersed here and there with streams of varying dimension with slow current and mixed clay and sandy bottoms and banks. Along the eastern border of this territory the timber line commences, and with the timber line the country becomes more broken with here and there a spring fed lake, many of which are land-blocked. Where this timber line commences the country is to a large extent brush covered except where here and there settlers have brushed the land and cultivated the soil. As to fish in this locality it goes without saying that from the very nature of the streams as above described the rivers in this territory are not particularly adapted to the propagation of fish, but the lake territory along the easterly side of the valley presents ideal conditions for the development of bass, crappy, pike and other game fish, though with the possible exception of the southern part of this lake territory there are no streams which would be adapted to trout. These lakes with scarcely an exception in their natural state are filled with pickerel and other inferior fish but since the country has been settled up for a period of about 25 years an incessant war has been carried on against this variety of fish with a result that at the present time the lakes in question are not abundantly supplied with them, and present conditions promise very favorably for the fry of the bass, crappy, or pike, with the least element of danger of their destruction by pickerel or other destructive fish. I believe the time is ripe and almost opportune for the placing of fry in these lakes, and that the people who live in the vicinity of the lakes will co-operate with the movement and realizing the importance of stocking these waters will refrain from violating the law relating to such fish and that in the course of a very short time the lakes in question will present ideal fishing resorts to all who enjoy such pastime

With regard to game, the Valley of the Red River we believe presents the only natural breeding place of the prairie chicken at the present writing, and while it is true that many in the state believe that by legislation as to closed season the prairie chicken can again be induced to make Southern Minnesota its habitat we submit that on account of the habits of the bird and the conditions presented in the more thickly settled parts of the state, of necessity the territory in which the prairie chickens increase in numbers will remain limited, there are certain natural conditions which that bird insists upon as a place of breeding. In southern Minnesota the territory is either cultivated fields, pastures, or woodland, in neither of which places will the prairie chicken breed and thrive, and in the Red River Valley only do we have the long stretches of unbroken virgin prairie in which the grass is undisturbed from one end of the season to the other, and it is in these sort of surroundings and in such surroundings only that the prairie chicken from its very nature finds a congenial home. The prairie chicken sport during the past year was very enjoyable to all except the game hog who is never satisfied and the open winter this year and all present indications promise a continuation of good sport in that direction. Notwithstanding this it might be advisable in order that the sportsmen of the southern part of the state have the matter actually demonstrated to them to have a closed season as a matter of courtesy to those who cannot afford to come to the Red River Valley for a hunt. We do not believe that strenuous opposition to this move will be again made from the northern part of the state, for many of the sportsmen feel that it would be well for the prairie chickens to have a rest even in the Red River Valley, as it must be conceded that they are not as plentiful as they were some ten or fifteen years ago.

In this conection it might be added that conditions in the Red River Valley, particularly along the eastern portion of the valley, are rapidly approaching an ideal ground for the propagation of quail, and we believe that the State Game and Fish Commission could profitably devote some attention to that department. The Commission has very kindly taken steps to introduce the Ring-necked pheasant in that territory, and the success of this move is certainly assured. The local sportsmen at Crookston are raising funds at this time with which to buy eggs of the ring-necked pheasant to be hatched under domestic hens, and expect to have during the coming season at least five hundred eggs for that purpose if they can be procured.

In the lake region and in marshes scattered thruout the valley fairly good duck shooting is had every fall, and this shooting seems to have improved during the last three or four years. This is accounted for we believe largely because of the law prohibiting spring shooting, for we find that ducks are now inclined to nest in all the ponds, lakes and sloughs in the valley where heretofore a brood of young ducks was a rare curiosity.

We do not intend to make any mention as to large game in this article for the large game territory in what is known as the Red River Valley is very limited, tho occasionally a deer and even moose or bear are gotten by the fortunate sportsman in that territory.

In conclusion I might add that the game and fish conditions in the territory of which I speak have on the whole greatly improved during recent years, and promise of improvement in the future is very bright because of the earnest co-operation on the part of the sportsmen in the enforcement and respect for the game laws of the state. We have an efficient organization in Polk county, and the members of that organization include nearly every one who enjoys the sport, and it is not only the question of a chance of paying a fine but it is the adverse criticism and censure of the other sportsmen that aids greatly in the up-holding of the law.

As a result of this condition of public sentiment convictions have been had in all cases recently prosecuted and evidence has been secured, where in former days the parties would have escaped scot free. The sportsmen in that locality are almost unanimous in favor of a gun license of $1 regardless of the county in which the hunting is done in order that the State Board may have ample funds with which to enforce the law and to aid in the propagation of game and fish. The sentiment towards the State Board thruout the territory so far as I have been able to learn is one of cordiality and a belief that the Board is conscientious and striving its utmost to carry out the ideals under which it is created, and the feeling is unanimous to aid the State Board in every manner possible to make its work a success.

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NEWLY INCORPORATED THIEF RIVER FALLS RAILROAD

COMPANY APPOINTS IMPORTANT COMMITTEES ON RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION

From Friday's Daily—

A meeting of the newly incorporated company which proposes to build a railroad into the country northeast of Thief River Falls was held Monday evening. Matters of interest to the company were discussed and it was the understanding of the stockholders that work of building the new line be commenced at an early date.

A committee to have charge of selecting a right-of-way was appointed as follows: D. P. O'Neill, Olaf Ramstad, C. M. Evenson and Math Barzen

A committee to select a suitable water power on the Red Lake River was appointed as follows: Milton Forder, L. M. Hoag and Robert McGinn.

Blow Postoffice Safe.

Denver, Feb. 27.—The Post yesterday morning burglars dynamited the safe of the village postoffice at Bay City, Wis., and secured about $100 in cash and a quantity of stamps and money orders. The robbers escaped.

Dies of His Injuries.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Feb. 27.—Olavus Elskum, who shot himself at his home near Vining, as the result of despondency, died here yesterday from the effect of his injuries. The bullet fractured his skull.

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JURORS WERE DRAWN TODAY

BOTH GRAND AND PETIT WHO WILL SERVE AT JUNE TERM OF COURT

TERM WILL CONVENE ON JUNE SECOND—PETIT JURY CALLED LATER

From Friday's Daily—

This afternoon the members of the grand and petit juries for the June term of court were drawn. The grand jury will convene on June 2 and the petit jury probably a week later. The two juries are constituted as follows:

Grand Jury

Tom Carlson, Northland.
Albert Barth, Garfield.
H. L. Stoisteng, Onstad.
C. F. Hasselton, Rosebud.
Ole Peterson, Fosston.
O. L. Lind, Lengby.
Carl Reidesel City.
L. W. Larson, City.
J. E. O'Brien, City.
J. O. Sargent, City.
J. W. Wheeler, City.
A. J. Goodwin, Euclid.
O. H. Camp, Tilden.
E. C. Gilbertson, Winger.
John Thompson, Vineland.
Nels Clementson, Liberty.
Geo. Rutherford, Keystone.
Robert Anderson, Grand Forks.
Remi Fortier, Gentilly.
Nels H. Lofthus, Sletten.
Clifford McLennan, Angus.
Elmer Estensen, Climax.
Ole Romo, Climax.

Petit Jury

T. Hanson, Queen.
Hanson Elby, Gully.
H. E. Abbott, Oak Park.
C. C. Hensel, Roome.
John Wyand, City.
Wm. Heidrick, City.
August Anderson, Columbia.
Herman Berg, Bransvold.
M. J. Juvrud, Rosebud.
E. B. Johnson, Grant.
Tom Nelson, Euclid.
Peter Olson, Higdem.
R. J. Hollmemn, Brandsvold.
Chas. Wise, Roome.
Eric O. Stortroen, Vineland.
Albert Bergh, Onstad.
Aaron Brown, East Grand Forks.
Julius Bradley, Knute.
Wm. Sampson, Fairfax.
Ed Drinkwine, Grove Park.
Oliver Moen, Rosebud.
Jos. Krese, Northland.
Oscar Wick, Rhinehart.
Andrew J. Reise, Garden.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock Clarence Warner and Henry Michels were sentenced to 4 months in the penitentiary and 50 days in the county jail respectively by Judge Watts after plead ing guilty to keeping a house of ill-fame in Fosston. Yesterday at Warren Judge Grindeland sentenced A. B. Moore the Ada bigamist, self confessed to 2 years and 3 months in the penitentiary.

MAY LOCATE IN CROOSKTON

L. O. PALMER IN CHARGE OF COLLECTIONS FOR CASE CO., IN CITY

L. O. Palmer, in charge of the collections for the J. I. Case Co., in this territory arrived in the city this morn ing from Grand Forks and is looking after a residence in this city, it being his intention to make his headquarters here in the future, and he will move his family to this city in the spring after his children have finished the school year at Grand Forks.

Mr. Palmer was in the office of G. G. Thornberg at Grand Forks before the latter left for Columbus, Ohio where he took charge of the state agency, and speaks in the very highest terms of Mr. Thornberg both as to personal character and business ability. Mr. Palmer was at Racine, the headquarters of the J. I. Case Co., a few days ago and met Mr. Thornberg there during a conference of managers and employes, and enjoyed a most pleasant visit. Mr. Palmer owns a fine home in Caledonia, Minn., but business duties will not permit of his residence there.

Mr. Palmer and his family will be heartily welcomed to Crookston.

BEWARE OF OILY TONGUED PEDDLAR

In nine cases out of ten an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Therefore we advise the readers of the Journal not to allow any of those oily tongued peddlars to beat them, for in nine cases out of ten, if they go to a local merchant, and compare goods, they will find that they can buy the same quality of goods for one-half what the peddlar charges.

THE HEDLEY HOME BURNED

THE LOSS WAS PRACTICALLY TOTAL, NOTHING BEING SAVED

BOYS LIGHTED FIRE AND MOTHER WAS AWAKENED BY THE SMOKE

From Friday's Daily—

This morning at an early hour, between 5 and 6 o'clock fire totally destroyed the fine farm home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hedley in the Town of Fairfax, four miles southeast of the city.

Mr. Hedley and his oldest daughter are away on a visit with friends in Kansas which makes the affair still sadder. According to the best information obtainable the Hedley boys Frank and his brother, arose this mor ning and after building a fire in the kitchen went to milk.

In some way the house caught fire and Mrs. Hedley, their mother, was awakened by the strong smell of smoke. She aroused the girl employed at the farm and the two barely escaped with their lives, the walls of the kitchen falling in just about the time they got out of the building.

The two escaped with the remaining Hedley girrl in their night clothes, having no time to save anything but a few bed clothes.

The loss on the house will reach about $1000 and loss on furniture, clothing and other contents will aggregate about $1500. The insurance carried is very light, being but $680 in the Farmers' Mutual Co.

Mrs. Hedley was at once taken to the Ed Roberts Farm where she will remain for a few days. The many friends of the family, all of whom are well known in Crookston, deeply regret the sad misfortune.

It is later learned that Mrs. Hedley saved her life by leaping from a second story window, but she received no serious injuries as a result of the fall.

The Hedleys were well known in Crookston from the fact that they delivered milk and cream to many patrons here. Despite the accident the delivery was made today, tho somewhat delayed.

CONDUCTORS HAVE RECORDS MARKED

G. N. TRAINMEN ARE INDIGNANT THAT INSPECTION OF CARS MUST BE MADE

The rules as to the reporting of cars out of repair, making time on runs, must be more rigidly enforced. claim the officials of the Great Northern on the Melrose division. During the past week a number of trainmen among them six conductors, had their records marked. Conductors are reported if they bring cars into Melrose which have any defects of any kind and are not reported. The conductors feel that an injustice is being done them because the officials insist that they make fast time over their runs, and say that to make time an dstill to take time to inspect every car is impossible. On most of the freights the third brakeman has been laid off and this makes the work of the conductor and his crew harder than usual.

A ROTARY SAW FOR CUTTING ICE

BARNESVILLE MEN INVENT MACHINE THAT WILL SAW 5000 CAKES ICE IN 24 HOURS

Messrs. H. J. Fisch and J. Babst of Barnesville have invented a machine for sawing out ice from the frozen surface of lakes and rivers. It is a rotary saw, propelled by a gasoline engine. With one saw and a four horse power engine they can saw out 5,000 cakes of ice, 24 inches square and 10 inches thick per day. The capacity of the machine can be greatly increased by adding extra saws. The gentlemen have applied for a patent for their invention.

Engineers Ed Ebbighausen and Adolph Remshardt left last evening for Hot Springs, Ark., where the two will be benefitted by the baths for a few weeks. Both are old timers, and the trip will do them no end of good and both will enjoy a well earned vacation.

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STATE LAND SALE FOR 1908

STATE AUDITOR ANNOUNCES DATES OF SALE IN EIGHTEEN COUNTIES

NO SALE WILL BE HELD IN POLK COUNTY — 396,600 ACRES ON MARKET

The state of Minnesota will offer for sale 396,600 acres of land in the north half of the state at public auction between June 32 and July 24. The list of lands to be offered for sale includes a variety of land, some of it being unbroken prairie land, some meadow, some with more or less timber and an occasional swampy tract.

The lands will be sold to the highest bidder, a payment of 15 per cent of the purchase price being required at the time of sale. The balance may run for 40 years at 4 per cent interest. The title to all of the land is perfect.

State Auditor Iverson has announced the dates of the sales in the various counties as follows:

June		Acres
22	Hallock, Kittson county	..30,000
23	Warren, Marshall county	..44,000
25	Roseau, Roseau Co.	58,000
27	Bagley, Clearwater Co.	...12,000
29	Little Falls, Morrison Co.	..10,000
30	Brainerd, Crow Wing	17,000
30	Walker, Cass Co.	..25,000
July		
1	Park Rapids, Hubbard Co.	15,000
2	Wadena, Wadena Co.	15,000
2	Detroit, Becker Co.	20,000
6	Aitkin, Aitkin Co.	40,000
7	Duluth, St. Louis Co.	20,000
8	Grand Rapids, Itasca	35,000
9	Bemidji, Beltrami Co.	15,000
10	International Falls, Koochiching Co.	10,000
20	Carlton, Carlton Co.	 15,000
21	Pine City, Pine Co.	 8,600
22	Princeton, Mille Lacs	 4,000
24	Fergus Falls, Otter Tail Co.	3,000
	Total No. acres	...396,600

MORE CRIMES IN STATE WHICH BARS LIQUOR

CHICAGO SPEAKER SHOWS MINNESOTA HAS LESS PRISONERS THAN MAINE

The Manufacturers' and Dealers' Club of Chicago has started a fight against the wave of prohibition that is sweeping over the country. The campaign opened at a banquet of the organization held at the Chicago Athletic club last night. The meeting was of interest to Minnesota people because one of the speakers used the alleged Minnesota figures in arguing that prohibition does not decrease crimes. Phillip A. Grau compared Maine, a prohibition state with Minnesota. Each are equal in population. His figures showed that while Maine had 5,769 persons in its county jails Minnesota had but 1,489. The number of prisoners on charges of drunkenness in Maine he said, was 2,934, as against 685 in Minnesota. "Blind pigs" in Maine numbered 441, against 25 in Minnesota. Maine produced no revenue from the liquor traffic but Minnesota turned into the state treasury $730,000 annually.

EAST GRAND FORKS
(Valley View)

Chas. Kaiser is gradually improving and the doctors pronounce him out of danger.

Mrs. Rudy Rassmusson and Mrs. Della Odegaard visited friends and acquaintances in St. Paul this week.

Mayor Dunlevy returned from Rochester Tuesday morning. Mrs. Dunlevy will be home in a few days.

H. E. Stoughton of Fisher spent a few days in the city this week interviewing some of the business men in regard to establishing a creamery here. Mr. Stoughton is a graduate of the Agricultural school and for the last few years has successfully conducted the Viking creamery at Viking, Minn.

John Fairbanks of Red Lake has purchased the Park saloon at Detroit from Jack Harding.

A Change in Runs.

A change has been made in the passenger runs on the Cass Lake line Heretofore the conductors have gone out on the day run and returned on the night run, giving them a lay over there of about three hours. Now they go out on the day run reaching Cass Lake at about 1:30 p. m. and returning on the night run leave Cass Lake at 2:45 a. m. which gives them a 14 hour lay over at Cass Lake. This will not be as popular a run as it was under the old regime.

PICKLE PLANT FOR CROOKSTON

R. M. PEACOCK OF CLEAR LAKE WILL BE IN CROOKSTON ON MARCH 2ND

WILL MEET WITH MEMBERS OF COMMERCIAL CLUB AND FARMERS THEN

From Friday's Daily—

Following is a copy of a letter received this morning by Secretary Moore of the 25,000 club:

Clear Lake, Minn., 2-2-08.

J. F. Moore,
Crookston, Minn.

Dear Sir:—

In reply to yours of the 25th. You can call a meeting of the farmers and business men for Monday afternoon, and I will come up and see what can be done.

Let me hear from you if this is satisfactory. I will furnish you a No. 1 man to look after the processing and managing of the plant.

Yours truly,
—R. M. Peacock.

The above refers to the establishing of a canning and pickle plant in this city and there will be a meeting of the members of the club, on Monday afternoon March 2nd, at 2:30 P. M. for the purpose of meeting Mr. Peacock and going over the mater fully.

It is desired that all who are interested in procuring this industry for our city, be at this meeting. It is also particularly desired that our far mers be on hand also, as they are as much, if not more deeply interested than any others, and if you will kindly give this space in your issues of today and tomorrow, it will help materially in getting out a goodly number to meet Mr. Peacock.

The meeting will be held in the club room in the city hall.

A BIG SUCCES OF NAVY BEANS

WESTERN POLK CO., BUSINESS MAN MAKES VISIT TO CROOKSTON

John Vosler, one of the leading business men of East Grand Forks is spending the day in the city paying taxes and attending to other business matters at the court house. This afternoon he looked up many of his old time friends and made the Journal office a pleasant call and set his subscription up another year ahead for the Daily Journal.

Last fall the Journal published the report of Mr. Vosler's big crop of Navy beans. He raised 1100 bushels and sold the entire crop to the whole sale company of Nash Bros., at Grand Forks for $2.40 per bushel.

Mr. Vosler has a fine farm on Minnesota Point and for several years past has raised large quantities of beans. The industry is a very successful one, good crops having been raised every year and high prices received for the produce. There is no question but what the raising of navy beans should receive a great deal more attention in the Red River Valley than it has in the past. The ground after having been so thoroly cultivated as is necessary in raising beans, is in even better shape for a fine crop of small grain than is a corn field.

Mr. Vosler will return home this evening and promised his friends that he would come again before the next tax-paying time arrives. In addition to his farming interests Mr. Vosler owns several fine business properties in East Grand Forks, and like his farm all the property he owns is highly improved.

LAWSUIT NOT YET COMPLETED

THE BYGLAND TOWNSHIP LAND CASE ADJOURNED FOR ONE WEEK

The lawsuit that has been on in district court the past two days has been adjourned one week in order to allow more evidence being secured. This is a case between Peter, Claar, Annie and Ludvig Monson, children of Ed Monson, at one time on the Crookston police force, and heirs of Mrs. Annie Kjerstine Ose, against Torkel Danielson to secure the possession of 80 acres of land in section four in the township of Bygland which they claim is not Danielson's but theirs as heirs of Mrs. Ose. Mr. Danielson claims to have purchased the disputed lands in 1885 and that the papers were never recorded and later lost.

Many fine points of law are involved and the case is being bitterly fought by the attorneys on both sides.

FORMED AN ORGANIZATION

POULTRY FANCIERS OF POLK COUNTY HELD MEETING LAST EVENING

EIGHTEEN WERE PRESENT AND MANY MORE WILL JOIN SOON

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening, pursuant to the call for a meeting of the poultry fanciers of Polk county. Eighteen fanciers met in the firemen's hall at the City hall.

As a result of the gathering the Northern Minnesota Poultry Association was organized. The meeting was called to order by F. C. Mitchell and C. E. Brown, the poultry man at the State Experimental Farm, was named as temporary chairman and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell temporary secretary.

Mr. Brown explained how the necessary expenditures could be met and the membership fee of $1.00 per year was agreed upon.

The election of officers then took place and resulted as follows:

President, C. E. Brown.
First Vice President, H. C. Scribner
Secretary and Treas., F. C. Mitchell
Honorary Presidents, Prof. Wm. Robertson and A. D. Stephens.
Board of Directors: F. C. Mitchell, W. E. Slocum, C. E. Brown, Alex Dupuis, P. McGlynn and J. W. Smith.

The members of the new association are as follows:

Prof. Wm. Robertson, Hon. A. D. Stephens, Prof. Harrington, C. E Brown, W. E. Slocum, Judge Wm. Watts, F. C. Mitchell, Alex Dupuis, Harry Nicholson, L. A. Northrup, Sam Meng, Ed Garvick, Nels Wood, Arthur Kelsvin, John Young, Roy Young, Pat McGlynn, J. W. Paplow, H. C. Scribner, J. W. Smith, Tom Hunt, H. O. Hanson, Louis Regimbal and Harry Boh.

The next meeting of the Northern Minnesota Poultry Association will be held March 12 and all who are interested in the poultry industry are cordially invited to be present. The place of the meeting will be announced later.

DECISION HAS BEEN AFFIRMED

FRED H. MAGEAU GETS $1000 FOR LOSS OF SERVICES OF WIFE

Atty. Chas. Loring received a telegram today to the effect that the supreme court of the state has affirmed the verdict of the jury in the district court of Polk county at the term held last June, awarding him damages in the sum of $1,000 for the loss of his wife, who it was alleged died as the result of a wreck on the Great Northern while she was enroute to Crookston from St. Paul.

OTTERTAIL AUDITOR HAS PASSED AWAY

W. C. LINCOLN OF FERGUS FALLS DIED SUDDENLY WEDNESDAY EVENING

General regret is expressed over the death of W. C. Lincoln, county auditor of Otter Tail County, who was a highly respected resident of Fergus Falls for many years past.

Wm. C. Lincoln was born in Philadelphia, Pa., June 14, 1845, and would have been 63 years of age had he lived until June of this year. He served through the war of the rebelion in Co. D. 125th New York Inf. He went to Fergus Falls in 1882 and has been county auditor of Otter Tail Co., since 1899.

He is survived by his wife and a family of seven children. These are Robb E., Wm., Ruth, Harry G., and Helen Lincoln of Fergus Falls; Mrs. Tallmadge of Larimore and Miss Elizabeth Lincoln, who has been teach in the schools of Fessenden, N. D.

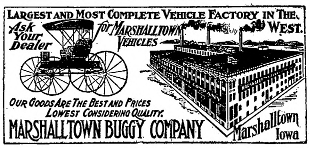
He was a man of rare personality—a man who won his way by merit and ability—and while he spurned the arts of the politician he was unquestionably the most popular man in Otter Tail County.

In his death, Otter Tail county has lost one of her strongest, truest and ablest citizens and the whole community mourns.

The funeral will occur Saturday forenoon. The exact hour will be announced tomorrow.

Flood Closes Mills.

Philadelphia, Feb. 29.—Seven mills in Manayunk have shut down on account of the flood which swept down the Schuylkill river. More than 5,000 operatives are idle.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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

CLOSES SCHOOL TERM—Mrs. M. J. Malone of this city who is engaged as teacher in the district 89, north of Dugdale completed her spring term of school today with very appropriate exercises. She is expected home tomorrow morning.

BOY INJURED — Jos. Schraeder, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Schraeder was brought home last evening in an unconscious condition as the result of an injury while playing. He revived in a short time and to day has been completed recovered.

ON CIVIL BUSINESS—County Atty Maybury spent yesterday at Fertile attending so some civil legal matters and returned home last evening. He says things are generally very quiet at Fertile but that business houses all seem to be prospering.

TRADED PROPERTY — Operator Pike of the Great Northern Transfer in South Crookston has traded his property on Woodland Ave., Sampson's addition to C. W. Newberry for the Wm. Creighton residence on Elm Street.

IS ALWAYS JOLLY—Editor Harry Ives of the St. Hilaire Spectator was in the city last evening attending to business matters and calling on his friends, returning to his home this morning. He reports business good, and as a matter of fact was never known to make a kick in that line.

SILVER WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. O. Hule prominent residents residing a few miles north of Dugdale celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Monday evening and the affair was attended by all the countryside. The couple have six children all of whom were present.

VISITING SISTER—Geo. Cothbertson a brother of Mrs. T. E. Rider whose home is at Toledo, Iowa, arrived here Monday on a visit with his sister and brother-in-law. He started out for California about a month ago, went up the Pacific coast and finally crossed the mountains and landed in Shevlin where he will remain for a week or more.—Shevlin Advocate.

WILL LEAVE CROOKSTON—Ben Franklin who is one of the old time railroad men of the city had his household goods loaded yesterday and will have them shipped to Barnesville where he was named as roundhouse foreman. Mrs. Franklin and children will leave as soon as the goods have arrived and are placed for their reception.

LOCATED IN CROOKSTON—Mr. N. E. Flekke of Grand Forks who will be identified with the Crookston Fruit Co., arrived in the city this morning and has leased one of the Sivertson houses at 609 Cowing Street where he will settle his family in the next few days. Mr. Flekke is a very pleasant gentleman to meet and is an experienced man in the fruit business. A cordial welcome will be extended to Mr. Flekke and his family by the people of Crookston.

TIT FOR TAT—That was a bright retort that was made at one of the openair meetings in New York for woman suffrage the other day. "Wot would yer do with the vote if yer had it?" "Take it home and make pie of it," growled a man in the crowd. "And what have you done with it?" quickly answered the lady speaker. "Haven't you taken it to Albany and made hash of it?"

SATISFACTORY SETTLEMENTS—The adjusters for the insurance companies represented by Strander Abstract & Investment Co., were in the city yesterday and adjusted the loss on the Anderson and Peake Blocks for some slight damages sustained in the recent fire in the Clark Hardware store. The settlement was made satisfactory to the owners of the buildings.

School in the Robert district No. 246, was closed on the 27th of the month on account of a prevailing epidemic of measles.

From Friday's Daily

LEFT FOR CLAIM—Mr. and Mrs. H. Dahle have left for their claim near Thief River Falls where they will spend some time.

LEGAL BUSINESS—Atty. W. E. Rowe left this morning for Warren where he is spending the day attending to some legal matters.

WENT BELOW— Dow Hatten of Mentor came in last night and visited a few hours between trains with friends and proceeded to the Twin Cities for a short stay.

TO VISIT HOME—Albert Bergh, the well known travelling man left this morning for Fosston where he will renew acquaintances with the friends of his former home for a day or two.

TO NORTH DAKOTA—Otto Ande, the well known Great Northern section boss left last evening for Enderlin, N. D., where he will look after business interests for a couple of days.

BUSINESS AT THIEF RIVER — Mike Kalad is spending the day at Thief River Falls looking after some business interests for the Turkish store of this city. He sells to many customers in that city and pays them an occasional visit.

LAID TO REST—The remains of O. N. Speeten were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery yesterday afternoon A large number of friends following the remains. Rev. A. Salveson of the Synod church conducted the services from the house.

A BIG FISH DINNER—Alex Thompson will entertain at a fish dinner this evening at six o'clock. His guests will be Messrs. Thomas Smythe, Dr. Dunlop and Judge Montague. The dinner will be served at the Oyster Bay restaurant by O. N. J. Hagen.

WILL LOCATE HERE—I. J. Correy superintendent of the Monarch Elevator Co. ,is in the city today looking up a residence. Mr. Correy now lives at Reynolds, N. D., but prefers to reside in Crookston as it is more centrally located in his territory.

AN EXTRA BULLDOG—Capt. Vonderbeck has a spare bulldog on his hands. He picked up the animal a few days ago and the owner can have the property by applying to him and paying charges. The animal is a very fine one.

RECEIVED SAD NEWS—P. J. Morrisroe received a telegram telling of the death of his brother-in-law, M. Fitzgerald, at Winona, and left last evening for that place and will remain until after the funeral. Mrs. Morrisroe has been at Winona for several days.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — Knute Aaker, one of the prominent farmers near Nielsville arrived in the city today and is looking after some business interests, talking a few lines of politics and incidentally is talking about that proposed dam and big water power plant on the Red River.

ON HALSTAD LINE—Manager S. M. Sivertson of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., has been spending the past two days at points on the Halstad line buying wheat. Mr. Sivertson believes the outlook for the coming year is good. He is a great booster for the Red River Valley.

HERE FROM KNUTE—Arne Solberg an old time resident of the Town of Knute was attending to business matters in the city yesterday. He was formerly a clerk in the office of the register of deeds of Polk county but is now devoting his attention to his farm in Knute and is making a decided success of dairying.

VISITING CLAIM—Bennie Moe and Frank Steinbrook left this morning for Thief River Falls from where they will drive to the claim of the former east of that place for a week's stay. Mr. Moe will make arrangements for the cultivation of his land during his stay. "Spoonbill" and "Smoky" are both of the opinion that Bennie contemplates starting a skunk ranch.

MANY ARE BUNCOED—Any one in need of a good and guaranteed Malleable range should not fail to read the advertisement of A. J. Sauve in the Journal, who at any and all times sells Standard Ranges at from 10 to 15 per cent lower, than what you can buy a poorly constructed range for from the peddlars who are storming the country residents just at present.

VERY ILL—Miss Pauline Rauenbuehler, who has been keeping house for her father, M. Rauenbuehler for some time past, was this morning taken to St. Vincent's hospital suffering with pneumonia. She has been indisposed for the past few days but her condition was much worse. The many friends of the family sincerely hope that her condition will improve in the very near future.

HERE PAYING TAXES—Jeff Barton the well known transfer man of Grand Forks who also owns a fine farm in western Polk county and who also operates a threshing rig in western Polk, is spending the day in the city paying taxes and calling on his friends. Mr. Barton is one of the old timers in the Valley and while he makes his home in Grand Forks is heavily interested in Polk county.

SHOWS AMBITION—H. E. Bergenson, son of N. B. Bergenson, the dairy man, is doing a double stunt these days, and a very creditable one. In the morning he drives the dairy wagon, taking the place of another driver who is ill, and in the afternoon he attends a business college. This is along the line of the Abraham Lincoln style of getting an education and he will without doubt show better results than some of those who devote their entire time to college work.

From Saturday's Daily—

ON ROAD TO RECOVERY—Roy, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi J. Lake who has been very ill with typhoid fever is on the road to recovery. This will be good news to the many friends of the family.

HOME FROM ST. PAUL—Thomas R. Brown returned this morning from St. Paul this morning where he has been spending the past few days looking into the political situation and attending to some business matters. He says business seems to be very fair in the cities but that politics are not as hot as they have been reported to be—that is on the surface.

BROKE HIS LEG— Charles Carlson, who had his leg broken while working for the Northern Pine Lumber Co., at their camp located 20 miles from Walker was in the city this morning enroute to Hallock where he will spend a few weeks recuperating with his brother-in-law. He is able to navigate with crutches but his injured limb still gives him considerable pain.

AWAY TO THE MOUNTAINS — Mr. M. S. Claypool left last night for Kalispel, Montana and Mrs. Claypool and son D. will leave for Mount Pleasant Iowa, tonight for an extended visit with Mrs. Claypool's mother, who is over 90 years of age, and from there they will go on a visit to friends and relatives in Missouri, and finally return to Kalispel, Mont., where they intend to make their future home.

MOTHER IS IMPROVING—Fred T. Lincoln, a former employe of the Journal and who has also been a member of the editorial staff of the Grand Forks Press, the Grand Forks Times, the Duluth Herald and News Tribune is now at Grand Forks where he was called by the serious illness of his mother whose condition is improving during the past two days. Mr. Lincoln is now editor of a paper at Calumet, Mich., and is doing well.

PROMINENT CLIMAXITE HERE—Hans Samuelson one of the prominent residents of Climax, where he is engaged in business, arrived in the city this morning and is transacting business and calling on his scores of friends. He says that Climax is forging to the front nicely, and that the farmers are the main stay of that village as of every other in the Red River Valley, do not know what hard times are. More of such optimists are needed in the country.

CLEVER SWINDLE IS WORKED.

Bogus Letters of Credit Cashed in Eight Cities at Once.

Paris, Feb. 29. — The Paris police are investigating a most ingenious bank swindle. An individual in New York obtained a letter of credit from a large banking house there and made excellent duplicates by means of photographs, which he forwarded to accomplices in London, Paris, Rome, Vienna, Marseilles, Genoa, Hamburg and Munich, who cashed them simultaneously, netting $100,000.

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WILL CONVENE APRIL 15TH.

REPUBLICAN DISTRICT COMMITTEE MET IN CROOKSTON TODAY

ENDORSED TAFT AND APPORTIONED THE DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

From Saturday's Daily—

Pursuant to call the Republican District Committee for the Ninth Congressional District of Minnesota, met at the office of Charles Loring at the city of Crookston, at 2 o'clock p. m. February 29, 1908, John Petterson, the chairman, and D. W. Meeker the secretary, acted as chairman and secretary respectively.

On motion duly carried, the district congressional convention for the Ninth Congressional district, for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternates to represent the Ninth Congressional district at the Republican National Convention was fixed to be held at Crookston April 15th.

On motion, the basis of representation was fixed as follows:

Becker	11
Beltrami	11
Clay	12
Clearwater	8
Kittson	9
Mahnomen	5
Marshall	12
Norman	11
Otter Tail	18
Polk	16
Red Lake	11
Roseau	9
Wilkin	8
Total	141

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That this committee heartily approve of the action of the Republican State Central Committee in its endorsement of the administration of President Roosevelt and of the candidacy of W. H. Taft for president.

The Republican committee of the Ninth Congressional District of the State of Minnesota, now in session at Crookston, Minn., having learned that Benjamin G. Steenerson, late of the United Sttaes Marine Corps, the only son of Hon. Halvor Steenerson, accidentally lost his life on February 16th 1908, hereby express our deep regret for his untimely death, and tender our most sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Steenerson in their sad bereavement.

TAKE CHARGE OF PROPERTY

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF THE LATE MASON ROBERTS ARRIVED FROM BEAVER DAM

FOUR SISTERS ARE THE HEIRS TO THE PROPERTY NEAR CROOKSTON

From Saturday's Daily—

Geo. Knarr, brother-in-law of Mason Roberts who died suddenly on his farm near this city, arrived from Beaver Dam, Wis., this morning and will look after the property of the deceased, representing the relatives. The farm and stock have been looked after by the house keeper thus far. An administrator will be asked for and the property placed in the care of some local party till the estate is probated. The heirs are the four sisters of the deceased, Mesdames Geo. Knarr, Samuel Bonner, Samuel Snowden and Hugh McConnaghty of Beaver Dam. The farm and stock are worth many thousand dollars.

RED LAKE FALLS CLUB'S NEW OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Red Lake Falls Commercial club the following officers were elected: Mayor J. A. Duffy, president; Ed. L. Healy, vice president; D. J. Doran, secretary George F. Hennings, treasurer. The new board of directors includes V. M. Higinbotham, Theodore Garceau, A. P. Poupin, S. M. Sivertson, M. O. Sortedahl, L. C. Simmons and W. A. Schreiter.

O. K. Lee of McIntosh who is one of the good real estate hustlers of Polk county was in the city today.

FINE WORK BY POLICE

GEO. WALKER DID NOT GAIN MUCH BY HIS CROOKED WORK

STOLE JEWELRY YESTERDAY AND IS NOW LANGUISHING IN COUNTY JAIL

From Saturday's Daily—

The police of Crookston did a fine piece of work yesterday and last night, and as a result Geo. Walker is in the county jail charged with the theft of a lady's gold watch and chain and a gold ring which it is alleged he stole from the room of Miss Emma Denny in the Columbia Hotel yesterday.

He pawned the ring at H. Cohens, and a clue was discovered yesterday afternoon and Walker placed under arrest. He maintained a bold front for several hours the placed in the sweat box by Chief Eck who secured the clues.

During the night however, Patrolman Harry Phillips got in some clever work and at 1 o'clock this morning Walker confessed to him that he was guilty and took the policeman to a pile of fence posts behind N. P. Stone's machine shed and dug up the watch and chain. Walker was arraigned before Judge McLean at 10 o'clock this morning waived examination and was held to the grand jury which meets in June. It is possible that he will plead guilty before Judge Watts and take his medicine at once, otherwise his four months' term in the county jail, awaiting session of the grand jury would be spent in vain.

This is a piece of work for which the police department of Crookston is certainly entitled to a great degree of credit.

FRANK JEFFERS RETURNS HOME

IS IN GOOD SPIRITS DESPITE HIS VERY UNFORTUNATE EXPERIENCE

The many friends of Frank Jeffers who was so unfortunate as to have slipped while boarding an M. & I. train several weeks ago, and falling under the wheels lost one leg and a portion of the other foot, was brought back from Blackduck last evening and taken to his home on North Ash street.

In the face of misfortune Mr. Jeffers maintains his old cheerful smile which has encouraged many others in adversity. The high regard in which Mr. Jeffers is held can be attested to by the keen interest manifested in his welfare by his scores of friends in this city, tho he has been a resident but a short time. It is expected that he will be able to get around with the assistance of crutches in the course of a few weeks.

PHYSICAN IS ARRESTED

DR. FAWCETT ACCUSED OF CAUSING DEATH OF LILLIE SCHMOCHEL

BOND FIXED AT $2,000 AND HEARING SET FOR THIS AFTERNOON

From Thursday's Daily—

Dr. J. A. Fawcett of Grand Forks was arrested last evening on a charge of performing an illegal operation which brought about the death of Miss Lillie Schmochel, the 17-year-old girl who died last Friday at a Grand Forks hospital. Dr. Fawcett's bond was fixed at $2,000 and his hearing aws set for this afternoon at 2 o'clock before Judge J. R. Church in that city He furnished the bond and was released.

The warrant was sworn out by William Marble.

Dr. Fawcett was represented at the inquest by F. B. Feetham and has been engaged in practice as a physician and surgeon in Grand Forks for many years and is well known thruout this section of the country.

Wild Locomotive Kills Two.

Brockwayville, Pa., Feb. 29. — A locomotive running wild through the Erie railway yards here yesterday crashed into the rear of a freight train, killing two men.

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INSANE LOVER SHOOTS GIRL

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY ENACTED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT TENSTRIKE

J. O. JAHNKE SHOOTS LAURA FLEISCHMAN AND THEN HE SUICIDES

From Saturday's Daily—

Infatuated with the charms of a 16-year-old girl, who spurned his insane love, J. O. Jahnke, aged 30, at 9:30 o'clock this morning shot and instantly killed Laura Fleischman at her father's home near Tenstrike, and then turned the gun on himself, putting a bullet in his own brain, and dying instantly.

The horrible crime was committed in the presence of three smaller children, members of the Fleischman family, who were the only witnesses to the shooting.

It appears Jahnke asked the Fleischman girl to marry him and her refusal to become engaged coupled with the statement that she did not love Jahnke turned the latter's love to hatred and created in his mind an insane determination to destroy the object of his infatuation and end his own career.

Jahnke taught school at Fleischman's three years ago, subsequently leaving and living at Langdon, N. D. since then. Three months ago he returned to Tenstrike and made his home with the Fleischmans. He became infatuated with Laura Fleischman and asked her to marry him yesterday but the girl refused. Jahnke brooded over the refusal and when again refused this morning he grabbed a Winchester rifle and shot the girl twice then turning the weapon upon himself and putting a bullet in his brain dying instantly.

HOTEL AGAIN CHANGES HANDS

DETROIT, MINNESOTA, MAN PURCHASES CLEARWATER HOTEL AT BAGLEY

A deal was consummated this week by which the Clearwater hotel, for the past few months owned by Arthur C. Beaulieu, passes into the hands of Fred Sanders, a resident of Detroit, Minn.

The consideration given is $8,000 and through the transaction Mr. Beaulieu come into possession of 70 shares of stock in the Ogema Manufacturing company manufacturers of cement blocks, etc.

The hotel will remain under the same management at least for a considerable length of time.

ACCIDENT TO BUTTER MAKER

FINGERS SMASHED WHILE GOING TO BASEMENT OF STORE AT THAT PLACE

Buttermaker Gunstenson of the Fisher Creamery is laid up for repairs as the result of a most painful accident. He was carrying a box to the basement of a store in Fisher when he missed his footing and fell, crushing three fingers most painfully and making it impossible for him to attend to his duties for some time to come. Creamery Inspector Storvick of this city, who is a practical butter maker left this morning for Fisher where he will attend to the duties of the injured man and turn out a batch of as fine butter as ever made anywhere.

VETERINARIAN FROM ST. PAUL

DR. McDONALD CALLED ON HIS FRIENDS AND ATTENDED TO BUSINESS

Dr. McDonald, state veterinarian for Minnesota spent yesterday in the city on official business, and discussed the local situation in the veterinary line with Dr. Langevin. He says the general situation thruout the state is very satisfactory, with no serious epidemics prevalent anywhere.

Dr. McDonald left this morning for Thief River Falls where he will attend to some official business matters.

HAMRE HAS FILED NO BILL

THIEF RIVER FALLS MAYOR WAS GROSSLY MISREPRESENTED

A BAD MISCONCEPTION OF THE FACTS OF THE CASE

From Wednesday's Daily

In a recent dispatch to the Minneapolis Journal from Thief River Falls it was stated that Mayor T. P. Hamre of that city had filed a bill of $13.000 against Mrs. H. Langseth for salary as administrator of the estate of her husband. The correspondent now admits that he was deceived and that the dispatch had no foundation in fact whatever. There was no intention to injure Mr. Hamre, who is one of the progressive and prosperous business men of Thief River Falls and who has the confidence of his associates and acquaintances and needs no defense. But the correspondent, ignorant of and misinformed as to the facts, unwittingly did Mr. Hamre a grave injustice. No such bill has been filed and no suit of that nature has been started. There was no foundation of any nature for the report.

Regarding a suit started by Anton Langseth against Mr. Hamre as administrator of the estate of Hans Langseth, Mr. Hamre says:

"On Jan. 9, 1906, Hans Langseth died intestate, leaving as sole heirs a widow and four small children. On Feb. 27, 1906, T. P. Hamre, a brother of the widow was appointed administrator.

"On April 1, 1902, it appears that Hans and Anton Langseth had entered a copartnership in conducting a general merchandise business. Each was to put into the business such moneys as they would agree with each other from time to time. The profits and losses were to be divided as follows: Hans Langseth to have two thirds of all net gains and Anton Langseth to have one third. Each were to stand all losses from bad debts or otherwise in a like proportion.

"It appears from the books of account kept by said firm that Anton Langseth never invested a dollar in the copartnership, but converted to his own personal use, goods and money out of the business to the amount of $4,959.52 in four years. Furthermore, Anton Langseth, the plaintiff, has at no time filed any claim of any nature against said estate in probate court.

"I regret that the plaintiff should have allowed himself to be led by a probable misconception of what is morally right and wrong, to proceed against the widow and the little orphans of Hans Langseth who are the actual defendants.

COAST CROWDED WITH WORKMEN

MUCH SUFFERING BECAUSE EASTERN TOILERS HAVE GLUTTED THE MARKET

A letter received in Crookston today from Seattle and points in California warn all workingmen to steer clear of that section of the country. The situation there is characteristic of the worst in America at the present time for a friendless man to make a living.

Similar reports have been pouring into eastern cities from time to time but the warnings have never been so insistent as they are now. It is claimed that men in Seattle are now working for as low as 25 cents a day and board and room. Some, it is said, are even working for board alone.

The situation in San Francisco is said to be even worse. There thousands of deluded eastern workmen are wandering the streets moneyless, friendless and far from home. Public charity was about wiped out in the great fire of 1906, so litle can be done for the unfortunates.

Ever since the earthquake eastern people have flocked to San Francisco in the belief that rosy prospects and high wages for both skilled and unskilled workmen were awaiting them there. On their arrival they found that the field of labor was crowded and especially so in the case of the unskilled workman.

In Los Angeles the condition is said to be discouraging, and that the churches and other charitable organizations have been compelled to start soup kitchens to keep thousands of unemployed workmen from starving.

Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach such as dyspepsia, heart burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold here by A. G. Andersen.

A distant friend is one you can't "touch."

"HOLY JUMPER" FOUND INSANE

MAGNUS MICKELSON OF QUEEN COMMITTED BY COURT COMMISSIONER McLEAN

WAS ARRESTED AT GATHERING WHERE THEY WERE ALL JUMPING HIGH

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening court commissioner John McLean acting as Judge of Probate owing to the illness of Judge Morken, ordered Magnus J. Mickelson to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls after due examination.

Mickelson resides in the town of Queen about 9 miles north of Fosston and belongs to the fanatical religious sect known as the "Holy Jumpers."

Chief of Police Holt arrested Mickelson on complaint of his mother and when he drove out to Queen the Holy Jumpers were holding a meeting and Chief Holt said he was at his wits end to determine which one was acting the craziest as all of them were jumping high.

Mickelson was of the opinion that he was the Christ of the order and while here last night saw visions galore, strange lights and had a fine time. Chief Holt thinks the whole membership is very likely candidates for the Fergus Falls institution if the didos they were cutting up when he was there are a usual occurrence.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL WAS HELD TODAY

LAST SAD RITES OVER THE REMAINS OF PAUL E. FOSSBAKKEN

From Wednesday's Daily—

The last sad rites over the remains of Paul E. Fossbakken one of the pioneer and highly respected farmers of Fosston were held this afternoon and the funeral was one of the most largely attended ever held in eastern Polk county.

Deceased met a tragic death last week when he was cremated as the result of trying to discover a fire in the mow of his large barn, from which smoke was seen issuing. He was evidently suffocated by the smoke and could not be found till his remains were found in the smoking ruins of the barn.

The funeral services at the house were held at 1 p. m. and from the church at 2 p. m. and were very impressive, a high tribute being paid to the character and life of the deceased The deceased had many friends in this city and great sympathy is felt for the bereaved family, three children having been students at the Crookston school of agriculture.

Supt. Robertson of the State Experimental farm and Miss Lena Opdahl a student at the school left this morning to attend the funeral, and will return this evening.

There were many handsome floral students and faculty of the School of offerings including one from the Agriculture.

TO MEET HERE NEXT YEAR

The annual meeting of the Minnesota and North Dakota Laundrymen's association which was to have been held in Crookston next month will be held in Fargo instead. This change was made because the South Dakota and North Dakota association holds its annual session the day following the date set for the meeting here and those attending the meeting here would have to leave on the Fargo train early in the evening cutting the meeting short, so it was decided by Messrs. Clarence Sheppard and Will Collins of Grand Forks, who spent last night here conferring with Messrs. Phillips, Walters and Erickson that it would be better for Crookston to have the meeting next year.

RIVERS ARE RISING AGAIN.

Warm Rain at Head Waters of Rivers—Creeks Over Their Banks.

Pittsburg, March 3. - A warm rain has been falling here and at the head waters of the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers all day. Both streams are rising and many small creeks are already beyond their banks.

It is expected that the danger line of twenty-two feet will be reached here this afternoon and another disastrous flood is feared unless there is an early change in the temperature and weather.

Two Killed by a Train.

Baltimore, Md., March 3.—Frederick George and Harry Tucker were killed yesterday by an express train of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, the former losing his life in an endeavor to save the latter.

THE PRESS STILL LIVES

AND CHANCES ARE THAT GRAND FORKS DAILY WILL CONTINUE

TWO DEALS NOW BEING CONSIDERED—NEW DAILY FOR WESTERN POLK COUNTY

The Grand Forks Evening Press announced Saturday evening that the publication of the newspaper will be continued indefinitely. It is stated by The Press that since the announcement that the newspaper would quit February 29 a movement has been started by the leading democrats of the state having in view the continuation of the publication and this movement promises to assume such proportions that the management feels justified in the publication of the paper to give these democrats a chance to carry out the plans they have on foot.

There is also another deal on foot for the sale of the plant outright in which event there would be a special East Grand Forks and Western Polk County edition published daily.

The following is the announcement:

"Since the announcement that appeared in The Press to the effect that it would suspend publication today The Press Publishing Co., has been deluged with letters, telegrams and telephone calls urging and pleading that the paper be continued.

The management of the Press realizes fully to what extent the democracy of the state would be embarrassed by the loss of its official organ and leading daily newspaper, and has expressed to all those who have expressed themselves on the matter, a willingness to do anything fair and reasonable.

A movement was started at once by leading democrats of the state, having in view the continuation of the publication, and this movement promises to assume such proportions that the management feels justified in continuing the publication of The Evening Press to give these democrats an opportunity to carry out the plans they have on foot.

"Every democrat in the state is urged to interest himself in this important matter, as the time is limited and the importance of the coming campaign is such that united and determined action is the only thing that will bring success either to the party or to the leading newspaper of the party.

"For the above stated reasons The Evening Press will continue until further notice."

"THE DEACON" GOES TO ARGYLE

FAMOUS PRODUCTION PUT ON AT EUCLID WILL BE REPRODUCED

"The Deacon" the drama put on at Euclid last week under the auspices of the Euclid Woodmen is to be reproduced at Argyle under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen of that place. The cast at Euclid was a very strong one, and as all the paraphernalia had been secured the expense of the production at Argyle will not be excessive, the railroad fare of the members being the biggest item.

"The Deacon" made a tremendous hit at Euclid. A big delegation present from this city was so enthusiastic that efforts will be made to have the Euclidites reproduce the play in this city next Monday or Tuesday. The matter has been called to the attention of Manager Hitchcock of the Auditorium and he will communicate with the Euclid Woodmen at once.

ED. SHEASGREEN WRITES NEW BOOK

Ed Sheasgreen a former well known engineer running out of Crookston but who for some time past has been editing and publishing The Iron Trail a railroad man's paper published in Minneapolis has just published a new book which he recently completed entitled "Judge Three Legs and the Shanghai". "Judge Three Legs" is a fleet-footed jackrabbit who in the pride of his youth and strength tries conclusions with the "Shanghai" locomotive in a race of speed and daring. The story tells how the young champion practiced secretly until he could run ahead of the fastest engines It is prettily told, and will be very interesting to children and to teachers. It is illustrated in a very capable manner by Ada A. Wolfe of Minneapolis.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

ALL CASES DISMISSED

THE FAMOUS LAND CASES HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FINAL QUIETUS

COURT AT MANCHESTER IOWA, DISMISSED THEM ALL YESTERDAY

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday at Manchester, Iowa, in district court all the cases against Robert H. Purvis, being prosecutions and civil actions for alleged fraud in a land deal and were brought by Alex Bjorn of Manchester, were dismissed and the long drawn out controversy has been finally settled. Owing to the fact that the cases were dismissed by the courts after thousands of dollars had been expended to secure a conviction the deal looks more like persecution than prosecution. Similar cases had been started against Jake Schaum and have also been dismissed, as were the cases against C. A. Hitchcock who was only connected with the case as an agent and did not even appear for trial.

THE STATION MEN ORGANIZE

NEW ASSOCIATION WILL WORK FOR LEGISLATION TO REGULATE ELECTRIC CHARGES

The organization of the Minnesota Central Station Men's association was completed with the election of officers today. W. R. Murray of Red Wing was elected first president of the new association; A. H. Lane of Glencoe, first vice president; Leonard Peterson, Thief River Falls, (a brother of Ed Peterson of this city) second vice president; Ludwig Kemper, Albert Lea, secretary and treasurer.

The first convention, which has been in session for two days at the Hotel Nicollet, adjourned at noon today. The association commences with thirty members. A committee will be appointed to work for the regulation of electric charges by the state. The association hopes to secure legislation providing maximum and minimum charges for current, based on the sizes of the towns in which it is supplied. A standing committee of electrical engineers will be appointed to answer questions for th eassistance of the central station men belonging to the association.

Manufacturers and jobbers were the hosts of the central station men last evening at a dinner party at the Hotel Nicollet and later at a theatre party.

LENTEN REGULATION READ IN CHURCHES

RULES FOR FASTING AND ABSTINENCE ARE SAME AS IN PAST YEARS

Regulations governing the season of Lent which begins on Wednesday were read Sunday in the Roman Catholic churches. The rules as to fasting and abstinence are the same as in past years that is to say, every day except Sunday is a fast day for those who are 21, and under 60 years of age unless they are in poor health or engaged in occupations where health or efficiency would be seriously jeopardized by fasting. Those under or over that age are exhorted to fast if able, but are not bound to do so. In their case the lack of physical sacrifice should be made up for by an increase of good works. Wednesday and Friday of each week are days of abstinence for all. No flesh should be eaten on those days, unless for very special reasons, and Catholics should consult their spiritual adviser before holding themselves at liberty to break this rule. The Saturday before Easter Sunday is also a day of abstinence Missions will be held during Lent in all of the Catholic parishes and where ever practical thruout the diocese.

A COMPLIMENT TO G. N. BOYS

Great Northern trainmen are competent to handle local business was plainly demonstrated Wednesday when the crew of local freight No. 626, east bound unloaded the Shevlin Herald press. The care and short time it took them in handling the thirty five hundred pound piece of machinery commends to the patrons on this line the respect of the train crew, namely, Conductor J. C. Gould, Brakemen, John Brakken, Barney Hart and John Blauvelt."—Warren Sheaf.

FUNERAL WAS IMPRESSIVE

LAST SAD RITES OVER REMAINS OF GOTTFRIED BURKHARDT WERE

MOST LARGELY ATTENDED EVER HELD IN MENOMINEE, WISCONSIN

From Monday's Daily—

Otto Burkhardt returned this morning from Menominee, Wis., where he went to attend the funeral of his uncle, Gottfried Burkhardt who died suddenly at that place last week. The funeral was one of the most largely attended ever held in Menominee, people of that city and surrounding country where deceased was well known attending in a body. The Menomonie Band played at the residence and enroute to the grave, and it seemed that the music carried with it an extra strain of sadness because the deceased had been identified with the band and all other musical organizations for more than a quarter of a century. The Lieder Kronz Singing Society of Menomonie, of which deceased was also a leading member for years also attended in a body, as did the members of the G. A. R. deceased having been a veteran of the Civil War.

The funeral was held under the auspices of the Odd Fellows to which Mr. Burkhardt belonged. General sorrow was exhibited, deceased having been one of those large hearted, generous men beloved by the entire community.

Otto Burkhardt also made brief visits to Wabasha and Reeds Landing before returning. He says that while there it thundered and lightninged during a snow storm, and that the electricity was so heavy in the air that the telephone companies for a time would not permit any long distance lines to be used.

PROSPERING AT TWIN FALLS

BENOIT BROS., HAVE BUILT UP A VERY PROSPEROUS BUSINESS

The many friends of Benoit Bros., of this city who have been located at Twin Falls, Idaho, for some time past and are the proprietors of the Blue Lakes Spring Water Co., of that place will be glad to learn that they are doing a very prosperous business. In addition to handling Blue Lake Spring Water, they manufacture and bottle all kinds of soft drinks.

The Journal is in receipt of a letter from Frank Benoit and of course there was a check enclosed setting his subscription to the Journal ahead to the latter part of 1909, as he said they could not be without the Journal. Both were former popular residents of this city and all will be glad to know that the young men are prospering in their new location.

BIG MILL RESUMES WORK TOMORROW

The big flour mill of the Crookston Milling Co., will resume grinding again tomorrow after having been shut down for the past week for lack of wheat. A new supply has arrived and the wheels will hum again steadily beginning tomorrow.

The average man will stand without hitching a good deal better than if tied with an apron string.

NEW DAIRY AT HIBBING

TWO FINLANDERS BUY CARLOAD OF COWS NEAR THIS CITY

SHIP TODAY AND WILL PROBABLY RETURN AND PURCHASE MORE

From Monday's Daily—

Two Finlanders who have been quietly buying up a big bunch of choice dairy cows near Crookston will ship a carload to Hibbing today where a dairy is to be started at once.

The two gentlemen will sell all the cows near Hibbing they can, and expect to return to Crookston for another carload of cows in the near future.

The fact that dairy cows can be purchased in such quantities near Crookston, indicates clearly the increasing attention being paid to the dairy business in this section of the Red River Valley.

AVERAGE AGE 74 NEIGHBORS 50 YEARS

REMARKABLE ASSEMBLAGE OF OLD PIONEERS AT HUDSON, WISCONSIN

Hudson, Wis., Feb. 29.—The most remarkable assemblage of Hudson, Wis., citizens ever gathered in this city was at the home of John E. Bartlett in this city when 24 other pioneers arrived to celebrate his 77th birthday anniversary. Of the 25 men present, every one has lived here for 50 years or more, and their combined age is 1,857 years, with an average of 74 years. Following is a list of those present and their age: A. G. Thompson, 87; M. L. Palmer, 85; E. J. Matteson, 84; A. J. Matteson, 81; Robert McDiarmid, 81; A. D. Richardson, 78; A. Balsom, 78; John E. Bartlett, 77; O. Holmes, 77; J. Hyslop, 76; Joe Bensch, 76; Joe Kelly, 74; Jake Dailey, 74; John Hodgins, 74; J. P. White, 74; Samuel Coil, 73; Ed. Dailey, 72; L. Nash, 71; P. Kircher, 70; George Martin, 69; Robert Dinsmore 69; Fred Scott, 68; Charles Donohue 64; Alexander Ross, 63; L. G. Green, 62.

E. G. F. COMMERCIAL CLUB A REALITY

ORGANIZATION COMPLETED LAST NIGHT AND OFFICERS ELECTED

The Commercial club of East Grand Forks is at last a reality, after a number of attempts to secure such an organization and the new organization starts out with a bright outlook as a large factor in the development of the metropolis of western Polk county. The organization was affected at a meeting held last evening.

The election of officers and directors resulted as follows:

President—F. C. Massee.
Secretary—J. H. McNichol.
Treasurer—J. R. Johnson.

Directors for Two Years—T. A. Sullivan, H. Dunlevy, G. A. E. Finlayson A. N. Briggs and E. Arneson. For One Year—M. J. Sullivan, J. A. Shelly, John Martin, J. C. Sherlock, W. R. Stoughton.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweet contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

$500 Loaned For One Year

at 7 percent will make more money-net than some people get for a month's hard work. Why not save the little odds and ends of your income? If you are really in earnest about the matter it will surprise you how quickly you can accumulate $500.

No other method so safe, so sure, so easy as a checking account at the bank—come in and talk with us about it.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

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STORY OF HARDSHIPS IN N. W. CANADA

SAYS PEOPLE ARE HOUSED UP SIX MONTHS IN THE YEAR BY RIGOROUS W[illegible] AND, EKE OUT A MERE EXISTENCE — SAYS ABOVE ALL IS [illegible]DLESS OF SOLITUDE ON THE DREARY PRAIRIES WITH NE[illegible]RS MILES AND MILES APART AND NO CHURCHES, SCHOOLS OR OTHER EAR MARKS OF CIVILIZATION IN MANY LOCALITIES

Historical Society

A letter from an Englishman printed in the Chronicle of Manchester, Eng., copies of which have just been received in St. Paul, is of much significance in its relation to the present active campaign of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs, both to attract new farmers to Minnesota, and to keep in Minnesota the farmers we have.

"English people are not welcomed by the native Canadians. 'No green English need apply,' is a common enough anouncement to meet with," says this writer, in a letter to English friends at home. "The climate of the Canadian northwest is terrible For six months of the year one is practically confined to the house by rigorous weather and what this means from the wage earners' standpoint should be well realized. Above all is the deathly solitude of life on the prairie. This is the lot of the young wife of the Canadian farmer. Cut off from civilization, her days are spent in solitude and in an eternal round of laborious farm work, while the men folks are absent in the fields and dreary year follows dreary year in the laborious pursuit of mere existence. There are many classes undoubtedly to whom Canada offers inducements, but to the general body of women who think to find in new and improved conditions I say emphatically, 'Think twice before you leave this old country for the new.' "

An immense number of Minnesotans are in Canada as a result of colonization advertising. Canada may perhaps be a good country for the farmers, tho letters to Commissioner Welch of the state immigration bureau tells of crop failures and hardships for two entire years, but how about the farmer's wife? This letter from an Englishwoman who has lived in the Canadian northwest throws much light on one feature of emmigration to Canada which is not without its real importance.

And at the same time one-fourth of the good agricultural land in Minnesota, where there are nearby cities railways, churches, schools and n attractive and agreeable climate, is as yet unsettled and undeveloped.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED

SON-IN-LAW OF B. SAMPSON DIED SUDDENLY YESTERDAY IN DULUTH

C. W. F. HEGG, PROMINENT LABOR LEADER VICTIM OF RHEUMATISM

From Tuesday's Daily—

A telegram received by Hon. B. Sampson of this city last night brought the sad intelligence that Charles W. F. Hegg had died suddenly yesterday of rheumatism at his home 224 Third Ave. East, Duluth. The details were not given but he was stricken with paralysis which reached his heart bringing to sudden termination a life of usefulness.

Mr. Hegg was treasurer of the Federated Trades assembly at Duluth, member of that body for fourteen years, and a prominent labor leader.

Mr. Hegg of late was a dealer in lands, but formerly was a member of the Retail Clerks' Union and retained his membership in that body and his interest in union affairs after going into a different field of endeavor. He was prominent on the floor of the Federated Trades assembly at Duluth and his passing away is mourned in labor circles in that city.

Mr. Hegg was 41 years of age and is survived by a wife and two children. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made but services will probably be held Wednesday afternoon.

This morning Miss Olga Sampson and Ferdinand Sampson sister and brother of the bereaved wife, left for Duluth to attend the funeral services. Deceased had visited in this city and with his wife spent some time here last summer, and was planning on platting a part of the B. Sampson farm as city lots and putting them on the market.

The death of Mr. Hegg may mean a great loss to Crookston in a business way as he was one of four men who had plans completed for the erection of manufacturing plant on land adjacent to that to be platted, in which thousands of dollars would have been invested this spring. The deal may yet go thru, but it was certain had Mr. Hegg lived.

Mr. Hegg was still a young man of great energy and business ability. He stood high in Duluth, and made many friends in Crookston. The members of the bereaved family have the heart felt sympathy of all in their sudden and deep seated grief.

Everything comes to the strenuous chap who goes after the good things the other fellow is waiting for.

COMMISSION HERE APR. 29

WILL MEET OFFICIALS AND ASSESSORS OF POLK COUNTY

LETTER RECEIVED TODAY — ASSESSORS MEETING DATE TO BE CHANGED

From Monday's Daily—

County Auditor Hoffard this morning received a letter from Ruckard Hurd, secretary of the Minnesota Tax Commission, which is composed of Frank L. McVey chairman and Samuel Lord and O. M. Hall, announcing that the commission would be at the office of the county auditor of Polk Co., Wednesday, April 39 at 1 o'clock in the afternoon to confer with the assessors of the cities, villages and townships of Polk Co.

The object of the meeting is to talk over the matter of the next assessment of personal and real property. This meeting will be of great importance in this county as there are a great many matters regarding mine taxations to be considered.

The commission asks that all the assessors be present. During the winter and spring many new assessors have been elected and the commission is very desirious that these be at the meeting.

All the taxation books which are in readiness will be brought to the meeting for inspection. The new assessment books will be given to the different assessors.

Each member present at this meeting will be paid for the days he necessarily occupies in attending this meeting.

The law provides that the assessors of each county shall meet at the respective county seats and receive their instructions and supplies on the last Thursday in April, which would fall this year on April 30th. The tax commission will be here one day before that, the 29th and County Auditor Hoffard will send out notices changing the date of the meeting to the 29th the attorney general having made a ruling that it would be legal to change date as long as the intent of the law was to be carried out, and this intent will be more fully carried out by having the meeting on the 29th than on the 30th in this instance.

Mr. John Rihs of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

It's all right to make somethings go as far as possible but it isn't policy to stretch the truth.

THE 1908 DITCHING SEASON OPENS EARLY

Weather Aids Big Machines- Million Yards Are to Be Excavated.

The Bids Lower than Low Estimate. Northwestern Companies Win Out.

Minnesota state drainage engineer, George A. Ralph of Crookston, is making his preliminary trips of inspection thruout the districts of northern Minnesota anticipating the opening of the active ditching season in a very short time. The extreme mildness of the northern winter combined with the powerful machines that will be put at work make the fulfillment of ditching contracts this year no tardy affair as has bothered the drainage board in the past.

Last Thursday, March 5th witnessed the largest award of state drainage contracts ever made by the Minnesota board. Approximately one million yards of earth will be excavated under these contracts from projects which, if put end to end would measure between ninety and a hundred miles in length and will reclaim many hundreds of thousands of acres. The contracts for eight ditches were entered into by the drainage board at St. Paul.

Bids Very Low

Thirty two drainage companies and individuals were present in the rooms of the board to look after their interests and nineteen sealed bids were at last submitted. Mr. Ralph had laid these projects before the board under the very lowest estimates yet in all cases the submitted bids ran from three to fifteen per cent lower than the estimates and average on the entire award ten per cent lower than estimated cost of building.

The award of the state contracts were made to three companies in all on lowest bids for work. Ward Brothers of Audubon, Iowa, got three contracts; R. A. Elzy and Son, well known railroad and structural contractors got two contracts; and John Kohler of Frazee, Minn., got the other three. As a result eighteen additional dredging machines will be placed on northern state drainage work this season.

Capt. Goes North

Captain James A. Beard of the Standard Drainage Co., passes thru here in a short time for the Roseau river. The Standard Drainage company last year excavated over a hundred thousand yards thru the very center of the immense Roseau swamps.

Much Work this Season

The coming season this company will excavate two hundred and twenty thousand yards while Jerry Sherwood of Litchfield will excavate two hundred and eighty thousand yards on the end of this contract, finishing the Roseau project this year on the International boundary line between this state and Manitoba after a cut thru a mile and a half of almost solid rock rapids. This will lower the fall of the Roseau river fourteen feet, straighten its course and furnish outlet for all laterals needed to drain this country of half a million acres.

New Dredge in Kittson

One of the most peculiar innovations in the northern Minnesota ditching world is the three leg walking dredge, invented and operated by Harpin Brothers of Grand Rapids, Minnesota. This firm has four ditches in Kittson county upon which it will place three of these machines. The powerful legs upon which this machine throws itself forward, as it were, under the power of its own engines tower forty feet above the water surface on the ditch face and is a source of wonder for miles about. The machines are suitable however only for dry land digging and are therefore limited in scope of use.

The Minnesota Drainage Board meets in a week or ten days to consult with Engineer Ralph after his inspection. Mr. Ralph passed thru the city last night from the north on his way south. He believves the contractors now working on state projects, being all northwestern men, are the most responsible contractors that could be secured, and he gives them credit for a personal interest in the success of the state projects which they undertake to construct.

STEENERSON AT ALVARADO

SPEAKS TO FARMERS—FARMERS' ELEVATOR ORGANIZED IN RECORD TIME

BRANCH IN PLANS FOR BIG FARMERS' TERMINAL ELEVATOR

Elias Steenerson, postmaster of Crookston was leading speaker at Alvarado on the Soo north of Thief River Falls last Saturday afternoon in the presence of two hundred farmers and over one hundred delegates from Marshall and Polk counties. Following his address the Alvarado Farmers' Elevator company was organized, capitalized at $5000 and 2100 shares were subscribed for on the spot. J. Malm was chosen president and F. E. Dahlgren, secretary.

Mr. Steenerson's address covered the principle of co-operation among farmers in the marketing of their produce. He stated that these many farmers' elevator companies forming thruout the state would result in a big co-operative terminal elevator at Duluth and the Twin Cities. He urged that every attention be turned to installment of farmers' exchanges on a business basis.

Other local speakers spoke for a short time to the meeting.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per month.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FROZEN NEAR ROOSEVELT

G. A. EASTHAGEN OF 611 SOUTH MAIN STREET VICTIM OF FROST

HE WAS BROUGHT HOME LAST EVENING FOR TREATMENT

G. A. Easthagen who with his wife resides at 611 South Main street in this city, was badly frozen near Roosevelt last Saturday evening.

He was unconscious when found lying beside the road a short distance from Roosevelt with his hands badly frozen and arrived here this morning for treatment.

Easthagen is a cook and makes big money, but is also a disciple of John Barley Corn. He was cooking in a camp a short distance from Roosevelt and had been to town for a fresh supply and tried to carry more back to camp in his skin than he could navigate with and fell by the wayside.

Easthagen will probably lose several fingers on each hand. He says he don't know how it hapened.

Just a little **Cascasweet** is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. **Cascasweet** contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

A woman would hate to fall out of a balloon unless she was dressed in her best for it.

CANADA TO DISBAND IMMORAL DOUKOBORS

INVESTIGATION AT FORT WILLIAM ONTARIO SETS FORTH REVOLTING LIFE LED BY WAND-ERING DOUKHOBORS — IN 720 SQUARE FEET WERE FOUND 76 MEN AND WOMEN LIVING PROMISCUOUSLY TOGETHER IN UNCLOTHED STATE WITH NO REGARD FOR DECENCY—CHILDREN LOST TO PARENTS

Fort William, Ont., March 9. — Revolting features came to light at the inquest of John Czlin, one of the wandering Doukhobors, who walked from beyond Yorkton, in search of a better land. Several of the Doukhobors swore Czlin had had all he required to eat but admitted that during the past three weeks he had lived on prunes and dry bread. They said no doctor was necessary as Jesus was with them all the time. Chief of Police Dodds, told the jury how he had met a party of Doukhobors with a home made sleigh and upon investigation found it contained the body of Czlin perfectly naked and the Doukhobors informed him they were taking it to throw it in the brush that the wolves might tear it to pieces and let the spirit out. The jury after visiting the house in which the Doukhobors lived, brought in a verdict of death, through starvation, neglect and pneumonia and added the following report:

The premises, mainly a building 24x30 with an addition thereto 14x16 large enough in all for possibly 18 people at the most. In this area were found 76 men, women and children. In one room, 7x13 there were 14 inmates all together naked, both sexes, ranging from 13 to 55 years of age. A similar condition was found in other rooms of the house where men and women, covered and naked were found together with no regard for decency, or respect for common morality. They do not accept our marriage laws, but practice a system of free love, which admits of practices, which in our opinion are not tolerated in any civilized community, and which they were not alowed to pursue in their own country. Under this system children of whom we found 19 apparently bright and capable, are lost to their parents and grow up without proper restraint. We therefore advise that these children at least be transferred from their present debasing surroundings to some suitable institution where they can be taught the principles of industry, morality and good citizenship.

As for the adults they do not appear to be amenable to reason and we can suggest no other solution than the breaking up of the community.

CONDITIONS BEST HERE

JAMES E. MORRISSEY HOME FROM TWIN CITIES AND CHICAGO

ELECTED SECRETARY OF BOARD OF STATE BOILER INSPECTORS

From Monday's Daily—

James E. Morrisey returned home yesterday morning from a meeting of the Board of State Boiler Inspectors held in Minneapolis, and at that meeting was honored with election to the office of secretary. From there he proceeded to Chicago where he attended the meeting of the Foundrymen Foremen's Association and witnessed a display of manufactures and factory equipment of the very latest designs.

The foundrymen were shown thru the International Harvester Co's., plant and he says the work there is wonderfully systematized, and that one specialized mechanic will turn out as much work as four or five men here because of this wonderful system in all work, each man having just one special thing to do, and is required to do a certain amount of it. They draw from $1.80 to $2.50 per day.

Mr. Morrisey was in Chicago during considerable excitement. He was there when Chief Shippy was stabbed during an attempt to murder him by an anarchist, as a result of which the anarchist was killed and was also a guest at the Sherman House when the chimneys were blown down and bricks littered the office, no one, however having been injured.

Mr. Morrisey states that thousands of men are idle in Chicago, specially among the day laborers, and that the city is endeavoring to give them all a little work on the streets to tide them over till spring activity begins. The Salvation Army is doing a great work for the poor by hanging signs like the following in the windows of the barracks:

Soup 2cts.
Coffee 1ct.
Bread 1ct.
Lodging 5 cts.

This makes a few cents go a long day in fighting hunger.

He states that conditions are better right here in Crookston than any place he visited and he was glad to get back.

WOMAN'S AUTO KILLS MAN.

Runs Him Down With Automobile—Charged With Manslaughter.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 10.—Louis Klein, aged fifty, a county official for over thirty years, was run down and killed while crossing a street yesterday by an automobile driven by Mrs. Charles Haas, wife of a cigar manufacturer. Mrs. Haas was arrested, charged with manslaughter.

DISTRICT CONVENTION

FOR 9TH DISTRICT TO BE HELD IN CITY HALL IN CROOKSTON APRIL 15

OFFICIAL CALL WITH DELEGATE APPORTIONMENT PUBLISHED IN THIS ISSUE

From Monday's Daily—

The official call for the Republican District Convention which will be held in Crookston April 15 in the city hall of Crookston is published below and is as follows:

Republican District Convention

The Republican District Convention for the Ninth Congressional District of the State of Minnesota, will be held at the City Hall in the City of Crookston on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1908 at ten o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternates to the Republican National Convention to be held at Chicago on June 16th, 1908, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for President and Vice-President, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the convention.

The County conventions to elect delegates thereto will be held in the respective counties on Thursday, April 9th, A. D., 1908, at places to be designated by the several county committees.

Representation in this convention will be made upon the same basis as fixed by the State Central Committee for the State Convention namely:

Becker	11
Beltrami	12
Clearwater	8
Clay	13
Kittson	9
Mahnomen	5
Marshall	12
Norman	12
Otter Tail	19
Polk	17
Red Lake	12
Roseau	9
Wilkin	8
Total	147

By order of the Ninth District Republican Committee,

—John Petterson, Chairman,
—D. W. Meeker, Secretary.

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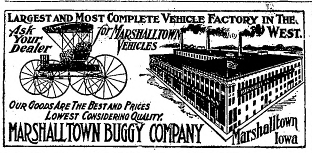
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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

VISITED FISHER — Otto Koeppe went over to Fisher last evening and disposed of a goodly number of "Leaders" which many of the people of that village insist on having.

LOOKING OVER LAND DEALS—Wm. Jamison of Ottawa, Ill., is looking over land deals in the Red River Valley and will probably make some purchases. If he does the lands he buys wil certainly be operated the coming season.

ATTENDING CONVENTION—Martin O'Brien left last evening for St. Paul where he will attend to some legal matters and attend the last session of the game wardens of the state who are holding forth in the old capitol building.

PEOPLE ARE ORDERLY—Not an arrest was made last night or today and matters in police circles are very quiet. Mayor McPhee is figurng on putting police force at work shoveling snow in order that they may work up an appetite. The city is so orderly now that the force has a hard time to keep busy, and the same story is true regarding the sheriff's office.

BARRED FROM MAILS— Uncle Sam has stopped the Globe Realty company of Sioux City, Ia., conducted by W. C. Smith in the American building, from doing business in the mails A fraud order was issued by the post master general who charges that evidence furnished by government officials showed that the concern was using the mails to promote a scheme for obtaining money illegally.

MAYOR ENGEL HERE — Mayor Engel of Euclid arrived in the city last evening and is spending the day here attending to business matters. He invested in some Crokston property while in the city and subscribed for the Daily Journal for a year in advance. He says that things are as quiet as usual and that there have been no arrests in his town for some time past.

CAUCUS HELD LAST EVENING—In Crookston township last evening the anual caucus was held and the following officers were nominated: For supervisor, Bert Cochrane; for Clerk, A. J. Kelly; for treasurer, J. M. Stephens; for assessor, Mr. Beulieu. The road overseer will be named by the town board under the new law, and the district roadmasters named by him.

SAYS TAINT SO— A. J. Lindell, the pump repairer for the G. N. who fell in the river a few days ago, stepping in an airhole while he was running to catch the Red Lake Falls train, and got beautifully ducked, says the report of the affair was false. He says he just fell in a snowbank and the snow melting gave the effect of a douse in the river but that he never fell in the river at all. He did just the same.

BACK FROM CLAIMS — Conrad S. Steenerson who resides near Minot and his cousin Arne Steenerson of Climax have returned from their claims near Roosevelt where they have been for the past two months. Arne continued to his home at Climax and Conrad will visit here and at Climax for a couple of weeks before going to Minot. Both report a fine time up in the woods where they spent a great deal of time making improvements and did a few hunting stunts on the side.

HE WAS RECOGNIZED—Several people who had not yet recognized August Schuler since his return from Germany knew him yesterday after noon after he had finished his first job since his return, the repairs on the fur store on North Main street recently scorched. He managed to get a few splashes of plaster on himself and in addition the little dog Spitz was at his heels. Mr. Schuler says the night he returned the little dog did not propose to let him in the house.

PLEASED WITH WEATHER—Arthur Capistran who has been visiting friends here since last Sunday will return home this evening. He says the present winter has been one of the finest he has ever experienced since he has been in the Red River Valley. It has been fine for stock, which has been running loose all winter and is looking fine without the necessity of being stall fed and in addition he has been able to cut cord wood without any trouble as the woods has been clean all winter till the past few days.

NOTHING DOING—The court house is more quiet at the present time than it has been for many months past. There was not a caller there today on any kind of business, and the officials, deputies and clerks are all at work catching up on old business.

LEG IS AGAIN SOUND — Henry Schmidt who was laid up for three weeks with an injured knee and who has been able to be out for some time is now as good as new and suffers no inconvenience from the injured member. His many friends are glad to see him out again.

MAKING GOOD PROGRESS—John Florin is making progress with the fixtures for the Crookston Fruit Co., which will be installed in the vacant room in the opera house block in the very near future. The fixtures are very neat and the workmanship is certain to be high class when turned out by Mr. Florin's factory.

CONTINUES TO IMPROVE— Dr. Earl Marcum of Bemidji continues to improve acording to a telephone message received this afternoon. He was critically ill for several days with diptheria for several days but the improvement noted in the Journal of yesterday still continues and his many friends here will receive the report of practical recovery with genuine pleasure.

From Friday's Daily

NEW RURAL ROUTE—The Star postal route from Northland to Birkholz has been discontinued. Rural free delivery from Oslo has been established. The service was started March 2nd.

ANOTHER OPERATION—Dr. Kahala of Erskine arrived in the city last evening and today operated on a patient who resides near that place. She recovered from the shock nicely and is doing as well as could be expected.

MUCH HAY COMING IN—Farmers are taking advantage of the fine sleighing and are hauling in large quantities of hay which brings a good price at the present time. On account of the open winter, which made it possible for stock to run loose and forage, the farmers have more hay to sell than usual.

HOTEL RUSHFORD CHANGES—W. B. Krouse on Tuesday severed his conection with the Hotel Rushford and removed with his family to the Dobner Meehan block. The new proprietor George W. Harris of Winona who purchased the property of James Meehan will arrive in the city today and open up the hotel.—Thief River Falls News.

NEW SETTLERS ARRIVING—Five families and four carloads of emigrant gods arrived here Monday morning from Illinois. Three of the heads of families are sons of Myron Brackett and another is a son-in-law. They brought some of the finest stock ever seen here with them. They will occupy the John Nichols, Roy Nichols and the C. M. Goodale farms. — Fertile Journal.

HOME FROM KANSAS — James Hedley has returned from his trip to Kansas and was chagrined to find his home destroyed by fire and is making the best out of the conditions The family will reside in the city the balance of the winter but Mr. Hedley and the hired help have a temporary house for their use and will remain on the farm.

ON STREET WORK —The force of street workers has been materially increased during the past few days as a result of the snow fall. The street commissioner is certainly entitled to a great deal of credit for the manner in which he has kept the sidewalks of the city cleaned. The force has been out early every morning and have worked faithfully till the walks were all cleaned.

FOUR GENERATIONS—Four generations in a Fosston family are shown in a picture in the Minneapolis Journal this morning. The patriarch of the four is Ellef O. Berge, aged 86 His son Ole Ellefson is 61, the grand son Olof O. Ellefson, is 29, and the great grand daughter is Pearl Ellefson, is 2 years. The three men were born in Norway and came to Minnesota in 1882.

VISITED THE FARIBAULT SCHOOLS—Supt. of Schools E. McIntyre of Crookston Minn., visited the public schols of this city Monday. He was especially interested in the manual training department of our High school and expects to install a similar branch in conection with the Crookston schools. This department of the Faribault school system is attracting much attention by educators throughout the state.—Faribault Republican.

NO TRACE FOUND—No trace has yet been found of the thief who on Tuesday morning or night stole an overcoat from the hotel Mentor. He was a German but spoke good English with a slight accent, and was about 5 feet 5 inches tall. He arrived at Mentor last Saturday night and after remaining several days departed with a Russian Cat overcoat belonging to one of the other guests. He wore a light mustache and a cloth cap with a vizor.

VALUABLE PORTRAIT — C. A. Robbecke of Thief River Falls and an early day resident of this city last week received from Germany a portrait of his father which he values very highly. The portrait was painted by a brother of Mr. Robbecke who is one of the famous artists of Europe, having painted portraits of the German Kaiser and other members of the royal family of Germany. It is a great work of art and is highly prized Mr. Robbecke's father is 81 years of age.

Bertha Sieverson, who has been in the Polk county jail for the past ten days was today given her freedom and it is understood that there will be no prosecution in connections with her case. She came here from the town of Kolstad, Roseau Co., and it was expected that there would be a sensation before the deal was closed.

It appears, however, that a settlement was made in some manner and the deal will not be aired in the courts.

A. A. MILLER SPOKE—Atty. A. A. Miller addressed the commercial law class at the Crookston business college this afternoon. His address was on the subject of "Courts" and was a very interesting one.

WILL MAKE BUTTER—F. S. Whirry the buttermaker at the Crookston Creamery leaves for Grand Forks in the morning where he will make a batch of butter for the people over there, their buttermaker being ill.

MANY ARE AT WORK—As a result of the heavy snow many shovelers have been placed to work. Not only in Crookston but all along the line of the Great Northern men who have been idle for weeks are at work and it is therefore considered a blessing by them that the heavy snow fell.

GOES TO PORT ARTHUR—Conductor J. O. Nelson left yesterday for Port Arthur where he will spend a few days the guest of his brother James Nelson formerly a popular conductor on the Great Northern running through this city.

ATTENDS ASSESSOR MEETING—E. M. Lancaster a veteran assessor of Crookston, Minn., is in the city attending the meeting of North Dakota's commissioners and getting some valuable points of taxation. Altho the system is on a different basis in Minnesota many points are in common.—Fargo Call.

FERTILE ODD FELLOWS QUIT—Fertile no longer has an Odd Fellows lodge; the charter was recently surrendered to the grand lodge and its business affairs wound up. A few years ago the order had over fifty members but during the last few years members have left town and others have dropped out of their own free will until only a handful remained and after several atempts to get a quorum present it was finally decided to throw up the charter.

TOUCHED FOR FIVE—C. J. Lundberg's confectionery on Second St., was touched the other night between closing and opening time for a five dollar bill. No signs remain as to manner in which intruder gained entrance. The confectioner had left a key around the desk for some time, and, noting that this had disappeared it is believed that someone dropped it in his pocket and opened front door after closing time.

DRAINAGE ACTIVITY — Drainage will loose none of its impetus notwithstanding the money scare and general slackness of labor employment. Seven ditches were heard before the drainage board at St. Paul yesterday, all of which were in the territory of Red Lake and Beltrami county. There are four big ditches under contract at present in Polk county and moves will be made among the settlers in the vicinity of Roosevelt and south fer federal action if not county action on the drainage of their lands.

WOLVES GIVE MERRY CHASE—While returning from Ada Saturday night with one of Ward's livery teams Leonard Sparby of Fertile had a thrilling experience with a pack of hungry wolves. When near the old Ames farm in Spring Creek several wolves suddenly appeared on the scene and attacked the rig. The cutter had a leather top and this was torn in strips by the rapacious animals. Leonard put the whip to the team and the chase was a merry one until the wolves gave a dismal howl and gave up the chase. It was snowing hard at the time and with the fear of losing his way and surrounded and attacked by a ferocious pack of wolves wa s not a pleasant predicament to be in.

DELIVERS ABLE ADDRESS—The Fargo Forum of Wednesday contained in full the address given by Postmaster Steenerson of this city before the meeting of the Independent Grain Shippers of N. D., at Fargo last week A two column cut of Mr. Steenerson is also given a prominent position in the article. The article covers over four pages and was considered one of the most interesting features of the meeting and he strongly advocated the union of North Dakota and Minnesota farmers' interests. Mr. Steenerson will also address a meeting of the farmers to be held at Alvarado Marshall County, on Saturday March 7th.

MUCH IMPROVED—Mr. and Mrs. O. Gravelle of Red Lake agency, returned last evening from Omaha, Nebraska, where Mrs. Gravelle has been ill. Mrs. Gravelle's condition has improved very much, and she returns home well on the road to recovery. They remained in Bemidji over night and part of today, leaving this after noon for the agency. Mr. Gravelle is conducting a general store at the agency, in partnership with J. G. Morrison, Jr., and the two young men are getting along nicely.—Bemidji Pioneer.

From Saturday's Daily

VISITS BROTHER—Ovid Liberty departs this evening for Fargo where he will spend the coming week visiting with his brother Wilfrid who is attending Fargo College.

SIDES ACHE—Mr. Wilson's recitation of "Shakespeare in the District School" at the Auditorium last night was fully forth the price of admission, agrees everyone who heard it and are laughing yet.

WOLF BOUNTIES—Since the heavy fall of snow the hunting and trapping business must have fallen off, as only one wolf bounty has been paid since Feb. 27, and that was to Harold O. Dorr of Knute township.

FROM MASONIC TOUR—Thomas Morris who has been on a Masonic tour thru the northern portion of the state and especially appearing at Roseau's late installation will arrive at his home here this evening.

ANOTHER CANDY KING — The benevolent features of C. J. Lundberg the Second Street confectioner have been rapidly expanding all the day. Prompt investigation of this phenomenon discovered the arrival of a fine cooing baby son. All are doing well.

HERE ON VISIT—Louis Fontaine one of the pioneer residents of the city came in this morning from Morris, Minn., where his son Albert is located in the hotel business. Mr. Fontaine retains a warm spot in his heart for Crookston and is always glad to see his old friends.

MIDDLE RIVER PIONEER SAYS—Mrs. Torson of Fisher and Mrs. Tagley of Mentor daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Olson left Monday for their respective homes.....V. A. Greer the Crookston land man in company with Mr. McNichols also of Crookston was in town between trains Tuesday.

FARMS PROSPEROUS—Olaf Skauge of Brainerd Minn., has been in the city for a few days on business with David Huggard concerning the care of his farms. Mr. Skauge owns a farm in Andover which he has now leased to J. T. Lien a neighboring farmer. His other farm in Russia is occupied by J. T. Mason on a term lease.

FOR EIGHT DAYS—Richard Amberry was arraigned before Judge Sullivan in municipal court at East Grand Forks and sent to the county jail here for eight days on the charge of assault and battery. Amberry and John Lavander engaged in a fistic encounter in which Lavander suffered a pair of black eyes.

THE WARREN SHEAF SAYS — Rev. O. K. Moberg of Crookston, visited with Rev. C. A. Jacobson Thursday and conducted the services in the Mission church in the evening..... Misses Elsie and Jessie Schantzen of Radium left for Crookston last Tuesday evening, where they will visit friends for a few days this week. They will also visit friends at Euclid Minn.

TO NORWAY — McIntosh Times says: H. D. Bolstad and family left last Monday for an extended visit to Norway. They go to Solvorn, Sogn, and will also visit other points of interest.....C. L. Conger left Sunday evening for Virginia on the range, on a business trip.....Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Shadduck rejoice over the arrival of a little baby girl last Saturday morning.

SCALDED BY HOT COFFEE — Carl Thompson Monday noon was assisting Mr. Lee, at the Delmer-Pepper elevator and he placed his coffee on the stove to heat. When in the act of prying off the cover it came off unexpectedly by steam pressure, scalding Mr. Thompson quite badly about the face and chest. Dr. Forrest of Bagley, arrived on the noon train and gave medical attendance.—Shevlin Herald.

BRIDGE IN JOHNSON—Early on Thursday morning County Commissioners Gust Eklund, Ben Clements and James Driscoll left Fosston for the extreme northeast corner of town of Johnson to investigate as regards the construction of a bridge across the Clearwater river at a point between sections two and three of that township, which is asked for by a number of residents of that corner of Polk, the farthest point distant from the present county seat.

MINNESOTA MUTUAL LOCATES HERE—District offices have been opened up in this city for the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Co., by Charles H. Voorhees, formerly of Minneapolis Mr. Voorhees is an insurance man of experience. He is assisted in building a foundation for future business here by Axel Ahlen, district manager at St. Paul. The gentlemen have been in the city for the past week.

BROKE HIS RIBS—Eli Goodbo has been confined to his bed since last Sunday evening with two broken ribs Eli lives upstairs over B. O. Narveson's saloon and his injuries are the result of a fall caused by the slippery condition of the stairs leading to his apartments. At the time the accident happened Eli was going after a pail of water slipped, slid and went bang up against the post at the foot of the stairs. No internal injuries received and he is now said to be doing nicely. —McIntosh Times.

AWARD STATE CONTRACTS — Contracts for drainage work aggregating $100,000 were yesterday awarded by the state drainage commission in St. Paul. Bids for the work were opened by the commissioner. George A. Ralph engineer of the commission stated that the bids will run about 12 per cent lower than his estimate. The highest price that will be paid l many contract is 13 cents per cubic yard, so, which is very low.

TO BE TRIED IN JUNE—The Pete paving case against East Grand Forks which has been tried in the district court and which was reversed by the supreme court has been sent back to the district court and will be tried at the June term. Yesterday Attorney Tye for the Pete company was granted his motion of request to amend his pleadings. Attorney Collins of East Grand Forks who will represent the city was here yesterday.

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A. L. COLE IS DEAD; SICK SINCE 1906

Republican Nominee for Governor of Minnesota in 1906 Dies in Texas.

Albert L. Cole, republican nominee for governor of Minnesota in 1906, and a well-known citizen of Minnesota for twenty-five years died late on Thursday at Canbenite, Texas of acute Bright's disease.

Mr. Cole was handicapped by ill health thruout his campaign and collapsed at its conclusion. He went to Florida and elsewhere in search of health, finally returning to Fergus Falls. He disposed of all his interests except his store at Pequot. After giving up active business he went to Texas last November and invested in real estate. He had planned to spend his winters in Texas and to return to Minnesota for the summers.

Dr. A. B. Cole a brother, has been with Mr. Cole almost continuously since the campaign and accompanied him on his return to Texas, Mr. Cole's condition was not considered dangerous and the idea that he was at the point of death was not entertained.

A. L. Cole was born 60 years ago at Canton, N. Y., removed to Minnesota in 1882 and engaged successfully in the mercantile business in several towns. He first located in Fergus Falls, where he engaged in the real estate business and opened his first general store. He next went to Motley and established a store as well as stores at Walker, Akeley and Pequot.

His Political Career

Mr. Cole did not come to the front in politics until 1902 when he was elected to the house of Minnesota legislature. He was re-elected in 1904, serving in the 1905 session with distinction. As nominee of the republican party for governor John A. Johnson, nominee of the democratic party, and was defeated.

Mr. Cole was an aggressive and persistent sort of a man, and an earnest and effective speaker on the floor of the house. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, who was married last summer to John Andrus, son of John E. Andrus of Yonkers, N. Y. The daughter has recently been visiting Mr. Cole in Texas, but his condition was such that she expected to leave this week for British Columbia where her husband is looking after large lumber interests.

The body will be taken to Fergus Falls for interment leaving Texas today.

FIRE DESTROYS WOODS SCHOOL

SCHOOL IN WOODS BURNED TO TOTAL LOSS THIS MORNING

FIRE UNDER FULL HEADWAY WHEN DISCOVERED—BOARD PROVIDES.

From Saturday's Daily—

At four o'clock this morning fire alarm was turned in from the Woods that the Franklin school was in flames Under leadership of Assistant Fire Chief Barrett the fire department fought the spread of flames. They could not save the building. The eastern side of the building, where the fire started, was destroyed when they arrived. The building a frame one was worth about $8500; insurance was carried for $6000.

During the fire the neighboring residences of George Carpenter, Ole Vaule, Art Marotte and others offered relief to the exhausted fire laddies The house of Arthur Marotte was thrown open that they might have the warmth of the fires.

To Provide Schoolrooms

The school board met this afternoon at the High School building and determined on action consequent of the burning of the Franklin school. Teachers in the Franklin schools and all their pupils are instructed to appear at the office of the city superintendent of schools in the High school building on Monday morning next at eight thirty and appointments will be made that the 300 pupils attendant on the Franklin school may be provided for expeditiously. There are six teachers affected. It is advised that children bring all their books.

Mr. John Rine of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Telegraphing Made Easy

A Soo Line Operator Invents a Machine that Makes the Dots—Sold All Over the World

F. T. Vail, formerly chief operator of the "Soo Line" at Minneapolis, now the chief electrician of the International Vailograph Co. with an aggressive and pushing organization at his back, is heralded as the latest great inventor in the telegraphic field.

As is generally known, a telegraph operator "talks by dots and dashes" made with a key that opens and closes the electric circuit. To make dots and dashes is nerve racking work. In rapid sending it is estimated that an operator makes 30,000 nerve movements an hour. Mr. Vail has invented a machine that makes this mere child's play, as the Vailograph makes the dots. A large number of telegraph operators and other people with money to invest are buying stock in the company, which has recently installed a factory at Minneapolis and will sell its product all over the world. Parties seeking a safe investment will find it to their interest to write the INTERNATIONAL VAILOGRAPH CO., (Incorporated)
Guaranty Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

THREE CURES OF SEVERE ECZEMA

Michigan Woman Tells of Her Brother's Terrible Suffering with the Disease—Grandchild and Another Baby also Permanently Cured.

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"My brother had eczema three different summers. About the same time each summer it came out between his shoulders and down his back, and he said his suffering was terrible. He used different kinds of medicines that were said to be good for that disease, but nothing seemed to do him much good. When it came on the third summer, he bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and gave it a faithful trial. Soon he began to feel better and he cured himself entirely with Cuticura and has never been bothered with eczema since. He also used Cuticura to cure a bunch over his eye and a terrible corn which was so bad that he could not wear his shoe. A lady in Indiana heard of how my daughter, Mrs. Miller, had cured her little son of terrible eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. This lady's little one had the eczema so badly that they thought they would lose it. She used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and it cured her child entirely. and the disease never came back. Mrs. Sarah E. Lusk, 67 Peckham St., Coldwater, Mich., Aug. 15 and Sept. 2, 1907."

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Cure for Torturing, Disfiguring Skin and Scalp Humors.

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MEET AT WILLMAR APRIL 17.

Seventh District Republicans to Pick Chicago Delegates.

Willmar, Minn., March 5. — At a meeting held here this week of the executive division of the Seventh district Republican committee it was decided to accept Willmar's invitation to hold the district convention here, at which time delegates will be chosen from the Seventh district to attend the national convention at Chicago. The invitation was extended by the Commercial club. The date of the convention was fixed as April 15 and will be held in the opera house in this city.

CLUB PLANS AD. CAMPAIGN.

Little Falls Business Men Will Raise Fund to "Boost" County.

Little Falls, Minn., March 6.—The Commercial club last night discussed the county advertising proposition. The president was authorized to appoint a committee to solicit a fund from public and private sources to the amount c. $2,500, payable by the subscribers in five monthly installments. The question of co-operating with Crow Wing, Aitkin, Cass and other neighboring counties also will be taken up by this committee.

Attempts Murder and Suicide.

Norfolk, Va., March 6.—Nathan Jacobs, a salesman, cut the throat of his bride of a few days and then attempted suicide. Temporary insanity is believed to have been the cause. It is believed Jacobs will die, but his wife may recover.

Boys Try to Be Black Hand.

Emporia, Kan., March 6.—Two boys, Merril McDaris, aged twelve, and Morris McCrory, aged thirteen, were arrested here yesterday charged with blackmailing.

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LIGHT RUNNING
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CROOKSTON FURNITURE CO.,

SOMEBODY IN DISCORD

CONVENTION OF "SETTLERS" AT BEAUDETTE CAUSES SOME DISCUSSION

WHAT IS TRUE REASON OF THEIR VIGOROUS OPPOSITION TO DRAINAGE

What will be the thoughts among northern Minnesota congressmen when they hear from among their adherents the discordant cry against drainage emanating from the "convention of settlers" at Beaudette last week?

There has been a rivalry among eminent men and cities thruout northern Minnesota as to what man and at what place did the lauded activity for drainage begin. At this hour when the climax of this widespread effort is reached and the prospects for federal drainage seem the most encouraging occurs a protest from those very persons whom it is desired to benefit the most.

Settlers Can Drain

The mass meeting was held under the auspices of the Spooner and Beaudette Commercial clubs for the purpose of discussing the drainage proposition as proposed for all the untaken federal lands in the former Red Lake Indian reserve. This reserve extends or did extend all along the international boundary from Black duck (a confluent of the Rainy River) on the east to a point about six miles west of Warroad, a distance of 70 or 80 miles.

In this gathering many points were developed as follows:

A great per cent of the land in northern Beltrami county, say 60 per cent is covered with a deep layer of decayed vegetation and moss and is undoubtedly the most fertile land in Minnesota. If drained too extensively it would cause great areas to burn two or three feet down into the clay subsoil, ruining the territory. These lands proposed for drainage are very high and the slope is from two to five feet to the mile affording good drainage as soon as roads are put in and the settlers clear off the timber.

It was also thought that the state is fully able to take care of the drainage whenever necessary.

"Farmers, settlers and business men from Warroad, Swift, Roosevelt, Williams, Graceton, Pitt, Beaudette, Spooner, Clementson and Frontier as well as from the Lake of the Woods, numbering in all 300 voiced their opinions against the drainage issue."

Object to Price

Many settlers have been urging Congressman Steenerson to advocate drainage for Northern Minnesota and this seems to have been a great demand in this state for years. The Chief legislative and land department however would not consider these cries from northern Minnesota without taxing all settlers who filed on government land since March 1st, 1907 for cost of drainage anywhere from $2.50 to $3 per acre plus the usual $1.25 per acre for the commutation proof. But the worst feature, this convention said, was the fact that the settlers could not prove up nor get title to their land until the survey and great ditches had been completed and the cost assessed against each settler who had filed since March 1, 1907. This is much more than an ordinary settler can pay and much more than this land would sell for at the time of proof. Then the settlers could not hope to get title to their land in less than ten years, judging from history in similar matters. This latest plan is bodied in a pending bill.

Object to Drainage

The resolution adopted was sent the Minnesota congressional delegation and asks that they use their power to have the northern portion of the ceded Chippewa lands excepted and excluded from the operation of the act of June 21, 1906, and also the Indian appropriation act approved March 1, 1907, as well as a protest against the proposed law.

After a full consideration of the drainage proposition as embodied in the laws above mentioned and in bills recently introduced in both houses of congress it was the unanimous sentiment that they were not to the benefit of the people of these parts.

NEGROES LYNCHED AND BURNED

Two Blacks Charged With Murder Are Victims of Mob's Vengeance.

Hawkinsville, Ga., March 7. — Two negroes, Curry Robertson and John Henry, were lynched yesterday near here and their bodies burned. They were charged with the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hart. One of the negroes confessed to the crime and said the motive was robbery.

Yesterday the negroes were taken from the county jail and carried some distance from the town, where they were hanged to a tree. After the hanging the bodies were cut down and incinerated.

EXPECT A BIG YEAR

NORTHERN PRESSED BRICK CO., MAKE PLANS FOR THE SEASON

MANAGER GRAFFT HAS NEW FOREMAN AND SEASON WILL OPEN EARLY

From Thursday's Daily—

Manager Grafft of the Northern Pressed Brick Co., predicts a very busy season ahead. He has secured the services of Wm. G. Hunt of Menominee, Wis., a thoroly practical brick man who has been with the Hydraulic Pressed Brick Co., of Menominee for the past 13 years who will be yard foreman.

Several new machines have been purchased and the capacity of the plant will be materially enlarged and things are already beginning to hum at the big plant. As soon as the weather will permit everything will be in operation and that will be the busiest section of the city.

BACK FROM MEETING OF WARDENS

WM. MUNCH RETURNS FROM A VERY SUCCESSFUL MEET AT ST. PAUL

Game Warden Will Munch returned yesterday from the Game Wardens' meeting which was held the forepart of the week. The paper read by Mr. Munch which was given in full in the Journal of Tuesday was considered one of the best read and has created considerable interest among the sportsmen of the state. He reports the meeting a successful one in every respect.

Some thirty-seven wardens were present, and the members of the state game and Fish Commission were on hand, to see to it that "the boys" were properly cared for.

The papers which were read by the different wardens were productive of much that was good, and all were of surprising excellence, and brought out some discussion that showed plainly that the class of men who are now enforcing the provisions of the state game and fish laws are possessed of more than the average executive ability.

JAPAN DOES JOB FOR UTAH.

Tries and Convicts Embezzlers Who Fled From State.

Salt Lake City, March 5.—Because Utah did not have the money to bring back two embezzlers from Japan, the mikado's government not only tried and convicted the offenders for a crime committed in this state, but has paid Utah for collecting and forwarding affidavits in the case.

The culprits fled from Brigham City, Utah, more than a year ago with $16,000 intrusted to them for safe keeping by seventy-five Japanese laborers employed in the beet fields. The men were traced to Japan and there arrested.

LID ON SUNDAY SHAVES.

Barber Bosses Agree to Let Employes Have Sabbath.

La Crosse, Wis., March 5.—Boss and journeymen barbers of La Crosse have settled a dispute over Sunday shaving which threatened for a time to call out all of the barbers in the city on a strike. The bosses have agreed to eliminate Sunday shaving.

Militia Not Needed.

Kentwood, La., March 5. — The militia which arrived here last week to protect Italian laborers left yesterday. Local authorities believe they will be able to preserve order without aid from the militia. Two more arrests were made yesterday of men suspected of implication in the threats to dynamite Italian lumber mill employes, whose acceptance of a cut in wages was the cause of the disturbance last week.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

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FEBRUARY WAS A GREAT MONTH

IT WAS WARMEST IN 28 YEARS ACCORDING TO WEATHER OBSERVER

THE ONLY PRECIPITATION OF ANY FEBRUARY IN THAT TIME

The record of the weather for the month of February as furnished by Colonel Grasse, the observer at the Moorhead station is as follows:

The highest temperature was 40 degrees, on Feb. 24, and the lowest was 20 below of Feb. 1. The average of the month was 15 degrees, against an average of 6 degrees for the past 28 years. This is the warmest February during the entire period that a record has been kept except in 1882 when it was 17 degrees. In 1907 it was 11, and in 1906 8 degrees. The lowest temperature during February in the 28 years was 47 degrees below zero and the past month has been 8.2 degrees warmer than the average The accumulated excess of temperature since the first of the year has been 626 degrees being an average of 10.4 degrees warmer than the average. The lowest temperature during the past 28 years was 47 degrees below in February 1884.

The precipitation for the month was 2.18 inches, against an average of .79 inches during the past 28 years and also being the greatest of any February during that entire time. Part of the precipitation was rainfall as the snowfall was only 15.8 inches 1881 was the only year approaching the amount of precipitation of the past year, when it was 2.13. In 1907 the precipitation for February was .38 inches and 1906, 34 inches. The least was .08 inches in 1885. The excess of precipitation for the month was 1.39 inches in excess since Jan. 1 has been .81.

The prevailing winds of the month have been from the northwest, and the total movement was 6564 the average hourly velocity being 9.4 the maximum was 28 miles per hour, from the northwest, Feb. 5.

Pioneer weather sages are handing out their philosophy in large packages at present and unless their predictions are off, this locality is due to be blessed with an early spring.

"March came in like a lion and it will just as surely go out like a lamb is the way one put it today. "I have watched the initial day of March for years and I never knew it to fail to be the opposite weather for the last of the month," he continued.

There were many who on account of the exceptionally open winter feared that the spring breakup would come late, and the snow storm Saturday and Sunday brought joy to their hearts. Most anyone is willing to endure a few days of snow with the assurance of the prophets that corner lot baseball will soon be inaugurated.

HAVE OPENED A BRANCH OFFICE

The Iowa Loan and Investment Co., has decided to open a branch office in Crookston and has secured offices in the Merchants National Bank building in this city. The local offices will be in charge of E. J. Newhall, well known not only in this city but thruout this section of the territory and it is certain that the company will do a good business under his management. The many friends of Mr. Newhall will all wish him every success in his new position.

NEW REAL ESTATE OFFICE OPENS

O. O. Christianson has leased the building which is now occupied by T. B. Noesen who is closing out his shoe stock and after April 1st Mr. Christianson will open a real estate office. Alderman Christianson is one of the pioneer residents of Crookston and has the confidence of not only the people of this city but of the entire county and he is certain of a good business from the first day he opens his office.

Mrs. Miljas Sent Up.

Deadwood, S. D., March 6. — Mrs. Anna Miljas, the check forger, convicted in the circuit court, was sentenced to spend three years and eight months in the penitentiary.

Threaten Life of King.

Barcelona, March 6.—Placards posted throughout Barcedona announcing that an attempt would be made upon the life of King Alfonso on his approaching visit to this city March 12 were torn down yesterday by the police.

OLD TIMER IS GONE

LESLIE McDONALD PASSES AWAY AT TACOMA YESTERDAY

WAS FORMER PROMINENT RESIDENT OF EUCLID—ILL FOR SOME TIME

From Friday's Daily—

A telegram was received this morning announcing the death of Leslie McDonald at Tacoma, Washington, where he has been residing for some time past.

Deceased has been ill for several weeks, and letters were received announcing his serious illness. His mind has been failing steadily and it was feared that he would have to be committed to an insane hospital but death relieved his sufferings.

Leslie McDonald was a former resident of Euclid, and during his residence there was very popular. He was a young man who gave more thought to his friends than he did to himself and was held in the highest estimation by all who knew him.

A CLUE TO THE MISSING REEDS

F. M. REED BELIEVES HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER MAY BE IN CALIFORNIA

F. M. Reed, whose wife and daughter left Grand Forks for parts unknown, February 6, believes he has a clue to the missing ones. Mr. Reed has learned the address of two men who were in Grand Forks at that time and who were on intimate terms with Mrs. Reed and daughter. The men are now touring California and Mr. Reed has sent a description of his wife and daughter to California papers in an effort to locate them. Mr. Reed is of Crookston today trying to ascertain of they bought tickets for points west at this city. He will then go to Detroit and from there to Fargo on the same mission and in this way he hopes to get some trace of the people who bought tickets for California points on February 6.

UNUSUAL ACTIVITY AT THE PHILADELPHIA NAVY YARD

Notwithstanding the criticism of the Navy Department by Editor Henry Reuterdale, of "Fitting Ships" that the department is run on an old foggy basis, there seems to be a decided desire to adopt the latest modern ideas at the League Island Navy Yard Philadelphia.

The Naval officers there are not content with the most improved equipment in the way of naval appurtenances, but are now enjoying the most approved method of land transportatio nand are using a 1908 Rambler Automobile for the quick dispatch of land messages.

The new four-cylinder Rambler, according to the jovial Union Jackie who drives it, is about the smoothest thing on wheels, not excepting the carriages of the big 12 inch guns and is a mighty sight easier to handle.

Rear Admiral C. F. Goodrich, the commanderd of the New York Navy Yard is a staunch advocate of the progressiveness in the Navy Department, and says the Secretary of the Navy has asked the various commanding officers for suggestions looking to the improvement of this branch of the service. We may therefore soon expect to see each of our navy yards and possibly out batleships as well equipped with automobiles for special land duty. n

KING EDWARD IN PARIS.

Flashlight Photographer Gives Police a Scare.

Paris, March 7. — King Edward arrived here last evening from London. Sir Francis Bertie, the British ambassador to France, met him at the station and escorted him to a private hotel. Although he is traveling incognito as the duke of Lancaster, King Edward will visit President Fallieres before departing for Biarritz on Saturday.

Owing to the world-wide activity of the anarchists recently exceptional precautions have been taken to safeguard King Edward. The police and detectives had a scare at the hotel where the king is staying when an enterprising photographer set off a flashlight at the curb as the king alighted from his motor car.

SUE THIRTY NIGHT RIDERS.

Man and Wife Seek $50,000 for Damage Caused by Raiders.

Paducah, Ky., March 7.—Robert H. Hallowell and wife of Vandergrift, Ind., and formerly of Caldwell county, Kentucky, filed suits for $50,000 damages against twenty five or thirty residents of Caldwell county on the ground that they were members of a body of night riders which attacked their home last May.

Ask Your Own Doctor

If he tells you to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your severe cough or bronchial trouble, then take it. If he has anything better, then take that. But we know what he will say; for doctors have used this cough medicine over 60 years.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for hard colds, bad coughs, and influenza. It has done me great good, and I believe it is the best cough medicine in the world for all throat and lung troubles."—ELI C. STUART, Albany, Oregon.

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Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

COUNTERFEITERS ROUNDED UP.

Five Men and One Woman Arrested In Chicago.

Chicago, March 7.—Five men and one woman, alleged to be counterfeiters, were arraigned before United States Commissioner Foote and held to the federal grand jury. They were A. L. McIntosh, A. P. Rotha, Roscoe Tobias, William O'Neill, William Loquist and Mrs. Inez Stevens. McIntosh, the first to be arrested, confessed and implicated the others. He said that he and the other male prisoners had recently made a trip through the West, visiting the principal Pacific coast cities, making their way by means of making and passing counterfeit dollars, half dollars and quarters.

HALT TRAIN TO TAKE REST.

Pennsylvania Crew Take Advantage of New Law.

Pottsville, Pa., March 7.—The new railroad law prescribing the hours of work for railroad crews, which went into effect Sunday, was taken advantage of by a train crew here yesterday, when a Pennsylvania freight train was stopped on the main track while passing the town because the crew had been on duty sixteen hours. A switch engine side-tracked the train, where it remained for ten hours, until the crew had secured their lawful rest.

JAPS TRY TO HIRE SPY.

Offer Former Soldier $150 a Month to Do the Work.

Salt Lake City, March 7. — Jack Treadwell, a Japanese interpreter, formerly a member of the Twenty-first infantry, announced yesterday at the local recruiting office that he had been offered $150 a month by an agent of the Japanese government to act as spy in discovering the location of mines and description of the fortifications in San Francisco and San Diego harbors and Puget sound.

Prisoners Mutiny.

Trenton, N. J., March 7.—Nearly a hundred prisoners in the county prison here mutinied last night and made an effort to break jail because they declared they were given insufficient rations. A squad of guards was called out and the prisoners were beaten back.

Knocked Senseless and Robbed.

Glencarbon, Ill., March 7.—William A. Miner, station agent for the Clover Leaf railroad here, was found early yesterday lying senseless on the floor of the station. He had been knocked senseless during the night and robbed of $65. He was revived and is in a serious condition.

Threaten Police Chief.

Birmingham, Ala., March 7.—Chief of Police Bodeker yesterday received from Bessemer, Ala., a note threatening him with death. On the note was a hand in black ink. The chief recently arrested several foreigners.

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, March 7. — James C. McMillen is appointed postmaster at Hesper, Benson county, N. D., vice Frank Gibbs, resigned, and John Jiroch at Edwin, Hyde county, S. D., vice H. W. Chapman, resigned.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

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A Yard of Dirt.

In a statement of drainage board activities elsewhere today appears notice of the award of one million square yards of ditch construction for the coming year. It must be understood that not alone is this the greatest amount of yardage let by the state in one meeting, but it is the most economical.

It is properly estimated that these drainage constructions will withdraw the surplus water from nearly one million acres of northern Minnesota.

Every time those towering dredging machines take out a yard of earth an acre of land has been redeemed.

As per the bids of the contracting companies the average price paid this year for ditch yardage will be about eleven cents or lower. To this must be added the almost insignificant changes for survey, plans and inspection that the completed cost per acre may be determined. The complete cost of excavating a yard of earth for ditch purposes will be about fifteen cents.

This is about as plain an exposition of drainage economy as could be desired.

Cheating the Farmers.

Butter has been so high of late, and the substitution of "oleo" for it has been so highly profitable, that internal revenue officers at Chicago have started a campaign thru Northern Illinois against dishonest dealers. It is believed that the sale of oleomargarine, colored to resemble butter, is being carried out on a much wider scale than had been suspected. Extra deputies from the revenue office have been sent out to punish all who are violating the law. Uncle Sam is much interested, for there is a stamp tax of a quarter of a cent a pound on all oleomargarine sold uncolored, and ten cents a pound on that which has been colored. Wherever the 'oleo" is sold as creamery butter the evasion of taxes means a very handsome profit. The fraud is being carried on principally in the larger cities, where the butter buyers are not so familiar with the real thing, fresh from farm or dairy.

The Man From Illinois

Since January first 1908, the press of Red River Valley, the most efficient and responsive in the northwest, has heralded the arrival of two hundred and fourteen families from the state of Illinois.

Each one of these families are led from the home of their paternity in turn by a father. He makes this move only after investigation. The movement of a dependent family from its settled abode is attended with serious calculations. In whatever directions they favor removal he must be assured that the land to which he removes is more productive and promising than that which he leaves behind him.

The day of the land boom is past.

Whether or not the exhaustless subterfuges thru which it sought to plant the investments of more moneyed countries in this territory were a good thing it is not a purpose to discuss. But lands held in speculation by far away owners has given little advantage to this vicinity and such other vicinities as we have in mind.

That subject has already been sufficiently touched upon in a recent meeting of the commercial organization of this city.

But upon the land settled and owned by its occupant rests whatever inherent prosperity this generation will pass to its successor.

Whenever a citizen begins to plat out his small farm and practice those economies of agriculture that experience and science teach us this day his whole benefit to his community and state is unquestioned.

The farmer of Illinois has raised the price of the land of that state in half a century, 200 per cent. The father of those men that are now in small groups settling thruout the Valley did this.

The man from Illinois has brought along with him those well wrought out methods of cultivation which apply not very differently on these soils than on those of Illinois. Whatever difference there may arise in localities he will meet with that same facility of mind as his now wealthy parent.

This movement of the man from Illinois is not made in a chance try at fortune. He has a high sense of the responsibility of a family.

He will come to this land that he may rear hereon his family as his father did in Illinois and give his children those advantages which his father gave him or plainly erred by not giving him.

By what magic these men of Illinois develop wealth from famished soils is well known to science, but science has found few of its disciples who applied its principles with study and persistence.

These newcomers have been thrice welcomed.

With those bold and sturdy pioneers that first blazed the way into this territory and erected within it the highest forms of civilizations known to states the man from Illinois with his sense of agricultural worth will form a happy combination for his own and the common good.

EUCLID ITEMS

Prof. Lucian visited Crookston last Monday night.

Bert Teal and family expect to live on the old Alfred Vondenbeck place this season.

Fern Aker has moved his family into the E. C. Murney house. Now the men will have a barber again.

A surprise party was given Miss Louise Tiedemann last Friday in honor of her birthday. Several of the town people went out. An elegant six o'clock dinner was served.

Charles Casmey who is soon to leave for the vicinity of International Falls, gave a parting dance last Monday evening. Sixty-eight people were in attendance.

The election caused the usual amount of excitement. The only strife being over the office of supervisor, between Peter Rutherford and Henry Nelson. Rutherford won by two votes.

John McLaughlin who has been visiting his uncle in Crookston returned Monday morning.

Mrs. C. E. Nelson who was called to California by the serious illness of her daughter writes that she is improving steadily. Mrs. Nelson likes California very much and has some idea of locating there.

Mayor Engle visited in Crokston last week.

Clare Chapin and Bessie Burns came home Saturday morning returning in the evening to take in the Merry Dairymaids.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Men who have nothing to do are kept busy doing it.

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Take a woman's looks for her age rather than her word.

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Many a man fails to recognize his duty when he sees it.

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People who raise objections are always sure of a bumper crop.

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What's the matter with your bottom dollar as a financial basis?

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You can't make hay while the sun shines in the good old winter time.

* * *

Some parents content themselves with wishing that their children would behave better.

* * *

And every time a man hears his name mentioned in connection with a political office he thinks the world is growing wiser.

A Narrow Escape

Many people have a narrow escape from pneumonia and consumption as a result of a cold that hangs on. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds no matter how deep seated and prevents pneumonia and consumption Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

MAY ISSUE NEW CALL

REPUBLICANS ARE AFRAID THEY STARTED ON WRONG FOOT

TECHNICAL QUESTION OF AUTHORITY IS UP

An effort to call the republican state committee together again, to cancel the dates already fixed for the county and state conventions and to issue a new call with later dates, is being made by members of the committee.

The pretext for his effort is the muddle over the call of congressional district conventions. It is found that the congressional committees in seven of the nine Minnesota districts are acting without authority when they call district conventions because they have no standing as committees. In that event, under the national committee's ruling it is up to the state committee to issue the convention calls for these districts. Congressman C. R. Davis of the third district discovered this state of affairs and the third district committee is declining to act, at least without higher sanction.

Up to Salmon

The calling of the committee rests with Secretary Thomas H. Salmon of Minneapolis, who has been delegated the authority of chairman by Dr. A. B. Cole regular chairman of the committee during his absence in Texas. Mr. Salmon admitted today that he had been asked to call another committee meeting for the purpose of making a new convention call all around.

"As far as I am concerned I will not make the call," said Mr. Salmon "I don't believe there is any necessity for a meeting, and I am not going to ask the members of the committee to come in here at so much sacrifice of time and expense. Unless the state committee steps in, there is no chance for any contest against these district conventions."

C. A. Rasmussen of Red Wing chairman of the third district committee was in Minneapolis late yesterday to confer with Mr. Salmon. He said that the committee did not want to take chances of a contest, and wanted the state committee to act. Mr. Salmon said that by resolution of the state committee, he and the chairman had been given full power to do anything else necessary for the proper assembling of the convention. He was willing to join with the district committee in calling the third district convention, and believed that by such action all question of legality would be removed. Mr. Rasmissen was inclined to think that this would be sufficient. However Sumner Ladd, Congressman Davis' secretary was due to arrive at Red Wing today from Washington for the special purpose of looking after the district convention call.

Dark Man in Cordwood

There may be a motive behind the move for another committee meeting If the committee met soon, say the last of this week, it would not be possible to get out a convention call and hold the state convention before the early part of May. If there is any movement against Taft in this state, it would be desirous of holding the convention off as late as possible, in hope that anti-Roosevelt work in the south would throw some doubt on Taft's prospects by that time, and give a chance to avoid instructions in this state.

LARRABEE 'RUNS OWN MACHINE'

BRYAN DOESN'T DICTATE TO HIM HE SAYS MOST EMPHATICALLY

BRYAN MEN DENY THE NEBRASKAN HAS CALLED OFF HIS FRIENDS

"Is there anything in this story from Washington that Mr. Bryan has called his friends off in Minnesota?" Frank D. Larrabee was asked yesterday in Minneapolis.

"I'll answer that if you print it just as I say it," he answered. "—— —— the Washington people and the republicans. They nor Bryan nor anybody else don't dictate to me. I'm running my own machine."

"Mr. Bryan hasn't tried to call you off, has he?"

"No, he hasn't."

In this terse and emphatic fashion the Bryan leader in Hennepin county disposed of the story that Bryan had ordered a withdrawal of the fight started by his followers in Minnesota against a Johnson delegation from the governors own state. James Manahan of St. Paul was just as positive, tho more parliamentary in his language. "We haven't been pulled off," he said, "and we couldn't be. There is not a thing in the story. It is only part of the scheme of misrepresentation that has been going on all the time."

Concede State to Johnson

According to the Washington story Mr. Bryan had decided to concede Minnesota to Johnson and on this basis to make peace with the Minnesota leader. A plan to bring Governor Johnson into the fold by the promise of a cabinet position was worked out by Willis J. Abbott, manager of the Bryan publicity bureau at Washington. Mr. Abbott gave out the story that Minnesota had been conceded to Johnson.

According to Mr. Larrabee this plan has not been approved by Mr. Bryan, and the "Washington people" are left up in the air.

Both sides are planning for the fight in Minnesota, but the actual work of organization will not be opened for a week or two as it is two months till the state convention.

North Dakota for Johnson

A. J. Reinecke of Grand Forks was in St. Paul yesterday and he declared that a fight would be made in North Dakota to get a Johnson delegation in spite of the Bryan indorsement by the state committee. It has been supposed that North Dakota was foreclosed for Bryan, and that is the judgment of most democrats there. Governor John Burke is thought to be favorable to Johnson, but his influence has been against a fight over the presidency because of its effect on the state campaign.

Things are being done in the eastern state where during the next few days an effort will be made to rally the Bryan opposition around the name name of John A. Johnson. Without an actual candidate in the field against Bryan, there had seemed little hope for them.

STATE PRESS

The Banana Belt in Fact

It was formerly a joke about the northwest's being in the banana belt. It may apply as a joke to Nebraska still, but it is a very serious matter when it comes to the northwest. It is a fact that this section of the country is to raise its own bananas. Every one has confidence in Luther Burbank; and his statement that he is going to develop a handy banana that will grow luxuriantly in the northwest, so that the northwest can raise her own banana crop, is of national importance. The tropical fruit trust may be somewhat disturbed by this report but up to last night it had taken no steps in the direction of going out of business.—Minneapolis.

Drainage and Roads

Olof Larson, who owns a fine farm at the turning point of R. R. No. 1, in the town of Numedal, was calling on friends here Tuesday. Mr. Larson talked entertainingly of conditions existing in his town, and stated that the main need in his immediate locadity was adequate drainage and good roads.—T. R. F. Press.

Make 'Em Take Notice

The Crookston Commercial club is a busy body of enterprising business men. They are all the time hustling for something; just now they are working for a pickle factor.

Journal Want Ads, one cent a word

IN THE REALM OF INSURANCE

Minnesota Insurance Department Bulletin No. 6—John A. Hartigan, Ins. Com.,—Published to protect Journal Readers against fake insurance.

Liberal to its Policy Holders . .

The Fidelity and Deposit Co., of Maryland, has recently been examined by the insurance departments of Maryland, Minnesota and Virginia. The report gives the condition of the company as of December 31st, 1907 as follows:

Total admitted assets ...	$5,793,549.05
Total liabilities except capital	1,491,223.14
Capital	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	2,302,325.91
Surplus as regards policy holders	4,302,325.91

The company is commended for its liberal treatment of its policy holders.

Use Licensed Companies

On a fire loss occurring October last in Minneapolis, there were two policies of $1,000 each in companies not authorized to do business in Minnesota. These companies have not paid their proportion of the loss and the insured is unable to collect.

This case emphasizes the wisdom of using only companies that are licensed in this state.

The Merchants National Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Fargo, N. D., has been relicensed to do business in Minnesota, the impairment of funds having been made good.

The Security Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Chatfield, Minn., has amended its articles of association so as to permit the establishment of a guaranty fund.

The A. O. U. W. of Minnesota at the session of the Grand Lodge held in St. Paul, February 18-22, increased the rates of all members.

Licensed Companies

The following companies have been licensed to do business in Minnesota The Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance company, capital $500,000; The St. Louis Fire Insurance Co., of St. Louis, Mo., capital $100,000; The Woodmen's Casualty Company of Indianapolis, Ind., capital $100,000; and The Lumber Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Boston, Mass., with assets of $357,784.22.

The Eagle Fire Insurance Company of New York has reinsured in the North British and Mercantile Insurance Co., of Great Britain.

The Grain Dealers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Minneapolis, has reinsured its entire business with the Security Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Chatfield, Minn.

The insurance on the Franklin school was placed as follows:

Royal Ins. Co., ...	$1000
Queen Insurance Co.	600
Palatine Insurance Co.	1400
Western of Pittsburg	2200

The representing agents here are Miller and Foote and Geo. Wilde.

A course of free lectures on insurance is being given at the University of Minnesota every Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The lecturers are well chosen and the course should be of great interest and benefit to the public.

Receivers have been appointed for the Mutual Reserve life of New York. An examination by the New York Insurance Department showed a deficit of nearly $2,000,000. This company was refused a license by the Minnesota Department in 1901.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

LITERARY—

The program rendered by the Literary society was as follows:

Song by society.
Recitation, Mr. Robert Erlandson.
Reading, Miss Lena Opdahl.
Song by Society.
Reading by Mr. Carl Nordlum.
Violin solo, Mr. Martin Ostung.
Debate: The question was, Resolved that mules are better to have on a farm than horses.

Messrs. Johnson, Swisse and Linberg debated the affirmative while Messrs. Eklund, Ringdahl and Opdahl debated the negative.

The affirmative won.

TEACHERS' MEETING—

Prof. L. P. Harrington attended the school officers and teachers' convention at Alexandria, Saturday March 7. Prof. Harrington delivered an address to about 250 teachers and school officers on the subject of "Industrial Education" and reports that a gener-interest seems to be manifested on the part of teachers and school officers about industrial education.

SUNDAY EXERCISES—

Mr. Joseph Ball addressed the students at the regular Sunday afternoon services and delivered a very forcible speech on the subject of The Influence of thought on the thinker.

SUNDAY EVENING—

The Sunday evenings are spent now in singing and reading and a few recitations this is especially for students who cannot attend the evening services in the city churches.

MILITARY—

The class in military drill is now drilling outside as often as the weather will permit and on stormy days it is held in the carpenter shop.

BLACKSMITHING—

Special interest is manifested in the class of blacksmithing. Mr. Ringdahl procured on old plow share and soldered a point so as to make it practically as good as new, while Messrs. Sether and Opdahl each procured an old ax and and worked them over into useful wood-working tools.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE—

The Junior class in cooking gave a luncheon to the Freshmen cooking class Saturday afternoon. Spectators report that the domestic science students are fullfledged housekeepers by this time.

POULTRY DEPT.—

Preparations are now completed for the operation of the incubators and they are now in operation, students will be given actual lessons in the care and management of these machines. Selection of eggs for that purpose has been going on for a few weeks past so that good results should be expected.

DAIRY DEPT.—

The herdsman reports the increase in the milk production of the herd by an increased number of cows which are coming in continually. The latest being a Galloway cow having twin calves.

STEPHENS HALL—

The roof is about completely shingled now and also is the flexible tubing for the electric wires. Partitions are nearly completed and a few week more will see a great change if the weather is not too severe.

PERSONAL—

A fine span of horses arrived from Brookings, S. D., Prof Robertson having purchased them some time ago from the Wilson farm for his personal use on his farm.

Mr. Chris Fossbokken visited his friends at the School Friday last arriving Thursday evening and departing Friday evening.

Miss Slyter spent Sunday with her parents south of the city.

Mr. Jacobson spent Sunday with friends and relatives in the city. He reports a very enjoyable time.

Visitors registered at the school this week as follows:

Mr. C. W. Hale of the Farmers' Institute Corps.

Messrs. Ernest and Oscar Johnson of Kennedy, Minn.

Mr. John Elison and Mrs. Frank Nelson of Birkholz.

The principal of the Erskine school visited the school last Monday and especially interested in manual training.

Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach such as dyspepsia, heart burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold here by A. G. Andersen.

First National Bank
f Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST
BANK IN NO THWESTERN
MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Monday's Daily—

CALLED TO ULEN — Dr. Wilson Randolps was called to Ulen last evening on professional business.

SUNDAYED HERE—Harry Robert returned to Thief River Falls this morning after spending Sunday with the home folks.

RELEASED FROM JAIL — James O'Hara who was sent to jail some time ago for stealing a sheepskin coat was released from the county institution this morning.

AFTER THE BUSINESS — Peter Cram with the Crookston Fruit House left for points on the east line today where he will drum up business for Crookston's new wholesale institution

FINED $3—A North Dakota man was arrested last night for raising a disturbance in the Red Light District and was fined $3 as a disorderly by Judge Wilde today.

BACK FROM DENTAL MEETING—Drs. Boles, Robertson, Remele and Spence returned yeseterday morning from the Dental meeting at Grand Forks and report a very fine meeting with a large atendance.

WITH LODGORD—Angus Cameron who has been employed at N. Rapins for several years until recently, has accepted a position in Ed. Lodgord's "Blue Light" refreshment parlor in East Grand Forks.

A BUNCH OF BOOSTERS — This morning Messrs. Holt, Final, Graves, Getty and Schuneman left for a trip up the Greenbush line where they will combine getting business with the pleasure of boosting for their home town.

If you want a pretty face, healthy air
Rosy cheeks and lovely hair,
Wedding trip o'er the deep blue sea,
Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain
Tea.—A. G. Andersen.

BUILDING CREAMERIES — M. J. Cort the creamery supply man left for points on the east line today. He says more creameries will start business this year in the Northwest than ever before, and last year was a record breaker.

SPENT SUNDAY HERE—Prof. C. W. Hale of the corps of state institute workers spent Sunday on the State Experimental farm the guest of Supt. Robertson and left this morning for Fosston where a big farmers' institute is in progress today.

POSITION AT BARNESVILLE — Mauritz Brink and sister, Miss Eda, were down from St. Hilaire on Sunday, guests at the C. W. Johnson home. Mauritz departed Monday evening for Barnesville to accept a position with the Great Northern as an operator.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

BELT RIVET IN EYE—A. J. Olson of Lengby is in the city receiving treatment from Dr. Morley for an eye which he injured while putting on a belt on the machinery of the Lengby saw mill. He was trying to slip the belt over a moving pulley. The eye was badly lacerated but will not lose his sight. The injury was received two weeks ago.

E. O. HAGEN FILES—E. O. Hagen today filed with County Auditor Hoffard as a candidate for County Attorney. He has been a passive candidate for some time past but today filed and will enter the race to win. Mr. Hagen is one of the well known attorneys of Polk County and has many friends which make his candidacy a strong one.

Always Wanting What We're Not

We are a restless people. Every thin woman longs to be fat. Every fat woman wants to grow thin. Every town man longs for the time when he can retire to the quiet of the country and every farmer hopes to some day quit work and move to town. For that restless, tired feeling, try a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. Its life-giving, health-sustaining qualities will put health and strength into your system. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

RECOVERING RAPIDLY —Andrew Larson of Fisher who was recently operated on at Bethesda hospital for appendicitis is recovering nicely. His brother-in-law, Ole Jevning, Jr., of Fisher spent yesterday in the city visiting him.

IN EAST GRAND FORKS — Jack Rose, a former well known barber employed in the tonsorial parlors of A. Braley of this city is now performing behind a chair in Paddy Sullivan's fine shop in East Grand Forks. Jack is one of the kind certain to make good wherever he goes.

LEAVES FOR PINE CLAIM—Prof. G. D. Aakhus who recently resigned his position as principal of the Erskine schools will leave in a short time for a pine claim in the Northern part of the state. Prof. Aakhus has been one of the most successful teachers in Polk County. He is succeeded by Prof. Albert Lagerstadt, also a successful educator and a graduate of the State University.

HERE FROM CALGARY—Ed Martin, who has been located at Calgary with a Canadian Land Co., for some time past returned Saturday evening for a visit with the home folks and will leave this evening for San Francisco where he will be in an office for the same company. He was assistant sales manager at the office at Calgary and has made a big success of the land business.

TAKING TREATMENT—W. F. Peterson the well known and popular billiard hall and confectionery man who left last week for Prairie du Chein, Wis., where he will take treatment for rheumatism writes back that he is getting along nicely but that he feels lonesome without the Journal and wants it forwarded to him at once. He does not know how long he will have to take the baths there, but his many friends hope that he will soon be back in Crookston good as new.

STILL IMPROVING—Reports from Bemidji are to the effect that Dr. Earl Marcum continues to improve steadily and expected to be up today. His trip to Crookston, however was postponed for a few days on account of the serious illness of the little son of a next door neighbor whom he has been treating.

A postal received from Dr. Marcum this morning stated that with Mrs. Marcum he had moved to the hotel temporarily while the house was being fumigated. He visited the hospital yesterday to attend to some pressing work, but will do no driving for some time to come. He says his "underpinning" is iecidedly wobbly.

From Tuesday's Daily

A LOAD OF PORK—Theo. Goosen of Euclid is in the city today with a fine load of dressed pork which he readily disposed of.

UP AND AT 'EM—Messrs. Harris, Holt, Levins and Brink formed a quartette of the live ones who headed for points up the Greenbush line this morning to jolly up the trade.

SERVING PAPERS OUT EAST—Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels left last evening for Mentor, Erskine, McIntosh, Fosston and other points where he has papers to serve.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION—Dr. Kjelland departed last evening for Minneapolis as a delegate of the local order of the Samaritans to the convention of that national body in the cities. The membership of this order in Crookston is one hundred.

TAKES NELSON CURE — James McDonald a farmer of Keystone township, Polk county, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the Federal court in Fergus Falls yesterday placing his assets at $754, all exempt, and his liabilities at $1,618.96.

EYE IMPROVING—A. J. Olson returned to his home at Lengby this morning after spending several days in the city having his eye treated. He was injured while working on a portable sawmill and the eye has been very painful but is slowly improving.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

ABDOMINAL OPERATION—Loren Dillon, son of Chas. Dillon of Erskine was brought to the city last evening and this morning was operated upon at St. Vincents hospital for an abdominal trouble. He recovered from the shock nicely and is expected to be dis charged in a short time.

HERE TO SEE SON— W. H. McNeil arrived this morning from Grand Forks accompanied by his daughter and will spend the day with his little son Donald who has been critically ill at the home of his grandmother Mrs. M. Leguee. The little fellow is much improved.

A RED HOT FIGHT—C. P. Trepanier one of the old time business men of Grand Forks passed thru the city today enroute to Thief River Falls on business. He says a red hot campaign is on at the Forks between Mayor Duis and Dr. J. D. Taylor for mayor. He predicts that Dr. Taylor will win out easily.

IN LUXEMBERG, GERMANY—N. Bertrand who left this city five weeks ago for Luxemburg in Germany from which point he had received word that his father was not expected to live has reached that point to find that his father has passed the dangerous stage and is rapidly convalescing He sent four envelopes of fine post cards from Belgium as he passed thru there, to his friends in this city. He will return in the near future.

ONE ON KEATING—They are telling a pretty good one on E. J. Keating. He went to Cass Lake the other day and enquired who the leading furniture dealer was desiring them to carry his line, and was informed "Miskella." Mr. Keating thought it rather strange for a lady to be in that line of business, and being very gallant got a clean shave, put on a fresh collar and repaired to the place designated and being approached by an elderly gentleman raised his hat and asked if he might see the proprietor, Miss Kella. "I am the proprietor, and I am Miskella also" replied the genial old gentleman with a laugh, as he tumbled at once to the misapprehension of Mr. Keating. The incident, however, opened the way for doing business and Mr. Keating. The incident, however, opened the way for doing business and Mr. Keating landed a good order.

Andrew Haugen formerly employed by Peterson and Booth here, lately teamster for Newberry's Livery of Thief River, tried to commit suicide in his own room at Thief River last Friday evening. He cut his windpipe with a knife. He had been drinking heavily for a number of years and late excesses affected his mind. He may live, but chances are few. He has relatives in Crookston.

Sickening headaches, indigestion constipation, indicate unhealthy condition of the bowels. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the bowels work naturally and restores your system to perfect health and happiness. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

From Wednesday's Daily

CONFINED TO HOME — Luther Palmer is confined to his home with a very bad cold and a touch of tonsilitis.

TO CASS LAKE— Superintendent F. J. Elliott of the Northern Division made his maiden trip over the Duluth line to Cass Lake yesterday returning last night.

MUST PAY $200—George Walker was arraigned before Judge Watts this morning and sentenced to pay $200 fine. Should he not pay this he will be sent to Stillwater.

A DISH OF SOUP—J. H. Peterson left this morning for Lengby and points on East to Cass Lake where he will sell pop by the dose and give the residents a dish of the pea or bean soup.

GRAND FORKS HUSTLER HERE—Bruce B. Jackson of Grand Forks a graduate of the University of N. D., and one of the hustling young business men of that city is spending the day here attending to some business matters and calling on his old friends.

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT FUND—On March 17 the W. R. C. will give a supper at the G. A. R. Hall the proceeds of which will be used to start a fund for the erection of a monument on the plot in Oakdale cemetery reserved for the Old Soldiers who have no family plot in the cemetery. The supper will be given in G. A. R. Hall and is certain to be a bountiful one.

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

LEGHORNS FOR SALE.

Ten Single Comb Brown Leghorn Cockerels for sale cheap. They are good ones. My Leghorns took three first ribbons at Crookston 1908 poultry show.

—GEO. F. STONE.

MRS. LINCOLN DEAD—Mrs. Elen M. Lincoln died yesterday at Grand Forks. The deceased is survived by two sons N. R. of Grand Forks and Fred T. of Hancock, Mich., who was formerly employed on the Journal.

FINAL PROOFS— Five year final proofs were made at the Crookston United States Land Office today by John F. Johnson of Randen postoffice in Marshall county and Erik O. Knutson of the same point.

PRESIDENT SUICIDE CLUB RETURNS — James Thompson former manager of the Wisconsin Grain at Crookston and president of the exclusive Suicide Club, wires a fellow member, C. J. Lundberg: "I will exhibit Crookston Sunday sixteenth." The Suicide Club will hold convention and Mr. Thompson will visit friends."

Beautifying methods that injure the skin and health are dangerous. Be beautiful without injuring yourself by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Lovely complexions follow its use. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

INSURANCE MAN HERE—R. H. Coshun of Fargo, agency supervisor of the Equitable Life, was in the city over night looking after the company's business at this point. He departed this morning for Minot. A change was lately made in the supervisorship of this state, Rosenberg, an old Germania manager, having Minnesota with eastern districts.

GOT HIS COAT BACK—John Hoffman, the well known Hammond Township farmer called at the Journal office today to claim the fur coat which had been advertised by the finder a few days ago. This shows that the Journal want ads, as well as other advertising is read by the farmers as well as by the residents of Crookston

BOUGHT BIG STOCK—Matt Skala the enterprising merchant of Red Lake Falls passed through the city this morning enroute home after a trip to St. Paul where he made heavy purchases of spring and summer goods for his general store. He is one of the merchants who buy anything the farmers have to sell, stock and produce of all kinds. This winter he has shipped several carloads of cows and steers to the lumber camps and range towns, and is able to pay the farmers good prices for anything they have to sell.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW—Louis Johnson and son Hjelmer expect to have a first class picture show outfit here from New York and be ready for business by March 25. They will make their headquarters at Red Lake Falls where they will show the first three days of the week and at Fosston the last three days of the week. They will run 4000 feet of film and will put on a strictly first class show.

A BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY — J. F. Hetler proprietor of the Queen City Greenhouse of this city has a fine display of carnations and Easter lilies which are ready for the market and people of this city would do well to patronize a home institution instead of getting flowers from St. Paul when they can save money by leaving their business at home. Mr. Hetler has a fine lot of flowers, as nice as were ever seen and they are fresher than those shipped in, and will keep longer as they are acclimated. He also has radishes, lettuce and other early vegetables. The people who are howling about new industries for Crookston would do well to patronize those we have, as this is one of the first things that the outside investor investigates. If people are not loyal to the institutions they have they are not apt to be loyal to others. Visit the Queen City Greenhouse and you will consider the time well spent.

COMMERCIAL CLUB IS REORGANIZED

The Commercial Club of Ada has been reorganized and starts out with a membership of 34. A rousing meeting was held Monday evening at which time officers were elected and plans discussed for work in the immediate future.

The membership fee was set at 50 cents per month and a club room with a library and other comforts and conveniences will be established at once. The new officers are as follows:

Pres.—P. O. Onstad.
V. Pres.—Sam Olson.
Secretary—Jacob Rigg.
Treasurer—O. O. Sjordal.

The election at Ada passed off very quietly yesterday the only excitement being over the license question and city treasurership.

From Over The Valley

HIGH GRADE ROADS MAKE RECORD LOAD

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Anderson Bros., in taking a shipment of feed from the Fosston Elevator & Flouring Mills to the car last Monday morning concluded to do it in one load and found that they had hauled a load of 8.100 lbs.

Alex Fyffe evidently hearing of this next morning drove in from his farm north of town with the record load of wheat for this place. There were 154 bushels, 40 lbs. in the load or 9,380 lbs brought in from the farm with two horses only, and the sleighing was not of the best.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

DUNLAP'S HORSE WINS GRAND FORKS RACE

Annie, owned by J. D. Bacon and Jennie owned by Dunlap both Grand Forks parties, stepped off two quarter mile heats Saturday afternoon on the Grand Forks ice track for a purse of $50. Jennie took two straight heats and the money. Kavanaugh drove Jennie and Archers was back of Annie The regular matinee between Duster, Lord Craven, Topea and Gyp for $200 was postponed on account of cold weather.

WILL FINISH BIG STORE BUILDING AT FERTILE

The large department store building at Fertile which has remained in an unfinished condition for about five years has been purchased by the Crookston Lumber company which will remodel it and put it in shape for rental. The building will be so remodelled and subdivided that it will afford accommodations for five stores and as it is centrally located it is expected that there will be no trouble in finding tenants. The second floor will be devoted to halls and office rooms.

A Life at Stake

Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's diseaase and diabetes start with a slight irregularity that could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney Remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. For sale by all druggists.

NEW SCHOOL FOR OSLO MARSHALL COUNTY

At a special election it was decided by a large majority vote to bond the district for $2,500 in addition to the former appropriation of $7,500 the vote being fifty in favor of and two against the proposition. This gives the district sufficient fund with which to erect a school building large enough to take care of the rapid growing population of the district for many years. The plans are on file at the clerk's office and the building will be erected as soon as the arrangements can be made.

CLUB ROOMS ADJOINING FINLAYSON'S LAW OFFICES

The directors of the East Grand Forks Commercial club held a meeting Saturday afternoon and considered the proposition of fitting up the new club rooms in the basement of the Zedlik block. The committee on rooms was authorized to purchase chairs, tables, desks, etc., and other equipment needed. It was decided to make the rooms as attractive and convenient as possible and they will be provided with magazines papers, etc., for the use of the members.

ATTACK OF SCARLET FEVER PROVES FATAL

Henry, the 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sponheim, died at the family home in Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon of scarlet fever. The young man died after a short illness, as he was not taken with the disease until Saturday afternoon. He was a bright studious boy, a member of the high school and a favorite He had recently been appointed assistant to his brother, Will, carrier on rural route No. 2, out of that city.

BUILD FARMERS' ELEVATOR AT BATTLE LAKE

The farmers around Battle Lake met in the village hall Saturday afternoon and decided to build a farmers' elevator in this village. Committees were appointed to sell shares enough to make the total amount of $4,000, $3,000 hawving already been subscribed.

From our Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Mrs. J. H. McKinney returned to her home at Crookston on Saturday after visiting with relatives here for a week.

A. E. Bakke, editor of the Newfolden Review was in the city the first of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke.

Friends in the city have received announcement of the marriage of Anastasia Mary Toner to Mr. James Reardon at Beardsley, Minn., on February 19th. The bride was formerly a teacher in our public schools.

Mrs. Ethel Kidder visited with her sister Mrs. C. M. Williams at Crookston over Sunday and Monday. The Williams family is to leave Crookston for Huron, S. D., Mr. Williams who is a Sunday school missionary for this district, having been transferred to that field.

Plan Alien Bureau.

Chicago, March 11.—Mayor Busse and the heads of the local police department decided last night to take steps for the establishment of a municipal alien bureau. Its purpose will be to prevent anarchists from coming to Chicago.

Soldiers Kill Commander.

Caracas, March 11. — An uprising occurred last night in a barracks here, the soldiers killing their commander, Gen. Mesa. The mutiny was quelled only after a number of soldiers had been shot.

Y. M. C. A. Worker Is Heir.

Worcester, Mass., March 11.—John T. Dower, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here, has been notified that he is heir to a fortune of $10,000,000 left him by an uncle who died in Melbourne, Australia.

A very good way not to have a large family to support is to be rich.

Foley's Orino Laxative is sold under a positive guarantee to cure constipation, sick headache, stomach trouble, or any form of indigestion. If it fails, the manufacturers refund your money. What more can any one do. For sale by all druggists.

FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

A mass meeting of farmers of this locality interested in the farmers' elevator proposition will be convened in the Fire Hall at Fosston, on Saturday afternoon, March 21st, at 1 o'clock, sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Dickinson and family departed Monday afternoon for the far west. They go to Spokane, Wash., direct and from there Mr. Dickinson will travel about the coast country before deciding upon a permanent location.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Randklev took the train for the twin cities last Sunday, where Mrs. Randklev went to receive treatment by a specialist for an affected ear. Mr. Randklev returned yesterday morning and states that his wife will remain for about ten days in Minneapolis her ear trouble having yielded readily to treatment.

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Walter Quesnel was up from Crookston over Sunday.

Miss Bena Ress of Crookston is a guest today of Miss Eva Guerin.

Word received from Blackduck states that Joe Bray is recovering nicely from his recent accident.

Father Fayolle is again able to be among his friends after being confined to his house for several weeks with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lachance are expected to return from their western trip about the 15th of this month and we understand will make their future home here.

Miss Roselma Philon is slowly recovering from her protracted illness and it is hoped may soon be able to be out and among her many young friends.

Isaac Mayhew came up from Crookston last Friday to be in attendance at the leap year ball and also for an over Sunday visit at the parental Levi Mayhew home.

Penned and Pilfered

"I stood on the brink of the Grand canyon of Arizona," said a local rail road man the other day. "I was almost spellbound, for when you gaze into that chasm you feel as tho you were in the presence of the Almighty It's so vast that it frightens you. Just while I was in that mood a party of women came from the big hotel and paused to look into the canyon.

" 'Oh!' spoke up one of them shrilly, 'but weren't those pancakees we had for breakfast about the best you ever ate?"

"I hastened away," said the railroad man, "before I heard any more."

When the days get sort o' warmish an' the eaves begin to leak, when you feel within your buzzom things you cannot seem to speak, when your flannels sort o' prickle, then the Muse begins to sing, and it fills you with a hankerin' to dash off some verse on spring. It's a singular sensation that just kind o' grows and grows; starts a buzzin' round your wish bone an' goes tinglin' to your toes, bubbles over long the edges; makes you want to shout, by jing! Only way there seems to stop it is to dash off some verse on spring.

A central Kansas editor says: "We attended church some time ago and listened to a very good sermon as sermons go. We enjoyed the singing and stood up with brethren and sisters while they sang the good old hymn, 'Shall We Know Each Other There?' While the hymn was being sung, we glanced about and counted about a dozen members of the congregation of the church who do not speak to each other when they meet on the street or elsewhere. The thought occurred to us why should 'they know each other there' when they seemingly don't know each other here?"

STATE BOARD MEETS TODAY

DRAINAGE BOARD WILL LET SEVERAL LARGE DITCH CONTRACTS

MAYOR OF KELLIHER WILL GET IN THE GAME FOR BENEFIT OF HOME TOWN

From Thursday's Daily—

Mayor Wm. Lennon of Kelliher spent last evening in the city enroute to St. Paul where today he will attend the meeting of the state drainage board which will open bids for the construction of a large number of state ditches. Mayor Lennon is particularly interested in the construction of what is known as state ditch number 52 which is a deepening of and extension of what is known as the Shotley Brook state ditch and runs into the Upper Red Lake from Brooks While Mayor McLennon is not a regular contractor, if there are no other bids he will put one in himself because the construction of the ditch means a great deal to that section of the country.

The surveyor estimates an excavation of about 13,000 cubic yards and while the job would not be a large one comparatively, it would mean the drainage of a large area of territory and the land drained and made available for settlement would be of an immensely rich character, and would be ideal for diversified farming, an industry that is to be encouraged in that section of the state in the future more than ever before.

SAD CASE OF INSANITY FROM THIEF RIVER

PASTOR OF GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH VIOLENTLY INSANE —TEN CHILDREN

One of the many sad cases of insanity which have at different times been reported is that of Rev. Julius Schroeder pastor of the German Lutheran church at Thief River Falls who was taken suddenly and violently insane this week and Wednesday was taken to the Fergus Falls insane asylum by Sheriff Nelson and Wm. McGinty arriving here on the evening train of that day.

The particularly sad thing about the whole affair is that ten children the oldest being 16 years of age, are now left without a father or mother. It is the duty of the people of Thief River Falls to see that these children are well cared for.

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SONS FOUND HIS BODY

ZAKRIS PEARSON HUNTS WOLVES IN BRUSH WITH COCKED GUN

TWIG STRIKES HAMMER—BLOWS OFF TOP OF HIS HEAD

Zakris Pearson living in Poppleton twelve miles east of Hallock, met with horrible death Monday morning.

Mr. Pearson got up in the morning and put on the kitchen fire, after which he went to the barn to look after the stock. When he came back to the house his wife was preparing breakfast, and he told her while he was out looking after the stock he heard the wolves howling close by, and while she was preparing breakfast he would take his gun and see if he could get a shot at them.

He took his gun and went out. He did not return as soon as expected and she sent the boys out to look for him. In the new fallen snow it was an easy matter to follow his tracks.

They came to a thick clump of brush and found their father lying dead with half of his head shot off.

Upon investigation it was found that his death was purely accidental. It appears that he must have been in close pursuit of his game as his foot prints showed that he tip toed and cautiously parted the thick brush with his left hand carrying the gun in his right hand cocked ready for use. In this crouching position he moved forward, carrying the gun rather close to the ground, when in some way a twig caught the trigger and the gun was discharged the charge striking the deceased in the side of the face and tearing away part of the head causing instant death. All indications point to an accidental death. Even the bark was found on the trigger and the twigfrom which it was scrapped.

The deceased was 59 years old. He came from Sweden to this county in 1893 and located on a farm near Lancaster, where he had lived ever since and prospered to such an extent that he leaves his family in the best of circumstances financially. He is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters.

BOOSTING ROADS AND DRAINAGE

MAYOR "BILL" LENNON HERE LAST NIGHT BOOSTS KELLIHER COUNTRY

William Lennon mayor of Kelliher and well known in this city spent a few hours here last night enroute to St. Paul where he will bid upon some drainage work that is to be done in his locality by the state.

Things up Kelliher way are booming acording to Mr. Lennon a number of new settlers are coming in and road building and drainage are being pushed on all sides.

Mr. Lennon is interested in having the new Kelliher-Shotley ditch built and goes to St. Paul to bid upon this work. Mr. Lennon is interested in seeing the north country drained as well as good roads built; in securing this contract Mr. Lennon expects to be in a position to give a large number of laborers work during the coming summer and eventually have completed one of the best roads leading into Kelliher from the Shotley country.

At the same time the ditch is built the dirt taken from the ditch will be used to build a road along side the ditch.

HOW THE GRAIN CROPS ARE GROWN

Press Bulletin No. 69—By A. J. McGuire, Northeast Experiment Station, Grand Rapids, Minn.

The wheat crop that yielded 17 bushels per acre was grown on a field that had been in potatoes in 1906, in fodder corn in 1905, and in clover in 1904. It was manured lightly for the fodder corn and the potatoes.

This is a four-year rotation: Clover fodder corn, potatoes, wheat. 1907 was the fourth year of rotation and will begin over again this coming spring, clover having been seeded with the wheat.

When the field is grown to wheat again in 1911 a much larger yield is expected as the soil was in a low state of fertility when the rotation was begun, and this rotation is expected to make the soil a more fertile and productive soil each succeeding year due to being frequently manured to the clover that is grown and to the cultivation in the corn and potato crop.

The ground was not plowed after the potato crop. A spring tooth harrow was used in preparing the seed bed, the soil being a sandy loam and easily worked.

The seed was sown with a grain drill, 1 1-3 bushels per ocre.

Wheat is recommended to be grown only on a small scale in this section of the state, for milling purposes where there is a flour mill, or to be fed on the farm.

Oats: The twenty acres oats yielding 35½ bushels per acre was grown on different fields and under different rotations. The first rotation was oats, barley, clover, fodder corn. This is also a four-year rotation, each field being in clover once every four years and manured every fourth year.

In the second rotation there are two fields, each in oats two years, followed with clover two years.

This affords comparison with the first rotation where oats is grown on the same field only once in four years, where the field is manured and a cultivated crop grown every fourth year.

The third rotation is on two fields: Oats, clover pasture two years, fodder corn.

1907 was the first year oats was grown in these different rotations so comparisons in yield of the different fields is not made.

The first rotation is considered the best, and from which the largest yield is expected. This kind of rotation in which a cultivated crop and a grass crop is alternated with a grain crop gives best results for different reasons. The fertility of the soil is kept more uniform, the crop is less subject to disease than when grown continuously on the same field and the intervention of the grass crop and cultivated crop tends to keep out weeds.

Oats is one of the best yielding and best paying grain crops to grow in this section of the state.

Over 30 varieties have been grown on the Experiment Farm and of these the Improved Ligowo has proved best and is now entirely grown for the field crop.

Barley: Barley is grown principally for hog feed and takes the place of corn for fattening hogs in this section of the state.

One field of barley is grown in the rotation with oats, as explained above Another field is grown in another four-year rotation with clover peas and roots. The barley follows the root crop and in this rotation promises to do exceptionally well.

Peas: The growing of peas as a field crop has been something of an experiment, but the results have been quite satisfactory, giving an average yield of 15 bushels per acre the three past years. They are grown in the above rotation with barley, clover and roots.

They are sown early in the spring 3 1-2 bushels per acre if sown alone, 3 bushels if sown with oats, using ½ bushel oats.

In harvesting they are cut with a mower and forked into piles, as each swath is cut. They are left in the piles until thrashed, turning if need be when rained upon. They should be cut before dead ripe, otherwise much will be lost by shelling. They cure nicely in the pile. As barley they are used for hog feed and produce a very choice quality of meat.

NAME YOUR FARM

SOME GOOD SUGGESTIONS OFFERED FOR THE FARMER OF POLK COUNTY

For many years men engaged in stock raising on a large scale have used a name for their farm and the custom has been extended to smaller farms and smaller stock raisers until now many have names individualizing them. The custom is a good one and should be encouraged and extended. Many farmers use printed stationery reading something like this

O. A. MELLUM,

Farmer.

This is all right and helpful, as it appears on a letter head or an envelope, but it could easily be improved upon by adding a farm name and then read something like this:

O. A. MELLUM,

owner of

SUNNY SIDE FARM

Ulen, Minn.

It is common practice in business to name stores, banks, hotels, etc. Why not farms? It adds to their importance. Select a name and use printed stationery. If you are a shipper of hogs or poultry use the name of your farm as well as your own on shipping tags.

The cost of stationery printed is no greater than the cost of the plain kind. To the Elysian Enterprise we are indebted for the following as a list of suggested names for farms. Look them over and see if you find one that suits and if not choose another yourself. Then let us show you how nicely it will look on letter heads and envelopes:

Bluebell Farm, Bluffside Farm, Beach Farm, Brookside Farm, Busy Bee Farm, Countryside Farm, City View Farm, Cloverdale Farm, Daisy Dell Farm, Diamond Ridge Farm, Earlysun Farm, Fairacres Farm, Fern Dell Farm, Ferndale Farm, Forest Dell Farm, Florageld Farm, Green Walk Farm, Green Lawn Farm, Green Ridge Farm, Glendale Farm Hillsdale Farm, Hyde Park Farm, Indian Camp Farm, Inglewood Farm, Lake Point Farm, Lakeside Farm, Maple Hill Farm, Maple Grove Farm, Meadow Grove Farm, Meadow Brook Farm, Mount Pleasant Farm, Merryvale Farm, North Star Farm, Paradise Slope Farm, Pleasant View Farm, Richfield Farm, Richland Farm, Riverside Farm, Riverview Farm, Rosedale Farm, Running Creek Farm, Rockburst Farm, Shadyside Farm, Sugar Grove Farm, Sycamore Farm, Nordhem Farm, Spring Brook Farm, Sylvan Retreat Farm, The Elms, The Homestead, The Evergreens, Valley Farm, Willow Land Farm, Wild Rose Farm, Golden Willow Farm, Grand View Farm, Mountain View Farm, Hiawatha Farm, Nokomis Farm, Burning Well Farm, Elm Grove Farm Ash Grove Farm, Fairlawn Farm, Wyndehurst Farm, Snowdown Farm, Sunnybrook Farm, Brook Farm, Lochleo Tanglewood Farm, Mossgiel Farm, Morningside Farm, Stony Point Farm Sunset Farm, Maple Grove Farm, The Palms.

Kills Wife and Self.

Kirtland, Ohio, March 7. — Lave Martin, sixty years old, yesterday shot and killed him wife and then committed suicide. The tragedy followed a quarrel between the couple. Mrs. Martin recently applied for a divorce.

Drops Gun; Kills Child.

Woonsocket, R. I., March 7.—Earle Augustus Hartnett, three years old, was accidentally shot and killed by his uncle, Fred Tucker, aged twelve, when he accidentally dropped a double-barreled shotgun.

Carnegie Gives $50,000.

Beloit, Wis., March 7.—President E. D. Eaton announced a gift of $50,000 from Andrew Carnegie to Beloit college, given to help complete the $150,000 necessary to be raised to procure $50,000 from the Rockefeller general educational fund.

Sturgeon Bay School Burns.

Green Bay, Wis., March 7.—A telephone message from Sturgeon Bay says the principal school building in that city burned early yesterday. Loss, $60,000.

From Over The Valley

SIX PEDDLERS FINED AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

Six young men engaged in peddling dress goods about the city without a license were arrested last week. It appears that all of the men were employed by E. P. Ripley who was fined $50.00 and costs. Ripley did not pay his fine, but put up a cash bond and appealed his case to the district court.

J. P. Reidon was fined $10 and costs and paid his fine.

Charles Murphy was fined $25 and being unable to raise this amount is now in the city jail.

The cases against the other three Daniel E. Pappenfus, Peter J. Hammerel and Charles T. Miller were dismissed.—Thief River Falls News.

HOMESTEAD STRONGLY CONTESTED AT BAGLEY

A fierce land contest has been in progress this week before U. S. Commissioner Brown between a homesteader by the name of Fletcher and a former resident by the name of Wedicamper. Over twenty witnesses have been summoned to appear. W. P. Murphy, of Crookston appears for the plaintiff and Ed Teitsworth for defendant.

NEW BEMIDJI COUNCIL MAKES ALLOTMENTS

Following are the appointments made by the new Bemidji city council: City attorney, J. F. Gibbons; health officer, Dr. F. A. Blakeslee; street commissioner and superintendent of waterworks, J. R. Miller; city engineer, M. D. Stoner; clerk of the water board, Thomas Maloy; city scavenger, J. F. Hennessy; city hall enginere and janitor, John McElroy; and assistant janitor, W. A. Walker.

Mayor Pogue announced that he had re-appointed all the members of the police force, as follows: Chief C. L. Knox; captain, J. A. Cline; patrol men, William Love and John A. Denley.

Murdered by Robbers.

Hawkinsville, Ga., March 6.—Warren Hart, a farmer living near Empire, Ga., was killed while going to feed his stock and his wife probably fatally injured while cooking breakfast in the kitchen of their home by unknown persons. Robbery is believed to have been the motive.

Pioneer Is Hunt Victim.

Hallock, Minn., March 6. — Zakris Person, a Kittson county pioneer, was accidentally shot and killed yesterday while hunting wolves near his home.

ADVANCE GUARD IS ARRIVING

MANY FAMILIES COMING TO THE VALLEY FROM THE MIDDLE STATES

BRINGING STOCK AND MACHINERY AND WILL PAY ATTENTION TO COWS

From Thursday's Daily—

Judging from the arrival of imigrants during the past two weeks in the vicinity of Crokston the present spring will witness the biggest influx of settlers that has been recorded in this section in many years. In the immediate vicinity of Crookston farmers have arrived with stock and machoinery from points in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Missouri during the past week, and a gratifying feature is that all have a good bunch of dairy cows and propose to make dairying a feature of their farming.

The land men have done more business during the past winter than during any preceeding winter for the past ten years, as till the snow came within the past week, land could be shown to as good advantage as at any other season of the year.

Large land owners who have been holding for a number of years are also making an effort to get renters on their farms, and there have been several arrivals from the middle states who propose to work large areas on shares for a flat cash rental

In addition to the newcomers for this immediate vicinity there is also a movement of new comers on all the branch line and from present indications there will be more land tilled in the Red River Valley the coming year than for many years past.

SAW-MILL MAY RUN DAYS

AN EMPLOYE WAS ORDERED TO REPORT IN THIS CITY

It looks as tho the sawmill of the Crookston Lumber Co., may yet run this season. One of the old employes returned last evening and stated that he had been ordered to report here by the company. This looks as tho the company intended to run days at least this coming season and this employe stated to a representative of the Journal that he was certain that the mill would run days at least the coming summer, tho he was not of the opinion that the mill would run a double shift.

Even a day shift would be a big thing for Crookston and it is the general belief that the mill will run.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Farm House Burns and the Family Gets Away in Night Clothes.

Grand Forks, N. D., March 6.—The farmhouse of August Kanenowski, two miles north of Crary, was totally destroyed by fire last night, and the family had a narrow escape from death. They were aroused just in time to get out in their night clothes. They ran with bare hands and feet to a barn, where Kanenowski hurriedly hitched a team and drove them to a neighbor's residence a mile distant.

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INSPECTING CO. BRIDGES

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ARE LOOKING AFTER BRIDGES PETITIONED FOR

WILL INVESTIGATE THE NEEDS TODAY IN JOHNSON TOWNSHIP

From Thursday's Daily—

County Commissioner Ben Clements left last evening in company with Commissioner Driscoll who arrived on the train from East Grand Forks for Fosston and enroute were joined by Commissioner Ecklund, the three comprising the road and bridge committee of the board of county commissioners.

From Fosston today they drove 35 miles to the town of Johnson where they will inspect some bridges that have been petitioned for and will return Friday evening. From this time till spring opens the road and bridge committee will be kept busy looking after the work that is asked for the coming summer. The present trip is one of the hardest they will have as the 35 mile drive is not a very pleasant one, tho the weather the present winter makes the work easier than it would be ordinarily.

NEW PROFESSOR FOR ERSKINE

A SUCCESSOR NAMED FOR PROF. AAKHUS WHO HAS BEEN IN CHARGE

Prof. Albert Logerstedt, a graduate of the University of Minnesota spent yesterday in the city where he will succeed Prof. Logerstedt who is a resident of Southern Minnesota but has been residing in North Dakota for some time past spent yesterday visiting the Crookston schools and enjoyed a visit with his old classmate Miss Kranz, and also met Prof. Thorson, who was raised in a town adjoining his old town. He thoroly enjoyed his visit in Crookston.

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WORK IS COMMENCED

SUFFICIENT POWER FOR NEW THIEF RIVER FALLS ELECTRIC LINE CAN BE SECURED

COMMITTEE HAS STARTED OUT TO SELECT A SUITABLE ROUTE

From Friday's Daily—

The stockholders in the recently incorporated railroad company which is to build a line from Thief River Falls into the country northeast of here, held a meeting Monday evening Milton Forder, Robert McGinn and L. M. Hoag, the committee appointed to look up a suitable water power to furnish electric power for the new road reported that a dam could be built across the Red Lake river two miles south of town that would furnish a twelve foot head, or four miles south of town one could be built that would furnish a 17 foot head. Very little land would be injured by over flow, and the cost of building a dam would not be as great as there was a good foundation. A sufficient amount of power could be secured to not only run the propesed electric line but to also furnish power for the city's electric light plant.

Today the committee appointed to select the right-of-way—D. P. O'Neill, Math Barzen and Olaf Ramstad—start to work. They will go into the country northeast of here and select several routes. It is the intention to build the line into the timber country northeast of Thief River Falls and it is quite likely that the end of the road will be some point on the Rainy River. The committee expects to be absent for about ten days

MILL WILL CUT UP REMNANTS

It is certain that the Crookston Lumber company will run its mills in this city during the coming summer so long as to clear the river of the logs on hand. This will represent about two months' work. It is not positive that work with the saws will be discontinued at that time. Now, it appears that it will not run on account of low prices in lumber market, money stringency, freight rates by steam road. It is probable that this covers the position of the Grand Forks Lumber Co., for the coming season.

TOT'S ASSAILANT SENT UP.

James Colleran Goes to Stillwater for Seven Years.

Caledonia, Minn., March 6.—District court adjourned here yesterday morning. James Colleran of Brownsville, who has been confined in j‑‑l here for a statutory offense ag‑‑nst the six-year-old daughter of Frank Neuirchen, was pronounced guilty by the jury after two hours' deliberation, and he was sentenced by Judge Kingsley to serve a term of seven years in the state prison at Stillwater.

MAFIA THREATENS PRIEST.

Letter Demands $500 or Death Will Follow Refusal.

St. Louis, March 6. — Rev. Father Timothy Dempsey, pastor of St. Patrick's church and proprietor of two hotels for homeless men, received a letter yesterday demanding that he leave $500 on the Eads bridge, near a designated spot at midnight Friday night. The letter, which threatens death if he fails to comply, is illiterately signed, "By Order of the Mafia."

Entombed in Burning Mine.

Bellingham, England, March 6. — A fire broke out last evening in the Hamstead colliery here. Sixteen miners are entombed and rescuing parties have not been able to reach them. It is thought they have perished.

May Be a Law Suit

Wylie correspondence in the St. Hilaire Spectator:

Roadmaster Gibson, of the Great Northern railway came down on a special Monday and proceeded on the overland route to Ferdinand Gother to see and find out why the latter broke up fenced in the abandoned road bed and right-of-way of the G. N. formerly known as the Crookston Wylie and St. Hilaire T line. It is the concise opinion of everybody along this line that Mr. Gother did the proper thing as long as Jim Hill pulled up the iron and ties and left it in such a condition that it is a veritable paradise for noxious weeds to do their best—and they generally do it—and the farmers along this line reap the benefit—of the noxious weeds. If it is the power of the railroad commissioners, they should see that the road bed and right-of-way be turned over to the original owners or that Jim Hill be compelled to lay steel over the line in question—between Wylie and Shirley.

CASE GOES TO DISTRICT COURT

DR. JOHN FAWCETT HELD IN SUM OF $2,000 AFTER WAIVING EXAMINATION

CASE AGAINST PHYSICIAN WILL COME UP AT MARCH TERM OF DISTRICT COURT

From Friday's Daily—

Dr. John Fawcett was held to the district court in $2,000 bonds at Grand Forks yesterday by Judge R. J. Purcell. Two important witnesses of the state, Dr. O'Keefe and William Marble, were shut off from testifying by the court's ruling but the defense decided to waive examination without having the state put in any further evidence. It is said that one reason why the defense decided to waive was that State's Attorney Wineman had intimated that in case the justice failed to hold Dr. Fawcett for performing an illegal operation he would file an information charging Dr. Fawcett with murder in the second degree and would bring the matter directly before the district court, which is now in session.

Dr. Fawcett furnished the $2,000 bond required and was released from custody.

Testimony Excluded

Judge Purcell held that the disclosures made to Dr. O'Keefe by Lillie Schmochel were confidential and it is clearly the law that a physician cannot submit as evidence anything told him by a patient unless the patient consented to give him permission to do so and the statement is an ante mortem declaration.

The court held that the disclosures made by Miss Schmochel to William Marble were not admissable as evidence because hearsay evidence. Marble testified at the coroner's inquest that Miss Schmochel told him before her death that Dr. Faawcett had performed the illegal operation and charged her $75.

Will be Tried this Term

The object of the attorney for the defense in having a preliminary hearing was said to have been to gain whatever advantage was possible. The case will be tried at the March term of the district court and will come up the last of the month. Attorney F. B. Feetham intimated to State's Atorney Wineman yesterday that a speedy trial was desired.

ARE TAKING ALLOTMENTS

RED LAKE INDIANS WANT TO BREAK UP THEIR TRIBAL RELATIONS

HAVE TAKEN ALLOTMENTS UNDER TERMS OF STEENERSON BILL

Reports from the Red Lake Indian reservation are to the effect that the Indians up there are all filling allotments for land with the Indian agent under the provisions of the Steenerson bill. It is not just clear whether or not the pine allotments will be approved by the secretary of the interior, but it seems to be the general desire of the Indians to take their allotments and cut the tribal relations of the Red Lake band.

There are about 300,000,000 feet of standing pine on the reservation and this is so distributed that it can be divided nearly equal among the members of the tribe. Those who are taking pine allotments are figuring upon logging the same in the near future and thus provide a means of employment for themselves and families.

P. Moylan of the town of North whose wife and children are members of the Red Lake band, was up to the lake recently and made selections. Nearly every Indian on the reservation has now made an allotment and a committee of five has been appointed and sent to Washington to confer with the department of the interior.

OPEN DOOR IS THREATENED.

Manchurian Banks Are Causing Trouble to Japanese.

Mukden, March 6.—Japan has been compelled to vacate or buy all of the Russian banks throughout Manchuria seized during the war, and consequently has lost prestige with the Chinese. At Harbin flour milled from Chinese wheat is underselling American flour and the American trade is threatened.

The commands of the viceroy are readily obeyed and foreign influence has been reduced so that foreign encroachment is impossible. This creates a barrier against Russia and suits Japan, but lifts the influence of that nation.

It is believed that the only effective means of preserving the open door will be the purchase by China of the South Manchurian railway.

TRIED TO END LIFE

HERMAN GASS USED POCKET KNIFE BUT WITHOUT SUCCESS

SLASHED THROAT BUT DID NOT SUCCEED IN REACHING KINGDOM COME

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon about five o'clock Herman Gass tried to commit suicide by slashing his throat with a jack knife. He is a well known resident of the city and his attempt to end his life is a great surprise to his many friends in the city.

He has no relatives in the city and there is no known reason for his rash act.

He arrived in the city yesterday morning from Moorhead where he had been working for a wholesale liquor house. He was employed in Crookston for seven years, being a year ago, one of the workmen employed by Tom Harris. He had been drinking heavily before arrival and during the afternoon was wandering in mind attracting attention of the hotelmen. He was watched as he retired and was heard to mutter "The d——n knife is not sharp enough." Whereupon the police burst into his room.

The knife is a common quarter pocket knife. He tried the big blade first and then, finding it not sharp enough for his purpose tried the small blade. Interrupting him at the opportune moment the police took the knife from him and transferred him to a hospital.

BIG MEETING OF FARMERS

INSTITUTE AT DETROIT LARGELY ATTENDED—TOWN LADIES SERVE DINNER

Becker county farmers and their families attended an institute at the court house at Detroit Tuesday. The morning meeting taxed the seating capacity and in the afternoon the committee found it necessary to secure 100 additional chairs.

The meeting was conducted by R. A. Schultz of LeRoy, Minn. His chief subjects were horticulture, gardening and swine. C. W. Hale of Stewartville Minn., spoke on sheep, clover and corn.

C. O. Carlson of Erskine talked on dairying, giving results of weighing the milk and testing the percentage of butter fat from each of his forty cows for the last four years.

"The unprofitable cow," he said, "had better be in the slaughter house than in the pasture."

Dinner was served under the direction of the Commercial club by the ladies of the Congregational church.

DELEGATES SELECT ON APRIL 15TH

Five of the nine congressional conventions of the state of Minnesota will be held on April 15th next, the day before the state convention so that the delegates may go from one to the other without returning home. Crookston as well as Austin, St. Paul and Elk River will hold conventions on this date for their respective districts.

MASONS INSTALL LODGE AT ROSEAU

Last Thursday night Masonic lodge was installed in Roseau. A number of visitors attended.

Among the distinguished visitors A. T. Stebbins, Rochester and Tom Morris, Crookston.

The first officers of Roseau Lodge No. 268 A. F. & A. M. are: J. B. Muir, W. M.; G. M. Stebbins, S. W.; R. H. Medicraft, J. W.; A. H. Foss, Treas.; T. J. Thompson, Sec'y; L. W. Thompson, S. D.; T. D. Thorson, J. D.; Olaf Holdahl, S. S.; Frans O. Anderson, J. S.; A. Waag, Tyler. Past Grand Master A. T. Stebbins presided and was assisted by Past Grand Master Morris.

After the ceremonies at the Masonic Hall, the scene was shifted to a banquet at the Hotel Waldorf.

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

GOVERNMENT AIDS SCHOOLS

SENATOR STEPHENS RECEIVES LETTER FROM FRIEND IN WASHINGTON

APPROPRIATION FOR STATE NORMAL, AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL SCHOOLS

Senator A. D. Stephens received from Assistant Secretary Hays of the United State Department of Agriculture today the following letter. Senator Stephens wide felt activity as of this state and in conection with this betterment of farming and agricultural conditions thruout the country, incorporated in this bill, now begins to win the recognition in high places it has so energetically sought. This bill is particularly effective on the State Experimental farms and farming schools near this city.

Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., Office of Assistant Secretary. March 3, 1908.—My Dear Senator: I hand you herewith a copy of the re-introduced Davis bill which now includes an appropriation for State normal schools as well as for agricultural and mechanical schools. Incorporating this normal school bill is a good thing as it will make our normal schools much more practical and much better in touch with the rural school teachers needs and will give to the support of the bill 200 normal schools and 50 State departments of public instruction.

The Davis bill has gained a permanent place in the American mind, and those at all informed in the matter feel assured that it will remain intact as a proposition to be favorably acted up at the latest within a few years. Its prospects for passing this session are good. I feel sure you can easily put your bill through next session.

Very truly yours,

—W. M. Hays,
Assistant Secretary.

Senator A. D. Stephens,
Crookston, Minnesota.

COURT AFFIRMS GILBERT CASE

HARDWARE MAN'S CASE AGAINST SHERIFF AFFIRMED BY SUPREME COURT

In the case of Gustave Gilbert, respondent vs. Louis Gonyea, appellant the supreme court of the state handed down its decision yesterday upholding the action of the court here. The Minneapolis Plow Works, creditors of the Crookston hardware man recovered judgment on July 7, 1906. On an execution issued three days later, the sheriff levied on a stock of hardware and a bank deposit. Thereupon the vendee of the judgment debtor brought this action in replevin against the sheriff to replevin the property so levied upon under the execution. The coroner, under this writ of replevin, took the property from the sheriff. The jury returned a verdict for Gilber for the possession of the goods.

It is affirmed.

Attorney E. O. Hagen represented Gilbert; Geo. C. Grimes the Minneapolis Plow Works. The case was argued before the supreme court in St. Paul Nov. 19th.

STEPHEN MILLER BADLY HURT

John Berge of the firm of Rustling and Berge owners of the Stephen Roller mills, while fixing some machinery in the engine room caught his right hand in the machinery and two of the fingers were badly crushed, one was cut off at the first point.

Dan McMillan and little son Douglas went to Crookston Tuesday evening to consult a specialist in regard to his son's limb. Master Douglas is now under the doctor's care in the St. Vincent hospital at that place.—Stephen Leader.

Hold-up Failed.

Albert Lea, Minn., March 7.—A footpad attempted to rob Miss Jennie Johnson last night while she was on the way home from shopping. The victim was seized by the arm by the hold-up artist and dealt a heavy blow in the face. The villain tried to stifle her screams by putting his hand over her mouth, but did not succeed. He ran before robbing the girl.

License Will Be Issue.

Paynesville, Minn., March 7. — The village election for the village of Paynesville will be held next Tuesday and the question of issuing license for the sale of intoxicating liquors will be voted upon. Twenty years ago Paynesville went "wet" and has remained so since, the question of license or no license not having been submitted.

BILL NOT TO ALLOW ENTRIES

STEENERSON CONSIDERS SETTLERS' DEMAND FOR RE-OPENING INDIAN LANDS

PREPARES BILL TO ALLOW ENTRIES NOTWITHSTANDING DRAINAGE PREPARATIONS

Washington, D. C., March 7.—Representative Halvor Steenerson yesterday wired the Commercial Clubs of Beaudette and Spooner:

The demand of the settlers for the revocation of withdrawal of ceded Indian lands and restoration of right to make entries and final proofs is just and proper and I have prepared a bill which I this day introduced allowing entries and proofs on these lands to be made without delay of regard to proposition for drainage works.

The activity of the congressman from this district in this particular arises from a general convention held at Beaudette last week which protested against this move of the Interior Department in the removal of the lands from entry. Attorney C. R. Middleton, formerly of this city was chairman of that convention. On other features of the law the convention resolved:

That the cost of drainage ($2.50 to $3 per acre) could not be met by the usual homesteader.

That law prohibited proving up until drainage works were completed which might take ten years (a measure in an impending bill).

That drainage is not wanted at all as it would subject the moss covered land when once dry to destructive conflagration.

That the state can take care of the necessary drainage.

It was also urged at this convention that the estimated pine reserves be disposed of that settlers might get the high and dry location on which they generally occur.

Among the speakers were Albert Berg, president of the Spooner Commercial club and mayor of that town; C. R. Middleton, George E. Erickson, Harry Curry, H. P. Imsdahl and W. B. Bliven of Pitt, Editor Huss of Spooner and Editor Dahlquist of Beaudette besides a number of other people who spoke to cease drainage as proposed.

ALD. CRAIG MUST MARRY

OTHERWISE HE WILL BE INELIGIBLE AS MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL

FREAK EAST GRAND FORKS ORDINANCE THAT BARS SINGLE MEN

Alderman Kelliher of the East Grand Forks city council who recently took unto himself a wife, views with suspicion all men who have not followed the scriptural injunction in that respect and proposes to invoke the aid of an ordinance to compel marrying among the members of the city law-making body. With that end in view he has ntroduced an ordinance which provides that after sixty days from the passage and approval of the ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any alderman of the city to participate in any of the council proceedings or exercise any of the duties functions or acts or enjoy any of the rights, benefits or emoluments of such office unless he is of good moral character, more than 25 years of age and legally married.

It is further provided that the refusal or neglect of any alderman to so qualify himself, if he be not so quolified to conform with all the provisions of the ordinance, shall subject him to removal from his office. Alderman Fred Craig is the only unmarried member of the East Grand Forks council and he declares it up to him to kill the ordinance get married or prepare to quit the council.

Coroner's Virdct Is Returned.

Los Angeles, March 5.—A coroner's jury, summoned to investigate the death of Mrs. Charlotte L. Noyes, who was shot and killed last Friday night by W. P. McComas, yesterday returned a verdict to the effect that Mrs. Noyes was shot by McComas with intent to kill.

Grain Company Incorporated.

Madison, Wis., March 5—The Heit & Schuedler company, grain and commission merchants of Superior, yesterday filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. The capital stock is $25,000 and the

Football Injury Causes Death.

Philadelphia, March 5.—William Altemus, twenty-one, of Cheltenham, a suburb, died in a hospital yesterday afternoon from a broken neck received last Thanksgiving day while playing football.

INDORSEMENT OF JOHNSON

TEXT OF RESOLUTION FATHERED BY MARTIN O'BRIEN OF CROOKSTON

IDEAL NOMINEE FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

From Saturday's Daily—

As reported exclusively in the columns of the Journal yesterday the democratic state central committee meeting in St. Paul, late yesterday adopted the resolution introduced by Martin O'Brien of Crookston indorsing Governor John A. Johnson as an ideal nominee for the presidency of the United States. The resolution was received with loud applause, is as follows:

Governor John A. Johnson has twice brought victory to the democracy of Minnesota. During his incumbency of the office of governor more reform has been instituted and more remedial legislation adopted than during any equal period of time in the history of our state.

He has been controlled only by the public interest. His alert mentality restless energy and sound judgment united with his unimpeachable integrity, make him the embodiment of the best spirit of the west, an ideal American citizen.

Confidently believing that his nomination as the candidate of the party for the presidency will bring to our support the electoral vote of all the states within the Mississippi valley and thus secure a national triumph, we respectfully present to the democracy of the nation the name of Honorable John A. Johnson as candidate for the presidency of the United States, and recommend to the democrats of Minnesota that they cause his name to be presented to the national convention at Denver for nomination.

St. Paul, Minn, March 6.—Chairman Frank Day called the meeting of the Democratic state central committee to order in the main dining room of the Merchants hotel, shortly before noon yesterday.

Chairman Day said that while there were differences of opinion, harmony would be the outcome of the meeting.

The first act of the proxy committee, which might be considered anti-Bryan, was the throwing out of the proxy held by James Manahan. His proxy was from Itasca county, and was one originally held by Hudson.

Martin O'Brien delegate from Crookston offered the Johnson presidential resolution.

Debate Spirited

The O'Brien resolution at once started a debate which was exceedingly spirited. Everybody wanted to say something and Chairman Day said they all would get a chance. The Bryan men claimed that it was without the province of this committee to adopt such a resolution.

O'Brien Talks

O'Brien the delegate who introduced the resolution was chairman of the state Populist party in 1896 and he said in support of his resolution that if Johnson was nominated he not alone carry Minnesota, but Wisconsin North Dakota and Iowa.

The resolution indorsing Johnson passed by a vote of 68 to 23.

It was resolved to hold the convention to elect delegates to the national convention at St. Paul on May 14.

Before the committee meeting the Bryan faction met and decided upon a meeting to be held late this afternoon, for the purpose of organizing the state. It was their announced purpose of setting the Bryan ball rolling at this meeting.

SPARRING FOR VANTAGE POINTS

LOCAL WATERWORKS PEOPLE MAKE MOVE TO ENJOIN CITY

Much interest was centered in the district court room today, when the application of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., came before Judge Watts asking a temporary injunction against the city of Crookston restraining its officers from enforcing the ordinance recently passed reducing the meter rates. There does not seem at this time any disposition on either side to go into the details of the case but rather leave the matter to be threshed out when the case comes to trial. Most of the time today was taken up by the attorneys on both sides sparring for points presumably to be used in the trial. At the time of going to press no decision had been arrived at.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

LAPSED POLICY CAUSES TROUBLE

NEW YORK LIFE DEFENDANT IN ACTION TO COLLECT A POLICY

A LEGAL BATTLE IS NECESSARY TO SETTLE THE CONTROVERSY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mrs. Zan Farley of Crookston has brought action against the New York Life for $1000 claiming that that amount is due her on a policy taken by her husband in that company. Mr. Farley sometime before his death lapsed his policy after he had made a loan upon it.

Before his death he endeavored to have the policy renewed according to the provisions of the company and sent in back premiums. The old line companies require a health certificate along with a renewal of lapsed policies and Mr. Farley did not send this.

The insurance company retained the money on back premium however and lately returned it. Mrs. Farley's attorneys claim the company is liable, but the company refuses to pay the claim.

A NEW STORE FOR MAPLE LAKE

SODA FOUNTAIN AND DANCING HALL TO BE BUILT IN CONNECTION

Word comes from a reliable party who resides in another city that there will be some substantial improvements at Maple Lake the coming summer.

A new store building will be erected on the property Fred Hall formerly owned adjoining the B. O. Anderson property. In addition to a general line in the store, a small soda fountain will be installed. In the same locality, and perhaps included in the store building a commodious dance hall will be provided for and it is planned to make this one of the busiest sections of the Maple Lake resort. The details of the new improvements will be published in the Journal later on.

FINISHE D BIG CONTRACT

C. A. Pitkin has returned from Kelliher where he has spent the winter in charge of his logging camps. He finished his contracts up in good shape, and the season was a very satisfactory one for him. He will spend some time here before returning to Kelliher.

This morning the teams of C. Teal Sr., of Euclid, as fine a bunch as goes to the woods from this section, arrived in the city and will go north to the farm this afternoon.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, small safe, sure little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

BUSINESS IS PICKING UP

The train on the Halstad line this morning arrived with the biggest grist of passengers seen thus far this spring. Every available seat was taken and some of the passengers were standing. These people are all doing business with the Crookston merchants today and it means hundreds of dollars to the city.

It might be well for the Crookston business men to know that the Journal has a bigger circulation in that territory than all other dailies in the state combined. In fact this territory is almost exclusivvely the Journal's. Can there be any doubt but what big returns would be received from an advertisement in the Journal. And the people in that section have the cash to pay for what they want.

JUDGE MORKEN HOLDING HIS OWN

Judge of Probate T. T. Morken who was taken to Bethesda Hospital last Thursday suffering typhoid fever which developed after a two weeks' siege of the grip was reported today as holding his own very nicely. While he is a very sick man, he has a good constitution and is battling the disease valiantly.

During his illness his efficient deputy, Mrs. B. O. Anderson is keeping the wheels of business turning.

FOUR YEARS IN PANAMA

GILLICUDDY FORMER CROOKSTON MAN, AUDITOR ON PANAMA RAILWAY

CONDITIONS ON ISTHMUS—FOOD POORLY COOKED—TEMPORARY HABITAT

From Tuesday's Daily—

J. J. Gillicuddy, visiting J. M. Carroll at 706 N. Main St., city, being a brother of Mrs. J. M. Carroll and on way to Seattle on a visit, has spent four years on the Isthmus of Panama as assistant auditor on the Panama Railway and thru these number of years has witnessed every progress on that greatest project in the world.

Mr. Gillicuddy twenty years ago had the Barnesville-Grand Forks local run and the run north on the St. Vincent line. He has worked on every G. N. division except the Kalispel Leaving here he went to Alaska where he was superintendent of construction on the Alaska Central and in 1904 he went to Panama where he now occupies a high place.

Mr. Gillicuddy left the Isthmus on February 1st last and came by way of New York, St. Paul here. He will return to the city April 25 going back to take up his duties at Panama May 17th.

Progress of Work

Mr. Gillicuddy says Engineer Goethals efficiently furthers the well laid plans and preparations of Mr. Stevens formerly of the Great Northern. The sanitary conditions of the canal zone are almost perfect. Paved roads and expert health executives keep ever active. However United States white employes there intend only temporary abode. The rainy season eight months long with its hot mists and downpour of rain enervates the human system and depresses the mind, compelling abhorrence of work. Malaria he says is not, can never be controlled by the sanitary board. It exists and some times causes the tropic fevers. Advanced stages of these fevers require injections of quinine to save life and the victim on convalescing suffers from horrible ulcers which burst and torture.

Food is Good

The food provided by the government is the best that can be secured and reaches the isthmus under care and in fine condition, but the Jamaica "nigger" cooks spoil the food thru ignorance. Fruits abound about the Isthmus and are the best in the world

There are few men from west and central west there. Most of the employes are from the east and southeast. The best Y. M. C. A. organizations in the world exist there for all employes. Mr. Gillicuddy here presented his card of membership. There are 6,000 whites, 8,000 "dagoes", 35,000 negroes. A negro's efficiency is a fifth of a white's, a dago's a third.

Gigantic Job

More dirt and rock is being taken out than covered by the highest estimates of the most optimistic engineers of the Panama canal and these estimates are being broken in the rainiest seasons of the year. 53 machines are at work. The Americans individually exceed the French. Yet the French only went along the surface avoided rock cuts and took out only the soft dirt portions of the canal prism. The Americans proceed on the opposite plan of attacking the rock first.

Colon on the Pacific is east of Panama on the Atlantic, the canal running southwest and northeast. Estimates of completion run from in the year 1915 to 1920. Mr. Gillicuddy believes in 1917 the first ship will ascend the gigantic locks on its way from ocean to ocean, shortening the trip around the world by 20,000 miles

The Panama Railway

The Panama railway is a 5-foot gage and parallels the canal, running in its bed for 100 feet and crossing it twice. Its present bed is in most places 85 feet below surface of canal water when project is finished. The cars are the same as run on the G. N. Construction is already half finished for bed of railway on higher plane as when canal is finished. The railway has the largest amount of tonnage by five times than any other like trackage in the world. 500 trains a day with seventeen to twenty-five cars pass each way. Mr. Gillicuddy shows maps and photos of the entire project.

He has every faith in the government. Its organization is the highest he has seen and he contemplates the Panama canal as warranted of completion and is confident that whatever move the government will make it will be the best, the most practical.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

A PIONEER IS STRICKEN

MATT CORNELIUS HAS SECOND STROKE OF PARALYSIS YESTERDAY

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL AND IS STILL IN UNCONSCIOUS CONDITION

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday about noon Matt Cornelius, one of the pioneers of Crookston and vicinity suffered a severe stroke of paralysis, and though he was hurried to Bethesda Hospital, medical aid having been summoned at once, he is still unconscious and his condition is considered very critical and dissolution may come at any time.

About four weeks ago he suffered a lighter stroke, and this one following so soon causes grave apprehension on the part of the atending physician.

Mr. Cornelius was for years deputy county auditor and is well known all over the county and is a man about 60 years of age and it will take wonderful vitality to survive his present attack.

His friends who are legion are anxiously awaiting news of some improvement.

WARM ELECTION ON AT CASS LAKE

THREATS OF DISORDER HAVE LED STATE GOVERNMENT TO TAKE HAND

Threats of disaster and violation of the law in the village election being held at Cass Lake today have caused the governor and other officers to interest themselves officially.

Governor Johnson wrote Robert E. Dulury sheriff of Cass County, directing him to enforce the law rigidly and at the governor's request, C. Louis Weeks special assistant attorney general is at Cass Lake to conduct any legal action that may become necessary.

The governors action was prompted by reports that the lawless element of Cass Lake had threatened to run the election and exclude the votes of the law abiding citizens and by unlawful means had secured the appointment of their own judges of election.

The complaint as made to the governor was that the keepers of some disorderly saloons and gambling houses and the proprietors of slot machines had been making trouble for the authorities for some time, and had declared they would run this election. It is reported that several persons not entitled to vote had been brought in from the outside.

NEW COMMISSIONER AT WARROAD

Alexander Fosmark, attorney in the firm of Taylor and Fosmark at Warroad, Minn., passed thru the city last night on his way from Bemidji to Fergus Falls where he will visit with his parents for a week. Mr. Fosmark was appointed U. S. Commissioner at Warroad February 11 and takes a very important part in the administration of the Lake of the Woods port. He returns to Warroad by the way of Crookston, Bemidji and International Falls in about a week.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

GERMAN PASTOR RECEIVES CALL

Rev. I. Wegner, pastor of the German Lutheran church of this city has received a call from a charge at Baltimore, Maryland. Whether or not he will accept is not known, but it will be with regret that his congregation here will learn that he has decided to go as he has been very successful in his pastorate in this city.

LUNDBERG HAS A RABBITS FOOT

Magnus Lundberg, the Crookston fire insurance man, is walking with lighter tread every day, no matter how many fires there are. He has the remarkable record of suffering so far this year only $14 loss for his companies who have about $200,000 of fire risks in Crookston.

ARE PUSHING THE SCHEME

RIGHT OF WAY COMMITTEE FOR PROPOSED ELECTRIC ROAD AT WORK

THIEF RIVER FALLS PEOPLE ARE ENTHUSIASTIC OVER THE PLAN

From Wednesday's Daily—

Dr. H. Grundy, ex-mayor of Thief River Falls spent the night in the city confering with Dr. Dunlop and returned home this morning.

In speaking of the proposed electric road to cover the territory between the Soo and the Greenbush line north of Thief River Falls Dr. Grundy stated that the right-of-way committee named by t he Commercial Club of Thief River Falls had been at work in the country for the past three days going over the situation very carefully and that they were meeting with great encouragement.

The proposed line would extend about 45 miles north of Thief River Falls and the business men believe it would be a great feeder and would be a great convenience to the farmers in the territory covered.

900,000 FEET AT AKELY MINN.

RED RIVER LUMBER CO'S., ICE ROADS BENEFIT BY SNOW

Akeley, Minn., March 9—Over 900,000 feet of pine timber has been brot over the Red River Lumber company's ice roads from the Wilklemen's lands, near Chamberlain. The ice roads are eleven miles long and go through Akeley to Chamberlain. The roads are watered each evening. There are over 600,000 feet to haul yet, and extra men and teams are being put to work. It has been difficult to keep the ice roads in good order for the heavy loads but the recent snow has made the work easier.

3 CENTS AN ACRE FOR DRAINAGE

PROVISION FOR OPENING OF MUD LAKE DRAINAGE DISTRICT

Washington, March 9—Representative Steenerson has introduced a bill providing for the settlement and entry of land in the Mud Lake drainage district in the Red Lake reservation, the settlers to pay the price provided in the act of cession and in addition thereto three cents per acre to cover the cost of drainage survey made during the past two years.

The president withdrew this land from entry pending the drainage survey, and the cost of survey was paid from the Indian funds, to be reimbursed when the lands were sold.

HOME NEWS

Of Interest to Everyone in Crookston

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places, who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all". But here in Crookston we only publish statements made by Crookston people—the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Noel Herbert(carpenter, of 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and totally unfitted me for any exertion, there being times when I had to be helped about. I at last heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box at S. A. Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before I noticed that my back was gradually getting stronger. My trouble son entirely left me and I have not felt a vistage of it since. Doan's Kidney Pills are a most valuable remedy and I give them my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 nearly six years later Dec. 2nd, 1904 he added:

"Doan's Kidney Pills so completely relieved me of kidney trouble six years ago that there has been no return of it. It is a pleasure to again endorse them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

$500 Loaned For One Year

at 7 percent will make more money-net than some people get for a month's hard work. Why not save the little odds and ends of your income? If you are really in earnest about the matter it will surprise you how quickly you can accumulate $500.

No other method so safe, so sure, so easy as a checking account at the bank—come in and talk with us about it.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

NEW SEWER DISTRICTS

CITY TO APPROPRIATE EXPENDITURES MORE EQUITABLY THRU OUT CITY

HACKMEN REGULATED—FIRE REMUNERATION LOST—EXPERT SOUGHT

From Wednesday's Daily

The city council last evening established twenty sewer districts thru out the city. This provision which has been under consideration for some time provides means whereby books may be kept upon the distribution of the appropriations made by the city may be kept upon the distribution of the appropriations made by the city for the purpose of sewerage and make a more equitable distribution than has been possible in the past.

The council passed an ordinance regulating the changes of hackmen in the city limits. The schedule of of rates must be posted in the cab and license number must be conspicuously displayed on some prominent place of the cab. The rates set are from any point in the city to another point not distant more than 3000 feet for each person 25 cents, each additional person 25 cents. For other distances 50 cents and each additional person 50 cents. When a cab is taken by the hour $1.50 is the rate for the first hour, $1.00 for each following hour. In all the above cases the rate may be doubled between the hours of 12 midnight and 6 in the morning.

The light and hydrant committee in report advised the appointment of an expert to investigate the charges for light and water in the city. The report was adopted but no action was taken.

An effort was made to change the salary provisions for the fire laddies to read as follows: $8 for the chief each fire, $4 for assistant each fire, $3 for fireman each fire.

Johnson the disabled man who is seen much about on the streets suffering from St. Vitus dance, made application for twenty-five dollars for support. The city has been having some trouble with him. His matter was referred to the poor committee.

CLAIMS HE WAS ROBBED OF $35

Robert Norton, who arrived from Bemidji Sunday morning with three bottles of squirrel whisky and was awakened about 7:30 by Capt. Vonderbeck while asleep in the G. N. depot claimed he had been robbed of $25. He gave a vague description of two men but they were not located. This morning he claimed he had been robbed of $35 and gave a description of a third man with whom he had been, but he has not yet been located. Norton was pretty drunk when picked up.

SALARY INCREASED TO $1300 PER YR.

Frank Montague chief clerk at the United States land office in this city recently received notice that his salary has been increased to the extent of $100 per year, so that hereafter he will draw $1300 per year. He comes within the provisions of the civil service law, and extended and faithful service brings its reward.

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COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE

FOSKETT, STEENERSON AND FORTIER TO WISCONSIN POINTS TONIGHT

TO INSPECT CANNING AND PICKLE FACTORIES FOR 25,000 CLUB

From Wednesday's Daily—

Chairman Foskett, Elias Steenerson and Remi Fortier depart on this evening's train for Minneapolis and manufacturing centers of Eau Claire Barron and Chippewa Falls in Wisconsin where they will investigate as a special committee of the 25,000 club the installation and working of canning and pickle factories in actual operation. They are not sure that they will return Sunday morning next and may visit the southeastern part of Minnesota where factories such as those proposed for Crookston are in operation.

BEUEDETTE DIES AT BILLINGS

OLD GENTILLY SETTLER DIES FROM HEMORRHAGE OF THE LUNGS

Albert Beuedette, who settled in Gentilly in 1877 and removed from this vicinity with other members of his family in 1890 to Seattle died one mile north of Billings yesterday on his farm. Mr. Beuedette is a brother-in-law of Sheriff Louis Gonyea of Crookston. He has been ailing for two years and Mr. Gonyea had received a letter yesterday stating that he was improving. The wire arrived last night that he had died yesterday morning. Mr. Beuedette moved from Seattle to Billings in 1895 and has lived there since. His children and other relatives live in Montana, most in Anaconda. Mr. Beuedette farmed at Gentilly.

STEENERSON DENIES ATTEMPT TO AMEND

Washington, March 9—Representative Steenerson has issued the following statement:

'I notice in some Minnesota papers a statement that I have introduced a bill to limit the application of the bankruptcy law to persons whose indebtedness exceeds $500. This statement is erroneous. I have never introduced any bill seeking to amend the bankruptcy law in any particular."

STARTS SURVEY ON DITCH NO.75

County Surveyor Orvis Hinds and a crew of surveyors left this morning for Benoit where they will start the preliminary survey on County Ditch No. 75 which flows thru the town of Kertsonville and empties into Gentilly Creek. The ditch is about 7 miles long and it is planned to complete the work the coming summer.

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

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INSTITUTE A GRAND SUCCESS

ATTENDANCE OF FARMERS WAS MUCH LARGER THAN WAS ANTICIPATED

MARKS NEW ERA IN THE PROGRESS AND WEALTH OF THE VALLEY

From Wednesday's Daily—

The farmers' institute held in this city yesterday, more than anything else that ever transpired in this section, demonstrated the fact that the farmers of the Red River Valley have started on a new tack. A large gathering was expected but the crowd taxed the capacity of the city hall and scores had to stand up during the addresses both morning and afternoon. Exact figures could not be obtained, but it is estimated that during the day between 300 and 400 and they came from nearly every township in Polk County and many were here from outside the county.

C. O. Carlson made one of the most interesting talks of the day on dairying and showed how, during the month of January last he had made $167 net profit from 35 cows, a herd which had been worked up during the past years from several cows which brought him from but $18 up to $60 per year gross. He had simply bred from the best and sold off the poorer animals.

The entire gathering was so fruitful and satisfactory and plans were laid for a meeting of farmers in Crookston once a month during the year.

It was the most gratifying gathering of farmers ever held in Crookston and points towards better things in the way of diversified farming in the Red River Valley.

Continuing his discussion of the raising of clover and its value Mr. Hale spoke of elements that go to make a crop—nitrogen which if added by means of fertilizer would cost $25. Nitrogen makes the straw grow and is exhausted most rapidly. Potash and tartaric acid are not exhausted so rapidly. Clover has little microbes on leaves and stems which extract nitrogen from the air and place it in the ground. There is $5,000,000 worth of nitrogen in the air over each acre of earth.

Mr. Hale's father came from the sterile farms of New Hampshire.

The humas is that earth that lies about the roots of plants and gathers nourishment and furnishes it to the plant. Clover sod land will stand drought better and will at the same time stand wet weather better. Rains soak in rapidly but remains. Seeds will germinate better in porous soil. Corn will produce a better stand on clover land. Farmers get better results by planting among corn stalks—discing and harrowing before seeding.

Some farmers sow with other grain in drills. Do not sow too deep however but just as deep as you estimate the top of the moist ground to be. Mr. Hale has not had a partial failure since he has started. 3 quarts in amount with alsac is the proper amount per acre. Don't let stock run on it in fall of year as it will be killed. Mr. Hale cuts clover when it begins to blossom and cuts some every day until haying. There is much damage done to hay because it is not taken in as soon as it is dry enough; rains then injure. Clover can be put in when you can twist no juice out of a clover stalk.

Mr. Schutz on Apple Trees

Mr. Schutz commenced apple tree culture when he first came to Minnesota in 1856. People thought it was impossible to grow apple trees. Only the Hysopo and Transcendants were grown at first, but the horrizon is at present almost unlimited. Mr. Schutz believed apples a crop for the Red River Valley. We have made a mistake buying southern grown trees for they are not suited for this climate. We must have the short root and long stalk for northern conditions.

Farmers should buy 2 years old trees. Large trees are made most attractive to farmers but it is not size but youth and virility that form the main growing reason. Representatives of nurseries are many times a good thing and should be listened to when they conduct themselves with intelligence and courtesy

After a final speech by Mr. Schulz Col. R. A. Wilkinson of St. Paul addressed the meeting with a few remarks on the recovery of this valley of the prestige it for the time partially lost. Senator A. D. Stephens spoke of the prosperity that obtained hereabouts in agriculture and urged some new ideas regarding efforts that should be made in the future for organization of the country producing interests. He believed that if more farmers would pay more attention to getting more profit out of their produce before it left the farm, and pay less attention to the profits of the middle fellow they would make more money and live happier. He attributed a share of the failure among some farmers to absence of mind from farming and too great interest in the profits of the elevators and businesses of the country.

With appropriate songs by the State Farm chorus, the meeting adjourned.

DEEDED AWAY HIS LAND

HENDRICK DALGREN 85 YEARS OLD WANTS PROPERTY BACK

DEEDED GARDEN TOWN LAND TO BRETA PETERSON

From Wednesday's Daily—

Hendrick Dalgren of the town of Garden, a man 84 years of age, about one year ago deeded an eighty acre tract of land to Mrs. Breta Peterson for some consideration and now his friends wish it returned to him, claiming that he made the transfer when not mentally responsible and as the result of undue influence.

Ole O. Bakke, Gunnar Hagen, D. D. Brodahl, L. P. Solberg, A. M. Oswald and others are here today with attorneys Lavik of Fertile for Dalgren, Attorney H. A. Johnson of Crookston for Mrs. Peterson bringing action to set aside the conveyance before Judge Watts.

ENGINES REFUSED TO DO BUSINESS

LACK OF WIND PREVENTED A GREAT CONFLAGRATION AT ARGYLE

At 3 o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the Klondyke saloon at Argyle which destroyed the building with contents, and had there been any wind the village would have had the worst conflagration in its history, as none of the three fire engines could be made to work and not a drop of water was turned on the burning buildings. Surrounding property was protected by bucket brigades. Happily there was not a breath of air stirring and the flames shot straight up.

The saloon was operated by C. O. Lezie who carried $1000 insurance which just about covers his loss. The building was owned by the heirs of the T. L. Bennewitz and was insured for $500 which about half covers the loss.

Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

DEAN OF DIOCESE TO VISIT HERE

PROBABLE THAT RECTOR FOR EPISCOPAL CHURCH WILL RESULT

Rev. Young, Dean of the Red River Valley Diocese of the Episcopal church who resides at Moorhead will arrive in the city Saturday morning and will meet with the Ladies Aid Society of the Episcopal church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. H. Olmstead. On Sunday he will preach in the Episcopal church at 10:30 in the morning and at 7:30 in the evening, and will remain over Monday.

During his stay here it is probable that arrangements will be made for securing a pastor for the Episcopal church in the city, the pulpit here having been supplied since the departure of Rev. H. M. Green last year.

Mr. John Rihs of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

BADGER HAS YOUNG MAYOR

WALTER ANDERSON BUT THREE DAYS OVER 21 WHEN ELECTED MAYOR

BADGER AND GREENBUSH TO EXTEND TELEPHONE THIS SUMMER

From Monday's Daily—

Badger, an incorporated village of eight hundred in Roseau county, is claiming in President Walter Anderson, to have the youngest mayor in the state, if not in the northwest. This gentleman was elected at the last election and was three days over twenty-one when his fellow citizens entrusted him the government of the village at the pools. For some time he has been cashier in the Scandia-American Bank at Badger and is popular thruout that section of the country.

It was a three-cornered fight that first tested the stamina of the rising politician for he was opposed by Erick Carlson and Gilbert J. Brenden, the latter of whom is editor of the Herald-Rustler. The scene at the polls was warm and spirited. From the beginning of the announcement of the various candidates for the leading office the ticket placed in the field was the center of attraction. Mr. Anderson who is a youthful and energetic looking gentleman, conducted his campaign thru the village with all the keenness of a veteran. All the dances, the sleighrides and skating parties found him ever to the front and he was a considerable factor before the election. The old heads of the town however would not concede him his strength and his victory was a surprise to them.

The other officers elected were, Councilmen, H. C. Reed; I. L. Iverson Ben Johnson; Clerk, O. H. Nesseth; Treasurer, T. P. Anderson; Justice, Gilbert J. Brenden and F. W. Swanson; and Constable Wm. Reilly.

A co-operative farmers telephone line with fifty miles of pole line and thirty-five subscribers will be built between Haug and Greenbush and Badger as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

The officers elected were O. E. Haug, president; Axel Liberg, vice president; L. C. Hegstad, secretary; O. W. Rossing, treasurer; and directors, Lewis Larson, B. O. Christianson and T. G. Hegstad.

HIGH TRIBUTE TO P. A. EGAN

The Minneapolis Journal pays the following high tribute to P. A. Egan of St. Paul, brother of Mrs. Geo. J. Cannon of this city.

"The death of Patrick A. Egan, which occurred early today at Forest Lake, Minn., terminated the most promising careers among the younger business men of St. Paul. Mr. Egan was known as one of the best life insurance men in the west. He was at one time one of the leading athletes of the state, and was founder of the St. Paul Athletic club. He was 38 years of age and is survived by his wife and two sons."

Mr. and Mrs. Cannon left last evening for St. Paul to attend the funeral.

TRAILING BANK ROBBERS.

Posses Making Effort to Surround Men Who Robbed Tyro Bank.

Pawhuska, Okla., March 18. — The three Tyro bank robbers are known to be in the Osage hills, three miles from Bighart. The bandits were seen yesterday morning and posses from Ochelata, Pawhuska, Avant and Hominy are hurrying to the neighborhood in an effort to surround them.

A farmer living near Bighart gave the clue to the whereabouts of the robbers. He saw them ride past his house on the way to the hills. As soon as they were out of sight he mounted a horse and rode into Bighart to give the alarm.

Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach such as dyspepsia, heart burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold here by A. G. Andersen.

A boon companion is seldom looked upon as a boon by the family of the man he associates with.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

START BIG SEED HOUSE

HANSON & BARZEN TO WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GRAIN AND GRASS SEED

MANAGER A. G. SANDBERG HAS LINE ON HAND NOW—WILL BRANCH OUT

From Monday's Daily—

Louis Hanson, of the Hanson and Barzen Milling Co., has returned to Thief River Falls after conferring with Manager A. G. Sandberg of this city relative to opening a wholesale grass and grain seed department to their present business which is conducted in the old Great Northern freight depot.

A stock of high grade grain and grass seeds has been secured and Manager Sandberg is ready for business at the present time. The company is a little late in getting started this spring but another year will work up the business for all there is in it.

Manager Sandberg is very much pleased with the splendid sale of "Vivo" flour in Crookston since he opened the house here, both in Crookston and in points from where the flour is shipped from the distributing warehouse here.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES

STATIONS OF THE CROSS STATUES RECENTLY INSTALLED IN BEMIDJI CHURCH

Father Smiers of St. Mary's church of this city left yesterday for Bemidji where last evening he preached the sermon at the solemn ceremonies incident to the blessing of the Stations of the Cross statues which were recently installed in the Catholic church at Bemidji. They are magnificent statuary figures in place of the pictures ordinarily used, and were installed at a great expense. Father Smiers will return from Bemidji this evening.

STOP HARVEST TO ATTEND INSTITUTE

LAABS FARMER NORTH OF TOWN VOICES SENTIMENT OF SATISFACTION

E. W. Laabs a farmer north of the city, stated to S. L. Collins yesterday after the institute that he will attend the institutes held in the future in Crookston no matter what difficulties present themselves to keep him away. He says he will quit harvest and bring in his whole family to hear the helpful addresses and enjoy the general feelings of sociability that were so evident in yesterday's meeting in the city hall. Fred Marrotte of the Grand Central hotel states that all the farmers that he saw were pleased with the institute and hope that more will be held in the near future.

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

PLAN ORGANIZATION OF AN ILLINOIS SOCIETY

There are a large number of persons residing in this city and vicinity who were born in Illinois or who have lived in that state at some time or other. Some of the former residents of "suckerdom" have lately been contemplating the organization of an Illinois society here, making eligible thereto every one in this vicinity who ever made his home in Illinois. The idea is to have an annual picnic in the summertime and occasional meetings together at other seasons for social benefit. No definite move has been made as yet, but the proposition has found much favor with those to whom it has been mentioned, and it is probable that active steps toward the formation of such a society will be taken this spring.—Warren Register.

ANGUS MAN BADLY HURT

MOLTEN BRASS EXPLODED AND FACE WAS BADLY BURNED

PHYSICIAN'S MAD RIDE SAVED LIFE OR DISFIGUREMENT

From Monday's Daily—

Lionel Snelling, one of the well known farmers of Angus, 20 miles north of here, who is also of an inventive turn of mind was terribly burned about the face, eyes and hands yesterday by the explosion of molten brass as he was pouring it from the ladel in which he had melted it, into a small cup.

Without doubt his life was saved by the breakneck race to his home by Dr. F. C. Mitchell of Euclid who was phoned and having his team hitched up preparatory to making another call had his driver run them the entire six miles and 30 minutes from the time he was phoned for he was at the Snelling residence and applied relief measures.

Snelling suffered terrible agony, and the outcome will not be known for a day or two. Dr. Mitchell thinks the eyesight can be saved but is not certain.

It seems that Snelling, with J. F. Montgomery the Angus merchant have been experimenting all winter with a wireless telegraphy outfit which it was proposed to operate between the store at Angus and the Snelling farm, a distance of about three miles. They had the apparatus so it would work short distances and were attempting to improve it at the time of the accident.

It is supposed there was a little water in the bottom of the cup when the molten brass was turned into it, and that this caused the explosion but the cause will never be definitely known.

VETERAN EMPLOYE OF THE G. N. DEAD

The death of Michael J. Farley an old and respected citizen of this city occurred at his home on Front street on Sunday afternoon. The news came as a shock to his many friends as it was not generally known that the end was so near. He was afflicted with dropsy which together with other complications caused his death. Mr. Farley was born in Ireland on August 17, 1831, and removed to America with his parents while he was but a small boy, where he endured the hardships incident to frontier life At the outbreak of the civil war in August 1861 he enlisted in the Union Army in Company F, of the 11th Wis. Vol. Inf., where he served his country until his discharge in July 1865. He was one of the few who served during the entire war and won distinction for his patriotism and valor. Altho he was wounded at Vicksburg and again at Manolia, he was only disabled for a time and was soon back in the ranks doing service. He came to this city in 1881 and entered the employe of the Great Northern which position he has held to within a few days of his death.—Barnesville Record Review.

PROMINENT FARMER FELL DEAD SUNDAY

Thos. Larson in many respects the foremost citizen of the town of Dane Prairie, dropped dead at his home there at 11 o'clock Sunday forenoon. Mr. Larson was about and feeling as well as usual during the morning and toward noon was preparing to drive to a neighbors. He sat down for a few minutes, and falling from his chair died instantly. Death was due to heart failure.—Fergus Falls Journal.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, small safe, sure little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Woodsman Confesses to Murder.

Marinette, Wis., March 18. — Paul Kania, a woodsman, who was lodged in jail at Florence in January, charged with murdering Patrick Campbell, a homesteader, made a confession on Saturday last, in which he admits shooting Campbell.

Grief Brings Suicide.

Trenton, N. J., March 18.—Marguerite Borden, fifteen years old, daughter of Harry L. Borden, shot herself in the heart last night as the result of grief.

CREAMERIES STARTING UP

GENERAL ACTIVITY IS BEING DISPLAYED THROUGHOUT THIS SECTION

THE HAUL TO THE CREAMERIES AND CHEESE FACTORIES HAS BEGUN

At a meeting of the Hill River Creamery Association, held at the old P. O. Rustad place last week, plans for the new creamery were decided on. The lumber for this creamery is now being hauled and the building will be built this summer but the machinery will not be put in this season. The meeting was attended and addressed by C. M. Berg of this city, and M. J. Cort representing the creamery Package Company. The officers of the new creamery association are Ole Matson, President; M. L. Lindfors, Vice President; Andrew Matson, Secretary; Martin Christianson, Treasurer.

The First Churning

The Clover Leaf Creamery at Lambert made the first of this season's churnings Friday last and expects a good season. The creamery is under the management of the same buttermaker this year as last, Mr. Welch, and the popularity gained by him then should rebound to the creamery's advantage this season.

Making Cheese

The Lambert Cheese Factory will start operations on the 20th of this month with Robidoux & Parenteau at the helm.

ROADS MAKE SPLENDID RECORD

The most remarkable winter in railroading in the Red River Valley since railroads first penetrated this section is drawing to a close and the records made by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific will probably never be beaten.

On the Great Northern 96 per cent of the passenger trains have arrived either promptly on time or not more than 2 minutes late since the first day of last November, and 93 percent of the freight trains. On the N. P. 95 per cent of the passenger trains have been on time and 94 per cent of the freight trains.

Such a feat has been unheard of before in Northwestern railroading. During the entire winter not a train has been stalled in a snow drift on the Northern Division of the Great Northern or the Red River Valley branch of the Northern Pacific.

FERGUS FALLS PASTOR CALLED TO N. DAKOTA

Rev. E. L. Brooks of Fergus Falls has been tendered a call to become pastor at large of the Missouri Valley conference of the Congregational churches of North Dakota and has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Congregational church in that city. A meeting of the church has been called for this evening to take action relative to the resignation. Rev. Brooks has been a popular and energetic pastor at Fergus and everyone will regret to learn of his proposed departure to another field.

CONTRACTORS ROBINSON & DICK LOGGED 7,500,000 FEET

W. Robinson and P. Dick loggers who do business under the firm name of Robinson & Dick spent last night in the city. They have been cutting timber in the Kabekona gulch country, this winter, and they have already taken out, banked and made ready for driving some seven and one half million feet of timber, at their camps ten miles northwest of Laporte. To a Pioneer representative last evening, Mr. Robinson stated that he expected that they would finish their logging in about two weeks.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Sooner or later the chronic kicker gets his foot in it.

A Narrow Escape

Many people have a narrow escape from pneumonia and consumption as a result of a cold that hangs on. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds no matter how deep seated and prevents pneumonia and consumption Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

From Over The Valley

ANOTHER VALLEY PIONEER CALLED TO HIS REWARD

After an illness of several weeks duration, Charles F. Umbreit, one of the pioneer settlers of this section of Minnesota, died at his home in Thief River Falls on Monday. The decensed was born in Germany on the 2nd of September, 1837, and at the age of 17 years came to America, first settling at Fort Washington, Wis., where he resided for five years and then removed to Illinois where he resided for 21 years. While in that state he enlisted as a private in company H. 63rd regular Illinois volunteers and served for four years during the Civil War, being honorably discharged at Springfield, Ill., during the month of June, 1865. He was twice married, the last time to Mary E. Marsh. In the early days he came to this section, being one of the first setlers and took a homestead in the town of Excell, Marshall county. In the year 1901 he removed to Thief River Falls. The funeral services were held under the auspices of the Masonic lodge, of which the deceased was a member.

ROBERTSON WRITES TO HIS FAMILY

John L. Robertson former sheriff of Cavalier county, N. D., who has been mysteriously missing since last November when he was last seen in Grand Forks, is alive and well according to information received by his family at Langdon. They received a letter from him this week. They are not however, permitted to divulge his whereabouts on account of a legal entangelment in which Robertson is said to be badly involved by creditors. Langdon people are reasonably certain, however, that Robertson is located somewhere in the Canadian Northwest.

UNWORTHY CITIZEN IS REFUSED PAPERS

In the Traill county district court at Hillsboro Monday with Judge Pollock on the bench, an unusual proceeding took place—the court holding that Christian C. Eiken would make an "undesirable" citizen and on that ground second papers were refused. In the action the government appeared by John C. Sweet assistant U. S. attorney, who objected to the applicant being made a citizen upon the following grounds filed in writing: "The government opposes granting of the petition on the ground that the petitioner is not a person of good moral character. He has been examined by one of the examiners and found to be at times a hard drinker and a gambler. One witness served a 90 day sentence for keeping a gambling house and has served a sentence for blindpigging. His testimony as to residence, character and attachment to the principles of the constitution would, therefore be received with suspicion." The case is but an instance where the government proposes to stop making unworthy citizens.

THE NELSON CURE IS TAKEN BY TWO

Peter O. Landgren, a farmer of Todd county, filed a bankruptcy petition in the United States court at Fergus Falls Wednesday, placing his assets at $1200 all exempt and his liabilities at $1,704.85. John Telander, a bartender at Bagley, filed at the same time, placing his assets at $75 all exempt and his known liabilities at $755. He also lists several creditors whom he owes various sums the amounts of which he has forgotten. His creditors may as well forget them also.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.

FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.

CROOKSTON, MINN.

J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

PREPARING FOR THE COUNTY SEAT FRAY

Local elections are over, winter is drawing to an end, and it becomes imperative that plans for the important campaign of the year be formulated without further delay. While the prospects of success this time of the undertaking, upon which this section of the county has labored for a dozen years past are brighter than ever before, the fact must be apparent to all that if the present eastern section of Polk is to become an independent county there is a vast amount of work to be done before November elections. Times passes rapidly when important business is to be accomplished, and there is none to waste from now on.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

AGITATION FOR SOUTHEASTERLY COUNTY ROAD

A county road to run in a southeasterly direction for a distance of several miles from Thief River Falls to the intersection of the Smiley and Rocksbury town lines, is a movement recently put on foot by residents of the district effected by such a highway. The plan of the new road is to follow the so-called reservation line for the entire distance, or clear across the town of Rocksbury. Such a road would give people residing south of the Red Lake River in the Eleven Towns an opportunity to reach town over a good road, at least part of the way and would benefit practically all of northern and eastern Rocksbury. At the town election in Rocksbury a petition for such a road was signed by nearly every voter and $200 was appropriated toward the movement, which will also be assisted by the county board to the extent of several hundred dollars if favorably acted upon.

SUPT YEAGER CONDUCTS SUMMER SCHOOL AT ROSEAU

Superintendent C. S. Yeager of the Fosston schools has been engaged as instructor of the tate Teachers Summer school to be held in Roseau County next July. Prof. Simms of Duluth had charge of the summer school there last year, the term lasting two weeks commencing upon the 6th of July. Supt. Yeager will have two assistants besides the county superintendent of that county. The school will be held in Roseau the county seat.

FINE NEW BRIDGE NEARLY COMPLETED

The work of laying the concrete floor of the new bridge across the Red Lake River at Thief River Falls was begun on Wednesday. The bridge is nearly complete and ready for travel, but a few days additional time being required by the contractors to bring their work to a close. This one is so superior in every way to the old one that there is no comparison between the two bridges; no one need have any fear of the unsafety of the new structure.

PLAYFUL WALLOP PUTS BELL OUT

Tony Bell, star fullback of the university of North Dakota football team last fall, caused his comrades some anxiety yesterday. In a little playful scuffle yesterday forenoon about 11 o'clock, Bell received a wallop in the region of the heart which sent him down and out. He did not recover consciousness for fully two hours. He slept all afternoon and last evening he awoke fully recovered.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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Nowadays when truth is crushed to earth it howls for an investigating committee.

A Beautiful Lesson ....IN PATRIOTISM

Among the best of the addresses to the pupils of the Eugene Field school at their flag raising exercises yesterday were the few remarks delivered in simple and unassuming language by Clerk Ed Peterson of the Crookston City school boadr.

Mr. Peterson asked the little children if they did what their mother's told them. Many of them replied that they did. Then, observing that some did not do so, he asked the little boys, if their mother was in trouble or being hurt, how many would rush to help her even should they die thereby. Every little hand arose and some still remained in the air as Mr. Peterson pursued his remarks.

Well, little children, he continued in substance, America is your mother and you are expected to rush and help her when she is in trouble or being injured. You see here (he pointed to the grayhaired veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic who sat at his side) men who have rushed in and helped the country that is a mother to them as she should be to you; some of them sacrificed their lives, but still their followmen continued to help the grand mother.

Mr. Peterson mentioned that the purposes of the exercises of the day were to instill into the hearts of the little boys and girls sentiments of the grand country that mothered them notwithstanding what racial blood flowed in their veins.

Mrs. T. A. Harris of the Women's Relief Corps spoke of the American flag the addition of the star on July 4th next for the state of Oklahoma recently admitted to the Union. New stars are officially added to the American flag the July 4th following the new state's admission. While Indian Territory and Oklahoma as one state was admitted by Congress in the spring of 1906, a new star was not added to the flag because it was not until last fall that the two civil divisions agreed to unite as one state and enter the Union. She spoke of the tune of "America" as being universal among nations, many national anthems among the great world powers being set to that same music She said she hoped she would witness that day when the nations of the earth would sing together to that grand tune. She said thus would be shown the peace and good will among all mankind.

Judge Montague read to the pupils "The Bivouac of the Dead" and in conclusion said: "Upon you little children, rests the responsibility of conducting this great national government which our forefathers handed over to us to carry on. We educate you and instill into you a love of this country that you may be worthy to further its mighty career." The Judge remarks were of serious weight and the plain words did not fail to gather the attention of the children. He hoped they would value their education.

Jas. Greenhalgh and Judge McLean spoke also for the old soldiers. Mrs. Sargent related the incidents of the living flag at the G. A. R. Encampment in Minneapolis last year. Mr. Hamel spoke of the naming of the school and Carl Reidesel of the school board said he was born in and came from a foreign country, Germany, but he admired the American flag.

The masterly management which the teachers of the Eugene Field school, the Misses Hoard, Hagen, McGuire and Nessel, displayed in the arrangement of their program won recognition and praise on every side. Every part and song selected for the pupils was related to the theme of the occasion.

GETS FORTUNE OF $80,000

S. P. SWEDBURGH ONE OF FIVE CHILDREN TO GET LARGE SUM

SWEDISH CONSUL AT GRAND FORKS LOOKS AFTER CROOKSTONITE'S CLAIM

From Thursday's Daily—

S. P. Swedburgh the well known North Broadway refreshment dealer returned last evening from Grand Forks where he spent yesterday in conference with Swedish Consul Vedlund relative to a property valued at between $60,000 and $80,000 which was left by Olaf Olson, an uncle who left no heirs aside from S. P. Swedburgh of this city and his two brothers and two sisters.

Consul Vedlund has taken the matter up and will push it thru as rapidly as possible.

Olaf Olson lived at Bjorgshire, Helsinglund, Sweden, and in 1890 willed his entire property to the five Swedburgh children. One brother is in South Dakota, and another in Washington so that it may take a few months to get the applications made out by the various consuls, but in the end the money will come, as the Swedburghs are not only the only heirs but were willed the property as well.

This means from $12,000 to $16,000 for S. P. Swedburgh and his many friends in this city will rejoice over his good fortune.

TERRIBLE DEED OF A MOTHER

CUTS THROATS OF THREE CHILDREN KILLING ONE AND THEN ALMOST KILLS SELF

Mrs. Thompson a middle-aged lady, wife of a well known farmer residing one mile from Nome, N. D., cut the throats of her three children and then slashed her own throat in horrible manner Monday evening while her husband was in town doing some trading.

The distracted husband says that his wife has been enjoying excellent health and he does not understand how she became demented so suddenly, for no cause can be assigned for such a horrible tragedy.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

NO FIGHT IN NINTH DISTRICT

BRYANITES DROP EFFORTS FOR NEBRASKAN DELEGATION FROM HERE

COMMITTEEMAN O'BRIEN SAYS JOHNSON BOOM GROWS EVERY DAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Notwithstanding the efforts of the Minnesota Bryan combination for an instructed delegation from this state to Denver for the Nebraskan no action is being taken in the Ninth District as yet to further this plan and none will be initiated it is stated on good authority.

While some of the leading democrats abandon in no way their support of the Nebraskan, they do not recognize in the effects being put forth in the state, any acts originating from him. They believe the movement on in this state is a movement with which the "peerless leader" has nothing to do.

The delegation chosen from this district will probably go favorably inclined to Johnson and will voice whatever plans may seem to be to Mr. Johnson's best interests.

State Committeeman O'Brien stated yesterday that the Johnson boom was growing here as well as elsewhere. He has at hand several clippings from eastern papers sent by friends in the east and also bases his judgment on the movements in the politcial world generally.

TO GET BUSY EARLY ON EUCLID DITCH

CONTRACTOR SULLIVAN GOES TO EUCLID DITCH NEXT WEEK

Matthew Sullivan, well known ditch contractor of South Crookston departs next week for Euclid and the site of the big thirteen miles Euclid ditch that commences on the town line between Euclid and Parnell six miles west of Euclid. Mr. Sullivan is moving hay contracts at that point now to keep teams engaged for ditch work when it commences.

Mr. Sullivan will build his camps next week for ditch work which will commence as soon as or even before the frost is well out of the ground. Every team available will be put on the project that it may be completed early in the spring. He expects to place 35 or 40. Contracts are already being entered into for that number.

Penned and Pilfered

Suits to recover Coney Island property now worth over $100,000,000 were filed in the United States Circuit Court this week by the descendants and heirs of 39 patentees who claim rights to the lands under Indian grants and charters from the old Dutch and English governors.

A certified copy of the original Indian deed shows that the present site of Coney Island then known as "Musechackhue," was sold by the sachems for the following consideration:

"Two guns; 15 els of cloth; three fathoms of wampumpeage; one kettle; two hatchets; two saws; three knives; one long cloth coat; one pair of scissors; two combs; one sword; 30 awls blades."

If they win they will get compound interest with a vengeance.

This is what a rural editor says about young idlers: We are raising too many society fops, cigarette suckers, parlor soldiers and street loafers. When we see a little foppish short dress silly girl, just jumping into her teens, gadding up and down the streets, talking slang, and flirting with the boys, entertaining young jobless bloods in the parlor at night time when she ought to be in her trundle bed beneath her mother's tucked snugly in; when we see knee pants kids and beardless youths loafing up and down the street, who are too trifling to think, and too stuck up to do odd jobs around home, we exclaim: "It's not statutory that we need, but it's parental law."

The woman who was doing her marketing was difficult to please. She had overhauled every comestible in the shop, and insisted on getting the best in stock cheaper than the market price, and now it was a question of eggs. 'Are you quite sure these eggs are fresh?" she asked. "They are, madam." "You will guarantee them?" "I will, madam." "But how am I to know that you know they are fresh?" "My dear lady," said the exhausted shopman, with incisive emphasis, "if you will kindly step to the telephone and ring up our farm, you will hear the hens that laid them still cackling! I'm afraid I can't say any more than that!"

FIGHT IN CELL IS FATAL.

Men Over Fifty Years Old Are Allowed Struggle in Drunken Fury.

Des Moines, March 12 -His head beaten, his skull crushed and his body badly cut, Mike Hartney died at Mercy hospital yesterday from the effects of a midnight fight with Tom Cooney in the "bum" cell of the city jail ten days ago.

There was an old grudge between the two men, and when both intoxicated men were thrown into the same cell they quarreled and fought. Cooney struck Hartney and knocked him down, the latter's head striking the cement floor. Cooney is now held by the police charged with murder.

Both men were over fifty years old. Cooney claims that he was attacked and fought only in self-defense.

There is said to have been no interference in the fight until after Hartney was knocked unconscious.

CHANGE RAILROAD LIGHTS.

Gang of Boys Are in Serious Mischief at Chippewa Falls.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., March 14. — Police have learned that there exists here an organized gang of boys who almost nightly for the last six months have committed some depredation. Efforts to break up the gang have thus far proved unsuccessful. Their latest "prank" is to change the switch light signals and divide the freight trains which stop at the bottom of grades. Last night one long freight train was uncoupled into three parts and the engineer took only one section several miles before noticing the break.

KING'S SUBJECTS STOLEN.

American Is Accused of Kidnapping Two Farmers.

Winnipeg, March 14. — Detective Folkes, an American, accused of kidnapping two Canadian farmers across the international border near Emerson, Manitoba, for the collection of a debt, had a true bill returned against him yesterday by the grand jury.

The trial will take place before a king's bench judge on March 27, the prisoner in the meantime being allowed out on bail.

WOMAN IS ON TRIAL AGAIN.

Second Hearing of Pohlman Murder Case Is Begun.

Iowa Falls, Iowa, March 14. — Mrs. Margaret Pohlman of Eagle Grove is again on trial in the Wright county district court this week, charged with responsibility for the death of Carrie Cook. In a previous trial the jury disagreed, standing six to six.

Would Stop Fighting.

Casablanca, March 14. — Gen. d'Amade, the commander of the French forces in Morocco, has received letters from Mulai Hafid, the so-called sultan of the south, and leaders of his army, asking that hostilities be suspended pending arrangements for peace.

Monster Wolf Is Killed.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., March 14. — What is believed to be the largest wolf killed in Wisconsin was slain in the town of Ruby by Henry Walter. It measured 6 feet 4 inches from tip to tip, and weighed 140 pounds.

Steel Plant Employe Stabbed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., March 14.—While working at the plant of the Algoma Steel company John Pannanen was stabbed, supposedly by Frank Marin, and probably will die. Marin escaped.

Crushed by Falling Tree.

Crookston, Minn., March 12.—Fred Jarvis, a prominent Fisher farmer, was fatally injured at that place by a falling tree.

Banker Jenkins Dead.

New York, March 14.—John G. Jenkins, the Brooklyn banker who, with his three sons, was indicted as a result of the recent banking investigation, died at Sea Cliff, L. I. Death was due to paralysis.

NEGRO STUDENTS IN FIGHT.

Razors and Revolvers Are Used in Southern College.

Augusta, Ga., March 12.—At Walker Baptist institute, a negro college named for Rev. C. T. Walker, a negro minister who frequently preaches to John D. Rockefeller, more than a dozen students and visitors were more or less injured in a free fight which followed a moving picture entertainment yesterday. As the audience was leaving the hall an argument arose between two negroes and in an instant a fight was started, being made lively by razors, bricks and revolvers. Seventy-five shots were fired and knives were freely used. The school authorities have expelled several students and are investigating further.

Grief Killed Him.

Houghton, Mich March 13.—Illness, brought on by grief over the death of his wife two weeks ago, proved fatal to Michael McGrath, a pioneer settler of Hancock for over half a century, and he died about midnight, aged seventy-three years He was one of the best known of Copperdom's Irish residents.

Indian Wearies of Life.

Minneapolis, March 13.—Yearning for a free life in the forest, yet unable to longer make a living for his wife and child by means of gun and trap, Joseph Cardell, an Indian, apparently deliberately committed suicide at a lodging house yesterday by turning on all the gas jets in his room.

Three Tots Burned to Death.

Medford, Wis., March 13.—The farm home of John Donthitt, near Westboro, was destroyed by fire yesterday while the mother was outside. The stove exploded and her three small children were burned to death.

Is Accused of Arson.

Anoka, Minn March 13. — Sheriff John [illegible] arrested James Worcester of Anoka on a charge of arson. He is accused of setting fire to a house owned by his brother in the town of Anoka.

$110,000 School In Ruins.

Toledo, Ohio, March 12.—Napoleon's Union school, the largest building of the kind in the state, which was completely remodeled only last April and had cost the county $110,000 altogether, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning before school opened.

Mail Pouch Is Stolen.

Dickinson, N. D., March 12.—A mail pouch on the North Coast Limited was stolen at Dickinson after being taken from the train this morning. Detectives are unable to find any clue.

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BABY'S EYESIGHT WAS THREATENED

By Terrible Eczema—Head Became a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores—Would Scratch Till Blood Came—Much Money Wasted in Fruitless Treatments—Disease Was Soon

CURED AT SLIGHT COST BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head were all one sore. We used different remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. At night we had to pin her hands down. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent, and in three weeks — what a change! I kept using the Cuticura Remedies for two months and our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fair as a new-born baby, and all for the small cost of a dollar and seventy-five cents where we had spent ten times the money for doctoring. She is now two years old and has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, R. F. D. 4, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, 1907."

SLEEP KILLED

By an Itching Humor. Another Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"I broke out with a humor which spread almost all over my body. The itching would get worse on retiring, so I could not sleep. I tried several remedies but it grew worse until I got some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Pills which began to relieve me at once. By the time I had used one vial of the Pills, the humor was entirely gone. I wish every sufferer could secure the Cuticura Remedies. Travis Bates, Hamburg, Ark., April 26, 1907."

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INVESTIGATING THE 16 HOUR LAW

ASST. SUPT. NESTOR WENT SOUTH THIS MORNING ON NORTHERN PACIFIC

John Nestor, Assistant Superintendent, of the Red River branch of the Northern Pacific, went south this morning on local 156, due thru here at about 10 o'clock, for the purpose of examining what effect the sixteen hour law was having on traffic over that road. The law went into effect March 4th.

Last week this same freight on account of the pending expiration of the sixteen hours of employment had to break up its train at Twin Valley set fish stock and other cars on the side track and make a rush for Winnipeg Junction. The Red River branch runs from Grand Forks to Winnipeg Junction, about 100 miles. However the heavy traffic transferred over this line daily combined with much local work makes the time sixteen hours somewhat limited. Mr. Nestor will observe where delay, if any, occurs and what measures may be taken to meet conditions of the law.

The Great Northern, Northern Division, is having no trouble. All its branches out of here are set on a 12 hour schedule at the most and no incidents as above have occurred.

BURGLARIZED FOUR TIMES.

J. W. Fargo of Deadwood Again Victim of Thieves.

Deadwood, S. D., March 14—For the fourth time in a few months the premises of J. W. Fargo, in the lower part of town, was entered by burglars and robbed. While the family slept quietly upstairs the marauders ransacked the lower floor and secured about $150 worth of loot.

CURED OF RUPTURE.

A Remarkable Case of Rupture Permanently Cured by Simply Wearing the Crolius Aluminum Truss.

It will be of interest to our readers and especially those afflicted with rupture to learn that by simply wearing a peculiarly constructed Aluminum Truss, made and sold by The Crolius Truss Co., 639-640 Andrus Building, Minneapolis, that a large percentage of adult cases are cured. It never fails to cure rupture in infants and children. Mr. F. M. Crolius, the manager, has over thirty years successful experience in fitting trusses, is why he invented this one. He guarantees a perfect fit, even where the measurement is taken at your home, and sent him by mail. Each truss is made expressly to fit the individual, according to measurement, and the truss is sent you by mail. He also guarantees to hold the worst rupture and give the ruptured person perfect ease and comfort at all times with his truss. Every ruptured person should communicate with The Crolius Truss Company, of Minneapolis at once.

ANNUAL MEET OF BETHESDA

STOCKHOLDERS MEET IN UNITED LUTHERAN TO SHAPE 1908's POLICIES

PETERSON, SIVERTSON, HANSON REV. OVE, RETIRING DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED

From Thursday's Daily—

The stockholders of the Bethesda Hospital Association of Crookston are meeting this afternoon in the basement of the United Lutheran church on South Ash street for the election of four delegates for a 3 year term and to hear the reports of the officers of the hospital for the year 1907-8. The hospital is in a flourishing condition.

The financial report showed a balance of $270 over expenses of the year. Thirteen patients were in the hospital at the beginning of the current hospital year and 208 have been cared for in addition while 11 are in the care of the hospital at the present time. Of this number,

154 were healed,
48 improved,
2 not improved,
8 died,
5 of those dying admitted incurable
95 operations,
8 childbirths,
Norwegians 162,
Swedes 23,
Germans 10,
Native Americans 6,
Irish 5,
English 1.
Italian 1.

M. G. Peterson Fertile; A. M. Sivertson, Crookston; Norman Hanson, Fertile; Rev. T. T. Ove., Crookston; are retiring directors (of the twelve on the board of which 4 are elected every year). They were re-elected. The business of the meeting had not been finished up to four o'clock.

Th seventeen delegates present (holding 67 proxies) were: P. J. Eftеland, L. S. Kolden, A. M. Sivertson, O. P. Ojen, O. H. Brouillard, Rev. T. T. Ove, P. O. Onstad, M. G. Peterson, Rev. Ofstedal, O. K. Berget, M. Lunaas, Dr. H. Holte, T. H. Rud, Norman Hanson, C. M. Bergh, O. M. Anderson and E. J. Loken.

PASTOR OF CHURCH FOR 30 YEARS

Rev. O. N. Fosmark anounced Sunday that he decided to tender his resignation as pastor of the Synodical Lutheran church of Fergus Falls. The resignation will not take effect until some time during the summer and in the meantime a new pastor will be secured. Rev. Mr. Fosmark is the oldest minister in Fergus Falls in point of service, having been pastor of the Synodical Lutheran church there for the past thirty years, and he has also ben very prominently connected with the Park Region Luther in raising a large portion of the funds for the erection of that institution. He has not fully decided as to his future course.

Rev. Fosmark is well known in Crookston having delivered a number of sermons in this city. Few ministers ever serve the same church for nearly a third of a century and few ministers have been as successful in their endeavors as Rev. Fosmark.

WOULD NOT WITHDRAW HIS RESIGNATION

The special committee appointed a short time ago by the members of the Baptist church to urge Rev. C. C. Markham to withdraw his resignation, reported at the meeting last evening that Rev. Markham had refused to withdraw it, consequently it was accepted. The resignation was to take place on or before June 1st next.

HIS LEG BROKEN BY FLYING CHAIN

On Monday while Otto Volrath was engaged in assisting in the removal of the Presbyterian church at Bathgate to its new location the draft chain broke when at great tension and flying back came in violent contact with Mr. Volrath with the result that his leg was broken. He was taken to a surgeon at once and every care given but he suffered great pain The break is of a serious nature and it will probably be several months before the leg will have improved so that he will be able to use it much.

"There's no place like home." That's why some married men spend most of their evenings at the club.

CITIZENS WIN AT CASS LAKE

RESULT OF ELECTIONS MEANS THAT CITY WILL HAVE

A BIG OVERHAULING IN THE NEAR FUTURE IS VERY CERTAIN

From Thursday's Daily—

After the most exciting political fight ever waged in the history of Cass Lake the citizen's ticket headed by L. M. Lange won out Tuesday in the contest for the selection of village officers for Cass Lake for the ensuing year.

When the polls opened Tuesday morning and the sheriff read letters from the governor and attorney general and Assistant Attorney General Weeks appeared on the scene, matters took a decided change for the better.

The first two of the many woodsmen who had been induced to vote (illegally) after being challenged, swore in their votes and were immediately arrested. This put the fear in the rest and they left the village.

The controllers of the election stated positively at the outset that no one conected with the citizens' ticket would be permitted within 50 feet of the polls, and to that end a chain fence was built around the voting places. But when Governor Johnson's letter was read and assistant attorney general spoke, the gang backed up and the chain was practically ignored.

The two men arrested will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law and given a chance to prove they had a right to vote there.

The election of the citizen's ticket means that Cass Lake will receive the greatest overhauling ever known in its history. L. M. Lange the president of the council is known as a man who never shirks his duty and he has held many honorable positions. Besides being the present judge of probate of Cass county, he was formerly receiver of the United States land office at Marshall a former judge of

The full ticket elected is as follows:

President—Lange.
Trustee—Koeneman.
Trustee—Sitzer.
Trustee—J. E. Lundrigan.
Recorder—Hough.
Treas.—Neils.
Justice—Ives.
Assessor—Swanberg.
Constables—Latendrie, Wright.

GOING AFTER RAILROAD

VALLEY CITY IS AFTER EXTENSION OF THE MILWAUKEE

The talk of the extension of the Milwaukee, which now has its northern terminal at Harlem, Sargent county, N. D., going to Valley City, is being renewed at present by many Barnes county as well as Valley City people. The Commercial club has the matter in hand and will act when the proper moment arrives. It is understood that the Milwaukee will not build any more branches until their main line is completed to the coast then they will consider the Harlem extension. In the meantime, Valley City and Barnes county people will be busy in securing a right of way if not building the road.

GREENBUSH HAD HOT ELECTION

The spring election was enlivened in Greenbush by the hard fight made by the socialists to carry the day, 76 votes were cast being the largest vote ever cast in the village. The following were the successful candidates on the citizens' ticket.

Pres.—A. A. Burkee.
Trustees—K. K. Grivi. John Aas, T. Lundevall.
Treas.—H. A. Von Rohr.
Clerk—M. J. Heglund.
Justice—A. F. Kulas.
Constable—Gilbert Anderson.
Assessor—Mike Johnson.

The question of license was not voted on, Greenbush has five saloons..

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

ACTIVE WORK IS COMMENCED

CONSTRUCTION WORK IS BEING PUSHED ON BILLINGS AND NORTHERN ROAD

AN IMPORTANT CONNECTING LINK WITH THE BURLINGTON RAILWAY

Active work on the construction of the Billings & Northern, which is being built by the Great Northern between a small station beyond Billings Mont. and Great Falls, will be resumed the early part of next week, when crews will be placed at work laying steel. The line, which is 194 miles in length, has been under construction for about two years. Practically all the grading work has been completed all along the line. About 32 miles of rail was laid last fall, but work was discontinued on account of cold weather.

With the opening up of the season this work will be resumed and pushed as rapidly as possible. Unless unforeseen delays arise the track laying should be completed by the end of July or the early part of August. Meantime the work of ballasting the track will proceed and it is expected that thenew section of line will be ready for operation some time in the fall, probably about Oct. 1.

The new line extends properly from Laurel on the Northern Pacific, to Armington, thru which connections are made to Great Falls. The line will cross the new St. Paul Pacific coast extension to the east of Harlowton.

With the opening of this line freight and passenger traffic from the Pacific coast will practically have a direct route to Chicago via Billings, which is reached by the Burlington. This will obviate the necessity of hauling freight and passengers via St. Paul and will materially lessen the distance and shorten the time.

POLK COUNTY NEEDS MORE SUCH FARMERS

F. B. PHILLIPS ARRIVED WITH STOCK AND MACHINERY

F. B. Philips, a prominent and substantial farmer from Eagle Grove Ia., who owns land on section 36 in the Town of Andover, and who arrved with his horses, cows and machnery last week and is settled in the buildings on section 24 in the same township, there being no buildings on his own farm, spent yesterday in the city getting acquainted with local business men.

Mr. Phillips is a practical farmer of considerable means, and will farm his land right, and is therefore certain to succeed. He will diversify and later on will probably purchase 400 or 500 arces more of Red River Valley land.

He is pleased with the outlook, and specially pleased with the weather and is certain to make one of Polk county's most substantial farmers. Polk county cannot have too many farmers of this type. He not only knows how to farm, but has plenty of means to farm the right way.

WHO PLANTED THE ARSENAL?

Last evening as Elmer Erickson a son of Ed Erickson was on his way home he found a "plant" at the north end of the Sampson addition bride in the form of 32 calibre revolver and a box of cartridges. Tracks showed that some one had been in that vicinity very recently, the plant having been made just under the edge of the bridge on the river bank. This morning he made a further search but found nothing but two pairs of ladies' curling irons and these did not throw any light on the arsenal end of the deal. The police will investigate.

INDIANS SEEK $1,500,000.

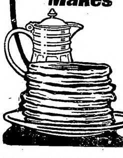
Gamble Secures Favorable Report on Claims of South Dakota Reds.

Washington, March 14. — Senator Gamble secured a favorable report on the bill to refer to the court of claims the claim of the Medawakanton and Wapakota bands of Sioux Indians for annuities, forfeited in 1862. The amount involved is $1,500,000.

PIONEER STOCKMAN IN JAIL.

Pleads Guilty to Charge of Fencing Public Land.

Helena, Mont., March 14. — David Fratt of Billings, a prominent pioneer stockman and politician, appeared in the federal court late yesterday and pleaded guilty to unlawful inclosure of the public domain. He was sent to jail for forty-eight hours and fined $250 by Judge Hunt.



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ACCUSED OF RAISING BILLS

BRAINERD MEN IN JAIL FOR MAKING CURRENCY ELASTIC

WOHLHAUPT WAS FORMERLY A RESIDENT OF ANGUS BUT LEFT

From Friday's Daily—

Fred Wohlhaupt and S. Brooks of Brainerd are confined in the county jail at Duluth on the charge of passing counterfeit money. They will be held for investigation by the grand jury at the next term of the United States district court.

It is said that the two had successfully inaugurated a quiet little game of changing the figures on $1 bills to $10 and had scattered a large amount of them around the town before being caught.

They were given a hearing yesterday before Judge Page Morris of the United States district courrt who fixed their bail at $1,500 each.

Wohlhaupt was at one time a resident of Augus but left this section some time ago, and has not since been heard from.

FORMER RESIDENT LOSES HUSBAND

News has been received here of the death of James Watson of Wyandotte Mich., a short distance from Detroit and the news will be of special interest here from the fact that his wife was formerly Miss Agnes Goudbout whose family resided here for many years her father having been a well known shoemaker, removing to Wyandotte about 1890 to reside.

Mr. Watson was a well known and highly respected citizen of Wyandotte and was the city marshal of Wyandotte in 1902-3-4. He was a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Eagles. Death occurred Wednesday of last week and the funeral was held Saturday.

Besides his wife, he leaves three children, two sons and a daughter who will receive heartfelt sympathy from friends of the family here. He was forty years of age and died of paralysis after a long illness.

H. T. GENDRON SHOULD DRAW A PENSION

H. T. Gendron who was re-elected as town clerk of Gentilly township Tuesday is now serving his 20th year as clerk of that township. It would look as tho it is about time he was drawing a pension. It certainly shows that he is a faithful servant of the people in that capacity or he would not have been continued in office for one fifth of a century and prospects are good for a continuation indefinitely as long as health remains Few officers have served that length of time continuously in Polk county if there are any others the Journal would like to hear from them. Here's hoping Mr. Gendron will serve 20 years longer.

6,000 TONS STEEL FOR GREAT NORTHERN

The Great Northern has placed its order for 6,000 tons of steel rails. It amounts in all to about 425 miles of track. A considerable portion will be used in completing the line of the Billings & Northern, the construction of which has been going on for nearly two years and the remainder will be used in replacement along the various parts of the line.

LAND RULES MORE RIGID

REGULATIONS ARE ISSUED RELATIVE TO OCCUPATION

OF SCRIP TERRITORY BY DEPARTMENT AT WASHINGTON

New regulations have been issued by the general land office of the department of the interior in regard to the occupation of government scrip lands. The local office handles some of this business. The new regulations will become effective April 1.

The location or selection of land must be accompanied in addition to the evidence required by existing rules and regulations, by affidavit of the locator, selector or some reliable person possessed of the requisite personal knowledge of the premises, showing that the land is not already occupied.

The locator will be required to begin publication of the notice of his selection at his own expense in a newspaper designated by the register. The publication must cover a period of 30 days. During this time a similar notice must be posted in the local land office and upon the lands included in the location and each of the noncontiguous tracts.

The published notices must describe the land located and give date of the selection. They must also state that they are issued for the purpose of giving other applicants for the land an opportunity to present their claim to the proper authorities.

Prof publication must consist of an affidavit of the publisher or foreman or other employe of the newspaper in which the notice is published. The first and last days of such publication and posting must in all cases be given.

RUSSIA TOWNSHIP TO BUILD ROADS

BOUGHT GASOLINE GRADER AND TWO REVERSIBLES OF N. P. STONE & CO.

$200 was voted for the general fund and $300 for the road fund according to Town Clerk Simmons who spent to day in the city.

Walter Stone attended the meeting and sold Russia township the latest improved Russell Gasoline Grader and Two Russell Reversible road machines of the latest pattern and Russia will certainly have some fine roads in the near future.

The election in Russia township yesterday was a very quiet affair tho there was a good turn out and much interest shown in township affairs.

Telegraphing Made Easy

A Soo Line Operator Invents a Machine that Makes the Dots—Sold All Over the World

F. T. Vail, formerly chief operator of the "Soo Line" at Minneapolis, now the chief electrician of the International Vailograph Co. with an aggressive and pushing organization at his back, is heralded as the latest great inventor in the telegraphic field.

As is generally known, a telegraph operator "talks by dots and dashes" made with a key that opens and closes the electric circuit. To make dots and dashes is nerve racking work. In rapid sending it is estimated that an operator makes 30,000 nerve movements an hour. Mr. Vail has invented a machine that makes this part of the work child's play, as the Vailograph makes the dots. A large number of telegraph operators and other people with money to invest are buying stock in the company, which has recently installed a factory at Minneapolis and will sell its product all over the world. Parties seeking a safe investment will find it to their interest to write the
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Minnesota Belittled

The Springfield, Mass., Republican speaks somewhat slightingly of the presumption of Minnesota, a state so far removed from the culture and learning and narrowness of New England, in having a presidential candidate, says the Duluth Herald.

It speaks of Governor Johnson as "twice elected governor of a state that does not rank very high in population, weath and the diversity and complexity of its social and administrative problems;" as much as to say that a state that shines so dimly when the refulgence of Massachusetts is emblazoning the firmament has a lot of nerve to be trotting out a presidential candidate.

It is very clear that it is necessary to remind the Republican that there is a good deal of the United States outside of New England, and even west of the Alleghanies. Minnesota need not fear to compare itself with Massachusetts at any time or in any contest. It is younger, of course, and that is its chief offense; however, youth is a disability that even states will, in time overcome.

As to population, it is true that there are more populous states than Minnesota, but there are none with a higher average of citizenship and intelligence not even Massachusetts. Fifty years ago Massachusetts was sixth in population among the sister hood, and now it has sunk to seventh fifty years ago Minnesota was thirty-sixth, and now it has risen to nineteenth. Fifty years hence at this rate Minnesota and Massachusetts may have changed places.

If the Republican will look at the Statistical Abstract of the United States it will find more interesting intelligence that it does not now possess It will find that this state's wealth was estimated in 1905 at $3,343,722,076, while Massachusetts, with its greater age and population, was worth $4,955,578,913. Per capita, this is $1,909 in Minnesota and only $1,766 in Massachusetts. At the same time, Massachusetts was in debt $72.72 per capita, and Minnesota only $22.07 per capita.

In that year too, the value of railroads and equipment was $250,052,000 in Massachusetts and $466,734,000 in Minnesota. Massachusette is heavily burdened with taxation compared with Minnesota, the per capita taxation upon an ad valorem basis being $9.61 in Minnesota and $17.06 in Massachusetts. Minnesota's prosperity was more stable than that of Massachusetts, because in that year this state had only 291 failures while Massachusetts had 887. Between 1900 and 1905 Minnesota increased the number of its manufacturing enterprises, while those of Massachusetts fell off.

From 1880 to 1900 Minnesota's farms increased in number from 92,386 to 154,696 while those of Massachusetts fell off from 38,406 to 37,715. The percentage of farm acres under cultivation in Minnesota, in the same time, increased from 54.1 per cent to 70.3 per cent, while in Massachusetts it fell off from 63.4 per cent to 41.1 per cent. In the same period the value of farm property in Minnesota increased from $238,718,864 to $788,684,642 while in Massachusetts the increase was only from $164,288,956 to $182,646,704.

As to "diversity and complexity of social and administrative problems," the advantage should be all in favor of Minnesota; in favor of a young, vigorous and growing state with all the industries that Massachusetts has and many besides and against an old settled, slowly deteriorating commonwealth and its problems—in its own mind—settled and disposed of.

The Foundation of Prosperity.

Today Crookston is honored by the presence of many of the leading farmers of this section who are here to attend the Institute which is in progress in the city hall.

Nothing could be more truly indicative of the steady progress being made by the farmers in this section that the attendance at such institutes not only here, but at the numerous other places in the Valley where they have been held during the past week or ten days by the same corps of institute workers. It was not many years ago that it was next to impossibel to get more than a mere handful of people at such a gathering. Now it is difficult to get a hall large enough to accommodate the crowds that attend. The big council room at the city hall was entirely inadequate to take care of the crowd that assembled today from all parts of Polk county.

Nothing could show more plainly a desire to progress by the farmer than to attend such a meeting. It is not only knowledge about the raising of grain that he wants, for most farmers are pretty well versed in that line already, the best breeds and proper care of hogs, sheep and stock of all kinds, and, more than anything else a better insight to successful dairying.

The middle states all passed thru the forced change from exclusive grain raising to diversified farming. The Red River Valley is in the throes of that change now, and nothing could point to permanent prosperity as surely as does the general interest manifested by the farmers of this section on the subject.

The farmers of this section are the foundation of both present and future prosperity. Manufacturing plants will help, but a farmers on every farm in the valley, who is progressive and is diversifying more and more each year—who is improving his methods—getting more and better stock—will insure a permanent prosperity for this entire section which can never be shaken.

Crookston extends a hearty welcome to every farmer here today and doffs her municipal cap to them. Were it not for the farmers there would be no Crookston. May a new prosperity be dawning for them. Every sign is hopeful at the present time. Thru their industry and progressiveness the Red River Valley is today one of the most favored spots in the entire land.

While in many places, not only in this country, hunger and cold have resulted in great suffering, the farmers have made the Red River Valley a haven where hunger has no place. Again we bid the brain and brawn from the rural districts thrice welcome to Crookston.

At its last meeting the Fergus Falls Commercial club passed resolutions endorsing the candidacy of John G. Grass of that city who aspires to be elected as a member of the State Railway and Warehouse Commission We have not the pleasure of the acquaintance of Mr. Grass and he may be ideal timber for the position he seeks. However that may be we are of the opinion that the Fergus Falls Commercial club is making a very bad move in getting into politics of that character. There are occasions in connection with legislative matters when a commercial club may very properly pass resolutions stating the position of the members, but the function of a commercial club is not to get into the political game, and those that do will find their usefulness materially curtained soonerr or later.

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BANK IN NORTHWESTERN
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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

(Pioneer)
FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

MARSHALL COUNTY LICENSES—Marriage licenses were issued in Marshall County last week to Lars L. Turan and Christina Sagmoen, Sevent Benson and Betsey Sagmoen. Messrs. Turan and Benson reside in Red Lake county.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL—John Roholt departed last night for Moorhead where he will attend the funeral of his brother-in-law O. Studlen, who died Wednesday at Kragness at the age of 82 of old age. The old gentleman had been ailing for some time and Mr. Roholt had already spent a week with him.

NELSON CURE POPULAR—Chas W. Nelson a mechanic of Thief River Falls filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States court at Fergus Falls Saturday, placing his assets at $1,100.85, of which $300 is exempt, and his liabilities at $1,843.

RECORD FOR CREAMERIES — Tony Johnson, representative of the International Harvester Company, recently sold twelve cream separators to farmers in the vicinity of Greenbush. Almost every family who has become well settled has one of these machines in its dairy.

CUPID STILL BUSY — Clerk of Court Johnson of Red Lake County reports marriage licenses issued for last week as follows: Chriss M. Thorson to Bernitina A. Marken, both of Highlanding; Peter Spangrud, of Roseau County, to Anna Berg, of Thief River Falls.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED—The many friends of Mrs. S. H. Drew of McIntosh will be pained to learn of the death of her mother, Mrss. Isabella Smith who died at her home in Chicago on Monday March 2nd. Mrs. Smith has visited with her daughter at McIntosh many times in years past and had many warm friends there.

BOUGHT PROPERTY—A deal has been closed whereby Andrew Magnuson of Dugdale became the owner of the Ole K. Moen residence property in North McIntosh. Mr. Magnuson is a railroad man and was accompanied by Otto Camp, the Dugdale store keeper, who is also figuring on investing in property at McIntosh.

A FINE GIRL— Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Hamery of this city are the proud parents of a fine 9 1-2 pound daughter which arrived Tuesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Hamery's parents in Minneapolis where she has been visiting for the past few weeks. Mr. Hamery returned from Minneapolis this morning and is stepping high

HAVANAS FROM "BUGDOM" — Senator Stephens on Saturday received by mail from Washburn the famous government entomologist a box of fine Havanas with this note, "To the Senate "Bug Man" from the Real "Bug Man" (Washburn) with compliments." It is a recognition of the Polk County Senator's attention to destruction of pernicious agricultural pests in state legislation.

LAKE PLEASANT OFFICERS — At the Lake Pleasant Red Lake Co., town election held at Perrault station the following were the officers elected for the ensuing year: P. Schoenauer, supervisor; M. Ducharme, town clerk and assessor; Wm. Schaper, treasurer; F. E. Glass justice of the peace; E. Quesnell, constable; Sam Luxomberg, pound master.

FREE TO NEWLY-MARRIED — We will send a copy of the Polk County Journal free for six months to every couple in Polk county to get married during the year 1908. To take advantage of this unprecedented bargain, all a young man will have to do is to get his girl and get hitched, and upon receipt of his postoffice address we will send the paper. The Journal does not believe in race suicide.

MOVEMENTS SUSPICIOUS — The finger of suspicion is being pointed towards Emil W. Dahlof, the foreman of the news room of the Hallock News who spent Sunday in Crookston It is believed that he is planning a robbery, and that the scene of operations will be in Crookston. His visits to this city are very regular and it is believed that one of these days he will return to Hallock with one of Crookston's very fairest.

HANDED A LEMON—Irwin Burkhardt was about the maddest man in Crookston this morning. He found a package addressed to himself at the postoffice and unwrapped it, dreaming in the meanwhile of a beautiful remembrance from some young lady in the surrounding towns whom he had charmed with his violin while playing at some swell ball. Fancy his disgust when—in plain sight of all—he uncovered a nice yellow lemon. He made no comment.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

POPULAR MAIL CLERK— Harry Roney the well known mail clerk who formerly had a run on the St. Vincent line but who is now running out of Fargo is visiting friends in the city a few days. He will leave in a short time for visit with his home folks at Greenfield, Ind.,—so he says—but there are good reasons to believe that he will spend more time visiting "folks" at somebody else's home in Greenfield—and the next announcement will probably have some thing to do with fitting up a cosy home at Fargo for the reception of a bride.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon funeral services were begun over the body of Matt Cornelius in the Methodist church after short services at the house. Notwithstanding the heavy blizzard a large concourse attended. A perfect mountain of floral offerings rested on the coffin that contained all that remains of his mortality.

Prominent among these was the wreath of the M. W. A. Mr. Cornelius was an old settler and active until the last days of his life. His remains were buried at Oakdale cemetery.

The pall bearers were: F. Creamer, Martin Hanson. O. H. Richardson, John Amundson, Ed Erickson and Carl Riedesel.

Brass Becoming Popular

Brass is becoming popular again. It is suitable theshrdluntiaeoshrddd It is specially the vogue among the members of the 400. It is suitable of course, for table decorations. Brass centerpieces filled with flowers and brass candle sticks make a very pretty table. Another popular fad that is here to stay and one than can be enjoyed by rich and poor alike, is that of serving golden grain belt beer at mealtime. This nutritious beverage pleasese the palate and satisfies the thirst. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crockston.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

MUCH IMPROVED—Miss Winnie Stocker of Beltrami who has been very ill with typhoid pneumonia is able to sit up and her rapid recovery is now predicted.

LEFT THE STATE— Wylie Phillips left this morning for a business trip to Devils Lake and Lakota, N. D., where he will spend a couple of days looking after his laundry affairs

ZENOR ARRIVES—L. L. Zenor, well known former land man in this city, arrived yesterday evening from Heron Lake, S. D. where he is at present located in the banking business. He departed last evening for Donaldson and drove in from Euclid this morning.

TO IDAHO—L. I. Benoit well-known former butcher of Crookston departed from this city last Sunday night for Minneapolis where he joins his son, Albert, who departed south some time ago, and they both then go to Twin Falls, Idaho where they will locate.

Sluggish livers and bowels are the of nearly every disease. Cleanse your system and regulate the bowels and liver to healthy, natural action by Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. The surest remedy known. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

A FINE SON—Mr. and Mrs. Chris Tvedten are the parents of a fine son who made his appearance last Saturday. Mother and babe are doing well, and the young man feels his importance as he was preceeded by three sisters and proposes to be rule of the entire roost.

MAY LOCATE HERE—A. French and A. Cariveaux returned to their homes at Grafton this morning after spending a few days in the city visiting with J. F. Verreaux. They expect to return to Crookston in a short time and locate here permanently as they are very much pleased with this city.

"GOOD TOWN ANYWAY"—A travelling man made a race for the Greenbush train this morning but Steve Withey's go-cart pulled out just as he was at the Palace hotel corner. "Well," he said between puffs "Crookston is a mighty good town to spend another day in anyway. I'm glad I got left."

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

VISITORS—

Visitors registered at the school as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Morken of East Grand Forks; Mr. and Mrs. Jacobson of East Grand Forks; Mrs. Paul and Mrs. Danielson, city; Mr. Malm of Argyle.

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PERSONALS—

Misses Thompson and Nordlum of the city visited friends at the school over Sunday.

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Mr. Chris Fossbakken of Fosston visited at the school over Saturday.

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Prof. D. A. Gaumnitz of St. Anthony Park visited at the school Wednesday on his way to Winnipeg to give demonstration work. He addressed the students at Chapel and his talk was very much appreciated.

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LITERARY—

The literary program for last Saturday was as follows:

Song by Society.
Recitation ...... Hilda Hendrickson
Song, ...Misses Medchill and Moen
Reading ... ...Mr. Sether
Song ... ...Girls' Choir

Debate: Question was, Resolved that dual purpose cows are better to have on the farm than pure dairy type.

Debaters on the affirmative were Messrs. Erlandson, Jacobson and Malm, and the negatives were Messrs Peterson, Sether and Monson. The affirmative won.

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INSTITUTE CORPS—

The Minnesota Farmers' Institute corps comprising Messrs. C. W. Hale C. O. Carlson, R. A. Schutz, E. Thompson and H. C. Thompson, visited the school Sunday afternoon.

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SUNDAY SERVICES—

Judge Montague addressed the students at the regular Sunday afternoon services. He talked on "What to Read and How to Read It." His speech is excellent. Mrs. Montague accompanied Mr. Montague to the school.

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VISITED MOORHEAD—

Prof. L. P. Harrington visited Moorhead Friday and addressed an attendance of over 1,000 persons on the subject of 'Industrial Training". He reports great enthusiasm shown in this department. Saturday he addressed a meeting of a similar nature at Breckenridge on the subject of Industrial Training and School Equipment. The attendance there also was large.

TO NEW LOCATION — E. Engstrom, the well known tailor, today moved from his old location over Anderson's drug store to the building at 214 North Broadway, formerly occupied by the Minnesota Fur Co. His business is increasing rapidly and his cleaning and pressing work as well as his tailor made suits are proving very popular. Give him a trial and you are sure to be satisfied.

BOUGHT NEW STOCK — Arthur Fournet proprietor of Fournet's Furniture store returned yesterday from the cities where he purchased some additional up-to-date stock. Mr. Fournet believes in carrying the very best to be had in his line. Business in the furniture line is picking up rapidly and the spring trade will soon be on in full blast. Mr. Fournet feels very optimistic regarding the future and looks for a good brisk trade the coming season.

A FALSE REPORT — The report that Travelling Engineer J. M. Carrall of this city had resigned his position was erroneous and entirely without foundation. Mr. Carroll, with other travelling engineers has been called to St. Paul for three weeks on a "cold test" and after his return here will resume his regular work with more territory than he had before. How the rumor originated that he had resigned is a mystery, unless due to some practical joker who cannot distinguish between a joke and nonsense.

Makes blood and muscle faster than any other remedy. Gives health, strength and vitality. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea towers above all other remedies for making sick people well, and well people "weller." 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

FINE PRESENTS—Geo. Remshardt who belongs to the coast artillery and is stationed at San Francisco has just sent two handsome presents to relatives here. To his sister, Miss Bertha Remshardt he sent a very fine belt the buckle of which is decorated with a gold Eagle which is the insignia of the Coast Artillery. To his brother Conductor Will Remshardt he sent a handsome watch fob with a similar buckle, tho smaller in size. both presents are very unique as well as beautiful and are highly prized.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

PLOWING IN ILLINOIS — Alvin Brainerd of Fisher who has been spending some time in Illinois arrived in the city this morning. He states that they are plowing there and the weather is opening up splendidly.

WELL ATTENDED SALE— The big auction at the Mason Roberts farm southwest of the city is being attended by an immense concourse of farmers and city men from all parts of the country.

LIKE MINNESOTA EGGS — Supt. J. M. O'Neale of the Minneapolis and Northern Elevator Co., went thru from Grand Forks to Fosston this morning on business for his house. He was also bent on getting another case of Minnesota fresh eggs during the trip. He says the home folks say no eggs are as fresh as those he gets over in Minnesota.

We're sorry if you've tried other medicines and they failed. As a last resort try Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's a simple remedy, but it's worked wonderful results, made millions well and happy. 35c, Tea or Tablets.—A. G. Andersen.

HERE FROM FERTILE—Dr. Kahala and A. F. Cronquist of Erskine spent the day in the city. The former returned home last evening and the latter went to Fertile where he spent today on business.

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL — Morton McKnight of Erskine who has been in a local hospital for some time past has been released and has returned to his home. He will soon be as good as new.

HERE FROM CLIMAX—Hans Samuelson, the Democratic warhorse of Climax is spending the day in the city. Mr. Samuelson will without doubt file as the democratic candidate for Sheriff of Polk county.

STUDENTS ENTERTAINED—The students at the state school of agriculture were entertained at dinner yesterday by the 25,000 club as well as the farmers. The boys took dinner at the Grand Central in a body.

PEGGED AHEAD A YEAR— Fred Welter one o fthe successful and progressive farmers of Andover spent the day in the city attending to some business matters and called to the Journal office to peg his subscription ahead for another year for the daily.

AFTER HORSES— Salem Mageau left this morning for Kelliher where he has had 20 head of horses working for Ross and Ross this winter. He will bring them back in a few days. He was accompanied by Mrs. Mageau as far as Bemidji.

VISITED SON —Robert Erlandson of Kennedy one of the progressive farmers of that section who has a son attending the school of agriculture at the State Experimental Station spent yesterday in the city attending the Farmers' institute and visited with his son.

DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED—At a meeting of the Stockholders of the Crookston building and Loan Association last evening, Hon. A. D. Stephens, M. E. Kirsch and Virgil McGregor were all re-elected as directors. The association is in a flourishing condition.

GOES TO HOMESTEAD—M. Hegstad of Ada was in the city yesterday enroute to his homestead which is located 7 miles north of Gully near Wanke postoffice where he will remain for some time. Of course he ordered the Daily Journal while in the city.

RODENBERG HERE—Hon. George W. Rodenberg of St. Paul is a visitor in the city today. Mr. Rodenberg is one of the leaders in the Minnesota house and an acepted candidate for speaker of the house at the next session He is a strong friend of drainage and was an active factor in drainage legislation at the recent sessions. Business as supervisor of the Equitable Life brought him to the city.

A Life at Stake

Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's diseaase and diabetes start with a slight irregularity that could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney Remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. For sale by all druggists.

THE RESULT OF THE ELECTIONS

VILLAGES AND TOWNSHIPS ELECTED OFFICERS THRUOUT THE STATE MARCH 10—GENERALLLY QUIET BUT TILTS OCCURRED IN SOME LOCALITIES—THE LICENSE QUESTION WAS VOTED ON IN MANY PLACES—RESULTS GIVEN IN ACCESSABLE TOWNS AND VILLAGES

March 10 was election day in all townships and villages in the state of Minnesota, and as usual it was the big day of the year in many places. In this section the elections were very quiet, tho here and there occurred the customary lively fights for some office or over some issue. Below follows the election results as complete as could be secured the first day after election:

VILLAGES

ADA

Mayor—C. J. Lofgren.

Aldermen—J. E. Volland, E. C. Betcher, Jason Weatherhead, Allan Harvey.

Treas.—Hans Holder.

Justices—Louis Hintze, A. O. Roalf

Constables—Geo. Helland, Oscar Hennerud.

ARGYLE

Pres.—T. K. Onstad.

Trustees—C. J. Robertson, Fred Keye, Frank Barsaloux.

Treas.—H. Hedquist.

Clerk—E. A. Brekke.

Assessor—A. J. Marsh.

Justices—R. G. Marlette, S. S. Daniels.

Constable—Otto Stoltz.

MENTOR

Pres.—Jos. Tagley.

Trustees—Halvor Torkelson, Louis Larson, Wm Talliday.

Recorder—F. E. LePage.

Erskine

Pres.—G. Odegaard.

Treas.—Theo. Nelson.

Assessor—T. Nelson.

Justice—G. K. Espeseth.

Constables—N. N. Swanson, N. Melquist.

Tav levy $600.

McIntosh

Pres.—Chas. L. Congers.

Council—E. A. Webster, Ed. Johnson, I. K. Halvorson.

Clerk—H. Helgeson.

Treas.—Alfred Hoel.

Assessor—Ed Stowe.

Constable—Edwin Stovern.

Some of the charity that begins at home makes a hasty getaway.

Treas.—M. O. Madson.

Assessor—J. L. Sletten.

Constables—Albert Gundeson and C. N. Barnes.

No justices of the peace were elected.

FERTILE

Pres.—Jas. F. Hanson.

Clerk—A. Gullickson.

Treas.—Ed Mossefin.

Assessor—F. J. Cunningham.

Justice—Gust Groberg.

License—54 for; 74 against.

CLIMAX

Pres.—Hans Sammelson.

Clerk Emile Erickson.

Treas.—J. A. Fossum.

Assessor—John Dahl.

PJustice J. P. Soes.

Constables—Gust Gilbertson, W. B. Mellang.

Trustees—Ole Braseth, Aug. Lindblad, A. J. Smeby.

Fosston

President—J. E. Campbell.

Trustees—John Hillestad, H. K. Lee O. R. Vaaler.

Recorder—O. A. Brager.

Treasurer—Jos. Lenes

Assessor—H. C. Sampson.

Justices—K. Movold, John Vig.

Constable—Harry Johnston.

Lengby

President—A. J. Olson.

Trustees—P. A. Sederberg, Geo. Welte, O. K. Ringstad.

Recorder—C. G. Christiansen.

Treasurer—E. J. Olson.

Assessor—A. J. Bye.

Justices—C. G. Christiansen, E. J. Olson.

Constables—Alfred Stav, C. H. Kampstad.

VOTE ON LICENSE

For License

Village	Majority
Ada	37
Climax	16
Fosston	12
Hallock	68
Halstad	5
Lancaster	14
McIntosh	2
Mentor	7
Stephen	31
St. Hilaire	32
Ulen	8
Roseau	
Greenbush	3
Bagley	
Lengby	
Karlstad	13
Winnipeg Junction	

Against License

Village	Majority
Beltrami	16
Donaldson	1
Erskine	19
Fertile	20
Kennedy	20
Shelly	4
Twin Valley	4

TOWN SHIPS

CROOKSTON

Supervisor—B. H. Cochrane.

Clerk — A. J. Kelly.

Treasurer—J. M. Stephens.

Assessor—J. Winters.

Justices of the Peace—A. Anderson J. Dupris.

Constables—E. F. Kelly, Adolph Heydt.

Fairfax

Supervisor—Charley Nelson.

Clerk—John Amundson.

Treasurer—John Sylvesterson.

Assessor—Ole E. Rude.

Justice—James Hedley.

Constable—A. S. Millard.

Taax levy $200.

Road Tax levy $500.

WINGER

Supervisor—Peter Krogstad.

Clerk—H. S. Aasen.

Assessor—Herman E. Wold.

Treas.—Tom J. Haugen.

Justices—John Jenson, Andrew J. Haugen.

Constable—Tideman Wold.

Columbia

Supervisor—C. A. Carlson.

Clerk—F. M. Hartley.

Treas.—Alfred Beckstrom.

Assessor—John A. Carlson.

Constable—Carl Bakken.

Tax levy $1,225.

Road tax levy $500.

Esther

Supervisor—Ludvig Larson.

Clerk—Wml. Pape.

Treas.—S. E. Erickson.

Assessor—Hans Swansen.

Justice—James Monson.

No tax levy for last 3 years.

RUSSIA

Supervisor—Ole Olesen, Jr.

Clerk—Oren Simmons.

Treas.—Arthur Hasty.

Assessor—B. O. Linberg.

Justices—B. Hinton, B. O. Linberg.

Constable—Arthur Hasty.

Tax levy town fund $200.

Road tax levy, $300.

Keystone

Supervisor—Geo. Rutherford.

Clerk—R. A. Gunness.

Assessor—D. D. Geddes.

Treas.—Wm. Gunness.

Justice—D. D. Geddes.

Tax levy $175.

Road tax levy $550.

ANGUS

Supervisor—Herman Osterloh.

Clerk—J. W. Campion.

Treasurer—D. H. Miller.

Assessor—J. A. Stroble.

Constable—D. Snelling.

Amount of tax levy—7 mills tax.

Fisher (Village)

President—R. T. Webster.

Clerk—C. U. Webster.

Treas.—W. D. Hamilton.

Justice—N. F. Kile.

Constable—Geo. O'Brien.

Brandsvold

Chairman—Hans L. Leet.

Supervisors—Gust Berg, E. Pederson.

Clerk—K. E. Flaskerud.

Assessor—Christ Thoreson.

Treas.—Michael Ekern.

Justices—Herman Berg, John Utick

Constable—P. O. Sjol.

Brandt

Supervisor—Philip Wieland.

Clerk—Paul Useldinger.

Assessor—Oscar Hauglid.

Treas.—Oscar Hauglid.

Queen

Supervisor—Christian Kvernen.

Clerk—H. M. Dalhholen.

Treasurer—Jacob Bjontegaard.

Assessor—H. M. Dalhholen.

Constable—Albert Erickson.

Hammond

Supervisor—E. I. Ulseth.

Clerk—J. H. Emmeck.

Assessor—H. A. Tofsley.

Justice—James Dewar.

Constable—W. Arnold.

Treas.—Chas. Lariviere.

Tax levy $500; poor fund $50.

Road tax levy $75.

Fisher

Supervisor—Julius Wazner.

Clerk—R. T. Webster.

Treasurer—Louis Larson.

Assessor—R. T. Webster.

Justice—A. O. Stontroen.

Constable—Geo. O'Brien.

Higdem

Supervisor—I. Finseth.

Clerk—A. N. Anderson.

Treasurer—Enick Nelson.

Assessor—Sam Dalen.

Constable—Martin C. Anderson.

Tax levy $850.

Parnell

Supervisor—E. C. Harve.

Clerk—Martin Casey.

Treasurer—Michael Casey

Assessor—John Isley

Justice—Jacob Ershinger.

Tax levy $200

Road tax levy $300.

Gentilly

Supervisor—Pat Kelly.

Clerk—H. T. Gendron.

Treas.—Pierre Brule.

Assessor—Joel J. Sauve.

Constable—Arthur Leblanc.

Tav levy $500.

Road tax $500.

Knute

Supervisor—Ole H. Dorr.

Clerk—J. O. Mestad.

Assessor—John Mahlen.

Justices—John Clementson, Thos. Torgerrson.

Constable—Joe Dusell

Tax levy $200.

Road tax levy $200.

Huntsville

Supervisor—Ludfer Monda.

Clerk—D. B. Ferguson.

Treas.—F. D. Stuart.

Assessor—Chas. L. Ryan.

Justice—James Cumming.

Constables—C. L. Coulter, Marian Boushey.

Tax levy $700.

Sandsville

Supervisor—Henry H. Oberg.

Clerk—Henry Nelson.

Treasurer—Henry Hendriksen.

Assessor—Andrew Paulson.

Justices—H. A. Niquist, Paul Henriksen.

Constables—P. Dalberg, H. Niquist.

Tax levy $200.

Nesbit

Supervisor—Edward Will.

Clerk—James Gilmour.

Treasurer—John A. Bryson.

Assessor—James Gilmour.

Justice—E. S. Brown.

Constables—William Wagoner, Joseph Gordon.

Tax levy $100.

Road tax levy 6 mills.

Beltrami

Pres.—N. S. Byington.

Clerk—Iver Johnson.

Treasurer—T. O. Hofdahl.

Assessor—J. W. Heath.

Justices—C. C. Heath W. J. Bond.

Constables—H. O. Budd, A. L. Gunderson.

Roadmaster—William Street.

Tax levy $550.

Lowell

Supervisor—Fred Liebert.

Clerk—Julius Wentzel.

Treas.—J. K. Quamme.

Assessor—Jac. Wiedenhofer.

Justice—C. Hardrath.

Constable—Ferd Ross.

Tax levy $1000.

Sletten

Supervisor—Charley F. A. Boldt.

Clerk—Dreng Grundysen.

Treasurer—Nels H. Lofthus.

Assessor—Dreng Grundysen.

Justices—H. T. Torgersen, N. Trulson.

Tax levy $200.

Road tax $200.

Woodside

Supervisor—H. A. Erickson.

Clerk—H. G. Mitchell.

Treas.—H. G. Sandli.

Assessor—Marius Christianson.

Justices—Emil Johnson H. A. Erickson.

Constables—Seth Jones, Knute Omang.

Amount of tax levy $450.

Liberty

Supervisor—G. W. Barth.

Clerk—Gilbert Overland.

Treasurer—Andrew Holen.

Assessor—Hans Holmvih.

Justice R. R. Scott.

Constable—Ed Hamre.

Tax levy $200.

Road tax levy $1000.

Eden

Supervisor—Paul B. Okstad.

Clerk—John P. Sather.

Assessor—Herman Johnson.

Treas.—Victor E. Thorson.

Justices—Benne Krogstad, Benne O. Larson.

Constables—Andrew O. Bakke, Joseph Plechette.

Hill River

Supervisor—H. L. Hanson, John Enarson.

Clerk—Fred Syverson.

Assessor—T. Torkelson.

Treas.—A. W. Tongerson.

Justices — Andrew Hanson Chas. Thomas.

Constable—W. Schinunk.

Helgeland

Supervisor—A. L. Engen.

Clerk—Christian Andreason.

Treasurer—Elling Olson.

Assessor—Christian Andreason.

Justice—Ole Morud.

Constable—John Walso.

Road tax levy 5 mills.

Grove Park

Supervisor—E. B. Knudson

Clerk—Louis W. Borchert.

Treasurer—Milton Clark

Assessor—Louis W. Borchert.

Justices—Gilbert Hanson, Louis W. Borchert.

Constable—Geo. Bunzey.

Tax levy $1050.

Road Tax levy $400.

King

Supervisor—T. H. Aakhus, 3 yrs.

Clerk—Chas. McCarty.

Treas.—Osov Froirak.

Assessor—Gulik S. Moen.

Justice—John Halvorson. Berg.

Constables — Peder Husby, T. M.

Tax levy $1000.

Road tax levy 4 mills.

EUCLID

Supervisor—Peter Rutherford.

Assessor—R. H. Balfour.

Justice—R. H. Balfour.

Treas.—Peter Stuhr.

Clerk—J. S. Chapin.

Constable—F. C. Acker.

Bygland

Supervisor—J. M. Grashoug

Clerk—S. K. Flaat.

Treas.—Geo. Olson.

Assessor—Anthon Lindeen.

Justices—S. K. Flaat Alfred Salstad.

Constables—Ole A. Moe, Aanon S. Langhie.

Tax levy $350.

Road tax levy $700.

Sullivan

Supervisors—Michael Driscoll, Oscar Ulve.

Clerk—F. N. Kolars.

Treasurer—J. F. Sullivan.

Justices—F. W. Kolars, Andrew Roton.

Constable—Thos. Omeland.

Road Inspector—Andrew Roton.

Grand Forks

Supervisor—Ole Fuff.

Clerk—Robt. Anderson.

Treasurer—B. J. Hagen.

Assessor—Thomas McCoy.

Tax levy $200.

Road tax levy 5 mills.

Badger

Supervisor—Henry Ronne.

Clerk—E. O. Melsness.

Treasurer—A. J. Haugen.

Assessor—Ole N. Sather.

Justice—Knute Dovery.

Tax levy $500.

ROOME

Supervisor—Ole Knudson.

Clerk—H. O. Larum.

Assessor—H. Brevig.

Treas.—H. Palm.

Constable—Emil Marwin.

Belgium

Supervisor—John Stroot.

Clerk—H. Cowan.

Treas.—Frank Stroot.

Assessor—J. P. Gorgeom.

Justice—John Stroot, Jr.

Godfrey

Supervisor—Ole S. Vallesater.

Clerk—And. Christianson.

Treas.—P. C. Moe.

Assessor—K. Tedmanson.

Justice—N. Z. Horton.

Constable—John Nephew.

Tax levy $250.

Road tax levy $300.

Andover

Supervisor—F. M. Styter.

Clerk—John Roboer.

Assessor—A. W. Anderson.

Justice—Fred Welters Davis.

Constables—Peter Hordte, Anderson

Tax levy $600.

ROSEAU IS UP IN ARMS

FARMERS AND OTHERS WILL TRY TO GET RIGHT OF WAY BACK

THEY CLAIM TO HAVE A PROPOSITION FROM THE SOO ROAD TO BUILD

There is blood on the moon up in the Roseau Country. Since the receipt of the letter last week from President Louis W. Hill of the G. N. to the effect that neither the Great Northern nor any other road wanted any more trackage in Minnesota under the present conditions and that there was no hope of any steel being laid on the grade from Greenbush to Warroad, the people along the right of way are up in arms.

Legal advice has been secured and steps will be at once taken by the farmers to get the right of way bacq. Most of it was donated to the Great Northern to secure the road, but the rest was secured under condemnation proceedings. The farmers whose farms are cut up now propose to get their land back and will carry the fight into the courts.

The Roseau people claim to have received overtures from the Soo and will cut loose from the Great Norththe Soo proposition instead. They claim that the Soo will have trains running in time to move the next crop if the Great Northern right of ern as soon as possible and accept way is vacated.

BOLD THIEF GRABS WOMAN'S CASH

ELIZA FULLER CARRIED HANDBAG—STILL HAS THE HANDLE

Eliza Fuller, of Glasston, was robbed on Kittson avenue, between Third and Fourth street Grand Forks last evening about 8 o'clock by a bold thief who grabbed her handbag containing $15 as he passed her. The girl held the handle of the satchel in her hand.

A thoro search was made by the police but no arrest has been made. A clue has been secured however, and it is probable that the thief will be caught before many hours.

Miss Fuller came from Glasston to visit a girl friend and they were walking down the avenue when the man robbed her.

Chester

Chairman—Olaf Thomas.

Supervisors — Ola Sanden, Nels Groun.

Clerk—O. J. Matson.

Assessor—A. O. Brendhaug.

Treasurer—Anton K. Tiegen.

Justices—Theo. Walseth, K. K. Moen.

Constables—A. Nelson, Albert Anderson.

Rosebud

Supervisor—Carl C. Hagen.

Clerk—John E. Juvrud.

Treas.—C. F. Hasselton.

Assessor—M. E. Juvrud.

Justices—J. K. Melland, Ole A. Synstegaard.

Constable—A. Bakken, O. H. Sanbeck.

Tax levy $700.

Fanny

Supervisors—Jens Rasmussen, one year; R. Volken, three years.

Clerk—G. H. Barnes.

Treasurer—John Ekblan

Assessor—I. B. Retzner.

Justice—John Nellson.

Roadmaster—I. Radl.

Tax levy $200.

Road tax levy $500.

Rhinehart

Chairman—John Swenson.

Supervisor—Peter Bach.

Supervisor—Wm. Umphry.

Clerk—Oscar Wick.

Assessor—Magnus Gunderson.

Treas.—Ludvig Olson.

Justices—Oscar Wick Geo. Moor.

Constables—Fred Wickley, Chas. Schroeder.

Johnson

Chairman—Aufind Ness.

Supervisors—H. P. Lund, Nels Engelstad.

Clerk—Chris Steele.

Assessor—G. O. Frostly.

Treas.—Edwd. J. Wanke,

Justices—G. O. Frostly, Jacob Brovald.

Constables—Ole Hanson, Ole Haugen.

Brislet

Supervisor—Gustaff Peterson.

Clerk—Geo. Anderson.

Treasurer— J. B. Nelson.

Assessor—Geo. Anderson.

Justice Ed. Springmire.

Constable—John Edgar.

Tax levy—$200.

ELECTRIC ENGINEER

LEFT THIS MORNING TO SURVEY LINE FOR ELECTRIC RAILROAD

RUNNING FROM GREENBUSH TO ROSEAU AND OTHER POINTS NORTH

From Tuesday's Daily—

Jarvis C. Mott of Chicago, an engineer on the New York-Chicago Electric Air line, has been staying in this city for the past two or three days and departed this morning for Greenbush, Minn. He was accompanied by a cook, a complete camping outfit, two helpers and had survey instruments sufficient to make a preliminary survey.

He intends to operate for four weeks along the well-known Greenbush-Roseau sandridge upon the apex of which the Great Northern grade for the proposed Greenbush-Warroad extension has already been built and has been waiting for the past three years for steel.

It is well known that electric companies and promoters have been watching the conditions which developed in connection with this grade construction ever since there arose from the inhabitants of Roseau county and tributary country a protest against the Great Northern's delay in laying the steel.

The inhabitants of that country had been led to believe that the Great Northern would lay its steel the first fall and, when that illusion had been dissipated, the fall following. But nothing has been done with it and probably will not be until the state legislature revises its legislation, if impending developments permit it to be done then.

The land now included in the G. Northern right-of-way was obtained chiefly under protest and by condemnation proceedings. The former owners are beginning action to regain possession of the land.

At a meeting of the Badger commercial club last October items were submitted showing that the freight alone at present transported by team from Greenbush to Badger and Roseau and intermediate towns for a distance of thirty-five miles would make an investment in an electric railroad a paying one from the start.

While no organized efforts has been made to interest promoters in the scheme certain individuals have heralded their probable financial interest in any proposed project. The country has awaited the income of modern transportation facilities to develop its latent wealth and would be interested in any feasible project. Engineer Mott has been over the line before.

BAGLEY HAD THREE CORNERED MUNICIPAL FIGHT

At the municipal election held in Bagley three tickets were in the field The voters were very much divided between the different tickets. No ticket was elected in its entirety. The following will constitute the village officers for ensuing year. President, E. Erickson; Councilmen, O. G. Lee, Lars Ohdahl, Val. Post; Recorder A. Moline; Treasurer, Oscar Barnes; Assessor, J. H. Loen; Justice of the Peace, Bert Day; Constables, Bert Nelson and Bert Steindl.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for working this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other

In Spite of Aunt Merrivale.

By ETHEL DOUGLAS.

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Nancy started angrily as the porter dropped a suit case into the front seat of her section and Philip Graham followed him to the seat.

"This is ungenerous," she said tensely when the porter had taken himself off. "How did you discover that I was coming?"

"I am afraid that you will not credit my protestations," said Graham soberly, "but I assure you that my surprise equals your own. I was telegraphed for not two hours ago. I had just time to throw a few things into the suit case and run for the train. I was under the impression that you were to remain with your aunt a week and that—last night would make no difference in your plans."

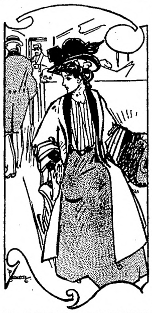
"Last night had nothing to do with it," disclaimed Nancy. "Father wired for me. I am afraid that it is serious, and you elect to follow me and annoy me with your arguments."

"I have already assured you of my entire ignorance of your presence on the flier," said Philip stiffly. "In proof of my good intentions I shall betake myself to the smoker until I am able to arrange an exchange of seats with the conductor."

He raised his hat and stalked forward in the direction of the cafe car, leaving Nancy with her feelings sadly ruffled. Only the night before Graham had proposed to her and had been refused. She was certain that her aunt, Mrs. Merrivale, had managed to get word to Philip that Nancy had been telegraphed for. His presence here was a part of Mrs. Merrivale's matchmaking plans.

Had she been left to herself Nancy would have accepted Graham; but, being a young person of spirit, she declined to be forced upon Graham or to have him forced upon her. From the beginning Aunt Merrivale's plans had been too obvious.

They were flying through the yard now. She could not leave the train.



GRAHAM PASSED HER ON HIS WAY TO THE DINING CAR.

Of course Philip would be back later to explain that he was unable to effect an exchange into another car. Probably he would spend the evening across the section from her, and, unlike the men, there was no place to which Nancy could retreat.

She was genuinely surprised when presently a strange porter came for the suit case, placing another in the seat in its place. She smiled to herself with satisfaction. It was plain to be seen that she had shown Graham how she had penetrated his plan, and he had acknowledged his defeat. Idly she wondered if he would leave the train at Philadelphia; then mentally she scolded herself for taking any interest in Philip Graham's movements.

They were well past Philadelphia when Graham passed her on his way to the dining car, and Nancy rather admired him for his persistence in remaining away from her. At least he was too clever to betray his disappointment that his ruse had failed.

The night had settled down. Lights were dull, and reading was impossible. Nancy had answered the first call for dinner, and she resigned herself to idling the long hour until the berths were made up. The message calling her home had been vague in the extreme, and in its very vagueness it was the more alarming. Her father might be dying for all she knew, and the thought bore down upon her.

She was peculiarly sensitive to moods, and the atmosphere of the half deserted car was depressing. Through the closed door of the stateroom at her back came the wailing cry of a baby, to which was occasionally added the more lusty note of a growing child. Across the aisle a man played innumerable games of solitaire, the sharp whir of the shuffle punctuating his grunting, half audible comments at the run of bad luck. Just ahead two women were discussing dressmaking in shrill tones which rose above the steady rattle of the train, and here and there some man leaned idly back in his seat and turned his newspaper with a rustle that jarred on nerves already at a tension.

Nancy felt that she must scream. She had slept little the night before after her interview with Philip, and when at last she had been able to doze off she had been aroused to read the telegram calling her home. From then until train time it had been a steady confusion, and the meeting with Philip in the car had added the final touch to her nervous condition.

As he returned from the diner to seek the car ahead she half started from her seat, but sank back in confusion. It would never do to tell Philip that she needed him. He would think that she was seeking to reopen the question of last night, and he would suggest that the need was permanent.

But as the minutes dragged past Nancy's discomfort increased, and at last she signaled the porter and directed him to go after Graham. The porter grinned understandingly as he went forward to the cafe car and presently returned with Graham, whom he presented with the proud air of accomplishment worn by the magician who extracts a rabbit from a hat.

"You are ill?" Philip asked, with grave concern, as he noticed the drawn lips and the feverish sparkle of her eyes.

"Not ill," she explained, "but I shall be presently if I have to sit here and listen to the wailing of those children, with no one to talk to. I thought—perhaps—you wouldn't mind doing a charitable act and talk to me for a little while."

"Philanthropy becomes a pleasure when it assumes so inviting a form," he declared, with a smile, as he sank into the seat beside her.

Graham was a capital conversationalist, and almost before she realized it the porter had begun to take down the berths, and Graham glanced at his watch.

"Don't go yet," pleaded Nancy, and Graham smiled.

"I was going to ask permission to wait until after the next stop," he said. "We can take a little walk on the station platform and get a breath of fresh air before we face the smother of the berths."

"There's the whistle now," said Nancy as she reached for her hat.

The train slowed down, and presently they were pacing up and down the platform. There was a sharpness in the air that was grateful after the overwarmed car, and Nancy was sorry when the warning came to get aboard again.

The porter from Graham's car approached them as Nancy resumed her seat. He handed Graham a telegram.

"I wired your father for more particulars," Philip explained when he had read the message. "Your aunt from San Francisco is visiting your father and wished to see you before she returns to the coast."

"Is that all?" Nancy's face expressed the relief she felt. "Isn't it odd I never thought of that? But I never told you that I was worried about father," she added.

"Not in words," he admitted. "I could see it in your face. And now that your mind is set at rest I shall say good night."

Nancy watched him until he had almost reached the end of the aisle; then she ran after him, catching up with him just as he reached the vestibule.

"Is that all you wanted to say?" she asked as she swayed lightly toward him.

"Not all I wanted to say," he replied, "but all that I was permitted to say."

"The rest is permitted, and the answer is 'Yes' this time," was the impulsive reply. "I'll marry you even if Auntie Merrivale does want me to."

And Graham's eyes smiled comprehendingly as he bent and kissed the rosy lips. He was not appreciative of matchmakers himself.

Colors In Dreams.

Red and yellow are the dream colors if Dr. Havelock Ellis is right. No other hues come to the dreamer of dreams. Simroth has declared that red is the most primitive of colors, and long ago protoplasm from which human beings derived their origin on the new earth probably responded to or was affected by red color waves.

In the depth of the sea the algae, or seaweed, are red. With the savage red is the favorite color, and for a bright piece of red calico African savages gladly would give valuable elephant tusks.

Red strikes the note of intense emotions. It is the color of joy, exultation, jubilation. Savages paint themselves red and rejoice at seeing each other in burning hues. German women of the early ages daubed their bodies with brilliant red and yellow and considered themselves most beauteously adorned.

On sacred festivals in Rome and Greece, Pliny records, red was smeared over the statues of Jupiter and was the color of religious rejoicing. The human eyes, it is said, can distinguish 100,000 different hues or colors and can appreciate and differentiate twenty shades of each hue. In other words, the eye is capable of 2,000,000 color impressions.

His Diamonds and His Paste.

Bob Palmer, the comedian, had been originally a billsticker, a fact pretty generally known among his colleagues of the stage. One evening when dressed for the character of Sir Brilliant Fashion he strutted into the greenroom with buckles sparkling on his shoes and a fine diamond on his finger. A brother actor inquired if his gems were real. "To be sure they are. I wear nothing but diamonds," was the reply, whereupon Bannister remarked, "I congratulate you, Bob, for I can remember when you wore nothing but paste."

Palmer did not take the joke with becoming good humor, and an angry altercation ensued, which was only broken when Mrs. Jordan cried out: "Why don't you stick him against the wall, Bob? Stick him against the wall!"—London Telegraph.

ANSWERED LAST CALL

MATT CORNELIUS PASSED AWAY AT BETHESDA HOSPITAL AT 10 A. M.

NEVER REGAINED CONSCIOUSNESS FROM SECOND STROKE OF PARALYSIS

From Friday's Daily—

This morning Matt Cornelius breathed his last at Bethesda hospital. He was taken to the hospital last Monday, having suffered a stroke of paralysis at noon of that day, and never regained consciousness. About four weeks prior to that he suffered a lighter stroke and the second one following so soon caused grave apprehension on the part of the attending physician as to his recovery.

Mr. Cornelius was one of the pioneer settlers of this section. When he first came to Crookston about 30 years ago he clerked for Fontaine & Anglim, and in that capacity soon had a wide acquaintance. Later he farmed, and has operated a farm a mile and a half south of the city for many years. He also owned another farm about nine miles from the city which he sold about a year ago. He has made his residence on Robert street, Jeromes addition for about 20 years and his wife died there about 10 years ago.

Deceased was deputy County Auditor of Polk county for many years and had a wide acquaintance thruout the county as well as in Crookston, and was held in high esteem. He was 58 years of age and leaves four sons, Ivan aged 17, Clarance aged 15, Virgil aged 13 and Cyrus aged 11, all of whom live at home, and who in their hour of sad bereavement have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community. He also leaves two brothers in this county, John of Sampsons addition and Pete who resides south of town.

Mr. Cornelius was a man of thrift and leaves his orphaned children in most comfortable circumstances. His death will cause widespread sorrow for tho quiet and reserved his strict business integrity and warm heart made friends of all with whom he associated.

The funeral arrangements have not been completed but will be announced in Saturday's issue of the Journal.

The funeral services over the remains of Matt Cornelius whose death took place yesterday, will be held Monday afternoon. The services at the residence on East Robert Street, Jeromes addition, will be held at 2 o'clock sharp, and after the short services at the house services will be held at the M. E. Church, Rev. T. E. Green officiating.

The services will be in charge of the Modern Woodmen of America of which deceased was a member.

BOTH BANANAS AND PEACOCKS

"The Journal and other Valley papers often refer to this section as the 'Banana Belt" but never heard any of you refer to the fact that Crookston has also started in the Peacock line. Here is a good news item, the details of which I am not permitted to divulge. There are city officials, however, who can give you a tip on the status of the peacock colony in Crookston. I have seen one bird myself, and cannot see why the project should be shrouded in such mystery unless the flock is so small that those who are 'next' are all desiring to get the choicest tail feathers."

And that is all we were able to get out of our informer.

It is rumored that radical changes will be made on the Northern Pacific system this spring. Acording to report the passenger division point, which has been located at Staples for years, will be moved to a new town in North Dakota, just outside of Fargo. This will leave but one passenger division between the cities and Fargo, which is located at Little Falls.

The company laid off a large number of men at Staples during the past few weeks. Others have been set back. Some of the oldest employes on the road have been set back eight years in their line of promotion.

WAR DEMAND IS SUBSIDING.

Japs Beginning to Look at Tatsu Maru Affair Differently.

Tokio, March 14.—The demand of the press and public of Japan for aggresive action against China in connection with the Tatsu Maru affair is subsiding.

The Asahi, one of the most influential newspapers, discusses the matter at length and urges the government to seriously consider the moral side of the case and not to press China to extremes.

LOGGING IS ABOUT DONE

SEASON SHUTTING DOWN—4 CAR HORSES RETURNED THIS MORNING

TWO WEEKS MORE OF PRESENT WEATHER WILL FINISH THE WORK

From Saturday's Daily—

Matt Quirk, P. S. Quigley, C. Wilcox and A. S. Webster, well known settlers on the Red River due west of this city returned this morning from Blackduck thru this city with two cars of horses, bound for home.

The gentlemen have been spending the winter logging for Ross and Ross of Duluth.

They have been operating at Gemmel, 52 miles north of Bemidji. They say that when they left the weather was not favorable for logging. However they agree late changes will further operations. They quit because of dissatisfaction with their logging company and are not at all backward about expressing their opinions of same. A good many teams from this, Euclid and Angus vicinities are working for this company.

The party left this city shortly after noon for their homes. They were accompanied by others with two more cars of horses.

Two Weeks Good Weather

F. L. Hampson of the Wild Rice woods where lumbering is going on about the headwaters of the Wild Rice River. He says that the sudden thaw Wednesday and the earlier part of the week discouraged lumber men, but if the weather at present prevailing continues for two weeks more everything will be in first class condition and the lumber business for the coming sawing season will be given a wonderful impetus. Mr. Hampson was on his way to Ada the home of the Wild Rice Rice Lumber Co. The Company is rushing its work.

HOMESTEADER SHOT LARSON BY MISTAKE

THOUGHT LARSON MOOSE IN THICK TIMBER—NEAR BEAUDETTE

Peter Larson was shot east of Rapid River near Beaudette last Tuesday while chopping wood by a homesteader named Wingren who was tracking a moose and thought Larson its body in the thick woods. Wingren fired twice, one missed, the last penetrated Larson's abdomen and he died before a physician could be reached. Wingren was formerly near Beaudette. Wingren left yesterday for International Falls to give himself up.

SUPT. O'NEALE IS VERY OPTIMISTIC

Supt. J. M. O'Neale of the Minnewho passed thru the city last night enroute to Grand Forks from Erskine stated that there is an abundance of seed grain in the country this year, and that reports from the various agents thruout this section indicate a disposition to seed about an average acreage the coming year, which is more than has been sown for the past five years. There will be more grass sown, he says and a much larger acreage of corn than for many years.

GUY MONROE BREAKS INTO POLITICS

The many friends of Guy Monroe, one of the well known young men reared in this city, will be interested to learn that he has political aspirations, and that the bees in his "bunnet" have already collected two boxes of honey. He has been named assistant postmaster at Fowlds, where he is now located, and at the recent election was elected village treasurer as well. At this rate in about two years more Congressman Steenerson will have to look well to his laurels or it will be "Congressman Guy Monroe."

Six Chinamen Perish in Fire.

Marysville, Cal., March 14. — Six Chinese dead, two others badly injured and one building partly destroyed, was the result of a fire in Chinatown in this city early yesterday. The fire is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

LOST GIRL IS FOUND

LEFT CALGARY MONDAY, AND NOTHING HEARD OF HER SINCE THAT TIME

MRS. OLSON OF ST. HILAIRE TOOK HER IN CHARGE AT WINNIPEG

From Friday's Daily—

Relatives are frantic regarding the whereabouts of Ragna Bye, a little 13 year old girl who left Calgary, Canada Monday enroute to Bemidji, and no trace of her has been found since that time.

She should have passed thru Crookston Tuesday evening, but the conductor on that train says he did not have such a passenger. Her baggage arrived at Bemidji Wednesday and relatives there at once started an investigation.

Supt. Elliott of this city received a telegram from Bemidji yesterday but all efforts to locate the missing girl have proved fruitless. Inquiry among the conductors who run on 7 and 8 indicate that she was never on No. 8.

It is the theory that the little girl either lost her way in Winnipeg or has met with foul play.

From Saturday's Daily—

Miss Ragna Bye the lost immigrant from Calgary, was in this city last evening in care of Mrs. J. T. Olson of St. Hilaire, Minnesota. She departed this morning for Bemidji on the 9:15 train. Mrs. Olson went her way to St. Hilaire.

When seen at the train this morning the little girl who cannot speak the English tongue seemed oblivious of the fact that the police of four cities and two great corporations were exerting their efforts to discover her.

"No," said the little girl thru an interpreter to the Journal representative, "I did not know they were looking for me. You see I come into Winnipeg way up there and got lost in a big house (hotel). They took care of me well there, but they said I had lost my ticket (directions for transportation) and they asked me where I was going.

"I forgot the name of the place where I was going, but I told them I was coming to this big town, Crookston, and they sent me away on the train with Mrs. Olson who was going that way. She treated me nicely."

When Mrs. Olson saw the article in the Journal of last evening regarding the lost child she renewed the ticket of the little girl, directing her to friends in Bemidji. They arrived from Winnipeg last evening.

INGAR MATTSON SEEKS A DIVORCE

Ingar Mary Mattson of Winger, has brought suit for divorce against Nels Mattson, setting up as a cause that she was forced to marry him against her will, and cruel and inhuman treatment, and asks that she be given the care of the children two boys 9 and 18 years old respectively. As a defense, defendant denies the same and alleges that she abandoned both the children and him seven years ago without cause, and that she is not a fit person to have charge of the children. W. E. Rowe appears as attorney for the plaintiff and J. A. Hendricks for defendant.

Conductor A. J. Neil of the Great Northern received a telegram last evening announcing the death of his father, J. T. Neil at Chicago yesterday. Mr. Neil left last evening on the flyer and will reach Chicago today.

Death was very sudden and his son did not know what the cause was. He received a letter from home a few days ago and no mention was made of any illness. Deceased was 52 years of age and had been a vigorous man both mentally and physically.

Deceased leaves a wife and three children, A. J. of this city and Hazel and Harry of Chicago.

The remains will be taken to the old home at Ames, Ia., for interment.

The members of the Northwestern Minnesota Poultrymen's Association the new organization just formed of the poultrymen in this section, met last evening at the city hall. The Association has 28 members and 12 were present at the meeting last evening The by-laws were read and adopted and another meeting will be held some time in April.

It was decided that D. E. Hale of Wayzata should be secured for the judge of the poultry show which they will hold in December. He is said to be a competent judge and a popular official.

Does Your Heart Beat

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CARRY TO THE DISTRICT COURT

EDEN FARMERS WANT FORMATION OF NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS DENY PETITION—MOEN AND JOHNSON APPEAL

From Saturday's Daily—

Because the county commissioners at their last meeting denied the petition from farmers in Eden for the formation of a new school district out of districts 239 and 243 in that town, Ole O. Moen and Henry Johnson of the original petitioners have appealed the case to the District Court. Petition was filed in the district court proceedings this afternoon.

TWO RED LAKE CO. DECISIONS

NEW TRIAL IN BARRON CASE IS DENIED—BERGMAN WINS

Judge Watts of the District court today denied a motion for a new trial in the case of Joseph Cyr vs Barron case being appealed from Red Lake Falls where it had been decided in favor of the defendant. It was an action brought for alleged breach of warranty with regard to the quality of some hay belonging to Barron.

In the case of Larson and Carpenter vs. Paul Bergman a motion had been made to set aside a conveyance of land from Bergman to John Bergman and Mikalecky. The court decided in favor of the defendant. Judge Watts denied the motion. The decision of the Crookston Water Works suit for injunction has been delayed by Judge Watts by new submission of evidence in the case of the court from time to time thru the week.

BETHESDA CHOSE OFFICERS FOR 1908

PETERSON, FERTILE, PRES., SIVERTSON AND ANDERSON BUSINESS COMMITTEE

Late in the afternoon yesterday at the meeting of the stockholders of the Bethesda Hospital Association in the basement of the United Norwegian Lutheran church on south Ash, M. G. Peterson was re-elected president; Rev. Ove, secretary; Rev. Ofstedal, vice president; Norman Hanson, treasurer; A. M. Sivertson and C. M. Anderson, business committee. The meeting was concluded by discussion of the policy to be followed in the future.

"Refused notice." Every editor has received them, says an exchange. The postmaster sends it to the editor. For instance, there is a man by the name of, well say John Jones, who refuses to take his paper out of the postoffice. He did not want it any longer. We wondered what was the matter. Upon investigation of our subscription book we found John was short $5.70. He had stopped his paper as a matter of economy to us. A few evenings ago we stepped into church, and John's melodious voice rang out loud and clear in the soul-stirring song, "Jesus paid it all". We might have been mistaken, but his earnestness impressed us. The next day we sent him a receipt in full, begging his pardon for not knowing he had made an assignment of his liabilities to the Lord.

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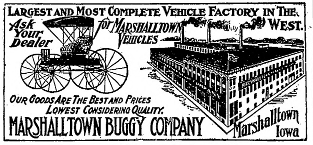
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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

RUNNING A TRAIN—Joseph Nelson, conductor on the Great Northern is now at Port Arthur operating a train on the Canadian Northern.

DRAWS SCHOOL MONEY — Narcisse Mirault school treasurer of district 48 in the town of Parnell, was in town today drawing school moneys as per last November's settlement.

NO IMPROVEMENT—The condition of Mat Cornelius in Bethesda hospital remains about the same. He has not yet regained consciousness and it is feared that he will not rally.

CLAIM AGENT HERE—Claim Manager Flannery of the Great Northern was in the city last night and is on business about towns in this vicinity for two or three days. He expects to be in Crookston nights.

SCHOOL HAS RESUMED— The Roberts school resumed its session last Monday after a vacation of several weeks on account of the prevalence of the measles among the pupils. Miss Allie Brunner of this city is at the helm.

CONDITION SERIOUS — There is no improvement in the condition of Street Commissioner Frank Jerome who has been ill for the past few days. He has serious trouble with his throat and much apprehension is felt regarding the outcome.

BROUGHT TO HOSPITAL— The son of Ole Larson who had his foot terribly crushed at Fisher, as reported in the Journal yesterday was brought to the St. Vincent's hospital this morning where he can receive the best of treatment. It is hoped the foot can be saved.

RABBI HERE— Rabbi Papermaister of Grand Forks spent yesterday in the city calling on those of the Jewish faith. He makes regular trips here to call on parishioners and also comes over and kills all animals intended for their consumption. This is one of the strict rules of the faith and they all adhere to it.

FURNISHING THE AMUNITION—Fred Brosseau was of the opinion that the thirsty of Climax would need a litle of "Little Fred Special" to celebrate their victory of Tuesday and spent last night there. He returned this morning and headed for St. Hilaire to attend to some critical cases in his line.

WILL CONTINUE LINE—The Thief River Telephone exchange will continue its Germantown line to Brunkeberg, the poles having been distributed this week. This will give the eastern towns an opportunity to conect with the line at a point neare rto them than has ever before been the case. The poles will be set early in the spring.

HAD OPERATION— Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea Jr., who has had trouble with one of his eyes for some time past, submitted to an operation and is going about with one lamp hid beneath a roll of cotton batting. This is a 'really and truly" version of the story and the report that a prisoner used one of his well-lights for a punching bag was started by a jealous friend who is in the habit of handling the truth very carelessly.

PROBATE COURT POSTPONED—Owing to the sickness of Judge Morken and his confinement in the Bethesda Hospital, probate court work is not being transacted in the county building this week and will not be until Mr. Morken is able to get out. Many communications are being received seeking his action but they will be left unattended until the illness loosens its grip.

JUST COULDN'T CATCH A TRAIN—W. B. Krouse well known in this city as former insurance man and proprietor of the Rushford Hotel at Thief River Falls has been having an epidemic lately. He tried to catch a train to Grand Forks on business the other night and the next morning he wanted to go to Thief River and missed the Greenbusn train by a few minutes. His friends have all been sympathizing with him in his late illness. He managed to catch the Greenbush train at the crossing this morning.

FRANKLIN IS IN ST. PAUL—W. T. Franklin who for years operated one of the most lavishly equipped refreshment parlors in East Grand Forks and who sold out a short time ago and went to Seattle to join his family, has returned as far as St. Paul where he bought out Charley Derkins' place corner of 5th and Robert, near the Pioneer Press building and but two doors from Carlings, and has been in possession for several days. This will be a surprise to many here, as it was supposed he had retired from the business for good.

ALAS, POOR GRAVELLE—O. Gravelle and wife returned yesterday to their home at Red Lake Indian Agency; and thereby hangs an interesting tale. Only a few of the intimate friends of Mr. Gravelle were aware of the fact that he had but recently been married, and the son-of-a-gun took advantage of the childlike simplicity of the editor here of by attributing the retring disposition of his better half to the fact thatshe has been very ill when as a matter of fact Gravelle was laughing up his sleeve at the fact that he had recently been married and was fooling the entire bunch who live in town here. However, Gravelle will be called on the carpet at the next meeting of the Elks' lodge, when he will have to explain a few things.—Bemidji Pioneer.

From Friday's Daily

TOM KATZ HAS LEFT US—Tom Katz, the little Asiatic gentleman who was up before police court yesterday for peddling without a license, and who later purchased a license for one year, left the city last night on the Grand Forks train.

CONFERRED DEGREES—Last evening the members of Pierson Chapter No. 41 R. A. M. held a well attended meeting at which a number of candidates received the Royal Arch Degree. A lunch followed the degree work.

GOOD N. P. OFFICIAL TIMBER—Section Foreman Levin Anderson of the N. P. is rejoicing over the arrival of a fine son at his place yestedray and Foreman Anderson says he looks like a miniature vice president of the N. P. at a first glance. Both mother and son are doing well.

ON CLAIM FOR A WEEK—A. O. Nelson left this morning for his fine claim at McVail, Marshall Co., where he will spend a week or two attending to some contemplated improvements.

HERE FROM EUCLID—C. Stuhr, Robert Casmey and Alfred Vonderbeck were here yesterday from Euclid attending to some business matters. They found it better sleighing on the road home than they did coming down, but not quite so balmy.

CHANGE IN LOCALS—The Greenbush local freight and the Cass Lake local freight have been changed in schedule to run on every other day. The crews now go up one day and come back the next, one crew to the schedule.

OLD CROOKSTON RESIDENT — Edward Rydeen who worked for a Crookston newspaper three years ago passed thru the city this morning enroute to Bagley after a trip to Sibley county where he was called by the death of his father early in the winter.

VISITED MILDRED—W. M. Hughes of this city inspector for the U. S. postoffice department has ben at Mildred near Bemidji on an official trip. Mr. Hughes gives out no information as to his official movements, so no one knows just what he was doing at Mildred.

MOVING TO HOMESTEAD— Ed. Quigley, one of the well known farmers of Beltrami was in the city yesterday enroute to his valuable claim three miles from Thief River Falls where he will get things in readiness for moving his family there. He will return next Monday night and take his stock up in a car with household goods and machinery up on Tuesday morning.

INSTALLED OFFICERS — The Knights of Columbus held a lively session Wednesday evening at which the officers elected at a recent meeting were installed. The order which is among the younger ones established in Crookston is forging ahead at a rapid rate and at the meeting on Wednesday six new names were proposed. At this rate of growth the order will soon have as large a membership as the older fraternal organizations of the city. The officers installed were as follows: Grand Knight, J. E. O'Brien; Deputy Grand Knight, J. M. Schweizer; Financial Secretary, J. J. Flynn; Recording Secretary, M. B. Moran; Treasurer, F. R. Hamel; Trustees, William Anglim, John McKinnon, R. J. Montague Grand Warden, J. F. Driscoll.

HOTEL EVELYN OPEN— George W. Harris arrived in the city last Thursday from Winona and took control of the Rushford Hotel property which he purchased of James Meehan. Mr. Harris has named his hotel the Evelyn, in honor of his granddaughter. He has had a number of years experience in the hotel business has the required amount of capital and that he will make a success of the business goes without saying. —Thief River Falls News. The Rushford was formerly operated by W. B. Krouse of this city who is to again reside here.

A BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. Christ Haugen are the parents of a very fine baby girl which arrived at their home yesterday and assumed much authority at once as she is rule of the roost already. Mother and daughter are doing well.

HOME FROM THE WOODS—Anton Bangen one of the prominent and substantial farmers from near Climax is in the city today enroute home with two teams from the logging camps out east. He says he put in a fairly good winter. He paid another year in advance for the Daily Journal, which he says, he couldn't farm right without.

BIG GUNS HERE —James Arnold was over from Grand Forks last evening to get acquainted with his home folks and reaumerd shrdlue herrd folks and returned this morning. Last evening Bert McKee, who is also in the G. N. offices at Grand Forks came down from a visit to Winnipeg last evening and was the guest at the Arnold home here over night.

SAME OLD "DUD"—W. L. Dudley who has been visiting at Thief River Falls and Red Lake Falls since the first week spent last evening in the city between trains enroute back to Duluth where he has a lucrative position on the Duluth Star, the latest arrival in the newspaper firmament in Duluth. He called on all the old "prints" in this city and is the same old "Dud."

BOUGHT A FINE TEAM — Tom Sundet has purchased the fine black team of Christ Twedten, formerly used on the street sprinkler and has shipped the mate to the big gray which died a short time ago to the Hamm Brewing Co., at St. Paul which goes to show that the animal was a fine one as the Hamm people will have nothing else.

COVERING MUCH TERRITORY—Charles Kiewel came up from Halstad this morning and headed out again for Fosston. On the same tug were Eli Asselin who went to Erskine Fred Brosseau and Alex Thompson, the latter being bound for the White Earth Reservation to get a new gayly colored blanket, some war paint and other paraphernalia for the forthcoming Johnson war dance.

PLEASED WITH MANAGER C. L. BANG—Frank Bracelin of Crookston district manager for the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company, came over from Crookston yesterday and conferred with Charles Bang, local manager for this company. Mr. Bracelin found everything moving along nicely in the local exchange, and stated that he was well pleased with the work being done by Manager Bang.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Workman Shot for Moose.

Beaudette, Minn., March 14.—Peter Larson was accidentally shot through the abdomen by a homesteader named Wingren Wingren left yesterday for International Falls to give himself up.

It takes a woman to conceal what she doesn't know.

From Saturday's Daily

STORE AT TECKLA BURNED — Fire destroyed the large general store belonging to Julius Larson at Teckla, Clearwater county, a few days ago. The loss was complete.

LITTLE SON BETTER — W. H. McNeil came over from Grand Forks this morning to attend the bedside of his little son Donald at the Leguee home who has been critically ill but is improving slowly.

FIRE SAFETY CHANGES— Work is being done on the Eugene Field school to comply with fire regulations. The doors are being changed to open outward and outer steel stair fire escapes are planned on each end of the building.

NOT THIS YEAR—Manual Training and Domestic Science departments will not be added to the curriculum of the Fosston high school at this time. At a meeting of the Board of Education it was thus decided, it being deemed advisable owing to the financial condition of the district.

FROM TWO MONTHS' TRIP — Wm. Anglim who has been away on a two months' trip is expected to return home tomorrow evening via Winnipeg. He visited Seattle, Tacoma Portland and all important western cities returning home via the Canadian route.

MOVED TO ADDITION—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Musselman who have occupied a house on the hill on Front Street, have moved to the residence of Mrs. Kennedy on Washington Ave., Jeromes addition, which will be much more convenient for Mr. Musselman who is employed with the Slocum Grocery Co.

ATTENDED BUTTER MAKERS' CONVENTION — George L. Austin of St. Hilaire and H. A. Lidenberg of Fosston arrived in the city this morning from St. Paul and departed for their respective homes. They have been attending the Buttermakers' convention at St. Paul. They said it was the most interesting they have ever atended.

BACK FROM THE WOODS— G. H. Barnes returned this morning from the logging camps near Grand Rapids where he says the teams are still busy and that the present cold snap is helping them out wonderfully and that every day's work from this time forward will count wonderfully. The next thaw that comes will mean general breaking up of the camps as no further cold weather could be expected.

LETS LOCOMOTIVE KILL HIM.

Stranger Refuses to Step From Track When Engines Approaches.

Tower, Minn., March 12. — Disregarding the shrieks of warning from the locomotive whistle and refusing to leave the track upon which he was walking, an unidentified lumberjack deliberately permitted himself to be struck by a switch engine at the junction near here and was instantly killed.

CANOE TRIP ENDS IN DEATH.

Girl Drowns and Brother May Not Recover.

Beloit, Wis., March 12. — By the overturning of a canoe in the Rock river Miss Bessie Griswold, twenty years old, was drowned and her brother Ben, aged eighteen years, was taken from the water in a condition from which he may not recover.

Immigrants Pour In.

Huron, S. D., March 12.—More than 600 carloads of immigrants with their movables have passed through this town during the last few days to take up their residence on farms north and west.

$125,000 Fire in New York.

New York, March 12.—Fire practically destroyed a building in the heart of the shopping district. Adjoining buildings were somewhat damaged. The loss is estimated at from $80,000 to $125,000.

Bad Blaze at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, March 12.—Eight firemen were injured and the business section of Wilkinsburg, an adjoining suburb damaged to the extent of $125,000 by fire. Assistance was sent from this city.

Store and Household Goods Burn.

Strandquist, Minn., March 14.—Fire destroyed the store building and general stock of Sihlberg Bros., and the household furniture and personal effects of H. E. Sihlberg, who with his family occupied the rooms above the store. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is $3,500 and insurance $2,000.

Drowned in Mississippi.

Burlington, Iowa, March 14.—Theron Illick, aged twenty-three, son of J. T. Illick, a prominent Burlington attorney, was drowned yesterday by the overturning of a sail boat in the Mississippi river.

Is Brennen of Hokah.

La Crosse, Wis., March 14. — The stranger killed by a fast train at West Salem Wednesday has been identified as James Brennen of Hokah, Minn. He was recently examined, but found sane.

QUARANTINE RULE IS MISUNDERSTOOD

STATE OF WASHINGTON COMPLAINS AGAINST MINNESOTA—FEDERAL HEALTH AUTHORITIES INDUCED TO ISSUE REGULATIONS

Minnesota and its state board of health incur some undeserved onus in connection with new regulations planned by the federal health and marine hospital service to govern travel between states on the part of persons who have been exposed to small pox or any other contagious disease. This action of the federal board is said to have been brought about by a report from the Washington state board of health stating that many cases of smallpox in that state had been traced to Minnesota.

Dr. Wyman surgeon general of the marine hospital service announced when intervewed at Washington that he proposed regulations would be ready for applicaton within three or four weeks.

Dr. Wyman's information does not sustain the statement that Minnesota has withdrawn all quarantine regulations governing the isolation of affected persons and those exposed to contagon. As he understands the recent action of the Minnesota state board of health there is now no quarantine of all persons living in a house where smallpox develops. The patient is isolated, as formerly and the house in which the disease developes is placarded, but the state board of health has adopted a campaign of education by advising all persons exposed to the disease to be vaccinated.

This campaign of education appears to meet with the approval of the federal authorities, as being a move in the direction of preventing the spread of smallpox. Reports from various sections of the country are to the effect that the old method of quarantining entire households for fourteen days upon the development of the disease is onerous upon the "contracts" as they are called and that vaccination is the only scientific way of preventing the spread of the disease.

A Seattle dispatch quotes Dr. E. E. Heg secretary of the Washington board of health as saying that in the past month many cases of smallpox have come into Washington "some of which have come from Montana and some from Idaho, but I am satisfied that many were from Minnesota."

According to dispatches from Washington complaints are constantly being received from different states telling of the arrival within their borders of persons from other states who have developed smallpox.

Of all the states into which the disease has been imported, the Washington state board of health has been most active in invoking the power of the federal government to regulate traffic between the states. The activity of the Washington board has been directed particularly at Minnesota because of the understanding there that this state has raised its quarantine on smallpox.

"We have one instance in the town of Kerriston King County," he was further quoted as saying, "where a man from Minnesota communicated the disease to six persons, and there are other cases under investigation. If these investigations confirm my present belief, that they originated in Minnesota the only recourse we have will be to appeal to Surgeon General Wyman for protection."

The action of the Minnesota board of health in isolating only the person affected is understood in the state of Washington to be the outgrowth of the repeated "failure of the medical authorities of this state to secure the passage of a bill providing for compulsory vaccination."

POTATOES IMPORTANT PRODUCT OF MINNESOTA

SOME FACTS AND FIGURES REGARDING THE TUBER PRODUCTION IN MINNESOTA AND OTHER STATES OF THE UNION ISSUED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT—THE ACREAGE IN MINNESOTA SHOWS UP WELL AND PRODUCTION PROMISES TO INCREASE STEADILY IN THE FUTURE

Wise, practical farmers who have interested themselves in saving their land and make money in special bad years by raising diversified crops will be interested in the potato yield of Minnesota. A report is at hand covering the United State.

In the Northwest, Minnesota had slightly the largest yield, 101 bushels acreage 145,000. Wisconsin had 91 bushels; Iowa, 85; North Dakota, 89; South Dakota 84. In the middle west the yield was poor; Ohio, 76 bushels Indiana 87, Illinois 87, Michigan 90. Kansas took the booby prize scoring 65 bushels. The average yield for the whole country was 95.4 bushels and the total production 297,942,000 bushels, a little less than 3½bu. to each one of our estimated 87000,000 people. The average price used in determining the total cash value of the farm crops of the country is 61.7 cents a bushel.

The states having the largest yields of potatoes per acre in 1907 were Wyoming and Nevada, each having an everage of 200 bushels, but the acreage was very small, only 5,000 in the first and 3,000 in the other. Colorado's average was 150 bushels per acre from 47,000 acres; Washington's 150 bushels from 40,000 acres; and Montana the same, from 18,000 acres. California, Maine and Idaho had 145 bushels each, but Maine had 118,000 acres to California 48,000 and Idaho 14,000. The other New England states had an average of about 118 bushels to the acre.

It will be seen that Minnesota had a far larger acreage in field than all the other states above it in average per acre.

It is fully expected that with the institution of the proposed canning factory here the local demand for peas, beans, sweet corn, pie plant and other like vegetables will give a noticeable impetus to small and profitable farming thruout this vicinity.

CARL O. NELSON DROPPED DEAD IN THE STREET

Last evening while walking along Fourth Street in Minneapolis, Carl O. Nelson of Fertile dropped dead from heart trouble.

Mr. Nelson is one of the substantial farmers near Fertile and was in Minneapolis with K. O. Flaknes. He had been troubled with his heart for some time, and had medicine in his pocket which he took during bad spells.

He did not complain of being ill, but suddenly threw up his arms and fell dead without uttering a syllable. The tragic death will cause much sorrow both at Fertile and here where he was well and favorably known.

Teachers and Pupils Fight Fire.

Scranton, Pa., March 14.—Fire was discovered in School No. 1 at Peckville yesterday, while a hundred pupils were in the building. An informal bucket brigade was organized, and teachers and janitors became fire fighters with such promptness and efficiency that the flames were quickly subdued.

Anyway, the eloping couple isn't showered with bargain counter presents.

Kills Wife and Self.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, March 14. — Lee Grubb shot and killed his eighteen-year-old wife, tried to shoot his six-month-old baby, and then killed himself. The tragedy took place on a busy street corner and was witnessed by half a hundred persons.

Sometimes a man remains in the bachelor class because he is shy either of coin or courage.

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FARMERS INSTITUTE IS LARGELY ATTENDED

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From Tuesday's Daily—

The farmers' institute opened at the city hall this morning and the sessions morning and afternoon were extrimely interesting to all present and the large hall was packed with many standing up.

J. E. O'Brien of Crookston gave an address of welcome to the farmers of Polk county, Valley and the state. He said in part: "The business men of this city have founded this, the most highly improved city of its size in Minnesota, to attract and convenience the farmers of the Valley at our door. We intrust to you the development of the sail of the valley and make this country of the same farming wealth as has been developed in the southern part of the state where the business men of the cities borrow from the farmers." Mr. O'Brien invited the entire body of visitors at the institute to a dinner without charge as guests of the business men of Crookston. Mr. O'Brien voiced the business men's feelings of sympathy with the every agricultural advancement made in the northwest.

The meeting opened at 10:10 o'clock a. m. with three hundred representative farmers present from all parts of the Valley. R. A. Schultz of LeRoy introduced the speakers of the day.

He mentioned his visit to the dairy farm of C. O. Carlson at Erskine with his exclusively high grade herd of 100 dairy cows, and commended the energy and foresight of that gentleman.

A Pioneer Settler

~~Mr.~~ Schulz is an early settler in Minnesota, coming hither in the 80's from Illinois. He spoke at length of the pioneer winters and other conditions of those days with the remarkable development that has taken place since that time. He spent many profitable moments setting forth the opportunities that civilization and settlement have brought to this state in the past thirty years.

He spoke of his own financial success in farming and wittily introduced himself thus as able to give some little humble advice about some of the things in farming.

Strawberry Culture

Mr. Schulz took up strawberries as his first subject. He referred to voluminous charts in the view of all present which are a portion of the equipment of the Institute corps.

The Brandywine strawberry is too acid, he said. Female strawberries will not grow if planted alone. When the Senator Dunlap and Brandywine are grown together never take out any plants. When the transplanting is done take only those with white roots which alone indicate life in the fruit. The plants are liable to rot from many causes but care will lessen all loss.

How to Plant

To plant strawberries straighten out garden hoe, stick in ground and drawing toward you placing plant in handshaped cavity. The fruit must be planted so that may be cultivated with horse and plow; for hired help is no longer to be secured at cheap rates.

The rows should be 7 feet apart. The ground must be rich and free of weeds. Allow no fruit to grow on plants first year for it lessens the second year crop more than proportionately.

Grow Well Together

The Senator Dunlap is a self fertilizer. Growers should plant one row of Brandywine among two of Senator Dunlap for best results. Strawberries should be mulched every fall to prevent roots being torn by freezes and thaws. Straw will hold moisture and keep fruit clean. Strawberries may be saved from late frost by straw. Defer mulching in fall until a slight fall of snow makes better fruit. Mulching before frost smothers the plant. Mr. Schultz takes no stock in pedigree strawberries.

Sheep Raising

C. W. Hale, expert on the raising of sheep, was introduced by Mr. Schutz and that subject was taken up.

Mr. Hale referred to the economy in shelter and feed in raising sheep; and their use in the destruction of the 600 weeds existing in Minnesota.

Sheep enable economy in summer and furnish labor in winter and generally distribute the necessities of labor more evenly thru the seasons of the year, thus obviating to a large extent the problems of labor scarcity.

Four to six sheep per acre generally makes average pasturage, tho much of this is due to good judgment and conditions.

Good Pasture Necessary

Pasture must be fenced well, four feet high of open wire with barbs at top and bottom. Clover feed is better for sheep. Should not feed hay cut too late. Screenings dirty sheep wool and is seeding for future weeds in pasture.

Change pasture for sheep and avoid intestinal and other diseases in sheep. Sheep should be kept in good feed all the time. A period of bad care in this regard stunts whatever wol grows during that time and makes it break off there when pulled or tested. Sow red clover seed thru corn for the best feed.

Sell the Poor Ones

During the forepart of October, weaning time, examine carefully hoofs, wool and general conditions and sell those sheep which are unsatisfactory. Good care and attention to whatever extent applied will make so much the better sheep. Sheep will not grow of themselves. The black merino sheep is not a good sheep for a song, forty participating, entieled for sheep diarrhoea.

Answered Questions

Questions in great number were asked Mr. Hale on this subject showing a widespread interest in this department of farming.

Mr. Hale said he did not advise the raising of roots as this required too great an amount of work and risk of rot and freeze to be generally followed with satisfaction.

The Minnesota State Agricultural School students created pleasant and appropriate diversion under the direstion of Mrs. Schroeder by singing a song of forty members entitled "The Merry Farmer."

C. A. Carlson's Talk

C. O. Carlson of Erskine was next introduced. Mr. Carlson stated he had been brought up in a wheat growing country and found it hard to be appreciated. Mr. Carlson believed the Red River Valley must make a study of agriculture to save its prestige and power.

He believed the scientific farmer the more important than that of all other Valley businesses combined.

During summer, feeding season, creamery checks are large, but in winter this goes down. This is due to poor management. More money should be obtained from farmers winter creamery sales than at any other time of the year.

Increased Milk Flow

Anyone can't run a pasture, says Mr. Carlson; it takes judgment and knowledge of the subject. More nutriment must be given cows than just sufficient to continue life.

Mr. Carlson stated that as a result of study his farm increased the production of each of his cows in one year 5½ pounds milk a day.

Clover a Great Feed

"Clover is worth more than all other feeds put together in my estimation," said Mr. Carlson. Other feeds too high. When you cut down the feed of your cows you are not cutting expenses but cutting out all the profit you make on your herd. Mr. Carlson practices, feed 1 pound feed to 3 pounds milk.

During the winter (most expensive months) cost of producing 1 pound of butter fat is 16 cents, price of that butter fat is 32 cents.

Adjournment for dinner was then taken.

Afternoon Session

In the presence of 600 people almostly entirely farmers, the state school's quartet opened the afternoon session with a choral service.

Prof. Wm. Robertson of the state farm spoke of the large crowd present and wished the farmers would gather together oftener. No one could deny the benefits in every way he had secured from the institute to day would more repay the trip he had made to the city. And he urged the continued session of farmers institutes every month at least and farmers would reap the benefit of the experience of all.

Young Folks on the Farm

Prof. L. P. Harrington of the school of agriculture chose the subject of boys and girls of the farms. He said the boys and girls must be interested in the farm and educate themselves into the departments of agricultural science. He spoke of a contest for corn growing by the state schools.

The girls have also been interested and results have increased 100 percent per year for the past three years The boys and girls should be formed into clubs by the 25,000 club and inspired to scientific studies.

Secure a Library

Every boy and girl can secure booklets and treatises on agricultural topics without charge and accumulate a library on this important line of national development.

In answer to question, Prof. Harrington stated experiments would be practical for boys to determine what variety of corn could be grown in Red River Valley.

Mr. Schutz recited an experience of a city girl who saw the error of her ways and became a farmer's wife.

The state school chorus sang a fine selection during a cessation of addresses.

General Topics

Mr. Hale in answer to questions says clippers and a gasoline engine to run it could be purchased by a group of farmers and used to advantage. Hay and oats are best feed for sheep in winter. Barley is fair feed if no other can be obtained. Potatoes and other roots are good feed.

"My wife grows poultry," said Mr. Schutz, "somewhat as a side line." Mrs. Schutz insists the hen is the greatest money maker on the farm. He urges the planting and cultivation of fruit.

"The incubator we use on the farm is the old Plymouth Rock hen. We select the eggs from the very best of our poultry and separate the hens in divided shed and place ladders up to the roof; build nests between each round and place eggs in the straw with a moth ball in each to kill lice and insects on hens."

The Poultry Question

Prof. Brown, poultry man at the Experimental farm, was called. He said there was much money in a few hens. He mentioned the problems of poultry work. The incubator will not hach eggs that chickens will. There are 200 egg (in a year) hens at the state farm, but that is too high an average for immediate effort at a breed and 150 eggs is the object of poultry men.

If farmers have not time to build trap nests, pick out a few favorable pullets and tie a band around their neck and they are reliable layers. He favored cement floors and 1-3 front of glass for chicken house with straw loft overhead to absorb moisture. He said, if chickens have not been kept just before in a warm place, they will stand much cold weather.

Mr. Hale on Clover

One of the best things about clover raising is economy in division of labor. Clover is specially advisable to keep farms free from weeds. It will kill mustard and wild oats. Wheat farming exclusively despoils a farm. If sheep are pastured before oats go to seed clover will kill weeds the first year. This should be done before the farms' fertility is exhausted.

Men and women should live on their farms because they want to, not because they have to. It is to educate this that men and women should attend agricultural schools.

Postoffice Safe Blown.

Cameron, Wis., March 17. — When Postmaster C. E. Bartlett went to the postoffice yesterday morning he found that burglars had blown his safe open and taken $400 worth of postage stamps and about $140 in money.

Fighting Deer Killed.

Eveleth, Minn., March 17. — Dr. Farmer's pet deer, famous with its twin for being able to rout any dog in McKinley and also for its taste for lager, was killed by the evening train to Eveleth.

Just a little Cascasweet is all that is necessary to give your baby when it is cross and peevish. Cascasweet contains no opiates nor harmful drugs and is highly recommended by mothers everywhere. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MAY SAVE HIS EYESIGHT

Lionel Snelling, the Angus farmer who was so terribly burned by an explosion of molten brass while working on a wireless telegraph scheme Saturday will live. As to whether his eyesight will be lost or not the physicians will not be able to determine for two weeks. Aside from the injury to his eyes Snelling's forehead neck and hands were terribly burned and he is suffering a great real of pain. Had his constitution not been most vigorous he would not have survived the first shock of the accident.

RECIPE FOR RHEUMATISM

Directions to Prepare Simple, Yet Remarkable Home Mixture

There is so much Rheumatism here in our neighborhood now that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after a while.

Our home druggists say they will either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription ready to take if our readers ask them.

RED LAKE FALLS WILL ACT NOW

COMMERCIAL CLUB HELD AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING RECENTLY

The Red Lake Falls Commercial club met last week and much business of importance was transacted The report of the various committees showed progress in the work, and with the enthusiasm manifest by every member who has a duty to perform, the people of that town may expect good results from the plans as outlined. The immigration committee has already started the ball rolling and plans are under way to inaugurate a general advertising campaign thus acquainting the outside world with the fertility of the soil of the Red River Valley the inducements offered settlers to locate in this section. Upwards of a thousand dollars has already been subscribed for advertising purposes and the bureau will send forth literature and work along the lines of those suggested by George Welsh, commissioner of the State Board of Immigration.

Foley's Orino Laxative is sold under a positive guarantee to cure constipation, sick headache, stomach trouble, or any form of indigestion. If it fails, the manufacturers refund your money. What more can any one do. For sale by all druggists.

PROSPERITY IN CLEARWATER CO.

Oscar Barness, Cashier of the Clearwater State Bank at Bagley in the city between trains last Friday stated that prospects were never so bright for the farmers of that county as at present. Last year the farmers made a start in the creamery line and last fall Mr. Barness states that interest was never paid as promptly. A few days ago he went to Pine Island and financed the 5th creamery for the county. He says the farmers are all enthusiastic over the success of the creameries and that more attention will be paid to dairying this year than to the raising of grain.

While in the city Mr. Barness became a subscriber of the Daily Journal for a year.

WHO ARE TO BE THE VICTIMS BRO. HUNT?

There will be a Necktie party at the Highlanding school house on Tuesday evening March 17th, St. Patrick's Day. All are invited to come We cannot say that this entertainment will be better than the last one at this school house, but it will be just as good.—Hunt's Sunbeam.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.—For sale by all druggists.

Getting on in the World

is a matter of great personal interest to each and every one of us. There is a wholesome joy in making headway in the world of dollars, in feeling that poverty is being pushed back farther and farther. One gets a broader grasp of affairs—more confidence in one's ability to do the things that count.

Do you wish to join the ranks of those who are getting on in the world? It is not so hard—just a little practical thrift, cutting out unnecessary expense, the saving of your money and the starting of an account with

Scandia American Bank

of Crookston, Minnesota.

GREAT OPPOSITION TO CLOSING THE RED RIVER

PLAN TO CLOSE IT TO NAVIGATION MEETS WITH RED HOT OPPOSITION IN GRAND FORKS, CROOKSTON AND THRUOUT THIS TERRITORY—IDEA WILL BE FOUGHT VIGOROUSLY—ELIAS STEENERSON LEAVES FOR FARGO THIS EVENING TO VOICE THE GENERAL OPPOSITION FELT IN THIS SECTION—ELECTRICAL REVIEW POINTS TO GREAT IMPORTANCE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT OF WATER POWER NEAR CLIMAX

Intense opposition has developed to the proposed plan to declare the Red River a non-navigable stream. Gov. Burke of North Dakota is opposed to the plan, the Grand Forks Commercial club is fighting it vigorously and the farmers along the river are bitterly opposed to the scheme.

Opposition Here

Postmaster Elias Steenerson of this city has canvassed the situation in this section and finds sentiment unanimous against such a move and he will leave this evening for Fargo where he will attend a gathering and enter a vigorous protest against closing the river to navigation. Many others will attend, including representatives from Grand Forks and other towns located near the Red River.

Discriminated Against

In this same connection something should be done in connection with the proposed bill of United States Senator Newland's which appropriates $50,000,000 "to be used for examinations and surveys for the development of the inland waterways of the country, including the Great Lakes, the Mississippi and its tributaries, the the navigable rivers of the Atlantic coast and their tributaries, the navigable Rivers of the Pacific coast and their tributaries."

This it will be seen would cut out the Red River of the North altogether as it flows north into Hudson Bay and is not included in any of the above provisions.

If there is a $50,000,000 melon to be opened why should not the people of the Red River Valley get their share?

Much Opposition

Of the scheme the Grand Forks Herald this morning says:

"S. C. Wallace manager of the Red River Transportation company arrived from Minneapolis yesterday. He is here to look after matters in connection with the plan of the war department to close the Red River to navigation from Breckenridge to Grand Forks will strenuously oppose any such movement. He believes that no portion of the river should be declared non-navigable. He will attend the meeting in Fargo tomorrow.

"Secretary M. C. Bachellor of the Commercial club has received many letters of protest from people along the river. They are anxious to do all they can to prevent the river being declared non-navigable for any portion of its length."

Of Vast Importance

As showing the vast importance attached to the water power, the Electrical Review in its last issue discusses the proposed water power near Climax which was discussed in full exclusively in the Journal a few weeks ago. The proposed power development is specially important at this time when there is so pronounced need for electricity for municipal lighting in contiguous territory and the promotion of electric lines, including interurban lines running in all directions which will come in the course of a very short time. The Electrical Review says:

An Important Project

"Considerable interest is being manifested in the surveys and operations of the United States Government, looking to the improvement of the Red River for navigation and the regulation of the flow of water by a system of reservoirs. The people on each side of the river in the Red River Valley which extends north and south from Lake Traverse to St. Vincent, on the boundary line, a distance of 200 miles, and extending into Minnesota and North Dakota, are watching this work with great eagerness.

"The foot of the Goose Rapids is at the mouth of the Sandhill River, near Climax, Minn., and it is probably at this point that the greatest power development would be located, as the Goose Rapids extend upstream about 12 miles to the mouth of the Goose River, near Caledonia, N. D.

"There is sufficient fall in the river between these points to produce a large quantity of power and owing to its central location, a very good demand for power would be provided The matter is being taken up very vigorously by Elias Steenerson, Crookston, Minn.; K. S. Aker, Climax, Minn. Ole Rauk and S. Knutson, Belmont, N. D. Application is being made to the Secretary of War to secure data, and the practicability of the project will be demonstrated at an early date."

MUST KEEP OUT OF DANGERS PATHWAY

Sivert Cligaard city charge afflicted with St. Vitus dance who has been a land mark on the city streets for the last five years, will be sent to the county jail for thirty days. He was sentenced this morning by Judge McLean on the charge of vagrancy. The city has been his keeper for five years and of late he has become stubborn and unable to handle. He goes to the depot and other places of danger where he has been rescued only because he has been closely watched.

The city has obtained consent of two hotels in city to take care of him but he will not go to these places. He will probably remain in the jail until warm weather and be put out on trial again.

It is so much easier to forget a favor than it is to forgive an injury.

SONS OF NORWAY AT FERTILE

The Sons of Norway, organized by Christ Peterson of Minneapolis who organized the lodge in this city were installed at Fertile last Saturday night by a delegation from the Crookston lodge. 35 members were initiated. Those who attended from here were: N. A. Hoffard, P. J. Tronrud, Trygne Randers, Christ Arneberg, Torgeson, O. B. Twedten, Carl Borghen, Arthur Anderson, Theodore Reggeson, Carl Carlson, Ole Sivertson, Ole Norseth, Chas. Ryan and others. They departed on the Northern Pacific south, returning Sunday morning. Of the Fertile lodge Representative John Holten was chosen president; Eide, vice president; Knute Nelson, historian; and Doctors Nelson and Risjord, physicians.

A woman's tears and a man's grins are not always on the level.

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IS CHARGED WITH WIFE POISONING

Barney Dyer a farmer living at Hines, north of Blackduck, was arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with the crime of murder in the first degree in having caused the death of his wife, Florence Dyer, by administering poison to her.

A warrant for the arrest of Dyer was issued yesterday by County Attorney Henry Funkley as a result of information filed with the county atterney, which is said to have pointed strongly to Dyer having committed the deed with which he is charged.

The warrant was issued Sunday, and as there is no train to Hines or Tenstrike on Sunday, Deputy Sheriffs J. N. Bailey and Arne Solberg went to Tenstrike on a railroad velocipede, 'pumping" their way there, over the M. & I. railway tracks.

The deputies found Dyer at Tenstrike, considerably under the influence of liquor. When the warrant was read to him he offered no resistance, but said "all right," and he accompanied the officers to the jail in Tenstrike, and was brought to Bemidji this morning and lodged in the Beltrami county jail.

Dyer's wife died at Hines, about a week ago and was buried at that place. The father of the dead woman (Mr. Ratclinffe who lives in this city) suspected from the remarks which have been attributed to Dyer, that the latter had been instrumental in causing his daughter's death, and he caused an investigation to be instituted in the matter, which led to the issuing of the warrant against Dyer and his subsequent arrest on the charge of murder in the first degree.

It is said that Dyer sold all his household goods and other belongings immediately after the death of his wife, and that he has spent most of the time at Tenstrike where he was drinking considerably.

Dyer was married to Florence Ratcliffe (the dead woman) about a year ago, they had one child, which was about six months old. The body of the Ratcliffe woman will probably be exhumed, and the case against Dyer will be at once considered by the grand jury.

Dyer has retained H. J. Loud of this city as his attorney to look after his interests.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FOUR YEARS IN NAVAL SERVICE

JOSEPH A. LE PAGE OF MENTOR RETURNS FROM BATTLESHIP INDIANA

NAVAL SERVICE GOOD FOR ANY YOUNG MAN — SEAMEN RIDICULE NAVY CRITICS

From Monday's Daily—

Joseph A. LePage son of F. E. Le Page of Mentor, Minn., a well known public official and farmer spent Saturday in this city today after being honorably discharged from the United States navy where, during four years of enlistment, he had been stationed on the battleships Massachusetts and Indiana. Mr. LePage left the navy a quartermaster of the second class; he had been "landsman in training." Ordinary seaman" and "quarter master of the third class" before reaching his highest grade. Before entering the navy he was the growing son of an old established farmer of the valley. He had never before had experience on the sea. Mr. LePage enlisted March 5th 1904 and as a practical seaman is well acquainted with all departments of the navy. He believes four years in the navy is a good thing for any young man, tho after that period not the larger share of the ambitious and restive plan to remain in the service longer. The landsman as he is becoming a seaman and afterward is well taken care of by the federal government. The personnel of the navy is of the highest standard among any like body of men in the world. Mr. Le Page was on the battleship Indiana last fall when the bunkers caught fire and were discovered so just before they had reached the magazines and threatened the destruction of the vessel. Tho a position of greatest danger to life the seamen almost without exception came forward and volunteered to descend into the hold with the hose and chemicals. The seamen laugh at the recent criticisms of the navy by a marine painter and others. It is the common sentiment among all seamen and those officers directly connected with them that the ships of the United States are the most powerful per dollar expended in the world. The only criticism to which some attention is shown is the extreme age of captains. The turret hoists, the super-imposed turrets, the open great guns ports and the armor belt controversy are not taken seriously by those men whom it is claimed are endangered by these defects. The life on the sea is pleasant. The Indiana spent the winters at Cuban and West Indian ports, returning to the naval base at League Island, Pennsylvania every summer. Of the one hundred and fifty men who re-enlisted with Mr. Le Page only two came back with him to St. Paul, M. J. Mohan and M. Flaherty. The balance re-enlisted or intended to do so.

It is better to forget an injury than to forgive it.

SPOONER QUITS DISTRICT BENCH

ABLE JURIST TO LEAVE MINNESOTA IN APRIL TO TAKE POSTION AT SPOKANE

HAS BECOME ENAMORED OF AN ALLURING PROPOSITION

From Thursday's Daily—

From Bemidji Jupdge Marshall A. Spooner of the Fifteenth Judicial district today mailed his resignation to Governor Johnson. It is understood that he is to accept a very lucrative position at Spokane, Wash., an dthat he expects to leave for that place about April 10.

Judge Spooner is considered one of the ablest judges in the state, and is highly honored by the members of the bench in Minnesota and the northwest. His popularity with the people of his district has been manifested in many ways during his long service in the fifteenth district.

Judge Spooner was appointed to his position on the bench by Governor Van Sant at the time the Fifteenth District was given its second judge. He was elected to the position by a large majority at the next general election.

There are three or four more years of Judge Spooner's present term, but the position that is to be his in the west has proved too alluring, and he has decided not to finish his term. Judge Spooner enjoyed a very lucrative practice in the law business, before taking up his duties on the bench and has been in business at Moorhead Morris and Bemidji.

BEMIDJI ELKS ELECT OFFICERS

PREPARE FOR STATE MEETING AND APPOINT THEIR COMMITTEES

At last night's meeting of the Bemidji lodge, No. 1052, B. P. O. E., officers were elected for the ensuing year, three candidates were initiated and the matter of the forthcoming state meeting of Elks, which will be held in Bemidji during July, was discussed at some length.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Exalted ruler, E. H. Jerrard; esteemed leading knight, Dr. G. M. Palmer; esteemed loyal knight, L. G. Crothers, esteemed lecturing knight, J. O. Harris; secretary, Chas. H. Rattinger; treasurer, James L. George; tyler, A. G. Rutledge; trustee (for three years) W. E. Neal (W. S. Lycan and E. A. Schneider held over as trustees); representative to the grand lodge, C. L. Decker.

Nine times out of ten when a girl can't like you it's because her father does.

MINN. RAILROAD RATE LAW IS HELD INVALID BY SUPREME COURT

United States Court Holds Atty. General E. T. Young in Contempt and Declares the Railroad Rate Laws Passed by the Last Session of the Minnesota Legislature Unconstitutional. Justice Peckham Writes Decision in Which Federal Courts Are Given Jurisdiction as Rates May Be Confiscatory. Court Holds That Penalties Imposed For Violation of Law Are Excessive and Unreasonable.

> **AN EXTRA SESSION IS PROBABLE.**
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> The Minnesota legislature will probably be called in extra session to pass new railroad rate laws.
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> The decision of the United States supreme court yesterday knocks out the law passed a year ago, entirely. The law is declared unconstitutional because of excessive penalties.
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> The proposition of an extra session will probably be put up to Governor Johnson without delay.

Washington, March 24.—In refusing to grant to Attorney General Young, of Minnesota a writ of habeas corpus releasing him from the penalty imposed by the United States circuit court for the district of Minnesota, on the charge of contempt of court in instituting proceeding in the state court for the enforcement of the railroad rate law after the federal court had prohibited such course, and in affirming the decision of Judge Pritchard, of the United States circuit court for the western district of North Carolina, discharging from imprisonment, James H. Wood, ticket agent of the Southern railway at Asheville, after he had been sentenced by the Asheville police court to serve a term on the rock pile on a charge of collecting for a ticket on that road a greater price than was permitted by the state railroad law, the supreme court of the United States yesterday added another to the series of decisions which have rendered notable the present term of that court. In both cases the right of states to fix rates for railroad transportation was the issue and both involved conflicts between federal and state courts. The decision in each case was opposed both to the states and their courts.

One Judge Dissents

The opinion of the court in both cases was announced by Justice Peckham and with the exception of Justice Harlan, all the other members of the court stood behind him in the announcement of the court's finding. Justice Harlan read a dissenting opinion in the Young case in which he took the view that the suit was practically a proceeding against a state and therefore not permissible under the eleventh amendment to the constitution. He therefore characterized the opinion as era making in the history of the court, said it had the effect of closing the courts of a state against the state itself, and predicted that the result would be disastrous. Two cases were so similar that both practically were decided in the one opinion. A particular pronouncement was made in the Minnesota case.

The court at the same time pronounced invalid the Minnesota law regulating both freight and passenger rates. The opinion was announced by Justice Peckham, who held the Minnesota law to be unconstitutional on its face because of the enormous penalties imposed for violations. The decision was against Attorney General Young on all points.

Decision in Part

Substantially the court decided: That the circuit court of the United States had jurisdiction. That the proceedings against the attorney general were against him as an individual because he was attempting to enforce the law that was clearly unconstitutional by reason of the heavy fines imposed, and that the state law was unconstitutional in that it denied to all persons the equal protection of the law. "Several questions have been presented to the court by the plaintiff for consideration," Justice Peckham announced, "and they have been given careful attention by the court. One was that no federal question had been raised. One fact alone is sufficient to determine that question and that is whether the rates to be enforced under the state law may not be confiscatory. We hold that under the circumstances it is a question of a federal nature and therefore clearly within the jurisdiction of the federal court. It is not only a federal, but of a judicial nature in that it is a question whether the rates are sufficiently remunerative to give at least some return to the railroad companies.

"Another federal question involved is as to the very great fines imposed under the legislative act of April 18, and under the general law of the state These fines are so great as to prevent any person from approaching the courts to contest the act and the case therefore comes within the jurisdiction of the court, as this constitutional question is involved."

Story of Case

Proceedings in Young's case grew out of an effort by the Minnesota federal court on May 31 last, to restrain Mr. Young and other state officials from executing or attempting to execute the rate law. Certain stockholders of the Northern Pacific railway company filed suit at the time, asking for an injunction to prohibit the state officials from carrying the law into effect, on the ground that the rate was so low as to make impossible, returns to the company on its investment. The injunction was granted on the 23rd of September on the ground that the law was confiscatory and its promulgation was immediately followed by the commencement of an action by Attorney General Young, in the Ramsey county district court, in which that court was asked to direct the issuance of a writ of mandamus, commanding the Northern Pacific company to comply with the rate law.

The state court immediately issued the writ in compliance with Mr. Young's petition and this proceeding precipitated a sharp conflict between the federal and state courts. Mr. Young was summoned before the former to give an account of his defense of the court's injunction, and failing to make satisfactory explanation, he was subjected to a fine of $100 for contempt of court, and at the same time ordered to dismiss the case. Mr. Young immediately brought the case before the supreme court of the United States on a petition for a writ of habeas corpus. He based his petition upon the grounds that the United States circuit court was without jurisdiction in the original proceeding, because there was no diverse citizenship and that the suit instituted against him as attorney general was in effect a suit against the state, and not against him.

No Fair Without Bonus.

La Crosse, Wis., March 24.—After a special meeting, officers of the Interstate Fair association announce there will be no fair in La Crosse this year unless citizens donate $2,500 as a bonus.

Man Shot by Rabbit Hunter.

Elk Point, S. D., March 24. — Nels Thompson, an employe of H. A. Schumacher in the Milwaukee railroad yards in this city, was accidentally shot by Fred Linch while the latter was shooting rabbits.

ARE NO OPPOSED TO THE DRAINAGE

Relative to dispatches published widely thruout the northwest and presuming to originate from Beaudette that a mass meeting of settlers held at that point some time ago attacked the principle of drainage and asked the government to forbear its plans for the improvement of the north country in that way, C. R. Middleton formerly of this city now a prominent Beaudette lawyer denies this. There is a well based demand for drainage generally thruout that section of the country.

The alleged objections astonished citizens of this part of the state and Senator Clapp and Congressman Steenerson of this district wrote adherents here that they could see little point in working in behalf of a cause that would be discredited. But the mass meeting of three hundred settlers at Beaudette which was gathered together by the combined action of the Spooner and Beaudette commercial clubs who sent printed calls and circulars thruout the homesteaded country expressed their disapproval only of that feature of the federal drainage bill which removed from government lands intended to be improved the right to prove up until the entire drainage project had been completed and the benefits assessed per acre.

Such a condition has already, and will continue to retard the growth of the country affected. It is rather the usual than the unusual, said these settlers, that government projects consume ten years in the planning and building and to have a proprietary right to land lapsed that length of time, a continual imperfection of the title, endangers the stability of the country. Within the operation of this drainage law there is and will be about three quarter million acres in the northern part of the state between Warroad and Beaudette and Red Lake on the south.

4000 Bona Fide Settlers

It is estimated that there are about four thousand bona fide settlers already in this region and more are rapidly coming in. The settlers are of a high class, coming from the middle states and the east. They are educated and have already taken large tie and railway timber contracts which they are supplying to western Canadas new railroads. There are a number of Red River Valley settlers also in this neighborhood and altogether they prove an active aggregation of citizens.

ADVICE FOR NORTHERNERS

CORRESPONDENT OF THE AITKIN INDEPENDENT GIVES SOME FACTS

ABOUT THE MUCH TOUTED GULF COAST COUNTRY — INVESTIGATE FIRST

From Tuesday's Daily—

A correspondence of the Aitkin Independent, writing from Texas, advises Minnesotians to stay where they are or at least not to be hasty in selling out and going to the Lone Star State. He advises people to beware the land agents who say that from $52 to $50 per acre profits can be cleared on crops. "You will not see the sign of a straw stack, hay stack, corn field or corn crib anywhere along the gulf coast," says he. "The farmer buys everything he eats or feeds to his stock Hay, $20 to $52 per ton; potatoes $1.40 bacon 25 cents; eggs 35 cents and 40 cents, and everything else in proportion. And strange as it may seem, all kinds of fruit are much higher here than in the north, and vegetables can be bought in our northern cities about as cheap as there. Tree life is very scarce there, also bird life. Climate really is nice barring the wind and dampness. The only water to be had is cistern water. The wells are brackish. Let me advise all who contemplate making a change to hold on to that which you have and go down for a full season and investigate. You who are northern born and bred, used to good horses, hogs and cattle and corn raising, with other northern advantages, investigate thoroly before you make the change, or I fear your disappointment will be great."

NO APPROPRIATION FOR LOCAL PROJECTS

ONLY STEENERSON'S DRAINAGE BILL BEING PUSHED BY HIM

Congressman Steenerson has written to one of the citizens of the north country interested in drainage that "the prospects for getting appropriations to carrry out any local Minnesota project are so poor that I have concluded not to press the same." It has been well known for some time that the Minnesota delegation would be gathered behind the general drainage bill as the special legislation in favor of Minnesota has met with some opposition from other parts of the country on general principles.

General Store Burned.

Wetonka, S. D., March 19.—The general store of James Calder was destroyed by fire. The fire started in the living rooms of the Calder family at the rear of the building. Loss, $6,-900.

SETTLERS PROSPERING

WIDE AWAKE HOMESTEADERS MAKE MONEY FROM FIRST YEAR

OTHERS LAY AROUND AND BORROW TO PROVE UP— RAILROADS

From Monday's Daily—

Attorney C. R. Middleton, formerly of this city now of Beaudette, Minn., arrived in the city last Saturday evening bringing with him a breath of the fresh country to the northeast. The past few months have witnessed the most rapid growth thruout that country and Mr. Middleton has with others risen to prominence in that locality by his conection with it.

The homesteaders are getting under headway in that territory. The embargo laid by the federal drainage bill which compels the withdrawal of all public lands to be drained from final title until the lands have been drained is acting as a great detriment upon the settlement of the lands and will retard the growth of the country many years unless this feature of the bill before congress is taken out and annulled.

Money from the Start

Some of the homesteaders in the north country are idlers and sit on their haunches until final proof day comes when they borrow the money to prove up on. Others get busy as soon as they land on their claim and cut off corddwood and timber, making money from the very start and when they prove up they have a little roll besides.

Mr. Middleton states that the majority of the homesteaders from Crookston who are situated south of Graceton have fine claims and are showing about as much results from their residence on them as other of the best bona fide settlers.

Railways into Rainy River Country

At present there are two railways planning entrance into the Rainy River country. The M. & I. has built its branch to Kelliher which when continued as planned will reach to Beaudette, a distance of fifty one miles and connect that city with St. Paul by a transportation line only twenty miles longer than the Great Northern route from here to St. Paul.

The Greenbush line is already graded from Greenbush to Warroad and while no steel is yet laid or will be laid on this line by this railway it is hardly probable that the right of way will be vacant another twenty months. This line will connect Crookston with the new country and open up a great amount of communication.

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From Over The Valley

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM McINTOSH INDUSTRIAL DEPT.

The members of the botany class have begun an experiment in the growing of tomato plants, the plants will be on exhibition at the school house just before time for setting out and we hope to have a good exhibition of ripe fruit next fall.

The pupils in the 4th, 5th 6th and 7th grades have been taking sewing twice a week since Christmas and are doing splendid work, almost as good as the high school girls.

The carpentery class has begun work on constructing a model of a barn frame.

The following facts with regard to the present body of high school pupils would seem to warrant the effort to give to our school work an agricultural trend; the homes of fourteen are on the farm; fifteen others have lived on a farm, the parents of seven of these still retain their farms; only two of the pupils have never lived on the farm.

TAFT AND BRYAN RED RIVER VALLEY O. K.

County Treasurer Helland of Norman county is in receipt of a letter from Jacob Gerdes, who, with his wife, is spending a few weeks at Hot Springs Ark. Mr. Gerdes' faith continues to grow in Red River Valley real estate and says that there is no better time than now to invest in land here. Mr. Gerdes says that Taft will be the nominee of the Republican party for president and that there is no doubt but that the democrats will confer the same favor on W. J. Bryan. Writing along political lines Mr. Gerdes says: "In my opinion Taft and Bryan will be the nominees; but neither suits the money trust." Mr. Gerdes expects to arrive here the first part of April to look after his numerous farms in this county.

SETTLERS ARE FLOCKING TO RED RIVER VALLEY

A. J. McBroom a well-to-do farmer from Gillman, Iowa, has leased the Frank Violet farm in Gentilly town ship, arrived there Monday with a carload of horses and hogs. His family arrived the last of the week. Mr. McBroom expects to purchase a number of milch cows and will become a patron of the creamery.

HALLOCK FARMER WAS SEVERELY INJURED

Thos. Harborn well known in the valley as a stock man and prosperous farmer was serevely hurt at Hallock while loading a bull into a sleigh. The animal fell on him and crushed him severely but he is recovering from the shock.

OTTER TAIL FARMER ASPHYXIATED 60 HENS

Ernest Volkman a farmer of Star Lake, Otter Tail Co., lost sixty chickens one morning last week. He put a pan of live coals in the hen house to warm it and in a few hours went out to look after the chickens and found that most of them had dropped from their perches dead. The gas from the coals had killed them.

THE UNDISPUTED SIGNS OF SPRING

Wm. Neukom at Ada has an undisputed sign of spring on exhibition at his place in town in the shape of ten little full blood Plymouth Rock chickens just hatched out.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

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EUCLIDITES THINK WELL OF PEOPLE OF ARGYLE

Euclid, Minn., March 15th, 1908.—Editor Thompson, Argyle, Minn. Dear sir: In the quiet and solitude of a Sunday afternoon at a more quiet and small village (after our strenuous life at your busy little city,) I will endeavor to express my individual thanks for the most royal time you gave us. Would add that I voice the sentiments of the fair sex and all of the 'boys.'

Your hospitality far exceeded the Genial Kentuckian's, who welcomed the visitors, with these words: "We turn over to you our houses and our horses, and there is the jug and the sugar and the ice and the mint. We even surrender to you the hip pocket playthings with which we are wont to amuse ourselves. And if you can't make yourselves at home and pass the time most pleasantly may the good Lord have mercy on your souls." The Argyle people certainly went the southerner one better, for didn't you allow us to torture the unsuspecting audience for a long two hours?

Again thanking you kindly for the many favors shown, I beg to remain,

Very truly yours,

—Dr. J. S. Chapin.

TEDDY WOULD SAY "PERFECTLY DELIGHTED"

N. S. Aamoth of Fosum was in the village Thursday. He had with him Mrs. Aamoth and their nine children and gave Photographer Klemetsrud's camera one of the hardest jolts it has had in several moons. A few years ago when Mr. Aamoth's family was limited to seven children he concluded he had done enough to stamp out race suicide and was in and had a family picture taken to be handed down to future generations of Aamoths. But as Burns said "the best laid plans of mice and men gang aft a gee," and after a while when two more descendants of Thor bearing the Aamoth stamp made their appearance it became necessary to make the second trip to the protographer and it would not surprise the editor in the least if he came again.—Twin Valley Times.

TWIN VALLEY PHYSICIANS' TROUBLES ARE SETTLED

Before Judge Brown and a jury the case of Enock Haugseth against Martin L. Goldberg, two physicians of Twin Valley, is being tried. The plaintiff claims he bought Goldberg's practice in Twin Valley for $500 with the understanding that he was not to practice there again. Goldberg came back and went into practice, hence the suit. Goldberg claims that as a counter claim he performed professional services worth $500 for Haugseth's wife.—Minneapolis Tribune.

Dr. Haugseth recovered judgment against Dr. Goldberg for $350 with interest thereon from Jan. 1, 1907, at the rate of 6 per cent and the costs of the action. The jury allowed Dr. Goldberg $150 for treating Dr. Haugseth's wife who died about a year ago —Twin Valley Times.

REV. BROOKS TENDERS HIS RESIGNATION

The resignation of Rev. E. L. Brooks as pastor of the Congregational church at Fergus Falls was formally presented at the special meeting called Tuesday evening and accepted with general regret. A committee consisting of Mrs. W. W. Drought, Mrs. A. R. Kitts and Mrs. J. A. Freeborn was appointed to draw up suitable resolutions and a committee was also appointed to arrange for pulpit supply until a new pastor is called. The last named committee consists of Peter Winsor, R. B. MacLean, F. H. Gray, Mrs. W. W. Drought, Mrs. A. R. Kitts and M. T. McMahon.

TWO NEW STATE BANKS FOR OTTER TAIL COUNTY

Articles of incorporation have just been filed by two new state banks in Otter Tail county, the First National Bank of Underwood and the First State bank of Dalton. The majority of the stock of both institutions is held by C. D. Wright, F. G. Barrows, M. T. McMahon and E. A. Jewett of Fergus Falls. The capital is $10,000.

ADA SCHOOLS GET A BUNCH OF MONEY

The Ada school will receive $758.10 from the state school apportionment This is paid on a basis of $1.90 per pupil, there being 399 pupils entitled to this apportionment.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

Penned and Pilfered

A traveling man was doing a stunt at story telling last night at the Palace hotel.

"There was, you know," he said "a Denver woman whose husband lay very seriously in fact, hopelessly ill. To the doctor, as he came down stairs from the sick room one morning, the woman cried:

" 'Dear doctor, is there no hope at all? Can nothing more be done? And she wrung her hands piteously.

"But the doctor, with a delighted smile, replied: " 'Madam, take heart I congratulate you. Our patient has taken a sudden and decided turn for the better, and we shall have him about again in a few days."

" 'Oh, doctor', wailed the lady, in horrified tones, 'you told me he could not possibly recover and here I've gone and sold all his clothes.' "

Rev. W. H. Medlar two Sundays ago in his morning sermon at Linden Hills Minneapolis Congregational church, used as an illustration the story of the first suspension bridge across the Niagara in which a boy who flew his kite across the chasm figured. Last Sunday Mr. Medlar said from the pulpit "When I used that illustration of the boy who started the bridge I did not know that the boy who flew that kite lived in Linden Hills. The boy was Eugene Childs, whose house is on Sheridan avenue about a block from the church."

Mr. Childs spent his boyhood near the falls. His father owned a farm along side of the falls, and was one of the platters of the town of Suspension Bridge, since merged in Niagara Falls City. Mr. Childs himself was born on this farm. He is a veteran of the civil war, having enlisted in the Fifth Iowa volunteer infantry in which he was captain of Co. A., and is a distant relative of City Clerk Childs of this city.

The shingle-whittling, story-telling, expectorating Missourian has had a narrow escape. It is gratifying to note that the supreme court of Missouri has held a St. Louis anti-loafing ordinance to be unconstitutional. It would be hard indeed if a man had to go outside the city limits of St. Louis to loaf, says the Minneapolis Journal.

A journalist who has been investigating the matter reports that almost any girl can quickly find a good husband down at Panama. It is to be hoped that he has not made this statement merely for the purpose of booming the business of some steamship company.

MAIN ENTRANCE TO 2ND. FLOOR

CITY HALL FRONT ENTRANCE WILL LEAD TO THE SECOND FLOOR

POLICE AND 25,000 CLUB ENTRANCE WILL BE ON FLETCHER STREET

From Saturday's Daily—

When the visitor at the city hall opens the front door of that building after the repairs now under way are finished he will find before him a broad stairway leading directly upstairs to the second floor now or lately occupied by the justices of peace and City Clerk Childs.

The building will in many respects undergo a complete alteration. The room formerly occupied by Judge McLean will be made into a firemen's assembly hall, the council room will be enlarged by the extraction of the room of the street commissioner in the northeast corner and also lengthened, Judge Wilde's previous offices will be made part of the city clerk's office and a ladies' toilet will be placed on the second floor. A municipal court room will be one of the new apartments of the second floor and will be about where the band room is now with some change in outline.

On the first floor sanitary stalls will be installed for the fire teams and other arrangements are being made in consultation with Chief Thomas Morris for the expedition of the sudden calls of that important branch of the administration. It is not understood that there is any means of communication, however, between the upstairs where the municipal court and council room will be located and the police department. The office of the chief of police and the 25,000 club's rooms will suffer no alterations, but will have their only means of egress by a door on the Fletcher Street side.

The basement of the building once ocupied by Co. I will be made into a boiler room and other portions of that part will in the future cool off those overheated gentlemen who have conducted themselves with little propriety in public.

The changes on the city hall when complete will cost in the neighborhood of $10,000 according to the estimate of an official intimately connected with the work. These repairs are fundamental. All of them cannot be completed at once, but it is arranged that the most requisite ones be made now and the others when provision is made for the expenses not now covered by monies in that special fund.

A CREAMERY FOR SHEVLIN

On Tuesday of this week at a meeting called for the purpose the citizens of Shevlin and vicinity organized a permanent creamery association with H. V. Lyon president, and Jas. Gordon secretary. A. J. McGuire of Grand Rapids, was present and gave good advice that will prove of great value to the creamery in its infancy. The sum of $700 was raised and $200 worth of stock was sold.

On the day previous the people of Alida held a meeting also attended by Mr. McGuire and effected a temporary organization.

MARKET FOR THEIR TIMBER

CROOKSTON SETTLERS SOUTH OF GRACETON FIND NEW TIMBER OUTLET

MILL STARTS AT ROSEAU—LOG HEADWATERS OF UPPER ROSEAU

From Saturday's Daily—

Ed Olson of Roseau arrived in the city last evening from that city in charge of Jas. O'Brien an imbecile peddlar whom he is taking to court at Hallock. He brings a breath of the fresh air of the open, developing country to the north.

To a Journal representative he said:

"Roseau is to have a large sawmill this summer. William Orson, a capitalist and leading merchant has had crews logging at the headwaters of Roseau river to the southeast and his cut will amount to many million feet These logs will be floated down the river to this point and will be manufactured into lumber in time for shipment when the railroad reaches here later in the season.

"The headwaters of the Roseau River run in south of Roosevelt and Graceton where many Crookston people are homesteading. By cutting out the water growths that block up swamps, canals can be readily made to convey timber from almost any part of that territory to the proposed mills.

"There is enough pine, spruce, tamarack and poplar timber tributary to Roseau river to keep a sawmill in operation here for fifteen or twenty years. It is an industry that would have developed sooner had shipping facilities been at hand.

"The scarlet fever scare has about subsided. One death occurred in the country south of town, and one child died in town.

"About a foot of snow has fallen in the past week and logging operations are going forward with great vigor."

THINKS HE OWNS MILLIONS

John Johnson who declares that his residence is Duluth, was committed to the insane asylum at Fergus Falls from Bemidji and was taken thru this city last evening in charge of Deputy Sheriff Andrew Johnson. Johnson recently became possessed of the idea that he had several millions in the old country and many hundreds of acres of land in New York Mills.

The insane patient has a claim near Grygla where he has lived alone for the past five years, and during all that time has never been farther from home than the Grygla post office and was not there often. The physicians state that his is a case due solely to isolation.

Edward Guyer of Ashland, Wis., who was picked up at Bemidji a few weeks ago is being held under order from Probate Judge Clark to await the action of the state board of control relative to Guyer's mental condition. Because he is a non-resident the board of control must pass on his case and will probably pronounce him insane.

From our Exchanges

ARGYLE (Banner)

C. O. Lezie's safe was opened on Tuesday afternoon after the fire and the books and all contents were found intact—not being harmed in the least

J. V. Beaudry returned Monday from Rainy River where he spent the winter working at his trade, barbering Mr. Beaudry will work his farm during the summer.

Mrs. Marie Schweich entertained and served dinner to a few of her lady friends and relatives last Saturday, the honored guest was her aunt, Mrs. Lacousiere, from Brooks, Minn.

Nels Malm returned from a visit with his son at Moorhead on Monday. Mr. Malm is employed as superintendent of the electric plant at that place and is a graduate of the Argyle electric plant.

Adelore Regimbald returned Saturday from Swift, Minn., where he has spent the winter and will remain here permanently in the future looking after the creamery business with his brother with whom he is associated.

ADA (Herald)

H. C. Aamoth the Mahnomen banker, was in Ada Monday on business.

Mrs. W. W. Watson was surprised by a number of the ladies Saturday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday.

Clerk of Court Semling last week issued a marriage license to William Roney, of Minneapolis and Miss Marie Ness, of Hendrum.

Rev. Gjerstad has purchased 160 acres of land in Norman county which will be run by his eldest son. The family will also spend the summer months there.

There are two cases of scarlet fever in the city. Those who are sick are Ardis Lofgren and Mary Tenney. They are doing nicely and no serious consequences are expected.

Erick P. Hembre, of Home Lake and Shelland before Judge Sharpe on a charge of insanity. He was committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls and taken to that place by Sheriff Peterson Saturday night.

N. L. Nelson who has been janitor at the school house since the new building was first occupied, resigned his position last week on account of ill health. Mr. Nelson has been suffering from lung trouble for some time and was compelled to change his work.

Bars Frats From Schools.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., March 19.—Supt. Swartz yesterday ordered the members of the Greek letter fraternity Alpha Delta Omega to disband the organization or suffer expulsion from school. He declared that no secret organization of pupils would be tolerated. The members promised to heed the warning.

Raid on Milk Dealers.

La Crosse, Wis., March 19.—Deputy State Dairy Inspector P. A. Larson has started a raid on milk dealers of this city and already three of them have been arrested for selling cream not up to the legal standard of butter fats. Other arrests are expected to follow the secret investigation.

Steamer a Total Loss.

San Francisco, March 19. — The steamer Pomona, plying between this city and Eureka, Cal., was wrecked near Fort Ross, about sixty miles from here, yesterday afternoon. All her passengers were saved. The Pomona is reported to a total wreck.

License at Worthington.

Worthington, Minn., March 19.—In the municipal election here yesterday 529 votes were cast and license carried by 1 majority. All license nominees were elected.

Senator Penrose Very Ill.

Philadelphia, March 21. — United States Senator Penrose is dangerously ill at his home here, suffering from erysipelas. It was said by his physicians last night that his temperature had reached 104 and that his condition is serious.

Killed in Wreck.

San Antonio, Tex., March 21.—One man was killed and eight other persons were badly injured yesterday when an excursion train was wrecked at Pearsall.

Missing More Than Week.

Warren, Minn., March 21. — Jake Nelson, aged thirty-eight years, disappeared from his home on Wednesday of last week. The authorities have just been notified. He left a wife and four children.

Burglars Loot Store.

Williston, N. D., March 21. — The store of G. M. Thomas here was entered by burglars and about $300 worth of firearms was stolen. The police have a clue, and will no doubt capture the offenders.

FERTILE (Journal)

Mrs. H. L. Gaylord suffered a fracture of her wrist slipping and falling on the sidewalk yesterday afternoon.

Nels Clementsen of the town of Liberty closed a deal with the Fertile Lumber Co., today for material to build one of the largest barns in the county.

Mrs. John Black, of Esplee spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. S. C. LaDue. Also Mrs. G. W. Willis of Thief River Falls. They returned home this morning.

A marked copy of the Los Angeles Express reached us this week, containing the announcement of the birth of a girl to Mr. ad Mrs. Stanley LaDue February 29th.

K. O. Flakne is here from Minneapolis today being the plaintiff in a lawsuit with the Great Northern Ry. Co., as defendants. The case is the outcome of a delayed shipment of hay over that road. The case is being tried before Judge Carey.

A. F. Cronquist the Erskine banker, attended the funeral of Carl Nelson here Wednesday. Mr. Cronquist came to this country from Sweden in company with Mr. Nelson and the two have always been warm friends. We understand Mr. Cronquist has consented to act as administrator of the estate.

SHIP WOMEN TO MONTANA.

Wilbaux Man Says There Is Scarcity in That State.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., March 21. — Edward Yager of Wibaux, Mont., makes application for the shipment of women of marriageable age to Montana, saying there is a scarcity in that state. He and a hundred others at Wibaux are looking for wives.

HOLD-UP MAN GETS $500.

Montana Railway Contractor Robbed Near Billings.

Billings, Mont., March 19.—The report reached here yesterday that a lone highwayman held up a member of the firm of Guthrie & Co., contractors for the Billings & Northern Railway company, and at the point of a six-shooter made him hand over $500. The robbery occurred near Laurel, twelve miles west of here. So far the robber has not been taken into custody.

THREE GIRLS AT ONE BIRTH.

Mrs. John Brevig, Living Near Madelia, Is Their Mother.

Madelia, Minn., March 19. — Mrs. John Brevig, living five miles north of here, has given birth to triplets. The babies are all girls. Two of them weigh four pounds each and the third six pounds. The attending physician reports all in good health, and with every chance for living of ordinary babies. These are the first triplets ever born in this vicinity.

Bankrupt Is in Jail.

Madison ,Wis., March 19. — Louis Gilbertson of La Crosse, indicted by a federal grand jury on the charge of having attempted and conspired to conceal money as a bankrupt, was arraigned here yesterday before Judge A. L. Sanborn of the federal court. He entered a plea of not guilty and in default of $5,000 bail was remanded to jail. Friends at La Crosse are making an attempt to raise the bail money.

Mill Wrecked; Three Killed.

Crandon, Wis., March 19.—The planing mill of George Kemp was completely wrecked and burned yesterday by an explosion in which three men were killed. The cause of the explosion is not known.

Farmer Falls Dead.

Fergus Falls, Minn., March 19. — Thomas Larson, a leading farmer of Dane Prairie, just south of here, fell dead yesterday while buckling on his overshoes. Death was due to heart failure.

For that Dandruff

There is one thing that will cure it—Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is a regular scalp-medicine. It quickly destroys the germs which cause this disease. The unhealthy scalp becomes healthy. The dandruff disappears, had to disappear. A healthy scalp means a great deal to you—healthy hair, no dandruff, no pimples, no eruptions.

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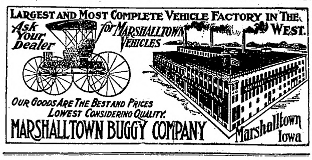
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FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

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BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—Marriage licenses were granted today as follows: Amund T. Rystad to Sarah Rystad, McIntosh; Hans Sosser of Barton, N. D., to Miss Annie Thorpe

SURVEYORS HOME—Earl Ralph and Chas Lowe returned this morning on the Northern Pacific from state drainage projects in Aitkin Co. They had spent last Sunday with William Watts Jr., in Minneapolis.

SELLING HARDWARE — Geo. Heath the heavyweight hardware salesman who makes 'em all go along some, is spending the day at Mentor and Erskine and can be depended on to return with a well filled order book.

DAY CREW TAKEN OFF — The day switch engine in the G. N. yards here has been taken off and the night crew does all the work, working from 10 to 10. The crew is in charge of Al Fritz and Messrs. Sullivan and Leguee hit the high places with him.

KOPS GOT CARLOAD—Frank Kops who is located now across from the Auditorium on Main Street received this morning a car of pianos from the east. The pianos are of high grade stock and a large number have been sold already to townspeople and farmers in this vicinity.

TO INSPECT LENGBY AND ERSKINE—County Superintendent Thomas Casey departed this morning for Erskine where he will inspect the public schools. He will depart from there to Lengby where he will fulfill the same duties. He will probably look over other school matters while in that vicinity.

STEENERSON SPOKE—Elias Steenerson returned this morning from Fargo where yesterday he attended the gathering to protest against the government declaring the Red River a non-navigable stream. Representatives were presnt from thruout this section and strong resolutions were passed against such action.

BANKRUPTCY PETITION— Richard E. Jensen and John E. Jensen, doing business under the firm name of R. E. Jensen and Son, today filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy with the clerk of federal court. Liabilities are placed at $550, with no assets.—Duluth Herald.

SLAPPED HIS FACE—Suit for assault and battery was brought up this morning before Judge McLean in the city hall by Knute Olson of Crookston vs. Alfred Tygeson of Crookston. Olson claims that Tygeson slapped his face in a Main street establishment last Monday. The case was adjourned at that time when brought up for trial. The case was again adjourned until next Wednesday.

PACKAGE FROM ALASKA—Clerk of Court Court W. A. Lanctot today received a package from Haines, Alaska containing 7 pieces of rich gold quartz and 3 pieces of fine mica. The package was sent by Martin L. Lorentzon, a former Polk County resident who went to Alaska some years ago, and last year had a copy of his citizenship papers forwarded to him by Mr. Lanctot.

HERE FROM BELLEVUE—Alfred Phillips of Bellevue, Ia., who with F. E. Glade purchased the 320 acre farm of W. G. Lytle on section 23 in the town of Andover last fall arrived in the city yesterday and will spend a few days here looking after the property. The farm has been rented for this year, as the purchasers have some business to wind up below before they move here. Mr. Phillips is an uncle of Wylie Phillips of the Phillips Steam Laundry.

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

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HAS APPENDICITIS—Chris. Coulter, a prominent farmer of Mallory is at the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forks for an operation for appendicitis.

FROM LOUISIANA — Alfred Callaghan whose father lives near Fisher returned thru this city this morning from Louisiana where he has been on business and pleasure. While there he took in the Mardi Gras.

WILL SUPPLY SINGERS—Fosston should not lack for musical talent in the future. Wm. Emmerich left for that place this morning and makes a specialty of installing "Singers" in any quantity desired—by the carload if there is a call for them.

RETURNS TO FRAZEE— George Murch returns to Frazee, Minnesota, this evening where he has been engaged in remodeling the Shevlin lumber mill at that point. J. B. Boileau, 633 Hunter street, is also employed at that point in the same matter.

AFTER A PEDDLAR —Chief Eck was on the trail of a peddlar of dry goods this morning in Carman. The chief sent a shot across his bows and halted him on the Main St. bridge but the humble peddlar produced a license duly signed and went on his way.

SEASON CLOSING — A. H. Barnes departed this morning for Pine Island to bring in his horses under contract for logging at that point. The thaws in the weather and forecast of continued thaw for some time predict the closing of the logging season.

HEADED FOR GRACETON—Next Sunday morning quite a delegation from this city will head for the Crookston Colony south of Graceton. The party will include John and Axel Sandberg, John N. Kirsch, Hon. A. D. Stephens and others, and it is understood that all will take a hatchet, rope and a pair of spikes for their boots in case they meet a wolf and want to climb a tree for safety.

BACK FROM WOODS—Harry Miller, the strapping six-footer of Scotch extraction of Angus, who has been spending the winter in the logging camps of Ross and Ross at Kellfiher, and whom "Boss" Ed Henry says is as good a man as ever worked in the lumber camps, has returned home looking as tho he was fit for a go with either Mackenschmidt of Gotch and he says he is thinking some of challenging the winner after the coming match May 3.

GIVEN THIRTY DAYS—Fred Davis who is employed in the cracker factory in Grand Forks was brought before the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday on the charge of indecent exposure, adjudged guilty and assessed a fine of $25 and in lieu thereof 30 days in jail. The authorities are determined to mete out summary justice to offenses of this character and the next offender of this character will probably wish he had never come to East Grand Forks.—He is now in the County Jail here.

WINTER IS OVER— The weather moderated last evening after the longest stretch of cold weather experienced during the entire winter. It has ranged from 2 to 5 degrees below zero every morning for the past five days which is the record for the present winter. The farmers are all finishing preparations to rush the sed into the ground the minute conditions wil lpermit. A south wind is taking the snow off rapidly.

RELIEVED BY DEATH — Wm. Spellman of the Hotel Crookston staff received the sad news of the death of his father, J. Spellman yesterday, and left last evening for Albert Lea to attend the funeral. His father has suffered from a tumorous cancer for several months past and he returned but a short time ago from Albert Lea after spending several weeks at his father's bedside. Deceased was but 45 years old and until a short time ago was a very rugged man. He suffered greatly and death came as a welcome relief.

IN TROUBLE AGAIN—The family troubles of the Banacks will be aired in court again. The former action brought by Mary Banack for a divorce from Frank Banack was dismissed recently as the parties made up, but Mrs. Banack claims that her husband has left her again and she intends to start a new action, as the court refuses to consider contempt proceedings in connection with the first suit instituted by Mrs. Banack. Some time ago the court ordered Banack to pay his wife temporary alimony, and the defendant was brought before the court for contempt when he neglected to pay. Matters were patched up between Mr. and Mrs. Banack it is claimed and the case was dropped.—Duluth Herald. The Banacks formerly resided in western Polk Co.

HERE FROM ANGUS—John B. Goodwin and brother Ray spent yesterday in the city from Angus attending to some business matters and trading with Crookston merchants. John Goodwin is one of the most prosperous farmers in Northern Polk and the Red River Valley is plenty good for him. Ray Goodwin has moved onto the old J. M. Palmer farm at Angus where he is keeping bachelors quarters and will do a stunt at farming for himself this year. It is said that a number of Ray's friends have clubbed together and inserted an advertisement for a good looking single girl or a rich widow in several matrimonial papers as they fear living alone may induce bats to nest in his belfry.

Ole Haugen was in Crookston last evening in company with his brother Andrew Haugen who last week attempted to suicide by cutting his throat at Thief River Falls. He managed to sever his windpipe but the physicians saved his life by inserting a silver tube, which the wounded man vowed he would tear out.

His fit of despondency seems to have subsided and Ole Haugen, who resides at Kenyon, Minn., will take his brother for a visit with relatives at Beltrami, and will later take him to Kenyon on a visit in hopes that his mind may be cleared up and that he will forget his suicidal ideas.

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FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

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OFF FOR STOUGHTON—Ole Bjoin has left for Stoughton, Wisconsin, where he will attend to business matter and visit relatives for a week.

BOUGHT FIRE TEAM— The city today purchased a handsome fire team of Mr. Deroche, a handsome pair of animals, a black and a bay. The purchase price was $500.

POLK CO. INVESTMENTS—T. O. Stensmoe one of the Grand Forks county bonanza farmers is in the city today closing a large real estate investment deal for some lands in the vicinity of McIntosh.

TO VISIT HOME FOLKS — Chas. Bourdon and Jos. Siff who are attending a local business college left this morning to spend their end week vacation with their parents at Red Lake Falls.

LOOKING AFTER COTTAGE—C. H. Babcock is spending the day at Maple Lake looking over some cottages and may select one to rent the coming summer in which event Mrs. Babcock will be there for each week end vacation.

CHENEY GOES TO WARREN — John Cheney, who has been manager of the March farm near Argyle for over ten years has been appointed superintendent of the Snake River Farm near Warren to fill the vacancy caused by the death of L. M. Rafferty.

FINISHED BENOIT SURVEY — Orvis Hinds, County Surveyor of Polk County returned to the city this morning from Benoit where he has been surveying on ditch No. 75. The work has been completed and estimates will be furnished to the county commissioners at their next meeting.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED — Lionel Snelling the Angus young man who had his face and eyes burned by an explosion of molten brass last week, is improving slowly at Euclid. Dr. Mitchell expects to save his eyesight

IN FASTER COMPANY—Phil Lezie returned to Argyle this week from Mc Allister College to spend a few weeks with his parents before taking up his work with the Iowa State Baseball League. Mr. Lezie has just received his release from Burlington League with which he was signed and his engagement with the Iowa's is considered as a high compliment in baseball circles. Phil is a general favorite in Valley baseball circles and the announcement will be received with not a little pride by the baseball fans of this section.

E. P. SCHAEFER IS OPTIMISTIC

SAYS THERE IS MORE INQUIRY FOR VALLEY LANDS THAN FOR PAST 5 YEARS

SAYS PEOPLE OF ILLINOIS AND ADJACENT STATES ARE LOOKING THIS WAY

From Friday's Daily—

E. P. Schaefer, one of the well known land men of this city, who now has an office at Hebron, Ill., arrived in the city yesterday to look after a land deal and asked about the movement towards the Red River Valley this coming summer said:

"There is double the inquiry for Valley lands that there has been at any time for the past four years. This I attribute to the fact that less interest is being taken in Texas and Canadian lands. The farmers of Illinois and adjacent states have determined that the Red River Valley offers better inducements than any section of the country at the present time.

"Those who have returned from the Canadian Northwest as a rule do not bring very glowing accounts. While some did well, many did not, and what is more they are dissatisfied with the lack of schools, churches and other evidences of civilization which will not be established for many years to come in the sections where cheap lands can be secured because the sparsely settled regions will not permit of such improvements.

"The coming of spring and summer will witness more sales of land in the Valley and in the cut over sections between the Valley and Duluth in the northern part of the state than have been recorded during any year in the past five. At present there is no question but what the reputation of the Red River Valley as an ideal diversified farming section is rapidly spreading. The recent butter contests by the National association held in St. Paul in which Moinnesota walked off with the majority of the prizes has shown them what Minnesota can do in the butter line and they are taking due notice."

DAIRYMAID MISSING—G. T. Wilson the producer of "The Merry Dairymaids" in this city states that he is missing a copy of the music of "The Merry Dairymaids" and requests that same, if found, be returned to Miller & Foote's office, Broadway and Robert.

HOSPITAL WORK—Dr. O. L. Bertelson will leave Waukesha, Wis., in a day or two for Chicago where he share hospital work with a physician who is a personal friend. After a short time there he will start on the return journey and expects to arrive in Crookston about April 1st.

LAND IS ACTIVE — A number of people were headquartering at Robert Purvis' land office on Second Street, this morning, preparatory to departure for section 7 in Fairfax where they will locate on a farm. Senator Works and Andrew Rush of Mankato were also on hand completing business connected with the purchase of section 35 in Euclid township which was done thru the Purvis office.

QUARTERMASTER ON BATTLESHIP—J. A. LePage and sister, Dora arrived in the city this morning, for a visit with their many friends in the city on business. Mr. LePage is the son of F. E. LePage of Mentor and has just been discharged from a four years' enlistment in the U. S. Navy where he was stationed as Quartermaster on the Battleship Indiana. He will again enter the government service but not as a sailor tho he was well pleased with life under the flag.

REACHED RIPE OLD AGE — The remains of Mrs. Borghild Larson, who died at Reiner one of the Eleven Towns east of Thief River Falls, last Monday were taken thru this city last evening enroute to Ashby, from where they will be taken to her old home in Eagle Grove Township, Otter Tail Co., where the funeral services will be held. Deceased was 79 years of age and was one of the pioneer residents of Otter Tail Co., but for the past few years has lived with her daughter, Mrs. M. T. Torgeson at Reiner. Her son-in-law M. T. Torgeson accompanied the remains last evening, his wife's health not permitting her to make the journey.

VERIFIED LIST OF EXEMPTIONS

County Auditor Hoffard received from the Minnesota Tax Commission instructions that no one will be granted the $100 exemption under the state law, no credits shall be offset by debits, unless in each case a verified list is made of personal property or of debits and credits and handed the assessor; and auditors shall refuse to issue certificates to assessors whose books do not comply with this law.

FIVE BUSINESS HOUSES AT FISHER ROBBED

HARDWARE STORE, GENERAL STORE, JEWELRY STORE AND TWO SALOONS WERE BROKEN INTO LAST NIGHT—SOME PLUNDER AND ALL CASH IN SIGHT TAKEN FROM EACH PLACE ENTERED —FRONT DOORS SMASHED IN AND REAR WINDOWS PRIED OPEN—NO TRACE OF THIEVES HAS YET BEEN FOUND—ABOUT $25 IN CASH AND $500 WORTH OF GOODS TAKEN

From Saturday's Daily—

Practically all of Fisher was robbed last evening, five of the leading business houses having been broken into by a gang of thieves who carted away all the goods they could well carry and robbed the tills of the few dollars in change that had been left in each place. Kile's general store, Hamilton's Hardware store, C. Widenhoefer's jewelry store and the saloons of Albert Jance and Carl Vinge.

The thieves broke in the glass front doors in the hardware and general store. At Kile's they stole a quantity of rubbers, shoes, gloves, tobacco and other articles and took about $14 in cash from the till, all small change

From Hamilton's hardware store they appropriated a number of revolvers, razors, knives, ammunition and other goods, and got a few dollars in cash also.

At the jewelry store, which they entered from the rear by prying open a window, the burglars stole a dozen or more watch chains, and quite a number of valuable pieces of jewelry but the more valuable goods were locked in the safe which they did not succeed in opening. They also secured a little change there.

From the Jance and Vinje saloons both of which were entered by prying open rear windows with crowbars, the thieves stole a large quantity of cigars liquors etc., and got about $10 or $15 in change from the two places.

There is absolutely no clue to the thieves as the robberies were not discovered till the proprietors came down to open up for business this morning. The robberies were probably committed shortly after midnight, as the saloons close at 11 o'clock and everything was quiet after that time.

Yesterday there were a number of men who looked like lumber jacks at Fisher and it is the general supposition that these, or some of them were the thieves in disguise.

Chief Eck and Sheriff Gonyea were notified but no suspects have been apprehended here. Grand Forks, Fargo and other surrounding towns were also notified early this morning and all will keep watch for strangers who are long on the kind of junk stolen.

This is about the boldest piece of work committed in the valley for many months.

The cash taken aggregates about $25 and it is estimated that the value of the merchandise stolen is in the neighborhood of $500.

YEGGMEN BLEW SAFE AT SABIN

STRONG BOX IN WYATT GENERAL STORE SHATTERED — $188 SECURED

A HARDWARE STORE ROBBED OF SOME HATCHETS AND A REVOLVER

From Saturday's Daily—

Bandits early this morning forced an entrance into the hardware store of Fred Scheel at Sabin, Minn., secured two hatchets and a revolver, and then, with the aid of the hatchets secured entrance to the general store of F. A. Wyatt. They started upon the safe, adjusting their explosive and then packing clothing and dry goods about the safe to deaden the sound. The safe was blown to pieces. The door was blown to pieces. The door was blown off and a hole blown thru the bottom. The interior was quickly rifled and the thieves made their escape.

The work was not discovered until the store was opened this morning.

Mr. Wyatt states that the thieves secured about $118 in cash, and a number of checks. Among the latter was Great Northern check No. 48713 for $36.15 payable to Henry Kuhl. Mr. Wyatt could not give a complete list of the checks.

Mr. Wyatt telephoned this afternoon that the checks were found along the Great Northern tracks between Moorhead and Sabin.

CROOKSTON MAN IS HONORED

HARRY NORRIE NAMED DEPUTY GRAND MASTER OF A. O. U. W. ORDER

This morning Harry Norrie the well known mail carrier and an enthusiastic Workman member received his commission as Deputy Grand Master of the A. O. U. W. from Grand Master M. C. Tifft of Long Prairie, Minn.

This is a high honor and the many friends of Mr. Norrie will be pleased to note that his enthusiastic and effective work in promoting the best interests of the order in Northern Minnesota have been suitable rewarded.

As Deputy Grand Master, Mr. Norrie will have general supervision of matters pertaining to the welfare of the order thruout the northwestern portion of the state and can be banked upon to make good in his work in that line.

Mr. John Rizs or Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FOUL MURDER COMMITTED

A WEALTHY FARMER IS A VICTIM OF COLD BLOODED CRIME

HANS HALVORSON SHOT IN BACK AND HEAD BLOWN OFF—JONES WAS ARRESTED

From Saturday's Daily—

Paul Jones, who was employed on the farm of Walter Ryan about 12 miles southwest of Leeds, N. D., was arrested today on a charge of murdering Hans Halvorson a farmer residing near the Ryan farm.

The murder of Hans Halvorson was committed sometime on Thursday afternoon and was a particularly brutal crime. He was shot three times in the back with a 12-gauge shot-gun. A fourth charge of shot tore away the top of Halvorson's head. His death occurred instantly. The murderer had evidently shot Halvorson in the back first and then dragged the body from the well around to a straw stack near the barn, where he would be less likely to be seen. There he fired the shot which tore away the top of Halvorson's head.

Neighbors found the body cold in death.

Jones is Arrested

This morning the authorities placed Jones under arrest at the Ryan farm It is claimed that there is a strong case against him. He ha dbeen enquiring if Halvorson or others of the neighborhood had money and if they kept it in their homes or on their persons. It was common talk in the neighborhood that Halvorson who was a wealthy bachelor, kept large sums of money on his person or secreted in his residence. Jones has been unable to satisfactorily explain his whereabouts at the time the murder is believed to have been committed.

According to Ryan his employe was at the farm when he left for a trip Thursday forenoon. When Ryan returned in the evening he found that Jones was absent. He came home late at night.

Ryan declares that he was afraid of Jones, who was surly and had a fearful outburst of bad temper. Jones is a former resident of Indiana. Since his arrest he has maintained that he is innocent.

Coroner Meadows held an inquest at the home of the deceased today and a verdict charging Jones with murder was found.

Motive is Robbery

The authorities believe that altho the motive for the murder was robbery no money was secured by the slayer. From the evidence they can gather it appears that Halvorson kept his money in a secure place.

The murdered man was an old-timer in that section of the state and had many friends. He was not quarrelsome.

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State Rights Hard Hit

"The decision of the supreme court of the United States in the Minnesota commodity rate case does not appear to leave much room for state regulation of railroad rates," says the Duluth Herald.

The court has not decided that the state cannot regulate intrastate rates apparently, but it has practically prohibited the legislatures from providing penalties needed to make the rate laws effective, and it has opened the way for suits in the federal counts to prevent the states from enforcing their laws, the eleventh amendment to the federal Constitution to the contrary notwithstanding. These rulings will have the effect of making state attempts to regulate rates ineffectual, if they go so far as they seem to on the face of the decision.

The Minnesota legislature passed a law fixing certain commodity rates in this state, and making it a misdemeanor to charge more than these rates. The railroads got an injunction from the federal court restraining the state officers from enforcing the law. Attorney General Young, to test the case violated the injunction was fined $100 for contempt of court, and took the case to the United States supreme court on a writ of habeas corpus. The state held that the suit was in violation of the eleventh amendment to the Constitution in that it was in effect a suit against the state. Shrewd railroad attorneys declared that it was not, that it was simply a suit against the state officers, and the supreme court has agreed with them. You can't sue the state but you can sue its officers and accomplish the same results.

This does not leave much of the eleventh amendment. It destroys the principle that a state cannot be sued. As to this particular point, perhaps no great harm is done. It is not entirely clear wherein justice is subserved by giving a state immunity that "the king can do no wrong."

But Justice Harlan, in his lone dissenting opinion, says that the decision establishes a dangerous precedent, and certainly those who didn't want the authority of the states merged in the authority of the federal government will heartily agree with him. The supreme court held that the penalties provided by the rate law are so severe that they tend to prevent the railroads from resorting to the courts to test the law, since the only way to do it is to subject an employe to risk of imprisonment. Yet violation of the rate law is made a misdemeanor, the smallest offense known to the law, and certainly the state would look foolish if it enacted a law and provided no penalties by which it could be enforced.

The decision is important because it tends to break down the authority of the states and increase their domination by the federal government. It is still more important because it shows that the supreme court, not content with rendering statutory law nugatory, has in this case practically destroyed a part of the Constitution itself.

The decision did not directly involve the 2-cent pasesnger rate law, but since that also provides penalties for its violation, indirectly the holding kills that measure as well, if the railroads choose to attack it, altho they had practically accepted its provisions.

In view of such decisions as this, it is absurd to call anarchists and social revolutionists the only formenters of revolution.

The Way To Resume Is To Resume.

"The way to resume is to resume." This was, we believe, the dictum of John Sherman in regard to the resumption of specie payment after the civil war. It was considered as the terse, courageous statesman like summing up of the proper national attitude in the face of a grave situation, says the Duluth News Tribune.

It is often so quoted, but never was more apropos than just now in the face of continued industrial stagnation. It should be adopted by those who represent the great industries of this country instead of the hesitating, cautious, so-called "conservative" attitude which they are maintaining.

The present situation is grave it is rapidly becoming worse. Men are getting hungry and hungry stomachs are a menace, always to the law, to peace and to safety. The time has passed for scolding and for revenge. It has passed for theorizing on the responsibility for present conditions, that can best be left to the historian.

It is also past for nursing grudges and for mutual upbraiding. The time has come now to resume, to ive men work, to stem the increasing tide of idleness and to put in action once more, that great market which consists of employed labor.

There can be no satisfaction in throwing hungry men in jail and there is less humanity in punishing hungry men for acts of reprisal for fancied wrongs. An empty stomach has no conscience and no one can pretend to insure the acts of thousands nearing the starving line when the time comes that patience ceases to be held as a virtue.

Those who control the country's purse strings also control its great enterprises. They have profited enormously in the past ten years. They cannot wait now for a certainty of profit before setting the wheels of industry turning and giving idle labor employment.

They must realize not only their responsibility as trustees of the country's weath, but the presence of a danger which involves them and their properties as well as the general public. History constantly repeats itself and by history we should learn wisdom and not be blinded by selfish hatreds nor nursed sores.

There can be no excuse in the United States for bread riots; there is no excuse for idle tens of thousands. But we have the latter and the former will follow as an inevitable consequence unless condiitons are changed.

No sore tooth was ever cured by biting it, no face was ever made more satisfactory to the wearer by removing the nose. It is time to stop both being mad and being afraid, and to adoppt Sherman's shibbolethh. "The way to resume is to resume."

Looking To Minnesota

California is turning to Minnesota for direction in agricultural matters. As yet no experimental farm or agricultural college exists in that state. This is surprising. It is pleasing to find that agricultural authorities there have accepted the Minnesota agricultural college as a model. In agitating for the establishment of a similar institution in California it was asserted that Minnesota has answered the question, "Does science applied to agriculture pay?" Paul V. Marvis, writing in the North Pacific Rural Spirit, says that by adopting the scientific views of Professor R. A. Moore, Minnesota was able to overcome the greatest of all obstacles, that of climate, and raise itself from a state which could raise no corn at all to a state ranking second in corn production per acre. It has been decided to have an experimental farm in California, and an agricultural college similar to the institution located at St. Paul. Over 800 acres of land have already been purchased for this purpose.

JUST A FEW

By C. D. I. in the Cass Lake Times.

A fool at forty, knew it all at twenty.

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The man of the hour—our new mayor.

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The "psychological hat" should look very fit for Easter.

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A thief will take offense if there's nothing else in sight.

Our advice to the new council—make it an even $1,000.

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The bridal path often leads to the open road of matrimony.

Habit forges stronger bars than those on prison windows.

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The booster reared in the school of hard knocks is the best of all.

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When sorrow came into the world sympathy, its twin was already thtre.

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A girl is awful proud of being able to blush without knowing why.

STATE PRESS

Where Are They Now

L. A. Russell, a Cleveland, Ohio, lawyer who died recently, became fairly well known twenty or so years ago thru a legal opinion he gave Tom Johnson. Johnson had just read "Progress and Poverty" and was impressed by the argument. He took the book to Russell for an opinion on its logical and legal merits. The result of Mr. Russell's reading was his own conversation to the single-tax doctrine and the confirmation of Mr. Johnson in the opinions he had become inclined to from the first reading. "Progress and Poverty" reads as well as ever, yet where are the single taxers now?—Minneapolis Journal.

Fast on Typewriter

The Crookston Times can build rail roads (in its columns) a good deal quicker than the Great Northern can lay steel in Roseau county.—Badger Herald Rustler.

Then Smiled

J. Adam Bede congressman from this district, who has gained considerable notoriety as a jester and juggler of the truth, was in Duluth this week talking again. He told an Evening Herald reporter that the nation's law makers are not loafing, but are busy as beavers and that great things will have been accomplished—and then he turned aside and smiled.—Virginian Virginian.

Lese Majeste

An Indiana old soldier has been arrested for writing "Uncle Joe" Cannon that he does not "own the earth." We admit that the soldier is wrong, but we did not know that it would be construed as lese majeste for him to say it.—Carlton Vidette.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

Aside from the governorship, there seems to be no contest before the republicans of Minnesota, except for attorney general and railroad commissioner. Nominations for these positions are seldom made on the merits of the candidates, often serving as consolation prizes for gubernatorial and other candidates or factions, who were defeated in the early stages of the convention's balloting. Even more often they are results of trades made with the crowd that dominates a convention. We ought to have a state wide primary election.—Warren Register.

Taft is "it". The campaign waged in behalf of the big secretary has routed the reactionaries and the Taft manager is now asking the republicans to organize for the election. The excitement regarding the nomination has all died down and there is no longer any question of who will be the republican candidate for president.—Aitkin Republican.

Among the successors to Judge Lochren of the Federal Bench who are being mentioned prominently is Judge C. L. Brown of the State Supreme bench of Minnesota. Judge Brown is a jurist of recognized ability and comes from a family of jurists. His father, Judge J. H. Brown was one of the pioneer district judges of Minnesota and his uncle, L. H. Brown was for years district judge at Shakopee. Judge Brown would make as good timber for Judge Lochren's position on the federal bench at St. Paul as any man yet mentioned, and has an exceptionally strong following in Northern Minnesota where he is recognized as an able conscientious and fearless judge.

CORRESPONDENCE

TERREBONNE

Fr. Roy, of Lambert was a guest of Fr. Veilleux the first of the week.

Raphael St. Marie and Mrs. St. Marie, of Red Lake Falls, spent Sunday among relatives.

Messrs. and Mesdames Alcide Perusse and J. B. Archambault drove over to Lambert Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Laurent, Dolphis Champoux and Mrs. Champoux left Friday for Crookston to be the guests of the Andrew Prudhomme family over Sunday.

The following were the officers elected at the town election for the ensuing year: Louis Perrault, chairman; Louis Parenteau and Alcide Perusse supervisors and assessors; C. L. Cadieux and Ludger Cossette, justices of the peace; Ludger Cossette town clerk Ed St. Yves and Firmin Desrosiers, constables.

BRAY

Miss Hannah Johnson and Mrs. Clara Walker returned home from Crookston last Fridayn for a visit at home.

Miss Cora Bakken of Thief River Falls is visiting at the home of her uncle Ed. Crown.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Johnson were pleasantly surprised at their home Friday evening by a large crowd of people old and young who had gathered there. A fine set of silverware was presented to them. A good time was had by all present. Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Johnson will shortly leave for Thief River Falls to make their future home.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting:

Supervisor—John O. Swanson.

Clerk—Ernest J. Akerlund.

Treasurer—A. E. Anderson.

Assessor—Emil Larson.

Justices of the Peace—Emil Larson O. A. Akerlund.

Constable—Henry Limblem.

Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach such as dyspepsia, heart burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold here by A. G. Andersen.

FISHER

Miss Amanda Landman of Wylie is the guest of Miss Amelia Wagner this week.

Misses Agnes Torrison and Bertina Gunstenson visited Saturday and Sunday with Miss Kile at the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forks.

Mrs. T. Moran left Saturday evening for Stephen, where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brewster are removing their household goods from McIntock, N. D., where they have resided for the past year into their residence here, where they will again make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quirk who left on an extended wedding trip some three months ago, returned Saturday morning from Mrs. Quirk's old home at Smith Falls, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Quirk are to make this place their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bain entertained a number of their young friends Friday evening. The eveing was spent in dancing and games, followed by an elegant lunch.

CASS LAKE

(Times)

Maple sugar making will soon be in order; get out your receptacles for as soon as the present "crow winter" is ended sap will run and you want to be ready for it on the first sap day.

The crows which came last week expecting a jolly time have met disappointment. They brought no top coats with them and zero weather is an imposition on their good nature.

W. R. McKinnon returned Wednesday from Washington, D. C., where he went on business connected with his position on the forestry bureau.

At a public meeting in Warren hall Monday evening it was decided to reorganize the band. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. Stanton; vice president, A. S. Williams; secretary, R. M. Funck; treasurer, P. J. Keating.

From Over The Valley

CONDUCTING INVESTIGATIONS ABOUT EARLY FIFE WHEAT

The sensational denouncement of a particular kind of wheat, known in this locality as Eary Fife but going by different names elsewhere, such as Red Russian, Early Rissian, Velvet Chaff and Rhinoceros, has attracted considerable attention among millers and grain growers about here. S. S. Stadsvoldt has caused extensive investigation and testing to be made here of the flour from this wheat, but results thus far of experiments made have been rather puzzling the bread produced here belying the reports from the Minneapolis milling center of its inferiority. At this writing Mr. Stadsvold states that he cannot as yet attempt either to discourage or encourage the seeding of this Early Fife wheat, but hopes to give a more definite statement upon the matter by another week. — Fosston Thirteen Towns.

FORMER POLK CO. SCHOOL-MA'AM SUCCESSFUL SUPT.

Refering to a former esteemed teacher in the Fosston schools who now enjoys the distinction of holding the office of superintendent of schools in Mahnomen county, the Plaintalk last week remarked: "Miss Katie Owen, county superintendent of schools was in Mahnomen Tuesday. Miss Owen is making the round of the public schools. Miss Owen is very popular with the teachers of the county, both public and government, and they all speak very highly of her work."

A Life at Stake

Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's diseaase and diabetes start with a slight irregularity that could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney Remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. For sale by all druggists.

MAN FELL FORTY FEET WITHOUT SERIOUS INJURY

Seger Aske, with three friends was crossing from Fargo to Moorhead on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, taking the Great Northern railroad bridge. As he and his companions reached the Moorhead side they stopped during a discussion and in an unguarded moment Aske stepped backward off the bridge. He fell a distance of about 40 feet but strange to say he suffered but slight injuries. He was taken to the police station and Dr. Humphrey was summoned who found two teetht loosened and a small bone broken in the left shoulder Aske's escape from fatal injury was remarkable.

TWO TOWNER BANKS HAVE CONSOLIDATED

The First National Bank of Towner has absorbed the Mouse River bank owned by Horace Bagley now publisher of the Tribune and a candidate for county judge. The bank will occupy the quarters formerly used by the Mouse River bank. Mr. Bagley retains a block of stock in the consolidated institution.

TAX COMMISSION IS TOURING THE STATE

The state tax commission left for a six weeks' trip over the state yesterday. Chairman McVey is confering with county and local tax officials at Chisago county at Center City; Mr. Hall is at Cambridge and Mr. Lord at Mankato. Tomorrow they will all be in St. Paul and later in Minneapolis.

INCIDENTALLY MENTIONS RINDAL CREAMERY PROFITS

Carl Renne, of Fertile formerly with Krohn & Thorp, writes friends at Shevlin and incidently mentions the fact that the Rindal creamery for the month of January, paid 30 1-2 cents per pound for butter fat, outside of sinking fund and running expenses. Does it pay?—Shevlin Herald.

RED LAKE FALLS

(Gazette)

Miss Marina Crompe was a south bound passenger to Crookston Saturday evening.

Delarge Corno rode over from Crookston yesterday on horseback for a brief visit with friends.

Cash Brunelle departed Tuesday evening for Crookston and the west in search of a business location.

The Lewis Noel family will remove the latter part of the month to North Yakima, where they will take up residence.

Rev. T. T. Ove, of Crookston was a guest the first of the week of O. J. Knutson and other friends in the city.

Mrs. G. H. Tibbitts is home from Fosston after spending a few days with her daughter, Miss Iza, a teacher in the Fosston schools.

The Red Lake Falls Concert Band will hold its next regular concert at the Metropolitan opera house on Friday, March 27th.

Fatally Gored by a Bull.

Chicago, March 24. — Frank Hallman, employed on a farm near Park Ridge, Ill., was gored by a bull yesterday and died from his injuries.

Farmer Jumps and Dies.

Alberta, Minn., March 25. — Nicholas Schneider jumped off a load of hay near here and died instantly from his injuries.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and the merit alone will stand the test of time

Crookston people appreciate merit, and many mouths ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills they do still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

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Getting on in the World

is a matter of great personal interest to each and every one of us. There is a wholesome joy in making headway in the world of dollars, in feeling that poverty is being pushed back farther and farther. One gets a broader grasp of affairs—more confidence in one's ability to do the things that count.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

LOST — A black velvet cape on Robert St., Jeromes addition. Return to Kroog & Dahl's store.

WANTED—Experienced lady compositor for country newspaper work. If a stenographer, and familiar with office work, so much the better. State experience, qualifications, and salary expected. Give references. Address, Times, McIntosh, Minn.

RESIGNS CASHIERSHIP— Ed O. Randklev, cashier of the First State Bank of Fosston has resigned his position with that institution and passed thru the city today on his way to Dakota points where he has been offered positions and will locate there.

DEMAND FOR HORSES— That a demand for farm horses is increasing is shown in the efforts of some of the local farmers to secure them. S. L. Collins on north Main St. has received number of fine farming horses and has recently placed them on the market.

ON LAND BUSINESS— Editor E. A. Nelson of Hallock passed thru the city last evening enroute to points in Illinois where he will look after some lands deals for a week or ten days. He says there is a big demand for land this spring and a big movement of immigrants has already started.

GOES A COURTIN'—J. W. Mason the Great Northern attorney from Fergus Falls was in the city last evening enroute to Bemidji where today he will take care of some litigation against the Great Northern at the regular term of court which opened last week with Judge Spooner wearing the toga of authority.

FROM NORTH COUNTRY—Bankers H. L. Melgaard of Argyle and Lauritz Melgaard of Stephen passed thru the city last evening enroute to St. Paul on some business matters. They state that business is looking up in Marshall County and farmers and business men are very optimistic over the prospects for the coming crop year.

C. L. McAVOY DEAD—Word was received Saturday of the death of C. L. McAvoy at Chicago. Deceased was a pioneer resident of Crookston and the remains will be shipped here for interment. Mrs. Mary McAvoy, wife of the deceased, and a daughter Mrs. William P. Murphy resides in this city and another daughter Mrs. J. F. Montgomery resides at Angus. It is expected the remains will arrive tomorrow morning. The funeral will be private. Deceased was 69 years old March 6th.

$20,000 SCHOOL BONDS — The Crookston city school board voted for $20,000 in bonds to rebuild the Franklin school recently destroyed here by fire. The matter will be submitted to the popular vote April 4th. The plans will be laid for a thirty thousand dollar edifice of striking beauty and convenience. It will be a model of all other new school buildings planned in the city. Provisions will be elaborately made for the fixture of fire safetly devices and exits. The furnace room will be totally isolated from the balance of the building and big stairways will give entrance to end of the structure. Since the destruction of the institution 250 pupils have been housed in emergency quarters thruout the vicinity of the school The school bonds will be sold to the state.

Women's Rights in Abysinia

In the matter of women's rights Abysinia is far ahead of Europe. The house and all its contents belong to the wife, and if the husband offends she turns him out until he is duly repentant and makes amends. In the matter of a pure, wholesome table beverage, nothing can equal golden grain belt beer, because it contains every particle of the healthful, wholesome nutriment of the malt and all the tonic properties of the hops from which it is made. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

BUILD ON HILL—A. Andersen arrived in the city this morning from Fargo and will build a residence here on the lots back of the McKenzie property on North Broadway.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

RETURNED WITH HORSES—Frank Mulcahey, George Gordon and Chas. Anderson returned from Grand Rapids with sixteen head of horses which have been logging for Taft and Dewey

ADJUSTING LOSSES — Adjuster Wm. Walker is busy today adjusting the losses on the Carpenter property recently burned on Robert St., near the Jerome addtion bridge.

FOR GERMANIA—Milburn Griffiths well known district agent for the New York Life for so long, has resigned his position with that company and has accepted a like position with the Germania Life.

BACK AT THE KEY—Jas. Thompson received at 9:06 yesterday morning the first reports over the wire established between this city and Geraghty and Co., of the Chicago Board of Trade.

SENTENCED THE 26TH —Della Claus was returned today from East Grand Forks and will remain here until the 26th next when she will receive sentence from the east side municipal court.

VISITING IN IOWA—G. W. Stocker who has a fine farm south of the city is spending a few days attending to some business matters and visiting relatives and friends in Northern Iowa.

SERIOUSLY ILL — George Hill, north end of Broadway, is suffering with a serious attack of catarrh of the stomach and a message was sent out at two o'clock this afternoon to relatives in the country to gather at his bedside.

DEPARTED FOR GRACETON — A. P. Sandberg, John Sandberg, and John Kirsch departed yesterday morning for Graceton, Minnesota where they will spend a few days with the Crookston colony of homesteaders in that vicinity. They intend to look over the land prospects with the idea of getting a location.

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION APRIL 3RD—Both Crookston dailies have succeeded in studiously inserting local mention of the approaching school bond election in which the date was named on about every dayy in the month but the right one. The election will be held on Friday evening April 3.

STORVICK MOVES HERE—A. O. Storvick the deputy state creamery inspector from Freeborn county is in the city today looking for a dwelling with the intention of moving into this city. The experiences during the past winter has shown him the beauty of a tropical winter and inspired his move.

LOOKING AFTER FARM— O. H. Richardson spent yesterday on his farm south of the city seeing to it that everything is in ship shape for seeding as soon as Old Boreas gets on his good behavior again and blows himself into some ice cavern near the North Pole where he should hibernate at about this time of the year.

OUT OF DANGER— Little Donald McNeil, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNeil of Grand Forks who has been so critically ill for the past few weeks at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. M. Leguee, has improved materially during the past few days and is now considered out of danger, tho he is very weak and it will take some time before he is as rugged as formerly. His father spent Sunday in the city and returned home yesterday.

Engineer Paul Busch of Grand Forks had a narrow escape from serious injury while on a trip on the branch line on Friday. The side-rod of the engine broke and smashed in the side of the cab on which Engineer Busch was riding. He was thrown violently to the floor and his back was injured He will probably take a lay off for a week or 10 days. It was necessary to send another engine to bring in Train No. 138 to Grand Forks.

MAKE IT YOURSELF

Tells Our Readers How to Mix Best Rheumatism Cure

A well known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable, yet simple and harmless, prescription, which anyone can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one-ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost, and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies, patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers, if asked to.

OFF FOR THE WOODS—Chas. Casmey who recently sold out his goods at Euclid came back from Beaudette to close up some business matters at Euclid and came down last evening to spend a day here attending to some matters and will leave Wednesday morning on the flyer for his claim where his wife is now settled for the summer. He is well pleased with the outlook in the border country and said all that was necessary to make them all satisfied was to get the Journal every day which he will do in the future.

LEASED FARM—Geo. E. Stubbins of Illinois has been spending the past few days at Angus where he owns a half section of land located three miles east of that place known as the Berdick farm. He has rented the land to H. S. Beidelman, a former Illinois man, and says he wishes he owned more in the same neck of the woods. With associates he owns 2000 acres of land in Polk County and also owns several thousand acres in North Dakota and the same concern will make further investments in northwestern lands the coming summer.

A deal has been put thru whereby the Minneota Milling Company of Minneota, Lyon County takes possession of the section 35 town of Andover, about two miles west of Kittson. The document price is $45 per acre or a total of $28,800. The deal was put thru by a Second Street land company.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, small safe, sure little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

MUST HAVE IT—E. J. Ogle, operator for the Great Northern at Tilden Junction, who is well known to the R. R. boys in this city writes the Journal as follows: Enclosed please find my subscription in advance for the Journal. I have been here about 17 months now and I find it good reading I must certainly have the Journal wherever I am.

WILL CONTINUE BUSINESS—Papers were signed today for the transfer of the Robert Purvis home, 327 Houston Avenue to J. A. McDonald. Mr. Purvis is placing his goods in the car this afternoon at the N. P. station for removal to the southern part of the state. Mr. Purvis will however, spend a good portion of his time here as in the past. and will sell more valley land than ever before if present prospects are not very misleading. For the present with his wife he will board. During his absence from the city Neal Crowley will be in charge of the land office here.

MAY START CIGAR FACTORY—Roy Burkhardt of Crookston is in Bemidji today, and is looking over the city with the intention of starting a cigar factory here. Mr. Burkhardt is already very favorably impressed with Bemidji and it is more than likely that he will start the factory.—Roy Burkhardt is an old Crookston boy, having been born in that city. He worked for a number of years in the cigar factory of H. F. Brown in Crookston and learned the trade there. He is a first class cigar maker and has the best of recommendations from Crookston.—Bemidji Pioneer.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

UNCLE SAM IS AFTER CROOKS

THIEVING LAND LOCATERS MAY LAND IN GRIP OF THE LAW

OFFICIAL EYES ARE ON SEVERAL WHO ARE UNPRINCIPLED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The United States government is keeping a sharp lookout for "locaters" who deal sharply with their clients. A number of cruisers in the north country who have been accused on various occasions of dealing unfair with their customers are in the limelight and the next move they make will cause them to be brought into court to answer for their wrongdoing.

"If the men who file on homesteads would only be confidential with us, we could help them out in a great number of cases," said an attache of the U. S. land department who was in Crookston yesterday. "On various occasions we have told men who were seeking homesteads to look out for certain fellows who were locating them, as they were crooked. In nearly every instance the prospective homesteader would become angry and as much as tell us that we did not know what we were talking about. Of course when they come to prove up their claim and find that they have paid several hundred dollars for nothing they wish that they had taken our advice."

"It is an easy matter for a locater to fool the average man who wants to take up a homestead. The general public, as a rule, knows absolutely nothing about the lay of land, directions or locations. When he is taken out and shown a tract of timber he can be handed any kind of a description and he cannot say whether it is right or wrong. Several times our attention has been called to instances where three or more men have been located on the same claim by the same cruiser and none of them had the right description.

"This kind of locater usually shows his victim a nice bunch of timber with a river flowing thru it, and he bites hard right away. He pays his good money, thanks the cruiser heartily for securing such a nice tract of pine for him and goes on his way rejoicing But when he comes to prove up he finds himself defrauded, he gets very sore.

"Other locaters, who are not quite so bad, pick out homesteads for their clients and then watch every move to see that they live up to the very letter of the law. Any time that they do not they locate, another customer on the same claim."

$10,000 IN LAND DEALS—Wm. McLean today completed a deal for $6,000 whereby the southeast quarter of thirteen in Grand Forks township was conveyed by him to Wm. John Neil. John C. Brien conveyed for $4000 the northeast quarter of ten in King township to E. G. Froirak.

BOUQUET FOR LANCTOT—W. A. Lanctot of Crookston, clerk of court of Polk county and one of the most popular residents of the "Queen" city spent yesterday in the city, renewing acquaintance with some old friends and making some new ones. Mr. Lanctot was one of the pioneer settlers of Polk county and his name is a household word over there. He was city clerk of Crookston and has always been prominently identified with that city's interests. Mr. Lanctot has promised to visit Bemidji often during the coming summer, when he can enjoy the healthy ozone of the pines during the warm weather.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Fire Imperils Whole City.

Flaxton, N. D., March 25.—The large livery barn owned by C. Schultz in this city burned to the ground last night and citizens had all they could do to save the flying cinders from burning the entire town. About twenty horses perished in the flames. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss will be about $4,000.

Dies Suddenly in Court.

Rosemount, Minn., March 25.—Melvin Peterson, a member of a gang of wood choppers in the employ of C. M. Buck, died suddenly last night at the camp of heart trouble. The coroner deemed an inquest unnecessary. Peterson's remains will be sent to Fond du Lac, Wis., for burial.

Three Ticketed for Reformatory.

Tracy, Minn., March 25. — Three boys were arrested here on the charge of committing minor burglaries and carrying concealed weapons. One was found with a 38-caliber revolver on his person. They will undoubtedly be sentenced to the reformatory.

Ten Drown Off Ferry.

Ludeck, Germany, March 25.—Ten members of a pleasure party were drowned by the upsetting of a motor ferryboat on Lake Ratzezurger. Four other passengers were saved.

FERTILE GETS ILLINOISIANS

CARLOAD OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS ARRIVE IN SOUTH COUNTY CITY

PROSPERITY GATHERS A NEW HEADWAY IN FOUR MILE RADIUS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last Saturday five cars of household goods from points in northern Illinois arrived at the switch in Fertile and ten more cars are expected at once. It is estimated that more Illinois farmers have settled about Fertile since last harvest than any other place of like size in the northwest.

Several farms have been bought by Illinoisans with cash and they are making business like arrangements to raise the same crops they raise in Illinlis as suits the soil. Among the farms recently conveyed are, the Kent farm west of town, K. J. Sandvig farm Skauge farm, J. S. Nichols and the Roy Nichols farm, the Torvestad and the Ames farms.

Strom brothers of Capron, Illinois, have purchased a quarter section in 31 town of Garden and have brought from Illinois a steam breaker. The land is wild land and they intend to seed it all this year. Another family from Illinois is that of Myron Brackett who has bought a farm near town.

Fully Two hundred families from Illinois people have immigrated into the valley in this immediate neighborhood since last harvest and their presence will aid much in the sentiment for diversified farming that is gaining so much headway in these parts.

WOULD FIGHT DEMURRAGE LAW

GREAT NORTHERN INTIMATES THAT TEST SHOULD BE MADE

W. R. Begg, general solicitor of the Great Northern road, has written to Attorney General E. T. Young, claiming that the reciprocal demurrage law passed by the last legislature is invalid.

The railroads have always claimed that it has no force with respect to cars destined for interstate shipments but Mr. Begg goes further and declares that, even if the law is confined by state courts in its construction to intrastate shipments, it is invalid because it places a burden on interstate commerce, requiring carriers to discriminate against it and in favor of local shipments, under penalties for failure to supply the local shippers promptly.

No test case has ever been brought The roads have plenty of cars now, and claims for demurrage are hardly ever heard of. It is apparent, however, that the Great Northern, at least, is really to contest any claim that may be brought under the demurrage law.

JOE NELSON TO PORT ARTHUR

Joseph Nelson, well known conductor on the Great Northern who has recently made a trip to Port Arthur has resigned his position with the G. N. and accepted charge of construction train running out of Port Arthur to Rainy River on the Canadian Northern. His brother Jas Nelson who has been in those parts for some time has charge of a like train and has been getting along prosperously. Mr. Nelson departs in two weeks to take up his duties. He has several pictures of the harbor at Port Arthur with him and brings down an optimistic glimpse of that developing country.

Relieves Mahnomen Agent

Ed Dalton formerly employed at Plummer has returned from Loma, N. D., for a visit with Agent Taggart at Plummer and gone to Mahnomen to relieve the agent there for about six weeks.

Few men are powerful enough to keep their faces closed.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.—For sale by all druggists.

HEATWOLE'S PLATFORM

ALBERT LEA EDITOR SECURES A STATEMENT FROM POLITICAL WAR HORSE

COVERS BOTH STATE AND NATIONAL QUESTIONS IN HIS PLATFORM

From Wednesday's Daily—

Editor C. S. Edwards of the Times-Enterprise of Albert Lea wrote Joel P. Heatwole of the Northfield News asking him for a statement as to his views in important political issues, and in answer Mr. Heatwole, who is mentioned as a candidate for governor submitted the following which should be considered as his platform:

All men to stand equal before the law.

The rights of the citizen must be respected and protected.

Enforcement of all laws.

A state government in the interests of the people.

County local option.

Retail liquor license in which a brewing company, wholesale liquor dealer or distiller has an interest to be revoked.

Corporations engaged in wholesaling malt, spirituous or vinous liquors interested in retail licenses to forfeit their charters.

Freight rates prescribed by the legislature or other competent State authority should stand until decided otherwise by the courts.

Public service corporations should not tax the people in freight and passenger rates beyond a fair rate of interest on the physical valuation of the property.

All telephone companies should be compelled to make connection under an equitable tariffic arrangement.

The opposition of railroads and other corporations who expect special executive and legislative favors at the expense of the people is to be expected in a campaign for good government.

Permanent improvements of public service corporations should not be charged to the expense or operating account.

Stock issued in excess of the actual physical valuation of the property of a public service corporation to be forfeited to the State.

Fair freight rates so that factories and labor may live and prosper in the interior villages and cities.

State supervision of freight rate classifications.

A sharp reduction of express rates.

A public utilities commission with full jurisdiction over all public service corporations.

The State has the right to regulate the business of public service corporations which begins and ends within its borders.

Human effort is entitled to pay commensurate with the labor performed and labor is entitled to equality of opportunity.

Labor and capital are entitled to their just dues, no more, no less; and labor should be protected against discrimination.

Safe guard the deposits in all financial institutions under State supervision.

Combinations to monopolize public offices should not be tolerated.

State development that means a square deal for every section of State Promises to the people should be held inviolate.

Imprisonment of jury fixers.

Divorce the judiciary from politics.

A thorough organization of the Republican party in every election district in the interest of good government.

No candidate should permit the use of a dollar of corporation money in his behalf. Few individuals and no corporations contribute money for political purposes without expecting handsome returns. And the people pay the freight.

A prison sentence for a public official who violates his oath and betrays the people.

Public office should be a position of honor and trust and not a place for a puppet who can be used as the plaything and tool of corporations.

The people not the corporations, should govern.

The progressive policies of the present vigorous Roosevelt administration should be continued and every tendency toward re-action should be strenuously opposed.

Taxes to be paid on a fair and honest assessment of all property owned and no less.

In conclusion Mr. Heatwole says: "Why should not the above be written into the State Republican platform? The people have the right to require that a man seeking public office define his position unreservedly. My dear Mr. Edwards, do you know any reason why any man should object to taking the people into his confidence in matters of public interest?"

VALLEY LANDS IN BIG SALE

SENATOR WORKS PULLS OFF A BIG DEAL AT $40 PER ACRE

ANOTHER TRACT IN ANDOVER TOWNSHIP GOES FOR $30 PER ACRE

From Thursday's Daily—

While Senator S. D. Works was in the city yesterday he pulled off for the Central Minnesota Immigration Company of Mankato one of the biggest deals in Valley land for some time. Section 35 one mile and a half south of Euclid in Euclid township near the junction of the N. P. and G. N. north line was conveyed by J. A. Spies of Palo Alto County, Iowa, to the company above mentioned for a consideration of $25,600 or $40 an acre. The deal has been pending for some time, but an error in the papers prevented the recording of them until they were corrected.

For the sum of $4800 H. S. Allen of Hamilton County, Iowa conveyed the southwest 160 acres of section 36 in the town of Andover six miles south of Crookston, to Fred Phillips now of this community, recently of Eagle Grove Iowa. The deal was made last fall practically, but the papers here have just been filed.

The two deals represent the two largest of recent months. They will be farmed, small portions by diversified farmers.

NO FLOWERS AND NO FINE CLOTHES

GIRL GRADUATES AT DULUTH MUST BE SIMPLE AND SWEET

Principle Charles A. Smith of the high school. yesterday, announced to the graduates that at the class night and commencement exercises, they would have to dress plainly, and that no show of finery or extravagance would be tolerated.

The flowers, he said, would be given the pupils by the board of education, and the parents would not be allowed to send them any bouquets.

The object of this announcement is to protect the children of poorer people, who cannot afford to purchase expensive outfits for their sons and daughters, or expend large sums for flowers and other luxuries so often exhibited at these functions.

For a few years this rule has been in vogue, and has greatly reduced the amount of show which has been made at these exercises. The children of the rich had formerly been dressed in expensive clothes, decked with jewelry and have been laden with the most beautiful flowers.

The children of the poorer people, of course, dressed plainly, and had few ornaments or flowers. They have been greatly embarrassed and have felt their position keenly.—Duluth News Tribune.

Aim Blow at License.

Washburn, Wis., March 21.—Believing that they will be able to knock out license in this city, a petition is being circulated here by the members of the Good Templar society to have the question put before the voters at the coming spring election.

Sunday School Workers to Meet.

Barnesville, Minn., March 21.—The annual convention of the Clay County Sunday School association will be held in this city on Thursday, March 26.

THE WORLDS GREATEST SEWING MACHINE
LIGHT RUNNING
NEWHOME

If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread [Chain Stitch] Sewing Machine write to
THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
Orange, Mass.
Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear.
● Our guaranty never runs out. ●
Sold by authorized dealers only.
FOR SALE BY
CROOKSTON FURNITURE CO.,

LASSO WOLVES FROM A TREE

A THRILLING TALE FROM CROOKSTON COLONY NEAR GRACETON

MESSRS. E. J. KEATING AND BERT ANDERSON CLIMB TREE FOR SAFETY

From Friday's Daily—

"If you are going into the woods when the wolves are plentiful and their prey is scarce, you should be armed with a rope and an ax. They are the best weapons you can have."

So spoke E. J. Keating last evening in relating his experience while on an inspection trip to his land near Graceton recently. Letters from other Crookstonites at Graceton corroborate his story.

"Bert Anderson and I were walking thru the woods at an early hour in the morning, when we were suddenly face to face with four large hungry looking wolves. We had no guns and were at a loss to know what to do. We had never seen any wolves before running wild in the woods, and did not expect a visit from them.

"Anderson had upon his back a large pack sack in which he had some food, blankets, a rope and a hatchet. The sack was tied over his shoulders and was hard to remove. We realized that something had to be done in mighty short time. The first thing we thought of was to climb a tree. When we did so we began to breathe easier, but then came the thoughts of home.

"The wolves wouldn't go away. They encircled the tree, barking and howling loudly. We could not conceive of any way to get rid of them for many hours.

"Finally Anderson thought of a scheme. He got the sack open and took out the rope and hatchet while he mad a loop at the end of the rope. Lowering the rope, one of the wolves made a grab at it, and Peterson twisted it catching the beast in the loop. We hauled him up and I struck him with the ax, killing him. We were fortunate enough to get the others the same way.

"We took the wolves to camp and skinned them and will have the pelts tanned and made into rugs for our homes up there. The Crookston colony at Graceton is nothing if not resourceful."

And the Cass Lake train pulled out before Mr. Keating could tell the second chapter to the story.

PIONEER MINN. WOMAN DEAD

MRS. MARION RUSSELL WIDOW OF R. P. RUSSELL PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Marion Russell, widow of the late R. P. Russell and a continuous resident of Minneapolis for more than sixty years, died yesterday at her home in that city. She went to Minneapolis in 1847 with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Luther Patch, and Rev. E. D. Neill, the historian, gives Mrs. Patch and her daughters Marion and Cora the credit of being the first resident white women in St. Anthony. The Patch family came originally from Locksport, N. Y., where Marion Patch was born in 1829. The family lived in Wisconsin several years before coming to Minneapolis.

Marion Patch was married to R.P. Russell, Oct. 3, 1848, and theirs was the first wedding in St. Anthony. The early settlers lived in log houses, but Mr. Russell, who had opened a store in a log structure, felt rich enough to build a frame house which was built the same time as the Godfrey house, now the oldest house in Minneapolis.

The Russells moved from the East Side into Minneapolis about 1855. The Russell homestead was located at Hennepin avenue and Twenty-eighth St., now ocupied by the new West high school.

The brick house built in 1873, was at that time regarded as a palace and was for many years one of the landmarks of Hennepin avenue. Mr. Russell who took the second claim in the territory now contained in Minneapolis died in 1896.

The surviving sons and daughters are Mrs. W. C. Colbrath, Duluth; C. M. Russell and E. E. Russell, Los Angeles; R. P. Russell, Colorado Springs; Fred Russell, Denver, Col.;

Alex Collins and Pat Martin, well known local baseball stars who have played in Crookston teams for the past seven years, have been bought in by Dave Winnie of the Lansford N. D., team and will depart for that place in a few days. The Lansford team was one of the strongest in the Dakotas.

SLASHES HER THROAT WITH HUSBAND'S RAZOR

From Thursday's Daily—

Reports were received in the city today of a sensation at McIntosh in which Mrs Albert Rice was the star actor. According to reports she attempted suicide by the razor route and slashed her throat horribly. The deed was committed in the barber shop of Eric I. Updahl where her husband works and medical was summoned at once. The gaping wound was sewed up and tho the young woman was very weak from loss of blood it is believed she will recover unless complications set in.

It seems Mrs. Rice went to the barber shop and insisted that her husband and go out with her. This he refused to do and the police were sent for to remove her from the shop

Before the arrival of the police she grabbed a razor and slashed her throat, cutting thru her collar. The police took her in charge and she soon subsided.

It is the theory of some that she did not intend to kill herself but was running a large sized bluff on her husband. One report is to the effect that she is a trifle rattlebrained and her actions yesterday would confirm this report.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice are a young married couple and the course of true love does not run without a few ripples in their case.

FRISKED OF $5,122 BY BLACK AFFINITY

"Frisked" of $5,100 in certificates of deposit on Fargo and Ellendale, N. D., banks and $22 in cash, Louis Anderson appeared at the police headquarters at Fargo at 10 o'clock last evening in a cold sweat. He told of having been enticed by a colored woman he met on Fourth street and Second Avenue north into an alley back of the Anderson blacksmith shop. It was there that he was touched—and he discovered his loss a short time afterwards.

He gave Captain Dahlgren a description of the woman he had associated with and a hurried trip was made to the hollow district. At the Red River hotel he identified Cleo Hargrison as the woman he had been with. She was taken to the police station where she will be held pending a complaint. She refused to give any information, holding that she is innocent. The banks were notified this morning and it is probable that the man that picked a colored woman for his affinity will lose nothing more than the $22 in cash.

Dashed to Death.

Calumet, Mich., March 21—A loaded skip was dashed several hundred feet to the bottom of No. 6 Osceola shaft when the cable attached to it parted, killing one man and severely injuring two others. John Samanski is dead and Frank Bodette may die. The three men were working down at the bottom of the shaft when the cable attached to the car broke and they had no opportunity to escape.

Thawing Dynamite Kills Two.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 21.—Two persons were killed outright and three others seriously injured at Los Tanos, on the El Paso & Southwestern railroad yesterday by an explosion of seven sticks of dynamite which were being thawed in a stove.

Mediators Finish Work.

St. Louis, March 21. — Recommending that striking members of the brewery workers' labor organization return to work and that the brewery owners reinstate all the men without prejudice, under the contracts previously signed, the state board of mediation and arbitration last night concluded its investigation into the walkout of Tuesday which closed down the twenty-four breweries.

Embezzlement Charged.

St. Louis, Mo., March 21.—Alonzo F. Shriner, chief deputy surveyor in the St. Louis customs house, was arrested last night on a warrant charging embezzlement and failure to deposit government funds in his custody. An embezzlement of $353.34 is alleged.

STOCK ROOTS

Press Bulletin No. 72—By A. J. McGuire, Northeast Experiment Station, Grand Rapids, Minnesota

Stock roots under ordinary field conditions yield from 10 to 15 tons per acrde; from 350 to 550 bushels. When the soil is very fertile, and given extra care, they may be made to yield as high as 30 tons, or 1000 bushels per acre.

The cost of growing roots, taking everything into consideration such as value of land, cost of machinery, seed labor, etc., need not exceed $25 per acre, or from $1 to $1.75 per ton.

Two acres of stock roots are grown on the Experiment Farm every year They are grown in a rotation with barley, clover and peas.

They are sown with a garden drill in rows 24 inches apart. When the plants appear above ground they are gone over with a wheel hoe, and later with a horse cultivator every week thruout the growing season.

When the plants are about two inches high they are thinned out, a common hand hoe being used for this purpose. The stock carrot is thinned to 8 inches, and the rutabaga and mangle to 12. Thinning the plants early with the hoe, lessens the hand thinning later. With the plants well apart they are much easier kept clean and their yield is greater than when grown thickly.

In pulling the roots in the fall they are laid even in the row with the tops all one way. The topping is then done with a corn knife, cutting the tops of two or three with a single stroke.

The roots that are fed early in the fall before they are put in the root celalar may be fed tops and all thus lessening the labor.

In storing the roots for winter a cellar is necessary, and should be in conection with the barn for convenience in feeding. Roots that are fed in October, November and the fore part of December may be piled on the ground near the barn and covered with straw and litter sufficiently to keep from freezing.

In storing the roots in a cellar care must be taken to remove as much of the dirt as possible to avoid heating. The more free from dirt the better they will keep.

In feeding carrots and mangles to stock it is desirable to cut them but not necessary. When the fall work is rushing they may be fed whole, but later when time is ample it is advisible to cut them.

Mangles, sugar beets, stock carrots and rutabagas have been compared on the Experiment Farm. On high well drained soil and a favorable season, mangles give the largest yield but on low ground and in a cold wet spring are apt to fail. This is also true of the sugar beet. Stock carrots have never failed to produce a crop. Rutabagas are also very hardy but objectionable for dairy cows.

Taking all conditions, the stock carrot is recommended for this section of the state. Rutabagas may be grown for sheep, pigs and young stock, but either the stock carrot or mangle for dairy cows.

A sandy loam soil is best for roots It should be well manured. In preparing the seed bed harrow thoroly immediately after plowing as the soil is most easily pulverized at that time It is also well to plank or roll it before seeding as the garden drill is difficult to work in uneven ground. A garden drill is the first thing that should be secured in preparing to grow roots. With a garden drill an acre can be sown in half a day. A good drill may be bought for $8 or $10. Two or more farmers may buy one in co-operation to good advantage

In seeding sow plenty of seed. The surplus may be thinned out easily.

For carrots or rutabagas sow from 1 1-2 to 2 pounds per acre for mangles 15 to 20 pounds.

The time to plant will depend upon the season, from May 10 to June 10. Carrots and rutabagas may be seeded quite early with out danger. Rutabagas may be sown as late as July and a good crop secured, but earlier planted is safer.

Grow roots. The money you spend on one ton of bran or shorts if invested in an acre of roots will produce from four to five times as much feed.

Live stock of all kinds need some succulent feed in winter to be healthy When roots are fed there will be no need for expensive stock foods and medicines. Grow roots. They have a food value not only in themselves but also in the effect they have on other feeds fed in connection with them, making them more digestible and nutritious.

NABBED AT DOOR OF FREEDOM

A. L. PARSONS SECURED BY VIGILANCE OF SHERIFF'S OFFICE

FORGED DRAFT ON MERCHANTS NATIONAL HERE TEN MONTHS AGO

From Friday's Daily—

Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels returned this morning from Stillwater and the Twin Cities whence he had just taken Frank Walker, recently sentenced by the district court. The deputy of the Polk county offices had in his charge this morning A. L. Parsons, wanted at East Grand Forks on a warrant signed by Dick Butler for forgery of a draft on the First National of that place. Parsons was sentenced from here about ten months ago for one year and has ever since that time been closely watched. His sentence was shortended by good behavior.

Crookston Forger Caught Elsewhere

Ed Falkner who last June was sentenced to the county jail here for forgery and when freed from prison went down town and forged checks for about forty dollars on Louis Gonyea, departs for parts unknown, is now in prisons at Stillwater. He was sent there from Minneapolis where he was caught at the same business. A warrant is pending here for his arrest.

More Prison Social Notes

Dude Smith sent from Crookston on the charge of assault of a woman in a cab in East Grand Forks where he was a cab driver, is now a trustee driving the warden's team for state prison.

McInerney, a Fosston inmate of the Stillwater headquarters, is now out under parole. He was also intrusted with care of the warden's team before his dismissal on parole.

DEATH COMES TO MISS A. CHRISTIE

TALENTED RESIDENT OF SUPERIOR SUCCUMBS AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

The following clipping from the Superior Department of the Duluth News Tribune will be read with much sorrow in Crookston as Miss Alice Christie with her sister Martha have visited in Crookston often in the past and have many warm friends and admirers here. The News Tribune says:

"After a lingering illness Miss Alluna C. Christie died at her home, 1123 Villard avenue early yesterday morning. The funeral will be held from the residence at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The services will be conducted by Rev. U. S. Villars and interment will be a. Greenwood cemetery. She was 40 years old and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Lute Christie who were among the pioneer settlers of the East End. She was compelled to take to her bed last October and altho she rallied at times her death was not unexpected.

"Miss Christie with her parents came to Superior in 1882 from Winnebago City, Minn., where she was born. Mr. Christie engaged in the newspaper business and for 14 years Miss Christie was associated with her father in publishing the Superior Times. For four years after her father's death which occurred 12 years ago, she had charge of the paper.

"During her residence here she took an active part in church work, and a large circle of friends received with deep sorrow and regret the announcement of her death. Miss Christie is survived by four sisters and one brother. They are, Mrs. L. D. Newton, Misses Alice, Martha and Isabelle and Henry Christie."

Dr. W.W. Russell, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Carrie E. Lovejoy, Minneapolis.

The agent of the American Express company at Peekskill, N. Y., yesterday wired the express agent at Bismarck, N. D., to forward the body of Joseph Bassanella to that point, the charges having been guaranteed at that point, and the body will be sent tomorrow. It is understood that relatives of the man live at Peekskill. Bassanella escaped from the penitentiary there last Friday and Saturday afternoon was shot by officers of McLean county while resisting arrest after he had fired six shots at them. He was shot in the brain and before his body fell to the ground he was shot twice again, so rapid was the fire of the automatic revolvers.

Once in a while an actress makes good for her press agent.

THE OREGON R. R. LAND

DISPATCH FROM WASHINGTON SAYS GOVERNMENT IS GETTING BUSY

LEGISLATION ASKED TO TAKE SOME 2,000,000 ACRES FOR THE RAILROAD

From Friday's Daily—

Quite a number of the residents of this section are interested in the Oregon railroad lands, and therefore will be interested in the following dispatch from Washington:

"That the California and Oregon Railroad, a Harriman line, is in danger of losing about 2,000,000 acres of land in California and Oregon, embraced in its grant from the government, is indicated in hearings now being held before the House committee on public lands.

"The department of Agriculture today supplemented the request of the Department of Justice that the House committee pass the Senate resolution authorizing the Attorney General to proceed against the company. The proceedings will seek to bring about a forfeiture of its title to lands on the ground that it has violated the terms of the government grant.

"B. D. Townsend special agent of the Department of Agriculture, told the committee that Harriman in a public speech announced that he and his companies would hold indefinitely the lands granted to them in order to make a big profit, despite the fact that the lands should not be withheld for any purpose but should be sold in tracts of 160 acres upon application of homesteaders."

EDUCATIONAL CONTESTS PLANNED

COMMERCIAL CLUB DONATES $50.00 TO INTEREST CHILDREN IN FARMING

Prof. Dunton of McIntosh is planning to hold a meeting in each of the school districts in the town of King this county for the purpose of interesting the young people in a corn and a pig raising contest. The commercial club has donated $50 to be used in this educational work. The Farmer an agricultural paper published in St. Paul is publishing a series of simple lessons in elementary agriculture adapted to the use of the country schools. This work should be begun in every one of our country schools. Isn't it about time we stopped talking about interesting the boys and girls in the farm life and begin to do it?

ESCAPED DEATH NARROW MARG

HUFF RESIDENCE CORNER ASH AND ROBERT STREETS BURN

FAMILY ESCAPE THRU BOYS DISCOVERY OF FIRE DOWN STAIRS

From Friday's Daily—

At three o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the dwelling on the northeast corner of Roberts and Ash occupied by Peter Huff and family by the 15 year old son Louis Huff just in time to save the life of his mother and himself. The boy awoke, smelled smoke and descended the stairs to find the lower floor enveloped in flames. He and his mother made their escape from the house before the fire had cut them off from the stairway, and turned in an alarm at 3:10 a. m.

The firemen found the house a mass of flames and fought for two hours before they had the upper hand of it. Nothing in the house was saved and the building will perhaps be estimated a total loss. Mr. Huff had a quantity of furniture stored in an adjacent building which was not injured.

Mr. Huff was absent in Grand Forks and found out nothing of the fire until informed of it by the Journal representative at the train this morning.

The building was owned by George Carpenter and was insured for $1200 The contents were insured for $2000. It is believed that the fire caught from an air tight heater on the lower floor.

Foley's Orino Laxatrve is sold under a positive guarantee to cure constipation, sick headache, stomach trouble, or any form of indigestion. If it fails, the manufacturers refund your money. What more can any one do. For sale by all druggists.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Lobskaus From The Roseau Backwoods.

By "BACHELOR"

Motto: Whatever you wish or want, or do, Reject the old and choose the new.

And that is exactly what we fellows up here in Roseau county are going to do,—we will "choose the new".

"Roseau is Up in Arms" appeared in big headlines in your paper a short time ago, Mr. Editor, and now I am going to take you into my confidence and tell you why. In your paper it was stated that we want to cancel the Great Northern right of way because the company will not put rails on the grade this year, but between you and me, Mr. Editor, the real reason lays much deeper than that But, let me explain myself.

Did you fellows down there in Crookston ever hear of the vacuum tube—the new invention that is destined to wipe all the railroads off the face of the earth? No, hardly. For news of the highest importance you better look to us, for we up here, we are the fellows who keep abreast of the times.

I do not suppose that the Queen City hall of fame is decorated with the picture of Joseph Stoetzel. Perhaps you never heard of him. In any event I will tell you who he is, and then you will know. Joseph Stoetzel my friends, is the inventor of the vacuum tube and he lives in Chicago. And now, my dear Crookston readers are you getting interested in the new invention and wish to know something more about it? I should think you are and I am now going to tell you almost all I know about it myself.

The vacuum tube is going to replace all the railroads in the country and the day is not far distant either. Mr. Stoetzel has already made several experiments and he assures the world that his invention is a real go. He has made many trips through his tube at the rate of three miles a minute,—and that is going some, is it not? But he promises a much greater speed than that. When fully completed we can travel over this country at the rate of nine miles a minute. We can leave Roseau in the early morning and reach Crookston before we get our shoes laced, proceed to Chicago for breakfast and arrive in New York for dinner. When vacuum tubes are stretched over the country you Crookston fellows can have your breakfast tables supplied with oranges picked in California the evening before and your wives will be enabled to decorate the table with flowers which bloomed in Florida only a few hours earlier. In point of speed the vacuum tube will even outclass the much renowned seven league boots.

Do I hear some of you laugh? You better not. These are not the times to shrug ones shoulders in distainful contempt whenever science brings forth claims that to laity looks fabulous. Greater wonders by far are worked in our day than any of the miracles recorded in the holy writ. And while I am writing these paragraphs I have laying before me an actual photograph of the invention. Then, what is it?

The Vacuum tube, socalled, is a huge pneumatic tube, wherein cars, conveying passengers and freight, is propelled by air—natural air, such as we breathe. In science air is known as a fluid the weight of which produces a pressure of something between 14 and 15 pounds upon each square inch of the earth's surface. This pressure Mr. Stoetzel has been able to utilize for motive power in his tube. No coal needed for steam no electric current required—no expense in pulling the cars. This is cheap enough. At first people were afraid to accompany Mr. Stoetzel in his trips thinking that they might suffocate inside the tube. But it proved absolutely safe. The car moves just as fast as the air propells it and in spite of the high speed the traveller sits comfortably in an atmosphere that to him seems as calm as t he most beautiful summer night within his memory.

By this time, Mr. Editor, I suppose you commence to realize why we up here in Roseau do not want any more of the Great Northern and its nasty smoky outfit. Altho we may have to say it ourselves, we are up to date in this neck of the woods and such antiquated things as railroads do not go with us any longer. Nothing short of the vacuum tube will satisfy our fancy. And if the Journal had understood the advanced state of affairs up here the news item above referred to would have been written differently.

If you people down in Crookston wish to keep abreast of the times you better make a bargain with Tom Harris or A. A. Glenn to move your city up to Roseau where you at least will have the opportunity to be on top of the earth. And by the time you arrive here, we will have the vacuum tube ready for your convenience. I for one would like to see you move, and for the sake of laying before you some inducement to do so, I now present all of you what Mr. Stoetzel himself says in comparing his invention with the old railroads:

"I see at present two ugly lines of steel upon which run horrible black engines, filling the air with a roaring and hissing, polluting the atmosphere with filthy black smoke, and drawing noisly behind them a string of groaning, crashing, clanking, creaking cars Thousands of acres of land wasted in right af way, rails broken, trains ditched, thousands killed.

But what a change is near at hand! Puff-f-f! Silently the tube trains are whisked away under the ground. No noise, no smoke, no dirt nor collisions nor wrecks or grade crossing accidents. No waste of land, for above the electric lighted tubes wave fields of wheat and corn. No delays, no washouts, no tieups, no fires destroying lives and property."

Such are the glad tidings that now come from Chicago. No wonder Mr. Editor, that we in Roseau county do not want any more Greenbush extensions.

Oh, yes the days of the old-fashioned railroads are numbered, and, like the Babylonian monarch of old, our railroad kings have seen the handwriting on the wall. They know that their property will be worthless and that all the railroad bonds will be good for nothing except as basis for money.—Hence the Aldrich bill.

The Aldrich bill has been styled "a measure of expediency." Why, all such measures in which the big captains of industry and finance are interested are claimed to be measures of expediency. That is not new. It is as old as the railroads. And the means and the manner employed in passing such bills have also in return been most significantly styled "to railroad them thru." How the Aldrich bill is being "railroaded thru" we do not know much about—not even in Roseau County. When they get our representatives down to that secluded, political bullpen called Washington we do not hear any more of what they are doing. We are not permitted to know any more than it suits the interests to let us know thru the big dailies they themselves control. Our representatives are taken so far away and shut up so securely that they are entirely separated from their constituents. It is nice for the interests to have the capital city so far removed from the people and from the center of the country is it not?

From what has leaked out through the press a close and critical observer can notice two important propositions in the said Aldrich bill. One of those propositions is to make railroad bonds the basis for currency and the other and by far the most important, is to make congress surrender its constitutional right to issue and control the money of the country to some banks, particularly to John P. Morgan Co. Suppose then, that the bill does pass and becomes a law and suppose also that Stoetzel's invention provees all he claims for it what do you think will happen, my dear friends? A quarter of a billion dollars based on worthless bonds would make it necessary to tell us every day in the week that our money "is good in Jurope." Yes sir.

But, if congress does surrender its power to issue and contrul the money, the dear people will not know it for a long time; neither would such an act be without a parallel or precedent in history. For something more than 200 years ago England imported a foreign man and woman (William and Mary) and made them king and queen of all the Britons and parliament enacted a declaration of surrender of power to them in the following language:

"The Lord's spiritual and temporal, and Commons, do, in the name of the people aforesaid (meaning the people of England) most humbly and faithfully submit themselves their heirs and posterity forever, and bind us, our heirs and our posterity, to them their heirs and posterity to the end of them."

I quote the above from the English parliament for the benefit of our congressmen, so that they—when the surrender is made to Morgan & Co., —will be enabled to couch the conveyance in such humiliating phrases as the occasion merits.

—Bachelor.

NO HOODOO IN NUMBER "13"

EUCLID DRAMATIC CLUB DEFIES THE VERY COMMON SUPERSTITION

You need not try to make the Euclid Dramatic club think the number "13" is hoodooed for you can't do it. Why? Because they went to Argyle with "The Deacon" Friday the 13th with 13 players, had a good time were royally banqueted by the Royal Neighbors and royally treated by the town. So much so that we have not seen a member of the troupe since whose hat anywhere near fitted his head.

EUCLID ITEMS

Mrs. Atwood of St. Hilaire is visiting at the homes of the Aker brothers.

Mr. O'Brien who has been visiting his sister Mrs. G. Smith returned to his home in Lowa last Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Smith accompanied him as far as Crookston.

Miss Anna Keeley visited the home folks last Saturday and Sunday. Miss Keeley is one of the Argyle teachers

A bran new baby girl came to the King home a few days ago and brot the usual amount of happiness with her.

Mr. Hanson who is teaching the Belgium school has been quite seriously ill with small pox, but is now getting along nicely under the care of Dr. Mitchell.

Mrs. Dr. Lemineaux of Red Lake Falls is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Stuhr.

Frank Fitzsimmons is on the sick list.

Mrs. Peter Stuhr received the sad news Sunday morning of her brother's death at Denver, Col.

The Ladies' Thimble Bee met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Dr. Mitchell. A dainty lunch was served at the close of the evening. The table and place cards were decorated with Shamrocks.

Mr. King was called to Lankin, N. D., by the serious illness of his mother. He left here Thursday evening but she had passed away before he arrived.

Lionel Snelling of Angus whose eyes were so badly burned a few days ago, has come to Euclid to be near the doctor. He is staying with his cousin Mrs. A. Vonderbeck. His sister Audrey accompanied him.

W. B. Sheffield was in the village yesterday.

Mr. Atchison who lately came here from below and moved on the Losey farm, has a very sick baby.

Dr. Chapin spent Wednesday night in Crookston with his son H. C. Chapin.

The Euclid Band met the Argyle delegation at the depot last Saturday evening and "discoursed sweet music" at least they made a noise that was music in the ears of the homecomers.

HANS SAMUELSON ADMIRES JOHNSON

To the Crookston Journal:

With regard to the organizations of the so-called Bryan volunteers which was started by the call published in your paper of Friday the 13th inst., I wish to state that I did not sign that call in person, and only had general information about it over the telephone from one of the persons interested in getting it up. While I am a great admirer of William J. Bryan I am also an admirer of Governor Johnson and I do not wish and did not intend to be a party to any movement in opposition to Governor Johnson. I think that Governor Johnson's personal qualifications and service to the democratic party in this state entitles him to the respect and consideration of all democrats in Minnesota.

Yours respectfully,

—Hans Samuelson.

Climax, March 19, '08.

Mr. Samuelson yesterday filed as a candidate for sheriff of Polk County on the Democratic ticket. He is one of the leading democrats in Polk Co.

JOHNSON TO SPEAK AT FAIR.

Gopher Governor Secured for Opening of Next South Dakota Exposition.

Huron, S. D., March 19.—Secretary McIlvane of the state board of agriculture has succeeded in securing Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota for an address on the state fair grounds on the opening day of the fair, Tuesday, Sept. 8.

GIVEN SLIP BY HIS "AFFINITY"

TENSTRIKE MAN HAS AN EXPERIENCE WITH RED LAKE FALLS DRESSMAKER

DUG UP COIN AND CAME TO CROOKSTON WHERE FAIR ONE MADE GET-A-WAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Henry Thompson of Tenstrike has lost all faith in woman kind, and believes Cupid is about the most wretched shot on record. While his experience did not cost a fortune, only about $150, he is mad, madder than a March hare. It seems he became enamored of a dressmaker of Red Lake Falls and day before yesterday repaired to that city to meet his affinity. The young woman was willing to cast her lot with his—but she had a few debts about town which must first be squared. Henry dug down into his jeans and produced six crisp $10 bills and the debts were squared.

Then there were some hats and other necessaries that must be forthcoming at once and Henry dutifully dug up about $40 more.

Then the two came to Crookston and engaged apartments at a leading hotel. Henry of course had the check to the young woman's trunk, the two intending to leave night before last for Tenstrike—at least Henry did, the young woman evidently having other intentions. During the forenoon the two did some more shopping at Henry's expense. That afternoon the young woman feigned weariness and said she would take a nap while Henry took a stroll about the city. Henry carlessly left the check for the trunk on the bureau in his room.

His affinity stole in while he was absent and swiped the check, ordered a hack, had the trunk taken to South Crookston and boarded the train for Fargo or some point further on.

Henry returned and found his affinity missing. He grew suspicious and discovered that the trunk was also missing. Henry raved. He swore that all women were false, he vowed he never wanted to see another woman—and after missing his first train took the next one back to Tenstrike a dejected, distrustful man.

His affinity has not yet been heard from, but is probably opening dressmaking parlors in some distant town.

CLOSE CALL FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

MISS BARTON OF DRAYTON AND YOUNG MAN TERRIBLY BURNED

Mrs. Tilton and son and Miss Barton a school teacher whose home is at Drayton, N. D. narrowly escaped death in an explosion which took place in the Tilton home near Norwich, N. D. A pan of hot water had been placed on the stove and in it was emptied some liniment which was to be used on one of the horses. In the liniment there was evidently a quantity of kerosene. The mixture exployed filling the room with flames Young Tilton and Miss Barton took refuge in a small pantry and endeavored to break open the window. They were unable to do this and Tilton made a dash thru the flames to the outside and broke open the window, wrapping Miss Barton in an overcoat and taking her thru the window. Both of the younger people were badly burned altho Mrs. Tilton escaped with but minor injuries. The house was saved only thru the heroic work of the neighbors.

WARREN'S ANNUAL CHARTER ELECTION

LICENSE CARRIED AND A. B. NELSON WAS ELECTED MAYOR

The annual election took place at Warren last Tuesday. The election was devoid of excitement and, despite the license question and the contest for aldermanic honors, a smaller vote was cast than usual.

For license 127; against 118.

Mayor—A. B. Nelson, 207.

For Alderman (three to elect)—for the several positions to be filled. John Lindberg 167; C. E. Lundquist 168; O. H. Taralseth 189.

Recorder—W. N. Powell 197.

Treasurer—L. M. Olson 205.

Justices—W. O. Braggans 156.

Constable—E. Dady, 174.

The usual number of scattering votes were cast for various persons

Talent is one thing; tact is everything.

OBJECT TO OVERTIME

RAILROADS ASK CONFERENCE ON NEW TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKE

RAILROADS WILL CANCEL ALL THE OLD AGREEMENTS MADE

Nearly all the northwestern railroads have served notice of cancellation of existing schedules relative to the pay of telegraphers and have asked for a conference respecting a new agreement. Several such conferences will be held during the next two or three weeks and there may be a struggle between the telegraphers' order and the railroads regarding pay for overtime.

It is said to be the purpose of some of the railroads to disregard overtime in so far as it affects the pay of telegraphers. Under the present schedule overtime is paid for pro rata, but the men receive not less than 25 cents on hour. The roads may try to wipe out overtime pay altogether on the ground that the men cannot justly demand it.

Telegraphers' pay is by the month. Before the passage of the new law the officials working day which must be completed before the time accrued, consisted of twelve hours. Under the new law the day consists of nine hours and overtime will be greatly diminished by the operation of the law. It is only in cases of emergency and in certain kinds of stations that the operator can work more than nine hours and emergency cases must not arrive more than three times a week and then not to exceed four hours at a time. Emergency is only creator of overtime now. As the working day has been decreased to nine hours the railroads feel that they ought not to be asked to pay for overtime.

The cancellation of the schedules or agreements between the telegraphers and the railroads was made necessary because quite a number of the rules and regulations are contrary to the new law. It is asserted by the railroad managers generally that they do not propose reducing the pay of operators, unless the abolition of over time may be regarded as a reduction.

GOVERNMENT HANDS OVER PATENTS

98 OF THEM PASS THRU CROOKSTON LAND OFFICE

The Crookston office of the United State Land Office has received from the government ninety-eight patents to land under this jurisdiction and these are being delivered to the proper owners thruout the north country. By these ninety-eight patents as many parcels of land pass into the hands of private owners and become taxable property. The stringent homesteading laws under which these patents have been obtained guarantee as far as can be possible that every man is a bona fide settler and resident.

O.E. ERICKSON PLAYS DETECTIVE

O. E. Erickson the well known traveling man of this city is receiving considerable notoriety in Duluth. He thought he was on a murder scent but don't like the boys to talk about the experience now. The following story of his adventure is taken from the Duluth News Tribune and is true:

"O. E. Erickson a guest at the St. Louis, went to bed early the other evening and had dozed for a spell when he was awakened by harsh language. He listened intently and plain as could be he heard a man in the next room say: "I'll kill you for that!" The words were uttered with all the wicked tone and emphasis of which a human being is capable. Mr. Erickson wondered if he should interfere. He was sure that somebody was about to be murdered. He thought of telephoning the office but that would take time. Mr. Erickson leaped out of bed and started for the door. He had resolved to prevent the commission of a terrible crime. Clearly it was his duty. Perhaps the victim was some innocent and defenseless woman. Thoughts such as this flashed thru his excited mind, and then he heard voices again from the room.

"Naw! Naw! don't say it that way; say it this way!" and the voice repeated in hissing tones: "I'll kill you for that!"

Mr. Erickson paused. A relieved grin spread over his face, and as he crept back into bed he muttered:

"It's some of those darned actors rehearsing. My, but they gave me a turn worse than a rarebit dream."

DEEP CRACKS FROM ECZEMA

Could Lay Slate-Pencil in One—Hands in Dreadful State—Disease Defied Remedies and Prescriptions—Suffered Seven Years.

FOUND A PERMANENT CURE IN CUTICURA

"I had eczema on my hands for about seven years and during that time I had used several so-called remedies, together with physicians' and druggists' prescriptions. The disease was so bad on my hands that I could lay a slate-pencil in one of the cracks and a rule placed across the hand would not touch the pencil. I used ——, ——, —— Skin Lotion, —— Remedy and others externally but I did not use any internal remedy, and while some gave partial relief, none relieved as much as did the first box of Cuticura Ointment. I made a purchase of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my hands were perfectly cured after two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of soap were used. I now keep them on hand for sunburn, etc., and use Cuticura Soap for shaving. I could write a great deal more in reference to my cure but do not want to take more of your time. William H. Dean, Newark, Del., Mar. 28, 1907."

CHILD SUFFERED

With Sores on Legs. Cured in Two Weeks by Cuticura.

"My little daughter suffered with sores on her legs all last summer. Her feet were sore, too, and she couldn't wear her shoes. I think she was poisoned by running through weeds but the doctor said it was eczema. I tried several remedies but failed to find a cure. Then I sent for Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her in two weeks. I find Cuticura the best I ever tried for any kind of sore and I hope I shall never be without it. Mrs. Gertie Laughlin, Ivydale, W. Va., Apr. 25, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

☞Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

HARVARD BOOMS GOV. JOHNSON

STUDENTS ENTHUIASTIC OVER CANDIDACY OF MINNESOTA CHIEFTAIN

Special to the Journal—

Boston, March 19.—At a mass meeting of the students of Harvard College last evening the candidacy of Gov. John A. Johnson was endorsed amid wild enthusiasm. The students propose to take the matter up collectively and individually and pull every possible string to further the candidacy of the chieftain of the Democrats of Minnesota and the entire northwest.

The action is significant as it has no parallel in the history of any of the leading colleges of the United States.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,

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Telegraphing Made Easy

A Soo Line Operator Invents a Machine that Makes the Dots—Sold All Over the World

F. T. Vail, formerly chief operator of the "Soo Line" at Minneapolis, now the chief electrician of the International Vailograph Co. with an aggressive and pushing organization at his back, is heralded as the latest great inventor in the telegraphic field.

As is generally known, a telegraph operator "talks by dots and dashes" made with a key that opens and closes the electric circuit. To make dots and dashes is nerve racking work. In rapid sending it is estimated that an operator makes 30,000 nerve movements an hour. Mr. Vail has invented a machine that makes this mere child's play, as the Vailograph makes the dots. A large number of telegraph operators and other people with money to invest are buying stock in the company, which has recently installed a factory at Minneapolis and will sell its product all over the world. Parties seeking a safe investment will find it to their interest to write the

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AWFUL DEED OF INSANE POLE

ANTON MRNAK WHO PASSED TRU CROOKSTON MONDAY DISEM BOWELED HIMSELF

WAS ENROUTE HOME FROM THE MINNESOTA WOODS—DIED AT FARGO THIS MORNING

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Yesterday morning on the G. N. passenger near Fargo Anton Mrnak was found in the toilet room of the car, in a pool of blood, completely disemboweled. He had slashed himself horribly while he was temporarily insane.

Mrnak passed thru Crookston Monday evening, and acted so queerly that the train crew and passengers were attracted and watched him clesely. At Grand Forks he was arrested because of his antics, but as he did not seem violent his money, $63 was given to Conductor Wright for safe keeping and he was allowed to continue his journey to Mandan.

Mrnak is a Polander and has a wife and several children at Mandan. He was 45 years of age.

A message from Fargo this afternoon states that Mrnak died shortly before noon today.

CHILGREN THE MODEL OF THE NORTH

FORMER CROOKSTON ATTORNEY SETS RECORDS IN NORTHERN WOODS

Albert Chilgren, a well known attorney and prominent citizen of the city, is establishing a record on his claim a few miles north of Williams where he went last fall to recuperate his failing health. Jas. Boulger, formerly of Gladstone, Mich., was in the city today with Adolph Sorenson, for six years a settler north of Williams, the former of whom is making commutation proof on a claim about two miles north of Chilgren's. They say the Crookston man has cleared away two acres of heavy timber at one place on his claim and made many other improvements at other points. These were done without assistance. Mr. Sorenson says that is a record for that country.

The two visitors state that the contractors on tie work and other railway timbers have more than filled the enormous contracts they took at the beginning of season and the weather has in no way hindered the transportation of logs. Among these contractors were Malloney Bros., of Stephen, Minn., and Cones and Norquist of Roosevelt.

OLD VALLEY BARBER PASSES AWAY

WILLIAM W. EAGLE OF CROOKSTON, FORMERLY OF FERTILE DIED TODAY

William W. Eagle, among the best known of the pioneer barbers of this section 40 years of age passed away this morning at his residence on Front St., after an illness of two weeks with typhoid fever. Deceased was formerly located at Fertile for many years, and after removing to Crookston assisted at the St. Marie parlors on Main and then purchased quarters in the basement of the Rauch Block corner of Main and Second. Mr. Eagle leaves a wife and five children, the eldest fourteen years of age. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge. The remains will be taken to Fertile this evening and the funeral will be held Friday.

BUY MORE LAND AT HUOT DAM

The Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., have just completed a deal for the purchase of several hundred acres near their proposed 30,000 horsepower dam at Huot, about 10 miles up the Red Lake River from this point. They have been purchasing rock from the farmers who have been hauling to the dam site all winter and active construction work will begin net summer. They now own about 3,000 acres near Huot which includes all the land that will be over-flowed when the dam is constructed. For the last pieces they had to pay fancy prices as some of the farmers got "next" before all the options were secured, and as a result got twice what their lands would have brought ordinarily, knowing the company would be forced to purchase.

GOOD NEWS FROM NORTH

BANKER MELGAARD OF ARGYLE TALKS OF RECENT FARMERS INSTITUTE THERE

OVER 300 FARMERS PRESENT AND ALL GREATLY INTERESTED IN DIVERSIFYING

From Tuesday's Daily—

H. L. Melgaard of Argyle one of the leading bankers of Marshall County, who is also interested in about a dozen other banks in the northern counties of the state, was in the city yesyesterday and in discussing conditions in the Red River Valley said to a representative of the Journal:

"Never since I have been in the Red River Valley, which numbers over a score of years, have I noted a greater degree of optimism among the farmers. I say farmers advisedly, for it is but within the past year or two that we could properly call them farmers. They were formerly wheat raisers and not farmers in the broader sense of the word.

"Last week we had a farmers' institute at Argyle, and though we have a commodious hall it was entirely inadequate. There were over 300 farmers present and the way they fired questions regarding clover raising and other pasture grasses, and dairying was certainly gratifying.

When time came for final adjournment they hung on and all seemed loath to leave the hall. They gathered about the institute leaders and plied them with all manner of questions, and later gathered in knots in stores and other places and talked diversified farming, exchanging views etc., displaying an unprecedented interest in all branches of farming.

"What makes this condition of affairs so promising is that a year or two ago it was impossible to get the farmers to attend an institute of this kind. The business men would persuade the few farmers who happened to be in town to attend the institute perhaps, but they displayed no interest and were of the opinion that all talk of diversified farming was theoretictl and not practiced. Now they are of a different opinion. Within the next few years the Red River Valley from one end to the other will be one of the richest diversified farming sections of the United States. The start has been made and permanent prosperity is certain."

RED HOT TIMES IN PARNELL AND BELGIUM

TOWNS IN MARKET FOR ROAD GRADER—AGENTS WARM UP

Saturday was a warm day in Parnell and Belgium, for the town boards of those respective towns are planning to purchase a road grader and the agents of the Russell and Austin Western people were on the ground with the merits of their machines. The Parnell meeting was pulled off at two o'clock and the Belgium board a little later. Agents Walter Stone, Scotland, Johnson and Clements with headquarters of the Crookston were followers of the meetings. The grader was not purchased.

DOES NOT FAVOR EXTRA SESSION

Senator A. D. Stephens when interviewed regarding the decision of the U. S. supreme court which invalidates the Minnesota R. R. rate laws passed at the last session, said he would not favor a special session of the legislature to pass new rate laws as the regular session will come but a few months after a special session could be held. If the railroads declare present rates off and attempt to establish rates higher, the Railroad and Warehouse commission can fix rates they believe are reasonable after investigation, and get the matter into the courts again in that way.

$300 PER DAY PAID FOR WHEAT

WINGER BANKER PAYING OUT THAT MUCH DAILY TO THE FARMERS

Banker Brattland, Winger banker, is paying out $300 per day on an average for wheat sales in his neighborhood. There is said to be considerable wheat in that country yet.

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SOW ALL THEIR LAND TO OATS

MANAGER JOHN LISTON OF IRVINE LUMBER CO., LOOKING AFTER FARMS

SAYS AMERICAN LUMBER COMPANIES ARE THICK IN CANADIAN PINERIES

From Monday's Daily—

John Liston, manager of the farms of the Irvine Lumber Co., arrived in the city last evening from Davidson, Canada, which is located about midway between Regina and Prince Albert, where the company has a 3,000 acre farm, 1200 acres of which will be seeded to oats this year which was broken last year. The company has a half section at Euclid, and 640 acres east of this city, and 800 acres near Towner, N. D., all of which will be seeded to oats this spring, the company making it a practice to raise their own feed, using the horses required in the logging camps in the winter to operate the farms in the summer.

The past winter the Irvine Lumber Co. has banked millions of feet of logs for the Prince Albert Lumber Co at Prince Albert. The Prince Albert Lumber Co., is practically the same as the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., headed by D. N. Winton and others, who have secured millions of feet of choice pine adjacent to Prince Albert where they have a large mill and will run day and night shifts and expect to start within the next two weeks.

Manager Liston states that logging and lumber companies which until a couple of years ago did business exclusively in the pineries of Minnesota and Wisconsin are now thicker than bees in the great Canadian timber belt, and that thousands upon thousands of the American lumber jacks find work there. Millions of feet of the Canadian pine will not be available till logging railroads are constructed as there are no streams with in hauling distance of the great majority of the Canadian pine.

With few exceptions there is no hope of getting these railroads for a decade or more, and many who have taken Canadian timber claims find there is no market for their land, and will not be for some time to come except in cases where there are streams down which the logs can be floated, as the railroads will have all they can do for years to complete main line construction and leading feeders.

Mr. Liston will look over the Irvine farm near Crookston for a day and tomorrow will go to Euclid from where he will take the N. P. for the farm near Towner, N. D. Yesterday he looked up his many friends in Crookston for a few hours' chat. Mr. Liston is well known thruout this section, having been a resident of East Grand Forks for years and served terms on the city council at that place.

OREN SIMMONS HOLDS RECORD

HAS BEEN TOWN CLERK OF RUSSIA TOWNSHIP FOR PAST 27 YEARS

Oren Simmons, the town Clerk of Russia Township, Polk Co., located just six miles south of Crookston has served in that capacity for 27 consecutive years and is of the opinion that he has held the same office continuously longer than any other man in the state of Minnesota. He was just elected for his 28th term and is pardonably proud of his record. Next to him comes Henry Gendron of Gentilly township who has served for 20 consecutive terms.

Not only this, but he has taken the Journal for the past 29 years and when in the city last Saturday, paid another year in advance and says he will take it for 29 years longer if he is able to read that long, which judging from his rugged appearance he will do—and more too.

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

Tolstoi at Work Again.

Moscow, March 25.—Reports received here from Yasnaya Polyana say that the health of Count Leo Tolstoi, who has been ill with the grip for several days, has been restored and that he is again at work and taking daily exercise.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

OF RED RIVER VALLEY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY SLATED FOR FOR APRIL 3RD

BIG GATHERING WILL BE HELD AT SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The Red River Valley Horticultural Society will hold its annual meeting at the Crookston School of Agriculture April 3rd, 1908. The meeting will last thruout the day, and a pleasant and profitable time is expected. Prominent horticulturists will be on hand to help with the program, and there will be opportunity for questions and free discussions.

As there is not yet a graduating class at the new school, this meeting takes the place of the future commencement exercises. Therefore relatives and friends of the present students are especially invited to attend this gathering. Come in the morning and stay all day. For the convenience of the delegates a Crookston caterer will serve hot lunch in the school dining room for 15c. There are plenty of rest rooms and every student is on the entertainment committee to see that you have a good time. At noon there will be two hours intermission for lunch and inspection, which will give every one a chance to see the stock and poultry at the Experiment Farm and also the work of the School in Crookston, sewing, laundering, blacksmithing, carpentry, mechanical drawing, etc.

The Commercial club of Crookston has kindly consented to help the Experiment Farm teams in transporting visitors to the school. Conveyances will be at Wallace's drug store from 9 to 10 a. m. and at 1 p. m.

Among the speakers on the program are Oscar Wick, East Grand Forks nurseryman, Ole J. Hagen of Hendrum, Prof. Harrington, Prin. Crookston School of Agriculture, Mrs. Just representing Woman's Improvement League of Crookston, Frank Hazeltine of the Crookston nursery, A. D. Wilson, Supt. of Minnesota Farmers' Institute, C. W. Wilder and J. M. Stephens of Crookston, Wm. Robertson of the Experiment Farm, Sen. A. D. Stephens of Crookston, and Judge Elliott, delegate from Minnesota state Horticultural Society.

Mrs. Carl Schroeder will sing and the students will also furnish music and recitations. Mrs. Geo. Chesterman will recite. Full program will appear later.

—Wm. Robertson.

UNCLE SAM PINES FOR SETNOGRAPHERS

FOR THE PHILIPPINES AND THE CANAL ZONE—GOOD WAGES

Girls, here's a chance to take a trip to Panama or across the balmy Pacific to the Philippines. If ordinary work in a hot, stuffy office has grown irksome, if you begin to feel that your nimble fingers are not pounding out as large an income on the typewriter as you think you're entitled to, just get into touch with your Uncle Samuel. Under certain conditions he will pay all your expenses to the south seas, where the breezes blow soft o'er spicy isles.

The government wants stenographers and wants them badly and is willing to pay the price. An attempt will be made to recruit them in the northwest March 29, when an examination will commence in the Minneapolis federal building, under the supervision of J. M. Schumaker of St. Paul, of the civil service department.

As special inducement to members of both sexes who may prove themselves eligible for employment, they are given to understand that office hours are from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. and that they are allowed a leave of absence of thirty days each year on full pay. The salaries for departmental service range from $840 a year to $1,200 tho a majority of the stenographers and typewriters are started at $900.

Those who go to the canal zone will draw $1500 a year. Berths in the Philippines pay from $1,200 to $1,400.

POLK COUNTY HAS THE COIN

Officials of the various county institutions that are to receive money tomorrow from the county auditor and treasurer. The books were completed today. $110,000.00 is subject to the check of Polk county officials for public institutions.

500 CORDS ON THE ROSEAU

PREPARATIONS MADE TO MAKE 1908 GREATEST DRAINAGE YEAR

CONTRACTS TO FINISH ON LAST YEARS' APPROPRIATIONS—LABOR

From Monday's Daily—

Capt. Jas. A. Beard of the big Roseau dredging project has gathered five hundred cords of wood on the banks of the Roseau, Jerry Sherwood of Litchfield who secured the lower sixteen miles of the project has gathered hundreds of tons of coal along his route down the river and widespread preparations have been made by every dredging and ditching company to push their work this year. More ditch work will be completed this year than ever before both in county and state and judicial district.

More ditches are underway than plans and appropriations for the year will show for there and many constructions to be made on contracts the time limits for which have already expired altho money is set aside for them. The regular amount of ditch work for the year is above that of other previous years. In Polk county alone there are ten ditchhes whose contracts called for their completion before January 1, last but which will be completed under the coming season's business.

Dred and ditch men are just coming to understand and organize their work as it has peculiarities in this northern country nowhere else existing. The drainage board and the county commissioners and other bodies in charge of the pubic's end of the jobs are bringing a little more pressure to bear this year than before and it is probable that from now on the percentage of uncompleted contracts at the end of every ditching season will become smaller and smaller.

There are nearly twenty dredging machines in the state and will probably be that many before July 1st. The prospects that frost will be out of the ground early this year notwithstanding an open winter will aid in getting under headway quick and general fuel and other preparations will keep things moving thruout the year.

RINGDAHL VISITS THE KANSAS PEN

SAYS INSTITUTION AT LEAVENWORTH EMBODIES BEST AND LATEST

P. M. Ringdahl, of this city, and F. W. Leavitt of the state board of concontrol, with Clarence H. Johnson, the board's architect returned Monday morning from a visit to the United States Prison at Leavenworth, Kansas It is in charge of Warden McClaughery, formerly of Joliet, Ill., and one of the deputy wardens, Frank H. Lemon, who for many years was deputy warden at Stillwater prison. The board reports that the Leavenworth prison represents all that is best and latest in the scientific prison improvement, and when it is finally finished it is expected to be the model prison of the world. The members of the board also visited the Joliet prison and Messrs. Leavitt and Johnson visited the prison at Michigan City, Indiana.

NO TRACE FOUND OF FISHER ROBBERS

Marshall O'Brien of the village of Fisher spent Saturday night in Crookston trying to locate the gang that broke into Kile's General store, Hamilton's Hardware Store, Widenhoefer's jewelry store and the saloons of Albert Jance and Carl Vinje of Fisher last Saturday morning rifling the tills of about $50 in change and helping themselves to about $500 worth of merchandise in the five places. He is of the opinion that as no attempt was made to blow any of the safes that the work was done by amateurs There were no strangers in Fisher the night before barring a number of men dressed as lumber jacks and who it was supposed had just returned from the lumber camps.

Without doubt it was some of the men dressed as woodsmen who pulled off the deal, but Marshal O'Brien had no description by which the men could be identified by officers, tho he believes he would recognize any of the men if he saw them. He found none of them here tho every saloon and hotel of the city was thoroly searched.

BROTEN CHOSEN FOR CONG ESS

ADA INSURANCE MAN HEADS DISTRICT SOCIALIST TICKET TODAY

17 DELEGATES FROM 20 LOCALS HOLD CONVENTION AT G. A. R. HALL

From Tuesday's Daily—

T. T. Broten, an Ada insurance man and farmer, was chosen today as the next candidate for congress from the Ninth district on the Socialist (Public Ownership) ticket.

The convention for the purpose of choosing a congressional delegate was held in the Grand Army Hall South Main. There were seventeen delegates present from every part of the Ninth District and a rousing meeting was held. The chairman of the meeting was selected in the person of M. A. Olds of Fergus Falls, secretary, P. O. Christianson, of Greenbush, committee on resolutions, M. A. Brattland J. C. Young and O. E. Howg.

The meeting which represented an increase in attendance of eight over the last district meeting two years ago was addressed by many of those present. Each of the locals were called upon to guarantee $5 toward campaign expenses and the majority of them multiplied that amount by five.

The delegates were, Thief River Falls, P. L. Vistment, John Anderson.

Beltrami, H. M. Holmvik, Carl Olson.

Bear Park, Pit Bakken.

Solor (Haug Postoffice, Roseau Co.) O. E. Horvy.

Fergus Falls, M. A. Olds, J. C. Young.

Greenbush, Peter Christianson.

Crookston, Julius Jacobson, Henry Krogman, H. L. Selenoit.

Climax, W. B. Mellang, O. C. Breswold.

Badger, Walte Goodman.

Ada, T. T. Broten, E. J. Brier.

Big Rally Tonight

The delegates will hold a big Socialist rall ytonight in the Grand Army hall and all visiting Socialists and others have been invited to attend.

Judge Brattland and T. T. Broten of Ada, will speak.

STATIONS TO LOSE OPERATORS

EIGHT HOUR LAW INSPIRES CHANGES IN MANAGEMENT OF STATIONS

TWENTY-FIVE ON THE NORTHERN DIVISION TO LOSE LIGHTNING JERKERS

Owing to the eight hour operators' law twenty-five stations on the Northern Division of the G. N. have been or will soon be cut down from an operator's station to the care of a stationmaster or a custodian while one or two will be cut out altogether.

The stations to be affected are, Argyle, Sandridge, Angus, Shelly, Beltrami, Rustad, Borup, Perley, Climax, Nielsville, Comstock, Northcote, Donaldson, Middle River, Euclid, Mentor, Felton, Lockhart, Georgetown, Kent, Hendrum, Kennedy, Hallock, Kragness and Humboldt.

The stations where operators have already been cut out are Euclid, Angus Donaldson, Kennedy, Humboldt, Perley, Mentor, Rustad, Sandridge, Shelly and Kent.

In some cases this means a reduction of salary with perquisites that the operator gets at his station of from as high as $90 to $40 per month at each station. The matter will cause widespread dissatisfaction both on the part of the operators and the residents of the villages affected.

MORE TRAIN CREWS FOR CROOKSTON

In addition to the through run of the local from Fargo to St. Vincent which change takes place Monday, 35 and 36, the night Duluth trains will lay over in Crookston beginning on Monday next, the same as under the old schedule. This will bring three more passenger train crews to Crookston including Conductors Evans, Clarke and Remshardt. Supt. Elliott left last evening for St. Paul to complete changes in the time card.

A Narrow Escape

Many people have a narrow escape from pneumonia and consumption as a result of a cold that hangs on. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds no matter how deep seated and prevents pneumonia and consumption Refuse substitutes. For sale by all druggists.

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PROGRAM IS COMPLETED

FOR THE ANNUAL MEET OF RED RIVER HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

EXCELLENT PAPERS WILL BE READ BY LEADING AUTHORITIES OF THE STATE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The program has been completed for the annual meeting of the Red River Valley Horticultural Society which will be held this year at the School of Agriculture and will take the place of the annual commencement exercises in the future, there being no class graduating this year.

The program is a most excellent one, including papers from the best authorities in the state, and men who are practical and not theoritical. The excellent program follows:

10:00 A. M.

Song by school.

Small Fruits on the Farm, Oscar Wick, East Grand Forks.

Cold Frames and Hotbeds, J. F. Hetler, Crookston.

Recitation, Antoinette Riopelle.

Apples, Varieties to plant in the Red River Valley, Ole J. Hagen, Hendrum.

Duet, H. R. Danielson and Mrs. Robertson.

Raising Vegetables on the Red River Valley Farm, C. W. Wilder, Crookston.

Growing and Marketing Potatoes, J M. Stephens, Crookston.

Recitation, Albert Malm.

Song by School.

From 12 to 2, Lunch and inspection.

2:00 P. M.

Song by School.

Seed Contest, Prof. L. P. Harrington.

Recitation, Mrs. George Chesterman.

Landscape Gardening, Mrs. A. A. Just.

Solo, Mrs. Carl Schroeder.

Plant More Trees, Wm. Robertson.

Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, F. T. Hazeltine.

Chickens and Their Relation to Horticulture, C. E. Brown.

Recitation, Hazel Wilkinson.

Co-operation, Supt. A. D. Wilson, St. Anthony Park.

Recitation, Robert Erlandson.

Address, Senator Stephens.

Song by school.

Election of Officers.

VONDERBECK IS MANAGER

WILL LOOK AFTER SENATOR WORKS' FARMS IN VALLEY THIS YEAR

Alfred Vonderbeck who has leased section 35 in the township of Euclid this year, where he has moved his family, has been appointed manager of the farms owned by State Senator Works of Mankato, who is heavily interested in this section. He will look after the work on each of the farms and as he is a practical farmer it goes without saying that the renters of the farms will do the work right. Senator Works could not have made a better selection than Mr. Vonderbeck.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the gest blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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A vain man always makes a great hit with himself.

TODAY'S STORM IS NO JOKE

D. [illegible] ST SNOW OF WINTER ON [illegible] IL 1ST—EIGHT [illegible] HES

COMMERCIAL BUSINESS IMPEDED—SEEDING DREAMS FADE FOR A TIME

From Wednesday's Daily—

The northwest is in the grasp of the most severe blizzard of 1908. Three rural mail carriers of the six that go from Crookston tried to make their way out on their routes but it is hardly probable that they will get very far. The trains have not suffered very much as yet but there is little telling what the drifts of snow may do to traffic.

The storm descended so unexpectedly that lack of preparation for it delayed the facilities of the city and it was not until late this morning that the walks were cleared in the residence sections of the city. Reports from cities up and down the Valley show that the blizzard was general. April Fool day ushered in a touch of winter and the dreams of seeding in the next week now a glimmering go. The fall is about eight inches.

City people who could not get to their homes with ease this noon flooded the uptown restaurants and hotels, taxing the facilities of these places which met the forced expansion with success. The railways will undoubtedly have to put out additions to their operating forces.

TOOK FENCES DOWN TOO SOON

The Great Northern and Northern Pacific officials are doing some very quiet but vigorous swearing this morning owing to the fact that all snow fences were ordered down a few days ago and practically all of them were taken down. As a result all the cuts are nicely filled today and trains correspondingly late.

MINNEAPOLIS ENGINEER HERE

ELLIS DUTTON REMARKS WELL OF CROOKSTON'S MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS

Ellis Dutton, city engineer of Minneapolis arrived in the city yesterday from Grand Forks where he had been visiting and remained over the day been visiting and remained over the day here with City Engineer Carroll to view the work of this city. Mr. Dutton is on a professional junket thr uthe northwest, going from this city to Winnipeg last night. This is his first trip in the northwest and he is agreeably surprised at the remarkable improvement of Crookston and surrounding cities.

TWO TOWNS AFTER RAILROAD CROSSING

T. H. Aakhus, chairman of the town board of the town of King, accompanied by Christ Matteson of the town of Lessor arrived in the city this morning from McIntosh, the former of these on official business connected with the project of a railway crossing over the Great Northern right of way between the sections of 36 in King and 31 in Brandsvold. There is no road on this line but farmers think they would be convenienced if a road is provided for them there and are pushing efforts to gain same.

An Insidious Danger

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

Indigestion is a bitter pill to swallow.

CLAIMS HUBBY ROBBED HER; WANTS HOMESTEAD

Maggie Odegaard Tells Pathetic Tale Of Cruelty And Robbery.

Maggie Odegaard a woman 49 years old, contests today the claim of Iver Mikkelson in the town of Badger Roseau on the basis of a tale of marital woes and inhuman robbery.

In the summer of 1902 Maggie was a toiling servant girl who with frugality and industry had saved $1200 of the world's wealth. On July 4th of that year she was married to John E. Kleppe who had filed on a claim (NE 1-4, town 161, range 42) in the vicinity of the village of Badger in Roseau county. On August 7th, 1907 after five years, Maggie Odegaard was granted a divorce in the Roseau county court on the grounds of inhuman treatment and that her husband committed unnatural crimes and revolting practices.

She was at that time granted $300 alimony and one third interest in the homestead of Kleppe, so goes the charges. In addition to this the Roseau county court gave her a lien for $1200 on the claim of Kleppe in return for her savings which he had taken to his own use and the improvement of the claim. One week after the granting of this divorce Kleppe relinquished his claim to Iver Mikkelson his nephew who had just arrived from Norway for the very purpose of taking this claim, so states the documents. Now comes Maggie Odegaard to contest the claim of this newcomer to the homestead which she and her husband occupied.

Attorney Jas. Montague represents the plaintiff in the case and Attorney Eric Haggen looks after the interests of Ivar Mikkelson.

Tom Durgin, well known livery man at Badger and justice of peace, August Johnson, Andrew Wilkstran, Erik Erikson and C. E. Clive who are witnesses and officials in t he case are in the city.

FOULKES CLEARED; JUDGE APOLOGIZED

Winnipeg, March 30.—George E. Foulkes the United States secret service agent, was today acquitted of the charge of kidnapping Albert E. Tolton a British subject across the boundary line at Emerson.

The court based the discharge on the integrity of the accused American and on his honesty of purpose as guardian of customs. The judge held there was no evidence that violence had been used.

Judge Cameron apologized on behalf of the Canadian government at the inconvenience to which Foulkes had been subjected.

It came out in the evidence that Tolton weighed 180 pounds and Foulkes 126 pounds and much amusement was created when Tolton told how he was taken bodily across the line by the United States secret service man. Tolton was accused of smuggling grain when he was accosted by Foulkes in the course of his investigation.

Judge Cameron's judgment is such a complete exoneration of the American agent that it is worthy of note. The court said: "I find the evidence somewhat conflicting and confused and not sufficient to support the indictment. As to the facts of the case it would seem to me to be out of the question to hold that there has been any threats, duress or force used by the accused. I would find that Tolton, the Canadian farmer, went across the line without the use of threats duress or force. This man signed a document in United States territory that he went to that territory of his own free will. Moreover it strikes me that the return of Tolton to Minnesota the next day after the alleged kidnapping, without any violence or threats, permits the legitimate inference that he was there the evening before of his own free will.

"In conclusion I would find that the actions of Foulkes were acts of persuasion and that there were no exhibition of force under the terms of the statute, and that Tolton accompanied him across the boundary without resistance. I have no hesitation in saying that Foulkes is not guilty. I discharge the prisoner."

GREAT FAITH IN POTATOES

LARIMORE MAN HAS GREAT SUCCESS IN RAISING "SPUDS"

GETS BIG RETURNS FROM CROP AND LARGE WHEAT YIELD FOLLOWS

From Wednesday's Daily—

J. P. Pfifer of Larimore, was here a short time ago attending to some business matters with Messrs. Brown and McPhee of the Red River Valley Land Co. Mr. Pfifer for the past few years has been extensively engaged in raising potatoes. In 1906 he had a large acreage and the crop netted him $43.73 per acre and he states the crop was not very good at that. On top of this, however, he raised 31 bu., per acre of wheat from the same land and did not even drag the land before he seeded it last spring, and he sold the wheat for $1.04 per bushel which made a very nice profit.

Mr. Pfifer believes that the northwest should produce several hundred percent more potatoes than in the past, as the crop is not only very profitable, but that it leaves the land in excellent shape for a bumper wheat crop because of the cultivation.

The auditor's office received this morning from the state booklets of the tax laws of the state which will be distributed among the assessors of the county when they appear at the county auditor's office next April 29th to receive instructions from the auditor.

SAVED LIFE OF JACKS

ENGINEER AURINGER AND FIREMAN ARNOLD HAVE THRILLING EXPERIENCE

COWCATCHER ON DULUTH PASSENGER PUSHES LUMBERJACKS ALONG RAILS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Engineer Auringer and Fireman Alex Arnold, Crookston, had an exciting experience on the Duluth passenger west bound yesterday when after leaving Shevlin under full speed Auringer discovered two bodies down the track. He threw on the air brakes, but was unable to stop the passenger until the cowcatcher of the locomotive had carried one of the nearer lumberman along the track for some distance.

The parties were two lumberjacks dead with influence of liquor who had fallen asleep on the tracks in the sun The enginemen threw the bodies down the embankment and proceeded This morning the lumberjacks ignorant of the experience they had gone thru walked into Lengby.

Affords Perfect Security

Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

LAW MAY BE KNOCKED OUT

RAILROAD ATTORNEYS CLAIM MINNESOTA DECISION AFFECTS DEMURRAGE LAW

A DEMURRAGE CLAIM TURNED DOWN BY THE GREAT NORTHERN

From Monday's Daily—

Railroad attorneys claim that Minnesota's reciprocal demurrage law has been knocked out by the decision of the United States supreme court on the employers' liability law. In that decision the court declared the whole act of congress invalid because it assumed to regulate the whole railroad business, not only interstate but intrastate business. According to the decision, congress went beyond its authority in assuming to regulate commerce within state lines therefore the law is void.

The claim that Minnesota's reciprocal demurrage law is void is based on the fact that it imposes a penalty for failure to furnish cars when ordered, and does not distinguish between cars ordered for shipment within the state, and those ordered for intersttae business. The railroads have always declared the law invalid as to interstate business, and have been ready to contest claims presented of that character. They have, however, paid without protest several claims on cars wanted for shipments within Minnesota.

Now they take the stand that the whole law is void. A demurrage claim for a Minnesota shipment was turned down by the Great Northern a few days ago upon the ground that under the employers' liability decision, the whole demurrage act is void, for the same construction is placed upon both acts.

J. P. TUFF IS OUT FOR SHERIFF

J. P. Tuff announced last evening definitely that he was a candidate for sheriff of Polk Co., and will file in a few days. He says that he is a candidate in earnest and will go after the votes with a vengeance.

$2500 FOR REPAIR OF CITY HALL

CITY FATHERS MAKE APPROPRIATION FROM GENERAL FUND LAST NIGHT

The city council met in special session last evening to consider the truss bids for the repair of city hall, the cement bids for walks and curbs thru the city and an appropriation for the repair of the city hall now going on. The bids of two Minneapolis firms and two Eastern firms were referred to the city hall committee for their action; the cement bids were rejected and will be re-advertised for; and $2500 was voted for city hall repair from general fund.

LUMBER NOT ACTIVE THIS YEAR

J. A. Youngren formerly connected with the office of the Crookston Lumber company in this city, returned thru here last evening on his way home to Bemidji, where he now has headquarters, from Frazee, Minn. He has been in Frazee for a month attending to business matter there connected with the repair and increase of the mills at that point. Mr. Youngren states that the lumber business this year will not be as extensive as heretofore. The lower price in lumber he says is largely met by the lower price of unskilled labor. Geo. Murch formerly of the mill here is at Frazee.

Newspaper Dynamited.

Rock Island, Ill., March 25. — The Daily News office was dynamited early yesterday. The press room was badly damaged. The paper has been attacking gamblers and advocating local license. No one was injured.

BRUTAL MURDER NEAR KENMARE

A WELL KNOWN FARMER WAS SHOT DOWN AND ROBBED BY HIS HIRED MEN

ARRESTS FOLLOWED AND CONFESSION TO CRIME WAS SECURED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Gus. Johnson a prominent farmer living five miles south of Kenmare N. D., was foully murdered and R. S. Noah and Patsy Coyle are lodged in the Ward County jail charged with the crime.

Three weeks ago Johnson engaged Noah to work for him. Last Tuesday Noah came to Kenmare and informed the citizens that Johnson had been suddenly called to Sweden by the death of his mother and that his goods and stock had been turned over to Noah for disposal. On that trip he claimed to have engaged Patsy Coyle who left the Bismarck penitentiary a week ago after having served a year's sentence in connection with the Newport robbery last year.

Suspicion Aroused

Noah disposed of two loads of grain at Kenmare and one at Kennaston. Sunday a Mr. Johnson a neighbor of the murdered man became suspicious as his friend had said nothing to him about his departure. The sale of the grain and the horses looked strange to him and he asked for an investigation. The two men were arrested and taken to Kenmare, where a preliminary hearing was given them on the charge of stealing wheat. In the meantime Postmaster Dodds, of Kenaston made a thoro investigation of the house. On the floor he found a piece of new linoleum which aroused his suspicion. This was torn up and beneath it was found blood stains over the trap door leading to the cellar. In the cellar was found the body of Johnson showing unmistakable marks of violence. The two men were immediately placed under heavy guards in the Commercial hotel at Kenmare. Special police were sworn in and they guarded the hotel at every entrance. When the news of the murder was spread abroad there was instant talk of lynching and it was rumored that a crowd of farmer neighbors of the murdered man were on their way to the hotel.

Help from Minot

The sheriff was summoned from Minot and arrived on the night train with his deputies and the men are now lodged in the county jail. Johnson has been living near Kenmare for some time and is a well known and respected citizen. His wife from whom he was divorced was living on a claim about two miles from her husband with her daughter.

State's Attorney McGee in his official capacity interviewed the prisoners this afternoon and secured a complete confession from Noah. It seems that Noah shot Johnson in the back of the head while he was sleeping, threw the body in the cellar, the bed back of an outhouse and then expected to cover up his crime long enough to sell the goods and get out of town.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Violated the Game Law.

Maiden Rock, Wis., March 26.—Deputy Game Warden Richtman arrested several fishermen here for illegal fishing. Most of the fishermen were caught with game fish in their possession, consisting chiefly of pike.

Uncle Sam Nabs Barber.

Burlington, Iowa, March 26.—Petetr Ruff, a barber, has been arrested here by federal authorities, charged with using the mails for unlawful purposes. Ruff is charged with dealing in lottery tickets.

King's Illness Grave.

Brussels, March 26.—It is reported that the indisposition from which King Leopold has been suffering for some time has taken a serious turn.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CAMPAIGN FUND GRAFTERS' TRICK

FEDERAL OFFICIALS ARE ASKED TO CONTRIBUTE SOME CASH

THEY ARE VIOLATING LAW IN SOLICITING FROM U. S. OFFICIALS

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Agents of certain political organizations are taking some long chances in going out to collect campaign funds from federal officials.

News has come in from several directions that traveling representatives claiming to stand for a Taft committee or organization of some kind have gone to postmasters and other federal officials in the state, asking them to contribute to a campaign fund in the interests of the war secretary. The heads of the Taft organization in Minnesota say no one has been authorized to collect any funds. The work being done for Taft is done voluntarily, and the fund must be collected for some other purpose, not stated.

Apparently the collectors do not know that it is a penal offense to solicit campaign contributions from federal appointees.

Another form of the campaign fund "graft" was reported yesterday. A man claiming to represent the county option interests blew into a Minnesota town and approached the postmaster for a contribution. He said it was to be used to get control of the legislature for county option, and elect a speaker who favored that reform. It is suspected that this is another case of a fund being collected for one purpose, but ostensibly for one very dif-

YOUNG LADY WAS SCALDED

MISS GERTIE RIGENSRUD VICTIM OF A PAINFUL ACCIDENT AT RINDAL

SLIPPED AND FELL WHILE CARRYING A BOILER OF SCALDING WATER

Miss Gertie Rigensrud, who makes her home with Svend Rud, two miles east of Rindal while carrying out a boiler nearly full of boiling water slipped and fell, spilling the water over herself. She was severly scalded both arms were raw from elbows to finger tips, also her chest and one side of her neck. Part of her face was slightly scalded but fortunately her eyes escaped injury. Dr. Nelson of Fertile attended her and reports her condition as much improved and will in time recover providing nothing unexpected sets in.

Miss Rigensrud has many friends in Crookston having made this city her home for some time.

GEROUX SEES SIGN OF EARLY SPRING

J. Geroux, well known Beltrami far-will be some seeding in a few days mer, writes the Journal that there be some seeding in a few days in that part of the county and there are prespects of an early spring. S. Dakota parties will arrive in the town of Russia in a few days and plow and seed the north half of section 26 in that town. This portion of land has not been seeded for the last five years This activity in farming is quite general in all sections and an early spring is anticipated.

It's easy to induce some people to believe a thing of which they know nothing.

We Trust Doctors

If you are suffering from impure blood, thin blood, debility, nervousness, exhaustion, you should begin at once with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the Sarsaparilla you have known all your life. Your doctor knows it, too. Ask him about it.

You must look well after the condition of your liver and bowels. Unless there is daily action of the bowels, poisonous products are absorbed, causing headache, biliousness, nausea, dyspepsia, and thus preventing the Sarsaparilla from doing its best work. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. Act gently, all vegetable. The dose is only one pill at bedtime.

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HEIRS WERE NEGLECTFUL

CLEARWATER COUNTY HOMESTEADER'S BROTHER FAILED TO IMPROVE

U. S. LAND OFFICE REJECTS — 12 MILES NORTH OF SHEVLIN

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Ole Overland, as an heir of Knut O. Overland, offered proof in support of the homestead entry of Knut O. Overland deceased. The proof was rejected at the land office in this city for the reason that it appeared that the deceased never lived upon the land and the heirs particularly the brother failed to commence the cultivation or improvement of the land until last June. This will mean that the homestead entry will be canceled either by contest or by reason of the epiration of the seven years after entry with out proof. The entry expires next May and the time elapsing after the commencement of the improvements and cultivation on the land by the heirs up till May, when the seven years from the date of entry expires, will be too short a time for the keeping up of the cultivation and improvements to entitle the heirs to make proof.

The land is about twelve miles north of Shevlin in Clearwater county.

It is very easy for the heirs of a deceased person to hold the homestead after the death of the entryman said Judge Montague today. It can be held merely by caring for and cultivating the land, without any residence but the acts of care and cultivation should commence within a reasonable time after the death, and if carried on for a sufficient length of time, so that when added to the time during which the entryman before his death complied with the law, proof may be made. Otherwise the entry must be canceled.

This land will be lost thru the carelessness of the heirs.

BRYAN FORCES HAD FULL SWAY

REFUSED TO PASS RESOLUTION COMMENDING GOV. JOHNSON FOR WORK DONE

W. J. Bryan was endorsed by the democrats of North Dakota in state convention assembled yesterday at Grand Forks without a dissenting vote, as the choice of the party in this state as a candidate for president, by the unanimous adoption of the report of the committee on resolutions. The Johnson supporters were not even allowed the comfort of having the Minnesota governor named as the second choice of the convention. In several of the addresses made during the convention, Gov. Johnson was mentioned and his name always evoked cheers from the convention. One of the speakers suggested that the Bryan enthusiasts could magnanimously afford to declare for Johnson for second choice but the suggestion was not adopted and the sentiment of the convention in favor of Bryan was indicated by the enthusiasm manifested whenever his name was mentioned.

SENSATIONAL HNDCAR RUNAWAY

Yesterday section foreman, Carlson of Harold station, and well known good fellow about these parts arrived in the city with his wife and another lady who in turn was accompanied ferent.
by one of the section hands at Harold employed under Mr. Carlson. The party went up town intending to take the freight south. In some manner the men folks separated from the ladies and the headquarters at the station when the freight arrived showed the presence only of Mr. Carlson, his wife and the girl. They waited until they missed the freight and then, much put out, put the handcar on the tracks and headed for Harold station Mr. Carlson at the helm of the sturdy ship.

An hour later the belated section hand hove to, to find the young lady of his heart missing. The bystanders on the platform informed him of the departure of the car bearing the Harold station people and he started on a run down the track to rear his signal of distress in hopes that the hand car might be sighted. The last seen of the gentleman he was doing a slow and disgruntled saunter about four miles south of the city.

HAVE GRAND LODGE HERE

SONS OF NORWAY ADDRESS 25 000 CLUB FOR CONVENTION

CROOKSTON SONS MOVE FOR GRAND LODGE CONVENTION IN CROOKSTON

From Thursday's Daily— ..

The Sons of Norway of Crookston addressed a letter signed by A. M. Sivertson, secretary and six others of the local lodge to the 25,000 Club stating their intention of securing the next meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Sons of Norway in 1909 and asking for the co-operation of the 25,000 Club in their efforts. The local lodge has been the most active in the state and local lodges surround this city on every side thru the country. The meeting of the Grand Lodge is an annual affair and would bring between 2000 and 3000 people to Crookston and would be a big thing for this city.

The delegates come from the various parts of states of Minnesota, Wisconsin, South Dakota and North Dakota as well as elsewhere. The other signers of the letter are Trygve Randers, C. L. Svisdal, C. Arneberg, N. A. Hoffard and Oliver Tveten.

THE G. N. AGENT LEFT IN A HURRY

QUICK CHANGE WORK SEEMS TO BE THE STYLE AT MIDDLE RIVER

Earl Retrie, the agent for the Great Northern at Middle River, left suddenly for points unknown last Saturday. He closed up the depot and walked to Newfolden where it is thot he took the flyer to Winnipeg. He was not short in his accounts or did not owe the people of Middle River anything, but was wanted for some crime in Pennsylvania, his former home, and the authorities had located him at Middle River.

Of the affair the Middle River Pioneer says:

"Middle River has a change of depot agents about as often as the moon changes. Agent Earl Retrie left unceremoniously last Saturday night for parts unknown. It seems he had been in trouble before coming here, for which there was an indictment hanging over him, and he was warned last week by confiding friends to vamoose from here to avoid arrest. Whatever he may have been formerly he proved to be while here, a competent and obliging agent and an all around good fellow and he left many friends who regret the fact and manner of his departure.

"The auditor arrived Monday and took charge of the depot and Tuesday a new agent in the person of H. C Moore appeared upon the scene."

ANSWERED THE LAST SUMMONS

GEO. HILL PASSED AWAY LAST NIGHT AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Geo. Hill, one of the old residents of this city and vicinity, died last night after a lingering illness, aged 78 years. Deceased for many years resided on a farm northeast of Crookston, but some time ago moved to this city with his family and has resided near the plant of the Maplebay Manufacturing Co., ever since.

Deceased leaves a wife, three sons and four daughters all grown. The funeral arrangements have not been made as yet. He was a man whose friends were limited only by the number of his acquaintances and sincere sympathy is extended the bereaved relatives.

HENNING HAS MUCH DYPTHERIA

SCHOOLS CLOSED AND NO CHURCH SERVICES ARE BEING HELD

Henning, east of here on the Soo line, has been having a serious time with diptheria and of late the disease seems to have broken out afresh and is now raging with more violence than at any time heretofore. Five families in the village and two in the country near by are under quarantine The churches and schools are closed while all public gatherings are prohibited.

Many a poor man has nothing but money.

An empty head contains a lot of

STATE SELLS PUBLIC LANDS

TITLE TO GO TO SETTLERS — SALES IN JUNE AND JULY

15 PER CENT PURCHASE PRICE DOWN — BALANCE IN FORTY YEARS

From Friday's Daily—

Samuel G. Iverson, Minnesota state auditor has sent out circulars from his offices in St. Paul describing the lands to be sold at public auction thru the northern portion of the state. They will be sold to the highest bidder. Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is demanded on the ground, but the balance can run for forty years at four per cent interest. The title to all state lands is perfect. Valuable advertising matter is being sent out by the auditor's office on request. The lands and times of sale are herewith stated:

Monday, June 22, 10 a. m. Hallock, Kittson county, 30,000.

Tuesday June 23, 10 a. m., Warren, Marshall county 44,000.

Thursday, June 25, 10 a. m., Roseau Roseau county 58,000.

Saturday, June 27, 1 p. m. Bagley, Clearwater county 12,000.

Monday, June 29, 2 p. m. Little Falls Morrison county 10,000.

Tuesday, June 30, 9 a. m., Brainerd, Crow Wing county 17,000.

Tuesday, June 30, 5 p. m. Walker, Cass county 25,000.

Wednesday, July 1, 10 a. m. Park Rapids, Hubbard county 15,000.

Thursday, July 2, 11 a. m., Wadena Wadena county 15,000.

Thursday, July 2, 4 p. m. Detroit, Becker county 20,000.

Monday, July 6, 11 a. m. Aitkin, Aitkin county 40,000.

Tuesday, July 7, 10 a. m. Duluth, St. Louis county 20,000.

Wednesday, July 8, 9 a. m. Grand Rapids, Itasca county 35,000.

Thursday, July 9, 10 a. m. Bemidji, Beltrami county 15,000.

Friday, July 10, 10 a. m. International Falls, Koochiching County 10,000.

Monday, July 20, 1:30 p. m. Pine City, Pine County 3,600.

Wednesday, July 22, 11 a. m., Princeton, Mille Lacs county 4,000.

Friday, July 22, 9 a. m. Fergus Falls Ottertail county 3,000.

NEW CREAMERY IN ROSEAU COUNTY

DAIRY INSPECTOR STORVICK IS KEPT BUSY AIDING NEW PLANTS

Dairy Inspector A. O. Storvick of this city is getting into the harness in good shape. He has been on the go ever since he assumed his duties and is proving a most capable and valuable man for this section of the country, having had the necessary practical experience.

Many new creameries are being organized, and on April 4th the organization of the new creamery at Malung will be perfected and Inspector Storvick will be present and assist in every way possible.

Roseau county is advancing in the creamery industry by leaps and bounds and while the farmers in that section have always been prosperous their bank accounts will grow faster than ever as they increase their dairy herds.

PARNELL BUYS A RUSSEL GRADER

ANOTHER POLK COUNTY TOWNSHIP WHICH PLANS ON BETTER ROADS

N. P. Stone and Co., yesterday completed the deal for the sale of a Russel Gasoline Elevating Grader to Parnell township. This is proving the most popular road making machine sold in this territory and at the same time valuable ditches are constructed.

The sale of the machine has been the largest this year on record in this section, as the farmers are all determined that good roads are imperative

Thousands Perish

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. For sale by all druggists.

When a woman has a sense of humor, it's just another of her arts of deception.

NO BLOOD WAS SPILLED

KRAG-JORGENSON RIFLES AND COLTS REVOLVERS FIGURED IN CLASH

CANUCK DOCTORS FAILED IN ATTEMPT TO VACCINATE THE CROOKSTON BUNCH

From Thursday's Daily—

There came near being a few quarts of blood being spilt at Noyes on the Canadian boundary Wednesday morning when Canadian physicians boarded the train, headed by Dr. Renault and proposed to vaccinate all the passengers from Minnesota claiming that small pox was so prevalent in this state that vaccination was imperative in order to prevent the spread of the disease in Canada.

It happened that there was a party of five on the train from Crookston three of whom, A. P. and John Sandberg and J. N. Kirsch, former publisher of the Crookston Daily Journal were enroute to their claims near Graceton, Minn., and Conductor J. S. Gould of the G. N. and Thomas R. Johnstone, a traveling man, who were enroute to Winnipeg on business.

They got their heads together and revolted when they found what was up When the officials reached the berth occupied by A. P. Sandberg they ran up against a snag. Sandberg was going prepared to remain on his claim several months and among other things had a Krag-Jorgenson rifle and a 44 Colts revolver as companions in his berth.

The physicians wanted to examine his arm or see a certificate to the effect that he had been properly vaccinated recently.

"You bloomin' Englishmen get away from my bunk and let me go to sleep or I'll do a stunt at vaccination myself" said Sandberg who is of a very nervous temperament and is at the same time a disbeliever in vaccination "and if I do there is no question but what it will 'work' all right."

The physicians insisted till finally Sandberg sat up in his bunk and beating a tatoo on his rifle with his revolver told them to come on and vaccinate all they wanted to—providing they liked the looks of his arsenal.

The Canadian arm poisoning artists tackled the others and found that they were also armed for a bear hunt and gave up. By this time the occupants of the slepeing car were all aroused and finding that the physicians had been bluffed by the Crookston men they all joined in the revolt with the result that no one in the car was vaccinated.

The result was that after the Winnipeg flyer had been held for over half an hour the physicians allowed it to proceed with nothing accomplished but the satisfaction of a row.

It seems that they have become imbued with the idea that Minnesota is over run with small pox and the traveling men are up in arms over the annoyance which they are being put to at Noyes every time they cross the boundary by the physicians who insist that they be vaccinated. Some of them go armed with certificates of vaccination, which is all the Canadian inspectors require, but others have not been vaccinated and cannot secure the certificates, and neither will they submit to vaccination, and this means a disagreeable row every time they cross the border into Canada. It appears that all that is necessary is to put up a good strong bluff and the Canadian doctors will back down.

MILLING COMPANY WINS ITS SUIT

Judge Watts this week decided the case of the city of Thief River Falls against the Red Lake Falls Milling company in favor of the latter. The case was started last summer when the defendant milling company removed its elevator into the fire limits of Thief River Falls contrary to the provisions of a fire ordinance. The ordinance reads that building of other than fire proof material shall not be erected within the prescribed territory. Judge Watts holds that this does not prevent moving of frame buildings into the fire limits. The case will undoubtedly be appealed to the supreme court in the hopes that this body will put a more liberal construction upon the ordinance. As the matter now stands, anyone wishing to avoid the ordinance could erect a building outside the fire limits and then remove it within the fire limits. This was not the meaning the city council intended the ordinance should have when it was passed a little over two years ago.

When a man can support his family well generally they are ashamed of him for having no artistic ideals.

DYNAMITED BY MISCREANT

CLEARWATER LAKE DAM NEAR NEVING DESTROYED YESTERDAY

LOGS FLOATED OFF AND MUCH DAMAGE DONE TO NEARBY BUILDINGS

From Friday's Daily—

The Clearwater lake dam, at Neving, Clearwater county, was blown out last night by some miscreant who had some imaginery grudge against the owner of the dam. This dam was built with proper fishways, and has been but little used the past three seasons excepting for the power required to run the waterworks for the Neving buildings and irrigation ditches. It was one of the old land marks having been first constructed in 1879 and rebuilt in 1894.

Certain parties expected to build a flour mill and sawmill at the dam the coming season which would have been a great convenience for the settlers in that section of the country. How the blowing out of the dam will effect the project it is impossible to say at the present time.

The mail carrier from Neving postoffice, reports the explosion that blew out the dam caused such a severe shock that all the windows in Robert Neving's home, barn and outbuildings were broken and considerable other damage occurred around Mr. Neving's place.

The mail carrier states that suspicion rests upon one of Mr. Neving's neighbors as having been the party who blew out the dam and that an investigation has been started in an attempt to locate the damblower.

It is reported that the S. P. K. Lumber, Cedar & Tie company sustained considerable loss thru the explosion by the flood of water which was let out when the dam was removed and which carried away a large quantity of logs belonging to the company which were banked on the river below the dam.

WANTS SCHOOL FOR HIS CHILDREN

FORMER WOODSIDE, POLK COUNTY FARMER, RETURNS FROM ALBERTA

A. Peterson who in 1902 moved from Woodside township in Polk county where he had a farm to a Canadian claim in Alberta, has been figuring "how in thunder" he can return to God's country, take up a claim and send his children to school.

He wants to take a claim about 8 miles out of Pitt in Beltrami county near Beaudette, but learns from attorneys and the land office that he cannot live on his claim and in Pitt where there is a school, too. The government takes no cognizance of the education of the children when the school is distant. The government rather relies on the settling up of the country in two or three years in order that they may have a school for themselves.

But Mr. Peterson has five children four of them of school-going ages (13, 10, 8 and 6 years respectively) and as they have not been getting school advantages in Alberta they have already been neglected, he considers, in this respect too long.

Mr. Peterson was in the city investigating the matter today and will return this evening to weigh the matter with Mrs. Peterson in Alberta before making any move or decision. Mrs. Peterson has not liked the Canadian country on account of the absence of neighbors and wants to come back to old Minnesota hence this trip of Mr. Peterson. It is probable that they will fix out the matter some way and return to God's country.

FARGO SONS OF NORWAY TO BUILD

The Fargo lodge of the Sons of Norway have taken the first steps towards the erection of a building for that organization. A deal was closed yesterday by W. J. Lane and the purchasing committee of the lodge, whereby the latter becomes the owner of seventy-five feet of land fronting on Broadway just north of the Great Northern tracks, the consideration being $2,800. This lot extends back from Broadway to Roberts street and forms an excellent site for the erection of such a building.

It is not the intention of the organization to build this summer, but it is possible that by the summer of 1909 work will be started.

The wise mother brings up her child as if she were its stepmother.

AN OLD TIME JAMBOUREE

BRYAN AND JOHNSON FOLLOWERS CLASHED LAST NIGHT AT DEMOCRATIC RALLY

JAMES MANAHAN WAS ACCUSED OF DOUBLE DEALING—HOT SHOTS EXCHANGED

From Friday's Daily—

James Manahan of St. Paul extricated himself with care from what appeared last evening to be growing into a discussion of Martin O'Brien of Crookston and John A. Johnson.

The Crookston College hall was jammed to the doors the flank of the crowd being held down by James Maybury, Judge Montague, Nap Bray and a few other good Republicans who had dropped in to see the excitement of the evening. They were not disappointed. Following the address of Mr. Manahan which appears at the conclusion of this article, Gus Schmidt, the Broadway painter, started the ball rolling by rising in the audience and bringing forth the name of John A. Johnson linked with Martin O'Brien, state committeeman from the Ninth District who proposed the resolutions before the state central committee in St. Paul a short time ago endorsing Johnson for president.

In this connection Gus Schmidt proposed that all the Johnson followers in the hall stand. Mr. Manahan referred to the connection of Martin O'Brien with the matter and said he considered it a discourtesy to propose to him, an outside man, to attempt to divide the house on a question with which a local man's name had been connected. He wished the gentleman would with draw his motion which Mr. Schmidt did. The Johnson men tried to push a division again but were swamped in general disorder.

Praised Martin O'Brien

Mr. Manahan then voiced his appreciation of Mr. O'Brien without stint. As he had said nothing concerning Johnson and O'Brien in his address, he did not care to associate the discussion of Mr. Bryan to the prejudice of a local man. J. E. Morrisey then added to the sensations of the meeting by pressing forward again the name of Johnson amid applause from the Johnson group that had gathered on the north side of the hall.

Object to Johnson's Friends

Mr. Manahan said the objection to Johnson was Johnson's friends. He stated that the state oil inspector's office was now showing a gross manipulation of state moneys, and that during his (Mr. Manahan's) appearance before the state railroad and warehouse commission Johnson withdrew his support when Mr. Manahan attempted to examine Jas. J. Hill president of the Great Northern. He associated the work of Dick O'Connor whom he termed an infamous politician of St. Paul, with Johnson's boom in North Dakota from which convention at Grand Forks Mr. Manahan had arrived in this city. This started the ball rolling as far as Jas. E. O'Brien was concerned and he launched a charge at Mr. Manahan.

Charges Against Manahan

"Is it not true," he said "that you told Jim Hill that you would drop the presecution of the railroads in the state, if that gentleman offered you a position in the Great Northern legal department?"

"That is untrue," returned Mr. Manahan.

"I can prove that," rejoined Mr. O'Brien, adding that Dick O'Connor would state that his charge was true.

"Dick O'Connor does not dare to make that statement in public," said Mr. Manahan.

The meeting took on still further a tinge of the bloody and scarlet but with no further developments, Mr. Manahan holding the fort to general enthusiasm.

L. E. Gossman who presided at the meeting read the introductory address referring to his previous populistic views and adoption of the democratic party in 1896 under the leadership of Bryan.

Did not Organize

After the meeting in the Sathre hall a number of Democrats gathered about Moran and Gossman's office in the Fournet block where it was understood, but not announced in the excitement, that a meeting for organization would be held. The meeting however was not held. There were about twenty-five present from out of town, the bulk of them coming from Warren, Stephen and the north line, a few from the Greenbush line, the Cass Lake line, Fertile and a number from Ada. Jason Weatherhead of the Norman County Herald, J. E. Bouvette of the Kittson County Enterprise, Dr. DeMars of Hallock, Wm. Hesse of Donaldson and E. M. Engebert, a banker at Bronson, announced candidate for the Denver convention and pledged for Bryan. The other Bryan candidate has not appeared. The organization of the Bryanites thruout this district will be undertaken by mail.

Mr. Manahan said in substance:

Every one should take an interest in politics. This is not a privilege, it is a duty. I do not urge this as a duty to the government so much as a duty to himself. A man must protect himself and those dependent upon him and he cannot do this unless he takes an active and intelligent interest in the laws. Few people realize how important law is, and how directly it concerns the affairs of every individual Lots of men say "I have no time for politics I must attend to my business." Such a man does not understand his own business; he does not realize that no matter what his business is the Government is a partner in it. He does not know that laws more than labor determine how much of this world's goods shall come to any man.

Laws Measure Wealth or Poverty

Laws more than labor measure a man's wealth or poverty. For the laws fix the channels into which flow the fruits of the earth and the products of toil. Men of great wealth, captains of industry, presidents of railroads, and the like understand better than the ordinary man that the government, its laws and their enforcement, is the most important partner in their business and so they always are master politicians and always see to it that in the government and in the laws they have a partner friendly to their special interest. Captains of industry are always master politicians the ordinary business man, the farmer and the laborer do not realize the truth of this and go on from day to day and year to year toiling aimlessly and somewhat fruitlessly never quite being able to understand why it is so hard to get ahead.

A Stern Duty

Consider for a moment what are the things that all men want and the conditions that make the securing of these things difficult and you will appreciate the force of my statement that it is every man's stern duty to himself to take an active part in law and goverfnment. Food, shelter and happiness are the essential things. Land and the right to till it, food and the chance to earn it, homes and the right to defend them, are the things that earnest men and women demand and secure for one another by government. The difficulty of securing food clothing, shelter, and homes lies absolutely in the burdens of taxation. Perhaps some of you think this a far-fetched statement and are saying to yourselves "taxes don't bother me I don't pay any." Remember the direct tax you pay to your treasurer is the insignificant part of your burden of taxation. You must not forget that there are two other forms of tax heavier by far and in a form that you can not dodge the payment.

The Indirect Tax

The indirect tax imposed on all consumers by the tariff law and the transportation tax imposed on all producers and consumers by the railroads. You cannot measure the amount you pay every year of indirect taxes, everything you buy, the food you eat, the gowns you wear, the material with which you build, all are increased in cost and sometimes almost doubles as a result of the tariff ta and the monopolies that are formed and trusts organized under its protection.

But the transportation tax imposed by the railroads as common carriers is the heaviest burden of all. This tax absorbs nearly all that is left to the ordinary producer after he has paid his direct taxes, the cost of living reasonably, and the indirect taxes imposed by the tariff.

Freight Rates

I have not the time to go into a detailed illustration of the unreasonable burden of the freight rate tax levied and collected by the railroads. One illustration will serve as good as a dozen. I inquired of the agent at the depot this morning as to the rate on coal from the head of the lakes to this city and was utterly astonished to learn that it costs every householder in this town two dollars and ten cents per ton for carrying every ton of hard coal and two dollars per ton for every ton of soft coal that has to be burned in order to keep from freezing to death in this inclement country. Let me demonstrate that this rate is nothing short of extortion At a hearing in St. Paul last winter the general officer of the Northern Pacific testified that they hauled coal from Duluth to St. Paul for the Milwaukee company, under a contract, which enabled them to make a fair and reasonable profit. We compelled them to produce this contract in court and we found that the rates on coal from Duluth to St. Paul under which they, under their own sworn testimony made a fair profit was just forty cents per ton. The distance is one hundred and fifty miles.

Applied Locally

The distance from Duluth to Crookston is two hundred seventy-two miles If you apply the rate enjoyed by the Milwaukee system it would make the rate to Crookston less than seventy-five cents per ton. You are paying two dollars and ten cents per ton which is a dollar and thirty-five cents per ton more than these general officers of the railroad company testified enabled them to make a fair and reasonable profit. A dollar and ten cents per ton would of course enable them to make more than a fair and reasonable profit, but suppose they charged a dollar and ten cents per ton instead of the present rate it would a saving of a dollar for every ton burned in this section of the country every winter; perhaps that would not save each individual so very much five or ten dollars apiece, it would mean thousands of dollars to this community every winter and I think it would make the burden of life lighter to many industrious men and from the saving perhaps the home could be made more cheerful and the children happier. That is only one item It is fair to say that the imposition of the railroads in this respect outrageous tho it is, is no worse than on other commodities bought and sold by the people of the Red River Valley. The rates are too high, the railroads make too much money they earn unreasonable dividends on watered stock they accumulate millions of surplus; they use that money to sway elections, to intimidate and corrupt legislatures and influence men in office.

The People Awakening

During recent years the people have begun to realize that the railroads were imposing on them, the shippers association of this state for several years has been agitating the question and doing great public service. It was our Association and not any office holder in this state that compelled the enactment of laws reducing these rates and forced the Commission to make the reductions that have been made. As a result of the work of our Association the commodity rate bill was passed last winter. The railroads took the matter into the Federal Court and enjoined the state. The Supreme Court of the United States a few days ago declared the law no good. It was a mighty victory for the railroads. It was an awful blow to Minnesota. It emphasized the stern crisis confronting the people of the United States. Shall we have a centralized government administered by a few powerful interests and concentrated into a few hands or shall we have a representative government of the people themselves in their respectiv states. The paramount issue is, "which shall govern, money or men, who shall lead, wealth or moral; who shall fill offices of trust, patriotic and liberty loving men or the feudal serfs of corporate capital?"

Danger in Indifference

The danger lies in the indifference of men. Some are ignorant of the effect of laws upon their own rights. Some who are getting along fairly well themselves are fearful that matters might not be improved in their personal affairs even if a change in the laws might help some other class of producers; others think they can safely intrust questions of this kind to the men they elect to office. This is a mistake. Office holders will never go beyond the demands and the knowledge and the patriotism of the voters who elect them. In a representative government, men in office reflect those who elect them, and therefore, if we want good laws and an honest administration of them the voters themselves must take an intelligent interest in making these laws and an active interest in seeing that they are enforced. They must do this for self protection. The rail roads and trusts, the system, take an active interest every day of the year in politics and politicians.

Scores Dick O'Connor

Yesterday, Dick O'Connor of St. Paul, the political boss of that city and the political representative of Jim Hill, was in Grand Forks trying to direct the action of the State Democratic convention of North Dakota.

Why was he there? That convention stood unanimously and unreservedly for the great commoner of Nebraska. The democracy of North Dakota want W. J. Bryan for President because they know as all men know that in this stern contest between man and money he stands for the rights of men as being more sacred than the rights of money. The system the railroads and trusts do not want Bryan to be president for that very reason, and so if it were possible yesterday O'Connor would have neutralized the work of the applause of the New York World and Wall Street had he succeeded in wounding Bryan. He failed in North Dakota and he will fail in Minnesota because the rank and file of men everywhere in this country are determined to protect their own rights and stand by those who have stood by them.

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MOVEMENT NEARS END

PULPWOOD SHIPMENTS GOTTEN OUT IN RECORD BREAKING TIME

TOTAL OF 7,000 CARS SHIPPED FROM NORTHERN MINNESOTA

From Thursday's Daily— ...

By the end of the present month the shipments of pulpwood out of Northern Minnesota will be practically at an end. The movement for the season will break all previous records After next Tuesday March 31, there may be a few scattering carloads arriving but only a few.

The total shipments for the season will be about 7,000 cars. Last season the total ran a little below 5,000 cars, and that was considered a pretty good showing. The entire movement this winter has occurred in a remarkably short time. It was not on in earnest until January and the fact that it will be over with by the end of March brings all the shipments within a period of three months.

Probably last month saw the heaviest pulpwood movement of any similar period in the history of the city. In the neighborhood of 2,500 cars of the product were sent on their way to the mills. The March movement will not be quite so heavy, but it is expected it will pass the 2,000 mark. Last year the end of the pulpwood shipping season did not come until ell along in May, owing principally to the fact that there was a car shortage, and it was difficult to get the railroads to handle shipments promptly.

A BIG PRICE IS PAID FOR CREAM

31½ CENTS PAID BY THE FOSSTON CREAMERY FOR BUTTERFAT

The returns for the output of the Fosston Farmers' Cooperative creamery during the month of February established a new record for that month there, the patrons receiving the above named price for every pound of butter fat brought to the creamery in the second month of the year. It is a handsome return, aside from the actual cash received, for it does credit to the dairymen of this vicinity for the care they have taken to furnish the cream in good condition, as well as to the buttermaker for the excellence of his work, as it is only thru intelligent and painstaking attention to the work from the commencement to the last that the highest prices are realized.

Buttermaker Lidenberg reports a gratifying increase of business this spring and a promising outlook for a much greater output this season than in any previous year. The season is early but last week 33 tubs of No. 1 butter were manufactured at the Fosston creamery.

AGED EUCLID FARMER WALKS 15 MILES

WALKS FIFTEEN MILES INTO THE CITY—HORSES ARE NOT SHARPSHOD

Claus Gossman, a well known farmer about five miles west of Euclid and who is far past the half century mark, walked into town this morning and transacted business in the city. His horses were not sharpshod and he did not want to force them on to the slippery roads which have frozen after the recent thaw. The old gentle man is white haired and has spent many years in the valley.

EXTRA SESSION IS UNLIKELY

RAILROADS CONCEDE THAT RATE LAWS ARE NOT INVALID

REHEARING MAY YET BE ASKED STATE'S COUNSEL IS DELIBERATING

From Saturday's Daily—

Attorney General Young held another conference late yesterday with his counsel in the railroad rate case to determine finally what action shall be taken.

It still seems likely that a rehearing will be asked for, but the railroad attorneys are conceding that the supreme court decision does not invalidate the commodity rate law entirely. They have practically admitted that it only hits the penalty section. From a railroad standpoint, there is no question about the wisdom of this. If it should turn out that the law is wiped out as a whole, consequence would be an extra session, with all sorts of dangerous possibilities to the railroads.

Possibilities of an extra session of the Minnesotaa legislature on the rail road rate question are waning. If one should be called, it would probably not be until after the supreme court has elucidated the opinion which was filed Monday.

If a rehearing is asked for, which is now probable the court will be asked to clarify the situation and declare the status of the state law. The state will, of course, ask for a complete rehearing, but it may be restricted by the court to this one point.

The extra session hinges on this question. If the law stands, even stripped of its penalty then the federal court has still to determine whether the rates are confiscatory, and nothing would be gained by a legislative session. If the whole law is knocked out, then it will be in order to assemble the legislature to pass a new one and resume the fight.

As this question cannot be determined for some weeks, the extra session possibility is deferred indefinitely.

$15,000 DEAL. AT THIEF RIVER

THE BAKER-WILCOX PROPERTY BOUGHT AT A GOOD ROUND SUM

An important real estate deal was closed in this city last Friday whereby Mary Brunnette, of Fargo, N. D., became the owner of the Baker-Wilcox property, paying $15,000 cash for the same. The property is in the shape of an L, and the first floor is occupied by Robertson's Bazaar. It has a frontage of 25 feet on LaBree avenue which extends back 80 feet and then joins Third street, having a frontage of 25 feet on this street. The second story of the building is partitioned off into two modern flats and the building yields rent of $1,560 a year. The building, was built a couple of years ago by C. A. Baker and Ed Wilcox.

The new owner is quarter blood Chippewa and recently disposed of her pine allotment on the White Earth reservation. She is well pleased with her purchase.—Thief River Falls News.

LAWS FOR THE FISHERMEN

The only fish which may be taken in any manner during the months of March and April, are pickerel, carp, suckers, red horse, and bullhead. These fish are termed predatory fish and they may be taken at all times of the year, either by means of hook and line or by spearing. From May first to February first it is lawful to catch pike, muscalonge, crappies, perch, sun fish, catfish and sturgeon but in no case except as mentioned above is it lawful to use a spear. Trout, any variety except lake trout, may be caught between the 15th of April and the 1st of September, but with a hook and line only.

Black, gray or Oswego bass may be caught with a hook and line at any time between the 29th day of May and the first day of March.

No person shall in one day catch more than 25 fish, except sunfish, perch, pickerel or bullheads, and no person shall have in his possession any fish caught in the waters of this state except as provided by law. No artificial light shall be used in spearing pickerel, suckers, redhorse, carp or bullheads during the months of May and June.

DOCTOR ADVISED USE OF CUTICURA

After Other Treatment Failed—Eczema in Raw Spot on Baby Boy's Face Lasted for Months—Cried with Pain when Washed.

ECZEMA WAS CURED AND HAS NEVER REAPPEARED

"Our baby boy broke out with eczema on his face when one month old. One place on the side of his face the size of a nickel was raw like beefsteak for three months, and he would cry out when I bathed the parts that were sore and broken out. I gave him three months' treatment from a good doctor, but at the end of that time the child was no better. Then my doctor recommended Cuticura. After using a cake of Cuticura Soap, a third of a box of Cuticura Ointment, and half a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent he was well and his face was as smooth as any baby's. He is now two years and a half old and no eczema has reappeared. I am still using the Cuticura Soap; I think it is the finest toilet soap I ever used. I keep my little girl's hair and face cleansed with it too. I am so thankful for what Cuticura has done for us. Mrs. M. L. Harris, R. F. D. 1, Alton, Kan., May 14 and June 12, '07."

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STATE IS AFTER $221,706 TAXES

ATTORNEY GENERAL E. T. YOUNG WILL TRY TO COLLECT IT

HELD BACK BECAUSE OF DISPUTE IN GROSS EARNINGS RATE

From Thursday's Daily— ...

E. T. Young attorney general has in his hands for collection drafts to the amount of $221,707.28, representing overdue indebtedness to the state from various sources.

The largest single amount is $132,622.90 charged against the Great Northern railway company on account of gross earnings taxes. This is the difference between the 4 per cent levied by the state and the 3 per cent which the company contends is all that it should be required to pay on all that portion of its property that formerly was the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba road.

An item of similar origin is $26,699.26 against the Chicago Great Western for a portion of its 1907 tax and there are overdrafts against the Wisconsin, Minnesota & Pacific for $24,363.78 and the Mason City & Fort Dodge for $4,879.92, which, it is said, have not been paid because the Chicago Great Western, of which they are subsidiary lines, is in the hands of a received.

Claims Against Counties

Of the aggregate amount, $7,241.42 is in claims against twenty-six of the counties of the state that have not paid their taxes on liquor licenses in to the fund for the establishment of the new state farm for treatment of inebriates. The law provides for a tax of 2 per cent on the amount collected from liquor licenses in each county.

The town of Morris has protested against this tax on the ground that the law is unconstitutional, and the state's claim against that town has been taken into the courts. It is supposed that the general delay is for the purpose of awaiting a decision of the test case.

ILLINOIS MEN FOR ST. HILAIRE

Mr. Kulp of Manlis, Ill., passed thru the city this morning with two cars of household and farming utensils for St. Hilaire where he and his son have purchased farms. They will get busy immediately. Five families passed thru the city yesterday over the Great Northern for St. Hilaire and surrounding country.

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A Signiticant Statement.

The following extract from the weekly letter from Henry Clews and Co., of New York is specially significant to the people of this section. The Journal has contended continually that the agricultural sections of the country, specially the Red River Valley was in excellent shape, and Clews is of the same opinion as the following will indicate:

"Nevertheless it is reasonable to hope that the extreme depression following the panic will disappear sooner than expected. We are promised an early spring and as there has been an abundance of moisture during the past month, conditions are favorable for a good planting season. Our agricultural classes felt the panic but slightly, and in all probability will have another profitable season because of the relative scarcity of agricultural products. Of the things which grow from Mother Earth, there is scarcely an important surplus to be found anywhere."

Out Of The Running

There is a considerable number of people who still persist in counting President Roosevelt as a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for president at the convention the coming summer. While we wish he were to be, there is now no question but what he has withdrawn and will under no circumstances accept the nomination.

He has not changed his views since the following statement which he issued to the people, last December upon the occasion of the call for the meeting of the National Republican Convention which will be held in Chicago. At that time he said:

"I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the 4th of March next I shall have served three and a half years, and these three an a half years constiwhich limits the president to two whichlimits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

Same Old Game.

It is hard to teach an old dog new tricks and the old dogs of Republican politics in Minnesota have reached the mangy and toothless stage. No wonder they think, even after two lessons that they can manage the coming state campaign as they have managed state campaigns time out of mind.

The agile politicians have adopted themselves to nominal rule of the people in the direct primaries, but they do not propose to take the trouble to abandon machine rule where they are under no compulsion. All entreaties to them to allow choice of delegates to conventions in state primaries have fallen on deaf ears. They cling to the old rotten caucuses packed and manipulated by themselves.

Everywhere we hear the familiar story of political leaders getting together in conference to count the noses they can dispose of and bid back and forth for state offices among themselves. They make the nomination of the state ticket a game of auction pitch, only with bewildering combinations never heard of in that innocent diversion.

Every candidate brings his bag of delegates in possession or anticipation to offer as his qualification for this or that nomination. Candidates for the same office bid for it in a market of which the people never hear and the outbidden retire.

Candidates for different offices compare their tale of delegates with one another and dicker to get the most for the least given in the trading combinations by which conventions dispose of places supposed to be filled by the choice of the people.

This ancient and fish-like practice has had its day in Minnesota. It has given us a democratic governor. A few years more of it will give us either the direct primary or Democratic incumbents in other state offices.

Minnesota's Great Possibilities.

Now that it is absolutely certain that the creamery zone is extending further and further north into regions of still greater possibilities in butter production, and that before long Minnesota will be producing 100,000,000 pounds of butter annually, it is interesting to point out that there is a butter famine in England, and ask the question how far can Minnesota benefit from the conditions which prevail there? The English butter trade is entirely in the hands of foreigners. The imports from different countries have shrunk from different cause, and it is estimated that no serious recovery can take place this season, and that by Aril 1st the shortage in imports will have reached 12,500 tons. The total imports of butter to England is 500,000,000 pounds annually, valued at something like $50,000,000 and the countries which furnish it are mainly Denmark, Siberia, New Zealand, Australia and Canada.

The result of this famine is that butter is fetching one dollar a pound retail in London, and is being sold wholesale for 32 cents a pound in the large cities of the privinces. Walter C. Hamm, the American Consul at Hull, seems to think that an effort should be made to capture as much of this trade as possible. There is not the slightest reason why Minnesota should not enjoy as much of this trade as Denmark, and draw from Great Britain $20,000,000 annually. The market is open. Minnesota has more complete dairying conditions than any other state. There is still plenty of room for development. Consul Hamm states that if anything like the intensified methods of farming in use in Denmark prevailed we could easily supply all the butter which England requires and do it at a good profit.

According to one authority the imports of butter from the United States into England consists mostly of what is known as "renovated" butter. Such butter is largely in use in England. While it may be described as pure butter it is chiefly butter which has been collected from outlying districts It occasionally happens that some of the consignments become slightly ransid in transit. When it arrives at its destination at the central receiving depot, it is all mixed together and melted down. The sour milk is run off and new milk churned into it. It is then sold as "renovated" butter, and, unfortunately, has not acquired the best reputation. The price obtained for this butter ranges from $29.19 to $31.62 a hundred pounds. The Danish and Colonial butters fetch about $34 a hundred pounds. With the more general adoption of diversified farming, and the growth of creameries in all parts of the state, it is clear that Minnesota will become the great dairying state of the future. It should certainly be able to successfully compete with far away Australia or New Zealand in supplying butter for the English market.

Sandstone Courier: Those who know seem to think that there will be something doing in the political line in this district in the near future The Republicans at the Head of the Lakes have been urging Clarence B. Miller to become a candidate for representative from this district. Mr. Miller made an enviable reputation in the state house of representatives last year, where he was recognized as the best speaker in the legislature With the support of St. Louis county he is sure of making a very interesting race.

Austin Transcript: It's the same old song we have heard just before election for years. Congressmen are talking of revising the tariff after next election, just as they did two years ago and four years ago. The voters should get wise and elect new men who will keep their pledges. Reelect the present congrgessman and two years from now we will be identically where we are today.

The successful man gets no sympathy, but he gets all he needs, at that.

STATE PRESS

A Quilting Bee

Mankato Free Press: About the only thing that the Minnesota legislature can do with a degree of safety and without fear of having its efforts interfered with by the highest federal tribunal is to play ping pong or resolve itself into a quilting bee.

The Old Disease

Aitkin Age: It was an apple that is said to have caused Adam's downfall, but in these modern times it is the political plum—a graft species—that causes a good deal of man's troubles.

More Hard Luck

St. Cloud Journal-Press: If the supreme court's knock out of the Minnesota rate law results in the calling of an extra session of the legislature—well it will be additional hard luck for Minnesota.

Men Need Work

Le Sueur News: Give men employment at profitable wages and the cause of anarchy and socialism is minimized.

An Editor

Elk River Star-News: A. L. Hamilton of the Aitkin Republican read a paper at the meeting of the State Editorial Association that so pleased Northern Minnesota people that they are talking of sending him to the state legislature. The more men like Hamilton in the legislature the better it would be for all honest legitimate legislation

Is He Ill?

Mr. Charles M. Schwab has asked to have the New York assessment on his personal property increased and finds to his surprise that this cannot be done. There will be no great popular outcry, however, if he gives the sum to several poor widows with six children each.—Minneapolis Journal.

Less Exposed

Bemidji Pioneer: The statute of Washington which has faced the national capitol building for 67 years is to be removed to a less exposed spot. It is asking too much even of a statue to contemplate congress for such a length of time.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

VISITORS—

Mr. Joseph Ball spent Sunday afternoon at the school.

Messrs. Erickson, Johnson, Thompson and Engen of Climax.

Misses Sirgard and Eklund visited Miss Emma Pederson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Earl Harrington, Miss and Mr. Morken, Miss Gust, Mr. Anderson, Mrs. Frank McAdam, all of Crookston.

Mr. W. E. Spreiter, instructor in mechanics at the McIntosh schools accompanied by Mr. Reese a member of the board of education of the same place, were visitors Tuesday. They were especially interested in the stock and practical work.

LITERARY—

The last regular literary program was as follows:

Song by audience.
Reading, Mr. Ringdahl.
Recitation, Mr. Malm.
Song by society.
Recitation, Mr. Johnson.
Reading, Mr. Eklund.

Debate: The question was "Resolved that stack threshing is more profitable than shock threshing." Messrs. Linberg, Kelsven and Ringdahl debated the affirmative, while Messrs. Sether Eklund and Opdahl defended the negative. The negative side won.

Misses Daisy and Kate Kranz, Prof. Thorson and Mr. Munch were the guests of Prof. and Mrs. Robertson Sunday evening.

ENTERTAINMENT—

Messrs. Henry and Morris Nelson gave a phonograph entertainment on Sunday evening. The entertainment was enjoyed by all who heard it.

POULTRY—

Young chickens are the guests of the Poultry Man since Sunday night. Mr. Brown is taking exceptional care of them and expects to entertain them all until they are of a good size when as broilers, they will entertain him.

SUNDAY SERVICES—

Prof. E. E. McIntyre addressed the students on Sunday afternoon on the subject "Education." He spoke very forcibly on the needs and requirements of a substantial education. Mrs. McIntyre accompanied Mr. McIntyre.

The choir of the Methodist church composed of Prof. and Mrs. Wright, Miss Walker, Messrs Carpenter and Hetler furnished the music for the services.

How We Get Our Presidents

How do we get our presidents? We have two great groups of voters who aver that they have undying principles for which they feel called upon to do battle. These call themselves the republican and the democratic parties. The republicans get together and nominate a man; the democrats do the same, and then all the states vote. For president? No, the nominee for president is not mentioned on either ticket. The method on either ticket. The method is indirect. The people of each state vote for a set of electors provided for by the constitution. These men meet and vote for the president, and when a majority favor a certain candidate he is declared elected. The election is held in November, but the voting for president is not until the following February. The electors constitutionally have the right to vote for whomsoever they please, but actually they vote for the nominee of the party which put them on the state ticket. The president while thus constructively the choice of a majority, is really the choice of a plurality of one of the great parties. For many years the presidential candidate was named by a caucus of the legislature in each state. Andrew Jackson invented the national convention plan, which is now used by all parties. The result of this national convention plan is that the president is named really by a body not known to the law. Neither political party has any federal legal standing. Neither has any legal standing in many of the states. They make their own rules about the election of delegates, but when the national convention is held and the nominations are made the electors are morally bound to vote for the nominee.

This makes the act of electing delegates to the national conventions, the real choice of a president. At least it narrows choice down to one of two men, both of whom are the nominees of private, unofficial bodies. Nor is there much evidence that these delegates represent a majority of the members of their respective groups. Very seldom a majority of either party votes in the caucuses to choose delegates. The caucuses are more or less in the hands of the politicians and the people do not turn out to them as they do to an election. The independent voters, by thousands, abstain from voting in either caucus. They wait until the nominations are made for them and then take their choice. It seems an absurd way of getting a president, but it is the only way we have at present. It looks as tho there should be some legal forms thrown about the nomination of a president and that measures should be taken to hold the primaries in all the states in such a way that all the people will have a change, at least, to record their choice in the first proceeding of naming a president of the United States.

Important Decision

It is important that you should decide to take only Foley's Honey and Tar when you have a cough or cold as it will cure the most obstinate racking cough and expel the cold from your system. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs. Insist upon having it. For sale by all druggists.

$50,000 FOR WATERWORKS

BONDS AT EAST GRAND FORKS YESTERDAY CARRIED BY LARGE MAJORITY

INSTALLATION OF MUNICIPAL PLANT THERE ONLY MATTER OF TIME

From Tuesday's Daily—

A waterworks plant for East Grand Forks is now only a question of time for the proposition to bond the city for its construction was carried in the election held yesterday by a substantial vote over the necessary two thirds. In only one ward was the opposition pronounced enough to have any effect and that was in the First where the ordinance failed to pass by one vote. In all the other wards, however, the opposition was practically nothing and the promoters of the plan feel greatly elated over the result. The total vote on the plant, 423 is a large one. The vote was rather light up to 3 o'clock, but after that time the polls were busy places.

The question voted on as it appeared on the sample ballot, read as follows:

"Shall that certain ordinance entitled: 'An ordinance providing for a system of waterworks and authorizing the issuance, negotiation and sale of negotiable coupon bonds to provide payment of the same,' duly passed by the city council of the city of East Grand Forks, Minnesota, on the 28th day of February, 1908, authorizing the said city to issue, negotiate and sell 'waterworks bonds' of the city of East Grand Forks in the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) be ratified?"

LONG JOURNEY FROM RUSSIA

MADALENA SCHOWE ARRIVES IN GRAND FORKS AFTER YEAR AND A HALF

In November, 1905, Madelena Schowe daughter of Jacob Schowe, of Grand Forks started from their former home in far off Russia, with other members of the family to come to the father who had preceded them. Yesterday Madalena arrived in Grand Forks after having been one year and five months in getting there, owing to the action of the authorities. The girl was first detained for several months in a hospital at the German boundary by the authorities on account of trachoma, a disease of the eye, with which she was afflicted. The others of the family were permitted to continue their journey with the promise that Madalena should follow them as soon as her eye trouble was overcome. She was finally allowed to proceed, but was again stopped by the United States immigration authorities at Baltimore and placed in a hospital there for treatment. Her father was notified and a demand made upon him for the expense of maintaining her in the hospital at the rate of $31 per month. This amount he managed to provide until a little over a month ago, when his resources were exhausted, having been at a large expense in getting his family here. He made known his trouble to State's Attorney Wineman and the latter drew up a subscription paper, which was circulated with a liberal response to provide another month's treatment and to avoid having the girl deported. She was then discharged as cured and arrived at Grand Forks yesterday.

BUYS A FINE FRUIT RANCH

A. C. Wilkinson who with Mrs. Wilkinson has been touring the western country for the past few months have finally located at North Yakima. Mr. Wilkinson has purchased a fine 20 acre fruit ranch. Yesterday J. M. Stephens finished loading a car containing Mr. Wilkinson's household goods and other effects in this city which were started on their way for the new location in the west. Mr. Wilkinson is very much pleased with the outlook at North Yakima and will divide his time between looking after his ranch and attending to his law practice. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson are well acquainted with a great many Polk county people who have located in and about North Yakima and have felt perfectly at home there since their arrival.

It's better to chew gum, Cordelia, than to chew the rag.

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There would be fewer dances if the piper had to be paid in advance.

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Rather than wear out shoe leather some people ride hobbies.

ARE CHARGED WITH FELONY

GEORGE THAYER AND JOHN SAMUELSON HAD THEIR HEARING YESTERDAY

FORMER HELD TO GRAND JURY CHARGED WITH DYNAMITING DAM

From Wednesday's Daily—

Before Justice Loen at Bagley yesterday, George Thayer and John Samuelson were given a hearing on the charge of having blown the dam at Neving Tuesday night of last week, the crime constituting a felony.

The testimony adduced showed that Thayer went to the store of Halvor Halvorson at Neving the day previous to the blowing up of the dam and secured a quantity of dynamite which was left in the store.

The next day John Samuelson went to the Neving store and asked for the dynamite that Thayer had ordered. Samuelson also got eight or nine caps and the dynamite and placed them in a gunny sack, taking them away with him.

After the dam was blown some of this fuse and a portion of the gunny sack were lodged in the broken structure.

The next morning after the explosion, tracks were seen leading thru fresh snow from the dam towards the homes of Thaper and Samuelson.

It is said that Thayer had made threats to blow the dam. No threats are credited to Samuelson.

Thayer was held to the grand jury and was released on giving his bond in the sum of $500. Samuelson was not held to the grand jury and ordered released.

County Attorney E. T. Teitsworth appeared for the state in the case and E. E. McDonald of Bemidji, representing Mr. Neving, owner of the dam, while Chester McKusick of Bemidji acted as counsel for Thayer and Samuelson.

SWORN STATEMENT IS NECESSARY

ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY HOLDERS ARE AFFECTED BY NEW RULING

Every personal property holder in the entire state is required to furnish the assessor with a sworn statement showing a full list of his personal property items, or the county auditor can not grant the $100 exemption provided by law.

This is a recent ruling of the state tax commission, and the attention of county auditors is now being called to this matter before the assessors begin their work on May 1st.

The Commission holds that county auditors cannot issue certificates to assessors whose books do not show that they have complied with the law in all its requirements. This means that the assessors must have their books complete in every detail before they will receive any compensation for their work.

NOBODY SPARED

Kidney Troubles Attack Crookston Men and Women, Old and Young

Kidney ills seize young and old.
Come quickly with little warning.
Children suffer in their early years
Can't control the kidney secretions.
Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.
Women worry, can't do daily work.
Men have lame and aching backs.
The cure for man, woman, or child.
Is to cure the cause—the kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys—
Cure all forms of kidney suffering.
Crookston testimony proves it.

Mrs. R. Johnson, of 222 Front St., S. Crookston, Minn., says: "Kidney complaint and backaches clung to me persistently in spite of the fact that I used numerous remedies. At times there were severe pains through the loins and over the kidneys and a dull heavy bearing down feeling, also considerable inconvenience from the irregularity of the kidney secretions. The local reputation of Doan's Kidney Pills led Mr. Johnson to go to Wallace's drug store and procure a box for me. Their use strengthened my kidneys, banished the pains in my back and helped my system in a general way. Mr. Johnson, who was altroubled in a similar manner found equally fine results from using Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

CHANGE TAKES PLACE APRIL 1ST

In compliance with the order of the Post Office Department, all subscribers of this paper receiving the same thru the mails, and who are three months or more in arrears, will be dropped from our mailing list on April 1st and their accounts will be placed in the hands of our attorney for collection.

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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

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March 29 In History.

1461—Battle of Towton and frightful slaughter of defeated Lancastrians by victorious Yorkists; 30,000 slain.
1746—Carlo Maria Bonaparte, father of Napoleon, born; died 1785.
1901—James Stephens, noted Fenian leader of the last Irish uprising, died in Dublin; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:17, rises 5:43; moon rises 5:12 a. m.; 9:16 p. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury; possibly seen low in east before sunrise; 9 a. m., planet Jupiter apparently stationary.

March 30 In History.

1856—The treaty of Paris ended the Crimean war; the principal clauses were the evacuation of conquered territory, the neutralization of the Black sea and the admission of Turkey to the system of Europe.
1894—Jane Austen, American novelist, died in Boston; born 1831.
1904—General W. H. Payne, noted Confederate soldier, leader of the "Black Horse Cavalry" in the First Bull Run, died; born 1830.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:18, rises 5:41; moon rises 5:46 a. m.; 5:56 a. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet.

LITTLE CHILD DIED— Raymond, the 5 year old son of John Goosen, Jr., of Euclid died this morning of spinal meningitis. A still younger son is not expected to live.

A FINE GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulcahy of Kittson are the parents of a very fine girl, born last Friday which tips the scales at just seven pounds.

HARBINGERS OF SPRING—Mrs.

HOME FROM CAMPS—Wes Samstad has returned from the camps of the Wild Rice Lumber Co., near Bagley and is visiting for a few days with his brother-in-law P. Kenny, who resides near the Windstacker factory.

R. E. Smith of Kittson states that the meadow larks are thick in that section and that they are making farm life very pleasant with their warblings early in the morning.

A FLYING TRIP—Dr. G. A. Morley left last evening over the N. P. for his old home in Wisconsin and will probably visit Chicago before returning. He will be absent for about three or four days only.

BANK AT BORUP—Louis Larson formerly connected with the Bank of Crookston this city, lately of Adams North Dakota, has become interested in the Bank of Borup, Borup, Minnesota, first station south of Ada on the Great Northern and will go there to take charge tonight. He is at present in the city.

SATISFIED ANYWAY — Attorney P. J. Russell and Deputy Arne Solberg returned from St. Paul Saturday night. Russell didn't get appointment to Judgeship which was handed to C. W. Stanton of International Falls. Pat expresses himself well satisfied with appointment, anyway.

DOING WELL—Ed Schroeder who is located at St. Peter where he is assisting Dick Bakke in the management of the Konsbruck hotel is spending a few days in the city. They are enjoying a splendid patronage and are well pleased with their location.

STATE FORESTRY—C. C. Andrews of the state forestry commission has applied to the county auditor's office for names of the town clerks recently elected. This is for the purpose of sending to them the state's instruction in conection with prairie and forest fires.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

HORSES LOOK FINE—A. T. Campion returned this morning from Gemmel and Bemidji having gone to the lumber camps to look after his horses which were in the woods this winter for Ross and Ross. The horses, together with those of his brother, J. W. Campion were shipped thru here to Angus last Friday. They got in five months work and returned in fine shape for spring's work.

VISITING HOME FOLKS— Angus Cameron who has a good position with Ed Lodgard of East Grand Forks came over Saturday evening and will remain till tomorrow morning with his family here. The special bond election made it necessary to keep the damp refreshment parlors closed at the west end metropolis today. The taxpayers are voting on a $20,000 water works bond issue and there are things doing but the chances are the bonds will carry.

MIGHT HAPPEN — County Attorney Maybury was here yesterday looking after the interests of the Great Northern Railway Company in an action brought by Ed Bourman to collect for wages claimed to be due him The case was before Justice King and was continued to April 1st. Speaking of the County Attorneyship, Mr. Maybury said that as he is now serving his second term he did not expect to be again a candidate for the office but that such a thing might happen under some circumstances. — McIntosh Times.

FORMER BAND MAN DEAD—John Quist, who has been at his parents' home at Red Wing where he was being cared for, having been a victim of consumption, died Friday last. Mr. Quist was born in Berlin, Germany, thirty-six years ago and had been a resident of this place for several years. He leaves a wife and a little girl about three years old. The funeral was held Tuesday at Red Wing.—Grand Rapids (Minn.) Independent. John was a resident of this city for a short time and was a valuable member o fthe band. He was well known thru the north country.

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FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

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March 31 In History.

Beethoven.

1827—Beethoven died; born 1770.
1887—John Godfrey Saxe, humorous poet, died in Albany; born 1816.
1905—Declaration by the German emperor that the integrity of Morocco would be maintained.
1907—Galusha A. Grow, noted speaker of congress in the sixties and a striking figure in the political history of the country, died at Glenwood, Pa.; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:20, rises 5:39; moon rises 6:19 a. m.; 11:54 p. m., new moon; 7 a. m., planet Venus at perihelion, nearest approach to the sun.

VISITING AT WABASHA—Henry Funk Sr., left last evening for Wabasha his old home where he will spend a few weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

KNUTE ALDAHL BACK — Knute Aldahl who returned from Thief River Falls a few days ago has accepted a position with J. A. McCaffrey. He is one of the old Crookston boys and knows 'em all in Crookston and vicinity and is certain to make good in his new position.

HORSES LOOK FINE—J. C. Castle returned last evening from Swan river where he has spent the winter with a team of his own and several belonging to Castle Bros. of this city. The teams returned looking fine and are in good shape for spring work. Mr. Castle left this morning for Ada, driving overland.

LOOKING AFTER COTTAGE—County Auditor N. A. Hoffard is spending the day at Maple Lake where he went to look after his cottage which he will renovate and put in shape for the coming summer. He will move his family to the lake as soon as the weather permits and will spend his end week vacations there the coming season.

AMPUTATION PROBABLE—Little Nellie Hagerty of East Grand Forks who fell and injured her leg recently may have to have her limb amputated. The injury has proved to be more serious than at first expected and the little girl has been taken to the St. Michael's hospital where it is understood that the operation will be performed today.

AN OLD TIMER HERE—Thomas Gurin an old time resident of Argyle is spending the day in the city. He came down last evening to consult Dr. Morley regarding his eyes which have been bothering him of late. Dr. Morley is out of the city for a few days and Mr. Gurin will probably remain till he returns.

WILL VISIT BELTRAMI—The Forester team and other members of the M. W. A. of this city will visit the Beltrami Camp next Friday evening, going down on the flyer in the evening and returning on the flyer in the morning, arrangements having been made to have the flyer stop at that place. A very large sized time is anticipated.

DAVE ARNOLD IN TOWN—Dave Arnold one of the old and successful farmers in this section of the country spent yesterday in the city from his farm west of town on the south side of the river. He feels very optimistic over the prospects for the coming season and is of the opinion that the coming year will be a banner one for the farmers of the entire valley who farm right.

SEEDING CLOSE AT HAND—Louis Wentzel, who is on rural route No. 5 near Key West was in the city yesterday and reported that the land in his locality was in excellent condition and that with a few more days of the sample of weather that has prevailed seeding operations would be started full blast. He is of the opinion that if the seeding commences reasonably early that a very large acreage will be sown, larger than for several years past.

IN CHICKEN BUSINESS—It is a noticeable fact that many of the farmers of the Red River Valley are getting into the thorobred chicken business. Practically every branch line train for some time past has carried from one to five crates of good birds. This morning G. E. Williams of St. Hilaire had a shipment of Golden Wyandottes which were shipped from a chicken fancier from Farmington Minnesota, and who evidently intends breeding better birds in the future

GOING TO NORTH DAKOTA—Alfred Hoel, formerly with the Citizens State Bank of McIntosh returned this morning from a trip to St. Croix Falls Wis. His old home, and also visited a number of other Wisconsin cities where he has relatives and friends. It is probable that he will leave in a few days for Munich, N. D., where he has received a good offer from a flourishing bank, and expects to make that city his home in the future. Mr. Hoel is a thoroly competent man and hosts of friends here will wish him success in his new location.

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FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

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April 1 In History.

1826—Reginald Heber, bishop of Calcutta and author of many noted hymns, died; born 1783.
1894—Dr. Charles Brown-Sequard, eminent French physician, discoverer of the "elixir of life," died; born 1818.
1902—Thomas Dunn English, poet and politician, author of "Ben Bolt," died at Newark, N. J.; born 1819.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:21, rises 5:38; moon sets 7:02 p. m.; 1 a. m., Neptune at quadrature with the sun, 90 degrees east of that body; planets during April—Mercury, invisible, approaching the sun from the west; Venus, in southwest in early evening, setting between 10 and 11; Mars, in southwest in early evening, setting about 10; Jupiter, conspicuous in evening sky, pushing westward, setting from 3 to 1 a. m.; Saturn invisible just west of the sun; Uranus and Neptune always invisible; sun in constellation Pisces till 18th, then in Aries; sun's declination, 4.7 degrees north of celestial equator, today; zodiacal light seen in moonless nights in April just after twilight in west.

VISITING RELATIVES — Martin Flom is spending a few days with relatives at Faribault and St. Paul. He has not been there for some time past and will thoroly enjoy his visit.

HOME FROM THE WOODS—Martin Keely arrived last evening from the lumber camps at Northome where he has been working for Kirk Bros., during the winter, and proceeded to his home at Euclid this morning.

RENTED HALF SECTION—J. O. Lindquist of Ometh, Wis., has rented the south half of seotion 25 near Kittson known as the W. H. Rounsvell farm, and is having the house repaired for the reception of his family.

RETURN FROM ARIZONA— Jos. Murray and wife have returned to East Grand Forks from a two years' sojourn in Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Murray's health is somewhat improved, altho not entirely recovered. He is a well known engineer on the G. N.

WAS INSANE—John Queen of the town of Queen 60 years old, was adjudged insane by Drs. Smith and Just and Court Commissioner McLean and sent to Fergus Falls. He was without family.

DITCH CONTRACT— Salem Mageau returned this morning from Kerkhoven, Minn., whence he departed last Saturday night with contract horses for the purpose of taking up a ditch contract which he has near that place when the ditching season opens.

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Recipe is Easily Prepared at Small Cost, and Many Swear by it

Mix the following by shaking well in a bottle, and take in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. A local druggist is the authority that these simple harmless ingredients can be obtained at nominal cost from our home druggists.

The mixture is said to cleanse and strengthen the clogged and inactive Kidneys, overcoming Backache, Bladder Weakness and Urinary Trouble of all kinds, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease.

Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

The Scranton (Pa.) Times was first to print this remarkable prescription in October of 1906, since when all the leading newspapers of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other cities have made many announcements of it to their readers.

THE WAY IT WAS NAMED—Mike Sullivan is responsible for the following story regarding the origin of the name of the well known breakfast food, Egg-O-See. He says a travelling man asked if he could have an order of eggs at a restaurant one morning and the waitress replied "Aye go see". It made such a hit with the traveller that he at once started the manufacture of Egg-O-See.

OLD TIMER HERE—Tom Corcoran who was express messenger on the St. Vincent line during the early days when a mixed train was run on that line, spent yesterday in the city on business. He is now with Swift & Co., and makes this city once or twice a year. He states that he saw Vic Fontaine a few days ago at Dickinson N. D. where he is running a restaurant and is doing well. Mr. Corcoran left last evening for St. Paul.

SPIRITS IN CITY CLERK'S OFFICE— Entering his door yesterday afternoon after a short absence City Clerk Childs scented the presence of spirits—not the kind that elate, but the mysterious ones. He advanced cautiously on tip toe and yet the mystery has not departed. City Engineer Carroll and City Clerk Childs spent an hour this morning trying to solve the riddle of a ball and bearing castor on an office chair. It only remained for a forlorn and humble city hall reporter to cut the Gordian "not."

WANT AN ACCOUNTING—A. M. Langeseth, Attornew Wilhelm Michlet, T. P. Hamre and Bertel Bakken are in the city today conferring with attorneys Loring and Miller in a suit to be brought up before Judge Watts tomorrow, Langeseth, Loring and Michelet his attornies has brought action for an acounting against T. P. Hamre as administrator of the estate of the deceased member of the former firm. Langeseth Bros, of Thief River Falls. Attorney Miller represents the estate.

CHANCE FOR ALL IN MINNESOTA

To men who are willing to help themselves Minnesota offers a golden opportunity.

On a 160-acre tract in northern Minnesota any man with two good arms and an outlay of $8.50 for tools can do any and all of the work.

Minnesota offers good openings for energetic and willing workers on its mixed timber lands.

—J. J. Opsahl.

Mr. Opsahl who is a member of the state legislature from Bemidji, has great faith in the opportunities offered by timber lands in Northern Minnesota.

"When a 160-acre tract of land purchased for $800 will yield a profit of $5,000 for the removal of the standing timber and then leaves the purchaser with 160 acres of fertile farming land, it is hard to discover a good reason for a man continuing in the army of the unemployed," wrote Mr. Opsahl in a letter to George Welsh, state commissioner of immigration. Mr. Opsahl has had just such an experience with a "quarter" section in Itasca county. The information will be prepared for distribution, with other evidences of the opportunities offered settlers in this state.

The average man's way to economize is to quit spending money on one thing and begin to spend it on another.

GENERAL IMPROVEMENT IN RAILROAD CONDITIONS

REPORTS OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION SHOW THAT WESTERN RAILWAYS HAVE ENJOYED GENERAL INCREASE IN BUSINESS AND GIVE NO REASON FOR DISQUIET AMONG THE PEOPLE—RAILROADS GET $14,000,000 MORE FOR LAST SIX MONTHS IN 1907 THAN FOR LIKE PERIOD IN 1906 NOTWITHSTANDING THAT COUNTRY EXPERIENCED FINANCIAL FLURRY—DURING LAST THREE WEEKS THERE HAS BEEN GENERAL UPWARD TENDENCY IN EARNINGS OF ALL RAILWAYS IN COUNTRY

The general improvement in the railroad and industrial situation is indicated in reports of the important railway systems to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Figures available to the commission indicate also that the general condition of the country is improving materially, with the prospect that it will soon be normal or better.

These railroad reports show that while the "October panic" caused the railroads to suffer to some extent, particularly in the East and Southeast, the loss was by no means so serious as generally has been supposed. Western roads suffered little. In the east there was not only a falling off in the revenues, but inability to obtain ready cash for improvements.

Loss Not Serious

Franklin K. Lane, of the interstate commerce commission has made careful analysis of the figures submitted by the railroads themselves. Asked what loss the railroads had sustained he replied that the railroad situation the country over is not imminently serious.

"From the figures available to the commission," he said, "It does not appear that the revenues of railroads have fallen off to the extent that generally is believed.

"The Interstate Commerce Commission calls upon the carriers for monthly reports of their revenues and operating expenses. Such reports began with July last.

Increased $14,000,000

During the three months, July, August and September, the total operating revenues of these roads," continued the commissioner, "amounted to $399,000,000; for the panic months of October, November and December the total revenue was $376,000,000. The freight revenues of the systems named were for the first quarter $264,000,000 and for the second quarter $259,000,000. The freight revenues for November were larger than those for July or September.

"These systems during the last six months of 1907 received from passenger and freight revenues a total of $775,000,000 which is $54,000,000 more than they received for the same period in 1906, and their net income from operation in 1907 was $14,000,000 more than in 1906.

Laws no Jeopardy

"These figures certainly do not indicate that, either owing to legislation or the panic, the railroads as a whole have been put in financial jeopardy. It is true that during 1907 there was a great increase in operating expenses owing to the general increase in wages; but the larger volume of traffic and greater revenue yielded a larger net return to the railroads.

"These figures show that the panic so far as it affected the railroads, extended only slightly beyond Chicago. If we take the transcontinental roads reaching to the Pacific coast, we find that every one increased its gross operating revenues during the last half of 1907. The net income was in some cases increased and in others slightly decreased. The net income of the Western lines was: Santa Fe $13,000,000; Northern Pacific $18,000,000; Great Northern $13,000,000, and Southern Pacific $41,000,000 for the six months.

Not Disquieting

"Therefore viewing the country as a whole, the outlook for the railroads as shown by their own figures, is not so disquieting, and these figures, it must be remembered, include at least two months after the panic began in New York, during a greater portion of which time banks would not make loans or discounts and railroads in many parts of the country would not receive checks in payment of freight.

"Altho returns for January have not been tabulated, it is probable that they will show that conditions have been worse than in December; but it is also to be borne in mind, that January is generally the slackest month during the year and February is also poor.

"There can be no question but that within the last three weeks there has been a strong upward tendency in freight revenues. A greater volume of traffic is moving today than at any time in the last two, and perhaps, three months.

"Figures of the American Railway association show that there is a smaller surplus of cars at this time than at any period since October 30.

"This promises an early return to more normal conditions, and railroad men generally are more optimistic than they have been since the Knickerbocker Trust company closed its doors."

WILL VISIT THE FATHERLAND

CROOKSTON PEOPLE WILL SOON LEAVE FOR TRIP TO OLD HOME IN SWEDEN

About the first of May Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bergquist and children of this city and Mrs. John Nyquist and little daughter May will leave for a three months' visit in Sweden, their old home. Mr. Bergquist is the well-known engineer running on the Great Northern and is taking a well earned vacation. Mrs. Nyquist is the wife of Foreman John Nyquist of a G. N. carpenter crew which works out of this city, and his duties are such that he cannot get a leave of absence at the present time. The party anticipate a very pleasant trip and will not be home till some time in August.

HOWARD WOOLERY AT THE HELM

Saturday a deal was completed by Howard Woolery for the purchase of the C. F. Heiser saloon on North Main street and he assumed possession at once. Mr. Woolery has been in the employ of J. A. McCaffrey for several years past and is a thoroly experienced man in the business. Mr. Woolery has scores of friends and will operate a strictly first class place and is certain to get his full share of patronage from the start. He has been a resident of Crookston for many years and has a wide acquaintance not only in the city but thruout the entire surrounding country.

A FEW FACTS ABOUT RAISING OF CORN

THE CHARACTER OF THE SEED IS A MOST IMPORTANT FACTOR

The cost of growing and harvesting an acre of corn is between $10 and $12. It therefore takes 35 or 40 bushels at the average price of 30 cents to cover cost of production.

The yield of corn depends, first, upon fertility of soil; second, method of tillage and cultivation; third, character of seed corn; fourth, weather conditions. Three of these factors can be controlled by the farmer. Character of seed is the most important factor of all.

One 10 oz. ear per hill will give a yield of 28 bushels per acre; two 10 oz. ears per hill gives a yield of 56 bu., and three 10 oz. ears per hill will give a yield of 84 bushels. The average yield of corn in Minnesota is about 30 bushels per acre,—we are growing about one third of a perfect stand.

The corn grower who can control the stand of corn is the successful grower, and with a "nearly perfect stand" can secure 50 to 75 bushels of corn per acre with average methods of clutivation. The stand of corn depends upon the quality of the seed corn.

A man who talks about his heart as if it were a decoration for a woman's dressing table has a lot to learn about being able to support a wife.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles Sold by A. G. Andersen.

For Goodness' Sake Get

Karo

CORN SYRUP

A Treat That Makes You Eat

Karo Corn Syrup

is more than "goodness" —it's a food so valuable in its properties that authorities class it high among food products. Not only nutritious but delicious —a golden syrup of exquisite flavor that pleases all palates. For every use from griddle cakes to candy.

10c., 25c., and 50c, in air-tight tins.

CORN PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING CO.

Notes from Crookston School of . . . Agriculture

SCHOOL VISITORS—

Visitors at the school were as follows: Misses Mabel and Susie and Mr. Clifford Kelsven of Gentilly. Mrs. H. R. Danielson of this city. Miss Elise Cornelius of this city. Mr. Simon Nelson of Climax. Mr. Page, city. Mr. Earl Harrington of this city. Mr. Paulsrud of Nielsville.

SUNDAY SERVICES—

Rev. T. E. Green addressed the students of the regular Sunday services on the subject "God's Initial Appeal to Man". The address was a very forcible one.

LITERARY—

The literary program was as follows:

Song by the Audience.
Recitation, Mr. Paulsrud.
Reading, Mrs. P. Hendrickson.
Song by society.
Reading Mr. Jacobson.
Debate—the question was, "Resolved that examinations are an unfair test of a student's knowledge."

Messrs. Monson, Petterson and Miss Wilkinson on the affirmative and Miss Pederson and Messrs Kelsven and Graves on the negative.

The negative won the debate.

PERSONALS—

Mr. J. B. Brown, superintendent of the Indian school at Morris and one of the pupils of the school, Miss Mary Buie, who were on their way to Stephen visited the school the first of the week.

Miss Irene Slyter passed Sunday with relatives south of the city.

Mr. Oscar Quarberg visited relatives east of the city over Sunday.

TWO FINE ADDRESSES—

Mr. Joel Winkjer of Manhattan, Kansas visited the School Wednesday and gave an address to the B Class on the subject "Starters and their uses" and also an address at chapel about his work in Kansas. Mr. Winkjer is now a government inspector for Kansas and Nebraska.

SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY—

Supt. E. E. McIntyre will speak to the students at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon; special music will be provided. Supt. McIntyre's address will be the last regular address of the season and friends and relatives are cordially invited.

HORTICULTURAL MEETING—

Preparations are under way for a large gathering of horticulturists for the closing exercises Friday April 3. Among the speakers will be Senator Stephens, the faculty of the school and a delegate from the Minnesota Horticultural society. All friends of the school are cordially invited but especially the former students are requested to be on hand.

MONTHLY STATEMENT OF THE ST. HILAIRE CREAMERY

The following patrons of the St. Hilaire creamery received over $50 for the month of February:

A. Mortenson	$91.74
H. Houpt	91.48
Emil Just	79.13
John Konikson	68.08
Swan Johnson	66.13
N. A. Nelson	57.29
Peter Johnson	54.12
Claus Hendricks	51.84
Frank Daxier	51.25

Total amount of money received for butter sold, $3,600.

Price paid for butterfat, 33 cents per pound. This makes the 3rd month in succession that patrons of the St. Hilaire creamery have received 33 cents a pound.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently yet promptly on the bowels and allays inflammation at the same time. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

THIEF RIVER FALLS SELLS BONDS FOR $12,000

At a special meeting of Thief River Falls the city council held last Friday evening, $12,000 worth of five per cent water works bonds were sold at par. The money has nearly all been spent in making repairs on the system and the remaining amount will needed for the same purpose.

ARRESTED ON A VERY SERIOUS CHARGE

United States Deputy Marshal H. A. Rider of Little Falls arrested Antoine Kilpin at Detroit Saturday on the charge of sending obscene literature thru the mails. The nature of the crime was the sending of a letter to a young girl at the White Earth Indian school. The matron of that institution caused the arrest. The prisoner was given hearing at Detroit and was placed under a bond to appear before the federal court in Fergus Falls in May.

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"What is that button you have on?" she queried.

"I. C. M. A." he replied.

"And what does 'I. C. M. A.' mean?" she asked.

"I C My Affinity," he responded. And then we went to press.

An old gentleman walked up to the pretty girl attendant at the office room of a daily newspaper in Crookston a few days ago and said:

"Miss, I would like to get copies of your paper for a week back."

"You had better get a porous plaster," she abstractedly replied. "You get them at Hillard's second door west.

Bishop Potter, at an ecclesiastical dinner in New York, read a Cooperstown schoolboy's essay on "Clergymen" The essay which created much amusement, was as follows:

"There are 3 kinds of clergymen bishups recters and curats, the bishups tells the recters to work and the curats have to do it. a curate is a thin married man but when he is a recter he gets fuller and can preach longer sermons and becums a good man."

That his horse went dead and his mule went lame.
And he lost six cows in a poker game
Then a hurricane came on a summer day
And blew the house where he lived away;
And an earthquake came when that was gone
And swallowed the land that the house stood on.
Then the tax collector, he came round
And charged him up with the hole in the ground.—Abilene (Kan.) Reflector.

There is one railroad official in town who has learned that there is danger in adhering too regularly to "forms" in correspondence. It has been his habit for years to look over all orders or letters prepared by either himself or his assistants to be sent out from his department and then sign his name immediately after the word "approved." which the stenographer, that the regular form may be fulfilled, invariably typewrites on all such papers.

Not long ago the official wrote a brief personal letter to a friend, dictating it to his stenographer. At the close of the letter he told of the death of a relative of his wife. The letter then ended up like this:

"She died night before last. Approved." After which he signed his name.

It was on getting a reply to the letter with his friend's comments on same that the railroad man decided to adopt a new form.

Wedings is a union, something like a laber union, for cards is used and it makes members get in and hustle to pay their dews. A weding needs thre people two men and one woman; one of these men oter be a minister, but a justice of the piece or a alderman can be used if a preecher ain't handy.

Sometimes a man has a turribal time finding a girl to mary, but this being leep year she sees him first and their aint anything to it after that. Befour a feller can get maryed he shud study his girl's father's politicks This helps some, and so does going hoam early at nite, which holds down the lectrick lite bils. Even fathers of girls in love don't overlook a bet like that.

Nother thing to be reckolectid is that a man shud settil up befour he tries to settil down. Some fellars make girls think they love them by sending preasants costing a weak's salary; but wize fellars prove their devoshun by saving the coin to use after th nupshul not is firmly tide. These last fellars is the ones which keaps the goant bill colektors from the famlee speaking tube. If both sides is evvenly matched then love is a grate game, so far as I can see from the bleechers, for I aint old enough to sit in the grandstand. — I. Newton Greene, in "Success Magazine."

MAGAZINE TABLE

The April American Boy

The smiling satisfied face which looks out from the front cover of the April American Boy is an index to the interesting, instructive and pleasing matter this number contains. Jimmy Jones, Pirate; Four Boys on the Mississippi; and That Dillingham Boy, continue to delight their readers. Mr. Weir's fine serial, Canal and Jungle is regretfully concluded. Among the shorter stories are: The Poetry of Steeples, which tells of how one man's heart was in his art; How Karl Got Even, is a humorous April 1st story, showing that the biters do get bitten sometimes, and Fooling Father the moral of which is that fathers are not as often fooled as their sons think Interesting articles are: A Poor Boy's Country; The Origin of Easter; The Devil's Bible; A Few Hints on Golf; The Boy on His Muscle; A Wonderful Educational Scheme; April in the Garden, and The Boys' Poultry Yard. The boys who desire to have clean, healthy bodies will find Talks with the Doctor; Some Secrets of Cleverness, and Destroyers of Boys, unusually interesting. Forty Stunts in Magis for Amateurs and Trapping Hints for Boys contain many things for boys who enjoy mystifying their friends and those who delight in capturing animals. Every one of the regular departments will well repay the reading of them. 82 illustrations. $1.00 a year. The Sprague Publishing Co., Detroit, Mich.

Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach such as dyspepsia, heart burn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold here by A. G. Andersen.

National Ownership of Trusts

(Edwin Markham in "Success Magazine".)

Competition is war, and Professor Ross would sanction a permanent war in human affairs. This alert and searching critic points out thru many pages of evils of our fifty-year franchise laws, our iniquitous tariff schedule, our excessive railway charges, our grabbing of public mineral lands, our corrupt sale of canals and gas plants, our fake meat inspection, our Niagara grabs, our cynical denial of protection to labor; and yet for all this he has no cure but a public opinion, speaking thru "a transfigured individualism."

Surely Professor Ross is a dreamer, a man with a plan far more Utopian than the radicals, who demand that the nation shall own the criminal trusts. We have been trying to rule by "transfigured individualism" since the Ark was on the stocks. Pleading with the plunderer is a method that has failed since Pharaoh, the ancient monopolist, cornered the corn. Dependence upon "a transfigured individualism" has ever been the patriot's hope and despair. The fact is that individuals, however earnest, are so intent on their private struggle for bread that they have little time for watching thieves who make it their whole business to plunder all the people all the time. I see no way out of this state of affairs but in the gradual transfer of the great public interests and utilities out of the hands of individuals into the hands of the people. When these great interests become the peoples' interests, the people will be forced to look after them and direct them in the spirit of the common welfare.

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Sophia Mossefin and Miss Inga Dahl, who were the guests of Mrs. E. Mossefin for a week returned to Crookston Monday.

Mrs. W. Ireland of Crookston, is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. D. Vannet. Mr. Ireland also spent Sunday here.

Andrew and Gullik Fadness arrived here last week from Montana and will remain several weeks buying up stock to ship to their western raches.

Mrs. C. W. LaDue returned Wednesday morning from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Illinois, Iowa, and the southern part of this state.

Mrs. H. L. Gaylord who suffered a fracture of her left arm by falling on the slippery sidewalk, one day last week is slowly improving.

Miss Ellen Opheim has finished a six months term of school in district No. 100 and is now enjoying a couple of weeks vacation.

L. F. Bensen a prominent farmer living near Erskine met with a painful accident a few days ago. While attending to one of his horses, the animal became scared, kicked, and crushed three bones in Mr. Bensen's right hand. The injury was very painful and will incapacitate Mr. Bensen for work for some weeks.

From Over The Valley

MRS. COLEMAN DIED AT BEMIDJI YESTERDAY

Mrs. Julia Coleman, aged 33 years died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. P. White in Bemidji last evening at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Coleman, who was formerly a resident of Nary has been afflicted with appendicitis during the past two weeks and on last Saturday submitted to an operation. She was getting along nicely until Monday morning when euremia set in and she rapidly grew worse until death relieved her suffering in the evening. Mrs. Julia Coleman was born at Halstad, Norman county, Minn., in 1875. She was married to Frank Coleman, two sons, Clifford and Ralph, aged 7 and 9, being born to them. The Colemans lived at Nary until recently when Mr. Coleman went to Park Rapids to make his home, taking his sons with him. The funeral will be held Friday and the services will be held under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen.

G. H. Barnes of Buffington returned from the J. A. Irvine Company camp in the woods north of Bemidji with a carload of horses this morning.

ABOUT 200 "U" STUDENTS TO BE VACCINATED

Two hundred students in the engineering college of the University of Minnesota are to be vaccinated within a few days, as a result of an order issued by the state board of health. A sophomore engineer with a well-developed case of smallpox was yesterday taken to the quarantine hospital by order of the city health department. The matter was at once taken up with the state board, which issued its order.

All the students who were in any of the classes which the infected student attended will be vaccinated unless they can show good marks of a previous vaccination. The vaccination will be performed by the medical college free of charge.

A HEAVY LOSS FOR A THIEF RIVER LAD

Two dogs played havoc with a flock of 156 chickens owned by Gynther Tessum the eleven year old son of O. Tessum of Thief River Falls the first of the week. The chickens are kept on the Tessum farm, just west of the G. N. turn table at that place. The tenant on the farm has been absent for a couple of weeks, and there was no one at home to protect the chickens. How many the dogs killed is not known, but 59 dead chickens have been found in the yard and woods in that vicinity and the rest of the chickens can not be found. The chickens were owned by Gynther Tessum, who had earned the money with which to purchase them, and some of them were quite valuable.

BAGLEY CITIZENS TALK MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

At the call of the village president-elect at Bagley there was a meeting of the citizens of Bagley held last night to consider matters pertaining to the administration of the village. Among other things it was recommended that the water mains be extended two blocks in the main street and that the books and accounts of the village be examined and audited. Two new creamery companies have been organized in Clearwater county, one at Shevlin and one at Alida and the county will have two additional creameries established this season making seven in all.

VETERAN GARDENER SELLS A GOOD FARM

Andrew Clements the veteran market gardener sold his property just north of the city the first of the week to Martin Bothun for $1,600 cash. Mr Clements is undecided as to what he will do in the future. He is one of the pioneer residents of this section and the News sincerely hopes that he will continue to make his home here. Mr. Bothun will go into the chicken raising business on an extensive scale.—Thief River Falls News.

65 MEMBERS FOR NEW MILITIA COMPANY

The work of recruiting for the militia company at Thief River Falls has been completed. Some sixty-five men have undergone the necessary physical examination. Preparations are being completed to have the muster in take place the latter part of April. By that time the large rink will be in condition for the drills. It is likely the officers will be chosen from among those who have seen service in Cuba and the Philippines.

But the cow is too modest to blow her own horn.

DELIRIOUS OLD MAN DIED FROM EXPOSURE

A message from New York Mills states that Gust Ruikka who resides a short distance east of that village, died Saturday from exposure. Mr. Ruikka was an elderly man, and had been ill for some time. About two weeks ago he became delirious and wandered from home during the night, freezing his hands and feet and suffering terribly from exposure. He was living with his son Adolph, and the family, on learning that he had left the house instituted a search and finally located him. His illness was very much aggravated and he died after two weeks of suffering. He is survived by his two sons. The funeral ocurred Sunday, Rev. J. Lahdi officiating.

LENGBY BUSINESS MEN WANT A MARKET DAY

A mass meeting was held by the citizens of Lengby last Saturday night to consider the advisability of holding a monthly fair or market day at Lengby. All present were of the opinion that the time has come when something of that sort is necessary in order that the farmers may have a place where they can come together every so often and exchange what they have to sell and at the same time get better acquainted with each other and have an opportunity to discuss topics of general interest. A committee was appointed to work up the proposition and arrange to hold the first fair, or market day, as early as practical.

EARLY FIFE FLOUR PROVES SATISFACTORY

Since the publication of our last issue a large number of tests have been made of the flour manufactured from the wheat known as "Early Fife" about which there has been considerable controversy of late and these tests have shown to be fully up to standard in point of excellence. After the very thoro investigation which has been made at the Fosston Elevator & Flouring Mills and outside, S. S. Stadsvold can discover no important reason for discouraging the continued growing of this kind of wheat by the farmers about here, the only possible objection to it being the fact that it may not produce quite as much flour to the bushel of grain as some of the other kinds but the difference is scarcely noticeable.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

DULUTH EX-POSTMASTER IS COMMITTED TO ASYLUM

E. L. Fisher, former postmaster of Duluth, was yesterday adjudged insane at an examination held before Judge J. B. Middlecoff of the probate court at St. Mary's hospital at Duluth He will be taken to the Fergus Falls asylum this morning by Deputy Sheriffs Frank Magie and Ham Little. For several days he has had strange hallucinations and was taken with a sudden suicidal mania. Last Friday when he first attempted to end his life, he had returned from the woods where he said he had been "looking for A. P. A's." He then insisted upon sitting by the window and watching for the officers whom he believed were after him. Mr. Fisher is 62 years old and has resided in Duluth for many years. During his residence in this city he has taken a prominent part in local politics, and for several years was postmaster having been succeeded by Guy A. Eaton.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

March 26 In History.

1720—Sir John Vanbrugh, English architect and dramatist, died; born 1666.

1872—Earthquake in California; shocks continued several days; 30 killed, 100 injured.

1894—General Alfred Holt Colquitt, senator from Georgia and a prominent ex-Confederate, died in Washington; born 1824.

1902—Cecil Rhodes, the South African diamond magnate, died at Cape Town; born 1853.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:14, rises 5:48; moon rises 8:12 a. m.; 5 a. m., planet Mercury at greatest elongation west of the sun, 27 degrees and 49 minutes, visible for several mornings low in east before sunrise.

CIVIL ACTIONS—Attys. E. O. Hagen of this city and Ludvig Arctander of Minneapolis went to Red Lake Falls yesterday to try some important civil cases before Judge Watts.

VIEW ON 74—Ditchviewers are at work in the county commissioners' rooms in the court house on ditch 74 which begins in section 12 in town of Hammond and ends in 35 town of Andover being over three miles long to cost on estimate $3,117.56.

A NEW STOCK—A. P. Kukowski, the merchant of Greenbush who was badly scorched a few months ago in the big fire at his home town, returned home yesterday after a trip to St. Paul where he made some heavy purchases .

WILL TAKE DAUGHTERS HOME—Rev. E. J. Larson of Lake Park arrived in the city this morning and will depart this evening, taking with him his two daughters who have been here for medical treatment for some time past. He is a guest of Rev. A. Salveson during the day.

BACK FROM LANSFORD— Chas. Rapin who has been chef at the Hotel Lansford at Lansford, N. D., for the past few months, which is operated by Will Winnie has returned to the city. He has not fully decided on his plans for the summer but has several schemes in mind.

BALDHEADED BALL—"Baldheaded" Ball, as he calls himself, the well known Grafton photographer is a morning arrival in the city and will attend the Bryan convention here this afternoon and evening. The gentleman has been a photographer at Grafton for forty years. He is brother to J. D. Ball, the Crookston wood dealer.

PAPERS FROM WATTS—Commitment papers are expected this evening from Judge Watts who is holding district court at Red Lake Falls in the case of Della Clous, the young girl who is scheduled for the reform school on her own request. There is much confusion over the spelling of the name, three different spellings on the different papers in the case, Claus Clous, and Clouse.

MRS. JOS. LEICHT DEAD— The many friends of Jos. Leicht editor of the Westleicher, published at Winona and who visits Crookston annually has suffered a great bereavement in the death of his wife. Mrs. Leicht died March 20 after a stroke of paralysis two days before. Deceased was morn Feb. 18, 1849 in Switzerland and was married April 9, 1870. She leaves a husband, six sons and three daughters. The funeral took place Sunday at Winona.

NOT WITH THE HERMANS—Herman Camp, the genial merchant of Dugdale has just returned from a trip south of St. Paul where he went to inspect some land which the owner desired to trade for Mr. Camp's store at Dugdale. It took but a cursory survey of the land to convince Mr. Camp that he did not want to trade. He states that he prefers land in the Red River Valley which he can get for less money and which is worth two to one what he was shown.

RUN CAR ON SOO—A. R. Kimball, formerly located with Swift & Co., in this city, and now district manager for the same company at Grand Forks spent yesterday at Thief River Falls interviewing the merchants there relative to putting a refrigerator car on the Soo line to run thru Thief River Falls and as far west as Kenmare. The car will be put on in a short time and will give the butchers and merchants of Thief River a better service than at present, as heretofore they have been served by transfering from Swift car that is run thru this city three times per week.

KEEP SIDEWALKS CLEAR — Complaint has been made that the sidewalks about the high school building are blocked at noon, during recess and after school is dismissed by crowds of boys playing marbles who force pedestrians to take the ditch to get past. On one occasion a gentleman past middle age asked the boys to allow him to pass and all the satisfaction he got was a few insulting remarks. The teachers should forbid the boys blocking the sidewalks in the first place and if they fail to do this the police might take a stroll around that way a few times a day and show the youngsters that the sidewalks must not be blockaded.

WILL BUY TIMBER LAND—Henry O'Neill left this morning for Feeley and Verna and before returning expects to purchase a timber claim. If he closes the deal he will send men and teams there next winter and get out cord wood for the Crookston market.

MADE GOOD MONEY—A. T. and J. W. Campion two of the prosperous young farmers of Angus passed thru the city Tuesday evening enroute to Gemmel, on the M. & I. north of Bemidji, where their horses have been in the woods for Ross and Ross. Theirs were the first carload of horses shipped into the logging camps last fall, going up the latter part of October, and theirs will be the last carload shipped back, getting in a few days over 5 months time and each team will net about $140 which makes a pretty good stake for a carload—and besides they have saved the feed that the teams would have required had they been eating their heads off in the stable. They will return with them in a day or two.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

March 27 In History.

John Bright

1652—James I. of England and VI. of Scotland died; born 1566; king of Scotland 1567; of England 1603.

1836—357 American Texans, including Colonel J. W. Fannin, prisoners of war, were massacred at Goliad, Tex., by order of Santa Anna. The Texans were attacked and captured while attempting to march from Goliad to the succor of the Texans in the Alamo.

1889—John Bright, British statesman, died in England; born 1821.

1904—Desperate attempt by the Japanese to block the Port Arthur channel failed.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:15, rises 5:46; moon rises 3:58 a. m.; day's length 12½ hours; planet Mercury visible.

DITCH GOES THRU—The viewers on ditch No. '74 turned in favorable report on the Hammond and Andover three mile ditch, stating that they agreed that the benefits would be triple the cost of the ditch, $3,117.56, by engineer's estimate.

HOME FROM THE WOODS—Messrs Emory Samson, Will Walker and Louis returned home last evening from the woods near Northome where they have spent the winter. They drove home. Wm. Sampson returned from the same place Tuesday.

INSTITUTE A SUCCESS—Rev. C. C. Markham returned yesterday from Detroit where he attended the Sunday school yesterday froshrdluetaoinlu day School Institute which was held under the direction of the Sunday school committee of the Northwestern Baptist Association, of which Rev Markham is chairman. The convention was held Tuesday and Wednesday and was largely attended.

HOLTE SELLS FARM—Dr. Halvor Holte today completed conveyance of the southwest quarter ofc .9 in Andover along the right of way of the Halstad line of the Great Northern to August Schoestedt of Joliet, Illinois near which place the buyer is located on a farm. The quarter is about two miles north of Eldred, consists of 154 acres on account of right-of-way of Great Northern property.

HOME FROM CLAIM—Chas. Ackerlund, city mail carrier No. 4 has returned from a three weeks' stay on his claim near Beaudette. It is said that he has developed into an expert cook, and makes a specialty of flipping 12 x 12 flapjacks from the skillet without the aid of jackscrews and could easily hold down the job of chef in a first class hotel.

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL—Miss Fern Jerome, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jerome was taken to the St. Vincent Hospital today suffering from typhoid fever. She has been sick for several days, but typhoid developed last night and it was thought best to take the patient to the hospital at once where she would have the benefit of trained nurses and all modern conveniences for the care of the sick.

WILL TAKE CHARGE WEDNESDAY—Anton R. Erickson, formerly in business in Crookston whose confirmation as postmaster of Bemidji was recently announced from Washington has received from the postoffice department at Washington the official certificate of his appointment as post master, with authority to assume charge of the office at the close of business on March 31, which will be at the end of a quarter, when invoice will be given to government and all reports for the quarter will be in readiness for the new postmaster. Mr. Erickson announces that he contemplates no change in the personnel of the corps of officials at present in the Bemidji office.

Attorney P. J. Russell, ex-city attorney of Bemidji and who was located in Crookston for many years, passed thru the city last evening enroute to St. Paul where he was summoned by those high in the councils of the Democratic party in the state in connection with the appointment of a successor to Judge Spooner of the District Court of Beltrami County.

It is understood that Mr. Russell has good chances to secure the appointment with recommendations from all parts of the district. His appointment would please many of his old friends in Crookston and Polk County.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

March 28 In History.

1760—Margaret Woffington, the celebrated actress, died; born 1718.

1846—General Zachary Taylor invaded Mexico.

1870—General George H. Thomas, the "Rock of Chickamauga," died in San Francisco.

1000—Count Benedetti, French ambassador at Berlin during the war excitement of 1870, died in Paris; born 1817.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:16, rises 5:44; moon rises 4:40 a. m.; 10:06 a. m., moon at perigee, nearest earth; 6 a. m., planet Mercury at aphelion, farthest from sun; visible low in east before sunrise.

GOSSMAN VICE PRESIDENT—L. E. Gossman has been appointed vice president of Bryan organization for Polk county by state headquarters.

HORSES FROM WOODS— Castle Brothers, Rudy Hultz and Bert Teal horses arrived in the city this morning from Swan River where they have been logging.

BANKER-MERCHANT HERE —B. B. Larson the Banker-merchant of Halstad and who is also interested inbanks at Climax and Eldred was in the city yesterday to attend to business matters here:

FOSSTON'S FINE RECORD — At the National Creamery and Buttermakers' convention held recently in St. Paul, Henry Lidenberg of the Fosston creamery came but half a point from winning one of the two prizes offered at the convention to butter makers in the hand separator class. The winner of second prize secured 94½ points o nhis butter, while Mr. Lidenberg scored 94 taking third place in the contest in which expert creamery men from all parts of United States competed.

LUMBER WILL GO HIGHER—The following, slipped from an exchange should be of interest to anyone who contemplates building. The price of lumber, other building material and labor in the Red River Valley is lower now than it has been for years, and the question arises, how long will such conditions last? Statistics show that all manufactures of lumber are curtailing their output, which means a scarcity before another year goes by with a very normal demand. A scarcity always tends towards higher prices and it might be business policy to take advantage of the present market.

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HALL WAS PACKED LAST EVENING TO HEAR SCHOOL PROGRAM

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From Saturday's Daily—

The school entertainment given at Nielsville Hall last evening for the benefit of the school library was a grand success. The hall was packed to its utmost capacity and no larger gathering has been witnessed in Nielsville during the past season which be speaks well for the high regard the people have for their school and for their interest in libraries.

Every number on the program was creditably presented and heartily applauded and tho a little long every one remained to the last.

The program as rendered follows:

Selection .... Bye's Orchestra
Vocal Duet ... Village in the Valley
Misses Mary and Thora Hagen
Reading, ... Green Mountain Justice
Prof. O. N. Brevig
Violin Solo .... The Fifth Aire
Mr. W. Brekke
Dialogue .... The New Suit
Three boys and three girls
Vocal Solo .... The Slave Song
Prof. N. A. Thorson
Recitation ... ...True Heroism
Miss Tilla Engelstad
Selection ... ... Bye's Orchestra
Duet ... ...Selected
Mrs. and Miss Rassmusson
Illustrated Talk on the Philippines ..
Paul Hagen
Song ....Our Philippines
By School
Vocal Solo ... . Asthore
Miss Thora Hagen
Selection ... ... Bye's Orchestra
Reading ... ... Socrates Snooks
Prof. O. N. Brevig
Dialogue ...... Suppression of Slang
Six girls.
Vocal Solo .... The Forest King
Prof. N. A. Thorson
Flag Drill........ By Sixteen Children
Remarks ...... Prof. N. A. Thorson
Selection ... ... Bye's Orchestra

Principal Paul Hagen and Miss Laura Walsted deserve considerable credit for the faithfulness manifested in the schools and the patrons of the Nielsville school appreciate their efficient work and untiring efforts.

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OLD TIMER HERE—K. O. Slette, formerly cashier of the Halstad bank and now president of a bank at Culbertson, Montana, has left for St. Paul after spending a few days in the city the guest of C. J. Gilbert.

FILED ON CLAIM—A. Peterson the gentleman from Alberta, formerly of Woodside town in Polk county, filed on a claim this morning about eight miles out of Pitt and has made up his mind to place his children in school in Pitt. He will move back to God's country in a week or two.

MADE MONEY ON CLAIM—R. Berg of Climax returned last evening from Roosevelt where he has been turning out pole contracts on his own hook during the winter. Mr. Berg has a claim in that neighborhood and has been making money all winter while complying with government regulations.

HOME IN MAY— Letter received from Arthur Cartier well known young decorator of Crookston who is at present at Charleston, Washington with his brother, indicates that he will be home in May after spending the winter on the coast. He had planned to arrive here earlier than that but opening up of the year has held him there.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT—Mrs. O. R. Vaaler of Fosston met with a painful mishap last Monday morning by being splashed with boiling water in the face from the wash boiler. Fortunately her eyes escaped injury and no permanent disfigurement will result, but it will be some days before she will be completely recovered.

Senator Nelson yesterday introduced a bill carrying an appropriation of $25,000 for the erection of a fish culture station in Minnesota. The precise location of the proposed station is to be determined by the United States fish commissioner. Inquiry at the Twenty-Five Thousand Club shows that no action has yet been taken in the matter of this open proposition but Mentor is being suggested for a campaign for this station. Warden Munch does not believe there could be a better place selected in Minnesota for this institution.

LOST ON THE PRAIRIES

ED THOMPSON A PIONEER WANDERED FOUR HOURS NEAR THE CITY

HOWLS OF WOLVES AND WILDCATS FINALLY RESULTED IN GETTING TO CITY

From Saturday's Daily—

Ed Thompson for 30 years a resident of Crookston, who knows every foot of road thru this section or thought he did, was lost for six hours last night in the town of Parnell, and his friends have a since made life miserable for him. He must have driven in a circle during practically all of the time. About 1 o'clock in the morning the howl of wolves and snarling of wildcats made his hair stand, and giving the horses free rein he applied the whale bone to the horses, not attempting to steer them and in less than an hour he was in the city.

The party with him wore out a pair of shoes peddling the news about the city, and Thompson could not be found with a search warrant today.

FILES ON POLK COUNTY LAND

BYKLUM ENTERS LAND IN CHESTER TOWN ALONG LOST RIVER

Ole T. Byklum this morning filed at the United States land office Crookston on a quarter section of land in Chester township in the northeastern portion of Polk county along Lost river. This does not mean that there will be a homestead rush after choice portions of the spacious Polk however. The claim is an isolated tract and was relinquished by a previous settler to Mr. Byklum.

FINGERS WERE BADLY CRUSHED

A STEPHEN YOUNG LADY MAY LOSE THE END OF ONE

Miss Nellie Falkeid, daughter of Mr and Mrs. E. Falkeid of the Stephen Hotel met with a painful accident yesterday at the school house there. While putting on her overshoes she tried to steady herself by taking hold of the door casing in one of the wardrobes and in some manner the heavy oak door was shut, catching the ends of her fingers and so badly squeezing them that it is feared she will lose the tip of one of her fingers.

FOSSTON PASTOR RETURNS TO NORWAY

Rev. G. O. Moe, who has made Fosston his home for a number of months past during which he has conducted Baptist mission services here and at neighboring points, preaches his farewell sermon tomorrow to his congregation.

While sojourning here, Rev. and Mrs. Moe have made many friends who regret their leavaing. They will depart for Norway the 15th of April, where Rev. Moe has been called to take charge of mission work, and he will be succeeded here by Rev A. Erickson from Chicago.

Mr. John Rita of Vining, Ia., says "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

BUSINESS IS PICKING UP

C. R. WINSLOW SAYS MERCHANTS ARE BUYING VERY FREELY NOW

DEPLETED STOCKS ARE BEING REPLACED BY FULL LINES—OPTIMISTIC

From Saturday's Daily—

C. R. Winslow, of the wholesale grocery firm of Finch-Winslow-Carlisle of this city is very much pleased with the commercial outlook in the Red River Valley the coming summer. In an interview last evening he said: "Business has been slack since the first of the year with all wholesale houses till a week or two ago. Since that time business has been picking up rapidly. Stocks were depleted but the merchants are now all over their scare and are buying freely because their increasing business warrants it. They have discovered that the farmer has more cash this spring than he has had for many years past. I can see no reason for pessimism in the northwest this year, and we look for the best business we have ever enjoyed, and other wholesale houses will find it the same in this section. Every indication points to a busy and prosperous year.

TEACHERS RETURN TO THEIR HOMES

ST. HILAIRE, WARREN, FOSSTON, ROSEAU AND BAGLEY TEACHERS HAVE REST

On account of the closing of many of the schools thruout the valley for a week's vacation a number of the teachers were in this city last night on the way to their homes. Misses May Plowmaan, Olga Olson, Eleanor Currie of Park River and Bergh of the St. Hilaire public schools; Misses Clara Iddings and Madelin Collins of the Bagley schools; Misses Kaus and Findeisen of the Warren schools who departed on the Greenbush line this morning for Red Lake Falls, their home. Misses Bruan and Gilbertson of Roseau and Miss Stadsvold of the Fosston schools who departed on the St. Paul train last evening for her home.

CUT DOWN IN THE PRIME OF LIFE

Theodore Berg passed away at his home in Erskine Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock after a long illness covering a period of several months of a complication of diseases. He was in his eighteenth year and a bright and promising career has been cut short by the Grim Reaper, Death.

He is survived by his mother, one sister and four brothers. His father having died from the same ailment in June 1906.

Interment will be beside his father and the funeral will probably be held Sunday from the United Lutheran church at Erskine altho no definite date has as yet been fixed.

Frank Truax of St. Paul Park, captain of the government steam dredge Warroad at Lake of the Woods and well known up and down the Rainy River country, has been notified that he had been left $1,500 from the estate of Mrs. Strait, whom he saved from death years ago. The woman was about to be run down by a runaway team when Captain Truax dashed into the street and saved her from injury. He had forgotten the incident and never supposed the woman even knew his name until he received word of the bequest.

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COLONIZING UP NORTH

BIG BUNCH OF CROOKSTON PEOPLE LOCATED NEAR NORTHERN BOUNDARY

PROPOSE TO DEVELOPE THEIR LAND AND IMPROVE PROPERTY AT ONCE

From Monday's Daily—

Crookston has gone into the colonizing business on a small scale, perhaps, but very effectively. Beginning about three miles south of Graceton between Warroad and Beaudette on the Canadian Northern several settlers have taken up homesteads many of whom went there from this city. The government land district there opened to settlement July 1st last consists of ten towns which are a part of the former Red Lake Indian reservation. The country is chiefly known as one of continuous swamps but cruisers have long brought into the settlements that line the Canadian Northern stories of the excellent land that may be found on the big sand ridges that traverse the interior from southwest to northeast.

Character of Land

These ridges run from Thief River Falls on the Great Northern and the Soo and are well defined. The country had generally been supposed to be swampy to the northern shores of the Red Lake. South of Roosevelt about five miles an immense floating bog about four miles across gives one a bad introduction to a trail that continues after it reaches the timber thru a cedar swamp about three miles wide crossed only by an arduous and winding trail poorly blazed.

This muskeg was considered impassable until after the homesteaders began to come in after July 1st last. However after one crosses the last cedar swamp a gradual rise mounts upward, until intertwined sandridges of rich sandy loam covered with the vegetable mold of centuries, the settler found himself in a new land.

A Dry Route Found

Means were lately discovered to reach this interior by way of Graceton by a short and dry route. It was along this way that about one hundred and fifty people of Crookston and neighborhood found their way to claims which they have taken up and are rapidly improving.

One of these settlers, Albert Chilgren, formerly a well known attorney of Crookston who went to this country in ill health is setting a record for the entire north country in the omprovement of his claim. All of the Crookston people are proving far above the usual homesteader in the energy which they are devoting to the development of the country. Crookston people are kept well in touch with their advance thru their continuous letters to their friends and relatives at this point. One of the great aids in finding a market for their work of the winter season has been the placing of enormous railway timber and tie contracts in this territory by Canadian companies.

Work in Harmony

The settlers have banded together aided and expedited work by their common origin and long friendship and built broad roads, founded two schools and erected stores and other places of business connected with the development of a community. They are marketing their timber products thru an agent in Graceton and have made themselves a nucleus about which clusters the activities of the settlers in that vicinity.

The recent meeting of home steaders at Beaudette, engineered by Attorney C. R. Middleton, formerly of Crookston, was gathered mainly thru the efforts of the Crookstonites in their reasonable antagonism to the withdrawal of federal lands, included in the recent drainage bill, from homestead final proof.

Administration Committee

Last Wednesday they selected an administrative committee composed of former Alderman Keating and Messrs. Rauch, Bowen, Anderson and Harris, all formerly of this city. With the building of railways into Warroad on the proposed Greenbush extension the country will gather much new impetus by the directness of communication it will gain with the outside world.

The Mosque of St. Sophia

The mosque of St. Sophia at Constantinople, was built over a thousand years ago, and the mortar was perfumed with musk. The musky odor is still perceptible. The well known food value of golden grain belt beer makes it a favorable beverage for the home table. It has stood the test of time. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED

ARTHUR MORRISEY KILLED TODAY AT McGEHEE, ARK., NO DETAILS

YOUNGEST SON OF MR. AND MRS. J. E. MORRISEY—BORN IN CROOKSTON

From Monday's Daily—

The people of Crookston were shocked today by the receipt at noon by James E. Morrisey of a telegram from F. F. Joseph, dated McGehee, Ark., stating that Arthur Morrisey had been killed there today. No details were given and funeral arrangements will not be completed till further information is received.

Arthur Morrisey is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs Morrisey, and is about 21 years of age. He left Crookston about a year and a half ago and was recently in New Orleans, writing home from there that he was coming north with two companions who lived in Iowa, but expected to work for a time in Arkansas.

He has been doing well in the south and made a specialty of reinforcing concrete walls. They last heard from him thru Ed Morrisey about a week ago.

Arthur was born in Crookston and the news of his death will bring sorrow to the hearts of scores of friends He had intended comnig home for a visit some time this spring.

No details regarding the accident were sent in the message.

ARTHUR MORRISEY FELL FROM BUILDING

James E. Morrisey has received the details regarding the death of his son yesterday at McGehee, Ark., as announced in the Journal yesterday, Arthur was working on a large building and accidentally fell to the ground from the second story, death resulting instantly. The body has been embalmed and will be buried there but will later be brought to this city.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

EUCLID ITEMS

The town board of Helgeland and Brandt propose the construction of a town line road and met last week to confer regarding the proposition.

Mrs. H. C. Chapin of Crookston spent a couple of days here last week visiting with relatives.

After the regular meeting of the Woodmen last week the members of the Royal Neighbors perpetrated a surprise on Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell and brought a fine lunch which was thoroly enjoyed after which cards were played for a few hours. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller of Angus and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Osterloh of the same place.

Mrs. Becker and Miss Kate Armiston of Crookston visited at Euclid last week.

The annual meeting of the Euclid Telephone Co., showed a satisfactory business for last year, during which time over $1200 was paid out for improvements and extensions.

Rudy Tiedeman has returned from the lumber camps where he has spent the winter with his teams.

Alfred Vonderbeck last week removed his personal effects to the Spies farm on section 35 which he has rented for the season.

Mrs. Mark Keeley and Mrs Balfour visited relatives here last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry Stuhr visited friends and relatives here last week and returned to their home at Arggyle.

Mrs. Lemerieux of Red Lake Falls who has been visiting here with relatives left for Warren.

Mrs. Bert Teal is on the sick list.

Dr. and Mrs. Mitchell spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Useldinger.

John Tiedeman who has been visiting here has left for Ada where he will visit his brother, George for a few weeks.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

THE SECOND ENTRY LAW

GENERAL PERMISSION FOR SECOND HOMESTEAD ENTRY EXTENDED PUBLIC

IF LOST, FORFEITED OR ABANDONED HOMESTEAD WITHOUT CONSIDERATION

From Monday's Daily—

The Crookston land office today received from the Department of the Interior at Washington copy of the most sweeping act providing for second homestead entry that has ever been passed by congress.

This act of February 8, 1908 allows a person otherwise qualified to make a second homestead entry where such person has made and lost, forfeited, or abandoned a former homestead entry prior to the passage of said act and such former entry was not canceled for fraud nor abandoned or relinquished for a consideration.

The person appiying to make second homestead entry under this act must file in the local land office an application to enter a specific tract of public land subject to homestead entry, accompanied by his affidavits executed before an officer authorized to administer oaths in homestead cases, stating description of former entry by section, township, and range numbers (or number of entry and name of land office where made); date of entry; when he lost, forfeited, or abandoned the same; that it was not canceled for fraud, and whether he received anything for abandoning his claim or relinquishing the entry. This affidavit must be corroborated by the affidavit of one or more persons having knowledge of the facts relative to the abandonment of his claim or the relinquishmen of the former entry, which corroborated affidavit may be executed before any officer authorized or administer oaths, and having an official seal.

A former act allows a second homestead entry to a person otherwise qualified who, prior to the date of the act, made homestead entry and commuted same under certain provisions but such second entry is not subject to commutation.

The act of May 22, 1902 allows a second homestead entry to a person otherwise qualified who prior to May 17, 1900, made and perfected a homestead entry, paying therefor the price provided under the law opening the land for settlement, but to which land had he not perfected title prior to the date mentioned, he would have been entitled to receive a patent without payment under the "free homes act." Said act does not allow commutation unless proof submitted on land first entered shows five years' residence.

HAS FAITH IN RED RIVER VALLEY

OLD RESIDENT RETURNS AND BUYS ANOTHER FARM NEAR WARREN

Rev. J. P. Schell, says the Warren Sheaf, who sold his farm in Sandsville a year or two ago, and removed with his family to western North Dakota, is again to become a resident of this vicinity. A few days ago he made a deal with The People's Trading Co., whereby he becomes the possessor of the W. H. Porter farm of 320 acres in town of Boxville, Marshall County. The fact that Mr. Schell has been engaged in farming here for 25 years and after having sold out and been away a year is anxious to return and invest again in land near Warren, is about as good an advertisement as this country can want. One of Mr. Schell's sons, Walter, we believe, will be back to run the farm this summer.

Cascasweet is for babies and children,. and is especially good for the ills so common in cold weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

It's very hard for a woman not to be suspicious that the man who passes the plate in church will take out her quarter and put in a nickel.

WANTS CITIZENSHIP AGAIN RESTORED

J. D. Lewis a former well known resident of Grand Forks who had oc- which was violated by his crime, be casion to serve a term of years in the N. Dakota penitentiary as the result of a get-rich-quick forgery scheme, has lately completed his sentence and has applied to the North Dakota board of pardons that his citizenship restored to him by official action. The matter will be given a hearing June second.

SENSATION IN COURT

NOTE HANDED TO JUROR AT BEMIDJI CAUSES A SENSATION

THERE MAY BE FURTHER SENSATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS IN NEAR FUTURE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The jury in the case of the State vs Tollef Peterson and Mike Shea at Bemidji (charged with the crime of grand larceny in the first degree) returned a verdict of guilty, Sunday at 11:10 a. m., after having been out nearly twenty hours.

Considerable of a sensation was caused in the courtroom when Judge Spooner told the jury that he had been informed by one of the members of the jury had been approached improperly.

Asked directly by the judge if he (the judge) had been correctly informed, he was answered in the affirmative by Mr. Phelps, member of the jury, who stated that a man at the Remore hotel, Saturday, just after dinner handed him a note and immediately left the hotel. Mr. Phelps stated that he put the note in his pocket, believing it to be a message from his family; later he had decided to give the note to the court, that being the proper place for it.

The note was handed to Judge Spooner, who ordered it placed in the custody of the clerk of court for safe keeping. The judge then told Mr. Phelps to keep a sharp lookout for the man who gave him the note. Mr. Phelps stated that he could not be positive as to the identity of the man but that he would be on the lookout.

Peterson and Shea were arrested on the direct charge of having stolen a sum of money from a lodger at the Lakeshore hotel, while the latter was rooming at that place.

R. C. Bryant who lodged at the hotel testified that he had been knocked thru the window of his room in the second story of the hotel, to the pavement below being stunned by the fall. The lodger according to his own statement, re-entered the hotel and gave Peterson and his associate Shea, a sound thrashing, they being later arrested and after a hearing, held to the grand jury which body returned an indictment against both men.

BASEBALL IN THE NORTH COUNTRY

"Spooner, Baudette, Northome, Big Falls and Bemidji and many other surrounding towns," says the International Falls Press, "will have a good team each, and a meeting is called for the purpose of determining what kind of a line-up will be necessary for us to have to win the pennant."

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

LEMEN COMES FROM EAST

PIONEER ANGUS FINANCIER BEARS TALE OF JOHNSON FROM EAST

VIRGINIA ACTIVELY AGAINST BRYAN—INDIGESTIBLE SECURITIES ON MARKET

From Tuesday's Daily—

W. Lemen, pioneer wheat buyer and financier of Angus, Minn., bears a tale of Johnson sentiment and interest thruout the east, and at the same time a story of the depression of indigestible securities thruout Maryland West Virginia and Virginia which states he has visited. The eastern banks have been taking securities as collateral for some time and find that they are unable to put them on the market.

The Johnson sentiment and interest is well developed thruout the entire east thru educational influence of the magazines and periodicals of the day. In West Virginia and Maryland there are no active efforts in Johnson's behalf, but the democrats are tired of being on the under side every four years and look elsewhere for relief. In Virginia however the adherents of Senator Daniels, whose dissensions with Bryan have already become public property, are actively fighting the Nebraskan.

Mr. Lemen is the oldest wheat buyer of Angus and neighborhood, coming to this country in 1879 and settling in the north line city. He departed from here last December and has been meanwhile visiting relatives and friends thruout the three states mentioned besides visiting in New York City and Illinois. He stopped off at Staples, Minn., and is inspecting cut over lands near that point belonging to Illinois parties with the intention of purchase.

BEMDJI DRUGGIST WAS INDICTED

HAS BEEN HELD FOR DEATH CAUSED BY A MISTAKE N A PRESCRIPTION

George T. Simpson, assistant attorney general who represented the state has received word from Bemidji that an indictment had been found against Frank A. Mayo a druggist there for permitting a prescription to be put up without a registered pharmacist being present.

Mayo's clerk, Raymond Roberts put up a prescription Sept. 16 for a boy named Carl Ackerberg. It was supposed to contain one-tenth of a grain of strychnine, divided in six powders. The boy took one powder and died in forty minutes of strychnine poisoning It is claimed that each powder contained six-tenths of a grain.

This is the first indictment of the kind ever brought in the state.

STEPHENS TO RUN FACTORY

BUILDING AND LOTS AND MACHINERY GO FOR $10 EACH

SUBJECT TO MORTGAGE—UNMORTGAGED PROPERTY GOES FOR $450

From Monday's Daily—

If the sale of the factory is confirmed the factory will be put in running order and the product will be on the market in a short time.

The sale of the factory and equipments of the American Biscuit Co., took place today with W. A. Marin as auctioneer. About twenty were present in the offices of the defunct biscuit company in Sampson's addition where the sale was made.

There were three bidders on the unmortgaged property while the building and lots and the mortgaged machinery had only one bidder in the mortgagor V. L. McGregor, represented by A. D. Stephens.

The bidders on the other property, consisting of the small staples that go to make up the factory's facilities which was not subject to mortgage was sold for $450 to V. L. McGregor. The price bid for the building was nominal, $10, subject to the mortgage of $3440; the machinery went for the same nominal price, subject to $1410.

There was some dispute over the oven as to whether it is a part of the building, being built into it, or an accessory chattel. It is included both under the building and under the machinery in the bankruptcy lists.

Cakes lie around half spilled in boxes on the upper floor and dust covers everything, it having the appearance of having been abandoned in an undue haste.

RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA

MR. AND MRS. H. C. MISNER SPENT TWO MONTHS AT PASADENA

H. C. Misner returned home Sunday morning from Pasadena, California where he has been visiting with Chas and Harvey Misner, his brothers formerly of this city. Mr. Misner has been gone for two months the most of which he spent in Pasadena with trips to SanDiego and other points. Chas. and Harvey Misner have been engaged in business at Pasadena for some time and are doing excellently.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. For sale by all druggists.

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Historical Society

FARMERS ARE ALL PREPARED FOR WORK AND SOME NOW SEEDING

FEW MORE DAYS OF WARM WORK AND ALL WILL BE BUSY

From Tuesday's Daily—

While the weather was not so warm today as it might have been, still the breeze dried off the fields nicely, and quite a number of farmers are dragging on the sandy fields, and a few are seeding. If the weather continues favorable for a few days more work will be general on all the fields and work will be concluded earlier than for a number of years past.

Brevik Seeding

H. J. Brevik of Rome will commence seeding tomorrow. He has one of the high class farms of his vicinity, and goes in for mixed farming.

Looking After Farm

Deputy Revenue Collector Guy Aubol left this morning for his farm near Warren, one of the best in that section, where he will look after preparations for seeding. He has always seeded Scotch Fife wheat but this year will seed blue stem, which he bought last fall. He raised a fine barley crop last year which he sold at top prices early in the season, and his land is in great shape for wheat this year, the portion not cropped last year having been summer fallowed.

Start Work Today

Spring work on the big A. S. McCanna farm, located near McCanna this county, will be commenced about tomorrow. The ground is now in shape for seeding, and it is expected that the force of men will be started Tuesday in the work of sowing. The same condition prevails in several sections of the county, and by the end of the week, spring work will no doubt be general in all parts of it.—Grand Forks Times.

WILL THE SOO BUY GREAT WESTERN?

AGAIN THE USUALLY WISE ONES HAVE IT THAT THERE'LL BE A DEAL

The story that the Soo road will acquire the Chicago Great Western was heard again today in the local financial gossip. Its revival was probably due to an advance to 114 3-4 for Soo common on the New York Stock Exchange.

Last October when the financial disturbance was affecting stock values Soo sold down around 60. Its recovery thereafter was steady. Very recently, on the day the directors met here and increased the dividend rate from 4 to 6 per cent, the stock ranged between 97 3-4 and 105. Last Saturday's range was up to 114 and today the advance was still on.

When A. B. Stickney met the committee of English stockholders in London and the conference broke up which resulted in the appointment of a receiver for the appointment of a receiver for the Chicago Great Western the report followed that English investors in Great Western who were also holders of Canadian Pacific securities and necessarily closely informed as to Soo affairs, because of the ownership of the control of Soo sommon by the Canadian Pacific, would work for the acquisition of Great Western by the Soo, nothing official ever was forthcoming either from the general offices here or from Montreal.

The persistence of the rumor is regarded as significant. Many Canadians and New York financiers look upon such a deal as quite likely to come about.

HOMESTEAD GOES TO SON

Andrew Amundsen proved up on land near Lillo postoffice this morning at the United States land office here. The homestead was filed on by his father June 27, 1901 and his father died June 2 1904 followed by his mother Dec. 1st 1907. Under the law upon the death of an entryman, the widow, if any, may make proof; if no widow, the surviving son may make proof,

YOUNG TOM CAUGHT TRAIN

A GREAT RUSH FOR BEMIDJI TRAIN THIS MORNING BUT WAS LEFT

BEMIDJI TRAIN HELD AT CARMAN AND WENT OVER ON SPECIAL ENGINE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Tom Shevlin Jr., furnished amusement at the Great Northern train this morning to a large number of people. He came up from St. Paul this morning on the Great Northern flyer and was headed for Bemidji. In some manner he forgot that the train for Bemidji left at 8:30 instead of 9:05 as formerly, and about the time the train was steaming out, Shevlin Jr., was steaming down Second Street.

By actual count Tom made the run from the Hotel Crokston to the depot in 31 seconds but as he dashed across the depot platform the train dashed across the Robert street crossing.

Shevlin Jr., talked to himself between puffs. Then he talked to the ticket clerk. Then he talked to Agent Bell. He next paced the ticket office like a caged lion.

Chapter 2. Shevlin Jr., said he had to go to Bemidji. No mistake about it.

Chapter 3. Commodore Withey had the engine detached from the Greenbush train and Shevlin Jr., jumping aboard was hurried to South Crookston where the train for Bemidji was held till his arrival.

Chapter 4. Shevlin Jr., arrived at Bemidji safely and gave no interview to the Pioneer as to his early morning experiences.

THE CUTTING OF STATE TIMBER

IS THE CHARGE AGAINST FOURTEEN FARMERS UNDER ARREST

Fourteen farmers were taken before Justice R. H. Medicraft yesterday at Roseau charged upon complaint of E. C. Cooke special agent for the state, with having wrongfully cut and removed from 17,20 and 21, town 162, range 38, which are state lands tamarac, spruce and balsam logs. In each case the examination was continued. The charge is one to be considered by the grand jury in case the defendants are bound over by the justice after examination. If indictments are returned by that body, trial will be had in the district court.

ESTABLISHED DITCH NO. 72

OPPOSITION EFFECTS NOTHING—BUT MAY GET WIDENED OUTLET

Opposition to ditch 72 was mowed down yesterday afternoon and that construction was established and bids will be advertised for immediately. The final hearing was the most exciting since the No. 5 controversy at Erskine two years ago. Ditch 12 one of the outlets of proposed 72 may be widened as a result of a probable move by the opposition to 72. Those voting for the establishment were Rindal, Eklund and Thorson; those against Ben Clements; not voting Driscoll.

Want Ditch in Hammond

G. H. Emmick and Emil Skrivseth, farmers of Hammond town were before the county commissioners today with a petition for a ditch thru Russia and Hammond town. The proposed ditch begins at the Northeast corner of section 17 in Russia running due west on the section line ending at and emptying into ditch 28 at the northwest corner of section 13 town of Hammond. The first hearing was set for May 14th next.

SEEDING OUTLOOK BRIGHT.

Western Canada Reports Show Work Will Start in Ten Days.

Winnipeg, Man., April 7.—Reports of seeding prospects from all over Western Canada, recently received, indicate an outlook unusually bright. Spring work will start in ten days. Winter wheat in Alberta is well advanced and is showing up green in several localities.

About the time a man gets on to the hang of the furnace Fourth of July heaves in sight.

WAS WORTH THE PRICE

ANDERSON, PLUMMERITE OF MATRIMONIAL AGENCY FAME, PHILOSOPHIZES

LATE EXPERIENCE WORTH $100 PAID FOR IT—LONG HISTORY

From Tuesday's Daily—

John A. B. Anderson of Plummer, Minnesota, better known on account of his recent grievous flurry into matrimonial life, is in Crookston today to prove up on his claim near that city.

Mr. Anderson appeared before the clerk in the land office for the purpose of deposing as to his residence and other matters connected with his life on his claim as required by government. When asked, if he was a married man, he said:

"Well, that is—why, yes, I guess I was—some."

"Are you married?" repeated Clerk Pat Fearon excitedly (who is).

"That is not my latest impression," bubbled over John who was getting a good deal of fun out of it himself, "but I am I guess."

"Oh, I see," said Clerk Fearon in a low, soft sympathetic voice as if he had discovered some sad, morose history that had come in and shattered John's life. And he had.

A Milwaukee Belle

For John Anderson last fall went into the matrimonial ring and went down on the mat on the eve of his very wedding day. He wrote a Milwaukee lady or she wrote him—John forgets just which now in the maze—and she went to Plummer and they met and loved at the depot platform among the milk cans of the Plummer co-operative creamery. All was milk and honey. The preacher did the "love thee onue another" stunt and kissed the bride.

Then commenced the fireworks. As a result the lady departed that evening and John who had hiked a few miles that morn himself went back to commune with the moose, porcupine and wild geese in the woods. So there was a skeleton in John's closet. Action is pending for divorce now.

"It was worth the price to be schooled," said John this morning, "I paid a hundred dollars, but I don't want it back."

—and Skeletons

It appears that the lady who appeared before John as Miss Jessie Sperry was known in Milwaukee as Mrs. Berry and was the wife of a Chicago railway man of another name. "So there was some skeleton in her closet too", says John emphatically.

John A. Anderson is a mighty nice fellow, well educated and pleasant, a little brief in stature, but full of cussedness yet, just in prime marriageable condition right now, but with a good deal of that "schooling" that you get in a flurry in high life and appreciative of it.

"It was worth the price, remember" quoth John good naturedly as Clerk Fearon tried to get him onto other subjects.

BUYS FINE FARM IN FANNY TOWNSHIP

NORTH HALF SECTION 22 GOES TO PARSONS OF WESTBROOK

F W. Parsons of Westbrook, Cottonwood County, Minnesota, late last night completed papers conveying to him the north half of section 22 in Fanny township about ten miles west of Shirley The farm was sold by Herman Mechler thru the Purvis Land Co., of Crookston. Mr. Parsons will farm the land this year. The consideration was $12,800

Vacations

The time to take a vacation is before one is exhausted. If one is discontented during his vacation, he should take it, none the less, as a matter of duty, not expecting to enjoy every moment but contenting himself with the anticipation of greater pleasure in the resumption of his duties. In the meantime we suggest the daily use of a good malt tonic, such as golden grain belt beer. Taken at mealtime it will nourish your nerves, enrich your blood and invigorate your muscles Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

TILT WITH DITCH MEN

COMMISSIONERS HOLD SESSION IN CROOKSTON AFTER THE GLOAMING

D. A. STUART OF WINDOM HOLDS FORT OF EUCLID DITCH CONTRACTORS

From Tuesday's Daily—

After one of the most exciting sessions of the year at their offices in the county building on the hill, the commissioners of Polk county held a late night session in the lobbies of Hotel Crookston yesterday.

It was a pow wow of peace or battle with Commissioner Clements brandishing the tomahawk and blithesome Commissioners Rindal and Eklund smoking the pleasant pipe of peace. Before them sat Treasurer D. A. Stuart of the Standard Drainage Co., of Windom, Minn., one of the largest dredge companies in the northwest and doing more business in Crookston neighborhood than any other concern. Diplomatic and subtle the treasurer suavely parried with short sword the thrusts of Clements or clinched with him and sought for throttle hold.

A Little History

In the spring of 1907 the Standard Drainage Company, as only bidder, took the Euclid ditch 66 about six miles west of that city, at 16½ cents a yard. They brought from southern counties a floating dredge which they placed on the work, but on account of lack of water they accomplished nothing. This dredge they sold to Bondsman Austin and it is now on judicial No. 4 in the east county. The next and immediately following move was to place a straddle or dry digger on the work. As however these machines require some water to float the hull and none was found, this too proved a failure. The machine was taken off and nothing more done that year. The contract expiration time of completion of ditch was last fall.

Threaten to Re-sell

The county commissioners as led by Commissioner Clements maintain the company has wasted time in working on ditch, the ditch should be resold and the company on the Euclid ditch should be disciplined as an example to other contractors on Polk County work what happens to the man who does not finish his contract on time.

The Company's Stand

D. A. Stuart maintains that no time has been wasted, that the company was advised by the engineer of the ditch and surrounding farmers along the proposed ditch line that water had been for years in the coulee down which the ditch proceeds, up to the armpits, that they had acted on that advice as the only reliable information on which to conduct their business and that on that account they had brought floating dredges from the south, that these machines proved ineffective on account of weather conditions and acts of nature over which they had no control, that they were making every effort this year to complete the ditch with teams and that the contract given them by the county provided in their behalf that they would not be responsible for conditions of nature that arose and prevented them in their work The dredge company has already spent $2000 on the job. They were hindered completing the ditch last year by the interference into their business of an owner of a few acres along the ditch line.

Suggest Hold Up

Commissioner Clements believed the ditch could be sold for less money than the company were doing it for, notwithstanding there was only one bidder that was not afraid of the job when it was let first. However the commissioners decided that they would not hold up the ditch company at this time and the matter rests now in the hands of County Auditor Hoffard whose plans are those of conservative leniency as long as the company shows good faith.

A Hard Proposition

The Euclid ditch job is known as one of the hardest ever let in this county. The thick and gumbo nature of the soil with the fluctuating stages of water has been a matter of fear to all contrctors. For this reason it is desired to finish the ditch as soon as possible

The average man would soon acquire a lot of money if he could sell his get-rich-quick schemes at 10 cents each.

The more livings a man can earn the more he has too for otherrs.

GEORGE GERGIN A SUICIDE

HIS REMAINS WERE FOUND YESTERDAY ON THE M. & I. TRACKS

THE REMAINS WILL BE BURIED BY THE COUNTY OF BELTRAMI

From Wednesday's Daily—

The remains of George Gergin were found yesterday noon on an old skidway near the M. & I. track, one-half mile south of Funkley.

From papers and a note found on his person, it is determined that it was a clear case of suicide.

Gergin was last seen in Funkley on the 28th of March. He was a lumberjack and had but a few acquaintances in this vicinity and his not being seen after that did not cause any alarm whatever as it was supposed that he had gone to some other part of the country.

Deputy Coroner J. P. Lahr went to Funkley last evening and returned this morning with the remains.

The body of Gergin will probably be buried at the poor farm some time tomorrow.

From the note which was found on the person it seems that Gergin has been playing in hard luck for the past month, being unable to find work, for in his note he asks that the authorities bury him without looking up his relatives or permitting anyone to know where he is. He states that he is acquainted with B. Thompson and Louis Jones of Tenstrike.

LIGHT SPRING FLOODS ARE INCONVENIENT

PROF. ROBERTSON SAYS COUNTY NOT KEEPING PACE WITH THE STATE

Professor Robertson of the State Experimental farm north of Crookston appeared before the county commissioners this morning stating that several small bridges over lateral ditches had been destroyed on account of the flow of water the last two or three days. Ditch No. 60 (known as the Experimental farm ditch) has not been completed and ditches constructed by the state to drain its lands are the concentrating point of water from miles around and unable, of course, to handle it.

J. C. Sabin came down from the north line yesterday and speaks of the flow of water over the fields north, chiefly on account of the blocking of the lower streams by ice. With the warm weather the flooded condition will disappear. In few instances is it of sufficient consequence to cause any local apprehension.

WANT ROADS IN NORTH COUNTRY

BEAUDETTE HOMESTEADER WHO WILL REMAIN ON CLAIM REMARKS

Edward Thompson, a homesteader about six miles southwest of Beaudette in northern Beltrami county is proving up on his claim today and will return to continue his home on his quarter of section. He states that the improvements needed most in that country which were much agitated by a protest meeting at Beaudette last month against certain provisions of the drainage bill, are roads. The belief prevails in that section of the country that road construction as the primary object will do more good to the country than any other effort. The roads will leave a ditch on each side and that will give all the drainage necessary at present. Mr. Thompson believes however there are some places where big systems will do much to drain swamps.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

DEFENSE IN FAWCETT CASE

JENNIE DUNNING OFFICE GIRL, IS WITNESS IN BEHALF OF HER EMPLOYER

GRAND FORKS SENSATIONAL TRIAL IS NEARING A CLOSE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Judge C. F. Templeton at Grand Forks yesterday overruled a motion of the defense that the court direct the acquittal of Dr. John W. Fawcett who is being tried for performing an illegal operation. This motion was based on the claim of Attorney F. B. Feetham that the state had not made out a case.

When the motion was overruled Attorney Feetham outlined his defense and called Pearl Schaefer as the first witness. She has been a roommate of Miss Jennie Dunning, employed as doctor's assistant in the office of Dr. Fawcett. They occupied a room adjoining the office of Dr. Fawcett, over the Stanchfield clothing store. Miss Schaefer claimed to have heard a conversation which went to show that Dr. Fawcett was not guilty of the charge filed against him.

Testifies for Doctor

Miss Dunning who is regarded as the most important witness for the defense, testified that Lillie Schmochel was not operated on by Dr. Fawcett as he had, in the presence of Miss Dunning, warned the girl against such an operation. This advice was given on the occasion of the first visit of Miss Schmochel. On the occasion of the second visit Miss Schmochel was very ill and she was sent to Swanson's hospital, East Grand Forks.

Yesterday forenoon the state called a Mr. and Mrs. Brown to prove that Dr. Fawcett had performed such an operation on another occasion. Coronel Rounsevell testified as to the facts in the Schmoechel inquest and Sheriff Hanson gave evidence relating to the impossibility of getting service on Dr. McManus wanted as a witness by the state.

INVESTIGATE DEATH AGAIN

OFFICIALS NOT SATISFIED WITH FIRST REPORT OF STEENERSON TRAGEDY

Officials of the steamboat inspection service have directed a second investigation into the death of Benjamin G. Steenerson, son of Congressman Steenerson, who was drowned at Newport, R. I., about a month ago. This is an independent investigation, instituted under steamboat inspection laws and is for the purpose of determining whether the master and pilot of the tug on which Steenerson was a passenger, managed their vessel properly after Steenerson fell into the water. The first investigation was not conclusive as the evidence developed was not such as officials thought ought to have been brought out.

A request was therefore made on the navy department for transcript of the record of the investigation made by ocers at Newport station of the marine corps, with a view of examining witnesses who appeared at that examination. The captain of the tug has appealed to Congressman Steenerson to intercede with the authorities here, but the congresman refused If found negligent in the management of his vessel the master of the tug may lose his license.

TELEPHONE CO. HOLDS MEETING

POLK COUNTY CONCERN IS OUT OF DEBT AND PAYS DIVIDEND

The annual meeting of the Polk County Telephone Co., was held in this city yesterday and the following officers were elected:

President—Nelson Miller, Crookston

Secretary—Lorenzo Miller, Hammond.

Treasurer—John Perry, Andover.

Manager—G. W. Hooper.

The company is now in excellent condition, having 55 miles of poles valued at $3500. The company has a capital stock of $2500 all paid in and there are no debts against the concern.

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POLK COUNTY TOWNSHIP ELECTION RETURNS

VILLAGES AND TOWNSHIPS ELECTED OFFICERS THRUOUT THE STATE MARCH 10—GENERALLLY QUIET BUT TILTS OCCURRED IN SOME LOCALITIES—THE LICENSE QUESTION WAS VOTED ON IN MANY PLACES—RESULTS GIVEN IN ACCESSABLE TOWNS AND VILLAGES

March 10 was election day in all townships and villages in the state of Minnesota, and as usual it was the big day of the year in many places. In this section the elections were very quiet, tho here and there occurred the customary lively fights for some office or over some issue. Below follows the election results as complete as could be secured the first day after election:

VILLAGES

ADA

Mayor—C. J. Lofgren.
Aldermen—J. E. Volland, E. C. Betcher, Jason Weatherhead, Allan Harvey.
Treas.—Hans Holder.
Justices—Louis Hintze, A. O. Roaff
Constables—Geo. Helland, Oscar Hennerud.

ARGYLE

Pres.—T. K. Onstad.
Trustees—C. J. Robertson, Fred Keye, Frank Barsaloux.
Treas.—H. Hedquist.
Clerk—E. A. Brekke.
Assessor—A. J. Marsh.
Justices—R. G. Marlette, S. S. Daniels.
Constable—Otto Stoltz.

MENTOR

Pres.—Jos. Tagley.
Trustees—Halvor Torkelson, Louis Larson, Wm. Talliday.
Recorder—F. E. LePage.

Erskine

Pres.—G. Odegaard.
Treas.—Theo. Nelson.
Assessor—T. Nelson.
Justice—G. K. Espeseth.
Constables—N. N. Swanson, N. Melquist.
Tav levy $600.

McIntosh

Pres.—Chas. L. Congers.
Council—E. A. Webster, Ed. Johnson, I. K. Halvorson.
Clerk—H. Helgeson.
Treas.—Alfred Hoel.
Assessor—Ed Stowe.
Constable—Edwin Stovern.

Some of the charity that begins at home makes a hasty getaway.

Treas.—M. O. Madson.
Assessor—J. L. Sletten.
Constables—Albert Gundeson and C. N. Barnes.
No justices of the peace were elected.

FERTILE

Pres.—Jas. F. Hanson.
Clerk—A. Gullickson.
Treas.—Ed Mossefin.
Assessor—F. J. Cunningham.
Justice—Gust Groberg.
License—54 for; 74 against.

CLIMAX

Pres.—Hans Samuelson.
Clerk Emile Erickson.
Treas.—J. A. Fossum.
Assessor—John Dahl.
PJustice J. P. Soes.
Constables—Gust Gilbertson, W. B. Mellang.
Trustees—Ole Braseth, Aug. Lindblad, A. J. Smeby.

Fosston

President—J. E. Campbell.
Trustees—John Hillestad, H. K. Lee O. R. Vaaler.
Recorder—O. A. Brager.
Treasurer—Jos. Lenes.
Assessor—H. C. Sampson.
Justices—K. Movold, John Vig.
Constable—Harry Johnston.

Lengby

President—A. J. Olson.
Trustees—P. A. Sederberg, Geo. Welte, O. K. Ringstad.
Recorder—C. G. Christiansen.
Treasurer—E. J. Olson.
Assessor—A. J. Bye.
Justices—C. G. Christiansen, E. J. Olson.
Constables—Alfred Stav, C. H. Kampstad.

VOTE ON LICENSE

For License

Village	Majority
Ada	37
Climax	16
Fosston	12
Hallock	68
Halstad	5
Lancaster	14
McIntosh	2
Mentor	7
Stephen	31
St. Hilaire	32
Ulen	8
Roseau	
Greenbush	3
Bagley	
Lengby	
Karlstad	13
Winnipeg Junction	

Against License

Village	Majority
Beltrami	15
Donaldson	1
Erskine	19
Fertile	20
Kennedy	20
Shelly	4
Twin Valley	4

TOWN SHIPS

CROOKSTON

Supervisor—B. H. Cochrane.
Clerk — A. J. Kelly.
Treasurer—J. M. Stephens.
Assessor—J. Winters.
Justices of the Peace—A. Anderson J. Dupris.
Constables—E. F. Kelly, Adolph Heydt.

Fairfax

Supervisor—Charley Nelson.
Clerk—John Amundson.
Treasurer—John Sylvesterson.
Assessor—Ole E. Rude.
Justice—James Hedley.
Constable—A. S. Millard.
Taax levy $200.
Road Tax levy $500.

WINGER

Supervisor—Peter Krogstad.
Clerk—H. S. Aasen.
Assessor—Herman E. Wold.
Treas.—Tom J. Haugen.
Justices—John Jenson, Andrew J. Haugen.
Constable—Tideman Wold.

Columbia

Supervisor—C. A. Carlson.
Clerk—F. M. Hartley.
Treas.—Alfred Beckstrom.
Assessor—John A. Carlson.
Constable—Carl Bakken.
Tax levy $1,225.
Road tax levy $500.

Esther

Supervisor—Ludvig Larson.
Clerk—Wm Pape.
Treas.—S. E. Erickson.
Assessor—Hans Swansen.
Justice—James Monson.
No tax levy for last 3 years.

RUSSIA

Supervisor—Ole Olesen, Jr.
Clerk—Oren Simmons.
Treas.—Arthur Hasty.
Assessor—B. O. Linberg.
Justices—B. Hinton, B. O. Linberg.
Constable—Arthur Hasty.
Tax levy town fund $200.
Road tax levy, $300.

Keystone

Supervisor—Geo. Rutherford.
Clerk—R. A. Gunness.
Assessor—D. D. Geddes.
Treas.—Wm. Gunness.
Justice—D. D. Geddes.
Tax levy $175.
Road tax levy $550.

ANGUS

Supervisor—Herman Osterloh.
Clerk—J. W. Campion.
Treasurer—D. H. Miller.
Assessor—J. A. Stroble.
Constable—D. Snelling.
Amount of tax levy—7 mills tax.

Fisher
(Village)

President—R. T. Webster.
Clerk—C. U. Webster.
Treas.—W. D. Hamilton.
Justice—N. F. Kile.
Constable—Geo. O'Brien.

Brandsvold

Chairman—Hans L. Leet.
Supervisors—Gust Berg, E. Pederson.
Clerk—K. E. Flaskerud.
Assessor—Christ Thoreson.
Treas.—Michael Ekern.
Justices—Herman Berg, John Utick
Constable—P. O. Sjol.

Brandt

Supervisor—Philip Wieland.
Clerk—Paul Useldinger.
Assessor—Oscar Hauglid.
Treas.—Oscar Hauglid.

Queen

Supervisor—Christian Kvernen.
Clerk—H. M. Dalholen.
Treasurer—Jacob Bjontegaard.
Assessor—H. M. Dalholen.
Constable—Albert Erickson.

Hammond

Supervisor—E. I. Ulseth.
Clerk—J. H. Emmeck.
Assessor—H. A. Tofsley.
Justice—James Dewar.
Constable—W. Arnold.
Treas.—Chas. Lariviere.
Tax levy $500; poor fund $50.
Road tax levy $75.

Fisher

Supervisor—Julius Wazner.
Clerk—R. T. Webster.
Treasurer—Louis Larson.
Assessor—R. T. Webster.
Justice—A. O. Stortroen.
Constable—Geo. O'Brien.

Higdem

Supervisor—I. Finseth.
Clerk—A. N. Anderson.
Treasurer—Enick Nelson.
Assessor—Sam Dalen.
Constable—Martin C. Anderson.
Tax levy $850.

Parnell

Supervisor—E. C. Harve.
Clerk—Martin Casey.
Treasurer—Michael Casey
Assessor—John Isley
Justice—Jacob Ershinger.
Tax levy $200
Road tax levy $300.

Gentilly

Supervisor—Pat Kelly.
Clerk—H. T. Gendron.
Treas.—Pierre Brule.
Assessor—Joel J. Sauve.
Constable—Arthur Leblanc.
Tav levy $500.
Road tax $500.

Knute

Supervisor—Ole H. Dorr.
Clerk—J. O. Mestad.
Assessor—John Mahlen.
Justices—John Clementson, Thos. Torgerson.
Constable—Joe Dusell
Tax levy $200.
Road tax levy $200.

Huntsville

Supervisor—Ludfer Monda.
Clerk—D. B. Ferguson.
Treas.—F. D. Stuart.
Assessor—Chas. L. Ryan.
Justice—James Cumming.
Constables—C. L. Coulter, Marian Boushey.
Tax levy $700.

Sandsville

Supervisor—Henry H. Oberg.:
Clerk—Henry Nelson.
Treasurer—Henry Hendriksen.
Assessor—Andrew Paulson.
Justices—H. A. Niquist, Paul Henriksen.
Constables—P. Dalberg, H. Niquist.
Tax levy $200.

Nesbit

Supervisor—Edward Will.
Clerk—James Gilmour.
Treasurer—John A. Bryson.
Assessor—James Gilmour.
Justice—E. S. Brown.
Constables—William Wagoner, Joseph Gordon.
Tax levy $100.
Road tax levy 6 mills.

Beltrami

Pres.—N. S. Byington.
Clerk—Iver Johnson.
Treasurer—T. O. Hofdahl.
Assessor—J. W. Heath.
Justices—C. C. Heath W. J. Bond.
Constables—H. O. Budd, A. L. Gunderson.
Roadmaster—William Street.
Tax levy $550.

Lowell

Supervisor—Fred Liebert.
Clerk—Julius Wentzel.
Treas.—J. K. Quamme.
Assessor—Jac. Wiedenhofer.
Justice—C. Hardrath.
Constable—Ferd Ross.
Tax levy $1000.

Sletten

Supervisor—Charley F. A. Boldt.
Clerk—Dreng Grundysen.
Treasurer—Nels H. Lofthus.
Assessor—Dreng Grundysen.
Justices—H. T. Torgersen, N. Trulson.
Tax levy $200.
Road tax $200.

Woodside

Supervisor—H. A. Erickson.
Clerk—H. G. Mitchell.
Treas.—H. G. Sandli.
Assessor—Marius Christianson.
Justices—Emil Johnson H. A. Erickson.
Constables—Seth Jones, Knute Omang.
Amount of tax levy $450.

Liberty

Supervisor—G. W. Barth.
Clerk—Gilbert Overland.
Treasurer—Andrew Holen.
Assessor—Hans Holmvih.
Justice R. R. Scott.
Constable—Ed Hamre.
Tax levy $200.
Road tax levy $1000.

Eden

Supervisor—Paul B. Okstad.
Clerk—John P. Sather.
Assessor—Herman Johnson.
Treas.—Victor E. Thorson.
Justices—Benne Krogstad, Benne O. Larson.
Constables—Andrew O. Bakke, Joseph Piechette.

Hill River

Supervisor—H. L. Hanson, John Enarson.
Clerk—Fred Syverson.
Assessor—T. Torkelson.
Treas.—A. W. Tongerson.
Justices — Andrew Hanson Chas. Thomas.
Constable—W. Schmunk.

Helgeland

Supervisor—A. L. Engen.
Clerk—Christian Andreason.
Treasurer—Elling Olson.
Assessor—Christian Andreason.
Justice—Ole Morud.
Constable—John Walso.
Road tax levy 5 mills.

Grove Park

Supervisor—E. B. Knudson
Clerk—Louis W. Borchert.
Treasurer—Milton Clark
Assessor—Louis W. Borchert.
Justices—Gilbert Hanson, Louis W. Borchert.
Constable—Geo. Bunzey.
Tax levy $1050.
Road Tax levy $400.

King

Supervisor—T. H. Aakhus, 3 yrs.
Clerk—Chas. McCarty.
Treas.—Osov Froirak.
Assessor—Gulik S. Moen.
Justice—John Halvorson. Berg.
Constables — Peder Husby, T. M.
Tax levy $1000.
Road tax levy 4 mills.

EUCLID

Supervisor—Peter Rutherford.
Assessor—R. H. Balfour.
Justice—R. H. Balfour.
Treas.—Peter Stuhr.
Clerk—J. S. Chapin.
Constable—F. C. Acker.

Bygland

Supervisor—J. M. Grashoug
Clerk—S. K. Flaat.
Treas.—Geo. Olson.
Assessor—Anthon Lindeen.
Justices—S. K. Flaat Alfred Salstad.
Constables—Ole A. Moe, Aanon S. Langhie.
Tax levy $350.
Road tax levy $700.

Sullivan

Supervisors—Michael Driscoll, Oscar Ulve.
Clerk—F. N. Kolars.
Treasurer—J. F. Sullivan.
Justices—F. W. Kolars, Andrew Roton.
Constable—Thos. Omeland.
Road Inspector—Andrew Roton.

Grand Forks

Supervisor—Ole Fuff.
Clerk—Robt. Anderson.
Treasurer—B. J. Hagen.
Assessor—Thomas McCoy.
Tax levy $200.
Road tax levy 5 mills.

Badger

Supervisor—Henry Ronne.
Clerk—E. O. Melsness.
Treasurer—A. J. Haugen.
Assessor—Ole N. Sather.
Justice—Knute Dovery.
Tax levy $500.

ROOME

Supervisor—Ole Knudson.
Clerk—H. C. Larum.
Assessor—H. Brevig.
Treas.—H. Palm.
Constable—Emil Marwin.

Belgium

Supervisor—John Stroot.
Clerk—H. Cowan.
Treas.—Frank Stroot.
Assessor—J. P. Gorgeom.
Justice—John Stroot, Jr.

Godfrey

Supervisor—Ole S. Vallesater.
Clerk—And. Christianson.
Treas.—P. C. Moe.
Assessor—K. Tedmanson.
Justice—N. Z. Horton.
Constable—John Nephew.
Tax levy $250.
Road tax levy $300.

Andover

Supervisor—F. M. Slyter.
Clerk—John Rohoer.
Assessor—A. W. Anderson.
Justice—Fred Welters Davis.
Constables—Peter Hordte, Anderson
Tax levy $600.

Rhinehart

Chairman—John Swenson.
Supervisor—Peter Bach.
Supervisor—Wm. Umphry.
Clerk—Oscar Wick.
Assessor—Magnus Gundenson.
Treas.—Ludvig Olson.
Justices—Oscar Wick Geo. Moor.
Constables—Fred Wickley, Chas. chroeder.

Johnson

Chairman—Aufind Ness.
Supervisors—H. P. Lind, Nels Engelstad.
Clerk—Chris Steele.
Assessor—G. O. Frostly.
Treas.—Edwd. J. Wanke.
Justices—G. O. Frostly, Jacob Brovald.
Constables—Ole Hanson, Ole Haugen.

Brislet

Supervisor—Gustaff Peterson.
Clerk—Geo. Anderson.
Treasurer— J. B. Nelson.
Assessor—Geo. Anderson.
Justice Ed. Springmire.
Constable—John Edgar.
Tax levy—$200.

Chester

Chairman—Olaf Thomas.
Supervisors — Ola Sanden, Nels Groun.
Clerk—O. J. Matson.
Assessor—A. O. Brendhaug.
Treasurer—Anton K. Tiegen.
Justices—Theo. Walseth, K. K. Moen.
Constables—A. Nelson, Albert Anderson.

Rosebud

Supervisor—Carl C. Hagen.
Clerk—John E. Juvrud.
Treas.—C. F. Hasselton.
Assessor—M. E. Juvrud.
Justices—J. K. Melland, Ole A. Synstegaard.
Constable—A. Bakken, O. H. Sanbeck.
Tax levy $700.

Fanny

Supervisors—Jens Rasmussen, one year; R. Volken, three years.
Clerk—G. H. Barnes.
Treasurer—John Ekblan
Assessor—I. B. Retzner.
Justice—John Neilson.
Roadmaster—I. Radi.
Tax levy $200.
Road tax levy $500.

Tabor

Supervisor—Frank Wavra.
Clerk—James Wavra.
Treasurer—Joseph Stangl.
Assessor—Joseph Vavrina.
Justice—Matt Novak.
Constable—Arthur Kluzak.
Tax levy $900.

Onstad

Supervisor—A. J. Applequist.
Clerk—Albert Berg.
Treasurer—H. L. Storing.
Assessor—Albert Hammer.
Justice—G. H. Floan.
Constable—Halvor Hovland.

Kertsonville

Supervisor—Iver Erickson.
Clerk—Fred LeBlanc.
Treasurer—Omer Sauve.
Assessor—Omer Sauve.
Justice—Pierre Laschell.
Constable—George Plant.
Roadmaster—Dominique LeBlanc.
Tax levy—$450.
Road tax levy—$200.

Hubbard

Chairman—B. J. Kolstad.
Clerk—E. H. Hawland.
Treasurer—L. S. Kolden.
Assessor—P. J. Paulsrud.
Justices—Geo. C. Anderson, Thos. Thompson.
Constable—John Hestad, Peder J. Skalet.
Roadmasters—Frank Hanson, O. Benson, Henry Thompson, Halvor Ellingson.
Tax levy—$750.

Tynsid

Supervisor—Halvor H. Simos.
Treasurer—Martin Ericksen.
Assessor—Ole H. Koppang.
Roadmaster—Martin Ericksen.
Tax levy—$250.
Road tax levy—$408.

Garden

Supervisors—Hans Johnson, T. G. Hogenson.
Clerk—Oliver Olson.
Treasurer—M. G. Peterson.
Assessor—P. O. Sjorbund.
Justices—Andrew Peterson, Ed. Holm.
Constables—Gunder Haagen, Ole Fingstad.
Road tax levy—$800.
Hall fund—$150.
Poor fund—$150.

Lessor

Supervisor—F. O. Johnson.
Clerk—Chr. Matteson.
Treasurer—John O. Brokke.
Assessor—Iver Bilden.
Justices — Tom Segberg, John N. Sanden.
Constable—Lars Engesetter.

Northland

Chairman—T. E. Paulson.
Supervisors—John Gust, O. C. Erickson.
Clerk—Arne A. Bratvold.
Assessor—Arne A. Bratvold.
Treasurer—Jno. E. Dahl.
Justice—Chas. J. Johnson.
Constable—John J. Hink.
Road Inspector—Chas. J. Johnson.

Reis

Chairman—D. M. Hanson.
Supervisors—J. A. Johnson, E. B. Anderson.
Clerk—O. G. Gast.
Assessor—G. W. Snyder.
Treasurer—O. N. Olslund.
Justices—Jacob Nelson, Wm. Will.
Constables—Martin Johnson, C. U. Webster.

Farley

Chairman—Sam A. Larson.
Supervisors—Andrew Ferencik, Jacob Nelson.
Clerk—N. C. Johnson.
Assessor—Jos. Travnicek.
Treasurer—John Mizisin.
Justices—Jems Clausen, John Sluser.
Constables — Fred Gehres, Dick Porter.

Garden

Supervisor—E. P. Roragen.
Clerk—L. G. Rangen.
Assessor—John J. Fosse.
Treasurer—Knute A. Bolstad.
Justice—Oscar L. Bolstad.
Constable—B. J. Rongen.

Scandia

Chairman—Theo. Stromstad.
Supervisors—Tom Sandeen, Eliff Tollefson.
Clerk—Gust Christianson.
Assessor—Gitle Stromstad.
Treasurer—John Stromstad.
Tax levy—$150.

Gully

Supervisor—Iver N. Strand.
Clerk—Hans H. Melbo.
Treasurer—Richard Ohm.
Assessor—John Orvold.
Justices—Richard Ohm and Adam Maslonko,
Constable—Oscar Miller.
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WROTE TO HIS GIRL

JOHN REED COULD NOT RESTRAIN AMATORY TENDENCIES

WRITES FROM HIS HOME AT EDGERTON, WISCONSIN, YESTERDAY

From Thursday's Daily—

John Reed, wanted in this city for departing coincidently with the disappearance of the valuable snare drum belonging to the Crookston band could not keep back his feelings for Miss Josie Stark a waitress in the Palace hotel, from Red Lake Falls and was yesterday night located by the police as a result.

A letter was received from Edgerton, Wisconsin where Reed claimed his home to be and the police began rapidly to cover the trail, locating the missing gentleman this afternoon at that place. He will be held awaiting action of authorities.

Many a man who toots his own horn imagines that he is the whole band.

Weak Man Receipt Frae

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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THE RUSH OF SETTLERS

BRANCH LINE TRAINS ARE DOING A LAND OFFICE BUSINESS

17 HEADED FOR GREENBUSH AND 20 FOR THIEF RIVER FALLS TODAY

From Friday's Daily—

The rush of settlers to the Red River Valley is now on in full blast, and every branch line train leaving Crookston bears a good big delegation. This morning the train for Greenbush was packed with new comers, 17 being booked for Greenbush and 20 for Thief River Falls, intermediate towns being equally well represented.

This movement has been on in full swing for some time past, and indications point to a continuance of the movement for several weeks. The land men state that there will be a bigger immigration this season than has been experienced for several years past, and that the new comers are coming prepared to farm right, bringing more dairy stock than has ever been shipped to the Red River Valley in any single year in history.

The newcomers are also well fixed financially and will make a most desirable class of residents. Practically every section of the valley is getting its quota of new comers and scores of farms that have not been operated during the past few years will be farmed this year.

ATTY. COLLINS WITHDRAWS

FROM THE RACE FOR THE NOMINATION FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

City Attorney Collins of East Grand Forks whose name has been mentioned as a possible candidate for the office of county attorney, has decided not to make the race, preferring to continue in his present position as city attorney of East Grand Forks. G. A. E. Finlayson, who is a candidate for the county attorneyship, is the only candidate for county office from the west end of the county who will seek the republican nomination at the county convention and the outlook is good for him to capture the plum.—Grand Forks Herald.

G. N. ENGINE 993 WRECKED AT NOYES

BROKEN SADDLE AND BENT FRAME ON GREAT NORTHERN ENGINE

Freight engine 993 passed thru the city this morning for the Carman yards and eventually to the shops at St Paul with a broken saddle and a frame badly bent as a result of a collision at Noyes yesterday. A G. N. engine switching in the yards there pushed a car into 993 causing the damage. The engine was on freight 550 with Bergquist at the throttle and Andrus conductor. The Great Northern men were in no way responsible for the collision.

WERE MARRIED AT MC INTOSH

This afternoon at the residence of her brother, Mr. Paul Carpenter at McIntosh, Miss Laura Carpenter was united in marriage to Mr. Thomas Clarke, Jr., of Duluth in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends including Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Carpenter of Crookston, Mr. Carpenter being a brother of the bride. The bride is well known and very popular in Crookston having made her home with her brother here for several years during which time she attended the high school. The groom is a well known resident of Duluth where he is chief deputy in the office of the judge of probate of St. Louis County. Scores of friends will unite in extending wishes for a pleasant and prosperous future for the happy couple who will leave soon for Duluth where they will make their future home.

The Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clark will arrive in this city this evening and will be entertained by relatives at the home of Mrs. B. L. Crowe, 501 Cowing St., where a repast will be served. Tomorrow night the newly wedded couple will be guests of honor at a reception held at the home of George F. Carpenter, 508 Cowing St. From there they will depart on their honeymoon and eventually return to Duluth where they will make their residence.

HAND CRUSHED IN FEED MILL

BYGLAND FARMER HAS FOUR FINGERS CRUSHED IN A HOPPER

THUMB IS LEFT AND IT IS HOPED THAT THIS MAY BE SAVED

From Friday's Daily—

Albert Thorson a farmer of Bygland, Minn., a few miles south of East Grand Forks, had the four fingers of his right hand crushed off in a feed mill yesterday forenoon. Thorson had dropped something into the hopper and when he endeavored to locate it his fingers were caught between the rollers and crushed off. His thumb was left on the hand and it is hoped that this may be saved.

Mr. Thorson was taken to the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forks yesterday afternoon and an effort will be made to save his hand. At first it was considered possible that it would be necessary to amputate the hand at the wrist. Thorson had had experience with the feed mill but forgot about the danger of putting his fingers in the hopper.

CONTEST NOT DULL ROUTINE CASE

RACY FEATURES OF BADGER TOWNSHIP CASE COME BEFORE COURT

The contest case brought by Mrs. Maggie Odegard against Ivar Mikkelson before the land office here was completed last night at ten o'clock and is now before the land office court for settlement. The case took on a racy atmosphere as it proceeded it appearing that not the lady but Kleppe brought the action for the divorce August last. John says Maggie set too fast a pace—too much of the strenuous life for a man. The testimony was the longest taken before this court for some time, the fee being $52.40.

SONS OF NORWAY AT TWIN VALLEY

Thirty prominent Norwegians of Twin Valley and vicinity came together at Andrew Engeset's office last Friday night and held a preliminary meeting for the purpose of organizing a branch society of the order of Sons of Norway. The organizer Mr. C. Peterson of Minneapolis acted as presiding officer and Dr. E. Haugseth was elected temporary secretary. Last evening the first regular meeting was held and name adopted and various officers elected and installed. Invitations were extended to the members of the order at Lake Park, Fargo Crookston, Fertile and Halstad to be present at the time of the organization and we have learned that several of these branches have already accepted the invitations and a large gathering is expected. The following committees were appointed to report at the social meeting:

Committee on name:

A. K. Rude, J. F. Heiberg and Haldor Hanson.

Committee to draw up by-lays:

Andrew Engeset, M. E. Dahl and M. E. Hammer.

Hall Committee:

Reception Committee:

Dr. H. H. Halvorson, Lars Knutson and Henry Midthune.

This last committee was instructed to arrange for a spread and otherwise entertain the visiting brothers so as to make their visit here as pleasant and enjoyable as possible. An enjoyable evening and a large number took advantage of this opportunity to become members. This order has already a large number of branches organized in Minnesota, North Dakota South Dakota, Wisconsin and in various states on the Pacific coast. The aim of this order is similar to those organizations among all other nationalities in this country, namely: to cultivate more social virtues and brotherly feeling among the Norwegians in this country.—Twin Valley Times.

F. G. Leach the Soo's agent at Alvarado has been found not strictly honest in conducting the business of the company. It is claimed that he sold some of the company's coal and lumber, which he had no right to do, and pocketed the proceeds himself. The company found out about the matter and on Tuesday this week he was discharged from the service. Leach is a young man, recently married, and no doubt regrets now that he departed from the path of rectitude.—Warren Sheaf.

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NO HEARING FOR MANAHAN

RAILWAY AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION HAS TURNED HIM DOWN

ATTORNEY GENERAL YOUNG BELIEVED THE PLAN INADVISABLE

From Saturday's Daily—

The railway and warehouse commission will not grant James Manahan of St. Paul a hearing on his application to be heard relative to alleged excessive coal rates between Duluth and St. Paul and alleged excessive cattle rates.

Attorney General Young has advised the commission that in view of the muddle that has arisen relative to Minnesota rates, it would be inadvisable to go into the matter further at this time.

Acting upon this advice, Mr. Manahan's petition for a hearing will be denied.

Politics are said to be playing a strong part both in the application for a hearing and for its refusal. Immediate action was probably hastened by the announcement in The Tribune that Mr. Manahan would address a meeting at New Ulm Friday night, called by the Minnesota Shippers' and Receivers' association, at which he planned to handle the commission without gloves. The meeting of the shippers' association at New Ulm is one of a series which the association plans to hold in various parts of the state, and which will probably work in the interest of the candidacy of J. H. Grass for membership on the commission.

WILL RAISE MANY POTATOES

WELL KNOWN EUCLID FARMER BELIEVES THERE IS MONEY IN SPUDS

Henry Weideman, the well known Euclid resident and one of the old timers of the Red River Valley has decided to engage extensively in the raising of potatoes this year, and will plant at least 40 acres. Potato raising in Minnesota is rapidly growing to be one of the leading industries, and where conducted on the proper basis has proven very profitable. In addition the cultivation of potatoes leaves the ground in excellent shape for a bumper crop of any variety, being considered better for the land than a crop of corn. A number of others in this section will raise from 5 to 25 acres of potatoes this year. and Crookston promises to be a big shipping point for spuds next fall. Potatoes for several years past have been one of the leading and most profitable products of Clay County.

Even the man who lives upright isn't apt to die in that position.

It's a good deal easier to get engaged than it is to get disengaged.

SPIES ARE BUSY AGAIN

CONDUCTORS ON TWO PACIFIC SYSTEMS ARE VERY WRATHY

OVER THE "SPOTTER" SYSTEM WHICH IS BEING INSTITUTED BY BOND CO.

From Saturday's Daily—

The passenger and freight conductors and passenger train auditors in the employ of the Northern Pacific road have been notified that from April 1 they are bonded in an eastern surety bonding company and that the cost of their bonds will be deducted from their salaries in four equal payments. The bond required of a passenger conductor is $1,000 and of a freight conductor $500. The auditors are required to put up a bond similar to that of the passenger conductors. The men affected by this new order got their notices yesterday and while they say little about it they are not pleased. The bonding system is in effect on the Great Northern and has been for some time.

It is said trouble is brewing with the trainmen of both the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads.

This system of espionage they say has become a reproach to the business and a source of fear to even the most upright and honest men in the service.

Do Not Like System

"It is a disagreeable thing to feel that you are being watched by spotters and the danger is ever about you that some spotter will make a false report implicating you," said a conductor of one of the roads yesterday. Just such things have been done by spotters either thru malice against some particular employe, or just to make the company think the informers are earning their money. I don't blame the company for wanting to get good service and honest returns in every particular, for it is entitled to it, but it is a pity that they cannot devise some means of accomplishing results without robbing every honest man wearing a conductor's uniform of his self-respect.

"The honest as well as the dishonest employe is at the mercy of the spotter. If the spotter for some reason of his own takes a notion to hand some conductor a package, what is there to prevent. The spotter may not make his charge stick but the suspicion of the company is aroused, and the situation is embarrassing and bad just the same."

It is reported that the Great Northern has lately extended the spotters system to such on extent that it is a matter of general comment in nearly all departments.

Money may buy a house but not a happy home.

But nobody censures the actor whose wife supports him.

Where there's smoke there's some one or something smoking.

The prosperity of a fool may be either a reward or a penalty.

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

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WILL FARM ALL HIS LAND

SENATOR WORKS PURCHASED 20 HEAD OF HORSES YESTERDAY

WENT TO EUCLID TODAY TO CONFER WITH MANAGER VONDERBECK

From Friday's Daily—

Senator S. D. Works left this morning for Euclid where he will confer with Manager Alfred Vonderbeck who will have charge of all the Works farms in this section this year.

Senator Works spent yesterday at Bemidji where he purchased 20 head of horses which arrived here this morning and will be used in the operation of the Works farms the coming year. Senator Works will have every acre of his lands in this section put in crop with the exception of what will be summer fallowed, as he does not believe in letting land lie idle.

His example will this year will be followed by many other outside land holders whose lands in many instances have not been farmed during the past year or two, and this will result in a much larger acreage thruout the valley than has been sown for a number of years.

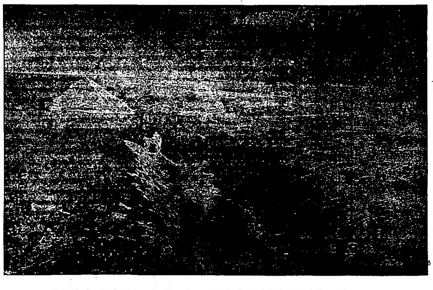
The Red River Valley would be better off if more land in this section was owned by men with the progressive tendencies displayed by Senator Works.

Every man thinks he could go the pace if he wasn't handicapped.

The vanity of a girl with a small brother gets many a hard jolt.

Answering a fool according to his folly but adds to the foolishness of the world.

The peekabo waists in show windows look cool.



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Time To Do Something

The president wants four, and he wants an anti-trust bill amending the present Sherman act. Prospects at this time are not bright for any of these measures at this late day in the session. The house may pass an amended anti-trust bill, but it will never get thru the senate. The senate. The senate has passed the Aldrich currency bill, but that measure is doomed in the house.

A private poll of the house has been taken by the leaders and it develops that more than half of the members are opposed to the Aldrich bill.

The opinion prevails that a compromise will be effected by the appointment of a currency commission to report to the next congress.

It will be generally regretted in Crookston that such a condition of affairs exists as it means that there is practically no hope of having the appropriation for the Crookston Federal Building increased as it was hoped would be possible.

Crookston is specially interested in the determination that unless President Roosevelt gets approximately the legislation he desires at the hands of congress, it is said on high authority that he will veto the omnibus public buildings bill which is to be framed up this week. In that event there will be a pretty lively fight between congress and the white house which will be precipitated when the naval appropriation bill comes up. It is the present program of the republican leaders of the house to limit the extension of the navy during the current year to two battleships of the first class type.

In New Field

According to the latest official information received the Standard Oil is making arrangements to develop into the greatest butter making concern in the world. Always on the lookout for some process to enrich its shareholders, and able to apply the latest developments of scientific research its chemists have solved the problem of manufacturing butter from tar and crude oil. This is going a good step in advance of manufacturing vaseline from petroleum, and after all, the step from vaseline to butter is most a matter of flavor and color. This new commodity—it would be scandalous to call it butter—has already been placed on sale in New York, and declared by some New Yorkers to be superior in texture, sweeter scented, more delicious in flavor, and more grassy in quality than the rarest kinds of creamery butter.

At the recent buttermakers' convention at Saint Paul one of the delegates asserted that few people east of the Mississippi knew the taste of good butter, having been so accustomed to bad. The inference is therefore that the taste for good butter in New York is sadly perverted, if it can accept the Standard Oil quality manufactured from tar and petroleum.

It is essential that the Minnesota buttermakers thru their associations should keep a watchful eye on the octopus or they may lose some of their best markets through the indifference or ignorance of the butter-buying public. Of late the dairy and food department have been active in Saint Paul. They have been investigating into the methods of "imitation" farmers who have been representing to innocent housewives that they are from the country, and getting them to take oleomargarine as the best creamery butter. Owing to the efficiency of the St. Paul police these pests have been gotten rid of. Still there seems plenty of work ahead for the butter makers' association in Minnesota, now that Standard Oil has gone into the buttermaking business.

The Reformatory Idea

In an interview with The Herald recently Frank L. Randall superintendent of the St. Cloud state reformatory vividly contrasted the ancient idea of handling criminals and convicts with the more enlightened modern idea.

"There was a time," said he, "when men were simply locked up in insanitary surroundings, and public sentiment countenanced the abuse of criminals and convicts. If they withstood tuberculosis and other diseases, they were finally let loose again to prey upon society. The reformatory idea —the modern idea of penal institutions—is that there should, first of all be a just reason for imprisonment, and then that the imprisonment should be with the purpose of reforming the prisoner."

The term "penitentiary" applied to most state prisons, has its root in the idea of punishment and pain. This is a relic of the days when imprisonment was for the punishment of erring members of society. The idea of punishment still lingers in the public mind, but except in rare and extreme cases, it is as anarchronistic as the whipping post and the stocks.

The duty of society toward the man who is convicted of crime is not to make him suffer for his offense, but to turn him, if possible, into an honest and productive citizen. In the first place it is becoming well understood that in a very large majority of cases, society itself is directly at fault for the existence of a criminal class. Where it permits noisome slums to exist, in which poverty, degradation and sin are the weeds that crowd out the virtues, it is fostering a breeding ground for bad men and bad women. Its guilt in permitting the continuance of a degree of poverty and debasement which breeds criminality makes it responsible for the care of the logical fruits of such hothouses of evil. Its first duty should be to eliminate the conditions that make for crime; its second duty is to treat criminals thus produced upon a reformaatory and not a punitive plan.

The old system of handling convicts degraded men and women and confirmed them in criminal ways. It embittered them against society, which punished them for the logical results of its own negligence. It forced them down the hill instead of pulling them up.

Thus the fixed sentence is giving away to the indeteminate sentence, which leaves to prison authorities the decision as to release. Prison conditions are designed to make men better, instead of making them worse. The duty of the prison authorities is to uplift their charges, not to crowd them down. The old-time prison graduated trained criminals; the modern prison aims to turn out citizens.

It is a big problem, and does not always work out ideally; but modern tendencies, as expressed by Mr. Randall, are along the right line. The prison is not a place for punishment, but a place for regenerating men and women who have strayed, because of heredity or environment, into evil ways.—Duluth Herald.

STATE PRESS

The Liability Law

The house yesterday passed the employers' liability bill applying, however, only to common carriers. It is a measure to relax the common-law rule regarding the non-ability of the employer for accidents caused by the negligence of a fellow servant. It also modifies the law regarding contributory negligence. The principle in the bill is that there is a liability on the part of the common carrier whether there is contributory negligence or not, but as a compensation to employers the amount which may be recovered is scaled down as the contributory neglect rises. This is a necessary modification to protect employers from raids on their treasuries by suits without any, or with little merit.

The grain of the bill follows the recommendations of the president that something be done to equalize conditions as between employer and employee. He argued that in any event the employee bore too great a proportion of the cost of the accident. He gave his life, his career, or his earning power, while the corporation never even in the most deserving cases gave more than a slight contribution from its treasury.—Minneapolis Journal.

ANTI-BRYAN MEN IN NEW ALLIANCE

CONFERENCE IN NEW YORK AIMS AT COMBINATION TO DEFEAT THE NEBRASKAN—ALLIES DRAW STRENGTH IN THE SOUTH AND EAST—"BLUE-EYED WILLIAM" SHEEHAN AND DAVID B. HILL DIRECT ANTI-BRYAN COUP

An anti-Bryan campaign with enough strength behind it to make it serious to the Nebraskan's chances of nomination has been started in New York. A conference, attended by several prominent western democrats, and by many from eastern and southern states, was held there, reaching both an end and a decision last week, it develops.

It was held under direction of William Sheehan, "Blue-Eyed William" who with David B. Hill, endeavored successfully to make Alton B. Parker, the democratic nominee in 1904, and unsuccessfully to make him president.

Tired of Long Wait

The names of the men at the conference are being kept secret. Those present not only do not care to have their own names made public, but wish to "protect" others in the conclave. The heaviest representatives were from the south and the east.

It is to the south that the anti-Bryanites look for power with which to stop the Nebraskan's hitherto unchecked progress towards the nomination.

They represented that the south would like, above all things, to elect a democratic president and enjoy a distribution of federal patronage. They have no confidence in Bryan's ability to win, and look upon his nomination as a signal for another return to the wilderness for four more years of wandering about and feeding on roots.

South to Meet Johnson

The east shares the feelings of the south regarding the desirability of the result to be obtained, and several of the largest states, including Pennsylvania and New York, are holding out for uninstructed delegates

This movement comes coincidently with the beginning of active campaigning for Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota, from the Chicago headquarters opened at the Grand Pacific hotel Thursday. Johnson himself will be in Chicago Tuesday morning with a party of Minnesota officials and citizens on their way south. He goes to Pittsburg Landing for the dedication of a Minnesota monument, and will visit Louisville both going and returning on his return he is to make a political speech in Louisville, and will be in Chicago again Tuesday April 14.

This trip altho touring only the edge of the south, will serve to introduce him, in a way, to the southerners.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

The New York World publishes the following:

James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railroad company in an interview given to the World, told what he thought of Governor John Johnson of Minnesota as presidential timber. Concretely expressed his opinion of the governor was:

"Governor Johnson is a great man—in Minnesota."

Stories that the Great Northern's president and the powerful railroad interests of which he is chief are behind Johnson, despite the way he has made them jump hurdles in Minnesota, have been most insistent. In a recent magazine article it was written:

"It would be pleasant to announce that James J. Hill and all the northwestern railroad interests are bitterly opposed to Mr. Johnson. In truth they are not, and it is impossible to think of a more curious and instructive fact. So far has the warfare gone against corporate interests that they would rather take a man of Johnson's record of anti-corporation legislation than another man that might do worse."

"What do you think of that?" Mr. Hill was asked.

A Most Successful Governor

"There is nothing in that; nothing at all" snapped Mr. Hill. "I know Johnson only as governor of Minnesota. He has been most successful, I should say. His administrations have been popular. He has made some good appointments in the judiciary; appointed some good sheriffs and other officers."

"You speak of him distantly, Mr. Hill. Current publications would lead one to imagine you were on the most intimate terms of friendship with Governor Johnson."

"There is nothing in those stories. I don't suppose I have met Governor Johnson more than once or twice—probably at a dinner or a club, or some place like that," said Mr. Hill. "He is a good, respectable man, who has the respect of the people of Minnesota. His rise has been rapid—from a poor boy to a newspaper man and then state senator and on up to where he is now."

"Mr. Hill, don't you think such radical measures as the Minnesota and North Carolina rate bills simply result in putting state control of public corporations back about fifty years?"

"State control!" snorted Mr. Hill. "Do you know that the railroads of this country have done more for it than the railroads of any other country under the sun; that they have done more for the people than any railroads on the face of the earth?"

"That's all right, but the state control that was meant is the kind that would let the railroads make decent returns on their investments, but would see to it that they gave honest service to the public."

Almost Like Russia

"Umph! Bureaus! This country is becoming more and more like Russia every day It's almost there now. Soon we'll have a government absolutely by bureau."

"Now let us talk about Johnson again, Mr. Hill. What do you think of him? Is he another Cleveland?"

Mr. Hill's rugged face softened and he looked out of a window seemingly into a great distance.

"No; there is but one Cleveland. He was a great president. He is a great man. But few know what a great rugged, simple man he is. I was off fishing with him once for two weeks and I shall never forget that time. When we would return to the camp for the night he would be singing hymns in that great big voice of his that sounded like a lion's roar."

"Well, Mr. Hill, we're back to Johnson again. Do you think that men like Johnson and Roosevelt put us back by forcing laws on the books that most lawyers know will never be sustained by the courts?"

"We're in the courts now," said Mr. Hill half smiling. "I have never made it a practice to try my railroad cases in the newspapers, and I should not care to say anything now."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Many are called—and more are bluffed.

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No, Cordelia, you don't have to wear pumps in order to play the organ.

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You should remove the junk from your own back yard before worrying about the old tin cans in your neighbor's.

An Insidious Danger

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

One thing a woman is sure of, is there won't be any chapped knees in heaven.

Another man is a scoundrel for doing what is a pardonable fault when you do it.

Because a man has a bank account doesn't mean he has real money there any more than a woman's shape shows she has a real figure.

There's hardly any satisfaction greater than thinking what a lot of trouble your friends get in because they don't ask your advice.

Most people are under such suspicion that the easiest way for them to make you think they are practicing deception is to be frank with you.

POTATOES

Press. Bulletin. No. 73—By A. J. McGuire, Northeast Experiment Station, Grand Rapids, Minnesota

Potatoes will be one of the main market crops for Northern Minnesota.

The soil and climate is especially favorable to their growth.

Under fair conditions they yield from 175 to 225 bushels per acre.

The cost of growing them need not exceed $25 per acre.

The market price the past five years in this section of the state has averaged 69 cents per bushel.

Four acres of potatoes are grown on the Experimental Farm every year They are grown in rotation with wheat, clover and fodder corn. The ground is manured lightly for the fodder corn and again for the potatoes.

The Carmen No. 1 potato is grown exclusively on these four acres. Other varieties are grown on small plots and in comparison with the Carmen, but none have been found to yield so well, or as satisfactorily in general as the Carmen.

The Carmen is a white potato, oval in shape and medium to late in maturing. It is quite firm in texture, good flavor, keeps well, and is one of the best selling potatoes on the market.

The Carmen No. 3 potato is frequently inquired for in comparison with No. 1. They are practically the same.

For an early potato the Early Sunlight or Early Ohio is recommended.

The past year modern potato machinery was used on the Experimental Farm. The Aspinwall planter and sprayer, and a Hoover digger. These "makes" of potato machinery are not recommended as better than others, as they were not used in comparison with other "makes." They proved practical and satisfactory; however, and for growing potatoes on a large scale potato machinery is recommended. From 3 to 4 acres can be planted or dug in a day. The sprayer sprays four rows at a time and a four or five acre field can be gone over in a quarter of a day.

For a potato digger to work at its best the field should be quite free from weeds and grass, also of stones.

In the growing of potatoes there are a few general rules that are profitable to follow:

Select good seed Get a good variety, and keep it pure, and stick to it till you are sure of improvement by changing. By selecting the best potatoes for seed every year it becomes a better variety. Small, inferior seed tends to run out the crop.

Scabby seed produces scabby potatoes, and not only this but infests the soil, so that potatoes on the same ground within the next two or three years will be effected. For this and other reasons potatoes should be grown on the same land but once every third or fourth year. Scab may be destroyed on seed potatoes by treating the seed with formaldehyde. One quart of formaldehyde in three-quarter of a barrel of water. Put the potatoes in sacks and submerge in the barrel for two or three hours. This formaldehyde is a poison and potatoes treated in it should be used for seed only. Formaldehyde can be bought at any drug store. It is cheap and the treatment takes but little work and should be used whenever there is any sign of scab.

A sandy loam soil is best for potatoes. It should be high land or well drained as potatoes drown out quickly on wet soil. In the rotation potatoes do best following clover. The soil cannot be too rich. The yield may be increased from one-third to one-half thru barn yard manure.

On the Experiment Farm the potatoes are planted in rows 30 inches apart, and 18 inches apart in the row.

After planting the field is harrowed thoroughly every week till the potatoes are up and then cultivated every week or ten days thruout the growing season.

The past two years the vines were sprayed for blight tho the disease was not prevalent to any marked extent.

The treatment used was Blue Vitoral 5 libs., quick lime 3 lbs., doissolved in 50 gallons of water. This is known as Bordeaux Mixture and may be used for various kinds of blight.

In spraying the potato vines with this treatment pars green was also used with it to destroy the bigs.

In growing potatoes it is advisable to grow the same variety throughout the neighborhood. Where one or several carloads can be shipped of the same variety of potatoes it commands a much better market. This cannot be done where every farmer grows a different kind.

In storing potatoes there are a few points that are well to consider. To keep well, potatoes should be mature, and as dry as possible when put in the cellar.

Use small bins to allow circulation of air, and provide for good ventilation thru the roof. Dry, cool air is necessary. The cooler the cellar can be kept without freezing the better. A thermometer hung in the root cellar is of advantage.

As yet there are not sufficient potatoes grown in Northern Minnesota to supply the home market. Hundreds of carloads are shipped into Duluth and Superior and the mining towns from other sections.

The growing of potatoes to supply this home market may be developed to advantage of all.

Farmbers should co-operate, grow a uniform grade of potatoes, and aim to put only a high grade of potatoes on the market. Keep the small potatoes at home.

As good potatoes can be grown in Northern Minnesota as anywhere in the country and it should at least supply its own market.

Correspondence

KEY STONE

Lewis Giese who is attending school at East Grand Forks enjoyed a week's vacation which he spent with his parents.

Geese and ducks are plentiful in this vicinity. Every boy who is man enough to handle a gun is out trying to get a shot at some of the fine birds.

Miss Helen Riedesel of Crookston, arrived here last Saturday and began teaching a three months' term of school at district No. 215 last Monday.

The pretty meadow larks are thick in this section and are making farm life very pleasant with their warblings.

Miss Lydia Aeschlimann, who was on the sick list last week is slowly improving.

Miss Julia Byington is staying at the Broadwell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustine and baby, Mr. William Clint, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann and Lewis and Persida Aeschlimann and Miss Laura Ramstad enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. John Capes and family last Sunday afternoon.

The young folks here are patiently waiting for the return of Mr. and Mrs. William Koeling, who were recently married at Crokston and are spending their honeymoon at Winnipeg, Man. These merry folks are saving all the old tin cans and pulverized dishes and of course that means a good charivari

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann visited with the Capes family last Friday.

John and Benjamin Koch of Tremont, Illinois, were visiting friends and transacting business here last week. Their many friends are always glad to see them.

Mr. Ehman and son Henry are very busy preparing their home. Mrs. Ehnen and daughter will arrive this week We hope that the Ehnen family will like this country as well as the rest of the Illinois folks.

DEEDS, NOT WORDS

Crookston People have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home

It's not words, but deeds that prove true merit.

The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills,
For Crookston kidney sufferers,
Have made their local reputation.

Proof lies in the testimony of Crookston people who have been cured to stay cured.

John Dunn, Sr., of 336 Central Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is more than five years since I first recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, but I can endorse them just as highly today as when I gave my first statement in their favor. Before I used them I had suffered for about ten years from pains in the back and about the kidneys. The kidney secretions were also disordered, being too frequent in action. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at the Wallace's Pharmacy, removed every symptom. The gratifying results have proved of a permanent nature, and I have been recommending Doan's Kidney Pills ever since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. For sale by all druggists.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

April 6 In History.

1348—Laura de Noves, subject of Petrarch's amatory poetry, died.

1843—Wordsworth gazetted by the queen as poet laureate of England.

1899—Obsequies at Arlington cemetery to honor the remains of soldiers who died in Cuba and Porto Rico.

1907—Dr. William Henry Drummond, Canadian poet, died at Cobalt, Ont.; born 1855.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:26, rises 5:29; moon sets 12:24 a. m.; 8 p. m., planet Uranus at quadrature with the sun, being 90 degrees east of that body.

HOME FROM ALBERTA—August Killman returned last evening from his claim in Alberta, 300 miles west of Winnipeg. He says the snow is all gone there and that seeding operations will soon commence.

A GIRL BABY—Dr. H. E. Nelson has returned from a professional visit to Fisher near where he was master of ceremonies at a reception to his Storkship, during which a very fine baby girl was left at the Donald Bain home.

ANNUAL TELEPHONE MEETING—The Polk county telephone company is holding a meeting at the home of their president, Nelson Miller, 812 N. Main today. The president, vice president, treasurer, manager and three directors will be elected. The present manager is G. W. Hooper.

DISPOSED OF LAND— Henry O'Neil has returned from his trip to points on the Duluth line where he disposed of a piece of timber land which the family owned. He left this morning for Red Lake Falls where some details conected with the sale will be attended to.

STEPHENITES HERE—John Steinmitz and Chas Nelson, two of the well known residents of Stephen were in the city Saturday on business and returned home on the flyer Sunday morning. They have been looking over some business propositions in this section for the past few days.

COURT AT FALLS—Judge Wm. Watts and Court Reporter Chas. Lohn left this morning for Red Lake Falls where there are several court cases to be heard. It will probably take three days to dispose of them but the two officials will probably return home each evening.

DUKE OF DITCHERS HERE—Capt. Beard of the Standard Drainage Co., arrived in the city this morning from St. Paul and will spend a few days here getting a line on the work that has to be done in this section the coming season. His company has a large amount of work to do in Polk Co.

ON GOOD BEHAVOR—Ben Ablesgaard and Sanford Stadsvold, 15 year old boys arrested for taking two merschaum pipes, cigar holder, and other goods from Ole Nerland's store were Judge McLean Saturday afternoon put under suspended sentence by and must report to the police for their good behavior regularly.

TO FORT FRANCIS—Bert Middleton departs tomorrow evening for Fort Francis, Ontario where he has accepted a position with a Canadian lumber company Attorney C. R. Middleton, Bert's father, is one of Beaudette's prominent citizens and both the father and son will become identified with the growth of that country.

TO LOCATE HERE—Ben Durdall, a brother of Jos. Durdall of this city and Estine who farms near here, arrived yesterday from Kenyon, Goodhue Co., and will engage in business here as soon as he gets a suitable location His family proceeded to Milner N. D. where they will visit Mrs. Durdall's relatives till he is located here and secures a residence.

FRIENDS ARE APPREHENSIVE—The condition of Wm. Panke still remains critical. He has been in the hospital for over a week now and yesterday it was necessary to again tap his lungs and relieve a gathering there. Hopes are entertained that a change for the better will take place, but at present his strength seems to be slowly ebbing away.

VISITED HERE SUNDAY—R. J. Van Tassel, who operates a dray and transfer line at Lakota, N. D., spent Sunday in the city the guest of his brother-in-law S. R. Moorhead, enroute to Turtle River where he will spend a few days visiting relatives and old friends. He states that things are opening up in good shape in North Dakota this spring, and business men and farmers are well satisfied with the outlook.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

WANTS A SHEPHERD DOG—Henry Hoberg, the well known New Folden merchant wants a good shepherd dog and has issued special commissions to J. J. Kelly and Oscar Halvorsen to secure him one. The two men are both working overtime to land the dog, but it appears that Scotch Collies are not picked up every day in this section of the country. John McLennan of Angus may come to the rescue or his brother Fac, and if they do not a riot call will have to be turned in.

LITTLE CHILD DIED — Mr. and Mrs. Axel Ness yesterday morning lost their ten months old daughter, Alice. The little one had been very poorly since birth, and the end came suddenly before the physician which had been summoned could arrive. The remains were embalmed at the parlors of S. P. Stenshoel and were shipped last evening to Mentor, where the family formerly resided. Mr. Ness is the well known tonsorial man on North Main street where he works with his father.

GERMANS TO CANADA— Yesterday a train load of Germans with their effects passed thru the city enroute from Nebraska to Northwestern Canada. They had their stock and goods with them and the train, which consisted of stock, freight and two passenger cars was placarded showing where the travellers were bound for. They held a conference with Henry Ebbighausen and a few others during a half hour stay on the side track here, and had the stop been prolonged a few minutes more it is probable that the whole trainload would have

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

April 7 In History.

1780—Dr. William Ellery Channing, distinguished Unitarian divine and one of the most eloquent American writers, born; died 1842.

1888—General Quincy Adams Gillmore, Federal commander on the Carolina coast during the civil war, died; born 1825.

1906—Moroccan convention signed at Algeciras. The town of Bosco Tre-case, on the southern slope of Mount Vesuvius, buried under lava and ashes.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:27, rises 5:28; moon sets 1:16 a. m.; 10:31 p. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune; 11:23 a. m. moon at first quarter.

COTTAGE CHANGES—Bert Levins has sold his cottage at Maple Lake and has purchased the C. D. Billings cottage where his family will spend the coming summer.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS— One of the signs of spring can be seen in the amount of lumber being hauled to the country by the farmers who evidently think shingles will soon be very useful.

PATENT ON BELT—Samuel Felsing, the head of the mechanical department of the Maplebay Windstacker Co., has secured a patent on a belt guide and will manufacture same at the factory on the hill, Crookston.

IMPROVING STEADILY—Dr. Leora Davies who was operated upon in Chicago some time ago is improving steadily. She is now able to attend to her office practice and will soon be as good as new.

AN OLD EUCLIDITE—John A. Uffelman who was re-elected as magistrate at Larimore yesterday is well known in this section. He was the first blacksmith located at Euclid and is well known throughout this section among the old timers.

SALE OF REIS LAND—Sale papers passed today conveying NE quarter of section 8 and SW quarter section 9 in Reis township, containing 200 acres less one acre for school, from E. B. Anderson to Central Minnesota Immigration Co. The consideration was $8000 with incumbrance of $2950.

HIGH FINANCING—Earl McLeod, who has been carrying mail for E. L. Waldron to Battle River, made a haul which may land him in jail for safe keeping. Last Thursday he brought in a school order for Miss Beth Horton to get cashed and also some money for others and on Friday morning he absconded without calling for his time The only wonder is he did not carry off the school teacher. — Blackduck Enterprise.

OUT OF BUSINESS—J. W. Benoit formerly in the saloon business at Mentor was an arrival in the city this morning. The license there was raised to $1200 per year at the recent election and as a result Mr. Benoit quit business, claiming that the license was excessive for the amount of business that could be expected in a place of that size.

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

DOING GOOD BUSINESS—E. Engstrom, the North Broadway tailor is enjoying a constantly increasing business. Since his removal from over the A. G. Andersen drug store to the store building formerly occupied by the Minnesota Fur Co. He does excellent work, to begin with, and his price is right in the second place, a combination which is hard to beat.

LEFT HORSE BELOW ADA — About three weeks ago Harry Wyand the North Main St., liveryman, let out a horse to a fish peddlar, operating south of here. The fish artist got busy south of Ada 12 miles and left horse and buggy behind him skipping the country. Mr. Wyand has returned with the rig. The fish peddlar is not to be found.

ROSEAU'S BOOSTER— Capt. Jas. A. Beard departed on this morning's train for Greenbush and the Roseau country for which the dredge man is the biggest booster in the state. Chas. Williams, foreman, departed yesterday morning to begin repairs on the huge dredge moored to the banks of the Roseau.

FARMERS PREPARING — M. Rauenbuehler, the pioneer harness maker on Third street is kept on the jump these days. The farmers are all buying their curry combs, brushes, sweat pads, etc., preparing for the spring seeding, and they know by experience that at Rauenbuehler's is the best place to go for that line of goods.

IN RUNAWAY—Mrs. Ella Pierson was bruised but not seriously injured in a runaway near Watseka, Illinois, last Friday. She was visiting at properties in the surrounding country and the horse become unmanageable and cramped the carriage over throwing its occupants upon the ground.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

April 8 In History.

Rittenhouse.

1732—David Rittenhouse, eminent American mathematician and astronomer, born; died 1796.

1885—Richard Grant White, author and philologist, died in New York city; born there 1821.

1895—General James L. Kemper, ex-governor of Virginia and one of the brigade leaders in Pickett's charge at Gettysburg, died; born 1823.

1907—Rev. Dr. John Johnson, survivor and principal historian of the Confederate defense of Fort Sumter, died; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:28, rises 5:26; moon sets 2:03 a. m.

FIRST CUB WOLVES — Andrew Ramstad received his bounty on the first cub wolves of the season this morning. There were six of them for which he received $3 per.

LOCATED AT BEMIDJI—S. Culbertson arrived in the city last evening from Crookston and will enter the employ of the Crookston Lumber company.—Bemidji Pioneer.

OLD TIMER HERE—Emil Thompson one of the old time lumber jacks who has been spending the winter in the Wisconsin woods returned to this city this morning. He states that the winter has been fairly busy below.

FINAL PROOFS—Andrew Hestekind, St. Hilaire; John A. Randelin, Beaudette; Victor J. Hannon, Greenbay, Wis.; and Edward Thompson, Beaudette made final proof this morning at the Crookston land office.

SIGNS OF SPRING—During the past few days the farmers residing near the city have been busy hauling great quantities of ground feed home. This is a sure sign of approaching seeding, but still farther shows that the farmers in this section are using more ground feed for their milch cows than they did a few years ago.

TO TVEDTEN FARM—C. A. Hatfield who has been residing on the J. O. Sauve farm has moved to the Tvedten farm west of Crookston which he will operate the coming summer. Mr. Hatfield is a practical, thoro farmer, one of the best in the business, and his family will be welcomed by the people of Lowell township.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

SIGNIFICANT GATHERING

FARMERS WHO BUY CAR LOAD OF MANURE SPREADERS ARE BANQUETTED

HAPPY ADDRESSES MADE BY MESSRS. McPHEE, ROBERTSON AND JOHNSTONE

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

At 1 o'clock this afternoon a banquet was tendered by N. P. Stone & Co., and the International Harvester Co. ,to a number of progressive farmers to whom a full carload of Clover Leaf Manure Spreaders had been sold The banquet was given at the Grill restaurant and was an elaborate affair of numerous courses, and served in Mine Host Ralston's usual good style.

Following the spread Walter Stone acted as toast master in his usual clever manner, and as cigars were smoked appropriate addresses were made by Mayor McPhee, Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experimental Farm, and Thomas R. Johnstone, all of whom referred to the significance of the sale of a car load of that class of machinery, as it marked an era in soil enrichment in the Red River Valley which pointed towards a greater prosperity.

The farmers present were Richard Mulcahy, Fred Ross, Fred Leibert, Julius Wentzel, John Lietness, J. F. Cotant, J. T. Winters, R. Buckler and Louis Johnson.

In addition there were present, Mayor McPhee, Supt. Robertson, Thomas R. Johnstone, Will and Walter Stone and last but not least should be mentioned Peter Gramer and Albert Bergh representing the International Harvester Co.

The banquet was a very pronounced success, and one of the most unique and significant gatherings ever held in Crookston.

Following the banquet the farmers who had purchased spreaders paraded the streets, making a most excellent showing.

TWO OPERATIONS—Mrs. Berdine Spokely of Climax was operated upon yesterday at the Bethesda Hospital for appendicitis. She is recovering nicely from the shock, and unless complications set in will soon be about as usual.

A CHICKEN FANCIER—Fred Langdon returned last evening from a trip up the north line where he invested in some thorobred poultry. He presented J. A. McCaffrey with a thorobred Plymouth Rock hen and one lonely chick, the two being turned loose in McCaffrey's private deer preserves.

LOOKING AFTER PROPERTY — Levi Lake left this morning for Angus where he will look after business interests for a day or two before going to Warren where he has interests. He says reports are to the effect that the Angus farmers will all be busy seeding in a day or two, and some of them have already started.

TOOK HORSES HOME— Manager Alfred Vonderbeck of the farms of Senator Works spent the night in the city and this morning started for Euclid with a car of horses which were hired from Farley and Blakely of Bemidji for work on the Works farms during the summer. The horses arrived here last night and were driven to Euclid this morning. The horses are in fine shape.

ICE AT RED LAKE—The ice in the Red Lake river has gathered about the immense dams at Red Lake Falls north of here and the ice in the river is yet being used for crossing the stream as far north as Thief River Falls. Along the Kenmare line of the Soo much inconvenience is being caused by the height of water in ditches and streams.

BACK AT WORK—Matt Snyder who was married last week and went to Fosston to spend his honeymoon with relatives of his bride, returned home yesterday and has resumed his work with John Helstab. Mrs. Snyder will remain at Fosston for a few days before returning here to join her husband.

SECURING A PATENT — Peter Severin is spending a few days in Minneapolis where he is looking after a patent contrivance which he invented and expects to place on the market in the near future. He will negotiate with concerns there for the manufacture of the article before his return but may decide to manufacture it in Crookston. He will not decide definitely until after his return to Crookston.

Joseph Verner of Fosston was arraigned before Judge Vig at the east county city last night for breaking into the G. N. depot at that point. The gentleman broke a panel in the door. He was discovered after he had entered and let on as if he were drunk After entering the depot he had arranged the door thru which he broke as if it were whole and had not been broken.

EMMA GOLDMAN HELD AT NOYES STATION

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

H. A. Rider of Little Falls connected with the Winnipeg District of the United States Immigration Department, departed north this morning on the St. Vincent train for Emerson and Noyes on the international boundary line where trouble is brewing for the leader of the Anarchist world, the "Queen of the Reds."

Unless Emma Goldman proves that she is an American citizen she will never again be allowed to enter the United States.

The "Queen of the Reds" who was recently in Minneapolis, has just delivered a lecture in Winnipeg. On her way back to the United States she was stopped at Noyes on the border between Canada and the United States by the United States immigration officers. She was returned to Winnipeg.

The action of the immigration office is on the order of the attorney general, issued to the Winnipeg authorities, for the exclusion of all anarchists and undesirable aliens. It is the most decisive step that the United States government has ever taken for the exclusion of this class of people from this country.

Claims Citizenship

She claimed that the fact that her father was a naturalized citizen made her a ward of the government.

Miss Goldman was born in Russia and left there when she was 12 years of age.

Escorted to Noyes

The Canadian government today at Winnipeg instructed the police officials to escort Emma Goldman to the boundary. If the United States government refuses to allow her to cross she will be sent to Russia altho she claims to be a United States citizen.

It is known that the Goldman woman has been under government surveillance for several months. Her every movement has been watched by the government officers. Months ago it was determined by the immigration authorities to arrest her on her return from Europe but she evaded the officials and reached the United States surreptitiously.

More Trouble

Emma Goldman was taken suddenly ill and was unable to deliver her scheduled address at Winnipeg yesterday. She made a speech Sunday and as soon as she is well she will be arrested for violation of the Lord's day act.

TRAMPS BUT NO CRIME

150 TRAMPS FLOODED CARMAN YARDS OF GREAT NORTHERN LAST SUNDAY NIGHT

SPECIAL AGENT BRITT SAYS THE TRAMPS ARE NUMEROUS BUT LESS CRIME

From Wednesday's Daily—

Special Agent Tom Britt of the G. Northern who arrived in the city this morning from the east to attend to routine business duties while here, states this morning that he has not seen as many tramps in this country for many a year. The railways and the railway crews are almost literally swamped with the gentlemen of leisure who seem to be going about with no particular objective point but with a general drift toward the west.

Chief of Police Eck is authority for the statement that he found almost 150 tramps in the Carman yards last Sunday night. According to the Chief's picturesque language, "They were so thick they couldn't sit down."

The city jail which by philanthopry of the police is thrown open to the homeless for the nights lodging has had up to fifteen inmates almost every night.

The general closing up of wage establishments of the East is in the main responsible for the flooded condition of the tramp world, and they are moving west on the outlook for employment and a little pleasure.

No Crime

Notwithstanding this there is less crime considering the numbers tramping than at any other previous period of recent years. Mr. Britt who is widely acquainted with this branch of railway administration and the general conditions of crime says that the men are all good fellows and causing little trouble and he does not expect that they will cause much as the development of towns and businesses along the Great Northern system need thousands of workmen.

A VICTIM OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE

Wm. Warman, a farmer residing 7 miles southwest of the city died yesterday afternoon at 2:45, death being due to Bright's disease with which he has suffered for some time past. Deceased was 48 years of age and leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter ranging in age from 8 to 22 years. Short services were held at the farm residence this afternoon at 2:30 and the remains will be shipped to the old home at Fairview, Ill., tonight. The family moved here from Fairview three years ago.

CAMPAIGNING—Nap Bray of Crookston, candidate for sheriff of Polk county was an arrival in the city yesterday and spent the day campaigning —Grand Forks Times.

A GRAND COLLECTION— Ernest Rolsch yesterday secured one of the finest collections of shells and other oddities ever seen in the northwest. He may dispose of them as he has a good offer but otherwise will make a case for them and put them on exhibition.

BUSINESS PUSHED THRU

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TURN OUT BIG GRIST OF WORK SPEEDILY

COUNTY DEPOSITORIES—DR. RANDOLPH CO. PHYSICIAN — BRIDGE REPAIRS

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The county commissioners having rid themselves of the sensational phase of their session of the last few days have been making up for lost time by wholesale expedition of business before them. It is probable that they will adjourn this evening.

Yesterday afternoon land belonging to Ole J. Lomen in section two Rosebud town, was set off from school district 19 to 142.

The repair and building of bridges was brought up for discussion and at last referred to the road and bridge committee.

W. M. Brown appeared before the board with reference to the delay in the completion of ditch 64 and he assured the commissioners that he had teams and graders on the ground to commence work as soon as the ground permitted this year. The expiration limit of his contract was fall of 1906. The commissioners paroled Mr. Brown on good behavior and to show good intentions as soon as the season opens suspending a sentence of relet contract as they have done with other ditch men.

The State Bank of Mentor and the State Bank of Eldred were designated county depositories. The Mentor Bank was depository under its previous name, but desires new charge from the commissioners under their new incorporation.

Rebate Taxes

The commissioners rebated taxes today on some complaints thruout the county. Chief among complaints were those from the Reeves Threshing company which was assessed for a machine as if in Reis township. The company claims they had no machine there. The matter was referred to Reis town board. Another complaint from a threshing company on like matter brought up by Gunder Krostue of Fisher were referred to Roome town.

The auctioneer license applied for some time ago by C. H. Kampstad was granted by the commissioners.

The county physician for the coming year will be Dr. Randolph who bid in the job at ten per month.

Johannes Beim of Fosston was appointed engineer on 20 mile ditch 72 established by the county commissioners Monday.

Ditch 72 will be sold Wednesday May 6 at 10 a. m. at the Court house.

John Reed alias Herman Greeler, who departed with a drum belonging to the Crookston band, was brought back without requisition last night by Sheriff Gonyea and appeared, pleading guilty to petit larceny, before Judge McLean this afternoon. He was sentenced to thirty days in county jail or pay $150 fine.

Query—"Is a poor reputation better than none at all?"

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THE MEETING WAS A GRAND SUCCESS

Addresses Yesterday Afternoon at the Horticultural Convention

Proved Highly Interesting And Will Result In Much Good.

From Saturday's Daily—

The annual meeting of the Red River Valley Horticultural Society held yesterday at the school of agriculture was a success beyond all anticipation of even the most enthusiastic. The morning program was given in the issue of the Journal yesterday and a resume of the afternoon program is published in this issue.

A Special Feature

One of the special features of the meeting was the exhibt of the different stages of germination of practically all the grains raised here, which was prepared by Prof. Harrngton who explained the exhibit to those present Some most valuable points were brought out in this connection.

Inspected Experimental Farm

During the noon hour and at other intervals during the day the many visitors inspected the sights at the Experimental farm, and the exhibits of the industrial departments of the School of Agriculture aroused much interest. Supt. and Mrs. Robertson are entitled to much credit for their successful efforts to make the meeting of yesterday a success.

The afternoon session of the closing exercises of the State Agricultural School yesterday and the annual meeting of the Red River Valley Horticultural society were perhaps the most interesting and combined the deepest studies of the men who spoke.

In particular must be mentioned for its general interest the remarks of Prof. A. D. Wilson of the St. Anthony School of Agriculture and the address of Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston.

Senator Stephens's Address

Mr. Stephens spoke of the primary ambitions of the youth of the country In this connection he compared the results of the life of Linnaeus, the great systematist of the vegetable world, and Napoleon, the historic conqueror of Europe one hundred years ago whose name is on the tongue of every boy and girl. He compared these two figures with advantage to the botanist who without destruction elevated the life of the world. These remarks he addressed in a general way to the assembly. Then turning to the students he referred to the matters to which they had listened with such interest and hoped that as they were about to leave school they would return to the school the advantages it had bestowed upon them by speaking of it heartily among their friends and relatives when they returned to their homes thruout the Valley and elsewhere.

One of Senator Stephens' most pertinent remarks was as to the force of the Valley Horticultural Society when before the legislature of the state at St. Paul on account of its widespread and well known reliable organization. He believed that if farmers in their several communities would so organize as this society has done they would gain the same, if not more recognition and have a higher and more forcible position in the directing of the legislation of Minnesota.

To those who had remained over three months in the school would be clearly evident what place in life and education the school struggled to fulfill.

Mr. Wilson's Address

Mr. Wilson spoke directly on the organizing impulses that should be felt among the rural communities of the Valley for their own good and advancement. He mentioned co-operative communities with which he had been acquainted and the success with which each one of its members generally met. In the extent which families of a community met together, agitated the common questions of farming that confronted them and co-operated with each other in effort and practical farming so much more would they be ultimately benefited by the position. He stated that size was not an element of these co-operative communities. In fact the most successful he had ever known was one in which they had to meet.

The Boys and Girls

Prof. L. P. Harrington in new phase spoke of his usual authority and feeling on the help that should be extended to the boys and girls of the farm in order that they be attached to it as their home and not as a place of abode from which to remove at first advantage. He mentioned the efforts that were being made to interest the boys and girls in the social and financial advantages of modern farming.

Prof. Harrington urged the preparation for a county fair and he believed that the young people of the valley should force it upon their respective counties to hold a county fair. He urged the matter on Polk county in particular on account of vast size and wonderful resources.

Professor Harrington has given to every one of the departing students this year a quart of No. 13 Red corn and one apple tree which the students were to take home, plant, take care of and watch the results. When next November the results were all in prizes were to be awarded to the best among the lot.

Education of the Girl

F. T. Hazeltine gave a rousing address to the assembly on the education of the girl. Mr. Hazeltine stated that the girl that bakes bread well was good enough to be any man's wife. He believed that less attention was being devoted to this part of education than should be.

Prof. Harrington again came to the rescue in this instance pointing out that to all those who would see a visit to the ladies' hall at the state farm would reveal beyond a shadow of a doubt that at the state schools at least attention was being devoted daily to the preparation of the girl for the responsibilities that would devolve upon her in after years.

Landscape Gardening

Mrs. A. A. Just read one of the most entertaining papers of the day on landscape gardening which took up the beautiful and practical results that could be obtained by a proper attention to the development of that side of the farm. With attention and taste the farm could be made the beautiful estate which flower gardens and pleasantly placed trees make of the country seats of famous or energetic men in t he east and elsewhere.

Good Suggestions

C. E. Brown of the state farm mentioned the proper place of poultry in the management of the farm and gave practical advice as to the profitable growing of fowls of all kinds, in especial turkeys and chickens.

Oscar Wick nurseryman of East Grand Forks specialized on the growth of strawberries and the other bush berries of the farm. He gave instructions as to the proper preparation of beds and the planting of the roots.

Enjoyable Features

Among the pleasant features of the program was the excellent rendition by Mrs. Chesterman of this city of a humorous sketch. Miss Hazel Wilkinson delivered an exquisite little recitation and a rhyme sketch of humor by Robert Erlandson. Mrs. C. G. Schroeder with Miss Fern Lancaster, accompanist, sang an excellent and appropriate song and Albert Malm gave one of the most humorous sketches of the day.

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From Over The Valley

LOTS OF CLOVER IS TO BE SEEDED

Altho clover and timothy seed is unusually high priced, especially clover, it is surprising what an enormous amount of seed is being shipped in this spring. One firm alone sold over 500 bushels of clover and timothy. Several other firms have sold almost as much, in addition to what individual parties have shipped on their own account. If there is anything that indicates a change for better farming, this does. It means that in a few years we will have clean fields and more profitable farming.— Hallock Weekly News.

RED LAKE COUNTY WOODMEN HOLD MEET

The Woodmen of Red Lake county held a convention at St. Hilaire this week and elected Ira C. Richardson of Thief River Falls as a delegate to the state camp, which meets at Duluth next month. Henry Hennemuth of Red Lake Falls was chosen alternate, and Thief River Falls decided upon as the meeting place next year. A committee consisting of Messrs. Richardson, Salley and Jackson was appointed to confer with the other fraternal insurance lodges of the county relative to the organiation. It is quite likely the project will be successful, and in that event the picnic will be held in June or July probably at Red Lake Falls. The Red Lake Falls camp was represented at the convention by Sam'l Gibeau, Henry Hennemuth, James Hance, Thomas Crompe and Joseph Salley.

TARALSETH COMPANY BRANCHING OUT

Ralph Taralseth has bought out the hardware business of Olson & Christenson at Alvarado. He and Iver Winberg have spent part of the week at the latter place invoicing the stock and getting the transfer made. Mr. Taralseth will get an experienced man to run the business and give the town a first class hardware store. D. S. Christenson one of the former proprietors, will probably remain in the town and engage in another line of business.—Warren Sheaf.

MAKE A DESPERATE FIGHT FOR LIFE

Martin Berg, of Winger, who received a gun shot wound some time ago and came near loosing his life in consequence, submitted to a second operation, which was performed at McIntosh by Drs. Neraal and Olson. The patient is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances, but will probably have to submit to yet another operation before he fully recovers.

H. L. FLAGEL GOES TO CREAMERY AT GULLY

H. L. Flagel, who recently resigned his position as buttermaker at the North Star Creamery has, we understand, accepted a position with the Trail Creamery near Gully. Mr. Flagel is a first class buttermaker, and will, if he does justice to himself soon make for the Trail Creamery a reputation that will put it solidly on its feet.

ON STONE AND TIMBER

UNUSUAL PROOF MADE THIS MORNING AT U. S. LAND OFFICE

HENRY COOK OF GERMANTOWN GETS STONE AND TIMBER CLAIM

From Saturday's Daily—

Henry Cook of Germantown an inland postoffice on the southern boundary of Marshall county, made final proof today under the stone and timber act on the NE quarter of NE quarter section 25, town 164, range 37, which is a fractional township next to the Manitoban boundary line about ten miles northwest of Warroad the Canadian Northern railway bisecting the town. He made affidavit, filed Dec. 5 1907, and brings as witnesses Fred Elima, Jay Payne and Frank Cook of Germantown and J. D. G. Clover of Warroad. This is the first stone and timber claim in the United States land office here for some time.

Timber and Stone Land

The timber and stone act passed by congress some years ago applied to all those public lands in the United States not ceded by Indians and provided that in such cases as affidavit with corroborating witnesses was made that a specified eighty acres in these public lands was not fit for agricultural purposes it could be purchased for four dollars an acre without residence.

The most of the land within the jurisdiction of the United States land office at Crookston is ceded Indian lands and is not subject to stone and timber entry. However there is a territory in this district yet containing isolated tracts subject to stome and timber entry.

The boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation on the northwest edge begins a short distance north of Thief River Falls and just skims the northwest edge of Mud Lake, running due northeast thru the postoffices of Pencer and Falun and a little west of Casperson and Cedar Bend ending on the bay about five miles north of Warroad. All public land northwest of this line where subject to stone and timber requirements may be entered as Mr. Cook got his eighty along the international line.

SIMONS PRES. OF TWIN CITY BANK

L. C. Simons, well known Red Lake Falls banker, has accepted the presidency of the Twin City State bank in St. Paul, a recently organized institution. Mr. Simons has large interests in this country, especially at Red Lake Falls, Plummer and Brooks in banks at which places he holds whole interests. He moves with his family to St. Paul.

THE COST OF BUILDING LESS

PRICE OF MATERIALS LESS THAN FOR SOME TIME PAST

MANY WILL BUILD HOMES THIS SUMMER IN CROOKSTON

From Saturday's Daily—

There has, within the last few months, been a great reduction in the price of building materials and from the present prospects there will be a further reduction later on. Lumber has decreased in price considerably within the past year and one man in the city who shipped in two carloads of the material said that it is $8 less on the thousand feet than it was a year ago. Other classes of lumber have gone down in price from $3 to $8 and this fact is stimulating residence building.

Many people are digging up their plans which were put away when lumber went skyward, and are again making preparations to erect homes of their own.

However the larger lumbermen deny the fact that there is a reduction in the material in the general market and say that it is only the small firms who wish to get rid of their stock that are making these cut prices.

OFFICE OF CITY AGENT ABOLISHED

G. N. CUTS DOWN FORCE IN MINOT—INCREASE OPERATOR EMPLOYES

The Great Northern continues to reduce its force of employes wherever it can be done. At Minot the office of city passenger agent has been abolished. W. Dodds has been in charge at Minot. It is explained that the company was obliged to increase its force of operators and in order to keep down the expenses at Minot cut off the city passenger agent. This course is rather surprising in view of the fact that the Soo is a strong competitor for business at Minot.

V. A. Greer, of Crookston was again in town Monday. Mr. Greer has leased the hotel and will take possession of it on April 6th when he will be here to stay. He has also leased the Dills building for a real estate office. Here's hoping he will succeed in bringing in an army of actual settlers.—Middle River Pioneer.

THE CROWN SHEAF OF ALL SUCCESSES

IS WHAT MIGHT BE TERMED ARGYLE'S SECOND MARKET DAY ATTEMPT—OVER 1,000 VISITORS THERE—EVERYONE WAS PLEASED AT THE TREATMENT THEY RECEIVED AT THE HANDS OF PROGRESSIVE ARGYLE CITIZENS

From Friday's Daily—

Argyle's second market day, Saturday, March 28th, was the crown sheaf of all previous successes, in as far as the general purpose of the occasion was intended and never before in the history of Marshall county has such a splendid crowd of farmers congregated for the purpose of transacting business and meeting with the business men for one day of social intercourse.

The day was perfect not warm enough to make it soft under foot not too cold for comfort, and all sports with the exception of horse racing were pulled off as per schedule. It was deemed not advisable to race the horses on account of the icy roads and this attraction and the purse provided therefore will be reserved for some day in the early spring when the roads are in better shape.

At eleven o'clock a. m. State Engineer Geo. W. Cooley of St. Paul was announced to give his good roads talk in the city hall. Mr. Cooley was introduced by Representative D. Robertson who in his usual cheerful manner made the farmers and their guest feel quite at home with one another and by the time Mr. Robertson had concluded his introductory address, the spacious hall was almost filled to the doors.

Mr. Cooley is not an eloquent speaker and he didn't come with a basket full of bouquets to cast at the farmers but on the other hand, he was loaded with good sound logic and he was not slow in telling his audience just where they made the great mistakes in road construction.

At the conclusion of the talk Mr. Cooley met a number of the farmers and while the orchestra discoursed sweet music, the guests partook of a free lunch which was served by Chef Marsh assisted by several of the young ladies of the city. The crowd once fed and the inner man satisfied (which by the way was an immense undertaking) they hied themselves to different parts of the city where amusements and bargains stared them in the face at every turn. Every store had its attractions, every man, woman and child had a smile and a word of good cheer for his neighbor.

The free auction took place as per schedule.

The outdoor sports were enthusiastically contested and while business was carried on in the stores—horse trades being made on the street corners and lively bidding going on at the auction—others were taking in the contests for prizes.

Guessing contest—on length of pole—Mesdames K. Hunstad of Wright, D. Roy and Alec Parent of Middle River were tied for first place and the money was divided.

Men's carrying race—Martin Knutson and O. Tvestol took first money and C. Dundas and J. Cromwell, took second.

Boys' race, under 14 years—J. Craik 1st, Swanson 2nd.

Ball throwing contest for girls—Julia Johnson, 1st, Mrs. P. Johnson, 2nd.

Bun eating contest—Aime Dufault 1st, A. Legault, 2nd.

Girls' foot race—Maude Craik, 1st, Eva Regimbal, 2nd.

Boys' foot race—Louis Picquette, 1st, Ed. Gustafson, 2nd.

The business men of Argyle are more pleased with the success of the day from a business point of view, and while as they say, the profits were very small and the actual gains very meagre, yet the amount of stuff disposed of was enormous and the fact that everybody went home feeling satisfied for having taken advantage of the bargains, is considered ample satisfaction on the part of the business men of the city. The stores went to no end of expense to please their patrons; extra clerks were provided and in some instances elaborate lunches were served at the expense of the proprietors, and all to make the farmers feel that it was their day—their turn to profit and the citizens turn to foot the bills.

These market days are yet in the experimental stage in Northern Minnesota and there are a great many things to learn about them yet, but we venture to say that with such co-operation as is being voluntarily offered by the farmers of Marshall county to the business men of Argyle, it is but a short time until we will have attained the best methods for the successful carrying out of these events. Let us announce the next one early and let us—farmers and business men—get together and devise plans to make the next one the best on earth. We can do it.

Let us invite the farmers to meet with us at the Commercial Club rooms some day soon and arrange for the next one some time after seeding. As the season advances there will be more stuff to offer at the free auction and the farmers will have more produce to put on the market.—Marshall County Banner.

Penned and Pilfered

Does any man acknowledge he is a fool? When Carlyle made out the English to be "mostly fools" did he consider he might be one himself? Did he know that the scientist would certainly think him a fool for terming Darwinism "the gospel of dirt"?

An apologist for fools suggests, in the Atlantic Monthly that "every man is a fool to some one else." Is there then, no earmark? Is wisdom merely relative and judgment simply a matter of your immediate environment?

No. Even the apologist for fools cannot leave the matter in the air. "The chief mark of a fool is indifference to results." We are foolish where we rush in, following instinct, seeking sensation, disregarding the danger signals, the "busy" signals that say "Keep off the grass."

But the fool is not so much the man who breaks the rules as the man who doesn't know he should not break them. And his smiling indifference in a world where caution tends to cowardice and virtue to mere negation is indeed enough to encourage us to say: "Strange! strange! that we are not all fools, when the profit is so great." A remark essentially foolish.—Bemidji Pioneer.

And Murray Taylor the wicked cuss who edits the Deer River News says:

"You may hive the stars in a nail keg, hang the ocean on a fence to dry put the sky to soak in a gourd, unbuckle the belly band of eternity and let the sun and moon out, but don't think you can escape the place on the other side of purgatory if you don't pay for your home paper."

RUSSIA FARMERS MAKE NO MOVE

DITCH 72, TWENTY MILES LONG IS TO COME UP NEXT MONDAY

Because farmers in the town of Russia have done nothing in connection with their protest against ditch 72 as laid out by the engineer the county commissioners will take definite action on the establishment of the ditch next Monday April 6th. The ditch as planned runs thru the towns of Grove Park, Tilden and Godfrey, starting near Mentor and emptying in Onstad and Russia. Farmers in Russia protested against the establishment of the ditch December 30th last because it was alleged that the water would be emptied on them too fast and they wished to make provision for another ditch to be the outlet of this one. The hearing at that time was therefore adjourned. They have done nothing in the matter since.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

April 2 In History.

1791—Count Mirabeau, orator and revolutionist, died in Paris; born 1749.
1872—Professor Samuel Finley Breese Morse, inventor of magnetic telegraph, died; born 1791.
1905—Tunnel at Simplon pass, in the Alps, the longest in the world, inaugurated.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.
Sun sets 6:22, rises 5:36; moon sets 8:10 p. m.

COUSIN HERE—Arthur M. Beaupre a second cousin of Orvis Hinds is visiting here for a few days.

HERE ON LAND DEAL—Nels Nelson of Brandon arrived in the city last evening and will look after a land deal today.

A FINE SON—Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Williams are the parents of a fine son which arrived today and a stork's visit was nevermore yelcome.

FINAL PROOFS—Peter A. Elseth and Sam Mickelson today proved up on their claims in the neighmorhood of Randen in eastern Marshall County.

DYNAMITE CIGARS— Mike Palen made a specialty yesterday of smoking cigars charged with dynamite. He will get even with Adolph Ebbighausen later on.

VISITS DULUTH— Robert Leick left this morning for Duluth where he was called on important business, and may proceed from there to Chicago before returning to Crookston. He will be absent for several days.

PREPARING FOR THE CHANGE—The Grand Central has been making a few improvements in the front office and general preparations are being made to open the dining rooms on the European plan April 15th in excellent order.

COLE WITHDRAWS—Senator Cole of Fergus Falls writes Senator Stephens, Crookston, that he has written the Free Press at Fergus Falls which first proposed his name that he will withdraw as a candidate for delegate at large.

BACK FROM TRIP—O. E. Vidden, the well known school teacher of Fertile spent the day in the city after a trip to Fargo where he was called on business. He is one of the wideawake kind and the district that secures him is fortunate.

MAKING REPAIRS—Workmen are employed on the Salem Mageau farm near Kittson fixing the residence up for the occupancy of the family that will shortly remove there and operate the farm for the coming season.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS — Wm. Panke was today removed from the Schroeder residence to the St. Vincent Hospital where he was operated upon. He has been seriously ill ever since his return from his wedding trip and an operation was imperative to relieve him. Unless complications set in it is expected that he will recover in a short time.

CHANGED HEADQUARTERS — The canvassers who have been making this territory for the past few months selling malleable ranges to the farmers have left for Thief River Falls and will canvass that section of the country. They did a good business in this section at a good premium over what local dealers charge for better stoves right in the city.

BACK FROM NORTHOME—H. N. Hendrickson, one of the old time employes of the Crookston Lumber Co., of this city, having worked at the saw mill here for many years past, returned last evening from Northome where he spent the past winter. He had a siege of diptheria during the winter which confined him for some time. He expects to spend the summer months in Crookston, and will be employed at the sawmill as usual if it is operated.

Tomorrow Messrs. Schuler and Fidler will start plastering Stephens hall at the state School of Agriculture and from this time forward Contractor Larson will rush the work to completion.

The contract calls for the completion of the building on or before July 1st, but all work will be completed weeks before that date unless there are some unforeseen hindrances.

The completion of the building will be haled with much satisfaction on the part of friends and patrons of the instituoion thruout this section who realize that the work being done by the school means a new era of prosperity to the people of this section of the state.

TRADE FOR RESIDENCE—A. Anderson of Fargo who recently purchased the lots in the rear of the W. E. McKenzie property on North Broadway, has traded these lots to Bert Keck residence 227 Washington Ave. Mr. Keck will build on the North Broadway lots.

AN OLD TIMER—Chas. Thomas who has been located at Winnipeg some time past has returned to the city and has accepted a position with Dad Rasmussen at the Palace Hotel barber shop. Charley has a host of friends in Crookston and vicinity who will welcome him back.

IN CHICKEN BUSINESS —Harry Boh has received a shipment of 100 Buff Orphington eggs from Jos. Helm Red Lake Falls, the machinery man and chicken fancier at that place. Mr. Boh has an incubator and will go into the chicken raising business on an extensive scale.

HERE FROM LAKE—Albert Harris arrived yesterday from Devils Lake where he is employed by the Great Northern and is enjoying a visit with relatives. He will return o his work this evening. He says things are fairly active at Devils Lake but that the crews have been cut down the same as everywhere.

WITNESSES FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS—P. P. Hamre, M. Evenson, H. H. Skagen, A. B. Bakken, I. T. Aastad, H. Spoonheim of Thief River Falls arrived in the city last evening to appear before Judge Watts as witnesses in Langeseth Bros. case being tried here today.

ERSKINE LUMBER DEALER HERE—Knute Steenerson, the well known lumber dealer of Erskine was in the city this morning enroute home from a business trip to St. Paul. He says the storm was a merry one below yesterday, but not quite as severe as it was here.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

April 3 In History.

1783—Washington Irving, author, born; died 1859.
1842—Herman Carl Vogel, German astronomer, born.
1872—Antioch, the ancient, destroyed by an earthquake; 1,000 deaths.
1900—Joseph Louis Francois Bertrand, noted French writer and scientist. died; born 1822.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.
Sun sets 6:23, rises 5:34; moon sets 9:18 p. m.; moon at greatest libration west; 8:15 a. m., moon in conjunction with Venus, nearly 6 degrees south; 8:20 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, 4¼ degrees south; 10 a. m., planet Mars in conjunction with planet Venus, the latter being 1½ degrees north.

SPRAINED ANKLE—W. E. Handy is laid up with a sprained ankle the result of a slippery sidewalk.

FINAL PROOFS — Peter Hadden and Magnus Olson of Kratka postoffice in Red Lake Indian lands made commutation proof this morning.

SUBMIT FACTS—In the partnership fight of Langseth Bros. estate of Thief River Falls there has been a settlement and agreement as to the statement of accounts of the former firm and the facts will be submitted to the court by each side and await his decision on the law.

DECREE OF DIVORCE — Judge Watts today granted a decree of divorce to Jos. LeBlanc from his wife on the grounds of abandonment. The defendant in the case makes her home with a son in Canada. They were married in 1881.

HOME FROM WOODS—John Ralston who has had his teams in the lumber camps near Kelliher during the past winter returned home last evening. He states that the work was a little harder this winter than last but is well satisfied, and returns with his horses in good shape for spring work.

YOUTHFUL PILFERERS—This afternoon Ben Ablesgard and Sanford Stadvold were arraigned before Judge McLean charged with having stolen some pipes, pocketbooks and other goods to the value of about $10 a few evenings ago. Their hearing was on at the time of going to press.

DEPOSIT ELSEWHERE—Because Fergus Falls banks have entered into a combination not to pay interest on city deposits the city of Fergus Falls has made the Citizens Bank at Thief River Falls a depository. That bank agreed to pay three per cent on six months deposits and six per cent on twelve months deposits.

HORSES KNEW THE WAY—Clyde Goodwin was an arrival from Angus last evening and today hired the same livery rig used by Harry Miller of Angus last Sunday. He wanted the same team, he said, because they "knew the way." As he drove from the city he stated that he was headed for a point about three miles south of town and would probably make his first stop at a school house.

FATHER WAS SURPRISED — A fine son arrived this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gramer Lincoln Ave. Mr. Gramer was at Fertile and a telegram was sent him but he had already left for Crookston He arrived here and spent the morning attending to business with N. P. Stone & Co., and did not discover that there had been a new arrival at his home till he went to dinner.

WILL OPERATE FARM—Theodore B. Noesen, who recently closed out his shoe business in Crookston, has removed with his family to their fine farm in the town of Fairfax which they will operate this summer. While Mr. Noesen did well in business, he decided that prospects were still better on the farm this year, and as he is a thoroly practical farmer there is no question but what he will do well.

WAS NOT WELL PLEASED — Adolph Hilst is not very well pleased over the result of his teaming operations in the lumber woods this winter He sent up a fine team of horses and they were in excellent flesh. One of the span was returned practically skin and bones and on top of it all he has not as yet received a cent for their services. His team was hired by the Coolidge-Schussler Co., which operated camps near Floodwood, and his contract called for payment on the first of each month. Mr. Hilst who spent yesterday in the city arrived in Crookston 14 years ago April 2nd, and recalled old times with Henry Krogman who was the first person he spoke with on his arrival here after about a month spent enroute from Germany. His steamer took just three weeks to make the trip and was reported lost.

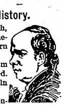
WILL REST HIS WING—Alex Collins, one of the star twirlers for the Crookston amateur ball team last year, and who showed up in splendid form the porepart of the season, but who injured his arm in pitching a 17 inning game at Grand Forks and following it up by pitching a game at Grafton the next day, announces that he will not play ball the coming summer, as he believes his game "wing" needs a rest and hopes to have it in good shape a year hence. The report that he was to play at Lansford, N. D., this year was erroneous as he will not play there nor any where else the coming season.

THE RIGHT SPIRIT—A young rail road man who had lost his position recently owing to the cutting down of employes in all departments called at a well known resident's house just before noon today and stated that he was hungry, but wanted to work for a meal. He tackled a woodpile and after finishing his dinner stated that he would like to finish sawing about three cords of wood piled in the yard as he did not like to beg for food. He was given the job, as his spirit of willingness to work appealed to the business man who gave him the work. Too often it is the case that men who apply for something to eat do not care to perform any labor for it. Any man who really wants to work does not have to beg for a meal.

A THIRTY DAY SENTENCE—Andrew Anderson was assessed the usual fine for drunkenness yesterday in the municipal court at East Grand Forks. When the sentence was imposed Andrew was "sassy" and used obscene language, whereupon the court imposed a 30-day sentence in the county jail, to teach him some respect for the majesty and the dignity of the law.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

April 4 In History.



Goldsmith.

1774—Oliver Goldsmith, poet and miscellaneous writer, died; born 1728.
1841—President William Henry Harrison died.
1865—President Lincoln entered Richmond.
1879—Mme. Patterson-Bonaparte, at one time wife of Jerome, Napoleon's youngest brother, died; born 1785.
1905—Earthquake in India which affected an area of 700 square miles; 1,500 deaths reported.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.
Sun sets 6:24, rises 5:33; moon sets 10:23 p. m.

HOME FROM CHICAGO— Walter Ruggles returned this morning from a business trip to Chicago where he has been for the past few days.

JOINS HUSBAND—Mrs. Christ Peterson passed thru the city this morning enroute from Evansville, Minn., to White Earth, N. D., where her husband is located on a claim where they will make their future home. Both are well known in this city and vicinity.

ATTENDED HORTICULTURE MEET—Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Miller of Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Slyter of Andover were among those who attended the meeting of the Horticultural Society at the state school of agriculture and were greatly pleased over the fine program.

LOCATED NEAR CARLETON — Bennie Moe received a letter this morning to the effect that his brother John, was located near Carleton where he recently accepted a position with a lumber concern. Last year he was employed on a railroad survey in Northern Minnesota.

CAPTURED BY WOODMEN

THE RESIDENTS CAME NEAR TURNING IN A RIOT CALL

ENTIRE NIGHT SPENT IN INITIATIONS AND FINE SOCIAL SESSION

From Saturday's Daily—

There were things doing at Beltrami last evening when the crack Forester team of the Crookston lodge of Woodmen, 16 strong, went down on the flyer last evening accompanied by Mayor McPhee, A. Lytle, H. W. Stark, Martin O'Brien, L. E. Gossman Dr. Kjelland, Oliver Twedten, Nap Bray, J. N. Kirsch, Nels Peterson, F. James, Sam Wiseman, J. D. Ball, Harry Stair, Hendrickson and others, and initiated a class of five there, and spent the time till the departure of the morning train.

District Deputy J. N. Kirsch occupied the chair of the Venerable Consul, and later presided at the social session, and there was some thing doing all the time. District Deputy Larue was also present. The Beltrami Woodmen provided a fine supper and grand time was enjoyed.

ENROUTE TO CITIES—Editor A. G. Rutledge of the Bemidji Pioneer and Theo. Gullickson, the representative of the Hamm Brewing Co., at Bemidji were in the city last evening between trains enroute to St. Paul and Minneapolis on a few days business.

EDUCATORS HERE— Among the well known educators from out side the city to attend the horticultural meeting yesterday and the session of the School Masters Club last evening were Supt. E. W. Chamberlain of the Red Lake Falls Schools and Supt. A. M. Dunton of the McIntosh schools.

CO. COMMISSIONERS — County Commissioners E. G. Ecklund and James Driscoll arrived in the city last evening with Horace G. Whitmore, the representative of the Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co., which concern had done a great deal of bridge work in Polk county and is looking for more contracts in the same lne.

DITCHING CONTRACTS—Contractor M. Sullivan of this city left this morning for Euclid near where he has a large ditching contract work upon which will be started at once. He concluded a good portion of the work last fall, but has enough left to keep him busy with a large crew for some time to come.

BACK FROM OLD HOME—A. A. Jordahl of Fertile is spending the day in the city enroute home from a trip to his old home at Kenyon, Goodhue Co., where he has spent the past ten weeks very pleasantly with old friends and relatives. During his absence he gained 25 pounds in weight. He will proceed to Fertile this evening.

THREE ANGUSITES — J. F. Montgomery, the merchant of Angus and J. W. and A. T. Campion, well known farmers of the same place came down last evening and participated in a Masonic function, returning home this morning. They state that there is no snow left on the plowed fields, and that a few days of warm weather will put the land in good shape for seeding operations.

STEPHENITE HERE— Chas. Nelson a well known business man of Stephen arrived in the city last evening and is spending the day here attending to some business matters. He says things are opening up well at Stephen and both farmers and business men look for a good season. There is a good acreage plowed, and the farmers are in good shape generally.

DUKE OF CLEARWATER—S. C. Bagley who now resides on a farm near Fosston but who for many years in the early days was among the biggest logging contractors in Northern Minnesota, for whom all the early day residents have worked in the woods with their teams, arrived in the city last evening. He gained the title of "The Duke of Clearwater" in those days and the title clings to him still.

WILL ENTER POLITICAL ARENA—Clyde Goodwin the well known prohibitionist of Angus spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters and also looked after some personal interests a few miles south of town. It is understood that he decided last evening to take a hand in the politics of Polk Co. But did not definitely anounce whether he was a candidate for superintendent of schools of Polk Co., or president of the Polk County Sunday school association. At last reports he was looking up the necessary qualifications of the latter office. He reports it quite damp underfoot at Angus.

There is hardly anything a woman considers more of a reflection upon her social position than to have a parlor chair you can be comfortable in.

DETERMINED TO END LIFE

MRS. ALBERT RICE MAKES ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO SHUFFLE OFF

SWALLOWED AN OVERDOSE OF CARBOLIC PILLS—CHICKENS CROAKED

From Saturday's Daily—

Mrs. Albert Rice of McIntosh, who has gained much undesirable notoriety during the past few weeks owing to her capers is again in the lime light.

About two weeks ago it will be remembered that she slashed her throat with a razor in the barber shop at that place in which her husband was employed. This attempt at suicide was preceded a short time before by an attempt at hanging.

To cap the climax on Friday she again made an attempt to shuffle off by taking a handful of carbolic pills. Had she taken one or two she would have succeeded, but because of the number she swallowed her stomach was turned and the poison served as an emetic, and deathly sick she rushed to the back yard and vomited up the poison.

A physician was called and in a short time Mrs. Rice was as well as ever.

Since her husband left her following her attempt to take the razor route to the next world, Mrs. Rice has been stopping with her parents at McIntosh, and it happens that they had a fine bunch of thorobred chickens. The chickens were in the back yard when Mrs. Rice let go of her carbolic pills and quickly devoured them. As a result about 15 of the chickens were suddenly ushered into feathered heaven.

The next route Mrs. Rice attempts to leave this world over will be awaited with considerable interest.

FINE PEN OF THOROUGHBREDS

NEAL CROWLEY WILL ENGAGE IN BUFF ROCK CHICKEN RAISING

This morning Neal Crowley received a magnificent pen of Buff Rocks from the High Croft Poultry farm at Wayzatta, which is owned by Judge D. E. Hale, one of the best authorities on poultry in the entire United States The pen consists of four hens and a cock, and the grand father of the cock was sold for $300 some time ago and could not be bought for that price now.

A relative made Mr. Crowley a present of the pen and he will begin the raising of thoroughbred poultry at once. He will set all his eggs this year which another year will give him a fine flock of as highly bred birds as can be found in the country, and he will figure prominently in the poultry shows of the northwest in the future.

TO ENGAGE IN BUSINESS HERE

SNYDER OF KNOX COUNTY INDIANA LOOKING OVER BUSINESS HERE

E. L. Snyder of Knox County Indiana is in the city looking over the possibilities of a profitable business location in Crookston. He arrived in the city yesterday, with Mrs. Snyder and two boys, Earnest and Earl and they have secured apartments at 310 S. Main street where they will remain for some time while Mr. Snyder decides what line of business he will take up. Mr. Snyder came from Bemidji where he had spent a few days but is much better satisfied with propositions offered him in Crookston.

WOODMEN PICNIC AT ARGYLE

O. L. Melgaard, Victor Tiedt and H. R. Meisch represented the Argyle lodge of Woodmen at the county convention held at Stephen on Wednesday. W. N. Powell of Warren was elected Delegate to the state convention to be held at Duluth in May and O. L. Melgaard was elected alternate. The proposition to hold a county picnic this summer was brought up by Mr. Meisch and it was decided to hold one at Argyle some time in June D. Farrel of Warren, Al. Dickinson of Stephen and H. R. Meisch were appointed a committee to make further arrangements. The party was royally entertained by the citiens of Stephen.—Argyle Banner.

THE TURNQUIST STORE ROBBED

THIEVES ENTERED BY FRONT DOOR WITH A SKELETON KEY

ROBBED TILL AND HELPED THEMSELVES TO GROCERIES AND CONFECTIONS

From Saturday's Daily—

Unknown thieves last night gained entrance to the general store of P. G. Turnquist, robbed the till of about $5 in small change stole a five pound can of coffee, a coffee pot, about half a case of cookies, the double kind with frosting between and other goods.

Mr. Turnquist when seen this morning stated that he could not tell the extent of the pilferings. The thieves did not take any great quantity of any certain line, but could easily have taken a few pounds or packages of mostly anything in the store and it could not be noticed, and the thieves might also have taken a few pairs of shoes, dry goods etc., which could not be detected unless some employe had taken particular notice of the stock last night.

The can of coffee and coffee pot were found in the rear of the store this morning by employes of the Cleveland House, and several cans of goods were found just outside of the front door, which would indicate that the thieves had been scared away.

The key used to open the door just turned the lock sufficiently to permit of the opening of the door, but the proprietor could not insert his key this morning and after attempting to get his key in for about five minutes discovered that the door was not locked.

While there have been no arrests made, suspicion points very strongly to certain quarters, and it is probable that the guilty parties will be rounded up before many days.

Presumably the same band entered Ole Fylling's store on South Main street by way of a window which they broke and stole two Knickerbocker watches, two Midgett Ingersoll watches, one Smith and Wesson revolver, one Bulldog revolver and one wood chisel.

NEXT DOOR TO DOUBLE TRAGEDY

BERT A. LEIN TELLS OF THRILLLING AFFAIR IN ST. PAUL

Knights of the grip in the city last evening were entertained by Bert A. Lein representative of the carpet department of Finch, Van Slack & McConnville of St. Paul who was formerly employed by the New Store with a graphic story of the double tragedy at St Paul last Saturday evening. Mr. Lein ocupied a room in the Clarendon just next to the one in which the tragedy occurred, of which startling stories were heralded over the country in press dispatches and despite the fact that he smelled smoke some, he don't want to go thru the same experience again.

He was aroused by the cracks of a revolver which snuffed out two lives and the excitement that followed was something intense

Mr. Lein is well known in this territory having at one time resided in both Crookston and Grand Forks and his many friends are elated that he succeeded in dodging the bullets that were flying promiscuously about the building.

THE WORLDS GREATEST SEWING MACHINE
LIGHT RUNNING
NEWHOME

If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread [*Chain Stitch*] Sewing Machine write to
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Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the **New Home** is made to wear.
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SIMPLE HOME RECIPE

Mix This Simple, Helpful Recipe at Home and Try It, Anyway.

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered by an eminent authority, who writes in a New York Daily paper, as the finest prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked, stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

RECKLESS RIDER GONE

BUGGY SMASHED SATURDAY EVENING AND CHILDREN ENDANGERED

WILD WEST RIDER COULD NOT BE FOUND BY THE AUTHORITIES

From Monday's Daily—

Saturday evening a young man named James Johnson, who has for some time past been in the employ of Henry O'Neil was in the city riding in on horseback. He got feeling pretty good while here and after taking his horse from the livery barn he rode up and down the streets at breakneck speed.

On South Main street he ran into a buggy belonging to James Headly, smashing one of the wheels and endangering the lives of the children in the buggy.

The rider later dismounted and tied his horse near the city scales, and the police took the horse to Bjoin & Carlson's livery barn.

Henry O'Neil happened to be in the city and after finding the horse notified the officials and a warrant was sworn out for the man but he had flown before the officers reached the O'Neil farm.

Henry O'Neil however paid for having the buggy repaired, and the children very fortunately escaped injury.

WILL MANAGE SEVERAL FARMS

J. A. McMillan who arrived last Wednesday from St. Peter, Minn., is spending the day in the city. Mr. McMillan is to have charge of the W. H. Rounseville farms in this section of the Valley and with his wife will make his headquarters on Section 7, south of the city, just east of Tom Bjoin's farm, where he will operate a full section of land. Mr. McMillon has three grown daughters one of whom is a practicing physician in the city of Spokane, doing special hospital work and another is teaching at Elmore, Minn., and will spend her summer vacation here. Mr. McMillan is a thoroly practical farmer and the land he has in charge will be properly cultivated.

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stops the cough and heals lungs

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST
BANK IN NORTHWESTERN
MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

SEEDING IS UNDER WAY

WILLIAM BENNING NEAR HAROLD STATION SEEDS OATS TODAY

DRAGGING AND OTHER WORK GOING ON GENERALLY IN FEW DAYS

From Monday's Daily—

William Benning, a German-Iowan farmer living near Harold Station about 6 miles southeast of here, commenced early Saturday morning to drag his field preparatory to planting a crop of Early Gentian Oats which he is putting underground today.

Work is being done generally today among the farmers of the north valley Reports from the north indicate that seeding is starting there today in all places where condition of ground is favorable. Fields plowed last year have dried and thawed out well by this time.

Early Gentian Oats Cure

William Benning, the first farmer in this vicinity to begin seeding operations came to this territory March 16th last year. He brought with him from Iowa eighteen sacks of Gentian oats and from this crop last fall secured 700 bushels of oats. Mr. Benning plants these oats from eight to ten days ahead of his wheat or as soon as he can get into the field in the spring. This throws the oat harvest ahead of other grains.

Mr. Benning states a cropping of land with his early Gentian oats destroys wild oats the first year and yields a crop. This is one of the most important considerations in the Valley among those farms where weeds and wild oats have secured a footing.

FUNERAL OF A VALLEY PIONEER

ELKS OF GRAND FORKS CONDUCT SERVICES OVER M. EDISON

At Larimore yesterday the funeral of M. Edison was held under the auspices of the Grand Forks lodge of Elks. The Elks left Grand Forks on a morning train. The funeral was held in the city hall at Larimore at 10:30 in the forenoon. Rev. J. C. Bigelow of Larimore, preached the funeral sermon. There was appropriate music which included a solo by N. B. Black of Grand Forks. The pallbearers were Dr. J. D. Taylor, Judge C. J. Fisk, William McLaren, James Gorman, John Dinnie and S. Collins. The interment was made in the cemetery at Larimore. There were many beautiful floral offerings. Among those who arrived to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDonald, of Fargo, Mrs. McDonald being a daughter of the deceased and Charles Edison a brother of the deceased of Pine Island Minnesota.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CHILDS TO BUILD AT NOR. YAKIMA

FORMER CROOKSTONITE RETURNS TO WASHINGTON AFTER TRIP EAST

E. D. Childs arrived in the city yesterday from the south and east where he has been on business and pleasure and will depart shortly for North Yakima, Washington where he is now making his home. Mr. Childs states that the trees are in bloom at Yakima and in the Crookston settlement eleven miles south of the city the fruit is making a good showing. Messrs. Ray, Fisk, Bevins, Selleck, Burnham and others are located within a half mile radius of Mr. Childs' fruit ranch. When Mr. Childs returns west he will erect a residence on Knob Hill on the edge of and overlooking the city.

DR. TAYLOR IS ELECTED

DEFEATED MAYOR DUIS OF G. FORKS BY SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY

CONTEST BROUGHT OUT BIGGEST VOTE EVER CAST IN GRAND FORKS

From Tuesday's Daily—

List of Elected

Mayor—Dr. J. D. Taylor.
Treasurer—T. C. Hagen.
City Justice—P. McLoughlin.
Police Magistrate—J. R. Church.
Park Commissioner—H. H. Healy.
Aldermen 1st ward—R. B. Griffith and C. P. Trepanier.
Alderman 2nd ward—George Salisbury.

Alderman 3rd ward—R. A. Sprague.
Alderman 4th ward—Oscar Knudson
Alderman 5th ward—K. C. Hunter.
Alderman 6th ward—John Lynch.
Alderman 7th ward—O. T. Ellestad.

Dr. J. D. Taylor was elected mayor of Grand Forks yesterday by a majority of 159, defeating Geo. E. Duis, mayor for the past four years. The vote was the largest in history of Grand Forks, the total cast for mayor being 2,199. This is considered to be nearly the full vote. A few persons were unavoidably out of town.

T. C. Hagen was re-elected city treasurer almost unanimously. Some opposition in the way of sticker developed during the day, H. W. Gibb's name appearing on them.

P. McLoughlin who was defeated for city justice two years ago by R. J. Purcell, turned the tables on his opponent this year and was elected by a majority of 32.

J. R. Church had no opposition for city magistrate and H. H. Healy was the unanimous choice for park commissioner.

Victory is Celebrated

The victory of the Taylor supporters was celebrated in an appropriate manner. A torchlight procession formed at the corner of Third street and Alpha avenue and marched south on Third street and thence to the residence of Dr. Taylor on Fifth street, where a short halt was made and a serenade given by the band. Another stop was made at the residence of Dr. Wheeler farther down the street, and again the band played. The next stop was made in front of the residence of R. B. Griffith on Sixth street. The visitors were welcomed by Mr. Griffith in a brief address.

The procession marched down town with an accompaniment of more band music and fireworks, finally breaking ranks opposite the Hotel Dacotah. The lobby of the hotel was quickly filled and speechmaking was in order for some time. another address being made by the mayor-elect, and also brief speeches by J. D. Bacon, C. P. Trepanier, B. G. Skulason, Dr. Wheeler, Phil McLoughlin, George A. Bangs, S. G. Skulason, R. B. Griffith, F. B. Feetham, Thos. Griffith and others.

ATTACKS RATES ON SLEEPERS

MANAHAN FILES COMPLAINT ON SLEEPING CAR RATES TO THE PEG

DECIDE WHETHER CHARGE EXCESSIVE TO FARGO AND THE PEG

From Tuesday's Daily—

Whether the Pullman company is charging exorbitant rates for the accommodations furnished in its sleeping cars is a matter which will soon be given a thoro investigation by the interstate commerce commission. Word has been received from the commission that the suits brought by George S. Loftus against the Pullman company and the Great Northern road, in which complaint is made that the rate charged for berths between St. Paul and Chicago, St. Paul and the Pacific coast and St. Paul and Duluth are too high and should be reduced will be heard on May 20 in Chicago.

A preliminary hearing of the question involved was held in St. Paul several months ago before a representative of the commission and the cases were continued so that they might be heard by the whole commission. One of the main contentions of Mr. Loftus is that the rate for upper berths should be made half that for lower berths.

Attorney Manahan will file an amended complaint, which will attack the sleeping car rates to Fargo, Grand Forks and Winnipeg.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

SAM CLARK IS MAYOR

WAS ELECTED AT MINOT YESTERDAY BY A MAJORITY OF 160 VOTES

SOME INTERESTING NOTES REGARDING FORMER MINNESOTAN'S HISTORY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Sam H. Clark editor of the Reporter won the mayorality contest at Minot, N. D., yesterday, by a majority of 160 over William Dunnell the condidate of the Civic league. Each candidate carried three wards, the Sixth ward giving Clark a majority of 174. Smallwood and Hurd tied for alderman, in the first, and J. H. Scofield won in the Sixth by one vote over C. H. Parker Hendrickson won in the Second, Spath in the Third, Reed in the Fourth, and Vandover in the Fifth. The library tax carred by a bg majority.

A Little History

Here is something about Sam Clark's history:

Born at Little Falls, Minn., Jan. 18, 1879.

Entered printing office to learn trade in 1890.

Thrown on his own resources with aged mother to care for in 1892.

Started his first newspaper in August 1896.

Purchased Stephen, Minn., Leader in June, 1897.

Published the Leader successfully for 8 years.

Entered law department of University of Minnesota in January 1901.

Wrote for paper and studied law, taking charge of the paper during vacation, until admitted to the bar in 1904.

Practiced law and published newspaper at Stephen until March 1905

Removed to Thief River Falls, Minn., practiced law and published Thief River Falls Press until April 1906.

Sold out business and went west, locating at Minot in April, 1906. Purchased the Daily Reporter in May, 1906; published same successfully since that time.

PICKETTS ORGANIZE AT THE FORKS

W. E. SHEPHARD, PRESIDENT — WUBBINS CAPTAIN—TO IMPROVE GROUNDS

The Grand Forks Picketts baseball team held a very successful meeting Saturday evening in their club room and it was decided to give a grand ball following Lent for the purpose of securing funds to erect a grand stand and put the diamond in shape W. E. Shepard was elected manager for the ensuing year, Gene Kelliher, treasurer, and C. W. Wubbins captain of the team.

Plans for the year were discussed and it was agreed that no effort would be spared to make the team even better than in years past. Extensive improvements are to be made on the grounds. Arrangements will be made for games with the leading teams of this section. The manager solicits correspondence from maangers desiring games. Address W. E. Shephard.

START WORK APRIL 20TH

CAPT. JAS. BEARD ARRIVES IN CROOKSTON ON WAY TO ROSEAU

BIG DITCH YEAR AHEAD — ONE THOUSAND CORDS ON BANKS

Capt. Jas. A. Beard and Treasurer D. A. Stewart of the Standard Drainage Company, Windom, Minnesota, arrived in the city today from Fargo where they have been looking over ditch projects for the coming year. Capt Beard is on his way to the big Roseau river project and after attending to minor matters about Crookston and vicinity will go thence.

The crew for the Roseau project will be on hand in a few days and the repairing of the immense dredge (the largest in the northwest) will commence. Mr. Beard expects to get to work April 20th or before. They started last spring April 20th. The well known captain has gathered on the banks of the Roseau river one thousand cords of wood.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in cold weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CONDITIONS EXCELLENT

W. B. ROY SAYS NORTHWEST IS IN EXCEPTIONALLY FINE SHAPE

MERCHANTS ARE BUYING BETTER THAN IN OTHER SECTIONS

From Wednesday's Daily—

W. B Roy, the sales manager for the Samuel Cupples Wooden Ware Co of St. Louis, who has his headquarters at Fargo, spent yesterday in the city negotiating for the sale of a few car loads of goods to the Finch-Winslow-Carlisle Co., departed on the flyer this morning for Winnipeg. In speaking of the conditions in this section Mr. Roy said to a representative of the Journal:

"There is not a section in the entire United States where the conditions are as favorable today as they are in North Dakota and Northern Minnesota. The financial depression was certainly not felt as much here as in other places and the business interests have was experienced.

"This, of course, is due to the solid foundation of the prosperity upon which the northwest is built. The land, properly farmed, is inexhaustible

"On top of this, and fully as important, the farmers are getting into the stock business and the butter and eggs being marketed has directed a steady stream of gold to this section from the centers of population.

"The farmers here have more money now than they have had for many years past, and this is why the merchants of the Red River Valley are buying heavily now while merchants in other sections of the country are hedging and cutting their orders down to the minimum."

QUARTERLY REPORT OF LAND OFFICE

REGULAR REPORT FOR THE UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE

The following is a statement of business done at the Crookston Minn., U. S. land office for the quarter ending March 31, 1908, viz:

Cash sales public lands ...	$ 1515.81
Cash sales Chippewa lands	9391.62
Cash sales Red Lake lands	19139.18
Fees and commissions received on 200 homestead entries ...	2385.20
Commissions received on 127 final proofs ...	475.93
Commissions received on commuted entries ...	295.77
Fees received for reducing testimony etc., ...	280.58
Total receipts ...	$33484.09

SETTLERS ARE ALL PROSPERING

HOMESTEADERS EAST OF THIEF RIVER FALLS BUILD A CREAMERY

Magnus Olson and Peter Hedeen, two homesteaders residing about 16 miles east of Thief River Falls, returned home Saturday after proving up on their claims both of whom secured very good ones. Carl Olson, a brother of the former accompanied them as a witness. The Olsons have still another brother who located on the 11 towns where the opening took place a few years ago and together they own a section and a half of fine land. They state that the farmers in that section are all doing well. A creamery has been started near Kratka that will be in operation in a short time, and all of the farmers are getting a good bunch of cows.

TO WISCONSIN AFTER JOHN REED

Sheriff Louis Gongea departed last evening for Edgerton, Wisconsin, where John Reed alias Herman Greeller, who departed this city with instruments belonging to the band is being held under arrest. He will bring Reed to Crookston, probably without requisition.

Affords Perfect Security

Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

HOME FROM SWITZERLAND

GEO. FOX HAS RETURNED FROM A VISIT TO HIS OLD HOME

FINDS FEW CHANGES DURING A QUARTER OF CENTURY'S ABSENCE

From Monday's Daily—

Geo. Fox returned yesterday from a three months' trip to Switzerland, Germany and other foreign countries, and is again domiciled at the Cleveland House where he is telling Otto Burkhardt about his trip.

Mr. Fox reports that the lack of orders from the United States for all kinds of manufactured goods is making business there very quiet and many people are out of employment or working on short time.

Mr. Fox brought Otto Burkhardt a very fine present in the way of a steel for sharpening carving knives, a brand that cannot be secured in this country, and one of the very finest that is manufactured. He also brought a unique hand modeled Swiss cottage and many many other relics such as merschaum pipes, knives, Swiss watches and other things.

He reports a very rough voyage, specially on the return trip, and was thoroly glad when he got back to the United States. He is better satisfied with the Red River Valley than any where else, and is smoking the pipe of peace at the Cleveland House with genuine satisfaction.

MAKING MANY IMPROVEMENTS

OTTO BURKHARDT BRIGHTENING UP THE CLEVELAND HOUSE

Mine Host Otto Burkhardt has started the spring renovation of the Cleveland House Henry Kolars has about completed the kalsomining of all the rooms on the second floor, and this will be followed by repapering and repainting the lower floor, and the outside of the hotel will also be decorated with a new dress of paint. The improvements also include an elegant new floor which is being laid in the hotel dining room.

Mr. Burkhardt is determined to have things look spic and span upon North Main, and his neighbor across the street S. L. Collins trots in the same class.

UNION MEN COMPLAINING

SAY G. N. IS VIOLATING "PERSONAL RECORD" CHAPTER

W. H. Williams, state labor commissioner has referred to Attorney General Young a complaint received by him from officials of the International Association of Machinists to the effect that the railroads are requiring applicants for positions in that line to fill out personal record blanks covering the past 10 years. The complaint is specificially against the Great Northern one of the blanks bearing the signature of President Louis W. Hill, of that road, being referred to by the writer, Thomas Van Lear business agent of district No. 32

Until a short time ago he states, the men were only required to give their record for the last four years, but now they are required to tell when and where they have been employed in the past 10 years, and if not employed to state the reason. The union men look upon this as a means of forcing the men to disclose their connection with any strike in which they may have been involved.

The code prohibits any employer from requiring a personal record for more than one year and as some doubt has been expressed as to the constitutionality of this law, the matter has been referred to the attorney general

SCHOOLMASTERS MEETING HELD

Supt. Burnas of Ada, Supt. E. W. Chamberlain of Red Lake Falls, Supt. Dunton of McIntosh, Supt. R. C. Burcett of East Grand Forks and Supt. McIntyre of Crookston city schools members of the Schoolmasters' Club met in the high school building last Saturday evening and took up the discussion of the school matters of importance. Manual training and other deails were treated at length

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RIOTERS STONE STATE POLICE

FOOLHARDY; LOST LIFE.

Tree, Partly Felled, Crashed Down When Grotenhuis Ascended It.

Orange City, Iowa, April 15. — G. Grotenhuis, one of the richest farmers in Sioux county, was instantly killed while felling some trees in Sioux Center. Grotenhuis offered to climb a large tree that had been sawed at the base and fasten a rope about the upper branches, so that it could be pulled away from the telephone wires. When he had ascended to a considerable height the tree fell and Grotenhuis was instantly killed. He leaves a wife and three children.

GRUESOME TRAGEDY

Mysterious Double Murder in New York's Tenderloin.

New York, April 15.—The Tenderloin produced another tragedy yesterday, as grewsome and mysterious as others that have made certain sections of the city notorious. When the police reached the scene Kate Pelter had been strangled to death, Vito Della Radia, once a companion of the woman, was dead with his throat cut, while Charles A. Berger, who occupied the flat where the killing was done, was bleeding from wounds in the side made by a bread knife. Berger will probably live. He told the police that he discovered Radia robbing the flat; that the latter attacked him and then killed himself. He disclaimed knowledge of the woman's death. Berger is under arrest at the hospital.

IMITATE PICTURES

Iowa Boys Seek to Become Bold, Bad Robbers.

Waterloo, Iowa, April 15.—A moving picture show is responsible for turning three Waterloo youngsters to thieves. Charley Jepperson, aged ten; Miron Killerlain and Tommy Falkenstein, both nine years old, were caught by Dr. G. H. Clark as they emerged from his home with two watches and some jewelry. The boys had pilfered other offices before being caught, and admitted taking several hundred dollars' worth of property within the last year. When caught in offices they explained that they were searching for cigar bands. The boys said they had all agreed to grow up to be robbers like some they had seen in a moving picture theater.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Importation of Strikebreakers at Chester, Pa., Causes Serious Rioting.

TOW[illegible] UNDER MARTIAL LAW

Thousands of [illegible] and Sympathizers Charge Po[illegible] Are Subdued by Fire [illegible].

Chester, Pa., April 15.—A strike of conductors, motormen and other employes of the Chester Traction company, followed by the importation of about 150 strikebreakers and the summoning of a detachment of the state constabulary to assist the local police in preventing violence, precipitated a series of clashes between strike sympathizers and state police yesterday. The state police were stoned and several officers and civilians were hurt, though none dangerously.

The events of the day have aroused the entire populace, and the town is practically under martial law.

Mob Charges Police.

The trouble started when a mob prepared to stop the running of cars by strikebreakers. The first car out of the barn was stoned and every window in it broken. This absolutely tied up every line of cars in Chester. While the strikers held themselves in readiness to prevent the operation of cars, a detachment of twenty state police came upon the scene. Their appearance aroused the ire of the strikers and the officers were stoned and rushed by the mob, but were finally driven back.

Several times thereafter the mounted police were compelled to charge the crowds and there were incipient riots, but the worst disturbance came at nightfall, when the strikers, augmented by several thousand men and women, charged the mounted police.

Turn Hose on Mob.

Some one turned in an alarm of fire and the engine came clanging through the crowded streets, driving the people right and left. The firemen were instructed to turn the water on the strikers and they were finally subdued. Half a dozen arrests were made.

The situation, while serious, is believed to presage no great trouble, and an effort will be made to-day to arbitrate the differences with the strikers. The strike was precipitated by the traction company announcing a 10 per cent reduction in wages.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

GOV. JOHNSON WARMLY WELCOMED

WOE FOR BOYS WHO SMOKE.

Truant Officer Appointed to Enforce Law in Echo.

Echo, Minn., April 15.—At a meeting of the school board here the chief of police was appointed truant officer, with instructions to see that scholars do not play "hookey" or use tobacco in any form. The law governing narcotics is to be strictly enforced, and all merchants have been warned not to sell tobacco to minors under eighteen years of age.

CANYON AFLAME

Black Hills Resort in Danger of Destruction.

Rapid City, S. D., April 15.—Spearfish canyon, with its scores of summer homes, is threatened by a fierce fire that is raging up the canyon eight miles from here. The new Fish & Hunter sawmill is in ashes and volunteers have been called for. This is the favorite beauty spot of the Black Hills, and Easterners have homes there.

Minnesota Governor Is Principal Speaker at Jefferson Banquet in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., April 15. — Gov. Johnson of Minnesota was given his first formal introduction to the Democrats of Kentucky at the banquet of the Jefferson club here, where he delivered the principal address of the evening. The welcome accorded him was an enthusiastic one, 500 diners sitting down at tables in the Sellbach Hotel Roof garden, while the remainder of the garden was filled with auditors by the time the speaking began. A number of Kentucky Democratic leaders were present, although pronounced political flavor was mitigated somewhat by the presence of Gov. Willson, Kentucky's Republican executive, and a party of friends. Gov. Willson delivered the address of welcome, and introduced his fellow executive to those present.

Gov. Johnson's speech, while rather brief, touched upon Democratic principles and the development of the Jeffersonian doctrines by present day deeds.

Gov. Johnson and party arrived late Sunday night from Shiloh battlefield, and after the banquet last night left in a special train for Chicago, en route to St. Paul.

CORLISS AND HEDBERG ELECTED DELEGATES

It Was A Case Of Playing Both Ends Of The District Against The Middle.

E. J. Herringer Of Norman County Nominated As Presidential Elector.

Delegates to the National Convention — E. E. Corliss, Fergus Falls; John Hedberg, Roseau.

Alternates—O. A. Netland, Dan Patterson, St. Hilaire.

The vote stood, Corliss 83; Hedberg 80; Kaiser 64; Huntoon 67.

E. J. Herringer of Norman County nominated as Presidential elector.

From Wednesday's Daily—

A swarm of delegates to the Ninth District Republican Convention met at the court house at 10:15 this morning and the call was read by John Peterson and Dr. G. S. Wattam of Warren was unanimously elected temporary chairman of the convention and J. W. Carl of Mahnomen Co., temporary secretary. On motion the following committees were named:

Resolution—R. J. Montague, Louis Hanson, A. G. Anderson, E. A. Nelson and Edward Valentine.

Credentials—D. W. Meeker, F. S. Lycan, O. U. Wamperstein, J. W. Eastman, and D. Robertson.

Permanent Organization — J. H. Grass, Dr. N. M. Watson, Dr. Bjoreby H. L. Falk and Martin Widsten.

A recess of ten minutes was taken prior to the naming of the committees:

G. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks, Polk county, introduced a resolution when the meeting again convened to the effect that the candidate to the Chicago convention announce himself for Taft before he be eligible for selection by the convention.

A division immediately occurred.

Bell of Roseau and Anderson of Fergus Falls objected and stated it should be referred to the resolutions committee. A. Kaiser of Bagley said he believed the resolution could be made to read as Bell desired it and Finlayson made that change. For a moment Bell withdrew, but on consultation with Anderson of Otter Tail on the floor he again proposed his amendment to the original motion that the endorsement of Taft be referred to the resolution committee.

Braggans of Marshall spoke for referring the resolution to the committee. Montague of Crookston said it would be either Taft or LaFollette at this district convention and wanted that matter adjusted at the first of the convention. Senator Stephens of Crookston spoke along the same lines pointing out that if opposition to Taft appeared in the convention here it would be developed by opposition papers as not unanimous for Taft which Taft's friends wished it to be and which he believed it would be.

Anderson of Fergus pushed the motion to refer it to the committee on resolutions.

The vote was 86 to 61 in favor of referring to the committee the counties voting as follows: Voting aye—Roseau, Kittson, Mahnomen, Marshall Norman, Otter Tail, Red Lake and Wilkin. Voting no—Becker, Beltrami Clearwater, Clay and Polk.

The Convention met at 2:19 this afternoon and the committee on permanent organization reported in favor of making the temporary organization permanent which was adopted. The committee on credentials reported no contests and the list of delegates appearing below was seated.

Pending the report of the committee on resolutions Mr. Corliss of Fergus Falls addressed the convention briefly and was followed by Judge Montague who was glad to see a live convention, preferring defeat in a convention of that kind than victory in a convention where no life or interest was shown.

After the selection of G. A. E. Finlayson as Asst. Secretary Mr. Huntoon of Moorhead made an address and was followed by A. Kaiser.

The Resolutions

The resolutions were read and adopted. Summarized the Roosevelt policies and emphatically endorsed Taft as his successor, expresed belief in the policy of protection and commended the work of Senators Clapp and Nelson and Representative Steenerson.

The Delegates

Becker County

P. S. Converse L. C. McKinistry, O. Wagensteen, H. S. Dahlon, Olous Bjornstad, Conrad Glaum, Ole A. Gire Thorval Potter, L. G. Moore, E. M. Bjorge and L. H. Haugum.

Beltrami

D. G. Smyth, J. G. Morrison, Jr., F. S. Lycan, J. C. Parker, Rowland Gilmore, F. W. Rhoda, A. P. White, A. R Erickson, C. E. Saxrud, Fred Olson, Chas. Carter, Gust Berg.

Clay

John H. Hanson, Tobey Edwards, C. S. Hodge, Robert Richards, A. R. Charest, D. W. Meeker, R. W. Richards, R. B. Webb, J. M. Bayer, J. T. Lommen, J. T. Johnson, Paul van Vlissengen (in place of J. J. Alrick.) Enoch Haglelin.

Clearwater

Albert Kaiser, M. J. Kolb, Harry Sinker, Arne J. Higdem, P. C. Bjorneby, R. E. Devereaux, J. W. Johnson, A. L. Gordon.

Kittson

E. A. Nelson, Lauritz Melgaard, Ole Brown, John SC. Lindgren, B. E. Sundberg, E. Ellis, J. D. Henry, A. L. Hunter, Frank Cowan.

Mahnomen

A. J. Andersen, oJe Bennet, J. T. Van Metre, John W. Carl, August Priske.

Norman

J. W. G. Anderson, Louis Hanson, J. M. Hetland, E. J. Herringer, D. C. Jones, Peter Gunderson, H. O. Hermonson, Gregor Moe, Martin Widsten, L. M. Hanson, Andrew K. Rude, A. T. Fellan.

Otter Tail

Hon. E. E. Corliss, A. G. Anderson, John H. Grass, Iver Bondy, T. J. Hilden, John Lauritzen, August Sitz, N. E. Nelson, O. H. Lee, A. D. Baker, D. M. Brown, C. R. Wright, Ole Larson, Ole H. Berg, A. B. Trana, Carl N. Haugen, H. N. Bruce, K. W. Bondy, H. T. Hille.

Polk

John Peterson, Andrew Opheim, R. J. Montague, A. D. Stephens, Donald Hamilton, William Brown, J. W. Wheeler, Levi Steenerson, Louis Lohn, Chas. Jefferson, John Carter, H. L. Falk, Chas. Martel, G. A. E. Finlayson, T. A. Sullivan, N. J. Nelson, George M. Swift.

Red Lake

N. M. Watson, Thomas Germo, A. P Toupin, J. A. Duffy, S. A. Swanson, H. E. Ives, Daniel Patterson, John W. Eastman, A. H. Fasel, D. P. O'Neill, Daniel Shaw, G. Halvorson.

Roseau

S. T. Holdahl, T. D. Thorson, Peter Alldrin, A. M. Pearson, R. J. Bell, R. Speeling, A. H. Foss, A. A. Burkee, H. E. Lockren.

Wilkin

Ed Jennings, Moyle Edwards, G. W. Bilsborrow, John Hult, J. O. Melby, E. Ballentine, E. Mattson, G. W. Burrows.

Marshall

C. A. Nelson, A. N. Eckstrom, Dr. G. S. Wattam, O. L. Melgard, E. J. Falkheid, A. B. Isaacson, W. A. Day, T. A. Green.

CONGRESS WARNED BY PRESIDENT

Vetoes Rainy River Project and in Vigorous Style Explains His Reasons.

MUST CONSERVE RESOURCES

Interest of All People Pleaded in Support of President's Stream Rights' Policy.

Washington, April 15.—In a special message vetoing a dam bill, President Roosevelt yesterday warned congress that there are pending in this session bills which propose to give away without price stream rights capable of developing 1,300,000 horse-power, the production of which would equal annually the production of 25,000,00 tons of coal. The president urged in vigorous terms the establishment of a policy, such as the filibustering minority in the house demands, which would safeguard the granting of bridge and dam privileges, and require the grantees to pay for them.

He definitely announced a future policy on his part with regard to prompt utilization of construction privileges by refusing his signature to a bill giving an additional three years to the Rainy River Improvement company of Minnesota within which to build a dam in the Rainy river.

Policy Is Set Forth.

"In place of the present haphazard policy of permanently alienating valuable property," said the president, "we should substitute a definite policy along the following lines:

"First—There should be a limited or carefully guarded grant in the nature of an option or opportunity afforded within reasonable time for development of plans and for execution of the project.

"Second—Such a grant or concession should be accompanied in the act making the grant by a provision expressly making it the duty of the designated official to annul the grant if the work is not begun or plans are not carried on in accordance with the authority granted.

In Interest of Public.

"Third—It should also be the duty of some designated official to see to it that in approving the plans the maximum development of the navigation and power is assured, or at least in making the plans these may not be so developed as ultimately to interfere with the better utilization of the water or complete development of the power.

"Fourth—There should be a license fee or charge which, though small or nominal at the outset, can in the future be adjusted so as to secure a control in the interest of the public.

"Fifth — Provision should be made for the termination of the grant or privilege at a definite time, leaving to future generations the power or authority to renew or extend the concession in accordance with the conditions which may prevail at that time."

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COST OF KISS CUT TO $4,750.

Mrs. Bergman Satisfies Second Jury That Landlord Misused Her.

Duluth, April 15.—Mrs. Olga Bergman of Hibbing was yesterday awarded $4,750 for a kiss. This is a reduction of $250 from the verdict at the first trial.

She was a tenant of Jacob Kitz of Hibbing and declared that he stole a kiss from her by force one day when he came for the rent. Mr. Kitz set up a defense that he was being blackmailed, but two juries have found that Mrs. Bergman was kissed against her will and fixed the damages.

DOINGS IN CONGRESS

House Dashes Hopes of Naval Officers for Increased Pay.

Washington, April 14. — Unlooked-for progress was made by the house yesterday in the consideration of the naval appropriation bill. When it was laid aside for the day it had been one-half disposed of, and the advocates of the four battleships proposition were aligning themselves in preparation for the fight on that subject, which probably will occur to-day. The hopes of the officers of the navy and marine corps for an increase in pay were dashed to the ground when, on a point of order by Mr. Madden of Illinois, there was stricken from the bill the provision for such increase.

The brief session of the senate yesterday was devoted to the transaction of routine business.

WANTS TO HOLD JOB

Des Moines Change of Government Leads to Lawsuit.

Des Moines, April 15.—James Jones, chief of police under the old regime of the city government, yesterday instituted proceedings to prevent Will Hume, appointed by the commissioners, from becoming chief of police. Jones claims he is entitled to hold his office under the old soldiers' preference law.

MAY DIE OF 30-FOOT FALL.

Iowan Has No Broken Bones, but Is Internally Injured.

Webster City, Iowa, April 15. — While watching a tenement house fire yesterday from the Illinois Central viaduct Jay Lynch stepped backward and pitched downward thirty feet. Not a bone in the man's body was broken, but internal injuries may prove fatal.

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TO CURB THE POWER OF COURTS

Senate Bill to Meet Conflicts Between Federal Courts and State Officials.

Washington, April 15. — To meet conflicts between federal courts and state authorities, such as have arisen during the past year in Minnesota, North Carolina, Alabama and other states, the senate committee on the judiciary yesterday reported a bill directing the method of procedure in cases where an effort is made in the federal courts to enjoin state officials from enforcing state laws. The bill is a compromise between measures introduced by Senators Overman, Bacon and the late Senator Bryan of Florida, and was reported by Mr. Overman. It has created much attention at the hands of the committee and is intended not only to lessen the frequency of injunctions in such cases, but to modify and soften the process when it is resorted to. It prohibits any one federal judge from granting such an injunction, but requires that all applications for such orders shall be heard by at least three federal judges, two of whom shall be circuit judges, while the third may be either a circuit or a district judge. It also requires at least five days' notice to state authorities and grants appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

INSANE; BLOWS OUT BRAINS.

Young Man Left Alone on Farm Near Caledonia Commits Suicide.

Caleronia, Minn., April 15. — Paul Deters, aged twenty-two years, son of George Deters, residing on a farm twelve miles south of here, while his parents were at church at Eitzen, took a shotgun and blew out his brains. He had made threats of self-destruction. His mind has been impaired since he had the grip.

BODY BADLY MANGLED

Man Struck by Train Believed to Be William Houser.

St. Paul, April 15.—With the head almost severed and the arms torn from the sockets, the body of a man apparently thirty years old, believed to be William Houser of Stonington, Ill., was picked up yesterday morning near Hazel Park, on the Omaha road. The man had evidently been walking on the track and had been struck by a passing train.

HARMONY SLOGAN OF REPUBLICANS

POLK COUNTY CONVENTION HELD HERE TODAY AND BUSINESS DISPOSED OF IN RECORD TIME — TAFT, NELSON, CLAPP, AND STEENERSON WARMLY ENDORSED AND KAISER AND KELLOGG FAVORED AS DELEGATES TO NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION—ALL BUSINESS CONCLUDED BEFORE NOON—MASSEE IS CHAIRMAN AND GEORGE SECRETARY

From Thursday's Daily—

The Republican County Convention for Polk Co., convened at the court house this morning at 10 o'clock and was one of the most harmonious ever held in the county and disposed of all business in record time finishing up all business and taking final adjournment before noon.

Temporary organization was effected by the election of F. C. Massee chairman and L. E. George secretary The following committees were then named:

Credentials—John Carter, John Holton, L. W. Larson, J. S. Rosholt, Lewis Lohn.

Resolutions—R. J. Montague, Gunder Krostue, K. K. Hoffard, J. H. Stair G. A. E. Finlayson.

Permanent Organization — Anton Jenson, Harry L. Falk, T. Reep.

Nominating Committee—G. A. E. Finlayson, Gunder Krostue, John Holton, A. D. Stephens, James Campbell.

The committee on permanent organization reported favoring making the temporary organization permanent and this was unanimously adopted.

Perfect Harmony Prevailed

The reports of the committees on nomination for the delegates to the state and district conventions were adopted with out a dissenting vote and the report of the committee on resolutions was enthusiastically endorsed and appears below. There were no contesting delegations and the work of the committee on credentials was easy.

Kaiser and Kellogg

A. Kaiser mentioned first by the Journal months ago as good timber for one of the delegates to the National Republican convention was endorsed by the convention from this district and Frank B. Kellogg was endorsed as a delegate from the state at large to the same convention.

Delegates Here

Following is a list of the delegates present:

Crookston

First ward—H. L. Falk, Felix Fournet.

Second ward—John Munroe, John Carter.

Third ward—Richard Cooper, R. J. Montague.

Fourth ward—A. D. Stephens, R. C. Burkhardt, L. W. Larson.

Fifth ward—Roy Stainbrook, J. D. Moran.

Sixth ward—O. N. J. Hagen, J. H. Stair.

Seventh ward—John Peterson, G. H. Bang.

Eighth ward—J. D. McPhee, Geo. Wilde.

Climax

Norman Roshold, John H. Braseth.

Crookston Township

J. M. Stephens, A. J. Kelly.

Eden

John Lindberg, E. O. Bakke.

Fertile

John Holten, L. E. George.

Fosston

J. E Campbell, S. S. Stadsvold, Lewis Lohn.

Garfield

L. J. Bangen, Knute A. Bolstad.

Gentilly

O. A. Martell.

Hubbard

T. Reek, Christ Halsa.

Huntsville

C. L. Coulter.

Hill River

Fred S. Syverson.

McIntosh

K. K. Hoffard, Anton Jenson.

East Grand Forks

J. B Busch, T. Ellestad, Ed Lodgard, Alex. Thompson, G. A. E. Finlayson, J. Howes, F. C. Massee, Paul Hagen.

Fisher

Gunder Krostue, D. A. Hamilton.

Nesbit

John A. Hanna, W. M. Brown.

Tilden

J. T. Farden, Herman Camp.

Delegates Elected

State Convention—
Thomas R. Brown, Jr.
Paul Hagen.
John Holton.
C. M. Berg.
Gunder Krostue.
L. W. Larson.
R. J. Montague.
C. A. Hitchcock.
T. A. Harris.
F. C. Massee.
T. A. Sullivan.
S. S. Stadsvold.
Norman Rosholt.
James M. Stephens.
L. E. George.
Felix Fournet.
C. S. Helsa.

District Convention—
John Peterson.
Andrew Pheim.
R. J. Montague,
A. D. Stephens.
Donald Hamilton.
Wm. Brown.
J. W. Wheeler.
Levi Steenerson.
Louis Lohn.
Chas. Jefferson.
John Carter.
H. L. Falk.
Chas. Martell.
G. A. E. Finlayson.
K. K. Hoffard.
N. J. Nelson.
Geo. M. Swift.

Platform Adopted

The Republican County Convention of Polk County, Minnesota in convention assembled at Crookston, this April 9th, 1908, do hereby adopt the following as a declaration of its principles:

1. We declare our firm allegiance to the principles of the Republican party as expressed in its last national platform.

2. We heartily approve the administration of Theodore Roosevelt as president in his strenuous enforcement of the law and in upholding the rights of the people, and in extending the honor, dignity and prestige of the United States among the nations of the world.

3. We fully endorse the acts and conduct of Hon. Knute Nelson and Moses E. Clapp our United States Senators and especially commend the untiring and successful efforts of Hon Halvor Steenerson our Representative in Congress in behalf of the people in his district; for the extension of the rural mail routes and the bringing about of a more equitable administration of the public land laws in the interest of homestead settlers deserves special commendation.

4. We heartily endorse the candidacy of William H. Taft as the Republican candidate for president of the United States and that in the adoption of these resolutions, each person selected as a delegate whether to the state or district convention is pledged to use all honorable means to secure the nomination of William H. Taft as the candidate of our party for President.

—R. J. Montague,
—Gunder Krostue,
—K. K. Hoffard,
—J. H. Stair,
—G. A. E. Finlayson.

"Not a bad hand me down," said the young man as a legacy of a million from his grandfather was given him.

A man's idea of going into politics is not being on speaking terms with his neighbor over something neither of them understand.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST BANK IN NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

YOUNG WILL FIGHT; MAKES A STATEMENT

Attorney General Edward T. Young has bid defiance to the "interests". In a letter to the Duluth Herald, published today, he declares that the rail roads, the steel trust and the liquor interests cannot scare him out of the race for governor.

The letter is called forth by stories that Young would withdraw because he could not win against the opposition of corporations, who had put their "O. K." on J. F. Jacobson.

It will cause a political sensation, and will no doubt spur Young's friends to activity. Up to date his campaign has not been pushed, but now that the issue is drawn and the attorney general has given his "dare" to the liquor interests and the corporations the battle will become hot all along the line.

Text of the Broadside

Mr. Young's letter is as follows:

St. Paul, April 7, 1908.

"Editor Duluth-Herald, Duluth, Minn.—Dear Sir: In your Sunday edition you published an article headed 'Young is to Quit the Race for the Governorship.' You say that I am going to withdraw, realizing the impossibility of winning against the combined opposition of the railroads, the liquor interests and the timber barons. You say that I am up against a stone wall, because, in addition to Jacobson's personal following, there is Dunn's report and the support of that strong faction that does as Dunn says and without which no man can succeed.'

"You say further: 'Next the corporate interests have tied up with Jake. Here is Dar Reese representing the liquor interests; Ed Smith of Minneapolis, representing the railroad interests; Tom Shevlin of Minneapolis, representing the lumber interests; Lee Willcutts and W. W. Rich representing the federal machine, all openly supporting Jake. All of these have been fighting Jake in all previous history, but now when they had to choose between Jake and Young, they chose Jake. Young had to fight his battles alone.'

Has Not Been Alone

"You do me a great injustice, Mr. Editor, when you say that because I have no corporate support, I have been fighting my battles alone and you also do me an injustice by saying that I am going to withdraw from the fight thru fear of the opposition of these interests. I have had to fight those interests and many others for the last three years in court, trying to uphold the rights of the people, and I am not afraid to fight them again in a republican convention. Instead of the fight for the gubernatorial nomination being over it has only just begun.

Has Realized Condition

"The fact that the liquor and corporate interests are opposing my candidacy has been known to me and to everyone in this capitol for some time As attorney general I have made the saloons obey the law as to closing at night and on Sunday. I have diligently prosecuted the timber trespassers, and have recovered many judgments against them, recently one in the supreme court against Tom Shevlin's company for over $16,000. James J. Hill is reported to have said recently in a speech in Minneapolis, that I had injured the state by interfering with his efforts to inflate his stocks. The opposition, therefore, of these interests, and of the group of politicians and newspapers that are habitually controlled by them, was to be expected. It is known that they have all united in this campaign, and that Bob Dunn, the favorite of Tom Shevlin and the timber 'interests,' has been appointed their general agent to take charge of the campaign against me. He has openly declared that he was going to 'skin' me.

Believes Party is with Him

"But, Mr. Editor, I beg to advise you that Bob Dunn, Dar Reese and Tom Shevlin do not constitute the republican party and it is not necessary to secure their favor before becoming a candidate for governor. The republican party is on the square. It stands for the regulation of railroads and the preservation of the timber and other property of the state. The republican party approves of the crusade against lawlessness which I have conducted, and I do not believe it is in this campaign, going to 'skin' me in order to please the interests that are opposed to law enforcement.

"The 'bandwagon' in the republican party is controlled by the people and not by the 'interests.' Bob Dunn and his assortment of 'interests' are not going to be allowed to take possession of the party machinery or dictate its policies or candidates; nor is Dar Reese going to be able to put the liquor interests in the republican saddle.

Won't Bow to Dictation

"I am a candidate for the republican nomination and am going to present my candidacy to the convention when it meets. I am positively not gonig to withdraw because the interests have agreed to prevent my nomination. The governorship is not going to be put up at auction and sold to the highest corporate bidder. The republicans are not going to tolerate corporate or liquor interference in their convention, but are going to make the nominations solely with a view to promoting the cause of good government. Yours truly,

—E. T. Young."

COST ESTIMATED AT ABOUT $250,000

POSTMASTER STEENERSON HAS RECEIVED ESTIMATES OF COST OF GIGANTIC DAM AND WATER POWER PROPOSITION NEAR CLIMAX—THE PLANS AND PRELIMINARY BLUE PRINTS PROVIDE FOR EVERYTHING BUT THE LOCK NECESSARY TO KEEP THE RED RIVER OPEN TO NAVIGATION

Postmaster Elias Steenerson has received blue prints and an estimate of the cost of the proposed dam and water power on the Red River near Climax in which, together with Knute Aker and others he is interested.

The Ambursen Hydraulic Construction Co., from whom the blue prints and estimates were received, estimate the cost of the proposed dm and water power at $250,000 and they consider the project entirely feasible.

Their plans however do not take into consideration a lock for the passage of boats in order that the river can be kept open to navigation, and in this particular will have to be revised. The scheme for the dam resulted from the agitation in conection with street railways and an interurban line connecting Grand Forks, Fargo and Crookston, and the necessity of cheap electric power. There is an immense power available near Climax and it is simply a matter of time before it is developed.

Following is the letter from the Ambursen Hydraulic Construction Co., one of the largest and most reliable in the United States:

Boston, Apr. 6, '08.

Mr. Elias Steenerson,
Crookston, Minn.

Dear Sir: I am sending you, under another cover, blue print of about such a layout as we would consider for the Red River project. You will note that this includes a power house, log sluice and movable crest and a core-wall and earth embankment on each end.

With regard to the estimate I have worked it out as closely as possible in view of my general knowledge of the situation. It looks to us as if the maximum cost of the whole thing would be about $250,000. In this I have included a cofferdam at $20,000. This is a pretty large figure but if the bottom of this river is as soft as I understand it, it will probably be quite a job to hold the water

I have also included $3,000 for liability insurance on workmen and all questions like buildings, shanties, office, etc. I have also put in a general contingency fund of $20,000 for the unknown contingencies.

I do not wish to have you consider that this estimate is a binding one but as representing my best knowledge at present. When you go ahead with the plan I should wish to get on to the ground and make a very careful examination before submitting a final estimate. I do not think, however, it will vary very materially from the figures above given but is likely to vary in one direction as the other.

Awaiting your further favors, I am

Yours very truly,
Ambursen Hydraulic Construction Co.
—W. L. Church,
President.

COUNTIES PICK TAFT DELEGATES

SOLID DELEGATION FROM MINNESOTA INSTRUCTED FOR WAR SECRETARY IS CERTAIN—COUNTY CONVENTIONS HELD — DELEGATES TO STATE AND DISTRICT CONVENTIONS NAMED AND MOST OF THEM INSTRUCTED

From Saturday's Daily—

In the county conventions which were held Thursday throughout the state for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican state convention to be held in Minneapolis next Thursday. Taft has made a clean sweep. He will have the solid twenty-two delegates from this state and they will be instructed to vote for him first, last and all the time.

He will have the state convention and every district convention by overwhelming majorities. There will not be enough delegates opposed to him in the conventions to make a noise.

The hopes of the La Follette people were shattered. Their hopes of strength in the Fifth congressional district, Hennepin, having gone glimmering at the primaries Tuesday night, they still talked of strength in the Seventh and Ninth, yet every county in both districts that had reported last night was for Taft.

Program for Thursday.

When the state convention meets at Minneapolis next Thursday it will elect F. B. Kellogg of St. Paul, W. W. Heffelfinger of Minneapolis and E. B. Hawkins of Duluth as three of the four delegates at large. The fourth will come from either the First or Second district. W. B. Parsons of Winona will have the indorsement of his district. Two districts in the Second instructed for Senator F. E. Putnam and one for Frank Hunt of Mankato.

In the First district every county reported Taft instructions except two, which reported indorsements without instructions. Senator A. S. Campbell of Austin and Dr. J. H. Adair of Owatonna were indorsed for district delegates and will be the choice.

In the Second district there are three counties to hear from, one for Taft without instructions and the rest instructed for him. T. C. Collins of Windom will be one of the delegates and the other will be either F. W. Betz of Fairmont or George H. Somerville of Sleepy Eye.

In the Third there are three to report, five instructed and one for Taft without instructions. C. M. Buck of Faribault and G. J. Bradley of Norwood received several indorsements for district delegates and will probably be elected.

The Fourth and Fifth districts went solid with Taft instructions. The fourth instructed for W. B. Webster and G. H. Sullivan for delegates, and the Fifth elected W. H. Eustis and Otto E. Greeley as delegates.

Eight districts in the Sixth instructed for Taft, one indorsed him without instructions, one elected Taft men, one gave no instructions and one has not reported. Senator C. J. Gunderson of Alexandria and Senator S. F. Alderman of Brainerd were indorsed by several counties for delegates and probably will be elected.

Has Second Chance.

In the Seventh thirteen counties instructed for Taft and one is yet to report. Redwood, however, made La Follette second choice.

Six counties in the Eighth reported Taft instructions, and the others have not yet reported. Anoka indorsed Senator C. J. Swanson of Fridley for district delegate, and St. Louis indorsed J. B. Cotton of Duluth. These will probably be the team.

Mille Lac county's delegation to both conventions will be headed by R. C. Dunn of Princeton. Mille Lac is solid for Taft.

The Ninth reported ten counties instructed for Taft and three have not been heard from.

TAFT'S STRENGTH WORRIES ALLIES

Washington, D. C., April 9.—The anti-Taft element which is known here as the "Allies" are becoming desperate. Today their press bureau gives out statements to the effect that several country newspapers in Minnesota are violating the postal laws by issuing Taft supplements. A letter received by Postmaster General Meyer is here given:

"Postmaster General, Washington, D. C.

"Dear Sir: It has been brought to my notice that campaign boomers for methods which I believe to be at least Secretary of War Taft are using not compatible with postal rules and regulations, and I therefore respectfully request that you investigate at least 'Supplements' to small newspapers, which are being distributed lavishly throughout the west and particularly thru Minnesota. The supplement is nothing more or less than advertising, much of which seems to be in use during this campaign. I quote to you a headline in the supplement which is a distinct sheet and not attached in any manner to the paper in question, the News of Canby, Minn., of the date of Friday March 27. The headlines follow:

Writer Quotes Headlines

" 'Taft the logical candidate,' 'Boom sweeps the country,' 'The one man fitted by ability, experience and sympathy.' and so on; 'Enviable roll of noteworthy deeds of statesmanship,' 'Mounting Taft Bandwagon,' 'Most notable journey ever taken by an American official,' 'Long cherished ambition is thrice brushed aside; high sense of public duty promotes Secretary Taft three times to decline elevation to the supreme bench of the United States,' and so on. In addition there is a large two column picture of Secretary Taft.

'I quite now at random, a few of the sub-lines in the bodies of the articles 'boom is spentaneous,' 'hardest worker in administration,' 'victory a foregone conclusion.'

"I am inclined to believe that as this can be construed as nothing but advertising, it is an infraction of the postal clause which prohibits the addition of an attached supplement to a newspaper, which does not contain anything but advertising matter.

"Trusting you will look into this matter at once, I am, very truly yours, —J. A. Miller."

When called to the attention of the Taft managers here Frank Hitchcock former first assistant postmaster general smiled and said that the "Allies" are pretty hard up when they resort to such tactics.

CO. TREASURER HAS A SURPLUS

WILLIAM VANNET HAS 31 CENTS MORE THAN ACCOUNTED FOR

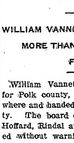
William Vannet county treasurer for Polk county, got 31 cents somewhere and handed it over to the county. The board of auditors, Messrs. Hoffard, Rindal and Lanctot, descended without warning on the county treasurer's office this morning for the annual audit. Mr. Vannet's money on hand showed 31 cents over what he should have had.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

Veteran Commits Suicide.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 11. — Col. William L. De Lacey, a prominent lawyer, committed suicide yesterday by inhaling illuminating gas. He was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and served in the Civil war.



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Has only 2 parts inside bowl—easily and quickly washed. Low supply tank—easy to pour milk into—see picture. All working parts enclosed, keeping out dirt and protecting the operator. Many other *exclusive* advantages. Call and see a U. S. For sale by

For Sale By S. L. Collins, N. Main St.

WAS DELIRIOUS WITH ECZEMA

On Chest, Back, and Head—Pain, Heat, and Tingling Were Excruciating—Nerves in Exhausted Condition—Sleep Badly Broken.

CURE BY CUTICURA SEEMED LIKE MAGIC

"Words cannot express the gratitude I feel for what Cuticura Remedies have done for my daughter, Adelaide. She is fifteen years of age, and had never had anything the matter with her skin until four months ago, when an eruption broke out on her chest. The first symptom was a redness, and then followed thickening and blisters, which would break and run matter. I took her to a doctor, and he pronounced it to be eczema of a very bad form. He treated her, but instead of being checked, the disease spread. It showed itself on her back, and then quickly spread upwards until the whole of her head was affected, and all her hair had to be cut off. The pain she suffered was excruciating, and what with that and the heat and tingling her life was almost unbearable. She became run down in health, and at times was very feverish, languid, and drowsy, and occasionally she was delirious. Her nerves were in such a low state that she could not bear to be left alone. In spite of the cold weather she would insist on having her bedroom window open, and would lean out on the window-sill. She did not have a proper hour's sleep for many nights. The second doctor we tried afforded her just as little relief as the first, and I really do not know what we should have done if we had not read how Cuticura cured a similar case. I purchased Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills, and before the Ointment was three-quarters finished every trace of the disease was gone. It really seemed like magic. Her hair is coming on nicely, and I still apply the Cuticura Ointment as I find it increases the growth wonderfully. Mrs. T. W. Hyde, 1, Ongar Place, Brentwood, Essex, England, Mar. 8, 1907."

Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

NEW TOWN BEING BORN

HILL RIVER TO HAVE BIG CREAMERY AND LOCAL STORE

O. J. MATTSON HEADS CREAMERY—CHAS. E. PETERSON, McINTOSH MERCHANT

From Thursday's Daily—

Within the next few days a new town will be under way with the erection of a co-operative creamery and a store at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 15 in Hill River. The location confronts a beautiful little lake and a cross roads. The officers and board of managers of the creamery are, O. J. Mattson, Pres.; Mattias Lindfors, Vice pres.; A. J. Mattson, secretary; Martin Christianson, Treas.; H. H. Disrud, Peter Agnes, Hoken Olsen, John Brom and Christ Ulseth directors. The creamery will be erected by the Hill River Creamery Association at $5000 capital with 200 shoreholders and a credit of $1000.

The creamery will manufacture butter and cheese.

A store will be started next to the creamery by Chas. E. Peterson, now with Everett Southmayd at McIntosh.

Hill River is one of best towns in the county and on account of the energy of its population will have t town on this location inside of five years.

The harbingers of spring have begun their harbings—there's caws for it too, so we've heard.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

TOWNS IN FOR TROUBLE

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES INDIVIDUAL CANNOT HOLD TWO OFFICES

TOWN CLERK AND ASSESSOR HAVE TO SEPARATE IDENTITY

Seven towns thruout Polk county as well as other towns in other counties of Minnesota are facing a change in the officers which they elected at the last township election, the change coming from Attorney General Young in the Capitol at St. Paul.

In seven towns of Polk county early in March (Esther, Wm. Pape; Brislet, George Anderson; Grove Park, Louis W. Borchert; Helgeland, Christian Anderson; Nesbit, Jas. Gilmour; Northland, Arne G. Bratvold; and Queen, H. M. Dahlholen) the same gentleman was chosen town clerk and assessor. By the opinion of the attorney general of the state this will have to be changed. In acordance with this notice three towns have already thru their boards appointed an assessor (Esther, Erick Hagen; Helgeland, Albert J. Pederson; Queen, H. S. Lade.) The other towns have not yet been heard from.

One of the officials connected with the offices in question writes that the double position only created enemies and he was glad the attorney general ruled as he did.

GREAT NORTHERN IS CONVICTED

IS FOUND GUILTY IN CIRCUIT COURT OF GRANTING REBATES

The Great Northern Railway company was convicted of granting rebates to the American Sugar Refining company by a jury in the United States circuit court in New York yesterday. Penalty will be imposed by Judge Holt.

The shipments of sugar on which the rebates were paid were made to Ioux City, Iowa, in 1902. The rebates were paid in 1904.

The trial was begun before Judge Holt and a jury yesterday, and was completed during the day, including arguments of counsel. The evidence was confined to the proof of a few necessary facts, and then rested entirely upon the questions of law involved. Judge Holt charged the jury and his interpretation of the law strongly favored the government's contention. ad the case been a civil one, and not a criminal action, the court said it would have instructed the jury to return a verdict in favor of the complainant, but, being a criminal action, the law did not permit such instructions.

PLAN M. O. WATERWORKS.

East Grand Forks Commercial Club and Council Get Voters' Consent.

East Grand Forks, Minn., April 9.—The voters of this city, through the efforts of the city council and the Commercial club, have authorized the issuance of $50,000 bonds for the purpost of securing a water works system for fire and domestic purposes. It is proposed to run the plant by electricity.

DIES IN FORTY-HOUR DEVOTION.

Mrs. Wallerich Succumbs While in Church at Wabasha.

Wabasha, Minn., April 9 — While taking part in the forty hours' devotions in St. Felix Catholic church, Mrs. John Wallerich was stricken suddenly and was carried dying from her pew. Death occurred before she could be taken from the building.

New Postmaster at Corbin.

Washington, April 9. — Albert J. Filiatrault was yesterday appointed postmaster at Corbin, St. Louis county, Minn., vice Charles Johnson, resigned.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the gest blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Sold by all druggists 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

TAKE AWAY HIS PLUNDER

SENATOR NELSON INTRODUCED FISH HATCHERY BILL FOR ALEXANDRIA

NOW NORTH DAKOTA COMBINATION MAY PUT IT AT MAPLE LAKE

From Thursday's Daily—

Private communication was received in this city this morning from Washington revealing a little of humor in the discussion and uproar about the fish hatchery bill for Northern Minnesota introduced by Senator Nelson into the United States Senate.

The Crookston supporters as noted in last night's Journal have secured a combination with Grand Forks interests at Maple Lake whereby citizens there will secure the support of the North Dakota delegation at Washington for the placing of the fish hatchery at Maple Lake. This will perhaps be more than Senator Nelson bargained for.

For the Senator, tho the bill does not state location, intended the hatchery for his home town of Alexandria which is surrounded by a series of beautiful lakes. That is the statement in the letter received here this morning.

Perhaps the Senator estimated that Alexandria would be lost sight of in the uproar that has arisen among several of the cities in the northern part of the state to get the hatchery, and Alexandria would find her way softly to the front when the hatchery was put in. However with the support of the North Dakota delegation Alexandria may lose out and "never get her name mentioned for the presidency" as the recipient of letter here stated today.

SERVICE STRIPES FOR G. N. OFFICIALS

ONE STRIPE DESIGNATE EACH FIVE YEARS OF FAITHFUL SERVICE ON ROAD

A movement is on foot among the combined employes of both the dining and sleeping car departments of the Great Northern to institute a system of service stripes for faithful service one stripe to designate each five years' service. This system has been in practice on several of the eastern roads and has created a feeling of loyalty of the employes to the company, besides being a source of pride to the wearer.

It is well known that the employes of these two departments come more in touch with the traveling public than any other departments of the railroad and are certainly entitled to some credit for their faithful work and service.

This small recognition of the good service of the employes in both of these departments would greatly lend to create a feeling of loyaltty of the employes to the company and would command a great deal of respect from the public and is a favor that the employes are entitled to, it is urged.

MRS. ADELE PROULX DEPARTS THIS LIFE

Mrs. Adele Proulx 349 S. Broadway aged 76 departed this life last evening at 6:50 p. m. of old age. Mrs. Proulx is the mother of Mrs. E. Bourbonniere Mrs. George Arel, both of Crookston Miss Meline Proulx of St. Joseph's Orphanage Winnipeg, Mrs. E. Larame St. Bonaventure d'Upton, Province Quebec, and Mr. Peter Proulx, Boston, Mass. Mrs. Proulx has been a resident of Crookston four years, coming here from St. Pie d'Ayr, Province of Quebec.

It has been decided to inter the remains at Letellier, Manitoba, and the remains will be embalmed and shipped to that place on the flyer Saturday morning at 2:10.

STRUCK BY TRAIN; KILLED.

Eric Hesselgren, Pioneer Railroad Employe, Meets Death.

Brainerd, Minn., April 10. — Eric G. Hesselgren, aged fifty-eight, was killed by a passenger train last night. He stepped before the train, was struck by the engine and was thrown fifteen feet, dying instantly. He had worked for the Northern Pacific in Brainerd since 1881.

SHOT KILLS BROTHER.

Six-year-old Lad Is Victim of Target Shooting Accident.

Benson, Minn., April 10.—The six-year-old son of Peter Anderson of Lamp Lake was accidentally shot by an older brother yesterday. The boys were shooting at a mark with a 22-caliber rifle, when it was accidentally discharged while being pointed toward the boy.

THREE WOMEN BEHIND CURTAIN

CONVERSATION BETWEEN DR. FAWCETT AND LILLIE SCHMOCHEL

AS TO REFUSAL OF DOCTOR TO PERFORM OPERATION AS REQUESTED

From Thursday's Daily—

It is expected that the defense in the case of the state vs. Dr. John Fawcett at Grand Forks will close its case today. All day yesterday was taken up in the examination of witnesses for the defense and it was regarded as a fairly good day for the doctor. Miss Jennie Dunning, assistant in the doctor's office, was excused after cross examination by the state. In her testimony she stated that $25 had been paid by Lillie Schmochel on the occasion of her second visit to the office. This was not the ordinary fee in the office, she stated, the usual charge for consultation being $1. The fee paid by the Schmochel girl insured her attendance until she had recovered.

Behind the Curtain

From the testimony yesterday it appeared that there were three women behind a curtain, which separated the doctor's office from that occupied by Misses Dunning and Shafer as a sleeping room, on the occasion of the visit of the Schmochel girl. Miss Shafer Miss Bolton and Mrs. Belt were there and heard the conversation of Dr. Fawcett and Miss Schmochel.

Miss Bolton did not remember the date but heard all the conversation in which the doctor refused to perform a criminal operation. Until a week ago she did not mention the matter to Dr. Fawcett. Mrs. Belt gave similar testimony to that of Miss Bolton.

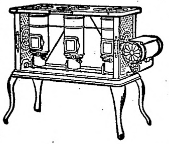
No Hearsay Testimony

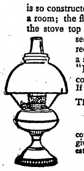
Mrs. Geo. Swanson who conducts the hospital in East Grand Forks in which Miss Schmochel went from the office of Dr. Fawcett, was sworn but the court shut out all hearsay testimony and she did not get a chance to give evidence of any great importance.

Dr. J. E. Engstad was called as a witness on the part of the defense. Today Dr. J. P. Kirk, of East Grand Forks, is on the stand for the defense.

Choose Hughes Delegates.

New York, April 11.—A practically solid Hughes delegation to Chicago was chosen in Greater New York last night. Of the eighteen congressional district conventions thirteen instructed their delegates to vote for Gov. Hughes for the presidential nomination "until he is nominated or until his name is withdrawn." Two other delegations were instructed to work and vote for Hughes.





Put This Stove in Your Kitchen

It is wonderfully convenient to do kitchen work on a stove that's ready at the instant wanted, and out of the way the moment you're done. Such a stove is the New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove. By using it you avoid the continuous overpowering heat of a coal fire and cook with comfort, even in dog-days. The

NEW PERFECTION
Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

is so constructed that it cannot add perceptibly to the heat of a room; the flame being directed up a retaining chimney to the stove top where it is needed for cooking. You can see that a stove sending out heat in but *one* direction would be preferable on a hot day to a stove radiating heat in *all* directions. The "New Perfection" keeps a kitchen uniformly comfortable. Three sizes, fully warranted. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

The Rayo Lamp is the ideal lamp for family use—safe, convenient, economical and a great light giver. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

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COLLINS RIDDLES THORNTON'S LAWYER

EAST GRAND FORKS MAN WALKS ALL OVER LAWLER'S COMPLAINT

Attorney Collins walked up and down over Dan W. Lawler's complaint in the case of M. E. Thornton vs. East Grand Forks for about $5000 on paving contracts completed in 1902. He appeared before Judge Watts today and demurred to the complaint because it did not state sufficient cause of action and because the statute of limitations made it ineffective. The Judge granted the demurrer. Lawler was formerly candidate for governor on the democratic ticket.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Some people's minds work so cleverly they will jump into a river to get out of the rain.

FARMERS START MUTUAL FIRE CO.

VINELAND FARMERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO., BEGINS BUSINESS

Authorized by state laws of March 9, 1875 certain farmers in the town of Vineland along the Red River have received certificate of that authority today thru their representative, A. O. Stortroen cashier of the Fisher bank who is in town and will begin business to issue policies at once and operate until March 1909. The certificate was signed by John H. Hartigan, state insurance commissioner and is the first issued for many years in Polk county.

Kills Wife; Shoots Self.

Pittsburg, April 11. — William F. Reiss, who yesterday morning was found in his home unconscious and apparently dying from a bullet wound, while his wife lay dead in her bed, also the victim of a bullet, confessed late yesterday, it is alleged, that he fired the two shots.

Before taking a header be sure you are right.

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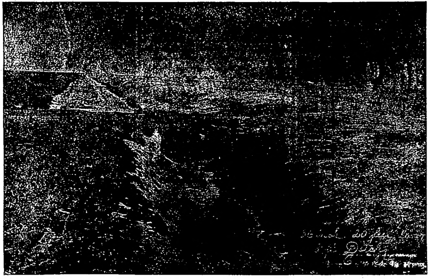

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Cheaper Means ot Communication

No less than five bills relating to the investigation and regulation of telegraph and telephone companies are now before congress. Their provisions range all the way from government ownership to reduction of rates and prohibition of the franking privilege now enjoyed by national legislators

The service by the new telegraph company, the Telepost, is the inspiration of a number of these proposals The Telepost will carry messages for a cent a word between all points,, delivering by messenger in the usual way. Our "teleposts" delivered at destination thru the mails the rate is half a cent a word It will also carry free the filing time and time of arrival at the receiving office.

Members of congress to whom it has been demonstrated that a profitable business can be done at these rates say that they will press for reforms until some action is taken.

The bill fathered by Senator La Follette calls for a thorough investigation of the telegraph , companies, with a view ultimately of taking them over as a part of the postal service. A step in this direction has already been taken in the adoption by the Telepost of the plan to make postmen the messengers for the delivery of telegrams. This plan would apply only when the sender's purposes are satisfied by delivery any time during the business day.

Significant Statements.

Gov. Johnson said several things at the monument dedication at Shiloh last Friday, things that will cause people who heard them, or who have since read them to stop and think a minute. The Journal published the first paragraph from his address before, but will repeat it with others for further consideration:

"In this hour where there seems to be a disposition to depart from the established forms, when there seems to be a desire upon the part of those in authority to abide in a central bureaucracy rather than in a representative democracy—it becomes you and me to protest against any departure whatsoever from the government which came to us from the constitutional convention of 1787, and those amendments which have been made to it by specific will of the people.

"Our government is divided into three separate and distinct co-ordinate branches—the legislative, the executive and the judicial. Danger will surely come to this republic when any of these departments of government attempt in the slightest degree to usurp the functions of the other.

"Very recently there has come from the highest judicial tribunal in the land a decision of vital interest and concern to the American people, because it has established a principle, as stated by one member of the court, which would work a radical change in our governmental system and would inaugurate a new era in the American judicial system and in the relations of the national and state governments. It would enable the subordinate federal courts to supervise and control the official action of the states, as though they were dependencies or provinces. It would place the states of the Union in a condition of inferiority never dreamed of when the constitution was adopted or when the eleventh amendment was made a part of the supreme law of the land. If this is the result of this decision it is to my mind one of the unhappy incidents in the history of our republic, because the very theory of our government is based upon the right of the states to control absolutely their own domestic affairs.

"What this government needs is not more power. What it needs to-day is to so distribute the privileges under the government that all citizens will have equal opportunity.

"America has been called the land of opportunity. But American opportunity should not mean a granting of special privileges to any class, but should afford all alike the means for culture, education, prosperity and contentment."

Old Age Pension In Canada.

In planning progressive legislation for the benefit of the wage earners, Canada is rapidly adopting the new ideas that are making Australia and New Zealand famous thruout the civilized world, says the Minneapolis Daily News.

The Canadian government is taking cognizance of the fact that men grow old, and that when they are no longer able to keep pace with the break neck speed of our modern industrial system they ought not to be thrown upon the scrap heap like so much junk.

Many reasoning, fair-minded men have become imbued with the idea that if it is right to pension veterans who unfortunately are compelled to kill their kind and destroy wealth, it is doubly right to reward those veterans who produce wealth, preserve peace and steadily upbuild a higher civilization.

Thus our peace-loving Canadian neighbors propose to enact legislation providing pensions for the aged. It is hoped to encourage thrift and saving among working people, and to insure the beneficiaries an annual income after they reach the age of 0 or 65 sufficient to keep them from actual want

It is estimated that by the payment of an annual amount of $13, beginning at 20 years of age the beneficiary will become entitled to an annuity of $120 for life when he has reached the age of 60. If the beneficiary prefers to wait for his pension until he is 65 years of age, he will then be entitled to $200 per annum.

The contributors' savings will be paid into the local postoffices whereever they may reside. These savings will then be given compound interest semiannually; from the government at the rate of 4 per cent.

A goverment annuity will not be made in favor of any person other than the actual annuitant, nor for a larger sum per annum than $400. Where a family is desirous of assuring itself more than $400 yearly there is nothing to prevent the wife taking out an account in her own name as well as the husbad.

These government pensions or annuities will be absolutely inalienable —that is they cannot be capitalized or sold to anyone else, an dthe law will provide that the money that a family derives from them cannot be seized for any purpose whatever.

Should the annuitant be unable or unwilling to keep up his payments until he has reached the age of 60 he will be allowed to withdraw whatever money he has paid in with interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum. Of course annuities will cease with the death of the beneficiary.

Collides With Warship.

Rio Janeiro, April 14.—The British steamer Voltaire, while leaving the port of Santos yesterday, collided with the French cruiser Republique, causing considerable damage. The Voltaire continued on her voyage without stopping. There was no loss of life.

Parade for Saloon.

Cincinnati, April 14.—A parade and mass meeting here last night, under the auspices of the Personal Liberty league, constituted one of the greatest public demonstrations this city has ever known. Careful estimates place the number of marchers at 20,000.

County Auditor Resigns.

Waseca, Minn., April 14. — County auditor C. M. Bailer has tendered his resignation, to take effect May 1, so that he can become cashier of the People's State bank.

Dairyman Has $4,000 Fire Loss.

St. Paul, April 14.—The dairy barn of Bernard Strobel was wiped out by fire last night. The loss is placed at $4,000.

Cashier Kills Himself.

Spokane, Wash., April 14.—George W. Thomas, cashier of the First State bank of Newport, Wash., committed suicide last night at the Colonial hotel in this city by taking strychnine. Domestic troubles and failing health are said to have prompted the act.

Fire Threatens Entire Block.

St. Paul, April 14.—Fire of unknown origin, starting in the rear of the Aquarium saloon and lunch rooms, at 9:05 yesterday morning threatened for a time the entire block and resulted in a damage of $7,000.

Death After Accident.

Janesville, Minn., April 14.—August Haas, the section hand on the Chicago & North-Western road, who was badly hurt a week ago by being run down by a wild freight car, has died. He leaves a family

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

VICTIMIZED BY LAND LOCATORS

Numerous Settlers Induced To File On Timber Claims Which Were Worthless.

Letter To Land Office From Defrauded Persons Details The Incident.

A letter received by the United States land office gives an interesting illustration of the methods of timber locators who induce people to file on claims under the timber and stone act by fraudulent representations. Complaints of the kind are numerous and the department has for some time been seeking methods of preventing the operations.

The letter is from Park Rapids, Minn., and sets forth that in July last year a firm of locators there took a party of twelve people from Park Rapids to locate them in towns 8-17 and 67-17 where they said they had estimates of valuable claims. They represented the letter claims, that about three years previously they had worked for a lumber company in that district and had located the claims and secured estimates. They said they had secured new estimates more recently and found the original estimates correct.

Taking the statements of the locators for granted the letter says the people entered into agreement with them, filing on the claims. In February of this year a reputable estimator was sent to the claims and he found that they contained less than 20 per cent of the amount of timber represented. The revelations, the writer of the letter claims clearly show fraud.

Correspondence

NIELSVILLE

Activities toward seeding are very noticeable at Nielsville these days. In fact a number of acres have already been seeded on the higher lands along the coulie. But in a few days spring work will be in full blast, owing to the drying influence of the warm winds.

Ole Brekke, Henry Simon, Adolph Spokely and a few others donned their sporty garments last Friday night and boarded the evening train for Fargo where they "took in" pugilistic and wrestling matches given there that evening. They returned Saturday morning well pleased with the evening's sport.

Sunday evening a temperance lecture was given at the Nielsville Hall by Miss Lavina Raakke of Newfolden. It was well attended and all listened very atentively to the convincing arguments hurled forth. This was the second of its kind during the past fortnight and shows how thorolly this element is canvessing the state.

A special school meeting has been called for Monday the 20th of April for the purpose of considering whether or not the school term should be lengthened a month so that the 8th grade may attend and keep in thoro review for the state board examinations the last of May.

A leap year dance was held at the Woodmen Hall of Climax last Saturday evening. A number of the young men of Nielsville took advantage of the occasion, and now they are seen with some extra smiles as a result. The ladies of Climax are good entertainers as one can gather from the numerous compliments our gallants bestow upon them.

There are rumors in the air that our genial and painstaking station agent, Mr. Riersgaard formerly of Crookston has a promotion in store in the near future and Nielsville will be sorry to lose him but all join in in wishing him success for the future.

Mrs. B. Kolstad, Miss Hoiland and Mrs. C. Halsa and daughter Hilda spent Monday at Crookston on business but on returning in the evening they were almost compelled to proceed to Shelly as Jim Hill's black mare tried to run away 'ere all had alighted.

Lien & Reep have a carload of potatoes ready for shipment to Bemidji. Many carloads have been shipped during the year and those raising same, claim to make it pay better than raising wheat.

The ladies' aid will meet at Carl Paulson's Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Brodland will hold services at the church Thursday morning, Friday evening and Sunday morning at the usual hours.

Affords Perfect Security

Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

WANT QUARANTINE AT MCINTOSH

A COUNCILMAN THERE WANTS CROOKSTON ORDINANCES ON SUBJECT

A letter has been received from a city councilman at McIntosh on the east line asking city officials of Crookston for a copy of the ordinances and city regulations regarding the establishment and maintenance of quarantine. There is sentiment for quarantine law in McIntosh as well as a number on the other side and they want to se just what the regulations amount to before making move.

Dr. C. E. Dampier, city physician, report for the quarter show 69 cases of quarantine this last three months. Perhaps over half of these overlap on account of quarantine for signs of disease and fumigation quarantine on same party. 52 of these were for measles, 16 for smallpox and 1 for consumption.

HOME NEWS

Of Interest to Everyone in Crookston

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places, who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all". But here in Crookston we only publish statements made by Crookston people —the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Noel Herbert(carpenter, of 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and totally unfitted me for any exertion, there being times when I had to be helped about. I at last heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box at S. A. Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before I noticed that my back was gradually getting stronger. My trouble son entirely left me and I have not felt a vistage of it since. Doan's Kidney Pills are a most valuable remedy and I give them my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 nearly six years later Dec. 2nd, 1904 he added:

"Doan's Kidney Pills so completely relieved me of kidney trouble six years ago that there has been no return of it. It is a pleasure to again endorse them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other

City Is Armed Camp.

Pensacola, Fla., April 15.—With an entire regiment of infantry and two Gatling guns here, an effort is to be made to operate street cars to-day, after a suspension of service for eight days, due to the strike of the street railway employes.

Jealousy Cause of Tragedy.

Albany, N. Y., April 15. — William Robinson of, Old Forge, Pa., aged about twenty-seven, yesterday afternoon shot and probably fatally wounded Ellen Moore of Scranton, Pa. Jealousy is given as the cause of the shooting.

$10,000,000 LOSS CAUSED BY FIRE

One-third of City of Chelsea, Mass., Is Obliterated by Fierce Conflagration.

10,000 PEOPLE MADE HOMELESS

Four Lives Are Lost and Over 500 Dwelling Houses and Public Buildings Destroyed.

Boston, Mass., April 14.—In apparently insignificant fire, which started among rags on a dump in the city of Chelsea yesterday, was fanned by a northwest gale into a conflagration which obliterated nearly one-third of the city. Five hundred dwelling houses and public buildings were destroyed, 1,500 families were driven from their habitations and 10,000 are made homeless. Four lives are known to have been lost, one a woman, having shot herself in frenzy over her inability to save her property. From fifty to a hundred were injured.

Loss Nearly $10,000.

Accurate estimate of the loss is impossible. The city solicitor estimates it at nearly $10,000,000. The fire, which was the worst Greater Boston has known in many years, raged before a forty-five-mile gale for more than twelve hours, defying the utmost efforts of the combined fire departments of Chelsea and several nearby cities and a large detachment of Boston firemen and apparatus.

The fire area, which was in the form of an ellipse, a mile and a half long and half a mile wide at its broadest part, extended diagonally across the city from a point near the boundary between Everett and Chelsea to the waters of Chelsea creek.

Hard Fight for Firemen.

It was useless for the firemen to attempt to check the onrushing flames before the gale, and their main efforts were to prevent a spread of the fire on the other side. Their last stand was taken at Chelsea Square late in the afternoon, and for hours a doubtful battle was waged. At 9 o'clock word was passed that the firemen were winning, and with renewed energy the contest was pressed. At 10:50 official announcement was made by Chief H. A. Spencer that the fire was under control.

The great majority of the buildings were of wood and were completely destroyed, but structures of other material were almost as quickly and thoroughly incinerated by the fierceness of the blaze.

Licked Up by Flames.

All the banks, more than three-quarters of the churches, half of the business blocks and nearly all the school houses, were wiped out. One hospital and a day nursery were destroyed. In the turmoil many of the sick and infirm found difficulty in obtaining assistance and several of them had narrow escapes.

Late in the afternoon the wind had carried burning embers across Chelsea creek, and buildings in East Boston caught, but extensive damage there was prevented by prompt and energetic work by the firemen.

Militia on Guard.

The force of national guardsmen called out early in the day to patrol the streets of the burned section was increased last night by the arrival of Company L of the Fifth infantry, Company B of the Eighth infantry and the Fifth corps of coast artillery. A marine guard of a hundred men, under Capt. Charles Shill, was also on duty. Four squads of marines were placed to protect valuable safes in the ruins of different buildings. A detail of seventy-five policemen from Boston was stationed at various entrances to the city, with orders to prevent anybody from coming in with the exception of firemen, policemen, soldiers and newspaper men.

2,000 DROWN IN NIGHT FLOOD.

Waters Rise Suddenly In Hankow, China, With Disastrous Results.

Shanghai, April 15. — Disastrous floods are reported to have occurred at Hankow, in the province of Hupeh, and it is stated that 2,000 persons have been drowned. Seven hundred junks were sunk or wrecked. The floods are said to be due to an unexpected freshet. The waters caught the people unexpectedly in the middle of the night.

Colt's Kick Proves Fatal.

St. Paul, April 15.—Harold H. Cooper, the fourteen-year-old son of Enoch B. Cooper, a farmer living near Kenyon, died last evening in an ambulance while being taken from the depot to St. Joseph's hospital. He was kicked by a horse while working on the farm yesterday and was being rushed to the hospital for treatment.

Swollen Streams In Oklahoma.

Muskogee, Okla., April 15.—Swollen streams are threatening the railroad and wagon bridges in Eastern Oklahoma and thousands of acres of bottom lands are inundated. The Canadian, Arkansas and Verdigre rivers are above their banks, and at this point the Arkansas river has reached the highest stage since 1904.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

For Thin, Poor Blood

You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the strongest Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for thin blood, weak nerves, general debility.

But even this grand old medicine cannot do its best work if the liver is inactive and the bowels constipated. For the best possible results, you should take laxative doses of Ayer's Pills while taking the Sarsaparilla. The liver will quickly respond, and so will the bowels.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
HAIR VIGOR.
AGUE CURE.
CHERRY PECTORAL.

TWICE BETTER THAN PANAMA

MINNESOTA AND ITS COUNTIES WILL OUT-PANAMA THE PANAMA

MINNESOTA LAND WHEN DRAINED WILL EQUAL ILLINOIS' BEST

From Tuesday's Daily—

By August 1st 1908 the state of Minnesota and its counties will be excavating two times as much earth as the United States government on the Panama canal. At that date there will be fifty dredges in active operation on projects within the state, each averaging a capacity of 35,000 yards of earth a month and over, meaning an average monthly excavation of approximately 2,000,000 yards or twice that of the Panama canal.

There are 29 machines on county projects, including judicial district contracts, and 17 machines on state projects. On May 1st next the state will let contracts covering 572,000 yards in Steele county, 212,000 yards in Nicollet county and 523,000 yards in Kandiyohi county and May 15th next the state will let contract for 394,000 yards in Itasca county. These contracts will call for from five to eight machines all of which will be enabled to get on their work and commence operations by June 1st.

A report will shortly be issued by state officials covering every phase of this immense drainage prospect and these figures will fall short of the facts that that report will bring forth It is well to note the conservatism of the above figures of one of the best drainage authorities in the northwest in that an average dredge continuously working can throw out 1,000 yards of dirt in 10 hours, or, considering no stops for repairs or washing boilers, 60,000 yards per month.

Of the dredges on county work Jerry Sherwood of Litchfield has 7 in the central part of Minnesota about Willmar neighborhood, O. F. Doyle of St. Cloud has 5, Franc Construction Company of Albert Lea have 4 near that city, Fill and Shirley of Omaha Nebraska have 3, Foley and Gleason of Chicago have 2, Northern Construction Company of Chicago 1, the Standard Drainage Co., of Windom 2, and Hulbert of Chicago 1. Four machines are actually being shipped now to other county projects.

Of dredges on state work Ward Bros of Audubon, Iowa, have 3 in St. Louis County, R. A. Elzy of Marshalltown, Iowa 2, Standard Drainage Co., of Windom 3, Jerry Sherwood of Litchfield 2, Arpin Bros., of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin 3, John Kohler of Frazee 1, and A. G. Wahl of St. Cloud 1.

The very largest surface ditch ever constructed in the state or the northwest is the Rice Lake and Moscow project near Albert Lea which is 35 miles long, having a 20 to 60 foot bottom and 35 to 90 foot top excavation. This is being built by 2 or 3 machines of the Franc Construction Company.

Drainage men of this state earnestly believe that the conditions that prevail in Minnesota are a parellel of those that existed in Illinois when twenty-five years ago land within 25 miles of Chicago could be purchased for $35 per acre and which now cannot be purchased for $150 per acre.

Water which now proves detrimental in many places to the growth of this state will prove to be its greatest agricultural resource and to have been the element that gave to Minnesota her stores of fertility. With the insurance of an annual drop such as Illinois now enjoys on account of her past activity in drainage land in Minnesota will get to the top notch and that will not be many years at the enormous strides that are being taken in the ditching world.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

April 12 In History.

65—Seneca, the Roman philosopher and early tutor of Nero, killed himself by that emperor's orders.

1777—Henry Clay, statesman, called the "great pacificator," born; died 1852.

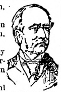
1861—The first shot at Sumter; beginning of the civil war.

1907—The Honduran forces surrendered Amapala to the Nicaraguans.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:32, rises 5:20; moon sets 4:19 a. m.; 10:30 p. m., all of Jupiter's four bright satellites closely grouped on west of planet.

April 13 In History.



Judge Field.

1743—Thomas Jefferson, born; died 1826.

1890—Samuel Jackson Randall, statesman, died; born 1828.

1894—David Dudley Field, eminent American jurist, died; born 1805.

1904—Desperate naval battle at Port Arthur. The Russian battleship Petropavlovsk sunk, carrying down Admiral Makaroff, together with 600 sailors; Vereschagin, the noted Russian battle painter, was among the lost.

1907—Standard Oil company adjudged guilty in the rebate cases in Chicago.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:33, rises 5:18; moon sets 4:47 a. m.

TAKING A LAY OFF—Conductor Remshardt is taking a lay-off for a few days and his run is being taken by Conductor Cooke.

SALE OF PARLOR—Maurice Brosseau's refreshment parlors on Broadway south has been sold to Eli Revoir. The transfer took place last Saturday morning.

TAKES POSITION—L. J. Edwards of Grand Forks has taken a position as salesman for the Crookston Marble Works. He commenced work today.

GOES WITH COLLINS — Henry Weber of Wylie has accepted a position with S. L. Collins, taking charge of departments in the big Collin's machinery warehouse on N. Main.

BROWSING OUT EAST—This morning C. W. Final, Chas. Babcock, Otto Koeppe, Albert Bergh and L. W. Larso left for points along the East line where they will brighten things up in the various towns they make.

TO FARM—F. W. Spencer of the southwestern part of Minnesota arrived in the city Saturday with 14 horses and will locate on 33 in Parnell town as well as farm a plat of land near Mentor.

WILL GET SAWS IN SHAPE—George A. Elliott returned during the week from Bemidji and will get the saws of the Grand Forks Lumber company in shape for work at East Grand Forks. He is head filer for the company.

DREDGE MAN HERE—R. A. Elzy of R. A. Elzy and Sons, well known dredge owners at Marshalltown, Iowa, is a visitor in the city today attending to business matters in connection with state and county ditches.

MACHINE AT GRAND MARIAS—State Engineer George A Ralph will inspect the ditch work along the Grand Marais under the state in a short time. The Standard Drainage Company of Windom will put a machine on that work shortly.

MARSHALL HERE—L. D. Marshall well known citizen of Crookston of ten years ago, now manager of the National Elevator Co., of Minneapolis was in the city Saturday calling on old friends and attending to business matters. Mr. Marshall was an alderman of Crookston for a time.

DAD WILL GO IN—J. C. Sabin, the veteran salesman left this morning for north line points and will later sail round the horn via Winnpeg, International Falls and Bemidji and from the latter place will head for his home in St. Paul the last of the week where he will spend a few days.

TO MILLERS MEETING—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Padden of Red Lake Falls arrived in the city last Saturday night and departed south for Minneapolis and St. Paul where Mr. Padden will attend the millers' meeting this week while Mrs. Padden visits among her many friends there.

URGED TO ATTEND—The state tax commission has requested the names of the town assessors in order that each of them may be addressed and impressed to come to the meeting of assessors to be held in Crookston April 29th next. One of the tax commission will give the assessors a practical talk.

CHAPIN FROM ROOSEVELT — Henry Chapin with others came down from Roosevelt via Winnipeg Friday night and spent the day in the city. Mr. Chapin is on his way to Osakis and Minneapolis at which latter point he will attend the Minnesota state republican convention as delegate from Roseau county. Roseau county instructed for Taft.

LAND LOOKS FINE—J. R. Walt of the Crookston Steam Laundry returned Saturday evening from Stephen where he spent a few days visiting with his wife and daughter and attending to some business matters. He says the land up there looks fine and that seeding is on full swing considerable work having been done last week.

NEW JUDGE HERE—Judge C. W. Stanton the former International Falls attorney who was recently appointed to fill the vacancy as district judge of Beltrami County caused by the resignation of Judge M A. Spooner passed thru the city Saturday evening enroute to St. Paul on official business. He will have his offices in Bemidji.

BRUCE HARRIS HERE — Bruce Harris arrived in the city last Saturday night from Winnipeg and remained over Sunday with his parents Alderman and Mrs. T. A. Harris and family. He returned this morning on the early train Mr. Harris is located at Prince Albert Saskatchewan as manager of the Prince Albert Lumber Company a concern of Winton Bros of Thief River.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

April 14 In History.

1861—Fort Sumter taken possession of by Confederates, the Federals marching out with flying colors.

1865—President Abraham Lincoln assassinated by Wilkes Booth.

1905—Remains of Paul Jones, naval hero of the American Revolution, discovered in Paris.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:34, rises 5:17; moon sets 5:13 a. m.; 4 p. m., planets Saturn and Mercury in conjunction, Mercury being less than one-half degree north of Saturn; invisible because too near the sun.

WINDS PREVAIL — High winds have prevailed in the country east of town during the past two days. They dry the earth rapidly.

AT BEMIDJI — Roy Burkhardt is now engaged in the cigar manufacturing business at Bemidji. He is encouraged by the prospects.

HEADED FOR CANADA—Oliver St Martin and Edmond Montreal of this city, Frank Raymond, Huot Leon O'Dette, Grand Rapids and Albert Guerin, Red Lake Falls formed a party departing for Duck Lake, Sask., near Prince Albert last night.

PROOF BY HEIR—Mrs. Annie Grandbais appeared before the United States land office here today, making five year proof on a claim near Greenbush. Her husband, Mitchell Grandbais made the entry, but he died Mar 21 1906.

BUYS MAHNOMEN LAND—E. E. Webster of Cresco, Iowa, has been spending some time near Mahnomen and has made several land purchases near that point. He believes some of the best soil in the state is located there.

EVERYBODY BUSY —John Stroot a prominent farmer of the township of Belgium is in the city today transacting business, and patronizing the Crookston merchants; he report everybody busy seeding in his neighborhood.

ADOPT CHILD—Attorney Bronson of East Grand Forks appeared before Judge Watts this morning in the matter of the adoption of a seven year old child, surname McNielan, by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Babcock of Crookston. The Judge decreed the adoption.

BUYING MACHINERY — Alfred Vonderbeck in charge of the big Works farms near Euclid is in the city today buying machoinery for work this season. They will get busy with their seeding as soon as Alfred gets back. Dragging and preparatory moves are already under way.

FOR CRUELTY TO ANIMALS — Halvor Olson of Bygland township is sent up to the county jail for thirty days for cruelty to animals. He took a team out of Smith and St. Clair's livery barn at East Grand Forks and drove south. He drove them hard for two or three days and let them go without feed.

TROUBLE WITH WOLF BOUNTY—The county auditor's office is holding back on several wolf bounties on account of failure of hides to appear. Andrew Thorson and Peter Erickson of Lessor town put in application about a month ago and were not paid until yesterday when the hides were first received.

WILL BREAK THE DRAUGHT — Messrs. Fred Langdon, Chas. Holt, Eli Asselin and Fred Brosseau formed a quartette leaving for points on the Bemidji line this morning. The weather clerk was interviewed and it seems that thru some mistake the dry weather flag had been hoisted for that section and it is supposed the quartette went out to break the draught.

NEARLY DROWNED — Earl Vanstrum of Mallard had a very narrow escape from drowning. He and Reno Lucas went out Saturday afternoon to hunt 'something" and to shoot fish thru the ice. Finally Earl concluded he would try the Mississippi, but fell in, and had it not been for Reno who worked hard to get him out, Earl would have drowned. During the excitement they lost their guns. Hard luck, eh boys?—Bagley Independent.

FROM THE NORTH—Henry Chapin, well known merchant and public man of Roosevelt, Minn., departed from the city last Saturday night with L. P. Hedberg of Roosevelt to Osakis. They are part of the delegation to the state convention at St. Paul from Roseau county, Mr. Chapin states that the state delegations from the north country in particular rfom Roseau county will be in Crookston along with the county delegation to the district convention to be held here. They will probably liven matters up a bit, if there is any excitement. Mr. Chapin is visiting a brother at Osakis whom he has not seen for many years. He will join the state delegation's train enroute.

Among the cases filed in the district court at Fergus Falls yesterday is an action brought by Miss Ena Johnson vs. Erick A. Grahn for breach of promise. The plaintiff is at present in Crookston while the defendant resides in the vicinity of Pelican Rapids. The action is for damages in the sum of $1,000. The case has been continued pending negotiations for a settlement.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Emard, a pioneer resident of Red Lake Falls aged 102 years, was held from St. Joseph's church at that place yesterday morning. She died Sunday morning. She was one of the oldest residents of the state and the mother of twelve children.

The deceased was well known in this city and thruout this section of the country having for years resided i nand about Red Lake Falls for many years.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

April 15 In History.

1632—George Calvert, Lord Baltimore, projector of the colony of Maryland, died; born 1582.

1793—F. G. W. von Struve, German-Russian astronomer, born; died 1864.

1814—John Lothrop Motley, historian and diplomat, born; died 1877.

1907—Largest battleship in the world, the Aki, launched by Japan at Tokyo.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:35, rises 5:15; moon sets 5:40 a. m.; 11:47 a. m., full moon.

AFTER CAR OF HORSES— J. A. Northrup left this morning for Hannah, N. D., and will return in a few days with a car of horses.

MOVED TO HILL — Otto Koeppe is today moving his household goods the Koeppe block to a residence on North Main on the Hill.

BACK TO NATURE—Fac McLennen of Angus who has been spending a few days in the city on business returned home this morning and will watch seeding operations for a spell.

SEVENTY ACRES SEEDED — Elbert Brush spent the night in the city from Augus returning home this morning. He says they have 75 acres of wheat seeded in good shape.

HOME FROM NORTH — George Ralph, Minnesota state drainage engineer, arrived in Crookston last night from Kittson county where he had been inspecting ditch work for the coming season and will remain at his home here for a few days.

MRS. CHAS. RYAN ILL— Mrs. Charles Ryan is quite ill at her farm home in western Polk county suffering with a severe attack of pleurisy. Her many friends here hope to hear of a speedy improvement.

OLD VETERAN HERE—Jack Goodwin, who has farmed between Angus and Euclid for the past few years and is now located at Key West is in the city talking over war times with his many friends here.

WILL PLAY BALL— Ed Peterson passed thru the city this morning enroute to Hallock after visiting a few days at Bemidji. Ed, who is a 32nd degree fan, states that Hallock will have a ball team this summer, you bet, and will take a few falls out of Crookston later on.

A GASOLINE LAUNCH— Charles L. Bang is one of the residents of the city who have decided to enjoy life on Lake Bemidji and its tributaries, during the coming summer, and has purchased a fine new gasoline launch The boat is a Red Wing, 16-footer, and will afford much pleasure to its owner and his family.—Bemidji Pioneer.

DUDLEY NASH A CANDIDATE—Dudley L. Nash a former resident of East Grand Forks and a graduate of the university law school of North Dakota has announced himself as a candidate for the position of state's attorney of Ward county, N. D., Mr. Nash now resides in White Earth and has made good in the practice of his profession in the county in which he resides.

WINTERED SOUTH—J. J. Sutton the well known resident of Argyle who sues the Great Northern as a means of diversion—and always wins out—passed thru the city this morning enroute to his home at Argyle. He spent the winter at Milwaukee and other points in that section and reports spring about as far advanced here as it is there.

WILL NOT LEAVE—The statement made in the Journal yesterday to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bjoin were to leave shortly for Canada where Mr. Bjoin would continue railroading and hold down a claim at the same time. This statement was entirely incorrect and they have no intention of leaving Crookston. The writer inadvertently got their names mixed up with those of another party leaving for Canada next week.

TAKEN FOR A ROBBER—L. G. Hancock, a prominent business man of Fosston, came over from his home yesterday afternoon and spent last night in the city on a business mission. Mr. Hancock would not divulge the nature of his business in the city. And this remfnds us, that at the time of Mr. Hancock's last visit here, four years ago, he had a novel experience with the local police. The night he started for his home the Bemidji postoffice was robbed and as Mr. Hancock was asleep in the depot awaiting the early morning train, the police searched him and questioned him very clesely as to his doings. "Lou" got away all right, but he does not forget his experiences of that night.—Bemidji Pioneer.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

PREFER THE ASSESSORSHIP

THREE TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS RESIGN CLERKSHIP FOR ASSESSOR

R. U. Webster, elected clerk and assessor at the last election in Fisher town, has resigned as clerk and the apointment to fill the clerkship is yet up to the town board there. Arne G. Bratvold resigns as clerk in Northland and holds the job of assessor. The town board there appointed Alfred Peterson clerk. Jas. Gilmour, elected assessor, and clerk in Nesbit town resigne clerkship and is now assessor only. Jos. Gordon has been appointed assessor.

COULD NOT F ND A SINGLE MAN

ANGUS FARMER SEARCHED CROOKSTON FOR FARM HELP WITHOUT SUCCESS

Gomer Evans the well known Angus farmer arrived last evening from the north in search of a man to work on his farm this summer. He walked the streets last evening and before train time this morning, visiting hotels and other places, enquired of all his old friends and then returned home this morning without a man.

He, said he ran across several men who were not working, but they did not want to go into the country. It was generally supposed that there were quite a number of men who wanted work here at this season of the year, but judging from Mr. Evan's experience the city is not over crowded with men looking for work.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

DUNHAM STILL AT HIS WORK

TWO MORE FORGED CHECKS REACH MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK

DEPUTY SHERIFF DANIELS FAILED TO FIND DUNHAM NEAR WINNIPEG

From Tuesday's Daily—

Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels returned from Winnipeg last evening from near Winnipeg where he had been advised that E. A Dunham, the industrious Crookston forger was located in a lumber camp. Dunham was not there and had not been. Deputy Daniels during his trip however made the discovery that last Sunday Dunham had been seen i na certain town in Canada and apparently had plenty of money with him.

Two More Checks

That Dunham is still in the check forging busines is certain as two checks have reached the Merchants National Bank written on the same kind of checks to which Dunham forged the name of J. S. Gould and others before leaving the city.

One check for $50.50 was drawn in favor of the Edmunton City Hospital Alberta, and was signed by S. E. Best and endorsed by A. Butchert, as secretary of the hospital.

The other was for $125 drawn in favor of S. E. Best and signed by C. C. Hoch and endorsed by J. G. M. Sloan.

"Best" is without doubt Dunham, both the check and the fact that Hoch's name was forged to one of the checks bearing out this theory.

CANADIAN ROADS REDUCE EXPENSES

Winnipeg, Man. April 14.—Notices were sent out today from the general offices of the three large Canadian railways—the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific—ordering the heads of departments to cut expenses, either by laying off men or by reducing the wages. The order was issued because of the depression in business, the officials saying that the prospects of much improvement in traffic at an early date was not bright.

TO COMPLETE NEW LINE TO DULUTH

The Soo has begun operations again on their new line running from Belgrade to Duluth. This was graded as far as Milac Lake last fall and a track was laid on the greater portion of the grade. There was some talk late in the winter that the road would not be completed this year but the latest news given out is that it will be pushed to an early completion. The Soo is making enormous purchases of real estate in Duluth and Superior for their terminals and we expect to derive a great deal of benefit when the road is completed.

Severed Head Indicates Murder.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 15.—The severed head of a corpse, supposed to be that of Michael Sobods of Bedford, a suburb, was washed ashore from the river, revealing what is thought to have been a case of murder and robbery.

Conductor Killed by Bandit.

Birmingham, Ala., April 15. — A South Bessemer electric car was held up by a negro highwayman beyond Powderly shortly after midnight and Conductor Adams killed.

$2,000 IS PAID FOR HIS DEATH

GREAT NORTHERN MAKES SETTLEMENT WITH HEIRS OF H. W. McCULLOUGH

STIPULATION IN SUIT FOR $5,000 IS FILED BY LITIGANTS IN COURT

From Wednesday's Daily—

A settlement by stipulation has been made in district court at Grand Forks in the case of Father E. J. Conaty, as administrator of the estate of Henry W. McCullough, vs. Great Northern railway. The stipulation provides for the payment of $2,000 in settlement in full of the claim for damages made by the plaintiff in behalf of the minor heirs, Edward, Louis, Charles and Albert W. and a married daughter, named Mrs. Alice Sorenson children of the deceased and the widow who was not living with the deceased at the time of his death, having deserted and abandoned him some time previous thereto, according to the plaintiff in the action.

The suit was brought to recover $5,000 damages for the death of Mr. McCullough in a wreck on the Great Northern Hannah line between Park River and Hannah. He was employed as a car repairer at the gravel pit and was riding on the forward end of the train when it ran into some cars which had been left on the track. The engineer who regularly had charge of the engine allowed his fireman to handle it on the evening on which the acident occurred. The fireman did not stop his engine until it was too late. At the time it was considered probable that had the regular engineer been in charge there would have been no accident.

REGULAR SPRING VISITATION

SUPT CASEY BUSY AT PRESENT WITH SCHOOLS IN WESTERN POLK

Supt. of Schools Thomas Casey left this morning for Fisher and from that point will visit a number of schools in western Polk. He will spend the greater portion of his time from now on making his regular spring visit to the schools, and has already covered a considerable portion of the county. Yesterday he visited the schools at Eldred and vicinity and from west of Fisher will work north. The roads are in first class condition for this season of the year and make his work much easier than ordinarily.

Primary Education

The bulk of primary education is provided at public cost. We are proud of our "common schools"—tho they are far below what from an ideal standpoint they should be. No teacher is physically or mentally competent to give instruction to forty children, which is the average size of a division in the public schools. Under such conditions individual instruction is largely impossible. To the tired brain worker nothing is more grateful than a glass of golden grain belt beer at mealtime. Have it on the family table and enjoy its benefits. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

BRYAN FORCES ARE ROUTED IN NEW YORK

New York, April 15.—The first day of the democratic state convention closed with defeat of those delegates committed to the candidacy of Wm. J. Bryan. The committee on resolutions late last night adopted a set of resolutions to be reported to the convention when it reconvenes, providing for an uninstructed delegation to the national democratic convention at Denver. When the state convention organized the Bryan men offered a resolution instructing delegates to be chosen for Mr. Bryan. It was referred to the committee on resolutions, which met last evening, and in turn referred the Bryan resolutions to a sub-committee heard the appeal by Augustus Thomas, president of the Bryan progressive democratic league which fathered the resolution, and then by a vote of to 1 decided to report to the full committee recommendations against an instructed delegation. The sub-committee's report was adopted by the committee on resolutions by a vote of 28 to 4. The minority report of the sub-committee calling for an instructed delegation was defeated by a similar vote. Nineteen members of the committee on resolutions were absent when the vote was taken.

The Bryan men declared later they would carry the fight to the floor of the convention. When the committee on resolutions met last night immediate consideration was given to the report of the sub-committee which declared that the best interests of the democratic party would be conserved by sending an uninstructed delegation to the national convention.

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On Hot Cakes

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In 10c, 25c, 50c air-tight tins.

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WITH CANE FLAVOR

HELD UP OFFICIALS AT POINT OF GUN

From Thursday's Daily— ...

H. A. Rider who passed thru this city yesterday from his home at Little Falls on his way to Emerson found other and more important business awaiting his hand than Emma Goldman ,who goes on her way unhindered now.

Yesterday at one o'clock secret service official Rider at the point of a gun held up in the streets of Emerson, American side, Herbert Wright, Canadian customs official and son of O. Wright, mayor of Emerson, Man. Wright was arrested on the charge that he attempted to smuggle into the United States Margaret Pierson an alleged immoral woman of Winnipeg after she had been turned down on that charge by the United States immigration officials at the international boundary line.

Rider hustled Herb Wright under the gun and handcuffed to Soo train on which he was taken to Thief River Falls, last night and hauled before United States Commissioner L. G. Browning. Wright was put under $500 bail and returned with his father who accompanied him, to Emerson. The case was continued until next Saturday morning when it will again come up before Browning at Thief River for trial and ultimate disposition.

The excitement at Emerson today is at fever pitch. The unexampled and daring action of the bold United States secret service agent astounds the Canadian officials.

There has been for some time an underground current of retaliation with U. S. officials since the arrest last February of U. S. Revenue Collector Fowlds on the charge of kidnapping a wheat smuggler from Canadian to American side. Fowlds was discharged by the Canadian judge with complete exhoneration.

TRAVELLED IN STATE

WOMAN FROM SUPERIOR HAD CAR TO HERSELF TO SHEVLIN THIS MORNING

WAS AFFLICTED WITH SMALL POX BUT MADE THE TRIP HEAVILY VEILED

One woman travelled in state on the Great Northern train which arrived here from Duluth this morning. She

From Thursday's Daily— ...

did not come this far, having been deposited at Shevlin, which was her destination.

It seems she boarded the train at Superior and had a fine blossoming case of small pox. Her physician got next to the fact that she had left the city and notified the railroad company. Supt. Elliott was notified here and he issued orders for Conductor Clarke to clear the car the woman was in and attach an extra coach for the accommodation of the other passengers and this was done.

The coach the woman was riding in was taken thru here empty this morning and will be fumigated at Grand Forks today.

The train which the woman left Duluth on last evening was in charge of Conductor Zeke Smith and was turned over to Conductor Clark at Cass Lake about 1 o'clock this morning. The friends of both will shun them for a few days till it is known they have been fumigated properly.

HERMAN CAMP OPENS STORE AT DUGDALE

Herman Camp who spent yesterday in the city mingling with the political war horses. He anounced that he had just opened up a store at Dugdale and that business is excellent. He states that many new farmers have arrived this spring and that more land will be cultivated than for several years past, and that all have a bunch of cows and propose to diversify.

Franchise Opponents Win.

Hastings, Minn., April 9.—With the question of granting a new fifteen-year franchise to the electric light company as the main issue, the Democrats, opposed to the proposition, won a majority of the offices in the city election yesterday.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

BOARD NOT TO REBATE

TAX PAYING CITIZENS MUST GET ABATEMENT BEFORE TAX BOARDS

NEGLIGENT APPLICANTS FOR REBATE OF TAXES UP AGAINST IT RIGHT

From Friday's Daily—

Tax paying citizens of Polk county as well as other counties of the state will no more get the ear of the board of county commissioners for their complaints of excessive taxes, unless grossest injustice can be shown prima facie.

It has been the custom of last hour people to come before the county commissioners for abatement of taxes just before they are due. And applications for rebates were sometimes pushed thru hastily without proper knowledge of facts.

The town board of review first and the county board of equalization second furnishes sufficient resources for the oppressed by taxes. And the oppressed by taxes has months in which to discover any injustice before the last resource short of the county board has been closed to him.

The assessors will receive blank notices that the Polk county board will not abate taxes except in cases of gross injustice after January 1st next. These wil be sent out to citizens of Polk county.

The Minnesota tax commission supports this stand of the county board in its last report.

Smothered to Death in Grain.

Pana, Ill., April 10.—Floyd Grounds, fourteen years old, and Frank Wilburn, sixteen years old, were smothered to death in a wheat bin at Dunkle yesterday. The boys were playing in the elevator and jumped into the bin. They immediately sank down into the grain. Later their dead bodies were found in the bin.

306 Students Expelled.

Clemson College, S. C., April 10. — Two hundred and fifty-seven students of Clemson colege were yesterday dismissed from the institution. This number, with the forty-nine members of the junior class dismissed on Saturday, aggregates 306 dismissals on account of the All Fools' day escape.

Healer Held on "Misuse" Charge.

Minneapolis, April 10.—A. W. Birkholz, the healer, was indicted by the federal grand jury yesterday afternoon on the charge of having misused the United States mails. Birkholz has been giving "magnetic treatment" in Minneapolis for the last six months.

CANADIANS STARTLED

BOLD ACTION OF U. S. DEPUTY MARSHAL RIDER DEPRESSES ACTIVITY

WRIGHT HELD WOMAN IN EMERSON THREE DAYS—SMUGGLED TRUNK

From Friday's Daily—

Reports from the International border today say the countryside is aroused and gossips in low, mysterious whispers tell about the appearance of a United States deputy marshal upon the streets of Emerson with a gun and the holding up of Herbert Wright, Canadian customs official, ultimately handcuffing him and taking him to Thief River Falls.

Crimes against United States government custom laws with which Canadian customs officers at the International border have intimately connected themselves in the past may be shaking their skeletons in the closets of the dominion government at this hour when the diplomatic machinery of the States is beginning to grind.

For the cool, daring hold up by Rider of Wright at Emerson has set all Canada agog They think this arrest was in retaliation for charges of kidnapping leveled at Customs Collector Foulkes last February but it is impossible to see how the United States officials could proceed otherwise under the premises, tho the incident of last February may have made U. S. officials a little keener-eyed.

Deliberate Act

For Herbert Wright kept Margaret Pierson at Emerson for three days after she had been turned back by U. S. immigration officers at the border on the grounds of being an immoral character. Then Wright smuggled her trunk thru the line and took the woman herself to Orleans, a station on the Soo, where she embarked and went to Thief River Falls. There she became an inmate of the red light district, and she was later arrested there. She confessed, implicating Wright, and was again deported. The warrant for the arrest of Wright was straightway made out at Thief River Falls and sent to Emerson to the United States offices there. H. A. Rider deputy United States marshal went thru Crookston to Emerson Wednesday and there on that warrant arrested Wright at the point of a gun, hand cuffing him and taking him on the Great Northern to Warren and from Warren to Thief River Falls on the Soo where the trial was had before L. G. Browning, United States Commissioner.

Wright has confessed his implication in the matter. He is put under $500 bonds for re-appearance and returns with his father, O. Wright mayor of Emerson, to that city.

No wonder Canada is agog. It was too quick for the slow moving red tape of their official career.

Diplomatic Questions

Now the question is what will Wright do and what part will diplomatic matter play here. For Wright must meet incoming trains in the pursuit of his duties on the American side. Is a Canadian custom official liable for arrest when pursuing his duties?

1,100 SALOONS VOTED OUT.

Thirty-six Counties in Illinois "Dry" Column.

Chicago, April 10.—As a result of Tuesday's local elections in Illinois 36 counties out of the 102 in the state are now entirely anti-saloon territory, while 19 others are anti-saloon with the exception of one township in each. Twenty-seven of the totally "dry" counties voted on the question Tuesday, and nine decided to abolish the saloon last November. The most reliable estimates placed the number of saloons voted out of business Tuesday at 1,100.

Ends Life With Bullet.

New Ulm, Minn., April 10.—Gottlieb Schrodt, a carpenter, who has lived here for twenty-six years, was found dead in his room yesterday. He had committed suicide by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. Despondency is supposed to have caused the deed

Fix Savings Bank Rights.

Des Moines, April 10. — The Iowa supreme court yesterday decided that savings banks have the right to trade in commercial paper, assuming the risks attendant upon ordinary transactions. The decision affects about 300 Iowa banks.

Counterfeiters Work in Prison.

Chester, Ill., April 10.—Counterfeit dimes and quarters and a drug that has the same effect as opium are made by prisoners in the penitentiary here, according to testimony given by guards before the legislative investigating committee yesterday.

Don't be in a hurry to see life if you would live long.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

A. KAISER HAS CINCH

NINTH DISTRICT POLITICIANS COUNT 85 VOTES FOR JOURNAL CANDIDATE

BELIEVE HEFFELFINGER, KELLOGG AND HAWKINS DELEGATES AT LARGE

From Friday's Daily—

Ninth district politicians are looking about to see just what happened and feel elated over the way matters are going. A. Kaiser of Bagley is now conceded district delegate to the National convention at Chicago with 5 votes more than half of the 147 votes in Ninth District.

A wire today from Mahnomen states that delegation is in favor of Taft.

State Delegation at Large

The politicians practically concede the election of Heffelfinger of St. Paul Kellogg of Minneapolis and Senator E. B. Hawkins of Duluth as delegates at large to the national convention. Parsons of Winona, Hunt of Mankato and Senator Putnam of Blue Earth are other candidates who are figured by valley politicians to be in the ring.

Clearwater for Taft and Kaiser

The Clearwater republican county convention was a very harmonious affair at Bagley yesterday. The convention endorsed William H. Taft for president, and was also unanimous for A. Kaiser for delegate from the Ninth congressional to the republican national convention.

The delegates were selected as follows: State convention—M. J. Kolb, P. C. Bjonerby, Harry Sinker, R. E. Geveraux, A. L. Gorden, A. J. Higdem J. W. Johnson, and A. Peterson. Congressional convention—A. Kaiser, M. J. Kolby, Harry Sinker, A. L. Gorden A. J. Higdem, P. B. Bjonerby, R. E. Geveraux and J. W. Johnson.

Beltrami County

At a largely attended and enthusiastic gathering of delegates held in Bemidji yesterday afternoon, William H. Taft was endorsed as the republican candidate for president; Albert Kaiser of Bagley was recommended as a delegate at large from the Ninth Congressional district to the Republican National Convention at Chicago; and Congressman Steenerson received hearty endorsement for his excellent record of the past and also for his retention at Washington in the future.

Delegates to Congressional Convention at Crookston, April, 15: D. C. Smith, J. G. Morrison, Jr., F. S. Lycan J. C. Parker, Rowland Gilmore, F. W. Rhoda, A. P. White, A. R. Erickson, I. R. Severtson, Fred Olson, Charles S. Carter, Gust Berg.

Delegates to the State Convention at Minneapolis, April 16: A. B. Hazen, A. A. Carter, S. M. Koefod, Chas. Saxrud, E. J. Swedback, J. C. Parker, Rowland Gilmore, A. R. Erickson, F. S. Lycan, Fred Olson, F. E. Johnson, A. O. Johnson.

From Otter Tail

Fergus Falls Journal: The Republican county convention for the election for the election of delegates to the state and district conventions which will name delegates to the national convention was held in this city Thursday.

It endorsed the candidacy of Hon. E. E. Corliss as delegate to the National convention from the Ninth Congressional district and instructed delegates to Crookston to use all honorable means to secure his election.

The following were elected delegates to the district convention at Crookston:

E. E. Corliss, A. G. Anderson, J. H. Grass, Iver Bondey, T. J. Hilden, John Lauritzen, Aug. Sitz, N. E. Nelson, O. H. Lee, A. D. Baker, D. M. Brown, C. R. Wright, Ole Larson, Ole H. Berg, A. B. Trana, H. T. Hille, C. N. Haugen, H. N. Bruce, K. W. Bondy.

REBATING COSTS $20,000.

Ludington Company Is Fined in Federal Court.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 10. — Judge Knappen, in the United States district court, yesterday sentenced the Stearns Salt and Lumber company of Ludington, Mich., to pay a fine of [illegible] 000 for accepting rebates from the Pere Marquette railroad on lumber shipments.

STEAMER LEAVES DULUTH.

Navigation at That Port Opens for the Season.

Duluth, April 10.—Lake navigation at Duluth opened yesterday morning, when the steamer C. W. Moore of the Booth line steamed out of the harbor headed for north shore points with supplies for the settlers who have been shut off from the world for two months.

Fire Loss $17,000.

Calumet, Mich., April 10.—While attending the furnace in the basement the forge which he left started a fire in the blacksmith shop of the Winona mine, which totally destroyed the blacksmith shop and machine shop. Loss, $17,000.

BRINGS COUNTY FAIR REPORT

LOVIK SECRETARY POLK COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, SHOWS CONDITION

ASSOCIATION STILL HAS $24.31 AFTER THE FAIR AT FERTILE

From Friday's Daily—

P. R. Lovik, attorney at Fertile was in Crokston yesterday with the report of the Polk county fair association, showing that organization to yet have in its treasury $24.31 after holding the Polk county fair. of last year at the south county metropolis.

The fair was held September 24, 25 and 26, 1907 with 153 exhibitors and 850 articles. Received from stock entries $31.50.

From race entries $82.50.

From subscription, $500.

The association paid out for purses in races $450; premiums $500.20.

There are thirty active members of organization for year ending March 31, 1908.

The association has made quite a success of the fair. They started in with $141.28 April 1, 1907, took in over $400 gate receipts and gathered a total of $2447.38 of which $2423.07 was expended, leaving $24.31.

CARELESSNESS IN ADDRESSES

MISTAKE FREQUENTLY MADE BY TRAVELLING MEN MIGHT BE AVOIDED

A postoffice inspector and the official stated recently that he did not believe that traveling men generally understood one feature of the postal regulations, and that was that letters in an envelope bearing a hotel card could not be returned to the writer, of they were uncalled for, unless the name and address of the writer was on the corner as well as the hotel card. Such letters always went to the dead letter office, after the receiving office had made all reasonable efforts to find the party addressed. He thought that if travelling men understood ,this rule they would generally place their own name and address on the envelopes.

Another thing which causes some complaint is the fact that very few see the advertised list of letters. Congress now makes no appropriation available for publishing these lists. and they are simply posted in the lobbies of postoffices and very few people think to look on the bulletin boards to inspect these lists. After having been thus posted if there is nothing to indicate on the envelope they are bundled off to the dead letter office in Washington where they are opened and examined and some of them find their way back to the writer in this way.

Itis a remarkable thing though that with all the letters written and placed in the mails, and the careless way that many of them are addressed, what a small percentage comes back to you thru the dead letter office.

Burglars Blow Safe.

Stillwater, April 8.—A large safe in the general mercantile establishment of the New Store company of South Stillwater was cracked early yesterday morning, apparently the work of professionals. The booty secured was about $50 in silver.

Woman Burned to Death.

Marshalltown, Iowa, April 8. — Mrs. Joseph Keller, twenty-eight, living four miles north of Traer, while raking leaves into a bonfire was so badly burned that death resulted four hours later. She leaves a husband and four children.

Ranchman Accidentally Shot.

Interior, S.D., April 8.—The accidental discharge of his shotgun, which he was carrying in the wagon beside him to get a shot at rabbits while driving into town, took away part of the hand of Ren Moore, a ranchman living near here.

Farmer Loses Buildings.

Elkader, Iowa, April 8. — The barn and outbuildings of Pat Moyna, together with thirteen milch cows, eight horses, and all his farm machinery, were consumed.

But a man never growls when he gets the lion's share.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

SOME FREE INFORMATION

PURVIS LAND COMPANY GIVES A LIST OF PROSPECTIVE SETTLERS

THOSE WHO HAVE A DESIRE TO KNOCK HAVE A GOOD OPPORTUNITY

From Friday's Daily—

There can be found in every community a certain element who desire to knock. It is certainly a very poor advertisement to the city to have a band of knockers busy all the time. However there is published below a communication for the benefit of all those who desire to use their hammers to the detriment of this section, and the letter in full is published as follows:

Crookston, Minn. Apr. 10, 1908.

For the Benefit of the Curb-Stoners and Knockers of Crookston:

We will publish each week in the Crookston Journal a list of those we are doing business with, and below we are giving a partial list of those that we have at the present time. These people have already bought land and expect to buy more in Polk County in the near future:

Joseph Scribner, Minneapolis, Minn.
Hon. S. D. Works, Mankato, Minn.
John Rush, Mankato, Minn.
Frank Crowell, New York City, N. Y.
B. B. Gislason, Minneota, Minn.
Wilson Borst, Windom, Minn.
Robert Carlson, Minneapolis, Minn.
W. R. Fowler, Faribault, Minn.
Charles Vernon, Minneapolis, Minn.
W. J. Ellis, Buffalo, Minn.
W. H. Rounseville, St. Peter, Minn.
J. H. Doty, St. Peter, Minn.
George Olson, St. Peter, Minn.
William Konsbruck, St. Peter, Minn.
Otto Harkee, Mankato, Minn.
G. W. Allen, Canby, Minn.
W. E. Lindsley, Monticello, Minn.
August Busche, Mountain Lake, Minn.
C. D. Catlin, Graceville, Minn.
Raymond M. Clark, Brunsfield, Ill.
J. S. Cowan, Alexander, Minn.
Henry Dittes, Franklin, Minn.
A. P. Dunpree, Toledo, Ill.
Winthrop Scribner, Eldorado, Wis.
L. M. Fisher, Elmore, Ind.
C. Lane, Danville, Ill.
Frank Blackburn, Beaumont, Texas
E. F. Johnson, Newton, Ill.
L. G. Kurtz, Champaign, Ill.

The above people are all in close touch with us, and we would be pleased to have you do whatever you see fit to benefit them in any way, as they are friends of ours. We have sold and exchanged upwards of ten thousand acres of land in the last six months, and we expect to keep our doors open and continue doing business, notwithstanding the fact that some of our people were induced to go to Dakota by some of the prominent curb-stoners of this city, which people fully intended to buy land in Polk county, which we think is the best county in the state of Minnesota and our customers know that whenever they buy a farm in the Red River Valley that they have made a good investment, and especially near Crookston, the Queen City of the Northwest.

We will be pleased to give additional names to anyone at any time by their calling at our office.

Very truly yours,
—The Robert H. Purvis Land Co.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

April 9 In History.

1758—Fisher Ames, statesman and orator, born in Dedham, Mass.; died there July 4, 1808.

1865—Lee surrendered to Grant at Appomattox, Va.

1899—Stephen J. Field, associate justice of the United States supreme court, on the retired list, died in Washington; born 1817.

1905—Sarah Chauncey Woolsey (Susan Coolidge), writer of children's stories, died at Newport, R. I.; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:29, rises 5:25; moon sets 2:45 a. m.; 5:46 p. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, seen this evening; 5:18 a. m., moon at apogee, farthest from earth.

WILL RECUPERATE'— Sheriff Louis Gonyea expects to depart tonight or tomorrow night for Hunters Hot Springs, Montana where he will remain for a week's recuperation.

HAVE A CLUE—Two men peddlars were held at Hallock yesterday and an effort is being made to connect them with the robbery of the Kyle store at Fisher, the goods being of the same class.

CARL VINGE ILL—G. Torrison and Stein Jorgenson of Fisher brought Carl Vinge of Fisher into the city this morning and took him to the St. Vincens hospital. He is suffering with general debilitation.

18 CHILDREN LIVING—T. Brule of Gentilly the father of 18 living children, ten boys and eight girls and at that one of the most prosperous farmers in his neighborhood is a vnsitor in Crookston this afternoon.

BEIM SUPT. HIGHWAYS— The county commissioners yesterday selected Johannes E. Beim superintendent of highways for Polk county. Other candidates failed to qualify with bond.

BURNING SNOW FENCES — Officer Phillips and Special Agent Britt rounded up thre hoboes north of town today who were burning snow fences they were brought before Judge McLean and sent in for repairs.

PUT OUT PILE DRIVER —Great Northern's pile driver departed for Georgetown this morning where the bridge work is going on. The driver took out a crew of men and will probably work continuously thru the season.

BEMIDJI BOOSTER HERE—Frank Lycan arrived in the city last evening from Bemidji and visited with his brother, William Lycan, of Hotel Crookston. Frank Lycan, formerly of Crookston now owner of Hotel Markham at the lake resort, is boosting Bemidji from the "B" to the "ing" and then some.

MAKING GOOD RUN—Miss Julia Bjornstad arrived this morning and is visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. Sampson. Miss Bjornstad is in the Minneapolis News contest, and in yesterday's paper was in fourth place. She will go to Grand Forks from here and in a few days should be at the top of the list.

CLEARWATER ENDANGERED — The big bridge over the Clearwater River in Red Lake County was endangered in the first part of the week, but with the chilly nights the danger was reduced by the passing thru of the ice that was damming up beneath the supports.

CASE AGAINST EAST SIDE — Minneapolis attorneys are in the city today for the purpose of commencing action against East Grand Forks for M. E. Thornton, a Mineapolis contractor who did a great deal of work for East Grand Forks in the curbing and cement work line on the streets in 1902. The suit will be commenced for $4821.91.

AFTER N. D. DELEGATION—Secretary Moore of the 25,000 Club this morning received a letter from Maple Lake owners at Grand Forks stating that they would address the North Dakota delegation and secure their support for a fish hatchery for Maple Lake. It is to be placed in Northern Minnesota as per bill introduced into the senate by Senator Nelson of Minnesota.

REMAINS TAKEN BELOW—The remains of Wm. Warman who died on his farm west of the city yesterday were last evening shipped to his old home at Fairview, Ill., for interment. He had been here three years and leaves a wife, three sons and a daughter, all grown. He was 48 years of age and was a victim of Brights' disease. The remains were accompanied by his wife and oldest son and Mr. White.

A woman isn't necessarily an old hen because she is set in her ways.

his season's buds may be next season's wall flowers.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

April 10 In History.

Thomas H. Benton.

1736—Prince Eugene, famous soldier and associate of Marlborough, died; born 1663.

1852—John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home," died; born 1792.

1858—Hon. Thomas H. Benton, 30 years senator from Missouri, died; born 1782.

1903—Rev. W. H. Milburn, the venerable blind chaplain of the United States senate, died; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:30, rises 5:23; moon sets 8:21 a. m.

DEATH OF JAS TRAVENICKE—The death of James Travenicke occurred yesterday at East Grand Forks after an illness of one week of appendicitis. He was 33 years of age and leaves a young widow bereaved. The remains were taken to Tabor for burial.

LEFT FOR POKEGAMA—Supt. E. E. McIntyre of the Crookston city schools departed last evening for Lake Pokegama near Gr. Rapids where he will spend a week arranging for his summer vacation there.

SOLWAY OFFICE CLOSED— Today the Solway station on the Duluth line Great Northern was closed. Operator C. Benedict will maintain a western Union station in the depot and attend to minor business during his eight hours.

MET HIS SON—Phil Zeh, one of the old time residents of Thief River Falls returned home yesterday after spending the night here. He met his son who had just returned from the coast and who will make an extended visit at home.

GIVEN TEN DAYS IN JAIL—Judge McLean today sentenced James Mark George Weber and James Zaman to ten days in the county jail each for burning Great Northern snow fences. They were arrested yesterday by Special Agent Britt of the Great Northern and Officer Phillips.

ENROUTE HOME—Nick Bertrand according to advices received left Luxemburgh April 4th after visiting with friends and relatives and attending to business matters and expects to be in Crookston about Easter. He sent best wishes to all his Crookston friends.

STARTED PLOWING—Ed Ray, one of the well known farmers near Tilden yesterday started plowing and the ground worked up well. Farm work is general and in a few more days it will be impossible to find a farmer in the city during the day time with a fine tooth comb.

PUBLIC SPIRIT—Otto Burkhardt, the genial proprietor of the Cleveland House did not wait for the city to clean up the streets about his hotel. He put a number of men at work day before yesterday, had the gutters raked out and the result was a decided improvement in the appearance of things in that vicinity.

BACK TO CANADA—Frank Miller and family of Angus left yesterday for their farm in Canada. Harry Miller left a few days before with a car of stock nd goods as he has a claim in the same locality. The two young men are sons of R. H. Miller, the well known Angus farmer who is being talked of as a candidate for the state legislature from this district.

SPOONER WENT WEST— Judge M. A. Spooner who recently resigned from the bench of the 15th district passed thru the city yesterday enroute to Spokane, Washington, where he will engage in the practice of law. His departure from this section is generally regretted as he has a host of friends here as well as at Bemidji who will miss him but who will wish him well in his new location where he is certain to succeed.

NORTH COUNTRY FARMER IS HERE—Louis Osterloh, one of the well known and successful farmers of Angus came down last evening to attend to some business matters and returned home this morning. He states that the land is in fine shape up north and that all the farmers will be at work in a few days, some of them having started already. Mr. Osterloh had a fine crop last year and it will not be his fault if he does not get a big crop this year as well, as he keeps his land in good shape by summer fallowing and proper crop rotation.

Affords Perfect Security

Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

BUTTER FAKIRS—The Minnesota dairy and food department in its campaign for good butter sold at its true weight, has found an enemy in the field—scoundrels who dress up as farmers and delude housekeepers into buying oleomargarine at good dairy butter prices, sometimes at five cents below to ensure a sale. The swindlers are traveling thru the country in farmers' wagons and the stuff sold by the fellows is not even high grade oleo at that. One fellow near Detroit caught at the game by the husband of a woman who was next to the swindle received a thrashing he will remember for a long time to come.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

April 11 In History.

1794—Edward Everett, American orator and statesman, born; died 1865.

1814—Napoleon at Fontainebleau signed the act of abdication.

1884—Charles Reade, English novelist, died; born 1814.

1899—Proclamation by President McKinley announcing the restoration of peace with Spain.

1902—General Wade Hampton, distinguished Confederate cavalry officer, died at Columbia, S. C.; born 1818.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:31, rises 5:22; moon sets 8:51 a. m.; sun's declination, 8.5 degrees north of celestial equator.

BEMIDJI MAYOR HERE — John Poag, the mayor of Bemidji was in the city a short time this morning enroute to Warren where he was called on business matters.

A FINE BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. James Frazer were visited by the storkship this morning and as a result there is a very fine baby girl, a very fine specimen of femininity is specially welcomed by them.

FINISHED CONTRACT —Contractor W. D. Rowe today finished a large contract for Ernest Rolsch, laying a fine tile entrance to the Smith poolroom in the Rolsch Block.

NO PICKLE PLANT—A communication was received by Secretary Moore of the 25,000 Club from E. O. Heyle of Libby, McNeil and Libby stating that no pickle plant would be located here this year but something might be done in the future.

LEVELING STATE ROAD— Commissioner Clements is doing the pedestrian stunt along the state road to the experimental farm. The county board has two men at work there who are repairing and improving the road for the summer season business.

AN OLD TIMER—Andrew Larson, one of the old timers of Angus arrived in the city last evening from the lumber camps out east. Mr. Larson quit farming a number of years ago and since has been in the woods the greater portion of the time. He manages to get to Crookston once or twice a year to visit old friends.

WILL GO ON DRIVE—Dave Ryan one of the old time river drivers on the Red Lake river has been engaged again by Pat Sullivan, river boss for the Grand Forks Lumber Co., and will leave in a day or two for Battle River where he will be foreman of one of the crews.

BOOKLETS EXCITE INTEREST—Secretary J. F. Moore of the 25,000 club some time ago gave two friends who were visiting here from Westhope, N. D., G. S. Trimble and J. T. Cavanaugh about 100 booklets recently printed by the 25,000 Club describing Crookston. Now comes a letter asking for some definite information about a location in this vicinity.

BURIED MOTHER—Timothy Hastings yesterday received a letter from John Telke who with his wife were called to Jordan, Scott Co., Minn., three weeks ago, by the illness of his mother, to the effect that she passed away the first of the week. Deceased Mrs. Eva Paulic was 77 years of age and had been ailing for some time past. The funeral was held day before yesterday.

An Insidious Danger

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

Herman Billek to Hang.

Springfield, Ill., April 11.—The supreme court yesterday denied a motion for the rehearing of the case of Herman Billek, found guilty of murder in Chicago.

RECIPE FOR RHEUMATISM

Directions to Prepare Simple, Yet Remarkable Home Mixture

There is so much Rheumatism here in our neighborhood now that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after a while.

Our home druggists say they will either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription ready to take if our readers ask them.

ANARCHIST WORST ENEMY OF MANKIND

President Urges Congress to Pass Law to Wipe Out the Deepest of Crimes.

MUST SUPPRESS 'RED' PAPERS

No Federal Statute to Prevent Teaching of Violence Through the Postal Service.

Washington, April 11. — In one of the shortest messages which he has yet transmitted to congress President Roosevelt yesterday called the attention of that body to the necessity for further legislation on the subject of anarchy. With the message he transmitted a report reviewing the legal phases of the question by Attorney General Bonaparte. The president says:

Is Enemy of Mankind.

"When compared with the suppression of anarchy every other question sinks into insignificance. The anarchist is the enemy of humanity, the enemy of all mankind, and his is a deeper degree of criminality than any other. No paper published here or abroad should be permitted circulation in this country if it propagates anarchistic opinions."

Besides his direction to the postmaster general to exclude from the mails such publications as La Questione Social, President Roosevelt, in a letter to Attorney General Bonaparte asking for an opinion on the legal phases of the subject, says he has had the particular case called to the attention of the governor of New Jersey by Secretary Root that the governor may proceed under the state laws.

Bonaparte's Opinion.

The opinion of Attorney General Bonaparte, which the president transmits to congress, embraces a discussion of the whole subject from many legal angles. His first conclusion is that the article in question, which advocates the use of arms and dynamite in annihilating police and soldiers that anarchy may prevail, constitutes a "seditious libel" and is undoubtedly a "crime at common law."

He declared that there is no federal statute which make ssuch publications an offense against the United States and that the federal courts consequently have no jurisdiction in the matter. That there is full power in the possession of congress to make such publications criminal the attorney general asserts, and quotes Chief Justice Fuller of the supreme court and Mr. Justice Field as authority.

Loneliness Kills Indian.

Minneapolis, April 11. — Homesickness is responsible for the death of Red Owl. the old Sioux brave who passed away in a Minneapolis hospital where he had come from his labors as a missionary at the Cheyenne agency in South Dakota two weeks ago. The attending physicians pronounced death due to nostalogia, which is the scientific name for lonesomeness.

Many a man who joins in the anvil chorus would be ashamed to play second fiddle.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

CANADIAN OFFICER HELD TO FEDERAL COURT

CUSTOMS OFFICER H. H. WRIGHT HELD FOR TRIAL TO FEDERAL COURT AT FERGUS FALLS BY U. S. COMMISSIONER L. G. DOWNING OF THIEF RIVER FALLS THIS MORNING—CHARGED WITH AIDING THE ILLEGAL ENTRY INTO THIS COUNTRY OF WOMAN OF IMMORAL CHARACTER

From Saturday's Daily—

This morning at Thief River Falls United States Commissioner L. G. Downing held Herbert H. Wright, the Canadian Customs officer at Emerson to the Federal Court at Fergus Falls under $500 bonds on the charge of having aided the entry into this country of Margaret Pierson, alias Margaret French who also carries several other aliases, who had been declared an undesirable citizen by the U. S. Examining Board a few days before Wright is claimed to have smuggled her across the Canadian border to Orleans from where she went to Thief River where she was arrested Tuesday.

Wright was nabbed by Special Agent Rider Wednesday at the point of a gun and taken to Thief River.

Mr. Wright in an intervief with the Mr. Wright in an interview with the phone today said:

"I have nothing to say for publication. I am not guilty. The facts will come out in the trial at Fergus Falls if there ever is one."

Mr. Wright was represented by Attorney P. H. Konzen of Hallock and the only witness was U. S. Immigration Inspector Smith who was the one who caused the arrest.

There has been hard feeling between the officials of the two governments ever since the arrest of Revenue Collector Fowlds of the U. S. by a Canadian official some time ago on the charge of kidnapping.

The woman at the bottom of this case was returned to Canada and is now at her home in a small place near Winnipeg.

START SEEDING NEXT MONDAY

MANY FARMERS ARE ALREADY SEEDING OR HARROWING LAND

WORK WILL BE GENERAL MONDAY ACCORDING TO REPORTS RECEIVED

From Saturday's Daily—

On Monday next seeding will be on in full blast in the Red River Valley Many farmers are at work today and those who are not are getting in shape for seeding Monday next and the grain will be rushed into the ground from that time forward:

The conditions for seeding this spring are ideal, and unless heavy rains follow the crop will be put in under most favorable conditions. There is practically no water on the land, what little having resulted from the last snow being dried up by the heavy winds of yesterday and the day before.

The ground is mellow and works up fine and if there is no interruption to work the crop will be in the ground in good season and the conditions in every way point to a prosperous season.

While it is too early in the season to be absolutely certain of anything the fact remains that every condition is favorable at the present time. The farmers as well as the business men in this section have good reason to feel optimistic.

Will Seed Monday

The Berget boys started out this morning to harrow and drag their land south of their home preparatory to seeding Monday.

Seeding Today

F. M. Slyter of the town of Andover near the Fairfax line is working in the field and will seed this afternoon or Monday.

Smith at Fairfax

R. E Smith finds that the soil is a little too damp yet to commence work on his farm in Fairfax but will get busy this afternoon or Monday sure.

At Gentilly

Farmers are plowing and dragging at Gentilly, says H. Gendron today, but as yet no one has commenced to seed a large field. They expect to start seeding Monday.

Seeding on Burnham Creek

F. B. Phillips, located on the J. E. O'Brien farm across from W. Lytles place after Burnham's Creek is crossed, is seeding, having commenced operations yesterday.

Farmers Seeding

Several farmers over between the rivers south of East Grand Forks began seeding yesterday and they will all be at it by the first of the week of the weather remains favorable.

At State Farm

Harrowing will start Monday at the state farm. No work has been done extensively so far on account of low ground, but even the worst spots will be dry by Monday and seeding operations under full headway.

Working at Euclid

Robert Balfour was in the city last evening from Euclid, returning home this morning. He states that dragging is in progress on the Currie farm east of Euclid and that other farmers are busy. Work will be general in that section the first of the week.

Harrowing on Tiegeson Farm

On the Tiegeson farm in the town of Andover men with teams and harrows are out in the field and preparing their lands for the seeding to take place today or Monday. Preparations are on thruout that part of the country and they are quite well advanced.

Seeding on Bergerson Farm

Seeding is under full headway on the Bergerson farm, formerly the old Child's place. Tom Bjoin on section 12 in Andover has not yet commenced but will start early next week certain Dragging is under full headway in that part of the township at noon today.

Seeding Thru Onstad

Commissioner Clements has just returned from a trip thru the towns south and southeast of Crookston and reports that seeding is under full headway thru the towns of Onstad and Godfrey. He believes that the seeding is as far if not farther advanced thru those towns than elsewhere.

Seeding Near Grand Forks

The first seeding operations in Grand Forks county this season were reported yesterday from Thompson, where several farmers residing west of Thompson commenced work. It is expected that seeding will be general by Monday.

Yesterday was the warmest day of this year, the government thermometer at the University of N. D. showing a record of 71 in the shade yesterday afternoon. It was a good drying day for the fields.—Grand Forks Herald.

PAY COUNYTY FIRE HEROES

$88.15 GOES TO POLK COUNTY RESIDENTS FOR THEIR WORK

CASEYS AND DONAHUES OF PARNELL KEEP UP FAMILY REPUTATION

From Saturday's Daily—

Certain residents of Polk county received money from the state today in payment of services they have rendered for the extinguishment of prairie and forest fires. Under state law citizens who take part in fire fighting upon being corroborated by witnesses will receive pay for their services.

There are 38 people so included for the winter just past. One of these fire heroes or heroines is a woman, Mrs. Ida Arhaug of Helgeland town, who received 75 cents. Ole Morud in the same spread of flames received $9.90, the highest amount on the list. Next comes R. H. Linaberry of Parnell town with $8.50. Pat Kelly well known resident of Gentilly drew $4.50 and A. L. Engen of Helgeland gets $6.15.

The Caseys and Donahues in Parnell town, however, are the ones that are supporting the family reputation. These natural born fighters of fire are on the list two or three times.

The people of the city see much of the glamor of the fire laddy who fights the other people's fires with all the appliances known to science and before an admiring crowd, but the man who faces the sweep of flames across the open, deserted prairie, miles from any appliance whatever and before the doorway of his own and his neighbor's homes does not not often get before the eyes of the people.

BAD FIRE AT OSLO SATURDAY

THREE COLD STORAGE PLANTS WERE TOTALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE

GASOLINE ENGINE REFUSED TO WORK—500 TONS OF COAL TOOK FIRE

From Monday's Daily—

The cold storage agencies of the Minneapolis Brewing Co., Minneapolis Brewing Co., Anhauser-Busch Brewing Co., and Val Blatz Brewing Co., and 500 tons of coal belonging to the Soo railway company were destroyed by a fire Saturday night at Oslo which caused a loss of $25,000.

The coal is still afire but there is no further danger of destruction. A special train was sent from Thief River Falls with the department of that city. The Soo depot was saved. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

Little damage would have been done but for the fact that the gasoline engine of the fire department would not work and the firemen were compelled to stand and watch the buildings burn, but managed to protect other property excepting the coal.

PLAN A BIG POULTRY SHOW

From Monday's Daily—

The officers of the Red River Valley Poultry Assn. held an important meeting here Saturday evening and after looking over the financial condition of the association which were found in excellent shape decided to give Polk County one of the best poultry shows ever given in the Northwest next December.

Because of the healthy conditions of the finances of the association the officers decided that the next show can be put on without asking financial aid of the business men.

The members and officers of the association desire to thank the people at large and the business men of Crookston for their support since the organization of the Red River Valley Poultry association and hope to receive it in the past, and to thoroly merit it.

The officers are specially gratified that they will be able to put on the next show in December without soliciting financial aid from the business men who in the past have always responded so generously.

The officers of the asociation are President, T. J. Couch, Grand Forks; Vice President, W. F. Peterson and Secretary, J. W. Lewis, Crookston.

President Couch expressed his pleasure over the condition of affairs and paid Crookston a high compliment for the support given to the Association in the past.

FAWCETT JURY DISSAGREED

From Saturday's Daily—

Grand Forks, April 11.—The jury in the case of Dr. John W. Fawcett, accused of performing a criminal operation that caused the death of Lillie Schmochel, reported last evening schortly before 10 o'clock that an agreement was impossible. Judge C. F. Templeton accordingly discharged the jury and adjourned this term of the district court.

Dr. Fawcett was allowed to go on bail and his case goes over to the June term of district court when he will have his second trial.

According to reports following the discharge of the jury it stood six to six when the final ballot was taken

Juror's Brother Dies

A sad feature of the trial was the death of a brother of Hugh McTavish one of the jurors, yesterday afternoon while the trial was in progress. McTavish was notified Thursday afternoon that his brother had been fatally kicked in the face by a horse but the trial was nearing a close and he could not get excused. The trial was hurried as rapidly as possible and it was believed that he could reach Hannah this morning and see his brother before his death. Yesterday afternoon a telephone message came to the effect that McTavish had died from his injuries.

No Agreement Possible.

four on the first ballot, two not voting

It is said that the jury stood six to On another ballot the jury stood seven to five. On the next ballot the jury stood six to six. This condition prevailed until the jury reported a disagreement.

HUNDREDS OF ACRES LEASED

ROSS AND HENRY WILL TAKE 60 HEAD OF HORSES TO ANGUS SOON

WILL PASTURE HORSES THERE AND SEED ALL LAND THEY CAN RENT

From Tuesday's Daily—

Ed Henry, of the firm of Ross and Henry, loggers at Kelliher, was in the city this morning enroute to Angus where he will negotiate for the lease of the large Winchester farm just east of that village, the fine farm buildings being just a half mile from town.

Much of the farm is fenced in and Ross and Henry will without doubt lease it because of the fine pasturage for 60 head of heavy horses which they have been using in the logging camps the past winter.

They will farm the balance of the land, and as much more as they can lease in that vicinity, as 60 good horses can farm a considerable acreage.

It is also the intention to put up several tons of hay, and that location is close to much fine hayland a little farther east. The horses will be driven down from Kelliher, as the roads are good and the trip over land with the roads fine as at present can be made cheaper than by rail as it would take three cars to carry the horses down.

HAS COMPLETED WHEAT SEEDING

PHILLIPS ON WESTERMAN FARM IN ANDOVER WINDS UP TODAY

Mr. Phillips, located on the Westerman farm, section 24 in town of Andover, is in the city today, having completed all his wheat seeding for the season. He is diversifying his farming and is at work on other crops.

POISONED BY HANDLING MAIL

RAILWAY MAIL CLERK AFFLICTED AFTER WORKING MAIL FROM JAPAN

Walter Nelson a railway mail clerk who resides at 1015 University avenue Grand Forks is taking a layoff on account of a case of blood-poisoning which came about thru the handling of mail from Japan. Nelson has a run from Grand Forks to Havre and it was after handling a bunch of mail on a trip to Grand Forks that blood-poisoning developed. His hands became broken out and he has suffered a good deal of inconvenience.

CASHIER TAKES POISON.

Confronted With Charge of Embezzlement He Attempts Suicide.

Madison, Wis., April 15.—Confronted with the charge of having embezzled over $8,000 of the funds of the Citizens' State bank of the village of Belleville, Edwin C. Story, cashier of the bank, yesterday attempted to commit suicide by taking poison. He was discovered, however, before the poison had much chance to take effect, and physicions believe he will recover. The bank is in charge of State Banking Commissioner M. C. Bergh.

FIGHT FIRES ALL DAY.

Railroad Men and Farmers Kept Busy Near Barnesville.

Barnesville, Minn., April 15. — A prairie fire started yesterday south of this city and burned from 9 o'clock yesterday morning until late last evening. How the fire started is not known, but it is thought to have originated from a spark from an engine. The section crew had a hard time to keep the fire from burning the Great Northern ties one mile west of here. A barn and granary belonging to P. Hoffman of Council Bluffs, Iowa, was wiped away and about twenty hay stacks were consumed.

SHOCK KILLS PATIENT.

Man on Operating Table When Hospital Burned.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., April 14. — Karl Sorenson, who was undergoing an operation when the Northwestern hospital caught fire yesterday, died last night. Although great care was taken in carrying him from the burning building, the shock was too great for him. His home was at Withea.

John Rassmussen 59 years of age, a farmer in Parnell town, died last Saturday night at his home of Brights disease. He was a bachelor and had anly one relative a niece, Miss Lydia Getting who will arrive tomorrow from her home in Sterling, Ill. The funeral will be held here Wednesday next. Deceased was very wealthy.

DREDGE HELD BY THE ICE

DREDGE MOORED TO BANKS OF ROSEAU NEARLY GOES TO BOTTOM

MEN WORK IN ICY RIVER AND SAW ICE AROUND THE MACHINE

From Monday's Daily—

Captain Jas. A. Beard of the Standard Drainage Co., of Windom, Minn., in charge of the big Roseau river state project, managed an under water fight for the rescue of the huge dredge near Duxby in Roseau county when he arrived there to begin preparations for the coming ditching season. The hull of the dredge had become imbedded in ice and refused to rise of water during present spring thaw. As a result the water had filled the hull and was beginning to get into the machine rooms. Neighboring farmers were caled in to help his assistants free the boat from its predicament. The cold water full of floating ice was entered for a time by each man who worked a saw that had been driven thru the submerged ice and then warmed up again by a fire that was built on the bank. The hull was pumped out by hand and after the ice had been sawed out around the boat the dredge again rode on the water. The crew worked day and night. The big two yard dipper will dump its first load of dirt on the shore in the morning of April 16th next.

NATIONAL DRAINAGE MEET AT WASHINGTON

MAY 12TH BROWARD OF FLORIDA WILL CALL NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

May 12th next the National Drainage Association will hold a meeting in Washington as recently called together by Governor Broward of Florida, successor of A. G. Bernard of Cass Lake as president of the Association and chairman of the executive board. The meeting will be an enthusiastic one as Florida whose destiny is wrapped up in the success of drainage is pushing the drainage bills now before congress and will be busy with the states of the union to push the matter thrup before congress adjourns.

ORGANIZE NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

FARMERS PETITION TO HAVE SET OFF FROM 240 AND 229

Johannes Gjerde, Hans L. Sande, Hans T. Hauglid, B. E. Arhaug, Ole J. Pederson of Brandt and Helgeland townships are signers of a petition to the county commissioners to set off sections 31, S 1-2 32, S 1-2 28, 34 and 35 in Helgeland town from school district 229; and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 in Brandt town and school district 240 for another school district. The hearing has been set for May 14th. County Supt. Casey has recommended the change.

ANNIVERSARY OF CYCLONE

Yesterday the 27th anniversary of the cyclone which created much havoc at Sauk Rapids and St. Cloud and killed 89 people in that immediate vicinity

This fact was called to mind this morning by a traveling man who was a resident of St. Cloud at the time of the cyclone but was fortunately not injured, nor were any of the members of his family.

The St. Cloud cyclone is always referred to as one of the most destructive "wind blows" in the history of the state.

FOSSTON TOWN MARSHALL RESIGNS

The city of Fosston lately received the resignation of Gust Holt, town marshal of Fosston almost since the incorporation of that city as a village. Ole Erickson, formerly chief of police of Thief River Falls, has been summoned to take his place.

Explosion Fatal to Six.

Mendota, Ill., April 15.—By the explosion of a boiler at Bell's tile yard, at Pawpaw, sixteen miles north of Mendota, yesterday, two men were instantly killed and four badly hurt.

STARTS EUCLID CONTRACT

CONTRACTOR M. SULLIVAN GOES UP WITH MEN AND TEAMS TOMORROW

WILL RUSH DITCH 66 TO COMPLETION WITH ALL POSSIBLE SPEED

From Tuesday's Daily—

Contractor M. Sullivan will leave Wednesday for Euclid with his entire ditching outfit including a large number of men and 8 or 10 teams will rush the big Euclid ditch which has been hanging fire for the past three years to completion.

The Standard Drainage Co., took the contract for what is known as ditch 66 three years ago and first attempted to do the work with a floating dredge and this would not work on account of insufficient water.

Next a dry digger or walking dredge was tried, but there was not even water enough for this.

Finally the dredge scheme was abandoned and last fall the contract was subyet to M. Sullivan but rains came on and it was too wet for wheeled scrapers to accomplish much. Conditions are ideal this spring and work will be rushed to completion by Contractor Sullivan.

LAND GOES FOR $45 PER ACRE

ANGUS SOIL SOLD TO WINNIPEG BUYER FOR NEAR TWENTY-NINE THOUSAND

Deeds were completed today conveying the west half of section 10 and north half of section 15 in Angus township twenty miles north of this city from Grant Houston of Will county Illinois to W. C. Garnett of Winnipeg, Manitoba. The consideration was $28,800. The farm is now occupied by Walter Storms and Clarence Bowley.

FOSSTON PIONEER HAS PASSED AWAY

Word has been received yesterday of the death at Fosston of John Omland a pioneer drayman of that place who is known to every resident there Deceased has been in the dray business for years starting before the rail road line was completed by freighting goods across to Fosston from Fertile. He died Friday night of consumption with which he has been afflicted for years. He was of a genial disposition and was a friend to everybody and everybody was his friend. He had never been married and has no relatives in this part of the country. Interment was made Sunday at Fosston. Thus another picturesque character who has been prominent in the early history of the Red River Valley has passed away.

BIG CELEBRATION ON AT EUCLID

MR. AND MRS. HERMAN AKER CELEBRATE THEIR WOODEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Aker of Euclid entertained a large gathering of friends and relatives Saturday evening, the occasion being in honor of their 5th wedding anniversary. A fine supper was served and the evening spent in games and dancing. The host and hostess were the recipients of vast number of useful and pretty presents attesting to their popularity All present promised to assist them in celebrating their golden wedding 45 years hence.

BRISLET AND GROVE PARK APPOINT

The town of Brislet north of Angus in meeting of the town board, Saturday appointed J. M. Boyd as assessor in place of George Anderson who had been elected assessor and town clerk. The town of Grove Park chose Albert Hanson the same day in place of L. W. Borchert who had also been elected to two positions. These moves are as result of decision of Attorney General Young that the same person could not hold two public jobs Fisher is another town that is in the same fix.

Evans is Much Better.

Paso Robles, Cal., April 15. — Rear Admiral Evans is much better, and early in the evening was able to attend to his correspondence.

HORSE FELL IN ICY WATER

DAVID GERBER CAME NEAR LOSING A VALUABLE ANIMAL AT KEY STONE

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THAT SECTION OF POLK COUNTY

From Tuesday's Daily—

David Gerber one of the well known farmers near Key Stone came near losing a valuable horse a couple of days ago. He was filling a water tank from a ditch when one horse crowded the other one over the embankment and it fell into the water.

Mr. Gerber labored for some time to help the horse out but finally rode to the Simon Aeschlimann home where another team and chains were secured and the half drowned horse was finally rescued. It was a very chilly bath but after a good rub down the horse seemed as good as new. Mr. Gerber was naturally a little excited when it looked as tho he was to be out a valuable horse, and it made his friends smile to hear him state later that he was not frightened at all, just the horses were excited.

Key Stone Notes

Miss Helen Riedesel enjoyed a very pleasant visit with her friend, Miss Laura Ramstad at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann last Sunday.

It seems that as soon as spring opens a boy's first thought is to remain true to his favorite game of baseball as was the case in this vicinity last Sunday when the boys met for the sake of choosing a captain for their baseball team this coming season. David Gerber was chosen and there is no doubt but what there will be a number of good games next summer.

Lewis, Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann and Miss Laura Ramstad visited with Miss Helen Riedesel at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Vavrina last Sunday evening.

Miss Alma Horn drove to Grand Forks last Sunday and visited with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeltwenger and baby of Euclid spent last Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber.

Miss Laura Ramstad and her pupils of District No. 30 are planning on beautifying the school grounds by plainting flowers which they hope will be attracted to people passing by.

A number of the young people took advantage of the nice weather last Saturday evening by driving over to the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber where they spent a very delightful evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann left for Stephen to visit for several days, with their old Illinois friends who are living at that place.

Arthur Arnold will work for John Vavrina, and David Gerber for Barney Tiedemann the coming season.

The farmers in this vicinity are very busy cleaning their grain which they expect to seed soon if this weather stays.

Mr. Henry Ehnen and Mr. Everet Capes enjoyed a very pleasant drive last Sunday afternoon.

Louis Osterloh one of the most prominent farmers near Angus transacted business near here last Thursday.

Edward Brantl drove to Grand Forks Sunday.

Attempt Train Wrecking.

Elmira, N. Y., April 15.—An unsuccessful attempt was made last night to wreck a west-bound passenger train on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, near Lowman, seven miles east, by piling ties on the track.

OLDTIMER DIES IN AN ASYLUM

WILLIAM KOEHLER WAS COMMITTED FROM GRAND FORKS 24 YEARS AGO

BURKE CORBET WAS JUDGE OF PROBATE AND J. A. JENKS SHERIFF

From Wednesday's Daily—

Notice has been received at Grand Forks from Jamestown of the death of William Koehler who was committed to the asylum in Yankton, on March 1st 1884, and on April 1, 1886 was transferred from the Yankton asylum to Jamestown. Koehler was one of the oldest patients in the Jamestown asylum and his term is believed to be longer than that of any other patient sent from Grand Forks county. He was committed to the asylum by Burke Corbet, who was then judge of probate. Mr. Corbet is now practicing law in California. Dr. Samuel W. Rutledge, now dead, brother of Editor Rutledge of the Bemidji Pioneer, was the physician in the case and M. W. Scott, since deceased, was a member of the board. Sheriff James A. Jenks who died years ago was a brother of the late C. H. Jenks, former superintendent of the Great Northern here, and took Koehler to the asylum at Yankton.

NO CIVIL CASES FOR COURT JURY

The present term of the district court is going down into history without the trial of a civil case by jury. Four of the five cases set for jury trial Monday were continued Tuesday morning. The fifth case was that of Kitts & Olson vs. C. G. Erikson, an action to collect a note given in payment for a horse. The defendant claimed breach of warranty. The attorneys negotiated and agreed that the case should be tried before the court, and the civil calendar was clear so far as jury cases were concerned.—Fergus Falls Journal.

SIMPLE WASH CURES ECZEMA

Itching, Burning Skin Disease Routed Without Use of Injurious Drugs

Great inventors often have been praised for surrendering the secrets of their discoveries. Practically the same thing happened in the medical world in the case of Dr. Decatur D. Dennis, the eminent skin specialist of Chicago.

Dr. Dennis in his own office practice, discovered that pure vegetable oil of wintergreen, properly mixed with other simple remedies was practically a sure specific for Eczema, psoriasis, barber's itch, sald rheum, and other itching skin diseases. But the oil of wintergreen alone was found ineffective. It required other mild ingredients such as glycerine and thymol compounded with the wintergreen to produce the real eczema cure

This compounded D. D. D. Prescription positively takes away the itch at once—the instant it is applied to the skin. This vegetable liquid does away with deleterious drugs so long used in an attempt to doctor the blood whereas modern science has determined that eczema is first and all the time a skin disease.

If you want to know more about the merits of D. D. D. Prescription, call at our store. We vouch for this remedy.—S. A. Wallace.

Historic Church Burned.

Berlin, April 15.—The historic garrison church, the Neue Friedrichstrasse, dating from 1703, was completely burned out last night.

Without Labor and Economy

none can be rich, with both none need be poor.

You work and earn money but have you a bank account for the care and conserving of this money?

No matter how small or how large your income, you should have a bank account. It will assist you in the practice of real economy and in many other ways. You can open an account at this bank without any expense and you can have the use of the money deposited just the same as if it were in your pocket—without the chance of having it stolen or being lost. Come in and talk with us about it.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

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E. A. DUNHAM IS FACE TO FACE WITH JUSTICE

From Monday's Daily—

E. A. Dunham the erratic individual who has been keeping the wheels of justice moving for some months past is face to face with justice now and has no pleasant prospect.

Leaving here in January after forging checks on fellow associates, forging checks in Winnipeg, Edmunton and Calgary and other points in north western Canada, then marrying the woman who had nursed him for 12 weeks while he was at the point of death when he had another wife and child living in Crookston—all this will be a combination that will give the former Great Northern brakeman on the Northern Division an entrance into prison that will keep him there for a good portion of the rest of his natural life.

Dunham is yet suffering from the pleurisy pains for which he was operated on at The Edmunton City Hospital and is weak from the effects.

Dunham appeared before Judge Wilde, this morning at ten o'clock, entering the doorway thru crowds of railway men who are much interested in the case. His preliminary hearing is set for ten o'clock next Wednesday morning the 22nd.

Stranded in Crookston

At the Grand Central Hotel in this city, striving to hide herself from public gaze by registering herself as "Miss Charlotte McCallum, Stephen, Minn.," is the woman, once trained nurse in The Edmunton City Hospital whom Dunham married after she had nursed him back to life after twelve long weeks of sickness. Charlotte McCallum is a woman of honorable sentiments and character, disenchanted with the ingrate of whom she has fallen victim.

She knew Dunham as S. E. Best and they were married April 11th last by Reverend E. E. Marshall of the McDougall Methodist church at Edmunton. Dunham became intoxicated on that day and they came back to Winnipeg and remained in that city two days. Then to St. Vincent, the police and prison—a short bitter honeymoon that. Charlotte McCallum is now stranded in Crookston without money. Her parents are dead.

Dunham with all his put-on has been in crime too long to be a crude man. He knew that all the thru trains out of Winnipeg were being closely watched. He knew that if he took a local train out of the Peg he would not be observed, and then at Emerson he could take the Soo into the Cities or go by other directions into Mexico and bury himself there. He makes no secret that that country was his destination.

"Hello There, Baldy"

What erratic condition of the mind lead him into St. Vincent, Minnesota is a mystery. He had told Miss McCallum he was running a train on the St. Vincent line. When they dismounted from the train on the off-station side, former railroad associates on a sidetracked freight train hailed him, "Hollo there, Baldy." "By G—d there's Dunham" said another.

On this train was Deputy Sheriff Heard of Kittson county. He observed this off-station dismounting from the train and followed with his eyes the parties. He overheard the conversation of the railroad men. He instantly shoots into the telegraph station at the St. Vincent station and wires "Sheriff, Crookston, Forger Dunham in St. Vincent, Do you want him. Advise, Bert Heard." It was the case of a live man and a live wire.

The sheriff's office at Crookston did want Dunham. They hard a warrant sworn out for him April 13th last.

Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea Jr., and M. M. McLaughlin, whom Mr. Gonyea specially deputized at the G. N. Station when he departed, brought Dunham back.

Marries and Tries

Judge G. C. Wilde of this city, who officiated four years ago at the wedding of E. A. Dunham the Great Northern brakeman who turned check artist and was arrested and brought to this city last Saturday night, to Miss Millette, will today or tomorrow officiate at the ceremony of binding him over to the Grand Jury on a charge of forgery, and the evidence is so conclusive that he will be indicted on five or six different counts.

When Dunham was brought to the city Saturday evening by Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea from St. Vincent where he was arrested the night previous, there was a crowd of 400 or 500 people assembled to meet him. In the crowd was one of the Millette boys, a brother to the wife Dunham had deserted. As Dunham was being escorted to a hack Millette made a lunge at Dunham, and had it not been for vigorous action by Deputy Sheriff Gonyea, Dunham would have received a terrible beating as the crowd was in sympathy with Dunham's wife, who is left with two little children and no means of support. Dunham was hustled into the hack, the driver lashed his horses and the prisoner was soon behind the bars in the county jail.

Not a Word

Dunham refuses to say a word. He has not yet secured counsel, and it is not probable that he will have any except the one appointed by the court The cases of forgery are so clear against him that it is possible he may enter a plea of guilty and take his sentence rather than to lie in jail for several months before getting a trial at the June term of court, and receive a heavier sentence than he would be apt to get now.

Dunham has a bad record in St. Paul. He served 60 days at the workhouse for touching a man for $85 in a saloon about 6 years ago and also served a pen sentence for a gun play.

$16,000 FOR KEYSTONE FARMS

BUGG OF CLARENCE, MISSOURI, PURCHASES HALF SECTION OF LAND

D.L. Bugg of Clarence, Shelby County, Missouri has purchased of Nels M. Bygland, Knox County, Ill., the northwest quarter of section nine in Keystone town for $8,000; and the southwest quarter of nine in Keystone town of Daniel K. Gowell and Ed. R. Taft for $8,000. The deal was made by trade between the parties.

Affords Perfect Security

Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

Ball Game Fatal.

Willmar, Minn., April 21. — Percy Hawkins, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawkins, died yesterday from an abscess in the bowels. The boy was hurt while playing ball several weeks ago

LADY IS TAKEN AMONG FRIENDS

Miss Charlotte McCallum has found no inhospitable and unsympathetic sameness to Crookston. Yesterday she went among friends. Mrs. C. H. Denniston called at the Grand Central Hotel yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock and the lady accompanied her when she departed. Miss McCallum is a highly trained nurse and is in no wise dependent on others, if she secures a proper start. She queried the management of the Grand Central concerning a position.

GOOD DRIVERS ARE A SCARCE ARTICLE

Ran Smith, of the livery firm of Smith & Sinclair of East Grand Forks returned home last evening after spending a couple of days driving thru the country about the city in search of some good driving horses, but was unable to find any that he wanted that were for sale. The firm wants five or six more good toppy drivers but they seem to be very hard to pick up, as the farmers who have the right sample are not anxious to sell.

DREDGE JOB FOR POLK CO.

LATERALS AT HEAD DEMAND ENLARGEMENT OF CAPACITY OF DITCH

18-MILE STATE DITCH TO BE AMONG LARGEST IN THE STATE

State drainage engineer George A. Ralph met yesterday at the commissioners rooms in the court house and aided in preparation of papers by which farmers and merchants in the southern part of Polk county will petition the state drainage board for such an enlargement of the state drainage canal now running thru the towns of Liberty, Reis and Scandia as will make it among the largest in the state.

The ditch starts in the northwest corner of section 28 in Liberty town, running almost due west to the southwest of 14 in Scandia town where it empties into the Sandhill river and thence into the Red.

The enlargement of the ditch, which as planned will require the work of a steam dredge, is necessary on account of the enormous increase of laterals at its head and of which it is the outlet. The residents along the lower part of the ditch line have suffered inconvenience, if not damage, by the influx of water from above.

Among those present in the commissioners' room while Mr. Ralph drew up the papers were Gust Christianson of section 22 in Scandia, E. W. Johnson, H. Johnson, C. C. Heath, and H. O. Budd of Beltrami and L. Johannessohn of 21 in Reis town. F. E. Wood of Pipestone, representing the Macalester ditching company was also in the room.

GOT RID OF SOME BAD MONEY

THREE $10 BILLS OF "WILD CAT" VARIETY PASSED AT BAGLEY

Three men who are supposed to have gone to Bagley from Cass Lake or Grand Rapids, pulled off a successful stunt of getting rid of "bad money" there Saturday afternoon, and succeeded in passing at least three $10 bills of "shady value," making their get-away before their deception was discovered and their arrest determined upon.

It appears that the three men made purchases of several business men, including Hans Hanson tendering in payment therefor $10 bills, which from a hasty glance looked all right. Later the merchants scanned the money received more closely, with the result that it was found that the bills were "bogus," being flimsy imitations of "good money."

When the game was discovered the perpetrators had made good their escape and no trace of their whereabouts could be found.

The bills which were used by the strangers were what is known as the old "wild cat" money, and were issued (apparently) by the Merchants and Planters bank of Georgia at Savannah.

The police are endeavoring to locate the pasers of the money.

HOFFMAN BOY DIES SUDDENLY

Orie 16-year-old son of John Hoffman near Kittson station died last night at 9 o'clock of inflammation of the brain caused by meningitis. He became suddenly ill yesterday and Dr. Holte was summoned but the young man suddenly died before the physician had time to give him relief .

Vacation for Badger Postmasters.

Washington, April 22.—Pastmaster General Meyer has issued an order granting fourth-class postmasters in Wisconsin five days leave of absence to attend the state convention of fourth-class postmasters at Milwaukee July 28 and 29.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MAN 127 YEARS OLD IS DEAD

"NIGGER LOU" WILLIAMS ANSWERS CALL AT G. F. COUNTY POOR FARM

OLDEST MAN IN NORTHWEST DIED ON SUNDAY LAST

From Tuesday's Daily—

"Nigger Lou" Williams, the oldest man in North Dakota died early Sunday at the Grand Forks county poor farm and hospital at Arvilla where he has been for several years. Williams had been seriously ill for several days and his death was not unexpected. He had been growing feebler year by year but was able to be about and look after his chickens up to the last few days of his life. He was particularly fond of chickens and the fowls were each known to him by name and responded to his call.

William's face was like parchment and seamed with the wrinkles of years. His eyesight was rather defective but he had a wonderful memory for his friends and recognized them easily when he heard their voices.

Used Tobacco and Liquor

Williams smoked from youth until a few years before his death. He drank liquor in moderate quantities. He quit tobacco during his last year because he believed it to be bad for his health.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at the poor farm and many of the old timers mourned the demise of the cherry colored man, the oldest that North Dakota has ever known.

TAKES CHARGE OF SLEEPY EYE PAPER

WELL KNOWN NEWSPAPER MAN AT HELM OF SLEEPY EYE DISPATCH

John N. Kirsch, who published the Crookston Daily Journal until the present management assumed control, leaves this evening for Sleepy Eye, Minn., where he will take charge of the Sleepy Eye Dispatch for A. J. Rush the publisher, who also has a paper at Lake Benton, Minn. Mr. Kirsch has had valuable experience in the newspaper business and without doubt will "make good" at the helm of the Dispatch, and will give the people of that section a good live publication. He will be missed in Woodmen and Elk circles here, having been active in both organizations. The best wishes of many friends will follow him to his new field of labor.

STORY PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Belleville Bank Cashier Is Arraigned at Madison.

Madison, Wis., April 22. — Cashier Edwin Story of the Citizens' Bank of Belleville was brought into court yesterday charged with the embezzlement of $23,355.05. The complaint was made by Bank Commissioner M. C. Berg. He pleaded not guilty and bail was fixed at $10,000. The preliminary hearing will be held Wednesday, April 29.

Puts Lid on Everything.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., April 22.—As a result of being asked to close the saloons of the town of Holcombe and the village of Holcombe, the new chairman, J. Fisk, has taken the stand that he will enforce all laws, and consequently the lid was Sunday placed on all business places as well as on saloons.

Harvey Goes to Red Wing.

St. Paul, April 22. — It was announced yesterday at the Chicago Great Western offices that W. C. Harvey of Chicago has been appointed division superintendent, with headquarters at Red Wing.

Taunts Drive Boy to Suicide.

Kansas City, Mo., April 22.—Angered because his young companions taunted him about his name, Ray Warwick, the twelve-year-old son of A. J. Warwick, treasurer of the Leads Leather company, went to a drug store near his home, bought an ounce of carbolic acid and on his way home drank the poison, dying an hour later.

Reprieve for Billik.

Springfield, Ill., April 22. — Acting upon the recommendation of the board of pardons, Gov. Deneen yesterday afternoon granted a reprieve until June 12 to Herman Billik, convicted of the murder of Mary Vrzal in Chicago by poisoning in 1905.

J.F. BANTA LOST HEAVILY FROM BIG PRAIRIE FIRE

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Yesterday afternoon a fierce prairie fire burned the granary on the farm of J. F. Banta, one mile east of Shirley, together with four stacks of grain, and his house and barn were only saved thru the valiant efforts of Chas. Solberg and John Dunn of this city who arrived on the scene after the granary containing all of Mr. Banta's seed grain was a mass of flames.

Mr. Solberg was driving out to purchase a horse of Mr. Banta and Dunn accompanied him. They whipped up their team when they saw the fire and worked like beavers to save the residence which caught fire in a dozen different places.

There was no ladder by which the house roof could be reached and Mr. Solberg taking an ax crawled to the garret and chopped a hole thru the roof and extinguished the flames with water carried from a nearby slough by Dunn after a desperate fight. Once they gave up but when they found neither house nor contenns were insured they renewed the battle with the flames and finally won the fight against great odds.

Refuges in Potato Patch

Mrs. Banta and the children fled to a potato patch for safety, but were nearly suffocated by cinders and smoke. Mr. Banta removed a portion of the furniture, thinking the house was surely doomed. Frequent trips to the barn were also necessary to put out incipient flames which the wind fanned fiercely.

A Hard Blow

In addition to losing his seed wheat and horse feed Mr. Banta lost three loads of barley which he had just hauled from Miller and Hanna's ware house in this city one load together with the wagon being burned at the side of the granary. His loss is about $1000.

What makes the loss still more severe is the fact that last summer Mr. Banta lost practically all his crop by hail.

In fighting the flames John Dunn had his hands terribly burned, and Chas. Solberg also has several fine blisters as relics of the thrilling experience. Had Solberg and Dunn not been on hand all the buildings would have gone up in smoke.

School House Burned

The same fire burned the school house in District 268 to the ground. It is located just across the road from Banta's and nothing could be done to save it. Miss Dorothy Mullen who boarded at Banta's had her trunk in the school house and it was burned with contents.

Other fire Losses

During the past three days more damage has been done by prairie fires than during any spring for the past 16 years. Reports of losses are coming to the city every day, the loss on hay stacks in meadows being particularly heavy and in addition a large number of farmers have lost their buildings.

One of the heaviest losses occurred yesterday in which J. H. Porter of Huot, about 10 miles east of this city was the loser. Porter has operated the Huot Creamery for the past few years and resigned this spring. Yesterday he was moving his household goods and family from Huot to a farm a mile and a half distant from that place. A prairie fire swept to the buildings on the farm, destroyed the house, four barns, all the hay, the members of the family escaping with the clothing they had on their backs and one wagon load of household goods. Everything else was burned, and the members of the family barely escaped with their lives. One barn, standing off to one side was all that escaped the flames.

James Martin 5 miles north of Crookston lost two big stacks of hay and barely saved his buildings.

Geo. Trafton, residing east of Winters also lost several stacks of hay. Geo. Radi, near Fisher came near losing his farm buildings, the wind fanning a fire which had been smouldering in a manure pile in the barn yard and which was supposed to have been extinguished.

W. H. Brown of Nesbit township has a timothy field sewept by a prairie fire, losing some hay and barely saving several other stacks.

Yesterday afternoon a fierce prairie fire swept over the town of Hammond and men, women and children had to turn out and fight the flames in order to save the elevators at Kittson.

Another fire started on section 12 and it required hard work to save the few buildings at Russia station.

Everything is as dry as tinder, and the gale that blew Sunday, Monday and Tuesday made it impossible to control flames that ordinarily could be stopped with a few furrows.

If the winds continue and no rain falls there will be further losses by fires, as a spark from a passing engine is certain to start in the grass where it lodges.

OVER MAPLE LAKE ROAD

STAIR, ROSENTHAL, MOORE AND CARLSON GO BY SOUTH ROAD

WILL VIEW BOTH ROUTES—ORGANIZATIONS BEGINNING TO BACK ROAD

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

J. Harry Stair, Samuel Rosenthal, J. F. Moore and Ed Carlson departed early this morning for Maple Lake, leaving this city on the south road over the Jeromes addition bridge. They will return on the north road and make a report as to the conditions that prevail with the intention of determining which road would make the most feasible route for a high class highway to the Lake for summer overland tourists.

The farmers along the different roads may be getting busy according to report. Along one of the roads anyway they will appear in a body before the 25,000 Club here and make a stand for their route to the Lake.

The roads will be kept in condition all the year round, the Grand Forks Commercial club denoting by letter yesterday that they stood ready to aid financially in the matter and were greatly interested in its ultimate completion.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

SHERIFF HUNT ARRESTED PRESIDENT LAMBRECHT OF N. W. INTERURBAN

IS CHARGED WITH OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Sheriff Hunt at Fargo last evening arrested James Lambrecht on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, the complaint being made by John Haas. Mr. Lambrecht was taken before Justice Miller of that place and his bond fixed at $3,500 to appear before the district court.

It was rumored last evening that John Haas has accumulated about $2,200 worth of experience as a result of mixing up with Interurban affairs.

Mr. Lambrecht failed to secure the bonds last evening and was forced to spend the night in the Cass County jail.

A PICTURE SHOW FOR BEAUDETTE

Ellery Riley of this city has left for Beaudette where he will install a moving picture show. He was accompanied by Lloyd Ball, the electrician, who will operate the machine for him. The machine is one of the very latest types of the Edison machine and the people of Beaudette will get the best there is going in the moving picture line.

MAKE IT YOURSELF

Tells Our Readers How to Mix Best Rheumatism Cure

A well known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable, yet simple and harmless, prescription, which, anyone can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one-ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost, and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies, patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers, if asked to.

OPEN CASS LAKE RESERVE

70,00 ACRES TO BE THROWN OPEN NEAR THAT CITY SOON

FOREST RESERVATION CREATED AT CAS LAKE BY CONGRESS

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Senator Clapp and Gifford Pinchott chief forester of the government were in conference yesterday upon the bill which is being drafted to open up a part of the Cass Lake forest reserve. The Minnesota delegation, the forestry bureau and those interested in the opening to settlement of land about Cass Lake have reached an agreement whereby about 70000 acres are to be thrown open, and it is expected that the bill will be introduced in the senate within a few days.

Forest Reserve

The senate yesterday passed a bill creating a forest reservation at Cass Lake, Minn.

Judge Gray for President.

Dover, Del., April 16.—Despite the written declaration of Judge George Gray that he could not under any circumstances consent to have the delegates instructed for him, the Delaware state convention officially placed his name before the Democracy of the country for that party's nomination for president.

Steamer Sinks.

Trieste, Austro-Hungary, April 16.—The Austrian Lloyd steamer Gallatea, outward bound from here, collided bow-on yesterday with the Mole at Sebenico, about seventy miles from Trieste. She was badly broken below the water line and sank. The crew were saved.

NARY REDUCED TO ASHES

DISASTROUS FIRE SWEEPS BELTRAMI COUNTY VILLAGE—$15,700 LOSS

NO FIRE PROTECTION EXCEPT BUCKET BRIGADE—DESTROYED IN HOUR

From Thursday's Daily—

Nary south of Bemidji was yesterday visited by a disastrous fire which totally destroyed six buildings and entailed a loss of $15,700 which is but partially covered by insurance. The fire started on the south side of the kitchen of the Smiley hotel, spread rapidly and soon the entire block was a mas of flames. As there is no fire protection at Nary, it was impossible with the use of buckets to arrest the progress of the flames and it took but a few moments over an hour to reduce the six buildings to ashes The following were the losses sustained by the fire.

E. E. Smiley, hotel building and contents, $2,000.

Paul Crown and A. Lessard two 2-story buildings $2500

Seed grain and machinery in buildings owned by C. E. Harding $1,100.

C. E. Hardling store, barn and ice house, $2900 contents $4400.

John Davis, vacant building $800.

INCREASE IS 20 PER DAY

R. T. BUCKLER ON BURNHAM FARM BELIEVES IN VALLEY SHEEP

SHEEP ARE HEALTHY AND CAN BE FED CHEAPER THAN IN ILLINOIS

From Thursday's Daily—

R. T. Buckler, the well known farmer who purchased the Burnham farm west of the city on the south side of the river is getting into the sheep business extensively and an average of 20 lambs are arriving every day at this season of the year. Mr. Buckler is thoroly convinced that the Red River Valley is an ideal sheep country.

He states that the sheep are very healthy here, and that they can be pastured here cheaper than they can be on lands held at from $100 to $150 per acre in Illinois or Iowa.

Mr. Buckler paid a good price for his land but he stated yesterday that it could not be bought for $20 per acre more than he paid for it, and this in the face of the fact that the four years during which Mr. Buckler has been here are the poorest the valley farmers have had to contend wiht in the past twenty.

Mr. Buckler is one of the best boosters in the Valley as for the reason that he does things — he practices what he preaches—and any one visiting his farm can see a practical demonstration of what can be accomplished when right methods are adopted.

And there are getting to be more and more farmers of the Buckler type in this neck of the woods.

THE OLDEST MAN IN THE RED RIVER VALLEY DYING

LOU WILLIAMS AGED 127 YEARS NEAR DEATH—FOR YEARS HE WAS EMPLOYED ON RIVER BOATS IN SUMMER RUNNING FROM FISHER TO POINTS TOWARDS WINNIPEG—TELLS INTERESTING TALES OF SLAVERY TIMES— NO HOPE FOR HIS RECOVERY

From Thursday's Daily— ...

"Nigger Lou" Williams, aged 127, the oldest living resident of the Red River Valley is dying at Arvilla, according to information received in Grand Forks today. He had been enjoying fairly good health until recently, when he became seriously ill and is it believed he cannot long survive. He has had a long and interesting career. For years he resided in Grand Forks and Crookston and in the early days was employed on the Red River steamboats running from Fisher down the Red Lake and Red River. Finally he became old and feeble and was taken to the Grand Forks county poor farm at Arvilla. There he has been contented and happy.

His fad for the past few years has been chickens and at the county farm he has quite a number of them. He has a name for each fowl and held interesting talks with them while feeding them.

As is usual with colored folks he has a fondness for rather stylish clothes and when he came in from Arvilla on a visit he wore a silk hat presented to him by a more prosperous friend.

Employed by McCormack

Thirty years ago Williams was employed by Captain M. L. McCormack who is now a resident of St. Paul, as coachman. Then he could remember many details of his life and he related how in slavery times the slave owners took away his first wife. Latter they took away his second wife. Although 97 years old Williams worked for Captain McCormack on the boats in the summer and on the shore in the winter. James Hanrahan of Grand Forks knew Williams 50 years ago and he is positive that Williams is 127.

Williams was a great lover of horse races and in former days when Crookston held race meets was always on deck and was known to every horse owner and when he was flush would back his pick to his last penny.

INSTRUCTIONS ARE FOR TAFT

HEFFELFINGER, KELLOGG, HAWKINS AND PUTNAM ARE THE "BIG FOUR"

RESOLUTIONS INSTRUCTING THE DELEGATES-AT-LARGE PUT STATE IN LINE

From Friday's Daily—

The Delegates

Delegates-at-large—Frank B. Kellogg, St. Paul; W. W. Heffelfinger, Minneapolis; E. B. Hawkins, Duluth; F. E. Putnam, Blue Earth City.

Alternates-at-Large—F. E. Bentley, Montevideo; C. M. Sprague, Sauk Center; D. C. Sheldon, Pine Island; W. B. Man, Aitkin.

Presidential Electors — At large: John J. Eklund, Duluth; Job W. Lloyd, LeSueur.

First District, R. E. Thompson, Preston; second, A. C. Dunn, Winnebago City; third, H. L. Sump; fourth James E. Melin, Center City; fifth, Stewart Gamble, Minneapolis; sixth A. H. Turretin, Rice; seventh, Thomas Anderson; eighth, Daniel Anderson Cambridge; ninth E. J. Herringer, Ada.

Senator Stephens and several other delegates to the state convention returned this morning from Minneapolis Senator Stephens states that the state republican convention was a most harmonious affair, all friction having been eliminated when Parsons of Winona, who was a candidate for delegate-at-large rose at the opening of the convention after the organization, and placed Heffelfinger, Kellogg, Hawkins and Putnam in nomination and they were elected at Chicago.

The resolutions passed commended the administration of President Roosevelt, declared in the improvement of waterways and instructed the Minnesota delegation to vote for Wm. H. Taft for president.

POLITICIANS SMOOTH WORK

DELEGATES RETURN FROM THE CONVENTION AT MINNEAPOLIS

Dr. N. M. Watson of Red Lake Falls and Harry Ives of St. Hilaire both of the Red Lake county delegation, E. A. Nelson of Hallock, Harry Hooper of Stephen, Messrs. Holdahl and Foss of Roseau city, both of the Roseau county delegation and Tom Brown of this city, returned this morning from the St. Paul convention. Betweenwhiles Harry Ives filed for legislature from the 61st as noted herein Thursday. The St. Hilaire favorite son says the convention would have saved time and gained the same ends, if they had just incorporated the names of the delegates-at-large that were named in a motion to adjourn and put the whole thing up to the convention to be voted on. Nobody said a word except the Hennepin and Ramsey delegations who manipulated things to their own complete satisfaction. There was no one had the nerve to put in a dissenting voice. They handled things so nice. They "magnanimously permitted the second and first districts to caucus and propose a man," concluded Mr. Ives.

INDIAN MAIDEN HAS THE CASH

Miss Mary Brunette one of our richest and most popular young ladies will purchase the Parker-Wilcox brick block, the largest and best building in Thief River Falls. The deal will be closed about the last of the month The building will be sold for $15,000 and as the rental income is $2,250 per year, this seems to be a good investment. The young lady has recently sold her pine claim on the reservation and instead of spending the money in the usual way is determined to invest it in valuable property. Are there any more at home like her?—Mahnomen Tribune.

False Registration Punished.

New York, April 17.—Frank Duffy, an election district captain, who was convicted of having assisted thirty men to register falsely at the last election in the Seventeenth assembly district, was sentenced yesterday to not less than two years and three months and not more than four years and three months in prison.

Shoots Daughter; Kills Self.

Asheville, N. C., April 17.—Dr. O. O. Swinney, who recently came here from New York, yesterday shot and fatally wounded his sixteen-year-old daughter Nellie and then killed himself in the reception room of a girls' boarding school in this city late yesterday. It is thought his mind was unbalanced.

DROWNED AT THIEF RIVER

AUGUST PETERSON, OLD RESIDENT OF THAT PLACE WAS THE VICTIM

SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN HEADING FOR POWER HOUSE WHEN HE FELL IN

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Yesterday morning the body of August Peterson was found in the Red Lake River at Thief River Falls by a workman at about 5 o'clock.

Peterson, who is an old time resident of Thief River Falls was addicted to drink, and late night before last he left a saloon and headed for the power house, where some of the old timers are in the habit of sleeping off their jags because of the warmth they can soak up free. It is supposed that in walking along the river bank he fell in, as the remains were found a short distance from the power house.

Deceased was a widower, about 55 years of age, and leaves several children who will be taken care of by relatives.

FREE VACCINE TO MINNESOTA CITIES

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO SUPPLY THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Vaccine for municipalities for use in free vaccination may be obtained thru the state board of control in the future at about half the regular prices The board yesterday accepted a proposition made by a New York company to keep a stock of vaccine points here to be sent out by the board to communities where the local authorities are giving free vaccination.

The executive committee of board will meet with the superintendents of the state institutions at their quarterly meeting with the state board of control in May. The meeting will be for the purpose of discussing sanitary matters with the superintendents

SUDDEN DEATH OF ADA LADY

MRS. J. R. S. DEVEREUX DIED IN A MINNEAPOLIS HOSPITAL

The death of Mrs. J. R. S. Dexereux of Ada occurred last night at the Northwestern Hospital at Minneapolis where she underwent an operation last week.

Mrs. Devereux has been in very poor health during the winter months and last week left for Minneapolis where she submitted to a surgical operation and was supposed to be recovering, the end coming suddenly.

The remains will be taken to Shell Lake, Wis., where the Devereux family resided before coming to Ada about a year ago.

START PAVILION AT MAPLE LAKE

RAPIN STARTS MONDAY—BUYS 20 FEET—OTHER DOINGS AT LAKE

Charlie Rapin returned to the city this morning after a trip to Maple Lake where he is making plans to erect pavilion and refreshment stands this season. He will return to the Lake this evening and commence to level off the site for the buildings with four men and teams. The contract for the pavilion has already been let to John Kyle of this city who starts construction next Monday. Mr. Rapin purchased 20 feet on rear near Bunn's Hotel and will make the pavilion 10 feet longer than formerly planned, dimensions then to be 100 by 28 feet. The building will cost about $2000.

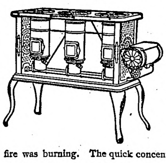
William Hall of Grand Forks is spending a few days at the Lake fixing up his cottage.

Dr. Langevin has also nearly completed his seven room cottage along the Lake south of E. M Walsh's place.

FINED FOR ILLEGAL FISHING.

Barron County Game Warden Gets Six Citizens of Hayward.

Barron, Wis., April 17. — Deputy State Game Warden A. I. Hulbert rounded up six citizens of Hayward, Wis., for illegal fishing. Robert Pugh, postmaster of Hayward, and B. W. Campbell had trout in their possession, and each paid $27. Frank Kinawski, Harry Anderson, Chris Larson and Rush Pugh each paid $7.35 for fishing in a trout stream during the closed season.



You Will Need an Oil Stove

When warm days and the kitchen fire make cooking a burden—then is the time to try a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove.

Marvelous how this stove does away with kitchen discomforts — how cool it keeps the room in comparison with conditions when the coal fire was burning. The quick concentrated heat of the

NEW PERFECTION
Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

goes directly to boil the kettle or bake the bread, and none is diffused about the room to overheat it. Thus using the "New Perfection" is real kitchen comfort. Made in three sizes and fully warranted. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

The Rayo Lamp Just such a lamp as everyone wants—handsome enough for the parlor; strong enough for the kitchen, camp or cottage; bright enough for every occasion. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

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STEAMERS COLLIDE

Two Vessels Damaged In Accident in New York Bay.

New York, April 18. — Two ocean liners, the Monterey of the Ward line, bound for Havana, and the Danish steamer United States of the Scandinavian-American line, bound for Copenhagen, collided in the main ship channel in lower New York bay last night. Both vessels were damaged, but no lives were lost and no one, so far as reported, was injured. The Monterey had her stern damaged and several of her bowplates loosened, but she was able to return to her dock, where her passengers disembarked.

The United States was more seriously damaged. A large hole was stove in her hull on the starboard side, abaft the engines, and so threatening was its nature that it was deemed wise to run her aground on a bank on the channel's edge. There the steamer is resting easily.

JUDGE MORKEN HAS RECOVERED

After an illness of six weeks during which time he was confined to his home in Sampsons addition this city and the hospital, Judge T. T. Morken of the Probate Court, Polk County, is able to get about on the streets of the business district for the first time He was driven up town this afternoon behind one of his ponies and is visiting among friends who have been anxious of his recovery, and also attending to business matters.

KILLED BY BLAST

Explosion in a Mine Takes the Fire Boss and Two Miners.

Winnipeg, Man., April 18.—By an explosion in an old mine at Cannore, Alberta, last night, three men were killed and several injured. John Millmott, fire boss, is dead. The others were foreigners.

IN AFFECTION FOR HIS SON

MICHAEL STIRN TRANSFERS E. GRAND FORKS PROPERTY TO SON

Michael Stirn, a widower, now located near Beaudette in north Beltrami county has transferred to his son John Stirn, lots 3 and 4 in block 14 in the Lake Park addition to East Grand Forks. The consideration being 'one dollar ($1) and the love and affection for his son'. The transfer was made in local offices here today.

Suburb Swept by Fire.

Manistee, Mich., April 16. — Half the suburb of Oak Hill was desroyed by fire yesterday. Forty-five dwellings and two stores were burned and a Polish woman whose name is not known was probably fatally burned. The loss will aggregate $30,000.

Farmer Hangs Self.

Waterloo, Iowa, April 16. — Louis Westley, a farmer near Oelwein, was found hanging to a tree by two school children. Brooding over financial reverses is supposed to have been the cause of suicide.

WHERE IS CASH WHICH RASMUSSEN POSSESSED?

From Friday's Daily—

What has become of John Rasmussen's gold? Is it hidden some where about his farm south of Euclid where he died, or has some one made away with it?

This is the question which the neighbors and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Getting of Elgin, Illinois have been trying to solve for the past few days. Rasmussen was a bachelor 50 years of age who died last Saturday on his farm 12 miles north of this city of Bright's disease. He was cared for during his illness, which was serious for only about a week, by John Schipper, the son of a neighboring farmer. He has no relatives in this country excepting Mrs. Getting, a niece, who with her husband and daughter arrived Wednesday from Elgin to attend the funeral and take charge of the property.

It was known that the old man had considerable money about the house at all times, but the exact amount is not known. It is known however, that as treasurer of the school district in which he lived he had $400.

Not a penny of it can be found.

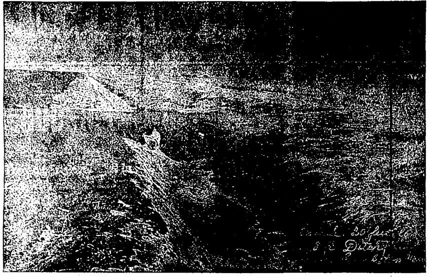
In addition it is thought that he had at least $1000 of his own money on the premises but a search high and low has failed to reveal a single cent.

The deeds to his land were found, together with letters which showed that he had received interest money on large loans he has out near Willmar, Minn., dated about the first of the year, but the notes due him cannot be found and no evidence of any kind as to the amount of money he has out at interest excepting what is indicated in the letters in which the interest money was enclosed from the various parties.

Mr. Getting and Mr. Schipper were in Crookston yesterday and returned last evening to prosecute the search for the missing money. One theory is that Rasmussen has buried his treasurer some where on the farm, and another theory is that some one knew the hiding place of the money in the house and made away with it after the old man lost consciousness or after he died.

The fact that it cannot be found has created a sensation, and rumors are afloat that the treasure plant if it is located contains more than a fair sized fortune.

It now developes that John Rasmussen also has two sisters in the old country, or did have a short time ago.



36-Inch Culvert in Drainage Ditch Near Crookston, Minn,

BETTER AND CHEAPER THAN EITHER WOOD OR TILE.

THE BEST ROAD CULVERT ON EARTH.

Our Corrugated Galvanized Metal Road Culverts are made of first-class material, by competent workmen, in our own factory.

They are made in one continuous length, ready to be placed in the ground and covered up. Don't be fooled by sectional culverts, where you will have the trouble and expense of setting them up. Every culvert guaranteed.

NORTH DAKOTA METAL CULVERT CO.,
FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA.

P. H. GRAMER, CROOKSTON, MINN., AGENT.

MONTANA TOWN WIPED OFF MAP

Loss Caused by Breaking of Hauser Dam Will Reach Several Millions.

THOUSANDS OF CATTLE LOST

Traffic on Great Northern Between Helena and St. Paul Tied Up; Will Rebuild Dam.

Helena, Mont., April 17.—With the little town of Craig wiped entirely off the map, thousands of head of cattle and live stock drowned and scores of valuable ranches greatly damaged, the loss from the flood caused by the breaking of the great seventy-foot dam at Hauser lake Tuesday, it is conservatively estimated, will reach several million dollars. In view, however, of the contract between the Helena Power Transmission company, owners of the dam, and the Wisconsin Bridge and Iron company of Milwaukee, the latter company, it is said, will be liable for all damage resulting from the flood.

Dam Will Be Rebuilt.

After making a careful examination of the site yesterday, since the water has receded, A. H. Cerry, Jr., general manager, is of the opinion that the wrecked structure can be rebuilt at a cost of probably less than $250,000. That the dam will be rebuilt at once and the construction of the third dam at Wolf creek, which was approved by Secretary of War Taft Tuesday, will not be delayed, is assured by a telegram received in Helena yesterday from Former Governor Samuel T. Hauser, president of the Helena Power Transmission company, who is now in New York.

Last night the indications were that the water has receded during the day sufficiently to prevent any great damage at Great Falls.

The river is becoming normal at Craig and Cascade, and no further damage is anticipated.

Miles of Track Flooded.

Butte, Mont., April 17. — Graet Northern Agent Stewart of Wolf Creek reports to the local office that the track from Wolf Creek east as far as he can see is flooded to a depth of three feet and that for three miles or more it is completely washed out. Twenty-eight miles of track are under water. The washing out of this stretch of track between Wolf Creek and Cascade will tie up practically the entire traffic of the Great Northern between Helena and St. Paul.

Killed by Tornado.

Spartanburg, S. C., April 17. — A tornado passed over the southern section of Spartanburg county late yesterday, killing a negro man and seriously injuring his wife at West Springs, and destroying a number of houses.

Can't Stop at Hongkong.

Washington, April 17.—Because of lack of time the government has felt it necessary to decline an invitation extended by Great Britain that the Atlantic battleship fleet stop at Hongkong on its trip around the world.

ELEPHANT RUNS AMUCK

Fire Stampedes Herd and the Leader Kills One Person and Injures Several Others.

Riverside, Cal., April 18.—As a result of a fire which started early yesterday afternoon at the Standard Oil company's storage tanks, a herd of elephants was stampeded, L. J. Morsley lies at the city hospital fatally burned and Miss Ella Gibbs, a church deaconess, is dead. A sullen boom marked the explosion of the large oil tank.

A circus, three blocks distant, was about to open for the afternoon performance. The herd of elephants became uncontrollable and they dashed to the east side of the town, knocking down fences, outhouses and despoiling orchards that lay in their path. In a short time, however, all but the largest of the elephants were rounded up. The leader of the herd then changed his course and entered the center of the city, one mile distant. He entered the court of the Glenwood hotel. Miss Gibbs was in the yard in front of the house. The elephant pinned her against the house between his tusks, threw her to the ground and trampled upon her, crushing her chest so that she died. The animal then proceeded to the doorway, the guests running panic-stricken indoors. D. P. Chapman was knocked down and had several ribs broken and was otherwise injured.

Before being rounded up at a down town public stable, the animal trampled on another man and seriously gored him with his tusks.

SIMPLE WASH CURES ECZEMA

Itching, Burning Skin Disease Routed Without Use of Injurious Drugs

Great inventors often have been praised for surrendering the secrets of their discoveries. Practically the same thing happened in the medical world in the case of Dr. Decatur D. Dennis, the eminent skin specialist of Chicago.

Dr. Dennis in his own office practice, discovered that pure vegetable oil of wintergreen, properly mixed with other simple remedies was practically a sure specific for Eczema, psoriasis, barber's itch, sald rheum, and other itching skin diseases. But the oil of wintergreen alone was found ineffective. It required other mild ingredients such as glycerine and thymol compounded with the wintergreen to produce the real eczema cure

This compounded D. D. D. Prescription positively takes away the itch at once—the instant it is applied to the skin. This vegetable liquid does away with deleterious drugs so long used in an attempt to doctor the blood whereas modern science has determined that eczema is first and all the time a skin disease.

If you want to know more about the merits of D. D. D. Prescription, call at our store. We vouch for this remedy.—S. A. Wallace.

Married women should remember that nagging doesn't make the nag go

PRESIDENT'S PLAN IS TURNED DOWN

Program for Four Battleships Is Voted Down in House by Decisive Vote.

BATTLE STUBBORNLY FOUGHT

Naval Committee's Program for Building Two Battleships Finally Prevails.

Washington, April 16.—By a vote of 199 to 83 the house of representatives yesterday decided against the president's program for four battleships and adhered to the recommendation of its committee on naval affairs for two vessels of that type. This reult was reached after a debate which lasted for four hours and was received with applause. The entire session was devoted to a consideration of the navy increase provision of the naval appropriation bill. As this increase was provided in the last section of the bill the measure was practically concluded with the disposition of the provision.

Battle Is Hard Fought.

The provision for battleships was the chief subject of interest, the committee's recommendation for two ships of that type prevailing by a decisive vote after a hard fought effort to increase the number to four.

The increase was opposed by Mr. Tawney, chairman of the committee on naval affairs; Mr. Willetts, a minority leader, and others, and was advocated by Mr. Hobson of Alabama, who declared that in relation to the increase of old nations four battleships would only keep the American navy abreast of other great navies.

Longworth Gets Into It.

Mr. Longworth of Ohio in a vigorous speech told the house that the president was more interested in this increase than in any other question before congress, and as practically all of them had in the last election declared that they had supported him this was a good opportunity to live up to that declaration.

An amendment by Mr. Tawney to reduce the number of new battleships to one was voted down by an even more decided majority than was Mr. Hobson's proposition for an increase to four.

A provision for two fleet colliers of sixteen knots and of 12,500 tons capacity, costing $1,800,000 each, was adopted.

Amendments were adopted that one of the battleships and one of the colliers shall be built in a navy yard.

The bill as it stands authorizes expenditures of $107,873,000.

The senate devoted its entire time yesterday to considering bills on the calendar. Among the measures passed was one suppressing betting on races and games of various kinds in the District of Columbia.

Scion of Wealth Caught In Swindle.

St. Paul, April 16. — Stephen G. Coats, a scion of wealth, who says his father is vice president of the J. & P. Coats Thread company of Paisley, Scotland, is locked up at the county jail here on the charge of swindling. He is accused of swindling J. H. Haslan, a St. Paul land man, out of the sum of $400.

MRS. RINDLAUB GETS $30,000

TOGETHER WITH DECREE OF DIVORCE FROM DR. RINDLAUB OF FARGO

ALSO GETS $75 PER MONTH FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE CHILDREN

From Thursday's Daily—

Judge Charles F. Templeton of the district court at Grand Forks, yesterday granted a divorce in the noted divorce case from Fargo in which Dr. John Rindlaub was defendant. The court upholds the contention of the plaintiff as to cruelty, but disallows the claim that he was addicted to the use of opium, as asserted by Mrs. Rindlaub. The court finds that the charge of the doctor being a slave to the use of the drug was not established by the evidence in the case.

The plaintiff is allowed alimony in the sum of $30,000, the custody of three small children, the oldest being four years, and $75 per month for the suport of the children until further orders from the court and $1,000 attorney's fees.

To Deed Back Residence

The court orders that Mrs. Rindlaub deed back to the doctor their handsome family residence on Eighth street south, Fargo, which the doctor had given her as a bridal present. The residence is valued at $30,000.

The court further ordered that Mrs. Rindlaub is to have the custody of the children but Dr. Rindlaub is to see them each Sunday and have them with him two months of each year, after they reach the age of 4. The arrangements regarding the custody of the children and the amount of their maintenance is subject to further orders of the court.

In Fargo it is not thought the decree will be satisfying to either the plaintiff or the defendant. It is understood the plaintiff anticipated at least $50,000 alimony and the residence, and the defendant expected the custody of one or two of the children.

CLAIM PERSONAL TAXES OPPRESSIVE

C. W. W. P. & L. CO., OBJECTS TO A $50,900 VALUATION ON PROPERTY

The Crookston Water Works Power & Light Co., has objected thru its attorneys Rome G. Brown and Chas. S. Albert to a valuation of $50,900 on its personal property and makes answer to those taxes as "partial oppressive and unfair." The state board of equalization last year raised their valuation and the company claims that County Auditor Hoffard of Polk was not legally and officially notified and county can base no taxation on that. The company states that it has no "stocks and bonds, no vehicles and no royalty or patent rights," the items to which it takes exceptions.

DAN PATTERSON FEELS GRATEFUL

Dan Patterson, of St. Hilaire who was elected alternate delegate to the National Republican Convention at Chicago at the convention held here Wednesday, was in the city this morning enroute home after attending the convention at St. Paul and to a Journal man said:

"I feel grateful to all the friends who stood by me at the county convention, but I wish to specially expres my thanks for the hard loyal work of Editor John W. Eastman and D. P. O'Niell of Thief River Falls. They worked like beavers and I shall never forget what they did for me.

ASKS DAMAGES FROM FERTILE

H. L. GAYLORD WANTS DAMAGES FOR INJURIES TO HIS WIFE

H. L. Gaylord has filed a claim against the village of Fertile for $3000 for damages by injuries sustained by his wife, who on March 18 slipped and fell on the cement walk in the rear of Holten & Carlson's block breaking her left arm. It is claimed by Mr. Gaylord that the sidewalk was covered by a coat of ice by reason of melting snow running off the roof of the building, across the walk, freezing and making the same unsafe for pedestrians to travel. The matter will come up at the next meeting of the council and if not favorably acted on Mr. Gaylord will appeal to the courts.

DIDN'T LIVE ON CLAIM

JOHN SCHMIDT LOSES CASE TO ZELLA B. CONNOR ON A CONTEST

LAND WAS NOT CONTIGUOUS BUT ONLY CORNERED ON HIS HOMESTEAD

From Thursday's Daily—

John Schmidt who has been living on his homestead near Detroit since proving up some time ago, is at the United States Land Office today inquiring as to his loss of a forty acre plot of government land on which he had filed and which had been lost to him thru a contest in which he had defaulted.

Schmidt filed and proved up on an eighty acre tract near Detroit and later, according to provisions of law, filed on a forty acre plot that cornered on his original entry and homestead. He did not live on this new selection, thinking the law justified the entry, if he lived on the original adjoining plot.

Nevertheless Zella B. Connor another homesteader near him brought action in contest on the grounds that the plot of ground did not lay contiguous and collateral to the original claim and therefore was not eligible to that law which provides a homesteader may file on such property and prove up without residence. The local land office decreed in favor of the woman, Schmidt not appearing. Now he is in the city to see what can be done.

DEATH OF AN OLD VALLEY RESIDENT

MRS. MICHAEL MARCURE BORN IN 1819, DIES AT GRAND FORKS

Yesterday afternoon, at the home of Joseph Rose, at Grand Forks occurred the death of Mrs. Michael Macure, the aged mother of Mrs. Joseph Rose and Mrs. Julia Longtine. The deceased was born Nov. 3, 1819 in eastern Canada, and grew to womanhood there, but she spent the greater part of her life in the United States having lived in Marquette and Detroit Michigan, Minneapolis and Red Lake Falls before going to Grand Forks, which has been her home for the past 22 years.

Besides the two daughters, Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Longtine, there are two brothers, 12 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren left to mourn the loss of a devoted sister, mother and companion.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed but it probably will be held Friday morning from the residence.

OLD TIMER HERE FROM WINNIPEG

Jos. Fleckenstein, who for years was a resident of Crookston with his family, he having been employed in the H. F. Brown Cigar Factory and who has been located at Winnipeg for the past two years arrived in the city last evening and will spend a day or two with old friends. It is possible that he will go from here to Bemidji and accept a position in the cigar factory recently opened there by Roy Burkhardt. He is looking well and his visit here has been enjoyed by all his old friends.

CHESTER STREET CARS IDLE.

Strike Situation in Pennsylvania Town Less Menacing.

Chester, Pa., April 16.—The situation in the street car strike here remains unchanged. No cars have been run since Monday and there has been little disorder. Once during the day strike sympathizers set upon a young man whom they thought was a strikebreaker and gave him a severe beating, but there were no serious clashes with the police.

Track Washed Out.

Houston, Tex., April 18.—Owing to the heavy rains during the past twenty-four hours, Pine Island bayou overflowed its banks at Voth, Tex., yesterday, washing away 150 feet of the Texas & New Orleans railroad bridge at that point.

Find Two More Bodies In Ruins.

Boston, Mass., April 18. — Three more corpses were recovered late yesterday from the ruins of Sunday's fire in Chelsea, making the total number now recovered nine. In addition two persons have died this week of causes incident to the fire.

Ore In Wilkin County.

Barnesville, Minn., April 18.—Citizens of Wilkin county have organized a stock company, known as the Longyear Mining company and will begin prospecting for iron ore.

Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it — Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine. Sold for over 60 years.

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BACK WITH NEW CONTRACT

THOMAS R. JOHNSTONE IS NOW WESTERN REPRESENTATIVE OF THE

AMERICAN-LA FRANCE FIRE ENGINE CO., HEADQUARTERS HERE

Thomas R. Johnstone returned this morning from Chicago where he has been in conference with the officers of the American-La France Fire Engine Co., which he has represented for some time past. He was named the Western Representative of the concern and the scope of his ambition is to sell anything from a rubber gasket to a fire boat or from a school gong to cathedral chimes.

In Chicago he attended a reception to Gov. Johnson and says but two men are heard of in the East, President Roosevelt and Gov. Johnson

IVES FILES FOR LEGISLATURE

ST. HILAIRE EDITOR TO MAKE RACE IN 61ST DISTRICT

Yesterday Harry E. Ives editor of the St. Hilaire Spectator, and well known resident of Red Lake Co., filed with Secretary of State Julius Schmahl at St. Paul his candidacy for the legislature from the 61st district on the republican ticket.

FORTY BURIED IN AVALANCHE.

Snow Storm Wrecks Boarding Cars Near Albert Canyon.

Calgary, April 18. — One of the worst snow storms in the history of the Canadian Pacific railroad occurred this week near Albert canyon, in the Cascade range, sweeping away two boarding cars filled with Japanese laborers and carrying them down the mountain side in a roar of thousands of tons of snow, ice and rock, which carried before it debris of every kind. The number who perished is not known, as all the telegraph wires were carried down with the slide, but it is believed that forty Japanese were in the car at the time.

Can't Revive Revalist.

Janesville, Wis., April 16. — Mrs. Ella Hodge, a middle-aged resident of this city, has been unconscious since Saturday. Her condition is attributed to overexcitement at church revival services.

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A Readjustment Due.

It has long been felt that railroads have framed their schedules to benefit Chicago rather than Saint Paul in facilitating the movement of stock and produce in Minnesota and the Northwest. It is now likely that before long this injustice to St. Paul will be removed, and more equitable schedules come into operation. This matter is receiving the attention of William Magivny, President of the Saint Paul Union Stockyards, and pressure is being brought to bear on the different railroads to have it properly adjusted. With the growth of the packing industry at South Saint Paul it is of increasing importance that deliveries from all parts be made more promptly. Better schedules are required from South Dakota, "stop off" facilities are needed on trains at present running thru Saint Paul; and, in fact, the time has come, owing to the rapid expansion of the live stock business for the railway companies to readjust their schedules in the interest of farmers and live stock producers throughout the Northwest anxious to avail themselves of the Saint Paul markets.

Closer Scrutiny.

The feelings of treasurers of charitable organizations all over the United States are likely to be rudely shocked as the result of the declarations made last week by William H. Allen, an official of the New York bureau for municipal research, at a meeting of the reform department of the Chicago Woman's Club. It is part of his job to see that the financial affairs of churches and philanthropic institutions are more closely scrutinized than has been customary, and it is expected that some embarrassing disclosures will follow. Mr. Allen declared that if the percentage of peculations of officers—"borrowing" and the like—from the funds of churches the Y. M. C. A, the Y. F. C. A., religious missionary societies, hospitals and similar institutions could be compared with the percentage of grafting in city governments, it would be discovered that private "graft" far exceeded that from public purse. A still more concrete attack upon existing conditions was made in the report of a committee on public accounting of charities, which has spent a year investigating the status of private and public institutions. The committee found that institutions of all sorts, charitable and reformatory, some run under the name of great churches, were managed by private boards and with no outside supervision of any description as to methods and results and expenditure of funds. Thru its chairman, Mrs. George Bass, the committee suggested, plans which would prevent the possibility of pilfering from such funds. A rigid investigation is being made, based on the facts disclosed.

Mitchell, A Maker of History.

With the arrival of the day when the history of the great labor organizers of this country can be written with as proper a deference to calm analysis and perspective at that of the great organizers of commercial combinations, and vice versa it is likely that the name of John Mitchell will occupy a prominent place on the beadroll, says the Rochester Post and Record.

A few days ago the continued assaults of stubborn ill-health forced him to abdicate the leadership of the coal diggers of the United States and Canada, whom he has commanded for a period of ten years. The man is human. He has made his mistakes. But the drift of his power has overwhelmingly been toward the permanent betterment of the condition of the men depending upon him for leadership, and he has done the thing, largely, without the chicane of the demagogue or the blatant and flannel-mouthed art of the agitator who sought to make personal headway by arraying class against mass, and its opposite.

He has just been the human, wise, tolerant and far-seeing friend of his people; and they knew it. So that when he came to tell their delegates goodbye at the convention in Indianapolis, recently, the scene was one of the most remarkable exhibitions of emotion which are not maudlin, when strong men are speechless for tears. The delegates, after he had invoked the divine blessing upon them, passed in line to shake him by the hand. The farewells were inarticulate, mainly.

Here and there a grizzled miner, whose face was furrowed and whose figure was bent by years of toil underground, framed the word "John" and went on his sorrowful way.

But chiefly, the demonstration was that of strong, elemental men, whose grief and appreciation find vent in silence rather than insufficient speech

Mitchell has been constructive. Conditions in the coal mining regions, everywhere, are vastly better for his incumbency. Higher wages are paid; the men lead cleaner lives; he has taught them the lesson of self-respect. Nor has he neglected to show them the rights of the "other man."

We live in that strange and readjusting age demanding such constructive, temperate yet aggressive men as Mitchell. It is not fulsomeness, nor laudation nor overlooking his faults, to say that this young-old man has contributed to making of American history.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(Chicago News)

If a man has enough push he'll manage to pull thru.

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The successful manicurist has plenty of business on hand.

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A lazy man will not work himself so long as he can work others.

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The fact that some men are self-made is stamped on the wrapper.

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Some people are always looking for an excuse to make an excuse.

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A woman considers any man nice looking who says she is good looking.

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A stout widow has to be awfully rich in order to avoid being called fat.

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It isn't the amount of money a man earns, but the amount he gets that counts.

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Clothes may not make the man but paying for his wife's clothes may break him.

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Religion that doesn't abide with a man twenty-four hours a day and seven days a week isn't worth having.

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REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

The nearest most people can come to being natural is to make believe they are.

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The chief reason a girl wants to get married is to prove to anybody who doubts it that she can.

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The man who can make his vegetable garden pay is either ignorant of bookkeeping or of the truth.

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There's nothing makes a man feel queerer than to have his wife describe a play to him all wrong when he can't correct her because he told her he didn't go to it the night he worked late at the office.

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When a man begins to shout his good deeds from the housetop it is your cue to look in the cellar for his evil ones.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

STATE PRESS

Cannot Understand It

Probably no man in the state has been more admired for his personal qualities, his intellectual attainments or his great legal knowledge and ability than Dan Lawler of St. Paul. And there has been no greater disappointment than he has caused by his campaign for the mayorality of the saintly city. Instead of coming out squarely for the enforcement of law and for a higher moral standard he has adopted a directly opposite course. His action is incomprehensible to those who looked for better things from him —Rochester Post and Record.

Wouldn't Help

An English girl gets up asleep in the middle of the night, plays the piano, tunes her violin, studies and writes music and reads books. An eight—or even a nine hour—day law wouldn't help her much.—Duluth Herald.

He's a Nobleman

Count Boni's debts are now about $3,000,000. Boni is still a member of the nobility so he does not have to pay them.—Minneapolis Journal.

POLITICS

Alton B. Parker is going to Denver as a delegate-at-large without the least fear that if the convention becomes deadlocked it will turn to him as a compromise.

No defeated candidate for president ever left less of a hole where he went down than Alton B. Parker. He was voted a candidate without a redeeming feature. He was a failure. And yet Parker is not a small man. He is an able lawyer. He was a splendid judge. In New York state he was accounted a shrewd politician. Yet he failed miserably as a candidate to arouse any enthusiasm among his following. Judge Parker saw the handwriting on the wall from the beginning. He was never deceived as to the probable outcome of the voting. He accepted the inevitable gracefully until toward the clase of the campaign, when he was betrayed into some ill-digested statements.

He knows today that he can go to a national convention and be accounted just a plain delegate. It was not his fault that he was not elected. He was not rejected. His party was rejected. The people wanted Roosevelt and they got him, and would have gotten him whomsoever the opposing party nominated.—Minneapolis Journal.

KEY STONE

Mr. and Mrs. John Capes of the Key Stone Farm gave a party last Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ehnen and family of Templeton, Illinois A number of young people of this vicinity attended and all report a very delightful time.

Harry Brandow and George Ramstad drove up from Crookston last Sunday and visited with Miss Laura Ramstad at the Aeschliman home. The former seems to drive to this part of the country quite often but whether or not it is in regard to land affairs we cannot say.

The fine weather of the past two weeks has caused the farmers to get anxious and the result is several have seeded grain. The fall was very favorable for plowing and much of the land is ready for seeding.

Mr. and Mrs. Byington and family of Sherack will soon leave for Nebraska. To say we are sorry but faintly expresses our real feelings.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann at dinner last Sunday.

Jake Francis left yesterday for Fisher to prepare for the bricklaying on the new brick block there for which Contractor Johnson of this city has the contract.

From Over The Valley

DRY WEATHER CAUSES MANY PRAIRIE FIRES

Owing to the extremely dry weather of the present spring forest and prairie fires are doing a lot of damage in a great many places. The country in the vicinity of Barnesville has been visited by two or three destructive prairie fires during the past week and several of the Journal's correspondents have reported small losses in different townships of this county. In the town of Paddock, the Nevela school house caught fire from a burning meadow and was destroyed and Mr. Nelson's residence in the same township was also burned. Wadena county has fared still worse, and the inhabitants of the entire township of Rockwood are reported to have spent the greater part of the week fighting fires. The buildings on a number of vacant farms are reported to have been destroyed. R. A. Kennedy of Leaf River lost 60 tons of hay. Rain is badly needed, and fires are likely to continue to give a good deal of trouble until some falls.

MRS. MATT STRONG IS HURT IN A RUNAWAY

Mrs. Matt Strong 606 North Seventh street received serious injuries in a runaway yesterday afternoon at 4:30 She was starting from her house in a buggy when the horse started and she was dragged as far as the Turner sash and door factory. She was badly bruised and her clothing was torn, but no bones were broken. A physician attended her injuries at once.—Grand Forks Herald.

TEN WERE NATURALIZED BY JUDGE GRINDELAND

A number of applications for naturalization papers were heard by Judge Grindeland at Warren last Friday, and the following named as a result are now fullfledged citizens:

Edmund O. Ueland, Hellem; Kirsten Aagaard, Thorwick; Anton M. Burseth, Warren; Johan A. Blomberg, Numedal; Gustaf E. Johnson, Brislet; Ole Anderson, Holt; James A. Evans Sandridge; Frank Nordenborg, Warren; Karl E. Ranstrom, Vega; Johannes Vaagene, Germantown.

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KENNEDY MAN TALKS OF CONDITIONS IN SWEDEN

Ole S. Lindgren, of Kennedy, returned from Sweden Wednesday where he has spent the winter. Mr. Lindgren had a very enjoyable trip. In speaking of the conditions in general he stated that the financial flurry we had in this country last fall has effected that country a great deal, as some of the papers in this country pictured the financial conditions really worse than they were and the results have been that the immigration from Sweden to this country in the past six months has decreased considerable. On account of work not being as plentiful as in the past the immigration from the Unietd States to Sweden and other foreign countries is unusually heavy. Speaking of farming Mr. Lindgren prefers Kittson county, altho the farmers here do not make as much money per acre as they do in the old country, still the farmers are not so crowded here but have plenty of room and best of all, opportunities which are limited in older countries. There it takes from three to four men to take care of a forty acre farm. Dairying being the principal feature of farming and a profitable business. A good milch cow is worth from $90 to $125. A hog weighing 200 pounds would bring from $30 to $35. All grain than a farmer raises is fed to stock. All farm produce is at very high price. A good horse will bring from $300 to $400. So taking all thru for a man who owns a small farm there can make a comfortable and easy living. But if you have not the money there is no place like here to make it.—Hallock News.

RED LAKE FALLS HOME IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

The Joe Gray residence near the Northern Pacific depot at Red Lake Falls was burned Monday morning about 2 o'clock. The damage was about $1200, partly insured. The house hold goods were mostly saved. The fire started from a defective flue. Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. For sale by all druggists.

VEGETABLES

Press Bulletin No. 74—B. A. J. McGuire, Northeast Experiment Station, Grand Rapids, Minnesota

The growing vegetables may be recommended in Northern Minnesota on a commercial scale as well as for the home garden. The yield and quality of vegetables grown in this section of the state can hardly be surpassed. There is also an extensive market in the cities at the head of Lake Superior and the mining districts, but for the farmers not tributary there is difficulty in securing it. It is supplied largely by wholesale shippers from other districts. This market rightfully belongs to the farmers of Northern Minnesota and it may be obtained by co-operation among the farmers and it is only in this way that it can be. Wholesale dealers want vegetables in carload lots, and vegetables of a uniform grade and quality.

Where a community of farmers would make vegetable growing an issue, and aim for uniformity, and cooperate in shipping, they could command a market for all they could grow.

For the farmer with only few acres under cultivation, vegetables, when they can be marketed, is the most profitable crop that can be grown

On the Experimental Farm all the common garden vegetables have been grown successfully with the exception of melons. Tomatoes and cucumbers have generally required a little extra care in the way of protection against late and early frosts to insure their maturity, and also the navy bean which is somewhat uncertain in ripening at this degree of latitude (47 1-4). With these few exceptions the growing of vegetables has been exceedingly satisfactory.

Vegetables do best on a sandy loam soil in fertility and humus the better. a heavy application of stable manure every year is essential to the best growth of most vegetables. The ground should be manured and plowed in the fall, as fall plowing not only gives the best results in growth, but it also kills many destructive insects that live in the soil during the winter. It should not be harrowed till spring but the earlier in the spring the better, which will help to retain the moisture and kill weed seeds.

In laying out the garden it will be found more satisfactory to plant everything in rows than in the old-fashioned way of beds, and the rows far enough apart to permit of horse cultivation. The garden needs frequent cultivation, not only to keep it free from weeds but to retain the soil moisture. More can be done with a horse cultivator in an hour, than all day with the hoe. The cultivator does not dispense with the hoe, but it greatly lessens hand work which is much more expensive.

Questions are frequently referred to the Experiment Station regarding the best varieties of the different vegetables for this section, and also the seed firm that handles the best grade of seed. Both these questions can be answered only in a general way. There are many varieties of most vegetables that do equally well and there are also several seed firms that handle practically the same grade of seed. A safe rule for the beginner is to use the well known varieties that have been on the market for several years, and the new stock that appears in every spring catalog only in an experimental way, if at all.

With some vegetables it is well to discriminate in early and late varieties. In tomatoes, cucumbers, beans squash and pumpkins early varieties to the extent of what will be used when mature, and late varieties for winter use, and late shipping.

In planting, tomatoes, celery, early cabbage, and cauliflower should be started in hot beds. Late cabbage is also started in this wey, but it may be sown directly in the garden, very good results having been obtained thru this system on the Experiment Farm.

The vegetables that command the best market in the fall for shipping are cabbage, carrots, beets, turnips and rutabagas. For the summer and early fall market, onions, peas, radish lettuce and cucumbers. These are the most staple products and safest to grow in a commercial way.

The successful sale of vegetables depend largely upon their quality, appearance and the way they are put up. Size alone does not indicate quality or make a product a good seller. Smoothness, uniformity and freeness from dirt and bruises in handling are quite as important as size. A great deal may be learned about vegetables at an agricultural exhibit, by observing the vegetables that take prizes, when a competent judge is in charge.

For more detailed information in gardening write U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for Farmers' Bulletin No. 94. It is free.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for working this wonderful cure."

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BOY SAVES MOTHER'S LIFE.

Kenosha Lad Shows Presence of Mind, but May Die.

Kenosha, Wis., April 21. — One of the greatest acts of heroism ever known in Kenosha was displayed here yesterday when the five-year-old son of Ohma Shafer, a barber, saved his mother from being burned to death at greatest risk of his life. The mother, while at work cleaning a bed with gasoline, stepped on a match, the gasoline exploded and the clothes of the woman took fire immediately. The little boy, upon hearing the screams of his mother, rushed into the room and started at once pulling the burning clothes from his mother. He was terribly burned and may die.

Battery of Boilers Lets Go.

Tipton, Ind., April 21.—The battery of boilers in the Tipton Ice plant, situated in the residence part of town exploded yesterday, being heard for miles around. Pieces of machinery, heavy timbers and thousands of bricks crashed through the sides and roofs of houses, but not a person was hurt.

"Father" Chadwick Dying.

New York, April 21.—Henry Chadwick, known throughout the country as the "father of baseball," is reported dying at his residence in Brooklyn. Mr. Chadwick is suffering from pneumonia and heart trouble. He was eighty-three years old.

Troops Ordered Home.

Pensacola, Fla., April 21. — Gov. Broward last night ordered all the state troops sent here to preserve order during the strike of motormen and conductors to return to their homes.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

April 19 In History.

Byron.

1560—Philipp Melanchthon, reformer and coadjutor of Luther, died; born 1497.

1721—Roger Sherman, "signer," born; died 1793.

1775—Beginning of American Revolution; collisions at Lexington and Concord, Mass.

1824—Lord Byron died; born 1788.

1898—The Cuban intervention resolution passed congress; ultimatum sent to Spain.

1906—Fires, due to the earthquake, continued in San Francisco. Many buildings dynamited. Over 300,000 homeless people. The regular army assumed control.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:39, rises 5:09; moon rises 10:02 p. m.; 10:30 p. m., all Jupiter's four bright satellites closely grouped on west of planet.

April 20 In History.

1882—Charles Robert Darwin, propounder of the "missing link" theory, died; born 1809.

1906—Earthquake fires checked in San Francisco. Total deaths recorded 488. Loss from fire over $300,000,000. Gross loss from all causes over $1,000,000,000.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:40, rises 5:08; moon rises 11:08 p. m.; 8 a. m., planet Uranus apparently stationary.

AGENTS—Automatic Curry Comb, postpaid 40c. Over $5.00 daily or sample returnable. Particulars free. —Clean Comb Co., ( ) Racine Wis.

GREETING OLD FRIENDS—Henry Funke of Crookston an old time resident of Wabasha was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Arens last week. He visited a number of old time friends while here—Wabasha Herald.

STEVENS ROAD SUPT—Jim Stevens was appointed road superintendent by the Crookston town board who met in the city hall here Saturday afternoon. Those present were E. A. Conklin, chairman, Ed Lanctot, C. H. Swife and A. J. Kelly. Other routine business was attended to.

NEW NIGHT OPERATOR—L. W. Setterholm is the new man at the Northern Pacific station here on the wire staff. He arrived Saturday night from New York Mills where he has been located and took charge of his duties.

ANGUS KNIGHTS—J. F. Montgomery and J. W. Campion returned home this morning after attending the Easter services of the Knights Templar at Grand Forks yesterday. They report the land in fine shape for seeding at Angus with all the farmers working full time and then some.

WITH NEW COMPANY—Robert F. Leick, who has been with Finch-Smith and Henry for the past three years, and who is one of the best known shoe salesmen in the Northwest has accepted a flattering offer from the Northern Shoe Co., of Duluth and is making the same territory for them. His former company has retired from business.

TO SUPREME COURT—Atty. J. A. Hendricks of Fosston arrived in the city last evening and left on the late train for St. Paul where he will argue a Clearwater Co., case before the supreme court and will later proceed to Buffalo and Olivia, Minn., on legal business and will not be home till the latter part of the week.

SMASHED RIG—A collision occurred Saturday evening on Bridge St., in Jeromes Addition in which a rig driven by Miss Marian Wheeler ran into a rig driven by A. L. Erickson of the Crookston Steam Laundry and smashed one of the wheels on Erickson's rig. The horse attached to Miss Wheeler's rig become unmanageable for time until caught by a bystander.

Mrs. Bertha Johnson of Sabin has brought suit against the Great Northern Railway company for $5,000.00 damages on account of the accidental killing of her husband, Sivert J Johnson.

Mr. Johnson was killed during the winter at the Eleventh street crossing of the G. N. of Moorhead. He was coming from north and was caught squarely upon the track by the evening local passenger train.

The papers were served yesterday, the case will come on during the May term of court in Clay County.

A woman looks upon her husband as either a convenience or a necessary evil.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

April 21 In History.

Charlotte Bronte.

1142—Pierre Abelard, famous unfortunate French scholar and reformer, died; born 1079.

1699—Jean Racine, French dramatic poet, died; born 1639.

1816—Charlotte Bronte, author of "Jane Eyre," born; died 1855.

1898—United States Minister Stewart L. Woodford given his passports at Madrid. Date officially fixed as the beginning of the war.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:41, rises 5:06; moon rises 12:11 a. m.; 10:04 a. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus; sun's declination 12 degrees north of celestial equator.

FOR SHORT VISIT—Harry W. Roney came up from Fargo this morning and is spending the day here the guest of his many friends.

SNOW FENCES BURNED—Snow fences of the Great Northern furnished food for the flames in a fire north of the windstacker factory yesterday.

AN OPERATION—Miss Ada Shelly was taken to St. Vincent Hospital Saturday and is seriously ill. She was operated on for appendicitis last week and other complications are feared.

INSPECT BRIDGES— Master Carpenter, E. A. Mills and J. H. Griffin, G. N. Industrial Agent, returned last night with Conductor Steve Withey's train on the Greenbush line.

A NEW CREAMERY — Creamery Inspector A. O. Storvick spent yesterday at McIntosh where he attended a creamery meeting. It is proposed to replace the present creamery building with a modern brick structure.

BACK FROM MINNEAPOLIS—Supt. Ed Peterson of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., has returned from a business trip to Minneapolis. He was accompanied by Supt. Tom Roycraft of the Grand Forks Gas and Electric Co.

OLD COUNTRY GRAIN—Louis Johnson has received 2 bushels of oats and 2 bushels of barley from Denmark and will plant them here and watch results. The oats are a little shorter and more solid than the American grain.

NEW PLAT BOOKS—Miss Ragna Bangen commenced work on plat books in the United States Land Office today. The books contain maps of tracts of land and have been so worn out by continual use that the officials found them no longer serviceable.

COMMISSIONER FILING— Marius Christianson of the town of Woodside will make the run for county commissioner of the first district, which includes Mentor and Fertile and is represented now on the county board by Commissioner Rindal who retires. He filed yesterday.

EXPERTS ON FARMING—J. A. McMillan who is about to farm 800 acres in Andover with gasoline equipment received two experts on the work with the machinery this morning and they will be about their work tomorrow. One expert attends to the plow and the other to the engine.

SUPERINTENDENT HERE—Supt. C. E. Leverich of the Minot Division of the G. N. pased thru the city this morning enroute home from a trip to St. Paul. "A 10" his private car looked familiar to the old timers here, as it was formerly the private car of the late superintendent, C. H. Jenks.

RED LAKE CASE—Ludvig Arctander St. Paul attorney, is bringing case against M. O. Sortedahl of Red Lake Falls to determine price of expert witness fees in a case of same title in Red Lake courts last term. Attorney Fred L. Farley of Red Lake Falls is in the city in connection.

PETERSON AT McINTOSH — Receiver Peterson of the United States Land office spent Sunday at McIntosh near which city in the town of Knute he has a farm. He sent his sons out overland with a team of oxen about a week ago from Crookston and they will work the farm this summer. Everything is in the finest kind of condition near McIntosh and seeding is well under way.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

It keeps some men so busy being important that they haven't any time left to accomplish things.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

April 22 In History.

1791—James Buchanan, fifteenth president of the United States, born; died 1868.

1815—Andrew Gregg Curtin, famous war governor of Pennsylvania, born; died 1894.

1903—Alexander Ramsey, the last of the "war governors," died; born 1815.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:41, rises 5:05; moon rises 1:10 a. m.

DONSTAD FUNERAL—The funeral services over the body of Mrs. Bertha Donstad will be held tomorrow at ten o'clock from the Sunderland residence.

FUNERAL OF HOFFMAN BOY—Orie Hoffman who departed this life suddenly Monday night after a short illness was buried this afternoon, at 2 o'clock from the German Lutheran church.

MUST HAVE IT—E. McWaters a former well known resident of Crookston who is now located at Auburn, N. D., this morning sent the Journal a check for another year's subscription stating that he could not get along without the Daily Journal. He says seeding is on in full blast there and that there will be a large acreage of grain seeded this year under most favorable conditions.

LAND MAN HERE — Col. A. B. Davis, the land man of St. Paul, has been in the city for the past two days attending to some business matters. He recently closed a deal for the sale of a half section of the old Keystone farm.

BUILD NEW BUILDING — School District 125 in Red Lake County is making application to the state for money to erect a new building. They apply to the state board of investment The district is one of the oldest in Red Lake being formed before the county was set off from Polk.

POSTPONE BUILDING—Creamery Inspector A. O. Storvick returned last evening from Erskine where a special meeting of the creamery Association was held for the purpose of discussing the advisability of replacing the present creamery building with a modern, brick structure. It was decided after canvassing the situation that it would be advisable to postpone building till fall or another year, at which time a new up-to-date building is a certainty.

A GOOD BERTH—E. C. Middleton elder son of Attorney Middleton who has been in the employ of the Crookston Lumber Co., for the past three years, has accepted the position of cashier with the Lockhart Lumber Co. ,at Ft. Francis and on his way to the Fort stopped off at Baudette for a few days to visit his parents and brother Reggis. Bert, as he is commonly called went east on Monday's train. Regie Middleton has accepted a position under Mr. Hayward in the filing department in the new mill of the Shevlin-Mathieu Lumber Co., at Spooner.—Rainy River Region.

NEW BOTTLING PLANT —Chas. Kiewel has returned from a trip to Little Falls where he went to inspect the new bottling plant which has just been completed in connection with his father's brewery at that place. He says it is one of the most up-to-date in the country, with all the modern appliances for doing an immense amount of work and doing it thoroly. At no distant date the Kiewel brewery here will have a similar plant in order to take care of the steadily increasing demand for Kiewel beer.

Jealous; Kills Self.

Washington, April 21.—In a fit of jealousy, Edward R. Taylor last night committed suicide by shooting himself. He had gone to the telephone and called up Miss "Reggie" Gargars, only to learn that she gad gone for a walk with a rival suitor. Taylor hung up the receiver, drew a pistol and shot himself.

Break Up Anarchist Meeting.

Syracuse, N. Y., April 21.—Ludovica Caminita, editor of La Questione Sociale, which was suppressed at Paterson, N. J., came to Syracuse yesterday to give a lecture and organize an anarchistic society. The police learned of his plan, dispersed those who had gathered and escorted Carminita to the city line.

Mistaken for Burglars; Killed.

Columbus, Ohio, April 21.—Mistaken for burglars, John and William D. Frank, sons of R. O. Frank, an East side grocer, were shot and killed early yesterday morning by City Patrolmen Heinze and Casey. The latter has been suspended pending an investigation, but the former remains on duty.

Woman Kills Herself.

Chicago, April 21.—Jessie Llewellyn Call, daughter of Former Governor Llewellyn of Kansas, committed suicide in her room in a hotel here last night by taking poison. Despondency because of ill health is believed to have been the cause.

COMPANY L AT THIEF RIVER

COLONEL RESCHE AND CAPTAIN WESTERBERG MUSTER IN COMPANY

THIEF RIVER HAS ADVERTISED FOR BIDS FOR A FINE ARMORY

From Wednesday's Daily—

Captain Fredolph Westerberg returned this morning from Thief River Falls where with Colonel F. E. Resche of Duluth he had mustered in and established a new company of the Minnesota National Guard.

Company L of Thief River Falls was mustered in with 47 members on the roll. They will use the old skating rink there for drill purposes until a new armory is built, bids for which have already been advertised for.

The officers are, Captain Wiste, First Lieutenant Bowman, Second Lieutenant Fuller. The company elected officers when they organized last night.

CONDITIONS HAVE IMPROVED GREATLY

Nick Bertrand who returned from a pleasant three months' trip to Germany Saturday, reports a very pleasant trip. He made the trip across the Atlantic going back in 8½ days but the sea was rough on the return trip and it took 12 days. He spent most of his time at Oberranfen where he was called by the serious illness of his father, whom he left somewhat improved.

It is 17 years since Mr. Bertrand left the old country, and he reports many radical changes. Specially is this noticeable in the condition of the workingmen, whom he states now receive as much wages as they do here and conditions are generally very prosperous.

Mr. Bertrand reports very disagreeable weather while in Germany, stating that it rained or snowed every day while he was there. He lost about 50 pounds of flesh while away on his trip but he will not divulge his successful anti-fat treatment. Mr. Bertrand made the trip to attend to some property interests which were satisfactorily adjusted. He will resume his position at the Cleveland Hotel bar in the course of a few days.

CROOKSTON BOY GETS GOOD BERTH

Arthur Bartlett, formerly with the Western Union here and who for some time past has been ticket agent with the Great Northern at Fargo has resigned his position to accept a more lucrative one with the Buffalo Pitts Co., at the same place. This is a boost which will be pleasing to his many friends here. Mr. Bartlett spent yesterday in the city visiting with the home folks.

BEN. AND EMMA "FIRED."

Ousted from San Francisco Hotel—Police "Boresome," Says Reitman.

San Francisco, Cal., April 22.—Emma Goldman, Dr. Ben Reitman, her manager, and Alexander H. Orr, her advance agent, were forced to leave the San Francisco hotel last night by the hotel manager, who objected to the notoriety caused by the presence of the woman anarchist. The party, still under the watchful eyes of the police, went to the home of an anarchist sympathizer. Dr. Reitman calls the police tactics "boresome."

FLEECED IN GAME OF POKER.

Duluth Man in Montreal Looking for Owner of Marked Deck of Cards.

Montreal, April 21.—Samuel Sleichmann of Duluth arrived in the city in search of a man who he says robbed him of $5,000 in a card game. Sleichmann claims that in a meeting with two other men in a hotel at Duluth one of the strangers suggested a few hands at Poker. This he agreed to, but soon found he was being beaten out of every dollar he had.

After the game, Sleichmann claims he discovered the cards were marked.

POOR PAY LED TO SUICIDE.

Lieut. Lindsay Declared He Could Not Support Family.

San Francisco, Cal., April 21.—"My pay in the army will not allow me to support two families; as I must provide for my mother and sisters, that bars me from having a family of my own." Such, it has been learned, was the remark made by Lieut. David A. Lindsay of the signal corps, who shot himself, to his commanding officer, Capt. Paul W. Beck, a few days prior to his death.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

GRADE SCHOOLS AFTER COIN

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS AGITATING THOSE AMBITIOUS FOR STATE AID

POLK COUNTY HAS 37 SCHOOLS GETTING GRADE SCHOOL AID

From Wednesday's Daily—

County Superintendent Casey of Polk county schools is busy forwarding to the districts of the county, blanks for details from the various school boards as to the condition of their respective schools. The increasing development in this part of the state and increasing attention of Polk County school boards to the aid that the state provides for them has made 37 schools recipients of money from the state as special state aid and more will probably be added when the state board passes on the applications from these parts this year.

There are fifteen schools subject ot second class aid meaning schools with teachers having a second grade state certificate. These schools are entitled to an allotment by the state of $50 per year or if appropriation is not sufficient, their pro rata share.

Grade schools of the first class are those with teachers holding first grade state certificates and are entitled to $225 or pro rata if appropriation is not sufficient to cover.

Schools semi-graded are entitled to an allotment of $250 per year. These schools must be half graded.

All the schools eligible must hold school eight months in the year or over and state provisions as to equipment, heating, ventilation and library advantages must be answered in detail.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CREAMERY ASS'N

OLD OFFICERS RE-ELECTED BY NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS—IN GOOD SHAPE

At the annual meeting of the Crookston Creamery Association directors for the ensuing year were elected as follows: L. Ellington, E. M. Walsh, H. R. Robertson, C. C. Strander, E. M. Mathews. The directors later met and re-elected the following officers for the ensuing year.

President—E. M. Walsh.
Vice Pres.—E. M. Mathews.
Secretary—C. C. Strander.
Treasurer—H. R. Robertson.

The future of the Crookston Creamery was never brighter, the patronage increasing steadily while the product is in excellent demand at top prices.

THUGS BUSY IN MARINETTE.

Second Brutal Robbery Stirs Up the City.

Marinette, Wis., April 22.—This city is in a state of great excitement as the result of robberies that began here last week. Following the robbery of Martin's undertaking establishment Friday evening, Mike Debum, steel worker on a local bridge construction, was held up early yesterday morning and after a bad beating was robbed of all his available cash.

LAKE STEAMER ON FIRE.

Vessel, Believed to Be the Maine, Reported Burning Off Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 22. — Residents living along the lake front east of the city reported late last night to have sighted a burning boat upon the lake about ten miles out. The life-saving station was notified. Attention first was attracted to the boat by the shooting of skyrockets. The boat supposed to be on fire is thought to be the steamer Maine, which left Ashtabula late yesterday afternoon, bound for Port Huron, Mich. She carries a crew of ten or twelve men.

BUTTERMAKER GIVES PATRONS SOME EXCELLENT ADVICE

Lars Leffler buttermaker at the Hendrum creamery, gives the patrons of that institution some pertinent suggestions in the Hendrum Review. Among other things Mr. Leffler says: "Farmers bring in the cream as fresh as possible this season. It will make up to two cents a pound difference on the entire output if they do. In order to get the highest price on the New York market the butter must score 92 or better. In scoring the flavor counts 45 per cent, and the flavor is almost entirely dependent on the condition of the cream when brought in. One can of sour cream will spoil a whole churning, in fact the flavor is dependent on the poorest cream rather than the best. The state laws governing creameries are much stricter than ever before and makes it necessary for the buttermaker to refuse any cream that is not sweet."

ON TRACK OF ROBBERS

ROLSCH'S POOLROOM AND GUARANTEE CLOTHING STORE ROBBED LAST NIGHT

$25 IN CHANGE AND 7 WATCHES TAKEN—PHONE FOR THE CHIEF

From Wednesday's Daily—

At an early hour this morning before daybreak burglars forced their way thru a panel in rear of John Smith's poolroom in the Rolsch Block on Second St., and stole $25 in change from the till.

At approximately the same hour burglars undoubtedly the same band, entered the rear of the Guarantee Clothing store, corner Second and Main, and stole 7 watches and possibly some clothing.

While crossing the high bridge over the G. N. tracks on Eighth St., Christian Munch an employee at Rauch's place, saw a man below on the tracks nailing up a box of goods. He could not distinguish the details well in the morning twilight.

The police are satisfied the burglars left here for East Grand Forks. They had a pair of well known crooks in the city yesterday and were watching them. The crooks departed on this morning's train for the west. Officer Phillips drove to East Grand Forks and will see that the crooks are taken care of. There is no absolute certainty that they are the parties or that they have the goods on them.

Effects of Big Mitt

Immediately upon discovery of the robbery this morning the janitor at the Rauch block who had discovered the robbery of the pool room began phoning for chief of police, the night detail of police being out on their beats about the city. The chief could not be reached for the reason the city gives him no phone. Had he been notified at once the trains could have been watched.

CROOKSTON DRUIDS TO GET BUSY

NOBLE GRAND ARCH SHAW HERE WITH CHECK FOR $1000 FOR MRS. OLSON

Noble Grand Arch L. R. Shaw of the Minnesota Grand Grove U. A. O. of Druids arrived this morning with a check for $1000 for Mrs. Ole Olson, insurance on her husband's life, proof of death having been sent in by S. P. Swedburgh of this city just 4 weeks ago.

Mr. Shaw will remain in Crookston till next Tuesday aiding the securing of a class of 25 for the Crookston Grove in the contest for the state membership banner, and if that number can be secured Crookston will have the banner worth $150 cinched. Mr. Shaw has just instituted a Grove of 60 members at Chisholm and 44 at Eveleth. Mr. Shaw says Crookston is one of the most progressive and up-to-date cities in the state.

DESERTED HUBBY ON HOMESTEAD

Attorneys G. A. E. Finlayson of E. Grand Forks and Twyford of Sorley's office on the west side appeared before Judge Watts today in the divorce case of Edon Davis vs Mary Davis. The couple were married in Grand Forks in October 1906 and Davis took a claim near Thief River.

The husband claims continuous desertion. The woman claims cruel and inhuman treatment, lack of shelter and food and the public charge of her husband that she was intimate with other men. She claims her husband is worth $2000 and asks for $25 a month alimony. There is a six months' old child, George. Vaule & Murphy, Crookston appear for defendant.

Policeman's Wounds Fatal.

Warrensburg, Mo., April 22. — Policeman James E. Basham, shot by Byron Hall in Sunday night's pistol fight in the Estes hotel, died last night, making the third death. Policeman Pollock is not expected to recover. The coroner's inquest showed that Hall's death was caused by a bullet from his own pistol.

Frontier War Is Serious.

St. Petersburg, April 22. — Associated Press dispatches setting forth the grave situation of the Russian detachment in Persia are fully confirmed by official reports received at the foreign office from the Russian commander at Yelisavetpol, in Transcaucasia, ninety miles from Tiflis.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles Sold by A. G. Andersen.

CURE BY CUTICURA AT CITY MISSION

Young Woman Found in Awful Condition with Scabies—Body a Mass of Sores from Scratching—Tried Many Remedies for Seven Weeks —Result Was Discouraging, But

ITCHING TORTURES YIELDED TO CUTICURA

"While I was doing missionary work in the lower portion of several cities I found it necessary to know a little of the efficacy of a few medicines and after a while I found that a little knowledge of Cuticura was about all I needed. One of the very bad cases I had to deal with was that of a young woman who had come to us not only broken in spirit but in a most awful condition physically. Our doctor examined her and told us that she had scabies (the itch), incipient paresis, rheumatism, etc., brought on from exposure and the effects of her ragged-edged life. Her poor body was a mass of sores from scratching and she was not able to retain solid food. We tried many things, a good tonic was prescribed and baths with a rubbing of lard and sulphur. We worked hard for seven weeks and you can imagine how discouraged we were when, after all that time, we could see so little improvement. One day I happened to see a Cuticura advertisement telling how a little baby had been cured of a bad case of skin eruption, and although I had but ninety-seven cents with me, I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. When I reached home I was like a child with a new toy, and we bathed our patient well and gave her a full dose of the Resolvent. She slept that night better than she had since she had been with us and the next day I located the price of a box of Cuticura Ointment. I am not exaggerating when I say that in exactly five weeks this young woman was able to look for a position, being strong enough to work and full of ambition. In another month she left the home, and now has a good position in a nice family where she is respected and is strong and well. You may refer any one you wish to me, personally. Laura Jane Bates, 85 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y., Mar. 11, 1907."

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

Americans Seize Ferry Boat.

Port Huron, Mich., April 18.—The Point Edward ferry boat was seized on the American side here yesterday and her captain, Joseph Class, was lodged in jail on the charge of illegally importing Hungarians, Poles, Germans and other foreigners into the United States.

Child Choked to Death.

Norway, Mich., April 18.—Eleanor Gustrom, aged three years, was choked to death last night by drinking water out of the water works faucet. Her mouth was drawn on the faucet so tight that the doctor had to be called to release her.

Falls Into River; Drowns.

Janesville, Wis., April 18.—Anton Welets, aged sixty years, a tailor, fell from his shop window yesterday in Rock river and drowned before aid could reach him.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the gest blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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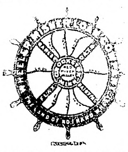

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NEW STORE OF POWER

IMMENSE ENGINES TO FURNISH CROOKSTON WITH AMPLE ELECTRIC POWER

THE STEAM AUXILLIARY PLANT ALONE COULD TAKE CARE OF CITY

From Saturday's Daily—

The Crookston Water Works Power and Light Company have installed in their steam auxilliary plant on West Robert St., sufficient engines to take the entire load of city power should the water works be incapacitated by height of water or other reasons.

The principle one of these engines is the big Russell 800 horsepower engine, capable of 1200 horsepower when required.

The generator, installed in the east portion of the power room, has a capacity of 1090 amperes with voltage at load of 275, giving it a capacity for over 5000 lights, 16 candlepower.

The alternator is the finest installation however, being fitted especially for the production of power current for machinery, and has a capacity of 2300 volts and 135 amperes, meaning if used altogether for lighting, over 5000 lights of 16 candlepower or one 80,000 candle power light.

The whole installation will produce 11,000 16 candle power lights or one 175,000 light that would light the city and surrounding country like day.

The company has placed the two old dynamoes of 520 amperes each in the water power house and will attach them to the shafts of the water turbines. This work will be completed today or tomorrow.

The power room at the steam auxilliary plant is paved with a tile floor and is finely fitted. It is understood that a piano man of the town is trying to sell Mr. Peterson a Steinway.

A water heating plant has been provided for the boiler room whereby the steam exhaust heats the water going into the boiler and thus saves fuel by utilizing what was previously waste.

The new switch board is a strikingly happy addition to the tile floor and the spick and span condition of the plant merits much attention.

AUCTIONEERS FACE ORDINANCES

CITY BLUE BOOK SAYS $50 AND $200 — NEVER ONE ISSUED HERE

J. P. White applied at the city clerk's office in city hall yesterday for information regarding an auctioneer's license which the ordinances of the city state shall cost $50 for auctioneer and $200 for auction house, both rates per year. Mr. White held a county license and there is some question if this will not cover work in the city. There has never been a city license issued in Crookston that Clerk Childs remembers of.

The matter is referred to City Attorney Martin O'Brien. Chas. Hitchcock who has been bringing more farmers to the city by his auction sales than any other single agency, operates under a county license, but never knew anything about the city license and wonders if he is going to be "picked for a few" by the city.

RETURNED FROM FOREIGN CLIMES

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Eickhoff Back from a Ten Weeks' Trip to Germany where They Viewed Scenes Which They had not Beheld for the Past 27 Years—Stormy Voyage on Return Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Eickhoff returned yesterday from a very pleasant trip to Germany where they visited their old home at Altano and also stopped at Hamburg and many other points of interest. They visited relatives and friends and report a thoroly pleasant trip, tho many faces were missing and radical changes were noted on every hand.

Their trip over the Atlantic was made in six days with ideal weather, but the return trip took 11 days, and the ocean was rough all the way. Enroute home they visited in Chicago, Red Wing and St. Paul. Both return in the best of health but are a little weary. They left here on Jan. 30.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in cold weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

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JUDGE WATTS ISSUED PERMANENT INJUNCTION AGAINST THIEF RIVER

MUST NOT INTERFER OR REMOVE MILLING COMPANY'S ELEVATOR

From Friday's Daily—

Judge Watts of the district court gave decision yesterday in the case of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., against the city of Thief River Falls in favor of the milling company. The milling company brought action thru Stanton of Thief River Falls and Martin O'Brien of Crookston, their attorneys, to restrain the city from interfering with or removing an elevator they had moved nearer the depot in that city.

August 7th, 1907 Tom Harris of Crookston started work of removal on the milling company's elevator to remove it from a distance 3-4 of a mile outside of town to within a short distance of the Great Northern depot on their right of way, having secured a license for that privilege from the railway company. The city objected to the moving stating that their ordinances prescribing fire limits and the condition of the building would not fit together legally. They arrested and jailed laborers that Harris had in Thief River Falls. There was much excitement at the time, and jealousy of contractors said to have something to do with the matter.

The order of the Judge will restrain permanently, unless reversed by a higher court, the action of the city to remove the building, Harris having at last succeeded in moving the building as contracted between himself and the milling company.

The city will appeal.

ROWE AND STAIR SHOOT A TIE

CHESTERMAN GIVES THEM CLOSE RUB WITH 87 PER CENT

Seven members of the Crookston Gun Club commenced operations for the first time on their range at the Longley property northeast of the city and made crack records for the first time this season. Rowe and Stair tied for the top at 88 per cent birds. Harry Chesterman gave them a close rub with 87 per cent hit. Chesterman is considered one of the comers by local sports. He is a little erratic yet but is rapidly overcoming that. Rowe, Stair, Hagen, Moore, Chesterman, Blackman and Ferguson were on the range.

CANAL CONTRACT LET.

C. P. R. R. Soon to Start Work on Imposing Irrigation Project.

Calgary, N. W. T., April 16.—S. W. Corey of Ogden, Utah, has been awarded the Canadian Pacific railroad contract for the company's large irrigation canal. The contract calls for the digging of a million and a half yards of earth in the district between Langdon and Crowfoot, a distance of fifty-four miles.

200 ARE CONVERTED.

Methodists' Revival Campaign at Mitchell Comes to Close.

Mitchell, S. D., April 16.—A revival campaign in the Methodist church which has been going on for two weeks has come to a close. The meetings have been conducted by Hugh E. Smith of Los Angeles, Cal. The number of conversions numbered nearly 200.

MAKE BANK'S LOSSES GOOD.

Belleville Cashier Says He Loaned the Money to Friend.

Madison, Wis., April 16.—President S. E. Miller and other officers and stockholders of the Citizens' State bank of Belleville held a meeting yesterday and decided to make up the loss occasioned by the defalcations of Cashier E. C. Story. The examination of books continues. It is said to have disclosed that the defalcations will not be less than $30,000.

Story is said to have made a confession that he loaned the money to an intimate friend who failed to pay it back. He is still in a critical condition as a result of taking poison after the defalcation was discovered.

Evans Much Stronger.

Paso Robles, Cal., April 18. — For the first time in a week Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans was given an outing yesterday. He felt so much stronger that his son, Lieut. Evans, wheeled him about the hotel grounds.

Eau Claire Men Indicted.

Eau Claire, Wis., April 18.—A message from Boise, Idaho, states that Messrs. Barber and Moon of this city were indicted in connection with timber land cases that have been investigated.

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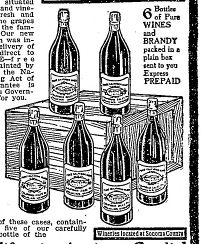

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Write your name and address carefully

MARLOWE IS EXONERATED

Charges Against Her Withdrawn by Attorney.

Boston, April 18.—Attorney Percy A. Brigham of this city, who filed a divorce libel in the Essex county superior court at Salem recently on behalf of Clara L. von Herrmann against Karl S. von Herrmann, in which the actress, Miss Julia Marlowe, and Mrs. Maude Thornum Backus of Brooklyn were named as corespondents, has had the libel dismissed on motion before Judge Richardson in the superior court.

This means that the names of Miss Marlowe and Mrs. Backus are eliminated from the case. Mr. Brigham said that after a closer investigation of the evidence he was satisfied that the charges against Miss Marlowe were unfounded.

Poisonous Gases Kill Them.

Mason City, Iowa, April 18. — employes of the Royster Guano company here came to their death yesterday from inhaling poisonous gases while at work in the acid chamber of the company's factory, and four more are ill from the same cause.

Tot Run Down by Engine.

Lead, S. D., April 18—While sitting on the railroad track the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mochon was struck by a switch engine and so badly hurt he may die.

TWENTY PERISH

River Steamer Sinks Because Overloaded With Petroleum.

Stockholm, April 18.—Gotenbourg harbor is being dragged for twenty missing passengers from the river steamer Gota Elf, which sank because it was overloaded with petroleum barrels.

Twenty passengers escaped, but it is certain that twenty others perished.

French and Arabs in Battle.

Ainsefra, Algeria, April 18. — A French column has been heavily engaged with the Arabs west of this place. The booming of cannon was heard throughout the entire day, but no details of the engagement have been learned.

Lid for Sunday Ball.

Des Moines, April 18. — Sunday baseball probably will be prohibited in Des Moines this year. Councilman Hamery has decreed that the laws shall be enforced. The state law prohibits Sunday baseball.

Battle With Horse Thieves.

Sulphur, Okla., April 18.—A desperate fight took place here yesterday between a sheriff's posse and a gang of organized horse thieves, in which one of the robbers was fatally wounded and two horses killed.

7 MAY BE VICTIMS

Louis Orian and Wife and Five Children May Have Lost Lives.

Forman, N. D., April 18. — Louis Orian, his wife and five children are believed to have perished in a prairie fire which swept the country twelve miles west of Cogswell, in this county, yesterday afternoon. Their buildings were burned and no clue can be found of their presence anywhere.

The flames were scattered all over the countryside by a wind which traveled at the rate of forty miles an hour. Dozens of farmers lost barns and granaries and hay. Live stock was burned to death on several farms. Sargent county has never known so destructive a fire.

Swept by Prairie Fire.

Gann Valley, S. D., April 18.—The worst prairie fires in years swept through Buffalo county yesterday and destroyed probably $10,000 worth of buildings, stock, etc. So far as heard no lives have been lost. The fire started from a straw stack in Hand county.

Badly Slashed In Crap Game.

Clinton, Iowa, April 18. — Arthur Brown, colored, is in a local hospital with a razor cut nine inches in length on his breast and side, while Charles Davis, also colored, is in jail charged with assault with intent to commit murder. The men quarreled in a crap game.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

April 16 In History.

John Law.

1671—John Law, famous speculative financier, born; died 1729.
1689—Aphara (or Aphra) Behn, noted English dramatist and novelist, died; born about 1640.
1814—Eugene Beauharnais, marshal and viceroy (son of Empress Josephine), signed a convention with the allies in Italy, and the Napoleonic wars were ended till the Waterloo campaign.
1862—France declared war against Mexico. Being engrossed with civil war, the United States could not protest against this violation of the Monroe doctrine
1904—Samuel Smiles, LL. D., English surgeon and author of "Self Help," died; born 1812.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:36, rises 5:14; moon rises 6:37 p. m.; moon at greatest libration east.

ON LAND BUSINESS—W. F. Gilbert, of the Lund Land Co., left this morning for a trip out on the east line where he has several deals pending.

EXAMINING BRIDGES — County Commissioners Clements and Driscoll were out yesterday examining several bridges and sites on which it is proposed to erect bridges during the coming season.

VISITING RELATIVES — James Phillips, brother of Officer Harry Phillips of the police force, is spending a few days here from Bemidji where he is in business and doing well. He will remain there a day or two before getting into the harness again.

TRANSFER IN KING TOWN—Edward Wardeberg in King township transferred to John C. Brein the N 1-2 NW 1-4 of section 11 in King town for $800. There was mortgage on property not assumed by purchaser. The land is a mile and half north and two miles east of McIntosh.

CONDITION CRITICAL— Mrs. O. F. Greening, who has been very ill for some time past was today taken to the St. Vincent Hospital where an operation will be performed in hope of saving her life. She has been growing worse for several days, and the only hope is from an operation.

INSPECTING LARGE CLASS—Dr. M. Langevin, the veterinarian left this morning for Brooks on the Soo line, where he will inspect a class of eight stallions. This inspection is now rigidly enforced by the state and this district is looked after by Dr. Langevin.

STARTED SEEDING TODAY—Reitmeier Bros., today started seeding on the J. R. Mascall farm which comprises section 1 in the town of Lowell. They state that the land is fast drying up, and while there are some wet spots they will disappear in a few days if no moisture falls.

CARLOAD OF CATTLE—Mr. Hudson shipped out a carload of cattle last evening. He expects to be back again next week and will settle down in this neighborhood. Mr. Hudson came from near Sioux City, Iowa and has secured property near here. He likes the country and the people so well he expects to move back here very soon.

BUSY SEEDING — Louis Wentzel who was in the city the other day states that he never saw the roads in better shape at this season of the year. He states that the land is in good shape and he has started seeding. The Wentzels are known as among the most successful and progressive farmers in the entire valley and are always forehanded with their work.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

FISHWAY IN GOOD SHAPE — Wm. F. Munch of Crookston deputy game warden for this section, was an Ada visitor Monday and drove out to Johnson's mill dam to inspect the fish way. Mr. Munch reports that he found this fishway to be up to all requirements of the law. While in the city Mr. Munch visited the school and spoke to the scholars on the treatment of harmless birds.—Norman Co. Herald.

DEATH AT ADA — The death of Mis. Hattie Olson the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Olson occurred at the home of her parents in Ada Monday forenoon. Miss Olson has been ailing with consumption for more than a year but her death came very suddenly. She was about 21 years of age and was born in Norman county. During the past three years she taught district school in the country districts of the county. The funeral was held today at Ada.

STARTS NEXT MONDAY —J. A. McMillan a farmer from Nicollet county who has just purchased section 7 in Fairfax town one mile south of Carman, will put a gasoline traction engine at work on his fields next Monday and from that time on night and day the engine will be kept busy plowing with a capacity of 80 acres per day. Mr. McMillan has contracted to work neighboring fields to the extent of 200 acres more.

TEACHERS SCARCE— The ways of the school officer are not strewn altogether with roses even if some of them do sit on the school house steps early in the morning. We learn that the Twin Valley board is having some difficulty in securing teachers for next year. They have hired several but so far but three have accepted Miss Idste has informed the board that she cannot accept and Prof. Felland has not yet decided as to whether or not he will remain A Miss Emma Meilicke of the Moorhead Normal has been hired to take the place of Miss Idste.—Twin Valley Times.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

April 17 In History.

1790—Dr. Benjamin Franklin died; born 1706.
1895—Treaty of peace signed by China and Japan.
1907—Earthquake shocks in Spain and in Constantinople.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:37, rises 5:12; moon rises 7:45 p. m.; possible Lyrid meteors from constellation Lyra, rising in northeast about 9:30 p. m.

A BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marotte of the Grand Central are the parents of a fine baby girl this morning.

LOOKING AFTER DUCKS—Game Warden Munch left this morning for Fertile and Mentor where he will investigate some reports regarding duck shooting.

LOOKING AFTER LAND—Messrs. John Bergen and Ole Engen left on Wednesday for Canada where they will spend some time looking after lands.

CASES AT MAHNOMEN — N. B. Moran, Crookston attorney, departs this evening for Mahnomen where court holds tomorrow on a civil matter he has before them.

FROM MAGIC CITY — Albert Leblanc arrived last evening from Minot for a few days visit with his father and his brother George. He has a fine position at Minot with the Great Northern.

LEFT FOR COAST TRIP—Fred W. Hall left last evening for Fargo from where he will proceed on his western trip clear to the coast and will be absent for three months. A large number of friends were at the depot last evening to bid him good-bye.

WOLF AND 7 CUBS—Wolf bounties were yesterday paid to Oscar Martenson of Fisher township and Knute Knutson of Garden. The latter secured a full grown and 7 cubs, getting $28.50 for the lot.

SPENDS VACATION HERE—Professor B. J. O'Brien of the Angus schools is a visitor in the city today. He will spend Good Friday vacation in Crookston as well as Saturday and Sunday, returning home Monday morning to resume his duties.

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

MAY 17 AT CORNELIUS'S — The Sons of Norway will hold a big celebration at Pete Cornelius's farm about five miles east of Crookston on May 17th next the Norwegian holiday. The Viking Chorus will be on hand. Committee in charge is composed of: John P. Tuff, Oluf Skodje, Pete Cornelius, Frank Weed and Ole Opskar.

CALL FOR DITCH 75—County Auditor Hoffard has issued a call for ditch viewers on ditch 75, T. H. Thorkelson, Bert Cochrane and J. A. Wyand, to meet in commissioners room in court house here April 22 next for preparations to view the ditch which runs thru the town of Kertsonville a short distance.

A LITTLE DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald of Barnesville are the parents of a fine baby daughter. Mrs. McDonald was formerly Miss McClornin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben McClornin of Carman where she grew to womanhood and with her husband moved from here two years ago.

NORDSTROM IN BUSINESS—Axel Nordstrom, the well known member of the Crookston band, who has worked in the leading barber shops of the city is in business for himself in the basement of the Rauch Block where he is certain to get his share of the patronage as all the boys know him and he is a first class artist.

MANAGER TO MINNEAPOLIS — Manager Tom Roycraft of the Grand Forks Gas and Electric Co., and Manager Ed Peterson of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., left last evening for Minneapolis where they will confer with W. J. Murphy and attend to some business matters for the company for a few days.

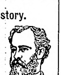
WILL MOVE TO CROOKSTON—Tom Hovet whose family has been at Thief River Falls for some time past has decided to move back to Crookston He has leased the residence now occupied by Rev. C. C. Markham and will bring his family back to Crookston about June 1st. Mr. Hovet is employed by the Finch-Carlisle-Winslow Co.

ADOPT STRICTLY CASH BASIS—On May 1st Budd and Regedal, the Beltrami merchants will adopt a strictly cash basis, a system that has been found most advantageous to the patron as well as the business man wherever tried, and the people of Beltrami will find this true as it has been found elsewhere.

SUCCUMBS TO APPENDICITIS—Joseph Chapeys, who has lived with his mother on the Will Duval place in Russia town, died yesterday at the St. Vincent hospital here of appendicitis. He was taken ill suddenly Saturday night after he was out hunting. He was operated upon last Monday. The deceased leaves a mother, three brothers and sister, Mrs. Bert Anderson. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

April 18 In History.


Roscoe Conkling.

1731—William Williams, "signer" for Connecticut, soldier, etc., born; died 1811.
1775—Paul Revere's famous ride out of Boston to arouse the colonial patriots.
1817—George Henry Lewes, noted English writer on philosophy, born; died 1875.
1873—Baron Justus Liebig, the great chemist, died; born 1803.
1888—Roscoe Conkling, noted United States senator, died; born 1828.
1906—Earthquake at San Francisco and vicinity. Many buildings in the city reduced to ruins, which later took fire.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:38, rises 5:11; moon rises 8:53 p. m.

BUSY SEEDING—Geo. Judson returned this morning from a business trip to Fosston where he says the farmers are all busy seeding.

STOLE RINGS — Two city boys stole a strap of rings off a farmer's team in the city yesterday. They were apprehended by the city police and the rings returned. The farmer let the boys go.

REFORMATORY KEEPER HERE—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Whitney principal keepers of the state reformatory at St. Cloud, Minnesota, were arrivals here yesterday. They came to the city to attend the bedside of a relative ill at the St. Vincent hospital. Mr. Whitney departed for Thief River Falls to spend a day there.

E. A. DUNHAM IN CUSTODY

ARRESTED IN ST. VINCENT AND WILL BE BROUGHT TO CROOKTON TONIGHT

SUPPOSED THAT CROOKSTON FORGER PREFERRED AMERICAN TO CANADIAN COURTS

From Saturday's Daily—

E. A. Dunham, the Great Northern brakeman who left Crookston on January 3rd last after forging checks to which he signed the name of Conductor J. S. Gould, passing them on a number of the business men of Crookston saloon keepers being caught to the amount of several hundred dollars was apprehended last evening about 7 o'clock at St. Vincent by Deputy Sheriff Heath and will be brought to Crookston this evening by Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea and Special Deputy Mike McLaughlin who went up this morning after him on the flyer.

Dunham left for Canada between two days and has been dodging about from one place to another ever since. The first of the week he was heard from thru two checks which he had forged and passed in Canada, one for $50.00 which he gave the Edmonton City hospital and to which he signed the name of S. E. Best, and the other one for $125 was made out in favor of S. E. Best and bore the forged signature of C. C. Hoch, a saloon keeper of this city whose place he had frequented when here. The last check had been cashed by J. O. N. Sloan of Edmonton.

Wednesday of this week Chief of Police Eck of this city advertised the forgery committed in Canada in the newspapers, and it is believed that the publicity given these crimes committed on Canadian soil reached the ears of Dunham and he preferred to return to the States and take chances rather than be prosecuted in Canada where he could expect no leniency.

Deputy Sheriff Heath over heard two men talking to Dunham at St. Vincent and having read of his latest forgeries pricked up his ears at the name, and at once phoned for instructions to this city and after getting orders to do so placed Dunham in jail.

There was a woman with Dunham who he claimed was his wife, and the officer hesitated for a time because of the pleadings of the woman, but when he was wired that Dunham's deserted wife was here in Crookston the crook was nabbed at once and thrown in jail.

Dunham has a bad reputation both in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth where he has been at various times, and was ordered to leave St. Paul owing to some shady transactions at that place. The case is clear against him and Conductor Gould will insist on his being sent over the road.

The two had been personal friends and he is greatly enraged at Dunham.

WINKLE HERE—Jack Winkle, well known ditch and contracting foreman for M. W. Barnard, arrived in the city last evening from contracts on the new railway building from Duluth to Port Arthur. He will return shortly to attend to work of the same contractors on the Soo.

WITH THE CONSTABLE— Nick Bertrand, with Otto Burkhardt of the Cleveland House returned home this morning from a long and pleasant trip in Germany.

He was accompanied from St. Paul by Jake Andrist, well known constable. Mr. Bertrand accompanied Jake without resistance.

"FITZ" A BUSY MAN—G. I. Fitzgerald, he of "Chancellor" fame has been in the city for the past few days and will remain here for some time. He has a surprise in store for the people of Crookston next week, and if you don't believe it direct your peepers towards Backen's confectionery store next Monday evening and see a flash light display that will make you look twice.

HE WAS A "SPOHT"—When the the Great Northern flyer arrived from Winipeg last evening a young Englishman took occasion to alight for refreshments. He was ticketed thru to New York but did not seem to care when he went. He had a fat roll of bills in every pocket and was not satisfied until he had met as many gentlemen who reside in Crookston as possible. In fact he took a real liking to the city. He was warned several times that his train would pull out and leave him but he assured all that he could take another train, and that is just what he did do, as some of the boys led him back to the depot and hoisted him aboard No. 6. He may have considerable trouble in St. Paul locating his baggage.

Manhunt In Ohio.

Springfield, Ohio, April 18.—Sheriff Ireland of Urbana and a posse of several hundred farmers are searching for Charles Brannon, who is wanted on the charge of murdering his brother, William Brannon, yesterday.

DILEMMA OF MIDDLETON

PRINTER MADE AN ERROR IN NEGLECTING TO MAIL NOTICE OF CONTEST

SAYS BOOZE DESTROYS EFFICIENCY OF THE CARD INDEX SYSTEM

From Saturday's Daily—

Attorney C. R. Middleton formerly of this city, now at Baudette in the northern part of the State, has a contest pending before the United States Land Office. An error was made in getting service of the notice. It appears that he trusted to a printer the task of mailing and registering a copy of the notice. The printer failed to do it in time and he wrote the land office to help him out. The excuse given appears as follows:

"The man with whom I arranged to mail and register the letter appeared to be a methodical fellow who did business with the card index system, and assured me that it could not be overlooked. I saw him fill out the card and place it in the proper place in the system, and I left with him three envelopes, properly addressed, and these he placed in the card index, so I went away assured that the matter could not be overlooked. Upon further investigation I learned that about the time the index should have prompted him, he had acquired a condition of coma, or languor, sluggishness, torpidity, lethargy, hypnotism, super-induced by a combination of narcotics and intoxicating stimulants, voluntarily taken into his corporeal system, to the extent that procrastination and "more booze" supplanted the card index system for the period of twenty-one consecutive days, demonstrating beyond a doubt that the two systems do not work well together, and that the card-memo-system cannot be relied upon under all conditions, and in this case was a complete failure."

In closing his letter he states "Sorry to bother you so much, but a fellow in the woods, remote from any of the seats of learning, is sometimes compelled to seek advice, even to the extent of becoming a nuisance."

The answer sufficiently advised Brother Middleton, and the error has been overlooked, since the deplorable condiiton referred to affected only the printer and not the attorney.

FELL VICTIM OF BUM LOCATER

OLE S. MOEN FORMERLY OF ERSKINE HAS TROUBLE IN ROSEAU

Ole Siverson Moen, formerly of Erskine, Polk county, is having troubles of his own on account of a bum steer given him by a locator in Roseau county. He is a practical farmer and departed for the north county last fall to secure some of the federal homesteads there. He fell in with a settler who said he would locate him for a consideration and he was shown one of the finest high and dry sites in the country. With dreams of a great farm in his mind he filed only to find when the figures came out that he had viewed a piece of land that belonged to another party, miles distant from his pick which was out in the muskeg. He is trying to get the land office here to cancel the entry.

BALLOT BOXES ARE LOOTED.

Strong Democratic Townships Turn Out 715 Republican Votes.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 16. — The fight for the Republican nomination for congress between ex-Congressman H. W. Palmer and Col. Asher Miner in the Eleventh congressional district took an unexpected turn yesterday when three Democratic districts in Pittstown township, which usually poll a small Republican vote, gave Miner 700 votes and Palmer 15 votes.

The sheriff of Luzerne county was sent after the ballot boxes and found two of them in an office of a justice of the peace, broken open and the ballots strewn over the floor. The justice said that his office was entered during the night and the boxes broken open.

Sensational developments are expected and wholesale arrests, it is said, are to be made.

Five Years for Embezzlement.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 16. — William S. Wortman, former bookkeeper of the Oakland Savings and Trust company, yesterday pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of $14,000 of the company's funds. He was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

$120,400 Contract Let.

Washington, April 16.—The contract for the construction of a public building at Devils Lake, N. D., has been awarded to the General Construction company of Milwaukee at $120,400.

Lot's wife became a pillar of salt, but most wives become peppery.

U.S. SOLDIER WANTS LAND

HUGH DELARGY HERE SEARCHING FOR CREDIT SERVICE GIVES HIM

WANTS HOMESTEAD — WILL BE ALLOWED FOUR YEARS ON PROOF

From Saturday's Daily—

Hugh Delargy, born 42 years ago in Antrom county, Ireland and who has spent years in the service of the United States Army in all parts of the world, is at the Crookston land office today trying to secure a homestead as provided under acts of congress for soldiers.

Those acts of congress provide that if he files on federal public land, he Delargy enlisted in the hospital corps of the United States Army in 1888 and served until 1891. He has a broken shrivelled piece of sheepskin to show for his honorable discharge which he presented to the land office clerk this morning.

He re-enlisted June 21, 1897 and served in the war in Cuba. He re-enlisted again in 1900 and served in the war in the Philippines until 1903. He has circumnavigated the globe under the Stars and Stripes and harbored in all climes.

He is looking for a quarter section of homestead land and states he is now going to settle down. The acts of congress will not permit him to settle on Red Lake lands which comprise the most of the allotment under this land office because the Indians must be paid their $1.25 per acre and the homesteader must pay for it.

WANT ESTATE REDISTRIBUTED

HAGEN BOYS IN GARDEN TOWN WANT SHARE IN HOLT ESTATE

ANNE HOLT, DECEASED DAUGHTER, MARRIED GUNNER HAGEN IN 1885

From Saturday's Daily—

Attorney Lovik of Fertile in behalf of Wm. Oscar, Geo. Alfred, Ole Theodore and Carl Henry Hagen thru their father and guardian, Gunner Hagen of the town of Garden appeared this afternoon before Judge Watts of the district court on appeal from the probate court to redistribute the property of Ole M. Holt, deceased, of the town of Garden, according to law and not as set by his will. The property is worth $4000. The boy petitioners are sons of Anne, daughter of the deceased, and Gunner Hagen. The mother died in March 1900.

BOYS STARTED A BAD FIRE

This afternoon a fire built by some boys to heat tar with which to fix a boat set fire to tall grass in Highland park and the fierce wind swept the flames onward at race horse speed The Highland Park Volunteer Fire Eaters headed by E. M. Walsh, Harry Marsh and Magnus Lundberg fought the flames and managed to confine them west of Walsh street and little damage was done. Had the fire crossed this street a bad prairie fire would have resulted in much damage. As it was several houses were threatened.

Land In Fine Shape.

Neche, N. D., April 16.—Seeding has begun here. The land is fairly dry and is in fine shape for working. Much oats and barley will be sown, as the farmers believe the days of bumper or even good crops of wheat are past.

Heart Balm Worth $1,000.

Fergus Falls, Minn., April 16.—Ena Johnson has begun an action in the district court in this city against Erick A. Grain for damages for breach of promise. She asks damages in the sum of $1,000.

Get-rich-quick Men Guilty.

Minneapolis, April 17.—Herbert F. Robinson, J. L. Layne and F. E. Holliday were convicted in the United States district court yesterday on the charge of conspiracy in connection with a fraudulent "grain brokerage" business carried on in Minneapolis during the year 1905.

Thrown From Buggy.

Hastings, Minn., April 17.—Mr. and Mrs. John Berg and their daughter Ravenna were thrown from their carriage while driving and were badly bruised, the horse becoming frightened at an automobile.

Kicked to Death by Horse.

La Crosse, Wis., April 17.—While driving yesterday John Becker was suddenly taken ill, fell from the buggy upon the pavement and was kicked to death by the horse which he was driving.

SEEDING IS IN FULL SWING

J. H. GRIFFIN O FG. N. SAYS CONDITIONS WERE NEVER MORE FAVORABLE

SAYS FARMERS ARE BUSY IN EVERY SECTION OF THE NORTHWEST

J. H. Griffin the industrial agent for the Great Northern passed thru the city this morning enroute to points on the Greenbush line. To the Journal he said:

'Seeding conditions were never more favorable. The farmers are all at work full blast and the soil was never in better shape than at the present time. Every good day's weather now means thousands of acres seeded, and under the most favorable conditions. From present indications we are going to enjoy an era of prosperity in the northwest such as has not been experienced in many years. We are in good shape now and with a big wheat crop in sight this will be the favored portion of the entire country."

Farmers at Work

Seeding has been started by many farmers, the fine weather of the past week having put the land in good working shape at least on the higher ground. Some began work last week but it was not until Monday and Tuesday that work began in earnest. At present the outlook for a good year is favorable, the spring being early and there being not too much moisture.—Hallock News.

Seeding in Red Lake

Attorney Farley of Red Lake Falls who arrived in the city last evening states that seeding is well advanced in the country north and wheat is half in. They have been seeding there for ten days.

All Busy Seeding

Julius Skaug was an arrival in the city this morning from Beltrami and will spend several days here on business and pleasure combined. He reports everyone in that section busy seeding and predicts a good year.

400 Acres of Wheat

Dave McCleary on the Jim Hill farm near Northcote has completed seeding on 40 acres of land on that farm.

Otter Tail County

Seeding has now been in progress for over a week in this locality and a great many farmers have all their wheat and a part of their other grains in the ground. The work is being completed from one to two weeks earlier than usual, and other things being equal, this means an unusually early harvest. The ground was never in better condition to receive the seed, and the outlook at this season was never more encouraging. The government weather bureau reports indications of showers tonight, and showers would be decidedly welcome just now, as they would lay the dust and start vegetation of all kinds.—Fergus Falls Journal.

Near Warren

Seeding was begun in this vicinity the latter part of last week and many farmers are in full swing with the work. The season is opening up well and conditions are more favorable than they have been for several years at the middle of April. If the prevailing weather conditions continue unchanged till the end of the month, the first of May will see practically all the wheat seeding done. The early opening of the season will have a material effect upon the comparative areas sown to different kinds of grain but the most noteworthy change this year will be the greatly increased areas sown to grasses especially clover. The farmers are counting on an exceptionally large and profitable wheat crop this year, but experience has taught them the value of diversifying and they are not taking any backward steps along that line because of the rosiness of the present wheat prospects.—Warren Register.

SIVERTSON FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

FRIENDS HOLD MEETING TO PUSH HIS CANDIDACY FOR PLACE

Friends of A. M. Sivertson well known city contractor and business man, are pushing him for county commissioner from the 3rd district and had an informal meeting last evening. They consider that since Crookston city pays a large portion of the taxes of the county the municipality should have representation. Mr. Sivertson is a large property holder in the city. Commissioner Clements is at present representing this district.

TWO SEINERS WERE FINED

USED NETS AT LOWER END OF MAPLE LAKE AND WERE CAUGHT IN ACT

ENTERED PLEAS OF GUILTY AND WERE FINED $25 BY JUDGE McLEAN TODAY

From Monday's Daily—

After "laying" for them three nights Deputy Game Warden Wm. F. Munch of this city on Saturday evening shortly before 12 o'clock arrested W. G. Klinger and Christ Nelson brothers-in law, formerly residents of this city but now residing on Klinger's farm near Maple Lake for seining in the south end of Maple Lake. He caught them red handed as they were looking over their nets after 11 o'clock at night to land their spoils.

From across the lake, Warden Munch watched two men lay their nets Saturday afternoon. As soon as darkness fell he crossed the lake in a canoe and hid his boat in thewoods. Then he lay near the shore till the two men appeareed with a lantern and rowed to their nets. He slid his canoe into the water and followed them. He was within 20 yards of them before they became aware of his presence and started for the shore but a short distance away.

It is to the vigilance of Warden Munch and other game wardens in this section that make the game laws so effective.

The seiners were arraigned before Judge McLean here this morning. They plead guilty and were fined $12.50 each.

BELL HOP STRUCK BY A HORSE

RIDING BICYCLE TRIED TO DODGE AUTO, STRUCK BY A HORSE

Clarance Hathaway, bell hop at Hotel Crookston, was hit last night on Second and Broadway by a horse driven by Ticket Agent Kjorsvik of the Great Northern railway station here. Hathaway was riding a wheel. It was dark and he was riding somewhat at random to avoid an automobile driven by Louis Gonyea. As he turned he struck the breasts of the horse driven by Kjorsvik and bowled over, sustaining bruises about the face and having three teeth jarred loose. He is a young lad of about 15 years. He is again at his work in Hotel Crookston today. The police have investigated the matter and, tho not yet making a statement will hardly hold any one responsible for the boy's injuries as it was a pure accident.

CHICAGO SUPPORTS BASEBALL TEAM

THOMAS JOHNSTONE SAYS A FEW ABOUT REAL LIVE MEN

Thomas Johnstone on his return from Chicago has a few sentiments to voice after visiting the opening game of the season at the American League park on the south side when the White Sox trimmed the Detroit Tigers. There was never a happier sight to him, he says, than the sympathy between the city and the ball club. With the widespread sentiment in support of the two league teams in Chicago as well as its hundreds of minor teams Chicago must win her ball games and does. Tom says it does live men good to go away once and see what support will do for a ball team.

SOLD FARM FOR $60 PER ACRE

Robert Purvis arrived this morning with W. H. Rounseville and other parties from St. Peter who are looking for more Valley land. Mr. Purvis today closed a deal for the sale of the Hans Larson farm northeast of the city for $60 per acre.

Forty Policemen Poisoned.

Chester, Pa., April 22.—About forty members of the state police who are here as the result of disturbances arising out of the strike of the employes of the traction company, are slightly ill and their ailment has been diagnosed as ptomaine poisoning, believed to have been caused by eating canned food. Yesterday cars were running under the protection of the police, and there was no disturbance.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

PRAIRIE FIRES CAUSE LOSSES

DESTRUCTION OF FARM BUILDINGS NEAR OJATA AND OTHER POINTS

LOSS NEAR OJATA IS $2,000 AS RESULT OF BLAZE—OTHER FIRES

From Monday's Daily—

A prairie fire north and east of Ojata west of Grand Forks burned over a wide area yesterday and caused the destruction of farm buildings owned by the George Wright Real Estate company, of St. Paul. The loss is $2,000 with no insurance. A tenant had moved out of the buildings only a few days ago. There was no fire breaks. The buildings burned included a barn, residence and granary. It is supposed the fire started from spontaneous combustion in an old straw pile.

A prairie fire four miles north of Grand Forks threatened the destruction of a timothy meadow on the Jerry Norman farm but it was saved.

Dickey County Fire

Further details of the destructive prairie fire which swept over Dickey county N. D., show that the farmers suffered heavily. Buildings were burned on the Norton and Perry ranches and farms of Ed. Baker W. B. Walker and Hans Christopherson. C. P. Ward lost 150 tons of hay. The Dakota Central Telephone company was put out of business when about a dozen poles were burned. North of Crete a fire started on the farm of J. H. McGinnisc and Abel Firts lost his barn and some stock.

Binford in Danger

Binford Griggs county, had to fight fire to save the town from destruction The whole city turned out.

At Denhoff John S. Schmidt and William Bodewin lost a lot of hay. Buildings on the farm of H. Gray were destroyed and live stock lost. A barn was burned on the H. A. Chandler farm. Minnie Fosness daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fosness was badly burned when her clothing caught fire. She will recover.

MARTIN BUYS OUT DAD RASMUSSEN

OLD RELIABLE PALACE BLOCK BARBER SHOP CHANGED HANDS TODAY

Will Martin who for years has been connected with the shop, has bought out Dad Rasmussen's proprietorship of the Palace Block Barber Shop and took charge this morning. He will maintain the four chairs already operated and probably make other additions to equipment. Mr. Rasmussen will retire from business for the time being and has not any further definite plans.

Mr. Martin is one of the old timers in Crookston, and has "fixed" as many faces as any tonsorial artist in the city. He is a thoroly competent barber, and patrons of the Palace shop are certain of courteous treatment and good service. The many friends of "Billy" Martin will wish him all kinds of success in his new venture

LOCAL RAILWAY MEN IN CANADA

JOE NELSON RETURNS FROM A JUNKET THRU NORTHWEST CANADA

Joseph Nelson, well known conductor on the Great Northern, slated for a crack job on the Canadian Northern has been spending the past two weeks on a trip thru northwestern Canada, particularly in the neighborhood of Saskatoon. Joe saw Al Miller, formerly of Crookston running out of Saskatoon, also Chas. Lyons, formerly brakeman here, who is now general yardmaster at Saskatoon. Bob Corrigan is engineer on the Grand Trunk Pacific out of Saskatoon, and Johnny Pratt, once host at the St. James Hotel in Crookston and a former Great Northern man is running a passenger out of Winnipeg as conductor.

WM. ROSS DIED AT EVERETTE

Wm. Ross a pioneer resident of Crookston, and cashier of the Merchants National Bank in the early days died in a hospital at Everette Washington, April 15 following an operation. He was about 60 years of age and leaves a wife and several children.

LOSES $3,000 IN SECURITIES

S. SWENNUMSON OF PARK RIVER ALSO LOST $300 IN WATCHES

LEAVES GRIP IN GRAND FORKS GREAT NORTHERN DEPOT RETURNS TO FIND GONE

From Wednesday's Daily—

S. Swennumson of Park River lost about $3000 worth of securities and $300 worth of watches and jewelry yesterday in Grand Forks while on his way to Jamestown to attend the funeral of his wife, who died in the state hospital there. Swennumson, who is about 60 years old, left his grip and overcoat in the Great Northern depot yesterday morning and went down town. When he returned his overcoat was there but the grip was gone In it were securities and watches.

Two men were in the depot at the time Swennumson left the grip there. They left for Winnipeg on the morning train and an effort is being made to locate them.

Old Man is Hopeful

Swennumson secured money from a friend in Grand Forks and left on the evening train for Jamestown. He is hopeful that he will recover the notes and other securities. They are of great value to him, altho worthless to whoever stole them. He does not care so much about the jewelry. Fortunately he placed securities valued at $2,000 in a local bank a few days ago.

POTATOES FOR A PROFIT CROP

SOME OF THE REASONS WHY PRICES HAVE BEEN LOW

The potato market in this city has been unsatisfactory for a number of years. The price paid has been considerably below that paid in the potato districts of the state.

This is chiefly due to the quality of the potatoes offered for sale. There is a lack of uniformity in color, shape size and eating qualities. A carload lot of such mixed potatoes brings the lowest price on the market. The highest price paid for potatoes is paid for well known varieties for seed purposes.

The remedy for the present market conditions then must lie in the selection of some well known variety of potatoes adapted to this locality, which brings a good price on the market; and an agreement among the farmers to raise that one variety in quantity sucient to ship in carload lots.—McIntosh Times.

PECULIAR CASE IN OTTER TAIL COUNTY

An interesting hearing occurred in the probate court here Tuesday on a claim presented by Jane C. Mallon against the estate of Jacob Lambrick of Perham. Mr. Lambrick made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Mallon for four or five years before his death, and it was generally understood that he would them his property. Instead of this he bequeathed it to his nephew Arthur Lambrick who resides in Wisconsin. Mrs. Mallon thereupon put in a claim against the estate for $750 for board and care of the deceased and the nephew contested this claim. Judge Frankberg after considering the evidence allowed Mrs. Mallon $637 deducting $83 for time during which Mr. Lambrick was elsewhere. The nephew who wants the whole estate thinks some of appealing from the allowance of the bill. The estate is said to amount to about $1,300 or $1,400—Fergus Falls Journal.

FIRST TRIP TO OLD COUNTRY IN 30 YEARS

H. Harrison returned from Norway Sunday evening where he has spent the winter. It was thirty years since Mr. Harrison had visited his old home in Norway. He found that great changes had taken place during that time and many of his friends and relatives had passed away and he was almost a total stranger. People in the part of the country that Mr. Harrison visited are contented, happy and prosperous, but there as in other foreign countries, opportunities are limited. Dairying and lumbering are the principal industries. They had a great deal of snow this winter but the weather was not cold. Mr. Harrison enjoyed his trip immensely. Rough weather was encountered on the return voyage and it took fourteen days to cross the Atlantic. By rail he came over the Canadian Pacific which gave him an opportunity to see a part of the Great Canadian Northwest.—Hallock News.

GETS $6 615 FOR HUSBANDS DEATH

MRS. KEELEY WINS OUT IN HER ACTION IN COURT AGAINST TWO ROADS

HER DECEASED HUSBAND GREW TO MANHOOD AT EUCLID

From Monday's Daily—

Mrs. Anna Keeley of Duluth was given a verdict of $6,615 in her suit against the Great Northern and Terminal roads by a jury in the circuit court at Eau Claire Saturday. The case was taken up before Judge O'Neil on last Monday. The suit had its origin with the death of the plaintiff's husband, Michael Keeley, railroad switchman, who was killed in the Terminal company's yards last May and his remains were brought to Crookston for interment.

At the time of his death Keeley was in the employ of the Great Northern road. He was standing between two cars of his train when a Terminal switch engine with a string of cars ran into the Great Northern train crushing him to death. Mrs. Keeley subsequently retained Attorney W. P. Crawford of Superior and suit for $10-000 damages was instituted jointly against the Great Northern and Terminal. The suit was brought in the superior court some months ago.

The defense had the action transferred to the circuit court, and after several delays the trial was begun last Monday. Plaintiff alleged that her husband's death was caused by the negligence of a flagman in not protecting the train. The flagman who was a witness for the plaintiff, admitted that he did not put out a flag to warn approaching trains. At the conclusion of the plaintiff's side of the case Attorney J. A. Murphy of Duluth acting for the defendant, moved for dismissal on the grounds that the evidence did not show that there had been any negligence on the part of the company contributing to the accident. The motion was overruled and then the attorney moved that the court direct the plaintiff to elect which theory she would take to prove the negligence alleged.

The attorney contended that the testimony went to show that one company was negligent while the evidence of another witness for the plaintiff showed that the other company was negligent.

Attorney Crawford said that Michael Keeley was killed by being squeezed between two cars, but that he had to rely on the witnesses to prove whether the Terminal company or the Great Northern or both were responsible for the accident. The court overruled Attorney Murphy's motion.

MAYOR J.D. MCPHEE FILES FOR SHERIFF

This morning Mayor J. D. McPhee filed as a candidate for Sheriff of Polk Co., on the Republican ticket. Mr. McPhee makes the third candidate for the republican nomination, N. A. Bray of Crookston and Co. Commissioner Rindal having filed previously, with Hans Samuelson as a candidate for the nomination on the Democratic ticket.

Mr. McPhee is one of the pioneers of Polk county with a wide acquaintance and his candidacy will be a material factor in the race and adds interest to the contest for the sheriff's plum in Polk County.

DRAINAGE BILL IS PASSED

U. S. SENATE PASSES BILL AFTER STRIKING OUT TWO SECTIONS

BERNARD COMING WEST TO CONFER WITH THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES

From Wednesday's Daily—

As finally passed by the senate yesterday the general drainage bill confers direct advantages on states like Minnesota, where there are public lands yet to be disposed of, the proceeds of which will go into a general drainage fund.

The southern senators had their way about striking out sections 5 and 6, which provided for loans to forward drainage projects to be secured by local bonds.

Captain A. G. Bernard of the National Drainage association, who has for two years been looking after this legislation, said at Washington today that he expected soon to leave for the West for the purpose of taking up the drainage question with local authorities.

"We expected that the first projects would be started in the South," said Captain Bernard "but it seems that the southern senators did not desire to acept the provisions of the bill, which their own delegates insisted on the last national drainage congress."

BERTHA DONSTAD DIED SUDDENLY

DEATH WAS DUE TO EUREMIA—PATIENT LOST CONSCIOUSNESS AT ONCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of her father C. A. red the sudden death of Mrs. Bertha Donstad formerly Miss Bertha Sunder Sunderland, 362 Spendley St., occurland. The woman was a widow of a railway man killed 3 years ago. Her death was sudden and unexpected and was caused by euremia.

The remains were taken in change immediately by Coroner Chesterman and is now in the morgue of Chesterman's undertaking establishment.

The woman had been employed in Phillips Steam Laundry here and worked last Friday. She was never employed on Saturdays. and Monday afternoon a sister, who is also employed at the laundry was summoned home by the illness of Mrs. Donstad Dr. Randolph was summoned and reached the bedside of the sick woman shortly after 3 o'clock. She was unconscious then and never regained consciousness.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, Rev. C. C. Markham officiating.

Paving of Steel

There is a section of the streets of Paris where steel paving blocks are being laid as an experiment. It is claimed than an advantage will a uniform surface of greater wearing resistence. New inventions are being perfected every day but it is a question if anything will ever be manufactured that will equal golden grain belt beer in food value and tonic properties, or supplant it in favor as a home beverage. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

Would You Throw Away $1,000?

The man who could save and bank $5.00 per month and doesn't do it is throwing away $60 per year—the gross earning power of $1.000 at 6 per cent interest.

Safe investments which annually pay 6 per cent net are not so plentiful as they used to be,

Why not start an account with us and conserve this "$1,000 earning?" You can open an account with a $5.00 deposit, or even less. Come in and let us talk over the matter.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

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E. A. RICE OF FERGUS FALLS COMES IN FROM THE EAST LINE

CLINTON HOWARD NEW YORK TO SPEAK HERE JUNE 3RD OR 4TH

From Tuesday's Daily—

Manager E. A. Rice of the Prohibitionist party for the Ninth District passed thru this city this morning on his way from points on the Duluth line to Grand Forks. He has been organizing Beltrami, Clearwater, Red Lake, Marshall, Kittson, Roseau and Polk counties after visits to many of the towns of the respective counties and will hold a big general meeting in Crookston June 3rd or 4th next in which Clinton Howard, well known orator of New York City will be the speaker of the day.

Manager Rice states that every one of the counties of the north part of the district will have conventions and be active in politics this coming election. Mr. Rice hails from Fergus Falls and has been in Nebraska and Kansas on a campaign tour for a few months.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

Blinded by Snow Storm, Man Stepped in Front of Switch Engine.

St. Paul, April 29.—Thomas Nixon, a hostler employed at the Northern Pacific roundhouse, was struck by a switch engine in the Mississippi street yards and instantly killed. Nixon was on his way to work in the roundhouse, where his duty is to take care of engines. The snow storm, which was at its height then, and the gusty wind, blowing it ten different directions in as many seconds, blinded Nixon so he did not see the approaching switch engine. The engineer of the switch engine for the same reason could not see Nixon, and when he stepped on the tracks in front of the engine he was run down. His body was horribly mangled and death was instantaneous.

Is Fatally Shot.

Chicago, April 29.—Charles Pendelick, member of a firm of chemists, was shot through the abdomen and probably fatally wounded last night by John Dowling, an inventor. The affair was the outcome of a business controversy. Dowling was placed under arrest.

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Historical Society

STATE GAME A FISH COMMISSION THANK PER FOR THE WOR DONE

CO-OPERATION S THANKFULLY ACKNOWLEDGED BY EXECUTIVE AGENT

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The present state game and fish commission is doing some most effective work. This is generally known In their efforts the commission is being seconded by the leading papers of the state in every way possible. That the commission appreciates what the press is doing is shown in the following letter received by the Journal which needs no further explanation:

Board of Game and Fish Commissioners, St. Paul, Minn., April 25th 1908—Editor Crookston Daily Journal, Crookston, Minn. Gentlemen: Thru the courtesy of our game warden Wm. F. Munch of your city, we have been supplied from time to time with clippings from your excellent publication relating to Mr. Munch's work in that section and his efforts and those of the Commission to build up a healthy sentiment favorable to game protection and the enforcement of game laws. The friendly attitude maintained by your paper toward Mr. Munch and his work has been of great assistance to him and is greatly appreciated by myself and the entire Commission.

We realize thoroly that a healthy public sentiment is all that is needed to make violations of the game law so unpopular that comparatively few will have the hardihood to go in the face of it, and there is nothing that can promote the sentiment so much as articles and news items such as you have made use of in your paper.

The Commission desires to deal as generously as possible with your locality and all others that show a like interest in assisting in the propagation and distribution of food and game fishes and game birds.

Yours very truly,

—Carlos Avery,
Ex. Agt.

DELEGATES ELECTED BY R. R. VALLEY PRESBYTERY

Rev. James Wray, of Western, and C. E. Dodds of Wheaton were elected delegates to the general assembly at the Red River Valley Presbytery meetin gheld in Western last week. The general assembly meets in Kansas City, Mo., May 21. Rev. James Godward of Elbow Lake acted as moderator at the Presbytery meeting.

STEPHEN BANK ROBBED OF $8,000 THIS A. M.

ONE ROBBER WOUNDED BY WM. MERDINK IN A REVOLVER FUSILADE AS THIEVES LEFT BANK THE SEXTETTE OF THIEVES MADE THEIR ESCAPE. THREE STOLE HORSE AND BUGGY. OFFICERS IN PURSUIT-

From Wednesday's Daily—

This morning Stephen was terrified by a gang of six desperate robbers who at 2:30 dynamited the vault and then the safe of the Scandia State Bank and carried off $8000 in cash, after a revolver duel with Wm. Merdink, merchant, who resides upstairs in block adjoining bank. He was aroused by first explosion and grabbing his revolver crawled to cement roof, and lying behind a parapet opened fire on the robbers as they left the bank with loot. The robbers returned his fire and a few minutes there was a perfect fusillade which aroused the entire town, but none of those near at hand had guns to assist Merdink.

Merdink escaped injury but at least one of the robbers was badly wounded and blood was spattered on the sidewalks from the bank to the stables of Al Dickerman, Mgr. of lumber yard, where the wounded robber and two others stole a buggy and horse and drove out of town, heading north.

The other three robbers headed for Strandquist, east on the Soo. In a few minutes the people organized posses and gave chase in all directions and all surrounding towns were notified by phone and wire and it is expected to land part of the gang before night.

Only description is that two were tall and other four medium Residents in neighborhood were panic stricken during shooting and several women were hysterical.

No suspects were seen about Stephen last night. H. L. Melgaard was president, O. L. Melgaard, V. P., and Thomas Olson, Cashier of the looted bank. Capital stock $10,000, deposits $83,000.

The work was undoubtedly that of professionals, and the gang is supposed to be same that operated extensively thru this section last fall. The front door of the bank was forced with crowbars, and valuable papers scattered all over the floor, but none were stolen. More cash was carried than usual owing to heavy land deals just consumated. Both vault and safe were completely wrecked.

Robbers very cool and walked away after Merdink ran out of ammunition.

It is believed that the entire gang is headed for Canadian boundary.

A NEW RULING ON THE LUMBER RATES

From Wednesday's Daily—

The ruling of the interstate commerce commission on the lumber rate case, arising out of an effort of the transcontinental lines to raise the rate on fir from 40 cents to 50 cents a hundred from Seattle to St. Paul, and a proportionate rate to other points, is daily expected by traffic men and lumber dealers. The case was argued before the interstate commerce commission last month and it is expected that the decision of the commission will be forthcoming within a few days.

Lumber interests on the coast have been fighting the proposed increase in rates from the start and succeeded last fall in securing an injunction from Federal Judge C. S. Hanford restraining the rates from being put in effect. As a protection to the railroads, however, lumbermen were compelled to furnish bonds to cover the difference between the present and proposed rates.

Last week $200,000 additional bonds were furnished by the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' association and the Shingle Mills Bureau as surety to cover future shipments which may be made before the interstate commerce commission announces its ruling. The additional security was furnished on an order of the court which at the same time con junction indefinitely. The original bond of $250,000, put up by the lumbermen last fall had become exhausted by the shipments from the coast to the east. Altogether the lumber organization has furnished bonds to cover the difference between the old rate and the new to the amount of $450,000.

The first surety presented was a blanket bond, put up by the allied lumber interests. The recent surety offered, however, was made on the group plan. By this scheme the lumbering interests in certain districts furnished certified checks sufficient to cover the excess of probable shipments for some time and the aggregate security of these districts was furnished the court.

Many of the smaller lumbering firms dropped out of the association on account of the recent additional security necessitated by the court's order. This action may have come from the lesser concerns being unable to furnish the required amount on account of business sluggishness.

NINE KILLED IN COLLISION

INTERURBAN CARS COLIDE NEAR YPSILANTI WITH FATAL RESULT

THIRTY MEN AND WOMEN INJURED—CARS WERE RUNNING 45 MILES AN HOUR

From Wednesday's Daily—

Detroit, Mich., April 29—Two large interurban trolley cars on the Detroit Jackson and Chicago railway, a part of the Detroit United Railways sys- running from Detroit to Jackson, collided head on this afternoon while runing about 45 miles on hour, 25 miles west of here, near Ypsilanti. Nine men were killed and about 30 men and women injured, some of them seriously. All of the severely wounded were taken to the University hospital at Ann Arbor. A mistake in orders on the part of Motorman Isa Fay of the limited car, who was crushed to death beneath his vestibule, is alleged to have caused the collision. It is charged that he overran his orders. His home was at Jackson, Mich. The dead are:

MOTORMAN ISA FAY, Jackson.
JOHN PAGET, Detroit.
CHARLES CARMEN, Detroit.
GEORGE HOWARD, Detroit.
JACK McMULLEN, tailor, Syracuse N. Y.
GARBORINO GRONNI, Detroit.
THREE UNIDENTIFIED MEN.

Four of the injured are in a critical condition in the hospital here. They are Mrs. L. H. Chamberlain, Detroit; W. S. Stever, Detroit; Roy Williams, Ann Arbor; an Italian workman.

Among the less seriously injured are: Edward DeWitt, Grand Forks, N. D., and C. W. Reeve, Vanwort, O.

Three Drown In Lake.

Muskego, Mich., April 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stone and Boyd Ward were drowned in Muskegon lake last night when their boat was overturned by the high waves. Miss Ethel Stewart clung to the boat and drifted a mile to the shore.

Charged With Forgery.

Cumberland, Wis., April 29. — Michael Ross., Jr., aged nineteen, was arrested here Saturday, charged with forging checks on local business men. The sheriff of Independence, Iowa, arrived with a warrant for Ross' arrest.

Thunder and Hail.

Philadelphia, April 29. — Severe thunder and hail storms that wrought considerable damage were reported last night from points in Eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware.

$4,000 PLOT INVOLVED

TORKEL DANIELSON AND WIFE GET VALUABLE BYGLAND TRACT

OLD HISTORY OF 1885 BROUGHT BEFORE COURT IN CASE

From Monday's Daily—

Torkel Danielson and wife (formerly Torkel Ose) has been insured in his own right in land which he has farmed for 22 years after a decision before Judge Watts last Saturday. Action was brought against Danielson on a bond for deed executed in 1885 by Danielson's mother. The tract involved occupies 80 acres, W 1-2 SW 1-4 of section 4 in Bygland town near Fisher station, is highly improved and worth $4000. Edward Munson and others brought the action. Judge Watts decided in favor of the defendants.

TALK OF NEW STATE

Head of Lakes Is Scene of Renewed Agitation.

Superior, Wis., April 29. — The "State of Superior" has been talked about for years, and there is a prospect now for new agitation. It is hardly expected that anything will result from the movement as yet, but the fact that in Duluth there has been some little talk of the proposition and that there is a feeling here that Superior has a hard time getting what it wants from the State of Wisconsin, may result in some movement being started.

The plan always has been to form a new state of the northern parts of Minnesota and Wisconsin and the upper peninsula of Michigan, with the capital at the Head of the Lakes.

FLEET COVERS 42,500 MILES.

Estimates Made by Naval Officials for Entire Trip.

Washington, April 29. — A total of approximately 42,500 miles will have been covered by the Atlantic battleship fleet when it arrives at Hampton Roads Feb. 22 next, according to the estimates made by the naval officials. The distance to be covered, according to an itinerary made public yesterday for the voyage of the fleet from San Francisco to the Philippines, thence to China and Japan and back to Manila, is 16,218 miles.

FLORAL FESTIVAL FOR THE FLEET

SUBMARINE INQUIRY NEAR END.

Practically All the Oral Testimony Has Been Heard.

Washington, April 29.—The end of the inquiry by a special committee of the house into the legislative methods of the Electric Boat company is in sight. Practically all the oral evidence has been heard and the committee yesterday listened to arguments as to the scope of its authority in enforcing its demand for the production of books and papers by the Electric Boat company, the Torpedo Boat company and Representative George L. Lilley, the author of the resolution under which the investigation is being conducted.

JAPAN GRABS SOME MORE.

China Protests at Extension of Administration Into Chientau.

Peking, April 29.—China has lodged a formal protest against the extension by Japan to include the Chientau territory, the district between Korea and China, the sovereignty of which is in dispute. China declares that Japan has accomplished this in a surreptitious manner, and says that this extension of control strengthens the position of Marquis Ito, resident general of Korea, who is represented in Chientau by three officials of the residency.

Charge Labor Law Violation.

Philadelphia, April 29.—Charles Allen and Robert Cuff were locked up in the immigration detention house here by the United States immigration authorities, pending an investigation of charges that they were brought here from England in violation of the contract labor law.

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Santa Barbara's Welcome to the Battleships Is Gorgeous Floral Display.

Santa Barbara, Cal., April 29. — A day of vivid colors flashing in the brilliant rays of an undimmed sun, a day redolent of the perfumes of spring blossoms and of petal-strewn pathways, a day of gayly arrayed holiday throngs, a day of flower-decked coaches and floats passing in review, a day of white uniformed marching sailors, with gun barrels hidden in roses, a day of flying bouquets hurled in floral warfare at the passing pageant, a day of soft southern breezes, of blue skies and flowers everywhere the eye could reach—such are the memories of Santa Barbara's floral festival of yesterday in honor of the Atlantic battleship fleet. Last night the ocean front was gay with lights, with dancing sailors gathered in an outdoor ball room, with the radiance of the fleet illuminated with lively music. A brilliant indoor ball for the officers was also a feature of the gala event.

The afternoon and evening of gayety ashore were preceded by a morning of hard work on most of the sixteen battleships at anchor in the ocean roadsted. Preparations are being made for Admiral Thomas, who is soon to transfer his flag from the Connecticut back to the Minnesota in anticipation of the return of Admiral Evans to the command of the fleet for its entry through the Golden Gate of San Francisco.

It was officially announced during the day that Admiral Evans will wait until the afternoon of May 5, when, just before the ships leave Santa Cruz, he will board his old flagship, the Connecticut.

SHIP DOUKHOBORS WEST.

Fort William Authorities Send Seventy-seven Back to Saskatchewan.

Fort William, Ont., April 29.—Nineteen Doukhobors, who had been ill in jail here for the past few weeks, and fifty-eight others living in town, have been shipped quietly back to Yorkton, Saskatchewan, in a special car. Last fall they walked a thousand miles to this city. They went back quietly.

AN OTTER TAIL CO. PIONEER DIED SATURDAY LAST

Mrs. Knut Bye, one of Otter Tail county's pioneer residents, died at her home on Lincoln avenue west at 2:30 o'clock Saturday morning from cancer from which she has suffered for a long time past. Mrs. Bye was born in Hedemarken, Norway, in 1846 being 62 years of age at the time of her death. She came to America in 1860 settling first in Filmore county where she made her home for ten years. Mr. and Mrs. Bye then came to Otter Tail county, settling in the town of Carlisle in 1870 and residing there until four years ago when they moved to this city and purchased a handsome home on Lincoln Avenue. She is survived by her husband and four children. The children are Caroline, who is married and resides in Blackduck Carl Henry who is practicing law in Minneapolis, Amelia and Adolph who reside at home.—Fergus Falls Journal.

TRAILED FROM AUSTRIA.

Anarchist Charged With Plotting to Kill Emperor Francis Joseph.

Trinidad, Colo., April 29. — Steve Toth, said to be an anarchist and suspected of complicity in a plot to assassinate Emperor Francis Joseph, was arrested at Cokedale, a coal camp near here yesterday and was taken to Denver to await extradition papers. He had been followed from Austria by an agent of the Austrian government, who caused his arrest.

DAKOTA DEBATERS WIN.

Wesleyan University Carries Off Honors in Contest at Hamline.

St. Paul, April 29.—Dakota Wesleyan university defeated Hamline university in debate last evening in the Hamline M. E. church.

The subject was: "Resolved, That the cities of the United States should substitute for the present system an elective commission, charged with all the powers of municipal government." The winning team supported the affirmative.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in cold weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

The excuse of every man who does not mind his own business is that he is trying to do good.

WOMAN HACKED TO DEATH WITH AN AX

Mutilated Body of Woman Found in Trunk—Neighbor and Wife Arrested on Suspicion.

New York, April 29.—The body of Mrs. Sarah Brennan, wife of Patrick Brennan, a paper manufacturer, frightfully hacked with an ax and her skull crushed in, was found tightly packed in a large trunk at her home at Brownville yesterday.

Near the trunk a bloody ax was found. Pending further inquiry into the case the police have taken into custody James Farmer and his wife, who are neighbors of the Brennans. The Brennan home, which was in the wife's name, was, according to the county records, transferred on Oct. 1 last to Farmer for the consideration of $2,100. Brennan claimed that he was not a party to the transfer and further said that his wife had denied to him that she had executed such a deed. On Thursday last Mrs. Brennan disappeared, and the same day the Farmers sought possession of the Brennan home. When Brennan objected he was directed to the county clerk's office. On Saturday he examined the records and found that a deed had been executed as Farmer stated.

Meantime Mr. Brennan had instituted an unsuccessful search for his wife. Every bit of the country about the village was gone over and hope of finding Mrs. Brennan had been almost abandoned when a further search at her home was suggested. This resulted in the breaking open of the trunk in which the body was found.

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EMBARGO ON CATTLE REMOVED.

Federal Inspector Gives Notive to Sioux City Exchange.

Sioux City, Iowa, April 29. — The Sioux City live stock exchange was officially notified yesterday by Dr. G. A. Johnson, inspector of the United States bureau of animal industry, that the government embargo on cattle from Eastern Nebraska has been removed. The restriction was caused by many cattle being afflicted with "scabies."

Vaccination Proves Fatal.

Pine River, Minn., April 29.—Miss Rena Degnan, primary teacher at the Pine River school and the only daughter of Marin Degnan of Staples, died of lockjaw, the effects of vaccination, after an illness of three days.

Frost Causes Million Loss.

Denver, Colo., April 29.—The damage by frost the past two nights to the orchards in the Arkansas and Grand valleys and other fruit-growing regions of Colorado, is estimated at $1,000,000.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

BABY BOY HAD ITCHING HUMOR

Which Broke Out in Different Places —Nothing Would Help Him—Mother Almost in Despair—Skin Quickly Healed Without a Scar and Trouble Has Never Returned

SINCE USING CUTICURA MOTHER GIVES IT PRAISE

"Several months ago, my little boy, now two and a half years old, began to break out with itching sores. I began to doctor him, and as soon as I got them healed up in one place they would break out in another. I was almost in despair. I could not get anything that would help him. One evening I read a testimonial from a lady who had cured her little boy with Cuticura. I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and after using them three times, the sores commenced to heal. He is now well, and not a scar is left on his body. They have never returned nor left him with bad blood, as one would think. Cuticura Remedies are the best I have ever tried, and they are surely great. I shall always have them in the house, handy, and shall highly recommend them to any one who is suffering likewise. I cannot give them too much praise. Mrs. William Geeding, 102 Washington St., Attica, Ind., July 22, 1907."

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From little patches of eczema, tetter, milk crust, psoriasis, etc., on the skin, scalp, or hands of infants, children, or adults are instantly relieved and speedily cured, in the majority of cases, by warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, assisted, when necessary, by mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent. Cuticura Remedies are guaranteed absolutely pure.

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PURDY IS NAMED

Selected as Successor to Judge Lochren on the United States District Bench.

Washington, April 25. — Milton D. Purdy was yesterday appointed by President Roosevelt to fill the place vacated by the resignation of Judge William Lochren on the federal district bench of Minnesota. The appointment was sent to the senate at noon by the president and is now in the hands of that body for confirmation.

Since Mr. Purdy's appointment to the position of assistant to the attorney general in July, 1905, on the resignation of Judge William A. Day, he has had special charge in the department of justice of all cases relating to the enforcement of the Sherman anti-trust act and the interstate commerce laws. He has argued before he United States supreme court on many important cases for the government, among his most recent victories being the two cases of the Great Northern Railway company and the Armour Packing company against the United States, in which the government was successful. Through Mr. Purdy's work important principles of law applicable to the interstate commerce act were established.

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Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

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VETERANS HAVE MONEY COMING

DAVE SANDERS RECEIVES NOTICE FROM SPANISH WAR VETERANS HDQRS.

CALIFORNIA VOLUNTEERS HAVE MONEY COMING FROM THAT STATE

Dave Sanders this morning received a circular from the headquarters of the United Spanish War Veterans in Boston which will be of special interest to those who enlisted in California which owing to the length cannot be published. The balance of the circular reads as follows:

"Commander-in-Chief Walter S. Hale, U. S. W. V., has just received from the Adjutant General, State of California, Gen. J. B. Lauck, a letter, stating that there is a sum of money due to some 480 ex-volunteers, who enlisted in the State of California and who cannot now be found by him, and that these Headquarters issue a circular for the purpose of locating as many of them as possible.

"Camps and departments are requested to urge the comrades who enlisted in California, to send in their claims to the Adjutant General's Office State of California, Sacramento, Cal., or, in the event of a comrade's decease, his heirs or nearest relatives should make the claim. Some of those to whom money is due did not actually serve, but were rejected by the surgeon or the mustering officer.

"Comrades are also notified that it is unnecessary to hire anyone to put in these claims, as they can be collected without cost except perhaps a nominal fee, for a notary, of which they will be advised by the Adjutant General, Department of California, on the claim being made

"These headquarters take this opportunity to thank Adjutant General Lauck for the interest manifested in the organization, and for the opportunity given them of assisting comrades in obtaining their pay.

By order of
—Walter S. Hale,
Commander-in-Cheif.
Official,
—John J. Dwyer,
Adjutant General."

CUT OFF FINGER WITH AN AX

SMALL SON OF NELS SYLVESTERSON NEAR MARIN LOSES A FINGER

A small son of Nels Sylvesterson a farmer living near Marin station was brought into the city last evening for treatment by Dr. Smith, his finger having been cut off below the first joint by an ax. The little fellow and his sister were playing with the ax. It is not known which is to blame for the accident. The finger was hanging by flesh and the physician was compelled to take it off completely.

HAND CAUGHT IN CREAM SEPARATOR

Robert Davis, ten year old son of Mrs Samuel Davis Crookston had both hands cut and torn in a cream separator at the Ross farm in Andover town last night. He has been on the farm as chore boy for the past week. He was at once brought to Dr. Randolph and hands were dressed. He will not lose them. The mother has lived at residence of Mrs. J. Strader, her mother, 815 N. Main since death of husband October 21st last. Boy suffered all last night.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the gest blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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BRIDAL COUPLE WAS ANGERED

CARL PETERSON OBJECTED TO A CHARIVARI AT THE VENDOME HOTEL

BOARDERS PERSISTED AND BRIDE AND GROOM MARCHED TO SCANDIA

From Thursday's Daily—

There were doings at the Vendome Hotel last night. The music was started as a charivari, but later on sounded more like a funeral dirge.

On Tuesday evening Carl Peterson, manager of the dry goods department at the New Store was united in marriage to Miss Laura Gangstad of Fosston. Last evening they took up their abode in the Vendome Hotel.

About midnight the guests at the Vendome decided to charivari the bridal couple and formally welcome them as members of the Vendome family. Drums, cornets, 'cellos, bass horns, violins and a few other instruments were brought into requisition and for 45 minutes all sorts of high class arias were played lead by Frank Kops with Geo. Manning drum major and spokesman.

Mr. Peterson waxed mad. In fact he was very, very wroth. He told his tormentors to go to various and divers places. The program consisted o fabout 15 pieces at intervals of 5 minutes.

Mr. Peterson was advised that if he would show his face he would not be asked to make any further contributions. He replied that the whole caboodle could go jump in the lake. Mr. Manning then asked him to simply stick his nose out of the door that his friends might know all was well at which Mr. Peterson addressed him with a biblical name.

Finally at 12:45 this morning, Mr. Peterson and bride donned their bridal togs and left their room. The charivari party opened ranks and let them pass down stairs and then started up a funeral dirge while the bride and groom sought refuge in the Scandia Hotel where their slumbers were not disturbed.

It was funny—awful funny—for the merry makers.

"Whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad" solemnly quoted ringmaster Manning. "Amen and Amen" said Mr. Kops, followed by the others, and in 5 minutes quiet reigned in the Vendome.

LITTLE CHILD DIES SUDDENLY

LITTLE DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. CHAS. THOMAS DIED AT NOON

Rushing into the city at top speed from Grand Forks North Dakota, 25 miles away, trying to get to the bedside of [illegible] daughter, Chas. Thomas [illegible] town barber, arrived just a few minutes after she died.

The little girl is ten years of age and was taken ill this morning at her home on North Main with spinal meningitis. Mr. Thomas was notified at Grand Forks this morning and he was rushed instantly to this city. The child died at noon.

The youngest baby in the family is also suffering with an attack of spinal meningitis and is considered seriously ill.

GOT THE NETS BUT THE OWNERS SKIPPED

Game Warden Munch was here the latter part of last week and took occasion to visit the two dams at this place and several of the lakes and small streams hereabouts to determine whether the fish laws were being violated or not. At Kittleson's creek north of town he secured over 200 feet of netting but the owners took to the tall timber and escaped arrest. At Kittleson lake he secured several nets but again the owners of the same disappeared as by magic. The game warden says he will come again and then look out for there's blood in his eye. —Fertile Journal.

Wreck at Akeley

On Tuesday there was a collision on the Great Northern at Akeley that nearly resulted in the death of all hands on the engines. Engineer McKnight was running an engie forward on same track that Engineer Godson was backing one with the result that McKnight's engine was badly demolished and he was hurt quite badly. Godson's engine was carrying 500 pounds of dynamite, so it is reported, on the pilot of the engine and it is next to miraculous that an explosion did not take place with disastrous results.

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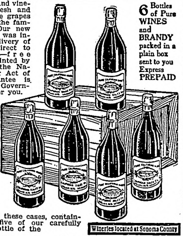

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TOWN SURROUNDED BY FIRE.

Inhabitants Fighting Fiercely to Head Off the Flames.

Mosinee, Wis., April 24.—Mosinee last night was entirely surrounded by brush fires, which the inhabitants are fiercely fighting from within and which hundreds of men from Nausau who answered the call of Mayor Lamont are battling without.

The district hereabouts is praying for rain, as there is no telling to what extent the damage will mount if the elements do not interfere.

Fires are raging in many localities in Marathon county, but so far only one farm house has been reported here as destroyed.

WILL OPPOSE THAW.

Jerome Will Fight to Last Ditch to Prevent His Gaining Freedom.

New York, April 25.—Acting Superintendent Baker of the Matteawan insane asylum called upon District Attorney Jerome yesterday and obtained certain papers to be used in the hearing at Poughkeepsie on May 9 to show cause why Harry K. Thaw should not be freed from the asylum.

Mr. Jerome said he would fight to the last ditch any and every attempt to free the slayer of Stanford White.

BADLY BITTEN BY HOUNDS.

Dogs Attack Man and Tear Clothing in Fragments.

Iowa City, Iowa, April 25. — Two fierce hounds set upon Ernest Haemmerle of Iowa City at Solon and injured him badly. One lacerated his left leg and the other tore at his shoulder. Aided by passersby, the young man beat off the dogs, but was badly injured, his clothes being torn to fragments.

IN FIGHT FOR FARM SCHOOL.

Three Towns Are Rivals in Entertaining Investigating Committee.

La Crosse, Wis., April 24.—Onalaska, West Salem and Bangor, three villages of this county, are conducting a spectacular fight for the location of the new $35,000 county agricultural school to be built by the county. The investigating committee of supervisors is being feted and banqueted daily in the various villages, each trying to outshine the other in displaying its attractions. The county board will select a site on April 29. Each town offers the required ten acres free and a selection of sites.

GETS $398,000 VERDICT.

Thurlow Weed Barnes Recovers Big Fee.

New York, April 25. — Thurlow Weed Barnes, who sued the American Development company and the members of the Chinese railway syndicate to recover $900,000 which he said was due to him for obtaining certain concessions for the syndicate from the Chinese government through Wu Ting Fang, its minister at Washington, has obtained a judgment for $398,481.19 against the company.

FARNUM'S WIFE SUES.

Howard Gould Accusation Is Inspiration for Action for Divorce.

New York, April 25. — Dustin Farnum, the young actor who was mentioned by Howard Gould in his answer to the suit brought by his wife, Katherine Clemmons Gould, for separation, is being sued by his wife, Agnes Johnston Farnum, for absolute divorce.

PUBLIC-OWNED ELEVATORS.

Premiers of Canadian Provinces to Confer on Such a Plan.

Regina, Saskatchewan, April 25. — A conference will be held May 4 between Premiers Roblin of Manitoba, Rutherford of Alberta and Scott of Saskatchewan and the executive committee of the Western Grain Growers' association to consider the matter of the western provinces purchasing the interior elevators and operating them under government management.

JUDGE OVERTURNS VERDICT.

Decision of Jury in Favor of Fireman Is Thrown Out.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., April 25. — The verdict of the jury giving F. W. Lehman $2,500 damages against the Omaha railway was yesterday thrown out by Judge Vinje on the motion of the attorney for the railway on the grounds that the jury had answered in the affirmative the question whether Lehman had been negligent. The case has been on trial here for three days and has attracted much attention.

Injured In Ball Game.

Annapolis, Md., April 24. — R. H. Aronson, a member of the Harvard baseball team, is at the naval hospital with a fractured skull, sustained during the game played with the midshipment yesterday afternoon.

Lightning Kills Two.

Paris, April 24.—James and Thomas Trimm, aged fifteen and twenty-two, respectively, were killed by lightning at their home at Annona yesterday. They were standing at the window when the bolt struck.

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LINE OF PROPOSED ROAD TO MAPLE LAKE

Departing by Robert Street from the business district, Crookston, cross Jeromes addition bridge, continuing down Robert St. to Washington Avenue south on Washington to section line road between Fairfax and Crookston townships, due east 8 1-2 miles to northeast corner section 4 in Kertsonville township, due south 3 miles to abandoned Great Northern grade*, thence east by south 4 1-2 miles until within 1 1-2 miles of Tilden Junction where drop to north line of section 19 in Tilden and proceed east 5 miles thru Tilden Junction station to the east town line of Tilden town and west line of Grove Park*, thence due south 1 mile to school house, turning east and continuing for 3 miles, thence turning south for 1 1-2 miles and coming out at Buhn's Hotel on the point, Maple Lake.

*Before taking Great Northern abandoned grade in Kertsonville town tourist may drop south 1 mile to section line road between sections 22 and 27 in Kertsonville and proceed east into Tilden station. Three miles of roadway in here will be graded by town.

*Another detour from town line between Tilden and Grove Park to be had by continuing due east 1 mile, thence north 1-2 mile, thence east by north 1 mile, east by south 1 mile, south 1-4 mile, due east 1-2 mile into Mentor postoffice thence 2 1-2 miles to Maple Lake.

PENNED AND PILFERED

A well-known writer of humorous advertisements told a number of Duluth jewelers at a recent jewelers, at a recent jewelers' banquet, a good way to get off for a vacation without being missed from business.

"During the last Easter holidays" he said, "I met a jeweler at a seaside hotel.

"Why, I thought you were such a busy man! I said. How do you manage your affairfs here at the shore?"

"Oh, said he, I am just keeping my advertisement out of the papers until my return and so, you see, there are no affairs to manage."

At the cemetery the minister was moved by the grief of the husband whose wife was to be buried and sought to commiserate him in the following manner. "My brother, I know this is a great grief that has overtaken you, and altho you are compelled to mourn the loss of this one, who has been your companion and partner in life, I would console you with the assurance that there is another who sympathizes with you and seeks to share your grief, who will take you and embrace you in the arms of unfailing love." To this the bereaved man replied by asking as he gazed thru tears into the minister's face: "What's her name?"

Some wag has issued a postal card with this bit of advice on it: "If whisky interferes with your business, give up your business. No use trying to do two things at once." Unhappily too many men take this advice without waiting for any postal card to suggest it to them.

The modern "Gideon's Band" numbers some queer members, but they are not up to the original as described by the Sunday school superintendent who said that Gideon chose those who watched with one eye and drank with the other.

There's nothing like taking a bright look at things. An Irishman who, when both legs were smashed, was told it might have been worse, replied, "yes s'pose I'd been a ballet dancer!" And when a Michigan boy had his eye shot out by a Flobert rifle, he proudly remarked "Gee! I'll be the only kid in town with a glass eye."

LAWYER DESTROYS EVIDENCE.

Causes Sensation in Justice Court in Wilkin County.

Breckenridge, Minn., April 24.—Otto Zuehisdorf of Foxhome, this county, is the defendant in a blind pig prosecution that has developed sensational interest because of the destruction of a piece of evidence by his attorney in the justice court. A detective offered in evidence a pint bottle of whisky which he said he bought at Zuehisdorf's place. The defendant's attorney threw the bottle out of the window, completely destroying it. He was fined $10 for contempt of court.

CELEBRATES ITS JUBILEE.

Anniversary of State Sunday School Association.

St. Paul, April 24.—The fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the Minnesota State Sunday School association was celebrated yesterday afternoon in the Central Presbyterian church. It was the second day of the three-day convention of the association and the attendance surpassed all hopes of the officers. Over 1,000 delegates have registered, nearly half of them being from outside the Twin Cities.

VANDERBILTS TO AGREE.

Reconciliation Deemed Probable Because of Mother's Intervention.

New York, April 24.—A reconciliation between A. G. Vanderbilt and his wife, formerly Elsie French, whose divorce suit against the multi-millionaire is now pending, was declared probable yesterday, as the result of a new intervention by Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Does Your Heart Beat

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NIELSVILLE

The special school meeting which was called for Monday night for the purpose of considering the extension of the term from eight to nine months was surprisingly well attended. No larger school meeting has ever been held in the history of the district.

Mr. Christ Halsa was chosen as moderator and Jas. Larson being the Clerk of the present school board acted as clerk.

The names of the voters were registered and that the vote be by ballot. Thirtythree were against extension and only 7 for. A number more were present.

The Relief Agent of the G. N. spent Friday here checking up Mr. Riersgaard before his departure as station agent. Mr. S A. Knox formerly of Beltrami has taken his place.

Mr. Iver Johnson shipped his threshing engine east to the woods where he is to use same in a sawmill.

Mr. Christ Halsa delegate to the republican state convention returned Friday morning a day sooner than he expected owing the short deliberations in deciding upon their standard bearer.

Mr. Rosholt of Climax attended the state convention as delegate. He was accompanied by his wife and did not return till Saturday morning.

The moving picture show given at Climax Friday evening was well attended and was a success. Jennie Fylling assisted in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Steenerson of Climax spent Saturday at Crookston on business returning in the evening.

A sham district court case will be held at Nielsville hall Saturday evening. A farmer is accused af grand larceny in the second degree for supposed stealng of 23 special high bred chickens the value of which will no doubt be sufficient to constitute the above crime. Jas. Larson and Paul Hagen are the attorneys for prosecution and Odin Bjornstad and Carlton Holstad the attorneys for the defecndant. The importance of the case forbids mention of the criminal at this writing.

Hughes Calls Extra Session.

Albany, April 25.—The legislature of 1908 closed its regular session yesterday afternoon. The echoes of its closing hours had hardly died away before Gov. Hughes caused to be filed a proclamation summoning an extraordinary session to begin on Monday, May 11, at 8:30 p. m.

FOREST FIRE SWEEPING WHOLE EAST COUNTRY

A WOMAN NARROWLY ESCAPED BEING BURNED NEAR MALLARD---SAWMILL DESTROYED NEAR SOLWAY---BIG FIRE AT PUPOSKY WAS CHECKED BY HARD WORK. COUNTRY EAST OF FOSSTON AND NORTH AND SOUTH OF BAGLEY IS AFFECTED.

From Thursday's Daily—

Forest fires appear to have got almost beyond control in the north country east of Fosston and north and south of Bagley and Bemidji and much damage has been done, and in many instances residents on farms in the timber districts have been forced to fight desperately to save their property and in several instances some have narrowly escaped wit their lives.

For many miles north of Bemidji the air is filled with dense smoke which has grown blacker but word received in the city during the past few hours is to the effect that there is no danger of fire spreading cityward. Considerable timber country has been burned over, and much damage has been done to standing timber and other property

Telegrams and phone messages from other places indicate a general dryness and combustable matter will easily ignite with disastrous results.

Rain is much needed and unless relief comes from that direction much great damage will result from fires.—Bemidji Pioneer.

In the vicinity of Bagley a large amount of cordwood has been burned The Moen farm buildings north of Bagley were saved by the town people turning out and covering the building with wet blankets.

At Nebish 20,000 feet of cedar and the Oringer building were destroyed and minor damage done.

Reports from White Earth are to the effect that fires are raging in all directions.

At Redby Contractor Ellison had lumber for a new store burned, and the Towe barn was burned in the village with several out buildings. South of Mallard yesterday the buildings on the Charles McCarthy farm were burned and Mrs. McCarthy, who was asleep upstairs in the house barely escaped with her life.

The village of Puposky came near eing wiped out by forest fires but the residents turned out and saved the place by back firing. South of Solway, the sawmill belonging to Ole Selvog was totally destroyed by fire, together with 400,000 feet of logs ready for sawing at the mill.

FIREBUG FINALLY WINS.

Fourth Attempt to Burn Blind Man's Barn Razes Building.

La Crosse, Wis., April 23.—After repeated attempts to burn the barn of Herbert Coolidge, a blind resident of the North side, incendiaries last night started a blaze which razed the building.

In the last six months there have been four attempts to burn the Coolidge barn, the result, Coolidge claimed, of a grudge of a neighbor.

Bluejackets Enjoy Themselves.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 23. — Los Angeles continued yesterday its long program of entertainment for the sailors and officers of the American battleship fleet. Thirty-five hundred bluejackets were in the landing parties which came ashore and they pitched right into the fun provided for them with the enthusiasm of boys out of school.

Fires Sweep Woodland.

Collegeville, Minn., April 23.—Forest fires have been active between here and Avon during the last two days. Several valuable tracts of wood land have been devastated, besides a number of barns.

WINTER WHEAT DOES WELL IN NORMAN COUNTY

Harry Gill was a caller at the Herald office today. Mr. Gill reports that he has fifteen acres of winter rye that looks as fine as any winter grain grown in this section. Mr. Gill has great faith in winter grain for this section.—Norman Co. Herald.

British Royalty in Denmark.

Copenhagen, April 23. — King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here yesterday from London on a visit to the Danish royal family. They were welcomed by King Frederick and Queen Louise, the diplomatic corps and civil and military dignitaries. The streets through which their majesties drove to the palace were gayly decorated and crowded with people.

SIMPLE WASH CURES ECZEMA

Itching, Burning Skin Disease Routed Without Use of Injurious Drugs

Great inventors often have been praised for surrendering the secrets of their discoveries. Practically the same thing happened in the medical world in the case of Dr. Decatur D. Dennis, the eminent skin specialist of Chicago.

Dr. Dennis in his own office practice, discovered that pure vegetable oil of wintergreen, properly mixed with other simple remedies was practically a sure specific for Eczema, psoriasis, barber's itch, sald rheum, and other itching skin diseases. But the oil of wintergreen alone was found ineffective. It required other mild ingredients such as glycerine and thymol compounded with the wintergreen to produce the real eczema cure

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If you want to know more about the merits of D. D. D. Prescription, call at our store. We vouch for this remedy.—S. A. Wallace.

HEAVY LOSS FROM FIRES.

Fierce Forest Blaze Near Akeley Consumes 100,000 Feet of Logs.

Akeley, Minn., April 23.—A fierce forest fire has been raging in this vicinity for the last twenty-four hours. In White Oak township the farmhouse of S. W. Hurlbut, together with all farm buildings, machinery, several head of stock, forty tons of hay and 200 cords of wood, was destroyed. Several small sawmills and 100,000 feet of logs were burned in the Red River Lumber company's camp, north of Akeley. Several hundred men are now fighting the flames.

HOUSE AND SAVINGS BURN.

Overturned Lamp Causes Destruction of Residence Near Waseca.

Waseca, Minn., April 25.—The overturning of a lamp in the farmhouse of Andrew Erno, residing near this city, caused the destruction of the house and all the household goods. Among the things burned was a trunk containing several hundred dollars in bills, which represented his savings for years.

GOES THROUGH BRIDGE.

Enginemen Die in Wreck on North-Western in Iowa.

Clinton, Iowa, April 25. — A bad wreck occurred on the Chicago & North-Western road near De Witt, a freight train going through a bridge near Silver Creek. Engineer Baxter and his fireman were killed. A brakeman pinned beneath the wreckage may be saved.

British Troops Prepare for Raid.

Simla, April 25.—A mixed force of British and Indian troops is at present being rapidly mobilized near Peshawur for another punitive expedition against the fanatical tribes who recently have been raiding and looting villages on the Peshawur border.

Count Charged With Forgery.

Boulogne, April 25. — The police here have arrested the Count and Countess Marchetti. The count describing himself as a former aid-de-camp to the late king Humbert of Italy. They are charged with issuing forged bank notes at Marseilles.

Start American Church in Italy.

Florence, April 25.—The foundation stone of the Church of St. James, an American Episcopal church to be erected here, under the rectorship of Herbert Venable, was laid by Lloyd C. Griscom, the American ambassador to Italy.

Guilty of Wife Murder.

Ottawa, Kan., April 25. — Frank Schneck, on trial for the murder of his wife, who, with her two children, were killed in her home at Centropolis, Feb. 7, 1907, was found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Kills Wife and Self.

Iron Mountain, Mich., April 25.—Andrew Johnson shot his wife and then committed suicide yesterday. Jealousy is said to be the cause of the double tragedy. Three children survive.

Democrats Are Successful.

New Orleans, April 23. — Returns from yesterday's state elections indicate that the Democratic cticket, headed by J. Y. Sanders for governor, had been elected throughout.

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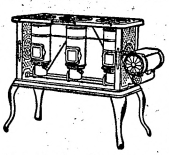

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When warm days and the kitchen fire make cooking a burden—then is the time to try a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove.

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HEAVY LOSS SUSTAINED

PECULIAR ACCIDENT FLOODS AND STEAMS THE NEW YORK STORE

RADIATOR REMOVED AND PIPE NOT PLUGGED—$5000 LOSS

From Friday's Daily—

This morning a steam pipe from which a radiator had been removed last evening on the first floor of the New York Store, the workmen neglecting to plug the pipe, resulted in flooding the floor with water, and filling the store with steam so dense that that much damage was done, estimated at from $5000 to $6000.

The workmen who removed the radiator did not suppose there would be any further need of steam this spring, and very carelessly left the pipe open. Last night the rain made it rather chilly, and this morning at 5 o'clock the janitor in the Fournet block put on a fire and of course the water and steam gushed up into the New York store thru the two inch pipe.

When employes opened the store this morning the floor was found swimming, and the water was running thru the hole in the floor thru which the steam pipe came in streams to the basement where the goods on the tables under the hole were badly water soaked.

The goods on the tables on the first floor and the goods in the show cases were also badly damaged by the dense steam which filled the building for two or three hours, and the goods hanging on racks and used as decorations were also limp with moisture.

It is not thought that the goods on the shelves are damaged as they were covered by the dust protectors excepting the silks which were uncovered. However it will take time to determine whether they have been materially damaged or not. Most of the rugs and lace curtains in the balcony were also badly damaged.

The accident is one of the most peculiar in the history of the city and it is possible that the damage may prove to be more than is estimated at the present time.

It took a large force of men several hours this morning to sweep the water from the floor and get in shape to do business. It is a case where the floor got a scrubbing that was not on the program and some of the goods will need no further "steam shrinking." There was considerable damage to the fixtures also.

The loss is not covered by insurance, as fire-insurance does not apply to damage by water unless the water is used to extinguish a fire.

Riot at Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., April 23.—After a week of quiet, with the state troops present to preserve order, Pensacola was again thrown into a turmoil yesterday afternoon when a mob of twenty-five men attacked a street car in the suburbs of the city and probably, fatally wounded the conductor.

Convicted of Bribery.

St. Louis, April 23.—Ferd Warner, member of the house of delegates of St. Louis, was last night convicted of bribery by a jury and sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary, the minimum sentence.

MYSTERY IS CLEARED UP

BODY OF JOHN SWENSON HAS BEEN FOUND NEAR LONG LAKE

FOREST FIRES BURNED UNDERBRUSH DISCLOSING THE REMAINS

From Thursday's Daily—

The remains of a man, badly decomposed, were found on the Asleson farm near Bagley yesterday. From the description sent of the body and place where found, it is thought that they are the remains of John Swenson, who mysteriously disappeared a year ago last winter, and for whom a continuous search has been made ever since by his relatives and neighbors.

The forest fire cleared up the under brush and tall grass where the body was found.

Coroner Wagner verifies the belief that the dead body found at that place wasc that of John Swenson the missing homesteader.

In one of Swenson's pockets was found a Norwegian coin which Swenson always carried, and also $11 in money. Part of his hand was amputated, which made his identification complete.

The fact that there was still money in the dead man's pocket is proof that he wandered away from his homestead and died from eposure.

Swenson has proved up on his claim and was living on the place in his shanty. He mysteriously disappeared, and hope had been given up of ever again seeing his body.

Pass "Wildcat" Bills.

Bagley, Minn., April 23.—Three men who are supposed to have come to Bagley from Cass Lake or Grand Rapids got rid of "bad money" here and succeeded in passing at least three counterfeit $10 bills.

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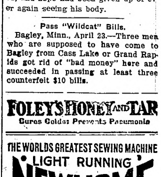

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Knowledge in Farming

The advantages of a knowledge of the right principles and their proper application in the business of farming have been so plainly demonstrated that no young man has the slightest sort of excuse for going into farming because he can do nothing else, without knowledge and preparation for the work, expecting to make a success of it, says the Sleepy Eye Dispatch.

Farm and Fireside, a well known agricultural paper, recently discussed the subject in an interesting way, remarking that "it's as plain as a red barn on a side hill that the business of farming has reached a sharp turn in the road, that the ranks of the soil tillers are rapidly being separated into two camps: The Do-It-As-Dad-Did-Its and the New Knowledge Group. are in the minority; the old-line farmers can outvote them on any proposition and not know that there has been a contest.

"But just the same, the agricultural colleges are turning out every year an increasing number of young men who can tell the veteran farmer a whole lot about his own game. Best of all, the New Knowledge youth can give a reason for the faith that is in him; he can tell the why of what happens in the corn field, the wheat field the pasture, the meadow, the barnyard and the dairy house. And the best part of it is that he is farming with an open mind instead of closed eyes and the tools that Dad used. No young man can today take even the "short course" in an agricultural college and not come out with the knowledge that the best and biggest thing taught him there is that the world is still moving on and that he must keep on reading and studying and listening and thinking or else he will fall so far behind the procession of progress that he can't hear the band play or the bystanders cheer.

"Only the other day President Roosevelt said: 'I want to see our education directed more and more toward training boys and girls back to the farm and the shop, so that they will be first-rate farmers, first-rate mechanics, fit to work with the head and to work with the hands, and realizing that work with the hands is just as honorable as work with the head.'

"Even the Wall Street crowd can afford to cheer this sentiment; it's the right stuff!

"This declaration by the President may be a whole lot more significant than surface indications would show. There is a bill somewhere in Congress appropriating about eight million dollars of United States money for the introduction of agricultural training into the country schools and industrial training in our city schools. Of course this is only a starter, but every live farmer will boost that bill with all the "infloonce" he can exert. It means more to the future of better farming than he can possibly realize at the present moment."

Bitter Prospect in Finland

Free Finland lying close to the very heart of reactionary Russia, is an anomaly which the czar evidently means to overturn. Stormy, even bloody times, are pending for the Finnish people, if they firmly insist on retaining their ancient liberties so recently restored to them. The first step in the reactionary program was the appointment of a man of blood and iron to take the place of the moderate governor general. The new ruler appointed a senate or executive council which has already proved weakly docile. Its course has been such as clearly to indicate that Finnish liberties are not safe in its keeping. The diet, which is controlled by socialists thru combinations with smaller fractions, recently passed a vote of lack of confidence in the senate. In parliamentary governments this would call for the resignation of the ministers. But at this juncture, the czar intervenes and dissolves the diet for daring to call into question the acts of the senate.

The parallel between the czar's policy toward Finland, and that toward the Russian duma is already striking. Fresh elections have been ordered under the liberal suffrage laws, and the new diet is likely to be quite as contumacious as that just dissolved. It is already prophesied that the new diet will be dissolved the moment it opposes the Russian program and that later elections will be held under new laws restricting the suffrage, so that in the end a submissive parliament will be obtained. Then the work of Russification will go steadily on—unless the Finlanders show new power of resistance and new resourcefulness in circumventing the czar's purpose.

It is a bitter prospect for one of the most enlightened and progressive peoples of central Europe.—Minneapolis Journal.

Break Neck of Butter Trust

From information received it appears that the Standard Oil company succeeded in breaking the neck of the butter famine in England by seeking to change the conditions of the trade and substituting chemically made butter for the dairy product. The company was able to do this owing to the fact that the retail butter sellers were unable to sell dairy made butter at a profit at famine prices Taking advantage of this situation butter made from oil products, selling at 24 cents a pound retail was placed in the hands of grocers in large quantities for next to nothing, on condition that they induce their customers to purchase it instead of dairy butter, one extra half pound to be given free to each purchaser in order to create a market. The sellers of chemically made butter imagine that this product has profited by the famine and secured a permanent place in the produce market. The reason given for this change in the English taste for butter is that now people have been induced to try chemical butter the prejudice against it has been overcome among a class, who before the famine would not give it a trial.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

The only man who can keep a promise is the man who never has to make one.

—o+o—

A man thinks he's a good husband when he doesn't blame his wife because his shoes hurt him.

—o+o—

It takes an awful lot of brains to need to care whether people think you have them or not.

—o+o—

When a man likes to live on a farm it's a sign he thinks he can get votes that way for office.

—o+o—

You can generally tell how little coin there is in a man's pocket by how loud he tries to make it jingle.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the cold is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays inflammation. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

Even a single taste of defeat is hard to swallow.

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If a skeleton had three feet would it be a bone yard?

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Even the spring chicken doesn't know the date of its fall.

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It is easy to be happy; all you have to do is to be foolish.

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Happiness and marriage, Cordelia, are not always synonymous.

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There is a lot of extravagant language in some brands of free speech.

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Many an able seaman has found it rough sailing on the sea of matrimony.

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If it wasn't for Sunday school picnics, ants and bugs wouldn't have much fun.

STATE PRESS

What Will They Say

What will the present members of congress tell the people this fall when they come home and are asked why they did not even make a bluff at earning their increased salary. They must remember the people will not forget that President Roosevelt warned them —LeSueur News.

Just "1 to 10"

Kelliher up in Beltrami county is the "wettest" town in the state—and the nation perhaps—there being 8 saloons in the village. At the recent village election there were eighty votes cast, which gives one saloon to every ten voters.—Norman County Herald.

The Editor Groaned

A Virginia editor tried to say that a congressman stood for a certain set of "political theories," and it was printed in the paper "political thieves." The editor is breathing hard every time he passes a linotype machine.—Minneapolis Journal.

The Difference

Mary McFadden one of the brilliant writers on the Duluth News Tribune, during her experiences in newspaper work has made observations which lead her to the conclusion that "The difference between a great many good people and most bad people is that the former didn't happen to connect with the temptations that got the latter."—Sleepy Eye Dispatch.

Left in the Shuffle

The old political war horses of the republican party to not appear to be so prominent in the political arena as in former years. Tom Lowry, Tom Shevlin and all the old gang have been left out in the last shiffle.—Cass Lake Times.

Might be Worse

Of course we are extremely tired of Boni, Sagan, Madame Gould and Evelyn Thaw, but we ought to be grateful that they have not taken to the lecture platform.—Moorhead Citizen.

GENERAL EDUCATION

By Albert Lagerstedt Principal of Schools at Erskine, Minnesota.

It can well be said that in its broadest sense life is a school in which all can consider themselves as learners. We never graduate from this school. Even the wisest confess that they are mere beginners and that beyond them lies the boundless fields of achievements and research. However in the sense we usually speak of education it is applicable to the formal discipline and instruction secured by the youth in educational institutions.

Complete education involves the symmetrical development of all of man's powers. It is in other words a preparative for complete living. The more truly we are educated all things being equal the better, happier and more useful lives we should live provided it is on a sufficiently broad basis Today as never before, there is a growing demand for keen intellectual men. The times require it. The intellectual requirements today are higher than ever before. I believe that along with the keen intellectualism so characteristic some provisions are made for at least a partial training of the physical, moral and aesthetic nature of man. It may not always be as much or as definite as may be desired but its importance should be duly considered physical work is necessary for the preservation of health and strength. We must also realize that we have moral obligations and that we are to cherish a heartfelt interest in the welfare of others as well as our own. Then also we should possess a due appreciation of what is true and noble wherever we find it. These things need to be considered if our education is to be everything that it should be.

Society has become a very complex thing and its needs have become widely differentiated. It needs men and women who possess not only broad culture but also skill in their chosen work. Therefore I believe that education should be both general and specific.

Education needs to be general in order that we may appreciate in some measure at least what others are doing and thinking. It needs to be specific in order that we may do that work in the best way possible for which we are best fitted. Much of the education in schools in general rather than specific. There is a growing sentiment in favor of making studies as concrete and practicable as possible owing to the needs of the times and to at least partially eliminate those subjects from the school curriculum for which there seems to be no special need. The social science which includes history, sociology, political economy and political science have a direct bearing on present day social conditions and problems. They are necessary for a completely rounding out of ones education There is a growing tendency to specialize along these lines and this I consider a step towards progress.

There is a need to study the social and economic conditions of society and to work for the ameliorization of adverse social conditions wherever found much useful work can be done along this line.

I believe that the middle west is destined to become the center of our country's educational activities. Here will be located the largest universities Remarkable progress has been made the past decade. I deem that our children are entitled to better educational facilities today than ever before and that they deserve the best that state institutions are able to provide. It is their royal prerogative. This sentiment should be fostered by all educators that the scholars under their care should equip themselves cost completely for useful work by finishing not only their high school studies but to complete the academic and professional courses as offered in our universities.

NINETY DAYS IN THE COUNTY JAIL

KEEPERS OF DISORDERLY PLACE OVER JARVIS' SALOON IN E. G. FORKS COME TO GRIEF

The police force made a raid Monday night on the place over Joe. Jarvis, saloon at East Grand Forks and arrested the proprietor, Mrs. H. T. Castenson and her husband three girls and a well known young man. Their cases came up for trial in the municipal court there yesterday afternoon, City Attorney Collins conducting the prosecution. Mr. and Mrs. Castenson were each given 90 day sentences in the county jail and the four inmates of the place were each fined $25. The authorities of the city are determined to close up every disreputable place on the avenue and a second offense will mean long jail sentences. In this case it is understood the mother of the young man found in the place will provide the money for his fine, but next time it will be a trip to the county jail.

Deputy Sheriffs Orin Daniels and Alex Gonyea brought the four prisoners over last night, aside from Mr. and Mrs. Castenson the party included Florence O. Connors and Gunda Knutson

FIRST BASE BALL ACCIDENT OF YEAR

SPOONER MAN GETS A MOUTHFUL OF BASEBALL BATS

Wednesday evening while a number of prospective baseball players were practicing near the mill office, Ed Dorsky in striking at the ball accidentally slipped his hold and threw the bat striking Emil Hedberg, a distance of 25 feet away, therewith full in the mouth. The force of the contact was so great that the unfortunate victim dropped as if dead and it took some moments ere he was sufficently recovered to assist him to Dr. Oppliger's office. Upon examination of the injury it was ascertained that two upper teeth were knocked out and another broke, which will necessitate its extraction, besides a number of other teeth were much loosened. The upper lip was badly cut and bruised, and depended in shreds from his face. It required a careful operation and the taking of 12 stitches to bring the lip again into proper place. The injury is an extremely painful one and may take a number of weeks ere sufficiently healed to enable the patient to resume his occupation at the bank, and even then it may leave a nunpleasant scar thereafter.—Northern News.

TWETEN IS INSANE

ONCE CROOKSTON POLICEMAN COMMITTED TO FERGUS FALLS

KILLED HOBO IN GREAT NORTHERN DEPOT FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From Monday's Daily—

From the village of Shotley on the southeastern shores of the Upper Red Lake in central Beltrami county, fifty miles north of Bemidji, Ben Anderson and Axel Asp, lumbermen once employed in this city at the Crookston Lumber Company's Mill, brought to Kelliher and finally to Bemidji, Halvor Tveten, a former Crookston policeman, who shot and killed a tramp in the Great Northern station at Crookston in the winter of '93 tnd '94. Tveten is insane.

Halvor Tveten shot and killed Andrew Thompson at 1:30 a. m. December 9th 1893. Thompson was a transient laborer, having worked here, in Traill county, N. D., and at Brainerd. He had been arrested on the night of Dec. 8th for raising a disturbance in the saloon of M. J. Halla, was put in jail, broke jail and Tveten found him in the G. N. Depot with six others. Thompson assaulted Tveten when the night policeman tried to arrest him, Tveten shot him in the forehead. Tveten was acquitted, William Carleton of Angus being foreman of jury.

At the murder trial which followed here fifteen years ago, well remembered here he was found innocent on the grounds of self defense. He had at that time been a policeman here for two years and was walking about the Great Northern station shortly after midnight. He shot a hobo with whom he had been having some trouble. The hobo died before he could speak. No one witnessed the deed. Tveten claimed the hobo resisted arrest and attacked him and he was forced to shoot in self defense.

Immediately after he was cleared on the first jury trial he left the city and took a claim in the woods north of Shotly, living in that neighborhood ever since.

His fits of insanity have been gradually coming upon him with shorter and shorter lucid intervals until his recent examination at the probate court in Bemidji which sent him to Fergus Falls, passing thru Crookston Saturday evening.

Tveten believes all his friends have deserted him. On the road to Crookston from Bemidji he thought a crowd was gathering about to hang him. This incident occurred at Dugdale station. The deputies accompanying him held him from violent action.

Present Congressman Steenerson defended him at his trial for murder 15 years ago. He has been unable to pay Steenerson for his services and thinks that thereby he has gained antagonism of friends. He became insane in Shotly on religious subjects.

He told the probate judge in Bemidji that the devil told him to go out and cut off his hands and "God appeared" and struggled with the devil before him. He says God changed the command later to one finger, and seizing an ax Tveten chopped off one finger on his left hand. He was then arrested.

Deputy Sheriffs Andrew Johnson and Arne Solberg had him in charge.

Has Slept Eighty-one Days.

Los Angeles, April 29.—No change in the condition of Mrs. Beulah Hawkins is reported at the county hospital, where she yesterday entered upon the eighty-first day of her strange, trance-like sleep. Physicians at the hospital say she may not regain consciousness for a year or more.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

FRICTION IS PAST

DEPUTY MARSHAL RIDER OF LITTLE FALLS TELLS OF BORDER

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AT EMERSON FRIENDLY — WRIGHT INCIDENT

From Wednesday's Daily—

The friction between the United States and Canadian government officials at the international boundary line at Emerson has almost entirely disappeared according to the statement of Deputy United States Marshal H. A. Rider who passed thru this city bound southward for the first time since the arrest at the point of a gun of Herbert Wright, Dominion customs house officer at the line, for smuggling Margaret Price, an alien, an Icelander, thru the border to Orleans on the Soo.

In fact it was just that circumstance that has cleared the atmosphere. Rider says the statements that he kidnapped the Canadian is not true. Upon arrival at Emerson with warrant he had secured the description of Wright of the men at the U. S. station and proceeded on the Great Northern southbound local on which Wright was examining baggage to Emerson. He then dismounted and walked up the track meeting Wright coming down 300 yards on the United States side. He announced Wright's arrest and Wright refused to come and continued so to do for four times even after Rider took him by the collar. Then Rider drew a gun from his pocket and without pointing it at Wright that gentleman accompanied him. Wright was arrested on complaint of Assistant District Attorney Dickey of St. Paul. The trial comes off in St. Paul May 5th.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and the merit alone will stand the test of time Crookston people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills they do still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne, of 322 Spendley St., Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying backache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents fo rthe United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Should Liven Up

And now that Minnesota republicans have had their say about president-making the gubernatorial fight should liven up a bit.—Sauk Rapids Sentinel Free Press.

Would You Throw Away $1,000?

The man who could save and bank $5.00 per month and doesn't do it is throwing away $60 per year—the gross earning power of $1.000 at 6 per cent interest.

Safe investments which annually pay 6 per cent net are not so plentiful as they used to be,

Why not start an account with us and conserve this "$1,000 earning?" You can open an account with a $5.00 deposit, or even less. Come in and let us talk over the matter.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST
BANK IN NORTHWESTERN
MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

April 27 In History.

1759—Mary Wollstonecraft born; died 1794.

1882—Ralph Waldo Emerson, transcendentalist, died; born 1803.

1902—Hon, J. Sterling Morton, ex-secretary of agriculture and the "father of Arbor day." died; born 1832.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:48, rises 4:58; day's length fourteen hours; moon rises 4:15 a. m.; 7:42 p. m., conjunction between Saturn and the moon, the latter passing the planet from west to east 3 degrees and 12 minutes south thereof.

DITCH CONTRACTS—Castle Bros., left the city this morning for Ada with several teams to commence ditch contracts they have there.

CHESS EXPERT—Dr. G. P. Kirk of East Grand Forks arrived in the city yesterday morning and gave the chess artists of the city a few games with a live one.

DOING WELL—Albert Harris, the Bemidji soiled linen artist has returned to his business after spending a day in the city with relatives. He is doing well in the laundry business.

VISITING MANAGER BANG—Manager Bracelin of the N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., of this city after spending several days at points on the north line encouraging the extension of rural telephone lines was at Bemidji Saturday to spend a day with Manager Chas. Bang of that place.

ELECTRIC ADDER—The Merchants National Bank has received an addition to its business equiment of an electric adder, the motive power of which, instead of being furnished by hand, is furnished by electric power. The keyboard may be worked much as a typewriter, with many minor accessories for the facilitation of its business not applied on other machines such as repeaters, correction checks and other matters.

It was just like Attorney General Young handing them a bunch of money this morning when the candidates for county offices who have filed appeared at the auditor's office and got back $10 out of the $20 they had handed in for a filing fee.

The attorney general's ruling last week provided that $10 was the legal filing fee instead of the $20 given in the statutes. $10 looks small to the candidates (especially the sheriff multitude), but every little bit helps.

The Cudahy Packing Company was headed off in the district court this morning in a case where they tried to avoid the service of a summons to appear claiming they were not the parties mentioned in the summons and complaint brought against and served on them in a suit by Attorneys Rowe and Longley of this city for A. L. Stokes for the conversion of butchering tools.

Judge Watts decided they were the parties summoned and they will have to appear to answer the charges in the district court. Attorney Lovinger of St. Paul appeared for the packing company.

A Chemical Mystery

Some years since a meteor that fell in Mexico attracted attention from scientists all over the world because there was some reason for thinking that it might be a fragment of a lost comet. A scientific investigation proves that golden grain belt beer is rich in nutrition and nerve food, and a pure wholesome drink that aids digestion. Have it on the family table and enjoy its benefits. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

General Denial Entered

The Great Northern railroad has filed answers in office of the clerk of the United States circuit court, entering a general denial to the allegations in the complaints, charging the road with violating a provision of the federal statutes, in keeping stock on board cars for a longer period than twenty-eight hours, while in transit.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

April 28 In History.

1710—Thomas Betterton, famous actor, died.

1758—James Monroe, fifth president, born; died 1831.

1905—General Fitzhugh Lee, noted Confederate veteran, former United States consul at Havana, died; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:49, rises 4:57; moon rises 4:44 a. m.

MRS. BJOIN VERY ILL—Mrs. Alfred M. Bjoin who is confined at Bethesda hospital with typhoid fever is reported very low.

FROM SAINTLY CITY—Boyd Monroe returned today from a flying business trip to St. Paul. He went down Sunday evening.

VISITED FOSSTON—C. W. Final, heavy and shelf hardware, and Chas. Holt, stomach brace salesman, were calling on the Fosston business men yesterday.

RENTS CHRISTIANSON FARM—Mr. Richard Mulcahey has rented the SE 1-4 section 19 in Fairfax. This is the old Christianson farm.

AFTER MORE SETTELRS— Fred Golily who recently brought up a bunch of landseekers from Iowa and sold to several of them, returned to Zearing, Ia., last evening and will return in a few days with another bunch

MISSIONARY HERE—At the Hauges Lutheran church Wednesday evening 8 o'clock, Missionary E O. Boen of China, will preach in the Norwegian language. Come out and hear him.

SIMPLETON STRANDED — Axel Hogdahl of Rochester, Illinois has been an inmate at the police station here for some time, being stranded in this city He is a simpleton and has probably wandered away from home and don't know what to do.

RAIN WAS OPPORTUNE—A more opportune rain never fell in this section. The wheat seeding is done and the rain will not interfere with coarse grain seeding as it is still early. It also puts a quietus on the prairie fires.—Fergus Falls Journal.

FINAL PROOF— Final proof was made today on land in Clay county by Mons K. Ohnstad He has been deputy postmaster at Sharon, N. D., for some time and was allowed additional government privileges in final proof on that account.

HERE FROM BRAINERD—Among the K. C.'s who were here over Sunday was Will Cleary one of the old time Crookston boys who is now in the wholesale grocery business at Brainerd and doing well. He was kept busy all day shaking hands with old time friends and then did not have time to get half way around.

AN OLD TIMER HERE—Among the old time travelling men in the city over Sunday was Finley F. Bolton who was on the road in this territory for Marshall-Wells of Duluth for years. He has been assigned a good berth in the house now, and was here visiting Bob Ashley and Sam Hunt, who mak this territory for the same company now.

ATTENDING ROYAL ARCANUM—Martin Mossefin is at St. Paul today attending the state meeting of the Royal Arcanum. He will prolong his stay there on business and pleasure and return via the Soo to Thief River Falls the latter part of the week to accompany Mrs. Mossefin home. She went to Thief River Falls yesterday to spend the week with her parents during the absence of Mr. Mossefin.

WRESTLING AT ARVILLA — The wrestling match at Arvilla between E. T. Doran of this place and J. M. Churchill, of Crookston, for a side bet of $50.00 resulted in the latter being pinned to the mat after three one-half minutes of fast work. Churchill disputed the referee holding that when the fall was allowed his shoulders were not on the mat It is likely they will meet again in the near future.—Grand Forks Herald

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

April 29 In History.

1676—Michel Adriaanszoon de Ruyter, famous Dutch admiral, died; born 1607.

1859—Dionysius Lardner, English astronomer, died; born 1793.

1904—Richard S. Greenough, noted American sculptor, died; born 1819.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:50, rises 4:55; moon rises 5:13 a. m.; new moon at 10:25 a. m., eastern time; 3:06 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury, passing from west to east of the planet 3½ degrees south thereof.

ASSESSOR FOR TEN YEARS—John Georgon of Belgium is here to attend assessors' meeting today. He has been assessor for Belgium for 10 years.

QUIET AT EUCLID— Robert Balfour spent Sunday in the city from Euclid. He says there is an aching void in Euclid since the departure of Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell.

WILL INVESTIGATE— Veterinary Langevin left this morning for Little Forks where he was called to investigate a serious epidemic trouble among the horses there.

SEEDING UNDER HEADWAY — Seeding operations on all the fields about this part of the valley are under full headway again. The high winds and prevailing sunshine has hastened the drying out of the soil.

TO START DRIVE—River Foreman Pat Sullivan left thsi morning for Battle River where he will hustle the big drive for the Grand Forks Lumber Co., with a very large force of men.

HEADED FOR ST. PAUL — O. E Erickson left this morning for Grand Rapids and other points on the Duluth line, and will work towards St. Paul where he will spend a few days with his firm, Wemott-Howard & Co.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL—Mrs. N. B. Bergerson wife of the proprietor of the Riverside Dairy was taken to St. Vincent hospital this afternoon where she will undergo an operation.

CIVIL PAPERS — Sheriff Gonyea left this morning for Woodside where he has some civil papers to serve. His son George accompanied him as far as Mentor where he will do some repair work about the Gonyea cottage.

ATTACKED BY DOG—A. T. Hendricks a laborer from Bemidji, Minn., was attacked by a mad dog in front of 106 Washington avenue S. at 11 o'clock this morning. He was not bitten, tho his trousers were torn. The animal a stray cur was shot by Sergt. McLeod.—Minneapolis Daily News.

WEST END ASSESSORS—Among the west end assessors who arrived from East Grand Forks this morning were Peter McCoy, James Enright, James Sullivan and Chas. Ryan, all old timers with their hearts in the right place.

HARD AT IT—B. H. Cochrane, one of the propserous and progressive farmers on Rural Route No. 2 was in the city this afternoon. He is busy both plowing and seeding and will soon have his entire crop sown. He states that the rain did not materially interrupt seeding operations.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE — Secretary Moore of the 25,000 Club received a letter this morning from L. L. Eckman, secretary of the Grand Forks Automobile Club stating that a communication from Crookston with reference to the Maple Lake road improvement has been referred to the new Good Roads committee of the Auto Club, W. L. Dixon, chairman, and action may be expected soon.

TIEDEMAN RE-ELECTED —C. H. Tiedeman, who grew to manhood on the farm of his father, Casper Tiedeman, west of Euclid, and who has been in the grocery business at Red Wing for several years past very successfully, was re-elected alderman of that city a few days ago for his third term without opposition. For the past year he has been president of the council. His many friends here will be glad to learn that he is having honors heaped upon him as he is a product of the Red River Valley which produces nothing but No. 1 stock, whether it be wheat or men.

BABY SWALLOWED DOMINO — Ellis, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Galusha Purcell East Grand Forks, barely escaped choking to death yesterday afternoon. The little boy was laying on the lounge playing with dominoes, putting several in his mouth Mrs. Purcell was called to another room and when she returned she found the child choking. She put her hand in the baby's mouth and extracted two dominos. Just then the baby was relieved by being able to swallow and as one of the dominos was missing, it is feared that the baby swallowed it. Mr. Purcell will have an examination made to prevent anything serious which might result.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

UNSTABLE SCAFFOLD

ATTORNEY TRIES TO SETTLE FOR ARTHUR MORRISEY'S DEATH

ALLEGED UNSTABLE SCAFFOLD PRECIPITATED MORRISEY TO GROUND

From Tuesday's Daily—

A gentleman registering from Minneapolis, representing the contractor firm for whom Arthur Morrisey of this city was working in McKee Arkansas, when he was killed last month, appeared in this city last week for the purpose of securing a settlement for the death with Jas. E Morrisey, well known plumber of Crookston father of the deceased. It is claimed Morrisey was working in cement on top of an unstable scaffold erected by the contracting firm, which broke and threw him to the ground below killing him. A settlement was not reached, the Minneapolis party not meeting Mr. Morrisey's terms.

FISHER

Mr. Warmer read a very impressive sermon here Easter Sunday.

Hon. Gunder Krostue returned from St. Paul Friday morning.

Mrs. Butler from Bagley is here visiting relatives.

Even Olson one of Fisher's old timers, but now of Middle River is here visiting his daughter.

Misses Betsey and Clara Knutson were shopping in the Queen City last Saturday.

Miss Gertie Knutson has been spending the week at Grand Forks.

Rev. N. F. Kile spent Thursday in Bygland.

Mrs. Jos. Tagley from Mentor and Mrs. Bathie from Hallock are here visiting their sister Mrs. S. Torrison.

W. D. Hamilton spent a day in the country.

Miss Anna Danielson from Bygland is visiting her sister Mrs. Laurence Larson.

Mrs. O. H. Rosaan and children spent Sunday in the country with friends.

Ben and Josie Danielson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Larson Sunday.

Extradition papers in hands of Governor Johnson today for the apprehension of Paul Kopang, charged with the forgery of a check for $25 on Ben Rosenberg drawn on the Merchants National Bank, December 23rd last. Kopang has been in Winnipeg for three months, being held by the goal keeper for the eastern judicial district of that city on the charge of being a fugitive from justice Sheriff Louis Gonyea will get Kopang, if the extradition goes thru. The Governor signs and sends to President Roosevelt at Washington who deals with proper authorities in the Dominion for the return of Kopang.

Suit was started in the district court yesterday by John Bailey vs. Grand Forks Lumber Company to recover $1,800 for the loss of services of his son who had one leg amputated as a result of an accident in the mill of the defendant company

Some time ago a judgment was rendered in favor of the boy for $7,500 for the loss of his leg, negligence of the company in leaving a large and dangerous opening in a platform being alleged. John A. Sorley is attorney for the plaintiff in the suit started yesterday. He also represented the plaintiff in the action tried some time ago.

CIRCULATED SUBSCRIPTION — Ed. Gonyea was at East Grand Forks from Crookston yesterday circulating a subscription list to secure assistance for a family near Crookston who lost their home with all its contents a few days ago in a fire. Gonyea met with a liberal response.—Grand Forks Herald. This money is being raised for J. F. Banta near Shirley who lost about $1000 in seed grain, granary and machinery in a prairie fire recently.

Twelve Drowned.

Helena, Ark., April 29.—Twelve persons were drowned, one a woman, when the show boat Marion capsized eight miles above the mouth of the Francis river late yesterday. Capt. Joyce of Newport, Ark., who was in charge, returned to Helena yesterday, bringing the information.

Gets Favorable Report.

Washington, April 29. — A subcommittee of the house committee on Indian affairs reported favorably on Senator Clapp's bill changing the boundaries of the Cass Lake Indian reservation, and it will come up before the full committee on Wednesday.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

RIVER TRACK DANGEROUS

3RD STREET SEWER WASHOUT ENDANGERS PASSING MAIN TRACK TRAINS

NORTHERN DIVISION ORDERS ALL TRAINS TO RUN OVER EAST TRACK

From Tuesday's Daily—

Orders from the Northern Divisional offices of the Great Northern yesterday ordered all trains to take the Dakota division tracks out of here. The middle or main line track is put out of business as a result of a rampage of water in the sewer and consequent undermining of the G. N. grade. City Engineer Carroll and the sewer committee will investigate conditions and report tonight to the city council in order that the repair of the sewer and grade may be taken up.

The Great Northern commenced today to fill up the weak place. Last night about five minutes after the St. Vincent train pulled into the depot the grade surface sank with a rush and left a visible hole large enough to swallow an engine.

The cause of this unusual difficulty arises from a breaking of the brick and concrete sewer. The Great Northern drove piling along the river last year to hold their grade from washing away in the Red Lake River current. This piling instead of holding the dirt has slid itself three feet into the river. This has dragged the whole grade and the river end of the sewer thus breaking it in the middle.

SAM LORD LEADS ASSESSORS MEET

OFFICERS FROM EVERY PART OF COUNTY GATHER HERE

The assessors elected at the last township election over the county are all in the cit ytoday on a junket for instructions from Samuel Lord, member of the State Tax Commission who is addressing them. There is hardly an assessor missing from the fifty nine towns.

WAS HURT IN ROUND HOUSE

LABORER SUES THE GREAT WESTERN FOR OVER FIFTEEN THOUSAND

Paul Tumolla, laborer, has brought a suit against the Great Northern road for damages of $15,500, for personal injuries alleged to have been suffered in the round house at Devils Lake, Dec. 17 last.

HOME TALENT AT RED LAKE FALLS

The senior class of the Red Lake Falls high school gave a matinee yesterday afternoon to a large audience. They showed again last evening. The play is proving very successful.

Embezzlement Is Charged.

La Crosse, Wis., April 29.—On the charge of embezzling money belonging to the Great Northern Copper Company of St. Paul, Charles J. Kruppenbacher of Preston, Minn., was arrested by the police and taken back to that place. He has been representing the company stated, selling stock to the amount of $1,400, and he is alleged to have failed to turn over any of this amount.

Is Not Illegal Voter.

Walker, Minn., April 29. — James Bailey of Cass Lake, charged with the crime of illegal voting, was discharged from custody yesterday at the April term of the district court held at Walker. The evidence brought forth the fact that Bailey had made Cass Lake his headquarters for the last ten years.

Enraged Lover Stabs His Rival.

Minneapolis, April 29.—James Gordon lies in his room in a precarious condition, having escaped death by the fraction of an inch as the result of a vicious assault by Roy Miller, enraged because he thought the affections and trunk of his sweetheart had been stolen from him.

Found Leak; Is Injured.

Red Wing, Minn., April 29.—Halvor Kullander was badly burned about the hands and face by an explosion of gas in the cellar of his home. In an effort to locate the leak of gas he ran a lighted match along the pipe.

Dies of Spider's Bite.

Martin's Ferry, Ohio, April 29. — Miss Minnie Cox, a society girl here, died from a spider bite she received three days ago. The girl's body became greatly swollen soon after she was bitten.

CLARK TO RUN PALACE HOTEL

NEW HARDWOOD FLOORS AND ALL ROOMS TO BE THOROLY RENOVATED

ROOMS READY MAY 1ST—FORMAL OPENING OF HOTEL TAKES PLACE LATER

From Monday's Daily—

D. D. Clark has leased the Palace Hotel and takes possession at once. Proprietor McKinnon will have all lower floors relaid with hardwood and all rooms will be repapered and varnished in first class shape.

Mr. Clark expects to have the rooms ready for guests by May 1st and the formal opening of the hotel will take place soon after that date.

Mr. Clark has been i nthe hardware business for a number of years in Crookston and has made many friends and without doubt will do well in the Palace. His hardware business for the present will be taken care of by W. J. Rice, brother of Mrs. Clark, definite arrangements for the future of the business not having been concluded.

An entire new force of employes for the hotel will be secured and none but the most competent help will be employed.

The bar will be operated by J. H. McNichols.

WILL SPEND THE SUMMER HERE

Geo. O. Buhn, one of the former well known business men of Crookston who still has property interests here, arrived this morning from Sedro Woolley, Washington, where he family resides and will spend the greater portion of the summer here attending to business matters.

Mr. Buhn is enjoying excellent health, and was greeting his many friends here today but it will take him several days to make the rounds. For years Mr. Buhn operated the blacksmith shop on South Main Street now operated by John Matheson, and is known to the farmers in all directions

Mr. Buhn states that Miss Olive Fortier, who is publishing the Skagit County Courier at Sedro, Woolley, is getting out a good newsy paper, well filled with advertising and news matter, and is making a success of her venture.

STEPHENITES PUT ON CANTATA

Prof. N. A. Thorson returned Sunday evening from Stephen where he went to rehearse the sacred cantata "Saul, King of Israel" which will be put on in the I. O. O. F. Hall at Stephen Saturday evening, May 2. The soloists include Mrs. A. D. Suffel and Mr. R. DeMars of Hallock, Prof. N. A. Thorson of Crookston and Miss Meta McKee, Mr. A. J. Lovestrom and Rev. A. O. Kuhn of Stephen, the latter being director also. There is a heavy chorus to support the soloists and Mr. Thorson states that the north line towns show musical talent of a high order.

MRS. HOVERSON GETS DIVORCE

Mrs. Tillie Hoverson was today granted a divorce by Judge Watts from her husband Knute Hoverson a farm laborer. There is a one year old child, Alice Thenora. Plaintiff charged adultery with Inga Thorkelson in a boarding car of a threshing outfit in western Polk County and habitual drunkenness. Hoverson denied and charged abandonment. Alimony of $15 and care of child was granted Mrs. Hoverson. They were married in Crookston April 25th, 1906.

BREACH OF PROMISE CASE IS SETTLED

The case of Eva Johnson vs. Erick A. Grahn, an action for $1,000 damages for breach of promise has been settled a stipulation for dismissal being filed in the district court at Fergus Falls Saturday. Miss Johnson has been in Crookston for some time but was formerly of Pelican Rapids.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. For sale by all druggists.

Karo
The Best Spread for Bread
CORN SYRUP
Karo SYRUP

More! More! More! comes the call for Karo. Children love and thrive upon it; everybody delights in its wholesome goodness. Nothing half so good for all sorts of sweetening, from griddle cakes to candy.

10c, 25c and 50c in air-tight tins.

CORN PRODUCTS MFG. CO.

225 ARE KILLED IN TERRIFIC CYCLONE

MOST OF DEAD ARE NEGROES. TORNADO DESTROYES SCORES OF CABINS, BURYING THE OCCUPANTS IN DEBRIS, EXACT CASUALTIES ARE YET UNKNOWN. DAMAGE IS DONE IN THREE STATES, LOUISIANA, MISSISSIPPI AND ALABAMA.

Atlanta, Ga., April 25—Reports up to noon today indicate that 225 persons were killed and about 400 injured in storms of great violence which passed over sections of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama... Several towns were almost swept away and the property damage runs into the millions.

Atlanta, Ga., April 25—A wind of cyclonic proportions swept over portions of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama late yesterday, leaving a trail of dead and injured. At noon the number of killed is estimated at close to 225 and the number of injured above 400, with many portions of the afflicted districts to hear from. Most of the dead are negroes. Perhaps a dozen white persons were caught in the falling buildings and either fatally injured, or so seriously disabled as to require medical attendance.

The loss of life was chiefly in the quarter of colored persons where the wind destroyed their cabins burying the occupants in the debris or in the farming sections of the country, where trees were uprooted, telegraph and telephone poles torn up and general destruction became an encore to the storm which swept with almost tornado fury thru the country.

In Louisiana it is estimated that a score of small towns were destroyed or partially wrecked. They include Amite City, Arcadia and Independence Belle Grove, Melton, Lorman, Pine Ridge, Quitman Landing, Fairchild's Creek, Purvis and Lumberton, Mississippi, are reported seriously damaged by the storm.

In Alabama, Dora was the chief sufferer. The dead include the wife and daughter of Section Master Moore.

The storm struck Albertville, Alabama, destroyed nearly the entire northern portion of the town. Death list from 30 to 35 with scores of persons injured.

From Meridan, Mississippi comes the report that Mrs. John Minniece and her child were killed outright, and John Minniece was seriously injured.

Richland and LaMoure, Louisiana, were struck by the storm and nearly a fifth of their population injured.

Winchester, Mississippi, is reported wiped out tho only two persons are known to have been killed.

Natchez, Mississippi, reports 60 known to be dead in the northern Louisiana storm. Hundreds of plantation cabins are reported destroyed in this section.

Mobile reported nine dead in Hattiesburg Mississippi.

DEATH AND RUIN BY TORNADO

Baby Girl Killed and Several Persons Injured—Many Buildings Are Destroyed.

Bancroft, Neb., April 25.—A tornado passed over the country west of here at noon yesterday, resulting in the death of a baby girl and the serious injury of her father, Samuel Mangleson. The family of eight was seated at dinner when the tornado struck the dwelling, a large two-story house. The family consisted of Mr. Mangleson, his wife, mother and five children, all of whom were more or less injured.

Not a board of the dwelling was left and every building on the place was razed.

The storm, which was accompanied by a terrific roaring noise, next hit the farm residence of Richard Waacker, a mile from the Mangleson home. The dwelling was entirely demolished, but none of the nine members of the family was dangerously injured.

Barns and outbuildings were leveled at several other farms in the track of the storm, and live stock suffered greatly. No estimate of the monetary loss is available at this time.

Texas Town Demolished.

Paris, Tex., April 25. — About 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon a tornado destroyed the Eastern portion of Beport, a town twenty miles southeast of Paris, killing W. R. Isbell, a druggist, and injuring several others. Practically all the residences on the east side of the town were destroyed, at least twenty-five or thirty being scattered over the country in fragments. The Baptist and Presbyterian churches were destroyed. The cotton oil mill, including the boiler house, seed and sheds, were blown away, the entire building being a wreck.

The town of Oak Grove is reported almost destroyed, many houses being demolished, but without fatalities.

Storm Kills Three Negroes.

Ennis, Tenn., April 25.—According to meager reports received here, a storm in the neighborhood of Rice, ten miles south of this place, killed three negroes and injured three white persons late yesterday. Several houses were blown away. The telephone connections south of here are lost and no communication can be had.

OLD WARRIOR FOUND DEAD.

Col. William Wordwick Dies With His Sword In His Arms.

New York, April 25. — With the sword he carried when a member of Morgan's raiders during the Civil war clasped to his heart, Col. William S. Warwick was found dead in his bed on the top floor of a house in the Bronx yesterday.

Col. Warwick came of a famous old Southern family and was born in Virginia eighty-seven years ago. He was bred in wealth and luxury and at the opening of the war joined Morgan's cavalry and throughout the war fought under the flag of the Confederacy.

GEN. LINEVITCH DEAD.

Aid-de-camp to Emperor Nicholas Passes Away.

St. Petersburg, April 25. — Lieu. Gen. Linevitch, aid-de-camp to Emperor Nicholas and commander of the First Manchurian army, died from pneumonia last evening. He had been ill for a little over a week and on several occasions serious symptoms of heart failure had manifested themselves.

Gen. Linevitch was sixty-eight years of age. He was fighting in the Caucasus when he was twenty-one and took part in the Russo-Turkish war of 1877-78. Since then he served in all of Russia's Asiatic campaigns.

COIN DUE FROM STATE

J. F. BANTA FINDS HOW FIRE FIGHTERS MAY GET STATE MONEY

TOWN SUPERVISORS, CITY MAYORS, VILLAGE COUNCIL PRESIDENTS, WARDENS

After being visited with destructive fire J. F. Banta arrived in the city last evening for the purpose of securing for those that assisted in the saving of his house the state moneys that is appropriated for them.

The state allows $2 a day to fire wardens during the existence of the fire he is fighting and $1.50 a day to the men who assist him in putting the fire out.

Supervisors of towns, mayors of cities and presidents of village councils are ex-officio responsible as fire-wardens for their respective jurisdictions, as prescribed by statute.

In making a claim the parties seeknig compensation must make a verified bill and swear to that bill as being correct in every item before a town clerk, justice of peace, notary public or other person authorized by the state to take oaths. The bill is then sent to State Auditor Iverson at St. Paul who pays the bill thru the state fire warden.

UNDER TEMPORARY INSANE IMPULSE

CORONER'S VERDICT RENDERED IN NEW BORN BABE FIND

Coroner Chesterman officially states the new born babe found in a closet on Spendley St., last Monday was left there by its mother when she was temporarily insane.

LARGE PARTY WILL VISIT OLD COUNTRY

Last evening C. W. Bergquist, well known fireman on the Great Northern accompanied by Mrs. Bergquist left on a trip to Sweden where they will spend the next three months. They go to Chicago where they will remain till the 28th when they proceed to New York for a three days' stay with friends and relatives and then proceed to Worcester Mass., where they will remain with a sister of Mr. Bergquist till May 11 when they go back to New York from where they will take passage on May 13 on the Maritania the big Cunard liner.

Before sailing they will be joined in New York by Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bratrud, Mrs. E. K. Greene, Mrs. John Nyquist and Miss Minnie Johnson of this city and a brother of Mrs. Greene and his wife from the southern part of the state. Mr. and Mrs. Bergquist will visit their old home at Warmland, Sweden and Mrs. Nyquist's destination is Gemtland, Sweden, the balance of the party going to various parts of Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Bergquist will also visit many other points before returning and the entire party look forward to a most delightful trip. They all expect to return to Crookston about the first of August.

A DEPENDENT TAKEN TO OWTONNA

Commissioner Clements of county boards departs this evening for Owatonna with Arthur Marshallton, a dependent on the county of French Canadian descent whose mother is dead and father's residence unknown. He is a cook when working and has lived on the city for some time past.

Game Warden Wm. Munch returned last evening from a trip thru Winger, Sletten and Rosebud Townships, investigating a report that Peter Akre a farmer of Winger, 12 miles southwest of McIntosh had been catching fish with a net. Mr. Akre, in two nights spearing with a friend in a small lake on the reservation, 600 fish, and the big catch gave rise to the rumor that he was seining.

Warden Munch inspected the fish and found spear marks on every one of them, and as spearing is legal at this season Mr. Akre did not fracture the law the least little bit. He has fish enough, however to supply himself for sometime to come, and is salting the pickerel down for future use.

The catch is one of the biggest ever recorded in this section in the same length of time.

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CREAMERIES FLOURISHING

16 NORTHERN COUNTIES WHICH 10 YEARS AGO HAD NO CREAMERIES

NOW HAVE 54 FLOURISHING INSTITUTIONS—POLK COUNTY HAS 18

From Friday's Daily—

Figures compiled by Secretary W. W. Wall of the state dairy and food department show that in 16 counties which in 1898 had no creameries there are now 54 in operation. All these counties are in the northern half of the state, showing that the farmers in the comparatively newer counties are awakening to the advantages from a financial point of view of the dairy business.

The success of creameries in the southern counties in which creameries have been in operation for a number of years has resulted in a great increase in the number of creameries and the quality of the output and a consequent improvement in the financial condition of the farmers furnishing the milk and in many cases owning an interest in the creameries.

The number of creameries in each of these 16 northern counties at present is as follows:

Kittson, 7; Roseau, 3; Marshall, 13; Red Lake 7; Hubbard, 1; Cass 1; Aitkin 1; Crow Wing 2; Carlton 1; Pine 4; Mille Lacs 5; Benton 6; Wadena 5; St. Louis 1; Kanabec 2; Clearwater 5;

Polk county is rapidly developing into one of the banner creamery counties of the state, and every year sees additional and medern creameries constructed. At the present time there are 18 creameries in the county all but one of which, Euclid, is in operation and doing a flourishing business. The creameries are located as follows:

Crookston, Fertile, Rindal, Erskine, McIntosh, Fosston, Lengby, Olga, Winger, Eldred, Climax, Beltrami, Mentor, Greeg, Cisco, Hill River, Fisher, Euclid.

CLUE TO TWO YOUNG THIEVES

Yesterday afternoon some boys discovered the steel cash box which had been taken from the safe in the Smith pool room which was robbed of $25 Tuesday night. The small steel door to the box had been smashed in the money taken and the box hid. The thieves had left three checks for small amounts in the drawer.

The police are positive they have clues as to the guilty parties. Two young men of the city disappeared the night of the robbery. They bought tickets for Grand Forks but did not take the train. It is supposed they hid somewhere on the outskirts of the city all Wednesday for on Wednesday evening they appeared at P. J. Lachapelle's place on the outskirts of the city and bought a glass of milg each and wanted to remain there all night but he would not allow them to stay. At least one of the boys left for the Forks Thursday morning.

THE SUNDAHL CO. WILL REBUILD CREAMERY

The Sundahl Creamery and Mercantile Co., had a meeting Monday and decided to rebuild their creamery at once. A building committee was appointed and they agreed to rebuild it either of brick or cement blocks whichever would be cheaper. The Association had $1500 insurance on the former property which they will be paid in full.—Gary Graphic.

SPLENDID SHOWING OF THE ST. HILAIRE CREAMERY

The following patrons of the St. Hilaire creamery received over $50 for the month of March:

A. Mortenson	$95.54
H. Houpt	86.56
J. Konikson	79.45
Swan Johnson	67.39
E. Just	64.66
N. A. Nelson	58.84
L. P. Tyre-n	56.57
F. Seeger	55.24
S. Wiberg	53.69
J. Albin	53.25
Anton Peterson	51.27
Henry Randorf	50.06

Price paid for butterfat 31 cents.

Total amount received	$4,554.57
Total amt. rec. '07 same mo.	3,948.57
Same in 1906	2,505.50
Same, in 1905	1,994.70
Same, in 1904	1,467.74

Dr. J. S. Chapin has returned from a business trip to Mason City, Iowa, where he disposed of his farm near Euclid for $4,000 for practically spot cash.

CHANCES NOT FAVORABLE

TARY MOORE CONCERNING STEENERSON WRITES SECRE- FISH HATCHERY

DEMOCRATIC FILIBUSTER MAY PREVENT PASSAGE OF BILL THIS SESSION

From Friday's Daily—

A communication from Representative Steenerson of the Ninth District received today by J. F. Moore, Secretary, 25,000 Club reads: "My Dear Mr. Moore—I have your letter of the 8th instant relative to S. 6335, a bill introduced by Mr. Nelson to establish a fish culture station in the state of Minnesota, and replying would say that the bill has passed the Senate and is now pending in the House, but in the present state of the Democratic filibuster the chances are not very favorable for its passage. The bill was undoubtedly introduced by Senator Nelson for the benefit of the lakes in the vicinity of Alexandria and if it should pass he would probably secure the location of the fish station at that point. In the event that the bill should become a law I should of course be glad to forward every effort to secure the station for Maple Lake but I do not think it is intended for any other place than Alexandria.

I am, your very truly,

—H. Steenerson.

OUT AFTER THE CANINE CITIZENS

CITY CLERK CHILDS SENDS SOUTH AFTER DOG LICENSE TAGS

Woe unto Fido. City Clerk Childs maliciously mailed in the postoffice last evening a letter to a supply house for dog license tags for Crookston. The tags will be here in a few days. Mayor McPhee has not yet appointed a dog catcher but will have one on the boards soon. Then Fido will have to visit friends out of the city or wear a tag.

A $50,000 N. P. LOSS AT STAPLES

Passengers on the Northern Pacific passenger train from the south report a most disastrous fire at Staples Wednesday. A prairie fire swept up to the freight yards shortly after noon and before it could be headed off a long string of cars were in flames. Heroic efforts were made to check the flames but not until 48 stock cars and 15 box cars were destroyed did the flames stay their progress. The property loss to the N. P. will be close to $50,000. The cars destroyed were all empties.

BRICK PLANT HAS STARTED WORK

The plant of the Northern Pressed Brick Co., started operations for the season yesterday and the first kiln of pressed brick will be burned next week. The brick supply here is very short and both the above company and the Crookston Brick and Tile Co., will run full capacity during the entire season from present indications. The demand for pressed brick is specially brisk and the demand for the common building brick will take care of all the brick that can be burned here this season.

In response to a letter written to Attorney General Young for a ruling as to whether the filing fee of candidates was $10 or $20 County Atty. Maybury today received a reply in which the attorney general stated that while it was the evident intention of the legislature to make the filing fee $20 the language was very obscure, and a comparison with the old bill made him arrive at the conclusion that but $10 should be charged.

Those who have already filed and paid $20 will therefore have a $10 note refunded to them.

GREAT NORTHERN INTACT.

Track Washed Out by Montana Flood Is Replaced.

Helena, Mont., April 24. — After a week of most streanuous effort, in which the services of a large army of men has been vigorously engaged, the Great Northern late last evening completed the rebuilding of its line between Wolf Creek and Cascade, which was washed out by the Lake Hauser dam flood. The first through train for the East over that line left Helena last night and henceforth no delay to traffic is expected.

FRAUD ORDER WAS ISSUED

PHILLIPS AND CROWD WHO TRIED TO GET CROOKSTONITES TO BITE

ON GREAT ELECTRIC AIR LINE SCHEME HAVE PLANS NIPPED IN BUD

From Friday's Daily—

Fraud orders have been issued by the United States postal department against the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Seattle Electric Air Line, the Co-operative Construction Company, the Great Northwestern Fiscal agency and the Northwestern Investment company all enterprises which have headquarters in the New York Life building, St. Paul.

Under these orders any mail received at the St. Paul postoffice addressed to any of the companies named will be stamped "fraud" in red ink and if possible returned to the sender. In case the name of the sender is not on the envelope the matter will be sent to the dead-letter office.

One of the promoters of the St. Paul Minneapolis & Seattle Air line was S. A. Phillips, who was sentenced to the state prison some weeks ago on a charge that he had embezled funds of the Hancock company while acting as its northwestern representative. The Hancock company was interested in handling the stock of the New York-Chicago Electric Air line.

But a few weeks ago Phillips and a pack of his friends after visiting Grand Forks and East Grand Forks, visited Crookston. The plan was to have Crookston and the Forks on the main line of the Seattle road, and efforts were made to sell stock here. Considerable was sold at Grand Forks but the people of Crookston and East Grand Forks gave the promoters the cold shoulder. The whole scheme was a fake and those who bit bade a final farewell to their coin.

J. A. HENDRICKS WAS TOUCHED

HELD UP BY THIEF IN BROAD DAY LIGHT IN MINNEAPOLIS YESTERDAY

YELLED LUSTILY AND POLICEMAN GAVE CHASE CAUGHT ROBBER

From Thursday's Daily—

The following is from the Minneapolis Journal of yesterday and shows that the well known Fosston attorney who is the cities to attend to some supreme court cases is having plenty of excitement between times:

"J. A. Hendricks of Fosston, Minn., was robbed on the sidewalk at First Avenue S.and Fifth street at 5 p. m. yesterday. He was seized from behind and his watch was torn from his pocket. Hendricks shouted that he had been robbed, and Patrolman William Belair gave chase to the thief, who ran down First avenue to Postoffice alley. Seeing that he could not escape the policeman, the thief threw the watch thru the grating at the side of the postoffice. Taken to police headquarters, the thief gave his name as William Lewith."

FIRE HELD UP FREIGHT TRAIN

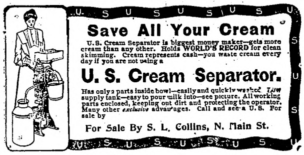
Parties at McIntosh wired the Crookston division offices of the Great Northern to stop the freight west bound thru there yesterday as a line of hose was laid across the tracks to extinguish a fire in a barnyard of a resident. Before the endangered residences were touched by the flames after which the freight proceeded this way.

Good Progress at Angus

F. McLennon spent the night in the city from Angus, returning this morning. He reports farmers rushing the seed into the ground at that place under ideal conditions. He states that another week will see the great bulk of the wheat seeded.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

April 23 In History.

1564—Supposed birth date of William Shakespeare; died on this date in 1616.

1813—Stephen Arnold Douglas, statesman, born; died 1861.

1850—William Wordsworth, poet, died; born 1770.

1860—The famous national Democratic convention met in Charleston. The convention divided on the issue of slavery, thus giving the election to Lincoln.

1905—Joseph Jefferson, veteran American actor, died at Palm Beach, Fla.; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:43, rises 5:04; moon rises 1:57 a. m.; 1:58 p. m., moon at last quarter.

AGENTS—Automatic Curry Comb, postpaid 40c. Over $5.00 daily or sample returnable. Particulars free. —Clean Comb Co., ( ) Racine Wis.

HAS TYPHOID—Mrs. Arthur Johnstone was taken to the Bethesda Hospital yesterday having been suffering with an attack of Typhoid fever.

PROMOTING RURAL PHONES — Manager Frank Bracelin of the N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., left this morning for Northcote where it is planned to build a rural line this summer. Yesterday he was at Angus where material additions are planned to the successful line that was built last year.

DEPART TO DITCH 75 — County engineer Orvis Hinds departed this morning at 9 o'clock with John Wyand T. Thorkelson and Bert Cochrane, viewers, for ditch 75. The company will make report to commissioners at their next meeting.

JUDGMENT IN GILBERT CASE—The Sheriff's office received notice today that judgment had been entered in favor of the Minneapolis Plow Worsk for the levy by the sheriff of Polk county on deposits in the bank amounting to $480.98. The levy on the goods of Gilbert was decided in his favor, he retaining them notwithstanding sheriff's execution.

MOTHER VERY ILL—Supt. E. E. McIntyre of the Crookston schools has been called to Neponset by the critical illness of his mother. Because of her advanced age, 75 years, but small hopes are entertained for her recovery. With her husband the aged lady visited here a few years ago.

HOME FROM MAYVILLE — S. P. Swedburgh has returned from Mayville, N. D., where he went to look after seeding operations on the farm of his wife's father. The farm was rented to Mr. Quesnell of this city, and as it was practically all plowed last fall the seeding operations will soon be completed.

HEAVYWEIGHT HERE — M. F. Murphy, the investment banker of Grand Forks was in the city last evening between trains enroute to Cincinnati and was the guest of N. S. Davies while in the city. He talked a few lines of politics, state and municipal, more of which will be heard in the near future.

OLD TIMER HERE—Henry Krueger, the pioneer pop manufacturer of Grand Forks who in the early days made regular trips to Crookston where he had a fine business, passed thru the city this morning enroute to Superior on a business mission. He stated that Crookston appeared to be forging ahead by leaps and bounds of late years.

MRS. HARRIOTT DEAD—Mrs. D. T. Herriott, one of the oldest settlers of Norman County, departed this life Tuesday at her home in Chicago 78 years of age of paralysis. Mrs. Budd a daughter of Beltrami village, Polk County, had gone to Chicago to attend her bedside. She arrived there Friday last and will remain until the funeral services have been held.

RALPH RESIDENCE SOLD—Geo. A. Ralph engineer of the state drainage board has returned to St. Paul after spending a few days in the city during which he disposed of his residence in Highland Park, one of the finest in the city, for a consideration of $7,500. Mr. Ralph announces that he will remove his family to St. Paul to reside permanently about June 1st.

BULLS FOR SALE.

Three registered Shorthorn bulls of serviceable age for sale at hard time prices. Good individuals and of good breeding. Mother of one was imported from Scotland. Pedigrees furnished. They are here in Crookston and I would be pleased to show them.

—GEO. F. STONE.

KIRK ANOUNCES—Dr. Kirk, chess champion of Grand Forks and everything else in this country states he will be in the city next Saturday night and play some of the local champs.

BACK TO ADA — Claud Simpson came down from Crookston the first of the week and is at his old place at the depot. The work here proved to be too much for two men.—Norman Co. Herald.

WITH HORSES— George Kirk of Bemidji arrived in the city last night bringing in a car of horses which he had hired to L. A. Northrup for farm purposes.

LOOKING AFTER COTTAGE—Sheriff Gonyea, who returned Sunday from a trip to Twin Falls, Idaho, and other points west where he went on a trip for his health, left this morning for Maple Lake where he will look after his cottage.

TAKING VACATION — Asst. Postmaster Nicholson is taking his annual vacation and is taking advantage of the opportunity to do a stroke of spring housecleaning in his back yard and plant his pumpkin seeds. During his absence Miss Nellie Chapin who arrived last evening from Euclid, will do the honors at the money order window and several young men suddenly remembered that they needed money orders the very worst way today.

SON DISAPPEARED—Hilman Vikford a 16 year old lad of this city disappeared from Crookston April 9 and has not been seen or heard from since despite of the efforts of the police. He was not of a roving disposition, and his parents are frantic. His disappearance was kept quiet until today as his parents lived in the hope that he would either return or be located. Now they fear he has been the victim of foul play.

LEAVES FOR NEW YORK — Dr. Frederick C. Mitchell who has been practicing at Euclid during the past three years left last evening for Chicago accompanied by his wife, and after a short visit there will continue to New York where he will relieve a staff physician in a large hospital for a year while the latter is taking a trip to Europe. On his return west Dr. Mitchell will locate either in Grand Forks or return to Euclid. Dr. Mitchell's departure is sincerely regretted by scores of warm friends and at Euclid.

SHOW FOR ADA—Newman Bros., from Crookston have signed a contract for putting in a moving picture machine in Boseworth's opera house at Ada and will give their first show next Monday evening, April 27th. They will receive films direct from Chicago every three days or twice a week. Miss Alta Patterson is to furnish the music and Miss Jean Fulton will sing the illustrated songs.

"CLEAN UP" DAY IS NAMED.

Cash Prizes Are Hung Up for the Best Blocks In the City.

Watertown, S. D., April 25.—April 30 has been designated by the mayor as the annual "clean up" day, in which co-operation with the Civic Improvement league, the street commissioner's department will scour the city from center to circumference. As an additional incentive to cleanliness two cash prizes of $25 each have been hung up by the league and the mayor for the best-kept block in the city.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

April 24 In History.

Defoe.

1547—Victory of Charles V. over the Protestants at Muhlberg and end of the war of the Smalcald league.

1731—Daniel Foe, or Defoe, author of "Robinson Crusoe" and other works, died; born 1661.

1764—Thomas Addis Emmet, Irish patriot, born; died 1827.

1898—President McKinley called for 125,000 volunteers to interfere in Cuba.

1905—Otto Wilhelm Struve, Russian astronomer, died; born 1819.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:44, rises 5:02; moon rises 2:39 a. m.; 10:30 p. m., two of Jupiter's four bright satellites missing; 12 midnight, Jupiter at quadrature with the sun, being 90 degrees east of that body; 7:12 a. m., moon at perigee, nearest approach to earth.

BACK TO TALL PINES—Attorney Albert Chilgren left this morning for his claim near International Falls via Bemidji where he has some business to attend to after having spent several days in Crookston.

ON ROAD AGAIN—C. A. Torrance of the Maple Bay Windstacker Company who has been laid up with an attack of boils on the leg left last evening for a trip to Kansas for the company.

LAND SOLD IN FARLEY — Chas. W. Eckert of Ottawa, Illinois sold yesterday to Chas. E. Stinchfield of Warren the SW 1-4 of 34 in Farley town and the NE 1-4 of 4 in Tabor town for $7040, the buyer assuming a mortgage of $4000.

ARTICLES INCORPORATION — John Hagen of McIntosh, Andrew L. Hagen of Alida in Clearwater County, and Chas. L. Conger of McIntosh have incorporated a hardware and general merchandise store for business in McIntosh at $10,000.

TAKES NELSON CURE—Wm. D. Rowe a cement man of Crookston, filed a bankruptcy petition in the United States count in this city Thursday, placing his assets at $626.85 of which $364 is exempt, and his liabilities at $12,599.43.—Fergus Falls Journal.

TO THE COUNTY JAIL—Jos. Horlacher and S. Blackbird were assessed thirty day sentences for disorderly conduct by the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday and were brought last evening to the county jail by Deputy Sheriff Daniels.

AFTER HORSES—Henry Weideman one of the old timers of Euclid, who shares the mayoralty honors with Nick Engel, arrived in the city last evening and left this morning on the flyer for Warren from where he will take the Soo to Lakin, N. D. and return with a car load of horses for work on a farm near Euclid.

GEO. COOLEY'S SON—Ralph Cooley, youngest son of Geo. W. Cooley well known Engineer of the State Highway commission arrived in the city this morning and will henceforth be connected with City Engineer Carroll's office in the city hall.

ON STREETS FOR HOUR—Louis Zang, intoxicated beyond consciousness, lay for an hour at the Second street entrance to the Palace block between 2 and 4 o'clock this afternoon. Finally Herman Ruth and another took him to the lock-up. He is the son of an old soldier, deceased, and is himself an old offender.

STARTS DIVORCE SUIT — H. L. Larson, of Crookston has commenced action for divorce. Mrs. Larson was formerly Mrs. Hovey and both were residents of Ada at one time. They have been married nearly three years The action is brought in Polk county —Norman Co. Herald.

APPOINTED GUARDIAN — Mrs. Kari Ofstedal of Garden town has been appointed guardian of her husband, Simon Ofstedal, a man 60 years of age now at Fergus Falls in the asylum. The estate amounts to $5750, petition for administrator being made by a son, Andrew S. Ofstedal of the same town.

TO START A FOUNDRY—N. Peterson of Crookston was in the city the first of the week and while here made arrangements to enter into a partnership with Conklin Bros., and will start a foundry here. A foundry is badly needed and all citizens here should give the new enterprise all possible encouragement.—Thief River Falls News.

FOSSTON PIONEER—A. L. Omland, who for the past 20 years has operated a blacksmith shop at Fosston, spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters and calling on his many old friends. His oldest son, John, who was a veteran drayman of Fosston, recently died and the blow was a severe one to his parents and a family of several children. Mr. Omland was in the city to receive treatment for his eyes which have been bothering him considerably of late.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

April 25 In History.

1599—Oliver Cromwell born; died 1658.

1735—Rev. Samuel Wesley, father of the famous Wesleys, died.

1800—William Cowper, poet, died; born 1731.

1898—Declaration by the United States that war with Spain began on April 21.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS:
Tonight and Tomorrow Morning.

Sun sets 6:45, rises 5:01; moon rises 3:14 a. m.

ARTHUR HARRIS PROSPERING —Arthur Harris the old time Crookston boy who is now operating a laundry at Bemidji spent yesterday in the city with home folks and friends, returning to his business last evening. He is doing well in his new venture.

A NEW ORDER—Chas. Holt is the Past Grand Chief Sachem Mogul of a new order is getting a fine class ready for initiation. The pass word is secured on the first payment of $1 and the balance of the degrees is simply limited by the amount of cash that can be produced.

IN FATHER'S OFFICE — Wayne Richardson, who has been attending the university of North Dakota, taking the law course, was in the city yesterday morning for a short time en route to his home at Thief River Falls where he intends entering his father's office and reading law. He is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and is a young man with a bright future before him.

BRANDTS ATTRACTED BY LIGHTS —Brandts were having a high old time at an early hour this morning, having been attracted by the city lights during the murky night and leaving their pathways higher in the blue to rest while on their way north for the summer. Early risers found them flying up and down the river and across the city.

LOOKING AFTER FARM — J. L. Lakin of Mason City Iowa is spending a few days here on his annual visit to his farm four miles north of the city. He has a manager who has been running the farm on a paying basis and Mr. Lankin only comes up once a year, spending from two to six weeks here. He will return to Mason City in time to attend the Memorial Day exercises, being a member of the G. A. R.

HAVE BOUGHT HOTEL — D. L. Kelly and son W. H. Kelly who were residents of Crookston in early days and who have made their home at Superior for the past few years. spent Thursday in the city. They had just returned from Hallock where they bought out the Pacific Hotel and will return there to take charge in a few days. The hotel will be renovated from cellar to garret and they will run a first class place. They came to Crookston before going to Hallock to look over the Palace Hotel but decided to take the Hallock proposition. Mr. Kelly is a brother of Jim Kelly, who was a pioneer resident of Crookston, leaving last fall for Iowa.

HAS IT FIXED—Thru a well known attorney who kept score at the gun club shoot the fore part of the week, negotiations have been opened with the newspapers of the city on behalf of a well known local trap artist, with the end in view that the published report of the score will never show his work below the 99 per cent column. The attorney who represents him will vouch for the authenticity of this stand by his client, J. Harry Stair. (W. M. Ferguson had nothing to do with supplying this information.)

BRYCE TO SPEAK AT "U."

Ambassador Will Deliver Commencement Address at Madison.

Madison, Wis., April 25. — Hon. James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States and noted author of "The American Commonwealth," has just accepted the invitation of President C. R. Van Hise to deliver the baccalaureate address to the graduating class of the University of Wisconsin on Sunday, June 14.

ATTEMPTED TRAIN ROBBERY.

North Coast Limited Is Tackled by Four Bandits.

Putte, Mont., April 25.—Another attempt to hold up the North Coast Limited train, west-bound, the overland flyer on the Northern Pacific, was made last night fifteen miles east of Butte, the scene of the recent holdup in which Engineer Frank Clow was murdered. Four men, with guns in their hands, disappeared among the rocks in the direction of Butte. The engineer hurriedly got up steam and made a quick run into this city.

An Insidious Danger

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

THIEF RIVER ENDANGERED

WET WEATHER ALONE PROBABLY PREVENTED SPREAD OF A BAD FIRE

THIEF RIVER FALLS BUSINESS DISTRICT SUFFERS BAD FIRE YESTERDAY

From Saturday's Daily—

At 9 a. m. yesterday morning a fire broke out in the general merchandise store of C. A. Peterson at Thief River Falls across from the Hotel Rushford. The building was a frame one. The stock was a total loss and the building almost so. The loss has been set at about $1500. The fire was caused by an air tight stove. Nothing was saved from the stock. The building is almost in the heart of the business district and had the high winds and dry weather that has been prevailing for the past three weeks existed the business district would have been more seriously threatened. The rain yesterday morning soaked surrounding buildings so they would not easily ignite.

FILES ON CLAY CO. HOMESTEAD

KENNETH ULRICH BRADY FILES ON FORTY NEAR AVERILL CLAY COUNTY

A young man, Kenneth Ulrich Brady, was on deck as soon as the doors of the United States land office here opened this morning and filed immediately on forty acres of land near Averill in Clay County. He appeared at the doors at 8 o'clock. The land is valuable as it is close to a railroad and has probably skipped attention of neighboring farmers in Clay county until this time.

GRADUATED FROM THE NELSON CURE

The following discharges in bankruptcy were filed in the Federal court at Fergus Falls yesterday: John Dinsmore, Hawley; C. D. McLennan, Thief River Falls; Frank C. Whittaker, East Grand Forks; Peter A. Holden, Thief River Falls; Sarah A. Day, Battle Lake; A. T. Danneher, High Landing, Polk Co.; Nils Anderson, Clitherall, Gust Holt, Fosston; Hilbert O. Skrei, Moorhead; Michael W. Keppel, Staples; Carl T. Nelson, Moorhead; Everett G. Huntington, Dead Lake; J. P. Knight, Ortonville; John D. Stevenson, Ada; Hans Bertilson, Inman.

MRS. MCINTYRE DEPARTS THIS LIFE

Telegram was received in this city yesterday that Mrs. McIntyre, mother of Supt. Ezra E. McIntyre of the Crookston city schools, departed this life yesterday morning at an early hour. Supt. McIntyre had departed for Neponset, Illinois, where the lady was ill, some time ago and states he will remain until the funeral services tomorrow before returning. The lady died at the age of 75 years and since the first of the year had visited this city with her husband who survives her on their way home from a trip to the coast. Mr. McIntyre is expected home Tuesday next.

Convicted of Larceny.

Salem, Or., April 25.—J. Thorburn Ross, president of the defunct Title Guarantee and Trust Company of Portland, was yesterday convicted of larceny of funds of the state of Oregon which had been placed in his custody as president of the bank by State Treasurer George A. Steele.

BUILD SPUR INTO SITE

LOWELL TOWN BOARD MEET ON IMPORTANT BUSINESS TODAY

MANUFACTURING SITE GETS G. NORTHERN RIGHT OF WAY CONNECTIONS

From Saturday's Daily—

Supervisors Ingersoll, Hanson and Lieber with Clerk Wentzell of the Lowell town board met in the city today for the purpose of passing on a petition for right of way for a spur from the Great Northern railway into the manufacturing site selected by the Crookston Improvement Company, a company organized by members of the 25,000 club in this city. The petition calls for right to cross and use a highway for about a quarter of a mile, and will undoubtedly be granted.

The supervisors will also pass on the establishment of bridges across ditches in the town of Lowell.

PAUL HAGEN GOES TO ERSKINE

BECOMES PRINCIPAL OF SCHOOLS INSTEAD OF ALBERT LAGERSTADT

Paul Hagen will be the principal of the Erskine schools for the rest of this school year. He will take the place of Albert Lagerstadt, a U. of M. man over whom there was some dissatisfaction. This is the school of which G. D. Aakhus was principal for so many years. Mr. Aakhus is now on a claim in the north country.

WAS KEPT BUSY DODGING TOGO

FRED PERAULT, SAMPSON ADDITION UP FOR INSANITY TODAY

At 3 o'clock this afternoon Fred Perault, Sampsons addition, Crookston, was brought before Judge Morken of the probate court for examination. Last evening he was taken from the Munn home in Sampsons addition. He was glad to get the protection of Capt. Vonderbeck last night. He will be committed to Fergus Falls.

MOSINEE ESCAPES FLAMES.

Church Is Burned, but Fires Are Now Partly Under Control.

Wausau, Wis., April 25. — Reports from Mosinee say that the forest fires are partly under control. The Lutheran church suffered a partial destruction by the flames. The Wausau fire department did not go to Mosinee's aid, as it was considered unnecessary. Slight damage has been done to the Desert Lumber company.

Tornado at Valley Springs, S. D.

Sioux Falls, S. D., April 25.—Information reached this city last night that a tornado struck Valley Springs, about twenty-five miles east of Sioux Falls, last evening and demolished about thirty buildings. Communication with Valley Springs has been cut off. No loss of life was reported.

Pastor Tenders Resignation.

Barnesville, Minn., April 25.—Rev. J. Alvin Ewing, pastor of the Grace M. E. church of Moorhead, has tendered his resignation, to take effect next Sunday.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.— Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

STARTS SUITS TO RECOVER $110,000

Suits Started by J. J. Lambrecht.

John Haas alleged malicious prosecution	$ 50,000
City of Fargo, Captain Dahlgren and Officer Anderson alleged trespass	25,000
State of North Dakota, alleged malicious prosecution	25,000
Dave Pehrson, deputy sheriff of Clay county, Minnesota alleged perjury in affidavit with Haas	10,000
Total demanded	$ 110,000

Habeas Corpus proceedings started to dismiss action now pending before Judge Miller, in which Lambrecht is charged with being fugitive from justice.

The above is a summary of part of the Lambrecht-Haas case, which transpired yesterday at Fargo. Claiming that the case against Lambrecht is persecution rather than prosecution, civil actions have been brought demanding an aggregate of $110000 as a result of the arrest of Lambrecht Tuesday evening by the Fargo police, later turned over to the sheriff who had a warrant charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses from John Haas in connection with the Interurban Electric line.

DECISION FOR WOMAN

JUDGE MONTAGUE HOLDS ENTRY RIGHT FOR MAGGIE ODEGAARD

WAS FORCED TO LEAVE CLAIM NEAR BADGER BY HER HUSBAND

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Judge Montague has handed down a decision in the contest case of Miss Maggie Odegaard vs. Ivar Mikkelson over a homestead near Badger in Roseau county, originally filed on by John E. Klippe, a divorced husband of Miss Odegaard. The decision holds Miss Odegaard was forced to leave the claim by the cruelty and unnatural practices of her husband and has right of original entry on the homestead in lieu of Mikkelson's claim.

The woman says, "When she married she had about $1600; got it by working hard for it; doesn't know how long it took her to earn it but many years."

The complaint further alleges she was forced to leave him after he had taken all her money and improved the claim on which he lived with it.

The woman is now working at the home of Thomas Durgin, well known liveryman and citizen of Badger who is loking after the rights of the woman.

Woman Modest

The language of the decision of Judge Montague is, her innate modesty appeared to have prevented her from using any language which she thought improper or immodest notwithstanding the cross examination appeared to call for such.

Regarding Klippe the decision reads, He has not much regard for the truth and uses foul and vulgar language only to degrade and dishonor the woman who was his wife.

Riddles Paper Argument

The decision of the land office riddles the contention of Klippe that he conveyed the homestead to Mikkelson, his nephew, brought from Norway, without consideration. By his own testimony, goes the decision, he has not a dollar's worth of property of any kind and he has divested himself of all his property for the purpose of defrauding his wife.

"That he did this without still remaining the actual owner is beyond the comprehension of the ordinary mind."

This is the most interesting case that has been up before the United States land office here for years on account of the unwritten laws of justice that enter into it. The case will probably be appealed.

RAINS FAVOR VALLEY FARMS

LIGHT FALL OF MOISTURE WILL BENEFIT EARLY SOWN GRAIN

FOREST AND PRAIRIE FIRES ARE STOPPED — SEEDING SLIGHTLY HANDICAPPED

From Monday's Daily— ..

The light fall of rain in the north part of the Valley for the last of the week will expedite farming and stopped prairie and forest fires and benefitted generally.

The wheat and early grains are over half in. Weeds will shoot out roots under influence of this rain and when fields are plowed they will be killed. Many a valley farm will be cleared of weeds this year thus.

For the time being seeding operations were slightly handicapped but with the sun and wind that had been prevailing before the rain started the land is again dry enough for working.

Railway men state that the heavy pall of smoke that has been hanging over country has entirely disappeared and atmosphere is cleared. The showers will put on end to fire ravages in forest and on prairie.

WHEAT UP ON AN ANDOVER FARM

PHILLIPS ON OLD HELMIC PLACE HAS GREEN FIELD—WHEAT AHEAD OF WEEDS

The field planted early by Farmer Philips who is occupying the old Helmic place in Andover township is up out of the ground and tinting the field this morning. Wheat is also reported up in other parts of the country hereabouts and has got ahead of the weeds in good shape.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FRANK JEROME DIED SUNDAY

PIONEER RESIDENT AND STREET COMMISSIONER OF CROOKSTON DEAD

WAS AN IMPORTANT FACTOR IN THE EARLY HISTORY OF THIS CITY

From Monday's Daily— ..

Sunday afternoon at 3:30 Frank Jerome street commissioner and one of the pioneer residents of Crookston died after suffering terribly for the past few months with cancer of the throat. Deceased was 60 years of age the 29th of last January and had been a resident of Crookston for the past 38 years, coming here on May 12 1872.

He was one of the most progressive citizens of the early days and was prominently identified with every movement for the advancement of the welfare of the city. His homestead included all of what is known as Jeromes addition now one of the most thickly populated districts of the city, and worth several fortunes at the present time. Mr. Jerome accumulated a large fortune in the early days and was one of the most liberal and patriotic citizens Crookston ever had.

When efforts were being made to secure the big T. B. Walker sawmill here, which is now owned by the Crookston Lumber Co., a large sum was necessary in cash, and Frank Jerome contributed $10,000 in cash, land and short rights, contributing more than twice as much as any other citizen. He was also extremely liberal in contributing to all public improvements.

In the late 80's he erected the St. Louis Hotel, corner of Robert and Ash Streets but one block from Jeromes addition, and operated it for some time, it being the leading hotel of the city for a time and was a large, modern brick structure. Later the hotel was purchased by J. C. Sathre and is now the home of the Crookston Business college.

In the early 90's Mr. Jerome spent several years on the road, travelling for Felix Fournet and shortly after quitting the road was appointed street commissioner.

In later years Mr. Jerome lost heavily thru unfortunate investments and during the panic of '93 lost the greater portion of his property. He has been street commissioner of Crookston for the past 13 years with the exception of one year, three years ago, and was one of the most efficient street commissioners in the entire northwest, and gave to Crookston the same patriotic and loyal service as when fortune smiled on his financial efforts.

He leaves a widow and 9 children another child having died. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to them in their hour of sorrow. The death of Mr. Jerome causes widespread sorrow not only in Crookston but thruout this section. He was generous to a fault and was ever ready to come to the aid of a friend or neighbor in trouble.

Deceased was born in Canada, and removed from Montreal to St. Paul a few years before coming to Crookston

All his children were at his bedside when the end came, and he was conscious and conversed with them till the end came. All the children reside at home with the exception of Frank, Jr., who is married, and the oldest daughter, who is Mrs. W. A. Leman, but all reside in this city excepting Emery, who arrived from Wayzata, 28 miles from St. Paul where he has a position, Saturday morning.

The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's Church at 9:30 Tuesday morning, Father Smiers officiating. The city officials will meet at the city hall at 9 o'clock and attend the funeral in a body.

MUCH SEEDING DONE UP NORTH

The cold wave and snow flurries of the past few days have hampered seeding operations, tho some farmers on light soil have continued seeding without interruption. The farmers east of Crookston and west along the river are from 79 to 90 per cent thru with their wheat seeding, but the farmers in northwestern Polk are not more than half thru with their wheat.

A well known elevator man who returned last evening states that in the vicinity of Stephen and Argyle, Marshall County, and Hallock, Kittson County, have fully 90 per cent of their wheat in the ground and are all rejoicing over the rain and snowfall, believing that it augurs well for a big crop next fall.

If it were not for fear of public opinion, most men would go to the devil in the day time.

SUSPECTS ARE CAUGHT

YOUTHS ACCUSED OF ILLEGAL OPERATIONS HELD AT WILLISTON

CAUGHT ON FREIGHT THIS MORNING AT AN EARLY HOUR

From Tuesday's Daily—

"Schnaps" Schuler and Robert Johnson, two Crookston youths accused of illegal operations in this city in connection with the robbery of Smith's pool room in the Rolsch block of $25 and the Guarantee clothing store of 7 gold watches here about a week ago were arrested at Williston N. D. this morning at 3 o'clock having been recognized by a railroad man. They were coming into Williston on a freight.

Requisition papers are being made out now for their conveyance to this city for hearing.

A dispatch this afternoon states the boys had two watches on their person.

Carl Schuler is the son of Chas. Schuler, formerly residing on W. Sixth St., this city, now on a claim in the north country. The mother is in Chicago.

Johnson's parents cannot be defintely found. At one time they lived near the roundhouse.

FUNERAL SERVICES OVER FRANK JEROME

ST MARY'S CHURCH WAS CROWDED WITH FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

This morning at 9:30 funeral services were held over the remains of the late Frank Jerome, former street commissioner of this city, at St Mary's church, Father Smiers celebrating Requiem High Mass. The church was filled with friends and relatives of the deceased one section being reservfor the city officials of Crookston who attended the services in a body as a mark of respect to their associate, marching to the church from the city hall where they assembled at 9:30.

The floral offerings sent to the residence were very numerous and beautiful and testified to the high standing and esteem in which the deceased had been held in Crookston.

Following the services at the church the cortege moved to the Catholic section of the Oakdale Cemetery where the remains were laid to rest with short services.

In the death of Frank Jerome Crookston has lost a useful citizen. Energetic progressive liberal, patriotic and charitable he will be remembered by all as one whom Crookston could ill afford to lose

The pall bearers were City Engineer J. E. Carroll City Attorney Martin O'Brien, Park Commissioner Jas. E. O'Brien, T. B. McManus, William Anglim and O. Mercil, Jr.

Among those who attended the funeral were delegations from Red Lake Falls, Gentilly, Grand Forks and many from the immediate vicinity of Crookston.

DREDGES ARE DOING BUSINESS

REPORTS FROM ALL NORTHERN SECTIONS TELL OF FLYING DIRT

The dredge men of the north country have been busy for the past two weeks and are under full headway now. Captain Beard has been hard at work with his big outfit on the Roseau River and Jerry Sherwood is tearing out the yards near Caribou on the Roseau. Dredges have commenced on judicial ditch No. 2 in the southeast part of Polk county. The ground is in the best condition for dredging operations it has been for some years.

SINKING SIX INCH ARTESIAN WELL

Albert Lee and Geo. Welch have taken a contract for sinking a six inch well for Mrs. H. L. Ross who purchased the G. W. Eastman farm, one mile from the R. E. Smith place at Kittson. They started Saturday and got down 60 feet the first day, including four feet of rost near the surface. Mrs. Ross thought that with a six inch casing there would be no lack of water available if a flow was struck at all. This will be one of the largest artesion wells in this section if the expected flow is struck.

GOING AFTER GRAND LODGE

SONS OF NORWAY OF CROOKSTON WANT 1909 MEETING IN CROOKSTON

DELEGATES TO GRAND LODGE MEETING WERE ELECTED LAST EVENING

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Sons of Norway held a rousing meeting in Woodmen Hall last evening and decided after electing delegates to the Grand Lodge meeting of the order which is to be held in St. Paul June 10, to use every effort to land the 1909 meeting of the Grand Lodge for Crookston.

The Grand Lodge of the Sons of Norway would attract hundreds of delegates from all parts of the state, and in addition there would be hundreds of members who would attend from thruout the north half of the state, and a specially large delegation would attend from St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth. The members of the Crookston lodge are hustlers and confidently expect to land the big gathering for Crookston.

The delegates elected to the Grand Lodge meeting last evening were T. Randers and James Tronrud, and the alternates Christ Arneberg and C. Carlson.

At the conclusion of the business session Messrs. Oliver Twedten, Carl Borghen and Frank Weed served a fine lunch of "Wenies" etc., which was thoroly enjoyed by all present.

Celebrate May 17

The Sons of Norway are already making arrangements for the annual celebration of the 17th of May The big doings will be held in the Peter Cornelius Grove three miles east of this city on the south side of the river. Good speakers will be secured a program of games and sports will be carried out, the Viking chorus will sing and in the evening there will be a big dance.

WEATHER DOESN'T STOP SEEDING

BERT ANDERSON GETS BUSY ON 24 IN THE TOWN OF ANDOVER

Notwithstanding weather conditions seeding operations are gradually getting under headway again. Bert Anderson on the O. H. Richardson farm on 24 in Andover resumed seeding yesterday morning. Farmers east have hardly been affected at all by the fall of rain except in a beneficial way. It will be another day before farmers can operate extensively on gumbo or clay soils.

HAVE TO BUILD A NEW DAM

McCOY AND SULLIVAN EXAMINE LOG JAM NEAR THIEF RIVER

McCoy and Sullivan, rivermen, have examined the log jam on the Red Lake River near Thief River Falls and have decided the only way to handle the logs which are now up on dry land will be to dam the river below until the water floats the timbers again. This will mean an immense expenditure.

WILD GEESE COME AT HIGH FIGURE

Game Warden Wm. F. Munch spent yesterday at Hallock where he arrested Ed Peterson for shooting a wild goose. Peterson saw that he was up against it and entered a plea of guilty before Judge H. Harrison, and was fined $16.50 which he paid. Deputy Warden Munch has the entire northwestern part of the state so organized that it is impossible to smuggle a feather of a wild bird into a city or village but what some one is on the lookout and tips the snap off. Every sportsman in the entire section is backing up Deputy Warden Munch, and there are practically no violations of the law for that reason.

BUILDING LAUNCH FOR RED LAKE

Andrew Erickson of Thief River Falls is building a 24 foot launch with a 6 1-2 foot beam to run from Thief River Falls to Mud Lake and Red Lake especially in the hunting season. The boat is a 7 horsepower and is speedy.

BANNER DAY FOR K. C.'S

MONSTER CLASS OF 60 NEW MEMBERS INITIATED HERE YESTERDAY

ABOUT 300 VISITING MEMBERS—SUMPTUOUS BANQUET SERVED

From Monday's Daily— ..

The initiation of a class of 50 candidates yesterday marked an era in the history of Crookston Council, Knights of Columbus. The sessions began with a short meeting before noon, and concluded with a speech making session in Woodmen Hall, following the banquet in the Auditorium.

Prominent Visitors

The affair called together one of the largest crowds which ever assembled here for a fraternal organization function, about 300 being present from outside points. Grand Forks and East Grand Forks had the largest delegation, 86 strong, who arrived on a special train over the Northern Pacific at noon, and did not depart till after midnight. Duluth came next, 25 strong, headed by District Deputy Leo Ball, and included the splendid degree team which did the initiatory work in the most improved fashion. They arrived in a special car and departed on 36 which was held till 10:30. Winnipeg was represented by a delegation of about 20 and St. Paul, Minneapolis, St. Cloud, Brainerd, Barnesville, Fargo, Bemidji and other places were represented by from 1 to 10 delegates all representative men in the communities from which they came.

The Afternoon Session

Following the short session before dinner, the Knights re-assembled shortly after noon and the initiatory work was commenced. Owing to the large class this portion of the ceremony was not concluded till about 9 o'clock in the evening. The initiation ceremonies were performed in Woodmen hall which was literally packed with a crowd of between 450 and 500 candidates and Knights, and there was something doing all the time.

Splendid Banquet

At 9 o'clock last evening the Knights left the Woodmen hall in a body and marched to the Auditorium where a splendid banquet was served in courses. The hall was elaborately decorated with flags and bunting, and in the rear, reaching clear across the hall was a monster K. C. banner.

The Knights were seated at four long tables, with a capacity of 100 each. The tables were beautifully decorated with a profusion of red carnations and Easter lilies and were resplendent with cut glass and Haviland china.

The banquet was served by a corps of 25 ladies, relatives of the local Knights, and every arrangement in connection with the banquet was carefully attended to, the service being absolutely faultless and the menu very elaborate.

Social Session

After the wants of the inner man had been fully supplied Atty. Geo. J. Connon was named toastmaster and a series of most brilliant addresses were made by prominent visitors present. After a number of toasts had been responded to at the banquet tables, the Knights adjourned to Woodmen Hall where the speech making was continued till after midnight.

This concluded one of the greatest fraternal organization meetings ever held in Crookston. Grand Knight O'Brien of the Crookston Council together with the various committees which worked for the success of the grand meeting have full reason to feel highly gratified over the manner in which every detail of the affair was carried out.

Visitors Pleased

It would be impossible to give an adequate report of the many fine compliments paid Crookston by the visiting delegations. One made by a Duluth man is given as an illustration. He said:

"At the K. C. Institution here last summer I was necessarily absent. Later I was in New Orleans and a Knight who had been in Crookston at that time stated that Crookston was the greatest city in the Union for free-hearted hospitality. Scores of others in every part of the country at various times have told me the same thing. I determined to attend this meeting, and now I am convinced that I was told but a portion of the truth. We have had a splendid time and the people of Crookston are to be complimented. You have a great city, and royally hospitable people."

The New Members

Following are the names of the class initiated yesterday:

Cornelius P. Hughes, Edward L. Sullivan, Arthur H. Kirsch, Henry J. Welte, Leon J. Bourque, F. B. Pott, M. H. Theilen, Stephen M. Schaak, P. J. Carney, Sylvester McGuire, Patrick C. Duffy, Joseph O. Nelson, Michael Miklos, Thomas Stahl, Wellington E. Jewell, J. Edward Page, John J. Burke, John J. Gibbons, Paul Foucault William R. Stoughton, Martin Murphy, Early J. Racine, Thomas Powers, Cornelius Norman, Alva A. Andrews, Stanley Fitzgerald, Arthur Kahala, A. J. Couvrette, A. J. Kirk, F. L. Martin, F. J. Roesch, M. J. Malone, Joseph A. Wessell, Frank Drosky, Maurice Girard, Joseph A. McGowan, William Doyle, John Joseph O'Neil, John B. Morin, John F. Norman, Edmund H. Dea, Michael E. Kirsch, William Millette, John M. McGuire, Edward J. Sullivan, Thomas McCann, Edward F. Enright, Walter Columbus, William J. Helin, John W. Smiers.

SERVANT GIRL BECOMES INSANE

INSISTS ON SLEEPING ON FLOOR OF KITCHEN AND POLICE ARE CALLED

EMPLOYED IN KITCHEN OF BUNGALOO CLUB—PLACED IN PADDED CELL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Her mind almost a total blank Jennie Johnson aged about 35 years, is in the Grand Forks county jail, where she is very violent at times and has been placed in the padded cell. Miss Johnson says sometimes that her mother is a widow and lives at St. Paul. At other times she states that her mother lives in Grafton. She has been employed in Grand Forks until April 10, at least as a check shows. She claims to have worked for a family in Grafton for ten years. The arrest of Miss Johnson was made at 2 o'clock yesterday morning by Captain John Sullivan who turned her over to Deputy Johnson of the county jail.

Miss Johnson with another woman, had been employed in the old McCanna residence Reeves avenue, which is leased by the Bungaloo Club of the University of North Dakota. Sunday night she decided she would sleep in the kitchen and early Monday morning one of the students stumbled over her when he went to get a drink of water. An alarm was raised and when it was found she was insane the police were called.

DAMAGE FOR BROKEN HEAD

GEORGE FORSETH STARTS SUIT TO RECOVER $1575 DAMAGES

FROM HUGH FRASER AND ROBERT NASH OF EAST GRAND FORKS

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Suit has been begun in the district court here by George Forseth against Hugh Fraser and Robert Nash of the same place to recover damages placed at $1,575 for injuries alleged to have been sustained at the hands of the defendants. The plaintiff claims that he was assaulted by the plaintiffs on the 8th day of April in a saloon in E. G. Forks and severely injured, both jaws being broken. The action is scheduled for trial at the June term of court Hugh Fraser one of the defendants, is a prominent business man conducting a saloon on DeMers avenue where it is understood the fracus of which the suit is an outcome occurred. Robert Nash is a student at the University of North Dakota law school.

JOHNSON PAINT SHOP IS GUTTED

FIRE IN MOORHEAD LAST EVENING DESTROYED NEARLY $3,000

The interior of the Fred Johnson paint shop, Sixth street, Moorhead, was gutted and a large stock of goods destroyed last evening, fire being discovered about 8 o'clock. The building had been locked up at the close of day and altho it is not known how the blaze originated it is thought that a spark from the stove possibly set fire to oil rags in the work room. The stove in the front of the place had been taken down and a large fire built in the sheet iron stove in the rear to warm the building yesterday. An exceptionally heavy stock was carried by Mr Johnson at this time of the year The wall paper, varnishes and other material was destroyed, there being some paint which was unharmed. Last evening Mr. Johnson placed his loss at between $2,000 and $3,000. The building which was also damaged was owned by him.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

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CRACKSMEN AT MAPLETON

SAFE IN FOOTER STORE AND POSTOFFICE BLOWN AT 1:30 THIS A. M.

ROBBERS GOT AWAY WITH LESS THAN $100 IN CASH — SAFE WRECKED

From Wednesday's Daily—

At 1:30 this morning the safe in the postoffice located in the general store owned by Chas. Footer was blown and practically destroyed, the contents, less than $100 taken by robbers and the store looted of articles of value, the aggregate value of which could not be ascertained this morning. About $500 damage was done by the yeggmen.

The explosion which opened the strong box was terrific in force, shattering the glass front and arousing the community. Footer, sleeping up stairs was awakened, but unable to locate any one after coming down stairs. The store was full of smoke one long distance telephone blown out and the place topsy-turvy.

According to the opinion or parties in Mapleton the deed was done by a suspicious party seen about the village in the afternoon. Authorities at different points were notified and a lookout will be kept in an endeavor to locate the cracksmen. No burglary insurance was carried by Footer.

DROVE OFF BRIDGE.

Young Driver and His Horse Killed Near Gladstone, Mich.

Gladstone, Mich., May 6.—Bert Murray, driver for a Rapid River livery stable, while coming from Escanaba to Gladstone last night, fell off a bridge into a deep ravine. He was so badly injured that he died on way to a hospital. His horse was killed.

AWFUL ACT OF MINOT WOMAN

GRIEF OVER DEATH OF BABY LEADS MRS. HESS TO HANG HERSELF

THE RASH ACT HAS NEARLY SET HUSBAND COMPLETELY DISTRACTED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Distracted over the death of her year old child, Mrs. Ole Hess, the wife of a Minot carpenter, committed suicide by hanging last evening. The body was found hanging to the rafters in the barn with an overturned box under her feet. A clothes line had been used. There is a rumor that the child was killed by the mother before the suicide was committed. An inquest will be held tomorrow and the case investigated.

The father is distracted over the tragic event and can give no plausible reason for the deed.

SUSPICIONS ARE AROUSED

The presence in the city of C. P. Welch, special agent of the Great Northern, and Hermann H. Schloss, garnishee clerk in the St. Paul office of the same spent Sunday in the city. Capt. Vonderbeck nabbed them as soon as they got off the train and tried to connect them with the Stephen Bank Robbery. When taken to the city hall, neither one had 40 cents in cash and they were given their liberty, Agent Bell and Asst. Supt. Schweizer going on their bail bond.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small, safe, sure and gentle little pills. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

VICIOUS FLEE FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS

Orders of acting Mayor Prichard Energetically Pushed Notwithstanding Efforts of Minions of Tenderloin Traffic.

Monday night Acting Mayor Pritchard sent a special message to County Attorney Germo at Red Lake Falls summoning him to Thief River Falls to look after legal side of expulsion of tenderloin inmates. Some of the inmates returned to Thief River Falls at the same time, but the county attorney gave them no countenance.

Germo returned to Red Lake Falls last night.

Acting Mayor Pritchard of Thief River Falls is deadly in earnest in his efforts to clean out the tenderloin districts at that city. During the absence of Mayor Hammery at Hot Springs, Arkansas, he has been getting the police forces whipped into shape putting at the head the new chief of police, Lang and with the issuance of the order for the evacuation of the red light district the tin horn and gamblers found no remedy for their dilemma.

County Attorney Germo, Sheriff Nelson and Reverend Phillip Swartz went to Thief River Falls yesterday morning to secure evidence against the sporting fraternity. On the other hand a reputed housekeeper, Minnie Smith, well known on account of her enormous weight, and owner of several of these resorts throut the north country boarded the Duluth train west bound at Swan River where she lives, and dismounted at Erskine last night that she might get into Thief River Falls tonight and look after her disintegrating and infamous interests.

She has secured legal assistance and will try to withstand the attacks of the Thief River Falls authorities on her business. Inmates of the red light districts have been arriving here on every train and fleeing to the cities Minot and Duluth for refuge. The local dealers in this class of business have refused to house them on account of their number and the warnings of the local police.

The women are trailed by a bunch of tin horns and gamblers arrayed in race track checks and during the short minutes that the police permit them to roam at large about the streets they lend some picturesqueness to the town. One of the tin horns said last night that they "guessed we were knocked out of another good town."

Some of the inmates lodged for a time at Red Lake Falls but most of them moved on last evening to Crookston and scattered in all directions. There are about twenty inmates and as many or more tin horns and gamblers that have passed thru the city already.

The Swan River woman has a representative at the depot here gathering them together and sending them out again. The openness of the traffic has aroused the mayor to issue orders against them.

DEAD BODY WAS SAIEN'S

ABAS OBTAINS CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE COOPERSTOWN CORPSE WAS ABAS SAIEN

THE EVIDENCE IS APPARANTLY POSITIVE THAT DEATH WAS FOUL

From Wednesday's Daily—

A. Abas, well known Assyrian Main Street merchant, returned this morning from Cooperstown, N. D., where he has been for two days looking into the discovery there of the dead body of an Assyrian peddler in the Sheyenne River 15 miles north.

Mr. Abas obtained conclusive evidence that the body was that of Abas Salen, brother of Ahmed Saien, who was lost about the first of April last. Ahmed left his brother who could not speak English at Courtney and they were to meet at Aneta. Ahmed remained about Aneta for a week but his brother did not arrive and he reported to Abas at Crookston who advertised in the Journal for the recovery of the body.

HE APPRECIATES MANY KINDNESSES

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls has entered the race for register of deeds of that county. He thoroly appreciates what has been done for him by friends in Crokston and Red Lake Co., since his accident. His friends in Red Lake County realize that he can attend to the duties of the register of deeds there in good shape, regardless of his present affliction and it is certain that his many friends in this city and throughout the northwest would like to see him elected to the office for which he aspires.

HARRINGTON AT WHEATON

STATE FARM PRINCIPAL SCHEDULED FOR LEADING ADDRESS AT MEET

COMMERCIAL CLUB OF WHEATON TO GIVE BIG RALLY ON MAY 16

From Wednesday's Daily—

Professor L. P. Harrington, principal of the north state experimental farm schools at Crookston will make the leading address at a big publicity rally of the Wheaton, Minn., Commercial Club May 16th next. The morning program of that day is:

Address of Welcome—W. T. Williams.

"What Our Teachers and Schools Can Do to Improve Rural Conditions," L. P. Harrington, Crookston Minn.

"Immigration," George Welch, St. Paul, Minn.

The program further says: L. P. Harrington, an instructor in the state agricultural school at Crookston, Minnesota, was for many years county superintendent of schools of McLeod county. While in that position he took great interest in the good seed contest, and the pupils of the schools in his county were successful in winning prizes. His work in this line became known, and he was called to become the principal of the school at Crookston.

Is Stepmother's Slayer.

Norwich, N. Y., May 6. — William Scott, who has been on trial here for a week charged with killing his stepmother, Mrs. James Scott, was last night found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Destroyed by Night Riders.

Winston Salem, N. C., May 6.—Night riders last night destroyed the tobacco plant beds of F. C. Fishel, in Davidson county. This is the first time night riders have operated in this section.

TAFT'S MISSION IS TO PREVENT WAR

TORNADO IN MISSOURI.

Considerable Damage Done in Several Towns.

Springfield, Mo., May 6.—A tornado which struck this city at 6:40 yesterday morning wrecked the Springfield Wagon company's warehousse, blew down steeples, uprooted trees and interrupted wire service. Many horses and cattle were killed. Damage is reported at Pierce City, Monett, Ozark, Strafford and Holman. No lives were lost so far as is known.

Killed in Fight.

Lexington, Ky., May 6.—In a fight between Daniel White and James B. Fugate at the former's farm in Breathitt county, Fugate was killed and White was wounded. The men had been on unfriendly terms for some time.

LUNATIC LOOSE IN ROSEAU CO.

Running at large in the Roseau swamps seventy miles north of here, his location unknown and means of life only the fish of the streams and whatever he can steal with his cunning in the settlements at night is an insane patient in search for whom all the forces that Roseau county can bring to bear will organize as soon as Sheriff Richmond returns home. The sheriff passed thru here yesterday. The patient left his home one night about two weeks ago and has not yet been located. He became fearful that enemies were on his track and his unnatural cunning has aided him in avoiding all search parties yet organized. Upon apprehension he will be taken to Fergus Falls hospital for the insane.

Upon his return from a visit to the south Sheriff Richmond of Roseau county will take to the state reformatory at St. Cloud a prisoner, Funseth by name who forged a check on his uncle a Mr. Anderson. The bank was cashed at the bank and the uncle did not discover the matter until almost a month had passed.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

Colombia Believes Panama Is Trying to Embroil Her in War With Venezuela.

UNITED STATES MIXED IN IT

Occupation of Jurado Was Advised by America—Castro Plans to Grab Territory.

Cartagenia, Colombia, May 6. — The government at Colombia has reason to believe that the government at Panama is intriguing with Venezuela to declare war upon this country. It is known that the occupation of Jurado, which is on the Atrato river, the boundary line between Panama and Colombia, has angered the Panama government.

The occupation of Jurado was done on the advice of the American government, which held that it was clearly within Colombian territory. The attitude of the government of Panama has given the United States a good deal of solicitude. One of Secretary Taft's chief missions to Panama is to try and adjust the matter.

It is believed that the American government is aware of the effort of Panama to induce Venezuela to make war upon Colombia.

Two Disputes Pending.

Two boundary disputes enter into the situation.

Castro wants a strip of Colombian territory on the east and Panama, according to the Colombians, is seeking to despoil Colombia of certain territory along the Atrato river, which includes the town of Jurado. Venezuela's claim, or rather demand, is that Colombia cede her a very material part of the Goadjira peninsula, down the center of which the present boundary now runs, as well as a certain area in the vicinity of Cucuta.

On the other hand, Panama desires to extend her territorial holdings to embrace a section of the Atrato river and an area of territory which includes Jurado.

Troops Sent to Jurado.

When Colombia heard of these aspirations she sent troops to Jurado for the purpose of bringing this matter to an issue.

Panama, it is declared, would like to embroil Colombia with Venezuela on the eastern frontier, as such an outcome would give her a better chance to force her claim for territorial extension upon the western frontier.

A FAST ONE HAS BEEN PURCHASED

F. C. MITCHELL HAS PURCHASED THE HORSE "EARLY GLEANER"

F. C. Mitchell has purchased the "Early Gleaner," one of the best bred horses that was ever shipped into the northwest. Here are a few things about him that are contained in a pamphlet sent out by the man who bred him:

The dam of this stallion is an inbred Wilkes, twice a great grand daughter of old Geo. Wilkes himself and grand daughter of Onward, the greatest sire in the history of the world, living or dead. This dam stands 16 hands, weighs 1380 lbs. and would sell right in the market on her individuality as a coach or surrey horse for $500. Three of her filly foals sold for $1600.

No matter what noted sire a stallion springs from, without good blood on the dam's side he is only half a horse.

Sire—The world renowned Early Reaper, (2:09 1-4) sire of Early Alice 2:07 by Highwood, by Nutwood; dam Atlanta, by Alcantara, by George Wilkes.

Dam—The same as the Moslem's.

All bred in the purple.

All superb individuals.

All extra large, high-going, fashionable actors, 15 1-2 to 17 hands high, 6 foot girth, weighs 1250 to 1400 lbs.

PARTITION OF RED LAKE REAL ESTATE

LAND NEAR BROOKS—ACTION TO QUIET ST. HILAIRE TITLE

The case of Samuel O. Lippy vs. Herman Wilmeroth both of Peru, Ill., to partition real estate held in common between them near Broks was brought before Judge Watts this morning by Attorney Farley of Red Lake Falls and sale ordered by trustee, the proceeds to be distributed.

Also brought up by the same attorney an order was signed to quiet title to lots in St. Hilaire, the title remaining in Thomas J. Sanwick who had secured the lots, once held by Thomas J. Thorkelson, former druggist at St. Hilaire now in California somewhere. Service could not be had on absent party.

THAW GETS OUT OF INSANE ASYLUM

TEMPORARILY LODGED IN DUTCHESS COUNTY JAIL UNTIL HIS CASE IS DECIDED—EVELYN THAW MAY TESTIFY—ATTORNEY DECLARES THAW IS READY TO SUBMIT TO ANY EXAMINATION AS PROOF OF SANITY

Poughkeepsie, May 6.—Temporarily at least, Harry K. Thaw is out of the Matteawan hospital for the criminal insane. As a result of yesterday's proceedings on the writ of habeas corpus sued out in an effort to have him legally declared sane, he will remain in the Dutchess county jail until the final decision on the writ is handed down. The formal hearing in the case will come before the supreme court here next Monday.

The adjournment was taken upon the request of a representative of the district attorney of New York county, to give District Attorney Jerome an opportunity to appear in person to oppose Thaw's release from the asylum.

In the meantime Thaw will remain in the Dutchess county jail here instead of being returned to Matteawan.

An interesting feature of yesterday's proceedings was an announcement that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, although she has brought suit for annulment of her marriage, will appear, if necessary, as a witness in her husband's behalf.

Thaw himself undoubtedly will go on the stand in his own behalf, Mr. Peabody said. He declared that the prisoner is willing to submit to any examination the court or the district attorney may desire as proof of his sanity.

"We hold that the burden of proof rests upon Mr. Jerome to show that Thaw is insane. He has never been declared insane. Mr. Jerome's commission in the first trial adjudged him sane. The jury in the second trial deemed him insane at the time he killed Stanford White."

ELEVEN ARE LOST IN SHIPWRECK

Steamer Springs Leak, Is Hit by Huge Wave and Rendered Unmanageable.

NINE RESCUED BY LIFESAVERS

Some of Crew Drowned While Trying to Launch Boat—Dangerous Work for Rescuers.

Newport, Or., May 6. — During a storm Friday night on the coast the steamer Minnie E. Kellon shifted and sprung a bad leak. Saturday noon a huge wave struck the vessel and washed her deck and cabin, leaving the vessel waterlogged and unmanageable. Eleven of the crew were drowned some while trying to launch a boat.

Four on a raft tried to get ashore, but only one succeeded, and he sustained a broken leg. The lifesaving crew of this place took nine men off the vessel and landed them on the shore about fifteen miles north of here. The Minnie E. Kellon was bound from Aberdeen to San Francisco, loaded with lumber, in command of Capt. James McKenna. The last seen of the vessel she was picked up by another schooner going north.

As soon as the news reached here the lifesaving crew at Yakima Bay station left for the scene. After a trip fraught with danger the crew reached the vessel and succeeded in rescuing the nine men who remained on board. The lifeboats put ashore twenty miles north of Newport.

CAPTURE PIRATE CRAFT.

Revenue Cutter Fires Three Shots Before Sloops Heaves To.

San Juan, Porto Rico, May 6.—After a prolonged pursuit along the west coast of Porto Rico, the revenue cutter Algonquin has succeeded in capturing a sloop that was stolen some time ago from a west coast port. The cutter had to fire three shots before the sloop would heave to. The pirates were planning to commit other robberies, after which they were going to escape to Santo Domingo.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in hot weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

SAY THEY ENJOYED ROME.

Mme. Gould and Prince Helie Leave Italian Capital.

Rome, May 6.—Prince Helie de Sagan and Mme. Gould and party left here yesterday, ostensibly for Florence, but it is thought they are going to Milan. The prince and Mme. Gould expressed themselves as delighted with their visit in Rome because they had not been made the objects of public curiosity.

Rooster Inflicts Fatal Wounds.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 6. — Max Crockett, Jr., fifteen months old, died at Lewisburg yesterday from wounds inflicted by a large rooster. The child fell in the yard and the rooster attacked him, sinking his spurs repeatedly into the child's head.

LAWLER BY 4500 VOTES

ST. PAUL CHOSES DEMOCRATIC MAYOR IN YESTERDAY'S ELECTION

TWELVE DEMOCRATIC ALDERMEN —TWO REPUBLICAN ALDERMEN CONTESTED TODAY

Daniel Lawler was chosen mayor of St. Paul yesterday by 4500 majority.

12 aldermen elected are democrats The only republican elected to seat in council without protest is Keller. The democrats are contesting two other republican aldermen in the city who claim election.

MARKS LAST LOG DRIVE.

All Timber in the Black River Is Started for the Mills.

Black River Falls, Wis., May 6.—A large crew of log drivers are now at work inside the city limits with perhaps the last drive that ever will go down the river. The crew started at the Dells dam, a few miles above the big Hatfield dam, and has set every log afloat along the river and driven them below the falls. It will completely clear the logging business up on the Black river.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

INSURGENTS WON AT FORKS

WILL REPRESENT GRAND FORKS COUNTY AT MINOT ON MAY FOURTEENTH

AN EFFORT TO GET SOME HANSBROUGH DELEGATES ON LIST FAILS

From Friday's Daily—

The Grand Forks county republican convention yesterday elected a delegation of 17 progressives to the state convention to be held in Minot on May 14. The delegation is headed by H. Bendeke, candidate for lieutenant governor, and was instructed by the convention to secure a delegation favorable to the nomination of W. H. Taft for president and favor the selection of a committeeman who has not and will not in the future be likely to be dominated and controlled by corporation influences.

The test of the strength of the progressives and stalwarts came on the vote for chairman of the convention. A. L. Woods was the choice of the progressives and Dr. H. M. Wheeler was nominated as the stalwart candidate. Mr. Woods was elected by a vote of 76 to 37.

An effort was made to get some Senator H. C. Hansbrough stalwarts on the delegation on the ground that they were anti-McKenzie, but this proposition was not favored by the majority of the delegates.

ALLEGED FORGER IS ARRESTED

C. E. THOMAS WHO GOT $96 "EASY MONEY" THRU CHECK IS LANDED

C. E. Thomas, who forged a check for $97.75 in the name of G. B. Thompson and was aprehended by Sheriff Bailey at Duluth, plead guilty yesterday afternoon before Judge Stanton at Bemidji and was sentenced to two years at hard labor at Stillwater.

Thomas passed the check, so it is said, on a local party, securing the full amount called for—$96, and the payee of the check did not know that the paper was worthless until it was presented at a local bank.

Thomas was arraigned yesterday and his hearing was continued for ten days.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Shocked to Death.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., April 30.—Dennis Courtney of this city was shocked to death yesterday afternoon by 12,000 volts pressure of an alterating current in the new station of the Niagara Falls Hydraulic Power company.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the gest blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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LIGHT RUNNING
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If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread [*Chain Stitch*] Sewing Machine write to
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FOR SALE BY
CROOKSTON FURNITURE CO.,

ONE OF OLDEST OF ENGINEERS

HEDDING PULLED FIRST MILWAUKEE TRAIN OUT OF MINNEAPOLIS IN 1874

A VETERAN MILWAUKEE ENGINEER PASSED AWAY IN MINNEAPOLIS YESTERDAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Simon E. Hedding, one of the oldest locomotive engineers of the Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, died at his home in Minneapolis yesterday Hedding pulled the first train out of Minneapolis on the Milwaukee road on Christmas day, 1874. He was born at Cazey, N. Y., in 1814. Mr. Hedding was a relative of Bishop Elijah Hedding one of the early bishops of the Methodist church.

WHEREABOUTS OF WALKER BOYS KNOWN

DISAPPEARED FROM NEAR PUPOSKY MONDAY—ENROUTE TO DAKOTA

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Arthur and Willie Walker, aged 10 and 15 years who left their home near Puposky last Monday afternoon without giving any intimation as to where they were going, has been cleared up in so far as it relates to their having been drowned or that they may have been killed as it is believed that the boys are now alive and well and are on their way to Dakota by foot.

The two boys are the sons of A. P. Walker who carries the mail on the Star route between Puposky and Fowlds and are said to have been seen late Monday afternoon leaving the railroad at Werner a station on the M. R. L. & M. railway and start westward on the old Fosston railroda.

As the older of the boys has lived in Dakota and has said he liked it out there it is more than likely that the boys have started for the "Flickertail" state.

RAILROAD GOES BACK TO 3-CENT RATE

It is understood that the Rainy Lake railroad will soon issue a new passenger tariff based on a three-cent rate. The law establishing a uniform rate in the state of two cent per mile having been declared unconstitutional and the rate being a losing one for this line on account of its short haul and the primitiveness of the section which it traverses, the company has decided to establish a three-cent rate. When it formerly operated but about forty miles the road charged five cents per mile, as such roads were accustomed to doing. It is understood that there will be but one other road in the state to resume the three-cent rate, the other lines being so situated that the two-cent rate works no hardship on them—Internatoinal Falls Echo.

DEATH RUTHLESSLY ENDS HONEYMOON

News has reached the city of the sudden death of Mrs. Fred Rasmusson of Kathryn, N. D. Cause of death was pneumonia, and she was ill but two or three days. Mrs. Rasmusson became a bride on April 9 and her death on Saturday was an awful shock Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Rasmusson, parents of Dr. Fred Rasmusson, and Mrs. O. D. Dahl, a sister of Morhead, left for Kathryn to attend the funeral. Mrs O. D. Dahl was a former well known resident of this city and her sister in-law visited here often.

SALOON MEN ROUNDED UP.

Quartet of Minors Say They Were Furnished Liquor.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., April 30.—All the saloonkeepers at Boyd, near here, were arrested yesterday on charges of selling liquor to minors. They are: Henry Gansel, Christ Ganzel, Frank Yaeger, Bert Loiselle, Dan McGillis and Christ Lichtner. The quartet of minors, who are now serving four months in the county jail, charge the saloon men with selling them the liquor which caused them to raid the Fogel farm.

Affords Perfect Security

Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

STRUCK BY CAR DOOR

BERT BELLIS OF CANDO DIES AS THE RESULT OF AN ACCIDENT

SUDDEN LURCH OF TRAIN CAUSED DOOR TO STRIKE HIS HEAD

From Friday's Daily—

Bert Bellis of Cando, met with death from an unusual accident in the yards at Devils Lake Wednesday, while on his return from St. Paul with a horse owned by J. C. Lord, of Cando. The door of the box car was open and Bellius was standing there looking out when the engine started suddenly. The lurch caused the car door to run back with great force and Bellis' head was caught. He dropped to the floor of the car and was unconscious for a time. He rallied and said he felt all right. A man who was with him went away and returned in three-quarters of an hour. Bellis was dead.

It was thought at first that there had been foul play and State's Attorney Kehoe, of Cando, and State's Attorney Serumgard, of Devils Lake, started an investigation. They became convinced that it was a case of accidental death. The car door struck Bellis' head with such force that a blood vessel inside was ruptured.

The coroner's inquest was held in Devils Lake yesterday and a verdict of death as a result of an accident was reached.

WELTE FILES FOR COUNTY AUDITOR

WELL KNOWN DEPUTY COMES FORTH FOR HEAD OF OFFICE

Henry J. Welte, for five years deputy of the county auditor's office and connected with the Polk county auditor's office since 1898, filed today for head of that department of the county administration. Nels A. Hoffard will not file for office again.

BANK SAFE DYNAMITED.

Robbers Get Away With $2,000 at Monterey, Minn.

Monterey, Minn., April 30. — The People's State bank was broken into and the safe blown with nitroglycerin. The burglary was not discovered until the bank officials reached the scene to open up for the day's business. Between $1,500 and $2,000 was secured. The sheriff is investigating, but there is small chance to apprehend the criminals, as the night was dark and stormy.

TOO OLD TO WORK; IS SUICIDE.

Man Laid Off Because of Age Hangs Himself.

Houghton, Mich., April 30. — William Mertz, for half a century a resident of the Quincy mine locatoin, committed suicide yesterday by hanging himself in a woodshed. Mr. Mertz, who was sixty-seven years old, was laid off by the Quincy Mining company last winter because of his age and brooded over it.

Starving Fugitive Surrenders.

Marquette, Mich., April 30.—Starved out in a fruitless endeavor to escape, Frank Dunne has returned from the wilderness northwest of the city to "face the music," as he calls it. As the outcome of a quarrel he had shot at a fellow workman.

Attempt to Poison Girl.

Mason City, Iowa, April 30.—Strychnine was placed in a piece of mince pie, part of the lunch carried by Ivy Wells, employed at a brick plant. Miss Wells was stricken soon after eating and physicians were summoned, but she is in a critical condition.

Aged Man Hangs Himself.

Calumet, Mich., April 30.—While in a fit of despondency last night, William Mertz, for forty years an employe of the Quincy mine, committed suicide by hanging himself. He was seventy years old and leaves a wife and daughter.

ACREAGE IS INCREASED.

Severe Weather Has Done No Damage, but in End Will Be Benefit.

Winona, Minn., May 1. — The crop report of the present week for the territory along the line of the Chicago & North-Western railway west of this city shows that there is a marked increase in acreage of wheat and coarse grains over last year. It also shows that the severe weather of the last few days has done no damage, but in the end will be a benefit, and that the seeding throughout the territory is practically completed.

Man Frightfully Mangled.

St. Paul, May 1. — An unidentified man, but supposed to be Anton Arans of Sun Prairie, Wis., was mangled under a Milwaukee passenger train in the union depot last evening. The lower part of his body was crushed into pulp. He slipped while trying to board a moving train and fell under the wheels.

U. S. COURT CALENDAR

SPRING TERM WHICH CONVENES IN FERGUS FALLS ON MAY 5

SEVERAL CASES FROM CROOKSTON AND VICINITY ARE BOOKED FOR TRIAL

From Friday's Daily—

The following is the civil calendar for the spring term of the United States court which convenes in Fergus Falls next Tuesday, May 5, which includes several cases from Crookston and vicinity.

U. S. vs. Wm. Nicholson and John Mitchell. Timber trespass.

U. S. vs. Bonness & Howe. Timber trespass.

U. S. vs. Arthur W. Mitton. Suit on mail carrier's bond.

L. D. Foskett as an administrator on estate of Herman Aalman vs. N. P. railway company. Personal injury suit.

Iver Wallin, as father of James Wallin, a minor, vs. Duluth Elevator Co. Personal injury.

R. C. Chapin, adm. estate of Mecajah B. Draper, deceased vs. Northern Pacific. Personal injury suit.

Daniel Winegarden vs. Northern Pacific. Personal injury suit.

Arthur B. Church vs. Northern Pacific. Personal injury suit.

Anna Fairbanks vs. the United States. Indian allotment.

Edward L. Warren vs. U. S. Indian allotment.

Chas. Wadena vs. U. S. Indian allotment.

Tebe-gance Wadena vs. U. S. Indian allotment.

INJURY PROVED VERY PAINFUL

MISS ALMA IVERSON HAD SKIN TORN FROM HAND IN LAUNDRY

Miss Alma Iverson, an employe at the Phillips Steam Laundry had one hand painfully injured while at work. She was operating the body ironer when her foot slipped and she lost her balance and in falling forward one hand was caught in between the rollers. Fortunately the roller was just about to reverse as her hand was caught, so that the skin was torn from just the palm and back of her hand. Otherwise her entire arm might have been drawn in and crushed. The injury was very painful at the time, but she will soon be able to return to work. The injuries will not leave permanent scars.

FOUND 4 COATS IN THE BRUSH

CLOTHES TAKEN FROM GUARANTEE CLOTHING STORE LOCATED IN LOWELL

Mrs. Knutson living near Crookston in the town of Lowell discovered this morning in the brush near her residence four coats which she transferred to the police. They were identified as connected with the recent robbery of the Guarantee Clothing store in this city. There is no evidence incriminating anyone in the finding of the clothing.

FIRST TRAIN ARRIVES AT FORT FRANCIS

The first train to enter Ft. Francis over the Duluth, Rainy Lake and Winnipeg railway pulled into the Canadian Northern station this evening at 6:20. On board was a party of about thirty prominent citizens of Duluth, the Twin Cities and Virginia, an important town in Minnesota along the line of the railway. The coming of this train into Fort Francis was made possible by the completion of the bridge over the Rainy River between Rainier on the American side and Pithers Point. This bridge was built co-jointly by the Duluth, Rainy Lake and Winnipeg railway and the Canadian Northern railway. It forms the link which unites the Canadian west with the south and east over the new route which has several distinctive and outstanding features. The entrance of this train is considered as marking an epoch in the commercial development of the country connecting the Duluth, Rainy Lake and Winnipeg railway with the Canadian Northern and opening up a direct line of steel from Winnipeg to Duluth, and from there to Chicago, Milwaukee and the east.

GRAND WORK OF SPLIT LOG DRAG

FARMERS IN LOWELL TOWNSHIP ARE AMONG MOST PROGRESSIVE IN NORTHWEST

WALTER LATTA STOPS SEEDING TO KEEP ROAD IN FIRST CLASS SHAPE

From Friday's Daily—

Those who are not thoroly convinced of the efficacy of the split log drag would do well to take a trip thru the township of Lowell. The progressive farmers there have dragged every foot of the road south of the river which is travelled daily by Rural Mail Carrier J. P. Marcum and he certainly appreciates the fact. The farmers along the rural mail route have the road divided in sections and after every rain each farmer at once attends to his section, the result being that the road is as near perfect as it can be, fine and dry a few hours after every rain, no matter how hard it rains.

Walter Latta on section 33, a mile east of Crookston on the south side of the river has a mile and a half of road used by rural carriers on routes 2 and 3 which he takes care of alone and considers it of enough importance and benefit to himself alone to take his teams from the seeders after every shower and use the split log drag. He stopped work after the last rain and fixed up the road and states that he would stop work any time to keep the road in good shape.

GRAFTON BOY BADLY HURT

BROTHER OF MISS SHUMWAY IS CAUGHT BETWEEN CARS AND CRUSHED

Harris Shumway on old Grafton boy was seriously injured in the Canadian Northern railroad yards at Winnipeg recently. Harris is superintendent of coaches, and while at work was caught between two cars and badly crushed, several bones, being broken He is now improving, but for a time his condition was serious. The injured young man is a brother of Miss Nealie Shumway who was clerk for Engineer Geo. A. Ralph in this city for 2 years and is now with the State Drainage Commission at St. Paul.

AGED POLK COUNTY PIONEER IS BURIED

Tuesday afternoon Mr. John Bryson aged 84 years was buried from the Bethel Presbyterian church on the Marais, Rev. W. S. Ward officiating at the services. Mr. Bryson has been for fifteen years a very highly respected citizen of this county. He leaves an aged wife and son and daughter living on the Marais. Mrs. Gaston and Mr. J. A. Bryson.

TERRIBLY BURNED IN STRAW STACK

Frank Haley crawled into a straw stack near Ardoch and went to sleep. The owner of the farm set the stack on fire to get rid of the old straw as he wanted to use the ground. Haley, being sound asleep, was terribly burned about the hands and arms before he realized his position. He was taken to the Deaconess hospital in Grafton for treatment.

Evans' Men Enjoy Themselves.

Santa Barbara, Cal., April 30. — There were no fixed features on Santa Barbara's entertainment program in honor of the Atlantic battleship fleet yesterday, the officers and men being allowed to pursue their own ways.

Police Prevent Fight.

New York, April 30. — The police last night prevented the scheduled ten-round boxing match between Terry McGovern and Johnny Summers of England at the Old Broadway Athletic club.

Firebug Insane.

Fergus Falls, April 30.—John Carroll set fire to some straw and came near destroying the poorhouse and barn. He was found to be insane and committed to the hospital here.

Relief for Storm Sufferers.

New Orleans, April 30. — Food in plenty yesterday reached the tornado sufferers in every part of Louiana and Mississippi; clothing and cook stoves also were supplied communities where destitution was greatest.

Blow Three Safes; Get $2.

Joplin, Mo., April 30.—After blowing open three safes in Jasper, a small town near here, and securing but $2, two of six robbers were captured near here yesterday. The men refused to divulge their names.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.

FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

JUST BY WAY OF COMPARISON

SOME FIGURES GIVEN TO REFUTE CLAIM THAT CITY LACKS 5000 PEOPLE

Bemidji and Crookston have made much of the fact that Thief River Falls has been turned down in its effort to land a fraternal organization because of the lack, as they state, of the necessary 5000 population. If Thief River Falls is shy of 5000 people just how does it happen that Bemidji has a boasted 6000 or 7000 population? A few figures, by way of comparison may throw some light on this claim. In the State Blue Book, the vote of Bemidji at the election of 1906 is given at 682 that of Thief River Falls at 801 an advantage in favor of the latter city of 119. The school population of Thief River Falls was last year 1035, that of Bemidji was exactly 250 less. This city, during the same year employed 24 teachers, Bemidji 19. Figring the actual population on the time-accepted basis of 5 inhabitants for each attendant at school, the population of Thief River Falls would be 5175 or 99 more inhabitants than is claimed by census taken last summer. This does not look much to us as tho the figures given out as to the city's population had been padded.

As a matter of fact, however, the population of the city was never questioned by the powers that be in the lodge. The refusal was based on other reason's the grounds being strong for believing that a "plug" against the granting of the dispensation, was put in by a nearby lodge that would be seriously affected had the new lodge been organized.—Thief River Falls Press.

When Bro. Bagley asserts that "Crookston has made much of the fact that Thief River has been turned down" we would like to know to whom or to what he refers. We have not got up on our hind legs and made any great yell over the fact, and do not know of anyone else here who has. If Thief River Falls has the required population, and we have neither the inclination nor the facts to dispute the claim that Thief River is entitled to the lodge. There is no disposition on our part to belittle Thief River. We glory in the progressiveness of her citizens and wish she was twice as large as she am.

British Cruiser Breaks Record.

Glasgow, May 2.—It is unofficially reported that the new cruiser Indomitable, which is now undergoing her speed trials, has beaten all records, making twenty-eight knots over a measured mile course on the Clyde and twenty-six and one-fourth knots in the continuous steaming trial.

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GOOD ROADS MADE WITHOUT MONEY

DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING THE FAMOUS KING ROAD DRAG—DIRT ROADS CAN BE MADE USABLE ALL THE YEAR AT A SMALL OUT LAY OF TIME

(Reprinted from the R. F. D. News.)

For the good of the cause and at the request of hundreds of carriers, we reprint the directions for making the road drag designed by D. Ward King, of Maitland, Mo. Mr. King deserves the thanks and encomiums of all dwellers on the dirt roads of the country for his discovery and the generosity with which he places it without money and without price in the hands of any one who will take the trouble to use it.

The Problem

The problem given is the soft or dirt road. It is "worked" occasionally by being plowed on each side and the lose dirt thrown up toward the middle making a more or less symmetrical oval sloping to the ditch on either side. In good weather when the rains are not frequent or heavy the ruts will be cut down by the wagon traffic. In rainy weather and in the spring and fall the ruts are full of water and the mud holes are worn into the surface and made deeper by every now wagon track. The water that makes mudholes is held in by the bottom and sides of dryer earth or a frozen surface. If the water can run off it will do so. The problem then is to make a smooth surface so that the water will run off. Then of course there be no mudhole.

The Solution

The solution is the King drag.

Any man or boy can make a drag in less than two hours.

Get a log, eight feet long and twelve inches in diameter. Split it in halves. Bore three two-inch holes in each half—one at each end, and one in the middle. Join the halves, split sides forward, with good strong braces, about three feet long; wedge them in securely.

If a log is not handy, use a twelve-inch plank. Reinforce the backs with a 2x6.

A loose plank, on which to ride, is placed across the braces.

Wrap one end of the chain around an end stake, carry it over the top of the slab, out to the double trees, and then back to the other end of the slab where it should be fastened by poking an old bolt or spike thru one of the links into a hole bored three or four inches from the end of the slab and about its center, up and down.

Hitch up and drag—at an angle of forty-five degrees—and you will be surprised at the results.

How to Use the Drag

First make the drag and have a four horse evener ready for use the first time. Wait until your roads are very soft, the wetter and softer the better. Then attach four horses; straddle the right-hand rut, and begin to drag. then turn and come back along the other rut. Don't hurry; drive slowly the slower the better. The effect of this first dragging will be to fill up the ruts, and to make a moderately smooth surface on which it is possible to make three tracks—one on each side, and one where the old track used to be. This smooth surface will shed water partially at least, and will give free access to the sun and wind, causing it to dry off quicker than the rough surface on either side of the smoothed space. When it begins to dry off, take two horses and go over the same track again. This will still further puddle the clay and carry a little more into the middle of the road which every team will both puddle and compact still more.

If you wish to widen the road, wait until another rain, and then when it has dried off sufficiently to plow readily plow one furrow along the outer mark of the drag, take the drag and spread this smoothly over the surface of the road. In this way the road will be widened by the width of the furrow and will gradually become oval that is, higher in the middle, and each time the drag is used will become a little smoother and a little harder. If the road is still too narrow, plow another furrow, and so on, until the road has been widened as much as you wish.

Don'ts

Don't drive too fast.

Don't walk; get on the drag and ride.

Don't wait for your neighbors to take hold; they may be waiting for you.

Don't wait for the big grader to come and shape up your road. All you can do first will help to make the work of the grader permanent.

Don't be particular about material With an ax and a two inch augur almost any kind of a log can be made into a drag. The one I used for several years is a box elder.

Don't try to drag with one piece; use two. One will scoop out the hollows in the road and deepen them. When two are used the one keeps the other up; and in a month or so the hollows will have filled and become level and hard like the balance of the road.

Mr. King's Catechism

Would it not be better to plow the road before dragging?

No. Plowing gives a soft foundation. Plowing in the middle of the road is a relic of the old dump scraper days.

What do you do where there is deep ruts in the road?

Drag them. If you drag when the surface is quite loose and soft you will be surprised how soon they will disappear.

How do you get the dirt to the middle of the road?

By hauling the drag slantwise with the end that is toward the center of the road a little to the rear of the other end.

But suppose the road is too narrow?

First drag the wheel tracks. After three or four rains or wet spells, plow a shallow furrow just outside the dragged part. Spread this over the road with the drag. Only plow one furrow. You may plow another furrow after the next rain. At each plowing you widen the road bed two feet.

How many horses do you use?

Two generally. Three if it is just as handy. Four when breaking colts. A good solid team in the center and a colt on each side. Two men on the drag one to drive the other to control the colts.

How do you drain the road?

If the earth is pushed to the middle of the road continually the road will drain itself.

Why not make drag out of plank?

You can, and do good work. Mr. Chas. Hill of Mexico, Mo., uses one made of three hardwood two by fours. But the split log is the best. The plank drag is not so stiff and quivers and flounces.

Why not make the drag of heavy sawed timber, say 6x8 or 8x10?

Because they have a tendency to slip over the bumps. The log is better than the plank because it is more rigid and better than heavy timbers because its thin, tapering edge scrapes more surely.

Don't you grade up the road first

No. The grading is done with the drag, gradually. By so doing the road is solid all the time and is built on a solid foundation.

At what angle do you haul the drag?

A safe answer is forty-five degrees, or in common parlance, exactly quantering. But bear in mind that the proper angle of a drag like the proper tension of a sewing machine depends somewhat on circumstances. The angle of the drag will need to be varied as the soil is moist or dry and as the surface is more or less convex. These slight changes can be made by the driver walking in one direction or the other on the drag.

What does it cost to drag a mile of road a year?

The cost is variously estimated at from $1.00 to $3.00. I think much depends on a season and what degree of excellence satisfies the man who drags.

How do you keep the drag from dodging sidewise?

By not loading it too heavily. If it dodges it is overloaded. If it is overloaded it is because you are trying to do too much at once. The secret of road dragging is a little at a time and often.

Will it work?

All over the state of Missouri the drag has been used with satisfaction. The State Board of Agriculture recommends it and publishes a free booklet on the subject.

Mr. King has traveled extensively in Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, and elsewhere and everywhere comes the word—it will do the business.

The Northwestern Railway Company sent out a special good roads train February 12 to 24, thru Illinois and previously one thru Iowa, to tell the people about the King drag.

Logs Are Scattered.

Bayfield, Wis., May 1. — The wind which blew a gale from the northwest for twenty-four hours broke the double boom which held 2,000,000 feet of A. J. Mussel's logs in the Bayfield Mill company's pond and scattered the logs all over Chequamegon bay. The Bayfield Mill company also lost about 500,000. Although the storm is a very severe one, it will do no other damage, as there is no frost whatever.

From Over The Valley

1200 BUSHELS SHORT ON GRAIN ACCOUNTS

It appears that more than half the grain buyers along the Moorhead Northern have a shortage in their grain acounts this spring. At Kragness one is reported about 1200 bushels short, while at other points along the line deficits are numerous but smaller. It appears that the state weight does not in any case correspond with local weights but, causes a shortage of several bushels on almost every car shipped. There is a suspicion that the "shortage" claims of the various companies is a new form of graft, by which the buyers are bluffed into paying back their wages, and sometimes more.—Hendrum Review.

RAILROAD SUPPER FOR AIR LINE

The gigantic effort of the recent swell supper and railroad entertainment given at Roosevelt last Saturday evening for the benefit of the Consolidated Thief River-Roosevelt Air Line railway was a success. The young people of Roosevelt who took part in the entertainment and were friends to the cause stood as a unit in one solid phalanx.

CLOVER ACREAGE TURNED TO WHEAT

There is perhaps more acres of clover and timothy fields in Hendrum than in any other township in the Red River Valley—at least there are a larger number of pieces. This year will add some to the acreage but will also decrease it somewhat, as several fields have gotten so old that they have been plowed up and are being seeded to wheat, and at the end of this season we shall be able to give accurate figures as to how much of an increase in the wheat yield may be expected by raising clover on the land for a couple of seasons.—Hendrum Review.

TWIN VALLEY PROFESSOR GETS A GOOD BERTH

Prof. Feland of Twin Valley was last week elected to an eleven-hundred-dollar position at Portland, N. D. where for the ensuing school year he will have charge of Brufrat Academy, an institution of learning quite similar to the Grand Forks College. Since his arrival in Twin Valley Prof. Felland has made many friends, has worked hard in the cause of education been a social leader among the young people of the village, taken an active interest in church work and been one of the village's most useful citizens. The Board of Education was very anxious to retain him for another year but was unable to pay the salary necessary.

Escaped Prisoner Caught.

Butte, Mont., April 30.—Frank Lewis was arrested by Detective Morrissey yesterday and held for Frank L. Randall, superintendent of the state reformatory at St. Cloud, Minn.

Public School Burned.

Springfield, Minn., April 30. — The public school was burned yesterday morning, causing a loss of $35,000. The high school and seven other departments are without quarters.

Five Hurt on British Warship.

Portsmouth, April 30. — The explosion of a boiler tube on the British battleship Britannia during a full speed trial yesterday injured five men, four severely and one slightly.

Three Killed in Explosion.

Marion, Ill., April 30.—Three men were killed yesterday by an explosion of the Egyptian Powder mills, five miles from here, and considerable property was damaged.

MILTON MAN GOES INTO OPEN BRIDGE

While on his way to Milton from Fargo with a new 24 horse power Northern touring car, purchased for his automobile livery, C. A. Morton, of Milton, met with an experience that he does not care to repeat. It happened Saturday morning about four miles north of Larimore. Mr. Morton was speeding along at a rate of 25 miles an hour, when he suddenly ran into an open bridge. In fact there was no bridge whatever, that having been removed, but approaches and the embankment were there. The machine took a drop of from eight to ten feet, landing in the water below, right side up with Mr. Morton at the steering wheel. Strange to say the machine as well as Mr. Morton escaped almost entirely without damage or injury, and after some hard work, with the assistance of a farmer's team, the machine was again placed on terra firma and put to service. On account of the bad roads as well as the weakness of Mr. Morton after his harrowinging experience, following an all winter siege of illness, the machine was left at McCanna, from which place it was taken to Milton as soon as the roads and weather permit.

MELGAARD PLANTING MANY VALLEY FRUIT TREES

H. L. Melgaard received 100 choice apple trees this week which he will add to his orchard on the farm east of Argyle. Mr. Melgaard has already over 200 apple and plum trees on his place that are doing well and which produce a fine sample of juicy hard apples and plums.

At his residence in Argyle, Mr. Melgaard has a small orchard of apple and plum trees that produce an abundance of fruit every season that will compare favorably in size with any that are grown in the southern part of the state—only like all northern grown fruit the flavor and quolity is far superior to that grown in the south.—Argyle Banner.

OLDEST ENGINEER IS STRICKEN.

Simeon E. Hedding, in Service for Forty Years, Passes Away.

Minneapolis, May 1. — Simeon E. Hedding, oldest passenger engineer on the St. Paul road, died at his home here yesterday morning. During his forty years' service he never had a wreck and never lost a cent of property belonging to the company as the result of accidents of any kind. He had the honor of pulling the firsttrain which ran out of Minneapolis on the St. Paul road. This was on Christmas day, 1874.

DOESN'T WAIT FOR COURTS.

Convict Escapes Pending Hearing on Appeal.

Chamberlain, S. D., May 1. — John Sysinger, convicted of a statutory offense and sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary at Sioux Falls, but who had secured a stay of sentence pending hearing on an appeal, broke from the new county jail here last night and still is at large. He stole a pony kept close to the wall and made for the prairie.

ROUGH RIDER UNDER CLOUD.

Receiver of Phoenix (Ariz.) Land Office Suspended.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 30.—Publicity has just been given to the suspension last Thursday of Gen. S. Hildreth, receiver of the land office here, pending the investigation of his records by an inspector. Hildreth, who was a sergeant in the First Volunteer cavalry (Rough Riders) during the Spanish-American war, was appointed by President Roosevelt to the land office.

Commmission's Instructions To Tax Assessors.

The following is the list of written instructions given the assessors by the representative of Minnesota tax commission:

1. It is of the greatest importance that the assessor should place all property both real and personal upon the assessment books.

2. The assessor should actually view all property so far as possible. He should not accept the valuation placed upon it by the owner, but shuld make his own valuation.

3. The assessor cannot deduct debts from credits unless the person claiming the same shall make an affidavit required by law.

4. Assessors have no authority to grant to $100 exemption. All property must be listed. The auditor, not the assessor, grants the exemptions.

5. Land should not be assessed at so much per acre thruought a township, but each tract should be valued separately. Improvements upon the land should be assessed separately from the land. Improvements consisting of buildings and permanent structures on the land. This aplies to town and city lots as well as farm property.

6. Incorporated banks in the state are to be assessed according to section 48, tax code. Many private banking concerns have been incorporated since the last assessment and will come under the assessment method described in the tax code.

7. Shares of stock in all corporations, whether domestic or foreign, when the property of the corporation is not assessed in this state, should be listed and assessed to the owner thereof.

GREAT TIME ROUNDING UP THE BANK ROBBERS

From Thursday's Daily—

No robbery in this section of the state ever so thoroly stirred up the people apparently, as the robbery of the Scandia State bank at Stephen, and the traveling men who make the north territory state that they have had some very rich free vaudeville at the smaller places. Large numbers of farmers and others were gathered at all the smaller places yesterday and today, and many of them organized posses and ran down every rumor in their vicinity in the hope of landing the robbers and getting the reward money.

Armed to the Teeth

From reports that have been received from Strandquist, Middle River, Thief River Falls, Greenbush, Strandquist, and other Soo points, and all points on the Great Northern from Warren to Emerson, between 400 and 500 people were arrested and detained from an hour to 24 hours on suspiciou. In the larger places the police of course would not make arrests unless there were some grounds of suspicion but the marshals in some of the villages gathered in every stranger who appeared in town and threw them into jail or kept them under surveillance till they could give an account of themselves.

Wholesale Arrests

At Strandquist yesterday there were at least 25 farmers gathered with wagons and light buggies and armed with shot guns, revolvers, and even old army carbines, determined to go after the thieves. One travelling man stated that the town looked as tho a general rebellion was imminent.

Seeding was neglected yesterday and the day before by scores of farmers who dreamed of making $500 or $1000 all in a bunch. Nothing was talked of, nothing was thought of but robbers.

Farmer Boys Arrested

Well known farmers' sons were arrested in numerous instances and it took all manner of telephoning to their home or to the towns where they did business and were known to get them out of limbo. The wholesale arrests have nearly caused small sized riots in a few instances where the men detained were disposed to resent the suspicion attached to them.

On every incoming train last evening there were bunches of travelling men laughing over the ludicrous side of the situation. They state that it was simply side splitting to see the important airs put on by the marshals who scanned every traveller as tho he were an ex-convict and was only allowed his liberty temporarily owing to the magnanimity of His Grace, the Marshal.

Arrested 'Em All

Traveling men from thru those stations on the Soo, Strandquist, Halma and others, being in that objective direction from Stephen which bank robbers took, state that woe be it to that daring transient farmhand that wanders from the straight path and leaves the farm with which he has been identified for the past week or so. For the town marshals fully cognizant of the importance of their position in this hour of dire calamity are as sharp as hawks and arrest each and every individual they do not know

25 Deputies

At Strandquist the morning of the robbery at Stephen over twenty-five farmers and citizens were sworn in by the town marshal and gathered about the depot preparatory to making some deep strategic move into the brush west of that city where the robbers were supposed to be dividing the exaggerated thousands they had secured from the bank and wild rumors filled the air of the rewards that would come to the lucky individual who would effect their capture. The death of a homesteader in the brush between Stephen and Strandquist led to a rush to that place from all directions for reports filled the air that the robbers were in the last desperate straits and had shot him.

A Secondary Danger

A breath of relief comes from Thief River authorities who stated today that it was worse than hunting season and the dangers of bank robberies in the live north country was not so much at the time of the robbery but at the time of hunting. Two alleged suspects were arrested at Greenbush yesterday but they were said to be farm hands by others. They were held awaiting developments.

Thief River Falls police chief Olson wired to hold suspicious individual on Greenbush passenger last night but he proved to be Great Northern lineman.

Captain Vonderbeck of city police examined suspect on St. Vincent train last night after he had boarded Grand Forks train, but he was released. He said his name was Engstad of East Grand Forks and had boarded the train at Argyle living 7 miles east. He gave a good account of himself.

Engineer Greenough was on the St. Vincent line local freight northbound yesterday morning when the shooting occurred in Stephens business district A brakeman mentioned matter to him but they pulled out without getting truth.

The bank was nearly wrecked and the front blown out. Loss was $5,011.65 in cash, covered by insurance. While Merdink was getting his shot gun ready he heard a man in the rear of the bank sitting behind a barrel, say to a man inside cracking the bank "Better watch the back door, Charley."

The robbers took four bags of silver $1000 in gold and the rest in banknotes.

The damage to the bank building and furniture will make the total loss fully $8000.

O. M. Hatcher of Hatcher Bros. corporation of Grand Forks was in the city over night enroute to Stephen to look up the bank robbery. The Hatcher corporation carried insurance for the bank for burglar losses fully covering all losses sustained.

Chief of Police Wilson of Emerson yesterday apprehended a short distance north of Emerson, Manitoba two suspects of Stephen Bank robbery. They were run down with locomotives impressed in Emerson railroad yards.

Two of the suspects entered the home of Wm. Robertson a farmer on the edge of town at eleven o'clock and asked for food. They carried wicked pump guns loaded with buckshot. They threw up their hands when ordered and showed no disposition to fight. They gave their names as Joseph Stagger and Homer Kater, but refused to talk.

They finally admitted that they were homesteaders enroute to Battleford and had arrived that morning but stopped off to get the benefit of excusion rates and had bought cheap rate tickets. The most suspicious thing about their conduct is that they went to a farm house half a mile from town to get dinner when there are hotels and restaurants handy. This with dynamite caps and the gold coin form a pretty clear chain of circumstantial evidence against them.

Three More Suspects

Detectives left Emerson, Man., at noon today for St. Jean on the Canadian Pacific just across the Red River from Arnaud where three suspects of the Stephen bank robbery are being held under arrest. One of them has an injured eye and another is reported walking with a slight limp. They carried weapons and other incriminating articles.

The third man is reported was captured in the railway yards. They claim they are landseekers.

On these men were found dynamite cartridges, a gun and $80 in gold. They explained dynamite stating they were miners from Indiana.

Three other suspects who departed from Emerson yesterday noon on a freight bound for Winnipeg disembarked at Arnaud, thirty miles north of Emerson and departed west. The Canadian Pacific railway 8 miles away on the other side of the Red is patrolled by police. It is believed that the suspects have taken their injured into the brush that lines the Red and are trying to conceal themselves there.

A description of only one of the robbers is known. He purchased some goods at Warren Tuesday before the robbery, and these goods were found in the bank at Stephen. He is described as being a young man about 25 years of age, five feet, 7 inches tall, heavy set, large nose, badly tanned, black shiney hair, wore dirty blue overalls, dirty grey check coat and a cap. Had a smooth face.

The horse taken by the robbers from lumberyard of A. L. Dickerman of Stephen has not yet been found. Its description is, big horse with white mark on forehead, weight about 1100 with hames, collar and harness. Buggy has new top with end springs, one center spring.

Woman is Fatally Burned.

Stillwater, Minn., May 2.—A terrible accident occurred yesterday where Mrs. Anne Stussi was fatally burned. Mrs. Stussi, who was feeble, lifted the lid on the kitchen stove and her clothes caught fire. A small boy who was present threw a bucket of water over her and extinguished the flames, but not until she was fatally burned.

"Spotted Fever" Closes Schools.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 2.—As a precautionary measure against the spreading of cerebro-spinal meningitis, the school board of Gilman, Marshall county, ordered the schools closed until May 11. Four deaths among school children have occurred within two weeks, and it is feared the disease may become an epidemic.

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Conditions Satisfactory

The situation in the Northwest from a financial point of view is at present more favorable than in any other part of the country. Weather conditions during the last week were unfavorable to the distributive trade and there is a slight decrease in the bank clearings and colections. When the volume of business for the first period of the year is considered, however, the commercial situation is satisfactory. Business at the Union Stockyards at South Saint Paul continues to show increases over the corresponding periods of last year. Wheat seeding is now well along and as previously stated, the acreage will, if anything, be larger than last year, and up to the present the general conditions for a big crop are much more favorable.

A Good Example

When the plans of the St. Paul Publicity Bureau were explained to the most prominent business men of the city they showed their confidence in them by subscribing $11,040 in half an hour. The meeting took place after an informal dinner at Carling's restaurant, and it was one of the most representative ever held in St. Paul. The chair was occupied by Mr. Walter J. Driscoll. After explaining the difference between publicity, as giving expression to the facts and fancies of life, and advertising as a medium of enabling a city to reveal the nature of its commercial and inductrial resources, he asked for an expression of opinion as to the value of the work already accomplished, and obtained it from R. A. Kirk who rose to his feet and offered $400 towards a fund for extending and carrying it on for two years. This was followed by a volley of subscriptions. Had a definite plea been made for $50,000, the amount would have been forthcoming. But it was felt that the whole city should be given an opportunity to subscribe to the funds of a camjaign in which every person was directly interested.

Should Make Bluff Good

This business of the government withholding franchises, concessions, grants, etc., as in the case advocated by the president when he vetoed the Koochiching dam extension of time bill may be all right, all right, but to the casual observer it would seem that if the right to improve and operate such natural resources is to be withheld from private or corporate control the government should at once proceed to take advantage of the possibilities afforded by such resources. The result would be two-fold—such an action would doubtless be a big money maker for Uncle Samuel and the country around the dam would develop into one of the richest parts of this great state.

The policy of the government in retaining for itself such rights as are being striven for in the Koochiching dam matter is very well and good—if it is carried to the proper lengths. But refusing to let private individuals or corporations develop the resources and the government failing to do anything with it, adopting it might be stated, a dog-in-the-manger policy, would be most disastrous to the northern part of Minnesota and particularly to the towns and vicinity most directly interested. It would mean a retarding of several years in the development of a large area of the northern part of the state and the ruin of large numbers who have staked their all in homes or business enterprises which are directly affected by the action regarding the building or non-building of the dam.—Grand Rapids Independent.

The Thin End of the Tariff Wedge.

It looks as if the newspaper fight against the paper trust might be the thin end of the wedge that is going to split the whole Dingley tariff system in the first session of congress under Taft.

The American Newspaper Publishers' association is making a gallant fight for removal of the duty on wood pulp and print paper against tremendous odds. It must be said that the most serious odds have been created by those newspapers that upheld and defended every inequality and monopoly of the sacred tariff until the injustice of it came home to them.

There was a certain nobility in the former attitude of most Republican newspapers, if they knew what they were about. Doing a business incapable of receiving benefit from tariff monopoly, but subject to its exactions in every item of labor and material used, these newspapers were self-sacrificing enough to fight valiantly under the high protection flag at every election, no matter what liberties they took between times.

The Republican newspapers abandoned this disinterested position when they went to congress for relief from tariff exactions without demanding it at the same time for other industries. This has been rubbed into them at every point of the debate and the hearings. Nevertheless, the representatives of the Publishers' association have persisted till they have got a grudging promise from Speaker Cannon to call a Republican caucus on the repeal question.

Under the whip of the press the repeal may go thru the house, tho we imagine the senate will stand like a stone wall. Well it may, because this repeal is the thin end of the tariff revision wedge. However selfish the newspapers are in their attitude, they will have shown other victims of tariff monopoly how to get relief by combination and agitation.

The infection will spread until even senators and speakers and committees of the faithful become aware that there are buyers as well as sellers in the United States, consumers as well as manufacturing trusts.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Painters are now putting on their spring overcoats.

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It isn't necessary to egg a hen on when she wants to set.

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Even the wise barber isn't always able to put you next.

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Beware of a tight man when he succeeds in breaking loose.

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A very good thing to improve a girl's complexion is to feel her garters slipping down.

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What makes an open-work shirt waist so interesting is it is supposed to do what you can see it doesn't.

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Some one has said that happiness is but a habit. If it is, here's hoping that you may acquire the habit.

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If a woman is thin she can make up for it, but there is no help for a thin man.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

Tact is the ability not to look solemn when a rich relative gets off an alleged joke.

—o+o—

The way to make people sorry to have you die is for them to be your creditors. A woman gets awful suspicious of a man's intentions when he won't be honest enough to make love to her.

—o+o—

Nature invented families so that a man wouldn't get into the selfish habit of spending any of his money on himself.

—o+o—

Indifference is about the only thing capable of freezing the milk of human kindness.

—o+o—

Some people squander a lot of money in trying to make fools of themselves.

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Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

Mayor J. D. McPhee turned a very clever political trick in his appointment of Chas. Duval, ex-Captain of Police of Crookston as street commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Frank Jerome. McPhee is a candidate for the Republican monination for sheriff of Polk Co., and N. A. Bray a well known and popular Frechman is also a candidate, having been one of the first to file. He had been conceded practically the solid French vote of the city and county, but Duval is also a well known Frenchman, and his appointment means that Mayor McPhee is going after the French vote on his own account. Co. Commissioner Rindahl has the Scandinavian vote in the East end of the county lined up for himself for sheriff and Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels also has a strong following and the fight will be one of the hottest in the history of the county. Another hot fight will be put up for county attorney, with E. O. Hagen of this city and G. A. E. Finlayson, of East Grand Forks the former U. of M. football star, already in the race, and more to follow. County Attorney Maybury of this city is also expected to file again but has not definitely announced his candidacy as yet.—Minneapolis Journal.

Many of the larger dailies and no few of the smaller ones are vigorously assailing the nomination of Wm. Taft for president on the republican ticket but they don't name the man who they wish to take his place.

THE MERRY WIDOW HAT

At last the married man is coming into his own. He is getting his money's worth this season. When a man pays twenty-five hard earned simoleons for a sky-piece for his beloved wife, he wants something more than a carved buckle and a feather. It remained for the milliner to solve the problem and eliminate the old man's grouch. The man never lived who would kick on twenty-five dollars for a ton of straw, seven birds and a truck garden or enough ribbon, feathers, puffs, ruffles to open a curiosity shop The fundamental principle of all business is to get something for your money and it remained for the milliner to fix it so that one feels he is getting anything and everything all in one.

The Merry Widow hat is great! It was born great! It is achieving greatness! And greatness is sure being thrust, heaped, loaded and crammed upon it!

We stood behind one in the lobby of the Lyceum theatre last night. It looked like an old family dinner table when the preacher called, and we had a homesick feelin' at once. The lady under the hat had to keep shifting her position to keep from sinking to the tile floor, and the cords stood out on her neck like they do on the Arab at the circus when he is balancing seven of his countrymen in mid-air. The milliner must have been hungry when the hat was turned out. The centerpiece was a crystalized pineapple in full bloom and its effect was carried out with a pine bough hedge surrounding a turnip patch, leaving a playground for the Easter rabbits. Pretty well toward the stern of the deck was a vineyard and we felt like giving the wearer a wine-press the combination looked so good.. In the bow of the craft was a stork's nest built with baled hay and spinach grew in profusion. We were just wondering if some young man had not been sowing his wild oats on that hat when the crowd commenced to move into the show room. It was lucky thing that the double doors were open or the procession would have stopped—that hat would never go thru a single door on the bias. The wearer finally found a seat. She removed the usual number of spikes and three men helped her settle the hat and its palm-garden finish in the next row. The young lady heaved a sigh of relief her muscles relaxed and the show was on.

Literally speaking—the Merry Widow hat is the greatest hit of the season. The idea was probably conceived in Texas where the women carry their week's washing down to the sea shore in large wicker baskets on their heads. The fad is sure to develop the muscles, round out the form and prevent gossip inasmuch ts it keeps the mouth shut tight and is a hard grind on false teeth.

If you see the delivery boy drive up to your home with a band wagon, don't think you have been nominated for congress. Your wife has just purchased a Merry Widow hat and owing to the personality of the hat it has to be delivered in a band wagon rather than a band-box.

When you go camping next summer don't take a tent—take your wife's Merry Widow hat and veil and you will have shelter enough for the family. And by the way, leave the trimmings at home. They will keep the cow alive until you return.

We repeat—the Merry Widow hat is the greatest creation of the age.—Minot Daily Reporter.

IN THE REALM OF INSURANCE

Minnesota Insurance Department Bulletin No. 8—John A. Hartigan, Ins. Com.,—Published to protect Journal Readers against fake insurance.

The Indianapolis Fire Insurance Company of Indianapolis, Ind., reinsured in the German American Insurance Company of New York, March 2, 1908, and the Hamilton Fire Insurance Company of New York, reinsured in the Delaware Insurance Company of Philadelphia, Pa., April 1, 1908.

The Independent Order of Foresters is proposing to readjust the rates of its members admitted prior to 1898.

Of 654 fires from lightning investigated by the Fire Marshal of Ohio only one building had a modern rod on it. The accident was caused by electricity jumping from a copper rod thru the weather boarding to a radiator close to the wall. The loss was $6.50. In two instances weather boards or shingles were displaced but not fired. No person has been struck in a rodded building in that state.

The National Protective Legion of Waverly N. Y., the license of which was cancelled by this Department over two years ago is now paying $113.56 instead of $250.00 promised to its victims. The disappointment felt by the unfortunate certificate holders is the inevitable result of speculative contracts.

The proposition made to the receivers of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company of New York by the Pittsburg Life & Trust Company of Pittsburg, Pa., to take over the legal reserve business of the former company was accepted by the receivers on April 8, 1908.

Since January 1st, there have been 56 fires in educational institutions thruout the United States. One hundred and sixty-six lives have been lost and thousands endangered. The property damage varies from small amounts to $150,000.

The new law governing fraternal insurance societies, enacted at the last session of the State Legislature, requires that all such societies have a representative form of government and that at least a majority of the members of the governing body be delegates elected from subordinate branches. Several societies formerly doing business in this state will be obliged either to amend their constitution and by-laws or to withdraw from the state.

The fire losses in the United States and Canada for the month of March aggregated $16,723,300.

The premiums and losses for the various forms of Casualty business transacted in this State for the year 1907 are as follows:

	Premiums	Losses
Personal Accident	$461855.99	$171207.21
Health	74352.67	29956.13
Employers' Liability	661488.49	425114.72
Fidelity	307421.08	98418.34
Surety	106289.30	44841.99
Burglary and Theft	79489.74	32238.93
Plate Glass . .	64373.07	30781.14
Steam Boiler .	35056.84	1840.09
Sprinkler Leakage	18652.30	610.14
Title	929.30	
Credit	40640.00	11390.40
Live Stock . .	12690.81	3101.10

The annual Preliminary Fire Reports were published during the last month and copies can be procured upon application to this Department.

WEST COUNTRY LOOKS FINE

HUNDREDS OF ACRES OF WHEAT ARE UP AND LOOK VERY FINE

MAYOR McPHEE STATES CONDITIONS HAVE NOT BEEN AS GOOD FOR YEARS.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. McPhee spent yesterday in western Polk Co., looking over the crop situation. Just as an illustration he states that Pete Sullivan has 600 acres of wheat sown and about half of it is up and looks fine.

Practically all the farmers along the Marais have finished their wheat seeding, and are now plowing for oats and barley. Mayor McPhee states that the acreage this year will be at least 25 per cent greater than it has been for the past five years, and the farmers are more optimistic than they have been for many years past.

WERE PLEASED WITH PASADENA

MARINES ON PACIFIC FLEET WILL LOCATE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

The Journal is in receipt of a letter from Ex-alderman C. E. Misner of this city, who is now a member of the firm of Misner and Misner of Pasadena, Cal., doing an extensive real estate business. He enclosed a clipping from the Pasadena Daily News which reads as follows:

"Guy Clark Smith a marine and E. A. Holloway, a musician, aboard the U. S. S. Minnesota, have written to C. E. Misner, of Misner & Misner, their impressions in retrospect of the week spent in the cities of Los Angeles county, as compared to the week now being spent at Santa Barbara. Los Angeles and Pasadena and surrounding towns look so well by contrast that the writer declares when he is discharged he will bring his fortune represented by about $7,000 in property and money, to Pasadena to live, and he says he knows of a number of other men, "not bums, but out for pleasure," who are planning the same course. This means that these men will bring their families with them.

"Mr. Smith wrote that he had received copies of the News sent by Mr. Misner, in which was an account of an evening affair given at the Misner residence at which the two marines were present. The treatment accorded the sailors and the high prices charged them in Santa Barbara were subjects of very unfavorable comment but of the reception accorded the men of the fleet here, Mr. Smith wrote that the kindly feeling toward the cities of this section on account of it is not more than half realized."

NOBODY SPARED

Kidney Troubles Attack Crookston Men and Women, Old and Young

Kidney ills seize young and old.
Come quickly with little warning.
Children suffer in their early years
Can't control the kidney secretions.
Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain.
Women worry, can't do daily work.
Men have lame and aching backs.
The cure for man, woman, or child.
Is to cure the cause—the kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys—
Cure all forms of kidney suffering.
Crookston testimony proves it.

Mrs. R. Johnson, of 222 Front St., S. Crookston, Minn., says: "Kidney complaint and backaches clung to me persistently in spite of the fact that I used numerous remedies. At times there were severe pains through the loins and over the kidneys and a dull heavy bearing down feeling, also considerable inconvenience from the irregularity of the kidney secretions. The local reputation of Doan's Kidney Pills led Mr. Johnson to go to Wallace's drug store and procure a box for me. Their use strengthened my kidneys, banished the pains in my back and helped my system in a general way. Mr. Johnson, who was altroubled in a similar manner found equally fine results from using Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FRUIT FARED HARD.

It Is Feared That Apples and Plums in South Dakota Have Been Ruined.

Yankton, S. D., May 6.—As a result of the last frost in this section fears are entertained that the plum crop is ruined, the apple crop possibly injured past recovery and cherries partly destroyed. Early garden vegetables also suffered.

FINAL SESSION OF LAUNDRYMEN

C. D. BILLINGS HEADS NORTH DAKOTA ASSOCIATION COMING YEAR

CONVENTION TO BE HELD IN DEVILS LAKE NEXT OCTOBER

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Third Semi-annual convention of the Northwestern as well as North Dakota Laundrymen's association adjourned yesterday at Fargo after completing the most successful meetings at which the attendance was large and the enthusiasm high. The addresses delivered were very fine and the convention was beneficial to all. The Northwestern association adjourned at noon after which the North Dakota association which also includes northern Minnesota, met and elected officers for the ensuing year, the choice being as follows:

President—C. D. Billings of East Grand Forks.

Vice President—F. B. Loomis, Fargo.

Secretary-Treasurer—W. A. Collins Grand Forks.

Devils Lake was chosen as the next place for the semi-annual convention which will be held in October.

The Northwestern

When the Northwestern convention was called to order yesterday morning several new delegates were present, having arrived the night previous or yesterday morning. Either St. Paul or Minneapolis was selected as the place for the next semi-annual convention to be held in October. The officers of the Northwestern will be chosen at that time. Papers were read by J. Kankibille of St. Paul on the subject "Our Friend the Horse." W. W. Tiffart of Aberdeen, S. D., had for his subject "Little Helps in a Laundry" while D. E. Armstrong of Duluth, talked on organization.

BY THE FLIP OF A COIN

IN THAT WAY HEDBERG OF WARROAD GOT DELEGATESHIP HERE

It was because Roger J. Bell of Roseau county chose heads and because it was the lucky Roger, too, perhaps, that John Hedberg of Roseau county landed as delegate from the Ninth district to the national convention at Chicago. John W. Eastman of Red Lake that lost the delegate job to Daniel Patterson of St. Hilaire. The Red Lake delegation say that John W. should have refused (for John has always known he was unlucky). On the night preceding the convention here the north country delegations saw that they must have one and only one of the delegates to fight for or they would both lose out and they retired to the parlors of the Hotel Crookston and John Eastman flipped the coin. Hedberg won.

FIVE GO FREE TWO ARE HELD

One Alleged Bank Robber Known to St. Paul Police.

Warren, Minn., May 6.—The authorities yesterday released five of the Stephen bank robbery suspects, holding J. E. Raymond and James Nolan. The St. Paul police department says that Nolan is a well known yeggman, who has been operating in the East, and that his photo adorns the rogues' galleries of nearly every large city.

Twin City detectives now are working up a chain of evience against these two men and the authorities are confident that they will be able to send them to Stillwater.

HOMESTEADER WINS AGAIN.

Appeal of Cass Lake Land Case Decided for Donahue.

Washington, May 6.—The supreme court of the United States yesterday decided the case of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway company vs. John R. Donahue, involving a conflict over the possession of land in the Cass Lake land district of Minnesota, in favor of Donahue. The land was settled by a homesteader through whom Donahue made a claim in 1893, before it had been surveyed, but no effort was made to enter it until 1896, after the survey had been made. In the meantime the tract had been included in the list of land grants to the railroad. The Minnesota supreme court decided in favor of the homesteader and the federal court affirmed the decision yesterday.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by A. G. Andersen.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST BANK IN NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

May 4 In History.

J. J. Audubon.

1782—John James Audubon, famous naturalist, born; died 1851.
1796—William Hickling Prescott, historian, born; died 1859.
1798—Outbreak of the last extensive Irish rebellion; it cost 20,000 English and 150,000 Irish lives.
1861—President Lincoln called for 42,000 volunteers for three years and informed foreign powers of his intention to maintain the Union by force of arms.
1906—W. F. Owen, noted American actor, died in New York city; born 1844.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:55, rises 4:49; moon sets 11:57 p. m.; 7:42 a. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune, passing the planet west to east.

ON BUSINESS DEAL—Jack Scott and Ed Thompson spent Friday at Hallock looking after a business deal of which more will be heard later.

TO CALGARY 23RD— Walsh and Lowe are gathering passengers for one of their Canadian specials to Calgary to start May 23rd next.

A FINE NEW BELL—The Norwegian Lutheran church at Beltrami has purchased a fine new bell thru Kolseth and Olson of that place and is expected to arrive in the course of a week or so.

CALL FOR HOUSES—O. O. Christianson who a short time ago had a large number of houses for rent states that the call for houses has been very brisk of late and he has leased every house which he has on his list.

MRS. SANDBERG BURIED—Mrs. John Sandberg was buried this afternoon in the Oakdale cemetery. Funeral ceremonies were performed at the residence at 2 o'clock by Rev. Salveson of the Norwegian Synod church.

DR. NELSON DIES—Dr. A. Nelson well known druggist and physician of Fertile died last Saturday night as the result of a fall down the stairs of his residence over his store about a week ago. He was a pioneer of Fertile.

TENDING TO ESTATE—M. G. Peterson of Fertile appeared before the Probate court today as administrator in a hearing on claims in the estate of John J. Johnson who died early last fall in Garden town with an estate amounting to $4000.

A FINE SON—Conductor and Mrs. Will Lemen are the parents of a fine son which appeared at their home Sunday afternoon. Lemen Jr., will without doubt be running a train just as soon as he is able to give the high signs.

CALLED ON OLD FRIENDS—Mike McCarty formerly representative of the Gund Brewing Co., in this territory is spending the day in the city representing a new company, the Diedrich-Kennedy Co., of St. Paul. He wants all the northwest trade to know where he is at the present time.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED—A message anouncing the death of Thomas R. Brownlee at Bowlder, Col., was received here last Thursday evening, and we understand that his death occurred on that day. Mr. Brownlee was for years a practicing attorney here and a resident of this city, and with his wife who formerly taught in our public schools, has a large acquaintance here who regret his death and sympathize with her in her bereavement.—McIntosh Times. Mrs. Brownlee is a daughter of ex-Alderman M. Sullivan of this city.

Electric Power in Chili

Many projects are now under way or under consideration, for the utilization of the numerous sources of electric power that are furnished by the streams descending from the Andes in Chili. Many people agree that for a table beverage nothing is quite so delicious as golden grain belt beer. It pleases the palate and satisfies the thirst. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

TO FARGO—W. S. Lycan manager of the Crookston Independents this year departs for Fargo this evening where he will attend to matters in connection with his string of horses that he has there. He will also look into a game with Fargo Cathedrals for next Fourth of July. The Cathedrals are one of the strongest amateur teams of the northwest.

The Scribner-Kelly Land Company of Minneapolis has purchased of Sam Crookshanks his residence farm, the southwest quarter of the south half and the northwest quarter and lots 3 and 4 in section 4 in Fanny town containing altogether 320 acres for $12,800. The deal was put thru by Purvis.

Theodore Propp of Fertile has sold the northeast quarter of section 19 in Godfrey town for $4000 to A. T. Lindblad and E. H. Gary of Minneapolis.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

May 5 In History.

1812—The British captured Oswego, N. Y.; other important conquests along the lake border followed.
1821—Napoleon I. died at St. Helena; born at Ajaccio, island of Corsica, 1769.
1904—The canal zone formally ceded to the United States. Maurus Jokai, noted Hungarian novelist, died; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:56, rises 4:48; moon sets 11:58.

TO GRAND RAPIDS — Geo. Lally has left for Grand Rapids, Minnesota, where he has accepted a position and intends to remain there permanently.

A SON BORN—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox are the parents of a fine baby son which was born this morning. Both mother and son are doing well.

COMMITTED SUICIDE — Bennie Moe's parrot which has quite a reputation about the city escaped from its cage Sunday and committed suicide and the man behind is wearing a weed this morning.

A BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. John Axelson residing on the corner of Elm and Fourth streets are the proud parents of a young daughter born Saturday. This now makes a boy and girl in the family.

FOR P. O. INSPECTOR — Deputy Postmaster A. E. Otto of Bemidji was here last night enroute to Grand Forks where today he is taking the civil service examination for post office inspector.

LOOKING AFTER FENCES — Deputy State Oil Inspector William E. Black departed this morning for Fosston where will look after matter connected with his department and after the Johnson fences in the east end.

ANGORA GOATS — This morning Bennet Johnson of Fosston had two Angora goats shipped to him from K. E. Lathrop from Hugo, Minn. They had been sheared before shipping and as a result were shivering a few when they were shipped thru here this morning.

A PAIR OF TWIN GIRLS — John Gergen who left for Canada where was looking for a claim will be greatly surprised when he returns to find twin girls at his home. They arrived this morning and both mother and daughters are doing well.

CONDUCTS EXAMINATION — United States Naturalization Examiner Wm. E. Soult of St. Paul arrived in the city this morning for the purpose of examining the applicants for naturalization papers at the Clerk of Court's office today.

LOCATED IN DAKOTA—K. J. Ike formerly one of the well known musical instrument dealers in Crookston is now located in Dickinson, N. D., where he is doing well. In a letter received today he asked to have the Journal forwarded at once as h could not keep house without it.

SETTLED STEPHEN ROBBERY—Manager H. A. Hutchinson of the Aetna Burglary Insurance company spent Sunday in the city with Attorney N. B. Moran, an old friend. His company had him at Stephen settling with Scandia State bank recently robbed for $3800 which represented 7-10 of total burglary insurance.

OBJECT TO SHINERS—President Snyder of the city council and chief of Police Eck descended on the shine parlor being situated on Main Street next to the C. O. D. clothing store and stopped the erection of an awning there. The matter will probably be compromised by setting up the awning on the brick wall of the Buffet first door south.

A NEW RESIDENT—M. G. Swensen, who has been connected with the First National Bank here for the past six months, resigned his position last week and left for Crookston, where he will enter the employ of the Bank of Crookston. Mr. Swenson, during his stay here has made many friends in both a business and social way who wish him all success in his new location. Mr. Swenson's departure means something of a loss to the local band as he is an accomplished musician and added considerable strength to the cornet section.—Sleepy Eye Dispatch.

WILL CROP 400 ACRES — E. A. Henry, who is associated with Ross & Ross the loggers, went to Angus this morning where he has leased the former Winchester farm which is located but a half mile from the station He has 4 gang plows at work and has another force seeding as fast as the ground is turned over. Mr. Henry plans puting up several hundred tons of hay during the summer and has plenty of horses to do the necessary work. The Winchester farm has a large amount of acreage fenced in and the horses which have done a hard winter's work will be turned in pasture to recuperate during the summer months.

Kodol completely digests all classes of food. It will get right at the trouble and do the very work itself for the stomach. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

May 6 In History.

Bret Harte.

1708—Father Xavier de Lavalle Montmorenci, first Catholic bishop of Canada, died; born 1623.
1758—Andre Massena, Napoleon's marshal, born; died 1817.
1859—Von Humboldt died; born 1769.
1902—F. Bret Harte, noted American author, died; born 1839.
1904—General Oku, with 50,000 Japanese, landed on the Liaotung peninsula, cutting the Russian communications from Port Arthur northward.
1907—Rev. Dr. John Watson (Ian Maclaren), noted Scotch author, died at Mount Pleasant, Ia.; born 1850.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:57, rises 4:47; moon sets 12:37 a. m.; 5:34 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet, 1¾ degrees north thereof; seen near tonight.

SHOE MAN HERE — Mr. J. L. Walker representing the Roberts-Johnson-Rand Shoe Co., representing the Star Shoe Co.

IS DOING WELL — Mrs. Gunstenson of Erskine, a daughter of Mr. Ness of this city was operated upon for appendicitis by Dr. Kahala and is recovering rapidly.

HERE ON BUSINESS—Ben Aschbach a prominent farmer near Ada spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters. He returned home last evening.

FOR FERGUS— Sheriff Richmond of Roseau county passed thru here last evening on his way to Fergus Falls with an insane patient by the name of Johnson.

BURGLAR ALARM WORKS—Last evening at 7 o'clock the burglar alarm of the Merchants National Bank corner of Main and Second went out on a tear. The alarm was heard in Carman. The electrical appliance was recently installed in the vaults.

LOOKING AFTER INTERESTS—A. H. Pitkin, who still has interests at Kelliher, but who now lives at Crookston, came over yesterday noon from Crookston. He left last evening for Kelliher to note how business matters were progressing in "Bill" Lennon's town.—Bemidji Pioneer.

FINAL PROOFS—Tom Nelson, Axel Thorvaldsen and Ole Reno of Greenbush postoffice, located southeast of there made final proof at the local land office this morning. Frank Lundin made commutation proof on land near Herb post office. Reno formerly was located at Argyle.

IMPROVING TANNERY— August Miller has commenced improvements of extent on the tannery in Sampsons addition. Ten or twelve big cement vats have been added to the equipment the floors refinished and the entire building remodeled for increased business.

FAILED TO APPEAR—Andrew Peterson of Plummer formerly, now yard foreman for the C. P. R. at Regina, Sask., missed his train at the Peg this morning on his way here to appear in a case he has brought against Anna, his wife, for divorce on the grounds of desertion.

WORSE THAN GHOULS

CRADLE ROBBERS WILL BE PROSECUTED BY GRAND FORKS MOTHER

TWO YOUNG GRAND FORKS INFANTS WALK CROOKSTON STREETS AT NIGHT

From Wednesday's Daily—

A frantic mother of one of the best families of Grand Forks was telephoning all over the city last night trying to locate her daughter who left Grand Forks for Crookston last Sunday, stayed with friends in the city over Sunday night and since that time has been walking the Crokston streets at night in company with another youngster of Grand Forks while they made their headquarters at a leading hotel of this city.

The two girls are not more than seventeen years of age. They were on the streets last night until the morning hours, making chance acquaintances with the youths of the city. Later in the night the police observed them and they left the business district with company.

The father was to arrive in the city city this morning, but it is not learned that he did. Having learned of some of the parties that were keeping the infants company he will commence prosecution immediately, complete evidence is secured, and there will be no let up until the guilty ones suffer.

CLEVELAND IMPROVING.

Physicians Say He Is Suffering From Acute Indigestion.

Lakewood, N. J., May 5.—The condition of Former President Grover Cleveland, who is said by his physicians to be suffering from acute indigestion, continues to show daily improvement, according to Mrs. Cleveland, who expresses the hope that the progress of her husband's recovery may permit an early return to Princeton.

NEW FARMS IN MONTANA.

Secretary Garfield Opens 205 to Homestead Entry.

Washington, May 5.—Two hundred and five farms near Great Falls, Mont., have just been opened to homestead entry by Secretary Garfield, effective May 7. These farms are embraced in a tract of about 18,000 acres which were withdrawn from all forms of disposition in connection with the Fort Shaw unit of the Sun river irrigation project.

THIEF SLAYS OFFICER.

Denver Policeman Instantly Killed In Store.

Denver, Colo., May 5.—Making the last rounds of his watch, Charles M. Beck, a policeman, was shot through the heart and instantly killed in a store into which he had crawled in pursuit of a burglar. Beck had found a window pried from its fastenings and evidently followed through the opening into darkness and death. No arrests have been made.

Peru Quiet Again.

Washington, May 5.—A cablegram from Secretary of Legation Neill of Bogota, Peru, yesterday afternoon informed the department of state of the immediate suppression of an outbreak near Lima. Quiet now prevails throughout Peru.

SPEAK HIGHLY OF CROOKSTON—George Arnold, O. E. Hulehan and P. J. Daly were members of the order of Knights of Columbus who went to Crookston Saturday to attend a meeting of the order at which about fifty new members were to be entered. A special coach of Duluth and Superior members attended and all report the Queen City a fine place to visit.—Itasca County News.

OATS LOOK FINE—Wm. Benning who sowed some choice oats on the southeast quarter of section 26 in the town of Fairfax, rural route No. 3 states that 40 acres which he sowed early are up in fine shape and the frost did not hurt them at all apparently. Mr. Benning will save the entire crop and sell the oats for seed next year.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock fire broke out in the rear of D. D. Clarke's hardware store on North Broadway and the shed at the rear was completely gutted despite a record run by the fire department. Four lines of hose were laid and a gasoline tank was protected before the fire reached it.

O. O. Christianson yesterday wrote an insurance policy which will fully cover the loss on both the stock and building.

Origin unknown.

Most people are so absorbed in trying to save the pennies that they can't see where they waste the pounds

Mr. John Bthe of Vining, Ia., says, "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

GRAND MEETING OF ELKS IN BEMIDJI JUNE 18-20

Bemidji Pioneer: That the Elks of Minnesota and their ladies will be royally entertained at the fourth annual meeting of the State Association of Elks, which will be held in Bemidji June 18-19-20 is assured by the various local committees having the arrangements in charge, an elaborate program having been already arranged and the committees on accommodations reporting that already there are enough rooms and sleeping appartments assured to care for all who may desire to be present at the greatest gathering of Elks ever held in the state.

The committee on transportation reported that all agents of railroads centering here, together with the representatives in St. Paul, were co-operating with the local committees in the matter of furnishing equipment and accommodations while in Bemidji, and that that part of the program was well taken care of, assuring all visitors the best of accommodations coming here and while here.

A special effort will be made to care for the ladies who will accompany the Elks to Bemidji. Mrs. J. C. Parker, one of the most enthusiastic of the local lady Elks has been given full charge of the arrangements to care for the lady visitors. She has been given liberal funds and authorized to secure all needed assistance. All ladies who come will be as royally entertained as will the Elks themselves.

The local committee has closed a contract with the proprietors of the boat company whereby every boat belonging to that concern will be chartered for the free use of visiting Elks and ladies so that they can enjoy fishing and boating to their heart's content at any time they desire to use the boats.

There will also be plenty of gasoline launches which, with the rowboats and plenty of fishing tackle, bait and guides, will give the Elks all they desire in that line.

One of the features of the meet will be the presence of a large band of Red Lake Indians, who will give dances and boat races, etc., every day They will be camped along the lake shore and will exemplify the "noble Red men" in all their savagery and gaudy dress.

A large crowd of Elks and other visitors not members of the B. P. O. E. is expected in the city during the state meet and the members of the Bemidji lodge are making preparations to care for every person who visits this city at that time, so that no one need fear coming to Bemidji June 18, 19 and 20 because of lack of accommodations. There will be plenty of room for all.

FOR SHERIFF OF POLK CO.

ORIN DANIELS BUDS FORTH FROM AMONG THE MENTIONED CANDIDATES

This morning Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels of Polk county filed for sheriff being the fourth one on the register. Daniels has been connected with the sheriff's office for the past few years. His entrance into the race was well anticipated.

G. FORKS COLLEGE WANTS FINANCIER

Judge Grindeland of Warren was down this week to interview Rev. O. N. Fosmark with a view to have him take charge of the financial affairs of Grand Forks College. Mr. Fosmark's great success in raising the funds to build and put Park Region Luther college on its feet has given him a wide reputation among colleges and church schools. He will probably not accept the offer as there is some work to be done in closing up the financing of the school here and there are many who would regret to see him leave the field where thirty years of his active life have been spent.—Fergus Falls Journal.

HERD OF 1000 BUFFALO LOCATED AT LAMONT, CAN.

Lamont, in Alberta, just across the line in Canada from Montana has the largest buffalo herd in the world, numbering over 400. They are kept in a large corall or game preserve so arranged that the Grand Trunk Pacific runs along one side of it for 80 miles thus giving passengers an excellent opportunity of seeing the herd. Last year these buffaloes were nearly all shipped out of Montana to Lamont. Three hundred more have just been secured from the same source from a man named Michael Pablo, a Montana rancher. These will be driven up to Lamont, a distance of over 80 miles. A round-up of 300 wild buffaloes ought to make it somewhat exciting even to the old time cowboy. The two herds united together with the offspring will make a herd of close on to a thousand head—a sight worth seeing. The net increase is estimated at 25 per cent anually hence the danger of extinction of this noblest of America's big game is passed.

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Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from pneumonia and consumption as it cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. We have never known a single instance of a cold resulting in pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. For sale by all druggists.

Soldiers and Police in Fight.

Guayaquil, May 5.—A serious conflict occurred yesterday at Loja, capital of the province of Loja, in the southwest of Ecuador, between soldiers and the police. Several were wounded on both sides.

Mukden Row Ends.

Mukden, May 5.—The assault episode of April 6 at the American consulate has been closed. The American staff has been exonerated and three Japanese officials have been punished.

TRY CONTEST AT FRAM P. O.

CHESTER A. NAESETH CLAIMS MRS. BANG DID NOT CULTIVATE

Wednesday at Fram 20 miles east of Middle River the contest case brought by Chester A. Naeseth against Mrs. Annie Bang, widow of Thor A. Bang, deceased, of Crookston will be brought up for decision. Naeseth claims Mrs. Bang did not make sufficient residence or cultivation on the land and he is entitled to cancelled entry on that account. Attorney N. B. Moran departs tomorrow morning from Middle River and will take charge of the case of Mrs. Bang.

GONYEA GOES TO WASHINGTON

Sheriff Louis Gonyea departed last evening for St. Paul and Washington D. C., to look after the Paul Kopang extradition papers in which he has to appear personally before the executives at each place. The extradition papers are expected in about one week

RINGDAL AT THE CHARITIES CONF'R'CE

P. M. Ringdal of Crookston, member of the state board of control left St. Paul last evening for Richmond Va., where he will represent the board at the national charities and correction conference from May 6 to May 12

NORTHLAND FARM GOES FOR $30

Transfer has been made by Henry Hendrickson of Urland, California of the west half northeast quarter section 5 in Northland town to Benjamin Koch of Freemont, Ill., for $2500 or $30 per acre.

EDITOR HURT IN PRESS.

Rev. O. D. Elliot of Marshalltown Loses Three Toes.

Des Moines, May 6. — Getting too near one of his presses, Rev. O. D. Elliot of Marshalltown, editor of the Iowa Prohibitionist and Prohibition candidate for governor, had three toes of his right foot crushed and amputation was necessary. He may be a cripple for life.

WOMAN SHOOTS COMPANION.

Accidental Discharge of Rifle Wounds Eau Claire Man.

Couderay, Wis., May 6.—"Red" Harrington of Eau Claire, who is employed at Signor, near here, was accidentally shot in the thigh with a twenty-two caliber rifle which was in the hands of a woman companion with whom he was out hunting near Edgewater.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. For sale by all druggists.

"YEGGMEN'S" LOOT OF MINNESOTA BANKS

STATE INSTITUTIONS ROBBED OF $25,000 IN LAST NINE MONTHS—SIXTEEN BURGLARIES IS TH E RECORD FOR THAT PERIOD—OFFERS OF REWARDS FAIL TO BRING LAWLESS BAND TO JUSTICE.

During the last nine months Minnesota has been startled by a series of the most daring bank robberies in its history. Sixteen banks received visitations from yeggmen as they are called, in the period named, and the total amount in gold, silver and currency taken was $23,497.18. This does not include the loss resultant from the wrecking of buildings, vaults and the safes, due to the use of high explosives. Of the 16 institutions which suffered six were members of the Minnesota State Bankers' association and ten were not, tho all were protected from loss by burglary.

Despite the fact that the efforts of officials all over the state and of secret service men and detectives from out the state were centered in an attempt to break up the gang or gangs which have been operating (it is believed there is only one) the endeavor is without success.

Name of Bank.	Date Robbed.	Am't Stolen
Bank of Humboldt	Aug. 8, 1907	$60.00
State Bank of Donaldson	Sept. 6, 1907	1,400.00
Dakota State Bank of Lakeville.	Sept. 10, 1907	
Security State Bank of Hitterdal	Sept. 12, 1907	500.00
Farmers' State Bank of Waconia	Sept. 12, 1907	
Bank of Corell	Oct. 14, 1907	1,600.00
Robbinsdale State Bank	Nov. 3, 1907	
Bank of Danvers	Nov. 5, 1907	1,000.00
First State Bank of Hewitt	Dec. 3, 1907	6.55
Scandia Bank of Scandia	Dec. 3, 1907	.63
Bank of Rothsay	Dec. 9, 1907	3,700.00
Citizens' State Bank of Braham	Dec. 31, 1907	2,680.00
Bank of Clear Lake	Feb. 28, 1908	3,000.00
State Bank of Dundee	April 7, 1908	1,050.00
State Bank of Monterey	April 27, 1908	1,500.00
Scandia Bank of Stephen	April 29, 1908	7,000.00
Total		$23,497.18

FARMERS APPEAL TO COURT FOR INJUNCTION

From Thursday's Daily—

Joseph Lariviere and others have served on County Auditor Hoffard summons and complaint as against Polk county asking him to appear before Judge Watts May 4th next to show cause why temporary injunction should not be issued restraining construction and preparations for construction of ditch 72.

This ditch arises in the town of Grove Park and proceeds in a generally westerly direction for about fifteen miles to the west portion of Onstad town.

Joseph Lariviere appears in behalf of himself and in behalf of William Sampson, M. L. Skrivseth, Alfred Erickson, Senator S. D. Works, John Hoffman, L. E. Larson and others similarly located. Ditch 72 was established last May by the Polk county commissioners. It was petitioned for by N. Z. Horton and others.

The complaint alleges that the ditch has an outlet in a false coulie of which ditch 11 is the outlet, an outlet not having sufficient capacity to carry the water, the result being that flat country about the bottom of the coulie is overflowed and damaged.

The complaint further points out that the farmers, plaintiffs in the suit remonstrated before the county commissioners, but that they were never theless made no party to the proceedings and the ditch was established over their protests.

The paper is accompanied by the recommendations of Minnesota State Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph and County Engineer Orvis Hinds who state that the ditches 11 and 12 are too small to carry off the water forced down on them by the false coulie and the big ditch that empties into it and advise that the ditch be continued and extended for three miles more so that sufficient outlet may be found in natural streams.

PENNED AND PILFERED

"So this is Crookston" said one of the participants at the gun club tournament at noon today. "Please do not quote me in the statement, because I have to make too many towns in Minnesota and the two Dakotas."

"The fact remains however that Crookston, to an outsider looks mighty good. I am loyal to my own town, but I want to state right here that there is no city in the Northwest, Minnesota or North and South Dakota, where you can see the improvements that can be seen in Crookston. Your streets are the best in the northwest and that is all there is to it. I do not know how much they cost, and I do not care, but you have the streets. No one can deny that fact."

There was a bank robbery at Stephen the fore part of the week. The robbers indulged in target practice after they secured the booty, borrowing the fastest horse in town, hitched it to an easy riding buggy and left town while it was still dark enough so the light would not hurt their eyes. Special to the Journal from the leader of the gang: "We are going yet. $8000 not all spent. Entire party enjoying the best of health. Will be back again later on." The Journal makes it a strict rule never to give the name of its informant in connection with delicate news items that might get some one into trouble, and will therefore not publish the name of the sender, nor the place from where it was sent.

Mr. Carnegie confesses that the Bohemian side of life always appealed strongly to him. Only the other day he lunched with the staff of the Outlook. This was devilish enough but wait till Mr. Carnegie breaks into the charmed circle ond is asked to meet those dreadful rakes, the editors of the Youth's Companion.—Bemidji Pioneer.

If the people of Crookston were afraid of smell of powder, the city would have been depopulated within the past two days. The gun club artists have certainly been "burning it up" at the traps north of the city.

Whole Police Force Fired.

Pensacola, Fla., April 30.—Twenty-five policemen, comprising the entire day force, were dismissed last night for refusing to board the cars of the Pensacola Electric company and protect the non-union men operating them, when instructed to do so last Saturday by the chief of police.

Fined for Stealing Books.

Barron, Wis., April 30.—Frank Chiodo, of Cumberland, Wis., twenty-one years old and married, was, on his plea of guilty fined $50 and costs for stealing $25 worth of school books and other articles from a school house near Cumberland.

Most married women who profess to pity old maids secretly envy them.

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NIELSVILLE SCHOOLS CLOSE

FRIDAY IS THE LAST DAY AND FINE EXERCISES ARE SCHEDULED

PRESENT CORPS OF TEACHERS WILL HAVE SALARIES RAISED

From Thursday's Daily—

School closes Friday May 1, 1908. The attendance during the past year has been very good owing to the mild winter, and as a result much progress has been made. A class of six are to graduate from the eighth grade. Graduation exercises will be held in the school house, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A class history and class prophesy are features of the exercises as well as music and recitations being also assisted by the primary pupils who have been specially drilled for

The School Board had a special meeting during this week with a view toward retaining their present teachers for the coming year. The board was much pleased with the work of both teachers and decided to raise their salaries in the hope of keeping them for the ensuing year.

the occasion.

Nielsville hall was crowded in spite of the bad rainy weather Saturday by people to witness the sham case that came off that evening.

(Nielsville Correspondence)

The District Court for the "County of Snipperville, State of Hubbard" was called to order by Hon. George Anderson Judge of the "999th Judicial District." The indictment of grand larceny in the second degree against Ludvig Ludvigson was signed by Ole Tin-can-two-quart-bottleson as foreman of the grand jury. The defendant plead not guilty and asked for trial by jury. The case was hard fought on both sides. The auditors were kept in an uproar most of the time by the amusing testimony given. The final pleas brought forth more laughter and after the jury was charged by the Judge it was left in their hands. Their verdict was, "not guilty." Mr. L. Rakken acted as clerk of court and Mr. E. C. Onstad as sheriff. Attorneys Hagen and Larson prosecuted and Bjornstad and Kolstad defended.

Miss A. Haabjorn sister of Mrs. Jelstrup bid goodbye to relatives and friends Tuesday and left on her homeward voyage to Trondjem, Norway. She has visited about a year with her sister. She leaves many friends who wish her a pleasant voyage and a safe return to the land of the mid-night sun.

Dr. C. Jelstrup made a short business trip to Crookston Saturday.

Mr. A. N. Brevig, principal of the Shelly schools spent Tuesday in Nielsville visiting the schools and calling on his many friends.

Mr. B. Kolstad, chairman, and Otto Paulson, members of the Town Board spent last Thursday in Crookston on legal business, returning the same evening.

SHORT HUNT BRINGS $140.

Man Finds Seven Wolf Cubs by Tracking Mother to Wolf Den.

Almena, Wis., May 1. — S. Scovill of Upper Turtle lake went out on the snow yesterday, tracked a wolf to her den and secured seven pups, worth $20 each. He struck another track, but the snow went off before he could find the den.

Delegates Are Uninstructed.

Portland, Me., May 2. — Four delegates at large to the Republican national convention at Chicago were selected at the Republican state convention held in this city and will go to Chicago without instructions as to presidential candidates.

Capt. Amundsen Pleased.

Christiania, May 2. — Capt. Roald Amundsen, the discoverer of the Northwest passage, who has just returned here from New York, expressed himself as delighted with the reception he received everywhere in the United States.

Killed in Duel.

Birmingham, Ala., May 2.—Dr. J. E. Garrison shot and killed J. D. Williams, an electrician, yesterday at Flat Creek after he had been fired at and wounded by Williams. Bad blood existed between the men about family affairs.

Fur Factory Planned.

Fergus Falls, Minn., May 1.—A fur manufacturer of Ironwood, Mich., is looking over this city with a view to establishing a fur factory here.

MUST PLAT THEIR LAND

MAPLE LAKERS WILL HAVE TO SURVEY AND DESCRIBE THEIR PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION BY METES AND BOUNDS TOO BIG FOR THE RECORDS

From Thursday's Daily—

Owners of lots along Maple Lake shore who have lots described only by metes and bounds will have to have same platted. Irregularly described lots require too much unnecessary labor for the county every time a record is made on the tax books or elsewhere. The county has served notice on the following. They have 30 days in which to comply which if not done is up to the county surveyor who plats and changes expense up to the property owners.

W. G. Smith, Grand Forks.
Wm. Spriggs, Grand Forks.
H. Bendike, Grand Forks.
E. R. Phinney, Grand Forks.
Peter Sharpe, Ada.
Sam Rosenthal, Crookston.
Fred Hall, Crookston.
M. A. Mossefin, Crookston.
C. D. Billings, Crookston.
H. C. Misner, Crookston.
Frances M. Anderson, Crookston.
Theo. S. Thompson, Mentor.
Fred Magnus, Mentor.
C. A. Engstrom, Mentor.

ARE EXTENDING THE CUT-OFF

SOO LINE FROM BROOTEN TO DULUTH BEING RAPIDLY BUILT

Work on the new cut-off which the Soo is building from Brooten, Minn., to Duluth, is progressing rapidly. Foley Bros., of St. Paul who have the contract are pushing it steadily from Royalton, which is being made a base of operations. M. H. Foley states that the cut-off will be practically completed to Moose Lake in the south west corner of Carlton county by fall.

At Royalton the Soo is building a permanent steel bridge across the Mississippi river to take the place of a temporary structure previously erected. The site is owned by the Pike Rapids Power company, which brought suit demanding the removal of the bridge or the payment of $150,000 by the Soo. The railroad admits having trespassed on the rights of the power company, and asks to have the damages assessed. The suit will be tried in the United States court at Duluth. The Soo was granted permission to bridge the river at this point by congress.

BAN ON SYRACUSE CLASS.

Chancellor Day Objects to Criticism of Trustees' Action.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 2.—Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse university yesterday notified the committee which reported resolutions adopted by the senior class of the engineering department, criticising the executive committee of the trustees for the removal of Dean Kent, that its members were suspended until the class retracted the resolutions.

BLOODHOUNDS LOSE TRIAL.

Alleged Assailant of Sister-in-law Escapes From Nebraska.

Minden, Neb., May 2.—Bert Taylor, alleged assailant of Miss Pearl Taylor, his sister-in-law, is believed to have made good his escape. He has been trailed by bloodhounds into Kansas and is believed to have reached the railroad and escaped south on a train. A reward for his capture has been offered.

PERSIA TO PUNISH KURDS.

Force of 10,000 Troops to Avenge Massacre of Villagers.

Tabriz, Persia, May 2.—Orders have been received from Teheran to organize a force of 10,000 troops to punish the Kurds. Recently Kurdish tribes have been pillaging the villages around Urumiah, in Persian Armenia, and according to reports have killed several thousand persons.

TO KILL UNMUZZLED DOGS.

Rabies Scare at Waseca Results in Order for Lid.

Waseca, Minn., May 2. — Owing to a mad dog scare in this city a few days ago the city marshal has been instructed to kill all dogs found without muzzles. Several dogs are known to have been bitten by the alleged mad dog.

Snow Storm Breaks All Records.

Rochester, N. Y., May 2. — From noon to 8 o'clock last evening about four inches of snow had fallen here and the snow was again falling at midnight. All officials' records of snow storms here as late in the season as this have been broken.

It's easier to make a sacrifice for your friends than it is to bear the after effects.

STATEMENT TO STEENERSON

GARFIELD EXPLAINS OPPOSITION TO BILL ADJUSTING MATTERS ON THE

RED LAKE RESERVATION—WILL INVESTIGATE MATTERS FURTHER

From Friday's Daily—

Congressman H. Steenerson has received a statement from Secretary of the Interior Garfield concerning his bill to adjust matters on the Red Lake Indian reservation in Minnesota.

The bill authorizes the allotment of 160 acres to each man, woman and child of either agricultural or pine lands, and in addition a lot of five acres of either pine of agricultural land suitable for residence or gardening and fronting on or adjacent to the Red Lake.

The bill provides also for reservation of certain sections of merchantable pine timber for use of the Indians in common, and for the sale of timber growing on the remainder of the reservation for the benefit of the Indians.

The price at what white pine shall be sold is fixed at not less than $11 and Norway pine at not less than $9 per thousand board measure, the timber to be sold on stumpage under sealed bids to the highest bidder, the net proceeds to be paid to the Indians after the expense of sale and supervision of cutting by the government shall have been paid from the gross receipts.

Statement by Garfield

Secretary Garfield says: "I have given the bill careful consideration and am strongly opposed to its enactment into law, as I do not believe it to be for the best interests of the Indians that their timber be administered in this manner. The act of February 20, 1904, authorizes the allotment to Red Lake Indians of 160 acres of either agricultural or pine lands. The bill now before me amends that act only to the extent of reserving certain sections of pine land for the benefit of tribe in common, and for the sale of the remainder of merchantable timber for the benefit of Indians.

Investigation Proposed

"It is the intention of the commissioner of Indians affairs to detail a representative to his office to proceed to the Red Lake agency during the coming summer and take up with the Indians the question of administering their timber lands in a manner whereby they would derive the greatest benefit from them without denuding the lands. This could be done, for instance, by placing timber lands in a forest reserve, the ripe timber to be cut under supervision of the forest service annually and the net proceeds paid to Indians.

"If the Indians of Red Lake reservation should agree to this or a similar policy it is the intention of the department to request at the next session of congress legislation authorizing allotment of agricultural lands of the reservation and inclusion of pine land in a forest reserve or their conservation in a manner whereby the Indians would receive the full benefits from the sale of ripe timber and preserve the forests for future generations."

STRICKEN OVER WASHTUB.

Neighbor Who Attempts to Converse Finds Woman Unconscious.

La Crosse, Wis., May 2. — While Mrs. Katherine Heinkel, aged sixty-seven years, was working over the washtub here she was stricken with paralysis. A neighbor came up and began a conversation with the stricken woman, but receiving no reply shook her and discovered she was unconscious. She is not expected to recover.

WON'T LET DOUKHOBORS OUT.

Yorkton People Keep Fanatics Imprisoned in Train.

Winnipeg, May 2. — Citizens of Yorkton decline to allow seventy-one Doukhobors shipped from Fort William back to the west to leave the cars, which were guarded by mounted police. Several Doukhobors are nude and gave the crowd of sightseers a disgusting exhibition. All are living on apples and peanuts.

Bull Attacks Farmer.

Fergus Falls, Minn., May 2.—Syvert Johnson, a prominent farmer of the town of Carlisle, was seriously injured by an infuriated bull yesterday. He was attacked by the animal while passing through his pasture and was knocked down, trampled and butted.

Four Hurt in Crash.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 2.—Four persons were hurt yesterday when the New York flyer on the Erie railroad crashed into another passenger train upon the siding, as a result of a misunderstanding of orders.

Hotel Man Kills Self.

Warren, Minn., May 2. — John Lundquist, proprietor of the Scandia hotel of this city, committed suicide. Drink is supposed to be the cause.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF KEEN SUFFERING

Rheumatism Developed Burning, Painful Sores on Legs—Tortured Day and Night—Tried All Kinds of Remedies to No Avail—Wife Had Debility and Pains in Back.

BOTH USED CUTICURA AND ARE WELL AGAIN

"My husband had been a great sufferer with rheumatism for nearly fifteen years. At first it was in his bones, but after a while it was in the flesh and finally running sores broke out on his legs, from below the knees to the ankles. There are no words to tell all the discomfort and great suffering he had to endure night and day. He used every kind of remedy and three physicians treated him, one after the other, without any good results whatever. So one day I happened to read about Cuticura Remedies. I asked him if he would not try them. 'No,' said he, 'it's no use, I've spent enough money now.' The next day I ordered five dollars' worth of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent. He began to use them without confidence but after three weeks all the sores were dried up. The burning fire stopped, and the pains became bearable. After three months he was quite well. Two years later the pains and sores came back after he had been working hard and had taken cold. But as soon as he used Cuticura again it cured him. Two years ago I used Cuticura Pills for general debility. They did me a great deal of good and made me well. Three months since I had pains in my back and Cuticura took them away, too. I can prove this testimonial at any time. Mrs. V. V. Albert, Upper Frenchville, Me., July 21, 1907."

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A SUICIDE AT WARREN

From Thursday's Daily—

Last evening at 8 o'clock the body of Peter Lindquist, proprietor of the Scandinavian hotel at Warren, was found in the hayloft of the barn at the rear of the hotel dangling from a wire, cold in death.

The awful find was made by a girl employed in the hotel who went to the loft to throw down some hay for the cow. The frightened girl went into hysterics and could hardly make her way to the hotel and give the alarm.

Chief of Police Dady was first on the scene and the coroner later removed the body to an undertaking establishment.

Lindquist had been dead for about 3 hours. His absence from the hotel was not noticed as he had been a protracted spree for three weeks and it was supposed he was about town some where, having left the hotel about 5 o'clock.

Lindquist was determined to die evidently. He had fastened a heavy double wire about his neck, backed up to a heavy spike on a studding to which he hooked the other end of the wire and then deliberately drew up his feet and strangled himself to death.

He had operated the Scandinavian hotel for 8 years, ever since he went to Warren. He was well thought of and honest and his rash deed was a great shock to the people of Warren. He leaves a wife who has been in the hospital there for some time following an operation. He also has three children. His only failing was an occasional protracted spree, and it is supposed to be remorse that led to the terrible deed as he was well fixed financially. He was 40 years of age.

Deceased was well known in Crookston having visited this city often, and his rash act occasioned a great deal of surprise here today.

Not Bound by Instructions.

Burlington, Vt., May 1.—The Vermont delegation to the Republican national convention was selected by the state convention yesterday, and the representatives of the Green Mountain State at Chicago will not be bound by instructions in favor of a presidential candidate.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

April 30 In History.

Chevalier Bayard.

1524—Chevalier Bayard, last of the knights errant, died; born 1475.

1632—John Count de Tilly, famous imperialist soldier in the Thirty Years' war, died.

1789—George Washington inaugurated first president at New York.

1854—James Montgomery, British poet, died; born 1772.

1905—Religious liberty granted to certain denominations by Czar Nicholas II.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:51, rises 4:54; moon sets 7:01 p. m.

AGENTS—Automatic Curry Comb, postpaid 40c. Over $5.00 daily or sample returnable. Particulars free. —Clean Comb Co., ( ) Racine Wis.

AT SUNNYSIDE—Paul Waterstrat writes friends here from Sunnyside, Washington where he is secretary treasurer of a large abstract company.

PETITION ADMINISTRATOR—Gunder Danielson has petitioned that Peder O. Ostenaa of McIntosh be appointed administrator of estate of Same D. Dale, deceased. Danielson is a brother of Dale. Land is involved in Polk county and Manitoba province.

FISHER REPRESENTED— Fisher is represented in Crookston today by A. P. Roberts the grocer-confectioner of that place, and Hon. Gunder Krostue.

CRACKER MAN HERE—Clarence Walker of the cracker factory at Wadena arrived in the city this morning from Grand Forks where he inspected the cracker factory, and will remain here for a day or two on business.

ODD FELLOWS DELEGATES—A. A. Glenn as delegate to the grand lodge convening in Minneapolis and Henry Krogman as delegate to the grand encampment were selected last evening by the local order of the Odd Fellows in regular meeting.

TWO BRICK BLOCKS— The two brick blocks to replace the ones burned some time ago belonging to Gunder Krostue and Mike Filasky are both under way. Both are substantial buildings and will make a much better showing than the ones burned at Fisher some time ago.

DEPARTS FOR WEST—Ed. A. Vannet of Fertile who has been spending a few days on a visit in the city departs this evening for Hood River, Oregon where he will locate and make preparations for the coming of his mother, Mrs. D. Vannet of Fertile who follows later.

POLITICIANS HOB-NOBBED —Hon. Gunder Krostue came over from Fisher this morning on business and incidentally there was a meeting with Senator Samuel Lord who was there representing the state tax commission and Senator A. D. Stephens. In the course of the convention Senator took occasion to tell a story about the prowess of the Hon. Gunder which amused the listeners.

"Schnapps" Schuler and Robert Johnson were brought from Williston last evening by Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels who secured them without expense of requisition and they were brought up before Judge Wilde this morning at 10 o'clock for examination which was set ahead ten days until May 9th, the boys being put under $100 bail which they have not yet furnished.

"Schnapps" is son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schuler, whose mother is in Chicago and whose father is on a claim in the north country. The other children are scattered, the family having broken up.

The Great Northern railroad has served notice of appeal to the district court alleging that damages awarded the Great Northern for a highway crossing by the towns of Brandvold and King were grossly inadequate and insufficient.

The highway referred to commences at the southwest corner of section 31 in Brandsvold and proceeds north along the town line of King and Brandsvold crossing the railroad right-of-way between McIntosh and Fosston. The town order appealed from was dated April 4, 1906.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

May 1 In History.

1528—Pamfilo de Narvaez discovered bay of Pensacola, Fla.

1900—Munkacsy, the celebrated Hungarian painter, died; born 1844.

1904—Antonin Dvorak, noted Bohemian musical composer, well known in America, died; born 1841.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:52, rises 4:53; moon sets 8:06 p. m.; moon at greatest libration west; outlook for May, 1908—constellations visible 8:30 p. m.; overhead, Canes Venatici, Leo Minor; north, Ursa Minor, Ursa Major, Cassiopeia, Cepheus; northeast, Lyra, Hercules, Corona Borealis, Bootes; east, Ophiuchus, Serpens, Libra; southeast, Centaurus; south, Virgo, Leo, Corvus, Crater, Hydra; southwest, Monoceros; west, Cancer, Gemini, Canis Minor; northwest, Lynx, Auriga. Bright stars visible same hour rank in order of brilliancy following each: Northeast, Vega, 6; Arcturus, 5; south, Spica, 15; Regulus, 19; west, Pollux, 17; Procyon, 9; northwest, Capella, 4. Planets during May: Mercury invisible near the sun; Venus brilliant in west during evening; Mars sets about 9:45 p. m.; Jupiter brilliant, working westward, setting earlier, from 1 a. m. to midnight; Saturn, morning star, rising earlier, from 3:45 to 1.45; Uranus and Neptune always invisible. Sun in constellation Aries till 14th, then Taurus. Sun's declination, 15.2 degrees north of celestial equator.

2000 FEET CEMENT—Contractors are busy on Bridge street and Lincoln Avenue in Jeromes addition, building 2000 feet of cement walk to be completed there this spring.

LAND OFFICE REPORT—The U. S. land office here reported yesterday cash sales of $7474.94, commissions $1122.23, total receipts $8597.17 with 66 homestead entries and 53 proofs during month of April.

FISHING WITH RAKES—The gentleman who does the raking of the slats in the forebay at the power house dam has been pulling in pickerel and pike in the rake tines making good catches in many instances.

PASSING THE CIGARS — One of the prominent city officials of Crookston has been busy setting up the cigars to all comers for the past few days and departs this evening for a mysterious trip to consume three or four days. The conclusions are favorable.

BURN CAESAR—The Sophomores at the Crookston High School yesterday evening burned old Caesar and "Omnia Gallia" amid loud shouts and acclaim. Some of the students participating tried to do the fire dance in combination with a result that they left for home with their fingers burnt.

ACCEPTS POSITION IN BANK—Sam A. Erickson son of Ed. Erickson the Main Street butcher who has been subbing at the post office since Tenny Peterson has been laid up with typhoid fever, will leave tomorrow for Shevlin where he has accepted a good position in the bank there.

TRIP TO CALIFORNIA—Dr. Geo. Couvrette of Grand Forks left yesterday morning for San Francisco and other points in California. He will be joined by Dr. Rowan and Dr. Love and his mother, of Thompson the latter leaving last evening via the Northern Pacific. They expect to be gone about two months.

IKE LEDERER IMPROVING—Julius Spokely has received a letter from Ike Lederer, one of the best Elks in the state, in which the popular traveling salesman states that he is feeling fine since he returned from his southern trip and has again set foot on the streets of St. Paul. Ike was taken very ill last winter, and at one time it was believed that he would surely pass to the great beyond. He was sent to Mineral Wells, Texas, where his stay appears to have greatly benefited his health. Lederer has many staunch friends in this north country, and they will all be pleased to learn that his health has improved.

Threatened by Black Hand.

Cleveland, May 2. — oJseph Carabelli, a wealthy Italian, reported to the police yesterday that he had received a Black Hand letter demanding $3,000. The letter, he said, threatened his life, to kidnap his wife and son and dynamite his business place unless the money was paid.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

May 2 In History.

1493—The famous bull issued by Pope Alexander VI. giving nearly all America to Spain.

1857—Alfred de Musset, French poet, died; born 1812.

1904—Edgar Fawcett, well known American author, died; born 1838.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:53, rises 4:52; day's length 14 hours; moon sets 9:11 p. m.; 6:44 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mars passing from west to east of the planet, 2¾ degrees south thereof.

DITCH 72 ESTABLISHED — The county commissioners yesterday established ditch 72, running thru the towns of Hammond and Andover.

PEGGED AHEAD— M. Grassman, one of the well known farmers of Andover who farms on section 21 was in the city today and reports that he has finished his wheat seeding and started seeding his oats today.

WILL VISIT CITIES — Louis Sather, representing McDonald Bros., of Minneapolis is spending a couple of days in the city. His family resides at 310 South Ash street. Mr. Sather leaves Sunday evening for the Cities where he will get a new line of samples, returning in a few days.

PURCHASED TOWN HOME — William Samson has purchased the residence on Washington Ave., Jeromes addition owned by Mr. Haslet and which has been occupied for some time past by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Longshore. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Samson will move to Crookston some time in the future and make this city their permanent home, but as yet they have made no definite announcements.

TOO DAMP TO WORK WELL — W. H. Rounsevelle of St. Peter who has been in this section for the past few weeks looking after his heavy farm holdings in this section of the Valley, has returned home. His big gasoline plow has been tried out and will do the very best kind of work, but as some of the land is not very dry he determined to postpone operations for a few days till the land was in first class shape. Mr. Rounsevelle owns section 7 in Fairfax and expects to crop every inch of it this year.

REOPENED FOR BUSINESS — Howard Woolery who was closed up by edict of City Clerk Childs a short time ago, is again open for business in the Waterstradt block. The former license was taken out by C. F. Heiser who paid for a license for a full year. He decided to retire, however, and according to the state law and the city charter he wa snot entitled to what he paid for and the result was that Mr. Woolery had to secure a license to conduct the same business Mr. Heiser conducted.

$600 TO COUNTY EVERY MONTH

COUNTY DEPOSITORIES MAKE REPORTS TO COUNTY AUDITOR TODAY

The various depositories of county money are making their reports of daily average balances for the past month to t he county auditor's office today. The county received about $600 from this source. The rate of interest is 3 per cent on the amount of daily average balance for the month.

LARSON SUES FOR $25,000 DAMAGES

Ole Larson the pioneer hardware merchant of Fisher has brought a suit against Ex-Representative Krostue of the same place who is a banker and merchant there, for $25,000 damages for slander, claiming Krostue made the statement that he had set fire to his (Larson's) building which was burned a few weeks ago and in which the same fire destroyed a saloon, Krostue's general store, a drugstore and a jewelry store.

There has been bad blood between the two men for some time past, politics entering into the deal to a considerable extent. Larson claims to have several witnesses who will swear that Krostue made the unqualified statement that Larson started the fire intentionally which came very nearly wiping out the entire village.

The suit promises to be one of the most sensational of the coming June term, and Larson alleges there will be other developments in which the Fisher banker will be made to side step. Banker Krostue who spent yesterday in the city treats the affair lightly apparently and intimated that there would be some developments that would make the plaintiff sit up and take dotice before the case was completely threshed out.

A LEAP YEAR OF HER OWN

HILDA SENDS POST HASTE TO NORWAY FOR PROSPECTIVE HUSBAND

FURNISHED MONEY TO OLE HOVE TO COME TO AMERICA

From Saturday's Daily—

Unable to speak a word of English and ticketed like a piece of baggage, Ole Hove went thru this city last night to Minot, North Dakota where a woman, Hilda, awaits him to make him her husband. Hove has been one the road for a month, landing at Montreal and coming west thru Duluth. He got off the train at Crookston yesterday evening and ate in Chas. Byers restaurant after asking one of his associates on the train about the hours of leaving and departing. Ole was lost in Duluth and in some way got into Superior, where he sat around in the depot for two or three days. He is an erratic spouse, is Ole, and Hilda who awaits him at a Minot hotel is an anxious girl for Ole was accompanied into this country by her brother Ingvald Kristenson.

Kristenson has been in this country before, living near Badger on a home stead in 1903-4. Ole is a gentleman of short stature little cognizant of the responsibilities of Hilda's love and quite attracted by American life en route. He is the owner of spacious mind and thinks there is lots of time to get to Minot notwithstanding Kristenson's continuous watchfulness. They departed west last night.

TRY WILLOWS AS SNOW BARRIERS

RAILROAD OFFICIALS GET IDEA FROM FARMERS OF THE NORTHWEST

As a rather novel innovation in railroading, altho the scheme has been successfully tried out before the Northern Pacific has just placed an order for 100,000 golden willows which will be used as substitutes for snow fences along some of the more exposed portioss of the line. The scheme while comparatively new in application, was tried last year, when over 200,000 golden willows and Carolina populars were planted along the brow of deep cuts where trouble usually turns up during heavy snowstorms. Apparently the application of the new idea has been found moderately successful, since the road has just decided to continue the plan, and it is understood may supplement this order by several thousand more.

Some years ago the northern lines hit upon this scheme which was suggested by the custom of farmers, whose houses were located at exposed points on the prairies, of using trees and hedges as a protection against wind and snow. The great Northern last year distributed 300,000 trees, comprising box elders, maples, ashes, golden willows and poplars, along stretches of its right of way where snow fences were found inadequate to prevent the drifting of snow in the deep, unprotected cuts.

The order of the Northern Pacific will soon be delivered to Dilworth, Minn., which is but a short distance from Fargo. The golden willows and poplars will be distributed along the line from this point and will supplement the 200,000 supplied last year, which were mostly used in North Dakota and Montana.

Double Row in Spots

The willows and populars are rooted cuttings, standing in height between two and one half to four feet. The trees will be planted at intervals of about four feet at the crest of cuts on the north or exposed side. At some points where the wind has an especially strong sweep and drifting is bad the trees will be planted in double rows, in order to form a denser barrier to the blasts of the storm.

Both the golden willows and poplars are of a rugged species and require practically no attention. Both are particularly adaptable to this sort of work on account of their rapid growth about eighteen months or two years only being required for them to reach a full development. The trees are branched low, which forms a dense growth nearly from the surface of the ground upward. In case the willows and poplars are found to withstand all the rigors of the climate without attention, and form good protection against drifting, it is possible that the unsightly snow fence will be entirely supplanted on the transcontinental lines.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

LAW'S HAND ON ROBBER

JUDGE STANTON DISCUSSES SERIOUSNESS OF CRIME IN OPEN COURT

DEFENDANT CONVICTED OF ROBBERY IN THE 2ND DEGREE SENTENCED TO 7 YEARS

From Saturday's Daily—

The criminal calendar of the district court for the April term at Walker has been disposed of, with the following convictions:

David Monik, indicted for assault in the first degree, was convicted of assault in the second degree and sentenced to five years in the state's prison.

August Thorall indicted and convicted of grand larceny in the second degree was sentenced to the state prison for a term of three years.

Joe Smith indicted for robbery in the second degree was convicted and sentenced to seven years in state's prison.

County Attorney Scribner of Cass county is elated over the outcome of the criminal work at this term of court and Judge Stanton who presided, while he took the greatest pains to give the accused a fair and impartial trial, dealt out stiff sentenecs.

Judge Stanton upon the passing of sentence for the charge of robbery said regarding the prevalence of the crime in northern Minnesota.

"The crime of robbery is a grave one, and they have convicted you of robbery in the second degree. It is a much more serious crime than that of larceny because it couples with it violence and taking of property or money from the person of another and therefore is a crime which the statute imposes severe penalty for the commission of.

"I am well aware, and you doubtless are yourself, and so is every other resident of the northern section of the state, that the commission of this particular crime has been very prevalent thruout the northern section of the state. Many persons have escaped punishment even when brought before the court."

E. D. SUSAN HAS FINALLY SUCCUMBED

FORMER WELL KNOWN CROOKSTON BOY COULD NOT BATTLE DISEASE

Thursday morning at 6:30 E. D. Susan passed peacefully away after an extended illness of typhoid fever and complications. Mr. Susan was prominent in this entire section and Mr. Cena Packard was at the bedside when the end came. The end was peaceful, but deceased had suffered every agony before he gave up the fight. Deceased was 24 years of age and his parents were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Susan. His former home was at Oldfield Wis.

In addition to his parents he leaves a brother and sister. The remains passed thru the city last evening in charge of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Susan to Oldfield, Wisconsin. Deceased had $3000 life insurance which will be held pending a settlement of the estate. Mr. Cena Packard has been getting out the paper during the illness of Editor Susan, and was nearly prostrated when the end came.

Mr. Susan who formerly worked on both Crookston dailies, had been the editor and publisher of the Walsh County Republican since Oct. 15, '07 and was formerly editor of the Oldfield Eagle.

MRS. JOHN SANDBERG CLAIMED BY DEATH

Mrs. John Sandberg aged 38 died this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence in Sampsons addition after a long illness. She leaves two sons aged 5 and 8 years, and a stepdaughter aged 11. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

MANY ADDITIONS TO JAIL INMATES

Three additions were made to the inmates of the county jail yesterday evening. One of these a 30 day vagrant Robert Amberry from East Grand Forks, another Chas. Silliau from the town of Huntsville who will be taken before Judge Morken of the probate court today for insanity and the other one is Severt Cliffsgard known as Shakespeare frequenter of the streets

If it wasn't for Sunday school picnics, ants and bugs wouldn't have much fun.

EXCELLENT ADVICE GIVEN

HON. B. SAMPSON CALLS ATTENTION TO CARLESSNESS WITH FIREARMS

LIVES IN DANGER AND PROPERTY DESTROYED BY CARELESS YOUNG MEN AND BOYS

From Thursday's Daily—

Hon. B. Sampson has addressed a letter to the Journal warning young men and boys to exercise more care in the use of firearms. It is most excellent advice. That there have not been more accidents is due to good fortune alone, as bullets have been flying in all directions at various and divers times.

Mr. Sampson might have mentioned many more incidents than he did. He lost a $200 colt one time, and the attending veteninary stated that death was caused from bloodpoisoning which came from a bullet lodged in the colt's leg. He killed a cow once which was filled with shot. His barns have been perforated with hundreds of bullets and his son when plowing last fall had the handle of the plow he was operating shattered with a bullet while he was at work. If the bullet had hit the boy instead of the plow, a life might have been sacrificed thru carelessness. Following is the communication sent in by Mr. Sampson:

To the Editor of the Journal: A word of advice to young men and boys who enjoys hunting on other peoples premises should also enjoy to be a respectable citizen and not destroy and ruin a man's property, sending bullets in every direction not knowing what injury they are doing.

I am the owner of N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 2 in Town of Andover, half a mile west of South Crookston. I have a barn there in a grove, accommodation for eight horses but when I came out there I found baskets full of empty shells and bullet holes all over my barn, and tools, etc., have been carried away. Now young men and boys read the State Laws and also common laws as all your acts are accounted for under the higher authority, and you all know if you do something good you will feel good and if anything wrong you will feel wrong.

Last fall when my boys were out there plowing, one of them working on the east side and the other on the west, two Sunday school boys came along, a bullet was sent thru the water barrel so the water run out and had no water for the horses, even shooting the pitchfork handles to pieces; now young men and boys what do you think of such acts when horses have to work all day without water through your acts and all people have to depend upon such labor, as I am one of those who raise No. 1 Hard wheat which is very valuable to you and others and one of my horses is carrying a stray bullet in the shoulder and when working hard she shivers even if the animal is in good order, so my advice to you is to stop such foolish work. —B. Sampson.

M'CAFFREY GETS VERY GOOD BERTH

BROTHER OF CROOKSTON BUSINESS MAN SECRETARY OF WIS. U. REGENTS

The following from the Wisconsin State Journal of Madison will be of special interest here as M. E. McCaffrey is a brother of J. A. McCaffrey a well known business man of this city The Journal says:

"The regents of the University of Wisconsin did the university a worthy service as well as the man they named, when they advanced Mr. M. E. McCaffrey from the position of acting secretary to that of secretary of the board. Mr. McCaffrey's experience with Mr. Riley, and in handling the business of the board of regents since Mr. Riley's retirement, have proven that he possesses unusual qualifications for the important office. Considering the responsibility resting upon the secretary of the board it would seem as if the salary might have been advanced to a higher figure than $2,000."

WON'T ANNUL MARRIAGE.

De Sagan and Mme. Gould Will Find No Priest for Ceremony.

London, May 2. — The Globe's Rome correspondent says he has as authority a member of the sacred college for stating that the request of Mme. Gould for the Vatican's annulment of her religious marriage with Count de Castellane will be refused, the pope being inflexible in affairs of this kind. Thus Prince de Sagan and Mme. Gould will find no Roman Catholic priest prepared to sanction their marriage.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

TWO BIG LAND DEALS

BIG HELGELAND AND SCANDIA FARMS EXCHANGE HANDS TODAY

HIGH FIGURES PAID FOR ACREAGES BY OUTSIDE PARTIES

From Monday's Daily—

Two big tracts of land one in Helgeland and one in Scandia exchanged hands today the first containing one section going for $16,000 the second containing 160 acres going for $4800 The Scandia tract southwest quarter 4 was owned by J. Rush of Blue Earth county, Minn., and was sold to Chas. S. Whitmore. The Helgeland tract (section 13) was held by D. M. Kelliher of Fort Dodge, Ia., and was sold to Elizabeth Hartin of Bode, Ia.

CARIBOU SETTLER IS PROVING UP

SETTLER WHO LOST SISTERS AND BROTHER IN RESIDENCE FIRE

Felix Mandville, Ealx Mandville and E. W. Pierce, the latter as a witness appeared at the United States land office today for the purpose of proving up on homesteads in the neighborhood of Caribou in eastern Kittson county along the Roseau river. Felix Mandville is the gentleman whose home recently burned on his Kittson county claim, consuming his two sisters and a brother, his parents barely escaping with their lives. The fire caught, they believe, from the stovepipe which had probably become disjoined during the night.

A CLEANING UP AT THIEF RIVER

SOILED DOVES WERE ORDERED TO LEAVE CITY AT ONCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Fifty soiled doves with gamblers and tin horn sports in their train flooded Steve Withey's special on the Greenbush line of the Great Northern yesterday evening coming from Thief River Falls to Red Lake Falls, county seat of Red Lake County.

This excited exodus was caused by the order of Mayor Hanson of Thief River Falls that all the residents of the tenderloin district leave the city by four o'clock. The order was issued Monday morning by the new chief of police Lang. Immediately the greatest hub-bub arose from among the denizens and they assembled and determined to appeal to the mayor in person who however would not hear them.

Accordingly they have appealed to County Attorney Germo of Red Lake Falls for action restraining enforcement of the mayor's order. There is considerable feeling over the matter as it is the first, tho not unexpected, action of the city of late toward freeing itself of the tenderloin.

ZALINSKY HELD FOR ROBBERY

Warren, Minn., May 5—The horse and buggy belonging to Al Dickerman of Stephen, which were stolen by the Stephen, Minn., bank robbers were found today near Deed P. O. in Marshall county. The horse was nearly dead, having been driven hard.

J. E. Raymond alias Joe Zalinsky and James Nolan, are known to have driven the horse. After leaving it they tried to hold up a preacher and take his team from him, but were unsuccessful. They then travelled to Greenbush, where they were arrested.

Two twin city detectives arrived here today and will try to weave a tight web around Zalinsky and capture his associates. Members of the gang that Zalinsky worked with were arrested at Winnipeg a short time ago and their pictures are in the rogues' gallery.

The authorities are in possession of sufficient evidence to convict Zalinsky, he having been positively identified today as the man who bought the groceries in this town that were found in the bank after it was burglarized.

Horse Slaughters Sheep.

Washington, Pa., May 5. — Spencer Gardner, a farmer near Sycamore, has a sheep-killing horse. Gardner saw the horse carry off a lamb between his teeth and again rush into a flock of sheep and trampling one to death carry it off. The animal will be put in a padded stall.

CO. POOR FARM IS SUGGESTED

COMMISSIONERS WILL PROBABLY DISCUSS PROPOSITION SOON

BELIEVED COUNTY CHARGES CAN BE TAKEN CARE OF CHEAPER THUS

From Tuesday's Daily—

With an insane man, a vagrant and a city dependent placed on their hands Saturday the county commissioners of Polk county may have brought before them at their next meeting the question of the establishment of a farm in this vicinity for the care of these classes of people. No county of the valley has supported an institution for the county poor for there has been so few public dependents, but now this and other counties are being confronted with such problems.

SEEKING HIS MISSING SON

CARRINGTON MAN SAYS MOTHER OF BOY IS CRAZED WITH GRIEF

To save the life of his mother, crazed by grief over the disappearance of her son, J. W. Shiflet of Carrington, N. D., father of William Elmer Shiflet is scattering postcards bearing the boy's photograph broadcast thru the west.

His campaign of love is wide and swepeing including the police stations and newspapers in the United States.

The boy is 18 weighs 140 pounds, with grey eyes and light hair. He is of a retiring disposition and will be likely to seek employment on a farm A reward of $50 is offered.

ABOUT READY FOR BUSINESS

Roy Burkhardt and Joseph Fleckenstein of Crookston who will conduct a first class cigar factory in Bemidji arrived in the city today preparatory to begining action in getting out their new cigars.

The gentlemen have leased rooms in the Thome & Mayer block (the Merchants Hotel) and are waiting the arrival of their large stock of tobaccos, when they will open up for business.

Both Mr. Fleckenstein and Mr. Burkhardt are past masters as cigarmakers having been in the employ of H. F. Brown of Crookston whose name is a household word over west as connected with cigar perfection.

That Messrs. Burkhardt and Fleckenstein will enjoy a liberal patronage in Bemidji and the surrounding country is assured, as they are both experienced in the business and will put a fine brand of cigars on the market, in a few days.—Bemidji Pioneer.

W. A. Lanctot of this city is also interested in the venture and the cigars will sell well in Crookston.

ECZEMA NOW CURABLE

All Itching Skin Diseases Which are Not Hereditary Instantly Relieved by Oil of Wintergreen

Can Eczema be cured?

Some physicians say "Yes."

Some say "No."

The real question is, "What is meant by Eczema" If you mean those scaly eruptions, those diseases which make their first appearance, not at birth, but years afterward, and perhaps not until middle age—then there can no longer be any question that these forms of Eczema are curable.

Simple vegetable oil of wintergreen mixed with other vegetable ingredients, will kill the germs that infest the skin. Apply this prescription to the skin, and instantly that awful itch is gone. The very moment the liquid is aplied, that agonizing, tantalizing itch disappears, and continued applications of this external remedy soon cure the disease.

We carry in stock this oil of wintergreen properly compounded into D. D. D. Prescription. While we are not sure that it will cure all those cases of skin trouble which are inherited, we positively know that this D. D. D. Prescription whenever rightly used, will cure every last case of genuine Eczema or other skin trouble did not exist at birth.

We know this. Anyway you, yourself, will know that D. D. D. Prescription instantly takes away the itch the moment it is applied to the skin. S. A. Wallace. Stop that itch today—instantly. Just call at our store and try this refreshing and soothing liquid; also ask about D. D. D. Soap.

A woman's "no" doesn't mean yes when she says it to the wrong man.

WHITAKER UP NEXT MONDAY

PREMIMINARY HEARING CONTINUED AFTER SEVERAL OBJECTIONS BY DEFENSE

MAN WHO SHOT CONRAD STEENERSON IS MAKING DESPERATE FIGHT

From Tuesday's Daily—

Jefferson Whitaker was arraigned in the county judge's court at Towner on a charge of shooting Conrad Steenerson at Upham. His attorney objected to the jurisdiction of the judge, but this was overruled. Then a change of venue was asked and was refused. The hearing was continued to Monday next.

It is ascertained that there had been a good deal of trouble between the men previous to the shooting. Whitaker was talking to the proprietor of a pool hall when Steenerson came in and renewed the quarrel. He abused Whitaker and finally slapped him. He was making an effort to prevent Whitaker from leaving the room when he was shot. Whitaker claims that he was suffering from rheumatism and was unable to defend himself without the use of firearms.—Grand Forks Herald.

TO CO-OPERATE ON GOOD ROADS

MAPLE LAKE ASSOCIATION HELD MEETING LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Maple Lake Association held a meeting for the opening of the season last Sunday afternoon in Buhn's hotel at the popular resort of the north Valley. The Association to extend whatever aid it could toward the establishment of good roads from this city to the lake. The lake is also undergoing many improvements that received the attention of the Association. There were a large number in attendance.

KILLED NINE DEER IN 24 HOURS

STREET CAR MEN PLAY HAVOC WITH DEER ON HOODS CANAL

Steve Withey has received from Wm. Hall, formerly lineman here, now located at Puyallup, Washington, a letter containing the following extract:

Nine deer in less than twenty-four hours was the record made by a party of Tacoma and Puyallup hunters in the Hoods Canal country the first of this week. They brought to Tacoma today seven of the deer as a proof of their camp and given the other way.

The party was composed of G. W. Post, A H. Gunhus and W. M. Post, street car men of this city, and C. Miller, John Shadle, George Todd and Steve Todd of Puyallup. Their game was left for a few minutes this after noon on the walk in front of the Washington Automobile company, 710 Pacific avenue, and a large crowd was soon attracted.

The men left Tacoma last Saturday and reached their camp Sunday. Before Monday noon nine fine deer had fallen victims to their shots.

W. M. Post who had a 30-30 rifle was the best marksman, he having killed three deer within a few minutes not letting a single one of the bunch get away. The men are so enthusiastic over hunting in the Hoods country that they will return there at once.

Superintendent Boutelle of the Tacoma Railway & Power company and State Auditor Claussen will go to the men's camp to join in the hunt.

ARMOUR SQUEEZES SHORTS.

Burst of Speculative Fireworks In Chicago Wheat Pit.

Chicago, May 3.—Delivery day on May contracts was marked by a burst of speculative fireworks in the Chicago wheat pit. May wheat soared to $1.04, an advance of 4 5-8 cents over the previous close. Then a slight reaction dropped the price back to $1.02. The current delivery was boosted 3 3-8 cents, to $1.04, finally closing at $1.02.

There is much sensational talk of a corner in wheat by J. Ogden Armour. This Armour's grain manager, George E. Marcy, denies, but nevertheless the fact seems to remain that Armour owns all the Chicago wheat in sight, and bear traders caught short in the squeeze yesterday owed their dilemma to this fact.

Armour is credited with holding 6,000,000 bushels of wheat in his Chicago elevators. Shrewd traders say he cleared up close to $1,000,000 on yesterday's squeeze.

Do your duty and let the other fellow do the explaining.

A $50,000 CORPORATION

WRIGHT-CARPENTER CO., LAUNCHED TODAY ON $50,000 BASIS

WILL ENGAGE IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE BUSINESS IN CROOKSTON

From Monday's Daily—

The Wright-Carpenter Co., capitalized at $50,000 with $26,000 common and $24,000 preferred stock was launched today with Geo. H. Wright, Geo. F. Carpenter and Anna M. Carpenter signers of articles.

The corporation will do a general merchandise business with branch stores established from headquarters in Crookston. The articles were dated May 1, 1908 to endure for 30 years.

The change in the management of the New Store will be heartily welcomed by the people of Crookston. Mr. Wright has always been popular with the people of Crookston, and now that he will have full swing the people here will be disposed to give that store a greater degree of patronage than ever before. Under the new regime the corporation will be a strictly Crookston people affair, and every cent of money expended will remain here.

STENOGRAPHERS ARE BUT HUMAN MACHINES

THEY DO MONOTONOUS WORK THAT RARELY BRINGS LARGE SALARY

If you are thinking of taking up stenography as means of livelihood there are many things to consider, says the June Delineator.

Let us take account of your stock before you decide to be a stenographer. Are you a good speller? Is punctuation one of your strong points? Are you accurate and possessed of a quick, dependable memory? Are you neat and quick with your hands? Do you like routine work, and are you willing to do the same thing day after day with little or no variation?

If you can write "Yes" after each one of those questions, you will succeed as a stenographer. But the girl who always had to consult a dictionary when writing an essay, who lost counts in her "home work" because she forgot commas, semi-colons and quotation marks and was careless about the use of capitals, will never earn her salt as a stenographer. A stenographer is a well-equipped, well-oiled, guaranteed-not-to-run-down machine—and nothing more. Occasionally a wide-awake stenographer works up to a position of trust with her firm. But the majority of girls never get beyond the coveted fifteen a week and acquire nervous prostration from confinement, sedantary work and monotony.

The girl who is content to be this sort of a machine will find her best opportunities in the offices of a large corporation, like a publishing house, insurance company, loan and abstract firm, etc. The preparation for such work is at least six months in a good school of stenography and typewriting.

BALLCLUB P. O. ROBBED OF $600

Last Saturday night robbers entered the postoffice at Ballclub a small town just east of Cass Lake and carried away about six hundred dollars worth of goods and money. Details are lacking here, but it is authoritively stated that the haul amounts to six hundred dollars. Mrs. R. C. Payne is postmistress and in the same room she also conducts a store. After dumping the cash register the burglars located a pocket book which Mrs. Payne had in the store and emptied it of its contents amounting to two hundred dollars. There was no safe in the store or office and the News is unable to learn whether or not any of the stamped paper was stolen. From the manner in which the work was done it is supposed that persons laying around the town well familiar with the conditions did the job.

From Tuesday's Daily—

This afternoon Judge Montague of the local U. S. Land Office is hearing the contest case brought against heirs of C. E. Alfred Foelsh who lived in the neighborhood of Greenbush, by Ingval Green. Foelsh died January 10, 1907 on his Roseau claim and his heirs, who live in Chicago cannot be located. The contestant holds that the heirs did not cultivate or establish residence on the homestead.

Electric signs are responsible for some bright remarks.

OLD CASE UP FOR HEARING

THE ADAM SIPLE CASE BEFORE THE CROOKSTON LAND OFFICE

MR. SIPLE ACTED AS HIS OWN ATTORNEY WITH LOCAL ASSISTANCE

From Monday's Daily—

Adam Siple now living at Beltrami in this county, on September 16th, 1906 tendered a commutation proof on lands situate about 12 miles from Warroad. The proof was rejected because it appeared that his entry was allowed under the Act of April 28 1904, as a second homestead entry, he having made a former entry and lost it, and that act provides that no commutation proof may be made on entries made thereunder, but a later act, the Steenerson Commutation Bill of March 3, 1905, provided that all Chippewa Indian Lands in Minnesota on which homestead entries were made permitted commutation proof on such entries.

The Siple case has been pending a good while. The Secretary of the Interior has just held that this Act of March 3, 1905, is a special act intended to apply to all Chippewa Lands in Minnesota, and as to those lands permits the commutation proof to be made on second entries the same as if it had been an original entry, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office now construes that decision also to mean that homestead entries for the Chippewa Lands may be commuted even where they were additional homestead.

Mr. Siple with assistance given by the local land officials acted as his own attorney.

ONLY SEVEN OUT OF THIRTEEN

SOME OF THE APPLICANTS FOR NATURALIZATION DO NOT APPEAR

United States Naturalization Examiner Soult yesterday only put seven men thru the mill with papers permitting them to vote as United States citizens. None were refused, but a number failed to appear. They will be heard from next September when the examiner returns again. Those granted Citizens papers:

1. Gunder Bheibrook, Thief River Falls.
2. Nels Knutson Vasenden, Fertile, Minn.
3. Noran Isaac, Crookston.
4. Ameen Joseph, Randen.
5. Ole Johanson Solheim, Eldred.
6. Baldaser Obenauer, E. G. Forks.
7. Aslak Bjornson Mandt, Kratka.

IOWA CASHIER KILLED.

Team Driven by Clowry Crashed Through Railing of Bridge.

Ottumwa, Iowa, May 6.—R. L. Clowry, cashier of the Bank of Seymour, was instantly killed last night in a storm, when the team he was driving crashed through the railing of a bridge and fell into the swollen creek below.

Tries to Die; Will Not Eat.

Fergus Falls, Minn., May 6.—Benjamin R. Smith, who was foiled in an effort to escape from the county jail a few days ago, tried to commit suicide by hanging last night. He now refuses to eat.

Quarrel Fatal to Two.

Jackson, Ky., May 6.—Ed Callihan was fatally wounded by his brother-in-law, John Spicer, and Spicer was in turn shot and killed by Callihan's seventeen-year-old son, as a result of a quarrel.

FARMERS ARE OPTIMISTIC

WHEAT SEEDING HAS BEEN FINISHED BY MANY IN THIS SECTION OF VALLEY

THE CORN ACREAGE WILL BE DOUBLED THIS YEAR—OUTLOOK VERY BRIGHT

From Tuesday's Daily—

A poll of the representative farmers up and down the Minnesota side of the Red River Valley discovers a prevailing sentiment of optimism. The weather of the month of April seems almost to have gone out of its way to make conditions favorable to the seeding and sprouting of large areas. In the first portion of the month during a dry spell about 90 per cent of the years wheat crop for the Valley was put in with also early small grains of other varieties.

The course of rains lasting four days aided this seeded crop and also burst open the seeds of weeds and noxious growths enabling farmers when the season dried out again to plow these growths up and kill them while in their tenderest state. For the last week in April seeding of other varieties of farm produce gained full impetus and there is not an energetic farmer in the valley that is behind the opening season a day.

The favor of the season has made possible many experiments for which farmers thruout the valley have waited many years and whose results are now closely watched. Chief among these is the use of heavy machinery in the breaking of new and old soils and the growth of corn. Farmers living southwest of here in the prosperous towns of Andover, Fairfax and Hammond are planting considerable tracts on different levels in Illinois corn, the seeds for which have been brought from the big Funk farms in the neighborhood of Bloomington, Ill.

In these same towns Iowa and Illinois parties have brought heavy farming machinery with experts to handle it and are taking large contracts for opening of new soils or turning over of old.

YEGGEMEN BLEW FARGO SAFE SUN.

Yeggmen forced an entrance to the office of the Washburn Lignite coal company Thirteenth street and Second avenue north early Sunday morning at Fargo and after succeeding in blowing the safe in most approved fashion secured absolutely nothing for their trouble. The entire door was blown off and the inside combination destroyed. Nothing but the books of the company and 19 cents in cash was kept in the safe which was an exceptionally small one. The coppers were strewn about the floor.

The report of the explosion was heard by neighbors but no alarm was sounded. The job was discovered by Manager A. H. Porter at 10 o'clock Sunday morning when he visited the office. It is believed by Chief Grant that the job was done by professional burglars.

Rail Worker Scalded.

Mason City, Iowa, May 6—While attempting to extinguish a fire in a locomotive, T. R. Dujaf, foreman at the North-Western roundhouse, had his face scalded with steam. A defect in the flue compelled putting out the fire to prevent damage to the engine.

Professor Killed by Train.

Sterling, Ill., May 6. — Prof. Carl Busch, a graduate of the University of Leipsic, was struck by a train and killed near here while walking on the railroad tracks.

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BEAUDETTE POSTMISTRESS

ANDERSON CONTESTS EMMA ERICSON ASST. POSTMISTRESS AT BEAUDETTE

LAND OFFICE WILL DETERMINE WHETHER BEAUDETTE NEEDS ASSISTANT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Contest is on in the land office today brought by Erick Anderson against Miss Emma S. Ericson on lands located near Strathcona in Roseau county. Anderson alleges abandonment by Miss Ericson of more than seven months duration. Miss Ericson claims she is assistant postmistress at Beaudette, Minn., and under the government laws is not liable to charge of abandonment if she leaves her claim.

The land office here will determine whether the post office at Beaudette needs an assistant postmistress in view of the business that passes thru that office. The government does not permit such assistance except in cases where the volume of business demands it and upon such determination will rest the decision of the local land office.

The number of assistant postmistresses in the north country has been brought out by recent contests before the land office and a little sharper detail will be demanded along that line.

STEENERSONS FORM LUMBER CO.

INCORPORATED FOR $100,000 BY KNUTE, GUNDER AND OTHERS

The following incorporation was made yesterday by the secretary of state at St. Paul:

Steenerson Brothers Lumber company, Felton; capital stock $100,000; incorporators, Knute Steenerson, Pelican Rapids; Gunder Steenerson, Erskine; Lars I. Grina, Felton; Melvin I. Grina, Felton.

CEREMONIES AT R. R. OPENING

INTERNATIONAL FALLS AND FORT FRANCES RAILROAD OPENS APRIL 28

On April 28th the railway bridge conecting International Falls and Fort Frances was declared ready for business, and the first train, bearing officials of the road, prominent visitors and newspaper men, crossed the river.

There was a banquet, speeches, congratulations all around over the completion of the work, and the Canadians were even more tickled, than our own people.

The completion of this bridge gives uninterrupted communication with St. Paul, Minneapolis, and the cities of the east. Considering the difficulties of getting into, or out of this country, heretofore existing the great bridge at the Falls, and the two railroad connections to the south and east, is a blessing that will be appreciated more and more, as the country develops.

Through service between Chicago and Winnipeg, via International Falls will soon be established and the whole of this north country be put in closer touch with the centers of civilization. There will also be a great reduction in freight rates owing to reduced mileage and direct thru line service.—Rainy River Region.

ELEVATE ALL THE SALOONS.

Brewers' Association Program at Milwaukee Includes Work of Reform.

Milwaukee, May 13.—The standard of the American saloon is to be elevated, the dive and disreputable saloon eradicated, and this by action of the brewers of the nation, according to the plans of the convention of the United States Brewers' association, to be held in Milwaukee June 8 to 10.

This association includes practically every brewer of consequence in the country and the membership is almost unanimous for the reform of the saloon.

Loses Life in Fire.

New York, May 12.—In a tenement house fire early yesterday Annie Bates, nineteen years old, a domestic was suffocated and three other persons, one a policeman, were injured. Most of the occupants escaped in their night clothes.

EXPERIMENTAL FARM DITCH

COUNTY BOARD WILL RELET IF CONTRACTOR DOES NOT SATISFY

ENGINEER ORDERED TODAY TO MEASURE WHAT DITCH WORK REMAINS

From Wednesday's Daily—

County Engineer Orvis Hinds was ordered today by county Auditor Hoffard and County Commissioner Clements to proceed along the ditch line of county ditch No. 60 and determine just what amount of ditch work remains to be completed and report to the meeting of the county commissioners tomorrow or as soon as possible.

Also contractor Harry Wyand owner of the work will meet with County Commissioner Clements, Auditor Hoffard and Engineer Hinds this evening or tomorrow and will be asked what disposition and how soon he intends to make of the ditch for report to the county board.

Mr. Wyand took the contract in the spring of 1906 and has not been able to do anything since that time with the exception of a small and inefficient excavation in some portions.

If the county board does not find itself satisfied with the intentions of the contractor, the ditch will be relet.

The completion of the ditch is necessary before the intended tile and other drainage improvements at the experimental farm and agricultural schools can be made effective.

SETTLERS BURNED OUT.

Prairie Fires Destroy Many Farm Buildings.

Winnipeg, May 13. — Prarie fires are raging with disastrous effects in Northern Saskatchewan province. A dozen farm buildings burned around Rose Thorn and the contents were not saved. Heavy losses are reported in Eagle Hills, near Battleford; also at Saskatchewan and Fielding. These districts are covered with heavy grass and timber and the new settlers have been the heaviest losers, not having been fire guarded.

Ready to Quit on May 25.

Washington, May 12.—The appropriation bills are in such condition in both houses that if no complications arise in connection with other legislation it will be possible to reach a final adjournment by May 25.

President Returns to Capital.

Washington, May 12. — President Roosevelt and John Burroughs, who have been spending several days at Pine Knot, Mrs. Roosevelt's country place near Charlottesville, Va., returned to Washington last night.

Cleveland Is Better.

Lakewood, N. J., May 12.—Reports from the Lakewood hotel last night were that Former President Grover Cleveland had passed a comfortable twenty-four hours and that his condition continues to improve.

FIGHTING FOR THE BUSINESS

Every railway and lake transportation line entering Chicago is scrambling for a share of the big shipments of the grain that changed hands May 1st when the May deliveries were made and paid for under Board of Trade rules, and which now will go forward to its untimate destination. The focus of this rivalry for traffic is the Board of Trade, for the grain and provisions bought and sold there such exchanges, which has been confused with the gambling done in their counterfeits, the "bucketshops" which have been persistently fought by them for years. In order to maintain a continuous market for live stock, the packing companies sell in the provision pits for future delivery those meat products which must be cured, and on which they need to borrow as otherwise, for lack of capital, the record of 7,201,061 hogs and 3,305,314 cattle marketed for cash in Chicago in 1907 would not have been possible. About 4,000,000 bushels of grain soon will leave Chicago elevators, of which the lake boats have got about 2,000,000 bushels. The elevators there, with capacity of 63,000,000 bushels, will be practically emptied before the crops of this year are available, in fact, before part of the new crop has been planted.

run into tonnage figures which are enormous. The cured meats in 1907 totaled 753,259,255 pounds, and grain and flour 766,950,782 pounds. The figures incidentally threw new light upon the great legitimate business of

MAY SETTLE DITCH 72

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO CONSIDER IN MEET NEXT THURSDAY

DITCHES 12 AND 11 AND BURNHAM CREEK TO BE ENLARGED

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The county commissioners may take the litigation concerning the ditch 72 running west thru Andover town and settle the right over the ditch by enlarging ditches 11 and 12, the final outlets of 72 and Burnham creek the outlet of 11 and 12.

It is in the enlargement of these waterways that the contention of the opposition to the proposed ditch arises and undoubtedly the injunction proceedings to be heard May 25th next on this matter will be called off by some compromise of the county commissioners.

At the same meeting the board engineer and viewers will be appointed on ditches 76 in Lowell and 77. This last ditch was dropped last fall, it being reported adversely by the viewers appointed as they held the cost exceeded the benefits.

They however at that time recommended a new petition in which would be included a changed course for the ditch. The new petition on which the board will now act conforms with this recommend of the viewers. The ditch is in Hubbard town.

RAINY RIVER DAM IS KILLED

WILL NOT RIDE OVER THE PRESIDENT'S VETO THIS SESSION

All notion of getting up a new bill for extension of the time for construction of a dam across Rainy River at International Falls has been abandoned at Washington because of the probability that congress will adjourn within a comparatively short time. It is said on good authority today that whatever action congress may take in the matter will be on the original bill, on which the president based his veto message discussing the need for taxation of grants for the use of water powers.

NORTHLAND FARM GOES FOR $6,000

EIGHTY ACRES BRINGS $75 PER ACRE—HIGHEST YEAR'S PRICE

The east half of the southeast quarter of section 32 in Northland township in this county brought $6000 or $75 per acre in a transfer perfected here today. The transfer was made by William Miles Kelly of Grand Forks to Miss Kate Soper. The land was formerly owned by Jerry Bacon and Chas. Van Alstine. It represents the largest price paid for like acreage per acre in the immediate history of the Valley.

A Common Mistake

Many women mistake kidney and bladder troubles for some irregularity peculiar to the sex. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities and makes women well. Miss Carrie Harden, Bowling Green, Ky., writes: "I suffered much pain from kidney and bladder trouble until I started to use Foley's Kidney Remedy. The first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely well." For sale by all druggists.

WOMAN IN SORE STRAITS

HAS SMALL BOY IN THIEF RIVER FALLS WITHOUT ANY MEANS

FORMERLY FROM PARK RIVER, N. D. — LIVES WITH A HOMESTEADER

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Claiming that Ira Nickelson, a bachelor homesteader on the Red Lake Indian lands, abused her and would not permit her to live with him, Mrs. Lena Brandow, formerly of Park River, N. D., is living in Thief River Falls with a small child a boy without home or friends. Mrs. Brandow is said to be the wife of a Park River neighborhood farmer of that name. She left him November last and arrived in Thief River Falls and finally going to live with Nickelson on his homestead seven miles east of that city on the old Pembina trail sandridge. At present however she claims that he has continuously treated her cruelly and driven her from his house. The woman claims that Nickelson must support her or get her a situation so that she can make her own living. She is the mother of five children, four of whom have been taken away from her by her husband. The authorities hardly know what to make of the case.

JOHNSON TALKS TO BRYAN

DEMOCRATIC RIVALS HAVE A NEUTRALIZING COLD BREEZE DINNER TABLE

Pittsburg, May 13—Three of the "presidential possibilities" were passengers on the Manhattan limited on the Pennsylvania railroad when that train reached the union station here from Chicago shortly after one o'clock They were Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks, William J. Bryan and Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota. Each was in a separate car and sound asleep when the train arrived here. All efforts to see either were unavailing, the train crew refusing to take cards to them or to permit newspaper men to board the train.

The three had been on the train since it left Chicago soon after noon, but according to Pullman car employs they did not meet until dinner time, when they sat at one table, and engaged in pleasant social intercourse.

After dinner Gov. Johnson and Mr. Bryan according to the same authority engaged in close and earnest conversation until after 10 o'clock when both retired.

SERIOUS OFFENSE IN THIS STATE

CARRYING FIREARMS PENALIZED BY A FINE OF FROM $1 TO $1,000

The recent tragedy in Grand Forks has brought the question of carrying firearms before the public in a serious light and a local magistrate this morning said that altho he had not heard of many cases that the penalty in Minnesota was so serious that if many people knew the law, they would not be careless about carrying weapons. The new code of Minnesota provides that carrying concealed weapons is a gross misdemeanor and a gross misdemeanor is punishable with a fine ranging from $1 to $1,000 or imprisonment in the penitentiary or county jail from one day to one year.

WINONA PUBLISHER DIES WHILE AT SEA

A cablegram received today from Cherbourg, France, announces the death on the steamer Lutzon of pneumonia of Joseph Leicht of Winona, who left recently for Europe for his health. The body has been landed at Cherbourg awaiting instructions. Full particulars could not be secured this afternoon. He founded the Westlichter Herald about 25 years ago. He was well known in Crookston and has visited this city once a year for the past quarter of a century. He was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Mr. Leicht was at one time president of the Minnesota Editorial Association. He was widely known thruout the state. The death of Mrs. Leicht some weeks ago prostrated him and he was going to Europe for his health. His body has been landed at Cherbourg awaiting instructions.

WAS MURDER COMMITTED

YOUNG BOY WAS SHOT AND KILLED AT GRAND FORKS LAST EVENING

SHOT THRU THE HEART BY A 32-CALIBRE REVOLVER—DIED IN 40 MINUTES

From Monday's Daily— ..

The twelve year old son of Ole Waxvik was shot by the 14 year old son of John Nelson on De Mars Avenue between 5th and 6th street at 10 o'clock last night, dying 40 minutes after the shooting in a restaurant, near the scene of the shooting, to which he was carried. The shooting occurred near the Grand Forks Monumental & Tile works of which John Nelson the father of the boy who did the shooting is the proprietor. Young Waxvik and a younger brother were walking west on the north side of De Mers Avenue and all of a sudden he was confronted by young Nelson, who pulled a revolver and fired one shot, the bullet entering his right breast, throwing the revolver away he made his escape, but was located by the police a few hours after and was taken to the scene of the shooting. He assisted the police in finding the revolver which was a 32-calibre and had but one cartridge in the chambers which was the one discharged. The lad seemed unconcerned about the affair and no cause can be assigned for the deed. One report has it that he was mistaken in the party, and that he had threatened to shoot a fisherman with whom he had had some trouble. Young Waxvik who was killed was a son of Ole K. Waxvik who conducts a tailoring shop at 217 De Mers Avenue.

At the time of the shooting but few people were in that locality which is usually thronged by people being across the street from the Griggs Hotel and a half block from the G. N. depot.

The coroner's jury came in late this afternoon recommending that Harold Nelson be committed to the reform school. It appears that six boys had been to the river bothering a fisherman who slapped one of them. The six boys were returning to the river with the intention of getting even with the fisherman. Nelson had a revolver and one chamber was loaded. He thought it was the third chamber from the trigger. In jest he pointed the revolver at Waxvik and pulled the trigger twice. The second time the shot rang out which killed Waxvik.

HOT REPLY TO PALMIST TRANSIENT

CITY CLERK CHILDS WRITES THAT HE IS SORRY TO SAY

In answer to a letter written by "Miss Kern" dated at Helena, Montana, City Clerk Childs of Crookston today spent a little extra time on a letter which is generally believed will fill the bill. The lady inquires if there is license required in this city for the practice of palmistry. No, there is not. And further Mr. Childs is "sorry to say" that there is not. He informs the lady that the good of having a palmist resident in this city and working on the gullibility of people is extremely doubtful. The lady will probably not come to Crookston.

Rock Crashes Down on Train.

aFmriont, W. Va., May 12.—While the Chicago and New York express on the Baltimore & Ohio was passing Hammond, early yesterday, a large rocked rolled down from the hillside and crashed through the roof of the smoking car, injuring three passengers. The train was running forty miles and hour when the accident occurred.

Former Lieutenant Kills Self.

Washington, May 12. — Charles E. Bamford, a graduate of West Point, and who resigned from the army as a second lieutenant in September, 1906, shot and killed himself yesterday. A letter addressed to Adjt. Gen. Ainsworth, asking for a reappointment to the army, was found in his pocket.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in hot weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

MOOSE SEEN IN WARREN

ENGINEER GREENOUGH TELLS A STRANGE TALE OF WANDERING MOOSE

HOUNDS FOLLOWING IN ANIMALS TRAIL—RAN IN FRONT OF THE ENGINE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Engineer Floyd Greenough while stopping at Warren on the north line yesterday saw a huge mose cross the tracks in front of his engine with a bunch of hounds hot on the scent about a quarter of a mile behind the animal. The moose had evidently been running for several miles at that time as he was breathing heavily. He passed in front of the engine about 100 yards away. After crossing the tracks he ran east for half a mile and then turned south with the hounds still on his trail. Other moose and deer are reported along the north line at Kennedy.

ESTATE OF MOTHER AND DAUGHTER

MRS. INDERLEE AND DAUGHTER OF FOSSTON DIED WITHIN 15 DAYS

Hearing on appointment of administrator is up before Judge of Probate T. T. Morken today in the estate of Mrs. Julia Inderlee and Miss Grace Madeline, her daughter, who died in Araphoe, Col., where they had gone for their health last winter. The mother died Jan. 31st, the daughter following February 15th. They were residents of Fosston where they had considerable property.

SOO TRAINS WILL RUN VERY SOON

ENTER DULUTH OVER THE NORTHERN PACIFIC TRACKS BY MIDSUMMER

The Soo road is expected to run trains into Duluth over the Northern Pacific tracks from Moose Lake about the middle of the summer.

Work is going on rapidly on the Moose Lake end of the road. It is the intention of the company to have the line completed to Duluth before winter sets in. Contracts for the grading have been let for a long distance, and the engineers are busy making the final corrections along the territory that has been placed in the contractors' hands.

Steam shovels are tearing up the ground at a lively rate and dynamite is being used freely in the rock cut north of the town. Workmen are in great demand at Moose Lake and the contractors are hiring all the men they can get. The supply will soon exceed the demand, however, as workmen are pouring in from all directions on the strength of the reports that there is work to be had.

Engineer Westlake has finished buying up the right of way in Pine county and is now engaged in acquiring title to the roadway in the Moose Lake district. Very little trouble is anticipated.

Four Girls Drowned.

Emporia, Kan., May 12. — Four young women ranging in years from sixteen to twenty, were drowned last night in the Neosho river at Hartford, near here. The boat in which the party was riding capsized.

Burglars Take Money and Guns.

Sturgis, S. D., May 12.—The hardware store of N. A. Bullis was entered by burglars last night. They took what money there was in the register, several revolvers and other articles.

Baby a Soldier.

Madrid May 12.—Prince Alfonso of the Asturias, the infant son of King Alfonso, who was born May 10, 1907, was enrolled in the Spanish army at the royal chapel yesterday.

Two Ball Teams Arrested.

Mobile, Ala., May 12.—All the members of the New Orleans and Mobile teams and the two umpires were arrested before the first ball was pitched in yesterday's game, the charge being playing Sunday baseball.

Takes Corrosive Sublimate.

Kansas City, May 12.—George P. Case, aged twenty-six, storekeeper of the Pullman company, and who came here recently from Cincinnati, committed suicide by drinking corrosive sublimate.

BOY SCRATCHED DAY AND NIGHT

Eczema Began When a Tiny Baby and Lasted 7 Years—Tore Crusts from Face Till It was All Raw—Screamed with Pain and Could not Sleep—Though Specialists Failed

CUTICURA EFFECTED A WONDERFUL CURE

"When my little boy was six weeks old an eruption broke out on his face. I took him to a doctor and got ointments and medicines but his face kept on getting worse until it got so bad that no one could look at him. His whole face was one crust and must have been very painful. He scratched day and night until his face sometimes looked like a raw piece of meat. I was nearly insane with his scratching day and night. Then I took him to all the best specialists in skin diseases but they could not do much for him. He sometimes screamed with pain when I put on the salve they gave me.

"When he was two years old the eczema got on his arms and legs so that I had to keep them bandaged up and I made gloves for his hands so the nails could not poison him worse. We could not get a night's sleep in months and my husband and I were all broken up. Then my mother asked why I did not give up the doctors and try Cuticura. So I got a set and he felt relieved the first time I used them, the Cuticura Ointment felt so cool. He used to wake up and ask for Cuticura to be put on when he itched so badly that he could not sleep, and he would say, 'Oh! Mama, that makes my sores feel so good!' I gave the Cuticura Remedies a good trial and gradually the eczema healed all up and now he is as well as any other children. He is now seven years old and the cure has lasted two months, so I think it will never return. I can't tell you how glad I am that Cuticura did such wonderful work in our case and I shall recommend it everywhere. Mrs. John G. Klumpp, 80 Niagara St., Newark, N. J., Oct. 17 and 22, 1907."

A single set of Cuticura Remedies, consisting of Cuticura Soap (25c.), Ointment (50c.), and Resolvent (50c.), or Pills (25c. per vial of 60), is often sufficient to cure. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

SALOONS MUST GET OFF RESERVATION

A DECISION HAS BEEN RENDERED BY UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT

The supreme court of the United States has recently rendered a decision in the Funk case of Cass Lake which will effect every saloon now being operated at the towns of Callaway, Ogema, Waubon and Mahnomen.

The court has held, it is learned, in substance that saloons cannot be operated within any Indian reservation in this state as long as they are reservations, and to introduce whiskey therein is a violation of the United States statutes which prohibits the introduction of whiskey into the Indian country.

The decision in the Funk case is in line with the Wisconsin decision of the supreme court, during the past winter, wherein it was held that the allotee could not introduce spiritous liquor into his allotment.

The decision in the Funk case will compel all the saloons on this reservation to close.—White Earth Tomahawk.

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CARIBOU NEAR ROSEAU

COMING DOWN ON RED LAKE RIVER OUT OF MANITOBA

ACTIVITY OF GAME WARDENS MAKES STATES TERRITORY SAFE

From Friday's Daily—

A drove of eleven caribou were seen near Roseau city last Monday going in the direction of Red Lake and Red Lake River. There is a general movement of deer and caribou into northern Minnesota from Manitoba. A drove passed Warroad about a week ago bound south and travelers along the Roseau River country tell of moving animals of like species. The activity of game wardens thruout the northern part of the state is rapidly putting an end to indiscriminate killing and harmless wild animals are taking advantage of home offered them.

SPECIAL AGENT TOM HOWD DEAD

WELL KNOWN U. S. AGENT AT WARROAD DIES AT DENVER

Information is received in this city that Special Agent Thomas B. Howd, stationed at Warroad, Minn., up to a year ago last January died in Denver April 29th last. Howd is well known in the north country. He was one of the old time government agents who made this territory for many years.

SPEARING SOME LARGE STURGEON

Last evening Messrs. Schuler and Greenhalgh caught a number of very large sturgeon, or rather speared the fish in the river just back of J. E. Morrisey's foundry. The heaviest of the four weighing 130 pounds. A still larger one managed to escape carrying a broken spear in its carcass.

OLD CROOKSTON BOY IN CITY

Romeo L. Warninger, a nephew of J. H. Peterson and M. Eriessen arrived in the city last evening and spent the day here. He is with the Naperville Lounge Co., the largest manufacturers of lounges in the world and is enroute west on his annual trip. He makes only the larger cities where he sells goods by the carload. Mr. Warninger was born in Crookston 26 years ago. He noted many improvements made here since his last visit.

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We know this. Anyway you, yourself, will know that D. D. D. Prescription instantly takes away the itch the moment it is applied to the skin. S. A. Wallace. Stop that itch today—instantly. Just call at our store and try this refreshing and soothing liquid; also ask about D. D. D. Soap.

Beat His Brother.

Grand Forks, N. D., May 9.—Leonard Mooney was brought in from Larimore by Chief of Police Dick Fadden to serve a sentence of eighty days for giving his brother, Thomas Mooney, a terrible beatings.

CROOKSTON BOY LOCATED

HJELMER VIKJORD HAS BEEN WORKING FOR FUR STORE IN FARGO

FATHER WILL RETURN WITH HIM TOMORROW MORNING—AFFECTING SCENE

From Friday's Daily—

Hjelmer Vikjord, son of Peter Vikjord of this city, whose disappearance from his home in this city some time ago caused a sensation, and whom it was feared had met with foul play, was identified last evening by his father at Fargo, where he has been employed for some time past in the fur store of Jos. Pinkus.

The boy was recognized by Chief of Police Grass, but to make the identification certain Peter Vikjord was phoned for yesterday and went to Fargo last evening. The scene when he greeted his son was a most affecting one. The boy stated that he had always been treated well at home but had determined to get out and see something of the world.

Father and son will return to Crookston tomorrow.

RETURNED FROM TRIP TO COAST

Mrs. Margaret Dufour yesterday returned from a trip to California where she has been spending the past few months. She enjoyed a very pleasant trip and gives the Journal the following information regarding former Crookston residents:

Al Sargent's home is at 959 McGarrie street, Belmer Gates home is at 985 McGarrie street.

The latter got into Los Angeles with $60 four years ago and just a few weeks ago he was offered $5000 for his property. His father resides with him and will be 83 years old the last of this month. He looks just as he did 12 years ago when he resided in Crookston and enjoys the best of health.

Behlmer sends word "My home is open to all my old Crookston friends" and promises them a good time.

C. C. Ralston is located at 1379 Newton street where he will turn the old into young.

A. R. Holston resides at 537-8-9 Douglas building. He is always glad to see any of his old Crookston friends and will attend to their legal business at cut prices.

R. F. Mageau has been very successful since going to California. He has a home at Los Angeles which is easily worth $8000 and all old Crookston friends are most heartily welcome there. Both Mr. and Mrs. Mageau always make every effort to make it pleasant for all their old Red River Valley friends who go west.

BOYS LEG BROKEN IN TWO PLACES

Postmaster John Lohn's young son Robert of Fosston met with a most unfortunate accident. While at play with neighbor children not far from the house, a small but heavy board "raft" that had been used by some of the older boys on ponds near by earlier in the season, was dropped upon one of his legs, breaking it in two places near the hip. The injured member was set as soon as surgical aid could be obtained and the little fellow is bearing his misfortune well.

BODY LIES YEAR IN SWAMP.

Surveying Crew Finds Remains Near Brainerd.

Brainerd, Minn., May 9. — A crew, surveying a spur to the shaft of the Rogers-Brown Ore company, in the town of Deerwood, found the remains of an unknown man in a swamp on section 30. He apparently had been dead about a year. There is no clue to his identity.

Want Mexico to Explain.

Guatemala City, Guatemala, May 9. —Persistent reports are current regarding the presence of Mexican troops on the frontier, and the Guatemalan government has requested the government at Washington to ask an explanation from Mexico.

Started Chelsea Fire.

Boston, May 9. — After several weeks' work by the state police, two men were arrested last night charged with being responsible in part for the conflagration at Chelsea on April 12. Both men are charged with arson.

Crushed Between Cars.

St. Paul, May 9. — Albert Mack, twenty-one years of age, received probably fatal injuries in a street car accident last evening. He was caught between east and west bound cars at Seventh and Chestnut streets.

EAST COUNTY WARMING UP

JOHNSON AND CHRISTIANSON FOR COMMISSIONERS IN THE FIRST DISTRICT

REV. HARRIS BIDS FAREWELL TO ERSKINE—HAGEN AT SCHOOLS

(Erskine Correspondence)

The county commissioners fight in the first district of Polk county is warming up with Marius Christianson and Emil Johnson in the fight. They have both announced themselves and are well known thruout their communities as well as over the county. The present commissioner hails from Fosston in the person of J. O. Rindal who is a candidate for the nomination as sheriff on the Republican ticket.

Reverend Harris of the Congregational church preached his farewell sermon at the Woodmen hall Wednesday last and will go east for a time before accepting a new pastorate.

The youth of Erskine gave a juvenile show last Thursday night which was much enjoyed by the patrons and proven very successful.

Postmaster Odegaard is getting along fine after his operation in Crookston last week.

Seeding operations have been almost completed thruout the east county and prevailing fair and dry weather has forwarded all departments of farming. The wheat is all in and the most of the other small grains.

The Baptist church gave a lutefisk supper last Tuesday night which was much enjoyed by patrons.

The Erskine schools have been under direction of Professor Paul Hagen for the past week, Professor Lagerstadt having resigned. The new professor has proved very successful in his previous work.

The residents about the small lakes of the east county are having the time of their lives as a result of the fine weather which is favorable to all outdoor sports and recreations.

BIG BOOST FOR DAIRY INTERESTS

M. J. Cort, with the Creamery Package Mfg., Co., Minneapolis, dropped into our office one day last week from somewhere up in the far northwest, where he is kept busy organizing creamery organizations, selling outfits and throwing in a lot of dairy missionary work for good measure. When Mr. Cort left, our sanctum was blue from the smoke of many cigars which we consumed together, while our visitor, always young in spite of the color of his hair, told us of the things the people were doing up in the Red River Valley and in North Dakota, and thru the smoke we could see a country of prairies, swamps, rivers, little bits of towns, snow storms and forty mile drives and hard working people with small wants and big hearts. And somehow the sanctum seemed narrower and more box like than ever, and we wanted to be with Cort out on that windswept expanse of God's country where he is doing his share to help the people along and endeavoring to plant creameries as thick as the little red school houses. We know it would do us good to be with him; it is fine to see a man at the work he enjoys and at which he feels at home doing pioneer work.—The Dairy Record.

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PENNED AND PILFERED

The First Fish Story

A certain writer recently referred to a young man in a humorous vein by stating that he "had been fortunate in the selection of his parents." Commenting upon a recent excursion from here it may be said that Cass Lake was fortunate in selecting the party of veteran fishermen who visited that favorite fishing ground from here last week, for in the phenomenal success of this company the attractive resort has been favorably advertised early in the season.

Messrs. S. S. Stadsvold, L. W. Larson, Dr. R. B. Foster and Wm. Cameron left here Friday with complete camping outfit bound for Cass Lake, says the Fosston Thirteen Towns. Securing a launch at the city they went to the Turtle river outlet, found a favorable location and "made" camp. For the first two days little attempt was made to angle on account of the cold weather, but on Monday they got down to business and made a great catch including nearly 150 large walleyed pike, a medium sized muskellunge, and a few extra fine perch.

With their previous light operations and Tuesday morning's work they returned home Tuesday afternoon with about 200 of the finest fresh water fish to be found in American waters.

Needless to state, the fruits of their outing were liberally distributed among their friends and many palates were agreeably tickled the following day.

CONSULAR AND TRADE NOTES

A report from Sydney, Australia, under date of March 1, places the exportable surplus of wheat from the Commonwealth at 15,657,000 bushels, a reduction of 20,000,000 bushels as compared with the exports last year.

The London Iron and Coal Trades Review says that "a strong control is exercised by Chinese interests over the available supplies of tin both in Europe and in the Federal Malay States," and that "the price is likely to be forced much higher."

The decrease in shipbuilding in the United Kingdom is the greatest, according to the London Financial Times in a quarter of a century. The tonnage now under construction is 101,000 less than at the end of last quarter, and 459,000 less than that of 12 months ago.

The United Kingdom and Germany have just published the text of an agreement respecting commercial travelers' samples, under which, when properly marked by the customs officials of one country, on exportation, they will be admitted without special examination into the other country.

Consul George N. West, of Sydney, states that two new companies have been formed at Louisburg, Nova Scotia, for deep sea fishing. They will start the season with four vessels, each of about 50 tons net register. The 15,029 men engaged in the fisheries of Nova Scotia in 1906 received $99,519 in bounties from the government.

Consul-General Ethelbert Watts forwards a pamphlet just issued by the Bureau Commercial des Expositions (Societe Cooperative), under the official patronage of the Brussels Exposition of 1910, which indicates the object of the bureau—for the convenience, information, and assistance of exhibitors, etc. The pamphlet is filed with the Bureau of Manufactures.

FURUSETH SUCCEEDS ERICKSON AT FOSSTON

Aside from the routine business of the regular meeting of the Fosston Village council last Monday evening, the only question of moment coming before the session was the consideration of the resignation of E. O. Erickson from the position of marshal of the village. Mr. Erickson had found that it would be inconvenient for him to move his family and belongings away from Thief River Falls, and as opportunity for satisfactory occupation had opened there since his leaving, he desired to return. Under the circumstances, Mr. Erickson's resignation was accepted and in his place a home man, Ole Furuseth was selected to wear the star hereafter, and qualified the following morning. Mr. Furuseth has made Fosston his home for several years, altho traveling upon the road the greater portion of the time for a prominent wholesale house.

UNEARTHED AN INDIAN PIPE

While plowing one of his fields, Hans Dunrud of the northeast section of Brandsvold turned over a dark colored object that on passing he took for a broken casting of some kind; but his curiosity led him to make closer investigation with the result that he discovered it to be a stone pipe of undoubted ancient construction, altho well preserved. One peculiarity of the pipe is the color of the stone from which it was carved. Altho somewhat similar to ordinary pipestone used by the earlier aborigines, instead of being of a dull red or terra cotta color, the stone originally was of a medium grey, the exterior however now being nearly black from age and handling.

Nearly six inches in length and about one inch in diameter, the stem is remarkably well formed and carefully finished, as is the figure of an animal (evidently intended to represent a fox) carved upon the upper side of the stem in front of the bowl, which also gives evidence of much care in its making.

Pipe bowl, stem and fox are all well polished and indicate having seen much service. It is an unusual find and Mr. Dunrud values it highly as there is no doubt that it has at some time many years in the past, been the property of an Indian chief and may have a most interesting history buried with it, but beyond all recovery.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

May 7 In History.

1873—Salmon Portland Chase, American statesman, died; born 1808.

1897—Henri d'Orleans, duc d'Aumale, fourth son of King Louis Philippe, died; born 1822.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:58, rises 4:46; moon sets 1:19 a. m.; 6:15 a. m., moon at first quarter; 1 p. m., planet Mercury at superior conjunction with the sun, passing that body from west to east and thus becoming evening star; 3 p. m., planet Mercury at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 12:48 a. m., moon at apogee, farthest from earth.

AGENTS—Automatic Curry Comb, postpaid 40c. Over $5.00 daily or sample returnable. Particulars free. —Clean Comb Co., ( ) Racine Wis.

DRISCOLL ESTATE— Hearing on claims in the John Driscoll estate was postponed today after appearance of Attorney Massee of East Grand Forks.

..MAKING DAKOTA—Henry Odney left this morning to make his Dakota territory. He went via Grand Forks in order to make Hillsboro today. He will be absent about two weeks.

EDITOR HERE—A. J. Rush of Mankato, who runs a paper at Lake Benton and one at Sleepy Eye as well, but who devotes his personal attention to land business, is spending a few days in the city on land business.

A FINE GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sullivan are the proud parents of a fine baby daughter which arrived at their home last night. Both mother and baby are doing well.

..5 CARS TO WASHINGTON —The Maplebay Windstacker company of Crookston is making up five cars of windstackers which they will start on their way to Walla Walla, Washington tomorrow.

APPOINTED NIGHT JAILOR—A. G. Sandberg has been appointed night jailor of Polk county jail and confirmed by Judge Watts of the District Court.

TAKING LAY OFF—Walter Brengman, the well known brakeman on the Great Northern who is enjoying two months' vacation in Wisconsin is expected to return to his work in about a month.

CLAPP SENDS SEEDS — Senator Clapp has sent to Chairman Sathre of the county republican committee a big sack of seeds which will be distributed on request without charge for postage or price.

MET WITH ASSSORS — Senator Sam Lord met with 31 assessors of Norman county at Ada yesterday and gave them the same talk that he has been giving the balance of the north county assessors during the past few weeks.

LOOKING OVER FARMS— M. G. Stouffer of Colfax, Iowa, is in the city today looking after farms in Lowell and Euclid towns. Mr. Stouffer has about 800 acres of land part in section 12 in Lowell and in 1 in Euclid.

DIED AT ADA—Mrs. Jacob Hadler wife of the county commissioner from the 4th district of that county died last evening of a complication of diseases. She was 50 years of age and had been a resident of Norman county for the past 30 years. She leaves a husband and 6 children.

A GOOD MOVE—In order to promote the potato industry in Beltrami county, J. J. Opsahl has issued a circular letter to the farmers of the county in which he, in conjunction with the Selkce Land company offers $250 in premiums for best potatoes produced from a half acre. The premiums are to be awarded thru the Beltrami County Agricultural association at the fair to be held this fall.

PLUMMER DIVORCE — Andrew L. Peterson arrived in the city last evening from Regina, Sask., where he is foreman in the C. P. R. yards and appeared before Judge Watts with Attorney Farley of Red Lake Falls in suit brought against his wife for divorce. The people lived in Plummer Minn., the wife still living there. The case was taken under advisement.

CATCHING TROUT—T. E. Biever received a letter yesterday from Dr. F. C. Mitchell dated at Richland, Wis. which stated that he was too busy catching trout to write a lengthy letter. The morning he wrote he had landed seven fine specimens and was not yet satisfied. After visiting for a few more days with his wife's relatives, Dr. and Mrs. Mitchell will leave for Chicago, and after a brief post graduate course there they will proceed to New York where Dr. Mitchell will accept a position as staff physician in one of the big hospitals while the regular appointee takes a trip to Germany for some special work.

WITH A FARGO HOUSE—Thomas Twite, one of the well known traveling men of this city has accepted a position with the Marshall Oil Co., of Fargo and has left for North Dakota points on his first trip. He will continue to make his home in Crookston as he can make his territory from this point with better train connections than from any point in North Dakota He is well acquainted with the North Dakota trade and it is certain that he will get his share of the business from the start.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

May 8 In History.

1806—Robert Morris, "signer" and financier of the American Revolution, died in extreme poverty after passing several years in a debtors' prison; born 1734.

1873—John Stuart Mill, English writer on logic and political economy, died; born 1806.

1902—Volcanic disasters in the islands of Martinique and St. Vincent. The eruption of Mont Pelee destroyed 30,000 lives at St. Pierre, Martinique, and La Soufriere caused a loss of 1,700 lives in St. Vincent.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:59, rises 4:45; moon sets 1:53 a. m..

BUY FINE RANCH—Chas. Cahoon, a former well known resident of Crookston has purchased a large fruit ranch near North Yakima.

SERVING CIVIL PAPERS—Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels left this morning for East Grand Forks from where he will drive to Oslo and serve some legal papers. He expects to return this evening.

ENROUTE HOME — W. F. Kelso, the Hallock Banker who is a member of the state board of grain appeals was in the city this morning enroute home to look after political fences in his county.

JUBILANT OVER VICTORY—John E. King state librarian was an arrival in the city this morning and left for Red Lake Falls. He was jubilant over the victory of Gov. Johnson in Minnesota and stated that the Democrats of the Twin Cities all felt the same way.

MOVED TO BARNESVILLE—Mrs. Dan Sullivan and children left last evening to Barnesville to join Mr. Sullivan who on May 1st took charge of the Great Northern yards at that place. While their departure from the city is regretted, the many friends of Mr. Sullivan are pleased to note that he was given an excellent position.

PURCHASE VALUABLE LAND—Harvey Warninger and Schlostien, both former well known residents of Crokston who are now in the restaurant business in North Yakima have just purchased four acres of valuable land adjacent to that city which it is expected will be included in the city limits before another year. They will then plat it and sell residence lots.

EIGHT MILLION FEET—The sawmill of the Grand Forks Lumber Co., at East Grand Forks will, this summer, cut into lumber more than eight million feet of logs which were cut in this vicinity, and which will be taken from Bemidji by rail to Grand Forks. The company has been hauling logs since January 1, having already transported more than five million feet. The Grand Forks people cut about three million feet of pine on La Salle lake, over near Itasca State Park. These logs were banked on the La Salle lake, and they will now be driven down the Mississippi river to Lake Irving. The logs will be hoisted from Lake Irving at the Company's hoist and will also be taken to Grand Forks to the sawmill.—Bemidji Pioneer.

SUBJECT TO TAXES

ABOUT SIX SECTIONS TURNED IN TO POLK COUNTY IN 1907-8

2,000 MORE ACRES NOW SUBJECT TO PRIVATE CULTIVATION

From Saturday's Daily—

The report of the state auditor to County Auditor N. A. Hoffard submitted today shows that up to May 1st last which is legal time of annual report the United States Government had given patent to homestead settlers on its lands to 3725 acres or about six sections. This now becomes subject to tax and is improved as required by government laws.

The St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railroad has deeded 3,277 acres to private parties, but most of this was previously contracted for so it does not all represent actual newly settled and cultivated land. The railroad company sold the land to buyers on lang time contracts and these are just now being completed in payment. They go into hands of private individuals. New land has been contracted for from this company to the extent of 520 acres and 118 acres have reverted thru failure of buyers to keep up payments.

State school lands have been sold to private holders to the extent of 7,593.82 acres. This in addition to the government land also becomes taxable property and goes into private cultivation and ownership.

The actual addition to taxable property in this county for the year ending May 1st last is about ten sections. The actual property going into holding of private individuals will amount to about fifteen sections or nearly half a township.

Polk county as one of the oldest of the north valley counties signifies in this respect what future matters the newer counties can count on.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

May 9 In History.

Zinzendorf.

1760—Nicholas Ludwig Zinzendorf, count, founder of Moravian Brethren, died; born 1700.

1766—Thomas Arthur Lally, baron of Tollendally (Ireland), French-Irish patriot and soldier, executed at Paris on false testimony; truth discovered and proceedings reversed in 1778.

1863—Stonewall Jackson died after being mortally wounded at the battle of Chancellorsville.

1905—One hundredth anniversary of the death of the poet Schiller celebrated in Europe and the United States.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7, rises 4:44; moon sets 2:22 a. m.

WELL KNOWN FARMER HERE—Tom McCleary one of the well known farmers of Fisher is spending the day in the city, mingling with the Democratic politicians.

OLD TIMER HERE—Wynkoop Lemen, one of the old Democratic warhorses from the north end of the county arrived from Angus last evening to attend the convention.

LEFT FOR FORKS—Al Bierman, who has made Crookston his home for the past several years left last evening for East Grand Forks where he will accept a position with one of the refreshment parlors.

BIG WELL IS COMPLETED—Mrs. H. L. Ross has completed the big artesian well that she has been having a crew working on for some time past and the windmill has also been constructed and is ready for operation.

PARENTS OF A SON — Rev. and Mrs. O. S. Jacobson of Houston Avenue are the parents of a fine baby son. The young gentleman arrived Thursday morning and all concerned are doing well.

CHILD KICKED IN MOUTH—John Sather's little three-year-old daughter was brought in last Saturday evening to Dr. Slippern with a severely cut and bruised mouth, a horse having kicked her. Five teeth were knocked out by blow and several stitches were necessary to repair the injury to her lip.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

RESTAURANT SOLD— Arthur Elliott, of Lac du Flandeau, Wisconsin, was in the city last week and bargained for the purchase of the Mrs. M. V. Hall restaurant stock and fixtures. He expects to take possession about the middle of May. Mr. Elliott is a first class baker and will run an uptodate bakery, restaurant and lunch room, and in castoing his lot among us all will wish for him unbounded success. Mr. Elliott will occupy the Demarais building, formerly occupied by Garceau & Zaiser as a general store.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

BUILDS A NEW DITCH MACHINE

COUNTY COMMISSIONER CLEMENTS WILL HAVE NEW MACHINE WORKING

SOON—BORES THRU EARTH LIKE AN AUGUR— 30 H. P. ENGINE

From Saturday's Daily—

After being a commissioner of Polk County for fifteen years and for many years the chairman of the board, Benjamin Clements of the township of Crookston has invented a dry digging ditching machine which has proven an actual success and which he will use hereafter on work in Northern Minnesota.

Clement's new machine which is being constructed at one of the foundries of this city acts on the big wheel principle, there being attached to this wheel which projects forward ahead of the engine placed on a wheeled platform behind it shovels and plows The main wheel is racheted to the engine. The platform of the machine which rests on wheels may be heightened or lowered as best suits depths of the ditch.

The plows on the main big wheel are set forward at different heights and as the wheel revolves strikes the earth in a gradually increasing degree thus requiring no sudden effort of the engine, and straining its parts. The shovels have no cutting edges but merely pick up the dirt as shavings which the plows cut out revolving them up over the machine and tripping and emptying their load when they reach the top into a conveyor which much reesmbles a hay stacker leading out into a wagon or along the possible level of a future road.

The machine works with all the evenness and character of an augur. A poor model of the machine has actually been tried in this city and works well. The machine may be so tilted as to dig in deeper or shallower thus making an even bottomed ditch across a slightly rolling country. The machine will be operated by a thirty horse power engine. Commissioner Clements expects to have the machine working in ten days.

AN OLD COUPLE RETURN TO SWEDEN

JOHN SOLOMONSON AND WIFE OF STRATHCONA—DO NOT LIKE THIS COUNTRY

Arriving in this city last evening on Steve Withey's special from Strathcona, Mr. and Mrs. John Solomonson, an aged couple, rested in the depot from 6:40 to 10:25 on their way to Westenbotten in Sweden where they will live the rest of their days. John Solomonson came to this country some years ago and was drawn to Strathcona between Middle River and Greenbush on the Great Northern branch. He farmed near there.

The main cause of his dissatisfaction is the arrival of new-comers mostly not of his nationality. He and his wife were dressed in the good old Swedish costumes and attracted a deal of attention about the waiting room of the depot.

BANK CHANGES HANDS — The State Bank of Winger has been sold to L. C. Simons and others of Red Lake Falls. The bank which was owned by Eckman, Ingberg, Rask, and Brattland, has been a paying proposition and was sold only because of the failing health of Gilbert Brattland who was cashier, and who finds it necessary to go west for a change of climate. The deal was made last week.

DAIRYMEN ARE WARNED— Officers of the state dairy and food commission have issued a letter of warning to dairymen and managers of creameries thruout the state calling attention to the regulations prescribed in the laws for the government of buttermakers and persons who sell milk and cream, and the penalties provided for punishment of violations of the laws. The penalties range from $15 to $100. The regulations set forth in the letter relate chiefly to the manner of keeping the milk and cream, and precaution to insure cleanliness of all parts of the dairies and creameries and all appliances used in the handling of their products.

A woman always likes to fix up things to eat that can be served on a tray.

JOHNSON NAMED BY POLK CO. DEMOCRATS

From Saturday's Daily—

In hot reply to William Brown of McIntosh, the able Bryan leader of the day, State Committeemen Martin O'Brien of Crookston upon the floor of the Democratic county convention at the court house this morning openly charged Postmaster Elias Steenerson and Judge R. J. Montague of the United States land office, both of Crookston with efforts to help Bryan men in their fight for the Polk county delegation.

The convention met at 10 o'clock this morning and the court room was immediately divided on the question of a chairman. The Bryanites put up William W. Brown of McIntosh and P. J. Kelly of East Grand Forks was the nomination of the Johnson men.

All precinct delegations voted as a unit. Those going for Bryan, Bygland, Euclid, Fertile, Grove Park, Hill River, Lowell, King, Mentor and Roome. Those going for Johnson, Angus, Crookston, East Grand Forks, Fosston, Fertile(3 votes) Garfield, Rhinehart and Tabor. Total 27 to 77 in favor of Johnson. Later 10 more Bryan delegates appointed.

The committees appointed were, Credentials, T. R. Johnson, Tom Murray, Joel Fogelberg, F. E. LePage, E. Erickson.

Resolutions, Wynkoop, Lemen, W. R. Stoughton, W. E. Handy, C. Houston, K. Nelson.

Permanent Organization, Martin O'Brien, Remi Fortier and S. K. Sorenson.

George J. Cannon was named secretary of the convention.

Kelly was introduced by Martin O'Brien and made a short address.

The main rallying man of the Bryan forces was William Brown of McIntosh, their nominee for chairman and he proved a powerful speaker driving Martin O'Brien when he rose to reply to him into an earnest address to the convention which began to display some response to Brown's address.

Mr. O'Brien referred to the introduction of Johnson into National politics by Tom W. Lawson of Boston the enemy of the system.

"Rah for Lawson," roared Stoughton of the Valley View who had ensconced himself in the seat of the district judge.

The only supporter of Bryan in Minnesota, said Mr. O'Brien is the Duluth News-Tribune, "the representative of the United States steel trust."

Martin O'Brien made the candidacy of Johnson a personal matter with him. He asked the convention if they thought him a tool of the interests. He was the one that first officially proposed Johnson for the presidency. The accusations that Johnson was favored by the corporate interests of the country was a personal charge against him and the other supporters of Johnson.

He promised that the Minnesota delegation would not betray the state's interests at Denver. He said that everybody favored Bryan, if Johnson could not be nominated.

The resolution committee reported resolutions endorsing for president, Johnson and Martin O'Brien and H. L. Shirley of Breckenridge as Ninth district delegates to the national democratic convention.

The selection of a state committeeman from the Ninth district to take the place of Martin O'Brien was left to the delegation from this district.

Sidelights of the Convention

In the absence of the regular committeeman, Martin O'Brien immediately took the helm, making a short speech for united action and fair treatment; after this assurance Bryan's supporters felt more comfortable.

The first ripple presaging a possible tumult under the surface, developed when the selection of temporary chairman came up; but the "united action" of East Grand Forks, Crookston and Fosston to the extent of 77 votes, put the outside townships out of the running with their 27.

The only evidence of a division in any voting precinct was in Fertile; the Johnson adherents polling three of the delegates to two for Bryan.

P. J. Kelly was selected temporary chairman and made a short speech in which he expressed his preference for Gov. Johnson; but admitted that he had, in the past, voted for Bryan; but because Bryan proved to be a poor vote getter and the more speeches he made the less he said, the speaker thought it advisable to try Johnson.

After the selection of the usual committees, one of the 27 above noted, called the attention of the Chairman to the fact that the Bryan supporters in the convention had been carefully ignored with the possible exception of Mr. LePage, who was given a place where, even had his intention been malicious, he could not do the least harm. Upon this showing of magnanimity of the 77 to the 27, "fair treatment" prevailed and harmony resulted.

The "favorite son" argument was now brought to bear and matters of Chesterfieldian courtesy were urged by one of the speakers.

But Mr. Brown, of McIntosh, took the floor and told the convention it was wasting its time; that Bryan would receive the nomination in spite of any thing the convention could do; that Johnson was a Wall Street candidate, and most of the stock arguments used in support of the man from Nebraska, and made an effort to make prominent the point that in his belief, the Republicans of the state and nation were the ones instrumental in bringing Gov. Johnson forth.

To this speech, Mr. O'Brien replied as soon as he could obtain the floor and vehemently denied that Gov. Johnson was a Wall Street candidate or that Henri Watterson was the first discoverer; but that the fact of Johnson's being twice elected in Minnesota was sufficient to bring him before the public and that if any one person had the right to claim the honor of having been the first to suggest his name in connection with the nomination for president, Tom Lawson was it; and that further, in answer to the charge that the republicans were having a hand in the matter that notwithstanding the election of Johnson in Minnesota, the republicans who were interesting themselves in Democratic affairs, to his knowledge, were R. J. Montague and Elias Steenerson, Federal office holders, and that the gentlemen did not favor Gov. Johnson at all. That the one newspaper in the state opposing Johnson was the Duluth News Tribune which is owned by the steel trust and that the Governor not only does not favor the predatory rich but received his political inspiration when as a boy he watched the steam arising from his mother's wash tub. The speech of Mr. O'Brien was well received by the 77 and with a grain of salt by the 27.

The editor of the Valley View next obtained the floor and made a short speech; and Mayor Dunlavy of East Grand Forks did likewise.

Mr. Anderson of the Town of Crookston, while a pronounced Bryan man thought harmony and joint action should be the rule, and agreed to work for the Democrat nominee, whoever it might be, a proposition to which Mr. Murphy, the next speaker gave his support.

The resolutions committee made a report for the 77 and the 27 gave the same their respectful attention.

Mr. Cannon then addressed the convention and thought he was entitled justly, to a place in the group of original discoverers of Gov. Johnson as a presidential possibility with the other "first idea men" and the convention adjourned, having selected the delegation to attend the state convention who were pledged to the resolution adopted by the convention.

Following is the list of delegates elected to the state convention:

Martin O'Brien, Alex Thompson, F. R. Hamel, J. R. Rasmussen, Ed Erickson, W. Lemen, John O'Leary, Hugh Dunlavy, Jos. Fogelberg, Tom Murray, W. R. Stoughton, Ingebret Larson, M. Driscoll, Geo. Cannon, Remi Fortier.

Alternates: Dan Hughes, A. J. Kirk, Thomas R. Johnstone, J. E. Morrisey, S. K. Sorenson, D. H. Miller Otto Paska, Henry P. Gies, Gus Nordes, Dan Ryan, T. P. Hirschberger, G. K. Chambers, J. Enright, J. F. Creamer, W. E. Black.

HEALTH IS IMPAIRED—J. J. Lomen formerly assistant secretary of state for Minnesota with his home at St. Paul but now located at Spooner on the northern border of the state passed thru the city Wednesday accompanied by his daughter Ruth on a visit to his brother, Ole J. Lomen and family residing east of Fosston. Mr. Lomen's health is not of the best and he undertook this trip with the hope of an improvement.

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A Just Arraingment

Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis severely scored philanthropists who donate libraries and people who lecture on the child problem or engage in social settlement work "merely for the purpose of securing notoriety." In his address there he said: "There are today philanthropists—so-called—who believe that by giving the people libraries, that they might study out present-day philosophy, they are accomplishing great good," said Archbishop Glennon. "And there are others who spend their time in social settlement work or lecturing on the child problem. Constantly they seek notoriety. Let them go on giving away their libraries and establishing their social settlements, but I want you to understand that philanthropy divorced from Christ is not charity. The philosophy taught in your schools and universities today is just as brutal as it is repugnant. This philosophy of evolution, emanating from the brain of Darwin and Spencer, makes for brutality and retards progress. What is the use struggling if there is nothing to be attained? Where is there an appearance of charity in this system? The strong succeed and the weak perish. Now what do you think of your university professors who urge this theory upon an unsophisticated people? And yet there are many people known to you, whose hands and hearts and lives are consecrated to God and to charity. These nuns move along as a great silent force, and where in their lives do you find the law of evolution—a struggle for self If that theory be the law of life, then these women are the world's greatest failures. Their struggle is not for themselves but for the lives of others. The Sisters of the Good Shepherd are particularly worthy of mention, for their lives are devoted to the uplifting of the woman wha has fallen into sin." Archbishop Glennon sees dread times ahead for our country, when the true merits of so-called philanthrophy will be tried in the balance of necessity. He asserted: "It is a recognized fact that we are fast reaching a social crisis, with our millionaire on one hand, and the pauper on the other. When that day comes the philanthropist, sitting in his upholstered chair, will not arise to the occasion. He will be told that it is not a lecture that is wanted, but that it is bread."

Water Power And The People

It is good to hear that matters have been so arranged that President Roosevelt has agreed to sign the bill authorizing the completion of the Rainy river water power project, but it is still better to know that he has made this agreement without abandoning the principle upon which he based his veto of the bill, exercised several weeks ago, says the Duluth Herald.

As the bill was originally introduced and passed, it took no notice whatever of the principle which the president had laid down in a message to congress—that the government should retain control and ownership of the water powers of the country, and that when the right to use them was granted it should involve the payment by the benificiaries of a proper charge to the govcernment for the benefits conferred upon them.

In this form the president had to veto the bill and he did rightly. He would not have been justified in abandoning the excellent principle that the government should have adopted long age to cover all of its natural resources situated in the public domain.

In order to secure the signature of the president to the bill, two additional provisions are to be inserted. The first is that the concession be limited to ninety-nine years, thus recognizing the government's ownership of the water power. The second is that the government is to make a reasonable charge for the concession.

It would have been very unfortunate if the bill had fallen thru after the beneficiaries of its provisions had spent a large sum of money in developing the water power but it would have been still more unfortunate if, after the principle of government control had been established by presidential proclamation, it had been abandoned and a precedent made for further infractions.

Water power is a big factor today, but it is going to be a bigger one in the near future. All over the country thousands of streams possess waterfalls that provide natural power facilities. Every one of these will in time be developed, but in time even those now located far from the factories whose wheels they must turn will be put into use. Either the factories will move close to the waterfalls, or a process will be invented for carrying the developed power long distances with a minimum of waste.

Waste power is the last remaining natural resource and the government should keep it in trust for the people.

A New Industry

Owing to the simplification of a chemical process it is almost certain that the vast deposits of peat in Minnesota will contribute greatly to the development of the chemical industry in the state. From the latest official information received, peat, hitherto regarded as of little commercial importance, is to become the staple of a flourishing chemical business. It is found in large beds in more than half the counties of Minnesota, and when cut and dried and placed on the market as a substance from which can be extracted alcohol and sulphate of amonia will be worth from $5 to $10 a ton. This simply means that farmers who have lamented the fact that there were acres of peat deposits on their farms will be able to harvest it for comemrcial purposes, and sell it in some cases for a higher price per ton than peat land is often worth an acre at present.

Sulphate of amonia is of the greatest value in successful agriculture, and by a new process the St. Paul chemists are investigating it has been found that it can be extracted from peat in the ratio of 66 pounds to the ton. The most wonderful thing about the new process, however, is that in getting the amonia out of the peat another valuable product is obtained. This is pure spirit, one ton of dry peat furnishing, besides the amonia about 165 quarts of alcohol. Altho the deposits of peat are very extensive in Minnesota it is not accurately known just how many million tons are available for commercial purposes Peat is found in at least half the counties of the state, and because it has been considered of no business value except as fuel no particular importance has been attached to it hitherto.

Now the chemists have discovered a simple plan of converting it into alcohol and sulphate of amonia the deposits of peat in Minesota are likely to have great commercial value in the future. The discovery of the process was made by a Frenchman. Two plants have already been established in Europe to manufacture the commodity. So encouraging have been the results that a company is now being organized in Germany, the home of commercial chemistry, for the operation of a plant on a large scale. The Germans are so alive to the necessity of chemicals for successful farming that they have prophesized that in the future the demand for such commodities from the United States will be great and that they will be the only commercial nation able to meet it. The cost of manufacturing peat alcohol is 26 cents a quart whereas the cost of manufacturing alcohol from potatoes is from 9 to 10 cents a quart.

Serious Fire at Atlanta.

Atlata, Ga., May 13.—One hundred and seventy-five horses, two of them prize winners, half a block of buildings burned, with $100,000 loss, a threatened panic in a crowded theater near by, and half a dozen persons injured, none seriously, summarizes a fire which started in the business section of Atlanta at an early hour last night.

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THREE MEN EMBARKED ON CASS LAKE IN A FRAIL BOAT

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Three lumberjacks had a most miraculous escape from drowning at Cass Lake early yesterday afternoon.

The men had come in from one of the camps near Cass Lake and, after drinking considerably, embarked in a row boat and started for Star Island. When about in the middle of the lake they got to quarreling and upset the boat. All three were spilled out. The men grabbed for the boat and tried to keep their heads above water, but their combined weight sank the boat.

About this time, H. N. Harding who was several hundred feet away in his launch noticed something unusual, and putting on full speed, made for the unfortunate men. When he got alongside the boat he found the men almost exhausted, but, after much trouble, they were brought into the launch and taken to town, where medical aid was secured.

One of the trio is in a critical condition, but the other two are not in an alarming state.

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FOOT SAWED OFF.

Workman in Sawmill Kicks Piece of Wood From Saw.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., May 12. — Fred Draper, twenty-four years old, got his foot cut off while working at a sawmill at Springbrook. The crew was sawing a log that was not very sound and some of the rotten part of the log stuck to the saw. Draper attempted to kick it off and the saw caught his shoe, throwing his leg over the saw and cutting it off just above the ankle.

Two Shot and Killed.

Watertown, N. Y., May 12.—While seated at a table in his cabin on Apple's island, near this city, Jerry Apple and his son-in-law, Albert Crowder, were shot and killed through a window. Royal Dunning, another son-in-law has been arrested, charged with the crime.

Store is Burned.

Belle Plaine, Minn., May 12.—Fire Saturday night, starting in the basement of the People's store in the Bailey block, threatened to destroy the entire building. The flames started among matches and all goods were badly damaged by fire and water.

Strike Blocks Shipping.

Bay City, Mich, May 12.—Eight vessels failed to clear from here yesterday as intended, owing to a strike of seamen. The seamen demanded $50 per month instead of the $40 offered.

Two Negro Night Riders Killed.

Lexington, Ky., May 12.—A military officer here confirmed the report of the killing of two negro night riders and wounding of a white man in Madison county. The killing took place two days ago, but has been suppressed to assist the officers in their efforts to catch other members of the gang.

Shows Off; Is Killed.

St. Louis, May 12.—While a car was speeding down an incline on the scenic railway at Mannion's Park last night, William Fleckinger, a railroad employe, impelled by a spirit of bravado, stood up in the car and the momentum hurled him overboard. He fell fifty feet and was instantly killed.

Farmer Shoots Gypsies' Horses.

Waterloo, Iowa, May 12.—Because gypsies allowed horses to run on his premises, Louis Brown, a Cedar Falls farmer, shot three animals belonging to John Adams and Joe George. He was arrested.

PRESENT STATUS OF DRAINAGE IN NATIONAL CONGRESS

Letters From Members Of Minnesota Delegation Cover Status Of Proposed Drainage Legislation Before Congress.

Steenerson Thinks Localizing of Bond Issue And Drainage Projects Outside Of Government Management Is Acceptable.

Monday afternoon last the federal House of Representatives passed bills authorizing the drainage of certain swamp lands in Red Lake Indian reservation in northern Minnesota.

The lands are in the Mud Lake district covered by surveys of United States engineers.

In general the activities to further drainage legislation in the national congress for the past session has been an extremely delicate and diplomatic matter which has required a great deal of attention from the members of the Minnesota delegation and not least from Congressman Steenerson of the Ninth District. It is well then to note in the letters that follow just what the opinion of these Minnesota leaders is with regard to the status of the drainage question before the national houses at this time just on the eve of adjournment.

The first letter is published in the Northern News and reads:

Washington, April 30th. '08. Hon. Albert Berg, Spooner, Minn.—Dear Berg: I think we have finally got the drainage matter adjusted so that it will work out to the benefit of Northern Minnesota. Mr. Volstead passed a bill thru the House, which provides for land in the ceded reservation being put in drainage districts and when the bill came to the Senate I had Congressman Steenerson's amendment, which removes the embargo which heretofore has existed, put in the bill. This amendment will undoubtedly be left on by the House and if it does, it seems to me we will have solved the whole question. With kind regards, I am,

Cordially yours,

—Moses E. Clapp.

Washington, D. C. April 29, 1908—Mr. Chas. W. Latta, Plummer, Minn.: From recent editorials in your papers I see that you are interested in proposed drainage legislation in Congress and in order that you may have an accurate idea of what is proposed to be done and enable you to explain it to your readers I enclose you a copy of H. R. 19541 to authorize the drainage of certain lands in the State of Minnesota, together with Senate report thereon containing the additional amendments proposed in Senate. The amendments have been agreed to but they will be modified in conference and then the bill be passed at this session, as we confidently believe.

The main difference between the bill introduced by me and the present measure is that my bill made a direct appropriation and authorized the United States Government to construct the improvements so far as the public drains were concerned, leaving to each land owner to drain into these public drains. I had planned to increase the price of the unsold land sufficiently together with what would be collected from the lands in private ownership to reimburse the government. On account of a decided and controling sentiment in both Houses against the government engaging directly in the drainage of swamp land I made up my mind that such a measure could not pass, at least not for some time to come, and in order to get something done at the present Congress it would be best to adopt the plan embraced in this bill, which is, briefly stated, to subject all ceded Indian lands, all public lands, and all lands which have been entered but not proved up, to assessments for drainage improvements. When a drainage project is planned the amount of the expense will be apportioned to each tract under the state laws, and the county will issue its bonds the same as for other ditches or drainage works, and the tax will be enforced by sale if necessary. Where ceded Indian land is sold for drainage tax the purchaser at the tax sale becomes the owner of the land, subject, however, to the payment to the Indians of $4.00 an acre on the eleven townships and the purchaser must be a qualified homesteader, except when the state is a purchaser, and when the state is a purchaser it can only resell the land to a person who is a qualified homesteader. In a similar manner public lands and lands entered but the title to which is in the United States are treated, as you will observe that whatever value there is in the land over and above the amount due the Indians is made subject to the drainage improvement tax. This ought to insure the reclaiming of all lands that are worth reclaiming. Of course I can see that the first plan was best for the settlers because the improvement would be put in at once and the money advanced by the Government, but inasmuch as we could not get that plan adopted the proposed plan ought to be satisfactory.

Under the state law a system of drainage ditches can be planned, for instance, in the so-called Mud Lake district, and the cost of the improvement apportioned to every piece of land whether Government land, ceded Indian land, entered land, or patented land in private ownership, and altho there might be several forties in each section that would not sell when the improvement was constructed for enough to pay the assessment, yet on the whole, the amount could be so apportioned as to be sure to repay the cost of the improvement or bonds issued by the county and sold and lands which are now worthless would be valuable after the ditches are dug and the purchasers would pay the assessment together with the amount due the Indians, and you would have a thickly settled community.

I think when you study this proposed law thoroly in conection with the state drainage laws, and the procedure thereunder that you will be satisfied that this is a long step toward the solution of the drainage problem.

I am, yours very sincerely,

—H. Steenerson.

CITIES MUST PAY LICENSE TAX

JUDGE FLAHERTY DECIDES LIQUOR LICENSE TAX CASE AGAINST MORRIS

CITIES OF STATE MUST NOW SIT UP AND TAKE NOTICE

Judge Flaherty of the district court has decided that the law taxing all liquor collections two per cent for the purpose of establishing and maintaining an inebriate farm is valid. The case was brought by the city of Morris which refused to pay the tax on the ground that the law under which it was attempted to be collected was unconstitutional. Very few of the cities of the state have paid the tax, as they have been awaiting a decision in the Morris case. There is nothing to do now but to pay or appeal the case to the supreme court, and it is not known as yet what action will be taken.

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Anoka Pioneer Gone.

Anoka, Minn., May 12.—Aranda Giddings, a resident of Anoka since 1865, died Saturday. He was one of the most prominent citizens of the county.

ST. PAUL ROAD TO GAIN COAST SOON

Line From Chicago To Seattle And Tacoma Is Rushed With Record Speed.

By reason of an unusual spurt in work representatives of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road yesterday said they expected to have the great transcontinental line finished from Chicago to Seattle and Tacoma next spring.

Regular trains are now operated on the new Pacific Coast line as far as Mobridge, Lemmon, Hettinger, Bowman and Marmarth, in the Dakotas; to Terry, Miles City, Musselshell and Harlowton, in Montana.

Not in the history of railroads has a line been constructed with such speed. The route from Butte to Seattle and Tacoma with towns, districts and engineering feats, was given out yesterday.

From Butte to Garrison, fifty three miles, the line goes thru the Deer Lodge Valley. Then comes the valley of Hellgate River the timber district. West of St. Maries the road runs thru the Coeur d'Alene Indian reservation. The well-known Palouse district is reached. This is one of the richest grain and fruit belts of the trans-Missouri country. At Tekoa the Oregon Short Line will be crossed on a steel structure 1,000 feet long.

From Rosalia the line continues thru this fertile and well settled country twenty miles to Palisade. There it reaches the shores of Rock Lake. The banks of the lake are rocky and precipitous, excelling in beauty the far famed palisades of the Hudson.

From Palisade the line follows the banks of the lake five and one-half miles to the new town of Lavista, at the foot of the lake; thence thirty seven miles thru a country capable of producing grain; but which has hitherto not been developed for lack of railroad facilities. Six miles east of Rolston the line passes over Crow Creek on a steel structure 1,405 feet long. From Lind to the Columbia river at Beverly, seventy-three miles the line passes thru the new towns of Roxboro, Warden and Othello.

The crossing of the Columbia River is made on a bridge of fifteen spans of steel trusses, supported by massive concrete piers, the channel span being placed so high a draw is unnecessary. Twenty five miles after leaving the Columbia River the line enters the well known Kittitas Valley, which is irrigated by water drawn from the Yakima River. The line passes thru a timbered country to Snoqualmie Pass, thru the Cascade Mountains, at an elevation of 3,010 feet. The Cedar River is then followed into Seattle The line to Tacoma parallels the Interurban.

Grading the whole length of the line is progressing rapidly with greatly increased forces, excellent progress is being made upon the tunnels, and the Columbia River bridge and all lesser structures of the same character are in a state of advancement which makes certain that they will be ready when the grading is completed. Track laying on the coast will begin at Seattle and progress as rapidly as the heavy work in the Cascade Mountains is completed.—Chicago Examiner April 7, 1908.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

May 11 In History.

1778—William Pitt died; born 1708.
1849—Mme. Recamier (Jeanne Françoise Julie Adelaide Bernard), a beautiful and accomplished French lady, died; born 1777.
1871—Sir John Frederick William Herschel, distinguished astronomer, died; born 1792.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:02, rises 4:42; moon sets 3:13 a. m.; 5 a. m., planet Mercury at perihelion, nearest approach to sun; sun's declination, 18 degrees north of celestial equator.

HANSON ESTATE—The estate of Alfred Hanson, former owner of the Farmers Hotel will be brought up to day or tomorrow before probate court. Hanson died last March.

ON PROOF OF WILL—The estate of Andrew Mattson, formerly of the town of Lessor who died February 1st, is up for probate today.

HILL BEATS CARMAN—The Hill baseball team beat the Carman aggregation of ball tossers yesterday 4 to 3. Albert Becker and V. Morland did the battery stunt for the victors.

WILL WORK FARM—G. S. Trimble of Westhope, N. D., arrived in the city this morning and spends the day at his newly acquired farm, the Hillpot farm section 15 in Lowell. He will have land worked this year by Foreman Fuller.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN—N. P. Stenshoel returned Sunday morning from Twin Valley where he was called Saturday to embalm the body of Nils Heiberg, the brother of Supt. Heiberg of the electric light plant of that place. Deceased came north for the benefit of his health, suffering with tuberculosis and had been improving apparently but the end came suddenly, heart trouble being the immediate cause of death.

The farmers of the north valley rose this morning amid frantic clatter The rain had fallen during the night and the sprouting wheat stalks began to buzz skyward. The same gentle man whose cow was buried beneath a hay stack for nine months reports that between six and nine o'clock this morning the wheat on his place grew from mere tendrills to knee high. The rain is the best thing that has struck this valley this year.

Crookston is headquarters today for a number of farmers who have only lived here the past three years and are not used to this strenuous action among small grains and other produce.

King Edward Turns to America

King Edward turns to America for his hybrid vegetable. His table is supplied in this respect from a wonderful farm in California where in the past ten years have been created more new fruits and vegetables than the world had become aware of during the entire history of man. The wonderful purity and excellence of golden grain belt beer is well known thruout the Northwest. It has stood the test of time and deserves a place on your home table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small, safe, sure and gentle little pills. Sold by A G. Andersen.

CLEVELAND'S MIND FAILS?

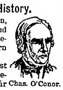
Secrecy Maintained Regarding Former President's Mental Condition.

Lakewood, N. J., May 13.—Because of the strict secrecy maintained about the bedroom of Grover Cleveland, in the Lakewood hotel, a rumor has spread among local physicians here that the mind of the former president is not as unclouded as it once was. The suffering which he has gone through and the condition of his system, it is said, have caused this mental condition.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds: Prevents Pneumonia

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

May 12 In History.


Chas. O'Conor.

1634—George Chapman, poet, dramatist and friend of Shakespeare, died; born 1557.
1845—Professor August William von Schlegel, German scholar and critic, died; born 1767.
1884—Charles O'Conor, noted American lawyer, died; born 1804.
1903—Richard Henry Stoddard, noted American poet and critic, died; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:03, rises 4:41; moon sets 3:40 a. m.; A. D. 1866, new star in northern crown discovered by Dr. Schmidt of Athens.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL — Harry Falk returned this morning from St. Paul where he has been for the past few days attending to some business matters.

FINAL PROOFS—Tom A. Myrum of Malone and Carl Eggen of Kratka both in Red Lake county are making final proofs today before the United States land office here.

A PROPER CELEBRATION—Thomas Morris who wanted to properly celebrate the 50th anniversary of the admission of the state into the union took a shovel and took a few shovels full from his proposed basement.

CONTINUED RAINS—With continued rains thruout yesterday, last night and this morning farming prospects are reported injured in no district and the only difficulty met with is the condition of some of the roads.

WORE THOSE SOX—Chas. Handy one of Crookston's enthusiastic boosters, spent yesterday in the city taking in the ball game and talking for his home town every minute.—Grand Forks Times.

McINTOSH PROBATE — Hearing on the appointment of E. T. Bjelland as administrator of the estate of Bertel Bjelland is being held this afternoon before Judge Morken of the Probate court. Bjelland died in McIntosh last March.

A WORTHY SCOTCHMAN—A new born babe brought by the stork during the night greeted Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Johnstone this morning for the first time and in his yet indefinite way began to show himself a Scotchman worthy of the name of Johnstone. Meanwhile everybody smokes.

TRAINS WELL LOADED—The thru trains are well loaded every morning. The train from St. Paul this morning had every seat filled. Most of the travellers were headed for points on the coast, or some of the western states. The movement to the Red River Valley is letting up to some extent, having started in several weeks before the movement to the coast.

ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTED—Attorney G. W. Young has been named as administrator of the estate of the late E. D. Susan, editor of the Walsh County Republican, Park River, N. D., who died a number of days since. Of the $3,000 life insurance carried by the deceased, $1,000 is payable to his mother and the remainder to his estate.

DOCTORS AT FORKS — Doctors flocked to Grand Forks from all parts of North Dakota to attend the big medical convention which convened yesterday there. The house of representatives of the North Dakota State Medical association was in session yesterday afternoon, the meeting being called to order shortly after 2 o'clock in the Commercial club rooms. A number of Crookston physicians went over last night.

The sheriff's office has completed service on all the selected grand and petit jurymen for the coming term of court. Deputy Orin Daniels made the last service yesterday in the north county. The grand jury meets next June 2; the petit jury meets next June 8. Among the cases before the grand jury will be E. A. Dunham, Schuler and Johnson robbery and East Grand Forks cases.

SHOTS AND STONES USED

YOUNG MEN WHO "SHOT UP" CAR AT CARLISLE ARE ARRESTED

Frank Schuster, Matt Schuster and Frank Machinsky, who reside in the vicinity of Carlisle, were taken to Fergus Falls Monday afternoon to answer for the "shooting up" of a Great Northern railway car at that place on Sunday evening, May 3. The car was occupied by four Greek laborers who were at work on the section, and about 10:30 at night, a party of the young men of the neighborhood assembled and began shooting into it indiscriminately.

Volleys of stones and volleys of bullets were poured in, and when the work was finished every car window was broken, the doors were in bad shape, and bullet marks were in evidence everywhere. The Greek laborers managed to crouch down and escaped uninjured.

The railway company at once sent a detective to the scene and the result was that six young men were alleged to have taken a hand in the affair. Warrants were sworn out charging them with a felony which would have meant at least three years in the penitentiary, but the company was not anxious to press the matter to this extent and the charge was changed to a lesser offense. Frank Schuster and Frank Machinsky plead guilty and were fined $5 and costs amounting to $10 in each case. Matt Schuster is only 14 years of age, and as it appeared that he was only a spectator, the charge against him was dismissed.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

May 13 In History.

1619—Johann Van Olden Barneveldt, eminent and liberal Dutch statesman, died; born 1549.
1717—The Empress Maria Theresa of Austria born; died 1780.
1846—The United States declared war against Mexico. The war message of President Polk declared that "war existed by the act of Mexico." The act consisted of armed attacks upon United States troops posted in observation upon soil in dispute.
1865—Last battle of the civil war.
1898—The Spanish squadron under Admiral Cervera reached Martinique. in the West Indies.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:04, rises 4:40; moon sets 4:07 a. m.; moon at greatest libration east.

FINAL PROOFS—Final proofs were made today by Tom A. Kopanger and Henry K. Rude of Berner postoffice near Olberg north of Fosston. They were accompanied by Andrew Johnson of the same locality as witness.

TO CASS LAKE—Will Lycan, Wiley Phillips, John Cowley and Dr. Smith departed east last evening for Cass Lake where they will spend a few days fishing in those well known waters.

WITH 6 LANGUAGES—J. Arneson well known agent of the Allen line of steamers arrived in the city this morning from Minenapolis his home and looks after company business in this part of the state. He is accompanied by six languages which he manages fluently.

Telephone Girl Falls Dead.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 13—While seated at the switchboard in the Newburg, Iowa, telephone office, nineteen-year-old Bessie Beatty, an operator, fell from her chair and expired an hour later of heart disease.

Grand Larceny Charged.

New York, May 13.—Charles Berry, lawyer and promoter, who claims to own coal lands in West Virgina worth $10,000,000, was arrested here last night on a charge of grand larceny.

FERGUS FALLS CHURCH BURNS.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Building Makes Spectacular Blaze.

Fergus Falls, Minn., May 10. — Grace Methodist Episcopal church in this city was totally destroyed by fire last night. The edifice was one of the finest in the city, and the loss is about $8,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire was very spectacular, the building being a large frame structure, set on a hill, and the entire city turned out to witness it. It is supposed to have caught from a bonfire.

TRAGIC DEATH AT TOLSTOY.

George Wagner, Overcome by Gas, Falls Into Well and Perishes.

Tolstoy, S. D., May 10. — George Wagner, a well driller from Seneca, S. D., who has been working on a new town well in Tolstoy, was overcome by gas while descending into the well yesterday afternoon and dropped to the bottom. It took some time to remove him, and he died soon after he reached the surface.

IN A WILD RUNAWAY

OSTGORD GIRL INJURED IN RUNAWAY LAST EVENING ON BROADWAY

HORSE THROWS WOMEN FROM CARRIAGE AND PLUNGES WILDLY HOME

From Monday's Daily—

Last evening at 7:45 a horse driven by Mrs. Carl Ostgard, 618 S. Ash St. became unmanageable at the corner of Eighth and Broadway, threw the occupants out of the biggy from their seats to the road and plunged wildly down Broadway to Roberts, turning east to Ash St. and going south down Ash street to the home of its owner.

The occupants of the buggy were Mrs. Ostgard, Mrs. Carl Ostgard and two girls of the Ostgard family. One of the girls was badly injured, but bruises and scratches are the only results of the accident as regards the other three.

The buggy was completely wrecked.

STAIR CAPTURES HIGH AVERAGE

COMES AWAY FROM FAIRMONT WITH ONLY 2 PROFESSIONALS AHEAD

J. Harry Stair arrived in the city this morning from Fairmont, Minn., where he attended for two days a shoot at that place. The Crookston crack trap shot came away with high amateur average and the prize for it. The only ones ahead of him were the experts Bills and Hirschy, well known here. Stair shot 93 per cent on 400 birds.

RED LAKE BEATS ST. HILAIRE

The Red Lake Falls baseball club cleaned up the St. Hilaire sports last Saturday to the tune of 14 to 4. E. Toupin caught T. Garceau for St. Hilaire and Bowen caught McCandless for the St. Hilaire fans with Lewis for umpire. A big crowd attended the game.

HILLESTAD FILES FOR SHERIFF

This afternoon Iver I. Hillestad files as a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff. This makes the fifth candidate who has filed on the republican ticket, Bray, Daniels, McPhee and Rindal being the others. Hans Samuelson, the only Democratic candidate is spending the day here from Climax.

JUMPED INTO THE RIVER

Yesterday afternoon a man giving the name of Thomas Cadwell jumped into the Red Lake River from the DeMers Avenue Bridge at Grand Forks a distance of 40 feet. He claimed that he jumped in to rescue a woman. There was no woman in sight. Judge Sullivan fined him $5 for being accompanied by a jag.

A MILK MAN WENT DAFFY

Geo. Bowers, driver of a milkwagon for the Dickson Dairy at Grand Forks disappeared yesterday and it is supposed that he lost his reason and wandered off. He had always borne a good reputation. He left a wife and family.

HOLDS HEFFLIN FOR ASSAULT.

Federal Grand Jury Returns Three Indictments Against Representative.

Washington, May 13.—The federal grand jury yesterday returned an indictment charging Representative Thomas Heflin of Alabama with assault with a dangerous weapon. The indictment contains three counts, two of which relate to the assault on Lewis Lundy, a negro, with whom Mr. Heflin had a dispute on a street car in this city on March 27 last. The third count charges an assault on Thomas McCreely of New York, a horseman, who was struck by a bullet from Mr. Heflin's pistol.

Chas. Benseth formerly of Crookston, now of Cooperstown, N. D., arrived in the city this morning.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

PROGRAM FOR MAY 17TH

NORWEGIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY TO BE OCCASION OF BIG CELEBRATION

SPEECHES BY STEENERSON, HAGEN AND SATHRE—SONGS BY CHORUS

From Wednesday's Daily—

At two o'clock next Sunday afternoon the Viking Chorus will start the exercises at the farm of Peter Cornelius east of the city for May 17th, Norwegian Independence day. The complete program follows:

Song by Viking Chorus.
Speech by Elias Steenerson.
Song by Viking Chorus.
Speech by Prof. Sathre.
Song by Viking Chorus.
Speech by Eric Hagen.

Following the program all kinds of games will be played. Ice cream and cake, lemonade and coffee will be in the service. Carriages will leave Robert street on that day beginning at ten o'clock and running until 12 o'clock with a fare of 25 cents.

A number of people will take their lunch along. A large crowd will undoubtedly be present. The celebration has been widely advertised and residents of Crookston and nearby towns will be on hand to take in the exercises.

MC'INTOSH IS GETTING BUSY

McIntosh is raising gardens by encouraging the efforts of the pupils of its public schools. Last Thursday they had a big cleanup day and all the stores and other business houses were closed up while everyone joined in.

Supt. Robertson of the Minnesota Northern state experimental farm, Crookston, delivered an address at McIntosh Friday night on cattle. The remarks of the experienced and his pleasing address won general attention. Mrs. Robertson accompanied him.

There will be a lawn tennis ground at McIntosh as a result of action now under way. The grounds will be across from Carpenter and Webster's hardware store. An association has been formed among the enthusiasts.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bolstad received an assignment of twins from the stork last Thursday.

HJELMAR IS A GOOD RUNNER

Hjelmer Vikjord, 15 year old son of Peter Vikjord of Crookston, ran away again last Saturday night. He had just returned with his father from Fargo where he had been discovered in the fur store of Joseph Pinkus by Chief of Police of Fargo Grass May 7th last. Vikjord was missing from the city for about two months the last time before found. The father claims he is ill and wants the boy to support him. The boy says he wants to work for himself. He has not yet been located. It is believed that he went south into the Twin Cities. He is an energetic if independent little fellow. He left his father at home and came up town to do an errand his father had sent him on. His departure was not discovered until this morning the father thinking he had returned home in the night quietly while he was asleep.

CLOSED BIG LAND DEAL IN POLK CO.

The Scribner-Kelly Land company of Minneapolis buys 5,000 acres of Red River Valley land at an average price of $37.50 per acre. These lands are located near Crookston, Minnesota.

B. B. Gislason closed a deal with the Purvis land company for 1,280 acres. This is a well improved farm located five miles from Crookston. Mr. Purvis states that he is meeting with great success in the sale of Red River Valley lands and thinks that this will be a banenr year in the Valley as they are getting in a large acreage put into crop this season.—Sleepy Eye Dispatch.

An Insidious Danger

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. For sale by all druggists.

GOV. JOHNSON HAS A CINCH

SEVERAL COUNTIES INSTRUCTED FOR BRYAN BUT WILL CUT NO FIGURE

COMPLETE RETURNS FROM THE STATE SHOW THAT BRYAN MEN WERE OUTVOTED

From Monday's Daily—

The complete returns from the state show that with few exceptions Johnson delegates were elected last Saturday. Following is a list of the delegates from several of the north counties.

Marshall

Marshall county Democrats instructed their delegates for Johnson by a vote of 35 to 5. They also instructed for Martin O'Brien of Crookston and C. H. Shirley of Breckenridge as delegates from the Ninth congressional district. The delegates are: C. A. Tullar, J. J. Olson, L. M. Olson, Nels Johnson, W. S. Dixon, P. A. McCleran Robert Tell, R. G. Marlette, A. S. Tryckey and D. S. Christianson.

Kittson

After a hard fight resolutions were passed instructing the Kittson county delegates for Johnson. W. F. Kelso was elected to head the delegation and authorized to appoint his fellows. E. M. Englebert and J. E. Bouvette are appointed, the others to follow later.

Red Lake

An enthusiastic Democratic convention for Red Lake county held here was unanimous for Gov. Johnson. The delegates elected are: John King, W. F. Spillane, Joseph Helmath, E. M. Hoff, V. John Morgan, C. C. Jasckson, W. B. Fuller, K. M. Hanson, M. McAndress. They are instructed.

Norman

Democratic county convention instructed the delegates for Bryan. The delegates: Jason Weatherhead, James Anderson, Oscar Henderson, G. O. Benson, G. L. Thorpe, B. O. Lee, J. J. Meighen, Arthur Marsden.

Wilkin

Breckenridge, Minn.—At the Democratic county convention the following were elected delegates to the state convention: H. L. Shirley, Matt Wenner, A. P. Line, Breckenridge; B. F. Nash, Nashua; W. J. Breen, Rothsay; Alex Edenstrom, Wolverton. Strong resolutions were adopted indorsing Governor Johnson for president, and the delegates were so instructed. The delegates were also instructed to use all honorable means to secure the election of Mayor H. L. Shirley as delegate from the Ninth congressional district to the national convention at Denver.

Otter Tail

Fergus Falls, Minn.—The Democratic convention was a Johnson affair. Resolutions were adopted instructing delegates to vote for him and use all honorable means to forward his interests. Delegates to state convention are: F. J. Brabec, J. P. Coughlin, John Oswald, M. T. McMahon, W. P. Bayley, Robert Hannaha, Thos. Ratsliff, N. P. Westberg, Ole Grimstad Martin Hagen, Elof Melgren, D. H. Hirsch, O. E. Setter, T. N. McLean, M. Johnson, Julius Fischer, Leo Schroeder, J. O. Billings and R. G. Claydon.

Clay

Moorhead, Minn.—The Democratic convention of Clay county elected the following delegates to the state convention: P. H. H. Lamb, C. A. Nye, Edward Fayser, B. F. Mackall, H. Rasmussen, P. J. Sullivan, E. L. Flaten, E. G. Melander, J. Pierce Wolfe and R. T. Evans. Resolutions were adopted instructing the delegates for Johnson.

Roseau

Greenbush, Minn.—The Democratic county convention at Roseau was well attended and enthusiastic. Delegates: J. F. Holm, B. Holdahl, J. P. Ivers, J. B. Muir, L. F. Rice, and A. Waag. Instructed for Johnson.

FORTY MEN WERE LET OUT

G. N. ISSUES ORDER THROWING MANY MEN OUT OF EMPLOYMENT.

Devils Lake, May 13—A new order has just been issued by the Great Northern that lays off forty men from the local shops permanently. This comes somewhat as a surprise as it had just been reported that the end-of the-months lay offs which began in March were to be discontinued and this was taken as a hopeful sign. It seems however, that it was but the preliminary to the permanent lay off of the men who have been discharged by the latest order. The blow is a hard one to the men affected by the order as many of them will find it hard just at this time to get work in their line.

DESERTER FROM UNITED STATES REGULAR ARMY

DEPUTY SHERIFF LOUIS GONYEA JR. ENGINEERS FINEST PIECE OF SLEUTH WORK IN CRIMINAL HISTORY OF NORTHWEST STATE—HERMAN GREELER A LIAS JOHN REED PRISONER OF GOVERNMENT

From Saturday's Daily—

At 2:11 this afternoon Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea Jr., arrested at the Second street entrance of the Palace Hotel, Herman Greeler alias John Reed for desertion from the United States Regular Army June 15th 1906 at Fort Assiniboine, Montana.

Greeler was released from the jail here the 7th. He was arrested a month ago in Wisconsin for stealing a snare drum belonging to the Crookston band. While in jail he was a "trusty" and was permitted the freedom of the yard. Deputy Gonyea observed him teaching associates drills and bugle calls of the U. S. Army. Greeler would not admit he ever belonged to the army. Deputy Gonyea corresponded with the federal authorities and received from F. C. Ainsworth, Washington, D. C., answer today that Herman Greeler deserted as above from the 2nd cavalry where he was employed as cook of the band.

Greeler enlisted Oct. 17, 1903, and had but a few weeks to serve when he deserted. Deputy Gonyea received orders to deliver Greeler at Ft. Snelling as officer of U. S. government. He will go south with prisoner tonight. Greeler was employed at the Palace hotel here last winter as hackman.

BRYAN CLUB ORGANIZED

THE POLK COUNTY CLUB WAS PERFECTED THIS AFTERNOON

W. W. BROWN IS PRESIDENT AND N. B. MORAN IS SECRETARY

From Saturday's Daily—

This afternoon the Bryan Club of Polk Co., was perfected by the election of W. W. Brown of McIntosh as president and N. B. Moran as secretary. It was decided to have the vice president elected from each voting precinct by the electors of the various precints and they will be announced later.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

HORN IS TO ISPLACE SLADE

ANOTHER SHAKEUP ON THE HILL ROADS WITH SON-IN-LAW LEAVING

WELL DEFINED RUMORS OF SOME IMPORTANT CHANGES IN RAILWAY CIRCLES

From Saturday's Daily—

This is the slate for a new list of the officials on the Northern Pacific road; General Manager George T. Slade, to retire. H. J. Horn former general manager of the east end, to return to the position at an increase of salary.

This arrangement will undoubtedly be denied by railroad officials connected with the Hill lines, but barring the usual possibility of sudden changes in the plans of the Hill management, the slate will be carried out as indicated.

Mr. Horn left the Northern Pacific a few months ago, but no definite reason was given except that he wanted to take a rest. Mr. Horn went abroad and he was succeeded by George T. Slade, son-in-law of James J. Hill, and for a time general superintendent of the Great Northern road.

Bold Burglars Blow Safe.

Minneapolis, May 9. — Expert safe robbers successfully exploded a charge of nitroglycerin in the office of the Pit cafe, reaping a reward of $436 in cash and a diamond ring valued at $180.

THE TRAVELING MAN

I remember the days when a barefooted boy,
In the village which witnessed my birth.
I was taught to believe that a traveling man
Represented the scum of the earth.

Whenever a stranger appeared on the street,
Arrayed in a checkerboard vest;
With a coffin nail stuck in the front of his face,
And a "sparkler" astride of his chest;

With a razor-edge crease in the leg of his pants,
And his shoes of a dazzling tan;
And I'd say "What on earth is the object I see?"
They would say "It's a traveling man."

When a dutiful hubby came home just at dawn
And was asked to account to his spouse,
For the fact that his pins wouldn't hold him erect,
In charge of his beautiful "souse."

He'd look humble and meek like a dog that's been licked,
And say, "Now so help me, Susanne
I started for home at ten minutes of ten,
But—fell in with a traveling man."

When you saw a small bunch of the town's local sports,
In a corner obscure and alone,
Perusing a picture of art in the nude,
With an "ad" on the other side shown—

And they'd say to the owner, "It's a peach, ain't it, Bill?
Where'd you get it? Let's look; let us see!"
He'd say, as he stuck it away out of sight,
'Oh, a traveling man gave it to me."

When the Ladies' Aid met, to darn socks for the poor,
And peddle some scandal around;
Some old lady would say in a horrified tone,
"I've some news that will simply astound:

Old Deacon Jones' girl has gone clear to the bad,
(That hussy they call Mary Ann);
She was seen on the street after dark Tuesday night,
All alone, with a traveling man."

And so I believed, from the things that I heard,
And the stories I heard people tell;
That a traveling man embodied 'most all
Of the wickedness this side of hell.

But I find that the law still permits them to live
In fact they quite freely abound;
And they even quarantine virtue at all,
When a traveling man happens around.

We have found that the species is human in fact,
Whose presence enlivens and cheers
Who believes that a boost is worth more than a knock,
That a laugh has more value than tears.

We find him a friend when a friend is in need,
Who will never a kindness forget;
Whose heart is developed far more than his "mit,"
In short, a hail fellow well met.

Then here's to his future and may it e'er be,
As smooth as the unruffled brook;
Our hats off to him, and oft may he come,
With his grip and his mileage book.

—Harry L. Wilson, Billings, Mont.

Bert's Rescue

By JAMES CONLEY.

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"Come on, Bert," urged Charlie. "The ice is bully just now. Come on ahead."

"Don't rub it in," pleaded Bert Bentham. "This is my punishment for seeking to astonish the natives with a frock coat and silk hat. The train was so late that no one beheld my glory, and as my trunk will not be here until tomorrow I'm afraid that I shall have to go without my skating."

"But we're the same size," insisted Charlie. "Put on some of my duds."

Bentham winced. It was his quarrel with nature that she had made him but two inches taller than five feet. His little cousin was only thirteen yet, and, as he said, Bert could wear his things. For a moment pride fought with desire, and desire won. He had always been passionately fond of the ice, and it had been a couple of years since he had enjoyed an opportunity of skating. This chance was too good to be lost. It was a beautiful night, and the probabilities were that no one would recognize him. He could slip into the crowd and quickly lose himself.

"Proceed," he said, with mock tragedy. "I shall enjoy my second childhood rather earlier than most men; that is all."

Half an hour later they were on the river. Already a crowd had assembled, for the moon was full and the ice a perfect glare. Charlie's simple "My cousin, fellows," was regarded as sufficient introduction, and presently Bert was skimming over the ice with an easy swing that betokened the experienced skater.

He shot straight up the river, speeding along with no thought of anything save the enjoyment of the skimming motion, and it was half an hour before he realized how far he had gone.

Skating back against the wind was a slower process, and by the time he reached the ferry road again the ice was crowded. He hunted up Charlie and then contented himself with shorter flights, though he kept away from the most crowded part of the ice. He had been skating in artificial rinks for so long that the broad stretch of glassy ice fascinated him, and he had no use for the parties of skaters that clung in groups.

He had just wheeled for a trip up the river when a tiny form shot past him, and almost unconsciously he gave chase. Apparently she was a mere child, but her strong, graceful strokes carried her along with a speed that tested his own qualities, and he skated after her.

Around the bend of the river the sluiceway from the cotton mill emptied into the stream, and for a space the ice was thin. Bert had kept away from this side of the river after the discovery, but now he was so intent upon his chase that he did not realize that the child was bearing dangerously in toward shore until she gave a little cry as she felt the ice crack under her feet.

Instead of keeping ahead she seemed paralyzed with fright and dug her skates into the ice to stop herself. He could hear the new ice giving way as the strain of her weight continued, and with a sudden swerve he dashed in toward her.

He was powerfully built for his size, and it was an easy matter to catch the child up in his arms and carry her out of the danger zone. As they swept along he could feel the ice give under him, and the ominous crackle seemed to follow him. Then the noise stopped as he shot out on to the firm ice, and he ceased skating, coming gradually to a halt.

"That was a risky thing to do," he said sharply as he set her on her feet. "Don't you know about the sluice?"

"I should have remembered," she said as she clung tremblingly to him, "but I heard one of the boys coming after me, and I wanted to beat him. I forgot all about the danger."

"I guess that's the last time you'll forget this season," he said.

"I should say so," she agreed. "It was awfully good of you to act so quickly. Who are you?" she added as he changed position so that the moon shone on his face.

"I'm Charlie Bentham's cousin," he explained.

"Oh, yes," she smiled. "I remember Mrs. Bentham telling us that Charlie had a little cousin coming to visit him. You're a good boy, and I'm awfully grateful to you."

She stood on tiptoe and kissed him squarely on the lips. For a moment Bert was too astonished to speak; then he sped after her.

"Can't I skate with you?" he asked. "Let's skate up as far as the railroad bridge."

"Come ahead," she called as she put out her hand. Bert grasped it, and they glided off. For a few minutes nothing was said. They skated together as perfectly as though through long practice, and they were almost at the bridge.

"You are a newcomer in Maridale?" he asked, breaking the silence. "I don't think I remember you."

"We moved here two years ago," she explained.

"That's it," he declared. "I pride myself on my memory for faces. I have not been able to get up here for a couple of years. My business has kept me pretty close to town."

"Your business?" she echoed, losing her stride and stopping. "Why, Mrs. Bentham said you were the same age as Charlie!"

"That's Ned Collins," he explained. Ned's coming down for the holidays. I'm Bert Bentham."

"But"— she began, with a glance at his clothes.

"I see," he laughed. "You thought I was a boy because I was wearing one of Charlie's suits. You see, I got a foolish idea that it would be funny to come down all togged out. When Charlie said 'skating' I realized that a frock coat was scarcely a skating costume, so I put on one of his suits. I guess I look pretty much like Charlie. That's the worst of being so short."

"And you let me kiss you," she reproached.

"That's all right," he smiled. "I've had little girls kiss me before, you know."

"But I'm not"— she began. Bert started.

"You don't mean to tell me that you"— he gasped.

"I'm nineteen," she said, her eyes filling with tears. "There's nothing to laugh about," she added as Bert shouted. "You let me kiss you, and it was real mean."

"It was real nice," he contradicted, "and I didn't let you. You kissed me before I knew you were going to."

"And now every one will laugh at me," she sobbed.

"The laugh is as much on me as it is on you," he reminded. "I don't think I'm any too anxious to be laughed at."

"And you won't tell?" she demanded, her sobs growing less violent.

"Never," he promised, "not if you kiss me a thousand times. But I thought surely you were a child," he said, glancing at her short skirt.

"I have my dresses all made long, so that I look taller," she explained, "but they are awfully in the way when I skate, so I borrowed one from my sister."

"I guess it's a standoff," he declared. "We fooled each other and ourselves. But we haven't reached the bridge yet."

He held out his hand, and she slipped hers into it. Somehow the sense of a secret between them gave her a feeling of security, and her embarrassment soon wore off. Before they turned she was chatting away as though he had known her all his life.

They were on the ice again the next morning, and Bert went home a slave to her charms. Alice Vinton was the first woman he had ever seriously cared for, and he made such an active courtship that on the last night of his stay, as they turned at the railroad bridge, which marked the limit of their progress, he held her hand for an instant.

"I'm going home tomorrow," he said, "and I want to take back with me your promise that I may come for you in the spring. Will you promise, dear?"

For answer she reached up and kissed him as she had done on the night of their meeting. But this time there was no mistake of identity.

Her Serious Programme.

"I am going to have a little girl baby, and when she is three years old I am going to kill myself."

This startling remark came from the lips of a seven-year-old north side girl and was made with no more demonstration than if she had remarked that she was going to take one of her dollies out for a walk.

"My, my!" said her father. "What in the world possessed you to make such a remark?"

"Well, papa," replied the little miss, "I have just been reading a lovely story about how a little girl only three years old put fresh flowers every day on her dear dead mother's grave, and her mother had killed herself, and I thought how nice it would be to have a little girl put beautiful flowers on my grave."

"Oh!" said her father reflectively. "I guess you had better play outdoors more and do a little less reading."—Columbus Dispatch.

Jeweler's Bit of Advice.

"I think I'll have to bring her in and let her choose," said the embarrassed young man as he looked hopelessly at the diamonds spread out on the table.

"Pardon me for a bit of advice," the jeweler said earnestly, leaning forward, "but I've had a lot of experience in such matters. If you pick it out yourself and take it to her she'll surely be satisfied. Always are. But if she comes here and sees bigger, handsomer rings she won't be contented with the one you can afford. The $500 or $800 ring she sees will stay by her. We've often lost sales that way. I've frequently seen the young woman pick out a ring that the man obviously couldn't afford, and he would find some excuse for not buying it."

Then the young man said he thought he might as well decide on that $110 trifle at once.—Kansas City Star.

One Hair Astray.

A guest at a certain fashionable hotel recently had a grouch. He carried it to the proprietor.

"Look here," he said, "things around here are just about as rotton as they make them. When I went to lunch today I found hair in the ice cream, hair in the honey and hair in the apple sauce. Now, what do y' think o' that? Is that a good hotel?"

"Well," replied the genial proprietor, "I can explain the hair in the ice cream. That likely came from the shaving of the ice. And I suppose that the hair in the honey came off the comb. But I don't understand about the hair in the apple sauce. I bought those apples myself, and they were every one Bald-wins."—Columbus Dispatch.

SUES FOR DAMAGES

L. PEAKE OF FARRIS IS SPENDING THE DAY IN THE CITY ON BUSINESS

WANTS DAMAGES FOR THE LOSS OF HIS SON'S RIGHT HAND

From Thursday's Daily—

L. Peake was an arrival in the city this morning from Farris to consult with his attorney, Chas. Loring in a $10,000 damage suit which he has started against Messrs. Ostrom and Swanson who operated a sawmill at that place last year.

He had a minor son who was employed at the mill, and who lost all but his thumb on his right hand as the result of an accident.

The claim is made that the accident was the result of machinery not properly protected. The suit will be tried at the June term of court in Hubbard county.

The accident took place last November.

WINDING UP SINESS

EAST GRAND FORKS TRANSPORTATION COMPANY $6000 BEHIND ASSETS

STOCKHOLDERS HELD LIABLE—SOLD STEAM SHIPS UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGES

From Thursday's Daily—

E. Grand Forks Transportation Co., an institution many years old which has operated docks in Grand Forks and has been running several large steamers up and down the Red River, will be wound up in a short time and its stockholders held liable for $6000 of indebtedness held against the firm by its creditors.

Attorney F. Massee of East Grand Forks was here this morning representing the creditors before Judge Watts in an effort to get the business wound up. Under the state institution liability clause the stockholders are liable for all the debts of the concern.

The boats were sold some time ago under chattel mortgages.

GIRL FELL INTO VAT OF LYE

LITTLE GIRL OF FERTILE MINN., DIES AFTER SUFFERING FOR SEVERAL DAYS

Bertha the 7-year-old daughter of S J. Simonson of Fertile fell into a vat of lye Saturday night and died last night as a result of the accident.

IRON SPAN BRIDGE FOR THE G. N

The Great Northern is constructing a new bridge at Climax. It has a concrete foundation and consists of 14 spans, the longest of which is 100 feet and there are 14 others of 50 feet each according to Postmaster Elias Steenerson. A large crew of men are at work on the structure and the greater portion of them will be there practically all of the summer.

SLOT MACHINES MUST GO OUT

EVEN THE SHAKING OF DICE IS UNDER THE BAN AT WARREN

A moral wave is sweeping Warren. The city council at its last meeting instructed the city attorney to notify all stores and saloons to take out their slot machines and to discontinue the shaking of dice and to see that the liquor laws of the state were strictly enforced.

FOUR DIE IN GOTHAM FIRE.

Blaze in Tenement, Believed to Be Incendiary, Causes Loss of Life.

New York, May 9. — Four persons were killed and twelve injured early yesterday in a fire believed to be of incendiary origin, which practically destroyed a five-story tenement house. This building is within a stone's throw of Delancy and Allen streets, where twenty-six persons were burned to death in a tenement house fire three years ago.

It is a bad plan for a girl to have faith in any man to whom her father would be afraid to lend money.

SHORTEST TERM ON RECORD

U. S. COURT CONVENES AND CIVIL CALENDAR DISPOSED OF IN TEN MINUTES

BENJ. F. SMITH PLEADS GUILTY AND IS SENTENCED TO 14 MONTHS

From Thursday's Daily—

The present term of the United States court at Fergus Falls is going to be the shortest on record. The term opened Tuesday afternoon, Judge Morris coming over from Duluth on the Northern Pacific train and Clerks Spencer and Lange, United States Marshal Grimshaw and Assistant District Attorney Dickey coming up from St. Paul.

A number of the petit jurors were immediately excused, and others were instructed to be on hand Wednesday morning in case there should be criminal cases to try.

The grand jury went to work immediately and indictments were returned Wednesday morning against Benj. Smith, who is charged with rifling registered letters at Dalton and A. R. Applin, who is charged with stealing a mail sack from the Northern Pacific station platform at Staples and robbing and burning the letters.

Both men were brought into court, and Smith plead guilty immediately, and was sentenced to one year and two months in the state reformatory at St. Cloud. Smith is the young man who has made two ineffective attempts to hang himself.

Mr. Smith decided to talk again Tuesday evening, and is again taking food. He feels that his sentence is moderate and has no complaints to make.

Applin, on being arraigned, entered a general plea of guilty. When questioned as to what he did with the letters and the mail sack he declined to make admissions, and finally changed his plea to not guilty, and decided to stand trial. As some of the necessary witnesses were not on hand, the government asked that the case be adjourned until the fall term of court, which means that Applin will spend another 6 months in jail.

The following persons were granted discharges in bankruptcy:

Ole Rowland, Beardsley.
Jos. F. Kasparek, Atherton.
John A. Flesch, Breckenridge.
Oscar W. Ingersoll, Carlisle.
John Kowalski, Carlisle.
Garlef Von der Beck, Euclid.
Frank Wellert, Staples.
Ernest C. LeFebvre, Detroit.
Peter Olson, Odessa.
Peter O. Lundgren, Ward.
John Telander, Bagley.

Keep the Balance Up

It has been truthfully said that any disturbance of the even balance of health causes serious trouble. Nobody can be too careful to keep this balance up. When people begin to lose appetite, or to get tired easily, the least imprudence brings on sickness, weakness, or debility. The system needs a tonic, craves it, and should not be denied it; and the best tonic of which we have any knowledge is Hood's Sarsaparilla. What this medicine has done in keeping healthy people healthy, in keeping up the even balance of health, gives it the same distinction as a preventative that it enjoys as a cure. Its early use has illustrated the wisdom of the old saying that a stitch in time saves nine. Take Hood's for appetite, strength, and endurance.

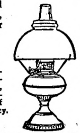
COMPLETED CONTRACT—Messrs. Schuler and Fiedler yesterday completed the plastering contract on the new buildings at the State Experimental Farm. The job is one of the best ever done for the state according to the inspector who is looking after the state's interests. This is certainly a high compliment to the ability and integrity of Messrs. Schuler and Feidler.

My Hair is Scraggly

Do you like it? Then why be contented with it? Have to be? Oh, no! Just put on Ayer's Hair Vigor and have long, thick hair; soft, even hair; beautiful hair, without a single gray line in it. Have a little pride. Keep young just as long as you can.

"I am fifty-seven years old, and until recently my hair was very gray. But in a few weeks Ayer's Hair Vigor restored the natural color to my hair so now there is not a gray hair to be seen."—J. W. HANSON, Boulder Creek, Cal.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.



Hot Stove—Cool Kitchen

How do you expect to endure the broiling days of summer if you prepare all the food over a glowing coal fire?

You need a "New Perfection" Oil Stove that will do the cooking without cooking the cook. It concentrates plenty of heat under the pot and diffuses little or none through the room. Therefore, when working with the

NEW PERFECTION

Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

the kitchen actually seems as comfortable as you could wish it to be.

This, in itself, is wonderful, but, more than that, the "New Perfection" Oil Stove does perfectly everything that any stove can do. It is an ideal all-round cook-stove. Made in three sizes, and fully warranted. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

The Rayo Lamp a substantial, strongly made and handsome lamp. Burns for hours with a strong, mellow light. Just what you need for evening reading or to light the dining-room. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
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FIGHT OVER NELSON WILL

DIVORCED WIVES FIGHT OVER APPOINTMENT OF ESTATE ADMINISTRATOR

PROPERTY ACUMULATIONS OF DR. NELSON OF FERTILE IN ISSUE

From Thursday's Daily—

A hot fight is developing in the probate court today over the property left by Dr. Nelson who recently died in Fertile after falling down the stairs of his residence over his store.

Miss Clara R. Nelson daughter of the Fertile doctor by a former wife, has petitioned the probate judge, T. T. Morken for the appointment of an administrator in Nels Vessenden of Fertile. Now comes Mrs. Halma Nelson, another wife divorced Jan. 31 1905 and claims that she has an interest in the property and petitions for the appointment of another administrator.

The two parties cannot agree yet on the appointment of an administrator.

The last divorced wife received alimony from the Fertile doctor before his death and holds that back alimony is due her as well as interest in the property.

DAUGHTER WINS IN NELSON CASE

JUDGE MORKEN APPOINTS NELS VASENDEN ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATE

MISS CLARA NELSON WON FIRST ROUND IN NELSON WILL CASE

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday Nels Vasenden, clerk in the Nelson drug store at Fertile for years was appointed administrator of the estate. Mrs. Halma Nelson presented strong objections to the appointment of Vasenden, alleging that he was inexperienced and too young, favoring the appointment of Mr. Hansen, the Fertile banker. The wish of the only heir however held.

TOT SHOOTS HIS MOTHER.

Mrs. Charles Hall of Mason City Is Thought to Be Fatally Hurt.

Mason City, Iowa, May 9.—The accidental discharge of a revolver in the hand of her four-year-old son resulted in the probable fatal wounding of Mrs. Charles Hall. The woman had been cleaning and reloading the gun, which she placed under her pillow.

Brige Foreman Killed.

Sioux City, Iowa, May 9. — W. P. McGown of Worthington, a bridge foreman on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, was instantly killed at Sibley last evening. While taking down a windmill tower a rope supporting a heavy casting broke and the rope struck him in such a manner as to break his neck.

Kodol completely digests all classes of food. It will get right at the trouble and do the very work itself for the stomach. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

WILL DEVELOP WATER POWER

POSTMASTER STEENERSON WILL INVEST MONEY IN POWER NEAR CLIMAX

WILL BUILD A DAM ONE FOURTH OF A MILE BELOW BRASETH'S

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Postmaster Elias Steenerson has decided to construct a dam a quarter of a mile below the power dam that has been built by the Braseths.

The new dam will be within 2 miles of Climax and will mean just that much more toward the development of that village. The power will of course mean an inducement to other manufacturing plants, bacause of the cheap power.

Postmaster Steenerson is of the opinion that the development of any water power is a benefit to the entire section tributory and there is no question but what his idea is correct.

COURT CONVENES AT BAGLEY JUNE 2

JUDGE STANTON WILL PRESIDE, AND A NUMBER OF INDICTED PERSONS TRIED

An adjourned term of the district court will be held at Bagley commencing June 2.

At that time a number of persons who are awaiting trial, having been indicted for different causes will be tried.

Judge Stanton, the newly-appointed judge, will probably hear these cases.

Among several cases to be tried are those of forty-eight settlers who are resisting an assessment for ditches, the settlers claiming as their defense that these assessments were made before they had proven up on their homesteads.

25 FAMILIES COME INTO MAHNOMEN

NEW COUNTY CENTER OF IMMIGRATION MOVEMENT —LAND AT $20

The new county of Mahnomen is the center of a well defined movement of settlers, conservative estimate holding that 25 families have moved into county seat and surrounding territory of that county. Improved land is going for $20 per acre and gives fine crops.

18 YEARS FOR WIFE MURDER

Edgar Davis of Des Moines Pleads Guilty.

Des Moines, May 9. — Edgar Davis, who recently shot and killed his wife while he was intoxicated and later shot the city physician, who came to attend her, yesterday pleaded guilty to murder in the second degress and was sentenced to eighteen years in the penitentiary.

At the age of 16 a girl never likes or dislikes anyone; she adores or despises them.

SEASON THREE WEEKS ADVANCE

WHEAT SEEDING IN RED R. VALLEY HAS BEEN PRACTICALLY FINISHED

PROSPECTS WERE NEVER BRIGHTER THAN AT PRESENT FOR FARMERS

From Friday's Daily—

"The season is just three weeks further advanced this year than last," said a well known Polk county farmer to the Journal yesterday. "Red River Valley farmers had completed their wheat seeding" he continued, "and all that remains for them now is to sow flax, barley and other late grain for which there is no hurry. If I have my seeding finished by the first of June, I will be perfectly satisfied. The prospects could hardly be any brighter for the farmer than at present, there being every indication that conditions will be the best. The ground was in good shape when the seed was planted and the rain started the plant It's simply 'all to the good' and the people that are not happy now are kickers right.

The above appears to be the sentiment of the farmers in general in northern Minnesota.

REVOCATION SUSTAINED

Before Judge C. W. Stanton at Bemidji yesterday the action of Mayor Dade and the village council of Blackduck in revoking the liquor license of John Berg, who conducts the Svea hotel at Blackduck was sustained.

When Mr. Dade was elected president of the village council this spring he issued notice to all keepers of saloons in the village that they must abide by the law in the matter of closing at night and also keeping closed on Sunday; as well as selling liquor to minors.

Berg is said to have violated the law relative to selling to minors and also to keeping open on Sunday, with the result that the village council of Blackduck at a recent meeting, revoked the license. Mr. Berg appealed to the district court in the matter and the hearing on the revocation of the license was held today before Judge Stanton.

C. W. Scrutchin of Bemidji appeared as attorney for Berg and Bunn T. Wilson, village attorney of Blackduck and Chester McKusick of Bemidji, represented the village of Blackduck.

Judge Stanton referred to the records in the matter and sustained the village in its revocation of the license.

J. E. Dade, president of the village council of Blackduck and D. D. Rolfe village clerk at Blackduck, were present at the hearing.

UNIFORM IN STOUT SCHOOL.

Domestic Economy Classes Vote to Dress Alike for Work.

Menomonie, Wis., May 8.—The students of the department of domestic economy in the Stout training schools have voted to adopt a uniform dress for school wear and have chosen a blue and white striped gingham as being the most suitable for their use. This action has been taken with a view to promoting a democratic feeling among students.

MORAL WAVE SWEEPS CITY.

Lid Is Ordered for Slot Machines, Dice, Games and Saloons.

Warren, Minn,, May 8. — A moral wave is sweeping over Warren. The city council last evening instructed the city attorney to notify all stores and saloons to take out their slot machines, to discontinue the shaking of dice and to see that the liquor laws of the state were strictly enforced.

OVER MAYOR'S VETO.

Bemidji Council Again Passes Municipal Court Ordinance.

Bemidji, May 8.—At a meeting of the city council held last evening the members of the council by unanimous vote carried, over the mayor's veto, the resolution establishing a municipal court in this city, the court to commence its existence in August.

Has Fine Sanitary Record.

Warren, Minn., May 8. — The local board of health reported last evening that during the last three years there had not been a single death in Warren due to scarlet fever, typhoid fever or diphtheria; that the sanitary condition of the city was nearly perfect and that the citizens had responded cheerfully to their request that all odorous material be destroyed.

BREWERY A POP FACTORY.

Decatur Saloonkeepers Who Quit Business to Remain in Town.

Decatur, Ill., May 9.—Fifty-eight saloons closed Thursday night, when Decatur went dry under the Illinois local option law. The majority of the men whose saloons closed will remain in Decatur to engage in other business. The Decatur Brewing company will now manufactura soft drinks.

MAIL ROBBER SENTENCED

A. R. APPLIN AGAIN CHANGES PLEA TO GUILTY — GIVEN A YEAR AND HALF

SMITH TELLS WHY HE TRIED TO COMMIT SUICIDE—COURT ADJOURNED

From Friday's Daily—

A. R. Applin who was indicted Wednesday on the charge of robbing a mail sack at Staples again changed his plea to guilty late in the afternoon at Fergus Falls and was sentenced to one year and six months in the states prison at Stillwater. Applin is the man who escaped from jail once and planned to escape a second time. When arraigned in court Wednesday, he first entered a plea of guilty, then changed to not guilty, and finally changed back to guilty, and Judge Morris then pronounced sentence. He has already served nearly six months in jail, so that he will have nearly two years' imprisonment in all for his crime.

Benj. F. Smith, the Dalton man, is now talking freely and states that he attempted to hang himself because he was informed by an attorney that he was likely to be sentenced to at least sixty years' imprisonment under the chargees against him. The postal laws provide strong maximum penalties for interfering with the mails, and had all the possible counts been urged against Smith and the maximum penalty imposed in each case, his punishment might have reached this limit, but there was at no time any probability of any such excessive sentence. Fourteen months at St. Cloud is a cheerful prospect by comparison.

The court adjourned at the conclusion of the Applin case, the term having lasted a little less than twenty-four hours.

NIELSVILLE

The eighth grade graduation exercises at the school last Friday were a success. The school was crowded and standing room was at a premium Every number on the program was well received and especially the practical remarks made by Rev. Brodland and the class history.

The following is the progrm as rendered:

Song ... ..The School upon the Red Adv. Pupils
Innovation ... ...Rev. Brodland
Kentucky Belle, Inga Hestad, graduate
Spring Song .... Primary Room
Greeting .... Gusta Clauson
Boys Wanted .... Hilda Halsa
"The Blue and the Gray" ....
.... Tilla Engelstad, Graduate
Song, Switzerland ...... Adv. Pupils
Memory Gem .... Cora Haugen
Oh, Why Should Spirit of Mortal be Proud? ... Clara Kolstad, Graduate
One Hoss Shay ..... Mammie Kolstad
Song, Jesus Lover of My Soul (with motions) .... Primary Pupils
Alexander .... Myrtle Onstad
Recitation .... Amanda Haugen
Class History, Julia Viegen, Graduate
Song, Hail and Farewell, ...
... ...Eighth Grade
Doll Dialogue ..... Primary Pupils
The Little Angel..Josephine Clauson
The Three Bells ..... Benora Viegen
Song, Soldier's Farewell..Adv. Room
The Third Psalm of Life............
....Agnes Rudser, Graduate
Gettysburg Address,... ... ...
... ... Inga Hestad, Graduate
Class Prophesy ... ...
... ...Nanna Jestrup, Graduate
Song, America ....All

All the graduates were beautifully dressed in white and all wore bouquets of carnations.

The pupils of the advanced room sprung an unexpected tho pleasant surprise on their teacher Paul Hagen last Wednesday evening. He was presented with a fine gold fob as a token of their appreciation of his work and efforts of the past school year. The evening was spent in games after which refreshments were served.

The primary teacher was also surprised in the same way Friday after school. The children gathered at Mr. Halsa's residence and on returning from school Miss Laura Walstad was presented with a fine toilet set as a reward of her untiring efforts in their behalf during the past school year. Refreshments were served and games were played.

Mrs. Dalen and daughter of Detroit spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Reep as a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hayes entertained at supper last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Hayes, Miss Laura Walsted and Mr. Paul Hagen as guests.

Chas. Bye spent last Wednesday in Crookston on business.

Miss Walsted left for her home in Crokston Saturday while Mr. Hagen proceeded to Erskine where he is to complete a term of school.

JOHNSON FORCES SWEEP MINNESOTA INTO LINE

Ninth District Goes to Johnson with Possible Defections In Norman And Kittson Counties Only.

The Minnesota State Democratic Convention at St. Paul May 14th next will not have a Bryan delegation on its floors.

The Ninth District is practically solid for the governor. The only defection is in Ada, Norman county and Hallock Kittson county. In Norman county Twin Valley and Halstad went Johnson with all other districts heard from except Ada. All other points except Hallock that have been heard from went Johnson.

Roseau and Becker hold mass conventions Saturday next and their stand will not be settled until that time.

In Bemidji Pat Russell gurgles beneath waves of Johnsonism. "We included him in the delegation from this city to show him how a real live Johnson convention was run," was the enthusiastic report that came over the wire last night.

The defection in Kittson at Hallock arises from energy of Bouvette, well known newspaper man there.

State Goes Johnson

Hennepin goes Johnson notwithstanding the efforts of Larrabee to put the Nebraskan thru. St. Paul of course is unanimous. St. Cloud Johnsonites caught Bennett in a whirl wind and is Johnson solid. St. Louis county has Johnson majority in city of Duluth. The returns would indicate that Johnson would be endorsed on the first ballot May 14th at St. Paul.

State committeeman Martin O'Brien states today that the swing of Minnesota into the Johnson column will have bullish effect on Johnson stock thruout the United States, that Bryan men had been relying on possible defection in Minnesota to discredit the Johnson boom and Johnson landslide in Minnesota has healthful effect.

Fosston went Johnson yesterday without dissenting voice. The five delegates include L. T. Larson, Joel Fogelberg and Ingebret Larson.

The six delegates from Ada who will cast Bryan votes at the Norman county convention are D. L. Thorpe, Ed L. Hanson, C. D. Simpson, Isadore Roesch, Fred Herringer and Jason Weatherhead.

THRU SWAMPS ON RACE FOR CLAIM

MISS EVA JOHNSON OF VINING POSTOFFICE IN OTTER TAIL CO., WALKS 8 1-2 MILES THRU HEAVY SWAMPS EAST OF MIDDLE RIVER TO APPEAR IN CONTEST SUIT

From Friday's Daily—

On a race to save her claim in the vicinity of Fram postoffice about 20 miles inland east of Middle River, Minn., Miss Eva Johnson, the assistant postmistress at Vining in Otter Tail county plunged on foot alone thru eight and one half miles of the heaviest bogs of the north country with heavy grips and won. Contest had been brought against her by parties who were not acquainted with her location and she was scheduled to appear at Fram postoffice to answer the contest or it would have gone by default to the contestant.

She settled on the claim some time ago and later obtained the assistant postmistress position of the Vining postoffice and as a result has spent her time in government employ. On that account the homestead laws permit her final proof without actual residence on the claim. She heard of the contest and went to Middle River where she was unable to secure a team that would brave the swamps.

Accordingly she walked the twenty miles to Fram postoffice, eight and a half miles of which route is thru some of the worst swamps in the north country and surrounded on all sides by impassable muskeg. Her grips contained papers and clothing and weighed about fifty pounds.

She says that she was compelled to rest from time to time. She reached Fram just half an hour before the case was called and appeared in person before the court. The road is almost impassable for horses who often go thru the floating bog.

Miss Johnson returned in buggy with Attorney N. B. Moran of Crookston who was in Fram on business. Miss Johnson said they had more trouble going than returning. The Crookston attorney spent almost all his time at the head of the plunging horse trying to get back into Middle River.

MAYOR'S VETO FAILS TO STAND

BEMIDJI TO HAVE A MUNICIPAL COURT NOTWITHSTANDING OBJECTION

The city council at Bemidji Tuesday evening carried over the mayor's veto the resolution establishing a muncipal court in that city. Several persons are out after the appointment of judge, carrying with it a salary of $1,000 a year, but it is doubtful if the appointment will be made at once. It is up to Governor Johnson to appoint the judge.

The council also passed an ordinance relating to gambling and gambling houses and also an ordinance for the removal of curtains in the front of saloons during closing hours.

DEMS. TO ESTABLISH PAPER AT FARGO

The Fargo Daily News is to be established at Fargo June 1st. It will be a Democratic paper and will be started with the plant of the recently defunct Grand Forks Press.

A. C. Reinicke, who was in charge at Grand Forks will be the active manager. Stock subscriptions are now being taken.

We have noticed that the second time a girl becomes engaged to be married she keeps it more of a secret than she did the first time.

O'BRIEN FOR CHAIRMAN

TWIN CITY LEADERS FAVOR HIM FOR CHAIRMAN STATE CONVENTION

Martin O'Brien state committeeman of the democratic party for the Ninth District is prominent among choices of the St. Paul and Minneapolis delegates to the state convention for chair man May 14th next. Mr. O'Brien is the leader of the Johnsonites in this district and has been most active in furthering Johnsonism.

THE DISPATCH CHANGES OWNERSHIP

The Sleepy Eye Dispatch has been sold to A. J. Rush of Mankato who with John Kirsch of Crookston will conduct the paper. Mr. Whitmore who has been the editor and manager for the company for the past four years will go to Ohio for a while, after which he expects to go west. Under the management of Mr. Whitmore the Dispatch and Herald have been on the best terms and it is the sincere wish of the editor of this paper that prosperity go with Mr. Whitmore wherever he locates. The new proprietor, Mr. Rush, and Mr. Kirsch the new editor are both old freinds of the Herald man and we wish them a large measure of prosperity.—Sleepy Eye Herald.

A woman is a bride as long as her husband takes her alone to a show.

GAS KILLS MERCHANT

FINDEISEN OF RED LAKE FALLS DIES IN CITY OF ST. PAUL

LINGERED IN CITY HOSPITAL FOR THREE DAYS IN UNCONSCIOUS STATE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Three days after being found unconscious in a room at the First Avenue hotel, 250 First avenue south in St. Paul, suffering from gas poison, William Findeisen of Red Lake Falls, Minn., died Saturday evening in the Minneapolis city hospital. He did not recover consciousness. Whether the man committed suicide or accidentally left the gas turned on is not known

Findeisen had been in the city buying goods for his store at Red Lake Falls and retired to his room Tuesday night in good health.

When the chambermaid was unable to gain entrance she notified Thomas Carrol, proprietor of the saloon on the first floor of the building. Carrol found Findeisen lying on the bed, unconscious, with the gas fully turned on.

Findeisen was about 45 years of age and is survived by a widow and one child living in Red Lake Falls. The body will be taken to that city for burial.

County Attorney Germo and Mrs. Findeisen returned thru Crookston yesterday on way home from St. Paul.

The funeral over the body of the well known Red Lake Falls resident will be held in that city next Wednesday from the Presbyterian church at 2:30 in the afternoon.

STATE IS HALF CENTURY OLD

FIFTY YEARS AGO CONGRESS ADMITTED MINNESOTA TO THE UNION

Yesterday the state of Minnesota was just half a century old. Fifty years ago on the eleventh of May congress passed a bill providing for the admission of the North Star state into the union.

The news of the signing of the bill by President Buchanan reached Minnesota by a telegraphic message to prairie du Chein, Wis., which was the nearest telegraphic station at that time. The first newspaper reports of the event were published by the Daily Minnesotan two days later. That paper said editorially:

"We are now a state of the union. No longer outside barbarians, we are within the Chinese wall of the confederacy and have donned our freedom suit. There are some patches needed over some of our rents and resewing of some of the seams in our gaberdine called the state constitution—perhaps an entire new garment will be ere long required. We are rejoiced that we occupy the position henceforth in which we can wear what clothes we please, much or little, gay or grave, and Uncle Samuel has no business to interfere, especially as we pay, or promise to pay for them ourselves."

Fitting observances of the day were held at the state capitol at St. Paul.

SEND BACK THE BODY.

Joseph Leicht of Winona, Who Died on Shipboard.

Cherbourg, May 12. — The body of Joseph Leicht of Winona, Minn., a first cabin passenger on board the North German Lloyd steamship Lutzow, who died during the voyage, was taken ashore and will be shipped to New York on Wednesday.

Mr. John Riha of Vining, Ia., says, "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

Ice Fires Itself.

Barnesville, Minn., May 12.—Spontaneous combustion in one of the Great Northern's ice houses yesterday caused the loss of two buildings and a third was badly damaged.

$8,000 Blaze in Mill.

Minneapolis, May 12.—The screening mill of the Brooks Elevator company was almost totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The loss is estimated at $8,000.

Dies From Burns.

Benson, Minn., May 12. — Ingvald Strand of Benson, who was seriously burned last Thursday at Degraff by an oil explosion, died last evening at the hospital in Willmar.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. For sale by all druggists.

CREAMERIES ERECTED

NEW INSTITUTIONS TO BE ERECTED AT HIGHLANDING AND KRATKA

OTHER INTERESTING NEWS FROM THE SAME SECTION OF RED LAKE COUNTY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Two new creameries are being erected in the northeastern part of Red Lake county, one near Highlanding and the other near Kratka. They are both incorporated for $5,000 apiece. They will be done by the middle of next month. Among fifty farmers are interested. The locality was once Red Lake reservation and many of the settlers have not yet proven up. There is however a big field for the creameries and their construction has been recommended by Creamery Inspector Stortroen of Crookston.

The residents of district 60 in Red Lake county will erect a new school house as soon as seeding and other spring activities on the farms permits the hauling of lumber. District 60 is in Mayfield township.

Peter Nickstad of the town of Mayfield in Red Lake county has sold his farm to Mr. Mayfield a neighbor and will leave for South Dakota where he has carpenter contracts.

Two farmers in the township of Mayfield Red Lake county have lost their barns and considerable hay as a result of prairie fires in those sections. Some time ago a settler, Chileen by name lost his barn and some implements. Andrew Peterson but a short time ago lost his barn and several tons of hay in stack in his fields.

HAIL INSURANCE BEFORE COURTS

CONTRACT WITH K. O. FLAKNE HELD TO BE AFFECTED BY AFTER ORDER

Attorney L. E. Gossman of Crookston appears before the supreme court tomorrow at St. Paul in the case of K. O. Flakne against a well known hail insurance company for damages suffered by a crop by hail but which the company refuses to pay. The company claims that after they had given Flakne a five year contract for insurance of his crop they changed the contract to read from noon on day issued, Sept. 1, 1901, to noon of day expiring. The loss suffered by Flakne, a well known Beltrami vicinity farmer occurred at 9 o'clock in the evening of the day of expiration. The company holds it is not liable for damage by loss. Flakne thru his attorney holds the company had no right to change the contract.

SUED FOR KINDNESS.

But Man Who Objected to Having His Team Cared for Is Under Arrest.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., May 13.—Because the local police took his horses from a shed and placed them in a livery barn over night, Miles Mitchell of Drywood has decided to sue the city for damages. The chief of police claims that the horses had been standing in a shed and not cared for over a day. When Mitchell took the horses from the livery barn he put them back in the shed and is now under arrest.

Twenty-five Hurt in Collision.

New York, May 13. — Twenty-five persons were painfully injured by an accident on the Third avenue elevated road last night. A south-bound train was discharging passengers at One Hundred and Forty-third street when another train bound in the same direction whirled around a curve. The force of the collision broke the windows of the two colliding cars.

Prince Helie to Change Faith.

Rome, May 13.—Mme. Anna Gould and her children, accompanied by Prince Helie de Sagan, left here last evening for Monte Carlo. It was stated that the marriage of the prince and Mme. Gould will take place as soon as the prince has embraced the Protestant faith. Last evening he again declared he was ready to do so.

Mock Hold-up Is Fatal.

Chicago, Ill., May 13.—Henry Frawley, a teamster, eighteen years old, was shot and instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a revolver in the hands of John Hefell, who with Steve Korsore, a companion, were enacting a mock hold-up in a bakery.

Eva Visits Washington.

Washington, May 13. —F. W. Eva, chief grain inspector of the Minnesota grain inspection service, and his wife are in Washington on their way to New York. Mr. Eva says he will not appear before any committee on the grain inspection bill.

Mysterious Fire Burns Barns.

Winona, Minn., May 13—Three large barns in the Second ward were burned yesterday. Several houses were in danger and the occupants moved out. The origin of the fire is unknown.

ERSKINE WAS SURPRISED

CHARLES COOK RETURNS WITH A BRIDE AND IS WELCOMED

OTHER INTERESTING NEWS IS RECEIVED FROM EAST END TOWN

(Erskine Correspondence)

Saturday morning on the early east bound passenger among the many passengers who alighted was one whom many had been expecting to see for some time, but no one knew that it was her until she had left for her future home.

But it soon became known that Charley Cook was really out of the bachelor club and had been a benedict for some time.

The boys were not slow in showing their good will toward the newly wed.

A box of cigars was left handy for the boys at Larson's drug store. Mrs. Cook comes from Green Bay, Wis., but the wedding occurred at Fargo where the estimable lady has a son in the railway service.

The new clean-up notice recently published by the board of health is having a very beneficial effect.

Elmer Pederson has resigned the place of engineer at the mill and is succeeded by Andrew Anderson of Williston, N. D.

The W. J. C. & C. C. gave and entertainment in the Woodmen hall Wednesday evening. The company is all of one family some ten in all. They are on their way to Oregon showing at different towns on their way.

The State Bank is trying a new adding machine. They come in very handy where so much adding is to be done.

Dr. Kahala was a Fosston visitor between trains Saturday.

Erskine is in need of a brick new up-to-date school building.

Some of the cement sidewalks put in last summer in south Erskine shows the effect of the winter frosts Cement sidewalks up in this country should be made 8 inches broken rock filled with sand well washed in then four inches concrete covered with a thin cover of cement.

Mrs. J. E. Magner and children of McIntosh visited with friends Saturday at this place.

RALPH WILL NOT MOVE

MINNESOTA DRAINAGE ENGINEER WILL REMAIN IN THIS CITY

State Drainage Engineer George R. Ralph, formerly city engineer of Crookston and county engineer of Polk will not move from Crookston as previously stated. Mr. Ralph says that he himself is not favorably inclined and his family less so. He will continue to make his home and north state headquarters at this point.

SMALLPOX AT HAVRE.

Fifty Cases Reported and Public Halls and Schools Ordered Closed.

Great Falls, Mont., May 12.—It was learned Saturday through the report of Dr. M. E. Knowles, state health officer, that there are between fifty and sixty cases of smallpox at Havre. This information became public when the state board of health ordered an investigation. All the schools, theaters and other public meeting places have beeen closed.

SAFEBLOWERS AT MANVEL.

Thieves Get Cash and Stamps and Escape With Stolen Horse.

Grand Forks, N. D., May 12.—The store of Joseph Colosky at Manvel village, fourteen miles north of here, was visited by safeblowers at 2:30 yesterday morning and two safes were blown open. The robbers secured between $200 and $300 in stamps and $80 in cash and made their escape with a horse stolen from A. Ramage.

CRUSHED UNDER SPREADER.

Child Falls From Farm Machine and Is Fatally Hurt.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 12.—As the result of fal'ing from a manure spreader, Stewart Engstrom, the four-year-old son of Eric Engstrom, who resides on a farm in McCook county, lost his life. He fell directly under a rear wheel of the spreader, which passed over his abdomen and inflicted injuries from which he died a short time later.

Woman Is Badly Burned.

Minneapolis, May 12.—As the result sult of a gasoline explosion which set fire and almost totally destroyed her home late yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Marriott J. Woodcock, aged sixty-three years, is in a serious condition at St. Barnabas hospital, suffering from burns that almost cover her entire body.

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CHARGE DAMAGE FROM AUTO

MRS. OLOF M. SANDIN SUES CHAS. LORING FOR $2655.70 DAMAGES

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT SEVEN MILES NORTH OF E. GRAND FORKS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Ursilla Sandin, wife of Olof M. Sandin, a farmer living seven miles north of East Grand Forks, will sue Chas. Loring, the well known Crookston attorney in the June term of court for $2655.70 damages which she alleges she received October 26 last while driving in a one horse buggy near her home. She states that an automobile driven by Chas. Loring, hit her carriage, threw her from the carriage and against a fence post at the side of the road injuring her about the shoulder, neck and head.

She charges that she was personally damaged to the extent of $2500, that the carriage was damaged $50, the harness $10, the horse $25 and that as a result of the accident she was put to $71.70 expense for recuperation from her injuries.

Skulason and Burtness represent Mrs. Sandin.

CAT TOOK THE BAIT

SWALLOWED FISH-HOOK WHICH WAS LEFT BAITED WITH LIVER

WAS RELEASED WITH THE GREATEST DIFFICULTY NEXT MORNING

From Tuesday's Daily—

A cat instead of a catfish was the result of the efforts of a local fisherman. Some boys who had been fishing without good results returned home Sunday evening and left their fishpole in the yard of Chas. Dresck, and liver which was used as bait was left on the hook.

The family cat happened along in morning and swallowed the liver, hook and all. Chas Selbeck discovered the cat cutting up didos and finally discovered what the trouble was. It took him about a half hour to get the fishhook out of the cat's mouth and was quite severely scratched and bitten during the operation.

REAL ESTATE ON THE MOVE

VALUABLE LOTS AND TRACTS CHANGE OWNERS MAY FIRST

Activity in real estate is becoming slightly more extensive during the first week in May and now that all the returns are in the transfers will compare with those previous beginnings of the summer season. Oliver B. Tveten of this city has sold lots 21, 22 and 23 in Sampsons addition to John W. Sandberg for $3400 consideration; Jas. Maybury has sold to John Anthony lot 4 in block 4 Chases addition to Crookston, consideration not stated; and the southeast quarter of section 9 in Belgium town has been transferred by J. A. Lewis and Wm. Metsger of Carroll county, Iowa, to M. I. Nelson and O. A. Nelson of Audubon and Crawford county Iowa

31 CENTS AND FAR FROM HOME

GENTLEMAN BOUND FOR SASKATCHEWAN FLOWS OVER GUNWALE HERE

Yesterday morning the police collected a very much intoxicated gentleman from the east bound train and put him in the city jail. He did not come to until this morning when the first particulars that could be obtained from him were received. He was well dressed and apparently was able to look on better days. He had boarded the Great Northern at Devils Lake and was bound north into Saskatchewan. When he quit here he had but 31 cents on his person with a ticket to his destination. How he will make the trip would be worth knowing.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by A. G. Andersen.

Don't read this

unless you are interested in making more money. If you follow out our instructions you cannot fail to increase your pile.

Deposit your earnings, whether large or small, in Scandia American Bank, Crookston, Minn. Have a check account, which will help you cut down expenses, and the money you can lav by each month place in a certificate of deposit, which will net you five per cent per annum

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

PREMIUMS FOR BEST POTATOES RAISED IN BELTRAMI COUNTY

"Bemidji, Minn., May 5, 1908. To Beltrami County Potato Raisers: Will you take a hand in developing the potato industry in Beltrami county and assist in placing before the world a record of the best yield of potatoes in the state for the year 1908?

"There is no crop that can be raised with more profit to settlers of ordinary means and that is safer and will do more for the development of our land than potatoes.

"To encourage the potato industry, J. J. Opsahl and the Selkce Land company hereby offers a purse of $250 in cash to be divided into eight premiums, for the best half acre yield of potatoes in Beltrami county during 1908. The prizes will be paid under the auspices of the Beltrami County Agricultural Association delivered on presentation of an award at the Lumbermens National Bank of Bemidji.

"First award—Fifty dollars, based upon the quality of a 300-pound exhibit from each half acre contestant at the county fair, divided in four premiums as follows:

First premium	$20
Second premium	15
Third premium	10
Fourth premium	5
	$50

"Exhibits must be brought to the fair in ample time for proper entry, and must be reasonably free from dirt with enough potatoes to insure the net weight of 300 pounds, or five bushels, to be passed upon by the judges

"Points of award will be fifty for the heaviest single potato in exhibit; twenty-five points on the heaviest average per potato in single bushel of each exhibit and twenty-five points on the heaviest average per 300 pounds. Only merchantable and clean potatoes to be exhibited with special proviso that each lot is to be put up and sold at auction at not less than sixty cents per bushel and the proceeds returned to the exhibitor to help pay his expenses of such exhibit.

"Second award—Two hundred dollars will be given for the best TOTAL yield on a half acre tract and divided into four premiums, as follows:

First premium	$100
Second premium	50
Third premium	35
Fourth premium	15
	$200

"Measurements of yield in this award to be by a struck bushel basket of all sizes of potatoes fit for table use or feeding purposes.

"No restrictions are placed upon the kind of seed to be used, or the soil or methods of cultivation; the aim for this year is to make it a free-for-all entry under any condition, and the hope is that the best kinds of seed will be used, in order to produce the best market quality as well as the best known methods of cultivation to produce the quantity.

"Beltrami county has the proper soil and climate for successful potato culture; and there are unlimited markets at home, on the Iron Ranges, in Duluth and the Twin Cities. What we want to add to that are energetic, wide-awake farmers.

"Parties wishing to compete for any of these premiums must notify J. J. Opsahl on or before June 20th, giving name and address, with size of tract planted (which must be staked out and contain exactly eighty square rods) section, town and range. A list of all contestants will then be made up and furnished each one, and the contestants in each township will then select from their own number three judges to supervise the digging and measurement they to issue sworn statements of their respective township yields.

"These different township judges will select from their number five judges one from each commissioner district, to act as judge at the county fair and also award the premiums on the total yield as reported by the township judges; and whose certificates of awards will be accepted as final and paid by J. J. Opsahl on presentation at the Lumbermens National Bank.

"The selection of township judges must be made and notice of same furnished J. J. Opsahl before July 20, who will then make a list of same and forward to their chairman at once so that they will have ample time to select their five county judges and have their names, etc., before the county fair and entered on the fair program.

"In this way the awards and general rules will be entirely in the hands of the parties who enter the contest.

"With our sincere hope added that the contestants, thru their respective town committees, will organize into the Beltrami County Potato Growers Association, and wishing all the best success and a prosperous year, we remain,

Respectfully yours,
—J. J. Opsahl,
Selkce Land Company.

"Address all communications to J. J. Opsahl, 1101 Bemidji Avenue, Bemidji, Minn.

"Information as to potato culture will be cheerfully furnished all applicants by addressing the State Experimental Farm, Grand Rapids, Minnesota."

CAPTURE THREE BURGLARS

The Grand Forks authorities are convinced that in the arrest of Thos Payne and Joe Miller they have the men who are guilty of robbing the Manvel store of C. E. Colosky early Sunday morning. Yesterday afternoon George Simmons, who is believed to be an accomplice of Miller and Payne, was arrested in the woods half a mile from Oslo. Payne is believed to have been connected with the robbery at Stephen in which over $5,000 was taken. His leg is badly burned by a powder blast, it is believed. Payne was arrested while skulking along the road three miles from Grand Forks. As he went across the field he dropped some plunder and yesterday Deputy Sheriff Johnson, accompanied by a postoffice inspector, went over the field and found some postage stamps and some stamped envelopes that had never been used. Simmons who is under arrest at Oslo is the man who came across the bridge into Oslo early Sunday morning and drank in a saloon, later making his escape, while Payne who had become rather intoxicated was captured.

Two Safes Blown Up

Additional details of the robbery at Manvel show that two safes in the Colosky store were blown up. The robbers secured about $250 in stamps and money.

From the work of the robbers it is believed that they are yeggmen and not professional burglars. Their work was of the same coarse order as that at Stephen, Minn.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

FEELS SAFE WITH A PAIR OF KINGS

Fugitive Thinks He Can Bluff State Of Minnesota. At Gibraltar Now.

Historical Society

Luigi Falluco, who is wanted at Coleraine for the theft of $700 from Mrs. Assune Marra, has stirred up an international controversy involving the state of Minnesota, the king of Italy and King Edward of England.

Falluco who was at one time a resident of Crookston, is under arrest at Gibraltar, and Governor Johnson has issued a requisition on King Edward, and the rest of the British government, for the return of the fugitive to Coleraine for trial.

Luigi claims, however, that he is a citizen of Italy, and the king of Italy has sent word to the King of England that Luigi does not care to return to Coleraine, and also that Luigi has been rudely interrupted by the arrest in his journey to his beloved fatherland.

The king of Italy has laid the matter before the secretary of state at Washington. Unless the Italian sovereign wins out in his diplomatic intervention, the sheriff of Itasca county will get a pleasant little globe-trotting trip to Gibraltar to bring back the reluctant Luigi and whatever remains of the $700.

Luigi boarded at Coleraine with Mrs. Assune Marra. He was working in the mines near Coleraine. Mrs. Marra had trouble with her husband which came to the ears of her boarders. She had $700 in the bank at Coleraine. When Luigi heard of this, it is said, he developed high finance instincts. He went to Mrs. Marra and told her that her husband was about to draw out the money and depart with it.

Mrs. Marra hurried to the bank, drew out the money and the result was that instead of her husband running off with it, Luigi up and did it. At least that is what the charges against him allege.

LOOK OVER WATER LEVEL

COMMISSIONERS AND RESIDENTS LOOK OVER MAPLE LAKE MONDAY

DITCHES WILL BE DISCONNECTED WITH DELIGHTFUL WATER BODY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Commissioners Rindal and Clements and Sam Rosenthal of Crookston will depart next Monday afternoon for Mentor and Maple Lake for the purpose of examining into the proposition mooted at the last meeting of the Maple Lake Association for the keeping of Maple Lake at a proper level all the year round.

County ditch number 14 runs out of the north end of the lake and has been the chief factor in reducing the level of the water in the lake. It was not originally intended that this ditch should drain the lake, it being platted by the surveyors to commence 80 rods from the north end of the lake, but one of the surrounding farmers connected the ditch with the lake and water has always since that time flowed thru it. The ditch was established about seven years ago.

Another ditch runs out of the lake along the south end, tho no such ditch is shown on the map. It will be the interest of the viewers of the proposed maintenance of lake level to shut off these outlets. The lake is spring fed and has no inlets.

PELICAN RAPIDS MAN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

A long distance telephone message from Pelican Rapids today states that Mr. Isaacson of that village was struck by lightning at his home there during the heavy storm Sunday night. The storm broke there somewhat earlier than it did here, and as the rain began, Mr. Isaacson arose to close a window. He glanced out at the storm and just as he did so, lightning flashed and a bolt struck down. Mr. Isaacson fell back, and a physician was summoned. Death did not occur immediately, and there was some doubt as to whether it was due to lightning or to heart disease, but the opinion is that it was due to both. In other words, had the heart been in good condition, he might have recovered from the shock. Mr. Isaacson was about 65 years of age and leaves a wife and family. He was a good citizen, kindly and industrious and will be missed in the community where he has made his home.—Fergus Falls Journal.

Personal

If any person suspects that their kidneys are deranged they should take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and not risk having Bright's disease or diabetes. Delay gives the disease a stronger foothold and you should not delay taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

SHOWERS MAKE GRASS GROW

FINEST SPRING FOR DAIRIES THE VALLEY HAS EVER SEEN

BIG CELEBRATION WAS HELD WHEN CREAMERY AT ELIZABETH OPENS

From Tuesday's Daily—

State Creamery Inspector Storvick of Crookston says the creamery business of his district has enjoyed a marvelous increase during the excellent pasture and grass weather that has prevailed during the recent showers and fair weather betwixt. The green that one sees in the city and surrounding country repeats itself thruout the country.

Inspector Storvick returned from Elizabeth in Otter Tail county a short distance north of Fergus Falls yesterday. He says Elizabeth gave one of the biggest installation exercises last Friday that he has seen for like size establishment.

All the families patronizing the new creamery arrived in the city early in the morning with their new cream and while it was being put thru the processes they held a picnic on the broad greens in front of the new building and entertained with exercises in the local opera house.

Inspector Storvick and Vice President Gardner of the new creamery company were the leading speakers of the day.

About 125 people were present.

Inspector Storvick reports a new creamery at Hitterdal and states that construction work has already commenced on the new creamery at Hitterdal and at Kratka and Highlanding in Red Lake county. The farmers near the city of Orleans on the Soo in Kittson county near the international boundary line are making plans to erect a creamery at that point.

The creamery at Rollis in Marshall county will celebrate their second anniversary June 4th next and Ispector Storvick will be one of the leading speakers.

A Fine Shower

This city was visited by a light shower Saturday night, the rainfall being .12 of an inch, but Sunday proved very hot and later in the night a storm gathered which proved sufficiently heavy to clear the atmosphere The rainfall was 1.11 inches, which is the first really heavy shower of the spring. The storm broke shortly before midnight, and everything was thoroly drenched, and vegetation is fairly booming today.—Fergus Falls Journal.

Put Up Fast Fight.

Philadelphia, May 20. — Grover Hayes of this city and Harry Baker of San Francisco fought six rounds to a draw before the West End Athletic club last night. The fight was fast from start to finish.

BRYAN, HE GETS THEM

HONOLULU, ALABAMA AND CALIFORNIA ARE ALL ON HIS STAFF

JOHNSON MADE GOOD RUN IN ALABAMA—CALIFORNIA SOLID BRYAN

Montgomery Ala., May 19—By returns at 1 o'clock this morning Alabama delegation to the national convention will be instructed to support the candidacy of Wm. J. Bryan. The returns received from 51 of 67 counties in the state show that out of a total vote polled of 100,000 Mr. Bryan received 75,000. Governor Johnson, of Minnesota carried several counties including Montgomery and Mobile.

Hono[illegible] Too

Honolulu, May 19—The democratic territorial convention met here yesterday and selected delegates to the national convention at Denver and instructed them for William J. Bryan.

Also for Bryan

Fresno, Cal., May 18.—The California democratic state convention was called to order this afternoon by State Chairman Spellacy. The convention adjourned at 6 p. m., until tomorrow forning. The committee is endeavoring to prepare a platform. Five district conventions selected delegates to the Denver convention. Sentiment is overwhelmingly for Bryan.

Rebellion Grows Serious.

Hongkong, May 20.—According to advices received here, the rebellion in Yun Nan province is becoming more serious. The revolutionists have captured a railway and have defeated the government troops. They are continuing the advances. Urgent requests have been sent to Pekin for reinforcements.

RINGDAL FOR GOV.

RED RIVER VALLEY'S CHAMPION PROPOSED FOR EXECUTIVE CHAIR

DEMOCRATS BELIEVE HE WOULD POLL JOHNSON'S FIRST VOTE

Contemporary with the present boom for Judge Fred Brown of Minneapolis, P. M. Ringdal of Crookston now a member of the state board of control is proposed to run for the democratic nomination for governor of Minnesota. Mr. Ringdal's name is brought forward this morning by a Minneapolis paper.

Mr. Ringdal is one of the most prominent democrats of the Red River Valley and the northern part of the state, having acquired a reputation thruout this territory that would make him a formidable opponent of any nominee that the republicans could put on their ballot.

Fire Destroys Whisky.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, May 17. — The bonded warehouse of the C. A. Hoover distillery, containing 2,000 barrels of whisky, was destroyed by fire. The Hoover distillery is the only one in operation in Iowa. The warehouse will be rebuilt immediately. The loss is $100,000; insurance, $65,000.

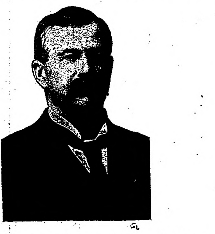
Big Mills Resume Work.

St. Louis, May 20. — After having been shut down since Jan. 1 the Holmbacher Forge and Rollings Mills company resumed operations here yesterday, giving employment to 300 men.

Lightning Strikes Barn.

Madelia, Minn., May 20.—In a severe storm yesterday a barn owned by Caspar Brackelsberg was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed. The loss is $2,000; partly insured.

OLD-TIMER IN THE RED RIVER VALLEY



The original of the above cut needs no introduction to most of the early settlers in Polk county, and to but few of the later arrivals. John D. McPhee has been a resident of the Red River Valley for over a quarter of a century. He is 52 years of age, was born in Bruce County, Ontario, and came to Polk county in the spring of 1879 and has therefore been a resident of the Valley for nearly 30 years. Upon his arrival here he went to work as a farm laborer, and because of his industry and ability was soon placed in the capacity of foreman on the large Keystone farm situated a few miles west of Euclid.

He remained on this farm as foreman for a number of years when he was promoted to the position of manager of the Lockhart farm situated a few miles south of the village of Beltrami, the Lockhart farm and Keystone farm having been owned by the same party. He remained in the position of manager of the Lockhart farm until the spring of 1902 at which time that farm was sold by the then owners and divided up. Mr. McPhee then moved to Crookston, and since that time has made Crookston his home.

While engaged in these farming operations he became well acquainted with nearly all the old-timers in the Valley and it is always a pleasure to listen to the reports of those who were engaged as laborers on either of these farms under him, for they still speak of him affectionately as "Jack" McPhee. Since coming to Crookston he has endeared himself to all with whom he has come in contact by his spirit of fairness and consideration, and his kindly, genial personality, and today it can be safely said that "Jack McPhee" is one of the best known and most respected citizens of Crookston.

As proof of this sentiment amongst the people, tho Mr. McPhee had been but a few years a resident of the city the people of Crookston elected him as its first mayor to take charge of the affairs of the city under its new home rule charter in 1906, and in 1907 when the first regular election under that charter took place Mr. McPhee was nominated by both the Republican and Citizens' Parties of the city, and received two-thirds of the votes cast in the city election.

His administration has given great satisfaction, and he has been so eminently fair that people of all classes feel that while he has stood for good government and strict enforcement of the law his policy has been one of absolute impartiality and non-favoritism, that has left a feeling of security and confidence amongst all his constituents. As a private citizen Mr. McPhee has identified himself with every movement which tends to the betterment of conditions in the Valley and the development of its resources and in the City of Crookston since he has been a resident of that city he has aided and encouraged every effort to improve the city and the condition of its people.

GOVERNOR REVEALS SARTORIAL TRUTH

"What Did They Expect From The West? A Blanket Indian?"

Item: 1 business suit.

Item: 1 frock coat with gray trousers.

Item: 1 suit evening clothes.

This, Governor John A. Johnson says is a correct and complete inventory of the suits he took with him on the trip to Washington from which he has just returned. He denies that he has broken into the Berry Wall class and is surprised that the Washington correspondent should have found reason to comment on his having "got thru three suits of clothes in one day" as tho they had supposed that a man from the west must appear as a blanket Indian or a stage "rube" with billy-goat whiskers and with breeches tucked in his boots.

The three-suit sartorial tour which stirred the press of the country comprised the governor's spring business suit, which he wore in the morning; his frock coat, with gray trousers, which he put on in the afternoon, because he was to preside over the conference of governors; and the evening clothes in which he attended the dinner at the White House.

"The conference of governors is the biggest affair I have ever taken part in," said Governor Johnson today, "and I don't know of any better way to express the magnitude of it than to say that such men as President Hadley of Yale and President Angell of the University of Michigan have said it was the greatest civil conference since the constitutional convention of 1787.

"In my opinion the greatest paper presented at the conference was that of James J. Hill, and I met many other men who shared that estimate of it. I am convinced that much good will come of the conference.

"The proposed organization of governors will be formed later and its object will be to deal with matters of public policy that affect the states and do not involve the national government; such as the questions of taxation and public education.

"I wish to speak particularly of the effort of President Roosevelt to make this conference a success. Every possible courtesy was extended to the visiting delegates and everything that could promote the business of the convention was done and done in the thoro manner characteristic of the president."

Governor Johnson returned to St. Paul last night, and after spending today at his office he will leave either tonight or tomorrow for Richmond, Va., where he will deliver an address before the national convention of cotton Growers' association on Thursday

"The closer and warmer binding together of the state and the nation, and especially of the north and the south," Dr. Cyrus Northrop named as the greatest good of the conference. Dr. Northrop who was one of the Minnesota delegates returned today.

"President Roosevelt's address," said Dr. Northrop "was one of the memorable events of the session. Mr. Hill's paper was also warmly applauded and generally esteemed. The interest in all the proceedings, relating to agriculture, forestry, mining and water resources, was intense. Every member of the conference felt it would excite great interest and lead to legislation of the greatest value."

COURT OPENED IN NORMAN CO.

JUDGE GRINDELAND IS ON THE BENCH WITH 34 CIVIL CASES

NO CRIMINAL BUSINESS UNLESS GRAND JURY GETS BUSY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The District court opened at Ada yesterday with Judge Grindeland on the bench. There are thirty four civil cases on the calendar and no criminal. The grand jury is in session and may find some indictments.

The most important case is a damage suit brought by Hans Holden vs. the Gary Telephone Co., for $2500 for injuries received last fall repairing a telephone pole which broke throwing the plaintiff to the ground thereby causing a fracture and sprained ankle. There are fourteen lawyers making in all eighteen that will try the different cases. The petit jury was called to report this morning.

Attorney L. E. Gossman returned home this morning from Ada where he appeared yesterday before Judge Grindeland in the setting of cases in which he is interested. Attorneys William E. Rowe and Jas. Maybury, both of Crookston and Attorney H. L. Gaylord of Fertile are also before the court in their clients' interests.

A case is expected to be brought up in the first part of the term of Mrs. Martha Danielson vs. Martin Krogsund on the charge of indecent assault The parties live in the town of Spring Creek in Norman county just south of Fertile. The alleged offense took place last November. Krogsund lives about two miles from Mrs. Danielson and attacked her near her own home according to the allegations of the complaint. Attorney M. A. Brattland of Ada represents the defendant and Gossman and Gaylord the plaintiff.

Colds That Hang On

Colds that hang on in the spring deplete the system exhaust the nerves, and open the way for serious illness. Take Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly stops the cough and expels the cold. It is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

ONLY FIVE CRIMINALS

POLK COUNTY GRAND JURY BILLED FOR FIVE CASES NOW

DUNHAM'S CASE MOST WATCHED —A. L. PARSONS IS UP AGAIN

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Sheriff's office here is summoning witnesses for the meeting of the grand jury to be held here early in June. The criminal docket for the coming session of the grand jurymen is very light but has some important cases that are watched from many parts of the country.

Arthur Morris of East Grand Forks now out on bail, charged with an attempt to rob Jos. Banik in that city will be up before the jurymen; Carl Schuler and Robert Johnson charged with robbery of the Smith pool room here; A. L. Parsons, charged with passing a fraudulent check on parties at East Grand Forks, who served one term of one year at Stillwater and was re-arrested on this charge as he left the prison at the end of his sentence; A. E. Dunham, charged with forgery already, and upon whom rest many other charges in connection with his escapades thruout Canada with the nurse in an Edmonton hospital this spring; E. A. Kolstad and Maaken Evenson charged with the robbery of Benjamin Hanbury.

Judge Watts has issued a bench warrant for the arrest of certain parties in this county who will be hailed before the court. This last case will probably be the surprise of the grand jury meet.

State Pure Food Inspector Heiberg arrested a few saloon keepers at East Grand Forks yesterday and they were brought up before Judge Sullivan and fined $40 and costs each. The inspector found that products manufactured by a manufacturer were wanting in purity and this was the cause of the arrest.

The state inspector departed for Greenbush this morning and will have three or four cases before the court there.

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HEMORRHOIDS SORES AND ECZEMA

Accompanied by Terrible Itching—A Complicated and Most Distressing Case—Well-known Remedies Failed to Cure—Doctor Thought an Operation Necessary—Then

CUTICURA PROVED ITS WONDERFUL EFFICACY

"I am now eighty years old and one morning, three years ago, I was taken with a hard pain in my right side. In two days I had an attack of piles (hemorrhoids), bleeding and protruding. The doctor gave me some medicine and an ointment for them which helped me some but I had to keep using them all the time. Then I changed to the P—— remedy; but if I did not use it every day, I would get worse. The doctor said the only help for me was to go to a hospital and be operated on. At this time, about a year ago, I went to using the S—— remedies. I tried them for four or five months but did not get much help for my piles. During this time sores would come on a fleshy part of my body. They bothered me all the time. I would get one healed and another would come. These sores changed to eczema, accompanied by a terrible itching. It seemed as if I could not keep my hands from tearing my flesh. This and the pile trouble brought on an inflamed condition. Then I got the Cuticura Remedies. I washed the affected parts with Cuticura Soap and warm water in the morning, at noon, and at night, then used Cuticura Ointment on the irritated surfaces and injected a quantity of Cuticura Ointment with a Cuticura Suppository Syringe. I also took Cuticura Resolvent Pills three times a day. It took a month of this treatment to get me in a fairly healthy state and then I treated myself once a day for three months and, after that, once or twice a week. It is fortunate that I used Cuticura. The treatments I had tried took a lot of money that I would have saved by using Cuticura Remedies sooner, but I am wiser now. I am supplied with a full set of the Cuticura Remedies and would not feel safe without them. J. H. Henderson, Hopkinton, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., Apr. 26, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood; also the Cuticura Suppository Syringe (35c.). Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

GETS ROCKEFELLER AID.

$75,000 Gift for Macalester College on Condition More Be Raised.

St. Paul, May 14. — Word was received yesterday that the Rockefeller board, or, as it is commonly known, the general educational board, had made a conditional gift to Macalester college of $75,000, provided the college trustees and friends raise the entire endowment and building funds of the college to $150,000, of which this gift shall be a part.

Farm House Burns.

Spring Valley, Minn., May 14.—The dwelling of E. Quackinbush, a farmer living six miles northwest of this place, was burned to the ground. Neighbors saved most of the contents, but the house was totally destroyed. Loss, $1,000; insurance, $600.

Suicide Ends Trouble.

Calumet, Mich., May 14. — Victor Vachan, aged thirty-five, committed suicide by hanging himself to a rafter in his home. He lost a leg some time ago and grew despondent because he was unable to support his wife and five children.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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PUZZLING QUESTIONS

LETTERS BY MRS. BELLE GUNNESS TO RELATIVES AT FERGUS FALLS

REFERENCES TO THE ADOPTED DAUGHTER AFTER SUPPOSED MURDER

From Saturday's Daily—

It seems difficult to believe that Mrs. Gunness, the woman accused of so many murders at LaPorte, Ind., was the real authoress of such crimes in view of all that is known in regard to her here. Some of her relatives are of the opinion that she was used as a bait and a tool and that while she was unquestionably a party to the crimes the ghastly work was planned and executed by others who received a part of the money obtained from the victims. The case of Jennie Olson Gunness, the adopted daughter who disappeared in September, 1906, and is supposed to have been murdered at that time, is particularly puzzling. In January 1907, Mrs. Gunness, in a letter to relatives here, wrote as follows:

"We are living as usual here. That is to say, myself, Myrtle, Lucy and Philip. Jennie is in Los Angeles, Cal., and goes to school there this winter. She went there last fall with a cousin of my first husband, whose husband is a professor there at the university. She likes herself well there, but is a little homesick, but I hope she will overcome that when she has been there a little while. You can believe that the little girls are busy nowadays. They got for a Christmas present a little Shetland pony with saddle and rig. and with that they drive nearly every day when they come from school. Today they were all three in town and had a nice time. Philip is quite a boy now, and a pretty boy too. He is a lively fellow and full of mischief Then I have a younger boy here to help us do chores, and we get along the best we can."

On May 8, 1907, she wrote:

"If we get thru here with our spring work and Jennie comes home the last of June or the first of July, I have planned to take a trip to Minnesota to visit uncle. How is it with him now? Have you heard anything from him lately?

Her last letter was written in March of this year. In this she says:

"I am glad to say we are all well with the exception of my little Myrtle who has for a few days been somewhat ill. She is not very strong at best. My Lucy and Philip are all right. Jennie now attends the university and studies for an advocate (studies law) and is said to be very clever."—Fergus Falls Journal.

FIGHT ON FLOOR OF SENATE.

Oklahoma Lawmakers Use Fists and Peacemaker Is Hurt.

Guthrie, Okla., May 16. -- Senators Morris and Roddle engaged in a fist fight on the floor of the senate here yesterday as a result of Roddle calling Morris a liar. Senator Roddle sustained serious bruises on the head. Senator Brook, who intervened, was hit by the combatants.

Will Build New Railway.

Minneapolis, May 16. — It is announced that a new suburban electric line will be constructed without delay from Minneapolis to Medicine Lake, Minn., and later extended to Montevideo. It is planned to have cars in operation to Medicine Lake this summer.

Robbers Get $5,340.

Seattle, Wash., May 16.—It is officially stated that $5,340 represents the loss to the Great Northern Express company in the robbery of the company's strong box by two bandits in the Great Northern tunnel Tuesday.

Live Wire Brings Death.

Minneapolis, May 16.—Unrolling a piece of wire fencing, Charles Doward, an employe of the Crowley Fence company, backed into a broken electric wire carrying a tremendous voltage and was instantly killed.

Fall Kills Carpenter.

Muscatine, Iowa, May 16. — John Stoker, a carpenter of West Liberty, was instantly killed yesterday at Liberty by the breaking of a scaffolding.

TWENTY-EIGHT SHOT TO DEATH.

Awful Slaughter Follows Attempt of Russians Prisoners Break Jail.

Yekaterinoslav, May 15. — The attempt made yesterday by prisoners to break out of the government jail here after making a breach in the wall of the guard room with a bomb, was a complete failure, but it brought about a horrible scene of slaughter in and around the jail building. Twenty-eight of the prisoners were shot to death by the guard and another of them has since died of his wounds. Thirty others were wounded, and it is expected that several of these will succumb.

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CAPTURED & HUNG FAMOUS GUERILLA

Jack Goodwin, a veteran of the Civil war who resides at Key West Polk County, is said to be the sole survivor of the band of 20 picked men who in the spring of '65 captured the noted Guerilla, Sue Mundy in Louisiana and hanged him the next day after a brief court martial. They went down the river 20 miles from Brandenburgh, where Morgan crossed for his famous northern raid and located Mundy in a tobacco barn. It was supposed that he had quite a band of men with him, but most of the party was out foraging and the capture of Mundy and a famous Guerilla named McGruder was easily effected. Mundy at the time gave Goodwin his photograph which he has cherished ever since as a memento of one of his most thrilling experiences during the war.

PENNED AND PILFERED

The efficacy of the want ad. was proved to the satisfaction of the inmate of an Oklahoma jail. He wrote an ad. and then sent a personal letter to the editor. The editor made good and the man has his liberty. The ad. follows: "Wanted—Young man in jail wants out; suggestions solicited that might result in immediate release; want poet's address who wrote 'Stone Walls Do Not a Prison Make, Nor Iron Bars a Cage.' Address John L. Silber, Kay County Jail, Newkirk, Okla.

You can always tell a young husband from an old one. When a man has been married a few months, you will generally see him working in the garden or fixing up about the house and while he works he whistles or sings, or occasionally look up toward the window to see if anyone is watching him. A year later he is still working in the garden but the smile has been exchanged for a frown and he occasionally looks up towards the house wondering why in thunder breakfast is not ready. Another year rolls by and his looks would sour milk but he is still at work, stopping occasionally to kick the dog or throw a brick at the cat. The next year we find him sitting on the front porch, smoking a pipe, while his wife does the digging in the garden. Now just watch our young men, as one by one they are caught in Cupid's net and see if this rule does not work out the problem correctly.

Last Sunday morning John D. Rockefeller and his two grandchildren walked from his home on 54th street in New York to church at 46th street and of course there's nothin' strange about that, but listen. A private detective followed him very closely and kept all but intimate friends at a distance and a special patrolman was at the church and after meetin' he and the detective escorted Mr. Rockefeller home. Now I'd like to know what the big monopolist was afraid of. Farmer Ben cin come and go as he pleases but he don't have any detectives followin' him up. He calkerlates that he's got the same protection as any other well behaved citizen and he's safe in goin' round whether to church or the Gem. It must take off all relish for bein' over-rich by grabbin' and extortin' to live constantly in fear of your life so you can't have on minit of peace. I spose lots of these big rich fellows have double locks on their doors and special police watchin' their house all night long as well as day time and burglar alarms and all such while Farmer Ben sleeps with his door just latched and nothin' but the dog to watch around and scare the cats at night. And he can sleep like a top every night in the year without a shadow of trouble of bein' killed or robbed.—Farmer Ben in Mower County Transcript.

Many a man who feels big acts small.

NECESSITY OF STOPPING WASTE OF SOIL

Startling was the warning sounded yesterday at the conference of governors at the White House at Washington of the danger the nation confronts in soil waste and forest depletion. The governors listened and talked and applauded but took no action. This is left for today the last day of the conference.

The resolution committee was in session all day and will report today. A supplementary meeting of a number of the governors followed the day's session and a committee consisting of the governors of Kentucky Missouri and Nebraska was appointed to bring in a suggestion for a permanent organization of governors independent, perhaps of any other organization that may be formed by the conference. The president opened the morning and afternoon sessions which were thereafter presided over by Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota and Governor Deenen of Illinois respectively.

James J. Hill of the Great Northern, who led the long list of speakers treated the depletion of the nation's resources in a very impressive way. He presented the conditions respecting the mineral, soil and forest showing the waste in each instance and drew a picture of political chaos when all were gone, wherein the people would tear down the very pillars of the government. Mr. Hill believed such results could and should be averted by prompt action. Soil waste and forest conservation received expert treatment by Professor T. C. Chamberlain of Chicago, and R. A. Long of Kansas City, after which was evidenced the desire of the convention to engage in a general discussion. The demand to be heard was insistent and the same eagerness was manifested at the close of the afternoon program, which included an address on irrigation by Former Governor Pardee of California, a paper on grazing and stock raising, read for H. A. Jastro of California, who was taken ill during the day, and general observations land conditions in the west by former Senator Carey of Wyoming. Secretary Wilson met a hearty response to a practical talk on mistakes in farming and remedies. The same crop each year on the same land, as he showed was ruinous. Diversity of crops and keeping the proper quantity of organic matter in the soil, was the secret of larger production and a benefit to the land.

Many other men spoke along the same line.

FOUR CALVES WITHIN A YEAR.

Wisconsin Farmer's Bovine Bears Two Pairs of Twins.

Chetek, Wis., May 14. — Maynard Farr, a farmer living five miles east of this city, claims to own the most wonderfully productive cow in the United States. The animal is now supporting a family of four calves which are allowed to run with the mother in the field. The calves all were born within the last eleven months. There are two pairs of twins, each animal perfectly formed, healthy and thriving.

FINDS $680 IN OLD SOCK.

Wisconsin Girl Rummages in Rags in Abandoned House.

Stevens Point, Minn., May 14. — While rummaging in a pile of rags in an old house at Stockton, abandoned thirty years ago, Rose Tovey Doyle found $680 in bills and some coins tied in an old sock. It is believed to have been hidden there by her grandmother, who formerly occupied the house.

SECRETARY TAFT KEPT MOVING.

Not an Idle Moment During His Six Days' Stay on Isthmus.

Colon, May 14.—Secretary Taft sailed from here at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon on the Prairie of Charleston. During his stay on the isthmus, which has lasted six days, the secretary has not had an idle moment. So many affairs of importance had to receive his attention that he was unable to accept any of the social invitations extended to him. Secretary Taft's efforts were directed mainly to improvements in the administration of the canal zone, the consideration of the boundary dispute between Panama and Colombia, and the relations between Panama and Colombia and the United States.

While no official statement has been given out relative to much that has been accomplished, it is announced that a satisfactory agreement has been reached. The matter of the boundary line will ge taken up by Mr. Taft when he reaches Washington with President Roosevelt and Secretary Root.

From Over The Valley

WILD AND WOOLLY TIMES ON AT WAUBON

Anthony Bellcourt and some other Mahnomen sports came down for the ball game Wednesday and incidently to 'run the town." At a dance in the evening they tried to pick a quarrel but did not succeed. Yesterday Bellcourt attempted to shoot up the town and succeeded in lodging a bullet in the leg of Joe LaClaire whom he was trying to force to dance by pointing the gun at his feet. He was placed under arrest and Sheriff Blanchard came down and took him up to Mahnomen. We learn that he could not be held for any criminal charge on the warrant issued and he was taken before a justice and fined $40 and costs. There were two or three other persons who should have been arrested.—Waubon Forum.

GOOD ADVICE FROM A FARMER FROM IOWA

N. I. Nelson a retired merchant and banker of Lake Mills, Iowa, spent last Friday and Saturday in the city with V. M. Higinbotham. Mr. Nelson informed the editor he was most agreeably surprised with the country he saw in Lake Pleasant, Terrebonne and Poplar River townships, and added "It is hard to understand why an Iowa farmer will continue to pay high rent when such lands as these can be had so cheap. Why. such land would bring $100 per acre in my country." —Red Lake Falls Gazette.

THE ADA BRICK YARD MAY OPERATE THIS YEAR

The matter of making arrangements for the operation of the brick yard at this place is again receiving consideration. The latest proposition is to form a stock company composed of local business men and capitalized at $5,000. The machinery and the entire plant is in readiness for operation and the clay we have here is very good for brick making. If the additional machinery would not be well to engage in the manufacture of tiling.—Norman Co. Herald.

FERGUS FALLS DEPARTMENT HAS ELECTED DELEGATES

The Fergus Falls fire department has elected the following delegates to the state firemen's convention which will be held in Mankato June 9 10 and 11: E. H. Stark, chief; delegates at large, Fred Gast and Frank Irien, from the Pioneer Hose Co., No. 1: Julius Olson and Alfred Wessberg, from Wide-awake Hose Co., No. 2: Martin Carlson from Aetna Hook and Ladder Co.

CUT OFF TONGUES AND FEET.

Ameer of Afghanistan Warns Rebel Nations.

Simla, May 15.—As an earnest of his friendliness towards the British the ameer of Afghanistan has issued stringent orders against preaching a holy war under penalty of tearing out the offenders' tongues. He also has issued orders that all Afghans who join the recalcitrant border tribesmen shall have their feet cut off.

Killed by Train.

Two Men Meet Death at Winnipeg While Crossing Track.

Winnipeg, May 15.—Two foreigners, supposedly Galicians, were killed last evening at the Canadian Pacific railroad crossing on Logan avenue. They were running to catch a street car when run down by a train backing up on the crossing.

Run Down by Fast Train.

Marshalltown, May 15.—With a fast North-Western train bearing down upon them, a party of North-Western section hands near Montour jumped from a handcar to save their lives. All escaped save Charles Gleve, who was instantly killed. The men had been called to inspect the track during a storm.

J. H. Nightingale Is Head.

Duluth, May 15. — The Knights of Columbus of the state elected officers and delegates to the national convention at St. Louis and concluded their gathering here with musical and dancing parties in Elks' hall. J. H. Nightingale of Minneapolis was elected state deputy.

Barkeeper Sleeps; Burglars Steal.

Yankton, May 15. — While R. F. Peterka, a barkeeper for a firm at Utica, near here, was taking a nap a band of brigands entered the saloon and carried away five barrels of whisky and a cash register. No trace of the bold thieves or the goods.

Shoots Brother in Eye.

Waterloo, Iowa, May 15. — Little Roy Maile, aged eleven years, probably will lose the sight of his left eye from a gunshot wound inflicted a day or two ago by a younger brother.

Some absent-minded men ever forget that they are forgetful.

SOME EXCITEMENT ON AT BARNESVILLE

There was a little flurry of excitement and some feminine shrieking at the station yesterday morning just as the east bound limited was pulling out, occasioned by the fact that an elderly woman, partially paralyzed, was just boarding the train as it started to pull out and fell with considerable force to the platform pavement. It seems that she had stepped off the train to get something to eat at the lunch room and was being assisted to the steps of the coach when the signal was given the engineer to pull out, with the result as stated. A little boy with the lady, presumably her son, yelled at the top of his voice when he saw her fall so heavily, causing all eyes to turn in that direction. It was indeed fortunate that the woman did not fall beneath the wheels, as might easily have happened.—Barnesville Record-Review.

AN ECCENTRIC RESIDENT OF THIEF RIVER DEAD

Almon Wright, an old and somewhat eccentric resident of the East Side, died at his home on Saturday morning of congestion of the lungs, following Bright's disease, with which he had been sick for several weeks.

A twin brother from the state of Washington and a nephew from Chicago were notified and immediately came on to attend the funeral arrangements, they being the nearest relatives. The remain will be taken to Washington for interment.

The deceased was born in New York state in 1844 and was unmarried. He had lived alone in a rundown house on the east side for many years He was fairly well off in this world's goods. Reports have been circulated that $1500 in money were found in the house after the old man's death, but investigation has failed to conform this rumor and it probably grew out of the quite prevalent impression that the old man was miserly in his habits.—Thief River Falls Press.

LIGHTNING DOES DAMAGE NEAR FERGUS FALLS

In Pelican township near Fergus Falls, during the electrical storm that passed over that country Sunday evening, lightning struck Olaf M. Haugrud's barn, setting fire to it, and burned it to the ground in a few minutes. The lightning also killed a horse and a little colt that were in a box stall. Mr. Haugrud succeeded in getting the other horses and several head of cattle out. The barn was one of the largest and best put up in the country and was nearly new, having been built last summer. It was a frame structure 52x54 feet. Three sets of working harnesses, several tons of hay and a considerable amount of grain was burned. The value of the barn alone was about $1,500 and it was insured for $1,000 in the Oscar Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. The stock was covered by $200 insurance.

ECZEMA NOW CURABLE

All Itching Skin Diseases Which are Not Hereditary Instantly Relieved by Oil of Wintergreen

Can Eczema be cured?

Some physicians say "Yes."

Some say "No."

The real question is, "What is meant by Eczema" If you mean those scaly eruptions, those diseases which make their first appearance, not at birth, but years afterward, and perhaps not until middle age—then there can no longer be any question that these forms of Eczema are curable.

Simple vegetable oil of wintergreen mixed with other vegetable ingredients, will kill the germs that infest the skin. Apply this prescription to the skin, and instantly that awful itch is gone. The very moment the liquid is aplied, that agonizing, tantalizing itch disappears, and continued applications of this external remedy soon cure the disease.

We carry in stock this oil of wintergreen properly compounded into D. D. D. Prescription. While we are not sure that it will cure all those cases of skin trouble which are inherited, we positively know that this D. D. D. Prescription whenever rightly used, will cure every last case of genuine Eczema or other skin trouble did not exist at birth.

We know this. Anyway you, yourself, will know that D. D. D. Prescription instantly takes away the itch the moment it is applied to the skin. S. A. Wallace. Stop that itch today—instantly. Just call at our store and try this refreshing and soothing liquid; also ask about D. D. D. Soap.

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. Correct any constipation by giving small laxative doses of Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated.

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PENSIONERS INCREASING

OVER 48,000 DRAWING MONEY FROM UNCLE SAM IN THIS DISTRICT

A TOTAL OF 1044 ARE ON LISTS AS RESULT OF THE CIVIL WAR

From Saturday's Daily—

Acording to a report received by the Journal from F. H. Magdeburg, U. S. Pension Agent the following interesting facts regarding the pension drawers from this district are included:

At the close of business April 30th 1908, there were on the rolls of the United State Pension Agency at Milwaukee (comprising the states of Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota) 48,240 pensioners, as follows:

War of 1812—		
Widows		10
Indian Wars—		
Survivors		5
Widows		21
War with Mexico—		
Survivors		64
Widows		116
Regular Army—		
Invalids		340
Widows		52
Minors, dependents and helpless children		31
Civil War—General Law—		
Invalids		7,270
Widows		3,661
Minors, dependents and helpless children		443
Act of June 27th 1890—		
Invalids		7,426
Widows		7,979
Minors and helpless children		199
Act Febr. 6th 1907—		
Age 62 to 70	$12.00	
Age 70 to 75	15.00	
Over 75	20.00	19,330
Total Civil War pensioners		46,308
War with Spain—		
Invalids		1,044
Widows		40
Minors, dependents and helpless children		184
Army Nurses		25
Total pensioners April 30th 1908		42,240

This is a gain of 8 pensioners during the month of April notwithstanding a loss of 164 by death during the month of April 1908.

REAL ESTATE TAXES ARE ALMOST DUE

The last day of 1908 to pay real estate taxes without penalties added is Friday, May 29. The 30th is Memorial day, a legal holiday, and the 31st is Sunday so the 29th is the last business day before the penalties go into effect on June 1st.

Taxpayers have the option of paying half the real estate taxes before May 30th and the balance in October and this privilege is taken advantage of by the many property holders, particularly those whose taxes are large. The man whose taxes run up to but a few dollars usually prefers to clean up the whole matter at one fell swoop, providing he has the money.

Sometimes a girl refuses to scream when a young man attempts to kiss her because she doesn't want to frighten her mother.

SHERIFFS AFTER A FUGITIVE

SHERIFFS J. F. DONOVAN OF STEVENS COUNTY AND NELSON OF RED

LAKE COUNTY SCOUR RED LAKE IN A LAUNCH FOR JOHN ERNST

From Saturday's Daily—

Scanning under shading hand the broad waters of the lower Red Lake for a fugitive from justice, Sheriffs Donovan of Stevens county, Minnesota and Nelson of Red Lake county are steaming thru the watersways of the north in determined search.

Sheriff Donovan arrived in Thief River Falls last Wednesday and departed with Sheriff Nelson in a fast steam launch up the Red Laake River fifty miles into the interior to Lower Red Lake. John Ernst is at present an employee of the Grand Forks Lumber Company and is retrieving dead heads or watersoaked timbers from the waters of the northern streams.

He is charged with selling a large amount of mortgaged property in Stevens county.

The officials with their assistants have been searching the Lower Red Lake for three days from Red Lake Landing and Redby to the neck along the northeastern shores. They arrived today in the Upper Red Lake and will try to penetrate the vast fields of rushes and water growths that grow from its shallow depths to find the man they want.

It is believed that Ernst is located near Shotly today on the southern shore. The launch is steaming to that village at the present time.

The peculiar side of the whole matter is that the lumber company has been receiving reports from the gang with which Ernst is working and in which his name is included regularly.

NINTH DISTRICT BANKERS CONVENTION

THIEF RIVER FALLS IS TO ENTERTAIN THE MEMBERS ON MAY 29

The Ninth District Group Minnesota Bankers' associtaion is to meet in Thief River Falls on Friday, May 29th. It is anticipated that between sixty and one hundred bankers will be in atendance from a territory extending as far south as Fergus Falls and east to Bemidji.

A program is being prepared by the secretary, Mr. C. A. Baker, now of Ogema, and preparations are being made for entertaining and accommodating the visitors. This matter was taken up at a meeting of the Commercial Club of Thief River Falls and the committee on entertainment was instructed to act with the local bankers in preparing for the meeting. It is likely that a banquet will be given in the evening to such of the visitors as finde it convenient to remain.

Last year the convention was held at Fergus Falls and the members were royally entertained by the citizens of the Otter Tail city. Not to be outdone in hospitality it is up to Thief River Falls to do as well at least, and better if possible. They will make good.

Boy Lost

Hilmar Vikjord, son of Mr. and Mrs S. J. P. Vikjord of Crookston, Minnesota, who left his home—without the parents' knowledge—the ninth of April last was located at Fargo, N. D. on the ninth of May and returned home with his father. On the tenth of May he again disappeared, with anyones knowledge and without any apparent reason, and after he had faithfully promised his parents to remain at home.

He is fifteen years and a half old, five feet high, has dark brown hair and brown eyes and a deep voice. He wore a black sack coat, blue striped trousers, brown shirt, gray cap and low shoes and had a gold ring with three blue stones. He talks and writes English and Norwegian.

You are earnestly requested to assist in locating him and if found to take him in charge and notify us.

Respectfully,
—Mr. and Mrs. S. J. P. Vikjord,
509 Pleasant Ave., Crookston Minn.
Exchanges please copy.

Also the smile of beauty may be only skin deep.

BRYAN FAVORS DRAINAGE

NEBRASKAN ADDRESSES NATIONAL DRAINAGE CONGRESS ON SWAMP RECLAMATION

400 DELEGATES ATTEND BIG NATIONAL CONVENTION AT WASHINGTON

From Thursday's Daily—

In an address before the National Drainage congress which met at Washington, D. C., yesterday, William Jennings Bryan said he was heartily in sympathy with the movement for the reclamation of the swamp lands of this country thru drainage. Mr. Bryan arrived there early today to attend the conference of governors. More than four hundred delegates from all parts of the United States were present when W. S. Braddock of Wisconsin, vice president of congress called that body together. The congress will be in session three days. The speakers today included, besides Mr. Bryan, Secretary of the Interior Garfield, Senators Newlands of Nevada and Clapp of Minnesota, Representatives Randell of Louisiana and Burton of Delaware, Governor Blanchard of Louisiana, O. P. Austin chief of the bureau of statistics, and Col. P. Goodyear of Georgia. All the speakers expressed their hearty endorsement of the proposed scheme of reclaiming the swamp lands of the country.

Mr. Bryan expressed the opinion that the bringing of the swamp lands of the country into cultivation would mean a wonderful addition to the wealth of those sections and the wealth of the country at large.

Senator Clapp expressed his firm belief that legislation looking to the reclamation of swamp lands would pass congress and declared that he would give it his earnest support. Secretary Garfield outlined the work of his department with reference to reclaiming swamp lands and referred to his preparedness to undertake the work if congress so provided.

MUST HAVE $25 IN CASH.

Canadian Immigration Department Will Enforce Ancient Regulation.

Superior, Wis., May 16. — Head of the Lake boat lines that operate between here and Canadian points have received notice to take no passengers emigrating for Canada unless they are provided with $25 in cash. This is an old order revived because of the cheapness of labor in Canada.

Shoes Stolen From Cars.

Mason City, Iowa, May 16. — A wholesale robbery of freight cars was revealed when it was discovered that a consignment of shoes from a Minneapolis firm to Cedar Rapids business men had been broken into, the shoe removed and the boxes repacked perfectly. The loss will reach into hundreds of dollars.

To Make Syrup.

Faribault, Minn., May 16. — The Comercial club has accepted the offer of several Twin City capitalists to establish an amber cane syrup and stock food factory in this city. The company will be capitalized at $50,000. Contracts will be made for raising 350 acres of amber cane.

Six Pay for Breaking Lid.

Brainerd, Minn., May 16.—Thomas H. Beare, George Ridley, Adam Armstrong, Iver Holdem, George Hoyt and P. M. Johnson, all saloonmen, each paid a fine of $20 and costs in the municipal court for violating the Sunday closing law.

Man Burned to Death.

Winnipeg, Man., May 16. — While rescuing his wife and four children from his burning house at Kenova, J. A. Fortier was burned to death. The rest of the family escaped.

Only Three Get Papers.

Grand Rapids, Wis., May 14.—Under the new naturalization laws, which among other things requires at least ninety days' public notice of application for final papers by aliens, only three out of eight applicants were granted their petition for final papers of naturalization by the circuit court of this county on proper hearing at the opening of the spring term of the court yesterday.

Student Is Drowned.

Ann Arbor, Mich., May 14. — Edwin W. Stevison of Webb City, Mo., was knocked from a sail boat by a swinging boom yesterday and drowned in Whitesore lake. He was a freshman in the University of Michigan.

Explosion Kills Eight.

Havana, May 14.—An explosion of dynamite yesterday on the great Vinales highway, which is now being constructed in Pinar del Rio province, killed eight men and injured many others.

CAN'T BUILD THE DAM

LUMBER COMPANY ABANDONS WORK OF BUILDING THE DAM

QUITE A NUMBER OF FARMERS HAVE BIG DAMAGE SUITS AGAINST COMPANIES

From Saturday's Daily—

The crew of log drivers employed by the East Grand Forks Lumber company have abandoned the work of trying to dam up the new cut-off in the Red Lake river south of here. The bottom of the cut-off is all hardpan and it is impossible to drive down piling. The only way that a dam can be built is by putting in stone piers and this would prove very expensive, yet this will have to be done if logs are to be driven down the Red Lake river below Thief River Falls in the future.

The million feet of logs left high and dry in the one mile of the old river bed are now being dragged by men to the main river and this is proving very expensive work. That is the only way, however of getting them out.

The new cut-off in the river runs across the land of Hans Jacob Hanson and he does not want to donate his land for navigation purposes. Those who own farms on the one mile stretch of the river in which water does not flow, want the river back in its original place, as they had depended upon it for water for their stock, etc. It is understood that there is quite likely to be considerable litigation over the affair and some of the interested parties have engaged the services of Attorney G. Halvorson of this city. Demands are to be made upon the Crookston and East Grand Forks Lumber companies for damages and if not paid suits will be commenced. It is quite likely that Hans Jacob Hanson will refuse to allow the lumber companies to drive logs across his land, and in that event no logs could be floated down the Red Lake river until they settled with him —Thief River Falls Press.

STRAWBERRY SITUATION

HOME GROWN FRUIT WILL HARDLY RIPEN MUCH BEFORE 10TH OF JUNE

What kind of a crop will the Minnesota strawberry furnish this year? This is a question which fruit dealers are finding somewhat hard to answer. At the time of the recent frosts reports were made to the effect that the strawberry plants had been considerably damaged by the cold, but local dealers do not put a great deal of credence in these statements from the investigations they have been able to make on their own account. Further south and west the same frosts experienced here did a great deal of damage to fruit, especially of strawberries, as the plants were in blossom and the buds were nipped off, but here, while there were some early plants and blossoms, these were not very numerous, and the leaves which occurred will not interfere with the fruit bearing qualities of the plants. The strawberries however, will not be so early as it was thought a while back they might be, recent chilly weather having held the plants back. While there may be a few early berries in the first week in June, the crop will not generally ripen much before the 10th if June. While some berries have formed on the plants many of them are just in blossom at the present time.

Apples were not in blossom to sufficient extent to have suffered any damage. While pieplant was quite generally nipped only the leaves above ground were destroyed, and other leaves have grown up since and the home grown product is now excellent.

Just at present strawberry shipments are poor and the price has advanced over what it was at the end of last week. The best berries received here this season as well as the cheapest were those offered on the local market last week, but since then heavy rains in these states where the berries are now ripening have made the yield watersoaked and poor in quality, many of the berries being lost in shipment. In consequence the price has gone up.

Advices from all over the country as to the peach yield indicate that unless unfavorable conditions arise it will be unusually plentiful and good. The peaches are now all formed on the trees and with favorable weather conditions will come forward to a bountiful yield.

California cherries are now beginning to be quoted, but as yet the price is so high that few of them have been brought here.

JOHNSON FIRST AND ONLY CHOICE

Democratic Convention Instructs Delegates to Fight for Him at Denver.

NO RUMP CONVENTION HELD

Bryan Men Decide Not to Bolt—Attempt to Make Bryan Second Choice Is Defeated.

St. Paul, May 16.—The Democrats of Minnesota yesterday formally indorsed Gov. John A. Johnson as a presidential candidate, and at the same time, by a vote of 772 to 166, refused to declare in favor of W. J. Bryan as second choice. The following delegates at large and alternates were chosen:

Delegates at large — W. S. Hammond, St. James; Frank A. Day, Fairmont; F. G. Winston, Minneapolis; Swan Turnblad, Minneapolis; D. W. Lawler, St. Paul; T. D. O'Brien, St. Paul; Martin O'Brien, Crookston; A. C. Weiss, Duluth.

Alternates—J. E. Vanstrom, Yellow Medicine county; J. R. Conway, Becker; S. P. Nelson, Rock; John Morgan, Red Lake; Peter McCoy, Hennepin; Milo White, Jr., Fillmore; W. A. Burnet, Hubbard; Daniel Aberle, Ramsey.

District Delegates.

District Delegates — First, L. L. Brown, J. F. Cook; Second, J. C. Wise, L. A. Fritsche; Third, A. A. Poehler, J. A. Coller; Fourth, R. T. O'Connor, J. G. Armson; Fifth, E. J. Conroy, J. W. Pauly; Sixth, F. A. Silbert, John Reichert; Seventh, J. Driscoll, B. C. Farrington; Eighth, Martin Hughes, John Dwan; Ninth, C. A. Fuller, H. L. Shirle.

The followers of Mr. Bryan did not carry out the threat which had been made within the past few days, that they would bolt and hold a rump convention if their contests were defeated before the committee on credentials, or if they were not able to secure a partial indorsement of their leader. They made a sturdy fight for their man, and when they had been defeated remained quietly in their seats during the remainder of the convention.

Bryan in Platform.

The Johnson men were generous in their victory and declared in their platform that while they entertained an affection for and confidence in the integrity and and ability of William J. Bryan, they believed that Johnson was a man better calculated to bring success to the Democratic party, and was first entitled to the support of Minnesota.

The Bryan men did not make as great a fight before the committee on credentials as had been predicted. They did not seriously contest the vote of Hennepin county. They were awarded the delegation from Itasca county, and one-half the vote of Cottonwood county. In all other of the contests which they had declared they would make they either did not appear or were defeated.

No Second Choice.

It was a foregone conclusion that this would be the result, and they reserved their strength for a fight on the floor in favor of having Bryan declared the sole heir to the votes of Minnesota in the event of any political disaster overtaking Johnson in the Denver convention. Two of the nineteen members of the resolutions committee presented a platform plank to this effect, which they asked be made an addition to the platform. They did not move that it be substituted for the majority report, but Chairman Works declared that he would consider the minority report as an amendment, and the defeat of the Bryan faction came about on the motion to substitute the minoriay report for that of the majority.

Tribute to Johnson.

The fight at times waxed warm, while the debate on the platform was in progress, but there was nothing approaching disorder at any time.

Leaving all political questions aside, the convention was throughout a flattering tribute to Gov. Johnson. The enthusiasm for him was unbounded and sincere. Every mention of his name was instantly followed by a wild yell of delight, and the final adoption of the platform indorsing him and instructing the delegates to fight for him at Denver was followed by a demonstration of enthusiasm the loyalty of which any man might feel proud.

RED SOCKS POISON CORN.

Man Who Dons New Footwear Brings on Serious Affection.

Waterloo, Iowa, May 14. — A few days ago E. A. Edgington trimmed a corn with an ordinary pocketknife. He put on a pair of new red socks and within a few hours blood poisoning developed. He has been removed to the Presbyterian hospital for treatment and his condition is serious.

NAB SUSPECT MURDERER.

Martin Schwab Is Taken Back to Lake Benton by the Sheriff.

Ellsworth, Minn., May 14.—Martin Schwab, a transient butcher and barber, suspected of the murder of John Larensen at Lake Benton, Minn., Tuesday night, May 5, was arrested last night at Estherville, Iowa, and was taken to Lake Benton by the sheriff.

WILL CALL HALT TO PRODIGALITY

Governors Plan Prosperity for the American People of a Century Hence.

CONFERENCE AT WHITE HOUSE

Conservation of Natural Resources Will Be Topic for Three Days of Deliberation.

Washington, May 15. — Two ideas, destined to mark material progress in America's future, resulted from the first of the three days' conference at the White House, in which President Roosevelt, the governors of forty-four states, cabinet officers, supreme court judges, senators, representatives and experts are participating in efforts to reach conclusions on the best methods of conserving the natural resources of the United States.

The first is that a permanent organization by the states and the nation is necessary and will likely result from the present conference, to accomplish the end sought.

Would Accomplish Result.

The second — suggested by Secretary Root—is that there is no limitation by the constitution to the agreements which may be made between the states, subject to the approval of congress. The two ideas, fully developed, it is predicted, would result in the conservation of the energies and resources of the nation through uniform and unconflicting laws, both national and state.

There was no doubting the first climax of the day. It was the reception of the president.

Ovation to President.

He entered the East room on the minute of 11 o'clock, as the Marine band rendered the presidential honors. The governors arose; they clapped their hands, they shouted. Five hundred others took their cue, and the demonstration became tumultuous. Then followed a hush. The venerable Dr. Edward Everett Hale, chaplain of the senate, leaning one arm on the back of the chair on which the president was seated, read the Scriptures, the description of the fertility of the land promised the children of Israel, and followed it with a supplication for guidance in the present undertaking.

President Makes Speech.

President Roosevelt here began his explanation of the reason for the conference. His fifty-minute speech was many times interrupted by applause, and when he finally reached his point of praise to the inland waterways commission and declared with characteristic vigor that should congress neglect to perpetuate the commission, "I will do it myself," he "captured" the assemblage.

The president's speech ended the morning session. The governors and delegates were photographed with the president on the porch of the White House. The picture will also show William J. Bryan, Andrew Carnegie, J. J. Hill and Gustav Schwab, specially invited participants.

Gov. Johnson Will Preside.

The afternoon session proceeded at a rate that broke all speed regulations. The president finds it impossible to devote his entire time to the meetings, but he will call each session to order and then designate some governor to preside. This honor yesterday fell to Gov. Noel of Mississippi. To-day Gov. Johnson of Minnesota will wield the gavel.

It was from the utterances of Andrew Carnegie and those who followed him that the gravity of the problems to be considered was given weight. Two hundred years of coal supply and half that of iron was the prediction of the famous ironmaster.

Johnson Makes Lively Talk.

Gov. Johnson of Minnesota made a lively talk, in which he took issue with Mr. Carnegie's statement that wasteful methods prevailed in iron mining in the Lake Superior region and cheerfully assured that gentleman that "Mr. Hill would take issue with him on some things." Other speakers were John Mitchell, Dr. C. R. Van Hise, John Hayes Hammond and Secretary Root. The latter was received with as great enthusiasm as that accorded the president.

PROOF OF LAND FRAUDS.

California Official Is Taking Evidence to Washington.

San Francisco, May 15.—Lewis E. Aubury, state mineralogist of California, left for Washington Monday night with considerable documentary evidence bearing upon his charges that land frauds in this state affecting mineral lands have been upon so extensive a scale as to affect fully 3,000,000 acres of land and that federal officials and their agents have not properly attended to the unearthing of the frauds and punishing the guilty parties. Aubury is to confer, it is said, with President Roosevelt and Secretary of the Interior Garfield.

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A Spirit of Optimism

J. H. Griffin the industrial agent of the Great Northern sets a very good example for the people of this section of the country. No matter what the conditions are, no matter whether the weather is fair or foul, he is always looking on the bright side of things.

There is such a thing as being too optimistic. There is such a thing as over-playing your hand but on the other hand it is certainly a grand thing for any section of the country to have men such as J. H. Griffin who are continually looking on the bright side of things.

Mr. Griffin is on the road all the time. He has been in the Red River Valley for the past quarter of a century. His interests are here and they always have been. They probably always will be. He is satisfied with the outlook now and he has been satisfied with the outlook in the past. His judgment is better than the judgment of those who have had less experience.

Foreign Fortune Hunters

It is related that there is an American young woman who contemplates retiring from the world to some quiet retreat to conceal herself from the hordes of too importunate suitors that have pursued her from Europe, where she was travelling back to her native land, says the Duluth Herald.

Having learned this much, tho being denied the name of the young woman, it is hardly necessary to note that the story adds that she is not only desirable in every way as a young woman of brains and beauty and graces of character, but that she is very rich.

While it was necessary to tell us about the brains and beauty and graces, it was not necessary to add that she is wealthy, because the mere fact that she is haunted by a retinue of clamoring dukes and counts and things seeking her hand is evidence enough of the standing her fortune has in Bradstreets.

It seems that this auriferous young woman was left a large fortune by her father, and that when abroad some time ago she attracted the attention of a number of foreigners with very old titles and very dilapidated fortunes. We say "she attracted" from force of habit, tho everybody realizes that it was not she but her fortune that was the attraction, and that it would have proved just as potent if, instead of having brains and beauty, she had been brainless and homely. Without the brains, no doubt she would not have sought to escape the attentions of these clamoring individuals who wanted her to invest her father's money in the rehabilitaion of their fortunes and their castles and in financing their pursuit of pleasure.

Becoming seriously annoyed at this pursuit, this sensible young woman shook off her train of beggars and hurried back to her native New York. No use; they followed her, after trying in vain to soften her heart to their appeals by writing letters. It is said that she has been so pestered with the attentions of these fortune-hunters that in desperation she contemplates seeking some quiet spot where dukes, counts and things cannot find her.

It does not seem to have occurred to her to have appealed to the police. Most cities have ordinances in such cases made and provided. There are rules against begging, against vagrancy, and against suspicious characters. Policemen have been known to arrest men who have no visible means of support. Possibly a careful explanation of this American custom, which can hardly prevail abroad or there would not be so many penniless but titled pursuers of American fortunes to haunt the highways of Europe and to make the travels of sensible American girls hideous with their avaricious devotions, would have diminished her train.

But still there is still another way for this girl to protect herself. She need not move out of New York. Let her marry some good promising American young man, six feet tall and possessing about 180 pounds of clean bone and muscle. There won't be many impecunious counts dogging her about after that.

Horizon Is Clearing

In his last weekly letter Henry Clews notes several encouraging features in the business situation. Among other things he says:

The monetary future for instance, is clear of all important trauble for some months to come. Funds are superabundant, and likely to so remain owing to our imperfect system for contraction of the currency. Rates of interest are low in consequence, and will probably remain low until crop-moving begins in August. Such conditions are inflationary and, of course, stimulate gold shipments; $20,000,000 having already gone back since the panic. This movement causes no uneasiness in monetary circles; in fact, we could easily spare the $100,000,444 imported here during the panic without disturbance. Perhaps the most unpleasant feature in the money market is the rapidly growing Government deficit, which will compel a large withdrawal of public funds in depository banks. However as already stated, the money market has a clearer outlook than usual for three months ahead; and this is the most stimulating factor in stock market operations. The next bullish element is the crop situation. We are practically sure of a big winter wheat crop, probably the second best on record; for the harvest is only about two months distant, and recent abundant rains have well soaked the soil leaving the plant in high condition and comparaatively free from drouth. The condition of winter wheat is now so fine that a drop of 3 or 4 points in June or July would still give promise for a big crop. Conditions for planting spring wheat and corn are also very satisfactory, the soil being in excellent condition and favorable to a good start. Cotton, too, is beginning well, with the prospect of no reduction in acreage. All indications thus far have been on the side of a good harvest, altho occasionally temperature has been too low and precipitation too great. The chief drawback to the stock market is that free realization may take place unexpectedly at any time, prices having undergone a big advance. Railroad traffic is exceedingly dull, over 413,000 idle cars being reported at the close of April, which was the largest total on record. This means large decreases in gross earnings; but the railroads are making heavy cuts in expenses, and postponing improvemets, so that net results, while poor, are less so than was at one time expected. There are indications that the worst has been seen in general business, and that improvement will follow good crops and satisfactory nominations. Among the good features in business was the open reduction of prices in the iron trade. Secret cuts have been made for some time past, and the lower prices now established will probably result in stimulating orders Some improvement can also be noticed in the cotton goods trade in consequence of the readjustment which has taken place in that industry. The stock market has thoroly discounted all bad elements, and is now anticipating these better features. Operations in the stock market, however, must be conducted hereafter with increasing caution on top of present advanced prices. Owing to the reasons first stated there has been powerful manipulation; and while the market is under strong and capable management it is also specially exposed to unexpected drawbacks, because of its artificial character. As long as stocks remain in the present strong hands, however, no serious reaction is to be expected, but when they unload on weaker shoulders then look out.

Taft Back in Washington.

Washington, May 20.—Secretary of War Taft returned to Washington from Panama yesterday. The secretary conferred with the president last night and also talked with Secretary Root during the day about the boundary dispute between Colombia and Panama and other subjects.

Serious Results Feared

You may well fear serious results from a cough or a cold, as pneumonia and consumption start with a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs or colds and prevents serious results. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

Democratic Presidential Battle Score

The following table indicates the ideas of the Johnson managers as to the relative strength of Bryan and Johnson at this time, taking into consideration conventions which have been held and the prospects of conventions to be:

States	Bryan.	Johnson	Doubtful.
Alabama	22	0	0
Arkansas	0	0	18
California	0	0	20
Colorado	3	7	0
Connecticut	4	10	0
Delaware	0	6	0
Florida	10	0	0
Georgia	0	26	0
Idaho	6	0	0
Illinois	54	0	0
Iowa	26	0	0
Kansas	20	0	0
Kentucky	0	0	26
Louisiana	0	18	0
Maine	2	10	0
Maryland	0	16	0
Massachusetts	32	0	0
Michigan	14	14	0
Minnesota	0	22	0
Mississippi	20	0	0
Missouri	36	0	0
Montana	0	0	6
Nebraska	16	0	0
Nevada	0	0	6
New Hampshire	0	8	0
New Jersey	0	24	0
New York	0	78	0
North Carolina	0	24	0
North Dakota	8	0	0
Ohio	46	0	0
Oklahoma	14	0	0
Oregon	8	0	0
Pennsylvania	0	68	0
Rhode Island	4	4	0
South Carolina	0	0	18
South Dakota	8	0	0
Tennessee	0	24	0
Texas	36	0	0
Utah	0	0	6
Vermont	0	0	8
Virginia	0	24	0
Washington	10	0	0
Wisconsin	26	0	0
Wyoming	6	0	0
District of Columbia	0	0	6
Alaska	0	6	0
Other territories	0	0	24
Totals	461	389	152

Minister Russell Back.

New York, May 20—W. W. Russell, American minister to Venezuela arrived here on the setamer Caracas. Mr. Russell was accompanied by his family. He is home on a leave of absence.

A Good Suggestion

At the convention in Crookston last week many of the attending delegates spoke of holding the next democratic County Convention in this city. While the convention was in session every one was awful busy, being adjourned at 12 o'clock sharp, and all who attend conventions know what that rapid speed and dispatch means. After they adjourned it was fully talked with the County Committee and all were in favor of coming to this city next time. We can entertain them here, and as well and better than in Crookston. How many people live in Polk county never seen this city, would appreciate such an opportunity and the democrats are going to attend to this matter this year. It's a good move of the Commercial Club to push this convention idea to the front.—East Grand Forks Valley View.

Duluth must depend on Senator Nelson to secure an appropriation of $95,000 for the federal building which amount was estimated to be required by the treasury department.

The public buildings bill as passed by the house did not contain anything for Duluth altho Minneapolis and other Minnesota towns were well provided for.

Congressman Bede admitted tonight that he was well aware that there would be nothing for the Zenith City in the bill and further stated that he depended on the others to insert the item.

In taking this course it is considered that Bede took pretty desperate chances for the senate committee is opposed to inserting entirely new items in bills. Still Senator Nelson is quite certain that he will secure the sum desired inasmuch as it is considered necessary by the treasury department.

Two years ago this summer when the $125,000 was obtained for Duluth Congressman Bede was out of town at the time the public buildings bill came up, and left the matter in the hands of Congressman Stevens. The committee struck Duluth out when it reported the bill to the Senate but Mr. Stevens got busy with Senator Nelson and saved the item.

The senate committee on public buildings and grounds expects to complete the bill tomorrow. Senator Nelson is a very busy man, having an important meeting of the judiciary committee to attend but he has promised to do all possible for Duluth.

$50,000 CASE THROWN OUT.

Plaintiff Non-suited in Action Against Powder Company.

Washburn, Wis., May 17.—The case of Former City Clerk R. A. Herin against the E. I. du Pont du Nemours Powder company was suddenly brought to a close here yesterday, when the motion for non-suit made by the defendant's attorney was granted by the court.

Hering was suing the dynamite company for $50,000 for injuries received while at work at the company's plant near this city last fall.

ADMIT FISH DYNAMITING.

Two Men Arrested Pay $25 Each for Their Illegal Sport.

Fergus Falls, Minn., May 17.—Deputy Game Warden J. H. Jones of this city swore out warrants charging Charles Clark and Godfred Koch with dynamiting fish in the Leaf river, in the town of Bluffton. They exploded charges of dynamite under water, and standing some distance below gathered in the fish as they floated down stream. They pleaded guilty and paid fines of $25 and costs each.

Two Killed in Collision.

Muskogee, Okla., May 17.—A passenger train on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad collided head-on three miles north of Muskegee at noon yesterday with a through freight. Two trainmen were killed and fifteen passengers injured.

County Fair Managers Meet.

Madison, Wis., May 17.—County fair managers of Wisconsin met here yesterday and formed a permanent organization to be known as the Association of Wisconsin Fairs.

Minneapolis Men in Jail.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 17.—Upon being called "scab" by an Iowa Central striker, Louis Dorwoy, a Minneapolis strikebreaker, pulled a butcher knife, it is alleged, and attempted to cut his tormentor. He was arrested. Steve Mercure of Minneapolis also was arrested.

Scalping Is Fatal.

Sioux Falls, S. D., May 17.—As the result of being literally scalped and otherwise injured, Albert Gallup, a farmer of Worthing, died in a Sioux Falls hospital. The farmer received his injuries while his horses were running away.

Two Men Drowned.

Sanborn, Iowa, May 17. — While boating at Lake Milwaukee, Lee Richardson and Ames Hendricks, two well known citizens of Sanborn, were drowned last night.

TORNADO SPREADS DEATH.

Terrific Storm in Louisiana Razes Villages and Kills Many.

New Orleans, May 19. — A tornado swept across the central portion of Louisiana late Saturday. The town of Chatignier, about 150 miles northwest of New Orleans, was practically wiped off the map. Chatignier was a place of about 100 inhabitants. Two were killed and the injured will reach a total of a score or more.

Plaquemine Ridge, a village in St. Landry parish, is in ruins; three persons are dead and a dozen injured. Every house in that neighborhood was demolished by the tornado. A child of E. Richards and an unknown man were crushed to death.

STOPPED AT BORDER.

Canada Doesn't Want Men Looking for Work.

Port Arthur, May 19. — The first unemployed from the states were sent back to Duluth yesterday. Immigration Officer Burres received instructions that only passengers arriving from American ports with $25 and a ticket to their destination could come into Canada. The steamer Moore, arrived yesterday with thirty foreigners who are here to seek work. Only one could show the required amount and the rest were returned.

"HOBO" AND WIDOW IN JAIL.

Check for $1,033 Is Cause of Arrests at St. Louis.

Sa. Louis, May 17.—George D. Merryman, until recently a lieutenant of James Eads How, philanthropist and self styled "hobo," and Mrs. Frances Chappell, a widow, are held at police headquarters pending investigation of a charge that a check for $1,033, deposited by Merryman with a trust company, is worthless.

It is alleged that Merryman drew the check.

Blazing Oil Covers Woman.

St. Paul, May 20. — Showered with blazing oil as the result of the explosion of a gasoline stove yesterday, Mrs. A. Hanson was baly burned about the face and body before the flames could be extinguished. The burning oil set fire to the house, which was damaged to the extent of $200.

Killed in Runaway.

Northampton, Mass., May 20.—In a runaway accident last night Miss Ethel Burroughs of Summerville, a member of the senior class of Smith college, was thrown from a carriage and instantly killed.

CONDITIONS SATISFACTORY

S. A. CHALLMAN INSPECTOR OF GRADED SCHOOLS GIVES A GOOD REPORT

IS JUST COMPLETING WORK OF INSPECTION OF NORTH COUNTRY SCHOOLS

From Wednesday's Daily—

S. A. Challman inspector of State Graded Schools for Minnesota spent last evening in the city and left this morning for Kennedy.

To a representative of the Journal Inspector Challman stated that conditions in the schools of the northern part of the state were highly gratifying. He said among other things:

The schools are well equipped and the teachers employed are high class. There seems to be a general disposition to make the schools as efficient as possible and no trouble or expense is spared in equipping the schools properly.

"There is also a most admirable interest taken on the part of school boards. The members are almost without exception showing an active interest in their work, a personal interest that means so much for the future of the schools of Minnesota.

"The schools of Northern Minnesota need no apologies offered in their behalf. They are fully up to the standard."

HOME NEWS

Of Interest to Everyone in Crookston

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places, who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all". But here in Crookston we only publish statements made by Crookston people—the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Noel Herbert, carpenter, of 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and totally unfitted me for any exertion, there being times when I had to be helped about. I at last heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box at S. A. Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before I noticed that my back was gradually getting stronger. My trouble son entirely left me and I have not felt a vistage of it since. Doan's Kidney Pills are a most valuable remedy and I give them my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 nearly six years later Dec. 2nd, 1904 he added:

"Doan's Kidney Pills so completely relieved me of kidney trouble six years ago that there has been no return of it. It is a pleasure to again endorse them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other

$500,000 FIRE AT OMAHA.

Old Plan of Omaha Packing Company Is Destroyed.

Omaha, Neb., May 17. — The old plant of the Omaha Packing company, South Omaha, was destroyed by fire last night, together with 3,000,000 pounds of meat, involving a loss estimated at $500,000. There was stored in the burned building 2,200,000 pounds of pork and 800,000 pounds of beef, most of which belonged to the Omaha company. The ice plant was also destroyed.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

IMPROVEMENTS AT ERSKINE

WAVE OF "CLEAN UP" AND "FIX UP" STRIKES THAT VILLAGE

OTHER ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM PROSPEROUS EAST COUNTY TOWN

Special to the Journal:

Erskine, Minn., May 20, 1908—A general clean up and fix up wave has struck our fair village of late. Among those painting their residences and places of business are Torger Nelson, Nels Swanson and Gilbertson & Espeseth, E. M. Johnson is putting a new roof on his restaurant.

A new brick block is going up between E. N. Johnson's restaurant and Larson's drug store. Peter Gulbranson is the owner of the new brick block and will move his hardware into same as soon as completed.

The Ladies Aid of the Synod church met at Gunder Steenerson's place last Wednesday. Very many were present and the day was spent to advantage to the society. The lunch served was very inviting.

Last Thursday a new gasoline launch was added to our lake facilities. The launch was made by Mr. Brandt of Fosston and our genial editor, Mr. Hole is the proud owner of the lake speeder.

Some exciting races are expected between the sailboat, "Helen" and the launch.

A new lake dock is soon to be built as contributions for this are coming in satisfactorily. This will be welcomed by all and will be a drawing card to our advancing lake resort.

The Literary Society of the school met today and elected the following new officers for the ensuing two weeks:

President, Anna Braten.
Vice President, Mabel Berg.
Sec., Oscar Nelson.
Treas., Clara Finsan.

The meeting also decided to give a program the last Friday of school.

The concert given by Daniel Aakus last Saturday was fairly attended and had the weather been better no doubt a large crowd would have been in attendance. Those that heard the celebrated young violinist say it was a treat and would never miss a chance of hearing him.

Miss I. Espeseth and Miss Hanson of Bagley spent Saturday and Sunday with the folks of the former. They returned Sunday evening to assume their duties as teachers in the Bagley schools.

ELEVEN CARS OF HORSES SHIPPED IN

DITCH CONTRACTORS SHIP THEM IN FROM SOUTHERN PART OF THE STATE

Eleven carloads of horses have arrived in this city during the past week from the southern part of Minnesota and Iowa. They have been shipped in by ditch contractors thru the north country and will be utilized where the nature of the work will not suit a dredging machine. Notwithstanding the increase of the dredging machine the horse is still holding its own on ditch work and that combined with the need of horses during the winter in the woods has drawn a number of shipments into this territory from the horse breeding centers. The horses are utilized on shallow and short ditches and branches.

Women go to fortune tellers so that if any of it should come true their faith in them would be vindicated.

There will be a
New Opportunity
Tomorrow.

but the man who accomplishes the most in this world is the manwho takes "as his own" the opportunity presented today

Open a checking account with us, systematize your affairs, have a record of all your financial transactions, When you pay your bills by check you have a legal receipt.

Save trouble over disputed payments by starting your account today. We make no charge for keeping the record—or for check or pass books.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST
BANK IN NORTHWESTERN
MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

May 18 In History.

1804—Napoleon Bonaparte elected emperor of France by the senate.
1864—Nathaniel Hawthorne, distinguished American novelist and sketch writer, died; born 1804.
1900—Mafeking relieved by the British army after a siege of 217 days.
1904—Ion Perdicaris, an American citizen of Greek nationality, kidnaped in Tangier by the bandit Raisuli.
1907—Edward H. Conger, who was United States minister to Pekin during the Boxer troubles, died at Pasadena, Cal.; born 1843.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:09, rises 4:35; moon rises 10:04 p. m.

BROUGHT IN PRODUCE—Mr. and Mrs. John Michaelson of Euclid drove down today with produce for the local market.

GOT BANK BUILDING—C. A. Turner of Crookston received contract by lowest bidder on prospecvtive bank building at Elizabeth in Otter Tail county. The bids were awarded on Saturday.

STORK BRINGS BOY—Mr. and Mrs H. R. Jones, 211 East Fourth St., are the happy parents of an 8 pound boy which the stork brought this morning. All are doing well.

ON SURVEY MATTERS—Alex Gray left this morning for McIntosh and Maple Lake where he has some survey matters to attend to for a few days.

VERY ILL—Mike Sullivan, employed behind the mahogany at C. C. Hoch's place on Main street was taken to the hospital yesterday having been taken very ill.

Kodol completely digests all classes of food. It will get right at the trouble and do the very work itself for the stomach. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

RAIN COVERS FIELD—John Hagen returned thru the city this morning from Fargo on his way home to McIntosh after a visit below. He says the fields along the Halstad line are' pretty well covered with water after last night's rain.

TO FEDERAL COURT—Frank Cajine with a party of Indians from Mahnomen arrived in the city last evening and departed south where they will appear before the federal court at Fergus Falls on matters connected with Indian land on the White Earth reservation.

ON SAD MISSION—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Samson of Kittson, left Friday evening last for Osseo where they were called suddenly by the death of a brother of Mr. Samson's. They will remain there about a week. They were accompanied by their daughter Pearl who they will take to Minneapolis to have her eyes treated by a specialist.

LEAVES FOR ST. PAUL—Frank Pott, the well known and popular tonsorial artist who has been at Braley's parlors for some time past, and who before his employment there was with C. E. Misner, will leave the city Wednesday for Minneapolis where he will accept a position. During his stay here he has made a host of friends who will sincerely regret his departure from the city but who will wish him every success in his new location

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small, safe, sure and gentle little pills. Sold by A G. Andersen.

Early last evening following a heavy rainfall there was a heavy fall of hail at Grand Forks and vicinity. The hail was so heavy that one could scoop it up by the handful. It was small however, and as there was no wind practically no damage was done. The report that there was a large amount of glass broken was erroneous as there was not a pane of glass broken as far as can be learned.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

May 19 In History.

1536—Queen Anne Boleyn beheaded on the Tower green; birth date unknown.
1762—Johann Gottlieb Fichte, German philosopher, born; died 1814.
1780—"Dark day" in New England.
1795—Josiah Bartlett, "signer," member of the convention of 1787 and governor of New Hampshire, died; born 1729.
1896—Kate Field, lecturer and journalist, died; born 1840.
1906—George McNeil, noted labor leader, called the "father of the eight hour day," died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:10, rises 4:34; moon rises 11:05 p. m.; 8:18 a. m., moon at perigee, nearest approach to earth; 3:26 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus, passing the planet from west to east.

BAD STORM—Reports from the Greenbush line indicate that the people of that country suffered the worst storm of years Sunday last.

BACK TO WORK—Guy Monroe returned this morning to Fowlds after spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

APPOINTED ADMINISTRATOR—Mrs. Susie Westrem, widow, was appointed administrator in the estate of Hans Westrem who died some time ago in the township of Grand Forks.

DRIVES FROM BEMIDJI—Wilbur Hall drove down from Bemidji yesterday with a good lot of work horses which he will put to work on one of his ditches.

LOOKED OVER LAND—T. A. Potter and C. T. Haskett of Mason City Iowa, arrived in the city this morning from the south and looked over properties that they have near this place.

FOR OPERATION—Miss Eva Johnson of St. Hilaire in company of her father and sister, passed thru the city last evening on her way to Rochester Minnesota, where she will undergo operation.

HAS RESIGNED POSITION—Wm. Heinz who has been employed at the Cleveland House for some time past yesterday resigned his position and will enjoy a vacation of at least a month before he accepts another position. He is a most capable man and may accept a position in Crookston.

HOME FROM ST. PAUL—J. C. Sabin, the well known travelling man returned this morning from a visit to the home folks at Minneapolis and did not forget to tell about the fact that yesterday Minneapolis managed to put it all over St. Paul on the baseball diamond.

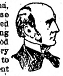
A NEW BARBER—Guy McMahan, the well known tonsorial artist of Warren this morning started work at the Braley parlors. The statement made in yesterday's paper to the effect that Frank Pott was going to Minneapolis to accept a position was in error.

MANAGER HERE—District Manager W. G. Miller of Grand Forks of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen arrived in the city this morning. He plans to increase the membership of the lodge and will donate $200 to any local public institution desired if he secures 100 members; if he secures 60 or over he will donate $100 to any local public institution desired.

ENJOYING A VACATION—T. E. Biever and Henry Tiedt left this morning for Argyle and after visiting there with relatives and friends will stop off at Euclid for a day or two. They recently sold out their pool room across from the Hotel Crookston on Broadway, to J. F. Verreaux, who formerly conducted the box ball alley just north of the Auditorium. Messrs. Biever and Tiedt are both well known residents of the city, and are pioneer residents of Polk county both having been for years located at Euclid. Mr. Verreaux, their successor will without doubt do a thriving business as he is well known in the city and at the same time can be depended upon to treat the patrons of the place in a manner that will result in all the friends of the place continuing their patronage.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

May 20 In History.



John Stuart Mill.

1498—Vaso da Gama, noted Portuguese navigator, reached Calicut by doubling the Cape of Good Hope. The discovery of the new route to India was an event in commercial history second only to the discovery of America.
1806—John Stuart Mill, English philosopher and political economist, born; died May 8, 1873.
1834—Marquis de Lafayette died; born 1757.
1902—E. L. Godkin, noted American editor, died at Brixham, England; born 1831.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:11, rises 4:33; moon rises 11:58 p. m.; 8 a. m., planets Venus and Neptune in conjunction, Venus passing from east to west; annular eclipse in northern states, passing over Saratoga Springs; next annular eclipse, June 28, visible in Florida.

A NEW BORN—H. Cohen the well known pawnbroker on Second street is the proud father of a boy. The stork called Sunday morning. Both boy and mother are doing well.

OLD TIMER HERE—Mike Moran, one of the old timers of Grand Forks who operates a brickyard at East Grand Forks, has returned home after a business trip to the city.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the ills so common in hot weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

IMPROVING STEADILY—Mrs. Alfred Bjoin who has been confined in the Bethesda Hospital for the past few weeks is improving steadily. It is expected that she will be taken to her home in the next few days.

LOOKING AFTER DAM—C. W. Rickard of the Grand Forks Lumber Co., was in the city this morning enroute to Thief River Falls below where the company has had all manner of trouble with logs owing to the fact that the Red Lake River has changed its course this spring.

VISITING AT STATE FARM—Mr. Detwiller, the assistant superintendent in the Horticultural department at the State school at St. Anthony Park is spending the day at the State Experimental farm here the guest of Supt. and Mrs. Wm. Robertson.

HERE FROM DAKOTA—Knute and Arne Johnson of Plaza, N. D., spent yesterday in the city on business and returned to their home this morning.

UNCLE DIES IN WISCONSIN—Conductor Will Clark of the Duluth line passenger has gone to Wisconsin to atend the funeral of an uncle who died a few days ago. During his absence Conductor P. C. Keeley is on his run.

WILL INSTALL FOUNTAIN—A. J. Johnson left this morning for Maple Lake where he will install the new soda fountain in the building being erected by Chas. Rapin which is rapidly nearing completion. The fountain is a very neat one.

LOOKING FOR SHELTER—Supt. Sheffield of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co., left this morning for Lengby. He stated that he wanted to get out where it was sandy and also get the benefit of shelter from the trees

RALPH HERE—State Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph arrived in the city this morning from St. Paul and Aitkin at which last place he and JJulius Schmahl secretary of state held a live meeting. Mr. Ralph will remain in this vicinity for a few days looking after the Grand Marais and other ditch matters.

IMPROVEMENT CONTINUES—Mike Sullivan who was yesterday removed to his home from St. Vincent Hospital continues to improve and Dr. Randolph, who is waiting on him believes that he will be able to leave the house in the course of a few days Acute stomach trouble was the cause of his being taken to the hospital.

MATERIAL IMPROVEMENTS—Material improvements can be seen on Lincoln Ave., Jeromes addition in the way of cement walks. Practically everything on that street now is cement. There is hardly a board walk to be found and the manner in which the berms and walks are fixed up is a credit to the people of that section of the city.

OUT OF HOSPITAL—Mrs. Gunsten of Erskine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Swan Ness of this city who has been receiving treatment in St. Vincent hospital in this city for some time past, has been discharged and returned to her home this morning. She was accompanied home by her sister Miss Valbord Ness who will visit there for a few weeks.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

HEAVY HAIL AT HAROLD

BIG STORM TOOK PLACE THIS MORNING AT HAROLD STATION

SOME OF STONES WERE THE SIZE OF BIRD'S EGGS—GLASS BROKEN

From Wednesday's Daily—

This morning at 11 o'clock there was a heavy hailstorm in the vicinity of Harold station, the first station south on the Northern Pacific. Hailstones fell thick, and many of them were the size of a good sized bird's egg.

Because of the heavy wind much glass was broken in the farm houses in that section on the east and north sides of the dwellings, but otherwise no damage was done, as vegetation was not far enough advanced to be harmed.

KING JAILED AT STONY MOUNTAIN

FORMERLY WANTED HERE IN JOHN KING ROBBERY CASE

Oliver King, formerly of East Grand Forks and lumberjack in the north woods, wanted here last fall as witness in connection with the alleged robbery by John King in an East Grand Forks resort, is jailed for passing a forged draft on a fellow passenger on a train at Stony Mountain, Manitoba. He is in for 2 1-2 years. His partner is jailed for 3 years. He offered an old gentleman on the train a draft for fifty dollars as security for a loan of fifteen dollars stating he had some cattle on a train he wished to take off and feed and had no money with him.

DIED BACHELOR $2,500 DEPOSITED

CARL OTTO NELSON OF FERTILE HAS RELATIVES IN SWEDEN

Carl Otto Nelson of Fertile who died March 12th last while working for the Thorpe Elevator at Minneapolis had $2500 on deposit in a Fertile bank without a living heir in this country. He also owned considerable property Petition is made today before the probate court by J. A. Gregerson of Fertile that A. F. Cronquist the banker at Erskine be appointed administrator of the estate. The deceased has five brothers and one sister at Skittingsfors, Sweden.

SHERIFF ON WAY TO SEE JOHNSON

A requisition for George Simmons who is being held at Warren on a charge of burglarizing the Colosky store at Manvel, N. D., was received from Bismarck yesterday and this morning Sheriff O. G. Hanson left for St. Paul where he will seek to have the papers honored by Governor John A. Johnson. It is believed that Governor Johnson will grant the necessary papers and Simmons will be returned to North Dakota within a few days.

THE REST OF HIS TIMBER BURNED

Geo. O'Reilly this morning received a letter from Will Hahn of Argyle stating that the recent forest fires up north had completed the devastation of the timber on Mr. O'Reilly's timber claim which is situated between Warroad and Roseau. Last year a fire burned about half of the timber off the O'Reilly claim and the recent fire finished it. Mr. Hahn owns the adjoining claim and he also lost all of his timber.

BROKE HER ARM—Little Eva Fairchild was the victim of a peculiar and serious accident yesterday afternoon while on her way home from school, when she tripped on a shoe string which had become untied and fell, breaking her arm. The little girl knew that she was badly hurt but neither she nor her playmates realized at the time that her arm had been broken. When she reached her home on South Fourth street a doctor was hastily summoned and the extent of the injury discovered. The fracture was a serious one but the little girl was resting as easily as could be expected.—Grand Forks Herald.

RALPH REPORTS ON CANAL

BIG MEETING WAS HELD THIS WEEK AT AITKIN BY OFFICIALS

ENGINEER GEO. RALPH AND SECRETARY OF STATE SCHMAHL ATTENDED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Secretary of State Schmahl and Engineer Ralph of the state drainage board were in Aitkin Tuesday and yesterday for the purpose of examing the Gun Lake state ditch, nine miles northeast of here and the proposed Waldeck-Pine Knoll cutoff canal. They will recommend that the state board deepen the Gun Lake ditch.

On their return to Aitkin Engineer Ralph made a report on the survey of the Waldeck-Pine Knoll cutoff canal, which has been awaited for months. The engineer figures that the canal must have a carrying capacity of 7,000 cubic feet per second and to accomplish this it would have to be ninety-six feet wide at the top, sixty-eight feet at the bottom and eighteen feet deep on the average. The length would be seven miles. The estimated cost would be approximately $165,000 and the estimated benefits $180,000 on the basis of there being 45,000 acres to be benefitted. The engineer's estimate is believed to be low. Major Abbott, who made a survey of the same route ten years ago estimated that 100,000 acres would be affected and that the increased value per acre would be $27.50 per acre, or total of $2,750,000. Major Abbott's plan contemplating lining the canal with timber. Mr. Ralph does not figure that this is necessary, as the bottom would be in blue clay all the way and the danger from erosion would not be great. The report will be carefully considered by the property owners before any action is taken.

Mr. Schmahl made a brief address in which he stated there was great need for drainage in the north country and he also stated that he had seen land on his visit to the state ditch that was wonderfully rich. He promised the most hearty co-operation of the state drainage board.

RETURNS FROM PEG WITH KOPANG

SHERIFF GONYEA MAKES QUICK TRIP AFTER EXTRADICTED FUGITIVE

able to secure his release, Sheriff Gonyea of Polk county as embodying the authorities of two governments could chase that individual from the Mexican border to the north pole and command the police of two governments and the territorial authorities of Alaska as well as the Philippines and the isle of Hawaii in the Pacific.

Lindsey of Winnipeg

A good deal depends on the co-operation of the police in the apprehension of criminals and Sheriff Gonyea says of Colonel Lindsey, the governor of the provincial jail at Winnipeg that he is the finest gentleman who ever kept an organized jail.

When first seen by Mr. Gonyea this trip Kopang said he would not come, extradition or no extradition. But the governor of the jail told him that if he did not go the whole police system of Manitoba would be at the beck and call of the authorized representative of the government to see that Mr. Kopang reached United States territory. Kopang made no further resistence.

Sheriff Louis Gonyea returned last evening on the 7:10 train from Winnipeg bringing with him in handcuffs Paul Kopang wanted for the forgery of checks at East Grand Forks last fall. Kopang has been obstinately fighting his transfer into this city since first arrested and held in Winnipeg for being a fugitive from justice Upon the arrival of the government papers at Winnipeg however he gave up the ghost and came to Crookston for trial without further resistance. His hearing came up at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Paul Kojang when arraigned before Judge McLean this afternoon waived examination and was held to the district court under $500 bonds which he was unable to furnish and was committed to the county jail.

Officer of Two Countries

Sheriff Gonyea appeared before the authorities at Winnipeg on his visit to get Kopang and bring him to this city as the officer of the Dominion of Canada in Canadian territory and the officer of the United States of America on American territory.

Mr. Gonyea carried these warrants with him and has them now. The first paper secured by him and the first step toward the extradition of Kopang was performed when Governor Johnson clothed him with the authority of the state and sent him to Washington. At Washington over the signature of President Roosevelt Mr. Gonyea was given a warrant as authority of the United States government. The papers signed by the president were sent to A. B. Aylesworth, minister of justice at Ottawa and that official in turn gave to Mr. Gonyea the authority of a police of the Dominion government for the taking and conveyance of Paul Kopang to the borders of the Dominion.

Authority of Two Rulers

If Kopang had broken from the Winipeg jail or his friends had been

HARD WHEAT IN THE WEST

LEAGUE FORMED TO KEEP FAMOUS HARD WHEAT UP TO STANDARD

WILL PREVENT SOFT WHEAT FROM GAINING ANY GROUND

From Wednesday's Daily—

Millers of North Dakota and northern Minnesota met in Grand Forks yesterday and perfected the organization of the Hard Spring Wheat league for the purpose of keeping the variety of wheat termed hard northern wheat up to its present standard of value and reputation in the world's markets.

Campaign of Education

The league proposes to carry on a systematic campaign of education among the farmers to influence them to raise the hard northern varieties and to encourage the use of its product by the population in this particular section.

The following officers were elected:

President—J. A. Dunn, Park River.

Vice President—B. W. Stevenson, of Mandan.

Sec. and Treas.—E. Van Houten, Moorhead.

With the above officers F. H. Chapman, of the Russell-Miller Milling company, Grand Forks and J. J. Padden, of Red Lake Falls, will constitute the executive committee.

The league voted to work in conjunction with the experiment stations of North Dakota and northern Minnesota in exploiting the hard wheat principle.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by A. G. Andersen.

What makes the season of real enjoyment is it isn't opera.

WINNIPEG FLYER WENT IN DITCH

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening a short distance this side of Winnipeg the Great Northern flyer was wrecked, the engine, baggage car express car and day coach going into the ditch. The train was delayed for about nine and a half hours arriving here at 7:45 this morning instead of 10:15 last evening according to schedule.

Fortunately there was no one injured but the fireman. The fireman and engineer looked out the cab window and noticed that the three cars were jumping the rails. The fireman jumped and hit on his head and shoulders and is reported very seriously injured but it is not thought that he will die. The engineer stuck to his post and escaped without injury altho the engine turned a complete summersault. The baggage, express and day coach were badly smashed also, but the balance of the train was not damaged to speak of, the observation coach escaping injury entirely.

That none of the passengers were injured in the wreck is little less than a miracle. The train was heavily loaded and there were many women and children aboard. When the train went into the ditch there was somewhat of a panic, tho the greater number of the passengers did not know what the trouble was until it was all over.

It was another case of Great Northern luck.

A SCHOOL FIGHT ON

FARMERS OF HELGELAND AND BRANDT TOWNSHIPS BEFORE COMMISIONERS

PETITIONERS CLAIM SCHOOL TOO FAR TO ACCOMMODATE THE CHILDREN

From Thursday's Daily—

Ole Peterson and Oscar Haugild of Brandt town and Hans L. Sande and Johannes Gjerde of Helgeland town are before the county commissioners today representing the petitioners for a school district to be set aside from districts 240 and 229 in the towns of Helgeland and Brandt.

G. E. Arhaug, Andrew Olson, B. E. Arhaug, A. L. Rud and Elling Olson of the town of Helgeland are opposing the petition before the commissioners. They claim doubt as to the required number of children of school age in the proposed district, legally of circulating the petition and say they have 2 school houses now in 229 (one on SW section 20 and another on NE 22, both in Helgeland) which they claim is enough.

The petitioners maintain that they have to send their children in some cases over three miles to school which operates as a boycott on account of weather conditions in the winter and need of help in the summer.

Engineers Appointed

Engineers were appointed in two new ditches one near Nielsville about five miles long, Engineer Hinds, viewers Th. Thorkelson, John Saugstad and I. I. Berg, ditch petitioned for by John G. Olson and others; another very short ditch in Lowell, Ole Hamery, engineer, viewers Erick Samuelson, Jos. Lariviere and Jos. Sauve, petitioned for by N. C. Hanson and others.

Bridge Over Judicial No. 1

Petition was presented to the commissioners from H. J. Beardsmore in Sandsville town for bridge over judicial ditch No. 1 between the towns of Farley and Sandsville.

G. H. Horn, chairman of the town board of Keystone is also looking up a bridge in his town.

From Friday's Daily—

The county commissioners yesterday granted the petition setting aside the new school district 279 from school districts 229 and 240. The decision was followed by some fireworks, the opponents of the petition who had gathered in the commissioners' room to fight the grant charging that Ole Peterson one of the signers of the petition was not a freeholder in the town of Brandt and therefore was a fraudulent signer of the petition. Peterson replied that he signed for his wife who is a freeholder.

Notwithstanding the new district was so ordered. A short time ago a petition for a new school district and the petitioners appealed. The commissioners are interested. There may be litigation.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

St. Anthony congregation at Larkin has bought a parsonage for its parish priest.

Freshmen and Seniors of Winnebago City High school gave a potato bake recently.

Nobles County Democrat wonders when the postal card fad will give way to some "more egregious vulgarity."

Prof. L. E. Eickelberg, Marble Rock Ia., has been chosen to superintend the affairs of the Adrian schools.

Ostrander band boys hold enthusiastic meeting at which they decide to hold a picnic July 4 at the Root river park.

West Concord Enterprise calls attention to the fact that the much despised cottonwood tree makes about the finest lumber procurable for building purposes.

The Vesta band is now ready for engagements to play at Fourth of July celebrations. The boys have not yet determined how many engagements they will be able to fill on the Fourth.

The frost did but little damage to the crops around Bass lake, Faribault county.

Verona citizens gaped with astonishment at the sight of a young man strutting down the street on a May day cloaked in a fur overcoat.

It's enough to make an emotional actress weep when she can't make her audience do it.

A MINNESOTA CLUB FORMED

FORMER RESIDENTS OF NORTH STAR STATE COMPLETE ORGANIZATION

The Evening Chronicle of Spokane Washington Washington, under date of May 8 says:

"The permanent organization of the Minnesota club was affected last evening, about 100 gophers being present in the assembly room of the Chamber of Commerce who were interested in seeing the north star state represented in Spokane. It is estimated that a membership of fully 150 is already assured. The officers of the new club are, G. H. Twomey president; A. C. Clausen, secretary; J. Oscar Peterson, treasurer.

"It was decided at last night's meeting to hold a banquet and a committee was appointed consisting of A. C. Clausen, P. W. Kimball and H. C. Knappen, to make necessary arrangements. The banquet will probably be held in the hall of the doges at Davenports, Wednesday night, May 27. A fitting program will be provided by the committee on arrangements and at that time plans will be made for a picnic to be held later in the season.

"A committee on by-laws and constitution consisting of J. Oscar Peterson, Rev. Everett W. Couper and S. S. Bassett will make their report at the banquet and at that time it is expected provision will be made for additional officers who may be elected.

To Secure Permanent Hall

"It is the plan of the club to hold meetings at least once each month and a permanent hall is to be engaged for that purpose. Much enthusiasm was shown at last night's meeting and several witty speeches were made. In answer to the roll call by cities it was found that the small towns were better represented than the larger cities.

"I would like to announce that any one who has called Minnesota their home before coming here is eligible to join the Minnesota Club," stated Secretary Clausen. "We desire to get in touch with all persons who at one time or other lived in the north star state. I would be glad to meet them at my office in the Columbia building or see them at any of the meetings of the club."

A. C. Clausen was a former well known resident of Crookston.

KEY WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeltwenger, and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann left for Stephen last Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of Alphia son of Mr. and Mrs. John Landes, who died May 3. Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann went to Morris, Minn., where the burial took place. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeltwenger and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann returned the same evening, and Samuel was very glad indeed, as he did not like the idea of playing cook any longer than one day

Miss Tilly Brantl who enjoyed a very pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Grand Forks returned home Saturday.

Michael Krejer, Arthur Arnold and Edward Brantl were transacting business in Grand Forks last Saturday.

Mr. John Baars is staying at the home of Barney Tiederman.

Miss Clara McDonald spent last Sunday with her schoolmate Miss Silvia Brantl.

Mrs. Jackoutek and her grandson William Vonek drove to Tabor last Sunday.

Mr. Douglas Wiles drove to Grand Forks last Friday on very important business.

Miss Helen Riedesel visited with Miss Alma Horn last Sunday.

John Baars called on John Gerber one day last week.

Mr. Giese drove to Grand Forks last Sunday. Mrs. Giese and son Lewis returned with him. Lewis thinks he will improve more rapidly from his recent illness, in the country.

Miss Bessie Brantl called on friends and relatives in Tabor last Sunday.

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann and family Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann, Edward, Albert and Miss Tilly Brantl and Miss Laura Ramstad spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber. All present went home well pleased with their visit and also thanking Mrs. Gerber for the delicious dinner she served.

The average person thinks he's truthful if he only lies when it's convenient.

It takes a lot of the pleasure out of gossip for women, to have it true.

$1,000 FOR JUST 65 CENTS

LEE R. HOOPER HAD JUST PAID ONE ASSESSMENT INTO THE M. B. A.

DIED THE SAME MONTH HE JOINED AND MOTHER GETS $1,000 IN CASH

From Friday's Daily—

A proposition of $1,000 from an investment of 65 cents paid in but five months before is a good illustration of the value of life insurance.

On the 3rd of last January Lee R. Hooper of this city joined the Modern Brotherhood of America. He paid one assessment of 65 cents on the 14th of the month he was taken ill and he died on the 28th.

Because of the short time elapsing between the time he joined the order and his death the Supreme Lodge of the M. B. A. made an investigation but yesterday A. A. Glenn, secretary of the local lodge M. B. A. received notification that the claim will be allowed and the draft for $1,000 insurance will at once be forwarded.

Mrs. G. W. Hooper, mother of the deceased, who resides in St. Hilaire is the beneficiary, and is in the city at the present time on business in that connection.

The Crookston lodge of the M. B. A. has doubled its membership within the past 9 months and now can boast of 265 members in godo standing. As it is one of the newer orders to establish a lodge in Crookston this is certainly a splendid showing.

John F. Cash is local deputy for the M. B. A. and secured the application of deceased member, Mr. Hooper as well as scores of others.

ONE VICTIM KNOWN HERE

JOHN O. MOE ONE VICTIM OF MRS. GUNNESS A FRIEND OF EDITOR HAGEN

DREW $1100 OUT OF BANK AND WAS VICTIM OF THE SHE-FIEND

From Friday's Daily—

John A. Moe, of Elbow Lake, Minn. who was mentioned in the press dispatches of yesterday as one of the victims of Mrs. Gunness, the she-devil of Laporte, Ind., was well known to Editor Hagen of the Crookston Press of this city. They were old neighbors at Elbow Lake and Moe left there about Christmas time, 1906 for Laporte and cashed checks at Laporte which makes it certain that ne fell a victim to the Gunness woman.

Moe was single, and a very quiet fellow. Before leaving for Laporte he drew $1100 from the Elbow Lake Bank, which he had saved as a carpenter.

Editor Hagen has a photograph of Moe which shows him as a man of intelligence apparently. Mr. Hagen states that Moe was very industrious and had never before paid much attention to the women.

NO SALOONS NO INDIAN RESERVATIONS

U. S. SUPREME COURT RENDERS DECISIONS TO THAT EFFECT

The supreme court of the United States has recently rendered a decision in the Funck case of Cass Lake which will effect every saloon now being operated at the towns of Callaway, Ogema, Wauban, and Mahnomen.

The court has held, it is learned, in substance that saloons cannot be operated within any Indian reservation in this state.

TEACHERS FOR TRAINING SCHOOL

The fifth annual state teachers' training school will be held in Bemidji beginning Monday June 22, and will continue six weeks with the following instructors:

J. H. Hay of Thief River Falls superintendent of schools of Red Lake county, conductor; Prof. John N. Palmer, Clinton, instructor; Mrs. Imogene Lectra of Duluth, instructor; Miss Bell Richard, St. Cloud, instructor. In addition to the foregoing, Prof. L. P. Harrington of the experimental station at Crookston will act as special instructor in agriculture for one week during the training school.

BRIDGE OVER SAND HILL

COMMISSIONERS HOLD BUSY SESSION AND DID BUSINESS TODAY

BRIDGE, ROAD, DITCH AND SCHOOL MATTERS WERE DISCUSSED

From Friday's Daily—

At the meeting of the county commissioners here today Commissioners Rindal and Clements were appointed a committee of two to consult with the town board of Garfield with reference to a bridge over the Sandhill river near Fertile. The town has agreed to pay one half of the cost and the county is therefore bound to pay the half. The combined committee will determine the plans.

To Turn Road Around Lake

Instead of granting a petition for repair of a bridge in the town of Higdem over a lake along a public road the commissioners agreed to purchase enough land along the shore of the lake that a detour might be made without any bridge at all.

Hearing was granted on a school petition from the town of Scandia to take place before the commissioners at their next meeting June 15th. The petition calls for a separation from district 220 and is comprised of sections 1 to 16 in the township of Scandia. The main petitioner is Ole Tellefson.

Messrs. Driscoll and Clements of the board and Horn, chairman of the town board of Keystone town let contract today for the construction of a bridge over branch 1 of ditch 66 to the Minneapolis B. and I. Co., for $530.

Damage at Fisher

The county board has a letter before them this afternoon from Gunder Krostue of Fisher asking that viewers be appointed to determine damage he has suffered as a result of deposits on his land at the mouth of county ditch 26 running thru the village of Fisher and emptying into the Red Lake River.

MRS. O. HALVERSON ENTERS LONG REST

PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AFTER 8 YEARS AN INVALID

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock Mrs. O. Halvorson breathed her last after a long illness. She has been an invalid for the past 8 years and for the past 6 months has been an inmate of the Besthesda hospital. She has been a most patient sufferer, and tho 72 years of age, never complained and never gave up hope to the very last.

Deceased has been a widow for the past 11 years and was the mother of 7 children, two being dead. The surviving children are Mrs. Marles of Virginia, Mrs. Ulseth of Ashland, Wis., Attorney G. Halvorson of Thief River Falls and Albert Halvorson of Bemidji and Mrs. E. J. Loken of this city, the three latter being here.

The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon, short services being held at the Loken residence, 410 Bridge street at 1:30 and services at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 2 o'clock. Deceased had been a resident of Crookston for 27 years. She was a devoted wife and mother and a kind neighbor, and her death will be sincerely mourned by many.

$10,000 ESTATE IN PROBATE COURT

HANS JACOBSON OF SULLIVAN TOWN—HAS MANY HEIRS

The estate of Hans Jacobson, deceased who died in Sullivan town on May 5, 1907 at the age of 51 years is up before the probate court today for a hearing on claims. The estate amounts to $10,000. The heirs are Maria, the widow, Julius G., Oscar L., Selma M., Ida M., Victor E., Fred A., Hulda O., Annie T., and Harold B. Jacobson, all except the widow being children aged 7 to 21 years. Judge Morken is representing the widow in preparing her papers, he being an old acquaintance of the family.

There was a hearing on final settlement in the estate of Marin Olson died in the town of Knute Feb'y 2, 1905 at the age of 59. The estate amounts to $3500. Chas. Martin, McIntosh attorney represents the widow who is sole heir by will.

Hearing on the appointment of administrator in the estate of John Rasmusson, deceased, of the town of Parnell was brought up this afternoon H. A. Johnson, Crookston attorney, representing petitioners.

AGED 55 AND WALKS 70 MILES

P. E. SPINK, FORMER EDITOR OF THE BRECKENRIDGE GAZETTE AND THE GRYGLA EAGLE WALKS SEVENTY MILES FROM MALCOLM SOUTH OF BEAUDETTE TO THIEF RIVER FALLS, THE LAST THIRTY MILES THRU CONTINUOUS FLOATING MUSKEG

P. E. Spink up to four years ago editor of the Breckenridge Gazette, and owner of the Grygla hotel aged 55 years walked seventy miles in three days thru the old Red Lake Indian reservation from Malcolm, an interior settlement at the head of Rapid River north of Red Lake to Thief River Falls on the Soo.

Following his retirement from the Breckenridge Gazette Mr. Spink departed into the north country to repair his health without loss in fortune and filed on a claim near Malcolm, Minn., in town 156 range 36.

It will soon be time for him to prove up on his claim and he arrived in Crookston last night to confer with the land office in that connection. He seems little the worse for the 70 mile jaunt and speaks of it smilingly. His hair is grey and his face browned with his outdoor life.

He says he has regained his health and believes the northern woods is the greatest health tonic that can be taken. Mr. Spink is acompanied by is son E. P. Spink, well known printer at one time in the north country, but now converted into a homesteader by his father's experience.

They say they found dry ridges all the way across the country until they got into Grygla about 40 miles east by north of Thief River Falls. From there on they made their way continually in the water and impeding weeds of the swamps. Upon their arrival in Thief River Falls they discarded all their clothing, dressing in new purchases entirely. Thief River is their nearest railway station at this time of the year, being separated from Beaudette by impassable swamps.

E. P. Spink was employed in a local newspaper office for a number of years leaving here about two or three years ago. They will both make their homes in the city.

DREAM OF WEALTH FADES

FILED ON A LAND GRANT AND GET A TREELESS DESERT

SUPERIOR PEOPLE SEND ONE OF NUMBER TO OREGON TIMBER

From Thursday's Daily—

Several Superiorites who have been staying awake nights counting imaginary wealth, brought about by filing on supposed valuable timber lands in western Oregon received a rude shock yesterday morning to find that they were the "near" possessors of deserted desert lands. They have counted their wealth in thousands at an expense of $35 each. They now feel that they have been bitten for the $35 and their only hope of gaining their fancied treasures is the expectation that the lands may be used for grazing or that if irrigation can be secured the lands may be cultivated for fruit, says the Duluth News Tribune.

Several Superiorites sent two of their number to Oregon with money and instructions to make applications and file on a quarter section of government land for each member of the party. On reaching Oregon the Superiorites secured the services of a timber cruiser and, after being given what they considered a straight tip on the location of valuable timber lands, they made the necessary applications and filings. The expense of the trip together with paying the cruiser and filing fees, amounted to $55 for each member of the party.

Timber Cruiser Crooked

Forest reserve maps of the land grant in question show that the cruiser hired by the Superior men did not know his business or that he purposely gave them a "bum steer." A few of the Superiorites however, have filed on land shown by the maps to be located in the heavily timbered districts The holdings of the majority of the members of the party is plainly shown by the maps to be in the timberless desert district, fully 100 miles from a railroad or river.

ALL NIGHT IN A TREE

MRS. DISHER NEARLY SIXTY YEARS OLD LOST SOUTH OF GRACETON

FOUND AT SEVEN IN MORNING BY FRED HARRIS AND OTHERS

From Thursday's Daily—

Mrs. Disher an old woman nearly sixty years, was lost for eighteen hours south of Graceton in the Crookston settlement along the Canadian Northern in the extreme northern part of Minnesota and slept during the night in a tree, a little rat terrior dog at last being the means of her discovery. She left her home situated on her claim for her daughter's house about two miles distant. She wandered from the path about two miles in the cedars and became lost. A search party was immediately organized containing Fred Harris and Nells Anderson former Crookston men now holding claims and Mr. William Ecker, her son-in-law and three lumbermen and they hunted thru and thru the woods and swamps at one time passing within three hundred wards of her. They shot off their shot guns and rifles and hollowed but she did not hear them or the reports of the guns. In the morning Mrs. Ecker, the daughter, brought out the little rat terrior dog belonging to the family and put it on the trail. The dog began wagging his tail and started off on a bee line for the cedars in which the old lady had ensconced herself. The old lody had suffered some from the night's exposure and her efforts in climbing the tree but is getting well again.

Colds That Hang On

Colds that hang on in the spring deplete the system exhaust the nerves, and open the way for serious illness. Take Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly stops the cough and expels the cold. It is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

REMINDED OF OLD POKER GAME "UNCLE JOE" RECALLS PROMISE

Cannon Says He Will Keep His Word to Help Pass Cass Lake Drainage Bill—Odd Incident Cause of Change in Mind

A poker game which Uncle Joe Cannon and Thomas Shevlin once participated in is likely to secure recognition for the Cass Lake forest reserve bill in the house, according to a story afloat in Washington. The stakes in the game did not in any way concern the future of the Cass Lake legislation, but the story of the game served to call back to the speaker's memory certain promises which he made several years ago regarding the question.

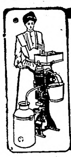
The Cass Lake bill passed the senate and has been in the house for some time. Members of the Minnesota delegation have been laboring with the speaker to get him to recognize Congressman Lindbergh for the purpose of calling the bill up for passage.

According to the story told there the speaker firmly refused at first. Finally several of the members told him that on a trip to Minnesota several years ago the whole matter had been gone over and that he had then admitted the justice of the bill and agreed to permit its passage if it ever came up in the house.

The speaker's memory refused to recall any of the incidents and promises of the Minnesota trip. Finally someone said:

"Don't you remember you played a game of poker in which Thomas Shevlin took part, and you cleaned up the bunch?"

The speaker's memory gave a gasp and came back to life. He finally recalled also the discussion of the Cass Lake matter, and he told members of the Minnesota delegation he was prepared to stand by his former decision and would assist in the passage of the bill.



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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

May 14 In History.

1265—Alighieri Dante, Italian poet, born; died 1321.
1787—Convention met in Philadelphia to form the federal constitution.
1820—Henry Grattan, Irish statesman, orator and patriot, died; born 1746.
1906—Carl Schurz, noted German-American scholar and publicist, first honored by President Lincoln, died; born 1830.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:05, rises 4:39; moon sets 4:34 a. m.

WENT TO BEMIDJI—Tom Shevlin Jr., arrived in the city this morning on No. 5 and departed for Bemidji on the later train where he looks after the interests of the Crookston Lumber Company.

EXPRESS MESSENGER ILL—Liner Lyngholm, express messenger on the Greenbush line of the Great Northern has been laid up for the past few days with a wrenched side which he received while wrestling with a heavy sample case.

OLD TIMER HERE—Henry Horn one of the most progressive farmers of the Township of Keystone is in the city today patronizing Crookston merchants, he also pegged his Daily Journal ahead for another year.

COVERS 15 STATES—Tom Fitch, with the International Harvester Co., and who covers 15 states in a supervisory capacity spent the night in the city and this morning left on the east line with Albert Bergh who is with the same concern. This is the first time he has visited Mr. Bergh during four years.

SPRAINED ANKLE AT LAKOTA—J. E. McKerrall, well known millinery man making Crookston is suffering with a sprained ankle as result of a hole in the platform at Lakota, N. D., depot and is using crutches. He is not certain that he will start a damage suit, tho grounds may be claimed.

WILL GET THEM IN LINE—Mr. Bullman of the livery firm of Newbery and Bullman of Thief River Falls spent the night in the city enroute to East Grand Forks where he will complete arrangements to have a running team from the latter place at the Firemen's Tournament at Thief River Falls the last of June and the first days in July.

ASSAILANT WAS INDICTED—Atty. J. A. Hendricks arrived in the city from St. Paul where he went to appear before the man who held him up and robbed him of his watch a short time ago, but who was captured by a policeman before he made his get-away. An indictment was returned against him and he will without doubt get several years in the pen for his pains.

AN N. G. SEPARATOR—A special in the Des Moines, Ia., Capital from India Grove, Ia., says: A great sensation was created here when between 60 and 70 farmers in Ida county received notice from the United States Circuit Court of Appeals to the effect that the so-called Economy cream separator they had purchased of a catalogue house had been declared an infringement and they were restrained from using the separator. The mail order house has been restrained by the court from manufacturing and selling any more of the separators, and they were also forced to bring their books into court and show to whom they had sold machines. The users are now being notified that they must not use them.

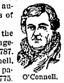
Game Warden Wm. F. Munch has ordered the first consignment of the total shipment of 800 ring necked pheasant eggs from Wallace Evans and the first settings will be placed under hens in the very near future.

Crookston gets 500, Thief River Falls 250 and Fertile 50, and this will make a nice start toward getting this famous game bird firmly established in this section of the country.

The eggs will be shipped in small consignments and Game Warden Munch has secured sufficient hens to cover the entire lot. He has a few coops at his residence here and will experiment with the hatching personally.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

May 15 In History.



O'Connell.

1773—Alban Butler, author of the "Lives of the Saints," died.
1833—Edmund Kean, the great English tragedian, died; born 1787.
1847—Daniel O'Connell, Irish orator and patriot, died; born 1775. Although familiarly called "the Liberator," O'Connell had no sympathy with the revolutionary spirit of his times. He once declared that he would "accept of no social amelioration at the cost of a single drop of blood."
1898—Edouard Remenyi, noted Hungarian violinist, died; born 1830.
1902—Dr. William Tod Helmuth, noted American surgeon and homeopathist, died; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:06, rises 4:38; moon rises 6:38 p. m.; 11:24 p. m., full moon; 9:30 p. m., Jupiter's four satellites closely grouped, two on each side of the planet.

CATTLE SALE—C. Stuhr of Euclid brought in a bunch of fat cattle this morning. He returned this evening after getting a good price for them in the local market.

BANKRUPTCY FROM EBRO—Hearing was on this morning before Referee Vaule in Vaule & Murphy's offices in the bankruptcy case of Chas P. Murray of Ebro in Clearwater Co.

QUAINT AS EVER—Pat Lealos regaled his friends in the city during his stay here yesterday with the same usual contribution of new and quaint stories before departing for his home along the Red River.

TO GRAND RAPIDS—H. Zaiser, well known merchant at Red Lake Falls came down last evening on Steve Withey's special and departed to Grand Rapids, Minn., where he looks over land and lumber interests that he has there.

HOME FROM GERMANY—H. P. Wieland of Fisher is a visitor in the city today. He has just returned from a trip to Germany and other nations of the old world where he visited with friends and relatives. He arrived home last month. He finds prospects the best about Fisher of any place he has seen.

OLD FRIENDS MEET—F. J. Peck the Northwestern Representative of the Minneapolis Journal spent yesterday in the city and looked up his old friend Capt. Zerracher. The two met in Crokston 13 years ago and talked over old war times and had not met since. As a consequence their visit of yesterday was of a very pleasant character. Mr. Peck resides in Grand Forks, but devotes most of his time to the North Dakota territory. He fought in the battle of Missionary Ridge as did Capt. Zerracher, and they were on the same battlefield many times during the Civil War.

GOOD WORD FOR PROF. RUNSVOLD—Prof. C. B. Runsvold was elected principal of the Twin Valley, Minn., school last week Friday at a meeting the school board of that village which he attended. The school employs five teachers besides the principal and and the pay is considerable more than he was receiving here. We are sorry to have Mr. Runsvold leave us but we could not expect him to stay as he is capable of handling a larger school. We congratulate the people of Twin Valley on securing his services and feel sure they will be pleased with his work in their school.—Donaldson Record.

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experimental farm left this morning for St. Vincent where this afternoon he addressed a large and enthusiastic gathering of the school officers and teachers of Kittson County on the value of an agricultural education and also discussed the seed growing contests.

The gathering was a most representative one, despite the bad weather the attendance was large and enthusiastic, and augurs well for improved educational and agricultural conditions in an already prosperous section of the Red River Valley.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

May 16 In History.

1164—Heloise, famous French abbess, early lover of Abelard and subject of many romances, died; born 1101.
1701—Colonel John Buttrick, commander of the American "rebels" at the Concord fight, died; born 1731.
1860—The famous Republican convention met in Chicago. The Democratic convention had already met in Charleston and separated over the slavery question. The Republican aspirants for the role of standard bearer were Lincoln, Seward and Chase.
1905—First joint meeting since the beginning of the civil war in 1861 of the Baptists north and south, in St. Louis.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets, 707, rises 4:37; moon rises 7:48 p. m.; day's length 14½ hours.

TO HER BROTHER'S—Miss Annie Nelson departed south last evening for Council Bluffs, Wis., where she will stay with her brother. Miss Nelson has dropped her suit against the famous "107" club.

RURAL CARRIER RESIGNS—Ed Habel the carrier on Rural Route No. 5 has resigned his position and with his wife will depart in a short time for Bitter Root Valley, Wash. His successor will be named in a short time.

REVISING STATISTICS—Chas. S. Van Schaick, representing R. G. Dunn & Co., arrived in the city this morning and will spend a week here revising some of the ratings compiled by the company.

BACK AT WORK—Tenny Peterson has resumed work at the Postoffice after an enforced absence for some time on account of illness. During his absence the vacancy was filled by Ed O. Hagen, substitute. He was incapacitated for several weeks.

PHOTOGRAPH BEFORE CRASH—James E. Morrisey this morning received a photograph of the building at McGhee, Ok. on which Arthur Morrisey was working when the scaffolding broke and he fell, losing his life. The picture shows Arthur Morrisey.

CAN INSPECT PAPERS—City Attorney Martin O'Brien has informed City Clerk Ohilds that records filed in his office are open to public inspection. The city clerk since recent developments had doubts about the matter and referred it to the city attorney.

MRS. WALSH WON—Mrs. E. M. Walsh presented the highest sealed bid on the sewing machine which was disposed of by L. E. Larson, $25.10 and was awarded the machine this afternoon. Mrs. H. W. Stark was second with $23.17. The affair caused a large amount of interest and numerous sealed bids were received.

PETERSON POOLROOM SOLD—C. A. Ness is in possession today of the new poolroom installed by W. F. Peterson next to the Journal office on Robert street. Mr. Ness is of Grand Forks, being news agent for a long time on the Duluth Cass Lake run and well known here. Mr. Peterson will depart west on a trip.

WERE WELL PLEASED—Robert Tell and Silas Trickey two well known northern Polk county farmers pased thru the city this morning enroute home from the Democratic state convention where they were factors in the endorsement of Johnson, returning highly elated over the outcome of the convention.

HERE FROM FOWLDS—Guy Monroe, one of the well known young men of Crookston who is now located at Fowlds arrived in the city this morning and will spend Sunday with relatives and friends. He is employed by the Crookston Lumber Co., at that place and is also postmaster, mayor, etc. He still wears the same sized hat however.

TRIES TO BOARD TRAIN—Mike Sullivan, well known laborer thruout these parts was rescued from under the moving wheels of the Greenbush train this morning thru the activity of the police. He was slightly the worse for the weather and tried to reel aboard Steve Withey's special. He is now resting as city charge.

CONTEST EVIDENCE—The contest case of Chester A. Naeseth vs. Mrs. Annie Bang is being agitated in the land office today. Evidence is being taken of witnesses living in Crookston to add to the testimony when it is forwarded to Washington for decision. The claim is located in Marshall county.

INCREASING HIS FORCE—Contractor M. Sullivan today received a carload of horses, consisting of ten fine teams, which arrived from the logging camps of the Irvine Lumber Co., at Blackduck. They will be unloaded at Euclid and will at once be put to work on Ditch No. 66 near that place in addition to the 12 teams which are already at work there and the ditch rushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

BENNER NABBED ON N.P. TRAIN

ALLEGED JAIL BREAKER HOLDUP MAN AND DESPERATE THUG CAUGHT

NEARLY KILLS TEAM IN EFFORT TO ELUDE ARREST ON A GRAVE CHARGE

From Thursday's Daily—

With a ticket for Winnipeg in his pocket John Benner a well known gambler, wrestler, and alleged holdup man and murderous thug, was taken from the Northern Pacific northbound train yesterday morning by a deputy sheriff of Walsh county and lodged in jail on a charge of escaping from jail at Glasgow, Mont., where he had been placed on a charge of holding up and nearly killing a man.

The arrest of Benner followed a series of exciting incidents. He had been visiting in East Grand Forks with his brother, Marvin Benner, who runs a saloon, and his father. He kept under cover knowing that the Montana authorities were looking for him It was tipped off to him that the East Grand Forks police were looking for him and he decided it would not be wise to leave town by train. A driver named Nye was secured and a rig was hired with which to drive to Mekinook. Smith & Sinclair owners of the rig were told that the pair intended to go to Fisher.

Thought to Be Coachman

Shortly before the Northern Pacific train arrived in Mekinock, Benner and Nye dashed to the train and made it. The actions of Benner and Nye excited the suspicions of Mekinock residents, and Marshal Martin Lieber and Paul Sanden arrested him, believing him to be a safe blower. The sheriff's office in Grand Forks was notified and orders were issued to the authorities at Grafton and Pembina to arrest Benner. He was taken off the train at Grafton and made no resistance. Nye was brought in from Mekinock and it was at first intended to file a charge of aiding a prisoner to escape against him, but he declared he was not guilty and it was finally decided to allow him to get out of town. Benner was brought to Grand Forks last evening by Deputy Sheriff Johnson of Grand Forks, and Chief Hans Ellingson of East Grand Forks. He had been joined at Grafton by Marvin Benner and wife and his father. All of whom came down on the train together.

Resists Deputy

When a few miles from Grand Forks, Deputy Johnson decided to put handcuffs on Benner. When he suggested this, Benner objected and resisted strenuously, declaring, with some profanity that no deputy sheriff could put handcuffs on him. Johnson put not only handcuffs but thumb holders on Benner. Benner sulked after that and walked with his hat over his eyes to the Grand Forks county jail. He did not relish the idea of going to jail on the Grand Forks side of the river.

S. C. Small, sheriff of Glasgow, Montana, will arrive in Grand Forks some time today to take the prisoner back to Montana. It is said that Benner will return without requisition papers. It is said that the man attacked by Benner and a confederate is so badly injured that a charge of murder is possible.

Ordered Out of Town

Benner is well known in Grand Forks. He wrestled McMillan there last fall and for the last three or four years has made East Grand Forks his headquarters. He came there from Bemidji, where he had been for a number of years. Following the robbery of a fur store in Crookston of $1-500 worth of goods he was ordered by Chief Lowe to keep out of Grand Forks. It was up to Polk county authorities to act, but Chief Lowe was satisfied that Benner had something to do with the affair and proposed to keep Benner out of that city.

Aided By Friends

In his escape from the Glasgow jail Benner is said to have had the assistance of friends. They were allowed to visit him, it is said, and succeeded in providing him with means of escape. Full details of the affair have not been received.

THOUGHT HE HAD A BROKEN BACK

DAN C. McKINNON OF FISHER IS TAKEN TO FERGUS FALLS

Last evening Orin Daniels of the sheriff's office departed south with Dan C. McKinnon of Fisher in his charge. McKinnon was sent to Fergus Falls yesterday by the probate judge. He thinks he has a broken back and at times rolls in imaginary pain.

IN CURES OF NATURE

ORSIN MARCH, OLD SOLDIER, ARRESTED FOR PRACTICING WITHOUT LICENSE

CURED MRS. ALBERTSON TWENTY MILES EAST OF MIDDLE RIVER

From Saturday's Daily—

Sheriff Wm. Forsberg arrested Orsin March about twenty miles east of Middle River in Eastern Marshall county recently for practicing medicine without a license. March is an old soldier and farmer of the green and salubrious prairies located east of Middle River.

March however it is said used no medicine and made no charges for his services. He had among other things a small battery, the application of which he manages carefully and in manners not known to medical practice or therapeutics.

He has been attending Mrs. Julius Albertson who lives about two miles from his farm. The lady had been sick and unable to move her body without assistance for the past five years. She is now completely cured and walks about like a young person.

The old gentleman is very much respected and venerated by all the people of his neighborhood. He believes in the cures of nature and his farmhouse is loaded with profound books on the healing art. His miraculous cures of Mrs. Albertson has brought him into the public eye.

RASMUSSEN'S LOCATE IN SPOKANE

COULDN'T STAY AWAY FROM OLD TRADE — HARRY IS A TRACTIONIST

A letter has been received from "Dad" Rasmusson and his son Harry who left here a short time ago for the west with intentions to locate. They are now in Seattle where "Dad" is back at the old professional stunt at the barber's chair while Harry has secured a fine position with the Spokane street railway company. He is now operating as a conductor and getting acquainted with the business. They are both members of the Minnesota Club, recently formed there. ed in the city this morning.

VOLSTEAD BILL LIKELY BE LAW

Representative Volstead's Minnesota drainage bill will probably become a law within a few days. Mr. Volstead has secured the passage of the bill by the house, with the senate amendments changed to provide that the original entryman shall forfeit his rights unless he pays the government for improvement within ninety days.

Another amendment put in by the house provides for the restoration to entry of the lands embraced in the Mud Lake drainage district in the Red Lake ceded reservation and making a change of 3 cents an acre to reimburse the government for the costs of the drainage survey made a year or two ago.

Mr. Volstead had an interview with Senator Clapp and the latter agreed to accept the change made by the house. Senator Clapp will ask the senate to concur in the house amendments and the bill will then be enrolled and sent to the president for approval.

A MC'INTOSH DIVORCE SUIT

Suit has been brought by Pauline Anderson against her husband Carl O. Anderson for divorce on the grounds of desertion. The twain were married July 7, 1898 at McIntosh and lived together until September 25, 1905. Three children were born, Caroline aged 9, Marvin H., aged 7, Lileith H. aged 3. The family had property in Thief River Falls. Chas. Martin of McIntosh attorney, represents the lady.

Chronic Constipation Cured

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RESURVEY OF DITCH 72

COUNTY BOARD CONSIDERS THE DITCH INJUNCTION PROCEEDINGS THIS AFTERNOON

WILL APPOINT OUTSIDE ENGINEER AND STAY PROCEEDINGS UNTIL REPORT

From Saturday's Daily—

The county board of commissioners will appoint an outside engineer to survey ditch 72 with the outlet desired by the opponents of the ditch at the last hearing. Engineers Ralph, Hinds and Beim have all expressed their opinions on the matter of continuing the ditch or letting it remain as it is and are not considered therefore disinterested parties.

Agreement was reached this afternoon that the opponents of ditch 72 on the grounds that it would empty the overflow of upper lands on them would introduce a new petition entirely to the county commissioners for a ditch to be constructed as an outlet to 72 and this will be rushed thru so that the capacity will be provided for when it arrives from the upper parts of the ditch.

The injunction proceeding were due to be heard next week but will probably now be stayed until action is taken in the present business. Attorneys Rowe for the original petitioners and O'Brien for the appealing farmers appeared before the commissioners this morning.

Land owned by Peter Anderson in the town of Bygland was set off of school district 93 and added to 222 by action of the commissioners this morning.

Commissioners Rindal, Clements and Thorson were appointed as a committee to look after the establishment of the certain level desired at Maple Lake by the Maple Lake Improvement Association. Messrs. Rosenthal and Misner appeared before the commissioners in behalf of the organization.

Driscoll was appointed to look after the petition to improve branch 1 on ditch 1 and report at the next meeting.

Auditor Hoffard was instructed to advertise for bids for 3 bridges, one across Tabor town ditch No. 2 a steel span over 66 in Keystone town and a 70 foot steel span over the Sandhill river near Climax.

A number of petitions from Chester town to establish bridges thru that district was referred to the road and bridge committee for report at next meeting.

Brakeman Injured.

Oelwein, Iowa, May 16. — Harry Freide, a brakeman on a passenger train of the Chicago Great Western railway, was injured while removing baggage. A switch engine ran over him and his arm had to be amputated.

Three Die in Fire.

Passaic, N. J., May 16.—An incendiary fire in a tenement in Monroe street, occupied by fifteen families, caused the death of three Italian children and probably was fatal to two women.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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MONEY FOR COUNTY TOWNS

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR IMPROVEMENTS

ABOUT $10,000 TO GO ON COUNTY ROADS THIS YEAR SO FAR REPORTED

From Monday's Daily—

The county commissioners wound up their business at the court house last Saturday evening with an appropriation to the townships of the county to apply for the improvement of highways and ditches. The board adjourned until June 2nd next

The appropriations were as follows:

$150 to improve road on section line between sections 17 and 18 and 19 and 20 in Columbia town.

$150 to improve road in 36 in Brandsvold.

$100 to improve road running north westerly on south side G. N. sec. 24 Rosebud.

$150 on road between sections 26 and 27 in Sletten.

The other townships received the following amounts:

Brandsvold $250; Rosebud $250; Sletten $250; Eden $200; Garfield $100 Garden $200; Winger $200; Godfrey $200; Hill River $200; Woodside $200 Lessor $200; Knute $200; Queen $200 King $200; Columbia $100; Tilden $100; Gully $100; Grove Park $200; Chester $100; Badger $200; Johnson $100.

$150 to improve the public road between 7 and 8 town of Grove Park.

$150 to improve road between sec. 30 and 19 Tilden town.

Bygland $250; Hubbard $250; Scandia $200; Vineland $150 to be applied on road between sections 13, 14, 23 and 24.

$150 to improve road and ditch on section line between 8 and 17 and 7 and 18 in Russia.

$100 to improve road and ditch between 12 and 13 in Hammond.

Brislet $125; Huntsville $125; Euclid $150; Nesbit $150; Esther $150; Rhinehart $50; Farley $150; Sullivan $150; Fanny $150; Angus $150; Grand Forks $125; Brandt $125; Helgeland $125; Belgium $125; Higdem $150; Parnell $200.

DELEGATE TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Major Mix, elder in the Presbyterian church of Crookston departs soon for Kansas City, Mo., where he will spend two weeks as delegate to the general assembly of the Presbyterian church to be held there commencing May 21st. Major Mix was chosen delegate at the conference of the Adams Presbytery at Stephen a short time ago. A presiding elder and minister are usually selected as delegates. Major Mix's associate will be F. J. Barackman pastor of the Presbyterian church at Blackduck.

CARPENTER BACK FROM IOWA

Harry Carpenter, well known in the roller skating world of the northwest and who has been located at Missouri Valley, Iowa for the past few months in connection with an ice cream and bakery manufacturing firm of which he was majority owner, returned home this morning and will remain in the city henceforth. While he profits by his stay in the Iowa town he tells of real hard times that people of the north Valley have not experienced in any measure. The retail business in Missouri Valley is very slack five firms quitting business there this winter and spring. Carpenter states that the further north one comes the more prosperous seem the conditions.

It is a pity to see a person neglect indications of kidney or bladder trouble that may result in Bright's disease when Foley's Kidney Remedy will correct irregularities and strengthen these organs. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of danger. Sold by all druggists.

PARK RIVER TIES WITH GRAND FORKS

Clifford Frazer returned Saturday evening from Grand Forks having spent Saturday with Professor Squires of that place attending the Interscholastic Field Meet between the leading high schools of North Dakota. The result of the meet was a tie between the Grand Forks high school and the Park River high school.

FARMER BOY BREAKS LEG

BAD ACCIDENT TAKES PLACE AT BALL GAME NEAR TOWN FISHER

OHMER WOODWARD HAD LEG BROKEN IN BALL GAME WESTERDAY

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday in a game of ball between the Fisher team and the farmer boys near that place the game was stopped in the 4th inning with the score 2 to 6 in favor of the farmers, when Ohmer Woodward fell while running to 1st base and broke his leg just below the knee, both bones having been broken.

The unfortunate boy was at bat. Will Heydt of this city was pitching for the farmer boys. Woodward was a very heavy batter and Heydt was sending them over pretty fast. Woodward connected with one but sent it towards the pitcher but Heydt fumbled it for a second, but recovered and threw it to first. The first base man had to reach for it and the batter in running stumbled over the feet of the first baseman and fell. The accident could not be laid to any one.

The unfortunate boy was the son of the agent of the Great Northern agent at Fisher. He was taken home at once in a buggy and Dr. Hodgson of this city was called and reduced the fracture at once and the young fellow is getting along as easily as can be expected under the circumstances.

COMMITTEES ARE BUSY THIS WEEK

COUNTY BOARD LOOKS OVER SANDHILL RIVER BRIDGE TUESDAY

Commissioner Ben Clements will depart south tonight for Fertile where he will meet Commissioner Rindal and the two will inspect the petitioned bridge across the Sandhill river about half a mile out of Fertile.

Thursday next the road and bridge committee with the county road superintendent will visit the proposed improvements on Judicial ditch No. 1 and its branches.

MAY LOCATE IN BUSINESS HERE

Edward Wigaard, a brother to Andrew Wigaard of this city spent Saturday here visiting with his brother. Mr. Wigaard is looking up a place in which to engage in business. For the past 19 years he has been manager for Henry Schmidt, a big general merchant at Rushford, Minn., and was enroute home to Rushford after a trip to Hettinger, N. D., one of the towns on the new Milwaukee extension. He made no definite deal there and was so much pleased with the general appearance of things in Crookston that he may return and engage in business here.

HELLNER & STRANDELL GET CEMENT CONTRACT

Rassmussen & Co., who were awarded the contract for the cement work for the city, their bid being a few cents lower than that of Hellner and Strandel, failed to put up the necessary bond and as a result the work has been awarded to the next lowest bidder, Hellner and Strandell. They filed their bond today and will go on with the work in hand at once.

Soldier Kills Self.

Fort Riley, Kan., May 20. — Private Robert Foselar of Battery A, Sixth field artillery, U. S. A., committed suicide yesterday by opium poisoning. He was formerly an officer in the German army and was highly educated.

Is Given Up for Lost.

Boston, May 20. — Hope for the schooner J. H. Chaffee, which **sailed** from Perth Amboy, N. J., **for this port** April 9, with five men **on board, has** been abandoned. The **schooner should** have made the trip **within a week.**

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A PIONEER IS CALLED

ANDREW STEENERSON CALLED HOME YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AT 4 P. M.

WAS FORMER SHERIFF OF POLK COUNTY AND FIRST OF FAMILY TO DIE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Andrew Steenerson died at Climax yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He was 53 years of age and death was caused from diabetes. He left a widow and four children two boys and two girls, all grown but one girl. The funeral will be held at Climax from the residence at 1 o'clock on Thursday afternoon under the auspices of the Woodmen at which the Rev. Berg will officiate.

Andrew Steenerson was born at Sheldon, Houston Co., Minn., on the 9th of February and came to Climax in the spring of 1874. In 1880 he was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Haug in Crookston. Shortly after their marriage Mr. Steenerson erected a residence at 503 Houston Ave., which he occupied until 1887 and since then it has been occupied by Elias Steenerson, his brother.

Deceased was in business in Crookston under the firm name of Steenerson, Alderman & Hemsing in 1880 and this firm did a general mercantile business until 1887. In 1874 deceased took a homestead at Climax and for some time afterward he was a resident of that place.

Later deceased became identified with the Farmers Alliance movement. He was one of the leaders in the movement in Polk county and on that ticket he was elected sheriff in 1894. In 1900 he was sent to Cincinnati where he was prominently identified with the organization of the Peoples party and the same year came very nearly being elected as a member of congress from this district.

Deceased was a man of fine personality. He made friends wherever he went and was a man of fine physique. He leaves four children, Steener who is attending the University of N. D., Arne, Nroa who is a graduate of the Crookston high school, and Oretta. There was another daughter who died while deceased was sheriff.

Deceased was the first of his family of nine children to pass away. He leaves in addition to his wife and children the following brothers and sisters:

Knute, at Upham, N. D.

Levi, Climax, Minn.

Christopher, Climax.

Halvor, Congressman from the 9th district.

Elias, postmaster at Crookston.

Mrs. T. Torkelson, Nielsville.

Mrs. Hans Samuelson, Climax.

John, Esmond, N. D.

Deceased has been a business associate of Elias Steenerson, a brother of this city for many years in this city Grand Forks, Fisher and other places. Wherever he has located in business he has always held the high esteem of both his business associates and those who patronized him.

Deceased was a generous, big hearted man. He never failed to respond when called upon for the relief of others. He gave whenever called upon and was never found wanting when he was called no matter what the cause.

Congressman Steenerson wired late this afternoon that he would not be able to attend the funeral because of pressing duties in congress.

CROKSTONITE DIES OF RHEUMATISM

Word was received in this city of the death of Roman Anderson at Plaza, North Dakota last Friday. He had been suffering for a time with rheumatism and that was the cause of his death. He is well known here living in this city some time ago and marrying here a sister of Miss Georgia and Julia Bangen. The remains will be buried in Fisher.

OLDEST RESIDENT OF ST. PAUL

A. L. Larpenteur of St. Paul has just celebrated his eighty-eighth birth day and is the oldest resident of the city. He came to St. Paul from St. Louis in 1843 and saw the city laid out. He went into the fur business and has had extensive dealings with the Indians. The old gentleman is full of years but enjoys the best of health and the Anchorage in Dale street where he lives has been the center of pioneer life for many decades. In addition to innumerable personal greetings Mr. Larpenteur has received letters and presents from friends all over the world.

TRAIN KILLS DEAF MUTE

HENRY OLSON FROM McINTOSH INMATE OF THE INSANE HOSPITAL

IS STRUCK BY GREAT NORTHERN FLYER AT FERGUS FALLS AND KILLED

From Tuesday's Daily—

Henry Olson a deaf and dumb inmate of the insane hospital at Fergus Falls was run down in instantly killed by the east bound Great Northern Oriental Limited in the western outskirts of that city Sunday. The accident occurred about 9 o'clock in the forenoon. Olson had been out for a morning walk and had wandered down to the track, about half a mile from the hospital buildings.

The train came through at its usual speed and Engineer George Irving, who was at the throttle, states that he observed him loitering along outside the rails, and supposed he would step aside as other people do when a train approaches. He had of course no reason for suspecting that he was deaf and dumb, and saw no reason for slackening speed. When the train was within a few feet of him. Olson Instead of stepping aside, stepped squarely in front of the engine. He was struck with terrific force, and his skull was broken like an eggshell, his brains bespattering the pilot. The body was hurled from the track with such force that practically every bone in it was broken.

The train was stopped and it was soon learned that the man was from the hospital where he has been an inmate for some time. Being entirely harmless, he was allowed some liberty, and had been in the habit of taking an occasional stroll. He was a middle aged man and his home is at McIntosh, Minn., he having been committed from that place some time ago.

KEY STONE

Mr. John Gerber and his brother-in-law, Master John Aeschlimann, drove to Grand Forks on business last Thursday.

The Angus-Tabor Rural Telephone company will enter with their line here in the near future.

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann drove to Tabor last Saturday.

The "Cheer-up Club" has been on the sick list for a few months and have not held any of their meetings lately. We think the fairies are up to some mischief.

Lewis, Joseph and Miss Lydia Aeschlimann and Miss Laura Ramstad called on the Horn family last Thursday evening.

Those mild rains are helping the crops wonderfully, as they are looking magnificent, seeding is about half thru in these parts and the farmers are anticipating a bright future.

Ere long there will be something doing in the matrimonial line around here. We don't hope all our girls will get married this leap year.

Mr. Henry Horn transacted business in the Queen City. Several days last week.

They are talking of buying an organ for school district number 30. Such would be grand; there is nothing like inspiring love for music in the hearts of school going children.

John Gerber and family visited at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Sunday. Miss Rosie Kotek called on the Misses Tillie and Bessie Brantl last Sunday.

J. W. Baars was gardener at the Barney Tiederman home, for the last two weeks. Everybody knows without being told that Mr. Tiederman's garden is in apple pie order.

Henry Giese who was attending college at Grand Forks, is visiting his parents.

Mr. John Riha of Vining, Ia., says, "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

A Regretful Fact

The traveler mourns the disappearance of the picturesque costumes of the European peasantry. One has to go far away from the cities nowadays to know that such a thing exists. The clatter of the wooden shoe is a lost joy in Holland towns of any size. The Welch women have given up the stove pipe hats and quilted kertles and gay cotton bodices of their mothers. The up-to-date American woman, however, keeps the family table supplied with golden grain belt beer. You will find it a delightful drink for the whole family at all times and on all occasions. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

PERMANENT GOVERMENT FOREST RESERVE BILL

REPRESENTATIVES LINDBERGH AND STEENERSON MANAGE TO GET BILL THRU CONGRESS—BILL ALSO PROVIDES FOR THE OPENING OF 175,000 ACRES OF LAND FOR SETTLEMENT NEAR CASS LAKE

From Friday's Daily—

Representative Lindbergh was successful last Saturday in passing thru the house the bill which establishes a permanent government forest reserve in northern Minnesota and opens for homestead entry about 75,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Cass Lake.

There was not a vote cast against the measure and several Democratic members, including John Sharp Williams, leader of the filibuster movement supported Mr. Lindbergh.

When Lindbergh moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, Congressman Tawney who was holding a hearing in the committee on appropriations gave up his work and came in on the floor of the house and assisted Mr. Lindbergh. Congressman Hammond of the Second District asked a few questions and Representative Steenerson spoke for five minutes in answering them.

Few Minor Amendments

The reserve bill passed the house with a few minor amendments and Senator Clapp said that the senate would readily concur in them, thus insuring the final enactment into law of this measure which will be of substantial benefit to Cass county.

The bill describes minutely by metes and bounds the reserve. The Indians are to be paid for the timber which is left standing and an appraisal is to be made by three commissioners who shall ascertain the value of the five per cent of standing timber under the provisions of the Morris act of 1902; also of the 10 per cent of standing timber left untouched under this act. and also the 10 sections left intact and on the islands and a quarter section at Sugar Point and the peninsula of Pine Point.

Protection for Indians

The commission shall certify the value of such standing timber to the secretary of the interior and if there is no appeal within 60 days the amount of the appraisement is to be certified to the secretary of the treasury who will place the amount to the credit of the Chippewa Indians and they will receive interest upon it at the rate of five per cent per annum.

It is also provided that any Indian having an allotment within the limits of the national forest reserve created by this act is authorized to relinquish such allotment and permitted to take another allotment in lieu thereof outside of such national forest, under the direction of the secretary of the interior; and allotments of any deceased Indians located within the boundaries of said national forest shall not hereafter be disposed of under section seven of the Morris act of 1902.

Heirs May Relinquish

Heirs of said deceased Indians shall have the right with the consent of the secretary of he inerior and under such rules as he may prescribe to relinquish to the United States the lands covered by such allotments and to select surveyed, unappropriated and unreserved lands within the limits of any of the ceded Indian lands in the state of Minesota and outside of the national forest hereby created, in lieu of land covered by such allotments; and the land so relinquished by the Indians or their heirs shall thereupon become part of the said national forest.

The secretary of the interior is authorized, on request of the chief forester of the department of agriculture to purchase such relinquishments from said Indians or their heirs and to pay for the same from any moneys received after appraisal of timber herein provided for an account of sale of any other products or the use of any lands or resources thereof.

Open to Settlement

All lands in any of the Winnibigoshish Indian reservation, Cass Lake Indian reservation, Chippewas of the Mississippi reservation, or Leech Lake Indian reservation not included in the national forest hereby created, heretofore classified or designated as agricultural lands, are hereby declared to be open to homestead settlement; and any of said land which has been classified as timber land shall be open to homestead settlement as soon and as fast as timber is removed therefrom in conformity with the homestead law, except that none of said lands shall be disposed of prior to the payment of $1.25 per acre.

ENTANGLED AMONG LOGS

FUTILE SEARCH FOR LITTLE EDDIE BROUILETTE AT RED LAKE FALLS

ASLEEP ON LOG WHILE FISHING AND CANNOT BE LOCATED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The body of Edward Brouilette, drowned at Red Lake Falls just below Healy's dam Monday, cannot yet be found though several parties of men have dragged the river and searched along its lower banks for it.

It appears that the boy fell into the river while fishing.

It seems that the boy fell asleep holding his pole and line and in his sleep fell into the water. There were a number of men very near him, but before they could reach him the swift current carried him away into the whirlpool below the dam, where it is presumed his body became entangled with logs and other debris.

The boy is the son of Mrs. Wilfred Chattel. His step-father Mr. Wilfred Chattel with the assistance of citizens has been searching the river for the body.

From Tuesday's Daily—

J. H. Griffin the industrial agent of the Great Northern who was in the city yesterday states that the recent rain means hundreds of thousands of dollars to the farmers of the Red River Valley. While there were certain sections where rain was not needed, he states that in many places rain was most welcome and that the ground was well able to take care of all the rain that fell.

He further states that yesterday morning before 9 o'clock he noticed many farmers plowing their fields which goes to show that there were certain sections where the rain was most welcome.

Mr. Griffin who was formerly station agent in this city, Grand Forks and Stephen, has had his family located at Brandon for the past two years, but will remove them to Grand Forks after school closes next June.

CHICKENS DROWNED

REPORT OF SHOWERS UP NORTH VALLEY DEPRESSES THE SPORTS

CHICKENS WILL BE FEWER THIS YEAR THAN FOR YEARS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Reports coming from up the north valley indicate that the young wild chickens will be drowned out by the showers that have prevailed over this section this early spring. The north valley sports are looking downcast and beginning to believe that the hunting this year will be lacking in the chicken season. Reports to the effect that the wild chickens have been drowned out comes from Thief River Falls, Middle River, Warren and Hallock at all of which places showers have fallen.

MRS. JOS. MILLER BURIED YESTERDAY

DIED OF OLD AGE—MOST OF LIFE WAS SPENT IN THE VALLEY

Mrs. Joseph Miller of Dugdale was buried at Red Lake Falls yesterday at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The well known lady died of old age, being seventy years old. Her husband, Joe Miller, one of the oldest settlers of the northern part of the valley is the owner of the townsite of Tilden Junction where the Northern Pacific crosses the Duluth line of the Great Northern about fifteen miles east of here.

There are countless people in the world who do not count for much.

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NO SIGNERS TO PETITION

N. Z. HORTON HAS NO SUCCESS WITH PETITION FOR DITCH NO. 79

FARMERS AT OUTLET OF PROPOSED 72 WILL NOT PAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

N. Z. Horton of the town of Tilden was in the city Saturday last reporting that he is unable to secure signatures of farmers in the towns of Onstad, Russia and Hammond along the proposed ditch 72. The mentioned farmers bask in the sunshine of their present prosperity and say, if the ditch 72 petitioners want Burnham Creek deepened, they must pay the price and "not us." The compromise then suggested at the last meeting of the county board has fallen thru and the injunction case brought against construction of ditch 72 by the Onstad, Russia and Hammond farmers is on again.

APPEAL TO STATE SUPREME COURT

GRADY OF RED LAKE FALLS APPEARS BEFORE JUDGE WATTS

Attorney Grady of Red Lake Falls appeared before Judge Watts in the district court here Saturday for the purpose of completing the Red Lake county seat case for submission to the supreme court. The suit was originally brought by Martin Evenson against John O'Brien, county auditor of Red Lake County, to require the latter and the county board to consider the second petition for the removal of the county seat to Thief River Falls The suit was decided in favor of the plaintiff from which A. P. Toupin as intervenor appealed. A. A. Miller appeared for the plaintiff Evenson.

MINNESOTA CLUB OF SPOKANE PLANS LARK

"GRIDIRON" DINNER WILL FURNISH SPORT FOR EX-GOPHER STATE MEN

Several surprises will be sprung upon members of the Minnesota club of Spokane and invited guests at the first annual banquet of the organization in the Hall of the Doges at Davenport's restaurant the evening of May 27.

As closely as possible the committee headed by J. Oscar Peterson, chief deputy clerk of Spokane county, will undertake to duplicate a Washington Press Club "gridiron" dinner at which notables of the Gopher state will make their appearance by proxy.

It is planned to have personations of Governor John A. Johnson, United States Senators Moses E. Clapp and Knute Nelson and a number of congressmen, including J. Adam Bede, James A. Tawney,, Frank M. Nye, Frederick C. Stevens and W. S. Hammond. A wireless telegraph receiving station has been installed in the tower of the building and messages from friends in the "bread and butter" state will be received between courses

H. D. Twomey, who is associated with Judge Marshall A. Spooner, formerly of Bemidji, will be toastmaster. The program of toasts will be made as suggestive as possible of Minnesota facts, and the menu will be typical of the home state. A. C. Clausen formerly of Crookston secretary, has prepared an edition de luxe of the state song of Minnesota, and the state flower, which will be sung at the close of the festivities. The club has more than 300 members.

WANT TO JOIN NEW DISTRICTS

H. Byron Engeland and Peter Anderson both of the town of Bygland will be given hearing next June 22nd on their petition to enter school district 222 in Bygland instead of District 93 in which they are now located Their petition is based on the present distance to the school house. At the same time the county board will have hearing on the formation of a new district in sections 1 to 16 inclusive in Scandia. The district would be set off from district 220.

WOULD CLING TO PAY ROLL

ADMINISTRATION'S APPOINTEES ALARMED OVER GOVERNOR'S DECLARATION

ST. PAUL DISPATCH SAYS DAY WILL MAKE HIM RUN

From Wednesday's Daily—

Gov. Johnson's statement that he will not again be a candidate for governor, and which was published in the Dispatch is causing the administration family to sit up and take notice. If he abides by his determination not to make the race it means the simple life for practically all those now feeding at the state pie counter. They can see their finish after Jan. 1, 1909, and are not a bit backward in saying so.

The news was of such a knockout nature that it quickly brought Assistant Labor Commissioner Lynch out of hiding, and he was seen around the executive department yesterday for the first time in many days.

State Librarian King did not show up, but he was understood to be on his way. As far as known the news did not reach E. K. Slater dairy and food commissioner who is now in Old Mexico, but as soon as he hears it, he will probably cut his visit short.

What between game wardens, oil inspectors and labor bureau employes Secretary Day yesterday and today was kept busy discussing the accuracy of the governor's statement and asking that each keep up his spirits. They were all told that a way would undoubtedly be found out of the difficulty and not to feel downhearted. "If he will not run, we will make him run," said Mr. Day.

It is easy enough to talk of gubernatorial possibilities and to discuss their running qualities, but search as it will the kitchen cabinet cannot get away from the knowledge that to win it must have Gov. Johnson for its standard-bearer. In fact, it is going to insist that he run, and while he may not openly consent, the nomination will be handed him in such a way that he simply cannot refuse it.

Many hazard the guess that a third term run is dangerous in that his vote would be considerably reduced; in fact he might be defeated, but the cabinet is willing to take the chance. Jacobson, Young and all the other republican possibilities have been discussed, and the conclusion reached that Johnson would beat any of them and have votes to spare.

Frank Day regards Jacobson as a joke. "No trouble at all to put him out of business," he remarked. "Why he made votes for us two years ago."

Attorney General Young they regard as easy and the other candidates according to their view, would be pie for the St. Peter man. R C. Dunn has always contended that Johnson would be a third term candidate, and Jacobson has shared his views. They know he is the only hope of the horde that now feed at the state pie counter and this crowd is not going to give up a good thing without a struggle. — St. Paul Dispatch.

M'DERMOTT HAS PAID UP.

Former State Oil Inspector Settles Under Examiner's Report.

St. Paul, May 26.—The account of J. A. McDermott, former state oil inspector, was closed Saturday by the payment to Attorney General E. T. Young of $4,705.20, the additional shortage reported in his accounts as a result of the second examination by Public Examiner Schaefer.

NOT TO BUILD IN MILL CITY.

Summit Stove Officials of La Crosse Deny They Purpose Change.

La Crosse, Wis., May 26.—The story published in the Twin Cities that the Summit Stove works of La Crosse and their plants at Geneva, N. Y. and St. Louis had been incorporated and would build a $150,000 manufacturing plant in Minneapolis, is denied by the officials of the company.

Negro Kills White Man.

Spartanburg, S. C., May 27.—Boyd Stone, a white man, was shot to death by Henry Fowler, a negro, in the negro's home, one mile west of Greer, S. C., last night. Fowler is said to have killed Stone because of Stone's attempt to assault Fowler's wife.

Killed In Head-on Collision.

Casselton, N. D., May 27. — About 6:45 yesterday morning, just east of Buffalo, a head-on collision between a west-bound work train and an east-bound extra freight caused the death of one man and injured two.

Cut Arteries With Razor

Lars Enstrom Of This City Commits Rash Act At Plummer. Cut Arteries Of Throat And Wrist.

This morning at Plummer, Lars Enstrom in an effort to commit suicide slashed the arteries in his throat and wrists with a razor, and tho he is still living there is slight hope of his recovery. He had been ill for some time and of late had become worse and was despondent, and this is ascribed as the cause of his rash act.

Lars Enstrom for years resided in Crokston and his brother, Nels G. Enstrom, 222 2nd Avenue north, is the well known dairyman.

The news of the rash act was communicated to the family by the Journal and Mr. Enstrom will leave for Plummer via Erskine and the Soo this evening.

Enstrom has not been in Crookston for some time past, residing on a farm near Plummer. This is the first time he ever showed any suicidal tendencies and his rash act was a great surprise to his brother in this city and his relatives here were shocked to hear of the affair.

He was determined to die, however and the gash in his throat is a ghastly wound and had he not received prompt medical attention death would have ensued in a few minutes.

A telephone message late this afternoon is to the effect that Enstrom is still alive but that he is growing steadily weaker and all hopes of his recovery has been abandoned.

15 PERCENT DIVIDEND

WISCONSIN GRAIN AND STOCK CO., ALLOWED TO PAY CLIENTS

CROOKSTON, GRAND FORKS AND NORTH VALLEY TRADERS GET MONEY

From Monday's Daily—

A compromise has been effected in St. Paul between the Wisconsin Grain and Stock Company and William J. Haggerson on whose application the receiver was appointed, and a large number of intervenors including a number of Crookston, Grand Forks and north valley people who have filed claims against the company for various sums.

It has been agreed that the receiver may use the funds in his possession for the payment of dividends and that opposition to the receiver's suit and the suits in intervention will be abandoned. The claims which have been filed aggregate about $165,000, upon which a dividend of about 15 per cent will probably be paid in a few weeks.

Judge Lochren appointed Ashley Coffman receiver in the suit brought by William J. Haggerson last July, while the preliminary hearing in the case brought by government against the alleged officers was in progress. Mr. Haggerson who lives in Bessemer Mich., claims to be a creditor of the company to the extent of $2,000. He lost the amount by a wild plunge into the market and tried to get it back, tying up the company. The company filed answers to all the suits but it is understood they will not be contested further.

RETURN VETERAN TO MINNESOTA

Knud Nystu the insane ex-soldier who is in jail at Grand Forks probably will be returned to McIntosh, Minn., his former home. Judge L. K. Hassell has forwarded a letter to D. A. Lindsay, state agent of the board of control of Minnesota, setting forth the facts in the case and it is believed that Nystu will be sent to a Minnesota asylum. He is insane over war and imagines he is again at the front in the Philippines.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small, safe, sure and gentle little pills. Sold by A G. Andersen.

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POSTMASTERS TO ORGANIZE

POSTMASTER CALLAHAN OF LONG PRAIRIE CALLS MEETING OF POSTMASTERS

FOR ORGANIZATION OF MINNESOTA ASSOCIATION OF POSTMASTERS

From Monday's Daily—

The postmasters of the state of Minnesota are addressed by a letter from Postmaster W. T. Callahan of Long Prairie, Minnesota with reference to a meeting in St. Paul Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8th and 9th next for the organization of a Minnesota Association of postmasters.

Leave of absence has been granted the state postmasters by the postoffice department for as many days, not exceeding five days, 'as may be necessary to enable them to attend the first annual meeting of the Minnesota Association of postmasters." The organization of this association has not yet been made and opportunity is offered for all postmasters who attend to become charter members.

Postmaster Steenerson of Crookston has received full notice of the meeting and expects to attend.

The meeting will be held in the federal court room in the federal building at St. Paul.

"DOC" IS BURIED WITH SERVICES

WELL KNOWN DOG BELONGING TO WM. E. ROWE IS POISONED

"Doc" the well known and high bred hunting dog belonging to W. E. Rowe, passed away Saturday last after having been poisoned by arsenic. That night funeral services were held over the fine old animal's remains and he was buried north of the city in the dead of the night. Farmers in that section thought stolen treasure was being buried and Capt. Vonderbeck was notified and hurried north with reinforcements of farmers armed with guns and other implements of warfare and had it not been for the prowess of James Frazer the chief mourner and the balance of the quartette there might have been trouble. The mourners were finally recognized and matters explained.

The Great Pyramid

The greatest of all pyramids is Khufu Khut,, as the Egyptians call it, of the glorious throne of Khufu Khut. All its four sides measure 755 feet and the original height was 481 feet. The great staple beverage of the Northwest is golden grain belt beer. It is the most nourishing of all beers because it contains every particle of the healthful wholesome nutriment of the malt and all the tonic properties of the hops from which it is made. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

MRS. M'GLOGAN DIED OF BURNS

FORMER WELL KNOWN CROOKSTON RESIDENT PASSES AWAY IN ST. PAUL

PUBLIC HERE SHOCKED BY THE NEWS OF THE TERRIBLE TRAGEDY

From Monday's Daily—

Mrs. J. H. McGlogan 442 Beacon avenue Merriam Park who was burned about the lower part of her body last Wednesday evening, died at St. Joseph's hospital in St. Paul Saturday.

During the storm Wednesday night she went to the attic to close the window so that the rain would not flood the house. She lighted a match which set fire to a can of benzine and paint.

The burning oil spread to the woman's clothes. Her youngest son, Neil McGlogan, who was in the lower part of the house, heardl his mother's cries and going up stairs discovered his mother enveloped in flames. He at once went to her rescue.

The burning woman, fearful that her son might be injured, pushed him away. He fell against a window, cutting his right wrist severely. His hands were also burned by the flames.

Mrs. McGlogan rushed into the street while the flames covered her body. The flames were extinguished by several neighbors.

She is survived by a husband, who is superintendent of telegraph lines on the Great Northern railway, and two sons, Frank, married and living in Chicago and Neil McGlogan, who is working in the office of his father.

The people of Crookston were terribly shocked by the news of the fatal accident. The family resided in this city for several years when Mr. McGlogan was connected with the telegraphic service of the Great Northern the family residing on the Hill. Mr. McGlogan was one of the members of the Crookston fire department at that time, and with his wife was held in the highest esteem. In his hour of sad bereavement the sympathy of the entire community goes out to him and the stricken children.

GUS BROMSTAD COMMITTED TO THE INSANE HOSPITAL

Gus. Bromstad was committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls, Wednesday. He has been acting queer for some time and Wednesday noon made an outbreak that created considerable excitement for some time, taking possession of Gilbert Hestad's house and scaring all the others out. He does not seem vicious, however, his principal hallucinations being that the world is coming to an end and that some one is trying to kill him. He is the man who lost his wife and five children in the wreck of the Norge, north of Scotland, some three or four years ago, and it is doubtless this event that was the main cause of his trouble. During the winter he has been living alone in a sort of a shanty or hole in the ground on the Dakota side, and cutting wood. It is believed he will recover after a few months' treatment at Fergus Falls.—Hendrum Review.

COTTON AT TOP NOTCH.

New High Record for Present Movement Made at New York.

New York, May 27.—The price of the July cotton option reached a new high record for the present movement yesterday, when it sold at $10.25, which was $1.50 a bale above Saturday's closing price, and more than 2 cents per pound higher than the lowest record of last month.

SERVES TIME FOR DOUBLE.

Innocent Man Imprisoned for Forgery Committed by Another.

Pittsburg, May 27. — J. C. White, fifty-six years old, of New York city, was released from the state penitentiary of Pennsylvania yesterday after having served a year and a half of a five-year sentence for forgery committed by another man, his double

Some men are so lucky in money matters they can work off a bad quarter easier than other people can get a good one.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by A. G. Andersen.

ROBBED BY CON MEN

ENGLISHMAN THINKS HE IS BRIBING RAILROAD MEN FOR RIDE

WORK HIM OUT OF $20 MORE OR LESS AND ARE TAKEN TO JAIL

From Monday's Daily—

A lone Englishman tarried in the city last evening on his way from labor on the Great Northern east of here to Chicago and was touched for $20 more or less—he does not remember how much.

He entered into an agreement with two men who claimed they were brake men on the Great Northern whereby they agreed to carry him to the end of their division for a certain amount and they got away with his whole roll when he produced it. All of the parties were slightly under hte weather. The police have jailed two men today one of whom the Englishman identifies as being one of the men who worked the con on him, the other is well placed and the police are out on his trail this afternoon and will probably locate him before night.

TENDERLOINERS EDGING BACK

THIEF RIVER FALLS OBJECTIVE OF UNDERGROUND MOVEMENT OF DEMIMONDES

The forlorn inhabitants of the underworld are slowly wending their way back to Thief River Falls whence they were driven by enactment of acting mayor Pritchard two weeks ago. A delegation came west from Bemidji last Saturday and took the St. Hilaire train at Tilden Junction for St. Hilaire where they disembarked. The women and tin horns are on the way to the abandoned tenderloin at Thief River.

RAILROADS DENY RECALLING CARS

G. N. AND N. P. RAILROADS CREDITED WITH ISSUING AN UNUSUAL ORDER

It was rumored in railroad circles today that orders had been issued by the Great Northern and Uorthern Pacific that all freight cars now on foreign tracks be recalled as soon as possible and that no more cars be sent to other roads until further notice from headquarters.

As there appeared to be a surplus of the cars of those two roads on foreign lines, the report was readily believed in some quarters. Roads using cars from foreign lines must pay a per diem charge on all such cars and it is thought that during the slack business which prevailed a few months ago all lines would make an effort to clear their tracks of cars on which they were paying per diem charges.

Officials in St. Paul and Minneapolis however deny that any such orders have been issued from their offices and say there has been no charge whatever in the policy of either recalling or sending out cars.

The Great Northern and Northern Pacific lines both claim to have sufficient cars to handle the prospective business without calling in or prohibiting the sending out of any of their cars.

ROBBED ANDERSON BUTCHER SHOP

Night thieves broke into Albin Anderson's butcher shop on Broadway last night by pushing open the door and robbed the till of one dollar in cash. The front door was only held by a bent nail and the robbers just pushed their way thru the insignificant obstruction.

DEATH STOPS JOURNEY.

Michigan Man Shoots Himself While on Way to Station.

Menominee, Mich., May 26.—Having purchased a ticket for Germany and bidding good-by to his friends, Frank Cornelius, a prominent business man of this city, shot himself while on the way to the station this morning. Despondency caused by the death of his wife is responsible for the act.

PETER PRINZL WILL FOUND

GREAT SURPRISE IS SPRING AT FERGUS FALLS REGARDING RICH MAN

BEQUEATHS ALL PROPERTY TO RELATIVES OF HIS WIFE

From Saturday's Daily—

A genuine surprise was sprung at Fergus Falls Thursday evening when Mr. Hays, a Minneapolis attorney, arrived from that city and offered the will of the late Peter Prinzl for probate. The will appears to have been made in Minneapolis on Nov. 1 last. It is a two page, typewritten document, and is comparatively brief, bequeathing everything to his wife's relatives, who reside in Wisconsin.

The contest for administration of the estate has been in progress for some little time, and briefs were filed on May 15, Judge Frankberg took the question under advisement, and the appearance of the will, will of course result in the dismissal of the proceedings. The document names no executor, and the petitioner asks for the appointment of O. H. Lee and J. S. Ulland as administrators with will annexed. The property disposed of is worth from $20,000 to $25,000 and had the will not been made all of it would have gone to Mr. Prinzl's sister in Germany. The hearing on proofs is set for June 23.

The will was witnessed November 1, A. D. 1907 in the city of Minneapolis by Jas. P. Ryan and Richard I. Golden.

The fact that the will was not presented until some weeks after Mr. Prinzl's death has caused some comment and the circumstances under which it was drawn have not yet developed.

TEN YEARS AFTER DEWEY'S VICTORY

HARRY FALK HAS A BOOK OF NEWSPAPERS OF MAY 7TH, 1898

Harry Falk has a bound file of papers, the New York World and the Chicago Times-Herald, of the date May 8, 1898 in which the first public accounts of the victory of Dewey in Manila Bay, May 7th, 1898 occur. The papers took hold of the matter in true metropolitan fashion tho the cuts and style of that day in the newspaper makeup have already begun to appear ancient. The accounts give a complete history of the battle with statistics of losses and injuries. The losses on May 8th were not definitely known, but the newspaper correspondents' accounts were correct. There was only one man killed during the battle. Ten years do not appear to be such a long time until one reads the papers of that day.

Salesman Killed.

Sault Ste. Marie, May 22. — While viewing the sights at the locks late last night, Thomas O'Brien, aged forty-five, a traveling man for a Buffalo house, fell from the steps below the locks. He struck on his head and was instantly killed.

First Ore Cargo Loaded.

Duluth, May 21.—The first ore cargo of the season was loaded at the Duluth, Missabe & Northern docks yesterday morning by the steamer J. P. Morgan.

Canadian Hotel Burns.

London, Ont., May 22.—Two persons are dead and one missing as a result of a fire which destroyed the Queen's hotel at Tilsonburg early yesterday.

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DR. MITCHELL IN CHICAGO

APARTMENTS AT USTION FRATERNITY HOUSE IN WINDY CITY

GOES IN WITH PATILLO, EAR, EYE, NOSE AND THROAT EXPERT

From Saturday's Daily—

Communication has been received in the city from Dr. Frederick J. Mitchell now located at the Ustion fraternity house, 3232 Park Avenue, Chicago. Since the well known doctor left his home at Euclid he has visited at Milwaukee and points in Wisconsin.

The Euclid doctor does not now figure as surely on going to the Metropolitan Hospital in New York as they desire him for too long a time and will not favor a short period as he desired He will go in with Professor Patillo, a well known eye, ear nose and throat man of the Windy City and stay there for the entire summer in the clinics. At present he is taking in the Cook county hospital clinics where the famous Dr. Murphy operates.

The former Euclid doctor is in the best of health and is having a good time meanwhile.

YOUNG STUDENT TOO PARTICULAR

HE INSISTED THAT MINNEAPOLIS PAVING BE STRICTLY ACCORDING TO CONTRACT

A very interesting case has recently been tried in Minneapolis which was out of the ordinary run of litigation. C. R. Cressey, a senior in chemistry at the University was employed by the City Engineer's office of Minneapolis to watch and inspect the creosoting of the paving blocks used on the Minneapolis streets. Mr. Cressey being young and inexperienced in public matters thought that he was there to see that the creosoting was done according to the specifications and as a result he incurred the emenity of the contractor and some of the officials around the engineer's office, who were over him in the matter of street paving. As a result of the young man's zeal in protecting the city's interest he was assaulted by the contractor who was fined and he was finally driven from his job. He was not a quitter so he brought suit for damages for assault against the contractor and during the trial the whole matter of the city engineer's office were aired. There were even intimations of too close relations between the contractor and some of the city officials. As a result there has been a strong demand that the Henepin County Grand Jury investigate the whole matter.

Lightning Destroys Barn.

La Crosse, Wis., May 22. — Fire which started from a stroke of lightning, caused a loss of $8,000 in Alma. Catelburg Bros.' large stock barn was burned to the ground, together with all its contents, including thirteen horses, nine calves and a quantity of hay and feed.

Bryan Gets Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., May 22.—The Democratic state convention yesterday unanimously adopted resolutions instructing Michigan's delegation to the national convention at Denver to vote as a unit for the nomination of William J. Bryan for president until his nomination.

Missouri for Bryan.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 22. — The report of the committee on resolutions made last night was unanimously adopted, and the convention instructed Missouri's thirty-six delegates to the national convention to support William J. Bryan as a unit.

McIntyre Is Arrested.

New York, May 22.—Upon the finding yesterday of an indictment against him by the grand jury, Thomas A. McIntyre of the failed brokerage firm of T. A. McIntyre & Co. was arrested on a warrant charging grand larceny in the first degree.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Ever see the human nature in a jackass?

It's there. No less an august body that the United States appellate court discovered the attribute recently, gave it an officiel sanction, and then promulgated the following rules of instruction for those that wish to prove the theory to themselves.

1. Make the acquaintance of a nice good natured jackass.

2. Procure a sharp toothed rake a four-pronged pitchfork, and a three foot strap.

3. Run the rake over the animals back one every two hours, sharpening the teeth before every application. Intersperse this treatment with a liberal application of the business end of the pitchfork to the ribs of the asinus vulgaris. Employ the strap three times every four hours.

4. The jackass will do the rest.

The court, consisting of Judges Holdum, Adams and Brown, added this chapter to zoological history when it reversed a judgment of $511 against the Frank E. Scott Transfer company in favor of John Donohue. The plaintiff had used the above recipe upon a jack owned by the company. The animal pinioned him against a wall and broke the bones of his left arm and lacerated his wrist with his teeth. Donohue sued the company and was awardetd $511 but the higher court, in passing on the judgment said:

"There is a good deal of human nature in the jackass, and, while docile enough when kindly treated, the human attribute of resentment and retaliation are apt to be aroused when smarting under ill treatment or abuse

"These latent instincts of the brute nature are developed by abuse and made manifest under provocation, and they are not confined to the brute creation. The jackass had for days suffered indignities and cruel treatment at the hands of the plaintiff, and his attempts to retaliate by snapping and biting at plaintiff had failed. The jackass undoubtedly brooded under the insults of his tormentor and yearned for revenge. He watched his opportunity, and when the tormentor was off his guard and little dreaming of the retribution in store for him, the brute seized him and wounded him."

Mr. A. M. Hart of Fergus Falls has one of the most valuable hens in Otter Tail county if not in the entire northwest. When he bought her he knew he was getting a good hen but he little dreamed that she was going to develope the qualities which make her so valuable. She is a full blooded Light Brahma and he secured her from Southern Minnesota and it is safe to say that that locality will regret very much that it parted with this hen when it finds out what she is doing. After she had laid a goodly number of eggs she showed a desire to sit and as she possessed a large covering capacity Mr. Hart placed nineteen eggs under her and she started to perform her mission. Now it is not an unheard of thing for a hen to lay an egg after she has started to sit, but this hen has eclipsed all records by continuing to lay. It has been the ambition of hen fanciers to perfect the dual purpose hen, that is to secure one which was a good layer and of good size to sell to the meat market when she got too old and tough to lay This hen of Mr. Hart's has not only got the, size and is a good layer as well but she combines a third qualification of being able to lay while sitting. If she can perpetuate these qualifications in her chickens Hart has certainly got a fortune in this hen James J. Hill achieved his greatness as a railroad man when he evolved the principle of loading cars both ways, al tho it was a little tough on the man waiting for his freight, but the man who can develope a hen which is big enough for the pot pit and will sit and lay at the same time deserves much from his fellow men for the value of the egg product annually is greater than the entire receipts from transportation. Even Luther Burbank, the plant wizard, will have to take a back seat and the Hogan idea of selection of layers will become valueless. We will add that it is useless for anyone to apply to Mr. Hart either for eggs or the progeny of this hen for he is determined not to part with any of either until he has fully determined whether she is simply freak or is the mother of strain of hens which is destined to revolutionize the poultry world.

After all there is scientific basis for the old rhyme:

"Coming storms on shooting corns presage,
Your aches will throb, your hollow tooth will rage."

It's the low barometric pressure that sets the aches "to throb" and "the hollow tooth to rage." Professor Cox of Chicago the weather man, had to admit that United States Judge Bethea's rheumatic twinges were, after all, good signs of rain, and so he explained scientifically what caused it thus: "Where there is a lower barometric pressure, the weighing down of the air is diminished and accordingly the air in the bloodvessels and skin expands, causing pain. A lower barometer always precedes rain, and this explains why rheumatism always is more painful just before a storm. When the barometer rises, the outside air becomes heavier, the pressure of the air within the body is lessened and the pain ceases." According to Professor Cox, this is the basic principle of all the old time weather saws:

"Old sinners who have all
Points of compass in their joints
Can by their pains and aches find
All turns and changes of the wind."

Humidity has nothing whatever to do with all these "signs"; joints are just as likely to ache during a 'dry low' as a 'wet low' barometer; so says the weather man.

Blue Eyes.

That the color of the eyes should affect their strength may seem strange, yet that such is the case need not at this time of day be doubted, and those whose eyes are brown or dark colored should be informed that they are weaker and more susceptible to injury from various causes than gray or blue eyes. Light blue eyes are generally the most powerful, and next to those are gray. The lighter the pupil the greater and longer continued is the degree of tension the eye can sustain.

CONVOCATION OF EPISCOPAL CHURCH

REV. SHORE OF LISBON ADVANCED TO PRIESTHOOD BY BISHOP CAMERON MANN

The twenty-first annual convocation of the Episcopal church of North Dakota concluded its business at Fargo yesterday. At Gethsemane cathedral Rev. Mr. Shore of Lisbon was advanced to the priesthood by the Rt. Rev. Cameron Mann.

The bishop's charge was read and the several officers of the church presented their annual reports, which showed encouraging progress of the work of the church over the state during the past year. There was also held the annual meeting of the Woman's auxiliary. This year the attendance

POWER HOUSE FIRE FATAL.

Short Circuit Starts Flames and Damage Is $350,000.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 20. — Two men lost their lives, and property valued at $350,000 was destroyed by fire yesterday in the plant of the Lake Superior corporation in the Canadian Soo, across the river from this city. The paper mill and power house of the plant were destroyed.

Albert E. Walsh, superintendent of the dynamo room, twenty-four years old, was shocked to death while trying to extinguish the flames, which were started by a short circuit. Edward Gray, his assistant, aged twenty-four years, jumped into the canal after his clothing had caught fire while he was fighting the flames and was drowned.

SUES THE FERTILE SCHOOL BOARD

JAS. E. MORRISEY SUES SCHOOL BOARD FOR PAY FOR HEATING PLANT

Jas. E. Morrisey, of Crookston, who had the contract of installing the heating plant in the high school building at this place has commenced suit against the board of education for the balance due him on contract. The board has been holding a part of the contract price back, giving as a reason that the plant does not come up to the terms of the contract. Papers in the case were served Monday on the president of the board.—Fertile Journal.

Chronic Constipation Cured

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes Sold by all druggists.

A convenient thing about the big hats girls wear is when they are in the way of your lips they can take them off.

CLASS OF 12 AF WARREN

A VARIED PROGRAM FOR COMMENCEMENT WEEK IN WARREN

A LARGE CLASS TO GRADUATE THERE THE COMING WEEK

From Saturday's Daily—

The public schools of Warren will close for the present year on the 3rd of June. Preparations are now well under way for the several events of commencement week. The graduating class will number an even dozen and is made up of the following students: Anna M. Abrahamson, Edyard James Bren, Bessie Cornelia Chaffee, Ingolf Arne Grindeland, Nancy Elizabeth Head, Ula Miranda Pealstrom, Charles Simon Raadquist, Bessie Glynn Sinclair, Joseph Bartholomew Staska, Mary Vavrina, Arthur Gustaf Welin, Flo Edith Wadsworth.

The commencement address will be delivered on Saturday evening, May 30, by Hon. John W. Olson, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. A. Meyers at the opera house on Sunday evening, May 31, at 8 p. m.

The class day and commencement exercises proper will be held at the opera house on Wednesday evening, June 3rd at which time the diplomas will be awarded. Special music will be furnished by High School students.

The Junior reception will be held on June 1.

The Alumni banquet will be held on June 12. Invitations have been sent to all the alumni of the school and it is expected that a large number will be present. Mrs. H. C. Stuhr has taken hold of this affair in real earnest and it can be safely said that this will be the largest and best meeting of Warren High School graduates that has ever been held.

NOT SOLD UNDER THE RIGHT LABEL

WARREN MERCHANT SELLS IMITATION CIDER WITHOUT PROPER PRECAUTIONS

Yesterday at Warren a local merchant at that place was arrested and brought before Judge Keenan on the charge of selling imitation cider without a proper label in violation of the pure food laws of the state. Judge Keenan fined him $25 and costs.

Last night Inspector Helberg passed thru this city to Ada where he arrested two merchants today for violations of the state pure food law.

NORDAHL DENIES MURDERS.

Ranchman Arraigned Charged With Killing Family.

Butte, Mont., May 23.—Ole Nordahl, a Musselshell ranchman, was arraigned at Lewistown yesterday charged with the murder of the entire Schleuter family, a mother and three children, who were found dead two months ago on a lonely ranch. Nordahl pleaded not guilty. There is no known motive for the crime.

Gov. Broward in the Lead.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 23. — Complete returns from Tuesday's primary election have only been received from twenty-two counties out of the forty-six of the state. From these returns Gov. Broward, for United States senator, leads by about 1,000 votes, and Albert W. Gilchirist, for governor, leads by 4,500 votes.

Double Murder Charged.

Raleigh, N. C., May 23.—Ira Oakley, a young white man, has been arrested in Clarksville, Va., and brought here, charged with the murder of Mrs. J. M. Underwood and her young son and the burning of their house at Fuquay Springs to conceal the crime.

Ruef Jury Disagrees.

San Francisco, May 23.—After being out forty-three and a half hours, the jury in the trial of Abraham Ruef, the central figure in the bribery-graft prosecution, failed to agree upon a verdict and was discharged.

Soldier Heir to $150,000.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., May 23. — After serving twenty-eight years as private in the United States army, Frank E. Roberts has fallen heir to $150,000 by the death of his father in Wales.

DISTRICT BANKERS ELECT.

Marcus Lauritsen of Tyler Heads Group in the Seventh.

Willmar, Minn., May 23.—The Seventh district group of the Minnesota State Bankers' association elected the following officers at their convention here yesterday: Marcus Lauritsen of Tyler, president; Andrew D. O'Brien of Graceville, vice president; F. R. Putnam of Morris, secretary. This congressional district contains 169 banks, and all but nine are members of the association.

15 GRADUATES AT R. L. FALLS

THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES FOR THE RED LAKE FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

TO BE HELD AT OPERA HOUSE THURSDAY EVENING ON MAY 28TH

From Saturday's Daily—

A class of fifteen will graduate from the Red Lake Falls high school this year the largest in the history of our city. As is usually the case at least with Red Lake Falls schools the girls predominate in the class, there being thirteen young ladies and two young gentlemen in the graduating class. The names of the pupils who will complete their work in the high school this year are Gizella Schlesinger, Florence Fletcher, Carrie Altstadt, Jessie Carver, Lillie Zaiser, Olga Hanson, Viola Brady, Elsie Manly, Laura Cyr, Ernest Toupin, Herbert Findeisen, Freda Ittner, Ida Matthies Julia Kriel and Eveline Delage.

Supt. E. W. Chamberlain states that this year's class ranks high in scholarship, and every member has done good work during the entire course. The students have been painstaking and thoro and all of them will step out of school with high honors. The class is well balanced and the work of the different members has averaged up about equally.

The closing exercises in connection with the termination of the work have been under consideration for some time, and instead of the customary orations and essays as have previously been given, the class has secured an able speaker to deliver an address upon the occasion while the baccalaureate address will be given Sunday evening, May 31st, at the Presbyterian church by Rev. Philip A. Schwartz. Following the commencement exercises, which will be given in the opera house on Monday evening, June 1st, the Juniors will banquet the graduates at Paul's hotel, at which time one of the best spreads ever served upon such an occasion will be enjoyed by those participating.

The class colors are maroon and gold; while the daisy has been selected as the class flower. The motto is "Labor omnia vincit," and the class yell

Rac-amac-a-mac-a-mac-a-mac
a-mac-a-mac-a-mate
Red Lake Falls High School 1908.

FORMER CLERK GOES THE WAY

PAUL KOPANG INMATE OF REFORMATORY FOR CROOKSTON FORGERY

Paul Kopang was taken last night to the St. Cloud reformatory. Judge Watts sentenced him yesterday afternoon after the prisoner had pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in the third degree committed December 23 last. Kopang has been held at Winnipeg since January 19 last until extradited and brought to this city by Sheriff Gonyea. Kopang is only nineteen years of age and was formerly a clerk in a local store.

Six Injured in Auto Wreck.

South Bend, Ind., May 23.—Suddenly becoming unmanageable, a forty-five horse power touring car carrying the owner, J. C. Ellsworth, the chauffeur and a party of four, darted from the Sumption Prairie road last evening and, turning turtle, rolled down a steep embankment, badly injuring the occupants.

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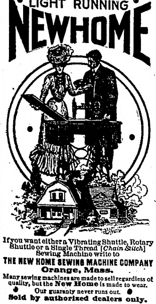

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MRS. TAFT'S VIEWS

INTERESTING GOSSIP WITH THE NEXT FIRST LADY OF THE LAND

"What kind of a woman is Mrs. Taft?" is a question which is being asked in that large area of the country where public opinion centers on the national republican convention to be held next month in Chicago.

There are many definitions to be given in replying to the question, for Mrs. Taft is a many-sided woman interested in various things.

The government's attitude toward art and music is a pregnant theme in every community and Mrs. Taft is keenly interested in all that means the practical aid of both. "But I cannot say that I think the time is ripe to ask government aid. The work along both lines must take a more definite character," said Mrs. Taft to the writer.

"But I am heartily in favor of the government taking the tax off works of art as a preliminary step to aid the arts and crafts industries.

"I can see nothing gained by admitting that our people need government aid so far as promoting home industries. It has always been our boast that the people do not ask such help, that they are able to help themselves and to make their way against all maner of difficulties.

"I think they are capable of bringing art and music to the same perfection which they have brought machinery and more practical pursuits. Remembering what a young nation this is, one need not make gloomy prognostications about music or art.

"I sympathize most cordially with those societies composed of cultured, broadminded people, who live simple, sincere lives, and who can find a wide field in spreading the doctrine of estheticism in the remote parts of the country.

Busy people who live in cities surrounded by beautiful objects and those generally of foreign manufacture can scarcely realize what it means to teach a rural community what true beauty is; to prevail on those who live in humble homes to discard useless and deleterious bric-a-brac and nightmarish furniture.

"To foster better taste in the American home is excellent missionary work, and to lure those who worship bizarre gods into the true temple of beauty is second only to religious and charitable endeavor.

"But small organizations must perform their work first then the cult will spread into the channels which will make the votaries of arts and crafts self-supporting. I should be loath to see our government attempt such an innovation as to offer aid to those who have chosen to worship at the shrine of the muses.

"And the useful crafts will soon gain a footing when the same amount of thought and intelligent labor is expended as by other nations against whom the American worker must compete."

The future of Miss Helen Taft, the only daughter of the secretary is giving her mother some concern. "My daughter will graduate from the Baldwin school at Bryan Mawr," said Mrs. Taft. "And she has taken all the examinations looking to admittance into the college next autumn and I think she will pass all the tests successfully."

"Now I cannot say definitely that I approve a college course for a girl. It puts her entire life out of balance. For instance my daughter will complete her education this June or next and will make her bow to society in the winter of 1909. If my daughter takes the full college course her natural companions will probably be married or dispersed when the time arrives for her to come out.

"Of course having a good time and going in for the social whirl is not everything, but few mothers like to see their girls give up such a delightful time as the first years after finishing school means.

"And a girl must choose between wisdom and pleasure. She cannot have both, and after all, for the natural vocation of women, the academic training is sufficient. Unless one desires to adopt literature or teaching as a profession the grind of the college education looks unnecessary.

"Not that I do not think that every kind of knowledge is valuable, though why a girl must give so much study to Greek and Latin to the neglect of the modern language which are so much more necessary, is something I do not comprehend.

"A woman who has studied earnestly makes a more useful mother of society than one whose accomplishments are superficial, but the middle course of a good academic course and special studies afterward meet all the requirements for the vast majority of the future wives and mothers.

"I have always believed that women should vote. I favor bestowing on them every civic right, but I should like to put in a prohibitory clause debarring them from running for public office.

"With women running for office, I think the natural scheme would be dispointed and the end and aim of the home destroyed. Their voice is nearly always the voice of wisdom and I see nothing unwomanly in their casting the ballot and exercising every right of the free citizen, but it seems that for the present it is impossible to disassociate the right to vote from the right to hold office.

"So the women who would never think of any other vocation than that of being good wives and mothers are prevented from taking their rightful share in governing the community thru the fear which men have of women stepping down from their pedestal. Except in rare instances the influence of women on politics is for their elevation.

"It is truly said that communities where women lack civic pride are in worse shape than those where man neglects his prerogative. Women should be versed in every phase of politics and should know what everything means which has a direct bearing on the home environment.

"That is my idea of purifying politics and I think it the only practical one, if one admits, which I do not, that our political condition calls for radical remedies."

Mrs. Taft devotes some part of every day to the study of languages, French and Spanish being her favorites. Few mistresses of the White House have known the continental tongues, something which has prevented a familiar knowledge of that fascinating part of society in Washington, the diplomatic corps. She is well equipped in this particular. She reads musical reviews from every part of the world where music is a power, in addition to magazines devoted to public questions and the best current literature.

Foreign travel after reading and music is Mrs. Taft's delight. She talks most entertainly of her recent sojourn in the Orient, and never wearies of relating the incidents and adventures of the journey across the Pacific, thru the Philippines, China and Japan, thence across the Siberian railroad to St. Petersburg.

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PAY DAY AT ERSKINE

FARMER PATRONS OF ERSKINE CREAMERY FILL CITY STREETS

REV. FISHER AT ERSKINE—STEENERSON BLOCK PROGRESSES RAPIDLY

From Saturday's Daily—

About one hundred farmers with horses and teams filled the streets at Erskine yesterday at the pay day of the Erskine creamery. Every one of the farmers were patrons of the institution and have been enjoying unparalleled prosperity for the past two or three months on account of the favorable pasturage.

Reverend Fisher recently addressed the citizens of Erskine in a patriotic meeting in the Woodmen Hall at that place. Previous to his address in the hall he spoke to the pupils of the schools on the making of rails. His talk was very interesting and much appreciated.

Professor O. N. Brevik of the Shelly schools spent Thursday in Erskine and gave a reading before the central and primary schools of that city. A party in his honor was given at the pleasant home of Theodore Nelson on Thursday evening and he departed for Crookston Friday morning, going from Crookston to Shelly last night.

The Erskine Hotel Association is making important improvements in its buildings for the summer season.

The work on the brick block for the newly organized Steenerson Lumber company at Erskine is progressing rapidly and will be done in a short time.

Farmers from the north of Erskine report that the land thereabouts is all under water and some fears are entertained that the seed thru out the flooded district will suffer from the rot.

A new boat landing will soon be built near the fire department building at Erskine for the accommodation of the public during the opening summber season.

DR. BUDWORTH LOSES APPEAL

SUPREME COURT SUSTAINS VERDICT IN THE SHELLY LIQUOR CASE

The supreme court has rendered a decision in the case of the state against Dr. Budworth, the Shelly physician, who was found guilty at the November term of court at Ada on the charge of illegal liquor selling. The supreme court sustained the verdict of the district court and Budworth will have to answer to the charge. Judge Grindeland suspended sentence last fall, awaiting the result of the appeal, Budworth giving bonds for his appearance. Budworth will appear before Judge Grindeland today at Ada and receive his sentence

HIGH WIND BLEW WINDMILL DOWN

William Strickey of Andover town arrived in the city this morning and brings tidings of a high wind about that place yesterday morning. The high northeast wind blew down his windmill and made of it almost a perfect wreck. He is buying an entirely new one today.

An Admiral's Stories.

One of the English admirals has a choice collection of stories at the expense of laymen placed in office at the admiralty as a consequence of a turn of the political wheel. Of one lord of the admiralty he told a delighted house of commons how, receiving a report of disaster to a ship couched in technical phrase, he wrote a reply remonstrating with the officer for his use of bad language. Another civilian lord, looking over a chart and observing that one of his majesty's ships, homeward bound, passed within a space of two inches on the chart an island where castaway sailors were sheltering, wanted to know why it could not call and relieve them. The admiral explained that the two inches on the chart meant a distance at sea of 4,000 miles.—London Strand Magazine.

The Ever Present Topic.

The clouds are drifting far away;
  The birds sing in the sun;
The wild winds with the waters play;
  I wish my work were done.

The grass is growing in the lane,
  The johnny-jump-ups too.
I wonder if it's going to rain
  And what our team will do.

The mists are lifting from the hills
  And floating wide and high.
The robin runs his little trills.
  I hope the diamond's dry.

I'm sitting here to dream and doubt.
  This labor makes me sore.
Hello! The extra's coming out!
  Hi, kiddie, what's the score?

CAPT. SNIDER A CANDIDATE

MINNEAPOLIS MAN GIVES ANSWER TO 4TH WARD COMMITTEE

MAKES BROAD DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES — SAVAGE BOOM SEVERELY CRITICIZED

From Thursday's Daily—

Samuel P. Snider of Minneapolis is a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of Minnesota. The former congressman made a formal announcement last evening, in reply to two committees, one from the Fourth ward Republican club of Minneapolis and the other from the Union Veterans and Sons' league, both of which have indorsed him and named the committees to ask him to become a candidate.

The meeting at which Captain Snider's answer was given was held at the Snider headquarters, 420 New York Life building. It was attended by a numebr outside of the committees. W. A. Fisher presided as chairman and C. W. Curtis acted as secretary. After the committees had stated their object in waiting upon him, Captain Snider replied as follows:

"The generous sentiments of regard and confidence expressed in the resolutions adopted by the republicans of the fourth ward touch me deeply and influence my response in a far greater measure than any personal ambition however laudable, to fill the high office with which you connect my name.

"The republican party believes that the laws of the commonwealth should be faithfully and honestly enforced, with favor to none, but justice to all.

"It believes in just and equal taxation for the requirements of government, and that every dollar of values within the state should contribute its fair share of taxes; and it believes in honest, healthy economy and in the exercise of a wise judgment in the expenditure of the state's funds; where for each dollar paid out, the state shall receive full equivalent.

"It believes in the beneficence of our various state institutions, from the great university to those maintained for charitable and reformatory purposes, and that they should be made to respond in the highest degree to the ends for which they were established and that they should keep step with the intelligence, health and wealth of the state.

Treat Corporations Fairly

"It believes that the large quasi public corporations, created by our own laws, or doing business within our borders, should not be the masters, but the servants; that they should fairly contribute to public revenue and render service for a fair reward. And it equally believes that they should have ample protection in their property and corporate rights under the laws of the nation and state.

"It believes that labor is the universal and inexhaustible treasury of competence, health and happiness; that work and wage should ever be just and fair equivalents; and their relations at all times should be normal. And it believes that capital is the fruit of labor and that it should neither dominate on the one hand nor be despoiled on the other.

"It believes that the chief executive officer of this state should labor unceasingly for the success of these principles, knowing that all relations in our social fabric must be founded on that justice, which is the constant and perpetual desire to render every man his due.

"Pledging my devotion to these principles, and thanking you and the 4th ward republicans for this mark of your confidence, I accede to your request and announce myself as a candidate for nomination as governor by the republican state convention."

In the informal talks that were made at the meeting several references were made to the proposed candidacy of M. W. Savage, and it was proposed that a committee should wait on him and ask him to withdraw No action of this kind was taken, but there was considerable criticism leveled at the proposition. One speaker declared that Savage could not be elected if nominated, and that Hennepin must get solidly behind Snider if it hoped to nominate a candidate for governor.

Captain Snider was elected to congress in 1888 from the old fourth district, which included both Hennepin and Ramsey counties. He was defeated for re-election in 1890 by J. N. Castle, going down with a hundred other republican congressmen in the democratic tidal wave. During his one term in congress he got the first appropriation for the St. Paul federal building, and was prominent in other matters of legislation, especially in getting money for deepening locks at the Soo. Since his retirement from congress he has not been very active in politics but has always been very interested in republican success.

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From Over The Valley

THE CROP SITUATION IN RED LAKE CO.

The crop situation in this county is reported to be in a highly favorable condition. The wheat crop will be at least fifteen per cent smaller than last year and compares favorably with the situation of a year ago. It is from a week to ten days earlier, with more moisture and warm weather to help it along. Little durum wheat has been sown in this county this year. The corn planting has just started, with about thirty-five per cent of the grain in the ground and it has been planted under favorable conditions, there being plenty of moisture and warm weather prevailing. The corn acreage will be about fifteen percent heavier than last year. There is no increase in the flax sowing as the new land that has been broken will be planted to corn in the majority of cases. Barley will be grown on a larger scale this year and from ten to fifteen percent greater acreage is reported.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

JUDGE HASSELL IS WITNESS IN CASE

The hearing in the will case in which Mrs. Dorothy Miesen of Muskegon, Minn., claims the $12,000 left by Anton E. Peterson of Benson county, on the ground that he made a marriage agreement which constituted a marriage 30 years ago, was commenced before Judge Cowan in the district court at Devils Lake yesterday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in making motions and no testimony was taken until the evening session when Judge L. K. Hassell of Grand Forks, was called as an expert witness to check up some statements from Norway relating to the relationship of certain claimants to the deceased. Judge Hassell was the only witness examined before an adjournment was taken today.

ABSTRACT COMPANY HAS BEEN INCORPORATED

The Mahnomen County Abstract Co., has been incorporated. The capital stock being $10,000. The articles of incorporation also permit the loaning of money, the selling of real estate etc. The incorporators are J. H. Sullivan, J. E. Beum and H. C. Aomoth. The president is Mr. Beum, the vice president Helmer Aamoth and the secretary-treasurer Jerry Sullivan.

TWO HORSES WERE KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Sunday night lightning struck the barn on the G. O. Gullickson farm in Lake Ida, Norman County and killed two valuable horses. The building did not catch fire and the loss was confined to the horses.

Knute Haugen, laborer, left the city two weeks ago and cannot now be found. His wife who has been ill for some time is growing worse and the home is in a distressful condition on account of the absence of the father. Knute Olson, the father-in-law of Haugen, is out looking for the departed gentleman with blood in his eye.

CARLINGS TOO MUCH FOR EDITOR STOUGHTON

Editor Stoughton of the Valley View returned to the city this morning from St. Paul where he attended the democratic convention. The big man had a singular experience at St. Paul just after he had partaken of a bountiful repast at Carling's. He went to the Dispatch building and it was necessary for him to enter thru a revolving door. Stoughton started and got half way thru when he found that he was too big and he could not go forward or backward. A crowd of people congregated at the entrance trying to get in, while as many more were trying to get out, but Stoughton was pinned there and it was impossible to move the door either way. The feat of getting the East Grand Forks editor out of his peculiar predicament was a puzzle to the janitor of the building who came to the rescue. Ways and means were thought of in quick succession but all were of no avail, until the door was removed and Stoughton was released. When the big man got into the open air again, he could only say that he would never again dine at Carling's.—Grand Forks Times.

A BIG FIVE ACRE STRAWBERRY FIELD

Torkel Oftelie returned recently from Norman and Becker counties, where he canvassed for the Fergus Woolen Mills. He visited Representative Bjorge at Lake Park and found him busy setting out strawberry plants in a five acre patch. He was using a transplanting machine the first of the kind Mr. Oftelie has seen, and it worked in great style. Mr Bjorgo was educated for the law, but runs a large farm and is very prosperous. He believes that strawberries are a fine crop for the Park Region and has been very successful in raising the juicy fruit. He also has a large flock of sheep and has 1500 pounds of wool for the market this spring. He has been a prominent member of the state legislature.—Fergus Falls Free Press.

Senator Heyburn of Idaho yesterday at Washington sent out the announcement that he would talk to the end of the session rather than permit the adoption of a conference report on the bill "To provide enlarged homestead." The bill as passed by the senate, limited the increased homestead of 320 acres to non-irrigable, arid and semi-arid land and the house struck out "arid and semi-arid land."

Mr. Heyburn charged that the bill was a land grabbing measure, permitting a single settler to take 320 in stead of 160 acres of non-irrigable land which in Idaho, he said, would include land that does not need irrigation.

Senator Flint insisted that California objected to the report but that it was unjustly increasing the homestead from 160 to 320 acres. Mr. Heyburn proceeded to make good his threat to the session to a close and after an hour had passed Mr. Nelson of Minnesota suggested to Senator Smoot that the conference report be withdrawn and that course was followed.

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After the wireless telegraph how can we do otherwise? Material limitations seem to be dissolving. Time was when wood and flesh were opaque. There came the X-ray and the fallacy of opaqeness was disclosed. To the X-ray the board has become as window glass. Time was when the unseen forces of the electric world traveled the material road of a copper or iron wire; but there came the inventions of Marconi and invisible messengers leaped thru the limitless spaces of the ether. Time was when sounds travelled on the air; in our own generation the telephone has transferred sounds by new and unknow roads to distances limited only by the desires of man.

And now—after nineteen centuries of fruitless effort—is man to crown the achievements of this inventive age by a full mastery of the air?

Why not? we answer. Here we are told of a new device able to lift two men—a machine without balloon or gas bag attachment, weighing perhaps a thousand pounds, and yet able to mount as do the birds and sail the circumambient air! And we say: Why not? Why has the machine been so slow in coming

Of course the problem has been solved. Man will mount, and spread and grow; and old things will pass away; and the earth will grow still smaller—for verily we live in a wonderful, a golden age!—Minneapolis Daily News.

Co-Education

We haven't full information as to just how far President Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin proposed to go in the segratgation of the sexes in that university, says the Minneapoli Journal but whether he meant to be radical and thoro or not he has aroused fierce opposition from those who appear to be opposed to any measure of separation of the boys and the girls in their school work.

And yet, President Van Hise is only following the tendency of the times in recognizing the objections to co-education where boys and girls are required to do substantially the same work and compete for the same degress. Chicago university has concluded that the best interests of both the young men and young women as students, require separation of the sexes in a large part of their college work. Other colleges organized for the admission of boys only have for years resisted the demand for co-education, but more institutions doing college work for women only, while the older ones are so crowded that applicants in order to secure admission must register two or three years in advance.

Co-education seems to be a logical and necessary condition of things in state universities, state normal schools and other public educational institutions, but it is not unthinkable that the state itself will recognize the advantages of separate institutions for the higher education of the young men and young women.

SEVEN LOST IN FLOOD.

Hundreds of Houses Washed Away in Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 27. — Seven persons are dead, from four to five hundred are homeless, thousands of acres of lowlands are inundated, hundreds of houses are washed away or damaged, railroad and wagon bridges are gone over a large area of the southern part of the state, several railroad bridges are damaged and the tracks of nearly every railroad company operating in the state are either washed away entirely or disarranged in those sections visited by the heaviest rain and most disastrous floods.

More than seven hundred houses in West Guthrie are submerged.

Mr. John Rlha of Vining, Ia., says, "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold." Sold by A. G. Andersen.

ROBBED BEFORE SUICIDE.

Menominee Man's Act Is Explained by Loss.

Menominee, Mich., May 27.—It is the belief of the local authorities that Charles Cornelius of Menominee, who committed suicide yesterday, was robbed of several hundred dollars two days before. Cornelius left Menominee for Europe on Tuesday with $500 and a steamship ticket in his wallet. When the remains were searched he had but $27 and the ticket was missing.

To Market New Hay in Month.

Barnesville, Minn., May 27.—The recent rains and cold weather in this part of the state has caused the grain to stool in a splendid condition, and if nothing happens this section of the Red river valley will produce one of the largest crops in years. The grain was sown early and has a good start, and the grass is coming in fine shape It is stated here that new hay will be on the market in about four weeks.

CONGRESSIONAL THRIFT

One of the many things congress hasn't done and isn't likely to do is to accept the proposal of Congressman John Wesley Gaines of Tennessee that the congressional mileage fee be reduced to 7 cents a mile, says the Duluth Herald. It is now 20 cents a mile that figure having been fixed at a time when communication was much more difficult and expensive than it is today.

This mileage fee is not compensation in any sense. It is simply traveling expenses. If you get down to the rights of it, congressmen are no more justified in taking 20 cents a mile and traveling for 3 cents a mile than any other public servant would be in padding an expense account.

There is morally no difference between a congressman who takes 20 cents a mile for his traveling expenses when 3 cents a mile would cover all of his legitimate expenses and a deputy United States marshal who took a trip costing $30 and put in an expense account of $200.

Yet congressmen not only take the 20 cents with great complacency, but they took it when they traveled on passes and their traveling expenses were little or nothing aside from what the porters and dining car waiters exacted from them. Not only that, but when Mr. Gaines proposes to reduce the fee to 7 cents, which would still yield a handsome profit, congress receives the proposal with sardonic amusement.

In the amount involved it isn't very important. The government can easily stand the expense, and if the congressmen think the mileage profits are necessary to give all they are earning, they have the right to take them. But it would look better if they would arrange to get them in the form of direct compensation, which could be done by another increase in congressional pay. It doesn't look well to see congress continuing to compensate itself under the guise of an expense account, especially when that practice is being pretty well rooted out of other departments of government. It is no longer considered good form to pad an expense account, or to travel on passes and put in bills for railway fare. Congress would be setting a better example if it would get in line with the prevailing habit of honesty.

Congresman get $7,500 a year in salary, to which they are entitled. If they are not worth that they are not worth anything. They get an allowance of $1,500 a year for clerk hire, and it is said that some of them manage to get away with part of this for their own uses. They get an allowance of $125 a year for stationery and if they use only a part of this allowance they pocket the balance in cash. They travel for 2 cents a mile, with additional expenses which another cent would easily cover and they collect 20 cents a mile to reimburse themselves.

This is all very thrifty, but is it quite honest?

TIME WONT BE EXTENDED FOR CUTTING THE TIMBER

STATE TIMBER BOARD WILL DISCONTINUE PRACTICE OF EXTENDING TIME OF PERMITS TO CUT TIMBER ON LANDS SOLD BY THE STATE

Permits for cutting timber on state lands will undoubtedly not be extended this year, as has been the custom in times gone by, the new ruling having gone into effect as a result of the work of state cruisers in unearthing the fact that much more timber has been cut from the cash-sale tracts than was embraced in the original estimate of the timber on the state lands sold.

During the past two months there has been considerable "kicking" on the part of loggers on lands bought from the state that Auditor Iverson had refused to follow the usual custom of extending the time limits of the permits, the loggers claiming that they could not possibly finish their cut in the allotted time.

In explanation of the action of the state auditor in refusing to extend the time of the permits, a party who is close to the state auditor states that a condition of affairs has been unearthed by the State Timber Board that makes it imperative that the permits be not extended, as much more timber has been cut than the amount called for in the original permits.

The outcome of the work being done by the timber board and the cruisers in the employ of the state will be watched with considerable interestt; as it is intimated that "something is liable to drap."

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for 'working this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CLEVELAND STRIKE ENDS.

Men Decide Not to Submit Seniority Rights to Arbitration.

Cleveland, May 27.—The strike of the street railway conductors and motormen may be declared off to-day. This was predicted last nigh' by both sides to the controversy, following the vote of the men now at work not to submit their seniority rights to arbitration. The vote of the men was decisive, 1,076 to 129. The negotiators for peace, therefore, have nothing material to arbitrate.

ONE KILLED, ONE INJURED.

Northern Pacic Freight Trains in Collision at Buffalo, N. D.

Fargo, N. D., May 27.—Fireman E. J. Rossiter was instantly killed and Engineer R. J. Kehoe probably fatally injued in a head-on freight collision at Buffalo, forty miles west of Fargo. The wreck is reported to have been due to a misunderstanding of orders. It was cloudy and foggy at the time of the accident.

Personal

If any person suspects that their kidneys are deranged they should take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and not risk having Bright's disease or diabetes. Delay gives the disease a stronger foothold and you should not delay taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

Even if a man doesn't make any attempt to flirt with a pretty girl on a street car, she suspects that he'd like to.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY STONE

Miss Tilly Brantl visited with friends and relatives at Tabor last Sunday.

Miss Laura Ramstad enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mrs. McDonald last Thursday evening. A ghost social was held at the Aeschliman school last Saturday evening. On account of the busy season the crowd was not large. The school room was very prettily decorated. The play "Lucy's Old Man" was a decided success in every way. Samuel Aeschlimann who represented Billy the Dutch man kept the audience in an uproar. Each character acted their part well and showed the careful training of Miss Laura Ramstad. In fact the entire program seemed to be enjoyed by all present as one could gather from the numerous compliments bestowed upon teacher and pupils. As a result those that were present can be seen with some extra smiles.

Mr. Harry Brandow of the Queen City drove up last Sunday and who can guess what kind of business he transacted

Among those that drove to Grand Forks last week were: Mr. and Mrs Samuel Aeschliman, Henry Horn, Simon Aeschlimann, Mrs. John Capes and son Everet and daughter Miss Violet and Mrs. Ehnen and daughter Miss Cora.

Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann called on their sister Mrs. John Gerber last Thursday.

Miss Laura Ramstad finished a very successful term of school. Parents and pupils are very much pleased with the work she has done. Miss Ramstad refused to teach another term. The questions naturally prompted are: "Has Miss Ramstad another position in view?" or "Has she made the most of Cupid's witcheries because of leap year?" We sincerely hope that she has the latter named "bee in her bonnet." Miss Ramstad left for her home in Crookston last Sunday and to say we are all sorry but faintly expresses our real feelings as she made many friends during her stay here who sincerely regret her departure.

KEY WEST

Mrs. James Lee drove to Grand Forks Saturday.

Miss Cora Champlain was seen on our streets Saturday.

The farmers of this vicinity are glad to see the stringing of telephones poles by the Euclid Telephone Company for an erection of a new telephone line. A number of farmers have already subscribed for phones.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart took dinner at the Buffington farm Sunday.

Mrs. McKinzie and children who have been spending a few days with George Rutherford and family, returned to her home in Grand Forks Monday.

The Harvey brothers from Grand Forks and Everett Capes from the Keystone farm took dinner with P. O. Augustine and wife Sunday.

John Beveredge transacted business in Grand Forks Thursday.

P. O. Augustine drove to Grand Forks Friday.

Edna and Lorne Capes took dinner with Ragna Kapstead at Key West Sunday.

Chronic Constipation Cured

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes Sold by all druggists.

MINNESOTA'S PORTION OF CONGRESSIONAL PIE

RESERVATION LEGISLATION, PUBLIC BUILDING CUT AND DRAINAGE LEGISLATION THE CHIEF MATTERS THAT WILL INTEREST PEOPLE OF THIS STATE AS RESULT OF PRESENT SESSION OF CONGRESS—CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON HAS DONE SOME EFFECTIVE WORK

The passage of the Rainy River bill by the House of Representatives at Washington Saturday and it's almost certain passage in the senate this week will wind up practically all the matters pertaining to Minnesota pending before congress.

The nomination of M. D. Purdy for district judge remains unacted upon, and there is a number of local bills, the passage of which has been practically given up. All of the more important matters have been taken care of, however and the record of the session shows that the Northwest has profited to a considerable extent, thru legislation and appropriations.

Fort Snelling Wins

The legislation and appropriations for the improvement of Fort Snelling the appropriation for the Minneapolis and other northwestern public buildings and the Volstead drainage bill, the Rainy river dam legislation, the Cass Lake forest reservation bill are the more important of those, in which Minnesota has been particularly interested.

Benefits to Fort Snelling will come mainly thru the designation of Sparta, Wis., as a maneuver ground and the authorization of the expenditure there of $150,000.

This legislation prevents the threatened removal of the cavalry from Snelling and the fort will continue as a cavalry post. Specific appropriations were secured, amounting to $16,000 for the completion of the rifle range at Ft. Snelling and other appropriations made in the general army bill, will provide for grading, construction of buildings and other improvements at the reservation.

Drainage Laws Help State

The drainage bill passed for the benefit of Minnesota and in which congressmen Volstead and Steenerson and Senator Clapp were particularly interested is looked upon as an especially important piece of legislation. It permits the state to proceed with the drainage of government swamp lands within its borders, assessing the charges against the lands.

Coupled with this bill is the provision that all of the Red Lake lands which were withdrawn when it was originally proposed to undertake drainage work by the government, shall be restored to final proof and settlement by homesteaders. Congressman Steenerson also secured an additional $10,000 appropriation for completing the survey of the Red Lake lands.

Cass Lake Benefited

The Cass Lake forest reserve bill opening up 70,000 acres of the forest reserve about the village of Cass Lake is also an important bill. This measure is the result of the efforts which have extended over a number of years for the relief of the "walled-in-village" around which timber lands had been taken for a reserve. A bill to open up the pine lands of the Red Lake reservation, on which Congressman Steenerson had secured a partial agreement, was held up by the governor, until further conferences can be had with the Indians.

Steenerson's Work

One measure of general application which is of interest in Minnesota is the resolution put thru by Congressman Steenerson as chairman of the militia committee, extending time within which national guard organizations may comply with the terms of the Dick laws.

The latter law is the one under which the state guards receive government aid, and are put on a standing with the regular troops. The time for compliance with the law was extended from 1908 to 1910, so that Minnesota and other states may have an opportunity to comply with its provisions.

The public building bill carried many items for Minnesota and the Northwest.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION CALL

A Republican County Convention for the County of Polk is hereby called to be held on Thursday June 25th, in the city of Crookston, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing 17 delegates to the State Convention to be held in St. Paul on the first day of July at eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating the following state officers: Governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general and two members of the railroad and warehouse commission and transact such other business as may properly come before the county convention.

The Primaries shall be held in the different precincts on Monday June 22nd between seven and eight o'clock p. m.

All republican electors of Polk County or other electors without regard to past political affiliation, who believe in the principles of the republican party, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the selection of delegates to said County Convention.

The basis of representation in said County Convention shall be one delegate for every 50 votes or the major fraction thereof cast for the republican candidate for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer and attorney general, at the last general election of 1906, and one delegate at large. No precinct to be represented by less than two delegates.

Andover	2
Angus	2
Brandt	2
Beltrami Village	2
Badger	2
Brandsvold	2
Belgium	2
Brislet	2
Bygland	2
Crookston	2
City of Crookston—	
1st ward	2
2nd ward	2
3rd ward	2
4th ward	3
6th ward	2
6th ward	2
7th ward	2
8th ward	2
Climax Village	2
Columbia	2
Chester	2
City of East Grand Forks—	
1st ward	2
2nd ward	2
3rd ward	2
4th ward	2
Euclid	2
Eden	2
Esther	2
Erskine Village	2
Fairfax	2
Farley	2
Fanny	2
Town and Village of Fisher	2
Fosston Village	3
Fertile Village	2
Grand Forks	2
Garfield	2
Garden	2
Gentilly	2
Grove Park	2
Godfrey	2
Gully	2
Hammond	2
Helgeland	2
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Hill River	2
Huntsville	2
Hubbard	2
Johnson	2
Keystone	2
Kertsonville	2
King	2
Knute	2
Liberty	2
Lessor	2
Lowell	2
Lengby Village	2
Mentor Village	2
McIntosh Village	2
Nesbit	2
Northland	2
Onstad	2
Parnell	2
Queen	2
Reis	2
Roome	2
Rosebud	2
Russia	2
Rhinehart	2
Sandsville	2
Scandia	2
S'etten	2
Sullivan	2
Tabor	2
Tilden	2
Tynsid	2
Vineland	2
Winger	2
Woodside	2

Dated May 22, 1908.

By order of the Republican County Central Committee.

J. C. SATHRE,
Chairman.

H. L. FALK,
Sec. pro tem.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST
BANK IN NORTHWESTERN
MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

May 25 In History.

Pope Gregory VII.

1085—Gregory VII., saint and pope, generally called Hildebrand, in whose pontificate the papacy first became supreme in temporal affairs, died; born 1018.

1659—Richard Cromwell resigned, and the protectorate ended; it had lasted five years.

1894—Dr. Alexander Kohut, a distinguished rabbi and oriental scholar, died in New York city; born 1842.

1907—Theodore Tilton, editor and author, formerly associated with Henry Ward Beecher and the plaintiff in the famous Beecher-Tilton trial, died in Paris; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:15, rises 4:30; moon rises 2:47 a. m.

BACK FROM TRIP—Jos. Ball returned this morning from a trip south where he has been looking after several land deals for the past few days.

RETURNED TO ADA—W. E. Rowe returned to Ada last evening where he will push the trial of the cases he has on there this term.

FINAL PROOF—Mrs. Sigrid T. Rue formerly Miss Strand, made final proof this morning at the land office on homestead situated near Wanke post office.

TO NORTH DAKOTA—Percy Bancroft left this morning for Hatton, N. D., where he will spend a few days attending to business matters.

FAT CATTLE — John Goergen of Belgium arrived in the city Saturday morning with a load of fat cattle for the local market. They brought good prices.

Kodol completely digests all classes of food. It will get right at the trouble and do the very work itself for the stomach. It is pleasant to take. Sold by A. G. Andersen.

BACK TO DEVILS LAKE — Tom Young who has been spending the past few days with the home folks, returned this morning to Devils Lake. He says there has not been as much rain out there as we have had here.

TURNED FARMER—Albert Bergh returned this morning from Fosston where he has been farming for the past few days. He said the dampness made him decide to return to his duties on the road.

TO SELL LAND—Hearing on petition was had this morning before Judge of Probate Morken on petition to sell land of Mrs. Christine Halvorson, incompetent of E. Grand Forks. Robert Anderson of East Grand Forks is the guardian of the old lady.

LITTLE GIRL DIED—Jennie Elizabeth, the 15 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bergene, 324 Garfield Ave., Jeromes addition died this morning of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence.

DIED IN CHICAGO—Telegram was received in this city Saturday informing of the death of William Anderson brother of Bert Anderson of this city, after a long illness of typhoid fever. He was a well known business man.

SUFFERINGS ENDED— Saturday evening, Mary, the three and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaiser died as the result of an injury to her spine which she sustained about 8 weeks ago as the result of falling down stairs. The funeral services were held from St. Marys church this afternoon, Father Smiers officiating. The family has the sincere sympathy of all in their sad affliction.

OPERATIONS SUCCESSFUL —H. D. Cooper, formerly in business here and who is now traveling for a photographic supply house returned this morning from Rochester where he was operated upon for chronic appendicitis and hernia by Mayo Bros. Both operations were successful and Mr. Cooper will be as good as new. This is pleasing news to his many friends in Crookston.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

May 26 In History.

1703—Samuel Pepys, whose diary of common life in England is noted, died.

1862—Henry Thomas Buckle, eminent British historian, died; born 1822.

1903—New York city celebrated its two hundred and fiftieth anniversary.

1904—Decisive battle at Nanshan hill, by which the re-enforcement of Port Arthur by Russians from the north was prevented.

1907—Mrs. William McKinley, widow of the late president, died at Canton, O.; born 1847.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:16, rises 4:29; moon rises 8:15 a. m.; 9:30 p. m., two of Jupiter's four satellites missing.

FROM SUPERIOR—Ray Ross, who is employed in a wholesale house owned by his uncle in Superior is spending a few days at Kittson visiting his mother and other relatives.

DOING WELL — E. D. Thompson arrived in the city from Perham where he and J. K. Scott have a moving picture machine doing a good business. He bought some fine fish with him which he gave to his friends.

TO FINISH BLOCK—John Florin will leave tomorrow morning for Fisher with a crew of men where he will put the finishing touches on the hand some new block being erected there by Gunder Krostue.

A NEW ENGINE— A new gasoline has been received on the McMullen farm at Kittson for the steam plow which is being operated there. The first engine did not fill the bill and another was shipped from St. Peter.

IN CLAY COUNTY—State Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph arrived in the city this morning from Clay county where he has been looking after state ditches for some time past. He departs this evening for St. Paul.

TAKING A VACATION — D. DeVaney, City Editor of the Daily Journal at Devils Lake arrived in the city last evening and this morning enroute to Argyle, where he formerly published the Banner, and will enjoy a short vacation before resuming his duties.

ON PROBATE BUSINESS— Atty. Wm. P. Murphy left this morning for Hallock where he was called to attend to some probate matters but will return this evening to act as interlocuthor at the Minstrel show, even if it is necessary to return on a special train.

GROWING WHISKERS—Chas. Holt left this morning for points on the north line. Charles is ambitious to raise a whisker, having become jealous of Joe Wessel, and is having a special brand of cream shipped in from Hallock which he rubs on his face every night. It appears that the cream is specially fertile and there are signs of a few hairs breaking thru.

TO RAY, N. D.—Orsin Doe of Red Lake Falls, well known in Crookston passed thru the city last evening on his way to Ray, N. D., where he will take charge of a drug store. Doe has been working in the Vogeli laboratories at Minneapolis for some time as well as previously at Red Lake Falls.

WIFE IS IMPROVING—R. P. Wade this morning received a letter from his wife who is receiving treatment in Fergus Falls. She is improving steadily, her two months course of treatment there having been very beneficial. This will be most welcome news to the many friends of the family in this city and vicinity.

BACK FROM OSSEO—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Samson returned to Kittson yesterday from Osseo, Minn., accompanied by their daughter Pearl. They were called below a couple of weeks ago by the death of the husband of Mr. Samson's sister and enroute home stopped in Minneapolis where Miss Pearl received medical treatment.

FINE BUSINESS—Joe Cunningham who left here some time ago after a visit with James Thompson of Geraghty and Co., his brother-in-law, to take a leading position with an East Grand Forks firm spent Sunday in the city meeting old friends again and departed Sunday evening for the west end city. He says East Grand Forks is still the liveliest place on earth and he likes the town.

PHEASANT EGGS—Senator S. D. Works left this morning for Euclid and took a setting of ring necked pheasant eggs which he will hatch out under a hen on one of his farms near there and turn the birds loose among the groves east of Euclid later in the season.

LITTLE DAUGHTER DIED—Last evening Agnes the 15 months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baatz died after a siege of the measles. She was the only daughter, there being five sons. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Annes Church, Father Tapin officiating. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the afflicted family.

WIFE IS VERY LOW—Henry Hooper passed thru the city this morning enroute to Stephen accompanied by his wife who for some time past has been taking treatment in the sanitorium at Pine City, Minn. Her condition is very grave and it was thought best to take her home. They have been married but 4 years and the many friends of the family deeply regret the serious condition of Mrs. Hooper who is suffering from tuberculosis.

Martin Nelson, ex-dog catcher of this city received word this morning of the death of his father Ingebret Nelson at Litchfield, Minn. Martin is the only son and his mother is dead, consequently his father's fortune amounting to over $25,000, mostly in cash will go to Martin. His father died two weeks ago and Martin received notice this morning of the fortune that had been left him.

Deceased came to this country 40 years ago and resided on a farm which is one of the finest near Litchfield.

Serious Results Feared

You may well fear serious results from a cough or a cold, as pneumonia and consumption start with a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs or colds and prevents serious results. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

May 27 In History.

1794—Cornelius Vanderbilt, capitalist, born; died 1877.

1836—Jay Gould, financier, born; died 1892.

1905—Beginning of the two days' naval battle in the strait of Korea between the Russian fleet under Admiral Rojestvensky and the Japanese under Admiral Togo.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:17, rises 4:29; moon rises 3:45 a. m.; moon at greatest libration west.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—Supt. Nicholson of the Dakota Division of the Great Northern passed thru the city this morning enroute home after a trip to St. Paul in his private car.

HOME FROM ASHLAND—E. Moeckel returned this morning from a most pleasant visit at his old home at Ashland, Wis., and also visited St. Paul and Minneapolis. While at Ashland he enjoyed some trout fishing.

TYPHOID FEVER— Nels Peterson 509 Hunter Street, is suffering with an attack of typhoid fever. He was taken down last week and is getting along fairly well at this time.

A FOUR POUND BASS — A four pound bass was found on the shore of Maple Lake yesterday dead. Fishermen have been rapidly lining the banks ever since.

RETURNED TO FARM — O. A. Blomburgh, who has been visiting here for a short time returned this morning to his farm located near Randen post office, Marshall County, where he will spend the balance of the summer.

TO EAST COUNTRY—Orin Daniels departed east this morning and will spend the day trying to get to the farmers in the town of Johnson in the far northeast corner of Polk county on official business.

DRAFT RECEIVED — Clerk Carl Reidesel yesterday received a draft for $2,000 in payment for a policy on the life of Matt Cornelius carried in the Modern Woodmen of America. This is a very rapid settlement of a loss.

OLD TIMER HERE—"Bagley Banner" Woodward, who runs a cigar factory at Bagley is spending the day in the city, having worked in the local shops. He says business is good in the east line town and has been kept busy today shaking hands with old time friends.

DAM WASHED AWAY — A large section of the lower dam in Fergus Falls has been washed away as a result of the sudden rise in the river, caused by the soaking rains. The dam furnished power for one or two factories which will be compelled to close down temporarily.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

BITTER FIGHT OVER CHILDREN

T. W. CAMPBELL ASSERTS WIFE IS IMMORAL IN AN AFFIDAVIT

WIFE ASSERTS THAT SHE IS ENTITLED TO THE CHILDREN

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

A bitter fight is being waged for the possession of the two little children of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Campbell at Grand Forks. A sensational affidavit was filed yesterday by the husband who is defendant in a divorce action and who was cited to appear in Judge C. F. Temppleton's court and tell why the children should not be given to the mother. The affidavit was just a starter, it was announced by Calder & Germain his attorneys, who stated that they desired more time in which to prepare further affidavits in support of her contention that she should have the little ones.

Says Wife Is Unfit

In his affidavit filed yesterday Campbell contends that his wife is unfit to have the children. He asserts she is immoral. The defendant is sparing no effort to retain control of the children and will file more affidavits on Friday in support of his contention.

Judge Templeton adjourned the hearing on the order to show cause until Friday at 10 a. m. when the attorneys will be given another opportunity to file affidavits and take such action as may be deemed necessary.

WILL JOIN FAMILY—T. E. Biever will leave this evening for Hamilton, Mont., where he will join his wife and family who are there for the benefit of Mrs. Biever's health. The hosts of friends of the family thruout this section trust that he will return in a short time with Mrs. Biever much improved.

STOLE CHAIRS— Fylling's furniture store is short four chairs as a result of theft and the police have been casting about to apprehend the guilty parties for some few days now. The chairs were found in the shoe shop across the street. The shoemaker says he bought the chairs of Henry Michael, now in jail, formerly employed as laborer at Fylling's store.

ENROUTE TO BUTTE—J. A. LePage of Mentor, son of F. E. LePage and lately honorably discharged from the United States Navy, passed thru the city last evening on his way to Butte, Montana where he will visit with his brother Felix who is situated out there. He may locate in the West if he is satisfied with the prospects.

BACK FROM BENOIT—Fred Langdon, the genial agent of the Hamm Brewing Co., went to Benoit last evening on the Duluth passenger train and returned to Crookston on freight at 3 o'clock this afternoon. He says the crops about Benoit look fine and the farmer in that section all feel highly encouraged over the prospects. They have had no more rain in that vicinity than is needed.

FARMERS ARE JUBILANT—John Rookstad formerly a miller at McIntosh but who is now employed in the flour mill at Rugby, N. D., returned to that place this morning after a visit with friends and relatives here and at McIntosh. He says the farmers about Rugby are jubilant over the crop conditions in that section.

MAY LEAVE McINTOSH—It is said that Charles Conger of McIntosh who visited in the city Sunday and part of Monday, will probably leave McIntosh in the near future to make his home elsewhere, and it is just possible that he may be induced to locate in Bemidji. Mr. Conger is a first class business man having been a banker at McIntosh for several years past. He would be a valuable addition to the business interests of Bemidji and it is hoped that he will decide, in case he moves from McIntosh to make his home in Bemidji.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The Commencement exercises of the Crookston High school will be held Thursday evening of this week at the Crookston Auditorium. The graduating class is the largest in the history of the Crookston High school, there being 31 members of the class, not one having failed to pass the examinations which were concluded yesterday.

Without doubt the capacity of the Auditorium will be taxed tomorrow evening because of the large class as well as the fine program that will be rendered.

SWINDLER SENT TO PRISON.

Pay Clerk on Steamer Is Sentenced for Embezzling $3,000.

Manila, May 27.—F. C. Peters, formerly pay clerk on the steamer Rainbow, who was arrested on May 12 on the charge of embezzling $3,000, pleaded guilty and has been sentenced to three years and four months in Bilibib prison.

PLEASED WITH CROOKSTON

HUTCHINSON BUSINESS MEN LOOKING AFTER FARMING INTEREST HERE

W. W. SIVRIGHT, CHAIRMAN OF LAST STATE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

W. W. Sivright and L. A. Rytter, prominent business men of Hutchinson, Minn., arrived in the city this Morning and were shown about the city this morning by Senator A. D. Stephens. This afternoon they drove into the country to look after their farming interests, having considerable Polk County land.

Mr. Sivright is making his first visit to Crookston and was highly pleased with Crookston. While he had heard a great deal of the city he did not expect to see as metropolitan a place as greeted his vision in his travels this morning.

Mr. Sivright gained state wide prominence as chairman of the last state republican convention at Duluth, which nominated the late A. L. Cole for governor and is a politician of considerable influence.

Both Mr. Sivright and Mr. Rytter and thoroly satisfied with their Polk county land holdings and will probably acquire more Red River Valley land in the near future.

ACCUSES HIS FATHER-IN-LAW

HAS OLD MAN ARRESTED FOR THREATENING TO KILL HIM

On complaint of his son-in-law C. C. Arnold, operator at Grand Forks Junction, Thomas Smith, residing two and one-half miles west of Grand Forks, was arrested yesterday. Arnold claims that his father-in-law entered the telegraph office while intoxicated and attacked him. He worsted the old man in the encounter. Smith left and threatened to return later and shoot Arnold. For this threat Arnold had the old man arrested. Smith was drunk when jailed but will be sober enough for the hearing today. The arrest was made by Sheriff Hanson.

CANDIDATE FOR SUPERINTENDENT

FORMER CROOKSTON STUDENT FORGING TO THE FRONT IN ROSEAU COUNTY

Eddy Bilberg at one time a student in the Normal department of the Crookston Hight school is a candidate for superintendent of school in Roseau county and has already filed for the nomination. From reliable sources we are informed that Mr. Bilberg for years has been one of the foremost educators of his county and, besides being eminently qualified for the position he seeks, is a young man of exceptionally good habits and, is highly esteemed by all who have made his acquaintance. Having received part of his education in our schools we naturally feel interested in his success and the more so because his faithful, earnest and able work in his line is a credit not only to himself but also to the institutions where he received his education.

To Have Bumper Strawberry Crop.

Munising, Mich., May 27.—That the Upper Michigan strawberry crop will be a record breaker this spring is indicated by advices which come from the various farming districts where raising the fruit is a pursuit that has attained large proportions.

Crops Good, Says Elliott.

Detroit, Mich., May 27.—President Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific railroad, while passing through Detroit yesterday said that crop indications were better than ever before in the Northwest.

Shot With Gun He Gave Boy.

Waterloo, Iowa, May 27.—John Weberking, a resident of Waverly, eighty-three years old, was accidentally shot in the leg yesterday by his grandson, to whom he had presented a .22-caliber rifle.

Unknown Man Drowned.

Rhinelander, Wis., May 27. — The body of an unknown man was taken from the power canal of the Rhinelander Paper company. There is nothing on the body to identify the remains.

Killed in Collision.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 26.—One man was killed, three injured and a score of passengers severely shaken up in head-on collision that occurred at Reynolds, Neb., on the Burlington road, between a passenger and a freight train.

DISREGARD COMMISSION

CITY COUNCIL ABATES SIDEWALK TAXES JUST THE SAME OLD WAY

TAX COMMISSION LETTER TO COUNTY AUDITOR HOFFARD DISREGARDED

From Wednesday's Daily—

In a few sweet minutes meeting last night the city council of Crookston abated a few more taxes levied on sidewalks, now recalled from construction, notwithstanding that the tax Commission wrote County Auditor Hoffard some days ago that he had no right to abate taxes once on the tax rolls. If the county auditor is not able to rebate the taxes spoken of the city council's doings will prove them just so much wind. However the councilmen with the city attorney backing them up are very confident of their ground.

If the county auditor eventually is not able to abate the taxes before pay day comes, the sidewalk tax payers will have to pay their taxes under protest and try the matter out in the courts.

ASYLUM THREAT MAKES DESPONDENT

JAS. SLONEK SHOT HIMSELF WITH REVOLVER WHEN ASSESSOR SIGHTED

Dr. Chapin of Euclid was deputized by Coroner G. S. Chesterman of this city yesterday to go to section 31 in Tabor township, Polk county about twenty miles northwest of Crookston to investigate the death of Jas. Slonek last Monday.

From statements made by parties in from Tabor yesterday it appears that the brother of the one who committed suicide was owing him $1,100 that he had repeatedly asked for a settlement but instead of giving him satisfaction kept "joshing" him and telling him he was crazy.

Monday he again asked for the money due him, and the brother, it is stated, told him he was going to have him sent to the asylum at Fergus Falls. A little later the township assessor made his appearance in the distance and as he was coming over toward the two men, the brother told him that it was the sheriff and that he was coming to take him to the insane asylum. There upon the frightened man took a revolver and ended his life.

FOUND RUNNING WILD IN FIELD

PETE RYDER IS CAPTURED BY THE GRAND FORKS SHERIFF

Running wild in a field about seven miles west of Grand Forks, Pete Ryder was arrested yesterday by Sheriff Hanson and Deputy Sheriff Johnson and lodged in the county jail at Grand Forks. Ryder seemed to be in fear that some one would seriously harm him. He was headed west when sighted. Ryder is a former resident of Oslo it is stated.

FAMILY HAS MANY ACCIDENTS

Will Finlayson, the Euclid liveryman returned this morning from Kent Minn., where he was called by an accident to his brother Lourence Finlayson running a transfer line there who accidentally broke a leg a few days ago. Will recently broke his leg, and another brother Attorney Geo. Finlayson is still wearing crutches as the result of a broken ankle a short time ago. Mrs. Agnes Finlayson of this city is the mother of the unfortunate young men.

It is a pity to see a person neglect indications of kidney or bladder trou Remedy at the first sign of danger. ble that may result in Bright's disease when Foley's Kidney Remedy will correct irregularities and strengthen these organs. Take Foley's Kidney Sold by all druggists.

"Pete" Dailey Dead.

Chicago, May 26. — Peter F. Dailey, for thirty years one of the best known and best [illegible] comedians on the [illegible] stage, died of pneumonia in his apartments at the [illegible]

It's easy for a deaf mute to love a girl more than tongue can tell.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

MANY MEASURES ARE LEFT OVER

EARLY ADJOURNMENT OF CONGRESS LEAVES IMPORTANT BILLS TO NEXT SESSION—AMONG MEASURES LEFT OVER ARE TEN OF FIFTEEN INJUNCTION BILLS, BILL FOR REMOVAL OF DUTY ON WOOD PULP AND PRINT PAPER, REDUCTION OF TARIFF ON PRODUCTS OF PHILIPPINES—BIG APPROPRIATIONS

The decision to adjourn this session of congress one week from Saturday leaves a good many legislative measures high and dry. They will still be alive at the next session, but as the time of a short session is occupied almost exclusively with appropriation bills failure to act on them at this session means that they are likely to remain in the pigeonholes. Here is a partial list of the more important bills that are to be put over:

The Civic Federation—Administration bill to amend the Sherman anti-trust law.

Some ten or fifteen anti-injunction bills.

The administration bill authorizing federal employes to sue the government for personal injuries sustained while in the line of duty.

The bill for publicity in connection with campaign contributions.

Reduction of tariff on products of the Philippines.

Removal of the duty on wood pulp and print paper.

Removal of duty on works of art.

The bill to reinstate the men of the Twenty-fifth infantry (colored.)

Revision of copyright laws.

The bills for the revision and codification of the laws of the United States in accordance with a commission which put in seven years of labor.

Prohibition for the District of Columbia.

The measure supported by the National Anti-Saloon league regulating the interstate shipments of intoxicating liquors.

The Apalachian-White Mountain forest reserve bill.

To make Porto Ricans United States citizens.

United States to own its own embassies abroad.

Bill for the purchase of a home for the American embassy in Paris.

Swamp land reclamation, similar to irrigation statute.

Retirement of superannuated federal clerks.

For the establishment of federal grain inspection.

Reorganization of the postoffice department in accordance with the recommendations of the postal commission created at the last session of congress.

The resolution providing that the ways and means committee shall sit during the congressional vacation and prepare for tariff revision has not yet been passed, but the program provides that it shall be put thru. The initiated here at the capital do not attach great importance to such action. The passage of the resolution will be regarded as a sort of "sop" to the advoaates of tariff revision—to those influential republicans who are insisting that there shall be a sign pointing to action in the immediate future.

Of course there are hundreds of bills on the "put over" calendar that have not been enumerated because they did not even receive consideration in committee. Scores of bills affecting the railroads were introduced during the session. The committee on commerce in the senate and the committee on interstate and foreign commerce in the house decided early in the session that there should be no railroad legislation at this session, and so the bills on the subject were laid aside. Shippers are particularly interested in two of these bills and made unsuccessful efforts to get committee action on them. One is designed to prevent railroads from increasing freight rates arbitrarily; the other is intended to compel railroads to furnish cars on application by shippers.

Postal savings banks and mail ship subsidy are before the committee on conference on the postoffice appropriation bill, the senate having attached the et owmareus):,ssh shrdcmfwp d the two measures to the supply bill as amendments. The house conferees are standing out against both measures on the ground that if they are meritorious they should go thru congress in the regular way. The indications are that the conference report on the postoffice will be one of the last submitted to the two houses.

The appropriation bills, in spite of the many warnings given by the chairman of the appropriation committees, carry extraordinary amounts. Rough estimates of the total amount that will be appropriated indicate that it will not fall short of a billion dollars. If all the demands for money had been heeded the total amount would have approached a billion and a half dollars The republican leaders are worried about the condition of the United States treasury. They forsee that unless government receipts begin to pick up pretty soon the showing which the party in power will have to discuss in the coming national campaign will demand a good deal of explanation.

PROCLAMATION OF GOVERNOR JOHNSON

That the people of this state may show their appreciation of the services of those who "upheld the noblest cause for which freedom ever fought" Gov. Johnson has issued a proclamation designating Saturday, May 30, as Memorial day. In flowery language the governor describes the momentous struggle of the soldier dead, in whose honor this day is set apart and the spirit of unity which now prevails thruout the land. The proclamation follows:

"Again approaches the day set apart by the people of a grateful republic to honor the memory of their soldier dead. Gratitude to them who bravely and nobly made the nation's cause their cause, inaugurated the custom, and succeeding generations of patriotic, loyal and liberty-loving Americans will look to its perpetuity. The approaching 30th of May will give our people another opportunity to show their appreciation of the services of the men who, on land and on sea, upheld the noblest cause for which freemen ever fought.

'Human liberty was involved in that great struggle and in its righteous cause no man has ever died in vain. But it is not that old wounds should be reopened, or that sectionalism should again become an issue before the American people that this day is dedicated to the soldiers of the Civil war; better that the dead should bury their dead than that a reunited country be torn by sectional strife. But of this there can be no fear. Ties of loving kindred reunite the north and south. On southern battlefields generous hands with strict impartiality decorate the graves of the heroes who came among them as foes a half century ago. In the north, there is left no bitterness of spirit as the heritage of the struggle. We are in truth and in spirit one country and one flag.

'In conformity to the proclamation of the president of the United States and the custom long since established among us, I, John A. Johnson, governor of the state of Minnesota, do recommend that on Decoration day, Saturday, May 30, 1908, all schools, factoriese, mills and other places of business be closed and that labor of all kinds be suspended. Let us colectively and individually make this day one sacred to the memory of those who imperilled their lives for the cause of their country."

PETITION FOR OUTLET

N. Z. HORTON WILL APPEAR WITH COMPLETED PETITION FOR DITCH

OPPONENTS OF 72 ASSENT IF PROPER OUTLET IS MADE

From Thursday's Daily—

The opponents of county ditch 72 will be appeased when N. Z. Horton appears in the city in a few days with a petition for ditch 79 which numeral modestly conceals the real importance of projected water way.

For ditch 79 will be the outlet of the projected ditch 72 which met so much opposition at a recent meeting of the county board. The opponents of the ditch objected at that time to the establishment of ditch 72 on the grounds that the water coming out of the ditch along the western side of Onstad township would not be provided for by a sufficient outlet and the water would be dumped onto the farms at that point.

The ditch 72 commences near Mentor and runs west about 16 miles. The farmers in Russia and Hammond were the chief opponents and appealed to the district court for injunction being supported by signed papers from George A. Ralph, state drainage engineer, and Orvis Hinds county engineer, recommending that the ditch would do the farmers damage and it was advisable to increase the capacities of the outlets before building 72.

By the petition that Mr. Horton of Tilden town will bring in the outlets, consisting of county ditches 11 and 12 and eventually Burnham Creek, will be enlarged, deepened and extended to sufficient capacity to take care of all the water that the original 72 will bring down.

The matter instead of being fought out in the courts will be amicably settled.

PLANT TREES ON FARM

PROF. DETWILLER OF ST. ANTHONY SCHOOLS FORESTRY DEPARTMENT HERE

TREES FOR POSTS AND FOR WINDBREAKS TO BE PLANTED

From Thursday's Daily—

Professor Detwiller of the forestry division at the state schools at St. Anthony Park departed last evening for Brainerd on the Northern Pacific and will look over the forestry reserves at that point in connection with his work.

Mr. Detwiller spent the day yesterday in the city at the state experimental farm with Supt. Robertson and the corps of teachers there. He is looking over the ground at the instance of Supt. Robertson with the intention of establishing tree growths on the farm and determining what trees are the best grown for windbreaks and for posts. The final results will go on record for the good of the residents of this part of the valley.

COLORED WITH COAL TAR DYE

STATE PURE FOOD INSPECTOR HEIBERG ARRESTS THREE GREENBUSH MERCHANTS

Deputy State Pure Food Inspector Heiberg who has been attending to business for his department arrested three offending merchants at Greenbush yesterday and brought them before Judge Dock there who fined them $50 and costs each. The offending merchants were arrested for selling blackberry brandy colored with coal tar dye, the use of which last is expressly forbidden by the state statutes

The brandy is not a domestic product but is made in other states to the south. It has caused a great deal of trouble for the saloonkeepers who keep it in stock thru the north country. The article is particularly susceptible to adulteration.

Inspector Heiberg also visited Roseau and Badger on business making no arrests however. This morning he departed for Warren where he has one case. He says however the stocks are very clean thruout this district.

THE BOAT TIPPED OVER

TWENTY-TWO RIVERMEN CAME NEAR LOSING THEIR LIVES YESTERDAY

WENT DOWN THE CUT-OFF IN A SIXTY MILES AN HOUR CURRENT

From Friday's Daily—

Twenty-two rivermen came near losing their lives yesterday at the new cut-off on the Red Lake river four miles south of Thief River Falls. At noon a crew of twenty rivermen got into a boat in charge of John McCoy and Will Flinn just above the cut-off to be taken to the wanegan for dinner While going across the river the boat became unmanageable and went down the cut off where a sixty mile an hour current is flowing. The boat capsized and the twenty-two men were thrown into the swift current All succeeded in saving their lives but some came very near meeting death. Billy Lee one of the drivers was pinned between the capsized boat and a boom stick and was kept in the water for two hours. It was necessary to chop the boat in two before he was rescued, and when taken from the water was nearer dead than alive. Three of the men were in such a serious condition that they were brought to Thief River for medical attendance. They are now getting along nicely.

Joe McAndress, who is keeping time for the crew, came to the city Tuesday and purchased twenty hats for the other drivers who were in the Capsized boat. All of the pike poles and peavies were also lost.

NOTES MANY CHANGES

H. A. CHURCH LOOKING AFTER HIS LANDS IN RED RIVER VALLEY

JUST RETURNED FROM CALIFORNIA AND SPEAKS OF IMPROVEMENTS HERE

From Thursday's Daily—

H. A. Church formerly of Marshalltown, Ia., arrived in the city this morning from Minneapolis, having just returned from a winter spent at his Los Angelos home. Mr. Church has large land interests near Kennedy and left for that place this morning. In speaking of conditions here to a representative of the Journal Mr. Church said this morning:

"I have not been in Crookston for 6 years and I note many substantial improvements in the city since I was last here. Your streets are certainly very fine, and I note many substantial business blocks erected since I was last here.

"I have firm faith in the future of the Red River Valley and will hold all my land. When the drainage of the valley is completed the steady prosperity of the entire section is assured. The drainage is comparatively easy, and the cost is much less than in most sections of the country. You want to keep drilling away on drainage till the entire system is completed.

"I understand from Engineer Ralph that a vast amount of drainage work is being done this year. I am glad to see it. You have the soil here that will produce as much as any land out of doors."

A PROFITABLE LOT OF HOGS

John Slywesterson one of the progressive farmers of this section, who resides on the E. B. Himmelsbach farm town of Fairfax on Rural Route No. 3 out of Crookston, is getting into the high bred pig business on a large scale., and this spring has a large number of pigs which he is selling of the Birkshire breed. He guarantees these pigs to gain a pound and a quarter of meat every day for the first 8 months, and at that rate could be fed on good wheat at a big profit.

They are undoubtedly as fine hogs as can be seen in Iowa, Illinois or any of the old hog states. He has quite a number more to sell and the farmer who fails to get some of these pigs to breed from is making a mistake.

Among those who have already purchased are Medric Laplante of Lowell Mrs. Nels F. Woodstrom, Lowell, Silver Quarberg, Onstad, Ole Rude of Fairfax and others.

In getting such a fine breed of hogs introduced into this section, Mr. Sylvesterson is doing an immense amount of good to all interests. Let the good work go on.

A man may overtake a lot of people on the road to ruin, but he never meets anyone.

VARIETY OF GIANT WHEAT

IDAHO FARMER IS REPORTED TO HAVE DEVELOPED A VARIETY

THAT YIELDS OVER 200 BUSHELS PER ACRE WITH LITTLE EFFORT

From Thursday's Daily—

Giant wheat with stalks like midget telephone poles and yielding 275 bushels of highly nutritious kernels to the acre has been discovered in Idaho by Allen Adams, a former resident of Minneapolis.

Official tests of the new plant wonder have been made covering a period of four years and the results are now made public for the first time by Adams' son-in-law, O. K. Hobe of the Hobe Lumber Co., who resides at 1700 Portland avenue, Minneapolis. The new wheat has been named the "Alaska" because of its hardiness and its thrift. Mr. Adams does not care to give out details of the discovery of his famous plant which places him along with Luther Burbank as an originator of new ideals in plant life. He has the "goods" and says they speak for themselves.

In a nutshell he has a wheat which is either spring or winter wheat just as the farmer desires to sow, a wheat so sturdy that storms that ruin other sturdy stocks affect its giant stem but little and the heads of which remain erect thru ordinary hails. But the greatest thing of all regarding this wonderful wheat is that it yields so much greater a ratio of crop than ordinary wheat as to make the story almost past belief, a yield which shows that Mr. Adams has been able to secure an increase of 222½ fold.

With but one head of the giant wheat in the fall of 1904, Mr. Adams planted the seeds from that head, and the next year secured seven pounds of seed. He sowed that seven pounds of spring wheat in 1906 and from the seven pounds harvested 1,545 pounds of seed, an increase of a fraction less than 35 fold. A heavy hail storm in July was the cause of the ruined wheat crop in that vicinity, which left hardly any of the ordinary wheat standing. From that yield Mr. Adams divided his seed, sowing a part of it last fall and the balance of it this spring. He now has nearly 900 acres in seed of the new wheat and has saved some seed to guard against possible total loss this year.

It is stated that ordinarily the farmer sows a bushel and a peck of seed to the acre. Out of that a big yield would be 55 bushels to the acre under exceptional circumstances, or an increase of 44 fold. The Adams wheat has shown as high as 222 and a fraction. Carry this out on the same plan and it would mean 277 bushels to the acre or 6.23 times a bumper crop. To show that the "Alaska" wheat may do for farmers of the world multiply the probable wheat yield of this summer by six times, or nearly six and a quarter times and that is a sample of what might happen had all the farmers used this wonderful new wheat. It would mean additional wealth of America alone by millions of money and would raise the value of wheat lands everywhere, making wheat the best paying crop in the world.

Photographs have been made of the new wheat kernel, comparing it in size with ordinary wheat. As shown side by side the "Alaska" is more than double the size the head of the largest "blue stem."

May 4 the Idaho college of agriculture made a laboratory test of the wheat and reported the grains plump and sound and that it should make better bread than "blue stem." The wheat also showed a much higher protein content making it more valuable for food. The chemist, J. S. Jones, asked for a sample for milling test as soon as possible but Mr. Adams is careful of his seed and has only one pound of it out, and that with a written contract with the Oregon experimental station that it will sell no seed. For this wheat Mr. Adams received $300 a bushel. He sold one pound for $5 to the state. He has an offer from a New York seed firm to handle the seed, paying him 60 per cent of the net receipts. He insisted upon asking what it was selling for, and was informed $25 a bushel. He declined, saying it was too much money, and that he was a farmer himself and was not in the robbery business.

Plenty of Practice.

"I met your friend Dubley today."

"Yes?" I haven't seen him for a long time. I suppose he stutters as badly as ever?"

"Oh, no! He's quite an adept at it now."—Philadelphia Press.

He Helped Relieve It.

"I suppose you saw a great deal of poverty in Europe."

"Yes, a great deal. In fact, I came home for fear I was going broke myself."—Cleveland Press.

NOT A PARTICLE OF SKIN ON BODY

Worst Case of Eczema Doctor Had Seen in 40 Years — For Six Months Father Expected His Baby to Die—Blood Oozed Out All Over Her Body—Had to Be Wrapped in Silk and Carried on a Pillow—Now She Is Perfectly Cured.

DOCTOR RECOMMENDED CUTICURA REMEDIES

"My little girl was born two weeks before her time and my wife died four hours after the birth of our child and I had to raise the baby on artificial foods. Six months after birth she broke out and I had two doctors in attendance. There was not a particle of skin left on her body, the blood oozed out just anywhere, and we had to wrap her in silk and carry her on a pillow for ten weeks. She was the most terrible sight I ever saw, and for six months I looked for her to go to her mama, but thank God and his agents, she is alive and well to-day and she will be three years old the seventh of December and has never had a sign of the dread trouble since.

"I used every known remedy to alleviate her suffering, for it was terrible to witness. Dr. C—— gave her up and then I went to C—— F—— and got Dr. B—— and he and Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment saved her. He recommended the Cuticura Remedies, or said we were right in making use of them. As nearly as I can remember, we used eight cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment; but you must take into consideration that hers was an exceptional case, for an old and good doctor said that it was the worst case that had come to him in forty years. I have always hinged on Cuticura Soap to keep her skin soft and to give her a pure complexion. James J. Smith, Wood and Metal Pattern Maker, Box 234, Buena Vista, Va., Oct. 14 and 22, 1906."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) (in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
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BIG ACRES AT FAIR PRICE

SENATOR WORKS BUYS BRISLET, SCANDIA, FANNY, RUSSIA AND HAMMOND LAND

TOTAL AVERAGE PRICE OF PURCHASES WAS FORTY DOLLARS AN ACRE.

From Thursday's Daily—

Senator S. D. Works yesterday completed purchase of 1200 acres of land in Polk county at the average price of $40 an acre. The transfer represents the largest aggregate purchase of the season at that specified price.

The land purchased was the south west quarter of section 4, the south half of southeast quarter of five and the northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section nine, in all 280 acres in town of Russia. The land was previously owned by William Kronsbruck who lived on the land. The contract price was $11,200.

The west half of section 23 in Brislet. The contract price was $12,800 The land was also owned previously by Kronsbruck.

The north half of ten in Fanny for $9600, previously owned by F. H. Jaspers of Jackson county, Minn.

The NW 1-4 of the SW 1-4 and SE 1-4 SW 1-4 of section 3 in Scandia town; the NE 1-4 SE 1-4 of section 33 and the SW 1-4 NE 1-4, S 1-2 SE 1-4 and the NW 1-4 SE 1-4 oll of section 34 in Hammond town for the contract purchase price of $11,200 from Torkel J. Vatnedal of Hammond township.

One half section 34 in Vineland for $12800.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

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For Sale By S. L. Collins, N. Main St.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

May 21 In History.

1780—Elizabeth Gurney (Fry), Quaker preacher and prison reformer, born; died 1845.

1849—Maria Edgeworth, English novelist, died; born 1767.

1904—Sortie of the Russian garrison at Port Arthur, led by General Stoessel, defeated the Japanese besiegers, inflicting a loss of 1,000 men.

1905—Albion W. Tourgee, noted writer and lecturer and United States consul at Bordeaux, died; born 1838.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:12, rises 4:33; moon rises 12:40 a. m.; sun's declination, 20.3 degrees north of celestial equator.

WORK UP NORTH — Surveyor O. L. Hamery left this morning for Warren and later expects to go to Stephen where he has some ditch matters to look after for a few days.

FINAL PROOFS — Karen Skara, Knut J. Fasa and Gilbert Fasa made final proof at the land office this morning. The last two were formerly of Dennison, Minnesota.

LOOKING AFTER FARMS—Senator S. D. Works of Mankato who has been in this section since the first of the week left this morning for Euclid where he will look after his farming interests during the day.

IMPROVEMENT CONTINUES — Mike Sullivan, who has been seriously ill for the past few days continues to improve and it is expected that he will be out again in the course of a few days.

NO APPEARANCE—The estate of John Driscoll, deceased, living near E. Grand Forks before his death was scheduled to be brought up before the probate court today for a hearing on claims, but no appearance was made in the case. The estate also of Romeo St. Marie, deceased, was postponed on account of no appearance.

VISITING FROM MENOMINEE—George Hellum of Menominee, Wis., arrived in the city this morning from Fisher where he has been spending a few days with his old friend Ed Salveson. He is the guest here of Otto and Rudy Burkhardt with whose brother in Menominee he has a position. Mr. Hellum arrived in the Valley last Sunday.

LOOKING OVER DITCH WORK—George A. Ralph engineer of the State Drainage Commission left this morning for Hallock near where there are two dredges and two walking machines at work. He will spend several days in this section looking after ditch work and expects to visit the Grand Marais ditch and the proposed ditch near Beltrami, which provides for an outlet for the Sandhill river, before returning to St. Paul.

At a special school meeting held in Angus last Tuesday evening, practically a unanimous vote was cast in favor of issuing bonds in the sum of $3,000 for the erection of a new school house there, the vote standing 27 to 8. This shows a spirit of progressiveness on the part of the people of Angus that is highly commendable, and is characteristic of the people of the Red River Valley—they want the children to have the very best school facilities possible.

The Angus school board has also re-elected Prof. B. J. O'Brien for another year. Prof. O'Brien is recognized as one of the progressive instructors in Polk County and he has done excellent work at Angus in the past.

The progressiveness of the residents of the school district at Angus under present conditions is certainly most commendable.

A milliner feathers her nest by putting feathers on other women's hats.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

May 22 In History.

337—Constantine the Great died; born 274.

1611—The first baronets created in England; they paid £1,000 pounds each for their patents.

1688—Alexander Pope, poet, born; died 1744.

1885—Victor Hugo, French poet, dramatist, novelist and patriot, died; born 1802.

1898—Edward Bellamy, author of "Looking Backward," "Equality," etc., died; born 1850.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:12, rises 4:32; moon rises 1:18 a. m.; 7:09 p. m., moon at last quarter; sun midway between Pleiades and Hyades in constellation Taurus.

WAUBON MERCHANT HERE — J. A. Narum, the well known merchant of Waubon is spending the day in the city attending to business matters.

FINAL PROOF—Final proof on a quarter section of land was made at the U. S. land office here by Syver Kolden of Randen postoffice in Marshall county.

BACK FROM FARGO— Alderman Morgan R. Hussey returned this morning from a trip to Fargo. He says the crops are starting nicely along that line and that there is but a small acreage yet to seed.

AT $45 PER ACRE — The Purvis Land Company have made sale of a half section of land 4 1-2 miles south of town to Jas. Larson of Sauk Centre for $45 per acre. The original holder was a Minneapolis party.

SPENDS DAY AT ANGUS—L. Ellington, is spending the day at Angus where he is looking after business matter for the Scandia Bank which has considerable valuable property near that place.

CORN WASHED OUT—M. Rauenbuehler, the well known Third street harnessmaker yesterday received a letter from relatives in Missouri in which it was stated that the rains had been excessive there of late and that many fields of corn in the low lands had been completely washed out.

A PLEASANT CALL—Napoleon A. Bray, of Crookston, was here Monday getting acquainted with our citizens and passing around his card announcing his candidacy for the republican nomination for sheriff. The Journal acknowledges a pleasant call.—Fertile Journal.

TO LOOK AFTER COTTAGE — Ex-mayor John Dinnie of Grand Forks passed thru the city this morning enroute to Maple Lake where he will look after the erection of that fine new cottage he is building at the lake. Mr. Dinnie was a former resident of Crookston and did his first work here in 1881 on the building now occupied by J. H. Ruettell, where the Walsh hardware store was located.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — August Wentzel, one of the well known young farmers on Rural Route No. 5 spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters. He states that the new telephone line which will cover that territory will soon be in operation and will place the farmers of that section in closer touch with the business men of this city.

MATERIAL IMPROVEMENTS — The improvements at the Cleveland House this spring have been completed. The rooms have been repapered from cellar to garret, the doors have been revarnished together with all the furnishings and everything looks as spic and span as when it was brand new. Proprietor Otto Burkhardt always sees to it that the patrons of the Cleveland House get the very best there is going, and he spares no expense in keeping the Cleveland House strictly up-to-date.

BUILDING FENCES—Scarcely a day goes by but what farmers are seen leaving the city with wagons loaded with fence posts. This is significant in that it means that farmers are building fences and if they are building fences it is because they are needing pastures and pastures are only needed when there is stock to pasture. This shows very conclusively that farmers are getting into the stock business more and more in this section, a condition of affairs that is most gratifying to everyone interested in the development of the country.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

May 23 In History.

1701—Captain William Kidd and three coadjutors were hanged for piracy.

1783—James Otis, patriot orator of the Revolution, killed by lightning; born 1725.

1824—Ambrose E. Burnside, eminent Federal general, born; died 1881.

1850—Jane Porter, author of "Thaddeus of Warsaw" and other heroic novels, died; born 1776.

1906—Henrik Ibsen, Norway's greatest poet and dramatist, died; born 1828.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:13, rises 4.31; moon rises 1:49 a. m.

LOOKING AFTER FARMS—J. P. Foote left this morning for Angus to look after some farming interests for the Scandia American bank.

OFF FOR CALGARY—Will Lowe, of the firm of Walsh and Lowe left this morning for Calgary where he will spend several days attending to land business.

EUCLID LIVERYMAN HERE — Wm. J. R. Finlayson the Euclid liveryman arrived in the city this morning on business and reports that the roads are not as bad as might be expected.

TO NORTH DAKOTA—S. P. Swedburgh and his father-in-law A. Aslakson will leave Sunday evening for Mayville, N. D., to look after the farm property of the latter.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—Supt. W. B. Sheffield of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevaator Co., returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul where he conferred with the head officials of the company.

PEGGED AHEAD—Nick Welter, the well known and prosperous farmer on Rural Route No. 3 spent the day in the city and called at the Journal office to move his subscription ahead another year.

AT ERSKINE CREAMERY—Creamery Inspector A. O. Storvick left this morning for Erskine where he will inspect the creamery and attend to some other business at the same time.

BOUGHT MATTRESSES — W. D. Rowe stated today that he had purchased the mattresses from the Commercial Hotel to use instead of sawdust as filling under cement sidewalks. He said they would be firmer than the sawdust.

RETURNED FROM KITTSON — Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph arrived home last evening after a trip of inspection thru Kittson county where there are several ditching machines at work.

EX-MAYOR HERE — Ex-Mayor "Bill" Lennon of Kelliher returned home this morning after attending to business matters and visiting with friends in the city for a day. He says Kelliher is forging to the front steadily, and is a "live one" from the ground up.

LITTLE BABE DIED—The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. Will Olds was laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery. The little one had not been strong since birth but strong hopes were entertained of saving his life. The parents have the most sincere sympathy of the entire community in their double bereavement of losing a child and an only child.

TO OLD STAMPING GROUNDS—E. C. Murney went to Euclid this morning where he will spend the day with old friends and attend to some business matters. Mr. Murney is the pioneer blacksmith of that place who moved to Crookston a year ago and has a shop on 3rd street.

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS — Given away in the Fargo Conservatory of Music to the amount of $600.00. The best equipped musical school in the Northwest, largest faculty, all branches taught. Pupils may enter at any time. Send for information regarding scholarships. Fall term opens Sept. 10th, 1908. Large illustrated catalogue of school sent upon request. Address E. Herdeg, Secretary of Fargo Conservatory of Music, or W. W. George, Director, Fargo, N. D.

SPRAINED HER ANKLE—Mrs. T. E. Twite was the victim of a very painful accident yesterday afternoon about 1:30. It was a peculiar accident as well, as it was several hours before she felt the least pain from the injury. She was stepping over a low fence between the Twite and Ove yards when she turned her ankle but thought nothing of it. She came down town in the evening and was returning when a sharp pain made it impossible to use the ankle. A doctor was summoned and bandaged the injured member which in a short time was badly swollen and very painful. She will probably be unable to use the ankle for some time to come.

FOR SALE—A number of very high-bred Birkshire spring pigs sired by Hudson Duke No. 101687, these pigs will make one and quarter pound of meat every day during first 8 months if ordinary care is given them, apply at John Sylvesterson, on B. E. Himmelsbach place town of Fairfax, Route 3, Crookston, Minn.

PIONEER BURIED

ANDREW STEENERSON BURIED IN BERGET CEMETERY GRAVEYARD CLIMAX

WOODMEN HOLD IMPRESSIVE SERVICES OVER REMANS OF VALLEY'S PIONEER

From Saturday's Daily—

At one o'clock yesterday afternoon from his home in Climax the body of Andrew Steenerson, Ex-Sheriff and pioneer citizen of Polk County was taken to the Berget cemetery and buried with impressive ceremonies. Notwithstanding the continuous fall of rain the Woodmen who took charge of the ceremonies over the dead body of one of the Valley's pioneers conducted their services without lacking in any particular. As the body left the home they marched under a large arch erected across the road bearing the word "farewell". Reverend Berg of the Lutheran church at Climax performed the burial services.

The pall bearers were Ole Brevik, John Braseth, August Lynblad, John Fossum, Helmer Estenson and A. J. Smeby. Among those present from outside of Climax were Elias Steenerson of Crookston, Knute Steenerson and family of Upham, N. D., John Steenerson of Esmond, N. D., and Mrs. J. O. Dypvick and two sons Joseph and Alex Dypvick of Minneapolis.

A number of floral wreaths were laid on the casket from mourning friends and lodges. A large number attended the funeral services notwithstanding the inclement weather.

BONDS TO RUN TWENTY YEARS

ANGUS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 71 BONDS ITSELF FOR $3,000

County Auditor Hoffard signed certificates today certifying the value of listed real estate and personal property in school district 71 at Angus to be as listed by the applicants for bonds for the erection of a school house in that district. The total valuation of the real estate in the district is $85,388 and the personal property is valued at $17,574. The statutes prescribe that only fifteen per cent of the total valuation can be borrowed from the permanent school fund of the state by a school district. There will be fourteen issues of bonds to cover the indebtedness, commencing with $200 bonds due first in 1914 and then every year thereafter to and including year 1927. The list with certificate and request for a loan after the recent unanimous decision at Angus to erect a new school will be forwarded to State Auditor Iverson, secretary of the state board of investment, for their action at the next meeting.

A WELL KNOWN TRAVELER DEAD

FRED E. PAPST WHO MADE THIS TERRITORY FOR YEARS HAS PASSED AWAY

Many friends in this city and thru out this territory will be shocked to learn of the death of Fred E. Papst who for years has represented the Sunnybrook Distillery in this section. He was a genial young man who made friends everywhere. He was about 38 years of age and was the owner of the Papst Flats in Minneapolis. He died after an illness of three weeks.

STILL VERY LOW — Mrs. Alfred Bjoin who had a long siege of typhoid fever at Bethesda hospital, and is now suffering from a relapse is still in a precarious condition and her friends have grave apprehensions regarding her recovery. However she has been holding her own during the past few days and may yet rally.

LOOKING UP PLANS—J. F. Montgomery, the Angus merchant and A. T. Campion, the well known farmer of the same place spent last evening in the city consulting with local architects regarding the plans for that new $3000 school at Angus, bonds for which were voted at a recent meeting. They returned home this morning. Angus will have one of the most creditable school buildings of any place of its size in Northern Minnesota.

When your food seems to nauseate take Kodol. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt about what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by A. G. Andersen.

TWO PIONEERS PERISHED IN CASS LAKE WATERS

From Saturday's Daily—

O. E. Erickson returned this morning from a fishing trip to Cass Lake. They returned to the village of Cass Lake from a fishing trip yesterday afternoon with the news of the finding of the body of Jos. North near the Indian Mission yesterday morning by an Indian woman.

This without doubt means that Alex Kittson one of the pioneer cruisers of that section of the country, and known far and wide, has also met his death.

Two weeks ago Alex Kittson was sent on a mission up into the woods and across the lake, by Sam Sutor, and he took Jos. North as a companion.

As they expected to be absent about a month there was no inkling that any misfortune had over taken them till the finding of North's body yesterday by the Indian woman. Erickson and his party were in a launch and at once rushed to Cass Lake with the news and the coroner started an investigation at once. Search was at once started for the body of Kittson.

Both were expert boatmen, but in some manner their craft must have capsized.

There is no talk of foul play as the two cruisers were life long friends.

HAS SOWN 800 ACRES

WELL KNOWN KEY WEST FARMER HAS EIGHT HUNDRED ACRES IN SEED

EXPECTS TO SEED THREE HUNDRED MORE AT ONCE

From Saturday's Daily—

Peter Sullivan the well known Key West township farmer, who is spending the day in the city for supplies, has already seeded eight hundred acres on his farm in Key West and expects to seed three hundred more before the planting season ends.

His crop is diversified and contains wheat, oats, barley and flax with more of the first. Most of the crop is already above the ground and it has been aided rather than injured by the recent falls of rain.

The entire crop was put in without the use of steam machinery, the plowing, harrowing and sowing being all done by the old reliable team and man process.

The 300 acres to be planted will be started at once. The ground is too wet today, but with an absence of rain for a few days the ground will be in fairly good condition.

MRS. T. T. OVE IS CALLED BY DEATH

GENERAL SORROW CAUSED BY CLOSING OF A BEAUTIFUL CAREER

Yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock Mrs. T. T. Ove, wife of the pastor of the United Norwegian Lutheran church passed peacefully away after an illness of six weeks of typhoid fever, having recently suffered a relapse.

Her sudden taking away caused widespread sorrow among the members of the congregation, by whom she was greatly beloved as well as among members and friends of the Viking chorus with which Rev. Ove was associated, and also to a wide circle of other friends.

Deceased was a woman of beautiful character, and had a wonderful influence for good among the people with whom she associated. She was born in 1883 and 5 years ago was united in marriage at Minneapolis to Rev. T. T. Ove. The family moved to Crookston two years ago last September and have been prominent in church and musical circles ever since.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the United Lutheran church, Rev. Ofstedahl of Fertile officiating and there will be no morning or evening services in the church. In the evening the remains will be shipped to Minneapolis where services will be held in her old church there, Bethlehem Lutheran and her old pastor, Rev. Gerhard Rasmussen will preach the funeral sermon.

In addition to her husband deceased leaves two little boys 3 and 1 year old respectively, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odin Moe of Minneapolis, and several brothers and sisters. Mr. Moe arrived in the city this morning.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved relatives. There is a vacancy in Crookston that none other can fill.

NO ANTI-INJUNCTION BILL.

Republicans Decide Not to Attempt to Modify Powers of Courts.

Washington, May 23. — No bill to modify the powers of the federal courts in the exercise of injunctions will be passed at this session of congress. It was decided last night at a conference of the Republican members of the house that to enact such a measure would be unwise. The conference was in session from 8 o'clock until 11:30.

EIKHOFF GETS THE CONTRACT

WILL ERECT THE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL BUILDING ON STATE FARM

BUILDING WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE 15TH OF SEPTEMBER

From Saturday's Daily—

Supt. Wm. Robertson returned this morning from St. Paul where he went in connection with the letting of the contract for the erection of the Industrial school building at State School of Agriculture at the Experimental farm north of the city.

Senator A. D. Stephens secured an appropriation of $15,000 for this building and the bid of Contractor Eikhoff was in the neighborhood of $14,000 the balance being necessary for equipment of the building. Contractor Eikhoff will start work on the new structure at once and will have the building completed by Sept. 15. The contract has not yet been signed but it will be in the course of a few days.

The Industrial building is much needed and will be a valuable addition to the present group of buildings which form the most important educational institution in northern Minneta.

The building will probably be located on the west side of the grounds along the west road entrance. The intentions of the promoters being that the Oxford square effect is both convenient and attractive.

TELEPHONE CASE IS ON AT ADA

HOLDEN'S SUIT FOR DAMAGES AGAINST GARY TELEPHONE COMPANY

The suit brought by Hans Holden against the Gary Telephone company for damages sustained while repairing a telephone line from the breaking of a telephone pole on which he was working is being fought out today in the court at Ada. The case is brought for $2500 and is one of the most peculiar of the court. Holden sustained a fracture and sprained ankle. Hans Hanson and Dan Hughes attended from this city to give expert testimany.

PAUL KOPANG IN GOOD SPIRITS

WAS TAKEN TO ST. CLOUD LAST EVENING BY DEPUTY SHERIFFS

Last evening Paul Kopang, the youthful forger was taken to the Reform School at St. Cloud to serve an indeterminate sentence. He was in the best of spirits and the company of Deputy Sheriffs Daniels and Geo. Gonyea did not seem to weigh on his spirits in the least. He talked freely with several of his old acquaintances to whom he expressed the belief that his service would be very brief as he intended to remain on his good behavior, not only while in the reform school but after his sentence was over. He stated that he would take a fresh start altogether and try and outlive the bad mistake he had made in posing as a check artist.

Colds That Hang On

Colds that hang on in the spring deplete the system exhaust the nerves, and open the way for serious illness. Take Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly stops the cough and expels the cold. It is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

A woman likes to have a man jealous about her so she needn't be about him.

THREW DIAMOND IN THE RIVER

JEROMES ADDITION DOMESTIC TAKES $165 RING—LATER IS FRIGHTENED

AND WHEN ACCUSED CASTS THE VALUABLE GEM INTO RED LAKE RIVER

From Tuesday's Daily—

A well known lady in Jeromes Addition is shy a $165 diamond ring which is now peacefully resting at the bottom of the Red Lake River. It happened this way. The lady left the ring in her room. The domestic took it. Her mistress accused her but she denied it. The police put the girl in the sweat box and she confessed. After her mistress had accused her she wanted to get rid of the ring and going to the river threw it in She confessed this to the police and showed them where she had thrown it.

No arrests have been made and there will be none if the parents of the girl make good the price of the ring.

THE LEG HAS TO BE RESET

FISHER BOY BROKE LEG IN BALL GAME—BAD FRACTURE

Ohmer Woodward the Fisher baseball player who broke his leg after stumbling over the first baseman of the opposing team about two Sundays ago, was taken to the St. Vincent hospital last night. The fracture of his leg is a very bad one and on account

WILD TIMES AT MEETING

THIEF RIVER FALLS TRIES TO PUT CONVENTION AT ST. HILAIRE

RED LAKE FALLS COHORTS DRIVE OPPONENTS FROM THE FIELD

From Wednesday's Daily—

Red Lake Falls, May 27—(Special to the Journal)—The republican county central committee of Red Lake county held their convention at St. Hilaire yesterday and the county seat factions got busy among the delegates and antagonism was very apparent from the start of the meeting.

Thief River Falls insisted on holding the county convention at St. Hilaire. According to opinions here the object of this move was to create sentiment in favor of holding whatever the next county convention would be at Thief River Falls. There was an "up our sleeve" atmosphere to the whole fight.

Red Lake Falls however walked away from the meeting with the palm and the next county convention will be held at Red Lake Falls.

LEFT FOR WESTERN LAND DRAWING

Alderman Gilbert Bang, County Auditor N. A. Hoffard and W. F. Peterson have left for Utah to attend the land drawing which opens there in a few days. All have numbers and they expect to get something good. They will look over the situation and if they find what suits them will locate.

THE GOSPEL OF GOOD CHEER

..By E. C. Simmons, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the National Prosperity Association of St. Louis.

We have formed a business organization to be called the National Prosperity Association of St. Louis—having for its object the encouragement of a return of prosperity sooner than might otherwise occur without help, or without some active efforts on the part of the business men. We believe that present conditions are exceedingly favorable to this. The body—commercial—has been very ill, and in a sense has had typhoid fever, but now the fever has entirely left—the disease is out and the patient only remains sick and weak, so that permanent recovery is only a matter of time. How to quicken that recovery in a healthy manner is the problem we are undertaking, and we believe in the power of encouragement—by showing to the world at large that conditions are fundamentally sound and healthy, and that nothing now exists but a lack of confidence to restore us to a full measure of prosperity such as existed a year ago. We are making an effort, thru the press and thru other business associations and through the travelling salesmen, to encourage the people to see the sunshine that is clearly in the pathway, and to believe that things are very much better than most people think they are, and that with the present crop prospects soon to be realized, if nothing unforeseen occurs in the immediate future, it is only a question of a very short time until the dinner pails will again be full and the unemployed will again be employed at fair wages, and that there will be no reduction in wages of those already employed. We believe there is a great change of sentiment with the intelligent people of the United States and that it is increasing very rapidly. It therefore seems to us a most propitious time to do what we can to encourage a quick return of prosperity to the great benefit of the laboring man and to the benefit of all business interests.

On all sides we find expressions of faavorable sentiments to the effect that further legislation against railroads and large corporations shall cease, that the business interests of this country shall be given a rest and that the departments of justice may be allowed to proceed with their work in a quiet manner—which, of course, is greatly to be desired. It is absolutely essential to the welfare of this country that the railroads should again prosper, because more than one and half million men are in the employ of the railroads today, and as many more are dependent upon their revenue from railroad investments, hence, it is deemed almost impossible that we should return to a full measure of prosperity excepting the railroads participate in the same.

With the full co-operation of the press of the United States—which we hope to have—and with the united efforts of the business associations of all the large cities, we feel confident of our ability to accelerate the speed of returning prosperity to a great degree. It is hardly necessary to say that everybody would like to have wages maintained at the highest figure and without a cut. There is no doubt as to the wisdom of this course. We are most heartily in favor of it and are working to that end—giving our time and our money to accentuate better conditions and returning prosperity. We hope and expect to have the co-operation of manufacturers, merchants, bankers, railroads and the labor element—in fact every business interest in the United States. We ask every business man—and in fact, every commercial man and house in this country—to lend us their aid—to work with us—to join hands in the gospel of good cheer, and scatter seeds of sunshine in the paths of all whom they meet. If they are pessimists we want them to become optimists; if they are optimists, we want them to increase their optimism; we want them to hunt for the sunshine; we want them to be cheerful in their manner and in their conversations—in their predictions—in their hopes and aspirations.

Fundamentally, everything is all right—the basis of our prosperity comes from the soil and the products of the soil have never had greater value than at present. The outlook for crops is marvelously promising. To illustrate—the winter wheat crop—which is the first one of importance that comes to our notice—is better than ever before in the history of this country. Kansas reports a condition of 105 on winter wheat—something heretofore unknown. When the lumber interests shut down, and the railroads laid off a lot of their employes, a large proportion of them went immediately to the farmers, or planters, so that these toilers of the soil have for the first time in many years, had enough labor to put in a full or large crop—perhaps a larger crop than ever before, and the planting is still going on. With a larger planting than has ever gone into the ground, and with favorable weather, it seems reasonable to suppose that we may have most excellent crops this year—it looks exceedingly probable. Therefore everything which is the base of our prosperity is right—all that is necessary now is to restore confidence—so that the wheels of commerce begin to move again with the same rapidity that they did a year or two ago, when we were at the height of our prosperity, and from which we went in a wonderfully short time to a very low stage of depression and hard times.

We ask the co-operation of everybody in the United States in this movement—which we think has great merit, and which has great possibilities.

AFTER POLK COUNTY GIRLS

CROOKSTON MECCA FOR LOVESICK SWAIN FROM THE DAKOTAS

GREENWOOD AND HANSEN OF GRAND FORKS AND LINDAHL OF ESMOND

From Tuesday's Daily—

The trek of the loving swaians made its regular daily official visit to Miss Minnie Boe, deputy clerk of court, at the court house today and from the prosperous Dakotas came the lovesick with their train of happiness and offering to the maids of Polk.

By noon today four marriage licenses were issued over the famous counter in the clerk of court's room, three of these licenses going to youths of North Dakota who had arrived to take back with them a Polk county girl, whose kind is the pride of the Valley. John Greenwood of Grand Forks county North Dakota took Miss Rosanne S. Robert, G. I. Hansen of Grand Forks county took Miss Minnie E. Lake and Adolph Theodore Lindahl of Esmond, N. D., took Miss Mary Simon. John Evenson himself who lives in the prosperous vicinity of Climax signed himself up for Miss Ella Fossos.

The fame of the wheat crop and the wealth of these soils may come and go. But the fame of the Polk county maid is sounded afar. And there are lots more.

WAS PROBABLY ANOTHER KITSON

LATE REPORT DOES NOT CONFIRM THE DEATH OF AL KITSON

The report sent out from Cass Lake on Saturday that Al Kitson son of Commodore Kitson had been drowned proves to be erroneous, and a later report received today shows that it was a case of confusd identity due to similarity of name.

The following is the latest report from Cass Lake:

Cass Lake, Minn., May 25—After searching the lake for fifteen hours in an effort to locate the body of Alex Kitson, the searching party returned this morning.

It was reported here that Kitson was seen working at Deer River. This led to a suspicion of foul play, but when the searching party found the row boat which the men left with, also Kitson's coat, Kitson's drowning was not doubted. The boat was found ten miles from North's body. Kitson had a wife here (squaw). He always spoke of Commodore Kitson and family. He was an old soldier. He lived around here for fifteen years and had many friends. Another party will be sent out to search the lake for Kitson's body. North's body was taken to Bemidji by the coroner.

BIG EXCURSION UP RED LAKE RIVER

Chas. Wentzel this morning received a letter from his brother August telling of a steamboat excursion up Red Lake River on June 13. The boat will leave Thief River Falls on June 13 and High Landing June 14, and will return on June 18. The fare will be very low, amounting to practically nothing and the trip will be a most pleasant one. Passengers must take their own bedding and tents and caan also take their own food if they desire, but meals will be served at reasonable rates. Many from this city and vicinity are planning on making the trip.

MENTOR LADY PASSES AWAY

Miss Edith Ufford aged thirty-three years passed away yesterday at the St. Vincent hospital of consumption. Miss Ufford lived at Mentor and her relatives are in the city today. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning from the St. Mary's church and the body will be interred at Oakdale.

Colds That Hang On

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A man can cut down his smoking and drinking if he's sick abed and thinks he's dying.

"BOOOST" IS THE SLOGAN

BIG PUBLICITY RALLY HELD AT BAGLEY LAST SATURDAY

CURTIS L. MOSHER URGES NEED OF ADVERTISING STATE'S RESOURCES

From Tuesday's Daily—

Four hundred Clearwater farmers turned out last Saturday at Bagley to greet the "boosters" from St. Paul and join in an exceptionally successful publicity and better live stock rally, following a successful conference between the advertising, stock and agriculture experts at Bemidji.

The meeting at Bagley occupied the entire afternoon and was presided over by A. L. Kaiser. The Bagley Cornet band gave a musical program preceding the meeting.

D. M. Neil of Red Wing, president of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial clubs, gave a ringing address on organization for effective city and rural development work, and pointed out the value in dollars and cents to the merchants and farmers alike resulting from the establishment of good roads. He strongly urged that drainage be made the first object in rural road building and pointed out that a road well drained and surfaced, the moment the rain ceases, with a split log drag will remain in good condition for many years with trival cost of maintenance.

For Settler and Tourist

Curtis L. Mosher manager of the St. Paul city advertising campaign, spoke of the tremendous opportunities Minnesota presents to the settler, to the tourist or the stockraiser, and vigorously contended that it does no great good for Minnesotans themselves to know of the greatness of their home state.

Need to Advertise

"How are we going to get in touch with people who will buy our land; fish in our marvelous lakes; hunt in our forests and our great marshes?" he asked. The state can gain no greater wealth until people come from other states bringing their energy and money and there is no way to get them but to adverrtise. Minnesota's present yearly state advertising appropriation is so trival it becomes ridiculous. St. Paul will spend each year in advertising four times what a magnificently generous commonwealth has set aside to cover an area of 83,000 square miles."

Value of Cut-over Land

W. R. Engram of South St. Paul pointed out the weakness of the northern nineteen Minnesota counties in the raising of stock, showing that with 44 per cent of the area of the state they produce but 4 per cent of its stock. He showed the value to the farmer on cut over lands in the raising of beef cattle and hogs and strongly advocated the improvement of sires.

"Good stock will come," he asserted, "when farmers recognize that it is cheaper to raise good rather than poor stock and that blooded animals produce better beef and sell for more money than scrubs. Hogs, he said, will be the great money-makers of the future for the farmer on the old pine forest lands in Minnesota."

Welsh is Speaker

Commissioner George Welsh of the state immigration bureau at St. Paul spoke on state development, showing what the state has accomplished in manufactures and agriculture, and what Northern Minnesota has in soil and climate and gave an instructive comparison of the selling values of land with other states. He made a strong argument for life on the farm as compared with that of the cities, and showed in striking terms Northern Minnesota's talking points in seeking the better class of farm settlers from the older states.

Mr. Welsh made a strong impression and his talk was listened to with great attention.

Yesterday's conference at Bemidji drew a large attendance of farmers, who followed the arguments for better advertising and better settlement of Minnesota with keen attention. A remarkable feature of all the conferences of this series in Northern Minnesota has been the heavy attendance of practical farmers, many coming from long distances to attend the meetings and show their enthusiasm over the work of boosting Minnesota and make the state better known elsewhere.

McGuire Counsels Farmers

A. J. McGuire superintendent of the northeast experiment farm, gave a highly helpful talk, particularly directed to farmers. Farming in the cut-over section of Northern Minnesota is no longer an experiment, Mr. McGuire said. Every crop essential to successful farming maay be grown as profitably as anywhere in the state. land were more interested in the timber than in farming.

The backward condition of agriculture is not due to anything in the soil or climate unfavorable to farming, but because the men who first took up the mand for farm products, and this demand has become so great that nearly every business enterprise in Northern Minnesota is interested in getting settlers for the vast areas of unoccupied agricultural lands; not merely settlers but farmers.

"Farming is in its beginning in Northern Minnesota," Mr. McGuire continued, "and it is important that the right system of farming is taken up, so that it will not be necessary to change from a wrong system after several years of fruitless labor as has been the case in most of the older farming sections of the state.

"The natural conditions of Northern Minnesota are most favorable to the dairy industry. That dairying will be the leading branch of agriculture is generally recognized and farmers are working with this end in view.

Should Raise Forage Crops

"The principal crops grown should be clover and other forage crops for winter feed. On the small farm only a finished product should be sold. It not only brings the largest cash returns, but in this way the fertility of the soil may be retained.

"A good dairy cow will easily pay 100 per cent profit on feed consumed, in butter alone. When the skim milk which is a by-product of the dairy, is properly utilized, this profit is still further increased. The bacon hog has been found the best factor to utilize the skim milk. In this way the production of bacon pork may be made an important part of the system of farming in Northern Minnesota.

"To get the land cleared and under cultivation is the first and most important consideration for the new settler. Dynamite has been found the most effective way to remove the stumps. A movement that would provide cheap dynamite to the farmers would be the greatest boom for the country. Something may be accomplishedl by the farmers co-operating and buying in large quantities. Co-operation not only in this, but in building and operating their own creameries and in buying foundation stock for better dairy herds will reach far toward more rapid progress and success."

CROP NOT YET HURT

FALL OF RAIN HAS BENEFITTED THE CROP SITUATION

HOWEVER CROPS WILL SUFFER IF THE RAINS CONTINUE LONGER

From Wednesday's Daily—

Reports emanating from best authority on conditions thruout the Red River Valley are to the effect that the fall of spring rains have not damaged crops up to this time and has rather been active for their betterment. The pastures have been greatly helped, the planted crops have secured a good start and general farming conditions have been benefitted.

However if the prevailing showers continue for two weeks more with the same volume or greater than they have heretofore some of the crop in the lower land of the valley will be damaged.

This judgment of a first class authority continues that the losses will come not so much on low ground as in the unditched or improperly ditched territories. The ditched parts of the valley will not suffer as long as the rains continue light. The water up to this time has been evenly carried away by ditches where they exist.

BEST TIME TO SPRAY

PROF. BOLLEY SAYS IT IS NOT WISE TO SPRAY UNLESS

IN GOOD SUNSHINY WEATHER—STATE'S PROPER TIME TO KILL MUSTARD

I am writing this note as a caution to farmers who are preparing to spray mustard and king-head in grain fields by the use of field sprayers. The best results from spraying can be obtained only when there is good sunshiny weather the next two days following the spraying work. Therefore, it is best to consult the weather department, and especially to follow a rain rather than spray before an apparent one. It is also possible that those who are ready to do the work will be too anxious and commence spraying before the weeds are as old as they should be to give the best results. Do not go on a field of wheat and mustard for spraying work until the majority of the mustard plants are beginning to show the first blossoms, that is, they should be 4 to 5 leaves high. Mustard can be thoroly wiped out in one day's spraying after all of the seeds have matured in the pods. The farmers should not be too hasty in attacking their mustard fields else there may be lots of seem come up after the spraying. The same may be said to hold true with kinghead. Here one should spray just at the time when the grain and kinghead are about of equal height, say, eight to ten inches high. Spray in the mornig in preference to the afternoon.—H. L. Bolley of Fargo Agricultural College, May 26, 1908.

MRS. H. HINES DIES SUDDENLY

STRICKEN WITH APOPLEXY AT 3 IN AFTERNOON AND DIES AT 10:30 P. M.

Mrs. Hattie Hines, residing at 115 North Fifth street in Grand Forks died at 10:30 last night after an illness of about seven hours. Mrs. Hines was stricken with apoplexy at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She had been talking over the telephone and after she left it she went out toward the kitchen. On her way she became ill and called a servant girl. She asked the girl to call some of the neighbors. Physicians were summoned and did everything possible but there was no hope from the start. A blood vessel in the brain had been ruptured

Both of the sons of the deceased, who are traveling salesmen, were absent when the end came. Henry was at St. Louis and William at New York city. Both were notified by wire of the serious illness of their mother and sent messages that they would start for home at once.

Mrs. Hines was 52 years old. She was born in Virginia in 1856 and grew up there. With her husband she moved to Grand Forks in the early days and Mr. Hines retaained large property interests in East Grand Forks on De Mers Avenue and looked after her affairs herself. She was a member of the Episcopal church.

She was of a sociable disposition and had a wide circle of friends and the news of her death caused widespread sorrow. Deceased often visited in Crookston and much sorrow will be caused among the many friends of the family here.

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Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

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Tomorrow.

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Open a checking account with us, systematize your affairs, have a record of all your financial transactions, When you pay your bills by check you have a legal receipt.

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TROUBLE IN PANAMA POL.

Presidential Campaign Develops Serious Revolutionary Tendencies.

UNCLE SAM TO TAKE HAND

Marines to Be Detailed to Guard Polling Booths to Insure Fair and Honest Election.

Washington, June 3.—The Panama presidential campaign, which is to culminate in an election the first week in July, has recently developed revolutionary tendencies to such an extent as to cause grave concern and the serious intention to employ severe measures on the part of the American government to secure a fair and honest election, probably the first in the history of Central American politics. The 500 American marines stationed on the isthmus will be detailed on the two election days to the 1,800 polling places.

The contest is between Vice President Obaldia and Secretary of State Arias.

Amador Fires Obaldia's Friends.

Arias entered the race as a Conservative and from his entry the machinery of the government has been operating busily in his behalf. The last move was the dismissal by President Amador of the governors of provinces, all of them known to be friends of Obaldia. To still further hamper the chances of Obaldia, the administration has, since the departure of Secretary Taft from the isthmus, reduced the number of presidential electors from the province of Colon, where Obaldia is conceded to have many friends, and increased the number in several provinces known to be favorable to the election of Arias.

The call for a personal report from Minister Squires is the result, it is explained, of the new developments. At the same time Mr. Squires may be asked to explain certain newspaper comment to the effect that he has allowed himself to become enthusiastic in favor of one of the candidates.

FARMERS IN A MANHUNT.

Collision Expected in Montana With a Fugitive Halfbreed Murderer.

Helena, Mont., June 3. — Mosney, the halfbreed, who several months ago escaped arrest on a murder charge by shooting a deputy sheriff, has again appeared. Going to the home of County Commissioner Carmichael he demanded at the point of a rifle that horses be traded. The commissioner managed to evade the issue, whereupon the Indian visited the ranch of Carmichael's father and forcibly exchanged his jaded animal for a fine horse. The farmers are in pursuit and a fight is expected.

WALL STREET SCUTTLES THE SHIP OF STATE

Washington Dispatch Says Currency Bill Passed Before Congress Adjourned Has Went Populism One Better.

Banks Can Now Issue Half A Billion Dollars Carrying The Stamp Of Government's Approval.

Washington, D. C., June 3.—The currency bill framed up by the house and senate leaders in the closing hours of congress and pased just before the adjournment Saturday night, contains all the bad features of both the house and senate plans. It is a bill which will be welcomed by Wall Street speculators and certain favored bankers, and which will come as a shock to business men.

The railroad bond feature, which was exposed and denounced by Senator LaFollette and was temporarily dropped by Aldrich from the senate bill was reinstated. In addition it has provided that bonds in general may be acepted as a basis for money.

Populists Outdone

On the other hand the compromisers have accepted the plan embodied in the Vreeland bill to permit banks to issue money against the general assets—the time paper, warehouse receipts, mortgages — practically anything and everything that may be found piled up in their caults.

In the wildest days of the so-called Populistic craze—when it was proposed that the government lend money to the farmers, or issue loans against crops—in these days nothing more wild ever was proposed than the financial act, which Senator Aldrich, Speaker Cannon and their advisors worked out for the approval of the Republican majority of the 60th congress The Populists proposed to lend money; this congress impairs the money system of the nation by giving private banking corporations the right to issue money bearing the indorsement of the government on its face.

Can "Make" Half a Billion

And as "security" for the redemption of this "money" the banks are permitted to hand over to the secretary of the treasury promissory notes issued by "John Smith" bonds issued by Harrimanized railroads, corporation bonds of undefined character, miscellaneous securities of cities, towns, counties and states.

In short national banks are to be permitted in times of money stress, on their own motion, to just put out alleged money to the tune of $500,000,000. The bill provides that state, municipal and county bonds shall be taken by the secretary of the treasury at 90 per cent of their market value, that all other bonds shall be taken at 70 per cent of their market value. Meantime the amount of money which can be issued against the assets of a bank is limited to 40 per cent of the capital stock of the bank.

Shows Power of the Street

A 10 per cent redemption fund instead of a 5 per cent one is to be maintained. The proposal to retain 25 per cent of reserve funds in central reserve cities has gone out of the bill and only 10 per cent must be retained This is to let the money which ought to be held for reserves go to the speculators in New York. A time limit of three years is carried in the bill.

A real fight by Democrats in the senate would easily have defeated this bill and the absence of any real opposition by Democratic senators is regarded as an illustration of the manner in which Wall Street and corporate influence generally, dominates the senate regardless of party names.

UNDS; ACTOR DIES.

Audience Files Quietly Out of Burning Theater and No One Is Hurt.

Cleveland, June 3.—Eugene Jepson of New York, leading man in a vaudeville sketch at the Keith's theater, dropped dead of heart disease in his dressing room yesterday afternoon, when an alarm of fire sounded.

No one was injured among the audience as it filed out of the building while the orchestra continued playing and those upon the stage proceeded with their work. The fire was extinguished after damage amounting to $5,000 had been done.

CROPS ARE RUINED

Tornado Sweeps Through Section of Kansas.

Salina, Kan., June 3. — A tornado passed within half a mile of Hoxie, in Sheridan county, near here, last night, doing damage to property and causing loss of much live stock. The path of the storm was 100 yards wide and two miles long. Barns, fence and trees in its path were carried away. Following the wind, hail fell over a large territory adjoining Salina, laying waste thousands of acres of wheat and other crops.

BREAKS RECORD

Beats Time of Sister Ship on Long Course by Seven Minutes.

New York, June 3. — The Cuard liner Mauretania broke the record over the long course from Queenstown to this port, covering the distance in four days, twenty hours and fifteen minutes, with an average speed of 24.85 knots, according to a wireless dispatch received by the Cunard Line company from the steamship last night. The Mauretania's record is seven minutes better than the high record held by her sister ship, the Lusitania.

Queenstown, June 3. — The Lusitania of the Cunard line broke her east-bound record over the long course from New York to this port by two hours and forty-three minutes.

Miner is Killed.

Dubuque, Iowa, June 3.—John Kerwin was killed and J. J. Smith fatally injured yesterday when a skip dropped 225 feet with them down a mine shaft. A defective brake caused the accident.

CANNOT IDENTIFY CORPSE.

Body Seems to Have Been Lying for Months in Underbrush.

Pierre, S. D., June 3. — A report was brought to Fort Pierre yesterday of the finding of a body about two miles from that place, near Bad river. Coroner Vickerman went out to look after the matter and found a body which evidently had been lying in the bushes near the railroad tracks for several months. There was but little left except a skeleton and some torn clothing. A watch and cuff button were found, but nothing by which the body could be identified.

WIPES OUT FAMILY

Madman Kills Wife and Two Children and Then Commits Suicide.

La Belle, Mo., June 3.—In a fit of supposed insanity Bert McMillan, foreman on the ranch of Whitmere Thomas, three miles northwest of here, yesterday afternoon shot and instantly killed his wife, Mrs. Mamie McMillin, and his two small children, Opal, aged three, and Frank, aged six, and then, after setting fire to his clothing, sent a bullet crashing through his brain. There were no witnesses to the tragedy.

CAN'T BE STOPPED

Montana Supreme Court Dissolves Labor Writ.

Helena, Mont., June 3. — The supreme court yesterday by a unanimous vote handed down an opinion directing the dissolving of an injunction that had been granted by the district court of Yellowstone county restraining the Montana Federation of Labor and other bodies and individuals from interfering with the business of Linsay & Co., a wholesale fruit house of Helena, which maintains a branch in Billings. The effect of the decision, it is declared, will mark the end of injunctions against labor unions in this state, except of course by federal courts.

Six Days of Ceremonies.

Minneapolis, June 3.—Beginning on Friday of this week, the events in connection with the graduation of students from the University of Minnesota will be inaugurated, continuing for six days, during which a round of ceremonies of a highly interesting character will be held.

TRAINS HELD BY MON. FLOODS

One Thousand Passengers Are Tied Up in Livingston, Mont.

WORST WASHOUT IN YEARS

Railroads Suffer Heavy Losses—Minnesota and Cottonwood Rivers on Rampage.

Livingston, Mont., June 3. — Seven overland Northern Pacific and Burlington passenger trains, carrying about 1,000 passengers, are tied up in this city, with the prospect of being held here two or three days more, as the result of one of the worst washouts in the recent history of the Northern Pacific. Ten miles east of this city two thirty-foot "fills," one eighty feet long and the other more than 100, are completely washed out, and the eastern portal of the Bozeman tunnel is blocked by a landslide which is said to have caved in a portion of the tunnel. The last train to get through to Butte went Saturday night. Big floods have risen east of this city, near Columbus, Mont., tying up traffic. The stalled trains reached Livingston in time to be caught by the washouts east of here yesterday morning. Northern Pacific trains are being sent east from Butte and Helena over the Great Northern tracks.

Wash Out 500 Feet of Track.

Dispatches from Butte, Mont., say that the bridges crossing Silver Bow creek, within the limits of Butte, are threatened by the floods, and the street car tracks on the flats south of that city are under water. The rainfall there during May amounted to seven inches, exceeding all records.

The Yellowstone river also is on the rampage and trains are from twenty-four to forty-eight hours late on the Northern Pacific.

A report from Hell Gate canyon states that the rains of the last thirty-six hours have washed out 500 feet of the roadbeds of the Northern Pacific and St. Paul railroads between Missoula and Clinton. It will take at least three months to repair the damage suffered by the St. Paul road.

Close New Ulm Bridges.

New Ulm, Minn., June 3.—The Minnesota and Cottonwood rivers are on a rampage. The lowlands are flooded, thousands of acres of fertile lands are inundated and this season's crop will be practically worthless. The roads leading into the city are covered with at least three feet of water on the Nicollet county side, and it is only with difficulty that the farmers can reach the city. The city authorities have declared some of the approaches dangerous and have closed the bridges to traffic.

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SAYS HE OWES STATE NOTHING

17,000 MEN GIVEN WORK.

Men Who Have Been Idle Because of Business Depression Get Jobs.

St. Louis, June 3.—More than 17,000 men who have been idle because of business depression yesterday were given employment in the manufacturing and mercantile establishments of St. Louis and immediate vicinity, as a result of a campaign carried on the past month by the National Prosperity association to make June 1 "employment day."

Slips to Death With Many Near.

Minneapolis, June 3.—With a number of workmen nearby and a boy companion fishing scarcely 100 feet away, Horace Thomson, eleven years old, slipped on the bank of the Mississippi river last evening and sank to a silent death in the river.

Two Drowned.

Austin, Minn., June 3.—Edward and William Maureke, aged ten and twenty-four years, respectively, were drowned in a lake north of this city Sunday, when the boat in which they were rowing capsized.

Garrison (N. D.) Has Big Fire.

Bismarck, N. D., June 3.—Fire at Garrison, in McLean county, north of ber, destroyed the principal hotel, opera house and a large livery barn.

Former State Oil Inspector Fenton G. Warner Files Answer in State's Suit.

St. Paul, June 3.—F. G. Warner, former state oil inspector, served his answer yesterday in the suit brought by the state against him and the National Surety company to recover $12,891.85, alleged to be due to the state from him on account of oil inspection fees collected by him while in office and not turned into the state treasury. The answer is a complete denial of the complaint and contains an allegation that he had paid the state all moneys collected by him while in that office.

He denies that the total collections of the office during his incumbency were $69,548.94, and alleges that the total was $60,195.60, which has been paid to the state, as shown by the record of the office.

He denies that he has wrongfully and fraudulently retained the sum of $9,355.25 of the fees collected, and alleges that the $3,538.50 which was credited to the companies during his incumbency for out shipments was credited on account of shipments of oil which were received and inspected in this state and actually sent outside the state for consumption.

The case is brought in the Ramsey county district court and may come on for trial during the June term.

LARIVIERE GETS DITCH CONTRACT

HAMMOND FARMER TAKES DITCH 74 BY LOWEST BID THIS MORNING

Ditch 74 running thru the north part of Hammond and the south part of Andover townships was let today to Joseph Lariviere of the town of Hammond for 11 1-2 cents a yard. The ditch is 16,600 feet long and contains 18,278 cubic yards of excavation.

AUTO CRUSHES FOUR.

Two Killed and Two Injured When Touring Car Turns Turtle.

New York, June 3. — Whirling up Ocean parkway at a speed of fifty miles an hour early yesterday a big touring automobile containing a party of merrymakers who had spent the night at Coney Island, crashed into a tree, bounded into the air, turned over and fell on the occupants. Two men were instantly killed and two were so severely crushed that they may die. Two other men in the car escaped almost without a scratch.

CITY IS 250 YEARS OLD.

Kingston, N. Y., Celebrates Its 250th Anniversary.

Kingston, N. Y., June 3.—After a day devoted to outdoor festivities, including a military and civic parade started by a signal from President Roosevelt in Washington, a parade of automobiles, a sham battle and an address by Gov. Hughes, the city of Kingston last night closed the celebration of the 250th anniversary of its founding as a settlement with a fireworks display at Kingston Point Park.

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GREENBUSH WILL CELEBRATE FOURTH

NORTH COUNTRY TOWN TO HAVE AUTOMOBILE RACES ON THE FOURTH

Greenbush will celebrate the 4th of July this year in fine fashion having a fireworks ball and automobile races to vary the day with. Horse races will also give the day flavor. The committees of that city have already planned their program and it will be one of the best of the north country.

INDICTED FOR FRAUD.

Real Estate Man's Contract Proves a Trouble-Maker for Him.

Sioux City, Iowa, June 3.—The federal grand jury has returned an indictment against W. C. Smith, said to be the manager of the Globe Realty company, charging him with misuse of the mails. The complaint against Smith was that of attempting by letter to enforce a contract which was cleverly worded, to compel the signer to pay Smith's company 1 per cent upon property listed for sale, whether a sale was accomplished or not. A fraud order was issued against Smith and he has since been at liberty under $1,000 bonds.

Fire Sweeps Business Houses.

Liberal, Kan., June 3.—Twenty-one business houses of the business center of Hooker, Okla., forty miles west of Liberal, were burned yesterday afternoon. The fire started at 5 p. m. and in one hour had done $15,000 damage. Both newspaper plants were burned and the postoffice building was damaged.

BRUTAL MURDER MYSTIFIES POLICE

Paris Officials Seem Far From Solution of Murder of Artist and His Mother-in-Law.

Paris, June 3. — The Paris police seem far from a solution of the mysterious murder of the noted painter, Adolphe Steinheil, and his wife's mother, Mme. Japy, which occurred in the artist's residence in the Rue de Baugirard in the early hours of Sunday. A number of the newspapers, which are laying stress on the mysterious element of the crime, dwell upon the fact the police refuse to allow any one to communicate with Mme. Steinheil, who still is suffering from nervous shock after her terrifying experience, or her sixteen-year-old daughter, who returned from the country yesterday. They also point out that jewels which Mme. Steinheil declared Sunday had been stolen by the murderers were yesterday discovered in a concealed safe.

The examining magistrate before whom preliminary proceedings in the case have been brought spent all the afternoon in the Steinheil house on a mission of investigation. He found finger prints on a small crystal clock, which was handed over to experts for a Bertillon examination. It is thought that this may prove to be a valuable clue in running down the assassins.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

COPS REFUSE TO BE FIRED.

Helena Policemen Stay at Work in Spite of Order.

Helena, Mont., June 3.—Police Captain Bailey and three officers were discharged by Mayor Edwards yesterday in accordance with the provisions of an ordinance passed by the council a month ago, providing for the reduction of the force. The officers refused to relinquish their positions because the mayor appointed one extra or emergency officer in their stead. All five are on duty with the regular force.

ALDERMAN NOT THIEF.

E. G. Anderson Is Acquitted on the Charge of Stealing Coal.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 3.—Ald. E. G. Anderson, who was charged with complicity in the theft of a carload of coal from the Milwaukee railroad, was acquitted by a jury in the circuit court. The principal evidence against Anderson was the testimony of an employe of the coal yards.

Bank Change at Fargo.

Fargo, June 3.—As the result of a change in the First National bank directory, L. B. Hanna, a candidate for congress, becomes president, succeeding Robert Jones. The bank is the largest in the state.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

MEETINGS OF AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY

"Is Dinner Ready?" The farmers and the cook only can answer. Once a year, our foodstuff is in the hands of the farmers. They own the amount that must last 12 months. They should supply during the 12 months. A plan of steady, gradual and controlled marketing to prevent glutted markets, to secure steady and equitable prices and stop speculation in foodstuffs should enlist the attention and be welcomed by producer and consumer alike.

The organization of several thousands of farmers into local unions in Minnesota and co-operative methods of marketing by carload shipments are now proving the plan to be practical and profitable without increasing cost to consumers.

Farmers have four special needs: Protection against short weights and false grading; ample storage, at the farm or at the shipping and in terminal centers to avoid dumping surplus products into speculators' hands on the low prices that they make in the Fall, co-operation for distribution in other states and marketing thru terminal centers. A voice in pricemaking, they being the investors, toilers, owners! We desire to increase the local organizations, knowing that a continuous income meant ready cash in the hands of this class who are abount one half of the entire number of purchasers of manufactured goods. The prosperity of the farmers means the prosperity of the country at large.

This plan will be offered to farmers and the public by one of our most notable lecturers, Mr. C. O. Drayton, President of the Illinois Union, who has been secured and authorized to hold seventy Dollar-Wheat Rallies in the Red River Valley, six as follows:

Hitterdal, Monday June 8.

Twin Valley, Tuesday June 9.

Ada, City Hall, Wednesday June 10.

Lockhart School House, Thursday, June 11.

Beltrami, Odd Fellows Hall, Friday June 12.

Crookston, Court House, Saturday June 13.

All meetings at 2 p. m.

We urge every farmer and business man to hear this free lecture on "Dollar Wheat to Stay." Mr. Drayton held meetings on the west side of the river last summer a few weeks and nearly 1000 grain growers enrolled in those meetings to adopt and support this plan, aiding to swell a list of about 10,000 in North Dakota.

Cut this out and pin on the clock to show the date and hour.

Signed by Pres. T. S. Morrell, Director of Organization.

REPUBLICAN CO. CONVENTION CALL

A Republican County Convention for the County of Polk is hereby called to be held on Thursday June 25th, in the city of Crookston, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing 17 delegates to the State Convention to be held in St. Paul on the first day of July at eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating the following state officers: Governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general and two members of the railroad and warehouse commission and transact such other business as may properly come before the county convention.

The Primaries shall be held in the different precincts on Monday June 22nd between seven and eight o'clock p. m.

All republican electors of Polk County or other electors without regard to past political affiliation, who believe in the principles of the republican party, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the selection of delegates to said County Convention.

The basis of representation in said County Convention shall be one delegate for every 50 votes or the major fraction thereof cast for the republican candidate for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer and attorney general, at the last general election of 1906, and one delegate at large. No precinct to be represented by less than two delegates.

Andover	2
Angus	2
Brandt	2
Beltrami Village	2
Badger	2
Brandsvold	2
Belgium	2
Brislet	2
Bygland	2
Crookston	2
City of Crookston—	
1st ward	2
2nd ward	2
3rd ward	2
4th ward	3
5th ward	2
6th ward	2
7th ward	2
8th ward	2
Climax Village	2
Columbia	2
Chester	2
City of East Grand Forks—	
1st ward	2
2nd ward	2
3rd ward	2
4th ward	2
Euclid	2
Eden	2
Esther	2
Erskine Village	2
Fairfax	2
Farley	2
Fanny	2
Town and Village of Fisher	2
Fosston Village	3
Fertile Village	2
Grand Forks	2
Garfield	2
Garden	2
Gentilly	2
Grove Park	2
Godfrey	2
Gully	2
Hammond	2
Helgeland	2
Higdem	2
Hill River	2
Huntsville	2
Hubbard	2
Johnson	2
Keystone	2
Kertsonville	2
King	2
Knute	2
Liberty	2
Lessor	2
Lowell	2
Lengby Village	2
Mentor Village	2
McIntosh Village	2
Nesbit	2
Northland	2
Onstad	2
Parnell	2
Queen	2
Reis	2
Roome	2
Rosebud	2
Russia	2
Rhinehart	2
Sandsville	2
Scandia	2
Sletten	2
Sullivan	2
Tabor	2
Tilden	2
Tynsid	2
Vineland	2
Winger	2
Woodside	2

Dated May 22, 1908.

By order of the Republican County Central Committee.

J. C. SATHRE,
Chairman.

H. L. FALK,
Sec. pro tem.

"Two Days or Two Weeks."

Washington, May 29.—"We may adjourn in two days, or we may adjourn in two weeks," was the terse comment of Speaker Cannon yesterday, as he came out of the executive offices after a brief conference with the president.

Boy's Airship Makes Good.

Columbus, Ohio, May 29.—Cromwell Dixon, a boy aeronaut, made a succesful flight yesterday at the state fair grounds in his new airship. After an hour's flight he descended safely.

Thousands of Acres Flooded.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 30.—Reports from Maryville, Oregon, Tarkie and other Northwest Missouri towns are to the effect that thousands of acres of lowlands have been flooded. Most of this land had been planted to corn and the damage is heavy.

Claims He Was Robbed in Hotel.

East Grand Forks, Minn., May 30.—Carl Zimmerman had Albert Johnson and James Murphy arrrested yesterday on a charge of robbing him of $22.

REPORTS ARE NECESSARY

CREAMERY SECRETARIES MUST ATTEND TO THEIR DUTIES AT ONCE

CREAMERY INSPECTOR STORVICK ARRESTS REGRETS NECESSITY OF

From Monday's Daily—

Creamery Inspector A. O. Storvick who makes his headquarters in Crookston, called the attention of the Journal today to the fact that many of the secretaries of creameries in this section of the state had thus far failed to comply with the state laws regarding sending in their annual reports.

The state law is very plain on this point, every secretary being required to send in a report annually covering every detail regarding the business done. Some of the reports that have been sent in are incomplete, and are inaccurate as well, not showing the amount of business done and being in such shape that the various accouts will not balance.

Inspector Storvick is naturally loathe to prosecute secretaries but it is incumbent upon him to see that the law is enforced. The department looks to him to see that the reports are made, and of course he is therefore forced to demand the reports from the secretaries.

The state law provides that the creamery secretaries shall be fined $15 where they fail to make proper reports, but Inspector Storvick is very much averse to putting the secretaries to this expense. However he has been called upon to make several prosecutions and will have to make more unless the required reports are forthcoming.

Mr. Storvick states that conditions among the creameries are otherwise very encouraging. The output this year is just about double what it was a year ago and the checks the farmers are getting means a greater degree of prosperity than they ever before enjoyed.

GEN. STEPHEN D. LEE DEAD.

Had Record of Having Ordered First Shot to Be Fired at Fort Sumter.

Vicksburg, Miss., May 30. — Lieut. Gen. Stephen D. Lee of Columbus, Miss., commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, answered his last roll call at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. Cerebral hemorrhage was the cause of his death.

An incident in connection with Gen. Stephen D. Lee's military career not generally know is the fact that he directed the firing of the first shot of the Civil war. He was one of the two officers of the South Carolina troop sent by Gen. Beauregard to demand the surrender of Fort Sumter, and on the refusal of this demand he ordered the first battery to fire on the fort.

NONE HURT IN BIG SMASHUP.

Passenger Train Piles Up on Track Near Watertown, S. D.

Watertown, S. D., May 28.—An unusual train wreck occurred two miles from this city yesterday morning when the early morning North-Western passenger from the Twin Cities piled up in a mass of broken rails, ties and splintered cars, but without a single passenger receiving a scratch. A journal broke on the tender, which was thrown bodily from the track, the mail, baggage and two passenger coaches plowing up the track for a hundred yards and finally stopping crosswise with the track.

MANUFACTURE CHLOROFORM.

Officers of Ashland Blast Furnace May Build Addition for Product.

Ashland, Wis., May 28.—While the blast furnace is closed down for repairs it is probable that a new addition will be built to the chemical plant for the manufacture of chloroform. The plans are now being made and the officers will decide the last of this month if such a step shall be taken. Chloroform can be made as one of the by-products of the charcoal kilns, and it is believed that the plant, costing in the neighborhood of $20,000 or $25,000, would be an addition that would make its operation profitable.

Burglars Raid Altoona.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., May 30.—Burglars operating in and around Altoona have committed three burglaries in that village during the past three weeks. The last time they broke into Crysler's store and carried away a small safe, which they broke open near the village limits. The joke was on the burglars, as the safe was of the imitation kind and contained only a few bottles of wine and a deck of cards.

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HER BIRTHDAY GIFT.

By Troy Allison.

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The rarely used doorbell rang out an unexpected rusty summons, and Mrs. Jordan, engaged in putting the breakfast biscuits into the oven, tilted the pan in her excitement until the carefully cut forms slid down to one end of the pan, an avalanche of dough.

"Marietta, go answer that bell." She thought Marietta had not noticed the episode of the biscuits, and she would not for worlds have the girl think there was a vulnerable spot to her stoicism or that she owned to curiosity. "If it's a woman, don't let her in, for there ain't a woman round here that hasn't sense enough to know better'n to call before breakfast."

Marietta, without waiting for the end of the monologue, had opened the door.

"Here's a package for you," said the man from the station, grinning and pointing to the small boy on the doorstep, "he's labeled to Mrs. Jordan."

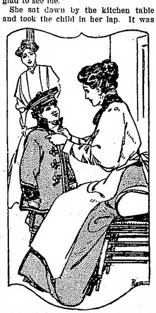
The girl stared at the small figure in astonishment. "I'm Ned and I'm a birthday present to grandma and I'm hungry," he said, with no recognition of the need of pauses or punctuation, raising very blue eyes to meet hers earnestly.

"I guess he'll have to come in," said the girl in bewilderment. "I don't know anything about him, but maybe Aunt Ann does."

Mrs. Jordan, waiting in the kitchen door, gave a gasp of terror when she saw the small face under the leather sailor cap. "Bobbie!" she whispered faintly.

"No; I'm not named Bobbie. I'm Neddie, grandma." The small hands clung around her waist. "Papa said you would love me and be awfully glad to see me."

She sat down by the kitchen table and took the child in her lap. It was the first time she had ever been called grandmother, and she had never known there was a child.



"YOU DO WANT ME FOR YOUR LITTLE BOY, DON'T YOU?"

When Robert Jordan went to the city six years before to study bookkeeping and during the first year married one of the chorus girls belonging to the "Froth and Foam Extravaganza," his mother's Methodist principles had refused to acknowledge that she any longer had a son. His letters, unanswered, finally stopped altogether. There had been no word from him, direct or indirect, until this small boy, with the eyes and mouth of her own little Bobbie, called her grandmother.

"I never saw you before at all," he said, softly patting her cheeks with the cold little hands from which he had removed the mittens, "but papa said you would love me dearly and that every time you made cookies you would make me a large cake shaped like a doggie, with currants for its eyes. Will you, grandmother, please?"

Mrs. Jordan trembled from head to foot at the vision of another little boy of long ago watching her put the currants in for eyes. She could fancy his childish voice saying, "Mind, muvver, don't make him cross eyed."

"Where is your papa?" she asked, unbuttoning the child's overcoat mechanically.

"Papa's gone away. He said he was going to stay with mamma and that I was to be your little boy. He sent you a birthday letter in my overcoat pocket. You do want me for your little boy, don't you?"

His childish mouth quivered apprehensively at her continued silence.

She left the letter unopened while she hugged him suddenly to her breast.

"Yes; I want you for my little boy. I have wanted a little boy for years and years—so terribly long," she said, crushing the words against his short, curly hair.

"Marietta, take the child upstairs and wash his face and hands before breakfast. He's all covered with train dust," she said, suddenly becoming conscious that the young girl had been standing silent in.

Left alone, she looked at the letter long and silently. The years rolled back—she seemed to feel with all the intensity of her young motherhood. She realized that the letter must tell her that her son was dead, yet the child, her child, seemed miraculously restored to her.

Bringing her glasses from a corner of the dining room mantel, she opened the letter.

"I shall not live to see your birthday, mother, but little Ned will be with you, and you can't help loving him. His mother has been dead a year. The doctor says he will see that the boy gets to you safely. And, mother, if you will only love him and forget these last few years"—

The woman leaned her head on the table, and deep sobs convulsed her.

Marietta, coming downstairs with an immaculate little boy by the hand, saw through the front window some one who caused her to run hastily to the door.

"Come to the steps a minute, John," she called softly. "I was afraid I wouldn't get the chance to see you today. I've determined to say 'Yes,' even if Aunt Ann doesn't give her consent. She seems to have a horror of people getting married. It's getting unbearable. I wanted her to say I might marry you, but I'll do it, anyway."

John Terry's strong hand closed on hers convulsively.

"Will you wear a veil and carry a big bouquet?" eagerly asked the child, overlooked by them both.

The man laughed good naturedly.

"Hello, youngster, where did you come from? Yes, she can have the veil and bouquet, and maybe there will be a long train that you can walk behind and carry just like the picture of the princess and her little page. But who on earth are you, and when did you strike this town?"

"I'm Ned Jordan, and my papa's name is Robert Jordan, and I've come to stay with grandma, and I hope you are well," the child answered, with a polite timidity that caused him to rush through his explanations and wind up for lack of breath.

Terry gazed at the girl meaningly.

"So? The old lady has relented at last, has she?"

"I don't think it's that," the girl answered softly. "I think Cousin Robert is—dead. She seemed wonderfully affected and more gentle than I have ever known her."

"Marietta!" Mrs. Jordan's voice called from the dining room. "Is that John Terry? Tell him to come in and have breakfast with us. It's awfully lucky to have a man caller on your birthday. I'm forty-nine years young," she added, with a laugh that held a sob. "And I'm going to start in the fifties right. You might as well let John come on in. I'll bet he'll spend most of the year with you anyhow."

Terry, laughing, took the girl's arm and led her to the dining room.

"She's going to be married, and I'm going to carry her train for her, grandma," said the child excitedly.

"All right, Bobbie; come, sit in this chair by grandma, and let those people that are so much in love with each other sit by each other."

The child climbed into the chair and looked at her reproachfully. "I should think if I was your own little boy you wouldn't forget my name," he said.

"Yes, Bobbie, dear—I mean Neddie," she said, "bow your head now while John asks a blessing on my birthday gift."

Holland's Source of Wealth.

When it comes to coffee, sugar, indigo, spices and tobacco all the nations of the world have to take off their hats to the little kingdom of Holland," said Mr. Karl Van Valkenberg of Amsterdam.

"Once in every two weeks the Netherlands company sells more coffee than all the rest of the world's markets combined. This fortunate situation comes about through the ownership of our island colonies. Sumatra, which is almost thirty times as large as Holland, sends its tobacco crop to the home government. Java, tremendously larger, is also ours, and to it we are indebted for our coffee. Borneo, which would make a dozen of us, is our source of coal supply, and from the islands of Blanca and Billiton we get vast quantities of tin. So you see that Holland's riches come largely from her insular possessions. Amsterdam and Antwerp cut the diamonds of the world."—Baltimore American.

Our Oldest Permanent City.

Albany, capital of the great Empire State, claims to be the oldest permanent settlement within the limits of our thirteen colonies, but has greater historical significance on account of its strategic importance during the century of conflict between the English and French in America and in the American Revolution. In 1524 Verrazzano, a French navigator, sailed up the Hudson, and about 1540 a French trading post was set up near the present site of Albany. The continuous history of the place dates from the discovery of these regions by Henry Hudson in 1609, who was followed by Dutch traders, who in 1614 established a trading station on Castle island under the name of Fort Nassau. In 1664, after the transfer of New Netherlands to the English, the name of Albany was given to the settlement in honor of the Duke of York and Albany, afterward James II.—Leslie's Weekly.

Curing a Fish.

A curious experiment was tried a short time ago to determine the brain power of the pike. One of these voracious fish was placed in a tank with some minnows with glass partitions separating the one from the other. The pike for three months made fruitless attempts to catch the minnows, repeatedly dashing its nose against the glass. At last, having come to the conclusion that its efforts were of no use, it finally discontinued them. The glass was then removed, but the ideas firmly established in the pike never became disestablished, for it never afterward attacked the minnows, though it fed voraciously on all other kinds of fish.—London Telegraph.

Maybe the reason Solomon was so wise is because he looked to his composite wife for advice and counsel.

FUNERAL WAS HELD FRIDAY

REMAINS OF JOS. LEICHT WERE LAID TO REST WITH IMPOSING RITES

MANY SOCIETIES PARTICIPATED —FRIENDS PRESENT FROM ALL DIRECTIONS

Special to the Journal:

Winona, May 29—This afternoon at 2:30 funeral services were held over the remains of Jos. Leicht, the well known and highly honored editor of the Westlicher Herald, who was formerly president of the Minnesota Editorial association. The funeral was one of the largest ever held in this city, there being many present from outside points.

The funeral was held from the residence, 315 East 3rd street, and services were held in the German language by Rev. Hillmer and in English by Rev. Borncamp. Beautiful selections were rendered at the house by the Philharmonic quartette, and at the cemetery by the Elks quartette.

The pall bearers were selected from the various orders to which deceased belonged as follows:

German Odd Fellows, Conrad Walfers; A. O. U. W. No. 98, Jacob Scherffins; Elks, L. L. Brown; U. C. T. A. M. Ramer and Editor Cameron representing the Republican Herald and Mr. White representing the Independent.

The honorary pall bearers were F. Lees, Dr. J. B. McCanhen, J. H. Krumdick, N. S. Toye, Christ Florin, Peter Bub, John Ruth, C. F. Schroth, Eugene Gerstenhaur.

The remains arrived yesterday from New York accompanied by two of his sons and the Order of Druids escorted the remains to the residence, accompanied by delegations from the other orders to which the deceased belonged.

The funeral was one of the largest and most impressive ever held in this city.

RECEIVER FOR HIPPODROME.

Financial Stringency Causes Failure of Cleveland Company.

Cleveland, May 30.—A receiver yesterday was appointed for the Cleveland Hippodrome company on application of one of the stockholders. The proceeding is said to be friendly. The company has a capital stock of $1,400,000. The financial stringency made it difficult to raise new funds needed. The theater company is not affected by the receivership.

FALCONIO STARTS WEST.

St. Paul to Entertain the Apostolic Delegate.

Washington, May 30.—The apostolic delegate, Mgr. Falconio, and Father A. P. Doyle of the Catholic university left Washington yesterday for St. Paul. Sunday next they will participate in the ceremonies incident to the laying of the corner-stone of the new cathedral in Minneapolis.

Former Merchant Missing.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 30. — C. Brown, a former well known shoe merchant of Belmond, has disappeared and his whereabouts are not known. He left for Des Moines, and while there he wrote to a former business partner in Brainerd, Minn., saying that he would be there in a few days, but it is learned that he did not arrive there.

Eventful Night on Farm.

Barnesville, Minn., May 3. — A farmer of Kragnes says that recently the following arrived on his farm during the night: Thirty-three pigs, two colts, two calves, six kittens and one son. He says he was kept busy all night.

Kidnapped Her Own Child.

Janesville, Wis., May 30. — Edna Wheelock is in jail here charged with having kidnapped her own child. It is alleged that the prisoner gave her sister the child to adopt.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

May 28 In History.

Noah Webster.

1807—Louis John Rudolph Agassiz, naturalist and geologist, born in Motier, Switzerland; died 1873.

1843—Noah Webster, American lexicographer, died; born 1758. At the age of fifty Webster began his famous dictionary and devoted ten years to inquiry into the origin of the English language. He was seventy when the first edition appeared from the press, yet he lived on fifteen years to labor for its perfection.

1895—Walter Quinton Gresham, secretary of state, died; born 1832.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:17, rises 4:28; moon rises 4:18 a. m.; eighth anniversary of last total eclipse seen in this country; sun passing first magnitude star Aldebaran.

EUCLID LAND SALE — Sale was completed today of the east half of section 26 in Euclid held by L. L. Zenor, formerly in the land business here to O. J. Harris of O'Brien county, Ia. The consideration was $8000.

DEPARTMENT STORE AT FERTILE—Knute Opheim of Fertile is visiting on business in the city today. He says that the department store at Fertile has rapidly progressed and will soon be open for business.

SCHMIDT ESTATE UP — M. E. Kirsch appeared before the probate court this morning in behalf of the estate of Joseph Schmidt who died December 20th last with a petition to sell the real estate owned by the deceased.

RUSH HERE—Attorney A. J. Rush of Mankato arrived in the city this morning and spends the day on business here. He was formerly editor of the Sleepy Eye Dispatch at whose head John Kirsch of Crookston now waves the quill.

THIEF RIVER SUIT — Attorney Grady appeared before Judge Watts of the district court last night in the suit brought by Ole Simonson against the Merchants bank of Crookston to determine the title to a parcel of land in Thief River Falls. The case was continued until next Monday.

TO PAY DEBTS—The estate of Erik O. Jordahl who died in the town of Tynsid February 21, 1906 was represented before Judge Morken in the probate court today in a petition to mortgage real estate owned by the estate to pay debts. The deceased died an old man owning considerable property.

Jack McDonald a farm hand in the employ of John H. Damman was killed Tuesday night by a Great Northern northbound freight train two miles north of Stephen. McDonald evidently went to sleep between the tracks with his head on the rail the back of his head being entirely cut off.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

May 29 In History.

1660—Sarah Jennings, famous as Duchess of Marlborough, born; died 1744.

1736—Patrick Henry, patriot orator of the Revolution, born; died 1799.

1866—General Winfield Scott, retired commander of the United States army, died; born 1786. General Scott was sixty years old when he undertook the campaign in Mexico.

1877—John Lothrop Motley, historian and former American minister to England, died; born 1814.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:18, rises 4:28; moon rises 4:51 a. m.; 10 p. m., new moon, eastern time; 5 p. m., planet Venus at greatest brilliancy; seen in west each evening.

TO CASS LAKE— Roadmaster Laughlin went to Cass Lake this morning and vigorously denied the imputation that he was going to catch a few barrels of pike. "Business, strictly business' he said.

BURIAL AT FERTILE—The body of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Draper of Grand Forks was shipped to Fertile where the funeral was held yesterday.

ONE GRADUATE AT EAST GRAND FORKS—State Superintendent Olson delivered commencement address last evening for the benefit of one graduate at East Grand Forks, that graduate being Walter Quigley brother of Mrs. N. S. Davies of Crookston. Mr. Quigley was not able to deliver an oration on account of recent operation on his throat. The presentation of the diploma was made by President Sherlock of the board of education. A reception and banquet followed.

NO PAPER SATURDAY—Saturday being Memorial day there will be no Journal published tomorrow, the Journal management being of the opinion that the employes should be given an opportunity to devote the day to the paying of proper tribute to the departed.

SHOOTS GUN WILDLY AT NIGHT—August Steinbrink aged 55 years will be brought up before Judge of Probate Morken on trial for his sanity at four o'clock this afternoon. His wife, Caroline, states he goes out at all times of the night with gun and shoots wildly about the dooryard endangering life. He believes some one is in the nearby woods and says life unsafe on his farm as well as being cause of private family difficulties.

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS — Given away in the Fargo Conservatory of Music to the amount of $600.00. The best equipped musical school in the Northwest, largest faculty, all branches taught. Pupils may enter at any time. Send for information regarding scholarships. Fall term opens Sept. 10th, 1908. Large illustrated catalogue of school sent upon request. Address E. Herdeg, Secretary of Fargo Conservatory of Music, or W. W. George, Director, Fargo, N. D.

WERE MARRIED HALF A CENTURY

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee residing south of the city near Kittson were pleasantly surprised last evening in honor of their Golden Wedding—Their five children were all home and the evening was a most delightful one—Both active and healthy — Entered fully into the spirit of the occasion

Yesterday was the 50th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee, well known farmers residing south of the city on rural route No. 4 on the old Locken farm, and last evening a number of their friends and relatives dropped in unexpectedly and spent the evening with them. The occasion was a most delightful one and Mr. and Mrs. Lee will long remember their Golden Wedding. They were married 50 years ago at Mt. Pleasant, Henry Co., Ia., May 27, 1858 Mrs. Lee's maiden name being Miss Sarah A. Mitts. The five children of the couple were all present last evening including two daughters, Mrs. H. L. Ross and Mrs. Geo. Welch of this city and Will, Earl and Albert who reside at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee were presented many beautiful gifts including a beautiful gold handled umbrella. The evening was passed most pleasantly and ice cream, cake and coffee were served. The company departed at a late hour after extending most hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lee. Those present included Messrs. and Mesdames W. E. Slocum, Chas. Musselman, and H. B. Scribner, Mrs. H. L. Ross and sons,, Mrs. Geo. Welch and James Johnson of this city and Messrs. and Mesdames Phillips, R. E. Smith and O. J. Volland and family, Mrs. Hardly, Oscar Quist and Mr. Perry, residing in the neighborhood of the Lee farm.

One of the amusing features of the evening was the description required of each married man of his wife's wedding gown. W. E. Slocum took first prize in this contest, describing his wife's gown in every detail. A few present could not even tell what the color of their wife's wedding gown was and came near being fined.

Killed by Pitched Ball.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 30.—In a game of baseball in this city late yesterday, Charles Lempke, aged fourteen was struck under the heart by a pitched ball and was killed.

PRACTICAL FORESTRY

SOUTHERN MINNESOTA FARMERS CONVERTING SOFT WOOD TREES INTO LUMBER

COTTONWOOD AND WILLOW TREES MORE POROUS AND TOUGHER THAN PINE

While the forestry faddists are conjuring the spook of a timber famine for building, the farmers of various sections of Minnesota are giving a very practical answer to their alarming prophesies. All thru southern Minnesota the portable sawmill is on its annual rounds converting into building materiral the soft wood trees the farmers in the prairie sections planted for shade and windbreaks.

It is only two years ago that Mr. Michael Horgan, one of Ireland's sons who recently visited in this city, called attention of his neighbors to the value of their little individual forests. His home is in Martin county, near the southern boundary of the state. This season hundreds of thousands of feet of excellent lumber have been cut there.

Twenty Years Growths

The trees are largely cotton wood and willow, but they are but little more porous than pine and vastly tougher. For all dimensions material they have been tested and found satisfactory. These trees grow to large timber size in about twenty years. The man who plants can reap his own harvest.

On every farm there, they have been planted for other purposes, but now have become valuable for this. There are but few farms where there are not enough to supply their owners need at the small expense of cutting.

Planted Carefully

Since their new utility and value have been proved, they will be more carefully spaced and grown. Other varieties will also be used and they will so supplement the pine forests as to minimize the demand and extend the life of the supply almost indefinitely, if it is reasonably conserved.

There is no reason whatever why on every farm there should not be these wood lots, which while protect the buildings from storm and sheltering the cattle, would supply the far greater part of the demand for lumber. Man can never be made dependent upon one material nor one source for any need. Give him the soil and he and the Lord will take care of all the rest.

CONVENTION OF DULUTH DIOCESE

NEW CONSTITUTION WILL BE ADOPTED AT MEETING OF MINISTERS

Rev. Richard Cox of this city and between thirty and forty other ministers of the Episcopal church are in Duluth for the second annual convention of the diocese of Duluth, which opened yesterday morning with a holy communion service at Trinity Pro-Cathedral. Rt. Rev. J. D. Morrison bishop of Duluth, will be the celebrant and Rev. Irving Johnson of Minneapolis will preach the sermon. Wilkon Smith an Indian, and St. John's college of Winnipeg will be ordained deacons by Bishop Morrison. The combined choirs of the Lakeside church and Trinity pro-Cathedral will have charge of the music.

After the services the convention will settle down to business. Reports of officers will be read and it is expected a new constitution for the diocese of Duluth will be adopted. In the evening the Sunday school banquet will be held at Trinity hall. The program consists of discussions of different phases of Sunday school work. Dean W. H. Wurtele, chairman of the Sunday School committee will preside and Bishop Morrison, Page Morris James Ward, Dr. Baker of St. Paul and F. D. Millard of Willow River will speak. A banner will be awarded to the Sunday school showing the largest Easter offering per capitaa. The award lies between St. James, Fergus Falls and St. Paul's of Duluth.

The annual convention of the Womens' Auxilliary Mission society opened this morning with a holy communion service by Bishop Morrison, Rev. Jeremiah Johnson, a Chippewa Indian preacher from the White Earth reservation will preach the sermon. After the services the business session of the convention will be held.

Seek Stephen Bank Loot.

Crookston, Minn., May 3. — In an unknown place southeast of Greenbush, Minn., seventy miles northeast of here, the loot from the Scandia State Bank of Stephen, robbed April 29 last, is believed to be concealed, and Sheriff Fossberg and County Attorney Brown of Marshall county, with two assistants, arrived at Greenbush yesterday from Warren to start search.

NEW LANDING CONSTRUCTED

ERSKINE PEOPLE PLEASED WITH THE SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENTS

GENERAL NEWS OF INTEREST FROM THE LIVE EAST END VILLAGE

Erskine, Minn., May 27, —All was activity at the lake front Monday morning as three carpenters of whom O. Palm was master of ceremonies proceeded to build the new landing. The finishing touches were put on Tuesday and now presents a pleasing effect to those expecting to use the same. A large platform is built about thirty feet from the shore. A raised walk leads from this to the shore and this is connected to the main sidewalk by a plank one. Two large benches are placed under the shade of the spreading trees opposite the landing to rest up on after the excitement of sailing.

Dr. O. H. Olson and wife leave for Chicago today and expect to be gone a month or so. Mrs. Olson is to undergo some surgical operations and the Doctor is going to make use of the opportunity to take up some post-graduate work to better himself in his chosen profession. All Erskine friends sincerely hope that Mrs. Olson will return much improved in health.

The section gang under their stalwart 'boss" August Carlstrom tested their strength on a 1200 pound pile hammer which they had to load on the local of the G. N. Tuesday in its transfer from the Soo on its way to Euclid from St. Paul.

Miss Grace Brogen, sister of Mrs. O. T. Nelson of this place, arrived Monday from Wilston, Minn., where she has been teaching school. The next day she proceeded to Mentor where she engaged to teach the primary department the coming school year.

Miss Christine Dale, the daughter of Reverend Dale of the city of McIntosh spent the time between trains 33 and 36 Monday in visiting her friends of Erskine and attending to some business.

Miss Hannah Ellingson of Nielsville spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives of Erskine returning Monday evening.

The Board of Supervisors of the Township of Knute met at the Bank of Erskine Monday to consider some important matters in regards to the roads. They decided to buy a new road grader. This is very commendable as the roads of any community ought to receive our first attention especially in the spring.

A new cement walk is soon to be constructed from the opposite corner of the Echo printing office to the primary school.

Drs. Kahala and Walman made a hurried business trip to McIntosh Tuesday afternoon.

The state high school board examinations are being conducted in the schools this week. A few students from outside districts are in attendance.

Assessor Torger Nelson commenced work today and he says he is going to push the work as fast as possible.

Rev. Killdahl of the southern part of the state is spending a few days with Dr. Olson an old time friend.

LAWYER GIVEN FIVE YEARS.

Forger Who Left Family for Chorus Girl Is Sentenced.

New York, May 30.—Victor Shanley, a lawyer, was sentenced here yesterday to serve not less than five years and not more than ten years in the state prison for forgery. In the early part of 1904 Shanley forged the name of a client, Julia A. Smith, to a mortgage for $25,000, obtained the money and spent it. Shanley fled but was arrested about a year ago in Philadelphia.

After his disappearance it developed that Shanley, who was married and had two children, had taken with him a chorus girl with whom he was infatuated.

MRS. HAMILTON SENTENCED.

Druce Witness Gets Eighteen Months In Prison for Perjury.

London, May 30. — Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, aged seventy, who was one of the principal witnesses to the alleged identity of the duke of Portland, with T. C. Druce, was yesterday sentenced to eighteen months' penal servitude for perjury, her appeal having been disallowed.

600 CHILDREN IN PANIC.

Dynamite Scare Almost Causes Disaster in Chicago School.

Chicago, May 30.—Rumors that an Italian secret society had formed a plot to dynamite the Dante school at Ewing and Desplaines streets caused a panic yesterday afternoon among the 1,700 pupils in the school. About 600 of the children became panic-stricken and fled from the building. Many of them were knocked down and slightly bruised, but none of them was seriously injured.

JEW AND GENTILE URGED TO CO-OPERATE IN FAITH

At Marseilles, Illinois, Dr. Tobias Schanfarber of the K. A. M. Temple, Chicago, made a plea Sunday evening in the Universalist church of that city for co-operation between the Christian and Jewish religions.

"It's a disgrace to mother and daughter if they fail to live together and keep in harmony," he said. "On the same reasoning it is a disgrace to both Judaism and Christianity that stand toward each other as mother and daughter in the domain of religion, if they fail to exercise that love and forbearance which this relationship entails.

"The religion which has given the rich and inspiring example of the good Samaritan, that has bequeathed the glorious principles of the sermon on the mount to humanity, that has given lofty and sublime idea of Jesus to civilization, should show in its action the universal love breathed forth in the lofty lessons and inspiring character of Jesus to Judaism—the mother religion which has been its source of inspiration. The religion which has given the doctrine of love your neighbor, the ten commandments, that has nourished in its bosom the great prophets, those master spirits of the world should exercise all the noble principles which the prophets have advocated to all the children of mankind

"The Jew has rarely, if ever been the persecutor, always the persecuted. He has suffered well-nigh twenty centuries of martyrdom because he has refused to give up his historic position that of being the first Protestant.

"The Christian world should never forget that Jesus was a Jew of the Jews. He was the bone of our bone the flesh of our flesh. Without Judaism there could have been no Christianity; without the prophets, no Jesus. It is passing strange in these latter days of hyperbiblical criticism and what not that our overkeen biblical scholars and so-called ethnologists declare that Jesus was not of Semitic but of Aryan origin. That is a piece of vandalism that deserves the severest castigation. If Jesus was not a Jew he was nothing.

"The millennium day will not dawn on the horizon of humanity as long as religions which teach love and peace scatter hatred and strife. In this twentieth century of civilization we all should put aside our narrow prejudices and work together for the establishment of a kingdom of heaven on earth."

ABILITY IS RECOGNIZED

BANDMASTER RIGGS ASST. CONDUCTOR OF BAND FOR N. D. STATE FAIR

WAS ENGAGED AS CONCERT SOLOIST WHICH IS A DISTINCT HONOR

From Thursday's Daily—

Bandmaster G. O. Riggs of this city has received a distinct honor in being engaged as cornet soloist and Assistant Conductor of the Band of 40 pieces which will furnish the music for the North Dakota State Fair which will be held in Fargo this year during the week of July 20-25th.

On certain occasions at the fair the band will be divided, and Mr. Riggs will then conduct one of the bands. This band of 40 pieces has been collected from musicians within a radius of 200 miles of Fargo, and the fact that he played with the band last year and has this year been selected as cornet soloist makes it very evident that Mr. Riggs is considered the leading cornet player of the entire northwest.

POACHER SENTENCED

MAN ARRESTED WITH BANKER FOR ILLEGAL HUNTING MUST SERVE

From Thursday's Daily—

A rather dramatic arrest and return to incarceration was that of B. F. Boyd, of Brainerd who was taken to Grand Rapids yesterday by the sheriff of Itasca county to serve a sentence imposed by a justice in Northome a few years ago.

Boyd, it will be remembered was arrested together with a banker named Ward of Fairmont, charged with killing a cow moose, the party shot three. After a hard fought trial in which Attorney E. E. McDonald of Bemidji succeeded in convicting Boyd, while Ward secured a disagreement of the jury. Boyd jumped his bonds after conviction and the Itasca officers reported themselves as unable to find him.

When the case of Barnard Bros. vs. The Northern Express company came up for trial in the district court at Brainerd a few days ago Mr. McDonald appeared for the company and what was his surprise when Boyd was drawn as a juror. He was of course quickly disposed of as a juror and the sheriff of Itasca county notified. He came down and took Boyd to Grand Rapids. As an example of Boyd's monumental nerve, he is said to have been a candidate for appointment as deputy game warden at the time of Mr. Rardin's appointment this spring.

At the time of Boyd's trial in Northome he was under indictment for a staturtory offense in this county, but the case was afterwards dropped.

Kidnapper Killed by Posse.

Ligonier, Ind., May 30. — William Patterson kidnapped a Mrs. Sargent yesterday afternoon and was shot [illegible] by a posse which went in pursuit.

TO TAKE PART IN POLITICS

PRESIDENT HOWLEY OF MINNESOTA FEDERATION LOOKING UP CANDIDATES

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THOSE SEEKING PLACES IN CONGRESS

From Thursday's Daily—

George B. Howley, president of the Minnesota state federation of labor, passed thru the city this morning en route to Grand Forks. He announced that the federation proposed to take an active part in politics in North Dakota and will pay particular attention to the election of members of congress. This declaration is in line with the announcement made by President Gompers of the national federation, some time ago.

Mr. Howley stated that there are many members of unions in North Dakota and they can yield quite an influence in an election. He will look up the situation while in Grand Forks

The annual convention of the Minnesota federation, which includes Grand Forks and Fargo, will be held in Winona, beginning June 8. Fargo will make a determined effort to land the convention for next year. Fifteen delegates are to be sent to Winona.

Will Be Big Meeting

It is expected that there will be about 500 delegates at the Winona convention and many of them will be accompanied by their wives. The business will take up about four days.

President Howley is investigating the labor situation here. The Builders & Traders' Exchange recently declared for the open shop and the East Grand Forks boss barbers also announced open shop. President Howley may also organize the musicians and clerks while in Grand Forks.

CLAIMS FOR FIRE DAMAGE

PRAIRIE FIRE AT SHIRLEY INVESTIGATED TODAY BY THE GREAT NORTHERN

APPROXIMATELY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS LOSS CLAIMED BY SUFFERERS

From Thursday's Daily—

Claim Agent C. S. Flannery of the Great Northern departed overland by livery this afternoon for Shirley in the matter of the damaage claims made against the Great Northern railway as a result of the destruction of the school house at Shirley by a prairie fire a few weeks ago as leyy as the destruction of other property in the path of the same fire.

The parties making the claim allege that the fire started by sparks from a Great Northern engine. The claims will amount to about four thousand dollars. The investigation being made by Flannery will be the basis of the Great Northern's action.

Boy Is Drowned.

Northfield, Minn., May 30. — Bern Livingston, a second-year student in the local high school, was drowned, and Alson Bledgett, a companion, almost met a similar fate when their gasoline launch went over the dam here yesterday afternoon.

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The Currency Bill

We miss the mark sadly if Speaker Joe Cannon and Senator Aldrich do not hear from the Currency Bill passed just before congress adjourned. Others may also hear from it.

The bill has precious few features that will commend it to the masses, but it is just what Wall street wants, at least the laboring class can find nothing in the entire bill, should they search it with a spy glass, which is favorable to them.

The banker who finds himself short of currency can issue currency stamped with the approval of the United States government, and can put up almost any kind of junk as security.

If "elasticity" was what was wanted we have got it with a vengeance. The volume of currency can certainly be "stretched" from here to the Philippines if necessary.

The question is it a safe measure? Would not conditions be worse under the new law than under the old in a financial flurry?

General comment from one end of the country to the other is against the measure, and Joe Cannon will be called to answer to the people from the attitude they have apparently assumed.

Forestry Experience

Roughly speaking says a report those countries which today manage their forests on sound principles have passed thru four stages of forest experience. At first the forests were so abundant as to be in the way, so they were destroyed. Next, as settlements grew and the borders of the forest receded, the question of local wood supply had to be faced and the forest was spared or even protected. Third, the increasing need of wood led to the recognition of the forest as a crop, like agricultural crops which must be harvested and which should be made to grow again. Finally, the forest was safeguarded so as to yield a constant maximum product year after year. Systematic forestry for the benefit of the whole people is therefore the last stage in the experience.

German, France, Norway and Sweden are countries which have passed thru all stages mentioned. The United States, in attacking the problem, seeks to jump from the second stage to the fourth. The opposition which comes to a system of national and state forestry comes from those individuals who will not learn in this matter from the experience of others but would follow the natural course which prevailed when forestry was less well understood than it is today. The enlightened idea of the forest advocates is not to wait until our forests are gone before replacing the waste spaces.

The Growth Of Rural Free Delivery

There is no one thing that illustrates better than rural free delivery of mail the wonderful strides this country is making. The growth of the rural system has been so rapid that today it is one of the most important branches of the post office service. It has been developed with so little fuss that few realize its extent or the fact that it practically was unknown a decade ago. There were five routes twelve years ago and now there are 40,000 serving more than a million of families.

The first appropriation for rural free delivery was $10,000 and it remained in the department treasury untouched during nearly two years because no one seemed to know just what to do with it. The postmaster general decided to spend the money on five experimental routes, and a county in Nebraska was selected for the test. The citizens in the district to be served believed the service was a political dodge intended to aid McKinley in carrying a county in Bryan's home state. The Republicans were in favor of the routes and the Democrats were opposed. The department officials finally convinced the people of the county that the five routes to be established had no political significance, but were in the nature of an experiment.

The appropriation made for rural carriers in 1897, the year following the experiment in Nebraska, was $40,000. The service has grown at such a remarkable rate that the last appropriation was $27,000,000, or $2,000,000 more than was set aside to pay carriers in the cities. The development has been almost beyond comprehension and all within a little more than a decade. The service has passed from an experiment to one of the most important and useful of governmental functions. Those who had any doubt about the desirability or possibility of extending the delivery system to the country districts no longer are pessimistic.

.:. POLITICS .:.

The Prohibition State Convention which will be held in Minneapolis on Monday and Tuesday of next week, June the 8th and 9th will be the first nominating convention of the campaign. As it will be the only state gathering of the cold water folk, they will nominate not only state and electral tickets, but will choose delegates to attend the National Convention which meets in Columbus, Ohio, July the 15th and 16th and will also elect a state central committee to conduct the campaign. Mr. E. E. Lobeck, Prohibition member of the legislature from Douglas county, will probably be named by the state committee as temporary chairman, and James Gray exmayor of Minneapolis, will deliver the address of welcome, to which Prof. H. S. Hillesboe, of Willmar, is expected to respond.

Gossip as to the gubernatorial nomination involves the names of T. J. Anderson the leading merchant of Belgrade; which branch establishments in a number of other towns; C. M. Way, a manufacturer of Minneapolis; Clarence Wedge, of Albert Lea; Geo. F. Wells, of St. Paul, and Dr. Geo. D. Haggard of Minneapolis.

The Prohibitionists have apportioned their representation to the state convention by legislative districts, giving to each three delegates at large and one additional for every 20 votes or major fraction thereof, cast for Dorsett for governor in 1906. This gives a total delegation of 536 with an equal number of alternates.

For the past two campaigns the chief effort of the party has been the election of legislators. The leaders of the movement profess themselves well satisfied with the results of their campaign of concentration, having polled 32,000 legislative votes last year, and seated three men.

The principal objection to Jacobson at present seems to be his silence—another illustration of the absurd and flimsy arguments of small minded politicians set to work to belittle a man of worth when he comes up for office, besides we believe the time will come soon when he will be heard good and plenty. Meanwhile it hardly seems necessary for him to herald it from the housetops that he stands for what the people know he stands. The honest man is seldom heard shouting "I always tell the truth," nor do we often hear the true Christian proclaiming himself one thru a megaphone. The fellows who are not entitled to step beyond the pearly gates are more likely to be caught in such acts.—Twin Valley Times.

Hall Trees.

A woman was much astonished to receive a letter from another woman asking for a slip of her hall tree. "I understand," she wrote, "you've got a good variety of hall trees, and as we've just finished us a new house with a real nice hall we'll need a tree, and we'd be ever so much obliged if you'd send us a slip uv your'n. And please will you send along with the slip directions tellin' us whether to water it from the top er bottom?"

Always Moistened.

"He has a dry cough."

"Then it can't come from his throat."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

HANGED HIMSELF

ALOIS RECHERT A PROMINENT CLEARWATER FARMER VICTIM OF HALLUCINATION

THOUGHT KAISER OF GERMANY AFTER HIM TO SERVE IN ARMY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The remains of Alois Rechert aged 43 years who committed suicide on his farm in the town of Pine Lake, were brought to Bagley yesterday for interment.

Rechert committed suicide by hanging himself with a rope to a tree on his farm life being extinct when his body was later recovered by neighbors.

Rechert labored under the hallucination that the Kaiser of Germany was after him to serve his time in the German army. For two or three weeks prior to taking his own life, Rechert wandered among his neighbors asking for advice and requesting that he be hid when the German officers made their appearance.

The body was found hanging to a tree on his claim and in the tree, beneath the body, was carved a very strange device with Roman numerals.

Rechert was in easy circumstances and was very popular among his neighbors. He has no relatives in this country. Among his effects were found several letters which had been written by a sister who lives in Germany.

PASSING OF A HOTEL MAN

P. G. ANDERSEN FORMER CROOKSTON BUSINESS MAN DIES AT SIOUX FALLS

P. G. Andersen proprietor of the Andersen and Dacotah hotels of Sioux Falls, S. D., and well known in Crookston and among the traveling fraternity of the states of Iowa, Minnesota and S. Dakota, thru his connections in the hotel business, is dead at his home at the Andersen hotel. Mr. Andersen was ill for only a short time, having been taken ill last Friday. The seriousness of his illness was realized from the first however, and his sons, Bliss and Edward of Mason City, Ia., were sent for immediately. A brother Peter Andersen, of Leroy, Minn., came Wednesday afternoon. No hopes were entertained for Mr. Andersen's recovery and the end came at 6:30 Thursday morning.

P. G. Andersen was born near Copenhagen in Denmark, May 8, 1842. In 1866 he came to the United States, moving first to Wisconsin, near Milwaukee. He was married at Hale's Corners Wisconsin, in 1868. In 1880 Mr. and Mrs. Andersen moved to Forest City, Iowa, where Mr. Anderrsen engaged in the hotel and a general merchandise business. In 1885 they moved with their family to Mason City where Mr. Andersen established the Andersen hotel then one of the best hotels in Iowa. It is now the Hotel Childs.

In 1900, Mr. Andersen was forced to sell out because of ill health, moving then to Crookston, where they remained for two years operating a general store in the Rauch Block, now occupied by A. Albas, and later occupying the store on South Broadway where John Warfel is now located.

Mr. Andersen, with his family, moved to Sioux Falls in 1902, purchased the Andersen hotel in this city then known as the Merchants. Later he leased the Teton known now as the Dacotah.

Mr. Andersen was a strong church worker and an advocate of the cause of temperance, taking an active interest in temperance work. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Surviving the deceased are his wife and five sons. Albert, Victor, and Stanley, of this city who have been associated with his father in his business in this city and Edward and Bliss who are engaged in business in Mason City. A brother, Peter, is a resident of Leroy, Minnesota, and a sister Ellen, resides in Denmark.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Episcopal church last Friday at 3 o'clock. Interment took place in Woodlawn cemetery.—Sioux Falls Daily Press.

Girls Condemned to Death.

Warsaw, June 3. — Three girls and eleven men were sentenced to death by court-martial here yesterday for attacking a post car at Sokolaw, on the Vistula railroad, last January. A bomb thrown at the car killed two and wounded ten soldiers and railroad employes, and after the car was wrecked the safes were looted.

WATER POWER DEVELOPMENT

165,000 HORSE POWER IN MINNESOTA ELEVATING STATE INDUSTRIES

ASSURANCE OF POWER BEST ASSET OF ALL INDUSTRIAL CENTERS

Saint Paul, Minn., June 3.—According to the latest official information compiled at Saint Paul there are now in operation in Minnesota 242 water power plants with a total development of 165,000 horse power. In the seven largest cities of the state the industrial output has increased 30 per cent during the last five years. In all other parts of the state, where industrial enterprises have been established, the increase has been 300 per cent.

This does not mean that the small cities have been more enterprising than the large ones. It means that industrial development has been general, and that the opportunity is here for every city to promote the industrial development of the state by fostering some kind of enterprise within its limits.

It might be interesting to know how much water power is still available in the state for industrial purposes, the localities where mills or factories could most readily avail themselves of it, and, during the last five years, how far industrial development has been promoted by this means. The question also arises whether cities can foster their development by establishing water power plants or using water power for the generation of electricity for the distribution of power as well as illuminating purposes.

Assurance of Power

Nothing encourages the establishment of new industries so much as the assurance that power can be obtained economically and that railway or river transportation is cheap and regular to the nearest market centers. The mills of Minnesota already grind half the flour of the state.

Seventy-four new manufacturing plants came into existence last year, employing nearly 600 people. Now that the commercial clubs have affiliated in the interest of industrial development, the future is likely to see the state's resources energetically exploited, and new industries established in the large cities and small towns much more quickly than has been the case in the past.

JOHN VOSLER'S BEAN PLANTATION

WILL RAISE EIGHTY ACRES OF BOSTON FAVORITE THIS SEASON

John Vosler is going more extensively into bean raising this season and has eighty acres of Boston's favorite staple planted. Mr. Vosler has made a specialty of this crop for a number of years with good success, and is increasing his acreage every year. He has a specially built threshing machine for separating the beans from the pods and vines and has the cultivation of the crop down to a science. His success in this direction might be a suggestion to other farmers, as there is always a market for beans.

TIME IS THE TEST
The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and the merit alone will stand the test of time Crookston people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills they do still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne, of 322 Spendley St., Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying backache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

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FIND THE PLANT OF SAFE BLOWERS

Postoffice Inspectors Locate Belongings Of Manvel Store Robbers Buried In Bank Of Red River.

Postoffice Inspectors Hugdal and Ego made an important find near Oslo, on the North Dakota side of the river yesterday. They located two revolvers, a lot of fuse, four or five sticks of dynamite, a bottle of nitro glycerine and a small purse of money The find is important as it is one of the connecting links in the strong circumstantial evidence secured against Payne, Miller and Simmons, who are accused of blowing the safe of C. E. Colosky of Manvel and are thought to know something of the bank robbery at Stephen. Two of the accused were arrested at Oslo and the other near Grand Forks. The pair who drove to Oslo planted the revolvers and safe blowing material. A clue was furnished by Deputy Sheriff Johnson to whom one of the prisoners had talked rather freely while in the Grand Forks county jail.

Inspectors Ugdal and Ege went to Fargo last night and will appear before the federal grand jury as witnesses in the case. They will have enough evidence to secure an indictment, it is believed.

May be Another

In the arrest for vagrancy at Winnipeg of Charles Hastings, alias James H. McCurry, alias McDonald, alias Curry, alias Ralston, safe blower and ticket-of-leave man, it is believed probable that a fourth member of the safe blowing crowd that has been working in Minnesota and Dakota, has been secured. At the station the man gave the name of Ralston and was booked up as a vagrant.

Some time later, Detective Stodgell was looking over the prisoners in the cells and thought he saw something familiar in Ralston's appearance. He took him out into the open and from certain marks of identification, including a couple of missing fingers from the right hand, located the man as a criminal who was badly wanted in Manitoba some five years ago. The detective was carrying in his pocket a booklet containing the description of a number of men who are wanted in Minnesota and the prisoner was among them.

Admits Identity

When confronted with the description Hastings admitted that he was the man who was arrested and sentenced in Morrison county, Minn., in 1897, on a charge of grand larceny, the specific offense being safe blowing. He was paroled in 1900 and disappeared for a time.

Five years ago there was a safe blowing job pulled off at Rosser, Man., and from the description received it was thought that Hastings was one of the gang. Detective Stodgell was put on the job, and at Silver Heights only missed his man by a few minutes. Finding that the country was getting too hot for him, Hastings came south and it is supposed that he has been mixed up in some of the safe blowing jobs which terrorized parts of Minnesota and North Dakota. The Minnesota authorities have been communicated with and an officer will be sent to Winnipeg at once to take the man back. If he cannot be convicted of the more recent safe blowing jobs he will at least have to put in the balance of his unexpired sentence of 1897.

Diamonds of Various Colors

The mention of the word "diamond" immediately brings to mind the picture of a translucent, white gem. Not all diamonds however, are white. The most beautiful of all precious stones is said to be the red diamond. This surpasses the ruby in beauty and is exceedingly rare. Unsurpassed also, in healthfulness, purity and quality, is golden grain belt beer. Serve this delicious beverage at mealtime and you put health and strength into your system. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

Negro Is Lynched.

Dixon, Ky., June 2.—The race riot which occurrmed March 14 at Providence, a village near here, had a sequel early yesterday morning in the lynching of Jake McDowell, a negro who had confessed to being one of a party of negroes who killed one traveling man and wounded another.

Lovers' Quarrel Fatal.

Watertown, N. Y., June 2.—Miss Orthan Huppen of Ox Bow, shot herself and her sweetheart, Banree Laillow, yesterday. Laidlow's injury will not prove fatal, but Miss Huppen willl probably die. The shooting followed a quarrel.

FACTS ABOUT ELECTRICITY

The nature of electricity is just as much of a mystery to the scientists of today as it was to the priests of Magi in Zoroaster's time when they so puzzled the wise augurs and astrologers of the Medes and Persians with static electric sparks produced by rubbing amber and glass. No one knows for a certainty the truth about electricity. Some hold that it is a form of matter, a kind of force, a variety of motion, a disturbance in the ether and still others that it is a weightless fluid.

For the sake of simplicity, however, scientists assume that electricity may be a fluid; that is, in the sense that light is a fluid. It may be a fluid without weight; capable of inconceivably rapid motion, traveling at the rate of 188,165 miles a second, even faster than light; and manifesting itself under certain conditions as heat, light and power.

Elsewhere it takes the form of magnetism or has a peculiar influence to bring about chemical action. We live surrounded by electricity but it becomes evident to us only when in motion or when the quantity present in any thing is more or less than the average amount.

Electricity flows thru all substances in some degree; some almost wholly oppose its passage and others allow it to move with the greatest freedom. Those materials thru which electricity passes easily are called good conductors; those which obstruct its passage are called non-conductors or insulators Silver is the best conductor, copper being almost as good. The latter metal is used almost exclusively where good conductors are wanted. Over 141,000,000 pounds of copper were used last year in the electrical industry. All the metals and their alloys are conductors. Iron and steel conduct fairly well but less than one-seventh as well as copper. All gases, including air, are practically absolute non conductors. So are oils, rosins, glass, crystals, gems, porcelain, clay, dry wood and leather, rubber, gutta-percha paper and fibrous materials such as silk and cotton cloth.

When electricity is at rest it is called static electricity. Lightning is a discharge of static electricity from one overloaded cloud to another or to the earth. The earth seems to be a regular resorvoir of electricity. Elecnets. When electricity generated by friction, chemical action or by magnets. When electricity generatel by mechanical means flows continually in one direction it is called direct current electricity. When it is produced with alternators which generate a current surging first one way then the other over the line it is called alternating current. At first all the electrical lines were direct current but lately alternating current is being extensively used.

"It is an age of electricity," declared one of the engineers of the General Electric Company, "and the electrical industry is yet in its infancy." Even now electricity applied to motors gives the best form of motive power in the world. In the electric arc and incandescent lamps it produces the best artificial light known to man, lighting thousands and thousands of buildings cities and villages. As a source of heat it is rapidly coming to the front The electric furnace gives the highest temperatures known in the laboratory. Electricity is so tractable it can be transmitted hundreds of miles over slender copper wires to run at once the tiny dentist drill or the mammoth machinery of a steel mill. It is in daily use in nearly every business, in all professions and by a large percentage of the world's population.

New and greater electrical wonders are produced every year. What the future will bring forth no one can even imagine.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

June 1 In History.

1792—Kentucky admitted into the Union; second state under the constitution.

1872—James Gordon Bennett, founder of the New York Herald, died; born 1795.

1905—Attempted assassination of King Alfonso of Spain in Paris.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:21, rises 4:26; moon sets 9:50 p. m.; 5:19 p. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune, passing from west to east of the planet; 5:35 a. m., moon in conjunction with Venus, passing from west to east of the planet, 1 1-5 degrees south thereof; seen this evening and tomorrow; outlook for June, 1908—constellations visible 8:30 p. m.; overhead, Corona, Borealis, Bootes, Canes Venatici; north, Ursa Minor, Ursa Major, Draco, Cassiopeia, Cepheus; northeast, Cygnus, Lyra; east, Aquila, Hercules, Ophiuchus; southeast, Scorpio; south, Libra, Virgo, Corvus, Centaurus; southwest, Crater, Hydra; west, Leo, Cancer; northwest, Leo Minor, Lynx, Gemini; bright stars visible same hour, rank in order of brilliancy following each; overhead, Arcturus 5; northeast, Deneb 20, Vega 6; east, Altair 13; southeast, Antares 16; south, Spica 15; west, Regulus 19; northwest, Pollux 17; planets during June, 1908—Mercury visible low in west after sunset during first fifteen days; Venus nearing the horizon in western sky in early evening; Mars sets from 9:30 to 8:30 p. m.; Jupiter, bright in west, setting from 11:15 to 9:34 p. m.; Saturn rises from 1:48 a. m. back to midnight; Uranus and Neptune always invisible; sun in constellation Taurus till 18th, then in Gemini.

RETURNED HOME—Ray Ross who has been visiting his mother Mrs. H. L. Ross near Kittson returned last evening to Superior where he has a good position.

BOUGHT STOCK—V. C. Bailey of Caribou, in eastern Kittson county, Minnesota was in the city the later part of the week and bought a stock of goods of J. C. Sabin for his merchandise store on the Roseau. He is one of the live ones of that section.

TAKEN SUDDENLY ILL—Mrs. Jos Lariviere was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening and her condition is causing much anxiety among her many friends. Oliver Lariviere who was very ill last week is much improved.

FILED FOR COMMISSIONER — William Pape of Esther town filed this morning on the Democratic ticket for nomination as county commissioner from the 5th district now represented by Commissioner Eklund.

UNDER SAME AUSPICES —Wm. Emmerich, Sr., Mgr., of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, is celebrat inghis forty-fourth birth day to-day, and his youngest son is celebrating his sixth birthday, they both were born in the same month, on the same day, and at the same hour of the day.

DIED THIS MORNING—Mrs. Jorgen Sunderland residing at 362 Spendley Street died at 9:20 this morning aged 63. Funeral services will be held at the house, on Tuesday at two o'clock in the afternoon. Deceased leaves seven children to mourn her namely: Andrew, Tilly, Helen, Netty, Albert, Charley and Willie Sunderland.

DISTURB MOTHER—Jerger Swanson was hailed before the justice court this morning on the charge of drunken disorder. The case is from Sampson's addition where he whipped a sixteen year old boy who was trying to prevent him in his carousals from disturbing his mother who was within a nearby room.

IN NEW TOGS—Mike McLaughlin, the popular end man at the minstrel show, passed thru the city this morning on No. 5. His swell new suit of a passenger brakeman attracted the attention of everyone at the depot. the only criticism offered was that the buttons were silver instead of brass. His friends thought that he should have had a suit with gold buttons. Nothing too good for the Irish.

ENROUTE TO ANGUS—Ed Henry, who has been associated with Ross & Ross, the loggers at Kelliher, passed thru the city this morning enroute to Angus from Bemidji. He has about 60 horses belonging to the firm which he is summering on the old Winchester farm near Angus where they will be pastured after about 500 acres have been seeded to crop. This morning he had a thorobred setter pup with him which will come in very handy when the chickens are ripe next fall. Mrs. Henry and children will go to Angus in a few days to remain for a month.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

June 2 In History.

1773—John Randolph "of Roanoke," noted American statesman in the early days of the republic, born in Virginia; died 1833.

1810—John Godfrey Saxe, humorous poet, born; died in 1887.

1902—Terms of South African peace published in England.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:21, rises 4:26; moon sets 10:38 p. m.

FROM KANSAS CITY—Major Mix returned yesterday afternoon on the Northern Pacific from St. Paul and Kansos City where he was sent as a delegate from this presbytery of the Presbyterian church to attend the national convention.

POLITICIANS THICK — Reports from all parts of the county state that county politicians are thicker'n bees around a flower garden. Reports from McIntosh last Market day speak of large clouds of candidates passing over.

WANT TO SELL ESTATE—Hearing on license to sell real estate was had today in the estate of Mary Jane St. Lawrence who died in Grand Forks town of Polk county March 12 1907. The property consists of a few bits in Grand Forks township.

ESTABLISHED 75 — The county commissioners met this morning and after final hearing established ditch 75 in the town of Kertsonville. They adjourned, Commissioner Rindal being called home on the N. P. this afternoon on business, the others remaining to attend the Steenerson funeral.

WILL GET MONEY—Last evening Secretary Peterson of the Crookston School board sent to the state auditor at St. Paul papers for the school loan necessary to put in Franklin school burned down last winter. The issue will be for $20,000 which the state agrees to take.

OPERATORS USE TELEPHONE—Order has gone into effect on the main line of the Northern Pacific cutting out all the telegraph operators and making the train service depend on the telephones. Also the operators have been put on a $45 a month salary, a reduction in some cases of half.

STURGEON IN ROSEAU—Sturgeon are reported to be in Roseau Lake and several of the fishermen went out with guns to enjoy the sport. The fish are said to be quite numerous, and their being so far from the great Canadian lakes causes many conjectures as to the reason. It is the first time we have heard of sturgeon being in Roseau river or lake.

RECEIVE OVER $10,000—The report of the United States land office at Crookston shows the following totals:

Sales of Public Lands	$ 400.00
Sales of Chippewa lands	3,139.87
Sales of Red Lake Lands	6,073.41
Fees and commissions	769.91
Total	$10,383.19
Homestead entries	29
Final proofs	51
Commuted profs	31

IN NORTH INSPECTION— Chief Engineer Davenport of the U. S. War department, at St. Paul arrived at Baudette Saturday from Warroad via steamer Knute Nelson on a tour of inspection of the proposed improvements at the mouth of Rainy river, Baudette Harbor and Warroad Harbor and from report current in the matter it is quite evident that a certain amount of work will be done again this year in the line of dredging.

Contracts for drainage ditches which will cost probably something over $170,000 will be let in the next few weeks in addition to the contracts which have been let this spring, making the aggregate of drainage ditch work done this year the most extensive in the history of the state. The contracts for the ditches in which the state has an interest were let early in te spring and most of this work is now under way.

Most of the ditches which are now being contracted for are county ditches and involve a large amount of the work by which the farms adjoining the main ditch are drained.

While setting out nets in the Clearwater river Sunday in the north end of Clearwater county, J. Peter Larson a farmer living on the river, fell from his boat into the river and was drowned. The accident occurred at the point on the river known as Clearwater Crossing.

The body of Larson was recovered late Sunday night by neighbors who had been dragging the river for many hours. Larson leaves a bride of three months and a brother to mourn his loss.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

June 3 In History.

1808—Jefferson Davis born; died 1889.

1861—Stephen Arnold Douglas, political rival of Abraham Lincoln before the civil war, died; born 1813.

1907—General Thomas Ruger, U. S. A., retired, died; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:22, rises 4:26; moon sets 11:19 p. m.; 8:48 p. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet, 2¼ degrees north thereof; sun's declination 22 degrees 17 minutes 34 seconds north of celestial equator.

HAD A BIG TIME— Peter Gramer went north this morning. Last Friday he delivered a carload of manure spreaders to the farmers near that city and gave them a big dinner. The occasion was a most pleasant one.

HEADED FOR BEMIDJI—Tom Shevlin, Jr., who is in charge of the interests of the Crookston Lumber Co., at Bemidji came up from St. Paul this morning and proceeded east on the Duluth train.

WILL SCALE LOGS HERE — Jas. Lappen head cruiser for the Crookston Lumber Co., came up from Bemidji this morning to scale over some logs coming down the river in advance of the Grand Forks Lumber Co.. drive.

LEFT FOR MINOT—Oliver Granum the lynotype operator left this morning for Minot where he will accept a position with Sam Clarke on the Minot Reporter. Mr. Granum has been with a publishing house in Minneapolis for the past three years.

ANOTHER FAMILY—J. H. Boutcher representing the Nichols and Sheppard Threshing Machine Co., has moved his family here from Fargo and will make this city his future home. This is another desirable addition to the population of Crookston.

TAKING MOTHER HOME—Attorney M. J. Hegland arrived in the city last evening on the Greenbush line on his way to St. Paul where he attends to business matters. He is also taking his mother-in-law, who has been visiting at Greenbush for some time, to her home in Roland, Iowa.

SUPERINTENDENTS PLEASED—Elevator superintendents W. B. Sheffield of this city and J. M. O'Neals of Grand Forks are both looking over the situation along the St. Vincent line today. Both wore smiles that could not be measured with a yardstick because of the fine weather.

REPORTS ON 78—O. L. Hamery as engineer for ditch 78 in the town of Lowell turned a report in to the auditor's office this afternoon. The reports run in detail and cover much territory tho the ditch is only 7600 feet long. The ditch was petitioned for by Nels C. Hanson an dothers.

TO EAST GRAND FORKS —L. C. Blackman, manager of Heilemann's branch in Crookston will leave for Grand Forks soon where he will travel out of the offices there for the company. The offices here will be under charge of the East Grand Forks offices.

WILL ORGANIZE SURVEY — Engineer Alfred P. Meade Jr., of the geological survey department at Washington, and in charge of the government survey of the Red Lake lands passed thru the city yesterday on his way to International Falls and other points where he will organize the management of the drainage survey.

Two Break Three Ribs Each.

Miles City, Mont., June 2.—Charles M. Hart broke three ribs by falling off the roof of the St. Paul wool house now building. Nels Anderson had a runaway this afternoon and broke three ribs in being thrown out.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

SNEAK THIEF GETS $900

RANDOLPH JEWELRY TRAVELING SALESMAN LOSES GRIP HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

IN ONE HALF HOUR VALUABLE PROPERTY DISAPPEARS WITHOUT TRACE

From Monday's Daily—

P. R. Randolph traveling salesman for Benjamin Allen & Co., of Chicago, was robbed here Friday night of a grip containing $700 worth of bracelets, rings and jewelry, by a sneak thief who left no trace behind. Randolph arrived here Friday night from Leeds, N. D., on the Northern Pacific and sent his grip to the Hotel Crookston. The drayman slid the grip into the hall leading to the sample rooms. The janitor saw it there, and he was passing up and down the hall at intervals.

About half an hour later Randolph arrived to get his grip, and it was missing. It was small, of black leather, eighteen by twelve inches and contained four trays.

The robbery occurred between 9 and 9:30.

The thief is believed to have followed Randolph from Leeds where the grip was last opened, and entered the hotel thru the alley entrance.

VASENDEN IS ADMINISTRATOR

DAUGHTER OF DR. NELSON OF FERTILE WINS FIRST ROUND IN ESTATE

Nels Vasenden clerk in the drug store of Dr. Nelson deceased formerly of Fertile has been appointed administrator of the estate of his dead employer. He was proposed some time ago by the daughter of the deceased doctor but was opposed by a former wife of the doctor on the grounds of inefficiency. The former wife claimed interest in the estate on back alimony. The daughter thus wins the first round for control of the estate. Vasenden was appointed both special and general administrator.

TO TRAVEL THRU EUROPE

MESSRS. HOLMBOE AND STRANDER DEPART TOMORROW MORNING ON TRIP

C. C. Strander and Albert Holmboe depart from Minneapolis tomorrow morning for New York, London, Paris Berlin, Copenhagen, Christiania and other points in Scandinavia on a two months' trip. Mr. Holmboe departed south last night with Mrs. Holmboe where the latter will remain during the summer. Mr. Strander departs this evening to meet Mr. Holmboe at Minneapolis.

HANS LARSON NAMED CARRIER

Hans Larson has been named as Carrier on rural route No. 5 out of this city to succeed Edward Havel whose resignation will go into effect June 15. Mr. Havel will leave July 1st for Hamilton, Mont., where he will locate.

Nap Verville who was appointed sub-carrier on the same route is now located Idaho and could hardly fill the bill as a sub-carrier from that distance.

Mr. Larson recently filed on a claim near Graceville but under the land laws he would not have to reside on the land while acting as a mail carrier.

A NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids wanted by the town of Euclid for the building of two 24 ft. bridges with four bents of piling each, specifications on file at clerk's office at Euclid, Minn.

Bids to close June 10th address,
—J. S. Chapin,
Town Clerk, Euclid, Minn.

FOR SALE—A number of registered Birkshire spring pigs sired by Hudson Duke No. 101687, these pigs will make one and quarter pound of meat every day during first 8 months if ordinary care is given them, apply at John Sylvesterson, on E. B. Himmelsbach place town of Fairfax, Route 3, Crookston, Minn.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

ONLY ONE MORE DAY

GRAND JURY APPROACHES END OF SESSION — NO SENSATIONS

EVERYTHING GOES EASILY — COURT BEGINS TERM'S GRIND

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The grand jury has almost completed its labors and tomorrow morning at the latest will see their report submitted to the court with indictments. The cases appearing today before the jury are, the Schuler and Johnson boys charged with breaking into the Smith pool room here; William Webber charged with stealing a grip from the Great Northern station; Jas. Murphy and Albert Johnson, charged with the robbery of Carl Zimmerman at East Grand Forks the latter part of May last.

Clara Hanson, sentenced to jail for 15 days from the east side paid her fine of $10 and costs this morning and was let go.

The court cases are now being tried before Judge Watts and the end of the week will see the finish of court cases for this term, it is believed.

The report of the grand jury on the jail and court house will be their last move and the inspection may be expected tomorrow morning.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The grand jury met this morning at 9:30 and considering until noon the business that was before it adjourned meeting to 9:30 tomorrow morning that members of the jury might attend the funeral of Benjamin Steenerson.

There are 63 new cases on the calendar of the coming term of courrt and four new ones were ordered on by Judge Watts this morning. Three of these are civil cases, but one of them (State vs. Nellie Emerson alias Rogers) is a criminal case from East Grand Forks. No cases were taken up this morning and the calendar will probably not be settled until tomorrow morning's session is completed.

MARKET DAY COMMITTEE

WILL START CANVASS IN CROOKSTON TOMORROW FOR FUNDS

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The Market Day Committee appointed at the last meeting of the Commercial club will start soliciting for funds tomorrow and those upon who the committee calls should respond promptly.

The committee consisting of Messrs Walter Stone, J. A. Cowley and O. Mercil, Jr., desire to conclude the work as rapidly as possible, and it lightens the work materially for those called upon to give what they intend to give cheerfully and without waiting to ask a string of tiring questions.

The plan is to hold a market day every two months during the year, beginning the latter part of June, and it is expected that the six market days will cost $100 each a total of $600 for the year or $50 for each month.

It is proposed t ofurnish a free auctioneer for the farmers on that date and make other provisions for their comfort, and give them an opportunity to dispose of anything they have for sale at top prices. It is believed that such a policy would soon result in making market day the signal for a grand gathering of farmers from all directions in the county and that scores who now only come here once or twice a year would make it a point to attend every market day and make many trips between times.

TRAINS HELD

(Continued from page one)

Flood at St. Paul.

St. Paul, June 3. — The Mississippi river at 12 o'clock last night had reached the danger line of fourteen feet above the low water mark. This is the highest point reached by the water in several years, and numerous homes in the lower flats are now surrounded by water and the occupants have been forced to abandon them. The water is rising steadily, fed by an overflow from the Minnesota river, and may rise several inches more.

Several Lost in Arkansas.

Texarkana, Ark., June 3. — Several persons are reported to have been drowned, hundreds of others are marooned and thousands of acres of cultivated lands are under water as a result of an almost unprecedented rise in the Red river in this vicinity.

Four Drowned in Kansas.

Wichita, Kan., June 3.—Four persons were drowned in and near Wichita Sunday night and yesterday on account of the floods.

P. M.'S PAY INCREASED

ANNUAL RE-ADJUSTMENT OF SALARIES IS ANNOUNCED FROM WASHINGTON

EIGHTY-FIVE ADVANCED $100 A MONTH—OTHERS WERE CUT A LITTLE

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The annual re-adjustment of postmasters' salaries for 1909 has been announced by the first asistant postmaster general at Washington. Over 100 postmasters in Minnesota are affected and about the same number in North and South Dakota.

Of the Minnesota offices 85 are increased uniformly $100 per year, seven are reduced $100 per year and eight are increased $200 per year.

The changes are:

Increased $100 per year: Amboy, Annandale, Aurora, Bagley, Balaton, Battle Lake, Belle Plaint, Benton, Bird Island, Biwabik, Blooming Prairie Blue Earth, Braham, Brainerd, Browns Valley, Caledonia, Canby, Cass Lake, Chatfield, Chisholm, Delano, Duluth, East Grand Forks, Elk River, Elmore, Ely, Evansville, Eveleth, Fertile, Foley, Frazee, Glencoe, Goodhue, Harmony, Hawley, Herman, Houston, Howard Lake, Jordan, Kasson, Lake Park, Lamberton, Lanesboro, Leroy, Le Seuer Center, Luverne, Lyle, Melrose, Milaca, Mineota, Montgomery, Moorhead, Mount Iron, Nashwauk, New Richland, New Ulm, New York Mills, Northfield, Osakis, Owatonna, Parkers Prairie, Pine City, Pine Island, Proctor, Red Wing, Rochester, Royalton, Rush City, Rushford, St. Charles, St. Cloud, Sauk Rapids, South St. Paul, Sparta, Staples, Stewartville, Two Harbors, Verndale, Wadena, Walker, Wells, Winona Worthington, Zumbrota.

Increased $200 per year: Dassell, Detroit, International Falls, North St. Paul, Springfield, Spring Grove, Tracy Waseca.

Decreased $100 per year: Carlton, Lake Crystal, Marshall, New Prague Roseau, Sleepy Eye, Tower, Crookston.

IS PROSPERING IN THE WEST

A. J. STEPHENS RETURNS AFTER FOUR YEARS' ABSENCE FOR A VISIT

A. J. Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stephens who left for Denver four years ago with his health greatly impaired returned Monday evening and will spend two weeks visiting his parents and other friends in Crookston.

He is now in robust health and thinks the Denver climate simply great. He was married a year ago to a charming young lady of that city.

He has a splendid pasition as a salesman for the Coke and Tar Department of the Denver Gass and Electric Co., with which concern he has been for the past two years.

He states that W. F. Hopkins, formerly cartoonist on the Crookston Journal, is now with the Denver Times and is doing well in the same line of work.

Mr. Stephens is a great booster for the west and states that the irrigated potato fields are simply gold mines.

Ran to Her Death.

Billings, Mont., June 2.—Investigation into the death of Mary Swartz reveals that, since the waters have subsided, the tracks of the girl from the farm house to the river are plainly discernible.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

SPLENDID SHOWING OF CROOKSTON HIGH SCHOOL

LARGEST CLASS IN THE HISTORY OF THE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATED—THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT THE AUDITORIUM LAST EVENING WERE VERY SUCCESSFUL AND WERE WITNESSED BY AN AUDIENCE THAT TAXED THE CAPACITY OF THE HOUSE—SHOWING MADE REFLECTS GREAT CREDIT UPON SUPERINTENDENT McINTYRE AND HIS CORPS OF TEACHERS

THE GRADUATES

Agnes M. Baardson,
Roxanna Hayes Bailey,
Cora Evelyn Bjoin,
Ross R. Chesterman,
Niome B. Dahlquist,
Joseph Henry Dupont,
Anna Sarah Eickhof,
Florence Maxine Gatton,
Elva M. Gilbert,
Harry William Hitchcock,
Ada Louise Houston,
Claude Alvah Hunt,
Huldah W. Johnson,
Wesley Henry Kalbfleisch,
Grace Idaline Kemmerer,
Carrie E. Klemsrud,
Henrietta A. Koelmel,
Alice Lenore Leishman,
Christine Lofstedt,
Lucy Chalmers McPhee,
Archibald R. McKinnon,
Alice Alma Montague,
Beth A. Rapin,
Emily Violet Rasmussen,
Scharlie M. Robertson,
Roy Lee Ross,
Harry August Schuler,
Esther Wilson,
Rubye Gwendolyn Withey,
Ottilie Ida Woelk,
Martin Kjolhaug.

CLASS OFFICERS

President—Grace Kemmerer,
Vice President—Roxanna Bailey,
Secretary and Treasurer—Niome Dahlquist.

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening, before an audience that taxed the capacity of the Auditorium, a class of 31, the largest in the history of the Crookston high school was graduated, and the commencement exercises were of a character to reflect credit not only upon those who participated but upon Supt. E. F. McIntyre, his corps of teachers and the school board.

A Pleasing Sight

The graduates, whose names appear above with the members of the school board, Messrs. F. R. Hamel, R. J. Montague, C. Reidesel, John Cromb and Edward Peterson and Supt. McIntyre and Rev. Willard S. Ward were seated on the platform which was very beautifully decorated with palms and pink and white roses.

The girl graduates looked very charming. All were dressed in white and carried bouquets of roses.

Excellent Music

Interspersed between the orations there were a number of fine musical selection. The high school quartette consisting of Misses Henrietta Koelmel, Emily Rasmussen, Huldah Johnson and Lucy McPhee rendered several very fine selections which pleased the audience highly and received hearty applause. Ross Chesterman sang a beautiful solo and Miss Beth Rapin also delighted the audience with a solo.

After the invocation which was offered by Rev. Willard S. Ward.

Supt. E. F. McIntyre who presided announced the first oration by Claude Alvah Hunt.

Child Labor

Child Labor was the subject of the oration, and the speaker depicted the deplorable conditions existing in mills mines and factories where health of youth was ruined and prospects blighted. The speaker handled the subject well, his enunciation was good and he demonstrated clearly the right of all children to an education.

Wadsworth

The above was the subject of a most excellent oration by Miss Grace Idaline Kemmerer. She gave a splendid description of the early home and associations of the great poet and his tender regard for his sister, who was his companion for years, and his wife. She spoke of his glorious life and his peaceful death and quoted liberally from his writings, selecting choice gems to illustrate his character and ability. She spoke with clearness and force and the oration was in every way creditable.

Home Rule in Ireland

On the above subject Miss Beth A. Rapin delivered a splendid address. She traced the struggles of Ireland for Home Rule from the early days to the present time, and depicted in a realistic manner the oppression of the Irish peasants by the agents of the rich land owners and told of the manner in which they were evicted penniless. There was no incentive to thrift under the old regime. The speaker related what Gladstone did for the cause, and concluded with the statement that Ireland would never be satisfied with anything short of a national parliament and absolute political independence.

The Development of the United States Navy

Harry W. Hitchcock gave a concise and yet comprehensive history of the United States navy and traced its development thru the three stages, the wooden ships, the iron clads and the present battleships. He spoke of the glorious achievements of the American Navy in the Revolution and of the great power of the present navy which he said was not measured by number, but by efficiency and concluded with a statement of the vast importance of a great navy to the development of the American Merchant Marine. His address was a masterly one.

The Juvenile Court

The above subject was discussed in a most aceptable manner by Miss Ada Louise Houston. She spoke of the development of the juvenile court and the fact that the state now goes behind the overt act and places the blame where it belongs—usually with the parents—and attempts to remove the cause of crime. The placing of the child on probation, the speaker stated, appeals to the child's pride and arouses confidence, all tending toward a higher and better standard of living.

Forest Preservation

Martin Kjolhaug discussed the necessity and importance of forest preservation. He referred to the ruthless destruction of the American Forests during the past century and the climatic changes that have resulted. He spoke of the great work towards forest preservation that is being carried on under the supervision of the German and French governments. His address was an extremely practical one and dealt with a subject which is attracting widespread attention thruout the country and specially in Minnesota.

The Weather Bureau

Wesley Henry Kalbfleisch discussed the development and the usefulness of the weather bureau. He spoke of the value of the service in predicting storms, thus preventing disasters at sea, and of the great value to the farmer in forecasting rains, frosts and other climatic changes. He stated that the present service was far from a state of perfection, but that steady progress was being made. His topic proved deeply interesting.

Portia, Our Modern Ideal

The closing oration on the above subject was made by Miss Christine Lofstedt, and was one of the best of the evening. Of the great Shakespearian character she called attention to the wonderful play of wit and coquetry, the courtesy, dignity, and honesty displayed, and woman possessed of a soul as tender as it was firm, with no taint of conceit. She referred to Portia's kean judgment and intellect and in conclusion spoke of the wider opportunities of the women of today who had open to them the sacred science of home making.

Diplomas Presented

Space forbids giving the addresses more in detail. Every speaker was heartily applauded and without question the commencement exercises were the most creditable ever held in Crookston. Hon. F. R. Hamel presented the diplomas and made a brief but impressive address to the 31 students in behalf of the school board in which he expressed the hope that the students would enjoy good health develop the highest character and continue their education, taking what they had received at the high school as a foundation and building upon it. His address was very forcible and earnest. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Ward and the class later held an informal reception.

The man behind the plow also makes quite a stair in the world.

BUSY DAY FOR THE HOBOES

JOE BURKE SHY A NEW SAW AND 50 CENTS IN CASH TO BOOT

OYSTER BAY RESTAURANT SHY A MEAL—ONE 'BO BEAT UP

From Friday's Daily—

Two hoboes furnished considerable amusement and excitement in Crookston during the past 2 days.

'Bo No. 1. appeared Wednesday afternoon at the home of Jos. J. Burke 321 Robert St., in Jeromes Addition and wanted a job sawing wood. Mr. Burke who is very kind hearted, and who also has an antipathy for sawing wood, gave the man 50 cents. As soon as opportunity afforded the hobo made his get-away with the 50 cents and also took Burke's new saw with him.

'Bo No. 2 entered the Oyster Bay Restaurant yesterday morning at two o'clock and ordered a meal. After eating it he started to walk leisurely out. "Tommy" did not look at it that way and came from behind the counter to make the stranger "dig up". The stranger landed on Tommy's jaw and Tommy came near taking the count. A young man from Sampsons addition then tackled the hobo and went to the floor. Then Tommy and his friend made a joint attack and down went the hobo, after which he was patted on the head with a stool and when he scrambled to his feet and fled he looked like Hec Rapin would if he had a fistic encounter with Jack Gorman.

DETROIT BOY IS MISSING

REWARD OFFERED FOR INFORMATION AS TO CARLTON H. GREENE

Circulars have been received in Crookston by Chief Eck for information regarding whereabouts of Carlton H. Greene, aged 18 who has not been seen since he left his home in Detroit last October, ostensibly to go to the Central high school of that city.

He is described as being 18 years of age, height 5 feet 9 inches, weight about 118 pounds, with sandy hair, light complexion, blue eyes, slightly dimpled chin, and a slight muscular twitch of the eyes and face. He is of slender build, is active, studious, of good habits, quiet and retiring in manner. When he left home he wore a dark blue serge suit and a light golf cap; may have taken an assumed name.

The circular is signed by E. C. Green 97 Pallister Avenue, Detroit, who offers $300 reward for information.

The City of Munich.

Munich is one of the most beautiful cities in Europe, with broad streets, frequent fountains, many stately statues, numerous open squares, large wooded parks, a swift river flowing directly through the center of the residence section, galleries that contain several of the finest recollections of pictures and sculpture in the world, libraries, academies of design, schools of science, a magnificent opera house, a theater that was erected exclusively for the production of Wagner's operas, and various other attractions which do not disturb the classic atmosphere, but appeal to the artist, the student and whoever seeks for beauty and for rest. No city of equal size has so many noble monuments and public buildings, while probably a larger number of the population of Munich is engaged in study and artistic and scientific pursuits than may be found in any other city. The Royal library is one of the greatest in existence, probably second only to the British museum.—William E. Curtis in Chicago Record-Herald.

Her Reason.

"Are you fond of her?"
"Yes."
"Why?"
"She can't cook as well as I can."

With Schemers.

What's in a name? Who knows till he
Can see the outs and ins?
The word "reform" may cover up
A multitude of sins.

Without Planting It.

"Raise anything in his garden?"

"Well, he raised his voice when the neighbors' hens came over and started to give a scratching party."

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

LOANS TOTAL OF $474,084

STATE SCHOOL FUNDS PLACED AT DISPOSAL OF VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

POLK GETS A TOTAL OF $74,000 FOR ALL PURPOSES

From Thursday's Daily—

Loans from the state public school funds to counties, cities, villages and school districts, amounting in all to $474,084 were authorized yesterday by the state board of investment. There is only about $115,000 available now for these loans but the remainder will be paid out as soon as the money is paid into the treasury. By counties the amounts for school districts, townships and villages are as follows:

Polk county, $15,000; Big Stone, $10,600; Crow Wing $800; Becker, $1,200; Lyon $1200; Kittson $800; Mille Lacs $500; Yellow Medicine $6000; Lincoln $1000; Red Lake $800; Beltrami $5000; Grant and Stevens, $1400; Grant $1200; Jackson $2000; Wright $2000; Kanabec $1000; Stearns $4000; Stevens $850 and Nicollet $9000.

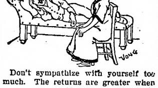
The ditch loans by counties were as follows:

Polk $59,100; Kittson $26,014; Roseau $8,997; Marshall $44,000; Clay $51,500; Benton $13,888; Wadena $32,840; Lac qui Parle $20,484; Redwood $25,000; Stevens $14,639; Crow Wing $3,475; Watonwan $35,000; Stearns $59,272; Yellow Medicine, $8,790; Lincoln $6,735.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The greatest fault we can find with our currency is that the current is neither strong enough nor rapid enough.

He who fights and gets a licking is rarely on deck for another kicking.



Don't sympathize with yourself too much. The returns are greater when you engage outside talent.

People who live in small flats have to cremate the family skeleton, for there is no place to keep it.

People who take themselves seriously usually do so good a job of it that it isn't necessary for any one else to participate.

People who want to give advice are as plentiful as those who want to stand for a touch are scarce.

The more a woman talks the more there seems to be to say on the subject.

The things that a married man thinks he does, but doesn't, are a source of great discomfort and weariness to him.

Only people who don't have to move next month can enjoy the pleasant April weather; the rest of the world is too busy.

Some people are the most impressive when they are silent.

Comforting.

Old Croakybo—I think we'd better have the passage and staircase repapered while I'm laid up, Mrs. Grimage.

Mrs. G. (his housekeeper)—Lor', sir; 'adn't yer better wait and see 'ow ye goes on fust? Them coffins do make such work with staircase wallpapers.—Smiles.

Making Progress.

"Have the detectives got any clew yet?" inquired the reporter.

"I don't know," said the woman whose house had been robbed. "My husband says they have got a hypothesis. That's about the same thing, isn't it?"—Indianapolis News.

Pleasant Punishment.

Pastor—I hear that the lightning struck your house, Hohenbauer. That is a punishment for your wickedness.

Peasant—Well, sir, it's a punishment I wouldn't mind having again, for I got 4,000 marks 'nsurance from it.—Lustige Blatter.

AH! LILY-WHITE REPUTATION, YOU ARE MINE!

People who are inordinately fond of running things are apt to be found sooner or later chasing somebody's reputation.

A young man in love purchases reams of note paper, for he feels that documentary evidence that he is a fool is required.

FRED G. WELLS IS A $40,000 EMBEZZLER

FORMER CROOKSTON MAN MAKES OFF AFTER ROBBING LISBON LAND FIRM—TRUSTED AGENT OF ADAMS & FREESE COMPANY IS MISSING FROM COGSWELL—LEAVES WIFE PRACTICALLY DESTITUTE AND DEPARTS FOR POINTS UNKNOWN — SHREWD PLAN BY WHICH HE SUCCEEDED IN GETTING HOLD OF MONEY BELONGING TO FIRM—SHORTAGE IS GROWING AS INVESTIGATION PROCEEDS

Fred G. Wells, formerly of Crookston and later located at Grand Forks where he was engaged in the real estate business is missing from Cogswell, N. D., and is believed to have embezzled $40,000 of funds of Adams & Freese, of Lisbon, whom he represented as their sole and trusted agent.

Wells left Cogswell three or four weeks ago. At first nothing was thought of his absence, as he was believed to have been away on some land deal. Circumstances demanded an investigation and his firm was astounded at an alleged apparent shortage in the accounts of Mr. Wells, which have expanded from $30,000 to $40,000 and new developments are continually appearing.

Had Fullest Authority

It appears that Mr. Wells was clothed with the fullest authority to buy and sell lands in Sargent county and has represented the firm there about two years. Yesterday a new feature appeared and has added about $5,000 to the alleged shortage.

What seems to have been a shrewdly planned scheme was for Wells to take mortgages and during his incumbrance of the office a number of the mortgages have been paid to him in full. Instead of reporting the payment for lands on his books, it is alleged to be shown that he has made duplicate mortgages with accompanying extension notes, taking care to only use such transactions which would best and most easily fit his purpose.

He has a wife and two children, whom he has left in Cogswell and it is stated that the distracted mother reports she is practically destitute. As to his whereabouts nothing is known at present but it is known that efforts are being made to locate him.

His Record Here

Wells was located in Grand Forks after leaving Crookston until about three years ago. A charge of embezzlement was filed against him in the district court at one time at Grand Forks but it was never pressed and finally was dismissed. He had quite a lot of friends who admired his energy and perseverance and were willing to help him out of what appeared to them to be only a little financial oversight.

There is a good deal of sympathy for Mrs. Wells, who was very popular here.

The family spent several summers at Maple Lake where they had a cottage and were prominent in social circles both here and at Grand Forks.

From Over The Valley

PIONEER RESIDENT OF FERGUS FALLS DEAD

Samuel D. Ingersoll, one of this city's oldest citizens died at his home at 608 Channing avenue east at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning from complications incident to old age. Mr. Ingersoll was born in New Jersey on April 19, 1817, and was 91 years one month and eight days old at the time of his death. He came to Dodge county, this state, in 1861, and about nine years ago, moved to Grant county, coming to this city about four years later. He was the father of 17 children of whom fourteen, with his aged wife, survive him. His daughter Mrs. Daniels, of Bena, Minn., Mrs. Maynard of Bertha, Mrs. Banks, of Sleepy Eye, and Miss Cora and Mrs. Edgar Holbrook of this city, and his son O. W. Ingersoll of Carlisle, were with him when the end came. His daughter Mrs. Ben Anderson of Wendell, had also been with him shortly before his death. Another son, Gilbert Ingersoll now a resident of Palo Alto, Cal., is also well known here. Owing to the distance he will not be able to attend the funeral.

Mr. Ingersoll was a good citizen and enjoyed the respect of his neighbors and friends everywhere. He was a member of the Methodist church for seventy years, and has always been a devoted Christian.

The funeral will occur from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and in the absence of Rev. Flesher, who has been asked to deliver the Commencement address at Thief River Falls that day, the services will be in charge of Rev. Mr. Rice. The remains will be taken to West Concord Dodge county, for interment.—Fergus Falls Journal.

ANOTHER VALLEY PIONEER HAS PASSED AWAY

Ed S. Erickson a prominent farmer and public man of Rockwell was taken sick Sunday afternoon a week ago and died the following Tuesday evening. Deceased was 59 years of age. He moved up into this country in 1887, living at Hendrum the first five years when he moved to Rockwell. He was a near neighbor and friend of the Hans O. Dahl family of Rockwell four of the boys, M. E., J. H., L. H., and H. H. together with Knute Halvorson and I. B. Draxton acting as pall bearers at the funeral held Saturday last when the remains were buried in the Gjevenaker cemetery three miles east of the Erickson home. The funeral was a large one there being many out from Twin Valley. A wife and seven children survive the deceased—five girls and two boys, one of the latter being an assistant in the bank at Ulen.—Twin Valley Times.

NOT THE PROPER METHOD TO PURSUE

In the creamery districts of Minnesota the farmers in order to secure quick returns and small profits have hit upon the plan of selling every drop of milk and knocking their bull calves in the head. Is it possible to imagine a more unprofitable way of conducting the farming business? It is a condition of things which can not fail to have a baneful effect on the live stock industry. The practice is not only reprehensible from an economic standpoint, but is likely to have a bad influence on the rising generation who are apt to receive the notion that bull calves are of more economic value on a farm than bull dogs. At South St. Paul, every bull calf like every hog, has its commercial value. The sooner the farmers realize that it is better for them to sell calves than to kill them the better for the live stock industry of the state.—Valley View.

Students Attacked in Lisbon.

Lisbon, May 29. — A procession of students of Coimbra university to present homage to the king was attacked last night while passing through certain quarters of the city. Five of the students were injured. The police arrested twenty-eight of their assailants.

Noted Writer Drowned.

Muskogee, Okla., May 29. — Alex Posey, editor of the Eufaula Indian Journal, a dialect writer and author of the "Fus Fixico Letters," was drowned yesterday by the upsetting of a boat. The negro boatman who was rowing the boat was also drowned.

A Hair Dressing

Nearly every one likes a fine hair dressing. Something to make the hair more manageable; to keep it from being too rough, or from splitting at the ends. Something, too, that will feed the hair at the same time, a regular hair-food. Well-fed hair will be strong, and will remain where it belongs—on the head, not on the comb!

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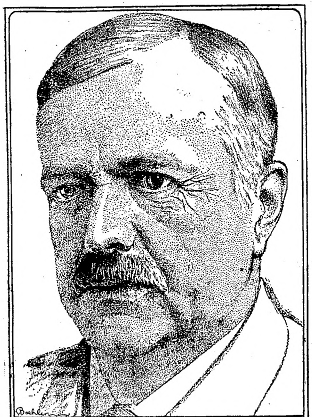

JOEL P. HEATWOLE.

MR. HEATWOLE'S POSITION ON PUBLIC QUESTIONS.

In reply to a letter from C. S. Edwards, editor of the Albert Lea Times-Enterprise, Joel P. Heatwole outlined his position on questions affecting the welfare of the people of the state of Minnesota as follows:

All men to stand equal before the law.

The rights of the citizen must be respected and protected.

Enforcement of all laws.

A state government in the interest of the people.

County local option.

Retail liquor license in which a brewing company, wholesale liquor dealer or distiller has an interest to be revoked.

Corporations engaged in wholesaling malt, spirituous or vinous liquors interested in retail licenses to forfeit their charters.

Freight rates prescribed by the legislature or other competent state authority should stand until decided otherwise by the courts.

Public service corporations should not tax the people in freight and passenger rates beyond a fair rate of interest on the physical valuation of the property.

All telephone companies should be compelled to make connections under an equitable traffic arrangement.

The opposition of railroads and other corporations who expect special executive and legislative favors at the expense of the people is to be expected in a campaign for good government.

Permanent improvements of public service corporations should not be charged to the expenses or operating account.

Stock issued in excess of the actual physical valuation of the property of a public service corporation to be forfeited to the state.

Fair freight rates so that factories and labor may live and prosper in the interior villages and cities.

State supervision of freight rate classifications.

A sharp reduction of express rates.

A public utilities commission with full jurisdiction over all public service corporations.

The state has the right to regulate the business of public service corporations which begins and ends within its borders.

Human effort is entitled to pay commensurate with the labor performed; and labor is entitled to equality of opportunity.

Labor and capital are entitled to their just dues, no more, no less; and labor should be protected against discrimination.

Safeguard the deposits in all financial institutions under state supervision.

Combinations to monopolize public positions or create a trust in public offices should not be tolerated.

State development that means a square deal for every section of state.

Promises to the people should be held inviolate.

Imprisonment of jury fixers.

Divorce the judiciary from politics.

A thorough organization of the Republican party in every election district in the interest of good government.

No candidate should permit the use of a dollar of corporation money in his behalf. Few individuals and no corporations contribute money for political purposes without expecting handsome returns. And the people pay the freight.

A prison sentence for a public official who violates his oath and betrays the people.

Public office should be a position of honor and trust and not a place for a puppet who can be used as the plaything and tool of corporations.

The people, not the corporations, should govern.

The progressive policies of the present vigorous Roosevelt administration should be continued and every tendency toward reaction should be strenuously opposed.

Drive professional lobbyists from the legislative halls.

Taxes to be paid on a fair and honest assessment of all property owned and no less.

GETS HOME ENDORSEMENT

Rice County and Third District for Heatwole.

Extracts from the proceedings of the Rice county Republican convention held at Faribault, Minn., Thursday, April 9, 1908:

The following resolutions were reported by Judge James Hunter and unanimously adopted:

"We notice through the public press of this state a strong sentiment in favor of the nomination of Hon. Joel P. Heatwole of Northfield as governor of Minnesota and also a draft of the platform adopted by him.

"Resolved, That we recognize in the Hon. Joel P. Heatwole one of the foremost citizens of our state, who would bring ability, dignity and sound business methods to the high office of governor, and we heartily endorse his candidacy and pledge him the support of the Republicans of this county and also endorse fully his platform and urge its incorporation into the Republican state platform."

At a delegate convention of the Republicans of the Third congressional district of Minnesota held at Shakopee Wednesday, April 15, 1908, the following resolution of endorsement was unanimously adopted:

"We heartily endorse and commend the candidacy of Joel P. Heatwole of this district as a candidate for governor of Minnesota."

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF MR. HEATWOLE.

Joel P. Heatwole was born at Waterford Mills, Ind., Aug. 22, 1856. Attended public and private schools; worked on a farm; worked in printing shops; taught country and village schools; owned a newspaper in 1876; came to Minnesota in 1882; worked on the Enterprise, Glencoe, and Lake Superior News, Duluth; bought the Northfield News in 1884; delegate to state Republican convention in 1886; member state Republican committee and secretary; same position in 1888; delegate at large to the national Republican convention in 1888; chairman state Republican committee in 1890; member board of regents state university; defeated for congress in 1892; elected mayor of Northfield in elected to congress in 1894, by of 5,268, the district hav- arly 9,000 Democratic and jority in 1890; was re-elected in 1896 by a majority of nearly 6,000; and re-elected in 1898 and 1900 respectively by increased majorities. Member of the committee on foreign affairs for eight years; member of the committee dealing with Cuban affairs; one of the three house conferees having under consideration the resolutions leading to the war with Spain. Chairman of the committee on printing for four years; member, among others, of the committees on census, board of visitors to naval academy, Capitol celebration. He was one of six Republican congressmen who refused to vote to impose a tariff on Porto Rico; voted against the Philippine tariff bill; in 1900 declared that trust controlled articles should go on the free list, the first public declaration of the sort made.

Mr. Heatwole's ancestors were German. They came from Steeg.

LOST HAT; THEN LIFE

LOSES BALANCE WHILE ENDEAVORING TO RECOVER HIS HEAD GEAR

BODY TAKEN FROM RIVER AT SPOONER—MANY WITNESS TRAGIS END

From Friday's Daily—

Snatching for his hat when it blew from his head while he was crossing the international bridge of the Canadian and Northern railroad at Spooner cost Robert Gurlick his life yesterday In reaching for the hat he lost his balance and plunged head-long over the edge of the bridge.

A number of people including F. B. Harris formerly of this city and now a homesteader at Graceton, saw the accident, and had there been no witnesses, it is probable that the suicide theory would have been advanced to account for the drownng.

Witnesses say that a sudden puff of wind carried off Gurlick's hat. The man evdently forgot the danger of his position for a moment; made a lunge to save the head covering; lost his balance and fell. His head struck an iron bar before his body plunged into the river and was lost to sight.

The blow from the bar probably rendered the man unconscious and prevented any struggle to save himself.

Many boats were soon at the scene of the accident but Gurlick's body did not reappear. Later the corpse was recovered 200 feet below the spot where the man fell.

Gurlick was an employe at the E. A. Peterson hardwarre store n Rainy River, Ont. He is survived by a widow and five children. Coroner McCrimmore was notified and the body was taken to Rainy River.

EX-CHIEF COLLINS FREED.

Conspiracy Charge in Chicago Ends in Acquittal.

Chicago, May 29.—Former Chief of Police John M. Collins and Former Police Attorney Comerford were yesterday acquitted of the charge of conspiring to deprive the city of the services of its employes. It was charged that both men had been active in using the members of the police force to further the election of Edward F. Dunne for mayor in the last municipal campaign.

Fallieres at the Opera.

London, May 29. — Covent Garden was resplendent last night in brilliant decorations in honor of the coming of the king and queen of England and the president of France. It was a gala opera night by the king's command, and Melba and Tetrazzini sang.

Valley Is Flooded.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 29.—The expected flood in the valley of the Iowa river through Central and Northern Iowa, which resulted from the incessant rains of the last three days, reached here yesterday, inundating much of the river valley.

Two Miners Are Killed.

Calumet, Mich., May 29.—Two men were killed by a stick of timber which fell 3,000 feet in No. 7 shaft of the Calumet & Hecla mine. The dead men are Peter Gugliemlo and Peter Cicotte, both Italians.

McIntyre Indicted Again.

New York, ay M29.—Four indictments charging grand larceny were returned by the grand jury yesterday against Thomas A. McIntyre, head of the suspended firm of T. A. McIntyre & Co.

WIND CAUSES SMASHUP.

Peculiar Accident Occurs Near Jackson, Minn.

Jackson, Minn., May 29.—A special circus train carrying twenty-six cars and pulled by two engines, was wrecked in an extraordinary manner two miles west of Alpha.

Five empty box cars on a siding were started in motion by a terrific wind, and running into an open switch went out on the main track. The empty cars then rushed down the steep hill with the speed of a passenger train and crashed into the approaching circus special. The empty cars were smashed to pieces and the circus train was wrecked and thrown into the ditch. The engine crews jumped just in time.

Drive Logs to Lake Irving.

Bemidji, Minn., May 30. — For the first time in the history of log-driving on the upper Mississippi river, a drive of logs has been brought from the La Salle lake country, in the vicinity of the Itasca State Park, to Lake Irving during the month of May. There are some 2,000,000 feet in the drive, and the logs will be hoisted and taken to East Grand Forks to be sawed into lumber at the sawmill in the "Forks."

Five Die in Wreck.

Winnipeg, May 30.—A Canadian Pacific freight train plunged into a washout at Current river, near Port Arthur, early yesterday. Five persons were killed. The train was entirely submerged.

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stops the cough and heals lungs

COIN CHANGERS THIEF RIVER

PROSPERITY MANAGERS TALK OVER PROSPERITY PROSPECTS AT THE MEETING

BIG TIME ON FOOT—A. D. STEPHENS AND A. A. MILLER SPEAK

From Friday's Daily—

About fifty bankers boarded the bound for Thief River Falls where Greenbush passenger this morning the north state bankers meet is being held. They were a very serious minded group and were going to Thief River on business more than ever before

Among those present at the train were Gunder Krostue, Fisher; W. L. Brooks, Bemidji; C. W. Ross, Chicago; G. C. Zeigler, St. Paul; Chas. R. Frost, Minneapolis; H. E. Hollenbeck S. Paul; W. E. Moore, Duluth; F. E. Holten, Minneapolis; C. C. Heath, Beltrami; B. F. Tenny, Ada; S. B. Witland, Hawley; F. E. Knutson, Breckenridge; A. D. Stephens, of the Merchants National Bank, J. W. Wheeler of the First National Bank, L. L. Ellington and A. A. Miller of the Scandia American Bank, L. D. Foskett of the Bank of Crookston, of Crookston; Lou Huntoon, Moorhead; and John Malloy Jr., of Moorhead.

The visiting bankers met at the Antlers club rom at ten o'clock this morning for registration and listened to the welcoming address by Mayor Pritchard of Thief River a half an hour later.

Among the leading addresses was that of A. A. Miller of the Scandia American Bank of Crookston on "Oklahoma's Experiment" and the round table discussion over which Senator A. D. Stephens of the Merchants National Bank of Crookston presided.

WAS SEVENTY YEARS OF AGE

ALEX. KITSON WHO WAS DROWNED IN CASS LAKE

Alexander Kitson the cruiser drowned at Cass Lake last week, and whose name caused a confusion of identity it being supposed at first that he was Al Kitson, of St. Paul, has two stepdaughters at present in St. Paul. They are Mrs. Kremer, of West Central Av. and Miss Julia Ketchun, who is visitwith her. Mr. Kitson was their step father, having married their mother many years ago. Mr. Kitson at the time of his death was 70 years of age.

He was one of the best known men in Northern Minnesota, and highly respected by all who knew him. He was a genial jovial upright man and was known as the best cruiser in that section of the state. He had lived there many years. The statement that he had married a squaw is not correct. His wife was of mixed blood, having a Chippewa strain.

TO HOLD MANY WHEAT RALLIES

C. O. Drayton, President of Illinois State Union of the American Society of Equity has agreed with the Minnesota State Union to hold seventy "Dollar Wheat Rallies" in the Red River Valley. He will speak at Beltrami in the Odd Fellows Hall Friday afternoon at two o'clock June 12th and in Crookston city hall Saturday afternoon at two o'clock June 13th.

Every farmer and every business man is invited to hear this free lecture on "Dollar Wheat to Stay". It concerns the interests of town and country.

FOSSTON TRIO LEAVE TO VISIT OLD COUNTRY

Yesterday, on the Duluth bound train, Ole A. Nygaard, Anders E. Wold and Faste Sather, all well known residents of the country north of Fosston departed for the old country, with the intention of visiting the early home land and spending a portion of the summer with their relatives there. They go by way of the C. P. R. steam ship line, embarking at Quebec on the 29th inst., having secured passage upon the "Empress of Britain," one of the finest steamships of that line traversing the Atlantic. They secured their tickets thru the local agent, Johannes Lade, who appears to have a monopoly of the trans-Atlantic business from this point. It is 25 years since Mr. Nygaard left the fatherland and he looks forward with much interest to his return visit. The others of the party have also been in this country many years.

Their numerous friends about this section will wish them a safe and pleasant trip.—Fosston 13 Towns.

STEENERSON'S BODY FOUND

CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON TO BRING BODY TO CROOKSTON TUESDAY

BODY FOUND BY FISHERMAN OFF NEWPORT NEAR PROVIDENCE ISLAND

From Friday's Daily—

The body of Private Benjamin G. Steenerson, U. S. marine corps who, with Private John M. McIntosh, was drowned in Narragansett's bay on Feb. 16 last was recovered late yesterday afternoon near Providence Island off Newport, Rhode Island.

Like that of McIntosh whose body was found on last Monday, as announced exclusively by the Journal, Steenerson's body was in a bad state of decomposition on account of being in the water so long, and the identification was made only by the uniform of the marine corps.

McIntosh's body was buried there yesterday with full naval honors.

Chas. Loring, law partner of Halvor Steenerson received a telegram from the Minnesota congressman today stating that he would arrive here with his son's body next Tuesday. The services over the remains will probably be conducted by Reverend Herman P. Fisher.

Newport, R. I., May 28—The body of Harry McIntosh a private of the United States marine corps who was drowned on Feb. 16, was found last night by a fisherman and was shipped today to Turtle Creek, Pa. where McIntosh's mother lives. McIntosh and Private Benjamin G. Steenerson, a son of Congressman Halvor Steenerson of Minnesota, were drowned while bound out on a tug to one of the harbor forts.

From the investigation by a naval board following the mysterious double drowning, it appeared that McIntosh fell overboard and that his chum, Steenerson, jumped after him. An autopsy will be held on the body of McIntosh tomorrow. A superficial examination tonight showed no marks of violence.

THE EDITORS ARE TO TRAVEL

MINNESOTA ASSOCIATION'S EXCURSION TO BE TO BANFF

The annual excursions of the Minnesota Editorial association will be revived this summer ofter a lapse of two years. The editors will make a tour into western Canada, with Banff as the destination, and a number of stops along the way. It is intended to start July 18, and the journey will take about twelve days. F. J. Meyst of Minneapolis and Captain C. C. Whitney of Marshall, the veteran excursion managers of the association have just returned from a trip to Winnipeg and Duluth, on which they made the arrangements, and only the details remain to be worked out.

WILL OPEN BALLOT BOXES.

Supreme Court Rules Against Mayor McClellan.

New York, May 28.—The bixes containing the ballots cast in the McClellan-Hearst mayoralty contest nearly three years ago, which have been the object of contention and litigation since that election day, are to be opened. This was decided by Justice Lambert in the supreme court yesterday. Objections made by counsel for Mayor McClellan were overruled.

MURDER IS REVEALED.

Body of a Missing Man Is Found In Slough Near Sawyer, N. D.

Minot, N. D., May 28. — A Ward county murder mystery has been practically solved. The body of Nick Montan, a young farmer living near Sawyer, who mysteriously disappeared last December, was found by the authorities in a slough near his house. It is alleged that the murder followed a family quarrel. The authorities are making complete investigation.

Upsets Stove; Is Burned.

Waterloo, Iowa, May 30. — Veva Brewer, the fourteen-year-old daughter of Frank Brewer, was severely burned last evening by pulling a gasoline stove over on her. It is believed she will survive.

Franchise Is Defeated.

Sioux City, Iowa, May 30. — At a special election here yesterday an ordinance granting a franchise for twenty-five years to the Sioux City Traction company was defeated by a majority of 34.

Hangs Self in Granary.

Faribault, Minn., May 30. — The body of John Shervin was found hanging from the rafters of his granary. He was a well-to-do farmer in the town of Wheeling. No reasons for act.

INSTANT RELIEF OF ITCHING HUMOR

Limbs Below the Knees Were Raw —Feet Too Swollen to Get Shoes On—Sleep Completely Broken by Intense Itching and Burning—Well in Two Days and Says That

CUTICURA IS AMONG HIS HOUSEHOLD GODS

"God bless the man who first compounded Cuticura. Some two months ago I had a humor break out on my limbs below my knees. They came to look like raw beefsteak, all red, and no one knows how they itched and burned. They were so swollen that I had to split my drawers open to get them on and could not get my shoes on for a week or more. I used five or six different remedies and got no help, only when applying them the burning was worse and the itching less. One morning I remembered that I had a bit of Cuticura and tried it. From the moment it touched me the itching was gone and I have not felt a bit of it since. The swelling went down and in two days I had my shoes on and was about as usual. I only wish I had used the Cuticura Remedies in the first of my troubles. They would have saved me two or three weeks of intense suffering. During that time I did not sleep an hour at a time, but was up applying such remedies as I had. Henceforth the Cuticura Remedies will be among my household gods, rest assured. George B. Farley, 50 South State St., Concord, N. H., May 14, 1907."

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

NEGRO SAVED FROM NOOSE.

Rescued Barely in Time to Prevent Lynching by Mob.

Belleville, Ill., May 28.—After having been chased two miles by a score of angry farmers bent on lynching him for having robbed a saloon, George Lewis, a negro, was rescued from the mob by deputy sheriffs just as a noose was being adjusted about his neck and was safely landed in jail here.

Defaulting Clerk a Suicide.

Salbury, Me., May 28.—An inquest yesterday over the remains of a man found in the creek near here last night resulted in the positive identification of the body as that of B. M. Bloom, a bank clerk, who absconded three weeks ago, after a shortage in his accounts of $10,000 had been discovered. It is said Bloom committed suicide.

Lightning Hits Church.

Muncie, Ind., May 28. — While the funeral services of Mrs. John A. Losh were being held in the Friends' church at Cammack, near here, yesterday afternoon, lightning struck the church steeple, tore a hole through the roof, destroyed part of the belfry and injured several persons.

Boy Dies in Cesspool.

Calumet, Mich., May 28.—Horrible indeed was the death met last evening by Samuel James Prout, a seven-year-old boy, living at Wolverine. After being missing several hours a search was instituted and his body was found in a cesspool.

Bishop's Home Burned.

Green Bay, Wis., May 28. — Right Rev. Bishop Fox's country residence in the town of Allouez, two miles south of this city, was destroyed by fire. The loss is $15,000.

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of Crookston, Minnesota.

BEN STEENERSON IS BURIED AMID HONORS

WELL KNOWN CROOKSTON BOY STOPPED WHILE ASCENDING LADDER IN FOOTSTEPS OF HIS FATHER — WAS BORN IN THIS CITY, WAS EDUCATED HERE AND CENTERED HIS INTERESTS HERE—MEN IN ARMY SERVICE SHARE GRIEF WITH THE STRICKEN PARENTS—SERVICES CONDUCTED BY REVEREND HERMAN P. FISHER OF THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Congressman Halvor Steenerson with Sergeant Bertram Pierce, naval attache, arrived in the city this morning with the body of Benjamin Steenerson, who was drowned in Narragansett Bay off Newport, Rhode Island, February 16th last and whose body was recovered off Elizabeth Island by a fisherman May 26th last.

With the going of Ben Steenerson passes one of the best known and most promising of Crookston's rising generation. His popularity as well as the advance he had made in the legal profession gave his star much impetus and he was on the first rounds of the ladder in the footsteps of his father, the Ninth District Congressman.

Crookston Born

Benjamin Gilbert Steenerson was born in Crookston, Minnesota February 21, 1884 and was educated in the Crookston Public Schools. He attended the Crookston High School for two years and then was sent to the Shattuck Military Academy at Faribault, Minnesota. In the fall of 1902 he entered the University of Minnesota and the next year he entered the collegiate department of the George Washington University at Washington D. C. In 1905 he commenced the study of law in the legal schools of the George Washington University and graduated a year ago, June 3, 1907 as bachelor of law with degree from that institution.

He entered the marine corps of the government October 25, 1907 as a private, expecting to go with the fleet around Cape Horn to the Pacific but was sent to the station at Newport, R. I., where he was acting clerk for the Quartermaster Sargeant of that station.

At the end of the year he would have had the right to quit the service by payment of a small sum as a bonus for the unexpired term and he had agreed with his father that he would resign next October and enter the legal profession as his life avocation.

Added to Hero List

The reports as to the death of Ben Steenerson as they reached here are practically as given in the Journal. The men of the service are well acquainted with the manner in which he died as they were aboard the tug from which he plunged to the rescue of his companion. A copy of a letter written to Mr. Steenerson at Washington, D. C., concerning the death of his son is secured today.

Extracts from a letter written by Sergeant W. C. Barnaby, U. S. Marine Corps, to Mr. Steenerson the day after the drowning:

Newport, R. I., Feb. 17, 1908: I respectfully return your letter of the 12th inst. to your son. So intimately were we associated in our work and such was his character and ability that we were friends and comrades.

Just last week he was telling me his plans for the future. He told me he was going to put in a year with us, that it would not hurt him, as he was learning things every day. Then he said he was going in with you in your law business and was going to try and follow you in your profession, and he had made a good start in the way already.

Believe me your grief is shared by every service man who knew your son and we fully believe that the manner of his going has added one more name to the list of our heroes, and well we know "that greater love hath no man than this,—that he lays down his life for his friends."

—W. C. Barnaby,
Sergeant U. S. Marin Corps.

The funeral of Ben Steenerson was attended today by Company I, by the Crookston band and the Crookston bar of which the Congressman and son were members. The procession proceeded from the home and tho the weather was slightly drizzling it was very long.

The Crookston Band played a funeral march from the home to the church The pedestrians attended walking along the sidewalks.

Mrs. Steenerson was not able to reach the city to attend the funeral. Her prostrated condition prevents her travel at this time and she rests in Washington. In a short time she will accompany Mr. Steenerson to some watering place and recruit as far as she is able from the grievous blow following the loss of her son.

The pall bearers are Messrs. Claude Carpenter, Elmer Ellington, James Montague, Arthur Fournet, Jack Fournet and Marcus Stephens.

LIVED IN POLK COUNTY 33 YEARS

Mrs. Michael McGuire who died Saturday last has been a resident of this country for the last 33 years and for the past six years a resident of this city. Deceased leaves a husband, one sister, Mrs. Nolan, and five children to mourn her loss. One of these, a son, is located in Fairbanks, Alaska; four daughters live in Crookston, the eldest, Rose, operator at the Northwestern Telephone exchange, Ann, instructor in the St. Joseph Sisters Academy, Nellie and Eliza teachers in the Crookston public schools. Mrs. McGuire had been an invalid for the past three months and has had four strokes of paralysis, the last one May 30th last.

ONLY 80 MILES RAILWAY INCREASE

The railroad and warehouse commission has issued a new railroad map of the state. It brings all the recent changes up to date. The map shows very little increase in mileage over the map of last year, 80 miles covering the increase.

Many Seek Land.

Twin Falls, Idaho, June 3. — More than 4,000 landseekers were on hand yesterday for the drawing of the irrigated lands under the Twin Falls-Salmon river project. O. C. Poulsen of Greeley, Colo., drew Ticket No. 1 entitling him to his choice of a quarter section on the tract. The total registration for the drawing was 4,020.

SOC. HAVE A SLOGAN TOO

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY CHOOSES RHYMING RALLY SLOGAN

NATIONAL PRESIDENT EXPECTED TO ASSIST DRAYTON JUNE THIRTEENTH

From Tuesday's Daily—

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+ Dollar Wheat to Stay, +
+ And $1.50 for Flax to Pay. +
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This is the slogan of the American Society of Equity among the foremost organizers of this part of the Valley and as per communication received this morning by the Journal they expect to maintain it as a campaign shout.

The slogan will make itself apparent at the big meeting to be held here in the Grand Army Hall on South Main street at 2 o'clock June 13th next or Saturday afternoon.

The farmers of this vicinity are advised to be on hand to hear the lectures of C. O. Drayton of Illinois in this rally of the society.

C. M. Barnett of Hartford, Kentucky the national president of the American Society of Equity will be on hand and deliver an address. They are free and held for the special information and fraternity of all farmers.

POLITICS IN ROSEAU CO.

ROGER BELL THROWS FEW SIDELIGHTS ON RECENT DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

GOLDBUG DEMOCRATS ARE ONE IN MAJORITY ON FLOOR

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Roseau Times says that it has just leaked out how the Bryan cohorts failed to carry Roseau county. It was all due to the failure of John Howe of Badger to arrive in time. Howe was delayed by an automobile accident.

Altho 789 votes were cast for Johnson in Roseau county two years ago there were only seven Democrats at the county convention and only eleven avowed Democrats in the county. The Times adds:

The failure of Mr. Howe to arrive in time to take part in the convention left the Bryan forces without an active and fearless leader and the news that Johnson had swept the state took the starch water out of the four Bryan men present and they allowed the Johnson resolutions to pass in the interest of harmony. Had Mr. Howe been present the result would have been different and Messrs. Holdahl and Holmes would have had no occasion to get a free ride to St. Paul and return. Such is the game of politics but in this case it was not well played Johnson republicans were not in evidence and the governor was represented by Messrs. Holdahl, Muir and Holmes, Goldbug Democrats.

CORN NOW A VALLEY CROP

POLK COUNTY REPORTS SHOW LARGE ACREAGE OF TASSELED CORN

FORMERLY RAISED FOR FODDER NOW RAISED FOR COMMERCIAL USE

From Tuesday's Daily—

In many localities of the valley and especially in Polk county corn will be this year a settled crop. For many years it has been raised somewhat carelessly for fodder purposes, but as if all at once the majority of the corn raisers of this part of the valley have planted their corn this year from best known field corn seed and for purposes of sale in the fall to the markets.

A great deal of corn is planted this year about Fosston and thru other parts of the east county. Commissioner Eklund has a large field of regular Illinois corn that he will cultivate this season. The corn tassels will also wave about Fertile's broad stretches and also near Climax and East Grand Forks. The acreage of the maizey grain this year in Polk county has largely increased and with good results this year will undoubtedly double. Much of the corn is yet being planted in the old fodder way but in the fertile neighborhood and near East Grand Forks large quantities have been noticed planted in the regulation Illinois hills.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

CONDEMNED NAGS BACK

NORTH DAKOTA OFFICIALS CLAIM CANADA RETURNING DISEASED HORSES

DELEGATION VISITS BOUNDARY ON VETERINARY MISSION TO INVESTIGATE

From Tuesday's Daily—

A startling condition of affairs among horses along the Canadian border was revealed by a visit of Dr. W. F. Crewe, state veterinarian of North Dakota; Dr. McCauley federal inspector of the bureau of animal industry, and who have returned to Grand Forks. who have returned the Grand Forks. They went there to look up complaints in regard to the sale of glandered horses that had been rejected by the Canadian authorities. The horses had been rejected because they had failed to stand the mallein test.

The investigation by the three officials resulted in their ascertaining that the Canadian government will not admit horses either belonging to emigrants or persons who plan to sell the animals, without what is known as the mallein test.

Emigrants reaching the line and not aware of the fact usually find themselves in hard circumstances, as they are held up until the animals are mallein tested and should they react as many of them do, they are condemned and branded on the foot with the brand "E. R." As the settlers cannot take them into Canada they are stranded at the line. They usually dispose of the horses for whatever they can get for them. The horses show no clinical symptoms of glanders and quite a number of unscrupulous dealers in this class of stock have become rather numerous.

Three horses were killed by the officials and sufficient evidence has been secured by State Veterinarian Crewe and Federal Inspector McCauley to point to the guilt of certain dealers. Arrests are probable at an early date The officials do not propose to make Northern North Dakota the dumping ground for glandered horses.

CARIBOU ISOLATED BY BIG DITCH

JERRY SHERWOODS STATE DITCH DITCH ON LOWER ROSEAU CUTS OFF

V. C. Bailey and Wm. Pierce came down from Caribou on Thursday to attend to business at the county seat, says the Hallock News. They report that operations are being pushed rapidly in the big Roseau ditch but lament the fact that the ditch will cut them off from communication to the south and leave them on an island formed by the old Roseau River on the north and the new channel cut on the south of them. The legislature should provide for the building of a bridge or two across the new cut off in the Roseau river.

SANDERS ON FLAT HEAD RESERVATION

Harold J. Sanders has been heard from at Flat Head Lake Mont., says the Badger Herald, where he has finally decided to locate. He has been in California and other states but says he likes the Flat Head Reservation best of all. The reservation will be open for settlement in June and he has been offered a bonus to start a paper in one of the proposed new towns. His newspaper outfit is at Greenbush and he will no doubt order it shipped at an early date.

MRS. M'GUIRE PASSES AWAY

WELL KNOWN OLD SETTLER DIES OF PARALYTIC STROKE SATURDAY

Mrs. Ella McGuire, 618 N. Main St. died at her home Saturday of paralytic stroke at age 61 years. The funeral was held this morning from the St. Mary's church, Father Smiers officiating. The pall bearers were, John O'Brien, Thomas Wallace, J. D. Moran, J. E. O'Brien, R. J. Montague and Allan McKinnon.

Ranchers Are Jubilant.

Hot Springs, S. D., June 3.—Heavy rains have visited this section of the Black Hills lately. The ranchers and stockmen feel very jubilant over the prospects for crops this year. The pools are now full, and cattle can reach water without danger of miring in the half-dry pools, as has been the case for several weeks previous to the heavy showers.

FIREWORKS IN CO. FIGHT

JUDGE WATTS REFEREES ANOTHER ROUND BETWEEN COUNTY SEAT FACTIONS

ISSUES WRIT OF MANDAMUS TO FORCE THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Judge Watts issued yesterday at Red Lake Falls a writ of mandamus to require the county commissioners of Red Lake County to meet and consider the petition for the removal of the county seat of Red Lake county from Red Lake Falls to Thief River Falls, a matter which has been hanging fire for years amid general litigation and factional strife. The case will then come up in the next term of court to be held at Red Laake Falls latter part of October and final action will then be taken. The case is that of Martin Evenson, a citizen of Thief River Falls, against County Auditor John B. O'Brien of Red Lake County and the county board of commissioners. Yesterday H. A. Coffer of Red Lake Falls asked leave to intervene as defendant and is now a party to the suit.

WITH BLOOD IN HIS EYE

GRAND FORKS GENTLEMAN ON TRAIL OF SISTER'S WRECKERS

WHEN WOMAN IS WELL WILL SWEAR OUT WARRANT HERE

A Grand Forks gentleman arrived in the city yesterday and has been conferring with the police regarding the issuance of a warrant for certain persons of this city he charges with wrecking his sister-in-law to whom a child was born a few days ago. Last summer the Grand Forks girl stayed in the city for some time and while under the surveillance of the police she was not arrested. The police however were well aware with whom she was staying and have the names for the reference of the gentleman who has been in the city.

The Grand Forks resident returned to that city this morning and will wait until the woman is able to be about when he will bring her to this city and swear out a warrant for the arrest of the persons he alleges to be here.

MRS. SULLIVAN HURT IN ACCIDENT

IS THROWN FROM THE BUGGY WHEN THE TEAM RUNS INTO IT

Yesterday as Ole Norgard a farmer living north of East Grand Forks was driving into East Grand Forks his his horses frightened by an automobile, made a sudden dash to run away. One wheel of the wagon struck the rear of a milk wagon just ahead. Mrs. Edward Sullivan residing on North Third street and J. T. Sullivan who were just driving into the city were thrown violently to the pavement and Mrs. Sullivan had a very narrow escape from being crushed by the heavy farm wagon of Mr. Norgard. She escaped with nothing more serious than a numbre of severe bruises. The run away horses were stopped by Mr. Norgard before any further damage was done except that Mr. Sullivan's load of cream and milk was a total loss.

GRADUATION EXERCISES AT FOSSTON

Fosston, June 1—The Thirteen Towns says:

Bearing upon their banner their motto, the class of 1908 finally bid adieu to the scenes of their years of faithful study and received their well earned diplomas at the commencement exercises held in Assembly hall on Wednesday evening.

For the occasion, the hall was tastefully decorated and the audience assembled was one of the largest that has ever been gathered at similar events. The class, six in number, were seated to the right of the platform, each holding a large American Beauty rose, the gift of a former graduate. On the platform were seated Supt. C. S. Yeager; Prof. Vernon P. Squires, speaker of the evening Chairman S. S. Stadsvold of the Board of Education, and Revs. K. O. Hildahl and Noah Lathrop.

DEEPENING GRAND MARIAS

STEAM DREDGE STARTED ON WORK NORTH OF E. GRAND FORKS

16 BY 20 FEET BOTTOM WITH 40 FOOT TO DIMENSIONS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The drainage department of the state of Minnesota has on hand a large undertaking in deepening and enlarging the channel of the Grand Marais, some miles to the north and east of East Grand Forks, recently inspected by George A. Ralph state drainage engineer. A steam dredge has been started on the work and will probably be kept busy night and day during the entire season in deepening and widening the channel of this sluggish stream, for a distance of ten or twelve miles. The channel is to be excavated to a depth of sixteen feet with a width of at least twenty feet at the bottom and forty feet at the top. It appears that the county ditches in carrying off the surplus water distributed the sediment along the channel of Marais so that it does not perform satisfactorily its expected service as a natural drainage channel, and the state will endeavor to afford some relief for the farmers of the country affected.

James McIlraith of East Grand Forks Saturday moved the iron bridge across the Marais at a point six miles north of East Grand Forks so that the dredge can get thru. The bridge is a substantial structure 140 feet long, and will have to be taken down piece by piece, piled upon the bank and after the passage of the dredge again put together.

WHY JOHNSON IS TO BE FEARED

REPUBLICANS SEE THAT HE IS A STRONG MAN OF SOUND JUDGMENT

The President, according to the impressions of the latest callers at the White House, views with concern the possibility that Governor Johnson, of Minnesota may defeat Mr. Bryan for the Democratic nomination.

He is said to feel that the nomination of Mr. Johnson might upset all his plans for making Mr. Taft his successor.

The President has doubtless received reminders of the difficulties—well known to him as a historian—under which a political party labors which has had a panic under its administration.

He has also been informed by observers of proved sagacity that if nominated Mr. Johnson is likely to carry at least two states in the Middle West that ordinarily are counted as certainly Republican.

Why does this uneasiness exist? Why is this concern felt? Why does the shadow of the Hon. John A. Johnson cast this chill upon the confidence which felt no doubts that Mr. Taft could and would defeat Mr. Bryan?

Simply because Gov. Johnson has been going about the country of late and making speeches that were not mere echoes of Mr. Bryan's. He has not gone about playing the tin whistle to Mr. Bryan's loud bassoon. He has instead talked some plain American common sense.

We might disagree with some of Mr. Johnson's ideas. Many of us do disagree with some of them. Nevertheless he has impressed all who heard him or read his speeches as a straightforward American man looking at things as they are, trying to see them clearly, trying to think about them straight, and uttering the sober judgment of a practical man trained in the school of experience.

That is why the Hon. John A. Johnson is regarded with uneasiness at the White House.

That is why concern is felt about him that is not felt about Mr. Bryan.

CEMENT WALKS FOR MC'INTOSH

MAIN STREETS BEING LAID DOWN IN CONCRETE FOR PEDESTRIANS

McIntosh is in the midst of a sidewalk boom and contractors have been busy on her streets for the past two months. Main street in McIntosh will be laid down in concrete the plans being that the walks reach from one end to the other. Some of the residence streets are also planned for the modern highway for pedestrians.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates.

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SOO TO EXTEND IN N. BAKOTA

DECISION GRANTING ENTRANCE INTO DULUTH IS OF MUCH IMPORTANCE

ENGINEERS ARE STARTED TO EXTEND A ROUTE SOUTHWEST FROM KENMARE TO PALERMO

From Monday's Daily—

The late supreme court decision granting the right of the Sault Ste. Marie railroad company to build into the city of Duluth on grade level will be the cause of some vast railroad developments in North Dakota and Minnesota within next eighteen months. The decision assures a convenient terminal point in one of the great grain markets and now the project of build- a distinctive grain line from the Miscouri river to Duluth will be carried out. All things were planned pending the decision and immediately engineers were started surveying for a route southwest from Kenmare to terminate the Plaza branch at Palermo and extending to the river to be made finally the main line of the Soo system in North Dakota will later be extended to meet the Flaxton branch on the Montana line. This will give the Soo two parallel lines running northwesterly through the best part of western North Dakota, with branches east and west taking up the tributary.

VERDICT OF $1,250 FOR THE PLAINTIFF

MOYER SECURES DAMAGES IN HIS SUIT IN THE FEDERAL COURT

In the case of Moyer vs. Northern Pacific at Fargo the federal jury found a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $1,250. The plaintiff sued to recover $10,000 damages and $50 doctor's fees for injuries sustained while riding in a boxcar in which he was shipping stock.

MARKET DAY A GRAND SUCCESS

ABOUT $6,000 WORTH OF STOCK AND PRODUCE ARE SOLD AT AUCTION

Minot's first market day sale Saturday was a great success. The sales ran up approximately $6,000. There were several hundred farmers in the city and all were well pleased with the outcome of the sale.

Considering that this was the first market day sale in Minot, the result is most gratifying to the farmers and the merchants, and the permanency of the project is assured.

The next sale will be held June 30. J H. and A. P. Scofield will be in charge of arrangements. Persons wishing to list stuff for sale should communicate with these gentlemen.—Minot Optic.

FOLLOWS HUSBAND TO GREAT BEYOND

This morning at 9 o'clock Mrs. Ole Christianson residing four miles west of the city died of consumption. The case is a particularly sad one as her husband died suddenly of heart disease only last February. A. P. Hanson the banker of Fertile is a brother-in-law of the deceased. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

MISS HOPKINS PASSES AWAY

Miss Annie Hopkins, daughter of Mr. Patrick Hopkins living 8 miles north east of Crookston, died last Saturday evening at the home of Walter Soper in this city. The deceased had been brought into this city Saturday morning for treatment by the physicians but took fatally ill in the after noon. The deceased was 19 years old. The funeral will be held next Wednesday morning at 9:30 from the St. Mary's church, Father Smiers officiating.

SAYS LIFE W[illegible] THREATENED

MEMBER OF RED LAKE FALLS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WAS NERVOUS

RED LAKE FALLS PEOPLE CLAIM THE WHOLE AFFAIR IS A BLUFF

A special to the Minneapolis Tribune from Red Lake Falls says:

Charges of questionable methods being used in the county seat fight in order to remove the county seat to Thief River Falls are made at Red Lake Falls. A prominent member of the removal committee at the latter city last week went to see Chairman Lindquist of the board of county commissioners who has favored Red Lake Falls, and told him it is alleged, that a plot was on foot at Red Lake Falls to kill Lindquist or put him out of the way because he obstructed the removal of the county seat and that certain tough characters were willing to do the job for money, and advised Lindquist to change his mind or keep away from Thief River Falls as his life was not safe.

He also reported that the offer to kill Lindquist had been made to him personally by a man he knew to be tough. Lindquist immediately made a complaint to a magistrate of the county with the result that the committee man from Thief River Falls was compelled to come into court yesterday to repeat under oath what he had stated.

He utterly failed on the witness stand to identify anyone with the alleged threat or misdoing and his sworn statements under cross examination were so hazy that the people there are convinced that the whole matter is a bluff to frighten the county commissioner.

W. F. STOKES IS PROMOTED

TRANSFERRED FROM FOSSTON TO STATION AT HAVRE—BIG BOOST

The many friends of W. F. Stokes who has been the agent of the G. N. at Fosston for the past two years will be pleased to learn that he has been given a decided promotion, having been transferred to Havre where he will act in the same capacity. Mr. Stokes is a first class man and has a host of friends in this section, who regret his departure from this section but are glad to note that his consistent work and ability have been recognized. Prior to going to Fosston Mr. Stokes was agent at Mentor. He was accompanied by his wife, to whom he was recently married. The best of wishes of a host of friends will follow them.

At Fosston Agent Stokes has been succeeded by W. W. Lloyd who has been agent at Solway and who is popular among the railroad boys and an efficient man.

RAILROAD IN WISCONSIN.

New Line Will Run From Red Granite to Poysippi.

Madison, Wis., June 9.—North Central Wisconsin is to have a new railroad. The articles of incorporation of the Wisconsin Northern Railroad company were filed with the secretary of state. The line will run from Red Granite to Poysippi, a distance of eighty-six miles. The capital stock of the company is $60,000, and the incorporators are John Moffitt, H. W. Colts and H. A. Dewey.

DROPS GUN; WIFE IS SHOT.

Woman Who Is Wounded by Accident Is in Grave Condition.

Fergus Falls, Minn., June 9.—A fatal accident was narrowly averted in the town of Nidaros. John E. Anderson, who resides there, was cleaning a .22-caliber revolver and accidentally let it fall. The weapon was discharged and the bullet struck Mrs. Anderson in the hip, inflicting a serious wound. A physician was immediately called, and it is thought she will recover.

Mrs. S. L. Bowen of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure. Sold by all druggists.

JOHNSON WILL NOT RUN FOR GOVERNOR

Frank Day Says That Party Must Find Another Standard Bearer. P.M. Ringdahl Of Crookston

Is Mentioned As One Of The Number Who Would Make Good Gubernatorial Timber.

Minneapolis, June 10. — John A. Johnson will not run for governor again. He has made this declaration several times but his official family has not joined in it. Today, for the first time Frank A. Day declared his conviction that the party must seek another standard bearer.

"I cannot imagine any circumstance or conditions," he said "under which Governor Johnson would consent to run for a third term as governor. He would have everything to lose and nothing to gain even tho he could be elected and I believe he could be.

"We have another candidate when the time comes and he will be a winner."

Mr. Day would not make any prediction about the nominee. He has been mentioned himself and others talked of are Judge F. V. Brown and Mayor J. C. Haynes of Minneapolis, Mayor D. W. Lawler and T. D. O'Brien of St. Paul; P. M. Ringdahl of Crookston, and William Gausewitz of Owatonna.

E. A. Nelson of Hallock passed thru the city last evening on the Flyer for the Twin Cities.

"TEN CENT SHEET" CAN'T RUN THE CITY COUNCIL

The calculating request of the Twenty Five Thousand Club for one of the famous free phones presented to the city council at their meeting last evening created all the excitement that was anticipated—and then some

It was Alderman Wright of the 8th ward who championed for a time the cause of the 25,000 club of which he is a member and he said he understood that some of the aldermen who had no use for a phone had one and should give it up.

Then arose Tom Harris, alderman of the Fourth ward. "I have one of those free phones and have repeatedly been called up thruout the day on business relative to street and bridge work of which committee I am the chairman and therefore have as much use for it as any other city department.

Did not Like Criticism

"But there is a great deal of criticism—" said Alderman Wright.

"It makes no difference to me what that ten cent sheet on Second Street says. We expect that of them," referring in this connection to the repeated threats of the Times a local paper, to get even with the city council for past history when the city council refused to jibe with said paper.

Aldermen Hussey and Leahy supported the contention of the chairmen of the different departments of the city's administration that they should have phones. The request of the 25,000 club was laid on the table.

Skidoo Number Attend Fire

Earlier in the evening's meeting the bill of 23 firemen for pay for attending the second fire of the Clark hardware store on Third street May 3rd. The bill was turned down by the finance committee. When the bill was brought before the council by the city clerk, Alderman Leahy rose and turning asked Tom Morris, chief of the fire department, if every one of those 23 men actually attended the fire for which they were asking pay."

The fire chief rose and gave the fire works another touch. "I would say to Mr. Leahy that we call the roll here in the fire hall. The boys worked and they will get their pay for it, too."

"That is not the point," smiled Leahy. "Were these men all actually at the fire."

"I don't know. I call the roll here."

"Well, they were not," continued Leahy. "I was standing at the door of the fire department on the night of that very fire and while I was there a fireman rushed up with his wife and asked the firemen who were returning from the fire, "Where is the fire, boys." He went in later and answered the roll. All the firemen are entitled to more than they receive when they work, but, if they don't work they shouldn't get anything," added the alderman as he sat down.

Ghost Walks

It was near the eleventh hour when the ghost walked. Alderman Leahy had already withdrawn his resignation of a few weeks before from the council and backed himself up for battle. Then came the reading of the petition for the removal of Leahy from the Fifth ward.

The report of the city clerk in his certificate accompanying the petition indicates that there are only eight signers of this petition that are really bona fide citizens of the Fifth ward. They are not included on the poll lists as required by the city charter. The petition was therefore referred back again to the petitioners.

This is probably the end of the fight against Leahy.

Site of the New Bridge

Committee reported at the meeting last night on the proposed bridge into Sampsons addition. The plat of the site was submitted. A committee of Snyder, Wright and Sargent was appointed to determine the price of the balance of Munch's grove which will contain the west approach of the proposed bridge. It is the intention to make a city park out of this.

City health officer Dr. Dampier reported on the city sanitary conditions as being generally in fine shape except between Broadway and Ash St. south of the city hall.

Odds and Ends

The guarantee check of Rasmussen & Co., for sidewalk construction not made was returned.

The citizens on south Main St., to retain their old grade as the present grade is too high.

Petition was granted to gravel Broadway near Stearns and 7th St. from Broadway to Elm street.

The council ordered the removal of the barn of John Darkow in the Second ward.

City Attorney O'Brien informed the council that interest fund should be kept with the city treasurer instead of with the sunking fund and such a change was ordered by the council.

Joe Barrett and J. F. Anaker were granted licenses to sell liquor.

Residents of Jeromes brought up raising of grade for Bridge Street and an ordinance covering such an elevation was given first reading at last night's meeting of the council.

The clerk was ordered to advertise for bids for roof of city hall and for sprinkling the streets of the city.

A light was established at the intersection of Fletcher and Maple streets. The council adjourned until the 26th next.

DROWNED IN RED LAKE

EDWARD MILETTE FELL OFF THE GREAT NORTHERN BRIDGE INTO RIVER

WORKING AT RED LAKE FALLS—BODY WILL BE BROUGHT TONIGHT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last night during the call for supper Edward J. Milette of Crookston fell from the top of the Great Northern bridge across the Red Lake River at Red Lake Falls and was drowned. His body was recovered at 7:30 from the waters of the Red Lake river.

There was no one with him on the top of the structure when he fell and reason of his fall is not clear, but it is presumed that he missed his footing.

The body will arrive in this city this evening on the Greenbush train. The funeral will be held from the St. Annes Church at 10 o'clock Friday morning, Father Taapin officiating.

The tragic death of the young man who was but 24 years of age has caused widespread sorrow in Crookston. He grew to manhood here and was an honest, steady, progressive young man with a bright future ahead of him in his line of work as a bridge builder, and was steadily climbing toward the top of the ladder.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Milette reside at 408 North Main St., and three sisters, and one brother, Wm. J. survive him. His sisters are Emily and Leah H., who reside at home, and Minnie who is in the Benedictine convent at Duluth and will arrive this evening.

$151 AWARDED TO HATELIE

FOSSTON BLACKSMITH GETS A PORTION OF [illegible] BOARD

The jury in the case of Ole Hatelie vs. Ole C. Johnson brought in a verdict of $151 for the plaintiff in the case. The court is getting along with great speed. Most of the cases are settled out of court as rapidly as they are approached on the calendar but a case may bob up almost any day that will mean a three or four days' session.

TWENY YEARS FOR 40 CENTS.

Robber, Aged 19, Who Takes Man's Last Cent, Gets Long Term.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 9. — A year in prison for every 2 cents he stole of Harry Farrar is the lot meted out to Lester Shindle, aged nineteen, of Rockwell by the district court of Mason City. The jury spent three hours arriving at a verdict. Shindle was sentenced to twenty years in the Fort Madison penitentiary. Farrar was held up under a viaduct, a short distance south of Mason City, and robbed of 40 cents, all the money he had, on March 14.

KILLED IN A TUNNEL.

Explosion at Duluth Crushes One Man to Death and Injures Another.

Duluth, Minn., June 9. — One man was killed and another seriously injured in an explosion in the tunel of the Wisconsin Central railroad, Tom Maki, who was killed, was cooped in a narrow shaft and the force of the explosion almost crushed him to a pulp. John Harki, who escaped death, was at the opening of the shaft and was hurled violently against the rocky wall and sustained deep wounds about the head and body.

SLAYER GIVEN TWENTY YEARS.

Man Who Killed Another at Dance Is Sentenced.

Winnipeg, June 9.—Twenty years in prison were meted out to Patrick Mullen at Fernie, convicted on a charge of manslaughter. Mullen was arrested at Great Falls, Mont., about a month ago. He got into a scuffle at a dance with Angelo Orlando, and during the fracas Orlando was killed. Mullen fled to the states, but was traced by the police and brought back.

W. R. Ward, of Dyersburg, Tenn., writes: "This is to certify that I have used Foley's Orino Laxative for chronic constipation and it has proven without a doubt to be a thorough practical remedy for this trouble, and it is with pleasure I offer my conscientious reference."—Sold by all druggists.

MURDER OR SUICIDE ?

RESIDENTS OF EAST THIRD STREET WERE HORRIBLY SHOCKED

CORPSE DISCOVERED DANGLING FROM A BRANCH OF A TREE

From Monday's Daily—

Either case of murder or suicide occurred in Crookston recently. Ernest Moeckel and others Saturday were horrified to see a corpse dangling from a tree between the Congregational church rectory and the residence of E. Moeckel.

Dangling from a limb half way up the tree was the lifeless body of a robin, hanging by a slender thread which encircled its neck. The case is said to be one of the strangest on record and is absolutely true. A few feet above the dead bird was a half finished nest, and the supposition is that the bird had partly woven the thread in the nest when in some way the thread became looped about its neck and that in the struggle to free itself from the thread the bird was hanged.

The hearts of those who witnessed the tragedy were deeply touched and tho but a little bird it did not pass away unwept. No bird student could be found in the city who ever heard of a similar incident.

PLEAD BEFORE ST.PAUL JUDGE

OFFICERS WISCONSIN GRAIN CO., PLEAD TO INDICTMENTS THIS MORNING

Samuel A. Phillips and the officers of the Wisconsin Grain and Stock company, indicted by federal grand jury on charges of using the mails to defraud pled to the indictments this morning before Judge Morris in the United States district court. They all entered pleas of not guilty.

PROVE UP ON FINE CLAIMS

TWO YOUNG ARGYLE MISSES ARRIVE FROM NORTHERN WOODS

Misses Macey Clem and Hattie Miller arrived in the city last evening on Greenbush train from Roseau county where they have been living on two valuable timber claims. The ladies have lived in Roseau county on these claims for five years and believe that they will go back. They find the northern woods a happy place to live. The two Argyle young ladies made final proof last week. They passed thru the city going north this morning to Argyle where they will visit with their parents. They were the guests while in the city of the Misses Nelia and Elsie Collins.

COLLIDE WITH FARM WAGON

Last Saturday afternoon the passenger westbound Robinson engineer, hit a farmer's team on the east Fosston crossing. On account of the heavy rain and thunders the farmer could not discern the approaching train before it struck him. The collision smashed the wagon into splinters but hurt no one.

The Discovery of Pharaoh's Mummy

Of the many kings who ruled in ancient Egypt, not one has seized more one the popular imagination than he with whom Moses fought his long duel for the liberation of his countrymen. Up to comparatively recent years even his identity was wrapped in obscurity, but that has been established and now his mummy has been discovered. Of the many table beverages none can equal golden grain belt beer in purity and wholesomeness—better than tea or coffee. It's daily use will aid digestion and steady your nerves. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Falls Under Car.

Helena, Mont., June 9. — William Hale, conductor of the local traction company, fell under his car and received injuries which probably will be fatal.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

From Over The Valley

THE BEMIDJI PIONEER BOOSTS FRANK JEFFERS

Frank Jeffers who now resides at Red Lake Falls came down this morning from Blackduck where he has spent several days looking after some private business affairs. Mr. Jeffers suffered the loss of both his feet in an accident at Blackduck, last winter, and was confined to the hospital at that place for several weeks, during which time he made many friends by his genial disposition despite great personal suffering. Mr. Jeffers is being urged by his many friends in Red Lake county as a candidate for one of the county offices and is promised that in case he runs there will be no opposition. He deserves all the good things the people of Red Lake county may give him.—Bemidji Pioneer.

COMPLAINING THAT THE VALUATIONS ARE HIGH

Farmers living in this vicinity are making complaint of the big increase in the assessed valuation that assessors are making this year, and claim that values in Red Lake county are about twice as high as in Marshall county. Under instructions of the state tax commission, Red Lake county assessors are assessing everything at 50 per cent of the actual value and in Marshall county the assessors should be doing the same. One farmfrom the town of Norden says that his cows were assessed at $20 each while his neighbor living just north in the town of New Solum, Marshall county, is assessed just half as much—Thief River Falls Press.

A PIONEER OF RED RIVER VALLEY IS DEAD

Hans Selstad one of the pioneer residents of Thief River Falls died Sunday of lung fever. The funeral ser vices were held Thursday afternoon. Altho the deceased's family had resided here for many years he had spent most of his time on the C. A. Tuller farm at Warren having been in the employ of Mr. Tuller for 20 years. Besides a wife he leaves four children.

PROMINENT CHURCHMEN WILL BE PRESENT

Under the presidency of Rev. L. M. Bosseau, Dean; Very Rev. T. Corbett, Dean and Chancellor of the Diocese of Duluth, and Rev. Limmer, Bishop's Secretary, will be present at the fifth annual commencement of St. Joseph's Academy on Wednesday evening, June 10th.—Argyle (Marshall County) Banner.

SAYS PEOPLE PAY A FANCY PRICE FOR TRASH

Stock foods both medicated and plain, are sold in large quantities, but it is a fact but few who buy and use them know what they are made of. J. P. Jensen of this city, has been working for several months in a factory near St. Paul that is turning out material for the stock food mixers, and what do you suppose it is made of? This factory turns out hundreds of tons monthly of what it calls flax bran It is made from the coarse, woody parts of flax straw, and the heads of chaff. The fibre is turned into twine and other fabrics and the residue is ground up, sifted and bolted and sold as a bulk material for stock food. We had an idea that medicated stook food was made mostly from bran, but now find that they don't use such expensive material but get along with ground flax straw, in which there is as much nuttriment as in sawdust. Jensen informs us there is a big demand for this stuff , and the factory is continually behind in its orders.—Litchfield Independent.

NORMAN COUNTY RYE IS WELL HEADED OUT

We are accustomed to surprises in the way of remarkable vegetation up here in the Red River Valley but we must admit that we were a bit surprised when Lars Aamoth stepped in to our office the latter part of last week with a sample of rye nearly four feet high and well headed out. The sample was taken from a 20-acre field of winter rye owned by Olaus Nordby in Fossum. Such an advanced stage of maturity is quite unusual for t he latter part of May. Judging from the sample it will not be surprising to find the field ready for the binder by the first of next month.—Twin Valley Times.

NEW UNIFORMS ORDERED BY THIEF RIVER BAND

The new uniforms for the Thief River Falls Band—twenty-seven of them —were ordered the first of the week. The suits will be of green with black trimmings and are expected to arrive before the tournament.

Mrs. S. Joyce, Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it."—For by all druggists.

MOTHER RISKED LIFE TO SAVE CHILDREN

Great Heroism Is Displayed By A Farmer's Wife Residing North Of Argyle, Who Leaped Into River And Rescued Her Drowning Little Ones,

The two little children of Louis Miller, living in French town, just north of Argyle had a narrow escape from drowning on Friday. The elder one of the two was riding the little one of but 2 years of age in a go-cart and had ventured too close to the bank of the river. The cart descended at a rapid rate and both children were precipitated into the river in about five feet of water. Mrs. Miller heard the children scream and running to the river she leaped in and the water being clear she saw the smaller one of the two on the bottom of the river. The little ones were rescued with some difficulty, but it was some time before they could be revived. It was a very close call and Mrs. Miller is to be congratulated on her activity and good fortune in hearing the cries.

PATENT ON GRAIN THRESHER CLEANER

Lars M. Anderson Is Awarded A Patent By Patent Office On A New Grain Cleaner.

Lars M. Anderson, formerly superintendent of the Maplebay Windstacker Company, has been awarded a patent on an invention of his to clean grains while being threshed in the regulation threshing machine. Heretofore it has been necessary to have a separate cleaning and fanning mill for the grain to run thru before it could be turned out clean. This balance will be placed on the top of the thresher and will not take up any more room than occupied by the machine.

DESERTED BY HUSBAND NERVOUS WRECK

MRS. FRANK ROBINSON OF TURTLE RIVER HAS A HARD LOT

A sad case of desertion came to light this morning when Mrs. Frank Robinson and her father, Robert Bowes, arrived in Bemidji from Banon, Ontario.

The Reive (corresponds to our chairman of county commissioners) of Ontario had advised Mr. Bowes to take his daughter to Turtle River and there swear out a warrant for the arrest of Frank Robinson on a charge of non-support and desertion of his wife, thus forcing the county officials to look him up.

Accordingly, they went to County Attorney Funkley at Bemidji and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Frank Robinson.

Elizabeth Bowes was married to Frank Robinson at Turtle River four years ago last August. A baby girl was born to them a year later (and is now being kindly cared for by some people in Bemidji.) Soon after their house burned, and Mr. Robinson put his wife in the county poor house and left her four months.

He then took her out for a short time and last year placed her in the poor house again. After four months he paid the county $15 for her board and took her to the home of her father who lives on a homestead in Ontario. On the 9th of last September he left for the harvest fields in North Dakota. About November 1st he showed up in Turtle River with nearly $200, and spent all of it within a few days. He wrote last to his wife on February 27th and since that time they have heard nothing from him.

Mrs. Robinson is nearly prostrated with grief and nervous hysteria.

A CLASS OF SEVENTEEN

GRADUATING EXERCISES OF ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL AT R. L. FALLS THIS EVENING

Commencement exercises for St. Joseph's school at Red Lake Falls took place last evening at the Metropolitan. An interesting program was rendered and was enjoyed by a large audience of friends and well wishers of the class. The high standing of St. Joseph's and the excellent work accomplished by the pupils are high compliments to Father Fayolle and his corps of efficient teachers.

The names of the pupils who graduated are Lonis M. Bertiaume, Rose E. Bagan, Anna L. Laurent, Octave M. Gamache, Emma M. Cote, Winnifred G. Corell, Celina M. Grenier, Cathleen A. Spillane, Amanda M. Paradis, Odelia M. Dubuque, Lucy A. Mathies, Eva R. Paquin, Erma A. Schreiter, Emily M. Demarais, Elwize T. Longtin, Delima R. Paranteau, Zella M. Perusse.

PENNED AND PILFERED

There is some good in everyone. Because a person is behind prison bars it does not mean that he is all bad as the following story from the Minneapolis Journal will show:

"Two hungry children and the grieving wife of a prisoner in the Hennepin county jail have brought out the best side of every prisoner in the cells When the three called to tell the jailer of their destitute condition, every man awaiting trial who had anything to contribute helped to relieve the destitute family. The father of three children is in the jail, awaiting trial. His arrest left the family without food or money, and the mother went to the jail where she told Jailer Nels Clausen her story. The younger daughter loked up at the jailer. "I'm hungry," she said. "Ain't had nothin' to eat for two whole days."

A prisoner in his cell overheard the remark, called a trusty, and the relief fund was started.

"Here's my last quarter," he said. "Show it to the other prisoners and make them shell out."

From cell to cell passed the trusty repeating the story over and over again. Pickpockets, thieves, shoplifters, men convicted of, or awaiting trial for all manner of crimes—every one brought out his contribution. When the trusty finished his rounds his hand held, mostly in pennies, nickels and dimes, $4.60, which he passed over to the wife. Matron Woodbun took charge of the mother and children a little later and furnished them with the first solid meal they had eaten in ten days.'

No more will the merry minstrel band torture the strains of "Way Down South in Dixie" from the wheezy horns in front of the theatres in Duluth.

No more will a trombone and a bass drum do violence to the strains of "The Good Old Summer Time" as an advertisement for a summer excursion or a dance at the Armory.

No more will the merry circus parade wend its way thru town to the strains of "Cheer, Cheer, the Gang's All Here."

Capt. A. G. Fiskett as acting chief of the police department issued an order prohibiting band music on the streets except in cases of funerals or religious services.

Music may have charms for savages but for civilized beings the captain thinks the quality of the music extracted by longwinded bandsmen from brass instruments isn't edifying nor entertaining so it must be hushed.

The blow is aimed at the parading of bands for advertising purposes. Circus and minstrel parades will come under the ban, and in the future, the band wagon will be as silent as the wildcat's cage. The order doesn't say anything about steam calliopes, so they probably do not come under the order.

The following wonderfully worded advertisement appears in the last issue of the Thief River Falls News:

"The ladies new store across the street west from the Golden Rule. Four thousand dollars in all season's garments, underwear, dress-cloths by the yard, millinery, notions, etc. The owner, Mr. A. M. Graves, former superintendent of Indian schools and owner of 800 acres 15 miles west of this city having his right arm and elbow broken in four places and having bought his home here deserves his share of trade."

Now while we wish Mr. Graves well and are very sorry that he broke his elbow, on the other hand any man who owns 800 acres of land in the Red River Valley we believe to be pretty well hooked up. His bumped elbow will soon be all right and he can live high the rest of his life if he only sells a pair of socks or a paper of pins a week in his new store.

Under the caption "Democratic Institutions visited," "A. J. R." in the Minneapolis Journal has the following comment to make regarding the heavy weight editor of western Polk:

Editor W. R. Stoughton, the heavy weight of the Valley View, of East Grand Forks, visited St. Paul as a delegate to the democratic state convention. His description of the trip as it appears in the paper is a masterpiece, dealing as it does with convention scenes and with those great democratic institutions, Dick O'Connor, the brewery and the pen at Stillwater upon all of which our civilization is founded."

There seems to have been some trouble at Stephen over the burial of the man that was killed on the railroad right-of-way last week. The accident happened on Wednesday and on Saturday evening the body was still unburied. The question was over the expense of burial. Unless a man pays for his funeral in advance no can never feel quite sure of burial now days.

FOUND DEAD.

Aged Man May Have Taken an Overdose of Laudanum.

Minot, N. D., June 4.—The body of John Mabin, aged fifty years, was found dead in bed at his home, and an investigation of the premises resulted in the discovery of a bottle of laudanum. Whether it was intentional or not is not known. Mr. Mabin, it is said, was in the habit of taking small doses of laudanum, and it may be that he took a larger dose yesterday than was intended.

Mexico Plans Irrigation.

City of Mexico, June 6. — A bill framed by Minister of Finance Limatour calling for the appropriation of $25,000,000 for irrigation purposes, for the establishment of a sank of discount and the creation of a chamber of commerce. passed the house yesterday with but one dissenting vote.

Newspaper Owner Dead.

Boston, Jeun 6. — Mrs. Jerome Jones, one of the proprietors of the Boston Evening Transcript, died yesterday of pernicious anaemia at her home in Brookline. Mrs. Jones was born in Brattleboro, Vt., in 1841.

Arson Is the Charge.

Fergus Falls, Minn., June 6.—The Zuehsdorf saloon building in Foxhome was burned at an early hour Wednesday morning, and Tony Nelson was arrested yesterday on the charge of setting the fire.

Chamberlain Wins In Oregon.

Portland, Or., June 4.—Gov. George E. Chamberlain, Democrat, is the choice of the people of Oregon for the United States senatorship, to succeed Charles W. Fulton, Republican, and a Republican legislature has been chosen to elect him. Chamberlain's majority over his oppent, Henry M. Cake, Republican, will exceed 1,000, it is believed.

CASHIER OUT OF TOILS.

Jackson Secures Freedom After Four Hearings on False Returns Charge.

Watertown, S. D., June 5 – After four hearings of his case, two being before the state supreme court, Carl Jackson, former cashier of the State Bank of Clark, was discharged by Judge Marquis and the case dismissed. Mr. Jackson was accused of making false returns to the state bank examiner as to the condition of the bank.

Minister Asphyxiated.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 5.—Rev. J. M. Gordon, a prominent missionary of the Disciples of Christ denomination at Mungoll, India, was asphyxiated yesterday morning in a bath tub at the residence of Rev. H. D. Smith, whom he was visiting.

Alex Kitson's Body Is Found.

Cass Lake, Minn., June 5. — The body of Alex Kitson was found by an Indian near Star island late yesterday afternoon. Kitson, with Joe North, embarked on the lake five weeks ago. North's body was found two weeks ago. Kitson was a guide.

Pick Up Shipwrecked Men.

Rio de Janeiro, June 5.—Avices received here state that the Brazilian training ship Benjamin Constant, which is on a voyage to Yokohama, picked up twenty shipwrecked men on Wake island, a possession of the United States in the Pacific ocean.

Break Track-laying Record.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 6.—A record breaking piece of track laying was accomplished within the city limits on the line of the North-Western yesterday morning when a crew of seventy-four men laid 7,060 feet of ninety-pound rails in exactly four hours. The rails made a stretch of track exactly three-quarters of a mile long.

Negro Will Hang.

Clarksburg, W. Va., June 4.—Frank Johnson, a negro, who killed a married woman because she refused to elope with him and then barricaded himself in a barn, wounding two members of a posse whom he defied for two days, was sentenced to be hanged July 17. This is the first capital sentence in the county since the state was formed.

EXTEND GREAT NORTHERN.

Hill Makes Statement to Boards of Trade of Saskatchewan.

Winnipeg, June 5.—J. J. Hill has announced to the associated boards of trade of Saskatchewan that as soon as the gaps in British Columbia are closed and a line built to Calgary it is the intention to extend the Great Northern system from Winnipeg to Calgary and through Northern Saskatchewan and Alberta.

HYPNOTIZED, SAYS POOLE.

Will Make That Defense for Murder in Church.

Oakfield, Wis., June 5. — That he was hypnotized when he shot down and killed Mrs. E. H. Orvis in the Methodist church at this place at the close of the morning service last Sunday is the claim of Grant Poole, who is in jail in Fond du Lac, charged with the murder, and this defense will be urged at the trial.

Freaks of Lightning.

Eau Claire, Wis., June 5.—Lightning cut some strange gyrations at the home of C. McCoombs of this city. It demolished the chimney, made a big hole in the roof and tore off the wall paper in all the rooms. A little girl was asleep in one of the rooms upstairs and the walls of this room were pierced by lightning in three places and the girl was unharmed.

Business Man Hangs Self.

St. Paul, June 5. — George Henry Ranney, prominent in business and social circles in St. Paul, was found dead by members of his family, hanged to a door with a rope in their apartments at the Angus. Mr. Ranney had been suffering from melancholia, caused by ill health.

BARNS BURN AT WESTHOPE.

Whole City is Endangered by the Flames.

Westhope, N. D., June 4.—Fire destroyed the Burns & Sharvey livery barn, with eighteen horses. Strong winds from the southeast carried the blaze over one block and burned another barn a mile and a half away and set fire to the dump grounds. Only extreme efforts prevented a general conflagration. As it is the loss probably will not exceed $7,500.

ANGLERS TO GET INTO NET.

Game Wardens Will Do Some Seining for Violators of the Law.

Sioux Falls, S. D., June 4.—Fish and game wardens in a number of the counties of South Dakota are preparing to make an example of a number of persons who are daily violating the state laws by fishing for bass and other protected fish and either selling them or shipping them out of the state.

Farman Renews Challenge.

Ghent, June 4.—Henry Farman, the British aeronaut, has renewed his challenge to the American aeronauts, the Wright brothers, for a match for $5,000. He expressed surprise that his original challenge was not accepted long ago.

Body Is Found in Well.

Devils Lake, N. D., June 4.—Peter Olson was found dead in a well here last night about 10:30 o'clock. A mystery surrounds his death, and the case is being investigated by the coroner.

MANSLAUGHTER IS VERDICT.

Ele Mattich Convicted in Duluth, but Net of Murder.

Duluth, June 4.—Ele Mattich was yesterday convicted in the circuit court in Duluth of manslaughter in the first degree. He killed a man named Rodi Donjonocich, shooting him with a revolver. The men had quarreled and Donjonocith was very abusive. The jury evidently considered the circumstances extenuating in some degree. The killing occurred at the Croxton mine several months ago. Both men were employed about the mines.

Twenty Perish in Cloudburst.

Mexico City, June 6. — Word has just reached this city that twenty lives were lost and property damaged to the extent of $20,000 by a cloudburst in Juanancato. It is understood that one of the main tunnels has been flooded.

GIVES UP LIFE FOR COMPANION.

Man Electrocuted While Trying to Save Another—Latter May Live.

Plainwell, Mich., June 4. — Arthur Goodacre, aged twenty-two years, was electrocuted here yesterday in trying to pull a young companion named A. B. Goucher away from a high-tension electric wire. The wire was carrying 45,000 volts, but while Goodacre was instantly killed his companion showed signs of life and medical attention restored him to consciousness last night.

DEFAMATION IS CHARGED.

Woman Accuses Fargo Man Under Criminal Law.

Fargo, N. D., June 4. — A peculiar suit was brought in Fargo yesterday against John Morgan, a candidate for constable. He is charged by Helen Stensrud with defamation of character. Ordinarily the action would have been a civil process, but under the North Dakota libel law enacted three years ago it has been made a criminal action.

First Dollar Wheat Rally Is Held.

Barnesville, Minn., June 4. — The first of the dollar wheat rallies that are to be held in this valley this summer under the auspices of the American Society of Equity was held in this city yesterday in the opera house. C. O. Drayton of Illinois was the principal speaker. He has been authorized to hold seventy of the meetings in the valley this year.

Steal $800 Worth of Silk.

Sioux City, Iowa, June 4.—Effecting an entrance by sawing a hole in the rear door and lifting a wooden bar, burglars secured silk to the value of $800 from the Sioux City Garment Manufacturing company. A safe was blown open, but no money was secured.

Plan Rousing "Fourth."

Luverne, Minn., June 4.—Arrangements are now being made by the business men of Luverne for a rousing celebration on July 4. A big sum of money has been subscribed and a royal time is being planned.

Flood Is Receding.

Little Rock, Ark., June 4.—Although the Arkansas river still stands two feet above the flood stage here, it is slowly receding and the extreme pressure has been withdrawn from the levees.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

June 4 In History.

1752—John Eager Howard, soldier, famous at the battle of Cowpens, born; died 1827.

1859—The French and Italians defeated the Austrians at Magenta.

1906—United States Senator Arthur Pue Gorman of Maryland died; born 1839.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:22, rises 4:25; moon sets 11:53 p. m.; 7:24 p. m., moon at apogee.

FINISHED SEEDING—Ed Reitmeir having finished seeding arrived in the city yesterday morning to attend to business and to recreate a little.

KING TO RED LAKE—State Librarian John E. King of Red Lake Faalls passed thru the city this morning for his old home at Red Lake Falls where he will visit with friends and attend to business matters.

GOES TO GLENWOOD—L. C. Blackman, formerly manager for Heileman brewery here, returned from East Grand Forks last evening and remains here until the end of the week, departing then for Glenwood where he receives advanced position with the same company.

WELL PLEASED — Burkhardt & Fleckenstein are greatly pleased with the manner in which their new brands of cigars, the "Tom Godfrey" and the "Queenie" are making a hit with the smokers of Bemidji and vicinity. Messrs. Burkhardt and Fleckenstein had a vexatious delay in getting their stock and boxes, but are now making a fine lot of cigars, and the sales are very flattering.—Bemidji Pioneer.

HAS 40 ACRES SEEDED—Ed. L. Henry, who is associated with Ross & Ross the big loggers, and who has 60 horses from the logging camps on the old Winchester farm at Angus for the summer where they will be pastured, came down last evening with Mr. Ross who continued east, Mr. Henry returning to Angus this morning. He has finished seeding 400 acres of oats and is preparing to cut several hundred tons of hay east of Angus the coming summer, which will be shipped to the camps the coming winter.

TWENTY TEAMS AT WORK—M. Sullivan, contractor in charge of ditch 66 eight miles west of Euclid was in the city last evening on business connected with the ditch. He has twenty teams at work on the construction and will have the ditch completed the weather not interfering before Sept. 1st next.

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS — Given away in the Fargo Conservatory of Music to the amount of $600.00. The best equipped musical school in the Northwest, largest faculty, all branches taught. Pupils may enter at any time. Send for information regarding scholarships. Fall term opens Sept. 10th, 1908. Large illustrated catalogue of school sent upon request. Address E. Herdeg, Secretary of Fargo Conservatory of Music, or W. W. George, Director, Fargo, N. D.

The bill posters for Ringling Bros., Mammoth circus which will appear in Crookston Monday June 29, arrived in the city last evening and this morning left for the country in different directions with three of S. L. Collins rigs from whom they have secured rigs nearly every year for 20 years, and will be in the country for two days. On Saturday they will bill the city.

Sale papers were completed today in the transfer of 520 acres of land in sections 22 and 23 in Vineland town of Polk county from Andrew Steenerson of Climax to John C. Vincent of Cass county, North Dakota. The sale was made before Mr. Steenerson's death but as they were not confirmed at the other end of the deal at that time they were not complete until return was made on them today to agents here.

The land went for $30 per acre.

You Should Know This

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.—Sold by all druggists.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

June 5 In History.

1723—Dr. Adam Smith, author of the "Wealth of Nations," born; died 1790.

1771—Ernest Augustus, fifth son of George III. and king of Hanover after the separation of the crowns, born; died 1851.

Von Weber.

1826—Karl Maria von Weber, famous musical composer, died; born 1786.

1900—Fighting at Taku, China, between American marines and Boxers.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:23, rises 4:25; moon sets 12:23 a. m.

BIRTH—At Christ church rectory, 130 N. Ash street June 4th to the Reverend Richard and Mrs. Cox, a son was born.

WILL VISIT SISTER—Elmer Herberg has left for Houpt where he will visit for a few days with his sister who is "holding down" a claim.

CONTRACTOR HERE— A. M. Arpin, well known ditch contractor of the north country, spent the evening in the city yesterday. He is now engaged on work near Thief River Falls.

EXAMINER HERE—Alex C. E. Nelson, chief examiner for the Railway Mail service with headquarters in St. Paul arrived in the city this morning and is spending the day at Thief Rivr er Falls.

OLD TIMERS RETURN HOME — Jack Goodwin and Geo. Rutherford returned to Key West this morning after doing al lthe damage they could on the grand jury and taking in the sights of the city. Both have a host of friends in the city and they looked them all up for a hand shake.

CHIEF CLERK OVER LINE—A. B. Curtis, Chief Clerk Railway Mail Service with headquarters at St. Paul and who is in charge of the Railway Mail Service on the N. P. lines of railway was on board the new N. P. train yesterday afternoon noting the working of the new service. The new mail service is giving the best of satisfaction along points on the line in this vicinity.

READS PAPER — Postmaster Eli Steenerson of Crookston leaves for St. Paul and will atend the convention of Minnesota postmasters to be held there the 9th and 10th next. Mr. Steenerson has prepared a paper on "The Nuisance of the Transparent Envelope" and will speak on other subjects before the convention.

IN PROBATE COURT — John O'Brecht's estate, deceased living in Fanny town, was before the probate court yesterday morning for appointment of administrator, Louis W., the son, being applicant. The deceased died testate, but the wife, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Brecht named in the will as ecutrix is named as incompetent to take care of the business of the estate.

HIGH COMPLIMENT TO RIGGS—The following extract from the Fargo Call relative to the high class music that will be furnished at the North Dakota state fair there contains a splendid compliment to the abilities of Bandmaster Riggs of this city. The Call says: "Dr. C. S. Putnam announced last evening that he will have a band of musicians never before equalled in the northwest. J. W. Jeffers, euphonium soloist who is now filling an engagement at Big Island lake park with Battery A band, St. Paul; T. Helseth, who has made a hit as first trombonist with the St. Olaf college band, and G. Oliver Riggs, leader of the Crookston band and cornet soloist, have been signed by Dr. Putnam to do solo work in his band of musicians at the state fair. The gentlemen are recognized as the best in their class and are all personally known to Dr. Putnam."

Hallock has scheduled a mammoth meeting of farmers at that north line city on June 20th next and will have three speakers to address their guests from the rural districts. The meeting will be somewhat on the order of a market day which has proven very successful thruout the north country.

The leading speakers of the day are Senator Sundberg and Mr. Anderson and Elias Steenerson of Crookston.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

June 6 In History.

1755—Nathan Hale, martyr of liberty, born; executed Sept. 22, 1776.

1813—James Lawrence, naval officer, died on the Chesapeake; his last words, "Don't give up the ship."

1906—Karl von Hartmann, noted German philosopher, died; born 1841.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:24, rises 4:25; moon sets 12:51 a. m.; 11:56 p. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter; 11 a. m., planets Mercury and Mars in conjunction, passing only nineteen minutes of arc apart, or about one-third of a degree; seen low in west just after sunset, Mercury the brighter and farther north.

LITTLE RAIN EAST—H. W. Odney returned this morning for Erskine and states there was but very little rain in that direction.

FOR SALE — A good second hand 14-inch X Ray Gang Plow complete with two sets of lays and ready for business.—Geo. F. Stone.

AN INDIAN TOTEM STICK—Harry Healy of Red Lake Falls has given to Conductor Steve Withey, Great Northern diplomat, an Indian totem stick brought from Alaska.

A BOY DROWNED—While bathing in the Red Lake River up near Hilda the first week a son of S. T. Dalley was drowned. We have not been able to learn any of the particulars.

UNDER THE WEATHER — Swan Ness, who is slightly under the weather left this morning for his farm where he will recuperate for a few days.

STARTED BIG STEAM PLOW — Chas. Babcock returned from North Dakota last evening where he started a big Reeves 16 plow, each 14 inches in width. He says it works fine.

BEHIND CLOSED DOORS — The town board of Knute met behind closed doors yesterday at Erskine in the Bank of Erskine offices and took up matters concerning the roads of the township.

DESCENT OF ESTATE— Petition was filed this morning in the probate court by William S. Murray for determination of the descent of title to certain lots in East Grand Forks from Patrick Murray who died December 28th 1897. The estate has laid undivided for the past 11 years.

A NEW AUTO—E. N. Johnson, the restaurant man of Erskine has purchased a new automobile and is doing the speeding stunt about the village streets. This makes an equipment of two autos to carry passengers back and forth between the Great Northern and Soo depots.

WILL BRING LAND BUYERS — Geo. Welch returned this morning from Mt. Pleasant Illinois, where he went to bring a bunch of land buyers. As all were not ready to come he returned, but will go back to Mt. Pleasant Sunday evening and return with the bunch of land men in a few days.

ROGUES GALLERY —The county candidates have begun to decorate the board announcing the applicants for naturalization in the court house hall. The prospective sheriffs themselves make a solid border around the cornice, wander up the side of the walls and dwindle away in to the perspective way up along the cornices of the building.

EUCLID IN THE GAME—The Euclid baseball team has organized for the season and intends playing a good series of games this year. On Friday next, June 12, they will give a grand ball in Woodmen hall at Euclid to which everyone is cordially invited. There will be fine music and all who attend are certain of a fine time. Several couples will attend from this city if the roads are good.

POPULAR ELK RECOVERING — Ike Lederer of St. Paul who is a commercial traveler for the David Adler & Sons' Clothing company of Milwaukee is again calling on his customers in this vicinity for the first time in many weeks. Mr. Lederer who is one of the most popular Elks in the state and was ill for several months in fact, his life was at one time dispaired of, but he has regained much of his old enthusiasm, and all of the north-country boys are glad to see him out again.

FROM SAD MISSION— J. H. and George McNichols returned this morning from New London, Wis., where they were called by the death of their youngest sister who resides with the old folks. Their brother Michael also went down but will remain at the old home for a few days more. J. H. left this morning for his new home at Middle River and George proceeded to Grand Forks.

FOR ADMINISTRATOR— Petition was filed this morning for appointment of administrator by Mrs. Martha Paulson in the estate of her son P. C. Paulson who died in Hickson, Cass County, North Dakota, March 31 last at age of 52. The petition desires the appointment of Lewis Hicks of Hickson as administrator. Property is owned by the estate in Polk county to the extent of $2000.

MANY ARE INTERESTED

IN THE PROSECUTIONS OF THE WISCONSIN GRAIN AND STOCK COMPANY OFFICERS

SCORES IN THIS SECTION WERE NIPPED AS RESULT OF OPERATIONS

From Saturday's Daily—

The federal grand jury at St. Paul made its final report to Judge Morris yesterday in the United States circuit court and was discharged. As there are several hundred people here and in this vicinity tied up in the concern it will be read with interest that in addition to that indictments were found against L. A. Wood, George A. Wood and F. B. Wood who are charged with conspiracy to use the mails for fraudulent purposes. Charges of using the mails to defraud are contained in indictments against George A. Wood, Paul Foss, A. W. Brown, Bruce Tuttle, Martin P. Quigley and Clinton Phelps, all of whom, with the exception of Wood, admit having been connected in some manner with the Wisconsin Grain & Stock Company. Charles T. Kelly who was indicted last fall, is not indicted this time. Kelly and Stewart, both testified before the grand jury this week. Quigley who was cashier of the company is charged with perjury in an indictment, which was returned on Wednesday. This charge grows out of testimony given by Quigley at the trial last winter, L. C. Wood, father of three of the defendants is not indicted this time. The defendants will be arraigned before Judge Marris tomorrow to plead to the indictment.

Allegations of Government

It is charged that the defendants as officers of the Wisconsin Grain & Stock company operated at Superior, Wis., held themselves out as commission dealers in stocks and grains and in that way obtained money from would-be customers which they converted to their own use.

This is the second batch of indictments found against these defendants The first indictment charging conspiracy and using the mails to defraud, were returned last October. The trial began before Judge Morris in December and after continuing over a month came to a sensational end when charges were made against Sherman Smith a prominent Minneapolis politician and two of the jurors who were trying the case. The charges against the jurors were dismissed but Smith was adjudged in contempt by Judge Morris who convicted him of making improper overtures to George Hammond, of Nelson, B. C., Attorney C. C. Haupt, counsel for the government agreed that it would be unwise to go on with the case in view of the turn affairs had taken. New complaints making the same charges were immediately made from which the second indictments resulted.

TROUBLE ON WILD RICE

ROADBED OF THE NORTHERN PACIFIC CAUSING TROUBLE NEAR HEIBERG

SINKS ABOUT AN INCH EVERY TIME A TRAIN PASSES ALONG RIVER BANK

From Saturday's Daily—

The N. P. track has been the source of much concern to Section Foreman Brevik of Twin Valley for the past ten days. At a bend of the Wild Rice River sweeping well up to the bluffs on the south side of the valley near Heiberg the railway track runs directly along the steep bank of the river and during a season of much rain in 1905 the track came near slipping bodily into the stream.

By driving piles on the side of the track next the river and by considerable filling the track was again raised to grade where it remained permanently until a week ago when Mr. Brevik noted that it was again sinking. Since that time he has been camped right on the spot both night and day.

Every time a train passes he finds it necessary to raise the track nearly an inch. The place is one of danger and it is hoped that the railway company may find a remedy for the slipping in the near future. An accident at that place would seem certain of being a serious one.

Bryan's Daughter Elected Delegate.

Denver, Colo., June 5.—Democratis of Denver county in convention yesterday elected Mrs. Ruth Leavitt, daughter of W. J. Bryan, a delegate to the state convention which meets at Glenwood Springs on the 15th of this month. A resolution indorsing Bryan for the presidential nomination was adopted.

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SCHOOL CLOSE AT ERSKINE

FIVE MEMBERS CLASS OF 1908 — EXERCISES FOR THE CLOSE

DANCE AT ERSKINE TONIGHT WITH CHICAGO STRINGED ORCHESTRA

From Saturday's Daily—

The closing day exericses were held at the Erskine schools Thursday last with a finely rendered program. The members of the class were, Eldry Moen, Nana Amundsen, Andrew Torgerson, Ella Chandler and Hilma Nelson. The close of the schools was the occasion of a pleasant program of several dialogs, recitations and songs followed by a masterly address by Prof. Paul Hagen on life in the Philippines. A basket ball game was played between the boys and girls the boys winning by a score of 19 to 2.

Professor Hagen will spend the summerin Crookston, his home. The Misses Eldry Moen and Nana Amundsen will attend the normal department at Moorhead this summer and fit them selves to enter the teaching profession next year.

This summer the school board will thoroly remodel the school grounds, beautifying with additional shrubbery and a full equipment of cement walks.

The brick work on the block for the accommodation of the Steenerson Lumber Company offices is about three-quarters done and will be entirely completed in two more weeks.

BY MOVING LOCOMOTIVE

Timothy Hopkins a young man, of Langdon, N. D., employed on the Northern Pacific construction work at Glyndon, Minn., was fatally injured at that place yesterday. In attempting to board a moving locomotive he was knocked down and run over.

In an unconscious condition the injured man was brought to Fargo last evening at 8 o'clock where he was operated upon. One leg was taken off just below the hip and the other about the knee. He never gained conscious ness, dying about midnight.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, there by destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars far any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials

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Fall Breaks Neck.

Bisbee, N. D., June 6. — Charles Smith, a laborer on the farm of W. H. Brown, seven miles southwest of here, fell down the stairs while going to breakfast and broke or dislocated his neck. He is paralyzed and it is thought he cannot live.

George Siler Is Stricken.

Chicago, June 6. — George Siler, prize fight referee and writer on pugilistic matters, was stricken with heart disease while walking on State street yesterday. His condition last night was said to show some improvement.

Benefit of Farmers.

Rapid City, S. D., June 6.—Having leased two tracts of land about three miles out of the city for a term of five years, the Rapid City Business Men's club will experiment with the Campbell system of soil culture for the benefit of the farmers.

Babe's Body Found.

St. Paul, June 6.—The body of a female infant, nude, was found among the logs of the St. Paul boom yesterday. It was taken to the morgue pending further investigation.

Boy Bandits' Victim Dies.

Great Falls, Mont., June 6.—William Dempsey, the Augusta rancher who was shot by the boy bandits in the hold-up of the Great Northern Saturday night, died yesterday morning as a result of his injuries. The young hold-ups must face a charge of murder.

J.W. SANDBERG FOR AUDITOR

WELL KNOWN CLOTHING SALESMAN FILED FOR COUNTY AUDITOR YESTERDAY

HAS BEEN A RESIDENT OF POLK COUNTY FOR THE PAST 29 YEARS

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon John W. Sandberg, one of the old and respected citizens of Polk county filed at the county auditor's office as a candidate for the nomination for the office of county auditor on the republican ticket at the coming primaries.

Mr. Sandberg is no stranger to the people of Polk county. He has been a resident of the county for 29 years, and has been a resident of Crookston for the past 15 years, and during all that time he has been a steadfast republican, never faltering when the populistic wave struck Polk County and at that time in the precinct where he resided he, with his father and brother were the only republicans left for several years.

Mr. Sandberg is well educated, and has held positions of trust with Mossefin and Lindell and N. S. Gervais in the clothing business in the early days and later was with the Ruettell Clothing company. For the past year he has been a commercial traveller.

There is no question as to his ability, and he stands high in the estimation of his friends for honesty, integrity and business ability and there is no question as to the service Polk county would receive from Mr. Sandberg as county auditor.

E. A. DUNHAM SENTENCED

PLEAD GUILTY AND GETS THREE AND A HALF YEARS ON ONE COUNT

OTHER INDICTMENTS ARE ANNULED—WILL NOT GO DOWN TONIGHT

From Saturday's Daily—

This afternoon at 3 o'clock E. A. Dunham who was indicted on four counts for forgery by the last grand jury, appeared before Judge Watts this afternoon at 3 o'clock and enterer a plea of guilty to one count and was sentenced to three and a half years in the penitentiary at Stillwater The other four indictments were forth with annuled.

He forged the name of Conductor Gould to four checks and passed them on business men in the city. Later he went to Canada where he cut up similar didos and also got an additional wife who followed him to this city to learn the true conditions.

Dunham had formerly worked for the G. N. here and prior to that had a bad record in St. Paul.

CREAMERY MEETING

DAIRY INSPECTOR STORVICK HAS HANDS FULL TENDING TO DAIRIES

From Saturday's Daily—

Deputy dairy inspector A. O. Storvick returned last evening from a circuit about Oslo, Warren, Thief River Falls, Viking and Radium north of here and visited the creameries at all of these places. He believes they will all be successful and are doing a much larger business this year than heretofore.

The pasturage conditions are responsible for this condition.

The deputy inspector will be kept busy for the rest of the month. He will attend a meeting of the creamery at Rollis, east of Middle River, June 24th another at Ross postoffice in Roseau county along the Roseau river June 26th, and another next Monday at Governor Paquins creamery north of McIntosh. At all these places the stockholders have requested him to be present.

Mr. Storvick states that only two prosecutions have been made of buttermakers who have not sent in their annual reports to the commission as directed by the law, but that other prosecutions will be started at the order of the department this coming week.

YEGGMEN GET $10,000.

Crack Safe in Oklahoma and Escape on Horses; Posse in Pursuit.

Tulsa, Okla., June 6. — Robbers cracked the safe of the Bank of Fairland, Okla., thirty miles east of here, early yesterday and escaped with $10,000. The robbery was committed by three men who escaped on horseback. A posse is in pursuit.

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A Timely Investigation

No doubt the telegraph trust will be very much put out about it and inclined to heap bitter reproach upon the "trust" senators who should have been more wide awake, but in some way Senator LaFollette induced the senate to adopt a resolution directing the department of commerce and labor to make an investigation into the affairs of all the interstate telegraph and telephone companies says the Duluth Herald. The investigation is to cover their methods of handling the public's business and the facts as to wages and working hours of telegraph ersr, telephone operators and other employes of these public service corporations which are handling business that the government ought to be handling for the people Also there must be a statement of the receipts of such companies for the past five years.

Senator La Follette says that it is a matter of common knowledge that telegraph operators are poorly paid and his main object is to find out if the companies could not afford to give better wages than they do.

There can't be the slightest doubt about the truth of his proposition as to the pay of telegraphers. Also, there is no doubt that the telegraph companies make a good deal of money It would not be surprising indeed, if the investigation developed the facts that the telegraph companies make a good deal of money. It would not be surprising, indeed, if the investigation developed the facts that the telegraph companies could pay their men better, give better service and charge lower prices than they do and still make fair dividends upon the value of their properties.

The recent telegraphers' strike developed considerable information about the pay of telegraphers. It was shown that they are paid very little in view of the importance of their work and the amount of it they do. The companies retorted to this that it does not take very much work to learn telegraphy and that it is always easy to fill places at the going rate. The strike was a failure and it could hardly have been otherwise. The men struck without system and without any concerted action and they were utterly unprepared to carry on a prolonged fight against corporations so well supplied with funds as the telegraph companies. It became a question of endurance, and there could have been but one outcome of such an unequal contest.

Commercial telegraphers continually complain of their treatment, and the investigation that is to be made is timely. It will provide the public with full knowledge of the facts, and that knowledge will enable the public to know where its sympathies belong; it may even point the way to improve the situation. Less is heard of the grievances of telephone employes,, but it is just as well that the investigation includes them, in case there should be trouble later between them and their employers

The investigation cannot fail to be of real value and therefore it is all the more astonishing that Senator La Follette was able to slip the resolution providing for it thru the senate.

Jurymen Are Underpaid

Judge Kenesaw M. Landis of Standard Oil fame, has started another lively discussion as a result of an attack he recently made on congress in regard to the jury system. The remarks which caused the trouble were made in the course of a talk to a federal grand jury, and were not reported at the time, but later some congressmen who were in Chicago in connection with the national convention heard of the affair and now it is being discussed very liberally, to the annoyance of the various campaign managers, who are trying to hold down the political lid until after the convention.

The judge was trying to instil a little wholesome patriotism into the jury "It is obvious," he said, "that you gentlemen will be insufficiently paid for your expenses your time and your worry. The fees allowed are not enough, but I desire to relieve myself of blame for that. I am not to blame. Congress is to blame for giving you only three dollars a day out of which to pay your expenses, besides remunerating yourselves for your trouble. However, you have each of you the satisfaction of performing a duty as a public officer at a financial sacrifice of your own personal liberty."

The present pay of jurymen was fixed at a time when salaries and the cost of living were much lower and has remained stationary during all the years in which the pay of regular government employees has been very materially increased. Attention has been called to the injustice from time to time, but until now no serious steps have been taken to remedy it.

.:. POLITICS .:.

Princeton Union: "If the enemies of J. F. Jacobson think they can force him into talking for their benefit they are mistaken. Mr. Jacobson cannot be driven."

We are obliged to differ with Mr. Dunn in regard to his plan of campaign for Mr. Jacobson. The great strength and power of the gentleman from Lac qui Parle in the past has been because he was a talking and a fighting man. The people could see him and hear him and they flocked around his standard and backed him up in his fights. We have just as much confidence in him as ever but a strange condition has arisen. The men and interests which he has always fought are now shouting loudly for him. Their interests have not changed. We don't believe Mr. Jacobson's views have changed. It is therefore hard for many to understand why those who have been the means of defeating him in the past when the great mass of people were behind him demanding his leadership are for him so strongly and loudly now. The most rational explanation is that they hope to kill off Young with Jacobson and then slaughter Jacobson thus throwing into the dump two men who have served the people well. The men who betrayed and beat Jacobson before are the loudest in their support of him now. We must confess that we would like to hear the "alarm clock" which has always been so effective and faithful in the past go off just a few times just to let the people know that the thing is working.—Fergus Falls Journal.

The Minneapolis Journal is authority for the statement that if Mr. Jacobson is elected governor Hon R. C. Dunn, who, it says "is assuming all the perogatives of campaign manager" will occupy a prominent position at the State capitol, probably on the board of tax commissioners. It was assumed when provision was made for this body that it would be permanent and its composition was made up with that end in view. The term of Prof. McVey is the first to expire, and if the Journal's information is correct Mr. Dunn will be given his position.—Northfield News And if this all came true the position would go to a very capable man.

The Fertile Journal is responsible for the statement that A. F. Cronquist of Erskine is being urged to file for the republican nomination for representative. We have heard of no such move on the part of Mr. Cronquist or his friends and think that at best it would be ill-advised at this time. With Holton and Saugstad in the running it is hardly possible that such a move could prove a success and it might prove disastrous. Personally we esteem Mr. Cronquist highly and have aught but the best of wishes for his political aspirations and future but we consider the coming campaign a very unfavorable one for the launching of unseasoned legislative timber—McIntosh Times.

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Disregard for Law

It is generally admitted that in this land there is a deplorable disregard for the law. This is seen in the reluctance and often times positive refusal of some official to enforce laws which they have sworn to enforce; in the readiness with which many people violate law, and in the facilities too often afforded law breaakers to escape with a nominal punishment or with no punishment at all. It would be instructive to discover, if it were possible, to what extent this disregard for law is attributable to the lax discipline so frequently seen in American homes. It is evident that when parental authority is not firmly and wisely exercised there will be but little respect for parents' wishes and positions. The home is the foundation of the state. If, therefor discipline and authority are lacking in the home its evil effects are bound to extend to the state also. As the interests of the home and the state are so interwoven it is clear that the remedy for lawlessness is to be found mainly in a more wholesome exercise of parental power and a corresponding obedience and honor on the part of the children. —Badger Herald-Rustler.

Welcome to Him

The Crookston Times wants M. W. Savage for governor. Let the Times have him, they are welcome.—Badger Herald-Rustler.

Mayor In Fact

D. W. Lawler on the occasion of his installation as mayor of St. Paul Monday delivered a characteristically felicitous address in which was foreshadowed both the disposition to exercise to the full the powers with which he is invested by law and to exercise them in the public interest. ..In St. Paul the message is taken to mean that Mr. Lawler intends to be mayor in fact as well as in name, and that he will prove untractable if any attempt is made to fasten a collar on him. Anyway he has shown a happy faculty in saying the right thing in the right way at the right time, and if he follows this up by doing what he says he will do St. Paul will have reason to congratulate itself on his election.—Northfield News.

Name Your Farms

It has been frequently suggested and the suggestion is a good one, for every farmer to place his name and the name of his farm on his road gate or mail box. Not only would persons driving to the place more easily find it, but it would add more pleasure and interest to people driving from place to place, this last result would have special effort with regard to well kept and pretty houses. An observing person will seldom pass a beautiful farm without desiring to know who is the enterprising owner.—Gary Graphic.

GOOD NEWS

Many Crookston Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

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TWO DROWN IN RICE

Attempted to Rescue a Woman When Thrown Into the Water.

Brainerd, Minn., June 10.—August Schultz and David W. Wayt were drowned in Rice lake. Schultz had gone into the water to rescue Mrs. G. Y. Woerner, who fell from a steamboat. The railing gave way with the men trying to help Schultz aboard. Several fell in and Schultz and Wayt were drowned.

The boat carried no life preservers or row boats, and according to reports was unlicensed. It had not been in commission, but went across the lake for a picnic party caught in the rain.

TANNERY IS BURNED.

Part of Insurance Had Been Allowed to Lapse and Loss Is Heavy.

Owatonna, Minn., June 10. — The sheepskin tannery operated by Mr. Adolph Uber and one of the smaller but prosperous industries of this place was practically destroyed by fire. The loss is a heavy one, as a policy for $2,000 was allowed to lapse but a week ago. The total insurance amounted to but $2,500, while the building and contents were valued at $10,000. The cause of the fire is a mystery. The building will be rebuilt.

MAKES HOBOES PULL WEEDS.

Mayor Fights Dandelion Pest by Putting "Vag" Prisoners at Work.

Iowa Falls, Iowa, June 10. — The unique spectacle of a battle between the hobo and the dandelion has been presented in this city the past few weeks as a result of Mayor Bryson's crusade against the weed pest. In hope of ridding the parks and streets of the dandelions he decreed that all bums or hoboes who were under fine should work out those fines under police guard by digging dandelion roots. As a result there has been a splendid harvest of the weeds.

Saving money is very useful for the fellow who gets it away from you.

KINDNESS REWARDED.

Music Teacher Inherits Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

Duluth, Minn., June 9. — For kindnesses extended to his wife during her illness in Chicago, Miss Edith Bain, a Chicago music teacher, was left $25.000 in cash by Giles Gilbert, a Duluth pioneer, who died a few weeks ago on a Northern Pacific train en route to Duluth from Portland.

Arrests Quickly Follow Burglary.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 10.—Within a few hours after a hardware store at Groton had been robbed, the police of this city gathered in two suspects who disposed of some shotguns at a second-hand dealer's.

Manhunt Fails.

Danbury, Conn., June 10.—A passe of farmers and constables who had searched the woods near Newton for Edward Schiriman, the man charged with the shooting of Ida Potter to death on Main street here Saturday, returned last night, having failed to find their man.

From Over The Valley

BAD FIRE GUTTED A BADGER RESIDENCE

Last Wednesday evening about 10 o'clock members of H. C. Reed's family at Badger discovered fire in an inner room where two incubators were sitting. All the members of the family were in a room some distance off from where the fire originated except the hired man who was asleep upstairs. Some difficulty was experienced in arousing him. When awake and realizing his peril he grabbed his clothes and made a dash for the stairway which by this time was enveloped in flames. He escaped with no damage to his person except a singeing of his hair. About this time the neighbors were aroused and a general fire alarm rung. The fire department responded promptly as usual. By the time the fire apparatus arrived the whole house appeared to be doomed the fire having spread very rapidly owing to the inflammable material on the walls. But fortunately the fire was soon gotten under control and in about an hour was all put out. The main building was completely gutted as was the kitchen in the addition. Mr. Reed saved the piano and the organ and a few articles of clothing. What clothing and bedding was not destroyed by fire was damaged by smoke and water and the loss is considerable. Mr. Reed carried no insurance on this building or on household effects. The family now live in another building owned by Mr. Reed and which has been occupied by tenants.

MANY LAND BUYERS ON THE RESERVATION

The Review editor returned last night, from a several days' trip to the reservation. Quite a number of land buyers are coming in there every day now, in spite of the fact that very little advertising of the country is yet being done. The biggest part of the land held by spectators is not on the market yet, for the reason that the owners expect the price to go to a much higher level. The highest price paid so far is $18.50 for wild land two miles from the village and without improvements, and this was brought by a resident there and was a cash deal. $15 per acre seems to be about the standard price at present for fairly good land within five miles. This is an advance of about fifty percent since last year.—Hendrum Review.

PIONEER OF ROSEAU COUNTY PASSES AWAY

The death of Mrs. Gudrun Olafson occurred at the residence of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Oie, on Monday morning, May 25 1908. The deceased was born in Iceland and had she lived would have been 83 years old July 4th.

It was 27 years ago that Mrs. Olafson and her husband and children left Iceland and settled in Winnipeg. Later the family moved to Pembina County where her husband, Olafur Olafson died in 1896 since which time the deceased has lived with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Oie, in Dieter and in Roseau, having been an invalid for several years. Surviving the death of this kindly old lady are three children, Mrs. Ole E. Oie of Roseau, Olafus Olafson of Iceland, and Grimur Olafson of Ross.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Norwegian church and was attended by a large number of friends of the family and the departed. Rev. Odeland preached the funeral sermon. The interment occurred in the Ridge cemetery west of town.—Roseau Times.

FARM SOLD FOR $45 PER ACRE FLAT

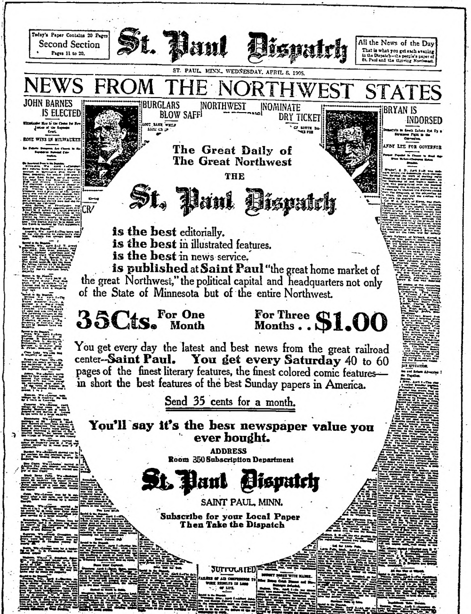
Thos. Semple has bought J. E. Johnson's farm, in Elm River a mile west of Hendrum consisting of 203 acres at $45 per acre. This makes another high mark for land prices in this neighborhood, but it is undoubtedly worth it. Mr. Semple is to take possession at once. We do not know what Joe's plans are, but he will probably seek employment in the banking business in which he was engaged some years ago.—Hendrum Review.

HENDRUM FARMER WILL SPRAY FIELDS

Henry Marsden near Hendrum has ordered a sprayer and 4,000 pounds of sulphate of iron to be used in sprinkling the fields to kill mustard, dandelion and other weeds of that kind. It has proven very successful in the tests and there is no reason why it should not be equally effective in practice.

Men would be just wild to pay their taxes if it was against the law.

Many a man attempts to stand up for his friends by lying.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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

June 8 In History.

1806—George Wythe, "signer" and for 20 years chancellor of Virginia, died; born 1726.
1809—Thomas Paine, deist, died; born 1737.
1845—Andrew Jackson, president in 1829-37, died; born 1767.
1900—Missionaries in China cabled President McKinley to send protection from the Chinese anti-foreign element.
1907—Julia Magruder, American novelist, died in Richmond, Va.; born 1854.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:25, rises 4:24; moon sets 1:40 a. m.; moon's age 10 days; planet Mercury visible in west after sunset.

NEW GROCERY CLERK—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Francis 518 N. Front St., are the proud parents of a nine-pound son born Sunday morning. All are doing well.

VISITING SCHOOLS— Supt. Thomas Casey left this morning for East Grand Forks and from there will drive north where he will visit the schools for a few days.

DRILLING AT ANGUS—Nels Swanson the well digger spent Sunday with his family in this city. He is now engaged putting down a well on the Osterloh farm near Angus.

HORSE CUT BY DISC—Fred Baatz of Russit had the misfortune to have a horse badly cut on a disc this morning. Dr. Langevin departed this morning to fix up the horse.

UNDER THE WEATHER —Peter Cram left this morning for a two days' trip on the east line for the Queen City Fruit Co., taking the place of E. Anderson who has been under the weather for the past few days on account of a bad cold.

VIEW DITCH 78—Erick Samuelson of Andover Joseph Lariviere of Hammond and Joseph Sauve of Crookston spent the morning in the commissioners' room at the court house today to prepare to visit, view and assess ditch 78 and the farmers that are benefited thereby in the town of Lowell.

Representative and Mrs. Steenerson of Crookston left Washington today for French Lick Springs, Ind., where they will spend ten days before returning to Minnesota. Mrs. Steenerson is not well, and the Indiana stop is to be made on the advice of physicians.

Saturday Mr. Steenerson had a visit with the supervising architect of the treasury department regarding the Crookston public building. It developed during the visit that it will not be possible to proceed under the old plans for the old advertisement, but that advertising for bids must be made again. This will be done, beginning about July 1, and it is planned to open bids and award the contract about Aug. 5, which will enable the work of construction to be taken up this year.

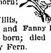
This morning shortly before six o'clock a Great Northern west bound freight train was wrecked just east of McIntosh and 10 cars of rails scattered in all directions. The track was torn up for twelve rail lengths and the main line blocked for about ten hours. A wrecking train was at once ordered out and Greenbush coaches were also ordered to the scene and the passengers and important baggage and mail transferred around the wreck, the passengers reaching here about 9 o'clock.

Saturday afternoon the passengers on the St. Vincent train south bound, were treated to a novel sight just north of Shirley. Two magnificent specimens of moose were lying down and the engine crew saw them leap to their feet and head for the west as the train approached. They ran like the wind for about 80 rods and then turned around and faced the train, watching it as long as they could be seen by the passengers.

In the early days deer were commonly seen headed west for the Red river and occasionally a moose was seen, but of late years a moose is very rarely seen on the prairies.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

June 9 In History.



1792—John Howard Payne, dramatist and author of "Home, Sweet Home," born; died 1852.
1811—Sara Payson Willis, later Eldridge and Fanny Fern, finally Parton, born; died 1872; known as Fanny Fern.
1870—Charles Dickens, novelist, died; born 1812.
1901—Edward Moran, noted painter of marine and landscape scenes, died in New York city; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:26, rises 4:24; moon sets 2:05 a. m.; moon's age 11 days; 9 p. m., all Jupiter's four satellites seen closely grouped about the planet; planet Mercury seen in west after sunset.

MOVES TO CROOKSTON—Henry Berneg moved his family to this city yesterday from Euclid and expects to make Crookston his future home.

REMOVED TO HER HOME—Mrs. Will Olds has been removed from St. Vincent Hospital to her home and is recovering nicely.

BACK TO THE WEST—Oscar Buhn who has been visiting J. O. Buhn for about a month left last evening for Bellingham, Washington where he now lives. Oscar Buhn used to be an old resident of the city.

You Should Know This

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more—Sold by all druggists.

WILL RUSTICATE—George Henry who has been attending school at Grand Forks was in the city yesterday enroute to Angus where he will spend some time with his sister, Mrs. A. T. Campion and get on to all the latest wrinkles in the farming line.

RECEIVED GOOD OFFER— Alex Collins has left for Grand Forks where he has received a good offer to pitch this summer. He may remain there and may go farther west and play with some of the independent leagues in the western part of North Dakota.

FIRST YEAR'S WORK—John W. Stuhr passed thru the city this morning enroute to his home at Euclid after conducting his first year's work at Macalester college. He will take a two years' preparatory course there and then take the medical course in the University of Minnesota. He is well pleased with his first year's work.

AFTER NEW SETTLERS — Geo. Welch has left for Southern Iowa where he will secure a number of land seekers who are interested in Red River land and who will without doubt decide to locate in this section or at least make some purchase in this section.

PLEASED WITH MAPLE LAKE—Atty. Chas. M. Cooley, of the law firm of Bangs, Vooley and Hamilton of Grand Forks passed thru the city last evening enroute home from Maple Lake where he enjoyed a few days outing. He is very much pleased with Maple Lake but not overly pleased with the antics of the weather.

HAS FINE CLAIM—Joe Cunningham now with Franklins on the East Side was in the city Sunday visiting friends in the city. He will depart soon for Williston where he will prove up on a creckerjack claim he has there. He will return to the Forks later where he will resume his position with Franklin.

WORKS WILL RAISE SHEEP — Senator S. D. Works of Mankato intends to go into the sheep raising business in Polk county and with that end in view is shipping sheep to Crookston to be pastured on land which he owns near this city. One hundred and fifty sheep were shipped to Bemidji Saturday and were kept there over Sunday, to be shipped here for Mr. Works. Senator Works believes that sheep raising can be handled very profitably in northern Minnesota and he will engage in that industry quite extensively.

WILL RESIDE IN CROOKSTON — Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gilbertson left an Wednesday afternoon for Chicago, where Mrs. Gilbertson will make an extended visit with her sister and friends while Mr. Gilbertson transacts business with the large wholesale house there for which he has been on the road for several years past. They will then, upon the return of Mrs. Gilbertson take up their residence in Crookston where it will be more convenient for Mr. Gilbertson on account of the fact that the territory which he covers is in North Dakota and up to this time it has been impossible for him to be at home except "semi occasionally." During their years of residence in Fosston, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbertson have made many friends here and while best wishes accompany them to their new home, their leaving is regretted. Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbertson were given a surprise by a large company of friends and presnted with a handsome set of knives and forks in token of their regard.—Fosston 13 Towns.

Frank Arries, residing at 713 North Broadway had a narrow escape last evening while cutting wood in his back yard. He was busy splitting several chunks for the kitchen fire when the ax caught on a clothes line over his head the heavy head of the ax fell off and down cutting a large gash in his head. The sharp edge missed his neck by but a few inches. He is now doing well.

To be so badly injured by frozen earth on the 9th day of June as to make confinement in the hospital necessary is somewhat out of the ordinary, but this is what happened to Pat Hughes who is employed by the Northern Pressed Brick Co., and he is now in St. Vincents hospital where Dr. Hodgson pryed his nose back into shape and he is resting as well as could be expected. He was digging in the clay pit close to the bank and shovelling the dirt in the small cars.

Without warning the bank caved in and a huge chunk of the frozen earth struck Hughes in the face smashing his nose flat and knocking him almost senseless to the ground.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

June 10 In History.

1672—Peter the Great of Russia born; died 1725.
1801—The United States entered on a war with Tripoli; Tripoli instituted the war on May 10, 1801, by cutting down the flagstaff of the American consulate.
1898—Colonel R. W. Huntington landed a force of 600 United States marines at Guantanamo bay and hoisted the stars and stripes on Cuban soil.
1901—Walter Besant, noted English novelist, died; born 1836.
1906—Mary Putnam Jacobi, noted woman physician, died in New York; born 1842.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:26, rises 4:24; moon sets 2:33 a. m.; moon's age 12 days; sun's declination 23 degrees north of celestial equator; planet Mercury visible in west after sunset; 9:24 p. m., moon at greatest libration east; 11 p. m., planets Mercury and Neptune in conjunction.

REMODELING HOUSE—Dr. J. S. Chapin is remodeling his house at Euclid and is putting a stone foundation under the main part of the building.

VONDERBECK ON FARM—Capt. Vonderbeck of the city police spent the day yesterday on his half section of land near Euclid. He has planted wheat, oats and barley on the farm and they are all cropping well. The captain returned home last evening.

RIEDESEL TO PEORIA—Carl Riedesel departed this afternoon on the Northern Pacific for St. Paul and Peoria, Illinois where he will attend the grand encampment of the Modern Woodmen of America.

RETURNS FROM IDAHO—County Auditor N. A. Hoffard returned home this morning from Twin Falls, Idaho and other points in the west. He reports a very enjoyable voyage but is glad to reach terra firma again in the Red River Valley.

BACK FROM THE WEST—Messrs Clarence Nelson and Howard Shelby have returned from Armington, Montana, from where the Great Northern is constructing an extension to the telegraph line of 196 miles. They state that the water is something frightful out west and both return in disgust.

MURDER TRIAL ON—There was little doing in District court today, no criminal business at all. There will be an evening session of court at the Lyceum tonight, however, at which Caleb Powers will be tried for the murder of Judge Goebel. Greatest tragedy in the history of Kentucky.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT— Warrants were issued yesterday for Mrs Lena Boreen Nellie Rogers, Marvin Benner and Thos. McCarty at East Grand Grand Forks on the charge of disorderly conduct, the charge being preferred by Officer Murphy who found the quartette carousing at an early hour yesterday morning in a saloon.

When a girl wants a man to kiss her she doesn't want him to think she does.

"LOOKS LIKE HAIL" SAYS THE 1908 WEATHER PROPHET

This year if you are not

Hailed Out

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DRUGGIST ARRESTED

WARREN MAN CHARGED WITH TAKING LIBERTIES WITH LITTLE GIRLS

Warren, Minn., June 8 — Edgar F. Whitney a prominent druggist of this city, was arrested late this afternoon and bound over to the grand jury, charged with taking indecent liberties upon the persons of two young girls 11 years of age. It is understood that besides the two cases with which he is charged there are three other cases against him, the offense occurring within the last two weeks, all of which are upon girls under 14 years of age, some belonging to prominent families of this place.

JURY COURT IN SESSION

CROOKSTON WATERWORKS CASE DISMISSED—ZARRACHER AND HERRICK BAILIFFS

From Monday's Daily—

The petit jurymen for district court this session met at the court house this morning and were sworn in. F. L. Zarracher and Michael Herrick were chosen bailiffs of the jury during their session. Paul Nelson, Joseph Kresl, Hans Melbe and Oscar Wick were not present. Erick O. Stortroen was excused by the court on account of poor health.

The only case before the court this morning was that of the C. W. W. P. & L. Co., vs. John Waterstrat was dismissed for lack of prosecution.

The criminal cases of Robert Johnson and Carl Schuler, Geo. Cannon attorney, was brought before the court this afternoon. The boys are only seventeen years old and stand charged with breaking into Smith's pool room here last March.

Probate Court Notes

Hearing on appointment of administrator was had before Judge Morken of the probate court this morning in the estate of Gertrude Peterson.

The estate of Andreas Gustum who died in the town of Garden April 25th last was submitted to probate this morning. The estate consists of $3198 in cash. Ole A. Gustum, son, and Alfred Gunderson, daughters son, are the only heirs.

Petition for probate of will was filed in the probate court this morning in the estate of Andreas Granberg who died in Vineland town March 15 last, worth $7200.

E. A. Dunham sentenced to 3½ years at Stillwater for forgery will be taken to the penitentiary this evening by officials of the sheriff's office. His erratic career will then be brought to an end.

Ole Hatelie the Fosston blacksmith represented in court by Attorney J. A. Hendricks of Fosston, sues Ole C. Johnson for board, washing and storage bill. A jury was secured this morning and Hatelie went on the stand as a witness.

August Anderson was excused from jury service this morning on account of illness in his family. The court will proceed this afternoon, after the disposal of the Hatelie case to hear the suit brought by H. A. Benson against E. Gunelius and John Hoiden on old machine notes. W. E. Rowe is attorney for Benson and J. A. Hendricks and Oscar Stenvick represent the defendants.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

CAUGHT IN THE FLOODS

BANG, HOFFARD AND PETERSON RETURN FROM TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

TRAVEL FOR A WEEK THRU MONTANA FLOODS TO GET BACK

From Wednesday's Daily—

Gilbert Bang, County Auditor N. A. Hoffard and W. F. Peterson returned this morning after spending one week on the way here from Twin Falls Idaho where they have been attending the land opening of the government.

The party left here two weeks ago and Messrs. Hoffard filed on two forties, one of which was secured for Ole Christianson by power of attorney. Messrs. Bang and Peterson were not satisfied with the land and did not take any.

They left Twin Falls a week ago and have been worrying all the way home on account of floods in Montana.

SLY JOURNEYS ARE EXPLAINED

For some time past Attorney Geo. J. Cannon has been making trips up the north line and to Greenbush. He has been evasive in his answers to questions but when asked point blank this morning he admitted that he was working in the interests of J. E. Raymond who with J. E. Nolan is confined in the Warren jail charged with the robbery of the Stephen bank a short time ago. If Raymond is indicted by the grand jury which meets July 22 he will defend him. Beyond admitting this he refused to talk of the case.

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Many a man who knows his place is unable to keep it.

PEDESTAL FOR STATUE

FRANK HAMEL RETURNS FROM LAYING PEDESTAL AT FARGO

FOR STATUE OF HENRIK WERGELAND PRESENT BY NORWAY KING

From Wednesday's Daily—

Manager Frank R. Hamel of the Northwestern Marble Works returned this morning from Fargo where he has been for the past three days supervising the laying of a pedestal for the bronze statue of Henrik Wergeland the great patriot and poet of Norway, presented by King Haakon of Norway to the Norwegians of the United States.

Notwithstanding that many cities competed in the bids for the contract to lay the immense pedestal the Crookston firm secured it. The blocks were made up here and shipped to the North Dakota metropolis. The pedestal exactly matches the bronze statue and unbiased comment at Fargo speaks of the rapidity and excellence with which the pedestal was mounted and the matchless beauty of its appearance.

DIED AT EPPING NORTH DAKOTA

MELLEN OF McINTOSH GOES TO SECURE CARL KNUTSON'S BODY

Ben Mellen of McIntosh passed thru the city last evening on his way to Epping, N. D., where he will secure the dead body of Carl Knutson who died yesterday after a long illness. He was 26 years of age. Deceased lived in McIntosh community for a number of years and is the cousin of Theodore Thompson of the register of deed's office.

Often a man's wife is his only visible means of support.

REPUBLICAN CO. CONVENTION CALL

A Republican County Convention for the County of Polk is hereby called to be held on Thursday June 25th, in the city of Crookston, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing 17 delegates to the State Convention to be held in St. Paul on the first day of July at eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating the following state officers: Governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general and two members of the railroad and warehouse commission and transact such other business as may properly come before the county convention.

The Primaries shall be held in the different precincts on Monday June 22nd between seven and eight o'clock p. m.

All republican electors of Polk County or other electors without regard to past political affiliation, who believe in the principles of the republican party, are cordially invited to unite under this call in the selection of delegates to said County Convention.

The basis of representation in said County Convention shall be one delegate for every 50 votes or the major fraction thereof cast for the republican candidate for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor, treasurer and attorney general, at the last general election of 1906, and one delegate at large. No precinct to be represented by less than two delegates.

Andover	2
Angus	2
Brandt	2
Beltrami Village	2
Badger	2
Brandsvold	2
Belgium	2
Brislet	2
Bygland	2
Crookston	2
City of Crookston—	
1st ward	2
2nd ward	2
3rd ward	2
4th ward	3
5th ward	2
6th ward	2
7th ward	2
8th ward	2
Climax Village	2
Columbia	2
Chester	2
City of East Grand Forks—	
1st ward	2
2nd ward	2
3rd ward	2
4th ward	2
Euclid	2
Eden	2
Esther	2
Erskine Village	2
Fairfax	2
Farley	2
Fanny	2
Town and Village of Fisher	2
Fosston Village	3
Fertile Village	2
Grand Forks	2
Garfield	2
Garden	2
Gentilly	2
Grove Park	2
Godfrey	2
Gully	2
Hammond	2
Helgeland	2
Higdem	2
Hill River	2
Huntsville	2
Hubbard	2
Johnson	2
Keystone	2
Kertsonville	2
King	2
Knute	2
Liberty	2
Lessor	2
Lowell	2
Lengby Village	2
Mentor Village	2
McIntosh Village	2
Nesbit	2
Northland	2
Onstad	2
Parnell	2
Queen	2
Reis	2
Roome	2
Rosebud	2
Russia	2
Rhinehart	2
Sandsville	2
Scandia	2
S'etten	2
Sullivan	2
Tabor	2
Tilden	2
Tynsid	2
Vineland	2
Winger	2
Woodside	2

Dated May 22, 1908.

By order of the Republican County Central Committee.

J. C. SATHRE,
Chairman.
H. L. FALK,
Sec. pro tem.

ALLEGED FIRE BUG IS UNDER ARREST

ANTON NELSON WHO IS CHARGED WITH SETTING FIRE TO FOXHOLM SALOON NABBED AT FERGUS FALLS AND TAKEN TO BRECKENRIDGE—SAYS HE CAN PROVE AN ALIBI AND WILL SUMMON THREE WITNESSES TO PROVE HE WAS IN FERGUS WHEN THE FIRE OCCURRED

Anton Nelson who was arrested in Fergus Falls Wednesday on charge of setting fire to the Zuehlsdorf saloon building in Foxhome was taken to Breckenridge by Chief Burton on the afternoon train. The building is understood to have been insured for $1,800. Mr. Nelson claims he can prove an alibi and gave Mr. Burton the names of three witnesses who could testify that he was in Fergus Falls at 9 o'clock on the evening of the fire requesting him to ask them to attend his hearing. The Foxhome Hustler gives the particulars of the fire as follows:

'About 2 o'clock yesterday morning the Zuehlsdorf building in which the saloon has been was seen to be afire but the boys got ont promptly when the alarm was sounded and soon had the fire under control. The damage will amount to about $200. There are a number of suspicious looking things about the affair. There was no one in the building at the time the fire was discovered but it was learned just after the fire was extinguished that someone was seen to leave the barn back of the building with a horse and buggy at about the time the fire alarm was sounded. A search was made and tracks in the soft mud showed that a horse hitched to a buggy had been driven in from the east and then driven back along the railroad track toward Fergus Falls. The chief of police at Fergus was notified and several men took the handcar and went to French, but did not overtake anyone. A search was made of the house and it was found that in the garret over the kitchen a pile of rags had been saturated with kerosene and set on fire. Another pile of saturated rags were found in the garret upstairs but they had not been set on fire. The principal fire was in a partition in about the center of the house where it is supposed a lot of rags were piled and saturated with kerosene. Several quart bottles of kerosene were found in different places about the building. The plans were well laid to burn the building and had the fire not been discovered just when it was they probably would have been carried out."

GRAND SPORT AHEAD FOR TRUE SPORTSMEN

The prospects for the hunting of big game in the Northwest was never brighter than at present. Minnesota which almost was the extermination of deer and caribou, on account of the reckless methods of hunters, has been invaded by several herds of these animals who are trekking into the forest districts of the north from Canada. Owing to the provisions of the new game laws, which are being stringently enforced these herds will be given immunity from molestation, so that in a few years time Minnesota will be once more the home of the deer and the caribou.

The same desire which prevails in Minnesota for the protection of wild animals also has spread to Montana. In view of the fact that the range districts are being rapidly settled up in that state arrangements are being made to secure preserves for hunters. This news will be gladly received by all lovers of the chase. In this direction the Western Montana Sportmen's club of which there are many ardent supporters in Minnesota are doing a great work.

The work will no doubt be distasteful to the class of people who think that they have a right to hunt how they like, where they like, and when they like. But if animals for the chase are to be preserved, they will have to be located and protected. Game laws, and game regulations are peculiarly distasteful to the Anglo-Saxon mind. They were imposed on England by William the Conqueror who preserved the deer and other animals of the chase in royal domains and made hunting of them without license a capital offence. These laws are abhorrent in England today, but the fact remains that, without them, there would not be a bird flying in the air or any animal running on the ground that affords a pretext for sport in the United Kingdom.

The sale and removal to Canada of the Publo-Allard herd of bison was greatly regretted in the Northwest and the efforts to turn the Flathead reservation into a range and restock it with these aimals is being pushed to the front, but, from the latest information the whole scheme is likely to fall thru unless the government is willing to secure and fence the land. It is not generally known that a herd of the aboriginal cattle of the British Isles is still carefully preserved in an absolutely wild state. They are an object of curiosity to all lovers of wild animals and experiments have recently been made in crossing them with the American bison. The results have not been known.

HAS BATS IN HIS CUPOLA

Fred Bichler was garnered in this morning by the police in a beastly state of the morning after. The gentleman is a transient and has been doing the heavy stunt with liquid refreshments with results to his undoing. He has ordered the Militia several times at the top of his voice to protect him.

SALE COMPLETED FOR FINE PROPERTY

John Helm has completed the sale of the Kiewel residence property corner 6th and Pine streets, selling the residence and 75 feet frontage to S. P. Swedburgh for spot cash, retaining the other 75 feet himself. Mr. Helm will load a car with goods etc., on Monday next and leave for Sleeman near Rainy River where he will make his future home.

YOUNG PHEASANTS IN NORTH DAKOTA

W. H. Williams the taxidermist, sent to Oregon for a sitting of fifteen Chinese Pheasants' eggs. He got them from a man who makes a business of raising these birds, and the fifteen eggs were laid on the same day. Mr. Provost has a quiet steady old hen which will set on anything from door knobs to marbles if her attention is properly attracted. She took kindly to the small pheasant eggs and for twenty-four days covered them diligently and carefully. On Sunday morning, May 31 she again resumed her place in society, followed by 12 pretty little pheasants. They are as handsome as a joy hat in a millinery store window and as active as a house fly with the sugar bowl uncovered.—Walsh County Record.

About 500 eggs will be set in Polk County this summer and hens are already covering some of them.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

SAYS SLEEP IS A HABIT

EDISON CONDUCTS TEST LIMITING MEN TO FOUR HOURS SLUMBER

NOTED INVENTOR SAYS HIS EXPERIMENTS PROVE THIS TO BE A FACT

After all, sleep is only a habit, there is nothing to prove that men really need it," Thomas A. Edison said a few days ago in New York. "Men first learned to sleep because when darkness came they had nothing else to do. Thru the ages their descendants, doing likewise, made sleep a custom—a matter of course. But if men had always lived in a land of perpetual light and sunshine, I don't suppose we would sleep at all."

The inventor backed up the idea by telling of a practical test. It was not his own ability to live with little sleep As is well known, Mr. Edison limits himself to four or five hours' sleep in the twenty-four. Nor was it the case of his wife, which he mentioned incidentally. Mrs. Edison, he said, sleeps only five hours in a night, and the habit seems to agree with her. The test he described involved nearly one hundred men of average physique in the laboratory.

"The test was made," Mr. Edison said, "while I was experimenting with my assistants at Menlo Park. I limited each man to four hours' sleep in the twenty-four. They kept it up for two years. It did not seem to hurt them."

"Were they aided by special diet or treatment to make up for the loss of sleep?" was asked.

'No, except there were four meals a day, instead of three. We had breakfast dinner and supper in the daytime, as usual, and an extra supper at midnight. There was nothing peculiar about the food. The meal consisted of the meats, vegetables, bread and the rest that ordinary people eat."

CARIBOU HEAD FOR LAKES

GAME WARDENS ARE INSTRUCTED TO GUARD LARGE MIGRATING DROVES

INDIANS WERE DISPOSED TO SLAUGHTER THE INCOMING GAME

The local game wardens of the counties drained by the streams running into the Red Lakes and into the Rainy river have received instructions to guard carefully the large droves of caribou that are moving southeast across the Roseau river in Northern Minnesota and are, apparently, heading for the heavy woods lying around the lakes named above.

Red Lake Indians learned of this movement in the early summer or spring and at once began their usual tactics of indiscriminate slaughter. when the wardens put a stop to it, but not until they succeeded in cleaning out three droves. The caribou are not alarmed at the presence of settler's shacks that they have come across in their travels, and they have a definite route that nothing will cause them to deviate from. If they can be protected from the poachers and Indians for a few years as well as the moose have been they soon will again fill their old haunts. At one time not long ago they were as common in the wilds of Northern Minnesota as are the deer now. This was their habitat and exclusive feeding ground.

Friendship may have the true ring but the ring of courtship is more expensive.

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

GRAND JURY ADJOURNS

RETURNS A BATCH OF INDICTMENTS AND CONCLUDES ITS LABORS

REPORTS SOME MUCH NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS AT COUNTY JAIL

From Thursday's Daily—

The grand jury returned eight indictments this morning and adjourned this afternoon. Four were on counts against E. A. Dunham, charged with uttering forged instruments. One each against William Webber, Carl Schuler and Robert Johnson, James Murphy and Albert Johnson.

At the time of making their report on these indictments the grand jury confronted Judge Watts with a fire of hypothetical questions on which the jurymen had been divided, foreman J. W. Wheeler being the spokesman.

The grand jury posed in the grand jury room yesterday and today while Louis Gonyea, Jr., took their picture.

Grand Jury Reports

Before being officially discharged by Judge Watts, who thanked them for their service, the grand jury submitted the official report signed by J. W. Wheeler foreman, and J. E. O'Brien clerk.

The report resites that all matters brought before the jury had been disposed of, and the court house, jail and public grounds had been visited and found neat, tidy and in good condition with the following exceptions:

The roof of the jail residence leaks and should be repaired at once. The jail bathtubs are unsanitary and should be replaced immediately. Each cell in the jail should be provided with a separate toilet in order that the present unsanitary conditions may be over come.

The accommodations for female and boy prisoners are inadequate and provision should be made to correct this condition forthwith with the end in view that female prisoners be kept apart from jailor's quarters and boys apart from men prisoners.

Eight parties appeared before Judge Watts in the district court room this morning at eleven o'clock and all pled "not guilty" to the indictments except E. A. Dunham who entered no plea.

Those pleading not guilty are Carl Schuler, Robert Johnson, Albert Johnson, William Murphy and William Webber.

W. P. Murphy was appointed attorney for Dunham and E. D. Clough for Albert Johnson by Judge Watts.

No definite action was taken in any cases today to a late hour.

AL KITTSON'S BODY FOUND

MISSING MAN WAS DROWNED WITH NORTH HIS COMPANION

BODY POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED AS SON OF COMMODORE KITTSON

From Thursday's Daily—

Cass Lake, Minn., June 4—The body of Alex Kittson was found by an Indian near Star island late yesterday afternoon. Kittson and Joe North embarked on the lake five weeks ago and North's body was found three weeks later. Kittson had claimed to be a son of Commodore Kittson, but the relationship is denied by the commodore's descendants. He had lived around here about twenty years. Sportsmen of the community, as a token of love for a friend, subscribed a sum of money to give him a proper burial. Kittson left an Indian wife.

A well known resident of Cass Lake who arrived here this morning viewed the body and said the dead man was the son of Commodore Kittson.

MAKING PLANS FOR NORMAN CO. FAIR SEPT. 16-17-18

At a meeting of the directors of the Norman County Fair association held last evening at Ada it was decided to hold the fair Sept. 16th, 17th and 18th Committees were appointed on arrangements, fixing grounds, etc.

STEENERSON WILL SPEAK TO THE OLD SETTLERS

Congressman Steenerson has accepted an invitation to speak at the meeting of the Old Settlers Association to be held at Heiberg June 27th and 28th. He has stated his preference for the first date and will deliver his address on that day. The committee in charge of the program is preparing an interesting program for both days.

IRON NEAR NIELSVILLE

ANALYSIS OF ORE FOUND IN ARTESIAN WELL BEING SUNK NEAR THAT PLACE

SHOWS THAT ORE OF HIGH GRADE IS LOCATED 240 FEET DOWN—SURFACE ORE

From Friday's Daily—

The people in the vicinity of Neilsville are greatly excited over the discovery of iron ore north of that place Hans Berg of Climax a well digger in sinking a shaft for an artesian well when down a distance of 240 feet he struck something his drill would not penetrate. After working vainly for a few days samples were taken from the end of the drill and onwarded to the North Dakota Agricultural College for analysis and it was pronounced a high grade of iron ore.

Parties from Fargo have secured options on some of the land very quietly and will begin the sinking of shafts at once in several localities in the hope of finding ore nearer the surface as it would cost a fortune to mine the ore at the depth it was found by Mr. Berg.

Mr. Berg was in Crookston yesterday and several parties from here will at once investigate and secure options on land in the vicinity of where the ore was struck.

FOLLOW UP VICTORY

ATTENTION TO NET FISHING BY STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION

INTENDS TO WIPE OUT PRACTICE OF ILLEGAL FISH CATCHING

From Friday's Daily—

The recent victory obtained by the State Game and Fish commission is obtaining a favorite judgment wherein fish that were being shipped were seized, because they had been netted has caused considerable satisfaction to the commission; and Carlos Avery says of the case and the stand the commission will hereafter take:

'The outcome of this case is important for the reason that it will have a bearing upon the future policy of the commission," said Mr. Avery. "For years there has been illegal fishing thruout the northern part of the state largely by Indians who use nets, and sell their catch to local dealers. An average of a ton a day of fish has been shipped to Minneapolis.

"It is practically impossible to get at the trouble by arresting the fishermen and so we have adopted the course of seizing the fish. Of course we must be certain that the fish so seized were caught with nets.

"We propose to follow up this victory in the court, for if net fishing is not stopped the lakes will be depleted They cannot stand the drain to which they have been subjected."

GREAT WORK IS DONE BY SPLIT LOG DRAG

Sam Olson drove out to his farm in Hegne and Anthony Sunday and had occasion to view some work done by the split log drag. Anton Holm had been out with the drag and covered a three mile stretch of road and Chas. Blagey, who is on the Helland farm, had also done some work with the split log drag. In both plaaces the road was in excellent condition while the balance of the road was rough and badly cut up. The supervisor of every township should provide a number of these drags for the farmers. The split log is an efficient and easy method of working the road.—Norman County Herald.

Clams' Eggs.

The clam's eggs are carried by the mother on her gills. When there are fish in the water with them the mother clams discharge the eggs which soon hatch, but if there are no fish they carry the eggs until they decay. The reason of this strange behavior is this: When the eggs are set free in the water they soon hatch and the little ones swim about until they find some fish to which to attach themselves. They live for a time on the mucus of the fish and then drop off, sink to the bottom and form burrows for themselves. This curious semiparasitic life is no doubt a reversion to the habit of some ancient ancestor.

One Man's Wisdom.

Green—Who was it that said, "Let me make the songs of a nation and I care not who makes its laws?" Brown—I don't know the man's name, but he was a wise guy, all right. Green—Because why? Brown—Because it is possible to evade the laws, but one can't get away from the songs, especially when they become popular.—Chicago News.

Buy Hair at Auction?

At any rate, you seem to be getting rid of it on auction-sale principles: "going, going, g-o-n-e!" Stop the auction with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It certainly checks falling hair; no mistake about this. It acts as a regular medicine; makes the scalp healthy. Then you must have healthy hair, for it's nature's way.

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HE DID NOT HAVE $1000

WELL KNOWN RED LAKE COUNTY FARMER WAS A LITTLE SHORT

AS A RESULT HE IS NOW LIVING HAPPILY ON HIS FARM IN NORDEN

From Friday's Daily—

Halvord Strandvold a well known farmer living in the town of Norden Red Lake Falls is congratulating himself upon the fact that he did not have $1,000 in cash a short time ago. Halvord has long wanted a wife to share his joys and sorrows and seeing the advertisement of Mrs. Gunnes, the La Porte, Indiana, woman that murdered so many of her husbands, he commenced to correspond with her. A few love letters were exchanged and Mrs. Gunnes made the usual demand that he come to LaPorte and bring with his $1,000 in cash. Halvor did not have the cash, he had a good farm in the town of Norden worth much more than $1,000, but this would not do. At the time Halvor greatly regretted the fact that he did not have the $1,000 in cash, but since he has read of the number the LaPorte woman murdered he is glad that he did not have that amount.

SISTERS MEET AFTER 35 YEARS

Mrs. H. Millette is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Ludger Langlier of Montreal who will spend the next two months here. The two sisters had not meet for 35 years and the meeting was therefore a most pleasant one. Mrs. Langlier is Mrs. Millette's youngest sister.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

As a matter of fact the average man is in the small potato class.

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"When my son Walter was three weeks old, eczema appeared on his face. We did not know what it was so went to a doctor who treated him for three months. Then he was so bad that his face and head were nothing but one sore and his ears looked as if they were going to fall off, so we tried another doctor. He said he could cure him and we doctored there four months, the baby never getting any better. His hand and legs then had big sores on them and as for his sleeping, we could not think of it, the poor little fellow suffered so terribly. First I tied his hands to the crib to keep him from scratching, but when it got so bad I tied him in a shawl or he would scratch himself all bloody. When he was seven months old we tried a set of the Cuticura Remedies. The first application of Cuticura let him sleep and rest well, in one week the sores were gone but it stayed red and sometimes it would itch so we used Cuticura for two months, then he had a clear and white face. Now he is two years and seven months old and has never had eczema again. I hope this letter will help some who are suffering from skin disease. Every mother who has a baby suffering with skin disease should just try Cuticura; there is nothing better. Mrs. Louis Beck, R. F. D. 3, San Antonio, Tex., Apr. 15, '07."

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DESERTS WIFE WHO AIDED HIM

J. R. MOORE DISPLAYS LESS THAN ANIMAL APPRECIATION OF KINDNESS

MAN WHO WAS HELPED FROM TROUBLES FOR BEMIDJI FORGERIES AN INGRATE

From Friday's Daily—

John R. Moore freed from jail thru the efforts of his wife, is said to have shown his gratitude by deserting the little woman who secured his release. In district court at Minneapolis his wife, Edna Moore, has asked for a divorce.

John R. Moore was in the police toils in January, 1907. It was charged that he had fraudulently secured large sums of money. He was arrested in Minneapolis and taken to Bemidji, where he pleaded guilty to a criminal charge and was fined $1,000. His wife in Minneapolis raised the money and secured the release of her husband, but it is said that she never saw him after his release.

In her divorce complaint Mrs. Moore says she is 28 years old and Moore is 32.

Three Killed in Collision.

Joliet, Ill., June 6.—Three persons were killed and twenty seriously injured in a collision between a freight and an electric car last night at Big Slough, seven miles west of Joliet.

Runaway Fatal to Two.

Fairfield, Iowa, June 6.—Mrs. David Roth was killed and her husband and daughter were fatally injured in a runaway accident here last night.

FARM LOANS

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ADOPT A GREAT SLOGAN

"FOSSTON THE DAIRY CENTER" ADOPTED BY THRIVING EAST LINE CITY

TONS OF BUTTER ARE BEING SHIPPED THIS SUMMER—PASTURAGE FINE

From Saturday's Daily—

Fosston, a city on the Great Northern 50 miles east of Crookston, has adopted a slogan with more appropriateness than most of the northwestern cities. Secretary Brager of the Citizens League of that city announces "Fosston, the Dairy Center." No less than two car loads of butter have been shipped from that community of but little over one thousand inhabitants and more will be loaded during the next week.

One car loaded Monday contained 12,220 pounds or 2,220 over the ordinary carload. This is considered the largest single shipment ever made from a community of like size in the northwest. The city is the center of one of the richest dairying fields in the world.

Broad pasturages surround it on every side and the farmers have gone in strong for dairying. The creameries from which butter is received are those at Fosston, Olga, Weme, Meadows, Trail and Pine Lake. The car shipped Monday goes straight thru to New York City by way of St. Paul.

Origin of Ascot Races.

When did Ascot races begin? They are mentioned in the first "Racing Calendar," published in 1727, and the usual statement is that they were founded by the Duke of Cumberland, uncle of George III. But an entry in the accounts of the master of the horse in 1712 suggests that they were founded by Queen Anne on Aug. 6, 1711. The truth, no doubt, is that Ascot races, like many other august institutions, gradually developed from a germ, so that it is difficult to say when they really began. At any rate, they were quite the sort of thing that enthusiast of the turf, Queen Anne, would have founded. She was a thorough Stuart in this passion. It was her great-grandfather, James I., who encouraged, if he did not establish, horse racing in Scotland and popularized it in England.—London Chronicle.

Keen Sense of Humor.

"There is nothing like a sense of humor," said a naval officer, according to the Philadelphia Bulletin. "In a woman, in a soldier, in a sailor, in a clerk, a sense of humor is a help and a blessing through life. At the same time even a sense of humor may exist in excess. I, for my part, shouldn't care to have so great a sense of humor as a British soldier I once heard about. This soldier was ordered to be flogged. During the flogging he laughed continually. The lash was laid on all the harder, but under the rain of blows the soldier laughed.

"'What are you laughing at?' the sergeant finally asked.

"'Why,' the soldier chuckled, 'I'm the wrong man.'"

The Perverse Golf Ball.

A collector of evidence on the subject maintains learnedly that the golf ball is the most perverse of human institutions. Here is a list of strange lies noted by a follower of the ancient game: In another player's pocket, where it had dropped after traveling 200 yards; in a cow's mouth; on the roof of a clubhouse; behind the glass protecting a painting hanging on a cottage wall; in a clump of daisies, which it so resembled that it was not found for an hour. When it fell in the cow's mouth the frightened animal galloped 276 yards nearer the hole and then restored the ball to its owner. He promptly claimed to have driven it 897 yards and the right to play it from where it lay.

KEY WEST

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart, Mrs. James Lee, Miss Pearl Morrison, Mr. J. Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Gunnes, Earl Capes and Wm. Grundahl were Grand Forks visitors Saturday.

Miss Maye Montgomery who has been visiting in Grand Forks returned home Monday.

The Sunday school of the Key West church will have exercises on Children's day June 14. Everybody invited.

Miss Goodwin is taking a rest from her duties at the millinery shop in the Ontario store in Grand Forks and visiting her parents at Key West.

Mrs. and Miss Perry Augustine took dinner at the Keystone farm Sunday.

Mrs. Beveridge and Mrs. Geddes drove to Grand Forks Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart entertained company from the Buffington farm Sunday.

Mrs. John Capes and little daughter Lorene spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. P. O. Augustine.

The telephone poles are ready in this vicinity for the stretching of the wire.

FOR STATE GOOD ROADS

GEORGE COOLEY OF MINNESOTA HIGHWAY COMMISSION PASSES THRU

SPEAKS ON BENEFIT OF GOOD ROADS TO THE FARMING COMMUNITIES

From Friday's Daily—

Engineer George Cooley of the Minnesota state highway commission was the guest of City Engineer Carroll night before last while enroute to Minneapolis after a visit to Larimore, N. D., on business connected with the organization of a North Dakota state good roads association at that point. Mr. Coley believes coming five years will experience greatest highway development this country has ever seen.

One of the most interesting speakers of the day says the Grand Forks Herald, was George W. Cooley secretary of the Highway Commission of St. Paul, Minn., a man who has made a study of the road and drainage question for many years and who gave forth much valuable information on the subject. It is with regret his full speech cannot be given. Mr. Cooley's idea is that at present there is something more important than the engineering of roads, and that is the establishment of a system whereby good roads can be built economically, with an idea of permanence and this can only be done by legislation and organization.

Increased Price of Products

He compared the western system with that of some of the older states and showed what they had accomplished with legislation and their good road organizations. The great benefit to the farmer, in the increased price for his produce, was also emphasized, how by having good roads he could market it at will, when the price suited him best. The great trouble he believed in the west, was that the farmer alone could not afford to built good roads and that the matter thru proper legislation must be brought under the contral of the government. He believed education on the subject was doing a great deal and the people are coming to realize more and more the great importance of good roads from many different standpoints. He dwelt then on what constituted good roads and said the essentials were drainage and foundation.

Mr. Cooley believes we are too prone to lag behind and follow in the footsteps of our forefathers or to follow as he expressed it with the reading of a short piece of poetry, "In the Path the Calf had Made."

Didn't Belong to Colorado.

In the early days of Leadville there was a singular character living by the name of Major Martin McGinnis. The major was the important man of the camp, and when any distinguished parties came to the city they were received by Major Martin McGinnis and presented with the freedom of the camp on a gold plate. The French government sent three mining engineers over to examine and to report upon the mineral deposits of this locality. They were received by Major Martin McGinnis, who put them in carriages and took them around the camp. As they were going up California gulch the Frenchmen suddenly jumped out of the carriage and commenced to hammer and chisel upon a large black bowlder that lay alongside the road. The major watched them gesticulating to one another, and he finally said to the interpreter: "What do they mean? What are they talking about?" The interpreter said, "They say that rock don't belong here." The major said: "The deuce it don't! You say to those foreigners that I won't stand for them coming over here and running down our country. Tell them that they can find anything anywhere in Colorado."

The Frenchmen were right, however, for this black rock was a meteor and had fallen from the skies.—Leadville Herald-Democrat.

Reason Enough.

"I am going to quit my place," said the man of all work.

"What's the matter?" asked the sympathetic friend. "Don't you like the brand of cigars the boss smokes?"

"Yes, but he keeps them locked."

Clear Waste.

"Why is Chester moping about so?"

"Disappointed in love."

"Thinks the girl he can't get is the only one in the world, I suppose?"

"No; it isn't that so much, but he spent $4 on her in ice cream sodas."

Ready to Please.

"When are you going to pay that bill?"

"Tomorrow."

"I am afraid tomorrow will never come."

"Then call around yesterday."

Couldn't Fill the Bill.

"Are you the man who advertised for a dog?"

"Yes."

"What kind of a dog did you want?"

"No use going into that. You wouldn't do."

GOOD HAUL OF JEWELRY

BURGLARS BREAK INTO THE M. H. CALL JEWELRY STORE AT FERGUS FALLS

LOSS IS ESTIMATED AT NEARLY FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS—A POSSIBLE CLUE

A daring and very successful burglary occurred in Fergus Falls Thursday evening, the M. H. Call jewelry store being entered and nearly $400 worth of jewelry stolen. The burglars gained entrance by prying open the storm door in the rear and smashing the glass panel of the door inside, and then reaching in and turning the key. Once inside, they lost no time in opening one of the show cases and seizing a tray of rings. Among these were some diamond rings, and the wholesale price of the tray must have been fully $200. They also gathered up five ladies' gold watches and eleven other watches.

They opened the safe, which was not locked and were evidently frightened out at about this time, as they did not make a very thorough investigation of its contents. There was nothing of value in sight but several diamonds and three or four gold watches were lying underneath some paper in one corner, and had they raised this, they could easily have found them. They failed to do so, and obtained nothing from the safe. The watches and rings taken are valued at about $400. There were a number of other valuable rings in the show case which they opened, but in their hurry they did not take them.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

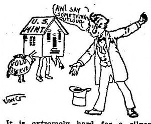
The man who comes a self confessed bearer of good news gets mad if you presume to use your own judgment as to whether his news is good.

Industry is the vice of energetic people.

Women try to conceal their ages, but men don't. They know it is hopeless.

When a man forgets his own name sometimes he isn't as absentminded as he would appear.

If self conscious, bashful or conceited people knew how little people really trouble about them it would probably make them so mad that they would be effectually cured.



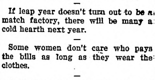
It is extremely hard for a silver tongued orator to be at all interested in golden silence.

There are a lot of ordinary people in the world. In fact, there is where most of them make the hit of their lives.

If leap year doesn't turn out to be a match factory, there will be many a cold hearth next year.

Some women don't care who pays the bills as long as they wear the clothes.

Anybody who is fond of us must of necessity possess a certain amount of taste and good judgment.


HEY! AIN'T YOU GOING TO STOP?

Actors are invariably superstitious. They all love to see the ghost walk.

If supporting husbands were fashionable the men would all have the time of their lives.

The man who makes you ridiculous scores twice by making you mad also.

By anticipating a thing you have a double dose of whatever emotion it evokes.

There are people who have a genius for getting into trouble and backing out.

Lots of people would gladly give back what they have stolen if they knew a safe way to do it.

Some people try hard to hide what they don't know, while others are equally anxious to conceal what they do know.

Progression.

"Do you see, Edith, that I have a new engagement ring?"

"Pardon me, Maud."

"What is it?"

"I see that you have another engagement ring."

What Stove for Summer?

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BOY CONFESSES TO HORRIBLE MURDER

James Flood, 16 Years Old, Tells of Killing A. P. Camden in Minneapolis Street.

WORK OF DISORDERED MIND

Youth Talks Happily of Putting to Death an Utter Stranger—Has Woman's Wardrobe.

Minneapolis, June 6. — Curtains of mystery have been pulled aside and in the flood of truth which illumines the strangely horrible case of James Flood, the boy murderer who shot and instantly killed A. P. Camden, a total stranger to the slayer, on Nicollet avenue at midnight Wednesday, a story is disclosed that possesses peculiar psychological interest.

By his own confession, confirmed by police officers, the lad now locked up in the Minneapolis' police headquarters is not James Montague, as he first said, but James Flood, whose relatives live in the vicinity of Austin, Minn. Flood, who is sixteen years old, was born at Dexter, Minn.

Through Sweating Process.

Yesterday Flood was put through a severe sweating process and late in the afternoon he gave out the first authentic information regarding himself and the crime.

That the boy murderer is deplorably weak mentally the police have no doubt, but whether his mind is sufficiently diseased to save him from the gallows is a question open to dispute. Through all the horror of his crime the youth passes his time pleasantly in his cell frequently commenting upon his own cleverness as a female impersonator and the beauty of the feminine garments which he had spread out in his room at the Hans hotel.

Had Woman's Wardrobe.

In this collecton of woman's raiment he had a dainty blue frock, white underskirt, straight front corset, open-work hose and low shoes. The cunning of his peculiar mentality had apparently told him that there would be safety in such a disguise. He was thwarted in attempting such an escape by being captured before he reached his room.

There is no motive, either real or imaginative, for the murder of Camden.

"I shot Camden because he came along just when I though there ought to be something doing," is all the explanation the boy would give. "I am not sorry that he is dead, for he had to die some time and the quicker the sooner. It didn't fease me to look upon his bloody face at the morgue. It's up to all of us to croak some time."

BRAVE STEAM TO ESCAPE.

Two Men Are Terribly Burned While Escaping From Boiler.

Spooner, Minn., June 5.—Two employes at the Rainy River Lumber company's sawmill at Rainy River, Ont., David Bell and Quimby, met with a serious accident while they were repairing an elbow of a steam pipe leading from the boiler to the mill. The elbow broke and the men's only escape was by passing through the steam pouring out at a great pressure. Both men were terribly scalded and are in a critical condition.

An ounce of acton is better than a pound of the tired feeling.

DREYFUS SHOT AT ZOLA CELEBRATION

Fanatic, Zealous for French Army, Wounds Hero During Ceremony at Pantheon.

IS ONLY SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Violence Follows Campaign by Newspapers Against Defender of Accused Soldier.

Paris, June 6. — The canonization yesterday of Emile Zola at the Pantheon was marred by a dastardly, though unsuccessful, attempt upon the life of Maj. Alfred Dreyfus. Paris was thrown into a state of panic, for it was at first thought that the president of the republic was wounded in the hand and his assailant is a prisoner.

The attempt upon the life of Maj. Dreyfus was made by Louis Anthene Gregori, a member of the staff of La France Militaire, a journal devoted to military progress and the military future of the republic. Maj. Dreyfus was present at the ceremonies to do final honor to the great leader of his cause.

Press Incited Violence.

Gregori's act undoubtedly was inspired by the campaign which the reactionary press has been conducting against Zola as an "insulter of the army" and "a traducer of his country."

The incident occurred at the foot of the catafaque directly in front of the tribune from which Mr. Doumergue, the minister of public institutions, delivered a eulogy on M. Zola's matchless courage in arousing the conscience of the nation to the necessity of doing justice to Dreyfus. As the last refrain of the orchestra's playing of the "Chant du Pepart" was floating away two sharp reports startled the assemblage.

For the instant every one believed that President Fallieres had been shot. A scene of indescribable confusion followed and many women present shrieked and fainted.

Assailant Struck Down.

The major's assailant was struck down. A fierce knot of soldiers and civilians were struggling over Maj. Dreyfus and his fallen assailant.

Maj. Dreyfus, accompanied by his brother Matthew, who was the first to strike the assailant after he fired, and Dr. Pozzi and several other friends, was led away to the mayor's office, opposite the Pantheon, where his wound was dressed. The doctors found that the bullet had entered his wrist.

BUSINESS MEN AND FARMERS TO HAVE WEEKLY HOLIDAY

A petition or agreement is in circulation for the closing of the business places for discontinuance of farm work on Saturday afternoons, during the summer months, the half holidays to be devoted to social events, such as picnics, political and other speeches ball games, etc. Some of the farmers are at the head of the movement and the business men appear to be willing to agree to it, if the farmers will. "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy applies to the grownups as well as the boys, and this idea would seem to be something along the right line.—Hendrum Review.

PAUL B. HAGEN KILLED BY TRAIN AT E.G. FORKS

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF EAST GRAND FORKS CRUSHED UNDER CAR WHEELS—LIVES LESS THAN THREE HOURS AFTER BOTH HIS LEGS ARE CRUSHED OFF—DECEASED HAD BEEN VISITING FRIENDS SOUTH OF THE GREAT NORTHERN DEPOT AND WAS ON HIS RETURN WHEN CAUGHT UNDER WHEELS — HE LEAVES WIFE AND FOUR CHILDREN — ONE OF SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS MEN OF EAST SIDE—A PROMINENT WESTERN POLK COUNTY REPUBLICAN

From Monday's Daily—

Paul Hagen a pioneer resident of East Grand Forks, was fatally injured Saturday night at 10:30 while seeking to cross under a Great Northern boxcar in the Grand Forks yards. The accident happened about straight south of the Great Northern passenger depot One of Mr. Hagen's legs was cut off close to the hip and the other at the knee. He was conscious and his cries for help attracted the attention of a passerby who notified a car repairer. Physicians were summoned and as soon as possible Mr. Hagen was removed to St. Michaels hospital where he died at 1 o'clock yesterday morning.

Mr. Hagen had been talking to a friend shortly after 10 o'clock and told him he was going over on the south side for a few minutes. He asked his friend to go over to Kittleson's and wait for him there. It was on his return from the south side that he was hurt.

Crushed by Wheels

There is no regular crossing at the point where Mr. Hagen was injured. He had gone around the end of two cars and found a string of cars in front of him. The switch engine was a long distance away and he evidently thought that there was no danger. He did not notice that by going two cars lengths there was a way clear for him to cross. Just as he was under the car the switch engine shunted cars against the one Mr. Hagen was going underneath. The car only moved about four feet and only the wheels of one truck passed over Mr. Hagen. When found he was able to tell about the accident.

Mr. Hagen was one of the successful business men of East Grand Forks Recently he let a contract for a fine two story brick block on DeMers avenue to replace the frame buildings burned in East Grand Forks several months ago. He leaves a wife and four children, two boys and two girls.

He was also prominent in Western Polk County politics and attended the last republican convention held in this city.

RINGLINGS GREAT AGGREGATION JUNE 29

AN ARMY OF NEARLY 2,000 PEOPLE A HERD OF 40 ELEPHANTS, 14 ACRES OF CANVAS AND A 108 CAGE ZOO WILL BE HERE ON THAT DATE—THE DAY WILL BE REGARDED AS A GENERAL HOLIDAY AND OLD AND YOUNG WILL FLOCK TO SEE GREATEST CIRCUS THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN

Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows are to exhibit in this city on Monday June 29. In all its entirety from the 1280 people employed, the wonderful herd of 40 elephants, the 14 acres of canvas, 108 cage zoo to the pink lemonade man, the circus will be transported to this city from Wadena in fire sections, requiring 85 double length cars.

The first brigade of "billers" made Crookston last week in one of the largest and most modernly equipped advertising cars ever constructed. The interior is handsomely finished in oak and has "all the comforts of a home." It contains the private office of the manager, a gentlemen's smoking compartment and the berths are so arranged that each person has practically a private section. It is from this car that the first billing matter is distributed and posted. Wagons loaded with paper and billposters, were dispatched into the country where, as press agent Charles A. White would say: "Every barn, fence and bill board within 40 miles will be clothed with posters which serve to elicit the mastadonic marvels in store for those who come to town on show day. The car went to Winnipeg Sunday afternoon on the N. P.

No Stake Driving

"The old time method of driving stakes with sledges has been eliminated owing to the enormous size of the tents employed by Ringling Brothers this season. The new invention is in the form of a driving machine which is mounted on a heavy wagon and operated by gasoline engines. Stake after stake is fed into the machine and driven deep and straight, doing away with the hard work of former days, also assuring rapid erection of a gigantic canvas city which could not be handled otherwise. This wonderful invention and the 'full plate' service of the 'Hotel Ringling' has been instrumental in causing working men to flock to the show for employment, while other shows were unable to secure help at any price.

The Circus Cook

"The cook tent is on important factor in the estimation of both performer and working man, and the 26,880 hungry mouths fed each week, crave every article served in hotels of standing; ice cream, cakes and delicacies of the season are always to be found on a Ringling menu. Figuring the meals served by this firm to their army of employees, in one season, the amount aggregates that of the President's salary for a period of over eight years. In one short season, the combined population of Minneapolis, Milwaukee and Cincinnati have figurative ly dined under the Ringling roof.

A Great Aggregation

"For this season's tour, Ringling Brothers have gathered together the flower of the acrobatic, aerial and equestrian world. Their exhibitions of strength and dexterity on the numerous stages, in the rings, upon the backs of mettlesome horses, and far up in the aerial enclave, 'midst a network of trapeze and horizontal bars, justly brings them the title of the physical marvels of two hemispheres.

"In the big new 108 cage zoo are many rare and odd creatures nowhere else to be seen. A family of full grown giraffes, the only rhinoceros in captivity; the almost extinct gnu or horned horse, and 40 elephants, the largest company ever shown under canvas and more than twice as many as are with any other show in America. The big menagerie tent is the largest ever made for a circus, and so big that an army of 5000 men could be easily maneuvered within its walls."

And the Tall Giraffe

Speaking of giraffes, the agent continued, "Why, the family of long necked beauties, which Ringling Brothers are exhibiting this season, represent an outlay of money sufficient to erect a brownstone mansion. These delicate animals are cared for like the children of royalty, and could not be bought at any price. They have special cars for traveling and live in wagons thickly padded with curled hair, backed by fine brass springs and covered with a rich and serviceable fabric. They are nervous and timid creatures and must be watched every minute by a trained keeper, who alone is allowed to feed them. Their food is prepared and steamed according to scientific rules. A giraffe has seldom been known to touch water. Codliver oil and milk are a part of their diet."

Railroad Bridge Wrecked.

Guthrie, Okla., June 9.—Two spans of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe bridge across the Canadian river at Purcell, Okla., went out last night and traffic between Oklahoma City and Texas has been suspended over that line.

Two Killed by Tornado.

Mauston, Wis., June 9.—A tornado struck the farm of John Dalton, a well-to-do farmer living about four miles south of Mauston, yesterday, demolishing his fine farm house and barns and killing Mr. Dalton and his twelve-year-old son Philip.

NEW LINE TO BOUNDARY

THIEF RIVER FALLS, BEAUDETTE AND OTHER TOWNS ARE INTERESTED

PLANNED TO CONSTRUCT AN AIR LINE TO CANADIAN BOUNDARY — INCORPORATE

Minnesota Air Line Railway company is the name of a company which filed articles of incorporation Saturday with Secretary of State Schmahl, with a capital of $500,000. The purpose of the company as expressed in the articles, is to build a railroad line from Thief River Falls to Roosevelt and ultimately to Zipple Bay, on the Lake of the Woods. It is rumored that the Soo road is back of the organization.

Soo May Be Promoting

Thief River Falls is a junction point on the Soo and the Great Northern lines in Red Lake county. It is located on that branch of the Great Northern which is headed in the direction of Warroad on the Lake of the Woods but has been completed only to Greenbush, and it is thought that the organization of this new company to run a line parallel to but some distance east of the Great Northern line may have the effect of hastening the completion of the Great Northern line to Warroad. The grading on this line has been completed to Warroad for several years, but the rails have not been laid and the residents of Warroad are anxiously awaiting the completion of the road.

The new line will run from Thief River Falls to Roosevelt which is on the Canadian Northern line running east from Winnipeg and through Warroad. The articles also state that the line will continue thru Roosevelt to Zipple bay on the Lake of the Woods and will be built "on an air line as near as practicable with such branch lines of railway as the company deems advisable."

New Port

The completion of the new line as contemplated will make a new port on the Lake of the Woods with connections at Roosevelt with the Canadian Northern and at Thief River Falls with the Soo for the Twin Cities. The principal place of transacting business will be at Thief River Falls until the board of directors decides to transfer it to Roosevelt. The charter is perpetual.

The officers of the new company are: William F. Hunt of Roosevelt, president; T. R. Hasler of Iowa Falls Iowa, vice president; E. E. Rambusch Roosevelt, secretary. The other incorporators are Homer B. Leavitt and L. R. Hedberg, Roosevelt, and Ralph H. Rockwood, Waterville, Me. The capital stock is $500,000 and this is also the limit of indebtedness which the company is authorized to contract.

ENTIRE OUTPUT SOLD IN SPOKANE

MANAGER WHIRRY OF CREAMERY DISPOSES OF PRODUCT AT A BIG PRICE

Manager F. S. Whirry of the Crookston creamery has just contracted with a firm in Spokane for the entire output of the local creamery during the coming year at New York prices with the entire output to be classed as "Extras".

This is a recognition out of the ordinary and is but another instance in which the importance of the creamery industry in northern Minnesota. The amount of the butter produced in this section and sold locally is insignificant Two years ago practically all the creamery butter made was absorbed here, but now there are a large number of creameries which are contracting their entire output in the large centers and make no effort to sell locally. In some instances they get a premium over the New York market and that, in effect is the deal closed by Manager Whirry.

BACK FROM BIG MISSION MEET

The string orchestra of the Swedish Mission church of Crookston returned last evening from Kennedy, Minn., north of here where they have been attending a big mission meeting since last Friday. The members of the party were Mrs. Braff, Mr. and Mrs. Engstrom, Rev. and Mrs. Moberg, Misses Ella and Annie Nyvall, Augusta Turnquist, Ethel Peterson, Shogren and Niama Dahlquist. They report a very active meeting of the mission workers at the north line city.

Little drops of water make big dollars for the umbrella man.

MOSQUITOES NUMEROUS

PRERDICTED THEY WILL BE UNUSUALLY ACTIVE THIS SEASON

DUE TO HEAVY RAINS—WOODTICKS ARE OUT IN FORCE

Mosquitoes will be exceptionally numerous this year in Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin, say the vacation experts.

The usually rainy weather of the last three or four weeks has filled all the swamps and holes in the low stretches of land with the stagnant water that is necessary for the growth of the larvae. As it takes only six days for a mosquito to hatch out, it may be easily seen how rapidly the little pests are multiplying. It is a little early in the season for mosquitoes in the immediate vicinity of Crookston but as the weather grows warmer they are beginning to appear in large numbers.

All this means a disagreeable time of it for the summer campers, unless they seek the sandy regions where the water sinks into the ground as soon as it falls. But if they go there they will be pursued by woodticks. These pernicious little pests are already out after their prey in several of the resorts which are popular. Perhaps pernicious is pretty strong to use in connection with the name of woodtick, but those who have had experience with the things search about in their minds for the strongest expressions at their command in speak of them.

Early campers say that they never before saw woodticks so numerous as they are this summer. They are found greatest numbers in a sandy scrub oak country. People who returned to the city Sunday night and Monday from a few days spent at some of the popular resorts within easy distance of Crookston have been picking off woodticks ever since.

One particularly attractive girl has the record of seven ticks in two days since getting back to town. Woodticks are not found in the immediate vicinity of the lake. The season for them will be over within three or four weeks for they seem to be shorter lived than the mosquitoes which generally manage to stick on te job until very late in the summer.

THREE INCHES OF RAIN AT FERGUS

The heavy rains of the past few weeks seemed to culminate in two terrific downpours Saturday night and Sunday evening. Saturday's storm broke over the city about 8 o'clock in the evening following a close hot day. The rain continued at intervals until nearly midnight and the precipitation was 1.59 inches.

Sunday was another close day and it was evident that a further downpour was necessary to clear the atmosphere. The clouds obscured the sun during the greater part of the day and toward evening the storm gathered and swept down from the north. The fall yas not quite as heavy as that of the previous evening, being 1.26 inches. This makes the total rain fall Saturday and Sunday evenings 2.85—or very nearly three inches. The total for May was 6.08 inches making a fall of 10.67 for the past five weeks. It seems that the weather man is now making up for the long drouth of last fall and the early spring. — Fergus Falls Journal.

DETROIT HOTEL HAS ITS LICENSE REVOKED

The liquor license of the Hotel Minnesota at Detroit has finally been revoked. Charges of law violations were filed during the winter but the district court restrained the council from revoking, and a long delay followed. The restraining order has finally been dissolved and the license is revoked by a vote of six to one. The hotel was run by a stock company of the leading business men and capitalists of Detroit. Chief of Police Edward Larsen brought the matter before the council and the company was cited to appear and show cause why its license should not be canceled and revoked. The case was bitterly contested on both sides and the council revoked the license at the conclusion of the testimony and argument by counsel. The hotel company will again bring the matter before the district court on a writ of certiorari.

There would be less trouble if nobody ever gave anybody advice.

Do people who kill time expect the dead past to bury the dead?

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

SATURDAY'S CLOUDBURST COST A HUMAN LIFE

P. E. SOLOMONSON A VETERINARY OF TWIN VALLEY DROWNED SUNDAY AFTERNOON IN RAGING CREEK IN STRAND TOWNSHIP, EAST OF GARY AND NORTH O FHEIBERG — TIED ROPE ABOUT BODY AND FASTENED OTHER END TO TREE TO RESCUE PROPERTY AND WAS DRAWN UNDER BY THE SWIFT CURRENT—CROPS WASHED OUT IN MANY PLACES ABOUT TWIN VALLEY

The veritable cloudburst which occurred in the vicinity of Gary Heiberg Twin Valley and the country east of those places Saturday has claimed one victim at least in the person of P. E. Solomonson a veterinary who has made his home at Twin Valley for the past two years. He was in the town of Strand east of Gary and north of Heiberg yesterday afternoon and meager reports are to the effect that he was in swimming with a party of friends. Some portion of the paraphernalia was lost and caught on some obstacle in the middle of a creek which empties into the Wild Rive River..

The cloudburst of Saturday evening had turned the creek into a raging torrent and the bathers were in a protected place. To regain the clothing or other property lost, Solomonson tied a rope about his body and tied the other end to a tree. He plunged into the stream as far up creek as the rope would allow, and swam for the middle.

The rope became entangled in some brush and drift wood and striking a floating tree Solomonson was carried under and could not be extricated till life was extinct. The body was recovered and turned over to Undertaker Sethney of Twin Valley. It will probably be shipped to his old home near St. Peter for interment. He was 32 years of age and single.

Crops Were Damaged

Reports this afternoon stated that in many sections north and east of Twin Valley and Heiberg the crops were badly damaged by the flood some fields being completely washed out. The rain fell in sheets and every creek leading to the Wild Rice is a raging torrent.

BROKE ANKLE IN FARGO

REV. E. S. SHAW SUFFERS PAINFUL ACCIDENT IN FARGO YESTERDAY

FORMER CROOKSTON PASTOR SHOWS GRIT AFTER HIS MISFORTUNE

While walking along First Avenue north yesterday morning about 9:15 at Fargo Rev. E. S. Shaw a prominent clergyman in North Dakota Congregational circles turned his ankle breaking a bone and causing a pain and swelling that was excruciating. Rev. Shaw, who is now located in Minot, is a member of the board of trustees of the Fargo college, which met in annual session yesterday. The clergyman was bent on attending the meeting and a broken ankle was not sufficient to dampen his ardor. Every effort was made yesterday to take down the swelling so that a cast could be placed this morning.

Rev. Shaw was formerly pastor of the Congregational church in Crookston and prior to that was for some time connected with Fargo college in the capacity of field secretary.

A WONDERFUL GROWTH OF CORN

The most wonderful growth of corn ever seen in this section was noted during the past week. On Monday of last week the conditions being ideal for corn planting, considerable was sown, and yesterday, just one week later it was from an inch and a half to two inches above the ground. The conditions happened to be as near ideal as possible. The ground was warm when the seed was planted and there were several warm showers followed by hot weather and the seed germinated and came up in record time. If the present cold wave does not last long the corn crop this year with the start it has got will be one of the best ever raised in this section.

HEAVY RAINS IN NORTH

HAIL FALLS AT RED LAKE FALLS AND OTHER POINTS UP NORTH

CROP PROSPECTS CONTINUE GOOD—RIVERS ARE AT FLOOD TIDE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Hail was reported yesterday and Sunday at Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls with heavy local showers and much high wind. East and south of Crookston local showers have spotted the country tho there are no reports of hail.

From all indications at hand the storm center of the north valley seemed to be at or near Red Lake Falls where the worst storm was experienced. Crookston has received very little rain for the past three days but the heavens on all sides denoted that other points were getting much rain fall. A windstorm passed over the city Saturday night but did not gain full headway until it reached Warren, Red Lake, Thief River and other points north.

Notwithstanding the fall of hail and rain and blowing of wind crops are not damaged except in low places along the banks of flooded rivers. The grain is too short to be affected by the wind, too young to be affected by the hail and too dry to be much affected by the fall of rain.

A DOUBLE BEREAVMENT

E. J. Newhall left last evening for Eldora, Iowa to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, C. H. Rockwell. Mrs. Newhall was called Sunday to the bed side of her mother who is dying of heart disease. The death of the father comes as a doubly sad blow.

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Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

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DO you realize that, in addition to the amount of your balance at the bank, the very fact that you are guarding your future and have a check account at a reliable bank will Strengthen your credit.

Since 90 per cent of the business of this country is based on credit the matter of good credit is a very important item in getting ahead.

Our facilities and connections as such as enable us to give careful attention to both large and small accounts. We want YOURS—come in and see us.

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of Crookston, Minnesota.

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REPORTS OF REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Since Convening at Noon Demonstration Follows Demonstration to Stampede Convention for Roosevelt.

Sergeants--At--Arms Have Been Powerless to Quiet Convention to Listen to the Scheduled Addresses.

Chicago, June 17, 3:15 p. m.—Crowds see Mrs. Longworth. Cheer her twenty minutes.

As band starts playing Star Spangled Banner thousands of throats shout deafening, "Teddy, Teddy, Teddy, Teddy!"

After 25 minutes the cheering continues. Many of the men have removed their coatts and are standing on their chairs and waving them in the air and shouting "Roosevelt" at the top of their voices. The crowd has now taken up the shout of "Four More, Four More, Four More" and are calling like abandoned college students.

The demonstration for Roosevelt continues unabated despite the vigorous efforts of numberless assistant sergant at arms to quiet the crowd The demonstration starts again. Two men appear an platform carrying a huge Teddy Bear and the noise is redoubled.

They toss the bear down among delegates and it is being thrown about among them. Every one on his feet and yelling.

3:30 p. m.—Still cheering and lodge endeavoring to deliver his speech.

3:45—Senator Lodge resumes his speech at 3:40 p. m. Chairman Lodge refers to the railroad rate law and is loudly cheered.

Chicago, June 17, 12:17 p. m.—Ohio delegation marched into immense auditorium of Coliseum and seated themselves i ntheir alloted seats, every man carrying a banner for Taft. Wild cheers echoed from every part of the convention hall. Leaders of

Guard Against Roosevelt Stampede

Leaders of convention watch with wary eyes every effusion of the immense auditorium of delegates when Roosevelt's name is mentioned. Taft leaders rush in Taft's name and relieve the stress. Roosevelt stampede is not feared, if everything goes smoothly.

Convention called to order by temporary chairman Burrows and Reverend William O. Water of Chicago led in prayer.

The committees have been in session since 5:30 this morning.

Shouting for Taft

At 1:05 p. m. the Blaine Club 350 strong marched into the Coliseum all shouting for Taft.

Ten minutes later the Columbus Glee Club sang the Star Spangled Banner the majority of those present waving flags and banners.

The Knox Club of Philadelphia following their band come in while the song was being rendered and pandemonium broke loose from every part of the Coliseum. There are 300 in this club.

ALLIES LOSE FIGHT OVER CONTESTS

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE DECIDE ALL CONTESTS FOR TAFT

THROUGHOUT SESSION CONTESTING DELEGATIONS SHOW MUCH ILL FEELING

CONTESTS INVOLVING 6 STATES AND 62 DELEGATES DECIDED IN TAFT'S FAVOR

Chicago, June 17—It was 1:30 a. m. before the Ohio cases were complete. They were all decided in accordance with the decisions of the national committee. Four districts were involved the Third, Sixth, Tenth and Thirteenth. In the Sixth, Taft and Foraker delegations were both seated with half a vote each. In the Tenth and Thirteenth, as in the Third the Taft men gained the decision.

The committee next took up the Tennessee cases, which involve delegates at large and eight districts, twenty delegates in all. Extra time was to be allowed in these cases and it was expected they would consume considerable time.

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INJUNCTION CAUSES ROW

TAFT FORCES CLAIM INJUNCTION PLANK WILL BE INSERTED

SOME OBJECTION TO SAVINGS BANK, TRUST AND RAILROAD PLANKS

SUB-COMMITTEE CONSIDER PLATFORM TILL LONG AFTER MIDNIGHT

Chicago, June 17—The Taft forces claim to have the advantage in the struggle over the injunction plank of the platform. They assert that the appointment of the sub-committee of thirteen to consider the various controverted planks was a distinct success for them and point with much satisfaction to t he fact that Chairman Hopkins had appointed on this committee nine men who favored the injunction plank and four who are opposed to it.

The Taft managers predict favorable result in the full committee and in the convention but admit that the fight will be desperate.

The opposition still under the leadership of Speaker Cannon claiming 30 votes to 22 in the full committee and expressing confidence that when the platform goes to the convention the objectionable plank will be missing.

THE INJUNCTION PLANK GOES IN PLATFORM

Chicago, June 17—The biggest problem before the resolution committee was disposed of at 2 a. m., when by a vote of 35 to 16 with one state (South Carolina) not recorded, the full committee agreed to the injunction plank. It was predicted after the vote that there would be no fight on the matter on the floor of the convention when the full report is made today.

GOV. C'MMINS STRENGTH GROWS

SENTIMENT IN IOWA DELEGATION UNDERGOING A BIG CHANGE

ROOSEVELT SAID TO BE FAVORABLE TO THE IOWA MAN

Chicago, Ill. June 17—The boom of Governor Cummins of Iowa for the vice presidential nomination was the distinctive feature of the day in the contest for second place on the ticket and it received much favorable consideration. Senator Borah of Idaho who early yesterday morning started the agitation on behalf of the Iowa governor spent much of the day sounding western delegations in his behalf and at the close of the day announced that he found much encouragement. The mention of Gov. Cummin's name was received with varying emotions by the members of the Iowa delegation, and it soon became evident that in the event that the governor's candidacy should be more energetically pressed, his Iowa support would not be confined to the so-called Cummin's faction. Several Allison-Dolliver adherents promptly announced that as a matter of state pride, if for no other reason they should support the governor's candidacy

GOV. GUILD IN RECEPTIVE MOOD

DELEGATION FROM MASSACHUSETTS WIRE HIM THEY ARE STANDING PAT

ARE WORKING HARD AND WILL AWAIT DEVELOPMENTS TOMORROW

Boston, June 16—Govorner Curtis Guild, Jr., said today, concerning his candidacy for vice president:

"As far as my information goes, there is no change in the situation in Chicago. My interests are just where they have been in the hands of the United States senator from Massachusetts."

The governor received a telegram from Col. Glines a member of the Massachusetts delegation at Chicago reading as follows:

"We are standing pat. Pay no attention to reports to the contrary."

Consumptives Made Comfortable

Foley's Honey and Tar has cured many cases of incipient consumption and even in the advanced stages affords comfort and relief. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar.—For sale by all druggists.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

Chicago, June 16—The exact text of the plan of the republican platform prepared by Wade Ellis and approved by President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft relating to railroads follows: We approve the enactment of a rail road rate law and the vigorous enforcement of the present administration of the statutes against rebates and discrimination. In this connection we recommend an appropriation of $350,000 by the present congress in order to enable the interstate commerce commission to thoroly investigate and give publicity to the accounts of railroads.

We believe in maintaining always the principle of competition between naturally competing lines and avoiding the common control of such lines by any means whatsoever and federal restriction against an overissue of stocks and bonds by interstate carriers."

The Tariff Plank

More or less serious inaccuracy has characterized the reputed textual publications of the plank relating to tariff. The exact text of the plank as well as of the plank concerning the anti-injunction legislations follows:

"The republican party declares unequivocally for revision of tariff by special session of congress immediately followed the inauguration of the next president.

Principle of Protection

In all tariff legislation the true principle of protection is best maintained by the imposition of such duties as will equal differences between cost of production at home and abroad, together with a reasonable profit to American industries and benefits that follow are best secured by the establishment of maximum and minimum rates which shall be applied automatically to the trade of other countries in accordance with their treatment of our trade.

The aim and purpose of the republican policy is not only to preserve without excessive duties that security against foreign competition to which American manufacturers farmers and producers are entitled but also to maintain the high standard of living of the protective system.

Fight on the Injunction

The compromise measure which its opponents will urge, if it becomes evident that a pronouncement on the subject is to be included in the platform, has been determined upon. It will be a simple statement that the party believes the federal court procdure should be so amended as to provide against arbitrary orders being made by courts but at the same time that nothing be done to interfere with the authority of a court over its own orders.

Currency Plank

The currency plank contains this language: "The republican party approves the Aldrich-Vreeland currency bill but only as an emergency measure. We declare for a thoro and new system of currency laws that will be in accordance with the need of the times and which will be made more adaptable to the demands of business and more elastic in its character as an accumulating medium."

Pioneer Iowa Woman a Suicide.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 16. — Despondent because of ill health, Mrs. William Brown, a pioneer, aged seventy-two years, committed suicide by hanging herself with a clothesline fastened to a door transom. The deed was committed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Lockhart.

Victims of Foul Play.

Munising, Mich., June 16.—George Genery, keeper of the north light on Grand Island, is missing and his assistant, whose name has not yet been learned, is dead, the result, it is alleged, of foul play.

Too Frightened to Save Mate.

Eau Claire, Wis., June 17.—Phillips Fifield, a boy of twelve, while chasing his dog along a boom on the Eau Claire river yesterday, fell in and was drowned. Another boy who saw the accident was too frightened to help Fifield.

Lindberg Files.

St. Paul, June 17.—Charles A. Lindberg of Little Falls, congressman from the Sixth congressional district, yesterday filed with the secretary of state for the Republican nomination. Mr. Lindberg is now serving his first term in congress.

TO LOOK AFTER THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN

Movement is Started Toward Co-operative Effort at Big Meeting Held in St. Paul,

Which Was Attended By Hon. P. M. Ringdahl Of State Board Of Control.

A state conference on child helping benevolence with the object in view of effecting a basis of co-operation between all agencies interested in the promotion of the welfare of children was given a start at a meeting held in the rooms of the state board of control in the new capitol. A temporary organization was effected, and a committee was appointed to formulate a plan of organization and the basis of membership or representation in the organization. The next meeting will be held when this committee is ready to make its report.

The idea of forming such an organization was suggested to the board of control some time ago by C. E. Faulkner, superintendent of the Washburn Memorial Orphan asylum in Minneapolis. The board consulted with the superintendents of the various state institutions interested in this work, as well as representatives of organizations taking an active interest in the promotion of the interests of the children. The Juvenile Protective league of Hennepin county passed resolutions asking the board to arrange for a conference on the subject and the meeting yesterday was the result.

Mr. Leavett, Chairman

S. W. Leavett, chairman of board of control was elected chairman of the meeting and Henry F. Burt of the Pillsbury settlement house in Minneapolis secretary. The others present at the meeting were: Judge Grier M. Orr of Ramsey county district and pjuvenile court; Mr. Falkner; P. M. Ringdal of the board of control; A. W. Gutridge of the St. Paul Associated Charities; A. L. Graves, St. Paul probation officer; Frank Lewis of the state public school at Owatonna; Dr. L. A. Crandall of Minneapolis and Miss Lydia Weinzerel of the St. Paul Protestant orphan asylum.

The organization will probably hold several meetings this summer and fall and will decide upon some legislation which will be urged upon the legislature next winter. The committee which will formulate the plan of organization and suggest the legislation which it is thought ought to be passed consists of the following members: Judge Orr, chairman; G. A. Merrill of the state public school at Owatonna, C. E. Falkner, Judge John Day Smith of the Hennepin county juvenile court of Minneapolis and F. A. Whitier superintendent of the training school at Red Wing.

General Plan Outlined

Mr. Faulkner is outlining a general plan for the work of organization, and made the following suggestions:

Outline a comprehensive policy of state supervision whereby the various agencies may be brought into helpful and well co-ordinated relationship to each other. Worthy of discussion in this connection is the propriety of organizing a state board of children's guardians to include the governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general superintendent of public instruction and members of the state board of control, each county to be represented by a resident member of the board performing volunteer service and the paid secretary of the board to have a desk in the office of the state board of control and report to said board subject to direction by the officers of the general board. Worthy of careful consideration is the policy of drawing a distinct line of demarkation between the penal and educational establishments to the end that if the institutions dealing with children classed as delinquent may be properly grouped with the educational institutions reliance may be rested upon the effectiveness of compulsory education laws in all dealings with non-criminal children, rather than upon penal statutes. Safeguard the methods of intelligent diagnosis by definite classifications, so that the general terms which describe conditions, such as "dependent," "neglected" and "delinquent" may each have their proper significance in court findings and institution records.

Recast the laws dealing with children to conform to the policy adopted Separate the service of the juvenile courts in Hennepin and Ramsey counties from the general service of the district courts so that one judge may give exclusive time to the growing service imposed upon the juvenile courts in those counties. Extend the operation of the juvenile court law in such manner as to secure its benefits to other counties.

Devise plans whereby uniformity of tary contributions, to the end that ing children to the ways of early self support and useful living. The grow probation officers supported by volun action the increase of efficient paid the public interest in the cause of will demand a corresponding increase plan in proceedures and the use of of friends to look after them. blanks and records may be secured. Encourage by some appropriate joint good citizenship may be kept alive and the homes of good citizens be thrown open for a share of the work of educating, training and encouraging roster of juvenile court children

CRAZY GIRL FROM FORKS

THINKS RED LIGHT PEOPLE ARE CHASING HER TO CAPTURE

Tillie Johnson was brought from East Grand Forks on the train at 2:15 p. m. by Louis Gonyea, deputy sheriff. The girl is under age and believes the sporting women are chasing her as well as other imaginary persons. She appears before the probate court this afternoon for examination as to her sanity.

NELSON GETS $358.55 AWARD

John J. Nelson was awarded $358.55 by the jury yesterday afternoon in the suit brought by Nelson against the Northwestern Elevator company.

The suit brought by B. C. Green thru his attorneys Rowe and Longley against O. K. Berget represen[illegible] by L. E. Gossman is still commanding the attention of the court.

SCHUNEMAN HERE FROM CALGARY

SAW ED MARTIN, GEO. WALSH AND EMIL RAPIN WHO ARE LOCATED THERE

Gus Schuneman returned from Calgary last night on the Flyer where he has been attending the convention of the United Commercial Travelers which he proclaims was the best he has ever attended. While in the city he saw George Walsh who is now head salesman for the C. P. R. irrigated lands, Ed Martin who has charge of the land seekers trains running from St. Paul to Calgary, and Emil Rapin who is in the office of the superintendent of the Canadian Pacific railway. They are all doing well. After the convention all the Travelers boarded a special for Banff where they spent the day.

W. R. Ward, of Dyersburg, Tenn., writes: "This is to certify that I have used Foley's Orino Laxative for chronic constipation and it has proven without a doubt to be a thorough practical remedy for this trouble, and it is with pleasure I offer my conscientious reference."—Sold by all druggists.

The Song of the Hair

There are four verses. Verse 1. Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the hair grow. Verse 2. Ayer's Hair Vigor stops falling hair. Verse 3. Ayer's Hair Vigor cures dandruff. Verse 4. Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color to gray hair. The chorus is sung by millions.

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BUM BRANDY FROM EAST

FAKE CINCINNATI CO., CAUSE OF PURE FOOD PROSECUTIONS

From Thursday's Daily—

The reason of the presence of so much blackberry brandy thruout the north country of such condition as violates the pure food laws of Minnesota is found to be the operations of a fake manufacturing concern thruout this region last fall.

September and October last a drummer of pleasing manner arrived in the valley and met with the wholesalers of this region and showed them fine samples of blackberry brandy. He had a card with him with a spacious likeness of a gigantic manufacturing concern which he denoted as the immense factory that he represented and passed it about. He offered the goods at a very favorable price and some of the wholesalers thruout the Valley and the Dakotas ordered large quantities for future delivery.

The brandy was received and sold thruout the various retailers that patronize wholesalers.

Now comes the quiet Inspector Heiberg of pure food fame and shoots samples of this suspicious stuff from many a country retailer's store back into the retorts and crucibles of the state chemist in St. Paul. They declared a gross adulteration.

Then follows the many arrests that were made thruout the north country by the Inspector Heiberg at Greenbush, Hallock, Warren, Thief River Falls, Red Lake Falls, Ada, Crookston, East Grand Forks and other points for the illegal sale of blackberry brandy.

The retailers got back on their wholesalers for the fines they had to pay. The wholesalers then started after the manufacturing concern only to find no evidence of it in Cincinnati Ohio. As a result they are out some thousands of dollars and have a lot of bum blackberry juice on their hands.

LARGEST OUTPUT IN IT'S HISTORY

The Fertile creamery made and shipped 98 tubs of butter last week, the largest output for any one week since the creamery was established. The week previous 81 tubs were made and it is expected that 100 tubs will be made this week.

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WELLS MAKES SHORTAGE GOOD

FORMER CROOKSTON MAN WILL RETURN TO SARGENT COUNTY SOON

WILL AGAIN BE AGENT FOR FIRM IT WAS CLAIMED HE HAD VICTIMIZED

From Friday's Daily—

F. B. Wells the Sargent county real estate dealer who was reported to have left a defalcation in his accounts with the firm of Adams & Freeze of Lisbon, of which he was the trusted agent has made good all the shortage and will return to his home at Cogswell.

The first stories sent out concerning the defalcation of Wells, placed the amount which he was short at between $30,000 and $40,000 but the next day H. K. Adams cashier of the Lisbon National bank, and a member of the firm of Adams & Freeze made a statement to the effect that the shortage would only amount to about $15,000 and that this was all secured, so that they would lose nothing.

The first information of a shortage in Well's accounts and an apparent deliberate defalcation was made public two weeks ago yesterday.

Wells is Located

A few days after that Mr. Adams learned of the whereabouts of Wells and he made a trip to the east where he met the latter and a full and complete settlement was made. Wells will return to his home at Cogswell at once and will re-engage in the real estate business as the agent for Adams & Freeze.

It appears that Wells was a victim of the panic. He had large sums of money invested for Adams & Freeze and about two months ago he believed that there was going to be a tightening of the money market and he was afraid that he would be badly pinched and driven by fear he thought he would get from under a bad crash.

Wells was a former resident of Crookston and later of Grand Forks. Friends will be pleased to learn that he is to return and that he is not a defaulter.

FAST CROOKSTON NAG IS SOLD

S. BIRCH BUYS HARRY SHAW OF W. S. LYCAN OF CROOKSTON

S. Birch, the Fargo contractor, yesterday purchased of W. S. Lycan of Crookston the fast trotter Harry Shaw who won his race Tuesday in straight heats. The animal is a beauty and is an excellent driving horse, having a disposition that few racers possess. He will be driven by Mr. Birch on Fargo streets during the summer. It will be received with general regret here that the beautiful and speedy young colt has been sold.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

NORTHWEST NEWSLETS

Seaforth is improving its roads.

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District court at Hallock opened on June 8th.

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Howard, S. D., can't decide whether or not to celebrate the Fourth. Crookton is in the same boat.

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A new addition is being built onto the south end of the Clinton depot.

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The teaching corps of the Cloquet schools will be unchanged next year.

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Concrete bridge to be constructed near Mountain Lake at a cost of $1,500

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Plenty of money has already been subscribed for the Fourth of July celebration to be held at Hutchinson.

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The question of an electric road to run north and south thru the eastern portion of South Dakota is being freely agitated by the press.

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Mankato Traction company "regrets beyond expression the vexations obstacles" which prevents its handling the large crowds which attend the band concerts. The system is being organized as fast as possible.

MACHINE IS PRACTICAL

BEN CLEMENTS INVENTED DITCH MACHINE PROVES MORE THAN CLAIMED FOR IT

LEAVE CLEAN DITCH AND PILES DIRT READY FOR GRADING ROAD

From Thursday's Daily—

The new ditching machine upon which a patent has been secured by Ben Clements of Crookston township member of the board of county commissioners, has been in practical work on the road about a quarter of a mile across the high bridge across the Northern Pacific on 8th street for the past few days.

A representative of the Journal visited the construction on which it is at present engaged. The machine from the front has much the appearance of the spokes of a large wheel 18 feet in diameter. Upon the ends of the spokes buckets are set with a series of knives of different depths set ahead of the buckets on separate spokes about 6 inches. The whole wheel is revolved by a 35 horse power gasoline engine set on a moving platform behind. The whole machine is pulled forward by a capstan set ahead of the machine and worked up to.

During the presence of the Journal at the construction the machine moved rapidly thru the ground digging a clean smooth ditch about 2 1-2 feet deep and dumping the earth several feet free of the ditch and in pulverized form most favorable for grading. The dirt is conveyed from the buckets by an endless belt running at right angles to the direction of the ditch receiving the excavated earth after it is dumped from the buckets and carrying it free of the ditch itself. By elevation of the conveyor the dirt may be loaded into wagons or directed anywhere desired.

The machine tho Mr. Clements has not yet perfected it, proves in every way to be practical, even as it is now and ditches much better than commonly dug by horse power are now being built along the east road into the country where the machine is now located.

THOUGHT HE HAD SMALLPOX

PASSENGER ON CLARKE'S TRAIN MISTOOK THE MOSQUITO BITES

Conductor Billy Clarke has been the object of a great deal of good natured chaffing by his friends ever since his fishing expedition between runs at Cass Lake.

He does not often take a trip out into the woods and he was, therefore, a juicy morsel for the big mosquitoes that are lying in wait for the unsuspecting towns people.

When he returned to take his run he was unable to even estimate the number of mosquito bites he possessed and, by the following day, when the "pizen" had an opportunity of getting in its work his face and hands were a sight to behold. It is currently reported that his best friend would not have recognized him.

It is claimed that when Conductor Clarke went thru the train the passengers looked nervous even his brakeman failing to recognize him on account of the disfiguring spots where the mosquitoes had left their marks.

One passenger after riding a few miles glancing uneasily at Clarke's face edged away. He finally got up and took a seat in the extreme front end of the car. As he went forward he was heard to remark about the carlessness of the health department in not stopping smallpox patients from running trains.

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

DRAINING THE SWAMPS

CAPT. JAS. A. BEARD TAKES MACHINERY THRU TO THE NORTH

BIG WINDOM DREDGE ON ROSEAU SEVEN MILES IN THE SWAMP

From Friday's Daily—

Capt, Jas. A. Beard of the Standard Drainage Company of Windom, Minnesota and in charge of the big steam dredge on the lower Roseau river in Roseau county came down to Crookston from Thief River Falls last evening for the purpose of transferring heavy parts of machinery from the freight yards here to express to Greenbush whence he will take it into the interior where it is needed for the repair of the dredge.

The big floating dredge is at present in the middle of the immense swamps thru which bows the lower Roseau River. The dredge is seven miles from the first dry spot and is surrounded by the conditions that go to make this the best dredging year for a long time.

From Roseau Lake to Duxby on the Roseau River the big machine kept generally along the line and direction of the Roseau river, but the construction this year pays no attention to the river and pursues its way as the crow flies from Duxby into these rapids near Caribou postoffice in Kittson county and the project will make of the fertile soils of the Roseau Valley a garden of Eden.

The floating steam dredge has already cut thru 35 miles of the state engineer's plans and has 20 more to go before the construction is complete The digging is now much harder than on the first part of the ditch as the ditch construction is practically a new river which when built will take the place of the Roseau which will cease to run.

Capt. Beard who is the oldest dredger in the northwest considers this the best dredging year of the last ten. The only difficulty has been the presence of frost in ground and swamps until a late date this spring. One of the main matters that have made this year so good for dredging men is the activity and service of the state drainage department who let the most of their contracts early in the winter piled the engineers over the work rapidly and enabled contracting dredge men to get all their supplies and machinery to the points of construction before the spring thaws set in.

On account of this condition Capt. Beard who for the last two years has had literally scratched the country to get enough wood to run his engines, was enabled to get timbermen at work early and he now has 1300 cords of wood along the banks of the Rosean enough to last him this year.

MUST GO BACK TO COUNTY JAIL

MICHAELS SENT UP FOR TWENTY DAYS FOR STEALING CHAIRS

Henry Michaels was let out this morning at the county bastile on the hill after serving thirty days and was again hailed before Judge McLean and given twenty days for stealing chairs from the store of the Fylling Furniture company.

INSANE PATIENT FROM ROSEAU CO.

Deputy Sheriff E. T. Olson and Mrs. E. T. Olson and Miss Amanda Olson passed thru the city last evening on their way to Fergus Falls where the latter is being taken for treatment, being declared insane in the Roseau county probate court.

$100 Reward $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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POLITICS ARE BADLY MIXED

WM. E. YOUNG OF RAILWAY AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION IN CROOKSTON

VALLEY LAND LOOKS GOOD TO HIM — WILL PROBABLY INVEST

From Thursday's Daily—

Hon. Wm. E. Young, member of the State Railroad and Warehouse commission arrived in the city this morning to look over some land which he contemplated purchasing southeast of the city, and incidentally look after some official business in this city to which his attention has been called. Mr. Young is very much pleased with the appearance of the crops which he viewed during a drive tis morning, but says every acre of land should be under cultivation, excepting what is being pastured. He was shown about the city by Senator Stephens and met many of the business and professional men of Crookston. Asked as to the political situation Mr. Young said:

"The sentiment in Hennipen and Ramsey counties is very mixed. Had the primaries been held two weeks ago Jacobson would undoubtedly have gotten the delegation. Now there is a fight on between Jacobson, Snider, Young and Savage all have their quota of friends and it is pretty hard to size the situation up.

"In Duluth there is a strong Young faction and a strong anti-Young faction. Both are working hard. If Jacobson or Young do not land the nomination on the first two or three ballots I would not be surprised to see the plum go to some man whom has not yet been an avowed candidate.

"In the southern part of the state the political situation is also very mixed, and it will be very hard to predict the outcome till after the primaries are held, and then I look to see many delegations go to the state convention uninstructed."

Mr. Young will return to St. Paul this evening.

Find Valuable Pearls.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., June 13. — Six fine pearls have been found in Mississippi clams within two or three miles of this city during the week, two of which were found by Joseph Vavara within two days and brought him nearly $1,000.

SPECIAL VENIRE IS CALLED

SIX MORE JURYMEN NEEDED FOR BUSINESS OF THE COURT

EAST GRAND FORKS EX-PARTNERS GET INTO COURT SQUABBLE

From Thursday's Daily—

Judge Watts today issued a call for six special venire men to transact the business before the court. The original call of petit jurors has been sadly depleted as a result of excuses for sickness and other matters, making the call necessary.

The special venire men are, Jake Andrist, Theo. Goodman, John Carter C. H. Jefferson, August Munn and Gilbert H. Bang.

The case of Ole Gaugstad of East Grand Forks represented by F. C. Massee vs. John A. Johnson of Grand Forks represented by Skulason and Burtness has been engaging the attention of the court today. The two were once partners in the saloon business and are now adjusting claims concerning certain checks and notes given to each other.

The jury in the case of Ole Hatelie vs. Ole C. Johnson yesterday brought in a verdict of $151 for Ole C. Johnson Misinformation was cause of another print in the Journal last night.

WALTER DAHL GRADUATES

LEFT HERE TWO YEARS AGO — CAPTAIN FARGO COLLEGE FOOTBALL TEAM

Walter Herbert Dahl graduates from the Fargo High school next Friday June the 12th at the Fargo opera house. Dahl left Crookston two years ago and has been prominent in athletic circles at Fargo, being captain of the football team there last year. He was a member of the Crookston football squad while here and has many friends.

A man's good reputation may be due to the fact that people are not onto his curves.

CORRESPONDENCE

LOCKHART

Mrs. Schroeder was in Beltrami last week.

H. W. Casselman visited Crookston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson were in town last week.

W. T. Carlisle of Crookston spent Sunday at the Casselman home.

Two men who live near Fosston were thru here last week selling evergreens.

Mrs. P. J. Butler and daughter of Argyle are visiting her sister Mrs. Barnes.

Martha Malakowski visited Mrs. DeGroat in Spring Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Sunday night Clara Erickson and Minnie Kruen left for summer school at Moorhead.

The rain of Saturday and Sunday was not so heavy in Lockhart as in nearby towns.

Mr. and Mrs. August Menge and others were in Winchester Sunday to attend church and returned home Monday morning.

Fred Nelson has constructed a ditch north of 23 and part of 24 so that the water will drain off and allow the road to be graded.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Petri, Mr. and Mrs. D. Manus visited Carl Petri's of Spring Creek Sunday.

Sunday morning Ben Dalquist, Amelia Bowman and Lizzie Miller of Ada and Conrad Grina of Borup came up on the train and spent the day with the Casselman family.

ADD ANOTHER ROOM TO THE GARY SCHOOL

Miss Scott of Fertile has been engaged by the school board as teacher in the intermediate room the coming year, and S. O. Oldum, a college graduate of St. Olaf as principal. Another room and teacher will be added to our school next year, which will also give us the 9th grade and add another month to our school year, making it nine months instead of eight as heretofore. No teacher for the grammar room has been engaged. Miss Hermanson refusing to accept the job any longer.—Gary Graphic.

HENDRUM

The crops look fine so far.

W. C. Martinson of Bemidji is down here on a visit.

A. C. Tvedt of Hegne was in our burgh Saturday.

Considerable hail fell here Saturday afternoon but no damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Roe of Bemidji are here visiting. Mr. Roe is doing a flourishing mercantile business at that place.

Obert, the young son of John C. Ulvan, fell down from a tree and broke his shoulder blade about a week ago the young boy is improving nicely however.

Anton Steinseng for several years clerk for G. T. Ingberg who went to Norway for his health a couple of years ago returned last week and as it seems robust in health.

Julius Holm had a narrow escape Thursday having a runaway with the gang plow and falling down between the plows. He cut his arm quite badly but otherwise received no injuries. It was almost a miracle that he did not fare worse as he was dragged quite a distance.

The Ladies Aid society of Pontopidans church will have a festival at the grove by Iver Semling's, Saturday June 13th at 10:30 a. m. They will sell ice cream and lunch, and a program consisting of a speech by Rev. Redal and probably others and songs. The parochial school taught by Miss Bredeson will also join in and have an entertainment at same time and place. The Young People's Society will give the following program, Sunday evening June 14th.

Recitation—Cella Tommerdahl.
Reading—Jens Landro.
Recitation—Gena Gilbertson.
Reading—John Enger.
Vocal Duet—Olga and Ida Stordahl
Paper—John C. Stordahl.
Recitation—Clara Enger.
Reading—C. J. Stordahl.
Song—Orchestra.
Recitation—Alma Stordahl.
Reading—Jacob S. Stennes.
Recitation—Clara Hagen.
Speech—Mr. Sutson.
Vocal Solo—Halvor Skauge.

BIG DREDGING MACHINES EDUCATE MINN. YOUTH

$92,415 Divided Among The Educational Institutions Of This State. Comes From Sale Of Swamp Lands.

From Friday's Daily—

The huge dredging machines of the north, working in the almost unknown interior surrounded by those scores of difficulties that a highly perfected machinery naturally suffers when far from transportation and base of supplies, have become one of the most effective means of the education of the boys and girls of the state. the rapid reclamation of land under the laws of Minnesota is made the basis for an increasing effectiveness and equipment of the public schols.

The work of the state drainage com mission has placed hundreds of thousands of acres in to a salable condition during the past three years and under favorable laws this work will continue to grow until the visitor of Minnesota gazes on no stretches of submerged and useless land belonging to the state and its children.

Accumulated interest on state swamp land funds which now amounts ong the state educational, penal and to $62,144.72, is being apportioned amcustodial institutions for the first time under chapter 385 of the general laws of 1907. This law provides a method for distribution of money that has been accumulating for years in the state treasury.

Under a state law of 1865 some swamp lands were set aside to be sold for the benefit of state institutions and in 1881 a constitutional amendment was adopted which operated to repeal the law of 1865 and provided that all swamp lands owned by the state should be apportioned equally between the common school fund and the fund for maintenance of all state institutions and the principal of all money received from the sale of such lands should remain intact forever, and only the interest used.

All Interest Money

The money that is being divided now is interest on the proceeds from the sale of the swamp lands set aside under the law of 1865. At the close of the fiscal year of 1906, the principal received from the sale of these lands had reached $780,556.25, and the interest, $57,341.01 and following the intent of the constitutional amendment of 1881 the legislature in 1907 enacted a law providing that half the accumulated interest should go to the common school fund for apportionment in the regular manner, and the other half divided among all state institutions pro rata on the basis of their cost of maintenance for the year preceding the apportionment.

Where Money Goes

Under this law the state auditor has distributed to the state institutions as follows: University, $16,542.92; Anoka asylum, $1,205.61; Hastings asylum $1,441.76; Fergus Falls hospital for the insane, $6,935.35; Rochester hospital $5.972.11; St. Peter hospital, $5,611.67; school for blind $783.02; school for the deaf, $1,895.41; school for the feeble minded $5,648.96; state public school at Owatonna $1,503.90; state training school at Red Wing $2,193.71; St. Cloud reformatory $2,628.72 Stillwater prison $3,958.62; Duluth normal school, $950.82; Mankato normal, $1,230.46; Moorhead Normal $1,168.32; St. Cloud normal $1,211.82; Winona normal $1,261.54.

Under the provisions of the new law the interest will be apportioned annually on the same basis.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Conveyance of Illinois land including the site of Chicago and other lands in the wilderness over 200 years ago by the French explorer Checalier de La Salle in his will just discovered—the first will that conveyed lands in "New France"—recites the property conveyed thus: "All my rights in the country of the Miamis, Illinois and others to the south, together with the establishment which is in the country of the Miamis, in the condition which it shall be at the time of my death, of the Niagara and all the others which I may have founded there, together with all barges, boats and great boats movables and immovables, rights and privileges, rents, lands, buildings and other things belonging to me which shall be found there." The will identifies the testator as "Robert Cavalier Esquire, Sieur de La Salle, Seigneur and Gouvenor of Ft. Frontenac in New France." This daring explorer launched the first vessel except Indian canoes, that ever floated in the Great Lakes and he, thru his rights of discovery, claimed the Illinois land including the present site of Chicago which was also disposed of in the will. The document has been forwarded to Niagara Falls by its finder Representative Porter of New York. M. Francois Piet the cousin of La-Salle was named in the will as the beneficiary. It was thru the services which this cousin rendered to La Salle during the times of pressing need which caused La Salle to give to him these valuable possessions. "Wishing to acknowledge as much as possible the great obligations which I owe to M. Francois Piet, my cousin," he said in the will, "for the signal services which he has rendered me in my most pressing necessities and because it is through his assistance that I have preserved to this time Fort Frontenac I give, grant and transfer to said M. Francois Piet, these presents in case of my death." The will was written in French in Montreal and is dated August 11th, 1681.

Impaired eyesight of the children is the penalty Chicago pays for its failure to keep its streets clean according to Health Commissioner Evans who has just started an examination of the school children. "Five out of ten," said Dr. Evans in speaking about the result of the examination "is rather a startling proportion. "Of course we don't expect that this will be maintained, but as a starter, that examination is impressive to say the least." As a result of the startling out come of the first of the examinations there will be twenty-five more physicians detailed to examine the pupils in twenty five different schools all over the city. Among the ten pupils whose eyesight was found to be defective thru causes attributed to dust laden winds the physician, who had charge of the examination found one pupil who could not read letters one inch high at a distance of six feet. Most of the inspectors reported that the eye troubles among the school children were due to the excessive dust which rises from the macadam streets common in Chicago and which is carried thru the air by high winds which often prevail and gave rise to Chicago's reputation as the "Windy City." Inspectors reported that eye troubles due to the excessive Chicago wind and dust, are found to exist in Chicago in greater proportion than in almost any other city.

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MRS. A.A. JUST IS HONORED

CROOKSTON LADY IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF REBEKAH GRAND LODGE

SECRETARY OF ODD FELLOWS GETS $300 INCREASE IN SALARY

From Friday's Daily—

With the installation and the election of officers of the grand lodges of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and the Rebekahs finished the second day's session which closes the state convention at Minneapolis the latter holding its session at the Elks' hall an dthe former at the A. O. U. W. hall

The Minnesota Rebekahs elected the following officers.

Mrs. A. A. Just, Crookston, president; Mrs. C. T. Cummings of Minneapolis, vice president; Mrs. Runick Melville of Minneapolis, re-elected secretary; Mrs. Lulu A. Baker of Caston, re-elected treasurer; Mrs. Whittamore of Detroit, re-elected chairman of executive board.

During the session a committee from the Odd Fellows visited the Rebekahs and extended to them greetings. The members of the committee were: Past Grand Master Coville; Past Grand Master Frank Powers and Grand Secretary C. M. Sprague.

The committee from the Northfield home for orphans and elderly Odd Fellows reported that during the year they had received many donations which had kept the home supplied. They urged upon the members of the organization to continue donations.

The mascot of the convention was elected this morning with a unanimous vote. The little daughter of Mrs. Hotaling who was former president was given the honor.

Business matters occupied all of the morning's session of the Odd Fellows The report showed that the cost of the two days' convention has been $3,327, which has been used for the expenses of the representatives which come from different parts of the state.

The officers of the lodge had their salaries raised $200 each. Grand secretary A. L. Bolton, who has been secretary for the past twenty years, was raised from $1,500 to $1,800.

One of the important business transactions during the morning was an increase made in fees. This met with the approval of all and was presented by grand warden.

The election of officers was held at the afternoon session.

Myriad reports constituted the bulk of yesterday's business by both the grand lodge and the Rebekah essembly of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the former meeting in Elks' hall, the latter in A. O. U. W. hall. Today will see the end of the two days' annual session of both bodies, the afternoon meeting closing the conventions, unless as had been anticipated it is found necessary to hold an extra session tonight to dispose of the volume of unexpected business.

The reports submitted before the grand lodge yesterday showed in the main that the lodges over which the grand lodge has jurisdiction are prosperous and growing. New members to the number of 2,156 were added during the year. This was offset by the unfortunate report of the Rebekah assembly that their membership had decreased by 30 during the year, this fact, however having some explanation in the 95 deaths which occurred.

NORTH VALLEY GRADS FROM U.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION FROM UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCE WELL KNOWN YOUTHS

The candidates for graduation from the University of Minnesota's different departments have been announced and include many from this part of the valley. Miss Anna Marie Johnson of Crookston graduates from the science literature and arts; Clarence H. Running of Ada, candidate for bachelor of laws degree from the college of law, and Lewis Kent Lohn of Fosston and Ingman Swinland of Halstad graduate candidate for same degree.

NAB ARMED YOUTHS.

Theft of Horse and Buggy and Sale of Rig Is Alleged.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., June 13. — George L. and Frank Taylor, brothers, armed to the teeth, were arrested at Lynxville, where it is alleged they sold a horse and buggy which they had stolen at Rockford, Ill., and drove to this county. They had disposed of an outfit for $40, but were arrested before they could get a boat to cross the river, and the money was returned.

Never call an aggressive man a liar to his face. Use a long distance 'phone and break the news to him gently.

ESTATE VALUED AT $65,000

PROPERTY OF PAUL HAGEN SCATTERED ALL OVER THE CONTINENT

LANDS THRUOUT CANADA AND FAR WEST SWELL THE INVENTORY

From Friday's Daily—

Today there is not a living man that knows the value of the immense property interests of Paul Hagen who died as result of accident in Grand Forks Great Northern yards at ten o'clock in the evening of June 6th last while crawling under a freight car.

Yesterday afternoon Attorney F. C. Massee, August Nelson and Mrs. Lena Hagen, widow of the deceased, all of East Grand Forks gathered in the room of the probate court here and the widow was appointed special administrator of the estate.

On account of the suddenness of his death, Paul Hagen was not able to impart to his wife the condition of the immense property interests that he left behind him.

Popular as this well known resident of East Grand Forks was he was the most quiet and unobtrusive business man of the valley and never intrusted his business to any one man and most of it he never intrusted to anyone at all. Thus may be imagined the difficulties of probating his estate.

The estimate yesterday was at $48,000. Those men most intimate with his business state that he was worth $65,000 when he died.

The list of known property he holds is listed as follows:

Homestead, $3500; other lands $14-500; household goods $300; capital stock $1,000; notes bonds etc., $5100; cash $7655.

The heirs are Lena Hagen, widow; children, Thorvald 16 years; Clara, 14 years; Mabel 12 years and Alfred 7 years.

A WILD RACE WITH TRAIN

TRAVELING MAN COMES FROM FORKS IN 1 HOUR 20 MINUTES BY AUTO

A traveling man was rushed over the highways between Grand Forks and Crookston in some fast time this morning in order that he might catch the Duluth train before it left the Crookston station. He made it—just. The call boy at Hotel Northern in in Grand Forks forgot to call him for the train when it left the Forks and he arose very much indignant and ordered an auto with orders to fly some —which was did. They covered the ground at the rate of a mile every 2 1-2 minutes and there were no boulevards at that.

SUCCUMBS TO PARALYSIS.

J. H. Chaney, Assistant Librarian of Historical Society, Passes Away.

St. Paul, June 13.—Josiah B. Chaney, for thirty-one years one of the assistant librarians of the Minnesota Historical society and an old settler in St. Paul, died yesterday at his home, following a paralytic stroke, the second he had suffered in the past two weeks.

He was in his eightieth year. Mr. Chaney came to Minnesota in 1858, settling at St. Anthony. He enlisted in the war and served with the First Minnesota battalion as a sharpshooter. After the war he settled in St. Paul and had lived here ever since

Confederate Veterans in Session.

Birmingham, Ala., June 11. — It is conservatively estimated that there are no less than 25,000 visitors in Birmingham attending the annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, which began here yesterday. Of this number, it is thought, about 8,000 are veterans.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

CAUGHT ON OLD GAME

R. V. ROSENQUIST OF FERTILE DIVORCED FROM $35 IN MINNEAPOLIS

FELL IN AMONG A GANG OF BIG MITT MEN AND BET ON SURE THING

From Friday's Daily—

R. V. Rosenquist of Fertile knows one little story that he is not shouting from the housetops, and it is a real interesting little tale too according to the Minneapolis Journal, which publishes the following account of Mr. Rosenquist's big time in the big cities:

"R. V. Rosenquist, Fertile, thought he was swindled yesterday. He wasn't sure, for the game looked square to him, so he called at police headquarters today to tell Police Superintendent Corriston about a lock scheme in which he lost $35.

"While seeing the sights yesterday he met a young man who took him to Minnehaha Falls. There they found an old lock in the gutter. The stranger discovered a secret spring in the lock which would cause it to open without the use of a key. Up came another stranger who asked to see the lock and incidentally bet $35 that it couldn't be opened.

Rosenquist was overjoyed at this. He covered the money, offering to open the lock in ten seconds. While one man counted the seconds Rosenquist worked. The lock wouldn't open. The stranger claimed the money but while the game was on a third stranger had stepped up. He was a detective, he said, and he threatened to arrest all of them for gambling in the park. Then the three who were in the game separated agreeing to meet at the Milwaukee railway station an hour later.

Rosenquist was the only one who kept the appointment and that fact, he said, caused him to suspect that the game was not entirely on the square. When he left police headquarters to take his train he was convinced that he was swindled but he refused to stay and help the police catch the men.

THE MILL GRINDS SLOWLY BUT FINE

SCHLENZ GETS VERDICT—CLIMAX ROAD GRADER SUIT IS UP

The jury awarded a verdict to C. Schlenz defendant in suit brought by Betcher and Gaetkek of Ada, represented by M. A. Brattland. H. L. Gaylord of Fertile represented the defendant. The suit was brought on machinery note for material sold by Betcher and Goetkek, Ada to Schlenz Frank Gaetkek John Merkins, B. E. Dahlquist, William Merkins and Attorney Brattland who were here yesterday on the case departed for their home in Ada last evening.

A road grader case from Climax brought by E. E. Ellerton of St. Paul against John Roholt, Levi Steenerson and others is before the court today.

ARRIVES WITH LAND BUYERS

BOB PURVIS KEEPS THE LAND TREK MOVING NORTHWARD STILL

Robert H. Purvis arrived in the city this morning from his headquarters in Mankato with Chas. A. Rodgers and D. Coughlin both land buyers, who want to look over the Red River Valley soil with the intention of making some heavy purchases.

Twenty Hurt in Wreck.

Buffalo, Ne. Y., June 11.—Train No. 4 on the Wabash railroad from De- Northwestern National bank has ed at Stevensville, Ont., yesterday. Twenty persons were injured.

Drowned While Crossing Creek.

Fertile, Minn., June 11.—Percy Simminson of Gary, while trying to get his sweetheart across a creek, got caught in a wire fence and was drowned yesterday.

Scalds Prove Fatal.

Spooner, Minn., June 11.—William Quimby, who was scalded at the Rainy River Lumber company's sawmill at Rainy River, died from the effects of the injuries sustained.

Hitchock Denies it All.

New York, June 11. — Taking the witness stand yesterday in his own defense, Raymond Hitchcock, the actor, flatly denied the charges made against him that he had been improper in his conduct with two young girls, Helen von Hagen and Elsie Voecks.

He is a wise man who knows what a woman wants him to do without being told.

HER FEET WERE SORE AND CRACKED

Soles Seemed as Though Covered with Knife Cuts—Could Not Bear Weight of Feet Even on Pillow—Was Long Unable to Walk—Many Remedies Failed—Now Cured.

WILL PRAISE CUTICURA AS LONG AS SHE LIVES

"Some four years ago I had the misfortune to have my feet get sore. The doctors could not tell me what it was. I used everything I could hear or think of but all to no avail. The feet were all cracked across the bottom as if you had taken a knife and cut them every whichway. They would peel up, and, oh, my! how they did hurt when I would try to walk — which I was not able to do for a long time. One day one of our neighbors came to our house and asked what was the matter. I showed him my feet and he said he had some Cuticura Ointment which would heal them up. There was only enough to apply once, but I found it helped me so much that I sent for a set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills, costing one dollar, and to my great joy, my feet were cured and have never troubled me since. I shall praise Cuticura as long as I live for the great help it has been. Mrs. Margaret Primmer, Plattin, Mo., June 30 and July 21, 1907."

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SIX YEARS IN PRISON.

Meted Out to Man Convicted of Having Robbed a School House.

La Crosse, Wis., June 11.—Six years at Waupun was the punishment meted out to James Howard, convicted of burglarizing a school house near Mindora, by Judge Fruit in the circuit court. Three prior convictions prompted the court to impose a stiff penalty, although the defendant, with tears in his eyes, maintained to the last that he was entirely innocent of the charge.

INSTANTLY KILLED.

Fools With a Gun; Shoots His Companion.

Menominee, Mich., June 11. —During a fierce rain storm yesterday, Peter Budawitch sought shelter in a shanty near Cedar river with his friend Machilinski. Examining a gun hanging on the wall, Machilinski pulled the trigger, the charge entering Budawitch's body, killing him instantly. Machilinski claimed he did not know that the gun was loaded.

Badgers Take Johns Hopkins Honor.

Eau Claire, Wis., June 11.—Dr. Herman F. Derge, son of J. Derge of this city, at the end of a ten days' final examination at Johns Hopkins medical university at Baltimore, Md., holds first place, thus graduating with the highest honors in a large and representative class.

Cut in Prices of Steel Products.

New York, June 11.—Announcement was made last night by Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, that a general reduction in the prices of finished steel products had been agreed upon by representatives of the large steel interests after an all-day conference. The reduction affects billets, steel bars, plates, structural iron, merchant pipe and wire nails.

Ever notice how many things there are in the shop windows that you have no earthly use for?

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Ideal Clover Land

Great changes in the livestock business of the country are foreseen by the packing interests in consequence of the discovery of soil experts of the Department of Agriculture that some 8,000,000 acres of light, sandy soil in the jack pine region of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota can be turned into great clover ranches for cattle, sheep and hogs. The Agricultural Department has issued a bulletin which gives in detail experiments made in the new ways of raising clover on the sandy soils of those states, which will eventually result in adding greatly to their agricultural wealth.

C. Beaman Smith, of the Bureau of Plant Industry, has demonstrated a new manner of planting and cropping clover. Climatic conditions and the abundance of water make the soils, he says, ideal for the purpose of clover growing, a fact which promises to transform in time the cut-over pine lands which now are put to little use for the better grade of live stock can be raised and fattened on these lands. A vast annual saving in transportation cost would be made as well as still greater saving in the losses suffered from exposure and starvation, which at times is severe on the western ranges.

The clover ranch territory of these three states seems likely, in the near future, to have a marked effect on the prices of meat and meat products and in another generation develope new great dairying sections.

Killing by Electricity More Humane Than Hanging.

By Dr. E. C. SPITZKA, Brain Specialist.

THE method employed in electrocution is already generally well known. What is not so much a matter of popular knowledge is the fact that ONLY FROM SIXTY TO SEVENTY SECONDS elapse from the time the prisoner enters the room until he is pronounced dead.

More than this, in every case with which I am familiar the prisoner slept soundly on the night previous, entered the execution room calmly and often smiling, kept a decent silence or broke it only to murmur a prayer or say a pleasant farewell, walked mostly unaided seated himself in the chair and watched with curiosity the strapping of his body thereto.

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Much has been said about life surviving the first contact, but IT DOES NOT SURVIVE. The current is now turned on when the signaling doctors see that the lungs hold the minimum amount of air, for after death what air was in the lungs rushes out and gives the effect, to the layman, of a sigh, which, if any mucus is present, changes to a deceptive gurgle. In only two instances did I notice even any such sign of a respiratory effort. Death was ALWAYS PAINLESS AND INSTANTANEOUS, and consciousness had ceased in a flash.

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For the purpose of comparison, by courtesy of Sheriff Brown, I attended five hangings in Moyamensing prison, and the results, in my mind, are best expressed by that stanza in "The Ballad of Reading Gaol:"

'Tis sweet to dance to violins
When life and love are fair;
To dance to lutes, to dance to flutes,
Is beautiful and rare,
But it is not sweet with nimble feet
To dance upon the air.

THE PREPARATIONS WERE AS SPEEDY AS IN THE ELECTROCUTIONS OF WHICH I HAVE SPOKEN, BUT AFTER THE DROP FELL THEN FOLLOWED A PERIOD OF STRUGGLING AGONY WHICH CAN BE BETTER IMAGINED THAN DESCRIBED.

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In nearly every instance the heart continued to beat for thirteen minutes, and in only one—that of Mok Kung, who really died of a sort of apoplexy—was there no movement after the drop. In all other cases there were CONSCIOUS EFFORTS TO BREATHE, struggles of the manacled hands to free themselves and reach the strangling neck, bitter contortions of the feet, tied though they were, in an endeavor to find support. The men literally "danced upon the air."

These struggles continued for a minute. Sometimes they kept up for a minute and a half. Often the sight was such that SPECTATORS FAINTED.

FINALLY I PERFORMED AUTOPSIES ON THE BODIES OF FIVE MEN EXECUTED BY HANGING. THE BODIES WERE SENT TO THE JEFFERSON HOSPITAL, AND I HAD EVERY OPPORTUNITY FOR THOROUGH INVESTIGATION. IN NOT ONE CASE WAS THERE A BROKEN NECK, AND IN ALL DEATH HAD BEEN DIRECTLY DUE TO STRANGULATION.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

If you would make a fool angry call him one.

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Grass widows are never as green as they pretend to be.

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A fair exchange is better than two of the other kind.

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A woman cares not who listens so long as she is permitted to do the talking.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

When a man is in doubt he can always prove he isn't by arguing about it with his wife.

—o+o—

Even when a woman is going on a visit to her husband's relatives she can describe it as a tour.

—o+o—

It just comes natural for women who don't know how to do a thing to do it better than men who know all about it.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF W.C.T.U.

SPLENDID PROGRAM CARRIED OUT AT THE DISTRICT MEETING AT ADA

OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE GATHERING WITH INTERESTING DETAILS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Journal on Saturday last published a brief report of the District convention of the W. C. T. U. held at Ada, giving the officers elected etc., the detailed report not being available at that time. It is with pleasure that the Journal gives space to the official report of the convention which is published below in full:

The Twentieth Annual convention of the Fourteenth District Woman's Christian Temperance Union met in Ada Thursday and Friday June eleventh and twelfth.

The district is composed of Roseau Kittson, Marshall, Polk, Norman, Beltrami, Red Lake and Clearwater counties, but only Marshall, Polk and Norman counties have unions organized.

Miss Rosette Hendrix of Minneapolis was convention speaker. At the first meeting of the session she urged "a creating of public sentiment this year as there is a greater interest in temperance now than ever before. Work with the children and young people as many will listen to the children who would not to the older people. The saloons are putting up a hard fight, and we must fight too. It is true 'the wicked flee where no man pursueth' but it is also true they run a great deal faster when some one is after them, so let us be everlastingly after them."

Thursday Afternoon

The roll call of Unions was responded to by "victory notes" the keynote of the convention being "victory." Reports of Unions had many encouraging accounts of the work done during the past year. Rev. Hinderlie of Ada spoke on "How can the Church Best Enlist its Membership in an Aggressive Warfare against the Liquor Traffic." He said: "It meant something to belong to Christ's church and as church members we should do the work Christ would have us do in lifting up the fallen."

Miss Hinderlie in speaking for our national paper the Union Signal said one man told her the Washington letter, printed every week during the session of congress was alone worth the price of the paper. Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Bayrell spoke on "What it Means to be a Reader of the Union Signal" and "What it Means to Deprive Myself of the Union Signal." and both decided if we were to do effectual work we must have our paper.

Thursday Evening

The delegates and visitors were made very welcome by the city, the school board, the local W. C. T. U., the clergy, high school and medical fraternity. Miss Hendrix gave an address on "The Cost and Results of Liquor Traffic."

Friday Morning

The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Lucy Chapin Euclid.

Vice Pres.—Mrs. Ellen Crawford, Ada.

Sec.—Mrs. Gertrude Le Due, Fertile.

Treas.—Mrs. Mary Andrews, Ada.

The Superintendents appointed were: Medal Contest, Miss Esther Ballard, Warren; L. T. L., Miss Rose Sorenson, Fertile; Evangelistic and Sabbath Observance, Mrs. Gertrude Le Due, Fertile; Scientific Temperance Instruction, Mrs. Nellie Boyce, Argyle.

Friday Afternoon

The topic for discussion was Opportunities in the temperance work and excellent papers were given on The Home, Mrs. Tenny, Ada; The Sunday School, Mrs. Bayrell, Argyle; The School, Miss Esther Ballard, Warren; The Church, Rev. Symons, Ada.

In behalf of the Fourteenth District Mrs. Crawford presented Mrs. Bayrell and Mrs. Bailey each a Bible as a small token of remembrance.

Mrs. Bayrell until last year had served the district sixteen years as their president. She leaves for Minneapolis Friday evening. Mrs. Bailey who has been our president the past year, expects to leave in a few weeks for Montana. The Fourteenth District will lose two loyal faithful workers.

The drill on state minutes gave all a chance to have a good laugh. Miss Hendrix asked Mrs. Bayrell and Mrs. Crawford to "chose sides" and it did not take her long to "spell them all down." Mrs. Bayrell won the right to enter the contest at State Convention by "standing" the longest.

The evening program consisted of recitations by Mrs. Le Due and Mrs. Bayrell and a short address by Miss Hendrix. Most excellent music was furnished by the High School Chorus and the Lutheran choir with a duet by Misses Fulton and Patterson.

The Ada Union royally entertained the delegates and visitors at the beautiful home of Senator Hanson, Friday evening. It is needless to say all enjoyed the hospitality so generously bestowed and left with the kindliest of feeling for the Ada ladies and their husbands. Yes and the children too.

Seventeen delegates were present.

—L. C., Ex-Sec.

Crookston, Monday, June 29.
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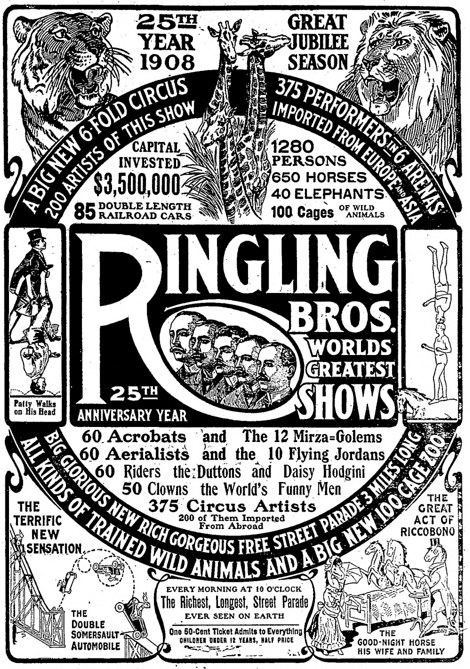

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Admission tickets and numbered reserved seats will be on sale show day at HILLARD'S CITY DRUG STORE at exactly the same price charged in the regular ticket wagons on the show grounds.

RINGDAHL MAY LEAD THE DEMS

MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL REFERS TO HIM AS GUBERNATORIAL TIMBER

PROMINENT AND ABLE CROOKSTON RESIDENT RESIDENT MAY HEAD THE TICKET

From Monday's Daily—

Governor Johnson's flat declaration that he will not be a candidate for a third term and that he would not accept the nomination for the office of governor if it were unanimously offered, has inspired new activity among the democrats of the state and there are strong indications of a lively primary campaign.

In forecasting this declaration from Governor Johnson several days ago Frank Day secretary to the governor and chairman of the state democratic committee, declared that in proper time the democrats would put forward a candidate in some quarters as indicating that possibly the leaders already have a man in mind; but if such be the case they have not communicated their selection to the rank and file of the party and in two days that have intervened since Governor Johnson declared his position, many names have been mentioned.

Two Minneapolis Men

Prominent among those who have been mentioned as timber is Judge F. V. Brown of the Hennepin county district court, whose strength as a vote getter was demonstrated in the last general election and who is well known among the democrats of the state. Mayor J. C. Haynes also is receiving favorable consideration, and has many friends in the state organization.

There has been considerable talk about Thomas D. O'Brien of St. Paul not only in the last few days, but even before Governor Johnson issued his statement. Mr. O'Brien's administration of the state insurance commissioner's office and his prominence in the railroad rate litigation earned him a reputation for doing things and many of his fellow democrats feel that he would make a strong candidate. Since the election in St. Paul this spring when Daniel W. Lawler was elected mayor of that city by a large majority. Mr. Lawler has attracted some attention as a gubernatorial possibility.

Some Outside Men

Regarding other candidates the Minneapaolis Journal says.

"Men outside the Twin Cities who are being considered are Frank A. Day of Fairmont who as secretary to Governor Johnson has taken a prominent part in the present administration; W. S. Hammond of St. James now congressman from the second Minnesota district; William Gausewitz of Owatonna former state senator and P. M. Ringdal of Crookston a member of the state board of control. Mr. Ringdal's name was mentioned early in the campaign and at that time he said that he was not in any sense a candidate but it is considerered possible that the uncertainty of the democrats of the state at that time as to Governor Johnson's course may have had something to do with Mr. Ringdal's position, and that now he may feel differently about entering the contest. It is not at all clear that the governorship would have any inducements for Mr. Hammond but many of his friends are trying to start a boom for him."

Mr. Ringdal has long been considered one of the most able men in the state, and is also well posted on affairs political. He has never been an office seeker, however, and it is not known whether or not he would resign as a member of the State Board of Control to head the state Democratic ticket.

Earthquake at Montreal.

Montreal, June 16.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here yesterday morning. Those who noticed it describe it as more of a rumble than a real shock.

Four Thousand Troops Revolt.

Tangier, June 16. — Four thousand of the troops of Abd-el-Aziz, the sultan, have revolted and taken prisoner a French commander and three other officers.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and merit alone will stand the test of time.

Crookston people appreciate merit and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they do so still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just a srepresented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne of 322 Spendley St. Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying baokache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Gompers Is Sick.

Chicago, June 16. — Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, is ill at the Kaiserhoff hotel here with a slight infection of the leg.

Sensitive Plants

Did you know that there are plants so sensitive that if, when standing by them, you should suddenly put up your umbrella or sunshade, it would be quite sufficient to cause them to instantly close together their leaflets and turn down their leaf-stalks, just as if they were startled or alarmed by the movement? Did you know that a pure malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer is essential to perfect health? Serve this delicious liquid bread at mealtime and pure health and strength into your system. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

June 15 In History.

Commodore Tattnall.

1215—Magna Charta signed by King John.

1775—George Washington took command of the American army.

1871—Commodore Josiah Tattnall, prominent Confederate naval officer, died; born 1795.

1900—Foreign troops forbidden to enter Pekin by imperial edict.

1907—Second international peace congress opened at The Hague.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:24; moon rises 8:55 p. m.; moon's age 17 days; moon farthest south; moon at descending node; crossing sun's path downward; 10:04 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus, passing from west to east of the planet.

BIG LAND SALE—Eleven hundred acres were sold Saturday in the north part of Polk county by Edgar Whitney a widower of Warren to J. M. Brown. The price paid for the land was $17,600.

BOLES BACK FROM OSAKIS — Dr. J. F. Boles returned this morning from Osakis where he has been spending a few weeks on an outing. The fishing at Osakis is not the best that has ever been but the doctor has had an excellent time during his stay

LOOKING AFTER CONTRACTS—Wilhelm Johnson left this morning for Fosston where the Johnson Bros, have secured the contract for the city cement work for this year. He will unload a carload of cement today and prepare for rushing the work thru.

TO START RUSSEL GRADER — E. D. Thompson is up from Perham and left this morning for Euclid where he will start a Russel grader. Jack Scott is holding down the picture show business alone for a few days, Mr. Thompson expecting to return to Perham Thursday next, where he says business is improving in the picture show business steadily.

A STRENUOUS BIKE TRIP—Messrs. Algot Eck, Otto Madson, Geo. Nyquist and Obert Sundet got up at dawn Sunday morning and at 5 o'clock started for Maple Lake to spend the day, riding their bikes out. Instead of following the regular road, they took the route proposed for the new road to the lake, expecting to cut off several miles. They cut off the miles all right, but they also struck four miles of water which they had to wade thru dragging their bikes after them. They got within three quarters of a mile of Maple Lake when Nyquist and Madson, who had left here without break fast, expecting to get to the lake about 9 o'clock played out and went to a farm house where they got two young shavers about 10 years old to boil three dozen eggs which the quartette devoured with bread and butter. They went on to the lake and returned home last evening about 10 o'clock and were about as near "all in" as four boys ever were.

Game Warden Munch received from the state game and fish commision two hundred eggs last evening which he will set out in his district, 100 about the city.

The game warden hatched 13 birds out of 18 eggs received from the state commission and the birds may be seen at the home of Mrs. Marie Munch in Munch's Grove Sampson's addition.

The eggs will be set out about the country to increase the number of this kind of game bird.

The freight crew of the Northern Pacific train which struck Mrs. Thomas Johnson at Fertile at 6:30 o'clock last Friday evening was examined here by Coroner Chesterman last Saturday night. The crew took their train on out of Fertile after the accident and were not there when Coroner Chesterman went down Saturday. Arrangements were made by wire for their appearance here before him.

The report of the coroner will show that the death of Mrs. Johnson was purely an accident. The freight crey was not held.

TROUT EGGS FOR DULUTH HATCHERY

OVER 50,000 OF THEM WERE SHIPPED THRU CROOKSTON THIS MORNING

This morning the Duluth train brought a shipment of 50000 trout eggs from Oregon City, Oregon for the Duluth government hatchery. The eggs were sent thru packed in ice and the Zenith City fishermen will hail the shipment with seven kinds of delight.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

June 16 In History.

1815—Napoleon defeated Blucher at Ligny, and the allies defeated Ney at Quatre Bras, both preliminary to Waterloo.

1900—Prince de Joinville, son of King Louis Philippe of France, who for a time served in the Army of the Potomac on the staff of General McClellan, died; born 1818.

1907—Russian douma dissolved by edict of the crown; 700 political arrests in St. Petersburg.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:24; moon rises 9:52 p. m.; moon's age 18 days; 4:48 p. m., moon at perigee, nearest earth; 8 a. m., planets Mercury and Mars in conjunction, possibly seen nearing western horizon together at twilight tonight.

FIXING FENCES—N. A. Bray left this morning for Fosston where he will spend the day looking after his political fences.

CANDIDATE HERE —J. H. Grass of Fergus Falls arrived in the city yesterday and attends to his canvas of this section for position on the state railroad and warehouse commission.

VISITED HOME FOLKS—J. C. Sabin the popular grocery salesman returned this morning from a trip to Minneapolis where he spent Sunday with the home folks and left this morning for a trip up the north line.

MOTHER ILL— Mr. Mager of the firm of Mager Bros., in the wholesale commission business, who has been in this section for the past few days buying up butter and eggs, was called home suddenly this morning by a telegram stating that his mother was seriously ill.

TO GNAT LAKE—About 20 young Grand Forks boys passed thru the city this morning to Gnat Lake where they will take their annual outing. They are one of a delegation from the Grand Forks Y. M. C. A. who always spend a week or ten days at Gnat Lake.

"FERGY" HOLDS GROUND RECORD — Wm. H. Ferguson better known as "Billy Peters" left this morning for the big shooting tournament being held by the Niagara Gun Club. Mr. Ferguson was at Niagara a few days ago and at that time made the high record for the Niagara traps notwithstanding the fact that the Niagara Gun Club has been in existence for the past five years.

BACK FROM FARMSTEAD — Ed Quee the well known and popular hackman for Bjoin and Carlson has returned home from his claim near Randen which is one of the finest in that section of the country. He has been there for the past three months making improvements. He now has a flock of 60 sheep and also has a fine bunch of thorobred Angora Goats which he took up last fall.

LOOKING AFTER FARM — J. J. Nicklay, a well known freight conductor on the northern division has left for his farm near Barnesville where he will remain for a few weeks superintending the construction of a new house. He has been running on the Cass Lake line and will take advantage of his vacation to look after many improvements on his fine farm. He has been granted a leave of absence till the improvements are completed.

BARBER HERE—E. M. Barber an old timer of Crookston then of Seattle Washington and now of Saskatoon Saskatchewan, arrived in the city last evening on Steve Withey's special from Red Lake Falls where he has been spending a few days on a visit with friends and left north last night for his home in Saskatoon after spending the evening with friends in the city. He was accompanied by his son.

Michael Long, address unknown was arrested this morning on the charge of taking indecent liberties with a ten year old girl living just across the Carman Main Street Bridge and brought before Judge Wilde. He denied his guilt and hearing was set for ten o'clock tomorrow.

Heavy showers are reported from localities in the north especially about Middle River, Greenbush and Warren They continued a greater part of the middle of the day yesterday and the fall was very great. Reports do not indicate that crops will suffer any injury in any place, but in many cases they will be materially benefitted by the downfall.

You Should Know This

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more—Sold by all druggists.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

June 17 In History.

1703—John Wesley born; died 1791.

1775—Battle of Bunker Hill.

1810—Ferdinand Freiligrath, one of Germany's most popular poets, born; died 1876.

1900—Chinese forts at Taku, on being ordered to surrender to the allied navy, opened fire; the Russian, British, French, German and Japanese ships returned the fire.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:24; moon rises 10:40 p. m.; moon's age 19 days; 9 a. m., planet Venus at descending node, crossing sun's path downward.

TO JOHNSON—The wooden leg of the chairman of the poor committee of the city of Crookston went south yesterday afternoon to Emil Johnson, 91 South Desplaines St. Chicago.

FINAL PROOFS—Final proofs were made yesterday by Carl A. Berglund formerly of Halstad on a claim near Randen in Marshall county, and by A. O. Hanson on homestead near Esplee.

TO SAVAGE HOME—Pearl Johnston of East Grand Forks was committed to the Savage Home in Minneapolis yesterday. The child's mother died April last and her father has deserted her. Edgar Savage of Minneapolis in charge of the home took the child south last night.

FOR MOVING PICTURES —John Fylling departed south last night on the Flyer for St. Paul where he will meet with the moving picture magnates and establish a location somewhere where he will go into the business.

SETS STATIONS— County Engineer Hinds returned last evening from the town of Russia where he has been setting the stations for the ditch contracted for Joseph Lariviere. Lariviere will commence work immediately.

WON CONTEST CASE — Return has been made on the contest case brought by Chester Neseth against Mrs. Bang formerly of Crookston in favor of Mrs. Bang. The case involved a very valuable claim in the north country. The case was brought on the grounds of insufficient improvements to maake proof.

LAND SEEKERS HERE— G. S. Trimble and G. F. Schraeder of Westhope, North Dakota arrived in the city this morning with seven land seekers and they departed for the Trimble east of Shirley this morning here they will spend day. Mr. Trimble owns the old Hillestad property out there. They will look over other land in that neighborhood.

TOOK BUBBLE TO FORKS — In charge of Chaffeur Stark, Messrs. William E. Rowe, E. D. Clough, Judge Montague and Clerk of the United State Land Office Patrick Fearon went to the Forks yesterday morning and arrived at an early hour this morning. It is understood that the Judge and Mr. Rowe utterly refused to work and the youthful members of the party had to do whatever pushing was necessary. They report a fine time.

Manila to "Blow" Fleet.

Manila, June 17. — The government has appropriated 100,000 pesos for the entertainment of the Atlantic fleet during its visit here.

Crest of Flood in Sight.

Kansas City, June 17.—The Missouri river has begun to fall and the crest of the great flood is in sight. The Kaw is also falling and its upper courses is rapidly reaching a normal stage. During the next thirty-six hours, according to the weather bureau, the river will fall slowly.

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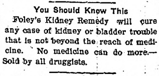
One of the most reputable things about a man not being married is the way he doesn't have to lie about where he was the night before.



John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 16, 1908.

COUNTERFEIT COIN AFLOAT

MANY SPURIOUS DOLLARS ARE PASSED ON CROOKSTON BUSINESS HOUSES

SPLENDID IMITATIONS, WEIGHT CORRECT AND THEY HAVE PROPER RING

From Wednesday's Daily—

Thus far 15 counterfeit silver dollars have turned up among the business houses of Crokston since yesterday morning. As to who is passing them there is not the slightest clue as yet, as none of those who have been caught by the crooks have the least idea who duped them. The police is working on the case however and there will be no more of it passed in Crookston as all the business men have been notified to watch the money taken in carefully.

The counterfeit is a very clever piece of work, far above the ordinary. The coin is exactly the proper weight, and has a ring so nearly true that none but an expert could detect it.

WM. REITMEIER LAID TO REST

This morning at the farm home in the Town of Lowell funeral services were held over the remains of Wm. Reitmeier and the entire country side was present to pay a last tribute of respect to a man who was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him and whose death has caused widespread sorrow thruout this section. There were many handsome floral tributes sent by friends which completely covered the casket.

Following the services at the residence at which Rev. Schimfky officiated, the cortege moved to the city and short services were held at the German Lutheran church this afternoon, after which the remains were laid to rest in Oakdale Cemetery. Rev Schimfky paid a high tribute to the sterling character of the deceased, and his many high qualities as a man among men. The pall bearers were Messrs. Julius Wagner, Chas. Kraus, Chas. Hardrath, H. L. Weiland, S. J. Lanterman and Henry Altpeter.

JILTED LOVER'S AIM POOR.

Two Shots Miss Girl and He Then Kills Himself.

Sioux City, Iowa, June 17.—Because Edith Matthews refused to marry him, Orville Whitford, on the back porch of Craig L. Wright's residence yesterday afternoon, fired two shots at the girl without effect, and then shot himself through the head, inflicting mortal wounds. Whitford knew the girl in Fremont, Neb. They went to Riverside Park Sunday afternoon and there he proposed marriage. She agreed to give him her answer yesterday. The tragedy occurred when she announced her refusal to become his wife.

Two Drowned at Burlington.

Burlington, Iowa, June 17.—Joseph J. Conenberg and William D. Johnson, two prominent young Burlington men; were drowned yesterday in the Mississippi. While rowing on the river several miles north of this city, late in the afternoon, they attempted to change position and capsized the boat.

Bookmakers Arrested.

Denver, Colo., June 17.—Warrants were served on all the bookmakers at Overland Park yesterday charging them with violation of the gambling law. In most cases bonds were furnished and bookmakers continued to do business.

Kills Her Husband.

Jasper, Mo., June 17.—Charles Ray, a farmer living near Jasper, was shot and killed by his wife yesterday. A divorce suit has been pending in the circuit court for months.

Senator Bailey Improving.

New York, June 17.—Improvement in the condition of Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, who is ill at the Waldorf-Astoria, was reported last night.

Hunter Shoots Himself.

Farmington, Iowa, June 17.—Calfa Mitchell, while hunting on Sunday, accidentally killed himself by discharging the gun into his side.

Treasurer Hangs Self.

Copemish, Mich., June 17. — The body of Frank Bunting, thirty-five years old, treasurer of Cleon township, was found early yesterday hanging to a tree near that place. A coroner's jury decided that he committed suicide. No motive for the suicide is known.

Killed by Train

Benson, Minn., June 16.—Weslia R. Applin of Glencoe was struck by a freight train about seven miles east of here last evening and instantly killed.

Too many men crowd into an upholstered elevator rather than make an attempt to climb the ladder of success.

MARKS NEW ERA IN DAIRY DEVELOPEMENT IN VALLEY

Over 125,00 pounds of butter was shipped from Crookston yesterday to the big industrial centers.

Two solid carloads are sent to Chicago in special cars. Twin cities, Alexandria, and Duluth get shipments.

Yesterday marked a new era in the development of the dairy industry in Northern Minnesota in-as-much as a new high mark was set in the shipment of butter from this point to the big markets, there having been a total of 125,000 pounds chipped from this city in one day. Two solid carloads were shipped in special Burlington cars to Chicago, containing 75,000 pounds, and shipments of 10,000 pounds or over were made to Duluth, St. Paul and Alexandria with smaller shipments to other points.

The value f. o. b. Crookston, was between $25,000 and $30,000, which was the largest by several thousand dollars ever shipped from this point. All this butter was made in and about Crookston and on branch lines in this immediate vicinity and goes to show the wonderful development of the dairy industry in this section the past few years specially the past year.

One reason for the marked increase in the output of butter this spring is the splendid pasturage afforded. The frequent rains have kept the grass tender as a result of rapid growth and the cows have not been pestered with mosquitoes because of the cool weather and prevailing breezes.

In addition to this there have been over a score of new creameries established in this immediate vicinity during the past four months, thus encouraging the farmers to pay more attention to the production of milk.

Another encouraging feature is the fact that the farmers have discovered that clover can be successfully raised in this section, and that fodder corn can be produced to fill silos, thus giving a better flow of milk during the winter months than was possible under the old regime.

In addition to the wonderful increase in the production of butter the shipments of cream to the Twin Cities and Duluth from Crookston and the branch lines has more than trebled during the past year according to the records of the express companies so that the net income from the cows of the valley is fully double what it was a year ago.

PENSION POINTERS

SOME TIMELY INFORMATION REGARDING NEW PENSION REGULATIONS

WIDOWS ENTITLED TO INCREASE NEED NOT MAKE APPLICATION FOR IT

From Monday's Daily—

U. S. Pension Agent F. H. Magdeburg, whose office is at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has issued a circular containing some very timely information regarding some changes in the pension regulations regarding applications and the signing of vouchers which should be carefully read by all pensioners.

The July payment of pensions being near at hand it will be well for all pensioners to understand that the new form of vouchers must be signed by pensioners at top and bottom of same.

Widows entitled to an increase under the Act of April 19th 1908, need make no application for it, as the amount of increase due them will be added to the July 4th payment by the Pension Agent.

Signature at top of voucher, if by mark or poorly written, must be witnessed by two persons. No witnesses are necessary to signature at bottom of voucher.

All corrections must be certified to by magistrate as having been made prior to final execution of voucher.

Magistrates are admonished to use great care in all particulars and especially in giving the correct address of pensioner both at top and bottom of voucher.

The avoidance of all errors will materially expedite payment to pensioners.

YAQUI INDIANS BUCK.

Break Off Negotiations for Peace With Mexico.

Mogales, Ariz., June 17.—The large body of Yaqui Indians assembled at Hermosillo to discuss terms of a surrender to the Mexican government, refused yesterday to give up their arms, and negotiations for a peaceful settlement are broken off, at least temporarily. No details following the refusal to surrender have been received.

LOUISIANA STAYS WET.

House of Representatives Kills Prohibition Bill.

Baton Rogue, La., June 17.—Louisiana will not become a prohibition state during the term of the present assembly. This was decided last night by the house of representatives, which body, by a vote of 58 to 47, indefinitely postponed consideration of the Doussan bill providing for a referendum on state-wide prohibition.

COMPANY I AT LAKE CITY

THIRD REGIMENT MINNESOTA NATIONAL GUARD ARRIVES IN TWO SECTIONS

CAPT. WESTERBERG OFFICER OF THE DAY—MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

From Wednesday's Daily—

Lake City, Minn., June 17—(Special to the Journal)—The Third regiment of the state national guard arrived in Lake City. The train was in two sections of 11 care each. The unloading was accomplished with dispatch and before evening the men were all settled and the drills had commenced. Medals have been offered for competition in rifle shooting among the recruits by the Commercial club of Lake City and this same organization will give the boys a moonlight excursion during their stay here.

The Co. I boys are all feeling fine.

The Third regiment is now well established in camp and will be here for ten days. The discipline and work will be more severe and arduous than ever before, but all changes have been accepted in an excellent spirit and it is freely predicted that that the camp will be one of the best yet held in t he state.

The first battalion, consisting of Companies A, C, E and F has been on the rifle range today, finishing the 200 yard work just before noon. The 30 yard range and part of t he 500 and 600 will be shot off this afternoon The other battalions spent a goodly part of the day in company and battalion drills.

Westerberg Officer of the Day

A detail for the morning and one for the evening are appointed each day. The former detail today was composed of Captain Franklin, Company A, officer of the day; First Lieutenant Staples, commander of the guard. The detail for tonight is as follows: Captain Westerberg. Co. I, officer of the day; First Lieutenant Chisholm, commander of the guard; Second Lieutenant Hanson, Co., C, junior commander of the guard.

The first review last night was in honor of Colonel Charles E. Johnson. The regiment was commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Resche of Duluth. Nearly 650 men were in line.

Louis Johnson, who this spring sowed some Swedish Oats which he imported from the Old Country is highly pleased with the way they are thriving. They come up well, have a magnificent color, and are growing very rapidly, for outstripping the varieties usually sown here. Claus Sohl the private secretary of Mayor Engel of Euclid returned home this morning after spending a day in the city.

ELIAS STEENERSON'S ADDRESS AT CONVENTION

IN HIS ADDRESS BEFORE THE STATE ASSOCIATION OF POSTMASTERS MR. STEENERSON RECOUNTED SOME INTERESTING EARLY HISTORY OF MINNESOTA SHOWING THE WONDERFUL DEVELOPMENTS THAT HAS TAKEN PLACE IN A FEW YEARS—MADE SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT OF THE POSTAL SERVICE—ONE OF THE BEST ADDRESSES AT THE CONVENTION

From Saturday's Daily—

The addresses of Postmaster Elias Steenerson at the annual meeting of the State Association of Postmasters in St. Paul the forepart of the week attracted unusual attention not only because of suggestions as to improvement of the service but because there was a "boosting Minnesota" strain thru his remarks. Though following such men as Representatives Stevens Nye and Tawney U. S. Senator Clapp and Second Assistant Postmaster General J. T. McCleary the address of Mr. Steenerson commanded the closest attention. His address in full follows:

Steenerson's Address

Mr. President and Fellow Postmasters:

The committee on arrangements has seen fit to place me on the program which I regard as an honor and especially so for it is a fact that my inclination in the matter has not been taken into consideration.

I have so to speak been drafted into the service. It is with reluctance that I comply, inasmuch as I am a new man in the postal service compared with many of you old war horses of Uncle Sam as I have yet to complete my first term in office. However I assure you that I am not as young as I look and from that fact and from the fact that this seems to be a case where the office seeks the man I take courage and trust that I may have your confidence and indulgence while I talk to you, in my humble way upon the antics and intricacies of the subject alloted to me.

Progress and Efficiency

We are a progressive nation and a progressive state. To meet the postmasters of the state of Minnesota is a great pleasure and that it will result in our mutual benefit and promote the efficiency of the postal service. I sincerely hope and I am here, fellow postmasters, to stand shoulder to shoulder with you for progress and efficiency.

Early Memories

In my time the state of Minnesota developed from a territory of less than 50,000 population to its present population of more than two million. I can remember when St. Paul was but a small place up the river known best by reason of its proximity to Fort Snelling.

I can remember when the Sioux Indians raided the settlers along the Minnesota river and the postmaster's scalp was sought by them as well as the politician's; I can remember when the grass hopper feasted on the promising crop of the struggling pioneer; I can remember the Red River Valley with its alluvial soil and broad acres before a furrow was turned. I remember the forest primeval of Beltrami Co., where Chief Bemidji wooed his dusky maid and built his wigwam on the sandy beach of the head of the Mississippi, where the thriving town of Bemidji is now located and our friends Anton Erickson now presides as postmaster enjoying all the luxuries of a second class postmaster and a free delivery system.

The Transparent Envelope

In view of all these facts why should I not take courage and obey the mandate of our worthy president. The subject allotted to me is "The Transparent Envelope". I believe the reason for selecting said subject is that of late the transparent envelope has become an annoyance to Postmasters and postal clerks and a discussion is desired for the purpose if possible to get rid of the trouble. It is easy to find fault but quite another thing to mend it and apply a remedy. If I am able at this time to say some thing that may lead to a reform in the line of what the subject suggests I shall feel endorsed as I realize that the snags the Postmasters are apt to run up against are not easily up-rooted

Two Species

Transparent envelopes are of two species we may say. One of them is I believe patented. It is an ordinary envelope with a hole in the address side an inch and a half wide and about five inches long on which is pasted a piece of transparent paper which allows the writing inside to show thru and is used in sending out bills, the name of the debtor so placed on the bill as when folded and enclosed it will form the address and thus save the sender from writing the address on the envelope, a great saving of work as well as a protection against the mistake of placing the bill in the wrong envelope. They sell, I am told for $1.90 per 1000 which is about 66 cents per 1000 more than the government charges for return card envelopes. They are evidently a desirable envelope for those using them.

A Yankee Invention

I am told that they were invented by a Yankee a few years ago and he sold his right to make them for $500,000. So I was told by an agent for a fountain pen who said he had once met the inventor on the train between Springfield and Boston. If in your judgment two Yankees can be believed in a case of this kind you do so, I have no further evidence of the affair. This kind however is not the one that causes the most trouble and for fear of disturbing vested rights we had better tolerate them.

The Troublesome Kind

The other kind of transparent envelopes are those used to enclose ornamental postal cards. They are in themselves as inoffensive as any other envelope or piece of paper that we have to deal with but the manner they are used has made them quite unpopular with our fraternity.

I sincerely hope the time is not far distant when the feud between these innocent envelopes and the troubled postmaster may be completely obliterated.

The cause of the feud does not originate with the postmasters nor the envelopes but in the ever present push and energy of the American people and the ever allert official of the post office department who always seeks to satisfy the wants of the public by construing the law to fit the demands justly made upon them.

An Opening Left

As I gather it order number 98 dated February 16, 1907 was provoked by danger of postoffice employes in the handling of ornamental cards from the presence of poisonous substances in the coloring and the order winds up by stating that such cards shall be excluded from the mails except when enclosed in suitable envelopes. This left an opening for a further ruling as to what is a suitable envelope. The manufacturer naturally taking it for granted that a suitable envelope was one in his judgment adopted to purpose consequently we have the post card with the direction in the upper right hand corner "Place postage stamp here" and a transparent envelope to cover it with.

An Easy Error

Very naturally the well meaning sender did as directed put the stamp on the card and then took the envelope and puts the card inside of it not realizing that by so doing he not only made it first class matter if it had a message of writing on it but also obstructed the cancellation of the stamp The card thus becoming stalled in the office to be treated as matter without postage and if not able to secure postage from addressee will be finally sent to the dead letter office.

Expects a Remedy

This annoying condition has not existed very long and I have no doubt a remedy will soon be found. There are many things we as postmasters have to contend with in a similar line and I am free to say I have observed a great deal of improvement in the service in such matters in the brief period I have been in the srvice. I am of the opinion that we need to apply some of the cheap and indespensible salve which a certain clergyman advised his wife to use when she suffered from a broken limb. The name of said salve—"Patience."

Rich Man and Lazarus

You have all read the parable in Scripture about the rich man in affluence who refused to alleviate the pangs of hunger of poor Lazarus and when they both went beyond the condition became reversed and he saw Lazarus in Abraham's bosom and he asked him to go back and tell his brothers and relations of the mistake he had made. Abraham answered "They have the Law and the Prophets let them hear them." Thus it is with us postmasters.

We have the postal laws and regulations and the guides; let us observe them. During my charge of a postoffice I have learned to respect the wisdom of said laws, regulations and the orders in its guides. I have learned to respect the wisdom of Congress and how many times admired their ability and skill. I am therefore reluctant to suggest remedies to fancied ills for fear that the remedy might turn out to be worse than the evil.

Would Abolish 4th Class

It would seem however that so long as I have consented to speak upon the subject without some suggestion to reform were made the talk would be a waste of time. Let me then suggest a reform which may correct not only the transparent envelope evil but other evils which it seems to me originate in the same cause. I refer to the classification, I believe congress and the department have been too technical in their rulings with regard to the postal and post cards. I believe the time is at hand when Congress like Alexander the Great will rise to the occasion and cut the Gordian knot with reference to Classification and make everything that is not first and second class, third class and place all postals, post cards and unsealed letters third class and do away with fourth class altogether and return all matter to the writer if not called for if possible to do so.

Postcard Red Tape

There is more red-tape and hair splitting laws regarding postcards than any other subject and it is time that a reform is inaugurated. Such a reform may be a compromise with those who clamor for the parcel post and a one cent postage rate a step in the direction of their ideals and a step in the direction of simplifying the rating problem. An ideal, the coming of which I believe both the public and postal officials will receive with open arms.

In conclusion I wish to say we ought to be appreciative of the ability of our delegation in Congress. Our state ranks high in the galaxy of states of our nation and our delegation is equal if not superior to any of them.

Never in the history of congress has there been such wholesome and progressive legislation with regard to postal service. They have responded to every reasonable demand for increase of pay for clerks and carriers, rural as well as city. They have revised the method of railway mail pay resulting in large savings to our country. They have had a commission at work to improve the method of the workings of the service which has made thorough investigation which will no doubt result in further improvements. They have kept pace with the demand for public buildings by liberal appropriations. In view of all this I believe we Postmasters as well as the whole state have reason to be satisfied and show our appreciation. I thank you for your attention.

HOMESTEADED BY CONGRESS

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE RECEIVES NOTIFICATION FROM WASHINGTON

OF PATENTS GRANTED BY SPECIAL ACT—WIDOW GETS LAND

From Thursday's Daily—

The Crookston U. S. land office received this morning from the general land office at Washington notice of the granting of three patents by special act of congress in the last session.

Direct grant of a patent was made by congress to a widow, Mrs. Gertrude Halvorson Aaby on 80 acres in section 27 town 148 range 38 near the city of Bagley. The widow made proof here at the Crookston land office and then the proof was declared invalid on account of the fact that her husband had filed on land before and had no right to this entry which was made by him.

The homestead entry of Walter H. Quist was declared to be invalid when he came to make proof on account of previous entry. The entry and previous entry were made in this district Congress granted a patent to the claimholder.

In both of these cases the parties making the entry also spent considerable time and money in the improvement of their homesteads and had lived up to all the other requirements of the law.

By another section of the same bill Carrie Jeglem now of Kelley, N. D., was granted a proof on a homestead near Strathcona. Her proof was approved at the Crookston land office when she made final proof on the claim, but was rejected at the United States general land office at Washington on the grounds that her proof did not show full fourteen months residence immediately preceding the application for the patent.

The bill was introduced from the public lands committee in the house of representatives of which Congressman Steenerson of Crookston is a member.

Mrs. S. L. Bowen of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure. Sold by all druggists.

DAIRY CENSUS VALUABLE

SURPRISING RESULT OF CENSUS SHOWING YIELDS FROM HERDS

BROTHER OF A. O. STORVICK OF THIS CITY GIVES RESULTS

From Saturday's Daily—

That a cow consus is a good thing for the farmer in that it calls his attention to the results accomplished by his herd is shown by the report of a cow census taken by T. A. Storvick buttermaker for the creamery at Lake Mills, Iowa. The census was taken among the herds of the farmers supplying milk to the creamery and showed a difference in the returns to the several farmers some cows producing more than five times as much butter fat in a year as others in the same neighborhood.

Mr. Storvick is a brother of O. A. Storvick, an inspector in the Minnesota dairy and food department located at Crookston, who has for several years been urging farmers to adopt the system of taking an annual cow census. He insists that the best results cannot be obtained unless the farmer knows just what his cows are accomplishing and that when this information is obtained the farmer is in a position to improve his herd so as to increase its moneymaking qualities.

M. Storvick of Iowa acted on the suggestion and started to take a cow census of all the herds supplying milk to his creamery. He did not get complete returns but he got results from 187 herds, and his report contains the following information:

"Number of herds reporting, 187; number of herds producing over 200 pounds of butter fat per cow per year 3; 150 pounds 12; 125 pounds 46; 100 pounds 100; less than 100 pounds 87. The best herd produced 262 pounds butter fat per cow and returned to its owner $79.14 per cow. The poorest herd produced 38 pounds butter fat per cow and returned the owner $9.28 per cow, a difference of $69.86 per cow While I am not acquainted with the conditions at either of the farms, there certainly must be a difference in caring for the cows in order to make this large difference in returns.'

"The cows in both these herds had to be kept 365 days in the year, so the cost of keeping should be about the same, neither of the herds being grain fed. The only difference, if any is the extra work in caring for them, and allowing $5 per cow for this extra work we find that a cow producing 262 pounds of butter fat at $30, estimated cost of keeping, has charged 11 1-2 cents to produce one pound of butter fat, while the cow producing 38 pounds of butter fat per cow at $25 the cost of keeping, has charged 60 1-2 cents to produce one pound of butter fat. One patron receives a good net return on his investment and the other had been better off not knowing what cows were.

"The price you receive for butter fat indicates what the creamery is doing. But it does not indicate the poor cows you are keeping at a big loss to produce that fat. It does not indicate your lack if knowledge in feeding and handling cows is that they cannot be profitable.

DROP CERTIFICATE PLAN.

Open Rate to National Educational Association Convention.

Winona, Minn., June 13. — It was announced yesteraay by Secretary Shepard of the National Educational association that in order to conform to the recent ruling of the interstate commerce commission, Central Passenger association and Trunk Line from the certificate plan to the round-trip open-rate plan for tickets to the Cleveland convention June 29 to July 3, leaving rates, dates of sale and ticket conditions the same as heretofore.

JUMPS FROM CAR WINDOW.

Wisconsin Insane Man Is Rendered Unconscious by Fall.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., June 13. — Leon Demars, committed to the Mendota asylum from Chippewa county, jumped from the window of a car near Merrillan Junction while the train was going forty miles an hour. The train was backed up and found the man lying unconscious, he having struck on his head. He was soon revived and will recover.

JEROME WON'T LOSE PLACE.

Understood That Commissioner Will Only Criticise Attorney's Actions.

New York, June 13.—The commissioner who heard the charges against Jerome has reached a decision. It is understood that he will criticise Attorney Jerome's action in not prosecuting certain persons, but that he will not recommend his removal. Nothing official, however, has been given out.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

THE REDSKIN AND HOW HE PERFORMS AT CIRCUS

TAKES SPECIAL INTEREST IN THE ELEPHANTS IS ALWAYS MANIFESTED BY THE BRAVES WHILE THE SQUAWS TAKE A SPECIAL DELIGHT IN THE CLOWNS AND FREQUENTLY MAKE THEM VALUABLE PRESENTS—THE HIPPOPOTAMUS EXCITES THE DEEPEST HATRED OF THE ABORIGINES AND HAVE TO BE GUARDED TO KEEP THEM FROM DOING HARM TO THE MONSTER

"With the exception of the elephants, there is nothing on earth that will make the red-skinned, untutored Indian sit up and take notice as quick as the clowns. These light hearted crazy quilts of circusdom seem to tickle the Indian joy rib at every stage of the game," said a representative of Ringlings Brothers' World's Greatest Shows, which are to exhibit here on Monday (afternoon only) June 29.

"Yes sir," he continued, "In the far West, where the circus exhibits every two years, there are several towns which seem virtually bounded on the North, South, East and West by Indians and it is while playing these points that the tepee lords and families have opportunity to wheat their amusement appetite. Out in that country, the Ringling herd of 40 elephants and bevy of 50 clowns receive no limited amount of attention. To the Indians, an elephant is a kind of Chinese puzzle, and they would stand all day feeding the two-tailed critters if the keepers did not shoo them into the big top. One season while showing at Pocatello, Idaho, Chief Big Horn became so attached to Boo, an elephant of tender years that he offered to trade his squaw for the pet. Now the deal might have been approved of by Boo, had she had any voice in the matter, for she liked the brute immensely and raised a terrible fuss when parted from her friend. Strange as it may appear, it is a fact that elephants like Indians. The big brutes will carry on like an affectionate child every time they behold a redskin heading their way.

"The squaws do not take so kindly to the peanut eaters, owing to their timid nature. Clowns are their hobby. To the lady of raven locks and copper complexion, the circus cutup it IT in every sense of the word, and she will become as mushy as a healthy cream puff every time one appears. In the land of alkali and sage brush, where flowers are scarcer than hen's teeth, the squaws do not honor their favorites with bouquets, but bestow dainty creations of bead work instead Like their pale face sisters of the East, they are very enthusiastic. On circus day they fuss up their faces in true feminine fashion and sail forth as gay a bunch of loveliness as ever worshipped at the matinee idol's shrine. Of course these little ladies do not munch chocolates or split their gloves applauding; no siree! When a clown wins squaw approbation he is rewarded with a shower of beaded moccasins, handbags, belts and trinkets. These little ladies have been known to work like beavers for weeks preparing articles to toss at their favorites. I remember one instance where an Indian princess became so enthused over a clown act that she tossed her jacket into the hippodrome. This piece of finery was heavily decorated with elks' teeth and valued at $600.

"Indians as a rule are liberal spenders. They save considerable money for circus day and buy reserved seats with the same ease a member of the Standard Oil ring displays when attending grand opera. Of course there are some Indians who are not in a position to travel first class, but the percent is very small. These unfortunates come to town on show day and content themselves with viewing the parade or visiting the side shows. While there is always something good in every life, there also exists a drop of bad blood, and that particular drop becomes a bubbling fountain whenever an Indian passes the hippopotamus den. Say, if there is anything, animal or otherwise, that will cause an Indian to finger his shooting iron, it's the liberal mouthed 'hip.' Just why the Red Man can't go the animal is more than we have been able to learn. but it is a double clamped cinch there exists a terrible hatred. On several occasions, while playing the West, Ringling Brothers have been compelled to order the hippo's den closed for fear of the animal being harmed by his red-skinned, blanket wearing enemy."

SHOOTS OLD WOMAN.

Hotel Proprietor Shoots Wife of Partner Who Is Away on a Visit.

Pittsburg, June 13.—Mrs. Margaret Kolb, sixty years old, wife of Martin Kolb, proprietor of the Highland hotel, was shot through the neck and was taken to a hospital in a critical condition. Adam Spahn, thirty-eight years old, a partner of the woman's husband, is under arrest. Mr. Kolb is visiting in Germany.

Spahn admitted the shooting and said Mrs. Kolb and he had trouble over business affairs.

Killed by Own Rifle.

Eau Claire, Wis., June 13.—Norbert Chejke of Otter Creek was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a .22-caliber rifle which he was drawing from a buggy. He was eighteen years of age.

His Bride Still Missing.

Spartanburg, S. C., June 13. — No trace has been found of Mrs. W. F. Burns, whom her husband alleged was taken from him while they were on a bridal tour across Panther mountain

Occasionally a woman buys a hat that actually looks like one.

POSTMASTERS IN SESSION.

Annual Convention Is Held in St. Paul.

St. Paul, June 11. — The men and women who handle Uncle Sam's mail in Minnesota are holding their annual convention in St. Paul and are represented 250 strong. Postmasters and postmistresses from all parts of the state were present yesterday afternoon at the opening session of the convention at the federal building. The convention will close this afternoon with the election of officers. President William Kaiser of Faribault is presiding. Congressman F. C. Stevens of St. Paul, Congressman Nye of Minneapolis and Congressman Tawney of Winona made brief addresses, confining their talks entirely to the work accomplished by the past congress.

J. T. McCleary, second assistant postmaster general, will be the principal speaker at to-day's session. Senator Moses E. Clapp of St. Paul will also speak.

More men would acquire that tired feeling if all their words were backed by deeds.

Don't give a dollar with one hand and take back two with the other.

We Want You

to consider this bank just as a place of business dealing in money and credit; a place of business that depends on the support of the people of this community and is vitally interested in the future growth and up-building of both our town and tributary territory.

We want you to feel as free to come in here as you would in going into any store.

Come in and get acquainted with our officers. take note of the class of people we have for customers; we are confident you will be glad to open an account with us and be associated with these people in a business way.

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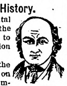
NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

June 11 In History.



Sir John Franklin.

1776—The Continental congress named the committee of five to draft the Declaration of Independence.
1798—Napoleon seized the island of Malta on his Egyptian campaign.
1847—Sir John Franklin, naval officer and arctic explorer, died in the arctic regions; born 1786.
1898—Spaniards attacked United States marines at Guantanamo; first fight of Americans in Cuba.
1903—King Alexander, Queen Draga and the Servian cabinet assassinated at Belgrade.

U. STUDENT RETURNS—William Watts returned yesterday afternoon from St. Paul where he has been attending the University of Minnesota in the law department.

PUBLIC EXAMINER HERE—Public examiner Kain of St. Paul formerly with the St. Paul Globe as business manager arrived in the city this morning and attended to state routine business in the county treasurer and other offices of public finance in the city.

LOOKING FOR RIGHT OF WAY—Hector Baxter of St. Paul, connected with the Canadian Northern railway has been spending the day in the city at the United States Land office in connection with the right of way of his road thru the northern part of the state and in the jurisdiction of this land office.

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS — Given away in the Fargo Conservatory of Music to the amount of $600.00. The best equipped musical school in the Northwest, largest faculty, all branches taught. Pupils may enter at any time. Send for information regarding scholarships. Fall term opens Sept. 10th, 1908. Large illustrated catalogue of school sent upon request. Address E. Herdeg, Secretary of Fargo Conservatory of Music, or W. W. George, Director, Fargo, N. D.

Postmaster Elias Steenerson returned this morning from St. Paul where he had been to attend the two days' session of the Postmasters' Association of Minnesota. He reports the meeting a grand success with about 300 postmasters of the state present.

A Louisville farmer discovered in the Red Lake river near that point last night the body of little eight year old Eddie Brouillette who was drowned in the Red Lake river at Red Lake Falls just below the Healey dam about three weeks ago. The body was badly decomposed. The farmer had gone down to water his horses after the day's labor and saw the body among the brush on the river bank.

The funeral services over the remains of Edward Milette were held this morning at 10 o'clock from St. Annes church, Father Tapin officiating The large number present attested to the high regard in which the deceased was held. All his associates on the bridge crew attended in a body from Red Lake Falls, acting as honorary pall bearers. The remains were laid to rest in the Catholic plot of Oakdale cemetery. The pall bearers were five cousins and Ernest E. Dillabaugh. The cousins were Edmund, Louis, Henry, Thomas and Arthur Milette.

The Adams Presbytery met at Thief River Falls yesterday and installed Reverend N. A. Gilchrist as pastor of the Presbyterian church at that city. Much important business was transacted by the presbytery chief among which was the release of Reverend W. J. Hall of the Presbyterian church at Hallock to the Bethany church at Minneapolis.

D. K. Laurie of the Presbyterian church has been authorized to preach the gospel. Reverend Gilchrist and Laurie have been the pastors at large for the Adams Presbytery and now with the installation of Rev. Gilchrist at Thief River Falls Rev Laurie will have the field alone.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

June 12 In History.

1802—Harriet Martineau, author and noted agnostic, born; died 1876.
1878—William Cullen Bryant, the poet, died; born 1794.
1903—General Alexander McDowell McCook, U. S. A., retired, died; born 1831.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:27, rises 4:24; moon sets 8:40 a. m.; moon's age 14 days; planet Mercury visible low in west after sunset.

WANTED—MEN—For railroad work in Minnesota, Dakota and Montana. Good wages, free fare, ship daily. Call at 301 N. Main St. Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

RECOVERED FROM TYPHOID — Nels Peterson who has had a long siege of typhoid fever is recovering rapidly and is now able to be up and about the house.

VITITS HOME FOLKS—J. C. Sabin leaves on the Northern Pacific day train this afternoon for the Twin Cities where he will visit with his family over Sunday. He will report to the travelers just what Bill Handy's day train is like when he gets back.

OLD SAWMILL MAN—J. J. Meehan of Minneapolis left the city this morning on the Greenbush passenger for Thief River Falls where he will meet his brother Pat Meehan now of Washington state. J. J. used to own a sawmill at Thief River.

TO LOCATE WEST—The families of C. H. Brown, A. C. Gerber and W. H. Matthews are preparing to leave Ada this week for Spokane where they intend to make, their future homes. They are loading their furniture cars this week. The removal of these families from Ada will be greatly regretted as they were among the early settlers and substantial

LIKES THE PINES—Alex Mather one of the well known residents of Grand Forks, who is very prominent in Masonic circles thruout the Northwest passed thru Crookston yesterday enroute to the tall pines near Bemidji where he will spend a few weeks. He is troubled with asthma and the pine woods is about the best place he can head for. He greeted many old friends here during his brief stop.

WILL MADE IN 1888—The estate of Erik Raff who died near Fertile September 30th 1905 with a will is up before the probate court today and John Holten appeared before the court as one of the witnesses of the will when it was made to swear as to its authenticity. C. H. Carlson was the other witness of the will when it was made.

Chas. Loring of the firm of Steenerson Loring who represented plaintiff today received a telegram from the clerk of the Minnesota Supreme court stating that the supreme court has affirmed the verdict secured in the district court here last January which gave the plaintiff damages in the sum of $4,750 for injuries received while working on a Great Northern pile driver at Cass Lake.

Plaintiff claimed that the pile driver started with undue warning and he was crushed into an 8 inch space which resulted in serious and permanent injuries to his back. Johnson resides near Cass Lake. The victory is a signal one for the plaintiff.

C. O. Drayton of Greenville, Illinois president of the state union of the American Society of Equity for Illinois spoke this afternoon in the Grand Army hall to thirty five farmers in behalf of the organization.

The object of the union is to further organization among farmers under business leadership that they may hold their wheat and other crops for the year's top notch prices. The Society takes care of the pressing debts of the member while hold for "Dollar Wheat".

The Illinois president cited the benefits he and his union at Greenville had enjoyed and the prosperity enjoyed by all its members.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

June 13 In History.

1752—Frances Burney, later Mme d'Arblay, born; died 1840.
1786—Winfield Scott, general, born near Petersburg, Va.; died 1866.
1898—The Fifth United States army corps, under General W. R. Shafter, sailed from Tampa for Santiago de Cuba.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:28, rises 4:24; moon sets 4:15 a. m.; moon's age 15 days; 8:55 a. m., eastern time, full moon; 4 p. m., planet Venus apparently stationary; planet Mercury visible nearing western horizon in evening twilight.

FILED FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY--Attorney P. R. Levik of Fertile arrived in the city yesterday and filed this morning for county attorney.

LINING THEM UP—Theo. Thompson left last evening for McIntosh where he will spend a day or two lining the boys up for the fray at the primaries later on.

HOLTEN FILES— John Holten of Fertile filed a few days ago for representative in the state legislature from Polk county. He is the present incumbent.

CROOKSTON GOOD ENOUGH — Maurice Brosseau returned last evening from Twin Falls Idaho where he has ben on a trip and says that Crookston is good enough for him.

TRANSCRIPT RECEIVED — Transcript has been received from the state auditor of the loan for the new Angus School of $2200 with note of the different bond issues to cover.

HOME FROM UNIVERSITY—Erskine Vance returned this morning from the state university, having remained over to attend the graduating exercises. He spent a profitable year and returns in excellent health.

BACK FROM THE PEN —Deputy Sheriff Gus Sandberg and Sheriff Louis Gonyea arrived home this morning from the trip to Stillwater in the charge of E. A. Dunham, sentenced for forgery.

FATHER IS DEAD—Word has been received here of the death of Chas. A. Harrington of Bellevue, Iowa father of Chas. Harrington of Keystone town The deceased was ninety years old and had lived in Bellevue for 67 years. He has been here a number of times visiting his son.

VISITED THE EAST —Tim Hastings returned home yesterday afternoon on the Northern Pacific from a trip to Pennsylvania. He left here two weeks ago to attend the Odd Fellows convention in St. Paul and extended his trip east.

HOME FROM RACES—J. P. Easton, Mine Host McIntyre and Judge John Keenan of Warren returned this morning from Fargo where they have been for the past few days attending the races. Judge Keenan has been at Fargo for a month with his son Will, who is training the Lycan string of fast ones this summer.

LOOKING AFTER CLAIM— Z. A. Cadieux, formerly a mail clerk on the Great Northern, Crookston to Duluth passed thru the city last evening on his way to Lakota, N. D. on business. He has a claim in North Dakota and will spend his time on that after completing the business that takes him to Lakota. He quit the government mail service in January 1907 and has been at Red Lake Falls since that time.

OLD POLK CO. BOY—Will Cleary one of the old time boys of Angus is spending the day in the city enroute from Winnipeg to Wahpeton where he was formerly located. He found things very quiet in Canada and said he could not get back to the States quick enough. The Cleary family resides at Spokane but he has not been there for the past eight years, having been railroading on the Range till a few months ago when business grew quiet and he has since been at Wahpeton.

Life

The poet's exclamation: "Oh life! I feel thee bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing the richest blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, run-down, or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abounding. We are glad to say these words in its favor to the readers of our columns.

It's so much easier to pray for forgiveness than to fight against temptation.

STATEMENT BY GOV. JOHNSON

MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE DECLARES HE WILL NOT ACCEPT RENOMINATION

CONFIRMS THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE BY FRANK A. DAY FEW DAYS AGO

From Saturday's Daily—

Governor Johnson yesterday killed the last flickering hope of democratic office holders, by the declaration that he would not accept a renomination. He made it emphatic and final.

The interview given out by Frank A. Day early in the week had a purpose. It was to prepare the way for the declaration made today. The governor returned from Kansas where he delivered the state university commencement address and immediately corroborated Day's statement by issuing the follow ing interview.

"The statement made by Mr. Day to the effect that I would not again be a candidate for the office of governor is correct in every particular. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for a renomination. Not only will I not be a candidate but I would not accept the nomination if it were unanimously tendered me. appreciate the signal distinction which has been conferred upon me by the democratic party and the people of Minnesota in two nominations and two elections to this office and I am mindful of the obligation which I owe to the people of this commonwealth but I do not believe in the third term principle as applied to the office of governor and I am influenced in this decision by considerations generally which would make it impossible for me to arrive at any other conclusion.

"My reason for making this statement at this time is that there may be no political embarrassment because of any indefiniteness as to my position."

Johnson's transition will be from the capitol to the lecture platform. He is already under engagement for a series of summer Chautauqua dates at $200 a lecture to be followed by a winter tour and the only thing that will interfere with this program will be Johnson's nomination for president at Denver.

JUST CATCHES BERRYGROWERS

STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY PLANS TO MEET IN STRAWBERRY TIME

In order to meet in the midst of the strawberry season, the Minnesota State Horticultural society has called its summer meeting for June 23. It should give the northern fruit growers a chance to show their early varieties, the southern men to show their late varieties, and the central section will be in the middle of the season.

The summer meet will be held at the state experiment station. St. Anthony Park. Fruit exhibited will be served at luncheon after it has been judged.

While the meeting is primarily for the study of fruits, considerable attention will be given to flowers and particularly to roses and peonies for which many prizes are offered. The management is anxious for a large floral display and invites private growers to exhibit, even tho they have only one variety.

Samuel B. Green of the experiment station is president of the society and A. W. Latham of Minneapolis is secretary.

BREAKS HER ARM TWICE IN ACCIDENT

Eva Fairchild residing on South Fourth street was the victim of another serious accident yesterday. Two weeks ago a bone in one of her arms was broken when she tripped on the sidewalk. Yesterday when the doctor was about to come to take off the splints she had another fall and not only broke the arm where it was broken two weeks ago but sustained a new fracture. Within a year she had her shoulder dislocated and so she thinks she has had more than her share of accidents.—Grand Forks Herald.

Virginia for Bryan.

Roanoke, Va., June 13.—The state Democratic convention yesterday selected delegates to the national Democratic convention at Denver instructed to vote for William J. Bryan for the presidential nomination.

Drowned While Bathing.

Eureka Springs, Ark., June 13. — Frank Willis, Jr., secretary and manager of the Berea Citizens' Electric company, was drowned yesterday at Beaver, in the White river, while boating.

KILLED ON NORTHERN PACIFIC AT FERTILE

MRS. THOMAS JOHNSON KILLED AT FERTILE, MINN., YESTERDAY AFTERNOON—FREIGHT TRAIN CAUSES DEATH — TOOK HOMESTEAD ON PRESENT FERTILE TOWNSITE IN 1879 — 85 YEARS OLD

Mrs. Thomas Johnson, (Sensegraff) eighty five years old, was killed on the Northern Pacific right-of-way yesterday evening at Fertile during the passing of the Northern Pacific freight train south bound. The details of the accident will not be brought out until Coroner Chesterman, departing south this afternoon makes his investigation The tracks run between the residence and the barns belonging to the place and the lady was evidently walking across the tracks between the two when she was killed. She was found in a heap at the bottom of the grade after the passing of the train.

Two sons and two daughters survive her, Mrs. O. L. Hamery of Crookston Mrs. J. Rondstevedt of Fertile, making her home with her mother, Enert Johnson and Halvor Johnson of Greer Idaho, the latter now on a visit in British Columbia. The home is built on a homestead filed on by Mrs. Johnson in 1879.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hamery and Geo. L. Hamery departed south with Mr. Chesterman this afternoon.

THINK HE WAS MURDERED

BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN FOUND ALONG SOO TRACK NEAR PAYNESVILLE

INDICATIONS ARE THAT HE WAS THROWN FROM THE FAST PASSENGER

From Friday's Daily—

An unknown man, who may have been murdered was found along the Soo tracks near Barnesville, at an early hour yesterday morning. The find was made by two tramps who flagged the thru freight and turned the remain over to the train crew. The railroad men in turn took the body to Paynesville, where it was given to the authorities.

The authorities at Paynesville believe that the man was murdered. There were no bruises whatever to show that he had been run over by a train and the general theory is that he was thrown off a passenger. Other than a ticket to St. Paul which was found in his pocket there was nothing to identify the remains.

The tramps who found the body state that it lay about ten feet from the rails and in the ditch.

The man had been dead but a few hours and it is the belief that he was aboard the passenger which arrives at Paynesville early in the morning.

A description of the dead man has been sent to St. Paul authorities in an attempt to learn his identity. The unknown was well dressed and had every appearance of a man who had prospered.

$3,800 DRAFT FROM CARNEGIE

TREASURER GEORGE CARPENTER OF PUBLIC LIBRARY RECEIVES DRAFT

CROOKSTON WILL HAVE FOUR PERMANENT NOTEWORTHY IMPROVEMENTS THIS YEAR

From Saturday's Daily—

Treasurer George Carpenter of the commission in charge of the erection of the Carnegie Public Library on Ash St., received from Andrew Carnegie this morning a draft for $3800 to be applied on the $12,000 that the celebrated philanthropist has given for the erection of the splendid structure.

The library will be completed before the first of September and the library which has been located in a room in the Odd Fellows Hall on Robert and Ash streets for several years or since its foundation will be moved to the more dignified quarters.

Crookston will have four additions worthy of note this year, all of these improvements now being complete or under construction. The Library is the first, the new building being erected by Tom Morris on Second street. the exclusive high class flat building to be called The Colonade on North Broadway being built by Contractor Louis Johnson and the Grill improvements.

On Tom Morris's new building the excavation is almost completed for the beginning of the structure proper. It will be highly modern, fire proof and constructed of white tile front with complete interior equipment.

The Colonade is almost completed and will be ready for occupancy by the last of July if not before. It will be divided into strictly high class modern apartments with every modern equipment. It will be one of the two exclusively apartment buildings in the city.

FINE MEETING HELD AT ADA

W. C. T. U. DISTRICT CONVENTION CONCLUDED THERE LAST EVENING

NEW OFFICERS WERE ELECTED—OLD PRESIDENT TO LEAVE THIS DISTRICT

From Saturday's Daily—

President, Mrs. Lucy Chapin, Euclid.
Vice President, Mrs. Crawford, Ada.
Secretary, Mrs. LaDue, Fertile.
Treasurer, Mrs. Andrews, Ada.

The above officers were elected at the district meeting of the W. C. T. U. which was held at Ada yesterday, concluding with a splendid program last evening.

This district will lose two of its most active workers in a short time, Mrs. Bayrell of Argyle, who was president of the organization for 16 years consecutively until last year, will leave in a short time for Montana where she is to live in the future.

The delegations from the north passed thru Crookston this morning enroute home, and included Mrs. Lucy Chapin and Misses Lottie Bohrer and Vesta Misner of Euclid and Mrs. Bayrell and Mrs. Boyce of Argyle. In Mrs. Chapin, the association has as president one of the most conscientious and consistent workers in the district, who has been active in W. C. T. U. work for many years. A more detailed account of the convention will appear in the Journal later.

CASTS GOLD FOR TEETH

DR. ROBERTSON OF CROOKSTON ATTENDS STATE DENTAL ASSOCIATION

DR. W. H. TAGGART OF CHICAGO DEMONSTRATES NEW DENTAL DISCOVERY

Dr. W. A. Robertson of Crookston returned yesterday morning from St. Paul where he had been attending the annual meeting of the State Dental Association. While in attendance on the meeting he witnessed the demonstration made by Dr. W. H. Taggert of Chicago of Taggert's new method of casting gold, which process has revolutionized dentistry. An impression in wax is taken of the prepared cavity of a tooth to be filled, this placed in a mold the mold is then shaped as the tooth is desired to be and the gold is forced into the mold by air pressure. Dr. Taggert cast flowers and other delicate filaments before the meeting which was very enthusiastic.

Dr. Robertson with a company of 12 dined with Dr. Taggert in his honor at Carlings after the meet had adjourned.

By his machine with air pressure Dr. Taggert has succeeded in increasing the specific gravity materially.

BIG REWARD FOR CONVICTIONS

The State Game and Fish Commission are specially active at this time in protecting deer, elk and moose which come out on the prairie at this season of the year to avoid the flies and mosquitoes in the timber and are therefore apt to be shot. Game Warden Munch calls attention to the fact that there is a reward of $25 for evidence leading to a conviction for illegal shooting of deer and $50 for moose

BADGE GAVE INDIANS SCARE

COMMERCIAL TRAVELER TELLS OF EXPERIENCE AT OMEGA, MINN.

MUST NOT SELL LIQUOR TO ANY INDIANS ON RESERVATION

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Commercial travelers arriving in the city from the north tell of a scare that Food Inspector Heiberg threw into a bunch of Indians and a bartender at Omega east of Thief River on the reservation.

Inspector Heiberg struck Ogema quietly on the soft pedal as usual and in course of business dropped into a saloon. He found several Indians there and while hesitating at one side one of the Indians stepped up to the bartender and spoke in Indian. Then the barkeep says, "You're a Norwegian aint you?" The Indian answering the affirmative the barkeep handed over the liquid.

"Say" said Inspector Heiberg, "don't you know that it is against the laws of the government to sell liquors to Indians?"

At the same moment the wind from a nearby door blew back the skirts of the inspector's coat and revealed the big badge of his office that he wears.

The barkeep turned white as a sheet and grasped the edge of the bar for support and then made a wild race for the door and disappeared followed by several wild Indians, leaving the inspector in possession.

A posse had to be sent out far into the woods after the runaway barkeep and an hour or two spent in allaying his thrill and combing his hair down.

Strict government orders have gone into effect preventing the sale of liquor to Indians whether government Indians or any other kind of Indians on government or bordering on government soil.

WM. REITMEIER DIED SUNDAY

PROMINENT AND HIGHLY RESPECTED FARMER OF LOWELL HAS PASSED AWAY

General and sincere sorrow will be caused by the news of the death at an early hour Sunday morning of William Reitmeier who passed peacefully away as the result of a complication of asthma and heart trouble. Deceased had been troubled with asthma for over 20 years and about a week ago had a very bad spell. Saturday he appeared better and Saturday evening was up and about the house as usual, ate a lunch and retired between 8 and 9 o'clock. He died without pain taking a turn for the worse at 3 o'clock in the morning, about an hour before he died. Mr. Reitmeier's friends were limited only by those who knew him. He was honest, industrious and generous, a kind husband, indulgent father and honored and respected neighbor.

Deceased was born 68 years ago the 30th of June in Minster Regierungsbezirk Kreis, Teckelnburg, Westphalen, Germany, and came to this country when 25 years of age, locating at Racine where seven years later he was united in marriage to Miss Philomina Year.

Fifteen years ago on November 10th last the family removed to Polk Co., Mr. Reitmeier purchasing what is known as the old Oliver Tvedten farm the southwest quarter of Section 4 in the town of Lowell 7 1-2 miles northwest of Crookston where he has resided ever since.

Deceased is survived by a widow and ten children, five children having died. The children are Mrs. Pauline Fox of Racine, who is enroute here now, Henry of North Yakima, Michael E., who operates a transfer line in Crookston, and William, Fred Albert, Ed, John, August and Charley, the two latter being twins 21 years of age on May 11, and the youngest of the family, all of whom are farming in the same neighborhool as their father did.

The funeral services will be held at the farm residence Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock after which the cortege will move to the German Lutheran church on North Broadway where services will be conducted by Rev. Schimfky between 1 and 2 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. S. L. Bowen of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure. Sold by all druggists.

DREDGE STUCK UNDER BRIDGE

STANDARD DRAINAGE COMPANY HAVING TROUBLE ON THE MARAIS DITCH

32 FOOT SECTION OF BRIDGE TAKEN OUT—SPACE NOT WIDE ENOUGH

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Standard Drainage Co., is having all manner of trouble in getting past a bridge on the marias between Esther and Grand Forks townships in western Polk. A 32 foot span of the bridge was removed but this proved too narrow and the dredge was stuck and broken in trying to force a passage last Saturday and is still fast. More of the bridge will have tto be removed in order to let the big floating dredge pass.

MINNESOTA POSTAL CLERKS PROMOTED

TWO IN THE CROOKSTON OFFICE GET $200 AND $100 RAISE RESPECTIVELY

A number of promotions at first and second class postoffices to take effect July 1 are announced by the post office department. One clerk apiece is promoted from $600 to $800 at Crookston, (Hendry) Fergus Falls, St. Cloud and St. Peter. Two clerks at Fergus Falls and two at St. Cloud are promoted from $00 to $900.

Promotions from $900 to $1,000 follow:

At Crookston one clerk (Pat Harris)
At Fergus Falls, four carriers.
At St. Cloud, six carriers.
At St. Peter, three carriers.

LAND DECISION UPHELD HERE

GENERAL LAND OFFICE SAYS ENTRY OF LIZZIE ALLEN IS CANCELLED

The general land office affirms the decision of the Crookston Land Office in the contest case brought by Thomas O'Connor against Lizzie Allen by cancelling the entry made by the woman on land in the vicinity of Beaudette.

The case when heard at Beaudette brought out much animosity between the parties to the case and their witnesses. Lizzie Allen was alleged to be an owner and inmate of one of the houses of ill fame at "Old" Spooner. She was charged with conducting this place and trying to prove up at the same time. The contest was brought for abandonment for a period of more than one year that the woman never established permanent residence and made no permanent improvements alleging that the three room house on the land was on the land when she made her entry on it.

FINLAYSON-STROOT WEDDING TUESDAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning at 9 o'clock Mr. Wm. J. R. Finlayson was united in marriage to Miss Ida Helena Stroot at St. Mary's church in this city Father Smiers officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large company of friends and relatives, those from out of town including Atty. and Mrs. G. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks, the former a brother of the groom and Mrs. Alfred Vonderbeck of Euclid.

Following the ceremony the bridal party drove to Euclid where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents and the wedding festivities were continued during the entire afternoon.

The bride is the popular and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stroot prominent and well-to-do farmers near Euclid and looked very charming, gowned in a beautiful creation of white mulle trimmed elaborately with valenciennes lace, and carried a magnificent bouquet of brides roses Her going-away gown is of blue broad cloth with hat to match. The brides maid was her sister, Miss Lucy Stroot who wore a handsome gown of white Japanese silk and carried a beautiful bouquet of La France roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Finlayson will leave this evening for St. Paul, Minneapolis and Wabasha, where they will spend their honeymoon with relatives of the bride, and upon their return will at once begin housekeeping in a cozy residence on Main street, Euclid, which the groom has furnished charmingly for the reception of his bride.

WINTER RYE A WINNER

N. C. HANSON SAYS IT IS A MOST PROFITABLE CROP TO RAISE

AND IS AT THE SAME TIME AN ERADICATOR OF ALL FOUL WEEDS

From Monday's Daily—

From present indications winter rye will soon be one of the leading crops of the Red River Valley. Several farmers in this section have been experimenting with it for several years past and have made a signal success of it. The crop this year is exceptionally fine and will be ready for harvest early in July.

N. C. Hanson residing three miles west of the city on the south side of the river has several beautiful fields this year. The rye is all headed out, and has been for the past ten days. It stands four feet high and the heads are long and well filled. Mr. Hanson sowed the rye the first part of September last year and believes that is the proper time to sow it in this latitude It attained a good growth last fall and before killing frosts came he turned his cattle and sheep onto it and it made most excellent pasturage and makes a better crop when so pastured than when allowed to freeze down.

With the first approach of spring it shot up and is so hardy that hard frosts did not phase it in the least and it will be harvested and the ground plowed before any other crops are ready for the harvest this year and he intends plowing the land a second time later in the fall, so the land will virtually be sumer fallowed and in prime condition for a banner wheat crop another year. A sample of Mr. Hanson's rye can be seen in the Journal window.

But the success of the crop is but half the story. The rye crop if properly handled is far more effective in cleaning the land of foul weeds than two summer fallowings according to Mr. Hanson who is a thoroly practical farmer and others who have raised the crop. Because of the early start it gets in the spring it chokes out mustard, king head and all other weeds and foul growths.

The land which Mr. Hanson cropped to rye this year was literally yellow last year with mustard. This year not a dozen stalks of mustard can be found in the whole field. Two crops of rye on another field completely eradicated the mustard and all other foul seeds.

Another year will see thousands of acres of winter rye harvested in the Red River Valley as scores of farmers are preparing to sow rye next September. The land should be well cultivated or manured to make the crop a certain success.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

EDWARD DUNDON AN N. P. EMPLOYE IS CAUGHT IN GIANT COG WHEEL

Edward Dundon an employe of the Northern Pacific on construction work at Glyndon had a narrow escape from death yesterday while working next to the immense cog wheel which furnishes the power for the cable of the unloading plow. In some manner he fell into the jaws of the wheel as it was moving and his left arm was caught at the shoulder. With a strong and quick jerk he managed to free himself but not until two large pieces had been torn from the muscles, almost deep enough to expose the bone.

His wounds were dressed by Dr. Lowe of Glyndon and he was sent to the hospital at Brainerd.

KOOCHICHING WILL BUILD

YOUNGEST COUNTY BORROWS MONEY FOR COURT HOUSE

Koochiching the newest county in the state, is to have a suitable court house, the state investment board Saturday having approved an application for a loan of $42,000 to be used in the construction of the building. The loan having been approved, the money will be available as needed and the county commissioners will not waste any time in getting the work under way.

The application was considered at a meeting of the board yesterday the county being represented by Judge C. W. Stanton of the district court, County Attorney W. V. Kane and R. S. McDonald and N. S. Olson members of the board of county commissioners.

GAME WARDEN SHOT IN HAND

OFFICER IS WOUNDED WHILE ATTEMPTING TO ARREST A COUPLE OF INDIANS

WARDEN WAS SHOT AFTER ATTEMPTING TO TAKE PRISONERS TO JAIL

While arresting two Indians east of International Falls, G. W. Loman Koochiching county game warden, was shot in the hand during the mixup after he had drawn his revolver to enforce his orders for the Indians to come with him to town.

Mr. Loman said that the two Indians had venison in their possession and had been offering it for sale in town.

When Mr. Loman started to bring the two Indians to town one of them refused to be taken into custody and the warden drew his revolver. A scuffle followed and the revolver was discharged, the ball passing thru Mr. Loman's hand and making a very painful wound.

The Indian with whom Mr. Loman had the scuffle escaped thru the thick brush but his companion was brought to International Falls and was given a sentence of thirty days in the county jail as punishment for his violation of the game laws.

DESTROYS HALF TON OF MEAT

INSPECTOR HEIBERG RETURNS FROM TRIP OVER SOO LINE

Inspector Heiberg has been making his headquarters at Thief River Falls for the past few weeks while inspecting the matters that come under the jurisdiction of his department along the Soo from Detroit to the border. He destroyed along the Soo a half ton of meat at different places on account of decayed condition. The meat was home butchered. The butchers wanted to cut it up into sausage, but the inspector made sausage of it for them and poured kerosene over it that it could not be used again.

PRAISE FOR THE VALLEY

PROF. L. P. HARRINGTON OF THE SCHOOL OF AGRCULTURE STATES THAT

CONDITIONS ARE MORE PROMISING HERE THAN ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE STATE

From Monday's Daily—

Prof. L. P. Harrington of the School of Agriculture at the State Experimental farm near Crookston has returned from a tour of the southwestern part of the state where he has been doing farmers' institute and summer school work since school closed here early in the spring. He is dated for similar work till the latter part of July but the remainder of his time will be spent in the cities and towns in the northern part of the state including Warren, Hallock, Stephen, Argyle, Bemidji and other east line towns, Wadena, etc., where he will combine institute work with boosting for the School of Agriculture here.

Prof. Harrington states that the conditions here are the most favorable of any part of the state he has visited, the superabundance of rain in most sections having materially damaged the crops. He says the crops he has seen about Crookston and vicinity look fine and he believes a most prosperous season is at hand thruout this section.

GUNNUSSON OF MENTOR DIES

WELL KNOWN OLD SETTLER PASSES AWAY AT 79 YEARS

Torkel Gunnusson 79 years and 7 months old, departed this life yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock of old age. A widow and four sons and a daughter survive him. The sons are Torkel, Halvor, John, Ole all of Mentor or neighborhood. The daughter is Mrs. Helsa. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Mentor by Reverend Salveson of Crookston.

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STOLE FROM WYLIE FARMER

FRANK DAILY ARRESTED AT ST. HILAIRE YESTERDAY BY MARSHAL

STOLE FIVE DOLLARS AND REVOLVER FROM FARMING EMPLOYER

From Tuesday's Daily—

Frank Daily was arrested at St. Hilaire yesterday by the village marshal on a telephone message from Wylie.

Daily worked for a farmer by the name of Leo Sehultz at Wylie. When he left he accumulated $5 in cash and a revolver worth $5 according to the allegations.

Frank Daily is under legal age and will be thru the city tomorrow on his way to the reformatory at St. Cloud.

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HEIRS OF SUICIDE CANNOT BE LOCATED

Attorney Clough searches in Chicago for Amelia Ark, heir to valuable property in the north. country.

Attorney Eugene D. Clough of Crookston is searching the intricate geography of Chicago for Mrs. Emilia Ark and Mrs. Minna Huber (or Fluber) who are the only surviving heirs of C. E. Alfred Foelsh, a homesteader found dead in the township of Huss February a year ago.

About noon February 16, 1907 while the meditative John Bystrom, town clerk of the township of Huss in Roseau county was nodding on his back porch, John Whalen, a homesteader ran headlong thru the bush up to him and told breathlessly of his finding out in the pines Alfred Foelsh dead in his cabin a shotgun between his legs.

The town clerk rushed posthaste thru the country, gathering from all sides the homesteaders of the locality and they found Foelsh's dead body laying prone on the floor his head covered with blood and the wall covered with his brains.

Crumpled up and to one side of the body, laying as if it had dropped from the table was found this missive written in Norwegian:

"Dear Sisters: When you receive these lines I will not be among the living.

God is a mild and just ruler and knows that I die innocent.

Joel Wahlin and his father have poisoned me once before, but, thanks to my strong constitution, I got well again. They are after my claim and are making trouble for me. Lystrom and Pflaten are in the gang, especially Lystrom and Joel.

Now the good God may forgive those three as I forgive them.

My Will

All that I own I bequeath to my two sisters, Emelia Ark and Minna Huber (or Fluber) in Chicago, Ill. * * House and Claim, also a cow at G. C. Pflaten's value $28.00, and one at my dear friend Bratrudt's value $28.00. Have paid everything in cash.

In the coroner's examination that followed Joel Whalen said he last saw Foelsh at his (Whalen's) house on the Tuesday before or Feby. 14th, that he missed Foelsh for four days and went thru the swamps to Foelsh's cabin. He knocked on the door but received no answer, he found the door locked and broke it in and he found Foelsh on the floor in the same manner as the summoned town clerk had found them.

The key to the cabin could not be found on the inside of the cabin and the cabin door had undoubtedly been locked from the outside.

Shortly after Foelsh's death Joel Whalen filed notice of contest on the claim on the grounds of abandonment by the heirs. The case came to the attention of Attorney Clough of Crookston and he has been trying to find the heirs mentioned in the document left.

The case was tried here last week and Saturday Judge R. J. Montague handed down a decision which will give the Crookston attorney 40 days in which to find the heirs. The claim is said to be worth $15,000 in timber alone.

GETS 3 YEARS FOR ROBBERY

FRANK STEVENS IS SENTENCED FOR BREAKING INTO MANVEL POSTOFFICE

IS SURPRISED THAT HE DID NOT GET AS MANY AS TEN YEARS

From Monday's Daily—

"That's easy; you don't need to put those handcuffs on me, officer, I would walk over to the jail and serve three years if you let me out, for I do not consider that it would be worth the chance of escaping to get out of serving three years; I expected to get ten."

These were the words of Frank Stevens alias Miller who was sentenced by Judge Reed in federal court at Fargo Saturday for the crime of robbing the post office at Manvel, to which he had pleaded guilty early in the week.

Three years in the federal prison at Leavenworth and also a $500 fine was the sentence imposed on Stevens.

The prisoner made his own plea for clemency, reminding Judge Reed that he had saved the United States a great deal of expense in pleading guilty and also making a lengthy plea on the ground of poor health and because he claimed to have a wife and family living in California.

CIRCUS TRAIN IN COLLISION

GOLLMARS LOSE TWENTY-FOUR HORSES IN NORTH DAKOTA ACCIDENT

Gollmar Bros.' circus lost 24 draft horses a part of its train was destroyed and it was delayed twelve hours in reaching Bismarck by a head on collision at Medina at daylight yesterday. A light engine running twenty five miles an hour collided with the circus train going at thirty miles an hour. One man was injured.

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HAY STACK SWALLOWED

CYCLONE NEAR EUCLID SUNDAY HAD BIG FEED FROM PETE STUHR'S HAYSTACK

NO TRACE OF STACK HAS BEEN FOUND—FUNNEL SHAPED CLOUD DID WORK

From Tuesday's Daily—

One of the most peculiar cyclones that ever visited this section of the county swept a strip of country begining two miles west of Euclid Sunday afternoon, taking a course south east from that point for a distance of 5 miles. The funnel shaped cloud appeared about 5 o'clock p. m. and the people of Euclid were terrorized for a time, but the devastator did not get closer than a mile to Euclid and in its course did not strike any buildings.

The most peculiar freak however, was the complete disappearance of a last year's hay stack belonging to Peter Stuhr, the merchant of Euclid. The stack was well weighed and settled, but the entire stack was picked up bodily and no trace of it has been found. It was about a 20 ton stack and no one in this region ever heard of a similar performance even by a cyclone. After traveling about five miles the funnel shaped cloud raised and no further damage was done.

ECLIPSE OF SUN ON JUNE 28

An annualar eclipse of the sun will take place on June 28 and it will be visible in America as a partial eclipse A large portion of the face of the sun will be eclipsel and it will probably be one of the most interesting natural phenomena of this kind which has taken place and which will be visible in North America for some time. June 28th is on Sunday and the eclipse will commence about 8:30 o'clock in the morning and end at about 11:15. If the weather proves favorable and there are no clouds or but few of them the inhabitants of this section of the world will have the opportunity of witnessing a fairly good eclipse of the sun.

MIKKLESON HAS TROUBLE WITH WIFE & SUICIDES

BODY OF BEN NIICHOLSON, AGED WESTERN POLK COUNTY FARMER FOUND IN THE RIVER—DISAPPEARED FROM HOME WEEK AGO—NO PROBABILITY OF FOUL PLAY

Historical Society

Further details have been received regarding [illegible] death of Ben Mikkelson whose body was found on the Red River bank [illegible] Jackson's landing, ten miles below East Grand Forks, on Sunday. Mikkelson had been gone since last Tuesday. His wife told the police of his disappearance on Thursday but cautioned them to say nothing about his going, for she feared he would be angry if there was anything told about it. She is 25 years old and the dead man is 70. She is a niece of his first wife. He sent for her to Norway, and they were married two years ago.

On Monday Mikkelson returned from Birkholz, Minn., where he had gone to look after his half section farm. He complained to his wife concerning the way the work had been done on the farm and acted so threateningly that she was alarmed She feared he would harm her and spent the night with a relative in the residence at 702 Fourth avenue.

Had a Quarrel

In the morning they had a quarrel and she said she would go to her home in Norway if he would give her money enough. He said that he guessed he would go home too. That was the last she saw of him. She supposed he had gone to his home at Northland, but on Wednesday ascertained that he had not done so. It was learned that Mikkelson had taken his will from the Union National bank on Tuesday. The deceased had resided at Birkholz for 31 years before.

Coroner Chesterman has decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Saw Him Near the River

It developed yesterday that Chris Hanson a blacksmith employed in the Dow machine shop had talked with Mikkelson on Tuesday and was probably the last man who saw him alive. Mikkelson seemed despondent and acted rather queer, but Hanson never thought there was any likelihood of his committing suicide.

The will of the deceased has not been found and it is supposed that he destroyed it in order that his wife would not receive the amount of property he had intended at first. She will receive her share of the estate, as will also the two daughters of the deceased who reside near Birkholz.

The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from Norman's undertaking rooms, Rev. G. O. Mona of Trinity Lutheran church conducting the services. The body was taken to Birkholz for burial.

COUNTY ATT'Y THROWS BOMB

A WARNING GIVEN TO SALOONISTS WHO SELL TO THE INDIANS

STATE COURTS WILL PROSECUTE WHERE FEDERAL COURTS LEFT OFF

From Tuesday's Daily—

The trial of Indian liquor cases has occupied more time in the United States court at Fergus Falls than any other line of business. From ten to twenty-five such cases have been called for trial at every term of court for a decade, but at the last term, this business was practically suspended as nearly all of the Indians on the reservation north of there have taken lands in severalty and the courts have held that such Indians are no longer wards of the government, and they have been drinking as freely as their white fellow citizens. The dealers along the border have been doing a thriving business, but the county attorney of Becker county, has just thrown a bombshell into their ranks by sending out the following notice:

"I wish to call attention to section 1560 of the revised laws of Minnesota for 1905 which reads as follows: "Section 1560—Sale to Indians—Whosoever sells or in any way furnishes liquor to any person of Indian blood, whether a member of any tribal organization or not, except as hereinbefore provided, in case of licensed pharmacists, shall be guilty of felony and shall be punished by imprisonment in states prison for not more than two years and a fine not to exceed $300."

"Violation of this law has become so open and notorious that it becomes my duty to see that the provisions of this section are carried out. You are therefore notified that it is my duty upon complaint being made to enforce the provisions of this section I therefore trust that you will at once if you have not done so in the past refrain from in any way, either direct or indirectly selling or furnishing to any person of Indian blood, liquors of any kind."

From this it appears that the Indian liquor dealers have escaped the federal court only to fall into the hands of the state courts, and with heavier penalties.

GUESTS IN PANICKY EXIT.

Lightning Starts Fire in Hotel, but No One Is Injured.

Eau Claire, Wis., June 23.—Lightning struck a store adjoining the McAllister hotel in this city and set fire to the former building. There was a panicky exodus from the hotel, but luckily no one was injured. The loss was about $1,000.

JAKE' CARRIES RAMSEY CO.

JACOBSON GETS RAMSEY, ANOKA RICE AND GRANT COUNTIES

HEATWOLE LOST HIS OWN COUNTY, RICE, WHICH WENT FOR JAKE

Outside of Ramsey county which went for J. F. Jacobson for governor primaries held in different sections of the state Saturday for the most part declared for uninstructed delegations.

Joel P. Heatwole, candidate for governor, is reported to have lost his own county to the opposition which probably means the county will be for Jacobson.

The primaries will be held on various dates from June 18 to June 24. The Hennepin primaries will be held this evening.

The Ramsey county organization had Jacobson tickets in the many of the wards and they carried.

The county conventions will be held next Thursday all over the state. Arrangements are about complete for the state convention which will be held in St. Paul July 1.

In Hennepin the situation is uncertain. Friends of both Captain Snyder and of M. W. Savage are claiming an approaching victory for their respective candidates.

There is considerable doubt as to the result. The recent pronouncements coming from Young and Savage will have on the result. Attorney Geenral Young has advised his friends to vote for Savage while on the other hand, Mr. Savage has come out in a statement denying an alliance with Young.

Two For Heatwole

In their primaries of last night, the city of Faribault is reported to have gone against Heatwole contributing to the loss of Rice county.

Nicollet county is said to have declared for Heatwole and Olmstead county is reported the same way.

Brown county broke about even for Young and Jacobson while Anoka declared for Jacobson without reservation.

In Carver the delegates are uninstructed.

Washington county did not show much interest in the result, declaring no special sentiment. Wadena is for an uninstructed delegation, while Grant county declared for Jacobson.

The Jacobson forces appear to have won out in Anoka county. In Anoka there was a contest in but one ward, the First, which Jacobson carried by nine votes. Everything points to a Jacobson vicotry in the county.

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SUBTLE FLUID DOES HAIR RAISING STUNT HERE

A number of people knocked down and telephone service crippled. Most intense shock ever felt in the city.

From Monday's Daily—

The most freakish electrical storm that ever visited Crookston resulted in a panic in practically every part of the city Sunday afternoon between 1 and 2 o'clock. And stranger still there was but one flash of lightning, but it was the most terrific ever witnessed in Crookston or vicinity. From 10 o'clock heavy clouds hung over the city and the atmosphere was exceptionally close and rain was expected every minute.

A Blinding Flash

About noon many residents noticed and commented on a sulphuric smell with which the air seemed to be permeated.

Shortly after 12 o'clock it began to sprinkle and a few minutes later there was a blinding flash of lightning and a crash of thunder which rattled dishes, stoves and everything else loose and nearly sent every resident into hysterics.

Bolt Struck in Sampsons Addition

The bolt struck two trees and a telephone pole along the side walk on Woodland Avenue, Sampsons addition and A. L. Berkland who was about 20 feet distant carrying a steel framed umbrella was knocked down but not seriously injured. The trees lost all their bark.

Limb Blackened

At least 10 other people were also knocked down, including Andrew Peterson, son of the Great Northern section foreman who was near Peterson's Pop factory, 5 blocks from where the bolt struck, and the little Evanstine girl who was about two blocks from where the trees were pealed. She lives next door to Morberg's store in Sampson's addition and has a black spot on one limb where she was struck.

Another man who was walking on the G. N. tracks 8 blocks from where the bolt struck was knocked down and two or three children whose names cannot be learned were knocked over. All of those shocked soon recovered.

But there is not a residence in the city with electric lights or telephones but what experienced something out of the ordinary.

Light Globe Shattered

Archie Hillard went up stairs to close a window and was directly underneath a drop light when the crash came. He saw a blue flame, the electric globe was shattered into a thousand pieces and Mr. Hillard found himself under the bed when he came too.

The domestic at the Hillard home was putting the tea kettle on the range and the shock knocked it from her hands and clear across the stove.

A Close Call

Chris Thygeson of Sampson's addition had a close call and thought he was sent for and couldn't come. He was sitting a few feet from his telephone when the lightning struck a nearby telephone pole and ran to his telephone smashing it all to pieces. Mr. Thygeson was severely shocked.

Broke an Arm

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt, who resides across the street from the old Riverside Hospital was so shocked that he fell from the high chair on which he was sitting and broke an arm. A physician was called, the fracture was reduced and he is now getting along nicely.

Shock was General

Similar experiences are reported from every part of the city and the miraculous part of it is that no one was seriously injured. Graham Munch was sitting up stairs in his room a short distance from one window and states that a bar of fire seemed to stretch from one window to the other and he was so shocked he fell over backwards.

In a down town drugstore patrons and employes noted two apparent balls of fire below an electric light.

Telephones out of Commission

The telephone service thruout the city was crippled for a time, many phones being entirely out of commission yet, and scores of electric lights are out of business temporarily.

Following the flash rain poured in torrents for a half hour.

It is later learned that two traveling men were knocked over in the lobby of the Hotel Crookston. A big spark shot from the bottom of a chandelier to the tile floor with a crack like the explosion of 100 pistol shots hitting the floor right at their feet, and both men keeled over but were not seriously shocked.

Toll Service Crippled

In addition to the 15 or 20 phones put out of commission in the city the Northwestern has several toll lines knocked out. Near Nielsville several telephones were shattered and all connections broken. The damage will probably be rapired before night. Some of the other long distance lines are also temporarily down, the electric storm having been more severe to the south and west than it was in Crookston.

Got Off Easy

The electric lights in the city were not seriously effected. A few lights in the court house and in a few residences were burned out, but outside of this the damage was immaterial.

A VERDICT FOR $5,000

FRED MAGEAU AWARDED THAT AMOUNT AGAINST THE GREAT NORTHERN TODAY

AS ADMINISTRATOR OF WIFE'S ESTATE—CARLSON SUIT VS. G. N. ON

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning the jury in the case of Fred Mageau as administrator of the estate of his deceased wife, Clara Mageau, returned a verdict for the plaintiff for $5000 against the Great Northern. It was claimed that Mrs. Mageau died as the result of injuries received on a passenger train enroute to Crookston from St. Paul. Steenerson and Loring were the attorneys for the plaintiff.

The next case, now on trial, is the damage suit of Chas. Carlson who claims that while employed in the Great Northern transfer yards at Red lands, he was hit by an engine causing permanent injury. Steenerson & Loring are attorneys for the plaintiff.

A woman is known by the company she isn't at home to.

GRAND MARIAS ROUTE CHANGED

CAPT. JAS. A. BEARD SPENDS A DAY ON STATE'S GRAND MARAIS DITCH

ROUTE CHANGED TO RUN DOWN WATERCOURSE AT ONE MAIN BEND

From Monday's Daily—

Captain Jas A. Beard of the Standard Drainage Company of Windom, Minnesota arrived in the city last night from the Grand Marais north of East Grand Forks where he investigated the condition of the big steam floating dredge located there on state ditching work. The ditch straightens the Grand Marais digging thru the banks in some places about twenty feet. As a result of the Captain's visit the dredge is again working on the project and will rapidly complete it. As the Grand Marais is the outlet for considerable land above it the completion is awaited with interest.

Some changes were made in the ditch line which will now follow the Marais around the last bend in it instead of trying to cut across as originally intended.

Crookston, Monday, June 29.
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60 Aerialists and the 10 Flying Jordans
60 Riders the Duttons and Daisy Hodgini
50 Clowns the World's Funny Men
375 Circus Artists
200 of Them Imported From Abroad
BIG GLORIOUS NEW RICH GORGEOUS FREE STREET PARADE 3 MILES LONG
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Admission tickets and numbered reserved seats will be on sale show day at HILLARD'S CITY DRUG STORE at exactly the same price charged in the regular ticket wagons on the show grounds.

POST OFFICE AT FARLEY ROBBED

ABOUT $5,000 WAS SECURED BY THE THIEVES WHO DID A CLEVER JOB

STOLE TOOLS OF SECTION CREW AT TURTLE RIVER TO DO THE WORK

$200 OF VILLAGE FUNDS TAKEN AND MAYOR LOST $100 PRIVATE FUNDS

Bemidji, June 19—A daring post office robbery took place some time during last night at Farley the postoffice was robbed of $100 in cash and over $100 in stamps. In addition to this $200 of the village funds was taken and about $100 belonging to Postmaster W. T. Blakely.

It seems that the robbery had been carefully planned the robbers breaking into the storeroom of the M. & I. railway company at Turtle River and secured a handcar and from there went to Farley.

Before breaking into the building it was carefully wrapped with blankets and other material to deaden the sound. So well had they planned their act that not a person was disturbed when the large safe belonging to the village was blown to pieces.

The section crew at Turtle River discovered their loss this morning and the company at once set out on a thoro search for the missing handcar

The county officials are making a vigorous search and Sheriff Bailey expects in a short time to be able to locate the handcar. This will give a clue as to the direction in which the robbers went after leaving Farley

Orin Daniels
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

SWEDISH EDITOR AT HALLOCK

The Scandinavian grand lodge I. O. G. T. which convened at Hallock Thursday is attended by 150 delegates The officers' reports showed 3,500 members in good standing and $3,000 in the treasury.

Among those present were E. Bohmer, the noted editor from Sweden, and Peder Swensen member of Norway's parliament, special reppresentatives to the meeting from the fatherland.

In the evening a fine banquet was served to the visitors by the Commercial Club. Covers were laid for 125 N. A. Konzen acted as toastmaster Among the speakers were E. Bohmer subject "Sweden"; P. Swensen "Norway"; E. C. Yetter "Hallock"; E. A. Nelson "Kittson County"; Rev. Lundgren "Churches"; Mr. Hall "Good Templary."

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Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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FIVE MINUTES IN A CISTERN

LAD APPARENTLY DEAD AT MINTO LIVES TO TELL THE TALE

DOCTOR WORKS AN HOUR TO RESTORE RESPIRATION — NARROW ESCAPE

From Friday's Daily—

At Minto, N. D. Domnick the five-year-old son of F. D. Ronkowski had a wonderful escape from death by drowning yesterday and for a while it was believed he was dead. The family lives over a poolroom conducted by Ronkowski and the mother sent the boy to bring potatoes for dinner from a dark room underneath which is a cistern. The boy failed to return in a reasonable length of time and the father was notified. He hastened to the room where potatoes were kept and looked down into the cistern Everything was still there being no evidence that the water had been disturbed. A pole with an iron hook attached made for the express purpose of fishing things out of the cistern was at hand.

This the father seized and at the first attempt hooked the clothing of the boy and brought him to the surface The body was lifted out and taken to the rooms. Apparently life was extinct. Dr. Norton who was passing was called in.

Slight Sign of Life

He found no sign of breathing but there was still a slight action of the heart and the doctor went to work with a will. After an hour of hard work he succeeded in getting the water off the boy's lungs and restored respiration.

It was feared pneumonia might set in but the boy is doing nicely. It was more than five minutes between the time the boy went into the room and when the father fished him out and so it is believed he was in the water at least five minutes.

Before committing a mean act a man usually manufactures what he considers a good excuse for it.

The world would respect some reformers more if they would begin on themselves.

ELECTRICAL STORM HIT

MRS. ANDREW OLSON KNOCKED SENSELESS AND HER COW KILLED

ROOF OF HOUSE RIPPED OFF—ALL PHONES OUT OF COMMISSION

From Friday's Daily—

There was a fierce electrical storm at Fertile last night. The residence of Mrs. Andrew Nelson was struck, ripping th shingles from the roof and knocking Mrs. Nelson senseless for a few minutes. The bolt ran from the house to the barn on a wire clothes line and killed a cow in the stable.

Practically every telephone in Fertile was put out of commission by the lightning

LAYS PLANKS ON BRIDGE STREET

STREET COMMISSIONER CHAS. DUVAL GETS BUSY ALONG FAMOUS ROUTE

Street Commissioner Chas. Duval with street laborers arrived on the scene of the recent sidewalk wreck along Bridge Street in Jeromes addition with wagon loads of planks that residents of the addition might get out to the business district without carrying some of the wet earth along with them. On account of the recent rains the sidewalkless Bridge Street is bringing the lack of a passage by walk home to the residents and the residents who tore up the Bridge Street walks are now getting the results they expected. On account of the agitation the city is preparing to immediately lay the walks desired at the grade desired.

DYNAMITING IS CHARGED.

Resentment Over Divorce Suit Is Alleged Motive.

Grand Rapids, Wis., June 18.—Julius Paulson of the town of Sherry, it is alleged, blew up a new tool house with dynamite, completely destroying both building and contents.

When he learned that divorce proceedings had been instituted by his wife, it is alleged, he determined to destroy what property he could rather than run the risk of his wife's obtaining possession.

RATHER DIE THAN LOSE HER.

Lovesick Boy Takes Laudanum, but Gets Too Much to Kill Him.

Almena, Wis., June 18. — Because he was forbidden to continue the role of lover to a young girl, Walter Hagen, living in the town of Clinton, attempted suicide. He swallowed so much laudanum that it caused nausea and made him very sick. He is thought to be out of danger.

Country Boy in Trouble.

Fargo, N. D., June 19.—Oscar L. Olson, a green country boy, was arrested at Jessie, this state, on a charge of mailing obscene letters. When arraigned in the court he pleaded not guilty and an attorney was appointed to look after the youth's interests.

Capitalist Kills Himself.

Johnstown, Pa., June 19.—Joseph F. Engle, fifty years old, director of several banks, president of the Cresson Springs Brewery company and a wealthy merchant, shot and killed himself at Galitzin, near here. He had been in ill health.

Big Petoskey Hotel Burned.

Petoskey, Mich., June 19.—Fire of unknown origin last night totally destroyed the Imperial hotel, valued at $120,000. The Imperial was a summer hotel and had not been opened for the season. The only occupants were the caretakers.

Pioneer Merchant Dead.

Caledonia, Minn., June 19.—Delevan D. Sprague died yesterday aged sixty-five years, of heart disease, from which he had been suffering for a year. He had been engaged in the general mercantile business here forty-five years.

Soft Drinks Barred.

Fargo, N. D., June 19.—Pure Food Commissioner Ladd is stopping the sale of many kinds of soft drinks in this state. Recent tests show that the articles are branded in a deceptive manner and are positively injurious.

Names and the Law.

Speaking generally, the law of England allows a person to assume and use any name, provided its use is not calculated to deceive or inflict pecuniary loss. So the court of appeals laid down the law in Dockrell against Dougall, and this attitude of the law, the Law Journal remarks, is characteristic of our British love of liberty. French law is much more strict. It forbids any citizen to bear any name other than that which is expressed in the registry of his birth or to add any surname to his proper name. German law is the same, only it goes a little further in imposing a penalty on any one giving a false name to an official.—Dundee Advertiser.

SETTLED FOR $175

SUIT BROUGHT BY MRS EVELYN FARLEY AGAINST NEW YORK LIFE

SETTLED BY COMPANY FOR $175 — SUIT ON THE POLICY

Mrs. Evelyn Farley today settled suit brought by her against the New York Life Co., for money on life insurance policy carried by her husband for $175 and judgment will be given her for that amount.

F. X. Zenon Farley took out the policy January 16, 1899 for $1000. The company claimed he had not paid the last premium. Mr. Farley died last winter. He was the well known proprietor of the Palace barber shop The suit will now be dropped.

Pleads Guilty

Nellie Rodgers appeared before the district court this afternoon and entered a plea of guilty to charges preferred against her in connection with a disorderly house in East Grand Forks. J. J. Clinch, Martin Murphy Wm. Williams and William Palmer are over from the east side as witnesses for the state. Nellie Rodgers got twenty days and a $100 fine.

PETITION FOR A BRIDGE IN GARDEN

A. M. OSWALD AND FOURTEEN OTHERS PETITION COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

A. M. Oswald, supervisor of the town of Garden the other supervisors and fourteen citizens of that town will petition the county board of commissioners at their next meeting, Monday, for a bridge across the Sand hill River between sections 18 and 19 in Garden town.

John Hedstrom and A. J. Olson of Lengby arrived in the city yesterday and spent the day here on county business.

Anarchistic Papers Barred.

Washington, June 19.—All publications having anarchistic tendencies will hereafter find it practically impossible to make use of the mails. Postmaster General Meyers has issued an order directing postmasters to put into effect the amended section of the postal rules and regulations which bars the use of the mails to these publications.

Ore Movement Decreased.

Superior, Wis., June 19. — The ore movement from the head of Lake Superior will reach about 20,000,000 tons, according to advices received by vesselmen here. This is a little over half of that of 1907. It is expected that the steel fleet will be in full swing within a week.

Killed in Boxing Bout.

Philadelphia, June 19.—Thomas Hagen, or Hage, a marine stationed at League Island navy yard, was killed outright last night by a blow over the heart in a six-round boxing bout with "Johnny" Hogan, a local pugilist, on board the battleship Mississippi, lying at the navy yard

$100 Reward $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Leopard Collar.

"A leopard collar," he said, taking up a dog collar studded with sharp spikes three inches long. Fitting the collar on his dog, he resumed: "This piece of armor—for that is what it is—illustrates an oddity of the Himalayas—namely, the fondness of the Himalayan leopard for dog flesh. In the Himalayas last year I found that all dogs wore these murderous looking spiked collars. The explanation was that the Himalayan leopards conducted an unceasing dog hunt, and that in attacking a dog they always fell upon his neck. This collar with its sharp spikes is a great protection. It has saved many a dog from a hungry leopard. Often in the Himalayas a dog comes trotting home safe and sound, though with smears of blood and yellow hairs upon his collar spikes."

BOY TORTURED BY AWFUL HUMOR

Almost Covered with Eczema—No Night's Rest for Nearly a Year—Feared Lifelong Disfigurement—All Treatments Failed and Limit of Endurance Seemed Near.

PERFECT RECOVERY IS DUE TO CUTICURA

"With the exception of his hands and feet, my son Clyde (thirteen years old) was almost completely covered with eczema. Physicians treated him for nearly a year without helping him any. While they were very kind and did all in their power, yet nothing seemed to relieve him. And I had tried many remedies sent to me by kind friends but they all failed. His head, face, and neck were covered with large scabs which he would rub until they fell off. Then blood and matter would run out and that would be worse. Many a time he looked as if his ears would drop off. Friends coming to see him said that if he got well he would be disfigured for life.

"When it seemed as if he could possibly stand it no longer, I decided to try Cuticura. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. I used them in the evening and that was the first night for nearly a year that he slept. This may sound exaggerated to you, but in the morning there was a great change for the better. In about six weeks you could not have told that he had ever had anything wrong with him. I treated him twice a day for six months and at present he has a fine complexion and not a scar on his body. This story may seem overdrawn, but neither words nor pen can describe Clyde's suffering and how he looked. Our leading physician, Dr. ——, recommends the Cuticura Remedies for eczema. Mrs. Algy Cockburn, Shiloh, O., June 11, 1907."

Frequent shampoos with Cuticura Soap and weekly dressings with Cuticura stop falling hair, remove crusts, scales, and dandruff, destroy hair parasites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces, stimulate the hair follicles, supply the roots with nourishment, loosen the scalp skin, and make the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp, when all other remedies fail.

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NORTH COAST BACK AGAIN

PUT LIMITED ON YESTERDAY AFTER A TEN DAYS' BLOCKADE

NORTHERN PACIFIC OFFICIALS BELIEVE TRACK SAFE ENOUGH TO RESUME

From Saturday's Daily—

After a period of about ten days during which it has had to refuse passage to thru passengers to the coast the Northern Pacific yesterday re-established thru service to the Pacific by running the North Coast limited out of St. Paul at the usual time. A succession of floods in Montana badly damaged the line for about seventy miles but repair work has been pushed so rapidly that operating officials feel reasonably sure that the North Coast limited can get thru

If it is found that the track is not yet in condition to be used detours to other lines will be made and passengers carried thru to the Coast. Arrangements have been made with the Oregon Short line and the Oregon railroad and Navigation company for the use of the tracks of these companies in case the Northern Pacific line is not fully repaired by the time the North Coast limited reaches the point of detour which is Butte, Mont. The return to the Northern Pacific tracks would be made at Wallula, Wash.

It was also announced that the Pacific express, trains No. 3 and No. 4, will be operated between St. Paul and Helena, beginning this evening.

Even a detective's train of thought may get on the wrong track.

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TAFT CHOSEN AS LEADER OF REPUBLICANS

Made Unanimous Choice of Convention Amid Wild Uproar of Enthusiasm.

OUTBURST FOR LA FOLLETTE

Demonstration for Wisconsin Man Sweeps Convention From Its Bearings.

BATTLE OVER THE PLATFORM

Declares for Tariff Revision, Currency Reform and Modification of Injunctions.

Chicago, June 20.—For president of the United States—William H. Taft of Ohio.

Taft on the first ballot; Taft by 702 votes; Taft by the unanimous choice of the convention.

Such is the record of the culminating day of the Republican national convention of 1908, effected amid scenes of tumultuous enthusiasm and after a nerve-racking, continuous session lasting nearly eight hours. With the candidate for president named and the platform enunciated, there remains only the nomination of the vice president to complete this momentous work. Last night the whole city was given over to wild exultation in honor of the new candidate whose name goes echoing through the country.

Favorite Sons Named.

The picture within the walls of the vast amphitheater as the presidential candidate was named yesterday was one truly grandiose in its magnitude In front and to the right and left, below and above the billowing sea of humanity, restless after hours of waiting and stirred from one emotion to another, was in a fever of expectancy for the culminating vote. The favorite sons of other states had been named, save Knox and La Follette, and now on the roll call came Ohio. As the Buckeye state was reached the tall, gaunt form of Theodore E. Burton, with studentlike face and severe black, clerical garb, advanced to the platform to nominate Ohio's candidate. He spoke fervently, with the singing voice of an evangelist, which went ringing through the great building.

Taft Legions Break Loose.

The close of his speech was the signal for loosening the long pent-up feeling of the Taft legions. Instantly the Ohio delegates were on their feet, other Taft states following, while the convention hosts, in gallery and on floor, broke into mad demonstrations: "Taft, Taft, W. H. Taft!" came in a roar from the Ohioans.

Megaphones seemed to spring from concealed places and swell the Taft tumult into thunder. A huge blue silk banner bearing the familiar features of the secretary of war was swung before the delegates, awakening afresh whirlwinds of enthusiasm.

All semblance of order had been abandoned and the delegates' arena was a maelstrom of gesticulating men.

Tired Voices Die Down.

The band was inaudible, a mere whisper above the deafening volume of sound. For ten, fifteen, then twenty minutes, this uproar continued.

It was a repetition of the scene of Wednesday when the name of Roosevelt threw the convention into a frenzy; repeated in intensity and almost in duration. But there is a limit to the physical resources of throat and lungs; relays had not been established, and at last the tired voices died down to a hoarse shout and at last subsided.

This lull now gave the opportunity for the speech seconding Taft's nomination by George H. Knight of California, his big, round face beaming forth on the sympathetic multitude and his splendid baritone voice welling forth like the tones of a great church organ. California's tribute to Taft was brief and fervid. Now there was another lull in the Taft movement while the remaining candidates were placed in nomination.

Do It Again for La Follette.

It was late in the afternoon before the convention, now literally sweltering with the intense heat, weary after nearly seven hours of continuous session, reached the end of the flood of eloquence, and the decks were at last cleared for the culminating act. But no, just as the last swell of oratory, the seconding speech for La Follette, had died away, like a cyclone from a clear sky burst a La Follette demonstration which swept the convention from its very bearings. It was the same deafening wave of sound that had greeted Roosevelt Wednesday and Taft a little while before, intense and maddening and with the vital ring of genuine enthusiasm. It seemed as though Wisconsin had suddenly peopled every foot of the galleries. The delegates sat calm and waiting except the frantic Wisconsins, but the convention for the time being was in the possession of the galleries.

Another One for Roosevelt.

Now a singular transformation occurred—gradually the whirlwind veered from La Follette to Roosevelt. A banner bearing the Roosevelt portrait and waved from the gallery was the signal for the change, but in the confused babel of voices there was no distinguishing where the La Follette cheers ended and those for Roosevelt began.

Amid this pandemonium, and with the galleries in full control, Chairman Lodge decided upon heroic action in order again to make the convention master of its affairs. He ordered the roll call of state to begin for the vote on president. Such a call, under such circumstances of intense confusion, has probably never before occurred in the history of national conventions. The secretary was powerless to make his call of the states heard above the deafening clamor. Seizing a megaphone, he shouted the roll of states—Alabama, Arkansas—but his voice was swallowed up in the mad uproar. Gradually, however, the curiosity of the multitude conquered their enthusiasm and they lapsed into silence to hear the result of the roll call.

702 Votes for Taft.

A hush of expectancy hung over the assembly as the call proceeded. Hasty summaries showed that Taft was far in advance. When New York was reached the Taft column totaled 427. Ohio carried the Taft total to 511, or twenty more than enough to nominate, Still the call went on until the final result was announced by Chairman Lodge:

"For Theodore Roosevelt, 3 votes; for Joseph B. Foraker of Ohio, 16 votes; for Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana, 40 votes; for Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois, 61 votes; for Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin, 25 votes; for Charles E. Hughes of New York, 63 votes; for Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania, 68 votes, and William H. Taft of Ohio, 702 votes."

A great shout went up as Lodge concluded his announcement, and with one accord the cohorts of Cannon and Knox and Hughes and the other heroes joined in a common tribute fo for the candidate of the party.

Make It Unanimous.

Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, for Gov. Hughes, leaping upon a chair, moved to make the nomination of Taft unanimous; Senator Penrose, for Knox, and Boutell, for Cannon, and Henry of Georgia for Foraker, and Cochems of Wisconsin, for La Follette, seconded the movement for a unanimous vote for the candidate. The vote was given with ringing cheers, and then with shouts of exultation over the new candidate the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning, when the nomination for vice president will be made.

Early in the day the battle over the platform had occupied the close attention of delegates and spectators.

The platform as framed by the committee on resolutions was read by its chairman, Senator Hopkins of Illinois, while the minority report, reflecting the views of the supporters of Senator La Follette, was presented by Congressman Cooper of Wisconsin. The platform was adopted by an overwhelming vote, after many separate planks in the Wisconsin plan had been buried under adverse votes.

Planks of the Platform.

The following are the more important features of the platform:

Revision of the tariff by special session of congress immediately following inauguration of next president.

Development of permanent currency system to meet needs of nation.

Establishment of postal savings is favored.

More perfect control of trusts by government and greater publicity in their affairs.

Federal supervision over stock and bond issues of railroads and provision that railways make inoffensive traffic agreements.

Rules of procedure in federal courts with respect to injunctions should be more accurately defined, and no injunction, or temporary restraining order, should be issued without notice, except where irreparable injury would result from delay, in which case a speedy hearing should be granted.

Free rural mail delivery and good roads favored.

Movement for conservation of natural resources is indorsed.

Vigorous protection of American citizens abroad is commended.

Extension of foreign commerce.

Enforcement and extension of civil service law.

Merchant marine should be revived and prestige of nation upon the seas restored.

Attitude of the administration in regard to Philippines, Porto Rico, Cuba and Panama canal is upheld.

Equal justice for all men, regardless of race or color, is demanded.

Floods of Eloquence Let Loose.

It was not until four hours had been spent over the platform that the convention was ready to proceed with the nominating speeches for president. First came the nomination of Cannon, by Representative Boutell of Illinois, seconded by Representative Fordney of Michigan. The nominating speech for Fairbanks, by Gov. Hanly of Indiana, was made amid intense confusion and continued interruption. Mayor Bookwalter of Indianapolis made the speech seconding the nomination of Fairbanks. The convention gave enthusiastic welcome to the name of Hughes, as Gen. Woodford presented the governor's candidacy in fervent words. The name of Senator Foraker was placed in nomination by Judge C. B. McCoy of Ohio and seconded by the eloquent negro delegate from Georgia, W. O. Emery. The call of Pennsylvania brought the Keystone delegation to their feet in a wild demonstration for Knox, and a little later Wisconsin followed with its enthusiastic tribute to Wisconsin's candidate, Senator La Follette. The speeches concluded, the time for balloting arrived, with the results already given.

SECRETARY TAFT HEARS THE NEWS

Presidential Nominee Says He Cannot Deny That He Is Very Happy.

ATTENDS TO DAY'S BUSINESS

News Finds Roosevelt Playing Tennis; Gives Out Statement and Continues Game.

Washington, June 20. — "Words do not find themselves at a time like this. I do not deny that I am very happy."

This was the response of Secretary Taft to a request for an expression of his views on his nomination for the presidency.

The sentences did not come easily. Throughout the afternoon preceding the announcement of his nomination, the secretary had been laboring under suppressed nervous tension. The atmosphere of his office was electric with excitement. Notwithstanding the great personal interest which he had in the proceedings at Chicago, a thousand miles away, Secretary Taft did not permit politics to interfere for a moment with his transaction of official business as secretary of war.

Attends to Duties.

In the intermission of the receipt of bulletins from the convention, the secretary disposed of several important departmental questions, and when his nomination for the presidency was announced his desk practically was cleared of important official business.

Throughout the afternoon the private office of Secretary Taft and the office of his private secretary, Frederick Carpenter, were thronged with members of his family, intimate personal and official friends and newspaper men.

President Gets News.

The president was playing tennis with Assistant Secretary Bacon of the state department when Mr. Loeb took him the news of the nomination of Secretary Taft for the presidency by the Republican national convention. He had previously prepared a statement declaring Mr. Taft to be the very best candidate the Republican party could get for the high honor paid him, and as soon as the news of the nomination reached him it was given to the newspapers. Then he continued with his game of "singles" until the time arrived to go in to dinner.

Last evening, by invitation, Secretary Taft went to the White House.

Will Resign at Once.

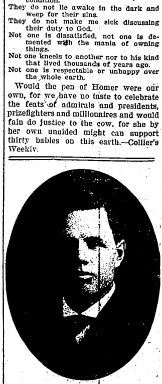
Secretary Taft's resignation as a cabinet officer will be received by President Roosevelt to-day. It will take effect on July 1. This was learned last night, following a conference of several hours at the White house, at which Mr. Roosevelt, Secretary Taft, Secretary Root and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon were present.

Apostrophe to a Champion Cow.

Hail, O champion nurser of the human race! Hail, O quiet chewer of nutritious cud! Blessed be peace and open air, beasts and sunlight, and especially blessed be this cow; of her we sing. Hail, Pauline; number 48,426—if that name you love, O butter champion of the world! Think of giving 104.4 pounds of milk in a single day and also at a high average of fat!

I think I could turn and live with animals, they are so placid and self contained.
I stand and look at them long and long.
They do not sweat and whine about their condition.
They do not lie awake in the dark and weep for their sins.
They do not make me sick discussing their duty to God.
Not one is dissatisfied, not one is demented with the mania of owning things.
Not one kneels to another nor to his kind that lived thousands of years ago.
Not one is respectable or unhappy over the whole earth.

Would the pen of Homer were our own, for we have no taste to celebrate the feats of admirals and presidents, prizefighters and millionaires and would fain do justice to the cow, for she by her own unaided might can support thirty babies on this earth.—Collier's Weekly.



George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

ATTEMPTED TO SUICIDE

ITALIAN EMPLOYED ON GREAT NORTHERN ENDEAVORS TO COMMIT SUICIDE

PLACED REVOLVER IN EAR AND SHOT HIMSELF THRU THE HEAD

From Friday's Daily—

Phillip Reppano a section man employed on the Great Northern at Ashby attempted to commit suicide Wednesday morning by shooting himself in the head. Reppano was apparently in his usual health and spirits on Tuesday, but Wednesday morning he arose went to an outhouse a short distance from his boarding place placed a revolver to his ear and fired.

The bullet entered the ear canal but the weapon had apparently been pointed somewhat forward and instead of taking a direct course it split the bone passed thru the lobe of the brain and lodged just under the skull almost at the base of the nose. Reppano staggered back into his boarding house and his friends bandaged the wound as well as they could and brought him to Fergus Falls on the afternoon train.

He was taken to St. Luke's hospital and is receiving treatment but as yet it has not been deemed advisable to attempt to remove the bullet. He is conscious during the greater part of the time and was able to walk when brought in on the train. Reppano is an Italian, apparently about 35 or 40 years of age, and has resided in this country for thirteen years, but is unable to talk English. He appears to be of frugal disposition and has probably saved considerable money. He has no family but has a sister residing in Chicago, and her son is expected here in a day or two to look after him.

A Rule For Dramatists.

A dramatist must never keep a secret from his audience, although this is one of the favorite devices of the novelist. Let us suppose for a moment that the spectators were not let into the secret of Hero's pretty plot in "Much Ado," to bring Beatrice and Benedick together. Suppose that, like the heroine and the hero, they were led to believe that each was truly in love with the other. The inevitable revelation of this error would produce a shock of surprise that would utterly scatter their attention, and while they were busy making over their former conception of the situation they would have no eyes nor ears for what was going on upon the stage. In a novel the true character of a hypocrite is often hidden until the book is nearly through; then when the revelation comes the reader has plenty of time to think back and see how deftly he has been deceived. But in a play a rogue must be known to be a rogue at his first entrance. The other characters in the play may be kept in the dark until the last act, but the audience must know the secret all the time. In fact, any situation which shows a character suffering from a lack of such knowledge as the audience holds secure always produces a telling effect upon the stage. The spectators are aware of Iago's villainy and know of Desdemona's innocence. The play would not be nearly so strong if, like Othello, they were kept ignorant of the truth.—North American Review.

A Curious Coincidence.

The story of a queer coincidence is told by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. While traveling upon the continent he visited a certain mountain inn, which was in winter, he learned, occupied only by two men. These men, prisoned in a waste of snow and ice, had for all that period no communication with the world below. Here was a situation for a novelist! And the novelist accordingly began to let his imagination play about the possibilities of tragedy surrounding the two men on their mountain height. But the story was never written, for, happening to come upon a volume of Guy de Maupassant, which was new to him, he found therein, under the title of "L'Auberge," the very story he had meant to write.

Sixty Thousand Seeds to the Plant.

The common purslane is one of the wonders of botany as far as seeds are concerned. A single seed of this plant will produce about twenty seed pods in a season. The average number of seeds in each of these, by actual count, is 6,000, making 60,000 in all. As far as we have been able to learn there is no instance of similar fruitfulness in any plant found growing in this country. A single plant of either the Jamestown weed ("jimson"), the butterweed, the ragweed and some of the vervines produce an enormous number of seeds, but it is doubtful if any one of them produces one-fourth as many in a year as the purslane does.—St. Louis Republic.

Two Witnesses.

In order to test a Chinese witness' qualification for taking the oath an English magistrate asked him the other day where he expected to go when he died. He replied, "Peking," and was disqualified.

One in another English court, a little girl, in answer to that question said, "I don't know." The horrified counsel called the judge's attention to the answer. "Oh, I don't know, either," said the judge. "Swear the witness."

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CIVIL ACTIONS TO COLLECT PENALTIES FOR ALLEGED VIOLATION

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From Thursday's Daily—

Eight thousand dollars are involved in the action started in the United States circuit and district court for North Dakota yesterday afternoon at Fargo, entitled the United States vs. the Northern Pacific railway company It is a civil action brought to collect the penalties provided by the government for violation of what is known as the 28-hour law which provides that cattle shall not be kept in transit for more than 28 hours without being fed and watered. There are 16 separate counts and the penalty provided by Uncle Sam is $500 for each count. The case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney W. H. Barnett with District Attorney P. H. Rourke, while Ball, Watson, Young and Hardy defend the railway company.

A Human Nose Two Feet In Length.

Elephantiasis is a peculiar form of leprosy in which the limbs and features swell to horrible proportions and out of all semblance to the legs, arms and faces of human beings. Cases are known where the legs have become so swollen that they measured 4½ feet in circumference. The ears of the same victim, Walter Brisbane, an English sailor, were eighteen inches in length, and his nose elongated to upward of two feet when in the last stages of the horrible malady.—London Telegraph.

Feminine Logic.

"The female sex," said M. Calino lately, "is the most illogical in the world."

"What new proof have you of the want of devotion of women to the canons of logic?" he was asked.

"Why, take my wife," answered M. Calino. "I had all the trouble in the world to get her to enter her thirties, and now, a dozen years later, I can't get her out of them."

UNVEIL STATUE OF PATRIOT

IMMENSE CONCOURSE OF PEOPLE ATTEND WERGELAND UNVEILING YESTERDAY

FARGO FILLED WITH PEOPLE—EIGHTEEN HORSES PULL PEDESTAL

From Thursday's Daily—

Hundreds of Norwegians from Fargo and surrounding towns in North Dakota and Minnesota, with prominent visitors from all sections of the Northwest, witness the unveiling of the Wergeland statue at Fargo yesterday afternoon. The statue was presented to the Norwegians of this country by the Normands Forbundet of Norway. The presentation was made by Secretary Klaveness and Bishop Bang at Minneapolis, May 17, and the statue was awarded Fargo over several cities in different states on the ground that it was the greatest Norwegian center in the United States

The Wergeland monument represents one of Norwaay's greatest poets and patriots and yesterday was the hundreth anniversary of his birth—a most fitting time for the unveiling.

The statue is 14 feet high mounted on a handsome pedestal on an imposing site in Island park.

The pedestal was contracted by the Northwestern Marble Works of Crookston and was hauled to its position with much difficulty by eighteen teams of horses.

There was a brilliant array of speakers

W. R. Ward, of Dyersburg, Tenn., writes: "This is to certify that I have used Foley's Orino Laxative for chronic constipation and it has proven without a doubt to be a thorough practical remedy for this trouble, and it is with pleasure I offer my conscientious reference."—Sold by all druggists.

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The Stein Of Lager

The German-Americans of St. Louis county are perfecting an organization to protect themselves against the forays which the prohibitionists, the county optionists and the local optionists are preparing to make against the drink habit and the sale of liquor Partisan politics will not enter into the organization and every German-American who likes his stein of beer and freedom to drink it at his pleasure will probably become a member. How far the "craze" to prohibit everything which some people do not like will be carried before the partisan politicians will take fright at the situation is a question we are not able to answer, but it is quite apparent that unless a halt is called on the so-called disturbers of the public peace, those who have heretofore counted on the German vote to save them from defeat will fall far short of their usual expectations. The Germans say: "We came to America believing it to be a land of freedom and equal rights At home we were permitted to drink our beer and "chnapps" if we wanted it without asking our neighbors if we might do so. We expected the same right would be accorded us in the land we chose for our future home."

Milwaukee is also organizing for the same purpose and other cities and towns will probably follow suit.

To deprive the German of his stein of lager while he lovingly singe "De Wacht Am Rhine", is deprecated by almost every Teuton of America and there are others who strongly sympathize with them.—Cass Lake Times.

Endurance Record at Yale Broken.

Karl Mann the famous German pedestrian has just visited Yale University and smashed the endurance record on Professor Irving Fisher's endurance measuring machine.

This machine measures endurance by registering the number of times a heavy weight can be lifted with the knee. The ordinary record on the machine is between 30 and 60 times. A very few have succeeded in reaching over 100. The record for Yale athletes is 175. Last year Horace Fletcher, the apostle of thoro chewing reached 350, but Karl Mann pushed the record to 687.

These results like the results of previous experiments of Professor Fisher, confirm the theory of his colleague, Professor Chittenden, that people eat too much meat and eggs, or, in scientific terms, too much "proteid." Karl Mann's "proteid" is moderately low, being 80 grains a day instead of 120, which was the old standard of Voit and Atwater. Mr. Mann uses no meat and few eggs.

The machine on which Karl Mann was tested was devised by Professor Fisher to take the place of the painful endurance tests, "deep knee bending" and other gymnastic feats. Usually it takes only a few minutes to show the limit of endurance on the machine.

Karl Mann first became famous for endurance when he won the walking races between Berlin and Dresden, a distance of one hundred and twenty five miles, in May, 1902. This walk he finished in two minutes less than 27 hours. Thirty-two pedestrians took part in the walking race. about half of whom were meat-eaters and half vegetarians. Twelve reached the goal, of whom all but three were vegetarians. The first six, headed by Karl Mann, were all vegetarians.

Professor Chittenden and Professor Fisher maintain that the success of vegetarians in this and other athletic contests is not due to vegetarianism as such, but to the fact that they generally use less proteid. In order to have the right amount of proteid one need not be a strict vegetarian, altho meat, if used, must be used sparingly, or else the yolks used and the whites rejected.

Professor Irving Fisher is engaged in a study of athletic contests of endurance, such as the Boston Marathon runs, and hopes soon to publish the results, which will show the comparative success in such contests attained by followers of different systems of training and diet.

Indications from the experiments of Professor Fisher are that mental endurance is also promoted by a diet relatively free from highly nitrogenous food, such as meat and eggs. The practical value, therefore, of such a diet is not the ability to perform gymnastic feats or take endurance tests in the laboratory, but to enable people to do more work, whether physical or mental and in a shorter time.

Business Atmosphere Clearing

In his last letter Henry Clews says in part:

"Now that the Chicago convention is over and that Mr. Taft has secured the nomination, the political outlook has been much clarified. Unless unforeseen events interfere, Mr. Taft will be our next President. His high character, ability and long experience in public affairs afford promise of a satisfactory and successful administration. The Roosevelt policies will be continued, but in a more deliberate and less disturbing fashion. As these policies are already well understood and have been fully discounted the stock market ought to be comparatively free of political influences for some time to come. The Denver convention is, of course, still in prospect, and is likely to bring to the surface discussion and movements of a radical nature. This however should cause no serious concern. As a voice of protest and warning the Denplatform may be of some value, but fortunately the American people are not yet prepared to follow the extreme and dangerous radicalism which is likely to develop at Denver.

"The stock market has shown dullness usually experienced previous to important political contingencies. With the removal of politics, from consideration, temporarily at least, the market is likely to be governed more by natural influences. The technical position of the market is a strong one; and the floating supplies of stocks are chiefly in strong hands, who have no difficulty whatever in carrying large holdings in the present easy condition of the money market. It is true that the market has had a very remarkable recovery since the October panic, and that prices appear high in view of the many remaining unfavorable conditions. But as tendencies are towards improvement and confidence is rising, it is difficult if not impossible to induce holders to part with stocks; especially when they are so strongly concentrated as at present. Wall Street will not long rest satisfied with a stationary market; efforts will soon be made to force prices either upwards or downwards much depending on the future course of business.

There is no question but that the tendency here is towards steady recuperation; nor is there any doubt but that the worst of the crisis was passed last winter. The future therefore now chiefly depends upon the crops. As is already known these are very promising; the larger acreage and the generally high condition of grain, cotton, hay, fruits and vegetables all assuring the farmers of a profitable year.

"June however, is usually the period of highest condition for many of the crops; July and August are frequently months of deterioration, and September always brings the danger of frost to the corn and cotton, two of our principal crops. To this extent, then, the future is uncertain; yet, allowing for the average loss in condition during the past ten years, we should still have crops much above the average, for which profitable prices will be had, and of which Europe will take all we can spare."

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JACOBSON APPEARS TO HAVE MOST DELEGATES

BOTH SNIDER AND SAVAGE MEN CLAIM ABSOLUTE CONTROL OF HENNEPIN DELEGATION—SNIDER MEN CLAIM ADDITIONAL VOTES ON ORGANIZATION—COUNTRY REPORTS MEAGER

Minneapolis, June 24—The struggle for control of the republican organization was settled by the primaries last Monday. The result of that settlement will not be apparent till the county convention meets Thursday morning, as both the Snider and the Savage organizations claim victory.

Both sides are making strong claims, but both are working with every resource in their power to round up the delegates that were elected Many precincts are yet to report, and barely half the country towns have been heard from.

The situation seems chaotic, and both sides express great confidence. The Snider men are talking about 375 delegates. They will try to put a thoro program thru, with 113 delegates to the state convention.

Chisago

Center City, Minn., June 24—The indications are that Chisago county will take no action on a candidate for governor on account of having a candidate for railroad and warehouse commissioner, Charles E. Elmquist of Rusr City.

Stearns

Paynesville, Minn., June 24.—The delegates elected at the republican caucuses to the county convention at St. Cloud are supposed to favor E. T. Young for governor.

Itasca

Grand Rapids, Minn., June 24.—There was little excitement at the primaries here last night. The convention Thursday from present indications will be sold for Jacobson.

Fillmore

Harmony, Minn., June 24 — Delegates elected to the county convention are instructed to vote for a Jacobson delegation. From reports received it is safe to predict that Fillmore county has gone for Jacobson by about two to one.

Pine City, Minn., June 24.—The republican caucus last night elected five Jacobson delegates to the county convention. Jacobson appears to be leading in this section.

Lac Qui Parle

Madison, Minn., June 24—The primaries give Jacobson everything. No other name will be considered at the county convention.

Clay

Barnesville, Minn., June 24—Barnesville sends an instructed delegation for Jacobson. First ward: Peter Engles, A. C. Henderson and Tom Gunness; second ward, N. B. Hanson, John McGrath and H. G. Tweeton; third ward, James Glasgow and G. B. Woolan. The county convention will be held in Moorhead on Thursday. The townships of Tansem, Skree and Barnesville also instructed for Jacobson.

Otter Tail

Fergus Falls, Minn., June 24—The Otter Tail county primaries did not indicate anything definite on the governorship. Some of the delegates express themselves for Jacobson, and others are for Young, no sentiment appearing for other candidates.

Chippewa

Montevideo, Minn., June 24.—Montevideo elected a Young delegation to the county convention to be held on Thursday.

From Over The Valley

A BIG INCREASE IN VALUATIONS

Assessor D. P. O'Neill has totaled the assessed personal property of the city of Thief River Falls at $302,037 This is by far the largest personal property assessment ever recorded for the city, and exceeds the assessment of 1907 by $113,011. The heaviest assessment is that of Mr. D. N. Winton who pays taxes on an assessed valuation of $95,000. Mr. O'neill found 83 pianos valued at $5,745. He found 57 "rich men's dogs," by this meaning men having $100 or more assessed property.

CEMENT FORK AT FOSSTON PROGRESSING RAPIDLY

Up to the time of the showers yesterday afternoon, Contractor Johnson and his force of men had nearly completed their third street crossing thus far built this week. Board walks upon the two business blocks east side of Marrison and south side of First street have been cleared away and the filling has been rapidly put in preparatory to the laying of the cement next week.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

A noise is the only thing that will break silence.

OLD PEMBINA TRAIL MAY SOON DISAPPEAR

The old Pembina trail which passes each of this village will probably disappear within the next few years, before the march of the plowman. There are five tracks in the trail—a new one being started each time the ruts got too deep—and the amount of traffic that has passed over it has been quite extensive. One or two of the tracks show plainly the path in the center where the oxen that pulled the Red River Carts—which was the passenger coach of the early days—have walked. The trail was the main highway along which the first civilization traveled into the lower Red River Valley and the part of it thru the reservation is about all that is yet visible and in use as the historic old road.—Waubun Forum.

CO-OPERATIVE TELEPHONE LINES BEING EXTENDED

The Garden Valley Telephone Company is rapidly extending its field of usefulness by building new lines and taking over old ones. It is now building into Erskine and Winger and is rapidly pushing this way with a view to making connections also with this city and Fosston. From present indications the day is not far distant when the entire countryside will be connected by phone.—Fertile Journal.

NEW HIGHLANDING CREAMERY IS PROSPERING

Last Friday the newly established creamery at Highlanding received 3800 pounds of cream, a mighty good record, The plant is said to be exceptionally neat and well cared for. Wm. Lauritzen formerly of Plummer is buttermaker.

The creamery at Kratka was started only last week but reports from there state that the first receipts of cream were excellent and that the association is bound to grow stronger with each succeeding month.

MORE RURAL TELEPHONES IN OPERATION SOON

The farmers residing southwest of town have received eighteen brand new phones to be installed on their telephone line. Some twenty miles of wire likewise has arrived and a car of poles were loaded at Wylie on Tuesday. It will be but a comparatively short time now until that section of the county will be connected to the local exchange. The farmers residing southeast of here are also planning on putting in a line to connect with the city system This may not be built this year, but almost certainly in 1909 will see such a system in operation—Thief River Falls Press.

HENDRUM CREAMERY DOING WELL THIS SEASON

Business at the Hendrum creamery it is taking quite a spurt this year. Last year was an off year, owing to the lack of feed the winter preceding and the business was small but it is now back again where it was before that time and is increasing in a manner that promises to make a new record in total business for the year. In the four first months of 1908 the creamery pail out twice as much money as for the some months in 1907, and in May the increase in the amount of cream receipts was about 300 per cent, the figures being 5,584 for May of last year and 15,899 for last month.—Hendrum Review.

WILL SERVE AS GOOD ADVERTISING FOR COUNTY

C. H. Martz, county road supervisor, was up from St. Hilaire Tuesday. Mr. Martz has just completed a blue point map of the county, which is to be used on the back of stationery by county officials, business and professional men and others if they desire. Along with this map a concise 'write-up' of the county will be given thus affording outsiders an opportunity of getting acquainted with the resources of the county. This plan has been adopted in other sections of the state with good results.—Thief River Falls News.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Eric O. Hager.
Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Hugh R. Robertson
Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908

PRIMARIES RED HOT

AFTER ALL THE SHOUTING SAVAGE GOT BUT 5 OF 17 DELEGATES

From Tuesday's Daily—

The republican primaries were held last evening thruout Polk County. In Crookston there were red hot fights in the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 7th wards, the fights being practically all the result of an effort to land Savage delegations.

Where a fight was put up the Savage delegates were defeated in every instance but in the 3rd ward where Thomas R. Brown was elected by two votes, the other delegate, E. M. Walsh being a Young delegate. In the the 6th ward both delegates are for Savage first choice, and Jacobson 2nd choice of one delegate and Young 2nd choice of the other.

In the 5th ward, South Crookston, Savage emissaries furnished tickets and other perquisites and the Young-Jacobson supporters made no move and as a result two delegates were elected who may vote for Savage tho they are not Savage men at heart and simply went thru the formalities of a caucus to please the Savage healers.

But few of the outside delegations have been heard from. There are a number of townships where caucuses were not held but delegates will attend and be seated in the convention.

The delegation from East Grand Forks is uninstructed, and no poll has been taken, but Jacobson has the majority of the support, with possibly two delegates for Savage. The Crookston township delegates are J. M. Stephens and B. H. Cochran; both Young delegates.

From Fairfax, Ole E. Rude and John Amundsen were elected instructed for Elias Steenerson with Jacobson 2nd choice.

McIntosh elected Ed Stowe and K. K. Hoffard both Jacobson delegates.

East Grand Forks

The primaries for the election of delegates to the county convention at East Grand Forks were held last evening. The delegates chosen at the caucuses include T. A. Sullivan, J. C. Sherlock, G. A. E. Finlayson, F. C. Massee, Ed Lodgard, D. T. Collins, J. R. Johnson and N. J. Nelson. They are uninstructed and have not decided on what delegation they will support but lean toward Jacobson strongly.

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SHERMAN CHOSEN FOR SECOND PLACE

New York Congressman Selected as Running Mate for Secretary Taft.

Speaker Cannon Given Ovation When He Seconds Sherman's Nomination—Session Ends.

Chicago, June 21. — Taft and Sherman. This is the ticket of the Republican party flung to the breeze yesterday as the Republican national convention concluded with the nomination of James S. Sherman of New York for vice president, amid a final roar of tumultuous demonstration.

Again the vast assembly was swept with wave on wave of wild, exultant clamor, as the multitude, realizing that at last the work was done and the record made upon which the Republican party goes before the country, united in one last, mighty outburst of enthusiastic tribute to the men who will bear forward the standard in the struggle now at hand.

Another inspiring picture was presented as the convention named its candidate for vice president yesterday. The enormous throngs had waited through an hour of oratory, sweltering in the heat-laden atmosphere, packed as before into solid masses of humanity, with only here and there a few vacant spots in the remote galleries—the delegates in the broad arena below, the bright-hued lines of femininity in the circling galleries and over all the enveloping folds of "Old Glory."

Was a Sherman Crowd.

From the outset it was distinctly a Sherman crowd, with galleries already trained into choruses of Sherman songs and an invading host of Sherman marchers with a huge portrait of the New York candidate, starting the echoes ringing. Among the early arrivals on the floor was Speaker Cannon, only the day before a candidate for president, but yesterday here as a pillar of strength in the Sherman movement. The widespread affection for the old warhorse of the party was shown by the crowds of delegates surging about him to grasp his hand and bid him welcome.

The preliminaries were brief, and at 10:30 the nominating speeches for vice president began with a limit of ten minutes to each speaker. On the call of states Delaware yielded to New York and Former Lieutenant Governor Timothy L. Woodruff of New York mounted the platform for a glowing speech placing in nomination Sherman as New York's choice for the vice presidency. Now came a surprise, as the venerable Cannon, with his Lincolnlike visage and shaggy beard, emerged from the Illinois delegation and stepping to the platform was yielded unanimous consent to second the nomination of Sherman.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

June 22 In History.

1748—Thomas Gay, author of "Sandford and Merton," born; died 1789.

1815—Second and final abdication of Napoleon; Waterloo was lost by the French June 18.

1898—General Shafter's corps made the first landing on Cuban soil at Daiquiri.

1906—King Haakon VII. of Norway crowned at Trondhjem.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:25; moon rises 1:19 a. m.; moon's age 24 days; 3 p. m., planets Venus and Mars in conjunction; 9 p. m., all of Jupiter's moons west of planet.

VISITED FORKS—Inspector Hughes connected with the postoffice department was at Grand Forks Saturday for a conference with Inspector Hugnal returning to Crookston yesterday.

LICENSE TO WED—The Clerk of Courts office today granted license to wed to Joseph T. Bird of Grand Forks and Miss Nellie Rust of East Grand Forks.

TAKEN TO ST. CLOUD—Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea has returned from St. Cloud where he took Messrs. Schnapps Schuler and Robert Johnson to the reform school where they were sentenced by Judge Watts.

BACK FROM TRIP — Asst. Supt. J. M. Schweizer returned last evening from a business trip down the line. He says it rained pitchfork-tines down at Barnesville yesterday. He returned via Grand Forks and Fargo and reported quite a storm at Fargo yesterday.

WILL PROVE UP —Alfred Hoel spent yesterday here the guest of friends, he was enroute to his home at McIntosh. He is engaged at present working in a bank at Munich, N. D. He goes to Duluth soon to prove up on a valuable timber claim.

READY FOR PRACTICE — Kent Lohn of Fosston is now entitled to practice before the courts at attorney at law, having completed his course and graduated from the law department of the University of Minnesota. Mr. Lohn has returned home but has not yet definitely decided upon his future movements.

ATTENDING CONFERENCE —Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Vaaler of Fosston have left for Chicago there to attend the general conference of the Synod church being held in that city this week. They expect also to visit in Wisconsin on the road home and will be absent from home about two weeks Rev. J. O. Saeter of Fosston has also left for the conference.

INFORMATION WANTED—M. Harman, a Syrian peddler left Fargo on June 3rd. He was to have met his father at Crookston on the 18th of June. He failed to reach here at the appointed time and has not been heard from since leaving Fargo. If any one knows anything about him, please notify A. Abas, 204 N. Main St., Crookston, Minn.

WILL CHANGE ROUTE — J. F. Worden, one of the progressive farmers of Bygland where he has been located for the past 32 years is spending the day in the city on business. He says the crops look fine out that way He states that on July 1st the rural mail route No. 1 out of Fisher will be changed so that he will get his mail daily and consequently ordered the Daily Journal to keep in touch with the outside world.

CLOUD BURST REPORTED — Meager reports were received last evening of a cloud burst near Stephen resulting in considerable damage. The telephones at Stephen are out of commission and details could not be learned. The hailstorm which did considerable damage about Grafton did no damage on the Minnesota side of the Red River. Heavy rainfalls are reported from several sections of the Valley with no damage except at Stephen, and there in but a limited radius.

Read the Journal Want Ads.

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FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

June 23 In History.

1757—Battle of Plassey; Clive destroyed the Hindoo army and established British rule over Bengal.

1860—Stephen A Douglas and John C. Breckinridge nominated for the presidency by rival Democratic conventions at Baltimore.

1904—Admiral Togo's destroyers checked a sortie of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur; the Russians lost a battleship sunk and a cruiser disabled

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:26; moon rises 1:49 a. m.; moon's age 25 days; 8:36 p. m., greatest lunar libration west.

GIVEN FORTY DAYS—Albert Hanson was given a hearing in the municipal court yesterday at East Grand Forks the charge of disorderly conduct and sentenced to forty days' imprisonment in the county jail here.

HAS BIG CONTRACT AT OSLO —Ole Sywertson of this city has the contract for the erection of the Citizens State bank building at Oslo and will commence building operations in a short time.

AFTER NEWCOMERS—Geo. Welch left last evening for Burlington, Ia., where he will gather a bunch of land seekers and pilot them back to the most favored portion of North America.

RETIRED FARMER BANKRUPT —Jerry R. Miller a retired farmer of Ada filed a bankruptcy petition in the United States court at Fergus Falls, placing his assets at $4,405 all exempt and his liabilities at $4,250.

TAKEN TO ST. PAUL —Mrs. M. E. Wright who has been suffering from a severe attack of nervous prostration, was taken from St. Vincents hospital last evening to St. Paul where she will receive treatment from specialists. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Krause, and Mrs. Krause will remain with her for some time. Many friends will hope for speedy restoration to health

DIED IN MINNEAPOLIS—Dr. F. L. Wheeler formerly associated with Dr Biedermann at Argyle and who left for Minneapolis about three years ago where he has been practicing his profession since that time died at his home in Minneapolis the latter part of last week and was buried on Tuesday. Dr. Wheeler married Mrs. Whetstone divorced wife of Dr. Whetstone formerly of Argyle and well known in this city.

A WARNING ISSUED—The State Dairy and Food department has issued a warning to all dealers in dairy products that a fine of from $15 to $100 is now provided by law for the sale of sour milk or cream in dirty cans, or watered or skimmed or unwholesome or tainted, or milk from a deceased cow fed on unwholesome food or milk or cream which contains preservatives of any kind. The commission has also satisfied itself, after ransacking the records of the state for a number of years back, that the sale of veal is governer by chapter 323 of the laws of 1905 which imposes a fine of from $50 to $100 or 90 days in jail for the sale of meat off calves less than four week old.

JOY WAS HUNGRY—Willis A. Joy one of the prominent business men of Grand Forks passed thru the city this morning enroute home from Bemidji in custody of Judge Templeton, the two having been enjoying a few days fishing. Mr. Joy was in the throes of a regular tantrum because the Duluth train was 20 minutes late and his stomach was yelling for breakfast. Joy really got so peevish that Judge Templeton fined him for contempt of court, and admonished him to refrain from paying so much attention to his D—— stomach in public—disturbing the entire car of passengers. Joy shrugged his shoulders, pulled his hat down over his eyes and settled down for a good snooze muttering something about the judge assuming too much authority in Minnesota territory.

Sometimes it makes a girl blush to think how a certain young man might have kissed her, but didn't.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

June 24 In History.

Jerome Bonaparte.

1497—John and Sebastian Cabot discovered North America.

1763—Josephine de la Pagerie, later Beauharnais, first wife of Napoleon, born; died 1814.

1813—Henry Ward Beecher born; died 1887.

1833—John Randolph of Roanoke died; born 1773.

1860—Prince Jerome Bonaparte, ex-king of Westphalia, died; born 1785.

1894—President Carnot of France assassinated.

1895—Thomas Henry Huxley, the scientist, died; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:26; moon rises 2:18 a. m.; moon's age 26 days; 5 a. m., Mercury at aphelion, farthest from sun.

ANOTHER EXTRA GANG—Roadmaster Anderson went up the St. Vincent line today to get another extra gang started to work on the road bed tie spacing, etc.

BELTRAMI PEOPLE TO WED — The Clerk of Court today granted a marriage license to Clarence B. Samson and Flora May Lee. The young people both hail from Beltrami.

DIED AT FISHER — Fred Jarvis who some months ago was injured by a tree falling upon him died Sunday as a result of his injuries and was buried at Fisher yesterday. Mr. Jarvis had many friends in this city.

INDIANS RETURN—This morning there was a delegation of 18 Indians returning from the Indian Training School at Morris, Minnesota. They boarded the Duluth train for their homes near Bena.

CROPS LOOK WELL —Chairman H. L. Hanson of the town board of Hill River spent yesterday in the city on business returning home last evening. He states that the crops out that way are looking very fine and a good harvest is promised.

SMOKE UP—H. F. Brown went up north this morning. He hadn't seen any smoke from that direction for the past few days and thought he had better jog along that way and furnish them a few thousand sinews of war in the shape of Selects, etc.

CROPS ARE GOOD—H. G. Horn, the progressive farmer of Keystone spent yesterday in the city on business and left for home this morning. He states that there is none too much rain up that way and that the crops are looking fine.

TO SUPREME COURT—Atty. L. E. Gossman left last evening for St. Paul where he will appear before the supreme court in the case of Erickson vs. the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., in the action brought to stop the water works company from lowering the head of the vein of artesian water in this city below a certain level.

TURNING CLEVER TRICK—"Coffee" Kelly is always looking out for Kelly and Conrad's Coffee specially the coffee. He is now stealing the thunder of the 25,000 Commercial club in advertising the fact that the "C" in the center of the "Crookston Offers Opportunity" buttons stands for Conrad's Coffee. And everybody is telling of his consumate gall—all of which serves to advertise the coffee just that much more. When Kelly is found napping the rest of them would be sound asleep—snoring.

Correspondence

KEY WEST

We have been having some very pleasant showers the past few days which is helping the growing crops most wonderfully.

The Key West fans are getting the boys lined up for ball playing. They will practice in John Goodwin's pasture.

I. F. Stewart and P. O. Augustine made a business trip to G. Forks Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee drove to Grand Forks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine and Jimmie Lee took dinner at the Key stone farm Sunday.

The dance given at the Key West Hall by John Grundahl was well attended; everybody reports a good time.

Miss Cora Champlain visited at Lee's Monday evening.

Frank Carr completed his work on the Buffington farm and departed for Grand Forks Monday afternoon on the cannon ball.

Miss Cora Ehnen called on Miss Violet Capes Sunday afternoon.

ALL CASES AGAINST G.N.

CARLSON GETS VERDICT OF $1750 AND DUVAL A VERDICT OF $300

SUIT OF OLE A. OPGRAND FOR $15,000 FOR A FOOT IS ON TODAY

From Wednesday's Daily—

Very rapid progress is being made in the damage suits against the G. Northern. Following the verdict for $5000 received yesterday afternoon by Fred Mageau as Administrator of his wife's estate, the jury in the damage suit against the Great Northern in which Chas. Carlson sued for $5000 for a permanent injury to his leg while employed in the Great Northern transfer at Redlands, the jury brought in a verdict of $1750 for the plaintiff shortly after 7 o'clock last evening.

Duval Gets $300

This morning the case of Chas. Duval vs. the Great Northern was taken up and a jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff this afternoon for $300. He sued for $500. Plaintiff alleged excessive delay in the shipment of the threshing machine last September.

Asks $15000

This afternoon the case of Ole A. Opgrand vs the Great Northern is on in which the plaintiff asks damages in the sum of $15000 for the loss of a foot. Plaintiff was a passenger on the local from this city February 14 last. He purchased a ticket to Euclid but attempted to get off the train at the N. P. Crossing 2 miles this side of Euclid. He claims the train jerked as he stepped off, and he fell under the wheels and had an ankle crushed.

He was taken on the train and sent to Warren where the foot was amputated just above the ankle. Engineer Jewell and Conductor Keeley were in charge of the train.

Opgrand lives with his son at Dorothy, a short distance from where the accident happened. His son is section foreman on the N. P. at that place. Messrs. Rowe and Longley are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Carlson Gets $1750

Shortly after 7 o'clock last evening the jury in the case of Chas. Carlson against the Great Northern returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $1750 for damages resulting from an injury to his leg which he claimed was caused by a pig falling on his ankle while employed in the G. N. Transfer at Redlands, from which blood poisoning later developed. He sued for $5000.

BRIDGE CONTRACTS WERE AWARDED

MINNEAPOLIS BRIDGE AND IRON CO., WILL ERECT FOUR FOR $7,000

Late yesterday afternoon the Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co., was awarded the contract for four steel bridges in Polk Co., by the county commissioners for a total of about $7000. The bridges are located at Climax, between Keystone and Tabor townships between Farley and Sandsville and in the town of Garden near Fertile. The commissioners have not yet acted on the application of the Fertile Rair Assn. for an appropriation of $500.

PROMINENT HALSTAD YOUNG PEOPLE WED

This afternoon at six o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Berg at Halstad, the wedding of their daughter, Miss Olga Berg to Mr. Norman Rostad was solemnized in the presence of relatives and a few friends. The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white silk and carried bride's roses, and Miss Sophia Brown of this city who was bridesmaid, also wore white silk and carried roses. A brother of the groom acted as best man. Following the ceremony an elaborate and beautifully appointed wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, after which a beautiful collection of silver, cut glass and other wedding presents were duly inspected. The bride is well known having been born in Crookston where she grew to womanhood, where she also received her education at the high school, but a few years ago moved to Halstad with her parents. She is an accomplished young woman and prominent in church and social circles. Mr. Rostad is the druggist at Halstad, and a progressive and highly esteemed young man. Miss Brown will remain at Halstad visiting friends till next Monday. Many friends in Crookston will join in extending most hearty congratulations.

BOTH WERE INDICTED

NOLAN AND ZALINSKI INDICTED FOR STEPHEN BANK ROBBERY

THEIR CASES WILL BE SET TODAY—CANNON DEFENDS ZALINSKI

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Grand Jury which convened at Warren Monday, yesterday returned indictments yesterday charging Nolan and J. E. Zalinski with burglarizing the Stephen Bank early last spring. Zalinski and Nolan were arrested at Greenbush a few days after the robbery and have been confined in the Warren jail ever since. Zalinski. Geo. J. Cannon went to Warren this morning to defend Zalinski, and Atty. B. B. Britt of Stephen will defend Nolan. Their cases will be set today.

Atty. J. H. Maybury went to Warren this morning to represent the G. N. in a damage suit brought by the Farmers Co-operative Creamery which sues to recover for several tubs of butter which they claim were delivered to the defendant for shipment and which the Great Northern claims they never received.

There will be a number of criminal cases and the term will be one of the most important held in Marshall Co., for many years. It is expected that after an indictment is returned against E. F. Whitney that he will enter a plea of guilty and be sentenced at once. Judge Grindeland refused to allow him to plead guilty till an indictment was returned, as the minimum sentence exceeds a term for which the law allows a defendant to plead guilty and be sentenced without the matter going before the grand jury first.

MEETS HERE NEXT YEAR

TELLE LAG HELD A GRAND MEETING YESTERDAY AT CLIMAX

ABOUT 1,000 PRESENT—MANY INTERESTING ADDRESSES — FREE DINNER

From Wednesday's Daily—

The meeting of the Telle Lag at Climax, the second annual meeting of the society composed of Norwegians who came from the province of Telemarken, Norway, held yesterday at Climax was a grand success, and attracted a crowd estimated at 1000 people from North Dakota and Minnesota. The business meeting was held in the morning, presided over by the President Rev. Bundahl.

In the afternoon those present were welcomed heartily by Mayor Hans Samuelson of Climax and the response was made by President Bundahl. Torkel Oftelie, of Fergus Falls, the historian of the Telle Lag made a very intersting address, followed by Chris Steenerson who compared the language spoken by the Norwegian-American to Pennsylvania Dutch. Good addresses were made by Ole Brevik of Climax and Elias Steenerson of this city, the latter acting as chairman of the meeting.

A grand free dinner was served from 12 till 4 p. m. and a big dance was enjoyed in the evening.

The next meeting will be held in Crookston, June 24, 1909.

DRISCOLL FILES FOR COMMISSIONER

This afternoon County Commissioner James Driscoll from the 5th commissioner's district filed as a candidate for renomination on the Republican ticket. It is not expected that he will have any opposition in the Republican ranks, as his services have proved very satisfactory to his constituents as well as to the county at large. Mr. Pape, from the same district has already filed as a democratic candidate.

SENT TO PRISON FOR LIFE.

George Willoughby of Milwaukee Pleads Guilty of Wife Murder.

Milwaukee, July 24. — George Willoughby, who shot and killed his wife at their residence on Prospect avenue on March 22, yesterday pleaded guilty to the crime in the municipal court, threw himself on the mercy of the court and was sentenced to life imprisonment at Waupun by Judge Brazee. This is the maximum punishment. Willoughby was one of the most prominent business men in Milwaukee before the murder, and he and his wife were prominent in church work.

NEED $100,000 FOR DRAINAGE

STATE AUDITOR IVERSON SAYS THAT ADDITIONAL AMOUNT IS NECESSARY

WILL RECLAIM 400,000 ACRES OF STATE LAND IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA

From Wednesday's Daily—

State Auditor Sam Iverson and his clerk, Theo Nelson, returned last evening from Warren and Hallock where they have been for the past two days conducting state land sales, and left this morning for Roseau where another sale will be held. The north line sales were very good, many people wanting more Valley soil. In speaking of conditions Mr. Iverson said:

"The state has previously spent $25,000 on drainage projects in Northern Minnesota and $50,000 more is being expended on the Roseau River and other ditch projects now under construction.

"However, I have been convinced during the present trip that at least $100,000 should be appropriated by the state for drainage work in Northern Minnesota, and if this is done as I believe it will be, at least 400,000 acres of land belonging to the state will be reclaimed and make as fine land for agriculture as can be found within the confines of the entire state

"There has been a vast amount of drainage work done in the past few years in this part of the state, but more is needed, and every dollar invisited in drainage ditches is well spent and will bring forth a return of a hundred fold."

TO ENFORCE STATE LAW

DEALERS IN NOISE MAKERS FOR THE 4TH OF JULY SHOULD TAKE NOTICE

CANNON CRACKERS, BLANK CARTRIDGE PISTOLS, DYNAMITE CAPS PROHIBITED

The dealers in the sinews of war for 4th of July should be very careful this year not to bump up against the state law in the sale of goods that are prohibited.

The last legislature of Minnesota passed a very stringent law prohibiting the sale of cannon cracker, blank cartridge fire arms, blank cartridges dynamite caps, etc., which have caused so many thousand accidents in the past, many of them resulting in death

Mayor McPhee requested City Attorney O'Brien to define the law covering the situation and received the following communication:

Hon. J. D. McPhee, 6-23-1908.
City.

Dear Sir: In response to your request for information in the premises I would state that Chapter 28, Laws of Minnesota for the year 1907, provides as follows:

"Section 1. Every person who shall manufacture, use, sell or keep for sale within this state any blank cartridge pistols, blank cartridges, caps containing dynamite, and firecrackers exceeding three inches in length, and exceeding one-half of an inch in diameter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

Respectfully,
—Martin O'Brien, City Attorney.

IVERSON SAYS ITS JACOBSON

State Auditor Iverson who was in the city this morning when asked about the gubernatorial situation said "It looks all Jacobson to me. I cannot see any possible chance for any other candidate. I believe it will be Jacobson all over the state, and that he will be named on the first ballot. The people have been clamoring for Jacobson and I believe they will have him and no one else. That is the way the situation looks to me whereever I have been."

Scholarships for Boys.

Menomonie, Wis., June 24. — The Dunn county school of agriculture and domestic economy has offered five scholarships to St. Croix county boys who have completed the common school course of study. These scholarships cover free tuition for a two year course, with the privilege of all school facilities.

You Should Know This

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.—Sold by all druggists.

RINGLINGS GREAT AGGREGATION JUNE 29

AN ARMY OF NEARLY 2,000 PEOPLE A HERD OF 40 ELEPHANTS, 14 ACRES OF CANVAS AND A 108 CAGE ZOO WILL BE HERE ON THAT DATE—THE DAY WILL BE REGARDED AS A GENERAL HOLIDAY AND OLD AND YOUNG WILL FLOCK TO SEE GREATEST CIRCUS THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN

Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows are to exhibit in this city on Monday June 29. In all its entirety from the 1280 people employed, the wonderful herd of 40 elephants, the 14 acres of canvas, 108 cage zoo to the pink lemonade man, the circus will be transported to this city from Wadena in fire sections, requiring 85 double length cars.

The first brigade of "billers" made Crookston last week in one of the largest and most modernly equipped advertising cars ever constructed. The interior is handsomely finished in oak and has "all the comforts of a home." It contains the private office of the manager, a gentlemen's smoking compartment and the berths are so arranged that each person has practically a private section. It is from this car that the first billing matter is distributed and posted. Wagons loaded with paper and billposters, were dispatched into the country where, as press agent Charles A. White would say: "Every barn, fence and bill board within 40 miles will be clothed with posters which serve to elicit the mastadonic marvels in store for those who come to town on show day. The car went to Winnipeg Sunday afternoon on the N. P.

No Stake Driving

"The old time method of driving stakes with sledges has been eliminated owing to the enormous size of the tents employed by Ringling Brothers this season. The new invention is in the form of a driving machine which is mounted on a heavy wagon and operated by gasoline engines. Stake after stake is fed into the machine and driven deep and straight, doing away with the hard work of former days, also assuring rapid erection of a gigantic canvas city which could not be handled otherwise. This wonderful invention and the 'full plate' service of the 'Hotel Ringling' has been instrumental in causing working men to flock to the show for employment, while other shows were unable to secure help at any price.

The Circus Cook

"The cook tent is on important factor in the estimation of both performer and working man, and the 26,880 hungry mouths fed each week, crave every article served in hotels of 'standing; ice cream, cakes and delicacies of the season are always to be found on a Ringling menu. Figuring the meals served by this firm to their army of employees, in one season, the amount aggregates that of the President's salary for a period of over eight years. In one short season, the combined population of Minneapolis, Milwaukee and Cincinnati have figurative ly dined under the Ringling roof.

A Great Aggregation

"For this season's tour, Ringling Brothers have gathered together the flower of the acrobatic, aerial and equestrian world. Their exhibitions of strength and dexterity on the numerous stages, in the rings, upon the backs of mettlesome horses, and far up in the aerial enclave, 'midst a network of trapeze and horizontal bars, justly brings them the title of the physical marvels of two hemispheres.

"In the big new 108 cage zoo are many rare and odd creatures nowhere else to be seen. A family of full grown giraffes, the only rhinoceros in captivity; the almost extinct gnu or horned horse, and 40 elephants, the largest company ever shown under canvas and more than twice as many as are with any other show in America. The big menagerie tent is the largest ever made for a circus, and so big that an army of 5000 men could be easily maneuvered within its walls."

And the Tall Giraffe

Speaking of giraffes, the agent continued, "Why, the family of long necked beauties, which Ringling Brothers are exhibiting this season, represent an outlay of money sufficient to erect a brownstone mansion. These delicate animals are cared for like the children of royalty, and could not be bought at any price. They have special cars for traveling and live in wagons thickly padded with curled hair, backed by fine brass springs and covered with a rich and serviceable fabric. They are nervous and timid creatures and must be watched every minute by a trained keeper, who alone is allowed to feed them. Their food is prepared and steamed according to scientific rules. A giraffe has seldom been known to touch water. Codliver oil and milk are a part of their diet."

WAS ANOTHER FRED G. WELLS

FORMER RESIDENT OF CROOKSTON WAS NEVER IN COGSWELL, N D

It is with genuine pleasure that the Journal has learned that the Wells who was formerly located in Crookston, Thief River Falls and Grand Forks is not the Wells who was alleged to have turned up missing at Cogswell, N. D., several thousand dollars behind in his accounts. The Journal copied several items from N. Dakota papers in which it was stated with authority shrdluetaoinshrdluuu that the alleged defaulter was Fred G. Wells, but the Journal can state with authority that Fred G. Wells and family are located at Des Moines, Ia., where Mr. Wells is doing a big land and insurance business under the firm of Wells & Co. Fred G. Wells was never in Cogswell N. D. according to a letter received by E. M. Walsh this morning and in closing Mr Wells facetiously remarks 'and I have never yet been able to steal $40000".

The Journal most cheerfully publishes a retraction.

BOUND OVER ON ROBBERY

EMMA STARLING AND JEANETTE JOHNSON ARE HELD TO GRAND JURY

Emma Starling and Jeanette Johnson were given a preliminary hearing in the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday on the charge of robbery. The complaining witness Thomas Thompson charged that the defendants had taken $80 from his pocket while he was asleep. After the hearing which occupied most of the afternoon both defendants were held to the grand jury in $250 bonds.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

TAKES FOLSOM TO GRAND RAPIDS

DEPUTY SHERIFF ITASCA COUNTY APPREHENDS ALLEGED BURGLAR AT FERGUS

Deputy Sheriff Jesse Harry of Grand Rapids passed thru the city this morning on his way home from Fergus Falls where he has just apprehended John Folsom on the charge of breaking into the Ball Club Post office last week.

Folsom denies his guilt and says because he was the only stranger there at the time he is held $600 was taken. None of it was found on Folsom who is an expert electrician according to his statements now on the transient list. He hails from St. Paul.

BELIEVE METEOR FELL NEAR TOWN

The discovery of a big piece of betal, having the appearance of iron on the Walter Latta farm a couple of miles southeast of Crookston yesterday recalls the wonderful falling star or meteor that startled the people of this section last fall. In these dispatches at that time an account was given of the most brilliant display of the kind ever witnessed in the northwest. The light was blinding for several seconds, and many people were terror stricken. One farmer's team ran away, smashed the rig all to pieces and nearly killed the driver.

The find of Mr. Latta is jagged in shape and weighs about 50 pounds. He discovered it while plowing, the share just grazing the top of it. Mr. Latta with much difficulty unearthed the strange phenomena and will send it to the University of Minnesota or North Dakota for analysis. Those have seen it are confident that it is at least a portion of the molten mass that fell, and which appeared to fall just at the city limits.

NEW RAILWAYS IN MINNESOTA

BUILDING IN NORTHERN PART OF MINNESOTA IS VERY ACTIVE

NORTHERN MINNESOTA RAILWAY LATEST TO BE INCORPORATED

From Thursday's Daily—

Railroad building in the northern part of the state is particularly active so far as the incorporation of new companies is concerned and if recently launched projects are made good the sparcely settled district comprising Roseau and Kittson counties will have two new railroads running parallel with the graded right of way of the Great Northern from Greenbush to Warroad.

Following closely the incorporation of the Minnesota Air Line Railway company comes the filing of articles by the Northern Minnesota Railroad company, whose incorporators are Minneapolis men. The purpose of the company as stated in the articles is to build a road from a point in Warroad township on the Lake of the Woods to a point in Marshall county on the Red River of the North. This is 60 miles and the road would pass thru the villages of Warroad, Roseau Badger, Pelan and Karlstad. The incorporators are George H. Seeley, Waldron M. J. Jerome and Hector G. Spaulding all of Minneapolis. The capital stock is $100,000.

The route announced for the Minnesota Air Line incorporated about a week ago is thru the same territory the terminal points mentioned being Thief River Falls and Zipple Bay. It has been suggested that the purpose of both companies may be to coerce the Great Northern into the completion of its road from Warroad to Greenbush.

MUCH BUILDING BY FARMERS

From Saturday's Daily—

The farmers of this section are expending a great deal of money this year thruout this section in the erection of cowbarns silos and the fencing in of pasture land. The fact that this section is proving one of the greatest butter producing localities in the state has aroused the farmers to a keen sense of the neglect that has been shown it in the past and on practically every farm in this section material improvements are being made in the erection of milk houses and convenient barns for their increasing herds. Instead of a side issue which was conducted without any system the farmers are getting down to a business basis in the dairy industry.

Albert Bergh the general agent of the International Harvester Co., in this district has a farm near Fosston and is engaged in the dairy business having worked up his herd from a few cows till his average income is now $125 per month from his cows. He is erecting a fine silo and new cow barns and stated today that the farms in eastern Polk are all being revolutionized and strictly up-to-date methods employed in the production of butter.

GIVES BOND FOR $7.000

Under bonds of $7000 Mrs Lena Hagen widow of Paul Hagen, deceased of East Grand Forks was appointed by the probate court administratrix of the estate in special matters.

There was a hearing on claims in the estate of Mrs. Gina Dahl of Climax formerly Mrs. Thomas Sundet of Crookston. Hearing was also had on a petition to sell land in the estate of Endrew Tolford who died in Erskine September 23 1905.

SNEAK THIEF IS RECAPTURED

Walter Wilson a transient of the bum variety at East Grand Forks who was arrested last summer for the theft of a coat from Arneson's store, and who made his escape from the municipal court, just after being sentenced, made his appearance in the city last evening and was promptly gathered in by Officer Nelson. When searched a sack of phony jewelry was found in his possession, which may serve as a clue to one of his present callings. He will be given a hearing in the municipal court this morning.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

CROP OUTLOOK IS EXCELLENT

PROSPECTS ARE THE BEST THEY HAVE BEEN IN THE PAST TEN YEARS

WARM RAINS THIS WEEK WERE MOST OPPORTUNE FOR THE LATER SOWN GRAIN

From Saturday's Daily—

The third week in June closes with the finest crop prospects the Red River Valley has experienced since 1897. On Thursday and Friday two welcome rains fell and came at the most opportune moment possible. The late sown barley and flax needed a good rain and all other crops will be benefitted by the moisture tho the early grain was not suffering.

The fields never presented a more even appearance than at the present time. Not a low spot where the grain has suffered from too much moisture can be found in a day's travel, for while the rains earlier in the spring were frequent they were all light, and there was no water standing on the surface two hours after the rain ceased.

The efficiency of the drainage ditches were never more apparent than this spring taking care of the water early in the season and practically all the farmers now have laterals leading into the main drainage ditches which carry off the water from the low places before the land has a chance to sour, so that the crops are as healthy looking in the low places as on the higher ground.

The recent warm weather has made the corn shoot forward wonderfully and the potatoes are forging ahead with a promise of a most bountiful crop and prospects of maturing from two to three weeks earlier than usual.

The winter rye harvest will be started the latter part of next week and will be general the first week in July and all rye land will be plowed before even the earliest barley is ready for the sickle.

The hay crop will be the heaviest this year thruout this section that it has been for many years barring the two years '05 and '06 when there was so much water that much of the hay land was under water practically all summer. The clover crop is exceptionally luxuriant, and all tame hay is a banner crop.

The excellent crop prospects are having a salutary effect on business and merchants are noticing a marked increase in the volume of business done during the past week.

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY

THOMAS PAYNE ACQUITTED OF MANVEL POSTOFFICE ROBBERY

JURY RETURNED VERDICT YESTERDAY AFTERNOON IN FEDERAL COURT

From Thursday's Daily—

It took the jury in the federal court at Fargo a short time to acquit Thomas Payne of the charge of burglarizing a United States postoffice. The case was given to the jury by Judge Reed about 3 o'clock after final arguments had been made by Emerson H. Smith for defendant and Assistant District Attorney, W. H. Barnett. Payne, with Stevens and Hendle was charged with robbing the Manvel post office, May 10th. Stevens the day while Hendle remains to be tried. The previous pleaded guilty to the charge, verdict in the Payne case was expected by those who have followed the case, a strong defense having been introduced.

Fortune favors the brave who are in the hustling class.

John W. Sandberg

Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 190.

GREAT DAY FOR M. B. A.

FESTIVITIES IN CONNECTION WITH LODGE WEDDING AND CLASS ADOPTION

SETS A NEW HIGH MARK FOR FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION ENTERPRISE

From Saturday's Daily—

The festivities incident to the initiation of a class of 12 members last evening, followed by an elaborate wedding under the auspices of the Modern Brotherhood of America in their hall in the Fournet Block marks a new era in the growth of the local branch of the order and has set a new high record for fraternal organization enterprise both as to uniqueness and elaborate details.

The lodge met at 8 o'clock last evening and initiated the class of 12 after which the lodge was closed and preparations made for the wedding which was a notable event.

As soon as all was in readiness the orchestra played a wedding march and twelve flower girls, all dressed in white and carrying baskets of fragrant flowers entered from the ante room and marched slowly toward the altar down an aisle formed by ribbon held in place by six more little girls dressed in white, strewing flowers as they proceeded.

Following the flower girls, who formed a half circle about the altar came Rev W. S. Ward and the ring bearer and then came the bride, Miss Rena H. Stokke on the arm of the groom, Mr. Severe A. Charbneau. Following them came the three bridesmaids on the arms of the three groomsmen.

The bride and groom stood beneath an immense bell of crepe paper, beautifully decorated with flowers and the words uniting the two for life were pronounced by Rev. W. S. Ward the beautiful ring service being used.

Just as the benediction had been pronounced some one pulled a cord and about a peck of rice cleverly concealed in the bell fell on the heads of the bride and groom.

The bridal party was escorted to seats of honor from where they were formally introduced to the hundreds present after which the orchestra played, "Will You Be True." C. E. Brown, state manager of the M. B. A. for North Dakota in a very happy manner then made the presentation speech in which the bridal couple were presented with a magnificent collection of silverware from the Crookston lodge.

After congratulations had been extended, dancing was indulged in till 11 o'clock when the procession was formed for the march to the Grill Restaurant where a most elaborate course banquet was served, every appointment being perfect.

During the progress of the banquet splendid music was furnished by a harpist and violinist. At the conclusion of the banquet every guest was presented with a piece of the monster wedding cake, neatly wrapped, which without doubt the recipients all enjoyed pleasant dreams over later on.

The decorations in the hall, where the company repaired to after the banquet where they danced till 3:30 a. m. were the most elaborate ever seen in the hall. Beautiful stramers were draped from the center of the hall to all corners and sides of the hall. The walls were literally banked with flowers, palms and potted plants.

The committee in charge is entitled to a great credit for the splendid success of the affair in every detail.

The bridesmaids all dressed in white were Misses Minnie I. Strader, Hannah Rustad and Minnie Isaackson and the groomsmen were Messrs. Clyde A. Williams, Christ Gorder and Wm Lundberg.

The 12 flower girls were Clara Bergman, Valletta Glenn, Elva Glenn, Gerda Kinn, Florence I. Cash, Bessie E. Cash, Annie Nhughter, Irma Gossman, Ella M. Anderson, Myrtle Amundsen, Pearl Tolan, Gladys Berg.

Miss Martha Ofstad acted as ring bearer.

Committee on arrangements A. A. Glenn, Mrs. Amanda Ofstad, G. J. Genereaux.

The out of town guests included C. E. Brown and wife, A. C. Gage, R. G. Bates, L. Harris, A. W. Anderson Sadie Anderson, Jennie Anderson, Annie Marks of Grand Forks and Reynolds, N. D.

Robbers Make Big Haul.

Minneapolis, June 20. — Diamonds and rubies valued at $2,000 were stolen from the apartments of Miss R. S. Baum yesterday in broad daylight. The burglars smashed open a trunk containing the gems.

Elks' State Convention.

Bemidji Minn., June 20.—The first day of the state convention of Minnesota Elks began under a leaden sky, with occasional showers. Everybody is pleased with the arrangements of the local committee.

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Correspondence

KEY STONE

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Hugh McDonald and daughters Margaret and Amelia Sunday.

Hugh McDonald has been on the sick list the past two weeks.

Miss Tillie Brantl called on Mrs. John Gerber last Friday.

Several young folks of this vicinity attended a grand ball given at Tabor last Saturday evening. All report a fine time.

Miss Mary Brantl is staying with her sister Mrs. Jerrick and is attending school taught by Miss Helen Riedesel.

One of the prettiest exhibitions of baseball that has been seen for weeks was the Key Stone-Sherack game at the John Brantl farm, last Sunday afternoon the score being 44 to 4 in favor of Key Stone. The game was soon completed and from the time the curtain was rung up for the first act it was a continuous round of interesting situations. The girls who cheered for Key Stone helping things along. The Sherack team tried their very best to run in more scores, but failed. The Key Stones stand up manfully and say: If the Sherack boys do not want to get beaten again they had better stay at home, and practice up for a while longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschliman enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ehnen last Sunday afternoon.

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING HELD

GRAND RECEIVER McGUIRE ADDRESSED A. O. U. W. AND D. OF H.

Last evening the members of the A. O. U. W. and D. of H. were addressed by Grand Receiver McGuire of St. Paul who explained the new rates that became effective on the first of July. He went into the matter exhaustively and explained the proposed changes in a most satisfactory manner.

There was a large attendance and a fine lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed. Mr. McGuire has visited East Grand Forks, Fisher and goes to Fertile this evening.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

June 18 In History.

1812—Congress declared war against Great Britain. President Madison sent his war message to congress June 1, and two days later the committee on foreign relations in the house of representatives reported a manifesto as a basis of the declaration of war.

1815—Battle of Waterloo.

1869—Henry Jarvis Raymond, journalist, congressman, friend and biographer of Abraham Lincoln, died; born 1820.

1907 – Alexander Stewart Herschell, noted English astronomer, died in London; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:24; moon rises 11:19 p. m.; moon's age 20 days.

WANTED—MEN—For railroad work in Minnesota, Dakota and Montana. Good wages, free fare, ship daily. Call at 301 N. Main St. Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

FATHER VERY ILL—Mr. and Mrs Eissner and Mrs. Oscar Quist will leave this evning for Spencer, Ia., where they have been called by the serious illness of the father of the two ladies, whose recovery is very doubtful. They will be absent for several weeks.

MOTHER IS DEAD—Mrs. Richard Mahler died Tuesday at 12 o'clock in the town of Buse, aaged about 63 years. Her death was caused by peritonitis. She is survived by her husband and six living children who all live in this neighborhool except one who is at Crookston. Mrs. Mahler moved to this county three years ago from Storm Lake Iowa, and has since lived on the W. W. Wilson farm in Buse. The funeral will be held Friday at 12 o'clock from the home in Buse.—Fergus Falls Journal.

A FARM WITHOUT AN AX—The crew of men who are staking out the line for the proposed Farmers Union Telephone Co., northwest of the city had a most laughable experience yesterday. They were about thru with their work and ran out of stakes. They went to the nearest house, the owner being a well known farmer to get some more stakes. The farmer stated that they could have all the stakes they wanted, but that he had no ax to sharpen them with. This struck the crew, composed of farmers of that section, as extremely ludicrous, and they bantered the farmer for running a farm without an ax till he volunteered to drive to Crookston and buy a case of "White Seal" if they would forget it. It is very probable that he will also invest in an ax or two to take out with the case. He makes a wry face every time the word "ax" is pronounced in his presence, and it now looks as tho that would be his nickname among his friends.

The criminal cases of Polk County will be thru by the end of the week. This afternoon the Albert Johnson case, a charge of grand larceny committed in East Grand Forks was called. Attorney E. D. Clough defends and Attorney Finlayson of East Grand Forks prosecutes.

The jury received the charge in the Murphy case and were out on the case the most of the day. The jury disagreed in the case of Webber's partner.

The general land office at Washington has informed the local land office that Clerks Frank Montague and P. J. Fearon will from July 1st receive material advances in their salaries. Frank Montague will henceforth receive $1320.

P. J. Fearon will receive $1140. The raise comes as a result of the excellence of their work, the Crookston land office being one of the most business like conducted government land offices in the United States, and also as a result of the government's scale of salaries as fixed by length in service of employes.

After a small boy acquires the cigarette habit the next downward step is easy.

Some men would rather go away back and sit down than stand on ceremony

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

June 19 In History.

General Greene.

1786—Major General Nathanael Greene, hero of the Revolutionary war, died; born 1742.

1794—Richard Henry Lee, the first to introduce resolutions for independence, died; born 1732.

1864—Battle of the Kearsarge and Alabama off Cherbourg, France.

1905—The capital of the United States named as the meeting place of the Russian and Japanese peace plenipotentiaries.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:24; moon rises 11:52 p. m.; moon's age 21 days; A. D. 1819, Winnecke's comet discovered by Pons, with period of 5.64 years.

BOB PURVIS HERE—Robert H. Purvis arrived in the city this morning from his headquarters at Mankato Minn., with a group of land buyers to look over the north valley soil.

ENROUTE TO COAST—D. L. Engle of Clear Lake S. D., is spending a few days in the city visiting with his nephew, W. D. Rowe. He is enroute to the Pacific coast where he will spend some time.

NEUKOM HERE— John Neukom, now located with the legal department of the Northern Pacific arrived in the city yesterday and looks after business for the company in the court here today. Mr. Neukom was formerly stenographer for Steenerson and Loring.

GETS GOOD POSITION—Graduates of the mining engineering department of the University of North Dakota will soon be busily engaged at their Steenerson mining engineer has accepted a position with the state engineer of Minnesota.

WILL SOON BE WORKING—Dan Healy railway mail clerk has returned from Hunter's Hot Springs where he went to secure treatment for rheumatism. He is able to walk around all right now, altho he went away on crutches. He will return to work July 1.—Grand Forks Herald.

GIVEN THIRTY DAYS — August Ganson who was re-arrested by Officer Murphy of East Grand Forks on Wednesday evening was given thirty days in the county jail yesterday by Judge Sullivan for the larceny of the coat from the Arneson store last summer. William Graham who "swiped" a coat and vest belonging to Pat Purcell in the west end town was assessed a fine of $10 and costs.

TRIP AROUND THE WORLD — Rev. Father Lemeiux has returned to Fargo after having made the circumnavigation of the globe. He has been away from the city about nine months and during that time has visited Japan and China where he spent some time. He then went to Egypt and visited all the places of interest in the Holy Land and later visited Rome and other points in Europe. He reports the finest and most instructive and in every way beneficial trip of his life and enjoyed it thoroly.

FREE SCHOLARSHIPS — Given away in the Fargo Conservatory of Music to the amount of $600.00. The best equipped musical school in the Northwest, largest faculty, all branches taught. Pupils may enter at any time. Send for information regarding scholarships. Fall term opens Sept. 10th, 1908. Large illustrated catalogue of school sent upon request. Address E. Herdeg, Secretary of Fargo Conservatory of Music, or W. W. George, Director, Fargo, N. D.

BUT THE FISH WOULD NOT BITE—Messrs. A. S. Millard, Alfred Norman and J. P. Bagstad took their families for a drive to Maple Lake last Sunday to show the people at the lake how to catch fish, but were sorely disappointed in their undertaking. However on the road home when no one could overhear their conversation they pledged to send their women over to the river at Gentilly later in the week to get some fish there. This was also done, but with the same result and now the three aforesaid old benedicts are debating as to whether it would not be cheaper to buy some fish and be done with it.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

June 20 In History.

1530—First session of the famous Augsburg diet called by Charles V. to settle the religious disputes of Germany.

1866—Italy declared war against Austria.

1903—Cardinal Vaughan, Roman Catholic primate of England, died; born 1832.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:25; sun's declination 23.5 degrees north of celestial equator; moon rises 12:23 a. m.; moon's age 22 days; 4 a. m., planet Mercury stationary.

APPOINTED ADMINISTRATOR — Halvor Homme was appointed administrator in the Thone Homme estate yesterday in the probate court. The appointee hails from Griebrok, Minn in the town of Johnson. Mrs. Thone Homme was a child wife, being only 19 years old when she died, December 15, 1907, but left a property.

A CARLOAD OF HORSES—W. H. Dixon of Warren arrived in the city last evening and received a car of horses over the Northern Pacific and drove them to Warren overland. The horses were all good lookers and will be put at work and on the Market at Warren.

DEATH AT RED LAKE FALLS—Mrs. Jacob Pahlen passed from this life early Monday morning at her home on the north side, at the age of forey-eight years after a lingering illness covering a period of some 8 years. The deceased was operated upon five years ago for gall stones, but died of hemorrhage of the lungs. —Red Lake Falls Gazette.

HARRIS FROM GRACETON—Fred Harris arrived from his new home in the Crookston settlement south of Graceton. Minn., in the northern part of the state last night for a day's visit here. The colonists are enjoying themselves immensely and wish to remember themselves to all frinds in Crookston.

OLD RESIDENT IS DEAD—There passed away quietly at the home of C. W. Bain, Scott avenue, Gilby at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon Andrew Bain, in the 89th year of his age. Mr. Bain was born at North Ohtaham, New York, on June 19, 1819 moving west to Faribault, Minn., in 1856. He was united by the sacred ties of marriage to Elizabeth Baker of Auburn, N. Y., in the year 1848, and the union was blessed with six children five of whom are now living who mourned the loss of a loving mother on July 7, 8174, at Faribault. Mr. Bain and the family finally settled at Gilby on Jan. 1, 1892, where he resided till his death, leaving a family of three grown sons and two daughters to grieve the loss of an affectionate father. They are Charles W., and Fred of Gilby, George of Crookston, Mrs. M. E. Dudley, of Ventura, Cal., and Mrs. Laura A. Brown, of Newcastle Col. The remains were shipped to Faribault for interment.

THEY WORK CHEAPLY—A gang of forty-five Italian laborers employed in improving the Great Northern track in this vicinity received their monthly pay checks in this city on Thursday noon and called on one of the local banks in a body to have them cashed. The gang consists almost entirely of young men—the majority of them look like mere boys—and all are very small. The do not do as much work as other men, but the company employs them because they are sober and reliable. When they hire out in the spring they work till fall, whereas workmen of other nationalities are likely to leave for the harvest fields or some other locality as soon as work becomes plentiful. Very few of the Italian laborers understand English language and they show no particular desire to acquire it in most cases. They work under the direction of a foreman who understands their language and tells them what to do. The great objection to their employment is that they send their earnings back to Italy and return to that country as soon as they have accumulated what they consider a sufficiency They do not become citizens and the money which they earn is taken out of this country permanently. The road is paying them $1.25 per day.—Fergus Falls Journal.

Steener Steenerson filed this morning for county surveyor. Mr. Steenerson is a young gentleman who has been connected with county and state civil engineering work. John Saugstad filed yesterday for representative Both hail from Climax. Saugstad is at present one of the representatives from this county.

Two Die by Cremation.

Houghton, Mich., June 20.—An elderly man names Esko and a young man named Johnson were burned to death late last night in a fire which destroyed the saloon and residence of Matt Huttala at Jacobsville.

COLBERT GANG AT BEMIDJI

A. H. KLEVEN, FORMERLY CROOKSTON LAND MAN TOUCHED FOR $4,000

AT ELKS CARNIVAL AT BEMIDJI —THERE WERE ALSO OTHER THIEVERIES

From Saturday's Daily—

Reports reach Crookston today of the robbery of Albert H. Kleven formerly a Crookston land man at Bemidji to the tune of $4,000 by sneak thieves.

A Chicago traveling man was touched for a diamond stud in his tie worth $500.

S. O. Rifsdal, merchant at Aure, Minnesota, north of Solway was touched for $103 in checks and about $80 in money.

Kleven's loss consisted chiefly of papers, part of which however were negotiable. He also lost some money.

The whole list of robberies occurred in the Great Uorthern station at Bemidji or thereabouts.

Lost Wallet and $390

A well known traveling man of the north country stepped up to the ticket window in the Great Northern station at Bemidji yesterday and placed his grip on the floor while he purchased a ticket. He found his grip missing when he turned to get it and also his wallet filled with $390 in bills which he had dropped on the floor. Turning about he saw W. S. Lycan of Crookston and knowing him cried out to him that he had just been touched Lycan asked him if he would know the robber if he saw him again and getting an affirmative answer he dragged the traveler after him and broke thru the crowd.

Out on the platform Chief of Police Carr of Bemidji was holding a tall dark eyed black haired gentleman for attempting to get the wallet of a gentleman standing on the platform.

Taken to Coop

The dark eyed sir was urbanely explaining why he was there and his lack of connection with any robbery. Lycan advised the police to take him to jail and the dark eyed gentleman was so taken.

Rifsdal did not discover his loss until after he had left Bemidji and had landed on the platform at Shevlin last night. Then the train was searched but no find could be made of any suspects. Rifsdal returned home broke. It is probable however that he can stop payment on the checks.

Believed to be Colbert Gang

The gang of men operating at Bemidji are believed to be about five in number and to be under the leadership of the criminal sneak thief Colbert well known to the police and the Pinkertons.

The Colbert gang is believed to be connected with the sneak thievery robbery of a traveling man's grip containing $700 in jewels here two months ago. The Pinkertons have been on their trail ever since.

The Colbert gang operated at Fargo during the recent races there and left there for East Grand Forks where they stayed for a few days. Thence they left East Grand Forks on the east bound and went as far east as Cass Lake, doubling back into Bemidji to await the well filled wallets of the festive Elks.

It is believed that their apprehension is only a question of time. A Pinkerton passed thru here last night east.

MARKET DAY AT MIDDLE RIVER

R. D. V. CARR OF MIDDLE RIVER OFFICIATES AT BIG EVENT

Middle River on the Greenbush line north of Thief River Falls had a live Market Day yesterday at which R. D. V. Carr editor of the Middle River Pioneer was the leading light. The Market Day was attended from far into the eastern interior where the homesteaders have been longing for some time for a live trip to town. Reports indicate that there were about fifteen hundred people in that city.

In the afternoon a baseball game was played between Middle River and Sandridge.

RETURNED KLEVEN DRAFTS BY MAIL

Later reports from Bemidji state that A. H. Kleven received in the mail this morning nearly $3,000 in drafts and checks from parties unknown. He estimates his loss now at about $100.

Perhaps Adam's downfall was due to the fact that he had no mother-in-law to look after him.

Thousands Here For Market Day

Dinner was served to 2,000 farmers and their families. Everybody well supplied and highly pleased.

City furnishes continuous excitement to it's gathered guests. Made interesting and matter of civic pride.

From Saturday's Daily—

"Make Polk county again the banner county of this state," urged Thomas Johnstone this noon hour to the commodious auditorium full of farmers and their families who came in to attend Crookston's first great Market Day.

The entertainment committee consisting of Walter Stone, chairman, Mayor McPhee and Thomas Johnstone realize that there is a reason for this day and are trying to make of it something more than a movement for immediate trade and prosperity.

The earnest appeal of the well known Crookston gentleman to the gathered guests of the city rested on the past history of this county when its products represented the United States in dairying and wheat exhibits in Paris, France.

Following the address of Thomas Johnstone came the address of welcome by Mayor McPhee in which he told the assemblage that, if they found anything wanting this day in their entertainment, they would not miss it the next market day held in Crookston for this is the first Market Day and the committee expected to gather much valuable experience from its incidents.

However visiting farmers and out-of-town people insist that there is nothing missing and they feel right at home.

2000 Were Fed

At the Auditorium at noon two thousand people partook of their noonday meal as the guests of the city without charge. The dinner being served by the W. R. C. Ladies under the direction of the Commercial Club.

If the tables were full, they found on every hand facilities for their comfort while they waited and amusements and care for their children, if they brought any with them.

This morning sensational fire runs were made from the fire department hall to different parts of the city and a large crowd witnessed the proceedings. This will be made more of a feature at the next Market Day.

Sale a Big Success

This afternoon in the midst of an immense concourse of people Chas. Hitchcock climbed the auctioneer's stand on Second street and began to arrange deals for the products that five hundred different farmers had brought to town to dispose of.

An Unqualified Success

The entire day was an unqualified success and the farmers were unanimous in expressing their genuine satisfaction and lively pleasure over the arrangements that had been made for their combined pleasure and profit The business men are also highly gratified over the success of the day and the Commercial club members and officers feel well repaid for the efforts expended.

The first Market Day s but a starter, and while there is more produce brought to Crookston than was ever bought before in one, or even two days combined, it will prove but a marker to what will be brought on the next Market Dak. The auction sale was a grand success in every particular.

Plenty of Amusement.

In addition to the fire run the band concerts and dinner, all the farmers and their families were supplied with all the tickets to the Lyceum and Bijou they could use and were well entertained during the entire afternoon.

Did Fine Business

The merchants of the city, especially those who advertised special discounts for Market Day did a land office business. They were busy from 9 o'clock this morning during the entire day, and realize that the Market Day proposition is a grand thing for the merchants as well as the farmers

Fakirs Should be Barred

The Journal believes that one mistake was made. No license should be granted to street fakirs on any Market Day or any other holidays. The farmers should not be encouraged to come to Crookston to have their sons fleeced and schooled into the practice of engaging in games of chance. All street fakirs should be barred from the city on Market Day, specially and on every other day for that matter. The money the farmers and their daughters and sons have to spend, should be spent with the legitimate business houses, and not with some con-game artist.

Great Credit Due

Too much credit cannot be given to the splendid work done by the Market Day committee consisting of Messrs. Walter Stone, John Cowley, and O. Mercil, Jr., and the sub-committees they appointed. They worked with a commendable energy for weeks, and did everything in their power to make the day the success it proved.

President Misner of the Twenty-Five Thousand club was highly gratified at the work done by the above named committee, and praised them in the highest terms.

LITTLE CHILD WAS DROWNED

18-MONTHS-OLD BABE OF MR. AND MRS. TRUDEAU FELL IN WASH TUB

WAS DROWNED IN BUT 4 INCHES OF WATER—FUNERAL HELD TODAY

Last evening while Mrs. Louis Trudeau was milking and her older daughters were preparing supper the little daughter, Jeanette Alice, but 18 months old, managed to climb over the board across the back door which was placed to prevent her from leaving the house, and walking to the corner of the house fell into a tub of water and when her mother returned from the stable 15 minutes later and enquired for the baby. A short search resulted in the discovery of the little one in the tub with life extinct. Mr. Trudeau is employed in the New Store. The family have the sympathy of all in their terrible bereavement. The little one was laid to rest this afternoon in the Gentilly cemetery.

WEBBER WAS DISCHARGED

JUDGE WATTS LETS ALLEGED CON MAN GO AFTER FIRST ACQUITTAL

JOHN CORNELIUS CASE POSTPONED AND COURT ADJOURNED FOR THE DAY

Webber indicted by the grand jury for alleged robbery of a farmer about three months ago was discharged by Judge Watts this morning following his acquittal by the petit jury at his recent trial.

The suit brought by John Cornelius against the Northern Pacific for damages was continued this morning on account of the forced absence of the plaintiff, Mr. Cornelius and following this continuance the court announced that court would adjourn for the day to permit the many business men connected with the business of the court to attend the Market Day in the business district.

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CARLSON IS GRAND CHIEF

SCANDINAVIAN GRAND LODGE OF GOOD TEMPLARS HAS ADJOURNED AT HALLOCK

G. T. HAGEN OF CROOKSTON WAS ELECTED GRAND MARSHAL—FINE MEETING

From Monday's Daily—

The annual session of the Scandinavian grand lodge of Good Templars closed at Hallock Saturday after sitting for three days. The following officers were elected:

Grand Chief Templar—W. P. Carlson, Minneapolis.

Grand Councellor—P. Larson, Two Harbors.

Grand Vice Templar—C. Roskaft, Minneapolis.

Superintendent Juvenile Work—John Grief, St. Paul.

Grand Secretary—A. M. Wold, Minneapolis.

Grand Treasurer—A. D. Larson, Sandstone.

Deputy International Chief Templar—A. P. Peterson, Minneapolis.

Grand Chaplain—Mrs. A. Pearson, St. Paul.

Grand Marshal—G. T. Hagen, Crookston.

Electoral Superintendent—A. P. Yugive, Cambridge.

Superintendent Course of Study—Louis Lindstrom, Cambridge.

The next meeting will be held at Sandstone. Peter Swenson, member of the Norwegian parliament, will lecture thruout the state during the summer.

DRAYTON SPEAKS TO FARMERS FRIDAY

THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY ORGANIZED AT CROOKSTON

The farmers' meeting Saturday June 13 in the G. A. R. Hall was addressed by C. O. Drayton of Illinois He showed clearly the difficulties in the business world which must be overcome by farmers and home business men before the farmers con be as prosperous as they should be.

His remedy is organization and cooperation by farmers and home business men which leads farmers to adopt business methods and principles in selling their great crops. The audience was so well pleased with the lecture that almost every one present joined the society and the following officers were elected:

President—Chris Houston.

Vice Pres.—Ed Roberts,

Sec. Treas.—Elias Steenerson.

Mr. Drayton will speak in the same place again on Friday afternoon, 2:00 p. m. June 26th and every farmer and business man should hear him discuss Profitable Prices for Farm Farm Produce.

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For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FARGO PUTTING THE RUN ON GYPSIES

Gypsies have been given a farm welcome in Fargo so far this season and from the reputation that has been established by the police it is probable that this class of people will pass the city up entirely hereafter. Yesterday a trio of fortune tellers were located in the residence district by Chief Grant and Captain Dahlgren. The women were taken to the police headquarters and then escorted to their camp on the west border of the city where about 50 had pitched their

PROGRAM FOR TOURNAMENT

CROOKSTON TEAM WILL PARTICIPATE IN FIREMEN'S MEET AT THIEF RIVER

GATHERING WILL BE HELD JUNE 30 AND JULY 1-2—GOOD PRIZES UP

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Annual Tournament of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association which will be held at Thief River Falls June 30 and July 1-2, with a meeting of the executive committee on Monday evening, June 29, is attracting a great deal of interest as the time of the meeting approaches, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The Crookston firemen have been doing some consistent practice work, and the running team from this city should make an excellent showing and capture their full share of the prizes. Following is the program, which includes liberal prizes for the main events, together with plenty of sports.

Monday June 29—8:00 p. m.

Meeting of the Executive Committee at Firemen's Hall.

Tuesday June 30, 9:00 a. m.

Address of Welcome, down town by Mayor Hamre.

speakers.

Addresses by other prominent

10:30 a. m.

Grand parade.

First prize to company having most men in uniform in line—$25.00.

Second prize—$10.00

For the best appearing company, First prize—$25.00.

Second prize $10.00.

(Thief River Falls Firemen are barred from parade prizes.)

Tuesday afternoon, 1:30 p. m.

Association Hose Race (the greatest feature of the Tournament.'

First prize, Championship Banner valued $75 and $50 cash—$125.

Second prize $35.00

Third prize $20.00.

Ladder climbing, first prize $15.

Second prize $10 .

Third prize $5.

Coupling contest, first prize $20.

Second prize $15.

Third prize $10.

Wednesday July 1, 9:00 a. m.

Association hook and ladder race. First prize $40.

Second prize $20.

One hundred yard dash for Firemen only.

First prize $15.

Second prize $10.

Third prize $5.

Wednesday Afternoon 1:30 p. m.

Flag race.

First prize $20.

Second prize $15.

Hub and Hub race, first prize $60.

Second prize $35.

Third prize $20.

Evening

Grand Ball at the opera house.

Free to all Firemen.

Thursday July 2, 9:00 a. m.

Combination Hook and Ladder and Hose race.

First prize $75.

Second prize $45.

Third prize $25.

In City, Service Wet Test. First prize, Silver Water Set, valued at $40 cash $60—$100.

Second prize $35.

Third prize $20.

The reception committee will be on duty from 11 a. m. June 29th until the close of Tournament.

There will be band music, concerts dances and boat excursions during the Tournament.

Use of apparatus of Thief River Falls Fire department free to all competing teams will be hauled from and to tents. No tents needed.

BAD STORM AT GEORGETOWN

Reports were recived here this morning of a bad storm at Georgetown last evening. Houses were unroofed by a terrific wind and some hail fell damaging the crops. Fargo had quite a bad storm also.

Russia's Great Library

One of the proudest monuments to the memory of the benevolent despot Peter the Great, is the Imperial Library of Russia, established by him in 1714. Present ranking places it third among the world's great libraries. One of the most popular beverages of the great Northwest is gold-grain belt beer. It has won a dignified place in the home and deserves a place on your family table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

SUBJECT TO STATE LAWS

PUBLIC LANDS MAY BE ASSESSED FOR DRAINAGE PURPOSES

FAILURE OF ASSESSMENTS MAY ENTAIL LOSS OF LAND INVOLVED

From Tuesday's Daily—

The attention of the register and receiver of the Crookston land office have been called by the department to an act of congress of May 20 of this year subjecting the public lands of Minnesota to the drainage laws of the state. The act covers lands controled by the Crookston, Duluth, Cass Lake land offices and is of immense importance to homesteaders and entrymen of all kinds, who have not received their patents and prospective entrymen.

The law provides that all public lands in Minnesota, whether unoccupied and open for entry, or entered upon, but not yet patented shall be subject to the drainage laws of the state of Minnesota, in the same measure and under the same provisions as the land held by any private party.

In case of non-payment of state assessments for drainage purposes, any unentered lands ar entered lands without patent may be seized and sold by the state for the drainage fee, the sale to be merely a right of entry, which may be exercised at the United States land office. The purchaser of the right may purchase the land from the government for $1.25 per acre, providing he has the qualifications of a homesteader, but no one man can acquire more than 160 acres by that means.

If there are no private bidders at a sale of the kind the state may purchase the land from the government for $1.25 an acre and sell it to anybody with the same limitations—that the purchaser shall have the qualifications of a homesteader and that no one man shall acquire more than 160 acres.

Section 8 of the act provides that entries and proofs may be made and patents issued for all ceded Chippewa lands (except in the Red Lake reservation), which were withdrawn under the act of June 21, 1906 in the same manner in which entries proofs and patents for the other lands are made and issued under the homestead laws subject to the payment of the purchase price fixed by law for such lands.

Persons making final proofs of entries in the Red Lake reservation will be required to pay 3 cents per acre in addition to the purchase originally fixed by law, except in cases where entry was made prior to Nov. 10, 1906 the date of the withdrawal under said act of June 21, 1906.

BREAKS AN ARM IK BALL GAME

LESLIE FOX, A FELTON BALL PLAYER HAS PECULIAR ACCIDENT

The ball team of Felton went to Georgetown on Sunday to play a match game with the team of the latter village. Leslie Fox of Felton played center field for his team. A hit was made out to his territory and in fielding the play he threw the ball with such force or with such a peculiar motion that the bone between the elbow and shoulder snapped, breaking squarely off, leaving the arm hanging limply at his side. Fox was hastened to the Great Northern depot where a hand car was procured and he was taken to Moorhead, a distance of 16 miles, on the hand car. The bone was reset by a local physician. The accident was a most peculiar one. Arms are frequently thrown out of joint, but rarely broken in this manner.

ASSESSORS DOING WORK RAPIDLY

FIRST ASSESSORS BRING IN ASSESSMENT BOOKS TO COUNTY AUDITOR

Of the 70 assessment districts in Polk County the first to bring in their books complete to the Auditor's office were the following: L. C. Glass; Tilden; Henrick Johanson, Higdem; Erick Eggen, Esther; Andrew Paulson, Sandsville; and Herman Wold of Winger township, who appeared at the Auditor's office this morning. The assessors have until the first Monday in July in which to bring in their books and from now out they will come in rapidly.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

OLD SETTLERS WILL GATHER

BIG CELEBRATION AT HEIBERG'S PARK NEAR TWIN VALLEY JUNE 27-28

VIKING CHORUS OF CROOKSTON AND HON HALVOR STEENERSON TWO FEATURES

From Monday's Daily—

The Old Settlers meeting at Heiberg Park near Twin Valley June 27-28 promises a pleasant enjoyable affair and doubtless will be well attended. Everything possible is being done to give visitors a hearty welcome and a good time. Lovers of good music will be pleased to learn that the Viking Chorus of Crookston will be present and this organization together with the Twin Valley Octette, the Ada band and the Twin Valley Orchestra will furnish a musical treat that will be worth many a mile's travel to hear.

The list of speakers for the two days include O. S. Bentley president of the society, Hon. Halvor Steenerson, Crookston; Hon. C. O. Drayton, Illinois; Rev. L. C. Symons, N. T. Moen and M. A. Brattland, Ada; Rev. O. R. Wold, Andrew Engeset and Rev. A. L. Huus, Twin Valley. Best of all perhaps will be the getting together of the old settlers themselves for a talk on old times and the hardships they endured. A camp fire for those remaining at the park on the evening of the 27th will afford excellent opportunities for these talks and will doubtless be a pleasant feature of the meeting. Then of course are the pleasures of the park itself—the falling, rushing waters, the birchen groves, the cool freedom of nature. One cannot well afford to miss it. The following program will be rendered:

Saturday, 10:30 A. M.—
Song... ... ... Twin Valley Octette
Address of Welcome... O. S. Bentley
Music ...... Twin Valley Orchestra
Song... ... ... Twin Valley Octette
Address ... ... N. T. Moen, Ada
Music ...... Twin Valley Orchestra
1:30 P. M.—
Song... ... ... Twin Valley Octette
Address .. ..Hon Halvor Steenerson
Music ...... Twin Valley Orchestra
Song ... ...Viking Chorus
Address Hon. C. O. Drayton, Illinois
Music ... ... Twin Valley Orchestra
Song ... ...Viking Chorus
Business Session.
Song ... ...Viking Chorus
Evening Campfire.
Sunday, 10 A. M.—
Music ... ...Ada Band
Address .... Rev. Symons, Ada
Song ... ...Viking Chorus
Address, Rev. O. R. Wold Twin Valley
Song ... ...Viking Chorus
Paper, ..D. C. Fulton, Historian, Ada
Music ... ...Ada Band
1:30 P. M.—
Music ... ...Ada Band
Song ... ...Viking Chorus
Address, Andrew Engeset, Twin Valley
Music ... ...Ada Band
Address ...... M. A. Brattland, Ada
Song ... ... Viking Chorus
Address, Rev. A. L. Huus, Twin Valley
Music ... ...Ada Band

LOCKHART

W. E. Casselman was in Beltrami last week.

Miss Bertha Malakowski of Bemidji is visiting relatives in town,

Mrs. Otto Petri and Mrs. Chas. Petri visited Mrs. Carl Petri in Spring Creek this week.

Miss Casselman and cousins the Carlisle children returned to Crookston Wednesday.

Mrs. Ahlers and daughter Verna spent Sunday here the guests of C. R. Ahlers and family.

W. C. Scott has left for his claim in North Dakota where he will spend a few weeks.

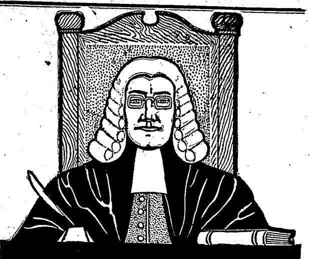
Miss Stiffler of Alden Iowa is up on a visit with her sister Mrs. D. J. Manus.

Mrs. Butler and daughter who have been visiting in town for a few days have gone to Ada to visit with friends

O. B. Drayton was in town last week and organized a society of Equity with Jesse Barnes Pres., Otto Malakowski Vice President and Henry Wolfe Secretary and Treasurer.

Mrs. S. L. Bowen of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure. Sold by all druggists.

A railway man says the block system is a signal success.



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CORNING

WONDERFUL ACROBATS FROM LAND OF SHAH

Probably the strangest band of peoplie in America today are the Mirze Golem acrobats who are making their first professional tour with Ringling Brothers' circus which gives one performance in Crookston next Monday afternoon. Until this season these people had never performed outside the court of the Shah of Persia, where they have long enjoyed the distinction of being the favorite entertainers of the Commander of the Faithful.

The fame of these wonderful acrobats is known all over Europe, tho no one has seen them perform except visitors at the Persian court; and many have been the efforts of European managers to secure the company at any price. To Edgar Linden an agent of Ringling Brothers stationed at Constantinople, due the honor of having persuaded the Shah to release his favorites for a season's tour of America; and it was thru the friendship of a diplomat at Teheran. the Pesian capitol, that this good luck came about.

When Linden told the diplomat he was going to make an effort to secure the Mirze Golems, he was laughed at for his temerity, but so persistent was he, that his friend finally agreed to get him an audience with the Shah, cautioning him, however, to be careful how he made his proposition. He first went to the Mirze Golems, who were elated over his proposal. The possibility of going to America filled them with delight, but they feared to even broach the subject to the Shah.

Then Linden sought the Persian monarch, the diplomat arranging for the audience. When the circus agent entered the royal presence, the Shah was seated on an Oriental couch amid rich draperies. Prostrating himself at the feet of the Commander of the Faithful, Linden went at once to the subject, asking thru an interpreter for the release of the Mirze Golems. The Shah showed no little annoyance at the audacity of the American. It was sometime before he made a move, and then it was to point to the door and urge the circus agent in that direction by a gentle thrust of the foot. Then he said:

"Wait. Command the Golems, most favored of all my entertainers to appear before me, that I may show this presumptuous infidel what he seeks is impossible. Even were I to give my consent think you they would go to a country where women walk alone upon the streets and mere girls show themselves in public without a veil?"

When the Mirze Golems appeared they were in a state of delight at the prospect of foreign travel. They fell on their faces at the side of the circus man and begged to know how they might serve their master.

"By telling this American," said the Shah, "What you think of leaving Teheran to wander in a strange land under tents."

The elder Golem lifted his face to the Shah. "Gracious master," he said, "Grant us leave to do what this stranger asks, and we will bless you all the days of our life."

The humor of the situation struck the Shah, who had expected a prompt refusal, and he laughed heartily. "Very well," said he, "since you have served me faithfully for many years, and since some unusual reward is due you, it shall be as you wish, tho I cannot say I am pleased."

A week later when the happy family left the palace, an officer was sent by the Shah to present them with the most costly wardrobe ever worn by performers. The American legation at Teheran assured the Shah of the perfect reliability of Ringling Brothers in all matters, and when the circus opened its season in Chicago, the Mirze Golems received a cablegram from their commander with the single English word "Godspeed."

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

U. S. TROOPS TO GUARD FRONTIER

President Orders Troops to Border to Prevent Violation of Neutrality.

REQUEST COMES FROM MEXICO

Mexican Rurales Take Field Against Marauders—Absolute Quiet Now Reigns.

Washington, July 1. — By direction of President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft has issued orders to the commanding general of the department of Texas at San Antonio, to send a sufficient number of troops to Del Rio, El Paso and other points in Texas to aid the civil authorities in preserving order. This action was decided upon as a result of the request from the Mexican government that the United States do its utmost to prevent any violation of the neutrality laws.

May Arrest Rebels.

There is a possibility that the United States may be called upon to arrest any of the Mexican revolutionists who may cross the border in the effort to escape from the Mexican authorities. It cannot be learned that any orders to this effect have been given, as none of the officials having to do with the matter is willing to discuss just what is being done except that every step possible is being taken to see that the neutrality laws shall be enforced. The United States authorities are sincerely working to the end and assurances have been received from the attorney general of the United States and Gov. Campbell of Texas that everything will be done to compel a strict enforcement of the law.

Region Now Quiet.

City of Mexico, July 1.—Up to this evening no news of any sort had been received at the capitol that would indicate that there had been a repetition of the disorders similar to those which occurred at the towns of Viesca and Las Vacaso. On the contrary, at the departments of the interior, war and state it was reported that absolute quiet reigned in the region where the two small bands of malcontents had been operating. Word from Torreon declares that the place is as quiet as any well organized city of the United States.

Charged With Common Crimes.

The entire direction of the campaign against the malcontents is under the direction of the secretary of the interior, Senor Corral, who is also vice president of the republic. The government, considering the marauders criminals, is chasing them with rurales, the mounted police of the country. Foreign Minister Mariscal declared yesterday that those manifestants who infest the Rio Grande and are now on the United States soil will be extradited on the grounds that the men are guilty of crimes and not political offenses.

Troops Take Field.

El Paso, Tex., July 1.—According to information from a reliable source, official advices have been received in Juarez, across the Rio Grande from this city, to the effect that the 2,500 federal troops sent to Torreon, Cohauila, have taken the field in an effort to surround the parties believed to be responsible for the attacks on Viesca and Hacienda Matamoras.

WOOL PRICES HIGH.

Growers Make Contracts to Sell in the Neighborhood of 18 Cents.

Lewistown, Mont., July 1. — The idea that there would be a great slump in prices for wool this season has been dissipated. About one-half of the product of Fergus county has now been contracted for and the prices run close to 18 cents, which, while about 3 cents under what the same clips brought last summer, is still much better than was generally expected a few months ago.

FLOODS DELAY LINE

Carpenter Who Doesn't Seek Surgical Aid Dies of Lockjaw.

Sioux Falls, S. D., July 1. — William Doane, a young man who came to South Dakota about a year ago from Warren, Ill., and located at Artesian, is dead of lockjaw. About three weeks ago, while employed at carpenter work, he stepped on a rusty nail, which penetrated his foot. After a few days the wound apparently healed and was not given surgical attention, but yesterday morning he was found in his room suffering from a well developed case of lockjaw, from which he died.

FALLS FROM A TRAIN

Young Woman Walking in Her Sleep Plunges Through Window.

Waterloo, Iowa, July 1. — While walking in her sleep, Miss Jessie Shilling, twenty years old, while en route from Chicago to her home in Washington state, fell from the window of a rapidly moving Burlington passenger train near Dubuque, and, strangely enough, will survive the unusual accident, though her injuries are serious.

Miss Shilling's traveling companion notified the trainmen, who hurried back along the tracks, where they found the girl lying near the rails, bleeding and unconscious. She was taken to the nearest town and placed in a hospital.

RUSTY NAIL WAS FATAL

Milwaukee Will Not Enter Butte Until August, It Now Appears.

Lewistown, Mont., July 1. — The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will not be able to get the line from Lombard, the present terminus of the road, to Butte, a distance of ninety-two miles, completed early in July, as was expected. The delay is entirely due to the floods, which did some damage and hindered the contractors. It is said on good authority that the line will be into Butte early in August.

Body Found Under Log Jam.

Grantsburg, Wis., July 1. — Word reached here that the body of Zach Kessler, twenty-eight years old, living forty-five miles northeast of here, whose supposed drowning was reported a few days ago, had been found in the St. Croix river near the Indian village at the mouth of the Yellow. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that the man came to his death by accidental drowning. The body was found under a log jam.

Jealous Man Kills Wife.

Sailor Springs, Ill., July 1. — Jealous of his young wife and mistaking his son for another man, Julius Turner, sixty-three years of age, shot his wife to death from ambush, seriously wounded his fifteen-year-old son and attempted to commit suicide near here last night. He and his wife had been separated four years.

Joy Over Nasi's Liberation.

Trapani, Sicily, July 1. — The liberation of Nunzio Nisi, former minister of public instruction, who has just ended a term of imprisonment for embezzlement from the state treasury, is hailed here with great enthusiasm.

LUMBERJACK BADLY CUT.

Drunken Row in Michigan Camp May Prove Fatal.

Houghton, Mich., July 1. — John Maki, a woodsman, was probably fatally stabbed by August Matson, also a lumberjack, as the result of a drunken quarrel at a camp a few miles out of Chassell late last night. Maki is at St. Joseph's hospital, with his abdomen badly slashed, and Matson is a prisoner at the county jail.

The bigger an armful a woman is the more she expects you to call her your little pet.

HIGH LICENSE

Legislature Passes Measure Raising the Fee.

Baton Rouge, July 1.—That Louisiana shall be a high license state for the next two years at least was finally decided by the assembly last night, when the senate passed the Shattack-Gay liquor bill by a vote of 29 to 4. This measure has passed the house and is known to have the governor's approval. It fixes the minimum parish license at $500, minimum state at $200, with maximum licenses running up to several thousand dollars each.

JACOBSON NOMINATED BY ACCLAMATION

Frank Eddy Made The Nomination Speech, And Was Seconded By Young And Snider.

Historical Society

Mills And Elmquist For R. R. Warehouse Commissioners. Entire Slate Goes Thru.

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THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

Governor—J. F. Jacobson, Madison.
Lieutenant Governor—A. O. Eberhart, Mankato, renomination.
Secretary of State—Julius A. Schmahl, Redwood Falls, renomination.
Treasurer—C. C. Dinehart, Slayton, renomination.
Attorney General—George T. Simpson, Winona.
Railroad Commissioners—Ira B. Mills, Moorhead, renomination.
Charles E. Elmquist, Rush City.

St. Paul, July 1st—(Special to the Journal)—J. F. Jacobson was nominated for governor by acclamation by the Republican State Convention this afternoon amidst the wildest enthusiasm. The nomination speech was made by Frank M. Eddy and was seconded by Atty. General Young and Capt. Snider. The balance of the slate went thru unanimously.

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It was John F. Jacobson on the first ballot. The republican state convention in St. Paul made short work of the nomination for governor.

Whatever doubt remained as to Jacobson's success, was settled by a conference at the Ryan hotel last night, attended by D. F. Reese and Senator W. W. Dunn of St. Paul, Senators E. E Smith and J. F. Calhoun and S. L. Trussell of Minneapolis, E. B. Hawkins of Duluth, Congressman J. Adam Bede, George H. Sullivan of Stillwater and Ripley B. Brower of St. Cloud.

The "dark horse" talk was finally settled. It was agreed to go thru with the Jacobson program and nominate the man from Lac qui Parle.

It has been apparent since the county conventions that Jacobson would be nominated. There was no "dark horse". The band wagon was in motion yesterday with plenty of seats and the rush was on.

At least two propositions came to Young from the Jacobson camp. The gist of them was that Young should withdraw in Jacobson's favor and accept another nomination for attorney general. He turned them down emphatically. It was reported that Jacobson and Seventh district friends were very anxious to have Young on the ticket, but his ambitions in that direction are satisfied and he will not stand for it.

Ripley B. Brower, the premier dark horse said yesterday that he would not permit any one to make him a candidate for governor.

"I am not even a receptive candidate," he said.

The conference agreed on a tentative draft for the platform. It will endorse the national platform, will explicit reference to tariff revision, will touch on state regulation of railroads and will have the usual planks on good roads, taxation, state development, etc. County option will not be mentioned however.

Chairman A. B. Cole of the state committee refused to name any temporary chairman unless the candidates agreed. There was favorable mention yesterday of two congressmen for chairman—Stevens and Steenerson — but the big man from the ninth district put the honor aside Before leaving for the capitol to file for congress again he told the delegates to pick somebody else. There was also talk today of W. W. Sivright of Hutchinson, who was chairman two years ago at Duluth, but he put a quietus on his friends, saying that the honor was one to be passed around.

FATE IS CRUEL TO HOMESTEADERS

Mitchell, S. D., July 1.—A tragedy involving three deaths is reported from the reservation country, twenty-five miles northwest of Chamberlain. A family by the name of Easters moved out there a month ago to settle on a claim near Van Meter. The wife was in the last stages of consumption and she was taken to a hospital at Pierre for treatment, but after remaining there a short time the physicians advised the husband that his wife could not be cured.

Mr. Easters started to drive back home when his wife became suddenly worse. While stopping at a roadhouse his wife passed away.

The daughter of Mr. Easters, and Mrs. Reiter, with whom she was staying, started to drive from Van Meter to the claim upon learning that her mother was being taken home. Reaching Bad river, they attempted to ford the stream, not knowing how deep it was. When half way into the river, which was high, the buggy turned upside down and precipitated the two women into the water, both of whom were drowned, together with the horse. When they did not appear at the ranch a rescuing party started out to hunt for Mrs. Reiter and the girl. Only the latter's body was found.

The Easters were strangers in the country, having moved there recently from Indiana.

IS FILLING MINNESOTA UP

St. Paul, July 1.—George Welsh is the man who is steering hundreds of farmers from all parts of the country to the fertile lands of Minnesota. Officially he is secretary of the state board of immigration and his campaign of advertising over the country has been so effective that the board yesterday raised his salary from $2,000 to $3,000 a year, on recommendation of the state auditor. The salar of the chief clerk was raised from $100 to $125 a month.

Yesterday two men from Illinois were sent to Aitkin to settle on land near there. One of them was a blacksmith, who went from the country to Chicago to earn a living. He found that it was difficult to earn a competence for himself, to say nothing of possible reserve, sufficient to support a wife. The young men came to St. Paul in response to advertisements they had seen of the land for sale in this state. They want to get back to the country, where they can earn a living for themselves.

Five men from Illinois were at the capitol Saturday and were sent to look at land near Aitkin. They are looking for homes and will settle somewhere in the state.

On account of the smallness of the appropriation for the purpose the department has had to curtail its advertisements in papers, but a phenomenal demand for literature is being supplied every day. There are thousands of inquiries, and on account of this work the demand for state land in the northern part of Minnesota has been heavier than ever.

DRIVEN OUT OF HOMES BY FLOOD

Many Families in St. Paul Are Rescued From Flooded Houses by Officers.

RAILROADS BADLY CRIPPLED

All Roads Running Into St. Paul From South Have Struggle to Keep Things Moving.

St. Paul, July 1. — A score of abandoned houses, water-soaked and forlorn, standing waist deep in the shifting eddies of the backwater along the lower flats; dozens of boats manned by the police plying back and forth from the flooded homes to the mainland, bearing with them men, women and children, household effects, live stock, and the Mississippi river seventeen feet above the low-water mark, with the water still rising. Such were the conditions yesterday, recording the high-water mark for the year and the first actual danger of the flood period.

The first signal of distress went up yesterday morning, when word was received at the Ducas street police station that several families were caged in the second stories of their homes by the rising water, with every communication from the mainland shut off.

Are Rescued in Boats.

By 9 o'clock a relay of boats were busily plying between the shore and the flooded quarter, family after family being carried ashore, wiht all available belongings that could be taken.

By noon the isolated households had been taken ashore, but the police were unable to find accommodations for all of them, and the Relief society was called upon to care for the flood sufferers temporarily.

All over the West side district adjacent to the lower backwater the river is causing alarm. Cellars by the dozen have been flooded, the water creeping into the basements of the manufacturing plants along the river edge and keeping a crew of men at work night and day pumping.

Railroad Tracks Under Water.

The Rock Island tracks from Inver Grove to the freight house are now under water, and the trains are run in over the St. Paul lines. On the city side the water is beginning to menace the railroad tracks running along the river bank.

The packing plants at South St. Paul are still safe, and a heavy rise of two or three feet will be necessary to hamper them seriously.

Along the upper flats many of the inhabitants are moving out, and a general note of alarm has been sounded. For the time being, at least, the rapid rise of the water has been checked, and the weather bureau yesterday afternoon was of the opinion that the crest of the flood would be reached last night.

Railroads Are Crippled.

The railroads running into St. Paul from the south are having a hard time to keep things moving on account of the high water. The Chicago Great Western and the St. Paul river division have both been tied up.

On the Chicago Great Western between Goodhue and Red Wing and between Cannon Falls and Red Wing traffic has been suspended for forty-eight hours, but will be resumed today.

The greatest damage to any of the roads is reported by the St. Paul on its line between Wabasha and Zumbrota.

Ask Help for Sufferers.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 1. — Gov. A. B. Cummins yesterday issued a proclamation calling the attention of the people of Iowa to the worthiness of aid asked by citizens of Northeast Iowa for the flood and storm sufferers. The proclamation is in answer to a strong petition forwarded to the governor yesterday from the citizens of McGregor and vicinity.

IS STABBED

Man Alleged to Have Been Thrown Out of Feed Yard Suspected.

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 1. — Cyrenus Chamberlain, aged twenty-six years, was stabbed and murdered, it is alleged by Fred Selk, a young German, at Tama last night. Selk, it is charged, came to the feed yard Chamberlain was managing and became insulting. Chamberlain knocked him down and threw him out, and Selk, it is alleged, stabbed Chamberlain in the neck, severing the jugular vein. The wounded man died a few hours later and Selk was arrested.

RUNS TRAINS THROUGH.

Great Northern Repairs Damage Done by Washouts.

St. Paul, July 1.—Through service was resumed last night on the Great Northern between Great Falls and Butte on the Montana Central, after being tied up for over three weeks. A large force of men has been working on the road since the washouts, and according to advices at the local general offices the work of repair has so far been completed that the lines will be opened.

CLEVELAND MEMOIRS

Clippings on Death and Funeral Will Be Collected and Published.

New York, July 1. — Under orders from Mrs. Cleveland work has begun on the memoirs of the late president, consisting of clippings from newspapers and periodicals on his death and funeral. The work will require six months to complete.

As planned there will be several volumes consisting of editorial notices, news dispatches, illustrations and cartoons, each bound in Russian levant leather and lined with purple moire silk.

CROPS ARE DEVASTATED

Hail Storm Destroys a Wide Area of Growing Grain in South Dakota.

Beresford, S. D., July 1. — The most disastrous hail and wind storm that struck the state in years ravaged the farms in this locality early Sunday morning, completely devastating crops over a territory six miles wide and ten miles long. Beresford was the center of the storm, which amounted to a veritable flood, accompanied by hail, which drove all growing crops into the ground. Over sixty square miles of rich farm land there will not have an acre of grain harvested, and much pasture land is beaten out by hail, the grass roots being killed. There was no wind accompanying the storm, but the damage will reach $100,000.

STORE IS ROBBED

Fine Silks and Plumes Taken by Burglars.

Winona, Minn., July 1. — The big dry goods store of H. Choate & Co., was burglarized some time between Saturday night and Monday morning, and goods valued at $2,000 taken. The stolen goods were mostly silks, but there were some plumes and silk hosiery and silk gloves taken. There is no clue to the burglars. Mr. Choate offers $500 reward.

"Divine Healer" in Trouble.

Salt Lake City, Utah, July 1. — The law against manslaughter has been invoked to punish Charles P. Titus, a "divine healer," who, it is alleged, permitted two of his small children to die of diphtheria without medical attention. A third is very ill from the disease. A warrant for Titus' arrest was issued yesterday.

Flood Helps Ditches.

St. Paul, July 1. — There is two feet of water on the level in the northern part of the state, where the state is dredging the Roseau river. But water doesn't hurt the work because the dredges are the floating kind and need water to keep moving.

Quiet Elections in Panama.

Washington, July 1.—Acting Secretary of State Adee yesterday received a cablegram from Minister Squires at Panama saying that the elections yesterday passed off quietly and that the returns from Panama and Colon indicate the success of the Liberal ticket.

Four Dead; Three Hurt in Explosion.

San Francisco, July 1.—Four persons are dead and three others injured as a result of an explosion followed by a fire in the grocery store of John Sweeney.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

SUFFERED WITH ECZEMA 25 YEARS

Limb Peeled and Foot Was Like Raw Flesh—Had to Use Crutches, and Doctors Thought Amputation Necessary — Montreal Woman Writes of Cure Seven Years Ago.

BELIEVES LIFE SAVED BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I have been treated by doctors for twenty-five years for a bad case of eczema on my leg. They did their best, but failed to cure it. My doctor had advised me to have my leg cut off, but I said I would try the Cuticura Remedies first. He said, "Try them if you like, but I do not think they will do any good." At this time my leg was peeled from the knee, my foot was like a piece of raw flesh, and I had to walk on crutches. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and a bottle of Cuticura Pills. After the first two treatments the swelling went down, and in two months my leg was cured and the new skin came on. The doctor could not believe his own eyes when he saw that Cuticura had cured me and said that he would use it for his own patients. I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap, three boxes of Ointment, and five bottles of Resolvent, and I have now been cured over seven years, and but for the Cuticura Remedies I might have lost my life. I have lots of grandchildren, and they are frequent users of Cuticura, and I always recommend it to the many people whom my business brings to my house every day. Mrs. Jean-Baptiste Renaud, clairvoyant, 277, Mentana St., Montreal, Que., Feb. 20, 1907."

SLEEP FOR BABIES

Rest for Mothers.

Instant relief and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure, and purest of emollients.

Cuticura Soap (25c.), Cuticura Ointment (50c.), and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞ Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

IS BELIEVED TO BE MURDER.

Death of Masterovich Investigated by Coroner.

Lead, S. D., June 27.—What was believed to have been the suicide of Eli Masterovich by shooting, first with a revolver and then with a shotgun, is thought to have been a murder.

The coroner's jury brought in a verdict putting the matter in the hands of the sheriff.

Dogs Bite Many.

Albert Lea, Minn., June 27. — Mad dog scares are of frequent occurrence here and several persons have been bitten. The dogs have been killed after biting people, and as yet no cases of hydrophobia have developed. The demand for keeping dogs off the streets unless muzzled is getting stronger all the time, and an order of that kind is likely to be issued at any time.

Mason More Than Sixty-five Years.

Grand Rapids, Wis., June 27.—The members of Rainbow chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, of this city yesterday tendered a banquet to Ira Purdy in honor of his ninetieth birthday. Mr. Purdy was ninety years old yesterday, and he boasts of having been a member of the order of Free Masons in good standing for more than sixty-five years.

R. S. Goodfellow Dead.

Minneapolis, June 27.—R. S. Goodfellow, for twenty-four years one of the most prominent dry goods merchants in Minneapolis, died suddenly last evening at Troy, N. Y., where he had gone on a pleasure trip. Mr. Goodfellow was sixty-eight years of age.

Consumptives Made Comfortable

Foley's Honey and Tar has cured many cases of incipient consumption and even in the advanced stages affords comfort and relief. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar.—For sale by all druggists.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO

FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres.
H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

THE COST OF THE FOURTH

MANY LIVES AND MUCH PROPERTY DESTROYED BY FIREWORKS

AN IMPORTANT STATEMENT IS MADE BY STATE FIRE MARSHAL PETERSON

On each Fourth of July, fireworks burn more than 700 buildings and kill 300 persons in the United States. This does not include children burned to death by the ignition of their clothing nor those killed by runaway horses. The number maimed thru the loss of eyes and fingers is never less than 2000. The sale of firework to children should be prohibited. Preparatory to the reign of fire, rubbish in areas or yards should be removed or wetted down. Stables, outhouses, packing rooms and cellar windows should be tightly closed. Red fire does not explode; the pin wreel is fastened to a tree; the Roman candle discharged from the curbstone burns nothing but a wrist. The dynamite torpedo aften used on street railway tracks is not dangerous to the occupants of the car but it is a terror to hysterical nerves.

Fire Crackers

The small firecracker which is used in greater number than any other firework, destroys most property and fewest lives. The paper of the cracker often glows for minutes after it is exploded, igniting trash in which it falls. The electric sparkler is harmless unless its wire while still red hot is thrown into rubbish. Garden pieces and the new "cannon string," which contains thousands of crackers are safe enough because they must be fired by an adult. But a very small part of the fire loss on the Fourth is chargeable to skyrockets. The sticks are cooled on falling so they seldom ignite a roof. But in the celebration at Pittsburg last year, a descending ricket stick pieced the skull of a babe destroying it in its mother's arms.

Deadly Toys

The small cannon crackers contain dynamite and the very large ones, giant powder. One of them exploding in the hand converts it to gasses. The baby cannon is one of the most deadly joy producers. The number of tragedies from it has been enormous. The hot air balloon is the worst of incendiaries because the resin used under it makes it a flying bonfire. Its use certainly should be barred in cities. The lightning and shooting matches are dangerous because they are sold to children and contain picric acid.

A new firework call "Son-of-a-Gun" is misnamed for only Lucifer would admit parental claim to it. It is laid on the pavement to startle the passer by. When stepped upon it hops about popping like a gattling gun and often jumps into a cellar window, grating or trash pile to start a fire. It has all the fiendish characteristics of the "Devil Chaser" and some others.

Lockjaw

The most deadly thing used in our annual outbreak of savagery, called patriotism, is the toy pistol. It explodes a paper cap containing chlorate of potash and pieces of the paper are often driven under the hand Street dust at all times carries bacilli which cause lockjaw if buried in human flesh so that air cannot reach them. A most dangerous practice is to cover such a wound with a plaster. All penetrating wounds from fireworks must be laid open by a surgeon and dressed so that air can enter them. The deaths in the United States from lockjaw following the Fourth have ranged from 105 to 466. Fortunately there is now a serum for the cure of lockjaw.

There should be a state law limiting the amount of powder in any firework and prohibiting altogether fireworks containing phosphorus, chlorates, picrates, dynamite and other high explosives. Toledo first, and then Baltimore and SanFrancisco prohibited fireworks altogether.

DEADLOCK IN WOOL MARKET.

Growers Demand 18 Cents and Buyers Offer Only 15.

Miles City, Mont., June 27.—About 1,500,000 pounds of wool has found its way to the Milwaukee and Northern Pacific warehouses here. Buyers are here representing nearly all the big houses, but hardly a sale is being made, as the growers have set their price at 18 cents for good clips and the buyers are offering around 15. It is expected that Miles City will ship 7,000,000 pounds or more this year.

There isn't any music for a good farmer in a rattling wagon. He knows every time he drives such a wagon that he is just shaking the money right out of his own pocket. Tighten things up and save the wear and tear on the wagon and on your own nerves at the same time.

From Over The Valley

A JUVENILE BAND FOR EAST GRAND FORKS

Besides the East Grand Forks band which has ben talked of and promised to that city, Alderman Craig of that place who is on the committee in charge, has a new idea and institute a juvenile band. A meeting of the youngsters of the city is called for Sunday afternoon at which time the band will be organized. Work will be started at once and a director has been hired who will instruct on all instruments. It is hoped that before long the city will boast of two bands that will save considerable expense, especially at a time of celebration when it becomes necessary to call on talent from other climes to furnish the music.

ATE POISON TABLETS NARROWLY ESCAPES DEATH

Sever the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sovick had an experience last Friday that will not soon be forgotten—by his anxious parents at least.

His father had purchased a box of bi-chloride tablets recently to use in making a solution to apply upon a sore hand of his, and the tablets were left in a bureau drawer from which, when his mother was absent from the room for a few minutes the boy managed to extract them and evidently mistook them for candy.

The first intimation of his act was when the child commenced to vomit and this continued for some hours. The prompt emitting of the bulk of the poison was the only thing that saved the boy's life for in one alone there was poison sufficient to kill several persons. — Fosston Thirteen Towns.

DR. BIORN RETURNS FROM A SAD MISSION

Doctor Biorn returned home last Friday morning from Zumbrota where he was called by the illness of his father who passed away Sunday, June 14th, Rev. L. M. Biorn was formerly vice president of the United Lutheran church of America and long a leader in religious work in this state. He was born in Noss, Norway in 1835. He persued his studies in Christiania finishing his collegiate course in 1855 and was graduated from the theological department of the University of Christiania in 1861. Immediately after his ordination he received a call to Manitowoc, Wis., where he remained until 1879 when he removed to Zumbrota and where he has since been in charge of large and important pastorates. He was one of the ablest preachers and workers in the Lutheran church and was actively engaged in the work until the day he was taken sick. The funeral was held on last Wednesday and was one of the largest ever held in the state, over 2500 people coming to pay their last tribute to the departed.—Norman County Herald.

DR. STUHR SAVES A LITTLE BOY'S HAND

The eight year old son of John Carlson living near Kennedy, met with an accident several weeks since that, had it not been for the skill of Dr. H. C. Stuhr, might have cost him the loss of a hand. The little follow got caught in the geering of a drill in motion and had the second, third and fourth fingers completely severed and the forearm badly lacerated. The local doctor wanted to take the arm off above the wrist, but the anxious father brought the patient to Argyle where he placed him in care of Dr. Stuhr and when the reporter saw the boy last Saturday he was able to move the first finger and thumb and the wound is fast healing up Just think of the value of that finger and thumb. Can it be estimated?—Argyle Banner.

GREATLY INCREASED OUTPUT OF PRISON MADE TWINE

The new prison factory will open its doors November 1, and the binding twine plant will start operations at that time. The output this year is estimated at 4,500,000 or 1,500,000 pounds, more than ever before. It is also planned to construct farm machinery and work probably will begin soon after the binding twine industry is well under way. Many more prisoners will be employed on state account and additional guards and employes will be required by the new industry.

EXTENDING TELEPHONE LINES IN NORMAN COUNTY

The directors of the telephone company had a meeting, Tuesday, and decided to extend the line to Grandin and the work on the new extension will commence as soon as the material can be secured, and the work has been let to Syver Syverson. The new line will go west to J. T. Lockhart's from there south to David Black's and then straight to Grandin where it connects with the North Dakota Independent Co., line at Tom's store. There will be eight or ten phones on the new extension. The new line will give the patrons of the Hendrum line and the connecting lines the benefit of a 15c rate to Fargo, and direct communication with Grandin and other villages on the Dakota side.—Hendrum Review.

Fine Dairy Showing

Wherever you see a very prosperous looking piece of country in Minnesota you will always be told that "it is a dairy country." The direct returns from the sale of cream can hardly be figured up to the returns from a good crop of wheat, but the secret of the prosperity of the dairy district is that they usually raise both.—Hendrum Review.

Many workers are not satisfied on the road to success. They grumble because it is not a pike.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Grafton Record: Poison Carrots went to Grand Forks a short time ago to have his palm read by a palmist, who reads palms as clear and distinct tone of voice; she also reads between the lines and charges so much per folio or whatever she can get for her trouble. The hired man went with Poison to record the findings and accompany the remains home if Poison did not survive the operation The palmist seated Poison in a red plush chair and he rocked to and fro in a nervous manner as the reading progressed. On the first page of his right hand she read that Poison was a son of toil, but had never broken his arm lifting money into the bank; she noted the mark of the grindstone handle and the worried furrows of the pitchfork also the knife and fork. She said he had a past and gone, and when a boy had stolen watermelons and played tic-tac on the neighbor's windows. The hired man made a note of these revelations in a small book and knocked the ashes out of his pipe in a card receiver and spit in a jar containing the ashes of the palmists grandmother. The palmist scowled and an attendant gave him the sign of better manners. The palm ran a line in the neighborhood of his right thumb which seemed to startle her, and she inquired if he had a mother-in-law. Poison answered in the affirmative and the palmist said she saw indications of family difficulty and advised more patience on his part and less internal liquid salve. She saw a bright red blushing future for him, slightly worn about the edges and a few buttons missing; advised him to keep more milk sows and pull the shoes off the mules. The mud hole should be filled up on the road leading to the barn and a couple of rat traps, open night, would do a good business in the granary. The hired man wrote fast and sweat like a hero loading a cannon, trying to record the readings for future reference when they sat around the fire winter nights popping corn or mending harness. She said that Poison was good to his help and that a hired man would stick to him like a spavin to a horse, completing her narrative by charging him five dollars for the reading and seven dollars for the injuries done her grand mother's ashes by the thoughtless hired man. Poison paid both accounts cheerfully charging the hired man with his part of the exercises.

We really never thought Brother King would be guilty of the following but it must be so; we "seen" it in his paper.

A travelling man arrived at a Sioux Falls hotel one evening recently and was assigned to a room. After unpacking his personal effects he found hanging in a closet a garment left there by a preceding lodger. It was a feminine robe de nuit—a daintily trimmed nightie. The traveling man rang the bell. When the boy responded he took down the night gown and handed it to him. "There, son," he said, "take this and get it filled."

SCRAP ON AT FORKS

ODIN OVERBY IS APPOINTED CHIEF OF POLICE—CHIEF LOWE DECLINES TO RESIGN

OVERBY WILL ASSUME DUTIES TODAY—THREE PATROL MEN NAMED

From Friday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. Taylor of Grand Forks yesterday demanded the resignation of Chief J. W. Lowe of the police force. The chief declined to comply with the request but turned over his star. Mayor Taylor named Odin Overby as chief to succeed Chief Lowe and announced last night that the new chief would assume the duties of his office this morning.

The mayor also announced the appointment of the following patrolmen who will take the places of three men now on the force: Mart Lavelle, John Tracy and W. E. Bliven. They also begin work today.

The appointment of Overby must go before the city council for confirmation. It was brought before the council at a meeting a few weeks ago and the council voted against confirmation It is said that the mayor has been advised that he can appoint a chief from month to month and in that way thwart the council.

SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A Large Gathering of Friends Entertained Last Evening at the Hospitable Home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith South of the City—Delightful Time Passed—Occasion was Also the 18th Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Slocum — Mr. and Mrs. Smith Recipients of Many Very Beautiful Gifts.

Yesterday, June 25th was the 25th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith, and in honor of the occasion they entertained a company of 50 at their delightful farm home near Kittson including a large number from this city.

The occasion was a most happy one The lawn in front of the Smith home was brilliant with a large number of Japanese lanterns and the interior of the home was profusely decorated with flowers, potted plants ferns, etc.

The guests arrived about 8 oclock and from the hour of arrival until long past evening all present thoroly enjoyed every moment of the time. It was one of those occasions which we read about in story books, and perhaps enjoyed in the olden / days, but which come very few and far between in the present age.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were presented with many very handsome gifts in silverware and in addition were presented with a very beautiful quarter sawed polished oak extension dining room table, to which a silver plate was attached on which was engraved the year of their wedding 1883 and the present year, 1908. The other gifts were too numerous to mention and very handsome. From the members of his family Mr. Smith received a handsome gold watch.

It being also the 18th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Slocum, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith presented them with a very handsome framed crayon picture.

Mr. Smith wore a vest and a necktie that he had worn at the wedding a quarter of a century before and Mrs Smith also donned some of her wedding finery.

At 11 o'clock a most delightful supper was served, Mrs. Smith being assisted by Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Musselman, Miss Leishman, Miss Slyter and Rose Davis.

The affair was one of the most delightful ever held in this vicinity and the time for departure came all too soon for the guests, who on leaving expressed the hope that they would all be present when the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Smith was celebrated.

Those from Crookston were Messrs and Mesdames E. A. Mills, James Miller, Nelson Miller, Lorenzo Miller John Munroe, H. E. Nesne, S. C. Lytle C. F. Musselman, P. M. Leishman and daughter Alice, W. E. Slocum and W. G. Lytle, Mrs. George Welch and two children and Mrs. J. H. Langton of Carman and two children.

The neighbors from the countryside present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. A. McMullen and daughter Clara, G. W. Stocker, F. M. Slyter and daughter Irene, Louis Slyter and daughter, J. W. Lee and son Albert Lee. Misses Fay Booher and Rose Davis.

No Prohibition in Louisiana.

Baton Rouge, La., June 27. — By a vote of 20 to 14 the senate defeated the state referendum prohibition bill. A similar measure was recently defeated in the house.

CAME NEAR LOSING LIVES

REAR BUGGY SEAT BROKE AND MRS RALPH AND DAUGHTER WERE

HURLED INTO A DEEP WATER HOLE AND CAME NEAR BEING STRANGLED

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Geo. A. Ralph and dauughter Dorothy, wife and daughter of State Drainage Engineer Geo. A. Ralph came near losing their lives enroute from Caribou to Lancaster with Mr. Ralph, Capt. Jas. A. Beard of the Standard Drainage Co., and J. B. Pierson.

The roads were very bad and while crossing a swale as the hind wheels of the buggy dropped into a deep hole from which a big rock had been removed, the rear seat broke and fell backwards, Mrs. Ralph and daughter were sitting in this seat and were hurled in about four feet of water.

Before she was rescued, Mrs. Ralph was nearly strangled, and Dorothy had to be worked over for half an hour before she recovered consciousness fully, being nearly choked to death with mud and water.

KELLIHER SURPRISED

MAYOR PUTS ON THE LID AND SAYS IT MUST STAY PUT

Kelliher, Minn., June 25— For the first time in the history of Kelliher the "lid" is on tight and apparently is on to stay.

The order came after a stormy session of the village council and was a surprise to citizens there having been no intimation that the closing of the town was even considered by the mayor and council, and there being no demand on the part of the citizens for the enforcement of the state law.

"The lid is on to stay, and the state law will be enforced so that there will be no leaks," is the only statement the mayor will make.

PLAN TO DRAIN THIEF LAKE

The refuges from Moose River bottom on account of continued heavy rains were not able to get back on their land as they expected to, until it is now too late to put in any crop. As it is the plans of the government surveyors to make extensive and costly improvements in the way of drainage in the Moose River Valley, it is thought that Thief Lake will either be drained or, at least have its level lowered enough so that it cannot raise and overflow the adjacent lands as it does now for several miles up the valley, thus driving settlers off their land.—Middle River Pioneer.

FERTILE GETS $150 FOR COUNTY FAIR

The County Commissioners finished up their work yesterday afternoon and before adjourning granted the request of the Fertile Fair Association for an appropriation and gave them $150.

$50,000 Theft Charged.

Pittsburg, June 27.—H. W. Tiers, formerly discount clerk of the First National bank of Pittsburg, was arrested yesterday by a United States deputy marshal, charged with abstracting money and securities to the amount of $50,000.

$100 Reward $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials

Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

THE POULTRY YARD

FROM JULY FARM JOURNAL

The rooster is half the flock.

Keep the eggs in a cool cellar.

Keep on fighting the army of lice.

Disinfect the premises once a week.

The prices are good for roasting fowls.

Separate the growing cockerels from the pullets.

It will pay to clean up the droppings each morning.

Never leave a dead fowl lie around the buildings.

Filthy houses are doubly dangerous during hot weather.

The price for dressed ducks is not so high as last month.

The most profitable hens as a rule are not the styylish ones.

This is a good time to dispose of the old stock that is not needed.

During hot weather special care should be taken not to overcrowd nor overfeed.

To keep them growing, the cockerels need a little more feed than do the pullets.

It isn't good for hens to roost in a draft. Locate windows a little way from the roosts.

When the clouds look threatening, it is time to look after the little turkeys that are running with the hens.

Oats are just as good a food as you need for turkeys, but feed them yourself; and don't let the turks wallow thru the oat-fields.

If there is ever a time for lazy folks to hatch chicks it is now, when the weather is favorable and Nature provides so abundantly for them.

Lice like to hide away under the ends of the roosts. Every time you spray, lift the roosts and give the pests a dose that will drive them out for good and all.

Fine wire netting about the yard of the little chicks will keep out the rats, unless they dig under. If they do that, better put a cement floor under the enclosure.

Partly decayed meat is little better than a dose of arsenic for hens. It is surely not fit for them to eat. Limberneck is now believed to be caused by that kind of poison.

You cannot blame a hungry cat for destroying birds at nesting time and picking up a young chicken once in a while. Feed the cats extra well and they will not be apt to form these bad habits.

In setting a hen late in the season, when the weather is warm, it is well either to make the nest on the ground or to put a sod in the bottom of it, so that there may be some degree of coolness and moisture.

The best way is to shut up all fowls for 24 hours before killing, and give neither "bite nor sup". They will then be quite empty, and will kill and truss up in a very much firmer and sweeter condition than if shipped with decaying foods and evil smelling fluids.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

PUT BOUNTY ON CROWS

RED LAKE COUNTY OFFERS TEN CENTS PER HEAD FOR THEM

SOME OF THE FARMER BOYS ARE MAKING $5 PER DAY

From Friday's Daily—

The county commissioners of Red Lake County have adopted a novel and, apparently, successful method of ridding the farms in the county of the great number of crows that infest this territory. They have placed a bounty of 10 cents per head on the birds, and every shotgun in the section is doing execution with the crows. As many as fifty have been killed by a good shot in one day, and strings of twenty to thirty are very common This bounty will continue until the nesting season is over which will be about the 1st to the 10th of July. It is claimed that these birds are the greatest enemy that the prairie chicken has, as it robs the nests of eggs, which been proven by the large number of egg shells that many of the hunters find under the crows' nests.

You Should Know This

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.—Sold by all druggists.

Many a first class talker wouldn't make even a second class philosopher

BADLY BURNED BY 'CRACKERS'

KELLIHER LAD THE FIRST VICTIM OF PREMATURE CELEBRATION

SIDE OF FACE TERRIBLY BURNED—HAD ROMAN CANDLES IN BELT

From Thursday's Daily—

Ernest Sanders the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders at Kelliher was severely burned about the face and hands yesterday evening as a result of playing with fireworks.

The young boy and several companions started to celebrate the coming of the 4th of July, and had purchased a quantity of fire-crackers and other explosives, and were setting them off around town.

Ernest placed several Roman candles in the front of his waist and had lighted another which he held in his hand when in some way a spark ignited the balls, as they shot from the candles, striking him on the side of the face. The entire right side of his face was horribly burned, and his hands were also burned. The boy suffered greatly thruout the night.

TWO INJURED IN WRECK.

Engineer and Express Messenger Severely Hurt in Wreck.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 26. — In a wreck on the St. Paul west-bound passenger train near Bristol, the engineer was badly hurt. His eye was gouged out, his arms broken and the express messenger was badly hurt in the arms and body.

The Object for Which Most of us Strive.

is a comfortable living for the present, to accumulate a sufficient sum to provide the comforts and little luxuries we need for ourselves and family when we have passed the age for hard work, and to leave our children better prepared to fight the battles of life.

In accomplishing this object a check account at a conservative, well managed bank is of materal assistance.

Why not open an account at THIS Bank? It wil. help you in many ways and your money will be here and ready for you when wanted.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

REPORT THEFTS TO PAPERS

LINCOLN STEFFENS ADVOCATES PUBLICITY AS FIRST STEP

CHIEF ECK THINKS POLICE SHOULD BE CALLED FIRST

From Thursday's Daily—

Lincoln Steffens magazine muckraker, believes that victims of robberies should telephone the facts to the newspapers as soon as they are discovered and inform the police later. He contends that better results could be obtained by such a procedure Chief of Police Aaron Eck is opposed to this method on the ground that the police should have the first chance at all police business.

Mr. Steffens has given his opinion in an article in the last issue of the American magazine. A part of the article follows:

Should Tell Newspapers

"The police everywhere warn citizens not to let anyone but the police know of such troubles. They say that if the newspapers get hold of the news they will publish it; this will frighten away the thieves and prevent the police from recovering the stolen property. This is only a polite trick to avoid criticism. They give to the press all their successes; they suppress their failures, and thus keep up the appearance of efficient service. As a matter of fact the first thing that the victim of a robbery should do is to telephone to the newspapers—all of them. That would soon show what a small proportion of the reported cases a detective bureau like that of New York 'detects' and it will make the police work on your case."

Chief Eck Says No

Chief Eck in taking issue with the Steffens idea says: "The newspapers are, no doubt, one of the most valuable adjuncts to police work They are of great value in most of our investigations and during my experience they have given the police some excellent assistance. The mission of the newspaper as I understand it, however, is to give the news, and not to conduct a detective bureau. The police department is supported by the people for the purpose of catching criminals and recovering stolen property. It seems to me therefore that the police should be the first to know of and take charge of their own business.

"I don't know how others look at the publicity idea, but for my part I am willing for the press to publish the news of all the real robberies. Further, when there are epidemics of certain kinds of robberies, the more publicity the better. The people will watch their houses and places of business and ward off the crimes. Many of the cases reported as robberies prove to be accidental losses when investigated.

Some False Alarms

"A man loses his purse, suspects someone and tells the police. Later, the purse is found. The immediate publication of such an occurrence would do someone an injustice. We do not try to suppress our failures, and the people are informed of the robberies.

"Stealing cannot be stopped absolutely in a large city, but the police can keep it within reasonable limits. Minneapolis I think has no more robberies in proportion to its size than any other city. Our desire to have the news of some crimes suppressed for a time has absolutely nothing to do with making a record for efficiency. I think the best results can be obtained by a fair-minded co-operation between the press and the police than by working the one against the other.

JUMPED FROM TRAIN TO DEATH

LEON DEMERS, INSANE, KILLED HIMSELF IN WISCONSIN LAST WEEK

Leon DeMers until three years ago a scaler for the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., with his home in that city jumped from a train while insane, his death resulting therefrom. DeMers, who had been insane for some time, was being transferred from one asylum to another. When near Chippewa Falls, Wis., he sprang from the rapidly moving train, sustaining injuries from which death resulted.

DeMers leaves a wife and four children. His brother-in-law Frank Yell, is now barn boss for the company at Thief River Falls. DeMers left three years ago for Wisconsin and was later judged insane. While at Thief River he acted as scaler in winter and grader during the cutting season. He was 4 years of age.

PICNIC WAS HUGE SUCCESS

FINE PROGRAM WAS RENDERED YESTERDAY BY MARAIS PICNIC ASSOCIATION

SPLENDID ADDRESSES MADE AND A BOUNTEOUS REPAST WAS SERVED

From Friday's Daily—

The annual picnic yesterday, held near the Bethel church by the Marais Picnic association was a most gratifying success. There was a very large crowd present, including delegations from Crookston and Grand Forks. There were some excellent athletic contests and the program was thoroly enjoyed by all.

Thomas R. Johnstone presided, and after the opening song "Cheer Old Glory," by the Marais choir, the chairman made the opening address in his usual happy and pleasing manner, and introduced Rev. H. R. Brown the new pastor of Bethel church, to the congregation and others. Rev. Brown made a few brief remarks and at once captured the hearts of his hearers.

The following program was then carried out, every number being encored most heartily.

Program:

Song, When it's Moonlight on the Praisie, Marais choir.

Recitation, A talk on Matrimony, Rose Dalby.

Address, Rev. Geo. Warmer.

Highland Fling Dance, Archie Johnstone.

Solo, Slumber Sea, Nettie Hannah.

Address, R. B. Griffith.

National Medleys, Marais choir.

Recitation, A Yankee in Love, Minnie Hannah.

Address, Outside Life in Palestine, Rev. Mathews.

A Horse Back Ride thru the Holyland

Concluding remarks by Thos. R. Johnstone.

Picnic Notes

The selections rendered by the choir comprised of Misses Eva and Mabel McDonald, Nettie and Minnie Hannah, Katie, Lettie and Lily Bryson were especially well prepared and were generously applauded.

About 500 people participated in the festivities of the day.

The address on "A Trip Thru Palestine" was attentively listened to and Rev. Mathews was the recipient of many congratulations on his clear and concise description of that wonderful land.

The new pastor of Bethel church Rev. H. R. Brown is a promising young Divine, a forcible speaker and an all round good fellow and will make good.

Rev. Warmer was in his usual happy vein and warmed up to his subject as he spoke and all that heard him were satisfied when he was thru that they had certainly hear a "warmer."

The recitations rendered by Misses Hannah and Dalby were loudly applauded by virtue of their humorous nature and the able manner they were given in.

Little Archie Johnstone who is visiting with young Tommy Johnstone of this city and who is considered one of the finest Highland dancers in the state gave the Highland Fling in true Highland costume and style and was given a splendid ovation.

The dinner was exceptionally fine and served in the usual fine style only known to the ladies of the Marais for which a handsome sum was realized for the picnic fund.

A large number of Grand Forks friends and business men took advantage of the beautiful day and drove out to renew and make new acquaintances

Thomas Johnstone and son Tommy accompanied by their guest Archie Johnstone of Minneapolis drove down to the Picnic and enjoyed meeting their many friends again and report a good time for all.

MARAIS PEOPLE ARE DEEPLY INTERESTED

THOMAS JOHNSTONE PREACHED THEM THE GOSPEL OF MARKET DAY THURSDAY

At the Marais Picnic Thursday last, over which Thomas R. Johnstone of this city presided, he did not fail to emphasize the importance to the farmers of the regular market day established by the Crookston Commercial club. The Marais farmers were much interested and the thoughtfulness of Mr Johnstone is a good example for every resident of Crookston to follow. Talk market day in season and out of season. Tell every farmer every time you see one. Never let up. Advertise it so thoroly that every farmer in Polk Co. will know about it and look ahead to it as he would any very important event that he could not afford to miss.

CORRESPONDENCE

HENDRUM

C. J. Stordahl purchased a new organ last week.

Ole Selnes made a trip to Fargo the latter part of the week.

Peter O. Johnson has had a phone installed at his place.

M. S. Flemstad and Iver Stern were in Fargo Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Thorson finished a term of parochial school in the Tarvestad district Saturday.

Josie and Gena Gunderson are here from Larimore, N. D. on a visit with the Tangnes'.

Winter rye is very fine this year but the winter wheat was a failure, most of it being plowed under this spring.

Mrs. Rev. Kjelaas of Larimore N. D., sister of A. A. Haarland and Mrs. Ole Ness was here on a visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ellingson and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Stordahl made a trip to Gary and Fosston visiting relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Redall, P. E. Larson, Lars Rostvold and E. N. Qualley are attending the annual meeting of the United Lutheran church now assembled in Minneapolis.

Following is the program to be given by the young peoples society on Sunday evening, June 28th:

Recitation—Olga Stordahl.
Reading—John J. Ulvan.
Recitation—Amanda Nelson.
Reading—Jens Selnes.
Paper—Halvor Skauge.
Clarinet Solo—Martin Larson.
Recitation—Sophia Fremstad and Emma Enger.
Reading—M. S. Fremstad.
Recitation—Ella Rostvold.

The Bungalo

There's one word I hear
Wherever I go;
'Tis a queer importation
The word bungalo.

All over the land,
The North and the South
The bungalo theme is
In every one's mouth.

The master and mistress,
The groom and the maid
Are studying plans
To see how they're made.

One kind's built of plaster,
Another of logs,
But all are constructed
With queer little jogs.

There is one room in front—
Half a dozen combined;
The others are fastened
Somewhere on behind.

But then, after all,
The most room is outside,
Where porches are broad
And mosquitoes abide.

It's the funniest thing—
Whatever I do,
I've got to have
A bungalo too!

—E. Irving Farrington in Woman's Home Companion for July.

SHERACK

Mr. G. H. Horn went to Crookston last Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wallace and two children of N. Dakota arrived here this week and are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. C. Tiedemann's.

Miss Helen Riedesel and Miss Rose Kotek called on Mr. and Mrs. John Vavrina last Saturday evening.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann drove to Key West last Wednesday on business.

While playing ball one evening last week Adolph Horn had the misfortune of having the ball strike his thumb bruising it up in bad shape. Mr. Horn is now able to use his hand again and will hereafter be a little more careful.

Last Sunday the Euclid baseball team challenged the Keystones to come and meet them on their home diamond. When the appointed time came for the game to begin, the Keystones failed to appear. This is not the first time that the Keystones have lacked courage to meet the Euclidites evidently thinking "There's no place like home if we don't want to get beat again."

The Euclid team defeated the Hill Hustlers of Crookston last Sunday in a score of 15 to 13. They will have to hustle a little more to beat Euclid.

LOCKHART

Otto Petri was around assessing last week.

Fred Nelson visited the county seat Tuesday.

Martha Malakowski left for Bemidji Tuesday.

Geo. Mayer shipped stock to St. Paul last week.

Mrs. Allard, son Harold and Dan Allard visited friends in town last week.

Reinholdt Malakowski expects to leave for Bemidji the last of the week

W. E. Casselman went to Bemidji Saturday morning returning the first of the week.

Lockhart township is using some metal culverts and so far they seem to be satisfactory.

The German M. E. church will hold a picnic July 4th in the grove of Henry Malakowski.

D. J. Manus is enjoying a visit from his sister of Illinois, who arrived on Monday morning.

Some of the citizens of this vicinity heard the Bemidji band last Saturday over the telephone.

Quite a number of men wished to take the freight to Ada last Friday—but as the freight was about six hours late, they were much disappointed as they wished to see something about the state road.

Lockhart creamery is getting new patrons right along and expects to do a better business than ever.

Albert Trichel and Otto Bartz were elected delegates to the county convention in Ada today.

Miss Marie Menge returned home from the southern part of the state Sunday morning. Her friends are glad to know that she feels fairly well after the operation.

SAD DEATH OF JAMES MCGUIRE

SON OF PIONEER RESIDENT DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS AT MERRIAM PARK

Friends in this city have just received advices of the death of James McGuire at the home of his parents at Merriam Park some time ago.

"Jimmie" as he was known here was the son of P. J. McGuire who was County Auditor for a number of years in the early days and with the family resided here for years and was about twenty-four years of age. After leaving here the young man took up work at St. Thomas Seminary at St. Paul which is a Catholic institution, studying for the Priesthood and from reports his death occurred two days before he was to have been ordained and his end came rather unexpectedly For over a year he had been at Denver with a view to overcoming the ravages of tuberculosis and had improved considerably, and it was thought he had overcome the disease. The family still have a large number of friends in this locality who exceedingly regret the sad death of one who had such a brilliant and useful future before him.

MOTHER RISKS LIFE FOR CHILD

JUMPS INTO WELL AFTER OFFSPRING BUT DEATH HAD RESULTED

Mrs. J. W. Byers of Badoura, south of Akeley plunged into a 22-feet well in an attempt to save her little boy, Theodore, from drowning yesterday. The little fellow was playing near an unprotected well, containing about six feet of water, when his mother missed him. She ran to the well and jumped in. Sinking to the bottom, she felt for the child and rose to the surface crying for help. She clung to a board a few inches above the water. Clinging to the board she endeavored to bring the child back to consciousness and worked vigorously to resuscitate her litle one. Evidently the boy had fallen into the well head first and was killed. The mother was rescued after some difficulty from the well, with the dead child in her arms. She held tenaciously to the little one while they lifted her to the top of the well. It seems almost miraculous how Mrs. Byers escaped entirely unhurt.

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Western Settlers Facing Trouble.

In an article in the St. Louis Globe Democrat Francis Perry Elliott says that in the West they are very much stirred up over the proposition to tawke from shrdluetaoinshrdlueuudlu take from the unreserved, unappropriated public domain reserved for settlers a vast area of 300,000,000 acres and place it in the forest service and lease it out for fencing and grazing for the big cattle barons and others whose interests are being crowded out by encroachments of the homesteaders.

This would shut out settlers from a pretty big strip of country—well, equivalent to an area 200 miles wide and over 2,000 miles long. This land is not included in the lands concerned in the regulation of streams or conservation of timber supply. This vast area has never been included in the forest reserves; it is part of the public domain awaiting settlement.

The agricultural lands of the public domain belong not to the people of the West alone; they belong to the citizens of every state in the Union. Anybody may go out there, take up a homestead of 160 acres and make a home in the manner the law specifies

The act of June 4, 1897, which set aside timbered areas and mountain watersheds for forest reserves specifically and distinctly forbade the including of lands good only for other purposes. The idea was that the interest of the settlers should have first consideration. Land unavailable for timber protection or reforestation or for conserving the flow of streams was to be kept open for farms and homes and communities.

Under the proposed "leasing policy" any big cattle magnate may lease and fence up for ten years as much as 10,000 acres; his friend may lease next door to him 10,000 more, and another friend the next, and so on.

It is not likely that any settler would care to undertake the responsibility of taking a family upon a home stead within such inclosure; his life would be a sultry one at best.

But the settler is not likely to have this opportunity, for if the leasehold has had one penny over $100 spent on it by the cattle owner (which amount is easily covered by the fence), the lessee has a right to debar the settler from entering.

This movement is, in effect, a plan to "corner" the forage of and withdraw from settlement a domain larger than the combined areas of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Pennsylvania, New York, all of the New England States, and nearly all of the Southern States. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Change Of Campaign

The days of old red fire, torchlight transparency and "stump" speech campaigns are gone. Thirty years ago a good republican enthuser was of about equal proportions of good stories, eagle's tail feathers. the "bloody shirt' and personal abuse. It was all "whoop-'er-up" says the Duluth News Tribune.

But that was then. Now, as the Still water Gazette says, "There is more thinking and less of the howlfest in the land over political nominations than when red fire, bands of music, marching clubs, noise, etc., were most prominent. Now the people are just as earnest, think more and give the question of elcting a president deeper consideration."

Senator La Follette, Mr. Bryan, Governor Folk, Senator Tillman, Governor Cummins and a number of other prominent politicians do most of their campaigning from the lecture platform, thus combining profit with effective appeals to the people. So it has come to pass that the voters pay to hear politics discussed from a more or less non-partisan standpoint.

The modern campaign speech preceding an election is indeed little more than a lecture on political and economic questions. The appeal is made more to the people's brains and less of hysteria in the speaking department of a campaign.

The American public more than that of any other nation is a reading public, and so has sharpened its powers of discrimination. It is getting harder to fool even a part of the people, and it is expected that the present presidential battle will be fought largely thru such addresses, the news papers and magazines.

Under such conditions no people can make any serious mistakes, and this has been shown in the preconvention party contests, where the folks have won in spite of the old-time tactics and all the powers and cuteness of wealth and special interests.

Will Wave Big Stick

A poll of the delegates passing thru this city on their way to republican convention at St. Paul does not indicate that they are hampered with instructions and are very wise to the possibilities of the uninstructed delegations in holding the balance of power. One of the delegates from Red Lake county arriving in this city last evening from the north stated that his delegation had no promises to make as to whom they would vote for and other northern counties will not commit themselves.

In view of the fact that the field is not cut up by the presence of a local candidate in the race north country politicians think they will be able to wave the big stick at the convention and secure whatever is wanted in this territory. They figure that the field is so cut up in the south among the different candidates that the north country will probably swing the balance. That this demand on the convention candidates will be an inclusion of strong drainage planks in the state platform is now very evident.

While the delegates from this section are not instructed as a rule, individually they are largely Jacobson men, and look for his nomination on the first ballot.

.:. POLITICS .:.

Character Counts

Character in public men counts far more than it used to and it possibly counts far more in this country than in any other where representative government exists. This is strikingly seen today in the moral calibre of the leading candidates for the presidency in the chief political parties. Not only are they men of clean, upright lives and in most instances church members. A nation that makes character in its public men the first requirement is a nation that is morally sound at heart whatever may be the evil excrescences that often times appear. —Badger Herald Rustler.

Says Sherman is O. K.

James S. Sherman the republican candidate for vice president altho not as well known, has been a useful and hardworking member of congress for years. He is a very capable man, a man of splendid character, and enjoys to the fullest extent the confidence of the people of his own state, New York. As the campaign progresses the people of the whole country will learn to know him better than they do now.—Warren Sheaf.

Politics so long dead is coming to life again with a flavor of the old days about it. William Kent, LL.D., describes Richard Yates, candidate for governor of Illinois, as "a cross between a crocodile and a parrot," "a hole in the air with an odor in the vicinity," "a phonograph with a polecat attached."

We don't know whether Mr. Kent can keep up the lick. We hope he can in the interest of a lively campaign; but, fearful lest he should run down, we suggestion caution and conservatism in the use of his vocabulary. Mr. Richard Yates is apparently an attractive subject, but he is, after all, only a local issue. We should regret to find later in the campaign when Mr. Kent may be called upon to say something striking and unique about Mr. Taft or Mr. Bryan that his works refused to respond. It seems to us that Mr. Kent's gift of language is one of the natural resources of the country to be conserved.—Minneapolis Journal.

STATE OF MINNESOTA TRUSTEE OF GOVERNMENT

DRAINAGE OF ALL PUBLIC LANDS IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA TURNED OVER TO THE STATE OF MINNESOTA BY BILL PASSED BY CONGRESS AT THE LAST SESSION—SUM OF THREE CENTS PE RACRE MUST BE PAID BY ALL MAKING FINAL PROOFS TO PAY FOR DRAINAGE SURVEY OF LANDS BELONGING TO GOVERNMENT

The Crookston United States Land office has received orders relating to the following bill from the general land office at Washington. The order practically makes the state of Minnesota the trustee for the execution of all drainage plans on the immense tracts of public lands in the state of Minnesota. The drainage of public lands will not only be greatly facilitated by this arrangement whereby the projects are localized, but also vast systems of drainage which will include private and state lands as well as public government lands may be more completely and effectively realized when the constructions are under one management.

H. R. 19541—An Act to Authorize the Drainage of certain lands in the State of Minnesota.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all lands in the state of Minnesota, when subject to entry and all entered lands for which no final certificates have issued, are hereby made and declared to be subject to all of the provisions of the laws of said State relating to the drainage of swamp or overflowed lands for agricultural purposes to the same extent and in the same manner in which lands of a like character held in private ownership are or may be subject to said laws: Provided, That the United States and all persons legally holding unpatented lands under entries made under the public land laws of the United States are accorded all the rights, privileges and benefits given by said laws to persons holding lands of a like character in private ownership.

Sec. 2. That the cost of constructing canals, ditches, and other drainage works incurred in connection with any drainage project under said laws shall be equitably apportioned among all lands held in private ownership, all lands covered by unpatented entries, and all unentered public lands affected by such project; and officially certified lists showing the amount of the charges assessed against each smallest legal subdivision of such lands shall be furnished to the register and receiver of the land district in which the lands affected are located as soon as said charges are assessed, but nothing in this act shall be construed as creating any obligation on the United States to pay any of said charges.

Sec. 3. That all charges legally assessed may be, enforced against any unentered lands, or against any lands covered by an unpatented entry by the sale of such lands subject to the same manner and under the same proceedings under which such charges would be enforced against lands held in private ownership.

Sec. 4 That when any unentered lands, or any lands covered by an unpatented entry, have been sold in the manner mentioned in this act, a statement of such sale showing the price at which each legal subdivision was sold shall be officially certified to the register and receiver immediately after the completion of such sale.

Sec. 5.—That at any time after any sale of unentered lands has been made in the manner and for the purposes mentioned in this act patent shall issue to the purchaser thereof upon payment to the receiver of the minimum price of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, or such other price as may have been fixed by law for such lands, together with the usual fees and commissions charged in entry of like lands shall have the qualification of homestead entrymen and not more than one hundred and sixty acres of such lands shall be sold to any one purchaser under the provisions of this act. This limitation shall not apply to sales to the State but shall apply to purchases from the State of unentered lands bid in for the State. Any part of the purchase money arising from the sale of any lands in the manner and for the purposes provided in this act which shall be in excess of the payments herein required and of the total drainage charges assessed against such lands shall also be paid to the receiver before patent is issued.

Sec. 6. That any unpatented lands sold in the manner and for the purposes mentioned in this act may be patented to the purchaser thereof at any time after the expiration of the period of redemption provided for in the drainage laws under which it may be sold (there having been no redemption) upon the payment to the receiver of the fees and commissions and the price mentioned in the preceding section, or so much thereof as has not already been paid by the entryman; and if the sum received at any such sale shall be in excess of the payments herein required and of the drainage assessments and cost of the sale, such excess shall be paid to the proper county officer for the benefit of and payment to the entryman. That unless the purchasers of unentered lands shall within ninety days after the sale provided for in section three, pay to the proper receiver the fees, commissions and purchase price to which the United States may be entitled as provided in section five and unless the purchasers of entered lands shall within ninety days after the right of redemption has expired make like payments as provided for in this section, any person having the qualifications of a homestead entryman may pay to the proper receiver for not more than one hundred and sixty acres of land for which such payment has not been made: First, the unpaid fees, commissions and purchase price to which the United States may then be entitled; and, second, the sum at which the land was sold at the sale for drainage charges, and in addition thereto, if bid in by the state, interest on the amount bid by the state at the rate of seven percentum per annum from the date of such sale, and thereupon the person making such payment shall become subrogated to the rights of such purchaser to receive a patent for said land. When any payment is made to effect such subrogation the receiver shall transmit to the treasurer of the county where the land is situated the amount at which the land was sold at the sale for drainage charges together with the interest paid thereon, if any, less any sum in excess of what may be due for such drainage charge, if the land was sold was unentered.

Sec. 7. That a copy of all notices required by the drainage laws mentioned in this act to be given to the owners or occupants of lands held in private ownership shall, as soon as such notices issue, be delivered to the register and receiver of the proper district land office in cases where unentered lands are affected thereby and to the entrymen whose unpatented lands are included therein, and the United States and such entrymen shall be given the same rights to be heard by petition, answer, remonstrance, appeal, or otherwise as are given the same righas of redemption as are given to the owners of lands held in private ownership.

Sec. 8. That hereafter homestead entries and final proofs may be made upon all ceded Chippewa Indian lands in Minnesota embraced in the withdrawal under the Act of June 21st, nineteen hundred and six, entitled "An Act making appropriations for the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department" (Thirty-may issue thereon as in other home-fourth Statutes at Large, page three hundred and twenty-five), and patents stead cases, upon the payment by the entryman of the price prescribed by law for such land and on entries on the ceded Red Lake Reservation in addition thereto the sum of three cents per acre to repay the cost of the drainage survey thereof, which addition shall be disposed of the same as the other proceeds of said land.

Approved, May 20, 1908.

Be Courteous

"Be courteous" is an injunction as old or older than the scriptures but it needs to be constantly emphasized, especially in these days when the hurry of our modern life inclines one to be brisque of speech and oftentimes discourteous. Courtesy and its twin, politeness, are the lubricants which prevents friction and makes the wheels of society revolve smoothly.—Herald Rustler.

The man who goes into politics for what there is in it doesn't get lonesome.

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POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Eric O. Hagen

Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

John W. Sandberg

Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte

Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Hugh R. Robertson

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908

Theodore A. Thompson

Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

Mitchell's Life Work

John Mitchell former president of the United Mine Workers of America has positively refused to run for governor of Illinois on the democratic ticket and also to consider the nomination for the vice presidency. Mr. Mitchell declares that he has no desire to mix up in politics and "that he is a poor politician anyhow." He has made arrangements to take charge of the trade agreement department of the National Civic Federation a position that carries with it a salary of $6,000 per year. Mr. Mitchell's work will be to settle disputes between employees and employers without strikes and lockouts, and to secure as far as possible industrial peace in the labor world. For this work he is peculiarly fitted and quite properly believes that in his new position he can be of far greater service to society and organized labor than if he attempted to hold any political position such as those mentioned. People who are familiar with Mr. Mitchell's career will agree with his views in this matter and will consider the effort to make a politician out of him as being illy advised, for he has created for himself a position in the labor world that he should be allowed to occupy during the rest of his natural life. He is the peer of arbitraters and as such we wish him to remain. —Detroit Record.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

June 29 In History.

Mrs. Browning

1847—Emmanuel, Marquis Grouchy, marshal of France under Napoleon, died; born 1766.
1852—Henry Clay, American statesman, noted for his espousal of the cause of the South American republics, died; born 1777.
1861—Elizabeth Barrett Browning, English poet, died; born 1809.
1906—The railway rate bill signed by the president.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:28; 11:39 p. m., conjunction between planet Mars and the moon; sun's declination 23.2 degrees north of celestial equator.

CROPS ARE FINE—Banker A. P. Hanson arrived from Fertile yesterday afternoon to attend to some business matters. He states that crops are fine out that way and everybody is looking forward to a great year.

HOME FROM LAKEVIEW—Messrs. Erwin Heydte, Anthon and James Thoreson and Bjerke who had been attending the encampment at Lakeview with Company I. M. N. G. returned home this morning after a short stay over in the Twin Cities taking in the sights.

TAKES NELSON CURE — Papers were filed in the clerk of the federal court's office yesterday by Walter Enfield a Great Northern locomotive engineer at Minot, who claims that he is bankrupt. He puts his liabilities at $2,650 and his assets at $2,611. Of the latter amount he claims $248.33 to be exempt.

Kalib Cury a young Assyrian boy, son of Beddy Cury, a notion dealer of New York City traveling for business thru this country, was robbed last evening at 6 o'clock on the high bridge on Eighth street. He got acquainted with two circus men at the Great Northern depot and they led him up over the high bridge. The boy held his hand on his watch when they tried to get it and they grabbed his wallet in his side pocket and ran east. Kalib Cury then called to a couple of boys and they followed the two men to the Northern Pacific depot where they boarded one of the circus cars. The wallet contained two $20 bills, one $10 bill, 2 silver dollars and a half with two trunk receipts Nos. 66395 and 66396 and other maters. The circus detectives were informed.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

June 30 In History.

1785—General James Edward Oglethorpe, founder of Georgia, died; born 1688.
1899—E. D. E. N. Southworth, American novelist, died; born 1819.
1900—Desperate battle at Tientsin, China; foreign ministers ordered to leave Pekin.
1907—Francis Murphy, noted temperance lecturer, died at Los Angeles; born 1836.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:28.

HAS FINE COLT—Duke Jewell has about the finest colt seen in Crookston this year. It was sired by Gordon V., the speedy stallion owned by W. S. Lycan which died a short time ago.

EUCLID REPRESENTED— Among the many from Euclid yesterday attending the circus were Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teal, Mrs. Dundeen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Theo. Goosen and Christ Nelson.

SUCCESSFUL FARMER — L. O. Ingvaldson, one of the successful and well known farmers near Shelly is spending the day in the city enroute home from a business trip to Canada.

CROPPIES BITING WELL—Reports from Maple Lake indicate that the croppies and pike are biting well. These fish were put in the Lake some time ago at the option of the state and have been rapidly increasing.

WILL JOIN FAMILY—A. W. Rundquist, representative of the Minneapolis Tribune in this section of the country left last evening for Iowa where he will join his wife who is spending the summer with her folks. He will remain till after July 4th and shoot firecrackers with the kids.

PLEASED WITH TENANT—Mrs. Peter Noesen drove to their farm northeast of the city Monday and are highly pleased with the prospects for a fine crop this year. Mr. Sauve is running the farm and they are highly gratified over the manner in which he is operating the farm.

LOOKING OVER STATE ROAD—County Commissioner Ben Clements departed east this morning for Gentilly and thence will depart south thru Fairfax town, looking after the state road interests in that town. The board will let contracts in the near future for the repair and construction of state roads and the advertising will be based on his report.

FISHER GETS TRIMMED—The Hill Hustlers took the Fisher ball team into camp Sunday by a score of 10 to 11. Hhe Fisherites quit in the eighth and appeared later in Carman where they were beat by the Carman team by a score of 17 to 9. The Hill Hustlers were also defeated in the after noon by a pickup nine in which Bodine and Murney did the battery performing for the Pick-ups.

A FINE PAIR OF COLTS—Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller of Angus drove to the city yesterday to attend to the circus and look after some business matters. Mr. Miller drove a pair of Hambletonian colts which he raised and they are certainly as handsome a pair as were ever seen on the street of Crookston. Both are coal black and they will make as fine a team of drivers as ever pawed Polk county dirt.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

July 1 In History.

1725—The Comte de Rochambeau (Roshambo), French general in America, born; died 1807.
1862—Battle of Malvern Hill, Va.
1898—Attack on Santiago by General Shafter's corps.
1905—John Hay, secretary of state of the United States, died; born 1838.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:29; 1:50 p. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing eastward of the planet; 10 p. m., planet Saturn at quadrature with the sun, 90 degrees distant therefrom; sun in constellation Gemini till 19th, then in Cancer; Delta Aquarid meteors possibly visible 27th to 29th and Perseid meteors, 23d to 31st. Constellations visible 8:30 p. m.; during July, overhead, Hercules, Corona Borealis, Bootes; north, Ursa Minor, Draco; northeast, Cassiopeia, Cepheus, Cygnus, Lyra; east, Delphinus, Aquila; southeast, Sagittarius; south, Ophiuchus, Serpens, Scorpio, Libra; southwest, Centaurus, Hydra; west, Virgo, Leo; northwest, Canes Venatici, Leo Minor, Ursa Major, Lynx; bright stars visible, same hour, overhead, Arcturus; northeast, Deneb, Vega; east, Altair; south, Antares; west, Spica Regulus, Denebola; planets in July—Mercury visible last half of the month before sunrise near eastern horizon; Venus invisible till close of month as morning star; Mars setting soon after the sun; Jupiter setting from 9:30 to 7:50; Saturn rising from midnight to 10 p. m.

DIED AT HOSPITAL—Oscar Olson of East Grand Forks died Monday evening at Bethesda hospital in Crookston where he was brought about a week ago.

ROYAL LEAGUE DELEGATES— S. V. Holder and Will Ireland have been elected delegates to the Royal League convention at Cass Lake, July 4-6, from the local lodge.

WAS TOO BUSY—G. A. E. Finlayson arrived from East Grand Forks this morning on court business. He will be unable to attend the republican state convention and Judge Sullivan, who is visiting at Hastings, will attend in his place as alternate.

TAKING A REST — O. N. J. Hagen of the Oyster Bay restaurant left this morning for Fosston and Lengby where he will spend a few days with relatives and take a well earned rest for a few days. Mrs. Hagen will remain and look after the business during his absence.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington. W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

HAS SOLD PRACTICE—Dr. Frank Adams passed thru the city last evening enroute from Grand Forks, where he has practiced dentistry for many years past, to Portland, Oregon, where he will locate. He sold his Grand Forks practice to Dr. Ramsey, who has returned to Grand Forks after having been engaged in the whole sale grocery business and other business enterprises in Canada for the past few years.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

KEY STONE

John Gerber and family visited with Carl Zeltwenger and family of near Euclid last Sunday.

Misses Tillie and Bessie Brantl and Lydia Aeschlimann called on Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann last Saturday evening.

John Tiederman and John Voelz were at the B. Tiederman home several days last week.

Mrs. B. Tiederman's garden is in a fine condition, not a weed is to be seen. Mr. John Baars gets all the weeds out of it in a hurry. He is one of the finest gardeners in this vicinity.

Ernest Hohl arrived from Secor, Illinois one day last week and is working for Samuel Aeschlimann. Mr. Mohl says: Minnesota is all right.

Mrs. John Capes and daughter Miss Lorena and Mrs. Ehnen called on Mrs Simon Aeschlimann and daughters last Thursday afternoon. They have lately moved up from Illinois and are well pleased with this country.

The young folks of this vicinity will celebrate the Fourth of July at the John Brantl farm. A ball game and other sports will be the main features Light refreshments will be served, and a good time anticipated by all.

Mr. Henry Ehnen suffered for the last two weeks with a toothache and spent many sleepless nights. He says he will drive to Grand Forks, visit a dentist and then there will be peace.

The grain in this vicinity is looking fine. The farmers are looking forward to a big harvest.

Mr. Adolph Horn manager of Sherack's baseball team drove to Grand Forks last Friday and transacted very important business.

Miss Viola Ehnen of Pontiac, Illinois will spend her two weeks vacation with her parents a brother and sister of this place.

Earl and Everet Capes attended a picnic at the Marais last Thursday.

Wild strawberries are ripening fast and soon everybody will be feasting on strawberry short cake and cream.

John Gerber drove to Tabor last Saturday.

Edward and the Misses Bessie and Tillie Brantl visited with friends and relatives at Tabor last Sunday.

The Angus-Tabor Telephone Line is now completed and the farmers are transacting most of their business thru it.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A girl's idea of a ringleader is the first man to arrive with a solitaire.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE

ONE WILL BE HELD IN POLK CO., BEGINNING MONDAY, JULY TWENTY-SEVENTH

INSTITUTE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS THREE DAYS

Supt. of Schools Thomas Casey has issued the following official notice of a Polk County Teachers' Institute which will be followed by teachers' examinations:

You are hereby notified that a teachers' institute will be held in the City of Crookston, at the High School Building, July 27, 1908, and will continue one week. On the following Monday, August 3, teachers' examinations will begin and will continue three days.

Prof. E. T. Reed of the Moorhead Normal will conduct the institute, and he will be assisted by Prof. N. A. Thorson, science teacher of the Crokston High School, and candidate for Supt. of Schools of Polk County.

The instruction you will get from such efficient teachers must necessarily be uplifting and inspiring.

The work will be conducted along pedagogical and scientific lines. You will be taught how to impart the knowledge you now have, and how to present the subjects, which you will be expected to teach, conformably with the latest and most approved pedagogical methods.

There is a constant demand for proficient teachers. Those who properly prepare themselves for teaching need have no fear of securing desirable schools.

We hope to see a large per cent. of the teachers present. Come yourself and urge your fellow teachers to come.

Teachers who attend this institute will have the preference in securing positions in the schools of this county Come to the institute and put in a week of pleasure and profit long to be remembered.

THOMAS CASEY,
County Supt. of Schools.
Dated at Crookston, June 30, 1908.

BAD FIRE EARLY THIS MORNING

MOLSTAD'S SALOON GUTTED AND CONTENTS TOTALLY DESTROYED

LACK OF WIND ONLY PREVENTED AN APPALLING CONFLAGRATION

From Wednesday's Daily—

About 3 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the rear of J. J. Molstad's saloon and before it was under control the stock fixtures, building and household goods on the second floor were totally destroyed, entailing a loss estimated by Mr. Molstad at $8,500 in addition to which was many family relics which money cannot replace.

Mrs. Molstad is in Chicago, and Harold is at the Lake, Mr. Molstad being alone on the second floor of the building where the family resides. He retired about midnight and was awakened at 3 o'clock by Ross Rath, the night clerk in Rose's restaurant, who stepped out the back door and saw the smoke and fire. He rushed to the hall door leading from the street and hammered away till Mr. Molstad was awakened. Mr. Molstad opened the door of the front room where he was sleeping, to see what the matter was, and was driven back by the fire and smoke. He grabbed his pants and vest and rushed down stairs without shoes or hat and barely escaped before all escape would have been cut off. He did not save a single article of household goods, trinkets, jewelry or anything in that line.

A FRAUD ORDER HAS BEEN ISSUED

ST. PAUL FIRM FAILS TO PAY THE SALARIES WHICH IT ADVERTISED

A fraud order was yesterday issued by the postoffice department against E. F. Lofgren manager of the Progressive Advertising and Distributing agency of St. Paul. The agency has been advertising for people to distribute advertising matter for them at salaries which the postal department say it does not pay. The office of the company is closed and it is said Mr. Lofgren is out of St. Paul.

CROOKSTON FIRE LADDIES SET NEW SPEED RECORD

Win hook and ladder championship at Thief River Falls in 25 seconds flat---Record of state.

The Crookston fire department won the Association hook and ladder championship of the Northern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association this morning at Thief River Falls in 25 seconds flat being 1 1-2 seconds faster than the best previous record. The event was one of the big leaders of the tournament.

Crookston Day Tomorrow

The committee in charge of the tournament at Thief River Falls have made special arrangements to hold a big Crookston day tomorrow at Thief River in which day all the remaining interesting events of the tournament will be so centered that all the visitors from Crookston can see the entire performance of the day.

Crookston Next Year

At a meeting of the committee and the delegates to the tournament, Crookston was chosen the next meeting place of the tournament.

Tomorrow at Thief River Falls will be held the "One Hundred Yard Dash for Firemen Only" "the flag race", "hub and hub race" baseball game, "combination hook and ladder and hose race" and the "service wet test" all of which are spectacular events.

The program will commence immediately on the arrival at Thief River of the Crookston excursionists on the regular train. A special train leaves Thief River Falls for Crookston in the evening at 11 o'clock. Crookston fire department firemen will participate in all the events of the day and will undoubtedly take away a few prizes. Crookston should send 300 people to Thief River Falls tomorrow as the Thief Riveritees always turn out loyally to Crookston eventss, and will reciprocate at the tourney here next year.

Yesterday's Events

Red Lake Falls took first prize yesterday at Thief River Falls in the big association race, listed as the greatest feature of the tournament. Thief River Falls drew the second prize and Crookston got third.

The tournament is attended by an immense concourse of people and the Greenbush pasenger has been given two more coaches that Conductor Steve Withey may properly handle the crowds. Eight thousand are estimated to be at Thief River Falls.

Hallock took first prize in the appearance and number of the firemen present.

The Warren and Thief River Falls bands are furnishing the music of the three days and are taking care of their parts nicely.

CAUGHT AT GRAND RAPIDS

ORIN DANIELS MAKES CAPTURE FOR EAST GRAND FORKS AUTHORITIES

McDONALD UP BEFORE MUNICIPAL COURT ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Orin Daniels arrived in the city yesterday morning from Grand Rapids with F. J. McDonald and the prisoner was taken to East Grand Forks yesterday afternoon and arraigned in the municipal court on the charge of embezzlement. His case was set for hearing July 7th. It is charged that McDonald cashed a draft at the bank of East Grand Forks which he made on a party for whom he had been working at Minneapolis. when the draft was presented for payment it was protested, on the ground that the payee was not indebted to McDonald, and the bank had no recourse. The amount involved is about $60.

MANY PEOPLE GET FARMSTEADS

TOTAL RECEIPTS AT CROOKSTON LAND OFFICE THE LARGEST OF THE YEAR

The Crookston United State Land Office returns report for the past month showing it to be the largest business month of the year. The total receipts were $11,395.52. $1054.88 was received on sales of public lands $3358.80 from sales on Chippewa lands $5725.26 from sales on Red Lake lands and $1256.78 fees and commissions. The report realizes on about 15,000 acres that have passed now into private ownership and cultivation.

APPROVED BY STATE AUDITOR

BONDS FOR DITCHES 65, 66 AND 70 APPROVED BY STATE AUTHORITY

Approvals of three issues of ditch bonds on county ditches were received here today from state auditor at St. Paul. The approvals are three in number and are for county ditch 65 for $7000, 66 for $21,000 and 70 for $1200.

War Against Consumption

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

PARADISE ON THE ROSEAU

VICTOR C. BAILEY ENJOYS LIFE AT CARIBOU, MINNESOTA

THIRTY MILES FROM RAILROAD ONE OF MINNESOTA'S BEAUTY SPOTS

Victor Bailey, merchant and postmaster at Caribou in the north east corner of Kittson county, who will be made more known to the world when the big Roseau state project is completed, perhaps enjoys the distinction of being one of the most isolated men living in one of the most beautiful places in all the northwest.

The town of Caribou which consists of Mr. Bailey's store and warehouses and lumber yards is situated at the International Rapids on the border line between Minnesota and Manitoba thirty miles from Lancaster on the Soo, the nearest railroad station, and just about one mile from the iron posts that traversing northern Minnesota's boundary determines the bounding line between this state and the Dominion of Canada.

About a hundred yards above the store and residence of Mr. Bailey up the Roseau a small island the size of a city block rests peacefully in the broad surface of the river, both sides lined with precipitous rapids. Below the Roseau bends out into a broad river many hundred of feet across until further down it comes upon other cascades and rapids.

The home of Mr. Bailey itself, tho situated far distant from the railway facilities nevertheless has a modern architecture so arranged that all the pleasant advantages with which the building is surrounded are ever at hand and visible and enjoyable. The grounds are most excellently kept and the banks of Roseau are but a few feet behind the rear door. The building is situated in the midst of a northern grove of trees.

The homesteaders and residents of this locality come from long distances to do their trading at the Bailey store and many are the products of the wild taken in exchange. The store is one of the most modern north of Crookston and carries a large stock on hand.

When the big Roseau river is diverted by the State's project into an artificial canal which will run but a few hundred feet west of Mr. Bailey's store, the rapids will be watched by Mr. and Mrs. Bailey anxiously to see what the effect will be upon them as the rapids lend much of the natural beauty to the place.

Mr. Bailey is an occasional visitor at Crookston and is well known to men about town, however little known his home is.

Foley's Orino Laxative, the new laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back. Sold by all druggists.

A SIGNAL VICTORY FOR ANTI-GANG POLITICS

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION DELEGATES TOOK THE BIT IN THEIR TEETH AND RAN THINGS TO SUIT THEMSELVES—AN UNINSTRUCTED JACOBSON-YOUNG DELEGATION ELECTED TO THE STATE CONVENTION—GREAT VICTORY FOR THE PEOPLE IN EQUAL RIGHT AND FAIR REPRESENTATION

DELEGATES TO THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

J. C. Sathre	Peter Paulsrud
Gunder Krostue	H. J. Beardsmore
K. K. Hoffard	Andrew Opheim
P. Snyder	John Hillestad
O. O. Christianson	G. K. Espeseth
N. A. Hoffard	Geo. A. E. Finlayson
M. E. Kirsch	F. C. Massee
T. H. Bjoin	John Anderson

K. K. Gregorson.

ALTERNATES

W. A. Marin	Arne Bratvold
John Sletten	H. A. Johnson
N. S. Davies	A. M. Sivertson
O. K. Berget	A. O. Stortroen
John Saugstad	L. H. Locken
E. W. Johnson	J. C. Sherlock
F. H. Hillard	A. K. Ringstad
G. C. Wilde	T. A. Sullivan.

Albert Berg.

The Republican County Convention is history, and the result was a death blow to gang politics in Polk county. The progressive delegates after they realized what they were fighting, rallied after they had lost the organization and by an overwhelming majority elected delegates to the Republican state convention without instructions but constituted by an equal number of Jacobson and Young men practically with general sentiment in favor of Jacobson, in deference to the desire of the delegates from the rural districts who were in favor of "Jake."

Lines Closely Drawn

The convention was called to order by County Chairman J. C. Sathre who read the call, and T. A. Sullivan of East Grand Forks and P. Snyder of Crookston was nominated, the latter being the candidate of the progressive Republicans who were not opposed to the west end candidate personally, but who were unalterably opposed to the gang methods of those with whom the west end delegates affiliated in this city, and those who were handling the Savage campaign in Polk county.

The result of the vote was Sullivan 32, Snyder 31. Chairman Sathre refrained from voting or the result would have been a tie. L. E. George of Fertile was the unanimous choice of the convention as secretary.

The Committees

Chairman Sullivan after thanking the convention for the honor on motion named the following committees:

Permanent Organization—G. A. E. Finlayson, E. M. Walsh and A. W. Foss.

Credentials—N. J. Nelson, J. M. Stephens, Albert Berg.

Resolutions—T. R. Brown, Andrew Opheim and C. O. Longley.

The committee on permanent organization reported in favor of making the temporary organization permanent, which was unanimously adopted, and the report of the credentials committee was approved without question the convention later seating residents of all outlying towns who happened to be present where there were no regularly elected elected delegates.

The Fun Began

The fire works were started when a motion was made for the chair to name a committee of five, one from each commissioner's district to submit a list of 17 delegates and 17 alternatives to the state convention. On a viva voce vote the chair declared the motion carried. J. C. Sathre took an appeal from the decision of the chair, calling for a rising vote and the result was 28 for and over 40 against. This showed clearly that those who had secured the organization of the convention had lost out and the progressives held the whip hand. They immediately forced an adjournment till two o'clock.

Caucused at Noon

During the recess the Progressives caucused and a delegation to the state convention was agreed to and a plan of action outlined, all anti-gang interests having been harmonized.

Uninstructed

The committee on resolutions reported immediately after the convention was called to order in the afternoon and appear below. Albert Berg offered an amendment instructing the delegation for J. F. Jacobson but the amendment was laid on the table and the resolutions as returned from the committee passed unanimously.

Reports Were Amended

On motion of N. S. Davies of the Journal a committee of five to consist of Ed Stowe, O. A. Stortroen J. C. Sathre, H. J. Beardmore and G. A. E. Finlayson was named to prepare a list of 17 delegates and 17 alternates to the state Republican convention to be held in St. Paul July 1st and the motion carried unanimously.

Poured Oil on Waters

The committee reported shortly afterwards and the list of delegates did not contain the names of any delegates from the city of East Grand Forks. N. S. Davies took the floor and stated that in the interests of harmony and fair play, the Progressives, who had a big majority could well afford to amend the report to include two names from the west end metropolis and on motion of F. C. Massee, who made a telling address the committee was sent back to revise the report and the delegates were elected as given at the top of this column.

A Rousing Address

While the above committee was deliberating a committee was named to escort Congressman Halvor Steenerson to the convention hall and he appeared shortly afterwards and gave a rousing straight from the shoulder republican address which was punctuated by most vigorous cheers by the audience at frequent intervals.

The Journal Gratified

The Journal is highly gratified at the outcome of the convention. The Journal has always fought against gang rule, and upheld clean politics with equal representation to all. We believe that cliques and plots should be done away with, and everything done in the open. The majority should rule and the rights of all be respected. No other method will be tolerated by the Progressive Republicans of Polk County in the future.

The convention on motion adjourned.

The Resolutions

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

The republicans of Polk county in county convention assembled, do hereby adopt the following resolutions:

Resolved, that we pledge our hearty support and influence to the success of the Republican National Ticket, believing that the candidates, William H. Taft and James S. Sherman are entitled to the enthusiastic support of every republican, not alone for their consistent party loyalty, but also being representative American citizens, whose success means enlarged national possibilities, also

Be It Resolved, That we the Republican party of Polk county reannounce our fealty to the present national executive, Theodore Roosevelt, and give our unqualified endorsement to the principles for which his administration has stood and has advanced with conspicuous ability and energy, and which will be carried forward to completion by the election of William H. Taft and James S. Sherman; also

Be It Resolved, that we here in convention assembled testify to the ability and conspicuous energy displayed by the representative of the Ninth Congressional District in congress, the Hon Halvor Steenerson, and do unhesitatingly pledge him the support of the republican party of Polk county in the coming congressional campaign; also

Be It Resolved, that we endorse the patriotic and commendable actions of the United States Senators from the state of Minnesota; and

Further Be It Resolved, that we the republican party of Polk county in convention assembled do pledge ourselves to the support of a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of the state of Minnesota, who can best represent the sentiment of the people and will be able to bring succss to the party's standards in the coming campaign and credit to to the commonwealth in case of his election.

Respectfully submitted.

NORMAN COUNTY FOR JACOBSON

The Norman county republican convention at Ada yesterday passed off very quietly the only strife being on the delegates to the state convention The delegation is instructed for Jacobson and there was no opposition to the resolution. A resolution was also passed declaring in favor of Geo. T. Simpson for Attorney General: county option also instructed for

The following are the delegates to the state convention:

A. L. Hanson, Ada.
P. O. Ingberg, Hendrum.
E. J. Herringer, Ada.
G. E. Erickson, Perley.
J. J. Aarestad, Shelly.
Asle Olson, Gary.
D. C. Lightbourn, Ada.
Louis Hanson, Ada.
Ellert Johnson, Halstad.
Andrew Engeset, Twin Valley.
J. K. Weum, Twin Valley.
S. E. Wickham, Gary.

P. R. LAVIK HAS EXCELLENT RECORD

CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY IS NATIVE BORN SON OF MINNESOTA

Attorney P. R. Lavik of Fertile who has filed for the Republican nomination for county attorney of Polk county at the primaries in September is in the fight to win, and is letting no grass grow under his feet. Mr. Lavik is a native born Minnesotan making his initial bow in Goodhue county in 1877 and remained on the farm till he reached the age of 18 working during the summer and attending the public schools in the city in the winter.

At the age of 18 he entered the college at Northfield and remained there till he enlisted in the service during the Spanish-American War and later served during the Philippine war where he made a most excellent record. He participated in the famous rescue of Lieut. Gilmore and his party and later did garrison duty, serving as commandant of one of the important posts with credit to himself and his country.

P. R. LAVIK
Fertile, Minn.
Candidate for the republican nomination for County Attorney, Polk Co., at the Primary Election, Sept. 15, 1908

Mr. Lavik received his honorable discharge in 1901 and located in Polk Co. He served in the office of county treasurer under M. G. Peterson for a time very acceptably.

Later Mr. Lavik studied law at the University of Minnesota, and graduated in 1906 and has since been located at Fertile where he has an excellent practice.

Mr. Lavik has declared himself on the liquor question, being a strong advocate of county option and thoroly believes in the strict enforcement of the law without fear or favor, and that is just what can be expected of him if he receives the nomination, which virtually means an election. He is possessed of abundant ability to discharge the duties of county attorney is elected and can be depended upon to serve the people of Polk Co. faithfully.

TENSTRIKE SENSATION

AN ALLEGED DETECTIVE THREATENED WITH LYNCHING AT THAT PLACE

ABUSED A NINE YEAR OLD GIRL AND POPULACE IS GREATLY INCENSED

From Thursday's Daily—

Charged with havinig criminally assaulted Hazel Kruger a 9-year-old girl at Tenstrike and leaving her unconscious and in a terrible condition, Justin Stoddard is confined in the village jail there, with an angry populace threatening to lynch him.

It appears that Stoddord accosted the young girl as she was returning to her home near Gull Lake, from a trip to the postoffice about 8 o'clock Tuesday evening picked her up and carried her to the woods, attempting to criminally assault the child.

Carl Holuptzok who was passing the place where the girl lay at about 9 o'clock heard a faint cry and found the girl in an unconscious condition with her face terribly bruised and her clothes badly torn. Holuptzok brought the girl to her home and came to the village and told of the assault on the girl. A crowd of men was organized and all suspicious parties were arrested.

Between 9:30 and 10 o'clock last night Justin Stoddard who poses as a detective was chased to his home at Spur 106 and arrested by Deputy Sheriff Fred Wilson and Ed Leonard. He was brought to Tenstrike and lodged in the jail where he is held to await identification by the girl who was unconscious ever since the attack until 3 o'clock this afternoon. She has not yet sufficiently recovered to pronounce judgment on Stoddard.

It is said that Stoddard was seen running from the place where the girl was found last night, and that when he arrived home he changed his clothes.

HARD FIGHT TO RETAIN HOMESTEAD

GOVERNMENT INSTITUTES CONTEST VALUABLE GRACETON CLAIM

Yesterday before the U. S. land office officials in this city was held the final trial in the contest instituted by the government to cancel the entry of Albert Cavalier to 160 acres filed on in Northern Beltrami County in the vicinity of Graceton.

Five years ago this fall Cavalier filed on a valuable claim in that locality, had his description surveyed and began making improvements with the idea he was on his own land. Another survey was made by other parties a year later and it was found he was 300 feet over on another man's holdings and a contest was instituted against him and after the case was heard before the U. S. Commissioner at Warroad it was decided in his favor. But as the claim is a valuable one other contests were brought against him and caused him both trouble and considerable expense.

Mr. Cavalier is the youngest son of Charles Cavalier the first white settler in what is now Pembina, N. D. having settled there in 1840 is like his father a frontiersman and the call of the wild always has an attraction for him and he is perfectly contented fighting mosquitoes in the north woods these days. With his witnesses David Cooper and Pat Gayno he departed on last night's Duluth train for their homes in the woods going in via Bemidji and International Falls.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

SENT TO PRISON FOR LIFE.

George Willoughby of Milwaukee Pleads Guilty of Wife Murder.

Milwaukee, July 24. — George Willoughby, who shot and killed his wife at their residence on Prospect avenue on March 22, yesterday pleaded guilty to the crime in the municipal court, threw himself on the mercy of the court and was sentenced to life imprisonment at Waupun by Judge Brazee. This is the maximum punishment. Willoughby was one of the most prominent business men in Milwaukee before the murder, and he and his wife were prominent in church work.

DEATH COMES SUDDENLY TO CLEVELAND

Former President Unexpectedly Passes Away at His Home in Princeton.

NOTABLE CAREER IS ENDED

President Roosevelt Orders National Honors in His Memory—Sorrow Is Universal.

Princeton, N. J., June 26. — Grover Cleveland, twice president of the United States, died at 8:40 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, "West Land," in this quiet college town, where he had lived since his retirement as the nation's chief executive, almost twelve years ago.

When death came, which was sudden, there were in the death chamber Mrs. Cleveland, Dr. Joseph D. Bryant of New York, Mr. Cleveland's family physician and personal friend; Dr. George R. Lockwood of New York and Dr. John M. Carnochan of Princeton.

An official statement, given out and signed by the three physicians, gave heart trouble, superinduced by stomach and kidney ailments of long standing, as the cause of death.

Death Is Unexpected.

While Mr. Cleveland had been in poor health for the last two years and had lost a hundred pounds in weight, his death came unexpectedly. Some three weeks ago he was brought home from Lakewood, where his condition for a time was such that the hotel at which he was staying was kept open after its regular season because he was too ill to be moved. But when Mr. Cleveland was brought back to Princeton he showed signs of improvement and actually gained five pounds in weight.

Although confined to his room continuously after his return to Princeton, it was not until Tuesday that Mr. Cleveland's condition aroused uneasiness on the part of Mrs. Cleveland. Undoubterly affected by the heat, Mr. Cleveland showed signs of failure and Mrs. Cleveland telegraphed Dr. Bryant, and Dr. Carnochan, who had been Mr. Cleveland's local physician since the former president came to Princeton, was also called in.

The End Is Peaceful.

During the evening Mr. Cleveland seemed to rally, and Mrs. Cleveland felt assured it was merely another of the many attacks Mr. Cleveland had suffered, and she informed those who inquired that Mr. Cleveland's condition was not serious.

Mr. Cleveland became worse during the night, and Mrs. Cleveland was called to the bedside of her husband. The distinguished patient sank into unconsciousness, from which he recovered at times only to suffer a relapse. This continued throughout the night and early morning. The last time he became unconscious was about two hours before he died. Death was peaceful. Just before he died Mr. Cleveland sought to say something, but his words were inaudible.

The news of Mr. Cleveland's death came as a sudden shock to the people of Princeton, as it did to the people of the rest of the world.

Roosevelt Sends Coldolence.

Many intimate friends of the family and many others not so close called at the Cleveland home. Few were able to see Mrs. Cleveland, and all of them left cards. The visitors, newspaper men, photographers and others became so numerous that the police authorities placed a policeman on guard at the Cleveland home, and no one but intimate friends and those in charge of the funeral arrangements were allowed to approach the house.

It was not until late in the day that messages of condolence began to come in from all parts of the world to Mrs. Cleveland. One of the first was from Mr. Roosevelt, who will attend the funeral, which will be held on Friday afternoon, and which in deference to Mrs. Cleveland's wishes will be as private as possible.

To Rest in Princeton.

Mr. Cleveland's body will be buried in Princeton cemetery, in the family plot where lies the remains of Ruth, the eldest of the Cleveland children, whose death was a sad blow to her father.

So suddenly did Mr. Cleveland's death occur that not one of his four children were at home. The children are at the Cleveland summer home at Tamworth, New Hampshire, under the care of Mrs. Perrine, Mrs. Cleveland's mother. Word was sent to them of their father's death, and they will start at once for Princeton. The children are: Esther, aged fourteen; Marion, aged twelve; Richard, aged ten, and Francis Grover, aged five.

Ever since Mr. Cleveland's arrival in Princeton, eleven years ago, he has been a conspicuous figure in Princeton. Although his only official connection with Princeton university was his lectureship, known as the Stafford-Little lectureship on public affairs, and his membership in the board of trustees, he was regarded as a strong friend of the institution.

Telegrams Pour in.

Grover Cleveland was well liked among students and faculty. His last public appearance in the university was while delivering a public lecture about two years ago. Princeton university is closed now. Except for a half dozen students who are doing special work, there are none but the professors here who are connected with the university.

The telegrams of condolence came in by the hundreds from all parts of the United States and other countries during the day, and they continued to pour into the telegraph office here far into the night. Besides President Roosevelt's telegram, messages of condolence came from government officials, governors, legislators, prominent educators and citizens of various walks of life.

Tribute From Taft.

New Haven, June 26.—News of the death of ex-President Grover Cleveland yesterday threw into a shadow of genuine sorrow the commencement festivities at Yale.

Secretary Taft was informed of the demise of Mr. Cleveland as the procession of the officials of the university, the faculty and the graduates were forming to march to Woolsey hall, in which the commencement exercises were held. He expressed his deep regret at Mr. Cleveland's death and said:

"President Cleveland was one of the very great men of the country. His death is a distinct loss to the American people."

Is Your Hair Sick?

That's too bad! We had noticed it was looking pretty thin and rough of late, but naturally did not like to speak of it. By the way, Ayer's Hair Vigor is a regular hair grower, a perfect hair tonic. The hair stops coming out, grows faster, keeps soft and smooth. Ayer's Hair Vigor cures sick hair, makes it strong and healthy.

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LEFT FORTUNE OF $10,000

STEP FATHER OF DR. J. S. AND BERT CHAPIN OF EUCLID IN MICHIGAN

TWO SONS ARE SOLE HEIRS TO A VALUABLE ESTATE—MOTHER DEAD

From Thursday's Daily—

Dr. J. S. Chapin and Bert Chapin Euclid passed thru the city last evening enroute to Bethel, Mich., where they were called by the death of their step father, Nathaniel Piatt. Mr. Piatt had visited here and at Euclid many times and was well acquainted with many. His wife died several years ago willing a property worth over $10,000 to her sons Dr. J. S. and Bert Chapin, but giving her husband a life lease.

By his death the property reverts to the sons and they left last evening to close up the estate.

Mr. Platt died suddenly several days ago aged 81 years and the remains could not be held so that the step sons could attend so they delayed their departure a few days to arrange their business affairs here so that they can make a more extended stay in Michigan.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

June 25 In History.

1530—Confession of Augsburg, drawn by Luther, Melanchthon and others, presented to Charles V. and read to the German diet.

1841—Alexander Macomb, soldier, hero of Plattsburg, died; born 1782.

1876—General George A. Custer and 277 men of his command were massacred by the Sioux on the Little Big Horn river, Montana.

1894—Dr. Alexander Kohut, a distinguished rabbi and oriental scholar, died; born 1842.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:26; moon rises 2:55 a. m.; moon's age 27 days.

WANTED—MEN—For railroad work in Minnesota, Dakota and Montana. Good wages, free fare, ship daily. Call at 301 N. Main St. Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

WILL GET THEM—Conductor Martin Mayer was here a short time this morning enroute to Cass Lake where he will spend a few days fishing and he says he will get them.

FERTILITES HERE—Banker Ed. Mossefin and Editor L. E. George are up from Fertile today, the former on business matters and the latter attending the county convention as a delegate.

EFFECTS OF SUNDAY'S STORM—In the front window of the Journal office is to be seen a section of a large cottonwood tree that was struck by lightning in the back yard of the residence occupied by F. S. Whirry of the Crokston Creamery adjoining the Bethesda hospital on the East in Sampson's addition. The tree from which it was taken was literally torn to pieces and the piece shows some of the freak work of lightning. Some people had no idea that there was so much electricity in the air at the time but this is one silent effect of it.

LEAVES FOR THE WEST— Mr. and Mrs. E. Strassburger son Richard and daughter Miss Ella departed on this afternoon's N. P. train for Seattle, Washington where they will make their future home. The Strassburger family has many friends here who regret their departure who attested to their friendship by seeing them off at the depot and numerous parties were given in their honor prior to their departure. Mr. Strassburg as an architect did considerable work on the best buildings in this locality but found the inducements out west more promising.

Dr. B. F. Budworth of Shelly, Norman county, must spend sixty days in jail and pays a fine of $50 and the costs for selling liquor without a license.

Budworth was found guilty last fall and appealed to the supreme court, where he again lost. At the May term of court here he asked for a stay of sentence pending arguments for a new trial. These arguments were heard by Judge Grindeland who denied the motion and passed sentence.

There was a very large attendance at the annual Marais picnic which was held in Lee's Grove near Bethel church. The weather was ideal and farmers with their entire families drove for many miles to enjoy the festivities of a day tha has grown to be a regular holiday with the pioneers of the Marais and their descendants.

A sad accident occurred at about two o'clock yesterday afternoon at Moorhead which resulted in the loss of a life. Little Edgard Swenson the five year old son of Christ Swenson, a carpenter residing at 112 Sixth avenue south, together with the little eight year old son of Thomas Nygaard of Eighth avenue south was fishing on the bank of the river in the rear of the water works. In some manner he lost his balance, fell in, and was swept away by the strong current.

Forest Fires in Colorado.

Buffalo Park, Colo., June 24.—Two destructive forest fires are raging west of Buffalo, in the western part of Jefferson county and the extreme northern part of Park county.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

June 26 In History.

1796—David Rittenhouse, early astronomer and manager of the United States mint, died; born 1732.

1897—Mrs. Margaret Oliphant, English author, died; born 1828.

1904—Kuropatkin's army worsted at Motien pass by Japanese under Kuroki.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:27; moon rises 3:33 a. m.; moon's age 28 days; 9 p. m., two of Jupiter's moons missing.

LOOKS GOOD IN VINELAND—P. O. Satermoe one of the pioneer farmers in the township of Vineland spent yesterday in the city, bringing in the assessment books for the township for which he is assessor. The outlook down his way is of the very best and he is enthusiastic over the prospects of a banner crop.

ENJOYED VISIT—E. L. Stowe who was in yesterday from McIntosh as a delegate to the convention, enjoyed his visit among a host of friends here gained by his former residence here. He is now running one of the elevators at McIntosh and is a close observer of the crop situation which he says out his way is the best ever,

A NINE POUND SON—Mrs. Geo. V. Soule is the mother of a fine 9 pound son born at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sawyer, 110 East Robert Street. Mother and child is doing well and Geo. V. has an idea that East Grand Forks will not be large enough to hold him in the future.

HENDRICKS A DELEGATE—Yesterday the local papers made an error in giving the names of the delegates to the state republican convention. In the place of K. K. Gregorson, should have been the name of Attorney J. A. Hendricks of Fosston, this change having been made too late to make the correction in the papers.

HOME FROM IOWA—S. C. Johnson returned yesterday afternoon from Decorah, Ia., where he went with his family over two weeks ago. During his absence he has traveled extensively over Iowa, Wisconsin and South Dakota and he reported the conditions as looking anything but encouraging and says the Valley is the only place. Mrs. Johnson will remain below for an extended visit.

ENJOYING VISIT — Ed Martin came in from St. Paul this morning having been called here as witness in a case before the District Court. Ed is enjoying prosperity in his new capacity in charge of the C. P. Ry land department at St. Paul. He will spend a few days visiting with his folks and many friends.

A PIONEER BURIED—The remains of Mrs. Smith who died at the home of her daughter near Wylie was buried in Greenwood cemetery at Thief River Falls Wednesday. The deceased was one of the pioneer settlers of that section and a mother of Simon Warring of Excel. Quite a number of old residents attended the funeral.

Ole Grundeland of Roseau, known as "the big Swede" on account of his herculean strength caught his hand in the fly wheel of the gasoline engine in the woodboat of the Standard Drainage Co., on the lower Roseau River yesterday afternoon, and his body was lashed about by the 8 horse power engine, terribly lacerating his arms and body. The engine was broken before his punishment ceased. Grundeland was putting rosin on the belt when his hand was caught in the lacing. His recovery is doubtful.

TWO IOWANS ARE DROWNED.

One Never Rises From Dive and Second Falls From Engine Into River.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 24.—Will J. Papelje, twenty-three years old, was drowned in the Rock river at Rock Rapids Sunday evening. Papelje was bathing and dived from a boat. He did not rise.

Carl P. Pierson of Hawarden, fireman on the North-Western railroad, fell from his engine while crossing the Iowa river bridge near Gifford. From the bridge he pitched into the river and was killed. His body was recovered half an hour later.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

June 27 In History.

James Smithson.

1709—Battle of Poltava; rout of the Swedes under Charles XII. by the army of Peter the Great.

1829—James Smithson, founder of the Smithsonian institution at Washington, died; born 1765.

1873—Hiram Powers, American sculptor whose "Greek Slave" gave him worldwide fame, died; born 1805.

1876—Harriet Martineau, English writer, died; born 1802.

1907—Elizabeth Cary Agassiz, widow of the scientist and one of the founders of Radcliffe college, died in Boston; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:27; moon rises 4:11 a. m.; moon's age 29 days; annular eclipse of the sun 11 a. m., eastern time, path of the annulus crossing Florida from Tampa east; seen as partial eclipse elsewhere; 11:31 a. m., eastern time, new moon.

LEFT FOR PORTLAND—Attorney E. D. Clough left last evening for Portland, Oregon, where he was called on business and will be absent for several weeks.

"DAD" WORKED — Dad Sabin went up north line this morning and the bunch from the Hotel Crookston watched him with mouth agap, as there is something doing when Dad works on Saturday.

REV. VILLISCIK'S SUCCESSOR—Rev. O. Grambo who has been attending the Free church meeting in Minneapolis, was in the city yesterday morning enroute to Bagley where he succeeds Rev. Villiscik who will devote his time to temperance lectures for some time.

SOLD AUTOMOBILE— Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Morley of Crookston were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McIntyre at the Windsor last Saturday night. While here the doctor sold his automobile to Justice Carlson and Ernest Johnson—Warren Register.

FINE PROSPECTS NORTH—P. I. Holen, of the big firm of Olson and Holen of Argyle, returned home this morning after a night spent in the city on business. He states the crops up north look fine and prospects thru out the valley are the best in many years.

OLD TIMER HERE—Andrew Olson, of Madelia, Minnesota, a well known resident of this vicinity ten years ago is spending a few days in the city looking over the town. He says the improvement is such that he would hardly recognize it if it were not for the faces of his old friends that he sees on the streets.

RECEIVED HURRY UP CALL — Dr. M. Langevin left last evening for Emerado, N. D., where he was called to treat a very valuable horse. He was instructed to hire an automobile and rush to the scene at once but could not secure one and waited for the evening train. The horse is a very valuable one.

LOOKING AFTER FARMS—L. J. Lake returned last evening from a flying trip to Warren where he was called to attend to some important business in connection with his farms near that place. He sttaes that the crops up north never looked better and that business men and farmers are all looking forward to a bountiful harvest.

ANNUAL PICNIC AND AUCTION—On Friday, July 3rd the Ladies Aid of the Bardo church west of the city on the south side of the river will hold the annual auction sale of aprons and fancy work at the big picnic that will be held in Aune's grove. A free dinner will be served and there will be music by the Burnham Creek band. This is an annual event and all present will have a fine time.

ENJOYED FINE TRIP—Lute Palmer returned yesterday from a three weeks' trip to LaCrosse, Wis., where Mrs. Palmer and the baby will remain visiting her relatives for the next month or six weeks. On his return Mr. Palmer visited at Winona, Lake City and Minneapolis and St. Paul. He reports a very fine time and states that the militia 'whooped 'er up in good style as they broke camp and marched to the train for the homeward journey.

BIG DEMAND FOR LAND—J. F. Foley of Feeley, Minn., is spending the day in the city on business matters. Mr. Foley is in the land business and his company the Swan River Land Co., have disposed of a large amount of land in the neighborhood of Feeley which is in the hardwood belt of Itasca Co., the cheap land being an inducement to settlers from the thickly settled portions of the east has resulted in a number locating there and has to a great extent assisted in stemming the tide of emigration toward Canada.

No relations of any kind in heaven must make it very comfortable there.

RESERVES LINE ALONG BORDER

THE PROCLAMATION OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT RECEIVED HERE TODAY

DECLARING ALL LANDS WITHIN 60 FEET OF BORDER RESERVED BY U. S.

From Saturday's Daily—

The proclamation has reached Crookston declaring all lands within sixty feet of the international boundary line between this country and the Dominion of Canada to be public property and reserved from private ownership or use. The proclamation signed by President Roosevelt reads:

"Whereas, the customs and immigration laws of the United States can be better enforced and the public welfare thereby better advanced when the Federal Government has complete control of the use and occupation of lands abutting on international boundary lines:

Now, Therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, do hereby proclaim and make known that all unpatented public lands of the United States lying within sixty feet of the boundary line between the United States and the Dominion of Canada are hereby declared to be, and are set apart as a public reservation, and shall hereafter be subject only to such rights as have been heretofore legally acquired under settlements, entries, reservations, or other forms of appropriation, an dare now existing, but shall not be subject at any time to any other claim, use, or occupation, except for public highways; and any patent issued for any legal subdivision, affected by this reservation under any claim hereafter initiated, shall contain a recital that it is issued subject to this proclamation."

TO KILL WEEDS ON COUNTY LAWN

COMMISSIONER CLEMENTS GETS BUSY ON COURT HOUSE YARD

This afternoon accompanied by assistants laden with tincture of iron Commissioner Ben Clements of the county boards descended on the dandelions of the court house lawn and expects to kill them all out by his plan. The results of the application of the tincture will be awaited with much interest over the county and especially in those districts bothered by the noxious weed.

EUGENE CLOUGH TO PORTLAND ORE.

Eugene D. Clough for three years a member of the Crookston bar and son of Chas. Clough of Fosston, Minnesota, departed last night for Grand Forks and Portland, Oregon, on the Oriental Limited where he will look over propositions offered him in the legal department of lumber corporations. Mr. Clough intends to locate in the west if the proposition is agreeable and will probably stay in Washington and Oregon a month or more before determining. Otherwise he will return to Crookston and resume his practice of law here.

WILL WED IN ENGLAND.

Departure of Mme. Gould and Prince de Sagan Confirmed.

Paris, June 24.—The departure of Mme. Anna Gould and Prince Helle de Sagan from Paris for England, where they will be married, is confirmed. The couple will not again return to France until the wedding has taken place. George Gould and his family are still in Paris.

CAN STEAM UP BLACK RIVER.

Dredging Work as Far as Onalaska Is Completed.

La Crosse, Wis., June 27.—Dredging of Black river between La Crosse and Onalaska has been finished by the government crews and that stream is now navigable to the largest steamers as far as Onalaska. This is the first time since the old lumbering days that steamboats have been able to navigate Black river, which was one of the biggest logging streams in the Northwest.

FATHER SHOOTS SON.

Both Had Been Drinking Heavily and Had Quarreled.

Shell Rock, Iowa, June 27.—The climax of a drunken brawl between father and son here resulted in the shooting of Antone Buelkas, twenty years old, son of Hans Buelkas, by his father. Thirty shots were found in the boy's legs and groin. The boy is seriously injured. The father is under arrest.

INSPECTED THE ROSEAU DITCH

STATE DRAINAGE ENGINEER RALPH RETURNS FROM TRIP THRU NORTH

IMMENSE FLOATING DREDGES BUILD NEW ROSEAU RIVER RAPIDLY

From Saturday's Daily—

State Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph of Crookston returned home last evening from an extensive trip thruout the north where he has been inspecting all the ditches under state construction. Mr. Ralph left Greenbush Monday last and went to Badger from which place he drove overland for fifteen miles to the Roseau River two miles below Ross postoffice, taking one of the woodboat fleet of the Standard Drainage Company of Windom, Minnesota, down the river to the dredge. This entire trip from Badger to the dredge was made in a driving rain in open boat and carriages.

After having fully inspected the work by the Standard Drainage Company on the cut offs across the bends of the Roseau Mr. Ralph pushed on down the Roseau twenty miles to the floating dredge belonging to Sherwood and Dick of Litchfield, Minnesota. This dredge has just entered on the ten mile cut straight from a point up the Roseau to the Roseau river just below Bailey's store at Caribou. The dredge is now about down this cut.

It will cut off about fifteen miles in the route that water has formerly been compelled to take by way of the river proper. This cut is thru solid earth eight and nine feet deep and fifty feet wide with a total excavation of 290,000 yards.

The machines on the Roseau intend to get done by the end of the year in contract time. The Standard Drainage Machine under Captain Jas. A. Beard has been making splendid progress. The Sherwood machine below has been having some very hard digging thru tenacious formations of soil.

From Caribou Mr. Ralph drove to Lancaster, Minn., took the Soo there and inspected the ditches at Bronson on the Soo. These ditches, six in number are being dug by Arpin Bros., of Grand Rapids, Wis., and are under the direct charge of A. N. Arpin of that place. They are walking dredges making their way across the country on immense rollers and dumping the dirt clear free of the ditch line. They are digging ditches about 25 feet wide and five feet deep and are excavating an immense yardage. They are now at work on a ditch draining the big Hjelma swamp which they compluete in a few days.

The Technique of Home Making

"Cook, sweep, dust and sew, these four words will never make a happy home," writes the editor in Woman's Home Companion for July. "They do not make sympthy, and love, and ambition, and faith; but they go a long way toward making room for these things. The average bride has a trunkful of ideals, and maybe two trunkfuls of clothes. Her cook book—if she has one and the leaves are cut at all—opens easily to 'fudge.' But unless she has mastered enough pages of this book to get three meals a day, without exhausting her own body and soul, and her husband's too, she will have little time for clothes and none at all for ideals. She finds herself involved in the mastery of the merest technical details. In spite of her best endeavors, her husband loses his enthusiasm for badly cooked food poorly served. Perhaps she tells him that he couldn't do it so well himself, and then he tells her about what he can do—perhaps it's soldering a joint or adding up a column of figures or drawing a straight line between two given points—but anyhow he can do it, because it is his business and he has perfected himself in it, and if she—And then Cook and Sweep and Dust and Sew fling wide the doors of that house, and Sympathy and Love and Ambition and Faith make their escape."

"RUSTLER" QUICKLY SENT UP.

Man Who Admits Guilt is Sentenced at Special Session of Court.

Billings, Mont., June 25. — Quick disposition was made of the case of George Parkinson, who was arrested Thursday afternoon at Fair City on the charge of horse stealing. Parkinson was brought into court, entered a plea of guilty to grand larceny and was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year.

Killed by Engine Motor.

St. Paul, June 27.—Antonio Sergano, an Italian section hand, was struck by the early Burlington motor yesterday near Newport and received injuries from which he died at St. Joseph's hospital.

MR. FURLONG IS PLEASED

SAYS POLK COUNTY WAS NEVER IN BETTER SHAPE TO SEND FINE EXHIBIT

OF RESOURCES TO THE STATE FAIR—WORK WILL BE STARTED AT ONCE

From Saturday's Daily—

J. J. Furlong of Austin, Minn., spent Friday in the city on conference with President H. C. Misner and Secretary J. F. Moore of the Commercial Club in connection with an exhibit of the resources of Polk Co., at the Minnesota State Fair this year, and as a result of the conference steps will at once be taken toward the collection of an exhibit that will do Polk County full justice. It has been nearly ten years since Polk Co., has had an exhibit, and the plan is to make up for lost time this year.

The business men will be interested at once; and special aid is to be secured from the land men, with the idea in view of collecting an exhibit which will show the wonderful diversity of crops of which Polk Co., is capable of producing. The dairy exhibit will be one of the most important, but grains, vegetables, grasses, clover and fruits will all receive special attention.

Friday afternoon the Commercial club officials with Mr. Furlong were taken on an auto tour of this vicinity by President J. W. Wheeler and on their return Mr. Furlong said:

"I never saw the prospects for a bumper crop better. Your fields are the best I have seen in the state this year. I have been specially impressed with the splendid herds of cattle seen on almost every farm. This means permanent prosperity. Your pasturage facilities are certainly excellent. The Red River Valley never looked better than it does today. Polk County was never in a position to send such a magnificent exhibit to the state fair as this year.

$8,000,000 ON PUBLIC ROADS

THAT IS THE APPROPRIATION IN INDIANA FOR THE CURRENT YEAR

HIGHWAYS OF THAT STATE ARE ALL UNDER SUPERVISION OF COUNTIES

From Saturday's Daily—

H. L. Falk is an ardent advocate of good roads, as he always has been, and in conversation with a representative of the Journal stated last evening that he had just noted an article in his old home paper from Indiana to the effect that in Indiana this year $8,000,000 had been appropriated for the construction and maintenance of public highways.

This is nothing out of the ordinary in Indiana, which, by the way, has the best highways of any state in the union, Ohio coming second.

The foundation of Indiana's splendid road system was laid in the early days when the main roads were constructed by private corporations or individuals who collects toll from every passing team.

Later the rights were purchased by the various counties and kept up by a special tax for that purpose until at the present time the vast sum of $8,000,000 per year is expended on the public highways which are kept in first class condition all season's of the year.

The importance of good roads cannot be over estimated, and a system of good roads in Polk County would mean a wonderful influence in the development of the land here and Crookston as the county seat and metropolis of the Valley should take the initiative in the agitation of so important a subject. A start has been made in that direction in the Experimental farm road, and the Commercial club should stand solid behind any and every project to better the roads leading to Crookston.

Another Son for Alfonso.

Madrid, June 24.—A son was born to Queen Victoria of Spain last night. Queen Victoria, formerly Princess Ena of Battenberg, and King Alfonso were married at Madrid on May 31, 1906. The first son was born on May 10, 1907.

Mrs. S. L. Bowen of Wayne, W. Va., writes: "I was a sufferer from kidney disease, so that at times I could not get out of bed, and when I did I could not stand straight. I took Foley's Kidney Remedy. One dollar bottle and part of the second cured me entirely." Foley's Kidney Remedy works wonders where others are a total failure. Sold by all druggists.

WHERE YOU CAN CELEBRATE 4TH

EAGLE WILL SCREAM IN MANY NORTHERN MINNESOTA CITIES AND TOWNS

COMFORTABLE DAY WILL BE PROVIDED IN CROOKSTON—BIG BALL GAME

There will be every opportunity offered for those who wish to celebrate July 4th this year in Crookston and many surrounding cities and towns. We have not the full list at hand but quite a number of places in Polk county plan an old time celebration.

The majority of the Crookston people will remain at home. While there will be no great celebration here, the band will play, the Germania Club will give a big dance and serve refreshments all afternoon, and there will be a red hot game of baseball between the Grand Forks Independents and the Crookston Independents.

Bygland

In Western Polk there will be a grand celebration at Bygland which Prof. J. C. Sathre will be the principal speaker. There will be a fine program of sports music, recitations and speeches. The Burnham Creek Band will furnish the music under the direction of G. Oliver Riggs. There will be horse races, foot races, baseball and in the evening a grand display of fire works. The program begins at 10:30 sharp.

East Grand Forks

At East Grand Forks there will be four different kinds of a big time. The preparations are on a more elaborate scale than ever attempted by the metropolis of the west end city. They will have several bands, some great races, speeches, ball games and every thing that goes to make a grand celebration, and in the evening there will be fire works that will make the people of the southern states think a phenominal display of Aurora Borealis is taking place.

Ulen

At Ulen the entire country side will join in and have a celebration that will be a regular old-timer. The eagle will start screaming at day break and there will be no cessation of hostilities till there is danger of cracking Sunday.

St. Hilaire

The 4th of July is to be celebrated at St. Hilaire this year and a great time is being prepared. Besides other attractions the ball teams of Thief River Falls and Red Lake Falls are to play and the Red Lake Falls band is to be in attendance.

Highlanding

Highlanding is to celebrate also, and many of the residents of the Eleven Towns will go to that place where a good lot of attractions have been arranged for.

Warren

In Marshall county, Warren at least will observe the day as will probably other places. There will be no celebration this year at Thief River Falls.

Erskine

Arrangements have been completed whereby the Nation's Independence Day, July 4th will be properly observed at the Martin Ostby place in the town of Winger. Alfred Strom and Rev. Benjamin Clausen are the speakers of the day while the Mjolner brass band of the town of Garden, will dispense the sweet music. A fine program of races and sports is also included and all who attend will be sure of a good time. A magnificent display of fireworks will take place in the evening.—Erskine Echo.

HAPPY WOMEN

Plenty of Them in Crookston, and Good Reason for It.

Wouldn't any woman be happy,
After years of backache suffering,
Days of misery, nights of unrest,
The distress of urinary troubles,
She finds relief and cure?

No reason why any Crookston reader

Should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. Gus Johnson, of 218 Ash St., N. Crookston, Minn., says: "Altho I am averse to having my name published in the newspapers, I cannot help but endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a wonderful remedy for kidney trouble. Before I procured them at Wallace's drug store, my condition was serious. They affected a complete cure after doctors had failed to help me. I am willing to show my appreciation by allowing this fact to be published for the benefit of other sufferers from kidney trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other

Everybody has a few good traits—excepting our relatives.

Children learn to lie by watching grownups pretend they don't.

HUSSEY FILES FOR BOARD

WELL KNOWN YOUNG CROOKSTON GENTLEMAN ENTERS COUNTY POLITICS

FILES FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER FROM THIRD DISTRICT POLK COUNTY

This morning Alderman Morgan R. Hussey filed for county commissioner from the 3rd district and will seek the republican nomination for that office at the September primaries. Mr Hussey has been alderman of Crookston for four years from the third ward and has been very active in the various departments of the city's administration.

Morgan R. Hussey

820 ACRES LOWELL LAND TRANSFERRED

$36,000 PRICE PAID — THE JOHN IRWIN AND DAN LUND FARMS

Conveyance of 820 acres of land in Lowell town for $36,000 was filed in the register of deed's office at the court house today, the conveyance between Illinois parties in Whiteside county and this being the first notice of the sale which took place some time ago. The land was conveyed from A. T. Hatteberg and N. J. Larson of LaSalle County, Ill., to R. Y. Breed of Whiteside county, Ill. The land comprises the E 1-2 SE 1-4 section 15, N 1-2 22 and N 1-2 23. The land is now leased by John Irwin and Dan Lund.

STAIR FILES FOR REPRESENTATIVE

To the People of Polk County:

I have decided to become a candidate for the republican nomination for Representative of the 62nd Legislative District at the Primary Election to be held September the 15th, 1908 and I solicit the active support of all of my friends and all who are interested in the welfare of our people of this district.

I think I need no introduction to the people of Polk county, being the present Register of Deeds to which office I was elected for a second term without opposition.

I am interested in the growth and development of Polk County, the strict enforcement of law; and, that every man shall stand equal before the law.

Your support will be very much appreciated. If nominated and elected I will give the best service that I can command to the people of my district.

Very sincerely,

—J. H. STAIR.

FIVE FARMERS WILL BUILD SILOS

Five of the most progressive farmers of western Polk county are going to build silos this summer. They are O. H. Bang, A. Syverstad, Ole Ostgaard and A. Aaberg. This is a good move and many others will probably be put up before long. A silo is almost necessary on a farm as it keeps good, fresh fodder, increasing the cream output, which means money in the pocket of the farmer.

Sherman Recovering Rapidly.

Cleveland, July 1. — The condition of Representative James S. Sherman, Republican vice presidential candidate, continues to improve. He is reported to be recovering rapidly with temperature, pulse and respiration normal.

TOOK ANDY FOR KNUTE

STEPHENS OF CROOKSTON GIVES UNITED STATES SENATOR A BIG BOOST

GRAND CELEBRATION AT McINTOSH OF QUARTER CENTURY'S END

From Tuesday's Daily—

Five thousand people attended the grand celebration at McIntosh Saturday and Sunday of the 25th anniversary of the settlement of the Thirteen Towns dating from the opening of those thirteen towns by the government in 1883 when all this territory was a new country.

Politicians from all parts of the state were present at the celebration A peculiar situation transpired on account of the absence of Knute Nelson senator from Minnesota, who was billed to address the assemblage of people in an immense tent erected for the occasion.

Upon learning of the absence of Knute Nelson, Senator Andy Stephens of Crookston was called to the speaker's platform and addressed the gathering. The introduction of the substituted speaker did not reach all ears and many hundreds of farmers and visitors of the celebration departed from McIntosh believing that they had heard Senator Knute Nelson address them according to the program.

Senator Nelson's stock has gone sky high, therefore, for the speaker showed an intimate acquaintance with the local conditions thruout Polk county and the north valley and it was very pleasing to the residents of this section who believed that they had heard the United States Senator to receive this encouragement from so august a man. Bands from many of the towns of the vicinity were at McIntosh and races and other sports were given. The celebration continued Sunday and a large number of people from Crookston attended.

Judge R. J. Montague of the United States land office of Crookston delivered the leading address Sunday. Fully seven thousand people were at the grounds.

The thirteen towns were opened by government order June 27, 1883, and the immense tract of land was immediately settled. The thirteen towns compose the eastern portion of Polk county and two towns in Clearwater. They consist in the main of high rolling land, well drained and fertile. These conditions attracted early the best quality of inhabitants who live there to this day.

A VERDICT OF $2,000

RETURNED AGAINST JEFF BARTON OF GRAND FORKS WHO OWNED HACK

IN WHICH AGNES BEARDMORE WAS INSULTED IN EAST GRAND FORKS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The case of Agnes Beardmore, postmistress at Rugby, N. D., vs. G. W. Barton was tried in the district court here yesterday and last evening the jury after being out but a short time awarded the plaintiff damages in the sum of $2,000. The history of the case is too well known to require details at this time, but it may be stated briefly that some time ago an East Grand Forks hack driver known as "Dude" Smith was convicted in the district court of an attempted assault on the plaintiff in this case, while at her request he was conveying her from the depot to the home of a friend in East Grand Forks.

The hack was owned by and the hackman employed by G. W. Barton of Grand Forks. Soon after the conviction of Smith the present suit was brought by the plaintiff and the case tried yesterday, as stated above. The plaintiff was represented by Massee & Finlayson and the defendant by S. G. Skulason of Grand Forks. "Dude" Smith is now serving a three year sentence in Stillwater.

A Queer Goose

Ducks swim the world over, but geese do not. In South America a species is found that cannot excel an ordinary hen in aquatic accomplishments. It has lived so long in a country where water is only found in wells that it has lost its aquatic tastes and abilities entirely. It has also been demonstrated that the daily use of a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer will strengthen the weak, build up the run down and cheer the depressed. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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WILL MEET IN SUPERIOR

THE SONS OF NORWAY HAVE A GREAT MEETING AT ST. PAUL — NEW LAWS

NEW OFFICERS WERE ELECTED —PLAN A VISIT TO NORWAY IN 1914

From Monday's Daily—

The Sons of Norway grand lodge at their meeting held in St. Paul Saturday decided to meet in June 1909 in Superior, Wis. The officers elected:

President—John Boke, St. Paul.

Vice President—S. Surnsgord, Hillsboro, N. D.

Physician—Edwin Clovness, Sioux Falls, S. D.

Secretary—Howard Askeland, Minneapolis.

Treasurer—B. O. Draxten, Minneapolis.

Regent—T. O. Giare, Rochester, Minn.

Marshal—R. N. Queloai, Madison, Wis.

Watchman—O. Lindahl, Benson, Minn.

Liquor men received a severejolt yesterday when the grand lodge of the Sons of Norway voted that no liquor manufacturer, dealer or employe shall be eligible to membership. Hitherto employes have not been barred, but the sentiment against even that concession has been gradually growing stronger. The resolution was carried by over a two-thirds vote.

The amendment to secure optional insurance was voted down. It was desired by many that social lodges be permitted to organize and also that members be taken in as social members only, but the matter was disapproved of by a strong majority. As the matter now stands, men who are able to pass the regular physical examination and are acceptable otherwise, but too old to obtain insurance, may be admitted as social members. A committee of five has been working on the matter during the last year.

One of the chief matters of discussion was that of improving the library The librarian's report showed that there was a good supply of books on hand and that many publishing houses thruout the country had promised one volume to be placed in the library.

The correspondence committee read a letter from the Pacific coast grand lodge asking the Eastern grand lodge to unite with them. The matter was referred to the board of directors to be considered after the close of the convention. The suggestion was received with considerable favor by many. The following committee was appointed to act on the invitation received from the Pacific coast lodge: H. P. Peterson, Superior, Wis.; P. Holtornt, J. Stenvik, L. Koarmess and I. Stevenson, Minneapolis.

A plan of great interest was brought forth to have the grand lodge make a visit to Norway in 1914. Oscar Erickson of Minneapolis was made a committee to look into the matter and work it up.

FUR CROP GETS BETTER

"SKIN" GEORGE INDULGES IN REMARKS CONCERNING NORTHERN FUR TRADE

OLDEST TRAVELLING MAN IN STATE SAYS 1908 PROSPECTS GOOD

From Monday's Daily—

"Skin" George, for thirty eight years a commercial traveler in Minnesota and the northwest, arrived in the city last night to attend to business in conenction with the purchase of furs thru this territory. He came down the north line where he had visited at Stephen and Hallock where agent buyers gather in the furs from the north country for him.

Mr. George says that the fur business looks even better than last year and he believes that he will buy more furs this year than last and be able to pay a good price for them. The number of wild animals seemed to have increased tho the number of trappers in the business he believes to have decreased slightly. Mr. George has traveled thruout the entire northern part of the continent on his search for furs, has ascended and descended the MacKenzie River twice clear to Hershel Island and has visited Paris, London and Leipsic. He says that last year durin gthe money stringency here the furs bought in this country were sold in large quantities in these three cities where his house has selling branches.

SAYS SOO IS INTERESTED

R. H. MEDICRAFT SAYS NORTHERN MINNESOTA—R. R. CO., MEANS BUSINESS

WILL START CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS AGAINST G. N. AT ONCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

If the solid backing and support of the people of Roseau and Beltrami counties, with Marshall and Kittson counties adding considerable influence, amounts to anything, the Northern Minnesota railroad company will soon have a line in operation from Warroad, running thru Roseau, Pelan and Karlstad, connection with the Soo at the latter place, and continuing west to the Red River and into Dakota at some point not yet definitely determined upon.

Peter Lofgren one of the influencial promoters, of Pelan, is known to be intimately connected with the Soo, and it is generally believed that the Soo is behind the new project. John Lind and A. Ueland the attorneys of the new road it is understood will soon begin condemnation proceedings against the Great Northern, with the intention of securing the right of way of the Great Northern rfom Greenbush to Warroad and using it for the construction of the proposed new line as far, as practicable.

The people of Roseau county contend that the Great Northern has had a reasonable time in which to lay the steel on the road bed that has practically been completed, and that those who donated the right of way have a cause for action that will stand in court.

Attorney R. H. Medicraft of the Roseau Region who is in the city enroute to the Republican state convention at St. Paul states that action is to be commenced at once and that every possible aid and encouragement will be extended to the new project.

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PAUL JONES TO BE TRIED

ALLEGED SLAYER OF NELS HALVORSON WILL BE UP IN COURT THIS WEEK

STRONG CASE OF CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE HAS BEEN PREPARED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The trial of Paul Jones accused of the merder of Nels Halvorson will be started at Minnewaukon, N. D.. Jones is making a hard fight for liberty. He claims that he had no hand in the murder.

Halvorson was a bachelor and lived about a mile from the farm on which Jones was employed. Jones was left at home while his employer and family were absent. The state claims that during the afternoon he visited the home of Halvorson and shot him with a shotgun owned at the farm where Jones was employed. The motive of the crime was robbery, it is asserted but Jones secured nothing so far as can be learned.

Gun Wads are Same

Shells found at the scene of the crime corresponded with those with which the shotgun owned by Jones' employer had been loaded a short time previous. The gun wads were the same also.

Jones admitted that he had been absent on the afternoon of the crime but claimed that he went to round up the cattle and did not visit the Halvorson farm.

The state has prepared a good case against him and is confident he will be convicted. It has been learned that he was a convict in an eastern penitentiary and has a long criminal record.

FOUND THREE SKELETONS

EXCAVATION AT ARGYLE RESULTED IN DISCOVERY OF BODIES WHICH

HAD BEEN MISSED WHEN CATHOLIC CEMETERY SITE WAS CHANGED

From Monday's Daily—

While excavating for a drain on the grounds of St. Joseph's Academy at Argyle last week the skeletons of three persons were dug up. One of the frames was intact and the casket was still in a good state of preservation, but the other two were loose in the ground, the caskets have decomposed.

The grounds where the academy stands was the site of an old Catholic cemetery which was condemned some time since and the bodies removed to another place an dthe skeletons found last week were evidently missed at that time.

POSTMASTER MURDERED.

Merchant and Official Slain at Inland South Dakota Town.

Rapid City, S. D., July 8. — Frank Bright, merchant and assistant postmaster at Imlay, S. D., was murdered yesterday by cowmen, and halfbreeds are accused. Domestic trouble, involving several parties is thought ot be the cause. The sheriff has gone to the place to make an investigation.

Game of Ball Is Fatal to Iowan.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, July 8. — M. F. Butrick of Fort Dodge, forty-four years old, fell dead from heart disease yesterday as the result of overexertion in a ball game at Waterloo.

Bury Thomas at Newport.

Washington, July 8. — The body of Rear Admiral Charles M. Thomas, who died last Friday at Del Monte, Cal., will be taken to Newport, R. I., for interment.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

Revolution In Honduras.

Managua, Nicaragua, July 8.—News has reached here that a revolution has been started in Honduras by the partisans of ex-President Bonilla. It also is reported that the movement is receiving support from Guatemalans and Salvadorans.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

FEARED WORLD WOULD END

McINTOSH INSANE MAN THREW HIMSELF HEADLONG FROM STAIR TOP

TO AVOID SUDDEN DESTRUCTION OF WORLD—TAKEN TO FERGUS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon Gattorm Grundyson a farmer near McIntosh was declared insane after an investigation by the probate court here and was committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls, Deputy Sheriff Daniels taking him down last evening. The unfortunate man is 38 years of age and single. He has been acting queerly for some time past and recently was so far "off" that the neighbors did not think it safe for him to enjoy liberty longer.

Grundeson fears every one about plans to do him harm resultant tendencies to suicide.

Moreover Grendeson predicts the world is coming suddenly to an end and to evade the impending tortures of that moment he hurled himself headlong down the stairway of his home near McIntosh, remaining unconscious for hours.

He is a single man and for a time his sister took care of his home for him, but she left him a short time ago and the lack of her care is believed to be the cause of his gradually weakening of mind and present violence.

SETTLING HIS OWN TOWNSHIP

ALFRED C. MAYFIELD COMES WITH HOMESTEADERS NEAR HIS CLAIM

Alfred C. Mayfield, an old soldier, and the oldest settler in the township of Mayfield in Red Lake County the town receiving its name from his own is in the city today with two homesteaders, Ole Peterson of Hazel and John A. Sondell of Plummer, formerly of West South Dakota who will prove up and come into actual title to their land. Mr. Mayfield proved up last fall on one of the finest quarter sections in the north country.

MURPHY GETS 2 YEARS IN PEN

James Murphy appeared before Judge Watts this afternoon and pleading guilty to a larceny charge received sentence of two years in t he penitentiary at Stillwater.

Burned in Powder Explosion.

Faribault, Minn., July 7. — Ray Thryeman and Malcom Grant received severe injuries here by an explosion of powder which they were using in a toy cannon. Thyreman was the most severely injured, his face being terribly burned.

Taken With Cramps.

Devils Lake, N. D., July 7.— Alfred Anderson was drowned in Devils lake. He was swimming with several companions in the usual bathing place. He is supposed to have been stricken with cramps.

Four Children Killed.

Los Angeles, July 7. — An electric car on the Santa Ana line of the Pacific Electric Railway company last night struck a carriage containing eight children, two men and one woman near Watts, about ten miles from this city. Four of the children were instantly killed.

LEFT ESTATE WORTH $10,000

Dr. J. S. Chapin and brother, Bert Chaplin, returned this morning from Colwater, Mich., where they were called by the death of their stepfather who had a life lease of a $10,000 estate left to them by their mother. Upon his death a few weeks ago the property reverted to them by the will of their mother, and their trip was necessitated by business in connection with the probating of the will.

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WILLIAM J. BRYAN HAS FIGHT ON HIS HANDS

Col. J.M. Guffey is Putting Up Great Fight and has 376 Delegates Pledged to Support Him,

Historical Society

S[illegible] to the Journal:

C[illegible]tion Hall, Denver, Col., July 8, 3[illegible] m.—This has been a wild day [illegible]e Democratic National Convent[illegible]eceeded by a wild night in which [illegible] following of Col. J. M. Duffy of [illegible]ylvania and the anti-Bryan delega[illegible]om other states have been working tooth and nail to block the nomination of Bryan on the first ballot. Because of the ruction in the committee room o fthe committee on credentials which has reported in favor of unseating 10 of the Duffy delegates, it was decided to adjourn shortly after the convention met at noon today, and hold a night session.

In the meantime Duffy has 376 delegates signed up who will vote for the adoption of the minority report of the credentials committee seating all the Duffy delegates.

There are rumors with more or less credible foundations, to the effect that the 376 delegates signed up will also oppose the nomination of Bryan and this will make his nomination on the first ballot impossible.

It is also current convention hall talk that the high handed methods of the Bryan machine in over riding the rights of the opposition is arousing the ire of the luke warm Bryan supporters, and that if Guffey's rebellion shows considerable strength when the vote is taken on the report of the committee on credentials, there may be a greater defection from the Bryan ranks.

The anti-Bryan forces are working tooth and nail to stampede the convention and what the outcome will be cannot be foretold till the night session convenes.

Because of the doubt regarding Bryan's nomination, practically no attention has been paid today to vice presidential talk.

Openly Defy Bryan.

A majority of the Pennsylvania delegation in caucus named Col. James M. Guffey as national committeeman, in open defiance of Mr. Bryan's demand for his displacement and on the heels of Guffey's stinging public arraignment of Bryan as a "hypocrite, ingrate and falsifier."

The New York delegation appointed a committee of ten to draft a platform and named Judge Alton B. Parker, the Democratic standard bearer of 1904, as the New York representative on the platform committee.

New York Is Silent.

The New York caucus was silent on the presidential and vice presidential situation, and New York still fails to show her colors.

The Democratic national committee held its first meeting to consider contests, which resulted in the dismissal of Senator McCarren's New York contests and the seating of Roger Sullivan's Illinois delegates.

The foregoing are only the main features of an eventful day — a day marked by the culmination of that noisy demonstration which ushers in a national convention, with delegations and their

Hosts of Followers

pouring into town, with bands and marching clubs vieing in turbulent demonstration, and with streets and hotel lobbies filled with surging crowds. Amid all this confusion the men of action have worked unceasingly. Most of the state effected their organization, electing members of the committees which will serve to-day. Aside from the many private conferences over candidates and platform, the day has been one of preparation and business detail for the coming assemblage.

The arrivals during the day and last night have practically completed the roster of state delegations.

Look Vainly to New York.

The allied opposition to Bryan have been looking intently but vainly toward New York, for it has been recognized that Chief Murphy, the political genius of the delegation, holds a key which might unloose a movement of genuine force against the Nebraskan. With New York taking the lead and throwing its seventy-eight votes against him, Guffey and his Pennsylvania cohorts would have followed suit. Georgia was wavering and likely to turn a block of Southern strength away from Bryan, and this with the organized strength of Johnson and Gray might have given vitality to the allied opposition. But all these reckonings have come to naught because of New York's persistent silence.

Allies Show Their Strength.

For the first time last night the allied opposition disclosed figures showing what might have happened had New York announced at the outset that New York's seventy-eight votes would be swung against Bryan. According to this table a total of 349 votes, or considerably more than the necessary number to block a Bryan nomination, would have swung into line with New York, the claim in detail being as follows:

Alabama, 1; Florida, 7; Georgia, 25; Louisiana, 18; West Virginia, 14; North Carolina, 24; Connecticut, 12; Delaware, 6; Maine, 11; Massachusetts, 12; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 24; New York, 78; Pennsylvania, 48; Rhode Island, 4; Vermont, 8; Minnesota, 22; Ohio, 12; Wisconsin, 6; Alaska, 6; Porto Rico, 6.

More Than One-third.

The total vote of the convention is 1,002, the one-third necessary to prevent a nomination being 334, whereas the allied opposition claimed fifteen in excess of this requirement had New York furnished the rallying point.

A meeting was held late last evening of the various anti-Bryan elements, during which the situation was fully canvassed and a practical agreement reached that it was futile to continue the fight in view of New York's inaction.

BOTTINEAU FANATICS HOLD MOUNTED POLICE AT BAY

Old James Sharpe and his band of religious fanatics supposed to hail fr o seommhrd se sshe shrdlue rdlu rfom somewhere near Bottineau, N. D., are holding his camp at Pierson just across the Canadian border against force of 5 5royal northwest police under Inspector Tucker and are apparently determined to shoot any one molesting them, so at least the police think. So all yesterday afternoon they kept at a safe distance.

Last night Sharpe sent word that the police were at liberty to shoot at him upon their arrival but they could do him no harm as he being Jesus Christ, was immortal and consequently immune from bullets. The situation is desperate in the extreme for the police have received instructions to at once send his band of fanatics across the border into Dakota, but when they approached the camp, "Christ" told them to halt or he would order his followers to shoot and, rather than have bloodshed, the police retreated only to receive a message from the immigration authorities that Sharpe and his followers must go across the line at once and arrangements are being made to effect this today but bloodshed is sure to result as the fanatics are determined to march across thi eprairie and find God's chosen people who will be led to a better land by James Sharpe and his wife, who is said to be no less a personage than the Virgin Mary. It is a picturesque sight to see the detachment of mounted police wiht their red coats and Stetson hats surrounding the band of fanatics who never leave rifles or revolvers from their hands.

Even the women and children are armed having been supplied with Colts and instructed in their use. The entire party is determined to die rather than surrender and say they would rather die than continue living among sinful people. A year ago Sharpe made an attempt to seek his chosen people in Northwestern Canada, but was turned back by the immigration authorities and he then said he would return with fire and sword to kill all who interfered with him.

ATTEMPT MADE TO BREAK SAFE

YEGGMEN FAILED TO BREAK DULUTH BREWING CO.'S SAFE AT E. G. FORKS

NOISE OF EXPLOSION BRINGS OFFICERS BUT BURGLARS ESCAPE

From Wednesday's Daily—

At 1:30 this morning yeggmen made an unsuccessful attempt to break the Duluth Brewing Company's safe in their office on the main line of the Great Northern on the Point in East Grand Forks. The noise of the explosion brought Officer Murphy on the run to the scene but he was four or five blocks away when the explosion took place and when he arrived the would-be safe blowers had made their escape.

An investigation showed that they were unsuccessful in their attempt to break the safe having used too light a charge and the only damage done was to the windows and office furniture. All the windows were broken and several pieces of furniture broken The officers have no clue as to who the men are or how many there were. but it is evident by the work that they are novices in the business.

Clayton Final and Sam Hunt of Red Lake Falls arrived in the city last evening.

JOSEPH A. WESSEL APPOINTED MEMBER

CROOKSTONITE GETS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION POSITION

Joseph A. Wessel of Crookston a member of the firm of Wessel Bros. of St. Paul, was appointed a member of the state game and fish commission Monday afternoon by Gov. Johnson. He will fill the unexpired term of C. W. Stanton, who resigned a month ago to become judge of the Eighteenth district.

Mr. Wessel is a member of the Democratic state central committee. His term on the commission will expire in 1912.

ASK MORE TIME FOR ARGUMENT

The first round in the most sensational damage suit of the court cases in the June term of the district court was begun before Judge Watts yesterday when Chas. Loring argued a demurer to the $15,000 damage suit of Ole Larson, the former hardware merchant at Fisher, who was burned out last winter, against Ex-representative Gunder Krostue the Fisher Banker. The defendant demurred to the complaint stating that it did not state sufficient facts to constitute a cause of action. E. O. Hagen, representing the plaintiff in the case put up a game fight and late in the afternoon Atty. Loring asked for further time to present arguments and cite authorities.

The complaint recites that after the Larson hardware store had been destroyed by fire, the defendant, Krostue had made the statement before divers and sundry parties that Larson had set the fire himself in order to collect the insurance which amounted to more than the stock was worth. The case will be bitterly fought and no matter who wins in the lower court, will be appealed to the court of last resort.

DOINGS IN THE PROBATE COURT

Petition was submitted to the probate court today by Nils P. Handy son-in-law of the deceased for appointment of administrator in the estate of Julian Larson who died in Williams Co., N. D., March 20th 1906 at the age of 68 years.

The estate of Rudolph Utzinger who died October 28th 1906 at the age of 47 years was up before the probate court this morning. The deceased resided near East Grand Forks.

Jonas O. Mortroen, son, petitioned before the probate court for determination of the descent of certain lands belonging originally to Ole J. Mortroen, deceased, who died January 20 1894.

MOOSE ROAM THE NORTH

EVIDENCES OF LARGE NUMBERS OF THE BIG WOODS ANIMAL

GUARDED BY GAME WARDENS—MAKE FOR OPEN TO EVADE FLIES

From Tuesday's Daily—

C. C. Cook deputy state game warden for the Roseau country has returned from a trip thruout his entire district where he has been looking over the business of his department and making new appointments where same are needed. The woods of the Roseau valley will be the most thoroly policed the coming season of any in the state. Now that the moose and deer are being driven out from the brush to avoid the flies and mosquitoes there number is becoming more known.

Mr. Cook's trip took him over muskeg and prairie and the evidences he saw himself as well as the reports of nearly a hundred reliable agents indicate the presence of moose and deer in t he north country as never was equalled before.

Caribou are also very numerous in the north and large herds of all of these three animals have been sighted along the border by the customs and revenue officials bound for the woods that line the Roseau and the open prairie which furnishes now in the north the best feeding ground for them, since on these broad stretches there are few human beings to disturb them and such inhabitants as may run across them in these haunts disturb them hardly at all.

TOUCHED FOR HIS WATCH

TEMANSON EMPLOYED AT JOHNSON'S FEED STORE LOSES TIMEPIECE

POLICE CANNOT FIND TRACE OF ROBBER—[illegible] PINCHED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Gilbert K. Temanson employed at S. C. Johnson's feed store on Main street reported to the police at 11 o'clock last night the loss of a watch yesterday afternoon to an unknown hold-up artist. The police have failed to find any trace of the robber.

Last night Captain Vonderbeck and Officer Phillips raided the Windstacker sheds along the Great Northern right of way just north of the city and caught nine men in their dragnet. The hoboes make it a practice of keeping their headquarters there and fell asleep last night only to find themselves suddenly in the hands of the police. All of the nine men were hailed before Temanson this morning but he could identify none of them and the boes were put in the thirty minutes class and driven from the vicinity.

BURGLARS IN DEPOT.

Attempt to Rob Northern Pacific Safe at Grand Forks.

Grand Forks, N. D., July 7. — The Northern Pacific depot in Grand Forks was broken into early yesterday by burglars. An attempt was made to chisel off the combination of the safe, but it was unsuccessful. Nothing of value was secured. It is believed to be the work of amateurs.

ROBBED ON A TRAIN.

Lawson of Lanesboro Is Out $260—Farmhouse Burglarized.

Lanesboro, Minn., July 7. — Some one entered the house of Mons Anderson, about two miles south of Lanesboro and stole $40 from his clothing while he slept. French Lawson, while riding on the midnight train from La Crosse to Lanesboro, had his purse, containing $260, stolen.

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In accomplishing this object a check account at a conservative, well managed bank is of material assistance.

Why not open an account at THIS Bank? It will help you in many ways and your money will be here and ready for you when wanted.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

AN UNKNOWN MAN IS KILLED NEAR WILTON

The body of an unidentified man was found lying beside the G. N. railroad tracks a short distance from east switch at Wilton, by section men, who were going along the track on a handcar to their regular day's work.

The scalp of the man was bruised and investigations showed that his neck was broken. There were marks in the sand showing that the body had been dragged two or three rods and then thrown into the ditch.

As there had been no freight train for sereval hours before the accident it is believed that the man was killed by the east bound passenger train.

Dr. Marcum county coroner of Beltrami County was at Wilton making a professional visit and he was notified of the finding of the body. The coroner made an examination of the body ascertaining that the scalp was bruised and the necken broken. A search of the man's clothes brought forth a nickel and two pipes. There was also a letter addressed to Alex Erickson. It was signed Alex Erickson, Alberta, Canada. The body was taken to Bemidji and there was no means of finding out the real identity of the man, or whether he had any relatives. the body was taken to the poor farm and buried in the potter's field this morning.

There were no indications of foul play in connection with the man's death and it was deemed unnecessary to hold an inquest.

PENNED AND PILFERED

A German colony of over 50,000 in habitants, rivalling in size all but the three largest cities in the "Vaterland," now forms a part of Chicago. According to figures recently compiled this community has been growing so rapidly during the past few years that there are now more persons of German birth or parentage in Chicago than in any city in Germany itself, with the exception of Berlin, Hamburg and Munich. The only other city which approaches these figures is Leipsic, with a population of nearly half a million. The German-Americans in Chicago are of course scattered thruout the city, but the center of the community has been found in a special district on the north side. This German speaking province lies in the region bounded by Division and Clark streets and the river, and here the curious visitor may any day hear the language and see the customs of old "Deutschland" not to mention smelling the odors of every favorite German dish from Sauer-kraut to dienerwurst.

As if the bustling, roaring city were a thousand miles away instead of all about them, the citizens of this community live their lives of peace and content and seldom, if ever, do they venture far from their place of satisfaction. One old white-capped man, with his typical mustache, has not left the sanctitude of the colony but once, and that was when the lure of the World's Columbian Exposition drew him across the city to the fair grounds in 1893. The houses in this American German Utopia are picturesque and above all comfortable, homelike and foreign. The houses are frame, set in narrow lots with tiny gardens, containing old fashioned flowers and big easy chairs with an occasional hassock to assure of more solid comfort. The girls on Menominee street are not "girls" but "Maedchen" and after the day's work is over they sit and gaze down the street, while the old grandfather changes, with his thoughts, the street from Menominee in Chicago to "Unter den Linden" in Berlin, and quietly puffs away the hours with the same obliviousness to surroundings as is evidenced by the sleek-coated, much petted cat which purrs in soft German accents on the porch by his side.

Was Work of Wreckers.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 2.—A claim is made by the officers of the Santa Fe that the wreck of the California limited near Winslow, Ari., Sunday night, was deliberately brought about by the burning of a bridge.

Killed in Mutiny.

Atlanta, Ga., July 2. — One negro was shot and seriously wounded yesterday afternoon as a result of a mutiny among the negro convicts at a convict camp twenty miles from Atlanta, on the Rosewell road.

SUMMARY OF THE PLANKS ADOPTED IN THE REPUBLICAN STATE PLATFORM

An expression of deep admiration for the administration of President Roosevelt and regret for the loss of his services as president.

An expression of pleasure over the nomination of William H. Taft as a worthy successor to President Roosevelt.

Endorsement of James S. Shermman for the vice presidency.

Endorsement of the entire national platform.

Commendation of the services of the Minnesota delegation in congress.

A demand for the revision of the tariff.

Endorsement of the work on the Panama canal.

Commendation of the policy of the administration for the conservation of natural resources.

Demand for additional railway regulation.

Approval of the tax amendment to the constitution proposed by the legislature.

Equal rights plank with a resolution presented by the American Federation of Labor favoring the enactment of an employers' liability act.

A temperance plank favoring the enactment of such legislation as would insure the strict enforcement of the local option and high license laws of the statute books.

Commendation of the state immigration bureau.

Favoring good roads.

DELEGATES RETURNED

ALL STATE THAT REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION WASTED NO TIME

GREAT ENTHUSIASM WAS DISPLAYED WHEN JACOBSON WAS NOMINATED

From Thursday's Daily—

Delegates Harris, Snyder, Christianson, Bjoin and Sathre to the Republican State convention returned this morning from St. Paul and all appeared perfectly satisfied with the result of the convention which was in session but 4 hours, no adjournment having been taken till all the business was concluded.

They state that a general air of harmony prevailed, and that the sore spots seem to have all been eradicated They report that the entire convention was convulsed when Frank M. Eddy in making the nominating speech for Jacobson said.

> "The only reflection any one has been able to cast on our candidate is that he eats pie with a knife."

Jacobson Speaks

When the ticket had been nominated J. F. Jacobson was led to the platform by Messrs. Young and Snider. His acceptance speech was brief and to the point. He spoke as follows:

"Fellow Republicans: I want to return to you my most sincere thanks for the honor you have conferred upon me and the confidence which you have expressed. My only regret in this campaign is that we have had to meet and oppose some of our most sincere friends, but I have been assured by some of these men who have been my opponents that I shall have their most hearty support, and I assure you that it would have been the same if one of them had been nominated. I would have supported him most heartily.

"I am not here to make a speech. You will hear from me later in campaign. But I want to say that altho some little hard feeling may have arisen in the heat of the campaign, I hope and I expect to have the hearty support of the party. I want to say also that no pledges have been asked of me and none have been given by me.

No Machine

"I enter this coming campaign absolutely untrammeled, and I want to assure you that there will be no Jacobson machine or any other machine in this campaign. I realize perhaps as well as anybody my many imperfections as a candidate for this high office of governor of the state of Minnesota, but I feel that anyone who aims and strives to do what is absolutely right cannot go very far wrong.

"In my past political experience I have gained some knowledge of the institutions of this state and of the needs of the state, and I want to assure you that if I am elected this state will have the best possible effort of the next two years of my life."

OPERATE ON "BOB" EVANS.

Physicians Wield Knife on Admiral for Gout.

New York, July 4. — Dispatches from Poughkeepsie say that Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, who is spending the summer at Lake Mohonk, has submitted to an operation for gout. The result of the operation greatly relieved the admiral, who, apart from this complaint, is well and cheerful.

Kellogg in Washington.

Washington, July 4.—Frank B. Kellogg, national committeeman from Minnesota, and W. L. Ward, national committeeman from New York, arrived here last night from New York. Both are member sof the subcommittee appointed by the national committee to select a national chairman, and they undoubtedly will confer with Judge Taft before his departure for Hot Springs, Va., to-day.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A VERDICT FOR FERTILE

MRS. GAYLORD LOSES THE SUIT AGAINST SOUTH COUNTY VILLAGE

ONE JURY DISCHARGED—COURT WILL WIND UP TONIGHT

From Friday's Daily—

The suit brought by Mrs. Laura M. Gaylord against the village of Fertile for $1000 damages is before the district court this afternoon. A P. Hanson was examined this morning, being a witness for the plaintiff. The basis of the case is a broken water spout in front of the properties owned by John Holton and C. H. Carlson which last winter became broken and was permitted to remain so flooding the sidewalk and freezing. Mrs. Gaylord was crossing this and slipped and fell dislocating her left arm and spraining her wrist.

L. E. Gossman represents the complainants and P. R. Lavik the village of Fertile.

It is understood that the suit to be brought against the village of Fertile by Attorney Gaylord of Fertile for damages as a result of the accident to his wife is the last case to be heard and the presentment of this case to the court will necessarily depend largely on the outcome in the present case.

In any event court will undoubtedly adjourn tomorrow night for the term.

The jury in the suit brought by Mrs. Laura M. Gaylord against the village of Fertile for $1000 damages alleged to have been caused by slipping on ice caused by the unrepaired rent in a waterspout in that village returned a verdict in favor of the defendant, the village of Fertile.

The suit intended to be brought against the village of Fertile by Attorney Gaylord for damages alleged to have been incurred as a result of the accident to his wife will probably be dropped for the time being. The suit was based to some extent on grounds of the suit just decided and there is no sign that prosecution will be forwarded this term.

One of the juries was discharged for the term this morning by Judge Watts

This morning the court took up the suit of the Northwestern Marble Works against Emma Dalby to secure payment of alleged notes for sale of a gravestone.

Following this case the court will adjourn sine die.

TRAIN HITS COWS.

Engine and Cars Derailed—Engineer and Fireman Badly Hurt.

Huron, S. D., July 2. — The northbound passenger and express train on the Chicago & North-Western railway struck a bunch of cattle near Ordway, resulting in the derailing of the locomotive, express and baggage cars. The train was in charge of Conductor Prothrow, with Michael Murray as engineer and Fred Sirkow as fireman, both of whom were severely injured.

Plan Welcome for Sherman.

Utica, N. Y., July 2.—A rousing welcome will be given Hon. James S. Sherman, the Republican candidate for vice president, when he arrives in this city Thursday evening.

1,400 Men Given Work.

Kittanning, Pa., July 2. — After a protracted idleness the mines of the Great Lakes Coal company at Kaylor, near here, have been put into operation, employing 1,400 men.

Cyclist Dies of Cracked Skull.

St. Paul, July 2.—Fred E. Johnson, night engineer of the pumping station of the waterworks, died from a fractured skull, the result of a fall from a bicycle.

Fernald for Governor.

Bangor, Me., July 2. — Bert M. Fernald of Poland was nominated for governor by acclamation at the Republican state convention here yesterday.

Three Persons Burned.

Iowa City, Iowa, July 2. — Three people were burned, one fatally, yesterday morning as a result of starting fire with kerosene.

Webster's Retainer.

One day a man entered Daniel Webster's office and consulted him in regard to a prospective lawsuit. At the close of the conference he paid the attorney a retainer of $100 to look after the matter. Upon returning to his place of business he found that his partner had already settled the suit, obtaining the sum demanded without an attorney. He thought $100 was altogether too much for an office fee, so he dispatched his clerk to look after the subject.

"Mr. Webster," said the young man, "my employer thinks you should return a part of your retainer. That case has been settled."

"Young man," said the lawyer, "you go back and tell your employer that a retainer is something to be retained."

SPLITS CLAIM OF BAILEY

JURY RETURNS VERDICT FOR $900 IN SUIT FOR DAMAGES

FOR LOSS OF SERVICES OF SON ON ACCOUNT OF AN ACCIDENT

At ten thirty this morning the jury in the case of John Bailey vs. the Grand Forks Lumber Company returned a verdict for $900 for the plaintiff and against the company. The verdict is a split of the claim of John Bailey for the loss of the services of Barney Bailey, his son from the time he lost his foot in defendant company's mill, till he attained his majority, a period of 3½ years.

The case attracted a great deal of attention. The lumber company went to great lengths to win the suit and erected in the court room a large model of the mill where the accident took place. Barney Bailey secured damages of $7500 in the last term of the court. He lost his left leg below the knee in the mill saws.

The attorneys for the lumber company are Bangs, Cooley and Hamilton of Grand Forks and the two senior members of the firm were present before the court. John Sorley represents John Bailey. The suit was brought for $1800.

ONLY A DOLLAR FOR MARTINSON

After a short session the jury this morning returned a verdict in the suit brought against the Grand Forks Lumber company by Hans Martinson in favor of the plaintiff—for $1. The suit was brought for $1000 damages alleged to have been caused by neglect while Martinson was in the employ of the Company eleven miles north of Blackduck. Martinson was employed as a wood chopper for one month, the first of last year and January 17 took sick with a very bad fever according to his complaint. He claims that the company refused to care for him properly. Forcing him to walk to Bagley, 11 miles. Bronson and Collins represented the lumberman and G. A. E. Finlayson the company.

Paris' Secondhand Market.

There is a curious old market near Paris in which everything is sold at second hand. Working girls can fit themselves out there from head to foot. As a writer says, "Mimi can sell her old felt hat and buy a straw one, exchange her old dress for a new one and, if she likes, buy a steak and a salad for her dinner, a paper bag of fried potatoes, sweets and some flowers for her window. Democracy is king here, and no more attention is paid to the millionaire who is looking for something marvelous which he may pick up cheap than to the man with the wooden leg who wants a new left boot in exchange for a dozen sardine tins, five gloves and a stocking."

Lord Kelvin's Bravery.

Lord Kelvin once performed a daring experiment before a class of students. In the course of his lecture he said that while a voltage of 3,000 or so would be fatal to a man a voltage of some 300,000 would be harmless. He was going to give a practical illustration on himself, but the students cried out, "Try it on a dog!" Lord Kelvin cast a look of reproach at his class. "Didn't I figure it out myself?" he said quietly, as he walked to the apparatus and safely turned the tremendous voltage into himself.

Chinese Cologne.

The Chinese ladies have an odd kind of cologne—that is to say, they constantly have upon their person a small bag of sweet smelling gum similar to that which was used by the ancient Egyptian women. Numerous costly jars recently unearthed at Pyramida contain the cosmetics and perfumes which were used by Egyptian princesses, all of which bear a resemblance to those in vogue today among Chinese ladies of the highest rank.

Sorry He Spoke.

He—I'd like to know what enjoyment you can find in going from store to store looking at things you haven't the least idea of buying. She—I know I can't buy them, but there is a sort of melancholy pleasure in thinking that I could have bought them if I had married George Scads when I had the chance, instead of taking you.

Coldly Described.

"So you don't envy any of the world's men of genius?"

"No," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I admire them, but I don't envy 'em. A genius is a man who gets a monument after he's dead instead of three square meals a day while he's living."—Washington Star.

She Was Stout.

"Do you remember how you used to put your arm round my waist when we were engaged, ten years ago? You never do it now."

"No; my arm has not grown any longer."

ITCHING HUMOR ON LITTLE BOY

His Hands were a Solid Mass, and Disease Spread All Over His Body —In Four Days the Child was Entirely Cured—Mother Strongly

RECOMMENDS CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"One day we noticed that our little boy was all broken out with itching sores. We first noticed it on his little hands. His hands were not as bad then, and we didn't think anything serious would result. But the next day we heard of the Cuticura Remedies being so good for itching sores, etc., that I thought I would get them. By this time the disease had spread all over his body, and his hands were nothing but a solid mass of this itching disease. I went to the drug store and purchased a box of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment, and that night I stripped my little boy and took the Cuticura Soap and lukewarm water and washed him well. Then I dried him with a soft bath towel, and took the Cuticura Ointment and rubbed him thoroughly with it. I did this every evening before I put him to bed and in three or four nights he was entirely cured. You have my permission to publish this because anybody who suffered as my baby did ought to know of the Cuticura Remedies. I will surely and gladly recommend the Cuticura Remedies, for they are a godsend to all suffering with skin diseases. Mrs. Frank Donahue, 208 Fremont St., Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 16, 1907."

PIMPLES

And Blackheads Prevented and Cured by Cuticura.

Gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, but do not rub. Wash off the Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue to bathe the face freely for some minutes. Repeat morning and evening. At other times use hot water and Cuticura Soap for bathing the face as often as agreeable.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

BRAVE LITTLE GIRL.

Walks to Hospital and Undergoes Operation for Appendicitis.

La Crosse, Wis., July 2. — With a big, brave heart, Josie Anderson, eight years old, accompanied by her twelve-year-old sister, walked to a local hospital and requested an operation for appendicitis. The operation was successful and the little one is steadily improving.

HIGH LICENSE NO BAR.

Seven More Than Last Year Seek Saloon Permits.

Eau Claire, Wis., July 4. — Seventy saloon licenses, compared with sixty-three applied for last year, have been applied for this year in this city. Two years ago the license was raised from $100 per year to $500, but this resulted only in the closing out of two or three of the smaller ones.

JOHN WELSH FOUND INSANE.

Man Who Stabbed His Wife With Scissors Sent to Asylum.

Menomonie, Wis., July 4. — John Welsh, who stabbed his wife with a pair of scissors at Colfax last week, was adjudged insane and taken to Mendota. Mrs. Welsh is still in a critical condition.

WILLIAM PAUL MUST HANG.

Slayer of Minnesotan in Canada Is Sentenced.

Winnipeg, July 4. — For the murder of a Minnesota homesteader, Henri Shelling, on Nov. 30 last year, on the Canadian side, near Rainy River, Ont., William Paul has been sentenced to hang Sept. 18.

Hail Strips Corn.

Waterloo, Iowa, July 4. — Denver, Iowa, which is twelve miles north of Waterloo, was visited by a severe rain and hail storm yesterday afternoon, which did several thousand dollars' damage to crops. After rain had fallen in torrents for an hour, hail stripped the corn of leaves and beat the other grain into the ground.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY

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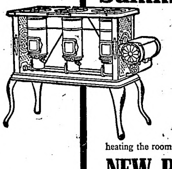
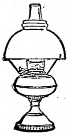



Have You a Summer Stove?

The stifling air of a close kitchen is changed to comfortable coolness by installing a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove to do the family cooking.

No kitchen furnishing is so convenient as this stove. Gives a working heat at once, and maintains it until turned out—that too, without overheating the room. If you examine the

NEW PERFECTION

Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

you will see why this is so. The heat from the chimney of the "New Perfection" is *concentrated* under the kettle and not dissipated through the room by radiation. Thus it does the work of the coal range without its discomfort. Ask your dealer about this stove—if not with him, write our nearest agency.

The **Rayo Lamp** is a very handsome piece of housefurnishing and gives a clear, powerful light more agreeable than gas or electricity. Safe everywhere and always. Made of brass finely nickel plated—just the thing for the living-room. If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

Standard Oil Company
(Incorporated)

JULY 1ST THE DAWN OF A BRIGHTER DAY

Wednesday, July 1st, is generally regarded as the re-birthday of prosperity in this country. The financial floodgates were raised yesterday and $195,000,000 were poured out in dividends to fill the sluice ways of investment, commerce and trade. Within the next thirty days this vast total will be invested and paid out many times, arousing activities, employing labor, renewing mercantile stocks, paying indebtedness and reviving drooping financial spirits.

It is like the bursting of the sun thru the clouds and it is believed by most of those who closely watch events that it is the culminating point of the slow resumption of buisness activities that has been going on since January 1, and that from now on the pace will be greatly accelerated.

This has long been accepted as the day when traffic on the lakes would take on the full measure of midsummer activity. The Harriman railroads have announced that all the work on betterments on all this great system would begin at this time, involving an expenditure of $80,000,000. The New York Central has improvements to be started at once involving an expense of $100,000,000. In all directions the railroads are preparing for a great grain harvest, and there is today little idle labor as compared to January 1 last.

Most of the railroads are returning full crews to work in their repair shops, and not only are the tracks being put in condition for heavier traffic but every car is being put in condition for use.

The same story of better times comes from all lines of business, and the financial and industrial interests are very optimistic. It is not unusual for these renewing impulses to come from the great semi-annual dividend distributions; indeed, it may rather be said to be inevitable.

The payments on securities will be divided as follows:

Railroad stocks	$30,831,282
Industrial stocks	27,976,975
Public service corporations, such as street cars	10,815,093
Banks and trust companies	9,000,000

In bonds the interest figures are approximately these:

Railroads	$69,698,478
Industrials	17,613,904
Street railways	14,389,158
Municipal bonds	10,579,530
Government bonds	4,000,000

In whatever measure we may restrain our confidence and discount our hope, there can be no denial nor question as to the rapidity of the change in conditions in the past thirty days, nor that the immediate outlook is most encouraging. The full tide of good times probably cannot be expected until after the election, but we can feel very sure that from now on the condiitons will be adding better to good and then the road is not long to best.

IN THE REALM OF INSURANCE

Minnesota Insurance Department Bulletin No. 10—John A. Hartigan, Ins. Com.,—Published to protect Journal Readers against fake insurance.

St. Paul, Minn., July 1, 1908: The Columbian National Life Insurance Company of Boston, Mass., withdrew from this state June 16, 1908.

The Des Moines Fire Insurance Co., of Des Moines, Ia., has been admitted to do business in the state.

On June 22nd, the Sovereign Fire Assurance Co., of Canada, and the American Fidelity Co., of Montpelier, Vt., were admitted to do business in this state.

The Aetna Indemnity of Hartford, Conn., has taken steps to reduce its capital from $500,000 to $250,00.

The Central Life Securieies Company, a speculative investment concern of Portland, Maine, is in the hands of a receiver, said receiver being appointed by Judge Kohlsaat of the Federal Court at Chicago Ill.

The Merchants Life and Casualty Company of Minneapolis, Minn., has filed articles of incorporation with this Department.

The fire losses for May in the United States were $13,492,000 and for Minnesota, $120,000. Hail and cyclone losses have been unusually severe thruout this state during the past month.

The Mill Owners Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Des Moinees, Ia., has been examined by this Department, preparatory to entering the State. According to the report the standing of the Company is as follows:

Total Admitted Assets	$285,039.70
Total Liabilities	147,465.25
Surplus	$137,574.45

The German Union Fire Insurance Company of Baltimore, Md., has been admitted to do business in this state.

The report of the examination of the Empire State Surety Co., of New York, recently made by the Departments of Colorado, Virginia and Minnesota gives the following results:

Total Admitted Assets	$1,240,503.30
Total Liabilities (except capital)	608,336.15
Paid-up capital	500,000.00
Surplus over all liabilities	132,167.15

The report states that the company settles its claims promptly.

The annual Preliminary Life Reports are now published and copies can be procured upon application to this department.

WONDERFUL WEALTH OF AMERICAN FARMERS

The earnings of the farmers of America in seventeen days would buy out the Standard Oil company—water, oil good will and all.

The proceeds of one American crop would buy thrifty and prosperous Belgium, boots, bag and baggage, and still leave a good deal in the bank for operating expenses. Two crops would buy Italy, three would buy Austria and five would pay for all the empire of the Russias.

In view of these facts given in the American Review of Reviews by Herbert N. Casson, it is small wonder that this is a rich nation, and that the department of agriculture is the most practical and efficient department of government. It has a splendid subject to deal with, and it would have to be composed of dead men to do anything but good work with such material.

The American hen alone earns more than all the annual revenues of Spain and Portugal combined.

What the farmer has furnished for export alone since 1892, after feeding this great nation would enable him to buy every foot of railroad and all rail road equipment in the United States. The hog money of Iowa would pay the salaries of all the monarchs of Europe A year's corn crop in Iowa would buy out the harvester trust and build three New York subways.

This is the source of our wealth. We have mines, it is true, that yield great wealth, but their product does not compare in value with the product of the soil. Our total mineral production for 1906 according to the statistical abstract issued by the United States government was worth $1,902,517,505. In 1907 the farm value—that is the value at the farm not what the consumer pays—of our oats, corn, rye, wheat, barley and flax alone was $2,385,952,000. In addition to that our cotton was worth $721,647,237 our hay brought $743,507,000 our potatoes were worth $183,880,000 and our wool $78,263,165.

Our coal production was worth $513,079,809, but our production of corn alone was worth $554,437,000. Our total production of copper was worth $177,595,888, but our potatoes alone brought $6,284,000 more than that. Gold and silver combined, $127,000,000 was worth only a little more than our barley crop, which was worth $102,290,000 at the farm.

And while the production of minerals is exhausting the supply, the production of farm wealth, if it is properly managed is constantly improving the soil. The more wealth you get out of a mine the less it is worth, but there is more in the soil than has ever been taken out of it.

With a productiveness like this, and with the growth of intelligent and scientific methods of farming, there is something wrong with our management if we ever have hard times, or if anybody ever goes hungry.

PHIL LARAMIE HERE FROM WEST

OLD TIMER ON THE G. N. VISITING HERE FROM TACOMA, WASH.

The old time railroad men of Crookston are enjoying the visit here of Conductor Phil Laramie, who for many years past has been running a passenger on the Great Northern out of Tacoma. Mr. Laramie was one of the best railroad men in Crookston, having run a passenger out of this city 15 years ago, when Tom Adams manipulated the throttle of the engine that pulled his train.

Mr. Laramie is a brother of Engineer J. J. Laramie, 321 Hulbert Street of this city, also a well known railroad man, whose guest he will be for some time. He is accompanied by his family and yesterday left for Argyle where he will visit his sister, Mrs. D. Tessier for a few days. This is the first vacation he has enjoyed for some time past and it has been years since he was in Crookston. He finds many of the old faces missing, some having crossed the Great Divide, and others having been transferred to other divisions or gone to other roads. He is the same jovial "Phil" of former days and the old railroad boys are enjoying his visit immensely.

WASHING FLUID BLOWS UP.

Boy Who Is Mixing Gasoline and Water Is Badly Burned.

Bisbee, N. D., July 4. — Thedore Johnson was seriously burned about the face, head and hands this morning by an explosion of gasoline. He is employed at the Hotel Columbia as a chore boy, and in preparing a washing solution of gasoline and water over a fire in a range the gasoline exploded.

THOUSAND MURDERED.

Pro-Japanese Koreans Slain, According to Reports, by Korean Bands.

Victoria, B. C., July 4.—News was brought by the steamer Empress of China from Korea that nearly a thousand pro-Japanese Koreans, members of the Il Chin Hoi, a society favoring Japanese, have been murdered by Korean insurgents, according to statistics collected by Japanese officials.

NOTIFY TAFT ON JULY 28.

Secretary Will Receive Announcement of Nomination at Cincinnati.

Washington, July 4. — Announcement was made yesterday that it was finally decided to have the notification of Mr. Taft's nomination take at Cincinnati July 28.

Eleven Girls Hurt.

St. Louis, July 4. — Eleven girls hurt, and their teacher, Miss Mary Patterson, was seriously injured last night when the second-story balcony in front of the female dormitory of the indstrial school collapsed, burying forty children under timbers and debris twenty-five feet below.

Young Boy Electrocuted.

Faribault, Minn., July 4. — Roy Mosher, twelve years old, son of Charles Mosher, was electrocuted by a live electric light wire.

ROCK PILE FOR ALL JAIL BIRDS

GRAND FORKS COUNTY OFFICIALS WILL PROBABLY HAVE ROCK SOON

Grand Forks county will probably have a real rock pile for the offenders of the county jail to work on. Some time ago a high wall was provided for a workhouse and yesterday State's Attorney J. B. Wineman requested the Great Northern to furnish two carloads of stone for use in the workhouse. It is believed that the company will comply, as tramps and lawbreakers cause the road lots of expense and it is anxious to keep them out of this section.

A county jail has no terrors for the average offender unless there is lots of work attached. A rock pile has been found to be a good investment for other counties of the west, according to the state's attorney, and Polk county should have one also.

SEEK DEAD WOMAN'S HUSBAND.

Chicago Police Think He May Have Knowledge of Crime.

Chicago, July 4. — Edward Thompson, formerly of Fargo, N. D., and Minneapolis, Minn., and husband of Mrs. Frances Milmore Thompson, who was found murdered in a rooming house Wednesday, is being sought by the police as the person most likely to have actual knowledge of the crime. Descriptions of him and of "J. H. Raymond," who brought the woman to the house, have been telegraphed to cities in various parts of the country, but the police of the Northwest and of New York have been asked to keep an especially sharp lookout.

RUN PLANT UNDER PERMIT.

Chippewa Falls Valley Electric Company Gives Statement.

Eau Claime, Wis., July 4. — Chippewa Valley Railway Light and Power company has given notice that it has decided to surrender its franchise and operate under an indeterminate permit. A representative of the company says this action is taken because it is in harmony with the spirit of the public utility law and the known attitude of the railroad commission.

KILLED ON TOBOGGAN SLIDE.

Neck of Reckless Bather Broken at Glenwood, Minn.

Glenwood, Minn., July 4. — Nels Hintze attempted to go down a bathing toboggan slide backwards last evening. He lost his balance, fell on his face and slide to the bottom feet first. His neck was broken, death resulting in a few hours.

Plague Is Epidemic.

Willamsted, July 4. — It is officially admitted in Caracas that the bubonic plague is epidemic there. Rumors are current here of the presence of a pernicious fever at Porte Cabelle. This illness is supposed to be yellow fever.

Chops Heads Off Five Tots.

Kherson, July 4. — A woman residing in a nearby village has been placed under arrest on the charge of having chopped the heads off five of her own children with an ax.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

John W. Sandberg

Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels

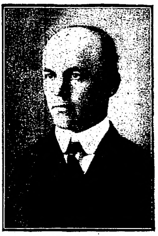
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

Hugh R. Robertson

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908

Eric O. Hagen

Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.



Henry J. Welte

Deputy County Auditor.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson

Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

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Signs Of Returning Prosperity

Conditions thruout the country point to an early return of prosperity. Bank clearings, and railroad earnings are below those of a year ago, but the gap is steadily narrowing. There are fewer idle cars than there were at the beginning of June. The July interest and dividend payments this year in New York, the country's financial center, will be $177,000,000, as compared with $184,000,000 in July 1907. Thus the falling off is far less than had been expected. About $46,000,000 of gold has been exported since the present outward movement began in the middle of April, but as we gained over $100,000,000 of gold in November and December last, and as we can get as much as we need from the outside world at any time we may need it, this movement does not disturb anybody. The rates for money are about the same as they are in mid summer of normal years.

"Re-employment days" are becoming general. St. Louis had one on June first, when 15,000 idle persons were put to work. On a far larger scale the Pittsburg district will have one today, when every plant of the United States Corporation, the langest concern in the world in its field, will resume operations. The other shops of that corporation, all over the country will, it is expected, all be running by August first. All the independent steel concerns in the Pittsburg district, it is announced, will be at work with a full force by the first week in August.

The Department of Agriculture in Washington says the crop outlook is better, on the whole, than it ever was before at this time of the year. It estimates that the value of the country's farm products of 1908 will reach the $8,000,000,000 mark. This will leave all records far behind. It will be more than double the value of the farm yield of 1900, which was $3,764,000,000. Big crops have always heretofore meant good times for the country, and they will mean the same this year.—James W. Van Cleave, President National Association of Manufacturers, in American Industries, for July.

A Tribute To Cleveland

Chicago's final tribute to the memory of Grover Cleveland will take the form of a big memorial meeting to be held in the Auditorium next Sunday, July 12. Personal friends and political associations of the former president will make the leading addresses and thousands of citizens of Chicago, will unite with them to do honor to the "Sage of Princeton." The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Iroquois club, the democratic club of the city. From the day that the news of Grover Cleveland's death reached Chicago, associations, clubs and public bodies here have vied with each other in bearing witness to the admiration and affection with which the former president was regarded, by democrats and republicans alike. The Board of Trade of Chicago was one of the first bodies to take official and commendable action and summed up the feeling of the city and of the entire country in the following striking resolution:

"On June 24 the mortal life of Grover Cleveland was ended. The record of his career as president of the United States for two full terms, and in other capacities, both private and public, is one of lofty patriotism, of unsurpassed courage, of unswerving fidelity to great and immutable principles, of profound statesmanship, of unhesitating loyalty to his convictions regardless of personal considerations or political affiliations. In the great crises that made illustrious his presidency he kept unawed and solely in view the maintenance of law and order and the glory of the republic. No sophistry ever pierced his armor of righteousness. He was great in his simplicity and simple in his greatness. His name is written in living and ineffaceable characters among the names of our great presidents. The life and character of Grover Cleveland are among the imperishable treasurer of the nation."

The Board of Trade of Chicago has always been foremost in voicing the unspoken sentiments of its members and of the city in times of national calamity, and in such cases as the Johnstown flood, the Galveston flood and the San Francisco earthquake, it contributed large sums of money for the relief of the sufferers. Among the other organizations which passed memorial resolutions were the Iroquois club, Union League Club, Hamilton club, Illinois Athletic club and the Board of Commissioners of Cook county.

Arraignment of Chicago's postoffice authorities by the National Art Society because of the exclusion of its journal from the mails, with the tart comment that the officials "didn't know the difference between a Venus de Milo and a mud pie" has excited an equally tart reply: "A Halsted street barkeeper's recitation of Hamlet is not art." The judging of what is art and mailable brings frequent clashes all over the country, the rules of the department being complied with rigidly and according to precedent. There is an interesting difference recognized between the original paintings and statuary and the reproductions which an official who has to discriminate put this way: "The original Venus de Milo was art but a picture of it printed on cheap paper is not art. One does not need a pair of spectacles to see the sun and some pictures are the 'first aid' to immorality." The exclusion which raised the wrath of the art society was due to a picture of 'La Source" by Ingres, which represents a woman—in the nude—holding an overflowing jar upon her shoulders. In consequence the arraignment of the postal censors as "prudes". The magazine was released, by a wire from Washington, but now the Department is debating whether in the future the lady of "La Source" must wear clothes even in midsummer or be kept from the mails.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

As soon as a woman becomes heartless her case is hopeless.

You can't borrow happiness, but it's different with trouble.

Instead of regretting yesterday get busy and do something today.

Lectures make a married man tired—if they are of the "curtain" variety.

A girl is seldom interested in a young unless she declares that she isn't.

Many a man's run-down reputation is due to his fondness for running up bills.

If a man agrees with a woman she thinks he is a fool; if he doesn't she considers him stubborn.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

A good thing about hot weather is how you can appreciate winter till you get it.

When a woman is well dressed it is a sign that her husband is useful to pay for it.

Being cheerful is having a genius for fooling yourself into the belief that you are contented.

The way to think the theatre party you give a woman doesn't cost much is for her not to be your wife.

Woman Killed in Auto Accident.

Santa Cruz, Cal., July 8. — Mrs. O. Scribner, wife of the president of the Associated Oil company, was killed in an automobile accident last night.

Fire Fatal to Two.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 8. — Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kay were both fatally injured in a fire in their home yesterday.

Peace in Paraguay.

Montevideo, July 8.—A dispatch received here from Asuncion says that peace has been restored in Paraguay

STATE PRESS

Protect Stock

Protection and care of animals in summer as well as in winter will repay the owner many fold. In Holland they put canvas coverings over the backs of cows to protect them from flies. As a result the cow instead of tosing her head and tail in vain effort gives her time and energy to eating and ruminating with the advantage of a larger flow and a better quality of milk. In Japan the oxen are shod with straw sandals. In Russia, blinds or blinkers to driving bridles are unknown except where western fashion has corrupted. There is an immense saving of leather and increase of comfort to the animal; also an improvement in his work and docility.—Warroad Commonwealth.

Criticise His Whiskers

That, mutton-chop fringe worn by the Republican vice presidential candidate has a financial appearance that is not any too good for political purposes in these muck raking times.—Hibbing Messaba Ore.

No Collar and Born Free

We having heard a good deal of mention made of county seat removal in connection with the late Republican convention we desire to say that we were not attending a county seat removal convention, but a republican convention to elect 12 delegates to the state convention at St. Paul. We paid our own expenses and wore no man's collar. We are a free born American citizen and claim that we have just as good a right to vote for who we want for governor as a man living in either Thief River Falls or Red Lake Falls. We want to say to the Red Lake Falls boys, that you put up a good fight, and now we expect you to follow our example of two years ago and get into line and support the ticket. We ask no more, and expect no less.—Sunbeam.

Pick Out a Piece

Nothing succeeds like success, and nothing grows seeds like Carlton county soil. Pick out a piece of it, turn it over and get rich.—Carlton Vidette

.:. POLITICS .:.

Since Governor John refuses absolutely to consider a renoination how would Swan J. Turnblad's name look at the head of the ticket? Mr. Turnblad publishes one of the most influential Scandinaavian papers in the state. He has long defended the principles of democracy and deserves the honor. We believe he'll be a winner. —Hallock Enterprise.

What's the matter with Frank Day for governor on the Democratic ticket? There are a whole lot of less able men in the Democratic party clamoring for office. For instance, Bryan.—Lake Crystal Union.

The eagerness with which our Republican friends are falling over each other to endorse the determination of Governor Johnson not to run again is almost pathetic.—St. Cloud Times.

Some of the Wisconsin planks that were found useless at the Republican convention may be tacked on to the Democratic platform so it is rumored. —Stillwater Gazette.

A poem which lately appeared in the Commoner was entitled "Over and Over Again"! Who is better fitted to dilate upon such a subject or inspire the muse in regard to it than William Jennings Bryan?—Red Wing Republican.

The Union still maintains with all its strength and influence that Joel P. Heatwole was the best candidate for governor of any in the contest. — Anoka Union.

Crawfishing politicians who were against Jacobson two years ago are for him this year. It looks kinder suspicious.—Anoka Union.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington, W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

228 BODIES TAKEN OUT.

Eight Men Rescued Alive From Russian Mine.

Yusovo, European Russia, July 7. — An official statement shows that 228 bodies have been recovered from the Kikovsky coal mine, where a gas explosion occurred several days ago. Nineteen injured men are now in the hospital. The fire in the mine has been extinguished, and Saturday eight miners were brought out alive. Sixty-five bodies were brought up yesterday, thirty of which were interred after identification. The others will be buried to-day. The inquest will begin to-day.

POTTER MAY RECOVER.

Physicians Now Believe Bishop Has Good Chance.

Cooperstown, N. Y., July 7.—With each succeeding hour hope brightens for the recovery of Bishop Henry Codman Potter, who is seriously ill here from a complication of stomach and liver trouble. His physicians believe that his improved condition warrants a decided hope for a favorable outcome of the case.

The bishop made gains Saturday night and showed further improvement yesterday.

Murderer Is Captured.

Birmingham, Ala., July 7.—Joe Hinson, an Italian who chopped off the head of Charles S. Bassford with an ax at Eastlake Saturday, was captured in the woods near Irondale yesterday. He frankly admitted his crime, but claimed he acted in self-defense.

Lynching Is Feared.

Springfield, Ill., July 7.—C. A. Ballard, a hoisting engineer, was stabbed to death at his home early yesterday, and Joseph James, a negro, was later arrested charged with the murder. Lynching is freely talked of.

Three Are Drowned.

Muscatine, Iowa, July 7. — Miss Maud Garnes of Muscatine, Miss Vera Croxen of Atalissa and Clyde Slater of Moscow were drowned at Resley's lake, near Muscatine, by the sinking of a gasoline launch.

TO PROTECT AMERICANS.

Consul Investigates the Aggressions of Kurds in Persian Ceremonies.

St. Petersburg, July 8.—A dispatch received by the Novoe Vremya from its correspondent at Urumiah, Persian Armenia, says that an American consul has arrived there to investigate the Kurdish aggressions and the situation of the missionaries.

EVER HAVE IT?

If You Have, the Statement of This Crookston Citizen will Interest You

Ever have a "low down" pain in the back?

In the "small," right over the hips?

That's the home of backache.

It's caused by sick kidneys.

That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Crookston people endorse this. Read a case of it:

Mrs. John Mackill of 333 Sixth St., E. Crookston, Minn., says: "Both my husband and myself used Doan's Kidney Pills with fine results. Mr. Mackill suffered a great deal from backache and a kidney weakness, hard work and colds always aggravated the annoyances. Good reports about Doan's Kidney Pills led me to procure a box at Wallace's drug store. He began using them and they quickly proved their effectiveness, correcting the action of the kidneys and removing the pains and lameness from his back My own case was a complicated one of long standing the kidneys being badly affected. Doan's Kidney Pills served to dispose of my trouble and in other wasys benefitted me greatly."

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J. H. WESSEL APPOINTED.

Gets a State Game and Fish Commission

St. Paul, July 8. — Joseph A. Wessel of Crookston, a member of the firm of Wessel Bros. of St. Paul, was appointed a member of the state game and fish commission yesterday by Gov. Johnson. He will fill the unexpired term of C. W. Stanton, who resigned a month ago to become judge of the Eighteenth district.

Lightning Kills Horses.

Pipestone, Minn., July 8.—The most severe electrical storm of the season passed through this section early Sunday morning. Six horses in a barn south of this city were killed. A heavy rain storm followed, doing much damage to corn and other crops.

DRAMATIC HISTORY OF A TITLED VENETIAN

One of the most interesting of the many strange characters connected with early history of the state was J. C. Beltrami who spent only a short time in Minnesota, but whose name remains as the name of one of the northern counties. Beltrami was an Italian, the son of a customs officer of the Venetian republic born near the end of the eighteenth century.

Beltrami seems to have been a hot headed youth and early in his career got into much trouble among his easily disturbed fellow countrymen that he was forced to leave the country. His roving disposition brought him to the wilds of Minnesota shortly after the founding of Fort Snelling. He seemed to enjoy the scenery and stayed at the fort several weeks becoming acquainted with the officers and what later proved more important with a number of the northern Indian chiefs. He obtained permission to join an expedition fitted out at the fort to explore the northern country, about 1824. But he fell out with the commander of the party and with several of the Indians he set off by himself.

His Ojibways fell in with some Sioux and got the worst of it, and that night paddled away to more friendly country. Beltrami had plenty of nerve and being left alone in the wilds of an unexplored country didn't bother him. But the Italian gentleman had never counted the art of managing a canoe among his accomplishments and he records in his journal that he found paddling very fatiguing work.

He was in the vicinity of Red Lake in the northern part of the state and says that he found navigation of the rivers much easier by walking in the water at the edge of the stream, dragging the canoe by a rope over his shoulder. He writes to the "dear Countess" in some published letters, that he smiled at the fishes and presented a very grotesque figure.

He claimed to have discovered Red Lake river, which he called Bloody river. He also says that he discovered the true source of the Mississippi river. He wandered around until he met more Indians, one of whom recognized him as the strange white man at the fort and helped him paddle back to the outpost.

He soon left the country and later made extensive investigations of Mexico, all of which is published in several sets of books.

The features of Beltramis trip is part of the next to the last chapter of the first of a four volume work, "Minnesota in Three Centuries" a subscription work issued under the auspices of the State Historical society. The first volume is being written by Dr. Warren Upham secretary of the society. Other volumes will be prepared by old settlers of the state. Gen. L. F. Hubbard, Gen. James H. Baker, and William Pitt Murray are also interested in the work.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Geddes and daughters Edith, Tiny and Marquet visited Mr. Beveridge's Sunday.

A number of Key West people celebrated the third in place of the fourth by atending the Ringling Bros., show in Grand Forks. The show was reported to be very good.

Miss Viola Ehnen is enjoying a vacation from her duties in the shoe factory at Pontiac, Ill., by visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Ehnen of this place Miss Ehnen is much pleased with this country.

Mr. and Mrs. John Capes and daughter Lorene took dinner with P. O. Augustine Sunday.

John Grundahl called at Wm. Koeling's Sunday.

Cora Champlain and James Lee, Jr., were married in Grand Forks last Wednesday July 1st. The young couple left for Minneapolis on their wedding tour. The Key West people wish them a happy and prosperous life.

A few of the neighbors gathered at the home of James Stewart and wife on the fourth and enjoyed a very pleasant time. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and family, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine and daughter Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and daughter Pearl, Mrs. Marrow and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and children, Archy and John Steine and Moressa Gaston.

Mrs. Ehnen and daughters Viola and Cora spent Monday evening at the Keystone farm.

Miss Violet and Edna Capes called at the Olive Champlain farm Sunday afternoon.

Miss Moressa Gaston spent the past week with James Stewart and at the Buffington farms. Moressa was much pleased and also surprised to find a new organ awaiting her on her return home Sunday.

The people of the Key West church will hold a picnic in the grove one-half mile north of Key West Wednesday July 15, A good program is being prepared. Everybody come and enjoy a good time. A dance will be given at the Key West hall in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart called on Bob Gaston Sunday.

A good rain is very much needed in this locality.

John Casmey was seen in this vicinity Sunday.

KEY STONE

Mr. John Alt drove down from Stephen last Friday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann.

All those present at the celebration at the Brantl farm report a very delightful time. The ball game between Angus and Key Stone was stopped when about half done on account of the rain.

Mrs. John Gerber and daughter Clara and Matilda left for West Bend, Iowa, last Tuesday to visit with friends and relatives. This leaves Mr. Gerber to do the cooking and he will certainly find out what it is like.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann John Alt, Ernest Hohl and John and David Gerber visited at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Sunday.

Among those that drove to Grand Forks to celebrate the Fourth were Earl and Everet Capes, John Grundahl, William Klint, Mr. and Mrs. Ehnen and daughters Viola and Cora. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann, John Alt, Lydia Aeschlimann, Henry Ehnen and Anna Grundahl.

Mrs. Haserberger and children and her sister Miss Keppel of St. Paul, are visiting with friends and relatives in this vicinity.

SKULL CRACKED IN BALL GAME

A serious accident occurred at Dalton about 5:30 o'clock on the afternoon of the Fourth. A baseball game was in progress there, and one of the players, after striking at the ball, let go of his bat, which swung back with great force, striking a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Peterson in the head, and breaking his skull.

The baseball was between the Tordenskjold and Dalton nines and the man who threw the bat was one of the heaviest members of the Tordenskjold nine. The boy's skull was broken just above the temple, the fracture being somewhat larger than a silver dollar and the skull was pressed into the brain to a depth of about half an inch at the lowest point.

Physicians were summoned and the pressure on the brain was relieved as quickly as possible, and notwithstanding the serious nature of the injury, there is a strong probability that the boy will recover.

A SELF TYING APPLIANCE PATENT

D. Becklund thru his attorney P. J. Russell, both of Bemidji, has secured a patent for a self tying appliance which is intended to do away with the old fashioned way of tying packages.

It is intended chiefly to be used in postoffices and mail cars for tying bundles of mail, and will be a great saving to the government, once it is in use.

One appliance will last for years and can be manufactured for a trifling sum.

Messrs. Becklund and Russell are going to bring it to the attention of the postoffice authorities at once.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

July 5 In History.

Lord Howe.

1758—George Augustus Viscount Howe killed near Fort Ticonderoga, N. Y.

1801—David Glasgow Farragut, naval hero, born; died 1870.

1899—Bishop John P. Newman, noted Methodist divine and the friend of Grant, died; born 1826.

1900—Professor Henry Barnard, famous educator, died; born 1811.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:31; moon sets 11:43 p. m.; moon's age 8 days; 10 p. m., planet Venus at inferior conjunction with the sun, passing from east to west of that body on the nearer side and thus becoming morning star; Venus nearest earth of all the stars, 24,000,000 miles distant.

July 6 In History.

1802—General Daniel Morgan, American Revolutionary hero, died; born 1736.

1835—John Marshall, noted chief justice of the United States, died in Philadelphia; born 1755.

1893—Guy de Maupassant, a master in the French school of naturalistic writers, died in Paris; born 1850.

1905—The remains of Paul Jones formally delivered to the United States government by France.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:32; moon sets 12:08 a. m.; moon's age 9 days; 3:25 p. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter; 10 p. m., planet Neptune in conjunction with the sun, changing from east to west; 6 a. m., planet Uranus at opposition with the sun, 180 degrees distant.

A NEW DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs A. J. Couvrette are the parents of a very fine baby daughter which arrived yesterday.

DEATH IN RUSSIA—Lena S. Olson aged 3 1-2 years, died in Russia town Saturday last and was buried from the home of her parents this morning

CLOUGH AT WENATCHEE—Atty E. D. Clough who left the city about two weeks ago is at Wenatchee, Washington and leaves there up the Columbia river today on the first trip in his new position.

OWNED LAND HERE—Frank Scott who died in Sioux Falls, S. D., July 23rd 1907 left behind him a quarter section of land in section 13 in Hammond town which will be set aside for the heirs after going thru the hands of the court here.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT—Conductor Steve Withey is navigating on about a foot and a half as the result of stepping on a rusty nail at Greenbush last Saturday. The wound was cauterized and it is expected the limp will disappear in t he course of a very few days.

PUTTING IN CULVERTS—J. W. Lewis and Slim Wade left this morning for Euclid and will proceed west to the drainage ditch between Keystone and Sullivan townships where they will put in several galvanized culverts. They will be absent for several days.

ANGUSITE HERE—James A. Stroble the well known Angus wheat buyer came down last Friday evening and returned home the morning of the 4th He really wanted to remain over and send up a few skyrockets but business wouldn't permit of it. Mr. Stroble states that the crops are looking fine about Angus and there promises to be all kinds of business next fall.

CHERRIES FROM NORTH YAKIMA—E. M. Lancascter last week received a crate of as fine cherries as were ever raised from Wm. Creighton of North Yakima. The fruit was certainly lucious and was raised by Mr. Creighton on his ranch. Mr. Creighton is well pleased with North Yakima which will be good news to his friends here, but the majority of people here prefer the Red River Valley, the land of bread and butter, to even a fruit country, tho the fruit is certainly all right as a side dish.

LOOKING AFTER DRIVE — River Boss Pat Sullivan with the Grand Forks Lumber Co., arrived this morning from East Grand Forks and headed for Thief River Falls to look after a big drive. He says the tug of war between the Norwegians and the Irish at the E. G. Forks celebration on Saturday was the best ever—only the Norwegians won. The Irish held their opponents for 4 1-2 minutes and then let go, the tie being 5 minutes instead of three as usual.

FIGHT AVERTED— It was rather chilly this morning, and the cool weather came near resulting in a personal encounter between Senator A. D. Stephens of this city and Frank Brown bookkeeper for Grand Forks Times. Both spent Saturday and Sunday at Maple Lake. Brown arose early and had a good substantial breakfast. Senator Stephens got up just in time to jump into his clothes and make a race for the bus for Mentor. He had no overcoat and was chilled to the marrow. Brown noticed him shivering and at once began to talk of the fine hot coffee he had enjoyed at the hotel. He talked of the coffee every seven seconds, in fact every time he noticed the Senator shiver. Finally Senator Stephens could stand it no longer. "Look here," he said, "I am no fighting man, but if you mention hot coffee to me again I'll certainly duplicate Battling Nelson's operation on Joe Gans. Now shut up or I'll shake up tha' hot coffee you're crowing about. You'll think it is still boiling."

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

July 7 In History.

1807—Treaty of Tilsit concluded by Napoleon I. of France and Alexander I. of Russia.

1882—General Michael Dimitrievitch Skobeleff, distinguished Russian commander, died; born 1843.

1893—Justice Samuel Blatchford of the United States supreme court died; born 1820.

1899—George W. Julian, noted American statesman, died; born 1817.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:33; moon sets 12:33 a. m.; moon's age 10 days.

GIVEN 30 DAYS — James O'Hara was up on a charge of vagrancy yesterday for the second time and was given 30 days in the county jail by Judge Sullivan at East Grand Forks.

IN BUSINESS FOR SELF— Ross Rath, for a time night clerk in Mrs. Rose's Restaurant, departed last evening for Pine City where he will look after a business on his own hook in the restaurant line.

CONTEST CASE ON—Contest suit is brought by Tom Throndson of Shevlin against a homesteader in the north country by the name of Solon Denis Brook and Mr. Keefe of Bagley is a visitor in the city today in connection with this business.

TRIP TO CANADA—Adolph Wentzel who has been visiting here from Minneapolis over the Fourth, left this morning for Portage La Prairie where he will attend to business matters for several days before returning to Minneapolis where he holds a responsible position with the Aultman-Taylor Thresher Co.

BACK FROM CITIES—Attorney W. A. Marin returned this morning from a trip to St. Paul, where he went as a delegate to the Republican state convention, and later made a business trip to the southwestern part of the state. Mrs. Marin is visiting relatives in the cities and will remain for some time.

TRIP TO IDAHO—Jake Ide left last evening for Mountain Home where he will look after land interests. Mr. Ide departed south from Crookston and will go thru Omaha and Denver in order that the western floods may be avoided as much as possible and his trip not be delayed. He will sell a section of land in the Idaho country and return to the city in about a month.

County Auditor Hoffard and Commissioner Rindahl of the county board signed $29,600 in ditch bonds this morning which will be sent to the state auditor at St. Paul tonight and drafts for the money will be here on the next mail, should no technicalities arise.

The ditches to be constructed by this issue are county contracts 65, 66 and 70.

Ditch 75 Sold

County ditch 75 in Kertsonville was sold this morning for 11.99 cents per yard to John Rosignal of Red Lake Falls. The other bidders were Louis Parenteau, Wm. Sampson and Chas. A. Juve. The excavation is 26,000 yards and will cost about $3,300.

The National Flower

The national flower of England is the rose; of Germany the corn flower; of Greece the violet; of Ireland the shamrock; of Scotland the thistle. The national and favorite beverage of America is golden grain belt beer—a pure, wholesome beverage that has all the food value of the richest barley together with all the tonic properties of the finest imported hops. It is kept as a regular supply in thousands of American homes. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Mrs. Thomas Bjoin returned last evening from Fertile where she has been for the past ten days visiting with her uncle and reports a most delightful visit with relatives and old friends while there.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

July 8 In History.

Elihu Yale.

1721—Elihu Yale, founder of Yale college, died; born in New Haven 1648.

1758—General Abercrombie attacked Ticonderoga with 15,000 men and was repulsed with a loss of 2,000.

1790—Fitz-Greene Halleck, poet, was born in Guilford, Conn.; died there 1867.

1792—The federal congress voted to make Washington the permanent seat of government.

1899—The Grand Duke George, brother of Nicholas II. and heir to the throne, died at St. Petersburg; born 1878.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:33; moon sets 1:01 a. m.; moon's age 11 days.

HAS RECOVERED—Ike Simmons who was injured by his fractious driving horse last week is out of bed again and about as good as new tho there are a few sore spots left yet.

FINAL PROOF—Lemi M. Lunde and Oscar Lindberg of Rhoda, Minn., and Sigru S. Hanson of Lille, made final proof this morning at the United States land office.

BOUND OVER—Jack MacDowell who was taken over to the east side yesterday to appear before Judge Sullivan on the charge of passing forged instruments on the First National Bank of East Grand Forks, was bound over to the Grand Jury under $150 bail which he furnished.

LEFT FOR PEMBINA—Herbert C. Kenyon, who arrived a short time ago from England and has been a guest at the J. Winter's farm east of the city, left yesterday afternoon for Pembina where he has accepted a position on the Pioneer-Express.

BACK TO WORK—Tom Shevlin Jr. arrived from Minneapolis this morning and proceeded to Bemidji after having celebrated the glorious 4th in the cities. None of his fingers had been put out of commission by premature explosions of fire crackers as far as could be observed.

HORSE'S LEG IN PLASTER CAST—One of Liveryman Murphy's horses is convinced that the Fourth of July as observed in East Grand Forks was neither safe nor sane. Someone threw a cannon cracker against the horses leg and fractured a bone. The leg has been placed in a plaster cast and the owner hopes to cure the ailment. —Grand Forks Herald.

320 ACRE IMPROVED FARM — 3½ miles from Crookston, Minn., 160 acres 5½ miles from Gowan, Minn., 40 acres 1 mile from Bruno, Minn., and one five room cottage in Minneapolis, Minn., for sale cheap. For further particulars write, J. Louis Ervin, Attorney-at-Law, 1009 Torrey Bldg.. Duluth, Minn.

NELLIE CONCLUDES VISIT—Miss Nellie Rogers of East Grand Forks who has been spending sixty days as the guest of Sheriff Louis Gonyea at Hotel de Gonyea returned to the east side this morning to resume her former position in that city. She was recommended for a 60 day stay at the de Gonyea by Judge Sullivan of the E. G. Forks municipal court. Nellie kept too late hours.

J. N. KIRSCH HOME — John N. Kirsch returned this morning after an absence of some months from the city. He was editor-publisher of the Sleepy Eye Dispatch until the consolidation of that paper with the Herald and later attended the Militia encampment at Lakeview. Later he attended the Republican state convention and then took a trip to his old home at Reeds Landing, Wabasha and other points.

FUNERAL OF MRS. JARVIS—Sunday afternoon in the Mallory M. E. church occurred the funeral of Mrs. Franklin Jarvis who died recently in Mountain Home, Idaho. About three hundred friends of the deceased attended the service, conducted by Rev. G. A. Warmer. Mrs. Jarvis will be remembered as Miss Lillian Coulter eldest daughter of C. L. Coulter of Mallory. She is survived by her husband, two children, Anita, aged six years and Harold, aged four years, also her father C. L. Coulter, sisters, Mrs. H. F. McGuire of Mountain Home Idaho, Miss Leona Coulter of Anacortes, Wash., and Miss Flossie of Mallory, two brothers, Wilbur of Hood River, Ore., and Lloyd of Mallory. Mrs. Jarvis was 31 years of age. A host of friends regret to learn of her death.

FOURTHS ONLY FATALITY HERE

Sam Vik, an engineer on the G. N. tripped over a loose board and fell down off the Scandia Hotel steps, S. Main, the Fourth of July on his nose and seriously injured that member. Both Mr. Vik and the member are getting along nicely.

4TH PASSES PLEASANTLY

MANY COMMUNITIES HELD PICNICS WITH ORATION AND DANCE TRIMMINGS

DAY WAS IDEAL AND NO ACCIDENTS MARRED THE FESTIVITIES

From Monday's Daily—

The 4th of July was a rather quiet one in Crookston, the ball games and band concerts furnishing the chief amusement while in the evening the pedestrians had to jump sidewise to avoid the "devil chasers" cannon creckers and roman candles.

In many surrounding communities there were old time celebrations. A fine one was held south of the city at Hardie's Grove, another at R. T. Buckler's where scores of former Illinois residents gathered, enjoyed a picnic dinner and listened to an address by Thomas R. Johnstone in which he boosted Market Day, the necessity of a county exhibit at the state fair and the importance of a county fair.

At Climax there was a big celebration at which Atty E. O. Hagen was the orator of the day. At Bygland hundreds gathered for a big time and were addressed by Prof. J. C. Sathre of this city. In many other communities there were similar evidences of patriotism.

Picnic at Lanterman's Grove

A big picnic was held at Lanterman grove in Lowell town the Fourth and a large number of city people partook of the good things there. A large crowd also attended from the surroundnig country. Plenty of good things to eat and games of high quality are reported.

OLD TIME 4TH AT EUCLID

FINE PROGRAM OF SPEECHES, SPORTS—BIG PICNIC DINNER

EUCLID BALL TEAM DEFEATED HILL HUSTLERS BY SCORE OF 15 TO 10

From Monday's Daily—

Euclid had one of the famous old 4th of July celebrations Saturday which included orations by Rev. W. S. Ward of this city, Rev. Wilson of Euclid, readings, patriotic music, etc., which was followed by a grand picnic dinner in the grove east of that village which was attended by hundreds of people from the surrounding country who made a full day of it.

In the afternoon there was a good program of sports including a ball game in which the fast Euclid team defeated the Hill Hustlers of Crookston to the tune of 15 to 10. This was the third of a series of three games and both teams played for blood. It was a good clean game and neither side had any kick coming.

In the shot put John Stuhr won the first prize.

The broad jump was won by Dr. Dryden of Euclid.

In the 100 yard dash Rev. Wilson of Euclid and Geo. Ruth of Crookston tied the first heat in 10 seconds flat and in the second heat Rev. Wilson won by a few inches in 10 1-4 seconds.

In the half mile trot J. M. Ball's horse of Crookston won handily.

In the running race Henry Halters horse won first money.

In t he evening there was a grand dance in Woodmen Hall which was very largely attended.

The celebration was under the auspices of Woodmen lodge No. 2994 of Euclid and was a success in every particular.

MACDOWELL TAKEN TO EAST SIDE

Jack MacDowell charged with uttering and passing forged drafts on the First National Bank of East Grand Forks was taken over this morning by Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels for a hearing beofre Judge Sullivan. MacDowell was caught at Cohassett just this side of Grand Rapids, about a week ago. Upon appearance at East Grand Forks at that time the case was continued until this morning.

War Against Consumption

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

ADDITIONAL LIGHT ON GREAT MURDER MYSTERY

WOMAN WHO WAS FOULLY MURDERED IN CHICAGO A WEEK AGO TODAY HAD SEVERAL TICKETS WIRED HER FROM CROOKSTON BUT NEVER CAME—J. H. RAYMOND SENT HER A TICKET A YEAR AGO—SHE HAD PLANNED TO ENTER ONE OF THE RESORTS HERE—WROTE A LETTER BUT A FEW DAYS BEFORE SHE WAS KILLED

From Monday's Daily—

Some light was thrown on the mystery of the murder of Mrs. Fanny Thompson of Chicago a week ago today as the result of investigations of your correspendent Saturday night. It appears that Mrs. Thompson during the past two years had written the mistress of a resort in the red light district of this city four or five times statin gthat if a ticket was forwarded her to Crookston that she would come to Crookston and become an inmate of the house.

Failed to Come

Four times a ticket was wired, but after each incident Mrs. Thompson wrote giving some excuse for not coming. Less than two weeks ago Mrs. Thompson wrote to the landlady of the same house again stating that she would come at once if a ticket was sent her. In her last letter, however she signed "Mrs. Fanny Raymond" instead of Thompson. The ticket, however was not forwarded on the last application, as the landlady did not think the woman would come any way because of her previous failure to report when she promised.

Never in Crookston

The tone of her former letters however, make it certain that she had had trouble with Thompson. The Thompson woman was not known to the resort keepers here. and had never been in Crookston to their knowledge.

The ticket which the murdered woman stated she was expecting from her husband in Crookston is believed here to be the ticket she had written for from the resort keeper, and that her husband had never been here.

In June 1907 J. H. Raymond sent from Crookston to the Northwestern depot at Chicago a ticket to Crookston from Chicago to be delivered to Mrs. Frances Gilmore Thompson at Oak Park suburb of that city. This lady was found murdered last Wednesday in a Chicago rooming house.

Mrs. Thompson called at the North western station when notified and refused to receive the ticket and it was returned to this city. Raymond never returned here for his money or made a claim for a refund.

It is probable that Raymond wished the woman to come here. Raymond is but indefinitely remembered by the agents at the ticket office here. Pinkertons are in Crookston and have been here for the last two days. No intimation can be found of what cases they are on, but it is believed they are working on this case.

Thompson in Minneapolis

After having heard that he was wanted by the police of Chicago who have intimated that he might know something of his wife's murder, which took place there a few days ago, Thomas Edward Thompson presented himself to the Minneapolis police.

He proceeded to offer substantial evidence that he has been employed in Nelson Bros. restaurant 311 Washington Avenue south for several months and that he could not have been in Chicago on the day of the tragedy. Chief of Police Corriston was convinced of the man's truthfulness and he was permitted to go back to work.

"I saw that the police were looking for me so I thought I had better let them know where I was, because I did not think they could find me," Thompson said last night. "At first I did not believe it was my wife who was killed, so did not pay much attention to the affair."

Has Not Seen Wife

Thomas has not seen or heard from his wife since 1905. They were married at Fargo N. D. From Fargo they went to Milwaukee and a month later they separated, Thompson going to Minneapolis and his wife going to Chicago.

He received two letters from her shortly after this, asking him to come to Chicago but he refused.

Thompson does not know J. H. Raymond the man with whom his wife was living in Chicago.

A School Teacher

It is stated that Thomas Edward Thompson who is now being sought by the police of Chicago on a charge of murdering his wife, at one time taught school at or near Reynolds, Grand Forks county. Three weeks ago he was in Fargo. He was employed as baggageman for the Great Northern in Fargo in 1904 and 1905. On Sept. 24, 1904 he contracted to purchase the east 60 feet of lot 7 block 10, Roberts second addition to the city of Fargo, being 814 Fourth avenue north.

Married in 1905

Dec. 19 he married Fannie Gilmore, Rev. Edward W. Day, Presbyterian preacher performing the ceremony. On the records his occupation is given as school teacher altho at this time he was occupied with the Great Northern. On May 16, 1905 Thompson disposed of his interest in the property he purchased to Bosard Bros., of Moorhead. It was originally held by Lester H. Bakfier.

Thompson is believed to have been in Crookston about three weeks ago and it is possible that he came to this city after leaving Fargo.

TEAM FOUND IN PASTURE

SMITH & SINCLAIR NOTIFIED THAT THEIR HORSES ARE AT LANGDON

THIEVES HITCHED FRESH TEAM TO SURREY AND ARE GOING YET

From Wednesday's Daily—

Smith & Sinclair the East Grand Forks liverymen received a message from the sheriff at Langdon last evening stating that their $450 black team stolen Saturday, had been located in a pasture near Langdon. The thief took another team from the pasture and went on his way with Smith & Sinclair's surrey and harness.

Police are scouring the country between here and East Grand Forks and west into Dakota in search of a livery rig stolen from East Grand Forks Saturday afternoon by a man and a woman.

The rig was the finest put out by the livery and was made up of a very dark brown gelding, nearly black, with lighter brown nose and flank, rangy, 1200 pounds and 8 years old and a mate very much similar, 5 years old, black, about same build and weight but a little more. The horses were harnessed with light hack harness trimmed in brass. The vehicle was a double seated extension top surrey.

A man about 5 feet 7 inches tall with a tall woman, dark complexion, appeared at Smith and Sinclair's livery at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon and secured the team. The man said his name was Henry Anderson. The couple drove southeast out of the city and have not been seen since or reported from any part of the country. The theft is the most mysterious as well as the most daring reported in this part of the state for some time.

BAND CONCERT AND PICNIC

ANNUAL AFFAIR BY BURNHAM CREEK BAND WILL BE HELD

SUNDAY JULY 12TH, AT AUNE'S GROVE, 7 MILES WEST OF CROOKSTON

From Tuesday's Daily—

On Sunday next July 12, at Aune's Grove the annual band concert and picnic will be held at Aune's Grove, 7 miles west of the city on the south side of the river, by the Burnham Creek band assisted by Ralph Carter as soloist.

Band concerts will be given from 11 till 12, and 2:30 till 4 p. m. Dinner will be served on the picnic grounds from 12 till 2.

The following selections will be played during the day by the band under the direction of Mr. G. O. Riggs.

Victorious Legions, March	Rosinkraus
Melodies from "The Bohemian Girl"	Balf
Serenade, "Sweetheart"	Howell
Grand Scandinavian Fantasia—"In the Vikings' Domain" arr.	Von Lenz
Our Colonel, March	Vandercook
Newton March	Dalberg
Athlone Overture	Scouton
Andante and Waltz	McQuade
Old Faithful, March	Holzman
Sacred March, "Romaine"	Gounod
Salute to Kansas City, March	Southwell

LIND CAN'T BE CANDIDATE

REGENT OF STATE UNIVERSITY BARS HIM FROM ALL

ELECTIVE OFFICES—DEMS MUST FIND OTHER GUBERNATORIAL TIMBER

From Friday's Daily—

John Lind is ineligible for the democratic nomination for governor. As a member of the board of regents of the university he is barred from holding elective office during the term for which he was appointed as regent and as Mr. Lind was appointed in March last for a six-year term, he will be ineligible to elective office until 1914.

In 1907 the legislature amended section 1407 of the Revised Laws of 1905 the section which dealt with the appointment of university regents. In the amendment the ten members of the board were named with the dates of their retirement, and it was further provided that "from and after the expiration of the terms of the aforesaid appointed members no appointed member of the board shall, during the term for which he is appointed, hold any other office elective or appointive under the state of Minnesota."

Strictly interpreted, this statute would bar Governor Lind as a gubernatorial possibility, even tho he should resign from the board of regents, for Mr. Lind was appointed as successor to James T. Wyman after the amendment went into effect.

Mr. Lind has never consented to the use of his name in connection with the democratic nomination, but there has been talk among democrats of the possibility of naming the former governor to head the democratic state ticket.

ROSEAU WILL BACK MATTSON

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS WILL PROBABLY BE SENT TO STATE LEGISLATURE

County Superintendent of Schools G. H. Mattson of Roseau Co., is an avowed candidate for representative to the state legislature from the 63rd district which comprises Marshall, Kittson and Roseau Counties, and will without doubt land as he will have the solid backing of Roseau County. Two years ago Roseau county had three candidates which so split up the votes that Marshall and Kittson landed both representatives and the state senator.

Representative Robertson is again a candidate from Argyle and he could not be beat with a club, so that it now looks like Robertson and Mattson from the 63rd.

PASS HOLDERS ARE REDUCED

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION WARNS RAILWAY MANAGERS

AGAINST ABUSE OF TRANSPORTATION PRIVILEGES—TROUBLE AHEAD

Issuance of passes by railroad companies has been hedged about with close restrictions by the interstate commerce commission. The companies must keep all pass records and must return passes returned by train conductors for five years.

When passes include members of a family or members of a car party, each must be named in the pass.

The commission has been aroused by abuse of the pass privileges and announces that it will recommend the prosecution of carriers and persons issuing passes not within the legal limit. The list of eligibles is reduced by the following eliminations:

"Officers or employees of news companies other than newsboys.

"Officers or employes of telegraph or telephone companies, excepting when personally engaged in operation extension, repair, or inspection of lines upon or along the railroad right of way and used in connection with the operation of the railroad.

"Officers or employees of surety, transfer, and baggage companies except baggage agents.

"Officers or employees of carriers not subject to the act to regulate commerce, including officers and agents of steamship and stage lines not subject thereto.

"Officers or employees of subsidiary corporations, which corporations engage in any employment for, or render any service to, others than the carrier save that such officers or employees may be granted free transportation when engaged on the business of the carrier.

"Families of local attorneys surgeons and others who are not regularly employed by carriers.

NEW CREAMERY FOR MC'INTOSH

MEETING TO BE HELD MONDAY TO DETRMINE THE PLANS

A big creamery meeting will be held next Monday at McIntosh for the purpose of determining plans for a new creamery to be built at that place. The creamery will be built to replace the old one. The business has been established for several years and the increase of the last few years demands additional facilities.

THE BACON HOG.

Press Bulletin No. 77, By A. J. McGuire, Supt. of Northeast Experimental Farm at Grand Rapids

Owing to the fact that corn is not grown in northern Minnesota as safely and abundantly as barley and peas it has been considered more profitable to raise a bacon breed of hogs rather than the lard breeds. For this reason a bacon breed (The Large Improved Yorkshire) has been raised exclusively on the Experimental Farm. It is this breed that is raised so extensively and profitably in Canada an don precisely the same feed as is grown here in abundance, clover, roots, barley, peas and the by-product of the dairy, skim milk.

The method of raising pigs on the Experiment Farm is to have the sows farrow in March and April. A good clover pasture is provided and the young pigs are turned on this when weaned at from six weeks to two months old. In connection with the clover pasture they are fed skim milk and a little shorts, 1 lb. to 3 pigs per day. Sept. 1 barley and peas are added to the ration. For two months they are fed as much as they will eat which generally brings them into prime condition for bacon. Their average dressed weight Nov. 1 is from 130 to 150 lbs. The average price for this kind of meat on the local market the past three years has been 8 1-2 cents a pound. The cost of producing it, including the feed of the brood sows during the winter has been 4 1-2 cents per lb., making a net profit of $4.00 per hundred. This profit may be considered good in hog raising in any section, even where corn is grown abundantly.

It is possible in this section of the state by the use of clover pasture and skim milk, and by having the pigs come early in the spring and disposing of them as soon as they can be fattened after the pasture season in the fall, to raise pigs as profitable as anywhere in the state. The increased demand for choice bacon makes this subject of raising bacon pigs in connection with dairying in this section of Minnesota a matter worthy of consideration.

During the past three years 8 pigs have been raised per sow on the Experiment Farm. This is a large average, but is characteristic of the Yorkshire breed to produce large litters and of strong constitution.

The brood sows on the Experimental Farm are wintered on second crop clover, boiled roots, skim milk and a very small allowance of grain (1-2 lb. per head a day.) They are comfortably housed, with access to a yard during the day, exercise being very necessary. They are bred in December to farrow in March, and only one litter a year. Fall pigs don't pay. Only brood sows should be carried thru the winter, and when a sow has proved to be a good mother she should be kept as long as she is productive, which is generally from 4 to 6 years.

The chief point to remember in raising pigs in this section of the state is that about the only feed that profitably can be realized from is clover pasture and skim milk. The expensive grains will only finish the product that has been grown on the inexpensive pasture and by-product of the dairy. Therefore aim to have the pigs come in early spring for them when they are ready for pasture.

The bulletins that have appeared previous to this and a few to follow concluding the 1907 report, will be put in pamphlet form, and any one desiring this publication may secure the same upon application.

Send your name and address on a postal card to the Northeast Experiment Farm, Grand Rapids, Minn., and it will be put on file for all future publications.

SECOND MONEY FOR CROOKS

RED LAKE FALLS TAKES LARGEST MONEY OF FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT

CROOKSTON WILL HOLD BIG TOURNAMENT NEXT JULY FOR FIREMEN

From Friday's Daily—

Crookston's Fire Department left Thief River Falls yesterday with second largest money prize of the tournament. The Crookstonites showed up well in the seconds thruout the contest and took some of the most important of the first prizes. Red Lake Falls got the highest money in prizes carrying away $260. Crookston got $180 in prizes.

Three hundred Crookston people attended the tournament during the 3 days and twenty five fire laddies from the city took part in the contests.

The tournament closed up in one of the most enthusiastic exhibitions by all bands and firemen at the tournament ever seen at any of the Northern Minnesota meetings. Crookston was a leader in a big parade that formed and the big banner of the 25,000 Club was in the front ranks in the midst of jubilant firemen.

Tournament Results

The results of the tournament are here detailed:

The association hose race, won by Red Lake Falls 23 1-5 seconds, Crookston 2nd 25 2-5 seconds, Thief River Falls 3rd 26 seconds. Warren failed to connect couplings.

Ladder climbing race, P. Bealeau of Red Lake Falls 8 1-5 seconds, A. A. Ecklund, Warren 8 1-5 split, George Carlson Crookston 8 2-5 seconds.

Coupling contest, Dennis of Bemidji, 4 seconds, Red Lake Falls 4 3-5 seconds, Harris of Crookston 5 seconds.

Association hook and ladder race Crookston 25 seconds, Red Lake Falls 25 4-5 seconds, Warren divided 2nd and 3rd money with Red Lake Falls, making same time to a tie.

Thief River Falls made 27 seconds in this race.

One hundred yard dash, J. Staska of Warren 10 1-5, N. A. Toupin of Red Lake Falls 10 1-5 split, George Ruth, Crokston 10 1-5 split.

Flag race, Red Lake Falls 66 3-5 seconds, amateur record of the state; Warren 67 1-5, Crookston 70 4-5, Thief River Falls 71 1-5.

Hub and hub race, Red Lake Falls 23 2-5 seconds, Warren 23 2-5, Thief River Falls 25, Crookston 25 1-5.

Combination hook and ladder and hose race Red Lake Falls 23 4-5 seconds, Crookston 24, Warren 25 3-5, Thief River Falls 28 3-5.

Service wet test, Thief River Falls 25 3-5 seconds, Crookston 28 2-5, Warren 28 3-5, Red Lake Falls broke their coupling.

CHAS. PETERSON WANTS $300 MORE

Chas. E. Peterson, as administrator for the estate of Nels P. Peterson deceased has appealed to the district court from the supervisors ruling on the establishment of a road thru and over property owned by him and against which condemnation proceedings hang. He was assessed $50 damages with on offset of $15 benefits. He wants $350 for land. The land is the NW 1-4 of NW 1-4 23 and NE 1-4 22 in Hill river. The suit is brought against H. L. Larson, John Enarson and C. R. Kjos, supervisors.

FIRECRACKERS FATAL TO TWO

Two boys, Zola and Ownie Rebarge were burned to death at Rice Lake, Minn., yesterday. They were playing with firecrackers in a barn and set the building on fire.

So rapidly did the flames sweep the structure that the children were overcome before they could escape.

The fire department was called and when the flames had been subdued search revealed the lads' bodies.

Zola was four years old and his brother six.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

FINE OUTLOOK IN NORTHWEST

MINNESOTA, NORTH AND SOUTH DAKOTA TO HAVE BUMPER CROP THIS YEAR

TOTAL OF 200,000,000 BUSHELS OF WHEAT FOR THE THREE STATES

From Thursday's Daily—

The month of June leaves the northwest in a condition promising bountiful crops, notwithstanding much bad weather and the wettest June for many years. The approximate total of 200,000,000 bushels of wheat for Minnesota, North and South Dakota remains a reasonable expectation from the present stand of the grain.

North Dakota is in fine condition. Last year the season being late, that state produced 55,130,000 bushels of wheat. This does not begin to measure the state's productive possibilities for in the season before that North Dakota raised 77,96,000 bushels and in the year before that 75,623,000. That North Dakota has a stand today warranting expectation of 80,000,000 bushels is a conservative statement. That the edge will be taken off thru the summer is possible but nothing aside from actual calamity could reduce it now to as low a total as last year.

In South Dakota

South Dakota producer of 45,000,000 to 50,000,000 bushels of wheat in a good year, has a prospect somewhat broken into by local damage yet so maintained on the whole as to promise a big crop. Corn in South Dakota amounted olny to 47,000,000 bushels last year, but the state has produced 62,000,000 bushels in a good season, and altho corn everywhere has been late, the outlook now is for a good crop in South Dakota.

Minnesota

Minnesota with her record of 80,000,000 bushels of wheat—which was not attained last year, when production fell to 67,600,000—had a promise for a bumper crop which has been lowered in some degree by the excessive rains and floods in southern Minnesota. Mainly, however, that part of the state is given over to coarse grains. The 50,000,000 bushels of oats and 30,000,000 bushels of barley that, in a good year, Minnesota ought to produce, may be attained, but in wheat the state stands well up, with the important Red River Valley promising better this season than for five years past.

Yield May Fall

Wheat is heading all along the line thru central South Dakota southern South Dakota being well headed out. Farmers near Lintonville, Minn., will cut oats in fifteen days and they report wheat and barley heading.

Some samples of wheat and barley headed out and flax in blossom are reported from a few Red River Valley points.

INDIAN WEDDING AT STATE FAIR

EVENT TO BE CELEBRATED IN THE INDIAN VILLAGE

In a letter received by C. N. Cosgrove secretary of the Minnesota State Fair, from Major C. B. Jackson, Indian at Sisseton Agency in South Dakota, it was suggested that a marriage in the Indian village, which is to be established on the Fair Grounds during fair week, might be an interesting feature of the fair.

Maj. Jackson who is to bring 300 Sioux from his agency to the fair, writes that there are several couples in the party who have indicated a desire to be married on the fair grounds, and it is quite possible that this feature will be arranged for. The event will receive ample publicity thru the newspapers so that all who wish to see one of the brave warriors joined in wedlock to a coy and winsome squaw will undoubtedly have the opportunity at some time during the fair.

Killed at Crossing.

Des Moines, July 3.—One man was killed, two were seriously injured and a half dozen were slightly hurt in a wreck when a Chicago Great Western work train crashed into the Rock Island & Indianola local at the East Sixteenth street crossing.

Fell Dead in Street.

Winona, Minn., July 3. — Gustav Rohland died suddenly of heart trouble as he was walking from his residence to the business part of the city. He was over sixty years old.

Child's Foot Mowed Off.

St. Paul, July 3.—Tillie Reihcstadt, four years old, of Inver Grove got in the way of her father's mower and had her left foot cut off. It is believed she will live.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

FIND BODY OF INFANT

BODY OF BABY IS FOUND BURIED ON CIRCUS GROUNDS IN FERGUS FALLS

THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN CHILD OF PEOPLE CONNECTED WITH THE CIRCUS

From Thursday's Daily—

Workmen who were digging in the vicinity of the circus tents at Fergus Falls found the body of a new born infant Tuesday afternoon. The body was wrapped in a piece of cloth enclosed in a small box and was buried at a depth of six or seven inches below the surface of the ground. It had apparently been buried only a week or two and it is suggested that it may have been the child of some of the people connected with the former circus. There was a name in the box but it was written in indelible ink and the rain had soaked in, causing the letters to run together. As a consequence, it is very difficult to decipher. In the absence of Coroner Haugen, no one had authority to remove the body and it was re-buried where it was found. The coroner is expected home from the state convention today and it is probable an inquest will be held tomorrow.

$20,000 FOR SECTION 19

CHAS. A. FORD OF HOWARD COUNTY INDIANA MAKES A PURCHASE

Transfer was completed today of section 19 in the township of Hammond in Polk county from William Austin to Chas. A. Ford of Howard County, Indiana. The consideration was $20,000 or about $32 an acre.

TO HEAD OFF TAX DODGERS

In order to check some of the abuses which have grown up in the matter of taxes the state tax commission adopted a set of rules relating to applications for reduction, abatement or refundment of taxes. Copies of the rules are now being sent out to the county auditors and in the future only such applications as conform to these rules will be considered by the commission.

Regular meetings of the commission for the consideration of applications will be held on the third Monday in each month, when all persons will have an opportunity to be heard upon any pending application, and none will be heard upon any pending application, and none will be heard at any other time except for extraordinary reasons requiring immediate action. The rules also provide the form of application and the action to be taken by the local authorities before the applications are sent to the commission and general rules covering the subject.

ROLSCH PURCHASES A CHOICE FARM

Ernest Rolsch yesterday purchased the Sid Lytle farm consisting of a fine half section of land in Roome township. This is the original J. R. Roome farm, after whom the township was named, and a better 320 acres cannot be found in Polk Co. The deal was closed thru the land firm of McPhee and Brown and the price paid was a good round one. Mr. Rolsch made his money in the Red River Valley and thinks Red River soil is as good an investment as could be made. He will not turn farmer himself, but will nevertheless maintain as up-to-date a farm as can be found in the valley.

Murderer Is Hanged.

Wethersfield, Conn., July 2. — John Waslie'esky was hanged at the state prison here at midnight for the murder of John Lukeswicz, at Westville, a suburb of New Haven, on the night of Dec. 3, 1903. The murder was the result of a quarrel over Lukeswicz's wife.

Lad Drowned on Excursion.

St. Paul, July 2.—The joint excursion of the St. Peter's Episcopal church and the Church of the Messiah came to a sad ending down the river last evening, when Vincent, the twelve-year-old son of Sharrock D. Price, fell overboard and was drowned.

Hero Also Meets Death.

Miles City, Mont., July 4.—Michael Peteff and Goncho Otnigicoff, Bulgarian laborers on the Milwaukee road, were drowned in Fallon creek, near Lacomb, the latter while trying to assist the former.

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FORGER GETS IN HIS WORK

SCANDIA AND SVEA HOTELS BOTH CASHED FORGED CHECKS SAME EVENING

CHECKS WERE FORGED ON THE ATLAS LUMBER CO.—NO CLUES

From Friday's Daily—

A week ago, June 26, about 7 o'clock a stranger entered the Svea Hotel and succeeded in cashing a check for $21.75 which was supposed to have been drawn in favor of Knute C. Olson by the Atlas Lumber Co., and the name of E. W. Hanson as manager was attached to the check. The same evening, but a few minutes later the same party cashed a check for $21.50 at the Scandia hotel drawn in favor of Ole C. Knuteson and also signed by the Atlas Lumber Co., and E. W. Hanson as manager.

Not till today was it discovered that the checks were forgeries. As a matter of fact E. W. Hanson was succeeded as local manager of the Atlas Lumber Co., months ago by Manager Potts. Neither the Scandia nor Svea hotel proprietors can give an adequate description of the forger and it is probable that he will never be apprehended.

Of course Ole or Knute represented that he was employed by the Atlas Lumber Co., and was very smooth, but as he was a total stranger to both hotels the checks should not have been cashed. As a matter of fact no business man should cash a check unless he knows the party. It would have been a very easy matter to have phoned the Atlas Lumber Co., and found out about the checks before they were cashed. Now it's "goodbye Hiram" as far as Knute, Ole, et al. is concerned.

HIGHNESS TAKES FERTILE GALLERY

C. H. Highness for a long time connected with the Borghen, Cooper and Chesterman studios in this city left south yesterday afternoon for Fertile where he will take charge of the Fertile branch of Chesterman's gallaries which branch he has lately purchased Mr. Highness has been one of the experts in the photography world in the north valley and his work is well known.

The less famous a man is the easier it is for him to dodge his creditors.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

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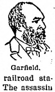
July 2 In History.



Garfield.

1724—Frederick Theophilus Klopstock, German poet, born: died 1803.

1850—Sir Robert Peel, British Liberal statesman, died; born 1788.

1881—President James A. Garfield shot in the railroad station at Washington. The assassin proved to be Charles J. Guiteau, a disappointed applicant for office.

1896—Harriet Beecher Stowe, American author, died; born 1811.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:29; 2 p. m., earth at aphelion, farthest from sun; moon at apogee, farthest from earth.

MADE FINAL PROOFS—Commutation proof was made this morning in the Crookston United States land office by Aslak Tvettekken at Garnes, on Red Lake lands. Final proof was also made by Anton E. Lindgren of Park Minnesota.

TO NORTH DAKOTA—Geo. W. Ebbighausen left yesterday for Adams, N. D., where he will look over the ground and if satisfied may decide to locate there permanently. Until he has made definite plans his family will remain in Crookston.

PAUPERS RETURNED — Sheriff Peterson of Norman Co., has returned from Greenbush where he took a widow and several children who came from Greenbush nearly a year ago and located at Ada, since which time it has been necessary for Norman Co., to assist in supporting the family As they had not been at Ada a year, they were proper charges for Roseau Co.

AFTER 25 YEARS—George Ismon, who has been at Bonner Ferry in Idaho in the employ of the Grand Forks Lumber Company for some time, arrived here a few days ago and left this morning for Michigan where he will visit his old home after an absence of 25 years. He says he will remain a month probably, if the old timers have not all departed. He went via Duluth and the Great Lakes and expects a very enjoyable trip.

IMPROVING RAPIDLY—Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experimental Farm returned this morning from Minneapolis where he submitted to a slight operation. He is recovering nicely and will soon be about as spry as ever. It is something of a surprise to his many friends how he found time to submit to an operation even, as he is about the busiest man in Northern Minnesota.

PROBATE STEENERSON WILL—The first move was made today in probating the will of Andrew Steenerson, who died May 18 last. Chris. Steenerson witness of the will appeared before the court today and swore as to its authenticity. $25,000 is involved to be divided among five heirs Bertha Steenerson aged 49, widow; Steener Steenerson aged 25 and Arne Steenerson, sons; and Nora and Orbta Steenerson, daughters.

This morning at 9 o'clock a horse driven by Ike Simmons, 302 Main St., father of Fred Simmons, one of the Lyceum proprietors, became frightened at an automobile belonging to N. P. Stone & Co., and Mr. Simmons dismounted from the carriage to hold the animal. The automobile approached and the horse plunged sidewise tramping Mr. Simmons under its hoofs and charging across his body on its flight down the street.

At latest reports Ike Simmons was suffering considerably from an injured jaw and severe bruises about his body and will be confined to his bed for some time.

River Slowly Receding.

St. Paul, July 4. — The Mississippi has continued its backward movement at an increasing rate. It was but two feet above the danger line at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and at the rate of falling increased .1 of a foot over the previous twenty-four hours.

Sale to Drunkard Costs License.

Little Falls, July 4. — The city council refused to give John Dolan a renewal of his license to sell intoxicating liquors. He pleaded guilty to selling liquor to a posted habitual drunkard a few days ago and was fined $50 and costs.

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

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July 3 In History.

1863—Decisive day at Gettysburg; Pickett's charge repulsed.

1898—Spanish squadron destroyed by the American fleet after escaping from Santiago harbor.

1904—Japanese destroyers repulsed in an attack on the Russian fleet at Port Arthur.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:31, rises 4:30; 2 a. m., planets Venus and Neptune in conjunction.

July 4 In History.

1826—John Adams, second president of the United States, died; born 1735. Thomas Jefferson, third president of the United States, died; born 1743.

1831—James Monroe, fifth president, died; born 1758.

1898—Truce at Santiago.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:30, rises 4:31; 5 p. m., planet Mercury in conjunction with the sun, passing that body from east to west on the nearer side; sun's diameter today 31 minutes 31½ seconds of arc; the same Jan. 2, 32 minutes 35¾ seconds of arc; earth 3,250,000 miles farther from the sun now than in January.

BUTTONS IN KANSAS — Joel G. Winkjer assistant dairyman for the government in Manhattan, Kansas, purchased two buttons of Secretary J. F. Moore of the 25,000 Club today which he will bear south with him when he goes next Thursday.

BACK FROM CONVENTION—H. E. Holm, Ole E. Oie and R. H. Medicraft Roseau; J. J. Padden and ... M. Watson of Red Lake Falls; H. C. Dobner and John W. Eastman of Thief River Falls and Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls were passengers on Steve Withey's special north this morning.

TOOK SUMMER SCHOOL WORK—R. G. Bartlett the well known teacher who has been taking special work at the summer term at the Moorhead State Normal school returned this morning and will spend the summer here. He leaves this evening for Grand Forks where he will visit for a few days.

STATE AGENT HERE—J. L. Cahoon, the state agent for the Phoenix Insurance Co., spent yesterday here from St. Paul in conference with Magnus Lundberg, the local agent and found everything here to his satisfaction. The company is doing a nice business in this section of the country.

FRANK LYCAN HERE—Frank Lycan, formerly of Hotel Crookston here and now proprietor of Hotel Markham at Bemidji, has been spending a day or two in the city visiting with friends and attending to business here. He returned home this morning.

WERE WELL TREATED — J. D. Ball whose new name is "Fuel" Ball as he is making a specialty of furnishing people with stuff to cook dinners with and furnish hot stuff during the winter, spent yesterday at Thief River Falls taking in the Firemen's tournament and says the people of Thief River are a hospitable bunch and dished up a good time to all the visitors.

William Jeffreys 3009 Lawrence avenue, Toledo, Ohio, will die as a result of injuries received last night at the P. A. Tower a station a couple of miles west of Grand Forks on the Great Northern. His right leg was completely crushed off close to the hip. Jeffreys lay by the side of the track until the entire train had passed over his leg. It was a long time before his cries brought assistance. He was hurried to the Deaconess hospital and Drs. O'Keefe and Irwin were called to look after the case.

CUTTING RED MEN IS CHARGE.

Negro Is Arrested for Alleged Assault on Indians.

Walker, Minn., July 4. — H. E. Nason, marshal of the village of Bena, has brought Ben Hawkins, colored, here to await the action of the next term of the district court. Hawkins was arrested on the charge of cutting two Indians, Peter Kickum and John Rabbitt, with a knife. The condition of the Indians is serious, but Dr. Smith of Cass Lake, who dressed their wounds, says they will live.

D. D. HORTON FOR SHERIFF

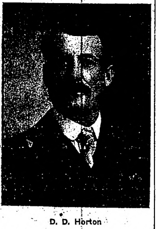
IS THE NINTH CANDIDATE TO FILE FOR REPUBLICAN NOMINATION

HAS BEEN A RESIDENT OF THE COUNTY FOR PAST 27 YEARS

This afternoon D. D. Horton, one of the pioneer residents filed as a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff of Polk Co., making the 9th candidate to enter the race.

Mr. Horton, known to all the old timers of the county of "Deck" has been a resident of Crookston for the past 27 years, coming here from Niagara, Welland Co., Canada in 1881 and since his arrival has not been away from Polk county a year all told.

During his entire residence here, Mr. Horton has been a consistent republican—clear to the core, and has never before been a condidate for any office, but has worked hard for the election of republican candidates, being one of the hustlers for votes when votes were badly needed.



D. D. Horton

The latest candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff of Polk County.

Mr. Horton has entered the race to win, and will make an active campaign. His wide acquaintance thruout the country, and his general popularity will make him a formidable candidate. He goes on the assumption that "the last shall be first and the first shall be last" and if this quotation from the Good Book is applicable he stands a mighty good chance of winning out at the primaries on September 15th.

MAIN BUILDINGS CLEAR OF FAKIRS

MAIN BUILDING AT STATE FAIR GROUNDS TO BE CLEARED OF FAKIRS

At the last meeting of the board of managers of the state fair several communications were read from various business concerns of both Minneapolis and St. Paul in reference to the discontinuance of selling space in the aisles to small concessioners. It has been the custom to sell so much space in the aisles of the main building that the exhibitors felt as if they were not warranted in going to the expense of making elaborate exhibits when the aisles were so crowded that their exhibits could not be properly displayed.

As the concessions in this building have always been a big source of revenue by the state fair, the management was naturally reluctant in agreeing to discontinue selling the aisles space, but as nearly all of the exhibitors who have booths in the main building have expressed a desire to pay for their booth in order to recompense the fair management for the loss they would have, they decided to bar fakirs from the building, and this year's fair will see the main building entirely free from peddlers of small jewelry novelties, spectacles, etc. This will not only be appreciated by the exhibitor but by the public at large.

Murder by Boy Justified.

Raleigh, N. C., July 4. — The coroner's jury in the case of Engineer B. M. Stultz of the Seaboard Air line, who was killed Wednesday night in this city, acquitted Turner Smith, the nineteen-year-old boy who admitted shooting Stultz because he was playing the part of "Peeping Tom" at the house where the boy's sisters lived.

Revolution in Paraguay.

Buenos Ayres, July 4. — It is reported here that a revolution has broken out in Paraguay.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Cures Colds: Prevents Pneumonia

ALFALFA FOR THE NORTH

WINKJER URGES DEVELOPMENT OF CROP IN NORTH COUNTRY SOILS

FOUR CROPS TO YEAR SECURED IN KANSAS—FIVE IN OKLAHOMA

Joel J. Winkjer, formerly deputy state dairy inspector and resident at Crookston, now assistant dairyman at Manhattan, Kansas, for the United States government with a territory covering Kansas and surrounding states, says that northern Minnesota farmers should develop the alfalfa crop more than they do and secure some of the fruit of its growth which other parts of the country are now doing.

Mr. Winkjer states that in Oklahoma farmers are securing five crops of alfalfa every year and in Kansas they are securing four crops every year. The soils in northern Minnesota are not unfitted for the growth of this grass which is so salable when shipped east and is one of the best feeds grown. Three crops would not be an over-estimate of what could be secured in this territory and the stalk would be of hardier quality.

Mr. Winkjer is well acquainted with the soils and conditions of this north country and is very confident that when the farmers have mastered the growth of alfalfa here it will be one of the staple crops. Some have tried it already and have not met with perfect success, but the same was true at one time of the farmers of Kansas.

Osmund K. Vinlos, Lars E. Ofte, Torger K. Vinlos and Aslak B. Mandt all of Kratka postoffice in Red Lake county are at the United States land office today making commutation proof on homesteads in their vicinity.

WARM WELCOME FOR SHERMAN

Homecoming of Vice Presidential Candidate Made Occasion of Demonstration.

Utica, N. Y., July 4.—The homecoming last night of Congressman James S. Sherman was made the occasion of such a demonstration as has rarely been seen in this section of the state. The welcome to the Republican candidate for vice president was a non-partisan affair and to a great extent personal. The congressman's recently somewhat alarming illness gave additional reason for public rejoicing on his safe return.

Mr. Sherman, accompanied by Mrs. Sherman and Dr. Carter, reached here on the New York express from the west at 9:18 o'clock last evening. As his train drew into the station bands played, fireworks were set off and church chimes rang out. In Bagg's Square and every other spot adjacent to the New York Central station thousands of persons were crowded. Mr. Sherman stepped from the train slowly, looking pale and worn. But he had stood the journey, his physician said, very well. A monster procession formed in the vicinity of the station and escorted the candidate to his home.

SCHINNER AT HOME.

Warmly Welcomed at Superior on Return From Europe.

Superior, Wis., July 4. — A great crowd greeted Bishop A. F. Schinner upon his return to the city last night from his European trip. He was accompanied by several priests of the diocese who had met him at Ashland. A procession was formed and the bishop was escorted to the Sacred Heart cathedral, where he gave the papal benediction. A reception followed.

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy. They will strain out all waste matter from the blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy and it will make you well. Sold by all druggists.

Cheap Living In Norway.

"It is a good scheme," said a rich man, "to spend the summer in Norway. The Norwegian climate is superb, the scenery is grand, and the living is cheap—a dollar a day at the hotels and carriages at a half dollar a day. One fine thing about Norway is that in the summer the night only lasts a couple of hours, and if you go as far as the North cape there is no night at all, but the sun circles round and round the horizon and never sinks below. The Norwegian rivers abound in fish, and any one is free to angle for trout in them. The salmon rivers, though, are strictly preserved. Some of the salmon rivers are very fine and rent for as much as $2,000 a year. I know a man who has a river only two miles long that he pays $1,800 for. He often gets fish sixty or seventy pounds. The day I called on him his wife came in with a forty pounder, a twenty-two pounder and a fifty-one pounder that she had caught herself within three hours."

TEXAS IS CHARGED WITH BAD FAITH

Mexico Will Ask United States to Punish Authorities of Del Rio, Texas.

FAILED TO DO THEIR DUTY

Allowed Las Vacas Raiders to Return to Texas Unmolested—Washington Praised.

City of Mexico, July 4.—Mexico will ask the United States to punish severely the local authorities of Del Rio, Tex., and possibly others of the state under whose authority they acted. The grounds will be that the officers knowingly failed in their duty by allowing persons who took part in the Las Vacas raid to return to the Texas side of the river unmolested and to bring with them their wounded.

Punishment may also be asked for the authorities and police of Del Rio for allowing meetings to be held there for the purpose of fomenting and planning raids, murder and robbery in Mexico.

Charge Bad Faith to Texas.

The latter request, however, will be contingent upon investigations not yet completed, which have for their purpose the ascertaining the amount of knowledge which the police of Del Rio had of the meetings.

This new phase of the international side of the trouble in Northern Mexico was made known yesterday by Minister Mariscal of the foreign relations department. Bad faith toward Mexico by the state of Texas in the recent trouble is very strongly suspected by the Mexican government.

Pleased With Washington.

"The action of Washington has been the very best," said Minister Mariscal yesterday. "Not only has the United States government shown itself willing and eager to assist Mexico, but took quick steps to move troops to the border, evidencing a degree of friendliness which cannot be questioned, but admired.

"The sincerity of Texas, however," he declared, "appears to be another matter.

"Our doubts in regard to Texas have begun to increase with developments. The failure of local authorities to arrest these men on the ground that their offense was political, in my mind, has no tenable excuse."

Raiders Return to Del Rio.

The minister called attention to the fact that about 100 men held a series of meetings in Del Rio, which could hardly have taken place in secrecy. A large number of raiders also returned to Del Rio, after the trouble and carried with them wounded men, an act that could hadly have been performed in secret.

URGES HITCHCOCK FOR PLACE

Secretary Cortelyou Gives Taft Information Regarding Campaign Work.

Washington, July 4. — Two conferences of importance were held yesterday by Judge William H. Taft, the first being with Speaker Cannon and the second with Secretary of the Treasury George B. Cortelyou. Concerning neither conference was much disclosed.

Speaker Cannon, at the conclusion of his talk with Judge Taft, said that he had called on the Republican standard bearer merely to pay his respects and to renew his assurances, given in his telegram on the day of the nomination, that he could be depended upon to furnish any assistance in his power to insure the election of Judge Taft.

In the afternoon Judge Taft had an hour's talk with Secretary Cortelyou. The interview covered a wide range of political topics. Primarily it was Judge Taft's idea to talk with Mr. Cortelyou about the work of the national committee, of which Secretary Cortelyou gave Judge Taft much valuable information concerning the practical workings of the committee. Incidentally, although the subject of the national chairman was not considered at great length, Secretary Cortelyou took occasion to urge the selection of Frank H. Hitchcock.

Judge Taft, Mrs. Taft and their son Charlie, accompanied by a clerical force and servants, will leave Washington to-day for Hot Springs.

TEACHERS ARE NEEDED.

Polk Superintendent Urges Persons Qualified to Try for Schools.

Crookston, Minn., July 4. — Supt. Casey of the Polk county schools has issued official notice of a teachers' institute, to be opened in this city on July 27 next, and to continue for one week. On the Monday following the teachers' examinations will open and will continue for three days.

The announcement of the county superintendent calls attention to scarcity of teachers and urges all qualified persons living in this part of the country to attend.

If absence makes the heart grow fonder, it's up to the wise young man to go home early.

NINE PERISH IN FAST MAIL WRECK

California Limited and St. Joseph Express Meet in Head-on Collision.

CRASH OCCURS IN HEAVY FOG

Believed That Failure of California Limited to Take Siding Caused the Wreck.

Knobnoster, Mo., July 4. — Nine persons were killed and a score of passengers were badly injured yesterday morning in a wreck near here.

The fast Missouri Pacific California limited and the St. Joseph express, bound to St. Louis, met head-on between Lamont and Knobnoster. The cause of the collision has not been determined, but it is believed the failure of the California limited to take the siding near Knobnoster caused the wreck.

The track at the scene is level and without curves, but a heavy fog prevailed at the time and prevented the engineers from seeing ahead any distance.

Debris Catches Fire.

The locomotives were smashed and the mail, baggage and forward coaches were badly broken up. Part of the debris caught fire.

A special train bearing all available physicians in Sedalia went to the scene, and the dead and injured will be brought back there. The California limited carried two mail cars, a baggage car, two chair cars, two sleepers and an observation dining car.

The wreckage of the engines and mail cars was in such a chaotic shape that not until the wrecking train cleared it away to a large extent was it positively determined how many dead were in the debris.

DRAINAGE BY GOVERNMENT

CONSIDERED STILL POSSIBLE BY PARTIES ACQUAINTED WITH PROGRESS

FEDERAL DRAINAGE OF NORTH MAY NOT YET BE ABANDONED

The appeal to the federal congress for assistance in the drainage of northern Minnesota is not altogether abandoned by the advocates of drainage and the demand will still continue The National Drainage Association will not cease its efforts and its members believe that there are still hopes of getting the government to establish a revolving fund for the drainage of its lands thruout the country, much of which is included in Minnesota.

The drainage minions do not take the bill passed by the last house making Minnesota a trustee for the drainage of all public lands in its borders as a rebuff. They believe it is an advance and only a step toward actual help from the government.

At any rate the activity for federal drainage will still go on at Washington.

JOHNSON TO BE ON BOARD

ARRANGEMENT MADE FOR MEET. OF STUDENTS OF TUBERCULOSIS

DR. HOLTE, CROOKSTON, ONE OF COMMITTEE TO GET REPRESENTATION

From Friday's Daily—

Governor Johnson of Minnesota has agreed to serve as one of the vice presidents of the international congress on tuberculosis which is to be held in Washington, under the auspices of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, from Sept. 21 to Oct. 12. Governor Johnson indicated his interest in the congress several months ago by authorizing the secretary of the state board of health to take whatever steps were necessary to secure adequate representation of the state in the congress and in the exhibition to be held in conection with it.

Dr. Henry M. Bracken of St. Paul is chairman and Dr. Christopher Easton of St. Paul is secretary of the committee which is to arrange for Minnesota's participation in the congress.

Dr. H. Holte of Crookston is a member of the committee.

Boy Drowns In Reservoir.

Casselton, N. D., July 4. — A boy of eighteen years, whose name has [illegible] been [illegible] was drowned in [illegible] reservoir [illegible]

THE ANTIS ARE FUSSY

W. A. RICE SAYS A BIG FIGHT IS BEING PUT UP AGAINST SALOONS

70 COLLEGE STUDENTS HAVE BEEN TURNED LOOSE THRUOUT THE STATE

W. A. Rice of Fergus Falls who is in charge of the county option campaign in the 9th congressional district has been spending the past few days in Polk county trying to get a man to make the race for the nomination for the state legislature on the prohibition ticket but has abandoned the idea. His plan was to have B. B. Larson of Nielsville, a banker, make the run so that in case the present representatives, John Saugstad and John Holton, both of whom are running on a county option platform, should be defeated at the primaries the county optionists could rally to the support of the prohibitionist candidate.

Messrs. Holton and Saugstad however, do not take kindly to the plan, believing that it would divide their support and possibly result in the defeat of both of them.

Mr. Rice states that a corps of 70 young colege anti-saloon workers have been turned loose in Minnesota and will remain at work till after the primaries and some of them till after the election. It was the first intention to secure about 106 of them, and have every voting precinct in the state, 2666 in number, visited by personal workers and organized for the approaching fight at the primaries. However 70 were all that could be secured and the best will be made of their time.

Mr. Rice claims that Supt. Mattson of Roseau County and Representative Donald Robertson of Marshall County both of whom have filed for the nomination for the legislature from the 63rd district are making the run on an out and out county option platform and that Wold of Norman county is also pledged. He asserts that the northwestern portion of Minnesota at the present time is a hotbed of county option sentiment, and that there will be things doing at the next session of the state legislature as all candidates must come out in the open on this proposition, and those opposed to the anti-saloon movement will be targets for the efforts of the prohibitionist, and the anti-saloon league and the county optionists.

PASTOR ASKS FOR DAMAGES

REV. EDWIN S. SHAW OF MINOT ASKS $2,037.50 FROM FARGO

FORMER CROOKSTON PASTOR WANTS DAMAGES FOR INJURIES

From Tuesday's Daily—

Notice of claim was last evening served on the Fargo city council by Rev. Edwin S. Shaw, formerly of Fargo, and also pastor of the Congregational church at Crookston, but now engaged in Sunday school and missionary work in the northwestern part of North Dakota and Montana, with headquarters at Minot, N. D., who asks $2,037.50 for alleged permanent injuries which he claims to have received June 9, as the reesult of a defective sidewalk on First aveinue north in front of the Stone Music House at Fargo. It is stated in the notice that the walk was left in an uneven and unsafe condition and that a bone in his right foot was broken as a result.

Rev. Shaw was in Fargo attending a meeting of the board of directors of the Fargo college when the accident occurred an account of which was given in the Journal at the time.

On motion of Alderman Amerland the claim was rejected. Alderman Amerland and City Engineer Crabbe stated that they both believed the walk was not in an unsafe condition.

THINKS THE BUGS BOTHERING HIM

Sheriff Nelson of Red Lake county passed thru here last night on his way to Fergus Falls having in charge an insane patient by the name of Jos. Demers of Lambert, Minn. Joe thinks the bugs are bothering him and is much engaged in shooing them away. Sometimes dragons and other species seem to appear to him and he gets too active for his relatives.

FATALLY INJURED

JENS STRANDQUIST HAD CHEST CRUSHED BY LOADED WAGON JULY 4TH

FELL OVER DASH BOARD IN ATTEMPT TO USE HIS CAP FOR HORSE WHIP

Jens Strandquist, 20 years of age was fatally injured the night of July 4th while driving home from Strandquist a small town on the Soo where with a party of 8 men he had been celebrating the Fourth.

It seems that several barrels of beer had figured in the celebration, and a keg or two more was taken along for the ride home. Young Strandquist thought the horses were not going fast enough and reaching over the dash board to slap one of the horses with his hat, he lost his balance and fell to the ground, the heavily loaded narrow tired wagon passing over his chest.

The physician at New Folden was sent for and rushed to the scene of accident but stated that the internal injuries were fatal and gave no hope of recovery. At last reports the injured man was still alive but his vitality was slowly ebbing away.

The unfortunate young man is a brother of John Strandquist, the merchant after which the village of Strandquist is named.

A BANNER CROP WEEK

ALL GRAIN IS FORGING AHEAD WITH GREAT RAPIDITY

A COPIOUS SHOWER WOULD BE BENEFICIAL TO THE LATE GRAIN

Another excellent week for the Valley crops has passed and all grains remain in strictly first class condition The early wheat, oats and barley is heading nicely and the heads are coming out long and plump. The cool weather is ideal for the advanced grain specially and could not be better for the development of long heads In a few localities the need of a good shower for the later sown grain is beginning to be felt, but there will be no great need for rain for several days to come. The advanced grain could stand several weeks of dry weather without injury, but the latter sown grain could forge ahead faster with a good copious shower within the next few days.

The hay crop is developing rapidly, and some hay has been cut already tho haying will not be on generally till the last of this week or the first of next. Both tame and wild hay will make the best crop in years. and all of it can be harvested as there is no water standing in this section excepting in the bed of sloughs.

OLD RESIDENTS OF READ'S LANDING

ORGANIZE AN ASSOCIATION IN TWIN CITIES—HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

This morning Otto Burkhardt and several other former residents of Reeds Landing, Minn., received a notice from Wm. B. Mohler, Corn Exchange Building, Minneapolis, to the effect that a Read's Landing Association had been organized in the Twin Cities with Fred A. Bill, President and Wm. B. Mohler secretary. The society is composed of old residents of Reads Landing, Minn., and has quite a large membership in St. Paul and Minneapolis. The secretary was aware that about a score in Crookston and vicinity are eligible to membership and desires to enroll as honorary members all who are located in this section.

The association plans to hold reunions, picnics, etc., in the future and renew old friendships. Mr. Burkhardt went to school to Mrs. Mohler at Reads Landing, her maiden name having been Miss Brown. Mr. Mohler in the early days was bookkeeper at Reads Landing for Holmes & Co., and President Bill of the association was formerly clerk for the Diamond Joe steamboat line running to Reads Landing.

The old residents of Reads Landing located here are much pleased over the organization and practically all of them will at once become enrolled as members and will look forward with pleasure to the next reunion.

WATCH DOG OF PENSIONS

HOW PENSIONS ARE DISTRIBUTED AMONG OLD U. S. A. SOLDIERS

DISBURSE $166,000,000 THIS YEAR AMONG VETERANS AND WIDOWS

Once in three months every hundredth person or more in this country looks to Washington for money. Most of them don't get much, but usually what they do get is very important to their happiness, for these men and women are those who fought and suffered for the country in time of war. A grateful government has not forgotten their services and annually gives them enough money in the aggregate to run fifty five cities the size of St. Paul.

The man who has charge of the disbursement of this vast sum in pensions is the commissioner of pensions and his name is Vespasian Warner. He began as a private, became major in the regular army, fought the Indians in Nebraska campaigns in latter '60's and was a congressman for ten years. For the last three years he has been at the head of the pension department.

He was in Crookston yesterday and St. Paul visiting with his old friend, Congressman Frederick C. Stevens. The friendship of Maj. Warner and Congressman Stevens dates back to when both were members of the lower house. Maj. Warner then lived in Clinton, Ill., and the friendship between the two has not been allowed to die. Maj. Warner and his wife took the river trip from St. Louis to St. Paul arriving Monday noon. They came to Crookston yesterday morning on private business and will visit in St. Paul later in the week on their way East.

$166,000,000

The pension fund of the government last year amounted to $129,000,000. But for the year which begins the first of this month that amount will be swelled to $166,000,000 and this in spite of the fact that the Civil war veterans are responding to their last call at the rate of 2,500 a month.

Maj. Warner explains this increase as resulting from two causes.

Pensions Increase with Age

"Altho many of the old soldiers are dying," he said, "the rest of them are getting older and the age pension increases regularly. If a former soldier who served at least ninety days and was honorably discharged reaches the age of 62 he is entitled to a pension of $12 a month, even tho he received no wound and was none the worse for his experience. At seventy years this is increased to $15 and to $20 at seventy-five years. Every soldier is entitled to this.

Pensions for Widows

"The pension for widows also was raised by the last congress. Formerly widows who had an income to the amount of $250 a year got no pension from the government. The recent law declares that the government doesn't care how much the widow gets somewhere else. If she is a widow she is entitled to a pension and gets $12 a month. This law not only increased the amount to each widow but also increased the number of people to whom the law applies.

"The Spanish war veterans are also swelling the list. The total amount of pensions will never be so large again. As the old soldiers die the widow gets a pension, but always smaller than the veteran had been drawing. This leaves the number of pensioners about the same, but reduces the amount."

There are 900,000 pensioners and every once in a while the department finds that some one has been drawing money which the government thought it was paying to another. Not every old soldier applies for a pension and unscrupulous persons send in claims under their names. Recently the department found that one man was drawing money under four names in various parts of the country.

HAD HIS RIBS BROKEN TOO

Asst. Chief of Police Hugh Quigley of East Grand Forks father of Mrs. N. S. Davies of this city, was more seriously injured than the first examination showed and it was found Sunday that in addition to a fractured shoulder and broken collar bone he had suffered two broken ribs. The injuries as well as disabling Mr. Quigley, are very painful. Some one with more activity than brains slapped the fractious horse Mr. Quigley was riding during the July 4th parade, the bridle broke and the rider was hurled to the ground.

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TEACHERS INSTITUTE

ONE WILL BE HELD IN POLK CO., BEGINNING MONDAY, JULY TWENTY-SEVENTH

INSTITUTE WILL BE FOLLOWED BY TEACHERS' EXAMINATONS THREE DAYS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Supt. of Schools Thomas Casey has issued the following official notice of a Polk County Teachers' Institute which will be followed by teachers' examinations:

You are hereby notified that a teachers' institute will be held in the City of Crookston, at the High School Building, July 27, 1908, and will continue one week. On the following Monday, August 3, teachers' examinations will begin and will continue three days.

Prof. E. T. Reed of the Moorhead Normal will conduct the institute, and he will be assisted by Prof. N. A. Thorson, science teachers of the Crookston High School, and candidate for Supt. of Schools of Polk County.

The instruction you will get from such efficient teachers must necessarily be uplifting and inspiring.

The work will be conducted along pedagogical and scientific lines. You will be taught how to impart the knowledge you now have, and how to present the subjects, which you will be expected to teach, conformably with the latest and most approved pedagogical methods.

There is a constant demand for proficient teachers. Those who properly prepare themselves for teaching need have no fear of securing desirable schools.

We hope to see a large per cent. of the teachers present. Come yourself and urge your fellow teachers to come.

Teachers who attend this institute will have the preference in securing positions in the schools of this county Come to the institute and put in a week of pleasure and profit long to be remembered.

THOMAS CASEY,
County Supt. of Schools.

Dated at Crookston, June 30, 1908.

MINNESOTA CAUCUSES

LYNCH NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN, MARTIN O'BRIEN ON RESOLUTIONS

BRYAN VOLUNTEERS SHOW UP AT DENVER FORTY STRONG

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Minnesota delegation at its caucus Monday evening elected F. B. Lynch of St. Paul national committeeman from Minnesota for the coming four years. F. G. Winston of Minneapolis was elected chairman of the delegation.

Winston was nominated by W. S. Hammond and Lynch by H. G. Haas, who held the proxy of R. T. O'Connor.

For Minnesota's representative on the committee on resolutions Martin O'Brien of Crookston was nominated by A. C. Weiss of Duluth. For the committee on credentials J. M. Armson of Stillwater was nominated on Haas. For the committee on rules John Dwain of Two Harbors was nominated; for the committee to notify the nominee for president, J. W. Pauly of Minneapolis; for the committee to notify the nominee for vice president J. R. Wise of Mankato; for the committee on permanent organization, A. C. Weiss of Duluth; for vice chairman of the delegation, Martin Hughes of Hibbing. These were all elected by acclamation.

Harmony Now

When Winston and Martin O'Brien had been named the latter suggested that of this team one had supported Palmer and Buckner in 1896 and the other had been a Populist but now harmony was complete.

Bryan Minnesota volunteers arrived at Denver Monday morning forty strong and more arrived before the convention met. Among these were T. T. Hudson of Duluth and J. R. Bennett of St. Cloud.

River Rises Ten Feet.

Black River Falls, Wis., July 8.—Heavy rains for the past twenty-four hours have made a rise of ten feet in the Black river. The dam of the Thompson Iron works was taken out the second time this summer. The loss to farmers will be heavy.

LIVE STOCK SHOW IN NOV.

SECOND GREAT EXHIBIT WILL BE HELD IN SOUTH ST. PAUL NEXT FALL

MOVEMENT IS ONE THAT WILL BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO THE FARMERS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Northwestern Livestock Association which entered the field with a successful show at the Union Stockyards in South St. Paul last year, will present its second annual show at the same place November 17th to 20th, 1908.

This show is conducted in the interests of the farmers and feeders and is not open in competitive classes to Agricultural Colleges, with its course of lectures and demonstrations it is designed to furnish much valuable information on the subject of animal industry.

The classes in the premium list cover individuals, pen lots and car lots in cattle, hogs and sheep. There are six prizes in each class for the single cattle, and five prizes in each class for swine and sheep singles; while in the car lot division there are four prizes for all kinds in each class.

In all there are nearly $7,000 in premiums; and the small farmer and feeder has a good chance to win some of these prizes.

The territory of the show is limited to Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, the northern part of South Dakota and the northern part of Wisconsin.

Also there are no classes in the premium list for breeding stock. Therefore, the farmers and feeders of this territory will not be brought into competition with the professional herds shown at the big fairs.

The management of the show has felt that there is a field for it in this territory, and believe that the farmers and feeders will readily appreciate the advantages that will accrue to them thru the building of a show of this character.

Crops Are Damaged.

Oakes, N. D., July 7.—One of the worst storms in the year occurred Saturday. It was a continuous storm of rain, hail and wind. The crop damage is heavy.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Historical Society

STATE DITCH DIVIDES U. S. INTO ISLANDS

DITCH 57 IN ITASCA COUNTY WILL CLEAVE [illegible]ERCONTINENTAL DIVIDE BY THANKSGIVING AND DIVIDE THE UNITED STATES INTO TWO PARTS, THE EAST AND THE WEST, EACH SIDE BEING COMPLETELY SURROUNDED BY WATER WHEN THE DITCH IS FULL OF WATER

The state of Minnesota is now engaged in making an island out of about one-third of the United States. Before Thanksgiving comes and if there is plenty of water on the high places, all that portion of the country east of the Mississippi river will be separated by water from the solid West. This great engineering feat will be performed by the construction of what is known as Ditch 57 being a short drainage ditch in Itasca county.

This ditch, by cutting thru the international water shed will make it possible for a hardy traveler to take a canoe trip from the Gulf of Mexico thru the heart of the country to the Gulf of St. Lawrence without making a portage. There is little likelihood that the route will be popular with the summer tourists, but the fact is interesting from a geographical stand point.

The drainage ditch, which will accomplish this separation of the East from the West, will provide an outlet both ways for a small body of water near Bowstring station a few miles north of Deer River. This is called Round lake and is in a slight depression on the water shed. The ditch runs in two directions from this lake To the south the waters will reach the Mississippi river almost directly. That river there reaches its most northerly point after the junction of Leech Lake river and Mud river.

To the north the waters will flow toward the gulf of St. Lawrence thru Big Forks river after passage thru several smaller tributaries.

This ditch is but one of sixteen which the state has under construction at present. Most of them are short, but it keeps George A. Ralph, the drainage engineer, and his assistants busy jumping from place to place to watch the progress of the work.

There are three ditches in St. Louis county, a short distance west of Duluth. These were inspected last week There are three also in Koochiching county, four in Kittson county in the extreme northwest corner of the state There is one each being built in Itasca, Marshall, Roseau, Wilkin, Polk and Otter Tail counties. The largest one is in Roseau county in connection with the Roseau river, the contract price being $52,000.

WHERE TO DUMP DIRT

FARMERS OBJECT TO METHODS OF DITCHERS IN DUMPING DIRT

WATER CONCENTRATED ON LOW LANDS—LOW LANDS CLAIM DAMAGE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Farmers thruout the country are making strenuous objections to the methods of dumping the excavated earth from the ditch constructions now in progress. The engineers make no provision generally for a distribution of the dump according to the rise and fall of the land and as a result in the high land where the excavation is necessarily deeper more dirt is taken out and dumped along the ditch line than in the low places where possibly there may be no excavation at all.

As a result the water in seeking an outlet thru the ditch is unable to mount the tall dump on the higher land and centers in the low places where it can get over the dump if there is any. The farmers then on the low land receive much damage as a result.

A very proper use of the dump as put into practice by some engineers is to take all the dump from the high places and center it on the low places where it may act as a dike to keep the water flowing down the ditch and off of the land.

In all cases all ditchers should leave outlets at least every few hundred yards in the dump while on high cuts in order that all water may be properly drained off and engineers should see that this rule is enforced.

FOUR MILES YET TO COMPLETE

BEFORE MAPLE LAKE ROAD WILL BE OPENED TO THE PUBLIC

Secretary Moore of the 25,000 Club and Ed Carlson spent yesterday east of the city between here and Maple Lake on the Maple Lake road project of the club.

The work is now under way on the four miles of proposed highway between Benoit station and Tilden and this work will undoubtedly take the greater part of the summer and fall if it will be completed this year at all.

The road at this point is not now in a passable condition and will not be until it is fully completed. This four miles is the key to the whole Maple Lake-Crookston project.

Better a day worker than a day dreamer.

G.N. ATTORNEY IN ROSEAU

ATTORNEY KIMBALL OF GENERAL OFFICES VISITS ROSEAU GRADE

LEGAL DEVELOPMENTS EXPECTED IN FIGHT FOR GREAT NORTHERN GRADE

From Monday's Daily—

Attorney Kimball of the Great Northerns general offices at St. Paul has been up along the grade of the Great Northern between Greenbush and Warroad on business connected with developing trouble concerning the grade of the Great Northern which residents in the Roseau claim has been abandoned.

This action of the Great Northern in sending an attorney to examine the ground indicates the anxiety and attention of the company in connection with the Roseau Valley which rich region has so long been its tributary.

The recent incorporation of the Northern Minnesota Railway Co., and its evident intention of entering the Roseau country has agitated the Northern Minnesota railway world and a battle is very imminent over the trade of the great north Minnesota Valley.

The fight is rapidly approaching the courts and some definite move is expected in the fight in the very near future, the first move being the institution of condemning proceedings by the anti-Great Northern faction to secure the G. N. grade.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

ERICK PALM

Republican Candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

MAN HELD FOR BRUTAL CRIME

LAPORTE MINN., LABORER NEARLY KILLS ONE GIRL AND

MISTREATS HER COMPANION IN SHAMEFUL MANNER — ONE MAY DIE

From Monday's Daily—

William Conway, aged 20, a laborer at Laporte, criminally assaulted Florence Williams at Laporte, leaving the girl in a terrible condition and also nearly killing Mary Meade her young companion, while the two girls were walking along the railroad track, south of Laporte.

The girls claim that Conway hit the Meade girl on the head with a revolver, kicking and mistreating her hauling her into the woods by the hair of her head and leaving her for dead.

The Williams girl attempted to escape, but was pursued and overtaken by Conway who mistreated her in a terrible manner. Conway made his escape to his cabin near town, where he was afterwards apprehended and placed under arrest.

Florence Williams went to town and told her mother of Conway's action. An alarm was immediately given. The girls had recognized Conway and the section crew went to his cabin. Conway was sitting with a revolver on his lap and said he would shoot the first man who touched him. The men joked with Conway, getting him to lay his revolver down, when he was overpowered and placed under arrest.

Conway Waives Examination

He was taken to Laporte and given a hearing before Justice Crandall. Conway waived examination and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury of Hubbard county. Early this morning Constable Earl Daily took Conway to Walker on hand car and from there went to Park Rapids and lodged him in jail.

The Meade girl is in a serious condition, her body having many bruises and her scalp has a deep gash where Conway hit her with the revolver, there are also three thumb marks on her throat. The Williams girl is not in as serious condition. There were threats of lynching and it was with difficulty that the constable got Conway to Park Rapids.

CREAMERIES SHOULD PASTEURIZE CREAM

WALL SAYS IT COSTS TOO MUCH TO KILL INFECTED CATTLE

"The creameries would be under little or no additional expense to pasteurize all the milk and cream," says W. W. Wall secretary of the state dairy and food department in discussion of the best method of ridding the state of infected milk. "Every creamery in the state now has a pasteurization plant to treat the skimmed milk returned to the farms and it would be only a little more trouble to pasteurize all the milk.

"Denmark is the most advanced dairy country in the world and all of their milk and cream is pasteurized. Denmark has practically all the English butter trade.

"I must confess that I don't like pasteurized milk or cream, but I am willing to sacrifice my taste, because we can't get money enough from the legislature to have $1,000,000 worth of cattle slaughtered every year."

PECULIAR DISEASE AMONG HORSES

There are a number of horses in this city that are affected with a peculiar disease. It may be classed as influenza, and commences with a cough, and rapid loss of flesh and strength. There is an obstruction between the head and throat. In drinking half of the water is forced up thru the nose with a squeaking noise. All kinds of remedies have been tried, but nothing has been found that gives relief. The cough has left those that have had the disease the longest, but the obstruction remains and the animal eats and drinks with the greatest difficulty. The jaws appear to be partially paralyed. Only one horse has died as far as known.—Fergus Falls Journal.

RACE SAVED HER CLAIM

MISS ELLA JOHNSON SECURES DECISION AT U. S. LAND OFFICE

RUSHED THRU DAMP PLACES WITH LUGGAGE TO THE HEARING

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning Judge Montague of the United States Land Office at Crookston handed down decision dismissing the contest brought by Mike Deep against Miss Ella Johnson to secure a homestead near Fram in Marshall county.

Miss Ella Johnson is assistant postmistress at Vining in Otter Tail county and May 13th last made a sensational race thru the swamps 20 miles east of Middle River from her claim to Fram postoffice where the hearing was had on the contest before Allan W. Clark, United States Commissioner at that point. Miss Johnson carried over 50 pounds of luggage on her trip.

Miss Johnson accepted the position as assistant postmistress May 2nd 1907 and has held that position ever since.

Attended Normal

The land office here also dismissed the suit brought by Erick Anderson against Miss Emma S. Erickson contesting the right of the lady to a homestead near Jevne north of Thief River Falls. Miss Erickson filed on the land April 26, 1904, and tried to make commutation proof September 1st last but proof was rejected as insufficient residence shown. Miss Erickson had read in the papers that she was permitted to attend school and leave her claim and she had accordingly attended the Normal School at Moorhead and taught school, remaining away from her home.

August 17th last she was appointed and assumed the assistant postmistress position of the postoffice at Spooner, Minnesota. Contest was brought by Anderson this spring while Miss Erickson was away, but the contest is dismissed.

A PIONEER OF WABASHA DIES

WAS MARRIED IN '61 BY ALONZO DAVIS OF THIS CITY

At 9:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning of last week Mrs. Margaret Vaplon of Pepin sister of Mr. Knute Johnson of this city, was laid to rest in Riverview cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Short of this city.

Deceased's maiden name was Margaret Johnson. She was born in Norway in 1827, and was at the time of her death in her 82nd year. She came to America in 1857 and in 1861 was united in marriage to the late Ignatz Vaplon. She is survived by two children, a son and a daughter. Her death followed a serious accident of a few days previously. Deceased was one of the good pioneer women of the early days. She was a faithful wife and a devoted mother. She was the beloved neighbor and the true woman who met every obligation of life with a courage that knew no bounds.—Wabasha Herald.

Deceased was known to many people here who were former residents of Wabasha and Reeds Landing. Alonzo Davis, the pioneer resident of this section performed the ceremony in '61 as justice of the peace which united for life Miss Margaret Johnson and Ignatz Vaplon.

A BAD RUNAWAY AT MAPLE LAKE

There was a disastrous runaway at Maple Lake Sunday evening when one of Buhn's bus teams driving back from Mentor became frightened by a Grand Forks automobile and ran away. There were six men in the rig and they had a wild ride. The team could not be kept in the road and dashed against an oak tree killing one of the horses instantly and throwing the occupants out, one man sustaining a badly wrenched wrist. The horse killed was a family pet and very valuable.

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G.N. ESCAPES THE TAX ON THE ORGINAL LINE

COURT DECIDES GREAT NORTHERN 4 PER CENT TAX CASE—CONTRACT WITH MINNESOTA AND PACIFIC IS VALID, BUT IT DOES NOT INCLUDE BRANCH LINES NOT SPECIFICALLY COVERED—ROAD HAD PAID 3 PER CENT ON GROSS EARNINGS

Judge Hallam Saturday at St. Paul filed his decision in the case of the State against the Great Northern Railroad Company, an action to compel the payment of a 4 per cent gross earnings tax for 1905 under chapter 253, Laws 1903. The company voluntarily paid 3 per cent on its gross earnings, and asserted that it was exempt from further taxation by the original charter of the Minnesota & Pacifis railroad company.

The court sustains this contention so far as the "original lines" are concerned, but it is held that this immunity from taxation in excess of 3 per cent does not apply to any of the so-called "branch lines." The state demanded the balance, $120,737.38.

Valid Contract

After the Manitoba company had acquired the original lines, sixteen branches were constructed with an aggregate mileage of 752.13 miles. The court holds that the original charter of the Minnesota & Pacific company, providing for the payment of a 3 per cent gross earnings tax in lieu of all other taxation of its property, constitutes a valid, irrepealable contract between the state and the company.

The branch lines were constructed, however, after the adoption of the constitution which declared that no property, with certain exceptions not including railroad property, should be exempt from taxation. Such legislation was prohibited by the constitution until 1871.

Branch Lines Not Covered

The main line from Stillwater to Breckenridge and the so-called branch from St. Anthony via Anoka and St. Cloud to Crookston and St. Vincent are specifically named and authorized in the charter of 1857. The original lines are expressly described and located in the charter and are clearly within its exceptions, says the court. The original charter, however, did not obligate the Minnesota & Pacific company or its successors to construct any of the sixteen branches. They were built by authority of state laws, silent in themselves upon the subject of taxation, passed subsequently to the adoption of the constitution.

The immunity granted by the territorial legislature, says the court, applied only to original lines, the amendatory acts attempting to extend it to the branches were enacted after the constitution was adopted. The court says that it is not clear that the territorial legislature of 1857 intended to extend the exemption to branch roads constructed a quarter of a century later.

O'BRIEN BACK FROM DENVER

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION ADJOURNS WITH GREATEST OPTIMISM OF YEARS

MINNESOTANS TREATED SQUARE BY BRYAN—PLATFORM LEVEL HEADED

From Monday's Daily—

"Bryan treated Minnesota all right," says Martin O'Brien today. "We stopped off at Lincoln on our way to Denver and talked with Bryan. He stated that he didn't believe he would do anything else if he were in our places. He nor his men did not antagonize Johnson or Johnson men in the convention at Denver."

Martin O'Brien of Crookston, delegate from the Ninth Congressional Minnesota district to the democratic national convention, and Minnesota member of the Denver committee on resolutions which had to do with the drafting of the national platform of the democratic party, returned home this morning and is full of optism as far as the chances of a next democratic president is concerned and believes that at last "the great Democracy is coming into its own."

As a member of the committee that drafted the platform, Mr. O'Brien expresses satisfaction with every feature of it.

Tied to Standard

Mr. O'Brien was in the very thick of the great 88 minute demonstration for Bryan following the speech of Senator Gore of Oklahoma and resisted the efforts made by the Bryan armies of delegates to draw Minnesota into the demonstration. The Mayor of Mankato with two or three others had to be actually fastened to the Minnesota state standard to keep it out of the uproar.

The vote received by Johnson after his nomination for president by Hammond the democratic Minnesota Congressman who beat out McCleary was scattering, coming from New York, Connecticut and Georgia among others. Upon their arrival at the convention the Johnson men observed the inevitable end of the fight and released such delegates as had been pledged for them from their vote for Johnson, the most of these same delegates still cast their vote when the poll was taken.

Tammany Promises New York

On the way from Denver Mr. O'Brien observed Tammany stop at Lincoln to meet with Bryan and heard the promise of Tammany to deliver New York state to the annointed one of Fairview in the coming election.

On the committee of resolutions Mr. O'Brien was the one of three laymen who were members, the other members being governors of states, senators and congressmen.

BOARD LEVIES $40,700

REDUCTION OF $12,300 FROM LAST YEAR'S LEVY OF TAXES

LOWELL DITCH BRIDGE AND DITCH NO. 78 COMMAND ATTENTION

The county commissioners of Polk county this afternoon fixed the tax levy for the coming year at $40,700 or $12,300 less than last year. In addition to this the county board set aside $20,000 for road and bridges $6000 for bonds and interest and $6000 for deepening and straightening and widening of overflowed water courses. This is a total tax of $72,700.

Contractor Brown of ditch 63 and 64, is struggling before the board about the depth of the ditch awarded him, he stating that he did not think the specifications called for as deep digging as demanded of him by the engineer.

The matter of the bridge over ditch 1 in Lowell town which has been causing the town board so much trouble was also before the commissioners but no results have been reported to time of press.

Day after tomorrow the county board meets for ditch hearing on 78 in Lowell and next Monday the county board meets as a Board of Equalization.

HOUSE BURNED TO THE GROUND

CARISH RESIDENCE AN OLD LAND MARK BURNED AT FORKS

The Carish residence near the string of elevators at the Great Northern siding was destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon shortly after four o'clock. The Carish home was one of the old landmarks of the city. The loss is estimated at about $800, the building being frame. The fire started while the Carish family was away and the origin of the fire is unknown. The fire department made a hurried trip to the scene but could not check the flames which had too much headway. The Carish family formerly resided at Euclid and is well known here.

It's better to work for nothing than to play a losing game.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

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PENNED AND PILFERED

The University of Chicago has lost its head trainer of white rats. This does not imply that the education of rodents is a regular feature of that university's curriculum but nevertheless, Professor John B. Watson, of the department of psychology, owed his Ph. D. degree and present position to his success in training these animals, and he has just been called to a higher position at the John Hopkins University at Baltimore. The experiments that made Dr. Watson's fame were highly unique and may throw important light on the development of human beings, scientists declare. The object of the investigation briefly was to discover whether the higher members of the animal kingdom, including rodents and babies, can be considered to possess any real intelligence prior to the full development of the nervous system. The results indicated that they can, and incidentally established for all time the exact number of minutes it will take an average hungry rat to find a way into a box when there is cheese in the box. The principal experiments consisted in timing the successive attempts of a young rat to get into a cage, opening by a latch string which had been moistened with cheese. The first attempts took ten or twelve minutes but after a number of trials a light began to dawn on the rat and thereafter he made a bee line for the string as soon as he was released. The old rats took more time to solve the puzzle but their memory proved better than that of the youngsters. One old one took 5 minutes to learn a complicated method of entering the food box, but the second time has was placed near it he did the trick in exactly one minute and a half. It is said that John D. Rockefeler was exceedingly pleased at the ingenuity shown in the experiments.

Mary Helen, four years old, is very brave, and is usually perfectly willing for her mother to leave her after she has put her to bed and has given her her favorite doll. But one night after she had been left a short while she called loudly for her mother.

"Why, Mary Helen!" her mother asked, "What is the matter with you?"

"I'm tired of staying up here with nobody but God and my dolly. I want somebody with skin on," she sobbed. —The August Delineator.

The Fourth Estate repeats a good story told by "Bob" Davis formerly of the Call and now on the editorial staff of Munsey's. While Davis was connected with a paper in a rough-and-ready western town, a shabbily dressed stranger walked in one day and asked for some old clothes altho his own were fairly good. The staff contributed and, to the surprise of every one, the stranger pulled out $8 and paid for one year's subscription to the paper. Then, having donned the contributed clothing, he hastily departed. He had been gone but a little while when the sheriff came in looking for a horse thief. His description fitted the stranger to a nicety. "He was in here," said the foreman and went up up the street when he left. If you hurry you will catch him," Davis was surprised.

"Why did you say he went up the street when you saw him go the other way?" he asked the foreman.

"H—l!" retored the foreman, with freezing dignity "you wouldn't have me go back on a subscriber, would you?"

Senator Beveridge at a dinner in Washington last month told a story about a statesman of the past.

"Like many a statesman of the past," said Senator Beveridge, "he drank too much. And one Fourth of July morning, on a platform hung with flags and flowers, before the court house of a western county town, facing an audience of farmers and their families that had come from miles around the statesman arose to deliver the Independence day oration in a slightly intoxicated state.

"He was not incapable of an oration, but his unsteady gait, his flushed face and disordered attire spoke ill of him, and the audience hissed and booed.

"He held up his hand. They were silent. Then he laughed scornfully and said:

"Ladies and gentlemen, when a statesman of my prominence consents to appear in such a little one-horse town as this, he must be either drunk or crazy. I prefer to be considered an inebriate."

BRICK CREAMERY FOR MC'INTOSH

At the mass meeting of the stockholders and patrons of the North Star Creamery at McIntosh it was decided to build a new brick creamery the coming fall and committees were appointed to select a site and solicit stock subscriptions for building purposes. It was also decided to pay back all donations and assessments, thereby putting all stockholders and patrons as nearly as possible on an equal basis. The committees follow:

Soliciting committee—P. Nilson, Carl Berg, G. H. Hoyne, Chas. McCarty and T. H. Aakhus.

Committee on Site—Chas. McCarty, P. Nilson, T. H. Aakhus, G. H. Hoyne and Gunnar Husby.

The meeting was addressed by creamery inspector Storvick and others.

Has Become Centenarian.

Clinton, Iowa, July 9.—Mrs. Frances Work of De Witt, in this county, has passed the 100th anniversary of her birth. Mrs. Work is still strong and healthy.

TRAMP ARRESTED FOR DRINKING MILK

A tramp was arrested Saturday for drinking "milk"—and he wasn't intoxicated either. What do you think of that? The poor fellow was looking for something he couldn't get everyday in his travels and as Stephen is getting to be quite a "dairy" city the wanderer struck something wonderful and downed it. Agent Campbell had it hid away in a secret place thinking while his wife was gone he would have a 4th of July all by his lonesome and when he came home to make ready his dinner, cleaning his strawberries, building a fire to boil his coffee, slicing the potatoes for salad and for which he was going to use this milk and cream, after doing all this he went to the secret place, with a broad smile on his face, to get the treasure, but lo and behold it was gone, so the feasting hour of the Independence day was spent in wiping tears—poor man we sympathize with thee.—Stephen Leader.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

STEPHEN BANK ROBBERY MYSTERY IS SOLVED

From Thursday's Daily—

The famous Stephen Bank Robbery is solved. The case that has baffled detectives and county officials of Marshall county is at last unravelled by the confession of James A. Nolan, who told the complete story of the robbery in court at Warren yesterday afternoon just as the trial of his pal, Joseph E. Silinski was drawing to a close with every indication that he would be acquitted, as Attorney Geo. J. Cannon of this city had succeeded in breaking down practically every bit of the important circumstantial evidence of the state.

Had Nolan kept silent there is little question but what both Nolan and Silinski would have been free within a very few weeks, perhaps at once, as there was no evidence against Nolan outside what there was against Silinski.

After Nolan's confession, Silinski changed his plea to guilty in lieu of which the indictments against him for grand larceny in the 1st degree for taking money from the bank, and a similar indictment for stealing a horse and buggy were nolle prossed and under the indictment for burglary in the second degree for which he was tried he was at once sentenced to 10 years in the Minnesota penitentiary at Stillwater where he will be taken tonight by Sheriff Forsberg of Marshall Co., Silinski's only comment after Nolan had made his confession in court was:

> "I would not trade places with Nolan this minute. I would rather spend the greater part of my life in prison than be a free man and be weighed down with the knowledge on my mind that I had turned traitor to an associate."

Silinski Stood Pat

Silinski had stood pat from the start, and all day Tuesday, the first day of his trial, and till yesterday at noon fought persistently, his attorney Geo. J. Cannon of this city, having succeeded in breaking down practically all of the circumstantial evidence that was introduced against him by the state, which was mainly that he had been at Warren buying canned goods, crackers, etc., and had been seen around Warren and north line towns just prior to the robbery.

Told the Whole Story

Yesterday when court convened after the noon adjournment Sheriff Forsberg, County Attorney Wm. J. Brown and his assistant, Atty Olson began lugging into the court room an array of bags containing burglars' tools, revolvers, cartridge belts, cartridges, a dishpanful of silver coin and a roll of bills that had been shattered by the dynamite explosion which wrecked the bank at Stephen and blew the safe open. Attorney Cannon and his client, Silinski knew then that the confession was coming.

Nolan's Recital

Nolan was then led into court and told substantially the following story: Silinski, Nolan and two pals, not yet apprehended planned the robbery of the Stephen bank. It was to have been accomplished the Friday before the robbery took place, but owing to a big thunder storm the job was postponed till the morning of Wednesday, April 29.

Nolan claimed the job was planned by Silinski and the other two and that he was simply an accomplice. Following the robbery the men drove west of Stephen about 15 miles and halted in a grove where $575 in silver the tattered bills, amounting to about $1000, burglars' tools, cartridges, etc were all buried.

The Spoils Divided

The balance of the money was divided, each of the four taking $500 in gold and $500 in good bills after which the quartette separated, the two not yet apprehended heading for the north, while Silinski and Nolan headed for Greenbush. The day after the robbery Silinski and Nolan got a ride with a farmer to Greenbush and when approaching the outskirts of the village jumped from the wagon and proceeded to a secluded spot in the woods near by where they buried the gold and silver amounting to $2000 retaining $16 between them. They then went to the hotel at Greenbush and were eating their dinner when they were apprehended.

Intended Taking Train

Silinski and Nolan had intended digging up their plunder cartridges, etc., just before the train for Crookston left Greenbush, but as they were nabbed the money was left where they hid it and the two men have been in the Warren jail ever since.

Shortly after Nolan was lodged in jail he was induced to confess and told where the plunder was concealed east of Stephen. With Sheriff Forsberg, County Attorney Brown and others Nolan was driven to the spot and the $575 in silver, the tattered bills and the damaged bills etc., were recovered and have been in safe keeping at Warren ever since.

Other Loot Missing

Two days later Nolan piloted the same party to the place where Nolan and Silinski had concealed their $2000 near Greenbush. The place was located the cans and bags in which the money had been concealed found together with the revolvers, cartridges, handkerchiefs etc., but every cent of the money had been dug up and taken away.

Where Did the Money Go?

It is the general belief of the Warren officials that someone saw Silinski and Nolan leave the farmers wagon and after their arrest became suspicious and searched about till they discovered the hiding place and took the money. Some however think the other two confederates were wise to where the plant was made and dug it up.

Silinski is Cheerful

Silinski was still cheerful after conviction and said he would serve his time and then live down the disgrace. His parents reside at St. Paul and he has never before been convicted of any crime tho he has been under arrest three times before for minor offenses but was each time released.

Nolan Held

Nolan entered a formal plea of not guilty yesterday afternoon as a matter of form and his case was continued till the fall term, the purpose being to have him on hand to identify and testify against the other two robbers should be apprehended.

A business man of Warren who was in the city last evening paid a high tribute to the splendid defense put up by Atty. Cannon for Silinski, and stated that if Nolan had kept silent he would certainly have been acquitted, the general sentiment of those who had watched the progress of the trial being that there had been nothing in the line of circumstantial evidence of any importance but what had been completely broken down by the defense.

Not Vindictive

Silinski did not appear in the least vindictive towards Nolan, but instead seemed to pity him for his lack of nerve in making a confession. The trial attracted an immense crowd, Judge Grindeland's court room being packed during the two days of the trial.

EXCURSION TO GRAND RAPIDS JULY 18

SUPT. McGUIRE INVITES FARMERS TO VISIT EXPERIMENTAL STATION

A. J. McGuire superintendent of the Northeast Experimental Station at Grand Rapids has arranged for the farmers of eastern Polk, Clearwater and Beltrami counties to visit the Experimental farm on Saturday July 18.

A special car wil be attached to the train at Bagley on that date and another one added at Bemidji in case enough of the citizens and farmers desire to visit the experimental farm upon that date.

The excursion train will be attached to the regular train which leaves Crokston at 7:30 a. m. This is a grand opportunity for the farmers and citizens in a body to visit the experimental farm and see for themselves the work that Mr. McGuire is doing for northern Minnesota.

DIVORCE ON 50TH ANNIVERSARY

MARY DOYLE MARRIED IN 1858 SAYS HUSBAND DESERTED HER IN 1892

Mary Doyle at Grand Forks has brought suit against Edward Doyle for a divorce after exactly 50 years of married life. They were married in Marlborough, Mass., in 1858 and Mrs. Doyle asserts that she was deserted in 1892. The defendant she sets forth, willfully neglected to supply her with the necessities of life and has spent his time in idleness and profligacy. George A. Bangs is attorney for the plaintiff.

Go Back on Full Time.

Tacoma, Wash., July 9. — Blacksmiths and machinists of the Northern Pacific resumed work on full time of nine hours yesterday. Four hundred men are immediately affected, and it means full time for the entire force of 900 men at the shops.

FUNDS NEEDED TO MOVE CROP

NORTHERN FARMERS AND ELEVATOR MEN TO ARRANGE LOANS

FAVORABLE REPORTS FROM THE GRAIN STATES INDICATE A HEAVY YIELD

From Friday's Daily—

With the prospects of a big grain crop this fall the farmers and elevator men are dropping southward to the cities daily to arrange for funds with which to handle the crops. C. A. Brown, manager of the St. Anthony and Dakota railway line, had several agents in conference at Minneapolis yesterday arranging details for the big shipments this fall.

Crop Above the Average

C. D. White of Devils Lake says the condition there is highly promising except that more rain would be beneficial.

"I do not mean to convey the idea that the country is in any immediate need of rain" said Mr. White, "for it could go some time yet before crop deterioration would begin, and there is considerable grain that would mature even if we had no more rain. But the one thing needed to make the outlook perfect about Devils Lake is a shower which we would like to see in the next week or so.

Rains are Abundant

"The rains north to the Canadian line have been abundant. I was up at St. John, north of Churches Ferry, a few days ago, in an auto and the ground was so heavy that it was hard travelling. It is just in a limited area around Devil's Lake that rain is needed.

"The west side of the Red River valley from Larimore down is in fine condition. Here and there one hears of a spot that is a little too wet, but generally speaking there is a fine crop in prospect.

"The east side of the Red River is of course now assured the banner crop."

A TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS WILL TAKE PLACE AT CROOKSTON

AUGUST 3, 4 AND 5, 1908—OFFICIAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

Notice is hereby given that the semi-annual teachers' examinations for Polk county will be held in the City of Crookston, at the High School building, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 3, 4 and 5, 1908.

Teachers entitled to renewal of their certificates, and teachers who write to remove conditions must bring their certificates to the examinations.

Program of examinations for teachers' state certificates.

Monday, August 3
(Second Grade Studies)
A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Arithmetic.
10:30 Physiology-Hygiene.
P. M.—1:30 English Grammar.
3:00 Reading.
3:45 Drawing and Music.

Tuesday, August 4.
(Second Grade Studies Continued)
A. M.—8:00 Professional Test.
9:00 Spelling.
9:30 Geography.
11:15 Composition and Penmanship.
P. M.—1:30 U. S. History.
3:15 Civics.

Wednesday, August 5
(First Grade Studies)
A. M.—8:00 Geometry.
10:00 Physics.
P.M.—1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Phys. Geography or Gen. Gen. History.

Agriculture may be taken at any one of the periods on Wednesday, and may be substituted for either Geometry or Physical Geography.

Note: Teachers living at a distance should come to the city the night before the examinations so as not to be disappointed by delayed trains, in writing on any subject, at the time named on the program.

THOMAS CASEY,
Co. Supt. of Schools.

Dated at Crookston, July 8, 1908.

MURDERERS CONFESS.

Slayers of a North Dakota Couple to Be Tried for Crime.

Bottineau, N. D., July 9.—The murderers of the Sidels were bound over to the district court in their hearing on one count. On the other they waived examination. State's Attorney Bowen has petitioned Judge Goss for a special term to try them at once, and expects the trial towards the last of the month. Joe and Charles Peltier and Little Rising Sun have confessed to the officers that they did the killing.

CUTICURA CURED MOTHER AND BABY

Southern Woman Suffered With Itching, Burning Rash—Drove Her Nearly Crazy—Her Baby Had Sore on Neck, and Two Other Babies Had Skin Troubles—Calls

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"I just can't say enough for the Cuticura Remedies, I can't find words high enough to express my thanks to God for hearing of the wonderful remedies. My baby had a running sore on his neck and nothing that I did for it took effect until I used Cuticura. My face was nearly full of tetter or some similar skin disease. It would itch and, after scratching, it burned so that I could hardly stand it. Two cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment cured me. Two years after it broke out on my hands and wrist. I cured it for a while, but it came again in the summer. Sometimes I would go nearly crazy for it itched so badly. I used ten dollars' worth of so-called blood medicines which did no good at all, then I went back to my old stand-by, that had never failed me. One set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent did the work. One set also cured my uncle's baby whose head was a cake of sores, and I know of another woman's baby who was in the same fix and nothing else did any good. I speak a word of praise for Cuticura whenever I see a case that needs it. Mrs. Lillie Wilcher, 770 Eleventh St., Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 16, 1907."

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BOOSTS THE R. R. VALLEY

WARDEN WOLFER OF STILLWATTER REPORTS FINDINGS ON CROPS

BINDER TWINE OUTPUT AND DEMAND ARE INDICATIONS OF PROSPERITY

From Saturday's Daily—

Henry Wolfer warden of the state prison at Stillwater has spent several days in the Red river valley where he made inquiries and inspection regarding crops, returning this morning. He says that the prospect is very promising, but he was surprised to learn that with all the heavy rains about the country there is a portion of the Red river valley that needs rain soon to help the grain crops.

Speaking of the binder twine output and the demand at the prison the warden said that the demand is a sure indication of a good crop of grain Altho the manufacture is much larger at the prison this year than ever before, the demand is also greater. There is left but 380,000 pounds of twine not ordered, that including all that can be made by running overtime up to August 1. This amount is being held in reserve to fill small cash orders. Aditional demands are coming in and the capacity of every spindle will be exhausted in filling as far as possible the requests of farmers of the state.

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TO REDEEM 300,000 ACRES AT A COST OF $700,000

To turn 300,,000 acres of Minnesota land from valueless swamp to firm farm land is the project being startel by citizens in the northern part of Marshall county, in the northwest corner of the state. To reclaim a tract of land forty miles long and nearly as wide is a task which the general government looked on several years ago as one of stupendous magnitude. It means that land which has no value now except a speculative one of $5 an acre will be transformed into as good farm land as there is in the state worth $35 to $60 an acre. Thus at the opening of the big system of ditches which will bring this about, there will be a net increase in the value of the land affected of $10,500,000. But by building the ditches the land will be thrown open to cultivation and the value of the annual crops and the annual increase in the value of the land will make the state immeasureably richer.

Will Cost $700,000

This immense drainage problem is to be solved by construction of two large ditches, each about forty miles long, with numerous lateral branches. The entire system will include 120 miles of ditches. These will average about seven or eight feet deep and will cost $700,000.

This project has been talked of for years. Government engineers have made topographical surveys and reports have flooded the departments at Washington. There are so few dry spots in that part of the state that only here and there is to be found a shanty of some hardy homesteader. The only man with a big enough pocketbook to dig the trenches was Uncle Sam. The state could not do it, because a large part of the land drained is government land which could not be assessed, and the state was not in the mood for spending over a million dollars of which the government got the most benefit.

But a little measure passed by the recently adjourned congress known as the Volstead bill, has fixed matters and made every one happy. It was the drop of oil which started the wheels of improvement.

All Land Assessed

By the terms of this measure the residents of the district can petition a district judge for orders to build a ditch needed for drainage purposes. The judge holds a hearing and if the result is favorable he issues an order to have the trenches constructed. The cost of the work is assessed against the property benefited, just as the board of public works of St. Paul assesses property in the neighborhood benefited by a park or parkway.

The land held for the government is assessed just like that of the latest newcomer with title to 160 acres. The state land is assessed in the same way Formerly the government land was exempt from assessment and as a large portion of the 300,000 acres belongs to the government the possibility of assessment opened the way for the ditch. The assessment is a lien on the land which must be paid by the purchaser of the tract. The ditch is built from funds raised by the sale of bonds which the state or corporations may purchase.

Petition Circulated

G. A. Johnson of Grygla has petition blanks which he is circulating for the construction of this large system of ditches. The government engineers have estimated that it will cost $1,100,000 to dig these 120 miles. Geo. A. Ralph, state drainage engineer, says that the government engineers estimated excavation higher than the state is now paying for it, and thinks that the system can be constructed for about $700,000. It will take three years to complete the work, but if the petition is signed and the district judge orders the work, it can be commenced in the spring and pushed with four or five dredging machines.

The System Outlined

The drainage system as outlined by Mr. Ralph comprises two long ditches running nearly paraallel. The system empties into Thief River, about fifteen miles or more north of Thief River Falls. The most northern branch of the system follows Mud River for a considerable distance and goes thro Mud lake and then turns south thru Elm lake and down to Thief river. The secondary long ditch runs nearly parallel to the first, about five miles south. Both of these are supplied with several branches to drain the land more thoroly.

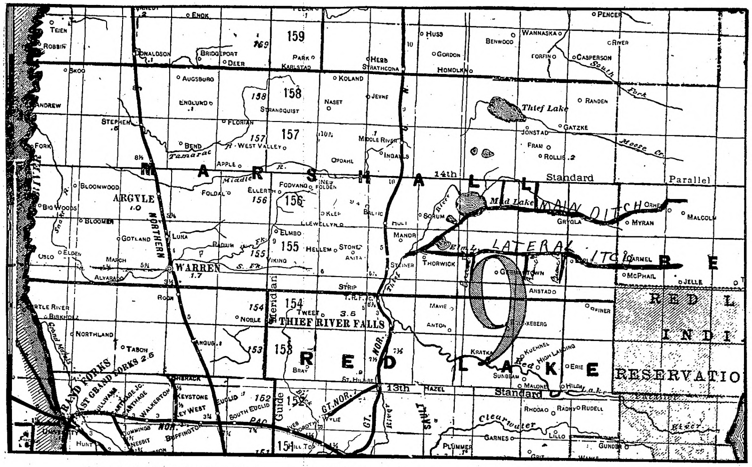
By the passage of the Volstead bill the national government in a large measure shifts to the state the responsibility for draining its waste land. The government is now making a survey for the drainage of the Red Lake Indian reservation, but it is probable at the conclusion of this work that the federal government will withdraw from all the drainage work in the state. The legislature at its last session appropriated $200,000 for drainage work, and it is probable that a much larger amount will have to be set aside at the next session if much progress is to be made toward reclaiming the swamp lands of the north.

In the project in the southeast corner of Marshall county about 50 per cent of the cost will have to be borne by the national government. The homesteaders will bear 45 per cent, and the state land will stand only 5 per cent. This is according to the proportion of land held in the district to be benefited. Because the national land is merely assessed against, it will be really the purchaser of the land who will pay for the ditch, as the assessment lien must be paid to obtain a clear title.

Build Highways Same Time

Another important feature of the Marshall county ditch is the fact that plans are made for the construction of highways on the side of the ditches out of the dredged material. These roads will be high and easily drained and will prove a valuable means of access to a territory now almost impenetrable for great distances. The land is rich for agricultural purposes, and as soon as the water is given an opportunity to dispose of itself and roads built, it is estimated that the district will be one of the most sought portions of the state.

This system if the present plans are carried out will be by far the largest drainage system the state has ever attempted. There have recently been completed ditches 48 and 49 in Kittson county, each five miles long. At present dredges are throwing up dirt along the Roseau river. At one end of this river the channel is being deep water, and in another place a cut is being made across the country to get around some rapids which impede the flow of water.



A map showing the proposed comprehensive plan to drain 300,000 acres of rich land in Northern Minnesota.—By Courtesy of the Pioneer Press.

FOUND DYING IN THE WOODS.

Woman and Child Walk From Mexico to Canada.

Winnipeg, Man., July 9.—Mrs. Alconaris and her twelve-year-old daughter were discovered in a dying condition in the Wood mountains, seventy-five miles south of Mooose Jaw, the nearest railroad station. According to her story she has walked the entire distance from Mexico, and her condition and the condition of her child

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ANDERSON AND FOSBERG SEND REGRETS

MINNESOTA STATE ASSOCIATION OF SHERIFFS SELECT LITCHFIELD FOR 1909

At the meeting of the Minnesota Sheriffs' Association at Red Wing yesterday a telegram of regret was read from Sheriff O. J. Anderson of Hallock Kittson county, Minnesota, and Sheriff Forsberg of Warren, Marshall county. A telegram announcing the death of Sheriff Brown of Dodge county was read and a committee of three was appointed by the chair to prepare resolutions of condolence which were adopted. A motion was made and carried that Litchfield be the city chosen for the meeting next year.

Hitchcock Will Get [illegible]

Hot Springs, Va., July 9.—The executive committee of the Republican national committee will meet here today and from present indications there will be a brief session, at which Frank H. Hitchcock will be elected chairman and Representative McKinley of Illinois will be made treasurer of the national committee.

If there were no pianos and singing exercises a man would hardly ever want his daughters to get married.

PETITION FOR TWO COUNTY DITCHES

PRACTICALLY SAME ROUTE MAPPED OUT BY THE GOVERNMENT SURVEY

The county board of Marshall county has been petitioned to construct two drainage ditches in the eastern port of the county, extending almost from the Beltrami county line westward to Thief River, the two ditches joining before the river is reached. Each of these ditches would be in the neighborhood of 24 miles long and would drain and make beautiful and prosperous an extended area of country.

These drains, as petitioned for, almost exactly duplicate in their course the propesed government channels as outlined by the surveyors of the geological department last year. The one on the south, however, when it reaches a point near Esplee, will swing one mile farther south than the original government survey.

A number of Germantown men went over to Warren recently to petition for the south ditch, and on Tuesday a delegation from Grygla went over to push along the north proposition.

Being bitten by a toothless dog must be a soft snap.

WYLIE MAN GETS CHEESE PRIZE

THE STATE DAIRY COMMISSION AWARDS TAURIER OF WYLIE FIFTH

Better cheese than ever before was submitted at last month's contest under the auspices of the state dairy and food commission. Dan Danielson of Cannon Falls takes the first prize with a score of 98. The officials of the department are much pleased with the number of entries and the increasing quality of the product.

The highest scores were: Dan Danielson, Cannon Falls, 98; Charles Hastings, Murdock, 97; H. Clement, Terrebonne, 97; G. H. Soart, Stanton, 96 Theodore Faurier Wylie 96½; W. L. Parkin Northfield, 96; C. Miller, Mantonville 96; J. S. McCarthy, West Concord, 96, and W. W. McMicking, Phels 96..

Owing to the heavy entries in the butter contest those awards have not yet been announced.

The girl who can't cook should look before leaping into the matrimonial fryingpan.

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Rocked the Boat.

Blooming Prairie, Minn., July 9. — Henry N. Hillson, a young farmer living near here, was drowned in the Cedar river, four miles south of this village. The accident was caused by rocking the boat in which he and a companion were rowing.

Child Burned to Death.

Williston, N. D., July 9.—The three-year-old son of C. G. Howard, living on the Missouri bottoms near Trenton, was burned to death. He played with matches in a strawstack and his clothes were ablaze in a moment. The child lived ten hours.

Power Dam Partly Gone.

Faribault, Minn., July 9.—The high water in Straight river has weakened the dam belonging to the Polar Star electric light plant to such an extent that a portion of it has gone out.

"Homecoming" Is Planned.

La Crosse, Wis., July 9.—West Salem citizens are arranging a joint "homecoming" and fair during the week of Sept. 9 in this county. Committees have been appointed to take charge of the double celebration.

Takes Carbolic Acid.

St. Paul, July 9. — The body of John Sundstrom was found in a cow pasture yesterday. The coroner decided that he had committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. He had been in ill health.

Fall Fatal to Farmer.

Waterloo, Iowa, July 9.—Albert P. Jepkes, a German farmer living near Dick, fell from a hay mow, striking on his head. He died of his injuries thirty minutes later.

The prettiest flowers are not necessarily the most fragrant.

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The Immensity of Chicago

Interesting figures showing the enormous concentration of activity in big cities during the past few decades of the country's history have been gathered in the course of an official investigation to determine the geographical, business and industrial center of Chicago. The geographical center of the city has shifted, it was found, to a point near the intersection of Wood and Thirty-fifth streets.

The city is now 26 miles long by 14 1-2 miles wide, and if used for agricultural purposes would make exactly 762 farms of 160 acres each. A few farms are situated within the city limits but the bulk of the area is made to support a population of over 2,300,000. The problems of transportation, traffic, lighting and water supply that such a congestion creates were only touched on in the report, which was prepared by the city bureau of statistics and submitted to the Mayor.

The center of industrial activity was found at the intersection of Van Buren and Desplaines streets. In determining this location the bureau secured information regarding 47,196 places employing 540,018 persons. The business center of the city is claimed to be at the corner of State and Madison streets, which has been declared by the Board of Review to be the most valuable piece of land in Chicago and probably in the United States west of the Alleghany mountains. There are no less than 2,200 streets in the city. One fifth of the entire population of Chicago is said to be dependent for its livlihood upon the stockyards and packing industry.

The War On Tuberculosis

The tuberculosis exhibit here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, brought out a good many people. Each evening the city hall was well filled. As conducted it was a school of instruction in matters pertaining to the prevention and cure of the disease. It was shown that the four things that the consumptive needs to effect a cure are outdoor life, sunshine, nourishing food in large quantities and rest. It was urged that the consumptive employ the agencies at home for effecting a cure rather than go to Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona or any of the other so-called health resorts. This was urged for two reasons:

First—That the patient acclimated in Minnesota stands a good deal better chance of getting well if he lives out of doors in the sunshine, breathing pure air and eating good nutrious food, and living a life of rest, than he wound under the same habits of life in any other climate on earth, and, secondly, he can get cured by the expenditure of very much less money.

The consumptive from Massachusetts can be cured in Colorado but when cured he can't again go back to Massachusetts and live. If cured in Massachusetts he will stay cured there. There is, said Dr. Bracken, no sadder chapter in life's drama than that of the poor home-sick consumptive in Colorado. Often they go there with little means, hoping to get employment. As the disease progresses they grow weaker, and many is the sad, sad story of the poverty stricken consumptive left alone to die without money and without friends and without hope.

It is a matter of the deepest regret that while the legislature has appropriated $100,000 for the treatment of the diseases of domestic animals, it has not expended one cent for the treatment of the terrible white plague that sends to a premature grave every year in Minnesota alone two thousand victims. By charts and lantern slides the people have been let in here to the many facts about the disease and its treatment that they did not know before.—Wabasha Herald.

Ireland's Political Freedom

Ireland's cause now gaining in England, will receive a new impulse in the United States as a result of a meeting held in Chicago this week by the Irish societies, with membership in every state of the Union, to do honor to the memory of John F. Finerty. In his youth the late president of the United Irish League of America was driven out of Ireland and his zeal in the Irish nationalist cause was unceasing thru his eventful life. The invitation to send representatives to the memorial meeting met with a response from the Irish Fellowship Club Irish Nationalists, Gaelic Society, Gaelic League, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Ladies Auxilliary of the A. O. H., Knights of Equity, Irish Choral Society, Gaelic Athletic Association South Chicago Irish Historical Society, Old Guard of the Fenian Brotherhood and various posts of the G. A. R.—for Colonel Finerty fought well in the Civil war.

During his lifetime Colonel Finerty held more posts of honor in connection with the movement for Irish liberty than any other man in America. Glowing tributes were paid to his efforts and the prediction was made that within five years the fight for political freedom would be ended and Ireland would be enjoying home rule.

In support of this, attention was called to recent statements by the Honorable Timothy Harrington, member of parliament from Dublin, and others to the effect that the present lord lieutenant, the Earl of Aberdeen, favored the movement and that King Edward himself was at heart a home ruler and would welcome the change. James Bryce, now British ambassador to this country, was outspoken in his sympathy at various times during his political career and it is expected that the liberal party, now in power, will be forced shortly to fulfill its pledges, and give Ireland the rights she has demanded for so many years.

THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

The following are the principal planks of the Democratic platform:

Modification of law relating to injunctions. Injunctions should not be issued in any cases in which injunctions would not issue if no industrial suit were involved.

Employers' liability act.

Immediate revision of tariff by reduction of import duties and the placing on the free list of articles entering into competition with trust controlled products. Graduated reduction to restore tariff to revenue basis. Pulp, print paper, lumber, timber and logs to be placed on the free list at once.

Prohibiting private monopoly and licensing corporations.

Publicity of campaign contributions.

Federal remedies for regulation of interstate commerce and prevention of monopolies should be added to and not substituted for state remedies.

Requiring national banks to establish guarantee fund for prompt payment of depositors of any insolvent national bank. Emergency currency controlled by federal government and loaned to national and state banks.

Postal savings banks.

Admission of Asiatic immigrants is opposed.

Income tax.

Preservation of natural resources.

Enlarge powers of interstate commerce commission. Physical valuation of railroads. Further legislation to prevent pass and rebate abuse.

Independence of Philippines.

Improvement of waterways.

Immediate admission of Arizona and New Mexico as separate states.

Full territorial rights for Alaska and Porto Rico.

Control of house of representatives by majority of people's representatives and not by speaker.

WHO BRYAN'S RUNNING MATE IS

John Worth Kern, lawyer, Howard County, Indiana, born Dec. 20 1849; graduate of University of Michigan 1869; reporter Supreme Court Indiana 1885-9; State Senator 1892-96; City Attorney of Indianapolis 1897-1901; was unsuccessful candidate for governor of Indiana 1900-04; received complimentary vote for U. S. Senator 1905 from Democratic party; Residence Indianapolis

STATE PRESS

"Sweet 16"

With this issue, the Herald begins the sixteenth year of its existence having been published first in July, 1892. Thus far its mission has been a success and it is our aim to give the people a clean, reliable and newsy paper. At this opportune moment we wish to thank our citizens for their hearty support, and solicit the continuance of their loyalty.—Clay Co. Herald.

Worse and More of It

Housewives will not bless the Chicago doctor who declares that housework is more injurious to the health of servants than working in factories. It was hard enough to get help before this doctor came along with his information.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Means Big Prices

The present outlook is that all of the 1907 wheat crop will be used up by the time the 1908 crop gets on the market. This is something that has not happened for a great many years and gives promise of a big price for this year's crop of wheat.—Hendrum Review.

Goes Without Saying

Congressman Steenerson has filed as a candidate for re-nomination and election to the office which he has so thoroly filled during the past few years. His constituents place absolute reliance in the big congressman and he has never failed in his duty toward them. That he will be re-nominated and elected goes without saying.—Plummer Pioneer.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word.

.:. POLITICS .:.

Will Bear Watching

While county option may be the main issue in the election of legislators this year, it may be well not to forget that the steel trust is interested and is undoubtedly at work fortifying itself against the enactment of a tonnage tax law. They have no desire to pay their just share of taxes to the state. Bjorge, of Becker; Jefferson, of Cottonwood; and Thayer, of Fillmore, the three leaders in last winter's fight for the tonnage tax, already has as opponents the strongest man in their respective districts. The hand of the octopus may not be visible, even to the candidates they hope to elect, but there is no doubt but what it is there. If the leaders can be defeated it will serve as a warning to others not to attempt legislation against this the greatest of trusts.—Hendrum Review.

We regret the action of President Roosevelt in his persistence in turning down Judge Hale, against the wishes of the Minnesota Senators especially U. S. Senator Nelson.

We consider the President's action as worse than a crime—a blunder.

President Roosevelt has the patronage of the nation at his disposal almost, and could have rewarded Mr. Purdy in a score of ways.

The patronage of even U. S. Senators is restricted seldom reaching outside their states, and Mr. Nelson whose oratory, character, ability and popularity has been of such inestimable value to the party of which President Roosevelt is the head deserves more than the usual consideration in the councils of the President.

President Roosevelt has strength of a giant, and it behooves him to use it as becomes a giant.—St. Vincent New Era.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY STONE

Mr. Spurgeon of Iowa and Mr. John Landes and daughters Misses Anna and Estella drove down from Stephen last Friday and visited at the homes of Simon and Samuel Aeschliman.

Miss Bessie Brantl called on Miss Margaret McDonald last Monday.

Mr. Albert Brantl of East Grand Forks drove out and spent several days with his parents.

Miss Viola Ehnen who was visiting several weeks with her parents and a brother and sister of this place returned to Pontiac, Ill., last Tuesday Miss Ehnen was much pleased with this country. During her stay here she made many friends who greatly regret her departure.

Little Mildred Augustine was quite sick last Sunday.

Mr. Spurgeon, Mr. Landes and daughters and Joseph and Persida Aeschlimann drove to Grand Forks last Friday afternoon. Mr. Spurgeon thinks there is no place like the Red River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann David Gerber and Lewis, Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ehnen and family last Sunday.

Mr. Henry Ehnen who suffered with a refractory tooth several days ago is now the happiest man in this vicinity. He drove to Grand Forks on a very hot day and sat in a dentist's chair for a long time but he says this is nothing to compare with many sleepless nights he spent. He is enjoying the sweetest of slumbers at present.

ADA

The nice dry weather of the last week has put the crops in fine condition and with dry weather from now on will see one of the best crops we have had for some years. In a few localities on the late sown grain, a shower of rain would do good.

Two young boys, whose names were not learned and who claimed they were from Minneapolis, dropped into the city Sunday evening and Monday afternoon when the city police was going to enter the firehall he found the door was blocked from the inside. Gaining entrance thru another door he found that two hose carts had been pushed against the door, the policeman's lantern, which happened to be in there had been broken and a few other misdeeds done. Upon looking around in the building he discovered one of the lads upstairs in the city hall, whom he promptly arrested and placed in the jail. The other young fellow was also apprehended and locked in the jail where they remained over night. The next morning they were turned loose after having been given a reprimand by the mayor and ordered to make double quick time out of the city which they did.

The American Society of Equity held a county meeting at the city hall here Tuesday with C. O. Drayton, president of the Illinois State Union and R. H. Alrick, Secretary of the Minnesota State Union as the principal speakers. Dollar wheat was the slogan of the meeting and a few members were added.

KEY WEST

Hot and dry. A rain would help the growing crops.

Mr. J. F. Stewart was in Crookston Friday on business.

J. E. Beveridge drove to Grand Forks Friday.

Little Mildred Augustine was on the sick list the forepart of the week Dr. Dryden of Euclid was called to see her Sunday she is improving nicely now.

Mrs. Thomas Rutherford and daughter Della drove to Grand Forks Monday.

Hay harvest will be on full blast in a few days but will not take long as the crop is very light.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lee are expected back from the twin cities soon. They are enjoying a pleasant honey moon.

Miss Viola Ehnen of Pontiac, Ill., left Tuesday for her home at that place. She has been visiting her parents north of Key West for the past two weeks.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington. W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Eric O. Hagen

Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte

Deputy County Auditor.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

John W. Sandberg

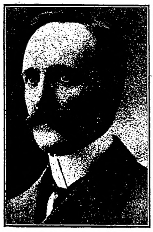
Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.



Hugh R. Robertson

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908

Theodore A. Thompson

Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

D. D. Horton

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary election Sept 15, 1908.

Well to Remember

A little vinegar put in the water when boiling fish will tend to harden the flesh and keep it firm. In case of fire tie a wet silk handkerchief over the face to prevent suffocation from smoke. When recovering from an illness, take regularly at mealtime and upon retiring a glass of golden grain belt beer. It will help build up the system and revitalize the nerves. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

"Live and learn" is a good motto, but at the age of 30 the average man begins to live and unlearn.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

July 13 In History.

1793—Marat, the terrorist, was assassinated by Charlotte Corday. Marat was one of the most sanguinary of the Jacobins. With Danton and Robespierre he planned the destruction of the Girondists and when cut down by the heroine was preparing a list of victims to be sacrificed.

1822—Modern battle of Thermopylae early in the Greek war for independence.

1890—General John Charles Fremont, explorer, soldier and Republican presidential candidate in 1856, died; born 1813.

1900—The allied forces at Tientsin repulsed in a desperate attack upon the native city.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:27, rises 4:37; moon rises 7:46 p. m.; moon's age 16 days; 4:48 p. m., eastern time, full moon.

TRIES TO BREAK ANGUS DEPOT—The station agent made the discovery Saturday morning at Angus that some one had tried to break the lock on the station door and enter the building. No arrests have been made.

LOOKING OVER CROPS — Supt. W. B. Sheffield and supt. Will Ryan, the latter of Grand Forks went up the north line this morning where they will look over the crop situation.

LOOKING OVER EUCLID DITCH—County Surveyor Orvis Hinds left for Euclid today to look over the Euclid Ditch which is being rushed to completion by Contractor M. Sullivan.

R. F. D. EXAMINATION—A county R. F. D. examination will be held at the Crookston postoffice on Saturday next, July 18. It is understood there are 11 applicants.

LARSON GETS DIVORCE—In a suit brought by Henry L. Larson well known Crookston contractor, for divorce against Mathilda Larson his wife, a divorce was granted upon the payment of $300 alimony and $500 in ten monthly installments.

LOOKING AFTER INTERESTS — Chas. Casmey returned Saturday evening from Beaudette where he is now residing on a homestead and left this morning to look after business interests at Euclid where he will probably remain for about a month.

AFTER ANOTHER TERM—County Commissioner Driscoll came over from the west end this morning to attend a meeting of the board. Mr. Driscoll is a candidate for re-election and there is little question but what he will land as he has devoted a great deal of time and attention to his duties on the board.

The big celebration of the 25th anniversary of the first settlement of the Thirteen Towns began this morning at Erskine. The program of sports and addresses is a very good one, and with the fine weather the immense crowd present is enjoying the finest kind of a time.

Charged with assault and battery on the person of A. J. Peterson of Helgeland town, William Loomis, a farm laborer, was brought back this morning from Minneota in Lyon county and will be arraigned before the court here tomorrow to answer the charges preferred against him by the Helgeland farmer.

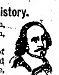
Loomis is now in jail here.

The police received wire this afternoon from Bemidji police asking the force here to locate Eli Milender at some Crookston hotel and inform him that his sister had died at Bemidji. he police have searched all the hotels but cannot locate the missing brother wanted at his sister's grave. He may probably be in the city and not yet registered. The police continue their search tonight.

FINE BALL GAME—Several members of the Co. I team drove to the O'Neill farm east of the city yesterday and played a game with the Burwell team. The game was an exciting one the teams being tied, 6 each from the 9th to the 13th inning when Co. I scored two runs. There was a large crowd present and all report a splendid time. Tatro threw for the Co. I team and Olson and Cornelius were on the points for Burwell.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

July 14 In History.


Cardinal Mazarin.

1602—Cardinal Mazarin, French statesman, born; died 1661.

1798—The populace of Paris stormed and captured the Bastille, the state prison and citadel of Paris.

1853—The Crystal palace exhibition opened in New York city.

1904—Paul Kruger, South African statesman, president of the Transvaal republic and leader of the Boers in the war against England in 1899-1901, died at Clarens, Switzerland; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:26, rises 4:38; moon rises 8:31 p. m.; moon's age 17 days; moon at perigee, nearest earth; 9 a. m., planets Mercury and Venus in conjunction.

SPRING PLOWING NEEDS RAIN—Tom Cleary the well known farmer near Fisher was in the city last evening and states that the grain on the spring plowing is in need of rain, and that the potato crop is also suffering for more moisture.

INSANE PATIENT— Officer Lynch of East Grand Forks arrived in the city yesterday afternoon with an insane patient, Daly by name, son of Millwright Daly of the Grand Forks Lumber company. The boy was having some trouble with his step mother and showed tendencies of a weak mind.

FROM NAT CAMPBELL — Nat Campbell, formerly of Crookston now of Portland, writes friends here from Welches, Oregon, near Mt. Hood that he is out on a vacation and is spending some time hunting deer in the mountains.

NO DAMAGE FROM HEAT—W. B. Sheffield after examining many fields in this section stated this morning that the hot winds had not damaged the wheat fields in this section at all as far as he was able to determine. He says that the late sown grain needs rain soon or the yield will be affected.

WILL GET MEDAL—H. A. Pinkerney of Philadelphia spent Sunday at Maple Lake investigating the application of friends of William Cross of Grand Forks for a hero medal because of Cross's bravery in saving the life of Will Colton who weighs 215, after a sailboat containing the two men turned turtle two years ago. Cross tho a mere boy at that time held Colton's head above water and swam to shore with him, Colton being unable to swim a stroke.

GRAIN LOOKS FINE—James Vavra, one of the well known Tabor farmers came down last evening, purchased a gasoline threshing outfit from Judge of Probate Morken, and returned home this morning. He says the wheat looks fine but that a good rain would help very much, specially with the late sown grain.

ENROUTE TO ROSEAU— Heaton Baxter, attorney for the Canadian Northern Railway company and stationed at Minneapolis, and R. K. Doe, assistant United States Attorney of St. Paul departed thru the city this morning for Roseau where they will look after their respective interests in the north country. Mr. Doe will make a few United States citizens while in the north.

HAS LEASED RESIDENCE—Prof. L. P. Harrington has leased the residence at 414 North Main street, opposite the foundry, into which his family will move upon their arrival from the southern part of the state in about a month. Prof. Harrington went to Hallock this morning where he will address the summer school a couple of days, returning as far as Warren the latter part of the week. He will spend next Sunday here. Mr. Harrington's youngest son will teach at Arvilla the coming year, his other three sons being civil engineers in the employ of the United States government. One soon goes to Montana after a detail in Washington, and the other two are in Oklahoma.

The best way to make your opinion respected is to keep them to yourself.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

KERN NAMED FOR SECOND PLACE

Indiana Man Selected as the Running Mate for William Jennings Bryan.

Denver, Colo., July 12.—The Democratic national convention concluded its labor late yesterday afternoon by the nomination of John Worth Kern of Indiana for vice president, completing the ticket on which William Jennings Bryan was made the nominee for president during the early hours of the morning.

The nomination of Kern was made by acclamation, amid the resounding cheers of delegates and spectators. No ballot was necessary, as the tide of sentiment had set irresistibly toward the Indiana candidate, state after state registering their delegations in his favar, and all other candidates withdrawing before the universal demand for his nomination.

Kern Is the Favorite.

The convention, after adjourning at daylight with the nomination of Mr. Bryan, resumed its session at 1 p. m. with a powerful undercurrent already in motion toward the nomination of Kern for second place. On the call of states Indiana presented the name of Kern; Colorado, through ex-Gov. Thomas, placed in nomination Charles A. Towne of New York; Connecticut presented Archibald McNeill and Georgia Clark Howell. The names of Judge George Gray of Delaware and of John Mitchell of Illinois were not presented, owing to the positive requests of these gentlemen not to have their names go before the convention.

Flock to Kern.

For a time it looked as though a ballot would be required. But the steady line of states which joined in seconding Kern's nomination soon made it apparent that the chances of all other candidates had been extinguished. Mr. Towne in person was the first candidate to recognize the decisive nature of the Kern movement and in a ringing speech he withdrew his name from consideration and pledged his support to the ticket of Bryan and Kern. Withdrawals quickly followed from the supporters of Howell of Georgia and McNeill of Connecticut, leaving the Indiana candidate alone in the field.

Made by Acclamation.

The withdrawal of the Connecticut candidate was accompanied by a motion that the nomination of Kern be made by acclamation. The motion was carried with a deafening shout, and the assemblage broke into clamorous demonstration on the accomplishment of its work and the completion of the Democratic national ticket

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

July 15 In History.

1557—Death of Queen Anne of England.

1776—Mad Anthony Wayne's force captured Stony Point.

1815—Napoleon Bonaparte surrendered himself to Captain Maitland of the Bellerophon.

1817—The Baroness de Stael-Holstein (Anne Louise Germaine Necker, commonly called Mme. de Stael), French woman of letters, died; born 1766.

1871—Thomas Lincoln (Tad), son of Abraham Lincoln, died; born 1852.

1903—Mrs. James G. Blaine, widow of the statesman, died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:26, rises 4:38; moon rises 9:16 p. m.; moon's age 18 days; 5 p. m., planet Mercury apparently stationary.

SHRINERS RETURN — Messrs. Spokely and Ellington returned this morning from St. Paul where they attended the first two days of the Shriners' meeting which they say is simply immense.

CROW SLAUGHTER—William Lycan and Martin O'Brien state that they are spending their afternoons shooting crows out side the city. They send the carcasses to Red Lake Falls where a bounty of 5 cents each is paid. They earn as high as 10 and 15 cents a day.

VETERAN MAIL CARRIER—Nels T. Nathwick, mail carrier on R. F. D., No. 2 out of Ada, which was one of the two mail routes first established out of that village 4 years and 4 months ago, is here today enjoying his annual 15 day vacation. He leaves this evening for Halstad to visit a son and from there goes to Fargo to attend the state fair and visit a sister.

Fred Noble, Menominee, Wisconsin, setter in the brick kilns of the Northern Pressed Brick Company was seriously injured this morning at ten o'clock by a falling pillar.

He was working in the pit of an unfinished kiln over which was built a roof for which a scaffolding had been erected out of huge 6 x 8's twenty feet long. One of these fell down missing Noble by the fraction of an inch and bounding hitting him across the back and pinning him to the ground. Medical assistance was immediately summoned

$30,000 FIRE AT GRAND FORKS

FACTORY OF GOLDEN GRAIN BISCUIT CO., COMPLETELY GUTTED BY FIRE

INSURANCE OF $16,000 IS CARRIED ON LOSS BY OWNERS OF FACTORY

From Wednesday's Daily—

The factory of the Golden Grain Biscuit company at Grand Forks was gutted by fire last evening. Nothing but the brick walls were left standing The loss is $30,000 and the insurance $16,000.

The fire started in the basement in the vicinity of a boiler. An alarm was turned in about 7:45. At that time the flames were breaking thru the windows of the upper story of the building.

Hose Breaks

Streams from the hydrants were played on the building with very little effect. The fire engine was used but shortly after it was started one of the hose burst and there was a delay of a few minutes in getting the repairs made.

While the fire was raging the fiercest the factory boiler exploded with a loud crash and there was a stampede from the vicinity of the walls. The lard room made a great blaze and intense heat drove the crowd back.

Has Narrow Escape

J. Sprague of the Northern State bank, had a narrow escape. While he was asisting the firemen a large cornice fell and just missed him.

The factory was built in 1904. F. W. Wilder is president of the company, J. A. Dinnie vice president and G. H. Wilder secretary and treasurer. Geo. H. Wilder looked after the business as manager.

FIGHT OVER COW LEADS TO BLOWS

WILLIAM LOOMIS TRIED BEFORE JURY IN WILDE'S COURT

William Loomis, arrested day before yesterday by Orin Daniels in Minneota in Lyon county, Minnesota, was brought before Judge Wilde in the justice court here this afternoon tried before a jury on the charge of assault and battery preferred against him by A. J. Peterson of Helgeland town. Peterson claims that Loomis while unprovoked hit Peterson over the eye and laid him out cold. Loomis claims that he went over to visit Peterson to speak in a friendly way about some cows that haad broken out of his (Loomis') pasture and were restrained. They were talking in Peterson's barn, claims Loomis and Peterson provoked attack by calling names and by open attack on William Loomis with sad results. The case is not yet up to the jury.

APPLY FOR NEW ELECTION DISTRICT

County Auditor Wilmann has received a petition from residents f townships 159 and 160 range 34 in the northwestern part of Beltrami county praying for the establishment of a new election district embracing these townships.

The territory desired to be covered by this new election precinct is north of Red Lake and includes settlements of homesteaders composed of people who have heretofore lived at Crookston, headed by E. J. Keating and Adolph Rauch.

In the petition the petitioners state that the nearest voting precinct is ten miles distant and it would be serving the convenience of those signing the petition to have the election district allowed.

It is more than likely that the board of county commissioners will act favorably on the petition at the meeting of the board which will be held this week.

Auditor Wilmann also expects another petition for an election district embracing Townships 158 and 159 range 30 known as the "Rapid River country." There are a large number of settlers in this district and no doubt the petition for the election district will be granted, if asked for.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy. They will strain out all waste matter from the blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy and it will make you well. Sold by all druggists.

ATT'Y GENERAL APPEALED TO

GRAND FORKS BOSS BARBERS CLAIM THEY ARE UNABLE TO GET

POLK COUNTY AUTHORITIES TO ARREST EAST SIDE MEN

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Grand Forks Herald says:

"Grand Forks barbers propose to find out whether the Sunday closing law, as far as it relates to barber shops, was put on the statute books of Minnesota as a joke or not. East Grand Forks barber shops have kept open Sunday forenoons for the past couple of weeks and have defied the Grand Forks barbers who are obliged to keep closed, to do anything. Application was made to the East Grand Forks municipal court for a warrant for the arrest of the bosses but the court declined to issue it The Polk county attorney also declined to have anything to do with the case.

"The matter has now been taken up by the Minnesota Federation of Labor and it is expected that something can be accomplished thru Attorney General Young.

"East Grand Forks barbers reap a rich harvest on Sundays. Week days they get 15 cents for a shave but on Sunday the price is 25 cents. Hair cuts are 35 cents during the week and on Sunday the price is 50 cents. A good share of the Sunday business comes from Grand Forks, it is stated, and the barbers on this side side consider they are losers by the east side owners keeping open. They claim, however that practically all of the union men of the east side get their work done in Grand Forks since the east side boss barbers declared for the open shop."

MUST ONE WAIT BEFORE SHOOTING

BLOODY SHOOTING STUNT MAY BE PULLED OFF AT GULLY SOON

The United States Land Office today received from Gully, Minn., the following inquiry:

Sir:

I want to know whate a man Threatens to shoot a man, what can he do about it, or wold he half to wait till he don the shooting before he don anything."

The man was advised to act before he was shot on the theory that he might not be able to act afterwards.

MAN SUICIDED AFTER DANCE

Peter O. Ruud, of Thorwick, Minn., aged 48 years, after having unharnessed one of the horses he had just brought into the barn and partially unharnessed the other, discontinued his work and committed suicide by hanging. The suicide is the father of Mrs. Thomas Tharoldson of Grand Forks who was visiting at the parental home at the time of the affair, and Mr. Tharoldson who is employed on the Grand Forks Times left for Thorwick near Thief River Falls this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruud had been to a dance on Saturday evening returning Sunday noon. Mrs. Ruud went into the house while Mr. Ruud proceeded to unhitch the horses. He had completed the work of removing the harness of one of the horses when he discontinued the work. A rope was thrown over a rafter and used in ending life.

It is supposed that the unfortunate man was delirious at the time of committing suicide as he had been subject to such spells.

ANNUAL PICNIC WAS A GRAND SUCCESS

The annual picnic held yesterday at Aune's grove west of the city under the auspices of the Burnham Creek band was the most successful they have ever held both in point of the number of people present and the excellence of the program. The Burnham Creek band was assisted by Bandmaster Riggs and John Boh, and the selections rendered were very fine. Mr. Ralph Carter also sang several very delightful solos.

There was a band program both morning and afternoon, and at the noon hour there was a fine dinner served. Scores drove out from this city to enjoy the festivities of the occasion.

NEED MEDICAL INSPECTION

STATE SUPT. OF SCHOOLS FAVORS EXAMINATION OF THE PUPILS

OLSON SAYS THERE SHOULD BE MEDICAL INSPECTION IN MINNESOTA SCHOOLS

From Wednesday's Daily—

"We need medical inspection in every school in the state of Minnesota said J. W. Olson state superintendent of schools before the university summer school yesterday afternoon at the university chapel.

"We need it for two reasons. First that the children may receive medical attention, and, second, that the teacher may know what allowances to make on account of a child's weak ness.

"We also need more stability of tenure in our schools and county superintendents for efficiency. There should be an educational standard for county superintendents and it should be kept up. School teachers need higher wages and should be employed for a term of years, or, rather, as long as their services proved satisfactory.

"I also believe thoroly in consolidated schools in rural districts. The time is also ripe for county agricultural schools as well as county normal institutions. Longer terms of service and better wages would improve the schools 100 per cent."

CANOE CAPSIZES AND TWO DIE

DULUTH GIRL ONE OF VICTIMS OF THE NORTHERN LAKE

ONE OCCUPANT CLINGS TO CRAFT TWELVE HOURS BEFORE RESCUED

News reached Crookston today from Deer River that Miss Etta Kennedy daughter of Mrs. Frank Kennedy of 302 East Third street of Duluth and Jacob Woodruff of Deer River were drowned yesterday on Ball Club lake. Another man who was with them in the canoe saved himself by clinging to the craft for more than twelve hours before he was discovered and rescued.

Miss Kennedy was a stenographer for a real estate firm and had been visiting friends near Deer River. She was on her way to take a train when the canoe was overturned. She was eighteen years old.

Two Austrians of Chisholm, Minn., were drowned today in Seven Mile lake. Their names are Ignar Sysbolitz and John Jamnazak. A third man escaped. Their boat was capsized.

IN OREGON: LIKES MINNESOTA BEST

MAN WHO MOVED TO OREGON WANTS TO COME HOME

After twenty-seven years there is still in the heart of one Oregon farmer a big warm spot for Minnesota. He recently wrote George Welsh, immigration commissioner at St. Paul, for a booklet of Minnesota. He said that he moved from Brown County in 1881 and has always been sorry.

He gives advice earnestly to all Minnesotans who are thinking of moving West, to go West and settle if they want to, but not to sell the farm or business in this state. He says that he wants to come back.

"That is a type of scores of letters we receive in this office said Mr. Welsh. The people seem to think that Minnesota is a pretty good state to come back to even after they have lived for a long time in some other commonwealth."

War Against Consumption

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

Many a girl who thinks she is too good to do housework believes that her mother isn't.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

W. J. BRYAN GETS NOMINATION ON FIRST BALLOT

Chosen as Democratic Candidate for President Amid Wild Enthusiam.

JOHNSON IS WILDLY CHEERED

Uproarious Demonstration Lasting 25 Minutes Follows Hammond's Speech.

UNANIMOUS FOR PLATFORM

All Night Session Marked by Most Stirring Scenes Ever Witnessed in Convention.

Denver, Colo., July 11, 3:40 a. m. — William Jennings Bryan was this morning nominated for president of the United States by the Democratic national convention.

The nomination was made at 3:40 o'clock, amid scenes of tumultuous enthusiasm, the vast assemblage breaking en masse into a frenzied demonstration of intensely dramatic tribute to the chosen leader.

The first and only ballot gave Bryan the commanding and decisive total of 892 1-2 votes, or 221 more than enough to nominate, with Gray 59 1-2 and Johnson 46.

The announcement was greeted with a perfect pandemonium of sound and motion, floor and galleries joining in deafening, long-continued tumult.

Nomination Made Unanimous.

The decisive ballot was followed, at the first lull, with motions from the Gray and Johnson leaders to make the nomination unanimous and by acclamation, which was carried with an echoing chorus of approval in which every state joined its voice, but with one dissenting vote, from the State of Georgia.

The convention adjourned at 3:50 until 1 o'clock this afternoon, when the candidate for vice president will be nominated.

Candidates Are Named.

The Democratic national convention proceeded last night to the nomination of a candidate for president of the United States, the nominating and seconding speeches being made amid scenes of tumultuous enthusiasm.

The speech placing William J. Bryan in nomination awakened a whirlwind of demonstration, rivaling in intensity and duration the record-breaking tribute of Wednesday.

The names of George Gray of Delaware and Gov. Johnson of Minnesota were also placed in nomination with demonstrations of approval from their followings.

Dunn Names Bryan.

The platform committtee was not ready to report when the evening session began and after listening to political oratory, the rules of procedure were suspended and the convention proceeded with the speeches placing the candidates for president in nomination with the understanding that the usual vote would be deferred until the platform had been adopted.

The speech placing William J. Bryan in nomination was made by Ignatius J. Dunn of Nebraska, a youthful orator of fire and eloquence, whose closing phrase stirred the vast assembly into a wild demonstration.

Pandemonium Breaks Loose.

"I nominate," he exclaimed, "as the standard-bearer of our party the man who in the thrilling days of '96 and 1900 bore the battle-scarred banner of Democracy with fame as untarnished as the crusaders of old—America's great commoner, Nebraska's gifted son, William J. Bryan."

Immediately perfect pandemonium of sound and motion was unloosened as delegates and spectators arose en masse and joined in the reverberating chorus of tribute to the Nebraska candidate. The standards of the states were wrenched from their places and borne through the hall to the platform, while banners bearing the portrait of the commoner were waved aloft and the multitude joined in long-continued tribute. At times the intensity of the demonstration threatened a panic. One woman was borne out fainting.

Hammond Names Johnson.

The opportunity of the Johnson supporters came when the roll call reached Connecticut and that state gave way to Minnesota.

Winfield S. Hammond of the latter state took the stand amid a considerable volume of applause to place in nomination Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota.

Mr. Hammond, although he was speaking to a mass of delegates who had conclusively shown their preference for another candidate, made a most favorable impression on the convention for himself and his candidate. The speaker, who is a powerful, portly man, with no surplus of hair, easily sent his voice to the farthest corners of the hall, and his speech was heard with marked attention.

Demonstration for Johnson.

By the time that Gov. Johnson had been placed in nomination the gallery crowds had materially dwindled. The aisles no longer were filled, and there were many empty chairs.

That all the cheer was not yet killed in the convention was made manifest when Mr. Hammond concluded. The loyal sons of the North Star state responded with a cheer, and a number of delegates in Massachusetts and Oklahoma joined in, and soon the convention was in another uproar of enthusiasm. Some of the Georgia delegates mounted their chairs after a few minutes and added their voices to those of the Minnesota men.

Chairman Shows Partiality.

Chairman Clayton was somewhat less tolerant in dealing with the Johnson shouters than he had been with the Bryan followers, and commenced to rap for order while Minnesota was still on its chairs and ended the tide of enthusiasm. The band also failed to respond to Johnson's name and sat silent in their places, much to the wrath of the Minnesota delegation, who sent to Chairman Clayton a complaint of partiality in favor of the Nebraska candidate. The chairman promptly signaled the band, which played two airs.

Uproar Lasts Twenty-five Minutes.

Chairman Clayton, who began to call for order after the first ten minutes of cheering, and who had failed to secure it after the Johnson boomers had maintained their demonstration for more than twenty minutes, sent assistant sergeant-at-arms to quiet some of the spectators in the galleries.

Order was finally restored after twenty-five minutes.

The house electricians, who had dimmed the lights to help stop the Bryan demonstration, again tried the device on the Johnson outburst amid some hissing and applause.

L. I. Handy of Delaware placed Judge Gray in nomination and was greeted with a whirlwind of applause.

Platform Is Presented.

"Gentlemen of the convention," said the chairman, "I now have the pleasure of presenting to you the chairman of the committee on resolutions, Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma."

The governor called forth loud cheers from the convention when he announced that there was no division among the members of the committee and that he represented them all in presenting the report.

Scattering applause greeted the various planks as they were read by Gov. Haskell.

That portion of the plank on finance referring to the guarantee of bank deposits, one of Mr. Bryan's favorite policies, elicited the warmest applause given up to that time.

Cheer Injunction Plank.

The reading of the injunction plank was heard with the deepest attention and the declaration in favor of "a revision of the injunction law" was first applauded, other sections were warmly approved, and when the plank was finished the convention broke into cheers.

The declaration in favor of the election of senators by direct vote was heartily applauded, as was the plank on waterways and that in favor of the independence of the Philippines.

The reading of the platform was concluded at 12:55, Gov. Haskell having read for a few minutes less than one hour.

The platform was unanimously adopted.

Two Sessions Held.

Two sessions of the Democratic national convention, the first at 11 o'clock yesterday and the second beginning at 7 o'clock last night, have advanced the work well nigh to completion and have brought the decisive hours for the consideration of the party's candidates and declaration of principles. The opening session yesterday lasted three hours and brought about the completion of the permanent organization of the convention, with the resounding address of Congressman Clayton of Alabama, permanent chairman of the convention. When the session opened last night every formality of organization had been accomplished, and the decks were clear for the supreme work of adopting the platform and naming the candidates.

Frequent Demonstrations.

The scenes within the convention amphitheater yesterday repeated those of previous days in the magnitude of the gathering and the eager enthusiasm of the throngs. There were frequent demonstrations as the names of party idols of Jeffersonian principles were pronounced, but there was no repetition during the early session of the tumultuous record-breaking demonstration of Wednesday. The address of the permanent chairman, Mr. Clayton, proved to be a

Caustic Arraignment

of the failure of Roosevelt policies and an enunciation of Democratic doctrine. The ringing voice of the orator and the emphasis of his gestures stirred the listening thousands to frequent demonstrations of enthusiastic approval. At 2:30 o'clock the platform committee was not yet prepared to report, and the convention took a recess until evening, so that all remaining differences of detail on the platform could be reconciled and the document be ready for adoption and the presidential nomination be reached before the adjournment of the night session.

Circus Train in Wreck.

Dickinson, N. D., July 11. — Jack Grant died in a local hospital from internal injuries sustained in Miller Bros.' 101 Ranch show wreck, in the Dickinson railroad yards at midnight. He had his leg and foot crushed. Several others were seriously injured.

Steel Rail Breaks Both Legs.

Marshalltown, Iowa, July 11.—John Brown of Colo, a steel gang foreman on the North-Western, suffered the fracture of both legs when he was knocked down a rail that was being unloaded from a car.

PATTEWAY UP FOR ROBBERY

CLOTHES FOUND IN NEGROE'S ROOMS TAKEN FROM GUARANTEE CLOTHING

THIEVERY OF WATCHES AND CLOTHING MAY NOW BE CLEARED UP

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Aulis Patteway, negro, janitor of the Merchants National bank for a long time was arraigned before Judge Wilde this afternoon on the charge of stealing clothing and watches from the Guarantee clothing store April 22 last the same night of the robbery of the Smith pool room which was laid at the hands of Schuler and Johnson the seventeen year olds.

The police found in the rooms occupied by the negro the clothes now offered in evidence and he is charged also with the robbery of the watches.

The robbery created a great deal of mystery then, being confused for a time with the robbery of the Smith pool room by Robert Johnson and Schnapps Schuler.

The police believe that by the apprehension of Patteway they have unearthed the sourse of the mysterious petty robberies that have been occurring in the city for the past six months. Patteway worked for $7 a week and flashed about among the colored population in the attitude of a sport.

Since his janitorship in the Merchants National Bank $500 has disappeared in the past four months. The shortage was discovered upon the appearance of the bank examiner here three weeks ago which discovery as well as the actions of Patteway gave the first clew to his possible implication. The suit against Patteway on the bank charge will not be taken up for a time evidently from absence of mention of it in the prosecution today It is probable that effort will be made to get him to raise the money.

Patteway was about the bank in the early morning and when the bank opened at which time he could have got in his work.

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W. C. Scott returned from N. D. last Saturday.

Peter Matson was in town Monday in his auto.

Most of the Lockhart people enjoyed the Fourth at Fertile.

Bryant Jackson visited Alex Scott at Fertile over Sunday.

Mrs. Jackson was at the Kreun home in Spring Creek last week.

W. E. Casselman has purchased the Wimmer farm in Anthony township.

Eddie Malakowski left for Grand Forks last Thursday where he is visiting his cousins.

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Manus, Miss Manus and Miss Steffler were Ada visitors Monday.

Miss Menge left Thursday for an extended visit with her brothers in N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ahlers and Miss Ahlers came up in their auto Sunday and called upon relatives and friends.

C. O. Drayton will speak in Lockhart July 14 at 10 a. m. in the interests of the Society of Equity.

The picnic held last Saturday in H. Malakowski's grove was very pleasant so report those who attended

C. R. Ahlers went to Fargo with his father in his auto, last Saturday and returned by train Sunday morning.

Arrangements are being made by the Lockhart Telephone Co., to connect the Gary telephone line on the basis of equal exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ahlers, Mrs. Bloom and C. C. Allen of Ada were in Lockhart Tuesday. Ahlers and Allen attended the Lockhart telephone meeting held at that time.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK CHENEY.

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SENSATION AT FERTILE

A WARRANT SWORN OUT FOR THE ARREST OF OTIS LEE

HIGHLY RESPECTED YOUNG LADY IS THE COMPLAINING WITNESS

From Thursday's Daily— ..

A warrant has been sworn out for the arrest of Otis Lee who is charged with attempted assault, the complaining witness being a well known and highly respected young lady of Fertile, and the residents of that city are greatly incensed.

The affair took place the night of July 4th. A friend of the plaintiff resided just on the outskirts of Fertile, and Lee and the young lady escorted her nearly home. On the return to the village the attempted assault took place.

Lee tried to gag her with a handkerchief and nearly tore her dress off in the struggle, she managed to shriek and a lady residing nearly a block away hurried to the rescue. Lee disappeared in the darkness and is supposed to have hurried to the home of his brother between Fertile and Beltrami and from there left the country as the sheriff's force have not succeeded in locating him as yet.

Lee is well known here, having been employed in the Grill restaurant and has also been chef in the hotel at Fertile. He will be vigorously prosecuted if he is apprehended. While here he had a good reputation.

DITCH MEN NEED RAIN

600,000 YARDS OF CONTRACTS THREATENED WITH LAY OVER

DRY DIGGERS PROVING THEIR VIRTUES FOR FIRST TIME IN NORTH

From Thursday's Daily— ...

The ditchers in the north are in need of immediate rain with which to prosecute their work. The big floating dredges ten in number which are at work on different projects thruout the north may be put out of commission, if within the next ten days a heavy downpour of rain does not swell the volume of the rivers and channels in which they are working. If the machines do not work the projects wil not be completed this year and over 600,000 yards of contracts will be up before the state drainage board and the county boards of the different counties for a renewal of time.

However during the dry spell of the last few weeks the "dry diggers" have been reaping the harvest of dirt. The Arpin dredges near Bronson and the dredges at work about Crookston which move with legs or on rollers are taking out more of the soil than ever before and the team diggers thru out the north watch anxiously every morning's sky for the appearance of threatening clouds and unfortunate rains.

Euclid Ditch Well Along

The big Euclid ditch north of this city and containing about 100,000 yds. of excavation will be completed by the middle of August if the present fine dry weather keeps up. Jas. Sullivan, contractor, arrived in the city this morning to obtain additional teams to place on the work that an early completion before rainfalls be assured. [illegible] teams of horses have been at work on this project since the middle of May and have excavated 53.000 yards.

Teams Succeed

This ditch proved a misfortune to one drainage company which tried to put a floating dredge on the work where now there nothing but the very least show of excess water. However if rains hold off the big dredges and big projects will be the main sufferers and the country will obtain some set back in the big drainage channels which the sooner done the better for the north.

Some Rust Talk

Farmers also say that a fall of rain is needed in many localities and an absence of water may have some effect on the crop. Rust talk is heard for the first time, but it is not considered that any special damage will result about this part of the northwest where the crop has been well diversified.

Tossed by Train at Grade Crossing.

Watertown, S. D., July 11. — Mrs. Arthur Merrill was seriously hurt last evening at the grade crossing of the North-Western. A passing engine caught her and tossed her six feet in the air, dropping her outside the rails.

REBUILDING FORT RIDGLEY

WORK ON MONSTER PRODUCTION PROGRESSING AT STATE FAIR GROUNDS

THIS WILL BE THE GRAND SPECTACULAR FEATURE OF THE 1908 FAIR

For the past thirty days a large force of scenic artists and stage mechanics have been busily engaged in the agricultural building on the State Fair Grounds in building a reproduction of Fort Ridgely as it stood in 1862 an attack on which is to be the big spectacular feature of this year's fair. Great difficulty is experienced by the fair managers in securing photographs of the fort as it stood in that time and a great deal of credit is due Mr. O. G. Hall, of Friday Harbor, State of Washington, who is preparing a book on the attack on Fort Ridgley for the plans and specifications from which the old fort is to be built.

Every effort is to be used in reproducing it just as it stood at the time, and while it is possible that twentieth century imagination will have to be drawn upon for some of the main details the production in the main will be absolutely correct, in fact, as correct as the art of scenic artist and the stage mechanic can make it.

Over 30,000 square yards of canvas will be used and it will take a force of thirty men until the opening day of the fair to complete the work. Heretofore, the small spectacular features that have been produced in front of the grandstand have occupied a space north of the artificial lake between the fence of the half mile track but this year the entire infield of the half mile track will be utilized for the producing of this mammoth spectacle Over 1,000 people will take part in the production, 300 of which are to be Sioux Indians. As usual, the evening performance this year will terminate with a superb pyrotechnical display.

The Minnesota State Fair has grown to such a size that a miniature fire works factory has been established on the grounds, and many of the large pieces are to be manufactured there this year.

FUNDS OF POLK ARE DIVIDED

THE JUNE SETTLEMENT—LARGE SUMS TO CITIES AND TOWNSHIPS

Following is a detailed statement of moneys distributed in June settlement as furnished by W. L. Vannet County Treasurer:

Total amount of collections from March 1st to May 29 1908 ... ...$206926.79

Of which $175979.08 were for the current year of 1907, and $30947.71 for prior years.

Refundings were $96.58 leaving net amount of $206830.21.

Distributed as follows:

State taxes	$ 10477.33
State school	5981.07
County revenue	24534.76
County road and bridge ..	4959.09
County poor	3.47
County bond and interest..	5.82
Ditches, special assess'ts..	35941.89
Other special taxes	406.98
City and village taxes ...	31318.93
Township taxes	29444.61
School taaxes	59054.83
Penalties and interest ...	4701.44
Out of the above the city of Crookston receives...	25020.21
School dist. No. 1 (Crookston)	13208.04
3 (East Grand Forks) ...	8691.56
142 (Fosston)	3041.53
44 (Fertile)	1656.11
192 (McIntosh)	1363.27
251 (Carman)	1345.32
13 (Fisher)	949.18
63 (Beltrami)	723.98
230 (Erskine)	509.76
245 (Climax)	498.93
249 (Mentor)	333.42
47 (Euclid)	483.83

PLAN CLEAWATER COUNTY EXHIBIT

COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL SEE CLEARWATER AT STATE FAIR

The Bagley Commercial Club has decided that Clearwater county shall have one of the best exhibits offered by any county in the state at the coming state fair. The county commissioners also have set aside a fund to be used by the club. The exhibit is in charge of O. T. Davids of Bagley.

The timid golfer sees a mountain where there's only a sand hill.

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SUICIDE IN CITY JAIL

UNKNOWN CUTS THROAT WITH POCKET KNIFE AND DIES

From Friday's Daily—

"I guess there't a dead man in here" mildly volunteered Sever Cliffgard, the city charge who is now in jail, to Officer LaLonde of the city police this morning when that officer opened the jail doors to inspect the condition of things within.

Upon an investigation by Officer LaLonde and Street Commissioner Duval who was there at the time a body was discovered on one of the bunks the head thrown back, the jaws open and the throat one clot of blood. At the side of the victim lay a bloody pocket knife the instrument he used to do the deed.

The transient's name was Herman Nelson of Hallock and he applied to Captain Vonderbeck of the night police last evening at about 9:30 for lodging for the night which was given him. He complained that he was slightly ill and asked the Captain to telephone his brother in Hallock for help and money that he might get home.

Telephone was made, but the brother who answered stated that he could not extend any aid and would not go good for his brother's hospital bill, if he were sent to such a place.

The body was taken to Coroner Chesterman's undertaking parlors and communication was made with Albert Nelson of Hallock, the brother of the deceased who will arrive tonight and receive the body.

MONEY SAVED ON THRESHING OUTFITS

BIG MANUFACTURER ADOPTS A NEW WAY OF SELLING HIS OUTPUT

Heretofore threshing machinery has been sold in a very round-about and expensive way. The factory has had jobbers the jobbers salesmen and dealers, the dealers other salesmen, and then when a man was found who wanted to buy, the factory sent another and a very high priced man to help the local salesman close it up.

The first thresher manufacturer to cut out all this expense and go directly before the buying public is the Cascaden Mfg. Co., of Waterloo, Iowa, who have a big branch house at Grand Forks, where they carry a full stock of the famous Winneshiek Engines and Separators. In this way they not only save freight but are able to make much prompter delivery.

They have adopted the unique plan of advertising direct in the home paper, believing that in this way a great many more will see their announcements and write them.

Elsewhere in this issue their first advertisement appears. Any reader of this paper who is planning to buy a threshing out fit should not fail to refer to the ad. and write them. Address Cascaden Mfg., Co., Grand Forks No. Dak., and learn how you can save a large part of the purchase price.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

July 9 In History.

1386—Battle of Sempach; Arnold von Winkelried "made way for liberty" and the independence of Switzerland.

1706—Pierre Lemoine, Sieur d'Iberville, founder of Louisiana, died; born 1661.

1790—Edmund Burke, British statesman, friend of the American colonies, died; born 1730.

1850—Zachary Taylor, twelfth president, died in office; born 1784.

1900—The Japanese troops at Tientsin captured the Chinese arsenal in a heroic charge after destroying the gateway by explosives.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:29, rises 4:34; moon sets 1:34 a. m.; moon's age 12 days.

COMPLETING IMMENSE KILN — The Northern Pressed Brick company of this city is completing the largest kiln to be found in the northwest, having capacity of 500,000 brick. The business of the company is increasing so rapidly that the capacity is being enlarged of necessity.

CHIEF OGAMAH HERE—Chas Ro-Becke, proprietor of the Hotel Ogamah at Thief River Falls passed thru the city last evening on his way to Halstad where he attends to business matters returning home this morning.

THE NEW SYSTEM—The Crookston United States land office received today from the general land office at Washington, D. C., special copying machines and cases which will be essentials when they put the new adopted system of bookkeeping into operation which will be done soon. All papers passing thru the hands of the local land office will be copied and the copies kept on file.

A FOUR POUND BASS—Last Sunday at Maple Lake Dr. Eckman of Grand Forks landed a fine 4 pound bass and is telling the entire northwest of his prowess. The fishing is getting better at Maple Lake year after year and with the fry planted this year will soon be one of the best lakes for fish in the entire state.

LAID TO REST—Mrs. Mary Dollbeck, aged 52 and the mother of a family of grown children, died Monday as the result of a paralytic stroke she suffered about a week ago and was laid to rest yesterday in the Louisville cemetery, Father Theillon officiating. She was a pioneer resident of Polk county and had lived on a farm in Louisville for many years past. She leaves a husband and several children.

GRAIN WELL HEADED—Farmers coming to the city yesterday brought samples of oats and barley which are turning perceptably and which will be ready for harvest the latter part of this month. The barley heads are the longest seen in this section in years and a big yield is promised, tho the acreage is somewhat reduced from former years, being 50 per cent less than last year in this immediate section of the valley. Samples of fine Swedish oats and wheat well headed out can be seen in the Journal window, which were brought in by Wilhelm Johnson, from west of Crookston.

On the June settlement with the state of Minnesota Polk county will pay to State Auditor Iverson at St. Paul about $35,000 from the taxes collected from the citizens and landowners of this county. About $25,000 of this represents payment to government for its dominion and $10,477.32 represents state revenue purely.

The state schools get $5981.07 lands and interest state fund, $7415.92 and state loans made to the county and interest on them $1212 and payments of loans and interest from school districts over the county $7401.85.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

July 10 In History.

1447—Christopher Columbus born at Genoa; died 1506.

1723—Sir William Blackstone, law writer, born; died 1780.

1851—Louis Jacques Mande Daguerre, inventor of the portrait, which preceded the photograph, died; born 1789.

1898—The long truce before Santiago broken; bombardment of the city by the guns of the American army and navy.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:28, rises 4:35; moon sets 2:14 a. m.; moon's age 13 days; sun's declination 22 degrees 14½ minutes, north of celestial equator.

LOOKING AFTER FARM—Geo. O'Reilly left yesterday for Euclid where he will join his wife who is visiting there and look after farming interests

CHARGE OF FOUNDRY— Arthur Brosseau the well known iron moulder has left for Warren where he will take charge of an iron foundry during the balance of the year.

TALKING TELEPHONE — J. F. Montgomery the merchant prince and telephone magnate of Angus returned home this morning having in tow Manager Bracelin who is talking telephone extension etc., in that section today.

ON ADOPTION CASE — Attorney Bronson of East Grand Forks arrived in the city this afternoon from the East Side and appears before Judge Watts this afternoon in the matter of the adoption of Miss Nellie Johnston by Baldaser Obenauer of East Grand Forks.

BUT THREE MILES LEFT—Roadmaster Anderson is spending considerable time on north line where there is but a short distance left for work by the steel gang which has been laying new rails for some time past. Yesterday morning there was a stretch of but three miles left between Angus and Euclid.

IT WAS HOT—S. W. Vance who left this morning for Maple Lake during the hot spell states that this is nothing to what he experienced while on a business trip to Vermillion, S. D., in 1886 when the thermometer stood at 110 in the shade with not a breath of wind stirring. He says it was a case of melting right.

SECURED A BIG CONTRACT—Alderman T. A. Harris has just been awarded the contract for moving the monster elevator of the McCabe Bros. line from the C. P. R. Tracks at Merden, Manitoba, to the Great Northern tracks. Mr. Harris will leave with a large crew of men to complete the job in a very short time, as the elevator must be moved and remodelled in time to take care of the coming crop. The elevator is a very large one and the moving of such a structure is no easy task by any means.

NO SHORTS NOW—The state departments of weights and measures has sent notices to all cities and towns thruout the state regarding fruit packages. Section 1 of the law relating to small fruit packages prescribes that the standard of measure for selling berries and other small fruits shall be the quart which when even full shall contain 67 cubic inches. Section 2 says that all packages or baskets that do not have the required capacity shall be marked "short" in letters not less than one-half inch in height.

Division was made this morning in the probate court of the $5000 estate of Tollefson Dahl who died in the town of Garden near Fertile December 4. 1907, without a will. The daughters, Mary, Mrs. N. G. Nelson and Miss Mary Tollefson and the sons Hogen and Thomas each receiving $832.23. M. G. Peterson administrator of the estate was in the city attending to the settlement of the estate.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

July 11 In History.

Sir William Johnson.

1767—John Quincy Adams, sixth president of the United States born; died 1848.

1774—Sir William Johnson, famous pioneer, and Indian manager, died near Johnstown, N. Y.; born in Ireland 1715.

1804—Alexander Hamilton killed in a duel by Aaron Burr; born 1757.

1898—Bombardment of Santiago by the American land and naval batteries concluded; last gun of the campaign fired.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:28, rises 4:35; moon sets 3:02 a. m.; moon's age 14 days.

VISITING SON—A Lythe left last evening for Minneapolis where he will spend a week visiting with his son George and attending to some business matters.

TOO HOT FOR A HOG—The heat of yesterday proved too much for a thorobred hog belonging to R. E. Smith south of the city. The hog was all right at noon but was found dead at supper time. Funeral announcements later.

DIVORCE AND $800—Judge Watts yesterday granted a divorce to Mathilda Larson of this city in a suit brought against her husband, Henry L. of Crookston. The judge added $800 to his decree.

BACK FROM COLORADO —A. F. Cronquist of Erskine, returned this week from a two weeks trip thru Colorado. He reports that this country is as far advanced with their crops as the southern part of the state and that Polk county is the ideal spot in which to dwell.

LAND OFFICES CLOSE—The land offices of the government thruout the United States will close at 1 o'clock on Saturdays thru the months of July August and September. This applies to the Crookston land office.

N. D. CROPS SCORCHED—W. E. Rowe returned yesterday from a trip to Mandan, N. D., where he attended to some legal business. He states that the crops out that way have been badly scorched by hot Chinook winds and the farmers are feeling blue. He says the heat here has been nothing compared to what has been experienced there.

A BAD ACCIDENT—Ole Bakken of King township is suffering from the results of a severe kick from one of his horses which resulted in the fracturing of his shoulder blade and three ribs. The horse was one which he has owned for twenty years and which has never before shown any disposition to kick. At the time the accident happened he was bedding his horses and thoughtlessly went behind the animal in the dark without speaking to it, and to this he attributes the accident. Dr. Neraal was called and reduced the fracture. Referring to Mr Bakken's condition he says that while he is a pretty sick man and will be laid up for some time he thinks he will recover.

NOTHING DEFINITE — Thus far no definite evidence has been obtained against Allus Patteway the colored porter of the Merchants National bank, who has been arrested for stealing goods from the Guarantee Clothing Co., and during whose term of service at the bank $800 in silver coin has disappeared. He stoutly maintains his innocence and nothing has developed that fastens the crime on him. Tho he drew but $7 per week salary from the bank, a short time ago he purchased the swellest driving horse in the city—that is he has it, but no one seems to know where he got it. He left the city for a two days' vacation a few weeks ago and returned one evening riding the fancy driver. Whether he bought the nag or obtained it in a less expensive way is not known. Patteway is now trying to sell the horse and rig to raise his $500 bail.

Oscar Nelson, brother of Herman Nelson, the suicide in the city jail yesterday morning, appeared in the city last night to take charge of his brother's remains and accompany them to Hallock where they will be buried with due honor.

Oscar Nelson gave his brother Herman $75 a week ago with which Herman said he wished to go into the southern part of the state and secure a job. Herman spent the money and wound up by asking the city police for a night's lodging. He did not have a cent on his person when he went to the city hall.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

INHERITS MONEY: GETS MARRIED

HOGEN TOLLEFSON GETS $832 FROM FATHER'S ESTATE JUST PROBATED

AND MARRIES MISS GJERTINE MARIE DALE OF FERTILE

From Saturday's Daily—

Hogen Tollefson inherited $832.32 from his father's estate as stated in yesterday's issue of the Journal and straightway appeared before the Clerk of courts office in the county building late yesterday afternoon and secured a marriage license for his wedding to Miss Gjertine Marie Dale a charming young lady of Fertile.

Hogen had long wooed the hand of the south county maid, but the where with did not suggest itself so forcibly to him as when the probate court handed to him yesterday a check signed for $832.32 his share of his father's estate.

His father Tollefson Dahl died in the town of Garden near Fertile on December 4, 1907, without a will. Accordingly the estate was disposed of and divided as prescribed by the state statutes and Hogen received his portion of the $5000 estate and then followed his sudden quest of the woman he loved.

820,785 ACRES STILL VACANT

THIS AMOUNT STILL UNSETTLED IN CROOKSTON LAND DISTRICT

VAST ACREAGE OF LAND STILL TRIBUTARY TO CROOKSTON LAND OFFICE

From Saturday's Daily—

R. J. Montague, register of the Crookston Land office has submitted some interesting figures regarding the vacant lands still remaining in the district tributary to the U. S. land office in this city. It shows that during the past year, where one acre of land has been cancelled by contests or relinquishment, three acres have been filed upon. Mr. Montague's communication in answer to an inquiry is as follows:

Mr. M. E. Kirsch, Publisher of the Crookston Daily Journal—In answer to your inquiry we have just made up our report of lands vacant in this district July 1st 1908 and the amount taken during the year ending July 1 1908, also the amount taken which has been canceled during the year either by Government contests, ordinary contests and relinquishments. The figures are as folows:

	Acres
Londs taken during past year	99,200
Cancelled	37,805
Remaining vacant land	820,785

—R. J. Montague,
Register.

CASE INVOLVES VALUABLE LAND

The time of the district court at Crookston yesterday with Judge Watts presiding, was taken up with a case involving ten acres of land in the vicinity of East Grand Forks. Mary Elizabeth Sprague is suing her nephew, Gilbert Sprague, for the return of the land in question. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant promised to support her and her mother as consideration of the turning over of the land to him, but that he had failed to fulfill this obligation.

The land is situated on Minnesota Point close in, and is considered quite valuable. The case was not finished when the court adjourned last evening. Skulason & Burtness of Grand Forks are appearing for the plaintiff and Skulason & Husband for the defendant.

FINE FRUIT CROP CAN'T BE SHIPPED

A letter has been received here from Mr. E. D. Childs at North Yakima, Washington, stating that all his peach trees and grape vines are laden with fruit and he will have to pick off some of the peaches in order that his trees may not be overburdened. The railroads however have refused to take perishable freight which means fruits, on acount of delay met with by the floods thruout the west and distance to market. The firm is incorporated as the E. D. Childs Sons Co., of Toppenish, Washington at which latter place Mr. Childs has larger fruit ranches. Toppenish is about 12 miles out of North Yakima.

STOUGHTON UP FOR SANITY

EDITOR OF EAST GRAND FORKS VALLEY VIEW UP TODAY

HAS BEEN ACTING QUEERLY FOR SOME TIME PAST

From Saturday's Daily—

W. R. Stoughton, editor of the Valley View a weekly paper published at East Grand Forks, is scheduled for an appearance before Judge Morken of the Polk county probate court this afternoon at three o'clock to be examined as to his sanity. The complaint for examination is signed by Peter Stoughton, a cousin of the examined.

The complaint states that Stoughton has engaged in "childish, nonsensical talk making frequent calls on neighbors during the late hours of the night, disrobing at unusual times and places, imagining unreasonable, unreal and unusual things to be true and permitting his action and conduct to be influenced by such imaginations."

Dr. G. P. Kirk of East Grand Forks made the preliminary examination.

Stoughton was born in Canada 35 years ago and has been one of the prominent figures in the republican conventions in which Polk county has figured for the past 15 years. His appearance at St. Paul on many occasions has been point enough for the cartoonists pen.

He is of immense build weighing over 350 pounds. The sudden warrant for his appearance before the insanity commission is no surprise as his actions for the past three or four months have been the object of much anxiety among his many friends.

HOMESTEADERS GET SOMETHING

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICES SHOW CLAIMHOLDERS REASONABLE ATTENTION

ACT OF CONGRESS UPHOLDS DECISIONS OF CROOKSTON LAND OFFICE

From Saturday's Daily—

The United States Land Office at Crookston has received a decision from the general land office at Washington that will place about 200,000 acres of land thruout the north country in this district alone under private cultivation and ownership.

A decision was made in the Fred Liggett case of January 12, 1907 by the general land office at Washington holding that the applicant for final proof must show fourteen months actual continuous residence on the land immediately preceding the date of proof. A number of commutation proofs in this district were rejected by the general land office after having been approved by the U. S. land office here based on the contents of that decision.

The new order based on the general act of Congress of May 29, 1908 directs the approval of all such proofs where the local office had issued a final certificate prior to the passage of the act of congress and where proof showed eight months residence within the year prior to making the proof.

This however only applies to proofs made prior to May 29, 1908 when the act was passed and only on proofs approved then by the local land offices. The effect of this new condition will be a loosening of the hard bonds that have heretofore hindered the actions of the northern homesteader.

MAN STRICKEN BY HEAT AT FARGO

AGED COLORED BANK PORTER TOPPLES OVER — LATER RECOVERS

With the thermometer registering over 95 degrees and with the large instruments on broadway six degrees above that, Fargo experienced the hottest day of the season yesterday when the pavement sizzled under the blazing sun. Intense heat was suffered more by the Fargoites than for several years, one person being stricken on the sidewalk while bricklayers were forced to abandon their work during the afternoon.

LeRoy Fort, the aged colored janitor of the Fargo National Bank block toppled over at the entrance of the bank.

He recovered.

Many a man is out of work because there is no work in him.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

SLANDERING MINNESOTA

HUGH R. ROBERTSON MAKES A MOST TIMELY SUGGESTION

THINKS SLANDEROUS STATEMENTS SHOULD BE CORRECTED

From Saturday's Daily—

The following suggestion to the Twenty Five Thousand Club contained ina letter received today by Secretary Moore and written by Hugh R. Robertson is a most timely one, and action should be taken at once to rectify the slanderous statements that have been printed by the magazine referred to. Mr. Robertson's letter which is given below in full explains the matter fully:

Crookston, Minn., July 10th, 1908.

Mr. J. H. Moore,
Secretary Commercial Club,
Crookston, Minn.

Dear Sir: As a resident of the Red River Valley for over a quarter of a century, it seems to me that I quite frequently run across articles throwing slurs, no doubt inadvertently, which cast reflections on the vistas which the settlers of that section of the country have in view of the grand possibilities which are in store for them.

The most recent article of this nature which has come to my attention is one in the June number of World Magazine, entitled, "Billions in Swamps" by C. F. Carter. Who he is I have no idea, but the article is supposed to be based on reports from the Geological Department of the Government, and at the end a map is given of the United States, showing the swamp territories which are supposed from the Topographical reports of the Geological Survey to cover an area of 78,473,700 acres, which may be increased from reports of some engineers unofficially to exceed 100,000,000. In this map, almost the whole of MBinnesota is classed as overflowed lands, while the Red River Valley and the territory east along the boundary line, is placed in the same territory as th Dismal swamp of Virginia, the impassable swamps of Arkansas and Louisiana, and t he Everglades of Florida. The writer graphically depicts the difficulties which t he engineers of the Geological Survey had to encounter while making their surveys on the old Red Lake reservation, and says that, "Altho they were provided with tripods having legs seven feet long, their instruments sank so deep among the muskegs that they literally had to grovel in the mud where they pawed away water snakes and pollywogs with one hand, and fought mosquitoes with the other while taking sights." He states that from the surveys thus made of the swamps tributary to Mud River near Thief River Falls, embracing an area of 402,500 acres they could be drained for $1,079,820 and that our worthy representative Steenerson had introduced a bill appropriating $1,100,000 to drain this Mud Lake section, which if carried out, would make the Chippewas one of the wealthiest tribes of their race. However, the Indians and scattered settlers "marooned" among the Minnesota muskegs, have been almost forgotten in the sequel.

While I cannot contravert the fact of there being swamps all around the Red Lake district, I don't believe it is a fair proposition to place the Red River Valley proper in the same catagory. Such articles as these appearing in a reputable magazine must necessarily have a deterent effect when read by parties who may have some thought of settling in the well known and far famed Red River Valley of the Northwest. I don't profess to know how to counteract this effect, but thought I would bring the matter to your attention, and believe if the Commercial clubs of the state could act together and publish some articles which would depict the true situation of the Red River Valley and Minnesota it would be about the only way that the matter could be put before the people of the country.

With kindest regards and every best wish for Crookston and the Red River Valley, I am,

Yours very truly,
—H. R. Robertson.

DEATH STOPS BANQUET.

Supreme Judge Bishop of Iowa Drops Dead.

Waterloo, Iowa, July 11.—Charles A. Bishop, judge of the supreme court of Iowa at Des Moines, dropped dead in Waterloo at 6:30 last night.

He was joking with United States Attorney Fred Faville and Judge Bollinger of Davenport, while awaiting a banquet at the Ellis hotel. A clot on the brain caused him to stop amidst laughter and closed his eyes in death. His tragic end was witnessed by half a hundred members of the state bar association, which opened its annual session yesterday. The banquet, which was ready for the members, was left untasted.

LESSONS IN AGRICULTURE AT SUMMER SCHOOL

AGRICULTURE IN THE SCHOOLS, WAS THE SPECIAL MESSAGE GIVEN BY L. P. HARRINGTON OF CROOKSTON TO THE TEACHERS TRAINING SCHOOL AT BEMIDJI—TEACHERS SHOW ESPECIAL INTEREST IN THE SUBJECT

Prof. L. P. Harrington, principal of the Crookston School of Agriculture who has been giving lessons and lectures on agriculture before the teachers' training school at Bemidji is the author of the following article on agriculture, and its relation to the public schools:

"The elements of agriculture can and should be taught in the rural schools. We must not wait until the schools are ready with thoroly equipped teachers who can take up this work, but we must begin with what we can do.

"Start the agricultural lessons with simple things that can be done by any intelligent teacher. Boys and girls can be interested in this line of work thru testing the seeds and grain at school; learning to make test boxes and perform other simple and interesting experiments of a like nature. The children will become interested in this work and can be readily induced to bring samples of the best corn, grains and vegetables raised on the farm.

"I believe in grain growing contests and the cash prizes offered by the state of Minnesota to the boys and girls under 18 years of age, for the best exhibits of certain lines of farm products. Further particulars may be found in a bulletin which is distributed free to teachers and pupils

'I would also have the teachers teach the children the value of the different grains as compared with the usage of the soil. Show them that rotation of crops is advisable and, if you are fortunate enough to have the school grounds of sufficient size, I would have them plant a part of it as an experiment school in the district.

"It would be well to have the boys and girls learn about the more common and the most dangerous weeds that are found on the Minnesota farms.

"Collect samples of them and teach the children whether or not they are annuals, biennials or perennials. All teachers should know them. The perennials are the most dangerous. Quack grass and Canada thistles are examples of the dangerous perennials. Wild oats and wild mustard are examples of the annuals.

"I would interest the pupils in the extermination of weeds along the roads and highways by getting them to plant clover and timothy to take their place along the roadside.

"This, I consider, can be taught every child in the school and in nine cases out of ten the parents will be more than willing to work in harmony with the children and see that this is done so far as the roads are concerned that border their lands. This will go a long ways towards the extermination of the weed pests.

"Another matter which I wish to call your attention to is the improvement of the school house and the school grounds.

"Arbor Day should mean much to the teacher and children. The play ground is essential, but it should not be so essential as to interfere with the planting of trees, shrubbery and flowers. I also want to call your attention to the school room and say that it should at all times be kept clean and attractive. In so doing the teacher should interest the children in every move that is made along that line.

"In fixing up the school yard see that the boys and girls have a definite aim in planting trees and shrubbery around the school house, see that the school yards are kept neat and tidy.

"You should interest the pupils in getting up good exhibits of fruits, plants and vegetables for state or county fairs; also have them, if practical, raise their own vegetables for this exhibit.

"I believe that the teacher's motive at all times should be to train the boys and girls toward the farm and the workshop, not away from them. Teach them to respect labor and common agricultural employments, as it is the best and most independent life for them to lead.

"Teachers of the rural schools should encourage the work done and keep the boys in school, not permitting them to drop out between the ages of 13 and 14 years, because they are not interested in the work being done. Naturally boys of that age must have something to do, an object to attain or they will lose interest in the work.

'In the graded, semigraded and high school a manual training course for boys and a sewing course for girls may be successfully introduced. This is a step in the right direction and will interest the boys and girls. It gives some importance to the training of the hand. We have time to do this kind of work even in the rural schools.

'I have talked with many teachers who have introduced this kind of work is done in all lines of school work than in the schools which have not introduced these courses. It makes our education more practical.

"When girls leave school they should know how to perform the common duties connected with the home. The girls may know how to play the piano, be able to paint and perform other fine arts, but if she does not know how to cook or sew, in after years she will greatly miss this part of her education.

"I firmly believe that the teacher must, in the near future, be able to take up this class of work in order to secure the up-to-date rural schools.

"Teachers who can readily take up this work are being sought for at this time and the supply is not equal to the demand.

"Teachers, in working along this line make no mistake as the next move in school work will be agriculture and manual training work. To do this work successfully teachers must believe in their work, be interested in new experiments; learn as much as possible from practical experiments on the farm. Simple experiments on the farm would lead up to the regular study of agriculture and make this work a pleasure for the child after he leaves the country school.

"I believe that no class of people has a better chance of moulding the education of the child in the right direction than has the teacher of the country school.

"The farm furnishes an endless supply of material for interesting work. Lucky is the boy or girl who has the farm to draw from for his material in the study of agriculture.

In this line of study the teacher, pupil farmer or citizen who wish to perfect the study of agriculture may have any agriculture bulletin from the department of agriculture, or any of the experimental stations, free upon written application therefor.

"Teachers may get the government year book of agriculture each year for their school library. Apply to the congressman of your district or to the secretary of agriculture for this splendid book. They will be glad to have it sent to you for your school library.

"Teachers who desire to study any particular branch of the agricultural work may secure special helps by writing the experimental schools or the secretary of agriculture.

"School officers, teachers, school patrons and children should work together for the improvement of the rural schools along agriculture lines. The schools of Minnesota are among the foremost in education in the United States and this one move of "agriculture in the school" will have much to do toward their further advancement.

DIVIDED ESTATE BETWEEN CHILDREN

Albert Olsen Aaseby who died in the township of Woodside in Polk county some time ago left a will which is being probated today, the will dividing equally between the children of Juliaus Aaseby the deceased's brother his entire estate. The children are Karn J. Aaseby of Polk county and Gunhild Julia Aaseby of Dakota county Minnesota.

Some actresses look upon matrimony as a sort of progressive game.

WANTS $20,000 FROM THE N.P.

George A. Post has begun an action in the United States court in Fergus Falls against the Northern Pacific railway company, asking damages in the sum of $20,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained while working about the company's roundhouse at Dilworth. Mr. Post fell into a drop pit there and sustained injuries that are claimed to be permanent.

No man can think well of himself who does not think well of others.

TERRIBLY INJURED

JONAS CARLSON THE VICTIM OF A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

BACK WRENCHED AND INTERNAL INJURIES MAY PROVE FATAL

From Monday's Daily—

Jonas Carlson a farm laborer who is well known thruout this section, having worked on farms thru out the valley for the past 18 years was brought to the city last evening from Big Woods, western Marshall county probably fatally injured as the result of a most peculiar accident, and is hovering between life and death at St. Vincent's hospital.

He was working for a widow near Bigwoods, and last Friday afternoon hauled a big load of grain in sacks to the Big Woods elevator. The driveway of the elevator is covered, and the load of grain sacks was piled so high that Carlson was caught between the roof and the load, sustaining dangerous injuries to his back and internal injuries in the region of his groin which it is feared will be fatal. His flesh was bruised terribly and the injured man suffered excruciating pain. It was over 36 hours after the injury before he was given proper treatment.

TURNED OVER TO STATE

LABORERS WITHDRAWN FROM STEPHENS HALL BY CONTRACT OR THIS MORNING

$35,000 BUILDING ADDED TO EQUIPMENT OF SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

From Monday's Daily—

Contractor H. L. Larson this morning withdrew his laborers from the "Stephens Hall" for the school of Agriculture at the state farm and turned the new building complete over to the state. The formal transfer took place this morning when Foreman Hartford from the office of the State Architect C. H. Johnson at St. Paul completed his examination of the completed building and complimented the contractor highly on the perfection obtained.

With the exception of the interior equipent the building is now ready for the new pupils of the north country the coming fall. The building contains 125 rooms, all except the toilets having two closets apiece. The building is the largest located on the state farm's premises and will provide quarters for 250 pupils of the state School of Agriculture without inconvenience.

DEPORT ALLEGED FORGER.

German is Sent Right Back From Ellis Island.

New York, July 15. — A cablegram from Schoenau, Germany, charges August Rucke, who arrived here yesterday on La Bretagne, with forgery of his employer's name, by which he obtained $17,500. The board of special inquiry at Ellis Island ordered his deportation. Rucke will be taken to Havre on Saturday on the same steamer that brought him here.

TESTED AND PROVEN

There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend upon a Well-earned Reputation

For months Crookston readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

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CHIEF OF POLICE GIVES ORDER

HALF DOZEN "NO'S" ARE TOLD TO MOORHEAD SALOON KEEPERS

WOMEN, DICE, CARDS, LUNCHES AND "NON-UNION" HOURS BARRED

No more women.
No more dice.
No more cards.
No more free lunches.
No more business on Sunday.
No more business after 11 o'clock p. m.

Members of the Fraternal Order of Thirst Quenchers of Moorhead were paid an official visit yesterday by Chief of Police Ole Malvey who referred to what would be expected in the future in substance as given above.

According to the rumor that is current on the streets of Moorhead an investigation has been started by a certain faction that means business. It was admitted by saloon men that spotters were thick Saturday and Sunday but on account of the lack of prosecution it is not known just what they have up their sleeve.

ST. PAUL LEADS THE BIG CITIES

Henry Clews, in his regular weekly trade letter of April 13th says:

"The severity of the late crisis is now plainly seen in the reports of bank clearings for the first three months of the current year. All cities of the United States show a decrease of 28 per cent. In New York City the decrease was 35 per cent; in the Middle States, 34 per cent; in the New England states, 24 per cent; in the Middle Western states 8 per cent; and in the South only 10 per cent.

These figures show that the point of greatest depression was New York; they also show what is extremely satisfactory that the other parts of the country have felt the crisis less severely.

St. Paul leads the United States in large cities since the October panic, showing increases nearly every week, and an increase for the whole time as a whole.

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BEST DITCH IN COUNTY

MR. SULLIVAN'S CONTRACT WEST OF EUCLID CREATES ATTENTION

HAVE 35 TEAMS AT WORK ON PROJECT—FINISH BY THE 15TH OF AUGUST

From Wednesday's Daily—

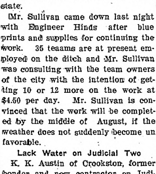
Reports coming from unprejudiced sources from the country west of Euclid indicate that M. Sullivan of Crookston, contractor in charge of that ditch is building one of the best drainage constructions ever built in the county and possibly the best in its class in the northern part of the state.

Mr. Sullivan came down last night with Engineer Hinds after blue prints and supplies for continuing the work. 35 teaams are at present employed on the ditch and Mr. Sullivan was consulting with the team owners of the city with the intention of getting 10 or 12 more on the work at $4.50 per day. Mr. Sullivan is convinced that the work will be completed by the middle of August, if the weather does not suddenly become un favorable.

Lack Water on Judicial Two

K. K. Austin of Crookston, former bonder and now contractor on Judicial ditch No. 2 southeast of here is complaining of the lack of water and is considering seriously the possibility of the dry weather continuing for any length of time. The dredge which was taken from the Euclid project and placed on this work, is now out of the swamp and in the original ditch line.

Some men are like gas meters; they just can't help lying.



John Saugstad.

Candidate for re-nomination as representative from Polk Co., at the primaries September 15, 1908.

RAIN PROMISED WHEAT SAVED

TRADE EASY WITH INDICATIONS OF MUCH NEEDED MOISTURE

DAMAGE THRUOUT DAKOTAS NOT NOTICEABLE—POSSIBLY 6 PER CENT

From Wednesday's Daily—

With the forecast indicating rain in the drought area of middle and western N. Dakota within the next 24 hours, the Northwest today felt less uneasiness over the crop prospects. Reports show some irreparable damage in sections of North Dakota, but further injury will be checked by moisture.

The Minneapolis Market Record has received from its 2,000 correspondents in Minnesota and the Dakotas, replies as to the crop conditions in the three states. These reports were received on Friday, the 10th instant, which happened to be the day on which much suffering was reported as occurring in North Dakota. It was deemed prudent to withhold publication of them until the damage done by heat on that day could be located, and an intelligent estimate be formed as to the extent of damage by it. The report at that time showed very little decline in the condition of small grain following the date of the government report. It is found that small grain suffered little by the hot weather of Friday and Sat urday in Minnesota and South Dakota. On the contrary the hot weather of those days helped corn considerably.

The injury inflicted in North Dakota can now be only estimated with little certainty of exactness but taking the reports that have been received since the hot days, it would seem that an average damage for the state might be 6 or 7 per cent for wheat and other crops excepting corn of which there is little yet raised.

Conditions are Good

"Weather and crop conditions," according to the Van Dusen-Harrington Company's report, "have been excellent in Minnesota and the Dakotas except that last Friday was an excessively hot day in North Dakota and did some damage in the James river valley and west. Many reports are to the effect that the damage is serious, but careful observers and those whom we have learned to rely on, insist that so far only crops on light sandy soil are injured. The most serious damage is in the vicinity of Devils Lake and of Jamestown. Rain is very much needed thruout the state of North Dakota. Most of the barley is headed out. Wheat is now heading. The flax looks fine.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Historical Society

CONVICTED OF PIGGIN

LICENSE COMES HIGH FOR SIGHTLESS SWINE IN TOWN OF WINGER

JOHN ARNT MIKKELSON WAS FOUND GUILTY—FINE AND COST OF $100

Before Judge McLean this morning John A. Mikkelson was Convicted of the charge of running a blind pig in the town of Winger and was fined $50 and costs which amounted to over $100 altogether and was promptly paid.

The warrant was sworn out by Thomas Wold and the town board of Winger, and Town Clerk Olson also took a hand, the latter being present at the hearing. Deputy Sheriff Daniels made the arrest last evening, and also secured a few bottles of beer, which the defendant wanted to drink up on the way to Fertile last evening

This is the first case of blind pigging in Polk county since the Tabor cases were tried about a year ago, and the authorities do not propose to allow it in Polk county.

There has been complaint for some time by the residents of Winger and the pigger was finally landed.

WAS NEAR DEATH WHEN RESCUED

GLEN PORTER OVERCOME BY GAS IN BATH ROOM

Glen Porter, aged 15 years, son of W. R. Porter agent of the Great Northern Express company at Grand Forks was unconscious from gas asphyxiation when he was discovered Sunday in the bath room at the A. J. Roddy residence in that city. There was a leak in the gas heater and while he was preparing for his bath the room became filled with the deadly fumes. When he finished his bath and stepped from the tub he was overcome and fell to the floor. An eight-year-old brother who tried to get into the bathroom finally told Mrs. Roddy and she called her husband and son, O. Roddy, when she heard Porter groaning. Porter was found on the floor. A physician was called and he was revived. The physician stated that if he had been left in the bathroom for five minutes longer he would have died.

A SENSATIONAL CASE AT FARGO

EVIDENCE STRONG THAT CRIMINAL OPERATION WAS PERFORMED ON GIRL

A sharp turn was taken in the investigation of the death of Amanda Lund at Fargo yesterday when it was announced by the sheriff that Nurses Nordgaard and Anderson who attended the girl while in the hospital had left the city. No endeavor is being made to implicate them, but their testimony is necessary. It is possible that two men may be held responsible for the alleged criminal operation which has caused a sensation in this city, especially in professional circles. On account of the absence of the nurses who, it was announced at the hospital had gone to Montana nothing was accomplished today and an indefinite adjournment was taken. The officials conducting the investigation announced today that the case was growing stronger as progress was made.

GOOD EXAMPLE OF GRADED ROAD

MESSRS. HATFIELD AND INGERSOLL DO A FINE JOB IN LOWELL

The mile and a half piece of road running west of the mill houses in Lowell township has just been completed and is pronounced by all who have seen it as the finest example of up-to-date road building in this part of the state. The work was done by a New Era grader under the supervision of Mr. Hatfield who is the road overseer of that district.

It would be well for any township that is figuring on roadwork to inspect this piece of grade.

HATFIELD IS VERY MODEST

TES JOURNAL GIVING FULL CREDIT TO HIS NEIGHBORS

SAYS GOOD AND WILLING HELPERS NEEDED FOR GOOD ROADS

From Wednesday's Daily—

In the issue of the Journal of Monday, attention was called to the splendid road leading into Crookston from the west on the south side of the river, and C. A. Hatfield was given the lion's share of the credit for the very fine job, as he superintended the work Mr. Hatfield is very modest and wants due credit given his neighbors. He sent the Journal the following communication:

Editor of Crookston Journal: A lady reader informed me of an article in a recent issue of your paper, highly praising the new graded road leading into the city from the west on the south side of the river. The writer is unknown to me and not by a long way is all the credit all mine. The secret of good road building is plenty of good and willing helpers.

It is well known that the above mentioned road across the township is by far the finest road of any leading into the city of Crookston. It is with regret I say that some of the owners of land in the road districts that live in Crookston seem to think that good roads are built and mantained by wind, for they are unwilling to pay their tax or hire the road tax worked for the simple reason they may have the use of the amount of their road tax till the law compels them to pay it to the county treasurer and then of course it goes broadcast over the township at large.

Returning to the mentioned grade it must be remembered that the conditions of the soil could not be better than at the present time. One of the men at work on the road said a citizen of your city asked him if we knew that we were in the sense of the law laying ourselves liable for doing as we did without orders from the official for that purpose.

Well, so might be the case. Let be as it may. Please tell the readers of your paper where they can find a new grade that will compare with it that was superintended by a high priced official. More often they may be found sitting in an easy chair telling how it should be done, than out ready to help do the work. If the soil and condition were as favorable for good road working in the commuity there would be better roads leading into Crookston and other small towns. Without conditions and disposition of help, good roads cannot be had.

—C. A. Hatfield.

THE GREAT ANNUAL AUCTION SALE

SUPT. BAIRD WILL SELL STATE FAIR PRIVILEGES ON THE GROUNDS AUGUST 1

One of the most interesting events preliminary to the actual opening of the State Fair, is the annual sale of privileges, conducted under the personal supervision of L. D. Baird, superintendent of privileges. This auction sale will be held on Aug. 1 this year, and as is the custom, Mr. Baird will hold the sale for each lot upon the actual location, beginning at 10 a. m.

Last season the total income from privileges and unplatted spaces was over $20,000 and as there has been an unusual amount of inquiry relative to these same locations this year it is presumed that the competition will be keener during the auction sale of Aug. 1 than in any other year during the history of the fair.

EX-RAILROAD MAN TO CONDUCT HOTEL MARKHAM

Mr. and Mrs. John Verboncer were visiting among relatives and friends in the city the latter part of the week, prior to their taking possession on Monday of the Markham house at St. Hilaire. All friends wish for this young couple unbounded success in the hotel business in our neighboring city, and it will ever be our pleasure to recommend to the traveling public a fine meal and a good night's lodging at the new Hotel Markham.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

TIDINGS FROM DEPARTED BIG MITT MANIPULATORS

CROOKSTONITES WHO SWALLOWED THE "MARCONI WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY STOCK" LINE AND ALL WILL BE INTERESTED IN KNOWING THAT ALLEGED GRAFTER HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN NEW YORK—OVER $5,000 WAS TAKEN IN CASH OUT OF CROOKSTON, WITHOUT EVEN A GILDED STOCK CERTIFICATE AS MEMENTO OF THEIR BEING DUPED

Just a year ago last month, several oily tongued gentlemen appeared in Crookston blew their horns in long and loud blasts, leased the opera house and made a grand spread about selling Marconi Wireless Telegraphy stock, which of course would be worth a fortune in a very short time, but which, by some special dispensation of Providence they were able to put on the bargain counter at a very small percentage of the real value. The stock was represented as far better than United States gold bearing bonds and the usual number of suckers swallowed the hook, bait and all and relieved themselves of amounts varying from $10 to over $300 each. The gentlemen, one of whom went by the name of E. N. Mayer, stated that they represented Munroe and Munroe of New York City and only had a limited amount of the stock to dispose of.

A $5,000 Haul

Bankers of Crookston state that the smooth gentlemen cashed checks and bought drafts while in Crookston to the amount of over $5,000, and every cent of this came from the hard earned hoards of residents of Crookston. They were to get shares of stock later, but the stock has never been delivered. Attorneys have been hired months ago to try and get the stock, the money back or find the standing of Munroe and Munroe, but have not got a cent of the money back, nor the photograph of a stock certificate if there ever existed any such thing.

The Bomb Exploded

On July 9th, the New York Sun published a column article telling of the arrest of Louis Robinson father of Horace and Manny Robinson who compose the firm of Robinson and Robinson who succeeded Munroe and Munroe, both of whom are fugitives from justice.

For the solace of those who were "bit" here a few extracts are given from the Sun which will make it very evident that those who parted with their coin, bade it a fond and eternal farewell. The Sun says in part:

"Thru the arrest yesterday of Louis Robinson a distinguished looking man with a white VanDyke beard, who calls himself the representative of the firm of Robinson & Robinson, bankers and brokers of 80 Wall street it came out that Munroe & Munroe the former Montreal haberdashers and New York wash sales experts, who disappeared from the office in the Lord's Court building last January after the sheriff had seized their furniture, are badly wanted on account of complaints from all parts of the country that they sold shares in the Marconi Wireless Company, Ltd., of London and failed to turn over the certificates for the shares.

"Inspector McCafferty asked Scotland Yard to find out whether Robinson & Robinson had any authority to represent the London company. A reply came that Henry W. Allen, secretary of the Marconi Company of London had said that the company had no connection with Robinson & Robinson.

"When Mr. Robinson was searched at Police Headquarters a letter of recent date from his son at the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, was found which read in part as follows:

'My Dear Boss: I received your various telegrams and letters. You know I am broke. I have had the damnedest time of my life in making ends meet. You say you are so ashamed and despondent to go into the bank. Why, the hell should you be ashamed? You calmly look on and see one brother bust and rob the other. When I don't remit it is because I cannot. I have been sick in bed and not been out of my room since the 25th. I must get up and out by Monday because we lecture Monday. This is the last town. Then I am coming home and work, money or no money.

You must remember, father, I have gone busted on brother's account and must pull thru by myself. Since I have been lying in bed I have figured several schemes. I have also seen what a fool I have been. Well, dad, don't let these things worry you at all. Do the best you can with what money I send. We will soon be top-notchers."

BISHOP POTTER PASSES AWAY

NOTED NEW YORK PRELATE DIES AFTER SEVERE ILLNESS

ONE OF THE MOST INFLUENTIAL AND BELOVED DIVINES IN UNITED STATES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Henry Codman Potter, the seventh Protestant Episcopal bishop of the diocese of New York, died last night at "Fernleigh" his summer home at Cooperstown, N. Y., after an illness of several weeks. The bishop was unconscious all day and the end was peaceful and quiet. The prelate was 74 years old.

In addition to the heavy duties of the oversight of the largest diocese in point of population in the United States, Bishop Potter took an active part in the movements of national importance.

Bishop Potter caused a great stir thruout the country several years ago when he took part at the dedication of the subway tavern on Bleecher street, New York.

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BAD PAIR SENTENCED

GRIP THIEF AND A VAG GIVEN SIXTY DAYS BY JUDGE WILDE

ONE STOLE SUIT CASE AND HIS PAL SENTENCED ON GENERAL PRINCIPLES

From Wednesday's Daily—

This afternoon Judge Wilde sentenced W. H. O'Neale and James Kelly to 60 days each in the county jail for robbery and vagrancy respectively, both pleading guilty to such charges.

This forenoon while Herman Schulenberg, representing the French Battery and Carbon Co., of Madison, Wisconsin and who resides at Middleton, Wis., was in the Roholt Hardware Store on North Main street, O'Neale grabbed his suit case which had been left on the sidewalk and made off with it. When Schulenberg came out bystanders pointed to a man who had been with the one who walked off with the suit case.

Schulenberg gave chase and caught up with him at the N. P. depot where O'Neale was standing with the grip. The two crooks headed for the city park on the run with Schulenberg after them. He made them drop the grip and ran back to the depot, phoned for the police who, with the assistance of the eagle eye of E. M. Lancaster soon located the crooks hiding in the brush and towed them to the city lockup. Kelly refused to plead guilty to robbery, but admitted the charge of vagrancy.

A man is always expected to speak well of women and religion.

CROPS LOOK VERY FINE

SEVERAL AUTO OWNERS MAKE TRIPS OF INSPECTION YESTERDAY

FOUND GRAIN LOOKING VERY FINE AND FARMERS IN GOOD SPIRITS

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday a well known grain man left in an auto and spent the entire day looking over the crop situation covering over 100 miles to the east of this city, another party drove northwest and still another southwest for the same purpose. The fields were closely inspected and the farmers interviewed and as far as the territory immediately tributary to Crookston is concerned including all of Polk county, a portion of Red Lake county on the east, southern Marshall county on the north, west to the Red River and including a portion of Norman county the crop conditions have not been as good for many years.

In addition to a very good stand, the fields are very free from weeds. and the heads are long and well filled both wheat and barley. Some of the wheat is a trifle short, but this is not general and none seen was too short to be easily handled by a binder.

A few oat fields were passed which are not up to average, but as a rule the oat crop will be better than average.

The barley acreage is noticeably below last year, but the condition is fully 50 per cent better than last year at this time. The stand is very thick and even and the yield will be excellent with harvest a little earlier than usual.

Some of the finest flax fields were seen that have ever been grown in the northwest. The stand is exceptionally heavy and the fields free from all weeds. Most of the flax is just in blossom and from one end to the other the fields are as level as a floor.

The recent rains have improved the crops wonderfully. The color of all grain is very rich and healthy.

The haying is on in full blast. The tame hay crop is about the average but wild hay will be scarcer this yeat than last from 25 to 50 percent, varying in different localities.

WILL INSPECT RED RIVER THIS WEEK

MAJOR SHUNK AND OTHERS ARRIVE FROM ST. PAUL YESTERDAY

Major Shunk and several other officers of the United States engineers' department, passed thru Crookston last evening enroute to Grand Forks from St. Paul and will make an inspection of the Red River with a view to determining its needs. They have been at Bemidji and other points and will make recommendations to the department. They will be looked after by Captain Hayes, who is in charge of the government work on the Red River. Recently the boats have all been repaired and the dredge put in good shape for the work of the season.

ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC 100 YEARS OLD

E. Moeckle of this city is much interested in the account of the centenary publication of the St. Louis Republican which recently celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of its first publication in 1808. Mr. Moeckle was connected with the paper in 1859 and '60 and became well acquainted in the city belonging to several social and business organizations prominent there at that time. His first enlistment when the call came for the ninety day volunteers to put down the rebellion was with a St. Louis regiment. At the expiration of which he went to Wisconsin and re-enlisted.

Mr. Moeckle's reminiscence of journalism of that date are very interesting.

When a man begins by saying: "Of course, it is none of my business, but —it's a sure sign he is going to make it his business and advise you what to do.

BARN BURNED HORSE LOST

PETER SULLIVAN OF NESBIT VISITED BY FIREBUG OR A THIEF

SEVERAL OTHER HORSES BARELY RESCUED IN FIRE LAST NIGHT

From Tuesday's Daily—

Peter Sullivan, one of the well known farmers of Nesbit is in the city today and reports that at 11:30 last night his barn caught fire and burned to the ground, cremating a fine mare which could not be rescued the other horses having been lead to safety with difficulty.

The origin of the fire is a mystery About 11:30 both he and his daughter were awakened by a team driving into the yard and the dog barking. A few minutes later the daughter thought it queer that the dog continued barking so furiously and getting up went to the window where she saw the reflection from the blazing barn.

She roused her father and the men and they rushed to the stable and succeeded in rescuing all the horses but one which could not be reached.

It was a fortunate thing that most of Mr. Sullivan's 48 horses were on another farm, plowing, otherwise many of them might have been burned in the confusion.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. There are two theories, one is that some one deliberately set the barn on fire and the other is that horse thieves came to secure horses, entered the barn and lighted a match to look horses over and were frightened away by the dog and threw the match down carlessly in the straw, thus starting the conflagration.

The loss on the barn was about $800 with $256 insurance and the horse was valued at about $225.

WAS TOUCHED WHILE ASLEEP

CROOKSTON YOUNG MAN VICTIM OF A LIGHT FINGERED ARTIST

Roy Andrist who has for some time driven the local Great Northern express wagon, took a sixty day vacation recently and planned to spend a part of the time on a ranch in Montana, but had the misfortune enroute west on the passenger coach to be relieved of his purse while asleep which contained his transportation and $50 in greenbacks. Fortunately Roy had some money in another pocket, that carried him thru to Helena his destination.

No trace of the robber could be secured and he made away safely with his booty. There was also two other passengers who were relieved of their pocket books.

MEETING WITH GREAT SUCCESS

PROF. HARRINGTON AT STATE FARM OVER SUNDAY—SPEAKS OF MEETINGS

The various teachers' institutes thruout the state are meeting with great success this summer. The industrial and agricultural features of the meetings are proving to be very popular and instructive to the teachers attending and they are all taking to the work with enthusiasm.

Prof. Harrington, principal of the Agricultural school, has been kept very busy at the institutes giving lectures. He will be at Warren the first three days of the coming week and Wheaton the last three. Mr. Harrington enjoys the work more so because of the success it is attaining this year. He expects to be busy another month, then he will remove his family from Hutchinson to this city having leased the Habel residence on north Main.

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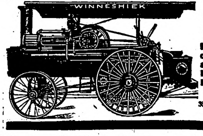

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KID CARTER IN THE TOILS

YOUNG MAN WHO FOUGHT WILSON GIVES HIMSELF UP TO AUTHORITIES

RETURNS TO FORKS FROM BEMIDJI AND FACES PRIZE FIGHT CHARGE

From Saturday's Daily—

Kid Carter, accompanied by his father arrived in Grand Forks yesterday morning from Bemidji and gave himself up to the authorities who have been looking for him since his fight with Fitz Wilson at the fair grounds. Carter claims that it was a harmless boxing exhibition. He is very sorry that he became involved in the affair as he is in no sense a professional pugilist. He furnished a bond and was released. State's Attorney J. B. Wineman will be home today and the date for the preliminary hearing will be set.

So far as the arrest of promoters of the fight have been made: Tommy Maher, James Ober, Henry Bradford and William Green, Pat Purcell of East Grand Forks, who acted as referee will come over and give himself up when called upon, it is stated. Wilson who fought a draw with Carter has evaded arrest.

It is said the state has secured sufficient evidence to make a strong case against the accused. Spectators at a prize fight may be prosecuted under the law making it a crime to aid and abet a fight but the state will not go after those who attended it is said. It is the fighters, their backers and the men who handled the mill who are to be prosecuted.

PRES. MERRIFIELD OF N.D. 'U' RESIGNS

The resignation of President Webster Merrifield of the University of North Dakota was accepted yesterday by the board of regents. The resignation will take effect after the commencement exercises of the 1909 class. It was not unexpected as President Merrifield had stated when he withdrew his resignation a little over a year ago that he would serve no longer than the close of the school year of 1908-1909. The resignation submitted yesterday was formal notice that he intended to carry out the plan of a year ago.

When President Merrifield leaves the university next June he will have served a quarter of century with the institution. He has built it up to be the leading educational institution of North Dakota and it ranks well with the older institutions of learning in the east. It will be no small task for his successor to keep up the good record of President Merrifield.

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DRAINAGE LAW SUSTAINED

MAY ASSESS PROPERTY FOR REPAIRS ON DITCHES WITHOUT DELAY

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE HOLDS COUNTY MUST DO THE WORK ASKED

From Saturday's Daily—

The attorney general's department in an opinion written in response to an opinion by the county attorney of Sibley county says that county commissioners have power to deepen and widen drainage ditches and assess the cost against the property.

The county attorney of Sibley county said that such action was unconstitutional and advised the county board not to do it. But a land owner says that the ditch by his farm is too small to be of much use and wants it made larger. The board admits the necessity of improving the ditch, but thinks that they have not the power.

George W. Peterson who writes the opinion for the state department quotes decisions of the supreme court to sustain his contention that improvements to ditches can be made as well as ditches dug, and that the cost can be assessed against the property benefited by the improvement.

The opinion sustains the constitutionality of the statute and says that an action in mandamus will lie against the county board if it refuses to make the repairs.

LAND BUYERS INTO NORTH

HARRY C. PARKER OF WATSEKA ILL., INTERESTS MANY ILLINOISANS

SELLS BIG ACREAGES NORTHEAST OF WARREN TO CHICAGO PARTIES

Harry C. Parker of Watseka, Illinois, 70 miles south of Chicago spent the afternoon in the city yester day on his way north to Warren this morning where he will look over the country of that neighborhood and five sections in particular, a report on which he will carry back to Chicago investors and other Illinois parties.

Mr. Parker was interested in the Canadian boom and got in on the ground floor. He is not a novice in the large calibred land business and has sold enormous tracts of land in Manitoba near Morris north of Emerson. Mr. Parker has heretofore passed thru the Red River Valley on the night trains and had not seen the country. However he had heard much of its fertility and came up last evening on the Northern Pacific day train that he might view some of it from the car enroute.

The interest of many Illinoisans is centered on the north country and especially on the northern part of the Red River Valley and Mr. Parker ventures the conservative remark that many of his clients are interested in the reports that have come from this country especially since it has gained so much fame thru its drainage projects in which the Illinoisans are much interested since they faced the same proposition about fifty years ago.

There are many wealthy Illinoisans about the wealthy territory south of Chicago who will visit the Red River Valley in the very near future.

A nice thing about a vacation is that after it is over you don't have to do it again for a year.

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APPEAL FOR GOOD ROADS

ELI STEENERSON APPEARS BEFORE DIRECTORS OF 25,000 CLUB YESTERDAY

URGES ATTENTION TO POST ROADS—COWLEY TAKES DIRECTORSHIP CLUB

From Saturday's Daily—

At the meeting yesterday afternoon of the directors of the Twenty-Five Thousand Club of Crookston, Hon. Elias Steenerson postmaster of Crookston, appeared with an address of considerable depth on the movement for good roads that is going on in the more advanced portions of the United States and the benefit that the 25,000 club could do to the movement, should it adopt the movement among its slogans.

Mr. Steenerson particularly called the attention of the meeting to the post roads of the county and the improvements that could advantageously be made on them. The condition of the post roads has much to do with the development of the country as they furnish both main roads of travel, being selected with that idea in view, and increased facilities of postal service.

The good roads suggestion were referred to a committee with instructions to report at next meeting.

John Cowley was elected director to take the place of John N. Kirsch resigned.

GOOD ROADS AND MAIL DELIVERY

P. O. DEPT. TO CUT OFF RURAL DELIVERY WHERE ROADS ARE BAD

The recent movement inaugurated by the postoffice department to cut off rural free delivery wherever roads are permitted to become bad is far more important than it appeared to be at first glance.

It is intended simply to compel localities having the privilege of rural free delivery to provide the rural carrier with passable roads.

Its effects, however, will go much farther than was contemplated by the postoffice department, and should provide a strong impetus for good roads movement everywhere.

Any country community, having a hundred families living on not more than 25 miles of good road, can get a route established by filing a petition showing that conditions accord with the requirements of the department. After the petition is in an inspector goes over the proposed route to make sure that the required number exist that the route does not exceed the prescribed limit, and unless the appropriation for that purpose is exhausted the department will provide the route.

The privilege is priceless and it has done much to ameliorate living conditions on the farms. The farmer gets his letters and newspapers every day except Sunday, and keeps as closely in touch with the world as does the dweller in the city—closer, on the average, because he reads more and thinks more.

But the free delivery system does not pay. Indeed it is conducted at a large expense, and will continue to be losing venture until the parcels post is extended so that the revenue from this source will overcome the deficit. The system will never be abolished, but it can be curtailed very materially under the plan of the department to insist upon good roads.

In these circumstances the patrons—or rather the beneficiaries—of many rural routes will be confronted with the alternative of improving their roads or of losing the free delivery.

There can be no doubt which horn of the dilemma will be chosen, says an exchange. The farmers do not wish to lose their rural routes and the country does not wish them to lose them. So the roads will be improved.

This provides just the leverage needed, in many cases, to keep the good roads movement going. The department is acting justly with its rural carriers when it insists upon good roads, and by insisting on good roads its policy will materially benefit many parts of the country that are being held back now for the lack of roads over which produce can be hauled to market economically and profitably. The difference between good roads and bad roads often represents the better the road the cheaper the carriage, and the poorer the roads the more expensive the freight cost.

You don't find any widows willing to believe that lightning will never strike twice in the same place.

RAINS FALL OVER NORTH

ENTIRE RED RIVER VALLEY BATHED IN ACCOMMODATING RAINS

BOTH NORTH DAKOTA REPORTS STILL DEPRESSED CROP PROSPECTS

From Thursday's Daily—

Rains of an hour's duration fell generally all over the Red River Valley last night. The weather god smiles on the Red River Valley plains The crops while not in the most desperate condition will gather renewed vigor from the fall of rain and conditions generally will be greatly uplifted.

Rains commenced to fall at Greenbush yesterday noon and the pathway of the rain continued up thru the Roseau Valley The rain there was of short duration but other rains were imminent at last reports. Rain fell over Barnesville and Moorhead neighborhoods and for a great distance north. The rain that fell in Crookston for about an hour last night was of the same army of clouds: Rain fell at McIntosh and at other east line points. Rain was reported at Hallock and St. Vincent as well as at Kennedy and a slight fall at Warren. Rain fell south of here, tho its duration did not exceed a half hour of heavy downfall. Rain was reported at Thief River Falls yesterday morning and a slight shower last evening, but only of slight duration and downfall of rain is reported early this morning east of Ada and about Twin Valley.

Rain Helps Dakota Crops

Rain fell yesterday in nearly every locality of northern North Dakota. In the Red River Valley Grand Forks, and northwest of there, all had rains, according to reports last night Larimore stated that there was a heavy rain. Grand Forks had a fine rain last night.

Minot reported a fairly heavy rain early yesterday. Williston had a heavy rain and Towner fared well. Devils Lake had only a shower, not nearly enough falling to do any good. Munich and Edmore had showers. Minnewaukan had no rain but Brinsmade, Oberon and other towns in Benson county reported heavy showers that will help grain. Bismarck reported rainfall over a large area in that section.

In the central and western sections some of the fields were too far gone to be helped by the rainfall, but it has done a great deal of good and has saved lots of grain from ruin.

Canada's Drouth Broken

In the Canadian northwest several towns report rain. Winnipeg had so much that the races were declared off. Medicine Hat had 1.23 inches. Edmonton reported .64 inches.

The weather forecast says there will be more rain and it may be that the localities missed yesterday may be luckier today.

A Devils Lake correspondent writes that in a trip of 65 miles in an auto thru Benson county discouraging conditions were found. Wheat will not be half a crop even if there should be a great downpour of rain. There is some good flax. North of Devils Lake there will not be more than 50 per cent of a crop.

Damage in Ward

S. H. Sleeper, the Mohall banker, has just completed a long automobile tour around northwestern North Dakota. He reports to his knowledge some slight damage is done to about 20 per cent of the crops. Mr. Sleeper also reports that under the conditions the crops are looking favorable and that any deficiencies in amount will be made up in price this fall.

QUESTION THE DAKOTA RATES

Attorney General T. F. McCue of North Dakota, General Counsel C. W. Bunn of the Northern Pacific road, General Counsel W. R. Begg of the Great Northern, General Counsel A. H. Bright of the Soo line, and J. H. Watson, attorney for the Northern Pacific at Fargo were legal lights gathered yesterday in the office of Mr. Bunn at St. Paul to take testimony in the mandamus proceedings to compel roads operating in North Dakota to put in coal and lignite rates ordered by the legislature in 1907.

The roads ignored the law on the ground that the rates were lower than rates in Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Wyoming, Illinois, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Neither side was ready to proceed and the time of adjournment was indefinite. The witnesses examined were J. B. Baird general freight agent of the Northern Pacific, L. Faithhorn and W. S. Post, tariff clerks.

A MOORHEAD STORE ROBBED

MOORHEAD HARDWARE CO., ENTERED AND GOODS ARE PLUNDERED

LARGE STOCK OF RAZORS AND KNIVES WAS CARRIED AWAY

From Friday's Daily—

The store of the Moorhead Hardware company was entered last night the safe was rifled and a large stock of razors and knives taken.

Entrance was effected thru a rear window leading into the office. With a sharp knife the sash had been cut away the pane of glass removed and set back carefully against an adjacent building. The safe was not locked, but the cash drawer within was locked and the inner works of the safe were torn apart and the cash drawer broken into. There was but $11.40 in the safe, and this was taken All of the drawers of the desk were rifled and a number of checks were left out upon the desk with a note from the robber saying "I cannot use these things. I'll leave them."

In the main store the only two cases touched were those containing the razors and knives. From the cases, only safety razors and a few pearl handled knives were taken, but from the stock underneath the cases ever razor and every pearl handled knife was taken, the knives and razors being removed from the boxes and these placed carefully back in order, In all a total of 71 razors are now known to have been stolen, and from 6 to 8 dozen Chase Brothers & Torrey's pearl handled knives.

A report was received in the city yesterday from Perley, Minn., a small town 40 miles south of Crookston on the Fargo branch of the Great Northern, stating that the postoffice had been robbed. It is believed that the majority of the booty consisted of stamps, but little if any money having been taken by the burglars. The matter was reported to the government and a postoffice inspector hastened to the scene of action in an endeavor to run down the culprit.

MOVEMENT OF COAL SLOW

ROADS ARE SHIPPING VERY SMALL AMOUNTS TO THE WEST

ANOTHER TRAFFIC CONGESTION PREDICTED THIS FALL AS RESULT

From Friday's Daily—

The efforts of the officials of both the Great Northern and Northern Pacific to induce country coal handlers to lay in an early supply of coal so far have met with little success. It is stated that not 30 per cent of the amount of coal shipped into the West two years ago, has been shipped out this year by the Duluth roads.

With the prospects of a heavy crop movement this fall and the consequent taxing of all available cars on the lines of the West, the officials have exerted every effort to get the coal movement cleaned up before the early fall wheat traffic begins.

Officials say that unless the coal movement is increased heavily within the next two weeks there is sure to be another traffic congesteion such as tied up shippers thruout the West two years ago. All the Western roads have sent out notices to their agents instructing them to inform the merchants and coal handlers of the situation. Unless some heed is paid to this urgent demand on the parts of the roads, the coal movement will be retarded by the heavy wheat traffic.

STOLE $175 AT CHURCH'S FERRY

The local authorities have been notified to look out for Villous Dupois who is wanted in Churchs Ferry for stealing $175. A reward of $20 is offered for information leading to his arrest. He is a barber and quite a drinker. The following is the description of the missing man:

"Villous Dupois is a Frenchman, talks with a decided French accent; height about 5 feet 5 inches; weight about 165 pounds; clean shaven, slightly bald, dark complexion; wore light grey hat, nearly new, black and white checkered suit, striped pants dark; walks with slight limp in right leg when he left; snappy eyes, nose slightly hooked. Is a barber by trade and quite a drinker."

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FAST WORK ON THE ROSEAU

MACHINES MAKING GREATEST PROGRESS IN NORTHERN DRAINAGE HISTORY

From Thursday's Daily—

Captain Jas. A. Beard of the Standard Drainage Company and of the big Windom steam dredge on the Roseau river arrived in the city last evening on Steve Withey's special and remained in the city during the evening on his way to St. Paul and his home at Windom where he will spend three or four days before returning to the big northern project of which he is in charge.

The Windom steam dredge on the Roseau is making progress on one of the big cut offs of the Roseau project and there is no doubt in the old time dredger's mind that the project as covered by his machine will be thru with work by November 15 next without fail. The Sherwood machine on the lower Roseau which is digging the big cut off to come out below the rapids on the Roseau at the international boundary line has been delayed somewhat for the past week, but is now getting under full headway and will probably complete the project on which it is engaged a month before its contract expires.

The big Windom steam dredge has plenty of wood and supplies of all kinds on hand thanks to the attention of the Minnesota state drainage board and State Drainage Engineer George A. Ralph of Crookston who by getting the contracts out early in the year have permitted the dredgers to lay in supplies while the ground was frozen and fortify themselves against the possible happening of the long summers.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK CHENEY.

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From Over The Valley

IRON DISCOVERED CLOSE TO CASS LAKE

Iron, yes iron, in our midst. Last Monday one of our subscribers came in to give notice that great chunks of iron ore had been discovered in the vicinity of his farm and that his neighbors were reveling in the idea that before another year has passed they and their neighbors will be in receipt of an ample income from the great beds of hematite iron lying near the surface on their farms. At Laporte about ten miles south of these farms iron has already been discovered and drills are in operation to disclose the depth of the beds and the distance to be excavated before the iron is reached. There is no mystery or unusual circumstance about these discoveries It is well known to geological explorers that great beds of hematite iron exist beneath the boulder clay, the sand and gravel, and the only question is, how deep must we dig to reach it. At the time the iron beds of the Missabe were laid down great streams of iron laden water flowed down the gullies and ravines which diversified the landscape between the Missabe and Itasca heights and when in the glacial epoch the great synclinal which reached for more than a hundred miles west of the Missabe was deeply covered with boulder clay and gravel, in many places to a depth of hundreds of feet. That these iron beds will ultimately be discovered and result in productive works is only a question of time. — Cass Lake Times.

PROPER CARE OF SOIL BRINGS BIGGEST RETURNS

If those who drive about our city every evening, breathing the dry, hot city air, would go a little farther north they would see a sight that is worth any person's time and money to go and see. On the farm of Chas. Berg, just north of this city is a field of macaroni wheat, about 40 acres in all, that stands to the shoulder of an average man in height. It is so thick that when it is still you can toss your hat upon it and its weight will scarcely bend the grain. Farmers who have lived here for years, and have passed this field of grain say they never saw its equal, and predict a yield of 40 bushels to the acre. It is only the past two years that Mr. Berg has confined his entire attention to farming, and the result has proved something wonderful. Scarcely a nice day passes in the winter, but what he can be seen with his new manure spreader hauling manure from the different barns in this city and his crops receive the benefit of it. He also has about 70 acres in potatoes this year. The rows are nearly a mile long, straight as an arrow, with hardly a hill missing and scarcely a weed among them. Mr. Berg informed us that farming is a pleasure nowadays and that he intends to do nothing else but farm until his work on this earth is finished.—Barnesville Record Review.

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BUT REV. ED LARKE REFUSED TO COUGH UP

Reverend Edmund Larke refused to donate to a charivari party.

In a red hot speech, delivered from the edge of the sidewalk in front of Moren's meat market, the Rev. Mr. Larke defied the crowd and threatened dire vengeance if the noise was not stopped.

Police officer Jones came to the rescue and ordered the noise makers to desist. Thus it remained for a preacher to conquer a Biwabik crowd—never.

Rev. Larke did not mince words in speech-saying:

"You're a gang of rowdies. I won't give you a cent. This is robbery. I don't know you fellows. You'll get nothing out of me if you keep it up all night. If the officer does not protect me I'll take the law into my own hands."

And he said more, but the words do not convey the full meaning of his pent up indignation. But it remained for the policeman to put an end to the hullaballoo.

But the youngsters would not give up. They followed the victim to the Goman residence and made the night hideous until 1 o'clock. But Rev. Larke refused to give up, and the boys were compelled to go home without the price of that which they wanted.

The incident and the outcome caused much comment.

"Did you succeed?" a member of the gang was asked, while on his way home after hope was abandoned.

'Nothin' doin'," disgust predominating.

Rev. Mr. Larke was married on Monday, July 6, to Florence A. Twining, of Toronto, the ceremony taking place in the parsonage of the Pilgrim Congregational church. They remained in Duluth for a few days and then came on to Biwabik for a visit. Later they go on to Bagley, Minn., where he is pastor of the Congregational church.

He was in Biwabik for a year, and has many warm friends here who were glad of the opportunity to congratulate him. He and Mrs. Larke expect to remain here over Sunday. —Biwabik Times.

FIREMEN ELECT OFFICERS AT CASS LAKE

At the annual meeting of the Cass Lake fire department held last Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing yar:

Chief—C. E. Leeman.
1st Asst.—Pat Cain.
2nd Asst.—J. E. Wilkin.
Secretary—D. V. Wardner.
Treasurer—Al. Marshik.

The relief association which was organized last spring re-elected their entire set of officers.

Great Britain to Buy Warships.

London, July 18. — The Daily Express states that it is in possession of definite information that Great Britain will purchase three Brazilian battleships now under construction in England.

A young man who likes to jolly telephone girls was called by one of them recently and asked if he would like to go fishing with her. After expressing his pleasure he was told to "hold the line." After keeping the receiver up to his ear a few minutes it dawned upon him that she had landed a sucker.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington. W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

J. J. HILL AT STEPHENS HALL DEDICATION SOON

Plan to hold biggest demostration ever seen in Crookston. "Jim Hill Day" of past to be outdone if present plans are carried out. A vast throng of visitors expected.

The biggest celebration that has been held in Crookston since James J. Hill was in Crookston and delivered an address, will be the occasion of the dedication of Stephens Hall the new $35,000 dormitory at the State Experimental Farm, the largest building in connection with the School of Agriculture which is operated by the state in connection with the Experimental farm.

It is expected the date will be August 11 providing Mr. Hill finds that date agreeable, but the date will not be definitely set until later.

What is known as "Jim Hill Day" in Crookston about ten years ago witnessed the biggest crowd ever seen in Crookston. Special trains were run from all directions where the regular service did not allow the people from other sections to arrive in the morning and depart in the evening and no circus or fourth of July celebration ever saw such a jam of people in the metropolis of the Red River Valley.

The same scheme will be followed at the dedication of Stephens Hall and efforts will be made to even exceed the former record attendance J. J. Hill will be the principal speaker and there will be a number of other prominent men present to celebrate an occasion which marks an epoch in the better development of the Great Red River Valley.

For the occasion all the automobiles that can be secured from Grand Forks, Fargo and all smaller cities and villages will be centered here to move the crowd, the plan being to have at least 150 autos in service and the crowd will be addressed on the big campus in front of the new building. A grand picnic dinner will also be a part of the plans and the celebration will be participated by the people of the entire 9th Congressional district. It is expected that at least 20,000 visitors will be gathered here on that date.

WHEELS OF INDUSTRY AGAIN IN MOTION

Now that the democrats have nominated Bryan and the election of Taft seems to be a certainty the mills are to be opened and the railroads will boom, it is announced.

It is estimated that, in all, perhaps 3,000,000 men will benefit by the re-employment movement to be inaugurated.

The mills are to open, railroad improvements planned in the boom times are to be pushed, and all lines of manufacturing are to be made active.

The Union Pacific for instance, has about $50,000,000 provided for improvements. The management of the system has already begun to put men back to work, and by the middle of September will have every shop on the system going under full pressure and every man employed on every improvement that it is possible to use to advantage.

Busy in Northwest

The Great Northern and Northern Pacific have provided about $25,000,000 each for the same purpose and will set thousands shoveling dirt in the northwest. The St. Paul is already using thousands of men and will add more on its extension to the coast.

The Lackawanna announces that it will build an extension from Lake Hopatcong to Slateford, Pennsylvania at a cost of more than $10,000,000.

Since the first of January there have been issued by railroads and industrial corporations almost a billion of new securities, fully one-third of which are available for new work.

The government itself is contributing to the campaign by ordering several hundred cars for the Panama railroad and rushing orders for other material which will be needed in time, but the manufacture of which just at this time will tend to restore business confidence.

A year ago, before the semi-panic began there were not enough freight cars to handle business. Now there are 350,000 rusting on the side tracks. There were hardly enough men to do the regular work of the country. Now there are said to be above three million idle.

CORRESPONDENCE

FERTILE

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Barholz and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gaylord Sundayed at Maple Lake.

Dr. J. F. Hendrickson will leave next Tuesday for Walker, this state, to attend a convention of medical men and for a few days outing at Leech lake.

Dr. and Mrs. Glimme, Mrs. Anders Glimme and daughter, Lulla, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mossefin, went out to Maple Lake Saturday and remained over Sunday.

The 160 acre farm of Mrs. John Johnson, that lies just on the west edge of town, was sold last week to a son-in-law of Myron Brackett. Consideration, $45000. The new owner will erect $25000 worth of buildings and move here this fall to take charge of his new investment.

The family of Chas. Tschida with the exception of Mrs. Tschida were taken suddenly with vomiting spells Tuesday night and needed the services of Dr. Hendrickscon to straighten them out. They had partaken of some dried meat for supper and it is presumed this was the cause of all the trouble.

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy. They will strain out all waste matter from the blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy and it will make you well. Sold by all druggists.

FOSSTON

A little daughter came to grace the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Gorder on Monday last the 13th inst.

Mrs. D. A. Ray returned from Maple Lake today, where she has been spending some time at their summer cottage.

Mayor and Mrs. Chas. Conger of McIntosh spent a few hours here yesterday afternoon, returning home in the evening.

Olaai Olson came down from Shevlin this morning to the hospital to have his arm attended to. He fractured it by an accidental fall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson came home last Monday from Crookston where they visited with friends.

D. A. Ray and his daughters Esther Elizabeth and Emily accompanied by Miss Millie Stadsvold and Miss Bessie Larson, went to Maple Lake last Sunday in Mr. Ray's automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. LaRue who have been here the past two weeks in the interest of the Maccabee lodge went to Bemidji last Saturday to carry on the same work there for a while. Mrs. LaRue succeeded in gaining quite a number of members to the Ladies of the Maccabee lodge which she founded.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Gjerdingen and daughter, Mrs. John Lyngstad of Halsted have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Storholm and Mr. and Mrs L. Silvertson during the past week. Mr. Gjerdingen is landlord of the Commercial Hotel at Halstad.

EDITORS OFF ON SUMMER JAUNT

MINNESOTA EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION LEFT YESTERDAY FOR LONG JOURNEY

WILL COVER NORTHERN MINNESOTA, WINNIPEG AND CANADIAN NORTHWEST

From Saturday's Daily—

About 125 editors and newspaper men belonging to the Minnesota Editorial association left St. Paul at 1:30 yesterday afternoon over the Great Northern for their summer outing. The trip will cover a period of 12 days and extend from Great Lakes to the Pacific coast and cover parts of Minnesota, and the Canadian provinces of Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The party will travel by special train consisting of three sleepers, coaches and a baggage car. The itinerary provides for visits in Koochiching, International Falls, Duluth, Fort Francis, Beaudette, Williams and Warroad and then on to Winnipeg. From Winnipeg the editors will go to Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and Banff at the base of the Rocky Mountains. The route will cover a distance of 3,460 miles.

Following are some of the prominent Minnesota men in the party: President W. N. Jones of the Breckenridge Telegram; E. C. Lightbourn of the Norman County Index; A. J. Halstead of the Brainerd Dispatch; J. P. Hurley, Albert Lea Tribune; E. D. Beldon, Mower County Transcript; C. F. McDonald, St. Cloud Times; H. I. Peterson, Litchfield Independent; Irving Todd, Hastings Gazette; C. W. Wagner, Litchfield Review; J. P. Mattson, Warren Sheaf; W. A. Simonton, Gopher Press, Glenwood; Harry E. Ives, St. Hilaire Spectator; P. E. Dowling, Eveleth Star; L. E. Covell, Atwater Press; J. J. Dobson, Northwestern Newspaper Union; C. C. Whitney, Marshall News Messenger.

WILLISTON GETS NEXT MEETING

RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION CONVENTION COMES TO CLOSE

The annual meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association of N. Dakota came to a close at Grand Forks shortly afternoon yesterday. Shortly before adjournment the matter of holding the next meeting was taken up. Invitations were received from Jamestown, Williston and Fargo. On coming to a vote Jamestown its nearest competitor.

The election of officers resulted as follows, the secretary-treasurer being selected by the directors subsequent to the adjournment:

President—B. T. Kraabel, Hope.

First Vice President—J. T. Nelson, Glen Ulen.

Second Vice President—E. S. Grant Williston.

Secretary-Treasurer—W. W. King Tower City.

Directors—Chas. Full, Pembina; Geo. Wilder, Grand Forks; J. S. Lee. Fargo; E. R. Pratt, Cavalier, and Andrew Haas, Jamestown.

British Warships Collide.

Quebec, July 18.—While the British cruiser Venus was coming into port last evening she collided with the British battleship Russell. Both vessels were slightly damaged.

Two Brothers Drowned.

Fremont, Ohio, July 18. — Jay and Myron Smith, brothers, aged twenty and fourteen years, respectively, were drowned while bathing in the Sandusky river last evening.

Riddle Goes to Watering Place.

St. Petersburg, July 18.—John W. Riddle of St. Paul, the American ambassador to Russia, left last night for Kislovodsk, a watering place situated in the Caucasus.

Jail Breaker Caught.

Yankton, S. D., July 18.—Dudley E. Chapman, who escaped from a Le Mars jail July 1, is under arrest here. He is thought to be a safeblower.

Dies at Son's Wake.

Youngstown, Ohio, July 18. — Mrs. Catherine Foley, mother of Policeman Patrick Foley, who died on Monday, dropped dead at his wake.

Head Torn From Body.

Marquette, Mich., July 18.—Engaged in oiling machinery at Sparrow & Kroll's sawmill at Kenton, Thomas Whalen, aged sixteen, approached too close to the wheels and was whirled to death. His head was severed, while his body dropped to the floor a mass of shapeless pulp.

The Air Ship which makes its first and only appearance in the state at Fargo's State Fair July 20-25 should of itself prove a strong drawing card.

PRONOUNCED HIS CASE INCURABLE

Whole Body Raw with Eczema—Life was Intolerable—Was Even Incased in Plaster—Discharged from Hospitals as Hopeless.

SUFFERED 14 YEARS CURED BY CUTICURA

"From the age of three months until fifteen years old, my son Owen's life was made intolerable by eczema in its worst form. He was all right until a red rash broke out on his forehead, but we were not alarmed at first. Very soon, however, the rash began to spread over his head and shoulders, and it caused him great discomfort. I took him to a doctor and tried half a dozen other treatments, all with the same result: no improvement at all. The disease gradually spread until nearly every part of his body was quite raw. We had to strap him down in bed, for he used to tear himself dreadfully in his sleep. The agony he went through is quite beyond words. No one thought we would rear him. The regimental doctor, a very clever man, pronounced the case hopeless; at least, he said the only hope was that he might, if he lived long enough, outgrow it to some extent. We had him in hospitals four times and he was pronounced one of the worst cases, if not the worst, ever admitted. From each he was discharged as incurable; in fact he got worse under the successive treatments. At one hospital they incased him in plaster, and this seemed to aggravate the soreness terribly. He looked so badly that no one liked to go near him and his life was a burden to him. We kept trying remedy after remedy, but we had got almost past hoping for a cure. Six months ago we purchased a set of Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent Pills and persevered with them. The result was truly marvelous and to-day he is perfectly cured, his skin not having a blemish on it anywhere. Mrs. Lily Hedge, 51, Vaughan Road, Coldharbour Lane, Camblewell Green, Eng., Jan. 12, 1907."

Send to nearest depot for free Cuticura Book on Treatment of Skin Diseases.

Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world. Depots: London, 27, Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5, Rue de la Paix; Australia, R. Towns & Co., Sydney; So. Africa, Lennon, Ltd., Capetown, etc.; U.S.A., Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

STOPS LIQUOR SALE ON TRAINS

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL HOLDS THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL

It is unlawful for railway companies to sell liquor in their dining or buffet cars. This is the opinion of the state attorney general's office, written yesterday afternoon, by George W. Peterson, assistant attorney general. The question was raised by N. E. Peterson county attorney at Albert Lea.

If this opinion is sustained by the courts, the railroads are liable for prosecution in every county through which their dinning cars run.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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The Possible Income

An interesting state of affairs among the rich has been revealed by Mr. Stuyvesant Fish, supported by corroborative testimony from the Newport butchers and bakers and grocers. Mr. Fish declares that the condition of the rich has been pitiful during the past year, thereby confirming the declaration that the October panic was a rich man's panic and the middle classes and the poor, while they felt the keen edge and feared the worst, really avoided the brunt of conditions. There have been rich persons on the testimony of Fish during the past year who were deprived of the necessities of life, of their kind of necessities. And to clinch the argument Mr. Fish declared that it is much more difficult for a man with a $250,000 income, practically a quarter of a million annually, to come down to $50,000, than it is for a $15-a-week man to come down to $10. Mr. Fish ought to encourage the rich to try a reduction from $15 to $10, if they really wish to be living on Easy street. And we have no doubt there are many fifteeners reduced to the condition of tenners, who would gladly suffer a reduction from a quarter of a million to fifty thousand.

But the proof of the pudding of the rich comes not in the eating, which any carnivorous animal can accomplish—if it but be suet—but in paying for the pudding. And now the Newport and butchers declare that there will be no more credit for the Newport new rich, nor indeed for the old rich, such as the Fishes themselves. There will be no credit given to the "cottage" dwellers on Newport bay; porter house will be paid for the same as rump; and the cakes, which Marie Antoinette recommended to the poor when told they had no bread, will be charged for at regular rates and thru cash sales.

It is such a combine as this which will break up the rich and make their state as pitiful as that of the poor. It is all very well to suffer a reduction from a quarter of a million to fifty thousand a year, so long as one does not have to pay grocer and meat bills Any of us can be a quarter-of-a-millionaire if we do not have to pay our bills, and judging by the revelations from time to time, a great number of those enjoying these quarter-million incomes are doing it at the expense of the grocers, and of the person in reduced from $15 to $10. But when prices are put up, thru a Newport combine of tradesmen from nothing to something, then the weak spots in the rich armor show.

It is unquestionably true that the extravagance of the rich has to be borne by the middle class and the poor. There are people of wealth who pay as they go. But the majority we believe, of the "Spenders" are not payers, and their actual out go is far beyond their income. Somewhere these two things, outgo and income have to be balanced; it is true in every system of political economy. There should not be any one spending for general expenses any quarter of a million a year; we approve the president's advice of the president's salary of $50,000 as sufficient for the needs of any citizen. And while we do not advocate a reduction to the dead level of $15 per week for all, while unquestionably the command of money adds, not only to the comfort of life but to the growth of intellectual and spiritual life, and while leisure and pleasure are absolute essentials in developing the richest life, so also are work and thrift, so also is a consciousness of material limitations. The day laborer could not be more extravagant nor more ridiculous if, with his untutored desires, he was suddenly in command of a quarter of million annually. The salutary effect would come to the spenders compelled to spend not $50,000 a year, but $10 a week.—Minneapolis Journal.

LIQUOR IN DINING CARS

Minneapolis Tribune Thinks Subject Should be Let Alone

The Minnesota statute regulating the sale of liquor is so positive and definite that there is no apparent room for any other conclusion than that of the attorney general's office, that such sales on railway dining cars are forbidden. The law permits no sales in quantities less than five gallons, or in any quantity, in case the liquor is to be drank on the premises without a license, except by a druggist upon a physician's prescription. No great harm is done to anybody when a cocktail is served as part of a meal on a dining car, but the law does not seem to allow it. Every liquor license must specify the exact location of the premises where the business is to be carried on. A license might be procured for a dining car, located in the union depot yards, at St. Paul, but it would be rather farfetched to assert that the car could be moved to another place and that the license would still be valid. The law does not contemplate movable drinking places.

Those who rejoice in any and every possible limitation of the sale of liquor will doubtless be pleased by this enunciation of the law, but there is room for two opinions on the merits of the question. Liquor is not sold to all comers on dining cars but only to such persons as have paid their fares to ride on the train. Every such traveling bar serves only a limited clientele. If the peace and dignity of the state of Minnesota are violated by such transactions, it is done only in a narrow and technical sense, for cases are surely rare in which stimulants, sold with meals in that way, lead to any violence or disorder It is possible that a man may become drunk in a dining car, but it is not common. Quiet and sober people eat in such cars, and respectable women have no fear of doing so. If one man is annoyed because his neighbor is served with a small glass of distilled spirits at the table, the annoyance is largely subjective. It originates in the mind of the person displeased.

If liquor with meals is prohibited in dining cars, the advantage to the cause of temperance will be nominal and not real. The man addicted to such a habit, disapprove it as we may will be exasperated by the denial of his beverage. He will not be moved thereby to let liquor alone, but rather to indulge himself to a dangerous extent as soon as he leaves the train.

The law is silent on the subject of liquor in dining cars. No great harm will come from preserving silence in that respect.—Minneapolis Tribune.

.:. POLITICS .:.

Cal E. Stone, for many years connected with the passenger departments of the St. Paul & Duluth and the Great Northern railways at St. Paul but now engaged in the land businees with offices in St. Paul, has developed political aspirations and has filed as a republican candidate for the house of representatives.

Because of his jovial personality, his long residence in St. Paul and his natural disposition for sociability above all things else, Mr. Stone is one of the best known men in the twin cities, and his acquaintance is of the most general character. The district in which he will run is the 36th, which comprises all the fashion able seventh ward and a portion of the eighth, which is not so exclusive but casts more votes.

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Michael Doran, one time millionaire stock broker of St. Paul and with the late P. H. Kelly dictator to the democratic party of the state for many years, filed today for the office of county commissioner of Ramsey county. Mr. Doran is far along in years and for some time past has taken no active part in politics altho he has never lost his interest in the game.

From Over The Valley

N. D. DEMOCRATS FORM CAMPAIGN CLUB

Democrats of Grand Forks have perfected a temporary organization with Prof. L. E. Birdzell chairman, and Charles McMullen secretary. The club plans to do some very effective work in the coming campaign. An organization to include the county may be perfected. The following committees were named:

To Draft Constitution and By-Laws—Sim Miller, Geo. E. Duis, C. C. McMullen, Louis Schell, M. F. Murphy.

Banquet—B. F. Brockhoff, M. Norman, C. C. McMullen.

To Look up Location—W. H. McGraw, John Vallely, M. Neville.

The banquet is to be held next Monday evening and will doubtless be largely attended.

SIMMONS ORGANIZES AN ADVERTISING AGENCY

R. V. Simmons formerly with the Crookston Journal has organied the Simmons Advertising Agency and will make a specialty of advertising in all of its different branches.

Mr. Simmons has had years of experience in the advertising business and having been connected with different papers and advertising agencies in all parts of the country.

Mr. Simmons intends to make his headquarters in Minot, N. D., but his work will take in the entire western section of North Dakota.

FOUNDATION FOR A NEW CHURCH LAID

The foundation for the new Congregational church at Cass Lake is rising very fast. Two stone masons from Duluth are working on it and in the course of two weeks the cornerstone will be ready to lay. This means that the new church will be ready for services in about three months. i nothing unforeseen occurs. The site is the best in Cass Lake for a church and when done the Congregationalists will have the finest church in that neck of the woods.

IMPORTANT MEETING TO BE HELD AT FARGO

The Wisconsin grain and warehouse commission holds a meeting tomorrow in Fargo. It is held at the same time the North Dakota independ ent shippers meet there, and the two bodies will consider a number of important matters, including the establishment of a terminal elevator at the head of the lakes and possibly in Min neapolis; also grain-cleaning and commission houses. Both Duluth and Superior are after the terminal elevator to be established at the head of the lakes. This proposition has the backing of the North Dakota Bankers' association.

LANDLESS MAN SENT TO THE MANLESS LAND

Cold figures show in a striking manner the effective work of the division of information of the bureau of immigration and naturalization in diverting hundreds of poor aliens from the crowded center of the country to fertile farms and other places where there is a big demand for that class of laborers. From the first of February last to the close of June, nearly one thousand aliens and others had been sent in response to applications to various parts of the country. Twenty-six nationalities are represented in this distribution and the employment secured was principally farm work.

MINOT HAS A NEW ICE CREAM FACTORY

Minot has a new ice cream factory, the new firm opening for business Monday morning.

The new firm is composed of Mr. Eugene Smith and Mr. H. S. Anderson.

Previous to going into the manufacture of ice cream, Mr. Smith traveled thru N. D., as a representative of a wholesale fruit house.

Mr. Anderson was formerly a conductor on the Soo road. The new firm will be known as the Eugene Smith Co., and their trade mark will be "The Taste Tells."

From our Exchanges

McINTOSH
(Times)

Mrs. F. W. Carpenter entertained a few friends informally last Thursday afternoon.

Chris. Fossbakken of Brandsvold, visited at the Experimental farm at Crookston last Tuesday.

Miss Katie Olstos, who has been visiting with her mother in Lessor has returned to her work at Crookston.

Miss Olga Lindfors is here from Denver for a visit with her parents in Hill River. She likes the west and will return.

Oscar Holden and L. G. Hancock came down from Fosston Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Webster and children returned to their home in Bemidji after having spent a couple of weeks here visiting with E. A. Webster and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Webster.

Oscar Holden and S. G. Hancock a car with stock which he picked up in this vicinity Monday and shipped them to the iron range. The car was a large one and contained 36 head, big and little.

STEPHEN
Leader

P. A. McClernan transacted legal business at Crookston Saturday evening.

Miss Annie Lundin and Miss Helen Liekness returned Tuesday from a visit at Miss Liekness' home.

A. W. Johnson has taken a contract to grade two miles of state road in the Town of Sinnott.

John Gillespie former owner of the Gillespie Elevator came down from Edmunton this week to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Gillespie.

The crop situation in this vicinity was greatly improved by the fine rain that fell Wednesday afternoon—in fact it was a saving feature as to late sown barley and flax.

H. G. Ebbighausen and daughter, Miss Emma, and Miss Ida Tanke, of Crookston came up Wednesday to spend a few days at the home of Henry Hoper Jr., in the town of Augsberg.

ERSKINE
(Echo)

Miss Lillian Hiler returned yesterday morning from a visit with friends and relatives at Glenwood

Oscar Narveson returned to his duties at Bisbee, N. D., Tuesday evening having spent an enjoyable week with his parents here.

Mrs. August Carlson left for Lengby yesterday morning to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Saterstrom to a Mr. Munn of Superior.

Chris Jorgenson and the Misses Hovland, Gustafson and Kronschnabel drove over from Fertile Sunday and visited with the R. B. Ness family here until Tuesday morning.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Espeseth this forenoon and left them a sweet little bundle of femininity. Mother and daughter doing nicely and papa setting up the cigars.

A. F. Cronquist received two full-blooded Red Pole heifer calves from Wisconsin by express yesterday morning which were taken out to his Wildwood farm to help build up his already fine herd of cattle.

CASS LAKE
(Times)

Mrs. Sutor has for guests, her sister and niece, Mrs. Foss and Miss Nina Foss of Fosston.

Archdeacon and Mrs. Parshall are anticipating the coming of Dr. J. H. and Mrs. Beaty of St. Cloud next week.

Mrs. Ellen Johnson returned Tuesday from Crookston where she has been visiting with her daughter Mrs. Jack Knights.

Congressman Taylor and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Weber of Columbus Ohio, arrived yesterday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Parshall the usual preaching service at St. Peter's church will be omitted Sunday, July 19. Sunday school will be as usual.

Daily Journal, 30 cents per Month

WONDERFUL YIELD OF NEW WHEAT SPECIES

CLAIMED THAT WHEAT RAISING WILL BE REVOLUTIONIZED BY ALASKAN WHEAT PRODUCED BY AN IDAHO FARMER—CLAIMS AVERAGE YIELD WILL BE OVER 200 BUSHELS PER ACRE OF HIGH GRADE HARD WHEAT—STATE CHEMIST OF IDAHO PASSES ON WONDERFUL PRODUCTION

If some one were to tell the average wheat farmer, that it was possible to raise a wheat crop on United States farms in one year, of five billions of bushels, he would brand his informant as a liar pure and simple, and yet had the farmers in America planted a wonderful new wheat seed that has been perfected by Abraham Adams of Juliaetta, Idaho, that is just what the yield would have been this season, based upon the probable crop of the year.

Reads Like a Fairy Tale

Connected with this assertion is the greatest wheat story that has ever been told, far greater than the wildest dreams of the wheat king in the security of his vast domain and the demand for his golden harvest. The United States paid eighty millions of money for Alaska, and yet the great gold payment Alaska has returned, sinks into insignificance when compared with Farmer Adams' Alaska Wheat, which in the secret and far away fields of Idaho, he has gradually brought to perfection until he has given to the world a wheat that will grow under average conditions, two hundred bushels to the acre.

This is a large assertion and hardly believable were it not for the fact that it is backed up by the Idaho experimental station at Moscow, Idaho, and being followed up by other stations, all eager to make a test to see if they can beat the yield of the originator. The yield is only a part of the great discovery, for this Alaska wheat is both a winter and spring wheat, and when planted as either, is a hard wheat that will grade as No. 1. Imagine a hard winter wheat, for the great soft wheat belts of the country, which with this new wheat can compete with the hard wheat lands of the great northwest.

A brief history of this almost miraculous seed, is given in few words by its modest originator, a plain man who farms in a plain way, but who all his life, until old age has lived with and for his wheat and has finally given the world the greatest gift any man has ever been responsible for.

History of the New Wheat

Mr. Adam's first perfect head of wheat, came into realization in 1904 from an experimental plant of the spring of that year. This one head he planted that fall ,as winter wheat, and the next year he secured seven pounds of seed from that planting. From the seven pounds, planted in the spring of 1906, he harvested 1545 pounds, an increase of over 222 times or a basic principle of 222 bushels to the acre. Here comes another remarkable story of this wonderful wheat. The 1545 pounds were sowed in the fall, and that summer there were terrific hail storms which put the club and blue stem wheat so much to the bad that many fields were never harvested, yet from the Alaska wheat plots, there were gathered a crop, which threshed out 53,000 pounds. This when all other wheat was rendered practically worthless.

State Chemist Analyzes It

At about this time the Idaho station became interested in the wheat and asked to make a test. Mr. Adams carried a sample to the station at Moscow, and after a most thoro test, received the following reply:

"Regarding the analysis made upon the sample of Alaska wheat which you brought to this laboratory, I have this to say: The kernels from the fall sown wheat were plump and sound and doubtless will grade as number one. Judging from the chemical and physical condition of this sample I will say it will probably take rank with the best grade of Blue Stem for flour making purposes. The sample grown from spring sown wheat showed by chemical analysis a somewhat higher protein content (this being an indication of its probable strength for bread making purposes.) I am inclined to think that the wheat you have here is equal if not the superior of our Blue Stem for flour making purposes. I should like to make a mill test whenever you can send sufficient quantity for that purpose.

Very truly,
—J. S. Jones,
State Chemist."

New Species Vigorous

In appearance, the standing wheat is strong and vigorous, with a corn like growth. Its head in the bearing part is about four inches long to over that, and an inch to an inch and a half broad at its broadest part. The kernel is about four times the size of hard wheat, and a clear light cream color without a dark spot, as clean as a hulled peanut, in color. It is almost absolutely frost protected and it would be a hard frost that would touch it. Its sturdiness makes it impervious to ordinary storm or light hail. It is originally grown on high dry unirrigated land, and will stand drought as no known wheat will. Add all these qualities to its enormous yielding propensities and it must be admitted that the world has been turned topsy turvey so far as wheat raising is concerned.

Thrives Elsewhere

California, where so much soft wheat is grown, is beginning to take up the Alaska wheat, for they see the opportunity of a hard wheat yield Farmers in Missouri and the east, and in the south, where soft wheat is all that can be raised, with success, are beginning to think of what is in store for them when some neighbor convinces them by making a first trial, that the wonderful Alaska wheat story is not as much a fabrication as the first story of seedless oranges was thought to be. The wheat world is trembling on the verge of a new era, one in which the man with a hundred acres, suddenly finds his farm increased in area to a thousand acres, by the discovery of one old farmer away out in Idaho.

Other Experiments

As a last test, Mr. Adams has sent single heads of wheat to other parts of the country where he had men he could trust to plant and ascertain the result. Reports are just coming to him, and he finds that in other states his Alaska wheat does better than on its home soil. In Alabama a head was planted Dec. 31, was up Jan. 30 waist high April 1, with leaves 7-8 of an inch broad, and July 7 was harvested. It showed to be hard wheat of a fine quality, and the one head yielded the same as the first head planted in Idaho.

$300 Per Bushel

One Oregon experimental station offered the originator $5 for a pound of his wheat, a rate of over $300 a bushel. The old gentleman did not prize the money. He only wanted to be sure that some attache was not striving to get away some of his seed He required a contract that the state would not dispose of any wheat used in the test, and upon securing that sent the seed asked for along. Now the United States experimentors are becoming interested, and next year's report will have much to say about Abraham Adams and his wheat and the old gentleman will at one step come as much into prominence as Luther Burbank, who, altho accomplishing hundreds of miracles with growing things, has been eclipsed by this man who has done what the average farmer will believe is an impossibility.

T. J. BURKE SELLS INTEREST GOWAN-PEYTON-TWOHY CO.

At the annual meeting of the stock holders of Gowan-Peyton-Twohy Co., held in Duluth, C. A. Congdon, H. M. Peyton, Henry Gowan, T. J. Burke, of Duluth, and Eugene O'Neill and David Tozer of Stillwater were named for the board of directors for the coming year.

The board of directors at a meeting held in the afternoon in the office of C. A. Congdon elected Mr. Congdon, president; H. M. Peyton, vice president and W. R. Peyton, secretary.

Mr. Burke arranged the sale of his interest in the company to H. M. Peyton and C. A. Congdon,

GRAND FORKS SCHOOL CENSUS COMPLETED

The school census for Grand Forks city was completed today and the figures computed showing 3,567 children in Grand Forks city of school age and attending school. Of this number 1,820 of the children are boys and 1,747 are girls. The white children number 3,553, and the colored 14. The census this year shows a total of about 400 more children in all the public schools in Grand Forks city, over the census of last year.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

July 20 In History.

Jean Ingelow.

1854—Caroline Southey, poet and novelist, widow of the laureate, died; born 1787.
1866—Austrian-Italian naval battle of Lissa.
1870—Beginning of the Franco-Prussian war.
1897—Jean Ingelow, British poet and novelist, died in London; born 1830.
1906—Peace between Guatemala and the Salvador-Honduras alliance.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:23, rises 4:43; moon rises 11:52 p. m.; moon's age, 23 days; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; sun's declination today, 20 degrees 40 minutes north of celestial equator.

HAS TYPHOID—Garnet Balfour a Great Northern brakeman has been taken ill with an attack of typhoid fever and is being taken care of at the home of his parents in this city.

15 POUND BOY—Mr. and Mrs. Byswinger of Lowell township are the proud parents of a 15-pound boy. They have just finished an elegant farm house and moved into same.

SINCE 1879—Colman Keeley, Sr., the veteran Great Northern section foreman at Euclid was here yesterday attending the examination of foremen yesterday. He was driven down by his son Tom who was holding the reigns over as pretty a piece of horse flesh that ever wore leather.

CAUGHT A FEW—Otto Kilen, of Fertile and Chas. Lundin, John Hedstrom and Carl Lindberg of Lengby, chaperoned by Olla Olson of this place, constituted jolly fishing party who went out to Moose Lake, remaining until Wednesday in quest of fish and that they had a good time and pulled in a good quantity of the finny ones during the outing, goes without saying.—Shevlin Herald.

A CONUNDRUM—The following item sent in from Hill River is not accompanied by a "key" and it is therefore impossible to give the answer: "The country storekeepers felt lazy after the Fourth, because the grubbers celebrated the Fourth at Olga. They also went to town and bought white shirts, kerosene and smoking tobacco. Every little helps, you know. Hope they got their appetite back by this time."

GRANUM TO RETURN—A letter received by a friend here recently from a well remembered former business man of Fosston—later of Plummer—Henry Granum now residing at Rinksaker, Norway, the writer states that he has disposed of one farm that he purchased upon his arrival there, securing a considerable advance upon the cost price to him, and expects to cell his remaining land in that country at once.. Then Mr. Granum adds that he proposes to return with his family to America and engage in business somewhere about this part of the country. Mr. and Mrs. Granum will be cordially welcomed back by their large acquaintance in this section.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

YOUNG SON DIED—This morning at 6 o'clock after an illness for the past three months Carl Johan Austin died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, 601 Pleasant Avenue of typhoid fever and complications. The little lad was six years years of age July 2nd and was very rugged and healthy till he was taken ill this spring. The funeral will probably be held from the house Wednesday afternoon.

The county commissioners and auditor convened this morning in the commissioners' room as a board of equalization to deliberate over the assessments made in the various townships, cities and villages this spring. Many are the complaints that are pouring in from people who imagine a grievance of too high a valuation and rate that they are compelled to pay and it is up to this board to properly adjust and equalize the same.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

July 21 In History.

1796—Robert Burns, poet of Scotland, died at Dumfries; born near Ayr 1759.
1861—Battle of Bull Run; a second battle took place on the same field Aug. 30, 1862.
1899—Robert G. Ingersoll, soldier, lawyer and noted agnostic, died at Dobbs Ferry; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:22, rises 4:44; moon rises 12.21 a. m.; moon's age, 24 days; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise.

NEW POSTMASTER—George W. Frost has been appointed postmaster at Rosby, Hubbard County, Minn., vice C. E. Melgaard, resigned. Rosby is the first town east of Bemidji.

ARE BACK AGAIN—Wm. Bailey who was resident of this city up to four years ago, since then residing in Minneapolis returned this morning and will make Crookston his home in the future.

FINAL PROOF—Olaus Nelson of Rhoda, Red Lake county appeared before the U. S. Land Office with his witnesses today and made final proof on a valuable homestead on which he has made all necessary improvements

A THIRD SON—Dr. and Mrs. Kirk of East Grand Forks are the parents of a fine baby boy born yesterday. Mother and child are doing well and the doctor will have to buy a new hat. This is the third boy in the family.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS AT ADA—F. L. Hampson, Jason Weatherhead and O. O. Sjordahl were elected as directors of the school board at Ada at the meeting Saturday evening. The first two for a term of three years and the last for two years.

DUE RECOGNITION—Alderman J. O. Sargent has been notified that his pension has been increased to $12 per month on account of his coming into the age qualification. Mr. Sargent was a private of Co. C, Sixth Minnesota.

GONE TO COAST—C. J. Lundberg the well known confectioner of Second Street, started for a ten days' trip to Seattle yesterday. The trip will be entirely for recreation and pleasure. Mr. Lundberg will visit the Crookston people in the far west and is anticipating a delightful time.

GOES VISITING—James Johnson and family left this afternoon via the N. P. for a six weeks' visit with relatives in Wabasha, Reeds Landing and Lake City. The berry and fruit season is on down there and they had to get back to the farm and enjoy it.

MANIPULATING WIRES—G. W. Hooper the original telephone man who now resides at St. Hilaire came down from there last night and went to Beltrami where he has a number of lines of wire and instruments to put up.

HARVEST PREPARATIONS—Albert Wagner was in from the town of Fisher today getting everything in shape for a good harvest and to properly take care of the increased acreage. He took out with him a new binder which he purchased of S. L. Collins.

GETS BETTER LOCATION—H. J. St. Marie came in Sunday night to visit his relatives a few days before going to his new location at Thorne, Rollette County, N. D. Mr. St. Marie has been managing the lumber yard at Inkster, N. D., for the Atlas Lumber company since leaving here. In recognition of faithful service he has been promotoed to the Thorne yards which are more important.

LEFT FOR ADA—Messrs. Gus Warnke and Geo. Tibesar of this city who recently purchased a lunch counter and billiard hall at Ada, left last evening for that place to take immediate possession. Both are well known young men, well equipped for that line of business and are certain to do well. The first thing they did was to order the Journal to be sent to their place of business as a daily visitor.

CHANGE IN THE FORCE—Jos. B. Pierson who has been connected with the news-gathering department of the Journal for some months past has resigned his position and will divorce himself from newspaper work for some time to attend to some private business interests of his mother Mrs. Ella Pierson and enjoy a turn at other lines of work; J. N. Kirsch, who edited the Sleepy Eye Dispatch for the publisher, till it was consolidated with the Herald, has returned and will take Mr. Pierson's place.

MINNESOTA IS BEST—Geo. H. Tripp, a former well known Polk county farmer who is now located at Eugene, Oregon, writes the Journal with a $3 check enclosed for another year's subscription to the Journal and in conclusion says: "This is a pleasant country to live in, but I would prefer Minnesota to farm in. Cherry picking is in full blast now, and the weather is beautiful." Mr. Tripp has a host of old friends in Polk County who expect to see him back some day.

Last evening August W. Anderson was found on his farm by neighbors, with a bullet hole thru his brain. He had been on a spree for a week, but no one surmised that he had any thought of suicide. Deceased was a wealthy bachelor residing 6 miles south of Ada, 45 years ofage. The coroner declared it a plain case of suicide and a special administrator was appointed today. He will be buried tomorrow. Deceased was well known and popular and very prosperous. He lived alone on his farm.

Deceased has no relatives in this country but has a sister in Sweden.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

July 22 In History.

1298—Battle of Falkirk; the Scotch were badly beaten and Sir John Graham killed.
1325—The council of Nice in Italy.
1707—England and Scotland were united in one kingdom called Great Britain.
1849—Emma Lazarus, Jewish author and poetess, born; died 1887.
1906—Russell Sage, the financier, died; born 1816. The Russian douma dissolved by the czar.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:21, rises 4:44; moon rises 12:55 a. m.; moon's age, 25 days; 7 p. m., planet Venus at aphelion, farthest from the sun; 11 a. m., planet Saturn apparently stationary; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—J. E. Pederson to Ada Gilcrist, both of Crookston. Anthony Skibecke of Lindsay to Josephine Filar.

WENT TO DULUTH—Steve O'Rourke was a passenger this morning to Duluth from Grand Forks where he will spend a brief time visiting.

GONE VISITING—Harry Hitchcock left last evening for an extended visit to relatives at different points in Iowa, among which are Olwein and Dubuque.

HAS TEMPORARY HOME—Geo. Coulter who lost his home in western Polk by fire, last Saturday, has erected a temporary home until a new house can be built.

TAKING VACATION—Postal Clerk E. J. Mereness of the St. Vincent-Fargo R. R. P. O. is taking a vacation and is relieved from his duties by H. G. Ottinger as substitute clerk from headquarters.

OUT FOR BLOOD—John Gilsdorf and John Bergum went to Angus this morning with blood in their eyes after the man who had their horses in the woods last winter. Mr. Gilsdorf is minus a set of harness, and Bergum a ruined horse and they promise to get satisfaction today, they say, as they have waited long enough.

COUNTY BOARD—The equalization board adjourned and the commissioners convened to transact routine business. The reviewing of assessment books will be continued tomorrow when the personal property will be taken up. Realestate reviewing was completed last night, very few changes being made.

NEW POSTMASTERS—Minnesota postmasters appointed: Kelsey, St. Louis county, John McKay, vice, N. W. Chapony, resigned; Nary, Hubbard county, Fred D. Coleman, vice, C. E. Harding resigned; Oslo, Marshall county, Andrew J. Hilden, vice J. A. Hilden, resigned; Rolla, Clay county, Oscar W. Iverson, vice S. Anderson resigned.

ADMITTED TO SOLDIERS' HOME—The following veterans of the Civil war have been admitted to the Minnesota Soldiers' Home: John Cottrell private, Co. F 4th Minn. infantry; William Griggs, Co. A. Hatches' Battalion; John Freschbach, private, Co. G, 11th Minn. volunteer infantry; John Adams, private, Co. E. 142nd N. Y. infantry; Peter Wassman, private, Co. I, 35th Wis., infantry; Fred S. Buck, corporal, Co. L, 13th Minn., infantry; John Maloney, private, Co. K, 13th Wis., infantry; Martin A. Terney, private, Co. G. 15th infantry.

GRAND PICNIC OF I.S.W.A.

ADDRESSES, MUSIC AND GOOD PROGRAM OF SPORTS HELD

POLITICIANS RACE CREATED A GREAT DEAL OF AMUSEMENT

From Monday's Daily—

Members of Lulio Lodge No. 47, Independent Scandinavian Workingmen's Association of this city and their families and friends to the number of 1500 held their annual picnic yesterday at the Martin Swenson grove a mile and a half west of the city and enjoyed a grand picnic dinner and a program consisting of several selections by the Viking Chorus and address by Postmaster Elias Steenerson of Crookston, a recitation by M. G. Slovik and a long program of sports. The races resulted as follows:

100 yard dash, Joel Johnson, prize, pair $5 shoes donated by Julius Spokely.

Ladies' 50 yard dash, Mrs. Arne Sampson, prize, pair of $5 shoes donated by Peterson and Booth.

Hurdle race, Chris Johnson, prize box of cigars donated by Andrew Wigard.

Sack race, Carl Johnson, prize, jack knife, donated by Ole Flyying.

Girls' race, Mabel Johnson, prize, pound of chocolates donated by Ole Nerland.

Boys' race, Harry Erickson, prize, jack knife, donated by John Fylling.

Fat men's race, Henry Brosseau, prize, a ten pound ham donated by Nels Anderson.

Lean men's race, no entries, there being no lean men belonging to the I. S. W. A., and none could be located, which was taken as an indication that the people of this section are well fed. The prize, 10 pounds of bacon, donated by Ed Erickson, was therefore brought home.

Politicians' race, N. A. Thorson, 1st; John W. Sandberg, 2nd; Orin Daniels 3rd and Geo. Flaten 4th; but he had not crossed the line at last reports and is supposed to be still running. He stubbed his toe and fell at the start. The three to cross the line first each received a magnificent ring (of Bologna sausage) donated by Nels Anderson. This race created great enthusiasm and was followed by scores of other races for the small boys and girls, tugs of war with special prizes, etc.

The entire day was a grand success, and too much credit cannot be given the various committees on arrangements, refreshments, program, and so forth.

A UTO LVERY FOR CROOKSTON

W. O. REILLEY TO BRING BIG MACHINE DOWN FROM GREENBUSH

W. O. Reilley who has been running an automobile livery between Greenbush and Roseau will arrive in the city Wednesday night and start the same line of business in Crookston. Crookston has been in need of an auto livery for some time past, and is the only city in the valley that is without one, most of the villages having them in fact. The travelling men will welcome the opening of an auto livery here in particular, and there is no question but what Mr. Reilley will do well from the start, and in a short time will have a number of machines kept busy all the time.

WILL OPEN CIGAR FACTORY AT WARREN

Sam H. Wright and J. V. Kachelhoffer, two well known cigar makers left last evening for Minneapolis where they will buy a complete stock of goods for a cigar factory which they will open in Warren in a short time. Both are well known and efficient men and without doubt will do well in their new venture.

Both have worked at their trade in Crookston and are considered strictly first class workmen. The best wishes of many friends will follow them from this city.

SCIENTIFIC FARMER—K. O. Bolstad one of the successful farmers of eastern Polk, was a visitor at the experimental station and farm school yesterday spending the entire afternoon and evening, being entertained at tea by Prof. and Mrs. Robertson. Mr. Bolstad is a staunch believer in scientific farmer and expects it to be the salvation of the farming communities.

JONES GUILTY JURY DECIDES

OUT FOR LITTLE OVER AN HOUR LIFE PENALTY FOR THE ACCUSED

VICTIM BRUTALLY SHOT WHEN HE FAILED TO PRODUCE HIS HOARD

From Monday's Daily—

At Minnewaukon Saturday, Paul Jones, alias Fred Trotter, accused of the murder of Nels Halverson, a bachelor was convicted of murder in the first degree. Judge John Cowan gave the case to the jury at 9:40 a. m. and at 11:15 the jury brought in a verdict finding the accused guilty of murder and fixing the penalty at imprisonment for life. The sentence was pronounced soon after by Judge John Cowan.

A very strong case of circumstantial evidence was made.

Helped to Convict Self

The defendant helped to convict himself by his contradictory stories after the murder of Halvorson.

The crime for which Jones was convicted was a most brutal one. He shot Halvorson in his yard one evening last March. Halverson was alone at the time. From the evidence it seems probable that Jones demanded to know where Halverson kept his money. It is rumored that Halverson had quite a lot of cash hidden somewhere on his farm.

Pleaded for His Life

It is believed that Halverson told Jones he had no money and pleaded with him to spare his life. It appears that Halverson even knelt before Jones. He was shot down mercilessly and the slayer dragged his body to a pig pen, evidently intending to throw it in so that the pigs could eat it. The return of Olson, who lived with Jones, prevented the murderer from finishing his work.

Jones was arrested the next day after the murder and has been in jail at Minnewaukon since that time. He is a former resident of Indiana where he spent quite a term in the penitentiary.

Assistant State's Attorney Vic Wardrope was assisted in the prosecution by B. G. Skulason of Grand Forks.

PLANS FOR THE PUBLIC BUILDING

EVERY EFFORT MADE TO RUSH FORWARD THE CONSTRUCTION

Congressman Steenerson has been doing everything in his power to push ahead the construction of Crookston's new $75,000 public building being in constant communication with the department having the different phases of work in charge. Mr. Steenerson this morning received a message from the architect's office at Washington, stating that the revising of the plans was under way and will be forwarded as soon as completed which will take about two weeks.

Bids will at once be called for, it taking usually thirty days before they are opened. The general impression is that the foundation at least will be finished this fall.

HELGELAND AND ANGUS LINE

FARMERS OF N. E. POLK IN COMMUNICATION WITH REST OF US

A co-operative telephone route has been established northeast from Angus into town of Helgeland, serving a number of farmers among them being: Mr. Sande, Mr. Gjerde, Oscar Hauglid, Ole Peterson, Gilbert Aurhaug, Albert Peterson, Christ Solvik, Albert Engen, John Olson, Andrew Olson, Elling Olson, Martin Carlson, Hans Christofferson, John Dobeas and Mr. Seoul.

Are Too Attentive to Thaw.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 22.—Harry K. Thaw, who is in jail here awaiting arguments on his application for a jury inquiry into his sanity, was yesterday locked up in the main prison by order of Sheriff Chanler, who told the jailers that Thaw was receiving so much attention that other duties were neglected.

Horses Cremated.

Pipestone, Minn., July 22.—The barn on the farm of Dr. W. J. Taylor, adjoining this city, burned, including four valuable horses, harnesses and feed, owned by William Ashenmacher, and a threshing machine owned by Bishop Bros. The fire was probably started by tramps.

HURLED DOWN RIVER BANK

THREE YOUNG LADIES FIGURE IN THRILLING RUN-AWAY THIS MORNING

HORSE DRIVEN BY MISS SOPHIE AMUNDSON TRIED TO PLAY CIRCUS

From Wednesday's Daily—

A horse driven by Miss Sophie Amundson, daughter of John Amundson residing 7 miles southeast of this city in Fairfax tried to play chariot race on a rough course this morning and as a result Miss Amundson with Miss Olga Loken, 410 Bridge street, and Miss Plazie Jabe figured in an exciting experience in which they miraculously escaped from being killed or terribly injured.

A Fast Ride

Miss Amundson was taking the other two young ladies for a drive about the city. As they crossed the G. N. tracks on Robert street going east, the horse started to run, and turning south on Main Street started at a breakneck speed, dashed across the Main Street bridge and tried to make the sharp turn to cross the other bridge leading to Broadway.

Hurled From Buggy

The short turn hurled the buggy upside down and the occupants went flying down the river bank almost to the water's edge. Luckily they met no obstruction, and striking on the sofe bank rolled over a few times and escaped with a few scratches and badly disarranged clothes. None were injured to amount to anything.

The Buggy Smashed

The buggy went partially over the bank and this held the horse for a few seconds before he tore loose, and several men caught it by the bridle. The buggy was smashed up some but not beyond repair. It was taken to a blacksmith shop, the young ladies retreated to the home of a friend for slight repairs to their wardrobe.

NEW SCENIC DRIVEWAY

NEW ROAD LEADING EAST OF THE CITY IS BEING PLANNED

BOTH FARMERS AND CITIZENS ARE INTERESTED IN PLAN

If present plans are carried out by the interested parties a new road leading into the city from the east will soon be established that will be unsurpassed for natural scenery. This road will begin on the section line, east of E. M. Walsh's residence, south of the race track barns and go due east three miles, it will pass about 20 rods north of J. M. Stephens' farm buildings, south of the militia shooting range near the Kelly farm buildings, and past Congressman Steeenerson's farm to a junction with the Gentilly road at A. K. Austin's farm.

This route will shorten the road a mile, relieving the necessity of going north a half mile and again south. Much of the road will skirt the river bank, and be therefore lined by large native trees making almost a continuous wooded lane. The road will be somewhat hilly and therein also lies a point in its favor as a driveway in a country where there is nothing but a level surface.

All the farmers affected by the road are in favor of its establishment and no doubt the citizens of Crookston are of the same mind as it will give them one of the finest driveways in the valley.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

Hitchcock Meets Leaders.

Colorado Springs, Colo., July 22.—The first session of the Republican leaders with Chairman Frank Hitchcock of the nations' committee opened at 2 p. m. yesterday and continued until nearly 8 o'clock. During that time members of the national committee and the chairmen of the state central committees from sixteen states and the territories addressed the assembly and explained state conditions.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington. W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

JUDGE HALTS EXCHANGE OF MILEAGE AND ADV.

CONTRACT BETWEEN MUNSEY AND RAILWAY COMPANY IS VOID

VIOLATION OF HEPBURN ACT DECLARES CHICAGO U. S. JUDGE

RAILWAY CLAIMED:
That it received a full money value based on schedule rates for the mileage or tickets issued and was not violating law.

STATE CLAIMED:
That the action of the railroad company in issuing such transportation constituted a violation of the Hepburn law.

JUDGE RULED:
That if it be lawful to make the exchange of railroad transportation for advertising then it would be lawful to do the same in every transaction, and the railroad business might lawfully become one of barter and sale, limited only by the demand.

In a decision handed down by Judge C. C. Kohlsaat in the United States circuit court, the jurist enjoined the issuance of transportation by the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway company to the publishers of Munsey's magazine in exchange for advertising.

The decision was rendered in a test case in which the federal authorities brought suit to prevent the carrying out of a contract entered into January, 1907, between the railroad company and Frank A. Munsey and company providing for the issuance of trip tickets or mileage to the value of $500 in consideration of certain advertising space in the publication of the magazine company. The contract was said to be a violation of the Hepburn law.

The petition charged that the action of the railroad company in issuing such transportation constituted a violation of the prohibition against the acceptance of any compensation for transportation "greater or less or different from that named in the published rates."

The railroad company claimed that it received a full money value based on scheduled rates for the mileage or tickets issued and denied that it was committing a violation of the law. In passing upon the question of compensation the decision says:

Values Contested

"The questions as to the value of the advertising is a contested one. Manifestly, there can be no fixed price placed upon it. The number of copies issued, the character of its subscribers and very many other questions enter into the estimate of its worth. It is therefore impossible to say what its cash market value is except by comparison with other advertising rates. It cannot be said that the evidence is conclusive or even convincing on this point. If it is taken at its cash value, why should the transportation be limited as specified in the contract? If the magazine is paying $500 to the defendant, why does it accept transportation both of less and different value than it would accept if it bought its tickets with money? It seems fair to conclude that either the advertising is of less than cash value or the advertisers are grossly imposed upon by the railroad.

After reciting several decisions rendered in somewhat similar cases, Judge Kohlsaat says:

Matter of Interest

"It will be noted that the contract does not require that the advertising must have been furnished before the transportation is given. There is no restriction upon the advertiser to call for his railroad tickets only so far as earned. In the mere matter of interest the rate would be less and different from that which is published.

"There is no mistaking the trend of the lawmaking and constructing powers. Every new step is tending toward a most rigid enforcement of the rule that requires exact equality in the matter of the rates. When by the Hepburn act the word "different" was added to the words "greater or less" it is not unfair to assume that congress intended to make the law more explicit and more difficult to evade. The plain intention is to close every avenue against discrimination. Bearing this in mind the courts have not been and will not be disposed to hesitate in giving insignificance to changes in the language of the statutes as they occur from time to time.

Fixed and Certain

"It is essential to the spirit of the statute the value of transportation be fixed and certain. In no other way can it be held exactly the same to all. If one person may purchase it with advertising another with labor and another with produce the value of which is a matter of agreement between the parties, how can it be said the schedule rate is always maintained. Would not the rate rest in the whim of the carrier? Such is not the intent of the law. To say to one man 'You must pay cash' and to his competitor 'You may pay in services or merchandise at prices we agree upon be it less or more than the market prices' would seem clearly to constitute such a difference in transportation as is condemned by the act.

"Some claim is made that the government's contention would exclude the use of checks and drafts and bills of exchange. This is without weight In practical business usage, these instruments pass for cash. The action of the defendant is in dissonance with the letter and spirit of the inter state commerce act."

Notice of an appeal to the United States supreme court was at once given by attorneys for the railroad company.

G. O. P. TO START SEPT. 5.

Opening of Republican Campaign in Ohio Is Arranged For.

Youngstown, Ohio, July 18.—Saturday, Sept. 5, has been selected as the opening date of the Republican national and state campaign here. A meeting of the state executive committee to ratify this selection of date and place will be held early in August.

ERICK PALM

Republican Candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

KILLS WITH FLOOR BRUSH.

Maniac Wields Sixteen-pound Weight in Mad Assault on Guards.

Pittsburg, July 18.—Suddenly seized with a mania to kill, George Tusel, an inmate of the insane department of the Allegheny county home at Claremont, killed Harry Speller, also an inmate, and injured two guards, who fought a desperate battle with the lunatic before overpowering him. Tusel used as a weapon a polishing brush weighing sixteen pounds.

Woman Set on Fire Saves Self.

Waterloo, Iowa, July 18.—Mrs. M. E. Brawe of Nashua was painfully burned yesterday. Her wrapper was ignited at a gasoline stove while she was cooking supper. The wind blew the garment into the blaze, but the wearer had sufficient presence of mind to wrap a rug about her body and smother the flames. She will survive.

Hitchcock Starts West.

Washington, July 18. — Chairman Frank H. Hitchcock of the Republican national committee, accompanied by James T. Williams, Jr., one of the staff of the Republican headquarters, left yesterday for Chicago, en route to Colorado Springs, Colo., to attend the conference of Western Republican leaders there next Monday and Tuesday.

AUGUST 1ST WILL BE NEXT BIG MARKET DAY

MARKET DAY COMMITTEE MET YESTERDAY AND FORMULATED PLANS ON A FAR MORE EXTENSIVE PLAN THAN THE FIRST MARKET DAY—AUTO RIDE FOR FARMERS—PRIZES FOR BEST DRAFT TEAM, ETC—FREE AUCTIONEER WILL BE PROVIDED

The Crookston Market Day committee consisting of O. Mercil, Jr., John Cowley and Thomas R. Johnstone, the latter taking the place of Walter Stone, whose duties would not permit of his acting on the committee longer, held a meeting yesterday afternoon, and started the plans for Crookston's next Market Day, which will be Saturday, August 1st. The success of the first Market Day was so pronounced that the business men are enthusiastic about those to come in future. The farmers who were here in greater numbers than ever seen before, were also well pleased and will all be back August 1st together with hundreds who were not here before.

The committee is planning on some special entertainment features, and among other things the farmers with their wives and children will all be given an autoobile ride about the city to the state farm, the cemetery and other points of interest.

Among the amusement features will be a grand tug of war between picked teams from among the farmers and the city. There will be prizes for the best draft team, etc., complete details of which will be published later.

As before the auctioneer will sell anything the farmers bring in free of any charge whatsoever.

Watch for the complete program of Market Day.

SAYS FARMERS SHOULD USE HOME CREAMERIES

The following communication is taken from the Norman County Herald published at Ada and it fits so many people that the Journal believes it is well worth copying:

" To those who do not patronize their home creameries: You are looked upon as a short sighted crank by your neighbors and by everyone who knows you, and I shall try to tell you some the reasons why. First, because you are trying to tear down an industry which as a rule your neighbors have built up with their hard earned money and still you are more or less dependent on these very neighbors for your existence. What will you do without your neighbors? Who is it that built your schools and churches, helped pay your taxes, build your roads and bridges? It is your neighbors or is it the centralizers in the big cities? If you have a poor crop this fall, or hog cholera takes your hogs, or you cannot meet your bills, whom do you ask to sign a note with you; the centralizers or your neighbors? I have my opinion of whom you will ask. But do you deserve your neighbors' help? I guess nit! Go to those whom you help, if you expect help back again.

Tell your centralizer friends that the bridges you cross when you haul your cream to town, that such and such a bridge is out, and that you can't get to town before they come and put one in. Do you think you would ever get to town? I guess nit. Ask some of these people whom you patronize to sign a note with you for the $100.00 you want to buy some fresh cows so you may get more cream for them. They will tell you: I guess nit. But they will tell you to go to your neighbors.

Now aren't you ashamed to go to your neighbors for a favor, when you are doing him dirt in return? No, you generally are not ashamed of any thing. You are very short sighted, you must admit that. You even blow about doing so and so well with such and such a company with your cream, and you try to run the prices of your own goods down. Because every stone you pull from the foundation of a building is going to weaken it. And every patron you pull from the creamery, you weaken it, and the home creameries are the foundations for our butter prices today. The weaker the creamery gets the less the centralizers will pay you for your butter fat for the centralizers are in it for all there is in it. And now Mr. Centralizer patronizer you may want a county office or a state office some day. Do you think you will get it? I guess nit. Your neighbors know you. You are not looking for the benefit of your own pocket. They want men who will at least try to do something good for the country, especially if it does not cost anything to do so, as when you patronize your creamery, I wish all you centralizer patronizers would read this. This is not half of my opinion or your neighbors opinion of you.

—A. T. SUNDE,
Lamberton, Minn.

What the Democratic Platform Demands

Modification of present law relating to injunctions and enforcement of trial by jury in cases of indirect contempt.

Injunctions should not be issued in any cases in which injunctions would not issue if no industrial dispute were involved.

Labor organizations should not be regarded as illegal combinations.

Eight-hour day on government work

Employers' Liability act for injury to body or loss of life.

Immediate revision of tariff by the reduction of import duties and the placing on the free list of articles entering into competition with trust controlled products.

Graduated reductions to restore the tariff to a revenue basis.

Immediate repeal of tariff on pulp print paper, lumber, timber and logs and the placing of these articles on the free list.

Enactment of law making it impossible for a private monopoly to exist and licensing of corporations.

Publicity of campaign contributions —Law fixing punishment for officers of a corporation who shall contribute or consent to a contribution by a corporation for the furtherance of an election of a president or vice president or of any member of congress.

As to states' rights the federal remedies for the regulation of interstate commerce and prevention of private monopoly shall be added to and not substituted for state remedies.

National banks must be required to establish guarantee fund for prompt payment of depositors of any insolvent national bank.

Emergency currency controlled by federal government and loaned to national and state banks.

Postal savings banks, if guaranteed banks cannot be secured, and so constituted as to keep deposits in community it is established.

Opposition to admission of Asiatic immigrants.

An income tax as a part of the revenue system.

Preservation and replacement of needed forests; irrigation of arid lands; reclamation of swamp lands; development of water power.

National bureau of public health.

Right of congress and each state to exercise control over interstate commerce.

Enlargement of powers of interstate commerce commission.

Physical valuation of railroads.

Further legislation to prevent pass and rebate abuse.

The house of representatives shall again become a deliberative body, controlled by a majority of the people's representatives and not by the speaker.

Independence of Philippines.

Land laws should be applied to Hawaii.

Since water furnishes the cheapest means of transportation, the national government, having control of the navigable waters, should improve them to the fullest capacity.

Immediate admission of Arizona and New Mexico as separate states.

Full territorial rights for Alaska and Porto Rico.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Eric O. Hagen

Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

John W. Sandberg

Republican Candidate, for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson

Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

D. D. Horton

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary election Sept 15, 1908.

George J. Fiaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Henry J. Welte

Deputy County Auditor.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

Hugh R. Robertson

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908

TEHERAN QUIET NOW.

Trouble Over in Persia for the Present, Says American Minister.

Berlin, July 1[illegible].—John B. Jackson the American minister to Persia, arrived in Berlin on his way to the United States for his annual leave of absence. Mr. Jackson said that quiet reigned at Teheran when he left that city twelve days ago.

Tenderhearted Mary MacFadden of Duluth grieves over the shortage of the fruit crop, because it will cause so much suffering among the worms. —Quinten in Minneapolis Journal.

U S U S U S U S U

Save All Your Cream

U. S. Cream Separator is biggest money maker—gets more cream than any other. Holds WORLD'S RECORD for clean skimming. Cream represents cash—you waste cream every day if you are not using a

U. S. Cream Separator.

Has only 2 parts inside bowl—easily and quickly washed. Low supply tank—easy to pour milk into—see picture. All working parts enclosed, keeping out dirt and protecting the operator. Many other *exclusive* advantages. Call and see a U. S. For sale by

For Sale By S. L. Collins, N. Main St.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

July 16 In History.

1661—Pierre Lemoine, Sieur d'Iberville, founder of Louisiana, born in Montgomery; died 1706.

1723—Sir Joshua Reynolds, celebrated English portrait painter, born; died 1792.

1882—Mary Todd Lincoln, widow of the martyred president, died; born 1815.

1896—Ex-Governor William E. Russell of Massachusetts died; born 1857.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:25, rises 4:39; moon rises 9:53 p. m.; moon's age 19 days.

ANOTHER CONTRACT—Alderman T. A. Harris, was awarded a contract yesterday to remove an elevator at McCumber, N. Dakota.

FINE RAIN AT LANGDON—Chas. Babcock journeyed to Grand Forks this morning. He was at Langdon yesterday and states that a heavy rain fell there yesterday afternoon, which assures a fine crop in that section.

ALEX BURNHAM SICK — E. D. Childs writes from North Yakima that Alex Burnham formerly of the Crookston neighborhood is very ill The weather at North Yakima is about 95 to 105 in the shade and it is not cool at night. Apple crop and the pear crop is the finest that could be wished and large crop will be harvested from these fruit trees.

BUY OUT ADA BUSINESS—Gus. Wanke and Geo. Tibesar of this city have formed a partnership and purchased a pool room, billiard hall and lunch room at Ada, and will take possession next week. Both are well adapted for that line of business and have a host of friends who will wish them every success in their new venture.

WHEEL SMASHED—Joe Barrette had an accident while he was driving this morning when the Gentry Bros.' Parade passed the corner of Robert and Broadway. Barrette's horse reared and plunged, turning short and smashing several spokes out of one wheel. Bystanders took a hand and soon controlled the animal. Will Marrotte it is said discovered several gray hairs after the incident. He was riding with Barrette.

William Loomis who was hailed before Judge Wilde yesterday on the charge of assault and battery on the person of A. J. Peterson of the town of Helgeland on Peterson's own farm was fined $1 and costs which amounted to about $50 for the commission of the act. No notice of appeal has yet been filed. Loomis was arrested in Minneota Lyon county by Orin Daniels.

Sevrine Odegaard, baker at Fisher west of here, arrived in the city this morning with Hon. Gunder Krostue, banker of that city, for the purpose of conferring with the legal representative here of the Allis-Chalmers machine company, the largest in the world.

July 9th Louis Odegaard, son of Sevrine Odegaard was painting on the roof of a building belonging to the Allis-Chalmers people at Milwaukee. By some accident not yet determined by Mr. Odegaard, his son fell thru the skylight and ninety feet to the pavement below, instantly killing him. Two laborers were working immediately below this skylight and on the ground floor. They did not see him break thru the glass and he struck them, killing one and seriously injuring the other.

This morning a large crew of men started work tearing down the elevator of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co., at Carman and in its place will erect a new elevator of a strictly modern type 28 by 38 at the base. The old elevator had a capacity of 20,000 bushels, and the new elevator will probably hold twice that amount.

Agent P. H. Ramstad the agent of the St. Anthony and Dakota Co., at Carman will have as modern an elevator as there is on the system when the new house is completed.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

July 17 In History.

Charlotte Corday.

1674—Dr. Isaac Watts, the hymn writer, born; died 1748.

1763—John Jacob Astor born in Waldorf, Germany; died 1848.

1793—Charlotte Corday guillotined in Paris for killing Marat, the terrorist.

1886—Lewis Cass, American statesman, died; born 1789.

1898—End of the war in Cuba; General Toral, Spanish commander at Santiago, surrendered to Major General W. R. Shafter.

1903—James Abbott MacNeill Whistler, American artist famous in England, died; born 1834.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:25, rises 4:40; moon rises 10:25 p. m.; moon's age 20 days

SOLD FINE TEAM—The Red Lake Falls Milling company of this city sold their fine team of draught horses to the Cedar Lake Ice Co., of Minneapolis for $700 today.

DIED AT GENTILLY—Mrs. S. Patneaude died yesterday afternoon at the age of 43 years at her home near Gentilly. The funeral is announced to be held at the Gentilly church tomorrow at ten o'clock.

DITCH 78 ESTABLISHED — The county commissioners yesterday referred back to the viewers their report on ditch 78 and again heard them after they had made a few changes, the board establishing the ditch.

SOLD LAND IN KNUTE — Mrs. Annetthe Olson, widow, living in Badger town Polk county sold yesterday to H. O. Ranberg of Esmond, N. D. 200 acres of land in Knute for $4275. The land is the northwest of 26 and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter section 16.

OFFICER LALONDE RESIGNS — Officer Alphonse Lalonde, who has been a member of the police force of Crookston for the past four years has resigned his position, his resignation taking effect last evening. He has not decided definitely what he will do but has several plans in his mind as to his future movements.

SIGNS OF THE HARVEST—The activity of the owners of threshing machines is apparent on every hand these days. Machines are being brought to the city for overhauling and the threshers are preparing for one of the best seasons they have enjoyed for many years. Several engines have been steamed up in the city during the past few days—and the sight is a most welcome one as it means business for everyone later on.

HEAT KILLS FARGOANS—Excessive heat caused heart failure which proved fatal to Louis Schneider of Fargo Tuesday. The deceased was one of the pioneers of the German colony which located in this county years ago. A few years ago he removed to Fargo to make this city his home. The funeral of Frank A. Ball, of Fargo, the young attorney, who died of apoplexy following heat prostration, was held Tuesday afternoon. The deceased was a son of Col. W. F. Ball, one of the leading attorneys of Fargo.

HEAVY LAND MOVEMENT—During the past two weeks there has been a notably heavy movement of land in Polk, Marshall, Kitson, Red Lake and Roseau county lands. The greater number of buyers have come from Illinois. E. A. Nelson of Hallock, former state librarian passed thru yesterday with a large bunch of buyers, and Harry C. Parker of Watseka, Ill., is buying large tracts for parties in and about Chicago, most of his clients being farmers who intend locating here. Robert Purvis has also been here with several large parties of Illinois and Indiana farmers and they claim these are but the advance guard of the movement which will be very heavy from this time forward till after harvest.

Those Arab patrols may be the real thing, but they show too much familiarity with soap and water to look like other Arabs.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

July 18 In History.

1792—John Paul Jones, the naval hero, died in Paris; born 1747.

1881—Arthur Penrhyn Stanley, D. D., LL. D., dean of Westminster, died in London; born 1815.

1892—Rose Terry Cooke, American authoress, died; born 1827.

1899—Horatio G. Alger, famous as a writer of stories for boys, died; born 1834.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:24, rises 4:41; moon rises 10:54 p. m.; moon's age 21 days; 11:03 p. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing 3 degrees south of the planet from west to east.

EKMAN TO ST. PAUL—Hon. O. B. Ekman, formerly representative in the state house, passed thru the city last evening on his way to St. Paul where he attends to business matters.

FERTILE VICINITY FERTILE—There isn't going to much time between seeding and harvest this year. Winter rye and barley comes first and is being cut this week in some localities.—Fertile Journal.

LOOKED OVER FARMS—E. Hart of Minneapolis conductor on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul night passenger passed thru the city last evening on his way from St. Hilaire where he owns certain tracts of land to his home in the cities.

ALLARD RETURNS — Henry Allard returned to the city last evening from Rainier on the Canadian Northern in the northern part of the state where he has been operating a restaurant. He sold out to his partner Peter Barrett.

TYPHOID PATIENTS BETTER—Ronald Riggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Riggs who has been suffering a run of typhoid is improving rapidly. The fever has left him and he will be able to take nourishment in a short time. The typhoid patients are all reported as doing well and there are no new cases reported.

EDITOR ON VACATION —Editor P. Thorson of the Normanden at Grand Forks passed thru the city last evening enroute to Bemidji where he will spend a few days with his family, the members of which have been occupying a cottage there for some time past and will remain the greater portion of the summer.

HONOR FORMER CROOKSTONITE—Yesterday was the 50th anniversary of Frank X. Gravel, a veteran travelling man who represents F. A. Patrick & Co., of Duluth. Delegates who are attending the annual convention of the North Dakota Retail Merchants' association at Grand Forks presented him with a fine silver candleabrum. Mr. Gravel was for years located in Crookston but now makes his home in Duluth.

HAD BIG TIME—W. Lemen arrived from St. Paul on the N. P. Day train yesterday afternoon after attending the big Shriners' meeting which he says was a grand success, and left this morning for Angus. He says the crops at Angus this year are the best raised in the past 15 years with the fields on sections 9 and 16 looking like a picture book.

INSPECTED STATE FARM—Senator A. D. Stephens yesterday drove Prof. Shaw to the State Experimental farm where the station and school were inspected, Prof. Shaw expressing his lively satisfaction over existing conditions. Prof. Shaw was formerly connected with St. Anthony Park Agricultural school and is now one of the editors of the Orange Judd Farmer. Senator Stephens and Prof. Shaw were entertained at dinner at the cottage by Supt. and Mrs. Robbertson last evening.

WELL ESTABLISHED—John Becker, formerly in the candy, ice cream and ice cream cone manufacturing business in this city, coupled with a general confectionery business, is now well established in the same line of business at Bismarck, N. D., where he removed with his wife some time ago. He is prospering and his business is certain to increase rapidly as the excellence of his products become known. He is a first class man in that line of business and will certainly do well in his new home. The Journal is a daily visitor at his new home.

WILL COVER RED LAKE CO.—R. D. Bartlett leaves Monday morning with Irwin Heydte for Red Lake county where the former has secured the county exclusively for the installation of the Smith heating and ventilating system in the public schools of that county. The system is the best and most improved in vogue, and has the unqualified endorsement of the state superintendent of public instruction, Supt. Casey of Polk Co., and practically every other school superintendent who has ever investigated the system. The two will work Red Lake Co.. during the next few months, making headquarters at Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

PLEASED WITH CROP OUTLOOK

J. H. GRIFFIN, INDUSTRIAL AGENT FOR G. N. IS OPTIMISTIC

OTHERS WHO ARE TRAVELING TAKE SAME VIEW OF THE OUTLOOK

From Saturday's Daily—

J. H. Griffin industrial agent of the Great Northern and formerly agent for the G. N. at Crookston, Grand Forks and Hallock prior to that, is spending the day up the St. Vincent line looking over the crop situation. Regarding the outlook Mr. Griffin said to a Journal representative this morning:

"I have travelled over every foot of the Great Northern lines in the northwest and I can say without reservation that in my opinion the prospects for a bountiful crop have not been as good in years. The recent rains have cleared away all doubt on that score. The wheat is a healthy color, the heads are long and filling splendidly, and we are going to harvest a crop that will make things hum.

"Wherever I have been, farmers as well as business men are most optimistic regarding the outlook, and business along all lines is picking up wonderfully."

Wm Lemen the pioneer wheat buyer of Angus who spent last night in the city and says the wheat crop in the township of Angus this year is as good as was ever grown there— and that means that it is as good as was ever raised in Polk County.

Supt. W. B. Sheffield who has been making the territory in all directions tributary to Crookston states that crop conditions are most promising and that there is no foundation for any scare based on damage done by the hot wave of a week ago.

Ed Carlson who has driven about the country surrounding Crookston a great deal stated to the Journal this morning that the fields certainly looked fine and that poor fields were very rare indeed.

CANADIAN CROP WILL BE SMALL

IMPLEMENT MEN OF WINNIPEG DECLARE THE CROP WILL BE SMALL

Special to the Journal:

Winnipeg, Man., July 18—The crop of the Canadian northwest this year will not be a record one even under the most favorable conditions according to the opinions of the leading machine and implement men of this city.

R. H. Potter manager of the International Harvester company, states that the farmers are very backward in ordering machinery and to date orders are not so heavy as last year.

J. W. Whiptneer of the J. I. Case company also complains of a lack of orders for threshing machines and says the drouth put a damper on the farmers and did damage on the Portage plains, around Souris and in the Red river valley.

Implement men generally put the crop at around one hundred million bushels. However these dampening statements are counterbalanced by statements made by Wm. Whyte, second vice president of the C. P. R., and a party returning to the city this evening who place the crop estimate at 125,000,000 bushels or over and say conditions could not be better for the largest wheat crop in the history of western Canada altho the straw crop will be poor.

NEW BAND ORGANIZED BY BYGLANDITES

Bandmaster Riggs returned this morning from Bygland where he organized a band comprised of the progressive young men of that township. There are 31 members all of more or less experience with band instruments, and in a very short time will have a musical organization that will be a credit to that section of Polk County. The Burnham Creek band is a good illustration of what can be accomplished in that line with a little effort. The band is composed of the following well known young men:

Clarionets — Martin Lindem, Adolph Grundyson, Elmer Thompson, B. Danielson.

Cornets—Albert Warden, Knute Sorenson, Tidmand Solstad, Daniel T. Danielson.

Altos—Rolf Olson, Daniel O. Danson, Peter Wardner, Gunnaf Moe.

Bass—Geo. Olson, Theodore Ovan

Drums—Ole Rystad, Olaf Moe.

KEEPS HUBBY IN JAIL FOR SIX LONG MONTHS

Sheriff of Devils Lake tries to get woman to appear in damage and divorce court but fails.

Deputy Frank Frye of the Sheriff's office at Devils Lake, N. D., and Sever Serungard state's attorney of Ramsey county, N. D., arrived in this city last night from the west and drove out to the state experimental farm ditch north of this city where they called on Mrs. Benjamin Regan cook in the ditching camp, in a futile attempt to get her to appear against her husband in a divorce suit now pending before the court there.

In Jail Six Months

For Mrs. Benjamin Regan now of this city, has been keeping her husband for six months in the county jail at Devils Lake on account of her non-appearance.

Benjamin Regan is a wealthy farmer living near Devils Lake and is now under bonds for $10,000 charged with having carnal knowledge of his own daughter. He was arrested six months ago on a charge of having attacked and having broken the nose of his wife, the woman now located at the Wyand ditching camp north of the city.

Straightway after filing this complaint and following the arrest of her husband and his consequent incarceration Mrs. Regan came to Crookston and remained for a time at the residence of Mrs. Emma Rasmussen, 315 North Main street. Then she obtained the position as cook for the John Wyand ditching crew on the contract near the Experimental farm.

Spent Money Freely

About three weeks ago there arrived in Crookston a twelve year old boy having in his possession $127. On account of a promiscuous purchase by this boy of knickknacks about the city stores he was taken in tow by the police. It was found that his name was Regan of Devils Lake, son of Benjamin Regan and that he had been sent by his father with the money he had to Crookston to find his mother and pay her way back to Devils Lake. Chief of Police Vonderbeck sent the child back to Devils Lake with what money he had left ($40).

Stick by Stepmother

However the boy immediately returned to Crookston, bringing with him from his fatherless home his sister and brother, both smaller than himself and now these three children of Benjamin Regan live with his abused wife at the ditching camp.

Mrs. Regan's name before she was married was Stacer. Her husband is now dead. There were no children. The children now seeking refuge with Mrs. Regan here are her stepchildren. They also refuse to leave their present location and stick by their stepmother.

Mrs. Regan is still at the ditching camp.

FREED FROM CUSTODY

EDWARD THOMPSON RELEASED BY CHICAGO POLICE— NOT IMPLICATED

GUY THOMPSON ARRESTED IN WISCONSIN—IS ALSO LET GO

From Friday's Daily—

Chicago, July 17—Edward Thompson of Minneapolis husband of Mrs. Frances Thompson, who was slain in a room at 1242 Michigan avenue was released from custody last night. Guy Thompson, a brother, arrested yesterday at Stehens Point, Wis., where he is a student at a normal school also was released after convincing the police he had no knowledge of the tragedy.

(The murdered woman was the one who had intended locating in Crookston and who had written here shortly before the tragedy to have a ticket forwarded to this city, signing her name as Mrs. Frances Raymond. The Chicago police thought Thompson and Raymond were one and the same person, but evidently they are not.)

agreed to hear the East Grand Forks case on July 17th which is today. This is the first time in north country history that a case of this kind was brought to a final hearing before the highest courts in the state in 8 days.

Attorneys Finlayson and Sorley departed south last evening to appear before the supreme court and argue their case.

GEORGE FILES FOR LEGISLATURE

Editor L. E. George of the Fertile Journal today filed as a candidate for the republican nomination for the State Legislature at the primaries in September. Mr. George is well known thruout Polk County and has always been a consistent worker in the ranks. He is a man of wide experience and thoroly capable of discharging the duties of representative if nominated and elected. He has a host of friends thruout the county and can be depended upon to poll a heavy vote at the primaries.

Burns May Kill Child.

Pierre, S. D., July 18.—Eva, a little daughter of George Thomas, is not expected to recover from the effects of burns caused by her clothing catching fire while she was playing under a high sidewalk with other children.

Baby is Badly Burned.

Minneapolis, July 18.—Gasoline igniting from an open stove set fire to the clothes of eighteen-months-old Willard F. Hallock, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hallock. Physicians hope for the child's recovery.

BEFORE COURT IN RECORD TIME

LODGORD CASE STARTED JULY 9 —HEARING SET FOR JULY 17TH

TEST CASE BEFORE SUPREME COURT BY SPECIAL ORDER

From Friday's Daily—

The case of Edward Lodgord against the ~~city~~ of East Grand Forks to determine whether that city can issue municipal bonds for water works, electric lights and other public utilities over ten per cent of its valuation has established a new record in the courts of this part of the state for fast work.

The general opinion prevails that the machinery of the courts grinds slow however exceeding fine. Attorney Finlayson and Sorley and Judge Watts will now be able to controvert the first part of this statement.

In the case of Lodgord against E. Grand Forks the first papers were filed July 9th and the case was brought before Judge Watts July 10th the next day.

Attorney Sorley for East Grand Forks straightway demurred to the complaint and Judge Watts upheld the demurrer. The evening of July 10th the two attorneys journeyed to St. Paul and appeared in person before the supreme court of the state.

The cases generally for the hearing beforge the judges of the supreme court have to be filed in April, but by special order the supreme court

OLE E. HAGEN A ROSEAU CANDIDATE

FORMER JUDGE OF PROBATE OF POLK CO., WOULD BE COUNTY AUDITOR

Ole E. Hagen formerly of Crookston has filed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for county auditor of Roseau Co., and if the people of Roseau county know him as well as he is known in Polk county he will win in a walk. Mr. Hagen was for years a resident of Polk Co., during which time he edited several papers and is one of the most vigorous and fearless writers in the northwest. He served three terms as judge of probate of Polk county and was a most efficient public official. If elected Roseau County will have a most excellent official filling an important office.

One plank in the democratic platform is made of free lumber but no one can say much for the kind of lumber in the other planks.

U. S. SENATOR NELSON PAYS CROOKSTON VISIT

United States Senator Knute Nelson arrived in the city yesterday afternoon after a week's tour of Canada. In an interview with a Journal representative he said: "I find the crop situation generally good in Canada. Of course there are bad streaks, but speaking generally the fields look fine for a new country. Of course the area is so large that there are great stretches which are not tilled at all, and there are some localities where the fields are tilled but look bad, but I saw many fine fields during my week's trip.

"On the flat land near Winnipeg however, the crops are poor, the straw being short and the fields have a sickly look.

"What the Canadians now fear the most is frost. Last year they were hit heavily, and there is a great deal of anxiety for fear the present crop might be damaged. If the frost keeps off they will have a generally prosperous year.

"I notice a great difference between the cities in Canada and those in Minnesota. Prince Albert, for instance is scattered all over the country and seems to lack that solidity and stability that is apparent with us. They claim 20,000 and I should judge they have about half that number of people.

"I note a wonderful development in Northern Minnesota. I stopped off at Warren on some business with Judge Grindeland and little cities of that size show the result of a steady improved method of farming being adopted in this section. Riding along on the train I noted some splendid herds of cattle which I never saw before in my trips to this section.

"Then too I noted that on the local train on which I rode from Warren to Crookston, that at every station there were platforms full of cream cans to be loaded for shipment to the creameries and to the twin cities. This is the key to your present high degree of prosperity.

"I took a drive about Crookston this evening and could scarcely believe this the same city I visited in 1892 when I was making my first campaign for governor. You are growinw wonderfully and the farms which we saw all looked well kept up with good pastures, fine fields and a general air of prosperity apparent.

"Taft will be elected. I believe he will carry several of the southern states. I do not know how much campaign work will be assigned to me. I am in the hands of the committee and they can send me where they choose. Bryan will have a big fight on his hands in the East.

"From here I go directly home to the farm at Alexandria and watch the pumpkins grow for a while."

A Wonderful Memory

Senator Nelson has a wonderful memory. In conversation with a Journal representative he recalled some of his first visits to Crookston. In the fall of 1892 when he was making his first campaign for governor he was snowbound in Crookston and sat up till day break in Mrs. Rose's restaurant while waiting for a train for Hawley where he was booked for an address. When he reached Hawley the audience had dispersed. They had waited till midnight. The senator remembers where the various business houses were located in the early days and the proprietors.

Recalled Old Timers

Senator Nelson displayed a lively interest in the old timers of the city and asked about scores of them. Mr. Jennings, a brother of I. U. Jennings was running the Sherman House when Senator Nelson first visited Crookston, Zwickey was sheriff and he wanted to know all about the present whereabouts of all the men who were "making the big noise" in the early days.

MADMAN LEAPED FROM FLYING G. N. TRAIN

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening William Cyr, who was adjudged insane in Judge Monken's court here yesterday afternoon, leaped across the body of a sleeping priest and jumped thru a car window, headforemost, to freedom five miles below Barnesville last evening.

Leaped Thru Window

Cyr was being taken to Fergus Falls by Deputy Sheriffs Louis and George Gonyea. He had been perfectly quiet up to the time of his awful leap for liberty, and was being lead to the closet, Louis Gonyea walking ahead of him and George at the rear. A priest was asleep in a double seat and had the car window up. Cyr saw his chance, and springing like a tiger dived thru the window headforemost the whole transaction taking less time than it takes to read it.

The Chase Started

The train was brought to a sudden halt and the deputies and one of the brakemen started back to look for Cyr. They searched high and low for him at the point where he jumped, but there was no trace of the man to be found. The three then walked back to Barnesville, George Gonyea returning to Crookston this morning, the brakeman boarding No. 8 and catching No. 6 farther down while Louis Gonyea hired a livery rig early this morning and started back to a hay camp near where Cyr had leaped from the train, to search for the madman at large.

The Madman Landed

A telephone message from Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea from Barnesville this afternoon is to the effect that the prisoner was landed early today and that he was not injured at all as the result of his thrilling leap from the train. Cyr will be taken to Fergus Falls tonight.

Sucidal Tendencies

Cyr was arrested yesterday afternoon on complaint of one of the Capistrans for whom he had been working for the past three days. He had been working around here for the past three years, his parents residing at Grand Rapids, Minn. He had been writing a book recently in which the central thought was that every hand was raised against him.

He had also muttered vaguely about suicide and Drs. Kjelland and Just who examined him decided that his mind was unbalanced as the result of acute melancholia.

It was feared that in his frame of mind he was apt to committ any terrible deed that struck his fancy of mind and he was accordingly ordered committed to Fergus Falls.

JOINED CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASSOCIATION

Chas. A. Morse, of Sauk Centre, secretary of the Minnesota Co-operative Dairies Association, spoke at Clearbrook and Gonvick July 9th, at Weme July 8th at Bagley and Shevlin, July 10th. His mission was to explain to the farmers the advantages and benefits derived foom this association by the creameries. The result, as far as we have been able to learn was that all the aforesaid creameries joined the association, Berner had already enrolled. Co-operation in Clearwater county is manifestation of success.

WARREN GRADUATES FIRST CLASS OF NURSES

Friday July 10 the Warren City hospital graduated its first class of trained nurses. The young ladies who have served in the institution finished the prescribed course of work and study and were given their diplomas. The names of the young ladies are: Miss Anna Erlandson, Miss Anna Svaren and Miss Hilma Wahlberg.

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MANY SCHOOL MA'AMS ATTENDING SUMMER SCHOOL

The attendance at the Marshall Co., summer school at Warren has passed the eighty mark and is still climbing. Good work is being done by the student-teachers and their instructors, work that will make for better teaching in the rural schools. The County superintendent has introduced the study of agriculture, and finds that it is creating a great deal of interest. Edna L. Glenn, Emelia Lewton, Ina Mae Phillips, Ada H. Tofslv, Christine Ulseth of Crookston are in attendance.

Worry Worse than Fatigue

More people worry themselves out than wear out by work and then when they begin to grow thin from worrying over other things, they worry becouse they are growing thin. The best thing for nervousness is the regular use of a good malt tonic at mealtime. Take a glass of golden grain belt beer with your meals and at bedtime. It builds up overworked nerve tissues and insures renewed health to body and brain. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

ROAD WORK IS ILLEGAL

NONE DONE THIS YEAR IN POLK ACCORDING TO LAW OF 1907

POSTMASTER STEENERSON ADDRESSES BOARD—ACTION WILL BE TAKEN

From Monday's Daily—

This afternoon Postmaster Elias Steenerson appeared before the county board of commissioners and called their attention to the fact that none of the repairs on public highways this year had been in accordance with the provisions of the law of 1907 which provide that all work be done under the general supervision of the county superintendent of highways, Johannes Beim of Fosston for Polk Co., and under the direct supervision of the township inspectors of highways.

Postmaster Steenerson appeared in behalf of the rural mailcarriers who some of whom have complained about the method of some townships in throwing dirt in the middle of the highway and making it almost impassable.

There are six mail carriers, serving practically all the farmers within a radius of 15 miles of Crookston, and they draw $900 a year each and spend it all here. They are entitled to consideration, and the government provides that good roads are one of the requisites of rural mail service.

Postmaster Steenerson called the attention of the board to the fact that under the old system practically all the road work was done in a haphazard and unsystematic manner, and that chapter 458 of the laws of '07 should be enforced.

The county board took the same view of the case and will instruct County Supt. of Highways Beim to notify the township inspectors at once that future work must be done under his supervision and in a systematic manner, and that all roads which are being repaired must be smoothed down with a roller, acme harrow or a split log drag.

Thus far all those doing work on roads have in reality been trespassers, having no right whatever to do work under the old plan.

The action of the county board, if the plans are carried out as they should be, will mark an epoch in the history of roadmaking in Polk county and the commissioners as well as Postmaster Steenerson are to be congratulated on starting the ball rolling in that direction.

COULTER HOME IS BURNED TO GROUND

LOSS $3,000 WITH SMALL INSURANCE—ORIGIN OF FIRE A MYSTERY

At 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning the George Coulter residence, five miles south east of East Grand Forks was burned to the ground with the greater part of its contents. The fire had gained great headway before it was noticed and nothing could be done to stop the work of the flames The origin of the fire is a mystery and it will never be known just how it started.

When the fire broke out two of the men were working near the house and the children were in the yard, Mr. Coulter having gone to E. Grand Forks on business. The fire started in the back part of the residence which was a large one made up of two houses spliced, as it were, together. It would seem that the blaze started somewhere near the stove but as there was practically no fire in the stove this is not a satisfactory explanation, according to Mr. Coulter, who is at a loss to account for the origin. No explosion was heard by those in the vicinity of the house. When the hired men saw that they could do nothing to save the building considerable of the furniture was carried out the family assisting in the work. Some of the most valuable articles in the house, including a magnificent buffalo robe valued at $100 were in storage and could not be saved. A telephone message failed to reach Mr. Coulter, who was already on his return trip and he found the home which he had left but a short time before in total ruins. Coming at this time the loss is felt all the more as the farm is a big one and farm hands and farm work must be taken care of. Mr. Coulter secured a tent for temporary use as a dwelling. The house tho not a modern one, was large and roomy and the loss with furniture will be about $3,000. This is covered by $800 insurance which is on the building alone.

AUTO TURNS A SOMERSAULT

MRS. GEO. F. CARPENTER SUFFERS BROKEN LIMB IN AN ACCIDENT

AUTO JAMMED UP SOME—MR. CARPENTER ESCAPED WITH SCRATCHES

From Monday's Daily—

Sunday afternoon while riding in an automobile 7 miles west of the city the machine slewed in some sand while rounding a corner and ran off a culvert, over turning the machine and pinning Mrs. Geo. F. Carpenter underneath it, breaking one of her limbs and bruising her up badly.

Mr. Carpenter who was driving the machine was thrown several rods but aside from a bad shaking up and the loss of a little skin, escaped uninjured.

Mrs. Carpenter was at once removed to the farm house of Jos. Farley and Dr. H. H. Hodgson drove from this city and reduced the fracture after which the injured woman was brought to her home in this city in a hack and is doing as well as could be expected after such a shaking up. While the auto was turned bottom side up the machine was going at a high rate of speed it is almost miraculous that both occupants were not crushed to death instantly.

Mr. Carpenter earlier in the afternoon had taken the children out riding but had left them at home when he took Mrs. Carpenter, there being no one in the auto at the time of the spill but Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter. Had the children been in there would without doubt have been further injuries, if not, indeed fatalities.

SINGERS TO ATTEND BIENNIAL SANGERFEST

SEND BIG DELEGATION TO MINNEAPOLIS AUG. 28, 29 AND 30TH

Many Norwegian and Danish singers are planning to attend the ninth biennial sangerfest of the Northwestern Norwegian-Danish Singers' association, to be held in Minneapolis Aug. 28, 29 and 30. Two concerts will be given at the Auditorium on the evenings of Aug. 28 and 29 at which will be heard a chorus of 600 male singers. The musical director-in-chief of the association, Emil Bjorn of Chicago, has just made the selection of choruses to be sung. They are "Snorre" by Alfred Paulson; "I Guds fri Natur," by Reissiger; "De Slaget, avis Hjerte Banker," by Wennerberg; "Ossian" by Beschnitt; "Landkjending" by Grieg; "Fanmarsch" by Wennerberg; "Norden" by Glaeser; "Sigurd Jorsalfar," by Grieg; and "Den store hvide Flok," by Grieg.

This will be the first time that the Northwestern Norwegian-Danish Singers have held a meeting in Minneapolis.

CRYING FOR HELP

Lotss of it in Crookston But Daily Growing Less

The kidneys cry for help.

Not an organ in the whole body so delicately constructed.

Not one so important to health.

The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

There can be no health where there is poisoned blood.

Backache is one of the first indications of kidney trouble.

It is the kidneys' cry for help. Heed it.

Doan's Kidney Pills are what is wanted.

Are just what overworked kidneys need.

They strengthen and invigorate the kidneys; help them to do their work; never fail to cure any case of kidney disease.

Read the proof from a Crookston citizen.

Leroy G. Burkhardt, a packer at Brown's Cigar factory, and living at 309 Fifth St., E. Crookston, Minn., says: "I speak from personal experience when I say that Doan's Kidney Pills are a reliable remedy for kidney complaint. Being afflicted with this trouble I got a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills at Wallace's drug store. Their use quickly convinced me that the many endorsements given in their favor were not exaggerated. A continued use absolutely cured me of kidney trouble. I am always ready to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

COULD NOT GET BEER

VIENNES SAVANT ENCOUNTERS HARDSHIPS TOURING AMERICA

WANTED CIGARETTES, NOTHING DOING—WONDERS WHAT IS THIS "LAND OF FREE"

From Wednesday's Daily—

America is unwittingly putting into effect a virtual exclusion act against the foreigner who must drink with his meals. This is the grave warning promulgated yesterday by Dr. Adolf Cluss professor of Vienna university and agent of his government on a trip of inspection of agricultural methods of the United States who was in Crookston on a tour of the Northwest.

"This is what they call 'the land of the free and the home of the brave', yet some places I cannot buy cigarettes and places I cannot get anything to drink with my meals," said Dr. Cluss at the Hotel Crookston. "Yesterday I was in Fargo, N. D., he smiled and put his hand to his throat swallowing as tho it was still dry. "I had to go across the river to get anything to drink.

"This is a most interesting country but I would not like to have to stay here. I cannot eat without something to drink with my meals. It is by this way you are keeping many people from abroad out of this country. They do not wish to have to put up with these things. One hears it everywhere abroad. 'What do you think of America?' you ask. And those who have been here smile and say, 'It is not such a very free country as it sounds.'"

Dr. Cluss has been in the United States for six months studying agricultural methods and in that time has been almost all over the country from east to west and even into Florida and Cuba. As to his investigations he preferred not to talk, saying that he was reserving the results of his observations for his report to his government.

MORE FARMERS HAVE PHONES

FARMERS' UNION TELEPHONE LINE COMPLETED 16 MILES NORTHWEST

OVER SCORE MORE OF PROGRESSIVE FARMERS CAN TALK TO CROOKSTON

From Monday's Daily—

The Farmers' Union Telephone Co., has completed their new line running from Crookston to Key West, covering 16 miles of line and connecting with the farm homes of over a score of the most progressive of Polk County farmers. The telephone is one of the greatest instrumentalities in removing the most objectionable feature of farm life, isolation, and the farmers on the new line can now order their groceries, get market quotations for butter, eggs, pork, etc., and know to a cent what they will receive for any produce they may have to bring to the city, and sell it before they leave home, saving much bother after arriving in the city. Following is the list of progressive farmers on the new line and more will be connected later:

C. C. Brown, Wm. Brown, J. Brown, Wm. Samson, Louis Wentzel, Aug. Wentzel, Wm. Wagner, Chas. Wagner, Adolph Wagner, D. H. Nesbit, Hans Rasmussen, John Ross, Chas. Ross, Jos. Retzner, Nels Woodstrom, N. Shankey, Robert Voelker, Julius Voelker, Wm. Reitmeier, E. Rayburn, J. Parmenter.

MAGER SECURES A DIVORCE

WIFE FIRST BROUGHT SUIT BUT THE HUSBAND WAS SUCCESSFUL

At Pembina Judge W. J. Kneeshaw has granted a divorce to John F. Mager, who is a well known flour mill man of Walhalla, from Rose Mager. Mrs. Mager brought the suit for divorce but Mager succeeded in showing the court that he was the one entitled to a decree. The evidence in the case was the most sensational that has ever been submitted in Pembina. Detectives told of Mrs. Mager's escapades, involving many well known people. There were trips to Grand Forks and other points and lots of the evidence could not well be published.

LIGHT ON FUNDS OF STATE G.O.P.

REPUBLICANS WILL DISCUSS PUBLICITY TODAY AT ST. PAUL

COMMITTEE WILL ALSO DISCUSS JACOBSON'S STUMPING CAMPAIGN

From Wednesday's Daily—

J. F. Jacobson, republican nominee for the governorship of Minnesota will be called upon today to decide how and where the campaign funds shall be solicited. This will be one of the most important matters to be considered by the executive committee of the state central committee at its meeting in St. Paul.

The demand for publicity relative to contributions to campaign funds has been recognized by both the republican and democratic candidates for the presidency and in certain states has taken the form of legislation requiring campaign committees to file itemized statements of receipts and expenditures.

Heretofore in this state campaign managers have accepted contributions from all possible sources, with and without strings and have made no further accounting than to report that all the money obtained had been spent.

Members of the executive committee realize that the people want to know more about the inner affairs of the republican organization than they have been permitted to know in the past, and particularly do they want to know who the largest contributors are. To what extent the public will be admitted to the confidences of the committee will depend largely on Mr. Jacobson himself. If he wants to refuse money from any source it will be for him to say, and his wish will be respected.

Another important matter will be to map out a tour for Mr. Jacobson. He expects to take the stump himself but how hard he will work will depend partly on the style of a fight put up by his democratic adversary.

Mr. Jacobson spoke yesterday in Lac qui Parle county, an dthis was his first public address, since the state convention. The occasion is not understood to have been of a political character, and Mr. Jacobson was not expected to make a real campaign talk.

OAT HARVEST THIS WEEK

WM. BENNING HAS FIELD THAT IS READY FOR THE SICKLE NOW

WILD OATS AND OTHER FOUL WEEDS WILL BE CUT BEFORE RIPE

From Monday's Daily—

Wm. Benning is in the city today from his farm in the township of Fairfax just south of Marin Station and brought with him a fine sample of Early Champion oats which are ready for the harvest. He will start cutting them about Wednesday, tho they could be cut at once if it was necessary.

Mr Benning sowed these oats from the 6th to the 9th of April thus it took them about 100 days to mature. They will be harvested and the ground plowed before the other grain is ready, which will be almost as good for the land as summer fallowing it.

In addition to this the early harvest of oats cleans the land of all foul weeds. The wild oats are not yet ripe and will be so light they will all be blown out with the chaff when the grain is threshed, and the same will be true of all other foul weeds, none of them will be ripe.

The sample brought in, which can be seen in the Journal window is a very fine one. The heads are well filled and the oat Kernels are large and fat.

Mr. Benning says this variety, which he has raised for the past ten years thrives in this section, and is one of the surest crops he has ever raised, in addition to having the peculiar advantage of thriving when sown very early, thus maturing before even the earliest barley.

N. DAKOTA BANK WOODMEN DEPOSITORIES

For the first time in the history of the Woodmen order North Dakota banks are designated as depositories for a portion of the reserve funds of the order. The state delegation was also promised one of the appointive offices, to be named later.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

CROOKS TRY TO WORST CREW

DECLINE TO GET OFF G. N. TRAIN FROM FARGO TO [illegible]RAND FORKS

ABOUT SIXTY OF T[illegible] ARE FORCED TO LEAVE TR[illegible] AT HILLSBORO

From Tuesday's Daily—

A Great Northern train crew ha [illegible] exciting time Sunday night [illegible] about three score crooks and hobo who were anxious to get from Fargo to Grand Forks to take in the fair there. They climber on a freight train at Fargo and defied the trainmen. When Hillsboro was reached the conductor got instructions to put them off without fail. With the assistance of Hillsboro officials he succeeded in putting the men off, but they were ugly and inclined to storm the train and come on anyway. The conductor decided to fool them. He pretended that he had orders to sidetrack for a passenger train and backed his train up quite a distance. Then the train came ahead and dashed past the outlaws on the platform at a terrific rate of speed. They were unable to get aboard.

Will Meet Them

Grand Forks officers have been instructed to give the invaders a warm reception if they came there.

Freight trains have been crowded for several days with men who are stealing rides to the harvest fields and some of the trainmen have exciting experiences with them. Mingled with the workers are a lot of tramps who admit that they are not looking for work. They decline work in the hay and harvest fields at good wages.

Will Keep Lid On

The lid is to be kept on tight during the four days of the Grand Forks fair, it is announced by State's Attorney Wineman. The police have been ordered to seize any liquor or gambling outfit that may be found on the grounds.

Last night several sharpers who had planned to open up there left for Casselton, where there was a carnival. They were informed that they could not work there and decided to take a chance in the Cass County town.

BUCKMAN'S HAY LOADING APPARATUS

CROOKSTON MAN DESIGNS AND CONSTRUCTS NEW HAY STACKING CONTRIVANCE

Joseph Buckman of east Fourth Street has designed, constructed and tested a new hay stacking apparatus that is proving to be a great labor saver and will have it patented.

Mr. Buckman's hay stacker is in two parts, a buckrake and elevating shute. The buckrake is made almost the same as any strawbucker with the exception that the forward prongs are on hinges and can be released by a lever to let the load drop when it reaches the top of the incline or elevating chute. The later is built like any ordinary chute, it can be raised and lowered at will. The buck rake is pulled by two horses and follows the rows made by the hayrake and when loaded is dragged to the stack, slid up the elevating chute and dumped on the top of the stack. Stacks of any height can be made by this contrivance. Mr. Buckman believes that he has invented a great labor saver that is simple in construction and can be made very cheaply.

OLD RESIDENT DIED AFER LONG ILLNESS

This morning, shortly before noon, Mrs. A. Capistran breathed her last after a long illness at the family home near the Glenn residence. She was 51 years of age and died of a complication of ailments with which she has been troubled for some time past. She leaves a husband and six children. The funeral announcements will be made later.

You could never make a man see that it is not mere generosity that moves him to send home to his wife a box of the special kind of fruit he likes.

BINDER TWINE OUTPUT LARGE

GRADING FOR NEW PRISON AND ERECTION OF THE BUILDINGS

MAKING GOOD PROGRESS AT STILLWATER—FIFTEEN MILLION POUNDS MADE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The output of binder twine at the state prison will be larger than intended even a few weeks ago and will exceed that of last year by at least 2,000,000 pounds. It was intended to quit working overtime in the factory at the end of this month but orders have been received that will cover more than the possible product up to Aug. 6 and still orders are coming in.

The manufacture thus far has exceeded 14,500,000 pounds and will run up to a considerable amount more. Warden Wolfer is not yet able to determine when the factory will quit working overtime. The harvest is a little late in some sections and it is a big one. The shipments of twine are being made now as fast as manufactured, the storage supply having been exhausted some time ago. There have been orders received from North Dakota but the Minnesota farmers are being given the preference. The indications are that the prison could sell the product of a much largely increased twine factory.

The two buildings at the new prison site are going up rapidly. The work on the walls is in progress with a large force of men. One of these buildings will be used for additional twine making machinery. The regular factory at the old prison will go on steadily after this season making binder twine and to that will be added the product of the new factory so that next year there will be a greater output altho it is not expected to even then meet the requirements.

Warden Wolfer has a force of eighteen teams and twenty-five men busy grading for additional buildings to be erected next summer.

GOLD MEDAL FOR DR. C. S. PUTNAM

MUSICIANS PRESENTED LEADER WITH AN ELEGANT TOKEN

When the members of Putnam's band were assembled at Stone's hall Saturday evening receiving their bouquets for the week's engagement at the state fair, G. Oliver Riggs, leader of the Crokston band who acted as assistant director and cornet soloist in the Putnam organization, took the floor and in a characteristic speech, presented the genial doctor with an order for an elegant gold medal the design to be selected by the recipient On account of the lack of time the members of the band were unable to get just what they wanted and an order was placed with a local jeweler.

Putnam's band was composed of the best players in the Red river valley. —Fargo Call.

It was a high compliment to the Crookston band that Bandmaster Riggs was selected as Assistannt Bandmaster and that James Heng was one of the performers selected. Other members of the Crookston band were asked to play but could not leave the city.

ARE PROSPERING AT SPOKANE

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Maley to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Withey, Mrs. Maley's parents is to the effect that they are prospering nicely. They have been doing a big business in their ice cream parlors, which in the future will be managed by Mrs. Maley and Mr. Maley will devote his attention to the real estate business. They have met many former Minnesota people there and are getting to feel quite at home.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington. W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

HISGEN INDEPENDENT PARTY PRESIDENT

Massachusetts Man And John Temple Graves Are Independence Party Candidates.

Chicago, July 29.—President, Thomas L. Hisgen, of Massachusetts; vice president John Temple Graves of Georgia.

The above ticket was last night nominated by the Independence party at its first national convention.

The nomination of Mr. Hisgen was made on the third ballot his chief competitors being Milford W. Howard of Alabama and John Temple Graves of Georgia. Reuben B. Lyon of New York received a complimentary vote on the first ballot, and William Randolph Hearst had 49 friends who voted for him on the first two ballots. The nomination of Mr. Graves was made unanimously all other candidates having been withdrawn.

Chicago, July 29 — The Independence party today adopted its platform and perfected its temporary organization. Tonight it will proceed to the nomination of the presidential ticket But little work was accomplished at the first session because of the protracted debate among members of the resolutions committee on the question of how the currency plank should be expressed.

The main floor of the hall, in which some of the largest gatherings are held in this city, was filled by the delegates. There were no alternates. The galleries were crowded with a throng which entered heartily into the spirit of the proceedings, and throughout the night applauded vigorously whatever met their approval.

Demonstration for Hearst.

At a few minutes after 8 o'clock the delegates came trooping into the hall, New York heading the column. New York cheered every other delegation and the other delegations cheered New York, then they cheered each other and then themselves until the hall rang again and again. The demonstration lasted about fifteen minutes and continued for some time after the delegates were in their seats.

The entrance of George McCasker, whom the Illinois delegates are supporting for the gubernatorial nomination, was a signal for cheers "for the next governor of Illinois." This outburst had scarcely subsided when the arrival of W. R. Hearst started a delirious demonstration.

Delegates Parade Hall.

The hall was in an uproar as he mounted the steps leading to the platform. He took no notice of the demonstration but after remaining on the rostrum for about three minutes in consultation with the secretary of the convention, descended into the body of the hall, taking a seat with the New York delegation. His action was a signal for renewed cheering, and the delegates shouting, "Hearst! Hearst!" immediately started on a parade around the hall, chanting continuously the name of the New York editor. The parade continued for several minutes before quiet was restored.

Call Is Read.

It was thirty-five minutes past the scheduled time when the temporary sergeant-at-arms rapped for order. Milton W. Howard of Alabama took the gavel and introduced Charles A. Walsh of Iowa, secretary of the provisional national committee, who read the call for the convention. This document declared the purpose of the gathering to be the foundation of an independent party and the nomination of candidates for president and vice president. Father O'Callahan of Chicago delivered the invocation.

Hearst Is Chairman.

Mr. Howard, at the conclusion of the invocation, announced the names of the temporary officers of the convention. His mention of the name of Mr. Hearst was received with an outburst of applause, and Mr. Hearst when he mounted the rostrum was given an uproarious welcome. When quiet had been restored he began his address as temporary chairman of the convention.

Mr. Hearst delivered his address with intense earnestness, driving home his points in an emphatic manner that carried the convention with him from the start to the close of his address. His description of Mr. Bryan as the "Knight in Motley" called forth great laughter and applause, and his allusions to other Democratic leaders also excited the cheers of his hearers. At the conclusion of his address he was given an ovation that continued for several minutes.

Committees Are Named.

Mr. Reuben B. Lyon of New York was called to the chair and directed the secretary to read the membership lists of the various convention committees.

After an address by C. A. Windle of Chicago, the convention adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The committee on rules and permanent organization, which met immediately after the convention, selected Charles A. Walsh of Iowa as permanent chairman and adopted a rule that no speech from the platform should exceed five minutes in length and that no delegate should be heard upon one subject more than once.

The committee on resolutions organized by electing Howard S. Taylor of Chicago as chairman.

OVERFLOW OF THE WIRES

Eight additional deaths from cholera have been reported from Tsaritsyu and seven from Astrakhan.

George Duppler, manager of the Goddrige & Call Lumber yard at Fallon, Mont., was drowned while swimming in a slough of Yellowstone river.

In response to an invitation extended by the United States government in behalf of the geological survey Great Britain, Germany and Belgium will send to this country next month their leading experts in the prevention of mire disasters to aid in the inauguration of the work here.

John Baleos, a Greek section hand, went swimming at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and got beyond his depth. His twenty-four companions saw him drown without offering further help than to raise their hands in prayer.

Lieut. Oswalt of the Twenty-ninth infantry met death at Manila accidentally by electrocution. The officer was preparing to take a bath and had entered the bath tub when he endeavored to arrange the lighting current to take an electric bath. In some way he came in contact with the wires, receiving the full charge, which proved instantly fatal.

FATHER OF TEN IS SUICIDE.

Farmer of Means Hangs Himself for Unknown Reason.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., July 29.—J. O. Tommerdahl, a farmer forty-three years old, who lived in the town of Star, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. He had a wife and ten children and was well fixed financially. No cause is assigned for the act.

Veteran Fatally Hurt.

Iowa City, Iowa, July 29. — John W. Jayne of Lone Tree, the only resident of this part of Iowa who remembers the reunions of the Veterans of the Revolutionary war, was thrown from a buggy in a runaway, receiving injuries which will prove fatal.

Destroy Slot Machines.

Eveleth, Minn., July 29. — The surprise of the week in this section of the range was the arrest of all the nine saloonkeepers in the village of Gilbert for operating slot machines.

INCENDIARISM AT HUDSON.

Alderman's Residence Is Fired In Two Places While Family Is Away.

Hudson, Wis., July 29. — A plain case of incendiarism took place at the residence of Ald. A. W. Guse, in the First ward. Fires were set in two places in the building at the same time, in the attic over a bedroom and in the pantry adjoining the kitchen. Neighbors saw the blaze and extinguished it before much damage was done. Mr. and Mrs. Guse were away at the time.

PYTHIANS ON WARPATH.

Plan "Housecleaning" at Next State Meeting.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, July 29.—Fifty Pythians from various parts of the state met here and planned a "housecleaning" when the next convention meets at Oskaloosa. Their candidate for grand chancellor will be M. J. Tobin of Vinton. The present grand chancellor was sharply criticised.

STATE SCHOOL LAND SALES

$300,000 HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE STATE SCHOOL FUND

LANDS BRING GOOD PRICES — 35,000 ACRES SOLD — 2,500,000 ACRES LEFT

From Wednesday's Daily—

As a result of the sale of state lands which ended at Fergus Falls, about $300,000 has been added to the school funds of the state. A little of the land was university or swamp land, but most of the preceeds will be turned into the school fund.

Not so much land was sold as during the sales of last year, but the average price has been better. About 35,000 acres are sold at an average price of $7.50 an acre. The buyers included a large number of men from Iowa, Illinois and Nebraska. Much of the land is excellent grass land and proved rather attractive to the men from other states.

State Auditor Iverson conducted the sale at Fergus Falls Friday and disposed of 340 acres on small offerings. The total amount sold last week was about 8,000 acres and the average price was $10 an acre. The highest price last week was $16.25 for a quarter section in Mille Lac county.

Despite the fact that more than 35,000 acres was disposed of during the last series of sales, the state still has more land than it can easily count, the remaining state land being estimated at 2,500,000 acres. Most of this is not tillable at present, however.

The average amount taken by each purchaser has been about 80 acres. The law prohibits the sale of more than 320 acres to one buyer. It is required that the buyer pay 15 per cent on the day of the sale and interest on the balance to June 1. He can then take forty years to pay the rest with interest at 4 per cent.

The heavy rains in the early part of the summer discouraged many people from looking at the land who might otherwise have been found in the list of buyers.

THE SCHOOL BANK AN INNOVATION

A COMMENDABLE SYSTEM RAPIDLY GROWING IN FAVOR IN MANY TOWNS

The habit of saving is steadily growing as shown not only by the bank reports as published from time to time, but also by the reports of the adoption of Penny Savings by several of the public schools thruout the country. One of the latest cities to consider this method is Sioux City, Iowa, as disclosed in a dispatch the other day as follows:

"Sioux City public schools are likely to adopt the penny savings system now in use in Des Moines and in the cities. Director Henry G. Gardiner is one of the members of the school board who is anxious to instill a spirit of saving into the more than 7,000 little folks who attend Sioux City's public schools. He will write to presidents of penny provident associations in different parts of the country. He intends to find out the inside workings of the plan and present it at the August meeting of the board of education."

FINE WEATHER FOR HAYING

ALL THE FARMERS BUSY—HAY CROP NOT UP TO THE AVERAGE

Practically every farmer in the Red River Valley is busy with the hay harvest. The tame hay in places is a good crop but as a rule is light, and the wild hay is all much lighter than last year, and hay will be hay the coming year.

However the weather has been ideal for putting up hay and all there is will be saved. Some of the farmers are having some trouble in securing necessary help but men will be more plentiful from now on as they are beginning to arrive for the harvest and will work in the hay fields till the grain is ripe.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

MUST HURRY TO GET LAND

NORTHERN PACIFIC RESERVING TRACTS UNDER THE LAND GRANT ACT

WILL NOT SECURE WITHIN 3,000,000 ACRES OF ITS ALLOTMENT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Renewed activity is being shown by the Northern Pacific in locating and securing for itself land to which it is entitled, according to the grants made by the government at the time the charter was issued and at later dates. Employes of the road are visiting the various government land offices and looking up vacant land lying in the vicinity of their line, with a view to securing it for their road.

Officials of the road state that the extensive forest reserves recently set aside by the government in the states of Montana, Idaho and Oregon have so reduced the area of the land from which they expected to make selections that they have felt it necessary to make every effort to secure all they could.

At the time the Northern Pacific was chartered the federal government gave to the road a land grant which embraced every alternate section in a tract extending twenty miles on each side of the line thru the states of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Oregon, and forty miles each side in the then territories of Dakota, Montana, Idaho and Washington. To indemnify the road for any losses which might accrue from the land within the original grant, having already been taken up by settlers, or being set aside for Indian reservations, the road was to be allowed to select an additional strip of land extending ten miles further whenever necessary.

By an act passed May 30, 1870 the grant was extended ten miles more on each side to provide for losses in the original grant between the time it was made and the time the land was surveyed and definitely located.

Still another 10-mile strip was added to the land from which the road might select to make up for losses due to the finding of large tracts of mineral lands within the old grant which the road was prohibited from appropriating.

Under Last Extension

It is under the provisions of this last named extension that employes of the land department of the Northern Pacific are now working to secure more land and it is this activity that has led to a report that the road had been given an additional grant at the last session of congress thru a "joker."

"Up to within the past few years the Northern Pacific has been resting easy in the matter of land believing that with all the land open to it there would be little difficulty in securing all the land to which the road was entitled," said an official today, "but since the western country has been settling up so rapidly and so much land has been set aside by the government for forest reserves and Indian reservations the road has been making strenuous endeavors to locate all the land possible. As it is under the most favorable conditions the road will be some 3,000,000 acres 'shy' on its grant.

REINECKE OUT OF DEMOCRATIC SHEET

CHANGE HAS BEEN MADE IN THE MANAGEMENT OF NEW FARGO PAPER

A. C. Reinecke business manager and father of the News, Fargo's morning democratic daily, has severed his connection with that paper after serving about three weeks. He will enjoy a trip out west after which he will probably return to Grand Forks. C. H. Westbrooke succeeds him as business manager.

MEDICINE MAN WENT INSANE

W. S. Scott a medicine man was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Johnson on a charge of insanity at Grand Forks Saturday. Scott came here from Fargo about July 1. Roomers at his stopping place on South Fourth street complained.

Is It Your Own Hair?

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! Use this splendid hair-food, stop your falling hair, and get rid of your dandruff.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

HEAVY YIELD EARLY GRAIN

NOTHING BUT A CALAMITY WILL PREVENT BIG RETURNS TO FARMERS

LATE SOWN GRAIN NEEDS SOAKING RAIN TO MAKE AN AVERAGE CROP

From Saturday's Daily—

The progress of the crops during the past week has been just fair. The early grain is coming on in excellent shape and is beyond the point where dry weather will affect it and is certain to make a big harvest barring two possible calamities—hot winds during the critical period of filling and maturing, and hail. Nothing outside of these two things can prevent a big yield of all early wheat, oats and barley and the early flax is also a big crop.

During the past week however the late sown grain has not made much progress on account of lack of moisture. A good soaking rain is needed to bring the late grain on to make a fair crop. Late grain will not yield heavily under the most favorable conditions from this time till harvest, but an average yield will result if a good rain falls within a few days.

A careful survey of the conditions in this section the past two days has developed the fact that there are to be found some fields which will yield very poorly, but those are the exception and not the rule.

The coming week will witness the harvesting of a good many barley fields. Several farmers cut small fields this week, and a few harvested their oats, but they were of an exceptionally early variety. The oats and barley cut were all heavy straw and above average yield.

DEPORTED TO RED LAKE FALLS

ASLAK SALVESON MINNESOTA RESIDENT WILL BE TAKEN FROM N. D. ASYLUM

The N. Dakota board of insanity held a meeting yesterday and ordered the removal of Aslak Salveson from the asylum in Jamestown to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Salveson was sent to Jamestown from Grand Forks a few weeks ago. At the time it was thought probable that he was a resident of Minnesota but his condition was such that he could not longer be held in the county jail. The board of control of Minnesota has admitted that Salveson is a resident of Minnesota and Sheriff O. G. Hanson left for Jamestown yesterday to get Salveson and return him to Red Lake Falls.

EIGHT 16 INCH PLOWS BEHIND THRESHER ENGINE

Nels Johnson a farmer near Ada, Norman County has rigged up a set of plows and will do plowing on the wholesale plan this summer. He has arranged a set of four gangs—eight sixteen inch plows—and will use his Advance threshing engine as the motive power. He expects to do considerable plowing during the season and those who know Mr. Johnson know that the work will be first class.

The way to make a girl let you kiss her is to get her to say she won't.

A woman can love a man for loving her, but a man will love a woman because she won't love him.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

LARGEST CROP YET HARVESTED

IS THE OUTLOOK FOR DAKOTAS AND MINNESOTA SAYS JONES

BUSINESS OUTLOOK FOR THE NORTHWEST VERY ENCOURAGING

From Saturday's Daily—

Herschel V. Jones returned to Minneapolis yesterday from the country with word that from present indications the northwest will this year produce the largest all round crop of grain in its history.

"I have traveled over all parts of three states. The prospect is for a good all round crop. There are no sensational features in sight. The crop promises well for wheat, oats and barley, with a possible decrease in flax. Oats and barley will increase considerably over last year and it is reasonable to expect the largest yield of all grains, taken together, the northwest has ever produced. The acreage of all grains is very large. Some new acreage lying in the far west counties will not be very productive but its product will help swell the production total.

"There are great changes taking place in the crop area of the northwest. Counties that a few years ago were large wheat producers have turned almost wholly to other crops and to dairying. On the other hand, counties that a few years ago were giving small averages of spring wheat, due to the natural dryness of the soil, are now heavy producers of durum wheat This crop has been objected to but it it not fair to criticise it as a crop for dry soils. It has its place at that point, but in my judgment it is not adapted to black soils.

"From a business standpoint, I should say everything is very encouraging in the northwest. There will be a few places where crop returns will be small, but, on the whole, the promise is so generally good as almost to warrant the statement that all sections are ready to do business. I believe there is enough produce to move in the northwest to make a car shortage by December."

Despite such assurances as this and the bumper crop prediction by James J. Hill yesterday, the Minneapolis bulls are making good use of whatever bad crop news there is. Today they ran the September wheat price above the dollar line.

George LeCount of Bradley, S. D. who is watching the crop developments in North Dakota for Finley, Barrel & Co., writes:

"There is no use of talking about bushels yet, as much of the wheat is in the blossom. Some of the earliest has the berry well formed, but it is only water yet. The oat crop has suffered the same as wheat, but where the wheat is good, the oats are also good. And if the weather is favorable when they are filling, the grade will be good and some localities will make a heavy yield, but the oat crop in general is poor thru Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Minnesota.'

SOME POOR CROPS IN KITTSON CO.

The St. Vincent New Era is of the opinion that there are some poor crops along the Canadian border, the issue this week containing the following reference to conditions there:

'Mr. Alec[illegible]ner Sr., one of our oldest and most experienced farmers, who was the first white settler in this end of Kittson county, and now lives in the village, after a careful investigation is of the opinion that the grain crop in this section is the poorest for many, many years. The wheat, in many fields will scarcely pay for harvesting and the wild oats in other fields destroy the profit on the crops. Barley, unless heavy rains fall soon, will not be worth cutting the only fair crop is oats.

'It is reported to this office that the Reid farm will plow up 90 acres of barley, Mr. R. W. Griffith 100 acres of barley, Mr. J. Diamond about the same amount, Mr. Alex Turner has cut for feed 18 acres of wheat and many other farmers are plowing up late sown grain. Potatoes will be a lost crop from present appearance."

SMALL FORTUNE IN STATE WOLF BOUNTIES

The state treasury has just sent out a small fortune in checks representing the state bounty for wolves killed in the various counties, the first bounty payment since March and the largest in years. The amount was $13,548.50 of which Marshall county receives $1,567.50 for 244 wolves killed within its borders. The amount covers the killing of 1,265 full grown and 1,357 cub wolves.

EXCURSION TO STATE FARM

BELTRAMI, CLEARWATER AND POLK COUNTY FARMERS GO TO GRAND RAPIDS

WILL THOROLY INSPECT DAIRY AND GRASS GROWING DEPARTMENTS

From Saturday's Daily—

An extra coach was attached to the Duluth train this morning to be used by the Clearwater, Eastern Polk and Beltrami county farmers to go to the State Agricultural Farm at Grand Rapids. The Itasca County Independent refers to the meeting as follows:

"Supt. A. J. McGuire of the state farm is preparing to entertain a large delegation of farmers from Clearwater county to show them the way they do things at the state farm. The Clearwater county farmers have had but little of the advantages in the way of timber and chances to go to work right at their doors which the farmers of this section have had, and consequently they have gone to work on their farms with the result that many have farms opened up which would do credit to much older sections. They have heeded the advice of Mr. McGuire and have gone into dairying and they already have four or five creameries in the county, and are reaping good profits from them right along.

The delegation will consist of farmers from all over Clearwater county and some from Beltrami and Polk counties. They will arrive here on the morning of Saturday the 25th, and will go at once to the state farm where they will be entertained. They will be served with picnic dinner and supper, and will return to their homes on the night train. A very profitable and pleasant time is expected.

FOSSTON SOCIETY OF EQUITY

FARMERS OF FOSSTON VICINITY ORGANIZE FOR MUTUAL PROTECTION

At an enthusiastic meeting held in Fosston Thursday afternoon a local branch of the Society of Equity was formed here with the following officers:

President—Herman Berg.
Vice President—A. Volden.
Sec.-Treas.—Lewis Lohn.

The organizer gave an interesting and convincing talk upon the objects of the society which aims to control if possible the prices of the products of the farm by united action of the farmers, and those not present at that meeting should endeavor to be present next Monday the 27th when the organizer will return and give further information regarding the society and its work.

QUIET SCHOOL ELECTION AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

School election Saturday evening was a very tame affair. There was no opposition to Emil E. Zeh and C. C. Jackson as members and both were re-elected for a term of three years.

The sum of $14,500 was voted for school purposes for the coming year. This is the same amount as was voted last year, but as the valuation is much higher this year the tax rate will be much less.

D. A. DINNIE TAKES HIS HORSES TO FARGO

Mr. D. A. Dinnie will leave for Fargo this evening where he will attend the races during the fair there and watch his fine horses, Nervolla, Jr., and Neurolla go. Mr. Dinnie's horses have been holding their own in every race entered thus far this year and he looks to see them make an excellent showing during the big meet at Fargo.—Minot Optic.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.

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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

ELOPEMENT FROM WARREN

MR. FRANK WITTENSTEN AND MISS NELLE O. CROSS ARE WEDDED

SLIPPED AWAY FROM RELATIVES AND FRIENDS TO CROOKSTON LAST EVENING

From Friday's Daily—

A mild sensation was caused last evening when a message was flashed to relatives in Warren reading.

"We were married here at 7:30 this evening. Going to Maple Lake to spend our honeymoon.—Frank and Nelle."

Last evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian manse in this city, Mr. Frank Wittensten was united in marriage to Miss Nelle O. Cross both of Warren, Rev. Willard S. Ward officiating. The bridal couple was accompanied by Mr. Charles Wattam and Miss Alma M. Langevin, both of this city.

The wedding was the culmination of a romance covering a period of several years, and ending in an elopement to this city last evening, the relatives of neither party suspecting the wedding. The couple boarded the local train from Warren last evening, and drove from the station here directly to the Presbyterian manse. After the ceremony the bridal party was driven to Lundbergs ice cream parlors where refreshments were served. Miss Meda Chesterman played a wedding march and Messrs. Krause, Kelly and Ross Chesterman sang "Be Good to Me Kid" "Why Don't You Spend Something Besides the Evening" and other touching popular songs.

For the edding spread all the flowers available were banked on the table occupied by the bridal party, and all the rice that could be purchased at the restaurants later decorated the hats of the bridal couple who were riced all the way to the Hotel Crookston.

This morning Mr. and Mrs. Wittensten left for Maple Lake where they will spend a week after which they will return to Warren where they will make their future home.

The groom is one of the well known and popular young business men of Warren, son of Chas. Wittensten and is assistant cashier of the Swedish American Bank at that place. He was born and grew to manhood on what was formerly known as the big Irish farm for years the biggest farm in northwestern Polk county, his father later moving to Warren where they have since resided.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Cross of Warren and is a young lady of many accomplishments who has been very prominent in social circles.

The couple will be the recipients of most hearty congratulations from a host of friends thruout the valley where they are well and favorably known.

KROGEN-MARINER WEDDING AT ELDRED

Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the beautiful farm home of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Krogen near Eldred, their daughter Miss Randina Krogen was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Mariner, Rev. Willard S. Ward of this city officiating. There were over 125 guests present and the occasion was a gala one for the entire neighborhood.

The bride wore a beautiful white silk gown with white roses and carried carnations, and wore a beautiful bridal veil with a coronet of roses. Her bridesmaids were Miss Inga Krogen, her sister and Miss Florence Mariner, sister of the groom and the groomsmen were Mr. Halbert C. Boukind and Mr. Mikkel Montrone.

The bride is a most charming young lady and was born and raised in the neighborhood where she was married. Mr. Mariner was born and until a few years ago resided at Shenandoah, Ia., where the happy couple left for last evening to spend a short honeymoon after which they will return to Thorne, N. D., where they will be at home to their friends after September 1st. Mr. Mariner is the agent of the Great Northern at that point.

Following the wedding ceremony yesterday afternoon, a sumptuous wedding dinner was served on the Krogen lawn where a long table was set capable of seating 75 people at once, well known young ladies assisting in serving.

The happy couple were the recipients of a great profusion of beautiful and useful gifts and will be followed to their new home with the best wishes of a great circle of friends.

A woman isn't necessarily industrious because she has a busy tongue.

LEONARD HAS GREAT FIRE

$50,000 WENT UP IN SMOKE IN FIRE STARTED BY LIGHTNING

GENERAL STORE, RESIDENCE, HARNESS SHOP AND OFFICE BUILDING BURNED

From Friday's Daily—

The most disastrous fire in the history of Leonard a village on southwestern branch of the N. P., 25 miles from Fargo occurred yesterday morning when $50,000 went up in smoke on which there is not more than $20,000 insurance. The fire started at 2 p. m. when the Moran, Booos & Porter general store was struck by lightning. The fire was not discovered until 5 o'clock when smoke was seen pouring out of the windows and doors of the two story brick block.

The fire fighting apparatus in the little village is limited and some time was consumed in sounding the alarm and arousing the citizens who were powerless in staying the flames which spread rapidly to the adjoining buildings and it was only by heroic work that the entire village was saved from destruction. Four buildings were totally destroyed including the Moran, Boos & Porter block and a stock of general merchandise valued at about $3,000; the Oakide harness shop valued at about $1,500 and the office of Dr. Sopker valued at $2,000.

DIVORCE GRANTED BY JUDGE WATTS

FREDRICKA LAABS GETS DIVORCE AND ALIMONY FROM EMIL LAABS

Yesterday afternoon in district court the divorce suit of Mrs. Fredricka Laabs against Emil Laabs was tried. Both are former residents of Crookston and now live on a farm in Crookston township northeast of the city. Plaintiff alleged cruel and inhuman treatment. alleging that her husband had knocked her down several times, cutting her lip with his fist, and had chopped in the door with an ax on one occasion. The defense did not fight the granting of the divorce strenuously, but objected to alimany.

Judge Watts granted the divorce, with $250 alimony and cost of the suit. J. H. Maybury represented the plaintiff and H. W. Stark the defendant.

LATEST NEWS OF SCIENCE

In the ceded portion of the Fort Hall Reservation in Idaho engineers of the United States geological survey have found valuable deposits of copper, gold and silver.

A Chicagoan has patented a folding hand miror which a traveler can place outside a car window and see both ahead and to the rear of the train without placing his head in jeopardy.

The United States has 1,160,965 miles of telegraph lines against 461,036 miles in Germany 402,371 miles in the Russian empire, 391,275 miles in France, and 386,353 miles in Great Britain.

The vaccination of cattle in Germany against the blackleg a fatal disease, which has become general in recent years, is proving efficacious, but three deaths in five years having been reported.

The national architectural exhibition to be held at New York in September will include all departments of that art, including engineering, painting, sculpture and craftsmanship.

In spite of the federal court's decision, Standard Oil is still in danger of a fine of at least $36,000 in that Alton case, and it is not yet out of the woods.

COULD NOT WALK FOR FOUR MONTHS

Mass of Itching, Burning Humor on Ankles—Feet Fearfully Swollen—Opiates Alone Brought Sleep—Many Treatments Failed but.

TORTURES OF ECZEMA YIELDED TO CUTICURA

"Cuticura Remedies are all you claim them to be. I had eczema for over two years. I had two physicians, but they only gave me relief for a short time and I cannot enumerate the ointments and lotions I used to no purpose. My ankles were one mass of sores. The itching and burning were so intense that I could not sleep. I could not walk for nearly four months. One day my husband said I had better try the Cuticura Remedies. After using them three times, I had the best night's rest in months unless I took an opiate. I used one set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and my ankles healed in a short time. It is now a year since I used Cuticura, and there has been no return of the eczema.

"I had a small lump in the corner of my eye for over a year which was very painful and got larger all the time. I thought I would try Cuticura Soap and Ointment on it, and now it is gone. I am seventy-three years old and have lived on the farm I now occupy for twenty-seven years. Cuticura Remedies are the safest and most reliable I have ever used for all skin humors. Mrs. David Brown, Locke, Crawford Co., Ark., May 18 and July 13, 1907."

DISFIGURED

For Life Is the Despairing Cry of Thousands

Of skin-tortured and disfigured victims of humors, eczemas, tetters, and rashes, who have tried and found wanting many remedies, and who have lost faith in all. To such Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills appeal with irresistible force. They are absolutely pure, sweet, gentle, and wholesome. They afford immediate relief in the most distressing cases, and point to a speedy cure when all else fails.

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☞Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

ADVERTISING PAID ANDERSON

MIDDLE RIVER FARMER GETS A WIFE BY ADVERTISING IN A PAPER

Daniel Anderson living five miles south of town, advertised in a Scandinavian paper for a wife, On Monday of this week, in answer to his ad., a woman came up from Minneapolis and went home with Mr. Anderson who is a widower whose housekeeping has heretofore been done by his sixteen-year old daughter. We are told that this is the second offense of this kind for Mr. Anderson, as he last summer advertised for a wife and a woman came and sized the situation up but did not stay. There's great virtue in advertising and the man who sticks everlastingly at it is bound to get what he goes after.—Middle River Pioneer.

FOSSTON TO HAVE A NEW LIVERY BARN

The Thill brothers and a force of other carpenters commenced work Tuesday upon Wm. Cameron's new barn at Fosston to be used for livery purposes and as a feed barn.

The structure is to be 44 feet wide by 100 feet in depth and fitted with all modern improvements.

Mr. Cameron expects to be able to occupy the barn in about two weeks as the work upon same is being pushed rapidly.

Harmony Creamery Burns.

Harmony, Minn., July 18.—Fire destroyed the Harmony creamery yesterday. Some of the machinery and stock was saved. The total loss was about $2,000.

Dies in Carriage.

Little Falls, Minn., July 18.—P. H. Newman, one of the best known horse dealers in the state, died yesterday afternoon from heart trouble while driving.

Falls Dead From Heat.

Chaska, Minn., July 18. — August Hanke, a laborer working for the city, fell dead from sunstroke.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST BANK IN NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

From Over The Valley

RED LAKE COUNTY HAS SOME NICE CLOVER

M. O. Sortedahl had on display Tuesday a bunch of clover raised on the Wm. Vague farm in Popular River. There were twenty-one stems measuring four feet on one root, while another measured five feet and one inch. The yield is encouraging to Mr. Vague as it shows well for the county as a clover section. Considering that this has been a dry year this is indeed a remarkable exhibit and at that is only one of a possible hundred fields of clover in this near vicinity. All farm products have done well this year and our rural friends are more than pleased with their crop prospects.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

DEATH OF PROMINENT EAST COUNTY LADY

Mrs. Albert Holn., of Garden who went to Grand Forks last week to undergo an operation, died under the surgeon's knife on Tuesday, this week Mrs. Holm underwent an operation a few months ago and it is thought that her constitution was greatly weakened and caused the second opation to prove fatal. Mrs. Holm is the daughter of H. B. Hogenson. rural mail carrier on route No. 1 and prior to her marriage about five years ago to Mr. Holm attended the high school at this place. She was highly respected by all who knew her —Fertile Journal.

WARREN TOOK SECOND AT WINNIPEG FAIR

In the band contest at the Winnipeg fair, the Warren band, which was made up partly of Crookston and Argyle players was awarded second prize, altho the markings as announced in the Winnipeg Free Press would easily give them first place. The second prize was $300. The boys all had a good time and speak in the highest terms of the treatment afforded them by the management of the fair. James Heng of the Crookston band strengthened the Warren Band materially.

YOUNG LADY SUFFERS A PAINFUL ACCIDENT

The fourteen year old daughter of Mr. Killstadius who resides twelve miles north of Bagley in the town of Eddy, met with a serious mishap last Sunday. Mr. Killstadius, was driving home with his family when the conveyance struck a stump, jolting it so severely that the young lady was thrown out upon the ground, fracturing and dislocating the elbow of her left arm. She was taken to Dr. Bjorneby who dressed the injury.

LAKE SARAH IS A GOOD FISHING PLACE

Carl Miller with his auto, accompanied by S. S. Stadsvold, Dr. R. B. Foster and Gust Nordus of Fosston, went to Lake Sarah south of Erskine last Tuesday afternoon to learn more about the story of there being black bass in those unfrequented waters, and—they found it to be true, bringing a three pounder home with them to verify any such statement that might be made about it hereafter.

EXPECTS TO FIX UP THE TROUBLES

H. A. Kesler who was brought back from Cincininati on a charge of defalcation of his accounts as agent for the Northern Pacific at Valley City says he will be able to straighten out the discrepancies when he has an opportunity to go over the books. He avers he has been charged up with a lot of money he never had.

THIEF RIVER FALLS CREAMERY REPORT FOR JUNE

Amount of cream received, 81754 pounds.

Average test, 28.10.

Amount of butterfat, 23051 pounds.

Price paid 24 cents.

About 5,000 pounds more butterfat than in the corresponding month in 1907.

Number of patrons, 194.

Butter shipped $5810.52
Sales at Creamery 353.85

Total.. ... ...$6164.37
Paid patrons $5532.24
Paid into expense fund ... 632.13

Total $6164.37

Strip Station: Amount of cream 8833 lbs.; Average test 31.4; amount of butterfat, 2673.5.

Stone Station: Amount of cream 3925 lbs; average test 32; amount of butterfat 1255.1.

FERTILE CREAMERY PAYS OUT $6,000 FOR JUNE

The Fertile creamery paid its patrons for the month of June $5,864.53 being at the rate of 22 cents per pound for butter fat. This is the largest amount ever paid to the patrons in one month since the creamery was organized in April, 1901. The creamery has had a steady increase of business ever since it started in business, adding to its plant as the business demanded, but it has again outgrown the buildings and the officers are talking of building a new creamery next year which will be a model of its kind.

The creamery has made since January 1, 1908, 88,700 pounds of butter or over 44 tons.

STATE PRISON TWINE IS SELLING WELL

Almost the entire ouput of the Stillwater prison twine plant for the season of 1908 has been sold to members of clubs and small dealers, a goodly part going to individual farmers direct. The plant will be run over time until the 1st of August to supply as far as possible the farmers of the northwest. There are 354,000 pounds on hand.

Warden Wolfer has returned from a trip into the Red River Valley and reports the crop prospects in that region to be very satisfactory. A few localities are in need of rain, but no damage has yet been done.

SNEAK THIEF SENSATION AT MINOT, N. D.

Minot has a sneak thief sensation with two girls of 9 and 11 years as the culprits. Over five hundred dollars' worth of fine dress goods and other valuables stolen from stores have been located in the homes of the youngsters and their parents as well as the children are under arrest. The police are waiting for somebody to dig up.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY AT ERSKINE

A branch of the American Society of Equity was organized at Erskine last Monday afternoon by C. O. Drayton and another meeting will be held here next Wednesday, July 29 to complete the organization. Branch societies have also been started at Fosston, McIntosh and Winger.

Rev. I. W. Williams Testifies

Rev. I. W. Williams, Huntington. W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Kidney Remedy will do all that you claim for it." Sold by all druggists.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Those "merry widow" hats would make fine circular saws. In Charles Ohio, one of em blew off the head of a careless young thing, and rolling madly down the street cut off a dog's tail, pared a slice from the handle of the town pump, and making a dash along the hitching pole near the public square cut the tie strap of 47 teams, liberating them for one of the maddest runaway mixups the place has ever experienced. The hat then fell over on the crown part and set to spinning until it wore a large hole in the pavement and completely disappeared. The next morning an oil well spouted up where the hat went down and the mayor sent to Chicago by telegraph for four dozen merry widow hats to be used in oil well prospecting. — Western Publisher.

A young man called on his sweetheart at her Houston Avenue home the other night to take her out for a drive, but when the stunningly attired girl saw the horse and rig which he had selected with the greatest of care at one of the liveries, she feigned a headache and explained she could not go.

"Why don't you go?" asked the astonished mother, after the young man sadly departed.

"What a question to ask, mother!" exclaimed the girl. "How could I go out driving when the horse he had didn't match a single thing I had to wear?"

When a woman does it at home she calls it the "wash" but when she sends it down town she calls it the "laundry".

FAKE SCHOOLS OF CORRESPONDENCE

TWO SMOOTH GRAFTERS GET OVER $2,000 IN STORY COUNTY, IA. —SCHEMES TO GET MONEY EASILY—SIMILAR SCHEMES HAVE BEEN WORKED IN POLK CO.—BEWARE OF CROOKS WHO HAVE CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL AND READING CLUB — WARNING FROM SUPT. CASEY

Two smooth grafters worked the teachers of Story county, Iowa, recently for a course of study to be pursued in the home together with a reading club to be located at Ames.

Supt. Casey says the same scheme is being worked to some extent in Polk county and warns all teachers and students to beware of the graft.

Regarding it an exchange publishes the following under date of March 14, 1904:

"What promises to prove an extensive swindle came to light in Ames yesterday. The alleged fraud numbers as its victims two hundred school ma'ams of Story county. Two silver tongued grafters secured the signatures of two hundred county teachers to notes of $12.50 in payment or membership in Ames by the National Reading club next summer. The members were to receive ten books besides a course of studies. The smooth agents had secured the recommendations of County Supt. Welty, which they used in roping their victims in. The swindlers discounted the notes at the banks for $11.50 clearing up $2,300 and decamping. The swindle was first suspected when it was found that the notes were altered from a year's time to sixty day notes."

County Supt. Cobb when speaking of the fraud perpetrated in Story county, said it was surprising that the public can be worked by people who sell courses of study and represent the National Reading Club. The business itself is not well established and there are doubts whether members could gain material advantage even if the companies carried out their contracts. In this connection it may be interesting to read the following article sent out by a school man from Montevideo, Minnesota:

It is singular in this day of free schools and free libraries in every township and city that schemes may be worked successfully under a pretence to promulgate education. However, such is the case and some of the people in this county are paying dearly in the school of experience, of which it is said that "fools will learn in no other." The scheme is to make young people believe they need not attend schools and colleges to get an education, but instead may buy memberships in a school of correspondence and get any kind of an education, wanted at home without paying railroad fare to and from college and a board bill at the dormitory It is immaterial whether the education wanted is to be professional or mechanical, whether the courses to pursued are scientific, pedagogical, literary or philosophical. In fact there is a balm for all in Gilead, no matter how dense the ignorance of the person who will part with his money, in order to obtain a membership in the organization that professes to spread its light of wisdom.

There are companies in Chicago, Philadelphia and other cities in this country that promote these so-called schools, and in order to secure patronage send out a class of shrewd men and women to make people believe that a course of study followed in this way can be pursued and good results obtained no matter how poorly the student is prepared in the common branches.

CORRESPONDENCE

SHERACK

H. C. Misner was up from the Queen City one day last week looking over his farm interests here.

Mrs. H. Fieman of Euclid and Mrs. Geo. O'Rielly of Crookston enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mrs. G. H. Horn one day last week.

Miss Rose Kotek spent Sunday evening with her friend Miss Alma Horn.

John Vavina made a flying trip to Grand Forks last Saturday afternoon on his bicycle, where he attended to some important business matters.

Adolph Horn spent last Sunday in Euclid.

M. Sullivan the ditch contractor has nearly finished his work on the new ditch.

Mrs. G. H. Horn and son Adolph drove to Grand Forks last Tuesday on a shopping trip.

Paul Byington who enjoyed a several weeks' visit with friends and relatives around here returned last Wednesday to his home at Lemmon S. D., where he is an employee on the Milwaukee road.

Annual school meeting was held last Saturday evening in school district 30. The officers elected are as follows: G. H. Horn, clerk; Simon Aeschlimann, director; John Gerber treasurer.

Ernst Hohl called at the Giese home last Sunday evening.

David Gerber manager of the Key stone baseball team passed thru this vicinity in his auto last Monday evening.

Ludolph Giese drove to Euclid last Saturday after a load of lumber for his new house.

F. Fieman spent last Sunday with his family at Euclid.

The Misses Helen and Lula Riedesel who have been visiting with their friend Miss Louise Tiedemann for a few weeks returned to their home at Crookston last Thursday.

Quite a number of the Euclidites attended the picnic at Key Stone last Wednesday. All seemingly enjoyed themselves.

The Euclid baseball team drove over to Key Stone last Wednesday and played the team there. The score was in favor of Euclid. The Key West team has of course been recently organized and has not yet had much practice but they will never stand a show when Euclid is in sight.

Adolph Horn who has been suffering with a badly poisoned eye and who has been under the care of Dr. Dryden of Euclid returned home last Friday very much improved.

Miss Irena Goosen, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goosen, was taken suddenly ill last Thursday evening. Dr. Dryden was called to see her and she is improving nicely at present.

G. H. Horn of Key Stone and Mr. Leslie Stinson of Grand Forks returned last Friday from Canada where they attended the fair which was held at Winnipeg. The fair is reported to have been very good and Mr. Horn says "Winnipeg is all right."

Miss Rose Kotek called on the Misses Tillie and Bessie Brantl last Tuesday.

Wedding bells are still chiming in the distance and the happy ones will soon appear.

Mrs. B. Tiedemann is the proud possesser of one of the finest gardens in the northwest. Mr. J. W. Barrs receives the praise of all those who view his magnificent piece of work.

Will Vanek called on G. H. Horn and family last Tuesday evening. Mr. Vanek is a wide-awake and up-to-date farmer.

LOCKHART

Geo. Mayer shipped stock to St. Paul Saturday night.

W. E. Casselman took in the Jenkins sale east of Ada last Saturday.

Frank Hassel and C. L. Lewis received each for June cream $70. A check like that makes a farmer feel good.

Aug Erickson was re-elected to serve on the school board Saturday night The district voted to paint the school house inside and out, and to have an eight months' term of school.

Haying is well under way and harvest will begin soon. Winter wheat and winter rye will soon be ready to cut, and these will be followed by early oats. So farmers will soon be busy.

A number of the young people met at the home of D. J. Manus last Wednesday evening for a surprise party. This was intended for a farewell to Misses Steffler and Manus—one of whom has already gone to her home and the other will leave soon. The guests spent a pleasant evening.

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of Crookston, Minnesota.

From our Exchanges

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Mrs. J. P. Easton came up from Warren on Monday to visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Stuhr.

Miss Jennie Craik who is studying for a trained nurse in the hospital at St. Peter came home on Friday to spend a couple of weeks' vacation.

Ole Field of the Grafton livery came over on Tuesday with his 32-horse power Rambler. His load consisted of seven persons, six sisters and a priest from Grafton.

The Argyle creamery shipped forty five tubs of butter this week which it is said is the largest shipment of any creamery on the line.

A. Michaelson went down to Crookston this week to have his eyes treated by a specialist. Mr. Michaelson has had considerable trouble with his eyes of late.

H. P. Krogh left Sunday evening for Black River, Wis., where he will attend the "home coming" of all the old settlers of that place. It is 19 years since Mr. Krogh left there. Mr. O. L. Melgaard left Tuesday evening for the same place.

ADA
(Herald)

H. M. Hunting received a letter from Congressman Steenerson stating that his pension had been increased to $15 per month.

Mrs. Jake Brown and daughter Mrs. Haner, arrived here last Friday morning from Red Wing on a three weeks visit with relatives.

Mesdames A. G. Jacobson of Crookston and Charles Jacobson, of Grand Forks, and children are visiting relatives and friends here.

The annual picnic of the Congregational Sunday school was held at Neukom's grove yesterday. There was a large attendance.

Clerk of Court Semling last Thursday issued a marriage license to Martin Sandmark and Miss Mathilda Swenson of Shelly. The wedding occurred in this city the same day, Rev. Hinderlie performed the ceremony.

Martin Melberg arrived here from Fargo last Thursday evening with the new International high wheel auto which will be used in the Holte Melberg livery.

NORTH DAKOTA MILITIA GOES TO WASHINGTON

Orders have been issued from the office of Adjutant General Tom Poole to several companies of the N. D. N. G. over the state for the encampment and maneuvers which will be held at American Lake, Wash., next month and while Company B has not received its orders, it is possible that it will leave over the Northern Pacific railroad on August 13 or 14. The North Dakota troops will be about 1,700 miles from home and will be in camp for 14 days. Some of the companies will leave their home stations over the N. P. and some over the G. N. railroad and special reduced transportation has been secured from the railroad companies.

The trouble with good resolutions is the people who have to make them are the people who can never keep them.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Rev. Buckner who had been here conducting revival services, left Monday for Crookston and from there goes to St. Vincent.

Misses Julia and Agnes Peterson of Crookston who had been in the city visiting their uncle, Leonard Peterson returned Monday evening to Crookston.

Mrs. James the domestic science teacher at the summer school, wishes to announce that she is willing to assist any of the ladies of Thief River Falls who are making preparations to exhibit cooking or preserves at the county fair. She will be in the city all o. next week.

The arrest and trial of Policeman Frank Chittick, charged with assaulting Herman Ohm attracted considerable attention last week and, while in the eyes of some it was considered a matter of tremendous importance to a large majority of our citizens it was looked upon as being one of the most foolish cases ever tried in court. Contrary to the belief of most everyone, Mr. Chittick was found guilty and fined $5 and costs, amounting in all to over $50. Mr. Chittick has appealed his case to the district court and it is quite probable that he will win there.

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Hazel Hanson of Crookston is here visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. A. Gregerson departed Sunday for a visit to relatives at Crookston and vicinity.

Johnny Ramaley of Joplin, Mo., arrived here Saturday on a visit to his uncle George Kronschabel.

Miss Bertha Bolstad and Miss Julia Bolstad are visiting friends and relatives at Crookston and McIntosh this week.

The statement of the First State Bank of Fertile published in this issue shows deposits of $242,177.61 an increase of $9,498.84 since May 6th, 1908.

Ole P. Onstad of Maple Bay was a Fertile visitor Tuesday. Mr. Onstad, who is president of the Maple Bay Cheese Factory Association informs us that the factory is having a splendid run this season. During the month of June over $1200 was paid out to patrons for milk. The cheese turned out is an exceedingly fine article and finds a ready market.

Considerable interest was manifested in the school meeting Saturday night by our people. Two tickets were in the field and considerable enthusiasm was worked up by both sides. A. L. Hovland was re-elected on the board for three years, Brown Duckstad for a term of three years and E. B. Gustafson was chosen to fill the unexpired term of the late David Vannet. About 150 votes were cast.

Jacobson can be elected without any corrupt deals and he would not take an office acquired by any such means.

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The Faith Cure in Business

E. C. Simmons of St. Louis, president of the National Prosperity association announces that in the St. Louis district, where, since June 1, some 26,000 men have been re-employed, 12,000 more that are now idle will be taken back August 1.

When the National Prosperity association was organized it made public its intention of getting out of the public mind the notion that conditions in this country were other than prosperous. While it had a definite working plan and the financial standing of the men behind gave substance to it, interest in it was held largely because of the use in connection with its activities of the "faith cure" argument. "Nothing is the matter with the country," was the statement upon which it built its house of hope. Just get the people over the notion that they are not prosperous, and very soon the wheels will turn again and the black smoke will come out of the big chimneys.—Minneapolis Journal.

The association, when it sent its representative to Washington to present its idea of how to set things right, came in for some share of ridicule. Nevertheless, men, today, are actually going back to work and conditions are improving.

We expect to see great capital made of this. Faith will move mountains. No one doubts that thinking you are all right, helps to make you right.

We expect then to see the cold-blooded statistical high-brow, with financial history ready on tap, come forward with a sneer and show that it was the obvious thing that conditions should improve at this time. Such argument would show that history is but repeating; that it is just as natural conditions should pick up as that a strong healthy man should get up again after he has fallen down; that the political situation and the monetary outlook all warrant preparation for better times ahead; that, if the National Prosperity association never had been heard of, just as many men would be going back to work today, and that what may be made to look like a wonderful case of faith cure, is really but a case of being able to see that what happened in former years would happen again, and getting in just ahead of it with an association ready to claim credit for having brought it about.

After all, it makes little difference. Whether we are asked to believe that an association of business men, by saying that things are right, can make them right, or whether we are witnessing the grabbing of credit for achievement by an association entitled, by virtue only, of having made a loud noise when it saw it coming, the fact remains that conditions are much better, prosperity is on the way with steady march, and that is all we care about, after all.

Electricity Scores Again

Electricity as a motive power, which Mayor Busse has urged should be used on the trains entering Chicago to do away with smoke of locomotives, has just scored a new triumph in being instituted for steam in the longest submarine tunnel in the world This is the St. Clair tunnel under the river connecting the United States and Canada at Port Huron, Michigan and Sarnia, Ontario.

This is on the direct line from Chicago to eastern Canada, on the Grand Trunk railroad and the first electric locomotives have already been put into service at the tunnel on trains running to and from that city. The electrification of the tunnel marks a great step in the progress of the electrical science as applied to transportation. The mighty steam moguls which used to handle trains thru the tunnel have been replaced by compact, powerful electric engines driven by 250 horse power alternating current motors. The frames of the novel locomotives are similar to those of steam moguls on the frame there being a cab of structural steel provided with doors at each end and each side. The engines are built as two units, each with three driving wheels, and these units can be coupled up to one when desired, with free passage thru the doors from one section to another.

Inside the cab is the electrical equipment. Practically the entire operations connected with the running of the trains are carried on by electricity. A motor-driven air compressor is installed in the cab and supplies compressed air not only for the operation of the brakes on the engine and the train service but also for the working of the various devices on the locomotive for which compressed air is used, including the operation of the trolley bow and the electrically controlled switches, the ringing of the bell, the sanding of the track and the setting of the circuit breakers. The tunnel has been in existence about fifteen years and is now one of the most important gateways of traffic between Canada and the United States, and hereafter will be one of the smokeless ones.

When a man has an excuse for going downtown every night it's a pretty sure sign that he is married to the wrong woman.

A woman's idea of a good husband is one who says it costs him less to be married than it used to cost to be a bachelor.

STATE PRESS

Cheer up Joel

A casual reading of that interesting paper, the Northfield News, leads to the suspicion that Bro. Heatwole is not entirely, wholly and unreservedly pleased with the action of the recent republican state convention. Of course it is somewhat annoying to have some thousand odd delegates disagree with Joel P., but he has been in the game long enough to know that the public has mighty little interest in the sore toe of a politician. Brace up and cheer up, Joel, and you will be a heap happier and more useful.—St. Cloud Journal-Press.

Only a Ripple in Minnesota

Providence has been generous to those living in the northwest. They were not aware that they are in a "Slough of Despond." The farmers and merchants all are enjoying the bounty acquired during years of plenty and thrift. Their prosperity has too much depth to be seriously affected by surface disturbances. The wave that engulfed Wall Street last fall was nothing more than a ripple when its effect reached Minnesota. — Bemidji Pioneer.

And sometimes a man gets married in order to have some one to believe his talk.

Learn a Trade

It is not a crime to be without a trade but it comes pretty near it. The records of American prisons show that the overwhelming majority of our criminals are young men. They show, moreover that about 75 per cent of felons are untrained in any honest and useful trade. In our reformatories more than 90 per cent have never learned a trade.—Aitkin Age.

Continue to Discontinue

Newspapers in various sections of the country continue to discontinue because the merchants in the towns where they are published use the short-sighted policy of refusing to advertise when business is dull. The time to go after business with advertising is when business is a laggard and not when you have more of it than you can handle.—Anoka Herald.

Get a Move On

Kennedy will please get a move on. Hallock is getting ahead on the count for candidates for county offices. It is a base calumny to say they have used up all the men folk and had to trot out the ladies.—St. Vincent New Era.

From Over The Valley

UNITED SWEDISH SONS TO BAR LIQUOR MEN

The Swedish Sons of America today decided to hold their next national convention at Milwaukee, Wis. A uniform per capita tax of sixty cents for each six months was agreed upon. Hereafter liquor dealers will be debarred from joining the order.

REVIVE STEAMBOATING ON THE RAGING RED

Neche, N. D., people got it into their heads that there was to be a steamer excursion from Grand Forks to Winnipeg during the Winnipeg fair. A local joker blew a big horn one morning and most of the population got up to see the steamer come in.

IS DIVORCED AT AGE OF EIGHTY FIVE YEARS

Peter Martin residing at Devils Lake aged 85 years was granted a divorce from his wife, this week. So far as known Mr. Martin holds the records in this judicial district as to age in divorce proceedings. While he has many years since passed the three score and ten mark, he still maintains the vigor and energy of a man of sixty. He is the father of nineteen children.

EAST GRAND FORKS PASTOR LEAVES CITY

Rev. C. F. Bronson and family left East Grand Forks last evening for Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where they will stay for some time, at least until both Mr. and Mrs. Bronson regain their health. During his pastorate in the Mendenhall Memorial church of that city, Mr. Bronson has made many friends and would have liked to continue his work in this field but Nature ordained otherwise. Ever since coming to that city the health of members of the family has been very poor and this fact finally forced the change of climate. Mr. Bronson has not decided where he will preach after leaving Sault Ste. Marie, but his services are in demand and he will doubtless be well situated in a short time.

The fewer creditors a man has the easier it is for him to look the world in the face.

IRON ORE REPORTED IN NORMAN COUNTY

A fine quality of iron ore is said to have been found not many feet below the surface at Lockhart, Norman county. The vein is said to extend all along the northern edge of the county.

CHILD FATALLY CUT BY BINDER CYCLE

While cutting barley on his farm near Cayuga, N. D., Wenzel Ariz ran into his little son, aged three years, who lay sleeping in the tall grass and the sickle inflicted injuries that will likely prove fatal. The cries of the child told him of the accident. Doctors found that half of the right thigh had been cut off, taking flesh and muscle and leaving the bone bare, the left knee was laid open and the flesh torn from the bone of the left arm is broken and the wrist is cut half off. The child lives, but there are slight hopes of its recovery and he will be crippled for life.

RACY DOINGS IN EASTERN CLAY COUNTY

Eastern Clay county is keeping up its record for unsavory cases, and comes forward now with a defamation case from Goose Prairie township. Alvin Wenner champions the cause of his wife, Olga Wenner, whom one Hans M. Jacobson is said to have openly and criminally stated to have been far from virtuous before her marriage, citing certain specific acts which Jacobson thinks proves his statement. The parties to the action appeared before Judge Malloy but owing to the delay in arrival of the trains from the east, the hearing did not progress very far. It is on this afternoon, County Attorney C. G. Dosland representing the state and Sharp & Chapin representing Jacobson. The case excites a great deal of interest in the locality in which the parties reside.—Moorhead News.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY STONE

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Koch arrived from Fremont, Illinois, last Saturday and are calling on their many friends here.

Mrs. John Gerber and daughter Clara and Matilda returned last Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with friends and relatives at West Bend, Iowa. Mrs. Gerber reports that the corn will need a late fall to ripen. They also had plenty of rain in that part.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Alt of Stephen drove down last Saturday to spend Sunday with friends and relatives. Mr. Alt is a brother of Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann.

Rev. Hartman of Washington, Ill., Mr. T. Hohulinn and son, Miss Sophia Steiner and Miss Rosa Heutte of Morris, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zeltwenger and daughter Minnie, of near Euclid, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann and John Gerber and family visited at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Thursday.

Miss Bessie Brantl was visiting with friends near Angus last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Alt, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann and Mr. and Mrs. D. Wiles took dinner at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deenis of Ottawa, Illinois were transacting business here last week.

Little Matilda Gerber was sick with the Dutch measles several days last week.

Hay making has been started in many localities and the farmers are all busy. The clerk of the weather is certainly sending them carloads of haying weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann Mr. and Mrs. Christ Alt and Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann visited with Carl Zeltwenger last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Giese drove to Euclid last Sunday.

KEY WEST

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Koch from Fremont, Ill., are visiting the Key Stone farm this week.

Mrs. John Capes and Mrs. J. Beveridge spent Friday with Mrs. Chas. Harrington in Grand Forks.

Mrs. James Stewart and Mrs. Morrison drove to Grand Forks last Wednesday.

The wedding reception given by Mr. and Mrs. James Lee at the Key West hall last Friday evening was well attended and a very pleasant evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Lee received many handsome presents. An elegant luncheon was served after which the young people enjoyed dancing until morning.

Miss Hattie Davidson who has been visiting friends in this vicinity, left for home last Friday.

Mr. D. Geddiz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ehnen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine and Mr. Wm. Clint visited the Key Stone farm last Sunday.

Miss Tiny Lee visited near Mallory over Sunday.

Mr. Chas. Harrington called at John Beveridge's a couple of days this week.

In Danger.

Women should be careful how they remain in the same room with a spider. Their only safety lies in flight, and if there is a table in the way the proper thing for them to do is to jump over it and not take chances.

Spiders, although they appear to be small in size, are really desperate creatures. They have been known to eat a lady up at a single mouthful and, not satisfied with that, to begin at once looking for more.

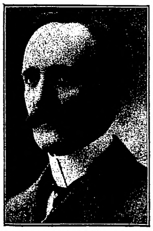
When a lady sees one of these dangerous monsters in the far corner of the room ready to spring on her and devour her right then and there, if there are no police in sight that she can call she should steal stealthily from the room and wait on the front porch until her husband arrives. He will save her. Spiders, being particular in their taste, do not eat men.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

George J. Fiaten
Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.



Hugh R. Robertson
Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15. 1908

War Against Consumption

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

A man can always be enthusiastic about the cook's meals if he has plenty to drink with them.

Eric O. Hagen
Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

John W. Sandberg
Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson
Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

D. D. Horton
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary election Sept 15, 1908.

Save $600 to $1,000 on a Threshing Outfit

Write Today for Big Free Thresher Book and Wonderful Factory-to-User Offer

Threshermen everywhere are saving hundreds of dollars by taking advantage of our wonderful offer which is fully explained in the book.

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They are doing their own threshing when most convenient, and are making big money around home after their own threshing is done.

We can't tell you in this ad how liberal our offer is, but it is such a big opportunity that every Farmer, every Thresherman should get our Free Book and learn fully what it means to them whether they ever thought of owning a Threshing Outfit or not.

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10% to 15% More Grain

One single patent—our Oscillating Device—puts 10 to 15 per cent more grain into your bins. This amount is wasted—carried out unthreshed in the straw with other separators. This device works on the principle of the old-fashioned flail, 250 strokes a minute. It gets out every kernel of the grain. Flax is not crushed and timothy seed is not hulled. What would it mean to you in dollars to get 10 to 15 per cent more grain each season? Yet this is but a single patented feature of the famous Winneshiek Separator.

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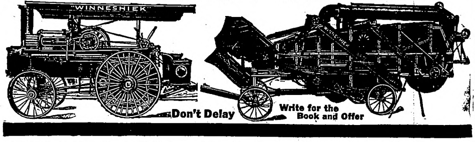
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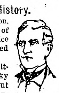
NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY.

July 26 In History.


J. J. Crittenden.

1739—George Clinton, "signer," governor of New York and vice president, born; died 1812.

1863—John Jordan Crittenden, the Kentucky statesman, an ardent supporter of Lincoln's administration, died; born 1787.

1904—Russian warships seized the British steamer Chalcas off Japan and the British steamer Formosa in the Red sea.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:17, rises 4:48; moon rises 8:56 a. m.; moon's age, 29 days; planet Mercury visible low in east.

LOST FINE COLT—Bert Anderson a well known farmer of Fairfax lost a fine colt 4 years old Saturday from a fever which resembled typhoid fever in the human being. The animal was a very fine one and the loss is a material one.

UNDER THE WEATHER—R. E. Smith the prominent Fairfax farmer has been under the weather for the past few days but is on the mend now.

INSPECTING CASS LAKE EXCHANGE—Manager Bracelin left this morning for Cass Lake where he will spend a day looking over the telephone exchange at that place, which is under the immediate supervision of Manager Chas. A. Bang of the Bemidji exchange.

RENNE AFTER OFFICE—Peter Renne formerly in the restaurant business in this city has filed for the nomination of clerk of court in Clearwater Co., on the republican ticket. Mr. Renne is now a resident of Shevlin where he is clerking in Iver Krohn's store.

A godly portion of the Red River Valley was well drenched by fine rains Saturday and Sunday.

Yesterday morning and afternoon Kittson County and portions of Marshall county had a heavy downpour which thoroly soaked the ground and infinite good will result to all the late sown grain.

The people of Crookston were treated last evening to the most thrilling run-away which has occurred in Crookston for many years, and that the five young ladies were not dashed to death or badly crippled is nothing but a miracle. As it was they all escaped with a few scratches and minor bruises.

The double rig, hired from the Laliberte stable, contained Misses Caroline Quist, who was driving, Emma Brandt, Annie Olson, Tessie O'Neale and Peterson. In driving to the city from the experimental farm, the driver of an automobile came up behind them frightening the team into a run.

When a man takes pride in having people think he is well off it's because he isn't.

The way a girl likes to be kissed best is the way she pretends she doesn't.

From Tuesday's Daily

July 27 In History.

1777—Thomas Campbell, poet, born; died 1844.

1883—Montgomery Blair, postmaster general in Lincoln's cabinet, died; born 1813.

1907—United States Senator Edmund W. Pettus of Alabama died; born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:16, rises 4:49; moon rises 4:48 a. m.; moon's age, 29½ days; 2:16 a. m., eastern time, new moon; 1 p. m., planet Venus apparently stationary; 7 a. m., planets Mercury and Neptune in conjunction, passing each other; Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; Neptune always invisible to naked eye; possible Delta Aquarid meteors in east after 11 p. m.

CUTBANK MERCHANT—Harry Halvorsen of Cutbank, Mont., arrived from St. Paul this a. m., where he had been attending the Shriners' meeting. He will spend a couple of days here visiting with his brother. A. Halvorson and wife. Mr. Halvorsen is one of the leading merchants of Cutbank.—Minot Optic.

BOTH SIDES EDITOR—H. M. Gann formerly a resident of this city but now on the road part of the time and the rest in the editorial chair of Both Sides at Minneapolis is visiting with the Crookston subscribers.

WERE AT PEG—Mrs. Carl Peterson and her sister Miss Hellick were the guests yesterday of Mrs. H. O. Anderson. They were enroute from Winnipeg to Oberon, N. D., where they reside.

BACK TO WORK—George Manning after a three weeks' seige of illness brought on by stomach troubles is again back at the old place in Bakken's confectionery store. Miss Hattie Schraeder assisted Mr. Bakken during George's illness.

WALKER HAS CONTRACT—W. E. Walker has the contract to build the fine new school house at Angus and will go up with a crew at once and start on same. That territory ought to be very familiar to Mr. Walker as he had most all the contracts to build the claim holders' houses in the town of Angus and Euclid way back in 1880.

East Grand Forks was the scene of a distressing accident last evening in which Norman Ness the 3-year-old son of Mrs. Andrew Ness was cremated.

Norman was with his brother, George, aged five, who built a bonfire in the yard near the residence of Angus Woods. Norman's clothes caught fire and Mr. Woods attracted by the screams rushed to the rescue and rolled the little fellow in the grass extinguishing the flames. The accident hapened at 7 o'clock and the little boy died two hours later.

Despondent over the fact that he had been ill for a year past with but little prospect of recovery, William Costilla aged 38 years, committed suicide at Cass Lake Saturday morning by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. Death was instantaneous.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

July 28 In History.

1833—Commodore William Bainbridge, an American naval officer distinguished in the war of 1812, died; born 1774.

1904—Japanese land forces attacked the Russian works at Port Arthur.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:15, rises 4:49; moon sets 7:56 p. m.; moon's age, 1 day; 6:04 p. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, passing the planet from west to east; 7:33 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing the planet from west to east; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; possible Delta Aquarid meteors in east after 11 p. m.

GOT 15 DAYS—George Davis was brought over from East Grand Forks last night and will spend 15 days at the county jail on the charge of assault and battery.

ON THE TRAIL—Internal Revenue Collector Guy Aubul is in the eastern end of the county today looking into some of the violation of liquor laws that have been brought to public notice recently.

WILL BID—Contractor Louis Johnson went to Blackduck this morning where the bids are to be opened on an eight room school house that is to be built there this fall. Mr. Johnson has a bid on the building.

SUFFERS OPERATION—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Radi came in from Fisher this morning. Mrs. Radi going to the hospital for a slight operation and will be confined only a short time.

EASTERN POLK—John Lindberg, candidate for Register of Deeds on republican ticket spent short time in the city yesterday and went west to East Grand Forks to view the political field.

FINE PORK—Fred Smith of Louisville brought to town today a fine load of hogs for which he found a ready sale. Mr. Smith raises cattle and hogs for the market and knows how and when to market.

BEFORE U. S. L. O.—Gilbert J. Brenden editor of the Badger Herald-Rustler is in the city today. Mr. Brenden is also U. S. Land Commissioner for his district and is attending to some land matter before the local office.

THE WHITE SEAL—C. E. Kiewel has placed an order for a pure white Buick automobile. The many new white machines arriving in the city appeal to Mr. Kiewel as they are O. K. just as his famous "White Seal" bottled brand. The machine is expected here Saturday.

ROOTS FOR BAGLEY—Julius Sundet was in from Bagley last night on a short business trip. Mr. Sundet speaking of his town and county says that they are getting the rains just right and that everything growing is fine. Their dairying interests are increasing very rapidly. The creamery having a good run the year around.

A LIGHT RAIN FELL—A light rain fell at three o'clock this morning and was welcomed to a great extent in both the city and surrounding country and the forecast for today and tomorrow is very encouraging. According to official records kept by Observer Andersen there was a fall of 27-100 inches this morning.

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SUMMER INSTITUTE

TRAINING SCHOOL OPENS IN HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING YESTERDAY

SEVENTY ONE TEACHERS ENROLLED—PROF. E. T. REED CONDUCTOR

From Wednesday's Daily—

The summer training school for teachers opened at the High School building yesterday and at noon today there was an enrollment of 71 which may appear somewhat small but this is easily accounted for as Supt. of Schools Casey is this year adopting a new method in that the work this year runs but one week and the work is along the lines of a professional training for the teachers in the best and latest pedagogical ideas known to the profession, and consequently a large number from this county are taking a longer course in the adjoining counties.

The teachers to the number of about 150 are scattered in the training schools being conducted at Red Lake Falls, Bagley, Bemidji, Warren and at the Moorhead Normal where the work is being conducted along different lines and continues for a month, preparing them in a better manner for the examinations.

The school here is under the charge of Prof. Edwin T. Reed who teaches English and rhetorics at the Moorhead Normal assisted by Prof. N. A. Thorson Science teacher of the Crookston high school. The sessions begin at 7:30 a. m. and continue until 12.30 p. m. each day and will close Saturday. On Monday examinations begin and will continue for three days.

Students' Notes

Many of those in attendance are teachers of experience and good scholarship.

The spirit of the institution is excellent and the daily attendance and the attention to lectures are quite exemplary.

Especial interest was awakened on Wednesday morning by the address of Dr. Morley on the care of pupil's eyes and ears. He sketched several practical devices for detecting defects or diseases of these vital organs and indicated the most effective means of dealing with such cases.

Another notable event of Wednesday's session was Supt. of Schools Casey's address on penmanship, together with illustrative exercises for teaching the subject. His address illustrated by his own deft demonstration on the blackboard was most inspiring, practical and effective. He was roundly complimented by the members of the institute.

Following is the list of teachers present at the institute:

Maude Allard, Crookston.
Louise Bakke, Crookston.
Jos. Ball, Crookston.
Maria Bauman, Crookston.
Olga Bauman, Crookston.
Clara Beck, Crookston.
Anna E. Brickson, Crookston.
Mary Brown, Crookston.
Allie M. Brunner, Crookston.
Ethel A. Collins, Crookston.
Ella Conneran, Fisher.
Alma L. Dewar, Crookston.
Ruby J. Dewar, Crookston.
W. A. Dryden, Euclid.
Flora Duval, Crookston.
Anna Eikhoff, Crookston.
Florence Gatton, Crookston.
Nellie Garvin, Crookston.
Minnie Gerstner, Fertile.
Maggie Georgen, Euclid.
Minnie A. Granum, Crookston.
Gena Hagen, Erskine.
Mary Hagen, Crookston.
Stella Hamery, Crookston.
Inez M. Hanson, Crookston.
Mary Hanson, Fertile.
Hope Harding, Crookston.
Alma Herbert, Crookston.
Olive E. Herbert, Crookston.
Ada L. Houston, Crookston.
Rosalie Jerome, Crookston.
Esther Johnson, Crookston.
Louis Johnson, Crookston.
John A. Kjellin, Crookston.
Bertha M. Knutson, Fisher.
Cora J. Knutson, Fisher.
Josie Lance, Crookston.
Alma Langevin, Crookston.
Inga M. Leding, Flamming.
Martha Lehman, Crookston.
Florence E. Mariner, Eldred.
Cora Millette, Crookston.
Minnie Millette, Crookston.
Laura L. Mitchell, Mentor.
Cora M. Molum, Fertile.
Emma C. Nyquist, Fertile.
Olga N. Petterson, Crookston.
B. J. O'Brien, Angus.
Gertie B. Olson, Belgrade
Olof Olson, McIntosh.
Olga E. Olson, Fosston.
Ingeborg Ose, Fisher.
Emily V. Rasmussen, Crookston.
Ida Sandeen, Crookston.
Sarah Scully, Crookston.
Henry Sorvig, Erskine.
Ingaborg Stenseth, Highberg.
Alfred Strom, Fosston.
Elizabeth Tibesar, Crookston.

IRON ORE FIND CREATES STIR

FIND IS REPORTED SOUTH OF SHEVLIN COVERING THOUSANDS OF ACRES

STEEL CORPORATION'S FINE WORK—THREE DRILLS IN OPERATION ALREADY

From Wednesday's Daily—

Iver Krohn a former well known resident of this city but who is now conducting a prosperous general merchandise business at Shevlin besides conducting the Shevlin Herald one of Clearwater county's best newspapers, was in the city on business matters.

Mr. Krohn was very enthusiastic over the outlook in Clearwater county and thinks it one of the coming dairy centers of the state. Last spring a creamery was built at Shevlin as an experiment and it is meeting with unusual success and is far exceeding their expectations.

He tells an interesting story of the smooth work of a representative of the Steel corporation coming in there last spring and buying up thousands of acres of land south of Shevlin and near Mallard postoffice most of which is across the line in Hubbard County. Coming in dressed in the garb of a plain woodsman he became a frequent visitor at most of the settlers in that locality and finally began buying up what land he could paying $5 per acre for the same, one dollar an acre being paid down as an option for one year and in this manner secured thousands of acres. He disappeared all of a sudden and nothing more has been seen of him but shortly thereafter three large iron ore drills were brought into that locality and put to work immediately in different portions of the tract secured and now a good many of the settlers are beginning to realize what a golden opportunity they missed.

The drills are being operated by the U. S. Steel Corporation but as their work is always of a secret character nothing can be learned as to whether or not any ore is being found or what the quality or quantity is. That ore exists in that locality is a well known fact but whether or not in sufficient quantities to warrant mining it remains to be seen.

Mr. Krohn will spend a number of days in this vicinity as he has a large quantity of cord wood which he is desirious of disposing of.

TWO BANDS FOR MARKET DAY

BURNHAM CREEK BAND TO BE ADDED FEATURE ON MUSICAL PROGRAM

Arrangements have been completed whereby the Burnham Creek band will render a concert during the day which will be an interesting feature added to the day's program. The band is composed of sixteen pieces and the members are all young farmers residing in the locality of Burnham Creek and are said to be equipped in better shape than most of the bands in the state in the way of fine instruments of which each member owns his own and is of the best make to be secured.

The exact location or time when the concert will be held will be announced later. This band will be an interesting feature for both the business men and the farmers who are here for the day in showing that the farmer boys are capable of rendering some choice selections.

ENJOYED EDITORIAL TRIP—Harry E. Ives and Dan Patterson were transient visitors in the city this morning returning from the editorial trip with the Minnesota editors. The trip was mainly over the C. P. Ry., in Canada and was as war west as Banff, the great summer resort. The party all enjoyed the trip.

The function of the kidneys is to strain out the impurities of the blood which is constantly passing through them. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes the kidneys healthy. They will strain out all waste matter from the blood. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy and it will make you well. Sold by all druggists.

When looking for a policeman look in the safe places first.

Julia Tollifson, Crookston.
Anna S. Thompson, Mentor.
Frankie Tice, Mentor.
Arthur Toupin, Crookston.
Coranna Toupin, Crookston.
Elsie Trovaten, McIntosh.
Anna Trovaten, McIntosh.
Grace Walter, Crookston.
Anna M. Watts, Crookston.
Hazel Wilkinson, Crookston.
Louise Wilson, Mentor.

MANY SEEK NEW LANDS

ADVICES FROM WASHINGTON SPUR ON THOSE WANTING TO FILE

JOSEPH LEWIS OF HIBBING IS NO. 1 IN CASS LAKE LINE

From Wednesday's Daily—

There was a great surprise yesterday at Cass Lake, when the local men received notice from Washington that 46,000 acres of forest reserve would be opened to settlement Sept. 15. As soon as this became known the land office was flooded with landseekers, who with chairs, tents and bedding settled down to await the opening.

Joe Lewis of Hibbing, is No. 1, Capt. Wilson the veteran of the other line, is No. 6 and seems well satisfied All told there are thirty now waiting It was thought that this land would not open until next summer. Land officials have not been notified yet of the new deal but according to the notice they will be as soon as the booklets of instructions are issued. The notice seems to indicate that "squatters" will again have the same rights as filers.

RETURNED FROM TRIP TO ROCKIES

JAKE IDE VISITED MOUNTAIN HOME, IDAHO, AND MAKES COMMENTS

Jake Ide has returned from a three weeks' trip spent in the mountain fastness of Idaho. Mr. Ide spent most of his time at Mountain Home where he owned some property and was disposing of the same.

He says there are many complex questions regarding the future welfare of that section of the west. The water supply now available for irrigation isn't sufficient to supply the demand and another river miles away will have to be tapped. Mr. Ide further says that he spent the better part of his life on the prairies and nothing looked better than they did when he got back.

GRANTED DIVORCE IN DISTRICT COURT

MRS. GRACE HEINLEIN OF EAST GRAND FORKS SECURES DIVORCE

Papers were filed in the Clerk of Court's office today granting Mrs. Grace Heinlein a divorce from Fred Heinlein both hailing from East Grand Forks. The grounds were, cruel and inhuman treatment. There is no living issue of the marriage, and they were married in Grand Forks June 2nd 1902. Mrs. Heinlein gives her age as 30 and his at 34. The defendant admitted all of the allegations but was not present at the trial.

WEDDED TODAY AT HIGH NOON

Mr. Robert H. Balfour and Miss Margaret Biever United in Marriage by Father Smiers—Wedding Comes as Surprise to a Host of Friends—Miss Biever Returned Friday from California for the Ceremony—Honeymoon at Wabasha

At High Noon today, at the rectory of the St. Marys Catholic church in this city, Mr. Robert H. Balfour of Euclid and Miss Margaret Biever were united in marriage, Father John Smiers officiating. The wedding was a quiet affair, no one being present aside from Mr. John Balfour and Miss Isabella Balfour, brother and sister of the groom. Immediately following the wedding the bridal party repaired to the residence of the parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. John Balfour, 803 Front Street North where an elaborate wedding dinner was served. The bride and groom left on the Northern Pacific train this afternoon for Wabasha, where a week or ten days will be spent with sister and other relatives of the bride. They will later spend a few days in St. Paul and Minneapolis, after which they will return to Euclid where they will at once begin keeping house in the Michler residence.

Foley's Orino Laxative, the new laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back. Sold by all druggists.

Nothing makes a woman feel so little as the refusal of a man to argue with her.

PLAN GREAT EXHIBIT AT STEPHENS HALL

A SCHEME ON FOOT TO SHOW JAMES J. HILL THAT THE ADVICE HE GAVE TO FARMERS IS BEARING FRUIT—AN IMMENSE AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT TO BE ARRANGED FOR WHEN STEPHENS HALL IS DEDICATED, LATER TO BE SENT TO THE STATE FAIR—EVERY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT TO COMPETE

The plans for the impressive dedication of Stephens Hall at the State School of Agriculture on the Experimental farm here have been broadened to include the biggest agriculture exhibit ever seen in the northern part of the state. The dedication, at which James J. Hill will be the central figure will include a display of agricultural products, including grains, vegetables, dairy products, etc., and a grand stock parade which will be as near as possible a realization of the application of the advice of the railway king given to the farmers of the northwest every time Mr. Hill has delivered an address in the northwest.

A Lively Contest

The board of county commissioners has decided to make a liberal appropriation for the exhibit at the present session, and to add to the zest of the contest, each of the five commissioner districts will vie with each other in an effort to secure the best exhibit. Assurances have been received from every part of the county, and all the surrounding towns to participate in the contest and aid the excellence of the exhibits in every way, and Fertile alone will send an entire carload of prize winning stock.

A Compliment to Hill

This grand feature will serve two purposes. One as a special diversified farming principle, as showing him to what a large degree and with what success his advice has been followed, and at the same time it will result in the gathering of a splendid exhibit which will be re-arranged and sent to the Minnesota State Fair as an exhibit of the products and resources of Polk County.

The elaborate plans for the great gathering are being rapidly worked out and the event is arousing a vast amount of enthusiasm. Special invitations are being sent out to every county in the 9th congressional district and assurances have been received from leading residents who are specially interested in work being done at the experimental farm here, and the school of agriculture, that the gathering will be one of the most significant ever held in the northern part of the state as marking a new era in the development of the valley.

County Commissioner Ben Clements last evening said: "I thing the plan for a big exhibit at the dedication of Stephens Hall is a most excellent one, specially as the exhibit can be utilized for a Polk county exhibit to the state fair, thus serving a double purpose. Let everyone take off their coats now and work like beavers to make this a grand success."

From Friday's Daily—

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St. Paul, July 24—James J. Hill will be in Crookston September 17 to deliver an address at the dedication of Stephens Hall at the School of Agriculture on the State Experimental Farm.

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The above telegram confirms the announcement made several days ago exclusively in the Journal to the effect that Crookston would have a chance to welcome Mr. Hill at the dedication of Stephens Hall, but that the date would not be set till it was known what time would best suit the convenience of Mr. Hill.

"Jim Hill Day" in Crookston about ten years ago is still vividly remembered by every resident of Crookston as it was the occasion of the gathering here of the largest crowd that ever assembled in Crookston and every effort will be made to make the forth coming visit of Mr. Hill the occasion of an even greater gathering. His visit, in view of the manner in which every minute of his time is occupied, is an honor which cannot be too highly estimated.

TWO CASES DISMISSED

SENSATION IN ROSEAU COUNTY COMES TO A SUDDEN END

CROSS EXAMINATION DESTROYS VALUE OF GIRL'S TESTIMONY AGAINST YOUNG MEN

From Thursday's Daily—

The summer term of the district court has closed at Roseau. The sensation of the term was the indictment of Julius Tostenson and Harvey Wilcox, two young men of Roseau, charging each with carnal knowledge of 14-year-old Grace Cravens. There were two indictments against Tostenson and the trial of one began Saturday, on which day a jury was empanneled and the case continued over Sunday. Senator Dunn of Albert Lea an old friend of the Tostenson family, appeared for the defendant assisted by R. H. Medicraft and the state was represented by County Attorney Stebbins.

The testimony of the little girl was in all particulars strong in support of all the allegations in the indictment in her examination in chief, but upon the cross examination her statements were so contradictory and wholly at variance with her testimony in the examination before the justice of the peace and before the grand jury, that the county attorney asked for a dismissal of the case and also of indictment against Wilcox.

In spite of the frightful manner in which they are imposed upon, women live longer than men.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

PLAN A BIG GRAIN EXHIBIT

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WILL CO-OPERATE WITH COMMERCIAL CLUB

PRIZES TO BE GIVEN THAT WILL INSURE MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY

From Friday's Daily—

There was an enthusiastic meeting last evening in the office of President Misner of the Commercial Club attended by many business men and the full board of county commissioners. H. J. Stair was elected chairman and it was decided to hold a big grain exhibit in Crookston on Wednesday, August 19.

The county will be divided into five districts, each commissioner's district participating in a contest to furnish the best exhibit of grains, and the county commissioner from the respective districts was named as a committee of one to secure the exhibit from his district. The district furnishing the best exhibit will be awarded a magnificent silver cup which will be competed for in future years in a similar contest.

President Misner was instructed to name a committee of three to have full charge of the finances, arrangements, prizes, etc., and to co-operate with the commissioners in the appointment of the judges to pass on the exhibits. This committee will be named in a few days.

Aside from the district competition there will be substantial prizes for the best individual exhibit of grains.

After the exhibit in Crookston, the committee in charge will re-arrange a big exhibit for the state fair which will be a credit to Polk County.

The county commissioners have appropriated $350 for the fair in Crookston and further prizes will be offered by the business men.

Seeing that the stock of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey improved $14,000,000 in value, when the decision in favor of the Standard Oil company of Indiana was annomced, Judge Landis may be pardoned for believing that the two concerns were the same thing.

THROWS SELF INTO RIVER

BODY FOUND SUPPOSED TO BE THAT OF RECENT SUICIDE

BELTRAMI COUNTY CORONER SENDS DEPUTY TO SPOONER TO INVESTIGATE

Coroner E. H. Marcum of Bemidji received a telegram from George E. Ericson of Spooner stating that the body of a man had been found in the Rainy river at Spooner and that it was supposed to be that of the man who committed suicide by drowning.

No further particulars were given and the coroner was left to use his own best judgment as to how to proceed in the matter.

Coroner Marcum decided to investigate the drowning and sent J. P. Lahr deputy coroner to Spooner to examine the body and make his report.

Mr. Lahr left for Spooner last night

RECORD TRIP VIA AUTO ROUTE

ROSEAU COUNTY BANKERS TRAVERSE SEVERAL COUNTIES IN AS MANY HOURS

Mayor Alfred Burkey, cashier of the Greenbush bank, and wife and H. A. Foss cashier of the Roseau bank left the later place in an automobile yesterday morning at eight o'clock, rode to Stephen spent a couple of hours there continuing on to Warren where they made another extended stay, before coming on to Crookston arriving here at seven o'clock last night.

The party thoroly enjoyed the trip and report the condition of crops and the farms in general as very satisfactory. They left this morning for Duluth to attend the state bankers' convention that is to convene there this week.

FINE NEW BOAT FOR THIEF RIVER

CAPT. JULIUS HANNUM PUTS A NEW LAUNCH INTO COMMISSION

A fine new boat is practically completed for Capt. Julius Hannum at A. D. Brown's duck pass on Thief River by Master Boat Builder Warren, an old hand at the business, and it will be one of the best launches on Thief River or Red Lake with a speed of 20 miles an hour and a 10½ horse power engine which is now being installed.

The boat will be put in commission next week and will be available to be chartered by pleasure parties for trips up Thief River to Red Lake and all over the lake.

The boat will be christened "Mutch-a-Wanna-Too" which is "Evil Spirit" in Indian. Capt. Hannum is known among the Indians as "Kees-Gose-Kees-a-Kon" which in English is "Fish-Eye-Soup" a real musical name. The launch is 25 feet long and is fitted up in fine style.

THE CLEARWATER COUNTY FAIR

SEPT. 10, 11 AND 12 DATES SET FOR THE ANNUAL FAIR

At a meeting of the Bagley Commercial Club it was decided that the Clearwater county fair to be held at Bagley this fall should be held on September 10, 11 and 12 and these dates were accordingly set. This brings the fair just one month earlier than last year, a fact which will be quite generally agreeable to the farmers of the county. The exhibits this fall are expected to far outdo those of the first year and the farmers of Clearwater county will without doubt see to it that the expectations are fulfilled.

FERTILE HAS HOT ELECTION

At one of the hottest school elections ever held at Fertile there being 147 votes cast, B. Dudlstad and A. L. Hovland were elected directors for the three year term, succeeding D. Sannet, deceased.

In Roosevelt's opinion, it is better to spend $10,000,000 for a battle ship than $100,000,000 for pensions.

If Roger Sullivan, democratic and Bryanite, believes that Taft will carry Illinois, who should doubt it?

WILL IGNORE TWO CENT LAW

MINNEAPOLIS, RED LAKE & MANITOBA SERVES NOTICE ON COMMISSION

TO CHARGE THREE CENTS—BIG ROADS WILL PAY SHARE IN FIGHT

Notice of what is looked upon by many as the forerunner of similar action on the part of practically all the small railroad systems in Minnesota was received in St. Paul yesterday, when the Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba Railway company filed notice with the railway and warehouse commission that it intended to ignore the 2-cent passenger fare law.

"Effective Aug. 1, 1908, we will charge 3 cents per mile for carrying passengers," read the letter received by A. L. Molander as general manager, and the contents was the exact wording as given above. There was no other explanation. The Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba is- or rath, er was, a logging road, and runs from Bemidji to Red Lake. It is practically owned by C. A. Smith the Minneapolis millionaire lumberman, talked of, prior to the republican state convention, as a possible candidate for governor. According to members of the railway commission, John Lind former governor, is its principal attorney. If he is acting in such capacity, there is no doubt that he sanctioned the road's latest step, otherwise it would not have been taken.

The road some time ago, on representation that it could not do so with a profit and that it would accept the two-cent passenger fare law, was exempted from making the reduction in freight rates ordered by the legislature. This concession was granted by the railway commission which is endowed with such powers, and when the letter was received today that it intended to ignore the two-cent fare law the indignation of the commission was great.

"The enforcement of the two?-cent

"The enforcement of the two-cent law does not lay with us," said Judge Mills of the commission, to-day, "but we can not stand idly by and see it ignored in this fashion. I think we will get busy without delay. The law is a general one and any one charged more than the rate prescribed by the law has right to obtain relief. He can sue if more than two cents is asked."

The St. Paul roads asked Judge Lochren for an injunction restraining the enforcement of the two-cent law which was refused and they will have to await the outcome of the present suits, but in the case of the smaller roads, they are not so handicapped. It is hinted that in the action of the Smith road steps have been taken which mean a general attempt to overthrow the whole two-cent fare law, in which attempt, all of the roads operating in the state have agreed to interest themselves to the extent of paying their share of the costs.

REGAN HAS A HEARING

PLEADS GUILTY TO ASSAULT CHARGE—OTHER CHARGES DISMISSED

From Thursday's Daily—

B. B. Regan who has been confined in the county jail at Devils Lake for some time past on the charge of assault and battery with intent to kill, upon his wife, had his hearing in the district court yesterday afternoon and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of assault and battery, the charge of intent to kill being omitted on account of the complaining witness refusing to appear to prosecute the case.

Mrs. Regan who had her husband arrested on the charge, had left the state and Mr. Serumgard the state's attorney, has been trying for the past two weeks to locate her and it was only thru circumstances that he was able to learn that she was at Crookston, and last Friday accompanied by a deputy sheriff, came here and located her cooking for Wyand's ditching crew about two and one-half miles from the city. Papers were served on her but she refused to return to Devils Lake to appear in the case and on account of the statutes of the state it is impossible to compel her to return to the state to testify unless she is willing. On this ground, the state's attorney was willing to submit to the plea of assault and battery the other charge not being prosecuted on account of not having Mrs. Regan as a witness.

No one need fear that Jacobson will buy his election by private bargains for official favors.

INVITATION TO FARMFRS

MARKET DAY COMMITTEE INVITES THEM ALL TO BE HERE AUGUST 1ST

BIG ..FREE ..DINNER, ..RACES, SPORTS AND GRAND FREE AUCTION PROVIDED

From Friday's Daily—

The Market Day committee has mailed special invitations to 1500 farmers tributary to Crookston to be present August 1st and enjoy the pleasures and profit of Crookston's second great Market Day, on Saturday August 1st. For that occasion a special program has been provided for the entertainment of the farmers which includes:

Grand Free Auction sale.

Free dinner at the Auditorium.

Free automobile ride.

Horse races.

Tug of war between farmers and business men.

Climbing greased pole and other sports.

Great automobile race.

Special cash prizes, three of them for the best draught team belonging to a farmer.

Free concerts by Crookston band.

Fine address by Senator A. D. Stephens.

Special admission to two vauleville shows at half price to farmers.

All farmers and their families are cordially invited to be present. The invitations have been sent to every farmer whose address has been secured by the committee. Every farmer receiving an invitation has been requested to show it to his neighbor and invite him also. The invitation is meant to include "all farmers and their families.'

It will be a day of profit as well as pleasure. The invitations sent to the farmers together with the program for the day reads as follows:

"Crookston, Minn., July 21, 1908. Dear Sir and Neighbor: It is with the greatest pleasure we extend to you and your family an invitation to attend Crookston's Second Market Day on Saturday, August 1, next. At the request of the business men of this city we are addressing you personally, as they desire you to become their guests on that day.

Enclosed you will find our announced program to which we invite your attention. We believe you will find something that will be of interest to all and we trust that you will not only read it yourself, but will show it to your neighbors and extend to them in our name, a cordial invitation to be present.

The real object of the Market Day is to demonstrate to you, that you have a most profitable market near at home and to this end, we announce a free auction sale. The services of the auctioneer, his clerk, and everything connected with the sale are at your service entirely free of any expense. All we ask is that you bring your produce or whatever you have for sale, and list it with the clerk, and it will be our aim to see that it is sold at a price that will prove profitable.

Again urging you to accept the invitation of the business men of Crookston on behalf of yourself and your family, we beg to remain,

Respectfully yours,

—Market Day Committee,
Of the Commercial Club."

OLD RESIDENT'S DEATH NATURAL

CORONER CHESTERMAN DECIDES AN INQUEST NOT NECESSARY

Wm. Husk, one of the pioneer residents of East Grand Forks was found dead in his room shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday by J. W. Erickson. He had been in his usual health and was seen by Mr. Erickson just before noon. Mr. Husk had been a sufferer from rheumatism for a number of years and was unable to do any work but was able to be up and about. It is supposed that the rheumatism, together with heart trouble, is responsible for his sudden demise. Coroner Chesterman was notified and went over yesterday afternoon, but decided an inquest not necessary.

Mr. Husk had lived alone for a number of years occupying a small room over the office of J. W. Erickson's feed barn the use of which he was allowed thru the kindness of Mr. Erickson. He was about 65 years of age and had lived there for nearly 25 years. He was a plasterer by trade.

The fact that you have lots of good times when you were young is a poor umbrella to protect you from the storms when you are old.

FARM LOANS

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J. W Wheeler, Pres.
H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

INTERESTING FIGURES

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION COMPLETES MUCH WORK

REAL ESTATE VALUES SHOW AN INCREASE OVER LAST ASSESSMENT

The Polk County Board of Equaalization has 70 assessment districts to review. For weeks prior to their convening assessors in each one of these districts are gathering statistics that they compile into blanks for that purpose, later compiling these many items into books that report every piece of realestate and personal property.

The latter are divided into thirty different classes, from a kitten to a threshing machine, yard of ribbon to an elevator full of grain. All must be carefully itemized and valuation placed thereon. The local governing boards review the work of the assessor to see that it has been done in an impartial manner, that all individual property has been properly listed.

But very often town officers do not place enough importance on this duty and it is not thoroly reviewed so when it comes to the county board the task is a large one.

At the meeting of the assessors last spring a schedule of farm lands was arraigned that has worked very satisfactorily, so that only two changes were found necessary at this meeting. Woodside was raised from class five to class four and Badger reduced from class five to class six.

The classification of farm lands has been divided in seven classes according to the value from which the assessments are based. Class one is assessed at $2.75 and fifty cents is added to each class. Number seven the highest is assessed $5.75.

The total valuation of property as assessed in the county not including the city of Crookston, for the year 1908 is, real estate $6,542,089, personal $1,515,369. Add to this the city and the total will amount to, real estate $7,630,994, personal $2,021,640.

A comparison with the assessed valuation of real estate in 1906 and personal of 1907 shows very little change The real estate at that time amounted to $7,394,857, personal $2,030,865, an increase of $300,000 in real estate and decrease of $100,000 in personal property.

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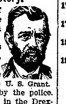
NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

July 23 In History.



U. S. Grant.

1799—Land battle of Abookeer; Bonaparte almost annihilated the Turkish army.

1816—Charlotte Saunders Cushman, actress, born; died 1876.

1866—Great riot in Hyde park, London; reform meeting broken up by the police.

1885—General Grant died in the Drexel cottage at Mount McGregor; born 1822.

1906—186 members of the defunct douma met at Viborg, Finland, and issued a revolutionary manifesto.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:20, rises 4:45; moon rises 1:33 a. m.; moon's age, 26 days; planet Mercury visible low in east.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—Chas. E. Westmeyer of Crookston to Miss Norma Hasbrook of Gregory, S. D.

NEW ARRIVAL—Mr. and Mrs. Ole Gunderson are the parents of a fine daughter which arrived at their home yesterday morning.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED—Conductor J. S. Gould received the sad news yesterday that his father was dying at the famil yhome at Uxbridge, Ont., and left for his bedside on the first train this morning.

GETS GOOD MAN—Wm. Culbertson a first class machinist and moulder who has been with the Espe foundry for a number of years has gone into the employ of the Warren Machine and Iron Works where he has secured a good position.

HAND IN SLING—August Wentzel who is one of the International Harvester Co's. valuable machinists, was over from Grand Forks yesterday. Mr. Wentzel is tenderly nursing a very badly swollen hand that incapacitates him from doing his work.

FELL IN THE SEWER—One of N. P. Stone & Co's., horses while standing on the corner of Third and Main St. got the cover off of the sewer and both hind legs went down. A crowd soon gathered and pulled him out. No damage except a few scratches.

ENJOYED CANADA—Joseph McDonald of Ulen is in the city today and is being shown around by W. E. Black. Mr. McDonald has just returned from Canora, Saskatchewan, Western Canada, where he had been to look over the marketable land in that locality. He brought back with him many fine samples of produce that is raised there. His impression of the country is very favorable.

AN OLD TIMER—Harry Halvorson who fifteen years ago was railroading out of Crookston, was a passenger west on number seven this morning returning to his home at Cutbank, Montana, from a trip east and spent a week at St. Paul in attending the Shriners' meeting. Mr. Halvorson's wife formerly Miss Carrie Risch of this city and the family are reported by him as well and Harry himself appears as if he were living on the best there is.

ITS LAST KICK—Fred Schmidt of Louisville brought in some fat cattle and among the lot was a cow that had been a fair milker but had the kicking habit so bad that she was fattened for beef. To give Fred a parting reminder of her abilities she let drive at him while being unloaded and caught him in the face knocking out two teeth, severely cutting his under lip and badly bruising the whole side of his face so that the service of a physician was required to dress the injuries.

Deputy Game Warden Wm. Munch returned last evening from Red Lake County where he has been for the past ten days covering the territory between Red Lake and Thief River Falls searching for poachers and with good success.

He arrested Osmund Urdahl of Goodrich township, yesterday morning, Red Lake County who on June 25th last shot a moose in Reiner township and was taken before Judge Jos. DeCamp of Clover Leaf where he entered a plea of guilty and was fined $50 and costs.

A good neighbor is as great a blessing as a bad one isn't.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

July 24 In History.

1783—Simon Bolivar, South American liberator, born; died 1830.

1798—John Adams Dix, general and statesman, born; died 1879.

1803—Alexandre Dumas, the novelist, born; died 1870.

1905—Conference of Czar Nicholas and Emperor William in the Baltic sea.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:19; rises 4:46; moon rises 2:10 a. m.; moon's age, 27 days; planet Mercury visible low in the east before sunrise.

HIS ANNUAL VISIT—Jack Keating, a brother of E. J. Keating is spending a few days in the city on his annual visit here from the Iron Range country.

STILL REVIEWING TAX BOOKS—The county equalization board is still hard at the tax books, doing the work very carefully and thoroly. They will probably finish up Saturday night.

HERE FOR OPERATION — Ed Goodman, a freight conductor, formerly of this city and running out of Minot arrived yesterday and was operated on at St. Vincent's hospital for an abdominal rupture. He is getting along nicely.

DEALER IN DIRT—Mr. Cooke accompanied by his wife were passengers to Euclid this morning. Mr. Cooke at one time had the Key Stone farm that he subdivided into small farms. He is a very large dealer in farm lands and real

ON VACATION —Albert Johnson spent yesterday here visiting his parents on North Ash street. He has taken a 30-days vacation from his duties as switchman at Moorhead and will put in the time recreating among the various summer resorts having gone to Maple Lake last night for a few days. Later he will go to Chicago for a visit.

JAIL POPULATION — There are now 17 inmates in the county jail most of them are serving time for minor offenses. Court does not convene until December and consequently those bound over will have a long wait.

TAKEN TO ASYLUM—Henry Anderson, single, from East Grand Fors was declared insane and taken to the asylum last night He was found to be in a very bad condition, the cause of his insanity being unknown. The information alleges hallucination of persecution, melancholic disposition to conversation and insomnia.

BOUND OVER— Patrick Sullivan and Wm. O'Meara were given hearings in the E. G. Forks municipal court yesterday on the charge of larceny and both were bound over to the district court and committed to the jail in default of bail. They are the transients who appropriated watches belonging to other parties.

STOUGHTON IMPROVING —Thos Murray returned yesterday to East Grand Forks from an outing at Grand Forks Bay on Lake Bemidji. Enroute home he went to Fergus Falls and visited Editor Stoughton of the Valley View. He was feeling better and is beginning to realize his surroundings. The physicians at the hospital have strong hopes for his early recovery.

WARWICK SENTINEL — F. X. Kirsch editor of the Warwick, N. D. Sentinel came in on number six last night visiting with his sister Mrs. A. Egley over night. He went north to Argyle this morning for a short visit with his parents and sisters. Western Dakota is prospering according to Mr. Kirsch. The crop outlook in his section being very good. Politics at present are rather quiet, primaries being over and the hustle for the general election not yet begun. All his brothers and sisters will be home during this visit and he anticipates a pleasant family reunion.

A NARROW ESCAPE FOR FINE TEAM— Robert Anderson who lives about four miles north of E. G. Forks came near losing a very valuable team of colts in a runaway yesterday afternoon. The team hitched to a hayrack was being used by two men in the stacking of hay a short distance east of the house. In some way one of the bridles got caught on a post and the horse rearing back broke it. By this time both animals were thoroly frightened and away they went straight for the barn. The barn failed to stop them and they struck the side at a full gallop. The wagon tongue was broken in two and both horses were thrown but in some miraculous way they both escaped injury. The force of the impact was so great that a hole a foot square was torn in the side of the building.

Ole E. Hagen, son of Ole E. Hagen ex-county judge of probate here, and now candidate for the republican nomination for auditor of Roseau Co., and brother of Atty. Eric Hagen of this city was one of the midshipmen on the ill-fated training ship, Nevada, on which a steam pipe burst and his escape was miraculous. He was in the boiler room when the steam pipe exploded and barely escaped being caught. Seven men are in the hospital terribly burned, and one is not expected to live. The Nevada is now being overhauled, having put to shore off the New London coast where the accident happened.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

July 25 In History.

Sam Houston.

1471—Thomas a Kempis, quaint old author, died.

1750—Henry Knox, American general, secretary of war under Washington, born; died 1806.

1863—General Sam Houston, at one time governor of Tennessee and later of Texas, died; born 1793.

1907—Japan assumed entire control of the internal administration of Korea.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:18, rises 4:47; moon rises 8:04 a. m.; moon farthest north; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 2:50 p. m. today, conjunction between Venus and the moon. 5 p. m., planet Mercury at greatest elongation west of the sun, 19 degrees 51 minutes; visible low in east before sunrise; Mercury rapidly leaving the earth, to swing into the side of its orbit eastward; 6:27 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury; 10:36 a. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune.

OPERATION— An operation for the neck was performed last Monday at the hospital in Fosston upon John Schimunk of Hill River.

BLOODED STOCK —A thorobred Holstein bull calf went north on the local this morning for Fred Tiedt of Argyle the large merchant of that town.

HAS AUTO HERE—Jake Parr of Argyle accompanied by his wife and daughter arrived in the city in his large touring car yesterday afternoon Mr. Parr intends to open an auto livery in Crookston and will add to his equipment as business demands.

CHESTERMAN FILES —Ex-mayor G. S. Chesterman filed this afternoon for the office of coroner on the republican ticket. Mr. Chesterman will seek a renomination on the record of his past services to the county as coroner.

GEORGE ON THE TRAIL—Editor L. E. George of the Fertile Journal candidate for the nomination of representative was a county seat visitor yesterday. Mr. George is very optimistic as to his chances. Encouraging reports from all sides are pouring in on him.

RETURNED TO ADA—C. T. Stevens returned to his home at Ada last evening after spending two months on the road for the Crookston Marble Works in which work he was very successful.

BACK FROM OSLO — Chas. Kiewel returned last evening on the G Northern Flyer from a business trip to Oslo. He says the crop conditions look good up that way and that business men all feel optimistic.

BACK TO GRACETON—This morning on the Great Northern Flyer A F. Rauch and son Frank, E. J. Keating and brother Jack, C. C. Bower, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Billings went to Graceton where they will resume life on their claims.

A GOOD SELECTION— Dr. Wattam of Warren is made a member of the republican state central committee for this judicial district. No better selection could have been made. Dr. Wattam takes a keen interest in politics but does so out of patriotism and not for the "loaves and fishes."—Hallock News.

BRACING UP—Ed Drinkwine has received a letter from Loyd Pollard of Mentor who was sentenced to the State Reformatory at Red Wing about a year ago, wherein he states he is getting along nicely and that he new holds nine honor certificates and will do his best to deserve the balance.

COMISSIONERS ADJOURNED — The board of county commissioners adjourned this morning having completed the review of the assessment books and other routine business after a rather strenuous session. There were no radical changes made in any of the assessments at the session today. The board made a very thoro job of the review of all the assessment books.

JOKE ON GONYEA—Some practical joker in some way got hold of a bunch of Sheriff Gonyea's campaign cards which he used two years ago and has been passing them out occasionally to people who did not scan them very closely, and were given to understand that the genial sheriff had again shied his castor into the political ring for another nomination.

RED LAKE COUNTY DITCH — At the county auditor's office in Red Lake County last Tuesday the august body of commissioners, after completing their labors as a board of equalization, voted an appropriation of $400 toward the construction of a new ditch north of town along the Matt Skala farm. Bids are advertised for and the proposed new ditch will drain a large amount of waste land and the excavated dirt will repair the roads so that in the future the rainy seasons will have no bad effect thereupon.

UEEN BESS COUGHED UP

OT HER $85 TO CARRY $50 BELONGING TO R. PINKERTON ONE DAY

PSY CLAIMS PINKERTON HAD TRIED TO MAKE LOVE TO HER HIGHNESS

rom Saturday's Daily—

Queen Bess, of a Gypsy band, lown also as Bessie Gills was arrest yesterday afternoon just west of and Forks, by Deputy Sheriff Johnn of Grand Forks county and Dety Sheriff Orin Daniels of Polk unty, Minn., after a sensational ase from Crookston. The Gypsy een was charged with stealing $50 om Rufus Pinkerton two miles west Crookston yesterday morning.

Cost Her $85

When brought before Judge Mcean this morning at 10 o'clock ueen Bess after much palaver greed to plead guilty to petty lareny, returned Pinkerton's $50 paid ie costs and a small fine costing her l all $85 and was released and with er husband, King Jewhillicum and er father and several more of the and who came over on the train this aorning had a few beers about town nd will return to Dakota tonight.

Gypsies Fled

The crime was committed at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and the sheriff's office was not notified until 10:45. At 11 Deputy Sheriff Daniels was on the trail. The Gypsies broke camp right after Pinkerton lost his money but the deputy succeeded in trailing them. They kept off the main road and zig-zagged the sections wherever possible. On Minnesota Point Deputy Daniels learned that they had crossed to the Dakota side. He trailed them to Fourth street and then called on Deputy Sheriff Johnson to aid him. They followed them and arrested the queen, despite the strenuous protests of her subjects.

Felt Like Resisting

For a time it seemed likely that there would be bloodshed as the Gypsies were in an angry mood. There were about a dozen women in the party and they crowded around the officer. The queen was taken the carriage brought by the officers.

At the Grand Forks county jail she claimed to know nothing about the robbery. She agreed to go over on the east side. She was anxious to see Pinkerton and evidently had an idea that a settlement could be brought about.

Claims to be Honest

"He say me take feefty dollar—I can proof me did not," she wailed. "Me travel in North Dakota three years and seven years altogether, and never have been in jail before.

She claimed that Pinkerton had made love to her and she had repulsed his advances to Gypsy royalty.

Frenzied Finance

According to Pinkerton the queen was rather smooth in securing funds. When he gave her $1 to tell his fortune she asked that he give her, temporarily his entire bank roll. He took out a bunch of bills, amounting to $140. While she was handling the money and counting it, the queen's sister started to tear a $5 into pieces and scattered the fragments in the air. The other members of the band yelled that she had gone crazy and there was lots of excitement. Pinkerton did not know it was a game. In the excitement the fortune teller gave him back his money. He put it in his pocket and went up town. Then he counted it and found $50 was missing. On his return to the Gypsy camp he found they had vanished. He later notified the sheriff's office and the chase commenced.

SWEETHEART FAITHLESS; HER REASON HAS FLED

From Friday's Daily—

A touching story of years of patient labor for love, a recreant lover who did not remain true when Fortune smiled on him, and the sad result, the flight of reason was told here by the presence of W. A. Breedlove who was taking Miss Mary Lindsey from Argyle, Washington, to her old home at Epworth, Ia., the former home of the families of both.

Lighthearted Lovers

The story learned by the police ran like this: Mary Lindsey left for the west many years ago for Washington with several others from near Epworth. Among them was a young man to whom she had plighted her troth. The two built air castles about a happy home when sufficient money had been saved up. She was a school teacher and saved every dollar and her young lover was ambitious and a hard worker and also saved every cent he made.

Lust for Gold

When the wonderful tales of gold in the Klondike startled the world they had saved up enough to buy a farm and were about to get married. The young man however caught the fever, and taking what money he had earned, with her consent, tho reluctantly given, he headed for the gold fields.

Luck was against him. He ran out of money. His sweetheart furnished him with more. Again and again she sent him money from her little hard earned hoard.

Fortune Smiled

Then his luck changed. He made a small fortune, and wrote glowing letters of a bright future and an early return to his faithful sweetheart. Then came another big strike and a bigger fortune.

Then came a change. His letters were farther between and less fervent Then they ceased altogether. He returned from Alaska, but he did not return to his affianced at Argyle.

A Pathetic Ending

The light began to fade from her eyes, the bloom from her cheeks. She grew despondent, morose and finally was incapacitated for work. Then came the total nervous collapse and it became necessary to send her back to her old home at Epworth, and Breedlove, a friend of both families undertook the task. By missing a connection they had to remain in this city all day yesterday. At intervals a shadow of the light of reason crossed the brain of the unhappy woman but most of the time she is childish. It was with difficulty she was induced to get on the train for the journey to relatives.

The recreant lover is enjoying his wealth in Seattle.

WAS BREEDLOVE HER BETHROTHED

From Saturday's Daily—

It develops that there were some interesting details relative to W. A. Breedlove and Miss Mary Lindsay who spent day before yesterday in Crookston at the Palace hotel.

Breedlove was not very long on funds, and Miss Lindsay had $50 wired to her from Argyle, Wash. She was out of her head completely while here and of course could not call at the bank and get the money. D. D. Clark finally endorsed the draft and Breedlove got the money.

Miss Lindsay did not care for the money but with her arms about Breedlove kept asking him if he was sure he loved her.

To some Breedlove said he intended to marry her as soon as they reached Epworth, her old home. To others he said maybe he would and maybe he wouldn't. The matter will be looked into. Whatever he was going to do later, he was getting her money as he went along.

NEW FIRM AT EUCLID

THEODORE NEIERS BUYS HALF INTEREST IN GENERAL STORE

FIRM WILL NOW BE STUHR & NEIERS — A STRONG FIRM

From Saturday's Daily—

Theodore Neiers has purchased a half interest in the general store at Euclid of Peter Stuhr and the firm name hereafter will be Stuhr & Neiers. The store has been doing a splendid business and is the oldest place of business in Euclid, tho it has changed hands several times.

Mr. Neiers has been making his home in Crookston since last fall, but prior to that bought wheat at Shelly for several years and a number of years ago was a resident of Euclid. He is a hard worker and a good business man, and as Mr. Stuhr already enjoys a big trade and widespread popularity, the new firm is certain to do well from the start.

STEPHEN MARKET DAY BIG SUCCESS

C. A. Hitchcock returned last evening from Stephen where a big market day was held yesterday. There was an immense crowd present, the business houses all did a big business and the farmers disposed of all their produce, stock, etc., at good prices and were well satisfied. Special entertainment was provided for the farmers and their families and they appreciated what was done for their benefit.

CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

D. D. Brodahl of the town of Garden filed for the nomination for county commissioner in the first district today. Mr. Brodahl will seek the nomination under the standard of the Socialist party.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Sold by all druggists.

LOW RATES TO STATE FAIR

WESTERN ASSOCIATION TAKES ACTION WHICH WILL INSURE

BIG CROWDS AT HAMLINE FROM AUGUST 31 TO SEPTEMBER 5

From Saturday's Daily—

The Western Passenger association has consented to an excursion rate of a cent and a half for the round trip to the Minnesota state fair. This will serve more than anything else to produce a record breaking attendance at the annual fair.

The officers of the state fair association have been laboring for about two years in an effort to secure a return to the old rate which was in force before the legislature enacted the 2-cent fare law. When the regular rate was 3 cents a mile the roads were accustomed to grant an excursion rate of one fare for the round trip during fair week. When the 2 cent law was put in force they refused to make any concessions or reductions from the regular rate, and the result was that last year's attendance at the state fair fell below the mark set in 1906.

The rate for this year of a fare and a half on the 2 cent basis, is equivalent to the one-fare rate on the 3 cent basis.

This will make the cost of the round trip ticket from Crookston $8.50.

LOST MEMORY LAST MONDAY

This morning Farmer Olson of Onstad township drove to the city and brought a man named Abraham Jacobson with him. Jacobson appeared at the Olson farm last Tuesday without hat, coat or vest. Mr. Olson tried to talk with him but Jacobson would not come close enough. He hung around the farm buildings for two days and this morning Olson finally managed to approach him. Jacobson talked only half intelligently. He said he lost his memory last Monday and did not know where he had been since. He did not know where his hat or other clothing was.

City Physician Randolph examined him, and was of the opinion that a few days' treatment at the hospital would bring him around all right and Commissioner Ben Clements ordered him taken to the Bethesda hospital where he will be given proper care.

CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERIES BEST FOR THE FARMERS

AN EXTRACT FROM THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY SHOWS THAT SUCH CREAMERIES GIVE FARMERS ON AN AVERAGE OF 8 CENTS PER POUND MORE FOR THEIR BUTTER FAT THAN THE CENTRALIZERS — KANSAS, NEBRASKA, SOUTHERN IOWA AND OTHER SECTIONS ARE IN THE COMPLETE GRIP OF THE MONOPOLY — FARMERS SHOULD STICK BY THE SMALL CREAMERY

Following are a few very interesting and pertinent extracts from the report of the chief of the Bureau of animal industry for 1907:

A special investigation has been made of economic and commercial conditions in the creamery business and information has been secured showing that there is practically a monopoly of this industry in some sections, while in others the business is largely conducted on a co-operative basis or there is fair competition, the result being that under the latter conditions the farmers are receiving from 6 to 8 cents a pound more for their butter fat than in territory controlled by the monopoly. This difference is due partly to the methods of the so-called "centralizers and partly to the inferior quality of the butter produced by those cencerns, because the cream is collected over a wide territory and much of it is received in a stale condition.

Farmers Lose Millions

That a very large percentage of the butter found in the market is below grade, selling for less than market prices for fine butter, and that the farmers in a very large area of butter-producing territory receive much less than a fair price for their product, are both matters of record. That the losses from these sources amount to millions of dollars annually to the farmers of the country is easily demonstrated.

Four Classes of Creameries

For convenience in designation, the creameries are divided into four classes. Co-operative creameries are owned and operated by the patrons—that is, the persons who [illegible] cream—and the entire receipts, less actual running expenses and sinking fund are divided among the farmers in proportion to the amount of butter fat delivered by each. Individual creameries are those owned and operated by private interest and doing local business. When three or more individual creameries are owned or controlled by the same interests, they are designated as combination creameries. The fourth class—"centralizers"—is composed of creameries that receive cream from greater distances than it can be hauled in by wagons the distances extending up to 400 or 500 miles. The plants are usually large, and an extensive system of agencies for the purchase of cream is maintained.

Co-operative Creameries Best for the Farmers

The investigations show that the co-operative creamery yields the largest returns to the farmer for his butter fat. The individual and combination creameries, usually being located in close competition with the co-operative creameries, pay very nearly as much.

The centralizers, where they have gained a monopoly, pay as little as the farmer will accept. Reports for July, 1907, show that in Kansas and Nebraska where the monopoly appears to be complete, the farmers received only 17 to 18 cents a pound for their butter fat, while in northern Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Illinois where the co-operative creameries have the field, the prices were from 25 to 26 cents.

Reprehensible Methods

The methods of the centralizers are sometimes very reprehensible. Where these concerns have come into competition with small creameries they have raised their prices to a point that made it impossible for the small concerns to continue, and have thus forced the latter out of business. Competition having been destroyed and a monopoly secured, the prices paid to the farmers were lowered. The large concerns operating over a great territory, with here and there a competitor that they wished to put out of business, could in one locality raise the price paid above that possible to pay with profit, and at other places decrease the price so little as not to be apparent and more than offset the loss. This ability to destroy competition without inflicting self-injury has been used effectively in many localities.

Unjust Discrimination

Perhaps the most potent factor, however, in restricting the business of the small creamery has been the special low rates reported to be granted by the railroads to the big creameries. These rates were understood to be much lower than for any similar commodity, being only about one-third of the rate on butter. In Nebraska, the best territory, the gross earnings for hauling cream were but 13 cents per car mile, while the settling basis between railroads for hauling empty cars was 15 cents per car mile.

Fangs of Monopoly

The system of killing the small creameries has been carried on to the fullest extent in southern Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, and Nebraska. Taking Kansas as an illustration, it is found that the number of creameries declined from 133 in 1900 to 67 in 1905, while in Minnesota in the same period there was an increase from 582 to 905. The decrease in Kansas is attributed to dissatisfaction and distrust on the part of the farmer with the central creamery, to the low prices paid, the poor quality of the butter, the killing of the small creameries, and the looss of all immediate contact between the farmer and the owner of the business. The increase in Minnesota can be accounted for by just the reverse set of conditions. The loss to Kansas farmers during the last year on account of the low prices alone is estimated at $1,000,000.

Kansas' Lost $12,000,000

If Kansas had made 50,000,000 pounds of butter, as it should, instead of 17,000,000 the income to the state would have been, on the same basis of valuation, at least $12,000,000 greater than it [illegible] year and there would have been no less wheat, corn, alfalfa, beef, pork, or any other crop raised. The reason why Kansas is not on a par with Minnesota, Iowa, and other great dairy states is because the industry has been promoted from the centralizer standpoint and not for the interests of the farmer. Fifteen years ago Kansas and Minnesota stood nearly equal with regard to the creamery industry. Now Minnesota is not only far ahead in volume of production, but the Minnesota farmer gets 6 and 7 cents a pound more for butter fat than does the Kansas farmer. What has been said of Kansas applies in general also to Missouri, southern Iowa and Nebraska.

Whole Milk Butter Best

Investigation has shown that the highest grade of butter is made only from whole milk delivered to the creamery fresh every day. This is possible only where there are local creameries at convenient distances. The longer the time between milking and churning the poorer the quality of the butter. Shipping cream by railroad except for very short distances is detrimental to the quality of the butter.

Farmers are the Losers

The centralizers, on account of receiving cream from long distances are unable to turn out as high-grade product as the local concerns that use fresher cream, but they are usually managed so as to get every possible cent of revenue from their material. They use the most improved methods of manufacture, get a maximum overrun, and prevent loss in every possible way. The small creameries, on the other hand are often very lax in these matters, but by reason of the superior quality of their product and their practice of giving full returns to the farmers they are still able to pay 6 or 7 cents a pound more for butter fat. By no means do all of the small creameries make fancy butter, however. Some of them have doubtless succumbed largely because of losses which might have been prevented by better methods.

Bad for Everybody

There can be no doubt that the tendency of the centralizing system is bad for both the farmer and the public. The effect is to exact high prices from the consumer and to pay low prices to the farmer, the profits going to the large operators who control the situation. The small local co-operative creameries should be encouraged. The dairy division is already endeavoring to assist the creameries to avoid losses by low overrun, loose methods, etc., and to improve the quality of their product where this is defective, by its service of inspecting and reporting on the butter as it arrives on the market, as hereinbefore described. In order that the farmers may receive proper returns for their product there should be a material improvement in the quality of the butter as found upon the market. This can best be accomplished by encouraging local creameries, better methods of manufacture, and, greatest of all, a discrimination as to quality in the markets. Butter is not bought on the basis of quality, as it should be, but the tendency is more and more in that direction.

Lack of Inspection

The chief handicap is a lack of inspectors. The work of the division already shows that national supervision of interstate trade in butter would operate greatly to the benefit of the creameries. The cost of Federal inspection would not be as great as might be at first supposed. A careful estimate based on experience already gained shows that 25 men could handle without difficulty this work. Part of these men could be detailed to work in the field with the creameries to give personal instruction to those most needing it. Such instruction will be needed, especially in the centralized territory where the small creameries will be established if conditions make it possible. It is the belief of many interested in this work that the increased returns to creameries thru such supervision and inspection would result in millions of dollars saved to the farmer each year.

Benefit of Publicity

Publicity as to the prices received by farmers in various sections for their butter fat would be a powerful agency in enabling the farmers to obtain better returns from the "centralizers." The department could gather this information and disseminate it. New York, Chicago, and Elgin quotations on butter are not printed in the papers published in the territory most affected by the centralizers. Only local quotations are published, and these are several cents below the actual market prices. The farmers in that territory have no way of finding out what the farmers of other sections are getting.

BURNED GRAIN PLOWED UNDE

CROPS AT DEVILS LAKE CUT F HAY, RAILROAD MAN SAYS

ALONG SOO AND G. N. LINES PORTS ARE FAVORABLE IN TENOR

From Tuesday's Daily—

Crop conditions and prospects North Dakota are very much mix according to G. M. Bowman and G. Thompson, traveling passeng agents for the Chicago, Milwaukee St. Paul who have just made exte ive trips thru the Flickertail sta Hot winds have struck the state spots, and wherever they have p vailed wheat and other grains ha been badly damaged, while elsewhe everything is in splendid condition.

"Along the main line of the S clear to Portal and the territo along the Great Northern everywhe except at Devils Lake things are fine shape," said Mr. Bowman, " Devils Lake the crops are all bu ed out, and the farmers are cutti their grain fields for hay and plo ing them under. There will not over half a crop in that vicinity. Fr Plaza out to Dodge on the branch the Soo the same thing is true."

Mr. Thompson stated that along t main line of the Northern Pacif from Valley City to Bismarck, a along the Cooperstown and Jamestown Northern branches the crops were badly damaged, while the Red River valley generally was in good condition.

"The country along the Great Northern between Casselton and Larimore and that along the main line of the Soo has the best crops this year," he added, "but if there are no more hot winds and some rainfalls the crop on the whole will be a splendid one. There was some rain during last week but it did not strike the places where it was most needed. Where the soil is light there is the greatest trouble.

It is said that the hot winds which prevailed in some portions of North Dakota two weeks ago caused the damage.

A Good Medicine

Laughter not only gains friends but it's a good medicine—keeps the eyes bright, the heart light and increases the number of red corpuscles. So does golden grain belt beer which is rich in food value and an aid to digestion. Better than tea or coffee for table use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

The hand of fate is always ready to grasp an opportunity.

MANY NOTABLES TO BE HERE

SENATOR STEPHENS RETURNS FROM SUCCESSFUL MISSION TO CITIES

DEDICATION OF STEPHEN'S HALL WILL BE A NOTABLE EVENT

From Tuesday's Daily—

Senator A. D. Stephens returned from Minneapolis and St. Paul yesterday morning where he concluded arrangements for the appearance here of James J. Hill at the dedication of Stephens Hall at the state school of Agriculture on the 16-17 of September

Congressman Davis who fathered the federal agricultural school bill will also be present and President Northrup of the State University and Secretary Randall have promised to come, conditionally Governer Johnson will probably be secured. This will constitute the biggest gathering of public men ever in Crookston at one time.

Provision will be made for entertaining 40 guests at the state farm, and this will assist the local hotels in taking care of probably the biggest crowd ever seen in Crookston.

The work on the new building will be far enough advanced so that the great exhibit of the agricultural resources of Polk county at the state fair can be shipped back and exhibited in the new building.

Senator Stephens is leaving no stone unturned to make the dedication of the magnificent new hall a grand success, and he will be seconded by every person interested in the most important educational institution in the Red River Valley.

UNCLE SAM WILL PAY THE POSTAGE

POSTAGE PENSIONERS RECEIVE PENALTY ENVELOPE WITH NEXT CHECKS

When the old soldiers, widows and [illegible] government receive their checks in return for the sending of the papers to the pension office at Washington, they will find enclosed what is termed a penalty envelope, an envelope that can be used only for the purpose sent for, else a fine of $300 is imposed by the government says an exchange.

These envelopes are sent to the old soldiers and others for the purpose of sending their papers to the pension office in October, and should not be thrown away when the checks arrive The rule of sending the postage to pensioners will effect the postoffice department to the extent of $800,000 annually.

BADLY HURT IN FALL FROM WAGON

LITTLE SON OF EX-CONGRESSMAN BOEN IS SERIOUSLY HURT

The 9-year-old son of ex-Congressman and Mrs. Haldor E. Boen fell from a loaded wagon, a short distance from Fergus Falls city, yesterday, and both wheels of the wagon passed over him. A portion of his skull was crushed in, and he was injured about the chest but will probably recover. Mr. Boen's eldest son was killed by falling from a wagon a few years ago.

DOING THEIR DUTY

Scores of Crookston Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick.

Backache and many kidney ills follow;

Urinary trouble diabetes.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all.

Crookston people endorse our claim Mrs. H. Johnson, of 217 Washington Ave., Crookston, Minn., say: "Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Wallace's drug store, proved of inestimable value to a member of our family who had suffered for a long time from kidney complaint. After a short use of this remedy all the symptoms of the trouble disappeared and the kidneys were invigorated. I also used Doan's Kidney Pills with excellent results for headaches, backache and that languid feeling so common to kidney complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

MUNCH GETS POACHERS AFTER THRILLING CHASE

THREE INDIANS AND A WHITE MAN LANDED IN RED LAKE COUNTY YESTERDAY AFTER DEPUTY GAME WARDEN MUNCH AND THE SHERIFF OF RED LAKE COUNTY HAD TRAVELED THREE DAYS AND TWO NIGHTS WITHOUT REMOVING THEIR CLOTHING AND GOING 200 MILES BY BOAT—THE QUARTETTE OF GUILTY ONES FINED AT RED LAKE FALLS YESTERDAY, HAD KILLED 5 MOOSE—FINES AGGREGATE $230 WITH COSTS ADDITIONAL

From Tuesday's Daily—

After traveling with the sheriff of Red Lake county for three days and two nights without sleep, or removing their clothing and traveling over 200 miles by boat, Deputy Game Warden Wm. Munch yesterday made the biggest "killing" made by any game warden in the north half of Minnesota in several years when he arrested three Indians and one white man in Red Lake County, brought them to Red Lake Falls and convicted the entire bunch of killing moose out of season the three Indians drawing a fine of $60 each or 60 days in jail and the white man $50 and costs making a total of $230 in fines besides the costs

Warden Munch last week convicted another party in Red Lake County and has been quietly working on the other cases for some time past getting conclusive evidence against them

Killed 5 Moose

In all they had killed five moose that he knew of positively but he did not want to flush the game till he had the entire party rounded up, and managed to get witnesses in every case without arousing any suspicions on the part of the poachers, who had they had the least intimation would have fled.

Had Musical Names

The names of the Indians are May-qua-me-wap (Sitting on the ice), Mac-ee-nock (Snapping Turtle), Note-ne-be-ness (Windy prairie chicken) the last two being also known as Big Oak and Lone Oak respectively, both of whom live on the reservation and have a wife and two children each. [illegible] sold the carcasses of 5 moose to John Sundblad of the Town of Hickory, Red Lake County at 7 cents a pound, who retailed the meat.

The arrest of this bunch of poachers will have a most salutary effect thruout that section of the country in the protection of wild game, and in making the haul Game Warden Munch holds the record for clever work. The poaching was done on the outskirts of civilization where it is all but impossible to secure evidence. However Warden Munch has a line of "spy skirmishers" which it is all but impossible to get away from and as soon as suspicions are aroused he takes the field himself and runs down every clue.

Defied Arrest

The gang that he has landed has heretofore defied arrest, but fell into his net and the gang is now effectively broken up and as a result there is no danger of further killing of big game in Red Lake or adjoining counties. To effect the capture of yesterday and the one made last week, Warden Munch has spent over two weeks in the woods, living the life of a hermit and undergoing all manner of hardships and his success is extremely gratifying to the sportsmen of this entire section of the state, who are standing behind him to a man in the enforcement of the game laws.

Made Threats

Among the poachers in Red Lake County, the feeling has run high against Warden Munch because he has enforced the law for the protection of big game to the letter, and threats have been made that he would be "accidentally" mistaken for a moose himself if he did not refrain from too great a degree of activity. The threats however, did not deter him and his last big haul of yesterday will put a quietus on poaching in Red Lake county for some time to

COLORED MAN IS CRUSHED

A CROOKSTON RESIDENT TERRIBLY SQUEEZED IN TRAIN VESTIBULE

AT FERGUS FALLS AND IS NOT EXPECTED TO SURVIVE

From Monday's Daily—

A negro who gives his name as Mose Brown was picked up on the Great Northern track at Fergus Falls Saturday after the passenger train which is due at 3:41 had passed thru that city. He was found by officer Osland and was bleeding terribly from ears and nose. A piece of canvas was secured and he was carried to a hospital.

Brown states that he was coming from Crookston—apparently stealing a ride—and attempted to squeeze out thru the vestibuling which had parted between two cars. The cars came together again, and he was terribly crushed.

He states that he was born in Iowa, and that he had been traveling more or less, having just come from Crookston. He states that he has a brother Dr. G. G. Brown in Atchison Kansas, and a sister, Mrs. Arthur Gray, in Washington, D. C. He is about 25 years of age, and unmarried.

His skull is fractured at the base of the brain and his recovery is in doubt.

CREAMERIES ARE THRIVING

Editor R. D. V. Carr of the Middle River Pioneer all 'round booster and baseball fan, was among those down to take in the ball game yesterday. He says the crops about Middle River are looking fine, and that the creamery there is thriving. Altho it is a small one, the business is increasing rapidly and good checks are being paid to the farmers. Last Friday alone, $2700 was paid out in cream checks. He says the dairying industry has a great future in that section of the country, and the farmers are all getting into it on a steadily increasing scale.

CHAPMAN IS PRESIDENT

MINNAPOLIS BANKER ELECTED HEAD OF MINN., BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

VISITORS LEFT DULUTH YESTERDAY FOR TRIP TO ISLE ROYALE

From Monday's Daily—

The fifteenth annual convention of the Minnesota Bankers' association closed at noon Saturday at Duluth after a business session at which the election of officers took place and representatives were named for the various committees on matters pertaining to banking.

The attendance was a record breaker over 450 having registered at convention headquarters. The visitors left Sunday morning for a trip on Lake Superior to Isle Royale.

The new officers are Joseph Chapman, Jr., Minneapolis, president; W. I. Prince, Duluth, vice president; Charles R. Frost, Minneapolis, secretary; L. Whitmore, Wabasha, treasurer; J. A. Latta, Minneapolis, member of executive council.

John S. Culver of St. Paul was re-elected chairman of the executive council.

NINE DISCHARGED FROM BANKRUPTCY

BIG BATCH ARE GRADUATED FROM NELSON CURE AT FERGUS

The following discharges in bankruptcy have been granted in the U. S. court in Fergus Falls. These discharges are granted by Judge M. D. Purdy this being his first official business there.

Anthony T. Danneker, High Landing, Red Lake County; Walter A. Lindquist, Barnesville; Rudolph E. Warner, Thief River Falls; Bennett Venaas, Breckenridge; Jordan O. Bustrak, Alma, Marshall county; Chas. F. Greene, Barnesville; Jens A. Hoff, Bemidji; James McDonnell, Keystone, Polk county; Charles A. Linder, Moorhead.

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stops the cough and heals lungs

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BOLD THIEF ON FARM

CLARENCE BALL IS HEAVY LOSER FROM HIS BED FELLOW

FREDERICS GOES THRU HIS POCKETS AND MAKES GOOD HIS ESCAPE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Anderson ranch on Sec. 11 of Crookston township is showing up of late with its share of sensations. Mr. Anderson hired a man to him unknown, about 6 weeks ago. The contract was to work till Dec. 1st by the month. The hired help which consisted of some day men who were assisting in putting up hay and a couple of men who were doing concrete work, slept in a house across the road from the main farm dwelling.

On Sunday evening the 2nd the monthly hand did not go to bed as early as the others. Clarence M. Ball son of J. M. Ball of this city who was working in concrete and with whom Frederics the monthly man slept, was dozing off to sleep when he noticed that Frederics was fumbling with his pants and then went out.

Ball felt for his watch to ascertain the time and failed to find it. He then gave the alarm and a search revealed the fact that Frederics had skipped taking with him about all of Ball's belongings which consisted of a new gold watch worth $26 and a chain, a family heirloom worth $55, a double barreled shotgun worth $55 and $6 in cash.

It was at first thought that he had taken with him one of the horses from the pasture but a thoro search showed that the fugitive had preferred to foot it.

Information was filed with the sheriff for the capture of the thief but no trace has yet been found of him.

It was but 11 o'clock when this was discovered and the other men were roused and a search started. As the men were dressing they heard a horse gallop away and supposed Frederics had stolen a horse also from the pasture, but the horse had been secured elsewhere or Frederics has a pal. Anderson and some of the men notified the police and sheriff at once, but thus far no trace of the bold thief has been found. All that Ball is sore about is that he lay in the same room and noticed Frederics frrisking his clothes and did not get suspicious till it was too late.

RANCHER SAVES BRIDGE FOR G.N.

USES HIS RUBBER BOOTS TO CARRY WATER TO PUT OUT FIRE

Passengers who arrived in Grand Forks yesterday morning from the west on train No. 2 the Oriental Limited of the Great Northern reported heroic work of George Thompson a rancher to prevent the destruction of a bridge near Buford by fire. He kept the fire under control until No. 2 arrived. Then the engine was used to put out the fire a hose and steam being turned on the fire. The bridge is a long one and it is understood that the company will suitably reward the rancher.

SOME FINE STRAWBERRIES RAISED IN BECKER CO.

Andrew Opheim and Otto Kankel of Fertile and Chas. Kankel of Ulen were guests of Oscar Flatner, Saturday and Sunday. The party visited Hawley Stockwood, and also drove out to Hon. H. O. Bjorge's farm and had a pleasant visit. Mr. Kankel is an experienced horticulturist, and was a great admirer of Mr. Bjorge's strawberry beds, which he said were the finest he has seen in the state.—Lake Park Journal.

WILL DECIDE THE GREAT QUESTIONS OF THE DAY

The "Shevlin Curbstone Debating Club" was organized last Monday evening with Arne Rauk as president and Adolph Erickson for secretary. The club will meet every Monday night in front of the hardware store. The subjects under discussion at the first meeting were: "Does the top of a wagon or buggy wheel travel faster than the bottom" and "Will it take more posts to fence over a hill than on the level?"

DEMAND WILL BE HEAVIER

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY LUMBER MAN MAKES ENCOURAGING FORECAST

THE CHEAP PRICE OF LUMBER WILL NOT LAST MUCH LONGER

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The Mississippi Valley Lumberman says that there will probably be a heavy demand for lumber during the remaining months of the year is believed by most people who have watched the trend of business. Since last fall building in the large cities of the country show it and if figures were available, it is probable that the falling off in the use of building materials in the country would be shown to be fully as great.

The volume of trade at the retail lumber yards indicates it, and the demand on the stocks of the manufacturers pointed the same way. Naturally the demand for lumber is less in a campaign year, but everything else argues for renewed activity this fall, and the retailer who is ready will gather the largest harvest of business.

The price of lumber has probably reached a lower point than it will ever reach again. The country is rapidly recovering from the business revulsion of last fall. Lumber is the only staple commodity that has declined materially in price and it is not going to stay down.

AUTOMOBILE TRIP TO DULUTH

PARTY OF PEMBINA, N. D. TOURISTS SPEND NIGHT IN THE CITY

G. G. Thompson, wife and son, and E. C. Warner and wife composed a party of Pembina, N. D. tourists that are making an automobile trip from Pembina to the head of the lakes. The party left Pembina yesterday forenoon arriving here last night, leaving this forenoon expecting to reach Staples tonight, their route will follow the N. P. tracks very closely. From Staples they expect to reach their destination the following day. The trip is made purely for pleasure, both gentlemen are enthusiastic automobilists and experts in handling a machine. The auto was housed last night in Bjoin & Carlson's garage.

BRO. DEACON SOLOQUIES (25c) THE ROVING (25c) GYPSIES

A big band of roving Gypsies camped here in the beginning of the week Some people scoff at their occult powers, but of such we enquire how could they tell us a perfect stranger whom they never set eyes on before, that, (25c) we had a generous disposition and were often taken for an easy mark, that, (25c) we had endured lots of trouble, but the clouds would now roll by, that, (25c) we had a secret enemy plotting against us but that we should lay him low, that, (25c) we should next season own an automobile but what cheered us most was (50c) that onions would fetch a dollar a bushel in the fall, and that we should scoop Mr. Chas. Edkins in the onion exhibit at our fall fair?—St. Vincent New Era.

TRADES NAG BACK DURING THE NIGHT

George Rosenberger a farmer residing near Gilby made complaint yesterday to State's Attorney Wineman that Mike Feldman a Grand Forks peddler had traded horses in his pasture without his consent. The men had a horse trade some time ago and Rosenberger turned the new horse into a pasture. A few nights ago his old horse was left in the pasture and the new one taken away. Feldman has been given until tomorrow to return the horse. It is believed that he got the worst of it in the first deal.

A LIVE WIRE SHOCK AFFECTS TRAVELING MAN

A live wire wound around a telephone pole at Hillsboro gave W. F. Vergowe a traveling man a severe shock at Hillsboro Wednesday evening. He stopped to talk to some one and rested his hand against the pole It came in contact with the wire and a heavy charge of the current gave him a very severe shock and burned his hand.

TERRIBLE FOREST FIRE IN BRITISH COLOMBIA

FERNIE IS WIPED OFF MAP

Fate of Four Other Towns Is in Doubt, All Communncation Being Cut Off.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 4.—The town of Fernie, B. C., is wiped off the map as a child cleans a slate. Michel, fourteen miles distant, is in flames, and the fate of Hosmer, Olson and Sparwood, intervening towns, is in doubt, they being cut off from all communication.

Over a hundred lives are known to have been lost, seventy-four of them in Fernie alone.

A territory of one hundred square miles in extent is a seething mass of flames. Through it are scattered hundreds of lumbermen and prospectors, so that the actual loss of life will not be known for days.

The properties of the Canadian Pacific and the Great Northern railways are destroyed, their bridges and rolling stock burned, so that it is impossible either to enter or leave the burning area.

People Fleeing in a Panic.

The inhabitants of the towns have fled to open districts in the vicinity in the hope of safety. From towns to the east and west the inhabitants are escaping as rapidly as possible. The railway companies have placed all available trains at their disposal.

Unless there is change of wind within the next twenty-four hours the whole of the Crow's Nest pass country will be left to the flames.

There is no possibility of estimating the loss of life and property which will result, for the flames are driven by a half gale, making it impossible to put up a fight against their advance

The conflagration is the greatest which has ever visited Canada, and ranks only with the San Francisco disaster.

Flames Sweep Over Fernie.

For the last month forest fires have been raging in the mountains of the Elk river valley country, but they have not been considered seriously. Saturday morning a heavy wind sprang up from the west, and early in the afternoon the flames appeared over the crest of the mountains to the west of Fernie. They ran down the mountain side, and before a fire guard could be organized had entered the town.

Within an hour the town was doomed and the inhabitants sought safety in flight, leaving their all behind them. All night and yesterday morning the exodus continued, the destination being a small prairie in the valley, three miles south of the town.

Three Thousand Refugees.

At present 3,000 people are camped there in the open, their only protection being shelters built of brush or blankets, while a constant shower of sparks from the burning area keeps falling through the pall of smoke by which they are surrounded.

For a time communication with towns to the east was kept open, but with the burning of the bridge across the Elk river this was closed. Scattered through the valley are many small prairies, and all of these have their groups of refugees. The hills in all directions are a seething mass of flames, cutting off every avenue of escape.

THOUSANDS ARE HOMELESS

Territory of 100 Square Miles in Crow's Nest Country Seething Mass of Flames.

Starvation Threatens Refugees.

Cranbrook, B. C., Aug. 4. — Fire is not the only danger which the people of the burning area have to face. Starvation has been added to the terrors. When the people left their homes for the protection camps little or no provisions were taken, and now there are some six thousand on the prairies with nothing to eat. The mayor of Fernie has sent out a call for assistance, which is being readily responded to.

A special meeting of the council of Cranbrook was held yesterday afternoon, and within an hour a car was being loaded with provisions, clothing and tents. Other cars will follow as rapidly as they can be loaded.

Word has been received from Vancouver, Calgary, Medicine Hat and Lethbridge that cars are also being loaded there, and several of them will be at the end of the steel by morning. Calgary is sending two cars, Medicine Hat two and Lethbridge one.

Rough estimates place the financial loss at $3,000,000 and loss of life at over a hundred.

Appeal to Premier for Help.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 4.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier received the following telegram last evening from Cranbrook, B. C.:

"Disastrous fire in Kootenay valley. Fernie, Hosmer, Crow's Nest and other places almost completely burned. Not less than 55,000 people homeless. Canadian Pacific railway carrying them to Elko and Cranbrook. Every effort is being made locally, but the people are utterly without food or shelter. Fire covers seventy miles. Seventy lives lost. Immediate relief required. Telegraph instructions at once."

The premier will consult his colleagues the first thing in the morning.

Cause of the Fire.

The cause of the fire has been traced to the burning of "slashings" in the camp of the Cedar Valley Lumber company, near Cranbrook. A great pile of light branches had been set on fire and the wind, suddenly rising, carried the flames into the forest.

The lumbermen saw the danger and made efforts to beat out the fire. Two of the men fell, overcome from smoke, and were lost, and all the rest were beaten back, while the fire began its march on Fernie and in the direction of Frank.

Relief for Sufferers.

Trains bringing in supplies have dumped their goods on the ground and they have been apportioned without confusion, the weak and helpless receiving their share as well as the strong.

Reports sent out from Calgary and widely circulated, to the effect that the death list will reach between 800 and 900 and the injured to some thousands, is most emphatically denied from all points in the stricken territory. The consensus of opinion is that the dead will not number more than a hundred when full details are known.

A wise man is apt to know when he has enough before he gets it.

SAW MILL BURNS AT BEAUDETTE

Shevlin-Mathieu Lumber Company Plant Is Destroyed With Loss Of $225,000.

The Shevlin Mathieu Lumber Co.'s big saw mill at Beaudette was destroyed yesterday afternoon by a fire which began at 3 o'clock. A blaze was first seen at the northwest part of the mill near the log slip and is thought to have originated from sparks from a burner.

Owing to the wind blowing strongly from the northeast the firemen were unable to check the flames before the main part of the mill was destroyed. However, the fire was under control before the lumber piles caught and by hard fighting the planer mill office and the company's house near the mill were saved from the flames. The estimated loss is $225,000 with insurance amounting to $113,000.

Tom Shevlin Jr., who passed thru Crookston this morning stated that the loss was not overestimated in the above statement.

Mr. Mathieu was formerly a resident of Crookston, at one time being connected with the active management of the Crookston plant.

As a rule only those who don't need advice are willing to take it,

At the seashore there is a lot more to see than the shore.

PRIMARY LAW IS APPROVED

SENTIMENT IN N. D. IN FAVOR OF MEASURE FIRST TRIED LAST JUNE

SOME AMENDMENTS ARE NEEDED ACCORDING TO GENERAL OPINION

North Dakota's new primary law was tested on June 24, when candidates were nominated for state and county offices and for seats in the legislature. The law differs from the South Dakota statute in several respects, chiefly in the selection of United States senators. In South Dakota the primary was the basis for the operation of the machinery used in selecting delegates to the national conventions; in North Dakota the delegates were selected under the old caucus and convention system.

North Dakota sentiment, no doubt, approves the new law, but the need of amendment and improvement is poited out by nearly every person interviewed on the subject. The legislature will doubtless undertake to make many changes in it next winter. Its friends assert that all defects can be cured and that the general framework of the law will never be seriously threatened.—Minneapolis Journal.

MRS. REMI FORTIER ENTERS FINAL REST

DEATH CAME SATURDAY NIGHT AT 11 O'CLOCK AFTER TWO MONTHS' ILLNESS

Saturday night at 11:30 o'clock Mrs. Juliea Fortier wife of Remi Fortier passed away at family hame 629 Hunter St., after an illness of 2 months the cause of death being a complication of liver and heart troubles. She had not been in rugged health for some time past, but it was not expected that dissolution would come so suddenly.

Deceased was 58 years of age and came to Gentilly from Canada 31 years ago, since which time the Fortier family has been one of the most prominent in the French colony in this section.

Mrs. Fortier was born at Pembroke Can., her maiden name being Juliea Thebeau and in 1871 she was married to Remi Fortier. The family resided there until October 1878 when they removed to the Red River Valley and settled on the homestead near Gentilly which Mr. Fortier had taken the year before. They resided on the farm until December, 1906, when they removed to Crookston and have resided here ever since.

Mrs. Fortier was a woman devoted to her family. She was a woman whose life was completely wrapped up in her husband and children, was a neighbor beloved by all and a friend to all those in trouble. Her death has caused widespread sorrow and the sympathy of the entire community goes out to the stricken husband and children.

She leaves a husband and 11 children to mourn her death, one other child having died in infancy. All of the sons are married and reside in this vicinity excepting Joseph who is west in Washington, and the daughters all reside at home excepting Anna who is a nun in the Sacred Heart convent in Duluth, Mrs. Jos. Amiot of Fairfax and Mrs. Jos. LeFave of Terrebonne. The children according to age are Josephine, Remi Joseph, Ston liaus, Celina (Mrs. LeFave), Isadore, Olive (Mrs. Amiot), Medric, Anna, Ellen and Mary Louise, all of whom were at the bedside of their mother excepting Joseph who cannot come.

Mr. Fortier is completely prostrated by the shock, and was unable to see any of his friends Sunday and some apprehension is felt regarding his condition. He has been very prominent in politics in this section for years, having served as county commissioner for years, and this year has spent practically all his time as a state ditch viewer in St. Louis and other northern counties.

MISTRIAL IN BOWEN CASE.

Bail of $5,000 Is Required for Defendant's Appearance Next Fall.

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 5.—The jury in the Bowen murder case, in Stanley county, was discharged yesterday after failing to reach an agreement. The bail of Bowen for his appearance at the next term of court was fixed at $5,000.

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PRAIRIE FIRE RAGED SUNDAY

160 ACRES WERE SWEPT CLEAN BEFORE A HIGH WIND THAT PREVAILED

WIND VEERED OR FARMER JOHNSON WOULD HAVE LOST HAY STACK

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday a prairie fire raged for some time on section 5, Fairfax township 3 miles southeast of the city and 160 acres of land was swept as clean as a board.

The fire started from a G. N. engine it is thought, and as there was a lot of old grass in the bottom it burned readily.

The wind veered just in time to save a hay stack belonging to farmer Johnson which was at first directly in the path of the fire. No damage was done but a lot of weeds were destroyed.

A prairie fire on the 2nd of August is a very uncommon occurrence in this section, but everything is as dry as tinder.

Monday afternoon south of Shirley midway between this city and Euclid a prairie fire was raging and burned over a 320 acre tract and the fire could be plainly seen from this city last evening lighting up the heavens to the north. This fire is supposed to have started from the engine of a passing Great Northern freight train.

In the territory near this fire there are hundreds of hay stacks which have not yet been plowed around and unless rain falls at once there is grave danger of heavy losses in this direction.

The hot weather, coupled with drying winds has made the grass like tinder, and wherever there is a little dead grass from last year to give the fire a start it will burn readily.

This is the earliest that prairie fires have been recorded in the history of the country according to the pioneers. None of the grain is ripe enough to burn barring a few barley fields and there is no danger to the grain as there is no last year's growth close to the ground thru which a fire could get food to run on.

HAAS LICENSE IS REVOKED

NO DEFENSE WAS OFFERED BY JOHN HAAS LAST EVENING

At a meeting of the Moorhead council last evening the license to sell liquor held by John Haas was revoked and as a result the large saloon at the north bridge will be closed. The session of the council was executive The defendant had been notified to appear and show cause why his liquor license should not be revoked, it being charged that his establishment had been kept open after hours and that gambling was allowed. The case of the prosecution was presented but the defendant failed to appear either in person or by counsel and the license was revoked.

TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS.

Switchman Run Over and Killed — Roadmaster Killed.

Aberdeen, S. D., Aug. 5.—Two accidents on the St. Paul railroad, one in this city, the other near Groton, caused the instant death of two men and the serious injury to another. E. W. Bannon, a switchman, was run over by a string of freight cars.

The other accident happened last evening, the victims being L. C. Klickner, roadmaster at Andover, killed, and Chris Olson, section foreman, of Groton badly hurt.

Hunter Killed by Accident.

Heron Lake, Minn., Aug. 5.—Leonard Hemming accidentally shot and killed himself yesterday morning. He was going hunting with some friends and, arriving at the grounds, pulled his gun from the rear of the wagon, when it was discharged, the entire charge entering his body at the pit of the stomach.

PUTS LID ON DES MOINES.

Son of Pawnbroker, Held for Violating Sunday Ordinance Seeks Revenge.

Des Moines, Aug. 5.—Angry because his father, a pawnbroker, was arrested for keeping open on Sunday, Louis Seigel, aged fifteen, started to put on the Sunday lid by swearing out warrants against half a dozen candy, cigar and drug stores, charging violations of the anti-Sabbath closing law. Siegel purchased stuff at each place and will use it for evidence.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

From our Exchanges

FERTILE
(Journal)

P. E. Hogenson went to Crookston Tuesday on business.

Mrs. H. L. Gaylord returned yesterday from a visit to her son at Grand Forks.

Mrs. J. A. Gregerson returned from a week's visit with relatives near Crookston, Saturday.

Eugene Bray is here from Crookston, having secured several jobs of painting and paper-hanging in town

At a meeting of the Board of Education held Saturday night, T. H. Nesseth was elected president of the board, J. A. Gregerson secretary and Norman Hanson treasurer.

Mrs. L. E. George and children returned last Friday from a two week's visit with relatives at Crookston. She was accompanied home by her mother who will spend a few weeks here.

As soon as the new steel bridge is in place at the old mill the old wooden structure now in use will be moved a mile or so down the river and used for a new road to be laid out along the section line west of the brick yard.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Miss Rose Sorenson on Tuesday afternoon. New officers were elected with the following results: Mrs. Albert Gullickson, president; Mrs. Olson vice president; Mrs. S. C. LaDue, Secretary; Mrs. Anton Odlaug, Treasurer.

BAGLEY
(Independent)

Miss Pearl Downing assistant in the clerk of court's office has returned from a visit with relatives at Borup, Minn.

Anton Nelson returned to Bagley Sunday night after an absence of a month during which time he has been at Fargo, Crookston and Maple Lake.

Mrs. O. T. Docken and daughter Ruth, of Grand Forks, arrived Monday morning on a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holt.

On Monday of this week the Palace barber shop passed into the management and will hereafter be conducted under the name of Wilde & Barness.

There will be a ball game here Sunday between Bagley and a team composed of University of Minnesota students who are now studying forestry at Itasca State Park.

ADA
(Herald)

The Reading Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Lambert Roesch last night, Miss Etna Dawley of Long Beach, Cal., being the guest of honor.

The ball game between Crookston and the home team on Ada grounds was a one-sided affair. The visitors did not get a single look-in while the Ada team ran up 11 scores.

Nels Johnson started work with his new plowing outfit on the Larson farm north of the city Monday. The four gangs are drawn by a thresher engine and new rig proves to be very successful.

Carl Stevens came down from Crookston Friday night and will spend a few weeks vacation at his home near Ada. Mr. Stevens has been traveling for the Crookston Marble Works and has been very successful.

The first of the series of open air concerts to be given by the Ada Band will occur on Friday evening of this week at the city hall. Director Benson has been doing some strenuous work with the boys and the band will soon be one of the top notchers in this section.

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

WORK OF MINN. DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSION

BULLETIN NO 28, EDWARD K. SLATER, COMMISSIONER

An apparently wide-spread opinion prevails that there is no genuine blackberry brandy upon the market. This is not strictly true, altho the department inspectors continue to find considerable quantities of so-called blackberry brandy which is very inferior in quality.

It is quite generally known that there are large quantities of the above named products upon the market which are made from waste material, such as grape pomace which is the refuse after the juice has been pressed from the grape and the waste products of canning factories. Too much cannot be offered in condemnation of the product which has for its base such material when it is sold to an unsuspecting public as pure blackberry brandy.

Some of the so-called blackberry brandies and blackberry cordials are being sold in this state bearing upon their labels the guarantee of the National Food & Drugs Act of June 30, and in some cases instances the added statement that the product has been analyzed by the Minnesota Dairy & Food Department and declared legal. The retail dealers are warned not to buy or sell products bearing a statement that they have been analyzed by this department. There is no provision in the state law authorizing such use of analysis made by the state chemist and where such a statement is used prosecution will be instituted against the dealer offering the product for sale. The courts will be asked to determine the legality of the misbranding law, which prohibits any statement on a label which is misleading.

Frequent notices to dealers and the public have been issued from this office as to the worthless character of these products and many prosecutions of offenders have been made, but notwithstanding this, it is evident that more stringent regulations must be made for the protection of the consumer.

It is therefore required that a product labeled "Blackberry Brandy" shall be a distilled product of the fruit of the blackberry bush and the label must bear the name and address of the manufacturer.

"Blackberry cordial" shall be the juice of the blackberry and may be sweetened with cane or beet sugar and fortified with neutral spirits. The label shall also bear the name and address of the manufacturer.

"Imitation, Compound Blackberry Cordial," or Artificial Compound Blackberry," may be manufactured from other fruit juices and may contain cane sugar, beet sugar or glucose, and be fortified with neutral spirits. If added coloring matter is used, this fact must be stated upon the label. If made up from refuse materials, such as grape pomace, or from fragments or trimmings of other fruits, a statement of such facts shall also appear upon the label as well as the name and address of the manufacturer.

"Blackberry Wine" shall be composed of the fermented juice of the blackberry and may contain cane or beet sugar, provided that a statement to that effect appears on the label, together with the name and address of the manufacturer.

The use of preservatives, coal tar colors and sacoharin is prohibited by law.

All descriptive matter on labels must be printed in type not less than 18 point, bold faced, Gothic capitals for bottles and similar containers, and in letters at least one-half inch in length on barrels, kegs and similar containers. When the product is removed from the original package the container in which it is sold shall also bear a similar label.

In view of the fact that blackberry brandy is often used for medicinal purposes, and that it is very necessary that its purity be above suspicion this department desires that the fullest publicity possible be given these rulings. The consuming public can assist greatly in the enforcement of the law if they will give particular attention to the labels of the product when it is offered to them.

People who dwell in paper houses should refrain from casting insinuations.

About all you have to do to make a boy hate any particular kind of food is to tell him that it is healthful.

WANT SCHOOL AT ST. HILAIRE

ENTHUSIASTS AFTER A SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE FOR RED LAKE COUNTY

WILL VOTE ON PROPOSITION THIS FALL — ENTHUSIASTS ARE BUSY

From Friday's Daily—

Red Lake County plans soon to have a school of agriculture and it will probably be located at St. Hilaire. The people of Red Lake Co., will vote on such an institution this fall and the money it is thought will be available.

Jens Nelson, the St. Hilaire druggist who is enthusiastic over the proposition passed thru Crookston last evening enroute to Minneapolis where he will confer with the officials of the St. Anthony Park school regarding the proposed building and the most pracaical buildings to start with together with the course that would be the most suitable for an institution of that character and see what encouragement can be secured.

BOUND OVER ON STATUTORY CHARGE

WM. NEWHOUSE HELD TO GRAND JURY BY JUDGE McLEAN

This afternoon Wm. Newhouse residing south of the city was bound over to await the action of the next Grand Jury by Judge McLean on a statutory charge, the complaining witness being Miss Alma Herberg, whose home is near Burwell, and who was working at the Newhouse home last fall and winter. The complaining witness is the mother of a child born July 20. Bail was fixed at $500 and was promptly furnished. Newhouse waived examination and will fight the case. C. O. Longley appeared for the defendant, E. O. Hagen represented the state and Wm. P. Murphy took the evidence.

BEMIDJI BAND RE-ORGANIZED

PROF. FRED THERIAULT OF CASS LAKE HAS BEEN ELECTED DIRECTOR

The Bemidji band and orchestra has been reorganized. Several new players have been added and a number of new instruments purchased. Prof. Fred Theriault who has for some time been at Cass Lake will instruct the new organization. The coming campaign work ought to be an incentive to making all bands get busy.

REFUSES TO GIVE UP THE FARM

FORMER OWNER OF FARM REFUSES TO GIVE UP UNDER FORECLOSURE

August Olson lost his farm several years ago thru a foreclosure sale of a mortgage held against the place. But ever since he has been a source of trouble to the present owners persisting in remaining on the place, refusing to acknowledge any other owner.

The farm is located near Fertile and is owned at present by Ole Tiegen of this city. He recently found Mr. Olson cutting hay on his place and refusing to stop and had a warrant sworn out against him and he was today brought before Judge McLean and placed under bonds to appear before the district court.

Big Lake Creamery Burned.

Big Lake, Minn., Aug. 1. — The Cooperative Creamery company's plant in this place was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The loss is $3,000 and the insurance $1,300. It is expected the plant will be rebuilt.

Militiamen Drowned.

Ashland, Neb., Aug. 1.—Joy Wright and George Fogle, members of the Nebraska City company of the national guard of Nebraska, now in camp here, were drowned yesterday while bathing in the Platte river.

Aeronaut Is Killed.

Jackson, Mich., Aug. 1. — William Oliver, a young aeronaut of Mason, Mich., was killed yesterday while making a parachute drop at Hague Park, on Vandercook lake, near here.

Jabs Screwdriver in Eye.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 1. — While using a screwdriver on a lathe yesterday, H. Borches slipped and plunged the point into his eye, causing loss of sight.

PRISON MOWERS ARE TESTED

PRISON MADE MACHINES ARE PROVEN TO FULFILL ALL THE REQUIREMENTS

WASHINGTON COUNTY FARMERS SAY IT LEADS ALL OTHER MACHINES

From Friday's Daily—

Reports have been received by Warden Henry Wolfer from six farmers of Washington county who have tried the "Minnesota" mower made at the state prison as samples for experiments with a view to the general manufacture of such machines and harvesters in the prison. The results of all the tests were highly gratifying.

The farmers who used them in addition to the one third on the prison farm, were: Charles Lund of New Scandia; J. P. Perkins, Denmark; Peter Thompson, Langdon, and Andrew Richmond and Robert Harrington both living near this city. They say it is the best mower they ever used. It has simplicity of construction is durable will work perfectly in tangled and down clover or other grass, and will not clog up in wet meadows.

Rush work is going on in the prison shop to get other harvesters ready to be tested. They will be ready in time to use in the late harvest in the northern part of the state.

G. A. E. FINLAYSON FILES FOR CO. ATT'Y

MAKES THIRD CANDIDATE — INTERESTING FIGHT NOW ON—HAGEN-FINLAYSON-LAVIK

Attorney George A. E. Finlayson today filed for the nomination of county attorney and will contest field with Attorneys Hagen and Lavik already in the field. Mr. Finlayson is well known thruout the county having been raised on a farm near Angus and graduated from the Crookston high school. He gained considerable football fame during his college days at the Minnesota university.

AUTO PARTY WENT INTO DITCH

Messrs J. H. Maybury, Ernest Rolsch, and Carl Riedesel started for Grand Forks today as guests of Harry Falk in the big touring car. When three miles from Fisher Mr. Falk started to turn on a road leading west when Mr. Rolsch shouted that the road straight ahead was much better. Mr. Falk turned the machine back to the first road but because of the grass at the end of the culvert, thought the culvert extended farther than it did.

One front wheel went off the end of the culvert, stopping the machine with a sudden jerk which threw the entire party out. Mr. Riedesel struck on his face and lost several teeth and also sprained his wrist. Mr. Rolsch lit on his knees and his right leg is severely injured, the other two occupants escaping injury. The car was moving slowly at the time or the accident would have been more serious. A farmer drove them to Davidson and they came in on the N. P. and were taken care of by Dr. Dunlop.

When it comes to giving advice lazy men usually work overtime.

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WATER WORKS CO. WINS IN SUIT BROUGHT BY ARTES. WELL OWNERS

Ed Erickson, respondent, vs. Crookston Waterworks Power & Light company, appellant.

Syllabus: First—The rule announced in Erickson vs. Crookston Waterwork Power & Light Co., 100 Minn. 481, that the law of correlative rights applies to the use of artesian waters by adjoining landowners, is adhered to.

Second—What constitutes reasonable use is a question of fact to be determined from the facts and circumstances of each particular case.

Third—Appellant is a corporation, organized for the express purpose of furnishing water to the inhabitants of the city of Crookston for domestic and municipal purposes.

Fourth—For a number of years the water for such purposes was taken from the Red Lake river and distributed thru a system of mains and hydrants and used indiscriminately for domestic purposes and for flushing sewers, sprinkling streets, extinguishing fires, running elevators, etc. The river water having become contaminated, appellant was obliged to resort to the artesian basin underneath the city to secure suitable water for its purposes and in so doing, altho it installed the most economical and approved method of pumping the waters, it resulted in lowering the head of respondent's well so that it became necessary for him to resort to the use of artificial power.

Pumping by appellant from the artesian basin for the purpose of furnishing water to its inhabitants for domestic purposes does not constitute an artificial taking as distinguished from the right enjoyed by private well owners. Both stand upon the same basis, subject to the rule of correlative rights.

The court was not justified by the evidence in limiting the use of artesian waters by appellant in its present system of mains so that it should not lower the head of water in respondent's well below the point of fifty feet from the surface and in further finding that it would be an unreasonable burden to require respondent to resort to the necessary means of pumping the water from a depth of more than fifty feet. Whether respondent and others similarly situated may be required to lift the water in their wells from a point below fifty feet, depends upon whether it is reasonably necessary for appellant to reduce the head of water below that point in order to furnish the inhabitants of Crookston and the municipality with water for all the purposes mentioned.

The evidence did not justify the trial court in finding that it was commercially feasible and practicable to install in the city an independent system of mains and pipes for the purpose of furnishing river water for other than domestic purposes.

Reversed. —Lewis, J.

The above decision was handed down yesterday by the Supreme Court of Minnesota in the famous appeal case of Erickson and others in a suit brought to restrain the Crookston Water Works Power & Light Co., from lowering the head of artesian water to such a point as stopped a flow from their wells, and, as they claimed, practically ruined their water supply. In his decision Judge Watts issued an injunction restraining the Water Works Co., from lowering the head of water more than 50 feet below the natural head, and the Supreme Court reversed this decision for the reasons stated in the above syllabus.

This is a complete victory for the Water Works Co., as it is held that they might have the right to use the water for furnishing a supply to the residents of Crookston thru the mains and also holds that no showing was made to the effect that it was practicable to lay another set of mains for flushing of the streets, fires, etc.

The plaintiffs in the suit, who were the respondents in the appeal, have not determined as to whether they will fight the case further, and their attorneys will not be able to decide until they have received the full text of the decision in the famous case, which has aroused more interest in Crookston than any other municipaly litigation in the history of the city.

ENTERED PLEA OF GUILTY TO ATTEMPT BLACKMAIL

HAROLD WOLD OF HALLOCK FACES TERM IN PRISON FOR USING THE UNITED STATES MAILS TO GET $100 FROM J. KITCHEN, A PHOTOGRAPHER OF WALHALLA, WHOM WOLD CLAIMS IS GUILTY OF A SERIOUS CRIME—WOLD THREATENED TO TELL WHAT HE KNEW UNLESS KITCHEN CAME OVER WITH THE COIN—TO FERGUS FALLS TONIGHT

From Saturday's Daily—

United States Marshal H. A. Rider of Little Falls arrived last evening from Hallock having in custody Harold Wold who is charged with having used the United States mails in an attempt to blackmail. J. Kitchen photographer of Walhalla, N. D. Wold wrote a letter in which he demanded $100 at once or he would tell of an occurrence in the photograph gallery at Walhalla 2 years ago.

Wold claims that the incident was an attempted statutory crime on the part of the photographer which the Wold boy would not permit. Wold is well connected and the affair has created a big sensation. Postoffice Inspector Hughes secured the evidence against Wold who had a hearing before United States Commissioner C. H. Mix today and admitted his guilt. Wold was at once held to the United States Court at Fergus and bail was fixed at $500 which he could not furnish, and he will be taken to Fergus to await sentence today.

Wold is a young man of very good appearance and speaks good English tho he has been from Norway but four years. He evidently did not realize the seriousness of his crime, and did not have any advice to waive examination, having no attorney. When informed by Commissioner Mix that he would have to go to jail unless he furnished bail the tears streamed down his cheeks.

Following is the tell-tale letter which he admitted writing:

"Hallock, Minn. June 11. Mr. J. Kitchen, Walhalla, N. D. Dear sir: This proof represents boy who had a picture taken in to your shop at Walhalla about two years ago. The proof is sent to you to look and see if you can remember what you done to him in the wash room when the chap had his picture taken. I am the boys father and never had any idea about your business until now when the boy came to me and told me about it. We also got strong witness on you as he is not the only one you had in your business around that vicinity. I have been searching and have found them good and strong. Now I ask you to send me $100 in spot cash inside the 28th of this month if not will have you arrested and you know your place will be in the state prison. So if you want to save your position and little of honor, you better settle with given amount of money inside of given time. It is no use for you to skip as there is a party at Walhalla notified to watch you from leaving the city. Judge with yourself now what you will do rather go to state prison before this month is out or settle with money.

Respectfully,
—Harold Wold,
R. F. D. No. 1 Box 23 Hallock, Minn.

My Hair is Scraggly

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STATES WILL GET BENEFIT

ESTABLISHING OF FOREST RESERVES WILL NOT RESULT IN LOSS OF TAXES

RESOURCE OF FORESTS ARE PRESERVED BY WISE GOVERN'T SUPERVISION

From Saturday's Daily—

In addition to the benefits secured by fire protection and by regulations which control the use of timber land and range so as to insure permanent supplies for local wants, the states having national forests now receive under the new Agricultural appropriation bill 25 per cent of the gross proceeds derived from the sale of the national forest resources. This amount according to law, goes to offset any losses to the states thru withdrawal of forest areas from taxation and is devoted to public roads and schools.

Several years ago complaints were made that the withdrawal of timber lands for forest purposes reduced the taxable areas of the states in which the withdrawals were made. The Forest Service quick to see the justice of these complaints, recommended at first that 10 per cent, and later that 25 per cent, of the gross proceeds from the national forests should be paid to the states. As a result, the states are assured of school and road funds, doubtless more certainly than they otherwise could have been, since the permanence of the forest resources is now secured by conservative management. Had the forests never been established, their resources would undoubtedly have been exhausted by hasty and improvident methods of exploitation leaving the land wasted and unproductive.

KETCHELL BEATS KELLY IN 3 ROUNDS

Coliseum, San Francisco, Aug. 1—Stanley Ketchell knocked out Hugo Kelly of Chicago in the third round A left shift to the jaw, after Kelly had all the better of the two opening rounds, gave the latter his quietus.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

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A SAD CASE OF INSANITY

YOUNG MOTHER OF SIX CHILDREN TAKEN TO FERGUS FALLS LAST NIGHT

MRS. BERTINE MARUM OF SLETTEN THE UNFORTUNATE WOMAN

Yesterday afternoon in the office of Probate Judge Morken, Drs. Holte and Nelson declared Mrs. Bertine Marum insane and she was taken to Fergus Falls last evening by Deputy Sheriff Daniels and her brother, Jens Vedvig of Cavalier, N. D.

The unfortunate woman is the wife of Peter Marum of Sletten, and is the mother of six children the youngest of whom is 10 months old. Extreme nervousness, which weakened her mind and gave rise to all manner of suspicions regarding plots against her was the cause of her trouble. She is 30 years of age and her husband 60.

The case is a very pathetic one in every respect. Mrs. Marum is the woman who created a scene on the street Tuesday night when relatives and friends tried to get her to go to the home of a friend for the night during which she got very angry and threatened dire vengeance to a student minister who was assisting her brother in taking care of her.

P.M. WAS SHORT TECHNICALLY

Sven S. Moen postmaster at Shelly was brought before U. S. Commissioner C. H. Mix today by Deputy U. S. Marshal Ryder charged with the embezzlement of U. S. postal funds, and waived examination and was bound over to the U. S. court at Fergus Falls under $500 bonds which were furnished by L. M. Hanson and L. J. Hetland, both of Shelly.

The complaint recites that on Sept. 28 last year defendant was short $250. There is no shortage now and the postmaster claims there never was any, but that the money was deposited in the bank at Shelly in his name instead of in the name of the United States. The examiner sent in the alleged shortage which was turned over to him by Postmaster Moen from the bank at that time, so that it was merely a technical mistake on the part of the postmaster in not forwarding the money to a U. S. depository instead of depositing it in the bank of Shelly.

CHAS. SOLBERG BADLY INJURED

This afternoon the dray team of Chas. Solberg became frightened at an automobile and ran away. Mr. Solberg fell from the wagon and was dragged for some distance on his face badly scratching it. The team dashed down the N. P. tracks from the depot turning off back of the Hamel cottage at the foot of third street where the team ran thru an archway in the fence and stopped in the yard. Mr. Solberg was badly bruised but was able to get home.

DIES WAITING ON BABY.

Man Gets Drink for Infant and Falls Dead Beside Bed.

La Crosse, Wis., July 30.—Carl Farrer, a Syrian, got up during the night at the request of his wife to get a drink of water for the baby which was fretful, and after handing the tumbler to his wife he dropped dead of heart failure beside the bed.

Two Accidental Deaths.

Marquette, Mich., July 30. — Two Ishpeming young men are dead, the result of accidents. Bert Sedgman, thirty years old, was drowned in Escanaba river last evening while swimming. His body was recovered. Clement Gibbs, aged nineteen, was thrown by a horse and his skull was fractured.

Three Dozen Indicted.

New York, July 30.—Thirty-six men were indicted by the Kings county grand jury on charges of violating the anti-gambling laws at the race track. Those indicted include some of the most prominent men who formerly occupied stools in the betting rings.

Saengerfest Has Deficit.

La Crosse, Wis., July 30.—Artistically and socially the Northwestern German saengerfest, just closed in this city, was a success, but financially it fell short of expectations. It is estimated that the deficit will be between $6,000 and $8,000.

Woman Burned to Death.

Sisseton, S. D., July 30.—Mrs. Ovie Hanson, living a few miles northeast of Sisseton, is dead as the result of the explosion of a gasoline stove. Mrs. Hanson was so badly burned that she died.

NO SPECIAL ELECTION

SHOULD MAYOR McPHEE BE NOMINATED FOR SHERIFF HE WILL TIME

RESIGNATION SO SUCCESSOR CAN BE ELECTED ON DATE OF FALL ELECTION

From Friday's Daily—

There has been considerable talk going the rounds which emanated from certain candidates, to the effect that if Mayor J. D. McPhee was successful in securing the nomination as the Republican candidate for sheriff, the city of Crookston would be put to the expense of holding a special election, which would cost the city several hundred dollars.

The Journal interviewed City Attorney O'Brien regarding this matter to see what the conditions would really be and learned from him that while a special election would be necessary in case Mayor McPhee resigned, that the council could call it on the same date as the general election in the fall, and that the only additional expense to the city would be the printing of the separate ballot which would cost about $2.

City Clerk Childs was also interviewed and made the same statement The city council must call a special election not less than 20 nor more than 30 lays after the reignation of the mayor, and if the election was set on the same date as the general election, the same judges and clerks would do the work as officiated at the general election, and the same poll lists would govern.

Mayor McPhee was next seen and stated to the Journal that in case he was nominated as the Republican candidate for sheriff he would time his resignation so that the council would call an election on the same date as the general election and that he was willing to stand the cost of the extra ballots, the munificent sum of $2, out of his own pocket.

Thus he would not necessarily tender his resignation until the first week in October and still be in plenty of time for the election of a successor at the general election, and this will be some time after the result of the primaries which will be held Sept. 15, are known.

His resignation can be tendered to take effect any time between the time he tenders it and the first of the year.

This disposes definitely of any objections to his candidacy because of entailing extra expense or trouble to the city or citizens.

PRINCE'S VISIT ENDS.

Departure From Quebec Marked by Scenes of Enthusiasm.

Quebec, July 30. — The visit of the prince of Wales came to an end last night when the prince went aboard the battleship Indomitable, which sailed shortly after midnight. The departure of his highness was marked by the same scenes of enthusiasm which marked his arrival a week ago.

Vice President Fairbanks and the American army officers leave to-day.

Quebec will continue to celebrate for several days.

TWO HURT ON THE CENTRAL.

Engineer Is Scalded and Bridge Constructor Struck.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., July 31.—Engineer Robert Buckstaff of the Wisconsin Central was badly scalded about the head, breast and arms by steam escaping from his engine, which toppled over on account of spreading rails near Solon Springs.

John Beyer sustained a broken leg and internal injuries, being struck by a swinging timber on the Wisconsin Central bridge.

Killed in Panic.

New York, Aug. 1.—A woman was killed and nine other persons were injured in a panic on a trolley car on the Brooklyn bridge last night when a fuse blew out.

High School Teacher Drowned.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 1. — Miss Clare I. McNown, for seven years a member of the Eau Claire high school faculty, was drowned last night in Rice lake.

Landslide Destroys Town.

Innsbruck, Austria, Aug. 1. — The village of Merh-les-Bains has been destroyed by a landslide. Sixteen persons are reported to have been killed.

Drowned While Swimming.

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 1. — While swimming Fred Juber, eighteen years old, was drowned in the Raccoon river here yesterday.

MURDERS SONS; KILLS SELF.

Homesteader's Wife Commits Acts While Insane.

Bonesteel, S. D., July 31. — Mrs. Frank Pinkham, wife of a homesteader near Bonesteel, last night cut the throats of her two boys, aged fourteen years and six months, and then committed suicide by cutting her own throat. Ill health is supposed to have unbalanced her mind. The older lad may possibly recover.

PENPUSHERS HAVE RETURNED

MINNESOTA EDITORS RETURN FROM TRIP THRU WESTERN CANADA.

EDITOR IVES HAD SET-TO WITH A FOUR-FOOTED ELK

From Thursday's Daily—

The party of 120 Minnesota editors and their ladies who left St. Paul on the afternoon of July 17, for the annual summer outing of the Minnesota Editorial association, returned to their homes today, after what every member of the party declared to be the most strenuous and at the same time one of the most delightful journies the association ever made.

The itinerary covered a distance of 3,460 miles and lay thru Northern Minnesota and Canadian provinces of Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta. The stopping points on the way were Duluth, Fort Francis, International Falls, Winnipeg, Dauphin, Kamsack, Humboldt, Prince Albert, Battleford, Lloydminster, Vermillion, Wetaskiwin, Red Deer, Calgary, Banff, High River, Macleod, Lethbridge, Cardston, Medicine Hat, Moose Jaw, Regina, Davidson, Saskatoon, Strassburg, Virden, Brandon, Portage la Prairie and Winnipeg.

A Grand Trip

The editors declared that what they experienced on the journey amounted to a revelation.

The editors made their journey on a special train, secured from the Great Northern and never changed cars once during the journey. There were but two railroad accidents, both rather slight. While the train was moving westward one night from North Battleford, Saskatchewan, on the Canadian Northern, at about 25 miles per hour, the tender suddenly left the track.

The engineer quickly threw on the air brakes, and brought the train to a stop, but not until the wheels of the tender had torn up the ties for several rods and broken one steel rail. The rest of the cars remained on the track. The passengers experienced scarcely any disturbance, and few of them woke until next daylight, when they found their train at a standstill. A section crew was early on the scene and the track was repaired. Only the wheels of the tender left the track at all.

Accident to Engine

The other accident occurred early in the day while the train was speeding along the Great Northern track towards the Twin Cities from Emerson The train crew had undertaken to make a new record, and the train was rushing at a tremendous rate of speed It had passed the Winnipeg flyer and at 2 a. m. was nearing Fergus Falls when a flue in the boiler burst. The rushing engine quickly slowed down and the engineer found that it was entirely out of commission. The train was brought to a standstill and had to be pushed to Fergus Falls by another passenger train. By 5:20 another engine had been procured and once more the train was tearing along at a tremondous rate. The distance from Fergus Falls to Sauk Center, 70 miles, was made in an hour and 25 minutes. About the same rate was kept up as far as Minneapolis.

Two Elks in Conflict

Another exciting diversion was experienced by the party at the fair grounds at Brandon, Manitoba. H. E. Ives, editor and proprietor of the St. Hilaire Spectator, himself an Elk, tried to take a picture of a four-footed elk, when the animal charged on him. Mr. Ives grabbed one of the animal's horns and pushed his head aside, but the elk struck at the editor with a front hoof tearing a portion of his coat off. Mr. Ives rushed out of the pen, while the animal stamped on the piece of coat. A few minutes later the elk started to walk away and Mr. Ives pluckily went back into the pen secured the missing piece of coat, and got the coveted snap-shot of his assailant.

During the last banquet of the party, which was given yesterday afternoon by the officials and citizens of Winnipeg at the Hotel Alexandria in that city, the association presented to the president and to each member of the executive committee a beautiful token of the high esteem in which these officers were held by the association, and of the high appreciation that the party felt for the skill and success with which the trip had been managed. To the president, W. M. James, editor and proprietor of the Breckenridge Telegram, was presented a large box of table silverware. The three members of the executive committee, C. C. Whitney, of the Marshall News-Messenger, F. J. Meyst of Kellogg's Newspaper Union, Minneapolis, and W. E. Easton, of the Stillwater Daily Gazette, each received a fine traveling bag equipped with a water heater.

PUBLIC EXAMINER FINDS HANDS TIED

LACK OF FUNDS CRIPPLES HIS WORK — STATE OFFICERS FEEL THAT BANKERS' ASSOCIATION WAS NOT FAIR IN RESOLUTIONS PASSED AT CONVENTION, AND EXPLAIN HOW AMENDED LAW CUT $10,000 FROM EXAMINER'S WORKING CAPITAL

From Thursday's Daily—

State officers who are familiar with the plan of handling state funds feel that the public examiner's department suffered injustice in the resolutions adopted in the convention of the Minnesota bankers at Duluth.

They feel that criticism of the examiner and his department is implied in the portion of the resolutions relating to state affairs, and this, they say is unjust in view of the fact that the department is being conducted this year on $10,000 less than the legislature intended it to have.

What Bankers Said

The full text of that portion of the resolutions is as follows:

'Inasmuch as there has been a large increase in the number of state banks in Minnesota—there being something in excess of 600 such banks at the present time within our state—and also the large increase in the volume of business with which the public examiner is now charged other than that in connection with the examination of banks.

Therefore be it resolved, That we recommend to the state legislature that it create a state banking department to be under the supervision of a competent superintendent, whose business it shall be to properly supervise the examination of state banks, and further that the legislature provide him with sufficient funds to procure adequate and competent help, to the end that all state banks may be examined twice each year.

Be it further resolved, That we favor the passage of a law making it obligatory for all state bank examiners to pass a rigid and thoro examination to establish their competency to perform the duties required of such office.

"If the purpose of that resolution is to cast a slur upon the present administration of the public examiner's office, it is not fair," said one of the state officers yesterday. "We all know that the contingent fund for that department has been reduced to $9,000 or $10,000 less than was expected. The difference results from a new ruling of the state auditor whereby collections from examinations of financial institutions now go to the general fund of the state treasury instead of into the contingent fund of the public examiner's office as formerly.'

Schaefer Explains

Anton Schaefer, state public examiner, when asked to explain financial conditions in his office, said:

"Under the old law all collections from examination of banks and other financial institutions were allowed to go into the contingent fund of this office, but in the revised laws of 1905 that plan was changed and it was provided that the money from that source should go into the general fund. The old plan was allowed to continue until this year, and it was not until four months after the legislature had adjourned that the auditor took up the question and required that from that time all collections from examinations should go to the general fund.

According to Law

"The new rule is according to law, of course, but the legislature in fixing the appropriation for this department figured that the collections amounting to between $9,000 and $10,000 would go to our contingent fund, and made its appropriation accordingly. That is the principal thing that has hampered the department in its work.

'I agree with the state association as to the desirability of [illegible] ial attention to examination of [illegible]. Of course, if the object is to provide more state offices the plan of dividing the department is all right, and it might be carried even further to establish one department for banks, one for counties, school districts, and townships, and a third for corporations. But I do not believe that the interests of the people would be served best by that plan and my idea would be to have three branches of the same department, all under the supervision of one head and each conducted by a man competent in his own line of work."

SAINT PAUL IS TO MAKE BID

ST. PAUL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AFTER NEXT NATIONAL CONVENTION

Knights of Columbus will make a strong bid to bring the convention of the order to St. Paul next year. This year's convention opens in St. Louis next week and the 1909 meeting place will be selected at that time.

George Redington, clerk has been chosen as the St. Paul delegate and he intends to take with him a quantity of advertising matter which will help to land the convention. He will probably be accompanied by a representative of the Commercial club.

The convention of the Knights of Columbus generally draws about 5,000 delegates from all over the country. Montreal, Detroit, Denver and Seattle are in the field trying to land the next meeting.

CORNER-STONE IS LAID.

Bishop Trobec Officiates at Exercises in Browerville, Minn.

Browerville, Minn., July 30. — Bishop Trobec of St. Cloud officiated at the laying of the corner-stone of the new Polish Catholic church here, assisted by twelve priests. The church will cost about $50,000, aside from the furnishings and art glass windows.

Saves Lives of Five.

Des Moines, July 30.—Athur Parsons, a prominent citizen, was frightfully burned, when, to save the lives of five guests in a burning launch, he leaped into the flames and turned the gasoline from the tank into the river, preventing an explosion which would have killed the entire party.

Two Girls Drowned.

Superior, Wis., July 30.—The bodies of Blanche Baxstrum, sixteen years old, and Minnie Paulson, aged thirteen, were taken from St. Louis bay yesterday. The girls are supposed to have drowned there Monday afternoon.

Col. Vilas Seems Better.

Madison, Wis., July 30. — Col. William F. Vilas ate breakfast food and drank coffee yesterday, and despite the hot weather, which seemed to have affected him somewhat he maintained unusual vigor.

THE JAG FARM IS O.K.'ED

HOSPITAL FARM FOR TREATMENT OF INEBRIATES HELD LEGAL

Minnesota may now have its hospital farm for treatment of inebriates The supreme court in an opinion filed upholds the constitutionality of the law of 1907 providing for such an institution and requiring that every municipality of the state shall contribute annually 2 per cent of its collections from liquor licenses to a fund for the installation and maintenance of the farm.

After a greater number of the cities of the state had made payments to the state treasurer under this law the city of Morris refused to pay and attacks the law on the ground that it would impose a tax on public moneys and that the state had no right to designate the funds of a municipality for any such purpose.

In the name of the state board of control suit was begun by the state against the city of Morris, and Judge Flaherty of the court of that district held that the law was constitutional. The opinion of the supreme court filed affirms the judgment of Judge Flaherty.

There is $30,476.87 in the state treasury, to be applied on the farm.

FERTILE WILL HAVE ANOTHER RURAL ROUTE

It is practically certain that another rural mail route will be established out of Fertile within a short time making four in all. The new route will run west and south-west of town and will take in a part of No. 3, which will be changed and shortened some. Nearly a hundred patrons will be served on the new route.

Fallieres Visits Emperor.

Reval, July 30. — The visit of M. Fallieres terminated last night with a state banquet on the French battleship Verite, after which the emperor bade a cordial farewell to the president of France and his suite. The French squadron then weighed anchor and departed for Christiania.

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The Approaching Primaries

The primaries will be held the 15th of next month—only a little over a month ahead——and it behooves the voters of Polk county to inform themselves regarding the candidates who are in the field. The people have been clamoring for a primary election law, and now that they have one they should exercise the privileges they have of selecting the candidates they wish regardless of the dictates of any real or alleged party bosses.

Polk county this year has a large number of candidates in the field for the various offices, the candidates for the nomination for Sheriff on the Republican ticket being the most numerous. This gives the voters a chance to choose from among the candidates for the various offices the ones they believe will serve the people the most faithfully coupled with efficiency.

Every voter has the opportunity of voting for the candidate whom they personally prefer, and it is their own fault if they do not exercise this right

In choosing a candidate the voters should weigh carefully the fitness of the candidate to perform the duties that will devolve upon him if elected, and if the candidates are equally fitted for the position they seek, then the record of the candidate should be closely inspected, and the one whose past work would entitle him to preference.

There should be a big vote out at the primaries. No good citizen will remain away from the primaries unless prevented by some good citizen. It is one of the duties of good citizenship, and practically a full vote should be polled.

The X-Ray On Hearst

Under X-ray analysis the roster of delegates to the Independence League's first convention at which William Randolph Hearst uttered the keynote war cry against things in general, bore an interesting resemblance to the payroll of the Hearst publications.

It was noticed that there were many vociferous voices among the delegates which reminded one of those which cry "Extry" on the street corners of many cities. In explanation it was stated that in the Texas delegation Tracy Adams, a newspaper "hustler" or circulation "pusher" was an active delegate. "Chi" Red, who draws pay from the Hearst coffers for the same sort of work, was an important delegate from Maine. Tom Butts, a circulation man from Indiana, was a delegate from that state. "Mose" Annenberg whose work is securing subscribers to the Hearst papers in Wisconsin, also was a delegate. "Tommy" Brasky, newsboy who is well known about Clerk and Madison streets in Chicago, acted as a dignified representative of Missouri. Eddie Burke a central district driver, also was present as a delegate, cheering whenever the upraised voice of a speaker indicated that Hearst employes were expected to enthuse. "Dummy" Higgins driver of one of the Hearst newspaper wagons in Chicago, and his brother "Al" were delegates from Kentucky.

The narrative of Jacob I. Sheppard of Fort Scott, Kas., the man who tried to nominate Bryan, told after he had applied arnica to his bruises and new clothes to his back, was a sidelight on the Hearst uplift in behalf of the "common people". He related how he was seized for ejectment, how he was "roughhoused" and finally rescued from the delegates by the detail of police present. It was he who charged that the platform was changed before submitted to the convention The start which "independence" made was novel.

America's Future Industrial Rival

The real power of the near future in Europe is Germany, France and England, Russia, Austria, Italy and Spain all realize that the young Teuton giant is rapidly climbing far, far above them. In cash resources, in the vital matter of increasing population, in commerce and in manufacture Germany is leaving the rest of Europe behind.

Thus President Falliers visits England and King Edward visits the Czar and all hubnob and plan how to compete with her.

Germany in 1908 has 63,000,000 inhabitants, against the 44,000,000 of Great Britain. This is 50 per cent more man power on the side of Germany. Britain has a big percentage of unemployed, and Germany never shows a percentage of men out of work because they can't get it. She needs workers. Germany is the only European power which has more immigration than emigration. Her work men are increased every year by new comers. England loses by some 300,000 each year what she had the year before. Great Britain is going back Germany is coming forward. The distance in 10 years more will be vastly in favor of the German giant as against Great Britain and Ireland.

Germany's chemical and electrical manufacturers now greatly exceed Great Britain's similar output. In the manufacture of steel Germany, which 10 years ago produced one-half as much as Great Britain, in 1907 turned out twice as much as England, Ireland and Wales combined.

In her colonies Germany has been sinking countless millions and she will shortly reap the benefit of this investment in a greater carrying trade on the ocean and vaster exports.

In shipbuilding and cotton manufactures Germany is still far behind England but the future holds great possibilities. Sooner or later the continental nation, with its vaster population will overawe the island empire. France already has acknowledged that any regaining of Alsace-Lorraine is out of the question. The Germans can put several millions more men in the field than the French can They can arm them better, pay them better and support them far easier.

Germany is admitted by economists as the future industrial rival of the United States. The two nations present many features in common, altho of course this country has a tremendous advantage over Germany in natural resources and a more protected and vaster stretch of territories from which to draw supplies.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

An honest thing about a girl with red hair is when it's natural.

A very neat trick a woman has is never to cry when she means it.

It appears like most married people spend their lives wondering why they did it.

The more times a man swears off in a week the more will power he thinks he has got.

When a girl has pretty dimples in her arms she's not so very much afraid of getting them sunburned.

It would save a lot of trouble if American heiresses could buy titles minus the personal incumbrances.

The average politician wouldn't recognize a moral issue if he were to meet it face to face.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

There's many a slip 'twixt the ax and the chip.

Bowing to the inevitable is a case of forced politeness.

When you meet an armless man you should lend him a hand.

It's easy for a two-faced person to manufacture a bare-faced lie.

Abuse your neighbor and you will always find an appreciative listener.

People who are too high toned to have common sense are to be pitied.

A school boy says the dead languages were probably killed by being studied too hard.

When a man gets cold feet in a poker game, it is apt to make the rest of the players hot.

STATE PRESS

Low Fares will Help

Low rates on the railroads will help the state fair to be a greater success than ever this year, but there is also another factor in the situation that will have even more potent effect, the bountiful crops The farmers of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and the Dakotas, are about to reap a wonderfully rich harvest and will have money enough to pay their way to the fair and the disposition to do so.—St. Palu Dispatch.

Two of a Kind.

"Oh, George," sighed the lovesick maiden, "I'm sure I'm not worthy to be your wife."

"Well," replied George wearily, "I'm not worthy to be your husband, so we're just about evenly matched."—Philadelphia Press.

American Clothes Abroad

The London Tailor and Cutter sends a word of cheer to the American clothing maker. The American tailor is reprieved. His creations are "less objectionable" than usual. Ordinarily the American tailor gets very little sympathy in London. His coats fit too well. His seams are too snug. His pockets are too remarkable for their aptness at decoration as well as their usefulness.

There are many objections to the American tailor. But the most obvious one is that if the American tourist does not have it constantly borne in upon him that home-made clothes are outre, he will not spend his dollars in London just before sailing.—Minneapolis Journal.

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The Bryan Volunteers

The Bryan Volunteers of Minnesota are beginning to wonder where they stand. The action of Bryan and his committee in placing Governor Johnson and F. B. Lynch on the two most important committees of the campaign would seem to indicate an intention to recognize the state administration and the party organization in the state, rather than the original Bryan men, and they are beginning to get busy and inquire what it all means. The Volunteers are much impressed with the prospects of Bryan's election and have been very confident all along that in that event their organization will control the federal patronage. Of course, they would let the Johnson men have the core, provided they would be real good, but the meat of the federal appointments would have been picked out by the Bryan wing. "It looks as tho Bryan was going the limit to placate those reactionaries," said one of the volunteers today. The Volunteers insist that Bryan is only giving Johnson and Lynch recogition as a piece of diplomacy, and that their influence after election will be nil, but they are beginning to realize that Bryan is willing to play smooth politics to be elected, and the prospect may well cause his original supporters in this state to feel nervous assuming that there is a chance of Bryan's election.—Charles B. Cheney in the Minneapolis Journal.

Hearst is Glib

W. Randolph Hearst is quite glib in saying that the republican party is the handmaiden of the trusts, but his hearers are justified in doubting that statement. After prosecuting the Rockefeller, Harriman and other interests for violations of the law, passing a new law to prevent rebating and make "midnight schedules" impossible, another law to forbid and punish the misbranding of food articles, and another to secure cleanliness in the meat packing business, the trusts themselves have a different opinion of the party.—St. Paul Dispatch.

From Over The Valley

NORTH DAKOTA EQUALIZATION BOARD CONFRONTS PROBLEMS

The North Dakota state board of equalization will convene at the state auditor's office today. The proceedings of the board this year will be followed with considerable interest particularly when it comes to equalizing the assessment of public utility corporations, because of the fact that the last session of the legislature created a public service commission which has gone to considerable work in the way of gathering data in the shape of values of railroad properties within the state, and it will be interesting to know whether or not this commission has been able to gain sufficient acts in that respect to warrant the board of equalization in raising the assessment of the railroads now operating within the borders of North Dakota.

GAME WARDEN NABS INDIAN SLAYERS OF BIG GAME

The slayers of big game are in hard luck. Game Warden Loman of International Falls landed two more Indians last night in the village bastile having caught them red handed in the possession of both moose and venison recently killed.

Mr. Loman in making a tour of the Rainy Lake country surprised a camp of five Indians on the main land at the head of Jackfish bay. By a neat bit of strategy as well as courage, he secured the two leaders and seized a good portion of the meat, including a head containing a fine pair of antlers

PLANT INDUSTRY BUREAU FINDS DAKOTA GOOD FIELD

Dr. Bell of the bureau of plant industry who is going about over Richland county on horseback has so far noted about 300 different species of plants there, and 60 of birds. He states that the only species now considered a genuine pest is the English sparrow. Their worst behavior is crowding other birds' eggs out of their nests and discouraging them from nesting in any locality where the sparrows abide. Hence the mischief-loving sparrow should be placed in the same category as the rat, and both kinds of life should be exterminated.

It takes a strong minded woman to hold her tongue.

TURTLE MOUNTAIN LAKE N. D., SUMMER RESORT

Some idea of the substantial development that has taken place at Fish Lake may be obtained from the fact that there are now more than 25 cottages dotting its shores valued at from $200 to $2,000. The average cost of the ground and buildings of each lot is not far from $600. These cottages are owned by citizens of Cando, Rolla, Rolette, St. John and homesteaders. There are five gasoline launches on the lake and two more that will soon be completed. Of boats there are 50 or more. Lots with a water front of 50 feet have an average of $50 each and most of the desirable lots are sold. Fish Lake is no longer an experiment. It is destined to become one of the permanent attractions of the northern part of our state.—Rolla N. D., Star.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS IN GRAND FORKS, N. D.

The following real estate transfers were filed for record yesterday in the office of the register of deeds of Grand Forks county: Barney Haggerty to Lizzie B. Wilder, lots 1 and 2 block 31, McCormack's addition to Grand Forks, $900; Charles L. Wehe to A. G. Lockman, part of the south half lot 6, block 32, O. T. Grand Forks $200; Claus Eckhoff to Charles H. Wagner quarter section in Union township $3000.

EDITOR HUNT COMPELLED TO SERVE THREE YEARS

At the annual school meeting held at the Highlanding school house on Saturday evening last, P. Sullivan was elected director for two years and W. G. Hunt clerk for three years. It was voted to have eight months school the coming year if the board secures a first grade teacher, or six months school by a second grade teacher.

DEAD HEAD LOGS ARE TAKEN FROM THE RIVER

A crew of men camped on the island in the Red Lake River at St. Hilaire engaged in clearing the river of dead head logs at this point. The logs are dragged up onto the river banks by team where they will be left to dry for a year or so before being floated down to the saw mills.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Eric O. Hagen
Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

George J. Flaten
Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

John W. Sandberg
Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson
Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

Hugh R. Robertson
Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15. 1908

J. D. McPhee
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary election Sept 15, 1908.

STEPHEN BOARD OF EDUCATION ORGANIZES

The Board of Education of Stephen organized as a Board by electing B. B Brett president, P. A. McClernan secretary and H. I. Yetter treasurer. The standing committees chosen are as follows: Building and Grounds, Henry Sanderson and P. A. McClernan; Purchasing Committee, H. I. Yetter and Iver Lodmell; School Management, Dr. A. C. Baker and B. B. Brett.

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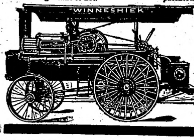

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

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Aug. 2 In History.

1811—William Williams, "signer," soldier and statesman, died; born 1731.

1857—Eugene Sue, author of "The Wandering Jew" and other romances, died; born 1801.

1898—President McKinley announced officially the terms upon which he offered to make peace with Spain.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:10, rises 4:54; moon sets 10:11 p. m.; moon's age, 6 days.

Aug. 3 In History.

1492—Columbus sailed from Palos, Spain, on his first voyage of discovery.

1868—Charles G. Halpine (Private Miles O'Reilly), American writer and soldier, died; born 1820.

1903—Giuseppe Sarto of Venice elected to succeed Pope Leo XIII. He assumed the title Pius X.

1907—Standard Oil Company of Indiana fined $29,240,000 by Judge Landis of the United States supreme court for accepting railway rebates in violation of law; Augustus St. Gaudens, sculptor, died; born 1848.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:09, rises 4:55; moon sets 10:35 p. m.; moon's age, 7 days.

FINE WHEAT — N. Herberg who has a farm in Fairfax township brought to the Journal office a bunch of wheat heads that are certainly fine The heads are long and well filled.

BACK FROM DICKENSON—K. J. Ike returned this morning from Dickinson, N. D., where he has been for the past four months. Mrs. Ike and the baby returned a couple of weeks ago.

WERE AT CALEDONIA — Lewis Lohn and sons Kent, Frank and three younger boys returned this morning from Caledonia and Northwood, N. D., where they had been visiting relatives.

CONVALESCENT— Christ Nelson the G. N. engineer who has been quite ill the past fortnight with an attack of typhoid fever is on the road to recovery, the fever has very nearly left him.

A HAIL BREEDER — Sunday was the hottest day thus far this summer, the thermometer registering 96 in the shade just before noon. There was a slight breeze however, and the heat did not last long enough to damage the crops as a northwest wind sprang up in the afternoon and the evening was cool. It was hail breeding weather for a spell and much apprehension was felt over hail or damage from intense heat.

SCHOOL HOUSE COMPLETED— A. Prudhomme went down to Shirley this morning to put the finishing touches to the new school house built by him in district number 268 about eight miles north of Crookston. The building was burned last summer having caught fire from a passing train. The railroad company re-imbursed the district to the amount of $750.

LITTLE SON DIED—This morning at 9:30, Dariel, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dupuis, aged 4 years 3 months and 3 days, passed away from hemmorhage of the bowels after a short illness. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning but the hour has not yet been set. Deep sympathy is felt for the stricken family.

CREAMERY MEN MEET—The National Association of Creamery men recently organized will hold a big meeting in Minneapolis tomorrow and Manager F. S. Whirry of the Crookston Creamery regrets his inability to attend on account of the press of business. Prof. McKay the secretary, Asst. Secy. Smith, and Messrs. Rushton of Omaha, Hannaford of Sioux City, and President Walker of the Chicago Association will be among the notables present.

DIED IN PASADENA—We clip the following death notice from a Los Angeles paper: "Eames—At Pasadena, Cal., July 21, 1908. Cora, beloved wife of Glen Eames and daughter of Frank Jerrue, native of Minnesota, aged 25 years. Funeral from the parlors of Peck & Chase, 433 South Hill Street, 2:30 p. m., July 22, 1908. Interment Bakersville, California. Funeral private." Deceased was a well known Warren girl, who had grown up from childhood in this city. She removed with her father a few years ago to California, where she married. Many friends in this city remember her well and will mingle their tears with friends and kindred elsewhere who mourn her departure. —Warren Sheaf.

Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock Walter Berg the 11 year old son of E. O. Berg in the employ of the Grand Forks Seed Co., went in swimming in the Red River and was drowned.

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From Tuesday's Daily

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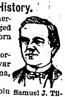
Aug. 4 In History.



Samuel J. Tilden.

1781—Isaac Hayne, American patriot, hanged at Charleston; born 1745.

1823—Oliver Perry Morton, famous as war governor of Indiana, born; died 1877.

1862—President Lincoln proclaimed a draft for 300,000 men, the first impressment ordered.

1886—Samuel Jones Tilden, Democratic statesman, died; born 1812.

1901—Dowager Empress Frederick of Germany, queen consort of the late Emperor Frederick, mother of the reigning kaiser and eldest daughter of Queen Victoria of England, died; born 1840.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:08, rises 4:56; moon sets 10:58 p. m.; moon's age, 8 days; 4:40 a. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter.

PROBATE COURT—An estate was closed and administrator appointed in the estate of Rudolph Utzinger, deceased, of East Grand Forks.

VETERINARY AT MENTOR—Dr. Langevin was called out to Mentor to treat some sick horses owned by John Buhn of the Maple Lake hotel.

TEACH LENGBY SCHOOL — Ed Welte was down from the town of Columbia a few days to visit with his brother deputy auditor, Henry Welte. Mr. Welte is going to have charge of the Lengby schools the coming year.

PRACTICE AT WARREN — Dr. Remele of Minneapolis, who has been the guest of his brother Dr. H. W. Remele went to Warren yesterday where he will assume charge of Dr. Tyler's practice.

AT HIS OLD TRADE—Pete Johnson who now lives with his family on a claim near Beaudette is at present among his old neighbors at Euclid working at his trade of masonry having several odd jobs in and around Euclid.

HAS HEALTHY TAN—Chas. Casmey came down from Euclid and spent the night in the city. He has been out in the open a good deal since returning from the shade of the big woods of the border country and has developed a healthy rosy tan. Mr. Casmey will occupy what spare time he can towards the nomination of his friend D. D. Horton.

BILLY DEWING'S GARDEN—Jerry Ozmun and Billy Dewing are vieing with one another in seeing who will have the best kitchen garden. Well, we have seen both and it looks like a stand off—except to an expert, like ye editor, and in racing parlance, we will have to give Mr. O. a nose to the good under the wire. Of course, we have both "faded" when compared to our garden, but then—we didn't make entry in the race. (Same old story.) We would entertain a proposition, however, to "swap" with either of the gentlemen.—Stephen Leader.

In the matter of Chas. P. Murray of Ebro bankrupt proceedings for discharge of bankrupt, which came up for hearing before the U. S. District Court at St. Paul yesterday, the findings and recommendations of Referee Vaule of this city that the discharge be denied, on the ground that the bankrupt had concealed some of his property and made false oath as to the sum, was sustained by the U. S. District Court.

Good progress is being made in the collection of the State Fair exhibit which will be sent from Polk County.

J. H. Stair, treasurer of the exhibit committee of the Commercial club today received a draft for $50 from the Commercial Club of Fertile as that thriving city's share of the cost of the exhibit and the business men of Fosston are offering substantial prizes to the farmers in that section for the best exhibits brought in, which will be forwarded to Crookston.

J. M. Stephens is at work in the country gathering exhibits of grains etc., and returned last evening with a full load of fine samples.

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FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

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Aug. 5 In History.

465 B. C.—Xerxes, the noted king of Persia, murdered by Artabanus.

1777—Battle of Oriskany.

1864—Farragut's battle in Mobile bay. Mobile bay was planted with Confederate torpedoes at the time of Farragut's attack. Farragut ordered his flagship, the Hartford, to take the lead in order to show his contempt for the torpedoes.

1888—Philip Henry Sheridan, general of the army of the United States, died; born 1831.

1905—Russian and Japanese peace envoys met on board the yacht Mayflower at Oyster Bay, N. Y.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:07, rises 4:57; moon sets 11:32 p. m.; moon's age, 9 days.

RUSTICATE — Con. J. B. Morin went out to the lake last night to spend a short time with his folks who are domiciled in the Gonyea cottage for a few weeks.

LEAVES HOSPITAL— Mrs. Julius Radi who has been confined at St. Vincent hospital has so far recovered to be moved to the home of a friend today.

NEW OATS—Walter Sabin was in the city today, and while here he contracted the sale of new oats that he expects to thresh tomorrow. Mr. Sabin sold all he could spare at forty cents per bushel.

BUSY CUTTING WHEAT —Supt. W. B. Sheffield returned this morning from a trip over the Halstad line. He says that wheat cutting is general from Climax south and that crops in that section are spotted, some being fine, some average and some poor.

A NORTHWEST—Ernest Helm is today pulling out a fine new threshing rig complete that he has purchased of S. L. Collins. Mr. Collins handles the Northwest Engine and Separator and Mr. Helm can feel assured that he has a good outfit.

PENSION INCREASE— George Rieter who resides at Richville has been notified thru Congressman Steenerson that his pension has been increased to $15. Mr. Rieter was a private in Co. G Fourth Minn.

HERE FROM YAKIMA— Fabian Regimbal and wife have come from North Yakima, Wash., to visit among the old friends and relatives. Mr. Regimbal has prospered in the western state, but is pleased to get back among the scenes of his earlier pioneer life.

FEELS OPTIMISTIC—J. P. Foote is looking after business matters at McIntosh today. Mr. Foote is out on the road practically all the time now and says the outlook is very favorable, and that with good weather the best crop will be harvested that this section has had for a number of years.

WANTED—A HEN—Jay McCaffrey is disgusted with the hen business. A party stole his ossified hen from his display window yesterday. He recovered it at the N. P. Depot and replaced it in the window. Shortly afterwards some one else stole it. Now he's mad and in fighting humor. By returning it the thief is assured a warm reception and a fine blossom on the end of his nose free of cost.

POSTMASTER RESIGNS —Joseph Melaas, postmaster at Shevlin has resigned his position because he is a candidate for the office of register of deeds in Clearwater Co. The law regarding officials taking part in politics being quite strict. Congressman Steenerson has recommended the appointment of Mrs. Clara Haugen as his successor.

COLLECTING EXHIBITS — J. H. Stair was driven to the country this afternoon by E. W. Robbins to secure another batch of exhibits for the state fair. The committee is working hard every day and an exhibit will be collected that will be a credit to Polk county if the committee is given the assistance that the cause deserves.

POLK COUNTY EXHIBITS— The committee of the East Grand Forks Commercial club on publicity consisting of N. J. Nelson, T. A. Sullivan and J. R. Johnson are arranging to send a fine exhibit from the west end for the Polk county exhibit to the state fair as an advertisement for the county and ask the assistance of farmers and all who have suitable products worthy of exhibition.

DAMAGE CASE — Papers have been filed in a $15,000 personal injury case at Bemidji by Lars Bjorge of Blackduck, against the Minnesota & International railroad company. He claims that he was badly injured and lost one of his legs while employed by the company about a year ago, and it was thru no negligence on his part. He is represented by E. O. Hagen of this city and it is expected that it will develop into a legal fight that will be of great interest. The case is one of the largest damage cases that has ever been brought in northern Minnesota.

At a meeting of the city council last evening a special election was called for Sept. 21 to vote upon $7,500 bonds for the erection of the bridge to Sampsons Addition across the Red Lake river and $6,000 bonds to complete the repairs upon the city jail, council chambers and fire hall. The bonds to be issued in the sum of $500 each to run ten years and draw interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum. Polk Co., will have to pay half the cost of the bridge which it is estimated will cost $15,000.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

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KEY WEST

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Miss Buckhart from Crookston spent the past week with Miss Tiny Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart visited D. Casmey and family near Euclid Sunday.

Earl, Everett and Violet Capes, Wm Grundahl, Henry and Cora Ehnen took dinner with Sam, Aeschliman and wife Sunday.

Among those who attended the Grand Forks Fair last week were Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge and family, Mr. James Lee David Lee, Mr. Morrison and family, Henry Ehnen and Anna Grundahl.

Earl Capes and Wm. Grundal drove to Grand Forks Saturday.

Harvesting of grain has just commenced. The early grain is of good quality.

P. O. Augustine made a business trip to Grand Forks Thursday.

Mrs. Kirkpatric, mother of Mrs. John Capes arrived last Thursday from Arkansas City, Kansas. Mrs. Kirkpatric was very much pleased to make her home here from this on. Mrs. Leon who accompanied Mrs. Kirkpatrick was very much pleased with this country and says the air here is something wonderful.

J. E. Stewart made a flying trip to Grand Forks Monday.

Miss Nettie Welch who is attending summer school in Grand Forks came home Saturday to visit her people over Sunday.

SCRAP AMONG THE PEDDLERS

There was blood on the moon in Judge Wilde's court yesterday afternoon. It seems that Abraham Reno bought a horse and wagon from his cousin, Albert Abraham and paid the cash for it, $130. Albert however, hitched up the horse later and started for Grand Forks with the purchase money in his inside pocket.

Reno swore out a warrant for the arrest of his cousin for horse stealing Chief Eck overtook Abraham hiking for Grand Forks about 4 miles out in the country and brought him back. After several broadsides of Assyrian Abraham paid the costs, Reno got him money back and Eck was cheated out of a reward of $200 for catching a horse thief.

Moral.

MURDER TRIAL AT TOWNER

MAN WHO SHOT CONRAD STEENERSON BEING TRIED—CLAIM JUSTIFICATION

E. R. SINKLER OF GRAFTON ASSISTING PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

From Wednesday's Daily—
Special to the Journal:

Towner, N. D., Aug. 5.—A jury was secured yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the trial of Whittaker for the murder of Conrad Steenerson son of Knute Steenerson formerly of Climax.

The trial commenced this morning. The case was outlined this afternoon by E. R. Sinkler of Grafton who is assisting State's Attorney Gerger in the prosecution of the case.

The attorneys for the defense are Tillman Smith, of Upham, graduate of the law department of the University of North Dakota in 1906; D. J. O'Connell, of Towner and W. J. Courtnay, of Page.

The state's claim is that it is a case of premeditated murder. The defense will set up a plea of justifiable homicide and will make an effort to show that Steenerson followed Whittaker about the day of the shooting and provoked him at various times during the day and was in the act of assaulting him the second time when shot. Defense will also contend that before the shot was fired Whittaker had retreated more than 30 feet and was making an attempt to escape from Steenerson thru the back door of a pool hall, while Steenerson was following him and threatening him.

No one is immune from kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Remedy will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by all druggists.

SUDDEN SUMMONS OF MRS. GOSSMAN

PASSED AWAY AT 5:45 LAST EVENING AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

The entire city is shrouded in mourning as the result of the sudden death late yesterday afternoon of Mrs. L. E. Gossman at the family residence 405 Hunter street.

The announcement of the sad death came as a double shock because of its unexpectedness. Mrs. Gossman had not been feeling well for some time past, but was about the house and down town until the middle of last week. Last Thursday afternoon she took a turn for the worse and was confined to her bed from that time till the end came. Her condition yesterday morning was such as to arouse alarm, and it was intended to remove her to St. Vincent's hospital but she grew worse so rapidly that she could not be moved and sank steadily till the end came at 5:45.

Martha Ann Glenn was born Sept. 28, 1868 in New Jersey, and was in her 40th year when death came. With her family she removed west to Decorah, Ia., where her parents were residing at the time of her marriage to Mr. L. E. Gossman at Canton, Minn., April 27, 1892.

At that time Mr. Gossman had been practicing law in Crookston for nearly two years and they at once came to this city and started housekeeping.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the house, and at 9:30 from St. Mary's church, Father Smiers officiating assisted by Rev. Father L. A. Gossman, brother of the bereaved husband who will arrive tomorrow morning from his home at New Richmond, Minn.

The interment will be in the Catholic cemetery, adjoining Oakdale.

A Boon to Elderly People

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Sold by all druggists.

The maddest girl in the world is the one who ate onions because she was sure nobody was going to call and then he came.

GRAIN MARKET IS BULLISH

WHEAT, FLAX AND BARLEY MADE A MATERIAL ADVANCE

WHEAT JUMPED 6 CENTS IN MINNEAPOLIS AND 1 CENT HERE —FLAX UP 6 CENTS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The farmers will be very much pleased over the trend of the grain market. There were wild scenes in the pit at Minneapolis and Chicago today, wheat jumping 6 cents and was advanced 1 cent here.

Flax advanced from $1.12 to $1.18 here today and barley went up 2 cents. From present indications the farmers will receive good returns for everything they have to sell this year.

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LOCAL MARKET

Wheat $1.01½
Macaroni .80
Flax $1.18
Oats, new .40
Barley .43
Flour $3.25
Shorts ton $23.
Bran ton $23.
Corn $28.00 per ton.
Hay—Timothy $7 per ton
Wild hay per ton $5.

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INDIAN WAS BEHEADED

SQUAW AWOKE THIS MORNING TO FIND HER HUSBAND MINUS A HEAD

WAS RUN OVER BY THE DULUTH TRAIN WHILE BOTH WERE DRUNK

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last night the Duluth train, No. 36 ran over a drunken Indian about a mile from Deer River, completely severing his head from his body.

The Indian known as Little Ben, had been at Deer River with his squaw and both got gloriously drunk and lay down on the tracks or as she says, beside them.

This morning when she awoke she pulled at her husband's clothing to awaken him. He did not respond, and she called, then got up and was horrified to see a headless trunk the head lying about a rod away between the rails.

The train crew did not know they had struck any one.

LEFT FORTUNE OF $25,000

FATHER OF CONDUCTOR J. S. GOULD LEAVES VALUABLE ESTATE

A telegram received today from Uxbridge, Ont., states that J. E. Gould, father of Conductor J. S. Gould of this city died yesterday. Conductor Gould has just returned from Uxbridge, caled there by the illness of his father who was 67 years of age. His father improved, and the attending physician thought he might live a year or more. The funeral will be held tomorrow and Conductor Gould can not reach there in time to attend. Deceased leaves an estate worth $25,000 which will be divided between four children.

J. G. LUND DIED VERY SUDDENLY

A WELL KNOWN MINNEAPOLIS LAND MAN PASSES TO REWARD

W. F. Gilbert local agen for the Lund Land Co., of Minneapolis, received a telegram stating that J. G. Lund the head of the company died suddenly today. No particulars were given in the telegram.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

Not One
Money Earner in Ten

fully realizes the real and actual value of banking his money. The forceful power of a bank account, even a small one, exerts in building up his credit—in business and everyday affairs placing him on a level with the merchants and heavier business men of the community.

This is "YOUR" Opportunity

In addition to the protection afforded your money and the safety of paying your bills by check, it 's well worth your while to take full advantage of the present opportunity and start this credit-building force working for you—NOW—by opening an account with

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Protection for Bachelors

"No bachelor on earth can hope to acquire a working knowledge of even the rudimentary principles of feminine blandishments. If he is to be protected, it must be by laws such as Assemblyman Glenn proposes, to make the ladies play the game fairly to make them stop stacking the cards and dealing from the bottom.

"A bachelor, who is about to enter the matrimonial race must expect to be handicapped and to carry some weight, but he should not be led to the post blindfolded and doped." So says the Pioneer Press, sometimes known as the "old woman of Robert street." If old maids and bachelor preachers are to be accepted as authority on the sex problem the raising of children and race suicide, then we submit the Pioneer Press knows what it knows.

It is not alone, however, in supporting the bill of Assemblyman Glenn of Georgia for the protection of unsuspicious not to say uninquisitive, bachelors. They need it on more subjects than matrimony. Any man who is so self-centered and so out of harmony with nature as to live sufficient unto himself, surely needs the protection of the law, lest some designing woman should finally steal from him his ego.

The Glenn bill provides, "that if any woman, whether maid or widow, shall betray into matrimony any unsuspecting male subject of the state by scents, paints, powder or perfume, cosmetics, waters, artificial teeth, false hair, iron stays, corsets pads, or padding, hoops or high-heeled shoes, V-cut waists, lace, variegated drop-stitched or rainbow hosiery, or by any other deceitful means or artificial practices the marriage, upon conviction shall be null and void.

And why not? Marriage is a lottery anyway, in which both sides usually draw blanks, and then play the game of outward appearance for the satisfaction of seeing the next pair "stung." It is like an Eden Musee hoax where the crowd waits to see the next victim banfoozled.

A woman leads a man on until, bewildered he steps in the trap. She does not have to accept him, but once he has spoken he has no redress, tho he may find he is married to only a half or a third of the girl who wooed him; that he indeed is wedded to faith which is the belief in that hoped for and the "evidence of that unseen". But there is no hope for the repentant, unless some such law as this opens a way to salvation.—Duluth News Tribune.

Down at Fergus Falls, if the statement of a traveling man is to be believed, they have a horse that resembles one of the geysers at Yellowstone National park. He is almost a perpetual spring.

The unfortunate equine had some accident to his thorax in his young and unsophisticated days. He was out with the other colts one night and drank a little too much. Now he has sworn off from all drinking and is obliged to go almost entirely without water. Some people don't think this any particular hardship — but it is, just the same.

As soon as this unfortunate animal gets a good gulp of water it comes out thru his nostrils. This is said to be a fact; not a rank out and out nature fake. There is not a question of a bulldog licking a moose in this tale.

The only way the horse manages to get a little moisture into his system is to hang around upon rainy days and breathe deeply of the mist laden atmosphere. At other times he tries to drink thru force of habit learned in his younger days, but only on rare occasions does he get a particle of water into his system. Like "old faithful" at the Yellowstone he can be depended upon to spout every so often.

The horse remains healthy and happy, despite the lack of water. The man owning the unfortunate animal cannot justly be accused of watering his stock. Here's hoping happy days to the horse that goes longer than the camel without taking a drink. You know few people envy the camel.

An appetite for Chinese dishes including chop suey, which recently cost Chicago over $2,000,000 a year, now is rapidly diminishing. Four of the big chop suey restaurants, which bore the oriental names of "King Yen Lo," "Joy Yet Lo," "King Joy Lo," and "Wee Ying" have closed their doors within a few weeks and others are on the verge of it. According to common report the "suey" sauce is either imported or made from imported Chinese seabeans, but an essayist discussing the lack of a national taste in food in America, declared that the "oriental" sauce, like many other curious specialties is made at the stock yards in Chicago. The sudden change of fickle fancy has left the queued chop suey men puzzled and with some highly decorated and expensive furniture and furnishings on their hands, some being elaborately inlaid with mother pearl. Concerning the matter of food the essayist said: "American taste in food has been depraved because of the cosmopolitan population. The chop suey habit, so called, is the most recent manifestation of American degeneracy in food. Chinese food is not bad, it is scientifically better cooked that the American sausage, but it forms one more link in the chain of the degenerate American appetite."

A man in the northern part of the state is raising chickens and obtaining money under false pretenses. He made his hen coop air tight and put curtains at the windows. At noon he draws the curtains, making the hen house perfectly dark, so that the biddies go to roost, and at one o'clock he raises the curtains letting the light in. The hens think another day has dawned and proceed to lay another egg. It is a darn mean trick equal to the man who put green spectacles on his horses and then fattened it on rye straw. The green spectacles made the poor horse thing it was hay. —Waukon Republican.

Killed in His Auto.

New York, Aug. 1.—Alfred Lauterbach, son of Edward Lauterbach, a prominent lawyer and politician, was almost instantly killed in an automobile accident. Mr. Lauterbach was about to cross the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad when the machine collided with a guard rail on the approach to the bridge

Manslaughter Is Charged.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 1.—A warrant charging manslaughter was issued yesterday for the arrest of Col. Herbert G. Catrou. Col. Catrou recently struck Eugene Sullivan, an aged laborer, while running his automobile at a high rate of speed, as charged by the coroner's verdict.

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From Over The Valley

FOWLDS, BELTRAMI COUNTY HAS AN ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

While suffering from temporary insanity, Frank Ford attempted to commit suicide Wednesday afternoon by cutting his throat with a pocket knife The trachea or windpipe was cut but was not severed.

Ford was taken from here to Wilton on one of the Crookston Lumber company's engines and from there to Bemidji on the midnight train over the Great Northern, where he was placed in the St. Anthony's hospital.

Dr. Marcum was called by the hospital authorities and stitched up the gash in the trachea and in the throat. There is little danger of fatal complications now for the unfortunate man unless inflammation or blood poison sets in.

GET BATTLESHIP FOR THE MISSOURI AT BISMARCK

One of the delegates to the recent meeting of the State Bankers' association at Bismarck, N. D., said: "I have been down to the river and seen your water works, the bridge and Indian school, to the state capitol, penitentiary and military post, have seen the beginning of your new armory building, and have heard of the appropriation of $150,000 for a government building. All you people want here now is a battleship on the Missouri river, and, by George if you go after it, I know you will get it."

ON RIGHT TRACK— IMPROVING STOCK

M. Dufault received a pure bred Holstein bull from St. Paul on Saturday which he will add to his herd of dairy stock on his farm near Argyle. The animal is six months old and cost Mr. Dufault $100 f. o. b. St. Paul. It is gratifying to note that the farmers of this section are realizing the importance of improving their herds and those who are taking the advanced step in the movement are to be congratulated.

KAISER BUILDING AT FOSSTON SOLD FOR A GOOD SUM

One of the most valuable and centrally located pieces of Fosston business property changed hands recently when Al Kaiser of Bagley disposed of building on the corner of Stephens Avenue and First street which he has held for a number of years past, the purchaser being the well known cigar manufacturer of Bagley, E. H. Woodard.

APPEARS BEFORE PARDON BOARD FOR INDIAN

P. J. Russell of Bemidji went to St. Paul this morning to appear before the state board of pardons tomorrow morning in behalf of Basil Thunder, a Red Lake Indian, who was sent to Stillwater in the fall of 1902 to serve a sentence of sixteen years for manslaughter in the first degree to which crime he plead guilty.

N. D. STATE'S ATTORNEY MAKES IMPORTANT RULING

Chicken owners are about to be compelled to cease their haughty way and the poor cuss who has no chickens but who is bothered by the old hens of his neighbors that come into the yard and destroy in a few deadly scratches the result of many weary hours of labor is coming into his own and henceforth he can raise his garden "sass" in peace. N. Dakota attorney general has decided that any chicken or rooster, when off the premises of the owner is wild game and may be killed and eaten without infringing any law. This is hard on the hen but mighty good news to the man with hoe.

$200,000 WORTH OF HORSES BOUGHT FOR INDIANS

There has just been delivered to the Indians on the Standing Rock reservation in North Dakota some $200,000 worth of horses, some time since contracted for by the government. About $140,000 of this sum goes to the stockmen in the vicinity of Dickinson in exchange for bands of horses numbering from 25 to 200. Every little bit helps and there is no branch of protective industry that is out of place in a state like N. Dakota.

GOVERNMENT WILL CARE FOR ITS STANDING TIMBER

George L. Cott, an employe of the forest service has spent the past three days in Bemidji awaiting the arrival of an employee of the Indian department, who will assist him in some work at Red Lake Agency. Mr. Cott and his assistants will estimate the standing pine on the Red Lake reservation, in conformity with the desire of the forest service to inaugurate the scheme of supervising the timber interests on all Indian reservations.

TWIN VALLEY KIDS ARE BRONCHO BUSTING

O. Ramstad of Thief River Falls shipped to Twin Valley three carloads of western horses that he has since been disposing of at a rapid rate and as a result there is no end of fun among the boys who are this week putting in their spare time breaking them. One carload consists of small mares with colts and the other two carloads are of larger horses most of which are fine looking animals. From Twin Valley Mr. Ramstad goes to Ada where he will continue the sale.

USES PLENTY OF LATHER TO KEEP INWARDS CLEAN

Nate Upham of Grafton, has a cow that has developed a liking for soap On several occasions she has been caught trying to eat the stuff, and the other day she got away with ten bars during the absence of the family or at least that is what Mr. Upham says, and he is a truthful man. There is plenty of foam on that milk. —Grand Forks Herald.

GRANT MERCHANTS' RATES.

Milwaukee and Omaha Will Follow Lead of Other Western Roads.

Chicago, Aug. 1. — The Milwaukee and the Omaha railways have announced that they will fall in line with other Western roads in granting round-trip rates for a fare and a half on the certificate plan to the fall merchants' meetings from points in the Western Passenger association territory.

FIX BELTRAMI FAIR DATES.

Last Part of September Is Time Selected for Exhibition.

Bemidji, Minn., Aug. 1. — The third annual fair of the Beltrami County Agricultural association will be held at the fair grounds in Bemidji on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 26 to 28. This decision was reached at an enthusiastic meeting of the directors and a number of shareholders of the association.

HOTEL EVELYN AT THIEF RIVER FALLS IS SOLD

A deal was closed last Saturday at Thief River Falls whereby Col. Geo. W. Harris sold the Hotel Evelyn to J. Provencher, of Minneapolis. The new proprietor is no stranger to the people of Thief River Falls, having visited this city upon numerous occasions in the past when he was traveling on the road for a wholesale house. He has had a number of years experience in the hotel business and promises to keep up the high standard of this hotel.

The average married woman has two dispositions. One she exhibits in public and the other gets its work in at home.

STRIKERS AND TROOPS FIGHT.

Three Persons Are Killed and Scores Wounded in Desperate Conflict.

Vigneux, France, Aug. 1. — Vigneux was invaded yesterday by several thousand strikers from Paris, carrying red flags and singing socialist songs, and before the resultant disorders ended three persons were dead and scores wounded.

While a squadron of cavalry was passing through the streets the crowd stoned the soldiers and four shots were fired at them. Fortunately no one was hit. During the afternoon the cavalrymen, using the flats of their sabers, charged and dispersed a crowd armed with stones that had assembled on the railroad tracks.

BOAT WENT OVER DAM.

Owner Did Not Know the River and Was Drowned.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 1. — John Swanson of Chetek was drowned in Red Cedar river at Colfax when his boat went over the dam. Swanson was sixty-five years old and was making a boat trip to Iowa. He did not know of the dam at Colfax and the boat went over without his being able to stop it. He leaves a wife and son at Chetek.

EDITOR NOT BLACKMAILER.

Freed of Charge of Attempting to Extort $25,000 From Man.

London, Aug. 1. — Robert Sevier, editor of the Winning Post, was found not guilty of the charge that he had attempted to blackmail Jack Joel, a nephew of the late Barney Barnato, by threatening to publish a defamatory article about Joel, unless the latter paid him $25,000. The verdict of acquittal was greeted by loud cheering in the court.

THE MONTH OF HARVEST

GREAT BULK OF ALL GRAIN WILL BE HARVESTED DURING AUGUST

EARLY BARLEY ALREADY IN SHOCK—WHEAT HEADS PLUMP AND LONG

From Saturday's Daily—

The ushering in of August during which month the crop in the Red River Valley will be practically all harvested, is accompanied by continued excellent prospects. The wheat reports from all directions are most favorable, only a small percentage of the wheat which was sown late being poor. A local wheat expert returned last evening from an extended trip and got out into the fields and examined the heads closely and stated that in many fields the heads averaged from 28 to 34 good plump kernels which is a remarkable showing. The cool weather continues, and is most favorable to a heavy yield of wheat. The early barley will all be cut the coming week and is a good crop, tho the acreage is below that of last year The very late barley is short and some of it will be lost because it will be difficult to bind it where the straw is so extremely short. The early oats will also be harvested the coming week. A few fields of barley have already been harvested and the land plowed.

OLD MAN ON CRUISE DROWNS.

John Swanson's Flatboat Hits Snag and Capsizes.

Chetek, Wis., Aug. 1.—John Swanson, aged seventy years, who started from Chetek in a flatboat last Monday on a 500-mile trip down to the Mississippi, was found drowned in the Red Cedar river near Colfax yesterday. His boat had struck a snag and had overturned.

Yacht Run Down; Owner Killed.

Toledo, Ohio, Aug. 1. — The naptha yacht Westwind, owned by Richard Muehler, was run down last night near Presque Isle by the steamer Greyhound. Muehler and four friends were thrown into the water, Muehler being thrown into the steamer's wheel and killed. The others were rescued.

Cheers British Ambassador.

Constantinople, Aug. 1. — The arival yesterday of the new British ambassador, Sir Gerard Lowther, was utilized by the Young Turk committee to organize a big demonstration of welcome, and there was cheering and flag waving in honor of the first ambassador under the new regime.

Fear Threat of Discharged Men.

St. Clairsville, Ohio, Aug. 1.—Fearing that twenty-five Montenegran miners who were Wednesday discharged from work by the Provident Coal company will carry out an alleged threat and blow up the mines with dynamite, 350 miners have refused to return to work.

Heat Causes Suicide.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 1. — Philip H. Surface, sixty years of age, treasurer of the Warren county fair board, was found dead yesterday on his farm. He committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. He had complained of the heat.

Bible Conference.

Bemidji, Aug. 1. — The fourth annual meeting of the Bemidji Bible conference opened very auspiciously, with the largest congregation which has assembled at the beginning of any of these meetings.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

ST. CLOUD PICKLING PLANT USES 25,000 BU. CUCUMBERS

St. Cloud has a pickling plant that uses 25,000 bushels of cucumbers alone, and the company pays the farmer $1.10 per bushel for them. Other vegetables are used in the manufacture of pickles and the money paid to the farmers runs into large figures. Four hundred barrels of pickles were put up last year and this year the company are prepared to put up 4,000. It is an industry that any community should be proud of and one that almost any city with a farming country adjacent could support.

BABY GIRL CRIED AND SCRATCHED

All the Time—Torturing Eczema Covered Her Body—Could Not Sleep—Doctor Said Sores Would Last for Years—Skin Now Clear.

CURED IN THREE MONTHS BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I take great pleasure in telling you what a great help it was for me to use Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for my baby niece. She was suffering from that terrible torture, eczema. It was all over her body but the worst was on her face and hands. Her hands were so bad that she could not hold anything. She cried and scratched all the time and could not sleep night or day from the scratching. I had her under the doctor's care for a year and a half and he seemed to do her no good. I took her to the best doctor in the city and he said that she would have the sores until she was six years old. But if I had depended on the doctor my baby would have lost her mind and died from the want of aid.

"I used all the remedies that everybody told me about and I tortured the child almost to death. Then I saw in the paper how Cuticura was the thing for irritating skin. I bathed her with warm water and Cuticura Soap and used the Cuticura Ointment. She was cured in three months. Now her skin is as clear and smooth as it could be. I shall recommend the use of Cuticura wherever I see the skin in bad condition. Alice L. Dowell, 4769 Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo., May 2 and 20, 1907."

GROWS HAIR

Cuticura Removes Dandruff and Soothes Itching Scalps.

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SOME COW STATISTICS

RELATIVE VALUE OF COWS PRODUCTIVENESS AS PRODUCER AND FETILIZER

SOME INTERESTING FIGURES FROM STATE FARM SUPERINTENDENT AT GRAND RAPIDS

A. J. McGuire superintendent of the state experimental farm at Grand Rapids in the eastern part of Itasca Co., makes a statement regarding value of dairy cows and the natural favorable conditions of this section to dairying that should be read carefully by all of our farmers, which in part is as follows:

Dairy farmers the world over are the most prosperous farmers and there is a reason for it. A dairy cow is the most productive of all farm animals. The common cow is capable of producing 5,000 pounds of milk yearly, or over two and one half tons To one who has never kept a record with his cows this may seem incredible but this amount is only common. Well bred dairy cows produce 8,000 lbs. of milk yearly on an average and in exceptional cases cows have produced over twice this amount.

Aside from the productiveness of the cow there is another reason why dairy farmers are generally prosperous. In raising $8 to $12 worth of soil fertility is sold from the farm in every ton of grain, but when this grain is fed on the farm and the products sold in the form of butter less than 50 cents worth of the fertility is sold. The ton of grain containing $40 worth of fertility sells at from $20 to $35. The ton of butter containing less than 50 cents worth of fertility sells for over $500.

15-ROUND BOXING BOUT AT BOVEY AUGUST 1ST

A 15-round boxing bout will be pulled off at Lehrke's opera house at Bovey, Itasca county, August 1st. Mike O'Keefe will put on the gloves with Walter Griffin. "Scraps" Costello and "Kid" Davis of Chicago will meet in an 8-round go.

Fatally Hurt in Riot.

Elgin, Ill., July 30. — In a riot between strikebreakers employed by the Elgin & Belvidere Electric railroad and a crowd of strike sympathizers in the Central square here yesterday, George J. Leamann was probably fatally injured and several were hurt.

Lightning Burns Barn.

Redwood Falls, Minn., July 30. — The barn of County Superintendent Rebermeyer was struck by lightning and was practially burned to the ground.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

July 30 In History.

1718—William Penn died; born Oct. 14, 1644.

1750—John Sebastian Bach, musical composer, died; born 1685.

1898—Bismarck, ex-chancellor of the German empire, died; born 1814.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:13; rises 4:51; moon sets 8:55 p. m.; moon's age, 3 days; sun's declination today, 18 degrees 31 minutes north of celestial equator.

SHELLYITES HERE—Postmaster S. S. Moen and L. M. Hanson, the hardware merchant and impliment dealer are spending the day here from Shelly.

FERGUSON GETS AWARD—D. D. Ferguson of Mallory received the highest award at the Grand Forks fair, for a stallion and three of his get in the Percheron class.

SERIOUSLY ILL—Miss Adella Bangen has been confined to her home for the past week threatened with typhoid fever. Her condition is about the same and it will some time before she can resume work in the Bangen studio.

LUMBERMAN HERE — Walter Nichols, the traveling representative of the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., spent the night here and returned to Thief River this morning. He says the demand for lumber is looking up in all sections, and business promises to hum from this time forward.

TWEDTEN BUYS FARM—The sale of the Mason T. Roberts farm was completed in the Judge of Probate office today by Louis Johnson the administrator of the property for the heirs. Chris. Twedten bought the farm which is composed of 240 acres of improved land and considered a fine farm.

VISITING HIS BROTHER — Robert D. McMillan of Marinette, Wis., arrived yesterday and will spend some time visiting with his brother, J. A. McMillan one of the large and successful farmers south of Crookston, and before his return will look over valley lands in this section of the country.

IS TEACHING OUT WEST — W. J. Elliott, a former student of Macalester College, who was assigned to the Euclid Presbyterian church in 1903 spent yesterday in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Murney and left last evening for Bozeman, Montana, where he is a professor in the high school. He was returning from a visit to Chicago and Superior.

DITCH CONTRACT—John Roholt went to Lockhart last night to see how his crew is getting along finishing up a big ditching contract. The season of 1907 closed on him with only a few days' work left to complete the job. Meanwhile the spring rains got in their work and washed in about $500 worth of dirt that he is now removing before the ditch will be accepted by the authorities.

ALMOST A HOLDUP — P. J. Lachapelle returned last night from a short business trip to Bemidji and Cass Lake. Mr. Lachapelle had quite an experience going home to his place north of the race track late last night. A couple of boys in some way found out that he had a sum of money on his person and were shadowing him. P. J. becoming aware that he was followed tried to elude them, but was getting into a pretty tight place when a friend happened along, that discouraged the would-be highwaymen and they made for the woods.

Ex-city Clerk W. H. Graver of this city, now located at Pittsburg, Pa., writes Mrs. Graver who is visiting in Crookston to the effect that the latest sensation in Pittsburg was the drumming out of town of Nan Patterson who was charged with alienation of the affections of a well known man of that city who had a respectable wife and family.

Mr. Graver writes that the indignation over Nan's scandalous actions there was widespread, and that the action of the police in giving her to understand that the space she was taking up in Pittsburg would be far more appreciated than her carcass, met with most hearty approval.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

July 31 In History.

1777—Lafayette began active service in the American army.

1816—General George Henry Thomas, noted American soldier, called the "Rock of Chickamauga," born; died 1870.

1907—Francis Miles Finch, jurist, author of the war elegy, "The Blue and the Gray," died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:12, rises 4:52; moon sets 9:22 p. m.; moon's age, 4 days.

BIG CASE ON—Senator F. H. Peterson of Moorhead passed thru the city this morning enroute to Bemidji where he appears in a big law suit that is on there today as attorney for the defendant.

GETS A PRIZE—Dr. George Couvrette drew second prize at the Grand Forks fair for his driver. He was entered in the fancy exhibit of thorobred drivers. Mrs. L. W. Deichert of Grand Forks got the first prize.

BUSINESS TRANSFER—John Telander last week disposed of the Clearwater hotel bar at Bagley to C. F. Heiser of Greenbush and Crookston. The deal went into effect at once and the new proprietor Mr. Heiser, is now in charge.

CALLAHAN DEAD—Word was received in Grand Forks that J. S. Callahan formerly a resident there had died in Minneapolis Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Callahan was formerly sales man for the Grand Forks Mercantile company and had a host of friends in this vicinity who will mourn his death

INSPECTING DITCH—The board of county commissioners convened this morning and drove out to the towns of Roome and Tynsid to inspect ditch number 5 that has recently been completed and is awaiting the commissioners' O. K. before the remainder due on contract can be paid.

NEW TIRE TREAD — Wm. Bull formerly connected with the Hotel Dacotah barber shop at Grand Forks came over yesterday afternoon to call on the local auto owners. He is the traveling representative of the Brictson Detachable Tire Tread with headquarters in St. Paul and is doing a good business thruout the northwest.

TRADED FARM—Chas. Hull and wife passed thru Crookston last evening enroute to Albo, S. D., where Mr. Hull owns an impliment stock which he secured in exchange for his farm located near St. Hilaire. They will make their future home at Albo. They are old residents near St. Hilaire and a host of friends hope they will return to this section later on.

OLD TIMER HERE—John Stewart who for years was the agent of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co., at Russia, and who for some time past has been located at Calvin, N. D. where he is the owner of a pool hall and bowling alley in which he has cleaned up a good bunch of money, spent yesterday in the city. He has advertised his business for sale and intends to go to the Pacific coast as soon as he has sold out his business.

CONTEMPLATING MATRIMONY—A well known G. N. brakeman is seriously contemplating matrimony and pouch between this city and Warren maiden to the altar in the very near future. This means a serious loss to the stamp sales department of Uncle Sam as it has been the practice for some time past to carry an extra pounch between this city and Warren. The friends of Thomas are all watching him closely to guard against an elopement, but it is feared that he will slip down on the Soo from Thief River Falls one of these days and capture the prize on the sly.

GONE SIGHTSEEING—C. F. Mix of the First National bank and his son Chase, left last evening on an extended trip of three weeks thru the East. They will go to Duluth and take the lake trip to Buffalo, and from there they will go to Boston. They will visit Portsmouth and then make direct for New York city, where they will spend several days. Philadelphia will be visited and then Baltimore and later the national capital Mount Vernon and the naval academy at Annapolis will be seen and then the trip home will be made.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 1 In History.

1798—Battle of the Nile; Nelson destroyed the French fleet.

1818—Maria Mitchell, astronomer, born; died 1889.

1907—David Christie Murray, British playwright and novelist, died; born 1846.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:11, rises 4:53; moon sets 9:46 p. m.; moon's age, 5 days. Constellations visible 8:30 p. m. in August: overhead, Hercules, Lyra; north, Draco, Ursa Minor; northeast, Cassiopeia, Andromeda, Cepheus, Cygnus; east, Pegasus, Aquarius, Delphinus; southeast, Capricornus; south, Aquila, Ophiuchus, Serpens, Sagittarius, Scorpio; southwest, Libra; west, Virgo, Corona Borealis, Bootes; northwest, Canes Venatici, Ursa Major. Bright stars visible, same hour, with rank among first magnitude stars after each: overhead, Vega, 6; northeast, Deneb, 20; south, Altair, 13; Antares, 16; west, Spica, 15; Arcturus, 5; Planets during August: Mercury passing the sun on the farther side the 20th; Venus rises from 2:35 to 1:45 a. m.; Mars passes from east to west of the sun on the 22d; Jupiter passes from east to west of the sun on the 17th; Saturn rises from 7:52 to 6 p. m.; Uranus and Neptune always invisible. Sun in constellation Cancer till the 9th; then in Leo. Perseid meteors, emanating from constellation Perseus, rising in northeast about 9 p. m., till the 28th.

HEARING ON CLAIMS—The hearing on the claims against the estate of Nels P. Bolstad is on before Judge of Probate Morken this afternoon.

ADMINISTRATOR—A. P. Hanson has been appointed administrator of the estate of John T. Johnson deceased by the Probate court.

RETURNS FROM CLAIM — City mail carrier number four, Chas. Ackerlund returned last evening from a few days' vacation, spent with his brother on his claim near Baudette.

BACK ON ROUTE—R. F. D. Carrier number four, is again at work having had a two weeks vacation. Everybody along the route was pleased when Mr. Ulseth returned.

MADE GREAT TIME—On the return trip from Grand Forks yesterday, W. S. Lycan's machine made the trip in one hour and one minute which is the fastest time made by a local auto. The machine is a goer from way back.

BARLOW HOME ENTERED—The home of George H. Barlow at East Grand Forks was entered by robbers Friday morning and property of some value was taken. The theft was committed in broad daylight and the property taken includes two watches, a chain, two revolvers and a small sum of money. Two suspects were arrested and will be given a hearing if enough evidence can be secured.

WARREN CONTRACT — Herman Feidler and August Shuler who have just completed the job of plastering the new Carnegie Library will leave Monday morning for Warren where they have a number of plastering contracts among them the new school house. Messrs. Feidler and Shuler are without exception among the best and most rapid plasterers in the valley.

ULEN SCRIBE—O. E. Reiersgord publisher of the Ulen Union was a visitor in the city yesterday between trains, taking the late train for Bemidji where he has some business matters to attend to. Mr. Riersgord reports eastern Clay county coming along finely and that a good harvest will be garnered, and with the good price, ought to make the prosperity wave roll high. He was accompanied by A. O. Melbye of the same town who is making the trip with him.

FROM OREGON TO FISH—R. B. Stevenson, traffic manager of the Oregon Short line, passed thru the city last evening from the west in a private car enroute to Cass Lake with a party of friends where a few days' fishing will be enjoyed. Mr. Stevenson is well known in this section having been connected with the Great Northern at one time.

SAYS CROPS ARE FINE—Sheriff Gonyea says he has been doing a great deal of driving of late and that within a radius of 20 miles he never saw the wheat looking better and that other crops were also looking fine. He shelled considerable wheat from northeast of the city yesterday and the kernels are fine and plump and will make a splendid crop.

New Fire Team Record.

Clinton, Iowa, Aug. 1.—Paddy and Prince, the Sioux City fire team, won the free-for-all race yesterday afternoon in the state firemen's tournament, establishing a world's record by making the half-mile run with bunk hitch and coupling in 1:15.

Both Legs Cut Off:

St. Paul, Aug. 1.—George S. Wilson of Chicago had both legs cut off last night by a freight train. He had beaten his way into the city on an Omaha train and was waiting in the yards for an outgoing train when he was struck by a freight train.

SECOND MARKET DAY A SUCCESS BEYOND ALL ANTICIPATIONS

From Saturday's Daily—

Crookston's Second Market Day was a more pronounced success than the first one by large odds. Farmers came in with their families by the hundreds from all directions and brought loads of produce with them which they dispose of at very satisfactory prices. They also brought in stock etc., and machinery which was sold at auction for good prices.

The farmers were greeted upon their arrival by the Crookston band which played till noon in various parts of the business districts, and after dinner the Burnham Creek band gave a most excellent concert. The people of Crookston as well as the visitors were pleasantly surprised at the splendid showing made by the band from west of Crookston, of which their community may well be proud.

The Sport Program

The sport program was started in the morning with the race down Broadway between the fast horses of Jos. Eckert and C. L. Brennan. The latter's horse fell towards the finish, marring the race, which was won by Eckert, but fortunately Mr. Brennan was not badly hurt, tho his horse has a badly bruised knee.

In the Auto race which followed on Main street Mr. Christianson came in slightly ahead of Mr. Parr, both men running auto liveries in the city.

Draft Team Prize

The prize for the best draft team owned by a farmer went to the handsome pair of blacks owned by August Reitmeier northwest of the city, as handsome a pair of horses as were ever seen on the streets of Crookston and the second prize went to L. Capistran who also has a very fine team. There were scores of others with most creditable horseflesh.

Farmers Won Tug of War

The Crookston team did not have a lookin in the tug of war. The local team selected failed to show up, and another one was chosen but the farmers pulled them all over Broadway The two teams lined up as follows:

Farmers' team:

Messrs Omer Sauve, Wm. Chappious, Isadore Dubuque, Joe Farley, Thor. Amundsen, Berdine Spokely, Knute Swenson, John Demarais, Andrew P. Johnson, Pat McGlynn, Eugene Prudhomme and Pat Kelly.

City Team:

Messrs. Vonderbeck, Lalonde, Maurice Brosseau, Thygeson, Henry Brosseau, John Sundet, Ole Sundet, Pete Gramer, Fink, Johnson, Timbeck, Torgerson.

Crowds Well Fed

At noon the farmers and their wives and children were all guests of the business men of Crookston at a fine spread in the Auditorium where the Womans Relief Corps had the table loaded with enough for an army and none went hungry. This was a popular feature as it gave the people from country an opportunity to get together and discuss matters of interest, crops, etc.

A Fine Address

Senator A. D. Stephens made a very interesting address to the farmers at the Auditorium during the noon hour. He dwelt on the fact that the interests of the farmers and the business men were mutual and that one could not prosper without the other. He spoke of the value of a market day to both, and pointed out the advantages the farmer who was diversifying his crops and produce had over the one crop farmer. His remarks were received with great enthusiasm and he did not fail to boost the school of agriculture which aroused still more enthusiasm.

Free Auto Ride

One of the very pleasant features of the day was the auto ride given the visitors. There were a large number of machines and they were given a free ride to points of interest in the city and vicinity and were kept busy till late in the afternoon in seeing the sights. The ride was thoroly enjoyed and will serve to take the point off the antipathy felt towards the "devil wagons" by some of the farmers, caused to some extent by careless driving by chauffers.

Minor Features

The other sports for the benefit of the farmer boys and girls also created much amusement and the day thruout was a grand success. Too much credit cannot be given to the market day committee consisting of Messrs. John Cowley, O. Mercil Jr., Thomas R. Johnstone, and Walter Stone together with all others who were in any way connected with the program for the day.

BACK FROM FINE EUROPEAN TRIP

C. C. STRANDER HOME FROM A TWO MONTHS' JAUNT ACROSS WATERS

ENCOUNTERED NO ACCIDENTS—MANY INTERESTING THINGS TO TELL

From Saturday's Daily—

C. C. Strander returned this morning from a two months' trip to Europe. He is looking fine after the trip and enjoyed every minute of it, tho he is glad to return home again and get back in to the harness in God's country. On a portion of the trip Mr. Strander was accompanied by A. Holmboe, of this city, who returned with him as far as Alexandria where he will spend a few days before returning to Crookston.

Mr. Strander went over on the Oceanic one of the big boats of the White Star Line, making the trip in seven days, and returned on the Kron Prinzessin Cecelia, of the North German Lloyd line, making the trip in less than 6 days. The weather was fine with the exception of a few days of rough weather on the return trip. When interviewed by the Journal, Mr Strander said in part:

"The weather was fine and cool during the entire trip. I only met two people from the States whom I knew, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bratrud of this city who will be home next week.

"In practically all the European countries the financial conditions are closer than usual, but conditions are improving steadily. I noticed that in Germany, England and France the papers were all dwelling on what they termed the dreadful financial conditions in America, the evident purpose being to stop emigration to this country as much as possible.

"Wherever I went I heard complaints that the tourist travel from America this year was much lighter than usual, but at that we met tourists wherever we went and large numbers of them. The hotels in Norway all seemed to be fairly well filled and doing a good business.

"While such a trip is thoroly enjoyable, any one making it is more thoroly impressed with the advantages of our own country than ever before, and while I had a fine time, and saw many interesting sights, I am glad to get back to Crookston again, and prefer to live right here to any place I visited in Europe."

Mr. Strander came from Hamar, Norway to Minnesota 20 years ago and this was his first trip back. He visited the haunts of his youth, and spent several weeks in Norway and Sweden. He crossed one of the highest ranges of Norwegian mountains, and had the pleasure of throwing snow balls in July.

He also visited London, Paris and points of greatest interest in Germany and other European countries. He returns in the best of health and is ready to get down to business again.

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TO PROSECUTE ALLEGED SLAYER

WHITAKER WHO KILLED STEENSON IN A SALOON ROW WILL PLEAD IN SELF DEFENSE

HAS ENGAGED CHICAGO ATTORNEY TO DEFEND HIM—JURY HARD TO GET

From Saturday's Daily—

E. R. Sinkler, of Grafton will assist State's Attorney Weber, of McHenry county, N. D., in the prosecution of Whitaker, the man who killed Conrad son of Knute Steenerson formerly of Climax but now located in North Dakota. Whitaker has secured a Chicago lawyer for his defense and will claim self defense.

The crime for which Whitaker will be tried was committed in a pool room. Steenerson and Whitaker had had trouble on a couple of occasions, and, it is claimed by Whitaker's friends, Steenerson slapped Whitaker a much smaller and older man. Whitaker armed himself and when Steenerson again appeared in the pool room and threatened to attack him he was shot. Whether Whitaker was justified in shooting under the circumstances is a question that has been debated freely in McHenry county and it will likely be a difficult matter to secure a jury.

District court will convene in Towner on Tuesday and it is probable that the Whitaker case will be the first one called.

It was reported that Attorney Sinkler would defend the prisoner, but this was an error. He was engaged by the commissioners of McHenry county to assist in the prosecution.

Conrad Steenerson, the boy killed, was in Crookston a few days before the fatal shooting, having just returned from a claim in the Roseau country where he has been with his cousin from Climax for the greater part of the winter, and stopped off here to visit a few days with relatives and friends before proceeding to McHenry County, N. D., where he was killed a few days later by Whitaker.

Men never make mistakes—after the undertaker gets busy with them.

Most people who claim to want justice may be thankful they don't get it.

FERTILE RIGHT IN THE LINE

ITS COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL HELP BOOST THE COUNTY EXHIBIT

MESSRS. L. E. GEORGE, H. L. GAYLORD AND T. O. PROPP ARE HUSTLING COMMITTEE

From Friday's Daily—

J. H. Stair was here Tuesday from Crookston as a representative of a committee of that place appointed to solicit donations from the different cities and villages in the county for a county exhibit at the state fair, says the Fertile Journal.

It is proposed to raise $1,200 or more for this purpose, $350 having been donated by the county and $150 by the state and the balance to be raised by subscription. Crookston raised $500 and the Fertile Commercial Club after listening to Mr. Stair's proposition decided to help a good thing along and donated $50.

The Club instructed its president to appoint a committee of three to look after securing exhibits of grain grasses, vegetables and fruits, and he appointed H. L. Gaylord, Theo. O. Propp and L. E. George as such committee.

The committee is desirious of getting good samples of the above and wants the co-operation of the farmers in procuring the same. They would deem it a great favor if farmers would bring in good sized bundles of rye and barley at once, also of other grains, grasses or vegetables that have matured.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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WHEAT HARVEST IS ON; FARMER IS THRESHING

N. C. Hanson realized $22 per acre from rye threshed today. Barley and oats yield well. Lanctot cutting wheat 30 bu. to acre.

N. C. Hanson of Lowell township 2 1-2 miles west of the city is today threshing rye, barley and oats. The rye yielded 27 1-2 bushels per acre and sold on the spot for 80 cents, netting over $22 per acre. The oats and barley yield well.

This morning Ed Lanctot, the well known farmer residing near the Gentilly bridge, this morning started cutting a field of 180 acres of wheat which J. M. Stephens states will yield from 25 to 30 bushels per acre.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Wheat harvest, and rye, barley and oat threshing was commenced in this vicinity today, and the threshing operations are about the earliest on record.

N. C. Hanson the progressive farmer on section 34, Lowell township 2 1-2 miles west of the city who has about 70 acres of grain cut, this morning started threshing rye, the field yielding 27 1-2 bushels to the acre and he sold it on the spot for 80 cents per bushel which nets him just $22 per acre which is doing pretty well on $35 land in one crop. Mr. Hanson has 22 more acres of Rye to thresh which is a most profitable crop this year.

He also started threshing oats and barley today, the yield of both being very good, but as he did not finish the fields he cannot yet give the average per acre. Last year he began threshing on August 20, so he is 16 days earlier this year, and will have his land plowed where his early grain was sowed, before many farmers have started cutting.

First Wheat Harvested

This morning Ed Lanctot, who resides in Gentilly township between the old Gentilly bridge and the village, started in cutting a field of 180 acres of wheat which J. M. Stephens who inspected it yesterday says is as fine a field as he has ever seen and which will yield from 25 to 30 bushels per acre.

This wheat of course was not "scratched" in. It was sown on land which has been cultivated, seeded down to grass regularly every so often and its vitality kept in good shape. It was seeded early, got a big start from the early spring and summer rains and was beyond damage from dry weather before the dry weather set in.

While a few small fields of wheat have possibly been cut, this is the first field of any size being harvested that has been reported to the Journal office. Barley harvesting is on in full blast however, and considerable wheat will be cut before the end of the week.

WILL NAME FULL COUNTY TICKET

DEMOCRATS PROPOSE TO MAKE A FINISH FIGHT IN NOVEMBER

WILL NAME FULL COUNTY TICKET AT CONVENTION HERE SOON

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Democrats of Polk county will this year put a full ticket in the field, and the candidates will all be named when the county convention is held in Crookston by the democrats to name delegates to the state convention.

The party leaders have come to the conclusion that as this is presidential year, and with a good county organization, there is a good chance of electing several officials, and will therefore name a ticket on which every portion of the county is represented, and will endeavor to select men of ability who are at the same time vote getters.

If this plan is followed, it will serve to add materially to what already is certain to be a lively campaign.

JOHN SAUGSTAD BOASTED

THE FOLLOWING FROM THE "RED RIVER REVIEW", OF JUNE 26TH 1908, WILL BE READ WITH SPECIAL INTEREST BY POLK COUNTY VOTERS:—

"John Saugstad has filed for representative in Polk county. The writer, as a clerk in the last legislature, had the opportunity of watching Saugstad's work, and were we a voter in Polk county he would have no more enthuciastic supporter. Saugstad is on the square. He votes on each proposition on its own merits and does not vote for measures of doubtful value just to get the other fellow to vote for his bills. He is not a vote trader. The trading of votes is one of the biggest evels in every legislative body. The member who refuses to do it may not pass his bills the first session, but he gains the respect of his fellow members—even the most persistent traders—and Mr. Saugstad will be a power in the next house, if elected—which he will be if the Polk county people know his record." 1td

CONFERENCE BIG SUCCESS

BEMIDJI MEETING WAS WELL ATTENDED—FINE ADDRESSES MADE

OFFICERS ELECTED BY PRESBYTERIAL MISSIONARY SOCIETIES

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mrs. W. S. Ward of this city, Mrs. J. S. Chapin of Euclid, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Rev. Wilson who is preaching at Angus and Euclid, Rev. Horn who is preaching in the Miller, Chaesgreen and other school houses, Mrs. Bryson of Davidson and others have returned from Bemidji where they attended the 4th annual meeting of the Bemidji Bible Conference and prior to that the meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Adams Presbytery. Both meetings were a grand success, the attendance being large and the speakers among the leading divines of the United States. The Bible conference did not elect officers but named a board of directors which includes Rev. W. S. Ward of this city, who will meet during the session of the Synod in Minneapolis later on and name a program committee, etc., which will have supervision of conference meeting next year.

Missionary Officers Elected

The reports of the officers of the Presbyterial Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian church for the Adams Presbytery showed active work during the past year, and general interest developing in every part of the district. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Home Officers—

President—Mrs. Lucy Chapin, Euclid.

1st Vice President—Mrs. Stevens, Blackduck.

2nd Vice President—Mrs. Cameron, Hallock.

Secretary—Mrs. Ferguson, Davidson.

Treasurer—Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Angus.

Foreign Officers—

President—Mrs. Stroh, Warren.

1st Vice President—Mrs. White, Bemidji.

2nd Vice President—Mrs. Walker, Thief River Falls.

Recording Secretary—Miss Powell, Warren.

Corresponding Secy—Mrs. Ward, Crookston.

Treasurer—Mrs. Bryson, Davidson.

ROBBERS BUSY AT E. G. FORKS

WELL KNOWN CARPENTER TERRIBLY BEATEN AND ROBBED OF $85

ROBBERS SCARED AWAY FROM REAR OF FINLAYSON RESIDENCE

From Monday's Daily—

Saturday night and Sunday were busy days for foot pads at East Grand Forks without doubt being the closing activities of the hangers on of the Grand Forks Fair. Saturday night while enroute to his home Jos. Lancas, a well known carpenter about 55 years of age was held up by two men close to his home in the south end of the city and terribly beaten. He was robbed of $85 in cash and when he recovered consciousness crawled to his door step where he was found by his family a little later. No clue to the crooks. He was terribly hurt about the head and kicked about the body.

Last evening about 9 o'clock Mrs. Chas. Kellar noticed two thieves trying to enter the rear of the Geo. Finlayson residence and frightened them away by making an outcry. Before she could notify any one the two crooks disappeared around a corner.

THREE SOCIALIST CANDIDATES FILED

This afternoon three Socialists filed as candidates on the Public Ownership ticket. They were G. W. Barth of Liberty, candidate for county commissioner from the 3rd district. A. Irwin of Beltrami, candidate for Probate judge and Hans M. Holmvik, candidate for sheriff. Other Socialist candidates are expected to file later on.

GEORGE PETTIBONE IS DEAD.

Was Charged With Complicity in Murder of Gov. Steunenberg.

Denver, Aug. 5.—George Pettibone, for years prominent in the councils of the Western Federation of Miners and charged with President Moyer and Former Secretary Haywood with complicity in the murder of Former Governor Steunenberg of Idaho, died at St. Joseph's hospital last night from the effects of an operation for cancer. Mr. Pettibone had been ill practically ever since his confinement in the Idaho penitentiary, which began more than a year previous to the famous trials at Boise, where Pettibone was tried and acquitted.

WEAK KIDNEYS MAKE WEAK BODIES

Kidney Diseases Cause Half the Common Aches and Ills of Crookston People

As one weak link weakens the chain, so weak kidneys weaken the whole body and hasten the final breaking down.

Overwork, strains colds and other causes injure the kidneys, and when their activity is lessened the whole body suffers from the excess of uric poison circulated in the blood.

Aches and pains and languor and urinary ills come, and there is an ever-increasing tendency towards diabetes and fatal Bright's disease. There is no real help for the sufferer except kidney help.

Doan's Kidney Pills act directly on the kidneys and cure every kidney ill. Crookston cures are the proof.

John P. Freeberg, tailor, of 601 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "In the summer of 1898, I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills and from the good results obtained from their use I gave a statement in which I strongly recommended them to anyone suffering from weakened kidneys I am pleased to confirm that testimonial at this time. I suffered for years from kidney trouble, the action of the kidney secretions being too frequent and disturbing my rest at night. The many remedies I used proved of little value until I got Doan's Kidney Pills at the Wallace Drug Co. The action of the kidneys was regulated by their use."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Some people wouldn't want to be happy if everybody else was.

Glacier Ice from Alpine Mountains

The introduction of electric railways into Alpine districts has been the means of establishing a new and somewhat strange industry namely; the quarrying of glacier ice for distribution in large cities, says a consular report. High as the Alps in quality is golden grain beer. It is brewed from the best of nature's products in a better way than other beers and deserves a place on the home table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

IN DEFENSE OF NORWAY

NORWEGIAN WRITES INTERESTING ARTICLE ON FARMING IN NORWAY

SAYS MANY FARMS ARE LARGE AND OWNERS PROGRESSIVE—RICH RESOURCES

The following communication has been received for publication by the Journal, from a native of Norway who is of the opinion that an article published recently did not do Norway and Norwegians justice. The communication follows:

Editor Journal:

The alleged statements of C. C. Strander in a purported interview in Monday night's "Crookston Times" in regard to farming in Norway, might have been meant as a joke on the good farmers of that beautiful and fertile country, or it shows that his observations in the farming districts there have been limited to the most mountainous parts, as for instance, a person from Norway would take a trip thru the Rocky Mountains in this country and on his return home would tell his people about farming in U. S. instead of telling them about farming in the Rockies.

Norway is not a small country with the exception of Russia being one of the largest in Europe. Many of the farms are very large and campare favorably with farms in this country, but they are unfortunately not cultivated like gardens as Mr. Strander states. The majority of the farms in Norway are not yet cultivated to a great extent for the reason that Norway has so many other resources such as timber, mining, fishing, —— dairying, sheep and goat raising, ship building and highway and rail road building for the laboring class, that cultivating and reclaiming vast land areas have up to the last decade been greatly neglected.

The government in later years has done a great deal to encourage farming, draining swamps and planting trees on prairies and valleys not suited for agriculture.

Norway today has some of the finest farms in the world, not a few of the farmers owning their own electric light plants and waterworks, flour and saw mills, and employ scores of laborers of both sexes the year round. A well stocked and cultivated farm in Norway compares favorably with an ordinary village in this country. If Mr. Strander had been in Christiania last year, during the summer and fall agricultural fairs, and seen the products of farming in Norway, he would not wonder so much about how the great number of people subsist on the small patches. They grow as fine barley, oats, wheat and potatoes and as much per acre as anywhere in the world. Their vegetables compare in quality and variety with the products of this country.

Fruit raising, especially in the western part of Norway is advancing so fast, that no one will believe it until they have seen it, or read the government reports. Apples, pears, plums prunes and cherries are of fully as good quality as we raise in our own Wenatchie and Yakima valleys, the trees growing just as fast, bearing just as much and as often. Strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, blueberries and many other wild varieties are as fine as anywhere in the world. Flowers and house plants are also grown a great deal and find a ready market, as the people of that country are great lovers of such.

The progressive farmers in Norway are well provided with all kinds of machinery and tools, some imported but most of it manufactured there, using the American makes a good deal for models.

They have large agricultural colleges and experimental farms and they keep the farmers well posted in regards to farming in all branches. The agricultural branch of the government has agents all over the civilized world studying different methods and obtaining anything and every thing that may be for the betterment of the Norwegian farm. Besides this the government has traveling experts in all branches of agriculture, visiting every farm in the country, teachhing and instructing free of charge.

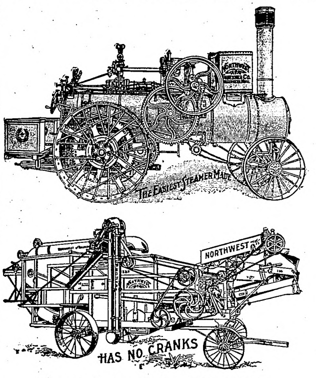
The most difficult problem for the Norwegian farmer to solve is the labor question. The young men and women, as soon as they are able to work out, get what they call over there the "American fever" and some way or other they manage to get enough money for a steerage passage and in due time arrive in this country ready to take up the battle of life for better or worse. Norway in the meantime is looking for young and strong men willing to cultivate the soil, the government doing all in its power, offering inducements to stay home, and discouraging emigration.

Respectfully,

Oliver Olafson,

Crookston, Minn., Aug. 4th 1908.

NORTHWEST SEPARATOR & ENGINE



For sale by S. L. COLLINS,

317 to 323 N. Main St. Phone 41

OLE SUNDET BREAKS LEG IN RUN-A-WAY ACCIDENT

TEAM WHICH PUT ON RUNAWAY STUNT WEEK AGO DUPLICATED IT YESTERDAY—LINE BROKE TEAM STARTED ACROSS DITCH AND MR. SUNDET LEAPED TO GROUND WITH WIFE IN HIS ARMS —COMPOUND FRACTURE OF LEG RESULTED, THE BONE BELOW THE KNEE PROTRUDING THRU THE FLESH

The livery team which ran away with five waitresses from the Hotel Crookston one week ago Sunday evening, nearly killing two of the occupants, duplicated their performance Sunday morning and as a result Ole Sundet is in Bethesda hospital in this city with a compound fracture of the leg, and if he does not lose the leg he will at best be laid up for a long time.

With his wife Mr. Sundet started on a drive to Climax at 8 o'clock Sunday morning and when about four miles out of town the horses began kicking and rearing and evidently had determined on another runaway. Mr. Sundet, who is a powerful man did not care for that kind of entertainment and laid back with all his might on the reins and without doubt would have held them had not one line snapped. This resulted in a violent jerk on the other rein which pulled the team, which was now going at a good clip, into the ditch.

Seeing that he could not control the team, Mr. Sundet seized his wife and jumped from the rig as the team leaped across the deep ditch by the roadside. He lit in a depression in the ditch which turned his ankle and the bone snapped just below the knee and the end of the bone protruded thru the knee.

The blood spurted from the ugly wound and his wife would have been distracted had not a man who was walking down the railroad track seen the accident and rushed to her assistance. He at once ran to a farm house and telephoned to Dr. Smith who jumped into his automobile and was soon at the scene. After staunching the flow of blood he brought the injured man to the city and the fracture was reduced. It is believed the leg can be saved if no complications set in.

Mrs. Sundet escaped with a severe jar and a bad fright. The team after crossing the ditch swung back on the road again and started on South at a brisk trot and were overtaken and brought back to the city with no damage to the rig at all, the one broken line having been the extent of the breakage. The team evidently did not care to run after the occupants of the rig had been disposed of.

SOLD $2,000 WORTH OF GOODS

AUCTION SALE BY C. A. HITCHCOCK LAST SATURDAY A HUMMER

HORSES, COWS, MACHINERY, BUGGIES AND FURNITURE WAS SOLD

From Monday's Daily—

One of the Grand successes of Crookston's Second Market Day Saturday was the free auction sale conducted by C. A. Hitchcock. The popularity of this feature is increasing steadily and on Saturday over $2000 worth of stock, machinery and household goods was sold, the prices as a rule being very satisfactory to both buyer and seller.

This is a feature of Market Day that is destined to grow steadily. It is a sort of clearing house at which the buyers and sellers get together disposing of what they have to sell, and buying whatever they need that is offered. Later on there will be still more stock brought in for sale and the result will be the best stock market in the northwest, as outside buyers will compete with local buyers in the bidding on both horses, cattle as well as pigs, sheep or anything else in that line.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Cures Colds: Prevents Pneumonia

CUCUMBERS PROFITABLE

OTTER TAIL COUNTY FACTORY IS DOING GOOD BUSINESS IN CUCUMBERS

220 FARMERS NEAR PERHAM ARE RAISING THEM THIS SEASON

Perham Enterprise: The M. A. Gedney Pickling Co., opened their local factory yesterday, with H. F. Holst as manager. The first cucumbers received were furnished by M. J. Palubicki, who lives on the outskirts of the village. The weather of the past two weeks has been very favorable for the growth of cucumbers and a good crop is anticipated. The factory has facilities to handle over 14,000 bushels.

The Gedney people are well pleased with the manner in which the farmers in this locality respond to their request to raise cucumbers. The total number who are raising cucumbers is 220. The amount which each one has planted varies from a half an acre to three acres. Under present circumstances, the returns promise to be very encouraging. The company will pay 90 cents a hundred for cucumbers from 1 to 3 inches in length 30 cents a hundred for cucumbers from 4 to 5 inches long and 20 cents a hundred for crooks and nubs. It is very important that cucumbers be pickled while they are small as in that way the highest price will be secured

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GOOD TIME IN NEW ZEALAND

Historical Society

TRACK FATAL PLA

Child Dies of Injuries Received When Hit by Train.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 12.—John Pocmoc, the year-and-a-half-old son of Charles Pocmoc of Nashwauk, died at St. Luke's hospital yesterday from injuries sustained a few days ago at Nashwauk, through being run over by a train. The little fellow crawled on the tracks while at play with other children.

and Officers of Battleship eet Are Showered With Hospitality.

BLUEJACKETS TAKEN CARE OF

Entertainments, Excursions and All Manner of Amusements Provided for Men.

Auckland, New Zealand, Aug. 12.—New Zealand to-day again, with a lavish hand, showered its hospitality upon the officers and men of the United States Atlantic battleship fleet. The chief event of the day was the reception of Rear Admiral Sperry and his officers, given this afternoon in Drill hall by the mayor and mayoress of Auckland. To meet the naval officers had gathered all the officials, civil and military, and hundreds of citizens. Numerous women, gowned in the latest winter fashions, also attended the function, which was a brilliant one in every respect.

Admiral Sperry Entertains.

After the reception Admiral Sperry entertained the members of the legislature at luncheon on board the Connecticut. Speeches on both sides were felicitous to a degree and expressive of the warm friendship that exsists between New Zealand and the United States.

Shore leave was granted to 1,000 bluejackets this morning. They were taken in hand by various committees, whose duty and pleasure it was to see that they had a good time. And they had it. Theater parties and other entertainments had been arranged, and decorated electric cars conveyed the men of the fleet to the numerous beauty spots in the suburbs.

Take Part in Rifle Matches.

Shortly after noon the men were taken to various places, where the committee had arranged elaborate luncheons for them.

This evening a brialliant state ball will be given in honor of Admiral Sperry and the officers of the fleet by Lord Plunkitt, the governor, at Government house.

Prime Minister Ward has waived the regulations which prevent the landing of an armed force in order that the Americans may compete in the rifle matches here. The principal match in New Zealand will take place to-day and the American marksmen are hopeful of making a good showing.

PRISONER WONT EAT

ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE FOILED, ALLEGED FORGER CREATES A NEW SENSATION

F. P. MAPES IS WORRYING THE SHERIFF—IMPLICATES HIS WIFE

Burlington, Iowa, Aug. 12. — F. P. Mapes, the alleged forger who was arrested in Omaha several weeks ago on account of charges he made against his former wife, implicating her in forgeries charged to him, refuses to eat, and Sheriff Williams is disturbed over the matter.

Several days ago Mapes attempted to escape from prison, using a table spoon in an effort to dig his way out, but he failed. He was put in solitary confinement and is now refusing food.

KILLED ON TRACK

TRAIN MEANS OF SUICIDE.

Man Named John Walker Is Killed Near Arnold Station.

Duluth, Aug. 12.—Word reached Duluth early last evening that a man named John Walker had been killed by a Duluth, Missabe & Northern train near Arnold station. He was a stranger, but no further facts are known. It is not certain whether it was an accident or whether the man committed suicide by deliberately getting in front of the train.

Skull Broken by Bronco.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 12.—Ernest Deupre, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deupre, was kicked into insensibility while riding a bronco pony. The skull was fractured and the brain was oozing out when he was picked up. Little hope is entertained for his recovery.

BIG DAMAGE IN SOUTH DAKOTA

SECOND SUNSTROKE FATAL.

Young Farmer Succumbs When Heat Again Overcomes Him.

Osceola, Wis., Aug. 12.—Joel Hanson, a progressive young farmer, is dead from sunstroke. On July 24 he sustained a slight stroke, but felt its effects only a day or two. The second stroke, while he was working in the harvest field, however, caused him to die almost instantly.

Anthrax Epidemic Spreads.

Yankton, S. D., Aug. 12. — Anthrax still continues to cause great uneasiness in this county, and the dread disease has appeared in stock only three miles from town. Vaccination is being used in a wholesale manner. The loss has been heavy and the custom of leaving cattle that have died of anthrax in pastures or burying them in shallow graves is helping to spread the disease.

Nearly a Cetenarian at Death.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 12.—One of the oldest residents of South Dakota, Mrs. Mary Dokkula, has just died at her home on a farm in Hamline county. She was ninety-six years eight months and one day old at the time of her death. She had resided in South Dakota many years.

Some people can hardly believe a word they say.

Nine Counties [illegible]k by Terrific Hail Storm—Many Farms Swept Clean.

Aberdeen, S. D., Aug. 12. — Nine counties extending from Campbel to Codington including Walworth, McPherson, Edmunds, the southwest part of Brown, the northeastern part of Faulk and Spink and the north part of Clark were struck by a hail storm yesterday which, at some points, was forty miles in width. Reports indicate that the loss to cereal crops will range from 25 per cent to total. It is impossible at this time to give the value of the crops destroyed. The loss would be enormous were it not for the fact that much of the grain is cut. The heaviest damage reported is in the stretch of country from Ashton to the Clark county line, where harvesting had not been progressing fast. Mound City, in Campbell county, reports twenty-five farms swept clean by hail.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

BIGGER FLOW OF GRAIN REPORTED BY RAILROADS

A Tonnage Exceeding That Of 1907 Is Now Being Gaththered.

Tonnage greatly in excess of that produced last year is being gathered from the grain fields of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, and the effect of this must soon be felt in business circles generally. The railroads are assured of a heavvier call for equipment, for, altho the bumper crop prospect of July 1 was scaled down, there is a total production of all grains well ahead of last season.

The Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Soo roads are receiving late harvest reports with satisfaction. The Milwaukee, North-Western and Omaha are already getting the first run of the new coarse grains. First country loadings of consequence are reported along the Minneapolis & St. Louis and Chicago Great Western. The big movement of wheat will not start for some time yet.

Durum Yielding Well

Durum wheat where cut and threshed, is yielding well, and some spring wheat has been threshed, tho no new wheat has yet been received at terminals. The crop is spotted bad in places and therefore somewhat misleading. Some South Dakota counties have the finest crops for years and in the districts from whence come the less favorable reports there are enough good fields to offset losses materially.

Where grain is ripe farmers are rushing work, as the weather has been very favorable. High prices have made the farmers feel good. Much effort is being made to get in the crop while the weather holds clear, but there appears no general anxiety to rush grain to market, as there seems more confidence in the stability of values than in former seasons when the movement began with the price range high.

Advices from the Missouri slope where it was very dry thru July, say that the wheat is turning out better than was expected and that the rains of the latter part of July brought it to maturity.

H. V. Jones' Report

H. V. Jones, who predicted satisfactory crops a short time ago, has not changed his view. He believes that the better distribution of the crop is a highly favorable factor. Mr. Jones said: "I can only repeat what I said a few days ago—that, in my estimation, the northwest has the best all-around crop in several years. There is a heavy increase in the oats and barley acreage and while the yields of these crops will not be heavy in localities, the large acreage will roll up into big totals as compared with a three or four years' average. Then the crop is better distributed. It occurs usually that where a locality has a failure, or a partial failure, the district is affected quite uniformly. It is not so this year, except in occasional instances. A farm may give only a small wheat return, but the same farm will carry a good flax crop or a good barley crop. This will give a return to the farmers that will assist him in meeting obligations, which is materially different to him from a failure of all crops.

CANADIAN STRIKE SITUATION QUIET

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 12—The local strike situation is quiet.

C. P. R. cut down freight tonnage by 20 per cent here and at Kenora. There are rumors that with the exception of the Molders International other internationals are not supporting the strike.

The company has cancelled all the passes issued to the men over the railway lines for the time being, so many men who thought they would take a holiday during the strike, will have to pay their own transportation fare in full.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 12.—The first act of violence since the Canadian Pacific railway strike was instituted in Winnipeg took place last night about midnight, when almost all the windows in the passenger coaches and several panes of glass in other cars were broken by stones hurled through them by unknown persons in the St. Boniface yards across the Red river from here. The passenger train was sent to be turned and the missiles were thrown while the train was in motion on the return trip to Winnipeg. Many of the stones were as large as a man's fist and were found all over the floor of the cars. Trainmen say that the sound of crashing glass was all over in a minute and several persons were implicated in the act.

Beyond this, greatest interest is manifested by the strikers in the actions of the company and at all hours the main entrances to the yards are surrounded by men who take note of all that goes on within. Three entered the yards and were promptly arrested by special police and escorted to the police station. They were released by the magistrate with a warning not to repeat the offense.

Local strikers emphatically deny that the engineers are not in sympathy with them. They assert the engineers' union will support them.

The strikers say that in another week many of the trains will be unfit for the road.

CAN'T CHEW GUM OR CANDY.

"Hello" Girls Also Must Stop Conversing With Admirers.

Watertown, S. D., Aug. 9.—The candy and chewing gum business of the state received a staggering blow yesterday when the Dakota Central Telephone company issued an order to its hundreds of "hello" girls in South Dakota forbidding the chewing of gum or eating sweetmeats during working hours. Conversation with visiting admirers also is prohibited, and fair "Central's" vocabulary will comprise but "number" and "line is busy."

DR. FORCE IS PAROLED.

Former Vice President of Insurance Company Secures Liberty.

Stillwater, Aug. 9. — Dr. Jacob F. Force of Minneapolis was granted a parole from the state prison by the board of control yesterday. No relative or other person appeared in his behalf. The action was taken at the regular monthly meeting. The doctor was received at the institution March 30, 1907, under a sentence of three years and six months for alleged misappropriation of money during the insurance scandal investigation by the state.

OVERFLOW OF THE WIRES

President Roosevelt has been appealed to by Senator Culberson of Texas in an effort to restrain the railroads from putting the new rates into effect in that state, and the president has referred the matter to the attorney general.

With Senator Perkins as chairman of the senate committee on naval affairs, as all concede he will become throught the death of Senator Allison, the Pacific coast will be given a strong position of advantage. Mr. Perkins was once a sailor before the mast.

Henry Brown of Lone Tree, Iowa.

poured kerosene on the stove and was badly burned in an explosion. His restaurant and its contents were destroyed by the fire and the opera house building, in which the restaurant is located, was damaged.

Naval recruiting officials are in high feather, as they say recruiting has never been better than at this time. Last week from the recruiting stations alone there were returns of 473 recruits and more applications are being received both at the stations and at the bureau of navigation than ever before.

FATAL TO TEN PERSONS

Trolley Cars Running at High Rate of Speed Crash Together Near Piqua, Ohio.

MISTAKE IN ORDERS IS CAUSE

Cars Come Together With Terrific Force, One of Them Being Completely Telescoped.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 12. — Five persons are dead, five are probably fatally injured and fully twenty-five others sustained minor injuries last night when two trolley cars crashed together between Sidney and Piqua, on one of the lines of the Western Ohio Traction company.

The north-bound car out of Piqua was running on time, while the south-bound car out of Sidney was late and running at great speed. The cars met almost directly in front of the Shelby county infirmary, to which the dead and injured were conveyed. Physicians and surgeons were hurried to the scene in automobiles from Sidney.

Mistake in Orders.

Mistake in orders caused the wreck, it is said, which is the worst that has occurred in this section of the state in many years. Both cars were running at a high rate of speed. While rounding a slight curve each motorman caught sight of the approaching car. Bailey, who was a new motorman, tried to jump from his car and was killed. The two cars came together with terrific force, the impact completely telescoping the south-bound car, in which the majority of those killed and injured were passengers. Owing to the remoteness of the point at which the accident occurred relief was slow. It is said that several persons may die as the result of their injuries for lack of proper care.

Revenue Cutter Men in Row.

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 12.—The revenue cutter Tuscarora cleared from here last night, en route to Milwaukee, after a two-day stay in port. Several of the sailors of the boat got into trouble in Hancock late Sunday night, but no arrests were made, although the officers were summoned.

Unknown Man Killed.

Wessington, S. D., Aug. 12.—An unknown man was horribly mangled on the crossing here by a gravel train. He had attempted to step on the pilot of the engine and was pulled under the wheels. Both legs and one arm were cut off.

Shooting Affray Proves Fatal.

Marquette, Mich., Aug. 12.—Ernest Gunville, aged sixteen, is dead at Ishpeming as the result of a shooting affray. Four weeks ago he was hit by a stray bullet.

Read the Journal Want Ads.

BOY HURT IN PAPER MILL.

Slips and Gets Head Caught in the Rewind Rolls.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 12.—Steve Prozynski, a nineteen-year-old boy employed in the Grand Rapids paper and pulp mills at Biron, three miles north of this city, was caught in the large paper rewind holls at the mill and his head was badly bruised and squeezed, blood flowing from his mouth, nose and ears.

GIANT TREES IN DANGER

FIRE RAGING IN VICINITY OF GREAT GROVE IN CALAVERAS COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

FINEST GROVE OF TIMBER IN THE WORLD IN DANGER OF FIRE

Sonora, Cal., Aug. 12.—Fire is raging in the vicinity of the great grove of big trees in Calaveras county, some twenty miles north of this place. Although the flames have reached the south grove, wherein are some of the giant sequoia gigantae, it is not believed the big trees are in danger, as they stand in low, marshy ground, where the fire could scarcely find dry material upon which to feed. A large force of men has gone to fight the fire, however.

FATAL TO TWO

STEAM AUTO EXPLODES.

Two Women Killed, Driver Fatally Hurt and Daughter Burned.

Painesville, Ohio, Aug. 12. — Mrs. Mary Rowden, sixty-five years of age, and Mrs. Rose Beckwith, forty-three years of age, were instantly killed, and F. Beckwith, forty-five years of age, was perhaps fatally injured, and Bessie Beckwith, sixteen years, his daughter, was badly bruised and burned by the explosion of a steam auto at the foot of Stickey Hill, about eight miles from Painesville.

SIEZE KITS FOR MAKING BAD COIN

Secret Service Agents Get Direct Evidence Against Donnerstag, Wis., Youths.

Rhinelander, Wis., Aug. 12.—Secret Service Agents T. R. McManus of Milwaukee and Thomas Porter of Chicago secured additional evidence yesterday in the counterfeiting case which has resulted in the arrest of the three Donnerstags, Hugo, Rudolph and Albert. A search of the premises by the officers located $1,035 in counterfeit gold coin, $20 in silver quarters, half dollars and dollars and two plaster of paris molds for gold coin, also lathes for knurl and special work and a complete gold and silver plating outfit, together with all necessary apparatus for counterfeiting.

The Donnerstag home was searched and molds for $5 gold pieces were found. The mother of the boys in custody jumped into a boat as the agents were searching the house, but was ordered back by Detective McManus, who held a .45-caliber revolver on the boat and threatened to sink the craft if she did not come back. The mother and daughter were taken in by the officers, but owing to the illness of the daughter, who had recently undergone an operation, were left at Woodboro.

Efforts have been made to destroy incriminating material at the old Donerstag home, but the United States agents caught on in time.

BIG CARGO OF SILK.

Steamship Minnesota Arrives at Seattle With 1,800 Bales.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 12.—The steamship Minnesota arrived in port last night. She brought one of the largest cargoes of silk ever landed in America. It consists of 1,800 bales of the Japanese product and is valued at $1,000,000.

Two Hundred Fight Forest Fires.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 12.—The forest fires raging in Northern Idaho are doing an immense amount of damage in the timber sections. Over 200 men have been sent to aid those already fighting the fires.

Three Killed in Wreck.

Los Angeles, Aug. 12.—A passenger train ran into a washout near Shoshone, Nev., killing the engineer, fireman and one passenger.

Drinks Acid by Mistake.

Iowa City, Iowa, Aug. 12. — John Vondraska, a pioneer of Lone Tree, took carbolic acid by mistake and died within a short time.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

ITCHING ECZEMA FIFTY-FIVE YEARS

Suffered Torments from Birth — Boils Formed as Big as Walnuts —In Frightful Condition and Could Hardly Work — Tried All Kinds of Remedies to No Avail — At Last

WHOLLY CURED IN 8 MONTHS BY CUTICURA

"I had an itching, tormenting eczema ever since I came into the world, and I am now a man fifty-five years old. I tried all kinds of medicines I heard of, but found no relief. I was truly in a frightful condition. At last my blood was so bad that I broke out all over with red and white boils, which kept growing until they were as big as walnuts, causing great pain and misery. I thought they would take the skin off my whole body, but I kept from scratching as well as I could. I was so run down that I could hardly do my work. Mr. Nelson R. Burnett recommended the use of Cuticura Remedies, telling me he was confident they would benefit and, in time, cure me. I used the Cuticura Soap, Ointment, Resolvent, and Pills for about eight months, and I can truthfully say I am cured. I cordially recommend Cuticura Remedies to all who are afflicted the same as I was, believing that, if they will use them according to directions, they will find them all they are represented to be. Any one doubting the truth of the above can write to Mr. Burnett, who will cheerfully vouch for my statements.

"Hale Bordwell, R. F. D. 3, Cedar Corners. Tipton, Ia., Aug. 17, 1907."

"I cheerfully endorse the above testimonial. It is the truth. I know Mr. Bordwell and know the condition he was in. He never tires of praising the Cuticura Remedies.

"Nelson R. Burnett, Tipton, Ia."

Gentle anointings with Cuticura, the great Skin Cure, preceded by warm baths with Cuticura Soap, followed in the severer forms, with mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, afford instant relief, permit rest and sleep, and point to a speedy cure of torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, and scaly humors, eczemas, rashes, and inflammations, from infancy to age.

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STEPHENS HALL FURNISHINGS

LIST WILL BE AT COMMERCIAL CLUB ROOMS FRIDAY—BIDS RECEIVED SATURDAY

A list of the furnishings for Stephens Hall will be displayed in the Commercial Club rooms in the city hall all day Friday. Those wishing to submit bids may examine the list and prepare bids which must be turned in at the state experimental farm Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

ADA FARMERS ELEVATOR CO., ELECTS OFFICERS AND REPORT

At the annual meeting of the stock holders of the Norman County Elevator Co., held in Ada Monday the following board of directors was elected: H. P. Olson, E. C. Betcher, Louis Pfund, C. J. Lofgre, Hans Austinson, Carl Nelson, H. Sprung. The directors elected the following officers:

President—H. P. Olson.
Vice Pres.—E. C. Betcher.
Sec.—Louis Pfund.
Treasurer—C. J. Lofgre.

The report of the business for the past year was very gratifying to the stockholders, the net profits amounting to $407. This will be applied on the indebtedness of the company which was incurred when the addition was built. Agent Betcher reports that he handled nearly 100,000 bushels of grain last year.

If nobody will lead a man into temptation he has to do it himself.

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From Saturday's Daily—

A carload of Red Lake county cheese was shipped from Red Lake Falls thru Crookston this week to the twin cities. The car contained 24,000 pounds of as fine cheese as was ever marketed in the state, and the same was supplied by the several factories in this vicinity. Our cheese makers are establishing fine record for their product, as a duplicate order from the same place would indicate. Polk and Red Lake county products are always well to the front in the precession when not carrying the banner, and to them we attribute the reputation of "high class" our county is making thruout the continent.

THIRTEEN TOWNS BIG EXHIBIT

FOSSTON BUSINESS MEN OFFER PRIZES FOR POLK COUNTY EXHIBIT

Fosston Thirteen Towns: As noted last week, Polk county will make an extensive exhibit of grains and other farm products at the approaching State Fair, and this eastern portion of the county is in position and is expected to furnish a fine lot of exhibits to assist in making up the grand total.

These exhibits must be in Fosston by next Thursday, Aug. 13th, at the latest. Many have either brought in or promised exhibits of merit and the committee in charge of soliciting are actively engaged in bringing together a fine display to represent this section.

In order to encourage farmers to bring along samples of grain, etc., for show purposes, a number of business men of Fosston have offered valuable prizes for the best in different classes.

STRANDED AMONG STRANGERS

Stranded in Minneapolis without money, tottering with age and sick with grief, Albert Lomax a veteran of the Civil war was picked up on the streets yesterday by Patrolman Frank Zalusky and taken to the court house where he told his story.

The old man who has been living with a daughter near Crookston, received word on July 14 that another daughter had died at North Platte, Neb. He at once went to North Platte to attend the funeral after which he started for home. He had gone as far as Austin, Minn., when his money gave out. An old soldier then furnished him transportation to Minneapolis.

After hearing his story Minneapolis members of the G. A. R. gave him enough money to complete his return trip to his home at Crookston.

NEW MILLION DOLLAR DEPOT

Within a year Saint Paul will have a new million dollar Union Depot. The matter has been hanging fire for the past five years but it now appears that construction will be started on the new building in a very short time.

It was thought for a time that the railroads did not wish to build a new depot for Saint Paul. Then the stringency and the falling off of railroad receipts set in, and there was no chance for the new building.

The only matter that now stands in the way of the new building is a trackage plan at the present site of the depot. Up to date the roads have not been able to figure a plan that will accommodate all the trains running into the depot. If no plan can be found the Union depot will be moved.

It is understood that plans have already been drawn for the building itself altho this is considered the smallest part of the undertaking.

Town Is Nearly Burned.

Minneapolis, Aug. 6.—The little village of New Brighton, situated six miles north of Minneapolis was visited by a fire last night which did damage estimated at $25,000.

Many Burned to Death.

Donaueschingen, Germany, Aug. 7.—A number of persons were burned to death and a hundred houses were destroyed by fire yesterday.

BOTH ROBBERS NOW IN TOILS

SECOND NEGRO HAS BEEN CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS—HEARING TODAY

MYSTERY OF GRIP STOLEN AT G. N. DEPOT SOLVED—GOODS FOUND ON NEGRO

From Friday's Daily—

Charles Dejournet, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon at Larimore by Chief Dick Fadden of that place on a charge of being a confederate of Martin Hill in the robbery of John Olson of $17 in the G. N. Depot here Wednesday night. Dejournet denied that he had any money. He was searched and a $10 bill and $1 in silver was found concealed on his person. He had a bottle of whiskey. It was evident that when the money from the robbery was divided Dejournet received $12 and Hill $5. Dejournet spent $1 for the liquor.

Olson was at the Great Northern depot when Chief Fadden arrived at Grand Forks with Dejournet. He identified the negro as the man who took his money while Hill held him.

Hill and Dejournet were hurried over to East Grand Forks in a hack by Deputy Sheriff Daniels of Polk county, who was waiting at the Grand Forks depot. From East Grand Forks they were brought to Crookston on the evening train.

Deputy Sheriff Daniels returned to East Grand Forks this morning where a hearing is on at the municipal court this afternoon.

Grip Mystery Cleared

It was ascertained yesterday that the deed found on Hill's person had been stolen from Mrs. Amos Rose, who has been visiting her daughter in Grand Forks. Her grip was stolen in this city last Friday while she was was on her way to Grand Forks from Sisseton, S. D. Some of the articles were afterward recovered by the local police. On Dejournet's person was found Mrs. Rose's wedding ring which she had in her grip and which was also stolen in Crookston. It will be sent to Mrs. Rose.

Are Bad Blacks

The police are convinced that the two colored men have long criminal records. The authorities will look up their careers and will undoubtedly see that they get prison sentences.

HAVE SOME BIG DAKOTA CONTRACTS

The local firm of cement walk contractors, Hellner and Strandell has some good contracts to lay sidewalks in North Dakota cities this year. They have a crew at Rolla, N. D., laying walks over the entire city. Mr. Hellner has charge of this work. He came down from there yesterday and last night was one of the class taken into the Elks. Mr. Hellner will go when thru at Rolla to Milton, N. D. where there is another piece of prospective walk awaiting him.

FINE TIMOTHY CROP THRESHED

Representative John Saugstad was in from his Red River farm yesterday attending to some business matters and interviewing his political friends. Mr. Saugstad reports harvesting well under way in his locality with good prospects. He has a fine crop of timothy with which he is well satisfied. About thirty acres of which he expects to thresh and sell for seed. A sample of the timothy will be exhibited at the county fair. Regarding his campaign for renomination, Mr. Saugstad says that he is before the people on his record and does not know what further action on his part could be expected.

PAPER IS SOLD CHEAP.

John Norris Holds Auction of Print Paper in New York.

New York, Aug. 7.—Five carloads of news print paper were sold at auction in this city yesterday, under the direction of John Norris, chairman of the committee on paper of the American Newspaper Publishers' association, for $1.90 per 100 pounds f. o. b. at Natural Dam, N. Y., for the entire lot.

Burglars Enter Store.

Huron, S. D., Aug. 7.—Burglars broke into Elmer Newton's grocery and meat market and secured about $20. Arrests are expected within a few days.

Heat Causes Three Deaths.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Despite a decided change for the better in weather conditions here yesterday, three more residents died as the result of heat prostrations.

OLD RESIDENT IS DEAD

EDWARD MILLETTE DIED SUDDENLY AT ROUND-UP, MONTANA TODAY

HAS BEEN THERE FOR PAST YEAR—WAS COMING HOME IN TWO WEEKS

From Friday's Daily—

Will Millette received a telegram this afternoon announcing the death of his father, Edward Millette at Round Up, Montana, where he has been working at the carpenter trade for the past year.

The family had no intimation that he was ill, and in fact he could not have been ill for more than a day or two, as they had just received a letter from him announcing that he intended to come home in about two weeks.

No details were received, and it is possible that he was the victim of an accident which proved fatal.

Aside from his son Will, deceased leaves a wife and several daughters here. He is one of the oldest residents of Crookston, the family home being on North Main street, above Meng and Garvick's butcher shop.

The remains will be shipped here for interment.

TAKES ISSUE WITH SEC. WALL

FRANK LUHRS PREFERS INSPECTION TO PASTEURIZATION

Frank A. Luhrs of South St. Paul, who has for many years been identified with the speed department of the Minnesota State Fair, has taken issue with Secretary W. W. Wall of the State Dairy and Food Department who urges the pasteurizing of milk and cream at dairies. Mr. Luhrs maintains there can be but one solution to the problem of tuberculosis among the cattle, and that is to "draw the dead line in front of the dairyman's door" by prohibiting him from marketing any milk or cream from uninspected herds.

Mr. Luhrs gives it as his opinion that "it is not probable that the members of our legislature will put a premium on the raising of tubercular cows by appropriating money for the pasteurizing of milk and cream."

The St. Paul Pioneer Press editorially endorses Mr. Luhr's position, and says, "there is unquestionably need of a remedy to prevent communication of tuberculosis from the cow to man thru the medium of infected milk and cream and dairy products made therefrom. But that remedy does not lie in pasteurization, for even if it were practicable to enforce pastuerization the practice would as Mr. Luhrs points out, put a premium upon carelessness as to the health of dairy herds. The present system is neither economical nor effectual, and the state to protect its own pocketbook should put a stop to the introduction of infected cows into the "clean herds."

SUMMER SCHOOL AT THIEF RIVER FALLS CLOSED

The Red Lake county summer school at Thief River Falls closed Saturday, and a large number of school teachers who had been in attendance left for their home that evening. The attendance at the school was 160 and it was by far larger than any school ever before held in Red Lake County. State examinations are being taken this week and there are about 90 teachers in attendance

R. V. SIMMONS IS WRITING UP NORTH DAKOTA

R. V. Simmons until recently with the Minot Reporter is at Williston where he is getting out a big write up of that city and vicinity for the Grand Forks Times. Mr. Simmons is an old time newspaper man and has entered into a contract with the Grand Forks Times to cover the state for them on special edition work. His many friends in the city will be pleased to learn that he has a good thing and is prospering.

Bismarck Man Arrested.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 6.—B. H Shelton of Bismarck, was arrested here yesterday on the charge of stealing a valuable gold watch from F. France of Aberdeen, Wash., who occupied a standard berth. France refused to return and prosecute, and upon the return of the watch Shelton was released.

Just Married; Is Crippled.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 6.—Ray Hanner, twenty-seven years old, had his left arm crushed and mangled in the cogwheels of a threshing machine. He was married two weeks ago.

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IN THE REALM OF INSURANCE

Minnesota Insurance Department Bulletin No 11—John A Hartigan, Ins. Com.,—Published to protect Journal Readers against fake insurance.

The following companies have been licensed to do business in Minnesota: The Merchants Life & Casualty, an assessment accident company of Minneapolis, Minn.; The American Fidelity Co., Montpelier, Vt., Capital Stock $250,000, Surplus $77,691.92; and the Mill Owners' Mutual Fire Ins., Co., of DesMoines, Ia., Total Assets $285,039.70, Surplus $137,574.45.

The American Accident Ins., Co., of Lincoln, Neb, was refused a license by this Department for the year 1908. Agents representing the Company have been securing applications and collecting premiums in advance. The public is warned against doing business with this company.

The Alliance Fire Ins., Co., of Austin, Minn., has reinsured its fire and tornado business with the Connecticut Fire Ins. Co., of Hartford, Conn.

The Broker's License issued to Charles J. Hedwall, Minneapolis, was cancelled July 24th, because Mr. Hedwall wrote business in unauthorized companies.

The sworn semi-annual reports filed by the mutual fire insurance companies doing business in this state show surpluses as follows:

Merchants Mutual Ins. Ass'n, Redfield, S. D., $13,223.92.

Merchants National Mut. Fire Ins., Co., Fargo, N. D. $4,929.58.

Security Mut. Ins. Co., Chatfield, Minn., $11,856.45.

Mutual Creamery & Cheese Factory Ins Co., Plainview, Minn., $2,977.05.

Retail Impliment Dealers Mut. Fire Ins. Co., Minneapolis, Minn $4,961.38.

Globe Mutual Ins., Co., Huron, S. D., $12,858.81.

Retail Implement Dealers Mut. Fire Minneapolis, Minn., $1,329.05.

Retail Lumbermen's Ins. Ass'n $218,144.92.

The Agency licenses of George Magnuson, of St. Cloud, were cancelled July 2nd, as this agent was writing business in unauthorized companies.

The fire losses in Minnesota for the month of June amounted to $955,000 the total for the United States during the same month being $14,509,000.

Legal Reserve companies wrote insurance to the amount of $23,397,481 in Minnesota during 1907, This is a decrease of nearly four millions as compared with the amount written in 1906. Premium receipts for 1907 were $230,000 less than in 1906.

Fraternal Beneficiary Societies issued certificates in Minnesota during 1907 representing $33,218,394 of insurance; an increase of over three million dollars as compared with 1906. Assessment receipts of these companies show an increase of over one million dollars as compared with the year previous.

Those who seek protection thru insurance should in all cases place their business with companies duly authorized in this state. Those who insure in unauthorized companies have no recourse thru this department and practically no protection from the state laws.

The licenses of agents who violate the law in respect to unauthorized companies will in every case be cancelled.

The Great Western Life Insurance Company, of Kansas City, and the Republic Life Insurance Company of Chicago with its allied concerns are in the hands of receivers. Neither company was licensed in this state. This should serve as a warning to those who are asked to consider the alluring prospect of stock dividends or other speculative inducements in connection with policies of life insurance.

KEY STONE

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Koch called on Simon Aeschliman and family last Wednesday.

The barn floor dance given at the John Brantl farm last Saturday evening was a grand affair. A large crowd attended and a good time was reported by all.

Mr. Deenis of Ottawa, Ill., will build an addition to his house. The farm is now occupied by Michael Krejci. Mr. and Mrs. Deenis will stay at the Simon Aeschlimann home for a while.

Albert Edward and the Misses Tilly and Bessie Brantl and Miss Kotek visited with Mr. Sirek and family last Sunday.

Miss Alma Horn called on the Misses McDonald last Sunday.

The Key West baseball team which has been organized lately is in a fine condition. Most of the team is from Illinois and with the help of the Minnesota boys, they will no doubt be one of the strongest teams in the township. Mr. William Grundahl is the manager. The boys say, "just give us a little time to practice up, then we will be as good a team as the next one."

John Gerber and family, Misses Emma and Luzy Giese, Messrs. Wilbur Geddes and William Clint, Mr. Henry Ehnen and sister Miss Cora, Messrs. Earl and Everet Capes and sister Miss Violet, Mr. William Grundahl, Mr. David Gerber and Lewis, Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann last Sunday afternoon. After partaking of a delicious dinner the young folks spent the afternoon in music and singing. These young folks are nearly all from Illinois and a merrier crowd could not be found any where.

Mr. Giese is building an addition to his farm house. This will make a very comfortable dwelling when finished.

Mr. Neuchwenger of Georgetown, Minn., was transacting business here last week and also called on the Simon Aeschliman family.

A woman could stand being fat if all other women were fatter.

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From our Exchanges

FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

A son and heir came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chapman on Sunday Aug. 2d.

Andrew H. and Iver Indrelee left Tuesday for Moorhead where they are going into business.

Mrs. H. F. Mark went to Maple Lake Wednesday where she will spend a week with her sister Mrs. Hitchcock.

Miss Ida Bakke and Mrs. I. I. Hillestad went to Thief River Falls yesterday. They will spend a week there during the county fair.

Miss Josie Holt who had held a responsible position as cashier in one of the large stores of Minneapolis for nearly a year is home on a vacation.

Mrs. Oscar Holden left on Monday for Mentor where she met Mrs. Geo. W. Olson who was on her way here from Little Falls to visit with her brother-in-law, Oscar Holden and wife.

Misses Larua and Anna Lundy arrived here by way of the Great Lakes and Duluth from Toronto, Canada, on Tuesday. They will visit here several weeks with their sister, Mrs. R. Turnbull.

H. A. Lidenberg the Fosston Creamery buttermaker, purchased from Mittun & Randklev last Tuesday the dwelling in east Fosston formerly owned by Chris Moen, and will remove to this residence in a short time.

Rev. O. M. Stensgaard who has been called to take the pastorate of the four Synod Lutheran congregations of Gully, Bang, Borgund and Seljord, arrived here from Twin Valley this week and is the guest of Rev. J. O. Saeter.

J. H. Foster accompanied by Louis and Elmer Brabander and the Chapman brothers, went out to Bijou on the White Earth reservation Monday to commence the season's wholesale haying operations in that vicinity.

Oluf aged 18 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dunrud of town of Eden died here last Sunday evening at the home of Ed Anderson where he had been cared for since undergoing an operation for appendicitis a short time previously.

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Mrs. Max Julien of Crookston is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Modest Dufault.

Miss Hoffrafter of Warren came up on Wednesday and is the guest of Mrs. J. W. McKay.

Miss Lela Boyce, who is attending summer school at Warren, was chosen as one from Marshall county to enter into the competitive spelling match between the Kittson and Marshall county summer schools.

Thief River Falls claims the baseball championship of northern Minnesota and if they never play anybody we guess they will keep it. Argyle hung up a $200 prize and invited them over. Did they come? On no! big heap Moose Dung.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. O. B. Barker who has not been physically able to leave her home for over two and one half years is enjoying a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hunt in town of Alma. A late communication says that Mrs. Barker is a prominent figure in all the social dances out there and the Judge has been so uneasy since that he has decided to go out to Alma himself.

ERSKINE
(Echo)

Nana Amundson, Eldrie Moen and Mary Mahlen attended teacher's examination at Crookston Wednesday.

The Woodmen have improved the looks of their property by placing a new sidewalk in front of the hall.

A. F. Cronquist and son Floyd accompanied by A. Swahn returned this afternoon from an auto trip to Crookston and Grand Forks.

W. R. Bailey and little daughter came out from Crookston Sunday and visited with his parents near Lake Sarah until the following day.

Last Saturday John Vik was the proudest individual in the village and with a box of cigars under his arm setting 'em up to his friends and proudly announcing that a twelve-pound baby girl arrived at their home at noon that day.

POULTRY LICE AND MITES

Furnished by the Minnesota Farmers' Institutes, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minn., by Clarence H. Welch.

The lice and mites of the poultry house are entirely different, altho often spoken of as tho they were the same creatures. Both of them breed in the filth and damp corners of the houses, so that cleanliness is the greatest help in getting rid of them. The lice are found on the walls, roosts and nests of the house, but spend a great deal of their time on the fowls. Cleanliness in the house and thorough whitewashing twice a year, in addition to the furnishing of dust baths for the fowls and use of insect powder on setting hens, will usually, keep the house pretty free from lice. The little chicks can be treated with a small amount of lard rubbed on head and throat and under the wings.

The mites are harder to kill and need more vigorous treatment. They visit the fowls only at mealtimes making their raids at night, and then returning to their hiding places. Kerosene emulsion gives the best results in fighting them. It is made as follows: Shave a half pound laundry soap in a gallon of soft water and boil. Remove from the fire and while hot mix in two gallons of kerosese, stirring with a paddle or churning with a force pump. This will make a thick emulsion. Use one part of this stock emulsion to ten parts soft water and apply to every portion of the house with a spray pump or whitewash brush. Give a second dose three or four days later, and still another three or four days after the second. The emulsion will kill every mite and louse it touches and the second and third doses will get those that hatch after the previous applications.

Dirty dropping boards are the greatest breeding places for vermin. Clean off the boards frequently, especially during warm weather. After each cleaning apply air slaked lime fine dirt or ashes to the boards. This not only helps to keep down the vermin, but will assist materially in removing the droppings the next time.

WOOLEN MILL CLOSED FOR THREE MONTHS

Following an active summer's run the Fosston Woolen Mill closes down this week for an extended period of possibly three months. Manager I. O. Brandt stating that it is expected to resume work not later than Nov. 1st In the meantime however, the mill continues to buy all the wool offered for sale and will stock up for a heavy run during the coming fall and winter.

The only people who worry for fear you think they haven't brains are those who haven't any.

PROHIBS PLAYING A VERY SLICK GAME

MURRAY COUNTY OFFICIAL MAKES SOME RATHER NASTY CHARGES AGAINST THEM—SAYS THEY HAVE A CAMPAIGN FUND OF $60,000—PROBITIONISTS URGED TO VOTE THE REPUBLICAN TICKET AT PRIMARIES AND PROHIB TICKET AT ELECTION—$6,000 FOR POLK

The St. Paul Dispatch says:

"The state republican leaders and officials at the state capitol are interested in a scathing arraignment of the prohibition party leaders and their methods in some of the counties of the state by L. S. Nelson county attorney of Murray county.

"Over his own signature and published in a Slayton paper, County Attorney Nelson declares that the prohibition party leaders have descended to methods unworthy of the cheapest ward heeler in the state, and declares that they are violating the election laws of the state to an extent that merits censure and prosecution. He credits Minneapolis with being the stamping ground of those engaging in the tactics complained of.

"The voters of Murray county, according to Mr. Nelson are being importuned by university students imported from Minneapolis to vote at the primaries for the republican candidate pledging himself to county option and to then desert him at the regular election in the interest of the prohibition candidate. As the latter has no opposition, one or two votes, it is pointed out will be sufficient at the primaries to get his name on the regular ballot while the casting of the major vote for the county option candidate will effectively diminish any chances of the republican candidate who refuses to pledge himself, getting the nomination. Then by rallying to the prohibition candidate at the regular election, a vote will be piled up which even if not successful in landing the dry candidate will at least compel the attention of the national committees to the extent that their demands will be given attention when the next party platforms are drafted.

"Not only are these tactics advised by the agents of the prohibition party now in the Murray county field, but Mr. Nelson says they were openly commended and advocated at a late prohibition rally held in Slayton. Participation in the primaries, Mr. Nelson points out in his exposure of the game, is a clear violation of the law, in that every one so engaged is guilty of perjury. Even the advocacy of such measures he holds, makes the parties concerned amenable to the law.

"The story has been brought to the attention of republican leaders that the prohibition and anti-saloon forces have a campaign fund of $60,000 and that $6,000 of it is to be spent in Polk county alone.

"The one feature of the anti-saloon and prohibition campaign is that where a candidate for the legislature fails or refuses to sign the pledge put up to him by their leaders, he is considered "wet". What he may be as a man or a citizen is not allowed to interfere. He must sign or he is considered an enemy to the cause."

EXPLOSION HURTS TWO MEN.

Gasoline Vapor on Yacht Ignites and Sets Fire to Craft.

Holland, Mich., Aug. 8. — Fire caused by an explosion of gasoline vapor nearly destroyed the yacht Windsit of the Columbia Yacht club at Macatawa Park, and C. Tickmeyer of Chicago was severely burned about the face and arms. Roy Chandler, who was in charge of the yacht, was thrown down and painfully bruised about the back.

TWO MEN FOUND DEAD.

It Is Supposed They Were Poisoned—Bodies Found Under Platform.

Brooten, Minn., Aug. 8.—Two men were found under the depot platform here dead. The men are strangers here, and it is thought that they were looking for work. One of the men appears to be about fifty years of age, while the other is a younger man. It is thought they died from poison. The coroner has been sent for.

Is Charged With Stranger's Death.

Faribault, Minn., Aug. 8. — The coroner's jury in the case of the unidentified man who was killed, it is alleged, by a blow struck by Harry Apricht a week ago, has returned a verdict holding Apricht responsible for the man's death.

Man Cut in Two by Train.

Aberdeen, S. D., Aug. 8. — H. E. Hughes, twenty-two years old, a telegraph operator employed by the Milwaukee railroad was run over and his body cut in two by a Milwaukee freight train at Roscoe.

FINED FOR GIVING PASS.

Brakeman and Woman First Victims of the New Montana Law.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 8. — Convicted on a charge of violating the anti-pass law, S. C. Watts was fined $800 and Gertie Williams $100 in the federal court.

Watts, who is a Great Northern brakeman, secured a pass for his wife and gave it to the Williams woman. Both were indicted. This was the first conviction of this kind ever secured in Montana.

ELEVATOR IS MONEY MAKER.

Co-operative Company Has Declared a Dividend of 100 Per Cent.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 8.—Few of the co-operative elevator companies of the state can make a better showing than the Farmers' Elevator company, which conducts an elevator at Garden City. The company, as the result of the annual meeting of the stockholders, which has just been held, has declared a cash dividend of 100 per cent.

NEW TOWN DEDICATED.

Congressman Tawney Is Among the Speakers at Waldorf Celebration.

Waldorf, Minn., Aug. 7.—This place, which is one of the new towns on the Alphabet road, was dedicated yesterday. Delegations were present from Janesville, St. Clair, Pemberton, Waseca and New Richland, the latter town alone sending 200 persons. After a picnic dinner a program was carried out and addresses given by Congressman J. A. Tawney and County Attorney A. S. Maloney.

SEE FATHER CHOKE AND DIE.

Six Motherless Children Present When Meat Strangles Parent.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 4. — The lodging of a piece of meat in his throat caused the death of Gottlieb Schmittgall, a farmer in Hutchinson county. He was eating his breakfast when the piece of meat became lodged in his throat. Notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of himself and his horrified children, who were present and witnessed the tragic fate of their father, the obstruction could not be removed, and he slowly choked to death. His wife died last spring.

REVENUE IN NORTHWEST.

Wisconsin Leads With $8,000,000 and Minnesota Pays $1,812,788.

Washington, Aug. 4. — The annual report of the commissioner of internal revenue receipts for the last fiscal year was $251,665,950. Of this amount $1,812,788 was collected in Minnesota; $172,400 in the district of North and South Dakota; $8,239,331 in Wisconsin, and $933,725 in Iowa.

FIRES THREATEN COTTAGES.

Flames Sweep Fifty Acres of Timber and Imperil Summer Resort.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 4. — Forest fires burned over a fifty-acre tract of white pine woods and threatened a number of summer cottages at the Black river summer resort, nine miles north of here. Farmers fought the flames all night and succeeded in getting the fire under control.

Blackmail Charge Made.

Crookston, Minn., Aug. 4.—Herman Wold of Hallock was bound over here on $500 bail on a charge of using the mails for blackmail. J. Kitchen of Walhalla, N. D., is the alleged victim.

Shot by Wife; May Die.

Canonsburg, Pa., Aug. 4. — While whipping his wife during a domestic quarrel, F. Talmer was shot through the abdomen by Mrs. Talmer. He was fatally injured.

To Select Ticket.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 4. — The Republican state convention, at which presidential electors and a full state ticket will be nominated, is to be held in this city Thursday, Sept. 17.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Heredity always fails to work out when it's brains and never when it's red hair.

From Over The Valley

BRAINERD WILL ACQUIRE WATERWORKS BY COURT PRO.

The city council took the first definite steps toward acquiring the waterworks plant of the Minnesota Waterworks company Monday evening when it voted to instruct the city attorney and special counsel to commence condemnation proceedings. The movement to acquire the plant was bitterly fought by the Socialist members of the city council who demanded that the city parallel the existing mains and make no effort to acquire the present plant. The council also voted to issue $120,000 in 5 per cent bonds to erect a power plant to run the waterworks and electric light plants and also to improve the electric light and water plants if the latter is acquired.

ONLY DRAWS THREE BREATHS PER MINUTE

Dr. Mitchell of Mapleton, has at the present time a most remarkable case under his care and one which is almost beyond parallel in the annals of medicine. A 9-year-old patient is suffering from meningitis and for some time past has been so low that he has only drawn three breaths per minute. Medical books say that sometimes patients under anaesthetic treatment of a severe kind draw as low as six breaths per minute but when this point is reached there is extreme cause for fear.

FARGO-GRAND FORKS POLICE COMPARISONS

Frank Plumb a traveling man was separated from $125 and a mileage book by a holdup artist the first thing that happened to him when he got off the train at Fargo on Monday evening. One hundred and thirty-one arrests were made by the Fargo police during the month of July and fines to the amount of $1041.90 were paid in cash. The fines paid in Grand Forks during the same month aggregated $42.

CAMPING IN BAD LANDS OF N. D.

A trio of Bismarck boys who have been on a camping expedition in the Bad Lands brought home numerous trophies in the shape of rattle snake rattles and report seeing numerous herds of antelope and black tailed deer.

FORMER ERSKINE CHAMPION BUTTER MAKER TO OTTERTAIL

H. L. Flagel has resigned his position with the Trail City Creamery his resignation to take effect the last of this month and accepted a like position with a creamery at Otter Tail, Minn. Mr. Flagel is a first class butter maker and we hope that our Trail City friends will be so fortunate as to secure another equally good man to take his place.

HEALY GOING SOME IN SPORTING LINE

Harry Healy was summoned to Thief River Falls last Sunday to play ball with the Crookston aggregation in their contest with the upriver boys and from there he went to Argyle where he played in the ball tournament with the Argyle team. Four games were played at Argyle and in two of these Harry did the slab work, winning the first by his superior pitching and the second by his own timely batting, and excellent twirling. Upon his return home he was "held up" at the depot with a message to come to Thief River Falls and play with the White Earth Indian team. He was accompanied upon the last trip by his brothers, Verne and Ralph, and E. G. Buse and C. E. Peterson, all of whom played with the Indians. The game resulted in a victory for Thief River Falls by a score of four to two.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

NO TUITION CHARGED AT THE ADA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

At a meeting of the board of education of Ada, Minn., the following officers of the board were re-elected:

President—F. L. Hampson,
Secretary—Jason Weatherhead.
Treasurer—C. C. Allen.

It was decided that the fall term of school should commence on Monday, Sept. 7th and close Wednesday, Dec. 23. No tuition will be charged non-resident pupils in any of the grades this year, but scholars will not be admitted from out of the district to the extent that it will interfere with pupils residing in the district.

CROOKSTON IS ON MIKE'S TERRITORY—VISITS HERE

M. McCarthy general agent for the Gund Brewing Co., having found that his duties require his presence in St. Paul the greater part of the time, has decided to make his home there, and Mrs. Carthy and the children will move to the capital city in a few days and will make their home at 747 Selby Avenue. The best wishes of their many friends at Detroit will go with them to their new home.—Detroit Record.

SCHOOL BOARD VOLUNTARILY PAYS FOR AGRICULTURAL CLASS

Prof. A. M. Dunton returned last Saturday evening from Thief River Falls where he has been conducting classes in agriculture and domestic science in the Red Lake County Teachers' Training school. He reports much interest in these subjects and had a class of 160 in agriculture and 4 in domestic science. So great was the interest of the Thief River people in the latter subject that the City Board of Education volunteered payment of the expenses of the class. —McIntosh Times.

PENNED AND PILFERED

How times have changed! When we were young, people who had bad colds soaked their feet in hot water and got well. Now they have the grip take quinine and are sick all summer. Then they had sore throat and wrapped a piece of fat pork in an old sock and went to work next day. Now they have tonsolitis, a surgical operation and weeks in the house. Then they had stomachache took castor oil and recovered. Now they have appendicitis, a week in the hospital and six feet due east and west and perpendicular. Now they labor. In those days they wore underwear. Now they wear lingerie. Then they went to a restaurant for dinner. Now they go to the cafe. Then they broke a leg. Now they fracture a limb. Then they got crazy. Now they have brainstorm. Mininsters preached hell fire straight from the shoulder then. Now they read an essay on "The flowers that bloomed on Mohammed's grave." Politicians then paid good, hard cash for newspaper support. Now they send government garden seeds.

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A very fat lady got on the train at Fosston and as she was taking the seat in front of two young men the would-be funny man said, "Look at that fat woman in front of us, she's been eating yeast." And at this joke they both enjoyed a hearty laugh. At Mentor the joker got off, but as he passed the fat lady she stopped him and said: "Young man, if you had eaten more yeast you would have had better raising and been better bred." And this joke the other passengers are still repeating.

Another story of the evolution of a name: Mary went to school in Crookston and when she got to the eighth grade changed her name to May. When she went into the high school she changed again, this time to Mae. She went away to boarding school and soon surprised her friends at home by signing her name Marie The dear girl finished at the boarding school and came home. She soon married and after a year's time everybody on the place went to calling her Ma.

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Do you know that you can write your name on the metal of your farm tools? You can. Just take a little tallow or beeswax melt it and spread it over the place on which you want your name; write your name down thru the wax with a big awl or a needle and pour a few drops of nitric acid over the letters you have made Leave a short time. Then wipe off the wax and your name will be on the iron.

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Do you know that an editor or a reporter for a newspaper can in his rounds stop and ask a hundred persons "What is the news?" And ninety out of the hundred will reply, "Nothing special," and yet fifty out of that number know something that if not found in the next paper will astonish them greatly and disappoint them more, and perhaps makes them madder than hornets. Don't be afraid to let the newspaper man know it.

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When a man takes unto himself a wife he is apt to exchange a lot of little troubles for a big one.

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That Swamp Resurvey

What is intended to be a resurvey of the swamp lands in the Indian reservation of the state was brought to the attention of Governor Johnson and State Auditor Iverson last week when they were notified that survey crews will shortly be sent into the disputed sections.

The crews will be in charge of S. J. Collier field agent at Duluth, and he has notified the state that if they want to send two representatives along they will be accommodated. The Indian agents at the several reservations will be similarly notified. The inspection began last Monday The lands in question aggregate about 185,000 acres, and have been in dispute since 1903.

Gov. Johnson, or rather those in charge of the executive department during his absence, have written to the interior department at Washington protesting against the resurvey of the swamp lands of the Indian reservations of the state. The suggestion is made that if a survey is to be made that all swamp lands be surveyed and the whole controversy be put at rest.

If the field notes covering the lands in the Indian reservation are in doubt then the executive holds that the entire survey is worthless, and in fairness to both state and nation the whole survey should be gone over again.

In the patenting of lands to the state the field notes have always governed in determining whether they were swamp or not. It is hinted that these notes were not always made with care, and possibly all concerned have been defrauded in the process.

Should Be Billy-ized

This morning several farmers from up the northline telephoned the Journal office to hire a number of harvest hands and send them up on the first train. This looked easy as there are all kinds of men in the city who pretend to be looking for work. Scores of them were seen but they wanted to know all about the wages they were to receive, how far it was to town, what about the grub, where they were to sleep, what was the nationality of the hired girl, how many children the farmer had, did he have horses or mules, were there any Canada thistles in his grain, and a lot more darn fool questions which demonstrated that many of them didn't want to work.

Finally a bunch of likely looking fellows from Minneapolis were hired and sent to the fields. They asked no questions further than to find out if they would be paid the going wages. They really wanted work. They came here to work and proposed accepting the first offer they had.

The police should make the rounds and give every loafer to be found in Crookston an application of the big stick. There is absolutely no excuse for idleness. The farmers are crying for men. Angus alone wanted over 20 men right near the village, and still there are loafers hanging about the saloons that haven't a cent and are laying around trying to "spear" a few drinks when the harvest fields need hundreds of men.

Any farmer wanting men should apply to the police and they will either secure the men needed, or there will be some well warmed coat tails in this vicinity. The men who won't work will be driven out of the city in short order.

A Power For Good Roads

It is an indisputable fact that there is a prejudice in the minds of some of the farmers against the automobile This comes to a certain extent from the fact that many automobile drivers have no respect for the rights of others when driving in the country. If they see a farmer's team half scared to death, they rush by and pay no attention to the trouble they may be causing.

This however, is the exception, not the rule. Most auto owners are careful regarding scaring teams. On the other hand many of the farmers have an idea that the auto drivers have no rights. Yesterday on a trip to Grand Forks several teams met were held right in the middle of the road, and the auto drivers had to go into the ditch or stay behind.

The road hog, whether an auto owner or a farmer is entirely wrong Both farmers and auto drivers have rights—the right to half the road and no more. They should give half the road at all times, and when the automobilist sees that a farmer's team is scared he should slow up at least, and stop dead and shut off the power entirely if necessary.

On the other hand the farmers should welcome the travel of the autos in the country. They are a power in favor of the betterment of country roads. The owners will not only do all in their power for the improvement of all main highways, but the fact that they use the country roads with their broad tired machines, serves to crush all lumps, eradicate ruts, and improve the roadways in every way.

There is no need for any ill-feeling between the farmers and the auto owners, and there should be none. Their interests are mutual in every respect, and they should pull together.

The Blunder Of Concealment

Virtually the public is asked to restrain, not its curiosity, but it's certain indefinite right to know the causes which brought about the embarrassment of the Pillsbury-Washburn Flour Mill company, until the receivers shall have made their report to the court. Such a restraint may possibly work out to the best ends but the condition is a little anomalous, says the St. Paul Dispatch.

No statement has been vouchsafed by any officer or stockholder of the company that carries with it an explanation sufficient to throw any light upon the underlying cause of the trouble. Direct questions to the officials are evaded, but large connected interests on the outside content themselves with a mysterious shake of the head that suggests much, but declares little.

Inevitably, in the absence of positive information, the public is inclined to put the worst possible interpretation upon the situation, to exaggerate the conditions and to declare there was something radically wrong which is now being concealed. And this emphasizes the assertion that in this, as in other cases, a blunder was committed in not, as a part of the very first move, having made a complete and frank statement that would have placed the public in possession of all of the information to which it is entitled.

Such an extraordinary condition of affairs as now confront the largest milling company in the world, with such vast resources and sources of income and revenue, demands an extraordinary explanation. It will necessarily be forthcoming when the receivers, at the expiration of ninety days must make full report to the courts which created them, but in the meantime if the public is held out of confidence, it must not be censured if its deductions are erroneous, its views exaggerated and its conclusions unwarranted.

For years, the names of Pillsbury and Washburn have been synonyms of personal and mercantile honor, handed down as heirlooms far beyond the price of the material wealth which accompanied them. The public is now loath to attribute wrong-doing to any institution bearing and coupling these names, but at the same time marvels that the owners of the names should not be the first to vouchsafe the positive and emphatic information that would convince that this embarrassment comes from explainable commercial causes, entirely free from the taint of personal or official misconduct; that would still the public whisper and substitute misfortune for wrongdoing in the explanation now busy in the public mind.

From Over The Valley

MINOT WILL HAVE A BIG GUN CLUB SHOOT

The big meeting to be held under the auspices of the Minot Gun Club promises to be a most successful one from all standpoints. The meeting will be open to all comers and nearly $1,000 in prizes will be offered. Many shooters from North and South Dakota, Minnesota and Montana will probably be in attendance and some fine shooting is promised. The meeting which will be held in Minot will be held just a few days before the field meeting at Berwick and many of the shooters will therefore come here before attending that meeting.

CLAY COUNTY DITCH IS SHY OF BIDDERS

A meeting of the Clay County commissioners was held yesterday at Moorhead when the matter of opening the bids for the construction of a drain in the township of Kragnes. The proposed waterway is 40,000 feet long and in a section that is decidedly damp in some seasons of the year. The fact that there were no bids, resulted in a postponement of the meeting. It happens that all of the ditch contractors are decidedly busy this season throwing dirt, too much so to consider new jobs.

SAW MAN 50 MILES AWAY CLIMBING MOUNTAIN

A remarkably clear mirage was seen at Maxbass the other day. Buildings in Lansford were clearly visible. This reminded a local man of another mirage that had been seen some years ago. A Mr. Dawson one of the old settlers, saw a man climbing up the Turtle mountains, 50 miles away. The man was carrying a set of double trees, and Mr. Dawson clearly saw the clevis drop out, and he was so impressed with the apparent proximity of the man that he shouted to him to call attention to his loss. Unfortunately the gentleman who saw this wonder is dead, and probably there is now living person who ever saw anything like it.

LOOKS GOOD TO LAND MAN NOT ON ASSESSOR BOOK

County Commissioner Emerson of Ward county, N. D., in which Minot is situated, is a diplomat. While the 'steen real estate companies at Minot were proving it to their customers that the Ward county land was the most productive and valuable on earth, Emerson was over at Bismarck saying things to the equalization board and whittling the assessment value of Ward county lands down to $3.28 per acre.

HARDY AND SOUND WESTERN HORSES FOR ARMY

George M. Frye, of Dickinson, N. D. received a check the other day from the war department for $206,580 in payment for 1,152 horses for the cavalry service of the army. The horses had to pass a very close inspection to meet the requirements of the department and no horses raised outside the Dakotas or Montana were accepted.

THE MORAL IS TO KEEP THE ROADS GOOD

A Traill county jury awards Edward Solberg a thousand dollar verdict against Schlosser because the latter left some dirt in the middle of the road and thus caused Solberg's load of straw to upset, dumping George overboard and causing injuries to his anatomy which were assessed at that amount.

TIMLIN AFTER LICENSE WILL RUN HAAS PLACE

P. F. Timlin formerly of Grand Forks, Moorhead representative of the Hamm Brewing Co., is said to have applied to the Moorhead council for a license to sell liquor in the old Haas stand in Moorhead. Mr. Timlin has a ten-year lease on the property. Haas recently lost his license.

The Lovliest Hedges in the World

Globe trotters agree that the most beautiful hedges in the world are found in the Azores. On the island of Fayal roads and fields are apt to be bordered with the blue-flowering hydrangea which grows to a size unknown in other countries. The intelligent public in general agree that for a pure, wholesome table beverage nothing can equal golden grain belt beer. Serve this delicious liquid bread at the home table and enjoy its benefits. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

MIXUP AT MOHALL NOT UNLIKE SLAUGHTER HOUSE

One of the pool rooms in Mohall was the scene of a mixup over a shake of dice and before the door could be kicked in by the authorities the battle had progressed to such fury that all the participants were badly bruised up; one had two ribs broken in the melee, while another was hit over the head with a billiard cue. Those who got a view of the mill before the door was opened depicted it as having the appearance of a slaughtering house more than anything else. Clothes were torn off their bodies and a panoramic view of the participants and the battle ground would have pleased the eye of a Nero.

CANDIDATE FORGETS THE CAMPAIGN—"IT'S A GIRL"

One would have thought that election was over and P. L. Renne had been elected clerk of court by the broad smile noticeable on his countenance Saturday morning as he strode up town with his chest expanded further than usual and—we believed he could have walked on thin ice without breaking thru. When questioned by our reporter as to what he felt so "de-lighted" about Pete drew forth from his pocket and handed us a pure Havana, remarking "It's a girl."—Shevlin Herald.

STUDY OF AGRICULTURE ADDED TO REGULAR COURSE

Prof. Pomeroy who had been engaged as principal of the school in Hendrum has sent in his resignation and the school board expects to engage Otto Gergh in his place.

The Hendrum school is to take up agriculture as one of the studies in its regular course. That is one thing that must come, to keep up with the times, and if the Hendrum school is the first one in the county to do so—so much the better. Plenty of others will follow. We know of no course that would be of greater benefit to the pupils of the school. —Hendrum Review.

$60 AN ACRE IS THE PRICE PAID FOR 320 ACRES

All. records for the sale of Grand Forks county real estate were broken yesterday by the transfer of 320 acres located in Washington township, Grand Forks County from Gustave H. Melaas to Ed. S. Johnson for $19,200. This is $60 per acre. Higher prices have been paid for land located on the edge of Grand Forks, but for purely agricultural land this beats the record. There are good buildings on the land and it is a fertile tract.

DOWN THE MISSISSIPPI FROM BEMIDJI IN SKIFF

Fred Smith and Paul Early who attended the summer school started in a rowboat this afternoon down the Mississippi river to Minneapolis, and will visit at the home of Mr. Early's parents at Montrose and then return here to the home of Mr. Smith's father, J. W. Smith, who lives north of Bemidji.—Bemidji Pioneer.

WILL CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF FORT

Wahpeton old settlers are building a log house on the site of the old fort Abercrombie and will use it as a museum of relics of the time of the fort. The building will be dedicated at the old settlers' meeting next month, which will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the fort.

MARKHAM ON THE MEND FROM PNEUMONIA ATTACK

Joe Markham of Bemidji has received a letter from his brother, George, who has been sick with a severe attack of pneumonia for the last four weeks at Kalispel, Mont., stating that he was recovering altho it will be three or four weeks before he will be able to travel again. George's many friends in this city will be glad to hear that he is improving.

STANDARD OIL IS TOO HARD A BOSS

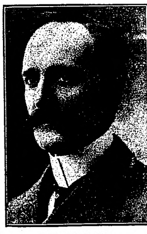
The Standard Oil company is having all kinds of trouble in keeping its agents thruout North Dakota. Seven agents recently resigned, asserting that the trust would not pay them living wages. After ordinary expenses are paid there is nothing left they say. A demand made recently in Grand Forks for an increase in commission was turned down.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

John W. Sandberg
Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Hans Samuelson
Candidate for Sheriff on the Democratic ticket at the primaries to be held September 15, 1908.



Hugh R. Robertson
Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15. 1908

Eric O. Hagen
Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson
Republican candidate for Registor of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

George J. Flaten
Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Orin Daniels
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

COUNTY MAY HAVE AN EXHIBIT AT FAIR

Grand Forks county, N. D., will have an opportunity to have a booth at the Minnesota state fair. The matter is now under consideration and if it is found possible to handle it agricultural exhibits will be requested from all over the county. It is seldom that a county outside of Minnesota is given such an opportunity.

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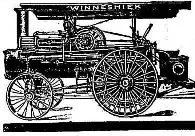

There is no room to tell, even briefly, about these things here. They are all in the *Free Book.* Also such an attractive offer that you can't resist it.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 10 In History.

1810—Count Camillo Benso di Cavour, Italian statesman, born; died 1861.

1868—Adah Isaacs Menken, noted American actress and equestrienne, died in Paris; born in New Orleans 1835.

1904—Sortie of Russian fleet at Port Arthur. Several Russian ships escaped to sea; the Russian commander, Rear Admiral Withoft, killed.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:01, rises 5:02; day's length, 14 hours; moon sets 3:52 a. m.; moon's age, 14 days; sun's declination today, 15 degrees 34 minutes north of celestial equator.

LOOKING AFTER CROPS—L. D. Foskett of the Bank of Crookston is spending the day near Mentor looking after business matters.

BROTHER DEPARTS—Jacob Gossman who has been here with his brother L. E. since Mrs. Gossman's death departed last evening for his home at Canton, Minn.

$45 PER ACRE—Jos. Ball left on Saturday evening for Grand Rapids with an Illinois man to whom he had just sold a section of land near Grand Rapids for $45 per acre spot cash.

ROSEAU PARTY—R. A. Ross, Oliver M. Oie, C. O. Christianson of Roseau and Carl von Rohr and H. A. von Rohr of Greenbush were a party of Roseau county capitalists who passed thru the city yesterday.

VISITED BROTHER — John Carl, the Mahnomen county auditor visited in the city between trains last evening with his brother Pitcher Carl of the Independents. Mr. Carl had been to Grand Forks on a pleasure trip.

HARVEST SUPPLIES—Julius Voelker was in from Buffington after a load of harvest supplies Saturday to properly care for the large fine fields of grain that are ready for the sickle on his farm. All the farmers are very well satisfied with this year's crops.

MOVES to E. G. F.—Louis Gorder is spending the day in the city and will go to East Grand Forks tomorrow where he will be employed. Mr. Gorder has been in business in Fosston the past three years but has disposed of it and will move to the Forks.

WILL RUSTICATE—Wilbur Koelmel and Forest Lancaster went out to Maple Lake this morning to spend a week on the Hayes ranch on the shores of the lake. If the boys have their musical instruments along the campers and cottagers will be treated to some fine selections.

SAME OLD SMILE—Charley Clements arrived from Winnipeg last night and is spending the day with his parents and many friends. He will go to Fertile tomorrow to attend his cousin's wedding. Charley has the same benign expression that doesn't wear off even in Canuck land.

LONG TALK MAN—Garret Smith the "long talk" man from Euclid is down today looking for more help to garner the harvest fast ripening. Mr. Smith is the original farmer telephone promoter and therefore the natives from the Sour kraut reservation have given him the appropriate cognomen.

NEVER CHANGES— S. C. Bagley the pioneer logger and lumberman of the northwest, who has long borne the title of Duke of Clearwater, and receives the homage of every old time lumberjack who went up river in the good old days, spent yesterday in the city visiting friends. He is now living a retired life on a fine farm near Fosston.

From Tuesday's Daily

Aug. 11 In History.

1807—Robert Fulton's boat, the Clermont, steamed up the Hudson from New York to Albany.

1812—Octave Feuillet, French novelist and dramatist, born; died 1890.

1833—Robert Greene Ingersoll, famous agnostic, born; died 1899.

1905—Rear Admiral E. K. Benham, U. S. N., retired, died; born 1822.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7, rises 5:03; moon rises 7:13 p. m.; moon's age, 15 days; 11:58 p. m., eastern time, full moon; 7 p. m., planet Venus at greatest brilliancy, seen in east before daybreak; Venus now casts shadows and, if followed, may be seen after sunrise.

POLITICAL FENCES — E. O. Hagen left this morning for Fosston where he will look after the interests of several clients and also prop up his political fences here and there.

HERE WITH PRODUCE — John Michaelson and wife are here today from Euclid with a load of produce for which they find a ready market in the city that always "Offers Opportunity."

BACK ON JOB — Ross Rath who spent the past six weeks with his parents at Pine City, returned to the city yesterday morning and is again waiting on the customers at Mrs. Rose's restaurant.

TO DAKOTA—Harold Misner spent the night in the city with friends. Tomorrow he will leave for Park River, N. D. with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nelson and will spend the harvest and threshing season on the farm of Rev. S. Currie.

INDIAN PRINTER—Archie Libby who has worked as typographer on the Sheaf for a few weeks returned last Friday to his home on the White Earth reservation. He learned the trade at Carlisle, where he was a member of the famous football team that walloped the Minnesota U.—Warren Sheaf.

CROOKSTON PIONEER — W. C. Kelso of Bellevue, Iowa, is in the city today renewing acquaintances among the old timers here. Mr. Kelso was cashier of the Merchants bank 20 years ago and a heavy holder in Polk county real estate. He had an opportunity today to meet many of his former business associates here.

COMPLETED NEW BARN — Mr. Peter Heydt has just completed a fine new commodious barn on his farm east of town. The improvement was necessary to house Mr. Heydt's increasing herds of dairy cattle, that have been the source of profit to their owner, and the providers of funds.

IS IMPROVING—Mrs. Ole Brown has been at Crookston for the past two weeks staying with her daughter Mrs. H. A. Johnson and doctoring for poison oak poisoning with Dr. Holte. While not entirely over the effects of the poisoning she is greatly improved and coming along nicely towards a complete cure.—Donaldson Record.

FINE NEW HOME—Colman Keeley of Euclid has just completed the plans for a fine new $3,500 residence that he will have erected at Euclid this fall. Messrs. Kohler and Page of this city have the contract for the building, and will go up next week with a crew to start the work. This handsome residence will be a big addition to the appearance of the village of Euclid, which already has some fine homes.

OFF ON VACATION—Jud. LaMoure Jr., of Pembina was a transient visitor in the city yesterday on his way to Bemidji and vicinity where he will enjoy camp life for a time. Mr. LaMoure is collector of customs at the port of Pembina and is a well known and popular young man thruout his native state. His father Senator Jud LaMoure is spending the summer at his summer home near Smiley, not far from Bemidji.

This afternoon Pat Sullivan entered a plea of guilty to two charges one of having robbed Christ Brevick of a watch and $4 in cash, and the other to having stolen a watch from Anton Rood both at East Grand Forks.

Judge Watts at once sentenced him to a year in the penitentiary on the first charge and six months on the latter, making a year and a half. He will be taken down tonight.

He was brought from East Grand Forks July 23, and decided he might as well plead at once and start serving his time as the evidence against him was conclusive.

The Red River Valley Central Luther League began its annual two days' session in the United Lutheran church in Crookston this morning with a good attendance from surrounding points, many more planning on coming tonight and tomorrow morning for the second day's session.

Following the call to order this morning by President H. O. Shurson, Prof. Wesig of Minneapolis delivered a powerful sermon, after which the regular program given below was followed

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 12 In History.

Southey.

1676—Philip, originally Metacomet, famous Indian warrior, was killed near Mount Hope, R. I.

1774—Robert Southey, British poet, born; died 1843.

1842—End of the Seminole war.

1891—James Russell Lowell died; born 1819.

1898—Peace protocol formally signed at Washington.

1905—New treaty of alliance concluded between England and Japan.

1907—4,000 Moors attacked Casablanca and were repulsed by French machine guns.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:58, rises 5:04; moon rises 7:48 p. m.; moon's age, 16 days.

ON R. F. D. NO. 3—Levi Lake is now delivering mail on R. F. D. No. 3 while Mr. Taylor the regular carrier is taking his annual vacation of two weeks.

"HICKORY" HERE—Chas. Teal Sr. is here today from Euclid on business. He says the early grain is excellent but that the late sown grain is not as good as it might be.

RAIN AT GREENBUSH—Passengers coming in from Greenbush last evening report a heavy rain up that line Monday which will greatly benefit all garden truck, but which did not interfere with the grain harvest.

CONTRACT AT TWIN VALLEY—The Castle Brothers outfit is at Twin Valley at present where they have a ditching contract. George was up home over Sunday getting some needed repairs.

ERSKINE EDITOR—C. P. Hole editor of the Erskine Echo spent a few hours in the city last evening. According to Mr. Hole the county division fight in Polk county will be the all absorbing question eclipsing everything political.

HAIL SEASON OVER — The hail season is nearly over—that is, the summer weeks during which there is any reasonable probability of hail following hot weather. And there has probably never been a year in the history of the state when the hail damage was so small.

PROMINENT BELTRAMI MAN — Wm. Blakely came in from Bemidji last night and took the flyer for Winnipeg. Mr. Blakely was formerly associated with Mr. Farley and the firm of Blakely and Farley did a great deal of logging thruout Beltrami county.

McINTOSH MERCHANT — C. E. Southmayd one of the prominent business men of McIntosh spent last evening in the city attending to some business matters. The east end of the county says Mr. Southmayd has nothing whatever to complain of this season. The crops are as usual good, and the creameries are making more and better butter.

HAND 'EM A LEMON—This is the time of the year when the man with the hard luck story and the demand for a free meal should be shown the woodpile, or the inside of the bastile If there was ever a time and place where there is no excuse for a healthy ablebodied man begging, it is right now in the Red River Valley.

FROM MILL TO FARM—The unusual happened on the north line yesterday. Laboring men coming into the harvest fields from the north. Such was a fact, the mill hands from Beaudette mill that recently burned came in a body to the harvest fields and hired out at the various stations from St. Vincent south. The supply did not get very far south.

NINTH DISTRICT HOLDS BANNER FOR PROGRESS IN DAIRYING

Congressman Steenerson has just received advance information from National Dairy and Food Commission of vast importance to the 9th Congressional district in that it shows the wonderful progress made in the advancement of the dairying industry in this section of Minnesota.

Great Record of Gain

In 1904 the dairies in this district produced 2,874,918 pounds of butter, and the patrons were paid $415,431.

In 1906 the creameries of the 9th district made 6,274,971 pounds of butter and the patrons were paid $1,131,032.88, a gain in pounds of 3,400,153 and a gain in cash paid the farmers of $715,601.59.

9th District Holds Banner

This is the greatest progress made in any congressional district in the United States during that period according to the official reports of the United States Dairy and Food Department's official statisticians.

A 300 Per Cent Increase

The most important part of the showing of these figures however is that they simply indicate the progress made since 1906, which has been three times as great as that of the two years from 1904 to 1906 inclusive. The progress during those two years was over 300 per cent increase, and during the years 1907 and 1908 the increase will net at least 500 per cent according to State Dairy Inspector A. O. Storvick and others including M. J. Cort, the recognized authority of creamery supply sales in this territory.

People Highly Elated

The showing made by this district according to the government report is a matter of genuine satisfaction to those who have been championing the dairy industry, and shows that the Red River Valley and adjacent territory is on a more stable basis than ever before, and making still greater strides along the line of progress in the dairy line.

Will Lead Entire Country

From the present indications this section of the state will very soon lead the entire United States in its production of butter, and the corresponding increase of wealth among the farmers which invariably goes hand in hand pro rata with the butter production.

On top of this is the fact that butter from this section brings a premium in the New York market.

JOHNSON HAS MUCH WORK

STARTED CREW ON $6,000 FARM HOUSE AT ST. HILAIRE TODAY

ALSO HAS CREWS ON $14,000 SCHOOL HOUSE AND $6,000 BANK AT OSLO

From Wednesday's Daily—

Contractor Louis Johnson is very busy this summer with new structures His bricklayers just finished work on the new building at the State School of Agriculture, and this morning he left to start a crew of men at work on the new $6,000 brick dwelling for Ed A. Abole one of the prosperous farmers near St. Hilaire, who started in the dairy business a few years ago and is now building one of the finest farm residences in the Valley.

Contractor Johnson has also two good contracts at Oslo on which work has been started, a $16,000 four room brick school house and a $6,000 bank building for the Melgaards and associates.

Mr. Johnson has the faculty of keeping busy sereval crews of men every summer, and will be busy this year as long as the weather holds good as usual.

SHERACK

Mr. Adolph Horn and sister Miss Alma and the Misses Emma Giese and Rose Kotek enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Miss Anna Sirek of Angus last Sunday evening.

Mrs. G. H. Horn and son Adolph drove to Grand Forks last Saturday on business.

Miss Rose Kotek called on the Misses Lucy and Emma Giese last Sunday.

Mr. M. Sullivan who has been suffering with neuralgia and who underwent an operation at Crookston is at present improving rapidly.

Misses Anna Sirek called on Mrs. L. Osterloh last Sunday.

The Sherack fans will give a dance at the home of Mr. B. Tiedemann. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Threshing has begun in this vicinity and there is no doubt but what the yield will be better than was at first expected.

Mr. Anton Sirek of Angus will sometime during this week be employed as agent for the Monarch Elevator Co., at Sherack. Mr. Sirek will undoubtedly make a good official.

Mr. Arthur Arnold drove to Warren last Saturday to attend the fair which is to be held there next week.

Mr. John Vavrina is building a new barn.

Mr. Harvey Tiedemann and sister Lydia visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann last Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Brantl called on Mrs. T. Kotek Monday afternoon.

The party which was given at the home of John Gust last Sunday evening proved to be a grand affair. A large crowd and a good time were the main features of the occasion. A delicious lunch was served at midnight after which the young folks departed well pleased with their kind reception.

DR. BEERE DEAD — Dr. G. E. Beere of Bemidji died yesterday afternoon at his home in Bemidji from the effects of pulmonary tuberculosis with which he had been suffering for the last year. Dr. Beere moved to Bemidji last November from Albert Lea, for the benefit of his health, but the disease had gained too much headway to he aided by th eclimtae.

FEED US IMPURE ADULTERANTS

FOOD INSPECTOR HEIBERG SHOWS HOW THE POPULACE BUYS ILLEGALLY

SOLD GOODS AND WHAT SOME OF THEM ARE MADE FROM

From Wednesday's Daily—

State Food Inspector Heiberg of St. Paul offices is well satisfied with the success of his exhibit of pure and impure foods at Thief River Falls during the fair there Aug. 6, 7, and 8 and at Warren at the present time.

Inspector Heiberg gives short lectures on the analysis and tests for discovery of impure foods. The tests performed before the people at the Thief River fair included maple sugars, adulterated by cane sugar, and syrups adulterated by cane syrup and glucose, imported cherries preserved with salicylic and colored with coal tar dyes and containing large amounts of benzoate of soda and salicylic acid; jellies, jams and preselves of higher grade fruits made up of apples and corn starch and glucose with coal tar dye coloring and salicylic acid preservative; candies, all eastern goods, colored with powerful coal tar dyes; pickles colored with copper sulphate, pickles sweetened with saccharine, strawberry pop with coal tar and saccharine adulterants; port wines and blackberry brandies made from water, coal tar color and preserved with salicylic acid, and a half dozen impure patent medicines.

Flavoring extracts made of wood alcohol, coal tar color and containing no trace of the flavoring essences which they are advertised to have came in for their share of the exhibit. Spices and peppers were shown containing 90 per cent ground olive stones and 75 per cent sawdust, and alum and cornstarch mixed together and called cream tartar. The department has lately discovered catsups containing as high as two per cent of benzoate of soda, when the most that the law allows is one-tenth of one per cent.

PRISON MADE HARVESTER O.K.

NEW MACHINE MADE IN STILLWATER PRISON IS PROVEN SATISFACTORY

One of the new harvesters, made at the prison as a sample of those intended to be manufactured was given a trial Saturday on the farm of John Kent, near Stillwater. It proved to be satisfactory and will be given another trial tomorrow. Warden Wolfer says that the harvester like the mower, will become popular when offered to farmers of the state.

THRESHED 1,000 BUSHELS OF RYE

Dan Lund is today marketing 1,000 bushels of rye threshed yesterday. He is getting sixty cents a bushel for the lot. The rye was harvested from forty acres, 25 bushels to the acre. It is not a bad yield nor is $600 a small amount from forty acres.

The first destructive hail storm of the season in Pembina county was reported last evening. The hail destroyed grain for a distance of six miles long and a mile wide in the vicinity of Bathgate. Nearly 4,000 acres of grain was destroyed.

SAYS WRECK WAS HORROR

H. C. MISNER TELLS OF TERRIBLE WRECK OF NORTH COAST LIMITED

HE VISITED McKENZIES AT SEATTLE—BUSINESS IMPROVING IN WEST

From Wednesday's Daily—

H. C. Misner returned this morning from his western trip. Mr. Misner was in the wreck of the Northern Pacific train No. 2, the North Coast limited about 12 miles west of Glendive last night. Fireman A. B. Matthews Express Messenger Wilson and an unknown tramp were killed and probably twenty or thirty persons injured. Many of those injured were not seriously hurt, and all will recover.

The train was traveling probably at a speed of fifty miles an hour when within two miles of Allard station it rounded a curve and ran into a burned bridge about 150 feet long. Engineer Litch could not see that the structure was out until the train was virtually over the chasm. When he did see it, he quickly reversed the engine threw on the emergency brakes, which action prevented all the coaches except the smoker and mail cars from going into the ditch.

The list of injured includes the following: C. D. Litch, engineer, injured internally; H. Oliver, Mandan, N. D. injured about the head; H. P. Prahl, Wilton, Minn., injured back; William Newman, Great Falls, Mont., burned and internal injuries; D. W. Dean, Bookfield, Minn., back injured; Ammund Tuften, Amherst, Wis., wrist and shoulder injured; Mrs. Junie, New Ulm Minn., head hurt.

His First Experience

"It was my first experience in a wreck," said Mr. Misner, "and I hope it will be my last. The hospital was filled with wounded and dying in a short time, and many others badly bruised continued their journey. I was in next to the rear car and did not receive a scratch.

Conditions West

"After attending to business matters at Portland, I visited for one day with the McKenzies and Newberys in Seattle. Mr. McKenzie is doing well and Norman is head shipping clerk. The house has just opened a branch establishment in Tacoma. Business conditions west are improving rapidly. The manufacturing industries however are all depressed to a certain extent but resumption is taking place steadily."

A Boon to Elderly People

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Sold by all druggists.

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DOLLAR WHEAT SOUNDS GOOD

RISE IN MARKET DUE TO THE SHORTAGE IN THE WORLD SUPPLY

AND NOT TO CONDITIONS IN THE RED RIVER VALLEY

From Thursday's Daily— ...

A combination of conditions and circumstances has produced in the Crookston grain market lately the consummation so delightful to the farmer and so full of the potentialities of prosperity—dollar wheat. September wheat reached the dollar mark several days ago, and after slipping a peg or two under it temporarily, regained that level Saturday and again Monday.

A dollar is a good price for wheat. It means good profits to the farmers, and when the farmer prospers everybody in his neighborhood shares in his prosperity. That means that the Northwest is going to market a lot of wheat at high prices this fall, and htat as a result Duluth and the Northwest will receive an invigorating bath of good times.

While on the face of the market reports it might seem as though this high price of wheat was at the expense of considerable crop damage in the Northwest, that does not truly represent the case. Underlying it all is the fact that the world faces a wheat shortage, and that even if the United States should produce bumper crops, it will be able to place all its surplus in the world's markets at profitable prices. The current export demand for wheat is unprecedentel and bids fair to continue. The alarms of the hopeful gentlemen who had sold wheat 's'hort" have had something to do with the advance, and the gentlemen from whom they have had to buy in their wheat have made the most of the hot weather and the reports of rust. Their estimates must not be accepted without salting. Even tho the Northwestern crop may be injured in spots, in general it will be large and will bring a flood of new money into this section from which general business will imbibe new life and energy.

BRYAN TO BE AT STATE FAIR

Accepts Invitation to Deliver an Address, the Date Being Fixed at Aug. 31.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 7.—Of more than usual significance was the visit to Fairview of Frederick B. Lynch of St Paul, Democratic national committeeman from Minnesota and manager of Gov Johnson's recent campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination. Mr. Lynch arrived about noon in company with B. F. Nelson of Minneapolis, preident of the state fair association.

The presence of Mr. Lynch at Fairview was at the special request of Mr Bryan. 'He lost no time in conveying to the Democratic nominee Gov. Johnson's assurance of loyal support and of the governor's intention to take the stump in Mr. Bryan's behalf.

The business that brought Mr. Nelson to Fairview was to invite Mr. Bryan to attend the state fair in St. Paul and deliver an address. The invitation was accepted, the date being fixed at Aug. 31, but with the understanding that there should be no charge of admission to the grounds on that day.

It was announced that the St. Paul speech would be the only one that Mr. Bryan will make in Minnesota during the campaign. The subject to be discussed will probably be the tariff.

Burned by Live Wire.

Nora Springs, Iowa, Aug. 8.—As a result of catching hold of a live wire the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas is in a serious condition. The little one was found in the grass near the home writhing but unconscious.

Plan Church Convention.

Pepin, Wis., Aug. 8.—The Swedish mission churches of Lake City, Minn., Stockholm and Lund, Wis., and of this vicinity will hold a convention in this city on Sunday, Aug. 16. An elaborate program has been planned.

Refugees Return to Homes.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 8. — There were no new developments in the fire situation at Elk valley yesterday. Conditions are gradually improving and people are returning to the scene of their former homes.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

JURIES DRAWN FOR DECEMBER

MEN SELECTED FOR GRAND AND PETIT JURIES FOR NEXT TERM OF COURT

GARDEN TOWNSHIP IS WELL REPRESENTED ON GRAND JURY WITH 5 MEN

This afternoon Sheriff Gonyea, Clerk of Court Lanctot and County Auditor Hoffard officiated at the drawing of the grand and petit juries which will serve, and it will be noted that Garden is well represented on the Grand Jury with five men:

Grand Jury

Ole Lundeen, Sandsville.
Michael Casey, Parnell.
John Johnson, E. G. Forks.
Edwin Hauger, Winger.
Chas. Nelson, Climax.
J. Mullarky, E. G. Forks.
Ed Lanctot, Crookston.
Andrew Peterson, Garden.
Oliver Olson, Garden.
M. A. Harstad, Garden.
Peter Olson, Nesbit.
J. O. Johnson, Garden.
L. C. Glass Tilden.
Albert Lillo, Vil. of Lengby.
T. Stromstad, Scandia.
C. Mehlum, Garfield.
Richard Ohm, Gully.
Gustav Christianson, Scandia.
Ole Knudson, Roome.
John Rud, Garden.
James Nesbit, Huntsville.
T. H. Hancock, Fosston.
H. Gendron, Gentilly.

Petit Jury

E. P. Berg, Crookston.
Ole P. Krogen, Roome.
K. F. Uggen, Knute.
E. O. Rude, Fairfax.
Clark Johnson, Sullivan.
A. K. Ingebo, Rosebud.
P. J. Bollie, Garfield.
C. Anderson, Helgeland.
Hugh McDonald, Keystone.
Rudolph Erickson, Godfrey.
Andrew Eaton, Brandsvold.
Erick Anderson, Liberty.
B. H. Cochrane, Crookston.
John Carter, Crookston.
O. K. Ose, Bygland.
Julius Wentzel, Lowell.
Anton K. Tiegen, Chester.
Henry Roe, Badger.
Christopher Coulter, Huntsville.
John Davidson, Sullivan.
Paul Knutson, Garfield.
G. W. Barth, Liberty.
J. M. Stephens, Crookston.
H. J. Beardsmore, Sandsville.

DROWNS AT OPEN BRIDGE.

Assistant Engineer Walks Into River at Keokuk.

Keokuk, Iowa, Aug. 6. — William O'Blenness, assistant engineer on the Keokuk & Hamilton bridge, walked through the door of the engine room into the river early yesterday morning and drowned. Employes had left the bridge open after a boat had passed through for the purpose of cleaning the engines after the work was done.

JAP AFTER U. S. TRADE.

New Plan to Take Hand in Atlantic Coast Exporting.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 6.—The Nippon Yusen Kaisha, a Japanese steamship company, will establish a new service, commencing in November, to carry Japanese merchandise to Atlantic ports of the United States by way of the Suez canal, according to advices received by the steamer Monteagle.

Auto Upsets on Mountain.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 6.—As the result of an automobile overturning near Wicks, due to the failure of the brakes to work while descending a mountain, five persons were seriously injured.

Lightning Kills Farmer.

Rushmore, Minn., Aug. 6. — Henry Peilhop, a farmer residing two and a half miles east of this place, was instantly killed by a bolt of lightning while at work in the harvest field yesterday.

ATTEMPT TO DESTROY VIADUCT.

Great Damage Caused at Cincinnati by Unknown Persons.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 8. — Fifteen people were slightly injured and windows in all houses and factories within the immediate neighborhood were destroyed and the Harrison avenue viaduct suffered $10,000 damage as a result of an attempt to destroy the viaduct last night.

The viaduct is in the course of construction and has been a matter of much contention during the last two city administrations. Several arrests have been made.

HISTORIC MANSION BURNS.

Burley Hall Destroyed by Fire During Housewarming.

London, Aug. 8. — Damage to the extent of a quarter million of dollars was done by a fire which broke out yesterday and practically gutted Burley Hall, near Oakham, the residence of Frederick Guest, whose wife is a daughter of Henry Phipps of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Guest had only recently leased this historic mansion and they had spent thousands of dollars in renovating it. The fire broke out during a housewarming party.

REGAN GETS OFF EASY

FINE OF $25 AND 15 DAYS IN JAIL FOR THE WIFE BEATER

WIFE GOT DIVORCE AND FLED TO CROOKSTON—REFUSED TO PROSECUTE

From Thursday's Daily— ..

Some time ago B. B. Regan was arrested near Devils Lake on charge of assault with intent to commit murder. The complaining witness was his wife, Eleanor Regan. She said that Regan attacked her at night and that it was only by the merest accident that she escaped with her life to the home of a near neighbor. The next day when she appeared before State's Attorney Serumgard at Devils Lake for a warrant her face was a solid mass of bruises, her eyes were swollen nearly shut and she said her body was also badly bruised. Her appearance was so horrible that her photograph was taken for use at the trial.

Before the case came to trial Mrs. Regan had secured a divorce and came to Crookston—beyond the jurisdiction of the court and was later followed by her children. State's Attorney Serumgard made a special trip to see her and plead with her to return and give her testimony. She said Regan would plead guilty to simple assault and battery, but that if he refused then she would return and be a witness against him on the charge of assault with intent to commit murder.

There was nothing to do but accept a plea of guilty of assault and battery and at the opening of the present term of court Regan appeared before Judge Cowan and plead guilty. Judge Cowan pronounced sentence on Regan and it was a fine of $25 and a sentence of 15 days in jail.

Mrs. Regan has been cooking at Wyand's ditch camp near the state experimental farm. Her husband is one of the wealthiest farmers near Devils Lake.

HONDURAS STANDS FIRM.

Refuses to Revoke Decree Ousting United States Diplomats.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Honduras has declined to comply with the wishes of the American government by revoking the decree issued by President Davila, canceling the exequators of American Consul Drew Linard and Vice Consul Virgil C. Reynolds at Ceiba, on the ground that they had interfered in the internal politics of Honduras and that with the vice consuls of France and Norway they advised the surrender of Ceiba to the revolutionists.

Recluse Dead; Fortune Missing.

Jerseyville, Ill., Aug. 8.—Peter Meyer, seventy-five years old, a recluse, was found murdered last night on the floor of a box car, in which he lived, on the outskirts of this place, and $10,000 he is known to have had with him is missing.

Shoots Friend and Suicides.

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 3.—While scuffling over the possession of a shotgun, V. Swanson of St. Charles, Ill., shot his friend, Regnow Nelson. Seeing what he had done, Swanson then shot himself. Nelson is dying and Swanson is dead.

PYTHIANS ELECT OFFICERS.

Stobbart of St. Paul Re-elected Major General of Uniform Rank.

Boston, Aug. 8.—A. J. Stobbart of St. Paul, major general of the uniform rank, was re-elected yesterday afternoon by a flattering majority at the Knights of Pythias convention.

Henry P. Brown of Cleburne, Tex., was elected supreme chancellor of the order to succeed Charles A. Barnes of Jacksonville, Ill. George H. Hanson of Calais, Me., was chosen supreme vice chancellor.

Crazed by Heat; Suicides.

New York, Aug. 8.—Probably crazed by the heat of the last few days, Robert Turnbull, a prominent operator in suburban real estate, formerly a professional pugilist of some note, shot and killed himself yesterday.

Dies at Age of 107 Years.

Little Falls, Minn., Aug. 8. — Mrs. Elizabeth Tendell died at her home near this city at the unusual age of 107 years, 3 months and 1 day.

THROWS OUT 1,826 NAMES.

Board Acts on Petitions for Reopening of Muscatine Saloons.

Muscatine, Iowa, Aug. 8.—Muscatine will remain dry for another year at least, judging from yesterday's developments in the saloon war. The county supervisors in open session received a remonstrance from the Law Enforcement league, sowing that 1,286 persons named on the petition for saloons, purporting to be signed by a total of 2,057, objected to the petition, which was filed two weeks ago. After an examination but 200 names stood.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

THIEF RIVER FAIR FINE

TODAY IS LAST OF THREE DAYS PROGRAM WHICH PLEASED THE CROWDS

MIXER TOOK SECOND MONEY IN FAST RACE OVER HEAVY TRACK

From Friday's Daily—

A large crowd from this city journeyed to the 7th annual fair of the Red Lake county agricultural association at Thief River Falls yesterday specially to attend the races in which several Crookston horses participated. The fair has the largest attendance in its history with the best live stock grain and dairy exhibits, and 32 fast horses are participating in the races, double the number that ever congregated there before, and excellent time was made over a rather slow half mile track. In the 2:35 trot or pace yesterday, purse $250, Noon Bells, Maloy, 1st; Della Wood, Bond, 2nd; Brownie Mac, Newby, 3rd; Blackford Jr., Keenan 4th; Muscomar, Martin, 5th; Ray Panic, Mapes 6th. Time 2:21½, 2:21 1-4, 2:21.

In the 2:17 pace or trot the horses finished as follows, it taking 5 heats to decide the race. 1st, Bessie Barolite, Newby; 2nd Mixer, Eckert; 3rd Luke Vernon, Martin; 4th Bettor, Bradford; 5th Lockstep, Keenan. Time 2:19 1-4, 2:19, 2:24 1-4, 2:23, 2:26.

Mixer, Lockstep, and Blackford, Jr. are all Crookston horses belonging to the W. S. Lycan string.

The fair closes today with a record breaking attendance. Yesterday the crowd was the largest that had ever attended the fair, but today's crowd is still larger, people coming from all the surrounding country and from the cities and villages in all directions, many going up from here.

The agricultural and stock exhibits are the best and the fair proper is a decidedly good one. The farmers have taken a great amount of interest this year and are showing to the people of the outside world what the lands of the Thief River country will produce.

Yesterday afternoon as the C. C. Patten Carnival Co., which is furnishing the attractions at the Thief River fair were filling their big balloon for the daily ascension, a sudden gust of wind carried part of the guy ropes away and the baloon went up a-piece partially turned over and caught fire practically ruining it before it was pulled down again. Considerable excitement was created by the accident, but no one was injured.

RELEASED ON PAROLE

DR. JACOB FORCE FORMER VICE PRES. OF INSURANCE CO., SECURES LIBERTY

HAD SERVED A YEAR AND FOUR MONTHS OF 3½ YEARS SENTENCE

From Saturday's Daily—

Dr. Jacob Force, the vice president of the Northwestern National Life Insurance company sent to Stillwater prison in 1906 for financial irregularities while conducting its affairs was released from confinement today.

Dr. Force was convicted May 29, 1906, of grand larceny in the first degree.

The state board of control at a special session at the state prison ordered his release.

In the vote on the question of parole the only negative was given by Commissioner Leavitt the other two commissioners, Rosing and Ringdahl voting for his release.

Dr. Force was the only one to serve a sentence. Former President Bechtel's release was ordered by the supreme court because of a talkative juror.

All Very "Civil."

In certain sections of the country there are much favored words which are required to do duty with a wide variety of meanings. Such is the word "smart" among Yankees and up along the Labrador shore the word "civil." The following conversation between two natives was overheard by a traveler:

"We are goin' to have lots of dirt today," said one, glancing at the sky.

"Naw. It'll be civil," replied his companion.

"How did you get on with the captain?"

"Oh, he got civil to hunting deer by and by. When he went out he didn't know nothing, but he got civilized."

"Did you go down the Ketchee?"

"Naw. It's too civil for him. He wanted lots of rapids, so we went down the Boomer. Them's about as civil rapids as I want to see."—Youth's Companion.

When one of the idle rich turns busybody there is sure to be something doing among your best people.

ROBBING THE SOIL

SOME MIGHTY POOR FARMING IS HELPED OUT BY RECENT TIMELY RAINS

MUST RAISE MORE STOCK AND PAY MORE ATTENTION TO CREAMERIES

From Monday's Daily— ..

Walhalla Mountaineer: The rains the past week have materially improved the crop outlook in this vicinity. One and two weeks ago the early sown crops were headed and ready to fill and had the drought continued, serious damage would have been the result, but now it seems as tho we were really to get what was promised by the early and the favorable spring, a good average crop. By this we do not wish to be understood a twenty bushel crop to the acre. Ten years ago the states statistical report gave Pembina, Cavalier and Walsh counties an average of from thirteen and a half to fifteen and a half bushels. There is no improvement in the soil conditions and it will be useless to hope for better crops as long as the present system of farming is continued. It is only a question as to how long before our farmers realize this and adopt the newer and non-retrograde methods of mixed farming. Stock of all kinds with healthy patronage of the creamery is the one true hope of the country, supplemented by more scientific farming along the lines laid down by the experimental farms under the government supervision. It may seem "rank" to say this to old farmers who have made money and grown rich in following their old system—but they all will acknowledge that their ways are not producing the results they once did. Simply as a proof that the time has come here as it has come to all "new" countries in time, when the change in methods must be then made.

KILLS HERSELF AFTER DISGRACE

MISS JERDIS HOLT TAKES STRYCHNINE AT TOWN OF SHERBROOKE

WHEN FOUND IN ROOM WITH MAN — DIES IN GREAT AGONY

Overcome with shame when she was discovered with a man in her room at Sherbrooke, N. D., Miss Jerdis Holt committed suicide in the hotel of Mr. and Mrs. William Oxton. When Marion Oxton went to Miss Holt's room to call her in the early morning hours she found a man in the room and supposed him to be a burglar. She set out to arouse the neighbors. Several persons hurried to the room and found ZZ. A. Cochrane hiding behind a chair.

A few hours later and before the return of Mr. and Mrs. Oxton Miss Holt took strychnine. She died in terrible agony in a few minutes.

A LITTLE ONE SIDED.

An Exchange of Presents That Was Not Wholly Satisfactory.

John Mitchell, the labor leader, was discussing on one occasion a labor struggle of the past.

"You see, they didn't give us a fair deal," he said. "It looked fair on its face, but really it was like the deal of Harvey Barr of Braidwood.

"Harvey Barr, a successful lawyer, had a wonderful talent for getting the best of people. Even at home he kept this talent in play. His wife said to him one morning:

"'Harvey, dear, this is the fifteenth anniversary of our wedding. What are you going to give me?'

"'This is what I am going to give you,' Harvey answered affectionately, and he handed his wife $15 in crisp, fresh bills.

"'Oh, thank you! And what shall I give you?' the gratified wife asked.

"'That meerschaum pipe I've been admiring so long,' Harvey promptly announced.

"In the evening on his return home the pipe awaited him. It had cost just $15. He lit up and began to color it carefully. But as the evening wore on his wife seemed ill at ease.

"'Where is my present, Harvey?' she said at last fretfully.

"'Why, my dear,' Harvey explained, 'you gave me a pipe. I gave you $15. Don't you see? We're just even.'"—St. Louis Republic.

To the Strict Letter.

"Mary," said the lady of the house, "you didn't put any salt in this bread."

"But," replied the new girl, "didn't the master say yesterday he wouldn't have nothing but fresh bread on his table, mum?"

The trouble with the fishing at most summer resorts is that the fish have become so used to the yarns of the press agent that they won't take any bait.

When the Hair Falls

Then it's time to act! No time to study, to read, to experiment! You want to save your hair, and save it quickly, too! So make up your mind this very minute that if your hair ever comes out you will use Ayer's Hair Vigor. It makes the scalp healthy. The hair stays in. It cannot do anything else. It's nature's way.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

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NORTHERN R.R. STAND PAT

REDUCED RATES TO STATE FAIR NOT FEATURED BY N. P. AND G. N. ROADS

SOUTHERN ROADS ARE MAKING RATES — NORTHERN LINES WILL NOT BREAK RULES

St. Paul, Aug. 6—Refusing to follow in the footsteps of the lines belonging to the Western Passenger association the northern lines will apparently make no special reduced rate for the state fair. Since the passage of the two-cent fare laws the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Soo have refused to go into the rate cutting business for any occasion whatever, and it is evident from a statement made today by Second Vice President Hannaford of the Northern Pacific that they are determined to adhere consistently to this policy as long as possible despite whatever action may be taken by the southern lines.

"We did not put in any special rate for the state fair last year and I do not know of any more reason for putting one in this year than there was last," said Mr. Hannaford. "The legislature fixed a rate of two cents a mile as being fair and reasonable in this state and we are making very few variations from it."

While admitting that there might be some indirect benefit to the roads derived from the visits of the farmers to the state fair where they secured new ideas regarding agriculture which helped to make larger crops, Mr. Hannaford said it was a question whether this indirect benefit would compensate the railroads for making reduced rates. In addition he evidently thought the making of a reduced rate for the state fair would establish a bad precedent, as it would be a violation of the rule which the Northern lines have adopted not to make any special reduced rates since the 2-cent fare is in effect. The rule once broken could be broken many times.

"I do not think the roads can afford to make these low rates," said Mr. Hannaford. "If we make them for the state fair there is no reason why we should not make it for everything in the same way the Southern roads are doing.'

A pleasant thing about expecting money is all you can plan to do with it until it comes and your family gets it.

He is a strong man who can overcome his smallest weakness.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Aug. 6 In History.

Lord North.

1775—Daniel O'Connell, Irish orator and patriot, born; died 1847.

1792—Frederick North, British statesman known as Lord North, died; born 1733. North became prime minister in 1770 and precipitated the trouble with the colonies which led to the Revolution. The result was disastrous to his fame.

1809—Alfred Tennyson, British poet laureate, born; died 1892.

1907—French and Spanish troops landed at Casablanca under fire from the Moors. French cruiser shelled the town.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:06, rises 4:58; moon sets 12:06 a. m.; moon's age, 10 days; 2:24 today, three-fifths of leap year gone.

TO THRESH IN DAKOTA — G. Hooper came down from Greenbush last evening enroute to Devils Lake where he will operate his threshing machine the coming fall.

CLOSE OUT BANKRUPT STOCK —A. H. Pitkin left this afternoon on the N. P. train for Aitkin where he will close out a bankrupt stock of general merchandise which is in the hands of trustees. He will be absent for several weeks.

THIRTY DAYS — Deputy Gonyea brought over from East Grand Forks a thirty day boarder for the county jail this morning. The fellow's name is R. E. Curtiss and was seeing all kinds of things the effects of a protracted spree.

WILL SORT DRIVE—Jas. Lappen, buyer and scaler of logs for the Crookston Lumber Co., came over from Bemidji last evening and will remain here for a few weeks to look after his company's logs now coming down the river along with the Grand Forks Lumber Company's drive.

HAD A BIRTHDAY—Geo. Nyquist known to the craft as "Pike" who boasts of being the longest piece of human flesh on Robert street, celebrated his 17th birthday anniversary by doing his usual stunt. His fellow employes got onto the date and as a result he fed the Journal press this afternoon standing up, the chair he usually occupies not seeming to fit exactly.

ELECTION PREPARATIONS — Auditor Hoffard is today busy sending to the township and village clerks the new election laws and blanks for the coming primaries. There has been a number of changes and the auditor is sending instructions out early so as to give the various local officials plenty time to study up. The township clerks must post the election notice 15 days prior to the election.

GOT 60 DAYS — Arthur Brosseau 815 Cromb Street an iron moulder, was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail for robbing Daniel Boectel a laborer from Michigan of $7 in Johnny Hoyum's saloon yesterday. Boectel was intoxicated and was robbed in a back room. He knew he was being touched but was too helpless to resist. He recognized Brosseau, however, and later swore out a warrant. Brosseau is not related to the family of Brosseaus well known in this city, many of whom are in business here.

"YEG" WAS HERE—O. C. Anderson, popularly known as "Yeg" has returned from Crookston, Minn., his old home where he was in the hospital three days of last week. Mr. Anderson in spite of his short illness found time while there to renew many old acquaintances and have a good time generally. He reports the crop conditions in the Red River Valley as very good and the indications for a big crop better than for years. Mr. Anderson will be very busy from this time forward handling his heavy cigar business in this city. He leaves shortly for a selling trip over into Montana.—Minot Reporter.

Last evening Sheriff L. A. Nelson and Deputy Geo. Cyr passed thru the city having in custody Geo. Lindquist of Red Lake County who has been sentenced to the state training school at Red Wing for incorrigibility.

Lindquist is but 13 years of age, but has made a bad start in life. He was in the habit of sleeping out nights refused to work and pilfered what food and clothing he needed. The case is a sad warning to young boys of his age who are leading useless lives.

Barn and Calves Go.

Rock Valley, Iowa, Aug. 8. — During a thunder storm the barn of John Kervenik, two miles east of here, was struck by lightning and burned, with one horse and eleven calves. The loss is $2,000.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 7 In History.

1795—Joseph Rodman Drake, poet, author of the "Ode to the American Flag," born; died 1820.

1898—Spain accepted the terms of peace imposed by the United States; the terms called for the evacuation of Cuba, cession of Porto Rico and virtual surrender of the Philippines to United States control.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:05, rises 4:59; moon sets; 12:49 a. m.; moon's age, 11 days; 5 a. m., planet Mercury at perigee, nearest sun.

IMPROVING PROPERTY— Henry Wiedeman residing at Euclid altho a Crookston property owner, was in the city yesterday making some improvements and collecting the tolls.

MAHNOMEN MILL—Mahnomen is to have an 80 barrel flour mill. Mr. Green who was connected with the Ada mill some years ago, is the promoter of the enterprise.

DIED AT CALEDONIA—From Caledonia, N. D., comes the report of the death of Miss Josephine Anderson well known in Crookston having taken a prominent part in college life while attending here.

FARMING A FEW—K. K. Austin left yesterday for his farm near Kratka, Red Lake Co., where he has had his family during the summer. He will spend several days there watching the pumpkins and watermelons ripen.

HIS CROP GOOD— Capt. Vonderbeck of the police force was up to Euclid yesterday where he has a farm of 260 acres of ripening grain. Mr. Vonderbeck was very well pleased with the outlook and expects a much better than the average crop.

RETURNED FROM CANADA — Joseph Winfield has just returned from Owen Sound, Ont., where he had been on a visit. Mr. Winfield is glad to get back again to the Red River Valley. He did not see anything in the east to compare with the west.

INCREASING BUSINESS — S. L. Collins is away to Key West today attending to some machine business he has in that territory. Mr. Collins is kept quite busy at this time keeping track of his growing machine business.

ADMINISTRATOR NAMED—Judge Morken yesterday appointed Judge Sullivan as administrator of the estate of W. R. Stoughton consisting of a half interest in the Valley View newspaper and some other property. Mr. Stoughton's condition is reported as but slightly improved.

NEW SON ARRIVED—A 12-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hawkins of this city this morning. Mother and baby are improving rapidly. Mr. Hawkins is wearing "the smile that won't come off" and proudly declares that the baby looks "just like papa."—Bemidji Pioneer.

AMONG OLD FRIENDS — John Warfel is back from Argyle where he visited several days with old friends and attended to some matters regarding property he owns there. Mr. Warfel watched the ball games during the tournament and also helped the band boys by beating the snare drum.

DRIVE TO MALLARD—Messrs. J. J. Kelly, Oscar Halvorson and O. E. Erickson left last evening for Shevlin where they spent the night and today drove to Mallard a distance of 22 miles, to round up their share of the business—and it's dollars to doughnuts that they got it. "Coffee" Kelly, "Saucers" Erickson and "Breeches" Halvorson make a spike team hard to beat.

FROM PINE LAKE—Edward Eck of Pine Lake, Clearwater Co., is spending a few days in the city the guest of his brother, Chief Eck. He arrived last evening and was accompanied by his son Theodore, who spent the night here and left this morning for Grafton near where he will spend the fall. Mr. Eck, who has a fine farm at Pine Lake says the crops up that way look very good the best in several years. The harvest has just commenced, but next week will be on in full blast.

DIED WHILE ENROUTE HOME—Word has been received that Mrs. Mabel Price of Oakland, Cal., daughter of Mrs. Olive Benson of this city, died on Wednesday of last week in the hospital at Spokane, Wash., of blood poisoning. Mrs. Price was enroute to Bemidji for a visit at her old home when taken sick. She leaves a husband and two children, a little boy and girl. Interment took place at Spokane.—Bemidji Pioneer. Deceased is a daughter of the late Judge of Probate Benson of Polk Co., and lived here many years attending the high school.

It's plain that no woman ever thinks she is.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 8 In History.

General G. K. Warren.

1812—John Rodgers, admiral and son of the more famous John, born; died 1882.

1819—Charles Anderson Dana, American scholar and editor, born; died 1897.

1885—General Gouverneur K. Warren, noted corps leader of the Army of the Potomac, died; born 1833.

1899—Porto Rico devastated by a hurricane; deaths estimated between 3,000 and 4,000 and the property loss at $20,000,000.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:03, rises 5; moon sets 1:40 a. m.; moon's age, 12 days.

VISITING OLD HOME —Ole Tiegen left last evening for Lowry, Pope County Minn., where he will spend a week at the old home.

HAS TWO SHOWS—Louis Johnson left last evening for Alexandria where with John Mattson he is operating a moving picture show. They have another machine at Sauk Center which will be started up in a short time.

A HEATING PLANT—O. N. Lindh a member of the Lengby school board spent yesterday in the city and made a deal with J. E. Morrisey for the installation of a modern heating plant in the school house at that place before the opening of the school year in September.

FARMER STACKING — Farmer Phillips has a force at work stacking barley. He has nearly a dozen stacks up already. The renter on the O. H. Richardson farm in the same vicinity southeast of the city is busy harvesting wheat which is a very good crop.

WELL AGAIN—Julius Radi came in from the town of Fanny today to take his wife home with him. Mrs. Radi has been in the city a month during which time she underwent an operation at the St. Vincent hospital. She has entirely recovered.

TOM YOUNG IN TOWN — Tom Young came in from Devils Lake last night to visit with relatives and friends and attend to some business matters. Tom says the Lake is booming and everything on the move, he has done quite well contracting and is well pleased with the results.

YOUNG MAN DEAD—Samuel Olson, aged 34 years and single, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Bethesda hospital of lung trouble. His mother lives at Alida, Minn., where the body will probably be shipped. Deceased had a similar attack in 1896 but was nursed to health in Bethesda.

FINE MACARONI WHEAT—Remi Fortier was at Gentilly yesterday and brought back a sample of macaroni wheat which is as fine as was ever grown in the northwest. He has 40 acres of it and the committee in charge of the State Fair exhibit should get a good sample of it for exhibition purposes. The sample he brought here can be seen in the Journal window. It stands 5 feet 1 inch high, has heavy, well filled heads and will yield big returns. It was certainly raised on land that has been farmed—not scratched over merely.

FOREHANDED FARMER— N. C. Hanson, the progressive and successful farmer west of the city, who is always forehanded with his work, has finished threshing his rye and barley and this morning started his plows on the land cleared, as he stated, "preparing for another big crop of paying rye next year." Last year he did the first stubble plowing in this section on the 25th of August, and is therefore just 17 days earlier this year. Land plowed at this season of the year is practically as good as summer fallowing.

Only a Mask

Many are not being benefited by the summer vacation as they should be. Now, notwithstanding much outdoor life, they are little if any stronger than they were. The tan on their faces is darker and makes them look healthier, but it is only a mask. They are still nervous, easily tired, upset by trifles, and they do not eat nor sleep well. What they need is what tones the nerves, perfects digestion, creates appetite, and makes sleep refreshing, and that is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Pupils and teachers generally will find the chief purpose of the vacation best subserved by this great medicine, which as we know, "builds up the whole system."

Attention, Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

CHARMING FISHER-PITKIN WEDDING

Mr. Ira Benson Fisher United in Marriage to Miss Elizabeth May Pitkin Last Evening—Nuptial Ceremony one of the Most Pleasing Ever Performed in Crookston—After Honeymoon Spent at Lake Plantagenet Popular Young People will Begin Housekeeping in Highland Park—Magnificent Wedding Gifts Attested High Regard in Which Principals Were Held.

From Thursday's Daily—

Last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pitkin 324 South Ash street, their daughter, Elizabeth May, known to all her intimate friends as Miss Trixie Pitkin, was united in marriage to Mr. Ira Benson Fisher, Rev. Willard S. Ward officiating.

The ceremony performed in the presence of a company of sixty relatives and friends, took place at 6 o'clock, and was one of the most charming weddings ever solemnized in Crookston. The ceremony was performed in the front parlor in an alcove, formed of sweet peas crysanthemums and potted plants, the bridal couple standing beneath an immense bell of white sweet peas with dashes of green sprays.

The bridal party marched down stairs and entered the parlor to the strains of a beautiful wedding march played by Mrs. G. O. Riggs. First came the ribbon girls. Adelaide Marin and Alice Lundberg, and both looked very sweet dressed all in white carrying a basket of flowers each, and stringing the white ribbons from the archway of the parlor, where one end of the streamers were fastened, to the alcove, forming an isle for those following.

Next came the ring bearer, Little Eva Hurlbut, of Warren, niece of Mrs. M. B. Milligan of this city, who was also dressed in pure white and carried the ring in the midst of a very dainty but magnificent basket of flowers. With her came Rev. W. S. Ward and finally came the bride on the arm of the groom and her hand rested on his arm while the words were spoken which unite them for life. The bride looked very sweet and girlish in a most becoming gown of white Persian lawn trimmed with Cluny lace and carried bride's roses.

Following the ceremony congratulations were extended after which an elaborate course wedding dinner was served. Two long tables were spread in the dining room, the younger folks being all seated at once. The dinner was faultless, and Mrs. Pitkin was assisted in serving by six intimate friends of the bride all attired in white. They were Misses Bertha and Edith Wyand, Ida Stone, Agnes Montague, Maymie Fournet and Ina Phillips.

The wedding gifts were magnificent costly and useful, including cut glass, silverware, china and furniture, and included a piano from the parents of the bride.

Among the out of town guests were Miss Clara Fisher sister of the groom of Minneapolis, Mrs. Harvey Misner of Pasadena, Cal., Mrs. Geo. Leedham of Park River, N. D. and Mr. Fred Homeyer of Winnipeg, Manitoba. The entire home was beautifully and effectively decorated with a profusion of sweet peas intertwined with green and chrysanthemums and potted plants.

The bride and groom left on the Duluth train last evening for Lake Plantagenet where they will spend a two weeks' honeymoon, after which they will return to Crookston and begin housekeeping at once on Manitoba St., Highland Park, in one of the cosy Walsh residences opposite the new courts of the Crookston Tennis club.

There was an immense crowd to see them safely on their journey at the Great Northern depot last evening, and rice was strewn all over the train and platform. In addition several very touching ditties were sung lead by Mr. Ralph Carter.

The bride has been a resident of Crookston for several years, prior to which she resided at Euclid. She is a most charming and accomplished young lady and the possessor of a very sweet voice which has pleased many Crookston audiences. She has been prominent in social circles and has taken an active part in church work, affiliating with Congregational church where she is a member of the choir. Her many graces and sweet disposition has endeared her to an exceptionally large circle of warm friends. Mr. Fisher has been connected with the Ruettell Clothing Co., for many years, and is a member of the firm. He is an energetic and successful young business man, with high ideals who has gathered about him a large coterie of warm friends. That success and much happiness may attend the newly wedded couple is the wish of the entire community.

WHITAKER IS FOUND GUILTY

MURDERER OF CONRAD STEENERSON SENTENCED TO 10 YEARS IN PEN

JURY WAS OUT ALL NIGHT BEFORE REACHING A VERDICT

Special to the Journal—

Towner, N. D. Aug. 8—The jury in the trial of Jefferson Whitaker accused of murder of Conrad Steenerson son of Knute Steenerson, formerly of Climax, reached a verdict of murder in the 2nd degree at 4 o'clock this morning. Whitaker was sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary at Bismarck by Judge Goss this morning. The arguments were concluded and the jury charged at 10 o'clock last night.

SHEEP FOR THE VALLEY

THOUSANDS OF ACRES WILL BE SEEDED TO GRASS AND PASTURED

SHEEP CAN BE BOUGHT FOR A SONG ON SCORCHED RANGES OF WEST

From Saturday's Daily—

L. H. Kaste, the bonanza farmer of Hallock, who crops thousands of acres, spent yesterday in the city and stated that crop conditions in Kittson county were just fair on an average. He says on new land, summer fallowing and timothy and clover sod the wheat was magnificent, as good as was ever raised in Kittson County, but that on land that was run down the wheat was thin and the crop would be very light, so that there would be but an average crop taking the county as a whole.

Will Buy Sheep

Because of the marked contrast between the old land and the land that had been seeded down to grass and plowed up last year for crop this year, Mr. Kaste determined to seed down large acreages every year hereafter, and in a few weeks will leave for Idaho and Colorado where he will purchase several thousand sheep, and hereafter will keep large numbers of them.

Can Buy Cheaply

He is now interesting other farmers in the same plan, and 40 or 50 of them will probably go west together. They will leave as soon as possible as Chas. Deacon of Breckenridge, who went west for the purpose of looking up some sheep has just returned and states that they can be purchased for almost anything in several states because of the drought prevailing there. He states that in New Mexico sheep were dying by the thousands for lack of water. The ranges are burned up and there is neither grazing nor water for them, tho they could get enough to eat to sustain life if they could get water.

Many will Purchase

Deacon will canvass the section to the south, and Kaste to the north with the intention of either sending an expert sheep buyer west to purchase 50,000 or 60,000 sheep for a pool of farmers, or a committee of farmers will be sent out to make the deal. There is no question but what fully that number of sheep can be disposed of in a comparatively small radius, as a vast amount of land will be seeded down by the valley farmers this fall because of the magnificent crops that have been raised this year on land that had been pastured, which gave no evidence of lack of moisture, where other land was baked dry.

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

Killed by a Hay Fork.

Corning, Iowa, Aug. 8.—C. W. Ricard, a leading farmer, aged sixty-eight, was struck by a hay fork and thrown twelve feet, producing concussion of the brain and death.

Saves Murderer's Neck.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 8.—Gov. B. B. Comer late yesterday afternoon commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of Clarence Miller, who was to have been hanged in this city today. Miller was convicted of the murder of Fred W. Rambow.

It's the easiest thing in the world for a woman to make a man think he is in love with her unless they are married.

NEWS FROM GRAIN FIELDS

HARVEST IS ON IN FULL BLAST THRU ENTIRE R. R. VALLEY

SOME REPORTS FROM BARLEY AND RYE THRESHING—YIELD GOOD, FINE QUALITY

From Saturday's Daily—

The harvest in the Red River Valley is on in full force. Considerable wheat has been cut this week, and a great deal of rye, oats and barley.

The yield where threshing has been done has been very satisfactory and the barley that has been threshed is of exceptionally fine quality. Following are a number of notes on harvesting and threshing gathered from various sections of the valley:

Wheat Harvest General

Wheat harvest is general today for the first time and next week, with good weather the bulk of the wheat will be cut.

N. P. Stenshoel, northeast of the city finished threshing his barley yesterday and reports an average of but 25 bushels per acre. It was of good quality and weighs heavy.

Thief River Falls

On quite a number of farms in this vicinity barley, rye and even wheat fields have been cut this week and it will not be long until harvest will be in full swing. The general report is that local crops are good, altho some of the ridge fields and others of late sown grain are not up to standard. But most fields of wheat, rye and barley are fine and will yield better than for years past. Among the farms where good rye fields are being cut are the Rhodegaard, Barzen and Oscar Peterson farms on rural route No. 1.

Has Finished Wheat

Louis Johnson west of the city has finished his wheat harvest and estimates an average of 30 bushels per acre. His is an exceptionally fine crop and he is the first farmer to complete his wheat harvest. He will thresh his wheat next week.

Barley 50 Bu. Per Acre

John Peltier, also west of the city finished threshing his barley Friday and his crop averaged 48 bushels per acre of perfect barley. From the time it is cut till it was in the granary it did not receive even a heavy dew, and is therefore perfect in color and weighs heavy.

Nels C. Hanson in the same vicinity has finished threshing his rye crop and the average yield was 22 bu. per acre.

Fergus Falls

H. E. Webber threshed a field of thirty-five acres of barley on what is known as the Safford farm, a short distance east of the city Thursday and secured a yield of 21 bushels to the acre. This is rather a light yield for barley, but the quality is exceptionally good. The outlook was for a fair yield. This is the first threshing report that has come in from this immediate locality. Mr. Webber states that the wheat crop on the same farm will be ready to harvest next week and promises a very good yield.

Fosston

For a number of days past the weather has been ideal for the ripening grain in the fields. Cool days and nights the days frequently cloudy, allow the heads of wheat to fill abundantly and the outlook for an excellent yield and high grade is most promising. Barley and rye is mostly in shock and in good condition. Oats is being harvested in many places and wheat cutting will commence next week.

Harvest is earlier than last year by at least two weeks, possibly three.

$22,500 NEW MONEY IN CIRCULATION

FOSSTON FIRST NATIONAL BANK GETS BATCH OF NEW MONEY

Yesterday morning the First National Bank of Fosston received from the U. S. treasury department currency to the amount of $22,500 which added to the $7,500 previously issued to the bank, gives this institution the full amount of circulation to cover their capitalization of $30,000.

The bills are in three denominations, $5, $10 and $20 and bear a neat design upon their face.

When these sheets of lithographed paper are properly signed by First Vice Pres. S. S. Stadsvold and Cashier Lewis Lohn they will pass in exchange for their face value the country over—and are bound to be in demand.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

PATTEWAY BOUND OVER

HELD TO DISTRICT COURT FOR GRAND LARCENY

CHARGED WITH STEALING $400 FROM MERCHANTS BANK LAST SPRING

From Tuesday's Daily—

At a hearing before Judge Wilde yesterday afternoon A. Patteway, the colored porter who worked in the Merchants National Bank was held to the district court on a charge of having stolen $400 from the bank.

Patteway at the hearing was shown to have changed all manner of small change at Burkhardt's for money of a larger denomination, bought a horse for $150.50 at Grand Forks and paid for it in silver dollars, bought feed and paid for it in small change, and had an unusual quantity of small change on him at all times.

Had Cash Buried

It was also shown at the hearing that a colored woman had accompanied Atty. C. O. Longley to the C. D. Billings barn at the rear of Billings store on North Main street, and dug up a large amount of cash in one corner of the barn which Patteway had directed her to do. This money she said she had not counted. It is understood there was from $200 to $400 in the plant.

Bonds were fixed at $2,000 which Patteway could not furnish.

NORTHWESTERN POLK HAS GOOD SEASON

TOWNSHIPS OF TABOR, NORTHLAND AND KEYSTONE HAVE BIG CROPS

Ex-alderman M. Sullivan is at home a few days from the big ditch, nursing a very bad case of neuralgia that requires treatment before the tooth can be extracted. He reports work on the ditch in Keystone and Tabor on which he has the contract progressing very satisfactorily, this having been an exceptionally good year for that kind of work.

Mr. Sullivan says there is a fine class of farmers in that section of the county. They all are diversified farmers and as a result the fertility of their land has been kept up, and the crops are going to be above the average this year.

Every farmer in the Red River Valley is rushing the grain harvest. The clickity-click of the reapers can be heard from early morning till twilight is falling. While many farmers were harvesting all last week, and some threshing was done, some few did not start till today, and during the present week, with good weather the great bulk of the wheat will be cut.

AN N. P. WRECK IN MONTANA

Glendive, Mont., Aug. 11— The North Coast Limited No. 2 east bound on the Northern Pacific was ditched thru the burning of a bridge last night. Fireman Matthews was killed. Engineer C. D. Litch, Express Messenger Wilson and three passengers were injured.

The reason a woman looks cool on a hot day is she isn't.

ONLY ONE "BEST"

Crookston People Give Credit Where Credit is Due

People of Crookston who suffer with sick kidneys and bad backs want a kidney remedy that can be depended upon. The best is Doan's Kidney Pills, a medicine for the kidneys only, made from pure roots and herbs and the only one that is backed by cures in Crookston. Here's Crookston testimony:

R. G. Burkhardt, bookkeeper, at Sheriff's office, and living at 3[illegible]9 Fifth St. E., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is with pleasure that I endorse Doan's Kidney Pills, which proved their remarkable value by removing pains of a rheumatic nature from my back and limbs. I was also greatly bothered with a weakness of the kidneys, the disordered condition of the secretions showed that the kidneys were at the seat of my trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended that I procured imediately and continued their use until the pains in my back disappeared. My present healthy condition attests to the sterling merits of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

MINN. BISHOP IS HONORED

BISHOP MORRISON DELIVERS A SERMON IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY ON INVITATION

AN HONOR THAT IS SELDOM CONFERRED ON AN AMERICAN PRELATE

Right Rev. James Dow Morrison, D. D., L. L. D., bishop of Minnesota preached Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in Westminster abbey, London.

This is an honor seldom conferred on an American, and it is with no little pleasure that his friends in the Northwest will learn of it.

Bishop Morrison has been in England several weeks attending Lambeth conference, which was concluded Thursday. He has already spoken in a number of the most prominent Episcopal churches and cathedrals in England and by his forceful and sincere manner received many compliments. It was this fact which secured him the invitation to preach at the morning service in London's famous church out of the 250 bishops at the conference.

July 12 Bishop Morrison preached at Waterbury, Kent, and July 26 he occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's church, Camden, London. Aug. 12, (today) he will preach at Truro cathedral and Aug. 14 will address a large missionary meeting at Manchester. While in England Bishop Morrison will be elected a member of the pan-Anglican committee on "Missionary Extension." He will return to Duluth Sept. 11.

RAILWAYS PUT MEN TO WORK

FULL FORCES PUT ON IN SHOPS IN TWIN CITIES—PAYROLLS INCREASED

Minneapolis Tribune: Beginning this week every railroad shop in the Twin Cities is working a full force of men the regular trick of 54 hours a week. This information was given out in the offices of the Soo line, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Great Northern, the Minneapolis & St. Louis and the Northern Pacific railroad companies.

Since the money tangle of last October and the depression of business the railroad companies have been retrenching their forces. At the same time the shop men were reduced the full 54 hours a week schedule to 40 hours. This reduction meant a diminution in each week's pay roll of several thousand dollars.

DITCH CONTRACT WAS NOT LET

TWO LOWEST BIDDERS WERE TIED AND AUDITOR DEFERRED LETTING CONTRACT

The bids for ditch number 78 a small county ditch in the town of Lowell was opened in the auditor's office this morning. There were three bids offered, Joe Lariviere's bid called for 11 3-4 cents per cubic yard John Collier of Frazee, Minn., and Helge Tofsley of Lowell town, bids were 11 cents per yard. As the two lowest bids are the same the county auditor did not let the contract. Mr. Collier, one of the bidders was not present and the matter was deferred until next Monday when the commissioners meet.

THE INSURANCE AGENTS MEET

The state convention of the Minnesota Association of Local Fire Insurance Agents is being held in St. Paul today. Because of the big national convention of local fire insurance agents which will meet in St. Paul the next three days, this meeting is considered of relatively small importance and the time will probably be spent in making final prepartations for the entertainment of the delegates to the national gathering.

W. A. Marin of this city is one of the officials of the association but will not be able to attend owing to other engagements. There will probably be a number of the local agents go down to attend both conventions.

Chicago Has 2,425,000 People.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Chicago has a population of 2,425,000, according to the 1908 city directory, which will be issued to-day. This is a gain over last year of 58,000 and is considered by a publishers a very conservative estimate.

COLORED PEOPLE NEVER SO THICK

NEGROES WERE NEVER AS EVIDENT IN NORTH AS THIS YEAR

MANY OF THEM WILL NOT BE ABLE TO SECURE ANY WORK

There were never as many colored people in the northwest in the history of the country as there are at the present time and just what is responsible for the condition is something of a problem to police officers and other people handling this class of people. During the fall and summer there are usually a few negroes that wander through this section in their search of work.

A call for laborers much greater than needed, was made by the railroads early this season with the result that there are plenty of white laborers to handle the crop. It is a fact that white men usually refuse to work in crews where colored men are hired and this fact gives the white preference. The result will be that the majority of colored men will be without work and with an extraordinary number, the condition will be far from pleasant.

THE LUMBER CO. HOLD-BACK CASE

JUDGE WATTS SUSTAINS THE DECISION OF JUDGE WICK FOR PLAINTIFF

Judge Watts of the district court yesterday affirmed the decision of Justice Wick, in the case of Folik vs. the Grand Forks Lumber Co. This is one of the hold back cases. The plaintiff claimed 30 cents a day in addition to the wages paid him by the company until his term of service had been completed. The defendant claimed that the extra amount was to be in the nature of a bonus in addition to his wages provided he remained with the company to the end of the season. The decision is one of much interest to the laboring men of the city.

ACCUSED BY LITTLE GIRLS

EBNER BROWN, PIANO TUNER, IS ARRESTED AT GRAND FORKS

Accused of misconduct with about a dozen little girls, Ebner Brown piano tuner was arrested last night at 10:30 in his room in the Odd Fellows' block, Grand Forks, by Chief Overby and Captain Sullivan of that place. In the room with Brown were Sarah Frazier, aged 13 years, Lucile Frazier aged 11. Brown was locked up at the city hall and the little girls told N. D. State's Attorney Wineman enough about Brown to make it certain that he will face several serious charges when he is arraigned. He was unable to furnish a bond and was locked up. His hearing will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Brown is said to have been run out of Minot for misconduct in that city. The authorities of Grand Forks county are determined he shall be punished this time.

Brown is addicted to the use of liquor and it was his boasts while intoxicated that brought his case to the attention of the police here.

WEDDED MONDAY AT FIVE O'CLOCK

This afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nault on Main street, Miss Inez Lillian Vashti Thompson was united in marriage to Mr. Edward Leo Nixon of Boston. The ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends only, and was a quiet affair. The bride and groom were unattended, little Gladys Bacon acting as ringbearer. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas E. Green. The bride grew to womanhood in this city, but prior to the past year spent several years in New York and Boston. She is the daughter of Mr. Alex Thompson and a sister of Mrs. Nault of this city. Mr. Nixon has just returned from a trip to his home at Boston, remaining a short time in Minneapolis. He spent the early part of the winter here, and with his bride has a host of friends who will wish them every happiness. For the present they will remain here.

JUDGE WATTS IS UPHELD

SUPREME COURT HANDS DOWN DECISION IN FAMOUS BUSE-BANK CASE

FROM RED LAKE COUNTY WHICH HAS BEEN IN LITIGATION FOR YEARS

From Monday's Daily—

The supreme court of Minnesota has handed down a decision in the famous suit of Ernest Buse vs. the First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the First National Bank of Red Lake Falls and J. I. Wyer, the First State Bank having appealed from the decision of Judge Watts.

Buse sued to recover for usury, for the value of 800 cords of wood and for collateral notes, in all over $10,000. Judge Watts held that the plaintiff was entitled to recover for usury, something less than $2,000, but held against the other two alleged claims which amounted to about $8500. It appears that the First National Bank, which was succeeded by the First State Bank, had charged as high as 20 per cent interest, and Judge Watts cut that down to the legal rate, and gave plaintiff judgment for the balance. Following is the decision of the supreme court:

Supreme Court Decision

Ernest Buse, respondent, vs. First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, appellant.

Syllabus: First—A bank which purchases a note from another bank paying therefor the face value, with knowledge of the fact that payments have been made and not credited on the note, can collect from the maker of the note only the amount actually due thereon.

Second—A, being indebted to a bank, deposited as collateral security certain notes and other property. Various renewals of the notes were made. The bank ceased to do business and sold and transferred the notes, with other property, to another bank which was organized for the purpose of continuing the business. The officers of the first bank became the officers of the second bank. Before the transfer the first bank collected certain money upon the collateral notes, and, instead of applying it to the payment of the debt, applied it to the payment of interest thereon at the rate of 20 per cent per annum. After the second bank acquired the notes it realized upon the balance of the collateral. The second bank paid for the notes the full face value thereof, but its officers knew at the time that the money collected upon the collateral had been misapplied to the payment of illegal interest, instead of being properly applied to reduce the notes. Held that it could retain thereon only an amount necessary to pay what was actually due on the notes at the time they were purchased from the first bank.

Affirmed. —Elliott, J.

FERDINAND SAMPSON SUDDENLY CALLED

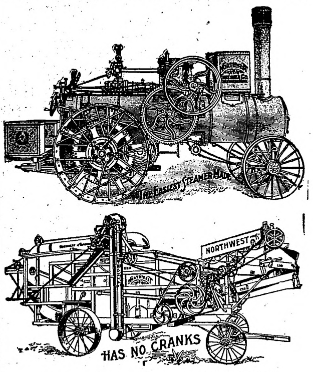
DEATH CAME SUNDAY MORNING FOLLOWING OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

Sunday morning at 1:20 at Bethesda Hospital, Ferdinand Sampson breathed his last following an operation for appendicitis which was performed last Friday night. The death will come as a great surprise as deceased had not been ill but a few days. Last Wednesday he was helping thresh on the N. C. Hanson farm and Thursday he complained of a pain in his side occasionally. On Friday the pain continued however, and after an examination it was found an operation was necessary at once. The young man was still strong, however, and walked up three flights of stairs at the hospital and submitted to the operation that night. Deceased would have been 20 years old on the 24th of August, and was the fourth son of Hon. B. Sampson, having been born on the old Sampson homestead August 24th 1889. He had never been sick until last spring when he had a run of small pox while at Duluth and was detained in the pest house there for three weeks. He was a bright young man, and held in high esteem by all who knew him.

Little Son Died

Sunday morning at 7 o'clock the seven months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Sampson died at the family residence, death being due to summer complaint. The funeral will be held from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. Sampson at 2 p. m. Wednesday, at the same time as the funeral over the remains of the uncle of the deceased.

NORTHWEST SEPARATOR & ENGINE



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"I AM NO GOOD ANYWAY, GET A BRICK & FINISH ME"

WM. McKINNEY HAD BOTH LEGS BROKEN AND ONE SEVERED BELOW THE KNEE SUNDAY MORNING ON SIDE TRACK BEHIND WHOLESALE GROCERY HOUSE — INJURED MAN DIED TWO HOURS LATER FROM SHOCK AND LOSS OF BLOOD — HAS A BROTHER IN CALIFORNIA AND FRIEND IN OTTER TAIL COUNTY—HAD DOLLAR LEFT IN POCKET—DID NOT APPEAR TO BE INTOXICATED

From Monday's Daily—

Shortly after midnight Saturday night Wm. McKinney was found lying beside the Great Northern side track which runs at the rear of the Finch-Winslow-Carlisle wholesale grocery with one leg cut off and the bones in both legs terribly crushed. He was taken to St. Vincents hospital where he died two hours later.

His moans had been heard by some carnival attaches and Will Emmerich had his attention called to it. He at once aroused Night Baggageman Brosseau in the G. N. restaurant and the police summoned a hack and physicians.

McKinney had wonderful nerve, and when help arrived he said:

> "Let me alone. Somebody get a brick and finish me. I'm no good now anyway and I'll die game."

McKinney refused to tell his name or where his relatives were until the hospital was reached and he was told that he must die. Then he gave his name and said he had a brother, Alphonse in California, and a close friends, J. B. Hump, of Deer Creek, Otter Tail county. The latter was notified but no answer has yet been received. Meanwhile McKinney's remains are being held at Chesterman's undertaking parlors.

He was about 45 years of age and had evidently seen much of the world. Whether he laid down on the track and went to sleep, or fell there intoxicated, and was knocked down, is not known. He had a dollar left when found, and the physicians did not smell whiskey on him.

The night yard crew did not know they had killed a man till notified later. McKinney had been seen by the police around here for several days.

HAMMOND TO LEAD PARTY

SECOND DISTRICT CONGRESSMAN SAID TO HAVE BEEN SELECTED

TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR ON THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

At a secret conference of democratic leaders yesterday afternoon in St. Paul it is said that Congressman W. S. Hammond of St. James was put forward as the most likely nominee for the governorship.

The situation was thoroly canvassed and the second district man was, it is asserted practically decided upon as the party standard bearer.

When a woman cooks up something particularly nice for her husband, all she gets for it is that he is late and that it is spoiled by overcooking.

GET DROP ON HIM.

Officers Capture Man Wanted in Wyoming on Horse Stealing Charge.

Belle Fourche, S. D., Aug. 11.—Trapped while at supper before his campfire near Vale, where he was herding sheep, Bert Star, alleged horse thief and desperado, surrendered when he found the officers had the drop on him. Star is wanted for alleged horse stealing near Newcastle, Wyo.

He was taken by Sheriff Moses of Butte county to Wyoming.

INCREASED RIVER TRAFFIC

FIVE STEAMERS CARRYING FARMERS' PRODUCE TO THE MARKETS

SETTLERS AND TRADERS HAVE FORMED A STOCK COMPANY FOR LARGER BOAT

Thief River Falls, Minn., Aug. 12.—Despite the fact that there are already five boats plying on the waters of the Red Lake river and Red lake, still another is about to be constructed. Settlers and traders in the neighborhood of the northern part of the lake have formed a stock company to secure the building of a large steamboat for the purpose of caring for the transportation of supplies and farm and woods products from that quarter to this city.

Gen. Booth Has Cataracts.

London, Aug. 11.—An officer of the Salvation Army confirms the report that has been current for some time that Gen. Booth is suffering from cataracts on both eyes. "The general has not yet taken to wearing glasses," said the officer yesterday, "but he cannot read anything but large type and he has to hold that close to his eyes."

No one is immune from kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Remedy will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by all druggists.

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BIG PROFIT IN GOOD HO

MRS. N. F. WOODSTROM NETS $122 FROM TWO THOROBRED SOWS

JOHN SYLVESTERSON HAS FINE LOT WHICH GAIN 1 1-4 LBS. NET PER DAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

For some time past the butchers of Crookston have been making an organized effort to induce the farmers in this section to improve their breed of hogs and wellbred hogs not only thrive better on lose food, but make much finer pork. In this they have been partially successful and some excellent examples of the big returns from thorobreds have resulted. Last winter Nels Anderson purchased two breeders at the Scrivseth auction sale and sold them to Mrs. N. F. Woodstrom who is engaged in the hog raising business quite extensively but who had mostly scrubs. The sows were thorobred Poland Chinas. Their litters came in April and Mrs. Woodstrom just sold 11 of the pigs from the two sows for $60.00 even and sold the two sows for $47 making a total of $107 which upon deducting $35 which she paid for the sows leaves her $72 clear profit on two sows in six months and in addition she has 5 of the thorobred pigs left which are worth at least $50 at the present time making her real profit $122. This is an illustration of how profitable hogs are when the thorobreds are raised instead of scrubs.

John Sylvesterson who resides on the old Emil Himmelsbach farm has an elegant lot of hogs also. He has about 60 this year and will wager $50 that his spring pigs when butchered a little later on will have gained 1 1-4 pounds per day, dressed at eight months old. Mrs. Woodstrom sold her pigs at an average of 2 months old.

People who have seen Mr. Sylvesterson's hogs state that they outclass anything in the Berkshire line that was exhibited at the Grand Forks fair, and if this is true they are certainly beauties.

This is an example of the difference in the profit between scrub and thorobred hogs.

Mr. Sylvesterson has a fine lot of spring pigs 90 days old which weigh on an average of 135 pounds, which means a gain of 1 1-2 pounds per day —a cracking good record.

BLACKSMITH HAS IDEAS

PROGRESSIVE BLACKSMITH HAS ARRANGED A UNIQUE LABOR SAVING DEVICE

USES ELECTRIC FAN WITH HOME MADE APPARATUS INSTEAD OF BELLOWS

In all small blacksmith shops it is the custom to use the ordinary bellows to supply a draft at the forge. This, of course, requires that the blacksmith work, or pump, the bellows while heating the iron. Mr. Carl Tonsager of Moorhead believed that this is out of date and he proceeded to rig up a device which not only saves him and his men labor, but also saves time. He purchased a one-sixth horse power motor and fan, and by a simple arrangement of pipes ran the draft under his two forges. A turn of a lever turns on the fan, and another lever, home made, opens the valve in the pipe leading to his forge. The expense of the electricity is small and the time formerly used in pumping the bellows is saved for other work.

SUBSTANTIAL DONATIONS

The State Fair Exhibit Committee has received donations of $75 in cash each from East Grand Forks and Fosston. This is in addition to the efforts the business men of both places have made to secure some splendid exhibits which have also been forwarded from their respective portions of Polk County.

Now it is up to some 33rd degree knocker to criticise J. H. Stair for securing such substantial contributions in cash and enlisting the hearty cooperation from all part of the county to assist in making the Polk County exhibit a splendid success.

CO. BOARD ADJOURNED

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 278 ANIZED IN FAIRFAX AND RUSSIA

NO ACTION TAKEN IN VINELAND TOWNSHIP DIVISION PETITION

From Thursday's Daily—

The county board completed their labors for this session last night and adjourned considerable business of importance was transacted during the two days. The petition of Fred Baatz and others to have sections 34, 35, 36 in Fairfax and sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, and part of 10 in Russia set apart for a new school district was granted, the district will be No. 278.

The auditor was ordered to advertise for 150 cords of dry white poplar wood delivered at the court house.

The town of Chester was given $150 from the Road and Bridge fund.

Commissioner Clements was authorized to investigate the repairs necessary on ditch number 15.

The auditor was ordered to draw a warrant in favor of the state for $5,000 which is the county's share towards the payment for improving the channel of the Grand Marais, the state paying a like amount.

No action was taken on the Vineland division petition. No evidence was shown that the petitioners contained two thirds of the legal voters of the township.

The petition of C. A. Kjos and others for a road in the towns of Hill River and Chester was referred to Commissioner Ecklund, Driscoll and Thoreson who will go over the ground and report at next meeting.

G. Fredrickson was appropriated $20 for a bridge built by him over ditch number 19.

A petition was presented to enlarge the channel outlet on the south end of the Grand Marais was acted on and the state will be asked to provide for part of the expense.

Besides the above the commissioners did a lot of routine business.

STEAMERS HAUL THE NEW GRAIN

STEAMER GRAND FORKS MAKES ITS FIRST TRIP TODAY FOR 1908 CROP

The steamer Grand Forks of the Red River Transportation company, will make its first trip today for the purpose of bringing new grain to Grand Forks. The steamer went south, where the various barges were distributed at the stations. New wheat will be hauled to the terminal elevator at Grand Forks within a few days.

Three of the store houses of the company are at present filled with new barley, being the Bygland, Anderson and Bentru elevators. The barley will be brought in as rapidly as possible.

The season for new grain is fully a month earlier this year than last and a very good shipping season is anticipated.

FORMER MC'INTOSH PASTOR BEREAVED

Mrs. H. R. Harris wife of the pastor of the Congregational church at Biwabik died Sunday night after an extended illness. The cause was pleurisy. Altho she had been ill for some time her death was sudden and unexpected.

Rev. Harris for a number of years administered to the spiritual welfare of congregations at McIntosh, Erskine and other east county towns. They were well known and had many friends in Crookston.

Besides her husband Mrs. Harris is survived by two small children, her mother, Mrs. A. M. Blanchard, Faribault; three sisters, Mrs. R. C. Pelter Faribault; Mrs. R. W. Teichmann and Mrs. Edward Sautedin, Aberdeen, S. D., and two brothers, Dr. H. G. Blanchard, Waseca, Minn., and John B. Blanchard, Wahpeton, N. D.

The body was forwarded to Faribault for interment.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

MURDEROUS THUGS COWED BY MILITIA

MANY RIOT CALLS SENT IN AND SOLDIERS ARE WORKED TO DEATH BUT NO DAMAGE DONE—WHAT WILL HAPPEN WHEN TROOPS GO IS QUESTION AGITATING SPRINGFIELD PEOPLE

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 19—Today's session of the grand jury was devoted to hearing the witnesses in the case of the assault of Mrs. Mabel Hallam. George Richardson the negro whom Mrs. Hallam identified as her assailant, altho not positively, was indicted. Mrs. Hallam, the members of her family including Mr. Hallam and the police who responded to the call for help after the crime, were the witnesses. Richardson protests his innocence. The grand jury will meet again tomorrow morning to begin its investigation into the riots.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 19.—Following the addition of two victims to the death list, sporadic outbursts of lawlessness in various parts of the city and increased symptoms generally that the mob spirit rule still rules Springfield, Gov. Deneen last night issued proclamations offering rewards aggregating $1,200 for the arrest and conviction of the murderers of the riot victims. The death list up to the present time numbers seven. Another death is expected momentarily. W. H. Rowe, one of the most popular citizens of Springfield, is slowly sinking from the effects of the bullet wounds and the beating which he received from a crowd of negroes Friday night.

Threaten Vengeance.

Rowe's friends have warned the authorities that "Billy" will be avenged and the event of his death will cause a redoubling of vigilance by the troops' commanders.

"Wait until the troops go," is the word that has been passed around town, and recognizing the strength of the undercurrent, the state, city and county officials are taxing every effort to turn public opinion toward law and order.

Evidence is not lacking that many citizens who were known to have important testimony regarding the mob and its leaders have been deterred from offering this to the state's attorney because of threats of violence made against them anonymously.

Police Gather Evidence.

The gathering of evidence began in earnest yesterday. Policemen in plain clothes were sent to search the houses of prisoners and suspects, and as a result the police station looked like a general store last night. Naturally, many arrests followed.

Five of the arrests made yesterday are considered as important by the police. It was in the homes of these men that most of the loot was found. A sixth person is being sought by the police, who aver that when he is arrested practically all of the ringleaders of the mob will be in custody.

Suspects Are Fleeing.

"We have the thugs on the run," said Evan Jones, chief of detectives here, and he added that many suspects are leaving town to avoid arrest.

What will happen when the national guardsmen leave? This is the question of paramount importance in the minds of local citizens. It is generally agreed that so long as Gov. Deneen wields the mailed fist trouble of a serious nature is not probable. It is practically certain that the military will remain here until the special grand jury summoned yesterday has completed its report.

Town Thoroughly Policed.

The force on hand will not be added to, however, the 4,200 soldiers now encamped in the public squares and streets being sufficient to cover the city so thoroughly that there is slight chance for a mob to storm any point.

The exodus of the negroes from Springfield seems to be permanent. A visit to the former "black town" yesterday brought out the fact that the homes so quickly deserted Saturday are still vacant and promise to remain so.

Fired on From Ambush.

Two privates of Company D, Fifth Infantry, of Bloomington, Earl Ashley and Guy Duncan, were fired upon at 11:45 o'clock last night from ambush. They were not hit. Two troops of the First cavalry were ordered to the place to make arrests if possible. Shots were heard from other points in the vicinity. Five men were arrested at Eighth and Ash streets.

GRAND FORKS MYSTERY SOLVED IN CROOKSTON

MRS. MABEL HURD WHO DISAPPEARED FROM GRAND FORKS LAST THURSDAY LOCATED IN CROOKSTON BY CHIEF ECK—WOMAN REFUSED TO RETURN HOME WITH HUSBAND, BUT HE FINALLY SECURED POSSESSION OF THE 14 MONTHS OLD CHILD—WOMAN IS VERY YOUNG AND HAS A PRETTY FACE

From Monday's Daily—

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mrs. Mabel Hurd, wife of H. B. Hurd of Grand Forks who left her home at Grand Forks last Thursday with her 14 months old baby causing a great sensation was solved when she was located in this city Saturday by Chief Eck. Her husband arrived Saturday evening in search of her and Chief Eck directed him to the missing woman and her child at the home of Mrs. Zeb Lusian.

The woman with her child arrived here Thursday and the first night was spent at the Columbia hotel after which she applied to Mrs. Lusian stating that she was out of funds and wanted a place to sleep for a few days till she got work. She was also accompanied by a young girl 13 years of age who secured a position in the Golden Grain Cracker factory, and the two figured they could eat on $3 a week if they had a place to sleep.

Mr. Hurd is heart broken. The young woman was located Saturday night but as the Lusian house was dark Chief Eck advised Hurd not to arouse them.

Sunday morning he called and his wife, who is a handsome young woman not more than 20 or 22 years of age gave him an audience. He pleaded with her to return but she was obdurate. Finally in despair he asked her for the child, but she said she would drown both herself and the child before she would allow the little one to be taken back if Hurd's mother was to be given the custody of it. She finally agreed to allow him to take the baby on his promise to give it into the keeping of his aunt at Grand Forks and he departed Sunday evening with the little babe for his home.

Hurd claims there is a man in the case named Douglas and some color is given to his story from the fact that Mrs. Hurd asked Chief Eck to locate a man named Douglas who had been here a short time ago. The woman will be closely watched and Hurd's course will be determined by the manner in which she conducts herself. He states there are apt to be some sensational developments in the very near future.

The woman fails to make any very substantial accusations against her husband. She says he does not drink or use tobacco, but that he stays out occasionally till an unholy hour playing pool.

Hurd is a plasterer at Grand Forks and Douglas was also there in the same line of business. Hurd says that recently he left for work and was expecting to be gone all day, but running out of material he returned home and found Douglas there with his wife and did not relish the condition of affairs.

Douglas evidently did not think the climate of Grand Forks healthful and suddenly disappeared. Mrs. Hurd thought he came to Crookston, and Hurd does not know where he went.

Mrs. Hurd told Mrs. Lusian that the 13 year old girl was her sister, but the girl later stated there was no truth in this statement. She is not related to Mrs. Hurd, but has been living with her for some time past, and Mrs. Hurd was talking of adopting her.

FINE PROGRESS BEING MADE

MANY FARMERS TAKING A MOST COMMENDABLE INTEREST IN FAIR EXHIBIT

NELS C. HANSON HAS BROUGHT IN MAGNIFICENT GRAINS AND GRASSES

From Tuesday's Daily—

The collection of the Polk County exhibit for the Minnesota State Fair is progressing very nicely, and already the showing made has exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine—and the busy workers have yet a great deal to do in getting the exhibits sent in and collected in the best possible shape.

The farmers are taking great interest in the exhibit, and many of them are taking great pains and going to a great deal of trouble voluntarily in aiding the committee in every way. One of the most enthusiastic farmers in this respect is Mr. Nels C. Hanson who farms 300 acres on Section 34 in the Town of Lowell, the old Demarais farm. He has brought it up to a high state of cultivation.

The collection of the Polk County exhibit to the state fair demonstrates that there are some of the most magnificent crops grown this year that Polk county ever produced and Mr. Hanson has brought in several loads of exhibits.

His barley exhibit, selected from his best field, but at random, averages 800 kernels from each grain sown. It is six rowed white barley and as fine as ever raised in this section. He has exhibits in the sheaf and threshed.

He has rye that also averages 800 kernels to each one sown and of very high grade.

He raised a crop of Minnesota No. 6 oats, originated at the St. Anthony Park school that was never surpassed and yielded very heavily and has brought in a very fine exhibit of it.

His Siberia Millet is immense, the heads averaging from 7 to 10 inches in length and has a fine sample for the fair exhibit.

A FOSSTON MAN GETS FIRST PRIZE

FOSSTON BUTTERMAKER GETS FIRST PRIZE IN STATE MONTHLY CONTEST

The official report of the state creamery butter contest for the month of August places the name of our Fosston creamery buttermaker, H. A. Lidenberg, at the first, he having tied for first with the Freemont buttermaker in the hand separator class, both scoring 95 points on their exhibit

In this state-wide monthly contest, all the leading professional buttermakers take part, and to secure the highest score made is a credit envied by every other creamery man in the state, much sought after but seldom realized.

COMMITTED TO HOSPITAL

Wm. Ball, a former employe at the planing mill of the Crookston Lumber Co., who has been despondent of late and required watching constantly was taken before Judge Morken late yesterday afternoon and committed to the hospital at Fergus Falls, Deputy Sheriff Daniels taking him down last evening. It is understood that illness for the past few months finally affected his mind.

His case is so mild it is expected a complete cure will be effected in a few months.

Deputy Daniels returned this morning and proceeded to East Grand Forks where he secured Gust Swenson who will also be taken to Fergus Falls this evening. He has been there before, but was released on parole and was finally discharged, but is now suffering from another bad spell. He has considerable property in East Grand Forks.

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

GILBERTSON HEAVY LOSER

BAD FIRE AT DEVILS LAKE BURNED OUT FORMER CROOKSTON MEN

BODY OF SLAIN GIRL, BABE WRIGHT SAVED FROM THE FLAMES

From Wednesday's Daily—

A fire at Devils Lake early Monday morning completely destroyed the Windsor hotel, the occupants barely saving their lives.

The fire originated in the lunch counter section of the building.

The building was a frame structure and burned rapidly. The loss is estimated at $5,000 insurance $3,000.

E. W. Gilbertson formerly a resident of this city, during which time he had the agency of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., was occupying the building adjoining the hotel with a furniture store and undertaking rooms was also burned out.

His loss will amount to $2,300, insurance $1,000. He was able to save a few coffins. The body of Beulah Wright, the girl who was either murdered or died from poison administered by her own hands at Derrick last week, was in the undertaking rooms when the fire broke out, but was removed before the flames reached it.

The hotel was operated by Peterson Bros., and they carried no insurance. The fixtures belonged to Ray Young formerly proprietor of the Grill in this city. He estimates his loss at $1,500 insurance $850.

Mr. Young was out of the city when the fire occurred and it was not until he returned from Grand Forks that he learned that he had been burned out.

Boat Run Down; Three Drown.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 18. — Three persons were drowned in the Niagara river yesterday when a motor boat was run down by a pleasure barge.

Arm Crushed Coupling Cars.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 18.—A Soo line brakeman while coupling cars, had an accident and lost his right arm and two fingers on his left hand.

Buffalo Block Burns.

Buffalo, Minn., Aug. 18.—The Dedrick block of this place was totally destroyed by fire which started from some unknown cause.

UNIDENTIFIED BODY FOUND

NAKED BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN FOUND IN THE RED RIVER

HAD BEEN IN THE RIVER SEVERAL DAYS—WAS BADLY DECOMPOSED

From Tuesday's Daily—

The naked body of a man about 30 years old, five feet six inches in height, with gray eyes was found Sunday lodged in a clump of bushes in the Red River about 12 miles north of Grand Forks by the crew of the steamer Grand Forks.

The body was brought to Norman's undertaking rooms at Grand Forks where the coroner held an inquest. There was nothing to identify it and the coroner decided it was a case of accidental drowning. He had not been shaved for a couple of days before death. His hands indicated that he was a laborer.

It is believed that the man went in bathing and got beyond his depth. His identity will probably be established if his clothing is found.

The remains were buried in Grand Forks potters field last night.

BEREMAN HOTEL BURNS AT HOUPT

The Bereman Hotel at Houpt, Beltrami County burned to the ground Sunday morning.

No one was injured and the guests escaped, but were unable to save any of their property. The hotel was valued at $5,000 and was covered by $2,500 insurance.

Binder Runs Over Farmer.

Devils Lake, N. D., Aug. 19.—Thorwald Strand, a farmer living near Warwick, was knocked down by horses and a binder pulled over him. His right hand was cut off, head badly cut, back and shoulders severely injured and abdomen punctured. He is in the hospital here and may die.

POLK CO. DEMOCRATS HOLD HARMONY MEETING

COUNTY CONVENTION HELD IN THE COURT HOUSE TODAY — F. R. HAMEL ELECTED CHAIRMAN AND PROF. O'BRIEN SECRETARY WITHOUT OPPOSITION—COMMITTEES NAMED THIS MORNING AND THIS AFTERNOON 15 DELEGATES WERE ELECTED TO THE STATE CONVENTION—DELEGATES ADVOCATE THE PLACING IN THE FIELD OF A FULL COUNTY AND LEGISLATIVE TICKET

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

Delegates	Alternates
Martin O'Brien, Crookston.	A. C. Schmidt, Crookston.
A. J. Kirk, Crookston.	W. E. Rowe, Crookston.
W. E. Black, Crookston.	Thomas R. Johnstone, Crookston.
P. C. Keeley, Crookston.	J. E. Morrisey, Crookston.
Alex Thompson, Crookston.	Charles Westenberg, Crookston.
J. E. Carpenter, Crookston.	N. B. Moran, Crookston.
M. E. Ranklev, Fosston.	John Vig, Fosston.
Victor Wadecamper, Mentor.	W. W. Brown, McIntosh.
Hugh Dunlevy, E. G. Forks.	H. P. Gies, E. G. Forks.
Steve Burke, E. G. Forks.	Wm. Murray, E. G. Forks
John O'Leary, E. G. Forks.	John Martin, E. G. Forks.
Hugh Quigley, E. G. Forks.	Hans Ellingson, E. G. Forks.
W. Lemen, Angus.	B. J. O'Brien, Angus.
Hans Samuelson, Climax.	Jno. Dahl, Climax.
Gust Nordus, Fosston.	J. Fogelberg, Fosston.

From Friday's Daily—

The Polk County convention of the Democratic party for the election of 15 delegates to the Democratic State Convention which will be held in St. Paul tomorrow to nominate a state ticket was held today at the court house and was a harmonious gathering from beginning to end.

The convention was called to order by Remi Fortier, chairman of the county central committee and the call read.

F. R. Hamel of Crookston was elected temporary chairman and Prof. B. J. O'Brien was elected temporary secretary without opposition and the following committees were then named by the chair.

Committees

Credentials—Daniel Hughes, J. E. Morrisey and Neil Norman.

Permanent organization—Wm. Anglim, J. R. McKinnon, Remi Fortier.

Resolutions—J. E. O'Brien, W. E. Black, George Cannon, J. E. Carpenter, C. Nelson.

Selection of Delegates—H. Quigley, A. J. Kirk, Joel Fogelberg, W. Lemon, F. E. LePage, J. E. O'Brien, H. G. Ebbighausen.

Made Permanent

The committee on permanent organization reported in favor of making the temporary organization permanent, and the report was adopted unanimously. Following this and after preliminary discussions the convention adjourned till 3 o'clock this afternoon.

A Full Ticket Favored

Inquiry among the delegates developed the fact that practically all of them were favorable to the nomination of a full county and legislative ticket, and the resolutions included a clause favoring this plan.

A. G. Schmidt was recommended as the member of the state central committee from this county.

Resolutions

The Democratic convention in and for Polk County in session assembled this 14th day of August, 1908, does hereby resolve:

We the representatives of the Democracy of Polk County, in County Convention assembled re-affirm our belief in and pledge our loyalty to the principles of the party.

We rejoice in the increased signs that party lines are to a great extent obliterated thruout the country, and that the masses will be guided by the principles laid down in the platforms of the respective parties.

We have no doubt that when the Judgment of the American people is given the admirable platform of principles, adopted by the National Democratic convention at Denver will have scored a splendid triumph.

We unqualifiedly endorse and approve each and every principle as declared in said platform.

For the past twelve years the matchless advocator and greatest living champion of these principles has done more to bring about the reforms that have been partly accomplished, or attempted by either party than any other living man.

To this constructive statesman we believe should be given the place in the affairs of the nation that will enable him to direct the enactment of laws so necessary for the well being of our country.

We heartily endorse the nomination of the Hon. W. J. Bryan for President and the Hon. John W. Kern for Vice President, and pledge them the support of the united democracy of Polk county.

Be it further resolved that in the administration of the office of Governor of this state the Hon. John A. Johnson has discharged the duties of that office in manner that reflects honor to himself and credit to our party.

He has given Minnesota a prominence among the states of the Union that we heretofore failed to attain.

He has taught the people of this state that an ideal administration of its affairs can best be accomplished by the election of men to office who represent democratic ideas.

His advocacy of reforms in this state and the accomplishment of many of them has made him a national figure where he will exert an influence that will be limited only by the extent of our great country.

Be it further resolved that the interests of the party in this county would be best served by the nomination of a complete county ticket.

Respectfully submitted,

—J. E. O'Brien,
—W. E. Black,
—J. E. Carpenter.
—Geo. J. Cannon.
—Claude Neilson.
Committee on Resolutions.

The Delegates

The following delegates from out of town registered this morning:

Angus—W. Lemen, B. J. O'Brien.

Vil. of Climax—Hans Samuelson.

East Grand Forks

First Ward—John O'Leary.

Second Ward—P. J. Kelly and Geo. Chambers.

Third Ward—Neil Kelliher and Frank Tessier.

Fourth Ward—Hugh Quigley, Hans Ellingson, Ed Gates, W. J. Buckley, P. J. Sullivan, W. S. Murray and William Powers.

Village of Fosston — John Vig, Claude Neilson, J. Fogelberg, Gust Norgus, Peter Hoffman.

Mentor—Victor Wadecamper, F. E. LePage.

Rosebud—A. Ingebo, Carl Hagen.

Crookston.

First Ward—
Chas. Westerberg.
Jno. R. McKinnon.
Wm. Anglim
Remi Marrotte.
Alex Thompson.
Sam Rosenthal.
Second Ward—
G. W. Darkow.
Chas. Jefferson.
W. P. Murphy.
W. J. Heldrick.
Wm. Emmerich
F. A. Walker.
W. F. Jones.
W. H. Jewell.
J. E. Carpenter.
Third Ward—
W. E. Rowe.
A. J. McKinnon.
Geo. Cannon.
Thos. R. Johnstone.
N. B. Moran.
E. J. Newhall.
Fourth Ward—
F. R. Hamel.
A. C. Schmidt.
J. R. Rassmusson.
Remi Fortier.
L. E. Gossman.
Carl Nelson.
Sixth Ward—
John Matheson.
J. E. O'Brien.
Archie McKinnon.
W. E. Black.
Seventh Ward—
J. E. Morrisey.
H. G. Ebbighausen.
Tom Wallace.
Dan Hughes.
Richard Gadde
C. L. Skoug.
Eighth Ward—
A. J. Kirk,
W. E. Handy.
A. Lytle
A. J. Sauve
P. C. Keeley

BRYAN'S SYNOPSIS OF DEMOCRATIC ISSUES

A SHORT REVIEW OF THE DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM AS INTERPRETED BY DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE IN HIS SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE AT LINCOLN.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 14.—Under the burning rays of an almost tropical sun and in the presence of a vast assemblage which cheered him to the echo, William Jennings Bryan yesterday received from Henry D. Clayton of Alabama formal notification of his nomination for the presidency of the United States.

Thrice honored by the Democratic party as its standard bearer, Mr. Bryand plainly exhibited the pleaseure it gave him once gain to proclaim the principles for which he stood.

Policies Grow in Popularity.

His nomination for a third time, he declared in his speech of acceptance, could only be explained by a substantial and undisputed growth in the popularity of the principles and policies for which he, with a multitude of others, had contended.

"As these principles and policies," he said, "have given me whatever political strength I possess, the action of the convention not only renews my faith in them but strengthens my attachment to them."

Non-partisan Ovation.

The ovation accorded to Bryan as he rode through the streets of Lincoln on his way to the state house, where the exercises were held, was non-partisan. It was the homage of the citizens of a western city of the plains toward a distinguished neighbor. Almost the entire Republican administration was represented, Gov. George I. Sheldon and many state officers lending their presence, both in the parade and on the platform. Before coming to Lincoln from Fairview, over four miles distant, Mr. Bryan received over fifteen hundred visitors. To one and all he extended a cordial greeting.

Lincoln in Gala Attire.

His arrival shortly after 12 o'clock at the Hotel Lincoln, where he and John W. Kern, the vice presidential candidate were the guests of honor at a luncheon to the committee on notification, was the signal for an outburst of cheers and applause. He immediately was surrounded by a great crowd and was kept busy for some time shaking hands. Never before had Lincoln streets and buildings presented such a gala appearance; never had such a profusion of banners, streamers, bunting and photographs flashed forth to dazzle the eyes of the myriad visitors.

Mass of Humanity.

The state house grounds were a mass of humanity and Mr. Bryan's appearance on the platform was greeted with vociferous cheers and handclapping. The ceremony of notification was conducted on the north front of the capitol building. The balconies and every window were jammed to overflowing. Not a single incident occurred to mar the proceedings. The police arrangments were excellent. Realizing that the force was not sufficient to cope with the great crowd, the adjutant general of the state, at the request of Mayor Frank Brown, ordered out Capt. Lum's company of the Second Nebraska regiment, and with their assistance perfect order, not only along the line of march but within the capitol grounds, was maintained.

Kern Makes Short Speech.

Before the notification and acceptance speeches were delivered, Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, who acted as presiding officer, called upon John W. Kern, the vice presidential nominee, to make a speech. Mr. Kern responded in a few felicitous remarks, in which he praised unstintedly the nonpartisan character of the exercises.

The speech of Mr. Bryan concluded the ceremonies, and he and Mr. Kern retired to the capitol building, where they held a public reception.

Mr. Bryan's Speech.

In accepting the nomination Mr. Bryan spoke in part as follows:

Our platform declares that the overshadowing issue which manifests itself in all questions now under discussion is, "Shall the people rule?"

No matter which way we turn; no matter to what subject we address ourselves, the same question confronts us: Shall the people control their own government and use that government for the protection of their welfare, or shall the representatives of predatory wealth prey upon a defenseless public, while the offenders secure immunity from subservient officials whom they raise to power by unscrupulous methods?

President's Indictment of Party.

In a message sent to congress last January, President Roosevelt said: "The attacks by these great corporations on the administration's actions have been given a wide circulation throughout the country, in the newspapers and otherwise, by those writers and speakers who, consciously or unconsciously, act as the representatives of predatory wealth — of the wealth accumulated on a giant scale by all forms of iniquity, ranging from the oppression of wage earners to unfair and unwholesome methods of crushing out competition, and to defrauding the public by stock jobbing and the manipulation of securities."

Is the president's indictment true? And, if true, against whom was the indictment directed? Not against the Democratic party.

Mr. Taft Indorses the Indictment.

Mr. Taft says that these evils have crept in during the last ten years. He declares that during this time some "prominent and influential members of the community, spurred by financial success and in their hurry for greater wealth, became unmindful of the common rules of business honesty and fidelity and of the limitations imposed by law upon their actions;" and that "the revelations of the breaches of trusts, the disclosures as to rebates and discriminations by railroads, the accumulating evidence of the violations of the anti-trust laws by a number of corporations, and the overissue of stocks and bonds of interstate railroads for unlawful enrichment of directors and for the purpose of concentrating the control of the railroads under one management"—all these, he charges, "quickened the conscience of the people and brought on a moral awakening."

During all this time, I beg to remind you, Republican officials presided in the executive department, filled the cabinet, dominated the senate, controlled the house of representatives and occupied most of the federal judgeships.

Why No Tariff Reform?

The president's close friends have been promising for several years that he would attack the iniquities of the tariff. We have had intimation that Mr. Taft was restive under the demands of the highly protected industries. And yet the influence of the manufacturers, who have for twenty-five years contributed to the Republican campaign fund and who in return have framed the tariff schedules, has been sufficient to prevent tariff reform.

A few years ago the Republican leaders in the house of representatives were coerced by public opinion into the support of an anti-trust law which had the indorsement of the president, but the senate refused even to consider the measure, and since that time no effort has been made by the dominant party to secure remedial legislation upon the subject.

Why No Railroad Legislation?

For ten years the interstate commerce commission has been asking for an enlargement of its powers that it might prevent rebates and discriminations, but a Republican senate and a Republican house of representatives were unmoved by its entreaties.

Mr. Taft complains of the overissue of stocks and bonds of railroads, "for the unlawful enriching of directors and for the purpose of concentrating the control of the railroads under one management," and the complaint is well founded. But, with a president to point out the evil and a Republican congress to correct it, we find nothing done for the protection of the public. Why?

The Publicity Issue.

An effort has been made to secure legislation requiring publicity as to campaign contributions and expenditures; but the Republican leaders, even in the face of an indignant public, refused to consent to a law which would compel honesty in elections. When the matter was brought up in the recent Republican national convention, the plank was repudiated by a vote of 880 to 94. Here, too, Mr. Taft has been driven to apologize for his convention and to declare himself in favor of a publicity law.

How can the people hope to rule if they are not able to learn until after the election what the predatory interests are doing? The Democratic party meets the issue honestly and courageously. It says:

"We pledge the Democratic party to the enactment of a law prohibiting any corporation from contributing to a campaign fund, and any individual from contributing an amount above a reasonable maximum, and providing for the publication, before election, of all such contributions above a reasonable minimum."

Next to the corrupt use of money, the present method of electing United States senators is most responsible for the obstruction of reforms.

Through a Democratic victory, and through a Democratic victory only, can the people secure the popular election of senators.

House Rules Despotic.

The third instrumentality employed to defeat the will of the people is found in the rules of the house of representatives. Our platform points out that "the house of representatives was designed by the fathers of the Constitution to be the popular branch of our government, responsive to the public will."

Our party demands that the "house of representatives shall again become a deliberative body, controlled by a majority of the people's representatives and not by the speaker," and is pledged to adopt "such rules and regulations to govern the house of representatives as will enable a majority of its members to direct its deliberations and control legislation."

STORVICK WILL WATCH CREAM

WHEN IN CITY HE WILL INSPECT EVERY CAN OF CREAM IN TRANSIT

HE WILL INSIST THAT CREAM SHIPPED IS IN GOOD SHAPE

From Friday's Daily—

Dairy Inspector A. O. Storvick left this morning for Kennedy and other points north, and tomorrow will attend the Kittson County fair at Hallock where he will score the butter exhibits. When departing Mr. Storvick said to a representative of the Journal.

"Farmers must be careful of their cream shipments. This time of year cream must be handled carefully or it is totally unfit for anything whatever, and a menace to the public health.

"It is extremely hard to keep cream in proper condition during the very hot weather, and the farmers would be money in pocket if they hauled or shipped to the nearest creamery when their cream is in danger of spoiling on long shipments.

"Of the nine cans I condemned the first of the week at the G. N. depot in Crookston, all were totally unfit for making butter. The cream was not only confiscated but prosecutions may follow. I will certainly have shippers arrested and fined on a second offense, and may yet prosecute in one or two aggravated cases in the shipments which were condemned here.

"The laws governing the shipments of cream were made to be enforced, and not simply to decorate the statute book. They were made to protect the health of the public, and I shall do all in my power to see that they are enforced.

"When I am in Crookston I shall inspect every can I see in my travels."

CLEARWATER COUNTY FAIR

OFFICIALS APPOINTED FOR FAIR HELD AT BAGLEY ON OCT. 1, 2 AND 3

GREAT PREPARATIONS BEING MADE TO MAKE IT A HUMMER

From Friday's Daily—

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Clearwater County Fair association at Bagley the following officers were elected:

President, L. Jensen.

Vice Presidents, George French, August Westerland and Martin Heinzelman.

Secretaries, Oscar Barness and Henry Huseby.

Treasurer, Arne J. Higdem.

General Superintendent, C. A. Covey.

Superintendents of live stock, Gilbert Olson, Ole Erickson and R. E. Devereaux.

Superintendents of grain and vegetables, O. T. Davids and Julius Sundet.

Superintendents of household goods and fancy work, Mesdames C. A. Covey, Oscar Barness and H. E. Deimer

Superintendents of grounds and buildings, H. C. Pederson, J. W. Torkelson, Torkel Tweite.

Committee on speakers and music, A. Kaiser and E. H. Reff.

The dates of the fair which will be held at Bagley, Minn., have been set for October 1, 2 and 3.

DR. STUHR WON AUROMOBLE RACE

FAST TIME MADE BY AMATEUR AUTOISTS AT MARSHALL CO. FAIR

Dr. H. C. Stuhr of Argyle won the automobile race from N. S. Hegnes of of the same place at the Warren fair on Wednesday. The last mile of the race was turned in 1:57 which is considered very fast for a half mile track The finish was very close, there not being over two yards between them.

Commits Suicide.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—Edward C. Newman, a manufacturer of Delphi, Ind., committed suicide here last night by leaping from the second story of a hospital where he had been undergoing treatment for a nervous disorder.

Alleged "Pig" Raided.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 13. — Billy Coleman, Guy Bolton and Clyde Townsend were arrested at Coleman's house last night on a charge of "blind pigging." A large quantity of beer and whisky was seized.

FOUND CUTICURA INDISPENSABLE

For Her Children—Little Girls Suffered with Itching Eczema Which Simply Covered Back of Heads—Baby Had a Tender Skin, Too.

ALL PROMPTLY CURED BY "WONDERFUL OINTMENT"

"Some years ago my three little girls had a very bad form of eczema. Itching eruptions formed on the backs of their heads which were simply covered. Before I heard of Cuticura, I used to try almost everything, but they failed. Then my mother recommended the Cuticura Remedies. I washed my children's heads with Cuticura Soap and then applied the wonderful ointment, Cuticura. I did this four or five times and I can say that they have been entirely cured. I have another baby who is so plump that the folds of skin on his neck were broken and even bled. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and the next morning the trouble had disappeared. I am using the Cuticura Remedies yet whenever any of my family have any sores. I can never recommend Cuticura sufficiently; it is indispensable in every home. I cannot find its equal. Mme. Napoleon Duceppe, 41 Duluth St., Montreal, Que., May 21, 1907."

PAINFUL ULCER

On Foot for a Year. Healed by Two Sets of Cuticura

"I had an ulcer on my foot for a year or more and it was very painful as it was a running sore. I had a doctor, but his treatment did not heal it. About eight months ago I commenced to use Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills. I used two sets and it is now all healed up. Mrs. E. F. Ryder, West Brewster, Mass., April 29, 1907."

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

LARGE INCREASE IN CIRCULATION

BAGLEY NATIONAL BANK GETS $18,750 IN NEW MONEY FROM WASHINGTON

The First National Bank of Bagley has just increased its circulation from $6,250 to $25,000. On Thursday the new currency arrived and it kept both bank officials, Kaiser and Huseby, busy most of the morning signing up the $18,750 in ten and twenty dollar bills, and in the afternoon Mr. Kaiser brought them up to Crookston to have President Stephens add his signature which makes them ready for use.

FIGHT FOR 26 CENT ESTATE.

Two Sons and Married Daughter of Intestate Appeal to Court.

New York, Aug. 13. — What is believed to have been the smallest estate over which there ever has been a contest is said to be that left by Daniel Siegenthaler of College Point, who committed suicide in the woods there last October, worth 24 cents, a knife, a purse and a bag of tobacco. Two sons and a married daughter now claim the estate.

John Robinson, public administrator, as required by law, sold the knife, purse and tobacco for 2 cents, which, added to the 24 cents found in the dead man's pockets, brought the estate up to 26 cents.

Jumps From Train.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 13.—Thomas Robinson, one of the best-known barristers in Canada, counsel for the Winnipeg Grain exchange, jumped off a train on his way from here to Montreal, en route to England, dying beside the track. He was afflicted with brain fever, and jumped in a delirium.

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DAKOTANS POACHING

ALLEGED THAT THEY ARE KILLING CHICKENS ON THE MINNESOTA SIDE

PROMPT STEPS ARE TO BE TAKEN FOR THEIR ARREST AND CONVICTION

From Thursday's Daily—

Complaints have been received from several sources during the past two or three days to the effect that hunters from North Dakota have been shooting chickens on the Minnesota side of the river for the past week and killing young chickens promiscuously for the purpose of getting their dogs in fine trim when the hunting season opens in North Dakota.

It is alleged that most of the illegal shooting has been done close to the river in western Polk and the poachers could get on Dakota territory if they were spotted in short order.

Steps will at once be taken to investigate each and every charge and it is safe to say that there will be some arrests and vigorous prosecutions if the allegations made prove to have been correct.

In years gone by this practice has been indulged in, and the men who have indulged in it are certainly a cheap and unfair lot of sports. The better class of sportsmen of Grand Forks would not countenance anything of the kind, and can be depended upon to assist the Polk county Sportsmen's Association as well as the deputy game wardens in the arrest and presecution of any hunter who is so eminently unfair as to shoot chickens or any other game during the closed season.

FOLKETS BLAD CONSOLIDATION

ADA SCANDINAVIAN PAPER IS CONSOLIDATED WITH FRAM AT FARGO

The Folkets Blad, which has been published by C. T. Strand at Ada, has been consolidated with Fram of Fargo and will appear under this name hereafter. A special department will be devoted to Ada and vicinity and will be edited by Mr. Strand.

CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

This afternoon G .P. Whitesel of Fanny filed as a candidate for county commissioner from the 5th district on the Public Ownership ticket. He will have no opposition on that ticket.

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SAYS POLK CO., IS MUCH MORE LIBERAL TO LUNATICS

HESTENGAARD ENRAGED BECAUSE HE DID NOT GET HIS TICKET

From Friday's Daily—

Elling Hestengaard cursed the Grand Forks county insanity board and the county for hours after his hearing on a charge of insanity at Grand Forks yesterday. Hastengaard wanted the board to furnish him with a ticket to Norway. He had stolen a cow near Manvel and explained the theft by a statement that a resident near Manvel had told him he would be furnished with transportation to Norway by the county if he stole a horse or cow.

He compared Grand Forks county unfavorably with Polk county, here he says he was given four months for mortgaging property he did not own, but when he finished his term he was given a new suit of clothes, hat and shoes.

Hestengaard will be taken to Jamestown Saturday, it is expected. The board will hear one more witness today and then give a decision.

THE THRESHING SEASON STARTED

ELLINGERS THRESHING RIG COMMENCED RUN—HAS A FULL CREW

Heretofore only small jogs of grain have been threshed thruout this district, but today Geo. Ellinger's rig started its regular season's run with a full crew and will be busy from now until the last bundle is threshed. His outfit a "Northwest" is threshing the grain of W. A. Marin on his farm near Harold station. Mr. Marin had his crop sown and cut early. This is the earliest date known for any rig to start.

FULL DAY CREW AT WORK.

Ore Handlers Are Being Replaced at Superior Docks.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 14. — Seven boats are being loaded at the Great Northern ore docks, where the ore punchers are on strike. The superintendent announced that he had nearly a full day crew at work, although none of the strikers had returned.

Iowa Farmer Commits Suicide.

Iowa City, Iowa, Aug. 14. — Frank Zemistil, a farmer, committed suicide near the village of Swisher by taking strychnine. He was despondent on account of ill health. He was twenty-four years old and leaves a wife and babe.

Jury Says Guyot Is Guilty.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 14.—In the federal court yesterday a former Spokane man, Adolph Guyot, was found guilty on two counts of the indictment charging him with importing, holding and keeping alien women for immoral purposes.

Banner Potato Market.

Anoka, Minn., Aug. 14.—Anoka has been the banner potato market of this section the past week. Prices rose steadily until they have reached the price of 87 cents a bushel, and indications are they will go higher.

Timber Fire Under Control.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 14.—The timber fire that has been threateneing Sand Point, Idaho, was placed under control yesterday, with practically no damage to the town.. Much standing timber has been burned.

Noted Denver Man Killed.

Denver, Aug. 14.—Charles E. Higbee of this city, one of the world's most noted tunnel builders, was instantly killed last evening at Shoshone by the breaking of a derrick.

Tilting of "Lid" Charged.

Zumbrota, Minn., Aug. 14.—Henry Roisum, who conducts a saloon in this village, was charged with keeping it open on Sunday, in violation of the law.

Killed by Lightning.

Manchester, S. D., Aug. 14.—John Johnson was struck by lightning while shocking grain in a field near here and instantly killed.

Circus License Stays Up.

Bemidji, Minn., Aug. 14.—A proposition to reduce the license fee for circuses was defeated at a meeting of the council last night.

Nab Alleged Yeggmen.

Aberdeen, S. D., Aug. 14. — Twelve alleged yeggmen were arrested by the police. Nearly every prisoner had a gun. Ten of them pleaded guilty to minor offenses and were given jail sentences.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

DEATH DUE TO TOOTH ACHE

PAIN MADE JOHN SMITH OBLIVIOUS TO APPROACH OF THE TRAIN

NO. 36 ON DULUTH LINE KILLS MAN OF GRAND RAPIDS

From Thursday's Daily—

After bringing the frightfully mutilated body of John L. Smith who was struck early Tuesday morning at Island Farm on the Duluth Line by a Great Northern train, to Superior, John McCullum by whom Smith was employed, journeyed to Duluth to see if he could find any clue to where the dead man's only known relative, a daughter, can be found.

Smith was a foreman on a land clearing job on G. G. Hartley's Island Farm, and had suffered from a toothache all Monday night, and early on Tuesday morning, driven mad with pain, he walked a mile to the Great Northern tracks to catch a train for Duluth, where he hoped to get the pain relieved. He was walking along the track holding his head in his hands, entirely absorbed with his suffering, when he was struck by an inbound Great Northern train. His neck both arms and both legs were broken and his skull crushed.

Smith was 63 years old, and a widower. He had often been heard to speak of a married daughter, May Josephine Smith whom he had not heard from for several years, but who was living in Ogsdenburg, N. Y., his old home, when he had last heard from her.

The father leaves a $400 accident policy payable to her.

PUT BAN ON LIQUOR MEN.

Wisconsin Redmen Will Admit No More to Membership.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 15.—Through the adoption of a resolution yesterday by the great council of Wisconsin of the Improved Order of Redmen no saloonkeepers, bartenders, brewers or other persons connected with the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors will be admitted to the organization.

TOOTHACHE CAUSES DEATH.

Man Killed by Train While Going to the Dentist.

Duluth, Aug. 14.—Toothache caused the death of John L. Smith, a farmer, yesterday. He was walking to Duluth to consult a dentist, and holding his head in his hands to relieve the pain he did not hear the the approach of a Great Northern train and was instantly killed.

Two Men Held Up.

Barnesville, Aug. 14. — Footpads are now working in this city. Last evening while two young men of this city were on their way home and as they crossed the track near the roundhouse, two men appeared from behind a box car. The men were tackled by the strangers for their money, but finding that their victims had none, the robbers let them go.

Ditch May Cost $16,000.

Stillwater, Minn., Aug. 14. — The viewers on proposed Ditch No. 2 reported yesterday that the ditch probably would cost $16,000, and the benefits were estimated at $35,000. The ditch has not yet been ordered.

Six Hurt in Wreck.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 14. — Six men were injured severely, but probably not fatally, yesterday afternoon when a fast incoming Grand Trunk passenger train struck and wrecked a Harper avenue line street car.

Girl Drinks Acid.

Lakota, N. D., Aug. 15.—Word was received here of the death of a young girl named Wright by taking carbolic acid with suicidal intent. The girl resided with her stepmother on a farm owned by H. A. King of this place, near Derrick. It is claimed that the unfortunate girl and her stepmother could not agree.

Loans for Ditches.

St. Paul, Aug. 15. — Loans to the amount of $64,000 were approved by the state investment board yesterday. A drainage ditch in St. Louis county got by far the largest slice, $36,000 being loaned there. The other amounts were small.

Fireman Kills Self.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 15. — Alonzo Rice, an Illinois Central fireman, aged twenty-two, shot himself in the right temple, near the county jail last night. No reason is known for the deed.

Girl Sent to Jail.

Nora Springs, Iowa, Aug. 15.—Miss Lena Martell, aged twenty years and a resident of Fayette, she says, was arrested here last evening for disorderly conduct and sentenced to thirty days in the Floyd county jail.

Drowned While Swimming.

Two Harbors, Minn., Aug. 15.—Henry, aged fourteen, son of L. D. Rose, and Charles Foresman, whom he was visiting at Marquette, Mich., were both drowned there last night while swimming.

MAY LOSE A FINGER

HON. GUNDER KROSTUE THE VICTIM OF MOST PAINFUL ACCIDENT

FINGERS WERE CAUGHT IN HARVESTER SICKLE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon Hon. Gunder Krostue, the Fisher banker was the victim of a most painful accident as a result of which he may lose one of his fingers of the left hand. He was watching the progress of the harvest on one of his farms near Fisher and when one binder started bucking he reached over the platform apron to remove some weeds which were clogging the sickle when suddenly the horses started and his hand was caught by the knives terribly lacerating his fingers. A piece of the bone was chopped out of his second finger and the end of the finger was hanging by only a little flesh, and the third finger was nearly cut off.

Brought to Hospital

Dr. Norman happened to be in Fisher from this city and the wounded man was hustled into E. W. Robbin's automobile accompanied by Mrs. Krostue and a record run made to St. Vincents hospital here and the wound dressed. It is feared the second finger will have to be amputated but every effort will be done to save it. Mr. Krostue was very weak from the loss of blood, but was able to return to Fisher last evening on the late train.

Mr. Krostue displayed gritt of the first order. The bones of the second finger had to be thoroly scraped to remove any splinters and foreign matter, and the artery had to be tied up, but he stood the painful operation without any anesthetic at all, sitting in a chair and prefering not even to get on the operating table.

The news of the accident will be received with genuine regret by the many friends of Mr. Krostue in this city, who will join in the earnest wish that no amputations will be necessary.

FARMER COMMITS SUICIDE.

Hangs Self in Barn on Account of Ill Health.

Red Wing, Minn., Aug. 13. — Smith Stafford, sixty years old, residing on the W. W. Jewell farm in Cherry Grove, this county, committed suicide by hanging himself in the barn. He had been ill and despondent for some time.

Burglars Blow Grocery Safe.

Clinton, Iowa, Aug. 13. — The dull noise of an explosion aroused residents of the vicinity of Fourth and Elm streets at an early hour this morning, and the police later learned that "yeggmen" had entered the grocery store of M. Thusen & Son and had dynamited the safe, stealing about $125 and several valuable papers.

No Change in Vilas' Condition.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 13. — "I have noticed no change in the condition of Col. William F. Vilas within the last ten days," said Dr. Philip Fox yesterday. "I presume that he is conscious most of the time. His face would indicate it, but the paralysis has so settled in his mouth that he cannot talk."

Falls With Load of Ore.

Two Harbors, Minn., Aug. 13.—Peter Wannebo, fifty-three years old, a resident here, while working on a car of ore, fell with the load to the bottom of a pocket ,twenty-two feet. He did not land in the boat and was bruised, cut and shaken. He was taken to a hospital.

Nine Prisoners Escape.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—Nine prisoners escaped from the headquarters holdover here yesterday. Five others, who, according to the records, should be in jail, cannot be accounted for. Two of the prisoners who escaped have been recaptured.

To Develop Peat Beds.

Crookston, Minn., Aug. 13. — Twin City capitalists, it is stated, will develop vast peat beds near Fertile, Minn., south of here, along the Northern Pacific.

Boat Is Sunk; All Saved.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 13.—In trying to pass under the bow of the Kingston, a large passenger boat, late last night, the Titania, a small passenger boat, was struck by the big boat and sank in ten or twelve feet of water. Twenty persons on the Titania were thrown into the water, but all were rescued.

Confesses to Murder.

California, Mo., Aug. 13. — Robert Kenney, nineteen years old, has confessed that he murdered his father, Coleman B. Kenney, near Lupus, July 20, according to the prosecuting attorney. The boy said he quarreled with his father over a mare and a colt.

Thirteen Killed in Mine.

Saarcrucken, Germany, Aug. 13. — Thirteen men are dead and eight are badly injured as the result of an explosion of fire damp in the Dudweiler mine, five miles from here.

WILL MEET IN CROOKSTON

ALDERMAN SNYDER HAS LANDED STATE BARBERS' EXAMINATION

WILL BE HELD IN CROOKSTON ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER TENTH

From Thursday's Daily—

Alderman Snyder today received notification from Secretary G. H. Becker of the State Board of Barber examiners to the effect that the next meeting to be held by the board will be in Crookston on Thursday Sept. 10th.

Alderman Snyder landed the meeting of the board here 5 years ago and put in a plug for it again when he attended the Republican state convention recently. Candidates from the entire north half of the state will be present for examination and there will be a big crowd of live ones to size up Crookston.

YEGGE ARTISTS AT COUNTY FAIRS

SEVERAL VICTIMS DURING THE RECENT COUNTY FAIR AT WARREN

During the fair at Warren the homes of Chas. Wittensten and a Mr. Johnson were broken into and valuables stolen. Mr. Wittensten lost $140 in gold and the home of Mr. Johnson was robbed of a large amount of jewelry. One other man was touched up on the streets for $42 and Dr. Carrels of Argyle had his watch stolen out of his pocket while going home on the train.

OFFICERS OF ARGYLE BOARD OF EDUCATION

At a meeting of the Argyle board of education the newly elected board was organized by the election of the following officers:

John M. Ryan, president.
H. R. Meisch, vice president.
O. L. Melgaard, treasurer.
C. G. Moline, secretary.

MRS. COLLIER IS RELEASED.

Proves She Paid Her Hotel Bills in Advance.

New York, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Louise A. Collier, wife of Willie Collier, the comedian, was discharged from custody yesterday and the charge against her of defrauding an Atlantic City hotel of a $42 board bill was dismissed. Mrs. Collier showed the justice board bills paid in advance as late as Aug. 4, and said that she had notified the hotel proprietor of her intention to leave and had paid all bills presented to her before leaving.

CHILD RUNS WILD.

Will Be Sent to Reform School Because Neglected by Parents.

Fargo, Aug. 15.—Esther Pierce, a thirteen-year-old street waif, has been held to the district court. She will probably be sent to the state reform school. Her father, a carpenter, is employed in Montana, and her mother is now said to be in St. Paul. The child has had no home training and has run wild on the streets. The police allege that she is one of the cleverest little thieves that ever developed here.

LOVE SICK MAN IS SUICIDE.

Iowan Kills Himself Near House Where Girl Is Employed.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 15. — A. F. Rice, fireman on the Illinois Central running between this city and Fort Dodge, shot and killed himself late last night with a .32-caliber revolver. Rice was in love with Belinda Pierson, a domestic in the family of Sheriff J. F. Cadwell, and the deed was done at the corner of the sheriff's residence.

Probably Fatally Hurt.

Pipestone, Minn., Aug. 15. — W. F. Howard, member of the firm of Lockwood & Son, was severely if not fatally injured. An engine-propelled emery wheel which he was using became uncontrollable. The wheel broke in several pieces, flying with sufficient force to carry the pieces through the building across the street. Howard's leg is badly lacerated and he is terribly bruised otherwise.

Chinks Were Smuggled In.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 15.—Six Chinamen found in a sealed box car at Herrington, Kan., four weeks ago, were brought here yesterday for trial before United States Commissioner Williams. It is charged the men were smuggled over the border from Mexico.

Follows Chum's Example.

Kansas City, Aug. 15.—Vivian Burden, twelve years old, committed suicide yesterday by swallowing carbolic acid. It is believed that the suicide Tuesday of May Williamson, a sixteen-year-old chum and schoolmate, influenced the girl to take her own life.

A Hair Dressing

Nearly every one likes a fine hair dressing. Something to make the hair more manageable; to keep it from being too rough, or from splitting at the ends. Something, too, that will feed the hair at the same time, a regular hair-food. Well-fed hair will be strong, and will remain where it belongs—on the head, not on the comb!

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BOYS HEAD CRUSHED

PAUL JOHNSON AGED 6 YEARS, KILLED YESTERDAY AT EAST GRAND FORKS

THIRD SON TO MEET A TRAGIC DEATH WITH A FEW SHORT YEARS

ONE BURNED TO DEATH, ANOTHER DROWNED AND PAUL CRUSHED BY BINDER

From Friday's Daily—

Little Paul Johnson is dead as the result of a most lamentable accident which occurred about 3:30 yesterday afternoon and the entire city of East Grand Forks is in mourning in sympathy with his bereaved parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson.

Paul, aged 6, was playing in front of his home on South Third Street with Stephen Enright when a team and wagon passed by with a binder attached to the rear of the wagon, enroute from Smith & Sinclair's barn out to the farm, east of the city. Remarking to his companion that he was going to "catch a ride", Paul ran and climbed on the tongue of the binder probably with the intention of clambering into the driver's seat.

In some way he lost his hold and fell to the ground and before he could make his escape was caught by the heavy drive wheel of the binder, which passed over his head, cutting a frightful gash over his face. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken into his parents' house and physicians hurriedly summoned.

He expired in his mother's arms before the hospital was reached without regaining consciousness.

Twice before have Mr. and Mrs. Johnson been bereaved by accidental death of a son. Some nine years ago their son Howard was burned to death, thru his clothing catching fire. On the 27th of April 1907, their son Ralph was drowned by the overturning of the boat in which with several companions he was riding. A little daughter was nearly killed in an accident which occurred some time ago and left her disfigured for life.

Arrangements for the funeral of Paul have not yet been completed but it will probably be held on Saturday afternoon.

HORSE THIEF NOT MOLESTED

KANGAROO COURT IN CLEARWATER FREES HORSE THIEF WITHOUT TRIAL

TEAM WAS STOLEN AT McINTOSH THIEF CAUGHT NEAR BAGLEY

From Friday's Daily—

Clearwater Co. Crystal: Deputy Sheriff H. C. Peterson was notified Sunday from McIntosh to look out for a man with four horses that he had helped himself to. Peterson immediately started to search and located the man a few miles northwest of Bagley.

The parties who owned the horses had arrived at Bagley and together with them Deputy Peterson started out for his man, but when the owners again got possession of their horses they preferred not to prosecute but started westward, taking the man with them.

The young man who presents a girl with a pound box of bonbons is her ideal—until another young man comes along with a two-pound box.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

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Buttermaker Whirry Gives Advice To Valley Farmers

How many farmers thought of their cows last spring and put in some corn fodder to help out in August when the grass is short?

Now a very important thing along the dairy line is to not let your cows run short of feed. You cannot expect to have a cow keep up milking if she has nothing but a little old dried up grass to eat.

All you need to do is to think of this in the spring and save a little piece of good ground to plant your fodder corn on as there is no better place on this good earth than in the Red River Valley to raise fodder corn for there is nothing that will pay a farmer better than cutting fodder corn at noon 15 or 20 minutes and nothing that will make the cow feel better. And when you sit down in the evening to milk the old cow will fill your pail with good rich milk.

Now all of those farmers who have not provided for feed this year can see where they are at and next year look out.

Good cream makes good butter and good butter brings a good price.

A good cow will make good money and is worth her value in weight to a good farmer that gives her good corn.

It is a pretty hard matter to convince a farmer that it is his duty to take a team out of the field and haul his cream to the creamery or station but it will pay him not to neglect the best thing on the farm where he is sure of the cash.

Patronize the creamery and get your cash and go where you please and buy what you please.

There is but one way to farm in the Red River Valley and that is to diversify; raise more stock, produce, more manure and spread it on your ground, and next year you can raise better crops.

A farmer should farm his ground and farm it right and he will make more money with his labors. You never see a good farmer farming an over abundance of land for if he farms what he can, and does the work right, he gets a greater return for his work.

"Alaska" Wheat Is A Freak

The publication in a widely circulated weekly paper (the Saturday Evening Post) of an article by Oscar F. G. Day of Minneapolis, on "Alaska" wheat has called forth an official statement from the department of agriculture relative to this cereal. The statement says in part:

"A variety of wheat under the name "Alaska" is being widely advertised as capable of yielding at rate of 200 bushels to the acre under ordinary soil conditions. It is stated that this variety was found growing wild on the eastern coast of Alaska. In consequence of requests for seed."

The department states that this type of wheat has been known for many years, both in this country and in Europe. It has been tried at several state experiment stations in western United States, but nowhere have yields been high enough to merit attention. The wheat has been grown to a very limited extent on certain heavy, undrained soils in France for many years. In such locations it is said to yield rather better than ordinary wheat, but it is one of the poorest wheats known for making flour. It is never grown where ordinary varieties of wheat will thrive.

Dr. Galoway chief of the bureau of industry, said this same wheat had been referred to in reports back as far as fifty years ago, when it was called "miracle" wheat.

Dr. Galoway describes it as a "freak" wheat and said it could never be made valuable commercially.

A local paper published the article from the Post last Saturday and in addition to this letters boosting Alaska wheat have been sent broadcast from certain parties in Minneapolis, and have been published in hundreds of papers. If the wheat had been as represented and would give the wonderful results attributed to it, it would revolutionize farming.

It is supposed that who ever is behind the scheme has some of the Alaskan wheat for sale and that after giving the alleged wonderful wheat all possible publicity the man who has the wheat for sale opens communications with the farmers thru the mails and endeavors to unload at fancy prices, selling the wonderful producer at so much per kernel.

The statement from the department of Agriculture at Washington above should be a warning to the farmer as to the worthlessness of the Alaskan wheat commercially.

The Danger Of Worrying

The society editor of the St. Paul Dispatch says very truly that most people's lives are such a continual rush that they seldom have time to do anything well. Even their houses have to keep up appearances beyond their income, and so their lives, instead of being natural and healthy, are forced very often beyond their strength.

Try and look on your homes, however small, as your kingdoms, and order them on natural, simple lines, and never allow anything to be ostentatious either in yourselves or in your children, and bring them up to realize that real, true simplicity thru life will carry us nearer to what Providence meant us to be than anything else.

One more little suggestion: Good temper is invariably a sign of good health, and if you find yourselves tired, cross and inclined to make all duties a labor, take a stitch in time and a rest, even if it is a difficulty, as it will probably save your own health and your children's respect, as such is human nature that, tho we may be forgiven once or twice, continued ill temper estranges us from those we love more than anything else, and after a time even those who love us must get tired of hearing the same excuse, that we are weary and overdone. Persons who are constantly complaining of their ill fortune and regretting this, that or the other, become in time a positive terror and nuisance to all surrounding them.

.:. POLITICS .:.

The Second and Eighth districts are the battle grounds in the Minnesota congressional districts. J. Adam Bede is opposed by C. B. Miller and the fight is waxing warm. The newspaper report is to the effect that Bede has refused to declare against Speaker Cannon and that Miller's friends are making capital out of it, and it is anybody's fight yet with the Anoka and Princeton street fairs to be pulled off to decide matters. McClary, Gutterson and Ewert are the candidates for the republican nomination in the Second district.

The matter of funds with which to run the campaign seems to be bothering the political parties of all creeds. The prohibitionists have been making a house to house canvass in Brainerd this week soliciting cash subscriptions for the purpose of carrying on the temperance movement in politics in this state.—Brainerd Dispatch.

In fifty years no Democratic candidate for president, has been elected who did not carry both New York and Indiana. Since Jackson's day no Democratic candidate for president who carried both New York and Indiana has been defeated.

Four members of the present city council of Fergus Falls have filed for the legislature, and the Journal thinks the council will either have to call a special election after January 1st or quit business.

Rope Expert Abductor?

Billings, Mont., Aug. 18.—John S. Howard, known as champion rope thrower of the world, has been arrested, charged with aiding Ernest Huston in the alleged abduction of Miss Bauer.

From our Exchanges

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Miss Grace Jeffers visited among young friends in Crookston the latter part of the week.

Miss Margaret Rose came up from Crookston yesterday morning for a brief visit among relatives and friends.

V. M. Higinbotham and Joe Helm drove down to Crookston last Thursday afternoon in the former's auto and returned home the same evening.

Mrs. J. E. Argue accompanied the "doctor" upon his return home Tuesday from Maple Lake and will remain for several days before returning to complete the summer's outing at this popular resort.

Carl Miller and wife, accompanied by Harry Johnston and Gust Nordus of Fosston passed thru the city Saturday in the Miller touring car enroute home from Thief River Falls where they had been attending the Red Lake County fair.

Miss Orilla Hennemuth arrived in the city Saturday morning from Minneapolis where she is a trained nurse at the St. Barnabas hospital, for a couple of weeks vacation visit at the parental Henry Hennemuth home.

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Mrs. Joseph LaBlanc is home from her visit with her husband in Manitoba.

Miss Maude Tremblay is home from Maxbass, N. D., for a short visit with her folks.

Miss Stocklund who has been visiting at the home of William Cronkhite at Big Woods returned to her home at Stephen on Monday.

Batiste Cholnard came down from Cut Knife last week and has engaged with L. B. Riopelle to work in the harvest fields. He was accompanied from Cut Knife by Mr. Beaudry.

N. S. Hegnes took first money in the automobile race at Thief River Falls last week. There were two in the race, the other machine being a Buick also. Mr. Hegnes led by almost a half mile in a three mile race.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin of Starkweather, N. D., were here this week visiting at the homes of Keye Bros. Mr. McLaughlin was at one time a resident of Argyle and was in the elevator business.

Journal Want Ads one cent a word

From Over The Valley

ROBBERIES OCCURRING IN NEAR VICINITY

The police were notified of a robbery today at Felton Norman County. The general store of A. C. Stecht, in which is located the postoffice, the Bob Woods confectionery store and the J. T. Smith harness shop were entered. Very little money was secured in the raid. A man who was seen in the vicinity of Felton yesterday afternoon, driving a buckskin pony, is thought by the officials to be responsible for the burglaries and a search is being made for him.

GOVERNMENT BOAT DREDGING THE RED RIVER

The government dredging boat, which has been undergoing repairs at Grand Forks a good portion of the summer, has commenced work again. The big boat is now located near Oslo where the work of dredging the channel of the river is in progress. The boat was for some little time in dry dock while the repairs were being made, being overhauled thruout. There will be considerable work done during the coming weeks in the way of dredging.

NORTH DAKOTA SEES VISIONS OF ANOTHER R. R.

A crew of surveyors for the Gulf of Mexico-Hudson Bay railway is engaged in working west of Hoople, N. D. The Midland is receiving many offers of right of way thru certain districts, the farmers giving free rights of way and $1, an acre if the road will run their way. Considerable interest is taken in this line thruout the district thru which it is proposed to run.

WILL CELEBRATE 25 YEARS OF PROGRESS

Thursday, Sept. 3, will occur the 25th anniversary of the founding of St. Bernard's academy in Grand Forks Elaborate preparations are being made for the event, which will mark a quarter century of development in the educational world in the northwest. The first building occupied by the Usurline nuns was at the corner of Sixth and Dakota avenue, where the magnificent church is now being constructed.

MILITIA BOYS ON WAY TO THE CAMP

A special train left Grand Forks Saturday at 11:40 with the members of Companies C of Grafton and L of Hillsboro, N. D. National Guard, who are on their way to American Lake Washington to participate in the national maneuvers. At Larimore Companies B of Fargo, and I of Wahpeton were entertained. Company M got on at Devils Lake, D at Minot and E at Williston. The train consisted of 12 coaches. Major J. H. Fraine senior officer was in command. The companies will go in camp on Wednesday at American Lake. There will be a march of eight miles from the station to Camp David D. Stanley.

The Lisbon battery and Valley City Jamestown, Bismarck and Dickinson companies went over the Northern Pacific.

SETH RICHARDSOIN IS ELECTED SEC'Y

A meeting of the Cass county Bar association was held at Fargo Saturday afternoon in response to a call of President M. A. Hildreth. The meeting was called for the purpose of electing a secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late F. A. Ball of this city.

Seth W. Richardson assistant state attorney, was unanimously elected to the office. No other business was transacted by the attorneys.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 16, 1908.

Eric O. Hagen

Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 16, 1908.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

John Lindberg

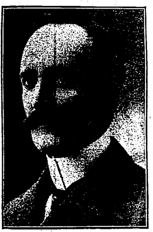
Republican candidate for Register of Deeds, Polk County, Minn., respectfully solicits your support at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

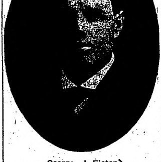
Theodore A. Thompson

Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.



Hugh R. Robertson

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15. 1908



George J. Fiaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination, as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Henry J. Welte

Deputy County Auditor.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

P. R. LAVIK

of Fertile, Minn., candidate for republican nomination for County Attorney

M. R. HUSSEY

Candidate for the republican nomination for commissioner of the 3rd district at the primaries to be held on September 15, 1908,

John W. Sandberg

Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Baby Born During Accident.

Pittsburg, Aug. 19. — While John Robsik was driven home with his family from a christening the horse became frightened, ran away and upset the carriage. When Robsik picked up his wife after the accident he found the stork had reached her during the mix-up and had left a fine baby boy in her care. Both were driven home uninjured by their experience.

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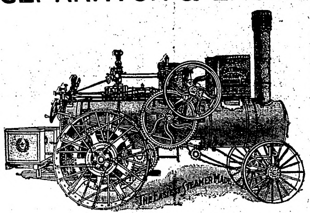

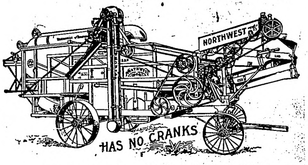

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

✦ FROM MONDAY'S DAILY ✦

Aug. 16 In History.

1777—Battle of Bennington, Vt.

1851—Lopez, the first great Cuban leader, captured and executed.

1903—Noah Brooks, well known author, died; born 1830.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:53, rises 5:08; moon rises 9:53 p. m.; moon's age, 20 days.

Aug. 17 In History.

Ole Bull.

1785 — Jonathan Trumbull, close friend of Washington, died; born 1710. Trumbull was governor of Connecticut, and Washington often consulted him in emergencies. "Let us hear what Brother Jonathan has to say" was an expression often on Washington's lips.

1880—Ole Bull, the Norwegian violinist, died; born 1810.

1906—Earthquake shocks affected 14 cities of Chile, Valparaiso being nearly destroyed.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:51, rises 5:09; moon rises 10:24 p. m.; moon's age, 21 days; 3 p. m., planet Jupiter passes from east to west of the sun and thus changes from evening to morning star.

Men favoring Independence Party send names for free literature to R. B. Higbee, National Committeeman, St. Paul, Minnesota.

SCHOOL BEGINS—The school will open tomorrow in district number 58 four miles east of the city, for a four months' term. Miss Bertie Palen of Caledonia will be the instructor.

GREETING OLD FRIENDS—Mayor J. D. McPhee is spending the day at Angus and will do a little political fence building while there in addition to attending to some business matters.

DIED OF TUBERCULOSIS — Ole H. Reirsgaard, aged 26 years and single, died yesterday at Bethesda hospital of tuberculosis. His remains were shipped to Gary on the N. P. this afternoon where he has a brother, H. E. Reirsgaard who took charge of the remains.

NO HUNTING IN ANDOVER—The town board of Andover is having notices posted forbidding any hunters from shooting prairie chickens in that township this fall. The voters so decided at the election last spring. All who fail to take due notice will be prosecuted.

LARIVIERE GETS CONTRACT — The Hubbard ditch number 78 was today awarded to Joe Lariviere for 9.85-100 cents per cubic yard. This is the same ditch on which bids were opened last week when the lowest bid ders were tied at 11 cents and the auditor was compelled to call for new bids.

CALLED AS WITNESS—Officer Sam Godbout was called to Red Lake Falls this morning as a witness in a case arising over a dispute as to the location of a quarter post on a farm adjoining the one formerly owned by Officer Godbout. He was called by J. D. Fournier, an old settler of the town of Jarvis.

RETURNED TO CONVENT—Sister Calesta of the Benedictine Sisters convent at Duluth returned to her post last evening after attending the funeral of her father, Edward Millette which took place Saturday. She was accompanied to Duluth by her sister, Leah Millette who will also enter the convent.

WORK PROGRESSING WELL — Contractor Will Walker returned to Angus this morning where he is constructing that new $4,000 school house The work is progressing well and all will be in readiness for the opening of the school year in the fine new building which will be ample to accommodate the Angus pupils for years to come.

BORDER COUNTRY BOOMING — Attorney C. R. Middleton is in the city from Beaudette where he now resides and is the village attorney. Mr. Middleton is having his law library and household furniture packed for shipment to Beaudette at once. He reports everything on the border as booming. Beaudette has suffered somewhat but only temporarily from the fire but the mill will be built again at once larger and better than the one burned. His son Reg has a good position in the electric light plant and is making quite a mark as a musician in band and orchestra. Mr. Middleton will remain in the city a few days.

✦ From Tuesday's Daily ✦

Aug. 18 In History.

1803—Dr. James Beattie, Scottish poet, last of the minstrels, died; born 1735.

1877—Two satellites of Mars were discovered at Washington.

1904—General Stoessel refused to surrender Port Arthur as demanded by the Japanese.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:50, rises 5:10; moon rises 10:55 p. m.; moon's age, 22 days; 4:25 p. m., eastern time, moon at last quarter; 1 a. m., planets Mercury and Jupiter in conjunction, Mercury passing from west to east of Jupiter; too near the sun to be seen.

AMONG INDIANS —Deputy Revenue Collector Guy Aubol left this morning for Bena where he will attend to some official business.

FINAL PROOFS—Three final proof applications were received at the U. S. land office today. They were Martin Johnson, Edward Heft of Roosevelt and Martin Hegstad of Wanke.

LOSE NEW BORN TWINS—Mrs. Frod James this morning gave birth to a pair of twins both of whom died shortly after birth. Mr. and Mrs. James came here from Crookston three months ago and live on Doud avenue.—Bemidji Pioneer.

FATHER DEAD — Mrs. Bernard Carisch received a telegram Tuesday evening, announcing the death of her aged father, Mr. Sutter at Fountain City, Wis. Mrs. Carisch left for that place the same evening.—East Grand Forks Valley View.

ON VACATION—E. S. Huseby the popular clerk at Pete Eide's confectionery store, leaves this evening for Halstad where he will spend a month's vacation, and may remain longer. He denies that he is to come back in double harness.

HORSES SENT TO DAKOTA — William Welch this morning sent 14 head of horses to Dakota where they will put in the season with a threshing crew. They were in charge of his sons Martin and Will. The teams have been working on the ditch in Keystone all summer.

MANY TRAVELERS ABROAD — The hotel registers show the names of many traveling men, some of the old standbys and others of new and probably inexperienced drummers. The eastern houses evidently do not feel any fear but what business men in this portion of the state will be able to meet their bills for their representatives are here in greater numbers than ever before.

BOTH AFTER THEM— Attorney Geo. E. A. Finlayson came over from East Grand Forks this morning and proceeded to the east end of the county where he will further his candidacy for the Republican nomination for county attorney. E. O. Hagen boarded the train east also, and was on exactly the same mission. Several traveling men also headed that way to act as referees if the two attorneys should clash.

UNUSUAL ACCIDENT — Charley Wentzel threshing engine that is operating with the rig now threshing on the Riopelle place had a smash up in a very unusual manner yesterday morning. A small piece of iron got in the steam chest, broke it, and shut off the valve. How this piece got into the steam chest is a mystery as it has not been opened since the engine was first used two years ago. The break will take 48 hours to repair before work can be resumed.

PASSED US UP—Ben Strawbridge turned up yesterday morning looking as fresh and happy as a millionaire. Ben has been on the Pacific coast for the last four years and is reputed to have accumulated much wealth. Still unmarried and thinks himself immune, but the little saucy god who wears no clothes will get him yet and when he takes the last shot the arrow will stick too fast for Ben to pull it out. Ben spent the day here among old friends and left on the night train for Duluth.—Cass Lake Times.

Frank Caldwell a farmer who with his family resides at 212 Nelson St. South, is confined in Bethesda hospital as the result of a very serious accident which may result in the amputation of one foot above the ankle.

He was driving to the city this morning on a load of hay when the load overturned a short distance from the city and he fell underneath the hay rack crushing his ankle terribly. He was taken to the Bethesda Hospital where an examination developed the fact that the bones were badly splintered and the injury may result in an amputation tho everything is being done to save the foot.

✦ FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY ✦

Aug. 19 In History.

1596—Birth of Elizabeth Stuart, daughter of James VI., who married the elector palatine Frederick V. and thus founded the present British reigning family.

1812—Fight between the Constitution and the Guerriere.

1896—Professor Joseph Dwight Whitney of Harvard university died; born 1819.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:49, rises 5:11; moon rises 11:32 p. m.; moon's age, 23 days; 10 a. m., planet Mercury in superior conjunction with the sun, passing from west to east of that body on the farther side and thus changing from morning to evening star; A. D. 1682, Halley discovered his giant comet, which, after an absence of 75 years, is again due in 1910 and may be seen as early as October, 1909 A. D.

EUCLIDITES HERE—Peter Stuhr and Theodore Neiers the Kuppenheimers of Euclid came down last evening to do a stroke of business and called on their friends. They state that harvest is rushing near Euclid, and many farmers are thru with their wheat. A few have started threshing but threshing operations will not be general till the latter part of the week.

TO NORTH BORDER—Albert Chillgren has been in Crookston since proving up on his claim went to Williams yesterday where he has some legal matters to look after for a client. He will spend some time on his farm.

ANOTHER BRIDGE ACCIDENT — Foreman Fredrickson an employee of the G. N. with the bridge crew at Shelly was severely injured yesterday by a falling scaffold. He was at once taken to the hospital at Hillsboro.

A GOOD DEMOCRAT—P. J. Carey of Fertile was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. Carey is one of the old time faithful democrats of the county, two years ago a candidate for the legislature. There is no doubt but what he will be induced to enter the field again this year.

LEMIEUX RECOVERING—Dr. Israel Lemieux passed thru the city this morning from Mondak, Mont. Dr. Lemioux's home is in Red Lake Falls but he was recently called to Mondak by the serious illness of his son, Wilfred, who is now on the road to recovery.

CONTRACTS AT ROLETTE—A. A. Glenn has left for Rolette where he has several big contracts in the house moving line and will be absent for about a month. Mr. Glenn is doing business in that line all over the northwest this year.

APPENDIX REMOVED — Ray R. Likzinger of Waite Park in Stearns county has come to the St. Vincent hospital in this city to undergo an operation for appendicitis. He is under Dr. Dunlop's care.

GERIOXS DOING WELL —George Geriox came in from the lake Monday night where he had been the guest of the Rapins. He will spend a few days in the city with friends before returning to Minneapolis where the family now resides. His father is conducting a delicatessen store in Minneapolis. George is with a wholesale wall paper house. Charley formerly mailing clerk in the local post office is out on the coast where he has a factory making a patent lock for horse collars. He has four salesmen on the road selling the article.

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ENGINEER GOODRICH WAS CRUSHED TO DEATH

And Three Crookston Railroad Men Injured In A Disastrous Collision Near Moorhead In Heavy Fog.

From Monday's Daily—

Without a word of warning or sight of the approaching danger, F. Goodrich, Neche, N. D., engineer on the Great Northern railroad was crushed to death in the collision between a switch engine and a work train on the Moorhead and Barnesville branch 2 miles east of Moorhead shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday morning. Four others of the crews as given above were injured some of them seriously, in the disaster.

Crash in Fog

Under orders to work between Barnesville and Moorhead from 6:00 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. the work train pulled out of Moorhead, running carefully where the fog was thick and speeding up whenever it lifted. The switch engine coming in from Barnesville had no orders against the extra and was backing up at a good speed. The two trains struck about three miles east of the town, the switch engine crashing thru the tank behind it and striking the heavy work train engine with terrific force.

Engineer Crushed to Death

The men in the cab of the work train engine did not see the switch engine until it was on top of them, on account of the thick fog. Engineer Goodrich was standing in the gang way between the engine and the tender at the time of the crash and was crushed when they telescoped. He died instantly.

The fireman, Murry was sitting just behind Yardmaster Bledsoe on his side of the engine and neither of the two men saw or heard anything until the crash came.

Sprayed with Hot Water

Occupants of the engine cabs and members of the work train crew were thrown into the air and into the pile of debris that accompanied the crash. Water pouring from the punctured boilers flowed over the semi-conscious bodies of the injured ones. It was but a moment of horror but in the darkness of the fog and the snuffing of impaired engines alone three miles from assistance, the wreck one of the most disastrous in the annals of local railroad wreck history.

Conductor McElroy who was in charge of the work train arrived this morning with his two brakemen. The brakemen escaped serious injury, being but slightly bruised, but Conductor McElroy has a bad gash on the back of his head as a memento of the occasion.

Fireman Escapes

The tender of the switch engine was completely crushed and the engineer and fireman escaped with but a few severe bruises. They were considerably cut up by breaking glass in the cab. The switch engine and the front end of the engine on the work train were both badly damaged.

No Blame Placed.

The blame for the wreck cannot yet be placed, but it is assumed that it was mostly due to the dense fog that obscured the track to within a few feet of the engines. The work train had orders for an all day's work on the line between Moorhead and Barnesville but were expecting to meet with some other trains on the way and were keeping a sharp lookout. The switch engine, it is said, was not warned as to the presence of the work train and was coming backwards. If it had been heading in, it is assumed the wreck would never have occurred.

The conductor and brakeman on the rear end of the work train were thrown off by the shock and badly shaken up. Conductor McElroy receiving a severe scalp wound as he fell.

JURY HELD IT ACCIDENTAL

From Wednesday's Daily—

Conductor Wm. B. McElroy returned last evening, and Brakeman Osmonson and Corrigan returned this morning from Fargo where they were called day before yesterday to attend the session of the coroner's jury which was called to investigate the wreck on the Great Northern two miles out of Moorhead last Sunday morning between a work train in charge of Conductor McElroy and a switch engine coming from Barnesville.

The jury which heard all the evidence regarding the wreck had the train orders read by the trainmen, and had them interpreted by Supt. Nicholson of the Dakota Division, returned a verdict that Engineer Goodrich had met his death in a collision between two trains and did not place any blame on anyone.

CORRESPONDENCE

✦ KEY STONE ✦

Misses Emma and Katherine Nyquist of Fertile are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. William Koeling this week. They will also visit other friends who are always glad to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann Mr. and Mrs. William Koeling, Misses Emma and Katherine Nyquist, Tillie and Bessie Brantl, Messrs Henry Ehnen, William Grundahl, Wilbur Geddes, Earl and Everett Capes and Louis Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann, Mr. William Klint and Mr. Tiederman took supper and enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber last Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Deenis and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann called on Mrs. John Gerber last Wednesday.

Last Sunday the Key West baseball team was ready to play any team that they should happen to meet. They were longing for a game with the Sherack fans. But the manager of Sherack after seeing the Key West team did not seem to care to meet them on the diamond, for what reasons no one knows. Key West then played a game with some boys in the neighborhood. The game was interesting throughout, nothing more serious happening than a crushed toe which was caused by one gentleman stepping on it and which caused quite a sensation for a while. The score being 20 to 16 in favor of Key West. Who says that Key West will never stand a show when another team is in sight?

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann drove to Grand Forks last Friday.

Matilda and Mildred Aeschlimann celebrated their birthdays last Sunday, Mildred was one year old and Matilda five.

✦ SHERACK ✦

Mr. W. J. Baars called on Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann last Sunday.

Miss Bessie Brantl called on her friend Miss Rose Kotek last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Tiedemann called on Mrs. G. H. Horn last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tiedemann last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn and Miss Lillian Henricks drove to Grand Forks last Wednesday.

One of the most interesting games of baseball that has been seen for some time was played last Sunday at the John Genber farm between Sherack and Key West the score being 18 to 16 in favor of the latter. The Sherack team has of course mostly boys while the Key West team consists of men and high school students. The Sherack boys say "Never mind, we would rather have 16 scores and win them honestly than to have 18 and win them dishonestly." (Ed. Note—We do not know what the Key West boys say, but will probably hear later on.)

Four Persons Drowned.

Newark, N. J., Aug. 18.—Four members of a launch party were drowned in the Passaic river when their craft caught fire.

From Over The Valley

ROSEAU COUNTY SPORTS CAN SWING TENNIS RACKET

Roseau Region: Carl von Rohr, R. A. Ross, Oliver W. Oie and H. A. von Rohr went to Grand Forks Sunday to participate in the North Dakota tennis tournament, going by auto, with C. O. Christianson as chaffeur. A telegram for Mr. von Rohr to come home brought the boys back before they had participated in more than three matches. Ross and Carl von Rohr cleaned up the other players in the novice event without difficulty and the boys believe they would have got some more of the money had they remained. Some of the best players in the northwest were entered and the tournament will last all week.

WAR VETERANS HAVE PENSIONS INCREASED

Congressman Steenerson received word from the pension department that the following pensions have been increased under the age law: Amos B. Watson of Ada, aged 75 years, increase to $20 per month; Perry Powers of Solway, 62 years increase to $12 per month. A pension was granted to Mrs. Susan Plummer of Hawley, widow of Charles B. Plummer who was a member of Company C, Brackett's battalion of Minnesota cavalry, of $12 per month. This is an original pension and was granted under the law providing a pension for every widow of a civil war veteran.

HORSE THIEVES APPREHENDED AT OSLO MARSHALL CO.

The Beltrami County sheriff's office was notified this afternoon that Kelly and Christianson two men who, it is alleged recently gave a bill of sale of a team of herses to A. A. Smith of Kelliher and afterward ran away with the team, had been apprehended at Oslo, Minn., just as they were crossing the Red River into N. Dakota.

Deputy Sheriff Arne Solberg left on the afternoon train to take charge of the prisoners. — Bemidji Pioneer.

A NEW CHURCH FOR EASTERN POLK COUNTY

H. S. Hanson returned Tuesday from Winsor where he has had charge of the erection of a new church edifice. The main part of the new building is 30x30 but there is attached thereto a 12x16 foot sanctuary and 16x20 foot school room. The building also carries a 10x10 tower 50 feet high —McIntosh Times.

McINTOSH SCHOOL BOARD WILL BUILD WORKSHOP

At the regular meeting of the McIntosh village board of Education held last Friday evening it was unanimously decided to build a work shop on the school grounds for the manual training department of the school work and the committee on building and grounds was instructed to secure the plans and proceed with the arrangements.

LAMBERT CHEESE FACTORY REGULAR BIG SHIPMENTS

The Lambert Cheese Factory shipped out three loads of prime cheese last Saturday. This cheese is being entered in the state educational contests regularly and receiving excellent markings. It's August entry scored 996 points.

PLENTY OF GAS IN NORTH DAKOTA

Drilling in the Westhope N. D., gas well has been stopped for a time owing to delay caused in getting casing for the well. The drillers have gotten thru the sandstone and are now in sand at a depth of 418 feet. A meeting of the stockholders of the company was held Tuesday and it was decided to order casing for the well and so the work had to be abandoned until it should arrive. At the meeting a new gas company was formed and a lease has been taken on 2,540 acres of land in the western gas field which is situated about eight miles northwest of Westhope and work will be commenced on a well immediately.

"BOOZING" BREEDS ON RED LAKE BEING PUNISHED

Those Indians on the Red Lake reservation who have been accustomed to bring intoxicating liquors to the agency are getting it "in the neck" these days.

George Basset of Red Lake was taken before United States Commissioner Simons at Bemidji yesterday morning and after being given a hearing was bound over to the October term of the United States district court at Fergus Falls.

Joseph Half-Eagle and Amos Big Bird got the same dose this morning.

MRS. CORA SWEENEY IS GRANTED DIVORCE

A divorce was granted yesterday by Judge C. F. Templeton at Grand Forks in the case of Cora Sweeney vs John Sweeney, both of Larimore. The plaintiff claimed that the defendant used her with great cruelty. He is addicted to the use of liquor, she testified. They were, married Nov. 21, 1902 at Rugby. The plaintiff was given the custody of John Edgar Sweeney the only child.

LARGE FUNERAL OF POPULAR MOORHEAD PASTOR

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the church where he has so faithfully labored, of Rev. Bendik Bondahl, 46, pastor of the Concordia church who died upon the Buffalo river. He had been ailing for some time and death came at 5:40 Saturday afternoon. The cause of death was tuberculosis of the spine.

PLENTY OF WORK FOR LABORERS IN ARGYLE

Any amount of work going on in and around Argyle. The state road that is being constructed near the city employes a large crew of men with teams; the work is progressing fast and a fine job is being done. Sidewalks are being built on the main streets of the city, which employs a number of men. Harvest is on and the farmers are in every day looking for hands.

A Boon to Elderly People

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Sold by all druggists.

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FEELEY JUDGE HAS BUSY DAY

KILLS BEAR AND MARRIES FEELEY COUPLE ON THE SAME DAY

MAN WHO PILOTS CROOKSTON HUNTERS HAS STRENUOUS DAY

To kill a big black bear while enroute to a nearby wedding, where he expected to tie the nuptial knot was probably a little more than Justice of the Peace Hymen who is also postmaster of Feeley, Itasca county and known to some of our citizens who have hunted and fished in that locality, bargained for but he proved equal to the occasion. As the story is told here Judge Hymen received an invitation to marry Mr. Wrichway and Miss Myrtle Reed at a point about three miles from Feeley a few days ago. While enroute to the scene of the wedding he came across an immense black bear. Fortunately the judge had a weapon and he blazed away, promptly putting the brute out of existence. He then proceeded to the scene of the wedding where the ceremony was duly conducted. Enroute back to Feeley he was accompanied by the bridegroom and the blushing bride. The bridegroom gallantly assisted the judge in carrying the animal to the judge's home where the scales showed it weighed 200 pounds.

OATS WILL BE HIGH THIS YEAR

POOREST CROP IN 28 YEARS IS PREDICTED FOR THE COUNTRY GENERALLY

From reports which have come in from all quarters those who are in a position to judge declare that the poor yield, as it now looks, coupled with the diminished acreage, indicates the smallest crop of oats in 28 years. This crop seems to have been neglected in favor of barley, particularly.

EPIDEMIC FATAL TO TWELVE.

Strange Spinal Malady Kills More Than Third of Children Afflicted.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 15. — There seems to be little abatement in the ravages of the strange spinal malady that seems to be epidemic among the children in this city, and out of thirty cases reported ten deaths have resulted, two occurring yesterday. It is feared that those who do not recover will be crippled for life.

LAUNCH OWNERS ARE FINED.

Eight Disregard Signal Laws and Must Pay Penalty.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 15. — Deputy Collector Thomas B. Mills has assessed fines totaling $2,000 against the owners of eight local launches. The fines range from $100 to $500 and are assessed because the launch owners have been running about the harbor without answering signals, as required by law.

Life Barely Saved.

Crystal Falls, Mich., Aug. 15.—Attempting to swim across Echo lake, near Mercer, Wis., Thomas La Londe of Ironwood, Mich., was seized with cramps and was all but drowned. He was sinking for the last time when a passing rowboat reached the scene and, unconscious, he was rescued barely in the nick of time.

Small Estate Left by J. G. Lund.

Minneapolis, Aug. 15.—At a meeting Wednesday night of the special administrators of the estate of the late J. G. Lund, the prominent land man, who committed suicide on Aug. 12, it was found that after all the debts of the land man had been paid there would be little or nothing left to the heirs.

Quarantine for Anthrax.

Yankton, S. D., Aug. 15.—Dr. T. H. Hicks of Milbank, state veterinarian, and Federal Inspector S. M. Smith of Mitchell are both here on the anthrax cases, and Yankton and Clay counties have been placed under quarantine for thirty days, pending the outcome of the fight against the disease.

Aged Man Takes Poison.

Parsons, Kan., Aug. 15. — Stuart Huntley, seventy-five years of age, en route from California to his home in Decatur, Ill., committed suicide here yesterday by taking poison. He was recently robbed of money, was divorced from his wife and estranged from other relatives.

Weak Man Reciept Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

BEMIDJI BOND ELECTION

DOUBTFUL WHETHER BONDS CAN BE SOLD ACCOUNT OF SMALL VOTE CAST

WERE FOR PURPOSE OF WATER WORKS SYSTEM FOR THAT CITY

The special election held in Bemidji Tuesday for the purpose of voting on the proposition to bond the city of Bemidji in the sum of $50,000, the money derived from the sale of bonds to be used in constructing an adequate and modern waterworks system, in connection with the waterworks system which the city already has, was evidently of little concern to the residents of Bemidji, judging from the very light vote which was cast on the proposition.

A total of but 283 votes were cast while the customary vote of Bemidji will total in the neighborhood of 800 218 were in favor of bonds and 65 against.

However owing to the small vote cast, it is doubtful if the bonds will be issued, or if they are issued that any bonding company would purchase them.

HIS AUNT SEEKS TO FIND WIND

USED TO SELL JEWELRY IN THIS TERRITORY—MISSING FOR YEARS

Walter Wind traveling salesman for a jewelry house in St. Paul, is sought by his aunt. A letter was received at Grand Forks from Hartland, Wis., from Mrs. Hilda Spillman. It was addressed to William Prescott, formerly proprietor of the Hotel Frederick at that place where Wind made his headquarters. Mrs. Spillman says that Wind made this territory in 1904. She is very anxious to ascertain his location.

The authorities are looking up all missing men just now with a view of finding out if any of them may be the victim of the murder near Bolack, N. D. The clothing of the man slain is not of the kind usually worn by jewelry salesmen and so it is not believed that it was Wind.

SUSPENDS CITY ATTORNEY.

Eveleth Council Will Take Final Action After an Investigation.

Eveleth, Minn., Aug. 15.—The council at its meeting this week devoted some more attention to its design to discharge City Attorney Ferry, passing a motion to suspend him pending an investigation. It is understood that specific charges will be lodged against the attorney, which he may have ten days to answer, after which the council can act finally.

Riddle Under Knife.

Kislovodsk, Russia, Aug. 15. — A slight operation was performed yesterday upon John W. Riddle of St. Paul, the American ambassador, for the removal of fluid which had collected as a reslut of a recent attack of pleurisy. After the operation it was said by the attending physicians that the condition of the ambassador was very satisfactory.

More Yellow Fever.

City of Mexico, Aug. 15.—Three new cases of yellow fever along the Mexican gulf coast were reported yesterday, two at Vera Cruz and one at Merida. There were two deaths from the disease at Vera Cruz.

Undergoes Operation.

Baltimore, Aug. 15.—Former Senator Roger Q. Mills of Texas, who underwent a surgical operation at Johns Hopkins hospital yesterday, was reported as being in a good condition.

Drinks Acid in Saloon.

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 15. — E. J. Lewis, treasurer of the Savings Life Insurance Company of Peoria, committed suicide by taking poison in a saloon here last night.

Iowa Pastor Strangles.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 15. — Rev. Christian Hansen, pastor of the Danish church at Kimballton, Iowa, strangled to death from a hemorrhage due to tonsilitis.

Army Reunion Opens.

Galesburg, Ill., Aug. 15.—The ninth national encampment of the Army of the Philippines met yesterday. Delegates arrived from all parts of the country.

Held for Murder of Boy.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—Hassin Nemmer was held by a coroner's jury yesterday on the charge of being the murderer of Tuffa Shashem, the Syrian lad whose body was recently recovered piecemeal from various places, including Mud lake and the drainage canal.

Mexican Miners Rescued.

Mexico City, Aug. 14. — Six of the eighteen miners who were entombed in the Santa Gertrubis mine, near Pachuca, Hidalgo, were rescued alive early yesterday morning.

ROCHESTER'S BRAND NEW "MILLION DOLLAR" HOTEL

On August 12th, the new Hotel Rochester at Rochester was thrown open to the traveling public. Its completion gives to Rochester, N. Y., the most magnificent, up-to-date, modern hostelry of the entire up-state region Indeed, Hotel Rochester, provides the traveler with every comfort and luxury obtainable at any New York City hotel. Every device modern invention has created for making a hotel stay, enjoyable has been placed at the disposal of the Rochester's guests.

Each of its 300 rooms is fitted with a private bath, the ventilation, lighting and sanitation represents the latest improvements — there are even extra large, specially lighted sample rooms for the convenience of salesmen—and of course, the hotel is absolutely fire proof.

Its own private motor cars meet all trains and the hotel is happily located in the center of Rochester—At Main St. and Plymouth Avenue.; one block from the court house; within hailing distance of the two leading theatres and opposite the largest department store.

Special and particular attention will be given to the suisine which will surpass anything between New York and Chicago and will be equalled but by few hotel restaurants anywhere.

The successful consummation of this new enterprise is largely due to the foresight and energy of Mr. Walter B. Duffy, President of the New York and Kentucky Company, with headquarters at Rochester, who is also heavvily interested in many of Rochester's leading manufactures. Mr. Duffy entered the new undertaking incorporated under the name of the National Hotel Company with his characteristic push and executive ability and it is mainly due to his untiring efforts that Rochester gets this magnificent hotel.

Associated with Mr. Duffy are Mr. George W. Sweeney and Mrs. E. M. Tierney. Mr. Sweeney is widely known to the traveling public as the genial director of the chain of hotels embracing Hotel Victoria, New York; Marlborough Hotel, New York and Hotel Lafayette, Buffalo, N. Y. Guests of the hotel Rochester therefore will feel entirely at home when under its roof and be assured the service and personal attention for which all his hotels are famous.

Mr. Tierney divides with Mr. Sweeney the popularity earned by their hotels and is President of the Hotel Men's Association. His association with the Hotel Rochester Company is a further guarantee of pleasant environment for the Rochester's guests.

Hotel Rochester will be under the direct management of Mr. William Horstmann, who has been with Messrs. Sweeney and Tierney for many years and who is known far and wide as a cordial and painstaking host.

Rochester and its visitors are to be congratulated on the enterprise of Mr. Duffy in backing the New Hotel Company and on the assured success of the Hotel Rochester by reason of the association of such sterling hotel men as Mr. Sweeney and Mr. Tierney

From our Exchanges

ADA

(Herald)

Will Neukom is home from St. Paul for a two weeks' vacation.

Ray Campbell returned to his home at Fosston Thursday morning.

Miss Millie Stadsvold, of Fosston is the guest of Miss Hattie Hetland.

Mrs. Ahlers and Miss Pauline Pfund of Lockhart, are guests at the Ahlers home this week.

Senator Hanson arrived home last evening with his new auto having driven the car up from Minneapolis.

Ed Farley and family returned to Grand Forks Monday morning after having spent a week here with relatives.

The families of Messrs. Pfund, Neukom, Gerber, Farley, Rolfe, Patterson and Lightbourn picniced at the Pfund Grove Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Myran of Long Beach, Cal., expects to arrive tonight for a two weeks visit with friends. She has been spending the summer at her old home in Morris, Minn.

Paul Onstad left Sunday night for Chicago where he goes as a delegate from the Central Luther League to the National Luther League convention which is held in that city this week.

Rev. Hinderlee, P. Onstad, Gladys Harvey, Anga Onstad, Mildred and Edna Strand, Herman Thune, Elmer Thune, Nora Hanson and Henry Olson attended the district convention of Luther Leagues at Crookston this week as delegates from the Ada league.

FERTILE

(Journal)

Rev. A. Oefstedahl and M. G. Peterson attended a meeting of the board of directors of the Bethesda hospital at Crookston Tuesday.

Oscar Hovland is here from Cooperstown, N. D., on a visit to relatives and friends. Oscar is buying grain at that place and likes his job.

Frank Raff was the guest of his mother, who resides in Garfield over Sunday. Frank of late has been a stenographer in the office of Attorney Arctander of Minneapolis.

Some person, boy or man, threw a stone at the north bound passenger train Monday afternoon, hitting a window with such force as to pass clear thru the car, smashing two of the large plate glass windows in the observation car. The company has a detective here looking up the matter.

DEPORTED TO SWEDEN.

Pennsylvania Murderer Adjudged Insane and Will Be Sent Home.

Warren, Pa., Aug. 14. — John Nels Swanson, alias Alex Johnson, who killed Charles Samuelson, was taken to New York last night by Officer Squab of the immigration bureau for deportation to Sweden. Swanson was adjudged insane.

Ice Cream Cone Fatal.

Minneapolis, Aug. 15.—As the result of eating ice cream in cones, together with cheap candies, George Heath, five years old, yesterday died of ptomaine poisoning and peritonitis.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Many years ago when one up-to-date person met another, he looked at him cockily and remarked "Ah there?" The phrase traveled all over the land and finally wore itself out. One of the first popular phrases I can remember was "Whoa Boliver." It started from a circus clown who used it on a trick mule named Boliver. Then there was "Whoa, Emma", and "Shoot the hat," or "Where did you get that hat?" At another time it was considered au fait to ask "Where's the fire?" whenever a person came out in a new suit of clothes. Another early bit of slang was "What, never?" from Pinafore. "Ring the bell on him" followed the chestnut bell, so popular in the eighties, and was the logical forerunner of "Give him the hook." Almost everyone can remember "Go chase yourself," "O, go lay down," "Rubber neck." "Get an ax," "What 'tis," "Forget it," "Tell it to the policeman".

Some badly worn late ones are "Aint it awful Mabel?" and "Well, what do you know about that?" But they are now shopworn. The country is sadly in need of a new phrase and a new popular song. We never know when or where one of these is to break out. But either will be joyously welcomed.

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A young local society man was out driving the other evening with his girl. The conversation turned to fortune telling; he asked her if she believed in palmistry. She looked up demurely and naively said: "Well I don't know, but I think I could foretell with pleasure if I saw the lines in one of your hands." The young man was slow to comprehend her meaning, and sat with low bowed head and wrinkled brow until at least two miles had been traversed when a great light broke upon him and an expansive smile illuminated his features. He took the lines in one hand and grasped the situation.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Aug. 13 In History.

582—Tiberius II., Roman emperor at Constantinople, died.
1436—Alleged date of the first known printing with movable types.
1816—The only serious earthquake ever felt in Scotland.
1906—Mrs. Mary Pearl Teresa Craigie (John Oliver Hobbes), author and dramatist, died; born 1867.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:57, rises 5:05; moon rises 8:23 p. m.; moon's age, 17 days; 9 p. m., planets Mars and Jupiter in conjunction and changing sides; too near the sun to be seen.

DAM THE DITCH— The ditching dredge has been laid up all the past week for want of water to float the machine. They are putting in a large pump and will dam the ditch and in that way keep the machine floating.—Halstad Advocate.

GETTING BETTER — Joe Burke was not taken to the hospital as the threatened attack of typhoid fever has yielded to treatment and Mr. Burke is improving so rapidly that he expects to be out again in a few days.

FIXING FENCES— Hans Samuelson, candidate for the democratic nomination for sheriff of Polk County came up this morning and went to Fosston to do a little political work. He says there was very little rain at Climax last night.

GETS NEW LAUNCH—E. H. Phinney of Grand Forks is one of the latest of the Maple Lake colony to receive a new launch which was placed in the Lake the past week. The launch which is a 16-footer was built in Michigan and is said to be a fine one.

SELLING THRESHERS—S. L. Collins is out in the country today closing another deal for his popular and reliable "Northwest" threshing rigs. The farmers will not have a thresher on their place unless it is the very best rig.

FORD IMPROVING—Earl Ford of Red Lake Falls arrived in the city yesterday noon to find out the condition of his brother Frank, who cut his throat about two weeks ago near Fowlds. Frank Ford is in the St. Anthony's hospital in this city and is improving rapidly.—Bemidji Pioneer.

DIRT FLYING — Castle Bros., of Crookston, are doing some extensive drainage work in Green Meadow. They have ditched for Frank Mueller C. F. McCarty, August Eichler and Jno. Nelson and about the first of the week will be ready to move to the M. A. Lee farm in Waukon where a half mile ditch will be dug thru it.—Gary Graphic.

QUARTET MAKES A HIT—The Maple Lake residents are enjoying some delightful vocal music of late which is being generously contributed by a quartet comprised of Hector and Victor Rapin, Albert Johnson of this city and Mr. Prescott of G. Forks The boys are sure making a hit according to one of the summer colony at the Lake.

MANY CHANGES SINCE DEPARTURE—Dr. S. W. Teal veterinary surgeon of Oaks, N. D., is spending a few days in this vicinity visiting old friends and attending to some land matters. Mr. Teal a number of years ago was foreman on the Buffington farm. He was very much surprised at the many improvements that have taken place in Crookston since he was here.

HAS FINISHED HARVEST — Albert Hoven the prosperous and progressive farmer northwest of the city finshed his harvest and pulled his binder in the shed today. Notice, he "pulled his binder in the shed" which is one sure indication that he is a farmer. He has a fine crop as is usual, and is about the first farmer to complete his harvesting operations on a farm of any size. His grain is all beyond the reach of frost wind or hail.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 14 In History.

1457—German authorities pronounce this the date of the first printed book's completion.
1788—Thomas Sheridan, father of the orator and dramatist, died.
1870—Admiral David Glasgow Farragut died; born 1801.
1907—Hermann Carl Vogel, German astronomer, died; born 1842.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:56, rises 5:06; moon rises 8:54 p. m.; moon's age, 18 days; 6:44 a. m., planet Saturn in conjunction with the moon, the latter passing 2¾ degrees south, from west to east; seen near tonight.

MEDICAL AID—Miss Mary Hopkins is quite ill at her home in Parnell town and her father was in for medical aid today.

BRUNNELLE IS AGENT—W. D. Bristol of Fargo spent the day in the city and gave the exclusive agency for the celebrated Whipple horse collar to the Brunnelle harness shop.

DAUGHTER VERY ILL—The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Storvik has been very ill for the past few days. There is a slight improvement today but the little one is not entirely out of danger.

HORSE INJURED— Nick Welter had one of his horses quite badly cut by a wire fence last night. Dr. Langevin was called and had to sew up the wound, but the horse is put out of commission during the most busy season.

RIEDESEL IS OUT—Carl Riedesel who was severely injured in an automobile accident some time ago was able to be down town today for the first time. Mr. Riedesel is still suffering considerable pain and it will be some time before he is entirely well. However his many friends are pleased that he is improving.

HAVE FINISHED CUTTING—Harvesting operations were concluded yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock on the Dinnie farm just west of Grand Forks The threshing will be commenced next week. The work of cutting the grain was concluded this year much earlier than it has been for a number of years past.

PICNIC IN BYGLAND—The young people of Bygland will give a picnic at G. Nomland's place seven miles west of Fisher on Sunday August 16th to which the public is cordially invited. A free program consisting of speeches by prominent men, music and recitations will be rendered during the day. Dinner will be served.

A BOOST FOR BRAY—Napoleon A. Bray of Crookston was in Fertile last Friday. Mr. Bray is a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff and is making a strenuous effort to capture the honors. He is a bright, hustling young man, well qualified to fill the place and is considered one of the leading candidates in the race for sheriffship.—Fertile Journal.

ONE MORE DEMOCRAT — Attorney and Mrs. Geo. C. Cannon are the parents of a very fine son of regulation weight who arrived this morning. While he did not assist his respected dad materially in drawing the resolutions for the Democratic County convention today, without doubt he will develop Jeffersonian Democratic tendencies on schedule time later on.

S. L. Collins—I was out in the country with a party from the southern part of the state who remarked that there is considerable more grain cut around here than there is at his home The exceptionally fine weather has made harvest a pleasure this year.

E. J. Herringer and Major Hincle of Ada passed thru the city this morning enroute to Hallock where they will look over the attractions and secure some of the best for special features at the Norman Co. Fair which will be held at Ada on September 9-10-11.

Five Injured in Collapse.

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 13. — Five men were more or less injured by the collapsing of the roof of the old Calumet Life guard armory, which a crew of workmen were demolishing.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 15 In History.

1118—Alexis Commenus, famous Greek Roman emperor, died.
1369—Philippa, queen of Edward III. and British heroine, died.
1769—Napoleon Bonaparte born; died 1821.
1771—Walter Scott born; died 1832.
1824—Lafayette landed in New York.
1858—First Atlantic cable message.
1880—Adelaide Neilson, remarkably beautiful actress, died in Paris; born near Saragossa, Spain, 1850.
1900—Pekin entered by the allied troops after a sharp battle at the gates.
1907—Joachim, famous Hungarian violinist, died in Berlin; born 1831.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:54, rises 5:07; moon rise 9:23 p. m.; moon's age, 19 days.

OLD SETTLER DIES—The death of Hans Hanson of Esther township occurred on Friday at his home. The deceased was 74 years of age. The funeral will take place this afternoon Rev. Mona of Grand Forks officiating.

MANY EXHIBITS—A large number of sample bundles of grain have reached S. S. Stadsvold's office in the last few days for the county exhibit at the state fair, many of the samples being excellent. More are expected in today.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

"UNCLE BILL" ILL—Ben Fullerton has been laid up for the past few days at Greenbush with a severe attack of rheumatism. In addition to his regular physician, Dr. S. H. Withey prescribes for him once a day.

TO VISIT DULUTH—O. J. Jenson left Thursday night for Duluth where he will enjoy a few days' vacation and take a spin on the Great Lakes. He tried to slip off quietly in the night but a few of his friends got next and spread the news.

HAS FINE LAUNCH—P. E. Towner who travels for the Gardner Cigar house at Fargo but makes his headquarters at Grand Forks went to Maple Lake Thursday night to enjoy a few rides in that fine new electric launch which he owns in partnership with E. R. Phinney of Grand Forks. It is one of the best boats on the lake.

IVES LEADING CANDIDATE — Harry E. Ives was a transient visitor in the city last night. Mr. Ives candidacy for a seat in the legislature from this district is progressing very favorably. There can be no opposition to him any more than there can be found a man in the district who is more qualified to perform the duties of the office.

GOES TO ALEXANDRIA—Hjelmer Johnson who has been running the picture machine at the Bijou resigned last evening and will leave this evening for Alexandria where he will run the machine in the picture show there owned by L. Johnson and John Mattson. The show at Sauk Center will be started about the first of September and will also be run by Mattson and Johnson.

LONG AUTO TRIP—E. T. Tompkins arrived yesterday morning from a trip to St. Paul enroute home to Minot via the auto route, accompanied by Atty. Jean Olsgard. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Tompkins drove Jim V. Thompson and a couple of ladies to Grand Forks and returned last evening, resuming the journey to Minot today.

SAD DEATH—Mrs. Frederick Wiyant, aged 26 years died at St. Vincent hospital today following an operation performed yesterday. Deceased leaves a husband and three small children. The funeral will probably be held on Tuesday upon the return of Rev. Schimpfky of the German Lutheran church but will be held Monday if he returns in time. The family resides on the hill.

GOES TO BRECKENRIDGE—Will Murney left last evening for Breckenridge where he will have charge of the night switch engine. Will has been playing ball during the summer months and is just getting back into the harness again. This is a case where Uncle Sam will realize some profit as it is certain that Will will have to write at least one letter a day back to Crookston or lose his happy home. If there are two trains the Crookston office will without doubt cancel at least two letters a day from Breckenridge.

I. O. G. T. LODGE—G. T. Haugen of this city was at Fosston last week organizing a branch of the Independent Order of Good Templars. The first meeting of this club was held last Saturday evening, with an enrollment of fifteen members. They soon expect to have a very strong organization. The officers elected are as follows: President, John Buck; Vice President, Ingebret Larson; Secretary, Halstein Vold; Deputy, O. N. Hem; 1st Templar, Joel Fogelberg. Arrangements have been made for meeting every Friday night at 8:30 o'clock in the Woodmen hall. The club will go by the name of "Hildurleik."

A boy's appearance of meekness may cover a lot of mischief.

TOMAHAWKED POT HUNTERS

INDIAN DEPUTY GAME WARDEN HAS THREE FINED AND ARRESTS 5 MORE

WERE FINED $10 EACH AND THEIR GUNS WERE CONFISCATED

From Saturday's Daily—

Deputy Game Warden Munch about ten days ago appointed Star Bad Boy of Mahnomen as deputy game warden for that region and evidently made a very "live" selection as yesterday Star Bad Boy brought 3 poachers before a justice at Mahnomen and had them fined $10 each and had their guns confiscated, and later in the day arrested a party of five more who will have their hearing today. They had one prairie chicken in their possession

Star Bad Boy is a half brother of Eddie Carl, the pitcher for the Crookston independents, and a half brother of John Carl who is county auditor of Mahnomen County. He made a splendid start as a deputy game warden and is peculiarly fitted for excellent work. The hunters will very soon learn to obey the law in that section, a lesson they have all learned in this vicinity.

DEMOCRATIC CO. CENTRAL COM.

NUMBER OF DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE REDUCED FROM 15 TO 10

The Democratic convention before adjournment yesterday resolved to reduce the county committee to ten members, it having been 15 in the past. The county committee will appoint precinct committees who will act in each voting precinct.

The membership of the committee as appointed by Chairman Hamel is: W. E. Black, Chairman, Allen McKinnon, N. B. Moran, Crookston; Arne Grundyson, Bygland; P. J. Kelly, E. Grand Forks; F. E. LePage, Mentor; S. K. Sorenson, Fertile; Claude Neilson, Fosston and Wm. Lemon, Angus.

A full county ticket will be put in the field for the November election. Those willing to be sacrificed for the slaughter will file in a few days, as it is absolutely necessary that filings be made before the 25th inst. to get official notice on the regular ballot.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

SUGGESTS A FLAG FOR CITY

A LOCAL MAN PICKS UP A NEW IDEA IN CLEVELAND

A local man has just returned from the east with the suggestion that Crookston should have a city flag. The idea grew from the fact that the Ohio city has a flag which is of an attractive design, and which is used to good advantage on many occasions. Several other leading cities have flags.

The idea of the man in question is to have the city call for designs for an appropriate emblem of the sort, and to offer a liberal prize to the man or woman whose design is accepted. He believes that in this manner a suitable flag could be secured. Several of the European cities have flags of their own.

EDW. MILLETTE LAID TO REST

The remains of Edward Millette whose remains arrived from Round Up, Montana yesterday where he was killed as the result of a fall from a scaffolding, were laid to rest this afternoon in the Catholic cemetery. The services were held from St. Annes church, Father Tapin officiating. The church was filled with sorrowing friends and relatives, deceased having been one of the pioneer residents of this city. The pall bearers were Messrs. Sam Lucian, Andrew Lariviere, Frank Page, Jos. Menard, Peter Roy and Dan Hughes.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

CO. OPTION ENDORSED

BY THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION HELD YESTERDAY IN MARSHALL CO.

MARSHALL CO., WILL HAVE FULL CO., AND LEGISLATIVE TICKET IN FIELD

From Saturday's Daily—

Editor R. D. V. Carr of the Middle River Pioneer spent the night in the city enroute home from Warren where he attended the Democratic convention yesterday. He says it was the most enthusiastic and largely attended meeting held in ten years delegates being present from all parts of the county. Resolutions were passed endorsing the national platform and praising Bryan, Kern and Gov. Johnson.

The sensation of the day occurred when a radical resolution was passed favoring county option. Resolutions also favored stringent laws for the control and eradication of noxious weeds and more liberal appropriations for drainage and roadbuilding.

A full county ticket will be placed in the field. C. A. Tullar was endorsed for the state legislature and Kittson County will name the other candidate. Delegates were elected to the state convention as follows:

C. A. Tullar, J. J. Olson, Albin Young, P. A. McClernan R. G. Marlotte, Aug Lundgren, Robt. Tell, R. D. V. Carr, Thomas Mack. L. M. Mithun.

The democrats now hold several offices in Marshall Co., P. B. Malberg was endorsed for a 3rd term as auditor and Supt. Mithun for 3rd term at the head of the Marshall county schools. Robert Tell who was defeated by Sheriff Forsberg two years ago by 4 votes was endorsed for register of Deeds and Jos. Durand of Stephen was endorsed for sheriff. No particular candidate was endorsed where more than one had filed for the same office.

The county committee was named as follows: Chairman, P. A. McClernan, Stephen; Sec. Albin Young, Warren; R. D. V. Carr, Middle River; R. G. Marlotte, Argyle; Nels Malm, Big Woods, Aug. Lundgren, Warren; and L. P. Vanstrom, Spruce Valley.

FORGES TURNER'S NAME TO CHECK

MOORHEAD & McGREGOR OF EAST GRAND FORKS ARE VICTIMIZED BY UNKNOWN MAN

Moorhead & McGregor of E. Grand Forks were victimized by a check artist who passed a check for $10 signed by A. F. Turner and drawn on the Northern State Bank and in favor of A. L. Buck. No attempt was made to imitate the signature of Mr. Turner and the latter has no money on deposit in the Northern State Bank. The forger has not been arrested.

SHEEP PAY WELL.

One Ranch Company Pays 22 Per Cent Dividends in Sixteen Months.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 15.—The directors of the Foster Ranch company, which is conducting a sheep ranch near here, have declared a dividend of 10 per cent, making a total of 22 per cent in sixteen months. The directors also promised an additional dividend of 5 per cent as soon as the final settlement is made on sales and expenses.

Baldwin Postpones Flight.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Owing to a ten-mile wind from the south Capt. Baldwin postponed the second official speed trial of his airship until to-day. Capt. Baldwin is confident he will make the required speed of twenty miles an hour. The airship will not be rejected unless less than sixteen miles an hour are made.

Elephants Hate Camels.

Elephants in Africa have the bitterest enmity to camels. When the camel scents the elephant it stops still, trembles in all its limbs and utters an interrupted cry of terror and affright. No persuasion, no blows, can induce it to rise. It moves its head backward and forward, and its whole frame is shaken with mortal anguish. The elephant, on the contrary, as soon as he perceives the camel elevates his trunk, stamps with his feet, and, with his trunk thrown backward, snorting with a noise like the sound of a trumpet, he rushes toward the camel, which with its neck outstretched and utterly defenseless awaits with the most patient resignation the approach of its enemy. The elephant, with its enormous, shapeless limbs, tramples on the unfortunate animal in such a manner that in a few minutes it is scattered around in small fragments.

"Did young Skinnick's uncle remember him when he made his will?"
"Must have. Didn't leave him anything."—Browning's Magazine.

A PIONEER IS CALLED

LORENS OLSON TOMMERDAHL, PIONEER FARMER NEAR CROOKSTON

DIED AT ENUMCLAW, WASH., JULY 31 — HOMESTEADED 3 MILES FROM CITY

From Saturday's Daily—

Word has just been received of the death of Lorens Olsen Tommerdahl at Enumclaw, Washington, which occurred July 31, the funeral having been held there Sunday Aug. 2.

Deceased is a brother to Mrs. Peter Cornelius residing near this city, and has two brothers at Fergus Falls. He was one of the pioneer farmers of this section having come here in 1873 with Peter Cornelius and filed on the Tommerdahl homestead three miles east of the city adjoining the Cornelius farm, and for 29 years was a successful farmer of Polk Co.

In 1892 he moved to Enumclaw where he has since resided.

Lorens Olsen Tommerdahl was born in Trondhjem, Norway, Sept. 18 1845. He sailed for America with his parents in 1870 and resided for a time in Iowa and in 1873 he moved to Crookston and filed on a homestead on section 34 town of Crookston three miles east of this city. He was married to his first wife shortly afterwards but death claimed her shortly afterwards as result of mental derangement. In 1885 he was married to Mrs. Kjerstine Sakasgaard. Deceased leaves one daughter Nettie by his first wife, and a stepson, and a sister, Mrs. Peter Cornelius near this city and two brothers at Fergus Falls.

GRAND STAND SEATS ON SALE

NEW PLAN FOR CARING FOR THE STATE FAIR CROWDS

TREASURER E. S. MATTSON HAS PUT NEW PLAN INTO PRACTICE

Announcement of a change in the system of handling the grandstand crowds during the state fair of Aug. 31 to Sept. 5 is made by Treasurer E. L. Mattson who has evolved a plan which he believes will avoid all confusion heretofore incident to getting 35,000 people into one enclosure in record making time.

This year a separate ticket, good only for the paddock and bleachers will be sold to every person entering the grandstand gates, the price for which will be 25 cents. There will also be sold an additional ticket calling for a reserved seat in the grandstand at 25 or 50 cents, according to the choice of the purchaser.

All grandstand tickets will not be placed on sale simultaneously this year. In place of this plan Mr. Mattson placed on sale Aug. 1 season boxes accepting orders by mail addressed to E. L. Mattson, Administration building, Fair Grounds, Hamline, Minn. Entire boxes for single performances can be secured by mail Aug. 10 and on Aug. 20 Mr. Mattson will place on sale in both Minneapolis and St. Paul locations all unsold grandstand reserved seats. The places from which these seats will be sold will be announced in a few days.

These innovations have been decided upon only after much study on the part of the treasurer's department, and Mr. Mattson believes that it will now be possible to care for the grandstand crowds without discomfort or misunderstanding.

CAR WINDOWS ARE SMASHED.

Part of Canadian Railroad Track Is Found Torn Up.

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—The Transcontinental express, arriving here yesterday morning, had all the windows in the Pullman car broken while running between Brandon and Broadview. A rail removed from the track on the Winnipeg Beach line last night furnished a narrow escape for an excursion train going out, but was discovered by trackmen in time.

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

NIELSVILLF FARMER PUTS BULLET THROUGH BRAIN

Thorvald Mogdal Killed Himself And Leaves Tragic Message. Supposed To Be Case Of Unrequitted Love.

From Monday's Daily—

Some time yesterday forenoon, unable longer to bear his real or imaginary troubles, Jacob Mogdal ,a young farmer 26 years of age walked to a clump of cottonwood trees near the house on his farm 3 1-2 miles northeast of Nielsville and sent a bullet crashing thru his brain.

Coroner Chesterman went down yesterday in Bjoin & Carlson's automobile and discovered it to be a clear case of suicide. Deceased was 26 years of age and owned a quarter of section of land. He resided about one mile from the farm of his brother Mikkel with whom he boarded most of the time. He has another brother in Montana and two sisters. He used a 45 calibre revolver to end his life with.

He had been insinuating that something of the kind might happen for some time past, but had never made any direct threats of suicide. It is understood that the girl he loved was married to another man about a week ago, and this is believed to have been the cause of his awful deed.

Deceased came to Nielsville in 1895 from Norway. The verdict of the coroner's jury was temporary insanity.

The body was found shortly before noon by Thorvald Stromstad, a young man who helped him work the farm, and who was a very close friend. On the oat bin in the stable was a note stating where the body would be found and lying near the body was the following tragic note written on wrapping paper:

> Dear Thorvold—I have now lived to see the last glimpse of hope and what is now done can never be done over. Thor you think this awful but you remember I vowed ——— be on it late, dark to start in on my barn. Now you see you take half of the crop as usual and my work shall be acknowledged and time is too gruesome so I cannot do any more and so I thank you all for your kindness.
>
> And my last words shall be Father forgive me and let me out of my misery and with a heart that was true, I will be waiting for you in a shade of a cottonwood tree.

GRAIN YIELDING WELL QUALITY IS EXCELLENT

The progress of the harvest in the Red River Valley has been splendid. The weather has been ideal, and the bulk of the wheat crop is now in the shock. Next week many threshing machines will start the season's run and two weeks more fair weather will see the great bulk of the crop beyond the reach of damage by rain. Crop reports are varying so much that yields cannot be determined with any degree of accuracy till the threshing starts generally.

THRESHING IN THE RED RIVER VALLEY

Some Thresher Returns

Julius Wagner, near Fisher yesterday threshed a field of barley which went 61 bushels per acre.

Jos. Jarvis north of Fisher has threshed a field of winter rye which averaged 42 bushels per acre and some winter wheat which averaged 35 bushels per acre. A fine sample of the latter has been brought in for the state fair exhibit.

Peter Thygeson north of Fisher threshed a field of wheat yesterday which went over 25 bushels per acre.

A sample of winter wheat threshed near Rindal which yielded 37 bushels per acre was brought in today for the state fair exhibit.

Swenson Threshing

Martin Swenson pulled his rig into the field on his own place this morning and is threshing out his crop. Needless to say that the yield is big as Mr. Swenson is one who has diversified farming the last 25 years and his crop was never known to fail.

Fine Progress Northwest

I. J. Corry the well known elevator superintendent who has been touring the wheatfields between here and Grand Forks states that the harvest is progressing nicely and many farmers are entirely thru. Threshing operations have started in that direction, and before the last of the week every machine in that territory will be humming. Mr. Corry looks for a good average crop, and with ideal weather conditions the grain will be in fine shape as to grade.

Wentzel's Machine Humming

Bert Cochrane has his crop all threshed except some flax that is not yet ripe. His crop was mostly barley this year and it went 30 bushels to the acre. Charley Wentzel's threshing rig did the job in a very satisfactory manner. Mr. Wentzel's rig will be kept busy in that vicinity all fall. He started yesterday morning to thresh J. W. Barlow's crop and will be kept busy with his machine in that section all fall.

The Tale of the Bountiful

John Quirk of town of Bygland is in the city with the usual story of crops well gathered in to the shock and the hum of the busy thresher grinding out the golden grains that fill the bushels that command the high prices.

95 Per Cent Grain Cut

A. W. Bowman of the Fargo Forum came up this morning and proceeded to Blackduck where he will spend a week's vacation looking after his farm He says that along the Halstad line fully 95 per cent of the grain is in shock and several threshing machines are at work pounding out the golden grain .

Harvest Finished

Arthur Monson is in from South Euclid today reporting their harvest all done and some stacking done. The plows will at once be put at it turning the stubble.

Well Along

Wm. Senske of Buffington is in the city today reporting harvest well along and all the farmers in the most optimistic frame of mind.

40 Bushel Wheat

Threshing operations will start on the Louis Johnson farm west of the city next week if the weather remains good. They anticipate a yield of 40 bushels per acre of wheat, the crop being an exceptionally fine one, tho the acreage is small.

Harvest Progressing Well

Lionel Snelling was in the city over night from Angus and states that harvest is progressing rapidly up north. The crop is spotted there, the early grain being good and the late grain very light. The bulk of the wheat will be cut before the harvesters stop clattering this evening.

MUST NAME OVERSEERS

UNCONSTITUTIONALITY OF ROAD INSPECTOR LAW MUDDLES THINGS UP

COUNTY ATTORNEY MAYBURY GIVES SOME VALUABLE ADVICE AS TO PROCEDURE

From Monday's Daily—

Since the law passed in 1907 providing for county and township road inspectors was declared unconstitutional a few days ago by Minnesota supreme court, County Attorney Maybury has been asked for advice by many town boards and others who do not know what to do under the circumstances. The Journal called on Mr. Maybury today and secured the following statement as to what town boards should properly do.

"The Supreme Court of the State of Minnesota in the case of Anton J. Hjelm and E. M. Patterson has just decided that Chapter 458 General Laws 1907 is unconstitutional. The decision of the District Court of St. Louis County is thus affirmed, and the old law providing for road overseers is again the law of the State. This law is found in Revised Laws 1905, Sections 1224 to 1228 inclusive.

No More Inspectors

"The law declared unconstitutional is known as the law abolishing road overseers and providing for the appointment of road inspectors in their place. The meaning of this decision is that town road inspectors and their assistants are no longer legally qualified to act as such. The law providing for road inspectors is wiped out, and the road inspectors and their assistants go out with it. This makes a vacancy in the office of road overseer in every road district in every township which has heretofore had a road inspector.

"General Laws 1905, Chapter 70 provides as follows: "If for any cause no highway overseer is elected for any road district, at such annual town meeting, the town board at its first session following such town meeting shall appoint a highway overseer for such district for which no overseer was elected. (See Revised Laws 1905, Section 679. Booth's Township Manual, Section 198, 19th edition.)

Duty of Town Roads

"It is now the duty of the town board in every township having a road inspector to appoint a road overseer for each district in the township. This should be done at once. Under the old law the township was annually divided into districts by the town board. The town board may appoint a road overseer for each of these old Districts. If a regular meeting of a town board is about to occur, make the appointments then, otherwise, a special meeting of the board should be called for the purpose.

Appoint Present Officials

"It will probably be found best, as far as possible, to appoint as road overseers the present road inspectors and their assistants, providing they have proved satisfactory. This will make it easier for the work to be done by the road overseers from now on, and they can begin the work just where they left off. In any event, we think it is the best business policy for each town board to require the road inspectors to make their reports and settle their accounts up to date with the town board.

Use Same Blanks

"The newly appointed road overoverseers may use the same blank forms as those in use by the road inspectors, by simply changing their title from "Road Inspector" to "Road Overseer." If the same person is appointed road overseer who was a road inspector he may continue his work and make his reports as overseer of roads under the law as it was before the Road Inspector Law was passed.

"Before entering upon the discharge of his duty the newly appointed overseer of roads should be notified in writing by the town clerk of his appointment.

"He should, within ten days after being notified, accept the office, if he intends to do so, by filing his written acceptance thereof with the town clerk."

Grit—That's Us

That is why America leads the world in athletic sports. It isn't the much talked-of mixture of races; it isn't the climate, for we have every variety of climate in the United States and our champions come from every part of the country. It is the national spirit that makes determination, dash and grit; and then too, some people are of the opinion that it is due to daily use of a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. This delicious table beverage has won a dignified place in the American home by reason of its pure, wholesome qualities. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Save $600 to $1,000 on a Threshing Outfit

Write Today for Big Free Thresher Book and Wonderful Factory-to-User Offer

Threshermen everywhere are saving hundreds of dollars by taking advantage of our wonderful offer which is fully explained in the book.

This offer is so liberal, and makes it so easy to save and make money that even individual farmers are clubbing together and buying our Threshing Outfits for neighborhood use.

They are doing their own threshing when most convenient, and are making big money around home after their own threshing is done.

We can't tell you in this ad how liberal our offer is, but it is such a big opportunity that every Farmer, every Thresherman should get our Free Book and learn fully what it means to them whether they ever thought of owning a Threshing Outfit or not.

Please Remember This

We are not making this offer, (which saves $600 to $1,000 on every purchase) on something new or untried. Our Winneshiek Traction Engines and Separators are in use in every state in the Union where threshing is done, by the most successful threshermen in the United States. Experienced threshers know them and respect them.

The many patented features of both Engine and Separator make the Winneshiek outfits by far the simplest, most durable and most economical that can be bought at *any price.* The Free Book fully illustrates all these labor-saving and grain-saving patents.

10% to 15% More Grain

One single patent—our Oscillating Device—puts 10 to 15 per cent more grain into your bins. This amount is wasted—carried out unthreshed in the straw with other separators. This device works on the principle of the old-fashioned flail, 250 strokes a minute. It gets out every kernel of the grain. Flax is not crushed and timothy seed is not hulled. What would it mean to you in dollars to get 10 to 15 per cent more grain each season? Yet this is but a single patented feature of the famous Winneshiek Separator.

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On the outfit illustrated below you would save $850.75 on our plan over an inferior Engine and Separator of equal capacity. This will give you an idea of what our Free Book and our Wonderful Offer means to you. Sit right down now, before you forget, and write us for this book. It means so much to you in dollars and cents that you can't afford to put it off. Get a pencil and write a letter or postal card NOW.

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LOSES FINGERS IN ACCIDENT

JOHN E. PETERSON OF THIS CITY HAS DISTRESSING ACCIDENT

CARS PASS OVER HAND CRUSHING THREE FINGERS AND PART OF THUMB

From Monday's Daily—

John E. Peterson of this city who was a member of the G. N. bridge crew rebuilding the bridge at Georgetown on the Halstad line, suffered the loss of three fingers last Saturday.

It appears that Peterson was working on the bridge being installed and a train was on the structure at the time. In moving from the trestle to the scaffolding Peterson placed his hand on the rail supporting himself. Just at this time the train started and several wheels passed over his hand.

He was immediately taken to St. John's hospital at Fargo where it was found necessary to amputate the first and second finger at the hand, the third finger at the first joint and part of the thumb had to be taken off to properly dress the wounds.

Mr. Peterson is well known in this city, where he resides with his father August Peterson, 507 Stewart Avenue. His brother Erick S. Peterson is a member of the well known firm of Peterson and Booth.

DEEDS, NOT WORDS

Crookston People have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home

It's not words, but deeds that prove true merit.

The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills,
For Crookston kidney sufferers,
Have made their local reputation.

Proof lies in the testimony of Crookston people who have been cured to stay cured.

John Dunn, Sr., of 336 Central Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is more than five years since I first recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, but I can endorse them just as highly today as when I gave my first statement in their favor. Before I used them I had suffered for about ten years from pains in the back and about the kidneys. The kidney secretions were also disordered, being too frequent in action. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at the Wallace's Pharmacy, removed every symptom. The gratifying results have proved of a permanent nature, and I have been recommending Doan's Kidney Pills ever since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CIGAR FACTORY BUSINESS GOOD AT BEMIDJI

W. A. Lanctot of Crookston who has for many years been clerk of court of Polk county, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. While here Mr. Lanctot called at the Burkhardt & Fleckenstein cigar factory and seemed to be very well pleased with the progress made by Messrs. Burkhardt and Fleckenstein with their cigar business here.—Bemidji Pioneer.

AN ELOQUENT REMONSTRANCE

EASTERN VINELAND SETTLERS OPPOSE DIVISION OF TOWNSHIP

FILE REMONSTRANCE WITH CO. COMMISSIONERS—A HEARING LATER ON.

From Monday's Daily—

There is blood on the moon in Vineland Township, owing to a movement on foot by the residents of the western portion of that rich subdivision of Polk county to have the township divided. The farmers in the eastern the division and in a remonstrance filed with the commissioners today part of the township are opposed to state their grounds of resentment in eloquent language. The remonstrance was filed with the board today by Chris Steenerson, a pioneer of Vineland, and who is also the first county superintendent of schools of Polk county and also clerk of court in the early days. The remonstrance follows and needs no further explanation:

Declaration of Dependence

To the County Commissioners of the County of Polk:

Whereas a petition has been circulated to be presented to this board praying for the division of the Town of Vineland,

And whereas such division is to run north and south through the Town on the section line between sections four (4) and five (5) Township One hundred forty-eight (148) of Range forty-eight (48).

This will create a western Town wealthy, thickly settled, well improved and amply provided with churches schools, ditches, grades and bridges

The eastern part will be largely an unimproved waste and the undersigned few settlers left with the swamps speculator and state lands.

For twenty years and more most of us have suffered privations and burdens without complaint, paid our annual taxes and otherwise voluntarily contributed to public improvements.

These have invariably by a despotic majority vote been placed in the western and favored region, while we like Siberian exiles have been left singly and alone to struggle against annually recurring destructive overflows. We have endured with patience. We have indulged in the illusions of hope that when the time came and which has now come, when there should be no more improvements needed and western Vineland would be the garden spot of Polk county, our time would come.

But deaf to the voice of equity and justice these petitioners now propose by this secession to cast us off, to be impoverished by taxation and floods. Half a dozen of us who live in the southern portion on the dry Sand Hill border have for thirty years contributed from our abundance to the improvements of western Vineland while the other dozen scattered among the swamps of eastern Vineland have been almost totally ignored and left to our fate. For these reasons we the undersigned earnestly remonstrate until the necessary relief in ditching and grading has been granted and performed by county and state. Very respectfully submitted. Signed,

G. G. Vraa,
J. G. Vraa,
Carl Gronberg,
G. H. Doll,
O. O. Romo,
E. E. Rarik,
K. Gramstad,
John Swenson,
T. T. Ousthy,
E. Eldsvik,
C. Eldsvik,
K. Klev,
B. O. Moen,
H. Glaserud,
Gilbert Strommen,
Ole Knutson,
K. Bramseth,
O. Osmunson.

CREAMERY FOR HILL RIVER

STRICTLY MODERN CREAMERY BEING INSTALLED IN PROGRESSIVE POLK

FARMERS NORTH OF FOSSTON TO ENGAGE IN DAIRYING MORE EXTENSIVELY

From Monday's Daily—

M. J. Cort, the "Creamery Sage" has just returned from Hill River township where the Hill River Creamery Association has been organized and work started on a new creamery of the very latest type and to be fitted with the most modern creamery machinery made.

The farmers north of Fosston have paid considerable attention to dairying for some time past, but decided on a creamery of their own as the quantity of cream produced was too great to cart to other creameries or to Fosston for shipment.

O. J. Matson is the president of the Hill River Creamery Association and A. J. Matson the secretary. Both are progressive farmers and many others are members of the association and intend paying more attention to their dairy herds than ever before, and increasing them as rapidly as possible.

Secretary A. J. Matson is just completing one of the finest barns in that section of the country, costing $1500 and in addition to horses and other stock special arrangements have been made for the accommodation of 25 dairy cows. This is an illustration of the wonderful progress that is being made by the up-to-date farmers of Polk Co. Mr. Matson says he is certain of big returns from the investment.

HEADED FOR NORTH DAKOTA WHEAT FIELDS

A freight car containing several teams and a dozen or more men left Cass Lake last Tuesday for the wheat fields of North Dakota where thousands of men and hundreds of teams are wanted to help secure one of the best crops Dakota has ever grown. John Lunney is major domo of the car and Dick Stoeffler is chief cook and bottle washer. A dozen or more strong-handed fellows accompany them and they expect to make the wheat bundles fly into the stack and machine so rapidly that Dakota's harvest season will soon be over.—Cass Lake Times.

Many a man has put his foot in it by asking a woman for her hand.

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Illinois Man Say[illegible] Minn. Beats World

C. H. Wallace says he will live to see his Valley Land bring $100 per Acre on Open Market.

"I have travelled all over Colorado Texas, New Mexico several of the western states and Wisconsin, in fact I have been traveling more than anything else the past few years, and after looking the conditions and possibilities over everywhere, I believe Minnesota land the best investment I know of at present prices.

"Nowhere that I know of will the land stand such excessive moisture or excessive dry weather during the growing season and still produce such crops as this state. Despite the exceedingly dry weather that has prevailed in this section this summer, I have seen some of as fine wheat crops as ever grew. Red River Valley soil if properly cultivated and with proper conservation of soil energy will produce a good crop every year. The drainage system is rapidly nearing completion and will take care of all moisture during years of abnormal rainfall and cultivation will produce crops be it ever so dry."

The above statement was made yesterday by C. H. Wallace of Homer, Illinois, and land owner and money loaner, who has been here for the past few days looking after 400 acres of the Sykes farm in Farley township which he purchased a few years ago. He is expending $2,000 on improvements this year and says land which he bought at $30 per acre will sell for $100 per acre before he is an old man.

"The damage to crops in spots this year is not alone the result of hot winds or other natural causes and that the worst damage on all kinds of land has followed where slipshod methods of cultivation have been employed.

"Land that was not plowed sufficiently deep and grain seeded sufficiently early or put in in a hasty and unfarmerlike manner, has suffered the worst. To prove that crop damage on certain fields that show the worst aspects is not due to the country, the weather or the soil, but principally to poor farming, any one can see good crops in the immediate vicinity of a poor one. On one side of the road will be found a good piece of grain, on the other, grain that is either choked down by weeds and foul seeds or burned up.

"In the Red River Valley where it is claimed that hot weather has done any considerable damage, a large percentage of the grain is choked by noxious weeds, while adjoining fields will present a fine, luxuriant stand of grain, with every promise of a big yield.

"This shows that it is the fault of the hasty cultivation rather than the soil or the weather. The same old truth applies this year with greater acreage well cultivated and properly seeded, will bring better returns than a larger acreage put in in a hurried and businesslike way. Those who blame the country and the weather for loss may do well to look to their own lack of enterprise first."

VISITS BROTHERS AFTER 36 YEARS

JOHN L. OLSON ARRIVED THIS MORNING FROM LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

HAS BROTHER AT FOSSTON AND ONE AT CLIMAX—WILL SURPRISE BOTH

From Tuesday's Daily—

John L. Olson arrived this morning from St. Paul, and left on the Duluth train for Fosston where he will visit his brother, Anton Olson who farms 10 miles east of Fosston near Cross Hill P. O., whom he has not seen for 36 years, and will later visit his brother Otto Olson who farms near Climax, neither of whom know he is in this part of the country.

Mr. Olson came from Christiania, Norway to St. Louis in 1873, and went to Lincoln, Neb., the following year, where he has made his home ever since. His brothers did not come to this country till 15 years afterwards and they have never seen him since and were not aware that he intended to visit them.

John L. Olson is a harness maker and shoemaker, and has two sons established in that line of business at Lincoln where they make shoes, etc., and vote for Bryan. Mr. Olson displayed an interest in Minnesota politics at once, and asked what Johnson's chances were for a third term. He stated that much was heard of Gov. Johnson in Nebraska and it is safe to assert that he will get one more vote as a result of the arrival of Mr. Olson.

Mr. Olson will remain here for some time and will engage in business if he can find a good opening, as he would prefer to be near his brothers in his declining years.

Four-year-old Piqued, Kills Self.

Belle Fourche, S. D., Aug. 26. — Piqued because he was refused a trivial request by his parents, John, the four-year-old son of Mr. Calkins of Ekaskaka, Mont., just over the state line, committed suicide. The boy wished to go fishing with some companions and when his mother said so he went to his room and put a bullet in his brain.

Killed Under Car Wheels.

Granite Falls, Minn., Aug. 26.—As a stock train was passing the depot on the St. Paul road a man attempted to board the train, but missed his footing and was ground to death beneath the wheels. Nothing on him furnished a clue to his identity.

WAR AMONG WHEAT BUYERS

WITH A RESULTING SCALING DOWN OF MARGINS BY THE COMPANIES

AND HIGHER PRICES REALIZED BY THE FARMERS AT EAST GRAND FORKS

A lively war is in sight among the E. G. Forks wheat buyers, with resulting increased returns for the farmers of this section. It was stated yesterday that the agents of one of the big companies have received instructions as a result of the brisk competition which will in effect scale down the margin of profit to the extent of about 10 cents per bushel which will mean considerable to the farmers of this section. W. V. Williams, who represents a Duluth house, has already purchased and shipped eighteen cars of the new crop and the elevator companies apparently do not consider that they are getting their share of the wheat coming in. The average yield of the wheat thus far threshed is about 15 bushels per acre and most of it grading No. 1 northern.

SOW THISTLE A NOXIOUS WEED

FARMERS SHOULD WATCH FOR IT TO PREVENT ITS SPREADING

E. T. Frank brought in a few thistles Monday of a variety that he said was threatening to take many of the best fields west of town. It has a yellow blossom and is known in common parlance as the sow thistle. It has numerous branches, spreading much more near the base than some other kinds of thistles, and is said to be one of the most dangerous of the noxious weeds with which the farmers of this section have to contend. The work of eradicating it should be entered upon as soon as it puts in its appearance in a field and before it has had an opportunity to gain a foothold. Warren Register.

To Overthrow Castro.

Reno, Nev., Aug. 26. — It has been learned here that Gen. Kaphael Ysabel Mondez, who has been in Nevada since his escape from the battle of La Victoria in 1892, is organizing a filibustering expedition to overthrow the Castro government.

"BOB" WOODS OF FELTON MANGLED BY TRAIN

Was hit by Winnipeg flyer at Felton Saturday. Did not expect trains to pass there.

From Monday's Daily—

R. M. Woods of Felton an old-timer of Clay County was killed by a Great Northern train at the Felton depot just about midnight Saturday a short time after he had reached his place of business on his return from Moorhead.

The Winnipeg flyer, north bound, and the south bound train on that line usually pass at Averill, midway between Glyndon and Felton, but last night the trains were ordered to pass at the latter station and the south bound train pulled in first. Mr. Woods was at the depot to receive a consignment of goods for his fruit and candy store, a part of which was ice cream shipped from the Crookston Pure Food Co., of this city.

Leaving the express office he started to cross the tracks and before he cleared along came the north bound train and he was run over by the ponderous engine in a moment and cut all to pieces. People at the depot say that there was not a second of time for warning and that the killing of Mr. Woods was purely accidental, that he unconsciously stepped in front of the approaching train which he never expected to be there.

Coroner Vincent of Moorhead decided than an inquest was not necessary.

Mr. Woods was among the early settlers of Clay county, but had been careless in his life's affairs and twice had been called upon to pay severe penalties. He had been deprived of his liberty for offenses in his own state and also in North Dakota for terms of years. Late years he has been a good citizen and made a living in his declining years from the proceeds of a little store at Felton. He was a big-hearted fellow and despite his past shortcomings, people were always ready to help him and his untimely end will be greatly regretted by his fellow townsmen. It is said that he was a single man.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OPPOSED TO CO. OPTION

MAYOR DAHLMAN OF OMAHA CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF NEBRASKA ANNOUNCES THAT H E OPPOSES COUNTY OPTION—HE DECLARES THE LAW WOULD BE AGAINST THE PRINCIPLES OF LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 24—Mayor Jas. C. Dahlman has announced that in his race for the gubernatorial nomination he will take a stand against "county option" and strongly in favor of a law providing for a gua anty to bank depositors. Dahlman declares county option law is against the principles of local self government, which anticipates that the purpose of organizing municipalities is to control affairs within their corporate limits. He says country citizens would be able to control churches, schools and saloons interest, advantage and convenience alike in towns adjacent to them with a co-option law.

When we remember that cities and villages are created mainly for the of the locality and its people, and that counties are created as instrumentalities of the state, and not for the regulation of the local and domestic affairs of a compact community, the consummate viciousness of this un-American doctrine and the enormity of its attack upon home rule and the sacred right of ballot, must be apparent to everyone. County Option means County Prohibition through a nullification of the ballot of those who under the express provisions of law, have been created municipal corporations for the interest, advantage and convenience of their respective localities and people. It disregards the fundamental principle that laws ought to be attended closely by the sanction of the groups or units for which they are made.

CLEARWATER CO. SUED FOR $31,000.00

Beltrami county has filed suit against Clearwater county for $31,000 alleged dues since the time of division. It has been a contested question since 1902, between the respective county commissioners, but heretofore no action has been taken. This question ought to have been settled a long time ago, for nothing is gained by prolonging a matter of this nature. Clearwater county don't owe Beltrami a cent, if any dues are coming it is Clearwater County that is entitled to the same, as under that regime we more than paid our share of the taxes and received nothing in return worth mentioning in the line of road work, bridges and public improvements which directly or indirectly has or will prove a public benefit in any way shape, form or manner, and defy them to point out or locate improvements in our county which will in any way justify their claim of $31000 alleged due them since time of division.—Olberg Journal.

ATTEND OPENING OF OHIO CAMPAIGN

Congressman Halvor Steenerson today received an invitation to attend the formal opening of the Republican Campaign in Ohio, the state which presents W. H. Taft, Republican candidate for president of the United States, which will be held at Greensborough, Ohio, on Saturday, Sept. 5, and will accept the invitation. The speakers will be Gov. Andrew L. Harris of Ohio, Hon. Chas. E. Hughes and U. S. Senator A. J. Beveridge.

Magic Lantern Fatal Fire's Cause.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 26.—The six-year-old daughter of County Auditor I. W. Healy was fatally burned yesterday. Her clothing caught fire while she was lighting a magic lantern.

DIED AT VERY ADVANCED AGE

H. E. Kjersvick ticket clerk at the Great Northern went to Thief River Falls this mornin gto attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Brovig who died at Thief River Falls Sunday evening aged 80 years. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Fred Anderson, formerly of this city and leaves a husband and three daughters. Mrs. Milligan also went up to attend the funeral.

No one is immune from kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Remedy will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by all druggists.

Judge Parker Says Bryan is Sure to Win

Former Candidate For President passed Through Crookston Enroute to Duluth after a Tour of the West.

Judge Alton B. Parker of New York was a Crookston visitor yesterday enroute from an extended trip west, where he has been since the Denver convention, to Duluth from where he will make a trip down the Great Lakes to Buffalo. Judge Parker looked the picture of health and stated that the trip had been a very pleasant one. Asked as to the political outlook Judge Parker said to the Journal representative:

"The Democracy was never in a more healthy condition in the west than at the present time. From every indication there will be a much bigger democratic vote cast than for many years. The industrial conditions are such that the western people want a change and they will vote the democratic ticket to get it.

"There is more general interest in politics among the laboring classes than there has been in years and I believe very strongly that there will be some surprises in the west in the line of democratic gains. The campaign is just getting under way. It promises to be a vigorous one and Democracy has all the best of the argument, and has every opportunity to make big gains in many Republican strongholds. Personally I am not certain what I shall do. I am in the hands of the committee ready to do any work assigned me.

"William Jennings Bryan will be the next president of the United States. I have travelled thru the western states since the Denver convention and find the democrats well united while nearly everywhere there are republican fights which will mean democratic success. Conditions are very hopeful in New York. Tammany is a unit for Bryan and there will be no doubt about his carrying the state.

"Conditions are ripe for a democratic victory. The republican full dinner pail is empty, union labor is with the democrats and the conservative element will support him.

Hearst's League a Frost

"While the republicans may carry California, Bryan will surely have Oregon and Washington. The Independence league, founded by Hearst, is not making much headway out on the coast or elsewhere. The socialist ticket will get more votes in San Francisco than the league.

"In New York the democrats elected Hughes two years ago but that was because they did not want Hearst This year it will be different."

Judge Parker was accompanied by Delancey Nicol a leading lawyer of New York City. They had a colored man to look after their luggage and act as valet.

SKELETONS ARE FOUND

PRIESTS FIND REMAINS OF CANADIAN MISSIONARIES KILLED BY INDIANS

MEMORY OF LONELY TRAGEDY SOLEMLY PRESERVED BY CATHOLIC PRIESTS

On June 8, 1736, Jean Baptiste de la Verandrye, 20 years old, son of the great explorer Sieur de la Verandrye, Father Aulneau,a Jesuit missionary and nineteen French Canadian voyagers, were murdered by Sioux Indians on an island in the northwestern angle of the Lake of the Woods. The memory of this lonely tragedy has been solemly preserved by the Roman Catholic church throughout the long years that have passed away, and since then periodical attempts have been made to identify the scene of the massacre. On Aug. 7, last, a party of priests of St. Boniface college, Winnipeg, accompanied by Judge Prudhomme, discovered the site of Fort St. Charles built in 1732 by Sieur de la Verandrye on the northwest angle of the Lake of the Woods. They also discovered the skulls of the nineteen voyagers and skeletons of Father Aulneau and Jean Baptiste de la Verandrye.

For many years past the Roman Catholic church has made efforts to locate these remains but until the present month all efforts to do so failed.

HUNTERS WILL BE GIVEN WARNING

MUST NOT SHOOT RING NECKED PHEASANTS UNDER HEAVY PENALTY

The Polk county Game and Fish Protective Assn. is having some big cards printed warning all hunters to beware of the law against killing ring necked pheasants which were placed in various parts of Polk County by the State Game and Fish Commission and several hundred more which were hatched from eggs bought by the Polk county association and the signs will be placed about all the farms where the game birds were planted. Hunters should be very careful not to disturb any of these birds which cannot be shot for several years.

Some men remind us of camels; while they may go for several days without drinking, they nevertheless get their backs up.

BOOMING ON BORDER

STEEL INTERESTS SAID TO HAVE ACQUIRED INTERNATIONAL FALLS WATER POWER

PAPER AND PULP MILL ON AMERICAN SIDE—HUGE FLOURING MILLS OPPOSITE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Minneapolis Tribune contains the following regarding the waterpower at International Falls:

"The Backus-Brooks interests at International Falls have sold their water power holdings at "the fall" to Eastern capital, and it is understood that the development hereafter will be by capital furnished by the steel interests.

"W. H. Cook president of the Duluth, Rainy Lake and Winnipeg road has sent word to the Minneapolis lumber interests to the effect that work would begin at once by the use of 600 men, looking to the completion of works that would produce 30,000 horse power within a year. This, it is understood, will be followed by the quick completion of some new railroad lines in that district.

"It is understood by those who have followed matters in that locality that the Backus-Brooks company will concentrate its efforts upon the completion of a mammoth paper and pulp plant on the American side at International Falls. Pulp wood is plenty in that locality and the mill is to be finished by the time the power is ready to be delivered. The plant will have a capacity of 500 tons of paper a day.

"The advices also claim that to offset the huge paper mill on this side the Ogilvie Milling company, of Winnipeg, is to build a flour mill with a capacity of 20,000 barrels a day at Fort Frances on the Canadian side of Rainy river. Elevators will be built and wheat ground in transit. All these developments are some of the things that led the Minneapolis real estate board to take its trip to the Rainy lake country in order to investigate the situation and see what could be done toward making that market tributary to Minneapolis."

Vilas' Improvement Slow.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 26. — It is five weeks yesterday since Col. William F. Vilas was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage, and his condition is still unchanged to any great extent, although he has shown improvement in the last few days.

Depot Thieves Get $50.

Janesville, Wis., Aug. 26.—Thieves robbed the St. Paul depot at Brodhed of $50. The cash drawer was broken open with a file, which was broken off in the work.

From our Exchanges

McINTOSH
(Times)

Miss Paula Haaven left last Saturday for Wilton, where she has been engaged for the coming year as principal of the village school.

Ferdinand Oppegaard and family came down from Grand Rapids last week on a sad mission that of burying their little baby girl. The funeral was held here Saturday.

At the recent meeting of the Village Board of Education it was decided to change the date of opening school from August 31st as heretofor announced to September 8th.

Miss Nellie Christianson, who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. G. Jacobson, of Crookston, for some weeks past, returned home Saturday.

Abriham Paquin is in from Lambert this afternoon with a car of butchers stock which he is shipping to Blackduck to supply the demands of his meat market there. Referring to the crop conditions in his neighborhood he says that the crop generally is light and that much of the oats is not worth cutting. Flax is better but not a big crop and wheat and barley there is but little of.

ADA
(Herald)

Mrs. A. O. Johnson returned to her home at Turtle River Saturday morning after having visited relatives in Lake Ida.

The dog poisoner is at work in Ada again and several dogs have been poisoned within the past week.

Mrs. S. M. Calkins and daughter, who have been visiting relatives here left last Saturday morning for their home at Ashland, Ore.

Dr. Bjorn received his new automobile last Thursday morning. It is thirty horse power Aerocar with a double rumble seat and is one of the most attractive cars in this section.

Mrs. Albert Myran of Long Beach, Cal., arrived in Ada last Thursday morning for a two weeks visit with friends. Mrs. Myran has been spending the summer with her mother at Morris and is on her way home to California.

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Ben Setterholm went to Crookston Thursday where he will work this fall.

William Anglim of Crookston came up on Saturday to look after his farm interests here.

M. O. Hjelle returned Friday from his trip to Norway. He reports having had a very enjoyable trip.

Miss Adele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Melgaard, who has been in attendance at college at Oberlin, O., came home on Sunday to remain during vacation.

Louis Riopelle lost a barn and about 40 tons of hay by fire last Tuesday. The fire started at about eleven o'clock at night just after the family had retired to bed and it was with some difficulty that the horses were saved. The origin of the fire is unknown. Loss was $400.

FERTILE
(Journal)

Mrs. C. R. Snyder of Ada is the guest of friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Schmidt of Crookston were the guests of Mr. Geo. Kronscnabel over Sunday.

The game warden was in town on Monday night. He had been in the country and had his eagle eye on the lookout for poachers.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Haaven of McIntosh stopped off here for a visit with friends Tuesday. They will leave for a trip to Norway in a few days.

The kid band is improving rapidly under the instruction of Mr. Maxwell, who comes here every Thursday night from Red Lake Falls for that purpose. Fertile will soon be able to boast of having one of the best bands in the northwest.

Gulbran J. Svendby an old settler of Bear Park, died on the 7th inst., and was laid to rest in the Faaberg cemetery at Rindal on the 10th, and a large number of his many friends followed him to his last resting place Rev.Sundheim of the United Lutheran church at Rindal officiated at the house and church.

PENNED AND PILFERED

The editor of the Detroit Quiver spiels on the recent automobile accident in that city in the following humorous vein:

The Hawley base ball boys come to Detroit and have the softest snap ever with "our" aggregation of properts, but when it comes to scorching their gas wagons outside the street deadlines, any old telephone pole can make them sit up and take intimation beforehand.

At least that was the case last Sunday evening when Johnson's machine honked at a telephone pole to get out of the way.

The driver may have taken Mr. Pole for a Fargo girl clad in a Detroit lake directoire bathing suit, but such was not the case. The tall cedar refused to move, the auto now refuses to move, and the Hawley men moved up so close to the pearly gates that they distinctly saw stars in the day time.

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A Prominent physician was recently called to his telephone by a colored woman. In great agitation the woman advised the physician that her youngest child was in a bad way. "What seems to be the trouble?" asked the doctor. "Doc, she done swallowed a bottle of ink!" "I'll be over in a short while to see her, said the doctor. "Have you done anything for her?" "I done give her three pieces of blottin' paper, Doc," said the colored woman, doubtfully.

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The lady who gently tapped her husband on the shoulder at the social the other evening and tenderly said, "Love, it is growing late; I think we had better go home," is the same pious lady who, after getting home, shook the rolling pin under his nose and said, "You infamous old snaggle-toothed scoundrel, if you ever look at that mean, hateful calico-faced, cackerel-eyed old thing you had your eyes glued on tonight. I'll burst your cocoanut wide open for you."

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A good dinner has about the same effect on a man that a good cry has on a woman.

MRS. STEIN IN JAIL.

Mother Also Held at Des Moines on Murder Charge.

Des Moines, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Morris Stein and her mother, Mrs. Bayard, were arrested yesterday by detectives here on a telegram from the authoritis at Loudenville, Ohio, saying they hold warrants charging murder and will start at once with requisition papers.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

Husband's Suicide Follows Wife's.

New York, Aug. 22.—A double suicide occurred yesterday when Edward H. Hackett, finding his wife had committed suicide because he was tired of her, used the same pistol to end his own life.

GORE BAY PREY FOR FLAMES.

Fifteen Business Houses Burned in a Michigan Town.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 20.—A telephone message from Gore Bay, Manitoulin island, says the business section of the town has been practically wiped out by fire. Fifteen business places and eight houses were burned. The town has 1,000 inhabitants, but no waterworks to fight fire. The loss will probably be $150,000; partly insured.

SEVENTY ENTOMBED IN MINE.

Only Smallest Hope of Saving Any of Them.

Wigan, Engand, Aug. 20. — An explosion occurred yesterday in the Maypole mine. The headgear and ventilating apparatus of the mine was destroyed and about seventy of the miners are entombed. Only the smallest hope is entertained of saving the entombed miners.

Physicians are about the only men who really enjoy ill-health.

Don't overstep yourself in an attempt to put your best foot forward.

From Over The Valley

ROCK PILE FOR GRAND FORKS COUNTY PRISONERS

A carload of stone for the workhouse at the Grand Forks county jail attracted a good deal of attention yesterday. The car was sidetracked off Kittson avenue. The big sandstone rocks will furnish lots of work for the jail birds. When broken the rock can be used for concrete walls, roads and other purposes. State's Attorney Wineman suggests that it be used for the walls of the new workhouse, in case the voters decide they want one. The stone was furnished free by the Great Northern and a half rate was given on the freight.

WATCH YOUR VALUABLE HUNTING DOGS

A party of harvesthands going north picked up two valuable hunting dogs belonging to Supt. Keenan of Warren last Friday, Marshall Dundas of Argyle was notified, who with N. S. Hegnes started in pursuit and captured the party near Stephen. They were given a hearing and were made to pay $2 apiece for their trouble. The same gang tried to coax away Mayor Onstad's hunting dog but were caught in the act.

AUTOMOBILE RACES AT HALLOCK FAIR GOOD

In the automobile races at Hallock N. S. Hegnes of Argyle won the first heat of the two mile race in 4:09. Dr. H. C. Stuhr also of Argyle took the second heat in 3:20. The third heat was not run on account of the poor condition of the track and the hard wear on the tires.

HOME FOR ELKS AT VALLEY CITY, N. DAKOTA

Valley City, Aug. 21—At a meeting of the Elks lodge yesterday evening it was decided to build a home for the order on West Main street, just east of the foot bridge entrance to the park. The committee reported the purchase of the site. It is triangular shaped, 150 by 130. It has a frontage on Main street of 130 feet.

A company will be incorporated for $50,000 to be known as the Building Association of Lodge No. 1110, B. P. O. E., Valley City, N. D. Five thousand shares of $10 each will be issued.

The structure will cost $15,000 exclusive of the furniture and will probably be built in the spring.

BEATEN OUT OF $130, HE SAYS

A suit charging grand larceny was filed yesterday in the municipal court at East Grand Forks in which Iver J. Kjoss a laborer declares that he was swindled out of $130 by Andy Lundberg a resident of the city last fall. Kjoss alleges in his complaint that on November 30, 1907, he gave into the keeping of Lundberg the sum of money he declares he lost and took the train to Bagley. When he came back to get the money he was told that it was all spent and his efforts to get the money were futile.

PROTECT BUGS THAT EAT THE DANDELIONS

Grafton Record: Millions of little bugs were in evidence on the sidewalks and yards of Grafton last week and are here yet. But don't try to drive them away, because they are eating away at the roots of the pesky dandelions, hundreds of them getting at one plant, and we hope that they will fill up to their heart's content.

THOROBRED CHICKENS IN DEMAND IN N. DAKOTA

Manager Dickerson of the Jamestown poultry yards has hatched over a thousand chickens this year and is unable to keep up to the demand. He set 3,000 eggs, but owing to a strange malady which effected the chickens after hatching and before being fed, he lost large numbers. He runs six incubators.

GOES TO ALASKA TO TEACH SCHOOL

C. A. Swanson, who taught the Breese school in Marshall Co., has left for Kassan, Alaska, where he has contracted to teach a nine months school. He is employed by the government at a salary of $80 per month Kassan is a port town so he will not be isolated at all and will be in fact in close touch with the world. He anticipates that living will be a considerable higher than it is in this country, but still with the salary he gets he will make more than he could at teaching here and will have a splendid opportunity of seeing the country.

SMALL G. N. STRIKE ON HALSTAD LINE

About fifty men working on the G. N. tracks here went out on a strike Monday. They have been getting $1.65 per day but wanted $2.00 which they were refused. Most of them are still out and feel that they would rather be idle than work for a small wage at this time of the year—Halstad Advocate.

WARREN PASTOR ENJOYS TWO MONTHS' VACATION

Rev. Grant Stroh, pastor of the Warren Presbyterian church, is taking a two months' vacation. It was originally his intention to spend this vacation in Palestine, visiting the places in the Holy Land made famous by the Bible, but he some time ago gave up the idea of making a trip across the seas, and will take his recreation on this side of the Atlantic.

ST. VINCENT FARMER LOSES 10 HEAD CATTLE

A. Hutchins of St. Vincent lost ten head of cattle by lightening last week The cattle were in a pasture and the bolt struck the fence alongside of which the cattle were feeding. A peculiar fact is that there were cattle belonging to at least ten other parties yet only the cattle belonging to Mr. Hutchins were injured.

BLUEBERRY SEASON CLOSED — CROP POOR

The blueberry season in this section is practically closed and it has been a very poor year, not enough having been brought in to satisfy the demands of the village. Indians and citizens who usually indulge in the diversion of picking these berries have as a resultant suffered a loss of several hundred dollars. — Shevlin Herald.

COAL SHIPMENTS FROM DULUTH INCREASING

Coal shipments are said to be on the increase from Duluth and the Northern Pacific alone now averages 100 cars daily. All wholesalers are urging the retailers to stock up before the fall rush of grain and stock shipments begin in order to avoid a fuel shortage such as was experienced two years ago.

MINOT STORE ENTERED CASH AND GOODS STOLEN

The Leland department store at Minot was burglarized yesterday afternoon. Entrance was gained by cutting a screen. The safe was opened and $148 in cash and checks and a large amount of merchandise was secured. No clue has been obtained to the burglars.

POTATO CROP WILL BE LIGHT IN VALLEY

The Moorhead News states that owing to the dry weather which occurred at a critical period of the season, the potato crop of Clay county will fall far short of the first estimates. The crop seems to be in excellent condition but there are fewer tubers in a hill than have been grown in former years.

WOMAN IS SHOT DEAD.

Another Woman Placed Under Arrest on the Charge of Murder.

Marmath, N. D., Aug. 21. — In a drunken brawl, which culminated in a shooting affray, a young woman about twenty-two years of age was shot and instantly killed in a resort in North Marmath. A woman named Maud Livingstone is locked up in the city jail awaiting the results of the coroner's jury and hearing.

Auto Wreck Is Fatal.

Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 22. — Thomas Denman a wealthy farmer, and Ralph Sear of Roswell, Ind., were seriously injured and William Coffenburg, Leo Schueller and Warren Mankey, also of Roswell, were fatally burned by the explosion of an automobile near here.

Life would be awful monotonous if we didn't make an occasional enemy.

CUT ARTERIES IN WRIST.

Suicidal Attempt of Choate Suggested Means of Death to Aged Iowan.

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 21.—William Sampson, aged seventy, committed suicide by opening the arteries in his wrist with a razor, a plan suggested to him by Fred Choate, a New York attorney, who recently tried suicide in the same fashion when refused possession of his child.

COAL DOCKS COLLAPSE.

Mud Bottom of River Causes Accident at Point aux Frene.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 22. — The Pittsburg Coal company's dock at Point aux Frene collapsed last night, letting a large amount of coal into the river. The dock was built a year ago and is one of the largest on St. Mary's river. The mud bottom is to blame for the accident.

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CORRESPONDENCE

MENTOR

August Ness did a business turn in Crookston Tuesday.

Mrs. S. F. C. Knowles was a visitor to Crookston last Tuesday.

Miss Dora LePage is visiting with friends at Crookston this week.

M. Grassman Jr. and wife returned this morning from a few days spent with relatives at Crookston.

Mr. Prichard, of Hibbing, and Victor Wadekamper have been buying another car load of stock hereabouts during the past week.

Miss Nellie Ford stopped off here Wednesday and spent the day here with her sister Mrs. Ed. Drinkwine on her way from St. Paul to her home at Carleton.

The Village schools will open on Monday, August 31st. The children have enjoyed the summer vacation and are in excellent condition to resume their studies.

LOCKHART

Mrs. August Maas is visiting at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. C. R. Ahlers and children visited in Ada last week.

Miss Casselman is home from Crookston for a few days.

Miss Kate Manus of Illinois, is visiting her brother D. J. Manus. She will later go to Spokane, Wash.

Miss Lucy McPhee visited Charlotte Barnes last week, returning to her home in Crookston Monday morning.

The output from Lockhart creamery was larger in July than in any previous month since the creamery was started.

W. E. Casselman and family, Frank Casselman and children, Charlotte Barnes, Lucy McPhee and Leslie Barnes drove to Fertile Sunday.

A fault of your own would probably be a sin in others.

MOTHER SAYS SON BEAT HER.

Wisconsin Woman Complains That She Was Driven From Home.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 20.—Alleging that her son had knocked her down, given her a terrible beating and chased her from home, Mrs. Margaret Sherman, a well known resident of Anson, swore out a warrant yesterday for his arrest. The assault occurred several weeks ago and the mother had feared his return since.

Residence Is Destroyed.

Two Harbors, Minn., Aug. 20.—Fire totally destroyed the residence of John Oleson here yesterday. The house was occupied by P. B. Sawyer and John Carlson. The latter lost everything and carried no insurance. Firemen by hard work saved the adjoining building. An overturned lamp caused the fire.

Bachelor Kills Himself.

Bridgewater, S. D., Aug. 20.—Lorenz Vesper, aged fifty and a bachelor, living about three miles northeast of town, committed suicide last evening by shooting himself in the head. He was well to do and bore a good reputation, and the act is thought to have been due to temporary insanity.

Five Persons Cremated.

Marshall, N. C., Aug. 20.—The home of Wofford Tweed was destroyed by fire early yesterday, and his wife, their three children and Mrs. Murray Tweed were burned to death and their bodies cremated in the flames.

Freight Train Wrecked.

Red Wing, Minn., Aug. 20.—By the breaking of a draw bar, which fell on the track, an east-bound freight train on the Milwaukee road was wrecked near Wabasha yesterday morning. No one was injured.

Thrown Under Cars.

Barnesville, Minn., Aug. 21.—In attempting to board a moving train at Wolverton, James Monahan of Chicago was thrown under the wheels and both legs were cut off. He was taken to Moorhead and his chances for recovery are slight.

Thirty Days in Jail.

Hastings, Minn., Aug. 21.—Ole Larson was brought in from Farmington last evening by Chief of Police C. S. Lewis and sentenced to thirty days in jail for petit larceny.

Killed Her Husband.

Vermillion, S. D., Aug. 21.—During a quarrel at her farm near Alsen, Christina Clark shot and killed Charles A. Clark, her divorced husband.

STRIKERS ARE TAKEN BACK.

Many Ore Punchers Apply for Their Old Positions.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 20. — More of the striking ore punchers on the punchers on the Great Northern docks applied for work there yesterday and were taken back. The docks now have a full crew and no more of the strikers can be placed. A number of them have already left the city.

Fish Upsets Boat; Man Drowned.

Tupper Lake, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Dr. Joseph Richberg of Cincinnati was drowned yesterday in Big Tupper lake. In trying to land a large pickerel the boat was capsized.

Boat Capsizes; Two Lost.

Traverse City, Mich., Aug. 20.—Benson Anderson and Julius Haspen were drowned in Bass lake, off Elk Rapids, yesterday when their sailboat was capsized in a heavy wind.

Simply Tired of Life.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 20.—Alfred T. Wimberly committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the head. He left a note saying that he was tired of life.

Plot to Kidnap King Thwarted.

Geneva, Aug. 20.—A plot of the most daring conception to kidnap Otto William, "the mad king of Bavaria," and hold him for a rich ransom, has just been thwarted by the Munich police, according to information which leaked out here yesterday.

Jury Asks Divine Guidance.

St. Louis, Aug. 22.—Kneeling in suppliant attitude beside their cots before retiring Wednesday night, each member of a St. Louis county jury at Clayton, which was deliberating in the case of Wash Woods, a negro charged with murder, offered prayer, asking divine guidance in arriving at a verdict. On the first ballot taken yesterday morning Woods was acquitted.

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TWO CASES IN PROBATE COURT

Two cases were on in probate court today before Judge Morken. There was a final hearing in the Inderle estate and testimony as to disposition of property in the Henry Peterson estate. Attorney J. A. Hendricks of Fosston was interested in both cases and came in this morning to look after them.

Arthur Upson Found Dead.

Bemidji, Minn., Aug. 20.—The body of Arthur Upson of Minneapolis, the famous author, was found floating in the lake yesterday. It is not known whether he committed suicide or met with an accident. About three years ago he made a senational attempt to make away with himself.

Falling Floors Kill Three.

London, Ont., Aug. 20.—Three firemen were killed and a fourth was dangerously hurt last night when the floors of a building fell upon them.

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TALKING WIRES ARE GIRDLING THE NEWLY SETTLED EAST COUNTRY

LILLO, PLUMMER RED LAKE FALLS ARE CENTRAL FOR LARGE TERRITORY

Plummer Pioneer: The Board of Directors of the Clearwater Farmer's Telephone Co., met here on Thursday evening for the purpose of receiving the report of the contractors, Herman and August Lillo, and settling up with them for the work of constructing the line. The line has been completed between Red Lake Falls and Lillo by way of Plummer and the Directors found that the work had been properly done and they settled promptly with the contractors.

There is at present eighteen phones in use on the line, exclusive of the instruments in the "central" offices at Red Lake Falls and Plummer and there will be a number more installed as soon as the instruments arrive.

This company has been duly incorporated under the laws of the State and the capital stock is fixed at $10,000. Of this amount about $1,500 is already paid in and the company is in good shape to transact business.

NEGROES OBJECT TO RED PEPPER

CLAIM RESTAURANTS DO NOT WANT THEIR TRADE AND PUT "DOPE" IN FOOD

Altho Grand Forks is pretty far north the color line is drawn rather closely. In a large share of the restaurants negroes are given to understand that they are not wanted as patrons. Some of the colored men think they are as good as anyone else, and the result has been some wordy mixups. In some of the restaurants the negroes claim that red pepper was placed in their pork chops, and they were overcharged. They are rather ugly over their grievances but there has been no dangerous outbreak yet.

In many of the East Grand Forks saloons the color line is drawn and the bartender fails to see a negro if he puts in an appearance at the bar. Usually the negro realizes what he is up against and leaves promptly. One protested loud and long recently, but was informed that he might as well keep quiet.

"If Springfield can handle thousands of niggers, East Grand Forks ought to be able to handle a few," remarked the bartender significantly.

ANOTHER FIRST CLASS FARMER

D. S. CAMPBELL OF MATOON, ILL. STARTS IN NEAR BELTRAMI

D. S. Campbell formerly in the undertaking business at Matoon, Ill., has purchased the Schilling farm near Beltrami and will make his future home there. He has been spending the past few days in Crookston and has purchased 12 horses, mostly brood mares, wagons, a manure spreader and other machinery of S. L. Collins of this city.

Mr. Campbell intends farming his land properfly, and will devote considerable attention to stock raising. He will without doubt make a signal success of farming in the Red River Valley. Several others from Matoon will soon locate near Beltrami in addition to the colony already there.

MANY COMING FROM CITIES

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experimental farm returned this morning from St. Paul where he made a hurried business trip. He states that many prominent men from the St. Anthony Park School are planning on being present at the dedication of Stephens Hall Sept. 17 but the full list will not be known for about a week.

Earthquake Shakes Town.

Eureka, Cal., Aug. 20.—Two sharp earthquake shocks were felt here yesterday morning. It is not believed that any serious damage resulted in the town, although the walls of the court house were slightly cracked.

Panic in Theater.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Two men were burned, one seriously, and several hundred persons were thrown into a panic in a 5-cent theater last night when a tank of gas exploded and set fire to the building.

FINE HUNTING IS PROMISED

CONDITIONS WILL BE IDEAL FOR THE CHICKENS THIS SEASON

MOST OF GRAIN WILL BE CUT AND SUPPLY OF BIRDS BEST IN YEARS

From Thursday's Daily—

The pursuer of the festive prairie chicken is assured the best sport this year that has been enjoyed in the past seven or eight years. The hunting the past three years has been very poor owing to weather conditions. Last year the harvest was so late that little grain was cut the forepart of the season. The spring was also so wet that many farms were not seeded at all and grew up to weeds. This with the tangled mass of grass in the low lands gave the chickens such good cover that they could not be ferreted out, as a hunting dog could not work but a short time and then the rank weeds made their work only passable. As a result fewer birds were bagged and consequently more were left to breed the following year.

This year the harvest was started exceptionally early and by the first of September practically every field will be cut and thousands of acres threshed. The dogs will have splendid running and there is an abundance of birds reported in all directions. Farmers state that not in many years have they seen the number of chickens. The conditions are also more favorable for the hunters from the Twin Cities and Duluth. Last year it was so wet that the farmers had two or three days a week during haying and harvest when they could not work, and consequently they hunted, and many coveys were broken up before the city sportsmen got a crack at them. This year the farmers have not had their work interrupted for a single day since harvest began, and the birds will not have been disturbed.

This means that the hunters from the city will get all the best of it this year, and will return with full game bags to recompense the mfor the indif ferent sport that has been afforded them in the Red River Valley during the past few seasons.

DAKOTA SHERIFF IS CENSURED

FOR GIVING WOMEN PRISONERS CONFINED IN JAIL TOO MUCH LIBERTY

Judge Cowan of the western N. Dakota district has warned Sheriff Belford of Ramsey Co., N. D., that he is violating his committment papers in giving women prisoners too much liberty and was subjecting himself to punishment for contempt of court Sheriff Belford has been very lenient, particularly was this the case in the case of Margaret Regan who was held as a witness against her father During the time she was held Sheriff Belford treated her as a member of his family, and because she was not actually confined in jail Judge Cowan refused to allow her 50 cents per day which is provided for in such cases.

Mrs. Regan and children are residing in Crookston, Mrs. Regan having secured a divorce from her husband recently.

ROOSEVELT TO SAIL MARCH 7.

Date Is Set for President's Start on African Hunting Trip.

New York, Aug. 22. — President Roosevelt, it is said, will leave on his African hunting trip on the White Star steamer Celtic on March 7, 1909.

If this plan is unaltered special arrangements for Roosevelt and his party will be made on the Celtic, principal among which will be the installation of a gymnasium and shooting gallery, that the president may get a start on his expedition in prime physical condition.

$50,00 in Jewels Stolen.

New York, Aug. 22. — It became known last night that jewels valued at more than $50,000 have been stolen from a secret treasure room in the mansion of Commodore Frederick G. Bourne at Oakdale, L. I. The treasure room was built when the mansion was erected, and its existence was known only to the family. Just when the robbery took place is not known.

Blacks and Whites in Fight.

Chicago, Aug. 22. — In a fight between white and black dock laborers yesterday five men were injured and the police only restored order after a free use of their clubs and by threats to shoot. The feeling against the negro laborers reached a climax yesterday and some of the whites declared they would quit work unless the negroes quit.

A good idea is one that can be carried out and exchanged for coin.

No Alonzo, the rats women wear in their hair are not caught in traps.

KEEP LABOR DAY SAYS GOVERNOR

GREATNESS OF NATION DEPENDS ON MEN WHO WORK IN THE SHOP, MINE OR FARM

ADVISES GENERAL CELEBRATION WITH GOOD CHEER AND ENJOYMENT

Governor Johnson today issued his Labor day proclamation which is as follows:

"Under the laws of our nation and state, Monday, Sept. 7, 1908, is designated as a holiday in honor of the men and women who toil in the nation's workshops.

"It is typical of our twentieth century civilization to set apart a day in which all the people may acknowledge their debt to that great army of toilers whose industry has made our civilization possible. The nation leans on the shoulders of labor. Upon its strength, its health, its domestic happiness, and economic wellbeing depends the peace and the prosperity of the people. We must look to the man in the workshop in the mine, and on the farm for those qualities of manhood and citizenship—integrity, loyalty, industry and thrift—which make for the greatness of our nation and the perfection of its institutions.

"We, in Minnesota, are proud of the advancing morals, intellectual and social attainments of labor. With the future developments of the vast resources of our great state, these acomplishments will make Minnesota labor more indispensible than ever before. In opening avenues for permanent employment, we will not forget the government's duty to its citizens in protecting their lives and their liberty and in aiding them in the pursuit of happiness. Labor Day carries the message of a oneness in purpose of the two mighty factors in industry—capital and labor — and therefore it is eminently fitting that on this occasion we should lay aside our accustomed employment to join in a proper observance of the day.

"Now therefore, I, John A. Johnson governor of Minnesota, do hereby designate and set apart Monday the 7th day of September, as Labor Day.

"Let there be a proper celebration of the purpose of the day, and let social meetings of friends lend cheer and enjoyment. (Signed)

"—John A. Johnson,
"Governor."

MINN. TRIBUNE "TRAIL BLAZER"

MINNEAPOLIS TRIBUNE AUTOMOBILE TOURIST PARTY PASS THRU CITY

The big Wolfe five passenger 30-horse power touring car that is making new records on trial runs was in the city this noon with the party that made the run from Minneapolis to Grand Forks.

In the party taking the trip which was an official one, the records to be used in the 1909 year book of the Minnesota Star Automobile association were Col. Frank M. Joyce, of Minneapolis, president of the association, John W. Fawcett and Joseph Gjertson, special representatives of the Minneapolis Tribune and John H. Shields, sales manager for the Wilcox Motor Car company, of Minneapolis, manufacturers of the Wolfe automobile.

They had dinner here and proceeded south.

The run from Minneapolis was made in 20 hours. In addition to breaking all previous records for time, the tourists succeeded, as had been their aim, in logging out a route from Minneapolis to Grand Forks 44 miles shorter than that commonly used. The distance by the present trail is 414 miles and by the new 370 The average rate of speed on the 370 miles covered was 18 and a fraction miles an hour.

REUNITED AFTER 19 YEARS ABSENCE

S. P. Swedburgh was yesterday most agreeably surprised when his brother, Ole, arrived after an absence of 19 years. Until a short time ago Mr. Swedburgh had believed his brother dead and buried years ago. Ole Swedburgh has had a very checkered career, having spent years in mining and prospecting in the Black Hills and over the entire west. He is a typical miner and has many interesting tales of camp life to tell. He will make an extended visit here with his brother.

Have a way of your own—then keep out of other people's way.

Many an upright man has failed to score a downright success.

WILL WINNEY IN AUTO WRECK

HIS CAR TAKES REINS AND GOES FISHING IN MOUSE RIVER BOTTOM

FINE TOURING CAR DAMAGED TO EXTENT OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS

From Thursday's Daily—

While driving his big Richmond touring car out of Minot enroute to his home at Lansford, N. D., yesterday, Will H. Winney a former resident of this city experienced a disastrous accident.

While passing the Minot flour mill at a fair rate of speed the touring car became unmanageable and before Mr. Winney could grasp the emergency brake, was on the edge of the 20-foot rock lined embankment of the Mouse river. Messrs. Winney and Ginsberg who accompanied him jumped to save their lives and barely escaped as the car crashed over the embankment and into the river.

Mr. Winney sprained his foot quite severely and Mr. Ginsberg landed on his hands in such a manner as to inflict very painful gravel bruises which will bother him for some time. The big car landed in the bottom of the Mouse river right side up with care, but with several axels and a good bit of the interior mechanism ripped out.

A team of horses, a diver and several additional men were put at work at the scene of the accident endeavoring to extracate the machine all day and were successful by means of block and tackle in landing it on terra firma. The auto is in a bad shape from its precipitous drop into the waters of the Mouse and Mr. Winney will return to Lansford by train. It will probably cost $500 or more to put the machine in shape for use again.

"U." PROFESSOR A SUICIDE AT BEMIDJI

BODY DISCOVERED IN BEMIDJI LAKE — IS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR A SUICIDE

The body of Arthur Upson professor of English at the state university was found in lake Bemidji Tuesday. It was not positively identified until yesterday, and all indications are that he committed suicide. Prof. Upson went to Bemidji recently to recreate and boarded at the Markham. His absence was first noted last Sunday.

The reason for believing this is the fact that Upson attempted to take his life by jumping from the bridge at Tenth avenue south Minneapolis, some time ago and was rescued.

Upson was thirty-five years of age and had a fine position at the State University. He was a writer of some small fame and has been looked upon as a coming author by his friends. He had several of his efforts published and planned upon some excellent work, which he hoped to produce while sojourning in Bemidji.

The causes leading to the action of self destruction are a mystery to all acquainted with the deceased.

JOHN R. MASCALL'S SWEET CORN TREAT

OWNER OF SECTION 1, IN LOWELL ARRIVES WITH A BIG FEED

John R. Mascall, the owner of Section 1 in the town of Lowell arrived yesterday from Cambridge, Ill., for his annual stay of several weeks to look after his property, and this morning when his trunks arrived one of them was packed with scores of ears of the finest sweet corn that was ever seen in Crookston. It is a rare variety Mr. Mascall having secured the seed in the east ,and he will be petitioned to send up a few bushels of seed next year for this section of the country. Mr. Mascall peddled his corn among his friends this morning and they all had a feast of roasted ears for dinner which just struck the right spot.

Mr. Mascall visited his farm last evening and finds conditions better than they have been for several years Last year he leased it to Reitmeier Bros., for a term of 5 years, and their high grade manner of farming it is already very evident. Mr. Mascall will remain here several weeks attending to business and visiting his host of friends. He is one of the best boosters the Red River Valley ever had. He is well satisfied with his investment, and it would take several thousand dollars more than he paid to get a deed to his land, which is as good as can be found in the Red River Valley.

Honesty pays in the end—but you must be at the right end.

Buy Hair at Auction?

At any rate, you seem to be getting rid of it on auction-sale principles: "going, going, g-o-n-e!" Stop the auction with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, and always restores color to gray hair. A splendid dressing also. Sold for over sixty years.

"My hair came out so badly I nearly lost it all. I had heard so much about Ayer's Hair Vigor I thought I would give it a trial. I did so and it completely stopped the falling, and made my hair grow very rapidly."—MARY H. FIELD, Northfield, Mass.

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NORTH'N LIGHTS WERE BEAUTIFUL

NIGHT HAWKS OF CROOKSTON TREATED TO RARE PHENOMENA DURING LAST NIGHT

HEAVENS GORGEOUSLY ILLUMINATED IN VIOLET SHADES OF AURORA BOREALIS

Crookston people who are in the habit of waiting for the owl cars were treated last night to an exhibition of natural phenomena which is seldom seen in the heavens of this latitude and which for grandeur and spectacular effect beats any Paine firework display ever gotten up.

Since last Monday night when the phenomena first became apparent to casual star gazers the Aurora Borealis of the northern heavens has at some time during the night hours cut loose in a manner to make simple minded and superstitious folk believe that their last hour and the end of the world had come.

The rays of violet and purple light which have filled the heavens flitting from zenith to horizon is undulating waves of beauty have held spectators spell bound.

GENERAL AGENT OF NEW YORK LIFE HERE

A. S. ELFORD RETURNS FROM A TRIP TO WINNIPEG AGENCY

A. S. Elford general agent for the New York Life Insurance Co., at St. Paul who is in charge of the agencies in Minnesota North and South Dakota and western Canada spent the night in the city, coming in from a trip to Winnipeg last evening and leaving this morning for Grand Forks He says business is very good thru out his territory.

Fire is Fatal to Six.

Colfax, Wash., Aug. 22.—Six children are dead and two others are burned so seriously that recovery is doubtful at the H. W. Schultz ranch, between Colfax and Palouse, resulting from a fire that destroyed the home Wednesday night.

Fargo Man Dies in Duluth.

Duluth, Aug. 22.—H. H. Jenkins of Fargo, a prominent real estate man of that city, collapsed on the Booth dock yesterday afternoon in the presence of his wife and family and died an hour later in the hospital. Heart trouble was the cause of his death.

Held Up by Masked Robber.

Breckenridge, Minn., Apg. 22. — A masked robber held up Charles Muezee in his saloon at 11 o'clock last night and robbed him of $50. He has not been apprehended.

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Fine Weather For Farmers

Never in the history of the Red River Valley have the farmers ever had better weather for their harvest and threshing, and splendid progress is being made. While there is still a great deal of grain standing, the bulk of it has been cut and considerable threshing has been done.

Practically all the threshing machines are now humming, and every day means hundreds of thousands of bushels of grain threshed which has not seen a drop of rain since the harvest started. This means a much better grade of grain and in addition a great saving in time for the farmer as well as the expense of keeping a crew of men about eating him out of house and home.

But this is not all the advantage gained by fine weather for the harvest and threshing. It means that plows will be started and thousands of acres of early plowing done, which is almost as good as summer fallowing. The wet falls of the past few years have made it impossible for the farmers to get their plowing done, and what was done in many instances was rushed thru just before the ground froze up, and experience teaches that as a rule crops from such extremely late plowing are poor.

This year the farmer who keeps his work well in hand will have all his plowing done early, and his land in splendid shape for the seed the next spring.

A Little Object Lesson

Many people in this city, and others in this vicinity are chagrined that St. Hilaire secured the next meeting of the Red River Valley Dairymens Assn., which Crookston wanted, and are disposed to grumble and find fault.

This is the wrong spirit entirely Crookston had the convention last year, and should have had it this year all else being equal, but all things else were not equal, and right here is where the officers of the dairymens Assn did perfectly right in giving St. Hilaire the meeting, and had they done otherwise they would have acted unfairly.

Last year the dairymen met here—and they received a measly $25 in cash for their pains from the city, or from the soliciting committee.

This year the Commercial Club Committee offered the executive committee $100 in cash if the meeting was held here. St. Hilaire offered $175 After Crookston became aware of what St. Hilaire had offered, the Crookston bid was raised to $300.

Could the executive committee have given Crookston the meeting and acted honorably? Indeed not.

St. Hilaire has the meeting and the people of this section do all in their power to make the gathering the biggest success ever. St. Hilaire farmers have set the pace for dairy progress in the Red River Valley and while Crookston would be much more central place for the gathering, and more convenient for nine tenths of those who attend, still there will be an attendance of at least 200 or 300 dairy farmers from the immediate vicinity at St. Hilaire at the meeting who could not have attended here.

Crookston lost the meeting because they did not bid high enough. It is a meeting of vast importance to the entire valley. Crookston could afford to give $500 for such a gathering easily. We didn't do it and as a result have no cause to feel sore because a little village gave twice as much cash as Crookston offered.

Crookston was just a little too cheap to land the priz. It will be a pretty good object lesson for the future, if Crookston proposes to pose as the convention city of Northern Minnesota.

How Parents Can Assist Teachers

The Crookston public schools will open Monday next, Aug. 31 and as far as possible parents should see that their children start the first day, and this suggests the thought that a closer relation between parents and teachers is to be desired if the best educational results are to be achieved. If teachers knew parents better, they could understand many of the peculiarities of children and how to deal with them. No one but a teacher appreciates how helpful is a word or two of encouragement from parents. Interest taken by parents in school work is sure to bear fruit a hundredfold.

Parents are advised to talk with the teacher about the traits, characteristics, etc., of their children, for the better the teacher understands the children the better will she be able to teach them. There is another point for the parents' consideration; a child that is well-disciplined and well trained at home rarely needs correction at school. It is too often the case that the schools have to do the things which should have been done at home. Schools are not reformatories. They have to do with the formation of the pupil, not with his reformation.

Parents are urged to get in closer touch with the school methods and aims. There is a natural tendency of parents to side with a child when it comes home with complaints of teachers, studies, and school, and this encouragement fosters a spirit of rebellion which not only makes trouble for the teacher but injures the advancement of the pupil. Were the parents familiar with the methods and the work mapped out it would give them an inkling of the trials of the teacher, who, after all, is only human.

It is the exceptional child who does not complain of the restraints and demands of school life and the wise parent gives these complaints the small consideration they usually deserve.

How many people know what their own street looks like? In these days of cheap and easy photography and rapid printing the picture postal card has an important place. There is scarcely a town or hamlet in which some view has not been photographed for postal card work. And there is scarcely a place so small or so prosaic in appearance that there may not be found in it many bits of beauty which would serve this purpose and serve it well. And every day people look at the pictured presentment of some familiar scene and not with surprise that it is really beautiful. They have seen the same thing in nature a thousand times and never noticed it. Really we go thru the world with our eyes shut most of the time. We do not see half of the things about us that are worth looking at. The great book of nature is spread before us all the time, and we are too busy to read the lines or study the pictures. If the picture card causes us to take a little deeper look into some of the things that we have been slighting it will have fulfilled a splendid mission. —Grand Forks Herald.

An old farmer tells us he has completely killed out weeds along the roadside around his farm. Three years ago he scattered timothy and clover in the weed patches. Now the weeds are all gone—choked out—and this year he made several tons of fine hay where they once stood.

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From Over The Valley

BEMIDJIANS SEE BAGLEY CREAMERY

In order that they may become more familiar with dairying and the manufacture of dairy products by means of a creamery, a number of the leading business men of Bemidji visited Bagley and Shevlin Friday forenoon for the purpose of inspecting the diaries at these places.

The party was made up of the following enterprising citizens: W. R. Mackenzie, Fred Malzahn, J. J. Opsahl, P. J. O'Leary, E. H. Winter, W. G. Schroeder, J. A. Ludington, M. Phibbs, Walter Markham and A. G. Rutledge.

N. D. DAIRY COMMISSIONER WARNS THE FARMERS

State Dairy Commissioner Flint has warned the farmers of North Dakota against being hasty in making deals for the construction of co-operative creameries. Some of the promoters of such enterprises are using a form of subscription that proves to be a note for a share of the cost of the plant. The commissioner suggests that where farmers are intending to build such a creamery that they correspond with his department and that full information and plans will be sent them.

JUDGE MORRIS HUNTING DOG STOLEN NEAR LINER

C. G. Gerber and S. Johnson of Liner, visited friends and transacted business in the city the first part of the week. Mr. Gerber is on the lookout for a valuable hunting dog belonging to Judge Page Morris, which has either left or been stolen from the Gerber home within the past few days, having been left there for keeping last fall. Thief River Falls Press.

MORAL STATUS OF THIS COMMUNITY IMPROVING

The moral status of the criminal element of Beltrami county is the highest that it has been in several months, as evinced by the number of prisoners in the county jail.

There are now thirteen prisoners confined to the Beltrami Co., jail, two are from Koochiching county, two are city prisoners and the remaining nine are from Beltrami Co.

HOME NEWS

Of Interest to Everyone in Crookston

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places, who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all". But here in Crookston we only publish statements made by Crookston people —the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Noel Herbert(carpenter, of 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and totally unfitted me for any exertion, there being times when I had to be helped about. I at last heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box at S. A. Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before I noticed that my back was gradually getting stronger. My trouble son entirely left me and I have not felt a vistage of it since. Doan's Kidney Pills are a most valuable remedy and I give them my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 nearly six years later Dec. 2nd, 1904 he added:

"Doan's Kidney Pills so completely relieved me of kidney trouble six years ago that there has been no return of it. It is a pleasure to again endorse them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

WALK IN SEARCH OF WORK.

Man and Wife Are Rewarded After Trudging 375 Miles.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 26.—Feats in pedestrianism are common among men ,but it remained for Mrs. Paul Krumbach of St. Louis to tramp with her husband a distance of 375 miles to Waterloo. The couple started in search of work on July 13 and averaged ten miles a day, tramping the entire distance.

Charity was extended the worn travelers and the couple are housed here. Employment has been found for the husband.

Store Burglarized.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Aug. 26.—Burglars entered the Rhodes pharmacy at Rhodes, this county, and stole $600 worth of jewelry, mostly watches.

INSTALL WORKSHOP IN McINTOSH SCHOOLS

At the regular meeting of the McIntosh village board of education held last Friday evening it was unanimously decided to build a work shop on the school grounds for the manual training department of the school work, and the committee on building and grounds was instructed to secure the plans and proceed with the arrangements.

A CHICKEN DINNER FOR BRYAN AT FARGO

Fargo Democrats who will entertain William Jennings Bryan on a portion of September 1 the same day that he goes to Grand Forks have decided upon serving a prairie chicken dinner for their guest. Tuesday, September 1 opens the game season and the presidential candidate will be among the first to eat of the legally killed wild fowl.

U. S. GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INVESTIGATES COMPLAINTS

Col. R. Davidson of the U. S. engineering force at St. Paul was in Thief River Falls last week to investigate a complaint that logs were blockading the Red Lake river. After conferring with all the parties the matter was satisfactorily adjusted.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Athletes to Visit President.

New York, Aug. 26. — President Roosevelt yesterday advised the local committee in charge of the reception to the American team of Olympic athletes that he would be glad to have the members of the team visit him at Sagamore Hill on Monday next, Aug. 31.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

M. R. HUSSEY

Candidate for the republican nomination for commissioner of the 3rd district at the primaries to be held on September 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.

Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

J. O. RINGDAL

Candidate for republican nomination for Sheriff of Polk County at the primaries to be held September 15, 1908.

John W. Sandberg

Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept 15, 1908.

P. R. LAVIK

of Fertile, Minn., candidate for republican nomination for County Attorney

John P. Tuff

Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Hugh R. Robertson

Candidate for the Republican Nomination for Treasurer of Polk County. at the Primary Election Sept. 15. 1908

George J. Flaten

Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

Eric O. Hagen

Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

Hans Samuelson

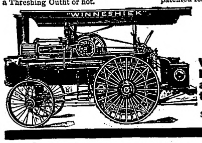
Candidate for Sheriff on the Democratic ticket at the primaries to be held September 15, 1908.

Orin Daniels

Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson

Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.



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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

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Aug 23 In History.

1785—Oliver Hazard Perry, American naval hero, born; died Aug. 23, 1819.

1863—Bombardment of Fort Sumter, S. C., by the Federal batteries under General Q. A. Gillmore; 419 shots struck the fort. Gillmore's chief of artillery reported, "The demolition of the fort at the close of this day's firing was complete, so far as its offensive powers were considered."

1901—Gunner Wennerburg, Swedish poet, died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:43, rises 5:15; moon rises 2:46 a. m.; moon's age, 27 days; 6 p. m., planets Venus and Neptune in conjunction, the former beautiful in early eastern sky before sunrise, the latter invisible.

Aug. 24 In History.

1795—William Wilberforce, philanthropist, etc., born; died 1833. To the efforts of Wilberforce is largely due the abolition of the English slave trade.

1841—Theodore Hook, humorist, died; born 1788.

1903—Major Charles H. Smith (Bill Arp), well known southern humorist, died; born 1826.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:41, rises 5:16; moon rises 3:43 a. m.; moon's age, 28 days.

BEATEN BUT WELL TREATED—The Hill Hustlers went to Beltrami yesterday where they were trounced by a score of 6 to 13. Tho beaten they came home in great spirits, and did not lay it to the umpire. They stated they were beaten because they did not get runs enough. All are loud in their praise of the fine treatment accorded them and state that they Beltrami bunch is the best ever. Out of 19 games played this year the Hustlers have lost but four games and need not be ashamed of the game they dropped yesterday. Next Sunday they expect to play at Grand Forks, a return game for the team which was here a week ago Sunday.

INJURED IN SAWMILL —On Thursday afternoon Alcid Morrisette was painfully injured while working in the Plummer sawmill. In some way his overalls got caught in one of the shafts running close to the floor and his left leg was drawn under the shaft The tearing of his clothing saved him from more serious and perhaps fatal injuries. Some of the bones in the ankle were quite badly crushed and he had an ugly flesh wound just above the ankle. He was taken to Thief River Falls and placed in the hospital for treatment. The injured limb was to be examined with the X-ray and the physicians would not state whether amputation would be necessary until a thoro examination has been made.

PURCHASES HOME— Will Mulry has purchased the cottage located on the corner lots where the new wholesale house is to be built. The cottage is to be removed within the coming few days to Mr. Mulry's lots in the north part of town. —Thief River Falls Press.

NEARING CENTURY MARK—Ambrose Godbout, father of Officer Sam Godbout of this city, arrived from Grand Forks this morning for a few days' visit. Tho 88 years of age Mr. Godbout is still spry and his visit will be thoroly enjoyed by Judge McLean and other old comrades of the Civil war.

CALL NEW PASTOR—Rev. W. S. Ward left this morning on St. Vincent train to act as moderator of a congregational meeting to be held in the Hallock Presbyterian church this evening at which it is expected a call will be extended to Rev. Geo. E. Moorehouse of Brainerd to become pastor of the Hallock church.

HAD HIS TROUBLES—W. B. Sheffield and son Fred drove to Maple Lake yesterday in their auto. And they had their troubles. One tire was all out of wind on four different occasions. They left here in the morning and arrived at the Lake in time to witness the beautiful sunset. But W. B. never lost that notorious smile.

PRESBYTERIAN PRAYER MEETING THURSDAY—The weekly prayer meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held on Thursday evening this week instead of Wednesday owing to the absence of the pastor until that date.

VISITING OLD FRIENDS — Jake Thill, for seventeen years a wheat buyer at Wylie, but a resident at Enderlin, N. D., the past year, has arrived for a brief visit with relatives and to look after some business matters.

PREACHING AT MAPLE LAKE—Rev. W. S. Ward will preach at Smith's Pavillion Maple Lake on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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From Tuesday's Daily

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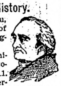
Aug. 25 In History.



Sir William Herschel.

1482—Margaret of Anjou, unfortunate queen of Henry VI. of England, died.

1776—David Hume, philosopher and historian, died; born 1711.

1822—Sir William Herschel, English astronomer, died; born 1738.

1900—Frederick William Nietzsche, noted German philosopher, died; born 1844.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:40, rises 5:17; moon rises 4:42 a. m.; moon's age, 29 days; 1:25 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet; 11:57 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, passing from west to east of the planet.

WILL THRESH IN DAKOTA — Morris Dargen of Wylie spent yesterday in the city with his team enroute to Dakota where he will thresh this fall.

STARTS THRESHING RIG—Henry Weber resigned his position with S. L. Collins and yesterday started his threshing rig at Wylie for a big fall's run.

NEW BRICK FARM HOUSE—Jake Francis left yesterday morning for St. Hilaire to mix the mortar for that fine new $6,000 brick residence which is being erected near that place by Contractor Louis Johnson for a prosperous dairy farmer.

FISHER FARMER HERE — A. G. Anderson, one of the well-to-do farmers near Fisher spent Monday attending to business in Crookston. He has a very good crop this year and this weather will make it possible to have it all threshed much earlier than usual.

STARTED THRESHING TODAY—Reitmeier Bros., started threshing on the home place today. Wm. Reitmeier who has been ill with bowel trouble for some weeks past, is now suffering with muscular rheumatism, an unwelcome visitation at any time but practicularly annoying at such a busy season.

BIG YIELD OF OATS—G. N. Bergerson on the old Childs farm south of the city this morning finished threshing a 35 acre field of oats which averaged 48 bushels to the acre. This is a splendid yield and shows the result of good farming. He still has 60 acres of oats to thresh and they are fully as good as the field threshed.

CANDIDATE IN CITY — Steener Steenerson is spending the day in the city in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for surveyor of Polk Co. Mr. Steenerson is a graduate of the engineering department of the University of North Dakota and had six years of actual field experience under the direction of Geo.

OFF FOR ATTALIA—On the first and third Tuesday of each month, the Attalia Development Company is conducting popular excursions to the choice fruit and farm lands of Southern Washington, starting from Minneapolis. Fare will be refunded to all purchasers of these lands. Write at once for full details to R. C. Dahlhjelm Manager, 225 Railway Building, Minneapolis.

At 6:30 o'clock this morning death claimed Miss Ella McKinnon daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. McKinnon and never was there more sincere mourning in Crookston as a result of the ruthless harvest of the Grim Reaper.

Last Sunday her trouble became acute and an immediate operation was held as the only hope. The operation for mastoid abscess, involving the brain was performed Sunday afternoon and the patient hovered between life and death all day yesterday. Last evening there was a slight improvement but early this morning there was a turn for worse and the gentle spirit took its flight peacefully, surrounded by those she loved.

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FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

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Aug. 26 In History.

1346—Battle of Crecy, France, in which cannon were first used.

1819—Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, husband of Queen Victoria, born; died 1861.

1904—Russians repulsed desperate attacks by the Japanese at Port Arthur; loss of the assailants estimated at 10,000.

1905—Ultimatum by Czar Nicholas that Russia would not pay war indemnity to Japan.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:38, rises 5:18; moon rises 5:41 a. m.; moon's age, 29½ days; 5:59 p. m., eastern time, new moon; moon at apogee, farthest from earth, producing conditions for extraordinary annular eclipse of sun if moon were at one of her nodes or crossing points of the sun's path; 5:30 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury, passing from west to east of the planet.

GETS THE WATER —Nels Swanson was down from Angus over Sunday visiting with the family. Mr. Swanson has been driving wells in that vicinity, having just finished a good well for Gomer Evans. He is now fixing up a well on Mayor McPhee's land.

VISITS RED LAKERS —J. C. Sabin is fertilizing Red Lake Falls with a few of his home manufactured yarns today, all copywrited, and on the side will do his usual stroke of business. On account of the wet grass, which does not agree with "Dads" rheumatics, he took his rubber coat along.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY —Wm. Powell of East Grand Forks who officiated as umpire for the baseball game between the brewers and barkeepers when they played in this city, suffered a bad accident as the result of a runaway. He went out riding Sunday when the rig tipped, spilling him, wrenching his knee cap and cutting a gash across his face.

MRS. J. T. SULLIVAN DEAD — Mrs. J. T. Sullivan who resides at the farm home near East Grand Forks died at an early hour yesterday morning after a nillness of several weeks The funeral arrangements have not been made and will be announced later.

SOLD THRESHING RIG—S. L. Collins and a crew of men went to Key West this morning where today they will set up a complete threshing rig, a fine northwest which Mr. Collins sold to James Stewart. Mr. Collins has done a big business in the thresher line this year, as he is not only a hustler, but has the goods to deliver, as the Northwest has them all beat about a mile for good work and durability.

WANKE THE SOLE "PROP." — Gus Wanke who has been running a pool room and lunch counter at Ada for some time past in partnership with Geo. Tibesar also of this city, today purchased Tibesar's interest and will operate the place alone in the future. Mr. Wanke is pleased with the outlook and looks for a big business this fall.

ON TO WASH. — Commissioner Wessel spent a short time in the city this morning, going out on one of the branches. The duties of a member of the game and fish commissioners do not weigh very heavily on the genial Joe. He is just as jovial as ever. While here he received notice of his appointment as a delegate to a national meeting at Washington, D. C. This meeting will be attended by delegates from every state. Mr. Wessel will attend.

Quite a heavy rain fell in this section beginning at about three o'clock this morning. It was not a general rain, only extending south as far as Halstad, after which no rain fell till Fargo was reached.

At Fargo early this morning a pelting hailstorm prevailed for some time, some of the stones being as large as walnuts.

FALSE REPORTS ARE NAILED

HON. LEWIS C. SPOONER SPEAKS HIGHLY OF HOLTON'S GOOD

RECORD IN THE MINNESOTA STATE LEGISLATURE

Morris, Minn., Aug. 15th, 1908.
Mr. Norman Hanson,
Fertile, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:—

I acknowledge the receipt of your letter of inquiry of August 11th, in regard to Hon. John Holton, and answer the same as follows:

(a) House File No. 5—the redrafted bill for the law authorizing the manufacture of binders, harvesters, mowers and rakes at the State Prison, at Stillwater, Minnesota, used largely for the purpose, convict labor at present, and hitherto, sold to others at no profit, or at the best, at but little profit to the state, was first voted on in the House of Representatives, February 21st, 1907: (see journal of house page 396), and the Hon. John Holton, and exactly 80 others voted for the passage of the bill—while exactly 23 representatives voted against the passage of the bill—that day.

(b) The bill as passed that day was subsequently passed in the Senate—with a slight amendment and as amended, in the Senate, it was returned to the House, for the concurrence of the House, and came up again in the House to be voted on, March 13th 1907, when Mr. Holton and exactly 74 others voted for the re-passage of the bill—while, this time, but four voted against the bill—and the balance did not vote. (See journal of the house page 641).

(c) The information contained in the foregoing should be quite sufficient to put a quietus on the story you say is in circulation in Mr. Holton's district to the effect that he was not present when the bill referred to was voted on and that he did not vote for the same.

I do not desire to be regarded as meddling in the affairs of your legislative district; but I know and cheerfully and definitely say, that there was no more faithful, nor any more honest member of the 1907 legislature than the Hon. John Holton who sat next to me, and very much assisted me, during the entire session and whom I hope I may have the good fortune to have sit next to me during the next session of the legislature.

Very truly yours,
—Lewis C. Spooner.

Key Stone

The Geddes family enjoyed a fine visit with the Elmen family last Sunday.

It should have been Matilda and Mildred Gerber instead of Aeschlimann who celebrated their birthdays. It was a mistake of the correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deenis returned to their home at Ottowa Ill. last Friday. They are well pleased with the Red River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Switzer and daughter Ester. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann, David Gerber and Lewis, Lydia and Persida Aeschliman took supper and enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. Wiles last Sunday.

Misses Emma and Katherine Nyquist of Fertile spent several days with the Key Stone Farm folks.

A party of young folks drove to the Red River last Sunday. They enjoyed a very fine dinner and no doubt are feasting on the finest fish ever caught.

Messers Grundahl and Elmen spent last Saturday evening at Grand Forks and joined the party at the River Sunday.

Mr. B. C. Koch, Mr. Winzler and Mr Roff of Tremont Ill. are visiting and transacting business in this vicinity. Several other gentlemen from Illinois are here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Switzer and daughter Ester of Roanoke Ill., arrived last Thursday and are visiting at the homes of Simon and Samuel Aeschlimann and John Gerber. Mrs. Switzer is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann. They came as a surprise to the home folks.

Discontent

When discontent seizes upon the mind it is like the deadly cancer, reaching out with its tentacles for sound flesh to feed upon. The caustic of self arraignment must be unsparingly used, and the salve of commonsense liberally applied. As a preventative we suggest the daily use of golden grain belt beer which, if taken regularly at meal time will contribute to the health of both body and mind. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Too much money is the root of a lot of evil.

BOLD HOLDUP AND ROBBERY

CHRIS CHRISTIANSON VICTIM OF AN ATTACK BY TWO HIGHWAYMEN

BOLD CROOKS GET BUSY AT EAST GRAND FORKS — ONE IS CAPTURED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Chris Christianson a laboring man who has been at work on the railroad surfacing gang, was attacked by two highwaymen just after midnight yesterday morning at East Grand Forks, pounded severely, choked almost into insensibility and robbed of $1.65 in cash and a time check for $4 The holdup occurred near the Duluth elevator and as Christianson was on his way home.

When attacked Christianson yelled lustily for help and he probably owes his life to his exercise of lung power One of his assailants finally succeeded in stopping his noise by choking him. Fortunately his cries were heard, however, by Officer Gordon who rushed to his assistance and arrived in time to find one of his assailants holding the victim by the throat while the other was going thru his pockets. The officer effected the capture of one of the men, who gave his name as James Kelly. The other made his escape and has not yet been located. Christianson altho badly bruised by his assailants will recover. Kelly will be given a hearing this afternoon in the municipal court.

IS TAKING LONG HIKE

"COLONIAL JACK" MAKING TRIP AROUND BORDER OF THE UNITED STATES

WENT TO SCHOOL WITH CROOKSTON PEOPLE AT ST. PETER

From Wednesday's Daily—

"Colonial Jack" who is walking around the borders of the United States on a wager will arrive in Crookston next Tuesday. "Colonel Jack" whose real name is J. A. Krohn started from Portland, Me., on June 1, and is at the present time 250 miles ahead of his schedule, having traveled 2,000 miles when he reaches here on Tuesday.

Mr. Krohn is a native of Minnesota having been born and raised at St. Peter where he went to school with Attorneys H. W. Stark and Albert Chilgren of this city, and was well acquainted with Mrs. D. D. Clark.

Mr. Krohn will lecture in the Auditorium Tuesday night. His wife may be here as she is accompanying him, travelling on the train, and passing him every day throwing off a letter as she whizzes past to encourage her husband. At Cloquet, however, she was taken very ill and was in the hospital yesterday and may have to remain there for some time.

He is not only walking the entire distance of 9,000 miles which he must cover to win the wager but he is pushing a small wheelbarrow in which he carries his wearing apparel and other necessary articles. According to the wager, Mr. Krohn must complete his trip in 400 days and to prevent him from riding part of the way he is required to go to every postoffice along the way and have the postmaster stamp a card with the date of his call. In order to complete the trip in the required time he must travel 22 miles daily. The longest day's walk he made was 44 miles, which he made in western Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio.

Since starting on the trip Mr. Krohn has lost 21 pounds in weight. In the course of his trip he will of necessity meet with many adventures and it is of these adventures and a description of the country through which he walks that Mr. Krohn intends to write and pay the expenses of the walk.

Mr. Krohn is a newspaper man a former employe of Gov. Johnson at St. Peter. He rests on Sunday observing it strictly. He is a theatrical manager by profession and he is merely undertaking the walk as a means of recreation from labor.

ST. HILAIRE GETS DAIRYMEN'S MEET

From Monday's Daily—

At the meeting of the executive committee of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Assn. Saturday evening it was decided to hold the annual convention at St. Hilaire, that city bidding $175 cash and Crookston $100 for the meeting.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS INCREASE

NEW COURSES BRING BOYS TO HIGH SCHOOL. INSPECTOR AITON FINDS

BOYS ARE INCREASING MUCH FASTER THAN GIRLS IN ATTENDANCE

From Monday's Daily—

Minnesota is getting its boys back into high school as a result of the industrial courses.

The sum of $35,228 was expended for industrial work last year, while only $23,453 was used for the same work the previus year.

While boys and girls are gaining in numbers in the state schools, the boys are coming in much faster because of manual training.

George B. Aiton, state inspector of high schools, finds in his complation for his annual report that the attendance of girls last year increased only 287, where the increase the year before was nearly a thousand.

But the boys in high schools increased 623, where the year before the increase was 556.

The total number of high school pupils enrolled last year was 24,530, an increase of nearly 1,000. Of these 3,314 graduated, a gain of 200.

The high schools employed 992 instructors, a gain of 64.

ARE 50 YEARS BEHIND US

STANTON REDDICK OF ALBANY NEW YORK MAKES FIRST VISIT TO VALLEY

IS GREATLY INTRESTED IN PROGRESS OF BREAD BASKET OF THE WORLD

From Wednesday's Daily—

"I am wonderfully impressed with the Red River Valley. In many things we in the east are 50 years behind you, while in very few particulars do I find the people of this section behind the east. You have one of the greatest agricultural sections in the United States."

The above statement was made last evening by Stanton Reddick, who holds a high position with the New York Central railway and who resides at Albany, N. Y. He was called to Northfield, Minn., on official business and came up to visit his brother, M. H. Reddick of Grand Forks, and the two with a party were going to Maple Lake where Mr. Reddick owns a beautiful cottage and is otherwise interested.

This is Stanton Reddick's first visit to the Red River Valley and he was enthusiastic over the progress made in the development of the great resources of this section. He had not expected to see such farms nor such up-to-date and progressive cities.

When he returns to New York this section will receive some high class advertising.

VETERAN DIES AT AGE OF 75

WILLIAM JAMES DIES AT HOME OF HIS DAUGHTER AFTER WEEKS OF ILLNESS

William James, a well known veteran and member of the Grand Army of the Republic, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Adkins, at Grand Forks last evening after an illness of several weeks. The deceased was born in Stevenstown, N. Y., Sept. 13, 1833. In 1857 he went to Wisconsin. On August 14, 1862, he enlisted in Company C, Thirty-second Wisconsin regular infantry. He was honorably discharged June 12, 1862. In 1870 he removed to Otter Tail county, Minn., and in 1880 moved to Grand Forks and he has made that city his home ever since.

SENATOR SCHALLER VISITS CROOKSTON

State Senator Schaller of Hastings was in the city yesterday attending to some business interests in this section, and left last evening for Bemidji on a similar mission. He was hobnobbing with Senator Stephens who accompanied him as far as Maple Lake last evening.

Senator Schaller was very much pleased with the outlook in the crop line in this section of the state.

The Senator is one of the few democratic officials in the state, and holds the office thru his personal popularity and ability. He is very optimistic as to the future of his party and their success at the polls this fall.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON IS RENOMINATED

Gov. Johnson Stands By Views Regarding Third Term But He Sees No Good Escape.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Governor—John A. Johnson of St. Peter.

For Lieutenant Governor—Julius J. Reiter of Rochester.

For State Treasurer—P. H. Nelson of Hibbing.

For Secretary of State—R. T. Lamb of Slayton.

For Attorney General—M. E. Matthews of Marshall.

For Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners—H. P. Bjorge of Fergus Falls, Robert Mee of Faribault.

Minneapolis, Aug. 21.—Gov. John A. Johnson, in one of the wildest political demonstrations ever witnessed in the state, was nominated as a third term candidate for governor of Minnesota at the state Democratic convention held in the Minneapolis Auditorium yesterday. The governor up to a late hour last night would not give out for publication what he would do in the matter, but the fact that he wanted to "think it over," in the face of his previous declarations that he would not accept the nomination, indicate that his attitude has changed somewhat and the general opinion is that he will respond to the call made upon him by the party.

> "I have given this matter my closest thought for past 24 hours and my first opinion that a third nomination is unwise and against the principles of the party, is unchanged, yet I cannot see how I can get away from making the race without putting the party in the hole. I regret this action and wish it never had happened."

The above are the words of Governor Johnson to the newspaper representatives at the state capitol late yesterday.

The remarkable incidents that lead to the nomination of a man positively against his will, will ever remain vivid in the minds of those who attended one of the most remarkable conventions ever held in the state.

Mayor Lawler Starts It.

"He would be a hard speaker, indeed, who would waste much time in placing before this convention the name of the next governor of Minnesota, because there is but one name in the minds, in the hearts and in the mouths of the Democracy of the State of Minnesota, and that name is John A. Johnson—"

That was as far as Mayor Lawler got with his nomination speech for more than an hour.

P. McDonnell of Duluth, chairman of the St. Louis county delegation, led at that psychological moment one of the wildest demonstrations ever witnessed in a state convention in the Northwest. Jumping to his feet he grabbed the banner of the St. Louis county and waving it above his head he shouted:

"Hurrah for Johnson! He's a winner!" and started on a run for the stage. He was followed by every delegate in the hall, shouting: "Johnson! Johnson! He's a winner!"

The nomination was then made by acclamation amid the wildest enthusiasm. The rest of the state ticket was selected by a committee of nineteen, chosen from the judicial districts, and their work was indorsed by the convention.

The Platform.

The platform indorses the national platform adopted at the Denver convention and pledges the hearty support of the Democrats of Minnesota to the ticket there nominated. The administration of Gov. Johnson is indorsed and it is declared that in every emergency he has been equal to the occasion and has brought honor to the administration and to the state. The enactment of a tonnage tax is favored. A non-partisan judiciary is advocated. The party is pledged to the enactment of the initiative and referendum. Popular election of United States senators is demanded. Extension of the direct primary law so as to include all state officers is favored. The administration is commended for its efforts to enforce the railroad rate law. State guarantee for deposits in state banks is favored. An employers' liability law is demanded.

Called to Order by Day.

The convention was called to order by Frank A. Day, chairman of the state central committee.

"I won't say now," said Mr. Day, "that I am about to lay down my badge of office as chairman of the state central committee for all time." He arraigned J. F. Jacobson, the Republican candidate for governor, for his Duluth speech and for his alleged alliance with the "interests." He lauded Bryan and praised the Johnson administration and said:

"Gov. Johnson does not want a nomination at your hands to-day, and I hope you will respect his wishes."

This statement was met with shouts of "No! No! We want Johnson. He's the man!"

On the floor Hennepin and Ramsey counties were on their feet shouting for Johnson, other delegates joined in and the demonstration continued for several minutes.

Farrington for Chairman.

Senator R. G. Farrington of Big Stone was chosen temporary chairman. In his speech on taking the chair Senator Farrington said:

"Never has there been a time when the Democratic party, state or nation, has faced so important a situation. We are on the verge of a great campaign—a campaign to be tried out on the issue of 'equal rights for all, special privileges for none.'"

Chairman Farrington paid a high tribute to Gov. Johnson and followed it with a blow at the Republican party for the nomination of Jacobson, who, he said, could not have got the nomination but for the support of the interests.

To Pick Candidates.

At the suggestion of Frank A. Day a motion was carried for the appointment of a committee to draw up a list of candidates for other places than governor on the state ticket. The committee was composed of a representative from each judicial district.

Committees on resolutions, credentials, permanent organization and credentials were then named and the convention took a recess until 2 o'clock. At the afternoon session the business of the convention was completed as reported above, and the convention adjourned sine die.

CONGRATULATIONS FROM W. J. BRYAN

Nominee For Preident Pledges His Snpport Democratic Campaign In Minnesota.

St. Paul, Aug. 22. — Gov. John A. Johnson has submitted to the will of his party. He has accepted the nomination for a third term, given him Wednesday at Minneapolis by the Democratic state convention.

"There is no other way out of the situation," said the governor this morning. "Win or lose, I will accept the nomination and will make the very best fight there is in me."

Bryan Sends Congratulations.

The governor was busy at the capitol yesterday morning receiving visitors who thronged the executive chamber, while telegrams came pouring in extending congratulations. Included among them was that of William J. Bryan, in which Mr. Bryan pledges the support of the national committee to the Democratic campaign in Minnesota.

Gov. Johnson had apparently considered his decision well during the night and upon reaching the capitol yesterday morning announced that he had decided to accept his own kidnapping by the Democratic party.

Bows to Will of Party.

"I feel," he said, "that there is nothing else for me to do. I sincerely have not sought this nomination, but the party thought otherwise. Of course I appreciate the high compliment that has been paid me in this third nomination, but the party gave me no chance to withdraw. Had they sent a committee to me, I would have declined so positively that there could have been no further doubht as to my position. But without giving me a chance to speak there is only one thing for me to do, and that is to accept their decision in preference to my own."

BIG LOG DRIVE HAS ARRIVED

DRIVE CONSISTS OF 16,000,000 FEET THE LARGEST IN TEN YEARS

4,000,000 FEET BELONGS TO THE CROOKSTON LUMBER CO., BALANCE TO FORKS

From Friday's Daily—

The rear end of a monster drive of 16,000,000 feet of logs has reached a point about a mile above the city and the crew of 40 "river hogs" is busy sorting and scaling them as they reach the sluiceway of the Crookston Lumber Co. The drive was brought down by a crew under the direction of River Boss Pat Sullivan, one of the oldest men in the business on the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers who has been in charge of the drives for the Grand Forks Lumber Co., since their big mill was first constructed at East Grand Forks.

About 12,000,000 feet of the logs belong to the Grand Forks Lumber Co., and 4,000,000 will be boomed and held here for the Crookston Lumber Co., and with the stock already on hand will be an abundant supply to start the mill up on next spring after one year's idleness.

This is the biggest drive that has been brought down the Red Lake river in ten years and has been brought down under great difficulties because of the extremely low stage of the water, and were it not for num erous dams which were opened to flood the rear end millions of feet of the drive would have been stranded high and dry along the flats enroute, where the river spreads out. It will take a couple of months to sort the logs here and get the tail end of the drive started for Grand Forks, and the drive from here down will be a difficult feat unless heavy fall rains start in within a month or two.

The Red Lake river is so low above here that in places it is possible to wade across. There has not been a rain which would effect the stage of water in the river for the past eight or ten weeks. The "Jacks" were paid off yesterday and the business men of Crookston notice a decided increase of loose change in circulation as the "Jack" has to have his little "time" when pay day comes and the opportunity presents itself.

CO. DIVISION PROCLAMATION

ISSUED BY GOVERNOR JOHNSON TO THE VOTERS OF POLK COUNTY

WILL DECIDE FATE OF PROPOSED NELSON CO., ON NOVEMBER 3RD NEXT

From Friday's Daily—

Gov. John A. Johnson today issued a proclamation for the election by the voters of Polk county as to whether the southeastern part of this county shall be set off as the new county of Nelson. The election is to take place at the regular election Nov. 3.

RING NECKED PHEASANTS

THAT WERE TURNED LOOSE FOR BREEDING PROPAGATION IN VALLEY

HAVE DONE WELL — HUNTERS CAUTIONED TO NOT MOLEST THEM

From Friday's Daily—

It will be recalled that hunters of this city and vicinity contributed to the purchase this spring of two hundred and fifty eggs of the English ring-necked pheasant, a game bird. These eggs which were turned over to various farmers in the neighborhood hatched out several weeks ago and one hundred and forty-three live healthy young birds is the result of the venture. Having attained a considerable growth and being able to fly short distances, these youngsters have now taken to the brush and are gaining their own livlihood.

Now that the hunting season is nearing, hunters are cautioned to refrain from killing these pheasants, which are protected by law until 1910 two years hence. The fine for killing each bird is from 10 to 60 days in jail and a fine of from $10 to $50.

As these birds breed rapidly nesting from two to three times each season, they should make splendid hunting by two years from this fall —Thief River Press.

Some people never know when to stop and others never know when to begin.

TWO RESIDENCES WERE BURNED

HOUSES WERE OCCUPIED BY BURKE AND KNOPKE FAMILIES

NO WATER AVAILABLE — FIRE PROBABLY STARTED IN THE WOODSHED

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening about 9 o'clock fire was discovered in the residence occupied by Geo. Burke on Euclid Ave., South Crookston and in a very short time that residence together with the adjoining one occupied by Julius Knopke were a heap of ashes. The department made a good run, but there was no water available and the firemen devoted their efforts to protecting the school house across the street.

The origin of the fire is unknown but some one is supposed to have entered the woodshed back of the Burke residence and dropped a match but this is mere supposition. Mr. Burke was on his regular run on the Fargo passenger train as brakeman, and Mrs. Burke was attending the Lyceum theatre.

Not a single article was saved from the Burke residence the contents being totally destroyed. The loss on the contents is about $1000 with $500 insurance. The loss on the house is $900 with $600 insurance.

The house occupied by Mr. Knopke a G. N. fireman and his brother, Wm. Knopke, a G. N. engineer, is owned by C. P. Hughes. It was valued at $1200 with $800 insurance. The Knopke's saved all their furniture and other belongings, having plenty of time. They even took the doors and windows of the house out, moved the sidewalks and carried the woodshed at the rear to a place of safety. They had intended to move in a few days so will not be put to a great deal of inconvenience.

The shock of suddenly finding her home all in flames and many things in the house that were family treasures, burning, that cannot be replaced at any cost, so effected Mrs. Geo. Burke that she was overcome by it all, and it was necessary to call a physician to administer restoratives. However she is resting quietly today at the home of Mrs. George Hunt where she was immediately taken.

LANDED A POACHER

TERREBONNE BLACKSMITH IS FINED $20 AND COSTS LAST EVENING

GAME WARDEN MUNCH MADE THE CAPTURE IN AN OVERLAND DRIVE

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon Deputy Game Warden Munch drove from Mentor to Terrebonne where he arrested Wilford Gervais the blacksmith at Terrebonne, charged with shooting prairie chicken, Gervais was taken to Red Lake Falls where before Judge A. P. Toupin he entered a plea of guilty to shooting one prairie chicken and was fined $20 and costs amounting to $2 He was arraigned at 10 o'clock last night, and paid his fine promptly. It is such summary arrests and fines that have a deterrant effect on others and it can be stated that there is very little infraction of the game laws going on.

STEENERSON AT THIEF RIVER

GIVES GOOD WHOLESOME ADVICE IN SPEECH AT RED LAKE COUNTY FAIR

COMMERCIAL BODIES SHOULD CO-OPERATE WITH NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

From Friday's Daily—

Thief River Falls Press: Congressman Halvor Steenerson addressed the visitors at the fair grounds last Friday, giving a forceful address along non-partisan lines. Mr. Steenerson always has some good sound ideas to impart and none can listen to him without gaining in knowledge both of a national and local character He is especially impressed with the need of the counties in this end of the state of securing more actual settlers on the land, and advises the commercial clubs to get into connection with the commissioner of immigration who is willing to send immigrants to towns that can give them good openings either in the way of land on easy payments or labor. Mr. Steenerson believes that in this way the problem of securing actual settlers could be solved.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

All will be in readiness for the dedication of Stephens Hall September 17 Ladies' hall has been entirely

Renovated and everything will be in splendid shape for the opening of the school for the year's work Oct. 13.

From Saturday's Daily—

A visit to the agricultural school reveals the many changes and improvements that have been going on since the school closed last spring. The industrial building is fast nearing completion. The dormitory, Stephens hall, has been completed and will soon receive the furnishings. The former boys' dormitory and class rooms have been turned over to the girls and in future will be known as Ladies' Hall. Superintendent Robertson has moved into his residence which has been completed.

The farm residence building that has been used as the ladies' hall, will be used for the farm help. The farm shop building that has been used for blacksmithing will be moved over to the poultry barns for storage purposes.

New Industrial Building

The new industrial building that was started on July first is already inclosed the shingles on the roof being laid today. This building will have on the first floor for student instruction and practice purposes, a blacksmith shop, a carpenter shop, a dairy room and a stock room where the animals are brought and kept during experiments and lectures.

The second floor will comprise four class rooms. The industrial building will be completed for the school opening.

New Dormitory

The new dormitory completed this summer is known as Stephens Hall. It will have a capacity of sleeping 150 boys and if they were crowded, as it was last year, 300 could be accommodated but it is not thought this will be necessary. The dining room in this building can accommodate 200 students at one time.

Ladies' Hall

The former boys' dormitory and class room will be used exclusively by the girls, it has a sleeping capacity of 25. The old kitchen and dining room will be used for domestic science and laboratory work. The office and main reception room will remain in this building as well as two class rooms. The building has undergone a complete renovation during the summer. The walls have all been calsomined in many tasty colors in the various rooms. Every piece of woodwork has been painted and varnished, so that the entire enterior is new. Miss Woodruff will have charge of this building and will undoubtedly need an assistant this year.

School Opens Oct. 13.

School will open on Tuesday October 13. Supt. Robertson feels assured that the term will open with a good attendance as already many letters have been received by him from prospective students stating their intention of attending.

The old students will all be back and as many of them have already had two years there will be a

Graduating Class

The coming year being the third year of the school's existence, advanced work will be taken up by the third year students so that a graduating class will go from the school next spring. The multiplying of the classes means an increased amount of instruction and necessarily more teachers will be required. There will be at least two new instructors, beside the matron for the new dormitory.

HAMMOND FILES.

St. James Congressman Will Seek Reelection on Democratic Ticket.

St. Paul, Aug. 22.—W. S. Hammond of St. James yesterday filed for the Democratic nomination for congress in the Second district. He represents the district at present and asks for a renomination.

Mr. Hammond is the Second district man who was boomed for the Democratic nomination for governor. He also had the honor of nominating Gov. Johnson for president at Denver.

Fires Destroy Timber.

Houghton, Mich., Aug. 22.— Forest fires at Misery Bay, southwest of here, have destroyed several million feet of standing timber and upwards of $10,000 worth of cut logs, owned by the Houghton Lumber company. The dry spell of the past several weeks has resulted in many bush fires in this region.

We always feel sorry for a dignified man when the taffy is being passed.

ARREST LAD AGAIN.

Boy Charged With Poisoning Is Released at Hearing.

Waseca, Minn., Aug. 21. — At the hearing of "Ownie" Davis, the boy charged with putting paris green in Fred Frank's lunch, Judge Murphy released the lad. County Attorney Maloney immediately caused Davis to be rearrested on a warrant from a justice of the peace. His hearing before the justice has not yet been held. The evidence against young Davis, the state alleges, was strong.

How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Foley's Orino Laxative does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

A woman never loses faith in a man unless he is to be trusted.

OSCAR SALL BRUTALLY MURDERED IN ALASKA

Victim of Tragedy was Brother of Chas. Sall, of Garnes Township and Visited here Last Fall.

From Friday's Daily—

Has Oscar Sall, brother of Charles Sall, of Garnes Township, Red Lake County adjoining Louisville township Polk county, been murdered at Valdez, Alaska?

His relatives believe so, and his brother Charles was here from Garnes yesterday to retain Congressman Steenerson who will sift the mystery to the bottom.

Oscar Sall has spent the greater portion of the past ten years in Alaska. He owned valuable mining properties and was interested in one worth $200,000 located near his other properties about 200 miles east of Valdez, Alaska.

During July Oscar Sall was taken sick and was stopping at the Miners' Hotel at Valdez, Alaska, but disappeared from there about July 25th when he was last seen in a bowling alley. No trace of him has been found since and recently C. G. Wulff a close friend of the missing man wrote Chas. Sall the circumstances, believing a foul murder has been committed.

Congressman Steenerson will conduct an investigation at once, and the case will probably necessitate a trip to Alaska later on.

Oscar Sall visited his mother and brother at Garnes last fall, but later returned to Alaska.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Aug. 20 In History.

1591—Robert Herrick, English poet, chiefly noted as successor of Shakespeare, born; died 1674.
1794—Battle at Maumee Rapids, O.; General Anthony Wayne defeated the Miamis and other Indians.
1861—The great comet appeared.
1907—Cuban liberals arose against the Palma administration.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:47, rises 5:12; moon rises 12:13 a. m.; moon's age, 24 days; 3 p. b., planets Mercury and Mars in conjunction, Mercury passing from west to east; invisible because too near the sun; sun's declination today, 12 degrees 27 minutes north of celestial equator.

RESUMES DUTIES—J. O. Taylor who has enjoyed the past ten days vacation allowed by the government to its employes, has again resumed his duties on R. F. D. route No. 3. During Mr. Taylors absence L. J. Lake made the trips.

BACK TO THE PINES—Attorney C. R. Middleton who has been spending the past week in the city packing up the remainder of his law books office furniture and household goods, left this morning for Bemidji from where he will proceed to his home at Beaudette where he has a fine and steadily increasing law practice.

MAKING NEW FRIENDS—Assistant General Passenger Agent Mitchell of the Northern Pacific spent yesterday afternoon in the city and was shown about town by Agent W. E. Handy. Mr. Mitchell was very much pleased with the substantial looking business houses of Crookston and the very noticeable excellence of the paving on Crookston streets. He met many business men during his short stay.

INSURANCE MAN HERE— Otto Tollefson, formerly of Grand Forks and secretary of the Northwestern Fire and Marine Insurance Co., which was organized in that city and later moved headquarters to Minneapolis, passed thru the city this morning en route to Grand Forks from the cities. He called on his brother-in-law, Mr. Garvick of the Great Northern restaurant.

HAD FINE TRIP — George Raymond Isman is in the city this week greeting his numerous friends. He has just returned from a visit among Michigan relatives and a pleasure trip to Chicago. He is today at Grand Forks conferring with the officials of the East Grand Forks Lumber Co., for whom he is a trusted timber estimator.

GETS 30 DAYS — Deputy Gonyea last night brought over from East Grand Forks Curly McDonald known at Petersburg, Canada as the celebrated heavyweight fighter. Curly got a few drinks in him at East Grand Forks and was ready to clean up the town and bragged of the fact that he had fought and knocked out everybody from Petersburg, Canada to East Grand Forks. Curly picked a fight with all who mhe came in contact with and officer Clynch was called to arrest the man with blood in his eye. He was given 30 days in municipal court by his honor Judge Sullivan.

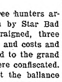
Last evening the three hunters arrested near Mahnomen by Star Bad Boy recently were arraigned, three of them being fined $15 and costs and the other two were held to the grand jury. All five guns were confiscated.

It is understood that the ballance of the early hunters near Mahnomen have decided to lay aside their guns till the hunting season is over.

This morning a special train consisting of 14 coaches packed with laborers from Ontario passed thru the city enroute to the grain fields of Western Canada where they will remain during harvest and threshing. Owing to the recent outrages in which trains were wrecked and passengers mistreated, the laborers came via the G. N. instead of risking their lives on the C. P. R.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 21 In History.


Tyndall.

1762—Lady Mary Wortley Montagu, noted for eccentricity and her brilliant letters from Turkey, died; born 1690.
1765—William IV. of England, third son of George III., born; died 1837. On the death of George IV., June 26, 1830, William IV. ascended the throne; succeeded by his niece, Victoria.
1820—Professor John Tyndall, English agnostic and philosopher, born; died Dec. 4, 1893.
1902—General Franz Sigel, German civil war veteran, died; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:46, rises 5:13; moon rises 1:01 a. m.; moon's age, 25 days; moon farthest north; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 1 a. m., Mars in conjunction with the sun, the planet passing from east to west of that body and thus changing from evening to morning star.

Men favoring Independence Party send names for free literature to R. B. Higbee, National Committeeman, St. Paul, Minnesota.

AUTO PARTY—Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Winton came down from Thief River Falls in their touring car yesterday on a pleasure jaunt. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Zeh. The return trip was made last evening.

FARM INTERESTS—G. L. Allison and F. H. Helsell of Sioux Rapids, Ia., are spending some time in this vicinity looking after landed interests. They are heavily interested in the Buffington farm and are very highly pleased over the very favorable crops in that locality.

BACK TO WORK—L. J. Hendrickson who has been taking a ten days' vacation visiting friends at Fertile has returned and resumed his duties as night clerk at the postoffice.

TAKES REST — Harry Norrie is taking a few days layoff from his carrier's duties and resting up. He has not been very well for some time past and will recuperate. Sub-carrier Carl Englund is acting in Mr. Norrie's place.

OFF FOR WAUBAY—I. N. Simmons left last night for Waubay S. D., to visit with relatives. His daughter Miss Nellie has been there the past ten days. They will together extend their trip to several places in South Dakota.

WILL RUN THRESHER—Bennie Vonderbeck left this morning for Argyle where he will spend the fall running Olson and Holen's big threshing rig. He was at the helm on the same machine last fall, and made a good run. Mr. Vonderbeck is one of the best men in the business.

ON THREE LEGS—Uncle Ben Fullerton who has been laid up for the past several days here and at Green bush with an attack of rheumatism headed for the east this morning and will make St. Paul in time for the state fair. He has been using three legs for the past few days but discarded the third one this morning.

FROST INJURED BARLEY — Rudolph Hulst, the well known farmer residing three miles east of the city was in this morning. He finished his oat and wheat harvest yesterday, but still has some barley to cut. He says the frost last Wednesday hurt his late barley and killed all the tender garden stuff.

LITTLE GIRL IMPROVED—J. F. Prigge returned with his little daughter Theresa to Ada last evening. He brought her to Crookston a few days ago for an operation for appendicitis but Dr. Dunlop has postponed the operation till the little girl grows stronger, as she has passed all danger from the present attack.

BACK TO BEAUDETTE — Chas. Casmey left on the 2 o'clock train this morning for Winnipeg and from there goes to his home near Beaudette He has been looking after his farm near Euclid for the past few weeks. He promises to bring about a wagonload of fish down the next time he comes.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 22 In History.

1485—Battle of Bosworth and death of Richard III.; beginning of the Tudor dynasty with Henry VII.
1787—John Fitch's steamboat made its trial trip on the Delaware.
1818—Warren Hastings, noted governor general of India, died; born 1733.
1905—Severe earthquake shock felt in southern Illinois, Tennessee and Kentucky.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:44, rises 5:14; moon rises 1:52 a. m.; moon's age, 26 days; 4:45 p. m., moon in conjunction with Venus, passing 5½ degrees north of the planet, from west to east; visible near in early morning sky; 6:07 p. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune, passing from west to east of the invisible planet.

DRIVERS IN DEMAND— Chas. Newberry the Thief River Falls livery man was in the city yesterday looking up some driving and work horses to meet the increasing demands that are apparent in the east country.

FORMER ST. ANN PASTOR — Rev. Father Fayolle who has now charge of the Red Lake Falls parish visited friends in the city last evening. He was returning from Duluth where he with the other good priests of the diocese attended the retreat held there the past week.

FINE GRAIN COMING IN — The elevator of S. C. Johnson and Co., is daily receiving lots of grain from the threshing machines. The oats and Barley are of the highest quality, and reported by the farmers to be yielding well. The elevator has not received much wheat so that they haven't a very fair sample of it yet.

VERY ILL— Mrs. J. T. Sullivan, who lives near East Grand Forks, was reported very low yesterday and the relatives were present at the bedside yesterday. Mrs. Sullivan is an old resident and her many friends were grieved to learn that there were such few hopes for her recovery.

A GOOD RECORD — Alfred Narveson returned home from Brocket, N. D., last Sunday evening with a pitching record that few amateurs can equal. While with the Brocket team he has pitched 24 games and lost but three. —McIntosh Times.

TROUBLESOME FIN— John Gilsdorf of the town of Crookston is suffering from a very sore finger. He was in yesterday and a doctor lanced it for him that gave relief. This is a very bad time of the year for a farmer to be laid up but Mr. Gillsdorf is making the best of it.

SHOWED GOOD FARMING—G. N., Bergerson, who owns the old Childs farm south of Crookston yesterday finished threshing his early wheat, 160 acres he threshed 2400 bushels or 15 bushels per acre, and the grain is strictly first class and two carloads of it was shipped to Minneapolis This is the result of proper farming methods. He has still 200 acres of oats and barley to thresh.

PROSPERING IN NORTH DAKOTA—Oscar Wermager a former well known young man of Crookston arrived last evening from Nelson Ward Co., N. D., where he is in the machinery and grain business with H. Gallagher. and will remain here for a week's visit. He will then proceed to Minneapolis to purchase some machinery and attend the state fair. He is prospering in North Dakota.

MARKETING—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Casmey of Euclid came down this morning with a fine bunch of veal calves that brought a good price at the local butcher shops. The farmer who has something to dispose of every time he comes to town is the one who discounts his bills instead of paying interest.

Cash wheat took a sudden slump in Minneapolis today from $1.23 to $1.10 a drop of 13 cents.

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"My brother had eczema three different summers. About the same time each summer it came out between his shoulders and down his back, and he said his suffering was terrible. He used different kinds of medicines that were said to be good for that disease, but nothing seemed to do him much good. When it came on the third summer, he bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and gave it a faithful trial. Soon he began to feel better and he cured himself entirely with Cuticura and has never been bothered with eczema since. He also used Cuticura to cure a bunch over his eye and a terrible corn which was so bad that he could not wear his shoe. A lady in Indiana heard of how my daughter, Mrs. Miller, had cured her little son of terrible eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. This lady's little one had the eczema so badly that they thought they would lose it. She used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and it cured her child entirely, and the disease never came back. Mrs. Sarah E. Lusk, 67 Peckham St., Coldwater, Mich., Aug. 15 and Sept. 2, 1907."

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

FOURNET LANDED $4,000 CONTR'CT

BID WAS LOWEST FOR FURNISHING STEPHENS HALL AT THE STATE SCHOOL

BID AGAINST OTHER LOCAL DEALERS AND BIG TWIN CITY FIRMS

From Saturday's Daily—

The bid of the Fournet Furniture Co., was the lowest for furnishing Stephens Hall at the state school of agriculture, and the big contract, amounting to over $4000 was awarded to that concern.

This is specially gratifying to Manager Arthur Fournet as the company had to bid against not only local dealers, but against St. Paul, Minneapolis, and other big outside houses as well.

This is the biggest contract ever landed by a furniture house outside of the Twin Cities or Duluth, and was in direct competition with them, which shows that the Fournet Furniture Co., can buy as cheap as any of them—and can figure just a little bit closer.

Manager Arthur Fournet left last evening for St. Paul and Minneapolis with Wm. Robertson of the state school who will make personal selections of certain articles desired.

The elegant new furniture will all be in place for the dedication of Stephens hall Sept. 17.

THE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MET

The meeting of the Democratic Co., committee last evening was well attended. Chairman Black outlined the campaign and active work will commence with the election of N. B. Moran secretary. F. E. LePage will be candidate for county commissioner from the first district, and W. W. Brown, the wheat buyer of McIntosh will be a candidate for the legislature. They will file soon together with other candidates to be announced later.

Weak Man Reciept Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient man hood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

MAGNIFICENT EXHIBIT HAS BEEN COMPLETED

Polk County Will Be Represented at the Minnesota State Fair in a Highly Gratifying Manner.

Most Excellent Work Has Been Done by the Committee Consisting of J. M. Stephens, Magnus Lundberg and J. H Stair.

From Saturday's Daily—

Polk County's great exhibit to the Minnesota State Fair which will also be shown by the Crookston land men at the Springfield, Ill., State Fair, has been completed and will be shipped tonight. It will also be exhibited in Crookston at the conclusion of the Minnesota State fair especially for the benefit of the big crowds that will be here for the Stephens Hall dedication ceremonies on Sept. 17, when James J. Hill will speak, with Governor Johnson, three congressmen, President Northrup of the U. of M., and a few score of notable figures in the political and educational circles of the state present.

Magnificent Grains

To attempt to give an adequate descrition of the exhibit would be utterly useless. To appreciate it it would be necessary to see it and study it. It is the most complete exhibit of the resources of Polk County that was ever assembled. The grains, including wheat, oats, rye, barley, macaroni wheat, flax in all their varieties, including black bearded macaroni show the grain in sheaf as well as threshed.

Great Variety of Grasses

The exhibit of tame grasses includes every variety known to the average man, such as clover, timothy, blue grass, red top, millet, etc., in great profusion and a score or more of other grasses that most people never heard of but which thrive in Polk Co.

Wonderful Corn Showing

One of the exhibits that will make the farmers from Illinois, Iowa, Indiana and other central states sit up and take notice is the corn exhibit.

Many farmers contributed liberally to this exhibit, but the finest was secured from Henry O'Neill who has 20 acres of Illinois Dent corn, and he sent in a splendid sample of corn that is ready to be picked for seed, standing over 12 feet high with ears large enough for two men to make a meal from. Scores of other corn exhibits in other varieties are shown, which demonstrates conclusively that Polk County can raise as fine corn as was ever grown anywhere with proper selection of seed and adequate cultivation.

Splendid Vegetables.

Then comes the vegetable exhibits, and everything in that line is represented, the specimens being magnificent and fully covering the entire field. The committee went to a great deal of trouble in getting this exhibit together, and securing enough to take along to renew the exhibit at the fair from day to day. Potatoes in all varieties, beets, rutabagas, carrots, and in fact vegetables too numerous to mention.

Artistic Work

Several of the artistic pieces are worthy of special mention. One is the words "Polk County" in letters nearly two feet high, made by hundreds of thousands of heads of ripe macaroni wheat with their silky beards. This will be placed at the entrance to the Polk county booth in the exhibition hall. It took days and days of labor on the part of many young ladies to complete this piece alone and it is a real work of art. In addition there is an immense anchor about four feet high made of ordinary wheat heads that tells of wonderful riches from Polk county land.

In addition there are crescents, stars, etc., in great abundance which will make it possible to give the entire exhibit a most artistic touch. In addition the grains and grasses are all tied into neat bundles with handsome ribbons, and each exhibit is labelled with the red, white or blue tags containing the variety and the name of the farmer who raised it with his address.

Fruits

The fruit exhibit will be another eye opener which will surprise the people who reside here almost as much as strangers. Apples, plums, and all small fruits are shown in great variety and have a flavor that is unequaled by any but northern grown fruits. Frank Haseltine, Oscar Wick and many farmers who have small orchards contributed to this collection

General Resources

Space and time are too limited to recount the exhibits of other resources and industries of the county. The pressed and common brick made from Polk county clay, pottery from clay from the beds of the Northern Pressed Brick Co. exhibits from the Fosston Woolen Mills, prize butter exhibits products of pop and soft drink plants, stone sidewalk exhibits and scores of others along that line are shown which shows the unlimited fields for industrial activity.

White Seal Showing

The Kiewel Brewing Co., has an exhibit of "White Seal" beer that is simply magnificent. It was evolved and worked out by C. C. Bowen and the display of White Seal goods, artistically arranged, is surrounded by a beautiful border of barley heads and hops, both from Polk County, for "its the malt, it's the hops."

Record Breaking Work

And all this and much more, has been done by the fair exhibit committee consisting of Messrs. J. M. Stephens, Magnus Lundberg and J. H., Stair, chairman, secretary, and treasurer respectively since the 24th day of July when the committee was named, It took several days to get the work organized, and since that time every member of the committee has been working hard all day and part of the night, the arrangement of the exhibit being under the supervision of Messrs. Lundberg, and Stephens, Mr. Stair doing the canvassing for funds and part of the outside work.

The Expense Light

While the cost of the exhibit is not known exactly, it will be inside of $1400 which will include bringing the exhibit back to Crookston and setting it up again, and taking care of it at the state fair, which will be attended to by the three members of the committee who will all go down.

Valuable Assistants

For many days past the committee has had 21 young ladies working on the designs, selecting the grain, and tying the bundles up artistically. Those who assisted are Misses Maude Allard, Lucia Stone, Clara Bangen, Josephine Bangen, Cora Millette, Esther Peterson, Jennie Paulsberg, Lillian Stenshoel, Grace Walton, Mary Benoit, Florence Greenhalgh, Luciana Toutant, Agnes Bakken, Laura Holder, Belle Balfour, Delia Connor, Nellie Winfield, Esther Bloomgren, Dora Viau, Mabel Roy, Reka McLaren and Cordelia Koelmel.

Committee Merits Praise

The work of Messrs. Stephens, Lundberg and Stair merits the highest praise. The work they have done will be the pride of every visitor to the Minnesota state fair from not only Polk County but from the entire northern portion of the state. It is an advertisement that will be far reaching and reach people we want to interest in Polk County. For the work done the committee will have the hearty thanks of the people of the entire county. They have done their work well and should be proud of the showing made.

RETIRED FARMER IS DEAD — This morning after an extended illness of consumption, Frank L. Daniels died at his home in Sampsons addition. The remains are being prepared for burial at Chesterman's Parlors and will be shipped Sunday night to his old home at Ft. Dodge Ia. Deceased leaves a wife and four children to whom general sympathy is extended. Deceased was highly respected by all who knew him. He leaves his family in comfortable circumstances.

CUT HIS FOOT—Raymond Smith don't believe that a boy should handle an ax — all because while splitting wood the other day he split the side of his foot and has been nicknamed "Limpy Ray" as a result.

THRESHING REPAIRS — Wm. Byswinger has the threshers and a break down yesterday necessitatated a hurry up trip to the city yesterday for needed repairs. He said the grain is yielding up to his expectation and that he is well satisfied with the crop

YOUNG BOY LOST IN WOODS NEAR PLUMMER

Harry Colby went for a walk Monday Morning and no Trace of Him Has Been Found by the Searching Parties.

Plummer is greatly wrought up over the mysterious disappearance of Harry Colby a young printer in the employ of Chas. Latta of the Plummer Pioneer, no trace of whom has been seen since Monday morning at 9:30, when after complaining of feeling sick, Mr. Latta advised him to take a walk, and securing a book and taking a revolver along with him he started for the woods.

When he did not appear at the Latta home for dinner, no uneasiness was felt, as it was supposed he had been reading in some sequestered spot and fell asleep. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon when he had not appeared Mr. Latta began to feel worried, and made inquiries about Plummer but no one had seen the missing lad.

That evening searching parties were organized and beat the woods in all directions, but no trace of Colby could be found.

The search was kept up all day yesterday and today, but a telephone message from Mr. Latta this afternoon is to the effect that the search has been fruitless.

There was no reason for his leaving. His relations with Mr. Latta were the most pleasant and he lived at the Latta home where he was highly thought of by Mrs. Latta. He took none of his clothing except what he had on, leaving all his good clothes behind him, and only had a small amount of money.

Colby resided at Fertile till two weeks ago, where he had been employed by Editor George of the Fertile Journal. Not long ago he mashed a finger in the press, and another man had to be secured, so as soon as the finger was well he accepted a position with Mr. Latta. His mother resides at Fertile, but at the present time is at Fertile, Illinois, visiting. He also has a brother at Beltrami.

The young man was not despondent and was not worrying about anything so far as known. A farmer boy thinks he saw Colby Monday morning about a mile from Plummer headed towards Red Lake Falls but Mr. Latta visited Red Lake Falls and telehoned to Thief River Falls, Fertile and every town that could be reached by phone but could get no trace of the young man.

It is generally thought that he became lost in the dense woods. To bear out this theory and show how easy it is to become lost, Mr. Latta, while searching Monday became lost himself and had difficulty in finding his way back to a road.

There is a possibility that he accidentally shot himself but with a revolver this is improbable.

Colby is 5 feet 8 inches tall, dark brown hair and eyes, and large for a boy of 15. He wore a greenish brown checked coat, and a pair of blue stripped and dotted overalls and no vest. His hat was white, and he wore patent leather shoes.

Anyone hearing of his whereabouts will kindly telephone or telegraph Mr. Latta at Plummer and all charges will be paid.

PRESIDENT MISNER NAMES COMMITTEES

President Misner of the Twenty Five Thousand Commercial Club pursuant to the action of the club members at the meeting held last Friday evening today announced the personnel of the various committees which are to act in connection with the dedication of Stephens hall at the State School of Agriculture on the Experimental farm, which will be held on September 17, with additional social features on the day before.

Every effort will be made to make the affair the biggest kind of a success and as soon as the finance committee is ready to report the committees will meet with the executive committee and the final arrangements made for the various features.

The Committees

Reception Committee, to receive and welcome the visitors to the city, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Brown, Jr., Mr. J. A. Cowley.

Special Reception Committee, to have charge of the reception on the evening of Sept. 16th, '08, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wheeler, Mayor and Mrs. J. D. McPhee, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Chesterman, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ellington, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Foskett, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson.

General Reception Committee. All members of the 25000 Commercial Club and their wives, will constitute the General Reception Committee, an dare requested to attend the reception and take part in receiving and entertaining the guests.

Entertainment Committee, Mr. G. S. Chesterman, Mr. G. Oliver Riggs, Mr. Oscar Peterson, Mrs. Julius Spokely, Mrs. G. S. Chesterman. Finance Committee, Mr. A. D. Stephens, Mr. J. W. Wheeler, Mr. L. Ellington. Advertising Committee, Mr. Sam Rosenthal, Mr. George Wright, Mr. W. E. Slocum. This committee is requested to confer with Supt. Robertson and Senator A. D. Stephens.

Editors' Committee, Mr. J. P. Dotson, Mr. N. S. Davies, Mr. Thos. R. Brown Jr.

As soon as the Finance Committee is ready to report the Executive Committee will meet with all of the listed Committees, at which time the amount of cash available for the different committees will probably be adjusted.

At this meeting all Chairmen of the different Committees are requested to furnish an estimate of the necessary expenses that their Committee will be called upon to meet.

A GREAT WORK WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED

HON. P. M. RINGDAL INTERESTED IN COMPLETION OF STEPHENS HALL

In answer to a communication from the Journal regarding the approaching dedication of Stephens Hall, the new dormitory for the School of Agriculture at the State Experimental Farm, Hon. P. M. Ringdal of this city member of the State Board of Control concludes as follows:

> "I can assure you that I am in hearty sympathy with the work about to be taken up at the State Farm at Crookston and look forward to its accomplishing a great deal of good for that section of the state.."

Thus it is everywhere, the influential and thinking men of the state take a deep interest in the future of the Crookston school of agriculture and the interest will be evidenced by a monster crowd here September 17 when Stephens Hall will be dedicated which will include addresses by James J. Hill and others.

FLOATER HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED

NAKED BODY FOUND NEAR MANVEL IDENTIFIED BY FINDING CLOTHES

Thru the discovery of a pile of clothes lying on the bank of the Red river on the Gus Barlow farm a few miles north of Grand Forks, the identity of the floater picked up in the river three miles east of Manvel about a week since has been established. George E. McEllis of Peoria, Ill., a farm hand, is the man who was drowned in the waters of the Red and whose body now lies in potter's field at Grand Forks. The clothes were discovered Sunday morning.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

CAN'T GUARD CLIFFGAARD

CITY CHARGE HAS COUNCIL AND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS UP IN THE AIR

PUTS ON DAILY STUNTS OF SITTING ON BABIES AND SWIPING SNUFF AND BANANAS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The city officials of Crookston and the board of commissioners of Polk Co., are up against a proposition that singly or combined they have been unable to solve thus far. What to do with Siver Cliffgaard a victim of St. Vitus dance with kleptomaniac attachments.

Siver was formerly a sawyer for the Crookston Lumber Co., but about 5 years ago he became afflicted with St. Vitus dance and since that time has caused all local officials more worry and trouble than all other criminals and unfortunates combined. The city has been paying his board at a local hotel, but Siver proposes to stay where he wants to. He walks the streets all night, and sleeps on the curbing in the day time, or in the doorway of some business house.

He staggers around like a drunken man, and during the past week has succeeded in falling over a baby carriage, nearly killing the child and frightening the mother into hysterics was ill tempered one morning and hit a stranger across the face, knocking him to the sidewalk curb and cutting his head so that Dr. Kjelland had to take several stitches to close the wound. The stranger wondered what manner of lunatics Crookston allowed running loose on the streets. On top of this Siver yesterday fell down in front of a Great Northern passenger train at the depot and was just snatched away before the train made sausage of him.

And that was rather a quiet and monotonous week for Siver.

He is arrested as a rule about twice a week and thrown in jail. To cool him off Judge McLean sent him to the county jail for 60 days for begging on the streets. As soon as he was out he started begging again and was kept in the city lockup for 20 days more. He was just let out and is worse than ever. Every time he goes into a confectionery store he steals a box of snuff if he can, or fills his pockets with bananas. He doesn't seem to care whether it is snuff or bananas as he says they both taste alike to him.

The authorities have tried to get him into the home for the feeble minded, but the officials of the home claim he is not feeble minded and will not accept him. He is not insane and so cannot be sent to Fergus Falls. He only commits petty crimes and so cannot be sent to the county jail for but short terms.

An effort is now being made to make the provision for a place for Siver an issue in the coming legislative campaign. The candidate who is to get the support of Crookston must promise to get the legislature to provide a place to unload Siver.

In the meantime Siver for diversion tells every policeman he meets to go to h—l, slugs strangers, falls over baby carriages, steals snuff or bananas and causes sleepless nights for city aldermen and county commissioners.

In fact Siver is the biggest municipal problem the city has to wrestle with.

AGRICULT'L'TS' CONVENTION

DRY LAND FARMERS TO MEET AT FARGO N. D., IN CONVENTION NEXT WEEK

REPRESENTATIVES OF NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PRESENT

From Tuesday's Daily—

The third annual gathering of the Great Plains Co-operative Experiment association will be held at Fargo on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The membership includes Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Montana and both Dakotas. Delegates from all these states are on the program which has been prepared for the meeting. All people interested in dry land agriculture are invited. The sessions are to be held at the Agricultural college. Among the prominent speakers are Gov. Burke, President Worst, of the A. C., and some representatives of the national department of agriculture.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

ENTRIES CLOSED RACE IS ON

CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATION FOR OFFICE OFF FOR FINAL SPRINT

NO MORE CANDIDATES CAN FILE AFTER COURT HOUSE CLOSES TONIGHT

This is the last day upon which candidates for office can file with the county auditor, and the list published below is complete with the exception of a few democratic candidates who may file late this afternoon. The Democratic committee has been very busy all day rustling candidates but had not fully decided as to who would be put up for the offices having no democratic candidates at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The Candidates

For Sheriff—Republican: J. O. Rindahl, Rindal; Napoleon A. Bray, Crookston; John D. McPhee, Crookston; Orin Daniels, Crookston; Iver I. Hillestad, Fosston; C. J. Gilbert, Crookston; Erik Palm, Eldred; John P. Tuff, Crookston; D. D. Horton, Crookston. Democrat: Hans Samuelson, Climax. Public Ownership: Hans M. Holmvik, Liberty.

For County Auditor—Republican: Henry J. Welte, Crookston; John W. Sandberg, Crookston. Democrat: Anton M. Sirek, town of Tabor. Public Ownership: August Lindblad, Climax.

For County Treasurer—Republican: Theodore A. Thompson, Crookston; John Lindberg, town of Eden. Public Ownership: Hans C. Sampson, Fosston.

For Superintendent of Schools — Republican: N. A. Thorson, Crookston.

For County Attorney—Republican: Eric O. Hagen, Crookston; P. R. Lavik, Fertile; G. A. E. Finlayson, East Grand Forks. Democrat: George J. Cannon, Crookston.

For County Coroner—Republican: Nels P. Stenshoel, Crookston; G. S. Chesterman, Crookston.

For County Surveyor — Steener Steenerson, Climax; Orvis Hinds, Crookston.

For Probate Judge—Republican: T. T. Morken, Crookston. Public Ownership: A. Erwin, Beltrami.

Representative Sixty-second Legislative district—Republican: John Holton, Fertile; John Saugstad town of Roome; J. H. Stair, Crookston; L. E. George, Fertile. Public Ownership: W B. Mellang, Climax. Prohibition: Thomas Vollum, Mentor.

For Commissioner First District—Republican: Emil Johnson, town of Woodside; Marius Christianson town of Woodside. Public Ownership: D. D. Bodahl, town of Garden.

For Commissioner Third District—Republican: Morgan R. Hussey, Crookston; Ben Clements, Crookston. Democrat: Remi Fortier. Public Ownership: G. W. Barth, town of Liberty.

For Commissioner Fifth District—Republican: James Driscoll, town of Huntsville. Democrat: William Pape town of Esther. Public Ownership: G. P. Whitesel, town of Fanny.

SOD BURNING IN HAMMOND

SIMILAR CONDITION OF AFFAIRS OCCURRED ABOUT TEN YEARS AGO

H. A. Tofsley, a prominent farmer of Hammond township 8 miles south of this city reports a peculiar condition of affairs in that township, portions of ten square miles of sod being ablaze It seems that a prairie fire started last Thursday when a north wind was prevailing, and the fire swept to the big state ditch.

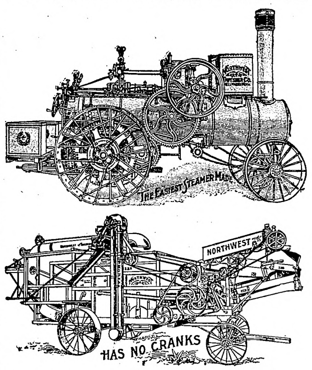
The next day the wind switched to the south and the fire burned back north again a distance of five miles to a county ditch, and on Saturday the wind again turned and the fire burned back to the state ditch again, thus covering a distance two miles east and west and five miles north and south.

But the peculiar part of the situation is that practically this whole territory is still smouldering and will continue to smoulder till a heavy rain fall comes, or till after the ground is covered with snow.

The ground is so dry from the hot weather and lack of rain that the roots of the grass are afire, and as the land is low, and heavy growths of grass have covered it for years, there is a perfect mass of dry roots for the fire to feed on.

Mr. Tofsley states that in the early days the same thing happened, and that the fire burned steadily for several months till a heavy snow came and smothered it, and that great holes were left which can be seen to this day. In the meantime there is smoke enough in that section to keep all damage from frost off till the fire is extinguished.

NORTHWEST SEPARATOR & ENGINE



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RAILWAYS EMPLOYES TO ORGANIZE FOR BUSINESS

To oppose adverse legislation which has thrown thousands out of work in past. Meet here Sunday.

On Sunday next a meeting of railway employes of Northern Minnesota will be held in Crookston for the purpose of effecting a railway employes' organization for the advancement of the best interests of all concerned and to specially oppose adverse legislation which during the past year or two in particular they believe has resulted in thousands of them being legislated out of good jobs.

700 Employes Interested

There are about 700 railway employes in this section of the state, and Crookston will be the headquarters of the organization they will effect for their mutual benefit and protection. They believe that anti-railroad legislation has been carried too far, and have secured some figures to substantiate their claims.

In connection with the notification of the meeting to be held here, Conductor S. H. Withey has sent out the following letter of information to all the railroad men employed in this part of the state.

Some Interesting Statistics

Crookston, Minn., Aug. 17, 1908.

Dear Sir:—

While visiting railroad employes' clubs at St. Paul recently, I was furnished with some valuable information in the way of a comparative statement of business handled by the Great Northern railway month of May, 1908, as compared with October, 1907.

I will be glad to have you study these facts and figures carefully, as they were taken from records of the Accounting Department, General Office, St. Paul.

Locomotives Idle

I find that in October, 1907, there was in service on the Great Northern Railway, 974 locomotives, which made for the month an average mileage of 2557 miles. In May, 1908 the number of locomotives had increased to 1076, but the average mileage had decreased to 1724 miles per locomotive for the month.

The number of locomotives necessary to handle the May, 1908, business on the average mileage of October, 1907, would be 725 or as compared with total number of locomotives available, there were idle in May, 1908, 351 locomotives.

Engine Crews Lost $87,128.73

In October 1907, the average wage per engine crew for the month was $248.23. Applying this average rate of earnings to the number of idle locomotives gives $87,128.73 as the amount of wages lost to these employes per month by reason of the decrease in business.

The decrease in number of engines in service makes a corresponding decrease in roundhouse forces, composed mostly of skilled mechanics. In May, 1908, there were 285 roundhouse employes less than in October 1907, whose monthly wages would amount to $18,687.73.

All Employes are Effected

In the company's shops there has been a reduction of 2449 men, who would have earned if working on the October 1907, basis $185,305.60 per month.

The number of trainmen has also correspondingly decreased. Taking the mileage of conductors on the basis of 100 miles per day's work, there were 640 conductors employed in the freight service in October, 1907, and only 372 in May, 1908, or a decrease of 268 conductors. Allowing two brakemen for each conductor, there is a decrease of 536 brakemen or a total of 804 trainmen out of employment. The average rate of wages per train crew per month is $288.00 and for 268 crews the loss would be $77,184.00.

Switching Crews Hit

The smaller number of trains also results in a reduction in the number of switching crews required. In October, 1907, using 10 hours per man per day, there were 602 men employed, earning $63,866.90 while in May, 1908, the number employed had been reduced to 290 men, earnings $31,169.80, making a decrease of 312 men and $32,697.10 in wages.

To Recapitulate:

Out of work		Wages lost
Enginemen	702	$ 87,128.73
Roundhousemen ...	285	18,687.75
Shopmen	2449	77,184.00
Switchmen	312	32,697.10
Total	4552	$401,003.16

The total decrease in the pay rolls in May, 1908, over October 1907, is nearly $375,000.00 more than above, made up largely of employes of station and track departments.

An Enormous Total

At an average monthly rate of $60 this would represent work for about 6250 men, making a total in round numbers of about 10800 men out of employment, and losing monthly $775,000.00 in wages.

You may use this information as you see fit, as it is taken from the pay rolls and is absolutely correct.

Attention, Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar will give immediate relief to asthma sufferers and has cured many cases that had refused to yield to other treatment. Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung trouble. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

Despondent; Kills Self.

Washington, Aug. 26. — Despondent over the death of his wife less than a month ago, Arthur D. Adams, a bookbinder in the government bureau of engraving and printing, took his own life here yesterday.

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ALL WIDOW PENSIONERS

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RECEIVING INCREASED PENSIONS UNDER LAW OF APRIL 1908

SHOULD FORWARD CERTIFICATES TO MILWAUKEE AT ONCE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The following notice, of vast importance to all widow pensioners of the United States who reside in this district, has been received by the Journal and is published for their benefit, as it is official: "Widows receiving an increased pension under the Act of April 19th, 1908, are not responding to the request to mail their pension certificate to the U. S. Pension Agent at Milwaukee. It is all important that these certificates be at once mailed to him to be stamped for increased rate. No vouchers for October payment can or will be mailed till certificates have been stamped with the twelve dollar rate.

F. H. Magdeburg, U. S. Pension Agt.
Milwaukee, Wis.

SEPTEMBER IS A PLEASANT MONTH

WEATHER RECORDS SHOW FEW CLOUDY DAYS IN FIRST FALL MONTH

The month of September if it lives up to admirable precedents set by Duluth Septembers for the past thirty-seven years should be a pleasant one. The weather bureau has just issued its monthly statement of average weather bureau was established in 1871

During that time there have been, on the average but nine cloudy days in September.

The average temperature has been the comfortable point of 57 degrees. The highest point the mercury ever reached in September was 94 degrees on Sept. 1 1894. On Sept. 29, 1899, the mercury dropped to its lowest point 29 degrees. A "killing" frost is on record for September 15, but that was back in 1874, and the average time for "killing" frosts is not until Oct. 4. The average rainfall for the month is 3.75 inches.

DEDICATED CHURCH LAST SUNDAY

NEW NORWEGIAN CHURCH AT THIEF RIVER FALLS DEDICATED

The church of the Norwegian Lutheran Synod at Thief River Falls was dedicated last Sunday. The dedication sermon was delivered by the Rt. Rev. K. Bjorgo, president of the Minnesota District of the Norwegian Synod. The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. H. Bjornson. The pastors who assisted were Rev. S. T. Palm, of St. Hilaire; Rev. Emil Hansen, of Warren; Rev. Ordal, of Sandridge; Rev. S. H. Aarnes, of Grygla; Rev. Sarbo, of Warren and the local pastor. The services commenced at the usual hour, 10:30. Mrs. Dodsley from Fargo played the organ, Miss Saethr, from Willmar sang, and the choir of the church assisted by singing several prepared songs.

SPECIAL ELECTION SEPTEMBER 29TH

Shall a county agricultural school be established at St. Hilaire? This is the question the voters of Red Lake county will be called upon to decide at a special election called by the board of county commissioners for Tuesday, September 29th, 1908. The people of St. Hilaire are to bear all election expenses.

The establishment of this school has been agitated by St. Hilaire citizens for some time.

Will Interest Many

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Remedy is taken in time.

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HUNTER SHOT BY ACCIDENT

[illegible] HELLERUD IS INSTANTLY [illegible] BY ACCIDENTAL [illegible] OF GUN

WAS OUT HUNTING PRAIRIE CHICKENS—HAD LOADED GUN IN WAGON

From Monday's Daily—

Norman Hellerud was accidentally shot and instantly killed late yesterday afternoon on his father's farm midway between Ada and Halstad in Norman county. He with Wm. Shields, Peter Meiberg and a driver left Ada yesterday morning to hunt in the vicinity of Hellerud's old home and had a very successful day and were about ready to drive home when the dog came to a point, Hellerud reached down and grabbed the barrel of his gun when there was a flash and the top of his head was nearly blown off by the discharge it entering under his chin and coming out at his temple causing instant death. His father Andrew J. Hellerud and brother who were working in the field near by took charge of the remains and had them moved to the house where the boy was born.

Norman Hellerud was 22 years old and son of one of the prominent families of Norman county, his father has recently retired from the farm and is residing at Halstad, but together with an other son happened to be at the farm that day and was talking with Norman only a few moments before the horrible accident happened. The young man has lately been staying in Ada where he is connected with one of the dray lines. He was very popular with all his acquaintances, and his sudden taking off has saddened the entire community. The interment will take place at Halstad, funeral arrangements had not been completed at the time of going to press.

WM. WELCH HAS PASSED BEYOND

A PROMINENT RESIDENT OF THIS CITY EXPIRED LAST NIGHT

After having suffered for the past three months with an acute attack of dropsy William H. Welch breathed his last at nine o'clock last evening at his home 321 Gorgas Avenue.

Mr. Welch was 52 years of age, he was born at Dayton, O., and came to Minnesota with his parents who settled at Greendale, Dakota county, in 1880 Mr. Welch came to Crookston and has resided here ever since. Mr. Welch was united in marriage in 1884 to Miss Mary Hilgrove, who with two sons Martin and William survive him. Mrs. Welch has been an invalid for 17 years and is prostrated by the death of her husband. The boys are at Northwood, N. D., with their teams threshing. They are expected to arrive home tonight.

Mr. Welch has always been a public spirited man, he made no enemies, was kind to his family and a faithful and patient husband to an invalid wife. His occupation for the most part has been contracting and working a lot of horses. In the early days he was town marshal and for a term when R. J. Montague was mayor he acted as chief of police. He bore his last illness with patience and fortitude it has been nearly two months since he could lie down, but he was around town nearly every day driving a buggy.

No definite funeral arrangements have been made but it is expected the interment to take place from St. Marys church Friday morning. Definite announcement will appear in the Journal tomorrow.

DEAD MAN FOUND BESIDE R.R. TRACK

As the Duluth train No. 33 was coming west yesterday it picked up a body of a man found beside the track, about one mile east of Grand Rapids, by the section men. The man had not been run over as he was not mangled in any way but showed some bruises as if he had fallen off the cars. The remains were taken to Grand Rapids and the Itasca county coroner is holding an inquest today.

A girl hasn't much use for a young man who carries his small change in a pocketbook.

DEMOCRACY'S IDOL IS CHEERED BY "FAITHFUL"

Hon. Wm. Jennings Bryan Addressed A Big Crowd On Streets of Crookston From Band Stand Last Evening.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Hon. Wm. J. Bryan the Democratic candidate for president of the U. S. stopped off in Crookston last evening for a short time between trains and addressed a crowd of some 3000 people briefly, many of the leading Democrats of all surrounding towns being present. He paid a high compliment to Gov. Johnson and Ex Gov. Lind and made a characteristic Democratic address which aroused a great deal of enthusiasm. He was introduced by State Committeeman Martin O'Brien and spoke from the band stand near the Great Northern depot. The streets were packed with people and the speakers reference to certain Democratic success if the rank and file showed a solid and united front created considerable applause.

The Trusts

Mr. Bryan touched briefly upon but three subjects. The first was relative to what the Republican party had done or failed to do for the farmer. and made special reference to the Harvester Trust, which he said had had its hands in the pockets of every farmer of the country without molestation on the part of the Republican party. He claimed that nothing was done in the trust busting line by Roosevelt with all his strenuosity, what would be expected of Taft who was less aggressive and who argued not in favor of destroying the trusts, but in regulating them.

No Hope From Republicans.

The speaker claimed that the Republicans had been in control of the United States Senate and House of Representatives with a Republican president in the chair for the past 11 years and wanted to know what had been done to benefit or ameliorate the condition of the farmer by the party in power.

Then The Tariff

..He said the Republicans now promised tariff reform, but that there was no assurance whether they would regulate it "up or down". He wanted to know why the Republicans kept promising what they would do when they had been in power eleven years and had done nothing along that line but had controlled all the necessary legislative machinery of regulation.

Guaranteed Bank Deposits

He referred to that quick action of the Republican administration and congress last winter in coming to the aid of the Wall Street bankers when they were in distress, but the failure of the Republicans to give the people guaranteed bank deposits, so that the savings of the laborer would be fully protected. He challenged the Republicans to point out one single trust magnate who had been given a berth behind the bars even when convicted of flagrant violation of the law.

Just Reward of Labor

Mr. Bryan said the policy of the Democratic party was solely and simply to see that the farmer and all other laborers received a just and equitable return for his labor and what he produced, and to protect the people against the encroachments of the trusts by crushing the power of wealth when by evil combinations in restrain of trade the people were oppressed and forced to bend their necks to the yoke of predatory wealth

O'Brien Called "Time"

Committeeman O'Brien who held the watch on the speaker called time and Mr. Bryan was forced to bring his remarks to an abrupt close, and was given a hearty cheer as he was escorted back to the depot and boarded No. 8 for the return trip to St. Paul He arrived on the train from Grand Forks at 10:15 and left at 10:35.

Bryan The Statesman

Those who have heard Mr. Bryan before noticed marked change. It was "Bryan the Statesman" last evening rather than "Bryan the Orator." He spoke dispassionately and in an argumentative vein rather than making a passionate appeal to the emotional side of his hearers. Instead of adopting spell-binding tactics he was rather disposed to sow a few seeds for thought upon which his hearers might ruminate to the advantage of Democracy between now and election time.

Mr. Bryan showed plainly that he had been taxing his voice recently and was slightly hoarse, but could be plainly heard by those attending on the extreme outskirts of the crowd

ARRIVES IN CROOKSTON

"COLONIAL JACK" LONG DISTANCE PEDESTRIAN REACHED HERE. YESTERDAY

From Wednesday's Daily—

"Colonial Jack" who left Portland Me., June 1 to walk around the border of the United States on a $1000 wager sauntered into Crookston yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, exactly 300 miles ahead of his schedule.

His real name is J. A. Krohn and he was born and raised in St. Peter right alongside of Governor John A. Johnson.

Yesterday he walked in from Erskine, having made the trip to that place from Bagley the day before. Krohn will follow the Great Northern West. He will only go to Fisher today and expects to make Michigan City, N. D., for Sunday and thence thru Dakota, Montana and Washington, to Seattle. He has lost but three days since he started, on account of injuries to his feet and in spite of this he is 250 miles ahead of his schedule He has 400 days in which to complete the long journey of 9,000 miles and win the $1,000. The journey began at Portland, Maine, and will end there he hopes, within the time limit set.

Krohn has passed thru 324 cities on his way to Crookston. On the three sides of his triangular "baggage car" are pasted hundreds of souvenirs of the country thru which he has passed Business cards, posters, election cards —thousands of them make up the collection which he has saved. When the cards get to numerous he cleans the slate and begins over again.

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SHOOTS SELF WHILE INSANE

L. B. GIBBS IS DEAD AS RESULT OF WOUND INFLICTED WHILE DERANGED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Worry over his extensive business interests caused L. B. Gibbs, president of the Gibbs Grain & Fuel company, to become deranged and yesterday morning, shortly after 6 o'clock he took his life by shooting himself with a revolver. He died instantly.

Mr. Gibbs took his life in the bath room of the T. B. Holmes residence, South Sixth street, where his daughter, Mrs. George Keenan, resides. Shortly before his death he came to the bedroom of Mr. and Mrs. Keenan and rapped on the door. Mrs. Keenan asked what was wanted but could not make out what he replied. A few minutes later the report of a revolver was heard and Mr. Keenan rushed to Mr. Gibb's room. He was not in his room but in the bathroom. Mr. Keenan found his lifeless body.

The deceased was 56 years old. He was born in Perry, Ohio, and from there moved to Painsville, Ohio. He came to Fargo in 1879 and was engaged in business there until 1894 when he removed to Grand Forks.

He was president of the North Dakota Milling association, which ceased to exist a number of years ago. In 1893 he organized the Gibbs Grain & Fuel company and was chosen president. The company did a large wholesale and retail grain and fuel business.

The deceased was a director of the Y. M. C. A. and took an active part in its affairs. He was fond of outdoor life and spent some time at the Town and Country club in the summer months.

DEAD CAST IN RED RIVER

BODY OF UNKNOWN MAN FOUND ON BANKS OF RED RIVER AT E. G F.

EVIDENCE INDICATES THAT A FOUL MURDER HAS BEEN COMMITTED

From Monday's Daily—

What is believed to be a case of murder was discovered yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock when the body of an unknown man was found floating in the Red river by Captain Hayes of the government boat Ogama.

Evidence that the man had been murdered was found in his face which bore evidences of a severe beating. Some instrument had been used to club out the life of the deceased There was no water on the lungs as is the case when a person is drowned.

One peculiar circumstance is not explained. The man's shoes are missing. Some are inclined to believe that the man was killed by heartless thugs who took his shoes before throwing the body into the river. He wore a rather shabby suit of clothes.

Last night there were scores of people who visited the undertaking rooms at E. G. Forks and viewed the body. but none could say that they had ever seen the man before.

Coroner Chesterman was called over and held an inquest last evening and is awaiting the report this afternoon after which he will order the body buried.

The man was a laborer, five feet six inches in height, is dark wears no moustache and was about 32 years old. He wore a black shirt and over alls.

A woman named Mrs. A. Olsoner of Fargo had inquired of Coroner Chesterman for her husband who was missing and as the dead man found answered the description. Mr. Olsoner was later located working in the harvest fields near Buxton, N. D.

"SHORT" SANDERS HAS NO TROUBLE

ANOTHER SANDERS OF MINNEAPOLIS, FORMERLY OF GRAND FORKS SUED FOR DIVORCE

Dr. Orr Sanders and wife returned Sunday evening from Kirksville, Mo., where they have been taking a special course in osteopathy. In Minneapolis they were guests for two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Sanders. Mr. Sanders is a brother of the doctor and is a former resident of G. Forks. He is better known in G. Forks and North Dakota as "Short" Sanders.

Dr. Sanders says there is absolutely no truth in the story of divorce proceedings having been instituted by Mrs. G. S. Sanders. The parties named in the suit were former residents of Grand Forks but are not related to "Short" Sanders. "Short" has a fine boy and is very happily married. He engaged in the real estate business and is prospering.

MISFORTUNE OF MAN SEEKING TO EARN MONEY

Helge Dahl a resident of the Grygla country was brought to the West Hotel at Thief River Falls last Thursday in a badly battered condition due to falling from a wagon in which he and another man were enroute to Dakota. The accident occurred on the Pembina ridge and the men immediately returned here. Dahl had two ribs broken and the flesh scraped from one leg

Injuries Are Fatal.

Eau Claire, Wis., Sept. 2.—H. Schannon, sixty-five years old, of Elk Mound fell down stairs at the American house and died last night from injuries received, a broken rib having penetrated the pericardium.

THE FOURTEENTH HOLD REUNION

The 14th Regiment of Minnesota Volunteers for the Spanish American war will hold a reunion at the St. Paul armory on Friday the fourth of this month. Company I of this regiment was recruited in Crookston and many of the members are residents of the city and will no doubt attend the reunion.

FINE SHOWING OF POLK CO.

S. W. WHEELER SAYS EXHIBIT FROM THIS COUNTY IS THE BEST

TO BE SEEN FROM ANY COUNTY, IN STATE AND SHOULD TAKE FIRST PRIZE

C. A. Anderson this morning received a letter from S. W. Wheeler who is attending the state fair in which the writer states that the Polk county exhibit under the management of Messrs J. M. Stephens, Magnus Lundberg and J. H. Stair is magnificent, the finest from any county in the state and should be awarded first prize. He says it is worth ten times what it cost and is viewed with amazement by the people from further south, and that every one who has seen it is attracted and makes most favorable comments.

Mr. Wheeler thinks those in charge deserve the highest praise for the showing they have made and wants to see the exhibit go to the Illinois State fair at Springfield as the people of Illinois never saw such an exhibit and without seeing it would never believe that Polk or any other one county in Minnesota could make any such magnificent showing of wealth.

DEATH OF MISS SARAH ROBERTS

MISS SARAH ROBERTS PASSED AWAY THURSDAY AFTER SEVERAL YEARS' ILLNESS

Brainerd Dispatch: Miss Sarah Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts died Thursday afternoon after noon after an illness of several years of tuberculosis of the lungs. She spent some months at the state sanitorium at Walker without avail and declined steadily until the end came. The funeral was held at the house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The deceased was 29 years of age and was born in Polk county, Minn. but had resided most of her life either in Brainerd or in the country west of here. She leaves besides her parents three brothers, Oscar Charles and Henry Roberts, all of whom reside in Brainerd.

ADVANTAGE OF GOOD ROADS

GRYGLA AND CREAMERY TAKING ADVANTAGE OF ROAD MADE BY MIDDLE RIVER

This week for the first time, the Grygla creamery hauled its shipment of butter to Middle River. There were 80 tubs of it and four teams brought it in, taking back loads of freight for the Grygla stores The men admitted the road here is better than to Thief River and as it is a trifle nearer too there is no reason why Middle River should not be the market place for Grygla.—Pioneer.

MAGNIFICENT MACARONI WHEAT

Remi Fortier has finished threshing his macaroni wheat and a sample sent in today is as fine as was ever grown on top of ground. He had a large field of it and it averaged 34 bushels per acre. A fine sample of this can be seen at the Journal office. The kernels are large and clear and with such a yield the profit per acre would be large.

Babe Strangled In Chair.

Lake Crystal, Minn., Sept. 2.—While Mrs. Will O. Hughes was spending a few moments at a neighbor's on an errand her six-month-old child, tied in a high chair on the porch, slipped down and was strangled by the fastenings of the chair. When the mother returned home the babe was dead.

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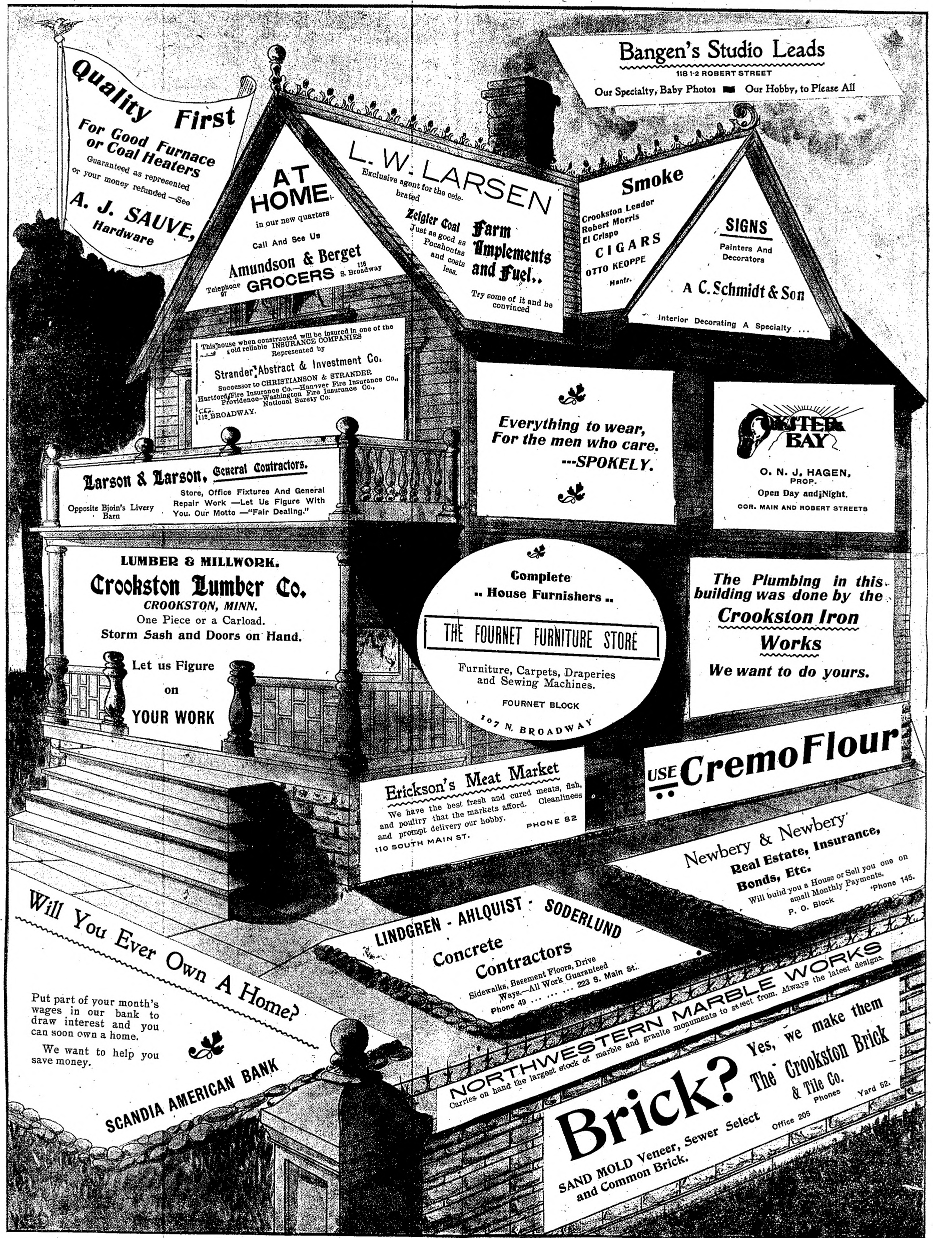

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HARRY COLBY SHOWS UP AFTER CAUSING SENSAT'N

YOUNG MAN WHO LEFT PLUMMER MYSTERIOUSLY AND FOR WHOM POSSES HUNTED FOR FOUR DAYS FEARING COLBY HAD BEEN LOST OR ACCIDENTALLY SHOT, LOCATED AT FERTILE THINKS IT SMART TRICK

From Friday's Daily—

Thursday afternoon, Harry Colby, who it was thot had perished in the woods near Plummer, or had been accidently wounded or killed, turned up in Fertile as unconcerned as tho nothing had happened, and refusing to take the trouble to make any explanation for his unusual and highly censurable conduct, and evinced no interest in the fact that since last Monday afternoon posse after posse composed of residents of Greenbush and farmers in that vicinity had been searching the woods in all directions for him.

He was shown the Crookston and Twin City and Duluth papers containing accounts of his disappearance and the worry he had caused and looked upon the entire affair as a good joke, of which the searchers were the victims.

He was asked why he left in the manner he did, and his only reply was "I took a notion that I would head for Fertile after I started out on my walk, and as I am my own boss I simply came. The reason I took no more of my clothing is that the weather is sufficiently warm that I did not need more than one suit. I can't see what the Plummer people wanted to make such a fuss over."

Colby was working for Chas. Latta, editor of the Plummer Pioneer and last Monday morning complained of being ill. Mr. Latta suggested that he take a walk into the woods and get some fresh air. Colby thot that a good idea, and taking a novel and a revolver strolled out of the office. Noon came and it was supposed he had fallen asleep. About 4 o'clock however, Mr. Latta became alarmed and started a search. He could find no one who had seen Colby and after supper several posses were organized and the dense woods surrounding Plummer searched in all directions till Midnight.

Tuesday the search was kept up all day and late into the night and on Wednesday farmers and everyone in that section of the country searched in vain and it was decided that Colby had strayed off into the reservation and became completely bewildered or had accidently shot himself, being but 15 years of age and not used to handling fire arms.

Mr. Latta telephoned the villages in all directions, but no trace of Colby could be found and it was believed that after four days he must have perished.

No one thot for a minute that he had deliberately walked off as he had had no trouble of any kind, and went away with the overalls he wore in the ad alley, a coat but no vest, leaving all his good clothes behind in the Latta residence, and took but a little change which he happened to have in his pocket.

It develops, however, that Colby has taken strolling streaks before. A little over a year ago he left suddenly without advising his mother and all Fertile was agog, thinking he had met with foul play. He turned up smiling in Minneapolis about a week later, when he wrote home for funds.

Last winter he also disappeared suddenly, and was located in Grand Forks, and refused to make any explanations.

His game of "now I'm here and now I'm not here" has failed to make a hit at Plummer, and the searchers would gladly contribute funds for a boy tannery and farmers would donate the necessary hickory for several applications on the gable end of Colby's trousers.

SPEC. TRAINS FOR DEDICATION OF STEPHENS HALL

SENATOR STEPHENS HAS SECURED THE DESIRED TRAIN SERVICE FROM ST. VINCENT AND GREENBUSH—TIME SCHEDULE WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER—SPECIAL WILL ALSO BE SECURED OVER THE NORTHERN PACIFIC

From Friday's Daily—

James J. Hill has promised Crookston all the special trains desired for the dedication of Stephens Hall at the school of agriculture at the State Experimental farm, and there will be at least two trains run to Crookston on the morning of Thursday Sept. 17 one coming from St. Vincent, and one from Greenbush, returning home late the same evening. From all other directions regular trains arrive in the morning and depart in the evening thus taking care of the crowds from the Duluth line, the Halstad line, the St. Paul line and the Grand Forks branch. A special train will also be run on the Northern Pacific from Winnipeg Junction to this city and people from the north and west getting a good service on the regular N. P. flyer.

Preparations for the big event are progressing rapidly. Practically all those to whom invitations were extended from a distance have accepted and the event will mark the largest gathering of prominent educators and politicians ever seen in northwestern Minnesota. Fully 10,000 visitors are expected, and to handle the crowds all the automobiles that can be secured from Grand Forks, Fargo and other smaller towns where auto liveries are operated will be secured for both September 16th and 17th.

On the afternoon of the 17th a monster picnic lunch will be served and it will be a monster "feed."

Supt. Robertson has issued the following invitation to the general public:

"The State School of Agriculture at Crookston was established by the Legislature of 1905, for the people of Northwestern Minnesota. The school has been in operation for two winters and will begin its third year's work on October 13th 1908. The school offers a three year course to both young men and women from the farms.

"The new buildings were provided for the school by the last Legislature. Both will be completed and ready for use at the opening of the fall term in October.

"In order that the people may have a chance to become acquainted with the school and at the same time have a day off, which will be a pleasant and profitable one, it is planned to dedicate Stephens hall on the 17th day of September.

"On that day you will have a chance to hear James J. Hill and Congressman C. R. Davis, to inspect the Farm and School and to meet many of the most prominent citizens of the state. Don't miss a good thing when it will cost you so little and you can get so much out of it. Bring your basket lunch and do not leave the family behind. You can come in on the morning train and go home in the evening.

"Special trains will be run on the Greenbush and St. Vincent lines on the day of the dedication, Sept. 17th. Don't forget the date and especially bring along the boy or girl you wish to send to school this fall.

"Sincerely

"—Wm. Robertson, Supt."

CLAY CO. FARMER PROVES THERE IS MONEY IN SHEEP

Frank Clemans who owns and operates the old John Marth farm in the town of Humboldt, Clay County, shipped a load of wool from Barnesville recently that weighed nearly half a ton. Altho he now has upward of 300 head of sheep, including lambs, this cut represented the result of shearing only 140 head. Mr. Clemens is a firm believer in the advantages of this section for sheep raising and is proving it to his satisfaction at least, that there is money in the industry. He started in seven years ago with six head of sheep, and his first season's cut of wool was only 20 pounds. In these few years his flock has incr ed to nearly 300 and the cut of wool as stated above.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by all druggists.

SUCCUMBED TO CANCER

WELL KNOWN AND PIONEER G. N. CONDUCTOR DIED AT GRAND FORKS

M. H. LONG, WELL KNOWN THRUOUT THIS SECTION TO BE BURIED SATURDAY

From Friday's Daily—

This morning at his home in the Dinnie flats at Grand Forks occurred the death of M. H. Long for ten years a conductor on the Great Northern railway. Death was due to cancer of the stomach from which he has been a sufferer for the past six months. The funeral services will take place on Saturday under the auspices of the Order of Railway Conductors of which organization he was a member, interment to be made in the O. R. C. lot at Memorial Park. Rev. W. W. Moore will officiate.

Mr. Long during his residence of 15 years in Grand Forks as a G. N. conductor had made for himself a large number of friends. Not only was he very well acquainted in Grand Forks but thruout the Red river valley. His genial disposition, quiet temperament and care in the discharge of his duties has won for him the respect and confidence of his fellow men.

The deceased was born on July 30, 1850, in the city of Toronto, Ont. He removed to Chicago moving from that city to Grand Forks having made his residence there and at Larimore ever since. About a year ago he began to suffer with cancer of the stomach, six months of the time being confined to his bed. Last March he was taken to Rochester, Minn., for an operation, but after an examination it was decided by the doctors that nothing could be done.

A wife and three children, Mrs. Charles Pettibone of Milwaukee and Lillian and Walter Long of Grand Forks survive him. Three sisters reside in Toronto while a brother resides at Sault Ste. Marie. His mother and father are both dead. Mr. Long was a member of the O. R. C. of that city being active in both societies.

SKID-A-WA-BOO AND WHITE MEN TOO

An Indian and his squaw selected the G. N 7th street high bridge for a camping place last night, and coming into possession of some fire water, started in with two white men also full of tiger soup, to make a time of it.

The nuisance was reported to the police who canned the whole bunch, and as they were pretty well pickled they appeared still fresh in police court this morning.

The Indian and his squaw will be held a few days to try and find out where they got the liquor. The white men, Matt Burns got 30 days in the county jail Pete O'Brien will have to do five days street labor before he can again get a drop.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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SENATOR WORKS NAMES MEN WHO WILL BE IN ACTIVE

CHARGE OF CAMPAIGN IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

Senator Works, of Mankato, left for his farm at Euclid this morning after naming the ten democratic committee men-at-large authorized at the state delegate convention held in St. Paul last June. In the selection the Bryanites get little consideration, but the omission is explained on the ground that all Minnesota democrats are for Mr. Bryan now. The selection, including the members from the congressional district, are as follows:

Committee-at-Large—Edward Lees, Winona; H. A. Paterson, Blue Earth; Frank A. Day, Martin; Alfred Jacque St. Louis; W. E. McEwen, St. Louis; James Dwyer, Hennepin; Daniel Aberle, Ramsey; E. H. Hobe, Ramsey; C. A. Nye, Clay.

Congressional Members —First district, William Gauzewitz, Steele; Second district, S. B. Nelson, Rock; Third district C. C. Kolers, Le Seur; Fourth district, Paul J. Arndt, Washington Fifth district, F. G. Winston, Hennepin; Sixth district, Charles E. Vassaly Morrison; Seventh, B. B. Gislason, Lyon; Eighth, Martin Hughes, St. Louis; Ninth, Martin O'Brien, Polk.

The other members of the democratic state central committee were named at the county conventions held previous to the delegate convention and number about 110 which includes A. C. Schmidt, of Crookston.

UP-TO-DATE METHOD OF ADVERTISING

McMURTY'S AD. SERVICE PLEASES BEMIDJITES—TOWN PLEASES McMURTY

J. B. McMurty of the McMurty Ad. Service left yesterday afternoon for Crookston after spending a week in this city.

Mr. McMurty is working a unique advertisement entitled "Home Builders and Home Furnishers Firms" which appeared in the Pioneer Monday evening.

Mr. McMurty is an enterprising young business man and represents a valuable idea. He certainly deserves success with his unique and up-to-date method of advertising.

Mr. McMurty was very well pleased with Bemidji and stated that this is one of the most up-to-the-minute little cities in the country. "Nature certainly has been lavish with her beauties to Bemidji and the surrounding country," said Mr. McMurty as he stepped aboard the train for Crookston.—Bemidji Pioneer

WM. HAWES HAS PASSED BEYOND

FORMER WELL KNOWN RESIDENT DIES AT STELLACOM, WASHINGTON

Up to ten years ago nearly every houshold in Crookston was visited daily by Wm. Hawes who for many years drove the milk wagon for the E. D. Childs dairy. Mr. Hawes left this state about ten years ago for Washington, finally settling at Stellacom, from whence comes the news of his death which occurred on the 13th inst., the immediate cause being asthma and heart failure. Mr. Hawes is survived by his wife who is a sister of Mrs. Robert Lieck of this city and two daughters, Mrs. Wm. Scharfe and Miss Grace. They are operating a fruit and truck farm at Stellacom.

GRAND FORKS TAILORS HAVE FORMED UNION

The Journeymen Tailors of America have organized a union in Grand Forks, N. D. D. G. Biggs was the organizer. The following officers were elected:

President, Jacob Vikoren; vice president, Gustave Malstrom; treasurer, P. Anderson; secretary, M. Thorson.

A rapid growth of the union is anticipated. The officers and members propose to make the union a success, and it undoubtedly will be.

BEMIDJI IN "LEMON BELT" SAYS THE PIONEER

M. Flint of this city came into the Pioneer office this morning and showed us a lemon of unusual size which Mrs. Flint had raised on a small tree in the house. The lemon weighed 19 ounces and was twelve inches in circumberence. The lemon is the largest we ever saw and we are glad that Mr. Flint didn't "hand it to us."—Bemidji Pioneer.

READY FOR YEARS WORK

MANUAL TRAINING AND MUSIC TO BE FEATURES OF HIGH SCHOOL

PUPILS OF THE NEW FRANKLIN SCHOOL ARE PROVIDED FOR BY THE BOARD

From Friday's Daily—

On next Monday the school bell will ring the students back to begin another year's work, and Supt. McIntyre has returned from the summer home at Pokegama where the family will remain for another month

The High School faculty this year will be composed of Misses Sadley, Goodhue and Stone, and Miss Kate Kranz who were here before, Miss Dodge of Ridgeport, Vt., Miss Fallensby of Oberlin, Ohio, Miss Vesta Cornish of Minneapolis, Prof. S. N. Coher, who takes N. A. Thorson's place as science teacher, and Prof. JJ. H. Powers who will have charge of the manual training and music departments.

The manual training and music are new departments and both much needed. The manual training department will be on the 3rd floor which has been equipped with 24 benches and supplied with vices, guages, etc., with plenty of floorspace, good ventilation, plenty of light and fire escapes.

Pending the completion of the new Franklin school house in the woods district, the pupils of that district will be taken care of in the Methodist church Sunday school rooms and the Library building.

FORMER EUCLID BOY MAKES GOOD

CHASE BALLOU TO BE GEN. SEC'Y OF ROCHESTER Y. M. C. A.

H. Chase Ballou a former well known Euclid boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ballou who for years resided at Euclid and Angus where Mr. Ballou farmed, and was later agent for the Great Northern at Angus and Euclid for several years, is making a mark for himself. Mr. Ballou is a very young man still, having been born at Euclid, and was named after H. C. Misner of this city, and his many friends in this section will be glad to learn that he is climbing up the ladder of success rapidly. The following article regarding his work is taken from the Duluth News Tribune:

"H. Chase Ballou who has been the secretary in charge of the building fund of the Y. M. C. A. for the past two years has handed in his resignation to General Secretary Bevis, to take effect Sept. 15. Mr. Ballou will then go to Rochester, Minn., to fill the office of general secretary in the new building there. The building at Rochester is one of the best of the small buildings of the association, and is modern in every detail. Mr. Ballou will be the first one to work in the new building and he will have the privilege of planning the winter's work the way he wants it.

"He has been active in social and athletic work here for nearly three years and it is with regret that many of the members and officers hear of his going. He entered the association's employ in Brooklyn, N. Y., as social director, and later he acted as general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Charlottesville, Va."

His successor has not yet been named.

SHIPS CARLOAD OF FAT HOGS

T. H. Bjoin this afternoon shipped a carload of fine fat hogs to St. Paul where they will be slaughtered and shipped back to Crookston probably—and the consumers here will pay the freight both ways. This early shipment shows the necessity of a packing house in Crookston, as farmers are getting more and more into the hog raising business.

OWNS AND OCCUPIES A FINE FARM

Silas Hand of Rossville, Ill., arrived in the city today in an emmigrant car loaded with stock, farm implements and household goods. Mr. Hand owns the old Barb farm in the town of Lowell and will farm it himself bringing from Illinois all the necessary implements. He is an experienced farmer and will make the farm he has purchased again bloom with a wealth of vegetation as when the Barbs were working it. The Hand family will follow in a few days.

BABY'S EYESIGHT WAS THREATENED

By Terrible Eczema—Head Became a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores —Would Scratch Till Blood Came —Much Money Wasted in Fruitless Treatments—Disease Was Soon

CURED AT SLIGHT COST BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head were all one sore. We used different remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. At night we had to pin her hands down. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent, and in three weeks — what a change! I kept using the Cuticura Remedies for two months and our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fair as a new-born baby, and all for the small cost of a dollar and seventy-five cents where we had spent ten times the money for doctoring. She is now two years old and has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, R. F. D. 4, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, 1907."

SLEEP KILLED

By an Itching Humor. Another Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"I broke out with a humor which spread almost all over my body. The itching would get worse on retiring, so I could not sleep. I tried several remedies but it grew worse until I got some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Pills which began to relieve me at once. By the time I had used one vial of the Pills, the humor was entirely gone. I wish every sufferer could secure the Cuticura Remedies. Travis Bates, Hamburg, Ark., April 26, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

5 DEMOCRATS ENTER RACE

COUNTY COMMITTEE WORKED OVER TIME YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

TWO CANDIDATES FILED FOR CO. TREASURER ON DEMOCRATIC TICKET

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday was a busy day for the Democrats, specially the county central committee and as a result five candidates filed for nomination on the Democratic ticket as follows:

F. E. LePage, Mentor for county commissioner from the First district.

W. W. Brown, McIntosh for Representative.

Frank Kohler, Sullivan, for representative.

Nels Peterson, Crookston, for Co. Treasurer.

H. L. Hanson, Hill River, for Co. Treasurer.

Mr. Brown is the McIntosh miller and Mr. Peterson is an employe of the Bank of Crookston.

POSSE CORNERS FUGITIVE.

Charles Hayes, Wanted for Spearfish Crime, Believed to Be Surrounded.

Sturgis, S. D., Aug. 28. — Charles Hayes, alias William Dunn, wanted for a murder near Spearfish, is still at large. He is said to be in hiding near Belle Fourche, in the underbrush, and the place is surrounded.

Authorities who were on the trail yesterday came in last night, leaving the place strongly guarded. The officers are strongly armed and confident of capture. It is thought that Hayes will not be taken alive.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

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Will Encourage Good Roads

The suggestion given by the Postoffice Department that it cannot maintain rural free delivery routes over roads which are not in a passable condition, cannot help but give a stimulus to road construction, and increase the interest in road building thruout the country.

Prof. W. M. Hayes, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, who is an enthusiastic advocate of good roads, and an authority on agricultural subjests, sees in the notice issued by the Postoffice Department a step toward a comprehensive system of road building by county and state authorities co-related to the work now going on under the direction of the Department of Agriculture, and its division of good roads.

It has come to be well accepted that a larger treatment of the waterways of the country, on a more comprehensive scale for which the National Rivers and Harbors Congress stands, means better roads, and therefore a blessing to the farmers, increased value for his farms and easier movement for his wagons.

With a comprehensive plan of dealing with the water highways of the Nation on the part of the general government the building of roads would be made much easier than now, for it would be possible to transport metalling material for roads far distances by water, which under existing conditions is impossible.

If the Lakes-to-theGulf project of increasing the depth of the Mississippi is accomplished it would be possible to transport the refuse from the ore mines of the Duluth Superior region to the lower Mississippi and use this extremely hard material for road building in half a dozen states bordering on the Father of Waters.

Trap rock, which is the toughest kind of hard rock, used loosely to designate various dark-colored ingneous rocks, wears well as road material, and with improved waterways to insure transportation its use would be an accomplished fact.

Rock from the pallisades has also been used for road building, especially in New York and portions of New England, but with an inland waterway from New York to Florida its use upon the roads of the South would insure results at present but little appreciated, and make possible the desire of the Postmaster General to have, in the United States, a system of roads the equal of those in France, Brittany and rural England.

It is remarkable how closely the Nation's waterways are related to the material wellfare of the whole people, affecting in a minor degree both steam and electric railway transportation, solving the bulkier freight problems by making the rivers and streams respond to the uses of navigation.

In this connection it is interesting to note that the traffic moved by railroads of the United States exceeds four and one-half millions tons every 24 hours, and that the railroad traffic of the country has doubled in the last seven years while the facilities for transporting it have increased less than 25 per cent. Should the next seven years, prove as productivve and as fruitful of large returns as the last seven years that traffic, in the very nature of things, ought tto double again and then arises the question, how is it to be carried.

Uniess it can be carried there will be little or no inducement to increase its volume, and wthout the physical ability to transport the output of the farm, mine and factory production will necessarily suffer. With the railroads unable to meet the demands of the great producing forces of the country, for the carriage of their products, the waterways of the Nation, thru its rivers, streams and canals, will be called upon to bear its proportion of the transportation and a comprehensive system of waterway development, as urged by the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, becomes imperative.

Proots Good Times

The recent statement that there are 5,000 unemployed men in Philadelphia, who could be shipped west or in any other direction, on short notice, and the further report that 100 homeless poor persons had to seek shelter in a morgue in New York city, because all the ordinary charitable places of refuge were crowded to the limit are hard for people in St. Paul to understand or appreciate. No such hard times exist here. Says the St. Paul Dispatch.

As good a criterion, as any, of the actual condition of the poor and the relative condition of the times, is the experience of the Ramsey county board of control, which has charge of the city hospital, almshouse and outdoor relief. It is common knowledge that those duties are well discharged and that there is no abuse of public charitable funds, such as is too often found elsewhere. The money all goes to the purposes for which it is raised.

That board reports that the almshouse has exactly the same number of inmates now as a year ago, that is 88. There is practically no difference in the requests for aid by poor persons who are able to support themselves in part and are not in the poor house. There has been a slight increase in such donations, but it is due to particular causes in individual cases and cannot be attributed to any considerable lack of employment.

Another indication, which is within the scope of everybody's observation, is the scarcity of house-to-house beggars. Such mendicants, if they are numerous, are an unfailing sign of business depression. The harder the times, the more tramps there are, yet we know that there are few in St. Paul, and no more than usual in the Northwest. There is no Coxey's army, organized or disorganized, in existence today.

With wheat around $1 a bushel and other grains proportionately high, so that the farmers, the mainstay of the country, are prosperous and happy, why should not such agreeable conditions continue?

No, Alonzo, earthquakes were not invented by the quakers.

A man seldom has a scolding wife unless he needs that kind.

STATE PRESS

Public Crib Feeders Wail Heard

The nomination of Johnson for a third term for governor was brought about by the feeders at the public crib under his administration. It is said that the bleatings of the hungry calves were heartrending when they were begging him to accept another nomination. Too bad boys but you won't only lose the republican vote this year but thousands of Democratic votes that are opposed to building up a kingdom in Minnesota by electing one man for governor three times.—Highlanding Sunbeam.

Cow Threshing Income

There was not a very large number of our farmers went to Dakota this year for the threshing season as the larger portion of them are putting up hay for the cows who are threshing them out an income.—Highlanding Sunbeam.

A Cabbage Shortage

A shortage of cabbage has been announced by the National Kraut Manufacturers' association and a raise in the price of sauerkraut will in consequence be the result. The campaign is perhaps largely responsible for this shortage—cigar manufacturers having probably contracted for a large percentage of the cabbage crop in advance. Thus the public gets the worst of it at both ends—high priced sauerkraut and low grade (malodorous) cigars.—Princeton Union.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine.

Sold by all dealers.

From Over The Valley

HENRY LAVAYEA IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

News was received on Sunday of the death of Henry E. Lavayea who resided in Grand Forks county for many years leaving there in 1903. Heart failure caused his demise. The funeral will be held today in Los Angeles. where the family has resided since leaving Grand Forks.

Mr. Lavayea first came to Grand Forks county in 1870 when he came here from Cleveland, and he located permanently here in 1880. He resided in Grace township and from there moved to Larimore. He was elected to the North Dakota senate in 1900 and served during the sessions of 1901 and 1903. He left the state in the fall of 1903.

FARGO'S FIRST MAYOR DIES AT PORTLAND, ORE.

News of the death of Capt. George Egbert at Portland last Saturday was received in the city yesterday and to the pioneers of Fargo who were personal friends of the deceased, it was received with genuine regret. Capt. Egbert was the first mayor of the city. Since then he moved to Oregon and for some time was deputy United States marshal in that state. He was the first Master Mason in the territory

SURVEY BY GOVERNMENT IS NEARLY FINISHED

Reports from Bemidji are to the effect that the government surveyors who operated in this vicinity last year are now in Beltrami county, one camp north of Solway the other 50 miles west of International Falls. Work is progressing satisfactorily, Mr. Mead estimating that the 500 square miles left to be surveyed will require about six weeks time to complete. This fall after reaching Washington, Mr. Mead will give his final estimates on drainage conditions in the territory surveyed.

HELD UP ON EAST GRAND FORKS STREET

John Olson was held up on South Third street at a lonely point near the Great Northern tracks, East Grand Forks last night about 10 o'clock and robbed of $25 in cash. Two men sprang at him from the side of the street and one held a revolver in his face while the other went thru his clothing and took his money. Olson who is also known as "Toothless John" is a porter in a local saloon. No arrests have been made.

COURT CONVENES IN RED LAKE FALLS OCT. 26

The October term of district court will convene in Red Lake Falls on the 26th of that month, but owing to so many of the jurors having other work which will occupy their time until the last of October the same are not called to report for duty until November 9th.

The Smell of New Paint

To get rid of a bad smell in a room newly painted, place a vessel full of lighted charcoal in the middle of the room and thrown in it two or three handfuls of juniper berries. To promote good health try a reliable malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. Taken at mealtime it will aid the digestion, steady the nerves and make rich red blood. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

BUNCH OF HEATHER FOR BURNS CLUB

A bunch of heather arrived yesterday from Scotland at the Grand Forks postoffice addressed to the secretary of the Burns Club. Judge P. McLoughlin learned of it and also found that there had been a Burns club and it was defunct. He got some Scotchmen together in his office and they organized by electing Senator Turner president. Chief Overby voted aye, but his vote was thrown out on account of his being unable to prove his ancestors could dance the Highland fling, that he had a portrait of Burns or a copy of his poems in his possession.

HEINZELMAN AND DAVIDS IN CHARGE OF EXHIBIT

O. T. Davids and Martin Heinzelman left yesterday afternoon for the twin cities in charge of Clearwater county's exhibit at the state fair. The car containing the production of the county will go to its destination on the Great Northern as far as Erskine where it will be transferred to the Soo line and if it arrived on schedule time was in Minneapolis Thursday morning at 7 o'clock.—Bagley Independent.

AVERAGE WHEAT CROP ALONG RED RIVER

The wheat crop on the old McCully farm owned by A. M. Eckmann and operated by Lawrence Taravestad, averaged 14 bushels per acre. That is about a fair average crop in this neighborhood this year. The fields look to be good for more than that, and while the crop is very satisfactory, it is disappointing to many who had figured on it being larger.—Hendrum Review.

SOME FINE APPLES FROM THE EAST GRAND FORKS ORCHARD

Oscar Wicks, the East Grand Forks nursery man's contribution to the Polk county exhibit at the state fair includes ten varieties of apples and crabs and several varieties of plums. The collection includes as fine specimens of apples as could be found anywhere, and will add much to the display from this county.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed

Sold by all dealers.

POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

J. O. RINGDAL
Candidate for republican nomination for Sheriff of Polk County at the primaries to be held September 15, 1908.

Theodore A. Thompson
Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

John P. Tuff
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

Eric O. Hagen
Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

George J. Flaten
Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

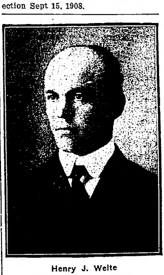
John W. Sandberg
Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept 15, 1908.

P. R. LAVIK
of Fertile, Minn., candidate for republican nomination for County Attorney

D. D. Horton
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary election Sept 15, 1908.

M. R. HUSSEY
Candidate for the republican nomination for commissioner of the 3rd district at the primaries to be held on September 15, 1908,

Orin Daniels
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.



Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 30 In History.

Admiral Semmes.

1566—Sultan Solyman II., "the Magnificent," conqueror of Persia and part of Europe, died; born 1495.

1877—Raphael Semmes, commander of the Confederate cruiser Alabama, died; born 1809.

1896—Wordsworth Thompson, American genre painter, died; born 1840.

1907—Richard Mansfield, American actor, died at New London, Conn.; born 1857.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:32, rises 5:22; moon sets 8:39 p. m.; moon's age 4 days; sun's declination 9 degrees north of celestial equator

Aug. 31 In History.

12—Birth of Caius Caesar Caligula, third Roman emperor; murdered 41.

1688—John Bunyan, author of "Pilgrim's Progress," died; born 1628.

1886—Terrible earthquake in Charleston.

1897—Mrs. John Drew, noted American actress, died; born 1818.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:30, rises 5:23; moon sets 9:04 p. m.; moon's age 5 days; A. D. 1885, new star in great nebula of Andromeda found by Hartwig of Germany.

AN OPERATION— Fred Reitmeier was operated on yesterday afternoon for appendicitis at St. Vincents hospital. He is getting on nicely today.

BABY BOY — News was received from Panama yesterday of the birth of a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yount formerly residents of this city. The new arrival is a grandson of Captain and Mrs. Bruce Griggs of Grand Forks.

ANOTHER YOUNG FARMER — Gus Benson one of the prosperous farmers on rural route No. 6 was presented by his better half this morning at 1 o'clock with a 12 pound son. Mother and child are doing well and the proud papa is stepping high.

HAS A TOUCH — Wm. Luchau whom everybody in these parts knows is one of the genial traveling men who is working this territory this week. He is slightly off his feet on account of a touch of hay fever.

RIVER DRIVING MADE EASY — Pat Sullivan returned from Grand Forks this morning where he Sundayed with his family. His smile could be felt from the Grand Central to the cutoff. This rain has ut the stage of water in the river up so that there wwill be no more trouble getting that 16,000,000 feet of logs to the Forks.

MAKING NORTHWEST — Rev. Hagerup-Nisson, travelling editor of the St. Paul Tidende a Norwegian-Danish paper spent Saturday in Crookston calling on the Polk County politicians. That paper has been issuing recent editions devoted to first one and then another legislative district, but thus far has not been able to interest many of the politician's here. He is an interesting man to meet, and has the political situation in the state sized up pretty well.

OLD TIMER HERE—Fred J. Pape one of the old residents of the city, who was formerly employed at the Kiewel Brewery arrived last evening from St. Vincent where with his family he is residing at the present time. Mr. Pape is in the carpenter contracting business, and has spent most of his time in Canada during the past year and has prospered. He returns to St. Vincent Tuesday morning — barring accidents.

ALDERMAN HUSSEY'S LAKE — People will no longer wonder why Lakeview hotel was so named on N. Broadway. The cloudburst of yesterday resulted in giving Alderman Hussey a lake comprising a full block and the Commissioners of Polk county should purchase that whole blooming block keep it full of water and place a lot of free gasoline launches on it for the free use of the farmers who come to the city. A ride in a launch would make them all good humored before walking up to the rack to pay their taxes.

Game Warden Munch, accompanied by Mrs. Munch drove to Goose Lake Saturday to look after hunters, but none were found. On the way home shooting was heard wwhen near Dorothy and after a hot chase arrested Zyprien Cassavan just before he reached his home. Cassavan had no chickens, but there were feathers and fresh blood in his buggy. Warden Munch took his gun away from him, and his case will come up in court later.

From Dorothy in, Warden and Mrs. Munch faced the cloudburst—and had a really delightful time (?)

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

From Tuesday's Daily

Sept. 1 In History.

1715—Louis XIV. of France died after a reign of 72 years.

1791—Lydia Huntley (Sigourney), author, best known as Mrs. Sigourney, born; died 1865.

1894—Samuel J. Kirkwood, Iowa's "war governor," died; born 1813.

1904—The Russians at Liaoyang held their positions in the face of fierce attacks by the Japanese.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:29, rises 5:23; moon sets 9:32 p. m.; moon's age 6 days. Constellations visible 8:30 p. m. in September: Overhead, Cygnus, Lyra, Delphinus, Aquila; north, Ursa Minor, Cepheus; northeast, Cassiopeia, Perseus, Andromeda; east, Aries, Pisces, Pegasus; southeast, Aquarius, Piscis Australis; south, Capricornus, Sagittarius; southwest, Serpens, Scorpio; west, Hercules, Corona Borealis, Bootes; northwest, Draco, Ursa Major. Bright stars visible, same hour: Overhead, Deneb, Vega, Altair; southwest, Antares; west, Arcturus. Planets during September: Mercury visible in west after sunset from 27th to 30th; Venus in east before sunrise; Mars and Jupiter low in east before sunrise; Saturn in east after 8 p. m. Sun in constellation Leo till 15th, then in Virgo.

TWO NEW ONES — Leon Thompson and Silas Hand are two new farmers who have located on Rural Route No. 5 northwest of the city.

WILL SEE SPECIALISTS—Knute Reierson a prominent business man of Fosston is spending the day in the city, and will leave this evening for Minneapolis to spend a week viewing the state fair, and while there he will see a specialist for an affliction that has changed his voice and makes articulation difficult.

VISITING RELATIVES — Masters Arel and Willie Berthiaume of Grand Forks who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Florence Millette for the past week will return to their home tomorrow evening. They have enjoyed a big time in Crookston and will make another visit their first vacation

TO KITTSON COUNTY—A. Stark, who has been connected with the Bank of Mentor for some time past, has resigned his position there for a more lucrative one with the Kittson County bank at Hallock, and passed thru the city yesterday morning to resume his new duties. He has many friends in Crookston who will wish him every success in his new location.

VISITING FAMILY—J. L. Gleason arrived this morning to join his wife and babe who are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Marrotte at the Grand Central. Mr. Gleason is taking a vacation and will spend it here with the family.

HUNTING LICENSES—The county auditor has only issued 76 hunting licenses up to date. This is a very small number and indicates that not many of the Polk county nimrods are going outside of the county to hunt as every esident of Polk county who is to hunt outside of their own county is required to have a license.

DAY SWITCHING CREW—The G. N. has added a day switching crew which is in charge of Al Fritz. The night crew is in charge of "Smiley" Sullivan. Increasing business necessitated the addition and from now until the grain is all moved there will be something doing at every stroke of the clock.

TAKING A TRIP—M. E. Randklev of Fosston is in the city today as a witness for some of his neighbors who are getting their naturalization papers. Mr. Randklev will be joined here this evening by his daughter Julia who will accompany him to St. Paul. Miss Randklev will enter the Berkman hospital as nurse. Mr. Randklev will view the many exhibits that interest him at the fair.

HERE FOR A VISIT—Norman McKenzie one of the old time Crookston boys who spent 19 years of his life in Crookston, is here from Seattle for a few weeks' visit. He likes the west and it agrees with him from all appearances. He is associated with his father W. E. McKenzie in the wholesale paper business. He is the guest of Ross Chesterman and is today head coachman for a party of hunters in the vicinity of Beltrami the party having left here in two rigs W. E. McKenzie is expected here in a short time to spend a week or two attending to business matters and visiting old friends.

TOM McMANUS HERE —Tom W. McManus arrived from Duluth yesterday morning accompanied by T. B. McManus. The latter returned to Duluth last evening but Tom will remain here a few days. He is the manager of T. W. McManus & Co., advertising agents of Duluth and has been doing very well. He is busy today shaking hands with his numerous friends.

A half-holiday means that half a loaf is better than none.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 2 In History.

81 B. C.—The naval battle of Actium decided the fate of the Roman world; Antony and Cleopatra defeated by Octavius.

1813—Battle of Dresden.

1870—Surrender of the French at Sedan.

1898—Kitchener annihilated the dervishes at Omdurman; 11,000 dervishes killed, 16,000 wounded.

1904—The Japanese, led by Kuroki, crossed the Taitse at Liaoyang, turning the Russian flank.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:27, rises 5:24; moon sets 10:03 p. m.; moon's age 7 days.

EDITOR HERE—J. P. Mattson editor of the Warren Sheaf came down last evening with his family to see and hear the next presidential possibility, Wm. J. Bryan. They returned this morning.

POSTING NOTICES—N. J. Horton of Maple Bay P. O. ,was in the city yesterday visiting relatives. Mr. Horton has been through this part of the county posting ditch notices, for a big ditch that is to be established in that neighborhood.

BOOSTING FOR US —Postmaster Steenerson is visiting the state fair this week, and is doing his duty as a loyal subject of Polk County by steering all the sight seekers to the Polk County exhibit.

BEGIN BUILDING— Frank Page and Jake Kohler wene up to Euclid yesterday to begin the handsome modern residence for C. Keeley at that place. A large force will be put to work at once so as to get the building inclosed before cold weather.

FAIR-WARD—Jos Helm and son Oscar of Red Lake Falls were visiting friends in the city last night between trains, they were enroute for the great state fair where the machinery exhibit will catch their eye, as they are in that business in the Lower Falls.

INFANT IMPROVING—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chapin who has been very ill for the past few days is improving slowly. On Monday Dr. J. S. Chapin, grand father of the little one, and Dr. Dryden of Euclid was here in consultation with Dr. Just the attending physician.

IT'S A GOOD ONE—Bendix Holdal one of the prominent north country men spent the night in the city and went out on the Greenbush line this morning headed for home at Roseau. He had been down and taken in the first days of, as he says, the best fair the North Star state ever held.

ABOUT TOWN AGAIN—Chris Nelson who has just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever and a relapse is able to be out and was up town Sunday for the first time. It will be some time yet before Chris. can again grasp the throttle of his locomotive.

HAS HIGH FEVER—John Goosen of Euclid is reported as being very sick at his home with an attack of typhoid fever. He lives on a farm near Euclid and is recieving the best of care from his family and physician.

A HOUSE WARMING— Wm Byswinger of Fisher was in the city yesterday purchasing the furnishings for a new house that he has just completed on his farm. The many Crookston friends of Mr. and Mrs. Byswinger are anticipating a jolly time at the house warming.

WEST COUNTY NOT SO WET — Representative John Saugstad and Commissioner Thoreson drove into the city yesterday from the west end and attended to some business matters. Mr. Saugstad expects to visit his constituents thruout the country soon, and also line up his fences for re-election. The rain at his place on Red River was very light and threshing was delayed only a day.

MORE STORM NEWS—E. B. Durdahl was in from Russia yesterday and had a few additional stories to tell about pranks of Sunday night's storm. Mr. Durdahl had all his grain stacks blown down, and two machine sheds for his neighbor Mr. Hinton were blown down injuring some machinery.

FALL PASTURES SAVE HIGH PRICED FEED—Julius Zacho of Fisher was a county seat visitor yesterday He thinks that the farmers should thank Providence for the blessed rain that fell and revived the pastures and all late vegetation. The threshing that the cow does the year around is what has paid off the mortgages and she should recieve some consideration.

POLK COUNTY TO FRONT—Hans Urtes of Warren and wife returned this morning from a visit to the twin cities. They have had a very enjoyable trip. The fair this year is grand. and the Polk county exhibit, says Mr. Urtes, is attracting a great deal of attention and receiving complimentary remarks.

There is hardly anything a man is more ashamed of than to like to spend all his evenings at home.

BYRNES IS CHAMPION

HAD 17 FINE CHICKENS BAGGED THIS MORNING BEFORE 7 O'CLOCK

REPORTS FROM OTHER HUNTERS ARE MEAGRE—"SNAP" STILL IN RING

From Tuesday's Daily—

Conductor Jim Byrnes of the Great Northern is without doubt the "champeen" chicken hunter or was for a while early this morning—as long as he hunted—for shortly after 7 o'clock this morning he returned to the city with 14 fine ones which he shot at the junction south of town.

Jim rolled out at 4 o'clock this morning and with a rig drove out south with the old reliable "Snap". Snap is 15 years old but still in the ring and after being let out of the buggy it took but about three bounds and a sniff to locate a fine covey of birds which his master had spotted over a month ago. He wiped out the covey in short order and returned to the city as 15 birds in one day is the limit and game wardens are too thick around here just at the present time to exceed the limit. It is dollars to doughnuts that not one hunter in ten will bag as good a bunch during the entire day, tho they may travel ten times as far. Old Snap was so tickled over the affair that he brushed varnish off every morning train with the vigorous wagging of his tail.

Hunting Notes

Messrs. G. O. Riggs and G. H. Pietsch are hunting towards Beltrami.

Messrs. Gus Schmidt, Dutch Barrette and party started last evening nearly froze to death camping out last night, and phoned from Beltrami at noon today that they hadn't killed a chicken. They phoned something else too, but it wouldn't look well in print.

Dr. Smith and Dr. Robertson went out for an afternoon's hunt with the former's automobile.

Oliver Johnson with that new $50 Steven's Hammerless gun of his, E. Engstrom and Gilbert K. Timonson left last evening for a few days' hunt between Dugdale and Fertile.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson left yesterday afternoon for Gary where he will hunt for a day or two with the postmaster at that place.

ENJOYED TRIP IN FOREIGN LANDS

CARL V. BERGQUIST AND PARTY RETURN FROM TRIP TO SWEDEN

Carl V. Bergquist, wife and two sons Earl and Lawrence and Mrs. John Nyquist and daughter May returned this morning from their extended trip to Sweden. The party left here on April 23 and visited several places in the U. S. before sailing. In Sweden they visited the homes of their forefathers and the scenes of their childhood. They had a pleasant trip both ways but are glad to get back to good old Minnesota. Mr. Bergquist has promised to give the Journal a more extended account of their trip.

THRESHERS BUSY ON NORTH LINE

Reports from the north are to the effect that the rain was not heavy on Sunday from Angus to Hallock, and threshing machines were running yesterday. 20 miles north of here threshing will be resumed today but in this immediate vicinity shock threshing will not be resumed till Thursday.

DUGDALE FELT IT—At Dugdale when the storm came Sunday evening the whole male population was out fighting a prairie fire. In a few moments enough water came down to drown out hades and to save the town from blowing and floating away. Many buildings were moved from their foundations wheat stacks were wet through, and shocks were scattered broadcast by the storm. The Woodmen hall was moved five feet up against Herman Camp's store smashing in the front.

DAKOTA LOOKS GOOD — W. E. Black returned Monday evening from a business and pleasure trip thru N. Dakota and was as far west as Williston and north to Bottineau. He reports the conditions in Dakota good and they ought to have a prosperous year, and two more years of Burke the democratic governor.

L. H. Buche creamery manager and buttermaker at Warren was one of the out-of-town visitors here last night attracted by the presence of our distinguished visitor.

MINNESOTA'S BIG FAIR A CORKER

From Tuesday's Daily—

St. Paul, Sept. 1 — Minnesota's great annual exposition, the forty-ninth in a series of annual agricultural shows that have been the admiration and envy of all other states, was opened yesterday by President B. F. Nelson. There was an entire lack of ceremony or formal exercises. Minnesota has become accustomed to record-breaking fairs, but it is no exaggeration to say that the exhibition of this year surpasses all its predecessors. In all departments the ex-
8:1* yesterday morning. He was met at the depot by a committee headed by F. B. Lynch, national committeeman for Minnesota, and was escorted to the Minnesota club, where breakfast was served. Later he joined Gov. Johnson in a reception in the governor's room at the state capitol. At noon Mr. Bryan was the guest at a banquet at the Merchants hotel, at which were gathered about 150 prominent Democrats of the state. At 4 o'clock Mr. Lynch, Gov. Johnson and Mayor Lawler escorted Mr. Bryan to the fair grounds.

Address by Bryan.

A short tour of inspection of Minnesota's great industrial exposition was made, after which Mr. Bryan held a reception in the offices of Secretary Cosgrove until 6 o'clock, when he made his address at the Snelling avenue entrance to the fair grounds.

In his speech Mr. Bryan scored the Republican party, and especially the last congress, for its alleged extravagance. He called it a "billion dollar congress," and argued that the farming communities of the country are especally called upon to carry the burden, because they pay the most of the taxes. He took up the various items of expenditure and bitterly denounced the Republican party for making an increase in the country's expenses.

Mrs. Swan A. Ponthan of St. Paul read an original poem dedicated to the semi-centennial jubilee of Minnesota and home-coming week.

Bryan the Attraction.

William Jennings Bryan was the big attraction of the state fair as soon as it was noised about that he was on the grounds. Wherever he went he was followed by crowds, and whenever he stopped anywhere a crush formed immediately.

Mr. Bryan arrived in St. Paul at
hibits are larger and more varied. while in the matter of attractions and amusement features this year breaks all previous records.

Threatening weather yesterday morning kept down the attendance. It is estimated that about 45,000 people passed the turnstiles yesterday, as against 94,000 on Labor day, which was the opening day last year.

Home-Coming Week.

Home-coming week was inaugurated at the fair yesterday by Gov. Johnson and the officials of the Minnesota Territorial Pioneers' association and several hundred of the old settlers. Gov. Johnson spoke briefly but enthusiastically of the early settlers and their work. He recounted briefly the growth and progress of Minnesota and the development of the state fair.

"In the wilderness where the pioneers of the state, many of whom, fortunately, are still with us, where the Indians and the wild beasts roamed at will, we now see smiling fields and fruitful orchards. At this, our annual agricultural show, we have an exposition of all that is good and great in Minnesota, and as this agricultural show is the greatest of its kind, Minnesota is the richest and most attractive of the Northwestern states."

Addresses were made by B. F. Nelson, J. J. Furlong, vice president of the association and

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From our Exchanges

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(Press)

Rev. Fr. Adolph visited at St. John and the Twin Cities last week.

Last week at Red Lake Falls occurred the marriage of John Konikson of Sanders, to Miss Ida Westerland of this city.

The Viking creamery butter won first prize at the Marshall county fair with a score of 94 1-2. Sandridge was third with 92 1-2.

Hon. L. C. Simons, formerly representative from this district, was in the city Saturday. Mr. Simons now makes his home in St. Paul but has large Red Lake county interests.

Ole O. Hauer and family of High Landing were in the city Wednesday enroute home from a visit with relatives at Gary, Norman county. The crops down there are not as good as in Red Lake county, according to Mr. Hauer.

The party of young people that recently went up to the Red Lakes in Ole Pederson's boat, returned home Monday night, having enjoyed the two weeks' trip immensely. They got no blueberries, the crop being very light this year.

(Pioneer)
MIDDLE RIVER

Gus Berggren went to Strathcona yesterday to attend a creamery meeting between trains.

Middle River's public schools will again open next Monday with Miss Helen Rankin as teacher.

John McNichols and family went to Grygla Sunday. They returned last evening and Mr. McNichols at once left for Stranquist to which place he was called officially.

Mr. Mossefin of Crookston came up to Middle River Tuesday and remained between trains expressly to see the town. He expressed himself as being much pleased with the village. Of course. They all are.

Frank Osterberg's handsome phiz showed up here last Thursday. He at once got busy at his vocation of buying stock and tomorrow will ship a car of cattle and sheep from Strathcona. Frank is "some punkins" when it comes to hustling a car of stock together.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

CORRESPONDENCE

TERREBONNE

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Miss Landreville and Miss Pronovost went to Crookston Wednesday to spend the evening among friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dufault on the 17th, inst., a girl, Florence.

While on their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Ovide Maureault of Argyle spent last week at the home of the former's father at this place.

Rev. Fr. Drummond, S. J., the celebrated pulpit lecturer from Winnipeg visited with Fr. Veilleux last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LaBissoniere and the Misses Helen and Ida from North Yakima accompanied by the Theo. LaBissoniere family of Red Lake Falls spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Ducharme. Miss Landreville was also present.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

Sold by all dealers.

Journal want ads bring results.

KEY WEST

We are having plenty of rain now very heavy rain Sunday night which will delay threshing for a few days.

The farmers are glad to see some new threshing rigs coming into this neighborhood. Mr. J. F. Stewart unloaded a new Northwest threshing machine at Key West Friday which he purchased of S. L. Collins of Crookston and it looks to be a good one.

Mr. Edgar Anderson and Edward Whitver of Lee County, Illinois, are at the Keystone farm. They came up to work in the harvest fields of Minnesota. They think this the finest farming country they have ever seen.

Jno. R. Capes left Saturday evening for Illinois on business and will return in a few days with some land buyers who want to try some of Minnesota's rich farming land.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine visited at the Keystone farm Sunday.

Mr. J. F. Stewart and Jack Welsh drove to Grand Forks Saturday.

Mrs. Dave Geddiz visited J. Beveridge and family the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Koeting called at the Keystone Sunday afternoon.

The Advantages Of A Check Account

The actual protection afforded your money is the first consideration but there are many other reasons for a check account at a reliable, conservative bank; the incentive for conserving your income; the building up of your credit; the handling of your financial affairs in a systematic manner; the safety of paying all your bills by check instead of cash; the exact change and a receipt for each aud every payment made; a complete record of your income and expenses without the labor and bother of keeping books and many others—all well worthy *your* consideration.

Come in and see us, we will be glad to talk the matter over with you and explain any point you do not fully understand.

Scandia American Bank

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From our Exchanges

McINTOSH
(Times)

Mrs. F. E. LePage and daughter Dora returned Saturday from a few days visit with Crookston friends.

Mrs. H. B. Withers transacted business at Crookston last Wednesday.

Victor Wadekamper returned Monday morning from Hibbing where he went with a car load of stock the week before.

O. H. Moreau and wife have been visiting with relatives here for a few days and returned this morning to their home at Argyle.

J. W. Benoy is building a second-story onto his residence and putting on a new roof and when completed will have one of the nicest and most roomy residences in the village.

ARGYLE
(Banner)

J. J. Sutton Sr., came up from Columbus Wis., and spent Saturday and Sunday returning home Sunday evening.

The Fred Tiedt machinery hall is now completed and the stock neatly arranged. It adds very materially to the business appearance of the street.

A. Michaelson went down to Crookston for the third treatment to his eyes on Monday. Mr. Michaelson says that his sight is being restored to its natural state.

John Larmie of Crookston was in the city on Monday. Mr. Larmie is the owner of the farm operated by Hector Schiller and came up to see how the crop was turning out. He was surprised to find such a splendid yield after the dry weather of July.

Dr. and Mrs. Stuhr went down to Maple Lake on Sunday in the automobile leaving here after 10 o'clock a. m. They spent about three hours at the lake and were back here in the evening making the return trip of 78 miles in three hours and fifty minutes and stopped at Euclid for lunch.

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FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

Mrs. H F. Mark and Mrs. R. W. Hitchcock visited over Sunday with their sister, Mrs. R. Gilmore, of Bemidji.

Miss Lulu Amber entertained a few of her friends Wednesday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Martha Hanson.

Miss Marie Olson, who has been out west with her sister Mrs. A. Kvistad, at Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, for the past year, and a half, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Gaastjon, residing west of town, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on the 20th of this month and received several valuable presents upon this occasion. Their numerous friends wish them many more happy returns of the day.

FERTILE
(Journal)

Norman Mossefin was down from Crookston Sunday between trains.

Miss Mattie Lundby was the guest of friends at Crookston over Sunday.

Agent Handy, of Crookston, visited Agent Owston Sunday between trains.

Geo. Kronschnabel is laid up in bed with a sprained back, caused by trying to lift a ton or so of brick.

Ole Bakke,, who has been working for Jorgen Rud, left last Friday for Climax, where he will run an engine this fall.

Miss Nellie Finnigan, of Mankato, was the guest of friends here last week. Some years ago Miss. Finnigan made her home here with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Keefe.

Brown Duckstad came down town at an unusual early hour last Saturday morning, his face aglow with "that smile that won't come off." He was inquiring for the census taker, stating that the population of our little city had been increased and he desired to have it shown immediately upon the census report.

PENNED AND PILFERED

How often do we hear people say "Where in the world do all the flies come from?" It is simple enough. The toper makes the blue-bottle fly, the stern farther makes the gad fly, the cyclone makes the house fly, the blacksmith makes the fire fly, the driver makes the horse fly, the grocer makes the sand fly, and the boarder makes the butterfly.

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According to the Windom Reporter a young man who likes to jolly telephone girls was called up by one of them recently and asked if he wouldn't like to go fishing with her. After expressing his pleasure he was told "hold the line." After keeping the receiver up to his ear for a few minutes it dawned on him that she had landed a sucker. The young man has ceased to jolly the telephone girls.

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When the sun shines and the streets become dusty, you wish it would rain; when it rains and the streets become muddy, you wish the sun would shine. After you are married you wish you was single, and if you get a new dress you wish you had a new hat to match it; if it is a boy you wish it was a girl, and if it is a girl you wish it was a boy —was human nature ever satisfied? Guess not, and glad of it, for then there would be nothing to "kick" about.

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Not original: Maude Muller on a summer's day with her fellow ran away in a benzine touring car scooted to a preacher far. Her father saw the fleeing pair—smelled the benzine scented air; caught a mule whose name was Jane, and galloped down the dusty lane; the mobile very swiftly ran but burned the oil all out the can. The motor stopped upon the hill but Jane ran on just fit to kill. Alas for maid, alas for man alas for the empty benzine can. Maud's daddy on the old grey mule came and took her off to school. The moral of this tale so said: 'Don't steal the girl, go ask her dad."

From Over The Valley

A DEUCEDLY CLOSE CALL "DON'T CHER KNOW"

Henry Plume, an Englishman not long from London, met with a severe fall Tuesday in the barn at S. C. Bagley's farm near Fosston, where he has been working lately, tumbling from the hay loft to the floor. Stunned by the fall, he was found unconscious a short time after. Dr. Turnbull was called and while no bones were broken nor apparent injury of a permanent nature sustained, Mr. Plume had received some bruises and a severe shaking up.

GATHERING INFORMATION FOR RAISING POTATOES

A. F. Cronquist has planned a fine trip for himself and his manager, G. G. Gunstenson, of the Wildwood farm and leave this evening for Moorhead where they go to interview some large potato raisers and learn how to proceed for next year when they expect to plant a large acerage of the tubers and from there will proceed to the state fair to spend a few days and get in touch with the latest makes of machinery for the purpose. There is no doubt but what the gentlemen will enjoy their trip and return with many valuable lessons. —Erskine Echo.

SAW MILL BUSINESS AT GULLY INCREASING

Urcis LaBlanc, of Gully, was in to Fosston last Tuesday, leaving the same afternoon for Minneapolis, where he expects to purchase a new boiler for use with the engine that runs his saw mill. The boiler now in use was found to be too small for the work required of it and Mr. LaBlanc is anxious to have his mill in the best of shape possible for handling the extensive volume of work demanded by local trade.

LIBERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR AGRICULTURAL FAIR

The board of county commissioners of Beltrami County have, appropriated the sum of $250 the same to be used by the Beltrami county Agricultural association in paying the expenses of the county fair, which is to be held in Bemidji September 24-25-26. As the city of Bemidji has already appropriated $250 for the fair, this gives the fair association $500 as a starter for donations for the exhibition.

A Boon to Elderly People

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Sold by all druggists.

BUNDLE WAGON TIPPED SHEFFERAS ANKLE HURT

While engaged in assisting at threshing, in the Sand Hill valley between Fosston and Fertile, Sivert Shefferas had the misfortune to tip with a load of bundles Tuesday afternoon and fall beneath the load, dislocating an ankle and fracturing two of the smaller bones.

He was taken to Fosston and is being cared for at L. T. Larson's home where surgical aid was secured and the injured limb treated.

Sivert is doing well under the circumstances but it will be several weeks before the ankle will be "as good as new."

CHARGE MADE BY 15 YR OLD GIRL

James Wood, a hanger-on from lower Front street Fargo was arrested by Deputy Sheriff James K. Bingham of Cass Co., N. D. and Officer McLean on a warrent charging rape in the first degree. The man is held responsible for the down fall of 15-year-old Lizzie Hoyum, of Parke, Clay county, Minn., who was recently located in this city by the Fargo police who turned her over to the Clay county officials, resulting in the present action. Wood was arraigned before Judge Miller and his case was set for today at ten o'clock. In default of $2,000 bonds he was committed to the Cass county jail to await a hearing.

A TURKEY STEP-MOTHER CARES FOR PRAIRIE CHICKEN

While at Otter Tail village last week a local traveling man witnessed a very unusual sight. In the yard of the Otter Tail hotel strutted a turkey mother with her bevy of young turkeys and among these was a prairie chicken which in its infancy last spring had got detached from its mother's covey and had mysteriously joined the turkey flock. It is now almost full grown and can fly, but still sticks to its big friends, seemingly content to march with them about the hotel yard instead of fanning the clear Park Region air with her vigorous wings.

MAN AND WOMAN ARRESTED FOR HORSE STEALING

Parties giving the name of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Smith were arrested at Grandin, N. D., on a charge of horse stealing. It is alleged by the officials that they stole a team at Absaraka, Cass county, last Sunday morning. They will have a hearing at Casselton this afternoon.

As long as we have been an inhabitant of the village we have not seen so many men and teams pass thru for the Dakota harvest fields in any one season as we have this. A string of teams a block long is not an uncommon sight.—Twin Valley Times.

A CHAT WITH THE FARMERS

By F. S. Whirry, Manager of Crookston Creamery.

Are you going to sell all of your grain to the elevator and let the bossy live on hay and straw.

How many of the farmers in the Red River Valley have a few loads of hogs to sell that will bring them in a few hundred dollars. All these things help on the farm.

It does not pay to sell the grain if you have stock to feed it to.

A couple of hundred hens bring in a nice litle profit to the farmer.

This is the time of year when a farmer ought to figure on having fresh cows for the price of butter is now going up and the fly time is soon past. From now on till the first of next July is the time to milk cows and you can raise better color and you can devote your time more along this line and reap a benefit of wealth and success.

How many farmers have given the matter of feed any thought for the coming winter for the cow.

Are you going to let her rustle and see what she can get if nothing else let her eat snowballs. But there is not much butter fat in that kind of feed.

Now is the time for the farmer to begin to make his plans to get all his plowing done in the fall as our springs are so uncertain and the fall plowing has proven to raise the best crops as you can get your seed in at an early date and early seeding has always proved the most satisfactory and best results have been obtained.

Right now the farmer is struggling to save his whole year's work and if the weather permits he will save it but if not he won't. Right here is where the old cow comes out and says "protect me and I will save you and don't depend on raising wheat."

There is only one way to farm in the Red River Valley and that is to diversify and not depend on raising small grains entirely. Get into stock raise more feed such as corn fodder, millet, clover, and other grasses, that will fertilize your ground and get it back to where it used to be and then there will come a time soon when you can raise wheat again on the worn out and weedy land.

But as you look back over the easte states you will see that where the money is made is in the sections where diversified farming is done and the old cow has taken the lead and made many a man proud and independent.

Put in twelve months in the year and don't work so hard and farm what you can farm right, and pay more attention to the old dairy cow for she was never known to be rusted or hailed out, and it is far easier to raise feed than it is to raise wheat. You don't have to pay out so much for the threshing bill, you don't need so much help. One man can take a dozen good cows and 160 acres and make more money with less work, less worry less machinery, need less horses and hired help.

The independent farmer is the small farmer and the one that raises stock.

Why not live for the pride of your county and raise more clover and less weeds? It will pay you better for your ground and will make the stock on your farm fat and happy; Just sow the seed and let it grow. Don't get disgusted if it don't grow thich enough the first seeding but just scatter a little more seed over the same ground. It will surprise you the next year.

BARN AND STOCK BURNED

BARN, CONTAINING 45 LOADS OF HAY, SIX COWS AND CHICKENS BURNED

LOSS AMOUNTS TO $1400 WITH NO INSURANCE —STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

From Saturday's Daily—

Gulbrand H. Myhre, living two miles east of Fosston met with a severe loss early Wednesday morning during the storm, his fine new barn being struck by lighting at about 7:30 and entirely consumed, together with forty-five loads of hay, six cows and his flock of chickens.

Four cows were saved from the flames with difficulty, the fire having spread with great rapidity, everything else in the building being destroyed. The barn was nearly new, having been built only last year and Mr. Myhre has much sympathy in his loss which was total as he carried no insurance and will reach nearly $1,400.

EDWARD MC'VAN PASSED AWAY

AT CALUSA, CALIFORNIA THURSDAY MORNING, AFTER EXTENDED ILLNESS

Edward McVean, after little over a year of suffering from Brights disease, passed away at Calusa, California where he had gone for his health, Thursday morning, Aug. 27 at an age of fifty-one years and six months.

He first located in Kittson county on a farm east of Hallock in 1881 In 1892 he sold out his farm and moved to town and went into the employment of J. Kelso & Son, Bankers of which institution he was later cashier until he was taken ill last July.

Mrs. McVean will bring the remains back to Hallock. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made, but most likely will take place Tuesday or Wednesday of next week.

WILL FINISH THIS FALL

WORK PROGRESSING NICELY ON NIELSVILLE DITCH WITH DREDGE

BIG STEAM DIGGER WILL CONCLUDE WORK IN AMPLE TIME

From Thursday's Daily—

James Muir who has been looking after the big steam dredge on the Nielsville ditch, which is being completed by A. K. Austin after the contract had been abandoned by Tom Smith, the past few years having been exceedingly wet will have the new waterway completed long before the freeze-up.

The dredge has been doing fine work, and heaving up an immense amount of dirt every day since it started. The ditch drains a large area and its completion will be hailed with much satisfaction by the farmers affected.

DRYDEN PRAISES RED RIVER VALLEY

CHICAGO PHYSICIAN LOCATED AT EUCLID PLEASED WITH THE COUNTRY

Dr. F. M. Dryden who located at Euclid about two months ago and is practicing with Dr. J. S. Chapin doing practically all the work as Dr. Chapin is devoting his time to his other business interests, returned to Euclid this morning after spending a day in Crookston on business. Dr. Dryden succeeded to Dr. Mitchell's practice at Euclid, coming from Chicago, and is a graduate of the same medical college from which Dr. Mitchell secured his diploma. He is very much pleased with this section of the country, and likes it a great deal better than Illinois and Michigan where he practiced after graduating. He likes the people and their progressive methods, likes the climate, and thinks this entire section has a great future. Dr. Dryden is making many friends thruout this section. He is a hard worker, and a gentleman of most pleasant address, and is all wrapped up in his work, which is one of the most certain roads to success. It was thought it would be a pretty hard matter to secure a successor to Dr. Mitchell who was very popular, but Dr. Dryden fits into the place as tho it had been moulded for him.

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Blood and Skin Diseases, heart diseases, dropsy, swelling of the limbs, open sores, pain in the bones, rheumatism, enlarged veins, eczema itch, pimples and eruptions of all descriptions.

Deformities and Club Feet, curvature of the spine, interrupted nutrition, slow growth in children, and all wasting diseases in adults.

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WIDOW HELD FOR MURDER.

South Dakota Woman Shot Divorced Husband—No Bail.

Vermillion, S. D., Aug. 29. — Mrs. Christian Stark, who shot and killed her divorced husband at Ulsen, Clay county, last week, at her preliminary hearing yesterday was held on a charge of murder, without bail.

Boy Plays With Torpedo.

St. Paul, Aug. 29.—Theodore Rouseau, seven years of age, probably will not monkey with railroad torpedoes in future. He is now at the city hospital with a badly lacerated right hand. His injury, however, is not considered serious.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Aug. 27 In History.

James Thomson.

1748—James Thomson, the poet, died; born 1700.
1809—Hannibal Hamlin, statesman and vice president, born; died 1891.
1898—Czar Nicholas II. of Russia published the manifesto inviting international conference to consider disarmament.
1905—President Roosevelt made a final appeal to the mikado to modify Japan's peace terms.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:37, rises 5:19; moon sets 7:27 p. m.; moon's age, 1 day.

Men favoring Independence Party send names for free literature to R. B. Higbee, National Committeeman, St. Paul, Minnesota.

CHILD DIED—The little two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Goosen of Euclid died yesterday morning. The cause of death was an attack of spinal meningitis.

THE STRENUOUS FARMER— H. P. Wieland of Fisher is in the city today taking a short respite from the strenuous life the farmer who hustles leads these days.

LOOKING AFTER FARM —Alfred Phillips an uncle of Wylie Phillips, who purchased the Lytle farm south of the city some time ago is here looking after his interests and will enjoy some shooting while in this section.

KISSING THE BABIES—John Lindberg of the town of Eden was in the city this morning enroute east after calling on the voters of Climax and vicinity in the interest of his candidacy for the republican nomination for treasurer of Polk county.

HEALTH IS POOR—Gus Schuneman has for some time not been in his usual health and as medicine and care were not seemingly producing any improvement he departed last Sunday evening for Rochester hospital to have a thoro examination made by the Drs. Mayo.

OFF FOR ATTALIA—On the first and third Tuesday of each month, the Attalia Development Company is conducting popular excursions to the choice fruit and farm lands of Southern Washington, starting from Minneapolis. Fare will be refunded to all purchasers of these lands. Write at once for full details to R. C. Dahlhjelm Manager, 225 Railway Building, Minneapolis.

WOULD WORRY THEM —George Swift of Mentor is spending the day in the city. If Mr. Swift had been one day earlier some of the politicians would have been nervous as many of the old veteran's friends were going to insist on him entering the political arena for one of the offices.

HAS GOOD IMPRESSION—Guy E. Davis of Waltham, Mass. is visiting with his uncle Christ Houston and family. Mr. Davis as is usual with all easterners is greatly surprised at the stage of development of the northwest and the hustle and progressiveness of the people is a new sensation for the easy going easterner.

VISITING RELATIVES— Ed Moeckle arrived in the city this morning and will visit a week with his parents and sisters the Mrs. Moorhead and Strawbridge who are here from Seattle. Ed may also try a shot at a few coveys of chickens next Tuesday morning just to see if his aim is as true as when he was a barefoot kid with the rest of us.

BOUND OVER— James Kelly was arraigned in the municipal court yesterday at East Grand Forks, on the charge of highway robbery. He waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury, bonds being fixed at $500 which he was unable to furnish and he will take up his temporary residence at the county jail. Kelly is the man who held up and robbed Chris Christianson at East Grand Forks Sunday morning. He was brought over last evening by Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea.

BROTHER ILL—Joe Markham formerly employed at the Hotel Crookston Buffet but now with the Markham at Bemidji, is in the city today enroute to Kalispel Mont. Mr. Markham's brother George formerly proprietor of the Markham hotel has been serious ill at Kalispel and a turn for the worse has taken place and Joe is hurrying to his bedside.

John Balfour foreman of the G. N. section between Crookston and Fanny was the victim of a most painful accident Tuesday afternoon at Euclid, where he was working with his crew for a day. In some manner a rail that was being handled fell and struck his foot, crushing it most painfully and tearing off two of the toe nails. The pain was excruciating, but Dr. F. M. Dryden was luckily at hand and dressed the wound, making the patient very comfortable. Mr. Balfour came to Crookston Tuesday evening and is at his home on Front street where he will be laid up for some time.

During the heavy storm yesterday morning a bolt of lightning struck the new barn of Phillip Wieland, eight miles east of Euclid, burning it to the ground. The barn was a fine large building only erected this summer. The horses were gotten out and harness saved, but the loft full of hay went with the barn. The loss is a heavy one to Mr. Wieland.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 28 In History.

1749—Johann Wolfgang von Goethe, German poet, born; died 1832.
1858—Rev. Eleazer Williams, long supposed to be the "lost dauphin" (Louis XVII. of France), died at Hoganstown, N. Y.
1904—M. Plehve, Russian minister of the interior, assassinated.
1905—The mikado of Japan ordered further concessions to Russia in order to insure peace.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:35, rises 5:20; moon sets 7:51 p. m.; moon's age, 2 days.

FANCY PRICES—Jacob Erchinger of the town of Parnell is in the city today with a load of produce, for which he finds ready sale at fancy prices.

MORE HELP — Fred O'Brecht of Fanny is in the city today getting more help to thresh. He left orders with S. L. Collins to send him out some men.

SON HAS ARRIVED—Chester Warner son of Rev. C. C. Warner, pastor of the Congregational church is here after a summer with an Iowa surveying party.

BROUGHT MACHINE BACK —Senator A. D. Stephens went to Maple Lake last evening and drove their auto back today. The weather was ideal for the trip.

HERE TO PROVE UP—B. O. Anderson came down from Graceton Tuesday evening and will prove up on his timber claim. He intends returning as soon as final proof is made and make further improvements.

PASTOR DEAD—Tony Pastor the dean of American music halls is dead at his home in New York. The wonderful development of the low-priced indoor amusement idea since Tony Pastor first introduced it has been one of the phenomena of the century.

FORMER FIREMAN —August Bruchirt a former fireman on the Great Northern thru here, and at one time a resident of Crookston is here visiting old friends. Mr. Bruchirt is now residing at Lansing, Ia., and is prospering and doing well.

THE RIDGE O. K. — Ed Meyers one of the substantial farmers from out Dorothy way is in the city today attending to some business matters. Mr. Myers says that all the good farmers in the ridge country have good crops.

DEFEATED AT LAST —The Thief River Falls base ball club—so called —was defeated three games at Alexandria last Friday and Saturday and one game at Grand Forks on Sunday. Only two of the original players of the club participated in the game, the real organization having been disbanded two weeks ago.

MOVED TO EAST GRAND FORKS —Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Gillette, formerly of this city passed thru the city yesterday enroute to East Grand Forks where they will make their home in future. Their household goods were shipped over today. The family has been residing at Wilton where he has been in business for some time past.

HAD APPENDICITIS—County Commissioner John McFarlane of Kittson county returned home today from Antlers, N. D. where he has been for the past three weeks at the bedside of his son who was operated on for appendicitis, and who is no wsuffering with other complications. The son, James A. McFarlane, is agent for the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co., at Antlers.

VISIT FROM RELATIVE —Henry Morgan of Big Woods was in the city Monday. He is foreman of a big farm in Big Woods and was here on business, chiefly to obtain repairs for his threshing rig. He left on the local for Crookston in response to a phone message summoning him to the bedside of his brother-in-law, Ole Sundet who is in the hospital there as a result of injuries received in a runaway a short time ago.—Warren Register.

ARRESTED A HORSE THIEF —Chief of Police Andrew Lang arrested a man last Saturday charged with stealing a team of horses from Detroit upon a description furnished to him by the sheriff of Becker county. The man, who at Detroit, gave the name of Dr. F. G. Cosin, hired a livery team at Detroit and forgot to take the horses back again. Chief of Police Lang is entitled to a great deal of credit in landing the man in jail.

LOOKING AFTER CROPS—James Cardle came in from Duluth this morning to look after the fine crops that have grown on his farm, three miles southeast of the city, the past season. Mr. Cardle has a fine farm out there and has realized well from it since the purchase, but for reasons of his inability to longer look after it has placed it on sale. This is a fine opportunity for some one. A. P. Kirsch will look after Mr. Cardle's interests in the place in the future.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Aug. 29 In History.

Napier.

30—John the Baptist was beheaded.
1632—John Locke, liberal and philosophical writer, born; died 1704.
1782—The Royal George, British warship, sank at Portsmouth, carrying down Admiral Kempenfeldt and 800 men.
1853—Sir Charles James Napier, noted British soldier in India, died; born 1782.
1905—Terms agreed on by the Russian and Japanese peace envoys at Portsmouth, Russia retaining half the island of Sakhalin and paying no indemnity to Japan.
1906—W. E. Marshall, noted artist, made famous by his engraving of Abraham Lincoln, died; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:33, rises 5:21; moon sets 8:15 p. m.; moon's age, 3 days.

GETTING GOOD SUPPORT —Editor L. E. George was over from Fertile yesterday visiting friends. Mr. George is getting a very good support over the district as the business man's candidate for representative from this district. —East Grand Forks Department of the Grand Forks Herald.

SHIPPING FIXTURES —The fixtures of the Union Saloon on Second street formerly conducted by A. Caron are being boxed and crated to day by Carl Baumgartel, to ship to St. Paul. The place has been closed for some time. The fixtures and furnishings belong to the Hamm Brewing Co

ROUNDING THEM UP —Theodore A. Thompson is off on a trip to Fosston, Lengby, McIntosh Erskine and Winger and will return Sunday evening. Mr. Thompson is well pleased with the support that he is receiving in all directions.

TRIP TO CLIMAX — Dr. E. Bertelson is getting to be an expert Chauffuer. In that handsome new black Ford run-about he made a flying trip to Climax yesterday and don't have to take any dust from the fastest of them.

BIG HARNESS CO.—J. C. Hartzer who represents the Schwahn-Seyburt Harness Co., of Eau Claire Wis., is spending a day in Crookston and will probably remain over Sunday. He was formerly with a Fargo concern and is one of the well known traveling men of this section. His present house is one of the biggest concerns in the United States and has an immense trade in this section of the country.

LOOKING AFTER HIS LAND —G. M. Emory of Northfield, Ia. arrived yesterday and called on his old friend J P. Foote, a former resident of Northfield. Mr. Emory owns considerable land in this section and has one of the finest drugstores in Iowa. He will spend several days in this section.

SEPARATOR OVER CULVERT

CHAS WENTZEL'S THRESHING RIG SUFFERS A BAD ACCIDENT

SEPARATOR SOMEWHAT DAMAGED. REPAIRED BY MONDAY

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday evening while Chas. Wentzel was moving his threshing rig from the A. K. Austin to the Barlow farm east of the city, the separator ran off the end of a culvert and tipped over on its side causing considerable damage to it.

Mr. Wentzel was in the city this morning for block and tackle and will pick up the wreck today. He hopes to get the separator in shape to be albe to thresh Monday.

A THIRD BANK FOR FOSSTON

FARMERS STATE BANK STARTED —CROOKSTON CAPITALISTS HEAVILY INTERESTED

The remodeling of the Farmers State bank building at Fosston has begun and it is expected that the third banking institution for that town will be ready to open its doors about the 15th of next month.

L. D. Foskett, cashier of the Bank of Crookston and one of the principal stockholders in this important enterprise, was at Fosston this week looking after the progress of the work and gave some information regarding the new bank, to be known as the Farmers State Bank of Fosston. To commence with it will be capitalized at $10,000, and the stockholders and directors will be named in the published articles of incorporation.

The bank will have a corner entrance of attractive appearance and plate glass will light the interior from both south and west sides. Rich interior fixtures will be used and no expense spared to make the new bank attractive and a credit to Fosston.

NORTH YAKIMAITE AMOKG FRIENDS

Emil B. Himmelsbach of No. Yakima is back to the Red River Valley for a short stay among his old neighbors in Crookston and Fairfax. In the latter town he still owns a farm and is out there today seeing it.

Mr. Himmelsbach reports all the old Crookstonites who have settled in the Yakima Valley as doing well.

TOOK ON TON —Jud LaMoure Jr. returned yesterday from Smiley in Beltrami county, where his father has spent the summer in his cottage. Mr. La Moure enjoyed the outing and has taken on a coat of tan that would be the envy of an old Sioux warrior, He says his father is not in very robust health but that the pines and lakes of the park region are very beneficial to him. Mr. LaMoure will at once again assume his duties as Custom Inspector in charge of the port of Pembina.

This morning a heavy rain fell in Norman, Polk, Marshall, Kittson and Red Lake Counties and all threshing operations will be stopped till the first of next week.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Burglars Steal Cash Register.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Aug. 29—Frey's meat market here was burglarized during the night, Thieves entered by the rear door and carried away the cash register.

Drops Dead at Church Door.

Russell, N. D., Aug. 29.—Dropping dead as she entered a church door to attend the services was the unusual fate of Mrs. Herman Schwartz, the wife of a farmer in this vicinity. It is supposed that she suffered a stroke of apoplexy.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

MIND IS UNBALANCED BY POLITICAL WORRIES

Nels Hande, A Prosperous Eden Township Farmer Taken to Fergus. Too Many Candidates for sheriff for him to Digest.

Nels Hande one of the well-to-do farmers of the Town of Eden in eastern Polk was brought to Crookston last evening and after an examination committed to Fergus Falls a raving manaic and was taken down by Marshal Gus Holt of Fosston.

Hande has a wife and eight children and his case is a very sad one. He has been a conscious and hard working farmer, but this summer evinced such an interest in politics that his brain gave way. He shouted over and over again last night that all eleven candidates for sheriff of Polk county had been to see him and demanded his support and that for some time past they had been laying for him behind the fences and trees and threatened to blow his head off if he did not vote for them. He liked them all pretty well, he said, but wanted to know how in h—l he could vote for all of them.

He said the marshal of Fosston was a Swede, the chief of police of Crookston was a Swede the governor of Minnesota was a Swede, he himself was a Swede and the president of the United States should be one, and because special agent Tom Britt laughed thinking Hande had not given the Irish much of a show, the insane man leaped under a table, grabbed a hammer and would have brained the big jolly Irishman had not Chief Eck seized the hammer in the nick of time.

MADE $18,000 IN ONE DAY

SENATOR A. D. STEPHENS DOING A REGULAR ROCKEFELLER STUNT

HAS TO SIGN HIS NAME 1440 TIMES AT $12.57 PER SIGNATURE

From Saturday's Daily—

Senator A. D. Stephens is making money faster today than any man in this section, and will have turned out $18,000 before he finally wipes his pen tonight.

He is signing up that amount of bills for the First National Bank of Bagley as president, the bills having already received the signature of Al. Kaiser as cashier, and he used green ink and oil the space alloted.

SWINDLES G. N. OUT OF $9 EASY

ACTOR CLAIMED TO HAVE LOST CHECKS AFTER HE HAD PUT THEM UP AS SECURITY

A crook, who claimed to be an actor, beat the Great Northern railway out of $9 recently. More truly it may be stated that he beat the Grand Forks baggageman employed by the Great Northern out of the money, for the Great Northern does not stand for any losses. The party gave the Emerado hotel man his checks for baggage, promising to send the money to redeem the checks on his arrival in Grand Forks. When he arrived in Grand Forks he told the baggage man that he had lost the checks. He identified the trunks and persuaded the baggage man to let him have the trunks. He rechecked them to another point and his present whereabouts are unknown. The hotel man will make the G. N. make good.

ERSKINE

Mrs. C. E. Dillon left Wednesday evening for the twin cities to purchase her fall stock of millinery and to spend a few days at the fair.

K. J. Ike and family came out from Crookston last Saturday and spent the following day at the home of his brother O. Ike south of the village.

Mrs. V. Wedekamper and Mrs. Thos Vollom and children drove over from Mentor Sunday and spent a few hours with the former's daughter, Mrs. C P. Hole.

The picnic given by the young people of the village at the Dargan place north of the lake last Sunday was largely attended and enjoyed. The Erskine Cornet band rendered a few choice selections of music and everybody was jolly.

A DOZEN YEARS —David Luscian is in the city visiting his brothers Mr. Luscian now resides at St. Charles Ia. but is an early pioneer of the Red River Valley and lived in this city conducting a furniture store up to twelve years ago, when he removed to Charles City. He will visit several places in the west before he returns.

Stella—Can you dress within your income? Bella—Yes. But it is like dressing within a berth in a sleeping car.—Harper's Bazaar.

MANY NEW CITIZENS

A CLASS OF 35 WILL APPLY FOR FINAL PAPERS SEPTEMBER 1ST

ASST. U. S. ATTY. JOHN C. SWEET TO BE HERE FROM ST. PAUL

From Saturday's Daily—

On Tuesday next, Sept. 1st, 35 applicants for second citizenship papers will have a hearing before Judge Watts. For the occasion Asst. U. S. District Attorney John C. Sweet, in charge of the naturalization department will be here, and the day will be a busy one for Judge Watts and Clerk of Court Lanctot, the government being very particular as to the making of citizens under the ew naturalization laws.

ORVIS HINDS FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR

Orvis Hinds the present efficient county surveyor of Polk county who has filed as a candidate for renomination on the Republican ticket, should make a strong run, and he undoubtedly will. He has been engaged in that line of business in Polk county for many years, and is conversant with every foot of Polk county which he has covered many times.

Mr. Hinds is a thoroly competent engineer and has a host of friends all over the county who will give him enthusiastic support in his candidacy for renomination. He has served but one term, tho he has been connected with the office under the regime of Geo. A. Ralph for many years.

PROGRESSIVE BUSINESS MEN

In this issue of the Journal, and in many issues to come will be found a page devoted to advertising a number of the leading business firms of Crookston and the readers of the Journal will do well to scan every advertisement closely. It will save you money to do so.

For Thin, Poor Blood

You can trust a medicine tested 60 years! Sixty years of experience, think of that! Experience with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; the original Sarsaparilla; the Sarsaparilla the doctors endorse for thin blood, weak nerves, general debility.

But even this grand old medicine cannot do its best work if the liver is inactive and the bowels constipated. For the best possible results, you should take laxative doses of Ayer's Pills while taking the Sarsaparilla.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
HAIR VIGOR.
AGUE CURE.
CHERRY PECTORAL.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

HEAVIEST RAINFALL IN HISTORY OF VALLEY

Regular cloudburst prevailed in Crookston Total of 5.85 inches of water fell The basement were all flooded.

RECORD BREAKING RAINFALL

Rainfall from 4 p. m. to 8 p. m. Sunday 5.07 inches.
Rainfall from 11 p. m. Sunday till 4 a. m. Monday .78 inches.
Rainfall Saturday .42 inches.
Total rainfall Sunday 5:85 inches.
Total rainfall Saturday and Sunday 6.27 inches.
Previous high record rainfall for one day 3.50 inches.

From Monday's Daily—

The most terrific rainstorm that ever visited the Red River Valley, amounting to a four hour cloudburst prevailed from 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon till 8 in evening the total rain fall amounting to 5.07 inches, flooding every basement in the business district and over 200 residences and resulting in damage to stock and basements estimated all the way from $10,000 to $20,000 tho accurate figures cannot be secured till the drygoods merchants and the clothiers and some of the grocers have checked over their basement stocks.

Beat all Records

Some estimate of the havoc wrought can be formed from the fact that the heaviest rainfall on record at A. G. Andersen's where the government guage is located, is three and a half inches, and at that time every basement was flooded badly. During yesterday's storm the water ranged from 6 inches to 5 feet deep in the basements.

Paper Saved

S. A. Wallace & Co., however succeeded in saving a $500 stock of wall paper, Ed Netzer fearing trouble from the start and removed all the paper before water enough to damage the stock had seeped in.

Hotels Flooded

The Grand Central Hotel basement was flooded, the water shooting three feet in the air from the closets and wash bowls, and several travelling men who had their trunks there will lose heavily on their samples.

The Hotel Crookston basement was flooded, but the sample trunks were elevated or taken to the first floor preventing any damage.

The damage at the Palace Hotel will be quite heavy as the tremendous fall of water forced its way thru the roof, soaking many carpetts and damaging the floors.

Elevator Went Bump

At the Palace the deep water in the basement threw the cable which runs the elevator, off as a party was coming down from the 3rd floor, and the cage came down with a crash to the bottom but no one was injured. Had the cage been loaded some lives might have been lost.

Many Were Damaged

It is impossible to secure accurate losses from the business houses which lost the heaviest, but those who will suffer most are Sylvester, Mercil & Co., general merchants, J. E. O'Brien & Co., hardware, Crookston Pure Food Co., C. E. Lindberg, grocer, W. E. Slocum & Co., S. A. Wallace, drugs, Golden Rule, drygoods, Fred Brosseau wholesale liquors, A. J. Sauvé, hardware, L. Roy, furniture, A. G. Andersen, drugs, The New Store, G. S. Chesterman, undertaker, Dufault & Co., grocers, Hughes & Scully, grocers and a score or more others such as confectioners and small dealers.

Dining Room Afloat

The Germania Hotel, located at the outlet of the 3rd street sewer which carries practically all the water from the business district, had about four feet of water in the basement where the dining room is located, and chairs and tables were swimming around all over the room.

Had to Move Out

On west 6th street a veritable torrent flowed over the flats and Henry Francis and Mike Sullivan had to move their families out. The basement of the M. E. Parsonage was filled close to the first floor, and Rev. Thomas Green moved most of his furniture to the second floor for safety.

Sewer Inadequate

The greater portion of the damage in the business district was caused by the totally inadequate 12 inch sewer on Broadway, and a score or more damage suits against the city are liable to result from the storm. Suits were threatened in the flood of five years ago, but nothing was done at that time upon the tacit agreement that the trouble would be remedied by the installation of overflow sewers on Robert Street leading off Broadway, and on Fletcher leading from Broadway, where 24 inch sewers are needed.

River Up 6 Feet

The water was three feet below the city park in Crookston when the rain started, and at 6:30 the entire park was under 2 feet of water and Monday morning the total rise in the river was over 6 feet, the greatest ever experienced since records were started 25 years ago. Over 4 feet of water flooded South Ash street in places.

Every drainage ditch is full to the brim rushing water into the river, and should any further heavy rains fall, flood conditions are apprehended.

Considerable damage was done to buildings in process of construction, it being feared the walls have been weakened. The city hall, upon which repairs were being made had 5 feet of water in the basement and scores of others were in the same boat where no particular damage was done.

Sidewalks Afloat

The sidewalks on west 6th street at the foot of the hill were all washed away, and the boys were using them for boats. On south Ash street and other streets in the Woods district block after block of wooden sidewalks and cross walks were floated off last evening and are stranded from a half to two blocks from where they belong this morning.

Bank Caved in

In front of the Great Northern depot this morning, the river bank in one place is washed away for about 30 feet a regular gorge which comes within 20 feet of one of the side tracks

In Carman some of the yard tracks were also damaged more or less by the washouts.

Preserves Afloat

The basement of the St. Vincents Hospital was floated, and the storeroom containing preserves was all afloat fruit cans floating about in great profusion. The sealed fruit however will probably not be damaged.

Wind Blew a Gale

In Hammond Township south of the city the wind blew a perfect gale just before the heavy rains started. The coal shed and outbuildings at the school house near the John Ralston farm were blown down and John Fournet and a party of friends who were exercising their dogs did some lively dodging to get out of the way of the flying debris.

Windmill Blown Down

The big mildmill on John Ralston's farm was blown down and crashed thru the roof of his barn tearing a great hole about ten feet square. None of the stock was injured as the windmill struck the barn in the center and the stock was at either end. The mill is a total wreck.

All Threshing Stopped

But the damage done in the city is but a side issue compared with vexatious delay to threshing. It started raining at St. Vincent at 4 o'clock on Sunday morning and poured all day long covering Kittson, Marshal, Polk and Norman counties, part of Red Lake, Roseau and Mahnomen, and all threshing is out of the question until next Wednesday or Thursday in that area.

The air was humid all Sunday and Sunday night, but it turned cool during the night. If the weather remains cool, the damage will not be very heavy to crops.

Many stories of the damage and other freak actions of the storm of last Sunday evening are coming in, in some places wind was the worst, in others it was the hail and again in most places it was the water.

Nick Welter's machine shed was demolished by the high wind and a mile east of his place on the Thompson place a granary was moved ten rods but not very badly damaged.

The fine large trees on John Amundson's farm were in some places shorn of their branches.

During the storm of last Sunday John Wagner a well known farmer on Rural Route No. 5 out of this city, which rung northwest towards Fisher, had four grain stacks destroyed by fire. The stacks were ignited by lightning.

67 SECURED CERTIFICATES

SUPT CASEY RECEIVED RETURNS FROM THE STATE EXAMINATIONS

52.7 PER CENT OF THOSE WHO TOOK EXAMINATIONS WERE SUCCESSFUL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Teachers who failed to secure certificates will please not call on me asking for permits to teach. If you desire to teach send me your application in writing and if there is any vacancies when all teachers holding state certificates are placed in schools, the question of granting permits will be considered. — Thomas Casey, Co., Supt. of Schools.

Supt. of Schools Thomas Casey this morning received the returns from the recent examinations for teachers held here Out of the 129 who took the examinations, 67 passed 6 receiving first grade certificates and 61 second grades. This makes a percentage of 52.7 per cent who passed and is about the usual average for Polk county but higher than the general average of the state by considerable.

The 1st grades are good for 5 years and the 2nd for two years, but the second grades must be endorsed by the superintendent of the county where holders are to teach, and the 1st grades are good in any county but must be recorded with the superintendent.

Following is the list of the successful applicants for certificates:

First Grade

Margaret Arnold, Crookston.
W. A. Dryden, Euclid.
Anna C. Hanson Erskine.
Thorvald Lund, Fosston.
Marie Mahlen, Erskine.
Mary Thompson, Fisher.

Second Grade

R. D. Bartlett, Crookston.
Jessie Collins, Crookston.
Mrs. F. A. Carey, Crookston.
Bertha S. Erdman, Crookston.
Ida Heng, Crookston.
Louise Johnson, Crookston.
Emma N. Peterson, Crookston.
Adelaide Strahlendorff, Crookston.
Helen G. Riedesel, Crookston.
Ada H. Tofsley, Crookston.
Hannah Tvedt, Crookston.
Grace Walton, Crookston.
Maria Bauman, Crookston.
Clara Beck, Crookston.
Mary Hagen, Crookston.
Olive E. Herbert, Crookston.
Josie Lance, Crookston.
Alma Langevin, Crookston.
Sarah Scully, Crookston.
Coranna Toupin, Crookston.
Cora Millette, Crookston.
Olive Lance Gentilly.
Valborg A. Worden, Fisher.
Annie Lindem, Fisher.
Beatrice Bain, Fisher.
Mabel Stoughton, Fisher.
Kate E. Stoughon, Fisher.
Bertha M. Knutson, Fisher.
Ruth Tanner, Fisher.
Julia F. Thompson, Fisher.
Emma C. Nyquist, Fertile.
Etta J. Scott, Fertile.
Mary Hanson, Fertile.
Clara M. Moland, Fertile.
Anna L. Selm, Fertile.
Della A. Rutherford, Euclid.
Mayme E. Sullivan, Euclid.
Dreng Grundeson, Fosston.
Olga E. Olson, Fosston.
Helma J. Lerum, McIntosh.
Elsie Trovaten, McIntosh.
Paula G. Johnson, McIntosh.
Louise Wilson, Mentor.
Frankie Tice, Mentor.
Inga M. Leding, Flamming.
Oscar Bakke, Flamming.
Ingaborg Stenseth, Highberg.
Karen D. Finseth, Oslo.
Ada Grundeson, Gary.
Mattie Grundeson, Gary.
Clara M. Hagen, Pelican Rapids.
Sophia G. Johnson, Gaylord.
Mable McDonald, Davidson.
Tillie Oberson, Shelly.
Anna Rinerson, Twin Valley.
Sally Simonson, Nielsville.
Mrs. Augusta B. Valor, Climax.
Kamilla Holmvik, Beltrami.
Otto Will, Beltrami.
F Grace Barrette, G. Forks, N. D.
Clara Houglun, G. Forks, N. D.

BELIEVES IN FARM SCHOOLS

Senator Sunberg of Kittson county returned this morning from the twin cities where he had been on business at Kennedy. The senator is one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the agricultural school and predicts that the school will have a good attendance from his county, and that the whole county excursion side will be down on the special train to the dedication of Stephens Hall.

FLATEN HAS CLEAR SAILING

H. R. ROBERTSON WITHDRAWS AS CANDIDATE FOR REPUBLICAN NOMINATION

FOR TREASURER OF POLK CO., IS SECRETARY OF BIG INVESTMENT COMPANY

Hugh Robertson has formally withdrawn as a candidate for the nomination for treasurer of Polk Co., on the republican ticket, leaving Geo. J. Flaten very easy sailing. Following is the formal notice received from Mr. Robertson this morning by the Journal:

"Minneapolis, Minn., August, 31, 1908.
Editor of the Journal,
Crookston, Minn.

Dear Sir: Since filing notice of my intention to become a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Polk County, business opportunities presented themselves in this city and I now feel in justice to myself that I must withdraw from the candidacy. Should I receive the nomination and be elected, I would be unable to accept. I shall be pleased if you publish this letter and I desire to take this opportunity of thanking my friends for the support they have already given me.

Respectfully,
—H. R. Robertson."

Mr. Robertson is secretary of the Minnesota-Dakota Investment Co., with headquarters in Minneapolis, and has been devoting his entire attention to his duties in that capacity for some months past. The position presents opportunities which his best friends believe he would be very foolish to pass up, and Mr. Robertson was of the same opinion. Mr. Robertson has had splendid training in that line of work and the opportunities are almost unlimited.

Mr. Flaten now has what might be termed a "puddin" as far as the nomination goes and can make up for any sleep he has lost by snoozing from now till the primaries are over.

NIKE YEARS WEDDED TOOK BRIDAL TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Thornton started on their bridal trip Sunday evening after nine years of happily wedded life. They will "do" the Minnesota State Fair and are naturally anticipating a very pleasant trip. Their two sons remained here. Tho they have been married nine years, this is the first railroad trip Mr. and Mrs. Thornton ever took together Mr. Thornton's duties as a knight of the grip keeping him on the road practically all the time, any vacations he has taken before were spent at home. However they decided that a bridal trip now was the proper maneuver and Sunday evening they were "riced" off by a party of friends headed by R. R. Ashley and Mr. Thornton couldn't refrain from blushing just a little bit.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for working this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

In these days of scientific miracles, when a man sees a mysterious monster in the air he has to guess whether it is a flying machine or a womans hat.

RAILROAD EMPLOYES EFFECT ORGANIZATION

Railroad Employes Club launched here yesterday with a charter Membership of 325 with 50 applications on file.

From Monday's Daily—

The railroad employees of the surrounding territory met in the Crookston depot waiting room Sunday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Railroad Employees' club, with headquarters at Crookston. This club has for an object the advancement of its members in a social and educational way, and it seems but meet and proper that such an organization should be effected.

No such move has heretofore been agitated in this vicinity, and it is met with enthusiasm in all branches of the service.

The meeting was called to order at 4 p. m. by Attorney J. H. Maybury, there being about one hundred people present. After a short preliminary address by Attorney Maybury as to the purpose and intent of the organization the election of officers took place with the following result.

Thomas McTaggart, President
E. D. Kittoe Vice Chairman.
H. E. Kjorsvik, sec. and treas.

A board of Directors composed of 17 members representing all the departments of the service was elected as follows:

E. Regan, sectionmen
Emil Braff, carpenters.
E. R. Salter, agents.
W. B. McElroy, conductors.
W. J. Saver, freight brakemen.
L. Anderson, roadmasters.
Geo. Pietsch, dispatchers
Mat Milligan, engineers.
Chas Wood, firemen.
W. A. Buckner, operators.
J. W. Smith, Yardmen.
Al. Newland, boilermakers.
J. J. Burke, warehousemen.
E. J. Loken, car repairers.
Julian B. Baker, machinists.
Thomas Morris time.
James H. Maybury, legal departments.

After the regular business, which is necessary at the initial meeting of an organization of this kind had been disposed of, some very interesting papers appurtaining to the railroad business and the relations of the employee to the employer, were read by W. J. Saver, J. H. Maybury and E. D. Kittoe after which a general discussion followed and some very choice remarks were made by E. A. Mills, Laughlin, E. D. Kittoe, F. D. Bell, Julian B. Baker, George Johnson, R. C. Brass, W. J. Saver, Barney Hart, George Pietsch, Tom Morris and E. R. Salter.

The Club has a charter membership of 325 with 50 applicants which have not yet been enrolled.

The organization is nonpartisan as to politics but will see that they themselves will receive justice as a laboring class, and that their employers will receive justice as investors. The meeting was a very enthusiastic one and the railroadmen as a body considers the move one in the right direction.

Another meeting will be held in a short time when matters will be discussed more thoroly and plans drawn up as to the policy and future actions of the Club.

TWO DROWN IN CASS LAKE

BOAT CAPSIZED IN SQUALL YESTERDAY AND OCCUPANTS WENT DOWN

WERE EMPLOYES OF NEW ENGLAND FURNITIURE CO., OF MINNEAPOLIS

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon a young man named Bass an dhis companion, employes of the New England Furniture and Carpet Co., of Minneapolis who had been camping at the mouth of Turtle river at Cass Lake since August 1st, were rowing when over taken by a squall, capsizing the boat and drowning both of the occupants.

Manager W. L. Harris of the New England Co., arrived from Minneapolis today and with a party is searching for the bodies.

GEORGE MARKHAM DIES IN MONTANA

Joe Markham passed thru the city this morning on the Duluth train number 34 with the remains of his brother George who died Friday morning at Kallspel after a severe siege of pneumonia.

Mr. Markham was well known and extremely popular thruout this part of the state having at one time conducted the Markham at Bemidji and later went with C. H. Miles to Hibbing where they built a large hotel which soon burned entailing a heavy loss.

He recently became connected with a hotel at Culbertson, Mont. and while traveling about in that state was taken down with pneumonia and removed to a hospital in Kalispel, the county seat of Flathead county, where he died. His mother resides at Hibbing and the funeral will be held at that place under the auspices of the Elks lodge.

8000 TIES UP IN SMOKE

GREAT NORTHERN SUFFERED $5000 LOSS AT BARNESVILLE YESTERDAY

TIES WERE BEING PEELED AND FLAMES SPREAD VERY RAPIDLY

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday morning 8000 railroad ties were being stripped at Barnesville by the Great Northern caught fire from a match dropped in the strippings and in a few minutes nothing was left but a heap of ashes, the flames being fanned by a stiff wind.

The loss to the company is over $5000.

FOR ASSAULTING MINNESOTA GIRL

GEORGE BURGESS EX-CONVICT IS BOUND OVER IN NORTH DAKOTA

For an assault upon Catherine McKinnon, the 10-year old daughter of Mrs. Elenora Hawkes, George P. Burgess has been arrested at Cando, N. D., on the charge of rape. The defendant was held to the district court in $3000 bonds. He has already served five years in the North Dakota penitentiary for the same crime.

Mrs. Hawkes the mother of the girl, is practically a stranger in Cando, going there from Bemidji, Minn., about a month ago and has since been boarding at the Hotel Leland. It is stated that she has allowed the girl to run at will about town and mingle with boys and for this she has been repeatedly cautioned but has allowed her daughter to continue without restraint. McKinnon the child's father, is a resident of Bemidji.

Marshal Holt of Fosston is spending the day in the city, hobnobbing with the local preservers of the peace.

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NEW VARIETY YIELDING RYE

INCREASED YIELDS SECURED FROM MINNESOTA NO. 2.

DISTRIBUTED IN SMALL LOTS TO THE FARMERS OF STATE.

From Monday's Daily—

A new variety of winter rye called Minnesota No. 2 has been originated by the Minnesota Experiment Station, and is now ready for distribution. This rye was obtained by selection from the Swedish rye, and is an exceptionally high yielder. The average yield upon the station grounds for the past eight years is 40.4 bushels per acre, while the average yield of other varieties for the state in the same time was 19.2 bushels per acre. One field of 1.9 acres yielded 48 bushels per acre this fall.

Th grain of this new veriety is plump, and much larger than the varieties commonly grown. The straw is stiff, tall and stands up well.

A few bushels were distributed for trial throughout the state last year in order that yields might be compared under farm conditions with the common varieties. The returns from the entire acreage show that Minnesota No. 2 averaged 27.2 bushels per acre while other rye grown under similar conditions, averaged 17.7 bushels per acre.

Method of Distribution.

Minnesota No. 2 rye is offered to the farmers of the state in two to five bushel lots at the price of $1.25 per bushel, including sacks. Seed will be supplied either by the station or by farmers who have cooperated with the station as seed growers. Commuications in regard to the rye should be addressed to Anderw Boss, Agriculturist, Minnesota Experment Staton, St. Paul, Minn.

GOV. DAVIDSON IS HERO.

Wisconsin Executive Saves Two Men From Drowning.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 8.—While out fishing on Lake Mendota late yesterday afternoon Gov. Davidson rescued two men from drowning. They were in a canoe which was capsized by a heavy wind, and were clinging to the sides of the canoe when rescued. A sudden squall upset several canoes on Lake Mendota. The names of the men rescued by Gov. Davidson were not learned.

GOOD THUNDER MILL BURNED.

Flour Plant and Elevator Are Consumed by Flames.

Good Thundred, Minn., Sept. 8.—An early morning fire starting in the flour mill and grain elevator of the R. L. Houk company completely destroyed the plant, and for a while threatened the destruction of the town.

The loss on the mill and elevator will reach $30,000, and on the stock about $10,000.

NEW PARTY HAS TICKET

INDEPENDENCE PARTY NAMES W. W. ALLEN FOR GOVERNOR.

COMPLETE TICKET OF REPRESENTATIVE MEN ARE NAMED IN CONFERENCE.

St. Paul, Sept. 9.—Representatives of the Indpendence party met in conference at the Merchants hotel yesterday and placed in nomination the following ticket:

Governor — William W. Allen, St. Paul.

Lieutenant Governor — Roscoe B. Higbee, St. Paul.

Secretary of State—J. G. Watterson, mayor of Scanlon, Minn.

Attorney General—John T. P. Powers of St. Paul.

Treasurer—Andrew Nordlof, Willmar.

Chairman of State Central Committee—Roscoe B. Higbee.

Secretary of State Central Committee—Arnold Joerns of Duluth.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

Sold by all dealers.

A FORTUNE OF $20,000,000

MRS. W. L. DAVIES OF THIS CITY IS ONE OF THE HEIRS OF AN

IMMENSE FORTUNE WHICH IS HELD IN TRUST BY GERMAN GOVERNMENT.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Mrs. Wm. Davies, of Crookston, Mrs. Anthony Cannon and White Rupp, the two latter being dead.

Able attorneys have been retained and the matter will be at once taken up with the German government and the complete chain of evidence establishing the direct decendancy of John Rupp from Heinrich Rupp submitted.

John Rupp died in 1828. His wife's maiden name was Susanna Meyers, the most of their children remaining in Pennsylvania until the time of their death. The heirs have been working on the case for a number of years, but not until recently was any organized effort made, which culminated in the opening of the grave of John Rupp, in Numodia cemetedy, Shamokin, Pa., in the presence of nearly a score of relatives, Sept. 1st.

Much local interest is attached to the recent exhuming of the body of John Rupp at Shamokin, Pa., to recover his birth certificate, which was the important link lacking in tracing his being a direct descendant of Heinrich Rupp, who died intestate the fore part of the present century, leaving an immense fortune which the German Government assumed charge of, and which now amounts to over $20,000,000, and which will be paid over as soon as the legal heirs can prove their claims, owing to the fact that one of the few heirs is Mrs. Wm. L. Davies of this city. John Rupp left six children when he died, Jesse, John, William Ponit, Samuel, Jacob and Sarah, all of whom were married excepting the last named, but a Hare now dead.

William Penn Rupp, who made his home at Monmouth for half a century, died in 1897 in his 90th year. He was the father of 5 children, Mrs. Edward Cannon of Oakland, Cal., Mrs. Helen Colo, of Los Angeles, Cal.,

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed

Sold by all dealers.

STRIKE ENDS THIS WEEK

CANADIAN PACIFIC DECIDES TO TAKE BACK STRIKING MECHANICS.

CONCESSION BY COMPANY INDICATES THAT STRIKE WAS A SUCCESS.

Winnipeg, Sept. 9. — The Canadian Pacific has decided to take the mechanics on strike back to work this week in their old positions on the wage scale agreed upon by the majority report of the board of conciliation held in Winnipeg, pending further investigation by a second board on some points now in dispute. From appearances it is an unexpected concession by the company, as hundreds of British mechanics will arrive this week for distribution through the West.

Five Section Men Hurt.

Red Wing, Minn., Sept. 9. — Five members of a section crew were injured yesterday when a handcar which they were operating left the track and the men were hur ed down an embankment.

Dirt Roof Falls and Kills Man.

Pierre, S. D., Sept. 9.—Mahlon W. Rickert was killed near Milesville, Stanley county, by the dirt roof of an old log house caving in on him.

Four Burned to Death.

New York, Sept. 9.—Four persons, believed to have been members of a group of employes working overtime, were burned to death last night in a fire, supposedly incendiary, which destroyed a seven-story factory building.

Nab Four Disposing of Goods.

Westhope, N. D., Sept. 9.—Four men were arrested at Russell yesterday in the act of disposing of goods that were alleged to have been stolen from the Golden Rule department store in this city last week.

RANGE TOWNS FIRE SWEPT

Chisholm Is Destroyed And Other Cities Have A Narrow Escapes.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 6—The forest fires which have been burning the past week closed on several towns and small settlements near Duluth Saturday afternoon, wiping out, renderng several thousands of people homeless, destroying property valued at several million dollars and sweeping out over la nds in many counties in northern Wisconsin and northern Minnesota.

Chisholm, Minn., a town of 4,000 people on the Mesaba iron range, 90 miles north of Duluth, was completely wiped out as a slate is sponged.

The immense heat produced by so much fire, seemed to create drafts of air that caused fires come in onto the town from all quarters Saturday Chisholm in its fiery grip and completely destroyed it. For three days the dry wood has been on fire west and north of the town and small bush fires wer e reported to the eastward. Gradually these closed in upon the doomed town, but no danger was felt by the citizens, as the town is protected on the east by Longyear Lake, a small body of water.

Destruction at Chisholm.

The most destructive of the many forest fires was that which embraced afternoon, and it was seen that the town was doomed, the citizens fleeing to save their lives, nothing could be removed and the town was totally destroyed with all the personal effects of the occupants. The Great Northern used box cars to convey the people to safety, and the governor sent the militia to the scene to protect abandoned property from looters and robbers.

The little settlements of Dewey and Dedham on the Great Northern, ten miles southwest of Superor, were destroyed and most of the settlers in that neighborhood brought to Superior in a special which gathered up farmers at every crossing and hamlet on the road. Boyleston, six miles southwest of Superior, is also threatened and the inhabitants came to Superior. The flames made the running of trains difficult and the heat scorched the pant from the cars and breaks windows. The railroads are keepnig men on guard at the bridges and others to help farmers escape.

Loss About $2,000,000.

The damage to property is estimated at $1,000,000 and the personal property at $750,000, including the stocks of the merchants. A Hibbing insurance man who had many policies on the property in the destroyed town estimated the insurance carried by Chisholm merchants at $500,000. Several insurance men went to the Mesaba range yesterday, and the insurance will be adjusted as rapidly as possible to provide immediate funds for those who wish to rebuild.

Hibbing, five miles west of Chisholm, afforded accommodations to about 1,000 refugees from Chisholm Saturday night, and it was expected that 3,000 would be given places to sleep last night.

WIND GOING DOWN SAVES RANGE TOWNS

ARMY OF MEN FIGHT FLAMES WITH FURIOUS ZEAL YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT—NO PROMISE OF RAIN YET AND HARD WIND FROM ANY DIRECTION WILL FAN THE GREEDY FLAMES INTO RENEWED ENERGY—FIGHT AT HIBBING OF THOUSAND MEN AGAINST FLAMES ENDED BY DYING OF WIND IN EVENING.

Duluth, Sept. 9.—Fighting desperately against the wind, forest fires that threatened momentarily to add six more range towns to the blackened ruins of Chisholm and Snowball, practically the entire male population of the Messaba region composed a self-constituted fire brigade that struggled fiercely all day yesterday and late into the night to save their homes and property. After raging fiercely all afternoon, the flames died down with the wind in the evening and gave the army of fighters a chance to rest after their strenuous work.

Hibbing, Nashwauk, Buhl, Bovey, Coleraine and Mountain Iron, which were considered doomed during the greater part of the afternoon, are safe again until the wind revives. There is still little promise of rain and a strong wind from any direction will fan the quieted flames into renewed menace.

Fight Fire Demon.

Brooklyn, a small suburb of Hibbing, is threatened by fire, and if this portion of the town catches the rest is doomed. Buhl and Nashwauk, which were threatened with destruction Saturday are again in danger, and the flames are creeping slowly toward them. The citizens are fighting the onrushing flames desperately.

Aurora is entirely surrounded by forest fires and the citizens are fighting the flames. The town is believed to be safe unless a strong wind should rise from the north or south.

An Appalling Sight.

Mitchell, a small town about one mile southeast of Hibbing, was threatened with destruction all day yesterday and was saved only by heroic efforts of the inhabitants. Several hundred men are still guarding the place. The pine timber which surrounds Mitchell has been almost entirely consumed.

Between Nashwauk and Hibbing, a region twenty-two miles long, the forests are one continuous battle front of flames. From Hibbing it is an appalling sight, and big clouds of smoke have been pouring over the threatened city all day, hiding the sun as though the sky was overcast with rainclouds.

Hibbing in Danger.

Northwest of Hibbing the flames have spread over a wide area of cutover timber, and the burning district is increasing rapidly. Between Chisholm and Buhl, a distance of eight miles, there are many small fires which threaten hourly to be fanned into conflagrations.

Small fires are blazing north of Virginia, but that town is not endangered. Hibbing people are watching the progress of the fire to the south with anxious eyes. They are conscious of the fact that if the little suburb of Brooklyn burns their own city, the metropolis of the range, will also go up in smoke.

Nothing but Rain Can Save It.

Brooklyn is about a half a mile south of the residence section of the city. A Great Northern railway spur from Brooklyn to Kelly's Lake is the only barrier to the flames that are raging on the outskirts of the suburb. If the fiery wall jumps this track and is fanned into the houses of Brooklyn nothing but a deluge of rain can save the big town of Hibbing just beyond. No promises of rain could be made yesterday by the local forecaster. Without rain the forest fires, which are increasing throughout the northern part of the state, will continue to spread and will continue to menace millions of dollars' worth of standing timber and scores of small towns, settlements and farms scattered throughout the timber district.

Towns Completely Surrounded.

Reports from the range district state that the fire menace is almost as great as Saturday, when the flames destroyed Chisholm. The fire area is larger and most of the towns are completely surrounded. Should a strong wind from any direction spring up before rain comes, untold damage will be caused.

MERITORIOUS CANDIDATE

THEODORE A THOMPSON'S CANDIDACY FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS NOMINATION

IS MEETING WITH GENERAL APPROVAL THROUGHOUT POL KCOUNTY.

As the primary election, which will be held Sept. 15, is near at hand, the people of Polk county are naturally evincing a greater degree of interest in the personnel of the candidates. It is naturally their desire to select the men who will serve them the best. The office of Register of Deeds is an important one, and a man should be selected who is fitted for the work, and several years of experience certainly puts Mr. Theodore A. Thompson in a position to give the people the desired good service. He has been deputy under Register of Deeds Stair, and has made a splendid record. In this connection a brief outline of Mr. Thompson's past history is not out of place.

Mr. Thompson was born September 20th, 1871, in the city of Waseca, Minnesota, where he received his education, graduating from the High School June 8, 1888. The same year he moved with his parents to this county and located on a homestead in the township of Hill River, where the parental home still is.

For eight years he was engaged in teaching school and in farming and for two years was in business in McIntosh, part of this time being the Assistant Post Master.

For a period of six years, he was Asst. Cashier of the Citizens' Bank of McIntosh, and for three years of this time he also held the office of Village Treasurer.

During the past three years, he has been the efficient Deputy Register of Deeds of this county and is well qualified by education and experience and thoroughly competent to fulfill the duties of the office to which he aspires.

He is a kind and courteous gentleman, always ready and willing to attend promptly to the wants of anyone having business with the office and, without doubt, the voters of the county would make no mistake in nominating him and electing him to the office.

CHOLERA EPIDEMIC

LOSS OF STOCK FOLLOWS DESTRUCTION OF GRAIN BY HAIL.

HOG CHOLERA HAS BROKEN OUT INCREASING REDWOOD CO. FARMERS' TROUBLES.

Redwood Falls, Minn., Sept. 9.—The hog cholera situation in Sheridan township, this county, does not improve. Mr. Logna is the heaviest loser yet reported, having lost about ninety head, while Messrs. Glumm and Wolford have lost about sixty each; Mr. Muertzel reports fifty lost and Mr. Gano forty. Others in the same neighborhood lost a number.

This district was in the path of the heavy hail storm in June, and, coming after the loss of their grain, the cholera epidemic is doubly bad for the farmers.

Woman Killed; Husband Hurt.

Aberdeen, S. D., Sept. 9.—Mrs. John Breidenbach was instantly killed and her husband sustained severe injuries to his spine in a runaway accident here.

GAME WARDEN IS DEFENDED

EXECUTIVE AGENT AVERY WRITES EDITOR WHO CRITICIZED ARRESTS.

INDIANS WERE HUNTING OFF RESERVATION AND SOLD THE MOOSE KILLED.

From Monday's Daily—

Executive Agent Carlos Avery, of the State Game and Fish Commission has written a letter to the publisher of the White Earth Tomahawk in which he upholds Game Warden Munch and the sheriff of Red Lake county in their action in arresting three Indians for violating the game laws of the state. The letter is self explanatory and follows in full:

Publisher White Earth Tomahawk,
White Earth Minn.

Dear Sir:

I have been forwarded a clipping from your valued publication containing an article pertaining to a recent prosecution against certain Red Lake Indians instituted by Mr. William F. Munch and the sheriff of Red Lake Co.

You have evidently been misinformed as to the facts in the case, and would advise you that the offenses for which these Indians were prosecuted were committed in the township of Hickory, Red Lake Co., and not on the reservation and the officers in making the arrests were acting under instructions from this office and from the attorney general of the state, and are not deserving of any censure.

I would say further that it has not been the policy of this department to interfere with the Indians in any manner who confine their hunting to the reservation for their own needs, but it is our intention to repress, so far as possible the illegal sale of game by the Indians as well as by all other persons. The three Indians prosecuted killed moose off the reservation and sold it in Red Lake Co. Will say further that the person buying the meat was also prosecuted. I am satisfied that you would not intentionally misrepresent the facts in this case and trust that you will set the matter right before your readers, as it should not be made to appear that the game wardens are making arrests which are not warranted.

As you have the best interests of the Indians at heart, I would respectfully suggest that you warn them against hunting or trapping off the reservation out of season and selling game, so that it may not be necessary to make any further arrests.

Yours truly,

—Carlos Avery,
Executive Agent.

SECOND ATTEMPT

MAN WHO WAS PREVENTED FROM KILLING SELF IN CHURCH TAKES POISON.

WAS DESPONDENT ON ACCOUNT OF LACK OF WORK AND FAMILY TROUBLES.

New York, Sept. 9. — A man who represented himself to be Dr. C. H. Brooks, a cancer specialist of Portland, Me., committed suicide yesterday in Mills Hotel No. 3 by taking some subtle drug, the nature of which could not be determined, and last night it was learned that the suicide was the same man who last Saturday night tried to end his life in the rectory of the Church of the Holy Innocents, in West Twenty-sixth street.

FAIR WILL OPEN TO-MORROW.

Chisago County Exhibits Are Ready for Opening.

Rush City, Minn., Sept. 9. — The thirty-seventh annual fair of the Chisago County Agricultural society will open for three days Wednesday. On Thursday North Branch and Rush City ball teams will play for $100 and the championship. Three horse races are planned for each day and shows each night. There are 50 per cent more entries than ever before and the attractions are the best.

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From our Exchanges

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss. Effie Hanson was the guest of relatives at Crookston, Tuesday.

H. B. Budd and daughter, Jessie, of Beltrami, witnessed the ball game here Sunday.

H. S. Highness and Eugene Bray went to Crookston yesterday for a day's visit.

Mrs. Ralph Demars of Hallock, arrived here yesterday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Demars.

Mrs. R. E. English had the misfortune Monday to cut one of her fingers off while handling an ax.

The Fertile Lumber Co. reports the sale of a large bill of lumber to Hans Johnson, of Garden, for a residence. S. J. Simonson has the contract for building of the same.

Matt Johnson and son returned Monday from Angus, where Mr. Johnson was called by the sickness of his brother, Bernt, whose recovery is very doubtful.

Miss. Josephine Olson left last Friday for St. Vincent, where she will teach the coming year. Miss. Jessie Cunningham accompanied her as far as Crookston.

There was some excitement in Ole Knutson's confectionery store Tuesday when a large tarantula was discovered in a bunch of bananas, having wove a large web under the fruit. The poisonous insect was killed without mishap.

ADA
(Herald)

Ed. Farley and family are here from Grand Forks this week. Ed. is enjoying a few days chicken hunting.

Mr. Tenny Aasland and Miss. Florence Bloom, both of Ada, were married by Judge Hintz Saturday evening at eight o'clock.

Miss. Verna Ahlers left Saturday morning for St. Vincent where she she has a position in the public school

A bunch of fast race horses arrived in Ada yesterday and are being worked out on the track. Several more horses are expected here this week for the races at the fair.

Yesterday Jake Volland was showing some samples of ripe corn of the Yellow Dent variety which were undisputable evidence that Norman Co. is located in the corn belt.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Kermit Roosevelt will have to hurry if he wants to find bear shooting in northern Minnesota. The news that he is coming west to hunt reached the bears' headquarter den yesterday and the bears are packing up and taking no time about it.

A large bear sent in the news yesterday that there would not be a bear in northern Minnesota by the end of next week. "We are taking no chances," writes the bear. "We are tickled to death when we heard that Teddy was bound for South Africa and was going to take Kermit along. We never thought that Kermit would want to practice on the residents of his own country."

The bear refused to inform us what direction they are going to take but it is believed that they are fleeing to the protection of the Canadian mounted police. Some it is thought will seek the safety of the animal shows and zoological gardens until the South African hunt is safely under way.

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In the women's building at State fair is a young man at a booth selling shells and other odd trinkets. He stutters somewhat, enough to make his speech a trifle picturesque and he is a prime favorite with the young women employed in the building

He was showing an old lady some of the trinkets today and at the same time holding his own with the young women, calling them "dear" "sweetheart" and the like. The old lady stood it for a while but a severe cast of countenance became more and more severe as the raillery progressed. Finally she cast a final look of reproof upon the young man saying:

"Young man, I think you are a cog in the wheel of hell."

The retort started quickly and progressed slowly.

"M-m-m-adam, I think you are the m-m-m-m-main shaft."

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Are the travelling men going to be a factor in the state campaign again? Sam Langum raises this question in the Preston Times, on information from one of the "boys" who told him that the "herring peddlers" were again going to elect John A. Johnson governor. The Times declares this an indication that the corporations are against Jacobson, and calls upon the farmers to stand by the republican candidate. The traveling men have always resented this line of argument. They declare that they are politically independent and do not get their views from the companies they represent, or echo their employers' sentiments.—Minneapolis Journal.

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There must be some life in the boy or he will not rise under any circumstances until the day appointed for the resurrection of the dead. If he starts out in life as a failure he will end as one unless he gets thoroughly wakened in some way. Give every boy and girl a fair chance and reasonable encouragement, and do not condemn them even because of a large degree of downright stupidity; for many so-called good-for-nothing boys blockheads, numskulls, dullards or dunces, were only boys out of thir places round boys forced into square holes.

KEY STONE

Mr. Anderson and Mr. Witfer of Walnut Illinois arrived one day last week and are working on the Key-Stone Farm.

Among those that drove to Grand Forks last week were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann, Mr. John Capes and son Earl and the Misses Cora Elmen and Olive Champlain.

Mr. David Kuntz and Mr. Frank last week and are working for Simon Willen arrived from Oakville, Iowa Aeschliman.

John Capes left for his old home at Illinois last Saturday to transact some business.

Mrs. C. W. Switzer and daughter Esther and Miss Lydia Aeschlimann called on the Elmen family one day last week.

Simon Aeschlimann and family gave an "Illinois" dinner last Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Switzer of Roanoke, Illinois. Those present were John Gerber and family, Mr. Ehchlimann, and Earl, Evert and Miss Grundahl, Violet Capes, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Witfer, John Alt, Simon Rinkenberger and William Grundahl. All present were Illinois folks except Mr. Grundahl and Mrs. Koeling.

Mr. John Alt and Simon Rinkenberger of Stephen drove down last Saturday to visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Switzer and daughter Esther and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann called on the Key Stone Farm folks one day last week.

The whistling of the threshing engine indicates that the threshing of 1908 has commenced in this vicinity.

The crowd that went to the Red River some time ago report that the fish would not bite but they imagined that they were to feast on delicious fish during the entire week.

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NEAR-CYCLONE LASHES LAKE.

Vessels Driven to Cover by Furious Winds.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 3. — A terrific wind storm, having at times the proportions of a cyclone, swept over the entire Keweenaw peninsula and portions of Lake Superior yesterday Lake Superior and Portage lake have been lashed to a fury and a number of vessels have taken shelter in Lily pond.

Faribault Boys Drown.

Faribault, Minn., Sept. 3. — Fred Peterson, aged eleven years, and Henry Arner, aged twelve years, were drowned at Cedar lake while playing in a boat.

BABY CAB ATTACHMENT

CROOKSTON MAN'S INVENTION IS RECEIVING FAVORABLE ATTENTION

BABY CARRIAGE ATTACHMENTS ARE BEING MANUFACTURED AT MAPLE BAY PLANT

From Friday's Daily—

Ole Fylling of this city has perfected the sleigh runner attachment to an ordinary baby carriage and the invention he has been working on for some time is now beyond the experimental stage. The sleigh runner is for attachment to any baby cab for winter use, and can be brought into use by a simple tap of the toe without even losing a step in walking. The advantage of this is that in winter many places are bare of snow, while others it is piled high, with this contrivance a quick change can be made from wheels to runners or vice versa.

Mr. Fylling is spending this week at the state fair exhibiting the invention, and it is receiving a great deal of attention by manufacturers, as nothing like it is on the market and it is bound to become a staple article and good seller as soon as it becomes more widely known.

The Maplebay Mfg. Co., has already made one thousand and have the material for 4,000 more on the ground, and are in position to turn out as many as can be sold. Without any effort on Mr. Fylling's part, 700 have already been disposed of. S. W. Wheeler and C. M. Anderson have purchased an interest in the invention of Mr. Fylling and will assist in getting the article manufactured, and advertised before the public.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

ST. BERNARD'S ACADEMY OF GRAND FORKS CELEBRATES 25th YEAR OF EXISTENCE

The twenty-fifth anniversary of St. Bernard's Academy at Grand Forks is being celebrated today. Extensive preparations have been made for the occasion and there will undoubtedly be a large attendance at the reception and program to be given this evening beginning at 7:30. An invitation has been extended to the general public to attend.

After the program refreshments will be served.

Those who have not visited the buildings and campus will be given an opportunity tonight and will find a pleasant welcome.

The sisters want it understood that the invitation is general and that each and every one will find a welcome in the evening.

The reception committee are, Mesdames J. A. Dinnie, C. P. Trepanier, C. J. Murphy, C. Kellcher; Misses A. M. Carroll, Mabel Collins, H. O. Sullivan; Messrs. H. Dunlevy, F. S. Duggan, S. J. Cowley, H. J. Monley, E. Hankey, T. W. Rourke, Charles Fee.

MRS. PECK GIVEN DIVORCE.

Another Distinguished Personage Has Matrimonial Bonds Severed.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Sept. 5.—Harry Thurston Peck, professor of Latin in Columbia university, celebrated magazine writer and prominent educator of international reputation, was the defendant in a divorce action which was terminated yesterday when a decree of divorce was granted Mrs. Cornelia Dawbarn Peck.

Lowry Near Death.

Minneapolis, Sept. 5.—The condition of Thomas Lowry, president of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Saulte Marie railroad and president of the Twin City Rapid Transit company, took a sudden change for the worse last night and for a time his life was despaired of. Later in the night he rallied somewhat, though he is still in danger.

GUN DISCHARGED BY DOG.

North Dakota Farmer Instantly Killed and Companion Wounded.

Miller, S. D., Sept. 3.—Lars Peterson, a young unmarried farmer, was shot to death west of here while hunting, by a dog discharging the gun in the wagon. Former Sheriff Wilcox was also hit in the eye by some of the stray shot, but was not dangerously hurt.

Loot Minneapolis Home.

Minneapolis, Sept. 3. — During the absence of the family of Peter Lees thieves entered the residence and stole silverware and jewelry valued at several hundred dollars.

Shoots Man He Says Is Robber.

Duluth, Sept. 3.—Jacob Meisman, a farmer residing on the outskirts of Superior, yesterday shot and dangerously wounded Jim Scott with the latter's own gun, after, it is alleged, Scott had undertaken to hold the farmer up.

GRAVES OF VETERANS

ARE MARKED BY GOVERNMENT STONES BEARING NAME AND RANK OF HEROES

SEVERAL HAVE BEEN PLACED IN OAKDALE CEMETERY THE PAST MONTH

Colonel Cobham Post No. 90 of this city through its officers has been instrumental in having seven new government head stones placed over the graves of the dead heroes who lie in the G. A. R. lot in Oakdale cemetary. There had been several recieved before so that now all in the cemetery here are provided for and about all of the soldiers graves of Polk county are already marked but if any of our readers know of any that are neglected, they are earnestly urged to report them. All of the expenses of the headstones are paid the government pays for the stones and the freight on same and the state allows $7.50 each for the setting of same. The law passed covering the above follows:

"Upon application to the quartermaster general of the United States headstones will be furnished for unmarked graves of soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the state militia or the army or the navy of the United States during any war or insurrection (including the Revolution) whether regular or volunteer and whether they died in the service or since their muster out or discharge therefrom. Headstones will be furnished also for unmarked graves of army nurses who had regular or volunteer commissions as such.

"The headstones are of the best American marble, 39 inches long, 12 inches wide and four inches thick, the top slightly rounded and the portion of the stone which will be above the ground when set is handrubbed; each headstone is inscribed with the name, rank (if above private) company and state regiment or other organization to which the deceased belonged, cut in relief with a sunken shield. No deviation can be made from these specifications which are prescribed by the Secretay of War and the law does not provide for any other purposes except for the headstones as above described; neither is it lawful to make any money allowance in place of furnishing a head stone."

"Headstones will be shipped by freight, prepaid by the government, to the nearest station or steamboat landing, they will be delivered to the street address or to the cemetery."

The graves of the following were those who were supplied with this mark of honor during the past month:

Civil War Veterans:—

A. Bancroft, Co. F. 30th Wis. Inf.
J. A. Miller, Co. K. 6th Minn. Cal.
C. P. Schmidt, Co. B. 9th Wis. Inf.
R. Brunner, Co. C. 2nd Minn. Inf.
E. Kempton, Co. K. 34th Mass. Inf.

Spanish War Veterans:—

Fred Remshardt, Co. G. 3rd U.S.Inf.
J. C. Hathaway, Co. G. 34th U. S. Inf.

WASHBURN HAS CLOSE CALL.

Wisconsin Town Is Threatened by Fire but Is Saved.

Washburn, Wis., Sept. 5. — The entire west end of the city had a close call from being completely wiped out by fire yesterday when four dwellings were completely destroyed and a dozen or more places were slightly damaged.

A heavy wind was blowing at the time and sparks from the fires kept a bucket brigade of citizens working hard to keep down the fires which were starting.

WIFE SAYS HE IS MURDERER.

Indian at Appleton, Wis., Charged With Killing Own Child.

Appleton, Wis., Sept. 5.—Elissa Anton, an Oneida Indian, was brought to Appleton yesterday, having been arrested on complaint of his wife and charged with the murder of his eighteen-months-old daughter. Anton is in jail here and will have his hearing to-day. He pleads innocence. Mrs. Anton alleges that on Aug. 31 her husband came home drunk and fell over his daughter on the floor, inflicting fatal injuries.

OPIUM JOINT LOCATED.

Police Raid Tough Negro Joints in Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 5. — An opium joint has been raided in Fargo. For some weeks the officials have been convinced that one was in operation in the negro section, but had been unable to locate the place till last night, when a raid was made. The discovery of the joint has increased the feeling against the tough element of the negroes. There are more tough blacks in the city than ever before.

Poisoned by Ham.

Sterling, Ill., Sept. 5. — Following the death a few days ago of her husband and oldest daughter of ptomaine poisoning, Mrs. Adam Lefever died of the same malady. The victims are believed to have been poisoned by eating tainted ham.

NO VERDICT IN MURDER CASE

CORONER'S JURY DECIDES TO WITHOLD IT UNTIL FURTHER INVESTIGATION

CORONER CHESTERMAN HAS CONFERENCE WITH JURORS AND OFFICIALS

From Friday's Daily—

Coroner Chesterman was over to E. Grand Forks last night to further investigate the case of the man who is believed to have been murdered and his body thrown in the Red River. He decided to accede to the wish of the jurors, East Grand Forks men to withhold a verdict until the case was further probed and the identity of the man established, if such a thing is possible.

Nothing has been heard from Eveleth but the officials are confident that the man is Kali Jokiaho, of that city. It is expected that something will be heard from Eveleth by today.

It is understood that the East Grand Forks police have secured a clue in regard to the mystery that may lead to its being cleared up, but they are carefully guarding their information. One reason that a verdict has been delayed is a desire to find out if possible who committed the crime before rendering it.

RETURNED AFTER STAY IN NORWAY

HENRY GRANUM WAS NOT CONTENT IN THE OLD COUNTRY

Two years ago Henry Granum who had prospered in business at Fosston and Plummer sold all his interests in this country and went to Norway with his family expecting to remain there and make his future home.

He purchased two farms on which he made many improvements and began the life of a well to do farmer. But he had lived in this bustling north west too long to be content with such an existence, and after two years of it he sold out again at a good profit and is back in Polk county looking for a business opening.

Mr. and Mrs. Granum were blessed with the birth of a daughter while in Norway, and Mr. Granum says he has now three American boys and one Norwegian girl.

TRY TO LYNCH GIRL FIREBUG.

She Confesses That She Set Fire to Hotel in Des Moines.

Des Moines, N. M., Sept. 3. — Because she confessed that she had set fire to the Central hotel here, in which thirty guests were sleeping, who barely escaped with their lives, Julia Moon, eighteen years old, was barely saved from lynching yesterday.

To save her life the sheriff spirited her away to Clayton.

KILLS BROTHER IN PLAY.

Wisconsin Boy Uses Gun With Fatal Result.

Tomahawk, Wis., Sept. 3. — George Krieg, sixteen years old, was shot through the heart and instantly killed by his brother Robert, aged eleven years. The brothers had their father's gun and the older boy in play was shot by his brother while they were out on a hunting expedition.

Would-be Duelist Arrested.

Stamford, Conn., Sept. 3.—Leo Dietrickstein, playwright and actor, was held for trial here yesterday on a charge of violating the anti-dueling statutes by sending Maj. Frederick Schavo a challenge to fight a pistol duel on Aug. 10. The challenge followed a personal encounter between the two men, in which Dietrickstein was thrashed.

Shopmen on Full Time.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 3.—Six hundred employes of the Missouri Pacific shops here, who have been working on part time since the beginning of the financial stringency, will resume on full time to-day.

Hurt in Collision With Corsair.

New York, Sept. 3.—G. S. Demarest, a passenger on the New Hampshire of the New Bedford line, was hurt yesterday when the vessel collided with the Corsair, J. P. Morgan's yacht.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

DEEP CRACKS FROM ECZEMA

Could Lay Slate-Pencil in One—Hands in Dreadful State—Disease Defied Remedies and Prescriptions—Suffered Seven Years.

FOUND A PERMANENT CURE IN CUTICURA

"I had eczema on my hands for about seven years and during that time I had used several so-called remedies, together with physicians' and druggists' prescriptions. The disease was so bad on my hands that I could lay a slate-pencil in one of the cracks and a rule placed across the hand would not touch the pencil. I used ——, ——, —— Skin Lotion, —— Remedy and others externally but I did not use any internal remedy, and while some gave partial relief, none relieved as much as did the first box of Cuticura Ointment. I made a purchase of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my hands were perfectly cured after two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of soap were used. I now keep them on hand for sunburn, etc., and use Cuticura Soap for shaving. I could write a great deal more in reference to my cure but do not want to take more of your time. William H. Dean, Newark, Del., Mar. 28, 1907."

CHILD SUFFERED
With Sores on Legs. Cured in Two Weeks by Cuticura.

"My little daughter suffered with sores on her legs all last summer. Her feet were sore, too, and she couldn't wear her shoes. I think she was poisoned by running through weeds but the doctor said it was eczema. I tried several remedies but failed to find a cure. Then I sent for Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her in two weeks. I find Cuticura the best I ever tried for any kind of sore and I hope I shall never be without it. Mrs. Gertie Laughlin. Ivydale, W. Va., Apr. 25, 1907."

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POLK CO. HOGS TOP NOTCHERS

TOM BJOIN SELLS CARLOAD OF HOGS AND SHEEP IN ST. PAUL

Tom Bjoin returned this morning from St. Paul where Tuesday he sold a carload of fine hogs and sheep at top prices, getting $6.60 per hundred for the hogs and $5.25 per hundred for the sheep. Mr. Bjoin got $125 more for his 34 hogs than he was offered here.

He complains of very poor shipping facilities. He shipped Saturday night expecting to get to St. Paul for the Monday morning market. However he was side tracked at Melrose for 35 hours and arrived at South St. Paul Tuesday afternoon after most of the buyers had left. He says the stock yards at Melrose are in such bad shape that he found his hogs and sheep running over the prairie Monday, and another shipper lost some of his stock which swam across the river.

PRECEPTRESS HAS ARRIVED

Miss Theresa Woodruff arrived at the State Experimental Farm this morning from Ames, Ia. Miss Woodruff will be preceptress at the school of Agriculture and arrived on the scene early to assist in preparing for the dedication services in connection with Stephens Hall on Sept. 17.

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POLITCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Theodore A. Thompson
Republican candidate for Register of Deeds of Polk county at the primary election to be held Sept. 15 1908.

Eric O. Hagen
Candidate for the nomination for County Attorney of Polk County on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept., 15, 1908.

John W. Sandberg
Republican Candidate for County Auditor Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept 15, 1908.

D. D. Horton
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary election Sept 15, 1908.

Henry J. Welte
Deputy County Auditor.
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County Auditor, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

J. O. RINGDAL
Candidate for republican nomination for Sheriff of Polk County at the primaries to be held September 15, 1908.

John P. Tuff
Candidate for Sheriff of Polk county on the Republican Ticket respectfully solicits your vote at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

George J. Flaten
Candidate for the Republican nomination as County Treasurer, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primaries to be held Sept. 15, 1908. Served as deputy Co. Treasurer for the past 6 years.

P. R. LAVIK
of Fertile, Minn., candidate for republican nomination for County Attorney

Orin Daniels
Republican candidate for Sheriff, Polk County, Minn., at the Primary election Sept. 15, 1908.

LAND OWNERS WELL PLEASED

NON-RESIDENT OWNERS OF VALLEY LANDS WILL HOLD THEIR VALLEY PROPERTY

HAVE BEEN WILLING TO SELL BUT TAKE THEIR LAND FROM THE MARKET

Since the beginning of harvest hundreds of thousands of acres of Red River Valley lands which have been on the market for the past few years have been withdrawn and are not for sale. This land was owned mostly by parties in Iowa, Illinois and Indiana and the returns owing to adverse conditions had not been up to expectations. Many of them however have been getting their farms in better shape and this year when they arrived on their annual tour of inspection the crops were so much better than they had anticipated in the face of abnormally dry weather during June and July that they have lost all desire to sell.

One of the men, John R. Mascall of Cambridge, Ill., who is heavily interested near this city, has withdrawn all of his land located within 10 miles of this city, or practically done so, as nothing less than $60 will buy an acre of it. He says that land that will produce a big crop when properly farmed with practically no rainfall, will be selling for $75 and $100 per acre in the course of a few years.

Another party, J. H. Helm a big land dealer of Colfax, Ia., is also here and has withdrawn his Polk Co., land from the market for the same reasons He has been selling Texas lands mostly for the past two years, but on his present trip noted such a splendid improvement which has come with better farming methods, more diversified farming etc., that instead of selling any lands he has, will purchase more.

This is a fair indication of the general improvement of the feeling that exists generally among outside investors. Instead of wanting to unload badly, as has been the case for the past few years, they are taking their land off the market and looking for more.

MINERS TO RESIST CUT.

Employes and Operators Meeting in a Joint Conference.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 5. — The Montana coal miners and operators met here in joint conference yesterday to arrange a wage scale for the ensuing year. Little was accomplished save organization and the appointment of a conference committee. It is understood the miners will resist the cut in wages which the operators are said to desire.

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ORVIS HINDS
Candidate for the Republican nomination for County Surveyor, Polk Co., Minn., at the Primary Election Sept. 15, 1908.

M. R. HUSSEY
Candidate for the republican nomination for commissioner of the 3rd district at the primaries to be held on September 15, 1908,

EXPRESS HORSES TO SEATTLE

FANCY DRAFT HORSES TRAVEL ON REGULAR PASSENGER TRAIN TO SEATTLE

6TH CAR THAT BIG SEATTLE CO., HAS SHIPPED—EXPRESS $650

From Thursday's Daily—

No. 5 failed to arrive this morning till noon, having been delayed by an accident to the engine at Evansville. The train was heavily loaded with passengers returning from the state fair and also had a shipment of 12 fine draft horses which were billed to Seattle by express from Chicago and were in charge of J. H. Powell and the horses were for the Sound Transfer Co., which also sells high grade draft horses.

The horses cost in Chicago about $500 per team, and are shipped by express to avoid delay and the greater danger encountered in shipments by freight. It costs about $55 per head to ship them by express, but they bring from $750 to $1000 per team in Seattle for heavy dray work. This is the 6th car that has been expressed west by the same company this summer.

21 ARE MADE LEGAL VOTERS

CITIZENSHIP PAPERS GRANTED TO LARGE NUMBER OF APPLICANTS

The Polk county district court was in special session the past two days grinding out citizens. The formula for becoming a legal voter in this country, is under the new law a very complicated and difficult proceeding compared with former laws. The present law is not yet at a stage of perfection, therefore many reconstructions thereof have been recommended by different authorities.

There were 21 out of the list of 23 who had served notice of application three months ago and appeared with their witnesses and received their final papers without any trouble.

They will not however be able to vote this fall as the law requires every voter to be a citizen 90 days.

This court for citizen making, convenes, in this city four times a year namely The first Tuesday in March, June, Sept., and December.

Following is the list of those granted papers:

Trygve Randers, Donald McDonald, Ira B. Fisher, Eric Johnson, Sibert Hauge and Wm. Grieves of Crookston.

Ole J. Brunstad, Olaf E. Wengaard, Eric O. Lunbhagen, Halvor O. Berstad Embret E. Jordet, Ole W. Olson, Cornelius Carlson, Halsten G. Johnson, Jorgen K. Haugen and Anton A. Aamot of Fosston.

David Todd and Joseph Balak, Homolka.

Emil Peterson East Grand Forks; Carl T. Lund, Lindsay; Nels E. Peterson, Fisher; Ommund J. Ramse, McIntosh.

ITALIAN DIES OF WOUNDS.

Man Stabbed in Chicago Brawl Succumbs to Injuries.

Chicago, Sept. 55. — Joseph Carlo, husband of Anna Carlo, known as the "Queen of Little Italy," died yesterday of three stab wounds inflicted, the police say, in a quarrel with Antonio Pottozo, a fellow Italian, Sunday night.

Carlo had taken part in ward politics and for a long time had been an enemy of Pottozo, who is now in custody.

MAY CONVENE SOLONS.

Shortage of Funds Makes Special Session of Legislature Necessary.

Idianapolis, Sept. 5. — Gov. Hanly held a conference yesterday with several state officials regarding the advisability of calling a special session of the legislature.

It is understood the reason for the call is that the state is short of funds.

BRUSH FIRE FATAL TO TOT.

Brother Puts Burning Child Under the Pump to Quench Flames.

Rhinelander, Wis., Sept. 5. — The four-year-old son of Chris Warner, an employe of the Rhinelander Paper company, was burned to death last night while playing about a burning brush pile near his home. His clothing caught fire, even the cap on his head blazing. An older brother dragged him to a pump and quenched the flames. The child died shortly after reaching his home.

Cokato Has Threatening Fire.

Cokato, Minn., Sept. 5.—The large barn belonging to A. P. Peterson caught fire from some unknown cause last night and burned to the ground before the work of the fire department became effective. The barn is a total loss, with no insurance. The entire town was threatened by a strong wind.

From Over The Valley

VETERAN CHARGED WITH MURDER IS PHYSICAL WRECK

With the charge of murder, on which he has once been convicted, but which conviction was set aside by the supreme court, J. B. Hazlett, a veteran of the Civil war and for many years of Sargent county, is in a pitiful condition. As a result of brooding over his troubles, he has become mentally unbalanced, while physically he is a complete wreck. It is hardly probable that he will ever again have to face a jury on the charge of murder. The murder of which Hazlett was convicted occured several years since, Van Buskirk, a carpenter, being the victim. The prisoner was sentenced to the state penitentiary for life, but asked for a new trial, which was granted.

FERGUS FALLS CREAMERY SCORES FIRST PRIZE

The Fergus Falls Co-operative creamery has secured first prize, a handsome medal, in the Gathered Cream butter scoring contest at the state fair. This is an honor worth securing, and shows that this section is capable of producing the best butter in Minnesota, while Minnesota produces the best butter of any state in the union. The exhibits are judged the week before the fair and are then placed on exhibition.

WHISKEY FATAL TO FIVE YEAR OLD GIRL

Wahpeton, N. D., Sept., 3—Sophia Schmidt, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schmidt, died from the effects of drinking about 6 ounces of whiskey. The child's mother had given her several drops of the whiskey in water as the child was ill, and left the bottle on the table while she went into the next room. The little girl picked up the bottle and drank about six ounces and died a few hours later.

HISTORY CONNECTED WITH THE PEMBINA TRAIL

Volume II of the Historical society collections will be published very soon. It will contain H. G. Gunn's account of the Selkirk settlement. Mc Leod's Journal, Captain C. J. Aitkin's log book and many other papers interesting to the students of North Dakota history. The book will be delivered to the members of the State Historical society about October 1.

THIEF RIVER FALLS MAY PURCHASE FAIR GROUNDS

H. N. Hager is offering 64 acres of land to be used for fair grounds adjoining the city of Thief River Falls for $2500, which is bounded on the west by the section line road running to Excel, Middle River and Greenbush on the east by the Great Northern railroad on the south by the quarter line. This is the highest, dryest and nicest piece of land near the city and the city is without a fair ground.

EIGHT HEAD OF CATTLE KILLED BY LIGHTNING

During one of the worst electric storms that has visited these parts this summer eight head of cattle belonging to Ole Breckenstrand of West Valley were struck by lightning and killed last Sunday night. The cattle were standing along the fence in the pasture and they were all killed at the same time.—Argyle Banner.

SCORING OF FERTILE AND RINDAL CREAMERIES

In the butter contest at the state fair for the gathered cream class, Henry Swenson, of the Fertile creamery, scored 93 and was eighth in the list, the first prize going to Adin Nelson, of Fergus Falls. W. Larson of the Rindal creamery was fifth with 93½.

POLK CO. MISSES WILL TEACH IN CLEARWATER CO.

Those aspirants from Fosston for teachers' certificates who took the recent examination at Bagley and succeeded in securing second grade certificates are the following: Anna Reierson, Alma C. Reierson, Clara Jesness Gea M. Asleson and Annie Berglund. Echo Herberg of Govick and Ragna Olson of Winsor were also successful.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed
Sold by all dealers.

Grand Larceny Charged.

New York, Sept. 5.—Edgar A. Whitney, a former agent for the Parkhurst society, who was identified with many crusades against police corruption here, was arrested on two charges of grand larceny.

EARLY MISSIONARY HOUSE THE LAST LANDMARK

The old Catholic church building which has done duty since 1878 at Walhalla, N. D. was bought on Saturday by Joseph Boodenstiner near that place who will move it out on his farm. The building is composed mostly of the native poplar cut on the river banks and sawed into boards and dimension stuff at the Mager sawmill. The sills are of native oak and are as sound as ever. Its removal will take away about the last of the old land marks from the townsite.

IRON RANGE CATTLE BUYERS IN EASTERN POLK

B. Bessette loaded two cars of cattle at McIntosh Wednesday for shipment to Hibbing for which he paid the following prices: milch cows $25 to $30 per head. Beef catttle, steers 800 to 1,000 pounds, $2.50 per hundred cows $2 to $2.25; bulls $2; running calves $2; sucking calves $3 per hundred. Mr. Bessette will be back there bettween the 20th and the 25th of next month for another bunch of stock.

MISCHIEVOUS LADS HOOKED WATER MELONS

A car loaded with water melons consigned to the wholesale house of Finch-Winslow-Carlisle company, of Thief River Falls proved quite tempting to a number of young boys of that city Saturday evening. The car stood upon the Soo right-of-way and about 100 melons were stolen by some fifteen boys. It is quite a serious offense to steal water melons up in this section, but a hew hundred miles south of here where they are raised it is different. The boys' fathers were called upon to settle and no arrests were made.

WEATHERHEAD RESIGNS NEW MEMBER APPOINTED

Jason Weatherhead of Ada, who has been a member of the state board of equalization for this district, last week resigned and Julius J. Olson of Warren has been appointed in his place. Mr. Weatherhead has made an excellent member of the state board but was a little too independent to please Gov. Johnson. The newly appointed member is a good man and we hope that he will follow in the footsteps of his predecessor.

FIRST MASTER MASON OF DAKOTA TER. IS DEAD

Capt. Geo. Egbert at Portland, is dead. The deceased was the first master Mason in the territory of Dakota. He was also one of the earliest publishers in Fargo. Prior to his coming the captain had lived in Pennsylvania and at Hastings, Minn. He was one of the early pioneers here and moved to Portland, Ore., in 1890.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Response Should Be Generous

Chisholm and the surrounding country has been visited by a terrible calamity. Chisholm is wiped off the map, only one business house, the new high school building and less than a dozen dwellings remaining. The settlers in the surrounding country have lost their all. The owners of homes in Chisholm carried but small insurance as the rates were prohibitive. The total loss in Chisholm is $1,500,000 and the estimated loss in Chisholm and the surrounding country $3,500,000.

This means that thousands of people need some aid until they get straightened around and get to work again. Gov. Johnson at once named a relief committee, and in a few hours over $10,000 was raised over the telephone.

In calamities of this kind the centers of population of the state should not wait till they are called upon. Every city should take the matter up voluntarily. Crookston should send in a contribution at once. Big amounts are not necessary if every community does its share. It should not be left to Duluth a nd other cities in the immediate vicinity to provide all the relief.

When humanity is suffering, the American people are generous. They are willing to give, but some person or organization must take the initiative.

Crookston should forward her share at once. $1 now will do more good than $10 a week from now. It is immediate aid that is imperative.

Representative Men For Legislators

The approaching Primary Election is close at hand, and every voter in Polk County, Minn., is vitally interested in who the successful nominees shall be. While this is true as regards all offices, because o fthe present critical stage of the development of this section of the state, far more than usual interest is centered in the manner of men who shall be selected by the Republican party for the State Legislature from the 62nd District.

It is a plain business proposition that is before the voters. As is well known under the present apportionment, Polk County has not as large a representation in the legislature as some other portions of the state, and as has been said, the only way to remedy this is to make up for the loss in numbers by sending men of recognized ability, men who take a broad view of public affairs, and forget their more important duties by adding some hobby, which they imagine will make votes, and who,, after election are not in a position to give Polk County proper representation when weighty legislation comes up for consideration.

J. H. Stair, the present Register of Deeds of Polk County, we believe to be one of the men best fitted for the place, and his past record as a public official, and the manner in which he conducts his private business bears us out in this statement.

A careful investigation of the manner in which the affairs of the Register of Deeds has been conducted shows, First,—That the office is costing the tax payers of Polk county no more than it did under former administrations. Second,—That the work of the office is kept strictly up to date now, while under former administrations it was almost always from two to six weeks behind. Third,—The people who have business in the Register of Deeds' office are unanimous in their commendation of the manner in which the work of the office has been conducted. Does not this very condition of affairs demonstrate that Mr. Stair has more than ordinary executive ability?

The man with experience, ability and integrity should get the support of every loyal citizen. t is results we want, and the man should be sent to the legislature who can get them.

The Journal approached Mr. Stair for a stateemnt in answer to the vicious attacks made upon him by the Vesterheimen, an unreliable and prejudiced sheet, issued and circulated solely in the interest of certain politicians. Mr. Stair stated that the attacks were worthy of no notice on his part, as the statements made therein were bare falsehoods, as are the methods used by the editor of that paper when he tries to accomplish anything, and that if he could not be elected as the result of clean politics he did not want to be elected at all. He was of the opinion that the voters of Polk county would pay very little attention to attacks from such a source.

HUNTERS FOR MARKET ARRESTED AT ORLEANS

Deputy Game Warden Munch has just completed the most clever coupe of the season, succeeding in breaking up a gang which had organized a system for the killing and shipment of game to St. Paul and Minneapolis for the market ,and the fining of one member of the outfit $70 and costs, and also landed a hotel man at Hallock, having him fined $20 and costs for serving game birds for dinner last Sunday.

Last Saturday Warden Munch received a tip that things were not as as they should be at Orleans, Kittson county, on the Soo, and within 48 hours he had the guilty men in court and their fines were paid.

It seems that T. W. Hugill, a young man of Orleans, was doing the shooting, and after some clever detective work in which Game Warden Munch posed as a hunter negotiating for the purchase of Hugill's bird dog. Hugill when cornered, confessed that he, on Sept. 3rd, had shot 7 prairie chickens and sold them to G. W. Lewis, the Soo agent at Orleans for 20 cents apiece. Lewis in turn sold them to Express Messenger McDonald who runs on the Soo to St. Paul, and could dispose of them for fancy prices to restaurants. Thus a complete system had been organized for a profitable fall's business, but it proved so costly that no one else will probably care to take the risk.

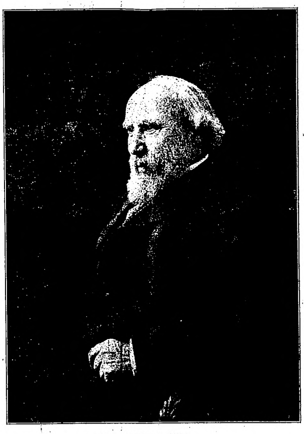
Game Warden Munch had but the one man, Hugill, arrested, on the agreement that Lewis and McDonald put up a portion of the fine, which they very readily did, and the matter will now be dropped and the total cost to the three is nearly $100, or $14.29 per bird, a rather expensive pastime. Hugill was arraigned before Justice Douglas Gardner Monday morning and entered a plea of guilty to the charge. Other shipments had been made, but the one was sufficient for a lasting lesson.

On his way to Orleans, Warden Munch took dinner Sunday at the Pacific Hotel at Hallock, operated by W. J. Newton, who located there from Canada but six weeks ago. Mr. Munch was given his choice between roast beef and chicken for dinner and chose chicken, thinking of course it was tame chicken. He nearly collapsed when he was served with the best portion of a prairie chicken. He paid for his dinner, and then asked if he could not have a half dozen chicken sandwiches put up. His request was complied with, and he lugged off the evidence. Monday on his return from Orleans he paid Host Newton a friendly call, hailed him before Judge N. B. Swanson of Hallock, where he entered a plea of guilty to serving game birds for charge, and was fined $20 and costs.

The sportsmen of the state will particularly rejoice that the scheme for the wholesale shipment of chickens to the cities was nipped in the bud, as an awful slaughter results when hunters make a business of killing game birds for the market.

The work of Game Warden Munch was very clever, and serves to create a most wholesome respect for the game laws by all hunters.

PROMINENT MEN AT STEPHENS HALL S'PT. 17



HON. JAMES J. HILL
Who will be the principal speaker at the dedication of Stephens Hall on Sept. 17

HON. ANDREW BOSS.
Professor of Agriculture and Animal Husbandry at the State Agricultural Experiment Farm at St. Anthony Park, one of the foremost authorities in the United States in that line who will attend the dedication of Stephens Hall Sept. 17.

HON. A E. RICE
Of Willmar, Member of the Board of University Regents, and member of the Agricultural Committee in the State Legislature.

PROF. JOHN T. STEWART.

HON A. D. WILSON
Superintendent of Farmers Instituates, and Assistant in Agriculture at the Agricultural Experiment Station, St. Anthony Park.

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From Over The Valley

SWEDISH OATS YIELDS HEAVILY.

B. S. Brynjolfson, of Grand Forks, experimented this year on his farm near Rugby, with a new kind of oats called Swedish oats, the seed having been imported by an eastern grower several years ago. Mr. Brynjolfson had a field of 21 acres of this oats this year, from which he threshed last week an average yield of a little over 70 bushels per acre, the oats weighing 41 pounds to the bushel. He will sell a part of the oats to those wishin gthe seed, but will keep 500 or 600 bushels for his own seeding next season.

FALL OPENING OF GRAND FORKS Y. M. C. A.

The Young Men's Christian Association of Grand Forks has entered upon what promises to be the greatest year of its history in the development of activities and in the enlarged scope of its influence. With four employed secretaries to conduct the work and with a building and equipment such as every young man and citizen of Grand Forks should be justly proud of, there should be an aggressiveness and forward policy which would start the association upo ma new era of usefulness and service in the community.

STATE INSTITUTION MAKE OWN CLOTHES.

The state board of control has decided to install a complete set of tailoring machinery in the St. Cloud reformatory so that the inmates of that institution may be able to make both their own clothing and also much of that for the inmates of the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. The plan has been successfully worked out at other places and is expected to be a great saving over the present system of purchasing the clothing from outside firms.

FERGUS FALLS LIGHT PLANT SHUT OFF.

Owing to repairs being made on the dam which furnishes the power for the operation of the electric light plant at Fergus Falls, it will be necessary to shut the plant down for at least six weeks, and the city will be without lights for that period.

Senator Knox Has Close Call.

Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 9.—Senator Philander C. Knox and son of Pennsylvania narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday when their automobile skidded and ran over a bank into a deep ditch. Senator Knox escaped practically uninjured and his son was only slightly bruised.

The more temper a man has the more he acts as if it was his wife's.

RED LAKE COUNTY BOY IS BADLY HURT.

Victor Mitchell, a young boy whose home is near Plummer, was brought to Thief River Falls Monday night suffering from a gunshot wound that had badly shattered his arm. He was raking hay at the time of the accident and had his gun on the rack with him. While sitting on the seat he attempted to pull the gun up to take a shot at a crow, taking hold of the barrel for that purpose. The piece was accidentally discharged inflicting a dangerous wound.

ST. HILAIRE FLOURISHING AMER. SOC. OF EQUITY.

The American Society of Equity which was organized at St. Hilaire last July, held its first regular meeting last week and elected the following officers:- N. A. Nelson, Pres.; P. O. Hagglund, Vice Pres., John R. Gottia, Sec. and Treas. The next regular meeting will be held the last Friday of this month, Sept. 25th.

PROMINENT RED LAKE CO. PIONEER DIES.

The death of Hans Hanson occurred at his home in the town of Bray last Saturday from paralysis with which he was stricken three years ago. His funeral was held from the Rev. Sand officiating, and the remains were laid at rest in the cemetery there. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.

Steamer Goes to Pieces.

Marquette, Mich. ,Sept. 8.—Caught in a gale on Lake Superior Saturday night, the steamer Hulburt was driven ashore near Whitefish Point early yesterday, and has since gone to pieces. Her crew was rescued by lifesavers.

Eight Hundred Die From Plague.

Shanghai, Sept. 8. — More than 800 deaths from plague are reported during the last fortnight at Amoy. Chefoo has been ravaged this season by the most virulent smallpox scourge on record.

Overwork.

Fast living, fast working, fast thinking bring their reward—sickness. Life's struggle becomes more and more intense as the twentieth century progresses. To equip yourself for the test you must have sleep, good digestion, steady nerves and a clear mind. These can be secured and maintained by the daily use of Golden Grain Belt Beer, the ideal table beverage. Being brewed of pure barley malt an dhops, it furnishes nourishment in predigested form and acts a sa tonic. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 6 In History.

1769—First Shakespearean commemoration begun; projected by David Garrick.

1805—Horatio Greenough, famous sculptor, born; died 1852.

1888—John Lester Wallack, actor, died; born 1820.

1901—President McKinley shot at the Pan-American exposition in Buffalo.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:20, rises 5:28; moon sets 1:33 a. m.; moon's age 11 days.

Sept. 7 In History.

1533—Queen Elizabeth born; died 1603.

1757—Marquis de Lafayette born; died 1834.

1819—Thomas Andrews Hendricks, Democratic statesman, vice president of the United States, born; died 1885.

1831—Warsaw taken by the Russians.

1856—Alexander II. crowned in Moscow; born 1818; assassinated 1881.

1904—Kuropatkin abandoned Liaoyang, retreating toward Mukden.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:19, rises 5:29; moon sets 2:47 a. m.; moon's age 12 days.

STOP A LEAK—Carl Lukkason was over from Grand Forks over Sunday, visiting his many friends. He is at present working in that city for Spriggs Bros. plumbers and steamfitters

JUST FOR A DAY—Guy Munroe arrived home this morning from the Minnesota State Fair and after spending the day here will continue to Fowlds where he will resume his work as a member of the "hustle" club.

BACK FROM IOWA — Harry Hitchcock, who has been visiting with an uncle in Iowa, arrived home this morning having stopped off for a few days at the Minnesota State Fair. He reports a very pleasant trip.

WILL HUNT GEESE—Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lake left this morning for a drive to Goose Lake east of Angus, where they will camp for three or four days and get a buggy full of geese. They will drive as far as Angus tonight and finish their journey tomorrow.

FINLAYSON IS PLEASED—Attorney Geo. Finlayson came over this mornng from East Grand Forks and spent the day with friends. Mr. Finlayson is very well pleased with the progress of his campaign, receiving much encouragement from all sections, and has been promised a big vote in the east end of the county.

When Trifles Become Troubles

If any person suspects that their kidneys are deranged they should take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and not risk having Bright's disease or diabetes. Delay gives the disease a stronger foothold and you should not delay taking Foley's Kidney Remedy.

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ROADS ELEGANT—E. W. Robbins drove Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Davies and F. R. Davies to Angus yesterday in his Buick car, Mrs. Davies visiting with Mrs. A. T. and Mrs. J. W. Campion while the Messrs. Campion went with the male members of the party for a chicken hunt. In the bombardment of one lone cock a fair sized grove was razed by the hail of shot. The cock is going yet. The party fears suit from the owner of the farm for willful destruction of his forest The party returned with, ah, well with a chicken any way but the number had not been agreed upon in time for publication today.

Will Interest Many

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Remedy is taken in time.

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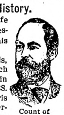
From Tuesday's Daily

Sept. 8 In History.


Count of Paris.

1560—Amy Robsart, wife of the Earl of Leicester, murdered by his order.

1894—The Count of Paris, head of the French royal family, died in London: born 1838. The Count of Paris was one of the Orleans princes who served on the staff of General McClellan on the peninsula in 1862.

1900—The city of Galveston devastated by a hurricane; 7,000 deaths and a property loss of $25,000,000.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:17, rises 5:30; moon sets 4:04 a. m.; moon's age 13 days; at sunset the year 5669 of Jewish era begins.

Men favoring Independence Party send names for free literature to R. B. Higbee, National Committeeman, St. Paul, Minnesota.

FRESH PORK—Julius Zacho, of Fisher town, brought a fine load of hogs to the city today, for which he received a good price. Mr. Zacho raises nothing but the best.

MORE HELP WANTED — Wm. Senske, of Nesbit town, is in the city today looking for more threshing help. His section of the county have been short of help all fall.

TYPE MAN—Herman E. Kent, representing C. I. Johnson Mfg. Co., the leading type and printing press concern in the west, spent Sunday and Monday in the city, interviewing the trade. Mr. Kent's home is in Sleepy Eye, Minn.

WILL HUNT DUCKS—W. M. Ferguson, theh Peters Cartridge man, accompanied by Dan Livingston, of Winnipeg, a brother of Mrs. Ferguson, left for the Ferguson cottage at Maple Lake this morning where they will spend a few days and hunt ducks occasionally.

FEELERS PINCHED — Henry O'Neil had a close call from losing two fingers while cutting barley last week. He missed his grip on one of the levers and got two fingers caught between a chain and gear wheel. The chain was running loose and he happened to have on a heavy glove which protected his hand sufficiently to save his fingers.

DEATH OF MRS. LISTON—The death of Mrs. John Liston, wife of ex-Alderman Liston, of East Grand Forks, occurred Sunday evening at 9 o'clock at a Grand Forks hospital, following a long illness of cancer. Deceased was 52 years of age. She leaves beside the bereaved husband two daughters and five sons to mourn her loss. The funeral took place at ten o'clock this morning from Sacred Heart church, East Grand Forks, of which Mrs. Liston was a devoted member.

AGED MAN DIES—S. R. Sweet, father of Mrs. Leslie Shadduck, passed away here last Thursday evening at the residence of his daughter and was taken to the family home at Alexandria for burial. Two of his daughters and his brother were with him at the time of his death. The old gentleman has been in failing health for some time ,and his death was not unexpected. The family have the sincere sympathy of their many friends here. — McIntosh Times.

Judge Watts this afternoon named the county board of canvassers to canvass the votes cast at the primary election. He named Chris Houston, and Judges McLean and Wilde, who will act with Co. Auditor Hoffard and Clerk of Court Lanctot. Chairman Rindahl of the board of county commissioners should act, but being a candidate for the nomination for sheriff, is disqualified, and Chris Houston was named in his stead.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
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FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 9 In History.

1087—William the Conqueror died; born 1027.

1513—Battle of Flodden; James IV. of Scotland, 30 of his nobles and 10,000 of his men slain.

1789—William Cranch Bond, American astronomer, born; died 1859.

1850—President Fillmore signed the act admitting California as a state.

1899—Dreyfus convicted and sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment.

1900—General Innis M. Palmer, U. S. A., retired, a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, died at Chevy Chase, Md.; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:15, rises 5:31; moon sets 5:19 a. m.; moon's age 14 days; 7:23 a. m., eastern time, moon full in constellation Aquarius; moon at Perigee, nearest earth.

BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Peterson became the proud parents of a daughter Sunday morning. Both the mother and the child are doing nicely.

AT BRALEYS SHOP:— Will Asselin has moved down from Warren and taken charge of one of the chairs in Braley's shop. Guy McMahon who has been at Braley's has gone to the Hotel Crookston shop.

BOY A BOUNCER:— Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bey of Duluth, are the happy parents of a bouncing boy born yesterday. Grandpa Joe and Uncle George LeBlanc are feeling quite proud over the new titles, this being the first opportunity to wear them.

CIVIL ENGINEERING—R. L. Judson has returned from a summer's strenuous work with George Radph's surveying crew, and will stay at home a few days before going to Grand Forks to resume his studies in the civil engineering department of the University of North Dakota.

JOHNSTONS HAD GREAT TIME:—Thos. Johnston Sr. and Jr. returned Sunday from an extended eastern trip also attending two conventions and a state fair. They reported a great trip and while at Columbus O., they met August George and were nicely entertained by him. Mr. Johnstone left again yesterday for St. Paul to attend a meeting of the fire experts to test some new apparatus purchased from the LaFrance Co.

ECKMAN IS BUSY :- O. B. Eckman of Roseau spent the night in the city and left this morning for points in Marshall and Kittson Co. where he will interview the voters. Mr. Eckman is making a good run for the nomination for the state legislature on the republican ticket in his district and from all reports he is meeting with much encouragement from all parts of the district. He was a member of the legislature once before when he made an excellant record.

BRINK GETS GOOD BERTH—Emil J. Brink, who has made Crookston his home for many years, left this morning for Duluth to confer with the wholesale liquor firm of I. J. Lamm & Co., with whom he has accepted a position on the road, and will hereafter adopt the "Superior Club" slogan. He will cover the territory in this section and will continue to make Crookston his headquarters. Mr. Brink is well and favorably known throughout this section of the country and Lamm & Co. could not have made a more popular selection. Mr. Brink is popular with the trade and the goods he sells are popular—making a very strong combination.

Yesterday afternoon the chairmen of the various committees appointed in connection with the celebration incident to the dedication of Stephens Hall at the State School of Agriculture on Thursday,, Sept. 17, met with the executive committee in the office of President Misner. The finance committee reported the amount of funds available and the various committees were apportioned the amounts necessary. From this time forward all the committees will be hard at work preparing for the big event.

A special committee was named, consisting of C. A. Hitchcock, and Thomas R. Johnstone to have charge of the conveyances and see that all visitors are driven to and from the farm.

The feature of the meeting of the city council last evening was the election of Frank Stainbrook as alderman from the Fifth Ward to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Alderman E. D. Leahy. After the reading of a petition signed by W. L. Sullivan and 50 other residents of the 5th ward, asking for the appointment of Mr. Stainbrook, the matter was at once taken up. Aldermen Harris, Hussey and Zarracher favored getting an opinion from the attorney general of the state, before taking any action, but they were outvoted and Stainbrook's election followed, he getting 5 votes, Isadore Bougie 2 votes, while one blank ballot was cast.

DELEGATES ELECTED

BIENNIAL DISTRICT CONVENTION OF MODERN BROTHERHOOD OF AMERICA

HELD HERE TODAY. WM. MILLETTE AND L. H. MINOR ELECTED DELEGATES.

From Wednesday's Daily—

The 9th Biennial district convention for the 9th congressional district was held here today by the Modern Brotherhood of America, in their hall in the Fournet Block, with 54 delegates in attendance.. The visiting delegates were welcomed by W. H. Norrie, who extended to them the freedom of the city and trusted that their visit would be both pleasant and profitable.

The convention met at 11 o'clock and got right down to business by the election of L. H. Minor, of New York Mills, and Wm. Millette, of Crookston ,as delegates to the supreme lodge, which meets at Davenport, Iowa, on Oct. 14.

The convention also decided to hold the next district convention at Bemidji in 1910.

State Manager W. E. Kinman, of Minneapolis, made a very fine address on fraternalism and was followed by the principal state deputy, L. E. Creighton, both of whom depart this evening for Cloquet to attend another district convention there tomorrow.

At three o'clock this afternoon the local lodge provided teams and the visiting delegates were all driven to the state Experiment Farm and the School of Agriculture, both of which were greatly admired. A splendid lunch was served there by Supt. and Mrs. Robertson.

This evening there will be a band concert at the corner of Fletcher and Main streets for the special benefit of the visitors.

The convention was a success in every respect. The order is growing with wonderful rapidity and is in a most healthy and flourishing condition.

The meeting today was presided over by Sam Gebeau as president, and A. A. Glenn acted as secretary, both being appointed by the state president.

Following is a list of the delegates who were present:

Moorhead, 394—Agnes F. Loudon, Nellie Stalley.

Warren, 638—Aug. A. Johnson, Joe V. Johnson.

New York Mills, 989—L. H. Minor.

Red Lake Falls, 601—Samuel Gibeau, Alexine Gibeau, Frank Brouillet.

Frazee, 2196—Margaret E. Borland.

Barnesville, 564—George Lamphere.

Detroit, 1226—G. A. Jones, A. E. Traver.

Fergus Falls, 468—T. O. Udbye, W. J. Libby.

Ada, 1269—Peter Matson.

Bemidji, 1523—C. M. Hammond, Minnie A. Carter, Joseph Bisiar, M. A. Clard.

Crookston, 595—Emma Rasmussen, W. H. Norrie, Mary Strader, Amanda Ofstad, Dr. H. E. Nelson, John Cash, (not present).

JENS ERICKSON BREAKS LEG

SEVERE ACCIDENT TO YOUNG FARMER BOY NEAR FISHER YESTERDAY.

TEAM RAN AWAY, DRAGGING HIM THROUGH THE FIELDS.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday while Jens Erickson, son of Martin Erickson, was driving a drag on his farther's farm four miles south of Fisher, the team became frightened at the sudden appearance of a sister, who was carrying lunch to the boy, and ran away.

Young Erickson happened to be standing on the drag at the time, and was thrown down, his leg was caught and he was dragged over half a mile, breaking the leg near the ankle and otherwise severely bruising him.

He was immediately brought to the Bethesda hospital in this city and his injuries attended to. He is resting quite easily today, but it will be some time before he will be able to be around again.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine.

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MAYOR MC'PHEE ACTS PROMPTLY

ISSUES PROCLAMATION CALLING FOR DONATIONS FOR FIRE SUFFERERS.

CHURCHES, FRATERNAL SOCIETIES, ANR GENERAL PUBLIC CALLED UPON.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. McPhee thoroughly endorses the attitude of the Journal in yesterday's issue, that immediate and generous response should be made to relieve the sufferings of the unfortunate people of Chisholm and surrounding territory which has been devastated by horrible forest fires which have been raging for the past few days and are still smouldering at the very edge of Hibbing and other range towns. Mayor McPhee last evening issued a proclamation asking for aid for the stricken people, and to which without doubt, there will be prompt and generous response. The proclamation in full follows:

Proclamation.

Whereas the city of Chisholm has been visited by a devastating fire which has wiped out the entire city, and in addition a vast territory has suffered terribly as the result of the most destructive forest fire which ever visited the state, it is incumbent upon us as citizens of Crookston to extend assistance to the extent of our ability at once to alleviate the suffering of our stricken brethren to as great a degree as possible, thousands of whom are homeless and penniless. I therefore call upon the people of Crookston to contribute to a relief fund as liberally as their means will permit, and mail or hand their subscriptions to President H. C. Misner, of the Crookston Commercial Club, who will at once forward the amounts to the relief committee which has been named by Governor Johnson to supervise the raising and expenditure of all relief funds.

I would suggest that special collections be taken up in every church in Crookston next Sunday, and where such a plan is agreeable a committee of two will be named for each church to take up such a collection. I would further suggest that all fraternal organizations take immediate cognizance of the calamity which has been visited upon members of their organizations, all of which are represented in the stricken region.

It is immediate relief that is necessary, and I urge upon all the necessity of contributing for the relief of these destitute people at the earliest possible moment.

J. D. McPHEE,

CHARGED WITH EXTORTION

OLIVER GRANUM OF THIS CITY IS ARRESTED AT MNOT, N. D.

DENIES HIS GUILT AND CLAIMS THE WOMAN WAS THE ONE MAKING OVERTURES.

From Wednesday's Daily—

O. B. Granum, representative of the Minot Daily Reporter, was arrested Saturday afternoon on a charge of extortion, preferred by Mrs. Nellie Markham, mother of Aelaine Markham, with whom G. L. Knapp was charged with running away from Northfield, Minn.

Granum is charged with attempting to get $10 out of Mrs. Markham in return for not publishing her name in the Minot Reporter and in the city papers that he corresponded for. Mr. Clark, publisher of the Reporter, heard on the streets that one of his men had tried to extort money, and he promptly began an investigation.

Mrs. Markham says that Granum approached her and said that unless she gave him $10 he would publish her name in connection with the story and Mr. Granum made the following statement:

"Mrs. Markham told me that she was willing to give anything if her name was kept out of the papers. I told her that as far as I was concerned I did not want anything, but I said that I might make arrangements with the other local papers, and did not know whether they wanted any money or not."—Minot Optic.

Thus according to Granum's story, the charge is false, and it may be that the woman is seeking a little cheap notoriety.

BOOSTS BEMIDJI IS A LIVE WIRE

Chas. E. Bangs, manager of the Bemidji Telephone Co., returned to his home Monday evening after having spent a few days visiting relatives and friends, and enjoying a successful hunt with dog and gun.

Mr. Bangs says the telephone business in the east country is growing and that a large force are constantly busy stringing new wires; that Bemidji is a "live wire" on the system; that if the telephone business is any criterion, Bemidji is growing to beat the band.

A CHAT WITH THE FARMERS

By F. S. Whirry, Manager of Crookston Creamery.

Does it pay to raise stock in the Red River Valley, or does it pay to keep on raising one crop and stay in the old rut all the time?

It all depends on whether or not you want to go ahead or back. You have found out if you raise only wheat where you go—you can't go any place. If you raise stock you will have to stay home and take care of it, and here is where the beauty comes in, the stock will produce the cash at all times, while on the other hand you will have to wait a year before you realize anything from wheat, and then it is a chance game, and you get tired of taking chances. Many a good man starved to death on takin gchances. While at the same time you might change your luck if you will give the old dairy cow a chance.

How many farmers have a few apple trees and a strawberry patch? You can just as well have them as go without. It don't take very much work to have these little luxuries. We don't need to go south to raise many different kinds of fruit. Raise them in the Red River Valley. We have got the soil. All we need is a little work, and we all know that we would enjoy picking apples of our own trees, or strawberries in our own patch. Ha-ha, Just think of it. How many have got them?

Did a farmer ever stop to think when he was eating fresh eggs what the ol dhen was worth on the farm and how little it took to keep hee? She hustles for herself from spring to fall and will hustle for you in winter if you give her good care. Many a grocery bill he hen has paid. You can raise her in the Red River Valley and many a chick she will raise for you, and nice young chickens don't make bad eating.

You generally find that a farmer who is making a success is stocked up along these lines. The cow, the chicken, the pig, is fed by his grain, and he sells his meat. A man that always has somethin gto sell is the man that always has money and can pay his bills as they accumulate. Wheat will pay your bills if it don't rust, get hailed out, drowned or frozen, and you have a streak of luck and save it.

Does it pay to leave the manure lying around your barnyard, instead of spending a month in the fall or spring spreading it over your fields? One thing sure, your place will look far better with everything cleaned up and everythin gin place and the field will produce more grain the next year, and your ground will naturally be more fertile, handle the wet weather better, and still stand more dry weather. But the cry is that there are so many foul seeds in the manure it don't pay to spread it over the ground. You shouldn't raise or feed foul seeds; that don't pay, either.

Here is the point; if you put the manure on your ground and plant corn, if you only raise fodder, it is good feed. But don't stop here. Put it into corn next year and you will still get fodder and maybe some good corn, and the next year you sow it to barley and seed it down. You will raise some clover the next year, and if the clover is a little light cut the first crop early and let the second crop go to seed, and the second year you will get a good stand of clover. It makes good hay and then you will have some good fall feed for your stock. Then turn this field over in the fall and the next year you can sow anything you like and you will get a good crop. Don't forget the corn. If there is any foul seeds plant it on the same ground, and yiu will get the same results—good fodder, if no corn.

In this way you will clean your ground from foul seed and live just the same, and at the same time you want to be getting in the dairy business and be milking fifteen good cows. They will make you the money you have long been looking for. Diversified farming is the only kind of farming for the Red River Valley or any other agricultural section. It is up to the farmer to figure to the best advantage in order to make a success.

$5,000 VERDICT IS SET ASIDE BY JUDGE WATTS

BIG VERDICT AGAINST THE GREAT NORTHERN GIVEN FRED MAGEAU WILL NOT STAND—JUDGE WATTS ALSO DENIES A NEW TRIAL IN VERY IMPORTANT FLOWAGE CASE AGAINST THE GREAT NORTHERN

From Friday's Daily—

Judge Watts has handed down two important decisions, one denying a new trial in the case of Block and Johnson vs. the Great Northern, a suit to collect damages for crops which they claimed had been ruined as a result of floods which they alleged were caused by the Great Northern grade daming up the water, and the other in the damage suit of Fred Mageau as administrator of the estate of his wife, Clara Mageau, deceased, in which the court set aside the verdict of $5,000 given the plaintiff by the jury and entered judgment in favor of the defendant.

The flowage case had been in court some time. At the first trial the plaintiffs secured a verdict giving them substantial damages and the case was of great interest as there were scores of similar damage suits which were to have been started if the plaintiff won. The Great Northern appealed and the judgment was reversed and a new trial ordered. On the second trial the defendant won, and the plaintiff argued a motion for a new trial which has just been denied. This will settle the entire batch of cases unless the plaintiffs take an appeal to the supreme court which is improbable.

The Mageau case has also been in court for a long time. Mrs. Mageau died in a hospital here of bloodpoisoning following childbirth. She had been in a wreck on the Great Northern at Barnesville enroute to Crookston a few months before and the suit was based on the claim that at that time she had received the injuries which superinduced bloodpoisoning The jury gave the plaintiff a verdict for $4,000 and the supreme court reversed the decision and a new trial was ordered.

The jury in the second trial gave the plaintiff $5000 damages, and it was a motion by the Great Northern to set this verdict aside and find judgment for the defendant despite the verdict of the jury, and Judge Watts granted the motion on the grounds that no stronger evidence had been introduced in the second trial than in the first, which the supreme court had held was not strong enough to justify the verdict which was smaller than the verdict on the second trial.

The attorneys in both cases were Messrs. Steenerson and Loring for the plaintiffs and Messrs. J. W. Mason and James H. Maybury for the defendant.

ANNUAL REPORT OF SUPT. CASEY

Supt. Thomas Casey of the Polk Co., schools has completed his annual report which is to be transmitted to State Supt. Olson and the figures will be read with much interest by those who are keeping close watch of the progress being make by Polk Co., in educational advantages. There are materially less low grade teachers employed than in years past, and the wages are correspondingly increased, which means that the pupils are getting better training.

The total indebtedness of the rural districts is remarkably low, amounting to but $20,000 while the bonded indebtedness of the independent districts is very low. The following report contains all the essential features:

Pupils	Indpen't Dist.	Common Dist.	Total
No. pupils entitled to apportionment	3219	4749	8016
No. pupils not entitled to apportionment	385	1158	1543
Total enrollment	3604	5955	9559
Average number of days each pupil has attended	134	73	
Teachers			
Number of men teachers	9	39	48
Number of women teachers	85	182	267
Average monthly wages of men teachers	$100.00	$48.00	
Average monthly wages of women teachers	$ 59.00	$40.50	
No. teacher graduates of High School	49	42	91
No. teacher graduates of Normal school	56	8	64
No. teachers attended H. S., Normal and college	9	120	129
No teachers teaching in district 3 years	30	30	60
Text Books			
No. of districts loaning text books free	4	174	178
No. of districts selling text books at cost		22	22
Average cost of text book loaning	$.58	$.14	
School Houses			
Whole number built	1		1
Whole number of school houses	15	210	225
Financial			
Aggregate indebtedness of all districts	$122722	$20632	$143354
Average length of school year	9m	6m	
Average rate of tax in Mills	24	7	

The moneys received and disbursed by districts is not enumerated by the Journal in this article but the aggregate of receipts and disbursements for all purposes amounts to $326,404.05

Administration

Total number of districts	215
Annual salary Co Supt.	$1500
No. of years in office	10
No visits made during year	200
No. of 3rd grade Certif. granted	25
No. of districts with less than 10 pupils enrolled	9
No. of districts with more than 10 and less than 20 enrolled	40
No. of school officers meetings held	1
No. school officers present	300
No. of Co. Ass'n meets held	2

Library and Arbor Day report included in Superintendent's annual report is not taken up in this article.

MIDSHIPMAN HAGEN HAS MONTH'S LEAVE

NINTH DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE IN NAVAL ACADEMY GETS VACATION

Midshipman O. O. Hagen arrived home yesterday morning to spend a month's vacation with his brothers and sisters in the city. Immediately on his arrival he joined a party and went out hunting prairie chickens.

Mr. Hagen is in his second year at Annapolis U. S. naval academy. During the summer the students are assigned to some battle ship for a cruise He has just concluded his on the Nevada and is given a month's leave. Mr. Hagen was appointed from this district after undergoing a rigid competitive examination. The term at the academy is four years, the graduates are then commissioned on a regular warship. Mr. Hagen enjoys his work very much and is making a creditable record.

FRIENDLY CONTEST FOR TREASURER

TWO DEMOCRATS WERE NOT AWARE OF OTHER MAN'S INTENTION TO FILE

There is a friendly contest on for the democratic nomination for county treasurer of Polk county. Nels Peterson of the Bank of Crookston filed just before 6 o'clock on the last day upon which candidates could file and H. L. Hanson of Hill River, who did not know of Mr. Peterson's filing sent his filing in by mail so that two men are in the race. The two are in the race but the contest is entirely a friendly one.

Hospitality often looks suspiciously like a mild form of insanity.

People always think they can afford to do a thing that's of no use to them.

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CAN REMAIN OFF CLAIM

SECRETARY OF INTERIOR HANDS DOWN IMPORTANT DECISION IN LAND CASE

AFFIRMS GENERAL LAND OFFICE AS TO THREE MONTHS' LEAVE OF ABSENCE

From Thursday's Daily—

In a suit involving a quarter section of land in the Devils Lake land district the secretary of the interior has declared that the three months leave of absence granted to settlers during the winter of 1907 applied as much to those who were not on their claims when the order was issued as to others. Notice of the decision came yesterday to State's Attorney J. B. Wineman, attorney for the defendant in the suit of Lauro B. Mapes vs. E. T. Leake. The contest was instituted a year ago last March. The defense set up that the three months' resolution passed by congress gave the settler the right to absent himself for the three winter months and the contest should not lie. The Devils Lake land office decided in favor of Laura B. Bates.

Decision Is Final

An appeal was taken to the general land office and there the decision was in favor of Leake. The contestant appealed to the secretary of the interior and the decision of the general land office was affirmed.

The decision is very important, as it affects a lot of cases that are pending in the land offices of the state.

TALES FROM CHICKEN FIELDS

MAJORITY OF THE HUNTERS HAD GOOD AVERAGE SPORT THE FIRST TWO DAYS

ONLY ONE OR TWO PARTIES RETURNED WITH TALES OF WOE

The hunters of this city as a rule returned to the city after the first two days with good average bags of game While very few made any great killings practically all of them had good fair shooting. The confirmed game hogs, of course, are never exactly satisfied but those who are content with a good mess of birds and who want to see enough of every covey get away to preserve good shooting for future years, are satisfied.

25 and 2

C. L. Skaug, J. F. Anaker and A. O. Anderson hunter northeast of the city and returned with 25 chickens and two ducks. They raised five coveys one of which had not been shot into before and got ten out of the 14 birds. They could have cleaned the balance but wanted to leave a few for seed.

30 Birds in Two Days

J. J. Kelly and Fred Harris returned last evening from a hunt between the Soo and Great Northern east of Hallock, and had a fine bag of 30 chickens. Kelly's dog worked fine and Fred had a retriever which came in mighty handy in locating birds shot in the brush. They have managed to get considerable advertising for their goods out of the trip by claiming that they used Conrad's coffee and LaZinda cigars in place of shot the second day.

Blankety-Blank

Tom Morris hunted all day and returned with a fine face full of disgusted wrinkles and two tired dogs. Out of respect to the feelings of his companion we will not mention his name.

Landed 9

Messrs. W. E. Rowe and Oscar Halvorson hunted a portion of yesterday and got 9 birds.

Claimed 70 in two Days

Messrs. C. O. Longley and O. E. Erickson hunted two days and are boasting of a bag of 70 birds. They were in such a hurry on their return that they failed to state what the current rate of discount was. 75 per cent will probably do in their case.

59 Birds in two Days

The hunting party consisting of Harry Chesterman, John Cowley, Marcus and Merriam Stephens returned last evening after a two days' hunt near Beltrami with 59 birds. They got 47 the first day and 12 the second. Their five dogs worked fine and they are all well pleased.

Had 21 Birds

Leon Filiatrault and George Brunner returned to the city yesterday noon from a short hunting trip, with 21 fine plump chickens as a demonstration of their prowess. The boys not only know where to find the birds but are able to stop them when found.

Brought Home 38

Walter Stone and Albert Barrette returned last evening from south and southwest of the city where they hunted two days, with 38 birds. Their dogs worked splendidly and both are proud of them.

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CLIMAX FLOUR MILL SOLD

BRASETH BROS., SELL FLOUR MILL AT CLIMAX — WILL RETIRE

From Friday's Daily—

Ole and John Braseth who built and have been for several years operating the flour mill at Climax have disposed of the same to Marcus and August Gilbertson of that place.

The Braseth brothers have been continually improving their plant since it was built and as they are both practical millers, the new owners have secured a good piece of property.

A week ago Aug. 27 the dam was partially destroyed by the floods that suddenly came down the Sand Hill River, but the damage is being repaired and the mill will be in operation again in a week.

The new owners are enterprising young men and will keep up the reputation the institution has enjoyed in the past. Ole and John Braseth have not fully decided what they will do, but for the present will take a well earned vacation and rest.

PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOTS SENT OUT

TOWN CLERKS NOTIFIED THAT BALLOTS FOR PRIMARY ELECTION ARE READY

County Auditor Hoffard is today sending notices to the various town and village clerks that the primary ballots and supplies are about ready for distribution. The clerks living within ten miles of the county seat are notified to call at the court house in person on Thursday Sept. 10th. To those living beyond this will have the supplies sent to them by express or registered mail leaving the office on Tuesday Sept. 8th.

COLBY PUNISHED FOR HIS TRICK

YOUNG MAN WHO DID DISAPPEARING TRICK IS PLACED IN JAIL

Sheriff Nelson of Red Lake county was at Fertile Saturday and took Harry Colby back with him. Harry has got himself into trouble at Plummer where he was working in the printing office by walking away in a mysterious manner creating a sensation and taking some property belonging to Editor Chas. Latta. Harry cuts up some queer capers at times and it is believed by many that he is not just right in the upper story.

PIONEER'S REMAINS LAID TO REST

FUNERAL SERVICES OVER LATE WM. WELCH WERE HELD THIS MORNING

The funeral services over the remains of Wm. Welch were held this morning at 9:30 from St. Mary's church, Rev. Fr. Smiers officiating. The church was taxed to its capacity by friends of the deceased who was a pioneer of Crookston, and whose charity and big-heartedness had endeared to all who knew him. Beautiful floral offerings were sent to the residence. Short services were held at the grave in the Catholic cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Dan and P. S. Hughes, Duke Jewell, N. B. Moran, Allan McKinnon and John Gorman.

POLK EXHIBIT IS STUNNING

The Polk Co., Exhibit at the state fair is attracting much attention and the city papers have referred to it many times. The Minneapolis Journal of yesterday says:

"One of the most stunning is the Polk county booth, with its rich, red hangings. Everything the state fair management has asked for relative to grain in the sheaf and threshed grain is shown. In spite of its far northern situation, Polk county sends some fine looking apples and other fruit of excellent quality."

Both Unfair

Wheelock's Weekly: The prohibitionist who lives in the country and wishes to decide whether liquor shall be sold in each village and city or not, is as unfair as the saloon men who live in towns and wish to decide whether liquor shall be sold in the country districts or not.

MONEY SHIPMENT FROM EUCLID WAS STOLEN

MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE OF CASH WHICH GREAT NORTHERN EXPRESS CO., SHIPPED FROM EUCLID ON WEDNESDAY EVENING—ENVELOPE HAD BEEN SLIT OPEN AND THE CASH EXTRACTED—AUDITOR JOHNSON IS INVESTIGATING THE AFFAIR—NO TRACE OF MONEY AND NO SUSPECTS ARRESTED

Great Northern Express Co., officials are greatly mystified over the disappearance of a shipment of cash from Euclid last Wednesday evening. The express messenger signed for the package which contained bills, but later discovered that there were no bills in the envelope for tho the seal was unbroken, the envelope had been slit open with a knife, and the bills extracted.

There is no evidence as to when the money was extracted, but it is generally supposed that some crook did the job either while the train was standing at Euclid or just before it arrived while the agent at Euclid was busy getting ready for the arrival of the train.

Traveling Auditor Johnson spent yesterday afternoon at Euclid trying to untangle the case, but has been unable to discover when the money disappeared.

The employes at the local express office were silent as mummies regarding the affair, and Express Messenger Norrie is out on his run today. The amount is a considerable sum.

THRESHERS ALL HUMMING

GRAIN FINE AND DRY AND NO DAMAGE WAS DONE BY RECENT RAIN

SOIL MOIST AND IN FINE SHAPE FOR THE FALL PLOWING

From Thursday's Daily—

Every threshing machine in the Valley is humming today. The rain of last Sunday was not nearly as heavy north of here as in this vicinity and many of the threshing machines were at work Tuesday afternoon. Yesterday the majority of the balance started and today every machine is running full blast. The weather coming off cool after the rain, with good breezes prevailing, soon dried out the grain, and no damage was done worth mentioning.

On the other hand the rain benefitted the farmers immensely by putting the soil in fine shape for plowing and many farmers have their plows running now. There will be more early stubble plowing this fall than has been seen in the past ten years and conditions will be ideal for seeding next year.

PLEASED OVER FRIENDS SUCCESS

THE WISCONSIN PRIMARY ELECTION INTERESTED MANY CROOKSTON PEOPLE

The nomination of Burt Williams editor of the Ashland Daily News as candidate for Lieutenant Governor on the democratic ticket at the recent primaries in Wisconsin, is pleasant news to Mr. E. Moeckel of this city. Mr. Williams and Mr. Moeckel were close friends during the latter's residence in Ashland. They served four years together on the city council until Mr. Williams was elected mayor which office he has held for ten years. Mr. Moeckel states that Mr. Williams will add great strength to the ticket in northern Wisconsin.

FIND BODY OF S. THAYER BASS

REMAINS OF ST. PAUL MAN WHO DROWNED MONDAY HAVE BEEN RECOVERED

Word has been received that the body of S. Thayer Bass drowned in Cass Lake on Sunday afternoon was recovered today by Dixwell Thompson and E. S. Oakley who were in a row boat. Their dragging hook brought the body to the surface.

The body was removed to the local morgue and will be taken to St. Paul this evening. The body of the other man has not yet been found.

Can't Afford Him Now.

Lily Bell—No, Rufus. Ah cain't marry yo' jest yet awhile. Y'll hab to wait. Rufus—Why for mus' I wait, Lily Bell? Lily Bell—'Cause three of the families mammy washes for done quit her, an' now she sca'cely makes 'nough to support me an' paw.—Judge.

The Source Told All.

"What'd Jimmy give yer fer yer birthday?"

"This here brass ring."

"How'd yer know it ain't nothin' but brass?"

"He give it ter me."—Cleveland Leader.

There are nettles everywhere, but the smooth, green grasses are more common still.—Mrs. Browning.

BUSINESS ON LAKES GOOD

COAL AND ORE COMING AND GOING AT DULUTH AND SUPERIOR

NORTHWESTERN COAL DEALERS ARE SLOW IN RELIEVING DOCK CONGESTION

From Thursday's Daily—

Everything is moving nicely at present on the Great Lakes.

Coal is coming into port in great quantities, and the coal docks have begun to creak and groan under their heavy load. Coal shipping out from Duluth, however, has been slow up to this time, and if the companies in Dakota and other Western points do not get busy and do their ordering soon, the coal carrying industry will have to stop and the vessels confine themselves to one way cargoes.

Ore has been going down the lakes at a great rate. Shipments to both the Great Northern docks at Allouez, and the Missabe docks have been increased. Things are so rushed that captains will not wait for loads, but pull out and take no cargoes at Two Harbors and Ashland, rather than hang around waiting for a dock. A great many wild boats are engaged in the ore and coal trade, and since they started, about a week ago, every one has been successful in landing cargoes.

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PAYMENT WAS VOLUNTARY.

F. W. CLIFFORD OF MINNEAPOLIS CREATES DIVIDEND FOR DEPOSITORS

The comptroller of the currency yesterday notified Grand Forks creditors that he had declared a supplementary dividend of one and thirty-five hundredths per cent in favor of the creditors of the defunct Grand Forks National bank of that city. The comptroller states that he has been enabled to pay this dividend by the voluntary payment to his office by F. W. Clifford of Minneapolis, of the sum of $4,371.27 being the amount of principal and interest to June 1, 1908, on his note for $2,500 to the bank.

The Grand Forks National Bank failed in 1904. A total dividend of five and eight-tenths had been paid before the voluntary contribution from Mr. Clifford. He is a former resident of Grand Forks, but now has extensive interests in Minneapolis.

For Coughs and Colds

There is a remedy over sixty years old—Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Of course you have heard of it, probably have used it. Once in the family, it stays; the one household remedy for coughs and hard colds on the chest. Ask your doctor about it.

"I have had pneumonia three times, and Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has brought me safely through each time. I have just recovered from my last attack, aged sixty-seven. No wonder I praise it."—E. V. HIGGINS, Stevens Point, Wis.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

Ayer's Pills increase the activity of the liver, and thus aid recovery.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Sept. 3 In History.

1588—Richard Tarleton, most noted English comedian before Shakespeare's time, died.

1752—New style in the calendar adopted in England.

1877—Louis Adolphe Thiers, French statesman and ex-president of the republic, died; born 1797.

1907—"General" Pleasant Porter, chief of the Creek Indian Nation, at Vinita, I. T.; born 1840.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:25, rises 5:25; day's length 13 hours; moon sets 10:43 p. m.; moon's age 8 days; 3:50 p. m., eastern time, moon at first quarter in constellation Scorpio; midnight, planet Mars at aphelion, farthest from sun.

CORRALLING THE VOTES—John Tuff was out on the east line the past few days, and is up north today inter viewing the voters. He feels very optimistic of winning out in the sheriff nomination contest.

CUTTING LATE BARLEY—W. McLean of Buffington is in the city today seeking the offered opportunity. He reports that his binders are now busy cutting late barley, and that he will get a pretty good yield, of good grade

LENGBYITE HERE— George Lillo one of the substantial young business men of Lengby is spending a few days in the city visiting with his sister Mrs. O. N. J. Hagen. Mr. Lillo deals extensively in wood.

MAKING REPAIRS—The Northern Pacific carpenter crew is here with their cars, making needed repairs to the depot warehouse and platform. The increasing business at this point should be an inducement to the Northern Pacific to build a new depot.

DIED SUDDENLY—Mrs. A. Toutant received the sad news yesterday of the sudden death of her mother Mrs. Charles Clausen at her home in McCloud, Canada. Mrs. Toutant is not well and unfortunately will be unable to go to her former home to attend the funeral.

THRESHING IN DAKOTA — Bert Teal who is with a threshing rig at Park River N. D., took advantage of the rain stopping threshing to run over to Euclid to visit with his family a few days. He came down last night and proceeded west this morning.

OFF FOR ATTALIA—On the first and third Tuesday of each month, the Attalia Development Company is conducting popular excursions to the choice fruit and farm lands of Southern Washington, starting from Minneapolis. Fare will be refunded to all purchasers of these lands. Write at once for full details to R. C. Dahlhjelm Manager, 225 Railway Building, Minneapolis.

HAD FINE TRIP—Albert Harris and wife arrived in the city this morning for a day's visit at the home of his father Alderman T. A. Harris. They have been down to the twin cities to take in the state fair, and returned via Duluth and Bemidji where they made short stays. They will return to their home at Devils Lake tomorrow. Mr. Harris is railroading at the latter place.

BEMIDJI P. M.—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Erickson of this city returned last evening from Minneapolis where they spent a few days attending the state fair. Mr. Erickson attended the Scandinavian Sangerfest in the Auditorium in Minneapolis when Scandinavians met from all over the country. Mrs. Erickson proved up in Duluth last Friday on her stone and timber claim in St. Louis county.—Bemidji Pioneer.

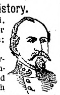
A NEW "NORTHWEST"— James Stewart of Key West was in the city yesterday, completing all preparations to start a new Northwest threshing machine today. The machine was purchased from S. L. Collins and is one of the best machines to go into the fields this season. Mr. Stewart has a long run ahead of him. The farmers know that Mr. Stewart with a Northwest will give them a good clean job and none of the grain blown into the straw stack.

SECURED BAIL—Friends of Peter Scherer of E. G. Forks who was held to the grand jury on the charge of receiving stolen property secured the amount necessary to furnish bail, $100 and deposited it in the First State bank for that purpose. Cashier Nelson offered a cash bail for that amount and he was released yesterday. The hearing will come up in the municipal court at East Grand Forks on Tuesday next.

Yesterday Chief Eck picked up a man named Johnson, but who is known as "Bemidji Slim" who was wanted at Bemidji for jail breaking. Slim was doing a sentence of 60 days there and was a "trusty" but on Sunday last he got an opportunity to slip away and ducked out of town. He was taken back to Bemidji this morning and will be given an additional sentence for his fool-hardy trick.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Sept: 4 In History.



General J. H. Morgan.

1758—Chateaubriand, French philosopher and traveler, born; died 1848.

1864—John Hunt Morgan, the noted Confederate raider, killed in a night skirmish at Greenville, Tenn.; born 1826.

1888—Cyclone in Cuba; 1,000 lives lost.

1907—Dr. Edvard Grieg, famous Norwegian musical composer, died at Bergen, Norway; born 1843.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:24, rises 5:26; moon sets 11:27 p. m.; moon's age 9 days.

FINISHING CONTRACT— Messrs. Will Walker and Heng went to Angus this morning where Mr. Walker is constructing the finest two room school house in Polk county.

SECOND BODY FOUND—The body of Mr. Harris, the other unfortunate young man who was drowned at Cass Lake Sunday was found late yesterday afternoon and was prepared for shipment to his home at St. Paul.

FORMER YARDMASTER — Alec Lakey a former yardmaster of the local G. N. yards, greeted friends at the depot this morning while enroute from the fair to his home in Cando, N. D., where he is at present conducting a successful machinery business.

OLD TIMER BACK—Frank Jerrue one of the old timers of Warren passed thru the city this morning enroute to his old home town from Pasadena where he is now located having left Catalina Island where he was first located.

VISITING BROTHERS—Edwin H. Bjoin has arrived from Rice Lake, Wis., for a few days visit with his brothers Ole and Thomas. The latter arrived from a trip to St. Paul yesterday and Ole will return from the state fair tomorrow. Yesterday E. H. Bjoin enjoyed a chicken hunt with Martin O'Brien.

HERE FOR FUNERAL—Wm. Hillgrove and wife of Bemidji came in from Bemidji last night to attend the funeral of the late Wm Welch. Mr. Hillgrove is a brother of Mrs. Welch and a former resident of Crookston He has been doing very well since going up into the country of big timber.

MANAGER BANG HERE — Chas. Bang, manager of the Bemidji telephone Co. arrived in the city, and left immediately for a hunt. This is his first visit in three months and says, it seems good to get among friends again. He reports Mrs. Bang and the baby as very well.

ADVANCES ON ENEMY'S TERRITORY—Candidate E. O. Hagen took the north train this morning and will spend a few days in Euclid, Keystone, Tabor and Angus, in the interest of his candidacy for Co., Attorney. These towns are the old home neighborhood of George Finlayson, where as a bare foot lad he herded cows, licked the other fellow for making goo-goo eyes at his best girl and played ball in the pasture.

LIESURE WELL EARNED—One of the substantial citizens of Climax a retired Vineland farmer is spending the day in the city attending to business matters. Mr. Nelson is one of the sturdy pioneers of the west country and is now enjoying a well earned life of ease. His sons are managing the farms and have had a good crop this year.

WELL KNOWN R. R. MAN—Ed. Welch was a passenger west on number 5 to Grand Forks where he goes to meet his folks who have been visiting friends in the west. They will be in Crookston in a few days to make a visit. Mr. Welch for a great many years had charge of the water supply on the Great Northern but left here 12 years ago and is now living at Mankato. He is the Superintendent of Bridges and Buildings for the St. Paul Division of the St. Paul Minneapolis & Omaha road.

A railroad mass meeting has been called to meet at Germantown, Marshall county on Saturday Sept. 5 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The meeting has been called for the purpose of considering a proposition from the Minnesota Air Line Railway company of running the proposed road to be built from Thief River Falls to Roosevelt by way of Germantown. W. F. Hunt, the president of the new railway company will be present at the meeting in person and talk the matter over with the farmers. It is understood that Mr. Hunt will ask for a free right-of-way thru the town of Grand Plain.

Beats Woman; Robs Home.

Duluth, Sept. 5.—Mrs. David Doresier of Cloquet was beaten and robbed by an unknown man at her home yesterday. Her husband is a mill worker and was away at the time.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 5 In History.

1750—Robert Ferguson, Scottish poet, born at Edinburgh.

1902—Professor Rudolph Virchow, celebrated German pathologist, died; born 1821.

1904—The main army of Japanese crossed the Taitse and attacked the Russian rear at Liaoyang.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:22, rises 5:27; moon sets 12:26 a. m.; moon's age 10 days; moon lowest; moon at descending node, crossing sun's path downward; 11:46 p. m., moon in conjunction with planet Uranus, passing from west to east thereof

LOST—Black and white setter bitch. Dog Tax No. 3 Crookston on collar. Liberal reward for return of same. P. O. Box 1012 or telephone 396.

A GREAT EXHIBIT—Geo. F. Carpenter returned this morning from St. Paul where he went to attend some business matters and also took in the state fair. He says the big show was the best ever and the crowds attending of gigantic proportions.

THE BEST EVER —Henry Tiedt has returned from a very pleasant trip to the twin cities and says the big fair was simply immense. He specially enjoyed the great racing programs.

WERE DISAPPOINTED — Thru misunderstanding the date of his stop at Crookston on his way from Grand Forks south, a number of Fosston democrats were disappointed in not hearing William Jennings Bryan speak here Tuesday night.

FINAL HEARING—The final hearing of the estate of the late John J. Johnson of Garden town was held in the probate office today. M. G. Peterson appeared as administrator and closed the accounts.

MICHIGANDER — Wm. Hughes is back at his post after a three weeks' vacation spent among relatives, back in his old Michigan home. Mr Hughes is the U. S. postoffice inspector of this district with headquarters in Crookston.

BACK FROM OLD HOME—Pat Lee returned this morning from Kellogg, Wabasha Co., near which place is the old Lee homestead where Pat has been visiting. He has been gone nine months and is glad to get back to Crookston.

A REMEMBRANCE — J. C. Sabin has returned from a visit to the State Fair and brought home several fine souvenirs one of which must have cost him at least $25. Dad says the fair was a great place for a man both good looking and popular.

TURNING OUT WELL—Pat Lealos from over west in the Red River country is spending the day in the city, shaking hands with his many old friends and telling them of the good times coming when himself and all his neighbors have marketed this season's good crop.

FARMER WHO STACKS — Julius Radi is in from Fisher town today. He reports stacking all done, and his teams are turning over the soil for the next year's crop. Mr. Radi believes in stacking, some of his teams have been plowing for the past two weeks.

BRIGHTENING UP THE TOWN— Eugene Bray has returned to Fertile after a couple of days spent with his family here. He has a number of painting contracts down there that will materilly improve the appearance of the town when completed.

FERTILE POLITICS — H. L. Gaylord of Fertile, the sage of southeastern Polk County, was in the city yesterday attending to some legal affairs. Mr. Gaylord is well informed on the political situation in his parts and isnt slow in stating his opinions. He says Editor George will get the solid vote from his section and that he is running very strong through other parts of the county.

OLD MAN UNFORTUNATE—Wm. Simpson of Sciway was on his way to the North Dakota threshing fields when near the city one of his horses died of the colic. A neighbor hitched his team to the Simpson wagon and helped him along. Mr. Simpson is over seventy years old but still strong and robust.

BOUGHT FINE FARM—Messrs Martin Moe, a cousin of O. K. Berget of this city and G. M. Williams, both of Osage, Ia., have been spending the past few days in the city and left last evening for their home intending to spend today at the Minnesota fair. Mr. Williams' brothers have just bought the Farron farm near Fisher and they are much pleased with it and conditions generally in this section.

MEETING THE VOTERS — Atty. George Finlayson, candidate for the Republican nomination for county attorney is spending the day in the city calling on his friends and boosting his candidacy along among the voters of this city and vicinity. He reports that he is meeting with much encouragement from all parts of the county as he is the only candidate for office from Western Polk county which he, with his friends think is entitled to at least a little consideration.

EXCELLENT WEEKS SPORT

PRACTICALLY ALL THE CHICKEN FIENDS ARE WELL SATISFIED

MANY PARTIES WILL TAKE TO THE FIELDS TOMORROW FOR DAY'S SHOOT

From Saturday's Daily—

The sportsmen of the Red River Valley and many from the cities who came here to hunt have enjoyed a very good week's sport. As predicted prairie chickens are more plentiful than for many years and practically every hunter has had from fair to good shooting. Nearly all have been out for a day or two but some few will hunt tomorrow for the first time, and parties have been formed for scouring the country in all directions.

Quite a number of ducks have been bagged, but many more will be shot now that the chicken fever has to some extent had its run.

A Regular Menagerie

Theodore Neiers the Euclid merchant returned home this morning after spending a night in the city on business. He says his partner, Peter Stuhr, accompanied by Dr. J. S. Chapin and Chas. Habbick spent Tuesday hunting with about five dogs and returned in the evening all petered out with two crows, a mudhen, one skunk a jackrabbit and two ducks too young to fly which showed evidences of having been caught by the dogs. They were also accompanied by ravenous appetites and a superabundance of bad humor.

The New Gun O. K.

Oliver Johnson, the feed man, was hunting with his brothers-in-law the Tedmanson brothers north of Fertile had fine luck and brought home a good bag. The new gun he says, worked to perfection and he would not sell it for twice the purchase price.

Telephone Magnates Afield

Managers Bracelin of Crookston and Bangs of Bemidji with collector Will Nelson were afield yesterday, trying to "ring up" a few prairie hens who have been roosting on the wires They brought in a fine bunch of chickens.

Mac Got a Few

Angus McDonald and Ray Foote were at Beltrami and got a bag that made all their former Crookston friends envious. They stayed right on No. 5 and took them home to East Grand Forks.

Argyle Sportsmen

Dr. H. C. Stuhr and party brought in the most chickens for the first day's hunt 47 birds in all. Vick Tiedt and party scored second with 41 birds and W. S. Robertson and party third with 31 birds, but we haven't heard from Dad Daniels and John Ryan yet. If they ever get back we expect to hear of an awful slaughter.—Banner.

Steve at Middle River

Big chief "With-the-Eye" decamped off the north-bound train here Tuesday equipped with all the accoutrements of war against the feathered tribe and in company with Knute Nelson has since been shooting holes in the air to the discomfiture and occasional death of the prairie hens.—Pioneer.

Got a Goose

Dr. R. B. Foster, Albert Bergh and Sigurd Lade were among the Fosston hunters who went into the country north of that town for chickens, or any old game. Bergh and Lade came in Wednesday night with good stories —and the game to prove them, Sigurd being happy in the possession of a large wild goose as part of his share of the spoils of the hunt.

Hunted at Mud Lake

Ralph Lycan and Charles Gould two of the local high school boys, returned this noon from Thief River Falls where they spent a day hunting ducks while visiting Gould's uncle. They returned with twenty fine ducks after securing the full limit and leaving the remainder with friends at the "Falls" and in Crookston.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Ashland Sees Smoke.

Ashland, Wis., Sept. 5.—Dry weather and high winds have started forest fires here and there. There is considerable smoke observable from Ashland at several places, and it is possible that there will be trouble.

Frost in Indiana.

Indianapolis, Sept. 5. — Frost last night is reported from many points in Central and Northern Indiana.

Farmer Takes "Rough on Rats."

St. Paul, Sept. 5.—Gus Friburg, a farmer from Boyceville, Wis., died at the city hospital this morning from the effects of swallowing some "rough on rats," which he took in a saloon near the union depot in the afternoon. Friburg said he was despondent over the loss of forty acres at Boyceville and he did not want to live.

Meet Next at Tacoma.

Boston, Sept. 5. — Tacoma, Wash., was selected as the encampment city of 1909 by the United Spanish War Veterans in session here.

TOLD HARD LUCK STORY

T. J. KELLY WORKED CROOKSTONITES WITH A VERY SAD TALE IN WHICH

HIS WIFE, HIRED MAN AND THE WOODSHED PLAYED PROMINENT PART

From Saturday's Daily—

Many people of Crookston were worked for all the way from a quarter to $1 yesterday by an individual who said his name was T. J. Kelly and claimed to be a farmer owning from 3 to 5 quarter sections of land near Climax.

His mthod was to approach some business or professional man whom he claimed to know and to have done business with and feigning great distress asked to be directed to a good attorney, one in whom he could place perfect confidence. Then he would grow confidential and confide his troubles. He said he was nearly distracted over his wife's conduct and told a story in which his wife, the hired man and the woodshed played the leading roles.

He appeared just about overcome as he reached the climax of his story and would ask his hearer for a dollar either to get his dinner with, get his team or some other necessity, and he would pay it back as soon as he got his checks cashed, when he sold his wheat or some old time, but really he was too broken heated to know just what to do till he made that small loan.

In most cases he got the dollar, half dollar or a quarter, and left with protestations of deep gratitude. He called on many business and professional men and nearly all stood quietly and were milked. He called at the home of a preacher. The preacher was not in. He was attending a missionary tea but his wife telephoned him to come home and give counsel to one in deep distress. The minister came home on the double quick. Grafter Kelly told his tale and the minister was deeply moved. When Kelly reached the dollar chapter of his story however, the minister grew suspicious. He told Kelly that ministers were long on advice,, but short on cash, but offered to go to the livery stable and go good for the team. Kelly hedged. He said he did not like to ask for the team unless he had the money. When questioned closely he did not know exactly which livery stable his team was in and finally shambled off.

Kelly is above medium height, wears black coat and no vest, wide light colored hat and brassy looking watch fob. His hair is slightly gray and hands show signs of toil.

He has not been seen today and it is probable that he made tracks after his harvest yesterday. No such man resides near Climax according to several men from Climax who were here last evening.

POLK CO. MADE FINE SHOWING

FOR BEAUTY EXHIBIT RANKED WITH THE VERY BEST OF THEM

The committee of awards on county exhibits at the Minnesota State Fair yesterday announced their decision, and while Morrison County landed first prize for the northern counties, Polk made such a magnificent showing attracted so much attention and received such unstinted praise from all who visited the fair that Polk county residents have been paid a hundred fold for the trouble and expense they went to, and the committee in charge, consisting of J. M. Stephens, J. H. Stair and Magnus Lundberg have earned the most hearty thanks from the people of the entire northern part of the state for the splendid advertisement they have given this section. Polk County got started late and competed with counties which have sent exhibits for years, and in the face of all this received unstinted praise from the twin city press and those who attended the fair, scores of whom thought the exhibit from Polk the finest there.

COMES PREPARED TO MAKE HOME

J. L. Thompson arrived in the city last night with a car of stock and farm implements from Rossville, Ill. and is busy today moving the same to th eold Reyer place three miles west of the city. Mr. Thompson together with Silas Hand have purchased this fine farm and will move with their families onto it at once. Both gentlemen are well to do and have been successful farmers in their native state and will no doubt make a success of the fine farm they have purchased.

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DR. REA
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BIG BUGS ARE CAUGHT

DEPUTY GAME WARDEN MUNCH AND STAR BAD BOY MAKE KILLING AT MAHNOMEN

THREE WERE ARRESTED AND FINED—TWO LOSING GUNS—HUNTED TOO SOON

From Saturday's Daily—

Deputy Game Warden Wm. Munch of this city and his assistant, Star Bad Boy of Mahnomen made a good haul yesterday. Warden Munch arrested F. K. Gregg, superintendent of schools of Mahnomen for hunting last Sunday and he was brought before Judge A. G. Shulind of that place and fined $10 and costs.

Star Bad Boy arrested K. M. Richardson and E. C. Mitchell both employes of the General Electric Co., of Minneapolis for hunting ducks at Twin Lakes last Sunday. They were brought before the same judge and fined $12.50 each and lost their guns. They were at Twin Lakes for their annual outing but could not keep their guns in their tent till the season opened.

The wardens are not letting up because the season is open but intend to keep tab on all the hunters and see that no more than the legal amount of game is bagged. Many special deputies have been sworn in and a hunter never knows when he is going to run into one when he is afield.

NO SHORTAGE ON GREAT NORTHERN

PLENTY CARS TO HANDLE THE CROP.—DULUTH STORY IS A FAKE.

There is no shortage of cars on the Great Northern lines in North Dakota, according to Great Northern officials For weeks the Great Northern has been getting cars up on its sidetracks on the main and branch lines in anticipation of the heavy grain movement. Now that the grain is going out in good shape there is no shortage of cars.

According to a Duluth newspaper there has been somewhat of a shortage of cars there the last few days. In local railway circles it is believed that this shortage is only temporary, if any really exists, and it will be relieved when the wheat shipments pour into the Zenith City.

N.A. BRAY, POPULAR AND AGGRESSIVE CANDIDATE

Thirty Years Residence Here Makes Him Strong With The Business Men,

Farmers, And Young Voters Of The County. Has Made Splendid Campaign.

The campaign before the primaries is rapidly drawing to a close. On Tuesday next the members of the various parties will select their candidates at the primaries. The campaign has been the most remarkable in the history of Polk county, and in some instances the voters are apt to be confused by the over abundance of candidates. In deciding whom he shall support, however, the voter has really an easy task if he will but stop and consider who by his general fitness, past record, and success in private business will probably give the people of Polk county the best service.

Interest in Sheriff's Office.

General interest centers in the contest for the republican nomination for sheriff. One of the number, Napoleon A. Bray, has made a most spectacular campaign. Polk is a pretty big county, but he has covered practically every corner of it. He considers one man's vote as good as another ,and has catered to no particular element. He wants the support of all classes of people, as if he is nominated and elected he intends to serve all classes of people alike, and no special faction, ring or clique.

An Old Timer.

Mr. Bray has been a resident of Polk county for the past 30 years. He is a self made man in every sense of the word, having worked himself up in the clothing business

from the bottom of the ladder by close application to business, extending uniform courtesy to all and special favors to none. It is along exactly the same lines that Mr. Bray is conducting his candidacy for the nomination of sheriff.

As a Business Man.

When Mr. Bray engaged in business for himself his success was phenomimal. He gave everybody a square deal, and the working man was given the same treatment as the customer of affluence and wealth. All people looked alike to Mr. Bray, and he soon had an enviable reputation for absolutely fair dealing. He is a man of the people.

Public Spirited Citizen.

Polk county does not contain a more public spirited citizen than N. A. Bray. He has always been a "booster" and was never called upon to contribute for any public enterprise but what he responded liberally, and what is more, cheerfully. He was always ready and willing to do his full share in any movement to build up Crookston and Polk Co., and no man in the county has given more according to his means, and very few as much.

Aided the Deserving.

Mr. Bray was also invariably liberal in aiding the unfortunate. No hungry man ever applied to Nap Bray for a meal but what he got it. No man who had suffered a misfortune of any kind asked him for help that he did not get it. No movement was ever started to assist a worthy cause that he did not contribute his full share. And over and above all he was ever charitable to the faults and errors of others , preferring to believe it the result of carelessness or accident rather than intentional wrong doing. He is charitable in every sense of the word.

Would be Competent.

Mr. Bray's business experience would make him exceptionally competent to discharge the duties of the office in a satisfactory manner. He knows human nature, and under his guidance the affairs of the office would move along without the least friction.

Absolute justice to all would be assured, and no one would have any special "pull."

In Sympathy With Working Class.

Because, Mr. Bray has always worked himself, he is in hearty sympathy with the people who have to work for a living. He has always mingled with them, and very naturally has a very strong following among them in his candidacy for sheriff. Mr. Bray will draw support from all classes for the reason that he appeals to all classes.

A Clean Campaign.

Mr. Bray has conducted a clean campaign. He has engaged in no mudslinging, and believes that those who have done so, hurt themselves more than anyone else.

Mr. Bray has never been a candidate for office himself before, though he has taken an active interest in every campaign, and when called upon was ever willing to take off his coat and work for the deserving candidate. This fact will also add to his strength, as the common people do not like to see a man exhibit his first interest in politics just when he happens to want a political job himself.

A Strong Candidate

Thus it is, that Mr. Bray, drawing his strength from all portions of the county, is a very strong candidate, and it is generally predicted that he will not be found wanting when the votes are counted.

Republican Party, for Sheriff

Mark your Ballot Thus:

NAPOLEON A. BRAY	X

A BIG FIRE NEAR HOLMES

PRAIRIE FIRE SWEEPS OVER IMMENSE TERRITORY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

PASSENGERS ON N. P. TRAIN SEE 20 HAYSTACKS BURNING AT ONCE.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The passengers north bound on the Northern Pacific train from Holmes Station yesterday afternoon were treated to a rare sight in recent years, a section of prairie ten miles long and about five miles wide a mass of flames. The fire was fanned by a high wind, travelled at the speed of a race horse, and the loss will be heavy, as at one time over 20 haystacks could be seen burning.

Despite the heavy rain of a week ago, the winds have dried the grass to reasonable tinder, and it burned fiercely. Detailed information as to losses is not obtainable, but from the train women and children could be seen fighting to save their homes and property.

Two hours before a freight train was standing at Holmes, and at that time there was no sign of fire. It is supposed the fire was started by sparks from the engine of the northbound freight train, and in two hours had devastated a territory of about 50 or 60 square miles. Late last night the fire could be seen from here, still raging, with the entire heavens to the east and southeast lit up by the conflagration.

IN A CLASS BY ITSELF

SPECIAL GOLD MEDAL TO BE AWARDED TO THE POLK COUNTY EXHIBIT.

CONSIDERED THE MOST ARTISTIC SHOWN AT THE STATE FAIR.

From Monday's Daily—

The committee of awards at the State Fair was so impressed with the artistic exhibit of Polk county that a special gold medal has been awarded this county and will be made as soon as possible. This will be a magnificent advertisement for Polk county and J. H. Stair who returned this morning is highly pleased. The full details of the awards will be given upon the return of Messrs. J. M. Stephens and Magnus Lundberg, who are expected tomorrow, having remained to pack up the exhibit which will be returned for exhibition on Steph ens Hall dedication day, Sept. 17.

TRI-STATE GETS TELEPHONE PLANT

TOOK POSSESION ON SEPT. 1ST. SAY THE SYSTEM IS TO BE IMPROVED

The Tri-State Telephone company has purchased from J. M. Bishop, thelocal telephone system and toll lines secured by Mr. Bishop from H. Fant last winter. The new owners took possession on Tuesday, Sept. 1st. Geo. L. Sterns is to be resident manager of the system and is already in charge.

PORTO RICO IS SHAKEN.

Earthquake Causes Alarm Among Residents.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Sept. 8.—An earthquake shock was felt yesterday afternoon. The people of the city were very much alarmed, and many of them rushed from their houses into the street. There was no repetition of the quake and calm was soon restored. No material damage was done here.

Makes Record Flight.

Paris, Sept. 8. — Leon Delagrange, president of the Aviation club of France, established a new world's record with his aeroplane at Issy yesterday, both for length and duration of flight. M. Delagrange remained in the air for 29 minutes 54 4-5 seconds and circled the field fifteen and one-half times, covering a distance of 24,727 meters, or about fifteen miles and a quarter.

Sargent's Body Cremated.

Washington, Sept. 8.—Following a brief service here yesterday afternoon, the body of Frank P. Sargent, late commissioner general of the bureau of immigration, who died Friday, was cremated. The ashes were placed in a silver casket and will be sent to Philadelphia to-day, where the funeral services will be held.

Ethel—Sometimes I really think seriously of remaining unmarried. Maud—Think only? Why, I imagined you worried about it.—Town Topics.

BREAK LAW AT MAPLE LAKE

HUNTNG DUCKS ON THE LAKE AFTER DARK WILL DRIVE FOWL FROM WATER.

SHOOTING WILL BE RUINED AS IT HAS AT DEVILS LAKE AND OTHER PLACES.

Reports have been received to the effect that several parties of late have been hunting ducks after dark on the waters of Maple Lake, and as this is strictly against the law some one will be nabbed if the practice is not stopped at once.

No true sportsman will hunt ducks after dark on any lake. If they persist in it, the duck shooting will be completely ruined in a very short time. The duck hunting at Devils Lake used to be fine, but hunters persisted in hunting after dark from launches, floating blinds, sunken barrels, etc., till now you could not drag a duck to Devils Lake with a yoke of oxen.

The law is very strict on this score, and the penalties very severe, and the following extract from the game laws are given as a warning to those who are not conversant with the law:

"Sec. 27.—Shooting after dark—sink boats, etc. No person at any time shall hunt with or shoot from any boat canoe or contrivance or device whatever on any of the waters in this state between dark and daylight ,and no person shall at any time make use of, hunt with, or shoot from any floating battery, sink boat, sunken barrels, boxes, tubs, floating blinds or any similar device whatever, on any of the waters of this state."

The penalty prescribed for any violation of this section is from $10 to $50 fine and costs or from 10 to 60 days in the county jail.

THREE BICYCLES WERE STOLEN

OWNERS SHOULD NOT LEAVE THEM ON STREET IN THE EVENING.

Last evening three bicycles owners reported the loss of their wheels to Chief Eck. They were all taken from the street last evening ,and no trace of any of them has yet been found.

Chief Eck warns all bicycle owners against leaving their wheels standing outside buildings at this season of the year, as a stranger might take a wheel in front of their eyes without danger of suspicion as an officer has no means of telling who the bike belongs to.

EXCELLENT YIELD OF DURUM WHEAT

Nelson Brothers, near Harold Station, just south of Crookston on the N. P. in the Town of Fairfax, have just completed threshing 1485 bushels of Durum wheat from 45 acres, an average of 33 bushels per acre, and the quality of the wheat is excellent.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and the merit alone will stand the test of time

Crookston people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills they do still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne, of 322 Spendley St., Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying backache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

HORSE THIEF IS LANDED

TEAM STOLEN FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS WAS SOLD IN CROOKSTON YESTERDAY.

THIEF LEFT CITY BUT WAS ARRESTED ON SOO AND JAILED TODAY.

From Tuesday's Daily—

This afternoon about 2:30 Robert Kolseth was arrested a few miles north of Thief River Falls along the Soo tracks, and at once landed in the Thief River jail charged with horse stealing.

The details have not yet been received here. This morning Chief Eck received a letter from Thief River Falls describing a team that had been stolen there last Friday. Chief Eck got busy, and found that the missing team had been brought to Bjoin & Carlson's livery stable last Saturday afternoon by a stranger, who sold them Monday morning with the wagon and harness for $100 to Contractor H. McKinney and got the cash and then disappeared.

Chief Eck telephoned back that he had the team located ,and the Chief at Thief River Falls told him Kolseth had just been arrested and lodged in jail. The owner will be down this evening to recover the stolen team.

Had the Thief River authorities notified Chief Eck last Saturday or Sunday, he would have landed his man easily ,and had a cool $200 coming from the state for the capture. Tough luck.

DRAINAGE ON THF STATE FARM

PROF. JOHN T. STEWART WILL INVESTIGATE EFFICACY OF THE WORK DONE.

Prof. John T. Stewart, who occupies the Chair of Engineering at the Minnesota School of Agriculture at St. Anthony Park, and who was in charge of the tile and open ditch dranage work at the Experimental Farm, arrived yesterday and will remain at the Experimental Farm till after the dedication of Stephens Hall. He will thoroughly inspect the drainage work done, and its efficacy, and also make further plans for additional work to be done. The system at the State Farm here is ideal, and the splendid work it does was splenddly illustrated following the torrential rainfall of a week ago last Sunday, the land all being nice and dry but a few hours after the rain ceased, even in the low places.

ALL ARE PLEASED WITH STATE FAIR

Many from this city and vicinity returned home yesterday, and this morning from the Minnesota State Fair, and without exception all are greatly pleased with the great fair, the biggest in either the United States or Canada, and all were specially proud of the magnificent Polk county exhibit which was, without question, the most artistic there, and was so designated by the committee on awards as well as by all the thousands who inspected it. Among those who have returned are Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leick and son, Byron, Mrs. G. S. Chesterman and niece, Miss Florence Secord, of Grand Forks, S. D. Felsing, L. W. Larson and son, Mrs. W. E. Handy, Miss Alice Handy, Gilbert Hage, J. H. Peterson, J. R. Rasmusson, Elmer Ellington, Milburn Griffiths, Harry Hitchcock and Guy Munroe.

KEY STONE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eiselman, Mr and Mrs. Charles Bauer of Cissna Park, Ill., Mr. Valentine Wick, of Morton, Ill., and Mrs. John Landes, of Stephen, were visiting at the homes of Simon and Samuel Aeschliman and John Gerber last Friday.

Mr. Henry Horn drove to Grand Forks last Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Switzer and Mildred Gerber ar eon the sick list.

Mr. Joseph Aeschliman is suffering from another attack of appendicitis. Dr. Dryden of Euclid was called severa ltimes and Joseph is doing nicely. He thinks there is nothing so terrible as to be kept in the house during threshing.

Mr. B. C. Kook, of Freemont, Ill., is in this vicinity again.

Mr. Sullivan of East Grand Forks was out in an auto last Monday.

RAILROAD EMPLOYES

THE RAILWAY EMPLOYEE'S PROTECTIVE ASSO. MOVEMENT IS ADVANCNG.

THROUGH THE ENTIRE NORTHWEST—BIG MEETING IN ST. PAUL.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Considerably more than four hundred employees of the Omaha and Great Northern railroad companies met in Odd Fellow's Hall, Fifth and Wabasha streets, St. Paul, last Tuesday night to consider and take action looking to furthering the organization of a Minnesota branch of the Railway Employee's Protective Association, which was started some months ago in Nebraska, and is now extending its usefulness through nineteen other states. The meeting Tuesday night was an outcome of the one held at Bowlby hall on Sunday afternoon, August 16th, and was a decided success in the number present, the nature of the proceedings and the action taken.

Opposed Reduced Wages.

The meeting was called to order soon after 8 o'clock by J. W. Collins, of the Great Northern force, who acted as chairman and stated the purpose of the gathering. Mr. Collins stated that representatives of all the roads leading into St. Paul and also the committee appointed at the Bowlby meeting had been invited, the purpose being to take action in accordance with the conclusions reached at that meeting.

Cause of Depression.

He pointed out that on account of the depression resulting from the reduction of freight rates the railroads were suffering and facing the necessity of reducing the wages of their employees. He stated further that freight rates had been reduced some 18 per cent, and living expenses of the men who worked for them had gone up more than 15 per cent; that their service for the railroads had enabled the men to get good living wages, become possessed of homes and find some considerable enjoyment in life, and that now the men ought to stand by the roads in the emergency of the latter, because the roads were asking only for a fair deal, and that was all the men wanted.

More Branches in Sight.

This movement is not confined to the southern part of the state alone, as we find that Conductor Steve Withey of Crookston has for the last two or three weeks been working on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific in Northern Minnesota and North Dakota with a view of organizing local branches of the Railway Employes' Protective Association, and one club was organized at Crookston a week ago last Sunday.

Mr. Withey returned from Grand Forks Saturday afternoon, and reports that he met with great enthusiasm there. A meeting has been called for Sunday afternoon, September 13th, at Grand Forks, for the purpose of organizing another branch of the Railway Employes' Protective Association, and between four and five hundred employees of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railways are expected to attend.

All Employes Interested.

This is not a movement that is confined to the employees of the Great Northern Railway alone, but the employees of all the lines in the Northwest join hands in the project, as they see the necessity of concert in action.

Several speakers from St. Paul will address the meeting at Grand Forks Sunday afternoon, and the same parties are due to talk at a meeting of the employees here the same evening. The local club is progressing very nicely, there being a steady increase of membership, and the work is progressing along lines outlined at its organization.

STEPHENS HALL DEDICATION

Prof. and Mrs. John T. Stewart, of St. Anthony Park, and their niece, Miss Lena Wilson, of Paxton, Ill., arrived yesterday and are the guests of Supt. and Mrs. Wm. Robertson at the State Farm to remain till after the dedication of Stephens Hall, Sept. 17. The ladies will assist Mrs. Robertson in the preparation for the big event, and Prof. Stewart who occupies the Chair of Engineering at the Minnesota Agricultural College at St. Anthony Park, will attend to official duties at the Experimental Farm in connection with tile and ditch drainage.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

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MORE MEETINGS ARE HELD

Historical Society

MOVEMENT AMONG THE RAILWAY EMPLOYES CONTINUES VERY SUCESSFUL.

CLUB AT GRAND FORKS ORGANIZED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

From Monday's Daily—

Another branch of the Railway Employees Protective Association was organized at Grand Forks yesterday afternoon, there being about 600 employes present. Mr. Withey, who returned from Grand Forks this morning, states that the meeting held at that place was one of the most enthusiastic at which he has ever been present, and with the showing the employes made Sunday afternoon, they may have cause to feel that, with concert in action, they may be able to better the condition under which they are laboring at the present time.

The meeting at Grand Forks was called to order at 3 p. m. by Mr. S. Withey, who had been instrumental in getting the organization under way, and after a preliminary address the election of officers took place, resulting as follows:

Martin Mayer, a passenger conductor, for President.

B. S. Skibness, engineer, Vice President.

W. S. Weber, ticket agent, Grand Forks, Secretary and Treasurer.

An executive committee composed of 16 members selected from the several branches of the service was also appointed.

Mr. Thomas Grace, of Grafton, addressed the meeting, touching upon the leading questions before the rail way employes at the present day and something like 20 local members expressed themselves as to their views in the premises.

Representatives from Fargo, Larimore, Devils Lake, Minot, and different points in North Dakota also addressed the gathering, giving their views of the situation and made suggestions for remedying same. As a whole, the meeting at Grand Forks is considered a great success among the railway employes. The movement is not only confined to the Great Northern, but the employes of all the lines in North Dakota were represented.

Mr. Kjorsvik, the secretary of the Railway Employes Club of this city, has a communication from Barnesville stating that another club was organized at that point last Sunday, but the details of its organization has not been received. However, a full report is expected by tomorrow, when it will be published.

An executive meeting of the Crookston Railway Employes Club was held in the waiting rooms of the Great Northern depot here, yesterday afternoon, when definite plans as to its policy were outlined, and same will be carried into effect immediately. The meeting was addressed by several out of town speakers and the club is highly elated with its success up to the present date.

Mr. Withey, who has been instrumental in getting the Railway Employes Clubs under way, will leave for the Range Country, and the Great Lake District Wednesday, and he expects that all the Railway Employes in Northern Minnesota will be organized before the coming election.

BELTRAMI COUNTY COURT BEGINS

The September term of court began at Bemidji yesterday with Judge C. W. Stanton presiding.

Judging from the calendar the term will be a comparatively long one, as there are seventeen criminal cases and seventy-seven civil cases.

The cases occasioning considerable interest are those against F. A. Mayo of Bemidji known as the Akerberg cases, and that of Mrs. C. W. Scrutchin against the city of Bemidji, a damage suit in the sum of $5,000 for personal injuries claimed to have been sustained thru a defective sidewalk.

It's the easiest thing in the world for a women to drive a man to drink.

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ENSHROUDED IN PALL OF SMOKE

PRACTICALLY ALL THE NORTHWESTERN STATES ARE IN SMOKE TERRITORY.

PEOPLE THIS MORNING THOUGHT ENTIRE PRAIRIE MUST BE ABLAZE.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The east wind that has been blowing since yesterday afternoon, has wafted the heavy smoke laden air from the Mesaba range burnt district so that practically the whole northwest is over hung by the most remark able pall of smoke ever experienced in this part of the country.

Many of the citizens as they arose from their beds this morning were sure that the immediate prairie was all afire. During the day the wind has somewhat shifted and the air has cleared to a certain extent.

At the time of the Hinkley fire, smoke laden air was experienced but not as bad as this morning.

The tendency of the smoke is float east ward, and it is experienced over a very large territory.

In Chicago the pall reached its greatest density today after thickening perceptibly for nearly a week. Similar reports come from Milwaukee, Detroit, Cleveland and other cities located from 500 to 800 miles from the center of the ravishing flames. Lake navigation has been made dangerous and the same caution is exercised by navigators as in times of a heavy fog.

COUPLE OF 65 ARE MARRIED

S. N. LANDE AND MRS. T. SWIGGUM ARE VERY HAPPILY MARRIED

Judge L. K. Hassell of the probate court at Grand Forks yesterday united in marriage S. N. Lande and Mrs. T. Swiggum of Bygland, Minn. Both of them are 65 years old.

L. James Edwards, formerly porter at the hotel Frederick at Grand Forks and Miss Tillie Hegland of Bygland, Minn., were married last evening by Rev. F. E. R. Miller of the First Baptist church of Grand Forks.

LIKES CROOKSTON MAY MOVE HERE

A. J. Rush a resident of Mankato but who has business interests in various parts of the state is in this vicinity looking after some city property in Crookston and farm lands near here. Mr. Rush is just recovering from a severe siege of typhoid fever that had him on his back for six weeks. He is very favorably impressed with conditions as he finds them here, and every succeeding visit creates in him a desire to live in a good live healthy town like Crookston.

CHRISTS CHURCH FIRST MINISTER

The pulpit in Christ's Episcopal church wos occupied yesterday by Rev. Samuel Currie the first resident minister in Crookston. Rev. Currie came to Crookston to take charge of the little Episcopalian flock in 1879 and in 1880 he moved his family to the city and for many years administered to the spiritual wants of many of Crookston's most prominent citizens of those days.

Later Mr. Currie moved his family onto a farm adjoining Euclid and went extensively into the dairy business being one of the pioneers in that branch of farming. He had the finest herd of pure bred Jersey cows in the valley. Mr. Currie and son William now have a fine farm near Park River, N. D., which they are farming in a profitable manner. Rev. Currie has never let farming interfere with his church work and has a fine congregation at Park River. Rev. Cox preached there yesterday.

Mr. Currie went to Euclid this morning to visit old friends and look after the farm which has been leased to Aker brothers.

The world has more respect for gray hairs than for baldness.

BUSY BUSINESS FALL PREDICTED

TRAVELING MAN SAYS MERCHANTS AND OTHERS WILL PROFIT THIS YEAR.

FARMERS WILL GET GOOD PROFITS OUT OF SALE OF GRAIN

From Tuesday's Daily—

This will be Red River Valley's most prosperous year for a decade, according to a traveling man who arrived in Crookston yesterday. The business outlook was never better. Farmers will have more profit left after the sale of their grain than they have had for years. This means that there will be lots of business and Crookston will get a large share of the trade.

Threshing was general yesterday the grain having become dry after the rainfall. There will be a heavy wheat movement beginning next week.

Farmers Hold Wheat

A prominent farmer living near Ada says that 56 farmers living in that vicinity have pledged to hold their wheat for $1 a bushel and that they will not sell for less than that price. In the neighborhood of Ada there are only two farmers who have not made this pledge and it is likely that they will join the movement which was instituted by the American Society of Equity.

Over the state there are thousands of farmers who have made like pledges and the Equity society will undoubtedly have a greater influence this year than ever before in the history of the state and they expect to bring the price of wheat to $1 before the winter is over.

PLACING POLK COUNTY EXHIBIT

MAGNUS LUNDBERG IS RUSHING THE WORK AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE.

Magnus Lundberg has a force of men at work today decorating the room in the McKinnon Block formerly occupied by the Grill restaurant, in which the Polk Co. Exhibit to the Minnesota State Fair will be placed for the crowds which will be present on Stephens Hall Dedication Day, Sept. 17, Thursday of this week. The work is being done under the direction of the committee consisting of Magnus Lundberg, J. M. Stephens and J. H. Stair, Mr. Lundberg being in active charge of the work. The decorations will be placed today, and the exhibits will all be put in position this evening and tomorrow. It involves a vast amount of work and considerable expense, but the magnificent exhibit will repay the trouble and expense a hundred fold.

The exhibit room is just two doors west of the Journal office.

ST. HILAIRE R. F. D. CARRIER SEVERELY INJURED

Martin Hoff of St. Hilaire met with an unfortunate and rather serious accident Monday which resulted in the breaking of his right arm. He had loaded his wagon with some furniture, boxes and barrels and had taken a seat on a box which lay on top a barrel. While crossing the lower river bridge at that place one of the front wheels of the wagon broke and Mr. Hoff fell from his seat against the railing on the bridge in such a manner as to break one of the bones in his arm next to the wrist. Dr. Swanson set the bone and is of the opinion that the arm will be a little stiff hereafter.

Medicinal Value of Vegetables

By simplest preparation of certain vegetables, nerves may be soothed, bilious attacks warded off, the blood purified and colds averted. The general system may also be toned up by the daily use of a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. A glass at mealtime and before retiring induces peaceful and refreshing sleep strengthens the brain and gives new life to the tired muscles. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

HEAVY GRAIN SHIPMENTS

FIVE HUNDRED CARS OF GRAIN IN YARDS HERE YESTERDAY

SEVEN EXTRA CREWS PUT ON TO HANDLE INCREASING BUSINES

From Monday's Daily—

There are things doing on the Northern division of the G. N. these days and railroad men are busy as the proverbial bee.

The rush began the forepart of last week and since that time 7 crews have been put to work steady on the Northern division and 11 crews on the Dakota division of the G. N. which has called into service every available railroad man in this locality besides necessitating the importing of some men from Eastern points.

On Sunday 500 cars came in from the Dakota division all loaded with grain and the Fifth ward yards were a rather busy place during the day but trains were dispatched in short order bearing long strings of cars loaded with the golden grain towards Duluth.

The Northern Pacific is likewise busy and long trains are rolling into and thru the city on both roads with great frequency during every hour of the day and night.

Even with all the available equipment and men at work the company is having its hands full in getting the grain out of the way. On some of the branch lines the elevators are filled and farmers are rushing their grain in so fast that cars cannot be secured to get the grain away.

The traffic is much heavier this year than last at this time. The weather has something to do with the condition of affairs. There has been no delay from rain.

IN BUSINESS AT ALEXANDRIA

W. B. KRAUSE BUYS OUT PICTURE SHOW BUSINESS—A HUSTLER

W. B. Krause has purchased the moving picture show which has been operated some time past by L. Johnson of this city and will move his family to that city and make it his permanent residence. Mr. Krause is there now, taking active charge of the business, and Mrs. Krause returned from Alexandria yesterday, and is delighted with the place which she says is one of the most beautiful she has ever visted.

Mr. Krause who is an energetic hustler for business will without doubt make a success of the venture, and the people of Alexandria are certain of high class entertainment. He is a well known vocalist, being the promoter of the famous Elks Quartet of Crookston, noted thruout the north half of Minnesota and Mrs. Krause also has a splendid voice. Mr. and Mrs. Krause are both well known as musicians and singers and are certain to be given a hearty welcome at Alexandria.

Mrs. Krause is superintending the packing up of their household goods for shipment to Alexandria, and will relet the flat over Brandow's upon which she has a year's lease.

GOOD REMEDY TO RID THE HEAD OF LICE

It being reported that many children in a nearby town are afflicted with lice, a local physician has furnished a prescription warranted to prove effective. The remedy is as follows:

Wash the head at bed time with kerosene and sweet oil using half as much sweet oil as kerosene. Place a towel around the head and leave the head soaked in oil until morning. Wash it well with soap and water and dry; then wash with vinegar, after which application comb thoroly with a fine comb. One such application is enough.

Will Interest Many

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Remedy is taken in time.

Sold by all dealers.

ERWIN IS NO MORE

FAMOUS MINNESOTA CRIMINAL LAWYER PASSES AWAY IN FLORIDA

CAREER OF PICTURESQUE POLITICAL FIGURE COMES TO AN END

From Tuesday's Daily—

"W. W. Erwin died Sunday night." Thus read a dispatch from Miami, Fla., signed by the widow. The date is Sept. 13. It signalizes the end of the career of one of the most picturesque professional and political figures that ever moved in the limelight in St. Paul and Minnesota.

"Bill" Erwin—nobody ever thought of calling him anything else—was, primarily the greatest criminal lawyer the Northwest ever knew. Secondly, he was an orator equaled in Minnesota by none, perhaps except Ignatius Donnelly. Thirdly, he was a politician whose coat was as variegated of hue as the garment of Joseph.

With all these he was in some respects the greatest intellect that ever shed its luster upon a Minnesota community.

The West had few more remarkable characters than Mr. Erwin. He left Minnesota in 1894, after twenty-eight years' residence in the Northwest, as full of enthusiasm and energy as when, in 1866 he left Steuben county, N. Y., a tall and angular young man of 24. He was a thorobred American.

A FINE HORSE IS MISSING

GEO. A. BANGS' BLACK BEAUTY HAS BEEN LOST SINCE SATURDAY

Geo. A. Bangs' horse, of Grand Forks, Black Beauty, is missing. The animal was missed on Saturday after noon at 5 o'clock and tho efforts have been made to locate it, as yet they have been without avail. The animal which is a thorobred, is pure black, and the officials have notified surrounding towns of the fact that it is missing. The horse may have been stolen, tho there is no evidence which leads to this belief.

BIG AUCTION SALE NEXT SATURDAY

On Saturday Sept. 19, C. A. Hitchcock will sell at public auction all of the stock and farm machinery and household goods belonging to Jos. Gauche, 2 miles east and one half mile north of the city of Crookston. This property will be sold without reserve as Mr. Gauche is leaving the country.

DEMS EXPECT SMALL VOTE

W. E. Black, chairman of Democratic County Committee says there will be some surprises this evening when the votes are counted altho he says he has worked in his office all day and kept away from the polls.

The Democrats have no contest on for the different county offices except a friendly contest for Treasurer there fore there will only be between 150 and 200 Democratic votes cast in the whole county as one vote would nominate their officers.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed

Sold by all dealers.

McINTOSH SCHOOLS LIST OF INSTRUCTORS

School commenced last Tuesday with an enrollment of 186 and more to follow. There are now six teachers at the helm besides Profs. Dunton and Spreiter. Among the teachers are the familiar faces of Misses Albert, Van Slyke and Crawford. Miss Mae McCarty, a graduate of the McIntosh High School and of the St. Cloud Normal is of the new teachers, the other two being Misses McCollough and Baglo of Fergus Falls.—McIntosh Times.

SUPT O'NEALE OPTIMISTIC

VETERAN EMPLOYE OF MINNEAPOLIS AND NORTHERN ELEVATOR CO.

SAYS CONDITIONS WERE NEVER BETTER IN THE NORTHWEST THAN NOW

From Tuesday's Daily—

Supt. J. M. O'Neale of the Minneapolis and Northern Elevator Co., who has been with the company for 28 years, spent last night in the city says he has never seen a crop taken off in as short a time or with as little damage from rain since 1885 when similar fall weather prevailed. He is very enthusiastic over the conditions thruout the Red River Valley and last evening in an interview said:

"This is but the beginning of a new era of prosperity for this section The farmers are getting into winter rye rapidly, and they never made a better move. It cleans the land of wild oats, Canada and sow thistles, and the crop is harvested and threshed before the wheat crop is ready for harvest, so that the farmer is not so rushed with his work. There are thousands of acres of winter rye now seeded and up from 1 to 6 inches above the ground.

"I have not seen a failure of winter rye this year, and have seen yields as high as 37 bushels per acre. More land is year by year also being renewed by seeding it down to timothy and clover, and larger acreages are being sown to potatoes and corn which puts the land in great shhape for wheat later on.

"The farmers are holding more of their grain this year than for several years past. Some are holding for better prices, and others are holding it till they get their plowing done, and because, having got into stock they do not have to sell for ready cash. More early plowing will be done this year than for 10 years past."

MC'MANUS TAKING THE NELSON CURE

OLD TIME CROOKSTON MAN FINANCIALLY STRANDED AT HOUSTON, TEXAS

Several business men in Crookston have received notices from Henry L. Borden referee in bankruptcy at Houston, Texas, to the effect that George J. McManus of that place, formerly of Crookston, had been duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the firrst meeting of creditors would be held at Houston on the 28th day of September.

This will come as a great surprise to many people in Crookston. Mr. McManus paid Crookston a visit 6 or 8 months ago and at that time gave a glowing report of the prosperity of that country in which the people were revelling, and was very enthusiastic regarding his personal prosperity.

GOOD NEWS

Many Crookston Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

'Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Crookston are glad to learn that prompt relief is witin their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

Joseph Gundlach, cigar maker, living at 319 Broadway, N. Crookston, Minn., says: "I endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a sure cure for kidney trouble. For a considerable time I suffered from pains in my back and through the loins. To this was added a weakness of the kidneys. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and resolved to try them, getting a box at Wallace's drug store. They proved to be just what my case needed and soon the backache was eradicated and the kidney secretions were regular and normal. I advise any sufferer from these troubles to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

BUILDING GOOD ROADS

Highway Expert Tells Why the Government Should Help.

HAS THE RIGHT AND ABILITY.

Secretary of Farmers' Good Roads League Points Out How States Can Be Helped by Bond Issue—Definite Conclusions on Construction Methods.

H. H. Gross, secretary of the Farmers' Good Roads league, has written as follows from Chicago to the editor of the New York Tribune on the subject of building improved highways:

Should the federal government by a bond issue assist the states to build public roads? If so, to what extent? The answers to the above questions involve the consideration of several things—first, the right of the government to do so, the need of it, its ability and, last, whether it is a wise policy to adopt. In the brief space available we must assume the necessity for good roads; that their condition affects market conditions and thus concerns all the people; that bad roads are productive of a great and preventable waste that amounts to several dollars a person a year; that one of the greatest needs for the social and economic development and welfare of all the people is good roads.

As to the right or power of the federal government to build or assist to build highways, section 8 of article 1 of the constitution says among other things:

> Congress shall have power "to establish postoffices and post roads."

More than 40 per cent of all the highways and most of the main roads are used for rural mail delivery and so are postroads in the meaning of the constitution. President Monroe in a message to congress May 4, 1802, says:

> In whatever sense the term "establish" is applied to postoffices it must be applied in the same sense to post roads.

Cooley in his book on constitutional law says:

> Every road within a state, including railroads, canals, turnpikes and navigable streams, existing or created within a state, became a post road whenever by action of the postoffice department provision is made for the transportation of the mails upon or over it.

The above is deemed sufficient to show the government has the unquestionable right to improve highways used for rural mail delivery.

> Article 1, section 8, clause 1, provides in part: "The congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imports and excises to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States."

Is not highway improvement for the general welfare?

On March 14, 1818, the house of representatives passed the following resolution:

> Resolved, That congress has power under the constitution to appropriate money for the construction of post roads, military and other roads and of canals and for the improvement of waterways.

Among the early statesmen who held that the federal government had ample power to build roads were Jefferson, Madison, Clay, Webster, Calhoun and others.

The government has expended millions on the old Cumberland road and a number of military roads, establishing a precedent. The public roads of nearly every civilized country in the world have been built in whole or in part by its general government. It is the only plan that has ever succeeded. It is the world precedent.

As to the need for better highways no argument is necessary. The general government is expending $35,000,000 a year on rural delivery. According to Senator Bankhead of Alabama, the postoffice department estimates that uniformly good roads would mean longer routes, more regular service and a saving of 20 per cent in the cost. Thus the loss to the postoffice department due to bad roads is now $7,000,000 a year and is increasing as the service is extended. It will soon reach $10,000,000 a year. While bad roads entail a loss to the mail service of $7,000,000 to $10,000,000 a year, the loss to the farmers and consumers of farm produce cannot be less than twenty times as much.

As to the ability of the federal government to assist in building good roads, how better can we judge this than by comparing the debt per capita of our country with the leading nations of the world that have built good roads and found it paid to do so?

The per capita debt of Germany, according to the Chicago Daily News Almanac and Year Book for 1908, is $49; England, $88.83; Italy, $82; Spain, $98; France, $144, and the United States, $11.11. The amount of annual interest charge to be met by a citizen of Germany is $2; France, $6.05; England, $8.47; United States, 29 cents.

The panic of 1907 was occasioned largely by the enormous demand for currency "to move the crops." Why need the crops be moved with such haste and at such great inconvenience to the railways and so completely drain the cities of money as to cause a panic and the loss of many millions? The farmer knew the winter and bad road season was approaching and that if he didn't get his crops off before the roads broke up he didn't know how long the embargo of bad roads would prevent him from doing so.

Another factor was the insufficient amount of government bonds to serve as the basis of national bank circulation. As no bonds were available the banks could not increase their circulation, as they would have been glad to do and which would have immediately relieved the financial strain. The country needs good roads, and it needs a larger debt (strange as that may- Out of this dilemma the way

If the federal government was to issue as needed $400,000,000 of 2 per cent thirty to fifty year bonds to aid in road building it would carry the national debt up from $11.11 to $15.55 and the interest charge from 29 to 39 cents per capita. The debt per capita then would be almost exactly where it was ten years ago.

It would require $8,000,000 a year to pay the interest on the bonds, but every dollar of it would be saved upon the one item of rural delivery.

Of the 2,100,000 miles of highways about 900,000 miles are post roads, and about 800,000 of these are unimproved. The $400,000,000 for national aid would give about $500 a mile, or about 25 per cent of the average cost of building hard roads upon these highways.

After ten years of study of road building at home and abroad the writer has reached the following definite conclusions:

First.—That if we are to have good roads within a generation the federal government must assist in building them.

Second.—That the government contribution be pro rated among the states as the work is done on the basis of one-half the gross sum upon the full road mileage of the state and one-half upon the basis of population. The plan works out fairly to all the states. This plan would make available out of $400,000,000 approximately $25,000,000 for New York, $26,000,000 for Pennsylvania, $22,000,000 for Illinois, $18,000,000 for Ohio, $13,000,000 for Michigan, etc.

Third.—That the actual construction of the roads should be done under state supervision upon specifications approved by the United States government engineers.

Fourth.—That the initiative should be left with the respective townships, road districts or parishes, these to furnish at least one-third of the total cost, with the state clothed with power to veto any improvement if of insufficient importance. This power would probably be seldom if ever used. It may be assumed if the road was not a main highway and needed the people of a township would not vote to build it when they had to raise at least one-third of the money required to do so.

Fifth.—That if this country is to fulfill its high destiny and meet the requirements placed upon it by its wealth, position and its opportunity good roads are a paramount necessity, and to get them speedily requires both federal and state aid to hearten the people to undertake this great work. Good roads will do more for the educational, social and economic development of the whole country than any other single agency.

GOOD ROADS IN ENGLAND.

W. H. Moore Says the United States Should Follow British Example.

W. H. Moore, president of the National Good Roads association, writing to the editor of the Kansas City Star, says:

The finest examples of perfect, easy and durable roads I have found in the British isles are the Warwick road from Leamington to Warwick castle, about two and a half miles; the Kenilworth road from Leamington to Kenilworth castle, five miles, and the Stratford road from Leamington to Stratford-on-Avon, ten and a half miles. These roads are about four rods wide between fences. The traveled or improved portion is twenty-two feet wide between grass edges.

All these roads have horse paths on one side. Some of these are carefully prepared with stone averaging from two to three feet deep, the top surfacing being earth. The paths on the side, which are two or three feet from the main road, average about five feet in width. No material has ever been nor ever will be found more suitable to horses' feet and to the horsemen than the common earth surfaced roads. The roads referred to receive careful and constant attention.

In the early season, May or June, they receive an application of coal tar product. This is impervious to rain and allays the dust. The very best interests of the people of the British isles socially and commercially are conserved by the splendid system of public roads. If the great army of politicians in the United States who are making pyrotechnic speeches and all candidates for municipal, state and federal offices should confine their campaign to the subject of good roads and when elected go after the question in earnest, they would soon accomplish the greatest good in their generation. Every county can afford good roads.

With a little common sense financiering by bonding or making a special levy with an interest and a sinking fund consideration any community can possess good roads, with all their attendant blessings. The curse of mud roads in the United States is a national, monumental fraud. It is a hideous evidence of misgovernment, a reproach against the advancement of equal rights and liberty to all.

Combine For Good Roads.

Minneapolis (Minn.) teamsters and motorists have joined forces in an effort to secure better roads, the Minneapolis Teamsters' union and the Minneapolis Automobile club having decided to go into politics to secure good highways. The plan is to work and vote only for aldermanic candidates who will pledge their aid to the good roads cause. Theodore Wirth, superintendent of the Minneapolis parks, has been elected the first honorary member of the Automobile club, and he is expected to help the movement.

Roads and the R. F. D.

Notice is being sent out from the postoffice department to many rural communities that unless roads are repaired and placed in condition for uninterrupted service during the year the rural service will be discontinued. This is work for good roads that will doubtless have a wide and wholesome effect, says the Atchison Globe. The rural mail service has become so much a part of the farmer's life as to be regarded as a necessity, and he isn't likely to let it lapse for the sake of a little time and energy needed in road building.

DOCTOR ADVISED USE OF CUTICURA

After Other Treatment Failed—Eczema in Raw Spot on Baby Boy's Face Lasted for Months—Cried with Pain when Washed.

ECZEMA WAS CURED AND HAS NEVER REAPPEARED

"Our baby boy broke out with eczema on his face when one month old. One place on the side of his face the size of a nickel was raw like beefsteak for three months, and he would cry out when I bathed the parts that were sore and broken out. I gave him three months' treatment from a good doctor, but at the end of that time the child was no better. Then my doctor recommended Cuticura. After using a cake of Cuticura Soap, a third of a box of Cuticura Ointment, and half a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent he was well and his face was as smooth as any baby's. He is now two years and a half old and no eczema has reappeared. I am still using the Cuticura Soap; I think it is the finest toilet soap I ever used. I keep my little girl's hair and face cleansed with it too. I am so thankful for what Cuticura has done for us. Mrs. M. L. Harris, R. F. D. 1, Alton, Kan., May 14 and June 12, '07."

SANATIVE

Antiseptic Cleansing Is Best Accomplished by Cuticura.

Women, especially mothers, find Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills the purest, sweetest, and most effective remedies, for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands, for the treatment of inflammatory and ulcerative conditions, as well as for restoring to health, strength, and beauty pale, weak, nervous, prematurely faded, run-down women. Guaranteed absolutely pure under the United States Food and Drugs Act.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

To the King's Taste.

We learn in "Leaves From the Journal of Sir George Smart" that when Sir George, who was chorister at the Chapel Royal, arranged the musical programme at the opening of the new London bridge in 1831 his chief attraction was a glee party.

Immediately after the glee party had sung "God Save the King" in the tent in which the king and queen were seated two unknown persons in costume, a man and his wife, stepped forward, and to Sir George's infinite disgust the man played "God Save the King" with his knuckles on his chin, accompanied by his wife's voice.

The king called Sir George to him and asked who they were. Sir George by that time knew the name of the performers and gave it, adding that he was sorry they had intruded without permission.

"Oh, no intrusion!" said the king. "It was charming. Tell them to perform again."

So Sir George had to tell the performers that their number was encored by royal command, and to their great delight and to the chagrin of Sir George they repeated it.

Not Abashed.

"When I was young," said a lawyer, "my best client was a wealthy old lady noted for saying caustic things about her acquaintances. One morning, when I was staying at her house, she vilified one of her neighbors, named Stamford, without stint.

"By way of changing the subject I proposed to read to her from a volume of lectures I had happened to bring with me. She assented. I started at random and when too late discovered that I was in the middle of a lecture on the government of the tongue.

"I was afraid she would think I had selected it to admonish her, yet I dared not stop for fear of seeming to make the offense more pointed. So on I read to the end, pretty sure that my reading would cost me a client worth two hundred a year to me. But when I ended she said:

"'Thank you, Mr. ——. It is an excellent lecture and would fit my neighbor Stamford to a T.'"

The Conference.

"This is a grave matter," began the undertaker.

"Consequently we want more light thrown upon it," remarked the lamp manufacturer.

"I hope our views will all be in harmony with the occasion," put in the piano maker.

"No pipe dreams," admonished the plumber.

"I hope whatever is said none will take it ill," said the doctor.

"Then we'll all be good natured and not ask cross questions," supplemented the lawyer.

But it was the remark of the baker which broke up the meeting.

"What I want to know, first of all," he declared, "is who is expected to supply the dough?"—Baltimore American.

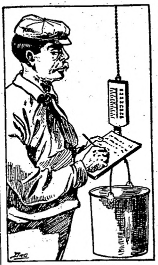
Posted Him.

He (vainly)—See that sweet little girl in pink? I was engaged to her the whole of last summer. Stranger (eagerly)—Very glad to hear it. I am the lawyer she's commissioned to sue you for breach of promise.

POINTS FOR THE DAIRYMAN.

A spring scale with a pointer for the tare of the pail now makes the weighing of the milk easy and quick. This scale can be had from almost any hardware store at a small price, and the milk pails can be made of uniform weight by putting a little lead on the bottom of the lighter ones. The producer can buy milk record sheets, good for a month, with spaces for keeping the weights of milk from over thirty cows, morning and night, at a cost of 15 cents a year. These sheets, tacked on a board near the scale, with a pencil hanging by a string, make it easy to weigh and set down the result, which shows at a glance what every cow is doing in quantity of milk. This, carried out through the year, will be a great surprise to the producer, disclosing unsuspected good and bad qualities in his cows.

The yield of milk, however, is only a part of the value of the cow. To really know her value one must apply the Babcock test. If he is not able to do this himself his state department station will test samples without cost to him, except the express charges. The average of two tests made from a two day composite sample of milk from each cow will give a very close approximation to the test of the whole year. By multiplying the number of pounds of milk for the year by the per cent of fat obtained from the two tests made on each cow at about six weeks after calving and again at about six months after calving he can know about the value of each of the cows in his herd. The advantage is that he can understandingly weed out the boarders from his herd, thereby increasing the net profit, and can tell which are his best cows to save calves from to add to the herd.—C. M. Winslow, Secretary Ayrshire Breeders' Association.



WEIGHING THE MILK

Feeding Young Cows.

My practice in feeding heifers from calfhood has been to give rations which would induce growth of bone and muscle, notwithholding a generous supply of fat forming material, so that the little creatures were symmetrical beauties, says a prosperous dairyman.

When they began to milk I still gave them enough of such food to keep them from becoming thin, believing, for the manufacture of the greatest supply of milk they were capable of producing, they should be furnished the materials in their food and not be required to take it from their own bodies, and I believe if this method of feeding were more generally practiced there would be less tuberculosis among the dairy herds of the country.

Flaxseed Meal For Calves.

Ground flax is an excellent substitute for butter fat to be fed to calves. Use a heaping teaspoonful to every feed of milk while the calf is from two to six weeks old, provided you are feeding skimmilk. As the calf grows older gradually increase the flaxseed meal until the calf is getting about a heaping tablespoonful with each feed. This flaxseed may be mixed with the milk, but never mix cornmeal or any other ground feed that contains a good deal of starch with the milk, as that is very apt to produce scours.

The reason for that is that starchy foods must be mixed with saliva before digestion can take place, and anything that is drunk with the milk does not become mixed with saliva, and consequently it fails to become digested and acts as an irritant to the alimentary tract.

Salting the Butter.

It is needless to say that nothing but the best grade of salt should be used in salting butter. I would prefer the flake salt, as it dissolves more readily and is not so liable to make mottles, says a dairyman. Salt adds flavor to the butter and materially increases its keeping quality. Buttermakers differ as to the amount of salt which should be used in butter. Very high salting, however, has a tendency to detract from the fine, delicate aroma of butter, while at the same time it tends to cover up slight defects in flavor. Salt very readily absorbs odors and must therefore be kept in a clean, dry place, where the air is pure. It should be of the same temperature as the butter when used.

Fly Cover For Cows.

To keep flies off the animal while milking is in progress a coarse woven fly cover can be thrown over her, and in a bad season such covers can be left on during the day to good advantage.

From our Ecxhanges

ARGYLE
(Banner)

Mrs. O. L. Melgaard and her daughter, Miss Adele, returned home Tuesday from their visit to Cooperstown, N. D.

P. I. Holen came up from Minneapolis Friday morning and will remain here for some time looking after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Capistrand, of Tamarac returned Monday from Crookston, where they have been visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Louis Dion, of Cut Knife, Sask. who has been spending the past couple of months here visiting with relatives and friends, returned to her home on Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Cyr and her niece, of Red Lake Falls, are the guests of Photographer and Mrs. G. L. Demers this week. Mrs. Cyr is an aunt of Mr. Demers.

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Ella Hanson departed Sunday for Alexandria, where she has been engaged as principal of the high school for the ensuing year.

The bridge at the old mill is closed to travel. A crew arrived here yesterday to put in a new steel bridge and until that is completed it will be necessary to cross the river at the Berge bridge.

Ole Borslie, of Garfield, who was taken to St. Paul last week for an operation, died Sunday. His remains were brought here Tuesday and the funeral held yesterday. Deceased was about 40 years old, and leaves a wife and several children.

Mrs. Ingebong Viken passed away last evening at 7:30 o'clock after a short illness, at her home in this village. Deceased was born Jan. 19, 1844, at Nos Hallingdale, Norway. She came to America 28 years ago. She is the mother of seven children and the grandmother of 12 children.

CANNING CORN.

(Furnished by the Minnesota Farmers' Institutes, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minn.

Corn has always been considered the most difficult of vegetables to can successfully. By the methods commonly used at least some cans almost always spoil. The bacteria sometimes found upon the green corn are more resistant than those found in any other vegetable.

When ready to can corn, select ears in perfecting roasting ear stage, and with a sharp knife score each row of grains, cut a very thin slice from the ends of all the grains, and with a kitchen knife (or the back of a sharp knife) scrape the rest from the cob. For each quart of corn, put into the kettle a pint of water and half a tablespoonful of salt; put corn to cook and add boiling water as it evaporates. It should be as watery as commercial canned corn usually is. Let it cook for fifteen or twenty minutes after it actually boils all through. Watch and stir with a wooden spoon to prevent burning, but do not allow it to stop boiling.

When it has boiled for twenty minutes fill sterilized jars and seal. Then place the cans in a pan of hot water and let it boil for one-half hour, being sure that it does boil that length of time. The center of the can must reach the highest degree of heat possible, and they cannot reach that temperature unless the surrounding water is boiling all of the given time. Let the cans stand until the next day, then put them in a cold water bath and cook for half an hour after the water begins to boil; repeat the treatment on the third day. Tighten the covers if possible, while contents of jars are still boiling hot; wipe and set away where there is no draft and allow to cool.

The first boiling, if properly done, will kill the living germs, but the spores will remain unaffected. By the second and third days all of the spores will have reached the vegetative stage, in which they reproduce, and may then be exterminated by continued boiling heat. It a single germ is left alive in the food after the third boiling, the canning will be a failure, because these invisible enemies of the housewife grow and multiply so rapidly that one left alive will speedily cause a large amount of food to spoil. This is the only sure process of canning this vegetable without the use of chemicals. Success may sometimes attend the other methods, but a great deal of uncertainy must always exist. If no germs of this kind happen to be present, all will be well; but if they are present, all is lost. Another favorable feature of this method is that, as the cans are sealed all the time, there is no danger of contamination from the air or other sources after the canning process begins.

J. L. SHEPPERD.

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Miss Elsie Mead will teach in the Hallock schools this year, having departed for that place last Friday evening.

Miss Freda Ittner returned Tuesday noon from a month's visit at the home of her brother, Arthur Ittner, in Cass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cyr, of Duluth, have been guests the past few days of relatives and numerous friends in this vicinity.

Dr. Julien Gendron, of Grand Rapids, was in the Falls over Tuesday night renewing acquaintances among numerous friends.

The J. A. Duffey and L. A. Kauder families are entertaining as their guests this week Mrs. Wm. Duffey and Master Willie, from Washburn, Wis., and Miss Catherine, from Superior, Wis.

ADA
(Herald)

Miss Jean Fulton leaves Friday for Minneapolis, where she will study music.

Miss Lillian Meirke left Saturday night for a two weeks' visit at her home in Owatonna.

John Neukom and Ed Leuthge were up from St. Paul for a couple of days' hunting Sunday and Monday.

Miss Meta McKee, of Detroit, visited Friday and Saturday with Harriet Hetland. Miss McKee was en route to Stephens, where she has charge of the primary department in the school at that place.

The Ada team dropped both ball games at Grand Forks Sunday and Monday. The Sunday game was lost by a score of 6 to 1 and on Monday the Forks team ran up a score of 21 to 1. There was a large attendance at both games.

Carrie Putman, the little niece of Mrs. C. E. Cragin, fell from a hammock yesterday forenoon and broke her collar bone.

STEPHENS-MUDGETT WEDDING THURSDAY

PROMINENT YOUNG PEOPLE WED IN PRETTY HOME AFFAIR.

This afternoon at two o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. B. L. Mudgett, 1510 22nd street east, Minneapolis, her daughter, Miss Ethel Madeline Mudgett, was united in marriage to Mr. Marcus Cameron Stephens, of this city. Rev. Geo. E. Satterlee, former pastor of the Methodist church in this city, officiated, and the ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives and intimate friends only. The bride and groom were unattended. The bride is well known in Crookston, having taught in the Crookston schools for the past several years, and took a very prominent part in the social life of the city. She is a highly accomplished young lady, with an exceptionally gracious manner, and will be accorded a very warm welcome as one of the young matrons of Crookston. The groom is the oldest son of Senator and Mrs. A. D. Stephens, and one of the popular and rising young business men of Crookston, being the local manager for the Crookston Milling Co. at the present time, and has a splendid future before him. He grew to manhood in Crookston and was very prominent in athletic circles, and is an enthusiastic sportsman. The bride and groom will arrive tomorrow or Saturday and at once go to housekeeping in a very cosy flat in the Fournet block, adjoining the flat occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Fournet, facing Broadway, which the groom has furnished luxuriously. Senator and Mrs. Stephens left with their son last evening to be present at the wedding.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

From Over The Valley

MAY DIRECT BAND NEAR NORTH POLE.

Clem Brunelle has been offered a lucrative salary to lead a band at Shakan, Alaska, during the winter months, and should he decide to accept the offer will leave next week for the far northwest. Lee E. Healy and Paul Brunelle, who were instrumental in securing for Clem the offer of this fine position, are now located at Shakan, and reports have it that they are doing nicely.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

GROWING RICH FROM CREAMERY CHECK EVERY MONTH.

George Leimers, one of the enterprising settlers of the town of Deer Park, was in Thief River Falls recently. Mr. Leimers is one of the patrons of the Highlanding creamery and has been receiving a check for over $40 each month during the past summer for cream he sells to this institution. He and his family like the dairy business and next summer he intends to have twice as many milch cows. We predict that Mr. Leimers will be one of the best fixed farmers in that section in the near future.

EXCURSION TO RED LAKE NEXT SUNDAY.

Many Bemidji people are looking forward with anticipated pleasure to the excursion to Red Lake which will be given under the auspices of the Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba Railway company, next Sunday, when a special train will leave Bemidji for Redby, and from that place a crowd will be taken to almost any point desired on the shores of the famous Red Lake, the largest body of fresh water wholly within the boundaries of the United States.

ESTABLISH NEW R. F. D. IN BELTRAMI COUNTY

Elizabeth Neumiller appointed postmistress at Lude, Beltrami Co., vice A. Lude, resigned. Rural route No. 1 ordered established Dec. 1 at Wilton, Beltrami county, serving 500 people and 117 families.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

GRAND FORKS COUNTY NURSES HAVE ORGANIZZED

At the meeting of the graduate nurses of Grand Forks held Tuesday afternoon in the office of Dr. Zella White Stewart, the Grand Forks County Nurses association was organized and, after acceptin gthe constitution and by-laws, the following officers were elected:

President—Miss L. Mae McCulloch.
Vice President—Miss Hanson.
Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Dorothy Motl.

The following chairmen of committees were named:

Credentials—Mrs. W. B. Pratt.
Entertainment—Miss Bertha Simon.
Ways and Means—Miss Emma Long.

The organization will be both for the benefit of the nurses and the doctors, and regular meetings on the second Tuesday of each month will be held. The next session takes place on October 13.

FERTILE CORPS OF TEACHERS FOR 1908.

The Fertile schools commenced Tuesday with an average attendance. The following is the corps of teachers: Superintendent, H. R. Tonning; principal, S. O. Lund, Northfield; Assistant principal, Ruth Cummings; sixth and seventh grades, Magdelene Holmberg, Woonsocket, S. D.; fourth and fifth grades, Olive L. Strand, Fergus Falls; second and third grades, Anna Dahl, Porter Minn.; primary, Lillian Bell, Montgomery. Mr. Tonning and Misses Cummings and Strand taught there last year.

HANKEL & HOSS TO TAKE OVER LIGHT PLANT.

We understand that Hankel & Hoss are seriously contemplating taking hold of the Fertile electric light proposition and running the lights by water power. An expert in that line was here the other day and he was of the opinion that by raising the dam at the old mill a few feet sufficient power could be secured to run several electric light plants of the capacity of the present one. It has always been a mystery to us why our water power was not put to more practical use.—Fertile Journal.

SCHOOL JANITORS MUST GET LICENSES IN GR. FORKS

The janitors of the Grand Forks city school buildings having high pressure steam heating plants will be required hereafter to be equipped with certificates from two competent engineers appointed as examiners, according to action taken by the board of education at its September meeting last evening. The examiners will be selected by a committee of the board of education.

The recording angel hasn't time to make a note of your good intentions.

PENNED AND PILFERED

Of the many hunting stories appearing in the exchanges, the following from the Middle River Pioneer, sent in by their Rollis correspondent, strikes the writer as containing more truth than humor. This particular party was chaperoned by Chas. Tedford, who must have let Collier and Ferguson out of the corral, and wandered away alone. The account reads:

"Our boy and the pup were out and shot a few chickens for some hunters from Duluth yesterday. It kept the pup busy pulling the hunters' dogs off butterflies; but they managed to keep the birds all scared up so the wagon didn't hit any. It is calculated that there was 30,000 pounds of lead shot away in Rollis yesterday and farmers are making $5 a day screening the top soil. Most of the shot fell back to the earth."

The next paragraph reads:

"Mr. Ferguson let his gun off yesterday and accidentally wounded a poor little prairie chicken. Men are so careless with firearms. They all succeeded in missing a great many other chickens and the whole party were feeling jubilant last night. They had so much ammunition aboard that it sprung the wagon ax, but Mr. Kelley and Barney got it fixed up during the night."

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Pat Fearon of the U. S. land office has a promising setter pup he is very proud of, and from which he is expecting wonderful performances next year. He had him out one day recently. He was heard yesterday telling Montague that the pup got in the midst of a devided flock, and pointed in two directions at once, forward with his nose and in the rear with his tail. "Be George," says Pat, "th' kid stud in th' midde an' killed both chickens at wan shot."

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It is said that a young lady of Grand Forks recently bought some stuff for curtains and after she got home the family decided that it was too thin, as the open work could be seen through too easily for curtains. As she she did not wish to have the cloth wasted, the young woman had it made up into shirt waists.

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A Crookston man stayed at home one afternoon when his wife was entertaining a quilting society. He hid in a room where he could hear the conversation. The domestic affairs of eighteen couples were discussed, and seventeen of the husbands were brutes.

Lake County to Hold Fair.

Two Harbors, Minn., Sept. 10.—The second annual fair of Lake county, to be held here Sept. 18 and 19, promises to be one of the best exhibitions of the kind that its citizens ever participated in.

Dan Patch Goes Fast.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 10. — Dan Patch paced a mile in 1:58 3-4 yesterday afternoon at the state fair, the fastest mile ever driven in Michigan. The famous pacer failed to break his record of 1:55.

PRE-ELECTION PREDICTIONS

RESULT OF VICTORY INDICATES UNDIMINISHED MAJORITIES FOR REPUBLICANS

IN NOVEMBER, IS THE OPINION OF RELIABLE POLITICAL EXPERTS.

Raymond, the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, who is regarded as one of the most reliable political writers in the country, regards the result of the Vermont election as presaging absolute victory for Mr. Taft. In a recent special dispatch to the Tribune Raymond said:

"Practically speaking, the result of Tuesday's election is more favorable to the Republicans than they had any right to expect, because there has been no determined campaign for the purpose of making a good showing in Vermont and few of the big guns of the party have been put on the stump there this year.

"There is, of course, a slight falling off in the vote of both Republicans and Democrats, as compared with four years ago, but this was entirely to be expected, because at that time Roosevelt was the nominee of his party for president, and the result in Vermont in that year was merely a forerunner of the tremendous landslide which took place all over the country.

"As it is, the plurality of over 29,000 at yesterday's election is taken to be an indication that, while the campaign this year is not to be a sensational one, the election of Mr. Taft is foreshadowed by a safe majority.

"If Vermont can be taken as an index of the condition of public opinion throughout the country, it means that in the November election, whatever strength the Independence League develops in the other States will come almost exclusively from Bryan and not from Taft.

"The Vermont Democrats, while few in number, are extremely rockribbed in their sentiments. They make a point of going to the polls year after year and carry on a hopeless fight merely because they want to set a good example to the Democrats in other States. In 1896 they repudiated Bryan and the free silver heresy, and they did it largely by staying at home on election day. The result was a plurality of a little over 40,000 for McKinley, which has been a record in Vermont elections. In the State elections of 1900 and 1904 the Democratic vote was practically stationary."

JACOBSON IS STRONG.

From the North Branch Review: In J. F. Jacobson the people of Minnesota will elect a governor who will pay strict attention to his duties as chief executive, one who will know all the details of the state government and do his best to serve the people rather than himself. And a little hard work and attention to details in the governor's office would be a good thing at the Minnesota state-house next year.

From the Anoka Union: If the people of Minnesota who want a man for governor who will attend to the business of the office, they will elect Jacobson. He may be homely, he may be lacking smoothness of manners, but he is a man who will perform his duties honestly and fearlessly.

From the Brown's Valley Interlake Tribune: Let us have a governor that will be a governor and earn his salary by doing something of value to the state. Jacobson as a member of the legislature was of great service to the state at large. The laws he advanced and supported were every one beneficial to the people. Governor Johnson was also a member of the legislature, yet he has no record of things achieved like that of Jacobson. and in fact the Democratic party leaders find it useless to refer to the governor's legislative career, simply because there was nothing in it.

From the Stillwater Gazette: Thus far the Jacobson prospects look fine and it looks more and more as if he would be the next governor of Minnesota.

From the Kanabec Times: The state ticket placed in nomination by the republicans at St. Paul will meet with the hearty approval of republicans generall throughout the state. The nomination of Jacobson for governor will bring back into the republican fold those republicans who have been in the habit of scratching the head of the ticket in recent years.

Snapped It Out.

"Dear, am I the only woman you have ever loved?"

"Yes, or ever will."

And it must have been the way he said it that made her mad.

Her Little Slip.

Departing Guest—We've had a simply delightful time! Hostess—I'm so glad. At the same time I regret that the storm kept all our best people away.—Brooklyn Life.

WM. H. TAFT'S RELIGION

A CONSISTENT CHRISTIAN WITH NO SPOT UPON HIS RECORD OF PRIVATE CONDUCT

AND PUBLIC SERVICE—MEMBER OF THE UNITARIAN CHURCH.

To dispose of questions which should not be asked as speedily as possible let us say that Mr. Taft is a member of the Unitarian church. That was the church of his parents, and he has never separated himself from it. His wife, however, is an Episcopalian, and he worships more often beside her in her church.

These are the facts, which are utterly and absolutely unimportant. The matter of a man's religion has no rightful place in consideration of his fitness for the presidency. The constitution of the nation, ordained and established "to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity," expressly places the very suggestion of such thought outside the pale of patriotism.

No words can be clearer than these from our country's fundamental law, "No religious test ever shall be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States."

The numerous queries about Mr. Taft's religious belief shows simply the extent to which his enemies have gone to rouse some prejudice against him. Since there was no spot upon his whole clean record of private conduct and public service to which they could point to Taft's detriment they displayed their willingness to descend to any depth of petty, cowardly, contemptible attack that might do him harm.—Philadelphia North American.

Union Labor Vote.

Hon. William H. Buchanan is one of the leading union men of western New York and in 1907 was the Democratic candidate for assemblyman in Chautauqua county. This is what he has to say of the effort of Mr. Gompers to turn the labor vote over to Mr. Bryan:

"I am a union labor man, and I want to say further that no man can carry the labor vote into the Democratic camp. I know how union labor men feel in this city, and three-fourths of them will stand by the Republican party because only in that way have they the assurance of freedom from the business disturbance that Mr. Bryan promises for at least four years if he can be elected. We workingmen can't earn wages if statesmen are put in office to disturb business and make trouble."

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

Bachelor girls are spinsters who are not willing to admit it.

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What a girl finds fault with a man's making reckless love to her is if he doesn't do it.

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A very useful thing about a large family is how you don't have time to worry about anything else.

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The reason a man objects to going to church is he wouldn't if other people objected to his going.

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The expensive thing about giving your children an allowance to pay their bills is you pay them just the same.

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A woman is glad to have her husband borrow all her money if he will spend a few cents of it on flowers to give her.

IOWA SOLONS IN DEADLOCK.

Opponents of Gov. Cummins Prevent Election of Successor to Allison.

Des Moines, Sept. 10.—True to their pledge to each other, forty-two standpat Republicans in the state legislature yesterday prevented the electio of Gov. A. B. Cummins to the United States senate to fill out the unexpired term of the late W. B. Allison.

These forty-two senators and representatives refused to cast their votes for Gov. Cummins, and with the forty-five Democrats who voted for Porter they outnumbered the sixty-five Republicans who voted for Cummins. Not only did these forty-two standpatters prevent an election yesterday, but they declared that it is their intention to continue in their course, deadlocking the legislature if it is necessary to keep Gov. Cummins out of the United States senate.

Burning Wood.

Wood crackles when it is ignited because the air expanded by heat forces its way through the pores of the wood with a crackling noise. Green wood makes less snapping than dry because the pores contain less air, being filled with sap and moisture, which extinguish the flame, whereas the pores of dry wood are filled with air, which supports combustion.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

DOGS CANT WORK IN DRY WEATHER

LACK OF MOISTURE SAVES LIVES OF MANY OF THE PRAIRIE CHICKENS.

ALTHOUGH CROP IS VERY GOOD, HUNTERS ARE UNABLE TO GET THEM.

From Thursday's Daily—

The inability of dogs to scent the festive prairie hen this fall on account of the exceptionally dry season, will result in an abnormal crop next year, according to the opinion of prominent Crookston hunters. Not a hunter has returned to the city this fall, but who reports there is a great abundance of birds. The fields have been as dry as parchment and work as hard as they would the ordinary dog has been unable to scent the birds. This will mean that a large number will survive the fall bombardment and iff the winter is at all favorable there will be all kinds of birds to breed and the sport, a stop to which was almost put by the extermination of the birds, will receive new impetus.

CRAZY MAN IS RUNNING WILD

CAUSES TROUBLE ON TRAIN—COMMITTED TO ASYLUM BY NORMAN COUNTY.

Frank Etter, a stranger, was committed from Ada to the insane asylum at Fergus Falls last Thursday evening, after having been confined in the jail there for two days. Etter was put aboard the train at Barnesville by the authorities of that place and after having fought the train crew from there to Ada was put off the train. He was picked up on the Ada streets by the police and lodged in jail. On examination it was deemed advisable to send him to the asylum at Fergus Falls, to which place he was taken by Sheriff Peterson of Norman county.

DEPOT AT LAKE CITY BURNS.

Sparks From Passing Locomotive Origin of Fire.

Lake City, Minn., Sept. 10. — The freight depot of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at this point was destroyed by fire. Sparks from a passing locomotive ignited the roof and the building burned to the ground. The loss was about $3,000.

Daring Robbery at Red Wing.

Red Wing, Minn., Sept. 10. — A daring robbery was committed in the Cook saloon, on the island opposite the city, when Robert Keefe, better known as "Hickory Bob," snatched a jewel box containing jewelry and money to the value of $975 and made his escape. He was captured later by the Red Wing police, and most of the property was recovered.

Kills Brother's Wife.

New York, Sept. 10.—Humbert de Givannia, a young baker, shot and killed Mrs. Orest de Givanni, his brother's wife, at Coney Island last night and then fired a bullet into his own head, which will probably cause death. Givanni's failure to persuade his sister-in-law to elope with him is said by the police to have been the cause.

Held on Murder Charge.

Duluth, Sept. 10.—William Scheiber was indicted for murder in the first degree for the killing of Frank Massapust near Buhl. The victim was a homesteader, and robbery is said to have been the motive for the crime.

Two Women Leap to Death.

New York, Sept. 10. — Two women, one grieving over the death of her favorite son, the other despondent because of illness, leaped to death yesterday from windows in their homes.

Dynamite Fatal to Four.

Agawam, Mass., Sept. 10. — Three men were killed, one was fatally injured and five others were seriously hurt by the explosion of twenty pounds of dynamite.

Killed While Hunting.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 10. — While crawling through a fence and dragging a loaded shotgun after him, John Boma, a local grocer, was shot and killed at Rice lake.

Killed in a Runaway.

Appleton, Minn., Sept. 10. — The thirteen-year-old son of J. J. De Wall was killed in a runaway on the Cloverdale farm, near here.

Arrest German Spy.

Orleans, France, Sept. 10.—The police have arrested a German spy while attempting to bribe a French soldier to abstract important parts of a field gun.

Plunges to Death in Niagara.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 10. — A woman about twenty-five years old, of refined appearance, late yesterday afternoon walked into the river about thirty feet above Prospect Point and was swept over the falls. She left nothing to identify her.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

The bare idea of getting bald is distasteful to any man.

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Women would rather have cold feet than large ones.

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Between two grafts a politician is apt to make a play for both.

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A safe racetrack bet is one you didn't get there in time to make.

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It's a pity an actress cannot elevate the stage as easily as she can her eyebrows.

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Some men get married for the purpose of having someone drive them to drink.

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When the average man gives a dollar to some charity, he manages to get caught in the act.

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Learn to hide your aches and pains under a smile. The world has many troubles of its own.

HURT IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK.

Minneapolis Lumberman and Employe Narrowly Escape Death.

Minneapolis, Sept. 10.—As the result of the breaking of a front wheel on his automobile, Ralph D. Wilcox, vice president of the Wilcox Bros. Lumber company, and Bruno Sebel, an employe, narrowly escaped being crushed to death under the overturned machine yesterday afternoon. Both men are at the Asbury hospital with numerous fractures and bruises.

The way a girl catches a young man she wants is by pretending to try to catch an older one she doesn't want.

Broken Glasses Accurately Replaced
Mail the pieces!
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An Intellectual Uplift

Thruout the country agriculture is now experiencing a wonderful intellectual uplift. It is such a forward movement as no other calling ever received and no other age ever witnessed.

Only the educated farmer will have a chance in the sharp competition of the future. He will live so much better and make so much more than the farmer of today that it will make most farming of the present look primitive.

The farmer should be a specialist. This requires preparation. Education counts for as much as experience in the preparation for profitable farming. Two years of special school work is more valuable than many years of the ordinary farm experience.

The farmer's wife and daughters ought to be something besides mere working machines. Too many of them grind out their daily tasks calling them drudgery and hating them with all their strength year in and year out. A couple years of practical training at an Agricultural School, where they study many things their brothers study, and other things their brothers do not study, broadens their views and simplifies their methods of housework and farm life. The possibilities of their lives are opened to them, and the way to a better and happier life is shown them.

Is it to be wondered at then, that the dedication of Stephens Hall at the School of Agriculture tomorrow has caused an interest that permeates every portion of the 9th congressional district?

After weeks of preparation, the program is complete and tomorrow will witness one of the largest, and by all odds the most significant gathering ever held in Crookston. Many interested people arrived this morning, and thousands more will arrive this evening and on the special and regular trains tomorrow morning.

The dedication of Stephens Hall marks a new epoch in the history of the progress of the Red River Valley. It means a new, better and greater prosperity for the farmer as well as the business man in the city. It means the beginning of an entirely new order of things.

Roosevelt's Letter For Taft

The president gets into the game of president-making with a safe- and sane letter which puts the argument for the election of Taft on better basis than it has yet been stated, says the Minneapolis Journal.

In describing a true friend of reform the president undoubtedly had Taft in mind but yet the description can be viewed purely impersonally as the standard to which a candidate for presdent ought to measure up this year. It would not be the president's fault if Mr. Taft proved to be the only candidate who met all the conditions.

"The true friend of reform, the true foe of abuses," says the president "is the man who steadily perseveres in righting wrongs but whose character and training are such that he never promises what he cannot perform"

This is a complete picture of Taft the administrator, lawyer, judge and advccate. He has steadily warred against abuses, but never gone to wild extremes in promising what could not be done, nor has he accepted compromises where there was a fair chance to get what he was after He has moved steadily forward, constantly growing in his ideas, and strengthened in his determination to get what was right for the people. The calm, steady determination of the man is seen in his fight for the Filipinos, in his work upon the Panama canal and in his early stand for tariff revision.

The president, recognizing that the campaign turns to a large extent upon the question of confidence in parties, took occasion to bring forward Mr. Taft's relation to the railroad question. Back of the campaign the president knows, and everybody knows, there is this question, "Shall the railroads be regulated or absorbed?" The democratic candidate has made at least one threat of government ownership. Mr. Taft has steadied the ship of state on that particular fad. He has punctured some of the claims of the promoters of hatred between the railroads and the community. The president follows in the same line, when he says the railroads, no less than the public, have rights. If the roads are to remain in private ownership, but subject to public regulation, they must be accorded the full use of their rights, and held to a strict accountability for any wrongs they may commit. In order to move freight, pay their employes and distribute dividends among their stockholders, the railroads must be allowed the use and enjoyment of their lawgiven rights. They, on their side, are to cease discrimination and the committal of recognized abuses. On the other hand when the railroads withdraw from politics, politics must drop them. Their regulation becomes administrative duty rather than political capital. The election of a strong, wellpoised president like Taft, is as necessary to the inauguration of the new policy as was the election of a virile agitator like Roosevelt to the uncovering of the causes for popular discontent.

STATE PRESS

Opinions

Stillwater Gazette: We understand that the winners in Wisconsin are highly delighted with the primary law, while the losers are expressing their opinions in the most vigorous language.

A Proof

Walker Pilot: The fact that Lincoln wore homespun clothing goes to show that he had very little time for the catalogue houses.

"Love is the wine of life," exclaimed the poet.

"And marriage is the morning after," added the cynic.

Journal want ads bring results.

Rapacious Lumber Trust

Monticello Times: The Philadelphia Public Ledger says that the reasons why Speaker Cannon and his committee on rules held up the important measure of saving the forest region was "the influence of the Lumber trust and its no less rapacious congener, the Paper trust, were at the bottom of it." Go to the bottom of all matters arising before congress and the trusts dominate directly or indirectly. The trusts exploit whatever is to be exploited.

Stuck Up

Walker Pilot: A little taffy now and then, will make stuck up the best of men.

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We buy and sell lands in Polk County.

From Over The Valley

STEEL CANOE GOES DOWN—THREE KILLED

International Falls, Sept 15—Three prominent men from Fort Blanchard Man., lost their lives today when the steel canoe, guaranteed not to sink in case of capsizing, went down like lead. The dead are:

H. J. Sissons.
John Lockheart.
Atkinson, initials not known.

The accident occurred in the Rainy river at the rapids, the men being on their way to Rainy Lake. The boat caught in a whirlpool and capsized, its occupants being unable to save themselves. The boat was one which the men purchased under the strict guarantee that it would not sink if capsized. Sissons is a very prominent lawyer of Manitoba and leaves a wife and two children. Lockheart is the owner of the steamer Majestic He too, leaves a wife and family. Atkinson was a single man.

BAGLEY CORPS OF TEACHERS FOR 1908.

All the teachers who are to make up the staff of instructors in the Bagley schools for the present school year, and who reside out of town, arrived the first of the week — Miss Clara Iddings, principal, of Minneapolis, Miss Madeline Collins, of Barnsville, Miss Aleda Hershberger, of Fosston and Miss Ingeborg Espeseth, of Erskine. Miss Laura Peake, the only member of the staff who is to teach her first term in Bagley, is a resident of Brainerd.

FRANK RILEY FEARS HIS BROTHER WAS KILLED

Another letter was received Sunday by the police department relative to the disappearance of T. A. Riley of whom injury was made last week by his mother, Mrs. J. C. Riley of Spokane. This time Frank Riley of St. Paul makes inquiry relative to the missing man and in his letter he states that he fears his brother has met with foul play.

The missing man was in Grand Forks early in August and has not been heard from since.

INDIANS' THUMB MARKS TO BE ON ALL CHECKS

There has been an order issued by the Indian department to the effect that hereafter all Indians' checks and other papers which they have to sign will have to be signed by his thumb mark instead of an "X" as has formerly been the custom.

CRUDE OIL BURNER FOR THRESHING RIG

The inventor of a threshing engine which burns crude oil for fuel has been trying out the engine for the last two weeks up in the Cando, N. D. country, with satisfactory results.

UNIVERSITY OF N. D. WILL HAVE BIG ATTENDANCE

The prospects of a large attendance at the N. D. university this year are excellent. The office force has been busier than ever before in replying to the many inquiries that have poured in from all sides and the indications are that when the registration takes place on next Tuesday the number of students who will appear will be much larger than ever before.

The university will open next Tuesday and President Merrifield who has been in Europe this summer will arrive home very shortly for the last year, his resignation to take effect at the end of the season.

MORE DAIRIES SHOW DECREASE IN WHEAT YIELD

The total amount of grain marketed in Grand Forks county this year is not nearly as large as it has been in other years, according to those who are in a position to know the facts. However with the good price prevailing, the farmers have made good and are more prosperous than in many other years when the yield was a great deal larger.

Threshing will be completed in Grand Forks county this week. Already a number of threshing machines have laid up for the year and the next few days will see the others closed down.

DON'T TAKE BAD MONEY IN CIRCULATION

Flaxton N. D., is flooded with counterfeit 25 and 50 cent pieces. The bad ones are recognized by a fullness around the rim and a coarser, heavier appearance in general, while the color of the twenty-five cent pieces is slightly darker, and give evidence of being molded instead of stamped. The imitation is a clever one.

WOMEN'S FEDERATED CLUBS MEET OCT. 7, 8, 9.

The annual state convention of the Women's Federated clubs of North Dakota, will be held at Minot, Oct. 7, 8 and 9. Mrs. Frank White, resident president of the federation, has received word that the date has been definitely fixed. While it was known that the convention would be held in October, the exact dates have just recently been fixed. The principal speaker will be Enos Mills, the forestry expert from the U. S. forestry bureau.

GOVERNMENT SCALER VISITS RED LAKE

Nathan J. Head who has for several years been scaler of government timber, arrived in the city Saturday, from White Earth where he has been visiting with old friends. Mr. Head returned to Red Lake yesterday on the M. R. L. & M. special and will remain in that vicinity for some time to come.—Bemidji Pioneer.

From our Ecxhanges

WARREN
(Register)

Miss Ula Wood left Friday for Sauk center, to resume teaching in the public schools of that city.

Ingolf Grindeland left on Tuesday for Decorah, Iowa, to become a student at Luther college there.

Just as we go to press we learn that Edward Hunstad died at the Warren hospital last night. Mr. Hunstad was a leading farmer of the town of McCrea.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Eckstrom, whose marriage occured at Moorhead on Aug. 20th, arrived yesterday from the southern part of the stae, where they had been spending their honeymoon.

The enrollment of the city schools reached 344 today. On Monday of next week the truant officer will start out to round up the children of school age in the district who have not been enrolled prior to that time.

Miss Elsie Schmitt, of Thief River Falls, who was to teach the sixth and seventh grades of the city schools, has resigned and Miss Bertha Wyand of Crookston has been elected to the position.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Spaulding of New York city visited at the home of the formers brother, C. L. Spaulding, for several days this week, while enroute home from a trip to Port Arthur, Winnnipeg and other Canadian points. They left for the east Tuesday night.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

A daughter was born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Matt Barzen.

Henry Cook went down to Crookston Saturday evening, called there by the illness of his daughter, Miss Elizabeth.

Five people were baptized in the Red Lake river Sunday afternoon. A large crowd assembled to witness the ceremony.

Miss Grace Meehan left last Saturday for East Grand Forks, having been engaged to teach in the city schools of that place during the coming year.

Mrs. August Yonke, wife of one of the pioneer settlers of this section, died at her home in Porter's addition early yesterday morning. The funeral services will be held today.

Judge Page Morris arrived in the city Tuesday from Duluth and will spend a few days in this vicinity hunting with Ed. Wilcox. Mr. Morris has not missed hunting in this section for several years past.

Joseph Jerome, a former well known resident of this city, but at present located at Battle River in Beltrami county where he conducts a large general store, spent Monday in the city attending to business matters and visiting with old friends.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

Start an account with This Bank and avail yourself of these material benefits.

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DO YOU KEEP FLOCK OF SHEEP?

(Furnished by the Minnesota Farmers' Institutes, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minnesota

The problems of securing reliable farm labor for dairying and general farming is confronting many farmers in these times. Poor seasons for yield and quality of small grains have reduced the profits on many grain farms in Minnesota. Do you realize as a farmer that Minnesota is one of the best located and best adapted states in the Union for growing and feeding of sheep? Do you realize how a good flock of sheep will help to solve your labor problem and return you a profit in unfavorable grain years? Read the following account of 39 ewes owned and cared for by a farmer in southwestern Minnesota. These figures were accurately gathered and the amounts of feed weighed and recorded by an employe of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment station.

On Jan. 1st, 1906, the flock consisted of 39 ewes ranging from one to five years of age. They were fed hay and fodder corn with a light grain ration during winter months. In the spring the flock was turned into the grain fields and allowed to graze until the grain was 6 inches high. During the summer they were allowed the run of the pasture and farmstead, and after the grain was stacked in the fall they were turned into the grain fields where they picked their living until October 26th, when ewes and lambs were all sold. Following is the financial account with the flock Jan 1:

To inventory	$240.00	
Barley	.60	
Salt	.97	
Oats	7.71	
Wheat screenings	5.92	
Flax	5.00	
Bran	1.50	
Fodder corn	10.00	
Pasture	9.75	
Hay	9.85	
Wool twine	.40	
Cash cost shearing	3.25	
Man and horse labor	5.17	
By wool		90.00
By 39 ewes and 38 lambs		587.50
Gain	377.38	
	$677.50	$677.50

—E. C. Parker.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY WEST

Mr. Wm. Capes from Remington, Ind., is visiting his brother and family at the Keystone Farm.

The Misses Cora Ehnen and Olive Champlain left Monday morning for Grand Forks where they expect to attend school the coming year.

Mrs. James Lee drove to Grand Forks Tuesday where she spent the day shopping..

B. F. Stried of Matamora, Ill., was in this vicinity last week attending to business matters.

John Capes has returned from a business trip to his old home in Illinois.

Farmers in this vicinity are very busy threshing and if the present fine weather continues for the next few days, they will be entirely through.

Miss Victoria Nyquist commenced a nine months term of school at the Lee school south of Key West, Tuesday, Sept. 8th.

S. L. Collins, the Crookston machine and livery man, was in this vicinity, Monday looking after the condition of threshing machines that he has disposed of in this neighborhood.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine.

Sold by all dealers.

WYLIE

The oldest inhabitants claim they have not seen so many grasshoppers and crickets as they have this year which may account for the prairie chicken not being found on the wheat fields the same as in former years, mornings and evenings.

Mike Drager will ship out two more loads of stock Friday for the St. Paul market. This shipmet should have been shipped last Friday but there was slight misunderstanding between Mike and Jim Hill as the stock cars did not arrive on that day.

Theo. Fournier, the Wylie cheesemaker received second prize at the state fair the score being 98 lacking just half a point of coming under the wire and taking firrst prize. Mr. Fournier has entered four contests this summer and is a prize winner in all of them. The supply of cheese the past two months is not equal to the demand.

The natives along this line were awestricken Tuesday on seeing a passenger coach but after a few explanations that it was nothing more or less than the assistant superintendent with his special and a negro cook they were soon brought back to their senses and proceeded on with farming the same as tho nothing occurred In a few weeks from now we will have telephone conections with St. Hilaire and it's up to Station Agent Borneman to give us warning should the likes occur again.

It's a pity an actress cannot elevate the stage as easily as she can her eyebrows.

Alleged Absconder Caught.

New York, Sept. 15. — Detectives yesterday caught Pasquale Caponiari, an Italian banker, who is alleged to have absconded from this city a year and a half ago with about $100,000 belonging to depositors.

Badly Burned, Boy May Die.

St. Paul, Sept. 155. — Joseph Crevenick, seven years old, was terribly burned yesterday by his clothing catching from a bonfire. He may die.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 14 In History.

1407—John Chrysostom, famous preacher of Constantinople, died.

1547—Jan van Olden Barneveldt, Dutch statesman and martyr, born; beheaded May 13, 1619.

1742—James Wilson, "signer" for Pennsylvania, born near St. Andrews, Scotland; died 1798.

1807—Fulton first ascended the Hudson by steam.

1852—The Duke of Wellington died; born 1769.

1901—President William McKinley died at Buffalo of the wound received on the 6th at the hands of Leon F. Czolgosz; born Niles, O., Jan. 29, 1843. Vice President Theodore Roosevelt took the oath of office as president of the United States.

1906—Secretary Taft ordered to Cuba on account of the revolution.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:07, rises 5:36; moon rises 8:53 p. m.; moon's age 19 days; 4 p. m., planet Venus at greatest elongation west, farthest west from sun, 46 degrees and 2 minutes; now going almost directly from the earth.

LOST—Black and white setter bitch. Dog Tax No. 3 Crookston on collar. Liberal reward for return of same P. O. Box 1012 or telephone 396.

BIG BOUNCING BOY — Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Larson of Nelson Street are the proud parents of a new nine pound boy who arrived Saturday morning.

VISITED FRIENDS—Floyd Bliven at one time clerk at the Palace Hotel in this city spent yesterday here the guest of frinds and rturned this morning to Edinburg, N. D., where he is now employed.

GETTING BETTER—James Novotny, Sr., has been confined to his bed the past five weeks with a severe attack of stomach trouble and has suffered greatly. We are pleased to note, however, that he is now on a fair way to recovery.—Badger Herald

ELEGANT FRUIT—O. N. J. Hagen Saturday received a crate of elegant peaches from Harvey Warninger, who is in the restaurant business at North Yakima. The peaches were beauties large in size and fine flavored. Mr. Warninger was employed in the Oyster Bay Restaurant for years, and has a host of friends in Crookston.

TEACHING IN 82— W. J. Doran who has for a number of years taught near Euclid has accepted the school in district No. 82 several miles west of this city. Mr. Doran is one of Polk county's best instructors and the parents can congratulate themselves on the fact that their children are in good hands.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON— Lars E. Hellner of the firm of Hellner and Strandell, who was in the city a few days attending to business matters returned to Rolla, N. D., this morning. He says that their contracts for the cities of Rolla and Milton are coming along well and they will net the firm a good profit.

A POPULAR HOD— One of the most popular traveling men who has made this territory is Hod Taylor whose line has been hardware. He is now out for the Cable Horse Nail Co., of St. Louis, Mo., and has all the western states as his territory. He will be in this vicinity about a week and Crookston will be his headquarters.

DUCKS WERE SCARCE:— W. S. Lycan, Dr. H. W. Smith and Will Munch left Sunday afternoon for Goose Lake and made a tour of several noted duck ponds, returning home this morning. They report seeing very few ducks and are of the opinion that there will be little duck shooting at Goose Lake till after the first of November. However they brought ducks enough for a mess or two.

PIONEER CROOKSTONITE — S. Langevin who has been spending the past six weeks here the guest of his son Dr. H. Langevin and other relatives and many friends left this after noon for Linwood, Mich., where he will visit with another son. Mr. Langevin is one of the pioneers of this locality and was one of the first of the many Crookstonites to locate in North Yakima, Wash., leaving here in 1896. His old farm, now known as the Wheeler farm on the north road to Gentilly is considered one of the best in the valley.

HAD GOOD LUCK—L. J. Lake and wife spent a few days of last week at Goose lake and returned to the city with the first wild goose brought in, a fine mess of ducks and 15 prairie chickens. The chickens were all shot within a stones throw of John Goodwin's house in Angus township. Mr. Lake and Mr. Goodwin thought they would go out for a few hours one afternoon and had not got 15 rods from the horse before the dog made a point. A chicken got up but was winged. Inside of 15 minutes 15 birds got up, one by one, and every one was killed. This makes Mr. Lake about the luckiest hunter from Crookston.

BANGS HAD HIS TROUBLES:— Tracy R. Bangs, one of the leading attorneys of Grand Forks, with Mrs. Bangs and his son Philip and Mrs. Whithead started from Grand Forks last Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock for Crookston. After puncturing an inner tube four times on the way over they arrived here at 6 o'clock. A new tube was put in and Mr Bangs was just gathering up his load of passengers for the return trip when the tube exploded again before he had circled the first block. He had another tube inserted and the party finally left for home about 8 o'clock. No message has as yet been received as to whether they have reached home yet. And through it all Mr. Bang wore the smile that would not come off. What he was thinking about may be another story.

A POPULAR NORTHWEST—Barny Thompson of Euclid is in the city today telling of the many bushels of golden grain he is daily threshing with his "Northwest" outfit. He says that the Northwest is the best machine he has had any thing to do with, during the many years he has been in the business. There is some satisfaction to do a good job and receive no kicks.

From Tuesday's Daily

Sept. 15 In History.

1776—New York city captured by the British.

1789—James Fenimore Cooper, writer of Indian romances, born; died 1851.

1862—Surrender of Harpers Ferry, the most important Federal surrender of the war.

1907—Rear Admiral John Grimes Walker, U. S. N., retired, died at High Pasture, N. H.; born 1825.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:05, rises 5:37; moon rises 9:29 p. m.; moon's age 20 days.

POTATOES NET WELL — Julius Wentzel is in the city today with a load of potatoes. This crop is bringing better returns than the small grain crop in many localities.

CAME OVER TO VOTE —Angus Cameron who has been working in East Grand Forks for some time past arrived in the city this morning and will remain to cast a good democratic vote.

POLISHED FLOOR— The library in W. E. Rowe's law office has been treated to a new hard wood floor with several coats of varnish. Landlord Dan McKinnon is making it as convenent as possible for all the tenants.

BIG ADDITION TO TANNERY — August Miller has constructed an addition to his tannery in Sampsons addtion, 30 by 40 feet in order to take care of his steadily increasing business. The institution is growing to one of large proportions.

WERE FINED $2 — Two Indians were arrested Saturday night and yesterday morning were fined $2 each for being drunk. They gave their names to Chief Eck as Sam and Will Withey. Now Steve is threatening to have them fined $10 more for impersonating royalty.

HERE ON BUSINESS—Elroy Rilley came down from Beaudette Satur day night and will spend several days in the city looking after some real estate he has here. Mr. Riley has a picture show at Beaudette and is doing a good business.

VISITS THE BRUSHES— W. N. Frost of St. Paul went north to Angus to visit with the Brush family on their farm west of that town. Mr. Frost is an old college chum of Percy and Albert and anticipates a pleasant visit.

RETIRES FROM ACTIVE MANAGEMENT—Joe Barrette has released the management of his place on Broadway to Maurice Brosseau who will always be found there. Mr. Barrette expects to go west an a trip soon, to visit his parents at Twin Falls, Idaho.

BELGIUM POTATO CROP— John P. Georgen one of the up-to-date progressive farmers of Belgium town was in the city yesterday furnishing his regular customers with his farm produce. Mr. Georgen has a fine crop of potatoes and reports all his neighbors to be equally blessed. Belgium will turn out its usual vote today.

OLD GROCERYMAN HERE—C. H. Howard one of the pioneer grocerymen of Grand Forks who retired from that line a few years ago and has since been representing The Golden Grain Biscuit Co., and who is in active charge of the factory here came over yesterday afternoon to hustle things along so as to fill the orders which are pouring in from all directions.

TRADED FOR LIVERY — Lewis Lohn was up from Fosston last Satur day to look over a livery outfit including several horses and a number of harness and vehicles, which he and A. Kaiser secured from some place in Illinois thru an exchange for a quarter section of land in the north part of the county near Clearwater lake.—Bagley Times.

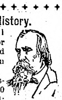
PROMINENT MACHINE MAN — L. W. Larson of Crookston one of the prominent machine men of Crookston stopped off in this city this morning enroute to Cando. Mr. Larson and Deputy Sheriff Johnson came to this neck of the woods 34 years ago and the two had quite a lengthy chat of old times at the Great Northern depot this morning.—Grand Forks Times.

AT BEMIDJI TODAY— Frank Jeffers spent several hours in the city last evening, going to Bemidji where he has some business requiring his attention. Mr. Jeffers is a candidate for the democratic nomination for Register of Deeds in Red Lake county. As everybody votes the republican ticket today, he telephoned a friend to be sure to see that he gets at least the required vote to secure the nomination.

KITTSON CO., O. K.— C. J. Estlund, editor of the Kennedy Star and N. B. Nelson a merchant of that town have been spending a few days in the city on a matter of business. They say that Kittson Co., is on the same band wagon of prosperity, as the rest of the valley and that Kennedy is right in the middle of it. The gentlemen returned home this morning, not without many complimentary remarks for Crookston, the Queen City. They will spend the next few days stirring up interest for the exourson on the seventeenth.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 16 In History.



L. Q. C. Lamar.

1736—Gabriel Daniel Fahrenheit, noted for thermometers, died in Amsterdam; born 1686.

1812—Burning of Moscow; over 30,000 buildings destroyed; loss $150,000,000.

1825—Lucius Quintus Cincinnatus Lamar, statesman and jurist, born; died 1893.

1901—State funeral over the remains of William McKinley held at the capitol in Washington.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:04, rises 5:38; moon rises 10:10 p. m.; moon's age 21 days; 5:33 a. m., eastern time, moon at last quarter in constellation Taurus.

MORE MONEY FOR SUFFERERS —The money continues to come in for the Chisholm fire sufferers, several new ones appearing today. The fund now stands as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$73
From lodge	25
R. R. Demott	1
P. K. Haselrud	3
Henry Bruley	1
Total	$103

SAYS SKIRTS ARE CLEARED— According to a letter received by relatives in the city, Oliver Granum has been fully cleared of the charge of attempted blackmail at Minot, where he was employed by the Minot Daily Reporter. It is claimed by him that another newspaper man was at the bottom of his arrest, and later had to make tracks for Canada, as it was his accuser, Granum claims, who was the real offender. The case against Granum has been dropped.

DITCH WORK—James Muir was in from Hubbard township yesterday attending to some business matters, and exercise his right of franchise. Mr. Muir has been on ditch number two this summer and he says it is a tough proposition, much harder than to construct a new one. The Journal readers will remember this was the uncompleted ditch left by the formers contractors and has caused considerable trouble.

MRS. J. C. SHERLOCK DEAD — Mrs. J. C. Sherlock, wife of Alderman Sherlock, residing in East Grand Forks, after a long lingering illness breathed her last and passed to the Great Beyond yesterday.

Mrs. Sherlock was born at Kinborn Nobles county, Minn., and at the time of her death was 32 years old. Her maiden name was Mary McGuire she becoming the bride of J. C. Sherlock thirteen years ago. Their marriage has been blessed with five children, three girls, Hazel, Valiera and Eulela, and two boys, Onville and Ulmont. Besides these there are left to mourn her loss, her mother, Mrs. M. McGuire of Kinburn, three sisters Mrs. John Gleffer of Saskatoon, Can. Mrs. Howard Boyington of Blaukbee and Mrs. Bernfield and three brothers Thomas and Michael of Kinburn and Elias of Walnut Grove.

Her husband, mother, children and sister, Mrs. Gleffer were all her bedside when the peaceful end came.

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RURAL ROUTES AID GOOD ROADS

THOROFARES ARE REPAIRED TO FACILITATE DELIVERY OF MAIL

TO FARMERS IN NORTHWEST — MINNESOTA NOW HAS 1549 ROUTES

From Wednesday's Daily—

According to a communication received from P. V. DeGraw fourth assistant postmaster general, the local postal authorities have been informed that the establishment of the rural free delivery routes has accelerated road construction and given the good road movement in the northwest a big boost.

Last spring Mr. DeGraw sent a letter to each postmaster asking for information regarding the roads covered by the rural routes; also asking particular information about sections needing repairs where bridges and culverts were needed and the amount of money expnded in the districts since the routes were established.

Reports from Minnesota, the Dakotas, Wisconsin and Michigan show that the roads covered by the routes are in fairly good condition and that the majority of the roads in poor condition are due to the lack of ditching and grading. They also show that since the rural delivery routes were established in these states the condition of roads has been greatly improved and that considerable sums of money have been expended in building new roadways and repairing old ones.

Exact information as to the amount expended on certain roads covered by rural delivery is lacking but the reports show that in Minnesota the aggregate expenditure on these roads is $1,573,422; in North Dakota, $194,667; S. Dakota $271,420; Wisconsin $2,431,965 and Michigan $1,704,436.

Road Officials Warned

Minnesota now has $1,549 routes, covering about 52,048 miles; North Dakota 331 routes covering about 9,268 miles; South Dakota 453 routes covering about 12,684 miles, Wisconsin 1,581 routes, covering about 38,734 miles, and Michigan 1,967 routes covering about 48,191 miles.

Some postmasters have given information regarding roads that were not in good repair and the department has sent letters to road officials of these districts informing them that unless the roads are put in good condition the rural free delivery routes will be discontinued.

FINE APPLES IN POLK CO.

PRODUCTS OF OSCAR WICK'S ORCHARD ATTRACTING MUCH ATTENTION

That as fine apples can be raised in this vicinity as in any section has again been demonstrated this season in the orchard of Oscar Wick one mile south of East Grand Forks. The orchard produced again this year some magnificent Wealthy, Duchess, Minnesota and other varieties of large apples as well as a number of varieties of crab apples. The fruit is not only of large size exquisite coloring, but of the finest flavor as has been duly attested by the writer here of. Mr. Wick sent samples of his apples to the state fair at Hamline and the exhibit attracted wide attention there, as it is not generally understood that such fruit can be successfully grown so far north. Mr. Wick also raises very successully, strawberries, gooseberries, currants, plums and other small fruit in addition to all kinds of hardy ornamental trees and shrubs and flowers. His place is a veritable park in beauty and is well worth a drive out to the place to see.

WHAT STEPHENS HALL DEDICATION MEANS

(Continued from page eight)

is given to the removing of fruit and other stains. Other things are taught special treatment of flanels, silks, prints and laces; fixation of colors; composition and action of various soaps, soda, bluing, borax and washing powders; making and using cold and boiled starch; care and use of irons; polishing devices. Each lesson is made practical by laundering material selected for the occasion.

The above outlined things are a few of the many practical things the young women have an opportunity to learn in schools of this kind. A great many other things might be mentioned but time and space does not permit.

When the average man gives a dollar to some charity, he manages to get caught in the act.

FEAR COAL FAMINE IN WEST

RAILROAD OFFICIALS CLAIM CONSUMERS ARE BUYING SLOWLY

DANGER OF FUEL FAMINE IF THERE IS A HARD WINTER

From Wednesday's Daily—

St. Paul, Aug. 31—Railroad officials say that unless the people of Minnesota and North Dakota make an effort to put in their coal supply immediately there is danger of a repetition of "coal famine" conditions which prevailed during the winter of 1906-07. Up to the present not nearly enough coal necessary to meet the fall demand has moved from the Head of the Lakes it is claimed.

The Great Northern reports that the supply moved to points in Minnesota and N. Dakota is from 25 to 50 per cent less than at this time last year. The trouble seems to be with individual dealers. The people apparently do not realize the necessity for putting their supply in early.

Storage Capacity Taxed

There are approximately 3,000,000 tons of soft coal and 800,000 tons of hard coal on the docks at the head of the lakes now. Storage capacity is taxed to the limit and serious shortage is bound to occur it is said, unless the roads are given on opportunity to get the coal out before the grain movement sets in.

By placing orders now for immediate delivery it is pointed out that the consumer not only gets a better price but relieves the storage bins of the retailer thereby enabling him to restock at once.

MATSON SENT TO GREEN BAY.

Horse Thief Came From St. Paul Is Sentiment.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 16.—George E. Matson alias Sam White, self-confessed horse thief, was yesterday sentenced to Green Bay reformatory for three years and six months. Although his name is Matson he insisted on being sent to the reformatory under the name of Sam White. He came here from St. Paul.

DEATH SHIES AT FARMER.

Shoots Himself Six Times and Cuts His Wrists, but Still Lives.

Osage, Iowa, Sept. 16. — Charles Govier, living on a farm about three miles west, shot himself six times, then after cutting his wrists and arms walked a short distance to his house and fell prostrated on the porch. He was found by his mother, who summoned Dr. J. W. Barrett, who extracted five of the bullets from his head. Mr. Govier is in a critical condition and his recovery is very doubtful. The cause of the tragedy is not known.

SCARED TO DEATH BY BLOOD.

Slight Wound in Breast Gives Fatal Shock to Wisconsin Matron.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Sept. 16. — Frightened by the sight of blood oozing from a slight wound on her breast Mrs. John Bleskackek exclaimed, "I am going to die," and became unconscious and paralyzed. She died last night as a result of fright.

Fifty Students Arrested.

Chicago, Sept. 16. — The police, summoned to the Farragut boat house, Thirty-third street and Lake Michigan, by a riot call, arrested more than fifty students of Armour Institute of Technology, who were indulging in a scrimmage resulting from the marooning of a score of freshmen by a larger number of sophomores in an abandoned yacht.

Veteran Killed for Pension.

Weston, W. Va., Sept. 16.—William S. McNemar, a Ciivl war veteran, aged sixty-five years, shortly after receiving a pension check yesterday, was found dead in the willows bordering Polk creek. The body bore wounds supposed to have been inflicted with a club found near by.

Murderers Break Jail.

Chester, Ill., Sept. 16.—Joe Wright and George Clegg, who were serving life sentences in the penitentiary here for murder, escaped yesterday.

Launch Capsizes; Three Drown.

Fort Frances, Ont., Sept. 16.—Three men were drowned by the capsizing of a launch in the rapids of Rainy river, opposite Rithers' Point.

$50,000 Fire in Iowa Town.

Ottumwa, Iowa, Sept. 16.—The business section of Keosauqua, Iowa, was partially destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, $50,000.

Yellow Fever in Havana.

Havana, Sept. 16.—A case of yellow fever in Havana is officially reported and an order has been issued forbidding the officers and men at Camp Columbia from coming into the city.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers
Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.
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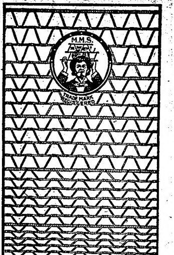

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LAKEVIEW HAS AGE RECORD

INTERESTING ELECTION HELD IN POLK COUNTY 30 YEARS AGO THIS FALL

McLEAN BEAT JUDGE WATTS FOR CO. ATTY., M. R. BROWN RECALLS OLD TIMES

From Tuesday's Daily—

The present primary election recalled the election held 30 years ago to the mind of Capt. M. R. Brown because of the fact that in the third ward the polling place is the Lakeview Hotel, the same building in which the election was held in 1878. In speaking of the matter to the Journal this morning Capt. Brown said:

"The third ward is today holding the election in the oldest polling place in the city that is now sanding. The election of the village of Crookston was held in the same building, the old Lakeview Hotel in 1878, thirty years ago. At that time the republicans elected W. D. Washburn to crongress, Andrew McRea state senator, S. G. Comstock, M. Anderson, representatives, John McLean, County Attorney, B. F. Zerracher, sheriff. C. Steenerson, school superintendent, and E. C. Davis county commissioner. The democrats had a full ticket and gave us quite a scrap. The total vote cast was about 850.

According to the Journal files of 30 years ago Crookston cast about 250 votes at that time. Judge McLean got 416 votes and Judge Watts 402 for county attorney. B. F. Zerracher the present Alderman from the 2nd ward was elected sheriff by 163 majority over A. Lachapelle, a brother of P. J. Lachapelle who still resides in this city. C. S. Spendley was elected register of deeds, getting all the votes excepting 80 which were cast for F. S. Fjoser, John Christianson was elected auditor and A. Yvernault was elected treasurer unanimously.

HUBBARD COUNTY HAS GOOD POTATO CROP

The potato crop in this vicinity wil be a bumper this fall, but we cannot understand why more attention is not paid to this kind of farming. Hubbard county is the finest potato country to be found.—Akeley Herald.

When Trifles Become Troubles
If any person suspects that their kidneys are deranged they should take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and not risk having Bright's disease or diabetes. Delay gives the disease a stronger foothold and you should not delay taking Foley's Kidney Remedy.
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R. R. LAW DECLARED INVALID

OWNING OF MINING PROPERTIES BY PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD IS UPHELD.

ATTORNEY GENERAL BONAPARTE AND PRESIDENT DECIDE ON APPEAL.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 11. — Declaring it to be harsh and unreasonable and an invasion of the rights of states, and therefore repugnant to the constitution, the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Pennsylvania today dismissed the suit of the federal government to enforce the commodities clause of the Hepburn railroad act against the anthracite coal carrying railroads of this state.

Judge George Gray and George M. Dallas filed opinions dismissing the suits and Judge Joseph Buffington dissented but did not file an opinion.

The commodities clause prohibits railroad companies to transport in interstate commerce any article or commodity manufactured, mined or produced by them or under their authority.

The decision of the court did not come as a great surprise. It is almost certain that the case would be appealed directly to the United States supreme court.

DIED VERY SUDDENLY

CARL SUNDSTROM FELL DEAD AS RESULT OF TOO MUCH WHISKEY.

From Friday's Daily—

This morning Carl Sundstrom, of Niagara, N. D., staggered into Tom Murray's saloon at East Grand Forks, and leaned up against the bar. Murray and his bartender saw he was ill and took him to a side room. They called officer Clinch, who summoned a physician, but Sundstrom died before the physician arrived. Dr. Kirk gave cause of death as heart failure due to too much liquor. Coroner Chesterman, who was on the ground, telegraphed Gus Sundstrom at Moorhead, who will take charge of the body. $3.50 in cash, a watch, and other things were found on the body. Sundstrom was well dressed. Nothing was known of him at East Grand Forks.

SUICIDE

From Friday's Daily—

A tremendous sensation was caused at Lengby when O. K. Ringstad, the postmaster at that place, committed suicide by shooting himself. It is understoo dthat he was despondent over his business affairs, which, it is intimated, are badly mixed. He is well known throughout this section and his rash act comes as a great surprise. Deputy Coroner Harry Chesterman went out this morning to take charge of the remains.

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KIDNAPER AND VICTIM ARE FOUND

TAYLOR IS PLACED UNDER ARREST AT EAST GR. FORKS ROOMING HOUSE.

GIRL IS FOUND, HALF CRAZED, IN RESORT, AND WILL BE WITNESS TODAY.

The Grand Forks police department has one of the most baffling cases of kidnaping to solve that has ever been known in this section. Inga Vraa is missing and it is suspected that Will Taylor is the man who kidnaped her. The girl is onlyn 17 years old. According to information furnished to the police, the girl has been so terrorized by his threats that she has complied with his demands for her meager earnings as a servant girl.

Alarmed by the disappearance of the girl, John Fishman, of Grand Forks, notified the police and a general alarm was sent out to the police of both Grand Forks and East Grand Forks. The girl has been employed recently at the Fishman home, and they became aware that she was being influenced by Taylor, who is said to be married, and to have a wife in East Grand Forks.

Grand Forks, Sept. 11.—William Taylor, wanted by the Grand Forks police on a charge of kidnaping Inga Vraa, aged 17 years, was arrested last evening in a residence on Second St., East Grand Forks, by Officers Quigley and Nelson. Half crazed with terror, Miss Vraa was found in an East Grand Forks resort, where she had been placed by Taylor. She was taken away from the place and is held as a witness against Taylor. Taylor will be given a hearing in the municipal court in East Grand Forks today on a charge of procuring girls for immoral purposes.

Net Was Spread.

The girl was located some time before Taylor was arrested. It was expected that he would seek to visit her or telephone and a net was spread for him. He telephoned the girl from a number of saloons yesterday evening and was traced by the police. Over the telephone he made desperate threats, and the last time he called the girl fell in a faint. He promised to murder her if the girl did not remain in the resort where she had been placed.

It is charged that Taylor took the girl to Crookston before and placed her in a resort. She escaped from it and went to Grand Forks, where she secured employment. He followed her there again and terrorized her.

The girl is sincere in her desire to lead an honorable life, but she has been dogged by Taylor until she is on the verge of insanity. She is anxious to have him sent to prison where he will trouble her no further.

May Be Tried in Forks.

Kidnaping is a serious offense in North Dakota and conviction means a long term in prison. Taylor's threats to kill are also likely to secure for him a long sentence behind the bars. In case he escapes conviction in East Grand Forks, the charges on the west side will be brought against him.

Employed on East Side.

Miss Vraa has been employed for a time by Mrs. Joe Jarvis of East Grand Forks. Taylor paid some little attention while she was there, and it is believed that the girl sought employment on the other side of the river to escape from him.

BEHIND BARS

William W. Taylor was arraigned in the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday on the charge of inveigling Inga Vraa into a house of ill repute. Taylor wanted time to get an attorney and some witnesses needed in his defense and his case was set for hearing on Monday next. His bonds were fixed at $1,000 which he was unable to furnish and he was committed to the Polk county jail.

Will Interest Many

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Remedy is taken in time.

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Teacher—And what do you suppose all the animals did during those forty days in the ark? Smarty Williams—They jest loafed around and scratched themselves. Sandy Toole (disdainfully)—Chuck it, Smarty! What'd they scratch for when there was only two fleas?—Bohemian.

CRITICIZES CITY COUNCIL

FOR GOING OUTSIDE OF CITY, COUNTY, AND STATE FOR BOILER INSPECTOR.

G. E. OGARD BELIEVES THE EXAMPLE WAS A VERY BAD ONE FOR OFFICIALS.

From Thursday's Daily—

The Journal this morning received the following severe criticism of the Crookston council for importing A. J. Roddy of Grand Forks, to inspect the boiler at the city hall, when local men are fully competent:

To The Journal:—

It seems that the members of the city council of this city have forgotten all about the recent writeups in the local papers about "Patronize your own town," and this is proven by the report of A. J. Roddy, of Grand Forks, who was hired by the council to inspect the boiler in the city hall. The city council went out of town, out of the county and out of the state and into North Dakota to get an expert to examine the boiler which has recently been installed in the city hall of Crookston.

The writer wishes to remind the members of the city council that the city of Crookston has two first class machine and boiler shops which emplo yexpert boiler makers, and either of these shops are located within six blocks of the city hall. We also have an ex-Republican boiler inspector and the present Democratic boiler inspector, both of the above boiler men are located in this city, and are in the boiler business, and can do the business to perfection were they given the chance. But this boiler in the city hall must have had some suspicious looking bags and warts on it, being that the city council decided to employ an expert from Grand Forks to look it over, and give them advice as to how to cure them.

If the people of Crookston and vicinity should follow the example set by the city council, they would send away to T. M. Roberts, Sears, Roebuck & Co., or some other catalog house for all their goods, whether much or little, and import whatever help the yneed from other towns, and let the business places of Crookston take care of themselves, but "Crookston Offers Opportunity" to outsiders.

It is too bad that the office seekers of this city are not allowed to import voters to help elect them to office, but have to be contented with the support theey will get in the city and county.

Yours truly,
G. E. OGARD.

ANTON PAULSBERG PASSES AWAY

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT BREATHES HIS LAST AFTER A LONG ILLNESS.

Last evening at 7:30 Anthony Paulsberg passed away at his home, 802 Stearns street, after a lingering illness, having suffered with cancer of the lungs for many months. Deceased has been a resident of Crookston for many years, and until recently, when incapacitated for business through illness, was bookkeeper for the Maple Bay Manufacturing Co. He was one of the charter members of the Viking Chorus, and a prominent member of that organization for the past six years. Deceased made friends of all with whom he came in contact, and there is deep regret over his death. He was 53 years of age and leaves a wife and three children, a daughter and a son at home, and another daughter, Mrs. O. J. Hanson, of Grand Forks. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the United Lutheran church and will be in charge of the Viking Chorus.

A DISTURBER WAS ARRESTED

A drunken lumberjack returning from the harvest fields, got gay on the Duluth train last night coming over from Grand Forks and thought he could use the first class car to swear and carouse in. Conductor Remshardt removed him to the smoker, among his comrades, who urged him to clean up the whole Great Northern system. In this drunken condition the fellow thought he had been terribly insulted and started in to do up the brakeman, who made short work of the effort, and held the fellow down, while Deputy Sheriff Daniels, who happened to be on the train, put handcuffs on him. The fellow is now doing time at the hotel de Gonyea.

W. S. LYCAN HOLDS PALM

WITH A. C. SCHMIDT HE RETURNED LAST EVENING WITH 73 BIRDS.

HE SHOT 70 ON THE FIRST WITH F. S. LYCAN AND 43 ON ANOTHER TRIP.

From Friday's Daily—

W. S. Lycan is without doubt the premier chicken hunter for the season of 1908, as on three hunts he has returned with 70, 43, and 73 chickens respectively, having but one other hunter along with him on each trip. Last evening he returned with A. C. Schmidt from a two days' hunt and had a bag of 73, and they had them, too, and exhibited them to any who wished to inspect them, and many of the less fortunate are enjoying tender chicken as a result of their generosity, today.

Mr. Lycan has a spleendid string of dogs, and when he goes after the birds he has a faculty of getting them. This is in addition to a number of runs he has taken for a few hours' hunt near the city, and has always returned with at least a few birds.

Without question this will be the record for the season, as no such bags have been approached by any other hunters for three successive trips.

BIG CLASS TOOK EXAMS

STATE EXAMINING BOARD OF BARBERS HELD MEETING HERE TODAY.

WILL TOUR NORTHERN PART OF STATE AND PROSECUTE UNLICENSED BARBERS.

From Thursday's Daily—

The Minnesota State Examining Board of Barbers, consisting of Walter Dunlop, Duluth, president; Gustav H. Baker, St. Paul, secretary, and Wm. Hamblin, Minneapolis, treasurer, held an examination in the barber shop of P. Snyder today and examined 15 applicants for licenses from northern Minnesota.

This is the first examination held in Crookston for eight years, and the board was pleased over the large attendance. The applicants are examined on all points of the business ver ythoroughly.

Following the examinations which will be held in Minneapolis next week, the board will make a tour of the entire state and prosecute all those practicing without a license. Those who took the examinations today follow:

I. Clingengeel, Grand Rapids.
Ion E. Folsom, Crookston.
Silas Dioppo, Fertile.
A. M. St. Marie, Crookston.
Frank Green, Alexandria.
E. E. Ellis, Bemidji.
R. Dennis, Bemidji.
M. J. Loff, Bemidji.
Guy McMahon, Crookston.
Martin Locken, Crookston.
Carl Ness, Crookston.
Erick Opdahl, McIntosh.
August W. Ness, Mentor.
W. H. Garrison, Bemidji.
F. L. Pearl, Moorhead.

W. R. C. TO AID FIRE SUFFERERS

THOSE HAVING CLOTHING TO DONATE LEAVE IT AT G. A. R. HALL SATURDAY.

The ladies of the W. R. C. have decided to send the fire sufferers at Chisholm and surrounding territory a big box, and any one having clothing they wish to donate will please leave same at the G. A. R. hall Saturday afternoon any time after 2 o'clock. This is a most worthy effort and the ladies should be assisted most heartily.

WHEELERS ARE GRANTED DIVORCE

Wallace S. Wheeler was today granted a divorce from Christine Wheeler, on the grounds of dissertion. The couple were married at Fosston, in 1902, both too young to know their own minds. They lived in Duluth until 1904, when she left for parts unknown.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed.

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ANDERSON AND LUND HELD

TO THE GRAND JURY ON THE CHARGE OF HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

PAIR BROUGHT OVER FROM EAST GRAND FORKS LAST NIGHT.

From Friday's Daily—

Sam Anderson, Gust Lund and Albert Johnson were given a hearing yesterday in the municipal court at E. G. Forks, on the charge of highway robbery in holding up Andrew Hill near the residence of W. C. Nash in East Grand Forks, Wednesday afternoon. The evidence showed that Lund threw a piece of belting around their victim's neck and grasping both ends dexterously proceeded to choke Hill, while Anderson went through his pockets and took all of his money, amounting to 85 cents. There was no evidence against Johnson, and the case against him was dismissed, but Anderson and Lund were held to the grand jury. Their bonds were fixed at $500 each, which they were unable to furnish and they were brought to the county jail at Crookston last night by Deputy Sheriff Daniels.

TRAIN CREW GETS $200

CLIFF McLENNAN, OLD RESIDENT OF CROOKSTON AND ANGUS GETS IN GAME.

CAPTURES YOUNG HORSE THIEF AND WILL DIVIDE REWARD WITH CONDUCTOR.

From Friday's Daily—

Robert Kolseth, the 19 year old boy of the town of Wyandotte, Red Lake Co., who stole a team belonging to his uncle, Hans Kolseth, last week, drove the team to Crookston and sold them for $100, is safely landed in the State Reformatory.

Young Kolseth was traced to Thief River Falls and the trainmen were given a description of the boy. Tuesday he was discovered getting aboard a Soo freight train at Aneta by Brakesman Cliff McLennan, formerly a well known resident of Angus and Crookston. Mr. McLennan and Conductor G. H. Frissel took him up to Lancaster, where he was turned over to the village marshall for safe keeping until they made the return trip to Thief River Falls that evening.

Wednesday before Judge Bishop, he entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to the Minnesota State Reformatory at St. Cloud. Messers McLennan and Frissel will divide the $200 reward which the state pays for the capture of a horse thief.

An Old Offender

This is not the first time young Kolseth has been in trouble. About a year ago he came to Thief River Falls and asked for a loan, giving personal property for security. The local banker did not know Robert, but did know of the high standing of the Kolseths of the town of Wyandotte, advanced the money and later it was discovered the boy did not own the property he mortgaged. In order to save him from being arrested, his uncle advanced the money to pay the loan.

Trouble Getting Horses.

Young Kolseth sold the team to Contractor McKinney, who has his camp near Euclid, and last evening Hans Kolseth, his uncle, drove out after the stolen team with Sheriff Gonyea. The team was hid somewhere and they could not locate them. McKinney had a bill of sale for the team, to which the young thief had signed the name of Hans Kolseth. McKinney wanted Hans to put up the $100 he had paid for the team. They returned without the team last evening but today returned and expect to bring the horses with them. McKinney is out this $100 and McLennan and Frissell are ahead just $200.

INSTALATION COUNCIL HERE

Letters missive were issued today by the Congregational church of Crookston arranging for an Installation Council here on Wednesday, Sept. 23rd. Ten or a dozen ministers of the denomination will be present for the purpose of inducting Rev. C. C. Warner into the office to which the Crookston church has elected him. The occasion will be of special interest to the church-going public, and it is hoped that the local churches will arrange to be present.

We shall publish the detailed program at a later date.

The Song of the Hair

There are four verses. Verse 1. Ayer's Hair Vigor stops falling hair. Verse 2. Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the hair grow. Verse 3. Ayer's Hair Vigor cures dandruff. Verse 4. Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the scalp healthy, and keeps it so. It is a regular hair-food; this is the real secret of its wonderful success.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

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Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

SIVER AGAIN TAKES FIELD

DONS WAR PAINT AND TAKES A POKE AT CAPTAIN VONDERBECK.

GODBOUT TURNED HIS FLANK AND CHIEF ECK CHARGED FROM REAR.

Siver Cliffgaard, known as "Shakespeare IV," who furnishes one nightmare a week to the city council and county commissioners, and who requires the entire time of about one policeman, last evening engaged the entire police force for a few minutes at the Great Northern depot.

Hostilities broke out when Capt. Vonderbeck discovered Siver begging, one of his old and favorite pastimes. The captain remonstrated and Siver took a wallop at the captain. Vonderbeck seized the slipper Siver by the scruff of the neck, but Siver rebelled. He balked. He swore.

Patrolman Godbout hurried up and made a flank attack on Siver and the the lanky disciple of St. Vitus retreated to the rear of the depot. Here Chief Eck joined in the fray and assailed Siver from the rear, and, at a signal from the chief the forces closed in, Siver was overpowered and with Vonderbeck at his head, Chief Eck at his heels and Godbout about halfway between with a good hold on the slack of Siver's pants, he was heaved into a hack and hustled to the city jail.

In the meantime Jim Hill's covered cars attracted no attention and the crowd at the depot followed the fortunes of the agile Siver, who wanted to lick the whole police force.

It has been suggested that as the state provides no place for such unfortunates, Governor Johnson should be appealed to and call out Co. I to keep him subdued. Capt. Westerberg could appoint a detail of 15 picked men each night to watch him, Siver seldom goes to bed at night. He gets his sleep in doorways during the day time, so that each evening he is fresh to start in on his deviltry to annoy the police. He selects some comfortable location each morning where he has good cover behind a pile of snuff boxes or in the lea of a nice fresh bunch of bananas, and remains passive the greater portion of the day coming out for fresh conquests with the owls in the evening.

Siver, Oh thou busy Siver, thou wilt drive the police force dippy yet!

GERMANTOWN R. R. MEETING

REPRESENTATIVE GATHERING AT MARSHALL CO. TOWN START A BOOM.

They had a big railroad meeting at Germantown last Saturday which was attended by a large number from Liner, Grygla, Fram, Rollis, Roosevelt, Malcolm, Carmel and other towns on the route, as well as capitalists from Thief River, St. Paul, and New York. It is said that International Falls, recently bought up by the Steel Trust, is promoting this road, and some think it will be turned in that direction. There is plenty of room for two roads.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Sept. 10 In History.

Judge Story.

1584—Sir Humphrey Gilbert drowned off the Azores; born 1539.

1797—Mrs. Godwin (Mary Wollstonecraft), famous innovator in social matters, died; born 1759.

1813—Perry's victory on Lake Erie.

1845—Judge Joseph Story, eminent American jurist and justice of the United States supreme court, died; born 1779.

1904—Treaty embodying the terms demanded by England signed at Lassa, Tibet.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:14, rises 5:32; moon rises 6:49 p. m.; moon's age 15 days; 11 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing sun's path downward; sun's declination 4 degrees 56 minutes north of celestial equator.

TO LUTHER COLLEGE— Ole Christianson, son of O. O. Christianson, left Tuesday evening for Decorah, Iowa, where he will begin his second year's work in Luther College.

ON LAND BUSINESS:— L. S. Snyder left last evening on a trip to Aberdeen S. D., on a realestate mission for the John Boyd land office.

DEMOCRATIC WAR HORSE—T. B. McManus is spending the day in the city. Mr. McManus is conferring with the local democracy regarding the state campaign.

LOST LITTLE SON—Last night, Roy, the 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Solie, passed away at the farm home in the town of Russia. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

BACK FROM TRIP—Rev. Sampel Hodegaard, the Sunday school missionary, has returned from a month's trip out on the Fosston line, where he has been working. He can be reached by telephoning 403L.

FARMER INSANE—Ole J. Hannem, a farmer near Lengby was taken to Fergus Falls last evening. He is single and has been acting queerly for some time past. He is perfectly harmless, but neighbors feared his disposition might change.

DRANK AMMONIA—Mrs. Haug, mother of Mrs. Marie Skaugrud, is seriously ill as the result of having drank some household ammonia by mistake. She had been taking medicine and mistook the bottle containing the ammonia for her medicine bottle. —Ada Herald.

GETTING IN TOUCH—Alderman Morgan R. Hussey, who has been quite busy of late attending to personal affairs, started out yesterday to interview the voters in the third commissioner district. His friends assure him that they are all with him and for him, in his fight for the nomination as commissioner.

ASSUMES NEW NAME—By act of District Judge Watts, the name of Sever Olson of this city has been changed to Sivert O. Lund. The new name is the old family name, but as Sivert has always gone under the name of Olson it required judicial action to change it to Lund.

TUMOR REMOVED—Mrs. Sigrid Sagmoen has come all the way from Alberta, Can., to receive treatment for a tumor, which she will have removed at the Bethesda hospital today. Mr. Sagmoen formerly resided near Fosston, and has relatives at that place.

PURCHASED HOME—Roland Tisdal has purchased of Frank Montague his residence property, 306 south Ash street, and will move into it. Mr. Montague has leased the flat in the Chase block occupied by Tom Morris and will take possession as soon as Mr. Morris has moved into his own building.

VISITED BROTHER—Andrew E. Fritz, representing the Journal-Press bindery and legal blank establishment at St. Cloud, spent last evening in the city visiting with his brother, Al Fritz. Mr. Fritz visits Crookston every two months and has an immense business in northern Minnesota, his house being one of the best in the Northwest.

ANOTHER JOB FOREMAN:— Mr. ents of a healthy son born this morning and mother and baby are getting along nicely. The proud "Dad" thought the infant mumbled something at noon today, that sounded like "Want a chase", but the nurse declared that it sounded more like "water for a chaser". It is said that "Dad" Moorhead wanted to discharge the nurse at once.

LITTLE BABE DIED—This morning at 1:45, J. A. S. Bourbonniere, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bourbonniere, 349 South Broadway, passed away, at the age of 3 months and 23 days, of cholera infantum, having been ill since birth. The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning from St. Anne's church, Father Tapin officiating. This is the second bereavement of the parents recently, and they have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their hour of sorrow.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 11 In History.

1609—Hudson discovered the river bearing his name.

1611—Henri de la Tour d'Auvergne (Viscount Turenne), famous French commander, born in Sedan; killed 1675.

1823—David Ricardo, the much abused British political economist, died; born 1772.

1894—Pio Pico, last Mexican governor of California, died in Los Angeles; born there 1801.

1897—Justice John Sedgwick, a noted American jurist, died; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:12, rises 5:33; moon rises 7:20 p. m.; moon's age 16 days; 2:37 p. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing 2½ degrees south of the planet from west to east.

BACK TO STRAW BURNER—Frank McSorley returned to Angus this morning to feed D. H. Miller's hungry engine with straw, after spending a few days in the city.

BACK FROM CITIES—J. A. Noyes, deputy collector of customs at St. Vincent, returned home this morning accompanied by his wife, after a short visit in St. Paul, where he was called on official business.

MILLING MAGNATES—Manager A. M. Sivertson of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., returned home this morning, after attending to business in the city. Marcus Johnson arrived home from St. Paul this morning and went up with him to look over the situation.

DIES OF CONSUMPTION—Mrs. Ida E., wife of Arthur M. Johnstone, residing at 320 Grant Ave., died last night, aged 25, after an extended illness, of consumption. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 2:30 from the Methodist church. Mrs. Johnson was a quiet, unassuming lady, who had many close friends, who are grieved over her early edmise.

SIGNED BY ST. PAUL—Robt. Hallet, the Chippewa Indian who played ball with Thief Rived Falls this season, has been signed by Manager Kelly of the St. Paul team and will be given a chance in the outfield. Hallet is one of the best all around ball players in the Northwest, and will make good with the Saints.

POLITICS AND BUSINESS—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Whelp of Reeds Landing, Minn., were here last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe. Mr. Whelp is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Roscoe. During their short stay they looked over the country quite well and were quite pleased with the country. They returned Friday, owing to Mr. Roscoe's interest in politics in his county, but will return at some future time and may invest in land here.—Argyle Banner.

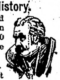
Coroner Chesterman returned from East Grand Forks this afternoon where a jury today returned a verdict in connection with the body found floating in the Red River the last day of August, in which murder was charged, but the jury could discover the identity of neither the murdered man nor the murderer."

to see his wife working—for anybody, but himself.

From Saturday's Daily—

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 12 In History.


Von Blucher.

1683—John Sobieski and his Poles drove an army of 200,000 Turks from the siege of Vienna.

1809—Mendelssohn born.

1819—Gebhard Leberecht von Blucher, Prussian commander who saved Wellington at Waterloo, died; born 1742.

1888—Professor Richard Anthony Proctor, English astronomer and popular author, died; born 1837.

1905—Admiral Togo's flagship Mikassa destroyed by explosion in Sasebo harbor; 600 officers and men lost.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:11, rises 5:34; moon rises 7:51 p. m.; moon's age 17 days.

MARRIAGE LICENSES— Arthur Dumond of Grand Forks, to Mary Violet Peltier, of East Grand Forks.

A GOOD CUSTOMER—John Stroot, one of the substantial farmers from Belgium, was in the city yesterday on a purchasing trip.

FINE WEATHER—Carsten Stuhr is in the city from Euclid today attending to his week end marketing. Mr. Stuhr says that this has been about the most favorable fall for farmers, during his experience of 30 years in the county.

BACK TO WALCOTT—M. A. Hendrickson, cashier of the bank at Walcott, N. D., has returned home, after having spent a few days in the city attending to some business matters. While here he was the guest of his friends, M. A. Kjersvick.

CARRIES A RABBIT'S FOOT—M. H. Shankey, one of the soil ticklers from Fanny town, was a county seat visitor yesterday. Mr. Shankey tickles with a magic wand, as everything on his place always produces in abundance.

FRACTURED ANKLE—Frank Martin, while catching a game of ball at Beaudette, collided with one of the other players, fracturing his ankle so that it will lay him up for some time. He is about town today, on a pair of crutches.

A GOOD YIELD—George Fink was up to Red Lake Falls the fore part of the week looking after the threshing on his farm northwest of that town, and reports the yield far better than expected. His wheat went better than fifteen bushels to the acre, and for the year this is considered a good yield.

BACK FROM N. D.—Nick Engle of Euclid is spending the day in the city. He is returning from Park River, N. D., where he had been to do a good job of carpentering. He will return to his home this evening with one of the numerous Euclidites who are stabling their teams at Collins' barn.

LOAD OF POTATOES—H. A. Cowan of Belgium town, is in the city today with a fine load of potatoes, for which he gets a good price. Mr. Cowan never comes to town without he has something for sale. His potato crop was very good this year, considering the dry spell.

NORTH COUNTRY FOLKS WILL BE HERE—Henry Nelson of Euclid drove down this morning, and is busy today attending to various business matters. He states that himself and all his neighbors will take a day off and be here the 17th to attend the dedication.

SUCCESSFUL RUN—The Engle Brothers, of Euclid, who have a threshing rig at Park River, N. D., are having a very successful season it, is reported. The three brothers, Gust, Mike, and John, are with the rig. Gust is managing and running the engine. Geo. Nelson, also of Euclid, is in charge of the separator, his wife conducts the boarding car. Very near the whole crew have been recruited from around Euclid, therefore it is no wonder they are the champion outfit o fthose parts.

OFF FOR ATTALIA—On the first and third Tuesday of each month, the Attalia Development Company is conducting popular excursions to the choice fruit and farm lands of Southern Washington, starting from Minneapolis. Fare will be refunded to all purchasers of these lands. Write at once for full details to R. C. Dahlbjelm Manager, 225 Railway Building, Minneapolis.

NEW PASTOR FOR MENDENHALL

The Mendenhall Memorial Presbyterian church held a congregational meeting last evening, of which Res. W. S. Ward of this city acted as moderator, and extended a hearty and unanimous call to Rev. Charles P. Bates, of Hibbing to become their pastor. Rev. Bates will be duly installed in a short time.

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MONEY FOR SUFFERERS

CASH SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE BEING HANDED TO PRESIDENT MISNER.

SECRET SOCIETIES WILL ALSO VOTE SUBSTANTIAL AMONTS.

From Saturday's Daily—

The people of Crookston are doing something for the fire sufferers in and near Chisholm. The reports published on the first page of today's Journal bring the sad intelligence that the fires have broken out afresh and the suffering and loss will reach still more appaling proportions unless a heavy rain falls at once in the stricken district.

Many have handed their subscriptions to President Misner of the Commercial Club, who is treasurer of the relief fund, and many more will at once. Some of the secret societies will donate substantial sums and they will be forthcoming at once. The sooner the subscriptions come in the sooner will the relief reach the destitute sufferers.

The W. R. C. this afternoon received clothing and supplies to fill an immense box, which will be forwarded to the relief committee at Chisholm at once.

Following is a list of those who have sent in their contributions to Treasurer Misner.

Dr. H. Holte	5.00
Dr. Thomas Spence	5.00
L. E. George	5.00
J. W. Wheeler	5.00
W. T. Carlisle	5.00
J. H. Stair	5.00
H. C. Misner	3.00
J. D. McPhee	2.00
Geo. T. Hamery	1.00
John A. Johnson	$1.00
John Holten	1.00
John Saugstad	1.00
C. F. Mix	1.00
Hans Larson	1.00
O. B. Twedten	1.00
Ernest Rolsch	1.00
H. Cohen	1.00
Total	$34.00

START OF AN ARTIST.

John Opie's First Portrait and What It Cost Him.

John Opie, the English painter, is described in "Coke of Norfolk and His Friends," by Mrs. A. M. W. Stirling, as a man of humble origin who achieved success wholly by his own genius and perseverance. The story of his first effort in that line of art which afterward brought him fame he related to Coke, first Earl of Leicester of Holkham, as follows:

When a small boy of ten or twelve he was left at home one Sunday afternoon with his father, while his mother went to church. The father established himself in the parlor with his Bible and told the boy to be quiet and amuse himself.

Young Opie, who had procured some paints, took up his position unobserved in the kitchen directly opposite the parlor door. Very quietly he drew a portrait of the old man bending over his Bible until he had finished everything except the head, when he began running backward and forward to study his father's face.

The old gentleman grew very angry at these apparently senseless interruptions and threatened to punish his son if they continued.

This was exactly what the boy wanted, as he wished to paint his father's eyes lit up and sparkling with anger. So he continued his irritating behavior until it met with the desired result, and his father, justly wrathful, administered a sound thrashing.

This achieved, the boy resumed his task eagerly and transferred to his picture the expression which he had just seen upon the face of his indignant parent.

When his mother returned from church he placed the picture triumphantly before her; but, although astonished and delighted with it, she thought it her duty to scold her son severely for painting on a Sunday.

Young Opie, however, cared no more for the scolding that for the beating he had received in accomplishing his work and only hugged his mother delightedly in his excitement at its success.

His father, coming into the room at that juncture and spying the portrait of himself, was so surprised and pleased at it that he told the mother not to scold the boy any more.

Subsequently, whenever the picture was shown, he used to tell with great relish the story of young Opie's plucky acceptance of a beating in order to insure its success.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 12.—All of the swine at the Agricultural college have kept pace with the public school children in the vaccination problem and they are now immune from the dread disease of hog cholera. All the animals have been innoculated with the new vaccine, which was recently discovered by the department of agriculture experiment station at Ames, Ia., and the method of manufacture brot to North Dakota by Ln. L. Van Es of the A. C.

DECREASE NOT LARGE

RAILROAD STATISTICS SHOW BUSINESS WAS BETTER THAN EXPECTED.

COAL SHIPMENTS FALL OFF—CROOKSTON RECEIVES 8 CARS AGAINST 42 IN 1907.

From Thursday's Daily—

Figures approximately representing the business, both passenger and freight, done by the roads at the Head of the Lakes, during the month of August, show that the aggregate business fell off over 20 per cent from August of last year.

That both passenger and freight business did not suffer a greater decrease, taking into consideration the general business conditions, is considered a good record by railroad men.

The passenger business, which has been uniformly good all summer, showed a falling off only a trifle over 5 per cent from August of last year. The falling off in the freight business was more pronounced, however. This was largely due to the falling off in coal shipments.

Here is a typical example: Last August Crookston received forty-two carloads of commercial coal. This yea rthat town has received but 8 carloads. The decrease in the shipment of coal may be emphasized by the statement that 28,000 tons less coal have been shipped from the Head of the Lakes during the month just passed than were shipped in August a year ago.

Duluth alone has shipped over 14,000 less tons than the roads there shipped west a year ago.

The lumber movement at the present time is steady, with fairly heavy shipments to Chicago and the West. The shipment of lumber has shown improvement during August.

Prospects point to a falling off of the passenger business during the present month. The colonist rates are not liable to attract many settlers for the simple reason that the crops in this part of the country have been good and farmers are not seeking new homes.

HORSE STOLEN AT KRAGNES

CLEVELAND BAY MARE BELONGING TO ED. STUDLEIN IS MISSING.

ANIMAL WAS HITCHED TO A SINGLE SEAT BUGGY—NO CLUE.

A telephone message was received from Kragness stating that a horse belonging to Ed. O. Studlein had been stolen. The description given of the horse and rig is as follows: Cleveland bay mare with yellow blanket, hitched to old single seat buggy painted black.

Chief Malvey and the officers of the police force are on the look out for the rig, though no clue has yet been obtained.

CROOKSTON CHICKS TOOK FIRST PRIZE

Mrs. F. C. Mitchell has returned from Ada Where she went with an exhibit of poultry from the poultry farm of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell at the Norman Co. Fair. Others from this city also had entries, and all took first prizes on trios of chicks, as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell: Barred Plymouth Rocks, Silver Laced Wyandottes, Buff Leghorns, Brown Leghorns, White Orpingtons, Houdans, Silver Spangled Hamburgs.

Mrs. E. M. Walsh: Buff Cochins.

Sam Meng: Bearded Silver Polish.

Frank Hanan: Pit Games.

Goldie Hanan: Golden Wyandottes.

This is certainly a splendid record for Crookston chicks.

WINTER RYE IS ABOVE GROUND

N. C. Hanson, the progressive farmer west of the city, has seeded 50 acres of winter rye for himself and 100 acres for Mrs. Le Fevre, and it is up and growing rapidly, the rain bringing it forward nicely. It will furnish great feed for stock this fall, and Mr. Hanson anticipates another crop that will net him $22 per acre next year.

A man always has something he wants to sell, and a woman always knows of something she wants to

NORMAN CO. FAIR CLOSED

WAS THE BEST IN EVERY PARTICULAR THAT HAS BEEN HELD IN MANY YEARS.

FINE RACING PROGRAM IN WHICH MIXER GOT PLACE FOR EVERY ENTRY.

From Saturday's Daily—

The Norman County Fair came to a close Friday afternoon at Ada and was one of the best fairs held for the last number of years in Norman county. The exhibits were better than they have been the last number of years and the attendance was good specially the second day. Quite a lot of nice cattle and horses were on exhibit together with farm products.

Thursday's Races.

The races on Thursday were very good and very close between the contestants, with the following results:

In the free-for-all classes—Better Promise, 1st, from Mercer, N. D.; Mixer, 2nd, Crookston, Minn. Time 2:24.

In the 2:40 class, Roy Panic 1st, Langdon, N. D.; Lady Sprague, 2nd, Edgely, N. D. Time 2:25. Ball game between White Earth and Ada, 11 to 2 in favor of Ada.

Friday's Races.

In the free-forall classes, Better Promise, 1st, Lady Sprague 2nd, Mixer 3rd and Roy Panic 4th. Time 2:21. Running Race, Little Pat, Halstad, 1st, Billie, Ada, 2nd, and Jim, Borup, 3rd. Time 62 seconds.

One of the features was an automobile race between Smith of Fargo and Richards of Perley which was to have been a five-mile race, but the machine of Mr. Smith balked in the third mile so he had to pull out of the race. They were going at about fifty miles an hour when the machine gave out.

WILL BUILD DITTH

From Saturday's Daily—

At the meeting of the Marshall Co. commissioners a board of viewers was appointed for the big Germantown ditch. O. L. Hamre, of Crookston, was appointed engineer, and Axel Lindquist, of Vega, John Simonson, of Excel, and Thor Johnson, of Stephen, were appointed viewers. The engineer will make his report before November 1st, and the viewers will then commence work. It is expected that the contract will be let this winter and work commenced early next spring.

The proposed ditch will be 24 miles in length and there will be 16 miles of laterals, making a total of 40 miles. It will empty into Thief River near Thorwick and will drain the Germantown and Grygla country. It is estimated that the ditch will cost about $50,000 or $60,000 and will be of great value to that section.

350 ACRES GRAIN IN THE STACK

C. H. Elssner, foreman on S. W. Vance's farm, is in the city today and reports the completion of stacking the entire this year's crop off 350 acres of grain. Three teams have been kept at this work while other horses were on the plow. The grain was all hauled in to the farm yard and stacked near the barns in long stacks similar to hay stacks, making 22 in all.

All the straw from this large amount it not used for barn purposes but is converted into manure and in time spread onto the fields. 600 loads of manure were thus derived and hauled onto the fields the past year.

The grain will be left in the stacks about six weeks before threshing and a much better grade will be secured from the sweating process.

PEACHES RAISED BY HIMMELSBACH

Yesterday W. E. Slocum received a shipment of peaches through the wholesale house with which he deals and it was later discovered that every peach was wrapped with tissue paper stamped "Yakima Valley Fruit, North Yakima, Wash., Grown by A. Himmelsbach." August Himmelsbach was a former well known farmer residing near Crookston, and is now a success-

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine.
Sold by all dealers.

STAIR AND GEORGE LOOK LIKE WINNERS

FORMERS NOMINATION IS CERTAIN AND GEORGE HAS BIG LEAD —MANY OF THE CANDIDATES RUNNING NECK AND NECK BUT THE OUTCOME IS PRACTICALLY CERTAIN — DANIELS PROBABLE WINNER FOR SHERIFF AND THOMPSON IS SAFE—BRAY RAN LIKE SCARED DEER IN CROOKSTON

PROBABLE REPUBLICAN WINNERS

For Sheriff—
Orin Daniels of Crookston.
For County Auditor—
Henry J. Welte.
For County Treasurer—
Geo. J. Flaten, Crookston.
For Register of Deeds—
Theodore A. Thompson, Crookston
For Co. Attorney—(in doubt)
Eric O. Hagen, Crookston, or
G. A. E. Finlayson, E. G. F.
For County Surveyor—
Steener Steenerson, Climax.
For County Coroner—
Nels P. Stenshoel, Crookston
For Judge of Probate—
T. T. Morken, Crookston.
For Co. Supt. of Schools—
N. A. Thorson, Crookston
For Representatives—
J. H. Stair, Crookston.
L. E. George, Fertile.
For Co. Com. 3rd Dis.—
Ben Clements, Crookston.
For Co. Com. 5th Dis.—
James Driscoll, Huntsville Twp.

The primaries are over and the dust is slowly settling. There were many surprises, and may be more, as but little over half of the precincts have been heard from. However the winners can be all picked with a fair degree of certainty.

Some Close Races

Stair is certain of nomination and George has a big lead over both Saugstad and Holten and looks a sure winner. Hagen and Finlayson are giving a great exhibition of sprinting and Welte and Sandberg ad Chesterman and Stenshoel are in the same class with some doubt as yet over the final outcome.

Journal Made a Big Hit

Intense interest was manifested over the results and last evening a crowd of 500 men gathered in front of the Journal office and remained there till 2:30 this morning reading the bulletins from the various voting precincts of the city and county, and the results in all but a few instances were practically known before the Journal stopped all specials that were pouring in from every part of the county that could be reached by telephone or telegraph. All day today the crowd has surged into the Journal office and stood in front reading the township returns as they came in.

P. O's. and Democrats

As there were no contests on for nominations on the Public Ownership or Democratic tickets no effort was made to get a big vote out as one vote was sufficient to nominate, and as a result there were but a very few scattering votes cast in each precinct and in some none at all. The Democrats voted with the Republicans also, almost solidly in some precincts, and this accounts for the small vote in some democratic strongholds.

The Journal will publish the detailed vote later, and any one interested can get the complete returns from the Journal bulletin board at any time, but figures today will be published only where there were hot contests on:

DETAILED VOTE IN CROOKSTON

	WARDS								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Tot.
For Sheriff—									
Daniels	34	90	39	50	7	27	62	44	353
Bray	57	47	53	104	41	45	16	64	427
McPhee	14	19	12	11	6	10		27	89
Gilbert	7	5	3				26	6	47
Tuff	3	5	3		2	6			19
Ringdal	2	7	3		1	1		1	15
Hillestad	1		3					1	5
Palm	1	4							5
Horton	2	3	2					2	9
For Commissioner—									
Clements	81	127	62	117	38	61	87	107	680
Hussey	24	40	47	62	9	27	45	32	306
For Auditor—									
Sandberg	64	96	51	105	37	58	107	62	580
Welte	50	79	60	92	12	42	38	80	453
For Coroner—									
Stenshoel	55	81	45	87	28	37	108	77	518
Chesterman	53	83	64	105	24	59	32	62	482
For County Attorney—									
Hagen	60	89	58	117	37	54	99	90	604
Finlayson	43	67	37	37	19	27	17	41	288
Lavik	10	9	15	41	1	15	26	12	119
For Representatives—									
Saugstad	22	35	29	64	5	68	77	35	305
Stair	94	137	83	127	45	71	62	115	734
George	78	117	65	93	26	50	47	91	567
Holton	18	23	23	61	7	18	70	27	257
For County Surveyor—									
Hinds	68	82	70	100	30	47	69	71	469
Steenerson	39	68	34	80	19	37	63	59	360

Total vote in 41 out of 78 precincts:

For Sheriff—	
Daniels	1201
Bray	774
Rindal	246
McPhee	183
Hillistad	169
For Legislature—	
Stair	1659
George	1432
Saugstad	1085
Holten	1017
For Register of Deeds—	
Thompson	1288
Lindberg	875
For Co. Attorney—	
Hagen	1189
Finlayson	1113
Lavik	461
For Auditor—	
Welte	1287
Sandberg	1197

NAP BRAY IS WELL PLEASED

N. A. Bray called at the Journal office this afternoon and made the following statement for publication: "I never felt prouder in my life than I do today over the magnificent vote I received yesterday in Crookston and other places where I am known. I fully appreciate the splendid support I received from my friends. I made the fight single handed, and have no complaints to make. I would indeed, be ungrateful if I did not value highly the loyal friends who flocked to the polls to support me. I wanted to win of course, but there are some combinations that proved too much for me to overcome. However, the splendid compliment paid me by a big majority in Crookston, my home and other places where I am well known is ample recompense for the efforts I expended. I tried to make a good clean fight, have no regrets, and would have won if—I had got enough votes."

WOLD WINS IN NORMAN CO.

The primaries were red hot in Norman County yesterday and the following were the winning candidates Representative Wold being renominated:

Rep.,—John Wold.
Rep.,—John Wold and D. E. Fulton.
Treas.,—J. C. Tvedt.
Reg. of Deeds—E. K. Lee.
Sheriff—P. A. Peterson.
Judge of Probate—Peter Matson.
Co. Atty.—Andrew Engseth.
Supt. of Schools—T. B. Strand.

HON. J. J. HILL SURPRISED BY VETERAN EMPLOYES

Men Who had Been In Service of Great Northern for 30 Years or over Participate in Unique Function.

The Affair was in Honor of 70th Anniversary of Mr. Hill's birthday. Two Attended from the Northern Division.

From Wednesday's Daily—

James J. Hill is today the guest of honor at one of the most unique functions in railroad history. The occasion is Mr. Hill's seventieth birthday anniversary and in honor of the event the railroad magnate will be banquetted by the employes of the Great Northern who have been in the service 30 years or over. A banquet was held at the lafayette club house Lake Minnetonka. There about 80 eligibles present at the banquet.

An interesting feature of the occasion was a trip to Lake Minnetonka, which was taken from the union depot at St. Paul, a distance of twenty miles, behind the first locomotive engine brought to the state of Minnesota. The engine was brought here 42 years ago and was operated on the old St. Paul and Pacific road.

The function is of special in Crookston owing to the fact that Mr. Hill will be the orator of the day at the Stephens Hall Dedication to be held here tomorrow.

From the Northern Division there were two employes eligible and both are in attendance. The oldest employe on this division is Section Foreman C. Keeley, of Euclid, who has been inthe service 32 years, having been stationed at Euclid for the past 31 years and prior to that he was in charge of the section between Crookston and Fisher when the Great Northern line extended only to the latter point. Mr. Keeley is still in the service and he left Monday evening for Minneapolis where he was the guest of relatives and friends yesterday. He is the father of Conductor Keeley of this city, and a large family of boys practically all of whom are well known railroad men.

The other eligible from the Northern Division is Conductor Thomas Stahl who runs on the Winnipeg Flyer from Barnesville to Emerson and has served the Great Northern just a trifle over 30 years.

Louis Hill's Idea

The affair was gotten up at the instance of President Louis Hill, and every one of the veteran employes were personally delivered transportation, sleeping car births etc., and the trip was made in state.

A Complete Surprise

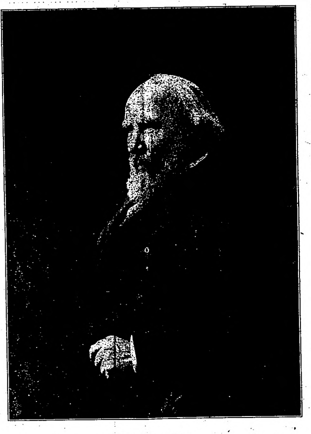
The affair was a complete surprise on James J. Hill. He returned from New York last evening, and was kept in complete ignorance of the preparations untill he was induced to go to Lake Minnetonka on some pretext, and suspected nothing till he was ushered into the presence of the veteran employes who had witnessed the growth of the Great Northern from a struggling unimportant line to the present powerful system.

Greatly Pleased

When Mr. Hill grasped the meaning of the gathering he was nearly overcome, and plainly showed his deep appreciation of the honor his old employes were doing him. The afternoon was one of the greatest pleasure imaginable, and railroad lore was repeated which was never published.

The hearty greeting of the great magnate, and the close personal acquaintance and friendship manifested, made the gathering the most unique in the United States.

It was a magnificent tribute to Hill the Captain of Industry, to Hill the Man.



HON JAMES J. HILL

Who was today surprised by a gathering of the employes from all over the system who had been in his employ for 30 years or over. President Hill is the orator of the day at the Stephens Hall dedication at the State Experiment Farm here tomorrow.

Boy of Thirteen Sent to Prison.

Maysville, Ky., Sept. 15.—Chester Savage, thirteen years old, was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary for the assassination of his uncle, William Savage, two years ago. The boy hid by the roadside and shot his uncle. He is the youngest murderer ever known in Kentucky.

Fears Hydrophobia; Kills Self.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 15.—Fred Peterson, who was bitten by a mad squirrel last week, died yesterday of carbolic acid poisoning. Fearing hydrophobia, he is supposed to have swallowed the acid with suicidal intent.

Train Kills Deaf Man.

Montrose, Minn., Sept. 16. — Jesse Streeter of this village, about twenty-seven years old and single, deaf and dumb, while walking on the railroad track about a mile west of Waverly was struck by a Great Northern freight train and instantly killed.

Bush Fire Smoke at Waterloo.

Waterloo, Iowa, Sept. 16. — Smoke from the bush fires of the Northwest has enveloped Waterloo. Yesterday morning the city was covered by a hazy mist, which grew in intensity until this afternoon it is difficult to see objects two blocks distant.

WHAT STEPHENS HALL DEDICATION MEANS

A RESUME OF WHAT EFFECT THE CROOKSTON SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE WILL HAVE UPON THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF NORTHERN MINNESOTA, AND THE INFLUENCE IT WILL HAVE TOWARD RAISING THE SPHERE OF LIVING OF THE RISING GENERATION AND INCREASING THE USEFULNESS OF THOSE WHO WILL BE AT THE HELM IN THE FUTURE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The crowds to attend the dedication of Stephens Hall dedication tomorrow began arriving this morning and this evening's trains will bring hudreds more, the balance arriving on the regular and special trains tomorrow morning.

In this connection it is not amis at this time to call attention to a few things which the School of Agriculture at the State Experiment Station means to the Red River Valley.

James Fitzsimmons of South Euclid is here today.

In the first place let us see what the young men are expected to learn in schools of this kind.

Care of Dairy Utensils

To the young men thoro instruction in the care of milk, cream and utensils is given. They receive full instruction in regard to running a farm separator and the manufacture of butter. Students receive practical training in the ripening of cream, churning, working and packing of butter, testing the value of milk and cream, etc. The purpose is to give to the young men very thoro training in such lines of the business as will serve to make them better creamery patrons and teach them to furnish the products of the highest quality and conduct the dairy herd with the greatest profit.

Animal Husbandry

A course is given in animal husbandry. In this course the work is very practicable. Trips are made to the best farm barns in the county to study methods of housing, feeding, and handling animals. Considerable stock judging is carried on by classes in connection with this subject. Thorough instruction is given in feeds and feeding.

Bookkeeping and Commercial Law

Every thoro course in the subject of farm accounts is taught. A brief study of commercial law of importance to farmers is taken up. Business farms, contracts, deeds and mortgages are studied. A very practical course in business arithmetic is taken up. The students are taught how to measure wood, walls, land, tanks, etc. Special computations suited to farm practice are taught such as income from dairy cows, feed rations, cost of feedings, cost of buildings, cost of fencing, cost and contents of silo, etc.

Carpentry

A course is given in farm carpentry. The students are taught how to care for sharpen and use in a practical way such tools as should be used on a farm. Work on models that will teach how to make the different kinds of joints, splices, etc., necessary in the construction of buildings, machines, cupboards, and a variety of useful and ornametal articles for the home and farm.

Blacksmithing

Another very practical course is given in farm blacksmithing. The students are taught how to fashion from stock iron various articles useful on the farm, such as tongs, cold chisels, punces, rings chain links, clevises, brackets, harrow teeth, etc. They are shown how to construct a serviceable forge and to otherwise equip a shop for farm blacksmithing. Original exercises are conducted in repairing broken parts of farm machinery. Something of the nature and structure of different kinds of iron and steel, as well as some knowledge of the processes by which each is produced is taught. Especial attention is given to the process of welding iron and steel and of tempering tools of steel.

Instruction for Girls

What we have said so far pertains only to the instruction given to the young men attending institutions of this kind. But it is not the young men alone that are to be benefited by an institution of this kind. The young women of the farming communities as well as of the villages of the county are here offered opportunities of untold benefit. It is a self-evident fact that there can be no home without a woman who understands the art of homemaking. No farmer and no business man can be successful without that valuable adjunct a successful housekeeper. There is perhaps no part of the practical side of life that has been so sadly neglected in the past as the art of homemaking and home management. It do not think that you shall differ with me if I say that over ninety per cent of the young women growing up today know practically nothing about the art of housekeeping. The reason for this is that they have not had the opportunities to learn. What little they do know is simply what they have learned from their parents, for the most part impracticable and unscientific. Now in an institution of this kind opportunities are offered which will enable every young woman to become an intelligent and practical housekeeper. In order that you may see and judge for yourselves let me present to you a few of the things that the young women are taught in the schools of this kind.

Cooking

The cooking department is equipped as nearly like a home kitchen as is consistent with the number of students to be accommodated. Wood and gasoline ranges are used instead of individual gas plates. Convenient cupboards and kitchen cabinets such as should be in every well equipped kitchens are used here. Even the work tables used by the pupils are models of convenience in every respect.

The course in cooking includes a study of starchy foods; quick breads and other flour mixtures; a study of the yeast plant and its action; breadmaking; vegetables; cream soups, meats, their food value and methods of cooking; soups; desserts; planning cooking and serving simple meals.

During the second year dietetic values of foods are taken up, ad each student plans a meal correctly balanced as to food nutrients and serves it to the class. Numerous special foods are prepared by the class covering subjects of the first year in a more advanced way.

Invalid cooking is taken up as a special branch of the work in cooking. The value of absolute cleanliness and daintiness in serving an invalid's tray with its effect upon the patient is taught; special diet for fevers and other individual cases; the making of gruels, broths and other dainty and nutritious dishes; special diets for convalescents.

Sewing

The sewing department is equipped with sewing machines, draughting tables, and everything necessary to teach the girls the best methods of making their own garments. They furnish their own material and use the finished products. The students become skilled both in hand and machine work.

Millinery

The millinery, like the other practical work of the course is not intended for professional use. The aim is to cultivate simplicity of taste and teach making the best use of materials and means at hand.

The course includes the making and trimming of hats and bonnets, the study of the harmony of colors discussion of taste in selection of bonnets, hats, plumes, frames, tips, flowers and trimmings.

Home Economy

The course in home economy is designed to cover the broad field of the home left untouched by the special branches like cooking, sewing and laundry work. An outline of the work is as follows: The house plan, drainage, sanitation, ventilation, heating and lighting, household furnishings and their care; house cleaning and sanitation; cleaning and preservation of clothing, carpets, rugs and floors; household accounts, etc.

Home Nursing

The lessons in home nursing are to meet the need in so many homes where the care of a sick one devolves on the family. The course includes care of sick room and bed; duties of nurse; care of patient; precautions in contagious diseases; disinfection of patient and room; special diets for the sick; nursing of special diseases diet for children.

Emergencies

The aim of this course is to give students the knowledge that every man and woman ought to have of what to do in cases of accidents while waiting for a physician. The course includes circulation of the blood; hemorrhages and how to stop them; treatment and dressing of wounds; bandaging; artificial respiration; unconsciousness; poisons and their antidotes; fractures and sprains.

Laundering

A well equipped modern home laundry is used to teach the principles of laundering. Special attention

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HAS NOT BEEN SOLD

Stickney Says Maple Leaf Will Continue to Be Operated Independently.

WINNIPEG CONFIRMS STORY

Through Train Schedule Is Being Arranged, Says Report From Canadian City.

St. Paul, Sept. 23.—Recevier A. B. Stickney last evening denied that there was any truth in the report that the Canadian Pacific had secured control of the Chicago Great Western railroad.

This denial comes from Receiver Stickney in the face of a report received from a Canadian Pacific official and the report being confirmed in part by the Canadian Pacific railroad officials in Winnipeg, where arrangements are being made, it is said, to change schedules of trains running out of that city, in order to connect with Chicago Great Western trains running out of the Twin Cities for Chicago, Kansas City and Omaha.

Unlimited Option.

The report which has been current for some time past was to the effect that the Canadian Pacific had secured an unlimited option on the purchase of the Chicago Great Western road, this option being taken in lieu of purchase, which could not at this time be very well effected, owing to the labor troubles existing on the northern transcontinental line.

A dispatch from Winnipeg states that a practical confirmation of the reported sale has been made by the Canadian Pacific officials at that point, when arrangements were completed to change the schedules and make connections with Chicago and Kansas City trains of the Chicago Great Western out of St. Paul.

New folders, according to the report, are being issued to show these connections by way of the Soo line and St. Paul.

The report further states that through train service between these places will be established.

When shown this report, Receiver Stickney exclaimed:

"Why, there is not a word of truth in the statement. There is not the least foundation for the report, and the Chicago Great Western will be operated indpendently, as in years heretofore."

Shaughnessy Not "Wise."

Montreal, Sept. 23.—"I have heard nothing whatever about it," was the reply of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific railway yesterday when asked concerning the report that the Canadian Pacific had secured the Chicago Great Western railroad as a subsidiary line.

Only the man who has courage knows how thin it is.

Journal want ads bring results.

MAY RETIRE COL. STEWART.

Cantankerous Officer Ordered Before Retiring Board.

Washington, Sept. 23.—William F. Stewart of the coast artillery, whose case, because of his detail to the ungarrisoned post at Fort Grant, Ariz., has been before the public for some time, has been ordered to appear before a retiring board at Washington, D. C., where he will be examined as to his disability, its nature and whether it was incurred in the line of duty.

THROWN OFF TRAIN

Brakeman Nearly Dead as Result of Fight With Tramps.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Sept. 23. — While trying to eject tramps from a train, Ray Lewis, an Iowa Central brakeman living at Oskaloosa, was himself thrown from the top of a box car early yesterday as the train was pulling out of Grinnell. He was found an hour later, almost dead from loss of blood. One arm had been taken off and one ear was gone. Officers are working one the case, but there is no clue.

EXAMINERS GET HIT

Controller Murray Tells Them Their Work Must Be Improved.

Washington, Sept. 23.—"I say to you emphatically that your work must be improved.

"Embezzlements have failed of discovery, defalcations and dishonesty have been concealed from you and in many case you have failed to correctly or even approximately estimate the value of the paper and the securities held by the bank."

This was the declaration made yesterday by Controller of the Currency Lawrence O. Murray, in addressing the conference of national bank examiners, representing practically all of the territory east of Ohio.

The conference, which is being held behind closed doors, is expected to continue for several days and is the first under the controller's call of Sept. 9, designed to discuss the bank examiner's work with a view to radical improvement. Later Mr. Murray will hold a conference with the Western examiners, probably at Chicago.

Occasionally a woman puts her best foot forward for the purpose of treading on some man's heels.

TIMELY RAIN CHECKED FIRE

Bemidji Militia Had just [Started to Flames which Threatened Destruction of City when.

Welcomed Downpour Came. All Immediate Danger past near Cass Lake and Bemidji.

A soaking rain that began at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon probably saved Bemidji from a severe scorching and possibly the wiping out of the city. The forest fires, which have been burning to the south and east of Bemidji in Hubbard county advanced toward Bemidji, fanned by a heavy wind from the south, until clouds of smoke rolled over the lake. About noon the smoke was so heavy south of the city that much apprehension was felt lest the fire would reach the city from the south or west and would result in much damage. Telephone messages from farmers south of there told of mountains of flames rushing thru the forest south of Bemidji nine miles, near Lake Plantaganet, and Mayor Pogue and several citizens drove to the Hubbard county line to note what danger there was to the city.

New Fires Sprung up

About 3 o'clock in the afternoon a fire was discovered west of Bemidji which gained much headway. A crowd of men were secured and rushed to fight the fire south of town. A. G. Rutledge telephoned Gov. Johnson for permission to call out Co. K of Bemidji to assist in patrolling the fire. The company was ordered out and gotten ready to await orders from Captain Otto who also drove out in the timber to look over the fire line.

At 4:10 o'clock when smoke was rolling heavenward both to the west ward and south of the city, a heavy rain began to fall which lasted half an hour, thoroly wetting the ground for five miles around. The rain has undoubtedly checked the advance of the fire at least for the present. It is more than likely that the men sent out to the south and west will be able to extinguish the fires.

Large Area Burned

It is impossible to estimate the territory burned over as fires have been burning at Cass Lake and south of there and in the territory in northern Hubbard county.

Should warm dry weather set in there will still be some danger of the fire spreading, as it is not believed that the rain extinguished the fire enough to the south or west to materially aid in checking it, altho the advance in the direction of Bemidji at present has been checked by the copious rain. Telephone lines are down to Cass Lake.

Shevlin in Danger

A telephone message received from Shevlin says a forest fire is approaching that place from the north threatening to reach the town any time unless the efforts of a large crowd of citizens who are now fighting the fire succeed in checking the flames. Nearly every able bodied man in Shevlin is out on the fire line fighting the fire and it is hoped to check the flames and prevent the fire burning the village.

The fire has burned over an area five miles square and as the wind is from the northwest there is grave danger for the village.

Were Badly Scared

Ed Henry spent yesterday at Bemidji and passed thru the city this morning enroute to Angus. He states that gathered on the street corners yesterday afternoon, practically the entire population of Bemidji stood panic stricken, fearing that the city was doomed. White faced women and crying children were to be seen on every hand, and the terribl experiences at Chisholm rsulted in the danger to Bemidji being exaggerated However had it not been for the welcome rain there would without doubt have been great destruction wrought.

CONFLAGRAT'NS CONTINUE

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 23.—Forest fires are raging in Northern Wisconsin and Upper Michigan which threaten to wipe out several towns if rain does not come to quench the flames. In several places residents are reported as having had to flee for their lives, and at others trains are loaded with goods and people, ready to flee to larger centers if the flames reach the critical stage.

Already one Wisconsin village — North Forks, on the Soo line — has been devastated by the flames, while two other towns and a wide area of farming interests are in constant peril.

Two Towns in Danger.

Woodboro and Gagen, which were reported wiped out Sunday night, are still untouched by the flames, although in imminent danger of destruction.

North Forks, with its cluster of a dozen houses, is gone, licked up by the hungry flames Sunday afternoon. Its handful of settlers are homeless, penniless and dependent on the charity of the surrounding towns for their existence. And even if the still glowing embers of the hamlet are dying and gray, the fire god is sweeping onward, eastward, to where the village of Woodboro awaits in helpless terror.

Rhinelander Still Safe.

Rhinelander is for the time being safe, and there appears very little danger of it becoming flanked on the west, where the flames are raging fiercely. With the network of small lakes and streams and with a wide belt of farming country lying between its outskirts and the forest, there is little chance of the flames reaching the town.

Sunday night a fire engine and 2,500 feet of hose from the Milwaukee fire department reached the city and will be kept here until the danger is over.

Gagen Apparently Doomed.

Twelve miles to the east a broad circle of flames surrounds the village of Gagan, a milling town, with perhaps 500 inhabitants. All hope of saving the town has been practically abandoned, although a desperate fight is being waged against the constantly encroaching flames.

Men have sent their wives and children to Rhinelander, and all day long the dusty smoke-veiled road has been choked with fleeing settlers, household goods packed on wagons, cattle and other live stock, wild-eyed and panic-stricken, all hurrying to a place of safety. Conditions here are much the same as they were at Hibbing and other towns of the stricken range.

Twenty-five miles below Rhinelander the fires are eagerly eating through the timber, jumping back and forth over the railroad tracks, absolutely beyond control.

Six Lives May Be Lost.

Conflicting reports come from Foster City, a lumber town across the Wisconsin line of Marinette county, one report stating that six persons lost their lives and that a large number of dwellings were destroyed, and that the Morgan Lumber company's plant is understood to have been burned. Mr. Morgan of Oshkosh, however, when seen last night denied the report and says he has authoritative information that the town is all right.

The fires are in close proximity to several towns in Marinette and Menominee counties, Niagara, Ingalls and Faithorn seeming to be in the greatest danger.

Our idea of a good man is one whose children cry after him every time he leaves the house.

BREAKS HIS BRO'S. RECORD

$500,000 ROAD PROJECT.

Rapid City Corporation Probably to Take Over Another.

Pierre, S. D., Sept. 23.—Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday for the Rapid City & Wyoming Railway company, with headquarters at Rapid City and a capital of $500,000.

The company is evidently incorporated for the purpose of getting the "Crouch" line from Rapid to Mystic into the hands of local parties, as it proposes to purchase or construct a line from Rapid City to Mystic, a distance of thirty-five miles.

ATTACKS MOTHER

Aged Chicago Woman Is Stricken Unconscious by Brute Son.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Angered because his aged mother refused him the price of a can of beer, Morris Johnson attacked her with an ax in the kitchen of her home last evening, leaving her unconscious on the floor.

Detectives Barry and Fowler of the Des Plaines street station arrested him later, after a fight, as he was attempting to escape. Mrs. Johnson was taken to the county hospital and is said to be dangerously injured.

FEARS AN EPIDEMIC

Drouth Causes Authorities to Issue Warnings.

Pittszurg, Sept. 23. — The drouth, which has brought hardship to all sections of Western Pennsylvania during the past few weeks, is now menacig Pittsburg in a serious form. There is imminent danger of an epidemic of typhoid fever and other deadly scourges, directly due to the low stages of the rivers and the concentration of germs and poisonous substances. Both municipal and federal authorities have issued warnings against the use of water for domestic purposes.

U. S. FIGHTING CHOLERA.

Government Will Make Every Effort to Check Disease in Philippines.

Washington, Sept. 23.—With cholera increasing, both in the Philippines and in Russia, the government authorities here are watching the situation abroad with great interest. Extraordinary measures have been taken with a view to suppressing the outbreak in the Philippines as far as possible.

Marvelously Impressive Aeroplane Flight of Over an Hour and a Half.

FRENCH PEOPLE GO CRAZY

Charging Cavalry Prevent Mob of Enthusiasts From Carrying Wright on Shoulders.

Lemans, Sept. 23.—In the presence of the officials of the French Aero club of Sarthe, the American ambassador, Henry White; Gen. Bazaine-Hayter, commander of the Fourth army corps; a large number of French and foreign officers and aeroplane experts and a wildly cheering crowd, numbering 10,000, Wilbur Wright, the American aeroplanist, yesterday afternoon accomplished a signal triumph, capturing the world's record from his brother, Orville Wright, with a marvelously impressive flight in his powerful machine of one hour, thirty-one minutes and fifty-one seconds, covering in that time an actual distance of ninety-eight kilometers, or nearly sixty-one miles.

Crowd Is Amazed.

Owing to the recent accident at Fort Myer, yesterday's trial for the Michelin cup for the greatest distance covered by an aeroplane in 1908, and the Aero club prize of $1,000 for the longest flight over an inclosed ground, attracted intense interest.

The great crowd was at once delighted and amazed at the remarkable stability shown by the aeroplane. Wright at first manifested extraordinary prudence, flying so low that he seemed almost to swim the earth, but on the thirteenth round he rose to sixty feet. Spontaneous cheers greeted the picture and these were redoubled as he successively surpassed his own record and then his brother's.

Keeps on After Dark.

In the gathering darkness the spectacle became thrilling. Matches were lighted to keep watch on the fleeting minutes, and night had fallen when, at the end of the thirty-third round Wright shut off his motor and came lightly to the ground.

With a mad cheer the crowd broke through the lines and rushed forward, only being prevented from hoisting the American in triumph on their shoulders by charging cavalry.

Among the first to reach Mr. Wright's side was Henry White, the American ambassador, who told the smiling aeronaut of the keen pleasure he felt in witnessing his victory. The ambassador said that he knew he was expressing the sentiments of President Roosevelt and the entire American people in congratulating him.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed

Sold by all dealers.

STOLYPIN WILL FIGHT CHOLERA

Russian Premier Takes Charge of Situation and Fires Incompetent Officials.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 23. — Premier Stolypin personally assumed charge of the cholera situation in the Russian capital yesterday. His first act was to remove a number of incompetent authorities who are charged with responsibility for the spread of the disease and to create new sanitary regulations.

To meet the crying needs of the Obuchoff hospital, which Stolypin found was insufficiently supplied with medicines and bath rooms available for the patients, the city has voted 500,000 rubles.

Another appropriation will have to be made to clean up the city, which reeks with filth, unless martial law is declared and the soldiers put to work.

Cholera has broken out in many jails and prisons in St. Petersburg and old affected cities, and will probably result in the liberation of many prisoners, as the only means of saving them from the disease.

Attempts to minimize the extent of the disease have been abandoned. New cases are developing at the rate of 400 a day, and the percentage of deaths is steadily increasing. Nearly 48 per cent of the cases end fatally.

Many Hurt in Collision.

Weeping Water, Neb., Sept. 23.—In a collision last evening in the yards at this place between a Missouri Pacific passenger train and a freight, eighteen passengers and three trainmen received severe injuries. In two cases the injuries are serious. The trains met head-on.

Safe Cracked at Sioux City.

Sioux City, Iowa, Sept. 23.—The safe in the office of Barish Bros., coal dealers, was cracked by safeblowers, who got away with the contents, amounting to $100. The firm only the day before removed $1,500 to a depository. The door was blown off by the use of nitroglycerin.

Dies Almost Centenarian.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Sept. 23.—James Kearney, aged ninety-six, a resident of Webster county for forty-five years, died here Sunday. He was a prosperous farmer, residing west of this city.

When Trifles Become Troubles

If any person suspects that their kidneys are deranged they should take Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and not risk having Bright's disease or diabetes. Delay gives the disease a stronger foothold and you should not delay taking Foley's Kidney Remedy.

Sold by all dealers.

JEROME DELAYS THE THAW CASE

Justice Mills Is Displeased With the Prosecuting Attorney and Says So in Court.

White Plains, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Arguments of Harry K. Thaw's application for a jury trial as to his sanity in habeas corpus proceedings before Supreme Court Justice Isaac N. Mills were adjourned yesterday until next Saturday, at the request of District Attorney Jerome, who had been unable to prepare his return to the writ in time for yesterday's hearing. Charles Morschauser, attorney for Thaw, agreed to the adjournment. In the meantime Thaw will remain in the White Plains jail.

Justice Mills was impatient at the delay.

"I have been giving considerable investigation to the law on the question whether the relator is entitled to a jury trial, and am anxious to dispose of the matter," he said. "I have understood that at this time the question of a jury trial would be taken up and had supposed that the pleadings would set forth all the facts that needed to be considered in connection with this question."

Mr. Morschauser said that he had prepared himself to make an argument yesterday on the question and that he was as anxious as the court to press the matter to a conclusion, but he had agreed with Mr. Jerome at the latter's request to an adjournment.

Thaw walked from the jail to the court room, a distance of two blocks, in the custody of two deputy sheriffs. There was little of the old twitching of the muscles of his face and eyes. He sat almost motionless throughout the proceedings, which lasted about twenty minutes. It was remarked that never before in public since his arrest had Thaw shown such self-control.

Wright In Better Spirits.

Washington, Sept. 23. — Although suffering from restlessness yesterday, Orville Wright's condition is satisfactory. He succeeded in getting several hours' sleep yesterday afternoon, and after the news of his brother Wilbur's record-breaking flight in France was shown him he was in better spirits.

Will Interest Many

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Remedy is taken in time.

Sold by all dealers.

PRIMARY RETURNS ARE NOW COMPLETE

The returns are all in and the canvassing board will complete its work this evening and certify to all the returns.

The following figures given by the Journal are from the official records and are correct. The total vote was about 4,500 republican votes and to these, the votes for the other parties and there will be very near 5,000 votes cast. The total vote for sheriff sums up to 4437. The totals complete are as follows:

Representatives—	
Saugstad	2138
Holten	2031
Stair	1940
George	1752
Holton's majority	91
Auditor—	
Welte	2161
Sandberg	1927
Majority	134
Sheriff—	
Daniels	1615
Bray	886
Rindahl	571
Hillestad	355
McPhee	328
Palm	263
Gilbert	220
Tuff	172
Horton	51
Daniels majority	729
Attorney—	
Hagen	1733
Finlayson	1544
Lavik	1001
Hagen's majority	189
Register of Deeds—	
Theo. Thompson	2170
John Linberg	1623
Thompson's majority	547
Coroner—	
Stenshoel	1966
Chesterman	1815
Stenshoel's majority	151
Surveyor—	
Steenerson	2198
Hinds	1527
Steenerson's majority	671
Commissioner—3rd district—	
Clements	849
Hussey	337
Clements majority	512
Commissioner—1st district—	
Christianson	530
Johnson	272
Christianson's majority	258

THE WINNERS IN THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

The primaries are over and the successful candidates are squaring away for the November election. In some of the counties of this section the vote is very close between the Republicans and Democrats. In Marshall county, for instance the county offices are almost equally divided and the candidate who won out at the primaries has the biggest fight still on his hands, as a nomination does not mean an election.

Following is a list of the successful candidates for nomination in some of the adjacent counties.

Clearwater

Republican—

Democrat—

Sheriff—E. D. Barness.

Treasurer—Frank Norquest.

Auditor—C. F. Peterson.

Attorney—Oscar Stenvick.

Judge Probate—M. E. Willborg.

Clerk of Court—E. H. Reff.

The vote on sheriff, auditor and treasurer is close however and the Bagley Times says that it will require the official count to determine the winners.

Red Lake County

Republican—
Co. Auditor—J. B. O'Brien.
Judge Probate—S. A. Swanson.
Treasurer—A. T. Sandberg.
Register of Deeds—E. L Quist.
Sheriff—Lewis A. Nelson.
Co. Attorney—Wilhelm Michelet.
Supt. Schools—H. F. Anderson.
Coroner—O. F. Mellby.
Commissioner, 4th district — Dan Shaw.
Commissioner, 2nd district — Wm. C. L. Demann.

Democrat—
Register of Deeds—Frank Jeffers.
Sheriff—J. W. McGinty.
Judge Probate—N. W. Tarrant.
Co. Atty.—E. M. Stanton.
Supt. Schools—O. A. Naplin.

Public Ownership—
Co. Auditor—A. A. Sweaas.
Treasurer—Herman A Ohm.

Kittson County

Republican—
Auditor—C. J. Hemmingson.
Treasurer—Ole Myhre.
Register of Deeds—Ed Nelson.
Judge Probate—Geo. Baker.
Sheriff—O. J. Anderson.
Co. Atty.—R. R. Hedenberg.
Supt. of Schools—Miss Blanda Sundberg.
Com. 2nd dist.—Ludwig Swanson.
Com. 4th dist.—J. McFarlane.

Marshall County

Republican—
Representatives — Mattson, Robertson.
Auditor—Lundgren.
Treasurer—Dagoberg.
Register of Deeds—Hanson.
Sheriff—Forsberg.
Judge Probate—Holm.
Co. Attorney—Brown.
Com. 2nd dist.—Nordlund
Com. 4th dist.—Carson.

Democrat—
Representative—Tullar.
Auditor—Malmberg.
Treasurer—Bjornstad.
Register of Deeds—Tell.
Sheriff—Durand.
Co. Atty.—McClernan.
Supt. schools—Mithun.
Coroner—Biederman.
Com. 2nd dist.—Olson.
Com. 4th dist.—Brandstrom.

Clay County

Republican—
Representative—McGrath.
Treasurer—Paulson.
Register of Deeds—Stalley.
Probate Judge—Sharp.
Co. Atty.—Johnson.
Clerkq of Court—McCubrey.
Co. Supt. Schools—Tang.

Beltrami County

Republican—
Auditor—John Willmann.
Treasurer—Geo. H. French.
Register of Deeds—J. O. Harris.
Sheriff—A. B. Hazen.
Attorney—Chester McKusick.
Judge Probate—M. A. Clark.
Coroner—M. E. Ibertson.

Norman County

Republican—
Auditor—D. E. Fulton.
Treasurer—J C Tvedt.
Register of Deeds—E. K. Lee.
Sheriff—P. A. Peterson.
Judge Probate—Peter Matson.
Co. Atty.—Andrew Engseth.
Supt. Schools—T. B. Strand.

LEGISLATIVE RESULTS

Sixty-First District

Beltrami, Clearwater and Red Lake Counties.

Republican—J. J. Opsahl, Bemidji.

Prohibition — Dr. C. G. Forrest, Clearwater.

Norman and Mahnomen counties.

Republican—J. L. Wold, Twin Valley.

Prohibition—C. L. Sulerud, Halstad

Public Ownership—Halvor Anderson, Perley.

Sixty-Second District

Polk county.

Republican—John Holten, Fertile; Johannes Saugstad, Climax.

Democrat—W. W. Brown, McIntosh; F. W. Kolars, Sullivan.

Prohibition—Thomas Vollum,

Sixty-Third District

Kittson, Marshall and Roseau Counties.

Republican—Donald Robertson, Argyle; G. H. Mattson, Roseau.

Democrat—C. A. Tullar, Warren.

Prohibition—E. L. Erickson, Hallock; M. Bjornson, Newfolden.

Public Ownership—Louis Enstrom, Malung.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

Sold by all dealers.

Admits She Is Incendiary.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Sept. 18.—The ten-year-old daughter of Mr. Luedke is said to have confessed that she set the fires which destroyed the buildings on the Luedke farm in Lawrence recently. The child seemed to have a mania for setting fires.

From our Ecxhanges

FOSSTON
(Thirteen Towns)

Attorney and Mrs. J. A. Hendroks were at Crookston yesterday attending the ceremonies at the School of Agriculture.

Oliver Neilson is actively engaged these days in coaching high school football squad in which there is developing a team of good players who will be heard from later.

Simon Hanson formerly engaged here in D. A. Rayfs store but later employed in the Spokely clothing store of Crookston was here on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Messrs. Johannes Lade and L. T. Larson who shipped a carload each of sheep to the St. Paul stock markets last week, returned home Tuesday morning. They report the prices for mutton to have been rather "on the bum."

Marshal O. Furuseth has tendered his resigation to the village council and intends to return to his position on the road for the wholesale firm of Halstein & Co., Duluth, on the first of October.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children: safe, sure. No opiates

McINTOSH
(Times)

Rev Harris came in from Biwabik Wednesday morning with his awo litte boys whom he will leave in Mrs. Bakke's care for a time. He expects to return to Biwabik tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Conger entertained for Master William a number of his friends Saturday afternoon. The happy boys enjoyed a picnic, a nutting expedition and a hay rack ride all in one.

Mrs. J. A. Wegner was called to Appleton, Wis., Monday last on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Werice, at that place. Mrs. Werice died on Friday. She was eighty two years old and great grandmother to a number of children.

Mrs. W. H. Nevitt and her mother Mrs. Nels P. Peterson of Hill River, who left last week Monday for a visit with the latters sister in Chicago, returned home yesterday morning. Mr. Nevett who accompanied them as far as Minneapolis will remain there for a few weeks on business.

Twenty eight nonresident pupils have so far been enrolled in the village school here, 15 of whom are enrolled in the eighth grade.

PENNED AND PILFERED

The editor of today has to get his nose down to the grindstone and keep it there sixteen hours per day and 365 days in the year ,or he falls by the wayside. There are men who quit work Saturday night and rest until Monday morning. They lay aside business cares at five or six o'clock every evening and do not resume them until seven or eight the next morning Not so your editor. He has no elegant leisure. He knows no hours, no Sunday, no night. When he goes to a party or to church, or an alleged pleasure trip, it is all in the line of a duty. Withal, your editor man is a cheerful, longsuffering soul, going about doing good in his humble way. He returns good for evil. He writes long puffs of church sociables, and in return therefor, accepts a chunk of cake that would sink an ironclad. He notes the arrival of all the babies in his neighborhood and eternally perjures his soul in telling how pretty they are. He rejoices with the gay and mourns with those who are sad. He booms every enterprise which makes his community rich and goes about himself clothed in gunny sack coats and one suspender. He glories over the fortune of his neighbor, and meekly eats his own repast of boiled corn cobs and colored labels off tomato cans. He can write a sermon, account of a prize fight, a political speech, an obituary notice, poetry, split wood, pitch hay, wash dishes, preside at a camp meeting, curry horses, quote law or gospel, or any thing else at a moment's notice.

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The youngsters who spent their vacation working for the farmers in this vicinity have returned to take up their school work. Their time was spent at work that was both renumerative and instructive and besides what they earned they have learned much that will tend to better fit them to take up the battle of life. To acquire habits of industry while young is worth more to a boy than inherited wealth. The fresh air, moderate exercise, the wholesome food and other phases of farm-life combine to make healthy and vigorous men of these boys and it is a privilege rather than a disadvantage to be offered a chance to do such work. Boys who accept this chance and stick to the work will never become members of the army of the unemployed and may some day own a farm of their own. The boy who does things is bound to take his station among the men who are not dependent on others in this world of ours and that is something to strive for. Good luck, to the boy who is not afraid of work.

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The woman who lives up to the expectations of her hired girl may be reasonably sure of a harp and crown in the hereafter.

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It is now claimed that the bottom of the berry box is placed so high to insure proper ventilation. What an expensive thing this ventilation is.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Tolemade by his firm.—Walding, Kinnando, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price. 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SAUGSTAD AND HOLTON WON

The lead which Stair and George had yesterday afternoon over Saugstad and Holten melted last evening like a snow bank before a typhoon when th ereturns from the Thirteen Towns began to pour in, and before the Scandinavian cloudburst stopped Stair and George were both washed down into the Sewer of Defeat. Saugstad won by several hundred votes, and Holten by over 100.

HANSON FOR CO. TREASURER

There was but one contest on at the primaries among the democrats and the returns show that H. O. Hanson of McIntosh won the nomination for county treasurer, over Nels Peterson of this city. It was a friendly contest in which neither would have filed had they known the other was going to.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

W. E. MC'KENZIE VISITING HERE

W. E. McKenzie one of the pioneer business men of Crookston and former proprietor and present part owner of the Crookston Times arrived this morning from Seattle where he is now engaged in the wholesale paper business, and will spend a few days attending to some business matters and visiting friends. He is prospering out west and likes the country, but displayed genuine pleasure in looking the "old town" over again.

Bishop Spalding Asked to Stay.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 19.—At a meeting of the irremovable priests of the diocese of Peoria here it was decided to present a request to Bishop Spalding that he reconsider his action in presenting his resignation, and that he remain at the head of the Peoria diocese for life.

RANGER REVOLVING BARB WIRE
COSTS 1/3 LESS PER MILE
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COAL SHORTAGE THREATENED

THE CONSUMERS HAVE DELAYED IN PLACING THEIR COAL ORDERS

DOCKS AT DULUTH ARE TAXED WITH STORED COAL TO CAPACITY

From Thursday's Daily—

Unless people put in their coal supply immediately, there is liable to be a repetition of "coal shortage conditions," which prevailed during the winter of 1906-7. Only a quarter to a half of the amount necessary for this winter's consumption has thus far moved. The responsibility for the light movement rests largely with the consumers, who have delayed ordering much later than usual.

The docks at the head of the lakes are taxed with stored coal to the limit of their capacity. The cars necessary to move the coal are now available, but with the heavy grain movement, which wil be fully under way within the next few weeks, most of these cars will be required for the grain service. There is just one way of insuring a sufficient coal supply, and that is to order it now for immediate delivery. With the vivid recollection of the conditions of two years ago still fresh in our memory, we earnestly and urgently advise our readers to take immediate action, and do their part in preventing a shortage and suffering by ordering coal today.

PIERCE SELLS GRAFTON RECORD

WELL KNOWN WRITER DISPOSES OF NEWSPAPER TO GRANT S. HAGER.

E. H. Pierce, famous as a writer of "Hits andMrs." and the man who has made Poison Carrots and his hired man known throughout a large share of the civilized world, announced in the Grafton Record of yesterday that he had disposed of the newspaper to Grant S. Hager, owner of the St. Thomas Times. He has not decided on his future work, but may remain in Grafton. The following is the announcement made of the change of ownership:

"After this issue the Record passes into the possession of Grant S. Hager, of St. Thomaas, well known to many of our readers and a newspaper man of experience. We wish to thank our many friends who have stood by us like brothers during the years we have published the Record. We do not intend to say goodbye, for we may not leave Grafton and if we do latter on make a move, we intend to always call this place our home, where we have spent the best part of our life. Grafton is a good city to live in, always was and always will be, and Grafton citizens are the best people on earth. We bespeak for Mr. Hager the same liberal patronage given us. He will give value received.

APPROPRIATION FOR THE PARKS

The Grand Forks park board held a meeting late yesterday and passed some important ordinances. The appropriation ordinance was given its final reading and passed. In addition to the appropriation for the bond sinking fund this appropriation includes the following amounts: Maintenance and improvements, $1,500; miscellaneous, 500; outstanding, $150.

Another ordinance passed provides for the appointment of a park policeman and defines his duties.

Rules and regulations governing use of the parks by the public are set forth in the other ordinance passed at the session.

The ordinances will take effect after approval and publication.—Grand Forks Herald.

THE NEWBY HORSES ARE GOING SOME

Thomas Newby who has his racing horses on a tour thru the copper country is now at Ironwood, Mich., and last week was at Rhinelander.

Brownie Mac won the 2:30 pace and Bessie Barolite was first in the 2:17 pace, Prince Hal in the free-for-all was defeated.

Newby will take his three horses to Ashland for next week and will participate in the races at Duluth the following week, after which he will return to Bemidji.

Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine.

This is the first question your doctor would ask: "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that daily action of the bowels is absolutely essential to recovery. Keep your liver active and your bowels regular by taking laxative doses of Ayer's Pills.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
HAIR VIGOR.
AGUE CURE.
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We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

FAIRFAX IS VERY GENEROUS

FOURTEEN PUBLIC SPIRITED RESIDENTS GIVE CASH TO FIRE SUFFERERS

The people of Fairfax township carry off the palm for generosity in coming promptly to the aid of the fire sufferers in northern Minnesota and Chris Houston, one of those behind the movement, today gave the Journal the following list and turnred the cash over to Treas. Misner:

Subscription list for fire sufferers of Chisholm and surrounding territory subscribed by the residents of the township of Fairfax, Polk county Minn.

John Amundson	$1.00
D. Roberts	1.00
Peter Runier	1.00
C. Houston	1.00
C. Nelson	1.00
A. J. Herberg	1.00
Geo. A. Olson	.50
Helmer Herberg	.50
Peter Jebe	1.00
Wm. Samson	1.00
Joseph Montague	1.00
John Sylvesterson	1.00
Reuber Taylor	1.00
Anthony Mulvaney	.50

Public Baths Make Money.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 17.—The public bath has closed for the season and city officials yesterday announced a profit of $150 has been realized this year.

THE WORLDS GREATEST SEWING MACHINE
LIGHT RUNNING
NEWHOME

If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread [*Chain Stitch*] Sewing Machine write to
THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
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Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear.
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J. W Wheeler, Pres.
H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

TWICE CURED OF SKIN TROUBLES

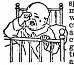
First Case a Rash Which Itched and Stung—Threatened Ten Years Later With Blood-Poison in Leg—But Both Times the Sufferer's

RELIANCE IN CUTICURA PROVED WELL-FOUNDED

"About twelve or fifteen years ago, while living in West Virginia, I had a breaking-out, and it itched and stung so badly that I could not have any peace because of it. I saw three doctors and they did not agree on what it was, so one of them gave me something that he called medicine, but I called it soda water. I might just as well have washed in rain-water. Then I got some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent and began to get better right away. They cured me and I have not been bothered with the itching since, to amount to anything. About two years ago I had la grippe and pneumonia which left me with a pain in my side. Treatment ran it into my leg, which then swelled and began to break out. It got in pretty bad shape, so I went to a doctor. He was afraid it would turn to blood-poison. I used his medicine but it did no good. So I sent for another set of the Cuticura Remedies. I used them three times and cured the breaking-out on my leg. Now I won't be without Cuticura. J. F. Hennen, R. F. D. 3, Milan, Mo., May 13, 1907."

BABIES ON FIRE

With Torturing, Disfiguring Humors, Cured by Cuticura.



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Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults, consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

PRESBYTERY MEET HELD AT BEMIDJI

PRESBYTERY IS IN EXCELLENT CONDITION.— NEXT MEETING AT WARROAD.

The fall meeting of the Adams Presbytery, which includes the Presbyterian churches in this district, convened in Bemidji wednesday after noon and continued in session untill Thursday evening.

There was an excellent attendance of the pastors of the different Presbyterian churches in this district and much interest was shown in the work.

D. K. Laurie, of Minneapolis acted as temporary moderator and called the meeting to order, after which Rev. John Ferry of Warroad was chosen moderator for the session and Rev. Niel A. Gilchrist of Thief River Falls was named temporary clerk.

The reports received from the various churches indicated that the Presbytery is in a flourishing condition financially and that the work of the churches is being conducted in a very able manner and is bringing about excellent results.

An invitation was extended by the church at Warroad to hold thir next meeting there, which by a unanimous vote, the Presbytery accepted.

The following ministers were present:— W. S. Ward, Crookston; P. A. Schwarz, Red Lake Falls; N. A. Gilchrist, Thief River Falls; S. B. Pinney, Stephen; John Ferry, Warroad; G. E. Moorehouse, Hallock; L. C. Eames, Orleans; F. J. Barackman, Blackduck; and D. K. Laurie, Minneapolis.

The less good a man is the more kinds of faith his wife has in him.

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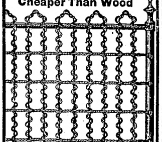

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BABE FOUND ON DOORSTEP

GRAND FORKS HAS A SENSATION —BABE LEFT ON THE DOORSTEP

NOTHING TO INDICATE IDENTITY OF CHILD—ABOUT THREE MONTHS OLD

From Saturday's Daily—

Hearing the wails of an infant child on her doorstep at 10:30 Thursday night, Mrs. Frank J. Wilkins, Vernon avenue, Grand Forks, investigated and found a blue eyed baby girl of about three months crying lustily. She took the baby into the house comforted her and soon she was sleeping contentedly.

The baby was wrapped in a quilt and was scantily clad when found. There was nothing on her person to indicate who her parents might be She is a pretty little one and Mrs. Wilkins would like to keep her if she did not have a child of her own. She has determined to find the baby a good home.

No Clue to Identity

It is considered improbable that the parents will be located. Neighbors of Mrs. Wilkins feel certain that the child does not belong in that section of the city.

Mr. Wilkins was absent from home when the baby was found. He is the man who found the skeleton near Bolack a few weeks ago This mystery has not yet been solved by the police.

Mrs. Wilkins did not tell anyone of her discovery until yesterday morning. Quite a number of the neighbors called during the day to see the little waif.

Correspondence

SHERACK

Mr. H. C. Misner came up from the Queen City last Friday to look over his farm interests here and was also the guest of Mr. G. H. Horn last Friday evening.

Mr. Ernest Hohl called on friends around here last Sunday.

Messrs. William and Frank Vanek drove to Tabor last Sunday evening.

Mrs. L. Giese was on the sick list last week.

Mr. John Vavrina made a flying trip to G. Forks last Wednesday evening on his bicycle.

Messrs. George and William Heck of Grand Forks came out last Tuesday to visit with their relatives here.

Mr. David Gerber the baseball prince of the Key West team made a flying trip to the home of Mr. B. Tiedemann last Sunday to reach the Euclid telephone line which is becoming quite a convenient thing of late. "What's the matter with the Euclid Telephone Co? They're all right."

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann called on Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese last Sunday

Messrs. Adolph Horn and Will Vanek rode to Tabor last Sunday on their bicycles.

Miss Alma Horn called on the Misses Lucy and Emma Giese last Sunday evening.

Threshing is nearly finished in this vicinity and the farmers are busy getting ready for their fall plowing.

Mr. Albert Behelke will work for B. Tiedemann this coming season.

Mr. G. H. Horn drove to Grand Forks last Monday on business.

Mr. Arthur Arnold drove to Tabor last Sunday.

The Misses Rose Kotek and Lucy Giese called on Miss Alma Horn last Friday.

Mr. G. Palen of Euclid has been fixing phones around here that have been suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis.

THE LAST DRIVE FOR THIS SEASON

Wm Herron of Red Lake Falls left last Saturday for the outlet at Red Lake with a crew of twenty men and will bring down a drive for the Thief River Falls Lumber company. This will be the last drive for the Thief River Lumber company this season and it will be a clean one. It is expected to take about twenty days.

Johnson Gets Reprieve.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 19. — Acting Governor Bellamy yesterday granted a reprieve until Nov. 13 next to Will Johnson, the negro who was to have been hanged to-day at Tecumseh for assaulting and killing Mrs. Cupp, an aged woman.

Ground to Bits Under Car Wheels.

Red Wing, Minn., Sept. 19.—Harvey Miller, while stealing a ride on an east-bound Burlington train, fell from his position on the trucks and was ground to pieces.

HAS LOST ITS GRIP ON THE MASSES

Pastor Says Church Is Not Doing Its Full Duty At The Present Time.

"The church in our day, in spite of her outward prosperity, has lost much of her grip upon the masses," said Rev. George R. Gebauer of the First Unitarian church of Duluth recently. "There is bold and open criticism heard from various quarters Common sense rationalism considers the church merely a relic of superstition, which really has no place in the modern world. It says, 'As long as the world could believe in hell beyond the grave, the church did good service as a universal insurance company against damage by fire in the next world; but now, when the notion of hell has been proven to be poor philosophy and a personal God and a personal devil have been relegated into the museum of folwlore and popular myths, there is no further use for this ecclesiastical insurance company.'

"Others say, 'Never mind if there be hell to come, we know there is hell all about us now. Let the church but establish paradise on earth and we shall believe in her again. Let the church show that she has a heart for the oppressed masses; let her remove all social and political injustice; let her prove her doctrine of human brotherhood by true brotherliness.'

"Such criticism and such demand may be somewhat crude, but it contains a good deal of truth and the complaint of the masses is echoed by the church. She feels that she is not doing her work well. Preaching about hell to come seems trifling to many an orthodox minister even, when he observes peridition all about him.. He becomes dissatisfied with his congregation sitting placidly before him on Sunday morning, while the world without is clamoring for help. He would turn his deacons and trustees and ladies' societies and young people's societies with flying colors and clanging cymbals upon the battalions of evil. His ideal is not so much the Christ preaching on the mount, as Jesus driving the money changers and traders out of the temple precinct. This dissatisfaction has finally called forth endeavors to meet the demands of the masses and finds its best expression in the work of the so-called "institutional church". Such a church stands pre-eminently for the practical service of man, and one in Chicago, which has taken the name of "Civic church" uses as its motto "The union of all who love in the service of all who suffer' certainly a beautiful maxim. In such churches the doors are open for seven days in the week for all sorts of enterprises. The basement of the church is turned into a carpenter shop, where the little street arab may learn to make his own tent; there is the cooking school for boys and also for girls; there is the boys' brigade. In the upper rooms there are literary classes and classes in philosophy and ethics and Browning and Tennyson. There is a mothers' class. There are many more helpful things there. In our day, where spiritual and mental healing is coming so much into prominence there is the tendency of some churches to add a spiritual clinic to the institution. We may also be certain that in time some churches will add a spiritualistic seance room where psychic phenomena may be honestly investigated All this may be very good and much of it has been proven good by experience, and yet the question arises, 'Is the church in this way really fulfilling her highest mission?" I for one cannot believe it. The church can even at her best, never do so well as the community might do in matters of instruction and to make the clinic an adjunct of the church to say nothing of the seance room, may establish anew the power of priestcraft and lead the world out of scientific light into occuit superstitition.

"If the church has failed in our day it has done so because she has neglected her supreme authority. Her great mission always has been and ever will be to sow the seed of deep and abiding spiritual truths, of spiritual truth."

From Over The Valley

GREATLY ENJOYED TRIP TO THE OLD COUNTRY

H. D. Bolstad and family returned last Monday morning from their trip to Norway where they spent the past sprng and summer. The trip was made primarily on account of the condition of Mr. Bolstad's health which has been very much improved by it A trip thru the mountains of Norway. Which had been planned in connection with the balance of the trip, was cut off by the serious illness of their boy; who recovered only a few days before their departure for home. Taken all in all however the trip was a most pleasurable one and Hans feels well repaid for having made it.—McIntosh Times.

A CLOSE CALL FOR A THRESHERMAN

Theodore W. Arntz of Napoleon, N. D. was in the act of oiling the cylinder shaft of his threshing machine when his clothing got caught in the tumbling rods. He braced himself and when the machine was stopped every vestige of clothing had been stripped from him except one leg of the under garment. His head was drawn close to the cog wheels and had he not been so powerful he could not have held out against strength of his jacket and overalls. He suffered no injury other than some badly strained muscles but is congratulating himself that he is alive.

CAN'T BE TOO CAREFUL WHILE HUNTING

Charley Olson buttermaker at the creamery had a large number of chicken shot picked out of his leg and arm Tuesday, the effect of being in line with a shot gun. Charley and a couple of campaigners were lying in a field waiting for geese when Nick Hagen shot at a hawk. Mr. Hagen did not know of the presence of any one until Olson rose up and exclaimed that he was shot, He will be disabled for some time, quite a large number of shot lodging in his hand —Roseau Region.

INTESTINES SEVERED IN THREE PLACES

Bryan Main, a small boy at Lead, N. D., was kicked by a horse in the abdomen. After ten days' suffering he was taken to the hospital and the doctors found that the intestines had been completely severed in three different places and the youngster was in a bad way generally. The patching up operation required over three hours' work and was a decidedly delicate task, but the boy will get well. if no further complications ensue.

N. D. AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL WILL HAVE U. S. EXPERT

D. E. Bailey of the United States department of agriculture at Washington has arrived at the state agri cultural college, where he will represent the government in the co-operative flour and milling tests to be undertaken at the experimental mill. He is the expert whom it was agreed that the government should send here when it designated the North Dakota experimental mill as the official testing plant for wheats and flours. Mr. Bailey will have charge of the glutten and baking tests exclusively.

THE NORTH DAKOTA NEWSPAPER MEN UNITE

Secretary Thomas Hall of the state republican executive committee states that the newspaper men of the 7th Judicial district formed an organization at the Grafton meeting yester day for their mutual benefit and to be able to do more effective work dur ing the campaign. The following officers were elected: President, W. S. Mitchell, Minto Journal; Secretary O. T. Rishoff, Milton Globe; Treasurer, J. A. Minder, Crystal Call.

Seven Miners Killed.

Yusovo, European Russia, Sept. 19. —Seven miners were killed and a large number injured by the caving in of the roof of the Veroffsky mine.

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TAFT TO VISIT CROOKSTON

Congressman Steenerson wired the Journal from St. Paul this afternoon the following message:

"Taft will speak at Crookston Monday afternoon, Sept. 28, at 2:25 p. m. He speaks at Fergus Falls at 10:55 and Barnesville at 11:55 the morning of the same day."

The splendid and rapid work on the part of Congressman Steenerson in getting the change for the benefit of Crookston will be greatly appreciated by those who are anxious to hear and see Taft. The hour will be specially convenient for the farmers and a special market day should be arranged for on that date to get the people here.

BIG TIME AT THE "VETS" MEETING

From Thursday's Daily— ...

The followig account of the surprise given to James J. Hill by veterand employes at Minneapolis yesterday is taken from the Minneapolis Journal and will be read with special interest by all railroad men as two of those present, Conductor Stahl of Barnesville and Foreman C. Keeley of Euclid were among those present and many others are well known here:

In an old-fashioned train drawn by the "William Crooks" first locomotive operated in Minesota, James J. Hill chairman of the Great Northern road and a party of veteran railroad men to whom he charges his early success in railroading, passed thru Minneapolis at 4:30 p. m. today to celebrate Mr. Hill's 70th birthday at the Lafayette club, Minnetonka Beach. The train travelled over part of the old St. Paul & Pacific road which was the beginning of the present extensive Great Northern transcontinental system.

The little teakettle, wood-burning engine, which could easily be stowed in the boiler of a present day Great Northern mogul puffing laboriously over 90-pound rails with a following of dinky coaches which could be shipped intact in a modern Great Northern freight car, typified progress in the northwest in the span of life of a man who is today only 70 years old.

Mr. Hill modestly affirms that much of this progress in railroading is due to the men who gathered around him in pioneer days, and it was fitting that the train should be operated by the oldest operating men on the system and that the party which accompanied him to the Lafayette cub for a reunion dinner at 6:30 o'clock were the very men who helped lay the foundations for his commanding position today in the transportation world.

Surprise for Mr. Hill

The affair was designed as a surprise for Mr. Hill who returned today from the east expecting to celebrate his birthday in a quiet way with his family. It was arranged under the auspices of the old-timers many of whom are still in service near the twin cities but the local officials in St Paul and Minneapolis took up the details and added a few touches that made it unique including the resurrection of the "Wm. Crooks" and its rejuvenation with repair and paint.

The oldest man in Great Northern engine service, Al Smith now running on trains 13 and 14 betwee St. Paul and Breckenridge took the "high ball" signal promptly at 4 p. m. in the St. Paul union station shed from S W. Eastman, the oldest conductor. When Smith said "let her go" Flynn, his gray-haired fireman yanked the bell cord and the old bell tinkled to clear the way ahead. A. J. Marly, also one of the veteran conductors "took" the rear step to see whether his signals, lights and torpedoes were in order. Mr. Manly was important in his position of brakeman.

Some of the "Vets"

The passengers were veteran Great Northern employes from stations as far west as Seattle. Some of these names are still familiar to the traveling public, and others will be remembered only by Mr. Hill himself and some of the oldest of the "vets." They included men of the class of J. H. Woolnough still running a train on the old St. Paul & Pacific; C. W. Kyte, who is now in charge of the union station news stand; Archie Guthrie, Barstow, Bailey, Wakefield, George Copeland, John Copeland, Stahl, Sands, Bomey, Cunningham, Dyson, Ward, Newlan, Alexander, E. B. Wakeman, W. S. Kemp, C. Keeley, Arnes, Gebhart, Manly, Jud Rice, Evans, Thomas, Maloy, Lewis Kellogg, Bryant, Pennock, Trudean, McMillan, Gorran.

The old engine, which is labeled on the tank "1st Division, St. P. & Pac. R R." and underneath the cab window, "Wm Crooks" was taken to St. Paul forty-two years ago a marvel of mechanism. It was taken from Patterson, N. J., to St. Louis and there loaded aboard a steamboat. At St. Paul it had to be "set up" The engine was named after William Crooks, civil engineer of the road in early days. The Crooks was relegated to a branch when the larger locomotives were for the main line. It finally started for the scrap heap, but was latter resurrected and sent to the Pacific coast to operate hydraulic pumps used to make heavy cuts in the hills. Finally it worked back to St. Paul, and when the Hill birthday celebration was evolved, it was sent to the shops and "fixed up."

The dinner at the lafayette will not be a stereotyped affair, but will be informal, and after the meal the old-timers will swap stories, and for once again "the old man" will be one of the gang.

FISH CAR FOR MAPLE LAKE

EXECUTIVE AGENT AVERY AND SAM FULERTON SPEND DAY IN CITY

BROUGHT 40 CANS OF FINE FISH FOR THE LOCAL SUMMER RESORT

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Executive Agent Carlos Avery and Sam Fullerton of the State Game and Fish Commission arrived in the city yesterday afternoon in their special fish car over the Northern Pacific with 43 cans of the finest bass and croppies every sent out of the state hatcheries, some of the bass being 5 inches long.

They started from St. Paul with 133 cans, 20 of which were left at Lincoln and 70 at Detroit lake, the balance being brought to Crookston.

Their special fish car is a model of convenience and cost the commission $10,000 which they paid out of their current fund as the legislature made no special appropriations either for the car or the equipment. In the car the present shipment cost but $70 while under the old method it would have cost $104. This way it was done in two days, and under the old way it would have taken two weeks.

The Milwaukee and Northwestern roads haul the car free of charge, but the N. P. and G. N. charge for the work.

Messrs. Avery and Fullerton leave Saturday night for Washington to attend the National Game Warden Assn., meeting at which the latter will deliver an address.

Both gentlemen were highly pleased with the conditions in this section and praised the work of Game Warden Munch highly. Warden and Mrs. Munch entertained Messrs. Avery, Fullerton and Wessell at a prairie chicken dinner today. They leave the city this evening for St. Paul.

LIGHTS MAY NOT SHINE AT FERTILE

The electric light company of Fertile served notice on their patrons that after Oct. 15th next the plant will be shut down unless satisfactory arrangemenas for rates can be made with the village council before that date. We sincerely hope that the light company and the village authorities can come to some satisfactory under standing as we cannot afford to have the plant shut down.—Fertile Journal.

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Guarding Against Fires

The disasterous fires which have been raging for the past month or more in Northern Minnesota Forests and in fact in all the northern states from Maine to the Pacific coast, brings home the advisability of taking every possible precaution in order to guard against prairie fires.

Local rains smothered the flames near Bemidji yesterday, but unless there is more rainfall in a few days, the forests will again be as dry as tinder with present stiff breezes, and the grass on the prairies will be in the same condition to burn readily.

Every farmer should at once take measures to protect all farm buildings, school houses and hay stacks. It takes but a few minutes to plow a couple of furrows eight or ten rods apart, and burn the grass between them, which makes a splendid fire break.

State Fire Warden Peterson has warning, and calling upon the people of the state to exercise special vigilance in order to prevent further loss by fires, and the warning is one which should be heeded.

Negligence to exercise care not only endangers the property of the careless person, but also endangers the property of his neighbors. Carelessness along this line is nothing short of criminal, and the party starting a fire which proves disastrous can be held for damages.

Minnesota In Agriculture

After all the wealth of Minnesota is in the land, and it is the agricultural resources—using that term broadly—which will make the permanent riches of this state, and fix its place among states in the future. We may be for a moment, "The Pennsylvania of the West" but the deposits of the Range, while still immense and still unmeasured, cannot last forever, And we may have produced lumber barons, but the very fire of September has shown that such baronage will be offset by a barrenage which will end all that and the state will be compelled to undertake the slow, generations-long task of reforesting waste places. In the land is enduring wealth, and in spite of the statistics which place Minnesota eleven in manufacturers and eleven in agriculture the one remains the other goes.

In his speech at Fulda, a week ago Archbishop Ireland declared for the farmer. In his speech at Crookston a day or so ago Chairman Hill delared that the farmer with 160 acres would in forty years be the king among men. Minnesota cannot afford to desert her past which forty years ago made her the great prospective granary among states. She must reclaim that prophecy and, forty years hence, be that great granary among states; she must maintain her bread-and-butter standard.

And that she is preparing to do this the dedication of the new hall at the Crookston sub-experimental farm demonstrated. At that dedication Congressman Davis almost Minnesotan—we believe he came here at the age of four some fifty-four years ago—reviewed the necessities of the nation agriculturally, outlining the bill which he has entered for the consideration of congress, providing an agricultural high school for each congressional district. The bill has the approval of President Roosevelt; it certainly has the approval of Minnesota farmers.

Only the surface of Minnesota agricultural riches has been scratched. It is impossible to know what will result when Minnesota is dotted with at least nine agricultural high schools leading up to the experimental farm. For, as Congressman Davis pointed out when the state farm was first opened, there was not a text book to be had for guidance in the work. The text books have had to grow, and they not only have grown, but actigurshrdlue shrdle shre. shrdluuu agriculture has invaded other text books, and the very arithmetic used in St. Paul schools deals with the parts of the soil as it once dealt with the parts of the dollar—the two have a close relation. We are accustomed to place the primitive plough, as it is still used in Russia, say, in contrast with the highly developed "sulky" which furrows the Minnesota prairies. But if machinery has developed mightily the sail itself has not received such close attention. Soil and climate will be made to work together in wise ways in the Minnesota future. Agriculture will be a fine art one of these days.—St. Paul Dispatch.

FARMERS NATIONAL CONGRESS

HON WILLIAM J. BRYAN TO BE ONE OF THE SPEAKERS AT GREAT GATHERING AT MADISON, WIS., BEGINNING SEPT. 24

Arrangements for the 28th annual session of the Farmers' National Congress, which opens Sept. 24 at Madison, Wis., are now practically completed. The program is exceptionally strong and attractive, Some of the leading agricultural specialists of the nation will take a prominent part One of the country's strongest agricultural colleges is located at Madison, and the delegates will have an opportunity to inspect thoroly its workings, as well as to meet and hear many men who have been important factors in the position which American agriculture holds today.

The seeing and hearing such men is an inspiration, and a great influence in raising enthusiasm for and loyalty to agriculture. In addition valuable addresses will be deliverel by the governors of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and North Carolina. Other distinguished gentlemen on the program who will have important messages to the farmers of the Congress are Hon. Harvie Jordan, of Georgia, president of the Cotton Growers' association, Col. Robert E. Lee, Jr., of Virginia, Hon. J. J. Hill of Minnesota, Hon. W. W. Kitchen of North Carolina, Dr. George T. Winston, president of the North Carolina agricultural college, Dr. Randolph consulting engineer of the Panama canal, Dr. Sclichter of the government reclamation service.

Women's interests will be looked after by three speakers who are expert authority on matters of domestic science. The president, Col. Cameron, of North Carolina, has spent the summer studying conditions in England and will have an extremely interesting address.

The lake scenery about Madison is of the most delightful nature, while the city itself is extremely beautiful Its enterprising people will spare no pains to show the most liberal hospitality and great exertions will be made for the comfort and pleasure of the delegates. But the greatest attraction of all and the big feature of the congress will be an address by Hon. William J. Bryan on the farmer and his relations to public affairs.

Mr. Bryan's prominence before the country and his ability will give especial interest to this address. A large attendance from many states is anticipated, as long lists of delegates have already been received by the secretary. It is hoped that every state in the Union will be liberally represented. George M. Whitaker, secretary, 1404 Harvard Street Washington, D. C.

SENTENCE BLACK HAND MEN.

Fernie Authorities Jail Italians From Chicago.

Winnipeg, Sept. 23. — Eight Black Hand Italians who came from Chicago to Fernie and there plied their nefarious calling for a few days until arrested by the police, were yesterday sentenced to from six months to seven years in jail.

FIVE KILLED; TWENTY HURT.

Twenty-two Animals Escape Arena Just Before Fight.

Lisbon, Sept. 23—Twenty-two bulls escaped from the arena at Loita yesterday and ran amuck through a crowd that was assembling to witness a bull fight. Five persons were killed and some twenty were injured. Troops shot the animals to death.

STATE PRESS

Cannonaded

There is a great deal in writing an attractive advertisement. Do you give your advertisement your best attention? If you expect to do a large business on the fact that you know so many people you will get left. The ones you don't know are in the great majority. How are you to reach them in the most favorable manner at the least expense? By placing an attractive advertisement in the newspaper.—Erskine Echo.

Cannonian

Too much Cannon and too much ventilation of Cannonian ideas has been the cause of the defeat of Congressman Bede. Miller's majority will will run into the thousands and Bede might have prevented it if he had given more attention to duty and kept in touch with the forces that gave him support.—Cass Lake Times.

Cannonized

The shaking up that is being given the men who stand closest to Speaker Cannon in the house is considered likely to result in important modifications of the house rules. If the agitation results in making the house more of a deliberative body and the speaker less of an autocrat it will have an excellent effect.—Grand Forks Herald.

Can-On-Weeds

Night riders are reported to be organizing in some sections of the cotton belt in order to force reductions in acreage and consequent output next year. Why do night riders never get after the men that raise the big crop of weeds? — Minneapolis Journal.

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From Over The Valley

A FINE AUTOMOBILE TRIP FOR GRAND FORKERS

One of the prettiest drives of the season was enjoyed yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kelsey when they autoed to Climax, Minn., and returned, a trip of about sixty miles. They went down on the Minnesota side of the river and returned on the Dakota side, the road, nearly all the way, being shaded with the beautiful trees Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jackson and little Louise and Dana Robertson were guests in the Robertson car and Miss Vera Kelsey, Temple Irwin and Ruth Eckman were in the Kelsey party.—Grand Forks Times.

GRAND FORKS BOYS HAD LONG HUNTING TRIP

Clarence Sheppard and E. M. Stimson arrived home in Grand Forks Saturday evening after a hunting trip which has extended over about three weeks they leaving Grand Forks on the opening day of the season and have been hunting ever since. During the three weeks they have covered a large amount of territory, driving from Grand Forks up to the Turtle mountains and thence to Berwick in McHenry county, N. D. In all they covered about 600 miles by the team route. They had a complete camping outfit with them, pitching their camp every night. The horses were shipped back home from Berwick.

Flowers

Flowers are among the luxuries of life for which a steady demand has been created as civilization has advanced. Our forefathers were content to cultivate them for a brief season of the year to enjoy them while the summer lasted; but the present generation demands them the year around. There is also a growing demand for golden grain belt beer which is the greatest home beverage ever known. It is brewed from the best materials in a better way than other beers and should have a place on your home table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

BOYS' TASTES HINDERS RAISING OF APPLES

Col. Robertson raised about forty of as fine apples as one could wish for on a tree in his yard. Col. says the only drawback in raising apples in Argyle is the fine taste cultivated by mischievous boys for other people's apples. There's a good joke going the rounds tho and we would advise the boys to be careful lest they fall victims to it.

A. JOHNSON EXCAVATES FOR CONTRACTOR BRADY

James Brady went to Crookston on Tuesday evening to consult with A. Johnson who is going to do the excavating and brick work on the new Finch-Smith-Carlisle warehouses at Thief River. As soon as Mr. Johnson has his work completed Mr. Brady will go to Thief River and commence operations. He was awarded the contract at Crookston last week.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

MANY CATHOLIC EVENTS TAKE PLACE IN N. DAKOTA

Bishop Shanley of the Fargo diocese has been spending the past two or three days in the vicinity of Langdon making a number of visits with the Catholic congregations and attending a number of important events. On Thursday the new Catholic church at Nekoma was dedicated Friday at Olga a large class was confirmed. Tomorrow there will be a big class confirmed in Langdon. The dedication of the new church at Osnabrock was to have taken place during Bishop Shanley's visit but it was not yet completed.

LEARNING TRADE AT STATE INSTITUTION

Leonard Zaiser son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zaiser of Red Lake Falls left Monday evening for Faribault to attend the deaf and dumb school. Leonard will remain at Faribault two more years. He is learning the shoe maker trade and upon his return will go to work for Mr. Harren of that town in his shoe repairing department.

CORRESPONDENCE

TERREBONNE

Miss Ida Zeigler and Miss Rose Moreau of Brooks attended mass here last Sunday.

Rev. Fr. Tapin of Crookston, Frs. Fayolle and Ambrose of Red Lake Falls and Fr. Ray of Lambert were the guests of Fr. Veilleoux last week

Chas. Kankel spent the week at Minneapolis visiting his wife at the hospital. Mrs. Kankel is reported as feeling fine after the operation. Our people wish for her a prompt recovery and to see her back in our midst again.

Joseph Narconnet of Brooks was united in the holy bonds of matrimony last Sunday to Miss Antoinette Laniel of Terrebonne. The bride was richly dressed and was attended by her sister Miss Sarah, while Frank L. Cyr acted as best man. Mr Boughie of Crookston and Joe L. Cyr of Red Lake Falls attended the ceremony.

FISHER

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lendem and Miss Mary Thompson returned Tuesday morning from the state fair and points in Wisconsin.

Miss Lottie Krostue is out on her father's farm this week. As soon as threshing is over she will return to the normal school at Moorhead where she will complete the normal course next June.

Mrs. H. O. Rosaan drove out to her farm near Reynolds, N. D., Thursday

C. Amundson from Northwood, N. D., has been visiting at the Knutson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Larsen and Rev. R. N. Peterson spent Sunday at the home of T. Davidson in Bygland.

In the course of time a bald spot puts it all over a man.

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SAMPSON'S ADDITION CERTAIN OF NEW BRIDGE

Bridge And City Hall Bonds Carry By Overwhelming Majority In Special Election.

No Saloon For Carman.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The special election held in Crookston yesterday for the purpose of voting on $7500 Sampson addition bridge bonds, $6000 City Hall bonds and on the charter Amendment to determine whether or not the patrol limits should be extended to Carman in order that saloons might operate there caused one of the liveliest scraps that has been witnessed for some time.

The bridge bonds carried by 229, the city hall bonds by 292, and the Carman saloon proposition had a majority of 103, but lacked 17 of the necessary 3-5ths of the total vote cast.

This means that Sampsons addition is assured of a fine new bridge on the new location, from the rear of the Morrisey foundry to the rear of the Munch property.

The people of Sampsons addition were practically unanimous on the proposition and are highly elated that the proposition carried by such a handsome majority. The bonds will be sold and the work on the bridge started just as soon as the contract can be let. Following is the detailed vote of the city on the three propositions submitted:

Wards—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Tot.
Bridge Bonds—									
For	83	33	40	113	28	59	146	69	671
Against	11	108	71	32	6	11	7	26	275
Majority									299
City Hall Bonds—									
For	77	48	51	103	29	53	120	64	545
Against	13	85	55	33	6	12	22	27	253
Majority									292
Carman Saloon—									
For	58	70	44	70	42	33	77	48	443
Against	23	63	64	60	1	34	52	43	340
Majority									103

From our Ecxhanges

ARGYLE (Banner)

Postmaster Buckingham is having his residence remodeled and a new foundation placed under it.

Sisters Valentine and Louise of Villa Rosa Convent went down to Crookston Tuesday for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson and children of Grand Forks were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olson on Monday.

The officers of election in Argyle were R. G. Marlette, Peter Kirsch, S. S. Daniels, Geo. G. Keup and A. J. Marsh.

Many friends will be grieved to learn that Marie Meisch has suffered another severe attack of appendicitis this week. She is under the doctor's care and while she is somewhat better at this writing she has not fully recovered.

Typhoid Epidemic.

Spring Valley, Wis., Sept. 20. — An epidemic of typhoid fever is raging through the town of Gilman, a few miles from here. Two deaths have occurred and several cases are in a critical condition.

WARREN (Region)

Rasmus Hage has been trying out that new auto he got the other day. It is a Stanley steamer and a handsome car.

Oscar W. Peterson commenced a term of school in the Josephson district.—From the "Twelve Year Ago" column of the Twin Valley Times.

Attorneys Charles Loring and A. A. Miller were up from Crookston yesterday making the trip both ways in the former's big touring car.

Mrs. E. M. Sathre who had been visiting at the home of her father O. B. Sonstrud for a week or so, returned Saturday to her home in Crookston.

Ole J. Vaule of Crookston, Senator Peterson of Moorhead and Andrew Engeseth of Twin Valley, were in the city on Monday, having legal matters to attend to before Judge Grindeland.

A lot of Indians belonging to the Red Lake agency were in town yesterday and today enroute home from the northwestern part of the county, where they had been working as harvest hands.

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 21 In History.

William Warren.

1520—Sultan Selim I., Turkish national hero, died.
1697—Treaty of Ryswick, France, with England, Spain, Holland, etc.
1776—Great fire in New York from the Battery northward; Trinity church and 500 other buildings burned.
1832—Sir Walter Scott, Scottish romancer and poet, died; born 1771.
1888—William Warren, eminent American actor, died; born 1812.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:55, rises 5:43; moon rises 3:34 a. m.; 8 a. m., planet Uranus apparently stationary.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

BACK TO YAKIMA—E. B. Himmelsbach who has been vsiting in the city for the past week or ten days, left last Friday evening for his home at North Yakima.

BUILDING SHED—J. D. Ball has built a fine coal shed on the G. N. right of way at the end of Fifth street There is a high grade at that place making an ideal place for this purpose. His wood yard will be adjoining.

AT REGULAR TERM— The suit relative to the ownership of a portion of the Episcopal church property which has been in dispute for many years, will be tried before a jury at the Regular December term of court.

TWO MORE CREAMERIES. — M. J. Cort, the creamery expert has just returned from Neving north of Sheylin where a new creamery has been equipped and a short time ago equipped another at Mallard a few miles from Lake Itasca.

AUCTION SALE—C. A. Hitchcock will sell at Public Auction on Monday Oct. 5, on Sec. 33, Town of Fairfax, 15 head of fine work horses, milch cows and all farm machinery having been used but one year, belonging to F. W. Spencer, 3 miles east and 5 miles south of Crookston.

DOING WELL OUT EAST — E. O. Estenson came in from town of Vine land this morning and went out to his home near Kelliher, where his family is residing on a timber claim His sons have been farming the old homestead north of Climax but will soon take the teams back into the woods for the winters logging.

RUN THRESHER— Ben Vonderbeck returned Saturday night from Argyle where he spent the threshing season tending separator for the Olson & Helen threshing rig on their large farm that is being managed by August Michael. He reports a fine yield, and no doubt a large balance on the right hand side for the owners.

GET FINE FARMS—The four Mercil brothers, Medor, Joseph, Tanislaus and Amie, who took up claims near Roosevelt, have lived on the land the allotted time and made the necessary improvements, will on October 7th make final proof before the local U. S. land office and in a short time will be presented with patents giving them full possession of fine farms. Their claims are in 159-35.

PATIENT DOING WELL — Dr. Dryden of Euclid was in the city Saturday attending Elmer Juene of the town of Belgium who is a patient in St. Vincent hospital where he was operated upon for appendictis. He is progressing nicely.

A FINE BAG—Robert Berg returned this morning from Fosston with as fine a bag of mallards as ye reporter ever feasted his eyes on. He is the envy of every sportsman in town today.

THREE NEW SCHOOLS — Rev. Samuel Hedegaard, the Sunday School Missionary stationed in this city, last evening preached in the Scandinavian M. E. church the regular pastor Rev. Andreason being in St. Paul attending the conference of his church. Yesterday morning and afternoon Rev. Hedegaard organized three new Sunday schools northeast of the city.

MATERIAL DELAYED—Jake Kohler and Frank Page were down from Euclid for over Sunday stay with their families. They report their contract there coming along all right with the exception of some delay caused by the non-arrival of material

39 BUSHELS TO ACRE—Ole Nelson a former farmer east of Euclid but now the owner of a fine farm near Angyle had a fine crop the past season. One field of thirteen acres of wheat produced 487 bushels or 39 bushels to the acre. Mr. Nelson has always believed in rotation and thoro cultivation.

LOCAL FOUNDRY MADE REPAIRS—Co. Com. F. O. Sibley of Solway Beltrami Co., was in the city last Friday to get some castings made at a local foundry to repair a planer that he has in operation out there. Mr. Sibley is a former Polk county resident and has many friends in these parts.

WEST END O. K.— Carl Gronberg one of the prominent farmers of the younger generation on the Red River was in to the Agricultural School dedication, and was well pleased with the event, having derived a great deal of benefit from the addresses made. He reports his part of the country as well satisfied with this seasons work. He will boost for the farm school at every opportunity.

CHAS. BRENNAN CAMPING OUT

Chas. Brennan was removed from St. Vincents Hospital several days ago to a tent in Highland Park, where he is sleeping in the open and getting all kinds of invigorating Minnesota Ozone. He was visited by scores of friends yesterday and is getting along nicely. Mrs. Brennan is also camping out, and is assisted by a competant nurse. Mr. Brennan has improved wonderfully since he started sleeping in an open tent and his friends expect to see him about town as usual in a few weeks.

From Tuesday's Daily

Sept. 22 In History.

1776—Nathan Hale executed at New York.
1862—President Lincoln issued his warning proclamation of emancipation, which was perfected Jan. 1, 1863, freeing the slaves at the last named date.
1907—Samuel Sloan, prominent financier and railroad builder, died at Garrison, N. Y.; born 1818.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:54, rises 5:44; moon rises 3:32 a. m.; moon at Apogee, farthest from earth; 7:11 p. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east, 3¾ degrees north of the planet; 6 a. m., sun crosses the celestial equator, from north to south; autumnal equinox.

KEYNOTE SPEECHES—Both gubernatorial candidates make their "keynote speeches" this week and then we shall expect all the smaller spellbinders to get busy and tear up the atmosphere.

THE LAST BUFFALO—In its 20-year ago column the Fargo Forum notes that a buffalo bull was killed 23 years ago near Oakes. It was probably the last one shot east of the Missouri river.

RIETMEIER BETTER—Fred Rietmeier has recovered from the operation he underwent and was this afternoon discharged from the Bethesda hospital and went out the his farm home.

AUTO RUN—Atty. W. E. Rowe had some legal business at Climax and he went down yesterday afternoon accompanied by P. J. Fearon and O. E. Ericson in Parr's automobile. They made the trip in record breaking time.

WANT RAIN—A. Elbinger and son of Louisville were in town yesterday A little rain at this time would do them a lot of good says Mr. Elbinger, to push along the timothy and clover pastures.

FOR SALE OR RENT— House and barn, No. 803 Front St., North. For particulars inquire of W. A. Marin, Crookston, Minn.

HAD SHORT SEASON — John Campbell has returned from Dakota with his teams. He had a short but good season's threshing and is ready to put his teams to other necessary work.

FOOTBALL STAR—Edgar Volland of Ada is spending the day in the city visiting among his acquaintances of which, he has many, having taken a leading part in high school athletics when the two schools used to meet in various contests.

GOES TO ST. PAUL— O. B. Granum, formerly with the Reporter, left last night for St. Paul where he will take a position on the Pioneer Press for a time. Mr. Granum will return to Minot later on his way to the western coast.—Minot Reporter.

HAVING GOOD SEASON—George Castle was up from Gary to visit over Sunday with his family and mother who is at present in very feeble health. The Castle brothers are having a very good season, and will come out way to the good financially with their ditch contracts.

FATHER GOSSMAN HERE —Father Gossman of New Richland, Minn arrived in the city this morning and will spend a couple of weeks here with his brother, Atty. L. E. Gossman has many friends in Crookston having visited here quite often in the past.

HERE FROM LOWER FALLS — Those who were in attendance at the dedication of Stephen's Hall in this city, from Red Lake Falls, were Mrs. Duffy, Mrs. LaBissoniere, Messrs. Tandberg, Gibeau, Schreiter, Spillane, Duffy, Watson, Germo, Siverson, Louis Parenteau and N. A. Nelson.

FINE APPLES—It would be difficult to find a better lot of apples and plums than were grown this year on trees owned by H. E. Mussey. The fruit all ripened in good season and every apple and plum was sound and richly flavored. This should effectively dispose of the contention that good fruit cannot be grown in North western Minnesota. — Thief River Falls Press.

FUNERAL OF JOHN KETTER — The funeral of John J. Ketter took place yesterday morning from Sacred Heart Catholic church in the presence of a concourse of people that filled the large church. Rev. Fr. Green officiatel and spoke words of comfort to the bereaved families. He paid a high tribute to the worth of the deceased. Mother Schelastica of Duluth and Sister Paul of Duluth a daughter of Mr. Ketter and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brusius of Acton were there for the funeral.

INITIALS THE SAME—The invited guests who attend and the out-of-town visitors to the dedication of the new hall at the school of agriculture at Crookston today will each receive a red satin badge with the letters "C. S. A." printed on them. Back in the early sixties such a badge would have had a tendency to provoke a riot almost anywhere in the north, as nine out of ten persons would have assumed that it stood for "Confederate States of America."—Warren Sheaf.

HARRY IVE'S VIEW—The editor of the Spectator has just completed an unsuccessful campaign for the Republican nomination for representative. The people of this district very evidently concluded that the county option question overshadowed all other questions. The winner, Jens J. Opsahl, was assisted financially and otherwise by the county option forces, and Mr. Funkley was backed to the extent of $5000 or more by the liquor and brewery interests Of the result we have no apologies to offer, no one rendered any financial assistance we did not bribe the voters or slander our opponents.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Samuel Fulton were held this afternoon at Ada, and was one of the largest ever held in Northern Minnesota. The floral tributes were magnificent. Among those who went down from Crookston last evening were Mesdames S. W. Vance S. Rosenthal, A. D. Stephens and H. C. Misner. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fulton and family of Humbolt also passed through last evening to attend the funeral.

SPECIAL TRAIN ON TAFT DAY

The Grand Forks commercial club is making an effort to have the N. P. run an excursion train from Winnipeg Jct. to that city on the 28th inst. to give the people down that line an opportunity to hear Taft speak. As Taft speaks here the same afternoon, it might be well for Crookston to join in the effort, and no doubt could get the major part of the crowd to stop here, giving them the same opportunity to hear the republican nominee as if they went farther.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 23 In History.

1745—John Sevier, pioneer and soldier, hero of King's Mountain, etc., born; died 1815.
1791—Birth of Karl Theodor Korner, German poet of liberty; killed in fighting the French, 1813.
1820—Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry died in Port Spain, Isle of Trinidad; born 1785.
1869—Black Friday.
1907—French terms of peace accepted by the Moors at Casablanca.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:52, rises 5:45; moon rises 4:32 a. m.; 6:13 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, passing from west to east, 4 degrees north of the planet; A. D. 1846, planet Neptune discovered by Galle.

INDIAN AGENT HERE— Indian Agent Michelet of the White Earth Reservation spent yesterday in the city. He says that the affairs of the department are running along very smoothly at the present time.

LOOKED AFTER FARM —Capt. Vonderbeck of the local police force spent yesterday and today at Euclid where he looked after the threshing operations on his farm. He has not decided on the size of the diamond he will purchase when he has pocketed the proceeds.

WILL ATTEND S. S. CONFERENCE—Rev. Samuel Hedegaard, the missionary representing the American Sunday School Union with headquarters in Crookston will leave this evening for Lakeland to attend the Sunday school conference at that place which closes Sept. 28. He will make a complete report of the work he has done in this section this summer at that time.

FORMER FERTILITES— Thomas Keefe came over from Bagley yesterday noon and spent several hours in the city. He visited St. Anthony's hospital where Mrs. Keefe has been confined for the past ten days. Mr. Keefe stated that he thought Mrs. Keefe would be out of the hospital with the next ten days and would then be able to return to her home at Bagly.

TRAMPLAND MADE A HIT — "Trampland" at the Auditorium last evening made a big hit with the large audience present. The specialty work was very fine, specially the acrobatic stunts, and the entire performance was far above the average The Auditorium has secured two very acceptable companies in the last two which have shown here, and the audiences will increase materially if the same class of shows are secured for the future.

KIDNAPING CASE—Deputy Sheriff Daniels went to East Grand Forks this morning having in custody Wm. Wallace Taylor who had his preliminary hearing on the charge of kidnaping and was held to the grand jury for the December term. Failing to secure bonds he will be brought back tonight and held in the county jail. As he is a married man his offense is all the more repugnant.

WORK WELL ADVANCED—Ed Henry of Angus says the threshing operations are practically all wound up near Angus, only a little stack threshing remaining. He has leased the old Andrews farm for another year and will have the entire farm plowed in a short time. He states that all the farmers are busy plowing, and that they have more done at the present time than they did last year when the freeze-up came. This is in addition to the large amount of summer fallowing that was done.

LABORERS RETURNING — The east and southbound trains for the past week have been packed with laborers returning from the harvest and threshing fields to the larger cities, scores heading for Duluth from where they will hire to the log contractors for the winter. The train for Duluth last evening had to be stopped west of the city to give the conductor time to collect all the fares The two smoking cars were jammed so he could hardly make his way thru. To add to the situation about 97 1-2 per cent of the men were three fourths pickled and the task of the conductor is anything but a pleasant one.

Returns from the State Bar examination which was held in St. Paul Sept. 1-4 '08, among those duly admitted to practice were Fred Dennis private secretary to Congressman Steenerson, and Geo. Judson of Crookston, and John Vig of Fosston.

Mr. Dennis has been reading law for some time past but will remain with Congressman Steenerson in his present capacity. Geo. Judson will remain in the law office of County Attorney Maybury for the present at least. John Vig will practice law at Fosston.

The man who keeps a record of his chest measurement never has any body making notes about his brains.

HILL HELD FOR THEFT OF HORSE

FINLANDER ARRESTED AFTER BEING CHASED FOR MILES IN AN AUTOMOBILE

TAKES HORSE BELONGING TO J. E. SULLIVAN—IS HELD TO GRAND JURY

From Wednesday's Daily—

After a sensational chase in an automobile Carl Hill, a Finlander who says his home is in Duluth, was arrested yesterday afternoon 11 miles northwest of Crookston where he had driven with a horse and buggy stolen from DeMers avenue, Grand Forks yesterday forenoon. Chief of Police Ellingson, G. R. Jacobi, Rand Smith and J. E. Sullivan being the owner of the stolen horse and buggy.

The theft was one of the boldest in the history of this section. The horse was tied on DeMers avenue one of the principal streets, and in the buggy were eight milk cans that bad been left there after the morning delivery of milk. The Sullivan horse was well known and the automobile party soon struck the trail. It is believed that Hill intended to reach Fisher. As he went along he threw the milk cans out. Some of them were recovered.

Hill was taken to Grand Forks yesterday afternoon. He told Chief Overby about his ride in the automobile but claimed to know nothing about the theft of the horse and buggy.

Last evening Hill was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Mr. Sullivan, who placed the value of his property at $200. Hill asked for an examination and it was granted. Mr. Sullivan was the only witness examined. He testified as to the recovery of the property in the possession of Hill after being stolen.

Hill asked the judge to be as easy as he could. Judge Church explained that he could only bind him over to the district court. His bond was fixed at $500. He was unable to furnish the bond and went to jail.

The accused says he came from Duluth not long ago and threshed for four days.

BADLY SCALDED IN AN ACCIDENT

ALBERT JOHNSON MAY DIE AS RESULT OF TERRIBLE INJURIES RECEIVED

ENGINE BRACKET BREAKS — IS THROWN DOWN WHERE THE STEAM STRIKES HIM

From Tuesday's Daily—

Albert Johnson residing about 14 miles from Grand Forks was seriously if not fatally scalded yesterday when a bracket on the threshing machine he was riding upon broke. Johnson was thrown down in the hot steam and was terribly scalded. He was hurried to the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forks where he is suffering great pain from his injuries.

The accident happened while the engine was being taken across a coulie. The jolt as the wheels struck a depression caused the break on the engine.

Johnson was brought to Grand Forks in Geo. E. Duis' auto a quick trip being made. The injured man is a farmer and has long been a resident of Grand Forks county.

JAIL POPULATION LARGE INCREASE

AUTHORITIES ARE GATHERING REGULAR FALL CROP OF HOBOS

A very material increase of the jail population was received at that institution yesterday, when deputies Daniels and Gonyea returned from the west end with six prisoners. Many of them are old offenders and their faces are familiar to Polk county police officials.

Jack Ward, James O'Harra and Patrick O'Brien are in for forty days Ward spends half his time in jail. John Ryan and Wm. Linn were sent up for thirty days. Frank Murphy is bound over to the grand jury for robbing a room mate. The above is a healthy increase for one day.

There are at the present time 24 prisoners in the jail. 10 are awaiting the action of the grand jury, the rest are serving time.

Marcus Johnson the leading miller of the northwest is spending the day in the city congerring with business associates.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

IS TABBED FOR THE PEN

PAUL MONROE IS ARRESTED FOR ROBBING A STORE AT LENGBY, MINN.

SPENDS PART OF MONEY — RETURNS BALANCE — SAYS HE HAD GOOD TIME

From Monday's Daily—

Deputty U. S. Marshal Rider was in the city Thursday with a man named Paul Monroe who is accused of robbing a store at Lengby. O. K. Ringstad, the Lengby postmaster died a short time ago and a postoffice inspector was sent to the place to check over the business of the office.

He found $225 in cash on hand and left in the custody of Saterstrom & Rindh general merchants ' there. Monroe entered their store thru a rear window and got away with the money. He began spending it, and was arrested for the theft. He had already "blown in" $80 and returned the balance.

He admits the theft and says he at least had a good time while the money lasted. He was bound over to the United States court in Fergus Falls bail being fixed at $2,500, and in default, was sent to the Otter Tail county jail to await the action of the grand jury at the November term.

SUICIDE AT GRAND FORKS

DISCOURAGED OVER ILL-HEALTH FOR 10 YEARS JULIUS SCHAFER BLOWS BRAINS OUT

LEFT LETTERS ADMITTING SUICIDE—BODY DECOMPOSED—MISSING SINCE SEPT 11

From Wednesday's Daily—

The body of Juliusc Schafer, aged 47 years was found yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a woodshed back of his father's house in Riverside Park at Grand Forks. He had committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver it is believed. Beside the body was a 38-calibre revolver with one chamber discharged in the hatband of the deceased an envelope and on it was written: "Suicide. No inquest is necessary."

In an envelope on the floor was an envelope addressed to Undertaker M. Norman. The note in the envelop read:

"Take charge of my body and bury me immediately, just as I am found and in the family lot. About $35 will be found on me for the purpose. Any balance draw on my property —J. Schafer."

Father Finds Body

The odor from the woodshed caused Eliza Schafer father of the deceased to investigate.

It developed that Schafer has been ill for the past 10 years. He has been taking treatment with Dr. Witherstine for nervous troubles. He complained he could not sleep or work. He did not come as often for treatment the last few weeks as the doctor desired.

Sept. 11 was the last day he was seen alive. It is believed that it was on that date that he committed suicide. The body was badly decomposed when discovered.

MUNICIPAL COURT SURE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening the city council passed the necessary resolution establishing a municipal court in Crookston, and provided that the municipal court laws of the laws of 1905 be adopted to govern such court. The salary of the judge was fixed at $75 per month and his clerk $25 per month, payable monthly, and all fees of the court are turned over to the city.

Some time ago the attorneys of Crookston passed resolutions unanimously endorsing Atty. L. E. Gossman for the appointment, which will be made by Gov. Johnson and Mr. Gossman will without doubt be named for the position. The court will probably be formally established in the course of a very few weeks.

The Municipal court will have exclusive jurisdiction of all cases which involve the fracture of any of the city ordinances or the city charter, and will have jurisdiction in all civil cases where the amount involved does not exceed $500. The court is strictly non-partisan, and subject to no political control, barring the first appointment by the governor till an election is held.

PRACTICAL THOUGHTS FROM MASTER MINDS

Addresses At The Dedication Of Stephens Hall Yesterday Afternoon Best Ever Delivered In The Northwest.

From Friday's Daily—

Never before in the history of Northern Minnesota have the farmers and business men been given the privilege of listening to such a galaxy of masterfully practical and helpful addresses as those delivered yesterday at the dedication of Stephens Hall by Hon. James J. Hill, Congressman C. R. Davis of St. Peter, Congressman Halvor Steenerson of this city, Senator A. D. Stephens, the father of the school and the man after whom it was named, Supt. of Public Instruction J. W. Olson, Dean E. W. Randall, Dr. E. P. Robertson of Wesley College, Grand Forks, enlivened by the witticisms which were sandwiched in by Supt. Wm. Robertson in charge of the Crookston Experiment Station and School of Agriculture.

Hill's Last Message Perhaps

Special interest is attached to the address of Mr. Hill as it was intimated that with the exception of the Albert Lea speech it may be the last oral message of the great railroad magnate and practical agriculturalist to the people of Minnesota. The program began at 11 o'clock in the morning at Stephens Hall, following a short address of Mr. Hill to the school children in the city, and notwithstanding the intense heat there was not a sign of restlessness manifest on the part of the crowd from the time the gathering was called to order in the dining room at Stephens Hall till the audience was dismissed at nearly 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Farmers, bankers and business men with their wives, sons and daughters were present from Kittson, Marshall, Roseau, Red Lake, Norman and Cleanwater counties and the liveliest enthusiasm prevailed, the ovation given Mr. Hill being the most remarkable ever received by any man in Crookston.

Message of Encouragement

Happily all carried a message of encouragement, a prediction of better and greater things for the future and a panorama of possibilities which was an inspiration to every farmer and farmer's wife present as it elevated their importance and emphasized the dependence of modern civilization upon ahe industry of the farmer and the intelligent cultivation of the soil. Each speaker seemed impregnated with and voiced sentiments tending to elevate the dignity and importance of the farmer. The addresses all rang with practical and not theoretical, and the speakers without exception, and for the first time in this city, displayed a knowledge of the minutest details of the problems that confront the farmer, and the remedies that will be the most efficacious.

Building Turned Over

Hon. P. M. Ringdal on behalf of the state board of regents formally turned Stephens Hall over to the State Board of Control in a concise address in which he expressed the hope that within the walls of the handsome structure the future farmers and farmers' wives would receive such training that agriculture in this section would be revolutionized. State Supt. Olson received the building on behalf of the State Board of Control and emphasized the great addition this would be to the practical educational facilities of the state.

Dean Randall

Dean E. W. Randall then spoke briefly stating that the state now had three Experiment Stations, at St. Anthony Park, Grand Rapids and at Crookston, and two schools of Agriculture, at St. Anthony Park and at Crookston and that it was his earnest hope and belief that the splendid and effective work done by these schools would soon be so apparent that eventually there would be one established in each congressional district in the state. He said that conditions were such that the farmers of the future would be educated men with a thoro knowledge of natures laws, botanists and thoro animal students.

Dr. E. P. Robertson, president of Wesley College of Grand Forks, and brother of Supt. Wm. Robertson made a most scholarly address and dwelt on the spiritual upbuilding that came from such schools, and the general moral influence of education.

Senator Stephens

Senator Stephens' address was to the point and right to the hearers. Agricultural education has no past. Only a few years ago there were no text books. We want more owners and less tenants. Big farms have proven losing propositions. We have yet to discover by experiment what is best adapted to this soil and climate. Schools will find it. He touched on public ownership, and the condition of the clerk and bookkeeper compared with the farmer. "There is a difference when you have to get up at a certain hour, and when you want to get up to do a certain thing. If the farmer did not sell us anything in 60 days every one would be starved to death" he said. All those who assisted the city in getting the school were thanked. Mr. Stephens went into many details that showed a wide knowledge of the subject of agricultural education.

Loving Cup Presented

Following his speech Senator Stephens was recalled and Supt. Robertson in a short adlress presented Senator Stephens with a beautiful Stephen's Hall Memorial Loving Cup in appreciation of his splendid and successful efforts in its behalf. Senator Stephens was moved beyond speech for a moment and then gracefully accepted it, only, he said as its custodian, and paid tribute to those who had assisted him in his efforts.

Steenerson Enthusiastic

Congressman Steenerson was not on the program but was introduced and made one of the best addresses he had ever delivered in Crookston. He spoke of the attention that agriculture was suddenly receiving from the general government and that at the congress of governors called by the president had been devoted more to an injury as to what could be done to aid and elevate the farmer and producer than to any other subject. He said that it was being rapidly recognized that the functions of national government had more to do with the people within than, the foreign enemy without. He said that when the constitution was framed 97 per cent of the people who framed it were farmers while now only 40 per cent of the people are agriculturalists. Now there are billions in capital and millions of workers. He said the government of the people was safe in the hands of the people, and that no professional politicians were needed to prescribe for the people as to what they needed. The people knew more about that than the politician.

Congressman C. R. Davis of St. Peter delivered a carefully prepared and very interesting and scholarly address in which he showed most hearty sympathy with the agricultural school idea, and outlined what his efforts had been in congress along that line.

Mr. Hill was the last speaker and tho he spoke for an hour every word he spoke was devoured greedily. He began by stating that the public domain was practically all gone. That to his knowledge there was not a township in the United States fit for agriculture but what contained tillers of the soil. This of itself was most significant, and meant that cheap land was a thing of the past and would be harder and harder to secure In the face of no further lands to exploit, the American farmer was facing the problem of supplying breadstuff for a rapidly increasing population with no further new lands to settle to speak of. He said the problem to be solved was how to raise 2 bushels of grain where one was being raised now. It took England 100 years to raise the average of wheat per acre from 14 to 32 bushels.

Mr. Hill stated that the day of cheap wheat was past. The farmer could look forward confidently to better prices for his grain because the demand was increasing more rapidly than the supply could possibly increase, specially in our own country.

He told every farmer present that, whatever else they did not to part with their land. They could never get it back for what they might sell it for now. He said he had already passed the allotted age of man, and might not live to see Red River soil sold for what it was really worth, but that his hearers would live to see it sell readily for from $100 to $150 per acre.

He spoke of the wonderful development that had taken place in this section during the past decade, but believed it to be but as nothing compared with what the future had in possibility were boundless.

Hill Favored Plan

He said that some 14 years ago the thought had come to him that a school of agriculture located at Crookston might be the means of accomplishing much for the farmers of this section and he had then taken steps toward securing such an institution and reserved the land which now comprises the experiment farm. He remarked that others had thought the land might be more valuable for real estate purposes in time, adjoining the city of Crookston as it does, but the outlook was different to him and he was pleased to see such an institution as has grown up here.

Value of Education

How much will education do for the farmers? We have arrived at a time when they must have it. A great change has come over this country during the past five or ten years. It has come silently like a thief in the night and we do not realize the change. Since the settlement of this country Uncle Sam has stood ready to give a farm to each of his children who would occupy and cultivate it to some extent. You have got to learn to cultivate the soil whether you want to or not. I commenced 25 years ago scattering cattle and hogs thru the Red River Valley. They said I was trying to cast a cloud on the fair name of Minnesota, the 'home of No. 1 hard,' and that I had no business to try to get the farmers to raising cattle and hogs in a wheat state. I am not advocating the raising of cattle and hogs by other people at my expense.

Tried an Experiment

I tried the experiment of giving some prizes for good farming. I stipulated that contestants should have at least twenty head of stock for breeding purposes on their farms. It might be cows or hogs or any kind, so that they had the required number. Out of 600 applicants, however, but 93 farmers in three states could qualify. They didn't have 20 head for breeding purposes. If I'm ever caught again you will all know about it. There are some good farmers, a few of them in Minnesota. There's one young fellow over near Erskine who could have won a prize every time I offered it, by the way he farmed and he is a university graduate too. He admitted it and suggested that I rule him out the next time I offered prizes of this kind. I concluded it would be better, for me at least to stop giving prizes. It will be better for you to help yourselves.

This school is your institution. It's nobody elses and it will be just what you make it. If you send your boys and girls to the school it will be your monument. If you neglect the opportunity it will be your shame.

STEPHENS HALL IS FORMALLY DEDICATED

Dedication Exercises at State Experiment Farm Participated in by Thousands from City and Surrounding Country.

From Thursday's Daily—

The dedication of Stephens Hall is now an accomplished fact and will be remembered as one of the great events in the history of Crookston as the educational center of the North west. The regular trains arriving this morning brought big delegations to the city and the specials from St. Vincent from Greenbush were well loaded, the latter bringing a large delegation from Roseau county who wore badges and showed most commendable enthusiasm.

Hill's Party Arrived

At 10 o'clock this morning the special train bearing Mr. and Mrs. Hill and party arrived and were driven to the Hotel Crookston by W. S. Lycaan and J. W. Wheeler in their cars Mr. Hill was greeted at the depot and hotel by many old timers, and called every one of them by name without any apparent effort, showing a wonderful memory. Among those whom he spoke with were Capt. E. C. Davis and P. J. Lachapelle whom he had not seen in 20 years, but knew them readily.

Reviewed School Children

President and Mrs. Hill, A. Guthrie Mayor McPhee and R. J. Montague, John Cromb, Ed Peterson and F. R. Hamel of the school board, President H. C. Misner of the Twenty Five Thousand Club and representatives of the press at once repaired to the balcony of the Hotel Crookston where the parade of about 2,000 school children was reviewed and the children addressed by Mr. Hill.

A Splendid Spectacle

The school children made a splendid showing. Preceeded by the band they marched down Third street to main, down Main to Robert, down Robert to Broadway and halted between Robert and Second on Broadway in front of the Crookston Hotel. They were preceeded by the Crookston band, and each school had its flag born at the front of that division. They occupied the street from curb to curb as they marched each class being accompanied by the teachers, and a mighty cheer went up from the reviewing party and the assembled crowd as the halt was made.

Mr. Hill Introduced

Mayor McPhee then addressed the children and audience in general stating that it was a great pleasure to present to them one of the greatest men of the age, a man who was a striking illustration of the fact that no matter what station in life one is born the door of opportunity will always open to the one who knocks, and that there is no limit to the possibilities before those who with honesty, energy and perseverance knows no such word as failure—the Hon. James J. Hill.

Education an Asset

After the audience had died down so he could be heard, Mr. Hill addressed the school children and said that an opportunity to greet them would add greatly to the pleasure he would experience during the day. He said in part:

"I had no idea there were so many school children in Crookston. It is hard to realize what a city Crookston is. The first time I was here there was not a hotel in the city, and I slept in a tent. This illustrates what magic changes take place in a few short years. This entire section at that time was practically uninhabited. Look at the change.

"I wish to impress upon you the value of an education to each and every one of you. You all have an opportunity to secure one and it rests with each individual whether you secure one or not.

Cannot be Bought

"Remember that money will not buy an education. You must gain it by earnest effort. We are all on an equal footing in that connection. Our public schools are open to all. The opportunity is there if you will but accept it. Make the best possible use of your time by securing an education to add to your usefulness in the years to come.

Education an Asset

An education is an asset which you have to your credit thru life. No matter what your chosen work, it is ever useful to you. I would be especially emphatic regarding the value of a thoro mastering of the common branches. A good foundation to build upon in future years.

An Important Age

"We think that the past century has been a most important one. It has, and wonderful changes have come to pass. But the next 50 years will be more important than any past century in the history of the world and there will be more and greater changes.

"You will be the men and women of the coming half century and you should work hard to secure an education that will equip you to assist in maintaining your country and its institutions, law and order. I trust you will all grow up to be good and useful men and women."

The Real Boss

Following the enthusiastic applause which followed the conclusion of Mr. Hill's remarks, he again called for attention a minute and stated that he was regarded by many as a man of considerable authority because of the number of men who worked under his direction, but that he amounted to little when compared with the women in whose shadow he stood at that minute and a great cheer went up for Mrs. Hill who waved her handkerchief at the little children who clapped vigorously. The High School then gave three cheers for Mr. and Mrs. Hill in connection with the High School cheer and the children reformed, marched back to the High school and were dismissed for the day.

Driven to the State Farm

Mr. and Mrs. Hill, H. C. Misner and Mr. A. Guthrie were then driven to the State Experiment Farm by W. S. Lycan in his Buick Car, and J. W. Wheeler took the balance of the party out. The party went direct to Stephens Hall where the formal dedicatory ceremonies were held.

The Building Turned Over

Supt. Wm. Robertson presided at the gathering which was held in Stephens Hall dinning room, and beside him sat Hon. James J. J. Hill, Congressman C. R. Davis, Senator A. D. Stephens and the speakers. Hon. P. M. Ringdal formerly of this city, as a member of the state Board of Control formally turned over the building to the Board of Regents of the state. He expressed his great pleasure at the completion of such a splendid building in which the youth of Northern Minnesota would be trained for lives of usefulness.

Dean Randall Accepted

On behalf of the Board of Regents, Dean E. W. Randall accepted the building, and made a few brief but very happy remarks about the possibilities of the work which would be done within the walls of the handsome new structure, and the influence it would have toward a better and more useful citizenship. He referred to the magnificent work done by the St. Anthony Park school and what splendid results could be expected from a school working along the same lines, in fact a part of the same institution, but located right at the door of the farmers who wanted their sons and daughters trained for their work.

Olson Gratified

The last address before the adjournment for lunch was by State Supt. of Public Instruction John W. Olson. Mr. Olson made a splendid address in which he dwelt on the splendid possibilities of the school of Agriculture, and expressed his great pleasure that such a splendid building as Stephens Hall had been provided for the education of the youth of the northern part of the state.

The Dinner Hour

Adjournment was then taken for dinner. The speakers and guests from a distance dined at Stephens Hall, the guests of Supt. and Mrs. Robertson, together with several from this city, others partook of basket lunches and still a greater number were served by the W. R. C. of this city who served a very fine dinner to all who did not want to bother with carrying their lunches.

Afternoon Addresses

The addresses of the afternoon were delivered from a platform erected on the campus. Congressman C. R. Davis of St. Peter was the first speaker and he made a very enthusiastic address in which he emphasized the necessity of better agricultural methods.

He said that the education of the farmer for his special line of work was now recognized as just as essential as the special training needed for the successful man in any other line of business. It was necessary he said, for farmers to apply scientific principles to their work and conduct it along strictly modern business lines if success was to be attained. To this end Northern Minnesota was to be congratulated for the location here of a school of agriculture, where the very best training was available for the boys and girls who would be the fuature farmers and farmers' wives of the great Red River Valley He complimented Senator Stephens for his splendid work in securing the school for this section, and predicted for it a great work toward the uplifting of the farmer.

Hill's Address an Inspiration

The address of Hon. J. J. Hill followed. It was one of the finest ever delivered in the northwest. From the wealth of knowledge and practical experience which comes from a long and successful life the speaker drew some splendid thoughts. He gave a brief sketch of the history of the northwest and its lightning like development and then dwell on the wonderful possibilities of one of the richest spots in the world if the land was properly tilled.

Interesting Anecdotes

Interspersed in his address were many interesting anecdotes regarding the settlement of this section, and the pioneer recalled the early struggles before the railroad reached this city and in later years when a mixed train every few days was all that was expected, and which ran on any old schedule.

Changed Methods Necessary

The speaker then lead up to the conditions which confronted the farmers a few years ago making a change in farming methods an absolute necessity. He had championed diversified farming and better farming methods years ago, and many had called his views theoretical and impracticable at that time. He had done much to get the farmers interested in stock raising, and it was with extreme gratification that he viewed the splendid changes for the better than had come to pass within the past few years.

reds of millions of people if the population continued to increase at the present ratio. This meant that the day of cheap wheat is past, and big prices were certain in the future.

Land Worth $100 to $150 Per Acre

Mr. Hill stated that the land must and would raise 2 bushels where it now raises one and that as he had passed his 70th mile post yesterday he might not live to see it, but that many present would live to see the general price of land in this section from $100 to $150 per acre, and he urged all who owned land to hold on to it. Every year it would be harder to get and higher in price.

He was greeted with tremendous applause at the conclusion of his address after which the farm buildings were inspected for the balance of the afternoon.

Mr. Hill congratulated the people on the acquisition of Stephens Hall and referred to the progress in agriculture that we are approaching.

Day of Cheap Wheat Past

Mr. Hill saated that the day of cheap wheat was past. With not a township in the United States but whic hhas settlers, he said the public domain was practically gone. It meant better cultivation and fewer acres. He said the farmers in 1950 woul dhave to supply food for hund-

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ROSEAU GETS ROAD BEFORE JANUARY 1ST

James J. Hill Gave Delegation Definite Promise Which Settles Question Of Extension From Greenbush To Warroad.

There could be found no aggregation of more tickled men in the State of Minnesota than a delegation from Roseau in this city yesterday headed by Editor R. J. Bell, Israel Sjoberg, T. D. Thorson, A. O. Hagen, Olaf Hildahl, and O. Woog, when from the platform on the campus at the state Experiment Farm Senator A. D. Stephens was authorized by Mr. Hill to state to them that before January 1st next, Mr. Hill would shake hands with the people of Roseau from the rear of his private car.

This promise coming directly from Mr. Hill means that active work of laying the rails on the extension from Greenbush to Warroad via Roseau, will begin in the very near future. The roadbed has been completed for some time past, and the ties scattered along, but they have never been put in place.

For years the people of Roseau have been struggling for a railroad. They had been promised a great deal but their hopes were never realized because of conditions which made it impossible for the work to be done.

Now the extension is an absolute certainty, and the general public as well as the traveling men will rejoice that Roseau, Warroad and other points can be reached by a direct rail route.

The extension will be 40 miles and connect this section with the northeast boundary by a direct line.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Sept. 17 In History.

1743—Jean Antoine, marquis de Condorcet, mathematician and friend of Benjamin Franklin, was born in Picardy; died 1794.

1862—Battle of Antietam, the bloodiest single day's battle ever fought on American soil.

1894—Remarkable naval battle in the Yalu river between Chinese and Japanese.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:02, rises 5:38; moon rises 10:55 p. m.; moon's age 22 days; moon highest.

WILL VETO LICENSE — Mayor Dumlavy will not grant a license for the Bessie theatre at East Grand Forks, to be operated by Mrs. Clifford Dufour for the reason that the building has not the proper exits and is not safe in case of fire.

A THRESHER IS BURNED—The threshing machine of M. J. McDonald was burned on a farm near Ardoch, N. D. early in the morning. It is supposed that a spark from the engine started the fire. The men had not commenced work ofr the day at the time the machine burned. The loss is about $2,000.

E. E. LOMMEN HERE—Senator E. E. Lommen a former resident business man and politician of Crookston, who is located now at Hillsboro, N. D., in the banking business arrived in the city last evening and will spend a few days here on business matters. He is pleased with North Dakota but with his family has the kindliest feelings for Crookston.

BOUND OVER FOR ROBBERY—Thomas Wastra was given a hearing in the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday on a charge of robbing A. J. Homme of $50 in the shape of four $10 and two $5 bills, which it is claimed he extracted from the pocket of the complaining witness. The defendant was held to the grand jury bail being fixed at $300. In default thereof he was brought to the county jail today.

WOMAN BADLY HURT—Mrs. John Nickle residing on Dakota Avenue, was badly bruised and trampled by a cow. It was a narrow escape from death as the animal was greatly enraged. Fortunately her horns were so crooked that she could not gore Mrs. Nickle so as to cause a fatal wound. Mrs. Nickle was leading the cow, when the animal became frightened. Mrs. Nickle was thrown to the ground and the cow attacked her. She was hooked in the side and badly bruised but no bones were broken. She was rescued and Dr. Mulligan was called to look after her case. She was getting along nicely last night.—Grand Forks Herald.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 18 In History.

1567—Founding of St. Augustine, Fla., the oldest town in the United States.

1709—Dr. Samuel Johnson born at Litchfield, England; died 1784.

1873—Financial crash in New York; beginning of great panic and five years of "hard times."

1903—Professor Alexander Bain, noted instructor in logic and English literature, died; born 1818.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:01, rises 5:40; moon rises 11:46 p. m.; moon's age 23 days; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 1:34 a. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune, passing from west to east of the planet.

A SON—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bailey of South Crookston are the parents of a very fine son which arrived yesterday morning.

SUFFERED HEAVY LOSS—Wednesday evening the barn, oil house and out buildings on the Jos. Capisaran farm northwest of the city were destroyed by a fire which originated in the oil house. All stock was saved.

TAKING RECREATION—Ed Havel and wife of Angus are spending a few days in the city, with friends. They have their fall work so far along that a few days' recreation will be enjoyed. The exercises yesterday very much pleased them.

VERY OPTIMISTIC—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Vonderbeck of Euclid were in to attend the doings yesterday and are visiting relatives today. Mr. Vonderbeck is very optimistic as to the future of the valley and the remarks of the different speakers in that line pleased him very much.

SUCCESSFUL AT MOORHEAD — Attorney Clyde Chapin of Moorhead arrived in the city this morning for a short visit with cousin Harry Chapin of the G. N. offices. Atty. Chapin carries his handsome face behind a very heavy but becoming black beard that somewhat disguises him among his friends.

VISITING OLD FRIEND—Thomas Sullivan of New York has been spending the past few days in the city the guest of his old college chum Jim V. Thompson combining business with pleasure. He represents the University society of New York, and has placed his line with every music teacher in Crookston and sold to many private families as well.

OBSERVED ADVANTAGES:— D. McKenzie of Northcote was one of the prominent visitors to the exercises here yesterday. He was very much surprised at the fine school and the opportunities that are offered those who wish a liberal education, and felt assured that his part of Kittson would be well represented at the school.

BUSINESS BOOMING— Geo. F. Fuller, representing the Geo. E. Perley Real Estate Co. of Moorhead, spent yesterday in the city on business. The firm has branch offices at McIntosh and Erskine and is doing a big business. Mr. Fuller stated yesterday that there was a very notable increase in the demand for land and that prices were stiffening materially.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS ARE GREAT— Co. Commissioner Clow of Kittson county was an interested visitor at the dedication exercises yesterday. Mr. Clow is an old pioneer of the valley and had quite an interesting interview with Mr. Hill. He is an enthusiastic believer in manual training in schools and the development of agricultural teaching. Kittson county will have its full quota of students in the school, and his prediction is that in a few years the facilities will have to be increased considerably.

ONE NAME OMITTED— Thru an error yesterday the name of C. Reidesel was omitted in the list of those who composed the party who reviewed the parade of the school children yesterday from the balcony of the Hotel Crookston, the name of Carl Reidesel as a member of the school board was omitted. Mr. Reidesel is never found absent on such occasions and is one of the most active members of the board, and he was in thoro sympathy with the splendid scheme carried out yesterday.

LIST GROWING—The relief fund that has been raised by Fairfax township is growing. Mr. James Hedley's name has been added today for one dollar. Mr. Houston has the list and as soon as his duties on the canvassing board are completed he will pass the list again.

MELGAARD'S FRUIT—H. L. Melgaard shipped a box of sample apples plums and cherries to th eexperiment farm at Crookston on Tuesday. The fruit was grown in his orchard at Argyle and we are sure will compare favorably with the best that can be produced in the state.—Argyle Banner.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL —Rarely in the history of East Grand Forks has there been such a universal expression of sorrow and high esteem for the departed as were shown yesterday on the occasion of the obsequies of Mrs. J. C. Sherlock. Flags were at half mast, business was generally suspended, the schools were closed and the Church of the Sacred Heart where funeral services were held, was thronged to its capacity with friends, neighbors and citizens generally, who by their presence testified of the high regard in which the departed was held. The funeral cortege left the house at 9:45 and the service at the church was held at 10 o'clock. The chorus choir rendered a number of appropriate selections and Father Green, who preached the funeral discourse, and spoke words of comfort to the sorrowing friends, spoke very impressively of the worth of Mrs. Sherlock and of her devotion to her family and the church. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The cortege which followed the remains to their last resting place in Memorial Park was one of the longest ever seen here. The pall bearers were Messrs. T. A. Sullivan G. R. Jacobi, M. McGuire, H. Dunlevy J. R. Johnson and J. H. McNicol. The remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery at Memorial Park. — Grand Forks Herald.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 19 In History.

1519—Magellan sailed from San Lucar, Spain, on his voyage around the world.

1665—On this day the great plague in London reached its worst, over 2,000 dying and about 10,000 in the week ending this day.

1881—James Abram Garfield, twentieth president of the United States, died at Elberon, N. J.; born 1831.

1905—Dr. Thomas John Barnardo, founder of numerous homes for poor boys in English cities, died in London; born 1845.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:59, rises 5:41; moon rises 12:39 a. m.; moon's age 24 days.

RAIN IN FANNY— Reports come in that a shower of rain fell last evening about seven miles north of the city. It was confined to a very small area.

A FINAL PLUNGE— Bert Levins left this morning for Maple Lake for a final plunge for the season. The weather the past few days has warmed the water of the lake in fine shape

WILL SEE TAFT— I. W. Kinder left this morning for a trip on the east line and will make a special hustle during the week in order to be in Crookston on Monday, Sept. 28, to see W. H. Taft.

RETURNS FROM N. D. — Henry Daubenberg returned last evening with his team from North Dakota where he has spent the fall threshing The exceptionally dry fall has made this a short season but profitable one.

SEWER SYSTEM—Mahnomen the enterprising seat of government of the county bearing the same name will shortly vote upon the proposition of bonding for $7,500 with which to construct a sewerage system.

LITTLE GIRL DIED — The two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Westhover of East Grand Forks died yesterday after an illness of several weeks The funeral will take place from the residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

CHESTER OMLIE DEAD— Many friends in this city will learn with regret of the death in a Grand Forks Hospital recently of Chester Omlie of Grafton. He was a graduate of a local business college and while in the city made his home with Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Bertelson. He died of consumption with which he has been afflicted for some time.

A THREE DAYS' HUNT— Harry Chapin left this morning for Euclid accompanied by his cousin, Atty. Clyde Chapin of Moorhead, where the two will spend the next three days hunting the festive prarie chicken. E. D. Kittoe will leave on No. 405 this evening to join them for a hunt tomorrow.

PLEASED WITH CROP — E. M. Walsh returned yesterday from Kertsonville Township where threshig has just been completed on one of his farms. He says the farm was not in good shape, as he has had it but one year but the yield of oats and barley was good, the oats going 38 bushels to the acre on a 100 acre field.

MET WITH PAINFUL INJURY — Olaf Vingaard of northeastern Brandscold sustained a broken right arm and a cracked rib in falling from a load of hay that he was hauling to the barn last Saturday afternoon. A jolt to the wagon caused him to slide from the top to the ground upon which he struck, with his left side. The arm was broken above the wrist but his other injury was not serious.

NARROW ESCAPE—Mrs. George Tiedeman and little child who reside on the Prigge farm south of Ada came very near meeting with a serious accident Thursday evening while returning home. They were driving a single horse, which became frightened when a mile out of town. Mrs. Tiedeman was unable to control the horse and threw the child to the ground and then jumped. The child received injuries from which it remained unconscious for several hours.

Judge Morris and Ed Wilcox did some excellent shooting while here. The Judge killed a crow, 78 paces the first crack, with No. 6 shot. They got some chickens, also. They had a borrowed dog along, which had been trained evidently to run chickens down and catch them. He didn't catch them. He didn't catch any; they flew too blooming high.—Middle River Pioneer.

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NUMBER 8 WAS WRECKED

RAN INTO REAR OF UNPROTECTED FREIGHT TRAIN AT BARNESVILLE

FIREMAN WHALEY WAS BADLY HURT—TRAIN PROCEEDED OVER ANOTHER TRACK

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening train No. 8 the Winnipeg Flyer ran into an unprotected freight train just this side of Barnesville, smashing up th ecaboose and tearing up the track for some distance.

Fireman Whaley of Barnesville was badly used up, but the engineer escaped with a few scratches

None of the passengers wer ein any wa yinjured. Senator Stephens was on the train and says his nap was spoiled. The train backed up to Glyndon and proceeded to S. Paul via the other route. No. 5 this morning was delayed two hours by the torn up track.

GOV. JOHNSON APPOINTS LYCAN

W. S Lycan this morning received a formidable appearing document bearng the great seal of Minnesota and the signature of Governor Johnson. This commission from the state executive office was the credentials and apprised Mr. Lycan of his appointment as a delegate to the tenth annual meeting of the League of American Sportsmen to be held at Lawton Oklahoma, Oct. 12 and 13.

Each state is accredited with four delegates and his appointment is coveted by many as a distinguished honor. Mr. Lycan will accept the oppointment and will attend.

APPRECIATES HIS SUPPORT

"I desire to express my deep appreciation of the splendid support I received as a candidate for the Republican nomination for coroner of Polk Co., both in the city and in the rural districts The big vote I received exceeded my expectations and I thank the voters for their consideration of my candidacy. If elected in November I promise them a conscientious administration of the duties of the office.—N. P. Stenshoel."

CONSPIRACY OF MEN CHARGED

LAWRENCE ERICKSON BRINGS SUIT AGAINST G. N. FOR $12,000

SEEKS TO RECOVER FOR AN ALLEGED ASSULT AT WILLISTON

From Friday's Daily—

Lawrence Erickson yesterday filed suit in Minneapolis against the Great Northern railroad company for $12,000 damages for an alleged assault by one of its employes. He charges conspiracy to rob him against employes of the defendant's station at Williston, N. D.

In the complaint filed in the district ccurt Erickson said he went to the station and paid some freight on goods to be shipped out of Williston and in the freight house he was set upon and beaten by an employe of the road.

He called lustily for help he said, but neither the station agent or any of the other station men or trainmen came to his assistance. He says he had $200 in his pockets and was assaulted for the purpose of robbery.

BANTAM ROOSTER SPURS BOYS EYE'S

BABY McFARNSWARTH AT FARGO, VICTIM OF BANTY ROOSTER

To have both his eyes thrust thru with the sharp spurs of a fighting, game bantam rooster was the horrible accident that befell baby James McFarnsworth, the 2-year old son of A. C. Farnsworth last week at Fargo.

The scrappy bird belonged to a neighbor of McFarnsworth, A. Goldstein and it is said that the children of the neighborhood had been teasing it until it flew into a rage every time it saw a child.

The little McFarnsworth baby toddled into the Goldstein yard one afternoon and the rooster flew at his head and with two powerful strokes sent his long fighting spurs into both the baby's eyes. The litle one screamed with pain which drew Mrs. Goldstein's attention, and before the bird could make a second attack the baby was rescued from his frightful position.

The baby was taken to the Nordale hospital and placed under the care of Eye Specialist Rindlaub and since that time has been receiving his constant care and it is now believed that the sight of both eyes will be saved, altho both were terribly injured.

Mr. McFarnsworth the father of the child is known as "Big Mack" He has for the past two years been employed as head engineer by Contractor Jas. Kennedy.

NAP BRAY'S WATCH BALKED

Nap Bray has the most intelligent watch in the northwest and is in hearty sympathy with its owner. It was running fine when the city primary returns came in and when the Gentilly vote was announced it gained 5 minutes. But when the vote came in from East Grand Forks the main spring broke with a snap that made Nap think his suspenders had busted. The watch is now in the main spring hospital for repairs and Nap thinks more of it than ever. He is going to send the bill for repairs to Judge Sullivan and Ed Lodgord of E. G. Forks.

DULUTH MAN HIGHLY PLEASED

F. A. Patrick head of the big whole sale firm of F. A. Patrick Co., of Duluth, which is represented in this section by O. A. Halvorson of Crookston, arrived here Wednesday evening and remained in the city all day yesterday, returning to Duluth last evening. This was Mr. Patrick's first visit in Crookston, tho he has passed thru the city several times. He expressed the most lively satisfaction over the thriving appearance of Crookston and was specially impressed with the asphalt paving. He said there was not a city in the Northwest that presented a better appearance or showed a greater degree of prosperity than Crookston.

HENRY WELTE'S FATHER DEAD

Deputy Auditor Welte was called to Lengby last night by a telegram announcing the sudden death of his father, who had not even been reported as ill. Mr. Welte went out with Mr. Chesterman last night.

CHECK ARTIST GOT IN WORK

SEVERAL BUSINESS MEN CASHED CHECKS WHICH TURNED OUT FORGERIES

SOME OF THOSE BIT ARE KEEPING THEIR TROUBLES TO THEMSELVES

From Saturday's Daily—

A very busy check artist got his work i nlast Wednesday evening and Thursday morning cashing several checks among the business men of the city to which the names of John Hughes of Benoit was forged, and the forger got away with the money.

One of the forged checks cashed by Stanley Bond, the employment agent and confectioner was for $12 and another cashed by A. Sein, the dry goods merchant on North Main St., was for $20

About ten days ago a man giving the name of Geo. Hunting and his partner applied to Bond for a job and were sent to John Hughes' form enar Benoit. They worked there 6 days and returned to town. Wednesday evening Hunting came to Bond wth a check signed "John Hughes" and told a hard luck story about his mother being ill and his inablity to get the check cashed.

Bond knowing Hughes' check was good, cashed it, giving $10 in cash, $2 in tobacco.

Sein cashed the check for payment of a small purchase which Hunting made. Bond's check was number 19 and Sein's number 21 so at least two other parties cashed checks but are keeping it to themselves

Late Wednesday night Hughes telephoned to the police that his check book had been stolen but the police did not suppose that Hunting was going to get in his work so quickly, and did not notify the business men as most of them had closed up for the night. Hughes drove to the city Thursday morning early and stopped payment on all the checks. As Hunting has a full check book, he will without doubt get a few more cashed They are drawn on the Merchants National Bank of this city.

Hunting's partner is working on the Experiment farm. Hunting's former home was in Wisconsin, and while on the Hughes' farm told how much more money a convict could make in the Wisconsin penitentiary at Waupon than in the Minnesota Pen, and it is believed that he probably served time in the former and knows all about it.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

WILL BE NAMED NEXT WEEK BY CHAIRMAN SULLIVAN OF CO. CONVENTION

WILL CONFER WITH CANDIDATES AT HOTEL CROOKSTON MONDAY AT 3 P. M.

Judge T. A. Sullivan of East Grand Forks, Chairman of the recent Republican County Convention has notified all the successful candidates for republican nomination for offices in Polk county that he will confer with them at the Hotel Crookston next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock relative to he naming of the Republican county Central Committee

He delayed the naming of the committee till after the primaries were over in order to give the candidates a voice in the personnel of the committee and he will receive suggestions from them at the gatherng he has called in this city next Monday, as it is his purpose to name a committee that will be in full accord with the majority of the candidates of the republican party.

FIELD PEA CROP YIELDED WELL

THRESHING OPERATIONS ARE IN FULL BLAST ON STATE FARM TODAY.

Threshing operations are in full blast on the State Experiment Farm today. The field peas, about ten acres were threshed yesterday afternoon and yielded well, and will make splendid feed for the hogs, pea feed pork being superior to even the corn feed porkers. As soon as the other grain is thereshed, the hogs at the State Farm will be turned into the pea field and will have good feeding untill snow flies. The flax crop is being threshed today and all grain will be finished on Monday.

Success never comes to the man who is satisfied with anything else.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

THRILLING EXPERIENCE

TOM LOGAN WITH WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN NARROWLY ESCAPE DROWNING

TRIED TO CROSS FERRY THAT WAS NOT ANCHORED—BOTH HORSES DROWNED

From Monday's Daily—

A few days ago Tom Logan, with his wife and two children barely escaped a tragic death by drowning in the Red River on the ferry crossing from Tynsid to North Dakota, but came out of th eadventure with the loss of the team he was driving, both horses drowning. Mr. Logan with his family in the wagon, started to drive on the ferry but as the horses stepped on the boat, it was found to be unanchored and was pushed out into the river. Mr. Lagon could not stop the team as the hill was steep, and team wagon and entire family were hurled into the swirling water. The children managed to reach the bank but Mr. Logan had great difficulty in saving Mrs. Logan She went down twice and was going under for the third time when he managed to reach her, and after a desperate struggle landed her on the bank, both being completely exhausted, as Mr. Logan was not an expert swimmer and marvels now that both did not drown. The horses got tangled up in the harness, and with the wagon dragging them both were forced under the water before they could be released.

THREE RIBS WERE BROKEN

R. ERDMAN THE VICTIM OF A MOST PAINFUL ACCIDENT RECENTLY

TRIED TO STOP RUNAWAY AND WAS TRAMPLED AND RUN OVER BY WAGON

From Monday's Daily—

Last Friday while helping a neighbor thresh R. Erdman north of the city left his team standing untied near the machine. Three children climbed into the wagon and chirruped to the horses. They started up the lines fell to the ground and they went across the field at a mad gallop. Mr. Erdman seeing the imminent danger of the children dashed in front of the team and managed to catch them by the bits. He was knocked to the ground and trampled under their feet, and both wheels ran over his prostrate body breaking three ribs and otherwise bruising him up badly, but he will recover. The team ran a short distance and stopped of their own accord, none of the children being injured at all.

JOE CARROL IS ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH THE CRIME OF ABDUCTION—BROUGHT LUCILE PIERCE TO G. FORKS

Joe Carrol was arrested in Fargo Sunday evening on a charge of abduction and was held to the district court for trial under bonds of $1,000 which he has been unable to furnish being held in the Cass county jail for trial. Carrol is charged with abducting little Miss Lucile Pierce and it will be remembered that the two were in Grand Forks about three weeks since.

The Grand Forks police became suspicious of the two while they were there and started an investigation which resulted in the Pierce girl being sent back to Fargo. On her arrival there she told her story to Sheriff Hunt of Cass county which resulted in a warrant on a charge of abduction.

The Renewal a Strain

Vacation is over. Again the school bell rings at morning and at noon, again with tens of thousands the hardest kind of work has begun, the renewal of which is a mental and physical strain to all except the most rugged. The little girl that a few days ago had roses in her cheeks, and the little boy whose lips were then so red you would have insisted that they had been "kissed by strawberries" have already cost something of the appearance of health. Now is a time when many children should be given a tonic which may avert much serious trouble, and we know of no other so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla which strengthens the nerves, perfects digestion and assimilation and aids mental deveopment by building up the whole system.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN SULLIVAN APPOINTS THE REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

ACTIVE WORK WILL AT ONCE BEGIN FOR A STRENUOUS CAMPAIGN

From Tuesday's Daily—

Judge T. A. Sullivan, chairman of the Republican county convention yesterday afternoon held a conference with the successful republican candidates for nomination, every one of them participating in the meeting but Representatives Saugstad and Holten, and immediately following the conference announced the following Polk County Central Committee.

Republican County Committee

O. O. Christianson,
Crookston—
J. E. Montague.
H. C. Mismer.
Carl Riedesel.
J. C. Sathre.
Napoleon Bray.
N. S. Davies.
East Grand Forks—
B. J. Hagen.
J. R. Johnson.
N. J. Nelson.
Fosston—
S. S. Stadsvold.
L. G. Hancock.
McIntosh—
K. K. Hoffard.
M. Bergsven.
G. Espeseth, Erskine.
L. S. Kolden, Nielsville.
Don Hamilton, Fisher.
Fertile—
P. R. Lavik.
A. Opheim.
H. B. Budd, Beltrami.
Dr. J. S. Chapin, Euclid.
Helmer Estenson, Climax
H. T. Gendron, Gentilly.
Albert Lillo, Lengby.

Active Work

Chairman Christianson will call a meeting of the committee before the end of the week and active preparations for conducting a vigorous campaign will be made.

The committee will make elaborate preparations for a monster demonstration on Monday afternoon, Sept. 28, when Hon. Wm. H. Taft will be in Crookston for an address. This will be the opening gun of the campaign and from that time forward the county will be stumped by good speakers with the expectation of lining up the republicans for the best front they have presented in many years past.

Jacobson will Come

J. F. Jacobson has promised to make at least two speeches in Polk county and an effort will be made to get him for three addresses, at East Grand Forks, Crookston and Fosston, with short stops at other towns enroute if possible.

The committee is regarded as a particularly strong one, the aim of Judge Sullivan being to select active and enthusiastic republicans with a good following and hard workers, rather than passing around honors. The county will be organized as it has not been for many years and a determined effort made to get Polk County back into a straight republican county instead of on the doubtful list.

ACTUAL SETTLERS COMING DAILY

LAND MEN REPORT GREATER INTEREST IN NORTHWEST THAN EVER BEFORE

Jos Ball the land man returned this morning from a trip thru Illinois and reports a renewed interest all thru that section in Red River Valley lands. He had a bunch of prospective buyers with him.

Better still he was accompanied by Lester Safford and his family of wife and five children from Rockford, Ill., who will move onto section 21 in Crookston township, the farm recently purchased by Mr. Safford. They have with them two carloads of stock and implements that will be taken out at once. Mr. Safford is the stamp of a man who will make a success of his farming in the valley.

Under the new law it is the duty of the county auditor to call the first meeting of a newly organized school district. District No. 2778 in the towns of Fairfax and Russia was organized at the last commissioners' meeting and the auditor has designated Saturday evening October 3rd as the date of holding the first meeting at which the officers are to be elected and levies made for moneys to finance the coming year.

Beware of the little fellows. Mosquitoes are more bloodthirsty than lions.

BIG BOOST FOR ROSEAU

OLE HAGEN SAYS POLITICS HAVE BEEN FORGOTTEN IN ROSEAU

SINCE J. J. HILL PROMISED EXTENSION OF ROAD BEFORE JANUARY 1ST

Ole E. Hagen, formerly of this city and republican nominee for County Auditor of Roseau county was one of the many Roseau visitors here at the dedication of Stephens hall and during his stay in the city the Journal scribe undertook to make him the subject for his inquisitive skill. How are politics in Roseau county?' the scribe queried. "Forgotten," came the laconic answer.

"Forgotten"? the scribe repeated with some amazement, "how can that be?"

"Plain as daylight, my dear scribe. The positive announcement that we finally will have a railroad through the county made us all forget politics. The successful candidates forgot their victory, and the unsuccessful ones forgot their defeat.

"Since the very organization of the county we have been struggling along in our isolated condition deprived of railroad communication with the outside world. It has been a trying period of time, and now, when we see the smiling face of the future fast approaching with well merited reward for patience why should we not be jubilant? Roseau county will in time be one of the greatest counties in the state of Minnesota. Please do not smile at such a statement. Its possibilities are at present neither known nor understood.

"Why every day during my travel canvassing the county I met with surprises. As early as the latter part of August, stopping with farmers I was served with nice mature corn at the dinner table. Not only can corn and wheat be raised in Roseau County but I would like to have strangers come up there and look at our clover fields.

"Knut Lee of Wanaska made a trial with clover a few years ago and he has cut two big crops off the same piece of ground ever since. And if any one doubts this let him go there and look at his clover field and behold the second crop still growing on it. It will surprise anybody.

"A creamery was built at Wanaska last year, and it pays out to its patronizers from 9 to 12 hundred dollars a month—pretty good for a small backwoods place is it not? The creamery at Badger pays out as high as $100 a month to some of its patrons. And I am informed that the creameries at Greenbush and Ross are doing equally as well.

"Yes, Roseau county is a splendid dairy country and with railroad facilities its possibilities will soon develope. With new hope will follow more activity and energy, more roads and ditches will be built and the Roseau prairies, dotted with groves and thickets, will reward its tillers with abundant crops and comfortable homes. During the trying years a few have despaired and left so at present the price of land is low but I look for a rapid advance in land values. This is the time for outsiders with moderate means to secure future homes in Roseau county."

HAD HEARING ON A STATE DITCH

State Drainage Engineer Geo. A. Ralph and Messrs. Falconer and Armsted of Aitkin were in Brainerd today attending a hearing in what is known as the Gun Lake ditch in northwestern Aitkin county. The ditch is to be 23 miles long and will be eight feet deep in places with a width of ten feet on the bottom. It will drain a large tract of meadow.

Mr. Ralph accompanied the state drainage commission and Gov. Johnson north on the Minnesota & International railroad to view ditch work in the north part of the state.

The auditor and secretary of state were with the party which numbered eight. General Manager Gemmell kindly placed the M. & I. engine at the disposal of the party to take their car to the various places along the line of that road which intersects all three of the state ditches in Koochiching county.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine.

Sold by all dealers.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

SUSPECTED OF KILLING WIFE

JACOB UNGERMAN QUARRELED WITH HIS WIFE AND ATTACKED HER WITH HATCHET

HIRED MAN INTERFERED—WOMAN DISAPPEARED UNDER SUSPICIOUS CONDITIONS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Jacob Ungerman a homesteader living near Margie was lodged in the county jail at International Falls and will be kept there pending developments as to the disappearance of his wife, who has been missing since September 10, when Ungerman quarreled with Mrs. Ungerman and the latter left her home, declaring she would go away.

It appears that Ungerman is a man whose reputation as an undesirable character is of common knowledge in the vicinity of his home; and it is asserted that he has on several occasions previous, beat his wife and mistreated her in a brutal manner.

On Sept. 10th Ungerman had a bitter quarrel with his wife and made a vicious attack on her with a hatchet, a tragedy being averted by the timely interference of a man who was working for Ungerman.

Mrs. Ungerman left the house declaring that she was going to Margie and would leave the country.

Ungerman also left the premises going in an opposite direction from that which his wife went.

When Ungerman returned he told the hired man that Mrs. Ungerman had not gone to Margie as he had been there and had not seen her.

Ungerman's subsequent actions aroused the suspicions of his neighbors, who believe that he has made away with his wife and has taken steps to conceal his crime.

It is said by the hired man that Ungerman has taken a lantern every evening since the 21st inst., and has gone out over the maple ridge near home and has remained an hour or more saying nothing of his visit or its object.

There is a suspicion that Ungerman knows of the whereabouts of his wife, and some are not backward in asserting their belief that he took her life, as he had been previously fined for assaulting her.

A searching party found some bloody clothes but up to the present writing no word has been received here indicating that the body of Mrs. Ungerman had yet been found.

Ungerman is about 35 years of age and has three children the oldest being 7 years.

OLD RESIDENT DIED SUDDENLY

MOTHER OF MRS. W. B. SHEFFIELD DIED AT ADA LAST EVENING

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening at 8 o'clock while sitting at a table eating a lunch Mrs. Elizabeth Fulton, wife of Mr. Samuel Fulton dropped over dead as a result of heart failure.

Deceased was 71 years of age and her husband 82. They had been married 56 years and settled at Ada in 1877 coming from Red Wing and have resided there ever since. The family is one of the best known in Norman county and northern Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton having operated a summer hotel at Maple Lake for several years. Deceased was a woman of splendid character whose watchword was charity, and she was beloved by all who knew her In addition to her husband she leaves several children to mourn her death including Mrs. W. B. Sheffield of this city who left for Ada this morning in an automobile with Mr. Sheffield, Mrs. Patterson of the Ada hotel, Miss Minnie Fulton who resided with her parents, Dave Fulton, county auditor of Norman county and Jack Fulton of Humboldt.

LAND OPENING TAME AFFAIR

The land opening last Tuesday was the tamest affair that has ever been pulled off in this office since its establishment. Everything was in readiness for the applicant and almost every aplicant was an actual settler and had been for weeks before the opening day. Fifty-five entries were made on Tuesday, and yet there are several to file who are taking the time allowed by law. So far but one contest is in sight, and that may never be brought to the office. Some 8,000 acres of land were located and entered and while there are yet some vacant tracts they do not seem to be desirable and may remain open for years.—Cass Lake Times.

LEFT MONEY ON COUNTER

AN ABSENT MINDED MAN HAS STREAK OF GOOD LUCK IN E. GR. FORKS.

LEFT PURSE WITH $500 IN BILLS DRAFT FOR $500 AND TICKET TO SEATTLE.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday morning William Wilson of Skagway, Alaska, arrived in East Grand Forks and spent the day there enroute to the land of the Aurora Borealis, gold and icebergs, continuing his journey last evening. Just before dinner he strolled into Hagastad's news depot and purchased a souvenir postal card or two to send out to friends. He had occasion to place his pocketbook on the counter and when he left the store was absent-minded enough to go off without it.

About three o'clock while over on the west side he put his hand over the place where he usually carried the book, in his inside pocket, and at once noted its absence. The discovery brought him up standing and possibly he gasped a few times as he considered his predicament, left with only a little change in his pocket, and far from home. After speculating a moment as to the manner in which he had been robbed, the visit to Hagastad's place occured to him, and he quickly made tracks for the place, with more or less misgiving.

He found the pocketbook just where he had left it, although scores of people had been doing business over the same counter in the interim and the pocketbook was in full sight. He asked Mr. Hagastad why he didn't open it and the newsvendor replied that he thought if the owner wanted it he would return for the pocketbook. Then the stranger opened the pocketbook and disclosed the contents, which included $500 in bills, a draft on a Seattle bank for $500 and t railway ticket to Seattle. He took his departure after expressing his thanks for recovering the pocketbook and continued his journey last evening.

CONFERING ON DITCH NO. 73

COUNTY BOARD IN SPECIAL SESSION TODAY—DITCH HEARING

Commissioners Ecklund, Clements, Thoreson and Driscoll met this morning at the court house, and are holding a hearing to give all parties interested for or against establishing ditch number 73 east of Beltrami an opportunity to be heard. F. W. Renz, Senator Works and Knute Aker were heard on the proposition. There does not seem to be much opposition and no difficulties will be encountered in establishing it.

Tomorrow the board will go to the town of Godfrey to inspect a ditch recently completed there.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and merit alone will stand the test of time.

Crookston people appreciate merit and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they do so still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just a srepresented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

Mrs. Benj. Champagne of 322 Spendley St. Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull, annoying backache which clung to me despite my earnest endeavors to get rid of it. When Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention I procured a box at the Wallace drug store. I found relief from the first dose or two and soon the pains in my back were entirely removed. The difficulty with the kidneys was also ended and I was improved in every way. Up to date the relief has remained permanent."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents fo rthe United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Make Castro President for Life.

Caracas, Venezuela, Sept. 23.—Partisans of President Castro have, in recent speeches, initiated a movement to proclaim him president of Venezuela for life.

EARLY HUNTERS IN THE TOILS

THAYER BROTHERS NEAR FOSSTON PAY PENALTY OF "SOONERS"

PROVED MORE EXPENSIVE THAN ANOTHER PARTY WHO ADMITTED GUILT

From Monday's Daily—

Two more hunters in this section discovered that the game laws of the state were enacted for a purpose Saturday when Matt and John Thayer residing 5 miles south of Fosston were fined $18.15 by Judge Shulind of Fosston for hunting on August 19, and in addition their guns were confiscated. They were arrested some time ago with Ben Thayer. The latter admitted his guilt and got off with an $11.75 fine. The other two decided to fight the case and were held in $100 bonds. Saturday when they were to have their hearing they discovered Game Warden Munch on the ground with the evidence ready to prosecute, and both entered a plea of guilty and were fined enough more to defray the expense that had been gone to by the state to prepare a case against them.

It is such vigorous prosecutions during the past few years that resulted in the hunters from St. Paul and Minneapolis being able to ship in more birds the first week of September this year than they shipped in all last year put together. This statement was made by Executive Agent Carlos Avery and Sam Fullerton of the State Game and Fish Commission when they were here last Thursday with the fish car and 43 cans of bass and croppies for Maple Lake. And by the way the shipment of bass was the finest that ever left the hatcheries, some of them being from 5 to 7 inches n length.

CHISHOLM RELIEF FUND GROWING

DAILY ADDITIONS TO THE CHISHOLM FIRE SUFFERERS RELIEF FUND RECEIVED

The Chisholm fire sufferers' relief fund is growing. The subscription list in the hands of Pres. Misner is daily receiving new names. On Sept 12th the Journal published the list of the first to give their donations. The complete list now is as follows:

Previous subscriptions	$44.00
John A. Johnson	1.00
John Holten	1.00
John Saugstad	1.00
C. F. Mix	1.00
Dr. Holte	5.00
Hans Larson	1.00
O. B. Twedten	1.00
Ernest Rolsch	1.00
H. Cohen	1.00
J. D. McPhee	2.00
Dr. T. Spence	5.00
George T. Hamery	1.00
W. T. Carlisle	5.00
H. C. Misner	3.00
J. W. Wheeler	5.00
J. H. Stair	5.00
L. E. George	5.00
J. L. Hendrickson	1.00
R. Lawrence	1.00
Lodge	25.00
O. Mercil, Jr.,	1.00
H. L. Marsh	1.00
Lodge	25.00
R. R. DeMott	1.00
P. K. Haslerud	3.00
Henry Brule	1.00
Hon. Halvor Steenerson	5.00
Walter Latta	2.00
Scandinavian Workingmen's association	10.00
C. M. Twedten	1.00
Ole Tiegen	2.00
Lodge	25.00
John Perry	2.00

Fairfax Subscriptions

John Amundson	$1.00
E. Roberts	1.00
Peter Runler	1.00
C. Houston	1.00
C. Nelson	1.00
A. J. Herberg	1.00
Geo. A. Olson	.50
Helmer Herberg	.50
Peter Jebe	1.00
Wm. Samson	1.00
Joseph Montague	1.00
John Sylvesterson	1.00
Reuber Taylor	1.00
Anthony Mulvaney	.50
James Hedley	1.00
Total	$163.50

Canadian Pacific Man Quits.

Winnipeg, Sept. 23. — F. P. Brady, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific, Lake Superior division, has resigned, owing to ill health. On his division have occurred heavy tieups during the last few weeks.

Steal $500 Worth of Jewelry.

Melrose, Minn., Sept. 23.—When Nic Meyer came down town yesterday morning he found that burglars had entered his clothing store last night and got away with about $500 worth of goods, mostly jewelry.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Historical Society

RELIEF FUND NEAR $130,000

RESPONSE OF PEOPLE TO CHISHOLM'S CRY FOR HELP IS GENEROUS.

MONEY WILL BE USED TO FURNISH MATERIAL FOR THE REBUILDING.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The relief fund for the fire victims of Chisholm will reach a total of nearly 130,000 in money subscribed in the cities and towns of the state. Over $100,000 of that amount is already at the disposal of the committee, which will use the money for the relief of the suffers and other contributions are still coming in.

Minneapolis has closed her accounts at approximately the $50,000 mark. St. Paul's contributions amount to $24,939.75, not counting the $5,000 subscribed by James J. Hill. This money was sent by the railroad magnate directly to Duluth and was incorporated in the fund that is being collected there.

Nearly $40,000 has been turned in to H. M. Peyton, treasurer of the relief committee in Duluth. The figures last night were $38,234.29, and constantly growing. There are still several outstanding subscriptions that have not been paid in.

This money will not be distributed directly to the fire victims. It will be used to supply building material and furniture necessary to provide comfortable dwellings for the homeless during the coming winter. The apportionment will be in charge of the relief committee appointed by Governor Johnson, working in conjunction with the local relief committee at Chisholm, and the representatives of Minneapolis and St. Paul. R. T. Lies, manager of the Associated Charities at Minneapolis and Manager Guthridge of the St. Paul Associated Charities, are the Twin Cities representatives.

Mayor McPhee announced this morning that on Friday next the money raised in Crookston for the relief of the Chisholm fire suffers would be forwarded by Treasurer Misner to the General relief committee so that all those who intended to donate should send in their subscriptions at once. It is very desireous that Crookstons contribution should be at least $200, but it is somewhat short of that sum now.

GOSSMAN IS NAMED

GOVERNOR JOHNSON HAS APPOINTED HIM AS MUNICIPAL JUDGE

TO PRESIDE OVER COURT RECENTLY PROVIDED FOR IN CROKSTON

From Tuesday's Daily—

Governor John A. Johnson yesterday appointed Louis A. Gossman special municipal judge at Crookston. The office was created by council ordinance and the appointment was made at the recommendation of the Crookston bar.

As Judge Gossman is at Bagley with his brother enjoying a duck hunt and will not return till Thursday evening or Friday morning he could not be communicated with and cannot receive his commission until he returns. In the meantime the ducks should fall out of respect to his official toga, whether he fills them with shot or not.

STATE SCHOOL FOR DEPENDENTS

STATE AGENT YEAGER OF OWATONNA INSTITUTION THRU NORTHWEST

State Agent Yeager of Owatonna, representing the home for dependent children at that place is making his annual tour thruout the valley looking over the situation and placing children in homes where ever good ones are found willing to adopt children. Mr. Yeager appeared before the county board yesterday and enlisted their co-operation as inthe past.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

TWO NEW POST OFFICES

PETITION FOR TWO NEW POST OFFICES GOOD INDICATION OF DEVELOPMENT

FORMER CROOKSTON LADY WILL BE POSTMISTRESS OF AGNES POST OFFICE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The settlement of the towns along the upper Red Lake in adjoining towns in Koochiching county has been so rapid that petitions are out for two new postoffices in that territory. One will be located in the town of Eland, with O. L. Lindquist as postmaster, while the other will be located in town 153-29, Koochiching county and will be known as Agnes and Mrs. T. M. Sorlie will be postmistress.

It is purposed to supply the new offices from Kelliher the carrier making three trips weekly, going one day and returning the next.

Should the office and star route be established, an effort will be made to supply Otto, Shotly and Domaas with mail from this route making connections at Eland instead of at Foy as now.

The two new offices will supply the mail to approximately 75 families.

A NEW LAKE LEVEL FAVORED

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS APPOINT COMMITTEE TO LOOK OVER SITUATION

ORVIS HINDS WAS NAMED AS ENGINEER ON DITCH NO. SEVENTY-NINE

The Board of County Commissioners will probably complete an important three days' session this afternoon a large amount of routine business having been disposed of today in addition to much important business.

A committee of three, consisting of Commissioners Ecklund, Clements and Ringdahl were appointed to go to Maple Lake and look over the proposed dyke and road at the outlet the dyke to raise the lake level somewhat. County Surveyor Orvis Hinds was named as engineer for Ditch No. 79 which is an outlet to another ditch running thru Andover and adjoining townships.

REV. O. JACOBSON DIES SUDDENLY

FORMER WELL KNOWN CROOKSTON PASTOR EXPIRES IN ST. PAUL

A telegram was received in the city this morning by friends announcing the death in St. Paul this morning of Rev. O. Jacobson after a very short illness. Rev. Jacobson preached in his church last Sunday morning, but in the afternoon was taken suddenly ill and a diagnosis by several doctors showed acute appendicitis and gall stones. An operation was performed by Dr. Buckman Sunday afternoon and the patient sank steadily from that time till the end came this morning.

The shock is severely felt by many friends and former parishioners in Crookston, Rev. Jacobson having been pastor of the Norwegian M. E. church in this city for two years. He was a very robust and healthy man, never having experienced a sick day in his life up to the time he concluded his pastorate in Crookston. He was very popular with his parishioners and with the public at large.

The deceased pastor leaves a daughter, Alice, from whom the telegram bearing the sad news was received this morning.

FOSSTON WON FOOTBALL GAME

At Fosston Saturday the Fosston High School Football team defeated the Bemidji High School aggregation by the score of 12 to 0. It was a hard fought battle all the way through but the Fosston boys showed more training and also had a little the best of the deal on weight.

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WILL TEST IN COURTS

STORY TO EFFECT THAT NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

WILL TEST THE ALLEGED "INELIGIBLE" LEGISLATORS WHO WERE REELECTED.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Before the recent primaries, the Journal gave space to the question which has been raised as to the eligibility of members of the last legislature to serve if they were re-elected, prior to one year after their present terms expired. For doing this, we were accused with being nearly everything short of a murderer.

Apparently, the Journal is not the only newspaper published in the state which has a misgiving as to the ruling placed on this question by Attorney General Young, who decided that the members in question would be eligible.

It now appears that there is a grave doubt as to the eligibility, and that the democrats think the chance so good that they intend to contest in the courts, where, if successful in maintaining in the supreme court that re-elected members are ineligible to serve, they will attempt to seat democratic members of the legislature who are candidates at the general election for legislative honors, but who will be defeated by the republicans, members of the last legislature.

The Minneapolis Journal, in a recent issue, contained the following:

"A story that the national democratic committee intends to unseat every re-elected republican legislator in Minnesota this year, threw a scare into the camp of the republicans.

"The state democratic committee, according to the story, has ascertained through nationally famous attorneys, hired by the national democratic committee, that legislators who voted to increase their own salaries last year cannot serve this year.

"In spite of the attorney general's ruling that these men can serve," said a prominent republican, laying bare the plot, "the national committee intends to take the fight into the courts."

"This will not be done untill after election, however. When the re-elected republican legislators take their seats the court action will begin.

"If the courts hold that the Minnesota law regarding the re-election of officials who raise their own salaries is valid, the republicans will be unseated. Under the law the next highest candidate, who of course will be a democrat, will be seated.

"If the democrats play the trick it will certainly be a bad one. It might make Minnesota entirely democratic. That's why the national committee is interested."

WHERE IS J. T. TAFT?

MAN WHO DISAPPEARED FROM GRAND RAPIDS HAS BEEN LOST TWO MONTHS.

WAS SUPPOSED TO HAVE COME TO CROOKSTON. WHERE IS HE?

From Wednesday's Daily—

A sensation has been sprung from Grand Rapids, Minn., through the complete disappearance of J. T. Taft of that place who has not been seen or heard of for the past two months. It appears that Mr. Taft, who is a well known logger of Grand Rapids left just two months ago for Crookston, saying that he intended going to the old Buffington farm northwest of this city to see E. H. Barnes the present lessee of the place in an endeavor to secure work for his horses untill it froze up.

Mr. Barnes had sent his horses to work in the woods for Mr. Taft for many years past and nothing was thought of the non-appearance of Mr. Taft for some time. Finally Mr. Barnes was communicated with and it was learned that Mr. Taft had never put in an appearance at the Buffington farm at all.

A relative who worked for a farmer named Armstrong, near Buffington was written and he also had seen nothng of Taft.

C. A. Tullar, a prominent resident of Grand Rapids took the matter up and he has been unable to find anything of Taft though he has searched high and low.

Charles Forest, of Grand Rapids, a brother of the missing man has instituted a search for Taft and has received absolutely no word of him.

The missing man has a wife and one child who want to hear of his whereabouts. Taft is described as a short, thick-set man, 50 years of age and smooth faced.

About 13 years ago Taft disappeared and was absent for 6 years when he suddenly reappeared, gave no explanation, took up his business where he had left it and has been attending to it ever since till his disappearance two months ago.

There was nothing in connection with his finances that would have caused his disappearance, and opinion s divided as to whether he has made away with himself, has been the victim of foul play, or has strayed off in a state of mental abberation.

When Trifles Become Troubles

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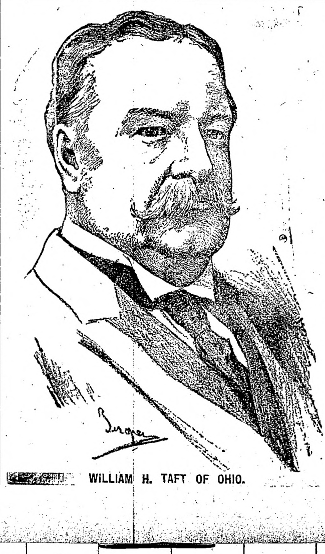

WILLIAM H. TAFT OF OHIO.

PROPOSITION DEFEATED

RED LAKE COUNTY VOTED HEAVILY AGAINST SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

CLOSE PROXIMITY OF CROOKSTON SCHOOL PROBABLE CAUSE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday in Red Lake County there was a special election on the question as to whether the board of county commissioners of that county should be authorized to have spread upon the tax rolls a special levy amounting to no less than $15,000 nor more than $20,000 to establish a county school of Agriculture at St Hilaire. The proposition was defeated by an overwhelming majority. The official returns have not yet been received but unofficial returns are to the effect that Thief River Falls gave only 52 votes for the proposition and 232 against, Red Lake Falls 43 for and 98 against, Plummer none for and 32 against, and the townships about Plummer as far as received went from 25 to 40 all against.

This enough to show that the levy has been defeated by an overwhelming majority, probably about 5 or 7 to 1.

Every paper in Red Lake County favored the scheme excepting the Plummer Pioneer, which opposed it, and Editor Latta naturally feels gratified over the result.

VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN

PLANNED BY THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE YESTERDAY

LARGE ATTENDANCE PRESENT FROM ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Polk county republican central committee met yesterday afternoon for the first time and outlined a plan of action. The necessary money was arranged for, and Chairman O. O. Christianson will attend the meeting in St. Paul, October 2nd when the state committee will lay plans for the county committees, after which a vigorous campaign will be carried out in Polk Co., such as has not been attempted in the past ten years.

The committee met in Chairman O. O. Christianson's office and the following were:

O. O. Christianson, Chairman, Crookston.
J. E. Montague, Secretary, Crookston.
H. C. Misner, Treasurer, Crookston
Carl Riedesel, Crookston.
J. C. Sathre, Crookston.
N. S. Davies, Crookston.
B. J. Hagen, E. G. Forks.
J. R. Johnson, E. G. Forks.
N. J. Nelson, E. G. Forks.
S. S. Stadsvold, Fosston.
L. G. Hancock, Fosston.
K. K. Hoffard, McIntosh.
M. Bergsven, McIntosh.
G. Espeseth, Erskine.
L. S. Kolden, Nielsville.
Don Hamilton, Fisher.
P. R. Lavik, Fertile.
A. Opheim, Fertile.
Dr. J. S. Chapin, Euclid.
Helmer Estenson, Climax.
Albert Lillo, Lengby.

BIG CREW IN POTATO PATCH

J. W. LEE FARM HAS TWO POTATO DIGGERS AND 14 MEN AT WORK

The J. W. Lee farm is one of the busiest places in Polk county at the present writing. Two modern potato diggers are at work and in addition 14 men are employed in the same work. Nearly 150 acres of potatoes were planted on this farm this year and a big return is promised, tho the work of digging has not progressed far enough as yet to accurately estimate the yield.

"Doctor, if this operation is successful I'll pay you double."

"I shall be entirely satisfied with my regular fee."—Smart Set.

JOHN NELSON FOUND DEAD

AT FRONT OF THE MARKET STREET RESTAURANT LAST EVENING

DISCOVERED BY JOE. FARLEY—SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN ON LONG SPREE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening Joe Farley, a farmer west of the city, while passing near the City scales, noticed a man lying half on the platform and half in the street at the front of the City Market Restaurant. He asked Peter Peterson, proprietor of the restaurant why he did not pick the man up and Peterson said that he had just put him out of the restaurant as the fellow appeared sick at the stomach and he did not want his place mussed up.

Farley than ran for a policeman and Captain Vonderbeck responded and when they returned the sick man was expiring. Dr. Just was called but life had fled before his arrival.

Corner Chesterman was called and he discovered that the man's name was John Nelson who has been in and about this city for about ten years though nothing is known about his relatives.

Peterson, the restaurant proprietor was placed in custody, as was also John Straeter, a partner of the deceased.

Inquest in Progress

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Coroner Chesterman summoned a coroners jury composed of the following men: E. M. Lancaster, Arthur Johnson, Jos Winfield, John Munroe, Louis Cottet and A. Laliberti and the inquest is now in progress.

A. Cornelius was the first witness called but his testimony was devoid of anything sensational. He testified that deceased acted as tho he was ill and Peterson took him by the shoulders and lead him outside. Jos Farley and other witnesses were subpoenaed and the inquest will not be finished till late this afternoon.

Dr. Randolph county and city physician, held a post mortem over the remains this morning and decided that death was due to acute alcoholism.

HELD BUSY SESSION

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HAVE LARGE AMOUNT OF IMPORTANT BUSINESS

DITCH MATTERS REVIEWED AND COUNTY BRIDGE REPORTS RECEIVED

From Tuesday's Daily—

The County Commissioners continued their session today, the political rally having interfered with their business. They are considering the appointment of an engineer for Ditch 79 which is an enlargement of the outlet of No. 72 in Onstad, Russia and Andover.

A resolution was passed dividing the funds for a new school district No. 276 in the town of Brandsvold and Helgeland, taken from Districts 229 and 240.

A petition numerously signed for construction of a dyke to govern the level of Maple Lake, which is to be made level for road purposes was received. The dyke is to be constructed across the lower outlet of the lake on the Bergeson farm and the commissioners will name a time for hearing and to look over the ground.

The Climax and Fertile bridges were accepted, the latter being entirely of cement, but the one at Valley Postoffice over Sand Hill river was rejected and will have to be rebuilt.

Kashmir Electricity

The Vale of Kashmir is one of the spots on the earth that poetry has fixed most conspicuously on the imagination, and the thought of its invasion by the electric engineer must forcibly strike the reader wiht a sort of surprise. The reader will also agree that for a pure, wholesome table beverage nothing can equal golden grain belt beer. Serve this delicious liquid bread with your meals and you put health and strength into your system. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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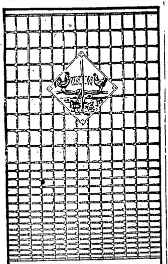

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TRI-STATE TEL. WANT FRANCHISE

CITY BEING CANVASSED WITH VIEW TO PUTTING IN LONG DISTANCE BOOTHS

NEW LINE IN COURSE OF ERECTION BETWEEN THIS CITY AND MOORHEAD

From Saturday's Daily—

H. M. Rounce, manager of the Tri-State Telephone and Telegraph Co., is spending the day in the city and is out interviewing the business men of the city with a view to putting in long distance booths in various parts of the city and if he meets with any encouragement will ask that the city council grant the company a franchise for that purpose.

At present the company has a line which skirts the city limits on the north and continues on to Thief River Falls and the connection with this city could easily be made.

Mr. Rounce has a number of convincing arguments to lay before the business men and will no doubt meet with success in his canvass.

At present the Tri-State people have two crews of 30 men each working in both directions from Halstad on a new line being built from this city to Moorhead and which will connect with their line north of the city.

Some time is expected to be used in thoroly canvassing the business men of the city. No effort will be made to put in an exchange.

TYPHOID FEVER AFFECTED MIND

Deputy Sheriff Johnson of Bemidji passed thru the city last evening enroute to Fergus Falls having in custody Miss Hulda Bloomquist of Beaudette who was committed to the asylum, her mind having been affected after a severe run of typhoid fever. Her friends expect that she will recover very soon, as her case is not a severe one.

RUNAWAY TEAM DOES MIRACULOUS STUNT

One of the narrowest escapes from injury in a runaway occurred in Thief River Falls last Saturday afternoon when a team of farm horses attached to a heavy wagon traversed the whole length of Soo railway bridge that crosses the Red Lake River at that place. The bridge is at least two blocks long and approached by high fills at both ends. It is very narrow and the ties that constitute its sole covering are square and about 6 inches apart. The team took fright near the south end of the bridge and rushed at full speed across, and were stopped near the Soo station. The horses were not injured and the wagon was intact. The bridge is not much wider than a wagon track, and without rail or guard of any kind, and at least 20 feet above the water.

How's This?

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BORRSON AN OLD TIMER

OLE BORRSON RETURNS AFTER AN ABSENCE OF 25 YEARS

SEES A BIG CHANGE IN COUNTRY AND OLD LAND MARKS GONE

Ole Borrson arrived in the city last week from Illinois on his way to visit his half brother Mr. Anderson, of the town of Reiner, Marshall Co., Mr. Borrson was one of the old timers of this section but it has been 25 years since he has resided here. In those days there were few railroads and John LaBree was the only resident of Thief River Falls his homestead now being a part of the city of Thief River Falls.

In those days Mr. Borrson was employed in Stanley Collins livery barn and made frequent drives thruout this section, taking out many of the new settlers who had located upon homesteads. He sees a wonderful change and improvement in the country, and but few of the old land marks and roads are now recognized by him. Speaking of Thief River Falls, Mr. Borrson says that he always predicted that there would be a good sized city at the junction of the Thief and Red Lake rivers, but did not expect to find as large a city

STODDARD GOT 20 YEARS

BRUTE ATTEMPTED ASSAULT ON NINE YEAR OLD GIRL IN BELTRAMI CO.

DISTRICT COURT AT BEMIDJI ADJOURNED—HELD ONLY SHORT TERM.

From Saturday's Daily—

Justin Stoddard, would-be detective engineer and jack-of-all-trades, who was convicted at the Beltrami Co., term of court at Bemidji of having attempted to carnally know a female child under the age of 16 years, will srve a term of twenty years at hard labor in the state's prison at Stillwater, Judge McClenahan having imposed the sentence upon Stoddard yesterday afternoon, when Stoddard was arranged for sentence.

The sentence imposed on Stoddard meets with the general approval of the public, as the evidence at the trial had convinced those attending court that Stoddard was guilty.

The little girl upon whom Stoddard attempted his brutal crime positively identified him as her assailant, and the prisoner himself, while on the stand appeared used to court notoriety and was not one whit abashed by the fact that he was charged with one of the most brutal crimes on the calendar.

A few more minor cases were tried and then Judge Stanton adjourned the term of court according to the agreement reached between himself and Judge McClenahan to the effect that the jurors would not be compelled to serve as long as the county warrants are not marketable.

ANOTHER BUNCH OF LAND BUYERS

R. H. Purvis arrived this morning from Mankato with three land seekers who will be shown some choice farms in this section. Mr. Purvis says the demand for Red River Valley land is more pronounced this fall than it has been for the past five years. The satisfactory crop, and the splendid appearance of the country generally makes a most favorable impression and even at advanced prices, sales are easy comparatively.

NEW REGISTER IN LAND OFFICE

Word has been received of the resignation of Burt Oakley as register of the land office at Cass Lake. Congressman Lindbergh has recommended Lester Barkley of Wright county for the place.

BUSTED BROKERS ARRESTED.

Members of Firm of A. O. Brown & Co. [illegible]

New York, Sept. 27.—Detectives from [illegible] engaged in the A. O. Brown & Co. case yesterday, giving it a sensational turn when they arrested five members of the failed stock exchange firm as they emerged from the federal building, where a hearing into the affairs of the firm has been going on for some days.

The charge against them was grand larceny, preferred by a former client of the firm.

GIRLS LOST THEIR TRUNKS

THREE YOUNG LADIES FROM DRAKE ARE ROBBED OF TRUNKS AND GRIPS

WERE STARTING FOR SCHOOL—TRUNKS ARE FOUND BUT CONTENTS RIFLED

From Saturday's Daily—

A mysterious occurrence is reported as having occurred at Drake, N. D., last night. Three young ladies living in that town were starting away from home for an eastern school. The trunks were taken to the depot and they stepped in to buy their tickets When they came out the trunks had disappeared. No wagon had been heard but over half a mile from town the trunks were found their contents strewn about the prairie and many valuables missing. The authorities are making every effort to locate the guilty parties but so far they have secured no clue.

THREE INDIANS COMPLETE SENTENCE

BACK TO THE FREE AND EASY LIFE OF THE RESERVATION

The big buck Indian, May-qua-me-way, whose name translated is "Sitting on the ice" (Isn't that a comfortable name to carry around such weather as this?) returned to his home on the reservation Tuesday. He and two friends, No-te-ne-be-ness and Charley Mek-ee-nock, or "Windry prairie chicken" and "Snapping turtle" had been in our midst for the past sixty days as guests of Sheriff Nelson. The Indians were arrested for killing and selling big game out of season. The sale was made to John Lundblad was also arrested at the time. Wm. Munch deputy game warden, went to the reservation and apprehended them there. Mr. Lundblad was also arrested. All plead guilty to charges preferred against them. Mr. Lundblad paid a fine of fifty dollars and costs. The Indians decided that they would rather spend sixty days in the county jail than to spend any of their money. As the Indians boarded the northbound train Tuesday they almost smiled. — Red Lake Falls Gazette.

KISSER IS KICKED OUT.

There Was a Lot of Unused Time on His Thirty-minute Ticket of Leave.

Fargo, Sept. 24.—A local character by the name of "Klondike" was chased out of Langdon on complaint of a young lady who charged the man with attempted assault. "Klondike" is reported to have had a mania for kissing unprotected women whom he met in dark places. He was given thirty minutes to get out of the city and there was a lot of time left after he had gone.

HACKS THROAT WITH KNIFE.

Wife of Houghton Saloonkeeper Attempts Suicide.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 24.—Her mind temporarily unbalanced, Mrs. Emil Kangas, wife of a local saloonkeeper, yesterday morning hacked her throat with a penknife in an attempt at self-destruction. The quick return of her husband prevented her from carrying out her purpose. She is expected to survive.

LIKE AN AVALANCHE.

Railroad Foreman Is Struck by a Huge Piece of Clay.

Mason City, Iowa, Sept. 24.—A chunk of clay weighing twenty tons, falling a distance of eighteen feet, sttruck Horace A. Bruns, foreman of the Northern Iowa Clay works, broke the bones of both legs near the hip, the collar bone and seriously injured him internally. He is still living.

TEACHERS TO MEET NOV. 13.

Members of Southeastern Association Will Hear Mabel Carney.

Winona, Minn., Sept. 24.—Nov. 13 has been selected as the date for the annual convention of the Southeastern Minnesota Educational association in this city. A special feature promised is an address by Miss Mabel Carney of Illinois on "Rural School Problems."

Lightning Burns Elevator.

Fargo, Sept. 24.—The farmers' elevator at Wimbledon was struck by lightning and burned. The structure was filled with grain and the total loss is about $25,000.

When Trifles Become Troubles

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ALL FIRES DYING DOWN

THE TRAIN MEN ARRIVING ON THE DULUTH TRAIN THIS MORNING

BELIEVE ALL DANGER IS PAST NEAR CASS LAKE AND BEMIDJI

From Friday's Daily—

The train crew arriving this morning from Cass Lake and Bemidji stated that practically all the forest fires in that direction had died out with the exception of a very few small fires which do not threaten any of the Duluth line cities at the present time. There is no immediate danger felt anywhere along the Duluth line. The rain of day before yesterday, and showers since that time have practically extinguished every blaze, and unless heavy winds prevail, and the weather is extremely dry there is no further apprehension felt for the safety of any of the towns

Reports have been received during the last few days, however, of several settlers who have been completely burned out, losing everything they had.

WOODSMEN START FOR TALL TIMBER

ONE HUNDRED OF THEM FORM THE ADVANCE GUARD OF THE PINERIES' ARMY

One hundred lumberjacks the first big consignment of woodsmen since the forest fires began were sent out to the north woods yesterday afternoon. The movement however, is not by any means general, as most of the companies are waiting for rain to come in sufficient quantity to stifle the smouldering fires that still threat en the entire north country.

Logging operations were just starting up when the fires began. Orders had been coming in to the local employment agencies with great rapidity, and fears that there would not be enough men to supply the demand as fast as it appeared were at first entertained. The fires however, caused most of the companies to cancel their orders, and all of them were stopped temporarily.

During this interval hundreds of men have begun to come in from the west, where railroad operations have been shutting down, and the wheat fields no longer call for men. When the logging camps do open up in full blast, there will be no difficulty in getting laborers, and the jobs will be filled with a scramble. The consignment of men yesterday was picked up in short order, and many woodsmen who came too late were forced to go away disappointed. — Duluth News Tribune.

THIEF RIVER FALLS SKATING RINK IS SOLD

Messrs. Roberts & Kalstad have sold their skating rink property at Thief River Falls to W. E. Baker and Leon Bourque who have already taken charge of the place. The deal also included the purchase from the owners, Henry Hermanson and Carl Angell of the building in which the rink is located.

WILL GO TO STATE SUPREME COURT.

City Attorney Collins of E. Grand Forks is preparing a brief to go before the Supreme Court in the case of M. E. Thornton against the city of East Grand Forks. The complaint filed by Thornton against the paving estimate of the city for $4,800 was demurred to by City Attorney Collins and the matter will come before the supreme body in October. D. W. Lawler, mayor of St. Paul, D. F. Lyon and N. J. Ryan are attorneys for Thornton.

Peary's Ship Hits Iceberg.

St. John's, N. F., Sept. 27.—With her hull damaged by collision with an iceberg, the steamer Erik, which accompanied the Peary expedition to the north, is reported on her way to this port. The damage to the vessel is said to be all above the water line and she is not leaking.

Broke In and Robbed.

Estelline, S. D., Sept. 27.—A burglar succeeded in entering the Leonard hardware store through a rear window and escaping with two good revolvers and some knives and razors.

Robbers Frightened Away.

Ellendale, N. D., Sept. 27.—About midnight last night an attempt was made to rob the State bank of Ludden, a small town twenty miles east of here.

Burns to Death in Barn.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Sept. 27.—Eleanor [illegible]arteleson, aged three years, was burned to death in her father's barn, three miles from this city.

W. A. MARIN INTERESTED

DISCUSSES THE PLAN FOR STREET RAILWAY IN GRAND FORKS

WILL INVEST HIS OWN FUNDS AND TAKE HOLD OF PRELIMINARY WORK

From Thursday's Daily—

The gentlemen most closely identified with the Grand Forks street railway project have for some time been aware that they were materially handicapped by a lack of some one man himself substantially interested in the enterprise who could devote practically his entire time to it. Many Grand Forks men are interested to the extent of subscribing liberally for stock, and others are developing interest and, many of those interested have already devoted considerable time to it. But the time which can thus be spent is fragmentary, and there has been very evident need for some reliable man who could take hold of the movement and keep hold of it until the street railroad is an accomplished fact.

"Such a man the committee believes it has found in W. A. Marin, of Crookston," says the Grand Forks Herald, "who is now in the city looking over the situation at the invitation of the committee. Engineer Burch who has already made a very favorable report on the enterprise will be here this morning and will go over the situation with Mr. Marin and the members of the committee and if a favorable decision is reached and there appears sufficient local interest to warrant it, Mr. Marin will take hold of the preliminary work in person under the direction of the committee, and will demonstrate his interest by a substantial investment of his own funds."

Not Professional Promoter

Continuing the Herald says, "Mr. Marin is not a professional promoter For many years he has been a resident of Crookston, where he is now and has been carrying on a prosperous business and he has large interests thruout the valley. He has served as a member of the Crookston city council and he is well known to many Grand Forks people. Of late years he has devoted considerable attention to electric traction, and he has become profoundly impressed with the possibilities of the Red River Valley in this direction. He now holds a franchise for a street railway in Crookston, and he hopes to be instrumental in the development of a system which when the time is ripe will serve not only the two cities but the intervening and surrounding country districts." In a very interesting conversation with the Herald yesterday, Mr. Marin said:

Get City Lines First

"I am a firm believer in the possibilities of interurban lines. My belief is not a matter of theory but of observation for I have already seen this sort of improvement and what it does in many districts where the towns are not larger than ours and where the soil is not half so productive. I do not believe that the building of suburban or interurban lines here is practicable or desirable at present. I believe that we must do as other communities have done — get our city lines first and get them into reasonably paying condition before we attempt anything further, I do not believe that a Grand Forks line will be a great revenue producer immediately, but I am convinced and expert opinion agrees with mine— that it will pay reasonably well in a very short time. And when we have a local line which we can demonstrate to be a good business proposition, we will have no difficulty in borrowing on fair terms, all the money we need for any legitimate extensions whether within or without the city.

Proposition is a Safe One

"I do not come here with any promise or expectation of building this line myself. I am not in a position to do anything of this sort. I have other interests which require funds, and your local people are in the same condition. But I look on the Grand Forks proposition as a safe one and a good one for the investment of my time and such funds as I can spare, provided enough money can be raised to float it. And that money must be raised right here at home. The local people are the men who have the greatest interests at stake, and they must make the start if the thing is to be handled. There is now no outside capital seeking investment of this character, at least not until the feasibility of the enterprise has been demonstrated and the active participation of local people is the best demonstration that can be given."

Killed by Burglars.

Winnipeg, Sept. 24.—Burglars shot and killed M. Sagar, a merchant, when surprised cracking a safe in Lambert & Earle's hardware store at Elkhorn, Manitoba.

Does Your Heart Beat

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SAFE BLOWN AT COHASSET

GANG OF FOUR OR FIVE ROBBERS GET AWAY WITH $300 IN CASH

NO DETAILS RECEIVED BUT CHIEF ECK APPRISED OF ROBBERY

From Friday's Daily—

Chief Eck this morning received the following telegram:

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+ "Grand Rapids, Minn., Sept. +
+ 25—Safe blown at Cohasset. +
+ $300 in cash secured. Three +
+ or four men implicated. Arrest +
+ and hold for orders. +
+ —Sheriff. Hoolihan." +
+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +

Cohasset is the first station this side of Grand Rapids. No further details were given, and it is not known what place was robbed and absolutely no description is given of the men suspected. Thus the local police are given nothing to work on, unless one of the robbers should foolishly start in to blow a large amount of money to arouse suspicion, which is not very apt to take place.

However Chief Eck and his men are keeping a close look out for any and all suspicious characters.

OLD RESIDENT VISITING HERE

Louis Fontaine of the old firm of Fontaine & Anglim arrived in the city this morning from Morris, Minn and will remain here for about a week attending to some business matters and visiting with friends. When asked regarding the legacy he was left by a sister he smiled characteristically—and said nothing.

Mr. Fontaine is enjoying the best of health and says that he enjoys every visit to Crookston. He notes with pleasure that the city is growing steadily, and is glad to see the forward tendency along all lines here.

ENORMOUS WHEAT MOVEMENT.

8,000,000 Bushels of Canadian Crop so Far Inspected.

Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—To date 8,000,000 bushels of this season's wheat crop of Western Canada has been inspected, 80 per cent being high-grade milling wheat. Last year at this date only 1,000,000 bushels had been inspected; largely low grade. Competition for wheat continues strong and prices to farmers high.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

From Over The Valley

RUTABAGO'S CIRCUMFERENCE BIG AS 150 LB. MAN

John W. Johnson showed us yesterday a couple mammoth rutabagoes that he had raised on his lots on the west side of the river, one measuring 28 inches in circumference, 9 inches in diameter and weighing 8 3-4 lbs., the other 24 inches in circumference, 7 inches in diameter and weighing 6 3-4 lbs., another evidence of the wonderful productiveness of Red River Valley soil. — Warren Sheaf.

VALLEY LANDS ALWAYS IMPRESS FAVORABLY

C. A. Nelson of Chicago, arrived last week to look after his farming interest. He owns the old Krueger farm southwest of that town. Mrs. Nelson and little daughter arrived later to join the husband and gather. Mrs. Nelson wanted to see the farm and this city before finally deciding to move up here and that her impressions were favorable goes without saying. The family will probably move here next spring.

TRUSTEES HOLD MEETING TO DECIDE ON PASTOR

The trustees of the Mendenhall Memorial church at E. G. Forks met again Saturday evening to decide on a pastor for the church, due to the failure of Rev. Charles Bates to accept the call issued several weeks ago. Nothing definite was settled on, altho it was decided to invite Rev. McMurray of Mitchell of S. D., to the city and he will occupy the pulpit at the Mendenhall Memorial church October 11 and 18 and may later be selected as a pastor.

SOO TOWN SUFFERS THE LOSS OF HASHERY

The Kreller hotel at Radium, Marshall Co., burned down last week. Building was owned by Thorson & Gillund of Warren and was occupied by E. B. Moller, who lost some of his household goods. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss on building was about $2,000 partly covered by insurance.

Journal want ads bring results.

LIVE STOCK AND DAIRY

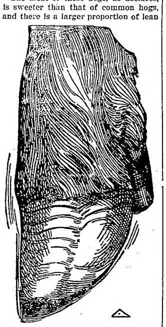
MULEFOOT HOGS.

What a Kansas Breeder Has to Say About Them.

Breeders of swine in many sections of the country are greatly interested in mulefoot hogs, and these animals have attracted considerable attention in recent years when exhibited at the state fairs. These hogs are now being improved and bred under the name of Ozark hogs.

A Kansas breeder, Dr. W. J. Connor, who is raising them, says that, while in a measure they are a new thing, yet he has been breeding them long enough to have ascertained that they are actually the best range hogs in existence today. He has found, he says, that they will live and prosper where a common hog would starve to death.

The meat of these hogs, he declares, is sweeter than that of common hogs, and there is a larger proportion of lean to fat. They may be finished at any age, and it is possible to bring them to a weight of from 500 to 800 pounds. It seems that these hogs have been tried out in practically every state in the Union, and Dr. Connor says that they have never had cholera.



FOOT OF MULEFOOT HOG.

Care of the Horse.

For kidney trouble give two ounces night and morning of tea made by steeping buchu leaves in soft water.

This will correct irritation of the kidneys or urinary tract much better and more safely than strong drugs, says the Farm Journal.

It is no economy to feed poor, musty hay or grain to horses, and be sure also that horses do not eat dirty and musty bedding.

Do not stuff the road horses with hay. A horse cannot travel easily with a stomach full of hay crowding his lungs.

Give a small forkful at night, when the horse has time to digest it.

A good handful of cut hay should be mixed with the grain to compel perfect mastication.

Irregular feeding tends to make horses bolt their grain. Guard against it. Bolting food causes indigestion and consequently loss of health.

It is not always wise to feed the same amount of grain to both horses in one team. One may need more than the other to keep it in good health and working condition.

The art or exercise of dancing can be traced back to the early Egyptians, who ascribe that invention to their god Thoth. Beyond a doubt dancing is much older than history. It began in connection with religious rites and was performed in honor of the deities that were worshiped.

BACTERIA IN MILK.

Some Good Suggestions That Every Dairyman Should Heed.

It is impossible in practical dairy work entirely to prevent bacteria from falling into the milk, but if the following suggestions are heeded the number gaining entrance and their rate of development will be greatly lessened:

Do not feed dry hay or fodder at feeding time, and to prevent dust from rising from the floor use the sprinkling can, for dust meant bacteria.

Do not brush the cow just before or at the time of milking, for the dead skin and hairs, carrying thousands of bacteria, will be loosened ready to drop into the pail.

Do not permit the cow to switch her tail over the milk pail, for she is certain to throw hundreds of bacteria into the milk at every flip.

Do not soak the teats or udder with milk or water so that drops fall into the pail, but moisten with a cloth, for a moist surface does not readily permit bacteria to leave it.

Do not regard milking as a dirty task and wear old and filthy clothes, for the handling of food for human beings should be made a cleanly task.

Do not wash pails and cans with cold water, but scald with boiling water and steam, and by all means avoid rinsing with cold water just before milking, for a few drops of water usually contain several thousand bacteria.

Do not wait to finish milking before beginning the cooling of the milk, but set the can in a tub of cold water so that each cow's milk will be cooled immediately after milking, for a high temperature causes bacteria to multiply very rapidly.

Do not fail to thoroughly clean and scald the parts of the separator each time it is used, for bacteria thrive in the separator slime.

Notes For the Shepherd.

If the pastures are short and dry look out for the breeding ewes, says the Farm Journal.

Give them extra feed—grain in a feed box, fodder corn or freshly cut clover.

After the roots are gathered for winter the flock should feed over the field to clean up the small roots, etc.

It is well to reserve a patch of turnips for the sheep to feed on. It may be in one corner of a pasture. A patch of one acre will furnish feed for twenty-five or thirty sheep for three months.

Do not attempt to winter old ewes. Fatten them quickly on turnips, oilmeal, ground corn and oats.

Sweet corn in the milk, fed stalks and all, is also a quick fattener for old ewes.

Do not breed young ewes under fourteen months old unless very growthy.

Keep the sheep dry. Never leave them out in a cold rain, especially in the fall.

If you have no good shelter in the pastures it will pay to make one.

Make it deep, but provide for ventilation without drafts.

Success In Breeding Hogs.

A farmer who has been breeding hogs for twenty-five years and has been unusually successful was asked how he did it. His reply, in substance, was that he provided good, decent quarters, plenty of shade, good pasture, a variety of good food, good water, always fed for vigor and gave the hogs regularly ashes and charcoal. This is all simple, but all good.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung trouble This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine.
Sold by all dealers.

FIRE CAUSED BY LIGHTNING

DISASTROUS BLAZE PREVENTED LAST EVENING BY BARNEY HART.

HAD FIRE EXTINGUISHED BEFORE DEPARTMENT ARRIVED. CHEMICAL USED.

From Saturday's Daily—

About five o'clock this morning a disasterous fire in the New Store was prevented by Barney Hart. Mr. Hart was eating lunch in the Union Restaurant when he noticed a blaze coming from a rear window in the New Store. He first turned in an alarm and then rushed to the window where the fire was to be seen, and smashing the glass threw a few pails of water on the flames which quenched them until the members of the fire department arrived and applied the chemical.

There was no damage to the stock at all as Mr. Wright arrived on the scene and opened all the doors so that the smoke did no damage.

The fire was without doubt started by lightning which evidently came down on the A. D. T. wire. The box was fastened on the window sill where the fire was discovered and no electricity from the office could have caused the blaze from the fact that every evening the current is turned off when the office is closed and therefore there is no current that could possibly have caused the trouble.

Just prior to the fire this morning there were three or four heavy bolts of thunder, and without doubt it was one of these that caused the fire.

Messrs. Wright and Carpenter are both very glad that the fire was extinguished, as a bad fire at this season of the year would have been very serious.

Mr. Hart was properly rewarded for the prompt action that he took and is today wearing a pair of $5 shoes which were presented to him.

FAVORABLE FOR DITCH NO. 77

VIEWERS REPORT ON SMALL DITCH TO BE BUILT IN HUBBARD

JJohn Saugstad, T. Torkelson and I. I. Berg viewers on the proposed ditch number 77 in Hubbard township have made their report and filed the same with the auditor. According to the report the benefits will be much greater than the assessment, and therefore the report is favorable to the establishment of said ditch.

POSTMASTERS TO HELP TEACHERS

Postmaster Elias Steenerson has received an order from Postmaster General Myer directing all postmasters to unite with their local school authorities with a view of adopting the most effective method of instructing school children as to the organization and operation of the postal service particularly the proper addressing of letters and the importance of placing return cards on envelopes. Postmasters are also directed to arrange if possible to deliver personal talks to pupils and give teachers access to the postal guide and postal laws and render them every assistance in securing the necessary information.

Postmaster Steenerson will later give talks to the local school children in the various schools.

FAR AHEAD OF SCHEDULE.

Transcontinental Pedestrian Walks Into Brainerd.

Brainerd, Minn., Sept. 27.—Charles Edward Gates, who is walking from Boston to San Francisco in 150 days under the auspices of the Boston Post, arrived in Brainerd at 12:40 yesterday afternoon, coming from Aitkin. Gates is 415 miles ahead of his schedule and is feeling fine. He will lecture at the Bijou this evening and leave tomorrow morning for Staples.

BANKRUPT FARMER SUICIDE.

Shoots Self Rather Than Appear in Referee's Court.

Waterloo, Iowa, Sept. 27. — While the referee in bankruptcy was preparing to call the case of W. H. Green of Oelwein, that individual was breathing his last from a bullet wound inflicted by his own hand.

Green was a farmer, aged sixty years, and could not stand the humiliation of appearing in a bankruptcy case.

There are times when it is better to get a move on yourself than to stand firm.

NORMAN CO. REP. ORGANIZATION

STRONG COUNTY ORGANIZATION EFFECTED LAST SATURDAY AT ADA

UNITED EFORT WILL BE MADE TO CARRY NORMAN CO., FOR JACOBSON

From Monday's Daily—

The County Republican Committee together with the nominated candidates held a meeting at Ada Saturday when the following officers were elected:

Peter Shampe, president.

Martin Widsten, Hendrum, Secy.

Andrew Rogen, Flom, treasurer.

Also one executive member from each commissioner district, as follows: D. C. Jones, 1st; J. W. G. Anderson, 2nd; G. E. Erickson, 3rd; A. H. Butcher, 4th and J. D. Mason, 5th. An effort will be made to carry the county for Jacobson with a big majority.

The executive committeeman from each commissioner district will organize clubs in each voting precinct and no effort will be spared to carry Norman county for Jacobson and the whole republican ticket.

JEWISH NEW YEAR TODAY

WORLD WILL BE 5669 YEARS OLD ACCORDING TO HEBREW RECKONING.

Today at sunset the world will be 5669 years old, according to the Hebrew reckoning of the bible. Today begins the great holiday period of the Jewish year with the festival of Rosh Hoshonoh. This festival is observed by Orthodox Jews throughout the world for two days. In all synagogues on Friday evening and Saturday morning, services will be held. On Saturday, October 10, occurs the beginning of the festival of Surroth or Tabernacles, which continues for eight days. This festival commemorates the dwelling of the children of Israel in tabernacles during the forty days in the wilderness.

SEES WONDERFUL DEVELOPMENT

J. S. McCAFFREY PREDICTS A GREAT FUTURE FOR RED RIVER VALLEY

J. S. McCaffrey of Stanley, Wis., who has been here for the past few weeks visiting his son, J. A. McCaffrey, and who will remain here to hear Hon. Wm. H. Taft next Monday is one of the best boosters this section of the country ever had. Mr. McCaffrey was a former land owner in this section, and was a regular visitor every year. He sold his holdings a few years ago, but is better pleased with this section now than ever before.

He says that all that is necessary is to till the soil properly and the results will come. He states that he never saw this section of the country looking more prosperous. He notes that within the past few years there has been a wonderful change in the farming methods in this section. More stock is raised, there is a greater diversity of grains, more pasture fences have been built and more teams are hauling cream to the creameries and railroad stations for shipment. In fact he sees progress all along the line.

PREPARE FOR BIG LAND RUSH.

Inspector at Dallas, S. D., Improving Postal Facilities.

Dallas, S. D., Sept. 27.—Inspector J. T. Boylan of the postoffice department is here preparing postal facilities for the great rush of business which he anticipates during the opening of the government lands in Tripp county, drawings for which will take place Oct. 5 to 17.

Fish Are Dying.

Appleton, Wis., Sept. 27. — Thousands of rough and game fish are dying in the Fox river because of the low and stagnant water which is little less than a cesspool now, and sportsmen are of the opinion that the fish of the river may be exterminated unless conditions change.

Costly Fire Burns.

Mason City, Iowa, Sept. 27.—There was an $8,000 fire at 2 o'clock yesterday morning at the Northwestern States Cement plant. Fire caught in the roof of the clay dryer building from overheated shale. The building roof and big conveyor were destroyed.

Killed by Falling Tree.

Duluth, Sept. 27. — Edward Edstrom, a homesteader near Northland, forty miles from Duluth, was killed yesterday as the result of being struck by a falling tree.

30 PER CENT CROP HAULED

DIVISION FREIGHT AGENT GRIFFIN OF GREAT NORTHERN MAKES STATEMENT

THE AVERAGE DAILY SHIPMENT REACHES 800 CARS 10,000,000 BUSHELS

From Monday's Daily—

J. H. Griffin division freight agent of the Great Northern after a trip over North Dakota says that 30 per cent of the crop raised in that state this year has been shipped to the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth markets; Duluth getting the biggest portion. Very little of the grain has been stored according to Mr. Griffin.

All the farmers have just saved enough for seed and have sent the balance to the markets, the line elevators getting very little, and a majority of the line elevators are empty in comparison with former years.

Cars have been plentiful and there has been no crying need where the cars have not been supplied. Very few suffered as a result of shortage of cars and even whole train loads of wheat has been shipped from a number of smaller towns. The average daily shipment for the past week has reached the 800 carload mark per day, making the shipment during the past week something over 10,000,000 bushels from that state.

THREE LIVE DAYS AT BAGLEY

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, OCT 1, 2 AND 3 THE DAYS SET

Bagley has decided upon three live days on Oct. 1, 2, and 3 at which time there will something special doing. The merchants will give special bargains, there will be special entertainment features and on Friday there will be a lecture by Congressman Steenerson on the Panama Canal, which will be delivered at Erickson's Hall in the evening. This lecture will prove of especial interest, as Mr. Steenerson visited and inspected that portion of the canal which has been completed, as well as all of the territory thru which the canal will pass He has specially prepared charts and maps of the terrtory thru which the canal is passing and having been over the ground personally, is in a position to give reliable information as to the work that has been done. as well as the future of the territory thru which it passes.

HEAVY SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED

Women Will Deal With Cital Topics at Coming Meeting of State Clubs.

Discussions as to whether Bacon wrote Shakespeare and whether Browning meant something or nothing by certain lines are no longer the paramount issues at the state meetings of women's clubs. The leading problems of the day, the real live difficulties which confront every day life, are the subjects which are appearing on their program and which will hold the attention of the club women of Minnesota when they assemble in convention at St. Cloud, on Oct. 6-8.

The following list of lectures will show what subjects the thinking women of Minnesota are interesting themselves in:

"Forestry Interests," Mrs. C. J. Backus, St. Paul; Methods of Forestry in the Old World, Prof. S. B. Green St. Paul; Conservation of Forests, Enos Mills, Washington, D. C.; Household Economics, Mrs. M. J. Blair, St. Paul; The Gambling Mania in Children, Mrs. R. R. Dorr, St. Paul Degeneracy; How to Prevent It, Dr. Rogers, Faribault; The Child, Mrs. Alice J. Mott, Faribault; Attitude of Clubs to Temperance Movement; Social Conditions of the Canal Zone, Miss Helen Varick-Boswell, New York.

Mrs. G. G. Higbee of St. Paul is to preside over the convention and there are to be three evening meetings. Tuesday evening, Mrs. C. J. Backus, chairman of the forestry committee, will supervise the program given under the auspices of her committee; Wednesday evening Dr. W. A. Schumacher of St. Cloud normal school, Miss Alice J. Mott of Faribault and Miss Emerson of Carleton college of Northfield will be the speakers. On Thursday evening Miss Boswell's story of the conditions of Panama is to be told and Mrs. Jessica DeWolf of St. Paul is to sing a program of songs.

Thursday morning Mrs. Higbee will make her annual address. Tuesday afternoon a reception is to be given.

WAS DELIRIOUS WITH ECZEMA

On Chest, Back, and Head—Pain, Heat, and Tingling Were Excruciating—Nerves in Exhausted Condition—Sleep Badly Broken.

CURE BY CUTICURA SEEMED LIKE MAGIC

"Words cannot express the gratitude I feel for what Cuticura Remedies have done for my daughter, Adelaide. She is fifteen years of age, and had never had anything the matter with her skin until four months ago, when an eruption broke out on her chest. The first symptom was a redness, and then followed thickening and blisters, which would break and run matter. I took her to a doctor, and he pronounced it to be eczema of a very bad form. He treated her, but instead of being checked, the disease spread. It showed itself on her back, and then quickly spread upwards until the whole of her head was affected, and all her hair had to be cut off. The pain she suffered was excruciating, and what with that and the heat and tingling her life was almost unbearable. She became run down in health, and at times was very feverish, languid, and drowsy, and occasionally she was delirious. Her nerves were in such a low state that she could not bear to be left alone. In spite of the cold weather she would insist on having her bedroom window open, and would lean out on the window-sill. She did not have a proper hour's sleep for many nights. The second doctor we tried afforded her just as little relief as the first, and I really do not know what we should have done if we had not read how Cuticura cured a similar case. I purchased Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills, and before the Ointment was three-quarters finished every trace of the disease was gone. It really seemed like magic. Her hair is coming on nicely, and I still apply the Cuticura Ointment as I find it increases the growth wonderfully. Mrs. T. W. Hyde, 1, Ongar Place, Brentwood, Essex, England, Mar. 8, 1907."

Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

DU PONT RESIGNS

DELAWARE MAN QUITS AS HEAD OF REPUBLICAN SPEAKERS' BUREAU

FEARED EXPOSURE OF TRUST CONNECTION WOULD ULTIMATELY COME

New York, Sept. 27. — Following many rumors on the subject which were afloat yesterday here and in Washington, Chairman Hitchcock of the Republican national committee, yesterday announced that Gen. T. Coleman du Pont of Delaware, head of the bureau of campaign speakers of the national committee, had resigned as head of that bureau and also as a member of the executive committee of the national committee, and that his resignation had been accepted.

BONE IMBEDDED IN BRAIN.

Iowa Boy Still Lives, Despite Dangerous Wound.

West Union, Iowa, Sept. 27.—Cecil Gifford is still living, after having a bone imbedded in his brain. He had come home from school and was cleaning out the stable when the horse kicked him over the right eye. It was some time before he was found. Dr. Darrell removed from the brain a piece of bone that was one inch long by three-quarterrs of an inch thick. For fifteen hours he has been unconscious, but his mind seems to be returning, and the doctors hold out hopes of permanent recovery.

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William Howard Taft.

Crookston is honored today by a visit from the standard bearer of the dominent political party of the United States and one of her foremost citizens, William Howard Taft.

Mr. Taft has been in the public eye for many years, having held some of the most important cabinet positions and also as Governor of some of our foreign possessions made a splendid record.

He is emphatically a man of the people. His extremely pleasant address and cordiality when meeting people on extended trips is judged by many to have as much to do with his popularity as his ability as a statesman and what he has accomplished as a public official. As such he is given a hearty welcome in this city. The people of this city are glad to show their patriotism at any time when honor can be paid to one of the foremost citizens of the country. The honor done is participated by members of all political parties because of the public service which Mr. Taft has rendered.

From a weather standpoint Mr. Taft received a very chilly reception in the Red River Valley, but the warmth with which he was received and welcomed by the people generally made him forget the antics of Old Boreas, who from his actions must be a very narrow-minded member of some other political party.

Regardless of all other conditions however, Mr. Taft's visit to Crookston was thoroly appreciated by the general public.

Despotism of Majority

No despotism has ever ended until the power of taxation was taken from it. None can ever be restored so long as this power is retained in the hands of the people. It is the one power that should be hedged about most jealously and guarded most carefully says the Duluth News Tribune.

The despot held his power by the right to tax when he pleased and favor whom he pleased. The taxes he wrung from some he distributed among others and surrounded himself by favorites bound to him by the loyalty of pelf.

No despot has long survived revolt who has not been generous in the division of the spoils; who has not allowed his faithful followers to prey upon his enemies; who has not given to those who upheld his power what he took from those who defied it.

The czar of Russia is the best of the despots surrounded by western civilization. The struggle of his peope for freedom and self-government centers in the effort to take from his hands the right of taxation That gone his power is gone and self-government is assured. It is the same struggle that has been followed by the same result everywhere.

But a despotism in these modern days need not be of an individual. It may be of a bureaucracy and in representative governments this may be a voting majority That ths has always been feared by the framers of constitutions is shown by the protection always given to minorities.

Such power in the hands of narrow biased prejudiced and unscrupulous men aways threatens to become despotism. It is aways linked wth the same favoritism and the same division of the spoils. It is this that has won for Mr. Cannon as speaker the title of "czar". It is this danger that has muce the rules adopted in the house a menace to good government.

It is for this reason that the federal constitution has preserved the right of free speech, of a free press and of petition. These are the safeguards of the minority. They are the weapons left in its hands of appeal to the better natures the sense of justice and the love of liberty of a free people.

But imagine congress with unlimited powers in taxation. Then place either party in power with a Cannon or a Crisp as speaker and an Andrew Jackson or an Andrew Johnson a Haskell or a Foraker as president. It would be to establish a despotism under the majority rule where the minority would have no more chance of survival than the historic snowball in hades.

Yet, that is exactly the condition the people of Minnesota are asked to vote to bring about in this state when they are asked to adopt the wideopen tax amendment. Our legislature has no greater honesty, wisdom or patriotism than has congress. The men of Minnesota, who guide its political destinies are no more unselfish, no less greedy of power nor less scrupulous of means for getting and retaining it, than are the men in our congress.

With unlimited authority in tax matters, they could and they would build up a political machine in this state which would be as a gasoline automobile to a banquet of American beauties compared to the Pennsylvania political machine or Tammany hall. Is this what the people of Minnesota want? If it is they know how to get it. They have but to adopt the wide-open graft amendment.

STATE PRESS

A Good Loser

One thing that can be said in J. Adam Bede's favor—he is a good loser. He accepts defeat gracefully. —Princeton Union.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

U. Graduate in Congress

Clarence B. Miller, will we believe be the first graduate of the state university to occupy a seat in congress. Clarence surely will be a pride to his alma mater.—Sauk Rapids Sentinel-Free Press.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Even a weak woman may raise strong objections.

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It's too bad that a scolding woman nuever has a scolding husband.

—o+o—

Sometimes a deceitful woman pretends to be happy even when she is.

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Every spinster is willing to admit that she had at least one proposal.

—o+o—

Before going in for politics a physician should feel the public pulse.

—o+o—

Many a man is unable to carry his head high because of the shortness of his legs.

—o+o—

A servant girl usually stays until she has a chance to look in the closets and size up the family skeletons.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

A girl without an appetite can afford to marry a poet.

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Much happiness is due to ability to forget unpleasant things.

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Successful men don't seem to give their friends the same valuable advice they give themseves.

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The trouble with people who have common sense is they are deadly dull for lack of a little foolishness.

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A comforting thing about being married is you haven't any more mistakes of that kind to make for the present

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A man is sometimes modest enough to admit that the reason he doesn't know more is it isn't worth knowing.

From Over The Valley

NORTHOME LANDLORD IS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

While hunting ducks at Moose lake, Donald J. Praught, Landlord of the Brannon hotel at Northome was accidentally shot in the wrist and breast, and probably owes his life to the fact that he was heavily clothed at the time of the accident, which prevented the shot from having fatal effect.

Mr. Praught was holding the gun by the muzzle and in the act of urging the dog to bring out several duck that he had shot when in some manner the gun went off. His right wrist was fearfully torn and from the appearance of the wound the main force of the change took effect in his breast. Only for the heavy clothing he had on Mr. Praught would undoubtedly have been instantly killed. where the wounds were dressed and although in a precarious condition Mr. Praught is in no immediate danger unless unlooked for complications should arise.

NELSON PARK FARMER IS VOLUNTARILY COMMITTED

Erick Nelson, of Nelson Park, went voluntarily before Judge Holm of the Probate Court, on Monday last, and asked to be committed to the asylum at Fergus Falls. The unfortunate man is 39 years of age and single. Altho appeared to be very rational, yet he said he has felt mental trouble coming on for years and that he has spells when his mind gives way. At such times he was afraid he might do himself or others some harm, and he thought it safest and best for all concerned that he be placed in a position where he can injure no one. He was committed to the asylum according to his request.—Warren Sheaf.

BAPTISTS WILL AFFILIATE THEIR MEN'S CLUB

At the first meeting of the fall season of the Baptist Men's Club held at Grand Forks Sunday at noon, it was decided that the club, should identify itself with the new Baptist brotherhood movement and with this end in view a committee was appointed to take up the work incident to the new departure The club has been in existence about a year and has been very successful and it is believed that with the change the club will be further benefited.

Sunday was rally day in the Baptist church the various services being largely attended.

MAHNOMEN COUNTY WILL BE WELL GOVERNED

John Carl, the Indian county auditor of Mahnomen county, was among the winners at the primaries. Besides him there are three more Indians on the ticket, being the county attorney, clerk of court and superintendent of schools.

LOST ON LAKE ON ACCOUNT OF THE BIG SMOKE

Three men were lost for forty-eight hours in a boat on Lake of the Woods, being unable to see shore on account of the dense smoke. When the smoke lifted they found themselves within a mile of home.

NORTH DAKOTA NORMAL OPENS AT MAYVILLE

The fall term of the state normal school at Mayville, N. D., was opened today with the following faculty:

President—Thomas A. Hilyer.
Mathematician—Cylde R. Trauis.
English—Fred G. Fox
Biology—M. J. Abbey.
Physical Science—M. N. Pope.
History and Physical Science—C. M. Correll.
Commercial Branches — N. H. Thompson.
Latin and German—Helen M. Eddy
Libraian—Nellie A. Olson.
Music and Drawing — Editth E. Brant.
Preceptress and Matron — Mabel Bentley.
Supervisor of Practice—Lillian O. Sprague.
Clerk—Lillian Currier.
Manual Training—H. F. Butterfield.

KOOCHICHING COUNTY FAIR IS A SUCCESS.

The first annual fair of the Koochiching County Agricultural Society held at Northome proved to be the most successful affairs of the kind ever held in this north country. With ideal weather both days, the fair was attended by large crowds of people from all over the county. The exhibits were numerous and the finest ever seen in this county, especially so in the agricultural department, which clearly demonstrated the productiveness of the soil in that secton.

PROMINENT ARGYLE MAN BREAKS A LEG.

H. W. Platt of Argyle was the victim of a very serious accident last week which resulted in a broken leg. While he and Pete Goulet were standing on the edge of the curb in front of the drug store talking, the latter lost his balance and Mr. Platt having a hold on his shoulder, the two men went to the ground in some unaccountable manner and Mr. Platt's leg was fractured just above the ankle, both bones being broken. Mr. Platt is now resting easy but t will be some time before he will be able to be around again.

ROCKEFELLER CAUSES RESPIRATORY PARALYSIS

Edgeley N. D., had quite a ripple of excitement the other day when the news came over the wire that John D. Rockefeller and a party of Standard Oil people were at Aberdeen, S. D. They didn't know but they had come to carry off the gas and oil wells in that vicinity. They were able to breathe once more after hearing that the party had gone on west without molesting them.

HORSES JUMPED OFF THE WATER WAGON

While Freeman Smith and Will Van Horson of White Earth, N. D., were crossing the Missouri at the Brevig ferry the Smith team became frightened, and the owner was knocked down and trampled. The horses jumped into the river where it was thirty feet deep and sank from sight. The next morning the horses and wagon were found on a sandbar.

From our Exchanges

ERSKINE
(Echo)

Dr. Kahala performed a delicate operation upon the nine months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Forsythe of Dugdale last Thursday at Crookston

John Clementson returned last Wednesday evening from a visit to his old home at Zumbrota, Minn., where he attended the Golden Wedding anniversary of his parents.

O. C. Krogstad's daughter while out driving last Sunday the horse became unruly and in the mixup Miss Krogstad sustained a broken collar bone which was set by Dr. Kahala.

The road from the Soo depot eastward is fast assuming shape and when completed will be an excellent feeder for the village as well as a great convenience to the people living out that direction.

Miss Emma Oppegaard after spending the last three weeks here with her brother Hans Oppegaard and wife left last Saturday for Albert Lea She was accompanied as far as Crookston by Mrs. Oppegaard and Miss Tilda Nerhus.

RED LAKE FALLS
(Gazette)

Misses Mary Baril and Louisa Philion spent Sunday in Crookston among friends.

E. H. Gerlash drove in from Dugdale Saturday evening and remained over Sunday visiting his parents and numerous friends.

Mrs. Euseb Patnobe returned last Saturday from East Grand Forks, where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Sam Allard.

Mr. and Mrs. Carsten Stuhr came in from Euclid Monday and spent the day with their daughters, Mesdames Lemieux and Meade.

Mrs. W. T. Spillane leaves tomorrow afternoon for Detroit, Michigan She goes as a delegate from the local lodge W. C. O. F. to the national meeting of the order.

Henry and W. O. Bray arrived in the city Sunday from Calgary. The boys look as if they had been enoying prosperity to the fullest extent. They report the former Red Lake Falls people in good circumstances and feeling happy.

BUSY WINTER IN TIMBER

LOGGING OPERATIONS WILL BE HEAVY OWING TO THE FOREST FIRES.

NO PARTICULAR IMPROVEMENT IN THE LUMBER MARKET NOR EXTRA DEMAND.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Logging operations in northern Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota will be very extensive this winter. This is not on account of any particular improvement in the lumber and timber market, which continues in an unsatisfactory condition generally, but because of the extensive forest fires.

Large tracts have been burned over and to prevent heavy losses in many cases it will be necessary to cut the damaged forest growth. This, many operators are preparing to do. The season will open about the first of October.

The Gogebic Lumber company of Marenisco, Mich., intends to cut about 9,000,000 feet the coming winter. In Cook county, this state, many millions of timber will be logged in the burned over tracts, around Beaver Bay, Pidgeon River, Luxon, Tofte, Chicago Bay and Big Bay.

ELKS INSTITUTE A NEW LODGE

DICKINSON ELKS HAVE BEEN GRANTED CHARTER AND WILL ORGANIZE LODGE

Active preparations for the reception and entertainment of the hundreds of Elks and their families who will attend the institution of the Dickinson N. D., lodge of the order were taken at a meeting held by the local "Bills" in th erooms of the commercial club. That Dickinson Elks will have their hands full in taking care of the visitors and will need the assistance of the whole city is evidenced by the fact that fully 1,000 visitors will be the guests of Dickinson for two days. Among this number will be many of the most prominent and influential men of the state. The new lodge will be instituted about October 10.

REINECKE CIRCULATING AN INDEPENDENCE PARTY PETITION

A. C. Renecke of Fargo is in Grand Forks an dhas been engaged in circulating the petition of the Independence party asking that the party's national ticket be given a place on the general election ballot in North Dakota. Almost enough names have been secured to put the ticket on the ballot if t is ruled that it may be given a place by the presentation of a petition.

HOBOES IN CONVENTION.

Millionaire Hobo Acts as Chairman of Meeting in New York.

New York, Sept. 30.—Having reached New York city in various ways not generally used by those who in traveling seek comfort, delegates from all parts of the country gathered last night in the Manhattan lyceum to attend the opening session of the national convention of the unemployed. When J. Eads How of St. Louis, who is known as the "Millionaire Hobo," called the meeting to order in his capacity as chairman he faced an auditorium filled with men, many of whom had made their way to the convention through the art of swinging and holding down the "blind mail," riding the tops and trucks and canvassing the villages for "handouts."

STATE LAND ENTRY FIGURES.

429,351 Acres Involved in Minnesota During Past Year.

Washington, Sept. 30.—According to a report made public by the general land office yesterday there were 6,983 land entries in Minnesota during the past year, involving 429,351 acres and bringing receipts to the government aggregating $476,242. One million three hundred thousand acres were entered in North Dakota and about 2,000,000 acres in South Dakota.

Incendiaries Cause $500,000 Fire.

Erie. Pa., Sept. 30—The Henry Mayer building, a five-story brick structure, was completely destroyed by fire last night, entailing a loss estimated at $500,000. The blaze is believed to be the work of incendiaries.

Crushed by Falling Coal.

Waterloo, Iowa, Sept. 30. — Jens Jensen was crushed to death Monday afternoon by ten tons of coal that shoved against a furnace in the Hawthorne school building when the wall caved in.

Trolley Cars Crash.

New York, Sept. 30.—One man was killed and more than a dozen were badly injured in a collision between two trolley cars at Sixty-first street and Third avenue, Brooklyn, yesterday.

RANGE COUNTRY PROSPEROUS

R. W. HITCHCOCK WELL KNOWN EDITOR OF THE HIBBING TRIBUNE

GIVES HOME SECTION A GREAT BOOST—OUTLOOK VERY BRIGHT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Editor R. W. Hitchcock of the Hibbing Tribune, former editor of the Bemidji Pioneer and later editorial writer for the Crookston Times, and recognized as one of the most vigorous editorial writers in Northern Minnesota spent yesterday in the city having arrived from Angyle, accompanied by his young daughter Jean, returned to Hibbing last evening.

"Prospects look very bright at Hibbing and thruout the Range country generally" said Mr. Hitchcock to the Journal yesterday. "here is an immense amount of preparatory work now going on, and an army of workmen are employed in that work, making the payroll larger even now than the payroll of a year ago of the men actually at work in the mines.

"There is every indication that the coming year will be a very prosperous one for the Northeastern portion part of the state, and I should judge for the entire state. The general tone of all lines of business is healthy."

Mr. Hitchcock told some thrilling stories of the recent fire scares in that section. He states that there is a misunderstanding generally as to the cause. There were no real forest fires, but rather brush, stump and swamp fires. The long dry spell made the heavy swamp grass like tinder, and when it once caught fire it burned deep into the ground.

He states that ten minutes after the fire approached Chisholm, the sparks had ignited 20 dwellings, and with fires started simultaneously in every part of the city there was practically a reign of terror, as no ordinary fire equipment could combat any such great odds successfully.

The fact that Hibbing was so close to Chisholm had more to do with the scare there than any real danger to Hibbing. Mr. Hitchcock packed his trunks three different times, and he stated that the Crookston young ladies teaching there packed up once, but that there was never any real danger to the city, but a surplus of imagined peril.

"GEORGE WASHINGTON FARM" HAS PECULIAR HISTORY

Some 28 years ago George Washington Baker proved up on a piece of land near Lisbon, N. D., and Uncle Sam gave him a deed for the same, snce which time the property has changed hands at various times, but strange as it may seem it has always been in the hands of George Washington. Baker sold it to George Washington Dennie and while it was in his possession he leased the land a few years to George Washington Blanchard, and later sold it to George Washington Longworthy, and just recently Langworthy sold it to George Washington Blanchard who is now the proud owner thereof. The fact that the property has been transferred five times in the past twenty-eight years and that George Washington has been a prominent figure in every transaction, the place is duly entitled to and the present owner should label it "George Washington Farm."

It doesn't necessarily follow that man would rather fight than eat because he marries a cooking school graduate.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 28 In History.

490 B. C.—Decisive battle of Marathon; victory of 10,000 Greeks over more than ten times as many Persian invaders.
1898—Hon. Thomas Francis Bayard, secretary of state and ambassador to Great Britain under Cleveland's administration, died; born 1828.
1904—Lafcadio Hearn, American journalist and author, died at Yokohama, Japan; born 1850.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:44, rises 5:50; moon sets 7:34 p. m.; moon's age 4 days; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

AN INSANE PATIENT — Sheriff Walsh of Koochiching county passed through the city last Saturday night with an insane homesteader he was taking to Fergus Falls.

FOR THE TALL TIMBER — Bob Ashley dug up his overcoat this morning and boarded the train for Wilton where he thought the weather in the tall timber might be a little milder.

GOES TO OMAHA —George McMullan, the well known salesman for the Blake hats, who formerly made Crookston his headquarters most of the time and is well known here, left with wife and baby, yesterday for Omaha, Neb., where they will make their future home.

WELL REPRESENTED — Euclid is well represented here today among the old timers who are present to combine business matters with hearing Taft, being C. Stuhr and John Goosen two of the old timers driving in with several others.

BUSINESS GOOD—Theodore Neirs of the firm of Stuhr and Neiers, merchants at Euclid was a visitor in the city Saturday night and reports the fall business good, altho collections are somewhat slow on account of farmers holding grain for the dollar mark.

KEYSTONEITES — Henry Horn and George Rutherford drove down together from Keystone today to participate in the festivities of the republican jollification over the presence in our city of the next president of the greatest nation on earth.

LITTLE GIRL DIED—Tressie the nine year old daughter of John J. Brathold died yesterday morning of pneumonia at the Bethesda hospital in this city. The little one was quite ill when received at the hospital three weeks ago. The remains will be shipped to Fertile this afternoon.

FROM ST. PETER AND ST. PAUL —H. L. Larson returned from St. Peter this morning having been called there by the death of his aunt, an old lady who has been in feeble health for a number of years. On his return he stopped over at St. Paul and attended to some business matters and conferred with the socialist leaders regarding the campaign in northern Minnesota.

VISITING FRIENDS—Wayne Richardson is in the city from Thief River Falls for a few days' visit with friends. Wayne has but recently returned from Montana where he spent the summer and will now take up the study of law in his father's office at Thief River Falls.

HAD GOOD FALL— Ed Peterson who has been running a threshing engine at Lakota, N. D., this fall, spent yesterday in the city with his brother-in-law S. R. Moorhead. While the threshing season was short in North Dakota this year the weather was fine. Mr. Peterson left last ev-

SHERIFF CANDIDATE — H. M. Holmvik a prominent farmer near Beltrami and the socialist candidate for sheriff is in the city today. Mr. Holmvik was a candidate for the same position two years ago and received a flattering vote without any effort on his part, and if he is to make an active canvass will have to be reckoned with at the election.

DISAPPOINTED — Elmer Ellington arrived in the city Saturday evening to visit with his parents and stayed over today to take in the republican doings. He is very well pleased with Donaldson and expects to have a big success in his business there. The failure to run the special trains is a great disappointment to him as he expected at least a score of his Donaldson friends on the special.

TRUE BLUE AMERICAN — The ballot is one of the most sacred institutions of this republic and to properly use it the voters must enlighten themselves on political subjects, and the best way to do so is to hear the different speakers,' is the doctrine of George Ellinger of Harold, therefore he has brought in his entire threshing crew to hear Taft this afternoon.

RETURNING WITH FAIR STAKES —During the past ten days there has been almost a continuous caravan of threshers passing thru Crookston with the teams and covered wagons enroute to eastern Polk and points still farther east with their annual "stake" made in the threshing fields The season this year was much shorter than usual, owing to the fact that the weather was fine all the time and there was but one interruption to work. They all made fair stakes and returned with practically every cent made as they had not chanced to spend any of the money except on the way home.

BACK FROM SAD TRIP —Dr. J. F. Boles has returned from a two weeks' trip to the old home in Ontario. A very sad feature of the trip was the death and burial of a sister which robbed the trip east of other pleasant features. Dr. Boles is back at his offices in the Fournet block attending to his practice as usual.

From Tuesday's Daily

Sept. 29 In History.

1725—Robert Lord Clive, who established the British empire in India, born; died 1774.
1758—Horatio Nelson, British admiral and naval hero, born; died 1805.
1813—American army general, William Henry Harrison, recaptured Detroit from the British.
1867—Emperor Maximilian of Mexico shot at Queretaro, Mexico, by order of the government.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:42, rises 5:51; moon sets 8:06 p. m.; moon's age 5 days; 2 a. m., planet Saturn in opposition with the sun, being 180 degrees distant therefrom; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

APPENDICITIS OPERATION — Miss Julia Olson of Badger township was operated upon today for appendicitis at the Bethesda hospital by Dr. Kahala of Erskine. The patient is doing very well according to last reports.

REMOVES TO OMAHA— Walter Ruggles formerly one of the partners in the New Store in this city will travel for a shoe house with headquarters in Omaha and will move his family to that city.

BABY ILL—The little babe of Mrs. Tony Johnson is very ill on the farm of Mrs. J. W. Lee where her mother has been for some time. The doctor was called yesterday and the babe's condition is somewhat improved today.

TO THE WOODS — Peter Engh who has been spending the past few days in the city after acting as foreman on a farm northwest of the city, will leave Wednesday for Blackduck near which place he will spend the winter in the pineries.

UP IN THE WOODS—H. F. Allard of Crookston who has done considerable logging in this country the past two years, has returned and gone to his homestead in Eland township. Mr Allard will soon remove his family there.—Kelliher Journal.

A GOOD SAMARITAN— Andrew Opheim of Fertile takes every opportunity to show his fealty to his party came up yesterday and added his might to cool the temperament of the most of us who were ready to tear up the G. N. rails.

TO VISIT DAUGHTER— Halvor Christianson one of the prominent town of Knute farmers is spending a few days visiting his daughter who is a patient at the Bethesda Hospital suffering from tuberculosis of the hip bone, for which she has been operated upon.

BEMIDJI P. M.—A. R. Erickson postmaster of Bemidji and an old resident of Crookston came in yesterday and mingled with the politicians who had centered here to meet Judge Taft.

FROM RED RIVER—A. O. Spokely and C. T. Thompson were among the west county delegation that were some mixers, among the republican hosts here yesterday. They register from Climax and put up at a good hotel, the Grand Central.

REMAINS SHIPPED — The remains of Geo. Brunelle, for a quarter of a century chief of police of Red Lake Falls, who died here Monday morning, were shipped home this morning for burial. The funeral will be held there Wednesday morning from St. Josephs Church, Rev. Father Fayolle officating and many friends from this city will attend. T. Brunelle of this city was a cousin of the deceased, and with his family will also attend the funeral.

County Auditor Hoffard is today sending out notices of the regular November election thruout the county, in which special notice is included regarding the county division proposition and the change from the township to the county system in taking care of the poor. Both are important propositions and should receive the careful attention of the tax payers.

The first snowfall in the city this year began this morning at 9 o'clock, it just being cold enough to make big flakes, which of course melted as soon as they struck the ground. It was not as cold as yesterday by considerable, as there was no wind, but the rain was crystallized as it fell and for some time there was quite a heavy fall.

The snow is somewhat earlier this year than last, but it is expected that the present fall will result in clearing ing the weather and some fine plowing weather will follow for the next month.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 30 In History.

1399—First peaceful revolution in England; Richard II. surrendered the crown to Henry IV.
1770—George Whitefield, famous preacher, died; born 1714.
1904—George Frisble Hoar, United States senator, died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:40, rises 5:52; moon sets 8:42 p. m.; moon's age 6 days; planet Mercury visible, low in west, after sunset; sun's declination 2 degrees 49 minutes south of celestial equator.

A SON ARRIVED—Mr. and Mrs. Len Tatro are the proud parents of a baby boy which arrived this morning at their home.

WILL FARM IT—Jimmie Dale, one of the old timers of this section yesterday made a deal with Clarence Swift and last evening left for the Swift farm where he will spend the coming winter.

THE FARMERS' RULE—Nick Welter, a Fairfax farmer of diversified farming methods, is in the city today disposing of the surplus farm products that are bringing the fancy republican prosperity prices.

RETIRED FARMER— Tom Nesbit, one of the farmers of western Polk County who has made a fortune and retired from active work, went to Bemidji this morning to spend a week and close up his business there for the year.

MAYOR DUNLEVY HERE— Mayor Dunlevy of East Grand Forks spent the afternoon here yesterday and stated that everything was fine in the west end metropolis. They have advertised for bids and want the plant installed at the earliest possible date.

GONE TO COAST—Ed Havel and wife departed last evening for Jefferson, Ore., where he will locate if it suits him. Mr. Havel was for a number of years R. F. D. Carrier on route No. 5 but resigned that position three months ago, and has been living at Angus since.

SECURED GOOD POSITION — Blaine Howard one of the graduates of a local business college left last evening for Towner, N. D., where he has accepted a position as stenographer for Attorney D. J. O'Connell of that place. Mr. Howard's home is at Detroit, Minn., but he is well known and has a host of friends in Crookston.

AFTER THE DUCKS— J. H. Stair and W. M. Ferguson left this morning for Maple Lake where they will spend a few days hunting ducks. Stair was accompanied by that prize Chesapeake retriever of his, "King" who will get his first taste of work —if the ducks will only be kind enough to do a little flying.

LOOKING AFTER FARMS— C. M. Twedten, who looks after the farms in which the First National Bank is interested to a great extent left this morning for Angus from where he will drive to Sherack and spend a few days looking after the interests of the bank in that part of the country. The country about Angus, Sherack and that section is in better shape this year than it has been in the past ten years.

State of Minnesota, Executive Department—Proclamation.

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter seven (7), Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, a petition was filed with the Secretary of State on the 7th day of December A. D. 1906, praying for the creation of a new county out of territory now lying in Polk county, Minnesota, the same to be known as Nelson county, and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the south-east corner of township numbered one hundred and forty-seven, north of range thirty-nine west of the 5th principal meridian in Minnesota; thence running west along the south boundary line of townships one hundred and forty-seven of ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, the same being the boundary line between Polk and Norman counties, to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-seven, range forty three; thence running north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-eight, range forty-three; thence west along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range forty-three; thence north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine range forty-three; thence east along the north boundary line of said township last named and townships one hundred and forty-nine, ranges forty-two and forty-one to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty, range forty, to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line, and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine, to the northeast corner of the said township last named; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the southeast corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range thirty-nine; thence east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight, range thirty-nine to the northeast corner of same; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the place of beginning, all of said territory being within the county of Polk and including and embracing the whole of townships numbered one hundred and forty-seven, one hundred and forty-eight and one hundred and forty-nine, ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, townships one hundred and fifty, ranges thirty-nine and forty and township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine; and that the village of Fosston be the county seat thereof; and that Fred S. Syverson of Hill River, T. Hanson of Queen, Dreng Grundysen, of Sletten, Jens O. Rindal of Garden and Oscar Melsness of Badger, all legal voters and residents within said proposed new county, be and constitute the first board of County Commissioners of said proposed county, and the same to be known as Nelson county; and in which said petition it is represented and averred that the said hereinbefore described territory comprises more than four hundred square miles and contains more than two thousand inhabitants, and that the remaining area of Polk county, after deducting the territory hereinbefore described will comprise more than four hundred square miles and contain more than two thousand inhabitants.

And, whereas, the said petition has been duly considered and found and certified to as conforming in all respects to the provisions of law;

Now, therefore, I, John A. Johnson, governor of the State of Minnesota, pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, do hereby direct and proclaim that the question of the creation of the proposed new county of Nelson be submitted to the voters of said Polk county at the next general election to be held in this state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1908.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be hereunto affixed this 19th day of August 1908.

(Seal) —John A. Johnson,
Governor.

Attest:
Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

United States of America, State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I, Julius A. Schmahl, Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy with the original instrument in my office of Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Minnesota, in the matter of county division of Polk County and that said copy is a true and correct transcript of said original Proclamation and of the whole thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in Saint Paul, this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight.

(Seal) Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

RED LAKE FALLS PIONEER DEAD

CHIEF OF POLICE BRUNELLE PASSES AWAY AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

Yesterday afternoon Geo. Brunelle, one of the prominent residents of Red Lake Falls breathed his last in St. Vincents Hospital here, after an illness of two months, death being caused by a carbuncle on the back of his neck of a particularly malignant type, gangrene setting in with fatal results. Mr. Brunells was 50 years of age, had been a resident of Red Lake Falls for 30 years and had been chief of police of that city for 25 years. He had a very wide acquaintance and was of a genial charitable disposition, making him popular with all who knew him.

Deceased leaves a wife and five children, a daughter, Mrs. Joe. Bray and four sons, Cash, Clem, Paul and Morris.

The funeral will be held Wednesday from St. Josephs Church, Red Lake Falls, Father Fayolle officiating and a large number from this city will attend. The remains will be shipped up Tuesday morning.

Deceased was a cousin of T. Brunelle of this city.

DEATH ENDED SUFFERINGS

MRS. S. J. CABLE PASSED AWAY AFTER SECOND SUDDEN ATTACK

Mrs. S. J. Cable passed away this morning at 6:30 as the result of a sudden attack of convulsions resulting from euremia from which she has been a sufferer since the early summer. After the first attack she recovered and her health improved during the summer months materially, permitting her spending some time at Maple Lake. Yesterday at noon she was in apparently good health, but she was suddenly stricken after dinner and died after great suffering

Deceased was 43 years of age and leaves a husband, who is on a claim at Beaudette and will be here tonight one son in the United States Army, a daughter Orpha, who is teaching near Beaudette, and another daughter, Mrs. M. L. Griffiths, of this city, at whose home she died, and with whom she has been making her home for some time past.

A NEW FANGLED AUTOMOBILE

MENTOR FARMERS MAKE TRADE FOR NEW STYLE MACHINE IN DAKOTA.

Messers Ole and John Torkelson arrived in the city Saturday evening enroute to their home at Mentor from Plaza, N. D. ,where their claims are located, a distance of 300 miles. They drove in and on a hayrack had loaded an Oriental Buckboard gasoline Automobile which interested a large crowd of spectators at Bjoin and Carlsons where they put up for the night.

The buckboard has a 4 horsepower gasoline engine just over the hind axle and the machine is said to run fine when the roads are at all good. Torkelson Brothers traded a team of ponies for the machine and figure on having lots of sport with it.

WATER WORKS FOR E.G. FORKS

6,500 FEET WATER MAINS WILL BE LAID—PUMP PIT AND TOWER BUILT

The East Grand Forks council has called for bids to put in a complete waterworks system i nthat city, work to begin this fall. The bids call for 6500 feet of pipe for the waterworks mains, laying the same, for gate valves and hydrants, for a tower holding 100,000 gallons of waterf and for the pump pit. It is considered possible by some that the pipe for the mains can be obtained without having it made to order and in this case it might be possible to get the mains in this fall, altho the power plant, etc., will not be put in until next spring, as the pump will be built to orded and this will require several months' time.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

CATS FOR COUNTY JAIL

THE CHRONIC KICKER HAS AN INNING AT THE COURT HOUSE

BUT LATER COMES TO GRIEF WHEN HIS COMPLAINT IS INVESTIGATED.

"Cats for Jail ... ...$54"

There are always to be found in every county and in every city the chronic kicker and Crookston and Polk County are no exception to the rule. And thereby hangs a tale.

A few days ago the chief of the Polk County Kickers Club ambled into the court house and, as usual, began smelling about to see what there was to kick about.

It just hapened that in the auditors office the cash book lay open showing all the expenditures of Polk County. This was duck soup for Old Chronic and he began pouring over the items. He saw nothing to especially attract his attention until he reached an item which he read as follows:

"Cats for County Jail .. .. $54."

The bill had been paid to A. J. and A. McKinnon of this city and forthwith Chronic started down town and spread the glad tidings of Great Joy, that Polk County had been bumfoozled out of a large sum of money for cats for the county jail.

He all but got upon the housetops and yelled about his great find. He told the business men about it; he told the man on the street corner all about it; he told the lumber jack who was sojourning in the city for a day about it. In fact he told everybody he could find in the city about it, who would listen.

Finally one of the clerks in the Auditors office heard it and he promptly said that it was a fib.

In a short time he was confronted by Chronic.

"I'll bet you a hat" sad Chronic, "that it is there, charged to the tax payers of Polk County."

"I'll take you" responded the clerk.

They repaired to the court house, dug up the book and here is what was read.

"Cots for County Jail .. .. .. $54."

And Chronic Kicker has not been found yet, but the clerk is wearing a brand new winter hat.

HEARST AND HISGEN IN FARGO OCT. 17

SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF NAMES TO GET TICKET ON OFFICIAL BALLOT

National Committeeman A. C. Reinecke of the independence party announced yesterday the necessary names have been secured to a petition for placing the electors of the independence party on the official ballot of North Dakota. They have been forwarded to Bismarck to the secretary of state.

The advertising campaign for the independence party will begin next week. Hearst, Hisgen, Graves and others of the organization will be in Fargo Oct. 17.

CALGARIANS ARE PROSPERING

W. O. and Henry Bray are spending the day in the city visiting relatives. They are on their way home to Calgary, Alta. from Red Lake Falls where they had been called last week by the death of their father Dumas Bray an old pioneer after whom the town of Bray was named. The gentlemen went to Calgary three years ago and have prospered with the town, W. O. is conducting a hotel and reports business good. They say that crops have been good and have all been marketed, money is flush and everything booming. The Minnesota and Dakota colony is doing well and satisfied with the change.

MAIN FLIGHT NOT YET STARTED

Marcus Stephens and John Cowley drove to Goose Lake yesterday after ducks and returned with 15 and a few prairie chickens. They found nothing but local ducks, the flight from the north not yet having started, and consequently the shooting was off as soon as the few ducks which happened to be inthe lake had been scared out.

The present cold weather however is expected to start them down from Canada in a very short time, and good bags of ducks as well as geese are confidently expected.

FIRE MARHALL SOUNDS WARNING

People Should Use Great Care In Setting Bonfires On Their Premises.

State Fire Marshall Edward Peterson is out with a timely warning against carelessness in the handling of grass and brush fires in the communities of the state.

The time is close at hand when the householder, if he is a good citizen, begins to rake his lawn in preparation for the winter. He will gather the dried grass and twigs and paper and other debris into a heap and set fire to it. In too many cases he will leave this task to careless children, and neglect it himself. After a season so dry as this, such practices involve grave danger to the security of property, and it will be well if everybody, this fall, keeps in mind the unusual danger from fires when every wooden building is as dry as tinder after weeks of drouth.

Says Mr. Peterson: "A large number of fires are reported at this time of the year as being caused by carelessness in burning grass and brush. Besides the great danger to the forest regions from this source every city and village is seriously threatened by such fires within its limits. This class of fires are as a rule set by children who play recklessly with this element of destruction. If warnings are not heeded they should be dealt with to the full extent of the law. Every violation of the law should be followed by arrests and punished. Police officers, constables wardens and fire chiefs should show no leniency to this class of offenders.

From our Ecxhanges

FERTILE
(Journal)

Miss Lottie Cooke is home from Detroit and will commence teaching again.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hamre, of Liberty, Monday a boy. All concerned are doing nicely.

Andrew Knudson of Crookston was down the fore part of the week on a visit to his children.

Miss Katie Oehler, of Kawkeye, Iowa, is here on a visit to her sisters Mrs. G. Kronschnabel and Mrs. J. A. Erikson.

Mrs. C. W. LaDue left Monday to attend the conference at Browerville, Minn. From there she goes to visit her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Parks, at Paynesville, Minn.

Gullick Overland, of Liberty, died Tuesday night at 10:00 o'clock, of diabetes, aged 47 years. Deceased had only been sick about two weeks and only took to his bed the day before he died, having been in town Monday afternoon.

Lieut. Selfridge Buried.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The **funeral of** Lieut. Selfridge, who was killed **in the fall of the** Wright aeroplane **at Fort Myer** a few days ago, was **held at** Arlington national cemetery **yesterday.**

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THIEF RIVER FALLS
(News)

Dr. Smith of Crookston was in the city Monday coming up in his automobile.

Miss Horton who had been in the city visiting Miss Lillian Mussey returned to her home at Crookston on Monday.

The Hamm Brewing company has again changed its local agent in this city. O. H. Nesseth formerly traveling agent for the International Harvester company is the new agent.

Peter Engelstad, the well known Rocksbury farmer last week finished the work of filling his two silos. Mr. Engelstad finds that feeding his stock well in the winter time pays him well.

Alcid Morrisette who has been in the hospital at Thief River Falls for several weeks receiving care for injuries received in the Plummer saw mill, returned to his home at Plummer last week. His injured leg is doing nicely and he will soon be able to get around on it.

Thirteen civil engineers, surveyors and helpers were passengers on the Tuesday Great Northern train enroute to Greenbush and have commenced to work on the road from Greenbush to Warroad. A number of cars of ties are also taken to Greenbush by the freight each day now.

PENNED AND PILFERED

When the people can be made to understand that it actually costs a great deal more in time and money to travel over a poor road than it does to travel over a good one, they will be less inclined to begrudge the expense of good roads, and what is more important still, will be willing and anxious to put the business of road making into the hands of intelligent men who understand the business. Poor roads are the expensive things that curse a country.

The Hallock News gives this bit of timely advice to the politicians, which no doubt many will realize is quite true: If you want to succeed in politics and survive the inevitable rude shocks that must be encountered by the way just take this advice. Box up your temper; forget your sensitivness; develope a rhinocerous hide over your more tender sensibilities; realize that you are not the only pebble on the beach even if some kind hearted imbicile told you so, make due allowance for people's reluctance to say no when urged to say yes; be prepared for defeat and then if you succeed you will feel all the better and will wonder how it really all happened.

Rev. J. H. Moore of Hannibal, Ohio pastor of the Christian church, stepped right out into deep water the other Sunday when he said in his sermon:

"I have my opinion of any woman who will use a powder puff."

This remark almost caused a riot Several ladies arose and protested.

"You ought to be made to resign," shouted one of the choir girls.

"I will resign, sister, just as soon as this congregation can raise the two months' back salary due me," said the minister.

"We'll raise the money tomorrow," said a fat member, who had looked on the powder puff in its whiteness.

And the ladies have started out to do it.

We should not bear down too heavily on the non-essentials. What's the use?—A. J. R. in Minneapolis Journal.

MOTHER GENERAL TAKES A LONG TRIP

Rev. Mother Filiatrault mother general of the Grey nuns in Canada, arrived here yesterday enroute to the MacKenzie river district for the purpose of inspecting the missions in the far north. Altho 69 years of age she is going out on this long journey which involves a trip of 2,000 miles beyond Edmundton thru a country where the dog train and canoes are the sole means of transportation. She will be accompanied by several Grey nuns.

WOMAN CHARGED WITH MURDER OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. Mary Wright was held without bail to the district court at Devils Lake, N. D., today on the charge of murdering her foster daughter, Beulah Cox, following quarrels at the farm residence near Derrick, N. D. The state claims that Mrs. Wright suffocated her foster daughter.

The more you expect in this world the more you can go on doing it without getting it.

VOTE FOR THIS LAW

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO STATE CONSTITUTION REQUIRING QUALIFICATION

WOULD REQUIRE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS TO BE WELL QUALIFIED

From Saturday's Daily—

At the forthcoming general election in November the voters will be called upon to pass upon an important amendment to the state constitution—an amendment which should carry. This proposed amendment is to section 7 article 7, of the constitution of Minnesota, and provides for an educational qualification for county superintendents of schools. It reads as follows:

"Every person who by the provisions of this article shall be entitled to vote at any election shall be eligible to any office which now is, or hereafter shall be, elective by the people in the district wherein he shall have resided thirty days previous to such election, except county superintendents of schools, who shall be required to have educational qualifications to be determined by the legislature, and except as otherwise provided in this constitution or the constitution and laws of the United States."

Section 7, article 7, as it now appears on the statute books, requires no educational qualifications for county superintendent of schools, hence an uneducated or even an illiterate person, if elected, may hold office thereunder.

At their mid-year convention June 9 of this year the county superintendents of Minnesota passed a resolution heartily approving the proposition requiring educational qualifications from all candidates for that office, and supporting the constitutional amendment printed above.

COMPANY I. WAS INSPECTED

REGULAR INSPECTION OF CROOKSTON COMPANY HELD AT ARMORY

Major Matson of the M. N. G. held a regular inspection of Co. I at the armory Tuesday night and found every thing O. K. The local company are equipped with a fine gymnasium outfit and are in every way coming along all right, the only inconvenience is the lack of room, and they hope to remedy that before another year has passed by.

ARE BUSY DAYS FOR RAILROADS

These are busy days for the railroad men. There is no longer talk about increase of rates to pay dividends, but all their energies are devoted to taking care of the tremendous volume of business that has been forced upon the roads. The shipping of wheat started in about a month earlier than usual from the Dakotas and the Red River Valley. The mills need the wheat and the dollar a bushel is attractive to the farmers.

Agent Niede of the G. N. says there are more train crews operating from St. Cloud than ever before in the history of the road. The reason is this is the eight hour law and another is the avalanche of business. Mr. Niede was at Willmar yesterday and says the entire side track capacity was filled with cars loaded with wheat, awaiting a chance to reach the terminal points.

The force at the car shops has been increased and are turning out a large number of cars daily to help meet the demand.

This is going to be a great fall for the railroads, and the early start will probably ensure a record breaking total.—St. Cloud Journal Press.

FROM INDIAN HUNTING GROUND TO DAIRY COW

W. G. Hunt the well known editor of the Sunbeam accompanied by his niece, Miss Alice M. Dellage was in the city the first of the week transacting business. Mr. Hunt says that the residents up the Red Lake river are all busy and prosperous. Crops have been excellent and the dairy cow is doing her share to bring wealth to the sturdy pioneers who are making a garden out of an Indian hunting ground.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed
Sold by all dealers.

P. MEEHAN IS NO MORE

FORMER RESIDENT OF THIEF RIVER FALLS DIES AT HIS HOME IN MILWAUKEE

WAS A MAN OF STRONG CHARACTER AND ALWAYS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN BUSINESS

From Friday's Daily—

Word was received from Milwaukee last week of the death of Patrick Meehan, formerly a well known Northern Minnesota lumberman. His death was caused by diabetes of which he suffered for years.

The deceased was a man of great energy and ability. He was born in eastern Canada of Irish stock and when but a young man removed to Wisconsin and engaged in the lumber business with his brother, James Starting without any capital he made by work a fortune estimated at a half million. When the lumber business in Wisconsin was at an end he came to this section and purchased much pine land in the Red Lake country. The first saw mill at Thief River Falls was erected by Mr. Meehan and for a number of years he was engaged in business there, selling out to the Thief River Falls lumber company eight years ago. Since then he has resided in Milwaukee and engaged in the stock and mining business in the west, both ventures being successful ones and he greatly increased his large fortune.

BRICK TEPEE FOR RED MAN

THE INDIANS FAST BECOMING GOOD FARMERS AND CITIZENS

L. J. Higgins who has been down at Ogema the past summer doing carpenter work returned to this city last week. There has been a large amount of building at Ogema and vicinity this year and quite a number of Thief River Falls carpenters have found employment there. The Indians who are selling their pine claims are erecting fine houses. Mr. Higgins reports that one Indian who recently sold his pine claim has commenced the erection of a two-story brick home a few miles from Ogema It will be 40x70 feet and large enough to entertain all of his friends who may happen to visit him.—Thief River Falls News.

2ND INSTALLMENT TAXES SOON DUE

While you are figuring on the coming winter's coal bill, just remember that the second installment of your taxes must also be paid, before November first or a ten per cent penalty will be added. The new law makes the taxes due June first and November first. The treasurer's office will certainly be a busy place during October.

TELEPHONE CREW BEGINS WORK AT BEMIDJI

The first construction crew who will do the repairing on the Northwestern Telephone exchange here, in charge of D. K. Carpenter, arrived in Bemidji last night and from now on work of repairing this exchange will be pushed. It will probably take anywheres from a month to six weeks to finish the reconstruction of the exchange. There are other crews expected but this crew was first to arrive and will do the rough work.—Bemidji Pioneer.

HORSE TRADE WAS NOT FOR KEEPS.

The case of John Franks against Samuel Whitel involving a horse trade was brought before Judge Sullivan in East Grand Forks this morning and no decision was reached. The case involves the trading of a colt and a mare by Frank for two bronchos. It was verbally agreed that if things were not satisfactory after trial that the same would not be called a deal and Frank was dissatisfied and tried to trade back, which Whitel refused to do.

MIKE MORAN DOING FINE AT ROCHESTER.

Michael Moran, of Grand Forks, Rochester, Minn., states in a postal written to a friend that he is doing fine and will be ready to leave the hospital in about two weeks. The many friends of Mike will be pleased to learn of his condition.

A man's idea of politics is his party would be rotten if it were the other side's.

RAILROAD MEN ARE ACTIVE

CONDUCTOR WITHEY IS NOW VERY BUSY IN AND ABOUT DULUTH

ANOTHER ORGANIZATION TO BE EFFECTED THERE TO PROTECT INTERESTS

From Friday's Daily—

To prevent unfavorable legislation against the railroads is the purpose of an organization to be formed by railway employes at the head of the lakes. It will be a branch of the Railroad Employes' Protective association of Minnesota, working cooperatively under its supervision with headquarters at Duluth.

The movement was started in Minnesota some time ago by railroad employes who have come to a realization of the fact that what is good for a railroad is good for its employes. The working principle of the organization is that unfavorable legislation against the railroads will indirectly work hardship for the men in the railroad's employ.

A committee has been appointed to arrange for a meeting of all railroad men at the head of the lakes Oct. 4, when a permanent organization is to be formed. The committee consists of J. H. O'Brien, Frank Fulton and S. G. Withey.

Anyone who draws a salary from a railroad is eligible to membership in the organization. Five or six branches of the state organization have been started and their influence is expected to be a big factor in railroad legislation in the future.

The men who are boosting the organization say that recent agitation against the railroads has affected the payrolls appreciatively, because it has seriously cut into the business of the roads. The organization will in the future fight all legislation that tends to menace the earning power of the railroads.

It is possible that the new state orbanization will join with the railroads in fighting the 2-cent rate law.

S. H. Withey a Great Northern conductor of Crookston who has taken a prominent part in the organization of the railway employes of the state says the laboring men have been working on the wrong side of the fence and that their best interest lies not in fighting against their employers, but in fighting with them for a common cause.

Officers will be elected at the meeting Oct. 4 and the organization completed. Meetings of the committee on arrangements will be held at intervals of a few days until then in order to keep the thing moving. Members who have already signed the membership list are as follows: J. T. Hughes, general chairman of the Order of Railway Conductors; T. E. Blanche, general agent of the Northern Pacific, Duluth; W. D. Campbell Peter J. Nelson, P. L. McLaughlin, Great Northern conductors; D. H. Williams, industrial agent of the Soo line, Duluth; J. B. Mason, L. L. Blair, Duluth; South Shore & Atlantic conductors, Marquette, Mich.

Mr. Withey says he expects the membership of the local branch of the association to reach the 700 mark. He is making his headquarters at the St. Louis hotel.

"The movement is absolutely nonpartisan," said Mr. Withey last night "Any employe from a section hand to a superintendent will be welcomed into the organization. Candidates seeking office will not receive our support without a pledge that they will oppose legislation unfavorable to the railroads. When we are fully organized over the country as we expect to be before long, it will be impossible for any candidate to be elected to office unless he pledges us his support."

There are about 19 states now under the organization. St. Paul has about 4,000 active members.—Duluth News Tribune.

MODEL FARM GIVEN TO EXPERIMENT STATION

The model farm constructed with infinite labor by an employe of the Duluth Commercial club for St. Louis county's agricultural exhibit at the state fair, has been donated to the state experiment station at St. Anthony park, St. Paul, to be used for purposes of instruction. The farm was complete in its detail, and is considered one of the most unique affairs of its kind ever constructed.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT GETTING STATISTICS

J. C. McDowell, a government agent has begun work on a compilation of data about Stark county, N. D., including its resources, industries, government, education, cities and towns and miscellaneous. The work is in line with the policy of the department of agriculture to collect information about every county in the United States.

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RED LAKE CO. PIONEER DEAD

DAMOSE BRAY PASSED AWAY EARLY FRIDAY MORNING

Damose Bray who has been in feeble health for some time passed away at 3 o'clock Friday morning at his home in Red Lake Falls. Death was due to heart failure.

The deceased was one of the pioneers of that locality. He was born in Canada seventy-two years ago. Thirty-two years ago he came to this country and settled in the township of Bray. He was the first settler there and the township was named for him. He later moved to Red Lake Falls township where he recided for five years. For the past eleven years the family home has been in Red Lake Falls. In his family there were seventeen children, fourteen of whom are living, as is also his wife.

Funeral services were held at ten o'clock this morning from St. Joseph Catholic church of which Mr. Bray was a member. Six of his sons Frank, Eugene, Dan, Henry, Clovis and Hector, acted as pall bearers. Deceased is an uncle of N. A. Bray of this city.

Thieves Make Clean Sweep.

Ellsworth, Wis., Sept. 26. — While the people of this town were doing the Pierce county fair yesterday a gang of sneak thieves entered every residence on Chestnut street and got away with a considerable amount of plunder.

Jailed for Robbing Companion.

Huron, S. D., Sept. 26.—A man answering the name of Nelson Gibbs is in jail here, charged with robbing Fred Dike while he was asleep at Wessington Tuesday night.

Lightning Fatal to Girl.

Duluth, Sept. 26.—Mary Klaus, the fifteen-year-old daughter of Gotlieb Klaus of the Pike lake road, was struck by lightning yesterday and instantly killed.

Weak Man Receipt Free

Any man who suffers with nervous debility, loss of natural power, weak back, failing memory or deficient manhood, brought on by excesses, dissipation, unnatural drains or the follies of youth, may cure himself at home with a simple prescription that I will gladly send free, in a plain sealed envelope, to any man who will write for it. A. E. Robinson, 3864 Luck Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Sept. 24 In History.

Bazaine.

768—Pepin, king of France, died.

867—Michael III., emperor of Constantinople, assassinated.

1680—Samuel Butler, author of "Hudibras," died.

1755—John Marshall, chief justice of the United States, born; died 1835.

1846—Monterey, Mexico, surrendered to the American army.

1888—Francois Achille Bazaine, former marshal of France, died in exile in Madrid; born 1811.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:50, rises 5:46; moon rises 5:30 a. m.; 9:59 a. m., eastern time, new moon in constellation Leo.

PROBATE COURT— The hearing on claims in the estate of Thomas Nelson will be held before Judge Morken in probate court tomorrow.

BELGIUMITE—Christ Kohler Sr., of town of Belgium is in the city today visiting relatives. He adds his warning to farmers to be on the safe side, as the prairie fire season is here.

WOLF BOUNTIES — Only two warrants for bounties were drawn in the auditor's office the past month. The lucky hunter securing the $7.50 bounty were Ben H. Skiple of town of Badger and C. W. Olson of town of Sletten.

ATTY. VIG HERE— Atty. John Vig, recently admitted to practice in Minnesota, was here from Fosston last evening and returned home this morning. He is one of the enthusiastic Democrats from the east end and is busy boosting all the time.

NORTH ON BUSINESS— Col. R. A. Wilkinson passed thru the city this morning enroute from St. Paul to Warren where he will look after some business matters for the Great Northern. He had not been in Crookston for several months.

NATIVE PORK—No other kind of pork beats the native raised kind, and Wm. Eblaw of Fanny town brot in a fine lot of it today. The hogs of Mr. Eblaw have been bred up to a high quality and when ever he has a batch to sell, they are quickly picked up.

GETS NEW SELF FEEDER—Ben Vonderbeck was down near Benoit yesterday putting on a self feeder for S. L. Collins, onto the separator of John Hovland. Mr. Vonderbeck reports the Hovland rig as a hummer and having a big run. They have at least ten more days before pulling in.

GONE TO KELLIHER— H. F. Allard of Crookston arrived in the city yesterday noon and spent a few hours with his daughter, Miss Ida, who is employed in the Pioneer office. Mr. Allard left on last evenings train for Kelliher where he will spend two weeks on business.— Bemidji Pioneer.

BEWARE OF PRAIRIE FIRES—Wm. Forsyth of Dugdale was a Co. Seat visitor yesterday. He says if the farmers do not take more precautions to protect their hay stacks and buildings, the papers will have an opportunity some of these fine days to report some big losses.

DIED AT MOORHEAD—Mrs. Harry M. Baldwin wife of a former well known fireman on the northern division of the Great Northern who resided at Carman died yesterday at Moorhead. The family left Carman eight months ago and many friends will regret the sad occurrence.

LOST VALUABLE HORSE—Mike Rietmeier had the misfortune of loosing a valuable horse Tuesday. He was returning from Red Lake Falls, when six miles out of the city on his return, the horse suddenly dropped in the road and expired im-Quirk of Tynsid returned home last evening, after spending a few days in the city enjoying the excitement mediately. Mr. Rietmeier had not driven the animal very hard either.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

TOUCH OF CITY LIFE— Mathew of a bustling live up-to-date western city. Mr. Quirk has harvested a good crop that is waiting for the one dollar price before it goes to the market.

EXCELLENT POSITIONS — The many friends of Norman and Walter Robertson who are in Minneapolis with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Robertson will be very much interested and pleased to know that both young men have good positions in the Minneapolis Security National Bank. They are both pleased with Minneapolis, and are getting along nicely in their new work.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 25 in History.

1493—Columbus left Cadiz on his second voyage.

1513—Balboa discovered the Pacific ocean.

1775—Ethan Allen captured by the British.

1857—British troops relieved Lucknow in the sepoy mutiny.

1900—American troops withdrawn from Pekin, China.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:49, rises 5:47; moon sets 6:14 p. m.; moon's age 1 day.

JUST FOUR DRUNKS—The police rounded up four drunks during the night and all of them paid toll in the police court this morning.

DELICATE OPERATION— Dr. A. Kahala returned to Erskine this morning. Yesterday he operated on a little nine-months-old baby from Erskine for a hare-lip at St. Vincent's hospital.

SHERLOCK BETTER—J. C. Sherlock of East Grand Forks is at a Gr. Forks hospital, and although he has been very sick, reports are now to the effect that he is improving and will soon be out.

CALLED ON BANKERS — John Perry, who 12 years ago was the principal of the Hallock schools, spent yesterday in the city and called on the bankers of Crookston. He now makes his home in Minneapolis where he is located in business.

EXTRA CAR NECESSARY— The train for Duluth this morning was packed to the doors and Conductor Evans found it necessary to attach an extra coach in order to handle the business. When the train arrived here the platforms even were crowded.

A GOOD YIELD — J. Larmie of Crookston was up last week looking after his farm interests which are in charge of Leon Schiller. Mr. Larmie realized 18 bushels of wheat to the acre on his farm and is loud in his praises of Mr. Schiller as a farmer. —Argyle Banner.

BUSINESS PLEASES HIM— W. J. Tippery of Fargo special agent of the Aetna Fire Ins. Co., is spending the day in the city with the local agent, Magnus Lundberg. Mr. Lundberg has doubled the Aetna's business and Mr. Tippery is correspondingly pleased.

WORK PROGRESSING WELL — Ex-Sheriff Arne Grundyson of Bygland was an arrival in the city this morning and is attending to business at the court house and between times is talking a few lines of politics.

TEN POUND SON—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Verreaux are the parents of a very fine ten pound son which arrived early this morning. This is their second son, their first child being a son after which a quartette of young ladies held sway before the arrival of the thriving young gentleman this morning.

A PITIABLE SIGHT—J. E. Block of Grand Forks spent the night in the city in charge of a nurse, Mrs. Thompson of Hillsboro, N. D., enroute home from Winnipeg where they went to consult a cancer specialist. No hope was extended in Mr. Block's case and he was brought back, death being but a question of time.

RELATIVE VERY ILL— Mr. and Mrs. Modest Dufault returned on Wednesday from Crookston where they called on account of the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Max Julian, who is said to be very low and all hope for her recovery is forsaken. Mr. Dufault was called back Wednesday evening by a telegram announcing that his daughter was dying. Argyle Banner.

FINAL PROOF — Chas. Erickson yesterday made final proof on a quarter section of land south of Graceton. He is a neighbor of the Crookston colony having built most of their cabins last winter. He reports them all well and busy clearing and improving their farms as if they expect to stay there permanently and never come back to Crookston any more.

DID NOT SELL MULES— Harry Budd of Beltrami was an arrival in the city yesterday afternoon enroute home from North Dakota with six teams of horses which he wanted to dispose of. He also had a fine team of mules which he wanted to sell as a delivery team to one of the local grocers. There seemed to be no demand for them and no sales were made. Mr. Budd returned home this morning.

The funeral services over the remains of Miss Tillie Thompson were held at the home of her parents at McIntosh this afternoon. Death came Wednesday after a long illness, the cause being tuberculosis. Deceased was a sister of Deputy Register of Deeds Theodore A. Thompson of this city, who went to McIntosh Tuesday night. The funeral services were in charge of Rev. Oscar Johnson of this city and quite a number from here went out to attend the services.

BORN—DIED— It is with the deepest sympathy that we record the death of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Robertson, which was born to them on Friday, September 18th. The little form was laid to rest in the Argyle cemetery Friday evening.

Mrs. Robertson is quite well and, under the careful attention of Nurse Earldson of the Warren hospital, will soon be up and around again. Marshall County Banner.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Sept. 26 In History.

Boone.

1777—British under Sir William Howe made a triumphal entry into Philadelphia.

1820—Daniel Boone, pioneer hunter, founder and defender of Kentucky, died; born in Pennsylvania 1735.

1873—Mrs. Clara Mundt (Louisa Muhlbach), celebrated historical novelist of Germany, died; born 1814.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:47, rises 5:48; day's length 12 hours; moon sets 6:44 p. m.; 8:35 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury, passing from west to east of the planet.

UNDERWENT OPERATION— Mrs. Florence Carey who resides in Highland Park underwent an appendicitis operation Thursday at the St. Vincent hospital. She is reported today as doing very nicely.

HERE FROM BRECKENRIDGE— Emil J. Lindell arrived this morning from Breckenridge where he has been for some time past and will remain here for a few days visiting friends and attending to some business matters.

HAD FLAX LEFT—John Sylvesterson is here today from Harold station attending to business matters. He says the rain might have stayed off another day and he would have had a nice crop of flax in the granary.

THRESHING FINISHED — This wet spell is not going to injure much unthreshed grain, according to reports. J. Hughes of Benoit was up the St. Vincent line as far as Hallock yesterday and says that everything is cleared up in the country.

UNDER DOCTOR'S CARE — City Mail Carrier Norrie is confined at his home with a threatened attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Norrie can ill afford to be sick at this time and it is hoped by his many friends that the fever will be stopped.

LOOKING OVER LANDS—W. H. Grace a valley land owner is in the city today accompanied by O. H. and D. N. Miller together they are out in the country this afternoon looking over the farms, as they appear under the heavy gray clouds.

LILLO TREASURER—The directors of the Lengby creamery association held their monthly meeting Tuesday of this week. Albert Lillo was appointed treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the former treasurer, Mr. Ringstad.

MANAGER HERE—Manager Chas Howard of the Golden Grain Biscuit Co., came in from Fargo this morning and is spending the day here. Mr. Howard is very much pleased with the business being done in this city, the people here ordering practically all home made goods, which are not only strictly high class, but are also fresh from the ovens.

VALLEY LOOKS PROSPEROUS

W. E. McKENZIE SAYS RED RIVER VALLEY FARMS LOOK BETTER

THAN ANY HE SAW BETWEEN THIS SECTION AND PACIFIC COAST

From Thursday's Daily—

"One thing is certain, no where enroute from the Pacific Coast did I see as thriving farms as I have seen right here near Crookston. As an agricultural section the Red River Valley is unsurpassed. I thought that when I lived here for over a quarter of a century, and I think the same since I located in Seattle."

The above statement was made by W. E. McKenzie, for many years a leading business man of Crookston and former publisher of the Crookston Times. Mr. McKenzie has been here for about a week attending to some business matters, and left last evening for the paper mills in Massachusetts where he buys most of his paper for the wholesale paper house of which he is the head at Seattle, with a branch in Tacoma, and will stop for a day or two in Minneapolis.

Practically all the paper is shipped via Panama being transferred across the isthmus by rail, and a material reduction in rates is expected as soon as the Panama canal is completed.

Mr. McKenzie is a staunch friend of the Valley, and is as firm a believer in its future as any one could be. He says he notes a wonderful improvement in the farming methods since he left and was glad to note the increased attention being paid to dairying, which means added wealth to this section.

WELL KNOWN HERE—Harry A. Outcalt, who is at present on the road for a Duluth crockery firm in which he is interested, is spending a few days in this territory. Mr. Outcalt was formerly with the Bradford Land Co., in this city and has many frends here who are pleased to meet him.

HAD A BAD ACCIDENT — Mrs. May Straus of Russia was in the city yesterday and bought a big load of groceries. Enroute home one wheel of her buggy broke off at the State Ditch south of town and G. W. Stocker had to come to the rescue and kept the unfortunate woman over night and took care of her goods.

THE BOYS PROSPERING — J. Johnson of Rochelle, Ill., is here visiting with his sons, Louis, Andrew and Charles, who have a fine farm in Lowell township. Mr. Johnson is greatly interested in the Red River Valley and is one of the best boosters in his native state. He finds that the boys have had a prosperous year at the same time increasing the fertility of the farm.

SUDDEN DEATH— The angel of Death has entered the home and carried away Willard Adolph the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bucklen, Andover town. The little fellow who was only four years of age, has always enjoyed good health up to a few hours before death. The sudden bereavement is a great shock to the stricken family. The funeral will take place at 2:00 p. m. Sunday Services at the house.

HOW TO GET RID OF RATS — A farmer says that he rids his farm of rats in the following manner. "On a number of pieces of shingle I put out a teaspoonful of molasses and on that a quantity of concentrated lye and then put the shingles around under the cribs. The next morning I found some forty dead rats and the rest left for parts unknown. I've cleaned several farms of these pests this way and never knew it to fail."

IS VERY WELL—Mrs. Geo. Brunelle and the boys went to Crookston yesterday being summoned there because of the serious condition of Mr. Brunelle who is receiving treatment at St. Vincent hospital. For the past three weeks Mr. Brunelle has been troubled by a carbuncle on his neck. Of late t has been causing him so much trouble that on last Friday he went to the hospital for treatment. Mr. Brunelle's condition is so serious that it is feared that he cannot recover.—Red Lake Falls Gazette. Inquiry at St. Vincent hospital today does not give any encouraging news regarding Mr. Brunelle.

HAS A POLITICAL SECRET — J. F. Montgomery spent the night in the city from Angus, returning home this morning. He refused to talk politics but appeared to have something under his bonnet in that line and may be induced to talk later on.

PLOWING WELL ALONG— Fall plowing is well along according to the reports that have been received from the farmers during the past few days. The plowing this fall is at least a month ahead of what it was last fall and in most instances is much more than that.

CHILDS MAKES A STATEMENT

REGARDING CONDITION OF CITY IN CONNECTION WITH NEW BOND ISSUES

INTERESTING FACTS REGARDING CROOKSTON AND LOCAL FINANCES

Following is the official statement of City Clerk Childs to be sent to companies which want information in connection with Issue of Bonds of the City of Crookston as voted at a Special Election held on the 21st day of September 1908. Amount of issue, $13,500.00. Denomination $500.00 bearing 5 per cent interest payable annually or semi-annually at City Treasurer's office, Crookston.

Purpose of issue of $7,500.00 to raise funds to defray the cost of building a bridge across the Red Lake River to Sampson's Woodland addition.

Purpose of issue of $6,000.00 to raise funds for defraying the cost of public improvements, the same being repairing the city jail, the city council chamber and the fire department headquarters.

Financial Statement

True value of real estate and personal property (estimated)	$5,000,000
Assessed value real estate and personal property in 1907 (equalized)	1,670,733
Assessed valuation as returned by assessor in 1908 ..	1,596,568
Total present bonded debt of City, exclusive of proposed issue	87,000
Total floating debt/ payment of which is provided for by taxes already levied including all claims presented to date	7,870
Special assessment debts (Certificates of indebtedness for local improvements)	40,632
Cash value of sinking fund on hand is approximately ..	19,000
Amount in expectancy from taxes for current year ..	26,000

The rate of tax in 1908 for all purposes (except for ward funds, which varied) was 54 mills.

Additional Statement

No further bond issues are at present contemplated.

Present population (estimated) 7500.

No previous issue of bonds has been contested.

The interest and principal of all bonds previously issued has been paid promptly at maturity.

These bonds are to be issued under authority of section 784 Chapter 10 Revised Statutes of 1905 and laws amendatory thereof and the provisions of City Charter.

The proceeds of these bonds will be used onlyfor the purposes hereinabove stated respectively.

At the special election above mentioned 848 votes were cast on the $7,500 issue and same was carried by a majority of 294, and 803 votes were cast on the $6,000 bond issue and same was carried by a majority of 371.

Statement of Outstanding Bonds

7	per cent's Issued for for Construction of Water Works, due June 1, 1912..	$33,000
7	per cent's Issued for building a bridge due June 1, 1915	5,000
7	per cent's Issued for floating debt, due June 1, 1915	5,000
7	per cent's Issued for floating debt, due June 1, 1915	20,000
5	per cent's Issued for building City Hall, due Dec. 1, 1918	16,000
5	per cent's Issued for sewers, due Dec. 1, 1918 ..	5,500
6	per cent's Issued for streets and bridges, due Dec. 1, 1918	2,500

BITTER PARTY FEUD ENDS.

Two Factions of West Virigina Republicans Bury the Hatchet.

Charlestown, W. Va., Sept. 25.—The bitter feud in the Republican party in West Virginia, following the dual conventions and rival state tickets placed in the field last July, headed respectively by Secretary of State Charles W. Swisher and State Auditor Arnold C. Scherr, was ended last night, when following the withdrawal of Swisher Monday night, Mr. Scherr and his fellow candidates on the Lincoln Republican ticket agreed to retire in favor of the new candiate of the regular Republicans, William E. Glasscock. Ten other state candidates of the regular faction stand as nominated here last July.

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IMPORTANT WATER WAY

O. L. HAMERY SAYS BELTRAMI SWAMP WILL BE ENTIRELY DRAINED.

SAYS AN IMMENSE AMOUNT OF WORK IS BEING DONE IN POLK AND MARSHALL

From Thursday's Daily—

Ditch No. 73 which has just been established by the Board of Commissioners of Polk County, and which taps the Beltrami Swamp, is one of the most important waterways ever constructed in this part of the valley The ditch is 17 miles long including the laterals, and the cost will be $40,000. It runs parallel to the State ditch in the same vicinity, and follows the old bed of the Sand Hill River, into which the ditch later empties, the Sand Hill now being a live stream from the fact that so many ditches now empty into it. The ditch will effectually drain the Beltrami swamp, and in addition will handle the overflow from the State ditch.

This is the most important drainage ditch projected in Polk Co., this year though there are many other smaller ditches being constructed.

Engineer O. L. Hamery of this city states that Marshall Co. is doing an immense amount of work this year, and preparing for much more to be done next year. Six new ditches are being constructed in that county this year, in addition to the large amount of work on old ditches including extensions.

The biggest new ditch projected, upon which Mr. Hamery will report some time before the first of the year, is ditch No. 20, northeast of Thief River Falls which will be 38 miles long and which empties into Thief River and will drain an immense area. Engineer Hamery alone has kept 14 ditch contractors busy all season and says more work will be done next year in the ditch construction line than for many years past.

KILN EXPLODED; TWO ROASTED

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT OCCURED YESTERDAY AT KENMARE N. D.

ACCIDENT SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN DUE AS RESULT OF EXPLOSION.

From Thursday's Daily—

Buried under tons of red hot brick and slowly roasting to death before the eyes of their comrades, E. W. Drake, Sr., and Clarence Bailey met a tragic death in an explosion of one of the massive kilns of the Kenmare Brick and Coal company yesterday. The men were working in the kiln at Kenmare early, when, with a thunderous report, the massive structure brick on all sides. So sudden was the catastrophe that Mr. Drake's hunting dog which had been lying at his feet was caught before it could move. Two of the workmen who had been employed in an adjacent kiln escaped to give the alarm.

DEMOCRATIC CONFERENCE

CANDIDATES MET HERE LAST EVENING WITH COUNTY COMMITTEE

OUTLINED PLANS TO CONDUCT A VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN THIS FALL

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening there were things doing among the Democrats. W. W. Brown of McIntosh and F. W. Kolars of Huntsville, candidates for the legislature from this district, H. O. Hanson of Lindsey, candidate for county treasurer, Hans Samuelson, candidate for sheriff and Geo. J. Cannon of this city, candidate for county attorney met with the Democratic county committee in the offices of W. E. Black where the campaign was outlined and plans laid for conducting a vigorous campaign from this time forward till the general election in November.

The Democratic leaders of the county who were present are of the opinion that the outlook is good, and W. E. Black says that from all parts of the county favorable reports are coming in.

A girl likes novels with dukes in them so that when one falls in love with her it will seem as if she had had them all her life.

"I WILL LISTEN FOR YOU ON NEXT NOVEMBER"

The above Were Wm. H. Tafts Parting Words to the Farmers and Business Men of Northern Minnesota.

The Republican Standard Bearer Devoted Crookston Address to Answering Charges Made by W. J. Bryan Here Recently.

From Monday's Daily—

Hon. Wm. H. Taft, the Republican candidate for the highest office within the gift of the people of the United States, that of president, has come and gone and the big crowd assembled appeared to be very favorably impressed.

He spoke from a platform facing east at the corner of Second and Main streets, where seats had been arranged for the members of Taft's party, including United States Senators Knute Nelson and Moses E. Clapp, Congressman J. Adam Bede and other state leaders the county central committee of Polk county, and other prominent republicans from other counties in Northern Minnesota, and the committee of 25 from Grand Forks and North Dakota who came to escort Judge Taft to that state where he spoke at Grand Forks and at Fargo this evening.

Republican Party and Farmers

Judge Taft was introduced by Congressman Steenerson and got right down to business, eliminating all flourishes.

He stated that he would devote his brief remarks to the charge made by Wm. J. Bryan here recently that the Republican party had not treated the farmers fairly. Judge Taft said in part.

"Does this charge come with very good grace from Mr. Bryan who was a member of Congress during several years of the Cleveland administration and was one of the enthusiastic supporters of the Gorman-Wilson tariff which was followed by a decline of wheat to 50 cents per bushel, with similar declines in barley, oats, flax corn, potatoes and other farm products.

Armies of Unemployed

"Under the operations of this tariff bill there were armies of unemployed in the industrial centers. Mr. Bryan told you in those days ago that Free Silver was the remedy, and nothing else could bring back prosperity.

"Mr. Bryan was unfortunate in his prophesies when we consider what happened under the operation of his remedies.

What Republicans Claim

"The Republican party is not responsible for the bountiful crops of the Red River Valley, but we claim that the party puts laws upon the statute books which bring good reprices for your good crops. Industrial conditions must be such as to create a demand for your products or you cannot get good prices for them.

Capitalists Suspicious

"Following the revelations of rail road rebates and similar sensations in connection with some other big corporations, foreign capitalists grew suspicious and the wage earners and business men felt the inevitable result. Liquid capital did not flow in for use and there was an industrial depression. Industries began to stagger. For this country to prosper we must have the confidence of the financial centers.

"Mr. Bryan says the Republican party does not care for the farmers but just mistreats them and to illustrate this said but $10,000,000 were appropriated for the maintenance of the Agricultural department of the government while $120,000,000 were appropriated for the navy.

"Is it just fair for Mr. Bryan to make charges against the Republican Party for outrageous extravagance without saying where he would curtail expenses. The Democratic platform adopted at the Denver convention has a plank favoring an adequate navy. What does he mean by an adequate navy? He promised the Pacific coast an adequate navy, but tells the farmers here a different story.

$27,000,000 For Farmers

"Under the Republican party $27,000,000 is expended annually for rural free delivery for the farmers. Outside of the rural free delivery the post office department would be self sustaining. Would Mr. Bryan cut down this expense. He should specify where he would cut.

Would Foster Farmers

"We know that the farmers need every encouragement. With increasing population we want as much of rural life and healthful rural influences both physical and moral as we can get. The more concentrated the population the harder vice is to control.

Respects to Governor Haskell

In conclusion Mr. Taft said that Gov. Haskell had helped shape the resolution at the Democratic National convention, and that he would have to leave Mr. Haskell's case to the good judgment of the people under recent developments. This sally was followed by an outburst of laughter.

Taft is Willing

After being warned that his time had expired several times Mr. Taft concluded with this statement. "Not all Republicans are office seekers. I am one willing to accept."

Off For Forks

Judge Taft was then hurried thru the Crookston Band which stood open rank, playing Hail to the Chief, the special train was boarded and Mr. Taft shook hands with as many as could crowd to the rear of the train. As the train pulled out Mr. Taft raised his hat and said:

"I will listen for you next November" which created a mighty shout.

Spoke at Auditorium.

The crowd was then directed to the Auditorium where United States Senators Nelson and Clapp spoke later, and of which mention will be made tomorrow.

Weather Unfavorable

Owing to the very unfavorable weather the attending crowds were much smaller than they would have otherwise been. The wind last evening was bitterly cold, and this morning with several degrees worse, and seemed to strike to the very marrow of the early wayfarer. On No. 5 from St. Paul there was but a handful of people for Crookston, and while the train for Moorhead was well patronized with very fair crowds on the other trains, the inclement weather kept practically all the ladies of the city at home, and this also tended to make the crowd smaller.

MUCH ENTHUSIASM WAS STIRRED UP

More Republican enthusiasm was stirred up in Crookston yesterday as a result of the three addresses by Wm. H. Taft and Senators Nelson and Clapp than had been witnessed here in many years. While Mr. Clapp spoke only about 20 minutes, he made good use of his time and went after Wm. J. Bryan hammer and tongs.

Mr. Taft spoke from a platform erected on Second Ctreet in front of the G. N. Depot, and Congressman Steenerson who introduced the speaker announced that Senators Nelson and Clapp would at ance speak in the Auditorium, which was promptly packed with an enthusiastic crowd.

Senators Spoke.

Senator Clapp opened his address with a few preliminary remarks and came right down to business, his text was evidently Bryans attack on the Republican party and its accomplishments, the past 11 years of power. Especially Bryan's implication that the trusts and not the people have ruled during that time.

The People Do Rule

"There is no land under the sun where people have ruled as in this land of ours the past 11 years" spoke the Senator. 12 years ago Coxey's army was on the march, soup houses flourished, and bats built their nests in the factory chimneys.

Republican Achievements

The scene was changed when McKinley was elected, and the republicans lifted this country out of the paralysis of 1896. Senator Clapp paid glowing tribute to the boys of the Spanish war, the successful outcome and the luster it had added to our nation and diplomacy of the republican administration.

Chapter IV.—The part the American nation took in the great international peace conference.

Chapter V.—The great task accomplished in converting the barren waste of the western arid lands into blossoming gardens.

Chapter VI.—Drainage, in which Congressman Steenerson has played a conspicious part. More has been done in the past few years than in decades, measures have already been introduced, that Bryan is advocating in his platform.

Chapter VII.—The rebate liability bill of which all are familiar.

Chapter VIII.—The rebate law passed in 1893, thru which many law defying trusts were brought to the bar of justice and again in 1905 the republican congress passed the rate bill altho it wasn't a cure-all for all kinds of evils. It showed the pessimists that the government was stronger as a result and was ruled by the people.

Thruout this review the senator paid his respects to Mr. Bryan and his declarations that the people did not rule.

The Big Stick

Senator Clapp, declared the so-called big stick was nothing more than the will and purpose of the American people reflected thru their representative President Roosevelt." "Never did a people rule like the American people." It's been four years since the Senator has been before a Crookston audience, and what a moral uplift and transformation has taken place in that time. Public officials, Senators and representatives brought to the bar of justice. The four years have demonstrated the moral sentiment which is a vital issue in government to keep up the industrial and commercial life. The great question is: Will we go on with this moral energy?

The Banks

The Senator touched on the guarantee of banks and the postal deposit banks in the platforms and showed by illustration how injurious the democratic plank would be and the beneficial points of the postal deposit plank in the republican platform. Money is like blood in the human system, it must circulate. Money in its activity must flow and flow freely.

Do Nothing Congress

The charge of a do nothing congress has been made, Senator Clapp denied this. Congress has been busy, as results of the past twelve years will show. It was no small task to take a paralyzed country like this was in 1896, and revive it into prosperity. Congress has assed much wise legislation, and numerous laws were enumerated by the speaker. The senator illustrated his remarks by a few stories. "The first horse he harnessed, he figured out what he thought the necessary parts to pull the cart. He put on the breast plate and tugs to draw. Back had to hold up the shafts, and he thought he was all O. K. But soon found when coming to the rough road and going down the first hill, he had left out one of the most essential parts, the breeching and the result was a smashup. It's the same in the government, on a rough road the breeching is as necessary as the breast plate, and it takes more courage to call a halt than to order a charge.

Bryan Wanted a Panic

Bryan wanted a panic last fall, it would have been a political asset that would have been valuable to the democrats. Bryan had no thought or considerations for the terrible consequences to the masses. Like a story of two Irishmen who had made a bet: Pat says "Mike you can't carry me to the fourth floor in your hod." Mike wagered he could, and carried Pat to the fourth floor up a ladder and won the bet. On his way Mike wobbled some on the third ladder and Pat said then and there he had hopes of winning the bet. So it was with Bryan, he wished for the catastrophy so he might have a hope of winning the presidency.

Heir to Roosevelt

Bryan makes the claim that he is the natural and logical heir to the Roosevelt policies. William H. Taft with his training, calm judicial mind, and close relationship to the Roosevelt administration is not only peculiarly fitted but has the abilities of carrying out the great policies inaugurated by Roosevelt.

The speaker also dwelt at some length on the injunction plank in the platform.

Taft is the Choice

Summing up his address he said that the American people have already expressed their choice, and the verdict is all but recorded and Wm. H. Taft's trip thru Crookston was a ride on the way to the White House.

At the close of Senator Nelson's address Senator Clapp explained the connections and influence that Jacobson's "Y" bill in Minnesota had in passing a rate bill in congress.

Senator Nelson's speech in part was: After a few opening remarks paying his respects to the preceding speaker, and explaining that he had not come to deliver a political speech but to have a neighborly talk with his old friends, of whom were many in the audience before him, who came into this region in the early days and built up this fertile country to what it is today. Senator Nelson still lives on the homestead near Alexandria, that he filed on Oct. 10th 1871. He paid a tribute to the economy, thrift and prudence of the pioneer, a tribute to the success of good government, built up by the republican party.

Political Parties

Political parties are as necessary as religious organizations, therefore on the eve of election each true American citizen should consider the importance of his right to franchise and use it to the best good of his country

"Let us take our bearings and look back, and note the developments since 1894 when Cleveland relinquished the government control to McKinley. The congress of 1893-4 passed a tariff bill, what was the result—industrial stagnation, thousands out of employment, the farmers' home market ruined, consequently prices went down to nothing. In 1894 Mcinley's party repealed the democratic tariff bill by passing the Dingley bill, and the country immediately resumed its normal condition and has prospered beyond all expectations the past eleven years.

Tariff Revision

Mr. Nelson is in favor of tariff revision, as is Mr. Taft but it should be on a basis of the difference of production here and abroad.

Speaking of Mr. Taft he says that he is the ablest and greatest statesman of the age, his work in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, fully justifies this remark. "He has regenerated a people who have been for 300 years under the most despotic rule and brought about law and order, free and stable government. The Dutch, French and English have for 250 years had trouble with their colonies, and none could show a government as Taft had established in the Philippines." Wm. H. Taft is the greatest missionary of the age and his work will be the light, guide and inspiration of the millions of Orientals to aspire to."

Eulogize Jacobson

The Senator then gave J. F. Jacobson, the candidate for governor a grand tribute, stating that he was one of his kind of men, a man like the men who were his hearers, straightforward and honest, always for the people's welfare.

He first became acquainted with him while governor in 1892, Nobody laughed at him because he didn't wear a swallow tailed coat. "His mother didn't part his hair in the middle or put a bib on him." Jacobson was a self made man, a leader among men, during his twelve years legislative record, he was a leader among the lawmakers. "A leader of 121 legislaturers is no fool". Mr. Jacobson's well known legislative record, regarding the remedial railroad legislation, fathered by him was explained.

Mr. Nelson reviewed the public life of Jacobson and could not find sufficient praise for him, who was a man of the people and should be selected by the people to enforce the laws he had been instrumental in having placed on the statute books. The Senator appealed to the republicans to be true to their faith and vote straight.

Reminiscent

Mr. Nelson told of when he was in congress, he labored to have the 13 Towns opened, and when it was accomplished, a town was named Knute after him, but in the Kindred-Nelson fight it only gave him four votes, but he understands it has come right since. He concluded his remarks by telling his hearers that they were fortunate in the legislators representing them in the law making bodies. Congressman Steenerson is a worker when in Washington and has gained an enviable standing among his associates in the house. Senator Stephens' work and achievements were too evident for him to enlarge on.

The Senator applauded the good sense of his countrymen in joining the republican party when they became citizens and he also made an appeal to the young voters who cast their first ballot to vote for Taft and Jacobson.

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BENJ. BRENN SUICIDES IN TABOR TOWNSHIP

WENT TO FIELD AT 8 O'CLOCK THIS MORNNG AND ENDED HIS LIFE WITH A RIFLE BULLET—NO CAUSE KNOWN — CAUSED BIG SENSATION—WAS ONE OF THE OLD PROSPEROUS AND PROMINENT RESIDENTS OF NORTHWESTERN POLK COUNTY —LEAVES WIFE AND FIVE CHILDREN WELL PROVIDED FOR

From Monday's Daily—

Benj Brenn, prominent and wealthy farmer of Tabor township walked to a strawstack in a field near his home at 8 o'clock this morning and shot himself thru the head with a rifle, death resulting instantly. The remains were found by some of his hired men shortly afterwards.

Deceased was 38 years old and leaves a widow and 5 children. No known cause for the rash deed as his finances were in good shape and no trouble with the family had taken place.

Deceased is a brother of Joe and John Brenn, the three having been pioneer residents of Tabor township and had all been successful and were highly thought of by everyone.

The suicide has caused a great sensation at Tabor, Angus, Euclid and Keystone where deceased was well and favorably known. A telephone message from Tabor late this afternoon is to the effect that Brenn had never given any cause for the belief that he would ever end his life, and had not been acting queerly at all. Even this morning he gave no evidence of insanity, and acted as he usually did.

Coroner Chesterman will investigate the case at once.

EQUIPMENT WAS LACKING

GREAT NORTHERN FAILED TO GET CARS HERE FOR SPECIALS FOR TAFT

EQUIPMENT TO HAVE BEEN USED HERE USED AT ST. CLOUD YESTERDAY

From Monday's Daily—

Much disappointment was felt today over the failure of the arrval of equipment for the two special trains that were to have been run to Crookston from Hallock and Thief River Falls.

The cash guarantee of $485 was turned over to the Great Northern, and the Northern Division officials had made preparations to run the two trains. The equipment to have been used here, was used yesterday to run several special trains into St. Cloud to attend some big Catholic function, and after the crowds there had been returned to their homes, the special cars were rushed to Barnesville, but it was 8 o'clock this morning before the cars were turned over to the northern division.

They could not reach Crookston before 11 o'clock and they would have to make up the two trains which could not have left Crookston for Hallock and Thief River Falls much before noon, and could not have got back to Crookston with the crowds in time to meet Taft who arrived at 2:25.

The Great Northern took all the blame for not running the specials, but gave the above explanation. There was simply insufficient equipment to handle the business.

Wealthy Farmer Suicide.

Crookston, Minn., Sept. 30.—Word was received in this city late yesterday afternoon that Benjamin Brenn, a prominent and wealthy farmer of Taber township, shot himself. No reason can be assigned for the deed unless that of temporary insanity.

Burglars Blow Safe; Get $1,000.

Duluth, Sept. 30.—The safe in the general store of the Erskine-Stackhouse company, at Cohasset, Itasca county, was blown up and $360 in cash and $600 in checks taken.

Theres nothing most girls can appear so perfectly natural at as being artificial.

TRACK LAYERS ARE SOON DUE

WILL START WORK ON GREENBUSH EXTENSION WITH BIG FORCE

AS SOON AS WORK IS COMPLETED ON CEMENT MINE BRANCH

From Monday's Daily—

The Great Northern will have a big track laying crow at work on the Greenbush extension just as soon as the crew at present at work on the cement mine branch from Park River, N. D., is completed which will be but a few days hence.

Chief Engineer Eddy of the Great Northern was in Roseau county last week and went over the right of way and men are at work fixing the grade in several places. Not only that, but the train crew has been selected by the superintendent of the Northern division and work will begin at once. The steel for the road was ordered several months ago. Several loads of ties have been sent up in the last few days.

The opening of this line means a great deal to Crookston, Thief River Falls and the county of Roseau. At present nearly all transportation is by the way of Winnipeg or around by Emerson to reach the twin cities and the farmers are forced to haul their produce in some cases over 40 miles.

The whole territory that the extension will traverse is well settled and includes many prosperous villages and settlements.

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"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

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of Crookston, Minnesota.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

G. N. AT WORK ON A NEW LINE

Historical Society

Surveyors Begin Work For On Railroad From Emerson To Winnipeg.

Indications Are That Some Work Is Planned For The Near Future.

Winnipeg, Oct. 7—Twelve surveyors are at Emerson, Man., just north of the boundary with equipment to locate a new line of the Great Northern from Emerson to Winnipeg. They started in at Noyes, which is a union depot for the Great Northern and Soo lines, to stake out the proposed route From Noyes the stakes head along the street west of the C. P. R. tracks and will probably parallel the C. P. R. line here. The work of laying out the new line is being rushed to completion and it is expected that construction will be started at the earliest possible date. The new line will give the Great Northern entry into Winnipeg over its own road and so sever its connection with the Canadian Northern.

The extension means a great deal to northern Minnesota as well as to Manitoba, and will mean a vastly better handling of the traffic that at times has been congested.

The work which will probably be done next year will also give employment to a vast number of men in this section, and will also result in a betterment of the mail service. The people on both sides of the line are naturally highly elated over the prospects of the new line.

Saved His Boy's Life

"My three-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

For sale by All Druggists.

Congress Opens

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 7—With a substantial and a representative delegation representing every state and territory west of the Mississippi river the Nineteenth Trans-Mississippi congress opened today in this city.

Must Resign

Bozeman, Mont., Oct. 7—Owing to his candidacy for district judge on the republican ticket, M. R. Wilson register of the Bozeman land office has received notice from the secretary of interior that he will have to resign until after election.

HAS SURVIVED ALL ATTACKS

Bryan Declares Republicans Are Now Explaning Why He Is Alive.

Ridicules Republicans Says They Claim Credit For Sun And Rain.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Oct. 7—"I present myself as an example of one who has outlived the venomous attacks of his opponents. You heard me called a demagogue 12 years ago. You saw them bury me and you heard them chant their songs over my grave, and now they have to explain why it happened that I was not dead."

With all the fervor that he could muster up, William J. Bryan facing a vast assemblage in the Chautauqua Auditorium between Tama and Toledo, in this state, today delivered himself of this utterance. At no time during the present campaign has he spoken so earnestly or with such vigor. This remark followed a bitter denunciation of Mr. Taft for refusing to agree to a publication of campaign contributions before election.

At Woodward he heaped ridicule on the republicans by charging them with taking credit for the growth of the crops, the shining of the sun and the bringing of the rain. In fact he said: "They sieze upon anything that they think gives a plausible excuse for voting the republican ticket."

At Maxwell he denounced the granting of special privileges. Drawing large cheering crowds all day in the course of his travels thru the state, the democratic candidate, never in better form, hurled defiance at his opponents and challenged them to meet his arguments. Fifteen speeches and handshaking with thousands constituted his day's work, the concluding speech being made here last night in the Auditorium which was filled to overflowing long before he was scheduled to arrive. The keynote of his principal remarks here tonight was that the republican policies meant disaster while the democratic policies meant prosperity.

PROGRESS TOWARDS UNITING TWIN CITIES

Three Great Factories to Be Erected Soon Between St. Paul and Mpls. Movement Will Tend to Unite Two Cities.

If the predictions of many Saint Paul and Minneapolis business men come true the Twin Cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis will soon be united in one great city, one of the largest in the country.

Between the two cities has been an open space of ground. This has always been considered as the dividing line between them. Now this is filling up, and as soon as there is no open space left, the movement to join the two cities will be started.

Within the last week, three large factories in Saint Paul have decided to move out into the Midway district They are The Sharood Shoe Company manufacturers of fine shoes; Guiterman Brothers, Wholesale clothing; Griggs, Cooper & Co., Wholesale grocers. These firms will build factories within a year in this district and will there manufacture their own goods.

Cass Lake Man Loses His Hand

Carl Allen Shot While Hunting. Carried Home By His Companion.

Cass Lake, Oct. 7—While hunting with a companion some seven miles from Cass Lake, yesterday, Carl Allen accidentally shot himself, the bullet from the gun which he was handling entering one of his hands and severing that member entirely from the wrist. Allen is now in this village in a precarious condition it being feared that blood poison may ensue from the accident.

Allen was accompanied by Joe Marow, and they were hunting seven miles north of Cass Lake.

Allen was standing on a log with his hand resting on the gun, when he lost his balance and stepped backward. The barrel of the gun opened as Allen stepped off the log, and when he gained his equilibrium the weapon closed and the gun was cocked by the action. The gun was discharged almost as soon as it was closed, and the bullet entered the palm of Allen's hand, blowing the hand almost into fragments.

The injured man immediately became unconscious, and Marow carried Allen on his back the entire seven miles to this place.

Allen's injured arm and wrist were attended by a local physician and if complications do not ensue, he will doubtless recover.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

DE WOLFE HOPPER IS INJURED BY A VERY SERIOUS FALL

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 7—De Wolf Hopper the comedian, sustained a fall while appearing on the stage of a local theatre last night, which rendered him unconscious and necessitated the dismissal of the audience.

The accident was due to the slipping of the buckle of a belt about his waist, attached to a wire by which he was suspended in the air.

He Who Laughs Last.

A very fat lady got on the train and as she was taking the seat in front of two young men the would be funny man said: "Look at that fat woman in front of us. She's been eating yeast." And this joke they both enjoyed hugely.

At the next station the joker got off, but as he was passing the fat lady she stopped him and said, "Young man, if you had eaten more yeast you would have had better raising and been better bred," and this joke the other passengers are still repeating.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"So your yacht was wrecked? Strike a bar?" "No. The skipper had struck a bar before we started."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Land Fraud

Washington, Oct. 7—Has a great land fraud been perpetrated in California and adjoining states? Have over a million acres of land been fraudulently entered? Special agents of the general land office are working to answer these questions and the department of justice is co-operating.

Married Man in Trouble

A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package.

For sale by All Druggists.

Celebrate

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 7—A German celebration at the academy of music brought to close the day's program in connection with founder's day. Addresses were made by Count Hatzfeldt, representative of the German emperor; Gov. Stuart, Prof. Adolph Spaeth, Dr. C. J. Hexamer, president of the National German-American alliance and Herman Ridder of New York Staatz Zeitung, whose English oration was one of the features.

"What would you do," the bridegroom whispered hoarsely, "if by some terrible accident I should be drowned?" In the mild moonlight he saw his young wife pale and shudder. "Oh, don't, Tom," she cried. "How can you? You know I don't look well in black!"—Chicago Inter Ocean.

GIRL WILL RECOVER

GRAND FORKS GIRL WHO TOOK POISON SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

"Margaret Earl, who took poison in a resort Saturday night, is reported to be improved. Hospital physicians state she will recover."

The above dispatch from the Associated Press, St. Paul, to The Herald was received yesterday. The news of the attempt of the girl to end her life which appeared in the Herald yesterday morning caused a good deal of interest here, as she is well known.

Rearing Dairy Stock.

It should ever be considered that heifers are being reared for the dairy and not for beef. For this purpose they should be fed and cared for. There should be a good, healthy growth of muscle and bone, but not of fat. Begin with the calf and follow up until the heifers become cows. There should be a steady growth of body and development of dairy form qualities all of the time, summer and winter. The young animals should be kindly treated, so that they may become quiet and docile. This is the more necessary as the heifers usually take their place in the dairy at the early age of two years. There should be plenty of succulent, nourishing foods, but no overfeeding, as this is an injury to them rather than a benefit.

PENNANT GOES TO DETROIT TEAM

Chicago, Oct. 7—What is said to have been the closest pennant contest ever waged by American league baseball clubs came to an end in this city yesterday when Detroit, champions of 1907 captured the emblem for another year by defeating Chicago 7 to 0. Detroit, Cleveland and Chicago struggled all season for first place not being far from each other in the percentage table and not until today could the winner be picked. St. Louis put Cleveland out of the running yesterday leaving the field to Detroit and Chicago.

Chicago's fight has been an up hill one, but Captain Jones never despaired until the last Chicago player had been retired today. Had Chicago triumphed the pennant would have come to this city, but the defeat of the local team in the final test left no subject of debate for the "If club."

By winning yesterday's game, Detroit finished with a persentage of .588 and Chicago with .579.

Detroit's runs resulted not only from the 13 hits the team accumulated but from the five errors made by Chicago. The score:

Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
Hahn rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Jones cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Isbell 1b	4	0	0	10	0	1
Dougherty lf	4	0	0	0	1	0
Davis 2b	4	0	0	3	1	1
Parent ss	2	0	0	0	6	0
Sullivan c.	3	0	1	10	0	0
Tannehill 3b	3	0	0	2	2	1
White p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh p	1	0	0	1	0	2
Smith p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	29	0	2	27	12	5

Detroit—	AB.	R.	H.	Po.	A.	E.
McIntyre lf	5	2	2	3	0	0
Bush ss	5	1	2	1	0	0
Crawford cf	5	2	4	3	0	0
Cobb rf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Rossman 1b	5	1	0	3	0	0
Schaefer, 3b	5	0	2	4	0	0
Thomas c	4	0	0	11	0	0
Downs 2b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Donovan p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	41	7	13	27	2	0

Score by innings—

Chicago . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Detroit . . . . 4 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—7

Summary: Two base hit, Crawford three base hit Cobb; hits off White 3 in one inning, Walsh, 6 in three and two thirds innings; Smith 5 in five innings; sacrifice hit, Cobb; left on bases, Chicago 5, Detroit 8; base on balls, Donovan 3; struck out White 1, Donovan 10, Walsh 1, Smith 4. Time, 1:50. Umpires Sheridan and Connolly.

HOW THEY STAND NOW:

National League

Chicago	98	55	.641
New York	97	55	.638
Pittsburg	98	56	.636

American League

Detroit	90	63	.588
Cleveland	90	64	.584
Chicago	88	64	.579

Match

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 7—Harry Gilmore, Jr., who is visiting McFarland here states the McFarland-Leach Cross bout was closed by wire yesterday. It will be at the Fairmont Athletic club of New York on Oct. 21. The men will go six rounds and the weight being 133 pounds at 3 o'clock. McFarland gets a guarantee and a percentage.

Fight

Appleton, Wis., Oct. 7—Engene W. Chafin prohibition candidate for president in an address on the street here yesterday denied the report published in the metropolitan papers that prohibitionists will swap local votes for votes for him and said he does not sanction it. A drunken man disturbed Chafin and he drove him away with a chair.

State of Minnesota, Executive Department—Proclamation.

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter seven (7), Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, a petition was filed with the Secretary of State on the 7th day of December A. D. 1906, praying for the creation of a new county out of territory now lying in Polk county, Minnesota, the same to be known as Nelson county, and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the south-east corner of township numbered one hundred and forty-seven, north of range thirty-nine west of the 5th principal meridian in Minnesota; thence running west along the south boundary line of townships one hundred and forty-seven of ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, the same being the boundary line between Polk and Norman counties, to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-seven, range forty three; thence running north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-eight, range forty-three; thence west along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range forty-three; thence north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine range forty-three; thence east along the north boundary line of said township last named and townships one hundred and forty-nine, ranges forty-two and forty-one to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty, range forty, to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line, and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine, to the northeast corner of the said township last named; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the southeast corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range thirty-nine; thence east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight, range thirty-nine to the northeast corner of same; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the place of beginning, all of said territory being within the county of Polk and including and embracing the whole of townships numbered one hundred and forty-seven, one hundred and forty-eight and one hundred and forty-nine, ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, townships one hundred and fifty, ranges thirty-nine and forty and township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine; and that the village of Fosston be the county seat thereof; and that Fred S. Syverson of Hill River, T. Hanson of Queen, Dreng Grundysen, of Sletten, Jens O. Rindal of Garden and Oscar Melsness of Badger, all legal voters and residents within said proposed new county, be and constitute the first board of County Commissioners of said proposed county, and the same to be known as Nelson county; and in which said petition it is represented and avered that the said hereinbefore described territory comprises more than four hundred square miles and contains more than two thousand inhabitants, and that the remaining area of Polk county, after deducting the territory hereinbefore described will comprise more than four hundred square miles and contain more than two thousand inhabitants.

And, whereas, the said petition has been duly considered and found and certified to as conforming in all respects to the provisions of law;

Now, therefore, I, John A. Johnson, governor of the State of Minnesota, pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, do hereby direct and proclaim that the question of the creation of the proposed new county of Nelson be submitted to the voters of said Polk county at the next general election to be held in this state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1908.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be hereunto affixed this 19th day of August 1908.

(Seal) —John A. Johnson,
Governor.

Attest:
Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

United States of America, State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I, Julius A. Schmahl, Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy with the original instrument in my office of Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Minnesota, in the matter of county division of Polk County and that said copy is a true and correct transcript of said original Proclamation and of the whole thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in Saint Paul, this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight.

(Seal) Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

AN EXCELLENT ADVERTISEMENT

CAR LOAD OF CREAM CANS EXCITE WONDER OF ILLINOIS PEOPLE

THREE TRUCK LOADS STOOD ON GREAT NORTHERN PLATFORM THIS MORNING

From Friday's Daily—

The Great Northern depot this morning furnished one of the best advertisements for the Red River Valley that has been seen for some time in three great truck loads of cream cans which were to be shipped to branch line towns.

"Great Scott" remarked a man from Illinois who was enroute to Warren, "I never heard before that Northern Minnesota paid so much attention to dairying."

And the conversation that followed caused the gathering of a knot of passengers from all parts of the country who apparently marvelled at the sight of practically a carload of cream cans in a country which was supposed by many to be an exclusive grain country, with no attention paid to either stock or dairy interests.

Such a showing is worth more as an advertisement to this section than any one would figure.

IMPORTANT CHANGES

REGARDING FOREIGN POSTAGE GO INTO EFFECT TODAY BY NEW RULING

RATE TO GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND IS REDUCED OVER ONE HALF

An order was received at the Crookston Post Office today relative to a material reduction in postage to Great Britain and Ireland. The former rate to all foreign countries was 5 cents for half an ounce. A few months ago the rate was reduced to 5 cents for the first ounce and 3 cents for each additional ounce.

Beginning today the following order No. 1667 went into effect:

Postage rate applicable to letters mailed in the United States addressed for delivery at any place in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, shall be two (2) cents an ounce or fraction of an ounce. Letters short paid or unpaid shall be dispatched to destination, but double the deficient postage calculated at said rate, shall be collected of the addressee upon delivery of letters.

WATER WORKS BONDS SOLD

The city council of East Grand Forks held a meeting Wednesday evening and went over the engineer's plans for the municipal waterworks pipe system, and finally accepted them, with the slight changes suggested at a prevlous meeting. The gested at a previous meeting. The tise for bids for construction. The sale of the bonds has finally been consummated, the entire issue being taken by the Commercial Investment Company, of Duluth, and the cash therefor has been received. The season has advanced so far that it is not expected that actual work on the system will be commenced here this fall, as the freezing up of the ground would make the work more expensive, but the council will, it is believed, be able to get a lower bid now for the work to be done next spring and in the meantime the pipe can be ordered, manufactured and delivered on the ground ready for construction.

The Cow and Her Care

To do well cows must be made comfortable.

To be a profitable milker the cow must be a hearty eater with good digestive powers.

In milking get all the milk each time, but do not keep on stripping after you have got it.

Never use wooden milk pails.

According to statistics, the average cow produces only 130 pounds of butter in a year.

Never choose a dairy cow because she is fat, sleek and a beauty. The profitable animal is generally scraggy and bony.

Sunlight should be utilized as much as possible in a dairy. It is a germ destroyer.

No matter how smart a man's wife thinks he is he knows he is a great deal more.

COUNTY BOARD THROUGH WORK

SOME IMPORTANT BUSINESS TRANSACTED BEFORE ADJOURNMENT

COUNTY DITCHES MUST BE COMPLETED ON SCHEDULE THIS YEAR

From Thursday's Daily—

The board of county commissioners completed a very important session yesterday afternoon. County Auditor Hoffard was instructed to advertise for bids for a 90 foot bridge over the Clearwater river in the township of Johnson. The county auditor reported that there was much inquiry for the sale of bonds for ditch No. 73.

The commissioners went after the ditch contractors who were behind in their work on county ditches. A resolution was passed instructing the county auditor to notify them that the board would expect them to have all the ditches completed this fall or run the danger of having their contracts declared void. He was also ordered to notify the bondsmen of the different contractors to the effect that if the work was not completed they would be liable to damages. The county commissioners are going after the contractors in earnest and it is stated that they will carry out the intent of the resolution to the letter. The action affects about seven of the county ditches now being constructed.

Upon the recommendation of a committee appointed to look over the petition for the establishment of a county road in the towns of Hill River and Chester, the board established the road and it will be constructed at once. The petition for a road in the towns of Woodside and Grove Park was referred to Commissioners Rindal, Clements and Eklund who are to view it October 26. A public hearing will be given on the petition November 6.

PRAISED POLICE REGULATIONS

TAFT WAS PLEASED WITH CONDITIONS IN CITY OF CROOKSTON

Congressman Steenerson today received word from the Taft Party to the effect that the police regulations which were in force in Crookston pleased him very highly. In all his travels the, arrangements had not been more to his satisfaction and he was highly pleased as to the special arrangements that were made in Crookston. No special detectives had a thing to do in this city.

The Great Unknown.

It was many years before the "Great Unknown" was identified. At the publication of the "Lay of the Last Minstrel," "Marmion," "Lady of the Lake" and finally of a novel called "Waverley," popular curiosity was excited, and the whole of England rang with the fame of the "Great Unknown," as Scott was called. The secret was well kept. Sir Walter Scott, who all his life had been storing material and training his mind to such concentration that he could work in the midst of interruptions and was able to turn out volume after volume with a rapidity, two a year, that made his readers doubt their very senses. His incognito was all the more perfectly preserved in that he kept open house at Abbotsford, devoting much of his time to entertaining his guests and visiting. It was not until the embarrassment of his publishers occurred that the identity of the author of the "Waverley Novels" was discovered. The case of Scott furnishes one of the many illustrations of the power of deceiving the public in literary matters.

A Bit of Deceit.

Bismarck vowed that after passing a competitive examination a man was never any good—that the strain wrecked him. Still it was cramming, the cramming of the ingenious mind of Lord Chesterfield which brought about the reform of the calendar. Cramming and flattery did it. "I have been of late a sort of an astronomer despite myself," he wrote. "I was obliged to talk some astronomical jargon, of which I did not understand one word, but got it by heart and spoke it by rote as a master." He had to make the peers believe that he knew something of the matter "and also to make them believe that they knew something of it themselves, which they did not." For his own part, he said he could as well have talked Celtic or Slavonian as astronomy and they would have understood him fully as well. They became parties to the deceit. They would not betray ignorance upon a subject as to which he credited them with abounding knowledge. Thus they reformed the calendar.

Wife—What would you like for your birthday, dear?

Husband—Nothing at all. I haven't any money.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

HILL GIVES GOOD ADVICE

SAYS THAT THE NATION SHOULD BUILD FEWER WARSHIPS AND MORE SCHOOLS

THE TIME OF CHEAP WHEAT HAS PASSED ACCORDING TO MR. HILL

From Friday's Daily—

It is not very often that the News agrees with James J. Hill but we do wish to heartily endorse his remarks at the dedication of Stephen's Hall at Crookston. Mr. Hill said: "If I had my way I would build a couple of warships less, yes, one would be enough, and I would take the $5,000,000 which it would cost and with it construct 1,000 schools of agriculture within the United States."

Mr. Hill stated that with the present birth rate, the country would not be able to take care of its own people, let alone the prospect of exporting grain to Europe, unless the farmers studied the science of agriculture and learned how to raise more bushels to the acre than they are able to do at present. "I believe we have seen the last day in the history of this country," he said, "when wheat will be cheap. Hereafter No. 1 hard will bring 90 cents which it is worth at the present time and even more if the soil is properly cultivated."

Mr. Hill declared further that the crops the past few years have been steadily decreasing in the yield per acre and with the many thousands of people who have come into this country to settle, most of the land has been taken up so the chance of accumulating greater acreage upon which to increase the size of the crops would soon be an impossibility even in western Canada. The only solution of the problem, according to Mr. Hill, is to study the question and find out in what way the output per acre can be increased.—Thief River Falls News.

SPARK GONE FROM CASE

SMOOTH CUSTOMER IS BELIEVED TO HAVE TAKEN $75 DIAMOND RING

CUSTOMER DOES SOME SLEIGHT OF HAND WORK AT JEWELRY STORE

From Friday's Daily—

Frank V. Kent, the Grand Forks jeweler has asked the police to assist him in locating a $75 diamond ring, which has disappeared. According to a clerk in the store a customer came in to look at the rings and declined to buy the $75 one, saying it was too expensive. He bought a $25 ring instead. A little lated it was discovered that the $75 ring was gone and the supposition was that the man had made off with it. The suspect was searched a little later but the ring was not found. There was no evidence considered strong enough to warrant his arrest.

The Making of Bran Mash.

One of the most common of all feeds is the bran mash, yet not every one knows how one should be made. It is only in racing stables and large studs as a rule that one sees it done properly. To make a bran mash first wash out a bucket with boiling water, then pour in the quantity of water required, say three pints, and stir in three pounds of bran. Cover up and leave it for a couple of hours or more if not required for immediate use. A mash takes hours to get cold and is often given to a sick horse too hot and refused when it would have been taken if properly prepared and given warm instead of scalding hot.

The addition of a tablespoonful of salt in the ordinary mash of a Saturday night can be recommended to keep down parasites and promote digestion, but should not be part of a sick horse's diet unless specially ordered.

A mixture of linseed and bran is often prescribed both, as food and a poultice. To one part of linseed two of bran is a desirable proportion for both purposes. To get all the feeding value out of linseed several hours should be allowed for cooking, not merely infusing, as with a bran mash, but gently simmering on the side of the stove. The vessels should be filled, and toward the end the lid may be taken off and evaporation permitted while cooking.

Well Fitting Horse Collars.

The pad will make a big collar fit a little better, but the best plan is to have a collar that fits without a pad. The latter is apt to irritate and chafe a horse much more than a leather collar. If the hames are properly adjusted on the collar many horses may be saved sore necks and sore shoulders.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

MARKET DAY IS FIXED

COMMITTEE MET THIS MORNING AND ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETE

FARMERS WILL HAVE FULL CHARGE OF THE CITY ON OCT. 17

From Friday's Daily—

The Market Day committee of the 25,000 Commercial club which has charge of making plans for Crookston's market days met this morning and decided that the third Market Day should be held on Saturday, October 17. It is believed that this will be a more successful event than either of the two former days, as at the present time the farmers have more leisure to come to the city and participate.

This is the great object of the day namely to have the farmers come to the city and learn that it is their best market. The central thought in the arrangements is to give the farmers an opportunity to dispose of whatever they have to sell and also to combine pleasure with business. Every plan will be made to have the day one of real pleasure.

Amusements and entertainment will be arranged and there is no reason why a great day should not take place. The big free auction will be the principal feature of the day. The farmer can bring anything he has to sell and it will be disposed of without costing him a cent.

These auctions are proving extremely popular and are of great benefit to the farmer. The committee will also offer prizes for different kinds of vegetables, butter, etc., and there is no doubt but that many will contest for the prizes. The complete program will be announced by the committee in a few days.

INTERESTING STATEMENT

The statement given out at the general land office at Washington shows that the total receipts from the sales of government land in the last fiscal year were $11,492,453. Of this amount, Minnesota contributed $476,452, an area covered by entries of all kinds aggregating 429,351 acres. North Dakota led all other states last year with receipts of $2,025,883, the acreage disposed of being 1,383,987. Receipts from South Dakota lands were $810,390, and the acreage covered by entries was 2,086,171.

After deducting 5 per cent of the receipts in North Dakota and South Dakota, to be paid to the state, the remainder will go into the federal reclamation fund.

MUCH PRAISE FOR GREAT NORTHERN

HANDLED TAFT TRAIN WITHOUT HITCH ON TRIP FROM ST. PAUL

The Great Northern road received a great deal of praise from the members of the Taft party for the smooth way they handled the Taft train on the long trip from St. Paul to Fargo by way of Crookston and Grand Forks.

Altho the train was scheduled to make about twenty stops on the trip and gave time at each to allow Taft to make a short address, the schedule was pulled off right on the dot at every town with the exception of Hillsboro and Fargo. At the latter two the train was delayed because of the extra forty-five minutes which was allowed at Grand Forks.

Colonel Ransdell sergeant-at-arms of the senate who was in charge of the train, stated that on no road had the train been handled quite so smoothly as the Great Northern turned the trick.

One extremely partisan newspaper charged Governor Johnson with being responsible for the Minnesota forest fires. The process of reasoning by which it arrived at this conclusion was that the governor had not taken the legislature by the throat and forced it to adopt measures to guard against the fires. How about the Republican party and the weather bureau. Why didn't they make it rain? Piffle!

Mr. Jacobson campaigned the state two years ago, riding on free railroad passes, while Governor Johnson paid his fare just like any citizen who does not stand in with the railroads. This is one of the reasons why Governor Johnson was enabled to deal with the railroad question with unshackled hands. And for the same reason Mr. Jacobson could not perform his duty towards the people of the state.

The meek may inherit the earth—after the trusts get thru with it.

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SAFE BLOWN AT CLIMAX

BUTCHER SHOP WAS ROBBED LAST EVENING BY UNKNOWN PARTIES

ROBBERS GOT BUT FEW CENTS —NOTHING ELSE WAS DISTURBED

From Friday's Daily—

Chief of Police Eck was today notified that there had been a robbery at Climax last evening, thieves having entered the Climax butcher shop, blown the safe and taken what few cents in cash there was in the safe.

There is no clue as to who the robbers were, and consequently there are practically no clues for the local police to work upon. However every suspicious character will be very closely watched.

BUSINESS IS HEAVY ON G.N.

AN EXTRA SWITCHING CREW AT GRAND FORKS TO TAKE CARE OF BUSINESS

Business has increased to such an extent on the Great Northern that an extra switching crew was put on yesterday to take care of the work in the Grand Forks yards. C. C. Laughlin was appointed night yardmaster and took the place yesterday.

Business is now up to the standard reached before the panic of 1907, when there was such an amazing falling off. Railway men believe that it will continue to the first of the year at least.

On the Northern Pacific business continues heavy. The wheat crop is believed to be pretty well hauled out of northeastern North Dakota.

Woman Interrupts Political Speaker

A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package Refuse substitutes.

For sale by All Druggists.

The thing that inspires a man to want a public office is how he hates to work for his living.

CURE BY CUTICURA AT CITY MISSION

Young Woman Found in Awful Condition with Scabies—Body a Mass of Sores from Scratching—Tried Many Remedies for Seven Weeks—Result Was Discouraging, But

ITCHING TORTURES YIELDED TO CUTICURA

"While I was doing missionary work in the lower portion of several cities I found it necessary to know a little of the efficacy of a few medicines and after a while I found that a little knowledge of Cuticura was about all I needed. One of the very bad cases I had to deal with was that of a young woman who had come to us not only broken in spirit but in a most awful condition physically. Our doctor examined her and told us that she had scabies (the itch), incipient paresis, rheumatism, etc., brought on from exposure and the effects of her ragged-edged life. Her poor body was a mass of sores from scratching and she was not able to retain solid food. We tried many things, a good tonic was prescribed and baths with a rubbing of lard and sulphur. We worked hard for seven weeks and you can imagine how discouraged we were when, after all that time, we could see so little improvement. One day I happened to see a Cuticura advertisement telling how a little baby had been cured of a bad case of skin eruption, and although I had but ninety-seven cents with me, I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. When I reached home I was like a child with a new toy, and we bathed our patient well and gave her a full dose of the Resolvent. She slept that night better than she had since she had been with us and the next day I located the price of a box of Cuticura Ointment. I am not exaggerating when I say that in exactly five weeks this young woman was able to look for a position, being strong enough to work and full of ambition. In another month she left the home, and now has a good position in a nice family where she is respected and is strong and well. You may refer any one you wish to me, personally. Laura Jane Bates, 85 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y., Mar. 11, 1907."

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MARKET DAY ON OCT. 17

The committee which has had charge of the two former market days. has announced that the third will be he'd in this city on Saturday, October 17, and that the citizens can prepare to witess and experience one of the best days in its history. The committee has decided that it is about time to hold another of the days, devoted entirely to the entertainment of the city's farmer friends and will at once start to work to make it a big success.

The work of the farmer is not so strenuous at the present time as it was at the time of the second market day, and while that was undoubtedly a big success, there does not seem to be any reason why the coming market day should not eclipse it in every particular.

While the full program has not as yet been arranged or planned, the committee has decided to continue the free auction feature. This will give an opportunity to every farmer who will avail himself of the privilege, to bring anything he desires to dispose of to the city and the service of an auctioneer, clerk and every thing else connected with the sale, will be entirely free to him. The total receipts of the second day's sale were double those of the first, and the committee desires to see the total sales exceed both of the former days. This is an opportunity which every farmer in the county should avail himself of.

The committee will undoubtedly provide a program which will be entertaining and original in every way and there should be a big crowd in the city. It will be a day of enjoyment and profit for every one who will accept the hopitality of the business men of the city. Every farmer and resident of the townships outside of Crookston should watch for the announcement of the program which will be made by the committee in the near future.

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My Promotion.

[Original.]

When Alice Coale told me that she was engaged to Tom Martin I felt a sickening sensation about the heart that could only come to a young person. I might feel a bitter disappointment today, but it would not be of the same kind. Alice looked at me surprised. "Why, what's the matter, John?" she said.

"Nothing," I replied, endeavoring to pull myself together. "Only I'm afraid Tom mightn't turn out good enough for you—that's all."

"Oh, that's all, is it? Well, don't worry about that. A fellow as smart, as popular, as trustworthy, as Tom is good enough for a far better girl than I. Mother says she'd rather trust to his judgment in business matters than to that of older heads."

"Oh, I only meant he wasn't good enough for you."

"You lumbering, good natured stupid, John," she said, taking my hand and pressing it caressingly. "You will always be my dearest friend."

That was very kind of her.

A few months later I was startled by one of those mysterious rumors that are spoken under the breath for a brief period before they become public property. It was that Tom Martin had been borrowing money from any one who would lend it to him. Then I heard that he had disappeared. Following closely on this came the news that Mrs. Coale had given him all her money for investment, and he had either sunk it or taken it with him. Since he had paid none of his debts it was presumed that he had taken it with him.

Detectives visited his room and took away every scrap of paper they could find there, though Tom before leaving had left nothing to show where he had gone. He had borrowed a book of me, and I went to his room to see if I could find it. It was lying on his table, and I carried it home with me. That evening I took it up and opened it. Between the cover and the title page was a library card on which were entries of several books taken out within a few weeks. The book he had borrowed from me was "Australian Sketches." I wondered what kind of literature he had been taking from the library. Curiosity, mingled with a feeling that I might gather some clew with reference to his acts, led me the next day to take the card to the library and have a look at the books he had been reading. What was my astonishment to find that one was upon Central America, three upon Honduras and a fifth on the rubber industry of that state.

After some thought these were my deductions: Tom had at first thought of going to Australia, but had changed to Central America. He had selected Honduras and when he got there would invest the money he had taken in either the rubber trade or a rubber forest. More likely the latter, since it would give him a better chance to hide from the world.

The day after I reached these conclusions I started for Florida and from there sailed for Honduras. Landing at Puerto Cabello, I went into the interior. I made inquiries for an American who had come to Honduras to negotiate for a rubber tract. The state is not a large one, and any one going there with money would not remain unnoticed by its people. Of course it would be useless to inquire for one by the name of Martin, for the skulker was doubtless using an assumed name.

It was just two weeks to a day when I learned of a man answering Martin's description who was dickering for a rubber tract some ten miles away from me. I went to where he was and on a porch in a small town came upon the man I was hunting. When he saw me he collapsed. I told him that all I wanted was Mrs. Coale's money or as much of it as he had left. If he would give me this he might stay where he was for all me as long as he liked; if not he would go back to stand trial. He turned over eighteen $1,000 United States bonds, which was what remained of Mrs. Coale's little fortune. I receipted for it and started home.

I found that Alice had taken a position and gone to work. The evening of my return I called on her and her mother. This was the first time I had seen them since their misfortune. Mrs. Coale chided me for having kept away in the hours of their trouble, while Alice maintained a cold reserve. I didn't know whether to attribute it to the cause her mother mentioned or some other. In truth, she seemed stunned. I'm not naturally facile in opening subjects and sat for some time, speaking only when I did speak on commonplace topics, trying to frame what I should say concerning the object of my call. I knew I would make the mother glad, but was all in the dark about Alice. Finally, despairing of finding proper words, I took the bonds from my pocket and tossed them on the table.

"They're yours," I said. "I tracked him and got them. There's only a small loss."

I'm very poor at descriptions, among other things, and it wouldn't do for me to try to give the scene that followed. Mrs. Coale was so beside herself with joy that for a time she forgot even to thank me. Alice broke into sobs and, clutching my hand, her head sank down on it. When I came to myself I found my eyes wet and my arm around her waist. But meanwhile I'd had it there for some time without her discovering it either, so I didn't hurry to take it away.

Well, I was promoted from best friend to—the other thing.

C. MASON BRADSTREET.

CHARGES ARE PROVEN FALSE

JACOBSON'S CHARGES REGARDING INCREASED TAX LEVY SHOWN TO BE FALSE

LEVY SHOWS REDUCTION THIS YEAR OF ABOUT $150,000 OR OVER 1 MILL

St. Paul, Oct. 1.—(Journal Special) Jacobson's charge of extravagance received a bad blow today when state Auditor Iverson announced annual tax levy for 1909. Levy shows reduction from 34.8 mills to 33.3 mills. The reduction on a billion of valuation means reduced state taxes of $150,000.

CONDITIONS EXCELLENT

REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE N. P. SAYS CONDITIONS ARE FINE

NO SHORTAGE OF CARS, BUT ALL ARE KEPT IN THE SERVICE

From Thursday's Daily— ...

H. S. Halvorson who is now traveling for the Northern Pacific railway company was in the city Friday, and reports business very satisfactory in the territory which he visits. The effects of last year's panic are rapidly disappearing. Merchants are generally cheerful and traveling men report constantly increasing sales in all lines of merchandise. The freight business has picked up wonderfully since the wheat movement began, and practically all of the company's cars are now in use. There is no shortage but the company is keeping the cars in circulation, and seeing that no time is lost in loading and un loading so that nothing of this kind will develop. The dry weather has facilitated threshing everywhere and wheat has been rushed to market and to the terminals more rapidly than ever before and as prices have been good, it is expected that general business will continue brisk thruout the fall.

WHOLE WEST HIT BY COLD WAVE

CHICAGO REPORTS WINTER WEATHER; FROST IN MANY STATES

Winter weather prevails in Chicago the mercury having fallen 30 degrees, and overcoats and gloves are necessary.

At New Richmond, Wis., snow fell and the temperature went down below freezing following a severe snow storm. At Calumet, Mich., snow fell for over an hour. Rhinelander, Wis., had three inches of rain and snow. Detroit, Mich., reports that the long drouth of 40 days, the longest in 25 years, was broken by a heavy downpour which threatened to continue.

From Ohio also comes the word that rains had fallen in different parts of the state and the drouth was believed to be over.

Killing frosts were reported today from Topeka, Kan., Omaha, Neb., St. Joseph, Mo., and Fort Dodge and Webster City, Ia. In Kansas ice formed on buckets and quiet pools.

Get Fat In Hospital.

Everybody said they never heard of such a thing as a person getting so fat when done up in a plaster cast that the old cast had to be taken off and a new one fitted on to give the patient a chance to grow, but the doctor declared that the occurrence was by no means phenomenal. Many illnesses do not result in emaciation, especially down in this part of town," he said. "Scores of poorly fed patients that are brought to the hospital in a skinny condition take on flesh amazingly while under treatment. This is especially noticeable in the case of an accident where a plaster cast is necessary. Then the arm, the leg, the body even, that is thus incased increases in size under hospital fare until the patient is in positive pain from the pressure and has to be relieved with a larger cast."—New York Press.

Mr. Windfall—My wife wants me to buy a seat on the Stock Exchange, so here's a check for $100,000 for the ticket. The Broker—Ticket? For what? Mr. Windfall—The seat, of course! And be sure to get one on the aisle, about three rows from the front!—Puck.

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WILL BOOST FOR CROOKSTON

STATE ASSOCIATION OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES WILL MEET AT FARIBAULT

NEXT STATE ASSN. WILL PROBABLY MEET IN CROOKSTON

From Friday's Daily—

The State Association of Congregational churches will meet in Faribault, Minn., next Tuesday and continues through Thursday. The delegation from the Crookston church are A. A. Miller and W. L. Vannet, and Mrs. A. A. Miller and Mrs. A. A. Just as alternates. The full delegation will be in attendance and Rev. C. C. Warner will go if conditions will permit. There will be a meeting Sunday evening at which time the delegation from this city will without doubt be instructed to extend an invitation to the association to hold the next annual meeting in Crookston.

This will involve a great amount of work for a few but the benefits which Crookston would receive would repay for the efforts expended a hundred fold.

QUEER SUIT IS BROUGHT

MISS LENA VOELZ, WHO SECURED A DIVORCE WANTS IT ANNULLED

HER HAPPY HOME NOW LOOKS AS HAPPY AS EVER TO HER

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

A remarkable suit was begun in the district court in Fergus Falls on Thursday, being an action brought by Lena Voelz against her husband, Albert Voelz; from whom she was divorced July 30, 1907. The case came from the eastern part of this county and Mrs. Voelz, in her original suit for divorce, alleged that her husband treated her cruelly, beat her at times and paid a good deal of attention to other women. She is 57 years of age and her husband is 59 and she stated in her complaint that she came from Germany and married him with the understanding that he was to provide a good home and treat her kindly, but that his treatment was not at all kind, or words to that effect.

The divorce was granted in due course of time, but she now brings an action to have the decree annulled and the divorce set aside. She claims that she was induced to bring the original suit of "cruelties, duress, fraud, procurement and conspiracy" and that being unable to read or speak the English language, she was not thoroly aware of the full nature of the procedings. She alleges that Mr. Voelz is worth $20,000 but that she received only $350 alimony, and being ill, has now spent this and is penniless. She is living in Minneapolis and asks that the court make an order compelling Mr. Voelz to pay her $10 per week alimony while the present suit is pending, together with $200 attorney's fees and $50 suit money. The case will probably come to trial in November.

HAD LIKING FOR STATE PENITENIARY

Grand Forks, Oct. 2—In order that he may be returned to the state penitentiary, where he has spent many years, J. H. Malloy, alias Murphy alias Kennedy, stole an overcoat valued at $25 and is now held in the county jail at Grand Forks for trial in the district court, having waived examination in Justice P. McLoughlin's court yesterday. Malloy frankly admits that he is lonesome outside of the Bismarck penitentiary and that he stole the overcoat in order that he might be sent back there. He says he has interests at Penn Grove, the name the penitentiary bears in the postoffice directory, and he wants to get there just as soon as his case can be reached. When in prison before he had a job of cleaning up the capitol grounds and interior in preparation for the session of the legislature and he hopes to be assigned to his old place.

The Bridge of Lions.

A bridge comparatively little known was constructed long ago in China in the reign of the Emperor Keing Long. It is situated near to Sangang and the Yellow sea and measures not less than eight miles and a half. The Bridge of Lions, as it is called, is supported by 300 immense arches, and its foundation is twenty-one meters under water. On each pile of this wonderful bridge is a marble statue of a lion three times larger than life size. The coup d'oeil of these 300 enormous lions, each one supporting an arch, is stupendous in its magnificence.

CONTRIBUTIONS TOO NUMEROUS

GENERAL RELIEF COMMITTEE HAS MORE MONEY THAN IS NEEDED

CROOKSTON'S CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE HELD PENDING FURTHER ADVICES

From Thursday's Daily— ...

From advices received from Chisholm and other sections of the forest fire district it would appear that the contributions already received by the general relief committee are far in excess of the needs of the section and there will be no furthr need of subscriptions. The local treasurer, H. C. Misner, and Mayor McPhee, who started the fund in this city, have received no intimation in regard to these conditions only what has appeared in the newspapers and as yet they have not determined what action shall be taken on sending the fund that the citizens of Crookston has contributed.

The intention was to forward the total amount to the relief committee tomorrow afternoon, but this program will undoubtedly be changed pending further advices from those in authority and who know the actual conditions. According to the information at hand the excess amount adready received will be returned to the donors pro rata and in this way permit al who have expressed the willingness to contribute to give an amount in proportion to what they intended to give originally.

It is expected that the announcement made will have the effect of stopping all further subscriptions to the distressed section and it will undoubtedly result in many subscriptions collected, but not forwarded being returned to the subscribers. It is possible that this will be the decision of those interested locally in the matter. The mayor and Mr. Misner will hold a conference in regard to the matter it is understood and announcement will be made later as to whether the $171.50 contributed will be forwarded to the district, or returned to the contributors.

Boxes Received

Mr. Misner received an acknowledgement this morning from Mayor Haven of Duluth, of the two boxes and one barrel of clothing that had been sent to Chisholm by the local Women's Relief Corps. The letter reads as follows:

"Duluth, Sept. 26, 1908.

Mr. H. C. Misner,
Crookston, Minn.

Dear Sir:—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your esteemed favor of Sept. 24, inclosing bill of lading for 2 boxes and 1 bbl. clothing shipped to Chisholm for the benefit of the fire sufferers, and, on behalf of the many homeless people and helpless women and children, to thank you most sincerely for the contribution from the Women's Relief Corps of Crookston.

"—Roland D. Haven,
"Respectfully yours,
"Chairman Relief Committee."

JOHN HEMSTAD KILLED HIMSELF

The remains of John Hemstad, a well known banker at Emerado, N. D., were found in a room in the Masonic Temple at Grand Forks this morning. There was every evidence of him having committed suicide, but it was decided to hold an inquest and it is now pending.

It would seem that some time last evening Mr. Hemstad went to the Masonic Temple and calmly, after writing a note to friends, placed the muzzle of a revolver to his temple and fired. Death was undoubtedly instantaneous. The letter which he had written stated that he desired to have it announced that he died of heart trouble in order to save his family any unpleasant notoriety.

Hemstad was a graduate of the North Dakota University, finishing his course in 1895. He leaves a wife and three children and was 37 years old. He was considered one of the most reliable of the younger business men of the state and his action is received with great surprise. It is understood that financial troubles lead him to take his life.

Break In Monotony.

"The monotony of our calling," says the principal reader of a metropolitan magazine, "is sometimes broken a bit by the naivete shown by some of our friends who favor us with manuscripts.

"Not long ago I picked up a story sent by a novice in Indiana, in the entire length of which, numbering some ten thousand words, there was not a single mark of punctuation except an occasional period. The author was, however, thoughtful enough to append this note to his effort:

"'Mr. Editor: Please insert decimal points to suit.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

HASKELL FIRES A RETURN SHOT

OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR REPLIES TO ROOSEVELT BY A PERSONAL ATTACK

SAYS PRESIDENT'S CHARGES RESULT OF HEARSAY NOT KNOWLEDGE

Guthrie, Okla., Oct. 1—Governor Charles N. Haskell last night gave out a long letter to President Roosevelt in which he repeats his already published defense to the charges made against him. The letter begins:

"Yesterday I was engaged in writing a communication to you as chief magistrate of the United States, assuming that a few days of reflection hight have brought you to the realization of the fact that the people of our country had placed you in the hightst position of authority and respect and that with that authority you had assumed the obligation. You should know that one of the principles of free government is that no man shall be condemned without a hearing; that not one word that you have ever spoken concerning me was true.

"The serious character of your charge should have suggested to you that you as chief executive should proceed with deliberation and certainty before making such hearsay statements as your own declarations."

"You have clearly demonstrated by this hearsay document, vacillating from one charge to another, by admitting that various of your charges were without information and therefore abandoned and yet without displaying the manhood to apologize for your former untruthful statement, that you seek another issue. It leads me to assert that I shall seek justice against you before the people and in a court not subject to your domniation. Frankly speaking, I could have arrived at no other conclusion than that you, in your recklessness and partisanship and disregarding of the rights of others, would pack a court or fix a jury."

RAILROAD'S MAN SIDE OF CASE

Conductor Jones who was in charge of the freight train which was left standing on the main line of the Farmers' road last Saturday night which President Kelly's speeder car ran into and from which Colonel Kelly and his family narrowly escaped with their lives speaking for himself and his train crew says that the train was left as it was without red lights, flags or other protection by order of Superintendent Dunn; that the custom was a common one and that the crew was entirely blameless as his orders will show. Mr. Jones resents the statement or insinuation that there was criminal carlessness, and says that there was nothing to protect against and for that reason it was unnecessary to put out protecting signals. The Journal has no desire to misrepresent the train crew or anyone else. It seemed to be a case of criminal carlessness to leave a train as this train was left. Perhaps it was not. It may have been perfectly proper to have left the train as it was, and that the blame for the accident rested entirely upon President Kelly, who should have advised himself of the location of this particular freight train before starting home.—Devils Lake Journal.

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A Change Of Management

With this issue of the Polk County Journal the management passes from the hands of M. E. Kirsch to the Journal Printing Co.

Mr. Kirsch retires from the business after having been in possession for the past seventeen months, and during that time he has enjoyed the full confidence of his constituency. He has endeavored to conduct a real newspaper. No one has dictated anything as to its policies and there has been no outside influences as regarding the news features.

The Journal has been a newspaper pure and simple. Its politics have been independent in every respect. Mr. Kirsch leaves the Journal with regret in many respects. He has many friends in connection with the business with whom he parts with regret but other business interests make it imperative on his part to retire.

Mr. Kirsch has made a success of the business since he has been interested, and hopes that his successors will do as well.

The Policy Of The Journal

Beginning with this issue the Journal starts under new management, Mr. M. E. Kirsch having disposed of his entire interest in the plant. Within a few days publication will be made of the incorporation of a stock company which will be the publisher and sole owner of the paper.

At this time it would be appropriate to outline briefly the policy of the paper and the aims of the new management. In the first place the Journal will be conducted as a daily newspaper which will print the news without being colored by personal prejudice. An effort will be made to publish all the news in an attractive, clean and wholly impartial manner. The news columns will not be directed from the business end of the enterprise, but every effort will be exerted towards giving items of current interest as they actually occur.

The new management will aim to make the paper a home publication and to this end every issue will be carefully edited so that a child may peruse it without having his mind tainted with suggestions or thoughts other than the most elevating. The parent will welcome it for the clean and wholesome manner in which it will handle the news. It should find a place in every household, not only in the city of Crookston, but thruout the county and the section.

The Journal will not be published to aid, assist or abet any class, faction or clique. It will owe fealty to none, but will endeavor to treat every one fairly and squarely, forgetting entirely the personal equation and remembering only the duty which every self-respecting publication owes to its subscribers and patrons. It will not be a personal organ, but a public medium for the dissemination of news. Our columns will be open to the public always for the insertion of any matter of general or public interest.

The editorial department will be the paper's own views of questions of interest and will be conducted along lines which will aspire to reflect public opinion. Politically the paper will be independent, reserving the right to endorse or oppose the men of each party, and advocate the principles that will make for better citizenship.

The Journal under its new management will be consistent in its loyalty to every public movement having for its good the betterment and progress of the city of Crookston. We will also be found ready to give our best to every progressive and aggressive project that gives promise of municipal good. We desire to see Crookston the Queen City of the Red River Valley in fact, as well as in name. We have the greatest confidence in the future of the city and believe a bright destiny has been mapped out for her. We are most willing and anxious to do our share in this work, a work that should engage the attention of every loyal and public spirited citizen. We will be strong in our advocacy of every enterprise for the improvement of the city and the prosperity of our citizenship. We desire to be a factor in the promotion of every project that will make Crookston larger and better, commercially, intellectually and socially. Our time, our energies and our ability will be directed towards this end.

To sum up the Journal will strive to give the news in a wholesome, impartial and comprehensive manner, untainted by personal prejudice or whim and unaffected by financial or business considerations. It will strive to advance every public movement or project for the development of the city and surrounding territory and in every way endeavor to make known to the world in an attractive manner that "Crookston Offers Opportunity."

A newspaper in order to be given the opportunity to fulfill its mission has to rely upon the support and patronage of the people of its locality. We want you to read our news columns and we desire to have you as our subscribers. The greater the measure of your support, the more successfully will we be able to achieve our aims. We solicit your support of our advertising columns, believing firmly that we can give you value received for every inch of space you contract for. In short we ask your cordial support and consideration, promising on our part to give you a readable daily newspaper which will prove a valuable advertising and business getting medium. We have confidence in our mission and our ability to serve you and this community.

As To Bank Deposit Guaranty

As The Herald has said repeatedly it is very unfortunate that the question of guaranteeing bank deposits should have been made a political issue. Here we have the Democratic party favoring it and the Republican party opposing it, merely because Mr. Bryan "saw it first," when there is no more reason for a party division on the question than there is for a division over the expediency of fighting consumption. It is certain that many staunch Republicans favor the guaranty plan, and no doubt there are Democrats who oppose it; yet every partisan seems to feel obliged to line up with his party on the subject, regardless of his convictions.

The Saturday Evening Post, which needs to cater to no political party and therefore forms its judgments without calling in partisanship to its aid, has an article in a recent issue in which guaranteed bank deposits are luminously and fairly discussed. The arguments that have been made against the plan are given, and so are the arguments in its favor. On the whole, the tone of the article, evidently written by a capable authority is distinctly favorable to the guaranty idea.

It is shown that the experiment with the plan in New York in 1829 when it was a failure, has no bearing upon modern conditions, because the whole system of banking has changed. Opponents of the scheme, however, parade this incident as conclusive proof that the plan will not work.

It is shown, too that state guaranty of deposits has succeeded, and the case of the German municipalities which have guaranteed savings deposits for some years is cited. Under this system not a penny has been lost.

Alexander H. Revell, a Chicago business man, is quoted as follows: "The protection of depositors and the reduction of bank failures do not represent the principal benefits that would result from the application of the bank guaranty fund. The loss to depositors by bank failures is the basic and moving element in the situation, but this direct loss is not in any way to be compared to the incalculable loss to commerce, to manufacture, to business and to workingmen resulting from panic precipated by deposit losses and the fear of still greater losses to come. Hence the greater value of the operation of a guaranty fund would be in the sense of security developed on the public and depositors. It would prevent runs on banks and prevent failures which, unders normal conditions, would never occur."

This is the meat of the problem. Fear is the spirit of panic, and with depositors assured against loss there would be no fear; therefore no panic. Bank runs cause sound banks to close their doors. There need be no bank runs if depositors know their money is safe. The lack of security in times of alarm breeds panic and bank runs, and if you give the depositor such security for his money as the guaranty plan provides, disaster is checked at its outset. There would be fewer bank failures, and by averting the fear of bank runs the banks would be enabled to continue their loans, without which business becomes paralyzed and hundreds of unnecessary failures are precipitated.—Duluth Herald.

Why Was It Forgotten?

The state platform of the republican party is more guilty of sins of ommission, than of sins of commission and how the leaders and the candidates can hope to explain to the people of the state the many things that the platform failed to mention, and its gubernatorial candidate has failed to comment upon, is beyond all explanation. There is one particular institution that we believe the republican party neglected, which we believe the farmers will not forget. We refer to the establishment of the binder and threshing machine factory in the state prison.

This factory was created by a republican legislature for the purpose of creating competition for the national harvester trust and was directly in the interests of the farmers of the state. Governor Johnson signed the bill creating the factory and has been most interested in its development and its success. Republican legislatures regard it as one of the most efficient measures that has ever been passed by a legislature of the state of Minnesota in its efforts to aid and help the farmers of the state The factory is now turning out the machines and with the proper aid and encouragement by future legislatures and state officials there is no doubt but that it will become a weapon in the hands of the state with which to bring this gigantic and ruthless octopus to time.

The republican platform is absolutely silent as to the establishment of the factory and the party's candidate for governor has not referred to it as yet during his campaign. It is strongly endorsed in the democratic platform and Governor Johnson is enthusiastic in its support. The question naturally arrises: What reasons had the republican convention for not taking advantage of this most excellent opportunity to boost a proposition that is of paramount interest to the farmers of the state and why has Candidate Jacobson had nothing to say about it?

As far as we have been able to ascertain almost every employe of the trust in this state is supporting Mr. Jacobson in the present campaign and is doing what he can do for his election. This is true in this district and in the other districts as far as we have been able to ascertain. Is it to be understood that the republican party is inclined to let this institution perish because of lack of interest? Will the next legislature, if it happens to be republican, refuse to give further encouragement to the factory? These are questions of vital importance to the farmers of this community and they should not permit the questions to pass until they have a satisfactory answer. The beginning has been made and there is no doubt but that if the advantage thus far achieved, is pushed the people of this state will have a lever by which the arrogant and insolent conduct of the harvester trust can be pried from the hold which it has upon the farming population.

In this connection it might be well for the farmers to realize that the republican candidate has been more or less identified with the machine business all his life and has been dealing almost constantly with harvester companies. Does his relation with these people absolutely forbid his endorsement of this factory started by the state for the benefit of the farmer? Was it because of this relation and the fact that he was to be the party's nominee, explain the reason for the platform's silence?

We believe this is a question which every farmer in this county should take into consideration before he goes to the polls on November 3, and he should cast his vote in accordance with the commonsense answer that must be given. The democratic party is pledged to the development of this plant and the democratic governor who is a candidate of re-election promises to lend every encouragement to its further promotion that is possible to be extended from the executive office. If you desire to get from beneath the domination of the harvester trust, your sympathies and your vote should be with the democratic party and its nominee. The republican party has nothing to offer you but the intimation that this plant is not a creature of its creation, consequently is not entitled to any aid or support from it. Every voter has the power in the coming election to strike a telling blow at this trust.

Excusing The Railroad Pass Evil

Ever since a paper in the southern portion of the state asked a question of Jacobson in regard to his fondness for railroad passes and his alleged use of them in the past, there has been a marked silence relative to such practices which is creating comment and casting some reflections upon the real sentiments of the republican candidate on the problem. The Duluth Herald has the following comment:

The Albert Lea Standard recently issued this challenge to the Jacobson press of the state: "While ranting on the stump against the railroads in the campaign two years ago, Jacobson was riding on free railroad passes. Somebody please deny it. Still silent? Then we dare you to deny it."

Nobody has denied it, least of all Jacobson. Neither will he deny it. Two years ago, when Mr. Jacobson was stumping the state for Cole, it was shown that he was riding on free passes. One of them was Omaha pass No. 5,804. Shortly after this disclosure, Mr. Jacobson came to Duluth, and The Herald, thinking he might wish to deny the charge, gave him a chance. He refused to take it; he refused to deny it; neither did he seek to justify his action.

But instead of denying the charge, here come newspapers like the Preston Times and the Ortonville Herald-Star, and demand: "What of it?" The weakening influence upon moral fibre of the bad example of a man high in the councils of a party in the files of these very newspapers you would find them filled with righteous indignation against the uses of passes by public officials and in political campaigns. They said then that passes were bribes; that railroads did not give them for nothing, and that those that accepted them placed themselves under improper obligations to the corporations bestowing them. This was all true, too. But now these newspapers, forced by an unhappy fate and by the arrogance of party bosses to the support of a stupified champion of the people, want to know "what about it?"

The Preston Times explains that when Jacobson rode on passes the anti-pass law had not yet been enacted and it was no crime to ride on a pass. Technically, perhaps, it was no crime; actually, it was. It was no technical crime, perhaps, to kill a man before society enacted a statute against homicide. It was no technical crime to crush competitors and rob them of their means of livlihood by forcing stealthy rebates before the anti-rebate law was passed. On the same hypothesis, it was no crime to ride on a pass before the law made it a public offense.

In all the years of Jacobson's work in the legislature, he was the loudest most excited opponent of free passes He acepted none himself; so he said, at least. He declared that when some rode on passes the plain people had to pay the bill, and that this was discrimination. He said that to accept passes was to become obligated to the railroads. And in these things he reflected the conscience of the people, which later matured into statute law.

Yet not long after he got out of the legislature, and before the echoes of his condemnation had died away, he was found riding on passes. He says that he stands where he stood fifteen years ago. Yet he has since not only acepted railroad passes from the railroads, but he has accepted a nomination for governor at their hands, with the help of other predatory corporations and selfish interests He has condemned all these things and afterwards embraced them.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.

For sale by All Druggists.

It sometimes happens that a liar tells the truth because he is unable to think of an appropriate substitute on the spur of the moment.

And a married woman is always harping on the fact that she earns more than she gets.

Hope is a life-preserver with most of the cork out of it.

One thing that can't be advertised into popularity is virtue.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

STATE PRESS

Thief River Falls Press (Rep.): Admittedly John A. Johnson could never have been elected governor of Minnesota without the aid of thousands of votes gathered from a party opposed to his election. Having supported him twice, should these independent voters help to elect him a third time? In no particular has Governor Johnson failed to "make good" in his second term the promise of brilliance and stability held forth in his two first years in office. Not only is his record as a competent state official unimpeached, but he has expanded beyond the limits of Minnesota and has acquired a national reputation as a speaker of brilliance, an official of strong executive ability and a man of clear views and sterling honesty.

Middle River Pioneer: The Republican papers of the state as a rule are not making any fight against Governor Johnson. It would have no effect if they did, for all that would would be necessary for Johnson and his friends to do would be to resurrect their files of a few short months ago wherein they frankly commended him in words of fulsome praise.

Anoka Free Press: It isn't a question of Johnson's election. That is as certain as is tomorrow's rising sun. It is a question of majority. Can he get a majority commensurate with the sacrifice he made in accepting the nomination? That is the question which his friends should bear in mind.

HAPPY WOMEN

Plenty of Them in Crookston, and Good Reason for It.

Wouldn't any woman be happy,
After years of backache suffering,
Days of misery, nights of unrest,
The distress of urinary troubles,
She finds relief and cure?

No reason why any Crookston reader

Should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. Gus Johnson, of 218 Ash St., N. Crookston, Minn., says: "Altho I am averse to having my name published in the newspapers, I cannot help but endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a wonderful remedy for kidney trouble. Before I procured them at Wallace's drug store, my condition was serious. They affected a complete cure after doctors had failed to help me. I am willing to show my appreciation by allowing this fact to be published for the benefit of other sufferers from kidney trouble."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Breeding of Live Stock.

The breeding of live stock does not get the serious thought from the farmer which it demands. Raising stock is one thing and breeding stock is another. The addition of a calf, colt or a lamb to the herd is regarded on many farms as of very ordinary importance, but on farms where high class, pure bred live stock is reared the addition of a young animal to the herd creates almost as much interest as the birth of an additional member to a family. In the case of the ordinary calf or colt there is little or no interest manifested as to the future of the animal. If the calf or colt is pure bred its daily growth to maturity is watched with anxiety. If it is a heifer calf that is dropped the interest is so great at the time that it is difficult to wait until the calf becomes a cow in order that it may be known how much of an improvement she is over her mother in milk production. If a colt the farmer can hardly wait until it is old enough to drive in order that he may determine what speed it will make on the track. When good stock is introduced on the farm there immediately becomes attached an interest which is not shown in scrub stock. It is this interest and sentiment which have resulted in producing some of the world's record breakers, and the interest doesn't fail to appeal to any man who endeavors to improve the live stock on his farm. This is one of the advantages of breeding good animals.

The esteem and regret most people have for you is both tedious and tasteless.

KEY STONE

Mr. Fred Frank of Cissna Park, Illinois, came down from Stephen last Tuesday to visit at the homes of Simon and Samuel Aeschlimann and John Gerber. Mr. Frank worked near Stephens during threshing, but he says, "I like Keystone better."

Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Jesse Campion of Angus called on Simon Aeschlimann one day last week to see how their telephone was working. They found to their great delight that the phones they are selling had not caught the appendicitis from the Euclid phones which as we heard sometime ago were suffering from that dreadful disease.

Mr. Christ Alt of Cissna Park, Ill., and son John of Stephen drove down last Thursday to visit friends and relatives. John drives down quite often but he knows whether he drives thirty miles to see the land or a certain young lady.

A new route has been started from East Grand Forks and quite a number of farmers of Keystone and Tabor are taking advantage of it thus getting their mail very close to their homes.

The Angus Telephone line that has recently been put up is in a fine condition. There are no rubbernecks or butt-ins on it.

Mr. Edward Brantl is working on the railroad again as fireman.

Miss Margaret McDonald is visiting her sister in North Dakota.

Miss Bessie Brantl spent several days with Mrs. McDonald last week. Simon Aeschlimann started plowing with his engine and steam plow some time ago. The ground turns up like magic and is doing fine work.

Mr. John Gerber drove to Grand Forks last Saturday to transact some very important business.

Mrs. McDonald and daughter Miss Clara will soon leave for Canada to visit relatives.

A barn floor dance was given at the Brantl farm last Saturday evening A good time is reported by all present.

Are You Only Half Alive

People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality and weak, delicate people are restored to health. Refuse any but Foley's.

For sale by All Druggists.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

Start an account with This Bank and avail yourrself of these material benefits.

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We buy and sell lands in Polk County.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 5 in History.

Jonathan Edwards.

1703—Jonathan Edwards, famous Calvinistic divine, born; died 1758.

1805—Charles (Earl and later Marquis) Cornwallis, British commander in North America and afterward governor general of India, died; born 1738; surrendered Yorktown Oct. 19, 1781.

1874—Bryan Waller Procter (Barry Cornwall), noted English author, died; born 1790.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:32, rises 5:58; moon sets 1:40 a. m.; moon's age 11 days; planet Mercury visible after sunset; 11 a. m., planet Uranus at quadrature with the sun, 90 degrees distant.

LOOKING OVER ROAD — Roadmaster Laughlin left this morning for Bagley and Cass Lake where he will look over the road for the day, and will see what is necessary to be done before the winter sets in.

DROVE TO G. FORKS — Messrs Norman Mossefin, Ross Chesterman and Geo. LaBlanc drove to Grand Forks yesterday in an automobile returning last evening, and reported a very pleasant trip.

GRAIN BUYER HERE—A. B. Peterson, a prominent grain buyer of Kittson was in the city Saturday evening on private business. He reports the marketing of grain by the farmers to be on the increase and that the quality grades well up to No. 1.

SEWER WENT WRONG — The sewer in front of the Ed Erickson meat market on Main street went wrong and it was necessary yesterday to tear up the cement walk and dig down to remedy the trouble.

DIFFICULT OPERATION— Ellen Westover was operated upon this afternoon at the St. Vincent Hospital for goiter of the neck. The operation is one of the most difficult that is attempted and the fact that it was successful is a sufficient congratulation to those in attendance.

OFF FOR A LONG TRIP—Thomas R. Johnstone with the American La France people, who handles everything in the fire fighting apparatus line that was ever heard of, left this afternoon on the Northern Pacific for St. Paul and from there will make a tour of the state, intending to be absent for ten days or two weeks.

LIKES DEVILS LAKE — Dwain Clapp arrived Saturday from Devils Lake and visited here till last evening, leaving on the evening train for the west. Mr. Clapp is very well pleased with Devils Lake which he says is prospering, but has a warm spot in his heart for Crookston.

HAS FINE POSITION — Frank Samson, a young man well known in Crookston now has a fine position as assistant bookkeeper and stenographer for the Russel-Miller Milling Co., at their Minot Office. This will be good news to his many friends in this city.

MORE SUMMER WEATHER — Yesterday the weather turned extremely warm, and the shady side of the street was decidedly popular. Regardless of the fact that a few people thought winter was here because the nights were frosty several times in succession, the knowing ones state that there will be a month or two of fine weather yet.

BACK TO DAKOTA — Ed Ebbighausen who has been pulling an engine on the Dakota Division for some time past, having been assigned to the work train which was laying the rails for the new extension to the Portland Cement mines, returned to Grand Forks last evening after spending a couple of days in the city. He came over with the work trains when they finished the cement mine extension and were sent to Greenbush to lay the rails there. It is probable now that he will take a run out of Grand Forks, but has not yet decided as to his run. It may be that he will return to Crookston.

Thor Thorson a brother of County Commissioner Thorson dropped in yesterday afternoon for a few hours' stay in the city, returning in the evening to his farm in western Polk.

From Tuesday's Daily

Oct. 6 In History.

1821—Jenny Lind, later Mme. Goldschmidt, great Swedish singer, born in Stockholm; died 1887.

1907—Mary J. Holmes, popular American novelist of the romantic school, died at Brockport, N. Y.; born 1828.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:31, rises 5:59; moon sets 2:54 a. m.; moon's age 12 days; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

ON LAND BUSINESS—C. E. White left this morning for a two day's business trip at Donaldson where he has a few important deals pending.

BOUGHT TWO TEAMS—S. O. Sevrin of Fertile was an arrival in the city today, purchasing two fine teams of horses from S. L. Collins.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — D. S. Campbell, the progressive farmer of Beltrami who lately located there from Iowa is spending the day in the city on business.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY — James Hanson, aged 43, who was brought to St. Vincents hospital from East Grand Forks two days ago died today as the result of chronic alcoholism, and the remains will be shipped back there tonight for interment.

AFTER TAILORS—Mr. Skaren of the firm of Skaren and Nelson returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul where he went to secure some additional help which is necessitated by the rapidly increasing business of the firm.

OSCAR FREDRICKS ILL— Oscar Fredricks is ill at his home in Sampson's addition with a very severe cold and is congratulating himself that Mrs. Fredricks is a trained nurse

SUBSTANTIAL FARMER HERE— John Gorgen, one of the substantial farmers of Belgium is in the city today with a load of fine potatoes which he had previously contracted with local restaurants.

TRAIN WAS LOADED—The train from St. Paul this morning was loaded heavier than any train for some time past, there having been an extraordinary bunch of coast passengers aboard, including quite a bunch of railroad men who were headed for Washington.

BADLY SMASHED UP—This morning a Great Northern freight train from the west pulled one car that looked as tho it had gone thru the battle of Shiloh. The whole top was crushed in and the sides smashed, practically nothing being left but the trucks.

OLD TIMER HERE—Ed Merrill a former well known resident of Fisher is visiting here. He comes from North Yakima last week to bury his mother who died at Fisher and will remain here for a few days attending to some business matters and visiting with his many friends.

HAS TYPHOID— Vern Merrill of Fertile is at the St. Vincent hospital suffering with typhoid fever. He came to the city on business and a friend advised him to see a physician as he was looking far from well. His case was diagnosed as typhoid and he is now in the hospital with a run of fever but is doing well.

NEW UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT—D. S. Campbell of Mattoon, Ill., is spending the day in the city looking up a location for a new undertaking establishment, and if he finds the proper location has decided to engage in business in Crookston. He is very much pleased with the city and believes it has a great future.

FOR ANOTHER YEAR—A. J. Herberg one of the prosperous residents on R. F. D. No. 2 out of this city is spending the day here with friends and had his subscription to the Daily Journal advanced for another year. Mr. Herberg says the daily paper is like an old friend arriving each morning.

OLD MILITIA MAN HERE—Capt. W. H. Ryan of Grand Forks who was at the head of the militia company at that place for several years, in fact as long as there was a company there, came over this morning on the Duluth train and went north for a day's business on the St. Vincent line. Mr. Ryan for years past has been an elevator superintendent.

WITH NORTHWESTERN—Lionell Snelling came down from Angus last evening and leaves this evening for Bemidji where he has accepted a position with the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., the concern planning extensive improvements there. Mr. Snelling has been on the western division of the Soo till a few days ago.

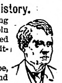
PRAIRIE CHICKENS NERVY — This morning just before the arrival of the train from Fargo, those at the G. N. depot were treated to a rare sight, a flock of about 18 or 20 big prairie chickens which flew very low across the city from the northwest to the southeast. Some wag insisted that their temerity was a special taunt to Judge Gossman, as the birds knew that he was busy and could not interrupt their flight with his repeater.

Any 12 Year Old Girl

Can make those delicious Lemon, Chocolate and Custard pies as well as the more experienced cook if she uses "OUR-PIE" preparation, which is now being sold by nearly all grocers. Full directions on each package. Pie is not a luxury, but an article of daily diet and you might just as well make good pies as poor ones. Order a few packages to-day and you will be so well pleased that you will tell all your friends.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 7 In History.


Governor Curtin.

1779 — Count d'Estaing and General Lincoln repulsed in an allied attack upon the British at Savannah.

1849—Edgar Allan Poe, American poet and prose author, died in Baltimore; born 1809.

1871—Beginning of the great fire which nearly destroyed the city of Chicago.

1894—Andrew G. Curtin, war governor of Pennsylvania, died; born 1817.

1907—Professor David Masson, noted Scotch scholar and historian, died at Edinburgh; born 1812.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:29, rises 6; day's length 11½ hours; moon sets 4:11 a. m.; moon's age 13 days; moon at perigee, nearest earth; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

HEADED FOR THE WEST—J. C. Sabin left this morning for Fosston and this evening will go to Thief River Falls. He was accompanied by Charles Babcock but it was a question in doubt as to who was guardian Both claimed the honor.

STATE ENGINEER HERE— Geo. A. Ralph engineer of the State Drainage Commission arrived this morning from St. Paul and will spend a few days here on business. He says the commission is very busy at the present time looking over the work now in progress.

BACK FROM SUPREME COURT— Atty. Chas. Loring returned this morning from St. Paul where he was present at the sitting of the supreme court calendar which was completed yesterday. Steenerson and Loring had several cases which were set for hearing.

DOING NICELY— Father Thiellon of Gentilly spent yesterday in the city calling on his many friends and attending to some business matters. He says the Gentilly Cheese Factory is getting on famously and he was very much pleased at the fine showing made by the factory at the Minnesota state fair.

QUIET IN POLICE CIRCLES — Chief Eck says he never saw more quiet as a rule in police circles than at the present time for the fall of the year. This is the season when as a rule the country has more objectionable characters than at any other time and it is remarkable that there is as little disorder about the city from this element.

HAS FINE COLLECTION—Ticket Clerk Kjervestad at the Great Northern office in this city is an enthusiastic coin collector, and has many coins that are rarely seen. This morning he was exhibiting a "20 Sen" piece, a Japanese piece which is very rarely seen here and no one present had ever seen anything like it before Aside from the words "20 Sen" there was nothing on the coin excepting Japanese hieroglyphics.

CHILDREN ARE SAFE —During the summer vacation the Crookston schools were given a thoro inspection as to their fire precautions. Now the local schools have ample protection and it is impossible for a disaster like the Collinwood affair to occur here. Every school in the city since the terrible Cleveland fire has been gone over and every door has been made to swing out, storm doors have been placed on the outside and fire escapes have been built. All summer men have been at work on the buildings putting them in readiness for the opening of the schools. When the schools did open, the children were as safe from fire as if they were in their own homes.

SESSION WAS A BUSY ONE

CITY COUNCIL WADED THRU A BIG GRIST OF BUSINESS LAST NIGHT

TAX LEVY AS PASSED SHOWS SEVERAL BIG CUTS FROM LAST YEAR

LEVY FOR POOR DEPARTMENT AND INTEREST FUNDS SHOW BIG DECREASE

From Saturday's Daily—

The City Council held a meeting last evening in which there was a large amount of important business disposed of. All members of the council were present.

Two Big Decreases

The tax rolls were passed according to the budget previously published and two of the notable decreases in the levy are found in the poor fund levy and the interest levy. Last year the poor fund assessment was $2,000 while this year it is but $1200. The levy for the interest fund levy this year is but $1500 while last year it was $7000.

An Adverse Report

The Street and Bridge Committee reported adversely on the petition which has been referred asking that South Ash street from Loring street to Houston Avenue be gravelled and the report was adopted.

The request from the city engineer that he be allowed to purchase a blue print frame was granted.

To Dog Heaven

The report of Chief of Police Eck regarding the activities of Dog Catcher Welch showed that during the month of September 14 dogs had been snared of which 6 were redeemed and 8 given free passes to dog heaven by the cold lead route.

Chief Barrette of the fire department reported that there were two fires during the month of September. Both reports were placed on file.

Sinking Fund Report

The Sinking Fund Commission submitted its report for the year which showed that the total expenditures had been $22,306.52 of which $16,000 was for the payment of matured bonds and $6,282.55 for interest coupons and $22.97 for exchange.

The commission recommended that a levy of 3 mills be made for the benefit of the Sinking Fund and the recommendation was placed on file.

Want Council Room

The Crookston Fire Department presented a formal request for the use of the remodelled council chambers for their annual ball which will be held in the near future and the matter was referred to the city hall committee.

Louis Johnson asked permission of the city for the use of a small portion of the street for the construction of a porch on his flat building at the corner of 6th street and Broadway and the request was referred to the Street and Bridge committee.

N. F. Holmgren presented his application for appointment as janitor of the city hall and the petition was referred to the city hall committee.

Sidewalk Levies

The council passed a big grist of levies for new cement sidewalks which will be constructed this fall and next year. Mr. Treadwell asked permission to close a wooden gate between two buildings on North Main street adjoining the building which he occupies and the matter was referred to the Street and Bridge Committee.

The purchasing agent was instructed to purchase the supplies that will be needed for the municipal court.

The council then adjourned to next Tuesday evening the regular meeting night.

There is more plowing done in this section at the present time than there was last year and the year before both put together when the freeze-up came. This is a broad statement, but it is a fact borne out by every traveling man and trainman interviewed on the subject.

This is true not only in this immediate section, but from Crookston to Barnesville on the south and to St. Vincent on the North the country looking more prosperous than it has in years.

South of the city near Beltrami there have been several gasoline plows working all summer, and the conditions have been ideal for successful power plowing. In wet weather the monster gang plows are hard to handle, and the dry weather of the past few months has made it perfect for them.

There are times when the scales of justice look suspiciously like fish scales.

COME AGAIN SAYS P. SNYDER

PRESIDENT P. SNYDER OF THE CROOKSTON COUNCIL GETS VALUABLE PRESENT

CAME THRU MAIL UNACCOMPANIED BY ANY MESSAGE OF ANY KIND

GOLD WATCH WORTH $100 WAS SENT HIM—DOES NOT KNOW WHO SENT IT

From Wednesday's Daily—

President P. Snyder of the Crookston City Council was the recipient last Sunday of a most valuable present thru the mail, in the form of a handsome 23 jewel gold watch, worth about $100.

The watch was sent thru the mails unregistered, this fact probably being due to a desire on the part of the sender to conceal his identity and the only clue as to where the watch came from is that on the tag attached to the box can be deciphered the letter "W" and he is of the opinion that the watch may have come from his brother at Williston, N. D., as it came in on the western mail.

The genial president of the council has shown no signs of wrath over the receipt of the present, and states that any more of the same kind will be received with the greatest pleasure.

SISTERS OF HERRMANN

ANNUAL CONVENTION OF ORDER BEING HELD IN DULUTH

SOCIETY INCORPORATES—ABOUT 100 DELEGATES ARE IN ATTENDANCE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Sisters of Hermann of Minnesota are holding the fifteenth annual convention of the order in Duluth today, the first time that the society has met in this city for the annual gathering. The sessions are being held at Eagles' hall and 100 out of town delegates are in attendance. The lodge has twenty-eight divisions thruout the state including one at Crookston and twenty-four are represented at the Duluth meeting. Fritz Ziegler of Stillwater, president of the state society is presiding at the meetings and the other state officers in attendance are Mrs. Bertha Ench of Minneapolis secretary, and Mrs. Augusta Haedrich of St. Paul treasurer.

Papers of incorporation were adopted and the afternoon hours were occupied in working out a new constitution. The officers will be elected at tomorrow morning's session and at that time the next place of annual meeting will be chosen.

FOUND DOOR NAILED UP

CROOKSTON CLUB BOYS HAD ALL MANNER OF TROUBLE LAST EVENING

HAD TO ENTER CLUB ROOMS BY USE OF LADDER THRU THE WINDOW

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening there were things doing in connection with the Crookston Club, the members finding the door nailed up leading to the club rooms from the hallway on the second floor of the Palace Block.

The door was nailed up on the orders of Dan McKinnon, proprietor of the Palace Block, but the boys are of the opinion that some one else instigated the deal.

As a result they were forced to secure a ladder and enter the Club rooms thru a window, and to state that they were warm under the collar is putting the matter very mildly.

Today a stairway is being constructed so that the members of the club will be able to enjoy the clubrooms without further difficulty.

Mysterious Language.

Without stopping to discuss whether legal phraseology is not at least as cryptic as that used by doctors or insisting on the fact that every science must have what the toilers in other fields of intellectual labor call a "jargon" of its own we freely admit that there is in medical terminology a good deal not only of bad Greek, but of needless mystery. — British Medical Journal.

BLOCK WAS FLOODED BADLY

FIRE ACCIDENTALLY PUT ON IN OPERA BLOCK WITH RADIATORS DISCONNECTED

FLOOD RESULTED WHICH DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE TO WALLS AND CEILINGS

CROOKSTON FRUIT CO., ALSO FLOODED—HEATING PLANT DAMAGED

From Wednesday's Daily—

There were things doing with a vengeance in the Opera House Block this morning for a short spell when a big fire was built in the steam heating plant with several of the radiators in office rooms disconnected.

It appears that it grew rather chilly in the block as the janitor had allowed the fires to go down while some of the radiators were being fixed in rooms not occupied.

In the meantime one of the renters could not find the janitor and intending to do a kind act went to the basement, saw the fire was very low and piled on some fuel.

In a short time water was flowing over the floors of several of the rooms an inch deep, and soon began pouring into the Crookston Fruit Company's store room causing a lively scramble.

The damage to the fruit company will be considerable, and it will cost considerable also to repaper and redecorate the rooms that were flooded.

Some of the families occupying apartments on the third floor of the block received a big scare, thinking that the escaping steam was smoke and that a fire was on.

It is feared that there may have been serious damage to the boiler as the water was soon all out and the flues were red hot before the fire was taken from the fire box.

TAFT HAS TURNED UP

From Wednesday's Daily—

T. W. Taft, who left Grand Rapids Minn., July 6th for Crookston, intending to go to the Buffington farm and make arrangements to get work this fall for a lot of his logging horses, and who was not heard of from that time forward, his wife being nearly frantic for fear something had befallen him, cooly walked into their home at Grand Rapids the other day.

He was in good health and would give no explanation as to why he had not communicated with his family. All he said of his absence was that he had been out west. He is again attending to his business as tho nothing had happened.

APPOINTED 9TH DISTRICT

Dr. W. S Wattam of Warren, Minn who was chosen as chairman of the Ninth Congressional district convention held at Crookston, has, after consultation with Congressman Halvor Steenerson named the list of congressional committeemen:

Becker—Owen Wangensteen.
Beltrami—Anton Erickson
Clay—D. W. Meeker.
Clearwater—E. N. Falk.
Kittson—J. D. Henry.
Marshall—Ole L. Melgaard.
Norman—D. C. Lightbourn.
Polk—John Peterson
Red Lake—A. P. Toupen.
Roseau—S. T. Haldahl.
Wilkin—E. Mattson.
Mahnomen—John W. Carl.

It is understood that a special representative of the U. S. Post Office Department is in the city looking after some alleged irregularities on the part of some mail clerk. It appears that a local party made a number of remittances to a certain order, and that when the letters arrived at their destination the money had been extractd.

It is understood that suspicions point to a certain employe on the rail road, who runs on a line a long distance from this city, and that the evidence is so direct that he will have a hard time clearing his skirts. No arrests have been made as yet.

COTNRACT LET FOR LAYING THE RAILS

DULUTH MAN WILL CONSTRUCT CAR LINES IN DISTRICT TO BE PAVED THIS YEAR AT GRAND FORKS—HAS RAILS AND TIES AND WILL COMMENCE OPERATIONS ON LINE TODAY—COMPLETION OF STREET CAR SYSTEM IS UP TO CITIZENS WHO HAVE NOT YET SUBSCRIBED ANYTHING TOWARD THE ENTERPRISE—MEN FINANCING WORK TO BE COMMENCED TODAY ON OTHERS TO AID IN BUILDING LINE

The contract was awarded last evening to P. McDonnell to lay the rail for the street railway system in the district to be paved at Grand Forks this year. Mr. McDonnell will begin the work today. He has the paving contract and it has been necessary for him to delay work on the streets on which car tracks are to be constructed. A supply of steel ties and rails are here, having been shipped from Minneapolis, and there will be no further delay in the paving. Twelve blocks of track will be laid in the district.

While the committee in charge of the subscriptions for the railway system has progressed far enough in the work to make them believe it advisable to get the rails laid at once, there is still a great deal to be done by citizens before the system will be a realty. Many Grand Forks citizens have not yet subscribed toward building the line. It is on these citizens that the committee is now relying to aid in the great undertaking that has been commenced. The completion of the street car system depends on liberal subscriptions being made at an early date.

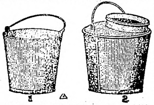
LIVE STOCK AND DAIRY

COVERED MILK PAILS.

They Are Best For the Dairy, as Experiments Have Shown.

A prominent dairyman says: We have yet to meet the man who has tried a good kind of covered milk pail and who likes clean milk who has not thought them a great improvement over the ordinary open pail. Yet our observations on their use is to the effect that not more than eight cow owners out of ten use them. It would certainly be a good habit for everybody to get into to use no other kind.

It goes without saying that a closed pail will greatly reduce the impurity of ordinary milk, since the open pail catches everything descending from above. Experiments have plainly brought out the advantage of covered milk pails, and, while they require somewhat more work of the person who washes the dairy utensils, no one who is interested in pure milk could consider this an argument of more than featherweight description. A good kind of pail is one in which the top fits on as a cover and the milk opening is covered with screening or is fitted with a hoop so that cheesecloth can be used for that purpose. There is little difficulty in thoroughly cleansing such a pattern of pail.



UNCOVERED AND COVERED MILK PAILS.

The closed pail is a subject which it would seem local creameries could agitate with direct benefit to themselves. In a way much of the advice offered to the farmers in the interests of purer milk is wasted since it is impracticable, but the covered milk pail is thoroughly practicable. A cow is much less apt to step into it, flies are excluded and sole dependence is not placed on the separator for taking out undesirable solids.

Pail No. 1 in the illustration, from Clarence B. Lane's bulletin, is an ordinary open one, with no provision for keeping out the dust and dirt. He says it should never be used in any dairy. Pail No. 2 is a good sanitary one, with small top provided with a metal strainer. In certified dairies probably better results would be secured by leaving out the strainer. The pail would be improved if stamped from one piece of tin.

Insist on Stable Cleanliness.

In the production of commercial milk the dairyman must not only keep himself and his cows clean, but he must not draw the milk from the cow in a stable filled with dust. He never should feed hay before milking. He should not feed grain nor disturb the bedding before milking.

I may get into an argument in regard to this statement, for there are those who claim that the stable should be cleaned before the milking is done. I maintain not, for you know the more you disturb some things the worse they smell. The dairyman must not feed silage before he milks, for if contamination of the air of the stable occurs with the acid odor of silage the milk will certainly be tainted. It may not be detected at once, but the city neighbor who attempts to use this milk when forty-eight hours old will certainly detect an unpleasant flavor.—John D. Nicholls.

False Economy In Feeding.

There is such a thing as false ecomomy in feeding. If a third more expense in feeding gives you three times the profit you can easily figure out the wisdom of generous rations. Feed wisely, but not niggardly.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

Undoubtedly the devil invented picnics.

A useful thing in an argument is to have a voice that can yell the loudest.

The only satisfactory excuse a man can make to his wife for coming home late at night is not to do it.

Even if there is a vacuum in his head, a person can get a fair reputation for being a thinker by holding his tongue.

A girl can nearly always get a man to marry her by making him think she's pretty near ready to marry somebody else.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Tolemade by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan do, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

If you have a shadow of suspicion keep it dark.

Actions of the bass drummer speak louder than his words.

Some politicians are like circus posters—always on the fence.

There are times when the scales of justice look suspiciously like fish scales.

The esteem and regret most people have for you is both tedious and tasteless.

And if the average woman gave voice only to her thoughts she would talk less.

Only a very rich man is in a position to appreciate the advantages of poverty.

The average man would rather admit that he is wrong than to admit the other fellow is right.

It sometimes happens that a liar tells the truth because he is unable to think of an appropriate substitute on the spur of the moment.

How a man does hate to be called down by a woman when he is repeating a choice bit of gossip.

It is a waste of time to worry about the future. Things will be all right a hundred years from now—as far as you are concerned.

A FRANCHISE WILL BE ASKED

The Tri-State Telegraph and Telephone Company is going to ask the city council of Crookston to grant it a franchise to use the streets and alleys and public places of the city for a long distance and toll telephone line. The franchise will come up at the regular meeting of the city council held on October 13 next.

A representative of the company has been in the city for some days looking over the situation and sounding the sentiment in regard to the granting of such a franchise. He reports that he has found sentiment greatly in favor of the granting to the company of this privilege.

It will be remembered that about two years ago the same company made an effort to establish long distance and toll line service in the city, but at that time it was thought that it meant the establishment of another local system and the business men protested strongly against giving the desired right. The result was that the franchise requested was not granted.

Since that time the company has erected its lines on the outskirts of the city and at the present time it would mean but connecting up with the booths which would be placed in the public places of the city. There is no question at the present time of another local system and the inclination is to limit the number of long distance telephones which would be established.

A prominent member of the city council stated to the Times that in his opinion there is no reason why the desired franchise should not be granted; it would be a great benefit to the city and would be a service to the general public. He had sounded the sentiment existing among the business men and they seemed to be unanimously in favor of granting the franchise.

The proposed franchise or ordinance preserves to the city all the rights and privileges to regulate the operation of the business in the city and all wires will be strung and poles placed as directed and ordered by the city council.

FIRE IMPERILS STATE PRISON.

Flames Destroy Building Across the Street and in Factory District.

Stillwater, Oct. 1. — Fire destroyed one of a group of twenty large factory and warehouse buildings in close proximity of the Northwest Thresher company, located directly across the street from the state prison.

Fortunately the strong gale of wind was toward the St. Croix, otherwise other large buildings of the company and prison would have been in danger of the flying firebrands.

Hundreds of men with the city and prison fire apparatus fought the flames. The loss is $5,000, with $1,500 insurance.

POSSES PURSUE SAFEBLOWERS.

Cracksmen Carry Off Huge Sack of Coin on Handcar.

Ladysmith, Wis., Oct. 1. — Several posses are pursuing a gang of yeggmen who blew the State Bank of Ladysmith and escaped with $3,000 after shooting a policeman and firing a volley at a crowd of citizens.

Roused from sleep by the report of dynamite, the citizens gathered in the streets in time to see the bandits carrying a huge sack filled with coin, dashing toward a handcar on the Wisconsin Central tracks.

The gang boarded the handcar and fled.

MORE ROOM FOR GROTH.

Two New Additions Are Platted at Walker, Minn.

Walker, Minn., Oct. 1. — Two large tracts have recently been platted and by ordinance of the village council added to the corporate limits of the village. Kinkele's addition will contain the site of the $30,000 schoolhouse, which will be erected next spring, and the Commercial club's addition contains the new box factory, the boat factory and several other industries.

Wipes Out 289 Saloons.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 1. — Twelve Ohio counties voted yesterday under the Rose law, and all went "dry" by majorities ranging from a few hundred to more than 2,000. The number of saloons affected is 289.

The Black Hand Again.

Cincinnati, Oct. 1. — An attempt was made early yesterday to murder Fred Cinceolo, a fruit dealer, by blowing up the building with nitroglycerin. None of the occupants were injured.

Of course a bachelor has no one to sew buttons on for him—but many a married man has nothing to sew buttons on.

BIG STRIDES ARE BEING MADE

Great strides are being made in the promotion of the creamery industry in northern Minnesota and recently two new creameries were established in Clearwater county by M. L. Cort. The first was established at Nevin, which is located sixteen miles north of Shevlin and the other at Mallard, two miles south of the same town.

The farmers in this section of the district are yearly adding to the size of their dairy herds and it is believed that the two new institutions will be exceedingly prosperous. The section is ideal for cows and there is every reason to believe that both creameries will be kept busy turning into butter the butter fat that will be brought in by the farmers. The management of the plants will be in the hands of practical buttermakers and there is no doubt of their success.

The cheese factory at Lambert has decided to make butter also and a complete new outfit of butter making machinery has been recently ordered. It is understood that the Lambert institution has already the promise of a market for every pound of butter it can manufacture.

Mr. Cort states that there is every reason to have the most roseate views in regard to the development of the industry in northern Minnesota. The farmers are beginning to realize that it is a sure and steady source of income and they are anxious to get the largest returns possible. They are continually adding ot the number of cows which they own and the percentage of increase during the past year has been the greatest in the history of the section. It is believed that the official reports received for the industry this year will establish a record.

SYMPATHY EXTENDED.

It is perfectly proper and right for Mr. Jacobson's political managers to paint him as rough and uncouth, if they so desire, but it is only right they should retain a monopoly in the work they have so auspiciously begun. The job is theirs and they are welcome to work it to a frazzle. His political opponents will have none of it. It was his political friend and mentor, Frank Eddy, who informed an expectant world that Mr. Jacobson absorbed pie by way and with the assistance of a knife. It was the Minneapolis Tribune which compared him to the "cave man," and intimated that his mental processes were on the same crude plane as were his erratic conceptions of table etiquette. The Pioneer Press, the Minneapolis Journal and the Republican country press have added their mites to the discussion, until the Republican gubernatorial candidate's fame as a primitive barbarian has spread to the limits of the continent. We sincerely sympathize with Mr. Jacobson and can easily imagine with what sincerity and unction he daily prays to be delivered from his friends.

RECORDS AND RECORDS.

Mr. Jacobson proclaims that he expects to make his campaign for the governorship on his public record, and we suppose he has some idea of being elected. It is evident that he gives the public credit for a different brand of discrimination than that possessed by the convention which nominated him. It will be remembered that Attorney General E. T. Young was a candidate before that convention—on his record—and it was a good record—one not needing posthumous statements to bring it down to date, and he was overwhelmingly defeated because of that record, and Mr. Jacobson, with his musty, worm-eaten record of a bygone day, was chosen instead. Honest, now, isn't he expecting a good deal of the people, all the circumstances being taken into consideration?

"AN ASSININE ASS."

[Bob Dunn in Pioneer Press interview, March 1, 1902.]

"When Mr. Jacobson claims to have fathered the laws of 1895, 1897 and 1899, improving the tax laws, he lies. Jacobson is a born demagogue. He has got used to claiming everything and I am only surprised that he did not claim to have made the Almighty. When the Almighty made him, he made a donkey."

James A. Martin is credited by the Republicans of the state with having more than ordinary political sagacity. It is a common report in St. Paul, however, that one Swenson, he of the mutton chop whiskers, has prevailed over Jimmy and is now the chief director of the Jacobson campaign. Bre'r Brown seems to have fallen under the hypnotic sway of the man of the side curtains.

JOHNSON SPOKE AT ROCHESTER

Rochester, Minn., Oct. 1—Gov. John A. Johnson and Andrew C. French candidate for representative in congress to succeed James A. Tawney, opened the campaign in this city Tuesday night.

The meeting was held in the Metropolitan theatre which was crowded to its utmost capacity half an hour before the time announced for the meeting to open. Leading democrats of the city and county occupied seats on the stage and the evening trains brought in large crowds.

The Junior band was engaged and entertained the crowd while waiting for the curtain to rise. John E. McGovern, chairman of the Olmstead county democratic committee, introduced the speakers. Mr. McGovern's mention of the name of J. J. Reiter, candidate for lieutenant governor was received with great applause.

The speech by Mr. French did not make a very great impression. The principal arguments were quoted from certain republican papers which have opposed "the stand patters," and from Raymond's letter of May 24 in the Chicago Tribune Gov. Johnson was greeted with prolonged applause when he was introduced. The governor having been in Rochester a number of times for his health, confessed to an affection for the city. He spoke of his nomination for the third term as against his wishes. He stated his belief that every man should have a political party, and expressed himself in favor of woman's suffrage. His reference to Mr. Bryan was very brief, merely a statement that the latter was revealed twelve years ago but at any rate he had proven himself honest.

Mr. Johnson's chief criticism of Jacobson was contained in an insinuation that the latter's nomination was due to the influence of trusts and corporations and the charge that the republican candidate does not state his position. He paid a high tribute to the republican legislatures of 1905 and 1907, saying that they were the most capable and economic bodies in the history of the state.

The principal sensation of the evening was when the governor read a clipping from the Post and Record of this city, asking if Gov. Johnson would give up his lecture contracts if he should be elected. The governor's reply was prefaced by a stinging reference to the article in the same paper two years ago referring to the state railroad and warehouse commission, which cost the party thousands of votes. In direct answer to the question, the governor said that he had no contracts to give up.

He had an offer from the management of a lyceum bureau to deliver 200 lectures at $200 apiece, but had made it conditioned upon his retirement to private life. When his nomination came he accepted the latter, thus giving up a sure $40,000 for an uncertain $5,000. He had delivered a few lectures before universities and others but was under no contract. would the editor of the paper give up $33,000 for the state of Minnesota the governor asked. Gov. Johnson's voice, which had been threatening to give out for some days past, seemed in good condition, and he spoke easily and without any seeming fatigue.

SAGENG RUNS FOR CONGRESS

OTTER TAIL STATE SENATOR WILL CONTEST FOR CONGRESS IN 9TH DISTRICT

HIS PETITION WILL BE CIRCULATED AT ONCE IN THIS DISTRICT

From Friday's Daily—

Hon Ole O. Sageng state senator from Otter Tail county elected as a Populist and the only member of that faith in the Minnesota Senate has decided to run for congress and will file as an independent. For some time the Democratic organization at St. Paul has been trying to fill the congressional vacancies all over the state with a view to strengthening the state and national ticket. C. A. Nye of Moorhead was first picked to make the run but he declined. Senator Sageng has been besieged for some time to run but held off. He recently made a trip to Crookston and St. Paul and the pressure was applied with such vigor that he has decided to make the try and his petition as an independent candidate will be circulated at once.

OVER $7,000 FOR ONE CROP.

Iowa Farmer Gets Big Check for His Corn.

Webster City, Iowa, Oct. 1. — Probably the largest check ever issued in Iowa to a farmer for corn raised by himself was issued to John Canavan of Lena, Green county. He sold to the Minneapolis & Iowa Elevator company 9,896 bushels and received for the same 71 cents per bushel, amounting to $7,026.85. Green county makes the claim that this is the largest check ever given to a farmer in Iowa for a single corn crop.

GRAY-HAIRED MAN ON TRIAL.

Thomas Williams Charged With Wife Murder.

Houghton, Mich., Oct. 1.—Accused of the willful murder of his wife in cold blood in their flat in Red Jacket on the night of July 11 last, Thomas Williams, fifty years old, gray haired and bowed down by years of trouble and suffering, was yesterday placed on trial in the circuit court.

The defense will be that Williams was temporarily insane at the time of the shooting.

CANNOT WED WITHIN YEAR.

Ruling of Wisconsin Supreme Court as to Divorced Persons.

Madison, Wis., Oct. 1. — By a decision of the supreme court yesterday divorced persons in Wisconsin are prohibited from marrying again within one year and that any such marriage during such period after divorce is null and void. The decision was in connection with a divorcee who went to Michigan before the expiration of a year, married again and returned to Wisconsin.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

IS ACCUSED OF ROBBING LADY

ED. HARDY JAILED ON CHARGE OF SECURING VALUABLES OF MRS. SANBURN

WATCH BELIEVED TO BE PROPERTY OF HIS ACCUSER IS FOUND ON HIS PERSON

From Thursday's Daily—

Accused of robbing Florence Sanburn of gold watch and jewelry, Ed. Hardy was arrested in East Grand Forks last night. The robbery is alleged to have been committed at an early hour Tuesday morning in the northern part of Grand Forks. Mrs. Sanburn had been out late and had been drinking. She started to return to her room in a DeMers avenue lodging house. She met a stranger and asked him the way to the Great Northern depot. He told her he would show her the way and took her in a different direction. In the vicinity of a woodpile he choked her and took her watch and valuables. She staggered to a house nearby and gave the alarm, but some time had elapsed and the robber had escaped. In robbing her he missed taking about $700 worth of diamonds she had on.

Watch on His Person

In Hardy's possession is the watch belonging to Mrs. Sanburn it is asserted. An effort will be made to get him to cross the Red River today.

Hardy was first arrested on charge of drunkenness and the watch was found when he was searched at the station.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanburn came here with the street carnival aggregation. They decided not to pitch their tent on acount of the cold weather.

Stabs Landlady; Kills Self.

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—After plunging a knife three times into the body of his former landlady and hurling her down a flight of stairs yesterday, George Lizt of this city, believing that he had committed murder, turned the weapon on himself and inflicted wounds from which he died two hours later. The woman is in a critical condition.

Killed in Auto Wreck.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 1. — Miss Katherine Hord, member of a prominent family, was almost instantly killed; Robert Payne, a young society man, was crippled, perhaps permanently, and four other persons were more or less severely bruised when an automobile collided with a street car last evening.

Five Hundred Die of Plague.

Peking, Oct. 1.—There have been 500 deaths from the bubonic plague at Tong Sha since the outbreak of the epidemic. No alarm is felt, however, and it is not believed that the disease will spread.

Alfonso's Life in Peril.

Budapest, Oct. 1. — The police of this city yesterday arrested two anarchists suspected of plotting an attempt on the life of King Alfonso, who is now at Munich on his way to Vienna.

First National Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST
BANK IN NORTHWESTERN
MINNESOTA.

RESOURCES - OVER $1,000,000

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Oct. 1 In History.

1781—James Lawrence, naval hero, born; died of wounds, 1813, on his vessel, the Chesapeake.

1898—First joint conference of the American and Spanish peace commissioners at Paris

1904—Sir William Vernon Harcourt, successor to Gladstone as Liberal leader in the British house of commons, died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:39, rises 5:54; moon sets 9:23 p. m.; moon's age 7 days; planet Mercury visible low in the west after sunset. Constellations visible, 8:30 p. m. in October: Overhead, Cygnus, Pegasus, Delphinus; north, Ursa Minor, Ursa Major, Cepheus; northeast, Auriga, Pisces, Cassiopeia; east, Perseus, Cassiopeia; east, Taurus, Aries, Pisces; southeast, Cetus, Sculptor; south, Aquarius, Capricornus, Piscis Australis; west, Aquila, Hercules, Ophiuchus; northwest, Lyra, Corona Borealis, Draco. Bright stars visible, same hour: Overhead, Deneb; northeast, Capella; east, Aldebaran; west, Altair; northwest, Vega. Planets in October: Mercury visible in west after sunset, first 11 days; Venus rises between 2 and 3 a. m.; Mars rises about 4:30 a. m.; Jupiter rises from 3 to 1:30 a. m.; Saturn rises at about sunset; Uranus and Neptune, always invisible, at opposite quadratures with the sun. Sun in constellation Virgo till 29th, then Libra. Orionid meteors, radiating from constellation Orion, rising late in east, from the 14th to 24th.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

ASYLUM CENSUS—The insane asylum at Fergus Falls has now 1,591 inmates. 907 males and 684 females A very large number of unfortunates.

AFFECTED BY WEATHER— A. G. Frazer, R. F. D. carrier on route six is laid up with rheumatism, brought on by the cold damp weather F. C. Mitchell, substitute carrier is taking care of the route meanwhile.

GOES TO GRAND FORKS—Allan McKinnon left this morning for Grand Forks where he will spend the day getting the specifications for another dray which his firm will manufacture, this being about the 16th that has been manufactured in Crookston for Grand Forks' firms.

OPENED RESTAURANT— Smith & Panchot have opened a restaurant in the rear of the C. C. Hoch building and promise the public a first class service. They are experienced restaurant people and will certainly give those who patronize them a good service.

SENATOR WORKS HERE— Senator Works returned this morning from a business trip to Mankato and left on the local for his farm at Euclid. He says that things at the old home are looking finely. "Hurrah for Johnson" was the greeting the senator gave the Journal man, and he said it as tho he meant it.

THE CATTLE THIEVES?— The Davidson farmer Geo. Roberts who had telephoned Sheriff Gonyea yesterday to save him from cattle thieves wasn't so badly hurt, as one might suppose from the fuss he made over it. When Deputy Daniels arrived on the scene he found the Euclid cattle herder distributing the drove, he had herded all summer for the various farmers. Two of Roberts' heifers got into this herd and because they weren't returned at once, Roberts forthwith ordered an arrest, but Deputy Daniels did not see an occasion to arrest anybody as the heifers had returned home by that time.

A call has been issued for bids for the City Hall bonds in the sum of $6000 and the Sampsons addition bridge bonds in the sum of $7,500 which was voted at the recent election, and they will be opened at the meeting of the city council on Oct. 20.

It is the intention of the council to have the bridge constructed at the earliest possible date after the bonds have been sold as the bridge is an absolute necessity.

J. J. Farley, William Kelly and J. H. Spain were arrested at Larimore last night in a raid made by Deputy Sheriff Kelly and Chief R. Fadden. They are charged with running gambling resorts. A number of poker chips cards and other evidences of crime were secured. The raid was made by order of State's Attorney Wineman of Grand Forks County, who had secured evidence that games were being conducted. The accused will be given a preliminary hearing today.

The hearing on demurrer to plaintiff's complaint by the defendants in the case of Warder, Buchard and Glessner Co., vs. Ole Erickson and Albert Erickson of Township Queen this county is on for hearing before Judge Watts today. The suit is brought on some notes given by defendants to plaintiff in N. Dakota. Defendants set up as a defense, statute of limitation, which raises the point whether or not the statute of limitation runs against the defendants for the time they have lived in this state W. E. Rowe of Crookston appears for plaintiff and J. A. Hendricks of Fosston for the defendants.

The case of Julius Kessler & Co., vs. L. G. Anderson of Fosston is up for trial before Judge Watts today. J. A. Hendricks of Fosston appearing for the plaintiff and W. E. Rowe for defendant.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 2 In History.

Richard III.

1452—Richard III. of England born at Fotheringay castle; killed while battling for his throne on Bosworth Field, 1485.

1780—Major John Andre, adjutant general of the British forces in America, hanged as a spy.

1842—Dr. William Ellery Channing, noted American divine, died; born 1780.

1897—General Neal Dow, noted Federal veteran and Prohibition advocate, died; born 1804.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:37, rises 5:55; moon sets 10:15 p. m.; moon's age 8 days; moon lowest; moon at descending node, crossing sun's path downward; 6:49 a. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus, passing from west to east of the planet; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

Hal Is Secretary—Friends in this city will be interested in learning that Hal Davies, who is employed on the Fargo Morning Call, was elected secretary of the newly organized Press Club of that city.

Improved Mail Service — Grafton business men have petitioned the superintendent of the railway mail service for a Sunday mail service between St. Vincent and Pembina on Sunday, figuring that they will then be able to get their mail over the Great Northern Saturday night Winnipeg flyer to St. Vincent and then down to Grafton on the Northern Pacific in the morning.

THE MOST ACCOMMODATING—The man right here at home is the man who will be most accommodating. The home merchant is a friend of yours and he takes pains to please you and to have his service, his goods and his prices right. He often accommodates his customers by sending for what they want if he does not happen to have it in stock, he accommodates them, too by exchanging things which they have bought. Some times it is an accommodation to exchange butter and eggs for merchandise and it is sometimes a great accommodation to get a little credit from the storekeeper. It is a good thing to remember that these are accommodations that you do not get from the catalogue and mail order house.

HOME FROM WISCONSIN — Lars Aamoth returned last week from a trip to Wisconsin, where he has been visiting for a few weeks. On his way down, Mr. Aamoth visited the Minn. state fair and brought back a head of the much talked of Alaskan wheat. The head is large, measuring 1½ inches in width and 4 inches in length. The grain has somewhat the appearance of speltz, being bushy and somewhat branched. On shelling out the kernels Mr. Aamoth found the head to contain 130 of them. They were of a light color, plump and larger than those usually raised here. It is Mr. Aamoth's intention to plant every kernel of it and eventually to give it a trial on a large scale.—Twin Valley Times.

STORE ROBBED — Chief Eck received word that a general store at St. Cloud had been broken into and property valued at $1,500 stolen, and a request was made to be on the lookout for the burglars, as it was believed that they were headed in this direction. The success of the robbery was remarkable, and the police of St. Cloud are much wrought up over the deed.

It seems that the robbers secured entrance to the store by forcing a rear door and took their time in selecting what they deemed to be the most valuable and of the most use. A large quantity of winter clothing was taken and considerable jewelry, besides silverware.

Chief Eck desires to warn everyone to be on the watch for the roboers, as it is expected that they will come into this section and try to dispose of the booty.

Judge L. E. Gossman returned this morning from Bagley and qualified as Municipal Judge in Crookston and tomorrow court will be formally opened in his chambers in the city hall Judge Gossman stated today that he would offer the position of Clerk to Attorney N. B. Moran and the latter will probably accept as it will not take but a little of his time to attend to the duties at the present, and later different arrangements can be made as conditions demand.

Mrs. Ike Simmons was the victim of a painful accident this morning as a result of which she may lose two of the fingers of her right hand.

She was leading a cow to pasture as a pastime, when the animal started to run for a water trough and the rope became entangled about two of her fingers and before she could disentangle herself the skin had been torn from her hand and it was necessary to call for a physician.

Later details of the accident have not yet been received, but a large circle of friends hope that the results are not more serious than at first anticipated.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 3 In History.

1656—Miles Standish, Puritan soldier and hero of romance, died; born 1584.

1896—William Morris, English poet, died; born 1864.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:34, rises 5:57; moon sets 11:16 p. m.; moon's age 9 days; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

VISITING SISTER — Will Shappee of Beltrami manager of the Russia farm is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Bert Anderson on the O. H. Richardson farm south of the city.

NO DUCKS FLYING—W. S. Lycan and W. F. Munch came in this morning from the west. They went out to kill a few ducks but the weather turned warm and they killed "fewer" than they had anticipated as there are no ducks flying.

HAD FINE TRIP—Ed Mossefin of Fertile is in the city this afternoon enroute to his home after a trip to Warren and reports the roads in good shape and fortunately had no accidents enroute.

RETURNED FROM BELOW—Jos. Ball, the land man, accompanied by his son, Jos. Ball Jr., arrived this morning to the city. Mr. Ball has been looking after some land business in the cities and his son for some time past has been located in Oklahoma.

WELL LIKED—R. D. Bartlett, well known in this city who is now teaching school at Tabor is very well liked in his new location. A party in the city from Tabor yesterday paid Mr. Bartlett a high compliment regarding his work and also states that the enrollment of the school this year is larger than it has ever been before.

A QUARTETTE OF BROTHERS—Tamis, Aimie, Joseph and Medore Mercil are in the city and on October 7th they will all prove up on valuable claims which they have located in the northern part of the state. They all have land that will increase in value every year and are well pleased with their selections.

Cheerful Ignorance.

"You'd be surprised," said the woman who is supposed to be wise, "how many people are perfectly ignorant of the correct way to write acceptances and regrets when they are asked to entertainments. It would pay some enterprising woman to go around writing them for those who don't know how. You'd be amazed to see the people who come to me to ask how it is done or to get me to write them. And," she admitted, "if the truth must be told, I don't know so awfully much about it myself!"—Exchange.

WORK TRAINS FOR GREENBUSH

ONE TRAIN LEFT THIS MORNING AND ANOTHER ONE GOES THIS AFTERNOON

WORK WILL BE RUSHED ON NEW LINE AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE

Early this morning a work train left for Greenbush in charge of Conductor Austin with Alfred Bjoin and J. S. Lee as brakesmen, and this afternoon another one will leave, both of which will be employed on the Greenbush extension from now till the time the rails are all laid and trains in operation.

Two crews will be employed from this time forward, at least, and more will probably be put on later as occasion may require.

Saved His Boy's Life

"My three-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

For sale by All Druggists.

HERE FROM JAMESTOWN — Nels Leon arrived yesterday from Jamestown, N. D., and is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Edward Newhouse south of the city and tomorrow will visit relatives west of Crookston. He will spend about a week in this section before returning to North Dakota.

BACK FROM STATE MEET— O. O. Christianson, chairman of the Polk County Republican Central Committee returned this morning from a meeting in St. Paul where he attended the meeting of all the county chairmen with the state committee and plans were outlined for the coming campaign. Mr. Christianson says that conditions are very satisfactory, better in fact than he had expected.

STEENERSON RETURNS— Congressman Steenerson returned this morning from a trip to St. Paul where he was called on political business. Mr. Steenerson was in consultation with the state leaders regarding the coming campaign. It is understood that he will do considerable campaign work this year, not only in the state but also in several of the western states.

LANGEVIN A GRADUATE—Elmer Langevin, son of Dr. M. Langevin of this city left a few days ago for the McKillit Veterinary college at Chicago from which he will graduate this year after having completed a three years course. He has already had a great deal of valuable practical work with his father, and after his graduation will go in with some retired practitioner.

LAND MAN HERE—John Rush a well known land dealer of Mankato is spending the day in the city and will look after his interests in this section of the country for a few days He says he never saw conditions here more favorable than they are at the present time and believes there will be a heavy demand for Valley lands during the coming fall an dwinter.

HAL DAVIES HERE—Hal Davies a former employe of both the Crookston newspapers arrived in the city this morning. For some time past Mr. Davies is the editor of the Fargo Call and is also secretary of the Fargo Press Club, a new organization there which gave a grand banquet to the press of North Dakota a few days ago, at which Hon. Wm. H. Taft and his party were the guests of honor.

It makes a girl boil with indignation if she sees another girl being kissed by one of her admirers.

My Hair Ran Away

Don't have a falling out with your hair. It might leave you! Then what? That would mean thin, scraggly, uneven, rough hair. Keep your hair at home! Fasten it tightly to your scalp! You can easily do it with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is something more than a simple hair dressing. It is a hair medicine, a hair tonic, a hair food.

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JOHNSON TO TOUR THE NORTHWEST

Governor May Be Sent To Counteract The Effect Of Taft's Trip. Combine With Bryan For

Future Heirship Is Hinted. Even New York May Be Visited By The "Pine Of The North."

From Saturday's Daily—

Gov. John A. Johnson may take a campaign tour of the northwest in the trail of William Howard Taft to offset the advantage which the Republican presidential candidate may have attained as a result of his recent tour thru this section of the country for which William Jennings Bryan is just now making the fight of his life.

The national tour of Gov. Johnson if it is accomplished will not only be the answer of the Democrats to Taft but it will be a reply to the challenge of Gov. Hughes who invades the state next week.

Bryan-Johnson. Combine

The plan has added significance as it is additional evidence of the reported alliance between Bryan and Johnson, in which Johnson is to be anointed with the oil of the heir apparent as a reward for his support of Bryan in the present campaign.

It is understood that the Democratic National committee has offered to take Gov. Johnson in a special train with an elaborately advertised itinerary, thru Minnesota, the Dakotas, Montana, Iowa and Nebraska, later to be followed by an invasion of New York.

The matter has been under consideration for the past few days as a result of a proposition submitted by the national committee. It was considered at a special meeting of the kitchen cabinet held yesterday afternoon at the capitol and the advisers of Governor Johnson were in favor of its acceptance.

Won't Hurt Him at Home

The members of the cabinet professed to believe that the election of Governor Johnson is now assured in Minnesota, and, in any case, his use as a star card on the Democratic speaking ticket will not only not hurt him in Minnesota, but will increase his prestige both at home and abroad The general trend of argument was in favor of the governor's acceptance of the proposition.

It was argued that it would counteract the criticism that is being directed against the governor because he left the state to engage in public lectures, and that it can be used to bolster up Governor Johnson's defense that while doing so he was advertising the state. It was urged that if Governor Hughes of New York can afford to leave his state to invade Minnesota, there is no reason why Governor Johnson should not take the time to invade New York.

A NEGRO MURDERS HIS HOUSEKEEPER

Grand Forks, Oct. 3 — While her daughter, aged 14, danced in a downtown hall, John Henry, a negro fired five bullets into the body of his housekeeper, Mrs. Ellen Fulton, colored last night at about 9:35 at Henry's residence, 413 Cedar street. The woman died instantly.

The slayer was arrested by Officer Bliven as he started to walk away from the house. Jealousy over attentions paid to Mrs. Fulton by a negro named Brighteyes, is believed to have been the cause of the crime.

After the murder Henry muttered that he did not propose to have his home made into a disorderly house. He also made it plain that he had intended to kill the colored admirer of his housekeeper. The revolver used was a new one and had evidently been purchased during the day. Henry had been drinking.

Roomers Heard the Row

Several roomers at the Henry home heard the trouble downstairs. Henry and the woman had a bitter quarrel and the woman scored him unmercifully. It is said that she upbraided him for not paying her money which she claimed was due her as housekeeper. Henry finally shot her once. The woman fled outside and fell in the yard. Then the murderer shot four bullets into her body. He held the revolver so close to her that her clothing caught fire.

The shooting outdoors attracted the people of the vicinity. Ed Howard and wife, colored, residing next door hurried over and saw Henry standing over the woman with the smoking revolver in his hand. Howard and his wife heard Mrs. Fulton cry: "He shot me." This was as she came thru the door. Howard wanted to know why Henry had committed the crime and he muttered something about Mrs. Fulton wanting to run a disorderly house.

Stays Until Officer Arrives.

News came to the central police station of the shooting by telephone. The party who telephoned was so excited that he could not tell what had happened. Officer Bliven hurried to the house in a hack and an excited negro pointed out Henry as he started to walk away. He was not molested by the negroes who gathered in great numbers and who were very much afraid of him. Officer Bliven telephoned to the police station and Chief Overby and Special Officer Dan Leahy hurried to the house. The three officers placed Henry in a hack and took him to the county jail. Henry had little to say on his way to the jail. He kept muttering: "John Henry shot Ellen Fulton." He did not seem to fully realize what a serious crime he had committed.

The body of the woman was taken to Norman's undertaking rooms and Coroner Rounsvell was notified. He will arrive in Grand Forks on the morning train. The inquest will be held today.

Mrs. Fulton, who was about 50 years of age came here from Willow City, N. D. On August 28 she had George W. Field, colored, arrested on a charge of criminal assault. He was held to the district court in the sum of $1,000 and went to jail in default of the bond. Fields contended that the woman was a blackmailer.

The slayer has been here for a number of years. He was known to be a peaceful negro. He was employed as a laborer and was about 50 years old.

Mrs. Fulton had another daughter Mrs. Fannie Black, residing at Jacksonville, Ill. She was notified by wire last night.

IS SANCTIONED BY REPUBLICAN PRECEDENT

WILLMAR JOURNAL, (REP)

The Journal doesn't see any sense in this all-third term talk being put out in some quarters. There is nothing in it. The Republicans were the first to give a man a third gubernatorial term when they so honored Governor Pillsbury. Many other state officers have held term after term, as long as they could induce the convention to again nominate them. The third term rule has always been recognized by the Republicans in Minnesota all along the line from the highest office to that of coroner, or member of school board, or town clerk or pound master. Then why raise it at this time? True, a bill was introduced in the '05 legislature for a constitutional amendment limiting state officers to two terms, but the bill was smoothered in the judiciary committee composed of twenty-one Republicans and one Democrat. — Willmar Journal (Rep.)

HERE A HALF CENTURY; JUST MADE A CITIZEN

Judge Grindeland Yesterday Made A Citizen Of The Man After Whom McIntosh Was Named.

Judge A. Grindeland this morning passed thru Crookston enroute home from Mahnomen where yesterday he held a special term of court to grant citizenship papers. The regular term of court will commence next week in Mahnomen County but as citizenship papers cannot be granted less than 30 days before election, it was necessary to hold the special term, tho but three new citizens were made.

A remarkable feature of the term was that Mr. McIntosh, the man after whom the thriving little city in the eastern part of the county was named was made a citizen. Mr. McIntosh has been living in the United States since 1862, 46 years, nearly half a century but has never before been a real citizen. He came here from Canada.

INVITATION IS EXTENDED

CROOKSTON WANTS TO ENTERTAIN NEXT CONGREGATIONAL STATE MEETING

From Monday's Daily—

The Congregational people of Crookston have invited the coming of the next State Association to this city. It was done after morning worship yesterday. Today the formal invitation is on its way.

It will be of interest to know that there are 222 Congregational churches in the state and 218 ministers. Their property is valued at nearly two million dollars and the home expenses over-run $260,000.00 with $65,734.00 in annual benevolent gifts.

It is probable that the attendance at next year's meeting will be about 150, including delegates to the women's societies. The serious problem is that of entertaining the guests, but the local church looks to the hospitality of our community to take good care of that.

This meeting if it comes to Crookston will bring a company of most excellent men and women to our city. Probably not a few will come with a view to inspecting Crookston's "opportunities." It will be well worth while to prepare a most hospitable welcome.

In addition to the invitation extended from the church the business men of the city will this evening forward a most cordial invitation to hold the next Congregational meeting here, and this will add to the strength of the invitation from the church.

Actions of the bass drummer speak louder than his words.

HEMPSTEAD DEFAULTED

THE AMOUNT OF HIS SHORTAGE IS NOT AS YET KNOWN

REASON OF SHORTAGE BASED UPON SEVERAL SUPPOSITIONS

From Monday's Daily—

John Hempstead cashier of the State Bank of Emerado was a defaulter, it has been ascertained and it was for this reason that he took his life last Tuesday in Grand Forks. The amount of his shortage in the Farmers' Elevator company of Emerado, has not been established, but the estimates run as high as $13,000.

The exact amount of his defalcations are unknown. It is pretty well settled that he used the funds of the bank unlawfully but to what extent is not known. The bank will not be affected by the shortage.

As agent of certain land firms Mr. Hempstead is stated to have made no reports of collections made on some contracts this year, altho it is known that he was paid.

Yesterday forenoon a deed transferring a half section of land in Mecknock township from Hempstead to his wife, Edna Hempstead was filed The consideration was placed at $8,000 and the deed had been made out on Monday but had been held up on account of unpaid taxes.

And if the average woman gave voice only to her thoughts she would talk less.

The average man would rather admit that he is wrong than to admit the other fellow is right.

COL. HALDEMAN IS OPTIMISTIC

He Visits Chicago And Talks A Few Lines On National Politics.

Colonel W. B. Haldeman of Louisville, Ky., one of the owners of the Courier-Journal and Times, was in Chicago recently. When asked what he thought of the outlook he said:

"I have no knowledge of conditions in the east, as I have been in the west for two months past. I have no doubt the state of Colorado, despite of corporate interests that are said to govern that state, will cast its electoral vote for Mr. Bryan next November. I also believe that Nebraska will be found in the Democratic column. I find that wherever I have been thruout the west, a vast number of republicans who will vote the Democratic ticket, and I have failed to find a single man who was a democrat by conviction who will not vote for Mr. Bryan. The Democrats who were numbered as Gold Democrats in 1896 and were democrats from conviction, will vote for Mr. Bryan in 1908, and those who belonged to corporations or were subject to corporate interests and became republicans because they recognized that they had to look to corporate interests, will vote the republican ticket because they have been republicans ever since 1896, and were at heart republicans before 1896. I find that many Roosevelt republicans who look upon President Roosevelt as the great American of the last fifty years also think that Mr. Bryan originated ideas that Mr. Roosevelt appropriated as thoroly American, and with the belief, that as Roosevelt republicans he will carry out their views most thoroly, are ardent in the support of Mr. Bryan and propose to vote for him in the coming campaign. I have sounded men who have never voted anything but the republican ticket before who tell me they propose to vote for Mr. Bryan in the coming campaign because they believe he is honest and has most typical ideas of honesty in government and who is thoroly pure in his domestic life, and that they believe any party that has been in power as long as the republican party have raised a corps of grafters and a system of graftism that means much for the few and little for the many, and therefore they believe it will be best if the people have a change in office.

"My belief, and it is not based on my wish that Mr. Bryan shall be elected President, is that the American people will not sanction the turning over by one man to his own legatee of the power of this great republic, and that the masses will, despite the vast amount of money to be thrown into this campaign by corporations, select Wm. Jennings Bryan as the representative of the American people, and as the head of the greatest nation that today exists in the world.

MAKE THIS AT HOME

MIX IT YOURSELF BY SHAKING INGREDIENTS IN BOTTLE—SIMPLE REMEDY

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE IN VICINITY HERE WILL WELCOME THIS ADVICE

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, which is said to be a positive remedy for backache or kidney or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic affictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

BETTER FIRE PROTECTION

The new militant mood of the country's fire insurance interests it is said will make a meeting of the Fire Underwriters' Association of the Northwest, in Chicago, October 7, something of a milestone in fire insurance history. "Patience has ceased to be a virtue," they say, the import of the remark being best understood by the fact that in nearly every state of the Union the fire insurance companies are made the target for one to fifty-seven varieties of proposed legislation, most of it being aimer at any mutual interchange of experience to enable each company to adapt their rates to the comparative hazard of the different classes of property, "anti-compact" bills, so-called.

The fire losses in recent years have been so enormous that the insurance companies have seen wiped out the profits of a score of years, mostly made in the investment of the big sums of money in their hands and not from underwriting, which has not been profitable. A scientific re-adjustment of rates is their goal, that and the enactment of laws establishing the office of fire marshall whose duty it will be to investigate questionable fires and bring incendiaries to punishment, arson having been encouraged in recent years, according to the records, particularly by "valued policy" laws, which exacted the payment of a fixed sum in the case of loss by fire. Fire insurance officials and special agents from a score of states will be present at the conference. The responsibility of the public to the insurance companies and the importance to all business of sound insurance will be subjects of discussion.

BIG ENGINES ARE SENT EAST

A freight train from the west this morning had three dead head engines which were being sent in to Barnesville shops for repairs. The heavy grain traffic at the present time makes an immense amount of work for the boilermakers.

RAILS FOR THE GREENBUSH EXTENSION

The freight train from the west this morning had two cars of rails from the Dakota Division which will be shipped to Greenbush to day for the extension from Greenbush to Warroad, the work on which is being rushed with all possible speed.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

FAMILY IN POVERTY

FIVE LITTLE CHILDREN IN MISSOURI UNPROVIDED FOR

MAN WHO WAS MURDERED IN A BOX CAR NEAR WADENA LEAVES

From Tuesday's Daily—

Frank Grac, the Keytsville, Missouri man, who was murdered in a box car on the N. P. last week and who died as a result of his injuries at Staples, leaves a wife and five children.

Grace and his son had been working near Miles City, Montana. When they boarded a train the brakesman accosted them and offered to place them in a box car and send them thru for $1 each. They paid the money and the brakeman sealed the car after letting in five more men. The car came thru as far as Lake Park, when it was opened and the two supposed negroes were let in. They soon held up the men who had ridden thru from Montana, and when the elder Grace resisted, shot him thru the abdomen and shoulder.

Grace died at Staples after several days of suff ering. When he passed away a purse was raised with which to buy a casket and to buy a lot in the Staples cemetery. Sufficient money was raised to pay all funeral expenses.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church at Fergus Falls Rev. Dodds officiating. Another purse was raised at Staples to send the dead man's son home to Keytsville, Mo. He was not accustomed to the ways of the world and would have been utterly helpless without the financial aid given him. Rev. Dodds wrote a letter to Mrs. Grace telling her of what had been done and assuring her that her husband had been given a respectable burial.

It is understood that there are five children in the Grace family and their little farm in Missouri is heavily encumbered. Mr. Grace and his son had been receiving good wages in Montana and they had sent some of the money home to help pay off the debt on the farm. The family is thus left in hard circumstances.

MC'NABB HERE FROM WEST

FORMER CHIEF DISPATCHER OF NORTHERN DIVISION OF G. N. IN THE CITY

IS NOW TRAVELING CHIEF DISPATCHER —SPENDING DAY ON BUSINESS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Traveling Chief Dispatcher McNabb of the Great Northern, former chief dispatcher of the Northern Division with headquarters here, arrived this morning from White Fish, Montana and is conferring with the local G. N. officials.

He says the crops are the best in the grain line that they have been in years in the far west, and that the fruit is also a big crop and heavy shipments are being made.

Regarding stock he says that the shipments are light from Montana as yet, but that there is much activity in Great Northern circles in that state owing to the extensive repairs made necessary by the great washouts there during the early summer months. He reports general conditions fine everywhere. He makes his headquarters in St. Paul and will leave for there tonight. He reports that the heavy snow which fell in Montana some time ago has all melted.

GYMNASTICS A FEATURE

CLASS OF 20 TO BE STARTED AT THE CO. I HALL AT ONCE

From Monday's Daily—

Captain Westerberg was in the Journal office this morning and stated that he was very much pleased with the plan to have a class in gymnastics at the hall and the class can be filled without an effort at all.

Lucius Miller has agreed to coach the class for a very nominal sum and the plan is to later organize a business men's class. This latter plan will probably be put in effect the first of the year or probably shortly before that time and when it is there will without doubt be more applicants than there can be taken care of.

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STRICTLY MODERN

WRIGHT-CARPENTER CO. TO HAVE BUILDING COMPLETELY REMODELLED

WILL BE MADE STRICTLY MODERN IN EVERY RESPECT IN NEAR FUTURE

PARTITION TO BE TAKEN OUT—ONE BIG MAIN ENTRANCE FACING EAST

From Tuesday's Daily—

The New Store is soon to have for its home one of the most modern mercantile buildings to be found in the entire northwest. Messrs. Wright and Carpenter announced this fact this morning and work will at once be started with this end in view.

There will be an entire new front put in, strictly modern, of plate glass and instead of three, as at present, there will be one entrance which will be close to the center of the building where the wall now stands dividing the clothing and the dry goods departments. This wall will be removed and a steel truss will take its place. There will be one immense display window on each side of the door, and the interior shelving will all be reconstructed and made strictly up-to-date.

There will also be a complete new line of show cases installed and the basement will be fitted up into a monster department and as soon as the work is completed there will be a regular, bargain basement where special sales will be in progress at all times.

These repairs will make the New Store one of the most complete and modern department stores to be found in the entire northwest.

JUDGE HAS BUSY DAY

FOUR DRUNKS WERE ARRESTED THIS MORNING AND ALL OF THEM FINED

ONE WAS SOAKED $5.45, 1 SENT TO JAIL FOR 15 DAYS, 2 SENT FROM CITY

From Monday's Daily—

Judge Gossman the first municipal judge of Crookston was in his seat for the first time today. He had only four men before him and he sentenced them all.

The first one he fined $5.45, the second two he sent to the city dumping ground to work for Pat, and the last one was sent to the county jail for 15 days.

And Judge Gossman did not say a word in the meantime.

CIVIL CASES EACH TUESDAY

JUDGE GOSSMAN OF MUNICIPAL COURT MET WITH ATTORNEYS THIS MORNING

Judge L. E. Gossman met with the attorneys of Crookston this morning and as a result an order was issued to the effect that court would sit at ten o'clock Tuesday morning of each week for the trying of civil cases, and continue in session until all business is disposed of. Court sits each morning at ten o'clock for the disposition of criminal work.

FIRE IN THE HAMM BUILDING

Fire was discovered in the bulidings in the rear of the Hamm buliding on Main street Friday evening about 7:30 p. m. It took but a few minutes before the whole rear part was ablaze and for a time it seemed as if the whole building was doomed so rapidly was the fire making headway. In a very few minutes the fire company was on hand and had a good stream of water playing on the blaze and soon had the fire under control.—Oslo Tribune.

DEATH CAME VERY SUDDENLY

Mrs. Fred P. Nash, of Garnd Forks, died suddenly Sunday of blood poisoning. She is well known in this city and her sudden demise will come as a great shock to her many friends. The funeral will take place tomorrow from the family residence at 2 o'clock.

FAVORED FRANCHISE

EAST GRAND FORKS COMMERCIAL CLUB PASSED RESOLUTIONS LAST EVENING

URGING THE DESIRABILITY OF STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE BY THAT CITY

RAILS ARE NOW BEING RAPIDLY BEING LAID FOR GRAND FORKS LINE

From Tuesday's Daily—

W. A. Marin returned this morning from Grand Forks and East Grand Forks where he has been attending to some business in connection with the Grand Forks street railway. Mr. Marin states that the rails are now being laid in Grand Forks by Contractor as rapidly as possible.

Last evening there was a special meeting of the East Grand Forks Commercial Club, and resolutions were passed strongly favoring the granting of a franchise by that city, and the East Grand Forks city council will without doubt follow the suggestions made.

LYCAN AND CO. HAVE DISOLVED

W. S. LYCAN WILL CONDUCT THE HOTEL CROOKSTON AS IN THE PAST

F. S. LYCAN WILL BE INTERESTED ONLY IN HOTEL MARKHAM AT BEMIDJI

From Tuesday's Daily—

It was announced today officially that the big hotel firm of W. S. Lycan & Co., of Crookston and Bemidji had been dissolved by mutual consent.

W. S. Lycan will continue to operate the Hotel Crookston and F. S. Lycan will operate the Hotel Markham at Bemidji. W. S. Lycan and Co., organized when F. S. Lycan severed his connection with the Grand Forks Mercantile Co., and the two have been associated ever since, W. S. Lycan having been established in the Hotel Crookston prior to that time.

FINE BLOOD IS SHIPPED IN

EVIDENCES OF INCREASING ATTENTION TO BETTER BREEDS

This morning at the Great Northern depot a fine Holstein Bull, over a year old, and weighing 600 or 700 pounds, crated, excited considerable attention, as an animal of that size is very seldom shipped by express. The purchaser was a prominent farmer near Greenbush, and the shipment was but another indication of the fact that the farmers in this section are paying more attention to stock raising and realize that it only pays to raise the best breeds. This is but one of scores of shipments that have been made thru Crookston recently.

King Opposes Tipping

King Edward is greatly opposed to tipping and does his level best to suppress the practice. In fact, he has induced several of his subjects to take steps in this direction. Worthy of note also is the fact that golden grain belt beer will please the most critical taste and will contribute to the health, comfort and happiness of the consumer. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

FARM LOANS

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN' CO.
FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

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REMARKABLE ALIBI TO BE OFFERED

MAN ACCUSED OF MURDERING FORMER FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA WOMAN

WILL TRY TO PROVE HE DIDN'T KNOW THE WOMAN MURDERED

Chicago, Oct. 14—Luman C. Mann, still confined in a cell in the Harrison street police station charged with the murder of Mrs. Frances Gilmor Thompson in a Michigan avenue rooming house last June, will rely upon a most remarkable alibi to prove himself innocent.

This alibi will be young Mann's principal defense. When his case is called for trial he will take the stand in his own behalf and will also call numerous witnesses in his attempt to show that he could not have been anywhere in the vicinity of the rooming house where the murder was done at the time that the woman was being strangled to death, and also in his effort to prove that he did not even know the woman, on the other hand, the police, working on every clue that has been presented to them are enmeshing the accused youth closer and closer in their network of evidence. According to the statements of the men who have charge of the case against the son of the wealthy railway supply dealer has been made out.

The case as it stands now is one of the most remarkable in the annals of the Chicago police department. In the complexity of its ramifications, in the different angles it presents, in the number of people seemingly in all walks of life that it drags into the limelight, it is a tangle of statements identifications, contradictions and hearsay that will take a jury finally to unravel.

SUCCEED DUPONT

MEMBER OF LOWER HOUSE OF CONGRESS FROM NEW YORK IS NAMED

BENNET HAS BEEN NAMED AS CHAIRMAN OF REPUBLICAN SPEAKER'S BUREAU

New York, Oct. 14 — Chairman Hitchcock of the republican national committee announced tonight that Representative W. S. Bennet member of the lower house of congress from one of the districts of New York city had been selected as chairman of speakers bureau in place of Mr. Dupont who recently resigned.

Two Killed at Celebration.

Montreal, Oct. 13.—Francesco Martalli invited some friends to his house to celebrate his homecoming after a season's work in a railway camp. A row started in which Martalli and Donato Caluori, one of the guests, were shot and killed. Michael Caluori, the twenty-year-old son of one of the dead men, is under arrest charged with the double murder.

EAGLES

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 14—Capt. Robert A. Koontz, clerk of Spokane county, has issued an open chalenge on behalf of Spokane Aerie No. 2 Fraternal Order of Eagles, for its team to meet any similar organization on the continent in display drill competition.

Journal want ads bring results.

A SENSATIONAL CHARGE MADE BY COMMITTEE

Historical Society

Claim Roosevelt Bribed A Labor Leader By Offer Of Office In Washington.

Claim That President Keefe Of Longshoremen's Union Will Get Position Of Commission Of Immigration In Return For Service To Republicans In Present Campaign.

New York, Oct. 14—The democratic national committee tonight made public tht following statements: "It was stated at national democratic headquarters tonight that President Roosevelt by a promise of office has succeeded in having one of the big men of the American Federation of Labor desert President Gompers in his advocacy of the election of Bryan for the presidency. The labor leader in question is Daniel J. Keefe of Detroit, president of the International association of Longshoremen and one of the vice presidents of the Federation of Labor. The democratic national committee alleges that Keefe and the president were closeted for several hours in Washington, Oct. 3 and the offer of being named commissioner general of emigration, made vacant by the death of Commissioner Sargent, was made in consideration of Keefe repudiating Gompers and the executive council of the federation.

"Source of the democratic committees information was not divulged today but information was offered that should Keefe or Roosevelt deny the change another big labor leader, now in New York will come forward with facts to prove that the offer was made and Keefe accepted it and has commenced to make good his part of the deal."

Great Britain Recedes.

London, Oct. 13.—Great Britain has receded from her previously expressed determination to confine the questions to be discussed at the proposed international conference regarding the Balkans to the recent events in Bulgaria and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Cretan Parliament Acts.

Canea, Island of Crete, Oct. 13.—The Cretan parliament met and formally voted the union of the island with Greece. The Moslem delegates were not present.

CIVIL WAR VOLUNTEER

DR. CHARLES FRANKLIN RAND FIRST TO RESPOND TO LINCOLN'S CALL PASSES AWAY

Washington, Oct. 14.—Dr. Charles Rand first volunteer to enlist in the Union army after President Lincoln's call for troops, and the first soldier to receive from congress a medal of honor for bravery on the field, died here today aged 70 years. He was born in Batívia, N. Y. He spent three months in Libby prison. Later President Lincoln appointed him provost marshal of the District of Columbia. He will be buried at Arlington in lot number one which was set aside about forty years ago for the first volunteer when he died.

Married Man in Trouble

A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package.

For sale by All Druggists.

DAN FAILED

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 14—The big event of the day was the race Dan Patch made against time. The great horse was unable to lower his record and the best he could do the mile in was 1:56 1-4.

New York, Oct. 13.—A deadly disease, in some respects like the grip, but highly contagious and far more mortal, has attacked the already depleted tribes of the Cree Indians on the shores of James and Hudson bays, killing men, women and children by scores. Alanson Skinner of the department of anthropolgy of the American Museum of Natural History, who recently returned from an exhaustive study of the people of that country, brought the news of the plague to this city. Mr. Skinner said:

"The illness manifested itself in colds, followed by coughs, fever and nausea. Unless the sufferers were of very strong physique they died very quickly."

GETS FISH POLE THEN CHILDREN

LaCrosse, Wis., Oct. 14—With his house burning and his wife and children inside, the first thing W. C. Dean rescued was his fish pole. After carefully depositing the tackle in a place of safety, Dean brought out the children.

BRYAN BEGINS TOUR IN HOME STATE

Wahoo, Neb., Oct. 14—Accompanied by all the democratic candidates for state offices, with the exception of one or two, Bryan today campaigned in his own state and tonight at this place completed the first of his three days' Nebraska tour. Big crowd greeted him at every point and when the day's work was over he had delivered 21 speeches varying in length from five minutes to an hour. His arguments were confined largely to answering the statements of Taft and Hughes who but recently visited Nebraska. The audiences were composed mostly of farmers.

Championship Baseball Series

TODAY'S GAME:- Pitchers: Chicago, Overall; Detroit, Donovan.

CHICAGO 2 ; DETROIT 0.

Castro's Health Improved.

Caracas, Venezuela, Oct. 13.—The health of President Castro shows much improvement. He was seen on the streets of the city for the first time since his return from Valencia. He drove to the Yellow House to transact state business.

Mrs. Nord Alexis Dead.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Oct. 13.—Mme. Nord Alexis, wife of the aged president of Hayti, died here after a short illness. The government is preparing for a national funeral.

BALLOON IN NORTH SEA

SECOND OF AMERICAN BALLOONS, ST. LOUIS, IN BERLIN RACE DESTROYED

Berlin, Oct. 14—The second of the three American balloons that started in the race for the International trophy on Sunday from Schmargendorf has met disaster in the North Sea. The Saint Louis, manned by N. H. Arnold, of North Adams, Mass., and Harry J. Hewitt, was carried over land by treacherous air currents and later in the haze the aeronauts lost their bearings until suddenly last night they saw the guard lights of the unknown coast.

This meant they must descend or risk the danger of being driven far out of the track of vessels. They chose the former course and for an hour they were buffeted by the waves almost giving up in despair.

Eventually they were rescued by a lifeboat and the first intimation that an accident had occurred to the Saint Louis, was conveyed in a wireless message from Arnold saying "lost everything in the North sea last night."

EXPOSURE

New York, N. Y., Oct. 14—Charging that wholesale registration frauds have been committed and that Tammany leaders intend to vote hundreds of "Repeaters" at the coming election, the campaign committee of the independence party today announced that it had placed at the disposal of State Superintendent of Elections Leary sworn evidence to prove the charge.

Dead at Age of 109.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Mrs. Charlotte Decker is dead here. She would have been 110 years old on Nov. 27. Her father, Godfrey Reals, was a volunteer in the colonial army and served until the colonies were free. Mrs. Decker could remember her father telling of the privations of the soldiers at Valley Forge. Mrs. Decker was married three times, the last time, at the age of 102 years, to Samuel Decker, aged sixty-two.

SUFFRAG'TES RIOT IN LONDON

GOOD NATURED MOB BESIEGES HOUSE OF COMMONS, CAUSING SOME DAMAGE

London, Oct. 14—The climax of the suffragette campaign was reached last night when an enormous mob hemmed in parliament and stopped the tarffic in all the streets leading to Westminister. For more than three hours the crowds scuffled good naturedly with the police, interfered with theatre goers, broke windows and disorganized things generally in the center of London. The heroine of the day was Mrs. Travers Symons, formerly secretary to James Keir Hardie, socialist and independent member of parliament, who reached the door of the house of commons by strategy. The house was debating the bill to prevent children from cigarette smoking when a woman dashed past the doorkeeper to a position in front of the speaker's chair and shouted shrilly:

"Leave off discussing children and talk about women."

Three officials seized Mrs. Symons and carried her out bodily.

The appeal issued by the suffragettes for 50,000 persons to help them "rush" parliament this evening was a most successful stroke. Twice that number responded to the call and nine-tenths of these were young people who came to see the fun. There were also a few hundred of the unemployed and their sympathizers.

Woman Interrupts Political Speaker

A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package Refuse substitutes.

For sale by All Druggists.

CHINK IN TROUBLE

ABERDEEN LAUNDRYMAN HAS SESSION WITH THE POLICE OF THE CITY

HAS BEEN IN TROUBLE BEFORE AND THIS TIME WAS SELLING HOP

Aberdeen, S. D., Oct. 14—Kim Wing the Celestial laundryman of Fourth avenue east, is having all kinds of trouble with the city authorities. It was but a short time ago that he was arrested and fined for taking a pocketbook of one of his customers and yesterday he was arrested for selling some opium to some of the descendants of Ham who reside over the Kim Wing joint. Kim was hailed before Judge Jones but he took a change of venue to Judge Spink's court where he will have a hearing today.

DIED

Winnipeg, Oct. 14—A most distressing accident occurred in East Kildonan, one mile below the ferry, on Saturday afternoon when Lavelle Fortier a fifteen year old boy, was terribly wounded in the right lung as the result of a shotgun which he was holding at the time. He died about three hours afterwards in Thompson's ambulance while being removed to the St. Boniface hospital.

Read The Journal Wants.

BABY BOY HAD ITCHING HUMOR

Which Broke Out in Different Places—Nothing Would Help Him—Mother Almost in Despair—Skin Quickly Healed Without a Scar and Trouble Has Never Returned

SINCE USING CUTICURA MOTHER GIVES IT PRAISE

"Several months ago, my little boy, now two and a half years old, began to break out with itching sores. I began to doctor him, and as soon as I got them healed up in one place they would break out in another. I was almost in despair. I could not get anything that would help him. One evening I read a testimonial from a lady who had cured her little boy with Cuticura. I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and after using them three times, the sores commenced to heal. He is now well, and not a scar is left on his body. They have never returned nor left him with bad blood, as one would think. Cuticura Remedies are the best I have ever tried, and they are surely great. I shall always have them in the house, handy, and shall highly recommend them to any one who is suffering likewise. I cannot give them too much praise. Mrs. William Geeding, 102 Washington St., Attica, Ind., July 22, 1907."

ITCHING TORMENTS

From little patches of eczema, tetter, milk crust, psoriasis, etc., on the skin, scalp, or hands of infants, children, or adults are instantly relieved and speedily cured, in the majority of cases, by warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, assisted, when necessary, by mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent. Cuticura Remedies are guaranteed absolutely pure.

Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. Boston, Mass.

Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

OBSEQUIES OF MRS. NASH YESTERDAY

LAST SAD RITES PERFORMED BY REV. DR. F. H. HAYES

From Friday's Daily—

The funeral of Mrs. F. P. Nash occurred yesterday morning from the family home on South Fifth street in Grand Forks, in the presence of a large assemblage of sorrowing friends neighbors and citizens, who by their presence testified of the high esteem in which Mrs. Nash was held.

The services were conducted by Dr. F. H. Hayes former pastor of the family who came from Chicago yesterday morning to perform the last offices. He spoke briefly and paid a high tribute to the character of the deceased and spoke fitting words of consolation to the bereaved family and friends. A quartette rendered several appropriate musical selections and the services were very impressive thruout. Floral offerings both numerous and beautiful covered the casket. Interment was made at Memorial park. H. B. Finch, W. K. Nash, R. D. Campbell, W. R. Vanderhoef, W. M. Rand and C. B. Rogers officiated as pall bearers.

Among those present at the obsequies from out of town were W. T. Carlisle and C. L. Winslow, of Crookston, Thomas Griffin, O. M. Pierce and G. M. Booker, of Minot, J. E. McLean of Brandon and F. H. DeCamp of Winnipeg. The wholesale houses of Nash Bros., and the Grand Forks Mercantile company were closed all day as a mark of respect.

WANT TO KNOW LOCAL SENTIMENT

MASS MEETING CALLED TO DISCUSS COUNTY DIVISION PROPOSITION

At a special meeting of the Twenty-Five Thousand Club yesterday it was decided to call a mass meeting of citizens to be held at the city hall Wednesday evening next, at which time local business and professional men as well as many others who desire, will be called upon to express their sentiments regarding the county division proposition, and a cordial invitation is extended every citizen of Crookston to be present in order that there may be a free expression of opinion.

Women know a lot about raising children, if they haven't any.

Many a man has quit drinking—when he couldn't hold any more.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals lungs

BRYAN IS TICKLED

OVER OMAHA BEE'S RICH ERROR REGARDING THE TARIFF PARAGRAPH

SAYS ROSEWATER TOOK TERRIFIC WALLOP AT REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

From Friday's Daily—

There was much amusement at Fairview, W. J. Bryan's home near Lincoln, Neb., a few days ago, on the receipt of the Omaha papers. In the Omaha Bee published by Victor Rosewater, a member of the Republican executive committee and head of the Republican publicity bureau, there was an editorial criticising in vigorous language an extract from the supposed speech of Mr. Bryan on the tariff question. The words complained of in the editorial were: "In all tariff legislation the true principle is best maintained by the imposition of such duties as will equal the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad, together with reasonable profit to American industries."

In regard to this the Bee stated editorially:

"Nothing prettier in the catch-all line has been offered in this campaign. The most hide-bound stand-patter in the country can accept that as satisfactory and the rankest free-trader can find delight in it. The declaration means simply nothing. An attempt to legislate along that line would simply open the way to interminable wrangling as to what constitutes 'a reasonable profit,' for hair-splitting on wages on one industry, price of raw materials in another rebates and drawbacks in a third, and so on thru the list of thousands of articles that are now on the tariff lists. Bryan's revision would serve only to halt industrial and commercial progress and keep business unsettled during his term of office."

The World-Herald shows that the words complained of are not a part of any speech of Mr. Bryan's but a part of the Republican platform, and that the head of the Republican publicity bureau and member of the executive committee of the national committee had, thru the editorial columns of the paper published by him, severely criticised one of the planks of the platform on which Mr. Taft is running.

Bryan Tickled Over It

When Mr. Bryan's attention was called to the Omaha WorldHerald's editorial reproducing the Omaha Bee's attack on the Republican platform he said:

"I am very much surprised that Mr. Rosewater, who is the editor of the Bee and also a member of the executive committee of the Republican national committee and the head of the Republican bureau of publicity should have attempted to misrepresent my position. A good many unfair things have been said but nothing more unfair than that said by Mr. Rosewater. To accuse me of using the language of the Republican platform is an outrage. He ought to apologize for this injustice and explain to his readers that the language which he criticises was taken from the Republican platform and not from any speech of mine.

'Mr. Rosewater is right, however, in making fun of the language. He is right in saying that 'nothing prettier in the catch-all line has been offered in this campaign.' He is also right in saying that 'the most hide-bound standpatter in the country can accept this as satisfactory and the rankest free trader can find delight in it.' He is right again in saying that 'the declaration means simply nothing,' and again is right in saying 'an attempt to legislate along that line would simply open the way to interminable wrangling as to what constitutes a reasonable profit' for hair-splitting on wages in one industry, rebates and drawbacks in a third, and so on thru the list of thousands of articles that are now on the tariff lists."

Calls It "Rich Find"

"But I hardly expected from him so frank a confession as is contained in the last sentence of his editorial."

"This is a rich find. It shows how absurd the Republican platform looks to a Republican when the Republican has a chance to look at it in a disinterested way. When Mr. Rosewater thought that the language quoted was taken from a speech of mine he could see how ridiculous the language was. I hope that his opinion of the language will not change when he finds that he was shooting at his own platform instead of at me. The amusing blunder of the Omaha Bee suggested a new diversion for the campaign. Let the Democrats accuse me of using various sections from the Republican platform and from Mr. Taft's speeches, and see how the Republican editors will ridicule the language."

MORE VICTORIES FOR PROTECTION OF GAME

GAM EWARDEN MUNCH AND ST AR BA DBOY SECURE IMPORTANT CONVICTIONS AND THE WAR DENS AT GRAND RAPIDS ALSO SCORE A DECIDED VICTORY OVER ILLEGAL KILLING OF GAME —COST THE VIOLATORS VERY DEARLY

Game Warden Munch returns this morning from Mahnomen where with Star Bad Boy he secured two important convictions for violations of the game laws of the state. Joe Wadena, whose Indian name is Bay-ka-no which means "Champion in Play" was arrested 25 miles east of Mahnomen at Twin Lakes and entered a plea of guilty to shooting a cow and bull moose before Judge A. G. Schulind.

Fred Aginash otherwise known as Wa-wadg-wem meaning "center of rapids" was also arrested for trapping mink and musk-rats out of season at the same place and entered a plea of guilty when apprehended before the same judge. A stay of 20 days was granted in both cases.

Commission is Pleased

Enroute home Warden Munch met Carlos Aveny, Executive Agent of the State Game and Fish Commission who was just returning from Grand Rapids where the state had scored several more decided victories. Wardens Jess Harry and Art Somons of that place had apprehended Wm. Perrington for killing o moose five miles west of Grand Rapids.

Perrington called for a trial by jury and after a trial in which the evidence was conclusive against the accused, he was fined $78.70. And this was not all, he will be prosecuted on one or two other charges unless he will bring in a moose head from the woods, the location of which he stubbornly refused to divulge thus far.

To make it still better, Wm. Anderson of Grand Rapids was found guilty of buying 30 pounds of the meat and was fined $75 and costs. Chas. Wright of the same place was arrested for buying meat also, but owing to the lateness of the hour his case was postponed to the 16th.

Both Mr. Avery and the entire commission feel highly elated over the convictions secured as heretofore it has been impossible to secure convictions by jury at Grand Rapids or in that section.

Nelson on Guaranty of Bank Depostts

"Out of their mouths shall they be condemned."

Presidential Candidate Taft has come and gone and during his flying trip through the state he did not lose an opportunity to attempt to prove the fallacy of the bank deposit guaranty plan of the Democratic platform. As the guaranteeing of bank deposits is receiving much attention at the present time, as it is being fiercely attacked by the Republicans and as stoutly defended by the Democrats, it might not come amiss to look over the field and see who is most conspicuous in assailing this principle and who most active in its defense.

The principal opposition to the idea comes from the big banks, which claim that its general adoption will result in placing all banks on the same plane; that the large institutions will be compelled to support the weak ones in times of stress and that it will also encourage reckless methods, as the crooked or reckless financier will take advantage of the situation created by the guarantee and use it to his selfish advantage. It is also condemned by the general Republican politician, not because he knows anything about it, or because he doubts its soundness, but because the Democrats "saw it first," and it therefore became a Democratic measure, and for that reason it must be opposed.

On the other hand it is supported by many small bankers and by the general run of depositors, who feel that they are entitled to security of some kind when they put their money in the hands of another man. They argue that when the banker entrusts them with money from his institution he exacts security, and they believe it is right and proper that he do so, but they are personally as honest as he; why then should he be placed in a class by himself and be permitted to handle millions of other people's money without guarantee that it shall ever be returned?

The supporters of this contention are not confined to any walk in life, nor to any political party. When Mr. Taft was ridiculing the idea in his Minnesota speeches he was perhaps unaware that he was verbally lashing a member of his own party—a man whose sound judgment the people of Minnesota, regardless of political affiliations, have every confidence. But that was just what he was doing.

It will perhaps surprise many of his Minnesota constituents to learn that Senator Nelson introduced an amendment to the Vreeland-Aldrich currency bill in the senate, on March 27 last, which provided for the guaranteeing of deposits in national banks. In substance this amendment provided:

That one-half of all taxes paid on national bank currency by banking associations be set apart in the United States treasury as a depositors' fund, to be used in paying all depositors, except the United States, upon the insolvency of any bank; that said depositors' fund shall not exceed $20,000,000.

On the introduction of the amendment Senator Nelson argued in support of the measure that a money panic was distinguishable from a money stringency. That a money stringency arises because of a temporary scarcity of currency, while a panic, such as that of the fall of 1907, always originates in a run by depositors as to the safety of their funds. In 1907 the banks, to protect themselves, practically closed their doors. In fact they suspended cash payments to all practical purposes.

This condition was brought about, not because of a stringency of currency, but because the public became panic stricken in its disbelief in the soundness of the banks. A large amount of the capital and surplus of national banks is held in the shape of long-time securities—bonds of various kinds and approved stocks—so that the available money for loaning purposes is actually the money of the depositors.

When a panic sets in and a run starts on the bank money becomes scarce because depositors withdraw their money, and also because people who heretofore were content to get their pay in drafts and checks now demand cash. Thus the supply in cash is depleted, while the demand for actual money increases.

The banks are therefore compelled to call in loans from customers and must refuse further accomodation. All this is caused on account of a panic stricken public.

Continuing, Mr. Nelson said: "Now if you can by legislation, as is here proposed, provide a fund for the protection of depositors, so that they will feel easy and confident and will not become panic stricken, you to a large extent cure such evils as we had last fall. To my mind those evils arose from two sources. First, from the want of confidence on the part of the depositors. In consequence of that there was a run on the banks, and in the next place because the banks themselves were even more cowardly than the depositors; because the big banks throughout the country practically suspended payment, that is the one way in which they stopped the panic. * * * The amendment does not levy any additional burden upon the banks. It does not require them to pay an additional tax. It proposes to take one-half of the tax they now pay and set it apart as a fund for the benefit of the depositors. The federal government was authorized to prescribe rules for the regulation of one as well as for the other; that the government demanded security for its note issues and could as well provide for the security of the depositor. That when national banks are organized and incorporated they are held out to the public as species of governmental agencies. In this way they acquire reputations to which they are scarcely entitled. That the ordinary small depositor, the laboring man and the farmer, are often not able to distinguish between the good bank and the bad bank. A bank is a bank to him. It is sufficient for him to know that it is a government institution, organized under federal law, and in it he deposits his money.

"You may think I am cranky upon this subject, but in my younger days I had a little experience the memory of which has been with me ever since. When I was a law student in the city of Madison, Wis., in 1867, I was very poor, but I finally succeeded in accumulating the great fund of $500. It was practically all of my possessions. There was in the city of Madison a bank known as the Farmers' bank. I did not know the difference; I supposed one bank was as good as another. I deposited my little money in that bank. In a very short time the bank failed."

Mr. Nelson argued further that the establishment of the fund of $20,000,000 in question would create confidence in the minds of depositors and would in this way eliminate panics and runs upon banking institutions.

As was stated in this article heretofore the people of Minnesota have the utmost confidence in the soundness of Senator Nelson's judgment on all questions of a financial nature. It is questionable, therefore, if Judge Taft, in his speeches throughout the state converted many of his hearers to the belief that the man who runs the bank is entitled to unlimited confidence.

This is a question which must be settled by the voters of the country. Senator Nelson is authority for the statement that the bankers are as much subject to control by the people as are the railroads. In our opinion they will decide that what is fair for the individual is fair for the bank. That the bank rightfully requires security from the borrower and that the depositor should demand security for his deposits.

State of Minnesota, Executive Department—Proclamation.

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter seven (7), Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, a petition was filed with the Secretary of State on the 7th day of December A. D. 1906, praying for the creation of a new county out of territory now lying in Polk county, Minnesota, the same to be known as Nelson county, and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the south-east corner of township numbered one hundred and forty-seven, north of range thirty-nine west of the 5th principal meridian in Minnesota; thence running west along the south boundary line of townships one hundred and forty-seven of ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, the same being the boundary line between Polk and Norman counties, to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-seven, range forty three; thence running north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-eight, range forty-three; thence west along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range forty-three; thence north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine range forty-three; thence east along the north boundary line of said township last named and townships one hundred and forty-nine, ranges forty-two and forty-one to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty, range forty, to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line, and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine, to the northeast corner of the said township last named; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the southeast corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range thirty-nine; thence east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight, range thirty-nine to the northeast corner of same; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the place of beginning, all of said territory being within the county of Polk and including and embracing the whole of townships numbered one hundred and forty-seven, one hundred and forty-eight and one hundred and forty-nine, ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, townships one hundred and fifty, ranges thirty-nine and forty and township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine; and that the village of Fosston be the county seat thereof; and that Fred S. Syverson of Hill River, T. Hanson of Queen, Dreng Grundysen, of Sletten, Jens O. Rindal of Garden and Oscar Meisness of Badger, all legal voters and residents within said proposed new county, be and constitute the first board of County Commissioners of said proposed county, and the same to be known as Nelson county; and in which said petition it is represented and avered that the said hereinbefore described territory comprises more than four hundred square miles and contains more than two thousand inhabitants, and that the remaining area of Polk county, after deducting the territory hereinbefore described will comprise more than four hundred square miles and contain more than two thousand inhabitants.

And, whereas, the said petition has been duly considered and found and certified to as conforming in all respects to the provisions of law;

Now, therefore, I, John A. Johnson, governor of the State of Minnesota, pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, do hereby direct and proclaim that the question of the creation of the proposed new county of Nelson be submitted to the voters of said Polk county at the next general election to be held in this state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1908.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be hereunto affixed this 19th day of August 1908.

(Seal) —John A. Johnson,
Governor.

Attest:
Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

United States of America, State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I, Julius A. Schmahl, Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy with the original instrument in my office of Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Minnesota, in the matter of county division of Polk County and that said copy is a true and correct transcript of said original Proclamation and of the whole thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in Saint Paul, this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight.

(Seal) Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

RED RIVER VALLEY ASS'N WILL MEET IN STEPHENS HALL ON NOVEMBER 6

FINE PROGRAM FOR THE IMPORTANT GATHERING IS NOW BEING ARRANGED

From Friday's Daily—

The annual meeting of the Red River Valley Horticultural Association will meet at Stephens Hall at the state experimental farm on Friday Nov. 6th and J. F. Hetler, L. P. Harrington and others are now busy arranging a program which will soon be published in the local papers.

The Horticultural convention had grown in the past few years from a small gathering of a few men to one of the largest and most important gatherings of the year, and the meeting this year promises to eclipse all others both in attendance and in the excellence of the program.

STEENERSON TALKED TO PUPILS

POSTMASTER TALKED AT HIGH SCHOOL REGARDING POSTAL REGULATIONS

Postmaster Elias Steenerson this morning delivered an address to the pupils of the city schools at the High School building the rooms uniting for the occasion and many visitors being present. He made a very interesting talk enlightening the young people as to postal regulations and gave them a great deal of valuable information which will be of great service to them in the future.

COTTON PLANT IN FULL BLOOM

AN INTERESTING SIGHT ON EXHIBITION AT HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Jos Ball who has just returned from a trip to Oklahoma, brought with him several cotton plants in full bloom. The great white balls are an interesting sight to the people of the north and they will be left at the office of Supt. McIntyre permanently where they can be seen at any time by the general public as well as by the pupils.

CANDIDATE SAGENG IN CROOKSTON

Ole Sageng the candidate for Congress from the 9th district was in the city this morning enroute from Hawley, where he spoke last evening to Fertile where h will address a crowd tonight. He is making a great fight and expresses every confidence in the outcome.

Fairmont Sentinel: They do say that that part of Jacobson's keynote speech devoted to immigration and drainage is wonderfully like an address delivered on the Fourth of July by Immigration Commissioner George Welch. It is possibly a mere coincidence.

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PROPER CARE OF THE HAIR

The condition of the hair depends more upon the brushing of it than anything else. If women who are alarmed and worried because of the scantiness of their hair would pay more attention to the brushing of it, they would find that the hair would improve wonderfully in appearance and health. In the first place, the brush and comb must be clean. More disease and ill health of the scalp result from using an unclean brush than from any other cause. The best time to brush the hair is in the morning, because it is more supple then. The brushing must be gentle if you would have good results. Begin by taking a strand of hair at a time. Don't put the brush on flat, but turn it slightly, so that the bristles get under the hair onto the scalp. All during the process you must remember to use the brush gently so as not to irritate the scalp or break the hair. Carry the brush to the end of the strand so that every hair is affected. This gets up a good circulation of the scalp, prevents dandruff, and gives a pretty gloss to the hair. It also airs the hair, keeps it clean and prevents that close smell that is so objectionable to a fastidious woman. With such treatment, a doz n or so strokes every morning, the hair in at least a month will begin to show the results of the careful treatment.

ANGUS

Tom Howett was in town Thursday on business.

A young daughter was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Strickler.

H. D. Strickler took two loads of potatoes to Crookston on Thursday.

A surprise party was given at the Henry farm Friday night. Those present from Warren were Bert Aryers, Selma Halvorson, Arthur Wood, Mabel Head, Omer Thomas, Flo Wadsworth, Harry Thomas, Laura Moulton, Dick Clover, Cora Head. A good time was had by all. Refreshments were served at midnight.

W. Lemen spent Friday and Saturday in Alvarado visiting with the S. Trickey's.

The dance given at the Brantl farm was well represented by Angus Saturday evening.

Miss Bessie Hall entertained a crowd of young folks Saturday night at D. H. Miller's.

Mr. Lionel Snelling has secured a position on the Northwestern Telephone line at Bemidji and left Monday.

Mr. W. P. Murphy came up from Crookston Saturday for a goose hunt.

W. P. Murphy, J. F. Montgomery, A. T. and J. W. Campion spent a few days hunting geese near Goose Lake this week. They report plenty of geese.

Miss Agnes Carlson spent Sunday at home in Brandt township.

Mr. F. A. Wilson says he doesn't like batching and he is beginning to look very lonely.

Prof. G. O. Riggs was here today looking after his farms. He says his clover is the finest he has ever seen.

M. Hussey spent Tuesday night in Crookston.

W. Lemen spent Wednesday in Warren.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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reported by Strander Abstract & Investment Co.

D. M. Inman to Olaus Remen and Swen Jackson NW 1-4 1-150-45 .... $3600
First National Bank of Litchfield to Henry I. Peterson E 1-2 SW 1-4 and W 1-2 SE 1-4 3-148-39 .... $1
A. B. Dafault to Andrew J. Rush S. 50 feet of lot 1 block 27 townsite of Crookston $1
Jacob E. Milsten to Clark B. Goodale lot 7 block 19 townsite of Fertile $1000
Morris R. Brown to Louis Gonyea lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 block 24 Jeromes addition to Crookston $800
Leopold Biohn to Frank O. Werner, E 1-2 W 1-2 31-148-43 .... $3000
O. K. Lee to August Salk SE 1-4 SE 1-4 13 and NE 1-4 24-147-42 $7500
Ole K. Rauk to Christian T. Thompson lot 4 sec. 10-148-49 exc. N. 5 acres $800
White & Street Townsite Co., to H. L. Gaylord outlot "F" auditors plat of village of Fertile $90
Thora Bang to J. H. Peterson lots 23 and 24 block 12 and lots 5 and 6 block 13 Sampson's Woodland addition to Crookston $4000
Robert H. McCarthy & C. E. Brown to Alfred E. Whiting SW 1-4 23-152-46 .... $4400
A. F. Cronquist to Theodore Nelson E 1-2 SE 1-4 and SW 1-4 SE 1-4 24 and W 1-2 NE 1-4 25-148-42 .. $6000
John Hamre to Ole T. Melhus SE 1-4 2-149-39 .... $3600
S. H. Drew to John Peterson SE 1-4 28-148-41 .... $4000

As You Go Through Life.

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Don't look for the flaws as you go through life;
And even when you find them
It is wise and kind to be somewhat blind,
And look for the virtues behind them;
For the cloudiest night as a hint of light
Somewhere in its shadows hiding;
It's better by far to hunt for a star
Than the spots on the sun abiding.

The current of life runs ever away
To the bosom of God's great ocean.
Don't set your force 'gainst the river's course,
And think to alter its motion.
Don't waste a curse on the universe—
Remember it lived before you;
Don't butt at the storm with your puny form,
But bend and let it go o'er you.

The world will never adjust itself
To suit your whims to the letter,
Some things must go wrong your whole life long,
And the sooner you know it the better.
It is folly to fight with the Infinite,
And go under at last in the wrestle.
The wiser man shapes into God's plan,
As water shapes into a vessel.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Plans for the reception of the Atlantic fleet at Hampton Roads Feb. 22 contemplate a naval review even larger than the one held at the Jamestown exposition last year.

The homecoming fleet will be met on the Atlantic or Mediterranean by the Third squadron of that command, which is now being organized under the command of Rear Admiral Conway H. Arnold, and will be escorted to Hampton Roads.

At the Roads the augmented fleet will be welcomed by all the remaining available warships in active service on the Atlantic coast and will be reviewed by the president.

The entire force under review will consist of twenty battleships, nine cruisers, four gunboats and possibly a score of torpedo vessels. In the Atlantic fleet will be the sixteen battleships that started in the homeward journey from San Francisco July 7 and seven or eight auxiliary ships. The Third squadron will be made up of four battleships, either the Maine or Iowa as flagship, and the New Hampshire, Idaho and Mississippi; armored cruisers Montana and North Carolina and scout cruisers Chester, Salem and Birmingham.

Feminine Amenities.

"What did you think of the wedding? Was I nervous?"

"Well, a little at first, dear, but not after Reggie had said 'I will.'"—Harper's Weekly.

SPLENDID SESSION OF THE CLUB WOMEN

St. Cloud, Minn., Oct. 9.—Routine reports were features of the second day's session of the convention Wednesday afternoon, those on civics, constitution, civil service, mothers' clubs, printing and that of the midwinter meeting in St. Paul.

I nthe absence of Mrs. R. R. Dorr, of St. Paul, Mrs. W. M. Todd, of St. Anthony Park, read her report, which was an account of the well known work done in the Fourth district in the suppression of slot machines in St. Paul

She said: "Nothing can take the place of the unselfish, persistent effort of good women, who have the leisure to study the needs of the community and whose influence upon the voters is irresistible if wisely and tactfully used. Our duty is surely plain, not only in our own homes by precept and example must we be watchful of this enemy, but by individual and united effort must we fight it abroad."

Mrs. Royal Stone, of St. Paul, gave an account of the work of the Thursday Club in vacation schools and gardens in conjunction with Supt. Heeter, of the public schools.

Mrs. G. A. Welch, Fergus Falls, spoke of clean bodies and clean minds for children, as follows:

Meaning of Good Birth.

"Just what does it mean to a child to be well born? Does it mean beauty of person and surroundings, wealth, education, appreciation of the niceties of life? It really means far more fundamental things; it means a sound mind capable of moral and intellectual development alive to vital issues, able to grasp questions.

"It means ability to shun temptations, while realizing their force; it means a body strong of limb, active, well controlled and ready for the work that falls to it to do, and ready also to fulfill the duties designed by nature for the continuation of the race. It means a respect for these bodily functions so deeply inculcated that the evils we deplore and which we are recognizing as so very great, will no longer charm our youth nor menace our society.

"Whatever the social conditions today, however deplorable the facts that confront us, it is something gained when we dare to speak of matters that have long troubled us, but which we have shunned or referred to only with bated breath. * * * A significant sign of the awakening public conscience is the fact that reputable and really conservative publications for general readers are calling attention in no mincing manner to existing evils and begging parents to look well to the habits, influences and companions of their children and warning them to let no squeamish notions of delicacy present the plain speech, the serious teaching, which alone can offset them.

What Should Be Done.

"What can we do? Having recognized the appalling fact that no child is safe without the most careful supervision, we must set ourselves the task of so preparing his mind that the bad seed will not spring up and bear fruit, forestalling the almost certain wrong interpretation of nature's processes given by his associates, with the truth told as seriously yet as impressively as possible. The source of life is so wonderful, the poetry of it so beautiful, that it is incomprehensible how it ever became the subject of such unclean insinuation and vulgar jest as we know it to be. Yet there is the root of this thing we are recognizing as so baneful, and which we are longing to correct.

"The searchlight of investigation turned upon social conditions reveals such startling facts that we are forced to admit that teaching at the mother's knee must be supplemented by vigorous civic work, by some other and very forceful instruction, not only in the matter of personal habits, but in the assumption of paternal responsibility, for the child has a right to the father's influence and his point of view, something he does not often get but which is a part of that birthright which we all claim should be his.

"One-sided family training is far from the ideal training, parenthood is a joint duty which should be a joy as well, and in which both partners should share equally the happiness and responsibility.

Training for Marriage.

"We talk much about training our girls for marriage. It consists in making them good cooks and gracious hostesses. How often are they taught anything of the sacred and exacting duties of motherhood? Of what they have a right to demand of moral purity in the fathers of their children?

"And if we were as careful that our boys be saved from moral and personal dangers as we are that their arms and legs are safe, if we ourselves believed that hard physical exertion is one of the best safeguards against evil habits and indulgences then we might see the dawn of a clearer, saner, better tomorrow, for our own children and the whole human race."

Address on Degeneracy.

Dr. A. C. Rogers, superintendent of state school for feeble minded at Faribault, made a very able address in the afternoon on degeneracy and how to prevent it. He admitted that decadence could not be entirely prevented, but conditions might be improved by taking measures to discourage marriages among feebleminded.

Dr. Rogers showed how difficult it is to enforce a law to prevent marriage, and he is of the opinion that it cannot be done now to any great extent. Dr. Rogers is an expert in care of the feeble-minded, and after his paper he was asked a number of questions on delicate subjects by the mothers present.

The convention nearly got into a tangle late in the afternoon in regard to the election of district vice presidents which should be voted on by the entire body and not by the delegates only from the district to which the nominee belongs. A motion to adjourn cut off discussions.

Paper on the Child.

The chief event of the evening session was the address of Miss Mott on "The Child." Mrs. G. A. Welch presided and introduced Dr. W. A. Schumaker, president of the normal school, who made a brief address. Miss Alice Emerson, dean of Carleton College, spoke on "The Fuller Day." The students of the normal school presented a program of music and folk dances.

Miss Mott, in the course of her excellent address on "The Child," said:

"When we see the invariable succession by which the animals of each species perpetuate their kind; when we think of the infinite number of living things continually growing and waxing at the expense of the parent creatures; when we realize that the life of evry parent organism is being lavishly wasted for its offspring — I think we are fully justified in asserting that self-sacrifice rather than selfishness is the law of life. How can we assert that the primitive human instinct is selfishness, when upon the sacrifice of the mother's personal comfort depends the health and happiness of every baby on this globe?

"The circle of motherhood widens with civilization. Not one of us but comes in contact with some baby world. Teachers, nurses and friends must, in the ideal state, partake of the responsibility of the mother, whenever they are appealed to by that soft, clinging, light-headed, sweetly irresponsible thing called childhood. The regime of iron discipline has gone by. The lower animals never employed it. And in our modern tenderness for the young, just beginning life's hard journey, let us not be too full of self-congratulation, or ignore the royal company we have kept all along the road of evolution. Rather, let us not fall below the level of the mother snake. Let us try to live up to the ideal of the mother cow. Let us not dare to sink below the standard of the mother wolf."

Convention Notes.

The music at the convention has been of a very high order, and it is quite evident that St. Cloud is fortunate in possessing much musical ability. The singing of H. A. Griebenow last evening was a treat. He sang "In Verdure Clad," from "The Creation," and a group of songs, revealing a baritone voice of remarkable sweetness and used with excellent taste and no effort. Mrs. Gilman, of Minneapolis, a truly wonderful pianist, played an arrangement of "Blue Danube" waltzes and a left-hand arrangement of the sextet from "Lucia," in a manner which roused real enthusiasm in the large audience. The singing of Miss Cook, of Minneapolis, this morning was of great interest to the convention. She is one of the beneficiaries of the Williams fund. Her voice is a clear soprano with very sweet upper notes.

The women are still talking about Mr. Mills' strange disappearing act, but no real explanation of his sudden departure has been given. It has been suggested that perhaps he may have discovered at the last moment that he had left his other collar at home, or that he did not like the looks of the club women who conferred with him in the afternoon. However, as some of the handsomest er and that this is the day of action. Every club is doing something either in a civic, sociological or philanthropic way, and the various lines of endeavor which are now being pushed are all of them of real benefit to the individual or community. The preventive work for tuberculosis is perhaps the most important thing now being done by the federation, and it is most ably handled by Mrs. G. H. Christian, of Minneapolis.

Mrs. John Donohue was a late comer from St. Paul to the convention, arriving this morning. Mrs. Donohue is a member of the legislative committee, and was a delegate to the Boston biennial.
women of the federation are on the forestry committee, the latter reason is scouted.

St. Cloud is a city of beautiful homes and charming houses, which would be ornaments to any city. A number of the prominent residents are well known in St. Paul, such as Senator Brower, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, the N. P. Clarks Gilmans, Atwoods, Evans and Whitneys.

The contrast between this meeting and other conventions of Minnesota club women is nowhere more clearly shown than by the reports of committees which evidence the fact that the time of the purely literary club is ov-

RETURNED FROM CONVENTION

A. A. Miller returned to the city yesterday after being in attendance at the convention of the State Association of Congregational churches at Faribault. The convention was one of the most successful that the church has held and a large amount of important work was discussed and disposed of.

Considerable interest was manifested in benevolent work and a strong committee was appointed to raise Minnesota's share of the $2,000,000 for benevolences. The committee is as follows: Rev. C. E. Burton, chairman; Harlan W. Page, Rev. F. H. Oehler, M. W. Bates, President C. H. Cooper, A. A. Miller, Rev. Francis Frigley, Rev. Everett Lesher, Rev. E. F. Wheeler, Rev. C. F. Curtis.

Mr. Miller left Crookston a week ago and before attending the convention spent some time in Eau Claire, Menominee and St. Paul. In the latter city he appeared before the supreme court last Monday in the interest of some legal matters that he has before that tribunal. Mrs. Miller, who accompanied Mr. Miller to the convention, will not return to Crookston until next week, remainng in Minneapolis with friends.

CLEANED A CHIMNEY ANYWAY

Preparatory to starting the fires in the Presbyterian church of this city, it was decided that the chimney should be cleaned and L. Ellington, one of the leading members of the church and a well known banker, undertook to get the job done. He secured a chimney sweep and, after agreeing on a price, the price being based on the fact that the chimney had been cleaned last year and consequently was not very dirty, the chimney sweep started for the church.

He returned later and told Mr. Ellington that the chimney was in a deplorable condition and he ought to be given a larger amount than that agreed upon. Finally a compromise was affected and the sweep departed. In a few days Mr. Ellington met Rev. Ward, the pastor, and asked him what sort of a job had been done on the chimney. Mr. Ward replied that as yet it had not been cleaned. Mr. Ellington then told him what he had done and showed him the receipt for the amount that had been paid for cleaning the chimney.

The situation was intense and an investigation was at once made with the result that it was discovered that the chimney sweep had gotten into the wrong chimney, mistaking a neighboring church for that of the Presbyterian denomination.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 9.—Two men were killed and one injured in a wreck of a Great Northern passenger train at Marias river. The dead are William F. Ramspeck of White Sulphur Springs, Mont., fireman, and an unknown engine wiper. Engineer Charles L. McClintock was severely injured.

The train, while traveling at high speed, struck a soft stretch of roadbed, the engine rolling into the ditch, followed by the baggage and smoking cars. Ramspeck and the wiper were buried under the wreckage. The passengers were severely shaken up.

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Sioux Falls, S. D., Oct. 9.—An exceptional record has been made by J. C. Johnson, receiver of the Hot Springs National bank, which closed its doors about a year ago with deposits aggregating about $125,000, in settling the affairs of the failed bank. No depositor will lose a cent and all will receive full interest on deposits, including the time the money was tied up.

Illuminating Gas Kills Four.

Waterbury, Conn., Oct. 9.—Illuminating gas, leaking into and permeating sleeping rooms in an Italian boarding house on Bank street kept by Guisseppi Santero, claimed four young Italian men for its victims and but for the opportune passing of the house of Antonio de Marco on his way home the dead might have been more than twice that number.

Cholera Under Control.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 9.—The cholera situation is now under control. For the past twenty-four hours only seventy-four new cases were reported in the municipal hospitals, a decrease of fifty as compared to the preceding twenty-four hours. There were fifty-seven deaths and 124 patients were discharged as cured.

Attack Publicity Statute.

Honolulu, Oct. 9.—The constitutionality of the enactment prohibiting corporations from contributing to campaign funds is being attacked in a case before United States District Judge Dole. The ground taken in the objection is that the act affects the election of state and county officers in cases where no federal congressional office is concerned, making it an interference with state rights

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Every Farmer Should Participate

In a few days the third Market Day will be on and it is to be hoped that it will be by far the most successful that has yet been promoted by the city of Crookston. Its success will be measured by the number of farmers and their families that will take advantage of the day to come to the city and enjoy the program that the commercial club has provided and take part in the exercises that have been arranged.

The business men of Crookston, through their commercial club, have promoted the market tday event to afford the farming community contiguous to the city an opportunity to become better acquainted with the city an dits opportunities, to meet and mingle with her business men and to become saturated with the idea that the municipality affords it the very best and most profitable marketing point.

There must be, or at least there should be a realization of the fact that the people of the country are dependent upon the people of the city, and on the other hand the people of Crookston much comprehend the fact that without the rural community behind them they could not hope for much success in any line of endeavor. Both are necessary for the prosperity and success of one another and the market day is destined to become one of the best possible educators in this line.

Crookston is not only the county seat of Polk County, but it is also the commercial and trade mart of the section. Its facilities and attractions guarantee it leadership and prominence and the friendly feeling it gives evidence of towards the farmers that are tributary is sure to cement the sentiment existing towards it as the natural and only center where profitable trade can be advantageously carried on.

If the farmers of Polk county will attend these market day programs there is no doubt but that they will become thoroly convinced of the truth that Crookston is their natural trading point and a market for whatever their farms produce. This idea is made prominent by the announcement of the free auction sale that is conducted absolutely without cost to any farmer who desires to dispose of anything on the day. The first market day's auction sale established a good record and the second doubled it in volume and size. The committee in charge of the sale on next Saturday anticipate that a business will be transacted that will equal the total of the first two sales and will set a record that will be a surprise to even the most optimistic.

The business men of Crookston desire to make the day one of profit as well as pleasure and to this end have established the auction. They want to enjoy the pleasure of entertaining the farmers and they also desire to make their entertainment of him profitable, not to themselves, but to him. Every farmer within a radius of many miles of the county seat should determine to come to the city on next Saturday and should bring every member of his family with him. The time taken from his land will be well spent and we can assure him that he will return to his home in the evening, realizing that he has had both a pleasant and remunerative visit to the city.

This is the time of year when the farmer can take a day away from his fields and on next Saturday every road leading to the county seat should be crowded with farmers and their families driving to the municipality to participate in the program and become better and closer acquainted with the business men and citizens of the county seat. The day is wholly devoted to the good of the farmer and the more that avail themselves of it, the greater will be the benefits to be derived.

The One Man State Ticket

In following the addresses and talks of the republican candidate for governor, the people of this state must get the opinion that as far as the republican party is concerned there is only one office to be filled, namely that of governor. Thus far all he has paid any attention to is the executive office of the state and as far as his talks go no one could for one moment get the idea that the party has national candidates, county candidates or more than one state candidate.

In a recent speech Mr. Jacobson tells about what he has done for the state and it is "his" record, "his" measures, "his" fight in behalf of the people, that is to be considered only and his campaign for governor of Minnesota is all there is to the present political campaign. The candidates for president and vice-president sink into insignificance before the claims of Jacob F. Jacobson. All the voters are to think of is the making a cross after his name on the state ticket and there is no difference if they forget the rest of the ticket.

From the recent harangues the republican candidate has been indulging in during the past ten days in different sections of the state, it would appear that he is becoming desperate and as far as he is concerned the rest of the ticket must be sacrificed, if his election depends upon it. A short time ago he boldly declared that any republican who refused to cast his ballot for him, should be made to vote the straight democratic ticket, in other words every voter must stand by Jake or be forever considered as amongst the lost.

We hardly believe that the republicans will take kindly to this species of selfishness and unwarranted egotism. To be sure the claimant for gubernatorial honors early in the campaign announced a fight upon the members of the last legislature who might aspire for re-election on the ground that they were extravagant, but then many of them put it down to Jake's liability to make a slip in the heat of personal aggrandizement and they were ready to overlook it. Now however since he is continuing this plan and daily ignoring his colleagues on the ticket, we believe that it will have an effect somewhat different from what the candidate for governor has looked for.

Where would Mr. Jacobson be at the present stage of the campaign if it had not been for the swing of the party lash, which made every republican candidate, every republican leader and almost every republican paper rush to his rescue and placing everything else in the background, labor for the head of the state ticket and his success with the voters? It does not seem quite fair for Mr. Jacobson to thus treat the men who have gone to his rescue.

His actions towards his party at the present time is in line with the statement he made earlier in the campaign when he declared that the republican who had voted for Governor Johnson in the past two campaigns were impudent, and thus labeled them and tried to hold them up for discipline. One of the redeeming features of the rank and file of the republican party is their independence and we hardly believe that they will look with much favor upon the aspirant for political honors who will term this independence as impudence

We cannot believe that the republicans will mutely stand by and have the candidate for head of the state government treat them so shabbily and along this line there seems to be plenty of signs of a strong revolt that will be more pronounced than it was two and four years ago. The time has passed in the political history of this state when all a man had to do was to secure the republican nomination for an office, and he could count upon it as being his. Character, ability and fitness for the office sought, are demanded by the people and Jacobson is beginning to realize that these are prime requisites that must be prominent, in every candidate if he is to receive the suffrages of the people.

He Was The Enemy Of Drainage

Papers thruout the northern portion of the state are delving deeply into the record of Candidate Jacobson inasmuch as he has repeatedly declared that as far as this campaign his record is sufficient without needing any illumination as to his present views in regard to state issues. Jacobson's record on the drainage question is excellent reading for the people of northern Minnesota and especially the Red River Valley. The Duluth Herald has the following to say in regard to this record:

Candidate Jacobson importuned for some statement of his views upon the public questions of the day, evasively replies that he "stands on his record."

He does not mean his record of riding upon free passes while the clamor of his attacks upon railroads still echoed; he does not mean his record of accepting a nomination for governor at the hands of interests which he fought when he was a "champion of the people" he means his legislative record.

Very well, so be it. Let us look into his record, and see if we can find therein something to commend him to the voters of Northern Minnesota. For if he expects Southern Minnesota to judge him by his record, he must also expect Northern Minnesota to judge him by his record.

Northern Minnesota wants the state to drain the state swamp lands. Since Jacobson got out of the legislature a start has been made in that work. It is known that a dollar put into drainage will return profits of $10 in the increased value of the land so it seems a splendid business investment. But when Jacobson was in the legislature he never could see beyond that single dollar coming out of the state treasury. His mental grasp was not broad enough to take in the promise of profit. So he fought drainage, thruout his career; fought it bitterly and, shame tho it be, successfully.

Jacobson opposed drainage in every session at which drainage measures were offered. In 1895, as page 660 of the house journal of that session informs us, he voted against House File No. 307, a drainage bill.

In 1897, as page 339 of the house journal of that session shows, he recommended, as a member of the appropriation committee, the defeat of House File No. 353, a drainage bill and voted against it.

In 1899, as page 1321 of the house journal of that session discloses, he voted against Senate File No. 211, "a bill for an act to provide a drainage commission and to provide for the drainage of the swamps and marshy lands of the state, and to appropriate money therefore."

The files of the newspapers reporting these sessions show the bitter and vindictive manner in which Jacobson fought every drainage proposal. Arguments that the federal government gave the land to the state on condition that it drain it and make it fit for use, and that the expenditure of state money in draining it would bring handsome returns, were ineffective. All he could see was that there were proposals to take money out of the state treasury for the benefit of Northern Minnesota, and this he opposed as he opposed all other measures looking to the development of the latent riches of the north country.

The files of the newspapers of Northern Minnesota covering these periods will show bitter resentment of Jacobson's short sighted policy, such as this from the Crookston Journal in April 1899: "We regret to report that the appropriation for drainage did not pass. This is one of the measures which the legislature acted unwisely in refusing to pass. The money was needed and not merely the Red River Valley but the state at large would have been benefited by this legislation. The members from this section worked faithfully up to the last moment, but the opposition led by Jacobson was too strong for them. THE HONORABLE JACOBSON WILL, HOWEVER, HEAR FROM THIS PART OF THE STATE."

Which Shall It Be, Guaranty Banks or Postal Banks?

While Crookston and its immediate vicinity have been fortunate in their past experience with banks, and we have had no failures in that department of human activity, still a question is before the people that involves not only the payment of deposits placed in banks, but in a large measure involves the prosperity of the community.

The democratic platform declares in favor of postal savings banks if the guaranty banks cannot be secured. The republican platform declares in favor of the postal savings bank system alone. Manifestly the primary object sought to be attained in both platforms is a system whereby the savings of the people can be safeguarded, and if we are to believe that the two great parties intend in good faith to carry out what is promised in their platforms there can be no question but that the present system will be changed. The difference between the two platforms comes really to the question as to whether or not it is preferable to have a guaranty bank system to the postal savings bank system.

We believe that the democratic party in its preference for the guaranty bank system comes nearer to a true conception of a correct governmental policy and realization of the economical welfare of the whole nation in its declaration on this question than does the republican party. Either plan insures the depositors against loss, and as to this feature there is no choice between them, but when the business welfare of the community and proper sphere of governmental action is considered a wide difference between the two plans is disclosed.

It is the purpose under the postal savings bank system that the moneys gathered in the postal savings depositories shall be re-deposited in national banks, the natural consequence of which action would be to take the savings of the people in the small communities from such communities into the larger centers of population, and such a system would undoubtedly require a re-deposit in central reserve banks of surplus deposits gathered in the national banks in the smaller cities. The consequence of this system would be necessarily be that the savings of the people would be gathered into the centers of speculation and wild cat investments, and the business of the country placed at the mercy of unscrupulous manipulators, nor would the national banks be gainers by the system, for the United States government always requires and will then require security for every dollar of such money deposited by the government in the national banks, and as a result national banks would in a round about way guarantee the depositors of the postal savings banks, while those who deposited their money in the national banks would be wholly without guarantee or protection other than the ordinary financial liability of the bank. When the pocketbook is affected or in danger, friendship soon ceases, and we anticipate that it would be a very short time before substantially all the savings of the people would be in the postal savings banks.

Under the guaranty bank system the banking business would be left to the bankers, and depositors in any bank would be insured against loss of savings. The guarantee would be direct, and the money deposited naturally remain in the community where deposits were made to meet the demands of the business of such communities. The small community would in that respect be on an equal footing with the larger centers of trade. A proper system of inspection and adequate rules and regulations would be provided, which would minimize if not wholly prevent reckless and dishonest banking. For mutual protection the bankers themselves might be given through their own representatives a right of inspection in any case where an inspection might be deemed advisable. These matters, however are matters of detail. On the main question we submit that a proper exercise of governmental functions requires that the government should not engage in the banking business if it can be avoided. That the money of the people should remain in the localities where deposited, and that at any cost the savings of the people must be safeguarded, and that the guaranteed bank system will protect deposits, strengthen and meet the legitimate demands of the business of all the communities, large and small, and leave the banking business to the bankers, and not encumber the machinery of the government therewith, or add a new force to the already large supply of government employees and departments.

EVER HAVE IT?

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Democratic Candidates

FOR CONGRESS

Ole O. Sageng

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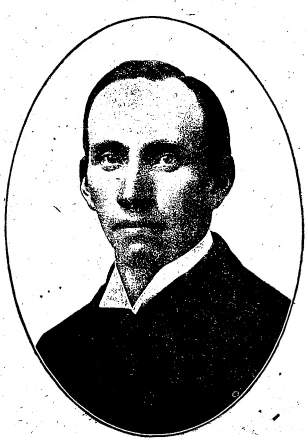

State Senator Ole O. Sageng, who asks the support of the voters of this district as an independent candidate for congress, has a record that entitles him to consideration. He ran for state representative in Otter Tail county in 1898, and was beaten by 19 votes; but he got acquainted, and was elected next time by 450 votes In his first session he took a leading place in the legislature, both as a debater and working member. He missed only one roll call during the session. He knew more about the bills introduced than any other member in 1906, he ran for the state senate. Otter Tail county is normally republican, but he defeated his republican opponent by 1,677 votes, showing what the farmers of his home county think of him. His record in the senate is remembered by all who value good representation. He stood for lower freight and passenger rates, for the anti-pass law (he never accepted passes, even in the old days), for the tonnage tax and the wide-open tax amendment, for the distance tariff and the reciprocal demurrage bill, and for all temperance legislation. He was present at every session, and was a thorn in the side of those who sought to enact legislation against the people's interests Can not such a man be trusted to be sent up higher?

HON. HANS P. BJORGE
Democratic Candidate for Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner

Hans P. Bjorge was born in Norway in 1856. He emigrated with his perents to this country in 1868 and settled in Otter Tail county, Minnesota, in 1869.

Mr. Bjorge attended the common schools and took one year of high school work at Fergus Falls. He then commenced teaching having planned to work his way for a higher education. Meantime his father, sister and brothers had all died, one after another, leaving young Bjorge alone to take care of his mother and take charge of the farm. Therefore he had to abandon his plans of further pursuing his education.

Mr. Bjorge took an active part in organizing the State Farmers' Alliance in 1893, and served as treasurer of said organization for several years He was recommended as the Alliance candidate and elected on the Republican ticket for the Legislature in 1885 As a member of the Railroad and the Grain and Warehouse Committees during that session, Mr. Bjorge helped to draft and pass the first railroad and warehouse laws of any note in the state. He was again a member of the legislature in 1887.

R. F. LAMB
Democratic Candidate for Secretary of State

R. F. Lamb was born in Highland township, Grundy county, state of Illinois, August 10th, 1864. Came to Mankato, Minnesota, April, 1889, and was in the employ of the McCormick Harvesting Machine Company for twelve years. In 1900 put in part of the year at Lincoln, Nebraska, for the same company. Went into business in Mankato in 1901 in company with the Donahue Brothers. Sold out to the Donahue Brothers November same year, and organized the Western Implement Company at Slayton, which is now in operation and of which is now in operation, and of which he is president. He is also president of the Implement Dealers' Association, filling his second term. The greater portion of his business life has been spent in Minnesota. He was educated at Saint Viateur's College, Kankakee county, Illinois.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 12 In History.

Dinah M. M. Craik.

1775—Dr. Lyman Beecher, father of a distinguished family of ministers and authors, born; died 1833.

1864—Chief Justice Roger B. Taney died; born 1777.

1887—Dinah Maria Mulock Craik, English author, best known by the famous novel "John Halifax, Gentleman," died in England; born 1826.

1899—Boers began hostilities in South Africa.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:21, rises 6:05; moon rises 7:23 p. m.; moon's age 18 days; planets Venus and Jupiter seen approaching each other in east before sunrise; 4 a. m., eastern time, Jupiter's four moons closely grouped east of the planet.

Save your money. Buy GOLD SEAL Overshoes and Rubber Boots—Cheapest because wear longest. Ask your dealer. Not sold by Mail Order houses.—Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Makers.

ON STILL HUNT—Senator A. D. Stephens left last evening for St. Paul to confer with some of the party leaders for a day.

FOR KITTSON CO.—Congressman Steenerson left this morning for Kittson Co., where he will spend a few days campaigning. He is covering the 9th district pretty thoroly.

ON LAND OFFICE BUSINESS — Atty. Engelseth, candidate for County Attorny of Norman County is spnding the day in the city on land office business. He will return to Twin Valley this evening. Mr. Engelseth is a brother-in-law of Dr. J. S. Kjelland.

OFF FISHING — City Physician Randolph and Bert Rueitell left last evening with two duck boats, all kinds of artillery and 1,000 rounds of ammunition, Shevlin being their destination. Didn't you hear the rattle of musketry in that direction today?

THOROBRED BIRDS—Robert Bever this morning had a shipment of thorobred bronze turkeys and Toulouse geese thru city to Ferris from southern Minnesota and intends going into the thorobred big bird business.

STEPPING HIGH—Ed Gildersleeve says that Geo. LeBlanc was stepping so high this morning over something that appeared to elate him that when he went to step into the front door of the Merchants Bank he stepped in to J. M. Ball's office on the second floor. We have not interviewed Mr. Ball.

A SPLENDID SHOWING—Follows is the report of Tabor School dist. No. 119 for month ending Oct. 9th: Total number enrolled 30; average daily attendance 21; names of those neither absent nor tardy during the month George Hanzlik, Rose Ovshak, Sophie Polya.—R. D. Bartlett, Supt.

LITTLE SON DIED—Word was received Sunday afternoon of the death of the litle son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Boyle at Bemidji. They will arrive this evening from Bemidji, and altho definite arrangements have not yet been made the funeral services will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kelly two miles east of the city.

The Royal Month and the Royal Disease

Sudden changes of weather are especially trying and probably to none more so than to the scrofulous and consumptive. The progress of scrofula during a normal October is commonly great. We never thing of scrofula—its bunches, cutaneous eruptions, and wasting of the bodily substance—without thinking of the great good many sufferers from it have derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla, whose radical and permanent cures of this one disease are enough to make it the most famous medicine in the world. There is probably not a city or town where Hood's Sarsaparilla has not proved its merit in more homes than one, in arresting and completely eradicating scrofula, which is almost as serious and as much to be feared as its near relative —consumption.

From Tuesday's Daily

Oct. 13 In History.

1601—Tycho Brahe, Danish astronomer, died.

1812—Battle of Queenstown, Ont., resulting in the repulsing of an American force which had crossed the river to attack the British under General Brock; Brock was killed in action.

1890—James E. Thorold Rogers, famous writer on political economy, died; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:19, rises 6:06; moon rises 8:02 p. m.; 11 p. m., planets Venus and Jupiter in conjunction, Venus being one-half degree, or moon's breadth, south of Jupiter; seen daily before dawn.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

LAND MAN HERE—M. J. Casey, with the Boyd Land Co., is spending the day here from Iowa.

LOST VALUABLE HORSE— Mr. Albert Radke lost a valuable horse on his farm south of the city Sunday with swamp fever.

RETURNED TO CANADA— Sam and August Johnson came down from Euclid yesterday and took No. 7 this morning back to their Canadian farms.

ON LONG TRIP—J. C. Sabin left yesterday morning for Caribou one of the towns in the extreme northeast portion of Kittson County which necessitates quite a drive.

ATTENDING CONVENTION—Will Millette left Sunday evening for Davenport, Ia., where he went as a delegate from the local M. B. A. lodge to the grand lodge meeting of the order there.

ON SURVEY WORK—O. L. Hamery went up the north line this morning with two crews of surveyors, one to work near Warren and the other near Stephens.

AN OLD TIMER—K. D. Chase, a pioneer resident of Crookston ,after whom Chase's addition is named, arrived this morning from Faribault and is attending to business matters and calling on friends.

SPENT SUNDAY HERE — E. T. Haggerty went to Stephen this morning having returned from a visit to Grand Forks. Mrs. Haggerty and so nare spending the school year there in order that her son may have the advantage of the school system.

WILL VISIT FARM — L. B. Hiler passed thru the city this morning enroute to the home of his father, J. H. Hiler near Erskine, where he will enjoy a hunt. His wife and baby have been visiting there for the past several days.

FRIEND WILL UMPIRE —B. G. Friend left this morning for a trip north. He officiated at the football game here Saturday between Crookston and Ada and will be at Red Lake Falls next Saturday to do the honors there as well.

CALLED A PASTOR—Rev. Willard S. Ward was at East Grand Forks last evening where he presided at a meeting of Mendenhall Memorial Presbyterian church congregation. A call was extended to Rev. H. W. Georgi, formerly stationed at Wimbledon, N. D., and the call was at once accepted by Rev. Georgi who was present.

RETURNED TO SCHOOL— Prof. R. D. Bartlett returned yesterday to his school duties at Tabor where he is located for the year. He spent Saturday and Sunday here at the home of his brother, J. M. Bartlett, Washington Avenue.

RETURNED TO OSCEOLA—Willmer Roese who has been spending the summer here with his aunt, Mrs. R. E. Smith left Sunday evening for his home at Osceola where he will spend the winter. He enjoyed the summer here, and thinks northern Minnesota is strictly all right.

HAS 'EM PRIMED— Jos. Wessel went north yesterday with his cough candy case. The cought candy season is not really open yet but he has a few of the last year's samples left. This year he will have a new brand which can be taken two at a time. It is said that he has a little Johnson serum with which he primes the palate ticklers which he is giving away now.

WENT TO VISIT PARENTS—Geo F. Carpenter left Sunday evening for Montana where he will visit his parents for about ten days who are located out from Culbertson on a claim and from the latter place Mr. Carpenter enjoys a drive of 75 miles. Tho Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter located in Southern Minnesota in the early sixties, Mr. Carpenter never took a claim until he located out from Culbertson.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 14 In History.

1644—William Penn, courtier and alleged conspirator in England and founder of Pennsylvania, born in London; died there 1718.

1734—Francis Lightfoot Lee, "signer" for Virginia, born; died 1797.

1905—Treaty of peace signed by the emperors of Russia and Japan.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:18, rises 6:08; moon rises 8:47 p. m.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—J. J. Padden, manager of the Crookston Milling Co. ,at Red Lake Falls returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul.

VISITING RELATIVES — James Phillips a brother of Officer Harry Phillips of the local police force arrived this morning from Fargo to spend a few days here with relatives.

A TRIP EAST — Ralph Carter left last evening for Chicago, Illinois, where he has been called on a matter of business. While in that city he expects to take in one of the baseball games played for national supremacy, and he is anticipating some great enjoyment.

BACK TO OLD CHARGE—Rev. C. W. Gilman arrived Tuesday morning from Litchfield where he has been attending the M. E. conference and after spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones, 108 Houston Ave., left last evening for Beltrami where he was assigned for another year's work.

FINED $100 AND COSTS— John Kitleson and H. Holte were given a hearing in the municipal court at E. G. Forks yesterday on the charge of violating the Sunday closing ordinance. City Attorney Collins appeared for the city and F. C. Massee for the defendants. They were found guilty and Judge Sullivan imposed a fine of $50 each and costs. Notice was given of an appeal to the district court.

GOES TO LAMBERT—Creamery Inspector A .O. Stonvick will leave tomorrow morning for Lambert where Messrs. Rodebeaux and Parenteau are planning to change the cheese factory into a creamery. In fact they have decided to make the change but the farmers will listen to an address by Mr. Storvick relative thereto.

A big bunch of county divisionists are here today from Fosston including Martin Randklev, John Hillestad, Chris Olson, Dreng Grundyson, John Vig, Louis Lohn, I. O. Brandt, D. A. Ray and they are circulating among the voters boosting the proposition. Other men stopped off at intervening stations.

Tomorrow Judge Watts ,will hear further arguments in connection with the Red Lake County Seat removal case. Another application will be made for a mandamus order, compelling the county commissioners to meet and consider the county seat removal petition.

GRAND CHAPTER OF THE R. A. M.

ALDEN BRALEY WILL ATTEND ST. PAUL MEETING FROM THIS CITY

Alden Braley the High Priest of Pierson Chapter No. 41, R. A. M. of this city will leave this evening for St. Paul where tomorrow the Grand Chapter will open in annual session. The gathering will be a very large one, and one of great interest in Masonic circles.

OLD RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

Mrs. O. Mercil, Sr. of Gentilly, one of the pioneer and highly respected residents of that locality died this morning after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held from St. Peter's church at Gentilly Friday at 10.:30 a. m. and a large number will attend from this city. Deceased was the mother of O. Mercil, Jr., of this city, and was a lady beloved by all who knew her.

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HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE IN VICINITY HERE WILL WELCOME THIS ADVICE

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, which is said to be a positive remedy for back ache or kidney or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

HE DECLINES TO BE DEPORTED

LARUE LEAVES TRAIN QUIETLY AT CROOKSTON AND WILL NOT GO EAST

LA RUE SOON MAKES ESCAPE—BELIEVED HE WILL NOT RETURN

From Wednesday's Daily—

After purchasing, F. LaRue who had been under arrest for running a blind pig at Edmore and who is a cripple and a burden on Ramsey county, a ticket to Ogdensburg, N. Y., the authorities of Ramsey county, N. D., started LaRue on his way east on Monday accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Frye. The deputy sheriff had some trouble getting his prisoner to accompany him from Grand Forks Monday night, but when LaRue was threatened with jail he consented to go. Deputy Sheriff Frye came as far as Crookston and there turned the ticket over to the Great Northern conductor, with instructions to turn it over to the next conductor at the end of each division.

LaRue waited until the deputy sheriff had left the train and then he left also. He evaded the deputy and his escape was not known until the G. Northern conductor returned last evening to Grand Forks and turned the ticket over to Agent Webber. La Rue had insisted that the state had no legal right to deport him, and it is believed that he will make a fight. He has relatives in Ogdensburg The case against him for blind pigging may keep him away from Ramsey county.

PLEASED WITH THE VALLEY

Wm. Whitemarsh and J. M. Pollard left last evenin gfor their home at Strawberry Point, Ia., after spending a few days looking over their property interests in this section. They own Section 36 in the Town of Hammond and this is Mr. Pollard's first visit to this section and he is highly pleased with his property, the country at large and had a special compliment for Crookston. They bought the land of W. H. Blake of this city, who has been looking after it since for the owners.

SUPT. ROBERTSON HIGHLY HONORED

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experiment Station has been honored by an invitation to deliver an address at the Minnesota Academy of Sciences which will be held at St. Paul Dec. 3rd and 4th next, and at which leading speakers from all over the United States will deliver addresses. Mr. Robertson's address will be on "The Policy of the State Regarding Agricultural Lands" and will certainly be worth hearing.

Plans Made For Gov. Johnson

YOUNG MEN'S JOHNSON CLUB MAKING GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR THE EVENT—BANDS AND TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION WILL BE GREAT FEATURES—GOVERNOR JOHNSON WILL ALSO SPEAK AT McINTOSH AND FOSSTON—BANQUET WILL PROBABLY FOLLOW ADDRESS

There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Young Men's Johnson Club last night in Marin's Hall, when the committees appointed by President J. N. Kirsch reported and discussed plans for next Monday's meeting when Gov. Johnson will address a monster gathering in Crookston.

The club was in telephone communication with Frank A. Day and it was learned that Gov. Johnson would arrive here next Monday morning on No. 5 and after breakfasting here would leave on the Duluth train at 8:30 for Erskine where he will make an address for 5 minutes. He will hold rallies at McIntosh in the morning and Fosston in the afternoon, a big barbecue being held at Fosston.

Gov. Johnson will return to Crookston at 6:45 in the evening and then the music will begin. The big torch light procession will leave Hotel Crookston at 8 o'clock and proceed down Broadway to Fletcher, from Fletcher to Main street and down Main to the Auditorium where Gov. Johnson will speak. Seats at the Auditorium will be reserved for the club members.

It is probable that a banquet will be held at the Hotel Crookston after the address at the Auditorium but this matter has not been settled and will be taken up at the meeting on Thursday evening. The following resolutions were passed last evening.

Resolutions Adopted by the Young Men's John A. Johnson Club of Crookston, Minn.

Whereas, the members of this club regardless of political affiliations, believe, that citizenship is of more importance than partisanship, and loyalty is not equivalent to patriotism, be it resolved that without regard to political affiliations we hereby pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to secure the election of the Honorable John A. Johnson as Governor of the State of Minnesota at the election to be held in said State November 3rd, 1908.

In taking this step we fully realize its import and thoroly understand that in doing so we are manifesting a spirit of independence in politics. We believe in state development. We believe that our first duty next to the nation is to the state. That our citizenship requires that in casting our ballot we be guided solely by the public welfare and not by mercenary or partisan motives. We concede that party organization is justifiable and perhaps necessary in our system of government, but we do not concede that the party label is of itself the only criterion. In its government the state in our opinion is presumed to put forth one of the best if not its very best representative citizen. Governor Johnson has been tested in the highest office in the gift of the state, and has met every call whether at home or abroad with such ability, dignity and breadth of human understanding that today Minnesota is in the forefront of the states, and the eyes of the nation are turned to it in a manner never before equalled in its history. His administration of his office has tended to the advancement and progress of the internal affairs of the state, and any citizen of the state can with pride point to such citizenship and to the great Governor of the state in any assemblage, or at any place in the nation. Without disparagement of Governor Johnson's opponent we therefore believe that we are justified in our political action in this respect, and so believing form this organization, nor do we concede that in so acting we in any manner betray our allegiance to the principles of the platforms of the respective national party to which we may belong, for in our opinion Governor Johnson is the personification of the best American citizenship, and good American citizenship is never inimical to the good principles of any national party. We therefore unanimously pledge our efforts collectively and individually to the success of Governor Johnson at the coming election.

—Oscar Fredricks,
—O. B. Tveten,
—Peter P. Boukind,
Committee on Resolutions.

BIG MEET OF CREAMERY MEN

RED RIVER VALLEY DAIRYMEN'S ASSOCIATION TO MEET AT ST. HILAIRE

PROGRAM HAS BEEN COMPLETED AND IS AN EXCELLENT ONE

MEETING WILL BE HELD ON THE 11TH AND 12TH OF NOVEMBER

From Wednesday's Daily—

Secretary Geo. L. Austin of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Assn., came down last evening and has been spending the day in the city conferring with President Robertson of the Association and Dairy Inspector A. O. Storvick regarding the coming annual meeting of the association at St. Hilaire which will be held on November 11th and 12th.

The program is one of the best ever given by the association the speakers all being men of wide reputation The prizes offered are also very tempting and the exhibits promise to be numerous and very fine. The official programs are now being printed and will soon be issued: Following is the program:

PROGRAM

Wednesday, November 11, 1908—1:00 P. M.

Music—
Address of Welcome .... C. H. Martz, St. Hilaire.
Response .... Prof. Wm. Robertson, Crookston, Supt. Crookston Experimental Station.
Music—
Co-operation .. Prof. J. A. Vye, St. Anthony Park, Sec. State Experimental Station.
Discussion.
Address ... Prof. T. L. Haecker, St. Anthony Park, Minn., , Prof. of Dairying, Minnesota School of Agriculture.
Test Association — Colon C. Lillie, Cooperville, Mich., Asst. Dairy and Food Commissioner, Michigan.
Alfalfa .... Ed A. Aubol, St. Hilaire, Minnesota.
Discussion.
Appointment of Committees.

7:00 P. M.

Dairying in Sweden .. C. M. Davidson, Climax, Minn.
Discussion.
Creamery Management .. C. B. Goodale, Fertile, Minn.
A Uniform System of Creamery Accounting ... ... Prof. J. A. Vye

9:00 P. M.

Banquet by the Citizens of St. Hilaire

Thursday, November 12,—9:00 A. M.

Music—
Dairying in Kansas and Nebraska as seen by Joel G. Winkjer, Manhattan, Kas., with U S. Dairy Division.
Everyday vs Composite Testing of Cream .... H. A. Lidenberg, Fosston, Minn.
Discussion.
Silo Experiences .. Peter Engelstad, Thief River Falls, Minn.
Discussion.

1:00 P. M.

Music—
Winter Dairying .. Prof. A. D. Wilson, St. Anthony Park, Minn., Supt. Minnesota Farmers' Institutes.
Discussion.
What Makes a Creamery Successful ..O. A. Storvick, Crookston, Minn. Creamery Inspector Minn., Dairy and Food Dept.
Discussion.
Improvement of the Raw Material and Finished Product .... O. S. Hagen, Sandridge, Minn.
Discussion.
Address .. J. J. Farrell, Carver, Minn. Pres. National Creamery Buttermakers' Association.
Election of Officers.
Adjournment.

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People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality ,and weak, delicate people are restored to health. Refuse any but Foley's.

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TRIED PAWN GRANDMA'S RING

F. E. MULLIN HELD BY GRAND FORKS POLICE LAST NIGHT ON SUSPICION

TODAY MRS. NELSON WENT TO FORKS AND RECOVERED HER DIAMOND CLUSTER

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday F. E. Mullin attempted to pawn a diamond cluster ring, valued at $150 at Grand Forks. Suspicions were aroused and he was arrested. Chief Eck was phoned to investigate. Mullin had worked for Jake Andrist, but no one whose furniture had been moved hard lost a diamond.

Chief Eck went to the home of Mullen's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson who reside on the second floor of the Kiewel block adjoining the Merchants National bank where Mullin had stopped while in Crookston.

Mrs. Nelson had missed her diamond ring but supposed she had mislaid it. A thoro search showed it was gone.

She went to Grand Forks this morning and recovered her ring but refused to swear out a warrant.

THEIR AUTO WAS BALKY

On Wednesday Chas. Kiewel started for Plummer in his auto, taking J. A. McCaffrey along for a trip. They reached Plummer in good time, but when they were ready to start on the return trip the machine balked.

Not a "chug, chug" could be secured.

After working for a few hours Mr. Kiewel went to Thief River Falls on the Soo and secured an auto physician and yesterday morning they started back for Crookston, coming via Brooks, and made a record run.

The part of the deal that makes them both warm under the collar is that they had a pair of ducks-ordered cooked for their supper Wednesday evening at a restaurant here. When they failed to show up Messrs. C. C. Bowen, Wm. Emmerich and Adolph Rauch walked into the restaurant and ordered the ducks served. And they say they were the finest ever.

MADE FIRST ELECTION WAGER

PAT CONNORS WAGERS A $150 DUMP CART THAT JOHNSON IS ELECTED

The first election bet thus far recorded it is alleged, has been made by Pat Connors who bet a $150 dump cart against a $12.50 buggy owned by S. L. Collins, that Gov. Johnson will be re-elected.

The only hitch there seems to be, is to get a stake holder, as no one seems to be available who wants to carry the two wagers about with him.

HAD A SCRAP; COST ONE $10

Last evening John Urness and a farmer named Abrahamson residing east of the city had a tilt on Main Street and Abrahamson got the worst of the fistic argument. He swore out a warrant and Urness this morning appeared before Judge Gossman of the Municipal Court and paid a fine of $10 and costs. So much more in the city treasury.

And it's never too often to kiss a girl who is pretty.

A lazy man is soon done for if he has no one to do for him.

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LARIMORE HAS BAD BLAZE

FIRE BROKE OUT AT MIDNIGHT AND WHOLE TOWN WAS THREATENED

ELEVATOR AND SEVERAL BUILDINGS WERE CONSUMED—NO LIVES LOST

From Friday's Daily—

A telephone message from Inkster says a fire broke out at midnight last night and it was feared that nearly the entire town would be destroyed. An appeal was sent to Larimore at 12:30 for a fire engine and company. The Great Northern sent a special train with the company at 1:05 this morning.

The fire started in the Minneapolis & Northern elevator which was destroyed. A car loaded with wheat and an empty one were also burned. The fire caught in the business portion of the city and it was necessary to abandon the building in which the telephone exchange was located and the telegraph wires were out of commission.

Inkster is a thriving city of about 600 inhabitants. It is located on the Great Northern branch north of Larimore and about 40 miles from Grand Forks.

The total loss was about $35,000.

Bemidji Oct. 10—Mrs. Mike Seberger died at 1:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the effects of eating opium, after being unconscious since last Tuesday night. Mrs. Seberger's last minutes were quiet and she did not regain consciousness before the end.

Sam Kee, a local Chinaman, is being held in the county jail, C. W. Scrutchin of this city having been retained as his attorney. Just what charge will be preferred against Kee is not known. It is alleged by Mr. Seberger that Kee furnished Mrs. Seberger the opium with which she fed her habit, ultimately resulting in her death.

Lying in a bed at her home in an unconscious condition and violently delirious part of the time from opium poisoning, Mrs. Mike Seberger has been carefully watched since Tuesday night, when she became unconscious and physicians were summoned to her bedside to ascertain the cause of her illness. According to the physicians at her bedside, there is no hope for her recovery—she must die.

Mrs. Seberger was taken violently ill Tuesday night at about 11 o'clock and when closely questioned by her husband stated that there was nothing the matter with her; that she was not felling just well. Afterward she became unconscious and Mr. Seberger secured the services of Drs. Marcum, Orr and Shannon, to attend his wife. They did not hesitate in pronouncing her illness to be caused by eating opium.

She remained unconscious ever since Tuesday night and close watch has been kept over her since that time.

Mr. Seberger states that his wife became addicted to the use of opium while she was an inmate of a hospital a year ago in June. In some manner Mrs. Seberger got possession of some morphine tablets and used them. According to her husband after she had left the hospital Mrs. Sebenger had a hankering for opium and was closely watched at all times. Mr. Sebenger says so faf as he is aware of, Mrs. Seberger had not been able to secure any opium.

Thursday night, Sam Kee, a Chinaman who conducts a laundry in this city appeared at the home of Mrs. Seberger and inquired after Mrs. Seberger. He was given a close questioning and admitted that he had given opium to other people in Bemidji, but strenuously denied having furnished any of the drug to Mrs. Seberger. He was confronted with the box of stuff which had been found in the house, but would not admit that he had supplied the sick woman with the fatal narcotic.

The Chinaman was loud in his protestations that 'opium no do it—it no killee."

Saved His Boy's Life

"My three-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

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Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

YOUNG MEN ORGANIZE A JOHNSON CLUB

150 OF THE WELL KNOWN YOUNG MEN OF THIS CITY EFFECT ORGANIZATION AT MARIN HALL LAST EVENING—THE PURPOSE IS TO AID BY ALL HONORABLE MEANS THE ELECTION OF JOHN A. JOHNSON AS GOVERNOR

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening at Marin Hall the Young Men's Johnson Club, of Crookston was formally launched with a membership of 150 by the election of the following officers:

President—J. N. Kirsch.
1st vice president—Peter Boukind.
2nd vice president—Arthur Egley.
3rd vice president—P. J. Elde.
Secretary—A. G. Brager.
Treasurer—Richard Gadde.

Special Vice President and Chairman of the Traveling Men's meetings which will be held Saturday evening, Bert Levins.

The gathering was the most enthusiastic political meeting ever held in Crookston, and was remarkable in that it showed the wonderful interest that is being taken in the re-election of Gov. Johnson by hundreds of young men who in the past paid but little attention to politics.

The purpose of the organization is to aid by all honorable means the re-election of Gov. Johnson this fall, and they are certainly going about it with an enthusiasm that means success.

What is more significant is that the vast majority of the young men are republicans and tho every effort was made, nothing could be done to stem the tide. The young men signed the roll of honor by the score and as fast as they could be seen.

Regular meetings will be announced for the future, and on the appearance of Gov. Johnson in Crookston later on there will be such a demonstration as has not been witnessed in this section in the last quarter of a century.

Candidates Meet

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8—William J. Bryan and William H. Taft, rival candidates for the presidency met last night at the fourth annual banquet of the Chicago Association of commerce. The meeting is said to have been the first of its kind since the Lincoln and Douglas campaign preceeding the civil war.

A Notable Gathering

At the speaker's table when the speech-making began, there were the following: Layfette McWilliams, H. N. Higinbotham, John V. Farewell, Walter H. Wilson, Dr. Emil G. Hirch David R. Forgan, Mr. Taft, President Richard C. Hall of the Chicago association of commerce, Mr. Bryan, A. C. Bartlett, Governor Deneen of Illinois, John G. Shedd, Charles H. Wacker, President Kavanaugh of the Deep Water-Ways association and Don Farnsworth.

An earsplitting shout gave warning of the arrival of Judge Taft. Mr. Bryan in common with everyone else arose and looked toward the entrance

Mr. Bryan who had ceased in the destruction of some sort of chop suey masquerading under a French name, turned his head slowly as his political rival drew near smiling.

A Dramatic Moment

The dramatic moment which had been anticipated with such deep interest was soon over. Bryan's hand awaited that of Mr. Taft. A single lingering pressure, a word or so which none could overhear, because of the tumult, the republican leader passed on to a chair at the right of Mr. Hall. The cheering continued for a minute or so after those at the speaker's table had taken seats. After the noise had subsided, Mr. Bryan leaning to one side and smiling broadly, asked Mr. Taft if he had "had a good day." This display of friendliness on the part of the two candidates stirred the crowd to renewed cheering and words being useless in the din, Mr. Taft stroked his throat for answer. Then Taft laughed and the applause increased.

"Both Bills All Right"

"What is the matter with Bill?" cried some one who was the possessor of a large voice.

"He's all right," "Who's all right?" "Bill's all right.'

It took music by the orchestra and songs by the guests to restore a semblance of quiet.

When talking in ordinary tones became possible, the two candidates entered into an animated conversation in which President Hall joined.

The speeches of both Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan were not partisan

Besides Taft and Bryan, speakers of the evening were A. C. Barlett and David R. Forgan. Mr. Barlett was first speaker and Mr. Forgan was sandwiched between Mr. Forgan and Mr. Taft.

Bryan Cheered

Mr. Bryan was cheered to echo as he rose to speak. Cheers and laughter followed humoristic touches that characterized his opening re marks.

'I appreciate the honor of being present on this occasion," said he. "I appreciate the generous words of the chairman in presenting me to you. I think that it is good when we can lay aside partisan feeling on an occasion like this and forgetting the things that separate us, remember the things that are more numerous and more important that unite us in the bonds of common citizenship. I think I can see signs of progress in politics When I first began to run for president, (laughter) there were no occasions of this kind.

A Larger Charity

I think I note a larger charity, a broader liberality and more kindly feeling than has at time prevailed in the past. Here the chairman of the representative committees meet in the heat of th campaign to pause for a moment in the giving out of estimates. Here the treasurers of the respective committees spend for a moment the investigation of business conditions of those who send in checks and here (two distinguished) citizens at large meet both uncertain as to which will be confined. We shall carry away delightful recollections of this occasion, for whatever the election may show we may remember one occasion when we were treated with equal consideration.

"I am glad to meet at this board one who has been honored by his party with the leadership in a great campaign. I am glad to testify to my appreciation of his ability and his virtues. If I am successful, victory will be greater to have won from such, and if I am defeated the sorrow will be less to have been defeated by such.

Taft Speaks

Mr. Taft, prefaced his prepared speech with a few impromptu remarks which created laughter. He said:

"Mr. Chairman, Mr. Bryan and Gentlemen of the Chicago Association of Commerce: I have only begun to run for the presidency and I am glad to begin when political amenities of the campaign are better understood.

"I am exceedingly glad to meet my guest and to forget rivalries and distinguished opponent, and fellow putes of the campaign in this most inspiring hospitality; and I reciprocate in every way to his kindly and courteous words of respect and good will. Like him, I have recently been subjected to considerable strain, but the experiences of today have been almost more than I could bear.

One non-partisan speech is a good deal of burden, when you are in another kind of practice, and to have three inside of nine hours I submit to my distinguished fellow guest and opponent, is cruelty to animals.

"On behalf of our distinguished fellow guest and myself and in view of the fact that I follow him, I tender thanks to the Citizens' Association of Chicago for relieving one of us in the selection of a cabinet.

"And this with entire diference to those other candidates for the presidency whose engagemnts prevented their attendanc."

New York, Oct. 8—(Special to the Journal)—Before a crowd of 40,000 people, with 30,000 more clamoring for admission, Chicago won the National League pennant from New York by a score of 4 to 2. Brown pitched for Chicago and Mathewson for New York. In 8th inning the rioting was beyond control of police. Thousands of dollars changed hands.

ONLY ONE CAR OF NO. 2 WHEAT

EVERYTHING ELSE SHIPPED BY ONE ELEVATOR THIS YEAR HAS BEEN

NO. 1 NORTHERN OR BETTER — FARMERS ALL HIGHLY PLEASED

From Thursday's Daily—

As an indication of the splendid grade of the grain raised in this section this year, from the S. C. Johnson Elevator in Crookston thus far but one car of grain has been shipped which graded only No. 2 Northern, all the balance grading No. 1 Northern or better.

This is a record which has not been equalled in many years if it ever was in a grain country. Mr. Johnson states that before the heavy rain the color of all the grain was practically perfect and as most of the threshing was done prior to that time there was little to be injured later. Some of the grain even after the rain had a splendid color, showing the result of good shocking.

The elevator men state that the farmers never appeared more satisfied than this year. The high price of grain, and the good grades, result ina load netting a very good bunch of money, and they all appear well pleased with what they are getting and talk optimistically of the future.

MANY LABORERS FOR GREENBUSH

This morning a large bunch of laboring men were sent to Greenbush to work on the new extension thru Roseau to Warroad. Every morning there is a good sized bunch sent up and it is evidently the intention to rush the work and complete the rail laying in record breaking time.

Inkster, N. D., Oct. 10—A total loss of $131,500 was entailed in a fire which wiped out practically the entire business district of Inkster yesterday. Originating in the Minneapolis & Northern elevator from the explosion of a lantern dropped in a bin by a workman, the fire soon gained such proportions as to be entirely beyond control. Rapidly the flames swept across intervening spaces and before assistance arrived in the stricken city from Larimore, three blocks of the business district had been destroyed. The losses sustained are as follows:

James C. Mahon, sales stable,

James Harrington, pool room occu- $4,000.

H. Casement, frame barn $5,000.

R. L. Bennett, machine shed and office, $3,000, contents $2000.

W. H. Bailey, lumber office and yard, $17,000.

H. Casement, implements, building $1,000, contents $2,000.

W. A. Scouten, furniture and undertaking; building $3,000; contents, $3,000.

James Redpath pool room; building $700; contents $1000.

George Smith restaurant; building $1000, contents $2500.

Hazelbarth & Sims, building $1500. pying Hazelbarth & Sims building, $500.

Inkster Mercantile company general merchandise stock $35,000; building owned by L. A. Crittenden $2000.

T. W. Kernaghan real estate and insurance; contents $200; building, owned by L. A. Crittenden $100.

Dave Johnson, restaurant $250; building owned by L. A. Crittenden, $1,00.

Inkster Telephone exchange, building owned by Bemis & Gallagher, $2000.

Mrs. C. H. Parker confectionery and household furniture $2000.

A. Song store $1000.

V. E. Bemis and company general store; contents $20,000; building $6,000. Insurance of $12,000 on build-

James H. Collings, building occupied by Inkster Enterprise $500.

Inkster Enterprise company plant $800. Insurance of $400.

Minneapolis & Northern Elevator company; building $10,000.

John Erickson jewelry store $500.

Buildings on north side of Fourth street damaged by smoke, water and breaking of plate glass windows by heat $100.

Honolulu, Oct. 10—A marvelous mirage was witnessed here yesterday an exact reproduction of the Pacific fleet appearing in the southern sky. The fleet is now approaching this port from Samoa, but its distance from Honolulu is not known.

SCHWIEZER GOES TO ST. P.

POPULAR ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF NORTHERN DIVISION OF

GREAT NORTHERN TO ENTER ST. PAUL OFFICES—MUCH REGRET HERE

From Thursday's Daily—

The announcement that J. M. Schweizer, the well known and popular assistant superintendent of the Northern Division of the Great Northern who has been here for the past three years, is to leave Crookston tomorrow evening to accept a position in the general offices at St. Paul will come as a great surprise and cause general regret among a host of friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Schweizer have both been very popular in Crookston since they took up their residence here, and in church, social and lodge circles they will be greatly missed.

Among the railroad men Asst. Supt. Schweizer was very popular, and he was recognized as a most efficient man in his position by both the employes and the general public. The exact character of his position in the general offices has not yet been made public, but the change is in the nature of a substantial advancement.

He will be succeeded here by Steve O'Gara of Sioux City, an efficient trainmaster there, and he will act in the same capacity on the Northern Division.

NORTH DAKOTA WOMEN MEET

State Federation of Clubs in Session at Minot, North Dakota.

From Friday's Daily—

No possible doubt could exist in the minds of the delegates to the North Dakota Federation of Women's clubs that they were welcome to Minot, the Magic City after the reception accorded them at the opera house Wednesday night. The addresses of welcome were overflowing with good will and kindly feeling and the response by Mrs. White showed plainly that it was appreciated. This morning the delegates enjoyed an automobile ride thru the city and upon the surrounding hills.

One of the interesting features of the afternoon session was the part known as "Echoes from Three Great Meetings." Mrs. John Burke, wife of Gov. Burke, of that state told of the governors' gathering at Washington and of some of the incidents interesting to the club women. The Mothers' congress in Washington was reviewed by Mrs. N. C. Young, of Fargo. The Boston Biennial was reported by six of the North Dakota delegates. The Suggestions from Past Presidents also given this afternoon, contained a number of helpful hints based on experience. Mrs. Jennie S. Tuller covered 1897 to 1899; Mrs. W. S. Lauder, Wahpeton, 1899 to 1901; Mrs. C. J. Lord, Cando, 1901 to 1903, and Mrs H. S. Oliver Lisbon from 1903 to 1907 This evening there will be a banquet at the Leland at which Mrs. M. Welch of Minot will act as toastmistress Toasts will be responded to by Mrs. C. H. Rathman of Jamestown Mrs. Grant S. Hager, St. Thomas; Mrs. L. H. Bolley, Fargo and Mrs. C. M. Budlong, Bismarck. The evening will be devoted to an address by Enos A. Mills.

Sometimes a woman's crowning glory is pinned on for the occasion.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Oct. 8 In History.

1793—John Hancock, statesman and "signer," died at Quincy, Mass.; born 1737

1872—Remarkably rapid conflagration destroyed Pishtigo, Wis., and nearly all its inhabitants; a forest fire broke out during a drought destroying over 2,000 lives and millions in property

1904—General Matt W. Ransom, noted Confederate leader in the civil war, died; born 1826.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:27, rises 6:01; moon sets 5:28 a. m.; moon's age 14 days; 9:59 p. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet, 2½ degrees south; seen near tonight; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

LAND MAN HERE— Bert Knapp, conected with the Bank of Warren in past years and now running a land office in Illinois arrived this morning with another bunch of farmers for the Red River Valley.

TO SHOOT PARTRIDGES — Al Logan passed thru the city this morning enroute to Erskine where he will spend a few days with his father-in-law J. H. Hiler and enjoy a little partridge shooting.

VISITING SCHOOLS — Supt. of Schools Thomas Casey left this morning for Angus and will be absent visiting the schools in that vicinity for the balance of the week.

K. O. Flakne the mayor of Beltrami was an arrival in the city this morning.

BACK FROM BEMIDJI — Alfred Vonderbeck was in the city this morning enroute home to Euclid from Bemidji where he had been attending to some important business for Senator S. D. Works. Alfred is one of the young hustlers of northern Polk who is full of business all the time.

ENROUTE TO MONTANA—A. J. Lovestrom formerly in the newspaper business is spending the lay in the city with J. R. Walters and will leave this evening for Montana where he will spend a few days looking over the country and may locate there if he finds conditions to suit him.

NORMANDEN NOT SOLD—Editor Peter Thoreson, of the Normanden at Grand Forks, one of the leading Scandinavian publications of the northwest yesterday branded as absolutely without foundation a story that the Normanden had been sold to a syndicate composed of Congressman Gronna and Marshall and H. T. Helgeson. The story was evidently for political purposes. There has been no talk of disposing of the Normanden, Mr. Thoreson stated positively.

MRS. BLACKBURN IS DEAD — Mrs. Mary Blackburn died at her home at Grand Forks yesterday forenoon at 11:30. All of her children except a daughter residing in Chicago were present when the end came Her mother was also present. The deceased was a member of the Royal Neighbors. She was highly thought of by a large circle of acquaintances The Royal Neighbors will attend the funeral in a body. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 9 In History.

1547—Miguel Cervantes de Saavedra, author of "Don Quixote," born; died 1616.

1782—Lewis Cass, American statesman and pioneer, born; died 1866.

1870—Union of Italy completed by the incorporation of papal territory. Provisional republic proclaimed in France by Gambetta.

1906—Adelaide Ristori (the Marchioness del Grillo), celebrated Italian actress, died; born 1822.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:26, rises 6:02; moon rises 5:39 p. m.; moon's age 15 days; 4:03 p. m., eastern time, moon full in constellation Pisces; 1 p. m., planet Venus at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

WENT TO BARNESVILLE—Chas Waattam of the Great Northern offices here went to Barnesville yesterday on business.

CREW FOR CEMENT WORK — Contractor Louis Johnson this morning sent a crew of men to Thief River Falls to lay the cement floors in the new Finch-Winslow-Carlisle wholesale grocery house of that place. The building is rapidly nearing completion.

OUT EAST LINE—Clayt Final and Otto Koeppe left this morning for a trip to Lengby, Fosston and other points out on the east line.

Albert Bergh left this morning for Grand Forks where he will spend the day on business.

W. F. Peterson left this morning for Little Fork where he was called on business matters.

W. A. Marin left for Grand Forks this morning.

Peter Gramer went to Fisher this morning.

Dr. J. S. Chapin returned to Euclid this morning.

Those Delicious Lemon Pies

The kind that "make your mouth water" are easily made with no fussing and at the least possible expense if you use "OUR-PIE" Preparation. It is put up in air-tight packages and contains the right proportions of the choicest ingredients. Every package inspected and guaranteed under the Pure Food Laws. Don't hesitate. Try it to-day and then tell your friends. At grocers. 10 cents.

President Misner, pursuant to instructions at the special meeting of the Commercial Club, has named the committee which will have general supervision over the mass meeting next Wednesday evening, Oct. 14, in the city hall, when it is desired to secure expression as to what the sentiment is regarding the county division proposition. The committee is as follows:

Capt. M. R. Brown, Chairman; G. S. Chesterman, A. M. Sivertson, Chas Kiewel, John Fournet.

This committee will meet in Mr. Chesterman's office this evening at 7:30 to arrange for speakers etc. While anyone who desires may speak on the subject, the committee will notify a number of residents that they will be called upon, so that they may be prepared not only to state how they stand, but why.

Facts and figures are being secured from the court house here and at Red Lake Falls in that connection.

LIBERAL DONATIONS

The members of the Larimore family have made a donation of $25,000 to Wesley college at Grand Forks for the erection of a woman's building as a remembrance to their parents, N. G. and Mary Larimore.ffi

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 10 In History.

Samuel Jackson Randall.

1738—Benjamin West, celebrated American painter, born; died 1820.

1828—Samuel Jackson Randall, American statesman, born; died 1890.

1872—William Henry Seward, statesman, died; born 1801.

1885—Cardinal McCloskey, eminent American prelate, died; born 1810.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:24, rises 6:02; moon rises 6:17 p. m.; moon's age 16 days; 2 p. m., planet Neptune at quadrature with the sun, 90 degrees distant; planet Mercury visible after sunset; early morning sky planets Venus and Jupiter seen drawing nearer daily

TOOK HIS GUN ALONG— Peter Cram went to Mentor today but will also visit Erskine and may shoot a duck or two in that section before returning.

VISITS HOME FOLKS — Deputy County Auditor Henry Welte left this morning for Lengby where he will visit at the old home and with friends and neighbors for a few days.

WENT A-HUNTING— Messrs. Arthur Egley and J. N. Kirsch left this morning for Erskine, and will do a stroke of hunting south of that place for a day or two.

ON CONSTABLE BUSINESS — Jake Andrist left this morning for Dugdale where as constable he will serve some important papers. He is doing a large amount of constable business this fall.

HOME FROM ST. CLOUD—H. E. Nesne of Crookston Marble Works returned this morning from a business trip to St. Cloud. He wore that "business was good" look as he stepped off the train.

RETURNED HOME—Senator Rodenberg of St. Paul who has been here on insurance business for the past few days, left this morning for his home, going via Bemidji where he has a few days' business.

LIKES NEW LOCATION— Swan Ness who recently moved his barber shop from north of the Germania hotel to the McKinnon building just south of the block of A. J. and Al McKinnon and says he is very much pleased with his new location.

FINE BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. August Lindell are the parents of a very fine baby girl, of regulation weight which arrived last night. Mr. Lindell who is a pump repairer on the Great Northern is so proud that without doubt there will be water to burn on the G. N. in the future.

FINE STOCK SHIPPED — Victor Wadekamper the well known merchant of Mentor passed thru the city last evening enroute to St. Paul with a fine car of fat stock for the market. There will be more fat stock shipped from Mentor this year than ever before.

HERE FROM BEMIDJI—A. Lord, connected with the logging department of the Crookston Lumber Co., spent the night here from Bemidji conferring with local magnates, and returned home this morning. He talked politics also—but not for publication.

ANOTHER CALL—Rev. Ward will preside Monday evening next at a congregational meeting of the Mendenhall Presbyterian church at East Grand Forks at which time a new pastor will be called.

HAD GOOD LUCK—Harry Schmidt and Jos. Nault returned last evening from a goose hunt at Goose Lake and brought back 3 big honkers and a fine mess of ducks and lived on game the three days they were gone. They report the biggest kind of a time.

LUMBERMEN HERE —J. A. McDonald and J. P. Easton left this morning for Hallock where they will spend the day on business. They were talking politics so fast when they left Crookston that there was nothing but "Johnson, Jacobson, corporations and the people" to be heard for a block. A special as to the outcome was expected from Dr. Chapin from Euclid but the wires were down.

A FINE RESIDENCE—Henry Feidler returned last evening from Argyle where he has been for the past few days plastering a big addition to the residence of Postmaster Robertson which Mr. Feidler says is certainly a fine home now. Mr. Robertson on the other hand says that the job of plastering done by Mr. Feidler is a little the best ever seen in Argyle.

BACK FROM RACES—R. T. Wilson passed thru this morning enroute from Carrington, N. D., to Bemidji, where he makes his home after making the racing circuit in that section. This year he drove Echo, Juno and Eddie Wood, horses owned by a Junction City, Mo., man. He had a very successful season and regretted that he did not have time to look up Trainer Will Keenan who has charge of the W. S. Lycan string of racers in this city.

CLOSE CALL— While attempting to catch a vicious bull at the home of Mrs. Sarah Quesnell near Mentor on Friday, Victor Wadekamper came near being killed and only for the timely interference of the dog was his life saved and he escaped with only a few bruises.

GO TO THIEF RIVER—After supper this evening Chas. Loring will drive in his auto to Thief River Falls taking as guests Fred Dennis and his brother, Walter Dennis of Park Rapids, and T. R. Brown. They go to attend the meeting to be addressed by Congressman Steenerson and the latter will return with them later in the evening.

INSTALLATION— Rev. Ward of Crookston and Rev. Stroh of Warren were here Monday to attend the installation of Rev. Geo. E. Moorehouse who has accepted the call as pastor of the Hallock and Northcotte Presbyterian churches. The installation took place at Northcotte Monday afternoon and at Hallock in the evening.—Hallock News.

BOUGHT BUILDING—A most important real estate deal was consummated last week at Hallock when Messrs. John Birkholz and T. M. George, the president and cashier respectively of the Kittson County State Bank purchased the new building now occupied by the bank. It is important in showing that these gentlemen have confidence in that village and county as the investment represents a large amount of money. It is also important to the bank for the transaction leaves it so much more capital available for the accommodation of its many customers.

Paris, Oct. 9.—The Sofia correspondent of the Temps says in a dispatch that King Ferdinand has summoned the commander-in-chief of the Bulgarian army in conference.

The Bulgarian government considers that the last communication received from the grand vizier of Turkey is "insolent." The situation is very strained, the correspondent says, and great excitement prevails in Sofia.

Married Man In Trouble

A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package.

For sale by All Druggists.

FACTORY GIRL SHOT BY LOVER

BODY IS FOUND IN THE ROAD, PIERCED BY TWO BULLETS

SWEETHEART HAD THE MARRIAGE LICENSE IN POCKET WHEN ARRESTED

Wadsworth, O., Oct. 10—With unusual energy the police tonight are endeavoring to unravel the mystery of the murder of Ora Lee twenty-one years of age, a handsome factory girl whose body pierced by two bullets, was found early today on the road between Wadsworth and Hamlet.

Guy Rasor, the man whom Miss Lee was to have married tomorrow, is detained by the sheriff pending developments of the police investigation. Rasor denies all knowledge of the tragedy and in support of his denial exhibits the marriage license procured at Wooster yesterday.

ANOTHER CARRIER

POSTMASTER STEENERSON TRYING TO SECURE ONE FOR CROOKSTON

TO GIVE BETTER SERVICE TO PATRONS—AN INSPECTOR COMING SOON

Postmaster Elias Steenerson this morning received a letter from First Asst. Postmaster General E. T. Bushnell to the effect that an inspector had been detailed to visit Crookston in conection with an application which was made some time ago for an additional city mail carrier in order that the local free delivery service might be extended.

In order to secure the free delivery service it is necessary that there be sidewalks, street crossings, street lights and proper house numbering for the residences to be served and the residents should see to it at once that all these conditions are complied with.

GOV. JOHNSON HERE OCT. 19

GREATEST POLITICAL RALLY OF CAMPAIGN WILL BE AT THE AUDITORIUM

ELABORATE PLANS ARE BEING MADE FOR A MONSTER ENTHUSIASTIC MEET

Gov. John A. Johnson will deliver an address in the Crookston Auditorium on Monday evening, Oct. 19 one week from next Monday at 8 o'clock in the evening.

This will be the greatest political meeting in Crookston during the present campaign and plans are being completed for such a monster outburst of enthusiasm as will startle the natives.

The Young Men's Johnson club will head a great torchlight procession and there is no doubt but that the Auditorium will be packed and overflow meetings arranged for later.

WILL ATTEND GOLDEN JUBILEE

M. E. Kirsch expects to get his business in shape so that he can leave Crookston in time to be present at the Golden Jubilee of the Catholic church at Wabasha on October 15. A grand celebration is being planned and as Mr. Kirsch was a resident of Wabasha 46 years ago he is greatly interested in the gathering. He will later visit his old home at Reed's Landing and other points.

SURFACE DITCHING PLANS COMPLETE

Postmaster Elias Steenerson has returned from his Climax farm where he has just completed plans for a complete system of surface ditching which will be constructed this fall covering his entire farm at that place. As this is one of the most essential features of successful farming, the plan will be followed by many other progressive farmers this fall who have not already such a system in operation.

WANTS $1.12 BUT GETS LESS

STRANGER WHO GOT THE WORST OF PERSONAL ENCOUNTER WANTED FEES

THOUGHT CITY CLERK CHILDS SHOULD DO THE DIGGING UP ACT

WANTED THE COIN BUT DID NOT CARE TO PROSECUTE THE AGGRESSOR

From Saturday's Daily—

"I want $1.12 and am entitled to it."

This was the peculiar demand made upon City Clerk Childs yesterday afternoon just before office closing time. The city clerk looked up in wonderment and asked what that amount was wanted for in particular why he did not make it even money.

"Well," said the fellow, "I got my face scratched up in this city and am entitled to witness fees. I will not have the fellow arrested and put the city to the expense of a trial if I get my money, but I want the $1.12 due me and am going to have it."

City Clerk Childs at first thought the fellow must be light in the sky parlor and to appease him turned him over to Chief of Police Eck.

Chief Eck was confronted with a new proposition entirely. He could not figure out just how he was going to break even if he gave the man the $1.12 and after scratching his head for awhile he sent the fellow, who gave his name as Lars Hendrickson to Pat Connors, superintendent of the city dumping grounds, and it is supposed that Lars was given an invitation to take out a life membership in the city dumping association for payment of the $1.12 in full.

Valley City, N. D., Oct. 10 —Chris Christianson proprietor of the pool hall at Martin a small town this side of Harvey was shot in the head yesterday afternoon by a total stranger and died from the injuries early this morning. His assailant was pursued by the village constable and a posse and after an exciting chase was shot thru the abdomen dying from the injuries last night.

The story of the tragedy is a curious one. Christianson was standing on the sidewalk when the murderer approached him. Without a word from either man the assailant raised a gun and shot Christianson through the head, the bullet passing from one temple to the other. Snatchnig a watch from the dead man's pocket the murderer turned and ran down the street. The village constable accompanied by an armed posse started in pursuit and followed the man into the country for a couple of miles. Coming up with him shots were fired on both sides one finally going thru the abdomen. He was taken into Martin where he died from his injuries. Christianson was sent to Minot last night and was taken to the hospital where he died early this morning. As far as is known he has no parents living and the body will probably be buried in this city.

Christianson was proprietor of the pool hall at Martin and a highly respected young man about twenty-six years of age. His assailant is a total stranger. No one knows his name or where he came from. The day before the murder he came to Martin and called at the post office for mail for both Ryan and Combs. He was well dressed and seemed to have some money. It is suspected that the two men have known each other in former years tho neither gave any sign of recognition when they met on the street at the time of the tragedy.

RELIEVED

Chicago, Oct. 10—Christian H. Hanson for ten years Danish consul at Chicago at his own request was relieved from office yesterday, George Bech, now vice consul at Buenos Ayres, Argentina, will succeed Mr. Hanson.

New York, N. Y. Oct. 10 — The fact that Andrew Carnegie has contributed $20,000 to the campaign fund of the republican national committee was announced today by State Chairman Woodruff.

Woodruff also announced that Mrs. Russel Sage has contributed $1,000 to the same fund. There have been no other large contributions from individuals, Mr. Woodruff said, but small sums are coming in from various sources.

COMES FROM A BRAVE STOCK

DEPUTY GAME WARDEN STAR BAD BOY DESCENDENT OF CHIEF BAD BOY

WHO WAS A GREAT FRIEND OF WHITE PEOPLE IN EARLY DAYS

FOUGHT FOR THEIR PROTECTION AND WAS LATER EMPLOYED BY GOVERNMENT

From Saturday's Daily—

In connection with the splendid success of Star Bad Boy, the deputy game warden who was appointed at the instance of Deputy Game Warden Munch of this city about August 1st, and who has had much signal success in that capacity, having secured a large number of convictions in conjunction with Warden Munch, the latter having secured 26 convictions this season, that is a very interesting bit of history which is well authenticated

Star Bad Boy is the grandson of Chief Bad Boy of the Gull Lake band of Chippewas, a staunch friend of the whites. In 1862, on August 18, Chief Little Crow of the Sioux and Chief Hole in the Wall of the Ojibwas conspired to unite the warriors in a common cause and this plan was frustrated by Chief Bad Boy who at once notified the Commandant at Ft. Ripley who sent troops to Crow Wing which action frustrated the alliance and prevented a series of horrible massacres.

Chief Bad Boy never fought against the whites, and after 1862 was kept at Ft. Ripley to assist the soldiers. He was always a friend of the white man, but led his warriors in a great many battles against the Sioux and Ojibways. Warren's History gives a full account of his adventurous career up to the time of his death at the age of 70 years.

Star Bad Boy is now 40 years of age, and since his appointment has secured 11 convictions, some whites and some breeds, all looking alike to him in his official capacity. He is postmaster at Ney-Tah-Wasush, Mahnamen Co., and has a little store which he runs in conection. He is also a member of the government police force on the White Earth reservation an dattended the Carlisle Indian School in Pennsylvania some years ago.

ADVANCES ANOTHER STEP

BIDS FOR CROOKSTON GOVERNMENT BUILDING ARE AUTHORIZED

Congressman Steenerson today received word that the advertisement for bids for the new federal building at Crookston had been authorized, and this means another step toward the realization of the building.

Mr. Steenerson also received notice that mail service would be at once established on the Canadian Northern to Beaudette, Spooner, Warroad and other points direct from Duluth, shortening the time of eastern mail service to those points from 24 to 48 hours. The mail formerly all had to go via Winnipeg.

TO LOOK OVER GREENBUSH WORK

CONTRACTOR A. GUTHRIE OF THE G. N. IN CROOKSTON THIS MORNING

Contractor A. Guthrie of the G. N. passed thru the city this morning enroute from St. Paul to Greenbush where he will look over the work on the rail laying on the extension from Greenbush to Warroad, via Roseau, and see that the work is rushed as much as possible. He has been forwarding a great number of men for the past week to Greenbush.

BIG LEAGUERS WERE HERE

Perry Werden the coach for the Indianapolis ball team, and "Lefty" Davis one of the best known outfielders in the Western Association passed thru the city this morning enroute to Inkster to visit Billy Scouten at Inkster, whom they learned was burned out after they left the cities in the big fire of yesterday.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

IS JACOBSON ELIGIBLE?

Question Has Been Raised Democrats will have Nothing To Do With It. Day Makes Statement.

Minneapolis, Oct. 13—State political circles were stirred today by a remarkable story coming from Madison the home of J. F. Jacobson the republican candidate for governor. The Madison report raises the question as to whether Mr. Jacobson is a fully naturalized citizen, and hence eligible to office. Both the republican and democratic managers have known the story for some days, but apparently both have been sitting on the lid. Meanwhile, it has spread from Madison over the state. Republican managers pronounce the story without foundation saying they have absolute proof of Jacobson's citizenship. However, the question is being given some further investigation. The facts now at hand are not fully conclusive, and so emfurther search of the records will be made.

PJacob F. Jacobson was born in Hjelmeland, Norway in 1840. He came with his parents to America in 1857 and they settled in Fayette county, Iowa. The father who went by the name of Jacob E. Fore, died in 1874. The present candidate for governor and his brothers had then moved to Minnesota. The sons had followed the Norwegian custom taking the name of Jacobson from their father's first name. Inquiry was made this summer at West Union, the county seat of Fayette, but they could not show that Jacob E. Fore was ever naturalized. If he failed to do so, then it was necessary for his sons to take out papers. This Jacob F. Jacobson has never done.

It is claimed however, that the eldest Jacobson was naturalized under the name of Jacob Nelson in 1866. Lars F. Jacobson, a younger brother of the candidate, born in 1862, has made an affidavit that the Jacob Nelson who took out papers in Fayette county in 1866, was their father. This left the question whether the father completed the process of citizenship or whether he only took out first papers, declaring his intention. Up to 1896 first papers were all that was necessary in Minnesota, but in that year an amendment to the constitution was passed which makes it necessary for a man to be a citizen of the United States that is a fully naturalized, in order to vote or hold office. Mr. Jacobson was a member of the legislature them, but evidently considered himself a citizen in every way, for he continued to serve in the legislatures of 1897, 1899 and 1901, later serving on the state board of control. He has assured the committee that he is positive the law was fully complied with by his father, and that he is eligible in every way.

In case it is shown that the candidate could not serve if elected the probable proceeding would be for him to withdraw from the ticket and let the state committee select some one else to run for governor. The state ballots have been printed, and under the law "stickers" would have to be printed with the new candidate's name on, to be pasted over that of the man withdrawing.

There has been bad blood in the village of Madison, where Jacobson had some strong political enemies, and the story emanates from there. Public reference was made to it there recently at the occasion of a big Jacobson mass meeting nd barbecue. One of the speakers referred scathingly to persons circulating stories about a man who had lived in their community for 35 years alleging that he is not a citizen of the United States.

The story has come to the attention of the democratic managers but they have kept quiet about it. Frank A. Day chairman of the democratic committee, admitted today that he had heard the report but said:

"We want nothing to do with it, and I would much rather you would say nothing about it. We are very confident of winning as matters stand now, and we don't want Mr. Jacobson or his supporters to have any excuse to make about the result of this election. I do not want anything to do with it and if it is found to be true we will take no advantage of it. Governor Johnson will lay no claim to the office unless he receives a plurality of the votes at the coming election."

SATURDAY IS MARKET DAY

The advertising matter has been sent out for the next Market Day, which will be next Saturday, and there is every reason to believe that it will far exceed the former two efforts of the citizens to entertain the farmers in the city's trade territory. While the committee this time has not tried to get up an elaborate program, it is believed that the day will be spent most enjoyably and with profit.

One of the features of the program that has been arranged is the appearance for the first time of the Crookston Juvenile Band. The organization will play throughout the day and music will be in the air most of the time. The vaudeville and moving picture shows will be free to the farmers who come to the city and the big auction sale on Bjoin's lot at Robert and Ash street will be of unusual interest. This auction is a free sale and affords an opportunity for every farmer to dispose of whatever he desires to dispose of.

Lunch at G. A. R. Hall

A most enjoyable feature of the program will be the lunch that will be served by the business men to their guests in the G. A. R. hall. It was first announced that the lunch would be given in the Odd Fellows hall, but, after the printing had been secured, the committee made other arrangements and the lunch will be served by the Women's Relief Corps in the G. A. R. building.

Good Prizes

The committee has offered a number of prizes which should start a most interesting and exciting competition. Every farmer should compete and get into the game with a determination to win out at all hazards. The prizes will be given for all kinds of vegetables, the list appearing on the posters which are being put out by the committee. This will not only arouse interest in this event, but should increase the interest in the raising of vegetables and the owning of fine stock.

More the Merrier

To the farmer bringing to the city the largest family the committee, on behalf of the business men, will present a dozen of the finest photographs of the group that can be secured. There are indications that many will compete for this prize and there is no doubt but that there will be many large families in the city on next Saturday.

The business houses also announce that on Market Day they will put into effect some of the best bargains that can be secured throughout the year and this should also attract many of the city's neighbors to come to the city on the day.

Beauty in Coinage Deteriorated

It is a strange fact that as the world has progressed in every other department of life the one dominating factor of the globe, money, has deteriorated in design, in beauty of idea and cleverness of execution. Another strange fact well worth remembering is that golden grain belt beer is in realty a harmless temperance beverage, and if drunk to the exclusion of everything else including tea or coffee, would contribute to the health of humanity—purify its blood, build its muscle and stregthen its nerves. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

THE FEDERAL BUILDING BIDS

JOURNAL PUBLISHES CALL FOR BIDS FOR THE NEW FEDERAL BUILDING

WHICH WILL BE LOCATED IN CROOKSTON ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

BUILDING WILL COST ABOUT $65,000 BARE—THOUSANDS MORE TO FURNISH

From Tuesday's Daily—

In this issue of the Journal appears the call for bids for the new Federal Building which will be located in this city on the site purchased cornerwise across from the city hall on Broadway.

The building will cost $65,000 or better, and the work of excavating for the foundation will probably be started before the end of the present year.

The plans will be here in a few days.

ORGANIZED MORE R.R. MEN

CONDUCTOR S. H. WITHEY RETURNS FROM AN EXTENDED TRIP

DULUTH AND ST. CLOUD ORGANIZED, BRAINERD AND BRECKENRIDGE NEXT

From Monday's Daily—

Conductor S. H. Withey returned home to spend Sunday after an extended trip during which more railway employes' associations were organized.

At Duluth on Oct. 6th an organization was effected at Duluth with 750 members, specia trains naving been run from Ely and Proctor. Members will be taken in from all over the Range country and 2500 members are expected at Duluth before election.

Sunday at St. Cloud Engineer Wm Maher organized another branch with about 1,000 members.

Tuesday Mr. Withey will organize a big branch at Brainerd and from there goes to Breckenridge to organize another branch. Hee will leave Crookston tonight and is about the busiest man in the state.

He is highly pleased over the enthusiasm manifested by the employes evrywhere over the proposition to protect their own interests.

MANY STUDENTS REGISTERING

TRAINS BRINGING IN MANY TO ATTEND THE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

YOUNG LADIES DORMITORY IS RAPIDLY FILLING UP—THE FIRST DAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

This is the first day or registration at the State School of Agriculture and the students are pouring in from all directions. The Young Ladies' Dormitory is rapidly filling up, and the young men are coming in from all directions

Supt. Robertson is highly pleased with the outlook, the trains this mor ning bringing in many. The school has been so well advertised, and so much interest generally is taken in the work, that there is no question but what the attendance this year will exceed all expectations.

The young man who enters the school is certainly lucky as well as the young woman, for opportunities are presented which no young person can afford to overlook.

BIG RALLY HELD AT FOSSTON

Ole Sageng candidate for congress from this district on the Democratic ticket addressed a big gathering at Fosston last evening. There was a very large gathering and much enthu siasm was manifested. He talks straight from the shoulders and has the faculty of getting the close attention of his hearers.

PREPARING FOR BIG TIME

YOUNG MENS JOHNSON CLUB NAMES COMMITTEES FOR MONDAY NIGHT

GOVERNOR JOHNSON WILL BE GIVEN A MOST ROUSING RECEPTION

MONSTER TORCH LIGHT PARADE WILL BE UNDER DIRECTION OF CLUB

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Young Men's Johnson club of this city is about the busiest organization within the city limits. Meetings are being held at the club every evening and committees have been named for the appearance here of Gov. Johnson next Monday evening as follows:

Press: Oliver Tvedten, Oscar Fredricks and Arthur Egley.

Arrangements for entertainment — Geo. G. Cannon, Fred E. McGregor, J. N. Kirsch.

Torch light parade—Fredolph Westerberg, Chas. Skaug, Roy Stainbrook

The natives will certainly stand up and take notice next Monday for the gathering will be the largest and the most enthusiastic in a political way ever held in Crookston.

PRES. WORST WILL BE HERE

HAS AGREED TO DELIVER AN ADDRESS AT HORTICULTURAL MEETING

PROGRAM WILL BE ONE OF BEST EVER GIVEN IN THE NORTHWEST

FINE PRACTICAL TALKS WILL ALSO BE GIVEN BY LOCAL MEN OF EXPERIENCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

President Heller of the Red River Valley Horticultural society is now at work on the program for the forthcoming annual meeting of the society to be held at Stephens Hall, and it will be completed in a few days.

One of the leading features will be an address by President J. H. Worst of the North Dakota school of Agriculture at Fargo. Other addresses will be given by Frank Hazeltine on "Apple Trees, Their Culture and Proper Soils", JJ. M. Stephens on potatoes, dealing with their growing and marketing, C. W. Wilder on tomatoes, their growth, soil, when to transplant, etc. Other addresses will be announced later and all will be by thoroly experienced and competent men.

VALUATIONS WERE RAISED

From Monday's Daily—

STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION TAKES A FALL OUT OF POLK COUNTY

THE RAISE VARIES FROM 10 PER CENT TO 100 PER CENT ON DIFFERENT ARTICLES

Returns were received this morning from the State Board of Equalization at the auditor's office, and Polk county gets a fine large series of raises in part as follows:

Horses and cattle from 10 to 50 per cent.

Sheep and hogs from 50 to 100 per cent.

Wagons 40 per cent.

Watches and clocks 50 per cent.

Melodians and organs 50 per cent.

Office furniture 25 per cent.

Retail merchandise all over the county 10 per cent.

Logs, Lumber, wheat and flour 10 per cent.

Farm lands 20 per cent.

Bank stock, Bank of Winger 59 per cent.

There are a few other unimportant raises and a detailed statement will be published later.

Of thirty-five flags shown in a "flags of all nations" supplement to a London weekly in 1858 eleven have disappeared, among them those of the East India company, the Ionian islands, Tuscany, Naples, the states of the church, the Russian-American company and Sardinia.

GREAT JUBILEE OF THE PRESBYTERIANS

Rev. Ward, Retiring Moderator will Preach Opening Sermon at Synod Meeting at St. Paul, Wednesday Evening.

The forthcoming meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of Minnesota at St. Paul in the House of Hope Presbyterian church, the opening service of which will be held Wednesday evening when the retiring moderator, Rev. Willard S. Ward of this city will preach, is one of unusual interest, as it concludes a half century of organized work by the Presbyterian church in this state, the Synod having held its first meeting in 1858.

Presbyterians were First

It is not generally known that the first Christian church organized in this state was a Presbyterian church organized at Ft. Snelling in the spring of 1835 by the Rev. Thomas S. Williamson, who was also a practicing physician, sent to this part of the country by the Presbyterian Board of Missions. There were 22 members in the first organization and four elders were elected of whom Maj. Loomis, commander of the fort Samuel W. Pond and the chief trader were three. There were two of the Pond brothers, Samuel W. and Gideaon H., who had come out from Connecticut shortly before this time to teach the Indians. They were not regularly appointed by any religious denomination and were laboring at their own expense.

The Beginning

This first church organized in the state was the genesis of the First Presbyterian church of Minneapolis of which the Rev. A. B. Marshall, D. D., is the present pastor. The descendants of the Pond brothers are still residents of the vicinity of where their work began, and two of them, one named Gideon H., are now members of the Oak Grove Presbyterian church of Bloomington, Minn., not far from Ft. Snelling. Dr. Williamson left the work near the fort to the Pond brothers and with Rev. J. E. Stevens and wife and Rev. and Mrs. Huggins, who had a little later been sent out by the Board, located at Lac qui Parle, being invited there by Jos. Renville, a half breed trader.

30,000 Indians

At this time there were at least 30-000 Indians in what is now Minnesota and every one was a heathen. They were fierce and warlike, had successfully defended their lands against invasion by their red neighbors and were ready to fight against the whites should it become necessary. They had no written language, and no word for a Supreme God. It was very difficult to preach to them by the aid of interpreters, but Dr. Williamson and his companions were persistent, and by the aid of the Pond brothers gave them a written language.

For 40 Years

For 40 years this Godly missionary labored on a translation of the bible into the language of the Sioux, and just before his death he had the joy of revising the last proof. As a result of his winter's work at Lac qui Parle a Presbyterian church was organized in the spring of 1836.

Famine and Pestilence

Difficulties and dangers were encountered and overcome until famine and pestilence drove the missionaries to take refuge in Little Crow's village near St. Paul where they remained 6 years. Returning to the western part of the state, the missionary force settled at Yellow Medicine, where the Lac qui Parle Indians had been removed by the conditions of the treaty made with the government in 1851.

Great Indian Outbreak

Here work was continued until 1862 when the great Indian outbreak occurred. It started in a Sunday shooting match between the Reds and the Whites. In the suppression of this outbreak Maj. C. H. Mix of this city had a very prominent part, leaving St. Paul with the soldiers the morning after the massacre. In less than 24 hours after the first shot was fired about 500 white settlers had been killed within an area of 60 square miles, and more than 1,000 were killed before the Indians were driven away or captured. About 400 of the braves were carried in chains to Mankato, while more than 2,000 members of the tribe were under guard at Ft. Snelling.

Missionaries Unharmed

The families of the missionaries were uninjured during the trouble, being guided to safety by the Christian Indians. Dr. Williamson went at once to Mankato where he preached to the prisoners captured by the soldiers, his labors being rewarded by assisting in baptizing 300 of them in one day. Here he remained until the release of the prisoners after four years of imprisonment. The ringleaders, 38 in number, were hung.

Result of Great Work

As a direct result of the labors of this great missionary there is now one whole Presbytery composed exclusively of Indians, called the Dakota Presbytery. It has 30 churches 22 ministers, 94 elders, 1,645 members and 4 candidates for the ministry.

From the beginning of the work among white people, in the organization of the church at Ft. Snelling in 1835, came the organization of the Synod in 1858 which at one time embraced all the territory of North and South Dakotas. In this synod, comprising the state of Minnesota alone are eight Presbyteries, 216 ministers, 302 churches, 828 elders, 25,-754 members.

During the past 25 years the membership has increased more than 300 per cent.

Crookston Highly Honored

Crookston has been highly honored in making one of her ministers head of this great organization for the past year in the person of Rev. W. S. Ward.

Great Jubilee

Doubtless the jubilee celebration to be held in the St. Paul churches, on Sunday, Oct., 18, will be an occassion long to be remembered and will be an inspiration to those who are fortunate enough to be able to attend and to churches to which reports of the meetings will be given.

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated, by the man who has a bank account.

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HAVE HANSBROUGH & M'KENZIE MADE UP?

The Big Question And All Indications Point To Formations Of A New Alliance By Them.

PRESENT DEVELOPMENTS EXPLAINED ONLY SATISFACTORILY BY SUCH ALLIANCE—DIFFERENCES WERE SIMPLY PERSONAL—REPORTED THAT RECONCILIATION FORMED BETWEEN McKENZIE AND DEFEATED SENATOR, OWING TO INABILITY TO HEAD OFF SELECTION OF TOM MARSHALL FOR THE SENATE BY THE PEOPLE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Fargo, Oct., 21—Have Alexander McKenzie and Senator Hansbrough adjusted their differences and formed a new alliance, after all that has come and gone? There are those who believe this to be a fact, and they cite many things which point to that conclusion. It is a well known fact that differences between these two have involved no question of principle, but have been purely personal, and there would be nothing in the way of a reconcinliation if once the two men could be convinced that their interests were to be promoted by peace rather than war. It is now reported that such a reconciliation has been effected and that in case the supreme court decides that the proposed vote for senator shall not be taken on November 3 the plea will be set up that the vote at the primary election is of no effect, the pledges of the legislative candidates have no force, the election of a senator will be thrown into the legislature under all the old conditions, and Hansbrough will be an active candidate for the position, and will, as in former years, be supported by McKenzie and all the force that he can bring to bear. In return for this it is reported that Hansbrough will two years hence aid in securing the re-election of Senator McCumber. Thus the old alignment will be reestablished, and the combination which has been in force for so many years will be restored.

Woman Interrupts Political Speaker

A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package Refuse substitutes.

For sale by All Druggists.

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A CLEVER CROOK SWINDLES FARMERS

Minneapolis, Oct. 21—George and Sam Scammon farmers on their way from northeastern Iowa to North Dakota, were victims of a unique swindle last night whereby they paid $65 to a stranger to have their car of goods transferred from one railroad to another.

They arrived in the city late at night over the Minneapolis and St. Louis road, and as the train pulled into the Kenwood yards, a man with a lantern entered the car.

"You will be transferred to the G. Northern road," he said, "just as soon as you pay the transfer fee."

Reluctantly the men paid over the money but before they left they complained at the freight depot. The matter will be at once reported to the detective for the road.

HON. HANS P. BJORGE
Democratic Candidate for Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner

Hans P. Bjorge was born in Norway in 1856. He emigrated with his perents to this country in 1868 and settled in Otter Tail county, Minnesota, in 1869.

Mr. Bjorge attended the common schools and took one year of high school work at Fergus Falls. He then commenced teaching having planned to work his way for a higher education. Meantime his father, sister and brothers had all died, one after another, leaving young Bjorge alone to take care of his mother and take charge of the farm. Therefore he had to abandon his plans of further pursuing his education.

Mr. Bjorge took an active part in organizing the State Farmers' Alliance in 1893, and served as treasurer of said organization for several years He was recommended as the Alliance candidate and elected on the Republican ticket for the Legislature in 1885 As a member of the Railroad and the Grain and Warehouse Committees during that session, Mr. Bjorge helped to draft and pass the first rail road and warehouse laws of any note in the state. He was again a member of the legislature in 1887.

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Ellis, Kansas, Oct. 21—The timely intervention of a physician who was not satisfied with the appearance of the body today prevented the burial alive of Mrs. Thomas Chapman. Mrs. Chapman, who is sixty years of age, was supposed to have died suddenly from heart disease Saturday last. The body was prepared for burial, but was not embalmed. The funeral was to have taken place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. A few minutes before the casket was sealed, a physician requested permission to examine the body after which the woman was removed from the coffin and placed in bed. While her heart is very weak, it is believed Mrs. Chapman will recover.

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Louisville, Ky., Oct. 21—Passing in review before thousands of people along the line of march, followed by a parade of many hundreds of marchers and speaking to more people than the sound of his voice could reach, Wm. J. Bryan tonight made a brief rally south of the Ohio river. The rally in Louisville was for Mr. Bryan the culmination of one of the busiest days of the campaign and the outpouring here equalled and possibly surpassed anything in the way of a demonstration the candidate has met with since he was notified of his nomination. From the time he left New Albany, Ind., just across the Ohio river until he spoke his final word of farewell, Mr. Bryan was the recipient of a continuous ovation.

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Bryan Rally In New York

Three Members Of Cleveland's Cabinet Speak In His Behalf.

New York, Oct. 21. — Three members of the cabinets of the late President Cleveland, by presence and speech at a big democratic gathering here tonight, sought to demonstrate beyond preadventure that the democracy of Tilden and Cleveland is lending its support and endeavor to secure thet election of Wm. J. Bryan to the presidency.

The occasion was a mass meeting under the auspices of the Bryan and Kern Businessmen's association at Carnegie hall and seated on the platform were former Governor David R. Francis, of Missouri, secretary of the interior under President Cleveland, Judson Harmon, of Ohio, former attorney general, and Hilary A. Herbert of Alabama, President Cleveland's secretary of the navy. Word was received from Richard Olney, of Massachusetts, who held the portfolio of secretary of state under Mr. Cleveland, that he would be unable to be present because of a previous engagement.

Taking as a theme the present campaign issues from a business standpoint, the chamberlains of Mr. Cleveland's administration, in speeches of forensic force, brought ringing cheers from the auditors that closely packed the hall, with declarations that Mr. Bryan's election would mean business stambility and an uplift to industrial well-being,

Mayor Geo. B. McClellan presided at the meeting and read a letter from the venerable John Bigelow author and statesman a friends of Abraham Lincoln, and Samuel J. Tilden urging the election of Mr. Bryan.

Carried Away And Murdered

Outrage Committed At Union City, Tenn. By Mob Of Masked Men.

Union City, Tenn., Oct. 21—Advices from Reel Foot Lake tonight, where a mob of masked men early this morning took Col. R. Z. Taylor aged sixty and Capt. Quinten Rankin, both of Trenton, and widely known lawyers out of their hotel at that place and murdered the latter, failed to report the finding of Col. Taylor's body or to reveal any trace of his whereabouts.

The man named Powell is said to have been forced to accompany the mob. Powell had been stopping at the hotel and when the riders called everyone out and compelled them to line up. Powell, Col. Taylor, Capt. Rankin and a surveyor whose name is unknown are said to have been taken away the others being permitted to return to their beds.

Powell states, it is said, that after killing Rankin, a vote was taken regarding the disposition to be made of Taylor. During the dispute, Taylor made a dash and jumped into the bayou, starting to swim across it. A number of shots were fired at him, and in the confusion Powell slipped away and brought back the story of the escape, or attempted escape of Taylor.

HOW HEARST SECURED COMPR'MISING LETTERS

Cost Hearst Over $12,000 Stolen From Standard Oil Office, Photographed And Returned.

CHARLES STUMP, A CONFIDENTIAL MESSENGER OF THE COMPANY THE REAL VILLAIN—NEGRO ACTED AS THE GO BETWEEN — ACCORDING TO ARTHUR H. GLEASON'S ARTICLE, STUMP HAS SAID THAT HEARST HAS NOT YET READ THE BEST OF THE LETTERS—LETTERS HAVE BEEN KEPT UNDER COVER THREE YEARS FOR OPPORTUNITY TO SPRING THEM

New York, Oct. 21—Under the title "Mr. Heart's Thieves" this week's issue of Collier's Weekly, which will be on the news stands Thursday, contains an article by Arthur Gleason, telling the inside history of the way in which the John D. Archbold letters were stolen from the Standard Oil office, photographed, returned and the photographs sold to Mr. Hearst's news papers for a trifle over $12,000.

A considerable part of the article is taken up with interviews with the two men charged with obtaining and selling the letters. A summary of the article is given by Mr. Gleason in these words:

"The Standard Oil letters of John P. Archbold to Senator Foraker, representative Sibley and other eminent politicians, of which Mr. Hearst has made effective use thru the present campaign were sold to the New York American office by Charles Stump a confidential messenger of the Standard Oil company. The letters were brought to him by William W. Winfield, a negro in the office of JoJhn D. Archbold. Winfield is the stepson of Mr. Archbold's butler. Stump and Winfield cleared a trifle over $12,000 by the transaction and made merry thru 1905 on the proceeds, running a saloon, playing the races, and leading a swift cosmopolitan life."

The article shows that Mr. Hearst has had the photographs of the letters in his possession for three years, the sale having taken place in 1905.

Stump who is quoted at length in the article, is authority for the statement that Mr. Hearst has many more interesting letters than those which have already caused so much talk.

"And yet you know," Stump is quoted by Mr. Gleason as saying recently "Mr. Hearst hasn't begun to read the best of the letters. He's beginning easy. Wait till you hear him read the Senator Penrose and the Senator Aldrich letters. Then there will be a sensation. What's happening now is nothing. He hasn't the originals, you know. They were returned to the Standard Oil files. Photographic copies were made and these are the ones Hearst is using. He hasn't originals except a few Hanna letters, which may not come out at all."

JAPANESE UMPIRE DIDN'T QUITE SUIT

Tokio, Oct. 21—The third day of the American occupation of Japan brought out every description of entertainment for the officers and men of the Atlantic fleet and the visiting business men from the Pacific coast, from an audience and luncheon with royalty to a baseball game between the nines of the fleet and Keio university. Luncheons, garden parties, Japanese dinners commencing early, European dinners beginning later and theatre parties, all involving the careful distribution of invitations, because occurring in half a dozen places at the same time, kept the American guests of the Japanese nation busy.

The baseball game resulted in a victory for the Japanese team after fifteen innings had been played. The decision of the Japanese umpire was questioned, but good humoredly accepted by the boys of the fleet.

JULIUS J. REITER
Democratic Candidate for Lieutenant Governor

Julius J. Reiter was born in Elgin township, Wabasha county, Minneso-ing that position. For many years he has also been County Chairman of ta, July 4th 1869, and moved a few years later with his parents to Plainview, where he received a common school education. At the age of 17 years he began working in the general store of Koenig Bros. ,at Plainview remaining with them for five years. In 1892 he removed to Rochester, where he engaged in the retail grocery business, later associating with himself his brother. The firm is still doing business at Rochester under the firm name of Reiter Bros.

Mr. Reiter has always taken an active interest in public affairs, having served several terms as Alderman in his home city and having been elected to that office in 1902 ,and still hold the local Democratic Committee.

JOHNSON MAKING GREAT CAMPAIGN

Hibbing, Minn., Oct. 15—Governor Johnson completed his tour of the Messaba range at Hibbing last night.

Crowds, speeches, banners, bands and bunting were features of the trip. The governor declared himself the enemy of the tonnage tax or any of the methods of taxation designed to rob county, municipality, township or school of proper and liberal support.

In every place he spoke of the national ticket and the state and national platforms and eulogized William Jennings Bryan and commended the Democratic faith in a guaranty of the bank deposits policy.

Governor Johnson and party arrived at Hibbing from Chisholm at 5:45 p. m. They were the guests of P. H. Nelson at dinner at the Hibbing hotel. A big Taft-Jacobson banner is suspended across the street in front of the hotel which is republican headquarters. Considerable comment and many expressions of disfavor were occasioned among the visitors and local Democrats by the display.

The Hibbing band and a torchlight procession led the governor and party to the Power theatre. The building was crowded, about 400 being unable to gain admission. The audience occupied the platform, aisles and every seat.

Martin Hughes of Hibbing introduced the governor in an effective speech He paid his compliments to the News Tribune in an original and striking manner.

The governor dealt at more length than in any other speech on the range on his record as chief executive of Minnesota and elaborated more fully his views on the tonnage tax question and his version of Mr. Jacobson's official life story.

Would Veto Tonnage Tax

He said that it was necessary to discuss the tariff; that everybody knows the tariff needs attention, and the only question is whether it will be revised by its friends or by the people thru representatives imbued with their wishes in the matter. He said that if the legislature should pass a tonnage tax law of the character feared by those who do not want to see northeastern Minnesota crippled thru state legislation, he would veto the measure.

He stated that he had worked in harmony with the republican legislature and that that body had passed all the important legislation recommended by him and that he had signed the bills.

He took up the discussion of Mr. Jacobson, who he said had insisted upon standing upon his record, instead of discussing issues. He thought it the duty of a candidate for the governorship of a great state like Minnesota to let the people know where he stood, where he stands and where he intends to stand upon all great public questions.

He mentioned that he had appointed the tax commission and that the late state board of equalization, which raised the valuation of iron properties in this section $148,000,000 came in for its share of praise. He said that he had appointed that board and that its work was good and satisfactory to the people of the state. He also said that the state was pleased with the tax commission and denied that he wants to set a tonnage tax upon iron ore and so deprive the people of the taxes they are enjoying now, and the low levy made possible by bodies appointed by him and working in harmony with him.

As to Jacobson's Record

Of Mr. Jacobson's record he said the Lac qui Parle man had been a consistent and tireless enemy of northern Minnesota and he quoted newspapers, legislative journals and his own speeches in support of his statement. He suggested to the voters who heard him at th evarious points that they get the habit of voting for themselves, that is, of giving their own interests careful consideration and study before casting a ballot for "the other fellow."

He said that his primary reason for appearing before them was to ask for their support and votes because he was for the third time a candidate for governor. He declared they had a right to know for him how he had accounted for his stewardship and the reasons why he asked their support again.

Couldn't Help Nomination

The nomination had been thrust upon him, he said, much against his will and hisc party's convention had adjourned and left him to his fate Now, he says, he wants to be elected and to keep up the work he has been trying to do. He said that not much was heard of the development of this part of the state in this campaign, and it had been the slogan of the Republican party two years ago.

The reason for this, he averred is found in th efact that the people with that proposition in mind would find little in the record of the Republican candidate to justify them in hoping for great things or even fair play for this action.

St. Paul, Oct. 16, 1908—To counteract the impression sought to be created thruout the state by the St. Paul and Minneapolis daily papers that are supporting J. F. Jacobson for governor, the Democratic state committee has issued a circular letter to its friends thruout the state, asking them to pay no attention to these exaggerated reports regarding Jacobson's meetings and assuring them that Governor Johnson's reelection is only a question of plurality. While it is probable that the unthinking may be attracted to Mr. Jacobson's standard by the predictions of his success, the facts do not warrant any such prediction, and, on the contrary, point to the re-election of Governor Johnson by a very large majority.

Reports which had reached the Governor's headquarters here in St. Paul last week indicated that there was considerable hostile sentiment toward him in St. Louis County. But the visit, this week, of Governor Johnson to Duluth and the Range towns has clearly shown that Johnson's popularity in that section of the state is even greater than two years ago. His meetings were beyond question more largely attended and the occasion of more enthusiasm than even his triumphal tour of St. Louis County in the campaign of 1906. Virginia, Eveleth, Biwabik, Two Harbors and Ely turned out enmasse to hear the Governor, while at Hibbing on Tuesday night his visit brought out the greatest audience ever gathered together in that thriving young city, and the Governor rose to the occasion and gave the people of Hibbing a splendid address. His visit to St. Louis county ended Wednesday night in a blaze of glory at Duluth. The big armory was crowded to its capacity and several thousand people who could not gain admission to the hall stood outside, while local orators addressed them. The Governor was in fine voice and in good spirits and his speech at the armory was productive of the closest attention, relieved by repeated bursts of applause. As an evidence that the people of Duluth are with him in his fight it remains only to be said that when he had finished his armory speech, and the audience had left the hall, those outside, to the number of almost two thousand, crowded into the hall and Johnson gave a second address to an entirely different audience. The meeting is the talk of Duluth and of the Eighth Congressional District and every indication points to an increased majority for the Governor in St. Louis County, where two years ago he carried the county by some thirteen hundred plurality. Many well-informed friends of the administration predict that his 1908 plurality will reach 2500.

The bitter and unreasonable attacks of the Duluth News-Tribune, controlled as it is by the great corporation interests at the head of the lakes, gave the Governor an opportunity to defend his record and declare his position with respect to issues peculiar to that section of the state. That Governor Johnson is the real friend of the ordinary taxpayer of the county was shown beyond a question of doubt and is best evidenced by the splendid greetings given him by the people of the county, irrespective of party.

It is announced with a fanfare of verbal trumpets that Senator P. J. McCumber, of North Dakota, is to campaign Minnesota in the interest of Mr. Jacobson. It is the first time in the political history of the state that a senator from North Dakota has been brought into Minnesota to tell its voters their political duty. A reason for this unprecedented action is readily found in the frequency with which Alec McKenzie is seen conferring with Chairman Brown of the Jacobson Committee. McKenzie is the uncrowned boss of North Dakota. He lives at the Merchants Hotel, in St. Paul, is in close communion with the railroad and other corporate interests, in the state, and since his occupation in North Dakota is gone the old fellow naturally turns to a new world to conquer in Minnesota. McKenzie s credited with unusual shrewdness, and while his methods and tactics have been repudiated by the people of his own state and his boss-ship has been overthrown, Chairman Brown apparently welcomes him to the fold in Minnesota and the result of this intimacy is found in McCumber's visit. It remains to be seen whether or not the Republican party of the state of Minnesota will take up the discredited and discarded boss of North Dakota and his henchman, McCumber.

Has Blazed The Way

To Governor Johnson is due great credit for the manner in which he has dispelled the doubt amongst the voters of this state in regard to the ability of democrats to give the people good government. On account of failure to obtain office in Minnesota the people had come to the conclusion that democrats were incapable to govern and as the servants of the people they were failures. The conspicious record of the governor of Minnesota, who for four years almost now has guided the destinies of the commonwealth and established the standards of development and endeavor higher than they ever were before in the history of this sovereign state.

The democrats did right in nominating John A. Johnson four years ago. In the first place it demonstrated that that the party desired to honor its leading men. It did not select a man tied down body and soul to the trusts, to the interests; it did not select a man whose personal characteristics were such as to cast considerable doubt upon his ability to worthily represent the state should he be chosen as its chief executive. The perty did push forward and offer for the suffrages of the people a nominee who was the peer of any citizen.

The result was his election and then he started to establish a record which has never been equalled in the history of the state. A record of which every citizen should be proud. Honor is due to the democratic party for placing before the people such a man as John A. Johnson, and he is to be honored for the manner in which he has treated the trust and confidence that was reposed in him.

He has established a high record for performing the executive functions of the government. Taken from any viewpoint his two administrations have been conspucious successes and people irrespective of politics are proud of him. He has brought fame to the state and his ability to fill the office to which he was elected by large popular majorities on two different occasions, once in the heat of a national campaign, when the head of the republican ticket carried the state by an unheard of majority, has made Minnesota one of the most talked of states in the entire union. He has given the people a good, wise safe and prosperous administration; there have been no scandals and notwithstanding the changes made in the heat of political battle, the affairs of state have been conducted on an as economical basis as was consistent with the great development and growth of the commonwealth. There is absolutely no peg upon which the opposition can hang a charge and the result is that the people are absolutely and unqualifiedly satisfied.

Now that the people have been given the opportunity of seeing the kind of an administration a democrat can give, and have learned to regard the party's representatives as men in whom the greatest confidence can be reposed, there is every reason why taking into account the fact that the principles of the democratic party are so much nearer the real sentiments of the masses this confidence should not extend to every elective office. There is no doubt but that this present campaign will result in some great surprises, not surprises to the democrats, but to the opposition, who are gently lulling their apprehensions to rest with the siren song of party loyalty and party fealty.

The people are rallying to the democratic policies, they are beginning to realize through the example set by Governor Johnson that they have every reason to look for as good government under democratic as under republican rule, and the result will be on November 3rd that the governor will be re-elected and with him will be many more of the nominees of the only party that is near the people and their interests. Governor Johnson has blazed the way and the people will follow in his footsteps.

The People Are Being Deceived

A candidate for election to the highest gift in hands of the people of this state has made a hurry-up trip thru this county today and only deigned to meet the people of one of the smaller towns, absolutely passing up the two largest cities in the section and failing to appear in several other towns that on account of their importance had every reason to believe that the gubernatorial candidate would be more than pleased to appear.

The people of the city of Crookston the county seat of one of the largest counties of the entire state, have a right to feel aggreaved over the treatment she has been accorded by this candidate and they will undoubtedly express their feelings in regard to the shabby treatment at the polls next month. The republican committee has given it out that stress of previous engagements has made it impossible for Mr. Jacobson to appear in Crookston; that they were too late in making a request for his assignment to this city; they pretend to have made every effort to have him speak in Crookston, but failed.

Why it was thought best to send him to Fertile and whirl him past the county seat about thirty miles due east is susceptible to several interpretations, none of which are complimentary to the nominee or the men who have been responsible for his nomination. It has been stated that Mr. Jacobson would not take well with the voters of this city and fear was really the reason that his itinerary did not include the city. There has been rumors to the effect that his appearance two years ago in Crookston cost him many votes and it was believed that should he come again still more votes would be lost to the party.

We would not for one moment change this to be the real reason, yet there is without doubt a reason for his non-appearance at the county seat of Polk county and that reason is one which his supporters will not give publicity to. The people of this city on account of size, importance in the section, has a just right to demand an opportunity of seeing and hearing the man for whom they will be asked to vote for chief executive of their state and we are of the opinion that the committee has made a great blunder in arranging Mr. Jacobson's itinerary as they have.

The people cannot become too intimately acquainted with the personality of any man who aspires to be their governor and a man who cannot stand the scruttinizing acquaintanceship of the people cannot expect to secure their suffrages on election day. We believe the committee in charge of Mr. Jacobson's routings has made a gigantic blunder and when the votes are counted it will be seen that the people are not going to vote for a man who has not the courage to face the people.

The Humors Of Politics

Midst the stress of the present campaign it is a relief to find something which excites the humor of the people. In the national campaign the sharp shooters got busy, and it began to look for a time as if there would be no generals left in either party. Next Rosewater, Chairman of the Republican Press Bureau and publisher of the Omaha Bee, comes out in an editorial in that paper and demonstrates that language claimed in the editorial to have been used by Mr. Bryan on the tariff question was a catch vote which might be used by either friend or enemy of the tariff, and was entirely meaningless as an exposition of tariff doctrine, and that it demonstrates how little Mr. Bryan and his party knew about the tariff. It then developes that the language in question was never used by Mr. Bryan, but is the tariff plank in the Republican national platform.

In the state campaign Mr. Jacobson started the ball rolling by charging the republican legislature with extravagance, and it would seem as if the jokes of the campaign must also happen locally. Postmaster Steenerson, who has kept busy for the past twenty years sidestepping to keep himself in the party which happened to be in the majority in Polk County, comes out in a letter, which was published in the Crookston Times and calls upon the people to vote the republican ticket straight, and says that he is inclined to think that those who do not do so, vote more like sheep than intelligent Republicans. Coming from one who got back into the republican party just in time to get a fat office this letter certainly is a rich joke, and its language should be highly appreciated by the intelligent voters of Polk County, tho it may be that some of them may fail to see the joke and stop to inquire whether or not one holding a federal position is justified under the rules which are supposed to control in such cases in taking an active part in political controversies, and whether one with Mr. Steenerson's kaleidoscopic political record is in a position to crack the party lash.

St. Louis, Oct. 17—The grain dealers' national association this afternoon began the preparation of a uniform system for grading grain to be recommended for use by state grain inspectors, warehouse commissions and boards of trade in all parts of the United States.

The work was entered upon following an address on uniform grades by E. H. Culver of Toledo, Ohio, president of the Chief Grain Inspectors' national union.

FOUR IN ONE FAMILY LOST THEIR LIVES

FIFTY FARMS IN ALCONA COUNTY SWEPT BY FIRE AND BUILDINGS DESTROYED—SEVENTY-FIVE MILES OF COUNTRY BETWEEN ALPENA AND CHEBOYGAN IS ONE MASS OF FLAMES—FEARED DEATH LIST WILL BE A LARGE ONE

Alpena, Mich., Oct. 17 — Fifteen people lost their lives last night in the burning of the Detroit and Mackinaw railroad relief train which was carrying inhabitants of a little village of Metz, 23 miles north of here, to safety from the forest fires which were sweeping away their homes. The ill-fated train was ditched by spreading rails at Nowicki siding a few miles south of Metz, and terrified refugees were forced to abandon cars and rush for safety either down the track with burning forests on either side or into ploughed fields near the siding. Eleven of the victims were women and children who were unable to escape. Their charred bodies were found in the ruins of the car today when the rescuers reached the scene. Four additional fatalities occurred in the neighborhood of the wreck last night. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner died from heat and exhaustion on their farm near the scene of the wreck and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nowicki, Jr., lost their lives in the burning house near siding where the wreck occurred. The dead in the wreck follow:

William Bartlett, Alpena, brakeman.
Arthur Lee, Alpena, fireman.
John Konieczy.
Mrs. John Konieczy.
John Konieczy, aged two.
Joseph Konieczy, aged three.
Helen Konieczy, aged seven months
Mrs. George Cicero.
Margaret Cicero, aged two.
George Cicero, aged five.
A third Cicero child, aged eight.
Mrs. Emma Hardies.
Pauline Hardies, aged nine.
Minnie Hardies, aged eight months

When the forest fires closed in yesterday about the little village a special train of three empty box cars and two coal gondolas was rushed to Metz As rapidly as possible the people and their goods were loaded into the cars. When the train finally started there were about 100 frightened people aboard. The flames were already sweeping thru the village, Engineer Foster started the train for Alpena. Nearing Nowicki he saw a blazing pile of cedar ties on both sides of the track. Opening wide the throttle, he tried to dash thru at full speed, but the heat had loosened the rails and they had spread and the train left the tracks. The blazing pile of ties surrounded it and in an instant the car caught fire.

The terror-stricken people caught by peril from which they were fleeing jumped from the cars and rushed down the track. Three mothers and their little ones were cremated in a gondola car where they were caught. Brakeman William Barrett sprang into the water tank behind the engine, only to be literally boiled to death as the flames swept over it. Enignee Foster and Conduottor Kinville fled down the track thru fire and smoke and were the first to reach the village of Posen, and report the wreck and ask for assistance from here.

Behind them straggled burned and wounded procession of refugees from the wrecked train. It was a fearful march over hot ties with the flames from the burning woods on either side of the track roaring and snapping in their faces. Engineer Foster was terribly burned about the head and face, but it is thought he will survive. Conductor Kinville was badly scorched. James White was totally blinded by his burns. John Nowicki, Sr., and his wife and Mrs. Albert Hardies and her young son were also seriously burned.

BRYAN AGAIN DENVER'S GUEST

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE IS GIVEN A RECEPTION IN SPITE OF RAIN

Denver, Oct. 17 — Bryan was the guest of this city for several hours tonight and was given a most cordial reception. In spite of the threatening storm, accentuated by a fitful rainfall great crowds lined the streets thru which the candidate rode to the Auditorium where he delivered the principal speech of the program of speech making outlined for him. All along the line of march, he was received with enthusiastic acclaim. More than two score marching clubs, from all sections of the state, followed the candidate thru the city's streets and as he progressed, a glow of red fire and other pyrotechnics added to the brilliancy of the electrical effect, especially arranged for the occasion.

A splendid way to get engaged to a young widow is by trying to avoid her.

OBJECTED TO KISSES

SO SHE HAD HUSBAND ARRESTED AND PLACED UNDER PEACE BOND

Marion, O., Oct. 17—Because she says he catches her and hugs and kisses her on the street or anywhere he sees her, Josephine Boor, 22 and a pretty brunette had her husband John Boor arrested today. She charged him with molesting, tormenting, and torturing her. The Boors were married less than a year ago, and separated a short time after their marriage. Boor was released in Justice C. G. Gompi's court after giving a bond of $200 to keep the peace.

N. D. WOMAN FATALLY IS BURNED

SON SEES MOTHER RUSH FROM KITCHEN WITH CLOTHING A MASS OF FLAMES

Minot, N. D., Oct. 17—Mrs. Heneghan, aged 65 years, was fatally burned tonight at 9 o'clock. Her son Frank, yesterday afternoon and died lastt who lived next door, was startled to see his mother rush madly from the kitchen door her apron and dress a mass of flames. As rapidly as possible he got to her side and with dirt and a rug finally managed to extinguish the flames but not until her arms and body were badly charred. For several years her right hand has been paralyzed and for that reason she was greatly handicapped in fighting the flames.

The shock combined with the painful burns were more than human nature could stand and she died last night at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Heneghan was a large woman weighing 385 pounds. The deceased is a widow who formerly lived at Rochester, Minn. She has 15 children three of whom reside in this city.

MILLION FOR A HOSPITAL

NEW YORK BANKER ALSO DONATED $1,250,000 TO OTHER CHARITIES

New York, Oct. 17—It was announced yesterday that James S. Kennedy, the New York banker, has given $1,000,000 to the Presbyterian hospital of this city, of which he is president. The money is to be used in construction of buildings. Other gifts made by Mr. Kennedy and previously announced are $500,000 to Columbia university, a $6000,000 building for the United Charities and $250,000 to the School of Philanthropy.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

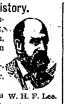
Oct. 15 In History.

1817—Thaddeus Kosciusko, Polish patriot, died in Solothurn, Switzerland; born 1746.

1829—Asaph Hall, American astronomer, born.

1891—General William Henry Fitzhugh Lee, son of Robert E. Lee and himself a distinguished Confederate cavalry leader, died; born 1837.

1907—Maurice Loewy, director of the Paris observatory and the dean of astronomers, died; born 1833.



W. H. F. Lee.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:16, rises 6:09; moon rises 9:37 p. m.; moon highest or farthest north; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 9:28 a. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune, passing the planet from west to east; sun passing first magnitude star Spica in Virgo.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

Save your money. Buy GOLD SEAL Overshoes and Rubber Boots —Cheapest because wear longest. Ask your dealer. Not sold by Mail Order houses.—Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Makers.

FINISHED CONTRACT—Roy Teal who had the contract for a big job of plowing northwest of the city, has completed his work and left for his home at Euclid.

TO BATTLE RIVER—Frank Jerome accompanied by his wife and family left this morning for Battle River, north of Blackduck, where they will spend the winter.

PROBATE BUSINESS — I. O. Brandt spent yesterday in the city on business in connection with the estate of I. O. Ringstad of which he is the administrator. Ringstad committed suicide some time ago and left a little property.

BUYING BENZINE WAGON—Jos. Helm, Jr, of Red Lake Falls came to Crookston last Thursday for the purpose of looking at some automobiles. He is thinking of purchasing one of the benzine wagons.

LAID TO REST — Tuesday afternoon Baby Fay O'Boyle was laid to rest at Oakdale Cemetery. The sympathy of loving friends is with the parents in their sorrow.

"And tho his body slumbers here,
His soul is safe in Heaven."

SENTIMENT FOR JOHNSON — Bert Levins and Jose Koelmel returned this morning from a business trip to Climax. They report business good and also brought word that the sentiment in that section was practically unanimous for John A. Johnson for governor.

CROOKSTON AT R. LAKE FALLS —Manager Buse of the Red Lake Falls high school football team has two good games scheduled to be played on Saturday, October 17, and Crookston will be the opposing team. The other game will be played one week later Saturday Oct. 24.

HOME FROM DAKOTA — Mike Sullivan who has been running a threshing engine in North Dakota this fall has returned home after a very successful season. He is in good health after his siege of illness this summer, the outdoor work evidently agreeing with him.

HAS A FINE DAUGHTER — Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schermer are the parents of a fine daughter, born yesterday morning. Thus far there has been no special reduction in the price of electricity, but the smile worn by Mr. Schermer would make the consumer pay double prices if it were necessary, without a murmur. There was a noticeable elasticity in the step of Mr. Schermer, but this was excusable under the circumstances.

SUNNY JIM—J. A. Crompe is wearing a Sunny Jim smile—the kind that won't come off. He got word from Crookston Monday that a little boy, the first grandchild, had come to take up his abode with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan Hall. If you happen around the lumber office this week you'll note the far away expression on Mr. Crompe's face and you may hear him chuckle to himself. He's going to Crookston Saturday you bet! He'd go before if the lumber yard would burn, or some other good fortune befall him, so that he could get away from business cares.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

PAYS TO ADVERTISE—It pays to advertise. Sam S. Haislet formerly of the Red Lake Falls Gazette and now editor of the Reporter published at Lankin, North Dakota, has been advertising for a printer. Mrs. Haislet has been visiting with relatives in Montana and last Saturday Editor Sam received a telegram from the west conveying the joyous tidings that a young printer had come to claim a permanent place in his home. Tho the new printer is a little inexperienced he is full of energy and is sure to be just the man Haislet wanted.

BACK ON CLAIM—S. J. Cable returned to his claim on Black River north of Blackduck, yesterday where he expects to reside for the winter and also harvest his year's crop of vegetables which he claims will yield well. Mr. Cable speaks in glowing terms of the north country, especially the vicinity in which he lives where he says the settlement is fairly well established by actual settlers who are all thriftty and progressive and all seem to enjoy the forest life far better than old settled countries from which many came. Mr. Cable's claim lies on the banks of Black River and hopes in the not far distant future to see a townsite platted there on as its location.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 16 In History.

1793—Marie Antoinette, queen of France, guillotined; born 1755.

1891—Sailors of the United States cruiser Baltimore mobbed at Valparaiso; beginning of the imbroglio with Chile.

1906—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the Confederate States of America, died in New York city; born 1826.

1907—The first national Philippine assembly opened at Manila.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:15, rises 6:10; moon rises 10:31 p. m.; moon's age 22 days; 10:35 p. m., eastern time, moon at last quarter in constellation Gemini.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

LONG ON GLASSES— There are two pairs of glasses at the Great Northern ticket office which the owners can secure by proving property.

FUNERAL SATURDAY—The funeral of Mrs. O. Capistran who died yesterday, will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Anne's church, Father Tapin officiating.

FINISHING TOUCHES — The finishing touches are being put on the Morris Block on Second street and it is certainly one of the finest in the entire northwest.

STEAM PLOW WORKING— Tom Bjoin has his steam plow working on section 18 south of the city. More plowing has been done in that direction this year than has been done for many years past.

BUSINESS TRIP—Jake Andrist returned this morning from Beltrami where he was called last evening to serve some papers as constable. He has a large amount of that class of business to do this fall — and he knows how to do it.

GIVEN TEN DAYS—Fern LaRue, the cripple who got off the train here the other evening when he had a ticket east, was arrested and arraigned before Judge Gossman in municipal court charged with vagrancy this morning. He was sentenced to ten days in jail but sentence was suspended to give him time to get out of the city—and he got.

ORCHESTRA ON GREENBUSH LINE—Conductor Keeley is evidently offering special inducements for travel up the Greenbush line. At any rate this morning he had a full orchestra aboard, full in both senses of the word, there were plenty of them and they were plenty full. In view of these advantages it was thought the fare might be raised but Clerk Kjervestad sold tickets at the same old price.

AFTER THE DUCKS—W. S. Lycan, Wm. Munch, Gus Schmidt and Martin O'Brien left this morning for the eastern part of the county where it is understood they have some ducks an dgeese spotted and if there is a cannonade heard from that direction this evening the populace will know where the trouble started.

The Crookston High School Football team will leave tomorrow morning for Red Lake Falls where tomorrow afternoon they will play their second game of the season. The locals will put up a much stiffer game than they did last Saturday, and there is little question but what they will win out, tho they realize that they have a harder proposition on their hands than they had before.

The team will be accompanied by quite a large delegation of friends who will endeavor to help root out a victory for them.

A mule doesn't cost half as much as an automobile, but is almost as dangerous.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 17 In History.

1705—Ninon de l'Enclos, famous wit and beauty, "the Aspasia of France," died at the age of 90, retaining her beauty almost to the last.

1849—Frederic Chopin, musical composer, died in Paris; born March 1, 1809.

1893—MacMahon, duc de Magenta, marshal of France and ex-president of the republic, died; born 1808.

1907—Commercial telegraphy by wireless inaugurated between stations in Nova Scotia and Ireland. Sensational collapse of copper stock in Wall street.

Marshal MacMahon.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:13, rises 6:11; moon rises 11:26 p. m.

CARPENTER RETURNS—Geo. F. Carpenter returned today from his trip to Montana. He took a trip of 105 miles by team north of Culbertson where he visited his parents, and reported that he had a good time despite the experience.

LEFT FOR THE WEST — Fred Hall, the well known business man, started last evening on an extended business trip to the Pacific coast. He expects to be away from the city for about three months.

BUSINESS PICKING UP — Judging from the amount of switching that is going on in the yards of the Great Northern here the movement of wheat is on the increase. Not only is the wheat movement increasing but the movement of merchandise is heavier than it has been for some time past.

TOOK A DAY OFF — J. C. Sabin, who returned Thursday evening from a trip to Caribou a thriving town in northeastern Kittson county remained over in Crookston yesterday resting, the long drive with bad weather having been more than he bargained for. He left this morning for Argyle and points on the north line.

FROM WESTERN POLK.— E. F. Rarick and some members of his family from near Nielsville are attending the doings today. His part of the world has just stored a fine crop and in consequence every one is enjoying the prosperity. He is a firm believer of the market day and hopes to see it continued bigger and better next year.

FUNERAL SUNDAY—The remains of Wm. Thygeson arrived here this morning and the funeral services will be held from the Synod church at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. All friends of the family are invited to be present.

BACK FROM BELOW—John Sutton the well known resident of Argyle was an arrival in the city this morning and proceeded north.

RUNNING A STEAM PLOW—John Burton and R. Michaels are busy these days operating a steam plow on the old Mageau farm near the city. They are running it both by daylight and moonlight and the way the soil is being turned over is anything but slow. If the plowing is going on everywhere as fast as it is with them there will certainly be some land plowed in this section next spring.

SWEDISH OATS—One of the exhibits that are the center of interest at Polk County State Fair Exhibits are the Swedish oats raised by Louis Johnson on his farm west of the city. Mr. Johnson imported a small amount direct from Sweden, and they have proven a winner and will do much for the farmer. They are a fast grower the stock is as hard as wheat and will not break no matter how ripe, the same with shelling, Mr. Johnson has only a small amount but would not sell that at any price.

NEWS OF FATHER'S DEATH — Mrs. Ned Cannon received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of her father, Judge Samuel J. Stevenson, of Nebraska City, Neb. While Mrs. Cannon has known for some time that her esteemed father was in poor health, the news of his death came as a shock to her at this time. Judge Stevenson, who was a lawyer and judge of high standing, is well known, not alone in Otoe county but throughout the neighboring country, and leaves to his sorrowing family the memory of a sterling and untainted character. Judge Stevenson leaves, besides a widow, two daughters, the above named and Mrs. Campbell, of Havre, Mont. Mrs. Stevenson will come to Crookston later, where she will spend the winter with her daughter. The sympathy of the community is extended at this time to the bereaved daughter.

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 17—Robert Gustafson of Finley secured a marriage license to marry Miss Kate Leiske. They were accompanied by an elder sister and the groom swore the bride was of legal age. After the marriage the father of the girl objected and instituted proceedings for perjury. The new son-in-law fled and is supposed to be in Canada, while the youthful bride mourns her new made husband's enforced absence.

MARKET DAY GREAT SUCCESS

AUCTION SALE WAS GRAND SUCCESS—FARMERS WELL PLEASED

BAND CONCERT EXCEEDED EXPECTATIONS AND LUNCH WAS HIGHLY COMPLIMENTED

From Saturday's Daily—

Crookston's Third Market Day was successful beyond all expectations despite the fact that the weather was most unfavorable. Early this morning the lowering clouds augured ill for the success of the day, but the drizzle did not seem to dampen the ardor of the farmers, for they seemed to realize that there were some bargains in store for them.

They all returned to their homes well satisfied. Every merchant in the city gave such bargains that the purchasers can return what they purchased at any time and receive their money back. This can be done not necessarily today, but at any time in the future.

The result of the competition cannot be announced today but will be given in the local papers on Monday next. Only two of the prize winners were known up to the time of going to press as follows:

Best Brood Mares

Geo. Safford, two bay mares which elicited the praise of all who saw them.

First On Corn

Henry O'Neill, who had an exhibit at the state fair also had a grand showing here today and was awarded the first prize which he certainly richly deserved.

The other prizes were all awarded too late to be reported today but will all be recorded Monday.

Don't Try Uncertain Receipes

It is entirely unnecessary to experiment with this, that and the other recipe. Why waste time, money and patience when you can get from your grocer, for 10 cents, a package of "OUR-PIE" Preparation — Lemon, Chocolate or Custard — for making pies that are so good that when you eat one piece you will want another? The way to please the men-folks is to give them good pie.

SUPT. FARRIS SPEAKS TOMORROW

IS WELL PLEASED WITH THE CONDITIONS IN THIS SECTION

State Supt. Farris, of the American Sunday School Union is with Rev. Hedegaard, the local representative at the Deemers home in the Town of Hammond today, and telephoned to the Journal that tomorrow he would be in Crookston and make several addresses. At 10:30 he will speak in the Congregational church, following the farewell address of Rev. Thos. E. Greene of the M. E. church. At 11:45 he will speak at the Scandinavian M. E. church and at 2:30 at the Carman Sunday school.

DITCH NO. 66 IS A FINE ONE

CONTRACTOR SULLIVAN HAS COMPLETED WATERWAY IN KEYSTONE AND EUCLID

Ex-alderman M. Sullivan returned to the city last evening from scenes of his summer's operation west of Euclid where his crews constructed ditch No. 66 in Euclid and Keystone townships the past summer. The job has been completed and accepted by the commissioners, and complemented by them as one of the best constructed ditches in the county. The taxpayers along the route being so well pleased with the thoro manner of Mr. Sullican's work that to show their appreciation they have chipped in and bought him a cow.

The crews are still up there and are workin gon one of the branches that Messrs. Brown and Lundgren had started.

Aged Couple Asphyxiated.

Grafton, N. D., Oct. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman were found dead in bed, having been asphyxiated by coal gas. They were last seen on Monday. Both were seventy years old. J. J. Coleman, an attorney of Everett, Wash., is their only child.

POTATO CROP PAID WELL

THE YIELD WAS NOT HEAVY BUT THE PRICE MAKES UP FOR IT

THOSE WHO RAISED CROP ARS WELL SATISFIED WITH LIGHT YIELD

From Saturday's Daily—

The potato crop in this section this year was not as heavy as it has been for the past few years but even at that those who have devoted some time to the cultivation of spuds are well pleased and though the yield is not as heavy as it has been in the past, the price this fall is good and the returns are sufficient to make a good profit.

On top of this, land on which potatoes are raised is highly cultivated and the wheat crop for the succeeding year will more than recompense the farmer for the trouble and expense that he has gone to.

Competent authorities are of the opinion that potato ground is in as good or better shape than corn ground and leaves the land in strictly first-class shape for any kind of a grain crop that it is desired to grow. Weeds are killed and the ground cleaned up generally of all foul stuff.

The more potatoes that are grown in this section the better, and it is a good thing to encourage their growth in every manner possible.

A QUARTETTE OF BOX CAR ROBBERS

Friday morning a quartet of transients in East Grand Forks raided a Burlington refrigerator car in the Northern Pacific yards and succeeded in getting away to the woods with a case of eggs and also a half case of the hen fruit, some forty dozen in all. Henry Borchers, the N. P. night call boy, and Dunc McNicol, night ward man, noticed the quartet, however, in the act of getting away with their booty and promptly notified Officer Quigley, who tracked the thieves into the woods and located them in the outskirts of the city, where they had carried their plunder, a distance of fully half a mile from the looted car. The quartet were placed under arrest and escorted to the police station. Yesterday afternoon they were arraigned in the municipal court and their hearing set for today. The seals of several other cars were broken, but so far as could be learned the eggs constituted the only plunder secured. The names of the men given are Frank Murphy, George Goodmillie, Thos. O'Dell and Mike Miller. Murphy was recently convicted of larceny there.

Refuses to Wed

GIRL DECLINES TO MARRY MAN SHE CLAIMS HAS WRONGED HER

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 17—Arrested on complaint of Miss Rena Larson, Fred M. Hendrickson was brought to Fargo from his home in Ypsilanti, Stutsman county. Anticipating that a marriage ceremony would heal the trouble Hendrickson secured a license but on conferring with the girl he found she declined to become his wife.

The girl is the daughter of a neighboring farmer and she and Hendrickson were to have been married this fall. She suddenly left home and Hendrickson claimed he did not know her address until the papers were served on him. He claimed that he was ready and anxious at all times to repair any possible wrongs to the girl by becoming her husband. He was accompanied by the girl's brother, who joined him in putting up bonds to provide for the baby that is to be and the man was given his liberty.

Chicago, Oct. 17—The cross examination of W. D. Hurlbut, expert traffic witness called by the defense, brought out several clashes between the counsel for the government and the Standard Oil company today in the hearing of the railroad phase of the government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company. At one point Judge Ferris was appealed to by Attorney Rosenthal to direct Frank B. Kellogg, the government counsel, to stand farther away from the witness and to "stop shaking his fist in the face of the witness."

Judge Ferris held that he had seen no improper conduct.

PROGRAM IS ABOUT COMPLETE

PROF. SAMUEL GREEN AND PROF. HAY WILL BOTH APPEAR ON THE PROGRAM

SECRETARY OF STATE ASSOCIATION WILL MAKE AN ADDRESS

From Saturday's Daily—

President J. F. Hetler of the Red River Valley Horticultural Association is very much pleased with the outlook of the coming annual meeting of the association at Stephens Hall. In addition to the numbers that have been announced, Prof. Samuel Greene the secretary of the state association has agreed to make an address on the educational advantages of horticulture and Prof. Hay of Thief River Falls will also deliver an address.

CORN EXHIBIT EYE OPENER

Henry O'Neill the successful farmer in all lines of advanced agriculture has on exhibit today with the state fair exhibits some fine corn in the ear, that he husked yesterday, it is being admired by every visitor and even some of the old timers can scarcely believe their eyes, that such corn can be raised in the valley. Every one should see it.

With the corn is a sample of alfalfa that has been cut from a field that has already been cut once, making it a second crop. Alfalfa is also a grass that most farmers in the valley are unfamiliar with, and a product that should receive some attention by them.

ANNUAL MEETING IS POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Eudcational Ass'n which is usually held in the fall has this year been postponed till a later date which will be announced later on. The change is due to the removal of the president, Mr. Chamberlain formerly at the head of the Red Lake Falls schools. The date of the meeting wil be announced later.

Bulgaria Declines

REFUSES TO SECURE RECOGNITION OF INDPEENDENCE BY TURKISH GOVERNMENT

Sofia, Oct. 17—The members of the Bulgarian cabinet who yesterday accompanied Czar Ferdinand to his Pietritiba hunting lodge in the Rile mountains returned her late this afnoon and announced the result of their deliberations under the presidency of Ferdinand.

The cabinet has decided to reject the proposal emanating from London for the payment of an indemnity to Turkey as a condition of recognizing Bulgaria's independence. A vote to that effect will be sent by the Bulgarian administration to the powers. The only question the government is willing to negotiate is the purchase of the rights of the Oriental railroad company.

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Minnesota's First Citizen

From Monday's Daily—

This evening the city of Crookston will be honored by the presence of Governor John A. Johnson, the state's first citizen, and the people's popular executive. The presence of the governor while being to a very great extent incident to the proper conduct of a great state political campaign, is still of more importance. It is affording an opportunity to all classes of citizens, no matter what their political affiliations are, to get into closer touch with the man who is the head of their government, the man whom they have honored with the highest honor in the gift of the people of a soverign state. Necessarily Governor Johnson's reception this evening must be to a certain extent tinged with politics, yet the fact will not be lost sight of that he is the governor of the people and not of any segment of the people.

In John A. Johnson the people of Minnesota have realized one of the highest conceptions of a public official Thruout his two terms of office, he has been more than the head or representative of a political party, in fact he has been in truth as well as in theory the servant of all the people It is only during the stress of the state campaign that he is thought of as a partisan; it is only then that he has been subjected to keen political and adverse criticism and for a time those who are opposed to him on political grounds, lose sight of the fact that he is their chief servant and has in every respect proven himself worthy of their confidence, esteem and respect. His presence in this city this evening we believe, will be considered considerably more than the appearance of a candidate for office.

The people of Crookston will be given an opportunity to see and hear an official who has made good in every sense of the word. He has been tried and not found wanting in any particular and no matter what has been the test to which he has been subjected he demonstrated that the people did not misjudge or overestimate his ability four years ago and then again two years ago. The people have followed his record, they are acquainted with his achievements since they honored him with their suffrages and there is very little need to recall them. There has never been a governor whose official acts were subjected to closer scrutiny and there has never been an executive who escaped with less adverse criticism from political opponnts than John A. Johnson, and this cannot help but count in the judgment of the voters of the state which will be rendered on the first Tuesday in next month. It will be found that the commendation of his political enemies during the interim between political campaigns will be one of the greatest factors in his success at th epolls in November.

Governor Johnson is entitled to the support of the democrats for the services he has rendered them; he is entitled to the consideration of every republican who is not bound hand and foot by party fealty, because of the service he has rendered the state, and he is entitled to the support of every citizen because under his wise and able administrations the common wealth has developed at a wonderful rate and every interest of the masses irrespective of class, clique or condition, has been carefully safeguarded and protected. The governor has set a new and higher standard for administration and it is absolutely impossible for his political opponents to advance one real reason why he should not be triumphantly re-elected at the termination of the present campaign.

The only issue which they hope for success upon, is loyalty to party and in this day and age, we hardly believe that that will prove effectual. The reception tendered John A. Johnson this evening will effectually answer that issue as far as the people of the city of Crookston are concerned.

The City's Distinguished Guest

Any attempt to adequately express an acceptable conception of John A. Johnson, must necessarily fall far below the standards that the mind has set up and history and the ages, alone will give a true picture of the man, whose presence in the city of Crookston last evening was honored by everyone without thought of political prejudices or party affiliations. Minnesota's first citizen ,the state's most honored and beloved son, once more demonstrated to the people of this section his claims for continued confidence.

Governor Johnson appeared before the people of Crookston last night not alone as the candidate for office, but as a public servant ready and willing to give an account of his stewardship and to render to the people a report of the work he had been set to do. No public servant ever faced an audience with more right to be confident of the verdict that would be recorded and the certainty of approval which the fair mindedness of the masses would give. He had absolutely nothing to conceal and was willing to go into detail in regard to every act of his administration and permit the full glare of publicity to be turned upon it. John A. Johnson has nothing to conceal and nothing to cover up; his official and private acts are an open book. He has rendered service to the people and in every obligation imposed upon him, he has always been found adequately prepared to meet it.

During the heat of the present political campaign things have been said charges made, that will not bear analysis and as might be expected the governor when he appeared before that magnificent audience which had assembled at the Auditorium last evening devoted considerable time to showing the absolute absurdity of these baseless charges and unjust criticisms. The governor by his keen analysis turned every charge against the person of his opponent and proved his contention, not by evidence from his own party advocates, not by his own unsupported word, but by the testimony of his opponent's own party workers and party organs. No democrat has ever attempted to arraign the opposition candidate with such asperity, such keen criticism, as republican papers and republican party men have. Those who heard Governor Johnson last evening will forever give peace to the statement that has been given circulation that the republican party at the present time is working as a unit. This cannot be possible if one iota of respect for personal opinion and personal responsibility remains in the organization.

The address of the governor last evening was not simply a rhetorical effort made with the single purpose of pleasing his audience. To be sure the governor did touch at times the heights of true oratory and during different portions of his speech had the immense audience completely under sway, but for the most part he contented himself with telling in plain and simple language the facts as they appeared on the record, leaving it to the judgment and fairness of his hearers to return a verdict. He traced his record during the two terms of office and in a modest yet effectual way demonstrated that the two democratic administrations of which he was the head, were the best that this state has ever enjoyed. The people's every right had been safeguarded and protected and every citizen, no matter what his condition or influence, had been regarded in the governmental actions of the executive's office. He was able to stand before that large audience and challenge contradiction and one could not help but feel that it must have been a proud moment in the life of the governor, when he could stand before that great gathering and feel in his innermost being that he had served them well and faithfully.

The people of this state have a right to feel proud of its chief citizen. He has been one of the greatest assets the commonwealth has ever produced and his great fame thruout the length and breadth of the land means much for the people of this great state. The governor has grown beyond the borders of Minnesota and while the people of the state will have the honor this campaign in re-electing him as their chief executive four years from this time the people of the nation will be as enthusiastic in proclaiming him the first citizen of the entire country. Governor Johnson is not simply a politician, he is not simply a party man; he is a patriot, a statesman, and has demonstrated that he is indeed worthy of the highest honors that the people not only of Minnesota, but the people of the entire nation can shower upon him.

A Foreign Boss to the Rescue

The republican state committee must certainly be in sore straits when it is found necessary to take into the inner circles and the holy of holies of the party the discarded boss of the party in North Dakota namely, one Alec McKenzie. The information from reliable sources in St. Paul comes to the effect that this same Alec McKenzie is the constant adviser of Chairman Brown and the man that the republicans of North Dakota could not stomach is received with open arms by the ristracted leaders of Minnesoto republicanism, who have been driven into the last ditch and are putting up their fight for existence against the matchless campaign Governor Johnson is waging thruout the entire state.

It is really a high commentary on the resourcefulness of the state republican committee that it has found it necessary to import a man to put up the jobs by which it is hoped to win a victory at the polls next month. We all must admit that McKenzie is a past master at the great game of political chicanery and manipulation; that he knows the cards well and can play a bluff with the best of them. We hardly believe however that his adroitness and cleverness will count for much at the present time as the people of the state have practically made up their mind as to how they are going to cast their votes at the coming election.

With such men as McKenzie planning and plotting it will be necessary however for the voters to be careful of cannards and they must be prepared to have sprung upon them in the final days of the contest all sorts of stories when it will be impossible to answer them. The people of the state have had four years almost of an administration of state affairs that cannot in a single particular be criticised; they have been served by an executive whose official and private character is without blemish; they have been permitted to become intimately acquainted with what he stands for in private and official life and they should answer all these stories by recalling these facts which a four years acquaintance has made prominent.

All Governor Johnson asks is that he be judged in the present campaign by the record he has made and the principles for which he has consistently stood. On this foundation he is most willing to accept the verdict of the voters of the state of Minnesota with confidence.

The governor and his advisors have not believed it necessary to call to their aid outside assistance and have relied entirely upon the record the administration has made since being placed in power. They have not sought the assistance of discarded bosses and men who have been driven from the councils of their own party in other states. They have not appealed to national committees, but have relied upon the great accomplishments and the public acts of the man who has been a great asset in the higher and more pronounced development of the commonwealth.

The people of the state are acquainted fully with the governor and his administration and this fact is sufficient to re-elect John A. Johnson by an overwhelming majority and when one takes into consideration the efforts being made by the opposition the practices they are resorting to at the present time, and the campoign of misrepresentation and falsehood, it becomes evident that the republicans themselves are preparing to accept the inevitable, but with the last gasp will try to inflict injury.

The republican party may have its steel trust champions, it may be backed by the corporate interests of the state, it is welcome to whatever aid it can secure from repudiated bosses, but the democratic party of the state of Minnesota will place its confidence in the honesty and integrity, the ability and inherent worth, the man and the official, combined in the personality of John A. Johnson the state's leading citizen and most devoted servant. His private life and his official acts speak for themselves and as the people on two different occasions have believd him worthy of honor, we have every reason to believe that they will again vote him an endorsement which will be positive and complete.

STATE PRESS

Warroad Plaindealer (Rep.): Jacobson was the most useful man that ever sat in the legislature and he will make the same kind of a governor. This the people of Minnesota know and will soon show they know on election day.—Warren Sheaf.

Has the Sheaf forgotten when the city of Warren and Marshall and Kittson counties used to keep delegations of citizens, besides their regular representative and senator, in St. Paul, during every session of the legislature to work for state drainage in the Red river Valley and how this same Jacobson, with his wildcat screech and hyena yell intimidated all the southern legislators and held back drainage for twelve years? Either the Sheaf has forgotten these things, or else it hears the crack of the party whip about its ears, and gets into the collar obediently to help drag the interests' latest consignment of political corruptness up to the state capitol.

Winona Independent: If Jacobson could visit every voting precinct in the state Johnson's election would be practically unanimous.

St. Cloud Times: There is much inquiry as to when Jacobson will speak in St. Cloud—if at all. The opinion is strong that the Republican committee dare not exhibit their candidate in the larger cities. Why? St. Cloud voters are anxious to see and hear the man who seeks to be their governor. It he dare not stand before them—he is unworthy of their votes! It is up to Jacobson!

Albert Lea Standard: While spouting for reform and railroad regulation two years ago, Jacobson's pockets were stocked with free railroad passes and everybody now knows it. Ie proves that Jacobson is a demagogue, that he cannot be trusted and thus he has forfeited the support of every upright American voter.

Fairmont Sentinel: The fight for Jacobson in Martin county has reached the point where it is considered futile by his warmest supporters and now the effort will be concentrated in behalf of McCleary.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

Consolidated Rural Schools

BY PROF. R. D. BARTLETTE

To give the child, whose time for attending school is very limited, the best opportunity possible to secure an education, it behooves us as teachers to look about for a better method of doing the same.

In the crowded class room with every grade from the first to the eighth, the average country boy is confronted with undesirable surroundings.

He hears the methodical routine of the primary classes, which interferes with his study and he loses interest in his work.

On the other hand, the teacher, who must in some way devote his allotted six hours to twenty eight recitations daily, can hardly give to the boy or girl of the advanced grade the proper amount of time and attention, consequently they remain in school, but a ter mor two and finally give up to the fallacy that after all, it's more profitable and by far more inetresting to stay at home and work.

Can you blame the boy?

But suppose instead of yielding to this desire he makes up his mind to go to the city to school. All very well for those who go with plenty of determination to improve every hour by close application to studies, but how many boys have come into the city, with perhaps plenty of enthusiasm and sooner or later have fallen victim of some of the evils existing in our cities of today. How much better for this boy if he had remained in the country.

The boy or girl on the farm is worthy of as good instruction as the banker's son or daughter in the city. To consolidate the rural districts, bringing together enough valuation to erect a township High School and furnish same with competent teachers would not only alleviate present conditions, but would prove a blessing to the cause of education. Shall Polk county wait for other counties to start this great movement?

Where a woman is smart is to follow a man's judgment to flatter him when she knows it is wrong.

There is nothing more uncomfortable than being truthful in practice as well as in principle.

BANQUET WAS A GRAND SUCCESS

DINING ROOM OF THE HOTEL CROOKSTON WAS PACKED TO ITS CAPACITY—SCENE WAS ONE THAT INSPIRED ALL THOSE PRESENT REGARDLESS OF ANY POLITICAL AFFILIATIONS — GOVERNOR GIVEN A SPLENDID WELCOME

From Tuesday's Daily—

The banquet which was given last evening at the Hotel Crookston by the Young Men's Johnson Club marks a decidedly new era in the history of politics in northern Minnesota, and it should be a matter of pride to every member of the club that it was the young men of Crookston who took the initiative in the matter.

At 10:30 o'clock the dining room doors of the Crookston Hotel were thrown open to the strains of Burkhardt's orchestra Governor Johnson escorted by the Young Men's Johnson Club marched in, the distinguished guests taking the seat of honor at the head of the immense hall, with John N. Kirsch, president of the club on his left, and C. W. Final, the toast master on his right.

The preparations had been made for 175 plates and every seat was occupied when the serving of the elaborate menu started. The great majority of the banqueters were young men, members of the club, while here and there, scattered in different sections of the room, could be seen some of the leading democrats of the city and the county. The banquet however was distinctly a young man's spread.

A Splendid Spread

The banquet last evening was one of the most elaborate ever served in the city and too much praise cannot be accorded the management of the hotel for the manner in which it was served. Not a hitch occurred thruout the many courses and the entire affair was ono which will always reflect credit upon Mr. Lycan and his corps of assistants.

Some Great Music

The Elks' Quartet, more commonly known as the "curb stone quartet" was called upon frequently between courses to enliven the proceedings and its efforts were greatly enjoyed by every one present, and the governor himself showed his appreciation most keenly, subsequently in his toast referring to the pleasure experienced in listening to the "Barber-shop" ditties. The boys were in good voice and their efforts was a decided feature of the occasion.

Required Rest

Owing to the lateness of the hour Governor Johnson had to retire before the banquet was entirely over, but before going he was introduced to the audience by Toastmaster Final.

In introducing Governor Johnson, Toastmaster Final made but a few short remarks but they were right to the point. He said:

"We come together this evening not as partisans supporting national principles. We are here as independent men seeking the best possible results in the government of our great commonwealth. We know that in the selection of a governor no national principle is involved. We know that for the past four years Minnesota has been governed so wisely and so well that party lines have been practically obliterated and for that reason we wish by this demonstration to publicly approve what has been done by the man who has honored Minnesota as governor, and to wish him God-speed in his present effort, which we believe will mean two years more. Gentlemen I have the pleasure of presenting to you the man who has honored Minnesota more than any other man that has occupied a public office in this state in all its history—the Hon John A. Johnson."

Complimented Young Men

The governor complimented the young men upon their independence and took it as a great compliment to himself. He congratulated them upon the interest they were taking in state government and believed that it would have its effect upon the quality of that government. Repeately he expressed his deep appreciation of the reception tendered him and then retired.

Fine List of Addresses

As soon as the menu had been completed Toastmaster Final introduced the speakers of the evening, starting with several of the democratic war horses. They all spoke of the propriety of independence in voting and congratulated the members of the club for the manner in which they had placed patriotism ahead of party. Every toast however lauded the governor and not a few called attention to the future, when without doubt instead of helping to elect a governor they would help to elect a president from Minnesota. The short talks aroused great enthusiasm and thruout the entire evening the hotel resounded with the applause that constantly greeted any reference to the distinguished visitor in whose honor the banquet had been given.

The banquet was brought to a close by a talk from President Kirsch who outlined the work of the club, its ambitions and what it hoped to accomplish in the present campaign.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

We all have our opinions, but none of us know much.

It's enough to make a woman sick if she can't dress well.

There are two kinds of small boys —bad ones and sick ones.

It's generally cheaper to stay married than it is to pay alimony.

Intoxicating strains of music seldom come from a barrel organ.

It's always better to throw bouquets than it is to hand lemons.

A man is apt to be fooling himself when he thinks he is fooling his wife.

Before going out a woman should be sure her complexion is on straight.

There is one advantage in artic exploring. In the face of the gravest danger one can always keep cool.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hardworkers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

Start an account with This Bank and avail yourself of these material benefits.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 18 In History.

1663—Francis of Savoy, better known as Prince Eugene, imperial general and colleague of Marlborough, born at Paris; died 1736.

1744—Sarah Jennings (Churchill), long famous as the Duchess of Marlborough, died.

1906—A West India hurricane accompanied by a tidal wave caused great destruction of property and a heavy loss of life in Cuba and on the Florida coast.

1907—Close of the second international peace conference at The Hague.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:12, rises 6:12; day's length 11 hours; moon rises 12:24 a. m.

Oct. 19 In History.

1781—Lord Cornwallis surrendered to George Washington at Yorktown, Va.

1806—Henry Kirk White, the youthful poet, died; born 1785.

1864—Battle of Cedar Creek, Va.

1901—Rear Admiral Francis M. Bunce, U. S. N., retired, died at Hartford, Conn.; born 1836.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:10, rises 6:13; moon rises 1:22 a. m.; moon's age 25 days; moon at apogee, farthest from earth; 11 a. m., planet Neptune apparently stationary.

WENT TO DONALDSON —Elmer Ellington left this morning for Donaldson where he is in business after spending Sunday in the city with the home folks. He is well pleased with his new location and cannot say too much for the north line town.

WAS HERE SATURDAY — Louis Wentzel was in the city Saturday taking in the Market Day program. He is well pleased with the returns he received from farming this year. He has about finished his plowing and states that the farmers in the town of Nesbit as a rule have more plowing done than they have had for the last several years.

OLD SETTLER DEAD—Henry Tanner one of the old residents of Fisher died on Thursday morning after an illness of five days of a complication of ailments. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large concourse of people. Mr. Tanner was one of the first settlers of that neighborhood, having lived there for the past thirty years.

A WARM DAY POLITICALLY — Thursday Oct. 22 will be a warm day politically in Twin Valley. On that day Governor Johnson will address an audience there at Murphy's hall on the political issues from the democratic standpoint. He will speak at 1:30 p. m. and will leave on the southbound passenger at 3:45. Going in on the same train from the north that takes Mr. Johnson out of the village to the south, will be Congressman Steenerson who will speak in the same hall immediately on his arrival there.

In a hotly contested game of football last Saturday the Crookston H. S. team won a decisive victory over Red Lake Falls, defeating them on their own grounds with a score of 24 to 0.

Is Your Hair Sick?

That's too bad! We had noticed it was looking pretty thin and faded of late, but naturally did not like to speak of it. By the way, Ayer's Hair Vigor is a regular hair grower, a perfect hair restorer. It keeps the scalp clean and healthy.

"I am well acquainted with Ayer's Hair Vigor and I like it very much. I would especially recommend it as an excellent dressing for the hair, keeping it soft and smooth, and preventing the hair from splitting at the ends."—MINNIE FRITZ, Veedum, Mich.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of
Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

From Tuesday's Daily

Oct. 20 In History.

J. A. Froude.

1745—Jonathan Dean Swift, poet, wit and political writer, preacher and scholar, died; born 1667.

1823—Thomas Hughes, author of "Tom Brown," born; died 1896.

1894—James Anthony Froude, leading British essayist and historian of his time, died; born 1818.

1902—The anthracite coal mine strikers abandoned the strike which began May 12, 1902.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:09, rises 6:14; moon rises 2:23 a. m.; moon's age 26 days; 12:32 p. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing 4 degrees north of the planet, from west to east; 2.36 p. m., moon in conjunction with Venus, passing 4½ degrees north of the planet from west to east; sun's declination 10 degrees 22 minutes south of celestial equator.

LEAVES FOR THE WEST—G. R. Ismon one of the best known lumber men in northern Minnesota leaves tomorrow for Bonners Ferry, Idaho, where he will spend the winter attending to business for the Crookston Lumber Co., whose trusted employe he has been for many years.

SPEAKS NEXT SATURDAY—Atty General Young will deliver an address at the Auditorium on next Saturday evening. On account of the activity he displayed in the affairs of state during the past few years there is general interest being taken in his appearance here.

FIRE IN RESTAURANT — Sunday evening shortly after 8 o'clock fire broke out on the second floor of Rose's restaurant block on Robert street and before it was extinguished a loss of about $800 on building and as much more on contents was sustained. The loss is covered entirely by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown but it is believed to have started on the second floor in the rear of the block. The fire department arrived on the scene in short order and by the copious use of water drowned the blaze out.

The restaurant suffered the greatest damage, but it was largely from water. This is the second time it has been drowned out within a short time, suffering considerable loss when the adjoining building burned. Recently it also had several changes of management and it is understood that a party was to arrive tomorrow to take charge of it.

Mrs. Peter Cram left on the Northern Pacific train this afternoon for Valley City, N. D., where Wednesday afternoon she will attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Katherine Fletcher, who is to be united in marriage to Mr. Kennedy, one of the well known residents of the section of N. Dakota. Mrs. Cram will remain at Valley City for the balance of the week, the guest of her brother, John Laird, and will return here Saturday morning next.

CABBAGE SHIPPED BY THE CARLOAD

For the first time in the history of the Red River Valley cabbage has been shipped by the carload to Duluth and other points. T. J. Smith has shipped ten carloads of cabbage so far this season. The cabbage was purchased from farmers of Grand Forks and Polk county.

ELFORD MAKING BIG PURCHASE

Alfred S. Elford, St Paul manager of the New York Life Insurance company a former resident of Grand Forks, has bought the Louisville Flats Lewis and Nelson avenues, St. Paul The purchase was made of John Leitsold of Spring Valley, Minn. The building contains 24 modern flats. It is understood that Mr. Elford acquired this property for an investment.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 21 In History.

1492—Discovery of land on the coast of the new world by Columbus and his voyagers.

1772—Samuel Taylor Coleridge, poet, was born in Devonshire; died 1834.

1805—Lord Nelson, England's famous naval commander, killed in the battle of Trafalgar; born 1758.

1904—The Russian Baltic fleet fired upon English fishing boats in the North sea.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:07, rises 6:15; moon rises 3:22 a. m.; moon's age 27 days.

CREMO MAN HERE—J. A. Welch the Cremo cigar man spent yesterday in the city and circulated among his friends. The sale of this popular cigar is increasing steadily.

OLD RESIDENT BACK—T. B. McManus a member of the state board of grain appeals, spent Monday in the city looking after business matters and talking a few lines of politics.

TRAFFIC VERY LIGHT—The passenger traffic on the west bound morning trains has been very light for some time past. The movement is much lighter than usual for this season of the year.

NORTH COUNTRY REPRESENTED—Wm Lemon the Democratic warhorse of northern Polk county returned home yesterday morning to Angus after having enjoyed the address of Gov. Johnson Monday evening.

CANDIDATE IN CITY—The candidate for county auditor, Anton Sirek was an arrival in the city Monday and returned to his home at Tabor yesterday morning accompanied by Mayor Dunlevy of East Grand Forks and other friends.

LAND MAN HERE —Bert Knapp passed thru the city this morning enroute to Warren with several prospective land buyers from Illinois and Indiana. He is making regular trips and always has his full quota of customers with him.

FOOD INSPECTOR BUSY —Dairy and Food Inspector E. B. Heiberg left this morning for a business trip up the north line. Yesterday he was at McIntosh. He reports very general compliance with the food laws of the state, and consequently fewer prosecutions.

PROSPEROUS FARMER HERE — Louis Osterloh, one of the well known and prosperous farmers of Angus spent Monday in the city and attended the Johnson rally. Mr. Swanson of Crookston, who has been digging an artesian well for him for some time past was also down with him.

BACK FROM TRIP EAST—Fred Strobie one of the old time residents of Angus, an old soldier and a member of the local G. A. R. Post, came down Monday evening to hear Governor Johnson. He recently returned from a trip to the old home in Pennsylvania and reports a very pleasant time.

BOUGHT FINE RESIDENCE — Will Finlayson was here from Euclid last evening and completed arrangements for the purchase of the E. C. Murney residence at that place. Mr. Finlayson has been in the livery business there for some time past and has made a big success in that line.

ON LAND BUSINESS—Frank Nelson left this morning for Dugdale where he has a land deal pending. He is also reported to have other attractions there of which a more detailed account will be given the latter part of the week. It is currently reported that he is to take unto himself a wife.

"BEMIDJI SLIM" GOT 30 DAYS—Lawrence Johnson, better known in this community as "Bemidji Slim" was taken before Judge Bailey in the municipal court this morning on a charge of breaking jail. "Slim" was given a sentence of thirty days in the county jail and, as he has already served thirty days awaiting trial, he will probably learn that it pays to stay in the county boarding house until his time is up.—Bemidji Pioneer. "Slim" is the man nabbed here by Chief Eck a short time ago.

AEROPLANE AT BLACKDUCK—Word comes from Blackduck that a party consisting of Gene Smith, D. D. Rolfe and Dr. Osborne have conceived an aeroplane which will be used in chasing ducks and other wild fowls which inhabit the air. "Billy" Squier is authority for the statement that the flying machine will be equipped with a full set of barber tools for the purpose of getting the pin feathers off the ducks. It has been suggested that the craft be named the "Memming Birdt." The machine will be exhibited at the "Duck" next Thursday, at the time of the K. P. convention.

Saved His Boy's Life

"My three-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

For sale by All Druggists.

MAKE THIS AT HOME

MIX IT YOURSELF BY SHAKING INGREDIENTS IN BOTTLE—SIMPLE REMEDY

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE IN VICINITY HERE WILL WELCOME THIS ADVICE

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, which is said to be a positive remedy for backache or kidney or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

Correspondence

SHERACK

Mr. Will Vanek drove to Tabor last week on important business.

Mr. August Behelke arrived here one day last week from Goodhue, Minn., where he has been spending the summer. Mr. Behelke has many friends here who are always glad to see him.

Messrs. John and Louis Giese drove to Grand Forks last Saturday.

Quite a number of young folks from this vicinity attended the dance at Zaks last Saturday. All present report a pleasant time.

Henry Tiedeman and J. W. Baars attended the dance and raffle which was given at the H. Willis farm east from here. They were not fortunate enough to win any game altho they report a very pleasant time, and we know this is true for they enjoyed a six mile walk the next morning and the boys say "no more raffles for us."

Miss Minnie Tiedemann has been very sick for nearly three weeks is now improving.

Mr. B. Tiedemann and Mr. Hendricks drove to Grand Forks last Saturday.

Mr. Paul Byington is here again from Lemmon, S. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Parker and family left last week for their home at Carmel, Minn.

The Misses Tilly and Bessie Brantl Emma and Lucy Giese, Rose and Mary Kotek enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Miss Alma Horn last Sunday. The afternoon was spent in music and singing and a general merry-making was enjoyed by all.

Messrs. James Driscoll and Ben Clements were out here one day last week looking over the new steel bridge west of Sherack.

Mr. Simon Aeschlimann called on Mr. G. H. Horn last Tuesday.

The children of school district No. 30 are patiently waiting for school to commence when they will again hear the sweet strains of "Happy School Days" peal forth from one of the most costly and beautiful instruments that ever adorned a school room. We all know there is nothing like inspiring love for music in the hearts of school children.

Mr. G. Palen of Euclid was in the vicinity last week installing a part of the new system in our phones to prevent the rubber-necks from doing further harm and making them far superior to any other phone in construction. The only butt-ins that we have been troubled with are several that come hurrying down here from a nearby line to transact some of their most important business here. The Euclid subscribers can truthfully say "it's something we don't have to do".

Mrs. C. E. Brodwell was on the sick list several days last week.

Frank Kobetsky and Ed Pulkraby are plowing for John Vavrina with their steam plow.

Mr. C. E. Perm of Roanoke, Ill., was in this vicinity last week looking for a suitable piece of land.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE FROM AWFUL DEATH

Mike Palen Saves Paul Paulson from Being Cut Into By Circular Saw Boy Was Terribly Cut But Will Survive.

This afternoon Paul Paulson who was working near the circular saw owned by Mr. Ball, the wood dealer, not looking where he was going walked directly into the circular saw.

At the same instant Mike Palen saw his peril and snatched him away just in time to save his life.

The saw cut an ugly gash just over the heart and in the abdomen and thigh which required half a dozen stitches to close. Dr. Randolph hurried the lad to St. Vincents hospital where he is doing well.

Had it not been for the prompt action of Mr. Palen the unfortunate lad would have been cut completely in two. He is 18 years of age.

ENTHUSIASM WAS SIMPLY IMMENSE

GOV. JOHNSON GREETED BY AN IMMENSE CROWD AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

WAS CHEERED TO THE ECHO BY DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS ALIKE

RECEIVED GREAT OVATION AT EVERY STATION THAT WAS PASSED DURING DAY

From Wednesday's Daily—

Gov. Johnson received one continual ovation yesterday after leaving this city in the morning on the Greenbush train At every station there were enthusiastic crowds to greet him and he was highly gratified over the enthusiasm that was shown.

According to reports received Gov. Johnson will carry Red Lake county by several hundreds of votes more than he did either two or four years ago, and as a result of his visit to the Ninth district he will certainly get thousands of votes which he did not secure in his previous campaigns.

PRIZES WERE AWARDED

THE LIST OF EXHIBITS FAR EXCEEDED ALL EXPECTATIONS

SPLENDID LINE O FVEGETABLES AND DAIRY PRODUCTS WERE BROUGHT IN

The Market Day committee feels highly gratified over the large number of exhibits which were brought to the city. Grains, vegetables and dairy products were brought in in large numbers and after careful consideration the following awards were made:

Henry O'Neill 1st on corn, $1.
Geo. Hoffard 1st on Brood Mares $5
Geo. Hoffard 2nd on potatoes 50c.
John Spafford, Parnell 1st on rutabagoes, $1.
Chas. Stephens, 1st on onions, $1.
Chas. Stephens, 1st on potatoes $1
Chas. Stephens 1st on beets $1.
Mrs. D. H. Miller, Angus 1st on butter $1.
Mrs. J. F. Ingersoll Andover, 2nd on butter 50c.
E. H. Reitmeier 3rd on potatoes 25c
J. M. Stephens 1st on cabbages 75c

At an early hour this morning Mrs. Geo. F. Carpenter was aroused by the squaking of hens in their back yard, She aroused Mr. Carpenter and being very sleepy it took him several minutes to realize what the trouble was.

Then he grabbed a rifle and darted out the back door. Just for luck he fired a shot toward the hencoop and the bullett went clear thru the building breaking the blass in the window in the rear. The cackling stopped, but the chicken thief kept on going. There were 8 birds missing and many more were running loose in the yard this morning, whereas they had all been locked up last evening.

Mr. Carpenter will pay a reward for a man with a stray bullet in his carcass.

PROGRAM IS COMPLETED FOR MEET

PRESIDENT J. F. HETLER OF RED RIVER VALLEY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNOUNCES SPEAKERS WHO WILL ATTEND METING AT STEPHEN'S HALL

ANNUAL MEETING OF SOCIETY WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY NOV. 6TH

From Wednesday's Daily—

President J. F. Hetler has completed the program for the annual meeting of the Red River Horticultural meeting which will be held at Stephens Hall at the State School of Agriculture on Friday Nov. 6th. The program is one of great excellence and includes addresses by men of years of experience, including President J. H. Worst of the Agricultural College at Fargo, Senator Stephens and a number of well known local men.

PROGRAM

9:30 A. M. Nov. 6, 1908

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Address of Welcome, Senator A. D. Stephens.

Response, President Wm. Robertson

Paper, "Appletrees, When and How to Plant, and Care of the Same," Mr. Frank Haseltine.

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Paper, "Potatoes, How to Grow, Best Variety and Marketing. Government Report," by J. M. Stephens.

Paper, "Tomatoes, When to Plant and Transplant, Care, Kind of soil and Varieties Best Adopted to this Climate," C. W. Wilder.

Paper, "Fruits, Variety, Large and Small," H. L. Melgaard, Argyle, Minn.

1:30 P. M.

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Address, Hon. J. H. Worst, President of the State School of Agriculture of North Dakota.

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Paper, "Floriculture", E. S. Kneeland, Grand Forks.

Paper, "Educational Value of Agriculture," Prof. Hay, Thief River Falls.

Business Session.

Song, "America."

Freight business on the Dakota division of the Great Northern has been falling off to a great extent during the past few days. Eight crews have been laid off.

The cause of the falling off is not explained very clearly. It is asserted that fully 50 per cent of the wheat crop is unshipped. One theory is that farmers are so busy completing fall plowing that they will not take time to market their grain. It is thought that there will be heavy shipments of lumber from the Pacific coast when the freight rates are adjusted satisfactorily.

Married Man In Trouble

A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package.

For sale by All Druggists.

State of Minnesota, Executive Department—Proclamation.

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter seven (7), Revised Laws of Minnesota, 1905, a petition was filed with the Secretary of State on the 7th day of December A. D. 1906, praying for the creation of a new county out of territory now lying in Polk county, Minnesota, the same to be known as Nelson county, and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the south-east corner of township numbered one hundred and forty-seven, north of range thirty-nine west of the 5th principal meridian in Minnesota; thence running west along the south boundary line of townships one hundred and forty-seven of ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, the same being the boundary line between Polk and Norman counties, to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-seven, range forty three; thence running north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-eight, range forty-three; thence west along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight to the southwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range forty-three; thence north along the range line between ranges forty-three and forty-four to the northwest corner of township one hundred and forty-nine range forty-three; thence east along the north boundary line of said township last named and townships one hundred and forty-nine, ranges forty-two and forty-one to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty, range forty, to the northeast corner of said township last named; thence north along the west boundary line, and east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine, to the northeast corner of the said township last named; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the southeast corner of township one hundred and forty-nine, range thirty-nine; thence east along the north boundary line of township one hundred and forty-eight, range thirty-nine to the northeast corner of same; thence south along the range line between ranges thirty-eight and thirty-nine to the place of beginning, all of said territory being within the county of Polk and including and embracing the whole of townships numbered one hundred and forty-seven, one hundred and forty-eight and one hundred and forty-nine, ranges thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two and forty-three, townships one hundred and fifty, ranges thirty-nine and forty and township one hundred and fifty-one, range thirty-nine; and that the village of Fosston be the county seat thereof; and that Fred S. Syverson of Hill River, T. Hanson of Queen, Dreng Grundysen, of Sletten, Jens O. Rindal of Garden and Oscar Melsness of Badger, all legal voters and residents within said proposed new county, be and constitute the first board of County Commissioners of said proposed county, and the same to be known as Nelson county; and in which said petition it is represented and avered that the said hereinbefore described territory comprises more than four hundred square miles and contains more than two thousand inhabitants, and that the remaining area of Polk county, after deducting the territory hereinbefore described will comprise more than four hundred square miles and contain more than two thousand inhabitants.

And, whereas, the said petition has been duly considered and found and certified to as conforming in all respects to the provisions of law;

Now, therefore, I, John A. Johnson, governor of the State of Minnesota, pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, do hereby direct and proclaim that the question of the creation of the proposed new county of Nelson be submitted to the voters of said Polk county at the next general election to be held in this state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1908.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be hereunto affixed this 19th day of August 1908.

(Seal) —John A. Johnson,
Governor.

Attest:
Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

United States of America, State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I, Julius A. Schmahl, Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy with the original instrument in my office of Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Minnesota, in the matter of county division of Polk County and that said copy is a true and correct transcript of said original Proclamation and of the whole thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in Saint Paul, this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. nineteen hundred and eight.

(Seal) Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State.

ANGUS

Miss Zella Johnston came home from Warren Friday night to spend the week-end with her parents.

The dance Friday night was a grand success, everyone having a good time.

Miss Annie Staska and Guida Cowden were in Warren on Saturday.

Mrs. Snelling arrived home from Crookston Friday morning.

Mr. Lemen spent every day last week in Warren on business.

B. J. O'Brien took in the sights at Warrent Saturday.

Mrs. J. J. Dobias spent Friday in Warren.

Mrs. C. D. McLennen left Saturday for Grand Forks after a week's visit with friends and relatives here.

Dick Clover and Clarence Johnston left Saturday evening for Red Cloud, Neb., where they will spend the winter.

Walter Ehaust and son John spent Sunday with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Anderson drove to Crookston on Saturday.

W. B. Sheffield, Supt. of the St. Anthony elevator, was in town on Monday.

Frank Brown of Crookston was in town Tuesday looking after his farm.

Herman Osterloh held a raffle on Tuesday night that was a grand success. He raffled geese and turkeys.

P. P. Brush spent Monday night in Crookston.

The Brush farm was sold this week for $40 per acre to a party from Ill.

Ben Sewell lost a horse Saturday night by being struck by the train.

Mr. Moen, of eastern Polk, is here this week in the interest of county division.

The new school house is finished at last. School will begin in it on Monday.

A. T. Stroble was in Warren on Wednesday with a load of hogs.

Mrs. H. D. Strickler and children returned Wednesday after a couple of weeks' visit with J. A. Stroble.

Joe Belveer, a former station agent of this place was in town on Wednesday. Mr. Belveer is living in Wisconsin now.

REDUCED RATES TO ALL VOTERS

Reduced rates will be given by all the railroads in the country for people who wish to go home and vote. A letter received from the national headquarters at Chicago stated that they had received word from all the passenger associations that a rate of one and one-half the regular single fare plus 25 cents would be given for the round trip to bona fide voters and dependent members of thier families. **Tickets at these rates will be on sale** from Oct. 1 to Nov. 3, good for return between Nov. 3 and 15. People wishing to take advantage of these rates must have a certificate that they are voting residents of the place they want to buy tickets to. They must secure such certificates from the campaign committees or registration boards at the place they have their homes. If they are employed by the government away from home they can get a certificate from the department they are employed in showing that they are employed away from home, and where they have their home.

Voters who are absent on the registration days may register by affidavit, giving certain facts required by law. They make affidavit before a notary and sent it to the local committee or direct to the registration board and their names are entered on the poll lists. Blanks for this purpose may be secured by writing to the city clerk or the county committee or if this cannot be done the voters may make out affidavits and send them to the county of their party.

A Little Garden.
By Emma A. Lente.

I planted me a garden,
For, oh! the spring was fair!
And roses, pinks, and heart's-ease,
And balm were there.
The garden beds were fragrant
And very good to see,
And every flower that bloomed there
Was dear to me.
The dawns made haste to view them,
The sun looked down and smiled,
The birds sang gay, and honey
The bees beguiled.
I loved my bonny garden,
And watched it day by day,
And sweetly did its beauty
My care to repay.
But one chill night a tempest
Swept down in fearful power—
The garden was a desert,
Without a flower.
Again the sun shines brightly,
The air is soft and calm—
But, oh! the ruined roses,
Heart's-ease and balm!

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN FUNDS

New York, Oct. 16.—The Democratic national committee, through Treasurer Herman Ridder, gave out an extended statement of the contributions to the Democratic national campaign fund up to and including Oct. 9, showing sums of and over $100. The statement also shows receipts and disbursements as follows:

From contributors of $100 and over	$ 90,712.33
From contributors under $100	115,355.22
From Denver convention fund	42,500
Total	$248,567.55
Amount disbursed	225,962.88
Balance on hand	$ 22,604.67

The statement, which is signed by National Chairman Mack and Treasurer Ridder, says that 343 subscribers gave $100 or more and that the smaller sums were from 25 cents up. It adds:

Fifty Thousand Contributors.

"The number of contributors to the national committee fund is estimated at about fifty thousand people and about $100,000 of the whole amount contributed came from the Democratic newspapers throughout the United States.

"It will be noticed from the foregoing statement that the cash balance is about $22,000. Supplies contracted for and undelivered, circulation of literature, the expense of headquarters in Chicago, New York and Denver and the traveling and other expense incident to our speaking campaign, now under way, will make necessary an additional $100,000 to carry our campaign to a successful issue. We are confident that the people, whom we are thus taking into our confidence, will supply us with this additional sum and we earnestly urge a prompt and generous response to this appeal."

The largest individual contribution reported by Mr. Ridder was one of $5,000 from Charles J. Hughes of Colorado. W. J. Bryan was the second largest individual contributor, he having turned in to the national treasurer $4,046 from the profits of his newspaper, the Commoner. Some of the contributors whose names appeared in the list given out last week have increased their donations, as, for instance, ex-Senator W. A. Clark of Montana and Norman E. Mack, whose names are down now for $2,000 each.

SUPPLY

Brainerd, Minn., Oct. 16.—The pulp and paper investigating committee examined the new Watauh paper mill near St. Cloud and took testimony of Superintendent Oberly, who stated that before building their plant three years ago they satisfied themselves that the pulpwood supply in Minnesota was ample for future demands, but admitted that the reproduction of spruce was practically nothing under present forestry methods in the West.

Chairman Mann collected a number of samples from the spruce wood going into the mill and will have them carefully examined to learn the ages of the trees. Some of the wood, four and five inches in diameter, appears to be over 100 years old, judging from the rings.

The committee left to go to International Falls to study the spruce forests of that section.

ECONOMY AND RAILROAD PASSES

It is possibly true that Mr. Jacobson never misses an opportunity to economize. It has even been intimated that the reason he accepted railroad passes, while stumping the state for Cole two years ago, was to lengthen out the Republican campaign fund. If this was his reason, of course it was a laudable one, from the standpoint of the Republican treasury, but it was reprehensible in him to deny it when the Democrats caught him with the goods. There is a command not to permit the left hand to become too familiar with the good works of the right, but this is not to be construed as pushing concealment to the point of mendacity.

Governor Johnson's administration has added $150,000,000 to the assessed value of iron properties for taxation, as against only $3,000,000 to the assessment of farm lands. The last Republican administration added $120,000,000 to farm land assessment and only $30,000,000 to iron mines. Mr Jacobson's position is made plain when he arraigns Governor Johnson's administration for "increasing taxes" and omits to tell the farmers whose taxes Governor Johnson raised.

Mr. Jacobson's committee is welcome to all the consolation it is getting from the state press. The number of partisan papers which are silent on the gubernatorial question is larger this year than ever before.

A girl always has a good time at a party if she has on a new dress.

COMPLETED MORSE JURY

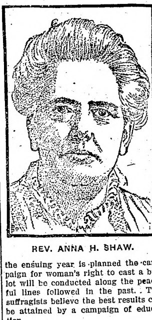
New York, Oct. 16.—The federal jury which is to try Charles W. Morse, the banker and promoter who came to grief in the panic of last year, and Alfred H. Curtis, former president of the National Bank of North America, has been completed. Immediately after the jury had been sworn Morse and Curtis pleaded not guilty to the indictments against them, which charge them with violation of the national banking laws and conspiracy, and District Attorney Stimson began his address to the jury outlining the government's case.

Outlining the charges against Mr. Morse Attorney Stimson said that Morse was a member of a pool manipulating the stock of the American Ice company and that when they reached the end of their resources they went to the National Bank of North America, of which Morse was vice president, and secured $1,200,000 of the bank's money to continue their speculation. To conceal this alleged unlawful transaction, Mr. Stimson said, fictitious loans were entered on the bank's books.

It has developed that all the witnesses for the government who are to testify at the Morse-Curtis trial are being kept under surveillance by a corps of secret service men.

SUFFRAGISTS CONVENTION

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Conservatism, but unswerving loyalty to the cause of suffrage, are the sentiments of the delegates assembled here for the fortieth annual convention of the National American Woman's Suffrage association.



REV. ANNA H. SHAW.

While extensive work with state legislatures and at Washington during the ensuing year is planned the campaign for woman's right to cast a ballot will be conducted along the peaceful lines followed in the past. The suffragists believe the best results can be attained by a campaign of education.

Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the national association, presided at the opening session of the convention.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Dr. Angel Ugarte, the minister from Honduras, called at the state department and announced to Secretary Root that he had been relieved from his post here and would go to Mexico.

Considerable interest attaches to the retirement of Dr. Ugarte. One rumor was that he had been relieved because of a misunderstanding between himself and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon. Dr. Ugarte, however, denied this, saying that he and the assistant secretary of state are the best of friends.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

There is a row on in Republican headquarters in St. Paul, friction arising over the question as to who shall have the credit for the overwhelming defeat that is coming to Candidate Jacobson in November. Why not adopt Schley's advice, "there is glory enough for all," brothers?

REACHED AN AGREEMENT

London, Oct. 16.—Great Britain, Russia and France have reached an agreement on a programme to be submitted to the other powers as a basis for discussion by the proposed European conference to settle the Balkan situation. The proposals to be laid before the powers are eight in number.

The first is to the effect that articles 1 to 22 of the treaty of Berlin, which relate to Bulgaria and Eastern Roumelia, shall be replaced by stipulations recognizing the independence of Bulgaria as at present constituted and determining the financial obligations of Bulgaria toward Turkey. New clauses probably will settle also the question of the Oriental railway.

The second and third proposals are that the powers shall take note of the annexation by Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the return of the sanjak of Novipazar to Turkey.

The fourth article relates to Crete. It replaces article 23 of the treaty of Berlin by clauses recognizing the annexation of Crete to Greece and determining the financial obligations of Greece, in respect to Crete, toward Turkey. It is understood that the four powers under whose protection Crete has been, Russia, Great Britain, France and Italy, will settle the Cretan question in concert with Turkey before referring it to the conference. It is proposed also that the second part of article 23 of the Berlin treaty, which provides special regulations for the government of other parts of European Turkey, shall cease to have force when the powers are assured that a satisfactory settlement is effected.

Same Arrangement for Armenia.

The fifth proposal is to the effect that arrangements similar to the above shall apply to the Armenian provinces of Turkey.

The sixth article deals with Montenegro. The Montenegrin rights of sovereignty are limited by article 29 of the treaty of Berlin. It is proposed that articles 26 to 33 inclusive of the Berlin treaty shall be condensed to a single article abrogating all the restrictions imposed by the treaty under the original article 29, which it is proposed to sweep away.

The seventh point in the programme is the statement that it is desirable to seek and give compensation to Servia and Montenegro by a rectification of the Bosnian and Herzegovinian frontiers adjoining Novipazar. This is taken to imply that a strip will be taken from the territory annexed by Austria-Hungary.

The eighth proposal concerns the river Danube and declares it is desirable to revise the regulations governing Danube traffic so as to give larger rights to the states bordering on the river.

The eight articles of the programme are followed by a declaration that as the new Ottoman constitution foreshadows a reorganization in conformity with the principles of other European states the powers are prepared to consider in concert with Turkey, so soon as these reforms are realized, the best means of doing away with capitulations. It is declared also that this occasion could be taken to consider the abolition of the postoffices now maintained by foreign powers in Turkey.

JAPAN READY

Tokio, Oct. 16.—All Japan is astir in anticipation of the arrival of the American battleship fleet. Yokohama and Tokio in particular are given over to enthusiastic preparation. The decorations in these cities are so extensive and general as to be remarkable, not only in Japan but in any country of the world that awaited a naval call by the fleet of another power. All the Japanese newspapers of prominence are printing editions in English, with lengthy editorials assuring the American officers and sailors of a hearty welcome by the nation.

Every available vessel in the harbor of Yokohama has been chartered to convey excursionists to meet the warships on their approach. The American ambassador and his staff will meet the fleet aboard a special steamer and the members of the American commission to the Japanese exposition will have another. A third vessel has been chartered by the delegation of Pacific coast business men which arrived here several days ago.

New York, Oct. 16.—Months of search for a gang of counterfeiters, which is alleged to have been flooding the country with spurious 10 and 25-cent pieces, was rewarded by the discovery of the counterfeiting plant in a tenement on the East Side in this city. The coins, nearly a thousand of which were found in the place, were pronounced almost perfect enough to deceive experts. There was no one in the room in which the outfit was installed when the detectives raided it. The clue to the raid was furnished by the arrest of two men in Newark, N. J.

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SENATOR SAGENG WELL PLEASED

ADDRESSED BIG GATHERING AT McINTOSH LAST EVENING

Senator Ole Sageng addressed a large and enthusiastic gathering at McIntosh last evening, and his audience evinced an enthusiasm that was really a surprise to the speaker. He arrived in Crookston this morning and took the train for St. Hilaire where he spoke this morning and later he addressed a crowd at Greenbush.

Tomorrow Senator Sageng will speak at Fisher where he will be greeted by a large audience, as he goes there by special invitation. Mr. Sageng is surprised at the cordiality with which he has been greeted in this section.

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14 DUCKS IN 4 DAYS

A VERY MUCH DISGUSTED PARTY RETURNS FROM RED LAKE RICE BEDS

NEITHER DUCKS NOR GEESE WERE FLYING — TROUBLE WITH BOAT

From Friday's Daily—

C. C. Hoch, E. D. Harris and Adolph Rauch have returned from a hunting trip up the river from Thief River Falls. They left last Saturday and were joined at High Landing by E. J. Keating and F. B. Harris who came down from their claims at Graceton to do a stunt in the hunting line.

The party was absent 4 days and in that time had less sport and more grief than was ever recorded in a similar length of time. About every 4th chug the gasoline engine broke down. First this made Adolph Rauch mad, but later he sang German songs every time the engine stopped to keep up the spirits of the balance of the crew.

One of the features of the trip was the debate between Messrs. Keating and Harris. The gesticulations are said to have been of a weird character an dbeat the old spell-binders all er and beat the old spell-binders all

The less a man understands what he's voting for the more excited he gets over the election.

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BAD PRAIRIE FIRE IS RAGING

REPORTS FROM DUGDALE STATE THAT HAYSTACKS ARE BEING WIPED OUT

BRISK WIND IS BLOWING AND THE FARMERS CANNOT STAY PROGRESS

From Thursday's Daily—

A telephone message from Dugdale this afternoon is to the effect that in the direction of Tilden and Benoit a great prairie fire is raging, many haystacks having been consumed by the flames, tho as yet no buildings have been burned. Details are lacking as neither of the latter places can be reached by telephone.

SCOTT LOOKING OVER LINE

LEFT ON SPECIAL CAR THIS MORNING TO VIEW RAIL LAYING ON G. N.

WANTS WORK HURRIED AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE FROM GREENBUSH

From Thursday's Daily—

General Manager Scott of the G. N. arrived in the city this morning and left on the Greenbush train for Roseau where today he is looking after the progress made in the rail laying on the new line from Greenbush to Warroad via Roseau.

The company desires to have the trains running over the new line at the earliest possible date. Rails will be laid into Roseau before the last of this present week, and before the first of the year the entire line will have been completed.

TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE

L. W. HILL TO INSPECT LINE AND ENJOY A BIG HUNT

L. W. Hill arrived from St. Paul this morning in his private car and continued to North Dakota. It is understood that he will proceed to Edinburgh, N. D. and inspect the new extension from that place to Concrete a branch to the Portland cement mines and from there will proceed to Landa, N. D., where he will enjoy a few days duck hunt.

DUCKS WERE NOT FLYING

This morning Dr. Wilson Randolph Bert Ruettell, A. G. Andersen and Arthur Fournet returned from a duck hunt near Shevlin where they have been for the past few days. On account of the warm weather the ducks were not flying and they returned with only 35 mallards. The duck preserves there were alright but the weather clerk acted horribly and formal complaint will be lodged with Congressman Steenerson to have that official removed. As A. G. Andersen is the local official weather observer there is some question as to what action can be taken in the premises.

Did It Ever Occur to You?

"I paid that bill once."

"You must be mistaken."

"Indeed, I am not mistaken."

"Have you a receipt?"

"It seems to me I have, but I don't remember what I did with it."

"We have no record of payment, and unless you can produce our acknowledgement in the way of a receipt, we must insist that you pay the account."

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NO ACTION TAKEN ON CO. DIV.

MEETING AT CITY HALL LAST NIGHT WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

QUESTION WAS DISCUSSED PRO AND CON BUT NO DECISION ARRIVED AT

From Thursday's Daily—

Last evening a meeting was held at the city hall to discuss the county division proposition. Capt. M. R. Brown presided and his endeavor was to secure as general an expression of opinion as was possible from those present. A large number of those present were called upon and all responded and gave their opinions, and of course there was a great divergence, some taking the stand that county division was the best thing for all concerned and others being of the opinion that it was not.

The discussion was free and full, and was devoid of any personal references and after all the speakers had had their say the sentiment was so divided that it was decided that the meeting should adjourn without action of any kind. Some of the speakers were very ardent in their advocacy of division, and others were just as earnest on the opposite side of the question, and the final result was that the meeting was adjourned without taking any action whatever.

It appears to be the general sentiment to let the matter rest with the voters independently, and that was the sentiment last evening. Many prominent residents spoke, some favoring one side of the proposition and some the other, but generally it was thought not best to take any decisive action, and that sentiment prevailed. Another meeting may be held, but it is not probable.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STATE HERE

John O. Farrie state superintendent of the American Sunday School Union arrived in the city this morning and will spend a week or ten days here with Rev. Hedegaard, who has had charge of the work of the Union in this section this year.

He will visit the various schools that have been organized in this city and vicinity, and will endeavor to get the substantial backing that is necessary to maintain the work, and there is no question but what he will get it.

BOOKS WILL BE AUDITED

The board of control of the Commercial league have closed their books for the season and those who contributed to the fund which was needed to put the grand stand and the ball park fence into shape for the coming season will want to know where the money went to. For this reason the board of control asked President T. R. Brown that an auditing committee be named and he has selected the following committee to go over the books after which a report will be published: N. S. Davies of the Press team, Mark Oseth of the Co I team, and Harry L. Falk who was conected with no team. This committee will meet some time this week, go over the books and a report will be published immediately after the books have been audited.

SOLD FARM AT $45 PER ACRE

Mrs. H. L. Ross has sold her fine farm south of the city to her brother Albert Lee for $45 per acre. This is one of the best quarter sections of land in this vicinity and is highly cultivated.

Pioneer Press, March 28, 1907: Governor Johnson is popular at home and abroad.

Governor Johnson has given to the people of Minnesota two terms as governor, of which he, as well as they, may be proud. He has met every call upon him, has risen to every emergency. At home and abroad he has reflected credit upon his state. We believe that the people recognize this fact and that they will attest it at the polls in November.

FRIENDLY TO THE QUEEN CITY

CHAS. KIEWEL RETURNS FROM AN EXTENDED TRIP TO THE NORTH

SAYS WARROAD IS A THRIVING CITY WITH A GREAT FUTURE

From Thursday's Daily—

Chas. Kiewel returned last evening via Winnipeg from a business trip to Warroad where he reports business very good. Mr. Kiewel states that the people in that direction feel very friendly toward Crookston, and will keenly appreciate the completion of the Great Northern extension from Greenbush to Warroad which has already been finished as far as Roseau.

Mr. Kiewel says that Warroad is growing rapidly and that on account of the certainty that a railroad is coming in a boom is already on, which will grow to still larger proportions in the very near future. He says Warroad is as fine a summer resort as can be found in the state, with great scenery and splendid fishing in sight.

Mr. Kiewel is of the opinion, together with every other business man that Crookston cannot exist and grow as a retail city, and can only forge ahead as a manufacturing center and jobbing city, and as such will heartily welcome all new connections such as the Greenbush extension means.

DEATH OF AN AGED RESIDENT

T. FISK, FATHER OF J. A. FISK PASSES AWAY AT THE AGE OF 74 YEARS

Mr. T. Fisk the aged father of J. A. Fisk died of a complication of ailments due to old age at the family residence of his son, Conductor Fisk East Grand Forks at 3:35 p. m. yesterday. He had been failing for some time but had been able to be up and about until within the past few days. Deceased was born at Zanesville, O. June 21, 1832 ,and was therefore 76 years of age. He had been a resident of East Grand Forks for the past nine years.

GOULD'S PANIC

New York, Oct. 16.—That Howard Gould's income was formerly $600.000 a year, but since the business depression of last year it has been reduced to $400,000, and that he has lost $300,000 this year was stated by his counsel in an argument before Justice Bischoff. These figures were given in opposing an application by Mrs. Katherine Clemmons Gould, who is suing Mr. Gould for divorce, for an increase in her alimony from $25,000 a year to $120,000. To support her application Mrs. Gould asserted that her husband's income was $600,000 a year. Delancy Nicoll, counsel for Mr. Gould, replied that while this was once true Mr. Gould says it is not so now. Mr. Nicoll also asserted that Mrs. Gould's career for many years has been one of unbridled extravagance and that last year she received from her husband $224,000.

Counsel for Mr. Gould declared that in 1906 Mr. Gould told his wife he would separate from her unless she abandoned her habits, but that Mrs. Gould declined to do so.

Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for Mrs. Gould, said that Mr. Gould had tried "to starve his wife out" of Castle Gould and had filled the house with spies who watched her every moment, compelling her to move to a hotel.

Mr. Nicoll retorted that in seven years from 1899 to 1906 Mr. Gould gave his wife $766,500 and that Mrs. Gould had saved $200,000 of it.

Decision on the increase of alimony was reserved.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Mrs. William F. Tucker, through her counsel, withdrew from court the charge of wife abandonment recently filed against her husband, Colonel William F. Tucker, U. S. A. Attorney Pearson, as the legal representative of Mrs. Tucker, stated that the case was withdrawn in the belief that Colonel Tucker is now on what will prove to be his death bed.

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DIED WHILE ON WAY HOME

WM. THYGESON PASSED AWAY SUDDENLY IN MONTANA WHILE ENROUTE EAST

HAD BEEN WEST FOR HIS HEALTH BUT EXPECTED RELIEF DID NOT COME

REMAINS WILL ARRIVE HERE TOMORROW ON THE N. P. ACCOMPANIED BY WIFE

From Friday's Daily—

C. C. Thygeson this morning received a telegram to the effect that his brother, Wm. Thygeson had died on the train near Arlee Montana yesterday while enroute home to this city. The remains were taken off at Missoula and prepared for burial and shipped east, and will arrive here on the Northern Pacific Saturday.

The funeral arrangements have not been made and nothing can be stated till several brothers have been heard from who live in the east.

Deceased was 28 years of age and leaves one son in addition to his wife. He went a west a year ago to improve his health but found no relief, his trouble being tuberculosis of the lungs.

RINGDAHL HERE ON BUSINESS

MEMBER OF STATE BOARD OF CONTROL SPENDS DAY IN CITY

Hon. P. M. Ringdahl, member of the state board of control arrived in the city last evening and is spending the day in the city looking after his property interests here and left this afternoon on the Northern Pacific for St. Paul. He had some repairs to make on his residence here and looked after other interests.

Mr. Ringdahl refused to talk politics at all but there was a twinkle in his eye which indicated that he knew a few things had he desired to speak.

EASTERN TROUBLE

Seoul, Korea, Oct. 16.—Serious complications affecting the peace of China and Japan threaten as the result of an engagement between Chinese and Japanese troops at Kantab, Northern Korea, in which several were killed or wounded. The refusal of the Chinese war office to permit the pursuit of a detachment of soldiers, who are said to have been the aggressors, may result in the crossing of the frontier by Japanese troops.

Chinese soldiery are reported to have opened hostilities by firing upon a police station occupied by the Japanese troops, who were sent into Kantao as a guard for the Koreans resident there. The fighting that ensued lasted several hours and while the exact number of casualties is not obtainable there were a number killed or wounded. The commander of the Japanese garrison immediately called upon China for permission to cross the frontier into Chinese territory and pursue the assailants, who appear to have been worsted in the engagement. The request was refused by the war office.

The Japanese foreign office has made representations to the government at Peking and the situation is beginning to assume a serious aspect. It is intimated that unless China takes prompt action satisfactory to the Japanese government the latter may take the initiative and cross the frontier in order to afford protection to the Koreans.

RECORDS AND RECORDS.

Mr. Jacobson proclaims that he expects to make his campaign for the governorship on his public record, and we suppose he has some idea of being elected. It is evident that he gives the public credit for a different brand of discrimination than that possessed by the convention which nominated him. It will be remembered that Attorney General E. T. Young was a candidate before that convention—on his record—and it was a good record—one not needing posthumous statements to bring it down to date, and he was overwhelmingly defeated because of that record, and Mr. Jacobson, with his musty, worm-eaten record of a bygone day, was chosen instead. Honest, now, isn't he expecting a good deal of the people, all the circumstances being taken into consideration?

The man who fails to make good always claims he didn't have a fair chance.

AFFLICTIONS COME VERY THICK

FELIX BEAUCHENE LEAVES THE FIELD TO FIND MANY CALAMITIES

CHILD FOUND DEAD IN A TUB OF SOAP SUDS AND HIS WIFE ILL

WENT TO HOUSE BECAUSE HIS HORSE THAT WAS DRIVING WAS ILL

From Friday's Daily—

The old saying is that troubles never come singly and Felix Beauchene a well known farmer who resides northeast of Huot is certainly of this opinion now. Yesterday he was plowing when one of the horses he was driving took suddenly ill with the colic. He hurried to the house to secure some medicine and when he reached the house found his wife critically ill and a little child, one year of age was found dead, having drowned in a tub of water.

A physician was hurriedly sent for but the little child was dead and nothing could be done for it.

GREAT HURRAH AT ANGUS

FINE NEW SCHOOL COMPLETED AND BELL HUNG TUESDAY MORNING

Angus has now one of the finest school buildings in the county. Contractor Will Walker returned last evening after the finishing touches had been put on. The new bell was hung Tuesday and practically the entire population of the town was out and as the bell was put in place Messrs J. F. Montgomery and W. Lemen led the shouting brigade and the hurrahs could be heard as far as Euclid, Drs. Dryden and Chapin both being aroused from their beds prepared for an emergency call.

DEATH OF MRS. O. CAPISTRAN

This morning at 12:30 Mrs. O. Capistran breathed her last at the farm home northwest of the city, aged 70 years. She had been ill since the first of the year and death was due to old age and complicatons connected therewith. She leaves a husband seven sons and two daughters, all of whom live in this vicinity with the exception of one son who is in Canada, the daughters being Mrs. Demerais and Mrs. Brouillard. The funeral will be held Saturday from St. Annes church. Deceased had been a resident of this section for the past 25 years.

DUG 3,800 BU. FINE POTATOES

G. Spokely father of J. G. Spokely of this city, has completed the harvest of his potato crop this fall, and had a total crop of 3800 bushels which he sold for 55 cents per bushel. He saved 1100 bushels for seed, and next year will sow 150 acres, as the crop is not only a profitable one, but the cultivation of the land makes a great crop the year following year certain.

APPLICATION WITHDRAWN

Alphonse Lalonde formerly on the police force of this city, who had an application filed for the position of janitor of the city hall, today withdrew the application as he has decided to take a trip west soon, where he will probably locate permanently.

Never judge people by their clothes Even a poorly dressed man may not be a millionaire.

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JOHNSON RALLY GREAT SUCCESS

John A. Johnson
THE NEXT GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA

From Tuesday's Daily—

Gov. John A. Johnson appeared in Crookston last evening as scheduled and had the Auditorium been twice as large, it would not have been large enough to have taken care of the people who were anxious to hear him.

His address, punctuated with oratory in places which created the wild est enthusiasm, was mostly a business like talk regarding conditions existing in the state at the present time, what had been done during his two terms as governor, what J. F. Jacobson had done in the past, what he promised in the future, and what the people of Minnesota might expect of him in view of the fact that he was nominated by the United States Steel Corporation without any question, with the other corporate interests of not only the state but the entire country doing all they could for him.

A Splendid Effort

State Committeeman Martin O'-Brien presided at the meeting and seated on the platform were the candidates for county office and for state representative together with the members of the county central committee. It is impossible to give the address of Governor Johnson in full but we will give the following extracts in order that the readers of the Journal may get some idea of the stand the governor is taking and on what grounds he is asking their support on the 3rd day of next November:

Four years ago I was nominated by the Democratic party for the office of governor of Minnesota, and that choice was ratified by the people of the state. After an adminstration of two years I was again nominated for this exalted position, and in the succeeding election this nomination was ratified by the greatest non-partisan victory in the history of American politics. Again I have been nominated and for the third time appear as a candidate for the office of governor.

Came Onsought

I think no one will dispute me when I say that this nomination came to me unsought. I can go further and say that it came despite my emphatic protest. I felt that the people of Minnesota had greatly honored me and I had no desire to appeal to them for another term. However, the convention unanimously nominated me and adjourned without giving me an opportunity to decline the nomination, leaving me with no alternative other than to accept the result and abide by the verdict of the convention.

An Important Campaign

We are now in the midst of one of the most momentous political campaigns in the history of our country, made so by reason of new political alignments, by reason of differences in the various political organizations and because of the peculiar situation with regard to platforms and candidates. **The Democracy of the nation and state come to you in this campaign with platforms and candidates which need no apology.** As a matter of fact, we come to you with a national platform and candidates which, in our judgment, challenge comparisons.

Political Parties Necessary

It will not be my purpose on this occasion to discuss national questions, other than to say that in my judgment political organizations are necessary vehicles to good government in the nation. I believe that every citizen ought to identify himself with one or the other of the political organizations of the country; not because others have done so; not because this or that organization may be more popular or more safely entrenched in power than the other; but because political organizations give to him the opportunity to express his ideals of government as he can express them in no other way.

Later during this address I shall give a summary of the account of my stewardship as governor of the State of Minnesota. Before I proceed to the details of that stewardship I wish to pay my respects somewhat briefly to the opening address of my opponent in this campaign, Mr. J. F. Jacobson, delivered in the city of Duluth, on Thursday, August 6th, last.

Mr. Jacobson for many years was a member of the legislature from Lac qui Parle county. For many years he was regarded by the people of Minnesota as an able and fearless champion of the rights of the common people. Subsequent to his career as a legislator he became a candidate for the office of state auditor. It was his contention, and the contention of his friends after his defeat for the nomination, that he was defeated for nomination at the Republican state convention by the interests who had been affected by his legislative actions. Two years ago he was a candidate for the nomination within the Republican party for the office of governor. It was his contention thruout that entire campaign that he was defeated again by the predatory wealth of the state and by the liquor, lumber, iron and railroad interests of Minnesota.

Why the Change?

Again he became a candidate for this exalted position. Great changes seem to have taken place in Minnesota during the past two years. Where two years ago Mr. Jacobson's candidacy was opposed by these interests, as he himself declared in his advocacy of the election of his successful opponent, whose nomination he charged was brought about by the very interests which had defeated him, it is now generally charged and **almost universally conceded that the very interests which defeated him for nomination to the offices of state auditor and governor brought about and secured his nomination in the recent Republican state convention.**

Color is lent to this charge by the fact that thruout the entire season, and up to the time of the preparation of this address, Mr. Jacobson has never raised his voice in favor of the interests of the people in any of the great issues which now engross the attention of the public. In his speech at Duluth he was painfully silent upon the question of railroad regulation; painfully silent upon the question of timber trespass; painfully silent upon the question of taxation, of great interest in this state.

The Steel Trust

As a matter of fact, at that particular meeting in the city of Duluth, **Mr. Jacobson was surrounded by the representatives of the great steel corporation, who joined in predicting his election as governor.** In the presence of that peculiar hospitality he never raised his voice in the matter of taxation of the great iron properties of the state of Minnesota. As a matter of fact, his only reference to that great section and to those great interests was when he said:

"There has been a suspicion that I have been unfriendly to Duluth. It has been stated that I have said that Duluth has been receiving to much and that I would not give it anything. This is a great city and the entire state is proud of it; the western part of the state is proud of Duluth and glories in its increases and prosperity and wants to see it succeed and become a second Chicago."

Was He Converted?

How different are these utterances from the resonant, reverbrating tones which proceeded from Mr. Jacobson as member of the House of Representatives! Why this wonderful change in this man, who now desires to be governor of the great state of Minnesota, and asks the people, the voters generally of Minnesota, to take him into their confidence and honor him with their suffrages in this campaign?

In my judgment the key to the situation is in the fact that Mr. E. T. Young, Attorney General of this state was one of the leading candidates for that nomination. During his three and a half years of official service in that office there has been the most complete co-operation between himeslf and myself as governor of this state. We were in perfect harmony in the prosecution and collection of damages for timber trespasses in Minnesota; we had insisted upon the collection of back taxes from railroads; we had insisted on a better system of taxation of the iron mines.

Opposed to Young

It was only natural that the great predatory interests of Minnesota should recognize the service of Mr. Young, as attorney general, in behalf of the people, and that he should have earned their enmity. It is also natural that they should have turned to any many with whom they might make terms of peace, even tho obliged to surrender some things which they held dear. And it is because of this, possibly, that Mr. Young himself has declared that the great interests of Minnesota were fighting, not only for his defeat, but for the nomiation of his leading competitor.

Bob Dunn Dictator

And yet, Mr. Jacobson, the candidate selected by Mr. Robert C. Dunn, was finally unanimously nominated by that convention. **He must be the man who answers the description given by Mr. Young in his most terrific arraignment and indictment.** I leave it to the people of the state of Minnesota who have twice voted for Mr. Young as attorney general, and who certainly are satisfied with the record he has maintained in his office, whether he, for any personal reason would have made a statement of this kind if he did not believe and did not know it to be true.

Assisted by Legislature

But, as a matter of history and fact notwithstanding my election as a Democrat and the election of a legislature Republican in both branches, I doubt if any governor in the fifty years of this state's organization has received on the whole a more substantial co-operation on the part of the legislature, or had a larger number of his recommendations enacted into law, than I have had during the past four years at the hands of the members of the sessions of 1905 and 1907. Moreover, so far as the achievement of practical results is concerned **no legislature in the history of Minnesota has enacted into law as many vital reforms, or placed upon the statute-book as many important measures of constructive statesmanship, as the legislatures of 1905 and 1907 during the administration of a democratic governor.** If my worthy opponent, furthermore, knows of any legislature of which he has been a member, that that has been more free from the influence of lobbyists, more divorced from the control of special interests, more devoted to the protection of the highest public welfare, or has done more for state institutions and the state's general development, than the two legislatures with whom I have shared a divided responsibility during the past four years, I challenge him to name it.

Accepts Challenge

But, inasmuch as Mr. Jacobson is looking for Democratic shoulders upon which to lay his charges, and claims that all of the alleged bad results have arisen in the state 'since it fell under Democratic government," I cheerfully accept the challenge and am here to meet the issue. Not only do I deny the charge of general and undue extravagance on the several branches of the state government during the past four years, but I am prepared to justify the claim that in no other four-year period of its history has the state government of Minnesota made a finer record from the standpoint of the public income and investment, of the public revenue and expenditure, of the protection and management of public property, of the handling and security of the public funds, of the development and administration of public instititutions, of public control and supervision over private corporations, from the standpoint of the public peace, health, morals and enforcement of laws, or from that of conserving and developing the state's resources and advancing its general welfare.

People Will Uphold It

Before leaving this subject I wish to call attention to a few of the extraordinary items of appropriation by this alleged extravagant legislature:

Thirty thousand dollars for the purpose of paying claims against the state for diseased animals, killed under direction of the Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Fourteen thousand dollars for the Board of Regents of the University, to provide for care and treatment of crippled and deformed children.

Thirty thousand dollars for the drainage of swampy and marshy lands of the state.

Twenty-five thousand dollars for the erection of a monument raised in honor of the Union soldiers who gave their lives during the siege of Vicksburg.

Fourteen thousand dollars additional to the state and county agricultural societies.

Fifty thousand dollars for additional payments for new state high schools, which had not received the sum of fifteen hundred dollars in previous years.

Twenty thousand dollars for additional legislative expenses.

Three hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the main building of the state university which had been destroyed by fire.

Fifty thousand dollars for Board of Control for the purchase of additional lands needed by state institutions.

A Building for Farmers

Fifteen thousand dollars for school building at the agricultural station at Crookston.

Seventy-five thousand dollars for a new building for the accommodation of ex-soldiers, sailors and marines, with their wives and widows and mothers, as provided by law.

Fifty thousand dollars, for a live stock amphitheatre at the State Agricultural Society for the benefit of the agricultural industry of this state.

Is there a man in Minnesota who disapproves of one of these appropriations by this legislature? Is there a man in this audience who would criticise the members of the legislature for making any one of these extraordinary appropriations I leave the matter with you.

Principles Fulfilled

In 1904 and 1906 you saw fit to elect a legislature that was Republican in both bodies to serve in conjunction with a Democratic executive. In my inaugural address to that legisature I referred to the fact that as your legislative and executive servants we were chosen by the same people to serve the same cause, and that our labors were, therefore, dedicated to one and the same purpose, to carry out your will for the moral, educational, civic and material advancement of this commonwealth.

What Was Done

On that platform, the following measures recommended by me in whole or in part, and introduced and supported by legislative members regardless of party lines, were adopted and approved and made part of the law of this state as embodied in the general statutes of 1907:

Constitutional Tax Amendment

The re-submission of the constitutional tax amendment extending the powers of the legislature so as to enable the state to adopt the most modern and up-to-date measures of taxation especially to reach these classes of corporate and other property which now escape in large measure their just share of taxes—an amendment which you have the opportunity to endorse with your ballots in this election.

The Tax Commission

The creation of a permanent tax commission to make a thoro and scientific investigation of tax and assessment laws and conditions in this state, to make a thoro and just revaluation of properties now only in part or unequally assessed for taxation, to co-operate with local assessors, equalization boards and taxation ocers, with a view to securing equality, justice and efficiency of assessment and taxation as between the different counties, towns, industries, and property classes, the compilation of all our existing tax laws with recommendations for future taxation reforms, and the general supervision and enforcement of our laws for assessment and taxation.

The submission to you of a constitutional amendment establishing the road and bridge fund and authorizing the legislature to levy an annual tax for constructing and improving roads and bridges in this state.

Taxation of mortgages by a just and effective method known as the mortgage registry law.

Railway Taxation

Taxation of sleeping car companies which had hitherto almost entirely escaped taxation, by a four per cent tax on their gross earnings.

A similar law for the just and effective taxation of freight line companies.

A law forbidding railroad and other transportation passes, and telephone, telegraph and express company franks or other specitl privileges and reductions in price not accorded to the general public and providing for the enforcement of this law by proper penalties of fine and imprisonment.

Two Cent Rate

A maximum passenger rate of two cents per mile upon all railways in this state, making a saving of millions of dollars annually to ih epeople.

The classification and reduction of freight rates on staple commodities, such as grain, lumber, livestock, coal and like products which constitute the great bulk of railroad tonnage; the act adopting such reduction of freight rates being now in contest between the state and the railroad companies in the state and federal courts.

Reciprocal Demurrage

A reciprocal demurrage law requiring railroads to furnish cars without discrimination and providing for penalties to be paid by the carrier to the shipper for delays in delivering and forwarding cars.

A law making the orders of the State railroad and warehouse commission in regard to rates legally effective prima facie subject to appeal.

Who Pays Taxes?

To put the comparison in somewhat different form, assessed land values in the iron range counties were raised during three years of Democratic administration $144,000,000 compared with $42,000,000 during three years of Republican administration—a difference of over $100,000,000 in favor of Democratic administration in making iron ore and steel interests pay their share of public taxes; and again, taxable land values in the eighty-three agricultural counties were raised by Democratic administration, a difference of $115,000,000 against Republican action for increasing the taxes on agricultural property which already bore more than its proportionate share of the tax burden.

The Difference

On the $190,000,000 valuation that iron ore and steel interests pay into the state treasury $661,200 of taxes this year, as comared with $114,600 under the valuation of four years ago Here is a net increase of over one half million dollars of state revenue brought in to the treasury within four short years from this one source. Thus is the greater part of that ten cents per capita extra, charged to "Democratic government" and "divided responsibility" wiped out in one fell swoop.

Repudiate La Follette

It is my judgment that there never has been in the history of American politics so wide a division in the matter of political declarations as that which exists between those of the Chicago and Denver conventions. I am quite satisfied in my own mind that the study of these platforms will mean converts to the cause of Democracy generally. The great difference between the two was most decidedly emphasized by the attempt of Senator La Follette of Wisconsin in furtherance of his presidential candidacy, to give the American people a platform proposed by Mr. Cooper in that convention which declared for the rights of the people of the great North west and Middle West, yes, the people of the nation, as arrayed against the predatory interests of the country. The humiliating spectacle of the almost unanimous refusal to accept and grant any of the propositions offered by Mr. La Follette illustrates the wide difference between the Chicago platform and the interests of the people of America.

Bryan

In contra-distinction to that platform adopted, we ask you to consider the platform adopted by the Democratic party at Denver—a platform which has not been challenged successfully by any of the great newspaper organs of the opposition; and, proud as we are of our platform, we come to you with just as much pride in our national leader—Hon. William J. Bryan. You must admit the purity of his life, the earnestness of his purpose and the dominant fact that he has stood for what he believes to be for the good of the masses generally

Every Promise Fulfilled

But it is not my purpose to discuss national questions upon this occasion I am before you as a candidate for a state office, as I have been in two preceding campaigns I made certain pledges to the people of the State of Minnesota. I promised that if elected I should establish, if possible, the majesty of the law in this state. It gives me a great deal of pleasure on this occasion to be able to say that today, in every department of the state government, the only rule of conduct is the rule of the law laid down by the representatives of the people in their legislative assemblies. We promised you a better system of business methods than had been in vogue in this state in the past. We come to you now, proud of the fact that there has been much improvement in our business conditions in the state. In brief we have fulfilled every promise we made, and we have kept faith with the people.

Notes of the Rally

H. L. Hanson, the democratic candidate for county treasurer was one of the enthusiastic listeners at the great gathering at the Auditorium last evening.

Mayor Dunlevy of East Grand Forks came over last evening and attended the rally last evening. He went home this morning and declared the meeting the best he had ever attended.

Officer Hugh Quigley of East Grand Forks was among the outsiders here for the Democratic rally and the banquet last evening. He says that Gov Johnson is without doubt the greatest speaker in the state. He thinks he made a great number of votes by his address last evening, and every one else is of the same opinion.

The Young Men's Johnson Club of Crookston had intended to occupy reserved seats at the Auditorium last evening, but when they saw the demand for seats they very generously gave way and left the seats to others who, in many instances, had never had an opportunity to hear Governor Johnson.

W. W. Brown, candidate for the legislature on the Democratic ticket accompanied Gov. Johnson on his trip thru eastern Polk county yesterday and attended the meeting last evening. At the conclusion of the meeting he was the most enthusiastic man present, barring a few old line republicans who were so enthusiastic that they could hardly keep their seats. We might mention a few names but perhaps we had better not. They will vote right however.

TESTED AND PROVEN

There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend upon a Well-earned Reputation

For months Crookston readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

A. A. Olds, painter of 239 Ash street Crookston, Minn., says: "The statement I made in 1898 recommending Doan's Kidney Pills was true in every particular and I am pleased to confirm it not. As I stated at that times I had doctored and used medicines without number for kidney trouble, but found little benefit. I was suffering continually from backache and other symptoms of disordered kidneys, but Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Wallace's Pharmacy relieved me where everything else failed. They practically eradicated my trouble, and in spite of the fact that my occupation causes more or less strain in the back I have had very little kidney trouble since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents fo rthe United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Even when the unexpected happens there is always some fellow around to say: "I told you so."

A Feminine Mistake

The greatest mistake a woman makes is that she is not jolly enough. She makes too serious a business of life. Men stop in the midst of the gravest perplexities to have a hearty laugh. For some reason women cannot do this and they fade early. The best thing to preserve youth and beauty is the daily use of a good malt tonic, such as golden grain belt beer. Taken at mealtime it will aid digestion, stimulate the nerves and make rich, red blood. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Historical Society

Birthday

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS BIRTH IS PASSED QUIETLY AT HOME

MANY CONGRAT'LATIONS

FOREIGN RULERS AND REPRESENTATIVES SEND TELEGRAMS TO TEDDY

TOOK HIS USUAL RIDE

KING EDWARD, GOV. HUGHES AND ARCHBISHOP IRELAND ALL SENT MESSAGES

Many Floral Tributes Sent to the White House—President Spent the Afternoon on Horseback—No Guests at the Family Dinner—Only One Delegation Received

Washington, D. C., Oct. 28—President Roosevelt observed his fiftieth anniversary today very simply. He attended to the executive duty as usual and except for the receptio nof a delegation from the Hungarian Republican club of New York in the east room of the White House, and the receipt of a large number of congratulatory messages some floral tributes and gifts from members of his family the day was the same to him as any other day.

Late in the afternoon the president donned his khaiki riding uniform and rough rider hat and went for a horse back ride, remaining out until six p. m. There was a jolly family dinner at the White House this evening in honor of the president's anniversary A number of guests were present.

Among those who sent congratulatory messages were: King Edward, Governor Hughes, Archbishop Ireland Whitelaw Reid, Karl Bueuzand and others.

With Tom Shevlin and Frank Kellogg boosting him, and Jim Hill financing the G. O. P., how could you expect "Jake" to discuss timber trespass, taxation of iron mines, or reduction of railroad rates?

STATUE OF HARRISON

HANDSOME BRONZE MONUMENT WAS UNVEILED BY VICE PRESIDENT

HONOR IS PAID TO THE MEMORY OF FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE U. S. A.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 28—The tribute of his home was paid to General Benjamin Harrison today. The memory of Indiana's distinguished son, soldier, statesman and president of the United States, was honored in a way to be remembered by the thousands of citizens who gathered, despite the cold, to witness the unveiling of the striking bronze likeness of therr former fellow townsman.

Vice President Fairbanks who is president of the General Harrison Memorial association, in a few remarks, presented the monument to the people.

Washington, Oct. 27.—The supreme court of the United States has fixed Jan. 4 as the date for hearing the argument in the commodities clause case and gave directions for the consolidation into one of all the twelve cases for the purposes of argument. The cases involved the constitutionality of the clause of the Hepburn rate law prohibiting railroad companies from carrying commodities of their own production and all the roads affected by this action are owners of anthracite coal mines in Pennsylvania, the products of which they would be prohibited from transporting if the law should be held to be constitutional.

ALL CO-OPERATE TO ADVERTISE MINN.

Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs Receives Encouragement From All

Directions In Effort To Secure Annual Appropriation Of $100,000 To Advertise State.

St. Paul, Oct. 28—From all parts of Minnesota co-operation and substantial encouragement is being shown the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs of Which D. M. Neill of Red Wing is president, in the campaign just announced for the increase of the states advertising appropriation to $100,000 each year and an active and energetic movement to interest the world in Minnesota's vacant farm lands, undeveloped resources and wonderful tourist and summer attractions. Immediately after election the campaign will be pressed and the Federation will make a strong show of facts before the next legislature in support of its contention that until Minnesota does what the Canadian land firms and the Canadian government have done to attractt settlers it will continue to be a state of magnificent resources, but with but 34 per cent of its farm land settled.

Offers have been received from several members of the legislature of their services in introducing the proper legislation to increase the state's advertising work. This year the state, 84,000 square miles in extent, is spending $12,500 for this work out of which must be paid salaries and office expenses, with these meagre funds the state has come into touch with 60,000 people in other parts of the United States and foreign countries who are interested in Minnesota.

But much of the enormous value of this work is to be utterly lost before spring because of the fact that if the state is to secure these people as settlers it will be necessary to actively correspond with them, writing them letters and sending them literature, until they have made up their minds to come. To do this is an impossibility. There is not money enough in the state advertising fund to pay the $1,200 in two cent postage required to mail each man a personal letter urging him to come to Minnesota and enjoy life in a rich and prosperous country. For the lack of two- cent stamps Minnesota loses the opportunity of securing hundreds and possibly several thousands of settlers who are already interested but need more information and argument to convince them.

This situation is considered by the Federation to be most serious, and one which requires immediate action if Minnesota is to rank with Texas, Canada, or even North Dakota, in the minds of eastern farmers seeking new homes. The officers of the Federation practically all of whom reside in rural communities, believe that if the state will spend the proper amount of money in a businesslike campaign under conservative and economical supervision, Minnesota can be made to rank with Texas, Canada and other regions now receiving the benefit of a tremendous immigration.

The Canadian government appropriates $1,000,000 a year to promote western Canadian lands and the land firms expend an additional $500,000. These facts in the minds of the officers of the Federation, explain why thousands of Minnesota farmers have removed from the state to Canada. and why thousands upon thousands of others have travelled the length of Minnesota season after season, passing Minnesota land by and settling on land not better and often not as good 1,000 miles further from American commercial centers.

POWDER

A TOLEDO POLICEMAN DISTINGUISHES HIMSELF AT GROCERY STORE BLAZE

CARRIED TWO KEGS OF GUN POWDER THRU FLAMES TO THE STREET

Toledo, Oct. 28—During the progress of a $500,000 fire that destroyed the property of R. A. Bartley, Toledo's pioneer wholesale grocer, Patrolman Del Dain distinguished himself by carrying two kegs of gunpowder thru the flames out to the street. The fire started from a storage room for matches. Bartley's loss on stock is $300,000 half insured.

BEMIDJI EXCHANGE IN GOOD SHAPE

MANY IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING MADE THERE BY THE NORTHWESTERN

Yesterday Asst. General Manager Lane of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co. and Manager Frank Bracelin of the Crookston Exchange visited the Bemidji exchange to look over the many improvements being made there. They found the work progressing nicely and every thing connected with the exchange in good shape.

They returned last evening and Mr. Lane is spending today in Crookston looking over the local exchange.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

JACOBSON'S ATTITUDE TO THE OLD SOLDIERS

He Persists In Standing On His Record So A Few Things He Did Are Published. Certainly Loved The Old Veterans.

Candidate Jacobson persists in standing on his record. His position in opposition to all measures calculated to show the state's appreciation of the services rendered to the country by the members of the G. A. R. was ever the same.

He even lacks that patriotism which should ever be advanced by persons holding the position of chief executive of a state, as will be seen by a review of the records on the following bills:

February 6, 1895, House Journal 127 H. F. 223: A bill for an act to make the twelfth day of February (Lincoln's birthday) a legal holiday.

Mr. Jacobson voted No on this bill.

April 22, 1889, Page 1238, S. F. 644: A bill for an act to authorize the county commissioners of the several counties of this state to appropriate money to erect a soldiers' monument or memorial hall in the respective counties.

Mr. Jacobson voted No on this bill.

As a member of the committee on appropriations, he voted to report for indefinite postponement on March 26, 1895, H. F. 568, introduced by Mr. Gibbs: A bill for an act to provide transportation for the surviving members of the First and Second regiments of the Minnesota volunteers to the battlefields of Gettysburg and Chickamauga.

April 9, 1897, House Journal Page 954, H. F. 719: A bill for an act for the relief of George W. Wetherall, a veteran of the late war who was seriously and permanently injured by being run down by a trolley car while in attendance at the national encampment held in St. Paul last September.

The above was a bill to aid an old soldier, who was injured at the time of the holding of the national encampment in St. Paul in 1896 and who was totally disabled as a result of said accident.

Mr. Jacobson voted and talked bitterly against the passage of the bill.

March 25, 1901, House Journal 684 S. F. 53: A bill for the relief of John C. Devereux, be it enacted by the legislature of the state of Minnesota:

Section 1. That there shall be allowed and paid to John C. Devereux out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full of all claim he has against the state of Minnesota for service as drill master and teacher of a military school at Fort Snelling, between the sixth day of July, 1861, and the fifteenth day of October 1861—four hundred and ninety-five dollars, being compensation at the rate of $5 per day in fulfillment of a special agreement made by the adjutant general of Minnesota, at the time he entered upon performance of said services.

The bill was passed March 25, 1901 by a vote of 63 to 2, Mr. Jacobson being one of the members voting against the measure. This is in accordance with his whole legislative career in the matter relating to members of the National Guard or veterans of the Civil and Spanish-American wars.

BODY FOUND

EVIDENTLY A CASE OF ACCIDENT —MAN'S NECK BROKEN BY FALL

BODY WAS FOUND NEAR PLACE HIS COMPANION DIED—WAS FOUND YESTERDAY

Green River, Hot Springs, Wash., Oct. 28—Lying face downward beside a fallen tree about 1½ miles from the spot where the body of his companion Julius Kumle was found Sunday, the body of Fred W. Koeber was discovered this afternoon on Rooster Combrang.

The position of the body indicated that he had stumbled over a log and in doing so struck his head on a fir tree breaking his neck.

STRAW VOTE AT AN AUCTION

BRYAN POLLED A BIG VOTE YESTERDAY NEAR HALSTAD

H. A. Jordahl the well known traveling man of this city returned this morning from Halstad, where yesterday he attended an auction sale four miles north of Halstad. There was a big crowd of farmers present and a straw vote was taken on the national candidates with the following result:

Bryan	49.
Taft	42.
Chafin	16.
Debs	13.
Hisgen	1.

Every time a woman gets sick she wonders if she will look well as a corpse.

Started

FIRST TRIP OF FARMERS' UPLIFT COMMISSION IS PLANNED OUT

MAKE ROUND COUNTRY

FIRST HEARING WILL BE AT THE MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

TO COME WEST LATER

EXPECT TO MEET MASTER OF THE RANGERS AND INSTITUTE LEADERS

Final Hearing Will be Held in Washington, December 18—Commission Expects to Accomplish Much on Contemplated Trip—Include All the Middle Western States

Ithaca, N. Y., Oct. 28—The itinerary of the first trip of President Roosevelt's farmers uplift commission was announced by Chairman Liberty Hyde Bailey who has been planning for the investigation of a farmers' life in this country. The commission will hold its first hearing at the agricultural college of Maryland on November 6th. The party will then go south and the next ten days will be spent in hearings in the states south of Washington and east of the Mississippi river.

The commission will be in Washington on Nov. 16th and 17th. There the commissioners will meet masters of the state granges and the farmers institute workers of the United States on Nov. 16th. The next day they will meet with the delegates of the association of colleges and experiment stations. On the night of November 17 the party will leave for the southwest swinging up thru Arizona and into California. The northern and southern states of the Rocky Mountain group will be covered. The trip back across the country will embrace hearings in all the states of the middlewest. The party will return for a final hearing in Washington on December 18th

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GAS FUMES DEADLY

MEXICAN LABORERS DROP DEAD IN THEIR TRACKS FROM PECULIAR CAUSE

EXTINGUISHMENT OF FIRES PROVE TO BE POOR MOVE FOR THE MINERS

New Orleans, Oct. 28—Deadly fumes from Mexico's great oil well fire sixty miles from Tampico have killed more than a score of workmen during the past few days and caused thousands of dollars damage to the ranches and other neighboring interests, according to Capt. Michael Henrichsen of steam ship City of Mexico, which reached New Orleans last night. American mine owners after spending more than a million dollars, finally succeeded in extinguishing the blaze, but even greater terrors than before prevailed. When the fire was stopped gases burst forth. Laborers inhaling a bit of the stuff dropped dead in their tracks. Owners of the well have appealed to the Mexican government and several companies of soldiers have been sent to the scene.

Fined for "Hollering" for Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 27.—John T. Kent, a prominent local Democratic politician formerly employed on Mr. Bryan's paper, was fined $25 and costs in police court for "hollering" for Bryan. Technically Kent was charged with disturbing the peace and with disorderly conduct. The complainants in the case were six members of the G. A. R. drum corps.

THE OWNERSHIP OF LOTS TO BE DECIDED

ENGINEER J. E. CARROLL HAS COMPLETED THE SURVEY OF THE MANUFACTURING SITE PURCHASED BY THE PUBLIC SPIRITED MEN OF CROOKSTON, AND THE OWNERSHIP OF THE LOTS WILL BE DECIDED NEXT FRIDAY EVENING, AND PRIOR TO THE DRAWING A BUSINESS MEN'S SUPPER WILL BE HELD AND THE EVENING WILL BRING FORTH SOME IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS

From Friday's Daily—

The manufacturing site plat is now ready and next week the great event of the year, the drawing of lots, will take place.

Engineer Carroll who has surveyed the site and has done the platting, announced today that he would have the work entirely completed and ready for submission to the 25,000 Commercial club at any date next week selected by that organization.

In accordance with this statement the committee appointed at a recent meeting of the board of directors of the club to make arrangements for a meeting at which the drawing is to take place, has set the date as Friday evening, October 30.

Planning a Big Time

The committee is taking up its work with the idea of making the event one of the greatest importance for the city of Crookston from a public standpoint and it is expected that influences will be set in motion that evening which will result in bringing to the municipality great benefits.

The meeting will be primarily a get-together function. Every business man and every citizen will be given an invitation to attend the exercises, whether he is a member of the club or not, and it is felt that the greatest interest should be manifested in the occasion. It will afford an opportunity for the business men to become better acquainted with one another and get a better insight into the views of one another. Every citizen should not hesitate a moment but should at once make note of the date and see to it that nothing is permitted to prevent him from attending this meeting and participating in this event that will mark a new era in the onward march of the city of Crookston.

Will Start with Supper.

The committee is planning to have the program for the evening start with a business man's supper. The services of some clever hostesses have been secured and there is every assurance that a banquet will be spread which will tempt the appetites of the most fastidious and make envious the most pronounced epicurean. The menu cannot be announced at this time, but previous to the date, the public will be taken into the secret and then there will be a scramble for tickets that will pack the tables with progressive and public spirited citizens.

The banquet hall cannot be announced until next week, as the committee is having just a little difficulty in securing a room large enough to take care of the numbers who will desire to participate in the event. A decision has almost been arrived at however and as soon as the full arrangements have been made the public will also be taken into the confidence of the committee on this point.

Will be a Civic Uplift

The program that is being planned will have on it a number of short talks by the progressive business and professional men of the city. The idea is to have as many as possible participate in the program in the short period that is to be devoted to the talks The subjects that will be selected will all bear upon the future welfare of the city and will be of great interest to every citizen. There is not a citizen who will not be able to learn something by attending this meeting and there is no doubt but that things will be started which will result in great good for the city.

Besides the talks there will be a number of musical selections by well known local soloists of merit. The musical program will be of sufficient pretensions alone to make the evening pass most enjoyably and the committee is making plans and preparations to entertain the citizens of Crookston with something entirely beyond the ordinary. The citizen who does not take advantage of the opportunity offered him to have both an enjoyable and profitable evening will regret it.

Central Object of Event

Of course the central object of the meeting, the principle thing for the calling together of the citizens, is the drawing of lots in the site which was purchased last fall by the public spirited citizens of the municipality. It will be remembered that a considerable number of lots were subscribed for by the people of the city, the funds thus received being used to purchase the site. The lots were sold for a price which permitted of the purchase of the eighty acre tract, just outside the city limits in the town of Lowell. A little over 20 acres of the tract has been platted into building lots and the citizens who subscribed will be given the opportunity of drawing the lots.

The drawing will be under the direction of the Crookston Improvement Association, a corporation formed under the laws of the state by five members of the commercial club, Messrs. J. P. Foote, J. W. Wheeler, A. D. Stephens, L. D. Foskett and Sam Rosenthal. These five men were designated as a "holding" committee. Thru them the tract was purchased and they will administer the business of the site and attend to all the details in connection therewith. The sixty acres left after the lots that will be drawn next Friday evening have been regularly and legally deeded to the subscribers, will be held by this committee or corporation, for the benefit of the club. A portion of this acreage will be subdivided into lots for free manufacturing sites.

It is not known at the present time just what form the drawing will take as the association has not as yet signified. There is no question however but that each subscriber will be treated alike and luck alone will be a factor in the disposition of the lots. There is no doubt but that this portion of the evening's program will prove most exciting and will develop all the interest present at some of the western land openings. While the drawing will primarily interest the citizens who have subscribed for lots, still every one who will be present will secure much pleasure in watching the lottery. Every ticket will win a prize but of necessity there will be some more desirable than the others. There must be some choice in the lots, depending upon the location in respect to the city.

This public drawing and the attending exercises will be an excellent opportunity to arouse public spirit and there is no doubt but that the meeting that is contemplated and the arrangements of which are now under way, will have a bearing upon the future development of the city. Every citizen should enter into the spirit of the occasion and make it a starting point for greater effort in behalf of the city that offers opportunity.

Every one should make plans to attend in person this function and he should see to it that his neighbor becomes interested.

Kansas City, Oct. 23 — The rainstorm that has been general over the southwest for three days, following a forty-eight day drought has broken all October records in amount of precipitation. At Lawrence, Kansas, the rainfall yesterday, 5.6 inches, broke all October records for rainfall in twenty-two years. In Kansas City during the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock this morning precipitation was 4.38 inches, which is a new record for 24 hours. All streams in Kansas and Oklahoma are overflowing the bottoms and there has been loss of corn and many bridges have been washed away.

Cessation of the storm is predicted to take place before daylight tomorrow and a killing frost is expected thruout the southwest tomorrow night

There was a light fall of snow at Topeka and Wichita this afternoon.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

Wabasha Herald: The machine that nominated Jacobson and is now trying to elect him has but one issue and that is that no matter how incapable Jacobson may be that it is the duty of the republicans to elect him since he has been nominated. Turn down, they ask you, Johnson, the man who is eminently qualified for the position, for Jacobson, the man who is entirely lacking in all those finer qualities that we admire in a public man, and do this just for the reason that Jake is a Republican.

Middle River Pioneer: A large Johnson club of young men, the most of whom are republicans, was organized a few days ago in Crookston. Thus it is all over the state. Men not bound by narrow partisan prejudices who recognize sterling worth and ability will vote for Johnson, regardless of their partisan sentiments.

IS STRONGER THAN EVER BEFORE

GOV. JOHNSON IS BEING TALKED OF ON EVERY HAND SINCE MONDAY MEETING

YOUNG MEN'S JOHNSON CLUB IS BUSY ALL THE TIME SPREADING GOOD NEWS

PREDICTED THAT VOTE OF GOV JOHNSON WILL BE INCREASED OVER TWO YEARS AGO

Despite the fact that Gov. Johnson both two and four years ago carried Polk county by a tremendous majority, it is confidently predicted that this year he will receive even a more handsome majority. Since the great meeting Monday evening there has been little else talked about in the city. The people seem to be realizing to a greater degree than ever that Governor Johnson is a bigger man than many had credited him with being. That he made a great many votes here there is absolutely no question.

The Young Men's Johnson Club is working all the time, and the members are displaying more enthusiasm than has ever before been noted in this city by young men, who in the past have never taken an active part in politics here.

Certainly democrats in Crookston and Polk county feel highly gratified over the conditions in every part of the county over the coming elections.

Grand Forks, Oct. 23—Andy Ward, a resident of Grand Forks for over 20 years and employed as a teamster was found dead in bed at the Central hotel yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock He had been dead for several hours. Coroner Rounsevell came in from Larimore on an evening train and decided, after investigating the case that an inquest was not necessary. Death was due to heart failure. The body was removed to Ashley's undertaking rooms.

The deceased had been ill for several days but on Tuesday he commenced work as a teamster for Contractor P. McDonnell. He worked until Wednesday evening. He complained of not feeling very well and went to bed early. It was noticed at noon yesterday that he had not been up and the landlord went to the room. He knocked on the door but there was no response. It was thought that Ward was sleeping and the room door was not opened. At 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when there was no response to knocks on the door, it was forced open and the body was found.

Eveleth News: Governor Johnson's position is the same as when he discussed taxation in January 1907, and as when he assured Charles Jesmore of this city when the latter was a member of the local committee, the other members of which were Neil McInnis and P. E. Dowling, which went to St. Paul last year to protest against the tonnage tax, that he would never sign a bill which would diminish the proportionate revenue of any town.

Why This Reluctance?

The News Tribune is much aggrieved because of Governor Johnson's attitude toward Mr. Bryan. Coming from a partisan Republican newspaper of the yellow dog stripe, this seems a high compliment to the governor's loyalty to the national head of the Democratic ticket. Candidate Jacobson has not yet mentioned the name of the Republican candidate for president. Why is this?

But—

Will the morning paper please give a single reason why Jacobson should receive a single vote in Northern Minnesota? It has overlooked this duty up to date.—Duluth Herald.

Fairmont Sentinel: What public official has brought the greatest honor and distinction to Minnesota? With one accord they all say, "John A. Johnson."

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BOY SCRATCHED DAY AND NIGHT

Eczema Began When a Tiny Baby and Lasted 7 Years—Tore Crusts from Face Till It was All Raw—Screamed with Pain and Could not Sleep—Though Specialists Failed

CUTICURA EFFECTED A WONDERFUL CURE

"When my little boy was six weeks old an eruption broke out on his face. I took him to a doctor and got ointments and medicines but his face kept on getting worse until it got so bad that no one could look at him. His whole face was one crust and must have been very painful. He scratched day and night until his face sometimes looked like a raw piece of meat. I was nearly insane with his scratching day and night. Then I took him to all the best specialists in skin diseases but they could not do much for him. He sometimes screamed with pain when I put on the salve they gave me.

"When he was two years old the eczema got on his arms and legs so that I had to keep them bandaged up and I made gloves for his hands so the nails could not poison him worse. We could not get a night's sleep in months and my husband and I were all broken up. Then my mother asked why I did not give up the doctors and try Cuticura. So I got a set and he felt relieved the first time I used them, the Cuticura Ointment felt so cool. He used to wake up and ask for Cuticura to be put on when he itched so badly that he could not sleep, and he would say, 'Oh! Mama, that makes my sores feel so good!' I gave the Cuticura Remedies a good trial and gradually the eczema healed all up and now he is as well as any other children. He is now seven years old and the cure has lasted two months, so I think it will never return. I can't tell you how glad I am that Cuticura did such wonderful work in our case and I shall recommend it everywhere. Mrs. John G. Klumpp, 80 Niagara St., Newark, N. J., Oct. 17 and 22, 1907."

A single set of Cuticura Remedies, consisting of Cuticura Soap (25c.), Ointment (50c.), and Resolvent (50c.), or Pills (25c. per vial of 60), is often sufficient to cure. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

NOTED CROOK IS LANDED HERE

From Friday's Daily—

Rudolph Boeckel was arrested last evening for drunkenness and on looking him over Chief of Police Eck found that he answered the description of the man who held up a man named Curry of New York here on the 5th of last July, circus day.

He was sent up for ten days and Curry was notified by wire. Curry at the time was relieved of $52 on the N. P. high bridge and the fact that the man arrested has a scar under the right eye, wears glasses and had unused meal tickets in his pockets as stated by the Ringling detective, makes it certain that he is the man wanted and will get a term behind the bars.

Winnipeg, Man. Oct. 23—One of the worst snow storms that ever occured in west is now at height of its fury and has completely demoralized services of both the C. P. R. and G. N. trains. The storms started night before last and continued with unabated vigor. Ten inches of snow already fallen, and accompanied by terrific gale. Snow has blown into railway cuts, completely filling them up and in many stretches the snow is over ten feet deep.

C. P. R. has ordered snow plows to the scene and they are hard at work clearing the tracks out little progress can be made until the snow ceases to fall. As soon as a clearance is made the blizzard fills it up again. The expresses from Vancouver and other western points are completely stalled, westbound trains held up also and none of them can proceed.

No trains from the east reached the city today and doubtful when they will get thru.

The storm which broke over Alberta province Tuesday night was wholly unexpected by the railways, and preparation was not made to receive it.

The storm was a blinding one and the snow is quite soft.

The Canadian Northern train left Edmonton at the usual time and proceeded all right until near Islay a couple of stations east of Vermillion when she ran into the snow banks and stuck there. Attempts were made to back the train up, but this failed and finally another train was sent to pull it out.

Albert Lea Standard: What man of all men has rendered the ablest, cleanest and best official service and conferred the greatest honor upon Minnesota? Everybody knows—John A. Johnson.

Dairy Produce For Year In Minnesota

Minneapolis, Oct. 22—There were 87,044,817 pounds of butter produced in Minnesota creameries in 1907, according to figures just compiled by the state dairy and food commission. The wholesale value of the product is estimated at $23,502,100. There were 851 creameries in operation and 71,769 farmers supplied them, receiving $17,912,043 for their milk and cream, from 546,695 cows. The running expenses of the creameries were $2,187,373. They used 855,866,470 pounds of milk and 16,819,567 of cream Seventy-four cheese factories operated in the state made 4,266,778 pounds of cheese, which at the average whole sale price of 12 cents brought $512,013. Less than half of the cows in the state worked for the creameries so considerably over a million contributed to the state milk and cream supply. The value of the milk and cream sold to the people in the cities and towns last year is estimated at $19,000,000.

Attorneys Say It Is Invalid.

Omaha, Oct. 21.—The $600,000 libel suit which Governor Haskell of Oklahoma filed in this city last week against William R. Hearst is pronounced invalid by prominent attorneys who have examined the petition.

A Few Questions To Be Answered

Now that the election is but a little more than a week away, it might be well to make one more effort to have the republicans of the state of Minnesota answer a few questions which have been put up to them time after time, but as yet remain unanswered. Their candidate for governor has had these questions hurled at him during his campaign for the party's nomination and many times since he was honored by the party, and yet he has been unable to find time to enlighten the voters of the state. The people have a right to know his answer to these queries before they are driven by the party lash to cast their suffrages for the man from Madison.

Following are the questions which we would like some light upon:

Why was Bob Dunn, the close ally of the lumber barons and the representatives of predatory wealth, his sponsor for the republican nomination

Why was Dar Rheese, the representative of the brewers and liquor interests of the state, so interested in having the convention name Mr. Jacobson

Why was Big Ed Smith, the representative of the large Minneapolis corporations and monopolies, one of the strongest advocates of the Commoner for the nomination?

Why did the representatives and officers of the steel trust insist upon the nomination of Mr. Jacobson and do their utmost to bring about his selection by the party?

Why were the leading railroad officials in the state friendly to his candidacy for the nomination and take a conspicious part in bringing about that seemingly most desirable end?

Why did the employes of the international harvester trust in this state line up practically solid for the man from Lac qui Parle and favor his selection at the hands of the party?

Why are all these men and classes, specified above, supporting Mr. Jacobson in the present election and working mightily to bring about his success in the present state campaign?

Why has Jacobson changed his habits of life and refused to divulge to the people his thoughts on the issues of the present campaign

Why has he become the cautious diplomat (?) and forsaken his brutally frank manner in making known his views on public questions and public measures

Why has he sidestepped, dodged and relied on a subterfuge thruout his campaign for a nomination, and since he was honored with being selected as the standard bearer of his party?

Why does he rely upon a record which shows that he was ever opposed to any measure that had for its purpose the betterment and development of the Red River Valley and northern Minnesota

Why has he condemned his party associates in the state legislature and alleged that extravagance exists in the conduct and maintenance of state affairs?

Why does he demand that the voter who refuses to support him in his ambition, should refuse to support any other nominee on the republican ticket, from president to coroner?

Why is Lumber Baron Tom Shevlin appealing to all republicans to vote for the party's candidate for governor and support the entire republican ticket, Tom Shevlin the man who two years ago defeated Jacobson for the nomination and then gave a feast the notoriety of which still exists

Why has he refused to appear in Crookston and other large cities and give the voters an opportunity to see, hear and meet him?

Why should any young men or any citizen of the state of Minnesota who believes in progress and development register their approval of Mr. Jacobson and the principles he stands for in the present campaign?

These are some of the few questions we would like to have Mr. Jacobson answer between now and election day and we believe that he owes it to his party and to the people generally to forget his record for a few minutes and give some thought and consideration to the questions that are being asked by all intelligent and progressive voters, who are not blinded by party fealty. We do not say that Mr. Jacobson cannot satisfactorily answer these questions, but we do assert that so far in the present campaign he has not given an out-and-out answer to any of them. A man's record is an excellent thing for a background, but what counts are his present convictions, his up-to-date principles, and the policies he will stand for at the moment when questioned. If these are satisfactory, the record will go a long ways toward strengthening them. In the present instance these are in the minds of the people the principle things, while the record in a sense is subsidiary.

There are hundreds of republican newspapers who will give Mr. Jacobson all the space he requires to answer these questions and a direct answer from him would be greatly appreciated by the people of the entire state. They do not care to hear from any representative of Mr. Jacobson, but they want the republican candidate to take them into his confidence and meet them on the real issues of the present state campaign in the same frank manner as Governor Johnson has. We do not believe they are asking for too much from the man who heretofore has been lauded as the man whom the people could get close to and understand.

Did It Ever Occur to You?

"I paid that bill once."

"You must be mistaken."

"Indeed, I am not mistaken."

"Have you a receipt?"

"It seems to me I have, but I don't remember what I did with it."

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THE RED RIVER VALLEY DAIRYMEN ISSUE A PROGRAM FOR CONVENTION

The program for the annual meeting of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association which will be held at St. Hilaire on November 11th and 12th has been issued and the list of addresses is a certain assurance that the meeting will be the best in the history of the association.

The steadily increasing importance of the dairying industry in this section has resulted in changing the meetings of the dairymen from a gathering of a few of the faithful who were struggling to advance the industry, to a meeting of hundreds of experienced dairymen who are embracing every opportunity to improve their methods and advance the interests of every farmer who is devoting attention to dairying.

It is specially appropriate that the annual meeting this year should be held at St. Hilaire, where one of the most successful creameries in Minnesota is located, Buttermaker Austin being the secretary of the association.

PREMIUMS

CREAMERY BUTTER

First Prize	$15.00
Second Prize	$10.00
Third Prize	$ 5.00

$75.00 will be divided pro rata on all creamery butter scoring 88 or better. The buttermakers winning first, second and third prizes will not be allowed any of the pro rata money.

DAIRY BUTTER.

First Prize	$ 5.00
Second Prize	$ 3.00
Third Prize	$ 2.00

CHEESE

First Prize	$ 7.00
Second Prize	$ 5.00
Third Prize	$ 3.00

COW CONTEST

Of those entering the cow contest, to the owner of the cow producing the largest number pounds butterfat in a year $25.00 in cash will be given.

HERD CONTEST

Ten dollars in cash will be given to the creamery patron in the Red River Valley who receives the largest amount in creamery checks per cow between Jan. 1st and Oct. 1st. All contestants must milk not less than an average of five cows per month for the period.

All butter must reach St. Hilaire not later than Saturday Nov. 7th Should any arrive after that date it will be scored but will not participate in pro rata or prize money.

Organized in 1902 for the advancement of dairying in the Red River Valley.

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PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1908—1:00 P. M.

Music—
Address of Welcome .... C. H. Martz, St. Hilaire
Response .... Prof. W. Robertson, Crookston, Supt. Crookston Experimental Station
Music—
Co-operation .... Prof. J. A. Vye, St. Anthony Park, Sec. State Experimental Station
Discussion—
Address .... Prof. T. L. Haecker, St. Anthony Park, Minn., Prof. of Dairying, Minnesota School of Agriculture.
Test Association .... Colon C. Lillie, Coopersville, Mich. Assistant Dairy and Food Commissioner, Michigan
Alfalfa .... Ed A. Aubol, St. Hilaire, Minn
Discussion—
Appointment of Committees.

7:00 P. M.

Dairying in Sweden .... C. M. Davidson, Climax, Minn.
Discussion—
Creamery Management .... C. B. Goodale, Fertile, Minn.
A Uniform System of Creamery Accounting .... Prof. J. A. Vye

9:00 P. M.

Banquet by the Citizens of St. Hilaire.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12,—9:00 A. M.

Music—
Dairying in Kansas and Nebraska—as seen by Joel G. Winkjer, Manhattan, Kas., with U. S. Dairy Division
Everyday vs. Composite Testing of Cream .... H. A. Lidenberg, Fosston, Minn.
Discussion—
Silo Experiences .... Peter Engelstad, Thief River Falls, Minn.
Discussion—

1:00 P. M.

Music—
Winter Dairying .... Prof. A. D. Wilson, St. Anthony Park, Minn. Superintendent Minnesota Farmers' Institutes
Discussion—
What Makes a Creamery Successful.. O. A. Storvick, Crookston, Minn. Creamery Inspector Minn. Dairy and Food Dept.
Discussion—
Improvement of the Raw Material and Finished Product .... O. S. Hagen, Sandridge, Minn.
Discussion—
Address .... J. J. Farrell, Carver, Minn. President National Creamery Buttermakers' Association
Election of Officers.
Adjournment.

HALLOWE'EN

A Short History of the Origin of the Day

The festival of All Saints comse on November first, and the eve or Vigil of All Hallows is the night preceding or October 31. On this night supernatural influences prevail to a great extent and lately in America some influences which are not of the mystical order prevail to an alarming degree. Hallowe'en or Nutcrack night and sometimes called Snapp-apple night, is very generally observed in the old countries, especially in England, Scotland and Wales. The rowdyism is not known over there, but a more enjoyable and you might call it "spooky" time is what the people participate in.

Roman Feast

The Romans on the first of November always gave a feast to Pomona, goddess of fruits and seeds. The Druids held a great autumn festival which more nearly resembles the day as now observed in the British Isles. The night of October 31 they would build bon-fires and roast nuts and snap apples. After the pleasures were over each family would gather around their bon-fire and throw a white stone into the dying embers. Then they would all say their prayers and go to bed, in the morning each would look for the stone he had thrown into the fire and anyone who was fortunate enough not to find his or her respective stone it was believed would die within a year.

This old superstition is still believed in by many folks in Britain.

Burns Gives Idea

Burns' poem entitled "Hallowe'en" gives the best idea of the observance of the evening in Scotland. In Scotland if the farmer has been too busy to harvest his cabbages before Hallowe'en he has them harvested by many willing hands and slung pell-mell at his door.

There is a custom observed in the countries of Ireland and Scotland and observed by the members of the races in this country which is religiously kept and the result looked upon as almost sure of happening. At the evening meal there is placed in the center of the table a bowl of food made up largely from parsnips, potatoes and chopped onions. The dish is called "call-cannon." Why that name only they know. In the center of this mixture is placed a ring and the one who is lucky enough to get this in his or her portion is to be married within a year, or if already married is to be unusually lucky during the year.

Washington Custom

That supernatural influences are at work on this particular night every young lady knows for many walk down the cellar stairs backward holding a candle and looking-glass in the hopes that she may see her affinity who if he has received the tip, will surely be there. Many enjoyable things are done on this night and some which are extremely unpleasant In Washington it has been the custom for many years for the young people to get out on the streets with a flour sack fixed so that when the holder hits a person it will give off enough of the white mixture to make him "white as the driven snow." The bags are usually intended to hit members of the crowd who happen to be together, but there is no code of honor among them which prohibits striking some youth going to see his sweetheart.

WILLIAM A. CROSS AWARDED MEDAL

Pittsburg, Oct. 22 — The Carnegie hero fund commission today awarded medals, gold, silver and bronze, to 98 heroes at its quarterly meeting. The cash awards amount to about $40,000 of which $24,700 is given outright the remainder being in monthly benefits to "widows and children or other dependents." Among those awarded are: William A. Cross, Grand Forks, N. D., bronze medal and August H. G. Hansen, Owatonna, Minn., bronze medal.

The heroic act for which William A. Cross was awarded a Carnegie medal as indicated in the above dispatch, was the saving of the life of William Colton of the firm of Colton Brothers in an accident at Maple Lake. At the time it was understood that an effort would be made to secure such a medal for Mr. Cross, who is a step-son of William Spriggs, of firm of Spriggs Brothers, of Grand Forks. The Carnegie is only awarded in cases of real merit and the many friends of Mr. Cross in this city will be glad to learn that such an honor has been conferred on him.

French and Moors Clash.

Paris, Oct. 21.—Advices have been received here of another engagement in Morocco. At a point near Mondgerle a French detachment was attacked by a band of Moors. The enemy was driven back with a loss of fourteen men killed. The French had four men killed.

Crookston Is Waiting To See Candidate

It has been suggested by a number of disinterested citizens, men who have not fully made up their mind as to just how they will cast their votes on the third of next November for the head of the state ticket, that they be given an opportunity to see, hear and meet the republican candidate for governor. They have been given the opportunity of becoming personally acquainted with the head of the democratic ticket, and he has to a certain extent captivated them by his manly willingness to greet and discuss the issues of the present campaign with those whose support he desires. Mr. Jacobson should also put in an appearance in the Queen City of the Red River Valley and show himself to the voters, whose support at the present time his local representatives are frantically endeavoring to secure by cracking the party whip and appealing to the loyalty and blind fealty of every republican to stand by the party.

Mr. Jacobson visited Polk county it will be recalled and made two stops, one at Erskine and another at Fertile. He passed up East Grand Forks, McIntosh and Fosston the four largest communities in the county. Early in the campaign the local committee announced that Mr. Jacobson would appear in Crookston at least once during the contest and probably twice. Thus far no one has seen him, nor is he expected to appear. He visited Moorhead, Thief River Falls, Red Lake Falls and several other cities in this section, but the most populous of them all, he absolutely refuses to appear in and this has given rise to a number of questions which will without doubt have their effect upon the result of the vote one week from next Tuesday.

If the republican county committee has fallen down and neglected to secure the presence of the republican candidate, it has been lax in its duty and has been responsible for causing the people of this community considerable disappointment. We can hardly believe that they, the members of the committee, forgot to make requisition for the so called friends of the people, and some other reason must be assigned for his failure to present himself to a Crookston audience. To be sure two years ago Mr. Jacobson appeared here and it is rumored that he did not take particularly well with the voters and this is one of the reasons why the committee has failed to produce the candidate, whom the party is supposed to take on faith.

There is not a democrat in the city who would not have welcomed the appearance of the republican candidate and there is no doubt but that many of them would have considered it a privilege to have been given the opportunity of attending a meeting at which Mr. Jacobson spoke. It would seem as though his party associates ought to be just as desirous of having an opportunity to honor him, and it appears to us that it is a duty that the republican committee owes to this community to give to the independent voter the opportunity of judging between the two candidates for the governorship.

The democratic party is proud of its candidate and considers it a high honor to be able to entertain him on any occasion, as was amply shown upon the occasion of his recent visit. We have given every voter in this city an opportunity to see, hear and meet our standard bearer, and we will submit to the voters, young and old, of Crookston if it would not be the right and the just thing for the republicans to produce their selected champion and candidate for the highest office in the gift of the people of this state.

The committee has secured the services of Attorney General Young, but it must be remembered that he is not a candidate this year, in fact he is the man who was turned down by the party and from fear of his success in the convention certain interests went over to J. F. Jacobson and placed him ever under obligations to them. We believe that the voters of this section are not going to be swayed by anyone other than the candidate himself, and if he fails to appear, the vote of this city will go surprisingly strong against him.

Mr. Jacobson desires, so it is reported, to be judged entirely by his past record. Are we to take from this that he is satisfied to have the people of Crookston cast their votes this campaign in accordance with the impression they have of him and his record from his last appearance in this city?

MEETINGS BREAK ALL RECORDS

GOVERNOR JOHNSON SPOKE YESTERDAY AT HALLOCK AND ARGYLE

WENT TO ADA LAST EVENING WHERE HE ADDRESSED GREAT CROWD TODAY

The meetings addressed by Gov. Johnson yesterday at Hallock and Argyle are reported to have been the largest and most enthusiastic political gatherings ever held in Marshall and Kittson counties.

The meeting places were inadequate to held the crowds that gathered, farmers coming in from miles around in every direction. A. C. Schmidt of this city, state committeeman from Polk county attended both meetings and says the audiences were intensely enthusiastic at both places.

Gov. Johnson passed thru the city last evening on the flyer and today made an address to a monster audience at Ada where he was greeted with intense enthusiasm, being interrupted repeatedly by the vociferous applause.

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Sauk Centre Herald: If what the traveling men scay about matters political counts, John A. Johnson has a cinch on a re-election. Of all the traveling salesmen that the publisher of the Herald has talked with thus far during the campaign, he has found only one who is for Jacobson, and that one appeared here Tuesday afternoon. He said he felt rather lonely.

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BURGLARY AT HENNING

STORE OF R. J. LINDBERG IS ENTERED AND THE SAFE IS BLOWN

SUSPICION POINTS TO NUMBER OF TOUGH CHARACTERS ABOUT TOWN

From Thursday's Daily— ...

A long distance telephone message from Henning brings word that R. J. Lindberg's drug store was burglarized there Monday night. The burglars are supposed to have entered during the transome, and as the night was very dark and there was a terrific storm of wind, an explosion could be heard only a short distance away. They blew the safe scattering things about the store to quite an extent, but secured only $1.80. It is evident that they were frightened away as they overlooked a large sum of money The burglary is supposed to have been the work of two or three tough looking characters who had been seen in the vicinity and an excellent description of them has been secured. They are supposed to be headed this way and the police are on the lookout for them. Three tough looking strangers were camped in the vicinity of Clitherall a day or two ago, and these may be the same parties.

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Mr. Young's Eloquent Tribute

Republicans undoubtedly were given a rude shock last Saturday evening while listening to Attorney General Young. The state official's strong endorsement of the democratic governor was wholly unexpected and it came like a bolt of lightning out of the clear sky. In that tribute Mr. Young expressed the sentiments of thousands of republicans in all sections of the state and there was no wonder that this portion of his most excellent speech received louder and more enthusiastic applause than any other portion. His reference to Mr. Jacobson called forth applause from the platform and from the front seats but it was wholly without enthusiasm The meeting Saturday night which had been billed as a republican rally a Jacobson meeting, was in fact a Johnson ratification and can leave no doubt as to the setiment of this city in regard to the gubernatorial contest.

Mr. Young said that parties were necessary to the conduct of government and loyalty to party was requisite. Mr. Jacobson had a good record personally and his official record as a member of the state legislature was excellent. He had been nominated by the republican party and as he was personally and publically acceptable, there was no reason why any republican should not vote for him .

Mr. Johnson, the democratic nominee, was honest, true, and personally above reproach. He had faithfully performed the duties of the executive, but he was a democrat and the voters of this state could not afford to re-elect him. He was able; he had given a good administration of state affairs and in fact the only fault that could be found with him was that he was a democrat.

Here was a republican office holder, formerly a candidate himself for the nomination for governor at the hands of the republican party, a strong party man out on the stump arguing for republican success, advising the people of this state to throw everything else aside and decide the governorship of the great state of Minnesota simply upon the question of the supremacy of the republican party. He had not a word to say against the democratic candidate, but on the other hand much to say in his favor. To be sure he had praise for his own party's candidate, but nothing beyond the measure of approval that he had for the democratic candidate, other than that it was necessary for all republicans to be regular and vote the ticket straight.

The republicans of this city were depending upon Attorney General Young to turn the tide that had set in towards Governor Johnson in this city, but his visit only helped to increase the current towards the man who has in every particular given the people of this state an administration above reproach and a conduct of state affairs that every citizen can take a just pride in. Mr. Young confirmed the opinion of the democrats and of the independent voters in their loyalty to Governor Johnson and the city of Crookston and Polk county will give him such a majority on the third of November as was never received before in this section by any candidate for governor.

The republican leaders will undoubtedly come to the conclusion now that it is absolutely futile to try to stem the tide for every move they have made has only called into greater prominence the pre-eminent qualifications of Governor Johnson to again be elected governor of the great state of Minnesota.

Why Does It Not Apply To Jacobson?

For the past two or three weeks the republican leaders of this county have been cracking the party whip and holding up party loyalty as absolutely necessary and the prime requisite for any consideration whatever in the party councils. You must support the party's candidate for governor has been impressed upon every republican in the district and any one who dared to think otherwise has been held up to severe criticism and has been made to feel that he is on the verge of committing the unpardonable sin. Of course this means that the rest of the republican ticket must be supported that the republican nominees on the county ticket, but then the one name upon which the pressure is being brought to bear is that of Jacob F. Jacobson, whose ambition is to be governor.

That Jacobson appreciates this solicitation on the part of his party backers there can be no doubt for does not he have as the burden of his daily talks the same theme. "You must vote for me, or you must cut the rest of the republican ticket," he thunders. "Scratch the head of the state ticket, and you should go the full length and support the entire democratic ticket," he advises. To Mr. Jacobson there is but one office to be filled this coming election and but one man to be elected. It makes very little difference who is elected president, who the congressmen are from the different districts in the state, what the complection of the next state legislature is, so that the people of this state selects Mr. Jacobson as the next governor of the state of Minnesota.

Has Mr. Jacobson demonstrated that he is loyal to his party? Has he spoken a single word in behalf of the rest of his party ticket? Follow him thru the state, listen to his talks and you find nothing but Jacobson, Jacobson, Jacobson and Jacobson's deeds. He has no thought whatever for party associates, but all his time, all his talks are devoted to impressing upon the people of the state that the one great thing, the sum total of the republicans' duty in the coming election is to see that he, Jacobson, is elected. All republicans who do not vote for him are impudent and are democrats, socialists, populists or any thing else but republicans. He will give anyone however a charter membership in the republican party who votes for him, no matter how he may stand in regard to the rest of the republican ticket.

Jacobson has demonstrated in the present campaign that he has no idea whatever of party loyalty, all he can comprehend is personal loyalty to him self and his ambitions. How can he explain his actions last week in the second district. At the present time there is a particularly warm fight in that district for congress. The democratic nominee, Mr. Hammond, is making a fight to be re-elected, and Ex-Congressman McCleary is contesting the election with him. The fight is bitter and possibly being waged more fiercely than any political fight in the entire northwest. McCleary is the republican nominee, while Hammond is a democrat. What is Jake's attitude towards the former?

Last week he made a tour thru the district and of course party loyalty would exact that he should lend every influence he had towards McCleary's success and that he would permit him self in no particular to give sanction to any possible defection in the republican party in that district towards Mr. McCleary. What did he do however? At one of the towns, Madelia the chairman of the Jacobson meeting was a republican who was one of the strongest Hammond men in the entire district, working night and day for the re-election of the present congressman and doing everything in his poyer to injure the republican nominee.

If it is disloyalty to refuse to vote for the regular party nominee for governor, is it any less disloyalty to refuse to vote for the regular party nominee for congress? Will Jake even try to differentiate between the support due to a governor and the support due to a congressman? It would appear to us as though at the present time if either is a crime, or, putting it less harshly, a subject for criticism disloyalty to the party candidate for congress was the greatest, simply because it has to do with national policies. Jacobson evidently cannot take this view of it, probably for the simple reason that he cannot look at it from a personal standpoint.

Mr. Jacobson in the present campaign has not taken the positon of being a party candidate. He has at all times simply relied upon the personal equation. Party loyalty meant a vote for him; party disloyalty does not consist in scratching the rest of the ticket. Every candidate on the republican ticket should take this into consideration in their fight for election. Their friends should, before it is too late, realize that at the present time party fealty is very weak and no man has done more to make it so in the present campaign, than the distinguished republican candidate for governor. Mr. Taft urged the election of Mr. Jacobson. Has Mr. Jacobson urged the election of Mr. Taft? Mr. Steenerson is appealing to the voters of this district for support for Jacobson. Has Mr. Jacobson asked the voters to support Mr. Steenerson? The same statement may be made and the same question asked from the top to the bottom of the republican ticket. Loyalty begets loyalty.

Mr. Jacobson has absolved by his words and by his acts every republican from party fealty, and when local republicans begin to crack the party whip the response must be necessarily feeble, simply because every republican has the right and the privilege to follow in the footsteps of the candidate for governor and elect to office the men whom they think best fitted. Jacobson is doing so. He believes Mr. Jacobson is best fitted for holding office of any of the men on any of the several tickets in the field and he believes in supporting Mr. Jacobson and cares very little what happens to the rest.

Steel Trust Unmasks It's Batteries

In the issue of the News Tribune of Duluth of October 25th the hand of the steel trust is openly shown in favor of Jacob F. Jacobson and against John A. Johnson for governor. This appears in a manifesto signed by representatives of big business in Duluth including W. A. McGonagle, President of the Duluth & Mesaba Railway a steel trust institution, and other friends of the steel trust, and a number of bankers and lumber and grain barons. This manifesto calls upon the people of St. Louis county to vote for Jacob F. Jacobson and against John A. Johnson on the ground that the election of John A. Johnson will mean increased taxation of the iron ore properties, and is in part as follows:

"The Democratic platform, on which Governor Johnson hopes to be elected for the third term, declares in express words for "A tonnage tax on iron ore," and all over southern Minnesota he tells the voters how, if elected, he will reduce their taxes by increasing the taxes on iron mines.

It is true that last week he made in a public speech in Duluth the following statement: "If elected governor and if the legislature should pass a law depriving this or any other section of the state of its full share of taxes for local government, I would veto it."

"This statement has been generally assumed to be a promise to veto a tonnage tax bill. It is nothing of the kind. He can, and the program is that he shall sign a bill which, while it provides for a tonnage tax on iron ore which shall go to the state, it shall also provide that the county and other governmental sub-divisions shall also tax the iron mines on an ad valorem basis, for their respective expenses.

"This means that St. Louis County instead of paying one-quarter of the state taxes, as now, would pay at least one-half thereof.

"It means that all the mining companies, in order to exist, would have to keep up a constant struggle to reduce their taxes. They could make no fight against the tonnage tax, therefore they would be compelled to fight every year, in every village, city and township in the county in which they have property to reduce the taxes levied for the running expenses of such governmental sub-divisions.

"His message to the legislature on this subject two years ago, and his attitude at that time when St. Louis county by the most strenuous efforts barely defeated a tonnage tax, are the strongest evidence of his desire to increase the burden of taxation in this county.

"Mr. Jacobson's platform says nothing concerning a tonnage tax, consequently his party has not pledged him to advocate such a tax as has Mr. Johnson's.

"In no speech that he has made, so far as we can ascertain has he said that he was in favor of a tonnage tax, or any tax which would make St. Louis County pay more than the quarter of the state taxes which it is now paying.......

"It is time for St. Louis County to vote for itself. It will not soon have such a chance again. Let the office-seeking politicians and their interest backers take care of themselves as best they may.

"Vote for Jacob F. Jacobson for governor who is not running on a tonnage tax platform.

"Vote against the "wide open" tax amendment, which both parties have inforced in their platform, because it will put one-half the state taxes on to St. Louis County.

"It is the first amendment on the list. Vote "No" without fail.

"At the polls beloyal to St. Louis County, and on these two issues forget your party politics."

The foregoing remarkable document is undoubtedly being placed in the hands of every voter of St. Louis county, particularly every one who is in any manner connected with or dependent upon the iron mines for a living. The principal argument used in the document is the following:

"New enterprises will learn that they can do business cheaper in St. Paul or Minneapolis than they can in Duluth, because they will have to pay no state taxes there, while in St. Louis county they will have to contribute their share to one-half of all the state taxes. Every St. Louis county business man will be thus handicapped in favor of his competitors outside of the county. This means less business, and consequently less need of real estate and less demand for labor. In this way the business man, the real estate owner and the laboring man are all hit with the same bludgeon.

"We know what Mr. Johnson will do if he can. His party platform pledges him to a tonnage tax."

The foregoing argument demonstrates the intent of the promulgators of the document in question, and proves conclusively that the circular is inspired by interested parties who are trying to conceal its real purpose and intent, for it is inconceivable that men of the ability of the few who signed this document do not know that state taxes as such are levied at a certain rate upon the assessed valuation of the property and that the rate remains the same thruout the state, and property in the twin cities pays the same rate as property in Duluth or any other part of the state, and property in Duluth would get the same benefit from the increased taxation of iron mines that property in other parts of the state would receive and if increased taxation of iron mines operates to pay all expenses of state government property in Duluth would pay no state taxes, nor would property in any other part of the state. Where the shoe pinches and the only place where it pinches is the iron mines, which have been almost if not entirely gobbled up by the steel trust. Perhaps the circular even at this late today will be of some use in opening the eyes of the people to the fact that as stated by Governor Johnson there are economic questions of large and vast importance to the future welfare of this state involved in this election. If the people who are subject to steel trust influence are to forget their party politics when they vote for governor would it not be wise for the people who are not thus dominated to do the same thing?

St. Paul, Oct. 24th—J. F. Jacobson's campaign committee ran up against a boomerang when its members issued a pamphlet attacking Governor Johnson's record on labor matters as Governor. Unable to find a single act which could be construed as unfriendly toward organized labor, the committee seized on a claim made in certain labor quarters that the Governor had been guilty of connivance in the importation of armed strike breakers at the time of the great strike on the Iron Range in 1907. Jacobson's committee was doubtless not acquainted with the fact that at the time this complaint was made the executive council of the State Federation of Labor appointed its President, George B. Howley of Minneapolis, to investigate this charge and report to the executive council. Mr. Howley made a searching examination, not only from the records of the Governor's office, but from personal visits to the Iron Range country, and then reported to his people that there was absolutely no justification for the charge and that on the contrary Governor Johnson had done everything possible to protect the civil rights of the striking members. Under Republican state administrations the spectacle had been presented of soldiers being sent to the affected districts, but in the great steel strike of 1907, involving more than 17,000 men, Governor Johnson went personally to the scene of the trouble and later sent trusted representatives who arranged an agreed line of conduct for both the strikers and the officers of the steel company, and the result was that the strike was marked by practically no violence, no destruction of property, and no bloodshed.

The unfriendly press of Minnesota at the time complimented the Governor on the masterly handling of this great labor trouble and it remained for Jacobson's committee to deliberately attack him on the ground of an imaginary grievance.

President Howley spoke at a labor meeting in Winona on Tuesday night, but later in the evening took the platform again to condemn this outrageous and untruthful attack on the Governor.

"It would be cowardly on my part," he declared, with emphnasis, "if I did not say a few words for Governor Johnson here this evening. Just now I was handed the latest attack upon our Governor in a pamphlet issued by the Republican Committee and in which Governor Johnson is blamed for the importation of thugs to quell the disturbance on the Iron Range in 1907.

"I do not deny that the labor press printed these articles but they were printed before the executive council of the State Federation of Labor had appointed me to make an investigation. My report was to the effect that the Governor was entirely blameless and that these thugs had been sent in at the instance of the steel corporation. **This attack is the most cowardly and dastardly of them all to blacken the record of Minnesota's greatest Governor, and I believe that such tactics will only add more votes to his already assured majority."**

President Howley's declaration of facts and defense of the Governor from the untruthful attacks of the Jacobson committee were greeted with the most enthusiastic approval, and at Winona, as elsewhere in the state where labor is organized, the Governor will receive fully 90 per cent of the votes of labor. Labor Commissioner Williams, whose name figured in the original charges, has denied the truth of statements credited to him at Duluth, soon after the strike was inaugurated, and the whole incident will redound to the credit of Governor Johnson and the discomfiture of the unprincipled men who are behind this effort to injure Johnson with the members of organized labor, with whom he has always been on so friendly and intimate terms.

SIGNIFICANT STRAW VOTE

BERT LEVINS RETURNS FROM A BUSINESS TRIP TO DULUTH HIGHLY PLEASED

STRAW VOTE ON DULUTH TRAIN GIVES JOHNSON BIG MAJORITY

From Monday's Daily—

Bert Levins, the well known travelling salesman left Duluth Saturday evening for Crookston, after having spent several days there conferring with his wholesale house, The National Candy Co..

Just after leaving Duluth Mr. Levins and another gentleman got into a political discussion being on the opposite sides of the fence politically, and took a straw vote on governor with the result that Johnson received 33 and Jacobson 11.

This was a vote taken among travelling men, farmers, business men and included four preachers.

Levins was tickled.

ANOTHER RESIDENT FOR CROOKSTON

James Smith left this morning for Towner, N. D. where he is going to hold an auction sale tomorrow of all his goods, stock, etc., and as soon as his goods have been disposed of he will remove to Crookston with his wife and make his home here. He recently purchased the Owl Restaurant facing the Great Northern depot, next door to Brandow's and this morning he stated that Crookston looks better to him than any place in which he had been.

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CRITICISM IS UNJUST

MANY PEOPLE CHARGE RAILROADS FOR WHAT PUBLIC IS RESPONSIBLE FOR

AN INSTANCE WAS FURNISHED AT THE GREAT NORTHERN DEPOT LAST NIGHT

From Tuesday's Daily—

There was an incident last evening at the Great Northern depot which illustrates the absolutely foolish arraignments to which railroads are very frequently subjected. A man who intended going to Bemidji arrived at the depot about half past nine. He had some baggage which he wanted checked and proceeded to sit down in the waiting room till the train for Bemidji pulled in.

Then he at once got busy looking for the baggageman to have his stuff checked. Of course the baggageman was busy taking care of the work on No. 36 and No. 8, both of which trains pulled in at about the same time.

The man who wanted to go to Bemidji raved and stormed because he could not get into the baggage room and a number of people took a few minutes off to sympathize with him and score the railroad.

As a matter of fact any one who wants to be fair can readily see that no one was at fault but the traveller himself. He knew when the train left, he knew that there was probably more than one person who wanted his baggage checked, he knew or should know that there were truck loads of baggage to be handled, and still he seemed to be of the opinion that a special baggageman should be detailed to wait on him personally.

While there may be cases where railroads are subject to criticism, there undoubtedly are, also individuals, it really looks not only unjust but foolish to hear people kick and complain about the service when there is absolutely no one to blame but themselves as was the case in the instance cited.

An unknown man who arrived on the Greenbush train Saturday evening is minus a suit of clothes. He left the package i nthe depot while he went out for supper. When he returned some one else had taken the package, and it is supposed the thief was some one who jumped on the train for Grand Forks or Fargo.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

+ + + FROM MONDAY'S DAILY + + +

Oct. 25 In History.

Hogarth.

322 B. C.—Demosthenes, the great Athenian orator, killed himself with poison in the island of Calauria.

1647—Evangelista Torricelli, inventor of the barometer, died; born 1608.

1764—William Hogarth, celebrated English painter and caricaturist, died; born 1697.

1806—General Henry Knox, Washington's secretary of war, died; born 1750.

1899—Grant Allen, English author, died; born 1848.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:02, rises 6:20; moon sets 5:33 p. m.

Oct. 26 In History.

1759—Danton, the famous French revolutionist, born; guillotined 1794.

1871—Major General Robert Anderson, hero of Fort Sumter, died; born 1805.

1902—Frank Norris, American novelist, died; born 1869. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, noted American woman suffragist, died; born 1815.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5, rises 6:21; moon sets 6:07 p. m.; 4 a. m., eastern time, all Jupiter's four moons on east of the planet.

INFANT DEAD—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knights, born Sunday died this morning.

"HICKORY" SOLOISTS — C. Q. Roemer and Mr. Jones of Duluth departed for a trip on the East line this morning where they will sing a few "Hickory" solos.

OPENED MEAT MARKET — Jos. Winfield has opened a meat market at 302 North Broadway and will carry a full line of all kinds of meats. Watch for his ad. and phone number in tomorrow's issue of the Journal.

TRIP TO N. D.—Thomas Twite, the well known traveling salesman left this morning for a several days' trip into North Dakota territory. He says business is better this fall than it has been for some time past.

VISITED HOME FOLKS — Geo. Bruner came down from Warren to spend Sunday with the home folks and returns tomorrow to resume his position with Wright and Katchelhoffer.

A FORTY MILE DRIVE — Chas. Babcock left this morning for a trip out east and when he was jollied for wearing a big furlined coat started to take off his coat and warm up the jollier. He kindly referred him to the snowbanks of Canada during last week.

THE SMILE THAT WON'T COME OFF—Theo. Neiers the Euclid merchant who went in partnership with Peter Stuhr some time ago, returned to Euclid this morning after spending Sunday with his family. He wore that same old smile that could never be washed or rubbed off—but had nothing to say about goose hunting.

A SPLENDID MAN COMING—Wm. Marin the well known travelling man stopped the Journal representative this morning with the statement: "Let me tell you one thing, the new pastor for the M. E. church here, Rev. McCoy of Carrington, N. D., is a real find. He is not only an impressive speaker, but a splendid man with a wonderful personality and his influence will be felt in Crookston.

Niagara Lights Syracuse

Thru the medium of 1,000 miles of heavy conducting wires, which stretch over a distance of 165 miles in two complete circuits of three wires each, Syracuse, N. Y. is being illuminated by power from Niagara Falls. Thru the medium of a good malt tonic like golden grain belt beer one may insure health and happiness. The daily use of this beverage will restore impaired digestion and give vim and vigor to weary brain and body. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

The Young Men's Johnson Club of Crookston has completed arrangements to have the complete election returns received in their club rooms in the Marin Block by special wire on the night of election day and the day following which is now being connected up.

This is a piece of enterprise for which Oliver Tvedten and the other club members are entitled to special commendation.

+ + + From Tuesday's Daily + + +

Oct. 27 In History.

1728—James Cook, English navigator, was born; killed in the Sandwich Islands 1779.

1870—Surrender of Metz and 150,000 French to the German army by Marshal Bazaine.

1904—The New York subway electric road opened to the public.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:59, rises 6:22; moon sets 6:41 p. m.; planet Mercury at inferior conjunction with the sun, changes from evening to morning star.

ON PASSENGER RUN—Conductor Cook, a regular freight conductor is on the Fargo-St. Vincent passenger run, relieving Conductor D. F. Miller who is enjoying a duck hunt for a few days.

WILL VISIT SON—L. Ellington of the Scandia American bank of this city left this morning for Donaldson where his son, Elmer is operating a hardware store. He will visit him for the day and look over conditions generally in that section.

HUNTING AT FOSSTON—Last evening Dr. J. S. Kjelland, J. H. Stair, and Geo. Barnes left for Fosston with full equipment for the waylaying of ducks enroute south. A special wire has been engaged to see what destruction is wrought by them in the private duck passes.

ANOTHER STRAW BALLOT—The taking of straw ballots is an easy day ocurrence in this section on all the branch lines. Ned Cannon a well known travelling man yesterday enroute here on the Greenbush line took a ballot which resulted as follows: Taft 31, Bryan 19, Jacobson 14, Johnson 36.

The largest job of tiling ever attempted in northern Minnesota is being completed this fall in which the Marais is being drained into the Red Lake River two miles just north of Fisher. While the drain is but two miles in length, the tiling is very large weighing 1140 pounds to the joint, and is being laid 22 feet below the surface, consequently the undertaking is a very large one. The work is in charge of Geo. Roberts of this city and is being paid for jointly by the county and state. The experiment will be watched with great interest here.

Supt. P. C. Allen of the Montana Division of the Great Northern, who was recently transferred from that division to the Northern division with headquarters at Crookston arrived last evening on No. 34 wit hConductor Evans in charge.

Supt. Nicholson went to relieve Supt. Allen in Montana, and Supt. Elliott went from this city to Grand Forks to relieve Supt. Nicholson.

Supt. Allen comes to Crookston with the highest recommendations. He is a thoro railroad man, popular with the employes of the company and at the same time is a man of remarkable executive ability. He is welcomed in both business and railroad circles in Crooksto nand will without doubt con tinue his splendid railroad record in this city.

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Democratic Candidate for Representative 62nd District at the General Election, Nov. 3rd 1908.

+ + + FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY + + +

Oct. 28 In History.

Erasmus.

1467—Desiderius Erasmus, distinguished scholar and writer of the reformation, born; died 1536.

1492—Columbus discovered Cuba.

1766—Marshal Grouchy, the commander blamed by Bonaparte for his loss at Waterloo, born; died 1847.

1877—Julia Kavanagh, well known litterateur and novelist, died; born 1824.

1900—The Right Hon. Friedrich Max Müller, professor of philology at Oxford university, died; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:58, rises 6:23; moon sets 7:22 p. m.

VISITING OLD HAUNTS—President H. C. Misner of the Twenty Five Thousand Club is spending the day in his old haunts in and about Euclid.

AFTER DUCKS AND GEESE — Attorneys C. C. Longley and W. E. Rowe, and F. McLennen left this morning for Lengby near where they will hunt ducks for a few days.

FINISHING CONTRACT—Alderman T. A. Harris departed for Stephen this morning where he has had several large contracts which he has about finished up in the building mov ing line.

..TRIP TO FORKS— Messrs. Nault and Simmons proprietors of the Lyceum of this city left this afternoon on the N. P. for Grand Forks on some business matters and expect to return on the Great Northern this evening.

TO THE JOURNAL—Tak du, (thank you) for the fair and impartial verdict rendered in your columns last evening under the heading "Criticism is Unjust" and I truly believe same will hold O. K. in the last court.—"Jim".

LOST FINE HORSE—Bert Anderson the farmer residing on the O. H. Richardson farm south of the city lost a very fine horse yesterday with colic The horse was found cast in the morning, flat on his back and died a few minutes later.

FINE SAMPLES — Mr. Sundquist, representing the Reid-Murdock Co., of Chicago is spending the day in the city selling Manager Bob Cram of the Grocery Departmentt of the New Store some new goods and had a line of extra fine fruits, daintily packed which was certainly good to look at.

BARN FOUNDATION—F. C. Mitchell left for Beltrami the forepart of the week where he is putting in the foundation for a big barn 40 x 60 feet on a farm near that place owned by an eastern land company and which is handled by Mr. Keith at Beltrami.

SPECIAL MEETING —to be held at the Salvation Army hall tonight. Captain Ask and Lieut. Verron of Grand Forks will have charge of the service. Good music and singing. Coffee and cake will be served for the benefit of local work, small fee of 10 cents will be charged. You are all welcome to the meeting. Seats are free to all.

BACK TO GRACETON — E. I Keating left this morning for his home at Graceton, going via Bemidji and is anticipating some great shooting during the next few weeks. He has a couple of deer and a moose tied to a big cedar tree which will bid a final farewell to this world the day the season for killing big game opens.

HEAR HIM—One of the ablest men among laymen of Norway, to speak the word of God, is Faste Svendson. You shall have the opportunity of hearing him. He speaks at the Hauges Lutheran Church this evening at 8 o'clock, in the Norwegian language. It is well worth the sacrifice of time and energy to come out and hear him.

BIG JOB AT GRAND RAPIDS — Gus Schmidt and son Harry and a crew of men left this morning for Grand Rapids where they have a big job in completely repainting and redecorating the Hotel Pokegama, and will be busy there till about the first of December. Of course they took their rifles along, and before returning will go after the big game—and they will get their full limit as they always do.

COURT ADJOURNED—Mayor McPhee who had been summoned as a juror at the term of Federal court at Mankato which was to have convened today, receives notice that the session had been adjourned till Nov. 5th and thus did not have to be absent on election day. The action of the court in adjourning was a very wise and just one as it would have deprived the jurors of their right to vote had they appeared at Mankato today, as the distance would have been too great for many of them to have returned.

Hallock Is Jumping Ahead—Edward L. West, one of the original boosters of Hallock and Kittson county, was in the city last evening and he is enthusiastic over the outlook in his section. He says just as soon as the people can get politics out of their thoughts for a few minutes there will be something doing in his section of the state.

INDEP'DENCE IN VOTING URGED

ATTY. W. A. MARIN MADE STIRRING ADDRESS AT JOHNSON CLUB MEETING

LAST EVENING WHICH CREATED ENTHUSIASM—EXCELLENT ADDRESS ALSO

MADE BY ATTY. W. P. MURPHY AND J. E. O'BRIEN—LARGE CROWD

From Wednesday's Daily—

The John A. Johnson club held a large and enthusiastic meeting at their hall last night. The work of the different committees was reviewed, and approved. All the business was referred to the executive committee and the evening spent in informal talks and expressions from the different members.

Atty. W. A. Marin gave a more lengthy address that had in it much that was interesting and enlightening to the club members. Mr. Marin dwelt considerably on the rottenness of municipal affairs thruout this nation and blamed it to the apathy of the citizens, allowing bossism to dominate, and politicians for revenue, with no interest in the welfare of the general public.

Mr. Marin's speech dwelt on municipal, county, state and national affairs, in connection with the above Mr. Marin was a delegate to the late republican state convention and he very plainly explained, the methods used by the corporation interests, to control the convention and nominate Jake Jacobson, and in conclusion made a strong appeal for independence in voting.

Atty. W. P. Murphy spoke on the live issues before the people of Minnesota, and also gave some interesting reports of the Johnson, sentiment among republicans he met in his travels on the north border.

J. E. O'Brien was espied in the hall among the visitors and was called on for a few remarks and made a very entertaining non-partisan address that was very enthusiastically received by the boys.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday night and several prepared addresses will be delivered by the members, also outside speakers will be called in to enlighten the members.

The meetings are doing a lot of good to the young manhood of Crookston in broadening them along political and parliamentary lines.

ALL PLEASED WITH GRACETOWN CLAIMS

JACK ORINGER SPENDING DAY HERE FROM GRACETON RANCH

Jack Oringer the veteran timber claim locator, who located about a score of Crookston people on valuable cedar claims south of Graceton was an arrival in the city this morning and is spending the day with friends. Mr. Oringer has a claim of his own among the bunch which he values at $5,000, and is here today to sell a summer resort of 43 acres which he has at White Fish Lake, near Bemidji and which is improved. He intends to invest in more property at Graceton and is disposing of his other property for that purpose. He says not a single man he located is dissatisfied with his claim.

Yokohama, Oct. 26—The American battleship fleet steamed out of Yokohoma harbor at 8 o'clock this morning for Olongapo, P. I.

The day was beautiful and clear and the warships passing down the bay, with a Japanese escort presented a fine appearance.

There was not a single desertion from the fleet here and not a bluejacket was absent from his ship last night. The conduct of the men was remarkably orderly.

President Roosevelt's message, thanking the emperor and the Japanese people for the splendid reception given to the officers and men of the fleet will be handed to the emperor thru the foreign office to which it was presented by Ambassador Thos J. O'Brien.

Woman Interrupts Political Speaker

A well dressed woman interrupted a political speaker recently by continually coughing. If she had taken Foley's Honey and Tar it would have cured her cough quickly and expelled the cold from her system. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package Refuse substitutes.

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RETURNS FREE NEXT TUESDAY —TWO PHONES AT THE AUDITORIUM

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Northwestern Telephone and Telegraph Co., with the assistance of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., and other conecting companies will give the people of Crookston splendid election return service next Tuesday free of all charges.

Elaborate preparations have been made, the force of long distance operators will be increased, and the returns from the county, state and nation will be received just as fast as they are available. This is a service that the public will appreciate, and returns will be received much quicker than by telegraph from all parts of the United States and special efforts will be made to get the county returns all in that evening.

The company will place two special phones in the Auditorium for that purpose and the returns will be therefore more complete and quicker there than any place in the city.

PROMINENT YOUNG PEOPLE ARE WEDDED

Mr. Ray Young and Miss Ida Clapp Were Wedded at the Bride's Home at 6 O'clock Last Evening—Bride and Groom Were Unattended—Will Make Home at Minot After Wedding Trip.

At 6 o'clock last evening, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clapp 450 Hunter Street occurred the marriage of Miss Ida Clapp, to Mr. Ray Young of Devils Lake, Rev. W. S. Ward of the Presbyterian church officiating.

The ceremony was performed amidst a mass of floral decorations consisting of white carnations and maiden hair ferns in the large bay window, the bride and groom being unattended, and the ceremony being performed in the presence of relatives and intimate friends only. The bride was attired in a most becoming gown of Persian lawn, princess fashion, and carried a very large bouquet of bride's roses.

Following the ceremony and after congratulations had been extended the party repaired to the dining room where a sumptuous wedding supper was served, Mrs. Clapp being assisted in serving by Misses May Cameron and Inga Dahl. The dining room decorations were of red carnations and maiden hair ferns and were very effective.

The bride is one of the well known and talented young ladies of Crookston, prominent in church, social and church and musical circles, having a beautiful voice which has pleased many Crookston audiences, and which will be sadly missed in the Presbyterian church where she has been leading soprano for several years.

Mr. Young was raised in Crookston having made his home with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Young for years till recently when he located in Minot and Devils Lake where he is in business. He is a popular and energetic young business man and is rapidly climbing the ladder of success

The bridal couple departed last evening for Chicago, and St. Paul and will also be entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Hemminger at Prairie City, ra. Mrs. Hemminger having formerly been Miss Gatton of this city. Later they will proceed to Minot where they will make their future home.

The out of town guests included Tom Young of Devils Lake; Miss Ethel Young of Devils Lake; Mrs. E. D. Anderson of Penley, Minn. and Mr. Dwain Clapp of Devils Lake.

A beautiful array of present were received.

Deputy Game Warden E. C. Cooke did some good work while in the eastern end of the county last week. Two more heads and scalps were seized at Warroad. The possessors of the heads were two business men and they both plead guilty. One was fined $100 and the other $50. Mr. Cooke was offered $100 for one of the moose heads which was a magnificent specimen. They were shipped to St. Paul to the executive agent. Mr. Cooke also seized a fine hoop net and the offender paid a fine of $20.

HEARING IS SET FOR FRI.

MEN ACCUSED OF ROBBING MARTIN OLSON WERE ARRAIGNED

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON AND HELD UNDER $500 BONDS TO APPEAR

FOR HEARING BEFORE JUDGE GOSSMAN AT 2 O'CLOCK ON THURSDAY

From Wednesday's Daily—

Wm. Griffin and Mike McKenzie, the two men arrested at East Grand Forks charged with having robbed Martin Olson here Sunday morning at the Svea Hotel, were arraigned late yesterday afternoon before Judge Gossman of the municipal court and their hearing postponed till Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Their bonds were fixed at $500 each but neither could furnish them and they languish in jail.

BIG FAIR AT HALLOCK

LARGE CROWDS PRESENT—THE WEATHER BEING MOST FAVORABLE

EXCELLENT EXHIBITS OF STOCK GRAIN AND FARM PRODUCTS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Supt. Robertson of the State Experiment farm left this morning for Hallock where the Kittson County fair is in progress and will act as judge of live stock and some of the other exhibits.

A long distance telephone message today is to the effect that the attendance is very large the management being jubilant over the magnificent weather, farmers driving in from miles around.

The stock, grain and other farm produce exhibits are very gratifying and exceeded all expectations.

MEDICAL MEN HELD MEET

INTERESTING ADDRESSES AND DISCUSSIONS AT CITY HALL LAST NIGHT

AFTER MEETING BANQUET WAS ENJOYED AT THE GRILL

There was a good attendance at the quarterly meeting of the Red River Valley Medical Association last evening in the Commercial Club rooms in the city hall. The papers given by Drs. Kahala, Neraal and Holte were of a very interesting and learned character, and the discussions were very animated and interesting.

Following the meeting the members enjoyed a banquet at the Grill in which mine Host Ralston omitted nothing for the pleasure of his guests.

DOUBLE WEDDING AT PELICAN RAPIDS

Last Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock there was a double wedding at Pelican Rapids, the ceremony having been performed in the Oak Grove church, the contracting parties being Miss Marie Olive Swenson to Mr. Morgan Clausen and Miss Alice Clausen to Mr Liner Henry Lyngholm the latter being the well known and popular express messenger on the Greenbush line, the others being residents of Pelican Rapids. Mrs. Lyngholm is well known in Crookston, having graduated from one of the local business colleges.

Following the wedding the 200 guests adjourned to the home of the parents of the bride where a grand wedding feast was enjoyed and the festivities were kept up to a late hour in the evening, dancing being a feature.

Mr. Lyngholm and bride will enjoy a wedding tour to Nebraska and will return about the first of November to make their future home in Crookston.

One of the penalties for not spending your money on pleasures is the way you can waste it in investments.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. Correct any constipation by giving small laxative doses of Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
HAIR VIGOR.
AGUE CURE.
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We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

ENDURANCE AUTO TRIP

PARTY IN CITY TODAY ENROUTE FROM MICHIGAN TO MONTANA

GIVING AN OLDSMOBILE RUNABOUT A TEST OF ENDURANCE

From Friday's Daily—

W. D. Rightmore of Akron, Ohio, and F. R. Barlow of New York City arrived in the city this morning enroute from Michigan to Montana in an Oldsmobile runabout in an endurance contest. They remaied in the city for but a short time and left over the rood to Grand Forks—and they went some too.

ANOTHER "DODGER"

THIEF RIVER FALLS NEWS CALLS GOVERNOR JOHNSON A "DODGER"

JOHNSON SUPPORTERS WANT TO KNOW WHY JACOBSON DODGES CROOKSTON

From Friday's Daily—

Under flaring headlines of "Johnson the Dodger" the Thief River Falls News of this week states that Gov. Johnson addressed an immense audience in Thief River Falls Tuesday evening, and pays the speaker a high compliment as to his ability, etc., but the question that naturally suggests itself to the Johnson supporters is:

"Why is Jacobson not only dodging a great many important questions, but dodging Crookston, East Grand Forks and practically all of the other large cities of the state?"

Every republican in Crookston and the entire state knows well why he does not come to Crookston, because he would lose ten votes for every one he might gain.

Who is the greatest "dodger?"

JUST A QUARTER OF A HOG

The police last evening discovered half a side of fresh pork which without doubt had been stolen from some farmer. They have the pork at the station, and also have a man named Wm. Anderson who stole it.

THE WORLDS GREATEST SEWING MACHINE
LIGHT RUNNING
NEWHOME

If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread [*Chain Stitch*] Sewing Machine write to
THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
Orange, Mass.
Many sewing machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the New Home is made to wear.
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Sold by authorized dealers only.
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CROOKSTON FURNITURE CO.,

CHRIS ENGEN'S PLACE BURGLED

SNEAK THIEF BREAKS IN AND GETS AWAY WITH $22 WHILE BARTENDER IS OUT

TO LUNCH AT 3 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING—CLEVER WORK

OF OFFICERS QUIGLEY AND MURPHY IN EFFECTING THE CAPTURE

From Friday's Daily—

Chris Engen's place on DeMers avenue East Grand Forks was burgled at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and the thief succeeded in getting away with $22 only to be captured a few minutes later through the clever work of Officers Quigley and Murphy. About 3 o'clock J. F. Nicholson, the night bartender, had occasion to go out for lunch. At the time a young man a transient in town, was in the place, and Nicholson told him he would have to vacate, as he had to go out for lunch. Nicholson was not gone more than ten minutes and when he returned he found the cash register open and empty and some change scattered about the floor. Investigation disclosed the fact that a marauder had effected an entrance by breaking in the rear door.

He quickly summoned Officer Quigley, and just as the officer arrived noticed the man he had recently ordered out of the place on the opposite side of the street and taking long strides west. He ventured the opinion to Quigley that his late guest was the burglar. The officer started in pursuit and at the same time the stranger started at a lively burst of speed down Third street. He had the advantage of the officer momentarily as a runner, and fled thru the woods, evidently making for the Point. Mr. Quigley brought the telephone into requisition however, and asked Officer Murphy on the Point beat to intercept him. Murphy was on hand when the runner emerged from the woods enroute for the bridge and took him into custody. When he was examined at the station he gave his name as J. E. Marklund. In his outside coat pocket the officer found $13 and about $3 in change in an inside pants pocket. He was given a hearing on the charge of larceny in the municipal court yesterday afternoon.

G. A. E. Finlayson appeared for the prosecution and F. C. Massee for the defense. Mr. Engen placed his loss at $22. It developed that just a few minutes after the robbery the defendant had been in Buckley & Franklin's place and had cashed a silver dollar which was identified as having been taken from the cash register in Engen's place. The defendant was held to the district court on the larceny charge and at 2 o'clock this afternoon was given a hearing on the charge of burglary.

The republicans are giving considerable space in their organs in all sections of the state to prove to the people that J. F. Jacobson has a record for economy that has saved the state a few pennies, and his favorite cry at the present time is that the state government is costing too much money and infers that the amount necessary to conduct the government when he was fondly called "the watch dog of the treasury" was sufficient to take care of the greatly developed institutions and necessary expenses of the state government. Of course very few people who give any thought to this phase of the campaign will take any stock in such a campaign issue, for we believe the people of this great commonwealth are built upon a much broader foundation.

The absolute puerility of Mr. Jacobson's penny wise policy has but recently been strongly brought forth. During the recent prairie fires in northern Minnesota, it was found necessary to call out the naval militia in order to save life and property. They rendered the state great service and many a citizen owes his life at the present time to the untiring and heroic work of the naval militia. It did work for the state that has repaid it many times over for the amount of expense entailed since its organization and has demonstrated that the legislator who would oppose its creation did so without cause, reason or foreeight. Yet if you will look at the record, you will find that Mr. Jacobson did this very thing.

There is not a citizen who has any regard for his state, but can see that the men who were responsible for the creation o fthe naval militia and for the development of the land militia, were doing an act that would count heavily in the future welfare of the people and they cannot accept Mr. Jacobson's views as being those of a statesman such as his followers and associates are so fond of calling him, and they cannot come to any other conclusion, but that he was "penny wise and pound foolish" as he did on a number of occasions while serving in the state legislature.

A SWINDLER IS NEATLY CAUGHT

Man Who Made Off With Express Money Orders And Forged Is Caught.

WRITES FROM TOLNA THAT HE DESIRES $140 WORTH OF GOLD DUST AND NUGGETS—WHEN HE CALLS FOR PACKAGE DETECTIVE IS THERE AND MAKES ARREST

Devils Lake, N. D., Oct. 24—Having confessed to burglary, forgery and attempt to get money under false pretenses, all committed as a part of his plan to swindle merchants in Minneapolis and Chicago, Thomas Charlson is in jail at Devils Lake as the result of the activities of a Minneapolis business man who was chosen as one of the victims in swindle.

William Cohen jewelry dealer at 318 Nicollet avenue and detectives of the Great Northern Express company, Warnick, N. D., office, which was looted of many orders, set a trap for Charlson, who walked into it Thursday at Tolna, N. D. The company's express at Warwick was robbed Oct. 15 by a man who took a block of blank money orders.

Three Checks Show Up

Some days later three of these checks showed up in a letter to Cohen requesting him to send the writer John Orlund, gold dust and nuggets worth $140. As Mr. Cohen isn't a dealer in raw material, he suspected the writer, and was convinced the checks were forged. When he took them to the Minneapolis office of the express company A. C. Neal manager, investigated and learned that a block of the same series as those sent Mr. Cohen had been stolen. The matter was then turned over to one of the company's detectives who went to Tolna, where the writer asked to have the gold dust sent.

When Charlson inquired at the window for the package the detective promptly stepped out and arrested him. Seeing the game was up, the prisoner confessed.

Orders All Held

In the meantime the company received an inquiry from Chicago where merchants had received other forged orders and requests for gold. The orders sent to them, however, were held and all have been accounted for and will be turned over to the company. Charlson said he had been a wanderer since he was 14. He said all the orders were filled in by himself. He was taken to jail in Devils Lake to await trial. He has a confederate he says.

REVOLT LEADERS ARRESTED

ARE ACCUSED OF FOMENTING INSURRECTION ON AMERICAN SOIL

IFFLAM'RY LITERATURE

ARMS AND AMMUNITION FOUND ON SUSPECTED PARTIES BY THE OFFICIALS OF U. S.

Five Alleged Revolutionary Leaders Were Arrested in El Paso last June a Few Days Before the Insurrectionary Outbreaks Occurred in Mexico.

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 24— Charged with fomenting a revolution on United States soil against a friendly nation Preciliano D. Silva and Lecardio Trevino were found guilty by a jury in the United States court for the western section of Texas today.

Benjamin Silva and Jose Maria Ramiroz were acquitted on the same charge. Trevino and Silva will be sentenced by Judge Maxey tomorrow. The penalty prescribed is not less than one, nor more than five years imprisonment.

Five alleged revolutionary leaders were arrested in El Paso last June a few days before the insurrectionary outbreaks occurred in Mexico. Alleged inflammatory literature, arms and ammunition, explosives and maps were seized by the federal authorities at the time.

Appeal will be taken to the circuit court of appeals by the convicted revolutionists.

Saved His Boy's Life

"My three-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life," A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

For sale by All Druggists.

You'll never catch on if you don't try; and after catching on, don't be afraid to let go if necessary.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

RAINFALL REPORTED IN EAST

MOORE SAYS THAT SUFFICIENT RAIN WILL FALL TO EXTINGUISH FIRES

NEW YORK GETTING IT

CONDEMS PEOPLE WHO WOULD GULL THE PEOPLE WITH RAIN MACHINES

Says Scientists Thruout the Country Frown upon their Practices—Seems to be of the Opinion that Artificial Rainfall is not Practical — Forest Fire Out.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 24—In a statement today Willis L. Moore chief of the weather bureau says that rain is now falling in a number of states south and west of New York and it is more than likely that rain to a sufficient quantity to extinguish forest fires.

He points out that all efforts of an artificial nature to cause rain are but the worst forms and that scientists the world over condemn in the strongest terms the efforts of those who take advantage of a public necessity by exploiting themselves or securing pecuniary gain.

RESULT OF STRAW VOTE

J. R. RASMUSSEN POLLED THE PASSENGERS ON THIEF RIVER FALLS TRAIN

OUT OF 51 VOTES 33 WERE FOR JOHNSON AND 18 FOR JACOBSON

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday on the Thief River Falls train John R. Rasmussen and others took a poll of the passengers as to their standing on governor. As a result of the straw vote it was found that 33 were for Johnson and 18 for Jacobson.

This was a representative crowd, some being farmers, some travelling men and others business men and is indicative of the outcome of the coming election.

A HUBBY IS WANTED

YOUNG BENEDICT FROM NORTHERN POLK CO. TURNS UP MISSING

HAD A SPAT WITH HIS YOUNG WIFE AND TAKES A VACATION

From Thursday's Daily—

There is a young hubby from Northern Polk Co., and not located clear on the border either, who is being sought after by his life. They were not married many months ago, but it appears that the family jars that have occurred since would hold all the fruit put up in Polk Co.

Recently they took a short trip, during which hostilities broke out worse than ever. As a result "Hubby" came to Crookston where he remained for a few days and has now left for Minneapolis.

In the meantime there are ombinous mutterings from the northwest and the next chapter is apt to be enacted before Judge Watts unless revenge is secured thru the meat ax route.

CARMAN WELL DOING FINE

IS NOW FLOWING 250 BARRELS EVERY 24 HOURS—PEOPLE PLEASED

AS FOR THE PAST YEAR THEY HAVE HAD PRACTICALLY NO WATER

The Carman well which for months past has been dry, is now supplying the people with all the water they want and more too. The flow now amounts to 250 barrels every 24 hours and the indications are that the supply will more than meet the demands for years to come.

The well was cleaned out several times, but for some reason the flow could not be restored, but the last attempt was successful beyond expectations. The residents of Carman are naturally very much pleased as they have been fighting for water for months past—and have at last got it.

JOHNSON BROS. LOOK OVER PLANT

A. J. Johnson, president of the Crookston Pure Food Co., came up from Fargo this morning accompanied by his three brothers, E. A. Johnson of Glenwood, Chas. H. Johnson of Fargo and G. W. Johnson of Ulen, all the brothers being interested in the various plants located at the respective places. They are spending the day looking over the local plant, which has been pronounced by Food Inspector E. B. Heiberg to be one of the most sanitary in the state of Minnesota, which complies with every pure food law both in letter and in spirit.

HELD RALLY AT CLIMAX

At Climax last evening the Republicans held a rally which was addressed by Atty. A. A. Miller, J. C. Sathre and Representative John Saugstad. There was a good attendance and the speakers are reported to have made rousing political addresses. Deputy Sheriff Daniels was among those who attended from this city.

FOUR LITTLE CHILDREN BURIED

Four little children were buried yesterday and today. George Verreaux son of Mr and Mrs. J. V. Verreaux was buried from St. Annes church.

John, the six weeks' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Moran was buried from St. Marys church yesterday.

Mary the 4 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nelson was buried this afternoon.

Baby Isaacs, the 3 months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Isaacs was buried this afternoon from St. Marys church.

Winona Independent: Eighteen spellbinders for the Republican state ticket, besides Jacobson, who really should not count because he is said to be making votes for Johnson, will scatter over the state next week and attempt to turn the tide for Jacobson. But four times eighteen could not do it. The people are for Johnson, the pride of Minnesota.

ERSKINE AGENT TOOK A NAP

DEPOT LOCKED THIS MORNING WHEN TRAIN FROM DULUTH PASSED THRU

MAIL WAS PICKED UP BY MAIL CLERK BUT EXPRESS WAS LEFT

From Thursday's Daily—

Lightning or something else struck Erskine this morning and when the train from Duluth passed thru the depot was locked and no tickets could be purchased.

The mail was picked up by the railway mail clerk but the express was locked up and naturally could not be taken aboard. The train auditor, mail clerk and conductor were wondering when Crookston was reached whether the alarm clock had exploded or whether there was an overdose of politics in that vicinity.

Some wag on the platform suggested that J. F. Jacobson had been there and put the whole population to sleep.

A. R. HOLSTON FOR CONGRESS

FORMER CROOKSTON RESIDENT IS A SOCIALIST CANDIDATE

WAS COUNTY ATTORNEY OF POLK COUNTY FOR SEVERAL TERMS

Many old time friends and acquaintances of Atty. A. R. Holston former county attorney of Polk Co., and for many years a well known practicing attorney of this city, will be interested in the knowledge that Mr. Holston is a candidate for Congress this year from the Los Angeles, Cal., District, where he has been residing for the past few years, on the Socialist ticket, and reports are received to the effect that he is making a great hustle for votes, and he proved when here that he was a vote getter of the first quality.

INSPECTING DITCHES

GEO. RALPH ENGINEER OF STATE DRAINAGE BOARD IS LOOKING

OVER DITCHES IN EASTERN END OF COUNTY — JUDICIAL DITCH NO. 4

Geo. A. Ralph, engineer of the State Drainage Board is up from St. Paul and left this morning for Erskine and other points in the east end of the county and will go to Wanke before returning to inspect Judicial Ditch No. 4, one of the first constructed in Polk County, and over which there has been more or less controversy. He will be absent for several days.

WORKINGMEN HAD BIG MEET

INITIATED A LARGE CLASS AND LADIES SERVED A FINE LUNCH

Last evening the members of the Scandinavian Workingmen's Assn., held an enthusiastic meeting at which a large class was initiated including Senator A. D. Stephens, Dr. O. L. Bertelson, Geo. Hamery, Magnus Lundberg, Wm. Nelson and Mr. Skaren. Following the initiation the Ladies Auxilliary served a most tempting lunch and all present thoroly enjoyed the occasion.

RETURNED FROM A MOST PLEASANT TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burke have returned from an extended trip to Iowa Illinois and other sections of the east and middle west, enjoying a several days' stay in Chicago. Mr. Burke the popular brakeman on the Fargo St. Vincent passenger run donned his uniform this morning. Mrs. Burke stopped off at Ada where she will visit relatives a few days before returning here. Mr. Burke reports a most enjoyable time.

It's generally cheaper to stay married than it is to pay alimony.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Oct. 22 In History.

1740—Sir Philip Francis, alleged author of the famous Junius letters, born in Dublin; died 1818.
1883—Captain Mayne Reid, well known English novelist of adventure, died; born 1818.
1904—Peace treaty between Chile and Bolivia.
1907—The Knickerbocker Trust company of New York closed its doors, owing depositors $70,000,000.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:06, rises 6:16; moon rises 4:21 a. m.; moon's age 28 days; 1:40 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, passing 4½ degrees north of the planet from west to east.

Fred Brosseau left this morning for a trip up the St. Vincent line.

Tom Bjoin left this morning for Grand Forks on business.

R. H. Turner was a passenger to Grand Forks this morning.

Save your money. Buy GOLD SEAL Overshoes and Rubber Boots—Cheapest because wear longest. Ask your dealer. Not sold by Mail Order houses.—Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Makers.

Chief Barrette and Secretary Johnstone today began making the arrangements for the 26th annual ball of the Crookston Fire Department which will be held in the new council chambers Thursday evening Nov. 5.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

WILL MEET SATURDAY — The Juvenile Band will meet at the usual place next Saturday morning at 8:30 and any of the boys interested should be present.

Henry Larson returned this morning from Dakota where he has been spending the fall threshing.

HAVE CHANGED BEATS—Officer Sam Godbout who has had a beat on this side of the river has exchanged beats with Officer Nelson who has been stationed in Carman, and was introduced to the people of Carman on his new beat by Officer Nelson last evening.

HERE FROM ST. PAUL — Fred Rupp of St. Paul, 1013 McLean Ave., is spending the day in the city. He is very much interested in that $20,000,000 fortune in the hands of the German government, in which the Rupp descendants will participate in a very short time.

HAD A GOOD LAUGH— A couple of Democrats, and good ones, were standing in front of the Republican headquarters which were opened on Tuesday evening where the Grill restaurant was formerly located, two doors west of the Journal office. As they were standing there the large pictures of Congressman Steenerson and J. F. Jacobson, the stickers on which had loosened by the moisture on the window fell down, and W. H. Taft's picture was left alone in the center of the window. The democrats thought it a good one on Jacobson and Steenerson and were of the opinion that the two were scrapping and the outcome of the fight—providing the two were fighting.

The Crookston Taft-Jacobson club was organized last evening in the Republican headquarters which were opened on Robert sttreet Tuesday and a very enthusiastic bunch of old line Republicans with a liberal infusion of young blood were present and enrolled as members. The organization was effected by the election of the following officers:

President—N. A. Bray.
Secretary—H. L. Femrite.

The following vice presidents were elected: Oliver Johnson, Fred C. Reidesel, A. M. Sivrtson.

Trasurer—Judge T. T. Morken.

The club starts out with a good membership and this evening another big rally will be held at which time preparations will be made for the address here next Saturday of Atty. General E. T. Young. The principal address this evening will be made by Capt. M. R. Brown.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 23 In History.

Francis Jeffrey.

1730—Anne Oldfield, famous actress, died in London.
1773—Francis Jeffrey, famous Scotch critic, who conducted the Edinburgh Review and attacked the poets of the period, Scott, Byron, Moore and others, born; died 1850.
1781—News of the surrender of Cornwallis to General Washington at Yorktown reached Philadelphia, then the seat of government, four days after the event.
1872—Theophile Gautier, French dramatist and journalist, died at Paris; born 1811.
1907—$25,000,000 from the United States treasury deposited in New York city to relieve the money market.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:04, rises 6:18; moon rises 5:21 a. m.

C. Q. Roemer went to Erskine this morning.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

TOOK A STRAW VOTE —On the Halstad line yesterday Hans Jerdinger took a straw vote and the result was as follows: Taft 109, Bryan 52, Johnson 77, Jacobson 32.

BURIED HIS MOTHER—S. L. Collins returned this evening from Moquoketa, Ia., where he buried his mother. She died last Saturday and was buried Thursday. Mr. Collins was notified of her illness but did not reach her bedside in time to see her alive.

WILL VISIT CITIES—Clyde Goodwin, one of the well known threshermen of Euclid and Angus drove to the city Wednesday on business and returned home yesterday. He expects to leave in about a week for Minneapolis where he will spend the greater portion of the winter. He took occasion to see that his Journal subscription was advanced for another year and gave a hurrah for Johnson when he paid it.

Mrs. O. M. Siverson was very pleasantly surprised by the Daughters of Norway Wednesday evening in honor of her birthday. She was the recipient of a beautiful gift. Refreshments were brought along and everyone enjoyed a social hour before saying goodnight.

Miss Clara Matheson daughter of Ex-Alderman Matheson, departed last night for St. Louis, Mo., to resume her duties as a nurse. She has spent the past four months here visiting relatives and friends.

Ticket Clerk Kjorsvik at the Great Northern depot will leave on Monday next for an extended trip east, during which he will visit Chicago, New York Washington and other points in that section of the country. He will be about a month.

A number of the young men of Euclid have rented the Woodmen hall at Key West and will give a dance there tonight. They have secured an orchestra from Grand Forks and are planning on a very large sized time.

The republicans held a big rally at their headquarters last evening the meeting having been addressed by Atty. A. A. Miller, Prof. J. C. Sathre, Postmaster Elias Steenerson, S. W. Wheeler, W. H. Kelsey, Henry Francis, H. Brule and Capt. M. R. Brown. Arrangements were completed for the appearance here tonight of Atty. General E. T. Young at the Auditorium.

Are You Looking For A Pudding?

Most people are, and D-Zerta Quick Pudding is the only quick dessert that delights and satisfies every housekeeper and the entire family. Every package guaranteed under the Pure Food Laws. Try a package of D-Zerta Pudding to-day from your grocer and you will buy often and tell your friends. Various flavors at all grocers, 10 cents. Order to-day.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 24 In History.

1648—The peace of Westphalia ended the dreadful Thirty Years' war in Europe.
1655—Pierre Gassendi or Gassend French philosopher and mathematician, died; born 1592.
1852—Daniel Webster, American orator and statesman, died; born 1782.
1907—Second deposit of $25,000,000 United States funds placed in New York banks.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:03, rises 6:19; moon rises 6:22 a. m.; moon's age 29½ days; 1:40 a. m., eastern time, new moon in constellation Libra with the sun; 11:30 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury, passing 6 degrees north of the planet from west to east.

ON HUNTING TRIP — Rev. C. C. Warner left this morning for a little duck hunt out on the east line. He will return this evening to hold services tomorrow as usual.

PUT IN NEW GRADER — E. D. Thompson and Will Stone returned last evening from Highlanding east of Thief River Falls where they sold a fine road grader and put it in operation.

WILL HAVE SALE—G. W. Stocker residing south of the city is to have a big sale next Friday. He will sell all his property here and leave for Missouri where he will make his future home.

INDUSTRIAL AGENT HERE — J. H. Griffin industrial agent for the G. Northern, formerly located here and Grand Forks as local agent, is spending the day in the city. He says conditions generally are excellent thruout the northwest and he looks for one of the best years for business ever experienced in this section.

STRAW VOTE TAKEN—On Market Day a straw vote was taken at the Grand View hotel. It is probable that the vote cast is a fair expression of the preferences of those voting. Each person entering the hotel was presented with a ballot to cast and an effort was made to keep a record of the votes cast so that there was little opportunity for "stuffing". One hundred and two votes were cast. For president Bryan got 46 and Taft 51 and for governor Johnson got 75 and Jacobson 25. It will be seen that there are several Taft-Johnson men in town. There were three ballots for Bryan and Jacobson. Debs got one vote for president.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

The big state ditch contract, ten miles north of East Grand Forks has been completed. The Marais a shallow stream was deepened for miles, and a large area will be drained. The ditch was dammed at the Red River and filled with water by means of pumps. Then the ditching outfit was floated along.

The contractors are now waiting for State Engineer Ralph to arrive to inspect the ditch. When he comes the dam at the river will be blown out by the use of dynamite and the ditch will soon be emptied.

The contract for moving the heavy machinery to East Grand Forks was awarded to Pat Powers. There are 100 tons of machinery to be moved.

John Smith of Larimore and Miss Annie Beckstrom of Middle River, Marshall county, Minn., were married yesterday by Judge L. K. Hassell. John Russell and Miss Edna Willah Allan of Winnipeg were married by Rev. F. E. R. Miller of the First Baptist church.—Grand Forks Herald.

Supt. Elliott, formerly of this city, and now transferred to Grand Forks to succeed Supt. Nicholson who goes to Great Falls, left for his new location this morning accompanied by Mrs. Elliott. Their departure from Crookston is sincerely regretted.

Dayton, Ohio, Oct. 23—As he was boarding a train for New York City here this afternoon, Broughton Brandenberg was arrested by local detectives on the charge of forgery and New York City police department advised the local department to hold Brandenberg. He is alleged to have sold the New York Times a letter which he represented to have been written by Grover Cleveland, in which the dead statesman predicted the election of Taft and which letter is now declared to have been a forgery.

Brandenberg was locked up in the police station, as the amount of his bail was not fixed. It was said by his attorney tonight that if his client was not released tomorrow he will institute habeas corpus proceedings.

In a statement issued tonight Brandenberg says he had the proper authority from Mrs. Cleveland and from Mr. Hastings, co-executor of the Cleveland estate before he sold the article to the Times, and asks if it is reasonable that any sane man would falsify the utterances of an expresident of the United States for $120.

Women don't dress to please men as much as they do to displease the women.

A man is apt to be fooling himself when he thinks he is fooling his wife.

Cremated Man Was Resident Of Beltrami

Man Who Was Cremated In The Donnybrook Jail Proves To Have Been W. E. Dytch A Well Known Farmer Of Beltrami.

W. E. Dytch, a well known farmer of Beltrami, leaving a wife and two sons was the man cremated at Donnybrook yesterday. He left for Montana a week ago. T. O. Hafdahl of the First State Bank of Beltrami left today to bring back the remains which will be shipped to Mason City, Ia., the old home for interment.

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Yesterday the Journal contained an account of a distressing calamity at Donnybrook, North Dakota. Cre-

Donnybrook, N. D., Oct. 23— Cremated in jail which the victim undoubtedly started himself, was the fate of the man held in lockup there who was found after the flames had been extinguished at 2:30 yesterday his remains charred beyond any possible identification. The man was arrested on the charge of insanity and was to be taken to Minot today to be examined by the commission. He was alone in jail, held in cell.

About 2 o'clock yesterday morn the building in which the jail is located was discovered in flames and before the town marshal could get to the imprisoned man the place was a mass of flames. When the fire was extinguished the remains of the man were found clinging to the cell bars where he had wrestled frantically in an endeavor to gain his freedom. There was absolutely nothing on him for "identification with the exception of a gold ring bearing the initials "P" to "T" which it is believed may form some clue to finding out who the unfortunate man is.

$5,000 WORTH OF PAPER

WAS LOST IN GRIP WHICH WAS STOLEN FROM G. N. DEPOT THIS MORNING

IN BANK DEPOSIT SLIPS IN BANK OF EVANSVILLE — WORTHLESS TO FINDER

From Saturday's Daily—

A. Erickson arrived on Number 5 on the G. N. this morning from Evansville enroute to Greenbush where he has a brother and where he intends to purchase land.

He left a small red leather grip in the depot for a minute while he was making inquiries and it was stolen, no trace having been found of it since tho the police have searched high and low for suspicious characters.

The grip contained $5,000 worth of checks and drafts on the Bank of Evansville, but they would be no good to anyone but the owner, tho the thief might victimize some business man by getting him to cash them, representing himself to be Erickson.

Mr. Erickson will remain over till Monday in an effort to locate the lost grip. Aside from the checks and drafts the grip contained nothing but a few articles of wearing apparel.

MADE A GOOD IMPRESSION

INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS PLEASES HIS HEARERS

Ole Sageng, the farmer candidate for Congress, made a good reputation for himself and not a few votes, in an address he made before a good audience at the court house in this city last Saturday—Market Day.

Many people had considered Ole's candidacy for congress as a joke, but those who heard his address have a different opinion of him now. He gave a good talk on good government and stated his position on public questions He favors tariff revision and opposes the expenditure of such large sums of money as have been spent in constructing battle ships. He believes that some of that money could be used more profitably in making internal improvements, constructing highways etc.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

HELD ON SECOND CHARGE YESTERDAY

The case of Markund, charged with breaking into Engen's place at East Grand Forks on Thursday morning, was given a hearing in the municipal court yesterday afternoon before Judge Sullivan. G. A. E. Finlayson appeared for the prosecution and F. C. Massee, for the defendant. The evidence indicated the defendant had used an axe in breaking in the door. He was bound over to the district court, and in default of bail was committed to the county jail and was brought over last evening by Deputy Sheriff Daniels.

BIG WELCOME OF JAPANESE HISTORY

The Series Of Brilliant Functions Brought To A Close Last Evening.

REAR ADMIRAL SPERRY TENDERED OVATION IN TRIP THRU THE STREETS WHICH VISIBLY AFFECTED THE GRIM OLD ADMIRAL —VISIT HAS MEANT MUCH TO FRIENDSHIP AND COMMERCIAL RELATIONS BETWEEN COUNTRIES

Yokohoma, Oct. 24—The series of incomparably brilliant functions which have characterized Japan's reception of the American fleet, came to a close here tonight with a dinner on board the battleship Fuji, the guests of which were confined to the American ambassador, rear-admirals and other officers. There was also a brilliant reception on the battleship Milkasa to which all the prominent Americans here were invited, with the accompliments of illumination of the fleet, fire works and a torch light procession on shore.

Popular with the Japs

Rear Admiral Sperry today endeared himself to the Japanese people by personally attending the funeral of General Count Hodzu and placing a wreath on the casket. Later a luncheon was given at Shiba palace and the Admiral accompanied by his aides, walked from the palace to the Shimbashi railway station passing along Ginza, the principal street of Tokio, which was massed with people. The admiral was recognized and almost mobbed by tens of thousands of enthusiastic people but everywhere was treated with respect. Thousands sought to shake him by the hand, and the ovation lasted the whole length of the street. The stern old admiral was deeply impressed and at times stopped to shake hands with some individual who speaking English, halted him for the benefit of the others.

Middie Saves Jap Flag

"A single incident will illustrate the spirit in which the American sailors accepted the welcome of the Japanese. This evening a triumphal arch at the entrance of the principal street of Yokohoma caught fire the blaze reaching up toward a Japanese flag floating from a flagstaff at the top and threatening to destroy the flag. An American Jackie shied up the framework of the arch thru the blaze, broke off the staff and carried the flag safely to the ground. This act was witnessed by thousands and created a profound impression. The youngster received an ovation which continued until he was forced to run for shelter.

SERIOUSLY HURT IN CAVE-IN

FOULKE IS NEARLY SMOTHERED WHEN RESCUED BY HIS FELLOW WORKERS

COLLAR BONE IS SPLINTERED AND CHEST BADLY BRUISED—FALLS ON FACE

From Saturday's Daily—

Frank Foulke, employed by Contractor Carroll on the North Third street sewer extension at Grand Forks had a remarkable escape from death yesterday when the bank caved in upon him. He fell on his face and had nearly smoothered when fellow employes dug him out. He was revived and hurried to his home on Dell avenue.

There Dr. T. Mulligan looked after his injuries. He is suffering a good deal from severe bruises on his chest and his collar bone is badly splintered His injuries are such that he will be laid up for a long time. He makes his home with his father on Dell avenue.

Intoxicating strains of music seldom come from a barrel organ.

It's always better to throw bouquets than it is to hand lemons.

TEACH USE OF GASOLINE

CAPT. BROWN THINKS EXPERT COULD SECURE GOOD CLASS THIS WINTER

GENERAL USE OF GASOLINE AND GENERAL LACK OF KNOWLEDGE EVIDENT

From Saturday's Daily—

Capt. M. R. Brown in talking with a representative of the Journal this morning made a most excellent suggestion and one that will appeal to the general public.

It was to the effect that as gasoline was coming into general use as a motive power, as well as for lighting purposes and cooking, that some expert on the subject might organize a class for instruction the coming winter, and that general encouragement would be offered.

The subject is a very important one and there is no question but that the proper person would receive every encouragement, and secure a large class for instruction.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

ALMOST STAMPEDED MEETING FOR JOHNSON

Attorney Gen. Young And A. A. Miller Make Learned Addresses But Young's Praise Of Johnson Started Pandemonium.

From Monday's Daily—

The first Republican rally of the season here Saturday evening was perhaps the most peculiar political gathering ever held in Crookston. The predictions that there would be only a corporal's guard there was a mistake as the Auditorium was filled.

A Splendid Address

The meeting was addressed first by Attorney A. A. Miller, who devoted his attention entirely to the achievements of the Republican Party from a national standpoint, and his address was one of the most concise and to the point ever delivered on the subject.

Attorney General Young

He was followed by Attorney General E. T. Young who also made a splendid address, first on national politics and devoting most of his time to a defense of J. F. Jacobson and state issues, sandwiching in an explanation of some of the great litigations he has been involved in as attorney general.

Lack of Enthusiasm

Both addresses were excellent but there was no enthusiasm in evidence. There were punctuations of applause started every time from the platform audience and scattered claps from the audience, but the only real outburst of applause was when Mr. Young said that he did not approve of abusing any candidate and that John A. Johnson was a man of high character, good motives and good citizenship in every sense of the words.

Vociferous Applause

This statement seemed to touch the popular chord and the applause which started lasted for several minutes and was the only real enthusiasm of a general character which was displayed thruout the entire evening, and this was the more remarkable as the addresses of both Attorney Miller and Attorney General Young were of a character to arouse enthusiasm if any could be aroused among the republicans.

Stephens Presided

Senator A. D. Stephens presided and introduced the speakers of the evening in his usual witty and affable manner and it should not pass unnoticed that in his address Attorney General Young paid Senator Stephens a very high compliment when he referred to the splendid work of the chairman in securing for Crookston the Crookston School of Agriculture.

STORE AND POST OFFICE ROBBED AT BENA SUNDAY

Ernest Fleming's Big Store Broken Into And From $500 To $1100 Taken. Would Have Got $15,000 Three Days Later.

From Monday's Daily—

Ernestt Flemming's big store at Bena was burglarized Sunday morning, the post office also being located in the same building. From the post office there was stolen $250 in stamps and about $8.50 in silver, and from Mr. Flemming's private safe about $250 in cash.

The thieves then stole a Great Northern hand car and made off either east or west, no trace having been found of the handcar as yet. One suspect was arrested at Cass Lake yesterday but there is little evidence against him.

The peculiar part of the deal is that the burglars made a big mistake that they did not wait till Tuesday when the Indians are to get a payment and Mr. Flemming would have had at least $15,000 in cash in his safe which they could have secured.

The store was entered thru a rear window and the safe dynamited. It is believed that there were several in the gang otherwise a handcar could not have been used.

CHIEF ECK CAPTURES TWO SUSPECTED ROBBERS

HE GIVES THE EAST GRAND FORKS POLICE GREAT PRAISE FOR THEIR CLEVER WORK—RETURNED WITH TWO MEN THIS AFTERNOON—GRIFFIN SURE ONE OF MEN WANTED — McKENZIE HIS PAL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Chief Eck, returned this afternoon from East Grand Forks where he probably secured the two men who Sunday morning robbed Martin Olson of $51 in cash and his watch. Chief Eck Sunday phoned to the East Grand Forks department of the robbery and as a result a man who calls himself Wm. Griffin was arrested when he attempted to cash a draft for $25 in favor of Martin Olson. Officers Chris Nelson and Hugh Quigley landed Griffin after terrific fight and Griffin's pal, Mike McKenzie was also arrested and brought to this city by Chief Eck.

Griffin had purchased a new suit of clothes and had some money on his person, as well as the Martin Olson draft.

No trace of the stolen watch has as yet been found but the East Grand Forks police believe they will be able to locate it.

Chief Eck gives the East Grand Forks police the greatest measure of credit for the fine work they did in locating the much wanted thieves, who it looked as though had ninety-nine chances out of 100 to get away as they had left no trace of their work. For his clever work in landing the thieves Chief Eck is entitled to great credit.

Some time early Sunday morning two men with whom Martin Olson had chummed Saturday evening, entered his room at the Svea Hotel and went thru his clothes taking $26 in cash, a check for $25 and a $10 watch.

They then returned to an adjoining room which they occupied, locked the door and jumped thru a window to the roof of a shed adjoining, and as far as is known are going yet. All that is known of either of these men is that one worked this fall near Fisher.

Olson discovered he was touched as soon as he awoke. With the clerk he went to the room of the men with whom he had been the night before, but as the door was locked they decided to wait till the inmates got up of their own accord.

At 8 o'clock Officer Nelson was notified, broke in the door and discovered that the birds had flown.

Martin said "godamit ma panga er all gang to hal".

BIG MEETING AT E. G. F.

SENATOR DUFFY OF ALABAMA AND HON. T. R. BANGS OF GRAND FORKS

ADDRESSED A LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC AUDIENCE—O'BRIEN NOT THERE

From Tuesday's Daily—

There was a large and enthusiastic gathering at Keller's Hall, East Grand Forks last evening which was addressed by Senator Duffy of Alabama and Hon. Tracy R. Bangs of Grand Forks Both are logical and eloquent speakers and they created great enthusiasm in this discussion of both state and national issues.

Despite the inclement weather the hall was packed and the meeting was a success in every particular, and as a result there is more Democratic enthusiasm in the west end metropolis than ever before and there has been plenty of it from the start.

Several of the faithful were present from Crookston and report that it looks practically all Johnson in western Polk.

GOOD DEMAND FOR LABOR

BEMIDJI ATTORNEY SAYS THERE WILL BE MUCH LOGGING DONE

MORE MEN NEEDED THAN FOR MANY YEARS PAST SAY EMPLOYMENT AGENTS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Attorney Chas. Srutchins of Bemidji spent yesterday in the city and in an interview stated that the employment agents there report that they have orders for more men to work in the lumber camps than they have had for years. and that it was estimated that twice as many logs would be banked as were cut last winter

He says work is assured to practically all the men who can be secured and that the prospects of a busy winter has already given an impetus to business in the lumber country where heavy logging means an immense business in all lines.

Last winter was the most quiet in the history of northern Minnesota and there were more idle men strolling from camp to camp looking for work. The wages were low and the men were dissatisfied, and after working long enough in one place to secure a small stake would head for some other camp to get better wages. The quest would be in vain and after a while they would take another "mooch" as they call it, and this process was kept up till spring when very few of the men had money enough to get west on and were broke when they arrived in the cities.

BACK FROM A FOUR MONTHS TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Scribner and family returned this morning from a four months' trip during which they visited Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, Wisconsin and several of the southern states and report a most delightful trip, Mr. Sribner reporting better health than he has enjoyed for some time past.

He is glad to get back, and says conditions here are better than any where he has been The fruit crop in the east is but a half crop and in places poor at that in quality. It has been exceedingly dry in both Indiana and Kentucky.

Mr. Scribner bought a fine carload of apples in New Hampshire which he expects in a short time and will sell them here.

TAKES CHARGE OF BUFFINGTON FARM

J. F. Stewart one of the well known farmers residing near Key West will take charge of the Buffington farm, northwest of the city, succeeding Geo. Barnes as manager on Nov. 4th for the eastern owners of the farm, which is one of the largest in Polk Co. Mr. Stewart is one of the old timers of Polk county and has many friends thruout this section.

Are You Only Half Alive

People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality ,and weak, delicate people are restored to health. Refuse any but Foley's.

For sale by All Druggists.

IS SAID TO HELP MANY

PREPARE THIS SIMPLE RECIPE AT HOME AND TRY IT—MANY WAIT TOO LONG

DRUGGISTS HERE IN TOWN SAY THEY CAN SUPPLY THE INGREDIENTS

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered as the most certain prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended It is the prescription of an eminent authority whose entire reputation, it is said was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked, stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

A RUNAWAY PROVED FATAL

CHAS RAMSEY KILLED IN AN ACCIDENT AT BARNUM MINNESOTA

WAS CRUSHED TO DEATH WHILE HAULING TIMBERS FOR THE SOO

REMAINS TAKEN THRU CITY YESTERDAY FOR ERSKINE—BURIED TODAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Killed in a runaway at Barnum, Minnesota, last Saturday the remains of Chas. Ramsey aged 34 were taken thru this city yesterday in charge of his brother, Geo. Ramsey to Erskine where they were buried today. Ramsey was driving a team loaded with heavy timbers for Baraboo and Hickok, Soo railroad contractors and in going down a steep hill the neck yoke broke and the load went crashing to the bottom, the horses in some miraculous manner escaping but Ramsey fell in front of the load and was crushed underneath the timbers. Deceased was single and his mother resides south of Erskine tne family having resided there for years.

INSANE MAN IN COSTODY

MARTIN AKER OF PARK RIVER, FOUND WANDERING OVER PRAIRIE

HE WAS BAREFOOT—NORTH OF EAST GRAND FORKS

From Saturday's Daily—

Chief of Police Ellingson of East Grand Forks was summoned at four o'clock yesterday morning to the Andrew Peterson farm some three miles north of that city where he took into custody one Martin Aker, who comes from Park River and who was found wandering around in the vicinity of the Peterson farm Thursday night hatless and barefooted and evidently deranged in some manner. Chief Ellingson brought him to East Grand Forks and placed him in the city jail. It was at first thought his trouble was due to excessive use of liquor but his actions indicated that something else might be wrong and Dr. Kirk was summoned. He decided that the man was deranged and a fit subject for an insane asylum. A brother, who lives at Climax was notified and went this morning to take him in charge or arrange for his being sent to an asylum if the commission shall so decide.

Aker was employed on farms at Angus and Euclid several years ago.

FOR CONGRESS

Ole O. Sageng

THE FARMER CANDIDATE

State Senator Ole O. Sageng, who asks the support of the voters of this district as an independent candidate for congress, has a record that entitles him to consideration. He ran for state representative in Otter Tail county in 1898, and was beaten by 19 votes; but he got acquainted, and was elected next time by 450 votes In his first session he took a leading place in the legislature, both as a debater and working member. He missed only one roll call during the session. He knew more about the bills introduced than any other member In 1906, he ran for the state senate. Otter Tail county is normally republican, but he defeated his republican opponent by 1,677 votes, showing what the farmers of his home county think of him. His record in the senate is remembered by all who value good representation. He stood for lower freight and passenger rates, for the anti-pass law (he never accepted passes, even in the old days), for the tonnage tax and the wide-open tax amendment, for the distance tariff and the reciprocal demurrage bill, and for all temperance legislation. He was present at every session, and was a thorn in the side of those who sought to enact legislation against the people's interests Can not such a man be trusted to be sent up higher?

MRS. MC'DONALD WENT INSANE ON TRAIN

Arrived on the Great Northern Flyer This Morning. She Declared Someone Was After Her.

A woman giving her name as Mrs. McDonald is being held in the county jail and will be examined as to her sanity. She had a ticket from Buffalo, N. Y., to Seattle but got off the train at Barnesville. She was picked up at the latter place and came as far as Crookston when she left the train which arrived here at 2 o'clock this morning.

Officer Nelson was at the depot and when he tried to put Mrs. McDonald back on the train she screamed as tho being murdered, yelling, "they are after me" and he was compelled to take her in charge and decided the county jail was the place for her. She is being held there for the present, and will be given a hearing unless her relatives appear at once and take charge of her.

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good". simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

Start an account with This Bank and avail yourself of these material benefits.

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SOO LINE PASSENGER TRAIN STRUCK CARRIAGE CARRYING VOTERS AT

DICKINSON, MINN.—THIRD MAN HAS LEG CUT OFF AND MAY DIE — VICTIMS WERE

THROWN MANY FEET AND WERE BREATHING LAST WHEN PICKED UP

Buffalo, Minn., Nov. 4—A frightful election day tragedy occurred about 10 a. m. yesterday at Dickinson siding, on the Soo line, between Buffalo and Rockford. Two men were almost instantly killed and a third may not recover from his injuries.

The accident happened within twenty rods of the polling place at Dickinson, and the men were on their way to cast their votes. When the buggy in which they were seated was squarely upon the railroad track it was struck by passenger train No. 103 westbound. Herman Krause and William Wandersee, each about 60 years of age and residents of the town of Rockford, were thrown several feet by the impact and breathed only a few times after being picked up.

Emil Krause a son of Herman was thrown under the wheels of the engine and cars, and one of his legs cut off. He was dragged some distance and frightfully bruised and lacerated. It is not believed he can recover.

A fourth man John Noren, was standing in the rear of the buggy and saw the approach of the passenger train just in time to jump to one side. He shouted a warning but it was too late for his companions who were seated in front. The horses driven by the men had crossed the rails and were not injured. The buggy was torn to pieces.

The passenger train was immediately stopped and the bodies of the dead and the injured man placed on board and brought to this city. A thoro investigation of the affair will be made. Only one man beside Noren saw the accident. He says he heard no bell or whistle.

The dead men were pioneer farmers of Wright county and leave families.

The outcome of a trip on the matrimonial sea depends largely on the ballast.

GREATEST PERSONAL VICTORY EVER WON IN UNITED STATES

A BIG MAJORITY FOR TAFT

New York, Nov. 4—General election returns from thruout the United States, received up to an early hour this morning, show the following results:

Taft is elected president with 298 votes secure and 13 doubtful.

Practically no change is indicated in the complexion of the national house of representatives. The United States senate will retain its present republican majority.

Hughes is re-elected in New York state by about 76,000 plurality.

Indiana has gone for Taft by from 15,000 to 18,000 plurality.

Bryan apparently has carried Nebraska, altho the republicans still claim the state.

Ohio returns are seriously delayed owing to the immense size of the ballot, but Taft has carried the state by a majority ranging from 50,000 to 75,000.

Taft carried New York City by about 11,000 plurality, this being the first time the city has given its vote to a republican presidential candidate since 1896, when McKinley had a small plurality.

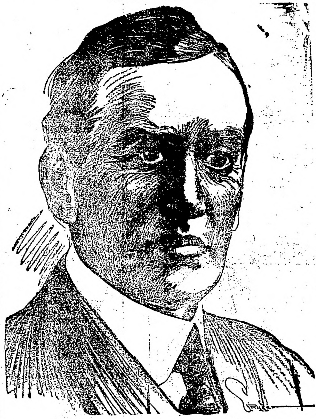
Taft received a greater plurality in New York state than President Roosevelt four years ago the indications pointing to 202,000 for Taft as against 175,000 for Roosevelt.

Hisgen the Independence party candidate for president, received about 28,000 votes in Greater New York.

Indications are that democratic governors have been elected in several of the middle western states that have given their presidntial vots to Taft.

Taft has exceeded Roosevelt's plurality in New Jersey and in Massachusetts, as well as in New York.

JOHN A JOHNSON PAID TRIBUTE BY THE PEOPLE OF MINNESOTA THAT MAKES HIM A CHARACTER OF NATIONAL INTEREST — SINGLE HANDED HE DEFEATED THE REPUBLICAN MACHINE, AND A CAVALCADE OF REPUBLICAN SPEAKERS BY GOOD MAJORITY—IF CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON WINS AT ALL OVER SAGENG IT WILL BE BY NARROW MAJORITY — SOME CLAIM HIS DEFEAT



JOHN A. JOHNSON OF MINNESOTA.

John A Johnson has been re-elected governor of Minnesota and will serve a third term. His majority ranges between 20,000 and 30,000 votes, and his re-election is one of the great personal victories ever won in the United States.

He fought single handed, and the Republican machine had a vast array of speakers out, including both United States senators, Congressmen and every available man. He fought them all—and won.

In addition he had the press of the state against him almost solidly. The Duluth Herald and the Crookston Journal were the only large dailies in the state which supported him, and naturally it is with considerable pride that we record his election against such great odds by such a large majority, having also to face the sentiment

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PROBABLE VOTE FOR TAFT

New York, Nov. 4—The indications are that the following votes will be cast in the electoral college for Taft:

California	10
Connecticut	7
Delaware	3
Idaho	3
Illinois	27
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
Kansas	10
Maine	6
Massachusetts	16
Michigan	14
Minnesota	11
New Hampshire	4
New Jersey	12
New York	39
North Dakota	4
Ohio	23
Oregon	4
Pennsylvania	34
Rhode Island	4
South Dakota	4
Utah	3
Vermont	4
Washington	5
West Virginia	7
Wisconsin	13
Wyoming	3
Total	298

Winter blasts, causing pneumonia, pleurisy and consumption will soon be here. Cure your cough now, and strengthen your lungs with Foley's Honey and Tar. Do not risk starting the winter with weak lungs, when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure the most obstinate coughs and colds, and prevent serious results. Sold by all Druggists.

NEW OIL FIELD HAS BEEN FOUND

EXPERTS ARE IMPRESSED BY RECENT DISCOVERIES IN WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA

GREAT INTEREST BEING TAKEN IN THE RECENT DISCOVERY

LAND OWNERS ARE DREAMING OF FORTUNES IN THE VERY NEAR FUTURE

Pierre, S. D., Nov. 4 — The latest claims of oil indications in this state come from Buffalo county, where Indians on the Crow Creek reservation say they have knowledge of the existence of oil springs; and from the Rentz place northeast of Hayes in Stanley county, where drillers in an artesian well claim to have found oil at a depth of several hundred feet.

Oil men who have been in this part of the state the past two years say that if there is not oil in South Dakota, it will be the first time they have met failure where the indications are so good as they are here. The only reason given for not putting money into development by them is that the "prospects" cover such a wide spread of territory that to try at any particular locality would be too much of a risk, but that at some time somewhere, local tests will find the field, and when that is done there will be no lack of capital to develop it.

Among development features of the western part of the state, which are being worked up, are a flour mill at Camp Crook in northwestern Butte county, and a creamery at Sansarc, in Stanley county. Farmers in the vicinity of Camp Crook are being asked to pledge enough on an acreage of wheat to assure grain for the mill, and if they do so, the promoters say it is a certainty for next year.

Mrs. Erb Released on Bail.

Media, Pa., Nov. 3.—Counsel for Mrs. J. Clayton Erb, who is charged with being an accessory to the murder of her husband, Captain J. Clayton Erb, entered $500 bail fixed by Judge Bromall following habeas corpus proceedings and she was released from custody. Mrs. Erb was driven from the jail in an automobile and her destination was not made public.

THE RETURNS

Illinois

Chicago—Indications are that Taft has carried the state by 170,000.

Deneen the republican candidate for governor has been elected by approximately 100,000. The legislature which elects a United States senator will be strongly republican.

Massachusetts

Boston—The Globe, dem., announces that Taft has carried Massachusetts by 100,000 and that Dwyer has been elected governor by 75,000.

Connecticut

Taft's plurality in Connecticut will exceed 25,000. Lilley (rep) for governor, will have over 15,000 plurality over Robertson (dem). The republicans carry complete state ticket and probably hold their usual majorities in the legislature. All republican congressional candidates are re-elected.

Mississippi

Jackson—The returns indicate Bryan carried Mississippi by majority of over 50,000. All 8 democratic nominees for congress were elected.

Idaho

Reports indicate that Taft has carried the state by 20,000 and the election of the entire republican state ticket.

Arkansas

Little Rock—Bryan has carried Arkansas by reduced majority according to returns. As result of heavy negro vote thruout the state, all democrat congressmen elected.

Iowa

Des Moines—Returns from state outside of Des Moines indicate that Taft has carried Iowa by from 30,000 to 50,000. The entire republican state ticket has been elected. The indications that Cummings has defeated Lacey for U. S. senatorship.

Ohio

322 districts out of 4430 in this state give Taft 36,113; Bryan 27,221. Same districts in 1904 gave Roosevelt 39,140 Parker 25,926. Partial returns from same precincts give Harris (rep) candidate for governor 5,591.

If the present ratio is maintained Taft will carry Ohio by 49,000.

Kentucky

Louisville—66 out of 222 precincts in City and Jeff county give Taft 8,098 Bryan 6,529. Leslie county complete Taft 1,402, Bryan 940.

Louisville and Jeff county 124 precincts of 222 Taft 16,477; Bryan 12,863.

7 counties complete out of 119 Bryan 9,111; Taft 7,008.

Louisville — City complete, Taft,

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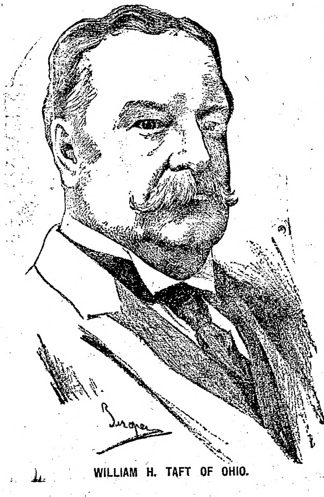
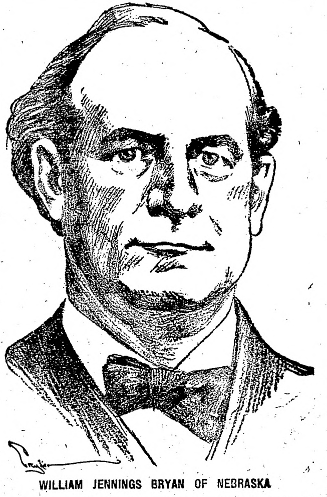


WILLIAM H. TAFT OF OHIO.



WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN OF NEBRASKA

The defeated candidate for President who is said to have left on a fishing trip.

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FIRE

Charleston, W. Va., Oct. 30.—Forest fires around Turkey Knob, near here, threatened death to miners employed in the mine of the Turkey Knob Coal company.

The fires reached the fanhouse of the coal company, destroyed it and then burned the drift mouth and set the mine afire. Fortunately there was no explosion and the men in the mine escaped through one of the four entries. Two men were overcome by smoke, but they will recover.

After six hours' work the fire was brought under control.

Motor Accident Kills Two.

Vienna, Oct. 30.—Captain Clarence Vyner, a rich American resident of Vienna, started two days ago on a motor tour for England with Mme. Bettin of Chile. At Traunstein, a town of Upper Bavaria about twenty miles from Salzburg, the motor car met with an accident while descending a steep hill. Mme. Bettin and the chauffeur were instantly killed and Captain Vyner was seriously injured.

New Danish Minister Presented.

Washington, Oct. 30.—Count Carl von Moltke, recently appointed minister from Denmark, was presented at the state department by Constantin Brun, his predecessor, who has been transferred to London. Count von Moltke is a descendant of the famous German general. Countess von Moltke, formerly Miss Cornelia Thayer of Boston, will arrive in Washington in December.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

Money

New York, Oct. 30.—The charge recently made by Nathan Straus, president of the Business Men's Democratic league, and subsequently denied by Treasurer Sheldon of the Republican national committee that Wall street men are being assessed $500 each by the Republican committee, was reiterated by Mr. Straus in a speech before the Commercial Travelers' league. He declared the Republicans in New York this year "have the largest corruption fund they ever had." He said he was ready to prove that statement.

"I am ready to prove now that they not only have levied a tax of $500,' said Mr. Straus, "but that they have a sliding scale which runs up to $5,000. I am ready to prove this and the newspapers won't dare print what I say here. I declare here and now that the corruption fund to be used this year in New York is as large as it was four years ago. They won't make public beforehand the contributions because they say they are for legitimate purposes. But they know they are raising the fund for bribery. They are using every unfair means to defeat Bryan. I defy them. I defy the Republican party."

Montgomery Again Convicted.

Pittsburg, Oct. 30.—William Montgomery, cashier of the Allegheny National bank until the discovery of a shortage of over $1,250,000 last summer necessitated the closing of the institution, was for the second time this week found guilty of embezzlement, his peculations in the two cases amounting to $613,000.

Testimony Not Important.

Philadelphia, Oct. 30.—The hearing in the suit instituted by the government under the Sherman anti-trust law against anthracite coal carrying railroads and mining companies, charging a working agreement among them in restraint of trade, was resumed here before Examiner Guilbert. Several minor officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad company and of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway company gave testimony of an unimportant nature.

Not a Preferred Claim.

Chariton, Ia., Oct. 30.—The suit of the Modern Woodmen of America to establish its $350,000 deposit in the defunct First National bank of Chariton as a preferred claim has been dropped following a conference of the interested attorneys and the receiver. Under an agreement which was reached this $350,000 deposit will take its place with the other deposits and will share pro rata with them in the distribution of the assets. The receiver expects to pay about 40 cents on the dollar.

Committeeman Kerr Seriously Ill.

New York, Oct. 29.—James M. Kerr. Democratic national committeeman from Pennsylvania, who has been ill for some time at his summer home at New Rochelle, N. Y., is reported to be in a serious condition. William J. Bryan visited Mr. Kerr on Monday and the excitement of the visit is said to have caused a relapse. Mr. Kerr is suffering from liver trouble.

HERO

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 30.—The eight-year-old son of Joseph Miller, mate on the steamer Kea, proved himself a hero in a fire that cost the child his life, fatally injured his mother and destroyed the Miller home.

Mrs. Miller and her five children were in the house when a gasoline stove exploded, filling the rooms with flames. Seeing that the children were on their way to safety Mrs. Miller attempted to jump from a kitchen window, but her dress caught and she hung suspended above the ground. In the meantime eight-year-old Manuel, missing his mother, re-entered the house and ran from room to room searching for her. He finally entered the kitchen, which was blazing fiercely, and when help arrived his body was burned to a crisp. Mrs. Miller was badly burned before being rescued.

Did It Ever Occur to You?

"I paid that bill once."

"You must be mistaken."

"Indeed, I am not mistaken."

"Have you a receipt?"

"It seems to me I have, but I don't remember what I did with it."

"We have no record of payment, and unless you can produce our acknowledgement in the way of a receipt, we must insist that you pay the account."

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Chink

San Francisco, Oct. 30.—The immigration authorities at Washington have ordered a temporary division in the family of Robert Hu Tung Bosman, the Hongkong millionaire, who was refused admission because of his belief in polygamy and because he was accompanied by two wives. The government has ruled that Bosman may stay in this country with one of his wives, but the other must be deported.

The embarrassing predicament has been solved, it is said, and Mrs. Clara Bosman, who is accompanied by four children, will remain in attendance upon her husband, who is under treatment in the German hospital for nervous disorders.

Pending the decision Bosman was permitted to land by furnishing a bond. At the time his condition was precarious and with his rather extensive retinue he was installed in a large suite in the hospital.

ACCUSED THIEF FREE

LeRoy Moran was arrested last evening in Grand Forks accused of stealing a watch and chain from Manager Jandre, of the Combination restaurant, in East Grand Forks. Moran was arrested by Officer Blue and held at the Grand Forks city hall, until Officer Quigley, of this city, came to get him and take him across the river.

Moran consented to cross the river and last evening was brought over to the city jail. When officer Quigley arrived at the jail with his prisoner and stopped to unlock the door, Moran made his getaway and has not been located since. Officer Quigley pulled his gun on the man, but it was not in working order and no disturbance was raised to head off the fellow who tore down the alley and evidently the trail out of town, as a search of the city has been futile and no trace of the man can be found.

It is not believed that Moran is any great distance from East Grand Forks, although the surrounding places have all been notified and the search is still being made for him.

Moran has been hanging around the city for some time, apparently doing nothing but loafing and it is believed that he is implicated in several other affairs of like nature, although this is not definitely known. His home, it was learned today, is at Moorhead, where his parents now reside.

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Few Thin People Have "Doubles."

"I have been told," said the thin woman, "that there is a woman over in Brooklyn who looks just exactly like me."

"If there is, it is an unusual case of a double," said a photographer. "Thin people very seldom have doubles. In my business I meet many pairs of people who look alike. In every case the most extraordinary resemblances are between persons who are stout. Scientifically I cannot explain the likelihood of heavyweights possessing the same chin, nose, eyes and expression. Maybe it is because the flesh fills up all angles and hollows and destroys individuality of outline."—New York Sun.

Earth and Ocean

The superficial area of the globe is about 197,000,000 square miles, some three-quarters of which, about 140,000,000 square miles, is covered by sea. The average depth of this enormous extent of sea (reckoning in the various gulfs and bays) is about 2,000 fathoms. The greatest depth is in the north Pacific ocean, 4,575 fathoms, not quite five and a quarter miles.—New York American.

Resigns

Kansas City, Oct. 30.—J. L. Woods Merrill of Kansas City, national committeeman for Missouri of the Independence party, resigned that position in a letter forwarded to William R. Hearst, national chairman. In his letter Mr. Merrill says:

"This is to notify you that I withdraw all relations or connections as national committeeman for Missouri with the executive board of the Independence party, not wishing to have my name connected with any party or persons who purchase or otherwise obtain correspondence stolen by other persons for publication to the detriment or downfall of other persons for the upbuilding of yourself or the Independence party. Also, I do not wish my name connected with a party whose affiliations are so closely identified with other parties and whose only aim is to help to defeat Bryan. Taft wanted Foraker put out of business and you played the part of 'remover' and, with a grandstand play to keep up appearances, went after Haskell, with no proof of guilt, to down Bryan and in my belief the Independence party receives its campaign money from Republican sources. I was led to believe the Independence party's platform was to advocate the principles of Jefferson and Lincoln and to build up from the better class from all parties and stand for the best interests of the common people and their interests and not affiliate with nor favor any party."

Mr. Merrill asserts that the Independence party has not kept these promises and adds:

"Bryan and Standard Oil have been its only campaign issue."

ROAD EXPERIMENT.

Oil Containing Asphalt to Be Used With Sand at Cape Cod.

The Massachusetts highway commission is to conduct an interesting experiment in road building on Cape Cod, where there is no stone to speak of. A heavy grade of Texas crude oil containing a large percentage of asphalt will be used with the sand. The sand road will first be shaped with a road machine, and heated oil will be spread over the surface. A second lot of oil will be sprinkled on when the first coat has been on for two weeks.

The surface will then be cut up with a disk harrow so as to mix the sand and oil to a depth of four inches. After this has been done the road will be rolled and the surface sprinkled with a thin layer of sand to absorb the surface oil. A little work of this sort was done under the highway commission's supervision about two years ago, which has resulted satisfactorily.

Importance of Good Roads.

The Gaffney (S. C.) Ledger gives the following fact and comment, which afford a practical argument on the subject of highway improvement in a nutshell:

Some Cherokee county land sold the other day at public outcry and brought from $16 to $37.50 per acre. This land was twelve miles from the county seat at that. If we had macadam roads this same land would have brought $50 to $100 per acre. Half a million dollars spent in building good roads in Cherokee would mean an increase of a million dollars in the value of our farm lands alone. Will people never awake to their own interests and begin doing something for themselves, or will they continue to abide in the mud?

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 30.—A four-masted schooner, lumber laden, bound north, was driven ashore on the North Carolina coast during a severe northeast gale. The vessel lies on the shoals off Paul Gamiels hill, fifty miles south of Cape Henry. Three of her masts already have been washed out of the schooner since she struck and unless the seas subside she probably will be washed to pieces.

Meager information by relayed sea coast telephone messages tells of the rescue of six of the eight in the crew of the wrecked schooner. These were brought ashore in the breeches buoy and told of the drowning of the other two before the buoy line could be shot across the vessel by the three lifesaving crews standing by and powerless to launch lifeboats. In the excitement the name of the vessel was not obtained.

Brutalities at Sea.

Naval punishments were brutally severe in the seventeenth century. They marooned—that is, they set a man ashore alone on a desolate coast or island and left him to starve, to be destroyed by savages or wild beasts. They keelhauled—that is, they dragged a man naked by yardarm whips under the bottom of the ship and drew him up raw and bloody with the harsh wounding of barnacles and spikelike adherences only to be submerged afresh ere the unhappy miscreant could fetch a full breath. They nailed a man to the mainmast by driving a knife through his hand. For murder (that was often manslaughter) they tied the living to the dead, back to back, and threw them overboard.

Goes Insane on Ocean Liner.

New York, Oct. 30.—Richard Lenz, a Herculean framed tenor, who went insane on the Kronprinz Wilhelm while she was in midocean, fought six immigration officers in the first cabin saloon of the liner at quarantine till they were exhausted. It was only when reinforcements arrived in the shape of several husky members of the crew that he was subdued and taken to Ellis island.

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Score Hurt

Cincinnati, Oct. 30.—More than a score of people were injured, several dangerously, by a fierce fire in the eleven-story Neave building. Peering down through smoke and flame at the hurrying, firemen more than a score of women crouched on the broad window ledges trying to escape the flames bursting out in the offices behind them. Below fire ladders, lifenets and all manner of other lifesaving apparatus were being prepared for such as might leap from the horror of fire to the almost certain death on the street below. One young woman, crazed by fear, tore herself free from restraining friends and jumped from a tenth floor side window to an adjoining roof five stories lower down, being dangerously injured. Above the second floor a hoseman slipped from a ladder and fell to the street, his injuries being very serious. Broken glass injured some, scorching flame placed its mark on others. As fast as they were brought from the building the injured were taken to the hospitals, or, if less seriously hurt, to their homes. At least ten went to the hospitals, while more than that number were taken home. The fire was brought under control in half an hour.

Flames Spread Rapidly.

The fire broke out in the offices of the Pittsburg Calcium Light company, spreading quickly to the offices of the Pattern Makers' league. As the flames and smoke poured out of the windows of the fourth, fifth and sixth floors many of the girls employed in the building appeared at the windows and seemed about to jump. A number threw coats out and then crawled out on the broad window ledges, where they lay flat while the flames burst through the windows, scorching the crouching women painfully. At least ten suffered painful injuries in this manner, while one of the firemen was seriously hurt by a two-story fall.

Heroic work on the part of the firemen brought the fire under control within a few minutes and the panicky occupants of the building were then brought out to safety.

Although panic seemed to seize the 150 girls in the Dunleavy dressmaking establishment on the tenth floor only one, Louise Boutte, jumped. She was taken to the hospital, where her injuries were reported to be serious. Miss Marie Brandt ran through the flames and was seriously burned about the head and arms.

Alleged Registration Frauds.

Jersey City, N. J., Oct. 30.—The alleged discovery of wholesale registration frauds here has caused a sensation and each party is blaming the others for frauds. Chief of Police Monahan, who has men investigating the poll lists, states that there are at least a thousand false registrations in the lower wards of the city. Many names are found registered from canal boats that do not exist and many false names have been registered from lodging houses.

Immense Mineral Production.

Washington, Oct. 30.—A grand total of $2,069,289,196 worth of mineral products in the United States is announced by the geological survey. Of this amount $1,166,165,191 were nonmetallic, $903,024,005 metallic and $100,000 not specified. The mineral products for the previous year aggregated $1,904,007,034.

Girls with pretty necks dislike high collars.

Blames Morse

New York, Oct. 30.—Alfred H. Curtis, president of the defunct Bank of North America, continued on the stand in the case against himself and Charles W. Morse, the promoter, accused of violating the banking laws. As on the previous day Mr. Curtis attempted to put the blame for the various alleged illegal transactions on Morse. Curtis was under cross-examination by District Attorney Stimson and in telling of the occurrences at the National Bank of North America at about the time Morse is alleged to have overdrawn his account $210,000 Curtis said many things which were discussed by the directors at meetings were not entered in the minutes of such meetings. While none of those remarks which were omitted from the minutes could have been regarded as material in themselves, said the witness, undoubtedly as a whole they influenced the bank's officers in their actions. He said Charles T. Barney and Mr. Morse were close friends. They frequently discussed the "ice" situation and were optimistic regarding the company's future.

Mr. Stimson took up the liquidation of the $100,000 Whiting loan, through the purchase by the bank of 2,000 shares of ice stock at $30 per share, and the making of a loan to Mr. Morse of $40,000 on the 1,000 shares of copper that had been put up to strengthen the original Whiting loan.

Mr. Curtis was asked to explain how the transaction improved the situation of the bank. He insisted the 2,000 ice purchased by the bank from Morse at $30 per share could have been sold in the market for ready cash and the proceeds would have liquidated the loan.

Mr. Stimson produced a letter signed "C. W. Morse, per W.," written in response to a notice sent to Mr. Morse of the $40,000 loan made on the 1,000 copper shares. In the letter Mr. Morse flatly repudiated the $40,000 loan and declared that the bank had no right to add to it the loan of $270,000 then standing in his name in the bank, saying that the bank well knew the conditions under which it had been made.

Mr. Curtis produced a letter written by him under date of June 13, 1907, and addressed to Morse, in which he protested vigorously against the continuance of practices inaugurated by the latter, which, in Curtis' opinion, constituted a grave menace to the stability of the Bank of North America.

More Suffragettes Go to Jail.

London, Oct. 30.—All the suffragettes with the exception of two who were arrested Wednesday night during the disorders in and around the house of commons were arraigned in court and fined $25 each. They refused to pay and were consequently sentenced each to one month's imprisonment. Of the two exceptions one was a girl under twenty-one years of age and the other a woman who secured an adjournment to lodge a charge of assault against the constable who arrested her.

Cuts Off Wife and Daughters.

San Francisco, Oct. 30.—As announced by the executors of Henry A. Butters, the millionaire traction magnate who died last Tuesday, the bulk of his fortune, estimated at several millions of dollars, will go to the testator's son, Henry A. Butters, Jr. Not only is Mrs. Butters excluded from participation, but her two daughters by a former marriage were cut off with bequests of $5 each.

QUESTION

MANY IMPERTINENT QUESTIONS ARE ASKED WITNESS IN THE STANDARD CASE

STANDARD HAD BEST

VERMONT CENTRAL WAS IN CAHOOTS WITH THE ROCKEFELLER OUTFIT

GROCERYMAN WITNESS

LETTERS GIVING DIFFERENT RATES ARE INTRODUCED AS TESTIMONY

Clerks and General Managers of the Standard are Called Upon to Tell What They Know About the Low Rates Granted the Standard—Many Admissions Obtained.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 30—The admission that the Standard Oil company benefitted from a preferential freight rate lower than that quoted to any other shippers was drawn from a witness today at a hearing in the government's suit to dissolve the company.

Geo. B. Ferguson clerk in the freight department of the Central Vermont railroad gave the testimony referred to. After enumerating various tariffs in force on the Central Vermont none of which he declared, had ever been secret, the witness was taken in hand by the government's attorney, who elicited the information that a special rate had been issued to the Standard Oil company.

The Beneficiaries

Pressed as to what other shippers had been benefitted from this special tariff the witness said that as far as he knew the rate applied only to the Standard. The extent of preference accorded to the Standard by the Central Vermont was shown in two letters quoting freight rates per carload. In one instance the rate was given as $33 a carload, while in the other case the rate quoted was $23. The witness admitted that $23 rate was the one under which the Central Vermont carried the Standard Oil's shipments.

Prices for Oil

R. C. Crenshaw, manager of the Standard Oil company of Indiana was another of the witnesses examined. He was questioned regarding the prices for oil prevailing at Duluth in 1904. In April he declared, the price had been 10 cents a gallon. In May this had been reduced to 9 cents. In explaining the reduction, Mr. Crenshaw related that Standard's competitors had been giving five gallons free with every purchase of fifty gallons and allowing rebates as well, and that the Standard had to cut the price in order to keep its customers. In July a further reduction had been made.

Henry H. Oppel, a groceryman of Duluth, Minn., and Wm. A. Cleary, New York agent of the Champlain transportation company were other witnesses examined.

ADA HIT GRACE WITH BEER BOTTLE

AND ADA PAID A FINE OF $24.50 IN MUNICIPAL COURT TODAY

This morning before Judge Gossman of the Municipal court Ada Ellsworth was arraigned charged with hitting Grace Martin a wallop over the skypiece with a beer bottle during a jollification in Happy Hollow last evening Ada insisted that Grace was trying to dictate what brand of beer should be served, and after arguing the matter admitted patting her on the coa-coa with a beer bottle.

Grace at present has the appearance of being hit with a beer bottle alright, and Judge Gossman applied the soothing balm of a fine of $24.50 which included costs, and Ada dug thru the side of her directoire gown and produced the coin.

Doctor—Now, my little man, put your tongue r-i-g-h-t out this time.

Little Man—I can't. It's stuck at the other end.—London Opinion

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Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended It is the prescription of an eminent authority whose entire reputation, it is said was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked, stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Washington, Oct. 30.—Beautiful memorial services, attended by a brilliant assemblage of representatives of all branches of official life in Washington, were held in memory of the late Freiher Speck von Sternburg, German ambassador to the United States, who died at Heidelberg Aug. 23. President and Mrs. Roosevelt, members of his cabinet, diplomatic representatives of all nations, members of the supreme court of the United States, high officials of the government and officers of the army, navy and marine corps, many of whom were accompanied by their wives, were present.

The services were held in Concordia Evangelical Lutheran church, which was attended by Baron von Sternburg during his residence here. The service lasted but three-quarters of an hour and was conducted in part in German by Rev. Paul A. Menzel, pastor of Concordia church, and in part in English by Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's church.

Samburg, Tenn., Oct. 30.—There are now more than ninety prisoners in camp here. It is practically certain that the most important night riders are now under guard. A heavy guard is watching every movement of the suspects and they are not allowed to talk to their friends except when a guard is present to hear their conversation. A number of women have visited them, bringing baskets of cakes and other eatables. Major Martin and Major Norton both brought in prisoners and Captain Zopfi of Nashville, with a small squad of men, ment to the home of one Bob Haffman and forced him to get out of bed and accompany them to camp. He is believed to be a prisoner of importance. Governor Patterson remains in camp.

Editor James Eryce of the Troy News-Banner, who was brought in Wednesday, has been released and is again at his home.

Mrs. Matilda Rassaker, mother of the three Rassaker boys under arrest here, is dead. Heart trouble superinduced by worry over the arrest of her sons is said to have caused her death.

To Save Stirring.

Most people understand that the placing of a marble in a kettle prevents furring, but few seem to know that a large clean marble boiled in milk, porridge, custards, sauces or stews will automatically do the stirring as the liquid cooks. Any chance of burning will be prevented, and thus the fatigue of constantly stirring and the cook's time can be saved, as by this means the cook can be attending to several things at once instead of having to give her whole time and attention to one.—London Lady.

Horses With Mustaches.

"I've got a rarity, a horse with a mustache," said a cabby.

The horse doctor looked the ungainly animal over.

"It is a rarity," he said, "a mustache so highly developed. Lots of horses have incipient, Chinese-like mustaches, but your nag has the mustache of a grenadier—a regular soup strainer, eh?"

"Mayhew and the other leading authorities lay it down that a mustache is the surest sign of a low bred horse. Certainly no one can dispute your animal's claim to low breeding."—Philadelphia Bulletin

COMES HIGH OUT OF SEASON

GAME WARDEN MUNCH LANDS ANOTHER TRIO FOR VIOLATING GAME LAWS

TWO MEN SHOT DEER AND SOLD IT TO A WAUBON BANKER

THE FINAL COST WAS VERY CLOSE TO $100, OR ABOUT $10 PER STEAK

Game Warden Munch has just returned from an extended trip to Red Lake and the White Earth Reservation and landed a trio of violators of the game laws. He arrested Paul Saice and Archie Boswell for selling a deer to L. S. Waller, the banker at Waubon for $20.

Before Judge Shulind at Mahnomen Saice entered a plea of guilty for all three of the guilty parties and a fine of $77.25 was assessed which Banker Waller undoubtedly put up, as the other men had no money.

This made the deer cost him about $100, which made venison steak worth about $10 per throw.

THE FEEDER.

Take particular pains in putting up the clover hay. There is no better roughage for cattle than good clover hay, but its feeding value depends entirely upon the way in which it is cured.

Feeding Salt.

Salt that remains in the barrel of meat that is clean and wholesome is in no way infected with germ life that will injure stock to which it is fed any more than other salt. Animals are sometimes poisoned on salt, but it is by reason of their being so hungry for it that they overeat of it. Thus if a person were to dump the contents of a meat barrel on the ground and cattle, horses or sheep that were hungry for salt got to it they likely would eat it to their injury.

Cowpeas For Cows.

Cowpeas make an excellent food for dairy cows when combined with other grain and fodder in proper proportions, but they are so highly concentrated and nitrogenous that they should be fed in moderate quantities and mixed with cut feed in bran..

Feed of the Boar.

The feed of the boar when not in service may be of a succulent nature—mainly pasture and cut green forage during the summer months and roots in winter. A boar can hardly be sustained in these alone, and some grain should be allowed to keep him in condition. This should be nitrogenous in character, consisting of mill feeds—such as shorts, middlings and bran—some oil meal and the leguminous grains, with a little corn. As the breeding season approaches the feed should be increased, so that the boar will be in good condition.

Ration For Nursing Mares.

Mares nursing foals should be given a ration that will not only increase their flow of milk, but materially enrich it. Oats and bran in equal bulk, with about one-fourth in bulk of corn added, make a good ration for a mare in milk. This should always be moistened before feeding.

Feeding the Pigs.

A prominent swine breeder says: Don't let a single apple go to waste. Every windfall will help to fit the pigs for the early market. The same is true of the waste from the vegetable garden. Don't let the weeds in the fence corners go to seed. The hogs will work them over, and many of them contain tonic properties. Utilize what is good in them and at the same time keep the premises tidy. Hogs need a change of ration. Milk is always a staple food, but give grains to make a change now and then. Give some vegetables, too, and occasionally some fruit It all helps to give growth

Tortuous Statutory Indictments.

Suppose an old woman steals a leg of mutton. If the indictment merely says that she stole it she must be acquitted. It must further state "that she the said leg of mutton did take and carry away," even though, in fact, she was caught before she had time to do anything of the kind.

If Smith assaults Jones it is not enough for the indictment to say so or even that he "did beat, wound and ill treat" him. It must say all these things and also that "the said Smith divers other wrongs to the said Jones then did."

Finally, if Smith shoots Jones and is lucky enough not to kill him the appropriate indictment must not only describe the shooting and the wounds, but must be careful to allege that the gun "was then and there loaded with gunpowder and divers leaden bullets."—London Bystander.

Spongem—In case I should die suddenly will you make sure that I am really dead before they bury me?

Knox—Yes. You may depend on me. I'll ask you to have a drink, and if you don't sit up and take notice I'll tell the undertaker to go ahead and plant you.—Chicago News.

BIG MONEY MADE IN TUBERS

GREATER ATTENTION BEING PAID TO CULTIVATION OF POTATOES HERE

MAYOR McPHEE ILLUSTRATES WHAT CAN BE MADE BY PAPER FROM OLD HOME

ONTARIO FARMERS ARE PROFITING BY MORE EXTENSIVE RAISING

From Thursday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. McPhee says the farmers of this section are paying more and more attention to the cultivation of potatoes, and are making good money. Fields of 10 and 150 acres of potatoes are not uncommon and many farmers raise from 10 to 50 acres.

As illustrating what can be made, Mayor McPhee handed us the following clipping from his old home paper The Paisley Advocate published at Paisley, Ont. It says:

The potato crop is no longer what it once was in Ontario, and the Province of New Brunswick is being enriched by the failure here. This year's yield in the river counties of New Brunswick is reported to be slightly above the average, and the farmers of New Brunswick is reported to be slightly above the average and the farmers who went heavily into this branch are reaping fortunes. One man in Aroostoon put in 125 acres and the yield has been 120 barrels or 300 bushels per acre. He has sold out the entire crop at $1.25 per barrel, and received from his one hundred acres the sum of $18,750. This is an exceptionally large crop, but there are many instances of farmers putting in from sixty to one hundred acres and taking as high as four hundred bushels per acre. Prices will be falling pretty soon but will not go below 90c per barrel to the farmer. In the Canadian West the average wheat yield is twenty bushels, which brings the farmer about 80c per bushel at the most. He thus receives $16 per acre as against $140 or more per acre for eastern potatoes. New Brunswick growers are now rapidly securing the entire Montreal potato trade, and are reaching for the markets of Ontario cities. "There is always a strong and steady demand, and within the past two years the New Brunswick farmers have placed themselves in a better position to take advantage of the best prices by providing proper potato cellars and cold storage. The potato boom is so favorably looked upon that scores of hitherto abandoned farms are now being taken up and worked. All that is still desired is a foreign freight rate.

RAILROAD BOYS WILL MEET

DAKOTA RAILWAY CLUB WILL HOLD SESSION NEXT SUNDAY

Grand Forks, Oct. 29—The Dakota railway club which consists of the employes of the Dakota division of the Great Northern will hold another of their big sessions at the freight house next Sunday afternoon in this city. The meeting will be called at 2:30 p. m. and will have as principal Guy C. Corliss who will speak more particularly in the injunction laws, while Superintendent of Schools, W. L. Stockwell will make an address on the relation of the public schools to the railroads. The meeting promises to be the largest held by the Dakota division boys as the interest in the club since organization has now reached immense proportions.

Animals and Odors.

Writing in Suburban Life, Charles D. Kellogg, the well known naturalist, says: "The matter of odor is an extremely interesting one. Most creatures have an odor which indicates friendliness and another which indicates anger. Always holding the thought of love toward every living creature, just as I have tried to instill it into the mind of Don, my dog, I have never hesitated to take up animal, reptile, bird or insect. My first thought of a reptile odor was that of apples. Yet people told me that this creature gives off a noxious stench. Now, this latter odor is present in any wild creature's body when it is disturbed. The bodies [illegible] man beings give out odors whi[illegible] keenly apparent to wild creatures and indicate the feeling which men and women have for them, whatever it be, love, fear or hate."

The man who really knows more than the boss usually gets to be boss. If he only thinks he knows more, he usually gets fired.—Salt Lake Herald.

GRIFFIN WAS BOUND OVER

ONE MAN WHO IS ACCUSED OF HAVING ROBBED MARTIN OLSON

IS HELD TO THE DISTRICT COURT UNDER $500 BONDS WHICH HE LACKED

H. A. McKENZIE DEMANDED A HEARING WHICH IS NOW IN PROGRESS

From Thursday's Daily—

BULLETIN

McKenzie was discharged late this afternoon, there being no evidence against him.

The hearing of Herbert Griffin and H. A. McKenzie charged with having robbed Martin Olson of $26 in cash, a check for $25 and a watch worth $10 was called at 2 o'clock this afternoon before Judge Gossman in the municipal court. Griffin at once waived examination and was held to the district court, bonds being fixed at $500.

McKenzie demanded a hearing. He said he did not arrive from Dakota till Monday last and denied all connection with the affair. County Attorney Maybury called Olson, C. Strandell acting as interpreter and Olson failed to identify McKenzie.

There was a large delegation from East Grand Forks including Officer Quigley, Jack Woods, Mr. Osmundson and others who will be called later this afternoon

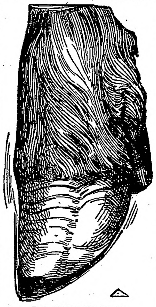
MULEFOOT HOGS.

What a Kansas Breeder Has to Say About Them.

Breeders of swine in many sections of the country are greatly interested in mulefoot hogs, and these animals have attracted considerable attention in recent years when exhibited at the state fairs. These hogs are now being improved and bred under the name of Ozark hogs.

A Kansas breeder, Dr. W. J. Connor, who is raising them, says that, while in a measure they are a new thing, yet he has been breeding them long enough to have ascertained that they are actually the best range hogs in existence today. He has found, he says, that they will live and prosper where a common hog would starve to death.

The meat of these hogs, he declares, is sweeter than that of common hogs, and there is a larger proportion of lean to fat. They may be finished at any age, and it is possible to bring them to a weight of from 500 to 800 pounds. It seems that these hogs have been tried out in practically every state in the Union, and Dr. Connor says that they have never had cholera.



FOOT OF MULEFOOT HOG.

The Submarine Cable.

The first cable successfully laid extended from Valentia island, off the coast of Ireland, to Heart's Content, Newfoundland, about 2,000 miles. The cable was landed on the American side on Aug. 5, 1858, but was not ready for use till Aug. 16. About 730 short messages were sent through it, but it entirely failed within a month. The fact was demonstrated, however that direct communication under the ocean was possible, although few persons at that time believed that a submarine telegraph could be used for business purposes. Cyrus W. Field, to whose enterprise was due the laying of the first cable, thought differently. Not discouraged by this and other failures, he continued the work he had planned, interested London capitalists in it, and, in 1866, succeeded in establishing submarine communication, which has never been interrupted.—New York Post.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

HEMORRHOIDS SORES AND ECZEMA

Accompanied by Terrible Itching—A Complicated and Most Distressing Case—Well-known Remedies Failed to Cure—Doctor Thought an Operation Necessary—Then

CUTICURA PROVED ITS WONDERFUL EFFICACY

"I am now eighty years old and one morning, three years ago, I was taken with a hard pain in my right side. In two days I had an attack of piles (hemorrhoids), bleeding and protruding. The doctor gave me some medicine and an ointment for them which helped me some but I had to keep using them all the time. Then I changed to the P—— remedy; but if I did not use it every day, I would get worse. The doctor said the only help for me was to go to a hospital and be operated on. At this time, about a year ago, I went to using the S—— remedies. I tried them for four or five months but did not get much help for my piles. During this time sores would come on a fleshy part of my body. They bothered me all the time. I would get one healed and another would come. These sores changed to eczema, accompanied by a terrible itching. It seemed as if I could not keep my hands from tearing my flesh. This and the pile trouble brought on an inflamed condition. Then I got the Cuticura Remedies. I washed the affected parts with Cuticura Soap and warm water in the morning, at noon, and at night, then used Cuticura Ointment on the irritated surfaces and injected a quantity of Cuticura Ointment with a Cuticura Suppository Syringe. I also took Cuticura Resolvent Pills three times a day. It took a month of this treatment to get me in a fairly healthy state and then I treated myself once a day for three months and, after that, once or twice a week. It is fortunate that I used Cuticura. The treatments I had tried took a lot of money that I would have saved by using Cuticura Remedies sooner, but I am wiser now. I am supplied with a full set of the Cuticura Remedies and would not feel safe without them. J. H. Henderson, Hopkinton, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., Apr. 26, 1907."

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

The housemaid's wages come under the head of sweeping charges.

Whisky by any other name would tangle men's feet just the same.

A woman's notion of superiority is to be able to pay for things by check.

Some men would do almost anything for a woman—except go to work.

Fools are always dreaming they would be happier in other places or circumstances.

It is easier, cheaper and generally pleasanter to get married than it is to get unmarried.

It sometimes happens that two women are apparently good friends because they are bitter enemies.

Perhaps the worst thing that can be said about liquor is that it makes some men imagine they can sing.

No woman who cares for appearances can afford to weep unless she has a dainty handkerchief to use as a tear mop.

A man can run his house well when his wife does it.

People are never hungry enough for it to enjoy warmed over love.

Next to running the government a man is seldom sure what he could do best.

Beware of the man who cheats himself in a game of solitaire.

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Rockefeller's Politics

After all, the feature of the campaign was reserved to the last. It was the effort of John D. Rockefeller to ally himself with one of the great parties, and the indignant denial of both parties of a refuge to the richest man in the world.

This is interesting and somewhat amusing. But what sensation must it give Mr. Rockefeller! Here is the richest man in the world the man who has given more millions to education than any one else on earth; the man who supports foreign missions, home missions and important benevolent enterprises. Yet Mr. Rockefeller the richest man in the world today, cannot announce how he is going to vote without causing consternation in two great parties.

It is sad, but true, that neither party can afford the luxury of Mr. Rockefeller's support. He is a political pariah. His money has made him suspected. The letters of Archbold have put the capstone upon the monument to unpopularity and distrust which the Standard Oil company has been raising.—Minneapolis Journal.

Fall Market And Wheat Prices

With speculative activity in the wheat market at so low an ebb, it is considered remarkable that prices have ruled so high in the face of a tremendous primary movement of grain.

Dollar wheat is usually the result of artificial inflation. This season, however, the market has steadied at this price and seems fairly established by commercial conditions. Receipts in Minneapolis since September 1 have totaled 30,000,000 bushels and Duluth has received 28,000,000 bushels; this is exclusive of winter and bonded wheat.

According to the government report the three states of the Northwest raised 174,847,000 bushels of wheat. The terminal markets have received about 33 per cent of this production. Taking into consideration the needs of interior mills, a normal carry over at the end of the season and seed requirements, it would seem reasonable to assume that only 30 to 35 per cent of the marketable wheat remains in first hands, with but two months of the crop year passed.

The demand for cash wheat has been so urgent from both millers and exporters that liberal premiums have been paid. The returns on the portion of the wheat already disposed of must total between $80,000,000 and $85,000,000 and there is, besides this direct accretion to the growers, the increased business of the railroads and the handling charges, which distributes the wealth of the farms over the field of allied interests.

The damage to the Argentina crop which may reduce the exportable surplus of that country below 100,000,000 bushels, makes the supply prospects of the world very unsatisfactory. For two seasons the farmers of the Northwest have received high prices for their wheat. If the fall marketing, which is the heaviest on record, cannot break the market underlying conditions must be sound.

As consumption begins to make inroads upon visible supplies, the moderate surplus which the farmers are carrying is likely to appreciate as the supply strain increases in the international market.

The Common Sailor With The Fleet

While American hearts swell with pardonable pride at the marvelous achievements of our great battle fleet in its cruise around the world, American heads should not fail in giving the measure credit due the common sailor who mans the ships.

The machinery of every vessel has stood the test of the tremendous continued strain. The ships have proved sea worthy under every condition and have completed much more than half their final distance and much the more difficult part in as good or better condition than when they started.

The officers and navigators have shown their abilities. They have been equal to every sea emergency. The commanders in the equally difficult role of diplomats in meeting the officials of other nations have said just the right thing at the right time, and socially have been American gentlemen.

But after all is said and done and every possible mead of credit has been given to all other factors of the cruise, the major praise belongs to the enlisted men, who not only have been adequate to the demands of every duty afloat, but ashore have won for themselves and their country the friendship of every people whose shores they have visited.

"Jack ashore" is always pictured as a terror. Freed from the confinement of the ship, with the leash of discipline relaxed, his veins full of good, red, fighting blood and with a healthy appetite for red liquor, he has not been tooted as a man of peace and a stickler for the rules of etiquette.

But not once in all this world encircling cruise, with the thousands given shore leave in a body, half the earth between them and home, has there been any behavior on the part of the men that was not to their credit. They have been "good fellows" and "free spenders" always good humored neither looking for trouble nor courting it, but kindly and pleasant, enjoying every sort of entertainment provided and fraternizing in genuine, whole-hearted fashion with the people

It must not be forgotten that they were the point of contact of the people with the fleet. It was here America really touched the elbows with the nations, and too much importance can not be given to this factor in the remarkable success of the visits to a score of foreign ports of our flock of doves.—Duluth News Tribune.

The Pouren Test

No nation is finished; every nation can and must help the others to develop. America is not a finished project, nationalty, whatever its ideal conception. Russia can help us to become, as we can help Russia.

The other day, when the fate of Jan Pouren the Russian refugee, hung in the balance in New York a group of devoted compatriots stood about the door waiting for the decision which should remand Pouren to Russia, there to stand trial—if that may be bespoken of Russian methods of jurisprudence—for murder, arson, pillage and the other crimes under the name of which Russia seeks to root out revolution; or which should make him free either for another trial, or free entirely. A woman stood in the group spokesman for the others. Her name has escaped the memory—it ended in "sky"—but she is the type of the general. And she declared, waiting to see if America would grant justice to Pouren ,that Russian revolutionists, perhaps all revolutionists, were disappointed when they reach America to find that it is not the land of the free. They expect to find no shadow of their wrong here; expect to find finished democracy, completed society They are disappointed, spoke the little Russian woman. But they do not go back. They bend their energies rather toward the freeing of the Americans who dwell in darkness. They seek to bring the light, they, from darkest Russia.

Fortunately Secretary Root denied extradition to Pouren thus defeating Russian plans for his punishment. The secretary of foreign affairs did not deny the Russian right to another trial; in this he rather followed American precedent of technical interference than ideal interference; he refused extradition on the ground that the evidence lacked an essential link which might or might not be furnished in a future trial. This was no doubt the correct way to proceed, since Russia is our peer among nations, and however the American people may protest against its cruelty, the American nation must observe the law.

In this way America furnishes a lesson to Russia and does not offend Russia. In this way America furnishes a lesson to the revolutionist, and also to the idealist who would have had Russian right to possession of Pouren denied in toto at once. But it is also true that the little revolutionary woman was right. America is not thru with the problem of a free people, of a finished democracy, of a perfect society. It has much to do, to learn. And in that way Russian revolutionists are as necessary to us as we are to them. They feel so keenly any slight upon the most negligent individual—if there ever were such—that they can help us in our very effort to secure a "square deal" quite os much a swe can help them to get any deal whatsoever that recognizes them. The Pouren case is a test case for Russia, for America.

STATE PRESS

The laborer is worthy of his hire, and the government of the Uinted States, above all others, ought to be willing to pay its employes fair compensation for their services, and to make the conditions surrounding their work as safe and as wholesome as possible. The facts seem to indicate pretty clearly that the railway mail clerks of the country are not properly paid. Their average pay is about $1,000 per year, and out of that they must pay traveling expenses which amount in some cases to $200 or over. The net income of the average mail clerk is about $900. That is not enough. The mial clerk is of necessity a man of unusual mental equipment. If anyone doubts that let him tackle one of the examinations. He must be a man of extraordinary physical endurance. If he is not he is a wreck in a very short time. The mail clerk is, by the necessary conditions of his employment, subjected to unusual risk. For that risk, and for the attendant anxiety on the part of his family the government cannot compensate him. But it can pay him a salary commensurate with his work. It can pay him as much as the same man may reasonably expect to earn in other occupations thru the same attention and industry which the government expects of him. And while the government cannot remove the element of risk from the occupation, it can at least make and enforce such regulations as will remove all unnecessary risk. It can secure for the transmission of the mails strongly built cars, properly heated, lighted and ventilated. And if the government does not do all of these things it falls short of being what every reasonable man believes it should be—a model employer.—Ex.

If the festive gobler escapes the Thanksgiving slaughter on account of old age he should rejoice because of his tough luck.

A man's enjoyment of a cigar is not governed by the cast thereof.

Heart Disease and Sudden Death.

A man rushing to catch a train the other day fell dead. In this instance it is fair to assume that the strain on a weak heart might fairly be held responsible. In view of the fierce competition in life and the undue strain to which the masses of men are subjected it is of the highest importance that people known to be affected with heart disease should exercise the greatest care as to overtaxing their physical strength in view of the danger of sudden death, instances of which are so common today. Inasmuch as few people are aware of having weak hearts, a safe rule for all men over forty is to avoid the perils of haste and undue strain, as in lifting, rushing, etc. Another important factor, many people over forty indulging in excessive eating are in danger of arterio-sclerosis, or hardening of the arteries, which results in sudden death from apoplexy, kidney or heart disease. To sum the matter up, people over forty must limit their table indulgence and avoid sudden and undue haste or strain if desirous of attaining a ripe old age.—New York Herald

Couldn't Feaze This One.

An instance of the careless, good natured philosophy of the negro may be seen in the little doggerel verse laughingly sung by a black farmer when at the end of a bad crop year nothing was coming to him after his supply bills were paid. He could neither read nor write; he had no money or chance of getting any for another twelvemonth, yet apparently there was no fretting on his part. He took the balance sheet, which was an utter mystery to him, and, pretending to inspect it and following the rows of figures with eye and finger, he gleefully chanted:

"Aught's an aught,
Figger's a figger,
Ev'ything fur de white man
An' nuffin' fur de nigger!"

Then carelessly he stuffed the bit of paper into his pocket, "cut the pigeon's wing" and finally walked away to all appearances with a whimsical enjoyment of the fact that his own penniless condition corroborated the statement of his song.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Put to Flight.

The baby in arms was screaming lustily, and the man in the gray suit could not hide his irritability.

"What on earth, madam," he spluttered, "do you mean by bringing such a howling brat into a public vehicle?"

"It isn't a brat!" retorted the mother, with natural indignation. "And if I'm any judge it doesn't howl half as much as you did at its age, going by the looks of you!"

The man in gray wriggled uneasily under the general scrutiny.

"Baby, see the ugly man?" pursued the infuriated female, pointing at him. "See the monkey-ponkey, gorilla man what might take a first prize at a beauty show for the 'orriblest face? Baby, hush, or the ugly monkey man will"—But the sentence remained unfinished, for the man in the gray suit had bolted.—London Graphic.

Political "Pome."

The fight is drawing to its close. The noise will soon be gone. There but remains the last appeal that's due from More Anon, a few brief words from You Know Who as friend speaks unto friend, Justitia throws a final fit, and then we have the end. A "Note of Warning" there may be from Old Subscriber's pen, and Constant Reader may emerge one moment from his den. Vox Populi may raise a wail that pierces heaven's vault, insisting that the time has come when we should call a halt, and One Who Knows may yet, perchance, his stormy voice uplift and ask of all the universe, "Ah, whither do we drift?" But all the fighting has been done. There is no longer strife. So let us cut out politics and lead the higher life.—Emporia (Kan.) Gazette.

Women In England.

In the seventeenth century, when Englishwomen were still recognized as possessing an economic and political status side by side with Englishmen. there was written an interesting entry in the church warden's accounts of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, proving that one Elizabeth Bartlett was intrusted with the casting of the second bell and that all the women employed thus were paid at the same rate as men for the same work. Another instance is to be found in the records of the Fleet prison, of which the first female warden, appointed in 1217 on the death of her husband Robert, received the same salary "as the said Robert had been accustomed to during his life." There was no talk then of confining the woman's sphere to work that was paid badly.

Quieting Him Down.

A farmer sued a cattle dealer for damages in the local county court.

"When I bought the bull," said the complainant, "he told me it was gentle and perfectly harmless—a child could play with it, in fact. Half an hour after I got the animal home he disabled a couple of my farm hands and then turned on me."

"Perhaps the animal was excited by his strange surroundings," suggested his honor. "Is he quiet enough now?"

"Well, yes; but you see"—

"Ah," remarked the defendant, "then my description was correct, after all. I said if he did get excited at first he would quiet down."

"Yes," responded the plaintiff grimly, "but you didn't tell me I should have to shoot the beggar to quiet him down. That's what I had to do!"—London Scraps.

Knew the Sound of Wood.

There was an argument on a cricket field in a village near Nottingham, England, which interrupted the game for some time. The match was being played between the local tradesmen of the village. All went well until the bowler, who was the village constable, a man over six feet tall, sent a ball which bumped up from the ground and hit the village butcher, who was batting and who was exceedingly fat and perspiring freely, on the head. The wicket keeper, a remarkably thin and agile man, who was the village grocer, caught the ball and yelled, "'Ow's that?"

"Hout!" shouted the village baker, who possessed only one eye.

"Hi say now!" roared the fat butcher, who refused to have it so. "But hit 'it me on the 'ead."

"Hi don't know where hit 'it you," responded the umpire, who was the village undertaker, "but Hi knows the sound of wood when Hi 'ears hit, so hout you go."

Diamond Cutting.

It is said that before the fourteenth century no one knew how to cut and polish diamonds. They were esteemed for their marvelous hardness, but not greatly admired for beauty. There is a tradition that a journeyman jeweler in Flanders, Louis Van Berghem, discovered the art of cutting diamond with diamond. But it is probable that he only made some notable advance in the art since associations of diamond cutters had existed in France and Flanders from the fourteenth century. Louis Van Berghem's most famous achievement was the cutting and polishing of a huge diamond belonging to Charles the Bold. Charles was so delighted with the result that he rewarded the artist liberally and declared that the diamond would now serve him for a bedroom lamp. This jewel, which was found on Charles' body after the battle of Nancy, is still in existence and celebrated under the name of the Sancy diamond.—Youth's Companion.

Barrie's Critic.

J. M. Barrie some years ago was persuaded to take the chair at a Burns celebration in Scotland. He was extremely silent and stole away at the earliest opportunity. Next week appeared in the National Observer a humorous article entitled "Mr. Barrie In the Chair," in which Mr. Barrie's lack of social tact was held up to ridicule. Many people thought the writer had gone too far and protested. But the author of the article was Mr. Barrie himself.

Three Lives May Be Lost

Destructive Fire In St. Paul Livery Barns. Property Loss Will Amount To $50,000 Partly Insured.

St. Paul Nov. 3—Ninety-eight horses were burned to death in a fire that originated in Shea's livery barn at Selby and Western avenues at 2:40 o'clock this morning.

Olaf Johnson, 30 years of age a hostler employed about the barn is missing and is believed to have been burned to death.

An unconfirmed rumor has it that two other men whose names are unknown were also incinerated and that their bodies with Johnson's are beneath the debris.

The Shea barn and the barn of the Igo Express company, in the rear are totally wrecked. The loss is estimated at $50,000 partially covered by insurance.

The fire originated in the front part of the basement of the Shea barn and spread with such rapidity that the building was doomed upon the arrival of the firemen. Fourteen men employed about the two barns were asleep at the time the flames were discovered and barely escaped in time to save their lives.

Johnson the hostler was among the men who were aroused by the smell of smoke and it is thought that he became bewildered in his flight to safety. After groping his way about the smoke laden room it is presumed he was overcome by the smoke and fell into the basement where he met death with the frantic horses.

WOMEN FARMERS CONQUER DESERT

After 5 Years Experimenting Three Prove That Crops Will Grow In Mojave Desert.

Los Angeles, Cal. Oct. 31 —After years of experimenting three ranchers in the Mojave desert have proved that dry farming methods will produce fine crops in that arid region without periodical watering and as a result hundreds of land claimants who stood in danger of losing their claims thru the impossibility of irrigation, may file homesteads and retain their holdings.

That is what was done yesterday in the United States land office by Dr. W. M. Doble, Miss Florence Benson and Mrs. N. Nath. They made final homestead proofs, after their claims under the desert land act had been invalidated because they fere unable to irrigate.

Soil Culture Successful

It was shown that they had produced crops by dry farming methods, and General Frank C. Prescott register of the land office, declared that their achievement would prove of incalculable benefit to hundreds of landholders who heretofore faced the loss of their claims because they could not produce sufficient water from wells to meet the irrigation requirement of the desert land law.

"It opens the Mojave to homesteaders as well as desert reclaimers," he said.

Dr. Doble and the two women who with him, were the first ever to have located homesteads in the desert, filed on desert claims five years ago. The wells they dug did not produce sufficient water to do the irrigating prescribed by the desert law. But instead of relinquishing their lands Dr. Doble, who is an expert agriculturist went to work experimenting with dry farming.

Agreed to Show Uncle Sam

Meantime he, Miss Benson who has a claim nearby, and Mrs. Nath filed homesteads. In doing so they declared they would prove to the United States authorities that they could grow crops despite the dearth of water.

So they went to work. After one or two failures all three decided to follow a plan of harrowing their fields after each storm during the rainy season. This produced results which General Prescott said yesterday were nothing short of marvelous.

"The soil of Majave," he explained, "is conceded to be extraordinarily rich. It is a desert solely because of the lack of sufficient water. Dr. Doble's crops followed the systematic harrowing. He found that the normal rainfall of the desert was enough to provide all the moisture needed provided the ground was kept broken."

Sun Draws Moisture

This method is something like that pursued by the farmers in the arid regions of Syria and Armenia. Rains are scarce there, and come in a certain period of the year, as they do in the Mojave. The natives ploy up their fields after the first rain, and keep turning it over during the brief wet season. Then they plant their crops, and after that they pray that it will rain no more that year. The action of the sun draws the moisture up to the roots of the grain and provides all the refreshment the growing crops need.

"The success of Dr. Doble's experiment," register went on, "will have the effect of turning invalid desert land claims into homesteads. Hundreds who filed on claims under the desert land act may now file homesteads. All they have to do is to show they can grow crops.

"Another effect of this successful dry farming," said Prescott, "will be to turn thousands more people into the Mojave."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS (Chicago News)

The average man keeps a lot of ready-made excuses on tap.

In after years what a man doesn't know his son can teach him.

There's nothing comes so natural to a girl as being unnatural.

A woman isn't necessarily the sunshine of a man's life because she makes it hot for him.

When a man shouts his virtues from the housetop it's time for people to sit up and take unfavorable notice.

Every married woman should imagine that her husband is the only man who has brains enough to understand her.

The thing that makes a man great is the adulation of men who aren't.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR. (New York Press)

A girl never cares for a man's kisses unless he acts about them as if he oughtn't to.

It takes a woman to lead a man around by the nose and make him think he is doing it.

Nobody in the world is brave if you only find the particular thing that scares them.

Hexamethylenetetramine

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. Hexamethylenetetramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. Sold by All Druggists.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 1 In History.

1609—Sir Matthew Hale, eminent English judge, born; died 1676.
1770—Alexander Cruden, compiler of the Bible Concordance, died; born 1701.
1894—Alexander III., czar of Russia, died; born 1845.
1905—Attacks on the Jews at Odessa.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:53, rises 6:27; moon sets 11:26 p. m.; moon's age 8 days. Constellations visible 8:30 p. m. during November—overhead, Andromeda, Pegasus; north, Ursa Major, Ursa Minor, Draco, Cassiopeia, Cepheus; northeast, Auriga, Perseus; east, Taurus, Orion, Aries; southeast, Fluvius Eridanus, Cetus; south, Pisces, Sculptor, Phoenix; southwest, Aquarius, Capricornus, Piscis Australis; west, Delphinus, Aquila; northwest, Cygnus, Lyra, Hercules. Bright stars visible same hour—northeast, Capella; east, Aldebaran, Betelgeaux, Rigel; west, Altair; northwest, Deneb, Vega. Planets—Mercury on the 13th farthest west of the sun, visible before sunrise before and after that date; Venus rises from 3 to 4 a. m.; Mars rises about 4:20; Jupiter rises from 1:23 a. m. back to midnight; Saturn sets from 3:30 a. m. back to 1:30 a. m.; sun in Libra till 20th, then in Scorpio; Leonid meteors due from 11th to 15th, in east after 12:15 a. m.; Andromedes from 25th to 27th.

Nov. 2 In History.

James K. Polk.

1767—Edward, duke of Kent, father of Queen Victoria and at one time commander of the forces in British America, born; died 1820.
1795—James Knox Polk, eleventh president, born; died 1849.
1841—Insurrection of natives at Kabul, India, and massacre of Europeans.
1892—Lieutenant Frederick G. Schwatka, U. S. A., noted arctic explorer, died at Portland, Ore.; born 1849.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:52, rises 6:28; moon sets 12:38 a. m.

John Goosen is spending the day here from Euclid.

Fred Langdon is out on the east line today.

Harry Budd is spending the day here from Beltrami.

Bob Ashley is spending the day out on the east line but will be back to vote.

H. B. Budd of Beltrami was an arrival in the city this morning, and took the later train for Bemidji where he was called on business.

Ex-County Commissioner Levi Steenerson is spending the day in the city attending to business matters and looking after a few political matters.

It's worth while asking for "Hickory" Brand Rubbers and Overshoes. They are long wearing—always giving satisfaction. Ask your dealer. St. Paul Rubber Co. Distributors.

BACK FROM LONG TRIP—W. R. Lowe has returned from a trip to Tampico, Mexico, where he has enjoyed a very pleasant trip.

BACK TO VOTE—C. W. Final and Irv Kinder left this morning for a trip out on the Duluth line but both are coming back in the morning in time to vote.

AFTER THE DUCKS—W. W. Hall of Grand Forks passed thru the city this morning enroute to Maple Lake where he will shoot ducks for the day and may remain longer if the ducks are flying right.

A BUNCH OF DUCKS—Peter Cram arrived from the east last evening with a bunch of ducks. He had spent a day at his private duck preserves but refused to state the exact location

WENT EAST — Walter Hubener, cutlery salesman for Marshall-Wells of Duluth spent Sunday in the city and left this morning for a trip out on the east line.

OLD TIMER IN CITY—Cliff Finch, one of the old timers in the city arrived this morning and is spending the day here attending to business matters.

SHERIFF CANDIDATE HERE — Hans Samuelson candidate for sheriff on the democratic ticket is spending the day in the city calling on the voters and attending to other business matters.

HOME TO VOTE—C. L. Skoug returned last evening from Minot, having spent the past week in North Dakota territory and will return to that section of the northwest after all the shouting is over.

REMODELLING BLOCK—Elias Steenerson is making extensive improvements in his big block on south Main street, and is remodeling it into a modern structure in every particular. He believes that prosperity is coming to this section and now is the time for improvement.

NIGHTENGALE CONFIDENT—J. A. Wessel the well known traveler and a member of the state game and fish commission, is in the city today and will leave this evening for St. Paul in order to be at home for election day. Mr. Wessel is one of the original Johnson boomers among the traveling men and he is always ready to take off his hat and coat and go to work for the governor.

LOOKED AFTER PROPERTY — Dr. Thomas Spence spent yesterday looking over some property in which he is interested near Erskine. He was a guest at the hospitable farm home of J. H. Hiler and reports that section of the country looking very fine. He did a little duck shooting while there but says the ducks are not flying very freely. He also reports that the Hiler home is a most pleasant one to visit, where your welcome is so hearty that it feels like another visit.

From Tuesday's Daily

Nov. 3 In History.

1493—Columbus, on his second voyage, reached Dominica.
1794—William Cullen Bryant, American poet and editor, author of "Thanatopsis," born; died 1878.
1830—John Esten Cooke, American author, born; died 1886.
1903—The independence of the republic of Panama proclaimed.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:51, rises 6:30; moon sets 1:52 a. m.; moon's age 10 days; 4 a. m., planet Mercury at perihelion, nearest sun.

Agents wanted to sell Baker Rope Buckles and Halter Ties. Big Seller. Write today for full particulars. Folts Baker Mfg. Co. Minneapolis, Minn.

The Ladies of the Episcopal church will hold a Rummage Sale in the Guild rooms in the rear of the church Nov. 12th, 13th and 14th.

BACK TO THE CITY—Rev. Hedegaard, the Sunday School Missionary has returned to the city after having made an extensive trip to the east country. He states that he is more than satisfied with the returns and that the people have been very generous towards the cause.

HERE FROM ADA— Gus Warnke spent yesterday here from Ada attending to some business matters. He is doing well in the restaurant and billiard hall and had not visited Crookston for some months past. He is a strong Johnson advocate and managed to get action on quite a roll of "long green" while here, giving odds of three to one.

GEESE ALL SCARED OUT—W. P. Murphy and S. D. Felsing returned from Goose Lake yesterday and say all the geese were scared away from the lake yesterday. They had been hunting at Goose Lake but discovered that the geese had all been scared to Stony Lake and left in disgust. They started back in their automobile but only got as far as Euclid when the machine refused to work and then had to secure Liveryman Will Finlayson to haul them to the city.

ESTRAY LAW— Stock out of the possession or control of its owner, and doing damage, is said to be an estray. The finder of an estray within seven days may notify the owner and request him to pay all the charges and take such estray away but if the owner is unknown he may within ten days file the notice with the town clerk, who thereupon transmits a copy thereof to the register of deeds who records it in a book designated "Estray Book" If the estray is of less value than five dollars, the finder must give postal notice in the town, but if the value exceed five dollars he must publish the notice for four weeks in some paper, describe the animal as near as may be; must name the residence of the finder, and tell where and when it was taken. If the estray is worth more than ten dollars the finder must also cause it to be appraised by a justice of the peace and the certificate of such justice is to be filed with the town clerk. If the owner or person entitled to possession does not appear within one year thereafter and pay all the lawful charges against the same including the care, it is then to be sold at public auction. If appraised at ten dollars or less, it need not be sold but the person finding it becomes the owner thereof.
ED

Mr. F. O. Mitchell is busy preparing the program for the annual show of the Northern Minnesota Poultry Association.

Judge Hale of Rochester, who will score the poultry, will also deliver an illustrated address, the lantern slides which he will use being the best to be secured in the entire country. He is an authority on the subject and his lecture is certain to be of great interest to all those interested in the poultry business.

Watch for the Rummage Sale Saturday Nov. 7.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Tole- made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan do, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 4 In History.

1771—James Montgomery, Scotch poet, born; died 1854.
1847—Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, musical composer, died; born 1809.
1905—The czar granted the demands of Finland for autonomy in government.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:50, rises 6:31; moon sets 8:06 a. m.; moon at perigee, nearest earth; 4:02 a. m. moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing 2¾ degrees south of the planet from west to east.

There will be a Rummage Sale at the old Amundson & Berget building on Main street all day Saturday Nov. 7.

Yesterday afternoon the Crookston High School defeated the Thief River High here by a score of 23 to 11 in one of the hottest football contests ever waged in northern Minnesota. The local boys played a magnificent game and showed grit, pluck and training which aroused the greatest enthusiasm.

A good crowd witnessed the contest and greatly enjoyed the fast play the only unfortunate incident being the injury received by Lysle Brown who was knocked unconscious but he has improved since and it is not thought the injury will be permanent.

If you suffer from constipation and liver trouble Foley's Orino Laxative will cure you permanently by stimulating the digestive organs so they will act naturally. Foley's Orino Laxative does not gripe, is pleasant to take and you do not have to take laxatives continually after taking Orino. Why continue to be the slave of pills and tablets. Sold by All Druggists.

At New Rockford, N. D., last Wednesday occurred the marriage of Mrs. Viola Woodward and Emerson Gates of Mankato, Minn., at the handsome home of Mrs. Woodward's daughter, Mrs. H J. Mitchell the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. R. Beebe, pastor of the First Congregational church, in the presence of immediate relatives. After the ceremony the happy couple took the noon train for a little wedding jaunt and will soon be at home at Mankato where a modern home awaits their coming. The bride has been a resident of Eddy county ever since the earliest settlement and is one of the most pleasant and sociable women and her very large acquaintanceship will miss her at New Rockford. The groom is a wealthy retired business man of high standing in the community, where he lives. The evening before the ceremony a reception was tendered them by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rager in their palatial home at which eighty of the leading families were present and had the pleasure of meeting the groom and also of expressing best wishes for a happy future.

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GREATEST VICTORY

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against the third term.

Republicans All Won

The returns on the county election while not yet complete, indicate to a certainty that every candidate on the republican ticket was elected by a safe majority as follows:

Representatives, John Holten, John Saugstad.
County Auditor, Henry J. Welte.
County Treasurer, George J. Flaten
Register of Deeds, Theodore A Thompson.
Sheriff, Orin Daniels.
Judge of Probate, T. T. Morken.
County Attorney, Eric O. Hagen.
County Surveyor, Steener Steenerson.
Co. Supt of Schools, N. A. Thorson.
Co. Coroner Nels P. Stenshoel.
Co. Commissioners—
1st district, Marius Christianson.
3rd district, Ben Clements.
5th district, James Driscoll.

STEENERSON GIVEN RACE

HE WAS PROBABLY RE-ELECTED TO CONGRESS BY NARROW MARGIN

RESULT WILL NOT BE KNOWN DEFINITELY TILL ALL RETURNS ARE IN

CLAIMS STEENERSON'S ELECTION

Fred Dennis, private secretary to Congressman Steenerson at 4 o'clock this afternoon claims the election of Steenerson by 2,000 majority. Beltrami gives Steenerson 1100 majority Clay 500, Clearwater 116, and Roseau 200.

If Congressman Halvor Steenerson is re-elected to Congress from the 9th district, it is by such a narrow margin as to make it a hair raising proposition. Senator Sageng ran like a scared deer, carrying Otter Tail Co., by 1300, Norman Co., by 230, and breaking even in Polk Co.

As far as the returns have been received, Congressman Steenerson has a slight lead, but so close is the race that it will probably require the vote in every outlying precinct to make the result certain one way or the other.

COUNTY DIV. IS IN DOUBT

COL. STADSVOLD CLAIMS THAT NELSON COUNTY WILL BE SET OFF

Are we divided, or are we whole? This is a question which cannot be stated with certainty at the present time, and it will take the returns from all outlying precincts to determine whether Polk county has had its tail cut off.

Col. Stadsvold claims that county division has carried by a good majority, but the returns received up to the time of going to press show that the esntiment on the proposition is about evenly divided. East Grand Forks went 2 to 1 in favor of division, but Crookston went strong against it. The Thirteen Towns are coming in strong for it, and there is quite a general sentiment that the vote in the east end will be large enough to carry the division deal thru.

ALL BUT JAKE WERE ELECTED

With the exception of the head of the ticket all other republican candidates were elected as indicated by the returns, Mills and Elmquist both having been elected by substantial majorities. The successful candidates follow.

Lieutenant Governor, A. O. Eberhart.
Sec. of State, Julius A. Schmahl.
Atty. Gen., George T. Simpson.
State Treas., Clarence C. Dinehart.
Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, Charles E Elmquist and Ira B. Mills.

If you Are Over Fifty Read This

Most people past middle age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders which Foley's Kidney Remedy would cure. Stop the drain on the vitality and restore needed strength and vigor Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. Sold by all druggists.

CAR OF BIRDSEED BREAKS RECORDS

NORTH DAKOTA FARMER MAKES SOME NEW SHIPPING HISTORY

FIRST CONSIGNMENT OF CANARY BREAKFAST FOOD EVER RECEIVED IN MINNEAPOLIS

From Wednesday's Daily—

When the sample men of the William Dalrymple company opened car 23,348 that the Soo road brought in on Saturday from Kensal, N. D., and ran their long metal plungers in to test the grain, they got the surprise of their lives.

Wheat of every kind, corn, oats, barley, rye, flax and speltz had all passed through their plungers and into their sample bags in the course of long experience. But that which came out of car 3,348 was unlike anything they had ever seen. For a minute they stared at it. Then one man began to twitter and the other broke into high pitched silvery song, for the little golden specks that lay before them were nothing other than canary seed.

O. C. Austad, a prosperous farmer near Kensal, may not have known it, but he was making commercial history when he loaded Soo car 23,348, for neither the agricultural records of North Dakota nor the grain trade records of Minneapolis show that anything of the kind ever happened before.

Statisticans get Busy

At the Chamber of Commerce millers looked at it and wondered what kind of breakfast food it would make and the smoking room statisticans got busy figuring how many canary birds could eat, and for how long out of a 60,000 pound capacity car loaded three fifths capacity, before it would give out. One grain man said that, quality and all considered it had a value of about $2 a hundred pounds.

Leslie Edgerton of the Albert Dickinson company the biggest seed outfit in the country, said that he had never known canary seed to come in here from North Dakota. Some Iowa farmers have raised a little, but most of the canary birds eat the product of the island of Sicily which is of high quality, pays an import duty and has a value of $4 to $5 a hundred pounds.

CUPID WINS HIS VICTORY

ZION CITY COUPLE WHO RETURNED LICENSE, GET ANOTHER AND ARE MARRIED

From Wednesday's Daily—

Henry C. Fairbanks, aged 64 years and Mrs. Margaret Vasser, of Zion City, Ill., who came all the way to Grand Forks to be married and last Friday returned a marriage license after going to a minister here to be married yesterday, returned to the office of Judge L. K. Hassel, of the county court, secured a license and were married. The bride was divorced four years ago and it is thought that this may have had something to do with their decision to postpone the wedding She announced at the office of the judge that she had studied her Bible and had found there that she could get married.

The bridegroom asked Judge Hassell what he would have to pay as a fee. The court said he had no fixed price—the bridegroom could pay what he wished. Fairbanks studied a minute and then handed over $4. "My heart tells me to give you this amount," he said.

Fairbanks and his wife volunteered the information that they are missionaries and have been engaged in the work at the city founded by Dowie years ago. They have been doing some missionary work here since their arrival. They will make their home in Zion City.

A PIONEER BREWER DEAD

Red Wing, Nov. 5—Adolph Remmler a pioneer brewer of the west died at his home in this city aged 70 years.

He had been ill several months and his death had been expected. The funeral will be held Saturday forenoon from St. Joseph's Catholic church.

Adolph Remmler was born in Weller by-Haslach Baden, May 28, 1838. He came to America in 1854, settling in St. Louis where he engaged in business.

When the war broke out he enlisted in Company A, Third regiment Missouri volunteers, and served as a union soldier.

Like the men of his race he was fond of literature and music. At St. Louis he was a member of the leading German literary and musical societies and was a personal friend of General Franz Siegel who visited him afterwards at his home in Red Wing. He was also always a warm supporter and personal friend of Carl Schurz. He came to this city in 1877.

NORMAN CO. SPLIT UP

REPUBLICANS, DEMOCRATS, SOCIALISTS AND PROHIBITIONISTS ALL

SHARE IN THE PIE EATING CONTEST—VOTERS WERE INDEPENDENT

From Wednesday's Daily—

The returns from Norman Co., which are practically complete show that the voters of that county believe in dividing the political pie between the various candidates and all of them got their fingers in it. Folowing are the majorities given the national and state candidates and the successful candidates for county office.

Taft 500.
Jacobson 360.
Sageng 230.
C. L. Sulerud, Representative (Pro.)
D. E. Fulton, auditor.
A. E. Brett, treasurer.
Theodore Mattson, judge of Probate.
C. K. Lee, Reg. of Deeds.
M. A. Brattland, Co. Atty (Social't)
E. J. Boyer, Co. Surveyor.
B. A. Peterson, sheriff.
Maria Lovsness, County Supt. of Schools (Pro.)

THE RETURNS

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26,938; Bryan 26,325.

Florida

Jacksonville—The election in Florida resulted in the usual democratic majority of from 18,000 to 20,000.

South Carolina

Charlotte—State returns are unprecedentedly slow, but it is conceded that the complete democrat ticket will carry by majority of at least 30,000. The republican ticket made gains thruout the state.

Oklahoma

Oklahoma City—14 precincts in 7 counties give Taft 1,030; Bryan 914. Returns from state coming slow.

Wisconsin

Milwaukee—Returns indicate that state is safe for Taft and that Davidson (rep) for governor is running even with Taft.

Nebraska

Lincoln—At 9:25 p. m. Mr. Bryan announced that he would have no statement to make then.

Pennsylvania

Philadelphia—At 1 o'clock with 18 counties to hear from the indications are that Taft received in Pennsylvania a plurality nearer 40,000 than 300,000.

Montana

Helena—Scattering precincts from all over the state indicate Bryan carries state, close on congressman and governor.

South Dakota

Sioux Falls—Scattering returns so far received indicate that Taft carried state by from 10,000 to 15,000.

Maine

New York—Tribune says Maine has given Taft 35,000.

Georgia

Savannah—Bryan has carried Georgia but returns thus far received indicate a larger Taft and Watson vote than generally expected.

Delaware

New York—Tribune says Taft carried Delaware by 2,000.

New Hampshire

Returns from various parts of the state show falling off of democrat vote indicating Taft has carried the state by 5,000 or more. Reps probably elected three of six congressmen.

Vermont

White River—It is estimated Taft has carried Vermont by 28,000 plurality.

Virginia

Norfolk—The rep state committee concede this state to Bryan by 15,000 but claim a gain of 1 rep congresman in northern district,

Kansas

80 cities and towns in this state give Taft 24,511, Bryan 9,354.

New Jersey

New York Times says New Jersey is safely republican by large majority

Indiana

Indianapolis — Indications are that Taft has carried Indiana by about 32,000 votes.

Michigan

Detroit—Rep. state committee claim Taft plurality at 100,000 all rep. congressmen elected and Warner republican for governor may carry state by small plurality.

Utah

The rep. national committee has received the following from Sen. Smoot: Taft carries the state of Utah, by over 25,000; everything rep. I congratulate you.

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IS CUDAHY KIDNAPER IN CROOKSTON?

Captain Vonderbeck Arrests Pat Crow of Omaha And He Pays Fine Of $7.45 In Municipal Court.

Chief Eck Recognized Him as the Man Who Gained Great Fame in Omaha but Crow Refused to Talk.

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening Capt. Vonderbeck arrested Pat Crow, of Omaha, on Second street and this morning he paid a fine of $7.25 for too free indulgence in the flowing bowl. Pat paid the fine without protest and departed on his way rejoicing.

Pat has been in the city for several days. Chief Eck has a picture of the famous Pat Crow of Omaha who gained national notoriety by kidnapping the Cudahy child. He noticed a striking resemblance and is satisfied that the men are one an dthe same. When questioned the man arrested refused to talk on the subject, but smiled significantly.

Certain it is that the Crow arrested and Kidnapper Crow are as near alike as two peas in a pod, and their habits appear t obe about the same also.

TRUST METHODS EXPOSED BY AGENTS

New York Oct. 29—How the Dupont Powder company cut prices in the south to put the Chattanooga Powder company out of business was today brought out at the resumption here of the hearings in the suit of the government against the so-called powder trust.

F. J. Waddell district sales agent for the Sinnomahoning Powder company of Huntington, W. Va., testified that he had instructions from Eugene Dupont to go down and "cut out" the Chattanooga company regardless of prices.

"I located the trade supplied by the Chattanooga company," said the witness, "by the aid of the railroads and took it away from them."

Asked what was the lowest price at which he was selling. Mr. Waddell replied, on being so instructed by Maheffey, that it was 79 cents a keg, or approximately 30 cents below cost.

In 1895 he continued the Chattanooga company was sold out by the Dupont and the Laflin and Rand powder companies. The Southern Powder company millswere sold to the same.

During his testimony Mr. Waddell described the [illegible] "bureau" system maintained by the Dupont company, by which it kept in close touch with conditions throughout the country. This system was in vogue, he said, from 1902 to 1906.

The hearing was adjourned until tomorrow.

Posted Him.

He (vainly)—See that sweet little girl in pink? I was engaged to her the whole of last summer. Stranger (eagerly)—Very glad to hear it. I am the lawyer she's commissioned to sue you for breach of promise.

WHITE RIBBONERS ARE GOING HOME

Denver, Col. Oct. 29 — The thirty-fifth annual convention of National W. C. T. U. came to an end last night with a general jubilee in which all the states represented took part by representing the great gains in membership made during the year.

It was announced that a gain of 20,000 in membership had been made.

Several resolutions were adopted during the session today the most important one expressing opposition to the re-election of Speaker Cannon to the national house of representatives. Another resolution adopted favored education of the people in regard to "the dangers of fermented wines." This was aimed at the California Wine Growers association and was introduced by Mrs. D. J. Spencer of California.

"The Wine Dealers association has been flooding the state with so-called temperance literature and trying to make people believe that wine is not injurious if people are educated to it." she said.

"Why, they advocate that the child shall be given wine as soon as it is weaned."

SWITCHMAN LOSES BOTH LEGS

News was received yesterday morning from Devils Lake of serious and probably fatal injuries received by William Jack, a switchman employed by the Great Northern railroad and a cousin of W. R. Jack proprietor of the roller rink in Grand Forks and a former resident of Crookston. Both of Jack's legs were cut off and his head was injured. He was still alive, according to reports received here early this morning. The accident happened when a couple of cabooses were being switched and both of them passed over the unfortunate man's legs.

Jack has a wife residing at Carp Ont., and she has been notified by wire of his accident. A brother in Winnipeg has also been notified.

The art or exercise of dancing can be traced back to the early Egyptians, who ascribe that invention to their god Thoth. Beyond a doubt dancing is much older than history. It began in connection with religious rites and was performed in honor of the deities that were worshiped.

WHISKEY CRAZED WOMAN SOBER

LEAVES FOR SEATTLE AFTER A NIGHT SPENT IN COUNTY JAIL

ADMITS SHE TIPPLED IN CROOKSTON AND WENT DIPPY

From Thursday's Daily—

Mrs. W. T. McDowell, the Buffalo N. Y., woman who was lodged in the county jail at Grand Forks Tuesday evening on a charge of insanity had recovered sufficiently yesterday to resume her journey to Seattle.

She admitted at the county jail that she had been drinking intoxicants. This affected her head and made her a little crazy. She slept nearly all day and felt all right last evening.

She had raised a rumpus here and did a little stunt at booze lapping after she had been taken from the train being sent later on her way west.

According to the figures of the government geological survey, the state capital which attains the greatest elevation above sea level is Denver, with an altitude of 5,175 feet, while the lowest point is held by Annapolis, Md., its elevation above the sea being only four feet.

LITTLE GIRL PROVES HERSELF HEROINE

Delpha Woolery, 7 Years Of Age Put Out Fire In Kitchen After Telephoning Her Father To Hurry Home.

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock Delpha Woolery, a little tot but 7 years of age proved herself to a real heroine, and displayed more presence of mind than many grown girls or boys would have shown.

She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. G. H. Woolery, residing at 514 Front Street, and yesterday afternoon her mother went down town to do some shopping. Delpha, with her younger sisters were playing in the parlor where one of the little girls opened the kitchen door and discovered it full of smoke.

Delpha kept her head and running to the telephone called her father and told him the kitchen was ablaze.

Then snatching a pail she ran to the pump in the back yard and got a pail of water which she dashed on the fire which was flaming in the woodbox near the stove and on the wainscoating. Another and another pail was carried and when Mr. Woolery arrived after a run of four blocks the fire was practically out.

The little girl should receive a vote of thanks fro mthe city council as had an older person seen the fire an alarm would have been turned in and it would have cost the city $50 or $60. Miss Delpha certainly has an old head on her shoulders.

REVOL'T'NIST

RUSSIAN SPENT NEARLY YEAR BEHIND BARS—OUT ON $25,000 BAIL

SPENT HAPPY EVENING WITH FAMILY YESTERDAY —MANY FRIENDS CALLED

St. Petersburg, Oct. 29—After an imprisonment of eleven months and five days, Nicholas Tschaikovsky, the Russian revolutionist was released this afternoon on $25,000 bail, pending trial. Tonight he is spending a happy evening with his family and intimate friends.

ENTERTAINED WITH A MULLIGAN

JOHN CARL KNOWS HOW TO DO THINGS UP TO THE HANDLE

John Carl, a well known man of the city discovered last Monday that he had a birthday. He immediately laid plans for a surprise on his friends. He secured a half a dozen fine spring chickens and the score or more of ingredients that go to compose a real old time "Mulligan." The word was passed to his friends and at 11 o'clock in the evening the guests gathered about the festive board and were given the feed of their lives none of the trimmings of the banquet having been forgotten by the genial host. Wesley Helm acted as chief usher, and William Onion was head waiter and the guests were certainly well taken care of.

The guests only wish that the host had about three birthday a year.

YOUNG ARTIST OF ABILITY

EMIL EVANSON AT THE NEW STORE DOES HIGH CLASS WORK

People for some time past have been admiring the signs at the New Store, and were of the opinion that the cards were printed by the wholesale companies who were advertising their goods. The signs were not only artistic, but the designs were very original and the letter of a character never before seen in this section.

It appears that the work was all done by Emil Evanson, a young man from Thief River Falls, who has been employed at the New Store for some time past. He is certainly an artist of ability in that line, and his work cannot be approached by any one in this section of the country.

WOMEN TAKEN TO FERGUS FALLS

United States Immigration Inspector Charles Carr of Winnipeg passed thru this city yesterday in charge of Martha Wright and Virginian Marcelles, two women who were taken from a house of illrepute in Baudette by the authorities.

Inspector Carr left on the evening train with the women in charge for Fergus Falls where they will appear before the judge of the United States District court.

BACTERIA IN MILK.

Some Good Suggestions That Every Dairyman Should Heed.

It is impossible in practical dairy work entirely to prevent bacteria from falling into the milk, but if the following suggestions are heeded the number gaining entrance and their rate of development will be greatly lessened:

Do not feed dry hay or fodder at feeding time, and to prevent dust from rising from the floor use the sprinkling can, for dust meant bacteria.

Do not brush the cow just before or at the time of milking, for the dead skin and hairs, carrying thousands of bacteria, will be loosened ready to drop into the pail.

Do not permit the cow to switch her tail over the milk pail, for she is certain to throw hundreds of bacteria into the milk at every flip.

Do not soak the teats or udder with milk or water so that drops fall into the pail, but moisten with a cloth, for a moist surface does not readily permit bacteria to leave it.

Do not regard milking as a dirty task and wear old and filthy clothes, for the handling of food for human beings should be made a cleanly task.

Do not wash pails and cans with cold water, but scald with boiling water and steam, and by all means avoid rinsing with cold water just before milking, for a few drops of water usually contain several thousand bacteria.

Do not wait to finish milking before beginning the cooling of the milk, but set the can in a tub of cold water so that each cow's milk will be cooled immediately after milking, for a high temperature causes bacteria to multiply very rapidly.

Do not fail to thoroughly clean and scald the parts of the separator each time it is used, for bacteria thrive in the separator slime.

His Revenge.

The discourtesy of some postoffice lady clerks in London is proverbial. Occasionally, however, the fair creature receives a Roland for an Oliver.

An irascible stockbroker entered a certain city office exactly at the hour of closing and, approaching the money order desk, politely requested the presiding genius to issue him an order for 48 shillings.

"Too late," said the damsel curtly, pointing with an ink stained finger to the clock. The indignant broker stormed, raved and finally challenged the correctness of the timepiece. The imperturbable lady smiled.

The following afternoon two minutes before the closing hour the merchant again presented himself and calmly asked:

"Am I too late?"

"Only just in time," replied the damsel crossly.

"Thank you. Now, miss, I must trouble you to issue me forty-eight orders for 1 shilling each."

"F-f-forty-eight!" gasped the horror stricken woman. Her tea had just arrived and was standing on a table behind the screen. "Surely you are joking?"

"Madam," said the stockbroker, raising his hat politely, "courtesy begets courtesy."—London Tit-Bits.

Second Operation Necessary.

New York, Oct. 30.—It is learned that it was found necessary to perform a second operation on E. R. Thomas, the banker, in Roosevelt hospital. He was injured at Long Branch, N. J., in an automobile accident on Aug. 14 last. The prognosis as to his ultimate recovery is said to be not so favorable as it was recently. The first operation was performed on Aug. 29.

Mystery in Double Tragedy.

Greenfield, Mass., Oct. 30.—Benjamin E. Gainer, thirty-nine years old, and Miss Harriet Mabel Wing, ten years younger, were found dying from bullet wounds at Miss Wing's boarding house. The police expressed the opinion that Gaines shot the young woman and then killed himself, but no reason for the shooting is known.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM ISSUED FOR HORTICULTURAL MEET

Big Gathering Will Be Held At Stephens Hall OnFriday November 9.

Some Very Fine Papers Will Be Read And The Gathering Will Be Most Important One

President J. F. Hettler and Secretary-Treasurer L. P. Harrington of the Red River Valley Horticultural Society have sent out the official programs for the Fourth annual meeting of the society which will be held on Friday, Nov. 6th at Stephens Hall at the State School of Agriculture beginning at 9:30 A. M.

The program is a most excellent one, including papers by the best authorities in the respective lines upon which they will speak.

This is a gathering of vital importance to the people of this section and every farmer should make an effort to be present, and have his sons there as well. All will be heartily welcomed. Following is the program:

PROGRAM

9:30 A. M. Nov. 6, 1908

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Address of Welcome, Senator A. D. Stephens.

Response, President Wm. Robertson

Paper, "Appletrees, When and How to Plant, and Care of the Same," Mr. Frank Haseltine.

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Paper, "Potatoes, How to Grow, Best Variety and Marketing. Government Report," by J. M. Stephens.

Paper, "Tomatoes, When to Plant and Transplant, Care, Kind of soil and Varieties Best Adopted to this Climate," C. W. Wilder.

Paper, "Fruits, Variety, Large and Small," H. L. Melgaard, Argyle, Minn.

1:30 P. M.

Music, Crookston School of Agriculture.

Address, Hon. J. H. Worst, President of the State School of Agriculture of North Dakota.

Music, Crookston School of Agri culture.

Paper, "Floriculture", E. S. Kneeland, Grand Forks.

Paper, "Educational Value of Agriculture," Prof. Hay, Thief River Falls.

Business Session.

Song, "America."

WIRELESS WORDS GOING OVERLAND

Being Transmitted Several Hundred Miles With Ranges And Hills Between.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 30—Advices received at the local signal office show that the signal service wireless stations in Alaska have made another record, removing all doubt as to the feasibility of sending wireless messages overland.

Fort Gibbon at the junction of the Tanana and Yukon rivers several hundred miles inland, is receiving messages from Nome and St. Michael, 500 miles distant with many ranges of hills between the two places. A message sent by the steamer Northwestern 1100 miles west of Cape Flattery to the United Wireless station at Cordova, was copied. The message travelled about 1,200 miles in an air line over two high ranges of mountains capped with snow.

JAP SEALING SCHOONERS CAPTURED IN NORTH

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 29—The seizure of more raiding Japanese sealing schooners at the Russian sealing grounds in the north Pacific is reported by the steamer Monteagle, which arrived today from these waters. The schooner Bosa Maru was intercepted off the Rookery at the Russian seal islands early last month on her way home from the Behring sea. Two boats with six men armed, were on the beach.

The men were engaged in clubbing seals on the hauling grounds when the Russian patrol ship arrived and seized the schooner, but in the fog the schooner escaped and the guards afterwards captured six men who had been left on the Rookery.

Another Japanese schooner was caught off Great Santal island by a Russian patrol cruiser, the crew deserted the schooner and took refuge in the woods. After a vain chase the Russians returned and burned the ship. It was feared that the Japanese would be frozen to death.

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good". simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Oct. 29 In History.

1740—James Boswell, noted biographer of Dr. Johnson, born; died 1795.

1829—Thomas Francis Bayard, statesman, the first United States ambassador (appointed under that title) to England, born in Wilmington, Del.; died 1898.

1903—Mrs. Booth-Tucker, distinguished Salvation Army leader, killed in a railroad accident in Kansas.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:57, rises 6:24; moon sets 8:10 p. m.; moon at descending node, crossing sun's path downward.

Save your money. Buy GOLD SEAL Overshoes and Rubber Boots —Cheapest because wear longest. Ask your dealer. Not sold by Mail Order houses.—Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Makers.

Tom Hover came in from the east last night and went north this morning. Tom is tramping all the time.

CANDIDATE HERE— Hans Samuelson the democratic candidate for sheriff was an arrival in the city this morning and will spend the day with friends looking over the situation.

GOT TOO FRESH—A young man at the Great Northern restaurant last night imagined he was general manager and was thrown out the door, taking the glass with him. His name is not mentioned out of regard to respectable relatives who reside here.

WENT TO THE WOODS —Henry Larsen one of the old time residents of Polk county who has been spending the fall in North Dakota left this morning for Bemidji and will spend the winter in the woods again. He spent several days here visiting with friends.

The St. Paul Institute of Arts and Sciences is an accomplished fact and the ground work of what will sometime be an immense university has been successfully laid. Within a week the campaign for associate members has brought in 1,500 members and the Institute sshools i na dozen branches are in successful operation. Men of wealth have launched the movement and are liberally supporting it. Associate members will receive this winter single admissions to 33 afternoon lectures, two admissions to 34 evening lectures, reduced prices to 40 additional lectures, reduced prices to 25 concerts and the privilege of applying their membership fee on tuition in any of the Institute schools, all for $5. The lectures and concerts are to be of the highest order, world-famous artists and speakers having been already engaged. Registration in the various schools, which are a godsend to hundreds of young people and others who are obliged to work days and yet desire the equivalent of university education, is exceptionally heavy. The institute teaches practically everything from art to business administration and from languages to woodturning and carpentry. The public schools and their teachers have been affiliated with the movement, which is under the direct supervision of the municipal school authorities, acting in conjunction with representative boards and the official staff of the Institution.

Are You Looking For A Pudding?

Most people are, and D-Zerta Quick Pudding is the only quick dessert that delights and satisfies every housekeeper and the entire family. Every package guaranteed under the Pure Food Laws. Try a package of D-Zerta Pudding to-day from your grocer and you will buy often and tell your friends. Various flavors at all grocers, 10 cents. Order to-day.

"Audible Writing."

The hiring of a special teacher of penmanship for the public school of Blanktown was considered by some of the more conservative patrons an unnecessary and altogether extravagant innovation. But when in the interests of expert wrist and finger motion considerable time and stationery were consumed in the practice of certain spiral flourishes to which the delighted children gave the name of "smoke" forbearance on the part of one irate mother ceased to be a virtue, and she entered her protest in the following note to the writing master:

"Dere Sur our taxis is hevy enuff to suport you when you tend to bisness let alone spendin your time on Frils an Furbelows so I say jest you teach my boy good Audibul riting an if we want any Smoke we can lern it to him at home. Yours respeckfuly, Mrs jane Brown."—Woman's Home Companion.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 30 In History.

1683—George II. of England born; died 1760.

1823—Edmund Cartwright, inventor of the power loom, died; born in England 1743.

1829—Roscoe Conkling, born; died 1888.

1841—Great fire at the Tower of London.

1900—The United States census bureau published the results of the computation of the twelfth census, showing a population on June 1, 1900, of 76,295,220.

1904—The 150th anniversary of Columbia university celebrated in New York.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:55, rises 6:25; moon sets 9:08 p. m; moon's age 6 days; moon lowest, farthest south; 1 p. m., planet Mercury at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; 1:14 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus, passing from west to east of the planet; moon occults Uranus, passing between the planet and the earth; sun's declination 13 degrees 40 minutes south of celestial equator.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

MAY TRAVEL— George Manning left last evening for Duluth where he may accept a position with a wholesale house as traveling salesman.

HEARD HAYWOOD—P. O. Satermoe and John Hexum of Climax were among the out of town citizens who were among the hearers at the Socialistic meeting last night.

IS IMPROVING — Judge William Watts, who has been confined to his home for the past week, is now convalescing from his ailment and in the near future will be able to be about the court house.

ATTENDING SUPREME COURT— City Atty. Martin O'Brien left last evening for St. Paul where he went to look after some cases which he has pending in the supreme court. He will be back in time to vote.

HERE FROM ADA—A. L. Hanson of Ada a state senator, arrived in the city this morning and spent some time looking after some business matters. He is looking for a republican victory all along the line and believes the entire ticket is sure to be elected.

Here on Business—J. A. Duffy, the well known banker of Red Lake Falls, spent last evening in Crookston attending to some business matters. While here he called upon his many personal and business friends.

VERY FINE LUNCH —The many visitors at the meeting of the Red River Valley Horticultural Association at the Crookston School of Agri culture, which will take place Friday, November 6, will be given the most careful attention. The officers ave made arrangements for a lunch to be served at the nominal price of 15 cents.

HORSES TO BEMIDJI—Alfred Vonderbeck is spending the day in the city enroute to Bemidji with 20 horses which he is driving overland for work in the woods. He has had the horses during the summer on the farm of Senator S. D. Works at Euclid, of which he is the manager, an dis taking them back for work in the logging camps this winter.

FINE WATERWAY— Omer Sauve the well known farmer of Kertsonville, is in the city today and he is enthusiastic in his praises of county ditch No. 75. He says it is entirely completed and the people served by it are omre than pleased with the promise of benefits it holds out. Mr. Sauve believes that its benefits will be realized next spring and the entire population of that section of the county will be a unit in favor of the ditch.

WAS SURPRISED— Dr. J. E. Argue, of Red Lake Falls, was surprised by meeting his brother, H. A. Argue, who resides in Tacoma, Wash., in Crookston last evening. He had come east on a business trip and while in this section decided to drop in upon his brother. The two will spend a few days together at Red Lake Falls.

The Writer's Child—Papa, what is penury?

The Writer—Penury, my son, is the wages of the pen.—Cleveland Leader.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Oct. 31 In History.

John Adams.

1517—Luther published his "Thesis" at Wittenberg; beginning of the reformation.

1735—John Adams, second president of the United States, born; died July 4, 1826.

1873—The Cuban filibustering steamer Virginius, fitted out at New York, captured near Jamaica by the Spanish gunboat Tornada and taken to Cuba; this event furnished the most sensational incident of the first Cuban revolt.

1906—Judge Joseph E. Gary of the county superior court, presiding justice in the anarchist trials in Chicago, died; born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:54, rises 6:26; moon sets 10:15 p. m.; moon at first quarter 9:16 a. m., eastern time, in constellation Capricornus; Halloween.

GOT BALLOTS — J. H. Emmeck, town clerk of Hammond was in the city Thursday and got the ballots for the election next Tuesday.

HEARD ADDRESS—James Fitzsimmons and Fritz O'Brecht of Euclid were among those who came in Thursday evening to hear the Socialist speakers.

A FINE HOME — August Schuler will leave the forepart of next week for Euclid where he will plaster the new Keeley residence which is one of the finest in that section of the county.

ANGUSITES HERE — W. Lemen and James Strobel came down from Angus Thursday evening to hear Haywood speak and while here attended to some other business matters at the court house.

SPEAK AT McINTOSH—Representative Saugstad and J. C. Sathre of the Republican County Central Committee left this morning for McIntosh where there will be a political rally today.

SECURED GOOD JOB—E. J. Goff who has been working at the Redlands transfer of the Great Northern under J. J. Burke, has left with his wife and family for Montana where he has secured a lucrative position on the Northern Pacific. They were accompanied by Mrs. McGovern, mother of Mrs. Goff, who will make her home with them.

ARE MIXING IN—We notice that Federal office holders are mixing considerably in politics in this district, and have failed to note any that are not for the administration's candidates. We presume that they will all be called upon to resign, as the president seems to consider himself entitled to a monopoly in that line of business.—McIntosh Times.

MARKET NOT GLUTTED—The return of Attorneys W. E. Rowe and C. O. Longley and F. McLennen from their hunt at Rice Lake has not thus far glutted the duck market. They returned with a few feathers, we understand, but we are not real certain of that fact. However they claim that the shooting was poor, and that the average man could go out with a lassoo and get more ducks than could be seen at Rice Lake.

BRONCHO HAD NO RESPECT FOR JUDGE

Judge Grindeland of Warren engaged in a goose hunt last week that barely missed resulting in serious injuries to him. The team his party drove consisted of a pair of none too gentle bronchos one of whom kicked the judge on the arm, severely bruising it. The arm was in front of the body at the time and the kick drove it with great force against his ribs, several of which would undoubtedly have been broken, even tho no more serious injuries were sustained if the arm had not been in a position to afford them protection.

Help! Help! I'm Falling

Thus cried the hair. And a kind neighbor came to the rescue with a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor. The hair was saved! In gratitude, it grew long and heavy, and with all the deep, rich color of early life. Sold in all parts of the world for sixty years.

"About one year ago I lost nearly all of my hair following an attack of measles. I was advised by a friend to use Ayer's Hair Vigor. I did so, and as a result I now have a beautiful head of hair."—MRS. W. J. BROWN, Menomonee Falls, Wis.

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A Child of Nature.

[Original.]

"There's a man in the front office looking for some property in Boonton county. Perhaps we can sell him the Gardner tract. You go in and talk it up at what you think you might get out of him, then call me and ask what I think about selling at the price you give. I'll ask if you're crazy to part with such a property at the figure, and we'll have a sham battle over it. I'll go out mad, and you sell the property because you're mad too. See?"

"Good scheme. We'll try it on."

Dobson of Dobson & Cram went into the front office, where he found a young man who in his innocence admitted that his father had recently died and left him $10,000 and a small farm. His purpose was to sell the farm and buy a larger tract somewhere which was liable to improve in value.

"I've got just the thing you want," said Dobson, taking out a beautifully drawn map. "There's 800 acres of it, which we can sell you at $100 an acre. This will leave you a couple of thousand for improvements besides your farm. There's only one trouble about my selling it to you. My partner is dead set upon our taking it ourselves. I would be in favor of it, too, but we've got so much now we can't pay the taxes."

The young farmer studied the map deliberately and after he had finished said he would go and look at the property. Dobson touched a bell. An office boy entered and was directed to call Mr. Cram. The junior partner came in and was informed by Mr. Dobson that he had offered the farmer the Gardner tract at $100 an acre, whereupon a violent quarrel ensued, at the end of which Mr. Cram left the room in a huff, threatening to enjoin his partner from making the sale. Dobson was so angry that he vowed the trade should be made before Cram had a chance to interfere.

The young man took the hook and paid two ten-dollar bills to bind the bargain. Before he left the office he had drawn a check on his bank for $8,000 and had a deed for 800 acres of swamp and hill land, the latter covered with a second growth of worthless timber.

"Goodby, Mr. Dobson," he said at parting. "I shan't forget your effort in my behalf, and I hope it won't get you into trouble with Mr. Cram."

He had no sooner gone than the two partners were congratulating each other on the sale.

"Shake, old man," said Dobson. "You played your part beautifully."

"But you landed him. He's as innocent as a kitten."

Two years passed during which neither Dobson nor Cram heard anything of the Gardner tract or its purchaser, when one day Cram said to Dobson: "The young man we scooped with that swamp and timber land in Boonton county is in the other room and wants to see you. Look out for him. Some one may have put him up to getting even. The law can't touch us, but he may have some game to play."

"Trust me for games."

Dobson went in where the young man was waiting, with outstretched hand and eyes beaming with kindliness.

"Mr. Dobson," said the youngster, "that property has turned out better than was expected. There's coal on it."

"Good!" exclaimed Dobson, slapping the boy on the back. Inwardly he said, "Why didn't you say gold or diamonds?"

"Yes; they say it's the finest anthracite in the state."

"Splendid!" Another slap on the back.

"I'm indebted for my good luck to you. Do you remember how you sold me the property before your partner could interfere?"

"Yes; I remember that."

"Well, one good turn deserves another. I've got an offer of $250,000 for the property from a coal company. I feel that I shouldn't keep all this good luck to myself, seeing that you were so kind to me. I'll divide. I'll sell to you for half, $125,000, and turn you over the coal company's written offer, good for thirty days."

"My dear fellow," said Dobson, striving to maintain a countenance that would not betray his seeing through the stupendous game, "you are the very soul of honor. I'll speak to Cram about it."

Going to Cram's office, he shut the door and as soon as he could control his laughter told him how the young farmer was trying to pay them in their own coin. After a pretended consultation he returned to the boy and said:

"That partner of mine will be my ruin. Do you know, he's so mad about my selling the property to you that he won't consent to my having anything to do with the matter, and our partnership forbids any purchase unless both consent. I'm awfully sorry. There's a gentleman waiting to see me."

There was a coolness in the last words, a steely look in the eyes, that was not lost on the youngster. He went away, not in anger, but in sorrow, and thinking what a despicable man Mr. Cram was.

A few days later Mr. Cram rushed into his partner's office with a newspaper in his hand.

"Great Scot, Dobson! What's this? 'Big find in coal. Sale of a tract in Boonton county. A young farmer made rich.'"

He went on to read that the story told them by the grateful boy was true and that they had thrown away a fortune.

EDWARD B. KIMBALL.

FREIGHT CAR WAS ROBBED

GREAT VARIETY OF STUFF WAS STOLEN BUT AMOUNT IS NOT KNOWN

NO TRACE OF THE THIEVES HAS AS YET BEEN DISCOVERED

From Saturday's Daily—

A few nights ago some thieves broke into a Great Northern car at Redlands and helped themselves to a large amount of stuff, the exact character of which cannot be determined The car contained shipments to Thief River Falls, Fosston, Greenbush, Bemidji and about a score of other places, and as a result it is impossible to tell just what was taken, but this will develop later as the merchants check up their goods.

JUDGE WATTS IS SUSTAINED

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS HIM IN FLAKNE DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST

THE GREAT NORTHERN FOR ALLEGED LOSES OVER CATTLE SHIPMENT

From Saturday's Daily—

James A. Maybury this morning received word that the order of Judge Watts in the suit of K. O. Flakne against the Great Northern in which the court held for the defendant, had been affirmed by the supreme court of the state.

This case had been very bitterly contested and was a suit for damages brought by Mr. Flakne in which he claimed that he had suffered a heavy loss as the result of the defendant company shipping a carload of cattle billed for Ada, to Crookston, the defendent company claiming that the freight was not paid at Ada. The cattle were finally unloaded here and driven back to Ada, and the loss was claimed as a result of the long drive back to Ada.

MUSICAL ARTIST AT THE LYCEUM

MISS DOLLY FELDKIRCHNER AND PROF. FRED NORQUIST WILL BE HERE

Sunday evening there will be something special at the Lyceum as Miss Dolly Feldkirchner and Prof. Frederick Norquist will be here from Grand Forks. Both have often appeared at the University of North Dakota, and at the Elks' and other lodges at Grand Forks, and those who attend the Lyceum tomorrow evening will certainly have a treat in the line of piano and violin music.

FUNNY STUNTS IN VAUDEVILLE

There is no funnier vaudeville show on the political stage, than the antics of Minnesota Republican editors who, after four years of editorial praise and approval of Governor Johnson's administration between campaigns, are compelled to turn sommersaults when the campaign in on and attempt to upset every position they ever took —Red Lake Falls Gazette.

The Chinese Waiter.

The chief glory of an average Chinese inn is the waiter. This indispensable functionary is the guardian of all your interests for the time being, and when you are not looking he dives into secrets and matters of your own that seem to amuse and enlighten him to your inconvenience and annoyance. Like his confreres in other and more enlightened countries, he hardly ever separates himself from the inevitable napkin, but his badge of waitership is a very practical article with him. With it in summer he mops his damp brow or bare shoulders, while in winter, wrapped about his head, it protects him from rain and wind. The Chinese waiter's napkin is put to all kinds of uses besides those just mentioned. It is used as a dishcloth, a mop with which to wipe the floor, a cloth for cleaning and wiping down tables and a duster. But Chinese landlords are very reasonable in their charges, which in a measure compensate for the unpleasantness of living in their inns.

Wanted—Something New.

A good lady of indefinite education, but ample purse, went into a bookseller's to buy a gift for her husband. She hovered around and manifested the usual indecision, whereupon an assistant, to help her out of the difficulty, suggested a set of Shakespeare.

"Oh," replied the lady very promptly, "he read that when it first came out."—Harper's Weekly.

A GIGANTIC POWER SCHEME

SEVEN MILLION DOLLAR CONCERN INCORPORATED AT ST. PAUL

BIG BACKING FOR INTERNATIONAL FALLS WATER POWER PROJECT

From Friday's Daily—

Articles of incorporation of the Minnesota and Ontario Power company capitalized at $7,000,000 have been filed with the secretary of state.

This gigantic corporation is headed by Minneapolis men and has been organized to build a great city, develop idle water power into practically unlimited supply of electricity, produce the greatest paper making center in the world and conduct lumbering operations over a territory containing 15,000 square miles.

The Minnesota and Ontario Power company is organized in Maine and its list of incorporators indicates that it is backed by some of the leading financial men of Minneapolis, Chicago and New York. It has bought from E. W. Backus and the Backus-Brooks company the immense water power at the Canadian boundary and will at once begin its development.

The contract has been let to the engineering and contracting firm of J. G. White & Co. of New York for the completion of the immense dam and hydro-electric power stations at International Falls and Fort Frances and the construction of a ground wood sulphite and news print paper plant. The company will also generate and make available for general manufacturing purposes electric energy and power in sufficient quantities to supply the needs of all commercial users in the vicinity.

The initial work of the new company will be the completion of the dam and power stations, producing a minimum of more than 30,000 continuous horse power and the construction of the first unit of installation of a sulphite and paper mill plant, having a daily capacity of 20 tons of news print paper and fifty tons of surplus sulphite. When the first unit is in operation the company will double the capacity of the sulphite and paper mill.

WM. MC'LENNAN PASSED AWAY

Word has been received of the death at Everett, Wash., of Wm McLennen which occurred on Oct. 20. Mr. McLennen was for years a resident of Angus where he was engaged in farming, and was a brother of F. McLennen who is a retired farmer of Angus and divides his time between that place and Crookston.

KILLED WILD GOOSE IN CITY LIMITS

Some of the local hunters were greatly disgusted this morning when they heard the news that one of the Greenhalgh boys yesterday afternoon had killed a goose just below the dam of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co.

This was discouraging to those who have taken several days off, spent $40 or $50 and then returned empty handed—but it was true nevertheless.

BRIDGE MAN IS INJURED

John Lien of Fosston a workman employed with the crew repairing the Great Northern bridge over the Red River, near the mill, was seriously injured Thursday afternoon. A team of horses furnished the power for the operation of a pile driver. An evener to which the horses were hitched, broke and the broken evener threw back with great force striking Mr. Lien in the groin. So heavy was the blow that it was feared that his injury would prove fatal. He was hurried to the hospital in this city and it is reported that he is getting along nicely and will recover.

OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

Mrs. Magney Rutzen was brought to the city this morning from Borup with an acute case of appendicitis and at 11 o'clock this morning was operated upon at Bethesda Hospital by Dr. Kjelland. At a late hour this afternoon the patient was doing as well as could be expected.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

ELTCTION VERY QUIET

WEATHER WAS UNFAVORABLE TO A HEAVY VOTE EARLY IN THE DAY

OUTCOME CANNOT BE PREDICTED SO CLOSE IS THE SENTIMENT

From Tuesday's Daily—

Election day is very quiet in Crookston. The weather was so cold and blustery this morning that the voting was much lighter than usual, but this afternoon the polls present a more busy appearance. Both the republicans and democrats are hustling for votes, and the outcome cannot be forecasted with any degree of accuracy till after the votes are counted.

The vote for governor is going to be very close in Polk Co., but the sentiment is so closely divided that the outcome will not be known till the votes are counted. In the city Johnson will have a majority without a doubt, but in the country the claim is made that Jacobson will be in the lead.

The complete returns will be received at the Auditorium this evening.

JUDGE GOSSMAN MADE ADDRESS

CIVIC CLASS OF HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED THE ELECTION

AND RECEIVED A SPLENDID COURSE OF INSTRUCTION BY MUNICIPAL JUDGE

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning the class in civics from the Crookston High School appeared in a body at the city hall, the 4th ward polling place, and were addressed for over an hour by Judge Gossman of the Municipal Court, who explained the election laws and how they worked.

The class was deeply interested in the remarks he made, and there were many points on which he threw a great deal of light. The hour spent was a most profitable one for the class and they were all highly pleased with what they heard.

BIG MEET OF GERMAN BUND

BIG MEETING WAS HELD IN GERMANIA HALL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

TALKED OVER STATE ISSUES AND WHAT WOULD PROMOTE INTERESTS

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon there was a large and enthusiastic meeting of the German Bund at the Germania Hall in this city.

They talked over the matter as to how they could work best in harmony with the state in general and further the interests of the state in general and at the same time care for the interests of this section.

President Carl Reidesel is very much gratified over the interest shown at the meeting, and the large attendance, and he believes that it augurs well for the future that such general interest is displayed in pcblic matters.

Thread Used In Surgery.

Are you aware that the modern surgeon employs in his work dozens of different kinds of thread for sewing up cuts and wounds? Among them are kangaroo tendons, horsehair, silk and very fine silver wire. Many of these threads are intended to hold for a certain number of days and then naturally break away. The short, tough tendons taken from the kangaroo, which are used for sewing severe wounds, will hold for about four weeks before they break away. Silk thread will remain much longer, sometimes six months, while the fine silver wire is practically indestructible.

With the entire outfit a surgeon is able to select a thread that will last as long as the wound takes to heal and will then disappear completely. To accommodate this assortment of threads special varieties of needles are required. Besides the needle craned in different segments of a circle, surgeons use needles shaped like spears, javelins and bayonet points.

Erudite.

"Oh, baby," exclaimed the Boston mother, "what does make you cry so?"

"I really cannot say," was the unexpected answer. "I have never indulged in introspection."

The costliness of keeping friends does not lie in what one does for them, but in what one out of consideration for them refrains from doing.—Henrik Ibsen.

BOECKEL GOES SCOTT FREE

MAN HELD FOR ROBBERY OF CURRY DISCHARGED YESTERDAY

CURRY REFUSED TO COME FROM NEW YORK TO PROSECUTE HIM

From Monday's Daily—

Rudolph Boeckel, the man accused of robbing a man named Curry on circus day, June 28th last at the N. P. high bridge was discharged yesterday from the county jail where he had been held on another charge for the past 30 days.

Chief Eck after arresting him, discovered that he answered the description of the man who held Curry up, and also had some meal tickets and other things on his person which served to identify him. He at once wired Curry, but the latter failed to respond the expense probably being too great for him.

TO OPEN OFFICE IN MINNEAPOLIS

GEO. B. CLIFFORD FOR YEARS A RESIDENT OF GRAND FORKS TO LEAVE THERE

WILL OPEN OFFICE FOR TRANSACTION OF MORTGAGE LOAN BUSINESS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Grand Forks, Nov. 3—Geo. B. Clifford who arrived yesterday morning from Minneapolis announced that he had decided to open a mortgage loan office in Minneapolis and make that the main office of his company. A branch office will be maintained here for a while at least. Mr. Clifford believes that he can handle his business in this territory from Minneapolis just as well. He has been making that city his home for a part of the time. Bert McDougall who has been managing the local office and Miss Strahan stenographer, will go to Minneapolis. The change will be made some time this fall.

Mr. Clifford will sell his beautiful home here. His decision to make his home in Minneapolis causes a great deal of regret in Grand Forks for he has always been one of the most enterprising citizens of the city.

Mr. Clifford has not yet decided upon a location for his office in Minneapolis.

WERE MARRIED AT PRESBYTERIAN MANSE

Yesterday afternoon at 2:30 at the Presbyterian Manse, Mr. William Barney was united in marriage to Miss Birdie May Ruth. The affair was attended by a large number of friends of the bride and groom, the officiating clergyman being Rev. W. S. Ward. Following the ceremony there was a fine spread served at the new home of the bride and groom on east Central Avenue just east of the Northern Pacific high bridge where they will make their future home. Both have a host of friends who will wish them every happiness.

Veterinaries.

Hippocrates, the "father of medicine," wrote a treatise on the veterinary art, but its true founder was Vegetius, who wrote "De Arte Veterinaria," 300 A. D. But the first attempt to elevate the practice into a science was as late as 1761, when France set the example of establishing the first veterinary college at Lyons.—Exchange.

How Ledgers Got Their Name.

On the authority of the best lexicographers "ledger" is an adaptation of a once common word, "ligger," signifying any large book suited better for lying on a desk than for carrying about. Sometimes this was applied to a large account book, cartulary, or the like, frequently a great breviary for use in church, as distinct from a "portas," or small one, carried by a "book bosom priest." "Coucher" is another old synonym for "ligger," the foregoer of the now general "ledger."

Old Theory Confirmed.

Tommy, whose nose was out of joint, had been permitted to see the new baby in its bath.

"Where's his other leg?" he asked, eying the infant with strong disfavor.

"It's doubled up under him," explained the nurse.

"Yes!" he snorted. "Jes' like de blamed stork what brung 'im!"—Puck

Entire Family Dead.

Columbus, O., Nov. 3.—Mock Devore, his wife and thirteen-year-old son, Charles Devore, were found dead from gas asphyxiation in their home at Milo, a suburb, by neighbors who had become alarmed over their disappearance. Suicide on the part of one or all of the family is suspected.

WAS ALLOWED TO FILE

JACOB LARSON FILED 20 YEARS AGO ON A FARM NEAR TWIN VALLEY

RAILROAD FOUGHT CASE AND LARSON WAS ALLOWED TO FILE ON A NEW CLAIM

From Monday's Daily—

An entirely new precedent was established here at the United States Land Office when the filing of Jacob Larson on a homestead near Beaudette was accepted by the local land office officials notwithstanding the fact that 20 years ago he filed on a piece of land near Twin Valley.

His first filing was disputed railroad land, and he fought the case for 20 years and finally the government decided to give Larson another filing in order to close the incident, and this was done for the first time in the history of the department in the northwest.

The case will be of general interest inasmuch as there are scores of others in the same boat as Mr. Larson, who have been fighting for years over disputed land which the railroads claimed as part of their grant, and who will without doubt be glad to quit the fight and make other selections in order to get titles before they are laid to rest themselves.

EMPLOYES MET SUNDAY

RAILWAY EMPLOYES PROTECTIVE ASSN. HELD ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

ADDRESSED BY MESSRS. ALLEN, BELL, MILLS, SMITH, WOODHOUSE AND DICKMAN

From Monday's Daily—

The Railway Empleyes Protective Association held an enthusiastic meeting on Sunday afternoon, which taxed the capacity of the Great Northern Passenger Depot.

Chairman McTaggert presided and short addresses were made by Messrs. P. C. Allen, E. A. Mills, F. D. Bell and J. W. Smith.

The Speeches of Messrs. Woodhouse and Dickman of the St. Paul club were the feature of the occasion. Both are employes in the St. Paul shops of the Great Northern and are enthusiastic over the prospects of the Association which already has a membership of about twenty five thousand in Minnesota. The work thus far accomplished in this state and the plans of the organization for the future were fully covered and met with the enthusiastic approval of the local members.

This organization is strictly non-partisan in character and has endorsed no candidate for any office, and, in fact could not well have done so as all candidates who have responded to the Association's request for an expression of their position have been found willing to treat both railroads and their employes fairly.

It is the intention to hold a state convention in the near future at which delegates will be elected to a National convention to be held during the winter, and when the plans of the organizations in the various states are carried out it is expected that this Association will include practically all of the railway employes thruout the country.

BACK FROM TRIP OUTLOOK BRIGHT

J. W. WHEELER AND A. A. MILLER RETURN FROM IOWA TRIP

J. W. Wheeler of the First National Bank and A. A. Miller returned this morning from Webster City, Ia., where they were called a few days ago on business. They report that the people of that section all have their eyes on the Red River Valley and that indications point to, a substantial movement to this section the coming fall and winter.

HIS MEMORY WAS VERY BAD

Harry Anderson was arrested last Friday night with an overload of the "joyful" on. He told where he had bought it Saturday morning when he was arraigned, but this morning when an adjourned hearing was held he had forgotten all about where he had secured the stuff.

Anderson is but 18 years of age and hails from Bemidji.

RWARD FOR P.O. ROBBERS

LARGEST REWARD IS ONE THOUS AND DOLLARS FOR ROBBERS

WHO ATTACK POSTAL CARS — LIST OF OTHER REWARDS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The last issue of the Daily Bulletin issued by the postoffice department at Washington and received in Fargo yesterday contains notice of a new set of rewards for postal robbers.

The order took effect on Oct. 23 and will be in effec. until otherwise ordered.

It provides the following rewards for the arrest and conviction of the classes of robbers mentioned:

1,000 reward for a robber who takes mails being conveyed in any mail car attached to a train, or from the carrier intrusted with mails on a train.

$500 reward for robber who takes mail while it is being conveyed over any post route other than a railway.

$250 reward for robber who attempts to rob mails being conveyed over any post route.

Not exceeding $200 and not less than $50 for robber who breaks into any postoffice and steals therefrom or who robs a postmaster or postal employe or who breaks in with intent to commit depredation, provided that the maximum of $200 will be paid in every case where a safe is blown open whether the robber gains access to the funds contained therein or not.

Not exceeding $200 nor less than $25 for arrest and conviction of embezzler mail carrier.

Not exceeding $200 nor less than $50 for robber who takes mail from any receptacle or from railway station.

The same rewards will be given for persons accessory to the crime as for the chief criminal.

The postmaster and his subordinates are barred from receiving rewards. In cases where a maximum and minimum reward is offered the amount of the rewards will depend on the class of criminal captured, the expense to which the receiver of the reward was put in securing the arrest and conviction.

NO ONE KILLED ON HALLOWE'EN

A FEW PRANKS WERE CUP UP THAT WERE A LITTLE TOO RAW

GATES, SIDEWALKS AND SIGNS DISTURBED—ONE FIRE WAS STARTED

From Monday's Daily—

Hallowe'en has passed again and no one was seriously hurt. The young lads and lassies did the usual mischievous tricks and some went too far and tore up sidewalks, took down signs, removed gates, stole baby buggies and cut up a number of didos that they should not have done.

The most serious happening of the evening was the setting on fire of a woodshed at the rear of Button's Business College, whether by accident or intention will probably never be known. The shed was destroyed and the barn at the rear of J. P. Marcum's residence would have burned had it not been for the appearance of Mr. Marcum on the scene, putting out the fire in his woodpile which was very near the barn.

There were many very pleasant little social affairs also given.

STATE OFFICIALS HOME TO VOTE

State Librarian John E. King arrived in the city this morning enroute from St. Paul to Red Lake Falls where he will remain till after election as he desired to cast a good Democratic vote. He says the state looks good from one end to the other.

W. F. Kelso the Hallock Banker also came up from the cities this morning and proceeded to his home. He is a member of the State Board of Grain Appeals and decided to cast his vote even if the season was a busy one.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by All Druggists.

People are never hungry enough for it to enjoy warmed over love.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

PLEASED WITH NORTHERN DIV.

Supt. J. C. Allen, the new superintendent of the Northern Division of the Great Northern, who recently arrived here from Great Falls, is very much pleased with his new location. To a Journal man this morning, he said:

"You certainly have a beautiful little city. Everything looks thriving and I am certainly pleased with the people whom I have met and the Division I am sure will be a pleasant one to work on. There seems to be quite a brisk passenger business thru this city the branch lines evidently contributing to this."

Supt. Allen has been here but a few days but is rapidly getting into the harness, and is proving a very popular official. His service west has already proven that he is efficient.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL

Chicago 29, Minnesota 0.
Cornell 10, Pennsylvania State 4.
Harvard 6, Brown 2.
Carlisle 16, Navy 6.
Pennsylvania 25, Carnegie Tech. 0.
Wisconsin 9, Marquette 6.
Princeton 0, Army 0.
Michigan 24, Vanderbilt 6
Lawrence 17, Beloit 0.
Yale 49, Mass A. C. 0.
Pittsburg 13, St. Louis 0.
Illinois 10, Indiana 0.
Dartmouth 17, Amherst 0.
Syracuse 23, Williams 0.
Denver 30, Creighton 0.
Ohio State 10, Ohio Wesleyan 5.
Ames 16, Missouri 0.
Washington U 11, Rose Polytechnic 6.
Haskell Indians 18, St. Mary's 0.
Michigan Aggies 6, Wabash 0.
Nebraska 11, Iowa 8.
Crookston High School 11, Alumni 0.

AVIATORS TO TEST THEIR MACHINES

FAMOUS RACING PARK HAS BEEN GIVEN OVER TO NAVIGATORS OF THE AIR—MANY NOVEL CONTESTS WILL BE PULLED OFF TODAY—PRIZE TO MACHINE SHOWING THE GREATEST ADVANCE IN SCIENTIFIC CONSTRUCTION

New York, N. Y., Nov. 3 — Aeronautic history will probably be made tomorrow at Morris Park should the weather be favorable, when aeronauts from various parts of the U. S. will engage in a series of novel contests. Events will be held under the auspices of the Aeronautic society which has turned the famous race track into an aerodrome in recognition of the wide interest manifested by the public in this newest of sports. The principal event will be a flying machine competition, the award in which will go to the machine showing the greatest advance in scientific construction.

No woman who cares for appearances can afford to weep unless she has a dainty handkerchief to use as a tear mop.

Whisky by any other name would tangle men's feet just the same.

STUDENTS IN WRECK

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA FOOTBALL ROOTERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

ENGINEER OF TRAIN IS INJURED BUT OTHERS LUCKILY ESCAPE

New Richmond, Wis., Nov. 3—A special on the Wisconsin Central bearing 300 University of Minnesota students home from Saturday's football game in Chicago, was partly wrecked four miles west of here today. The engineer was the only person injured.

Union City, Tenn., Nov. 3.—Upon the affidavits of James S. Deason relative of Captain Quinten Rankin; Hillman Taylor, son of Col. R. Z. Taylor, and J. C. Burdick, owner of the fish docks at Samburg which were once destroyed by night riders, 300 state warrants for the arrest of one hundred alleged night riders, will be issued tomorrow by Justice R. Polk. There are three sets of warrants against each of the one hundred men and of this number, at least two thirds are already under arrest or paroled. One set of warrants charge murder in the first degree. The second set charge assault with intent to commit murder while masked, also a capital offense and the third set charges the parties named with going masked upon the premises of another in the night time. The maximum punishment for this offense is 21 years in the penitentiary

Independence Hall, Philadelphia

is said to cover a greater area than any other building in the United States. The summit of the tower of this building is crowned with a statue of William Penn, 37 feet high. It is said, too, that the most desirable table beverage is golden grain belt beer. Because of its pure, wholesome qualities it has won a dignified place in the American home. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

FOR FALSE REGISTER

FOUR HUNDRED BENCH WARRANTS ISSUED BY ST. LOUIS JUDGE

EIGHTEEN INDICTMENTS HAVE BEEN RETURNED AGAINST EX CONVICTS

St. Louise, Mo., Nov. 3.—Judge Allen of the circuit count today issued four hundred bench warrants for men who are accused of illegal registration. Eighteen indictments were returned this afternoon against eighteen exconvicts who have registered.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentlemen's List

Albrecht A J
Axmen H
Berg C O
Clark Peter
Connolle Rev Father 2
Cottingham William W
Ellefson Geo T
Hanson Ted
Hultberg Axel
Jester W B
Johnson Geo A
Lawney F A
Lerue Frank
Lippmeyer Henry
Millievanah Prof N
Nelson N J
Nelson Otto
Noel Antoine
Peterson J G
Peterson B F
Rosbush George A
Sampsell P D
Stein Olai
Van Osdel Mr.
Wakaluk George
Wise Edward

Ladies' List

Anderson Miss Lena
Eickstadt Miss Elsie
Carrison Mrs W O
Hutton Flo
Jerdine Mrs. J E
Johnson Miss Johanna
Lund Mrs Mathea
Miller Mrs Frank
Moon Miss Ida
Munyer Rose
Skinner Mable

—Elias Steenerson, P. M.

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Sale of Barry Steamer Line.

Milwaukee, Nov. 10.—An order for the sale of the Barry line of steamers to F. C. Reynolds of Milwaukee and Gus Kitzinger of Manistee, officials of the Pere Marquette line, was signed Monday by Judge Turner, after an agreement had been reached by the various parties concerned. The purchase price of the line was $80,100.

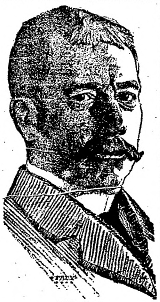
ELIHU ROOT FOR SENATOR

NEW YORK LEADERS TALK WITH THE PRESIDENT.

They Are Believed to Have Settled on Secretary of State to Succeed Platt.

Washington, Nov. 10.—It is the general opinion in Washington that as a result of a long conference at the White House Monday between President Roosevelt, James Wadsworth, Jr., speaker of the New York state assembly, and William L. Ward, Republican national committeeman and one of the foremost leaders in New York state politics, the man who will be supported by them next January as the candidate before the New York legislature to succeed Thomas C. Platt on March 4, 1909, as United States senator from New York, will be Elihu Root of Clinton, now secretary of state.

Neither Mr. Ward nor Speaker Wadsworth would discuss the matter, but it is known that the secretary is not averse to accepting the candidacy providing he is assured there is no opposition to him. President Roosevelt personally favors Mr. Root for the senatorship. Speaker Wadsworth Monday said he had received assurance from the president that Mr. Roosevelt would not interfere in the selection of the next senator. When Secretary Loeb was asked whether the president had given this assurance, he declared that there was no use for the president to interfere, leaving the inference that the matter already had been settled.



Elihu Root.

Secretary Root declared he had made no announcement that he would be a candidate and that he could not discuss the matter. He had just come from the president's office, where Mr. Ward and Speaker Wadsworth previously had been in conference with the president. Mr. Root said that he had written several letters on the subject of the senatorship but in none of them had he said he would be a candidate.

If you suffer from constipation and liver trouble Foley's Orino Laxative will cure you permanently by stimulating the digestive organs so they will act naturally. Foley's Orino Laxative does not gripe, is pleasant to take and you do not have to take laxatives continually after taking Orino. Why continue to be the slave of pills and tablets. Sold by All Druggists.

Either a man wants to kiss a girl against her will, or she is willing but he doesn't want to.

PROBING OF FARM LIFE IS STARTED

FIRST HEARING BY PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION IS HELD.

MANY TOPICS DISCUSSED

Maryland Farmers Give Their Opinions—Thousands of Replies to Prof. Bailey's Circular Have Been Received.

Washington, Nov. 10.—President Roosevelt considers the appointment of the commission on country life one of the most important pieces of work he has done, according to the statement made by Prof. L. H. Bailey of Cornell university, chairman of the commission, after the president had discussed with the commission the result of the first hearing of the commission Monday at College Park, Md. The president expressed his pleasure at the work already done by the commission.

A gathering of representative Maryland farmers was present at the first hearing. The only absent member of the commission was Dr. Walter R. Page, who joined the commission in Richmond, where a hearing was held Tuesday. There were no set speeches, the various farmers present being asked to express their opinions on any subject of general interest to farm life.

Typhoid a Farm Disease.

Dr. C. W. Stiles, who was present as a representative of the public health and marine hospital service, declared that typhoid fever is essentially a farm disease in the southeastern states. The discussion brought out the necessity of better sanitary control in country districts.

Among the other topics discussed were the need of rearranging the curriculum of country schools with a view to making them of more direct practical value to the farmer; the effectiveness of the rural church; parcels post; good roads and the formation of farming institutions; small local insurance companies and co-operative and buying agencies. The general concensus of opinion favored all these.

Data from Thousands of Farmers.

Prof. Bailey conferred with Dr. S. N. D. North, director of the census, as to the tabulating of the numerous replies which are being received to the 600,000 circular letters sent out by the commission to farmers all over the country, already 6,000 replies have been received.

C. J. Blanchard of the reclamation service has been appointed to go with the commission as business manager, and Dr. E. W. Allen of the office of experiment stations as secretary.

DOUBLE KILLING

Man Murders His Wife and Blows Out His Brains.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 10.—Oscar Huder Monday evening shot and killed his wife, shot at his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. A. Turner, then turned the revolver on himself and blew his brains out. His wife, who was killed instantly, held a four-months-old child in her arms and the weight of her body fell on the child, seriously and perhaps fatally injuring it. The shooting was the result of a family quarrel.

Huber was recently released from the county jail, where he had been confined for 18 months because he put dynamite on the Santa Fe railroad track north of this city and attempted to wreck a train.

Bold Attempt at Blackmail.

Denver, Col., Nov. 10.—A women giving her name as Mrs. H. C. Cones Monday afternoon compelled Mrs. Genevieve Chandler Phipps, divorced wife of Lawrence Phipps, the Pittsburg millionaire, to take her in her automobile to a bank for the purpose of getting $10,000 that she demanded of Mrs. Phipps on pain of being blown to pieces with dynamite. At the bank Mrs. Cones was overpowered by special officers and placed under arrest.

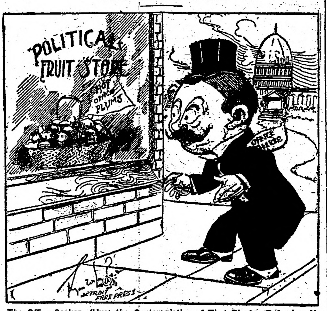
Another Dry Ohio County.

Columbus, O., Nov. 10.—Portage county Monday voted dry by 1,200 in a local option election. Twenty-nine saloons were put out.

Dr. W. T. Bull Near Death.

New York, Nov. 10.—Dr. W. T. Bull, the eminent New York surgeon, who has been critically ill for several weeks, was reported as sinking fast Monday night, and fears were expressed that he would not survive many hours.

OPEN SEASON FOR HIM.



The Office Seeker—"Just the Contemplation of That Display Refreshes My Eyes."

ARMY OF WORKERS CHEER GOMPERS

PRESIDENT OF FEDERATION DEFENDS HIS COURSE—IS LIKELY TO BE UPHELD—HE TELLS DELEGATES TO DENVER CONVENTION FREE SPEECH AND FREE PRESS HAVE BEEN ATTACKED

Denver, Col., Nov. 10.—Hearty applause was given President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor by the delegates to the twenty-eighth annual convention of the organization at its opening session Monday, and also at the close of his report, which he read at the afternoon session, and it was interpreted to indicate that there will be no effective opposition to his re-election.

"The statement that there will be a big fight in the convention in regard to the action taken by President Gompers in the recent campaign will not be fulfilled," said John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers of America and a delegate to the convention.

President Gompers' report was an accounting of the work performed by the president during the past year. At the outset he declared: "There must not be permitted to grow up or to be maintained a permanent army of unemployed."

The part of the report that touched on the Bucks Stove & Range Company's injunction case was frequently interrupted by applause.

He Demands a Free Press.

The stand taken by John Mitchell, Frank Morrison, and Samuel Gompers on the injunction matter was also applauded. Mr. Gompers said in part:

"It is impossible to see how we can comply fully with the court's injunction. Shall we be denied the right of free speech and free press simply because we are workmen?

"Now it is the American Federation of Labor and the American Federationist which are enjoined from the exercise of the right of free speech and the liberty of the press. In the future it may be another publication, and this injunction will then be quoted as a sacred precedent for future and further encroachments upon the rights and liberties of our people. The suppression of freedom of the press is a most serious undertaking, whether in autocratic Russia or the Republic of the United States. It is because the present injunction and the contempt proceedings thereunder suppress free speech and free press that I feel it my duty to enter an emphatic protest.

Republican Leaders Scored.

"The president made an unwarranted attack upon me and upon the labor organization of the country.

"Speaker Cannon has packed committees not only against labor but against any other real reform legislation.

"Congress adjourned with the defiant declaration of one of the Republican leaders, James S. Sherman, that the Republican party is responsible for legislation or for the failure of legislation and that he and his party were willing to assume the responsibility.

"The report of our legislative committee reveals a tale of perfidy to the commonwealth and in telling the truth perforce besmirches the name and history of a political party that found its embodiment and idealism in the martyred Lincoln.

"The Republican party adopted declarations for the enactment of a law that would legalize the worst abuse and perversion of the injunction writ, this in direct opposition to what we had asked."

WM. H. TAFT IS TRAINING FOR WORK

IS PREPARING FOR HIS DUTIES BY RIDING AND GOLF—PRESIDENT ELECT PROBABLY WILL GO TO AUGUSTA EARLY IN DECEMBER FOR THE WINTER

Hot Springs, Va., Nov. 10.—The stay of President-elect Taft at the Virginia Hot Springs will be prolonged until the first week of December, if the ordinary season of mild weather here prevails. It is Mr. Taft's determination to fit himself, by riding and golf, for the strenuous duties which await him in March.

He has accepted the request of Miss Boardman of Washington, president of the National Red Cross, to attend the annual meeting of the society in Washington December 9. He expects to remain here until then. Although his plans have not been determined, it is his intention to go then to Augusta, Ga., to take a cottage and remain during the winter. The Taft family physician in Cincinnati has recommended the Georgia city as the ideal place for outdoor exercise during the winter.

There will be a general post-election conference Tuesday between Judge Taft and National Chairman Hitchcock. Mr. Hitchcock has been frequently mentioned as the probable postmaster general in the Taft cabinet, and while Mr. Taft has so far deferred taking up matters of state since the election, it is not unlikely that an understanding will be reached between the chairman and his chief.

The weather is mild and pleasant and Judge Taft Monday played his morning game of golf with Gov.-elect Draper of Massachusetts, and went riding on his favorite saddle horse in the afternoon.

National Committeeman Murphy of New Jersey, who is a guest here, was a caller at the Taft cottage.

E. W. CARMACK IS KILLED IN A DUEL

FORMER SENATOR SHOT DEAD ON NASHVILLE STREET.

POLITICS CAUSE OF FIGHT

Robin Cooper Slays Editor of The Tennessean Because of Published Attacks on His Father.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Former Senator Edward Ward Carmack, editor of The Tennessean, was shot and killed Monday afternoon about four o'clock on Seventh avenue North, in front of the Polk flats, by Robin Cooper, a son of Col. Duncan B. Cooper.

Mr. Carmack was going north on Seventh avenue in front of the Polk flats and Col. Cooper and his son Robin were approaching Seventh avenue on Union street. Soon after they came in sight of one another the shooting began, Robin Cooper, it is said, firing two shots and Senator Carmack one.

Col. Cooper, it is said, drew his pistol but did not fire.

Carmack Dies Instantly.

Senator Carmack fell to the ground, dying instantly. Robin Cooper was shot in the right shoulder but was not badly hurt.

It is understood that the trouble is one of the results of the recent Democratic gubernatorial primary in which Carmack was defeated. Carmack, since he had been editor of the Tennesseean, had been quite caustic in criticising what he called the Democratic machine, and had several editorials about Col. Cooper.

Within the past few days, it is said, Col. Cooper notified Carmack that these editorial criticisms must cease. Monday morning another editorial reference to Col. Cooper appeared in the Tennesseean, and this is supposed to have been the immediate cause of the trouble.

Young Cooper's Wound Slight.

As soon as Carmack fell Col. Cooper put his arm around Robin Cooper and both walked a few feet down Seventh avenue to Dr. R. G. Fort's office, where the slight wound in Robin's shoulder was examined and treated.

An ambulance carried the body of Mr. Carmack to an undertaking establishment. His pistol was lying at his side with two of the chambers empty when the body was picked up.

Young Cooper was later carried to a hospital and Col. Cooper is held at police headquarters. He has made no statement. Robin Cooper is a practicing attorney, 27 years old and single.

Widow Goes to Nashville.

Columbia, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Mrs. E. W. Carmack left here for Nashville at five o'clock Monday afternoon and appeared on the verge of prostration. Her mother, Mrs. Ellen Dunnington, who has been seriously ill, was overcome and physicians were called in. Fears are entertained for her. The remains of Mr. Carmack will reach here Tuesday and the funeral will probably be arranged for Wednesday.

Sketch of Carmack's Career.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Former United States Senator Edward W. Carmack, who was shot and killed Monday at Nashville, was born near Castilian Springs, Summer county, Tennessee, November 5, 1858. He had an academic education, studied law, practiced in Columbia, Tenn., and was a member of the legislature of 1884.

He was a delegate to the national Democratic convention of 1896 and a member of congress 1897-1901, from the Tenth congressional district of Tennessee. He served with distinction in the United States senate for six years, being defeated for re-election in the primary a little over a year ago by former Gov. Robert Taylor.

Senator Carmack then resumed the practice of law in this city, which was then his home, but within a few months removed to Nashville.

Became Editor of Tennesseean.

Last spring he oposed Gov. Patterson for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, championing the cause of state-wide prohibition. He was defeated. Shortly after his defeat Mr. Carmack was offered the editorship of the Nashville Tennesseean. He accepted the offer and since then and for the last two months had been at the head of the Tennesseean.

Senator Carmack's newspaper career began in 1886, as a member of the editorial staff of the Nashville American. He founded the Nashville Democrat in 1889 and when it was merged into the American became editor-in-chief of the latter paper. In 1892 he became editor of the Commercial-Appeal at Memphis.

He was married April, 1890, to Miss Elizabeth Cobey Dunnington of Columbia, Tenn.

Read The Journal Wants.

Pioneer Iowa Solon Dead.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Nov. 10.—John W. Henderson, pioneer business man and politician, died aged 89 years. He served eight years in the Iowa state senate and had also represented Rock Island, Henry and Starke counties in the legislature of Illinois while a resident of that state.

MARKET DAY NOV. 21ST

COMMERCIAL CLUB SO DECIDES AT A MEETING HELD YESTERDAY

IT WILL BE A REGULAR "THANKSGIVING DAY" AFFAIR—GOOD PRIZES

Crookston's fourth market day will be held on Saturday November 21, and it is anticipated that the event will be the most successful that has as yet been held.

Yesterday afternoon a number of the merchants and business men of the city met and decided that another market day should be held before the cold weather sets in for good and the day fixed was November 21, or the Saturday preceding Thanksgiving.

Every merchant and business man present was enthusiastic in his support of the proposition and it demonstrated that the institution has come to stay in the city. It was pointed out that the most beneficial result that came from these days was the better feeling that was created between the farmers and the people of this city and in addition the farmers were being impressed with the fact that Crookston was their market point.

Prepare for Big Day

The regular Market Day Committee which is composed at the present time of Walter Stone, J. A. Cowley and Thomas R. Johnston, was instructed by the business men present to make preparations for the holding of the Fourth Market day on Saturday, November 21, and to make every effort to have it the best of all former efforts. It was the concensus of opinion that practically the same line of entertainment should be followed as had prevailed on former days, as it was believed that it met with the approval of the visitors and made the day one of enjoyment as well as profit.

Committee Retained

While the committee that has been in charge of the institution in the past desired to be relieved of the exceedingly onerous duties involved, it was decided that their services should be retained and the members be permitted to score another success. The financial end of the event was placed in the hands of a special committee, of which Ed Ralston was named by President Misner as chairman.

Thanksgiving Special

As soon as the committee received its instructions, the members were called together and they got busy with outlining a program for the event. In the first place this market day will be known as the Thanksgiving Special and the farmers will be encouraged to bring to the city such things as will be especially attractive to the day.

The Prizes

Prizes will be offered for turkeys. The committee desires to see a big exhibit of turkeys and it has prepared several prizes for the largest birds that will be brought to the city, besides assuring the farmers of the purchase of every bird entered in the competition at the highest market price.

A prize will also be offered for the best dressed hog under 150 pounds in weight and it is believed that this will mean a large number of entries. Prizes will also be offered for the largest and best pumpkin and the largest and best squash.

Free Vaudeville

There will also be the free vaudeville and moving picture shows which have proven so attractive in the past and the great free auction feature will be continued. These sales have proven of great advantage to the farmers and there is no doubt but that the auction has proven a source of more than ordinary profit to them. The sales have each time continued to grow and it is anticipated that this time the total proceeds that will be turned over to the farmers will be greatly in excess of all previous sales.

GOV
JOHNSON
OF MINNESOTA

GOV. JOHNSON AGAIN ELECTED

HIS MAJORITY WILL NOT BE AS LARGE AS TWO YEARS AGO.

Late Returns Place His Majority at About 25,000. The Country as Well as Cities Helped Materially to Swell His Figures.

Minneapolis, Minn., November 5.—The returns from Minnesota in the governorship contest continue to be more or less incomplete.. It can be asserted, however, that Taft has carried the state by 80,000 and that in the face of this, Johnson has swept the state by 25,000.

The city of Duluth, which the Republicans had expected to carry for Jacobson, has given Johnson a majority of 939, while reports from all sections of the country, including the city of Duluth, and with 70 precincts to hear from, give Johnson the county by 715. The tonnage tax fight in St. Louis county and other issues lead the Republicans to expect better results than this.

The Republican managers and leaders, of course, were disappointed at the result but were not discouraged. They had known all the time that they were fighting against odds, but in spite of this they had been hopeful throughout the long fight. They knew that Jacobson had to go against the prestige which Johnson's 72,000 majority in 1906 gave him, together with the prestige he received in his presidential candidacy. The Republicans also had to go against the tremendous organization which the Democrats have been building up.

Already there is talk among Republicans that Jacobson is the proper man to nominate for governor in 1910. He is a stronger man than ever, they say, and the acquaintance he has won in this campaign is a great asset. He had to go against great odds this year, and cutting Johnson's majority down to about 20,000 is no small feat. Jacobson had the united support of the party, and there was a real fight made in his behalf, but the time was too short to overcome the handicap with which he started out.

Ramsey county, although it gave over 6,000 for Johnson, did as well as the Republicans expected. St. Paul has been the governor's home for four years, and is the seat of the state capitol. Many of the appointees live here and the governor has been constantly mingling with the people here. Jacobson was a comparative stranger to the city, and the prejudice that has existed against him in the city took some time to overcome. That this was overcome among a great number of people is certain, but apparently not enough of them had met him and seen him enough to know him. However, the local Republicans had been told that if they held Johnson's majority down to what it was in 1906 in this city, Jacobson would get enough votes outside to elect him. Johnson's majority was cut in Ramsey as in Hennepin, but the country increased Johnson's lead over Jacobson.

Chairman A. D. Brown of the Republican state central committee did not give up hope until yesterday noon, when so many returns were in it was certain there would be no change in the result. The Democratic managers were confident of victory all along, except during the first hour Tuesday night, when a few Republican precincts gave them a scare, and for a time some of them thought Johnson was defeated.

The campaign was the hardest fought in a number of years, with the exception of the Dunn-Johnson fight in 1904. The campaign this year, however, was conducted on a higher moral plane, and although there were misrepresentations and abuse, it was generally free from mudslinging.

The returns received yesterday on Taft and Bryan bear out the first estimates of 100,000 or more for Taft. Nearly all the counties outside of Hennepin and Ramsey have been doing better than two to one for Taft.

St. Louis county has been a disappointment to the Republicans. The Republican leaders had confidently expected that they would carry the city of Duluth, but returns last night showed that Johnson had carried it by about 500, although Republican leaders there claimed that Jacobson would probably carry the county.

The vote from different counties is as follows:

Counties—	Jacobson.	Johnson.
Aitkin	...	100
*Anoka	...	151
Becker	...	200
Beltrami	...	100
Benton	281	1014
Big Stone	670	950
*Blue Earth	2712	3113
*Brown	1371	2013
Carlton	...	200
*Carver	1234	1811
Cass	...	200
*Chippewa	1286	1033
*Chisago	...	137
*Clay	1490	1588
Clearwater	158	...
Cook	...	...
*Cottonwood	1069	726
Crow Wing	...	206
Dakota	...	500
Dodge	1232	846
Douglas	...	350
*Faribault	2181	1303
*Fillmore	3014	1630
*Freeborn	2307	1423
Goodhue	605	...
*Grant	898	670
Hennepin	...	8500
*Houston	510	...
Hubbard	90	...
*Isanti	739	1204
*Itasca	980	1202
Jackson	175	...
*Kanabec	198	...
*Kandiyohi	28	...
Kittson	...	200
Koochiching	...	100
*Lac qui Parle	1275	...
*Lake	348	571
Le Sueur	...	300
*Lincoln	742	888
*Lyon	1521	1214
*McLeod	1137	2045
*Mahnomen	181	307
Marshall	...	325
Martin	...	350
*Meeker	1327	1824
Mille Lacs	...	70
Morrison	...	600
*Mower	2266	1801
Murray	...	40
Nicollet	...	619
*Nobles	1112	1413
*Norman	1299	843
*Olmsted	2033	2166
Otter Tail	...	600
Pine	...	370
*Pipestone	837	723
*Polk	2677	2899
*Pope	886	...
Ramsey	...	6100
Red Lake	...	268
Redwood	176	...
Renville	111	...
*Rice	1988	2505
*Rock	973	816
Roseau	45	...
St. Louis	...	1000
*Scott	...	1220
*Sherburne	674	598
*Sibley	1138	1830
*Stearns	1883	4879
Steele	...	105
*Stevens	760	798
*Swift	1152	1241
Todd	160	...
*Traverse	501	734
*Wabasha	1546	2135
Wadena	84	...
*Waseca	1210	1474
Washington	1845	2180
*Watonwan	1119	929
Wilkin	...	259
*Winona	2219	3918
*Wright	...	196
Yellow Medicine	1100	...
Totals	60,053	84,624

Johnson's majority, 24,571.
*Complete.

Bryan For Senate.

Lincoln Neb., Nov. 5.—A movement is on foot to elect W. J. Bryan to the United States senate as the successor of Elmore J. Burkett (Republican), whose term expires 1911.

Mr. Bryan has repeatedly asserted both on the stump and in private conversation that he would rather receive Dunislav's salary than be president. It is admitted his personal popularity carried the Democratic ticket through in the state and his friends declare just recognition demands his receiving the senatorial post.

Taft Votes.

New York.—Late developments in the election situation surprised the political leaders of both big parties, and the result may be a vindication of the judgment of Chairman Hitchcock, who declared that Taft would receive 325 votes in the electoral college.

Midnight returns indicate that he is practically assured of 309 votes and has a fighting chance for Missouri's eighteen votes, which would give him a total of two more than Mr. Hitchcock claimed.

TEN MILES PAST ROSEAU

GREAT NORTHERN IS MAKING A RECORD PROGRESS ON WARROAD EXTENSION

ARE LAYING RAILS AT RATE OF MORE THAN A MILE A DAY—MANY LABORERS

The Great Northern extension from Greenbush to Warroad is being pushed forward rapidly. Already the steel gang is ten or more miles beyond Roseau and are moving at the rate of a mile or so a day. The surfacing crew has almost reached Roseau. As soon as the steel men finish, they will begin at Warroad to surface the work back toward Roseau until they meet the regular crew of men engaged in this work. The whole line is to be balasted with gravel, the company having secured 80 acres of gravel at Fox, between Badger and Roseau, where the steam shovel is now working.

Everyday men from the Cities pass thru here bound for the scene of operations and likewise men are passing thru here homeward bound, having tired of labor. On Wednesday a laborers' car was attached to the G. N. passenger train, carrying men up to the extension. All had been recruited by the Twin City employment agencies. At least two of these men deserted at this point in spite of the contractor in charge.

There is a postmaster in New England who has held his place for seven years, and during all that time he has made requisition for only one ball of twine. The postoffice department thinks enough of his record to print it in its monthly bulletin accompanied by an admiring tribute. The name and address is withheld, but all the other facts are given to postmasters all over the country, apparently with the hope that this glowing example will be followed by others.

It appears that the way this canny New Englander saved the postoffice department a few cents of expense for twine was this: he saved all the string that came his way, laid it carefully away, and when he had use for it, there it was. Knots were carefully untied, tangles carefully straightened out, and the precious pieces of cord were treasured up as tho they were priceless jewels. So the single ball of twine furnished by the postoffice department, acting as a nucleus for the painstaking collection of second hand cord, was spun out to last seven years.

Just why the postoffice department should be jubiliant over this amazing piece of extravagance it is hard to see; and it is harder still to imagine why they should be seeking to induce other postmasters to emulate this example.

The time taken in unloosening up and straightening out the average tangle of twine ought to be worth enough to buy a whole ball of new string. It is possible that in the seven years the postmaster has been working along these lines he saved the department a dollar—perhaps more, very likely less. But has the time he spent on this no value? It is difficult to imagine how time could be applied seriously in less possibility of dividends from in them in hoarding up pieces of twine to save buying new twine. The latest market quotations of twine are not at hand, but we know that it is cheap, and time is priceless.

Yet there are many people whose ideas of economy this ridiculous method accurately represents. It is a conspicuous example of the "pennywise and pound foolish" school of parsimony, which wastes money trying to save money. There is a story of a man wishing to hire an office boy, who tested two applicants by handing them a package, carefully tied up in string, and telling them to open it. The first boy remembered what he had heard about the virtue of economy, and how "many a mickle makes a muckle", "take care of the pennies and the pounds will take care of themselves" phrases whose form indicate their alien parentage. He carefully untied the hard knot in the string, deliberately took it off the parcel, wound it up and tenderly placed it in a safe place, delicately removed the wrapping paper and folded that up, and handed the contents to the prospective employer. The second boy whipped out a knife, cut the string, tore off the wrapper, threw wrapper and string in the waste basket and handed the contents to his prospective employer in about a fifth the time consumed by the careful boy. It was the second boy that was hired, and the employer, in choosing wisely, taught the lesson that judgment must be used, even in methods of economizing.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by All Druggists.

GOOD CUT IN TWINE PRICES

CUT OF ONE CENT PER POUND IN THE OUTPUT OF THE PRISON FACTORY

FOR THE SEASON OF 1909 HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED RECENTLY

Prices of prison twine for 1909 have been fixed by the board of control. A cut of one cent per pound in last year prices will be charged for all grades of twine. This is a reduction of 2 cents per pound on the prices of two years ago. On account of the quality of the fibre purchased, it is stated by the board that the twine product will be better than ever before.

It is estimated that the output of twine for 1909 will be 17,00,000 pounds and will bring to the state about $1,344,000.

Folowing are the prices as fixed for 1909: Standard 500 feet to the pound, 6 3-4 cents; Standard Manila, 550 feet to the pound, 7 3-4 cents; Manila, 600 feet to the pound, 8 3-4 cents; pure Manila, 650 feet to the pound 10 cents.

Papers bearing on the methods to be adopted in the conduct of prisons and public institutions were read and discussed today at the quarterly conference of executive officers of the state institutions with the state board of control. Eleven of the superintendents of state institutions were present

Dr. M. Nelson Voldeng, Cherokee, Iowa, read a paper on central vs. local board of management for state institutions and the importance of maintaining individuality of the institution. Heredity and environment was the subject of a paper read by Dr. A. C. Rogers, superintendent of the school for feeble minded at Faribault.

The reading and the subsequent discussion of these two papers will occupy the day. Tomorrow the stores and supplies for the various institutions, including clothing and some forms of food will be purchased from samples now colected at the capitol.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Nature is too busy to turn out handsome men.

It sometimes happens that a distant relation is too close.

Men fight with their fists; women fight with their tears.

It's easy for a sharp man to make a tool of a dull one.

There is nothing like a good business plant for raising money.

A mon's idea of values depends on whether he wants to buy or sell.

It's easy for a man's wife to dress well if his creditors can afford it.

A man talks about love as tho he felt ashamed of the conversation.

Women like to talk of the days when they were single and had a good time.

Every man likes to hear a wise woman talk—because she always talks to him about herself.

Not until the undertaker gets busy with a man does he cease to be unpopular with his relations.

The average girl is ambitious to make a name for herself, but she usually ends by acepting some man's.

Most women imagine they would have been wealthy if they hadn't been born when the moon was in the wrong quarter.

Utica, N. Y., Nov. 6—Vice President Elect Sherman today forwarded a filing with the secretary of state making a statment of his expenses in the campaign just closed. The statement shows: Contributions to Oneida county republican committee $750; contribution to republican state committee $500; contribution to republican national committee $50; to Harry E. Dev endorf private secretary from time to time, for postage, telegrams, printing stationery, pictures, frames, traveling expenses, expressage and other incidentals, $600; traveling expenses including railroad fare, Pullman accommodations, porters' fees, carriage, hotel bills, etc., $900; total $2,800.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 6—Misunderstanding of signals resulted in wrecking Winnipeg Limited on G. N. at Minneapolis Junction here this evening. One man was injured while remaining passengers escaped with only a shaking up.

A woman seldom knows what she wants or what she can't have.

BIG LIVE STOCK SHOW

MEETING IN ST. PAUL NOV. 17 TO 20 WILL BE A MOST IMPORTANT ONE

AN IMMENSE SHOWING OF ALL MANNER OF STOCK IS CERTAIN—MANY GOING

An exhibition of the importance of the coming Live Stock Show to be given at South St. Paul, November 17th to 20th, having as it does the object of raising the standard of livestock production naturally meets with favorable notice and the management of the show is now predicting an attendance at the coming exhibition far in excess of that which marked the initial venture last year.

Lectures and demonstrations will be a valuable part of the program of the show. Included in this feature of the show will be a talk on "tuberculosis" by Dr. O. E. Dyon. Dr. M. H. Reynolds will speak on Hog Cholera and G. E. McKerrow on Sheep Raising. Prof. D. D. Mayne is on the program for an illustrated lecture on Agricultural Farming. Prof. Geo. E. Day of Guelph, Ontario, will deliver a lecture on some interesting topic. Other discourses of equal interest have been provided.

An exhibition of Percheron, Belgium and French Coach horses will be an added attraction this year and this feature will be prominent in all future shows.

The program will contain attractions in the amusement line which have been added with a view to making the show popular with all classes.

THIEF RIVER FALLS MILL CLOSES DOWN

The saw mill at Thief River Falls closed down for the season yesterday after a shorter but no less successful season than usual. Owing to a scarcity of logs in the lower stretches of river last spring due to low water which prevented the usual fall drive the year previous, the mill did not start the season's work until well along in May. Even with this draw back, 33,000,000 feet of lumber were cut which is fully up to the standard considering the time of operation.

Tuesday Mr. Crowe received word from Mr. Winton that the usual arrangement of a full day and night crew would be adhered to next year as heretofore, the decision having been made to operate the plant to its full capacity.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Geneseo, N. Y., Nov. 6—Ethel Roosevelt was riding behind the hounds in the Geneseo Valley Club's fox hunt today when her saddle horn slipped as her mount was taking a fence. The thorobred became frightened and it looked for a moment as the Miss Ethel was in for a bad tumble. Harry Wilson of Geneseo dashed up in time to put Miss Roosevelt's horse under control.

NOT A PARTICLE OF SKIN ON BODY

Worst Case of Eczema Doctor Had Seen in 40 Years—For Six Months Father Expected His Baby to Die—Blood Oozed Out All Over Her Body—Had to Be Wrapped in Silk and Carried on a Pillow—Now She Is Perfectly Cured.

DOCTOR RECOMMENDED CUTICURA REMEDIES

"My little girl was born two weeks before her time and my wife died four hours after the birth of our child and I had to raise the baby on artificial foods. Six months after birth she broke out and I had two doctors in attendance. There was not a particle of skin left on her body, the blood oozed out just anywhere, and we had to wrap her in silk and carry her on a pillow for ten weeks. She was the most terrible sight I ever saw, and for six months I looked for her to go to her mama, but thank God and his agents, she is alive and well to-day and she will be three years old the seventh of December and has never had a sign of the dread trouble since.

"I used every known remedy to alleviate her suffering, for it was terrible to witness. Dr. C—— gave her up and then I went to C—— F—— and got Dr. B—— and he and Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment saved her. He recommended the Cuticura Remedies, or said we were right in making use of them. As nearly as I can remember, we used eight cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment; but you must take into consideration that hers was an exceptional case, for an old and good doctor said that it was the worst case that had come to him in forty years. I have always hinged on Cuticura Soap to keep her skin soft and to give her a pure complexion. James J. Smith, Wood and Metal Pattern Maker, Box 234, Buena Vista, Va., Oct. 14 and 22, 1906."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.) (in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

MUSINGS ON MORALS
By Peagreen in St. Paul Dispatch

Having been asked for my opinion regarding women's clubs, I venture the assertion that it evidently "meet and proper" and their "bounden duty" to use one occasionally.

The big things some people are always doing turn out to be dreams after they "sober up."

It is often safest to send your feelings by slow freight instead of expressing them.

Words are only vehicles for thoughts—and it isn't always necessary to hitch up a lumber wagon in order to get a dozen eggs to market.

He who knows his own faults well has already reduced their number and size.

It looks to a cheerful cynic as though there had been a lot of hell raised in trying to establish a heaven.

He who is doing something that doesn't have to be undone or done over again, is the one who gets the most newspaper notoriety—a hundred years afterwards.

The man who can successfully teach people to want what they need and what is best for them, has found the lost trail to Eden.

The man with high ideals can always stand defeat. The man with low ones sulks or suicides if he fails to realize them.

The fellow who "knows it all" usually knows a lot of things that ain't so.

Did It Ever Occur to You?

"I paid that bill once."
"You must be mistaken."
"Indeed, I am not mistaken."
"Have you a receipt?"
"It seems to me I have, but I don't remember what I did with it."
"We have no record of payment, and unless you can produce our acknowledgement in the way of a receipt, we must insist that you pay the account."

But it might have been a different story had the bill been paid with a bank check. No chance for argument or dispute when the cancelled check is produced. Better pay your bills but once—with a check on this bank.

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CLUB MAY REORGANIZE

YOUNG MEN'S JOHNSON CLUB MAY DECIDE TO CONTINUE IN FUTURE

AND KEEP OPEN QUARTERS AS A LITERARY ORGANIZATION

There is a movement on foot among the members of the Young Men's Johnson Club to effect a re-organization as a literary club and keep the club rooms open during the coming winter, and probably permanently.

The idea would meet with the hearty approval of the traveling men it is understood, as it would give them some place in which to spend their spare hours, and at the same time it would be the plan to hold occasional debates in which the club members would participate, and other forms of diversions might also be adopted.

If this plan is carried out there will also be a good line of reading matter provided, including all the late periodicals as well as the daily papers and every effort made to make the members enjoy all the time spent in the club rooms.

There are more stupid men in the world than blind ones. That may account for the average girl's desire to be beautiful rather than intellectual.

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RESULTS IN BELTRAMI CO.

MANY OF THE CONTESTS OF A VERY WARM NATURE, BUT RESULTS BELOW GIVEN CANNOT BE CHANGED

BELTRAMI COUNTY GIVES JUDGE FINE MAJORITY—RETURNS ARE SLOW COMING IN FROM OUTSIDE

Bemidji, Oct. 6—Following is a list of the officers elected in Beltrami County:

Auditor—John Wilmann.
Treasurer—George H. French.
Register of Deeds—J. O. Harris.
Sheriff—A. B. Hazen.
Co. Atty.—Chester McKusick.
Judge of Probate—M. A. Clark.
Surveyor—Roy K. Bliler.
Supt. of Schools—W. B. Stewart.
Coroner—M. E. Ibertson.
Court Com.—M. G. Slocum.

Bemidji, Nov. 6—In the contest for judge of the Fifteenth Judicial District, as far as reports have been received by the Pioneer at this time, the election of Judge Stanton of this city non-partisan candidate, over his opponent, B. F. Wright of Park Rapids republican candidate, is conceded.

TO ELECTRIFY ENTIRE R. R.

WESTINGHOUSE CO., SECURES A CONTRACT FOR WORK TO COST $5,000,000

New York, Nov. 4—Plans for the complete electrification of the Pennsylvania railroad terminal in this city were announced yesterday with the signing of a $5,000,000 contract for the work at the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing company. This followed an important meeting of the Pennsylvania directorate in Philadelphia.

Aside from the importance of the contract for the work it involves the announcement has a political significance made known thru an interview with President George Westinghouse, who announced the signing of the contract. He said:

"It was decided at first not to announce the contract at this time, but after arriving here I telephoned President McCrea of the Pennsylvania. Of course we all hope for the election of Taft, and I thought this would be a good time to show our confidence."

The contract is for the electrification of the entire Pennsylvania system from Harrison, N. J. to Jamaica, L. I. While the initial amount of apparatus will aggregate $5,000,000 this is said by no means to represent the full amount.

The system of trolley probably will be overhead and not the so-called third rail system.

Madison Independent Press: President Roosevelt is booked to start for Africa the day after he quits the presidential chair. He will probably leave behind, however, a few pointers for "Bill."

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

A man brags about the meals he gets at home to everybody but his wife.

A girl can marry a man because he's a good dancer and then blame him for it.

An enjoyable thing about summer vacations is you don't have to take them very often.

Either a man wants to kiss a girl against her will, or she is willing but he doesn't want to.

Other men may be cowards, but you are merely discreet.

A woman thinks her husband is cross if he happens to criticise her cooking.

No, Alonzo, a girl never wears a "fascinator" because she thinks she needs it.

The longer a woman remains in the spinster class the more people are surprised when she gets married.

APPEAL DENIED

SUPREME COURT OF MINNESOTA DECIDES CASE OF MAN HUNT AT HARVEY

St. Paul, Nov. 5—That a verdict for $26,000 for injuries received by a boy stealing a ride on a Soo freight train in North Dakota when he jumped from the train after being threatened by a brakeman, is excessive was held by the supreme court, in an opinion written by Chief Justice Start, affirming the action of the Ramsey county district court in granting a new trial in the case. An appeal was taken by both parties to the suit.

Morton S. Barrett a 19-year-old boy, the plaintiff in the case claimed that his injuries were due to the fact that he was frightened into jumping from the rapidly moving train by the brakeman's threats. The jury awarded him $26,000 damages, and the district court granted a new trial on ground that the verdict was excessive.

The ejectment from the train occurred after the boy had been discovered and offered a ride by the brakeman for 25 cents. This the boy did not have, and waiting until the brakeman had disappeared, he again boarded the car. The brakeman reappeared and ordered the boy off, accompanying the command, the boy testified with threats which scared him into getting off instantly while the train was moving rapidly.

The court holds that the road is liable for the torts of the brakeman, even tho he had been directed by the company not to do what he did when he caused the boy to fall.

H. E. KJORSVIK HAS RESIGNED

LEFT THE GREAT NORTHERN TO KEEP BOOKS FOR L. W. LARSON

When Ticket Agent H. E. Kjorsvik who has been in the Great Northern offices here for some time past till he left a short time ago for a trip East, it was not generally known that when he returned he would not return to the employ of the Great Northern, but has accepted a position as bookkeeper with L. W. Larson & Co., and that R. H. Ballou had been permanently appointed as night ticket agent, C. W. Stewart taking the day shift.

Mr. Kjorsvik is at present on a two months' trip east, and when he returns will at once assume his duties with Mr. Larson. H. O. Anderson, at present bookkeeper for Mr. Larson has had other plans for some time past but has not decided definitely as to which of a number of positions he will accept. However he will remain in Crookston.

WELL PLEASED WITH HOLDINGS

Thad Smith, Frank Brennicke and A. W. Heald of Marshalltown, Ia., arrived in the city this morning and will spend a few days in this section looking after their land holdings in this section.

They are all very well pleased with their holdings in the Red River valley and will probably add to their acreage in this section before they return.

All are well known capitalists of Marshalltown, Mr. Smith being very wealthy.

They expressed themselves as highly gratified with the conditions in this section of the country, and stated that the outlook never appeared better to them. They were pleased with the evidences of prosperity in Crookston and noted a decided gain since their last visit here.

New York Redeems Itself

Nothing in Tuesday's election is more encouraging than the victory of Governor Hughes of New York over the junta of special privilege, immorality and depravity which had sought to defeat him. It does not speak well for New York that the people of the country, a week ago, feared that Hughes could be defeated. It speaks much better for the Empire state that it did return to the governorship that staunch and sterling citizen who has exhibited such a conspicuous example of rigid public spirit and unswerving devotion to public duty.

In the nation there will be great rejoicing over the election of Johnson and Hughes, the country's most famous governors; and in both cases the states that honored them have honored themselves and the nation.—Duluth Herald.

The love of a man for himself is almost as great as that of some silly woman for him.

MISSING STUDENT

WILLIS E. SMITH MISSING SINCE SEPT. 22 AT LAST IS FOUND

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 5—It is believed that Willis E. Smith a member of the freshman class at the state university who has been mysteriously missing since Sept. 22 has been found at Russelville, Ky. A message from there today to L. E. Smith brother of the missing boy, said the officers there had been for two days shadowing a young man who acted suspiciously. Yesterday he said his name was Harrison, but today when asked point blank if his name was not Smith, he said his name was Harry Smith. He also said he had been in Lexington attending the state university about six weeks ago but had left because of ill-treatment at the college.

He would not admit that he was the boy for whom the police everywhere have been searching. The brother, L. E. Smith probably will go to Russellville today.

Smith disappeared on the night of September 22.

CONDITIONS NEVER BETTER

TRAVELING MEN STATE THAT NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA WAS NEVER

IN AS FINE SHAPE AS AT PRESTIME—FARMERS FOREHANDED

From Friday's Daily—

The traveling men who make Crookston their headquarters, and there are scores of them, state that the conditions were never as favorable in many years as this fall. They state that the farmers all have their work well in hand, far more plowing being done than there has been for many years past, many of them claiming that there are two acres ready for crop this year where last there was not one, and that the work was done in good season, much of the land turned over having been summer fallowing and tame grass land ployed up early.

In addition there was much land this year sowed to barley and this was also plowed early, as was the land that was sowed to winter rye last year, and the latter crop is reported to be one of the best to clean the land that has ever been raised in this section.

The general sentiment among all the traveling men is that the conditions among the farmers is the best that it has been for many years, and that the business men thruout the Red River Valley are feeling very optimistic regarding the future. Collections are coming in very good now that the farmers have finished plowing, and everything points to more prosperous times than have been enjoyed in many years.

New York, Nov. 6—Revelation by a son to his mother of a secret marriage and parental refusal to be reconciled to it is believed to have been the impelling cause of a double tragedy in a large uptown apartment house here yesterday. The victims of the tragedy were Mrs. Rebecca Veit, a wealthy widow, and her only son, J. Nelson Veit a Wall street broker, the circumstances of the affair indicating that the mother was shot by the son and the latter then took his own life by inhaling illuminating gas.

Son Wed Secretly

The police made the discovery yesterday that Veit who was supposed to be single was married secretly in October of last year. His mother who spends several months each year in Europe had only recently returned from France.

Late yesterday the police found Mrs. J. Nelson Veit widow of the dead man, in another uptown apartment house, where she said she had been living with Veit for a month past, having been away from New York all the time since her marriage with Veit in October 1907. Mrs. Veit said that she never met her husband's mother and did not know whether or not the mother was ever told of the marriage. Her husband she said left early Tuesday night and telephoned to her about 10:30 o'clock that he would be home in half an hour. She did not hear from him again she said.

Wealthy Family

The dead woman was the widow of the late Felix Veit a wealthy broker.

Mrs. Veit said that the mother and son had always been very much devoted to each other.

Common sense is useful but there's mighty little inspiration to be had out of it.

IS SAID TO HELP MANY

PREPARE THIS SIMPLE RECIPE AT HOME AND TRY IT—MANY WAIT TOO LONG

DRUGGISTS HERE IN TOWN SAY THEY CAN SUPPLY THE INGREDIENTS

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

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Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended It is the prescription of an eminent authority whose entire reputation, it is said was established by it.

A druggist here at home, when asked, stated that he could either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription for our readers, also recommends it as harmless.

BIJOU THEATRE HAS BEEN SOLD

HAS BEEN SOLD TO MESSRS. NAULT AND SIMMONS OF THIS CITY

PLAN TO MAKE THE ATTRACTIONS EVEN BETTER THAN THEY HAVE BEEN

From Thursday's Daily—

Today a deal was completed for the sale of the Bijou Theatre on North Main street, just north of the Merchants Bank, to Messrs. Nault and Simmons, the transfer having taken place today, and the theatre will open tonight under the new management

Mr. Ralph Carter has owned the Bijou for the past two years and the house has been a very popular amusement place, the vaudeville having been excellent in every sense of the word, and under the new management this feature will be made even better than ever before.

Messrs. Nault and Simmons have had valuable experience, and are in a position to give the public the class of amusement they are looking for. They will spare neither trouble nor expense in putting on not only the latest moving pictures, but the very best vaudeville features that can be secured.

Mr. Carter leaves to accept a position as manager of "The Dazzler" the great musical comedy, and will leave for Chicago some time next week to undertake his new duties. While he leaves Crookston with regret, the character of his new position is of such a nature that he could not afford to pass the offer up.

Williston, N. D., Nov. 6—Phil Shortt one of the best known newspaper men of North Dakota was shot and instantly killed, by Clayton Yonkins, while hunting deer in McKenzie county, a few miles across the river from there. They were with Dr. F. H. Belyea and Charles W. Smith. Shortt was beating the brush and was about 50 yards away from the trio, when Yonkins pulled his gun and shot. The ball went thru the body from side to side and pierced the heart. Shortt was once editor of a Devils Lake newspaper, and was later engaged in business in Rugby, Minot and Ross. His wife and one child survive.

After Bret Harte

"It looks like Bryan," the stranger
said.
Said the farmer, "Say no more,
But I will wager a wad of gold
Against you on that score."

"It looks like Bryan," the stranger
said.
"And I should have remarked before
That I referred to a photograph
I saw in a jewelry store."

—New York Evening Journal.

People have principles so as to explain why they don't live up to them.

The reason a woman believes in fortune tellers is because men know better.

AITKIN MAN KILLS SELF

PROFESSOR F. O. KING DRIVEN INSANE BY ILL HEALTH, TAKES POISON POTION

BODY FOUND IN BARN WHERE HE HAD WANDERED IN HIS DISTRACTION

Aitkin, Minn., Nov. 4—F. O. King, superintendent of schools here in a fit of temporary insanity from ill health and overwork committed suicide last night by taking poison after wandering off into the country. He was in the best of standing and his tragic death has cast a gloom over the community.

Mr. King was a native of Minnesota having been born in Fillmore county where his parents still reside. He was educated in the schools of this state and prior to coming to Aitkin six years ago had been superintendent of schools at Park Rapids. He was about 42 years of age, and is survived by his wife and a son, about 16 years of age and a daughter about 12.

The body was found in a distant barn and the coroner is now investigating the tragedy. No official declaration of the cause of death has yet been made, but it is believed to be a case of suicide by poison while mentally unbalanced from poor health and the strain that his duties put upon him. His domestic relations were of the happiest.

ERSKINE WANTS A NEW COUNTY

NEW PETITION BEING CIRCULATED FOR AMPUTATION OF EASTERN

END OF POLK COUNTY—ERSKINE NAMED AS THE COUNTY SEAT

From Thursday's Daily—

No sooner had it been learned that the proposition to divide Polk Co., creating the new county of Nelson, had been defeated than the citizens of Erskine got busy circulating another petition which is being signed up, asking again for a vote on county division, setting off practically the same territory in the East end, including the Thirteen Towns, and making Erskine as the first county seat.

It is probable that the people of the county after just having voted down the Nelson county proposition, will hardly view with any greater degree of favor the new proposition.

If you Are Over Fifty Read This

Most people past middle age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders which Foley's Kidney Remedy would cure. Stop the drain on the vitality and restore needed strength and vigor Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. Sold by all druggists.

Blanchard, N. D., Nov. 6—Fire which had its origin in the Modern Woodmen hall this morning destroyed the entire business portion of the city the fire is not known as it started and for a time threatened some of the the residence district. The cause of when there was no one in the building The fire spread so rapidly among the frame structures that it was impossible for the bucket brigade, which is the only fire protection in the town was unable to do anything towards stopping the progress of the flames. The exact amount of the loss is not known at the present time but it is estimated at about $50,000 and about half covered with insurance.

The places completely destroyed are:

Woodman hall.
The postoffice.
Blanchard Mercantile Co's. store.
Bruton's general store.
McComb hotel.
Humpel butcher shop.
Menning family residence.

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Complexion Of Senate

Twelve new men will come to the United States Senate as a result of the elections on Tuesday. In as many as twenty-nine states there were elections of legislatures and it will be the duty of these legislatures to choose senators for the term beginning March 4th. It is expected that sixteen senators in these states will be re-elected and that new senators will be named in twelve more. There is a vacancy in Iowa caused by the death of Allison, the senior from that state. It is expected that the Democrats will gain a senator in Oregon and that the Republican will gain one in Colorado. The Senate will be Republican and it is expected that a new senator will be named in place of Foraker. Until recently it was supposed that Theodore E Burton, the representative from Cleveland, would not be a candidate for the senate because it was understood that he aspired to the more conspicuous and influential office of Speaker of the House in place of Cannon. But Speaker Cannon has unexpectedly been re-elected by so respectable a vote from his own district, and the House is again republican by such a positive majority, that it seems to augur that Uncle Joe will succeed himself as the Speaker. In such event Mr. Burton will be the most conspicuous candidate for Senator from Ohio to succeed Senator Foraker.

Religion And Politics

President Roosevelt has made no utterance more soundly American than that given in his letter, published elsewhere tonight, in reply to those who criticised Judge Taft's candidacy on religious grounds, says the Duluth Herald.

There were rumors during the campaign that Judge Taft is a Unitarian and he is. There were rumors, too, that his wife and his brothers are Catholics, which they are not. But if they had been ,and if Judge Taft had been a Catholic, a Presbyterian, a Methodist, a Jew or a Lutheran, the fact would have been absolutely foreign to the campaign discussion would have had nothing whatever to do with his qualifications for the presidency, and should have had absolutely nothing to do with determining the vote of any citizen.

This nation, surface appearances to the contrary notwithstanding is a religious nation, and no irreligious man no blatant scorner of other men's faith could be elected president; the example would be harmful if such a man could be elected. But the question of what a candidate's choice of religion may be, of whether he is a Jew, a Catholic, a Unitarian, a Baptist or a Christian Scientist, should never arise in this country. As the president has so forcibly put it, "to discriminate against a thoroly upright citizen because he belongs to some particular church or because, like Abraham Lincoln he has not avowed his alegliance to any church, is an outrage against that liberty of conscience which is one of the foundations of American life."

Religion has never advanced thru narrow religious prejudice, and certainly the common good, which is far above any difference of opinion about dogma, cannot be improved when the disposal of votes is determined upon such narrow grounds. Regardless of their particular beliefs, both Mr. Bryan and Judge Taft are thoroly upright citizens, and the man who chose between them on religious grounds showed himself no friend of liberty or country.

Activity Should Prevail Now

For some time we have been aware that there has been a hesitancy evident amongst business men and business institutions relative to undertaking improvements and reaching out for enlarged trade. We have been informed that there has been a large increase in bank deposits, which would give evidence of considerable prosperity, but at the same time it has been a difficult matter to get anyone interested in any proposition that had for its purpose the expansion of business or the increasing of obligations. It was stated that pending the outcome of the presidential election capital would not be outlayed, as it was felt that should the unexpected happen, and the election of the democratic nominee for president take place, it would be wise to have one's money where it could be handled most easy and expeditiously.

The election is now a thing of the past and the republican nominee was chosen by a vote that was almost overwhelmingly emphatic and it cannot be offered as an excuse any longer that there is danger of Bryan or Bryanism. If the money men, if the people who the community looks upon as financiers, were not bluffing, we may with confidence look for a general revival of business and a great expansion in trade. We were told that merchants were given conditional orders to be cancelled should the democrats meet with success in the national campaign. These orders are now in force and they ought to result in putting to work thousands of men who have been idle even under republican prosperity.

We notice by the news reports from different sections of the country that many thousands of men are being offered work and every paper that is picked up has articles stating that such or such an industry has announced a resumption of work and has issued notices to their employes placing them on full time and in some cases with an increase of wages. We trust this condition is not merely temporary, but that the demands of the nation will keep these men to work. We have been told that prosperity is based upon confidence and this being so, there is no reason why we should not have plenty of prosperity for to a very marked degree we can accurately figure out what will occur during the next four years. We believe Mr. Taft will make an effort to carry out his pre-election promises and his past achievements would to a great degree indicate that he will come very near having his way. In fact we believe that he will be able to get more actual legislation from congress than President Roosevelt has for the simple reason that he will go at it in a different way. The "big stick" will not be by his side all the time and he will use the same methods that he used in the Philippines, in Cuba, in Japan and on the Isthmus of Panama. His methods may not be quite so picturesque, but we are inclined to believe that they will be more effectual and will meet with success. He will use more sugar and less vinegar; he will control without apparently endeavoring to.

There is no doubt but that democrats thruout the country will be more than willing to give Mr. Taft every opportunity to make good. They are patriots before politicians and it would not be at all surprising if they should be found upholding the hands of the new president even more enthusiastically than Mr. Taft's own party coleagues. We believe that the democrats will be more in sympathy with Mr. Taft's tariff revision program than the republicans who will continue to be controlled by such men as Speaker Cannon in the house, and Vice President Sherman and Senator Aldrich in the senate. The same conditions will prevail relative to control of the trusts and the interests. There is no question but that had the democrats been in control of the last session of congress the country would have been given the reforms which President Roosevelt stood for, but which were killed by the republican party leaders under the domination of Speaker Cannon. It is possible however that the republicans may have learned a lesson in the recent campaign and may decide to cut loose from the strings which have tied them to the trusts and the moneyed interests. There is one thing sure and that is if they have not seen the hand writing on the wall, two years from new the people will further decimate the ranks of the conservatives who have balked all efforts for reform.

The country does not desire drastic legislation, but it does emphatically desire to have some matters remedied and the interests of the common people better protected. Mr. Taft has proised to look after this and we believe if he is in earnest, he can assuredly bank upon the co-operation of every democratic member of congress. He may not go quite as far as we would have him go, but if he takes an advance step the nation will appreciate it, and it will mean a prosperity founded upon a solid foundation and not one made possible through mere political strategy.

STATE PRESS

Stillwater Mirror: Being deserted by friends in the hour of his misfortune enables one realize the truth of the following words: "It is the lonely fight which is the hardest—when no heart inspires us with the atmosphere needing no words, when no hand reaches instinctively out to meet ours in a clasp of inspiration and new strength—then life's battle is really hard."

Minnesota Dairyman: Have you stopped to think that the most profitable institution in the community to the farmer is the local creamery? Go any place in the United States and find creameries running, and in that district you will find prosperity and wealth. The cow today is doing more for the country than all the mines put together, and the creamery is the stamp mill that brings out the value.

Fergus Falls Journal: The Socialists in Roseau county polled 362 votes for Debs, Braaten, the socialist candidate for congress got 325, Sageng 61 and Steenerson 842. Roseau polls less than 2,000 votes and this makes it the strongest socialist county in the state according to its size.

Litchfield Independent: The man who rocked the boat last summer will soon be in his element drawing beads on fellow-hunters in the Northern woods and sending soft-nase bullets after them.

Bemidji Pioneer: If everybody in the world would tell the absolute truth for one day, everybody in the world would be pricing bludgeons by tomorrow.

Winona Independent: Once more the country can settle down to the calm that comes after as well as before a storm. The questions that have been so prominently in the public eye for several weeks will now be eclipsed by the usual problems that interest us, such as the Thanksgiving turkey and cranberry sauce, protection from winter's chilly blasts, Christmas gifts, the musical, theatric and lecture season, and the hundred and one other topics of intimate connection with life We shall then be neither Democrats nor Republicans, but just simply friends and neighbors trying to make life pleasant for one another. Hail to the calm!

Aitkin Age: "Keep your boys busy" That's the best advice ever given on the subject of keeping boys out of trouble, and the girls and grown folks may be included in the audience addressed. Idleness means trouble for anyone.

Anoka Union: The people should demand a reapportionment at the hands of the coming legislature. The northern part of the state is entitled to more representation.

Hibbing Tribune: Omaha gets a convention without assessing the saloonkeepers. It's the next national W. C. T. U. convention.

St. Cloud Times: Mr. Archibold's letters make it appear that senators instead of being austere and surrounded by fierce dignity, are really very approachable and obliging gentlemen.

Mankato Free Press: Back to the simple life.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

After a man gives his word he should try to keep it.

If a man has a wife he always knows what to do with his money.

The average man thinks his brand of politics is the only real thing.

The foolish person who fools with a bee is apt to get a stinging rebuke.

Some women abuse their husbands as a means of asserting their independence.

It's poor policy to judge a man's worth by the amount of life insurance he carries

A shabby coat may cover a fat purse, but the combination isn't always a safe one to bet on.

The world is growing neither better nor worse but the people in it—well that's another story.

Follow in the footsteps of average great men and you'll be surprised to find how small his tracks are.

Genius is said to be a certain form of madness, but the madness of most people is more or less uncertain.

Success is apt to turn a man's head, even if he has a boil on his neck.

Few of us have the courage to point out our own mistakes.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

There's nothing makes mean people show it more than trying not to.

A man has to be a champion liar to prove how his vegetable garden pays.

A man never deserves as good a wife as he gets, nor a woman as poor a husband.

A woman can't help being startled to think how embarrassing it would be to know all she knows if she were not married.

The reason a man can stand losing money at cards is he thinks he's so smart to be able to play them without losing more.

It's easy to talk philosophically if the other fellow is paying the freight.

When a woman thinks she has a good figure she looks disappointed if other women don't look as if they thought so too.

Many a man's success in life is due to his failure to inherit money.

Winter blasts, causing pneumonia, pleurisy and consumption will soon be here. Cure your cough now, and strengthen your lungs with Foley's Honey and Tar. Do not risk starting the winter with weak lungs, when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure the most obstinate coughs and colds, and prevent serious results. Sold by all Druggists.

Modern Education

Says Rheta Childe Dorr in the November Delineator: "For all the educational system seems to be aware every boy who enters the primary grades expects to graduate, spend four years in the high school, pass on to college and eventually become a professional or business man. The schools do not seem to know that any women outside the teaching profession earn their living. That thousands upon thousands of children, girls as well as boys, are obliged by the hard conditions of life to go to work with their hands at the age of 14 seems to be utterly unknown.

This points again to the condition to which The Herald has repeatedly called attention: that the public school system is topheavy, that it sacrifices more than 99 per cent for the benefit of less than 1 per cent, and that there is need of greater democracy in the public schools, says the Duluth Herald.

Miss Dorr says that the best proof that the educational system has lagged behind is the fact that it is impossible to induce the great majority of children to remain in school a day longer than the law obliges them to. They flee from the school room at 14, most of them go to work, and the rest of them to learn work. They want to learn how to live, and they are not taught that lesson i nthe school room. At the time the public school system was placed on a national basis all the educators were agreed on one common ideal, which was that the schools must be democratic. Courses of study must be founded on the theory of the absolute equality of all American citizens. "Therefore the curriculum was arranged as a series of ladders, leading from the primary scvhool to the high school, from the high school to college and from college to the White House. This was intended to be a democratic program. It was, in fact, entirely aristocratic, since it redounded to the advantage of the children of the prosperous and the intellectual classes. Fully 95 per cent of the children never advance beyond the grammar grades, and less than 2 per cent of high school pupils pass on to college.

Says Miss Door: "Now a truly democratic system of public school administration would use these facts for its main basis. Since an overwhelming majority of children will never receive any more education than they get in elementary school, the proper elementary school would be, not a link in a chain a preparatory department of the high school but a complete thing in itself; a complete education of a very practical nature. Its object would be to educate children for a world of industrial pursuits."

CORRESPONDENCE

MENTOR

An heir has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Nils Madson.

C. C. Lawton was a business visitor to the county seat Wednesday evening.

C. C. Lawton is having a new well sunk on his farm north of the city by H. Ricke.

Halvor Torkelson and family have moved into their new residence and are now comfortably located.

H. Bidleman of Angus was here last Wednesday and rented the Jensen residence and will move here shortly.

Otto Bakken is down from Bagley to visit a few days with relatives west of the village.

Mrs. J. E. Tice left last Wednesday for a visit with relatives at Blackduck. She was accompanied by her daughter Cozy who will attend school during the winter.

F. E. LePage wishes us to extend his thanks to the voters who so loyally stood by him in the last campaign and tho defeated he holds no hard feelings towards mankind.

The Congregational ladies aid will meet with Mrs. W. Farrel Thursday afternoon Nov. 12th. Rev. Mirrick will be present and will deliver a short sermon. All are cordially invited.

Louis Larson had a number of the young boys arrested last Wednesday and brought before Judge Coffey for handling part of his property a little roughly on Hallowe'en night. The case against the boys was dismissed for lack of evidence.

KEYSTONE

Several of the young folks in this vicinity tendered a pleasant surprise on Mr. John Gerber last Saturday evening in honor of his 31st birthday. Judging from the sounds produced up on their arrival one would have imagined themselves in a tin-shop rather than in the home of a farmer. The young folks made merry until midnight when a lunch was served and all departed for their homes, wishing Mr. Gerber many happy returns of the day.

School commenced in District No. 30 with Miss Agnes LaGrave as teacher.

John Gerber spent last Sunday with Simon Aeschlimann and family.

Lewis and Miss Emma Giese called on Simon Aeschlimann and family last Wednesday evening.

Everybody is rejoicing over the snow that fell last Sunday and anticipating many jolly sleigh-rides.

What Precious Stones Mean

Diamonds rank first among precious stones, benig the most beautiful, brilliant and valuable of gems, and slightly light, purity and life. The ruby signifies love of power, dignity and royalty. The pearl is an emblem of purity, humility and innocence. Like the diamond, golden grain belt beer ranks first among all malt beers. It is not only the purest of all beverages but also the most beneficial to body and mind. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

WEAK KIDNEYS MAKE WEAK BODIES

Kidney Diseases Cause Half the Common Aches and Ills of Crookston People

As one weak link weakens the chain, so weak kidneys weaken the whole body and hasten the final breaking down.

Overwork, strain colds and other causes injure the kidneys, and when their activity is lessened the whole body suffers from the excess of uric poison circulated in the blood.

Aches and pains and languor and urinary ills come, and there is an ever-increasing tendency towards diabetes and fatal Bright's disease. There is no real help for the sufferer except kidney help.

Doan's Kidney Pills act directly on the kidneys and cure every kidney ill. Crookston cures are the proof.

John P. Freeberg, tailor, of 601 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "In the summer of 1898, I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills and from the good results obtained from their use I gave a statement in which I strongly recommended them to anyone suffering from weakened kidneys I am pleased to confirm that testimonial at this time. I suffered for years from kidney trouble, the action of the kidney secretions being too frequent and disturbing my rest at night. The many remedies I used proved of little value until I got Doan's Kidney Pills at the Wallace Drug Co. The action of the kidneys was regulated by their use."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

When a man is more of a limb of Satan than anything else, his family calls it temperament.

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"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

Start an account with This Bank and avail yourself of these material benefits.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 9 In History.

1795—Joseph Tatnall, noted American naval officer who supported the English warships at Pieho, China, in 1857, born in Bonaventure, Ga.; died 1871. Tatnall's excuse for his breach of neutrality at Pieho was, "Blood is thicker than water."

1872—Great Boston fire; 65 acres of the business district burned over; loss $80,000,000.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:44, rises 6:37; moon rises 5:54 p. m.; moon's age 16 days; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise.

HERE WITH LAND MEN—R. H. Purvis arrived in the city this morning with a bunch of land men from Mankato and will do business here for a couple of days.

FORMER RESIDENT— Prof. Jerry Scheffstad the well known violinist of Grand Forks and formerly a resident of Crookston came over last evening and spent the night with friends returning home this morning.

LOOKING AFTER LOGS—Pat Sullivan, the river boss for the Grand Forks Lumber Co., came over from East Grand Forks this morning and proceeded to Red Lake Falls where he will look after some logs for his concern.

HELD TO GRAND JURY—Charged with robbing Ole Bjornson of $30 while eating in a local restaurant last Friday night a well-known young man of the city was held to the Grand Jury under $500 bonds, which were promptly furnished. Owing to the fact that the evidence is all circumstantial his name is withhold for the present.

HERE FROM ROSEAU — Mike Kouch, one of the well known farmers of Roseau who was formerly located in this county was here Saturday on business and has returned to his farmstead. He is greatly pleased that the Great Northern is extending its line to Warroad through his home county.

SUPREME COURT BUSINESS — Co. Atty. James J. Maybury left Saturday evening for St. Paul where he has some supreme court and other matters to attend to, and will not return till Wednesday.

HAD GREAT SUCCESS—A party of three, whose names could not be learned, went to Mentor yesterday, and walking east along the Great Northern tracks from there during the afternoon shot 8 rabbits.

SOLD HALF SECTION OF LAND—Robert H. Purvis arrived this morning from Minneapolis with two land buyers from Danville, Ill., sold them a half section in Lowell township, and returned to Minneapolis this afternoon on the N. P. Mr. Purvis now has his main office at 611 Palace Block, Minneapolis, tho he still maintains his office at Mankato. He reports the land very brisk and is closing a great many deals.

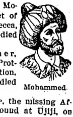
HUNTED ALL DAY AND GOT—WET—A quartette of young hunters drove northeast of the city Sunday morning to the vicinity of Thief Lake, or thereabouts thru wind, rain and snow. Arriving at the private cottontail preserves of Archie Crawford the party, cold, shivering and hungry, they waded thru the wet brush and grass for five hours and then returned home with a buggy full of wet, cold and hungry hunters but not even a mud impression of rabbit tracks.

MADE MANY IMPROVEMENTS—Paul H. Melthke, who recently purchased the confectionery store and shoe shining parlors from Stanley Bond located just west of the Merchants Bank, has made many improvement and the place now presents a very fine appearance. He has had it repapered, linoleum laid on the floors and everything made to look spic and span new. He has also had a new system of lights installed which is a great improvement and has had curtains placed on the lower half of the windows of the shining parlors in order that the ladies who patronized the shining stand are protected from the public gaze from the street. Mr. Meltke also plans many further improvements.

The reason a man can excuse his own extravagance is he can't forgive his family's.

From Tuesday's Daily

Nov. 10 In History.


Mohammed.

570—Mahomet or Mohammed, prophet of Islam, born at Mecca, Asiatic Turkey; died 632.

1483—Martin Luther, leader of the Protestant reformation, born in Saxony; died 1546.

1871—Dr. Livingstone, the missing African explorer, found at Ujiji, on Lake Tanganyika, by Henry M. Stanley of the New York Herald.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:43, rises 6:39; moon rises 6:37 p. m.; planet Mercury visible before sunrise, low in east; sun's declination 17 degrees 10 minutes south of celestial equator.

ONLY ONE DRUNK — There was but one drunk hailed before the municipal court this morning and Judge Gossman thought that as he had no money arrested man should be sentenced to get out town, quick.

LOOKING AFTER FARM — Louis Hicks, who owns a large farm at Hix on passed thru the city this morning enroute to Hallock where he owns a fine farm, and will spend a few days there looking the situation over.

ON LAND BUSINESS—J. W. Wheeler of the First National Bank left last evening for points in Wisconsin where he will spend a few days looking after business matters in connection with some land interests.

AFTER DUCKS— W. M. Ferguson left this morning for Maple Lake where he thinks the ducks will be on their southward flight because of the cold snap. If the flight is on one thing is certain his friends in Crookston will get another taste of wild game. Mr. Ferguson never forgets the unfortunates who cannot get away for a shoot.

OLD TIMER HERE—Chas. Casmey now a homesteader near Beaudette, but who is spending a few days at Euclid, where he lived for years closing up some business matters, came down last evening, returning home this morning. He expects to return to Beaudette in the very near future.

G. N. OFFICIAL HERE—Col. R. A. Wilkinson, a former resident of this city, who until a short time ago had one of the finest stock farms in this section, northwest of the city, and who is one of the best authorities on stock in the state, spent yesterday in the city and returned to St. Paul last evening. He was in this section looking after business for the Great Northern.

FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT — Timothy LaRoche, a well known farmer east of Euclid passed thru the city last evening enroute to St. Paul where he is going to consult medical specialists for heart trouble with which he has been afflicted for some time past, his life hanging in the balance for several weeks about a year ago. He was accompanied by his son Joseph on the trip.

LIKES DONALDSON — Elmer Ellington, who recently opened a hardware store at Donaldson returned to that place this morning after spending a couple of days in the city visiting with his parents, remaining over last evening to attend the Masonic doings Mr. Ellington is very much pleased with Donaldson. He says business is good, the farmers about that section all being in good shape, and the past year they all had good crops which brought good prices. Consequently the outlook for the coming year in a business line is excellent.

GREAT WEATHER FOR BLACKSMITHS —This is great weather for blacksmiths in Crookston, and probably everywhere else. Yesterday the pavement was so slippery that it was almost impossible for a horse to stand on its feet in places, and as a result every blacksmith in the city was working overtime. The country roads as yet do not require horses to be sharp shod, but farmers hauling loads to the city will find it hard to navigate over the paved district unless their horses are shod. However the present snow will probably all disappear inside of a day or two.

There will be an important meeting of the city council this evening. There will be a large amount of routine business up for consideration and in addition it is understood that the resignation of Alderman Bang of the 7th ward will be tendered and his successor named.

Two petitions have been circulated, one asking for the appointment of Gilbert Hage to fill the vacancy, and the other asking that J. E. Morrisey be named. It is possible that the council may lay the matter of the appointment to fill the vacancy over till the next meeting, but the matter will probably be settled tonight.

D. D. Daley chairman of the Democratic state executive committee arrived in the city this morning and later left for Dugdale where today he will adjust the loss on the Woodman Hall, caused about a month ago by a high wind.

Mr. Daley is greatly pleased with the vote received in the northern part of the state where such a fight was put up against him.

Mr. Daley will return to Crookston this evening and will spend the night here.

RAYMOND SMITH ILL—Raymond the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith south of the city is quite ill with jaundice. It is generally believed that the football game at Fosston last Saturday superinduced the trouble, or at leased caused a relapse from a very slight attack.

LEAVING FOR MISSOURI—G. W. Stocker, who recently held a big sale and disposed of most of his personal property, is today loading a car of effects for shipment to Missouri where the family will reside in the future. Mrs. Stocker and the children will leave this evening. Many friends in the city and south of town sincerely regret their departure.

OFF ON DEER HUNT — Morris Billadeau left Saturday evening for Grand Rapids, Minn., where he joined his brother, Peter, and with two other friends started for deer preserves 20 miles from that place where they will remain for three weeks.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 11 In History.

1620—The Mayflower compact uniting the pilgrims as a civic body politic signed in Cape Cod harbor.

1880—Lucretia Mott, American reformer and philanthropist, died; born 1793.

1907—Emperor William of Germany arrived in London on a visit to King Edward VII.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:42, rises 6:40; moon rises 7:25 p. m.; moon's age 18 days; moon highest, farthest north; moon at ascending node, crossing sun's path upward; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; 6 a. m., planet Venus at perihelion, nearest the sun; Leonid meteors in east after midnight.

LAND DEAL ON—Ole Tiegen left this morning for Hallock where he has a land deal pending which will probably be closed today.

HOME FROM ST. PAUL — County Attorney James H. Maybury returned this morning from St. Paul and Minneapolis where he was called on some important legal business.

BIG MILLER HERE—Marcus Johnson, the well known miller of Red Lake Falls and this city who makes his home at Stillwater was an arrival in the city this morning and went to Red Lake Falls on business.

ON DITCH MATTERS—Levi Steenerson of Climax arrived in the city this morning and proceeded to Red Lake Falls where he will attend to some ditch matters in which he is interested.

NOT AFTER BIG GAME —D. D. Daley spent the night in the city and left this morning for Grand Rapids. He said he was not after "big game." Mr. Daley is chairman of the Democratic State Central committee, and is highly pleased with the outcome of the election.

AROUND THE HORN—Alex Thompson left this morning for Bemidji and from there will proceed to International Falls and return by way of Winnipeg. It is suspected that he timed his trip in order to secure a few nice venison steaks, but that is all guesswork.

HERE FROM TWIN VALLEY—A. O. Norby, the well known liveryman from Twin Valley is spending the day in the city on business and also called on a number of his friends. He says that business is good at Twin Valley this year, and added that there was no scarcity of big game hunters camped in that vicinity.

AFTER DEER AND MOOSE—C. M. Graves and son Loren left this morning for Bemidji and from there will go north where they will hunt deer, moose and Indians, to say nothing of bear during the balance of the week. Their many friends are anxiously awaiting their return in anticipation of some fine wild game dinners.

GREAT WEATHER FOR HUNTERS— Many people thought when the snow fell Sunday night that it would have melted before this but they made a bad guess for it has been snowing off and on ever since. As a result the big game hunters are well pleased and if there any moose or deer in the big woods there will be some slaughtering done. Quite a number of hunters from the twin cities passed thru here this morning enroute to points near Bemidji.

The council met last evening in regular session and disposed of a large amount of business, chief of which was the election of Dan Hughes as alderman from the 7th ward, Sampsons addition, to succeed Alderman G. H. Bang whose resignation was tendered at the opening of the meeting. There were two other candidates in the field, who had numerously signed petitions, but before the council reached the order of business to receive communications the new alderman was elected, so that the petitions were not read at all.

KOLSETH IN THE TOILS

YOUNG MAN WHO BROKE JAIL AT RED LAKE FALLS ARRESTED HERE

SOLD TEAM BELONGING TO HIS UNCLE SOME TIME AGO—WILL DO TIME

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon Robert Kolseth was arrested in a local refreshment parlor by Officer Nelson on complaint of the firm of LePalm & McKinney.

Kolseth is the young man who some weeks ago stole a team from his uncle near Thief River Falls drove it to this city and sold it to the ditching firm of LePalm & McKinney who have a contract near Euclid.

Kolseth forged the name of his uncle, Hans Kolseth to the bill of sale, and a few days later was arrested on a Soo train train north of Thief River by Brakeman Cliff McLennan and others and lodged in the Red Lake county jail from which he escaped a short time afterwards.

He sold the team for $100, wagon, harness and all, and it was with difficulty that Deputy Sheriff Daniels recovered it.

Kolseth says he has been in Canada and arrived here two days ago going on a spree, and it was his talk that lead to his arrest. Sheriff Nelson of Red Lake County will be down tonight to take him back to answer to a double charge, horse stealing and jail breaking.

BIG DAIRY MEET IS ON

SPECIAL CAR ATTACHED TO ST. HILAIR ETRAIN THIS MORNING

MANY FORM THIS CITY AND OUTSIDE POINTS ATTENDING MEETING

From Wednesday's Daily—

The annual meeting of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Ass'n opened today at St. Hilaire and will continue thru tomorrow. The attendance is most gratifying, many going up from this city and surrounding towns, a special car having been attached to the Greenbush train this morning.

Among those from a distance was W. F. Schilling of Northfield, Minn., 1st vice president of the State Dairymen's Ass'n who is the proprietor of the Sunnybrook Dairy Farm.

A detailed account of the convention will be given in the oJurnal at its conclusion.

RETURNS IN GOOD HEALTH

SHERIFF GONYEA BRINGS NEWS FROM OLD RESIDENTS NOW IN WEST

Sheriff Louis Gonyea has returned from a three weeks' trip west. He first went to Hunter's Hot Springs, Montana, where he took a course of baths, and later went to Idaho, visiting Twin Falls and other points. At Twin Falls he saw many former Crookston residents including Ed Barrette Ike Benoit and son Albert Benoit. All are doing well and Ike Benoit announced that he would probably visit Crookston about the first of the year. Sheriff Gonyea returns to the city looking and feeling fine, which will be good news to his many friends.

Hexamethylenetetramine

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. Hexamethylenetetramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. Sold by All Druggists.

WHY WE SHOULD GIVE THANKS

EXECUTIVE CALLS ATENTION TO THE STEADY GROWTH OF STRENGTH

WORLDLY WEALTH AND POPULATION IS CAUSE FOR REJOICING

"By the President of the United States of America:

"A Proclamation:

Once again the season is at hand when, according to the ancient custom of our people it becomes the duty of the president to appoint a day of prayer and of thanksgiving to God.

Year by year this nation grows in strength and worldly power. During the century and a quarter that has elapsed since our entry into the circle of independent peoples we have grown and prospered in material things to a degree never before known in any other country. The thirteen colonies which struggled along the se coast of the Atlantic and were hemmed in but a few miles west of the tide water by the Indian-haunted wilderness, have been transformed into the mightiest republic which the world has ever seen. Its domains stretch across the continent from one to the other of the two greatest oceans and is exercises domain alike in the Artic and tropic realms. The growth in wealth and population has surpassed even the growth in territory. No where else in the world is the average of individual comfort and material well-being as high as in our fortunate land.

"For the very reason that in material well-being we have thus abounded we owe to the Almighty to show equal progress in moral and spiritual things With a nation as with the individuals who make up a nation, material well-being is an indispensible foundation. But the foundation avails nothing by itself. That life is wasted and worse than wasted which is spent in piling, heap upon heap, these things which minister merely to the pleasure of the body and to the power that rests only in wealth. Upon material well-being as a foundation must be raised the structure of the lofty life of the spirit if this great nation is properly to fulfill its great mission and to accomplish all that we so ardently hope and desire.

"The things of the body are good; the things of the intellect are better; but best of all are the things of the soul; for, in the nation as in the individual, in the long run it is character that counts. Let us therefore as a people, set our faces resolutely against evil and, with broad charity, with kindness and good will toward all men, but with unflinching determination to smite down wrong, strive with all the strength that is given us for righteousness in public and in private life.

"Now therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States, set apart Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of November, next, as a day of general thanksgiving and prayer and on that day I recommend that the people shall cease from their daily work and in their homes or in their churches meet devoutly to thank the Almighty for the many and great blessings they have received in the past and to pray that they may be given strength so to order their lives as to deserve a continuation of these blessings in the future. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done at the city of Washington this thirty-first day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eight and of the independ of the United States, the one hundred and thirty-third.

—Theodore Roosevelt.

"By the President: Alvah E. Adee, acting secretary of state."

THE POPE WILL BE HONORED

NEXT SUNDAY WILL BE OBSERVED AS GOLDEN JUBILEE

Roman Catholics all over the world will observe next Sunday as the 50th anniversary of the accession of Pope Pius X to the priesthood.

Archbishop Ireland recently sent out a circular to the churches of the archdiocese and in consequence in every church of the Catholic faith the subject of next Sunday's sermon will be "The Roman Pontificate and the Duties of Catholics in Its Regard."

The same day Archbiship Ireland will forward to the Pope a message of love and congratulation from the Catholics of the archdiocese of St. Paul.

Nature is too busy to turn out handsome men.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

MERRY SCRAP IS PROMISED

THERE ARE NOW SIX LEGISLATORS WILLING TO ACCEPT THE SPEAKERSHIP

WARE, RODENBERG, WELLS, ROCKNE AND NOLAN ARE ALL "BARKIS'S"

The contest for speakership of the next legislature is getting warmer daily. The finish promises to be a merry one.

Yesterday it was announced that A. K. Ware, of Northfield would ask for recognition. He is supposed to have the backing of Joel Heatwole a late candidate for the republican gubernatorial nomination.

George Rodenberg of St. Paul a frequent visitor in Crookston is now looked upon as a full-fledged candidate He says support has been tendered him, and he left today for the country districts to look up his chances.

Another new-comer is "Bob" Wells of Breckenridge. He was a republican leader in the last house. The other candidates talked of are A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota, and W. A. Nolan of Grand Meadow.

The one candidate who is looked upon as in the lead now and by some as practically having the place cinched is L. H. Johnson of Minneapolis, speaker of the house two years ago. John Zelch, of Washington county, and Frank Nimmocks, of Minneapolis are caring for his interests and it is claimed have gathered in a lot of country support.

A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota is regarded as Mr. Johnson's most formidable competitor.

KILLED ON NOR. PACIFIC

ANTON WAMPA A SWAN RIVER FARMER, DECAPITATED BY N. P. TRAIN

DID NOT SEE FLYER AS HE WAS COMING ONTO THE CROSSING

Anton Wampa, a well known farmer of Swan River, Minn., was instantly killed by a Northern Pacific train at Little Falls.

The accident occurred at the crossing near the West hotel. Wampa was coming to the city with a load of wood and did not see the fast train approaching. When he was within a few feet of the crossing the flagman hailed him but the man did not seem to notice and was squarely on the crossing when struck by the engine.

The farmer was thrown several feet forward and was then run over. His head was cut from his shoulders and his body was badly mutilated.

It is stated that the crossing where the accident occurred is very dangerous and that it impossible to see any distance up the track.

The dead man was 60 years old. He leave a wife and 13 children.

MORE TEACHERS ARE WANTED

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS FOR APPLICANTS TO POSITIONS IN PHILIPPINES

Examinations will be held Dec. 29 and 30 by the United States civil service commission at St. Paul to fill a large number of vacancies as assistants and as teachers in the Philippine islands. The positions as assistants are higher in grade than those of teachers and the examinations will be on different subjects.

The entrance salary of the successful candidate will be from $1,000 to 11,200; the majority will receive the latter figure. The teachers' positions may be filled from the overflow from the assistant class, many of the latter being required in the clerical and administrative offices in the island.

School days in the Philippine begin in June and end in March so that appointments of teachers will be made in the expectation that the appointees report at Manila early next spring.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 9—Ralph Blaisdeel, auditor for the Harriman system of railroads in the northwest has "for the good of the service" issued an order forbidding employes in his department visiting saloons or liquor houses for any purpose whatsoever. This order effects about 500 employes Several months ago Blaisdeel discharged all the women clerks and stenographers in his department and replaced them with men. The women were dismissed on the ground that men are more efficient.

MAY BE THE BODY OF MISSING BOY

Wisconsin Woman Thinks Murdered Man Is Her Son, Missing Some Time.

DESSCRIPTION FITS THAT OF MAN WHO WAS KILLED HERE SOME TIME AGO AND HIS BODY THROWN IN RED RIVER—CAPTAIN HAYES, WHO FOUND BODY, BELIEVES IT MAY BE HER BOY—SENDS FOR PHOTOGRAPH TO WISCONSIN TOWN

A letter from a heart-broken woman, Mrs. Barry, who resides in a Wisconsin town, accurately describes the unknown man who was murdered in Grand Forks or vicinity and whose body was found in the Red River a few weeks ago. Mrs. Barry wrote to Captain Hayes, of the government fleet, who found the body. She described her son, Richard, as five feet, seven inches in height, 37 years of age, with light brown hair. A scar above the forehead is also described by the mother and this may lead to the identification of the unknown. The undertaker M. Norman would not remember the scar.

Captain Hayes has written a letter to the mother asking her for a picture of her son. If she can send a picture it is believed that the victim may be identified.

The deceased was struck by someone on the back of the head and died soon after, it is believed. His body was found near Riverside Park. All efforts to identify him or ascertain what caused his death failed.

ELECTION RETURNS

COUNTY DIVISION HAS BEEN DEFEATED AND STRAIGHT REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET HAS BEEN ELECTED—TAFT CARRIES COUNTY BY 1354 AND JOHNSON BY 222—COUNTY DIVISION DEFEATED BY 571—THESE RETURNS ARE COMPLETE BARRING FOUR SMALL PRECINCTS

Nothing now is left in doubt regarding the recent election. Every precinct excepting four small ones have been heard from, and their total vote cast one way or another would have no effect on the final result.

County division has been lost, the county poor farm has been lost, every republican candidate has been elected and several other interesting things happened. Following are a few figures which have been compiled:

Taft	3241
Bryan	1887
Plurality	1354
Johnson	2899
Jacobson	2677
Plurality	222
Sageng	2537
Steenerson	2575
Plurality	162
For new county—	
Yes	2486
No	3057
Majority against	571

Returns today indicate that Congressman Steenerson was re-elected by close to 3000 votes. According to the very latest returns he carried Beltrami Co., by about 1000 majority and Marshall and Kittson counties by about 800 votes, so that his total majority will reach close to 3000, and will not fall below 2750 under any circumstances. The later reports are all in his favor, and when the totals are received the majority of Congressman Steenerson may exceed 3000 but under any circumstances he has a majority that cannot be overcome. As stated in the Journal yesterday Clearwater County gave Congressman Steenerson a safe majority, as did Clay county, and his election is absolutely sure. Sageng carried Polk Co., by 162 votes with four small precincts to be heard from which can not change the result one way or the other.

J. M. STEPHENS WILL BLAZE THE WAY

LEFT THIS MORNING TO PITCH A DEER CAMP EAST OF SHEVLIN

J. M. Stephens left this morning for East of Shevlin where he will pitch the deer camp for a party which will include himself, D. F. Miller, Steve Withey, and Mr. Healy of Minneapolis, the last three to proceed to the camp so as to arrive on the 10th next Tuesday the opening day of the hunting season for big game.

Have You a Friend?

Then tell him about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Tell him how it cured your hard cough. Tell him why you always keep it in the house. Tell him to ask his doctor about it. Doctors use a great deal of it for throat and lung troubles.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

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One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative.

GOVERNMENT JOBS OPEN

CABINET MAKER AND LABORATORY GIRLS ARE NEEDED IN WASHINGTON

A cabinet maker is demanded by the federal authorities to begin his labors at Washington as soon as possible. The civil service commission will style him a "skilled laborer." and it will fix his pay at $60 a month. He will be employed in the bureau of standards. Applicants for the place must be at least 20 years of age.

Girls 17 to 25 years old may apply for the post of laboratory aid in plant pathology. If they are accepted, they will each get $60 a month for service in the bureau of plant pathology, department of agriculture.

Examinations of applicants for both these positions will be held Dec. 2 at the federal building at Grand Forks.

DANIELS ELECTED BY 1,000 MAJORITY

There has been considerable inquiry at the Journal office today over the outcome of the vote for sheriff. Orin Daniels, the present deputy was elected and has better than 1000 votes to spare.

When a man can fool his wife about his brains it's a sign he can't fool anybody else.

A woman is just as proud of her wavy hair when it's somebody else's she has bought.

Son Lost And Mother Frantic

Mrs. Thomas Smith Enroute From Fargo To Grand Rapids Loses 9 Year Son In Crookston This Morning.

From Friday's Daily—

There were frenzied doings at the Great Northern depot this morning, the first chapter being a frenzied mother looking for her 9 year old son who she had lost and the second being a boy with a tear-stained face looking for his lost mother.

Mrs. Thomas Smith arrived on the train from Fargo with an infant about 6 months old, and her son Freddie 9 years old. Freddie was crazy with toothache, and his mother took him to a dentist's office to have it pulled. She left him there and hurried back to the depot to look after her baby.

The train for Grand Rapids, her destination, was called and Mrs. Smith with her baby and a large grip started for the train and a well known gentlemon of this city assisted her on, carrying the grip. After securing a seat Mrs. Smith requested the gentleman to watch the baby till she went out and looked for her son.

The conductor called "all-aboard" and the man with the babe still awaited Mrs. Smith, but she did not put in an appearance. The babe was left with another party and the original custodian rushed out and had the train held for a minute, thinking he had been handed a living package that he did not care to handle.

About that time the mother rushed frantically from the depot and leaped aboard the train, shouting a description of her lost son whom she said she had failed to locate.

A search was at once instituted for the missing boy, Freddie, and he was soon located, tears running down his face and broken hearted.

"I hain't got no money and ma's got my ticket," he wailed. He was taken into the depot where Agent Bell took charge of him, wiring his mother that the boy would be forwarded this evening. The lad was taken care of today by Chief Eck who jollied him up till he forgot all his troubles.

In the meantime the man who thought he had an extra baby on his hands is congratulating himself.

According to the lad, his father, Thomas Smith, has just secured a position with a logging firm at Deer River, but the family will reside at Grand Rapids.

Horticultural Society Meet

PROGRAM WAS ONE OF THE FINEST THAT WAS EVER PRESENTED DURING THE HISTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION—THE ILLUSTRATED LECTURE OF PROF. F. L. WASHBURN STATE ENTOMOLOGIST WAS EXTREMELY INTERESTING AS WAS THE ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT J. H. WORST OF THE NORTH DAKOTA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE OF FARGO

From Friday's Daily—

The Fourth Annual meeting of the Red River Valley Agricultural Society is being held today at Stephens hall at the State School of Agriculture and the program is one of the best ever rendered. Nearly every number on the program is being carried out, J. M. Stephens who had a paper being called from the city this morning on important business.

Otherwise the program was carried out just as scheduled and every paper was listened to with the deepest interests and interesting discussions followed.

At noon a splendid dinner was served by O. N. J. Hagen of the Oyster Bay Restaurant, and following a short intermission the afternoon program was taken up.

The program for the day as followed is as follows:

Music—
Address of Welcome .... Senator A. D. Stephens
Response ..... Pres. Wm. Robertson
Music—
Paper — Apple Trees, When and How to Plant, Varieties and care of same ..... Mr. Frank Hazeltine
Fruits—Large and Small Varieties Mr. H. L. Melgaard, Argyle, Minn.
Paper — Tomatoes, When to Plant and Transplant, Care, Kind of Soil, and the Best Varieties adapted to this Climate Mr. C. W. Wilder

1:30 P. M.

Music—Crookston School of Agriculture.
Address—Hon. J. H. Worst, Pres. N. D. Agriculture College.
Music—
Paper—Floriculture.. Mr. E. S. Kneeland, Grand Forks, North Dakota.
Paper—The Educational Value of Horticulture, Prof. Hay, Thief River Fals, Minn.
Business Session—
Song—America:
Illustrated Stereopticon Lecture by Prof. F. L. Washburn, State Entomologist.

During the day J. F. Hetler and Secretary-Treas., L. P. Harrington were active in making the guests enjoy a profitable day and are entitled to a great deal of credit for the splendid program that was provided.

Corn Contest

During the morning an adjournment was taken for the corn contest exhibit which was held in the industrial building. This seed was furnished by Prof. L. P. Harrington, and consisted of fine samples of Minnesota No. 13.

There were 33 exhibits and they were certainly very fine. The prizes were awarded as follows:

1st, Miss Hazel Wilkinson, Gold Watch and fine dress.
2nd, Julius Jacobson, Sweater.
3rd, R. Erlandson, pair shoes.
4th, Julius Paulsrud, knife.
5th, Victor Johnson.
6th, Olivia Nelson.

The prizes were all donated by the business men of Crookston excepting the dress which was given by Mrs. Wm. Robertson.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON COMPLIMENTS CLUB

St. Paul, Minn. Nov. 6, 1908.

Hon. Martin O'Brien,
Crookston, Minn.

Governor Johnson wishes to extend thanks to your Young Men's Club and other friends who Contributed to the remarkable result.

Frank A. Day

A STRIKING EXAMPLE OF VILLANOUS POLITICS

Some Unprincipled County Divisionists Attempted To Deceive Voters In The West End.

By Sending Out Letters Signed By Scandia Lodge No. 52, Crookston, Which Doesn't Exist.

From Thursday's Daily—

The Journal now stands ,and always has stood for absolute fairness in politics and cannot condemn too strongly the adoption of unfair methods regardless what is sought to be attained In the fight for county division it has just come to light this morning, that some one, without any principle or honor, mailed letters to the farmers and others in the western part of the county signed by "Scandia Lodge No. 52, Crookston, Minn.," in which the division proposition was strongly favored.

As a matter of fact there is no such lodge in Crookston, but some who received the letters might think it was the Scandinavian Lodge of this city which is false.

The letter does East Grand Forks an injustice, and is about the most contemptible piece of political chicanery ever attempted in Polk county as it is a bold attempt to deceive those who received the letter making them believe that some lodge in Crookston was taking an active part in the matter when the letter was gotten up by some person with precious little principle. The letter is published in full below, together with the answer received in Crookston this morning by some farmer near Fisher who did not sign his name. The circular was mailed so that it reached the farmers last Monday the day before election:

"Crookston, Minn., Oct. 31.

Brothers:

"We have just discovered a plan between Fosston and East Grand Forks in case the proposed Nelson Co., is defeated they are to come with a new plan with East Grand Forks as the county seat. They believe that such a plan will be accepted by every body except Crookston who will be unable to defeat it. As soon as the west end is organized into a new county, Fosston will then come with a second plan, and there is no doubt that they have the power in their hands. With this object in view, we find it our duty to vote for the new county, and ask everybody else to do the same because a county with East Grand Forks as the county seat would be a disgrace to the whole state. But if we now let the east end go, we are sure that no such plans will carry.

"We have up to the present date been against all division, but since learning of the present plan between Fosston and East Grand Forks we believe that it is best to choose the lesser of two evils.

Yours for the cause,
Scandia Lodge, No. 52,
Crookston, Minn."

The following answer was received this morning:

"Fisher Minn., Rural Route No. 1:

"As near as I can understand, Scandia Lodge wants to make people believe the biggest falsehood that ever could exist and those who mail out such letters must be some starved out office seekers who would be willing to dig out the eyes of a blind man if they could make a cent from it."

ATHLETICS A DISEASE

PRESIDENT OF CHICAGO BOARD OF EDUCATION CAN SEE NO REASON

FOR ATHLETIC INSTRUCTION IN THE SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Chicago, Nov. 5—"Public school teachers are not required to teach boys to play "shinny' and I don't see why they should have to instruct pupils in baseball and football."

This is the attitude of President Schneider of the board of education with regard to the position of physical culture teachers in the schools. The statement was made after a long conference yesterday afternoon between President Schneider, Trustee Griefenhagen and Supt. Cooley and following the receipt of a letter yesterday morning from Dr. W. S. Pollard, of Evansville, Ind., upholding President Schneider's declaration that baseball was a disease and a craze.

"Mind you," said the president, "I am not opposed to the sport, but I think the boys ought to learn to play without the aid of the physical culture teacher, whose work should be confined to physical culture."

Supt. Cooley is of the opinion that physical culture teachers ought to take an active interest in all forms of athletics in which the pupils indulge. "The presence of the teacher at these forms of exercise always has a salutary effect," he said. 'It tends to prevent rough behavior and bad language and in my opinion, both baseball and football tend to instill quick judgment coolness and self reliance."

The Evansville physician from whom President Schneider received a letter yesterday declared that the business prospects of his son had been ruined by baseball at the Northwestern university and goes so far as to advocate that football and basebell be excluded from the colleges and schools.

A girl never cares for a man's kisses unless he acts about them as if he oughtn't to.

It takes a woman to lead a man around by the nose and make him think he is doing it.

FLOUR CASE ADJOURNED

NOTHING DONE IN CASE YESTERDAY — SOME INTERESTING TESTIMONY

Fargo, N. D. Nov. 5—The bleached flour case was adjourned last night to continue on Wednesday morning, the attorneys in the case desiring to take a holiday on election day and there is nothing doing in "bleached flour" today.

Prof. J. H. Sheppard of the South Dakota experiment station, who was placed on the stand yesterday afternoon by the defendant, did not finish his direct examination last night. He gave some very interesting testimony on the result of nitrus acid, which is left in flour by the bleaching, on the digestive system of the human body.

He said that nitrites or nitric acid which is one and the same thing in the last analysis, retards and prevents digestion. It destroys the action of the enzymes which are the natural digestive constituents in the human system. It prevents the ripening process in stored flour, making flour which has been bleached entirely different from naturally aged flour.

"Even the lightest bleached flours are dangerous to human health," testified Prof. Sheppard. Any bleaching whatever will introduce into the flour more nitrogen peroxyde than necessary to stop the action of diastes enzymes that caused the change to take place in the ripening of flour and which are the same agents that cause the seed to germinate."

LAMOURE WINS BY NARROW MARGIN

PEMBINA CO., POLITICAL LEADER GETS IN BY 34 VOTES—HARD FIGHT

Jud LaMoure the political war horse from Pembina county who has been a leader in the senate at Bismarck for years, narrowly escaped defeat in the election. Returns yesterday indicated that he won by a scant majority of 34 votes. Jud was here with his wife yesterday and he anxiously awaited news.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Nov. 5 In History.

Washington Allston.

1779—Washington Allston, painter, born in Waccamaw, S. C.; died in Cambridge, Mass., 1843.

1854—Battle of Inkerman, in the Crimea.

1891—Political revolution in Brazil; President Fonseca, successor to Emperor Dom Pedro, made dictator.

1905—William T. Richards, famous American marine artist, died at Newport, R. I.; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:48, rises 6:33; moon sets 4:17; moon's age 12 days; 3 a. m., planet Mercury stationary; 3:30 a. m., eastern time, all Jupiter's moons seen on west of the planet.

WANTED — Men for the lumber woods. Men for railroad work in Montana, Dakota, Minnesota. Call at Germania Hotel, 301 N. Main St., Phone 242, M. Burns Employment Agency, Crookston, Minn.

It's worth while asking for "Hickory" Brand Rubbers and Overshoes. They are long wearing—always giving satisfaction. Ask your dealer. St. Paul Rubber Co. Distributors.

PLEASED WITH RESULTS—Levi Steenerson ex-county commissioner is spending the day in the city and he was very much pleased with the outcome of the congressional election.

BUSINESS AT FORKS—P. G. Tornquist left this morning for Grand Forks where he is spending the day attending to an important business deal. He did not care to disclose the nature of it till his return to Crookston this evening.

SURVEYING AT MAPLE LAKE—Surveyor Alex Gray left this morning for Maple Lake where he has a job of surveying to complete. It is expected that the demand for lots there next spring will be the most brisk in the history of Maple Lake as a summer resort.

BACK FROM CITIES—Gus Schuneman returned this morning from a trip to St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth. He was in Minneapolis yesterday and says that the interest displayed in the state election was most intense. He did not wear a very sorry look over the result.

AFTER ELECTION RETURNS — A. J. Goodwin one of the pioneer residents of Polk county spent yesterday here from Key West in order to get the latest election returns. Mr. Goodwin was greatly interested and let go of a few patent war whoops when it was announced that Taft had been elected by a tremendous majority. He returned home yesterday afternoon with a very fine souvenir of his visit.

ON SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK — Rev. Hedegaard leaves tomorrow for Harold station where he will hold special meetings Friday and Saturday evenings and on Sunday as well. A Sunday school was organized there last summer, and he is going to increase the enthusiasm and place the Sunday school on a more substantial basis.

Congressman Steenerson's majority is growing as the later returns come in. He is elected by approximately 3000 majority. The later returns show that he carried Marshall and Kittson counties by 800, Beltrami by about 1000 or more, and Clay, Clearwater, Red Lake, Roseau by good majorities, completely wiping out the lead Sageng had in Otter Tail, Norman and Polk with a big surplus left.

LEMON, CHOCOLATE, CUSTARD

These are the three varieties of "OUR-PIE" preparation which are creating so much favorable comment everywhere. Each package is put up according to the strictest Pure Food Laws. It does not require an experienced cook to make good pies from "OUR-PIE". Just the proper proportions of all ingredients are in the package ready for your immediate use. At grocers, 10 cents.

It sometimes happens that two women are apparently good friends because they are bitter enemies.

It is easier, cheaper and generally pleasanter to get married than it is to get unmarried.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 6 In History.

1860—Abraham Lincoln elected president.

1900—Presidential election. McKinley received 292 votes in the electoral college and 7,203,266 ballots at the polls. Bryan received 155 electoral votes and 6,415,387 ballots.

1907—Don Diego Barros Arana, eminent Chilean historian and educator, known as South America's "grand old man," died at Santiago, Chile; born 1830.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:47, rises 6:34; moon sets 5:29 a. m.; moon's age 13 days; planet Mercury seen low in east before sunrise.

IN SOUTH DAKOTA—J. J. Flynn is spending the week in Watertown, South Dakota, on business for the Maplebay Mfg. Co.

ENROUTE TO IOWA— Ed Humm of Edmore, N. D., is leaving for Iowa tonight on business and will remain there for a few weeks.

VISITING FOSSTON—Chas. Kiewel left this morning for Fosston where he will spend the day reciting a few lines of poetry about "White Seal" and telling the natives how it all happended.

QUIET AT ADA — J. F. Creamer came up from Ada this morning and left for a business trip out on the east line. He says things are quiet at Ada since the election, but that the people there evinced a lively interest in the outcome.

BACK TO FORKS—Irvin Heydt returned to Grand Forks last evening after spending a couple of days in the city with relatives and friends. He is getting along nicely in the Forks but still thinks Crookston is about as good as they make them and embraces every opportunity to get over.

TO WISCONSIN FOR WINTER — Theodore Aker, who has spent the summer at Euclid passed thru the city last evening enroute to Augusta Wis., where he will spend the winter with his parents. He has spent the past several seasons at Euclid with his brother on the Curry farm and has a large number of friends there as well as in Crookston who hope he will return again next year.

FATHER IS ILL — Ole Hagen, a former resident of this city, now residing at Badger, Roseau Co., and who was elected auditor of that county at the last election by 115 votes, was taken ill after the election, the strenuous fight having told on him, and this morning his daughter Miss Mary Hagen and his son Edward left for Badger where they will remain with him until he is completely recovered.

PROGRESSIVE LIVERYMEN—Len us Johnson, the well known liverymen us Johnson, the well known liveryman of Beltrami was here the foreparte of the week having driven a party of travelling men to the city from that place. He says business is good this fall, the best it has been for some time past, and that the general outlook around Beltrami is better than it has been for a number of years. Mr. Johnson is one of the kind who always looks on the bright side of things and is popular with the traveling public because he gives them excellent service.

The board of county commissioners today disposed of a large amount of business, but the most important action in conection with Crookston was the naming of a committee consisting of Commissioners Ben Clements and Eklund, in answer to a communication from the city council, to act in conjunction with the city officials in the construction of the new Sampsons addition bridge.

This evening there will be a very important meeting of the Commercial Club. It will be in the nature of a banquet, which will include roast pig and many other delicacies and following this there will be a drawing of the lots in the manufacturing site which was purchased nearly a year ago.

In addition to this there will be a number of addresses by prominent citizens and the occasion will be one in which general interest should be taken.

The meeting will be held in the building on South Main Street in the McKinnon Block which was formerly occupied by Amundson & Berget and not only members of the 25,000 club, but every citizen who is interested in the progress of the city is urged to be present.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 7 In History.

1492—Columbus explored the San Salvador river in Cuba.

1873—The Virginius massacre; 53 of the Cuban fillbusters captured with the Virginius on Oct. 31 shot by the Spanish authorities.

1898—Cuban assembly organized.

1901—Earl Li Hung Chang, Chinese statesman, died; born 1823.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:46, rises 6:35; moon sets 6:41 a. m.; 2:58 a. m., eastern time, full moon in constellation Aries, opposite the sun; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

Agents wanted to sell Baker Rope Buckles and Halter Ties. Big Seller. Write today for full particulars. Folts Baker Mfg. Co. Minneapolis, Minn.

LITTLE BOY ILL—Rufus Gilley, a young man 15 years old who has been working in the Hallock News office, was brought to St. Vincent's hospital here last evening, very ill.

BACK TO DEVILS LAKE —Albert Harris returned this morning to Devils Lake after spending a few days in the city visiting at the home of his parents, Alderman and Mrs. T. A. Harris.

HOME FROM ST. PAUL—Norman Yeo, the druggist in the Palace Hotel block returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul where he spent a few days. He reports things quieting down after election in the Twin Cities.

DIED AT WOODSIDE—Mrs. Rebeka Erland wife of A. Erland of Woodside died Sunday night of child birth Deceased was 26 years old and the daughter of C. R. Engelstad of Warren, but who formerly resided in Woodside. Besides her husband she is survived by six small children. Funeral occurred from the Maple Lake church.

WILL SELL SCHOOL HOUSE — Notice is hereby given that the school board of district No. 140 will sell to the highest bidder for cash the old school house situated on SW quarter section 36 town of Crookston on Monday Nov. 16, at 2 p. m.—Edward Lanctot, Clerk.

SHERIFF FOR 16 YEARS—W. D. Bodkin who was sheriff of Clay Co., for 16 years came up from Moorhead this morning and left on the later train for Bemidji where he will make arrangements for sending his horses into the woods for the winter. While here he spent a pleasant hour with Contractor Louis Johnson who is an old time friend.

GOOD PRODUCE MARKET—Fourteen car lot shipments have been made from McIntosh during the past week. One of potatoes to Bemidji; two of cattle, one to Virginia and one to South St. Paul. Three of hay to Bemidji and the camps. Two of flax and six of wheat.

REMOVED TO IOWA—Mr. and Mrs Erick Sanderson departed Monday for Waukon Iowa, where they will take up their future home. Mr. Sanderson has rented his farm in Liberty town to Severt Severtson for a term of three years. The Sandersons have resided in the town of Liberty for eight years and made many friends during their residence there who deeply regret their departure. Both are in poor health and they decided to quit farming for a time to see if they could not recover their failing health.

MISS MAGGIE RAICHE—Miss Maggie Raiche nineteen years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Raiche died at the family home in this city, Sunday afternoon Nov. 1. Death was due to consumption from which the deceased had been a sufferer for some time. For two years and until recently, she had resided with an uncle, Robert Philips in St. Paul. She had gone to the city for the purpose of receiving medical treatment but to no avail. Funeral services were held from St. Joseph Catholic church at 10:30 Wednesday morning, Fr. Fayolle officiating.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

CLOVER SEED PROFITABLE—E. C. Jacobson was in town Wednesday and in referring to his undertakings of the season called attention to the fact that on the previous day he had threshed his clover seed. This is the first time that Mr. Jacobson has kept his second crop for the seed to ripen and he was well pleased with his experiment, realizing as he did six bushels of seed from the three acres of clover cut from it. And the reason for his satisfaction is apparent. After realizing one good crop of clover hay, from the same land he takes two bushels of seed worth anywhere from $10 to $18 a bushel (it was worth $18 last spring.) Compare this with results from wheat raising. And then, the land is not impoverished, but rather benefited by the clover.

Salt thrown into the oven immediatel after anything has been burned in it will make the objectionable odor less disagreeable.

BIG FIRE IN WINSOR

TOWNSHIP IN EASTERN POLK HAS GREAT CONFLAGRATION IN BIG MEADOWS

150 TONS OF HAY BURNED—DESPERATE WORK SAVED MORE —WHISKERS SINGED

From Saturday's Daily—

Early Friday morning smoke was seen to rise from Section 6, town of Winsor in Eastern Polk. Smoke and fire had been seen farther north for three or four days and not much attention was given to this evidence of burning, but a strong northwest wind soon fanned the flames and the rank uncut hay furnished fuel so that the whole country was ablaze in an incredibly short time.

The fire ran like a race horse and at times leaped twenty feet in height. Fortunately the state ditch prevented flames from spreading further west or much more damage would have been done.

Gunder Volden, John Sather and others worked heroically to save the hay and in some places were successful. Among the losers are Albert Kais, Andrew Odden, Gunder Volden, E. A. Schneider Gunder Swenson, J. O. Sather, Mauritz Furuseth, Henry Christianson and A. Volden. Gunder Swenson was one of the heaviest losers, he having had about 50 tons, all destroyed.

Rob Handy's hay was saved by the timely aid of two women who beat out the fire in the short grass near the stack.

Henry Christianson lost his whiskers as well as his hay, and showed the effects of the fight more than anyone else. In his efforts to save his hay he got so close to the fire that it singed the beard from his face.

So far as is known however, no one was seriously injured nor were there any buildings lost.

QUARTETTE OFF FOR BIG GAME

MESSRS. LIFE SARGENT, J. E. O'BRIEN AND NEWBERY BROS., IN PARTY

This morning Messrs. J. E. O'Brien, Life Sargent and Newbery Bros., left for the northern boundary of the state an dwill hunt deer and moose near International Falls for a week or so. They were armed to the teeth with rifles and bowie knives and if there is any game in that neck of the woods there will certainly be some blood spilled.

TOOK GUN ALONG — Rev. C. C. Warner went to McIntosh on business today and just took along his gun to keep the geese away. He will return this evening.

LEFT FOR BIG WOODS—Ed Qven left this morning for Shotley where he expects to spend the winter in the big woods. He took his rifle along and will do some shooting.

WELL KNOWN FARMER HERE—B. L. Hinton one of the well known farmers of Russia is spending the day in the cit yon business and paid the Journal a pleasant call and a year's subscription.

LEFT FOR ERSKINE—M. J. Cort, the creamery suply man left this morning for Erskine on business. He has been away for the past two months visiting Montana and later going to Chicago, returning via Minneapolis where he will spend a few days with the family.

HERE FOR DAIRY MEET—Government Dairy Inspector Joel G. Winkjer has arrived in the city and next week will attend the meeting of the Red River aVley Dairymen's Assn., which will be held at St. Hilaire Wednesday and Thursday of next week, Nov. 11 and 12 and the meeting promises to be a grand success.

EDITOR GOES HUNTING—Editor J. D. Mason of the Twin Valley Times passed thru the city this morning enroute to Shotley where he will hunt big game for a week or two. Supt.-Elect N. A. Thorson of Polk Co., is an old pupil of Editor Mason's when the latter was superintendent of the Twin Valley schools before he started his career as an editor, and their meeting here this morning was a most pleasant one.

If you suffer from constipation and liver trouble Foley's Orino Laxative will cure you permanently by stimulating the digestive organs so they will act naturally. Foley's Orino Laxative does not gripe, is pleasant to take and you do not have to take laxatives continually after taking Orino. Why continue to be the slave of pills and tablets. Sold by All Druggists.

Every married woman should imagine that her husband is the only man who has brains enough to understand her.

CLUB BANQUET BIG SUCCESS

OVER 100 PEOPLE AT COMMERCIAL CLUB SPREAD LAST NIGHT

DRAWING FOR LOTS TOOK PLACE —MANY FINE ADDRESSES— SPLENDID MENU

From Saturday's Daily—

The Commercial Club Banquet last evening in the former Amundson & Berget store room in the McKinnon Block was attended by over 100 people and was a success in every way.

The banquet was served by the ladies of the Presbyterian church and was a great credit to them.

Prior to the supper, President J. H. Worst of the North Dakota Agricultural college addressed the gathering. He is a very polished speaker. After the splendid supper had been served, a "smoker" was enjoyed and the speech making began, President Misner presiding. He made a few very pertinent remarks at the beginning pointing to th egreat things that could be accomplished by the club if all worked for the same end with a will.

He later called upon State Entomologist F. L. Washburn, Prof. Hay of Thief River Falls, Prof. Dunton of McIntosh, Hon. Halvor Steenerson and Hon. A. D. Stephens, and all made very excellent remarks pertinent to the gathering.

Ross Chesterman sang a solo and a quartet consisting of Messrs. Hitchcock, Chesterman, Brager and Rapin sang several selections all of which were enjoyed.

The drawing for the selection of lots in the Manufacturing Site addition was then taken up and resulted as follows:

Name	lot	blk.
J. F. Ingersoll	7	3
J. F. Ingersoll	12	2
H. Steenerson	11	3
P. P. Boileau	12	3
J. E. O'Brien & Co.	1	5
J. F. Ingersoll	4	8
A. G. Andersen	6	7
J. F. Ingersoll	12	4
G. S. Chesterman	11	8
J. F. Ingersoll	12	9
J. F. Ingersoll	8	6
J. W. Wheeler	7	2
H. Holte	11	9
J. E. Carroll	3	6
Crookston Lumber Co.	10	2
J. F. Ingersoll	2	3
J. F. Ingersoll	11	5
J. F. Ingersoll	2	7
A. Lalliberte	2	4
A. M. Sivertson	4	2
J. F. Ingersoll	7	1
W. A. Marin	8	7
Crookston W. W. P. & L. Co.	12	5
J. H. Stair	2	2
J. W. Wheeler	11	1
H. W. Remele	10	9
Halvor B. Tvedten	6	9
J. F. Ingersoll	5	1
J. F. Ingersoll	9	8
O. K. Berget	9	2
A. Chabot	1	1
Chas. E. Kiewel	6	1
J. F. Ingersoll	9	3
J. F. Ingersoll	3	5
J. H. Ruettell	8	3
Robertson Lumber Co.	10	5
Thomas Spence	5	6
J. F. Ingersoll	4	5
J. F. Fournet	10	6
Louis Gonyea	11	2
Wm. Anglim	3	8
J. F. Ingersoll	10	7
J. E. O'Brien & Co.	2	5
G. Oliver Riggs	9	1
J. F. Ingersoll	6	2
J. W. Wheeler	5	5
J. F. Ingersoll	3	1
Wheeler Land & Loan Co.	8	2
F. D. Guthrie	9	9
W. E. Slocum	11	7
H. E. Nesne	6	6
Wm. Robertson	7	4
L. D. Foskett	1	3
S. A. Wallace	12	7
Chas. Loring	12	1
Miller & Foote	10	3
Crookston W. W. P. & L. Co.	2	1
J. F. Ingersoll	7	7
Adolph F. Rauch	3	3
L. Ellington	4	3
S. A. Wallace	6	8
S. A. Wallace	8	4
J. F. Ingersoll	5	3
J. F. Ingersoll	4	4
M. R. Brown	10	1
J. F. Ingersoll	9	5
E. S. Peterson	6	4
Louis Roy	2	9
Miller & Foote	10	8
F. Fournet	1	6
Miller & Foote	1	4
C. R. Winslow	9	4
Carrie A. Ingersoll	9	6
G. Oliver Riggs	8	5
H. L. Falk	1	8
Elias Steenerson	3	9
H. C. Misner	8	1
A. D. Stephens	9	7
F. J. Ingersoll	1	2
Lewis Ellington	1	7
J. F. Ingersoll	5	8
Wm. Anglim	1	9
Crookston W. W. P. & L. Co.	8	9
J. F. Ingersoll	3	2
Crookston Times P. Co.	5	4
J. F. Ingersoll	5	9
Bjoin & Carlson	3	7
C. C. Strander	5	2
Adolph F. Rauch	12	8
C. C. Strander	2	8
Martin O'Brien	7	6
L. D. Foskett	6	3
Sam Rosenthal	4	7
Max Ericsson	4	1
Vaule & Murphy	4	6
J. F. Ingersoll	7	9
M. E. Kirsch	5	7
A. A. Just	4	8
J. G. Spokely	7	8
F. D. Guthrie	3	6

GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR

OF CREAMERIES IS SPENDING THE DAY IN THE CITY ON BUSINESS

SEES A WONDERFUL DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY IN THIS SECTION

From Saturday's Daily—

J. C. Joslyn, government creamery inspector who works under the Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington is spending the day in the city attending to some official business, and will remain in this section for some time. When seen at the Hotel Crookston this morning Mr. Joslyn expressed great enthusiasm over the wonderful strides being made in the Red River Valley in the dairying industry. He not only marvelled at the wonderful increase in production, but in the high quality of the butter.

He looks for a still further development for many years to come and predicts this section to become one of the wealthiest in the entire United States.

FATAL GUN ACCIDENT

MARTIN ANDERSON, HOMESTEADER NEAR ROOSEVELT KILLED YESTERDAY

HAD HEAD SHOT OFF BY COMPANION WITH WHOM HE WAS OUT HUNTING

From Saturday's Daily—

Word was received last evening of a terrible tragedy in which a homesteader named Martin Anderson was instantly killed, having the greater portion of his head shot off by a companion with whom he was out hunting geese.

The details have not been received, but it is known that the two men were in a boat and Anderson stood up to shoot just as his companion shot at some geese flying low, and the complete charge carried away the greater portion of Anderson's head.

SENATOR WORKS IS PLEASED

RETURNED THIS MORNING FROM TRIP TO MANKATO WHERE HE WENT TO VOTE

HIGHLY GRATIFIED OVER THE BIG MAJORITY ROLLED UP FOR JOHNSON

From Saturday's Daily—

Senator S. D. Works returned this morning from Mankato where he went to cast his vote for Gov. Johnson and all other Democratic candidates. As he stepped off the train his face was decorated with a smile that would have illuminated two blocks of the city if it had been pitch dark—and immediately he held a love feast with Martin O'Brien.

Senator Works was chairman of the Democratic state convention which nominated Gov. Johnson for the third term, and consequently he is highly gratified over the splendid majority that was rolled up for Johnson last Tuesday.

Senator Works left on the St. Vincent train for his large farm near Euclid to which he has devoted most of his attention this year.

OLD TIMER AMONG THE ENGINEERS

General Supt. of Motive Power Emerson of the Great Northern, with headquarters in St. Paul arrived in the city this morning in his private car on a regular trip of inspection.

Mr. Emerson is well known here in the early days having pulled an engine out of this city, and many of the "old boys" were glad to greet him here today.

W. A. Fadden, with the Gamble Robinson Co., of Minneapolis and an old creamery supply man was in the city today on business.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

SUES GREAT NORTHERN FOR ONLY $15,000

Husband Of Mrs. McDowell Wants Damages For Being Taken Off The Train Here Kicked Up A Fuss.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Papers have been served asking for damages in the sum of $15,000 from the Great Northern railroad, the plaintiff being Mr. McDowell whose wife was taken from a Great Northern train here Oct. 28th. She was westbound, and had a ticket, but her actions on the train was such as to scare all the other passengers out and after some discussion Officer Nelson had to take the woman in charge and after trying for some time to pacify her, sent her to the county jail for safe keeping.

Mrs. McDowell was later released and that evening boarded the train for Grand Forks. In the Forks she was again arrested for raising a disturbance but was finally allowed to proceed west.

Now comes her hubby, who resides in Buffalo, N. Y., and demands that the Great Northern dig up the comfortable sum of $15,000 to console the feelings of the husband and wife for her having been detained. There are several stories regarding what caused the strange actions of the woman in this city, but it is a pretty well established fact that there was something doing somewhere, as it was not the Great Northern, but passengers who appealed to Officer Nelson.

MARKS AN EPOCH IN MASONIC HISTORY

From Tuesday's Daily—

One of the most impressive events that ever transpired in Masonic circles in the entire northwest took place last evening at the Masonic Temple in this city, the occasion being in commemoration of the raising of his 200th candidate by Thomas Morris, Master of Crookston Lodge No. 141 A. F. and A. M. for 12 years and Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Masons of the jurisdiction of Minnesota till succeeded by the present incumbent, Grand Master Wm. P. Roberts who was present last evening and participated in the ceremonies.

In addition to Grand Master Roberts there was a large delegation of prominent Masons from St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Grand Forks, Fargo and scores from the immediately surrounding territory, most of whom are member of the local Masonic institutions.

Following the impressive ceremonies of the ritual a splendid banquet was served at the conclusion of which there was much felicitous speechmaking, and a fine musical program was rendered.

Magnificent Tribute

The climax to the entire event came however when Most Worshipful Grand Master Roberts arose and in a few fitting words, on behalf of the members of Crookston Lodge No. 141 A. F. and A. M. presented Mr. Morris with a Past Master's Jewel, the most magnificent emblem ever seen here. It is of solid gold, and the emblems of the order, the initials "T. M." and the seal of the State of Minnesota are all done in raised, shaded gold. In addition to the regular inscriptions of the order there is also engraved on the back "presented to Past Grand Master Thomas Morris, by members of Crookston Lodge No. 141, A. F. and A. M. on the raising of his two hundredth candidate, Nov. 9, '08."

The beautiful jewel consists of three separate plates connected by heavy gold chains, the top one containg the recipient's initials, the second the seal of the State of Minnesota and the lower one the compass, square and sun. The recipient was completely overcome, but made a most feeling response to the address of Grand Master Roberts.

An Ideal Gathering

The entire evening was a most delightful one. Nearly 400 guests were seated about the banquet tables, the three small tables on the platform being occupied by the Masonic Quartet of Minneapolis, W. R. Lasham of Grand Forks and J. S. Morris, of Waupun, Wis., and in the center were seated Grand Master Roberts, Hon. H. Steenerson, Rev. Clements of Duluth, Rev. W. S. Ward of this city, A. A. Miller, and Thomas Morris who presided. Rev. Ward offered a prayer before the feast was partaken of. It might be added that the chefs and waiters were rather high salaried functionaries.

Splendid Addresses.

Mr. Morris first introduced Grand Master Roberts, who made one of the finest addresses on Masonry ever heard in Crookston at the conclusion of which he presented the jewel to Mr. Morris.

Hon. Halvor Steenerson was the next speaker and his remarks elicited a great deal of applause a liberal amount of wit being injected into his brief remarks.

Hon. A. A. Miller followed with one of the most eloquent addresses he has ever delivered. He discussed the foundation of Masonry and paid a high tribute to the results that had been accomplished and its tendency toward a better and higher manhood.

Rev. Clements, presiding elder of the M. E. church for the Duluth district was the last speaker, and he is one of the most entertaining speakers ever heard in Crookston. His wit kept the banqueters in an uproar, and injected into his address there was some mighty good logic. He has Mark Twain beat a mile.

Every speaker paid a high tribute to Mr. Morris and the splendid work he had accomplished, not only in Crookston, but thruout this entire jurisdiction.

Enthusiastic Applause

The Masonic Quartet of Minneapolis composed of Messrs. E. P. Browning, W. B. Heath, W. S. Marshall, and Frank Forbes was compelled to work overtime. Their "musical menu" consisted of about three score numbers and they were called upon at every interval, and made to respond to about three encores each time. The quartet is one of the finest ever heard in Crookston.

Sixty-One Present

Of the 200 Masons who had been raised by Master Morris, 61 were present. Thruout the entire evening the greatest enthusiasm was shown and it was with reluctance that the gathering disbursed at 1:30 this morning.

The affair was one of the grandest successes ever witnessed in this section, and the tribute paid Thomas Morris was one seldom received by any one.

COMMISSIONERS LOOK OVER DITCH

WILL LOOK OVER DITCHES 64 AND 65 SOUTH OF THE CITY TODAY

County Commissioner Driscoll came over from East Grand Forks this morning and was joined by Commissioners Eklund, Thorson and Clements, the quartette leaving for an inspection of ditches Nos. 64 and 65 south of the city, and will spend the entire day viewing the ditches from end to end to see if they meet with all requirements.

DEATH CHEATS CANDIDATE

RE-ELECTED SHERIFF OF KOOCHICHING COUNTY—DIES AT BEMIDJI

Sheriff P. A. Walsa of Koochiching county who has been an inmate of the St. Anthony hospital at Bemidji for ten days, died Wednesday from a sudden attack of heart failure. He was 62 years of age. He was brought from his home in International Falls and was being prepared for an operation. While he was in the hospital he was re-elected sheriff.

MYSTERY HAS BEEN SOLVED

BODY FOUND WEST OF FERGUS FALLS WAS THAT OF HANS LARSON

CROOKSTON POLICE HAD BEEN NOTIFIED MONTHS AGO OF HIS DISAPPEARANCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The body discovered by Max Cameron and Louis Keefe in the woods in the vicinity of Fergus Falls Saturday has been ascertained to be that of Nels Larson, who disappeared last April and whom Chief Eck had been looking for since he disappeared having been notified by the authorities at Fergus Falls. Two boys were out hunting rabbits when they discovered the remains. The body was hanging from a small tree or sapling in a clump of woods about a mile west and a little north of the city.

When the body was first discovered it was supposed to be that of a patient from the hospital, the supposition being that the man had wandered away and committed suicide, a great many insane persons having a suicidal mania. The man had used his suspenders in lieu of a rope, and had made a stout and very effective noose. The suicide had taken place in the edge of a small slough, and the remains were badly decomposed when found, little being left except the skeleton. A hat was lying close by, and the shoes were intact, and some of the clothing was also in a fair state of preservation. The features were entirely unrecognizable, but it was apparent from an examination of the teeth that the man was of middle age and a portion of his scalp showed that he had black hair. A bottle of vapo-oresolene was found in one of the coat pockets.

These facts were brought out by the coroner's investigation, and efforts were made to ascertain the man's identity. Supervisor Sherman examined the shoes, and at once stated that they were not the kind worn by the insane patients. Furthermore, no patient answering the description had escaped during the past year or more, and it was apparent that the suicide had taken place within about a year. It was remembered, however, that Mr. Larson had disappeared in April last. He was employed at the hospital, as stated, but was never considered especially well balanced. During the spring, his little child was taken ill of diphtheria and he came in to town to consult a physician. The physician recommended the burning of cresolene, among other things, this solution, when heated, giving off a gas that is considered helpful in throat diseases, and he went directly to the drug store and purchased a bottle.

On his way home he apparently became demented and wantered into the western outskirts of the city. Entering a secluded clump of brush, he took off his suspenders, fixed a noose and hanged himself. The physician who prescribed the cresolene, and the druggist who sold it both have memoranda of the transactions, and as the dates correspond with that on the bottle found in the pocket, there can be no question about the man's identity.

After his disappearance, his child died, and his wife went to reside with relatives near Evansville, where she still makes her home. As soon as the facts were ascertained, the coroner notified her by telephone, and the remains were given a respectable burial Sunday afternoon.

MONTANA WANTS MORE LABORERS

"Westward Ho, Montana for mine," is the cry of the laborer in the northwest. The prosperity wave seems to have hit the west first and laborers out there, especially on railroad work, are getting on the average of $2.50 per day. The lowest is $2.

The northwest has not fared as well Lumberjacks are getting on the average about $26 a month and day wages are $1.75. Every train out of the labor centers is carrying hundreds of men who are going out to the golden west to try their fortunes.

According to the law of supply and demand, it would seem that the wage increase is due to strike the Minnesota woods country, too, before long.

Withdrawn

New York, Nov. 9—That an article on the German emperor giving the substance of an interview had with him by the author has been "in view of recent circumstances" withdrawn from publication in an American magazine was revealed today. The author was William Bayard Hale.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

CROOKSTON ADVERTISED

MAYOR McPHEE RETURNS FROM FEDERAL COURT SESSION AT MANKATO

ATTENDED COUNCIL MEETING THERE—VERY MUCH PLEASED WITH CITY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. McPhee returned last evening from Mankato where he has been since election day serving on the federal grand jury, court having been in session there, all business having been disposed of in short order.

Mayor McPhee says he thoroly enjoyed the visit to Mankato stating that it is one of the prettiest and best regulated cities of its size he ever visited. He was taken for a trip to Swan Lake and surrounding country, and says the scenery was very fine.

He also has a special word for the courtesy of the city officials and citizens generally. Everything was done for his pleasure and comfort that could be done.

Mayor McPhee attended a meeting of the city council at Mankato and the Mankato Free Press has the following regarding his visit:

"Mayor McPhee of Crookston entered during the meeting and was introduced by Mayor Andrews. At the close of the meeting he was called upon for remarks, and said that he had enjoyed himself very much listening to the proceedings. He had come as a federal court juror, and had put in two days walking about the city, and was delighted with it. He was particularly pleased with the clean and tidy appearance of the streets and with the fire station. Crookston is rebuilding its fire station and is putting in sanitary stalls He would go away from Mankato with a very good opinion of the city."

The Mankato Daily Review had a similar interview with this addition: "In closing Mayor McPhee extended a most hearty invitation to any one visiting Northern Minnesota to call upon him at Crookston and he would take pleasure in showing them every courtesy within his power. Today Mayor McPhee was the guest of Mayor Andrews and Ald. Atchison who showed him over the city in their automobiles."

GIVES CREDIT TO THE CLUB

GOVERNOR JOHN A. JOHNSON WRITES YOUNG MEN'S JOHNSON CLUB OF

CROOKSTON A PERSONAL LETTER THANKING THEM FOR GREAT WORK DONE

From Monday's Daily—

No single organization ever gave Crookston more advertisement not only thruout the state, but thruout the nation, than the Young Men's Johnson Club of Crookston, and it was all done in the brief period of a few weeks.

The stand they took as independent voters was in advance of the times, but was a forceful illustration of what is to be expected in the future. Others will take similar stands in the future—the young men of Crookston did it first.

In appreciation of the splendid work done by the Young Men's Johnson Club of Crookston, the following letter of appreciation has been received from Governor Johnson.

State of Minnesota, Executive Department, St. Paul:

November 6, 1908.

To the Members of the Young Men's Johnson Club, Crookston, Minnesota

My Dear Sirs:

I am permitted to acknowledge your kind telegram of congratulations of the 5th inst., and it is in no small measure due to the disinterested support of the Young Men's Johnson Club of Crookston that telegrams such as yours are pouring into my office at the Capitol today. Your Club, I am sure, was largely responsible for the magnificent vote given me by the citizens of Crookston and by Polk County generally. The moral effect of the organization of the Young Men's Johnson Club of Crookston throughout the state cannot be overestimated.

I trust I am modest when I assume that this Club was somewhat in the nature of a personal compliment to me, and as such I fully appreciate it. I shall ever hold in grateful remembrance its services in this campaign, and my only regret is that I cannot thank each member personally.

Very truly yours,
—John A. Johnson,
Governor.

A woman thinks her husband is cross if he happens to criticise her cooking.

The housemaid's wages come under the head of sweeping charges.

BAD FIRE IN E. G. FORKS

HARM & OESCHER LOSE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL LIQUOR STORE

BIG BLOCK BELONGING TO THE HINES ESTATE COMPLETELY GUTTED

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning about 3 o'clock fire broke out in the wholesale and retail liquor house of Harm and Oescher in East Grand Forks and in an incredibly short space of time the double building was a mass of flames, both stocks being total losses.

It was with great difficulty that the surrounding buildings were protected, the fire threatening both Dan Sullivan's place and Chas. Reed's and others across the street.

The loss to stock and fixtures will be about $27,000 well insured, and the loss on the building is about $17000 covered by $10,000 insurance.

The origin of the fire is not known Special interest is manifested here because Harry Harm was a former resident of this city, having been in the employ of Fontaine and Anglim when they were in business in Crookston.

NEPHEW IS KILLED

ED CARLSON RECEIVED NEWS SATURDAY — HIS NEPHEW

GEO. BOLLUM, FIREMAN ON THE SOO OUT OF ST. PAUL KILLED

From Monday's Daily—

Ed Carlson of the firm of Bjoin & Carlson has received a telegram announcing the death of his nephew, Geo. Bollum in Wisconsin, a short distance out of St. Paul. Bollum was 28 years of age and was killed in an accident while acting as fireman on a Soo train on which he was running out of St. Paul. He had just started firing, but had been at work in the roundhouse for nearly two years.

EARLY SUNDAY MORNING FIRE

SMALL BLAZE IN TVEDTEN BUILDING CAUSED MUCH EXCITEMENT

Sunday morning the ding-dong of the fire bell caused many who would otherwise have slept late, to get up in time to go to church. The fire was in the Tvedten building at the corner of Broadway and Third streets and the origin is unknown. Some plasterers were repairing the front room, and it is possible that some lime caused the fire.

The front part of the building was vacant, but in the rear room John Roholt had a stock of clothing which he had intended putting on sale as soon as the building was repaired. The stock was slightly damaged by water This is the second time the goods had been sprinkled, as during the recent blaze at the New Store the stock was stored in the basement of that place just under the window where all the fire was, and got the benefit of what little water was thrown from the outside.

The damage to the Tvedten building was about $100 or $200 fully insured.

DEPREDATIONS AT MELISSA COTTAGES

FARGOANS' SUMMER HOMES ARE BROKEN INTO BY SOME MARAUDERS

Information concerning depredations at the summer homes of Fargoans along the shores of Lake Melissa, reached the city yesterday and as a result a committee consisting of Frank J. Thompson, H. Harrington and Chas Howland left Fargo this morning for the beautiful summer resort where they will investigate the condition.

Only the fact that the cottages had been broken into, was learned and to what extent the work has been carried on, is not known.

Satisfactory

St. Louis, Nov. 9—The attitude of the federal government toward the American missionaries abroad particularly the ideas of President-elect Taft were discussed at the meeting of the general committee of the foreign missions of the M. E. church here today. They were decidedly satisfactory.

JACK FROST IN CONTROL

LARGE NUMBERS OF HUNTERS YESTERDAY GOT AGGRAVATED CASE OF SHIVERS

DEER HUNTERS ARE REJOICING IN SNOWFALL WHICH MEANS GOOD HUNTING

From Monday's Daily—

The first snowfall of the season occurred yesterday. The weather for the day looked perfect in the morning the sky being clear, and the temperature moderate. As a result practically every hunter in the city, who has not already started off for big game hied themselves to surrounding lakes and pot holes to lay for geese and ducks.

In the twinkling of an eye almost, the wind switched to the northwest and a cold rain prevailed for a couple of hours and then turned to a cutting sleet, and then snow. In the evening the ground was covered with a mantle of white, and a more nearly frozen lot of hunters never straggled into the city, as few had gone prepared for such strenuous weather, the wind after switching into the north blowing a perfect gale.

There are more deer hunters afield prepared for the opening of the season Tuesday than for many years and they will rejoice if the snow continues and remains. Many went to Graceton and International Falls near the boundary others to Shotley and quite a number to Grand Rapids near where they always hunt.

This morning the train for the east carried several delegations of hunters the snow of yesterday auguring well for the shooting the first day of the season which is tomorrow, Nov. 10. The train from St. Paul this morning brought several parties, and the numerous "Red Coats" recalled war times.

C. C. Hoch, Wiley Phillips and a party from St. Paul left last evening for Swan River where they were preceeded by Gus and Harry Schmidt who have their camp in readiness and will get busy at daylight tomorrow morning.

J. H. Stair and H. L. Farmer left this morning for their camp near Swan River where they will be joined tomorrow by Dr. J. S. Kjelland and the party anticipated some great sport

Irvin Burkhardt and Jos. Gebhardt left this morning for their camp near Puposky, north of Bemidji where they will remain till they get their tickets filled.

In addition to this there are several other parties already in the woods having left last Saturday, including the Newbery party, the J. M. Stephens party and others.

A party from Twin Valley stated this morning that there were five camps of hunters near that place, some of them within a mile of the city, and it is reported that there are a large number of deer near there. Recently 5 trotted thru the village and several bunches of from five to ten have been seen in that vicinity.

From all reports the big game hunters will have the best sport they have enjoyed in many years.

LEASED CURRY DAIRY FARM

MAYOR ENGEL AND SONS OF EUCLID TO ENGAGE IN DAIRYING

Mayor Engel spent yesterday in the city. With his three sons he recently leased the Curry farm of 800 acres and bought the Curry herd of 28 dairy cows and a lot of young stock, and will engage in dairying on an extensive scale. The boys have been engaged in the business for several years, one having been employed by Mr. Curry for four years, and they are certain to make a success of their new venture.

CROOKSTON HIGH WAS DEFEATED

FOSSTON TEAM WAS TOO HEAVY AND LOCALS FUMBLED THE BALL

The Crookston High School Football team was defeated at Fosston Saturday by a score of 22 to 0. The locals were outweighed and in addition made some costly fumbles.

The game was umpired by Mr. Clow and refereed by Mr. Friend the well known traveling man.

Married women like to board and pretend to be keeping house.

There's something wrong with a small boy who isn't strenuous.

The amateur plays cards but the professional works them.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Stops the cough and heals lungs

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Historical Society

TARIFF PROBERS HEAR ABOUT SUGAR

Three Wardens Drowned.

Whitehall, Mich., Nov. 17. — All doubt as to the fate of Deputy State Game Warden Julius Salmonson, his brother, Martin Salmonson, and Deputy Sheriff J. C. Hazletine, who went out on White Lake in search of illegally set nets, was settled by the finding Monday of their bodies in the lake near where their overturned boat was found.

EXPERTS IN CIVIC MEET

THREE BODIES IN CONVENTION AT PITTSBURG.

Prominent Men Gather to Discuss Good Laws and Government for American Cities.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 17.—In the presence of a large number of prominent men the fourteenth annual meeting of the National Municipal league, the sixteenth national conference for good city government and the fourth annual meeting of the American Civic association assembled in joint convention in this city Monday.

The program is an important one and many addresses and discussions having for their purpose the adoption of good laws, selection of men of integrity for municipal position, and making American living conditions clean, healthful and attractive will be made before the convention closes Thursday evening with a banquet at the Hotel Schenley.

The first session was formally opened late in the afternoon in the rooms of the Pittsburg chamber of commerce under whose auspices the convention is being held.

Clinton R. Woodruff of Philadelphia, first vice-president and secretary of the American Civic association, read his annual review. He referred to the municipal and civic developments throughout the country from the viewpoint of the National Municipal league and the American Civic association.

Mr. Woodruff referred to Minneapolis, Kansas City, San Francisco, Grand Rapids and other communities as having shown marked advancement. He told of the efficient work being done by the New York bureau of municipal research and the Boston finance commission, similar plans being adopted in other municipalities.

HOT AFTER STAMP ROBBERS.

Two Arrests Reported Made in the South Bend Case.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 17.—Developments in the $18,000 post office robbery of Saturday night indicate that the authorities have secured evidence which is expected to lead to the capture of the entire gang who broke into the post office vault and carried away large quantities of stamps. Although the police and post office inspectors refuse to make statements it is reported two arrests have been made. One of the men alleged to have been taken into custody is known in police circles as "Detroit Whitey." The second man is a stranger here. He was arrested just as he was about to take a Lake Shore train out of the city.

Officer's Bullet Hits Young Woman.

Kankakee, Ill., Nov. 17.—Miss Irene Shields, 20 years old, daughter of J. F. Shields, proprietor of a hotel at the entrance of the Illinois Eastern Insane Hospital grounds, was struck in the neck Monday night by a bullet fired by Deputy Rudolph Nichols at C. C. Foster, a discharged attendant, who had engaged in an altercation with Superintendent J. L. Greene. Foster broke away from the officer after his arrest. The man was recaptured and fined $25 and costs for disorderly conduct. Miss Shields was not seriously injured.

Three Ohio Counties Go Dry.

Columbus, O., Nov. 17.—Three Ohio counties voted dry Monday in local option elections. Muskingum and Tuscarawas were both carried by the temperance forces with majorities exceeding 1,000, and Hancock county by 1,900.

Former Montana Governor Dead.

Kalispell, Mont., Nov. 17.—Former Gov. R. B. Smith died in a hospital here Monday of uremic poisoning.

Anson Flower Seriously Ill.

Watertown, N. Y., Nov. 17.—Anson Flower, head of the banking firm of Flower & Co., New York, and brother of the late Gov. Roswell P. Flower, is seriously ill at his home here.

Read The Journal Wants.

SECRETARY WRIGHT SPEAKS FOR PHILIPPINES.

"TRUST" GETS SOME SLAPS

Allegation Made That It Controls the Price Paid the Grower and the Price Charged the Consumer.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The allegation that the so-called "sugar trust" controls the price paid the grower and the price charged the consumer of sugar, the secretary of war putting himself on record as a champion of free entry for Philippine sugar, and the general "stand pat" attitude of the beet sugar growers who appeared before the ways and means committee of the house, were the features of Monday's hearing on the revision of the tariff as it would affect sugar.

Secretary of War Luke E. Wright and Gen. Clarence Edwards, chief of the insular bureau, were present at the hearing. It was shortly after the afternoon session was begun that Chairman Payne asked Secretary Wright if he cared to make any remarks.

Wright on Philippine Sugar.

"I just heard that the committee was hearing arguments on the tariff on sugar and tobacco, which affects the Philippine islands," said the former governor of the islands. "We are now having an investigation made in the Philippines regarding the cost of production in the islands and other matters relating to the question. From what I have just heard, the principal objection by the beet sugar grower to the admission free of duty of Philippine sugar lies in the danger that their markets will be inundated by the Philippine article.

"It is not possible that the Philippine islands could supply the actual increase in demand for sugar, year by year, in the United States. In that case there is no reason why the Philippine islands should affect the market until the beet and cane sugar produced within the tariff wall increases 1,800,000 tons. Before the beet sugar industry is in the slightest danger it must increase from 440,000 tons annually to 2,100,000 tons, and from annual reports it would take 50 years to do this. I can't see how it would affect the domestic product if Philippine sugar were placed for a time on the free list."

Half Way Measure Suggested.

Chairman Payne indicated that the possible action of the committee with regard to the sugar schedule would be to recommend that a certain amount of Philippine sugar be admitted free of duty each year, and that the present tariff be imposed on any above that amount. He told Secretary Wright that the menace, if any, was from the Cuban sugar, which enjoys a reduction in the tariff of 20 per cent. He also intimated that the question of Philip-

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DEMOCRAT FUND SHORT

Not Enough to Pay Expenses—Mack Will Make Deficit Good.

New York, Nov. 17.—The contributions of the Democratic national committee during the presidential campaign recently ended were not sufficient to meet the expenses of the campaign, according to Norman E. Mack, chairman of the committee. Mr. Mack said Monday that he would make the deficit good out of his own pocket and that he would regard it as a personal obligation to see that every bill was paid. A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the committee will be filed with the secretary of the state at Albany on November 24.

To a reporter who asked Mr. Mack who was going to pay for the maintenance of permanent Democratic headquarters which are to be opened soon, either in Washington or New York, Mr. Mack said:

"The Democratic party of the United States is going to pay for it. I have had offers from every state in the union to contribute to a fund for the purpose."

If you Are Over Fifty Read This

Most people past middle age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders which Foley's Kidney Remedy would cure. Stop the drain on the vitality and restore needed strength and vigor. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. Sold by all druggists.

RAILS IN WARROAD BY SATURDAY NIGHT

From Wednesday's Daily—

The fine weather has permitted of wonderful progress on the Great Northern extension from Greenbush to Warroad. The rails are now within miles of Warroad and will be laid to that city by Saturday night next.

In addition there will be four miles of tracks laid in the Warroad yards as there will be a large amount of traffic to be handled from that point.

There are now five train crews laying rails and ballasting, the gravel pit being located but two miles from Roseau and three train crews make their headquarters at that place all the time.

It is predicted now that with fair weather the ballasting will be completed and the road ready for general traffic by Dec. 10, which will make the completion of the extension a record breaker for fast work.

The trainmen report that the reception extended them at every point by the people of Roseau county was of a most hearty and enthusiastic nature. At Badger they were met by a brass band, were furnished with a barrel of apples, scores of baskets of grapes and several other varieties of refreshments in barrels, kegs and bottles, and the same thing was repeated at Roseau.

At Warroad great precautions are being made for the reception of the train crews when they enter that city and there will be doings that will be remembered for some time past. Conductor Austin and Brakeman Lee of this city, it is understood are camping on the spur three miles this side of Warroad and will be there when the band plays.

DAMAGE SUIT STARTED FOR SUM OF $10,000

Papers have been served in the damage suit of Chas Alexander against James Bulman in which the plaintiff asks $10,000 damages for defamation of character.

Both parties to the suit are residents of Thief River Falls and the case will be tried at Red Lake Falls. Alexander is a scaler for the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., and Bulman is a logger who did work under contract for the same firm.

The complaint alleges that on Nov. 4th at Thief River Falls Bulman applied some unprintable epithets to Alexander repeatedly and also alleged that Alexander had beat him out of $3,000 on logging contracts.

The complaint also alleges that Bulman had stated before witnesses that Alexander had told D. N. Winton, the manager of the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., that it did not make any difference how much salary was paid him (Alexandar) as he would more than make it up out of the loggers when he scaled what they banked.

For all of which Alexander claims that he has been damaged to the extent of $10,000 and as Bulman is very wealthy the suit is attracting very widespread attention.

BIG BOOST FOR VALLEY LAND

DONALDSON BUSINESS MAN RECEIVED DOUBLE INCOME FROM VALLEY LAND

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Peter McEnroe, a prominent farmer and horse dealer of Donaldson spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters. Mr. McEnroe is one of the best boosters for the Red River Valley in this section and as he was a former resident of Iowa what he says has peculiar significance. In a statement to the Journal he said:

"Red River Valley lands are selling for far less than they are really worth. I am not in the land business but nevertheless I know what I am talking about from personal experience.

"We own a section of land in Iowa and also own a section of land near Donaldson and the net income from the Doaldson section is double what we receive from the Iowa land.

"Our Iowa land is worth from $80 to $90 per acre and we could dispose of it for that figure at any time. Why should the Donaldson land not be worth more?

"There is but one reason. The people have not awakened to the real value of Red River Valley soil. When they do you will see a jump in real estate values in this section that will be surprising."

This is one of the best arguments ever advanced that Valley lands are bound to take a jump skywards within the very near future. When the tide starts this way in earnest, and the advance guard is now here, there will certainly be something doing.

GONYEA BOYS GO TO TWIN FALLS

Sheriff Louis Gonyea and son Louis left last evening for St. Paul and Minneapolis where they will purchase a complete billiard and pool hall outfit for a swell place which Gonyea Brothers will open up in Twin Falls, Idaho in the near future.

Sheriff Gonyea made a trip to Twin Falls a short time ago looking over the ground, and the boys will be started in business there as the opening is considered a very good one. The many friends of the young men will sincerely regret they are to leave Crookston as they all grew to manhood in this city and have a host of friends.

STOCK LOST IN CANADA

A MEDICINE HAT RANCHER HAS TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE WITH STOCK LOST IN STORM

From Monday's Daily—.

A harrowing story is brought from Medicine Hat, Canada, by a traveling man. It appears that as the C. P. R. would not guarantee him thirty cars for any specified date for the shipment of his beef, L. H. Pruitt trailed 300 of his tops to Chinook for shipment over the Great Northern to the Chicago markets. He returned and has a harrowing tale to tell of the hardships endured. He ordered the necessary cars by wire and while enroute with the cattle drove on ahead to Havre to make sure there would be no disappointment as he did not wish to hold the animals at Chinook for any length of time. On receiving assurance that everything would be ready for him he started to return to the round-up and was caught in the big storm. Pushing on to the camp he found of the entire bunch only forty-nine were insight, the rest having drifted away before the wind.

The horses had also got away and there were but two available. Taking these and leaving his own team at the camp, Mr. Pruitt went back over the trail to the last fence and rode up and down this for a distance of sixty miles for several days, at the expiration of which time he found the missing animals and herded them back to camp and again got under headway for Chinook.

He was six days late but the cars had been held for him and loading was carried on with celerity that in two hours after his arrival his cattle were in the cars and the train had started. A sheep country eaten bare had to be crossed before Chinook was reached, and for five days the cattle were without feed but notwithstanding this fact Mr. Pruitt was able to make a good sale in Chicago, realizing $5.60 for the first cut. The transportation charges amounted to $7.80 per head, and before placing the beef on the market $70 worth of hay was fed to them in Chicago.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by All Druggists.

PISTOL BULLET IS REMOVED FROM HENEY

POLICE SWARM ABOUT COURT WHEN CASE IS RESUMED.

ALL WHO ENTER SEARCHED

Volunteer Assistant Prosecutors Are on Hand—Haas' Bullet Is Removed from Francis J. Heney's Jaw.

San Francisco, California, Nov. 17—Never before in the history of this city had such extensive police precautions been taken to safeguard a court of justice as when Ruef was brought to the bar of Judge Lawler's court. Ten policemen on foot and six mounted men were on guard in front of the courtroom and the streets for a block on either side of the building were patrolled by uniformed police.

Every one Carefully Searched.

Every person entering the building was closely scrutinized and many were stopped half a dozen times before reaching the entrance. In the corridors were stationed six policemen and inside the courtroom half a dozen detectives were placed. Behind the tables of the counsel and in front of the press table sat four more detectives.

In the court were gathered prominent business men, ministers of the Gospel, members of the organization known as the Citizens' League of Justice, and a few women. The balconies above the main floor on both sides of the hall were empty, no one being allowed upstairs.

Abraham Ruef was the first of those directly connected with the trial to arrive, with five policemen and five deputy sheriffs riding inside the van with him and escorted by five mounted policemen.

A few minutes later, Assistant District Attorney John O'Gara, who has been Mr. Heney's assistant in recent trials, came in and took the place of Mr. Heney where he was shot on Friday. Joseph J. Dwyer, one of the three attorneys who had volunteered to take up the prosecution of Ruef where it was so tragically broken off, was followed by Matthew Sullivan and Hiram Johnson, the other two lawyers who will assist the district attorney's office.

Bullet Removed from Heney.

Mr. Heney underwent an operation Monday for the removal of the bullet which had lodged in the left lower maxillary. The operation was in every way successful and at the hospital it is stated that Mr. Heney's condition is satisfactory, with no signs of complications that will hinder his recovery.

Mrs. Heney, who has been most devoted to her husband, remained at the hospital during the operation, several friends and relatives keeping watch with her. She expressed great relief when the successful outcome of the work of the doctors was made known to her and resumed her place at her husband's side to personally superintend the nursing.

ENGINE BLOWS UP

Two Trainmen Killed and Two Injured in Missouri.

Hayti, Mo., Nov. 17.—Two trainmen are dead and two injured as the result of the explosion of a 'Frisco freight engine here early Monday morning. The dead are: Fred Bossler, brakeman, and H. C. Brock, fireman.

So violent was the explosion that Conductor Hathaway was blown into a forest 300 feet away and Engineer Frissell was blown half that distance. Brakeman Bossler was buried under the wreckage and killed instantly, and Fireman Brock was so seriously injured that he died later.

Lumber Cut of Northwest.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 17.—With practically all the mills of the northwest closed down for the season, J. E. Rhodes, secretary of the Northern Pine Manufacturers' association, stated Monday that he would estimate the lumber cut of the northwest from 10 to 15 per cent. below what it was at the close of last season. The total lumber cut last year was 2,500,000,000 feet.

Son for Duchess de Chaulnes.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The Duchess de Chaulnes, who formerly was Miss Theodora Shonts of New York, gave birth to a son at her home here Monday.

It isn't safe to judge by appearan The man who acts ferocious ab may be as meek as a lamb at hom

Urges Leniency for Connor.

Washington, Nov. 17.—In the case of the court-martial of Midshipman Edward H. Connor, who pleaded guilty to drunkenness while with the battleship fleet in Australia, Acting Secretary Newberry has recommended to the president that he be given a conditional pardon and that he be placed at the foot of his class, if on examination he is given a commission.

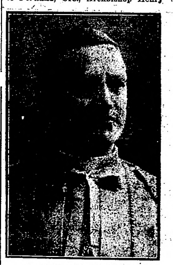
CATHOLIC MISSIONS

LEADING CATHOLICS DISCUSS THEM AT CHICAGO.

Impressive Scene at First Business Session of Convention of Prelates and Laymen.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Prelates, priests and laymen from all parts of the United States and Canada Monday began their three days' work in the epochmaking first American Catholic congress at the First Regiment armory, under the guidance of Archbishop Diomede Falconio, the apostolic delegate, and Archbishop James Edward Quigley. The scene at the armory was brilliant and impressive when the members of the Catholic church hierarchy, priests and laymen took their places to begin the deliberations. Papal colors, blended with the stars and stripes, and the purple hues of the prelates' robes with those of other flags were seen throughout the hall.

The papal delegate sat upon a special episcopal chair, and Archbishop Quigley, Archbishop Sebastian G. Messmer, D. D., of Milwaukee, Archbishop James H. Blenk of New Orleans, Archbishop Alexander Christie of Portland, Ore., Archbishop Henry Moeller of Cincinnati and the 85 bishops and monsignores occupied special seats of honor in accordance with their rank in the Catholic church hierarchy.



Archbishop Diomede Falconio.

With the blessing of Pope Pius X. and prayers of prelates, priests and laymen throughout the world for the success of the deliberations, the delegates settled down to the labors which are to affect the missionary work and movements both at home and in foreign countries of the American Catholics.

Archbishop Quigley, who is the sponsor and originator of the gathering, was at the helm in charge of the gathering at its first session Monday, and his address of welcome was the first address of the day's proceedings. Following the welcome Archbishop Falconio was on the program to speak and after him Attorney William J. Hynes, on behalf of the Catholic laity of America, as the first lay speaker of the gathering.

Body Found; Murder Suspected.

Millville, N. J., Nov. 17.—The body of an unidentified man about sixty years old, was found Monday in a clump of bushes in this place, under circumstances leading to a suspicion of murder. The right half of the man's head had been blown off and at his side lay a shotgun with one barrel discharged.

Ex-Cashier Accused.

Edwardsville, Ill., Nov. 17.—C. W. Burton, former cashier of the Tri-City State bank of Madison, Ill., gave bond here Monday in the sum of $1,000 to answer an indictment charging embezzlement found against him by the grand jury of Madison county. The indictment names $3,384.61 as the sum.

MUSKRATS PREDICT COLD

BUILD BIG HOUSES ACCORDING TO PEOPLE WHO HAVE VISITED

HAUNTS— DEEP SNOW SIGNS — BETTER FILL YOUR COAL BINS

The present condition of the weather has brought out many prognostications as to what the coming winter will be and from the majority of the predictions one is inclined to believe that there will be a long, cold winter Nearly every person has some special sign on which to base his prognostications but there are not a few that make the cold weather prediction simply because they are pessimistic.

However there are sure signs in nature which if one knows how to interpret them give a good indication of the coming state of the weather in a general way and it is from nature that the old timers and woodsmen make the prediction of a cold winter. The main thing from which they take their information is from the muskrat and this little animal this year has in his own way made the statement to those acquainted with him that the coming winter will be a severe one. People coming from their haunts state that this fall they have built very large and warm houses in which to spend the winter and this is taken as an infallible omen. Last fall it was noted that the little animals did not build to amount to anything and in many cases did not erect houses at all. It was then that the old timers made the statement that the winter would be a mild one, which proved to be the case.

This fall the red squirrels have heaped up large piles of cones, acorns and nuts and the forks of branches and the holes in the bark may be found wedged full of the winter food stored for the coming cold season when the ground will be covered with snow, which, by these signs, it is predicted will be very deep.

There are hundreds of other indications of a cold winter and all acquainted with the wild animals and birds and their great instinct as to knowing what the future state of the weather will be. all stated that this winter will be a very cold and stormy one.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.

CROOKSTON, MINN.

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SUIT STARTED AGAINST BANK

FARMERS' ELEVATOR COMPANY CLAIMS AMOUNT OF SHORTAGE IN ITS ACCOUNT

ALLEGES THAT EMERADO INSTITUTION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS SUSTAINED

A suit that is an outgrowth of the sensational suicide of John Hempstad of Emerado has been filed in the district court at Grand Forks by the Farmers' Elevator company vs. Farmers' State Bank of Emerado. The suit is brought to recover $2,500 claimed to be due the elevator company. According to the elevator company's accounts there should have been a balance of $2,500 in the bank to the credit of the company at the time Hempstad committed suicide. He was treasurer of the elevator company and cashier of the bank. The bank has put in a counter claim for $3,200 charging that the elevator company is responsible for the defalications of Hempstad The total amount of his shortage was about $6,000.

The question of who is responsible for the fraudulent checks issued must be decided in the suit. If the bank is responsible the plaintiff will win the suit.

SHERACK

Mr. G. H. Horn transacted business at Grand Forks one day last week.

Mr. Louis Giese and sister Miss Emma called on the Horn family last Thursday evening.

Mr. Saul Byington and sister Miss Julia drove out here from Euclid a week ago last Sunday and visited with the Horn family and also attended the party at the Giese home in the evening.

Mrs. L. Osterloh and Miss Anna Sirek drove to Angus one day last week to do some shopping.

A number of young folks from this vicinity attended the Ghost social at Tabor last Saturday. All report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vavrina and family drove to Grand Forks last Saturday returning home Monday.

Messrs William and Daniel McDonald and the Misses Amelia and Margaret McDonald enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn and family last Sunday evening.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann drove to Angus one day last week on important business.

Miss Louise Tiedemenn left one day last week for North Dakota where she will enjoy a few weeks' visit with her sister Mrs. Will Wallace who is living out there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh of Angus last Sunday.

Messrs. Henry, Louis, Adolph and Edward Giese and sister Miss Lucy left last Tuesday for Grand Forks. The boys will again attend school while their sister will keep house for them the coming winter.

Mr. J. Goodwin of Angus called on Mr. G. H. Horn last Monday.

Messrs Henry Tiedemann and Elois Beadel were welcome vicitors at the Kotek home last Sunday evening.

Miss Helen Riedesel returned to her school duties at South Euclid Monday morning after spending Sunday with her parents in the city.

Mr. August Behelke left last Monday for his home at Bemidji after spending a few weeks with friends and relatives here.

Miss Julia Bylngton is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Elois Beadle who has been working for Mr. B. Tiedemann the past summer will soon leave for Oklahoma where he will spend the winter with relatives there. During his short stay he has made many friends here who regret his departure.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese left last Saturday for Red Lake Falls where they will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Messrs. J. W. Baars, Henry Tiedemann, Elois Beadle and Albert Horn called at the Giese home last Monday evening. There were some very fine selections rendered from the organ from which Mr. Baars received the praise of all those present.

Mr. Adolph Horn and Arthur Arnold drove to Tabor last Saturday evening.

There was never a time when it was not discreditable for a legislator to accept the money of a client for protesting against legislation which that client considered adverse; there was never a time when it was not discreditable, and more than discreditable, for a United States senator to take a corporation's money for opposing, whether in congress or in the legislature of his state, bills which that corporation disliked.—Providence Journal.

FERGUS FALLS DISTRICT COURT

CHAS PESONEN GETS A YEAR AND A HALF AT STILLWATER—STROMBERG

WINS LAND CASE—OTHER MINOR CASES ARE ON THE CALENDAR

From Saturday's Daily—

Chas. Pesonen, who was charged with stealing a horse and buggy from Oskar Maki, near New York Mills, plead guilty in the district court at Fergus Falls Friday morning and was sentenced to spend a year and a half in the state's prison at Stillwater. Mr. Pesonen stoped over night with Mr. Maki and disappeared in the early morning, taking his host's horse and buggy and leaving his own rig in its stead.

The case of Johanna Severson vs. John A. N. Stromberg, went to the jury early Thursday forenoon, and the jurors reported at noon that they could not agree but late in the evening, brought in a verdict for the defendant. This case has been tried twice, the plaintiff winning the first time. Defendant paid up the costs and called for a new trial. The action involves the question of title to an acre or two of land along the lake shore in Clitherall. One party claims it by adverse possession and the other by purchase.

The trespass case against Ole Larson will probably go to the jury this afternoon, and the case of Nils Hanson et al vs. Swan Johnson, will be the next called.

The case of P. Lier vs. Lars O. Bratvild has been settled.

EUROPE BUYS NORTHWEST WHEAT

SITUATION IN ARGENTINA TURNS FOREIGN EYES THIS WAY

Germany bought Minnesota and Dakota wheat today for shipment to Hamburg. There was much secrecy about the business. It was finally learned that the Ames-Brooks company of Duluth sold it. Five boatloads—meaning canal boat measurement — equals about 40,000 bushels. This is a trival quantity considering the mammoth proportions of the grain trade as a whole. Significance attaches not to quantity but to the fact that continental Europe should buy here at this time.

Dreyfus of Paris and Smythe of Liverpool big European importers, were buyers. But they sent their orders to Winnipeg. Minneapolis does not compete for export wheat business, as the mills there grind the grain and export the flour.

The World Situation

The world's wheat situation is interesting. The world raised in 1906 the total of 3,414,000,000 bushels. Last year it fell to 3,062,000,000. This year it started out with a promise of about 3,270,000,000 bushels, which, while still below the crop of 1906 would be 208,000,000 in excess of last year.

In such a calculation the United States, with 48,000,000 or 49,000,000 acres ordinarily sown to spring and winter wheat might be expected to produce close to 700,000,000 bushels and Argentina that far off South American competitor, with 15,500,000 to 16,000,000 acres practically all winter wheat, might be expected to raise well over 200,000,000 bushels.

But the United States winter wheat area—as result of dry weather promises now to be 4,000,000 acres less than the average, and in Argentina, where wheat is harvested in December and January, frost damaged the crop in places and in the south there is now a severe drought.

Londan Liverpool, Hamburg and Antwerp grain importers, fearing they may not get enough wheat from Argentina are looking this way.

Should conditions improve in Argentina the European interest in the United States might subside. Should Argentina really suffer serious losses a condition unlike anything for some years might develop a condition in which Minneapolis would have a keen interest because of the large production of wheat in country tributary and the grain price as a prosperity index.

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GREAT MARKET DAY PLANS

COMMITTEE ENDEAVORING TO MAKE THE DAY BIGGEST SUCCESS

WHICH HAS YET BEEN SCORED—DAY OF PROFIT AND PLEASURE

From Friday's Daily—

Great interest is being aroused in Crookston's fourth Market Day which will take place on Saturday, November, 21, and there is no doubt but that it will prove the most successful event in the history of the city. The first three days proved that the Market Day was an institution of great value to both the residents of the country districts and to the city's business men, inasmuch as it afforded an opportunity for them to become mutually acquainted and has placed them on a more friendly basis.

Good Market Point

The Market Days have demonstrated to the farmer that Crookston is their most profitable market point, both for selling and buying and while in the past they have thought the benefits were all in favor of the city business men, they have been taught that the benefits are mutual. This is one of the reasons why they have responded to the invitations to participate in past Market Days, and this is the reason why they will be expected to flock into the city in large numbers on the fourth Market Day.

A Free Auction

On each successive Market Day the committee in charge of the arrangements, appointed by the 25,000 Commercial Club, has planned to hold a large auction sale. It is realized that the farmers accumulate many things in the course of the year for which they have no further use and so the auction was established to give them an opportunity to dispose of these things. In addition every farmer has many products that he desires to find a market for, consequently the auction will appeal to him.

The Farmer Profits

The business men in establishing the auction sale have placed it absolutely on the free basis, so that every farmer may secure the total amount which his property brings nothing being deducted for expenses. The committee provides the services of an auctioneer, a clerk and a sale place and they pay all the expenses attending this service so that the farmers do not have to make an outlay for a single thing connected with the sale.

Place of Sale

The sale next week will take place at 2:30 o'clock on Market Day on Third street, between Broadway and Main streets, and will continue as long as there is anything to sell. Each successive Market Day auction sale has been larger than the previous one and there is no reason to doubt but that the coming sale will be a record breaker. Every farmer should realize that this sale affords him an opportunity of selling for cash at the largest price, the things he desires to get rid of and he should make use of the opportunity freely.

Enjoyable Features

The committee in charge of the plans for the coming Market Day has made arrangements again to give their guests the opportunity of taking in the vaudeville and moving picture houses and the management has promised something out of the ordinary for Market Day afternoon. By applying to the committee during the lunch hour every visitor will be given a ticket which will give him free admittance.

Last Market Day proved that this species of entertainment was enjoyed by the visitors and thruout the afternoon they kept the popular amusement halls crowded. It is anticipated that the coming event will also prove the shows to be most attractive and it is anticipated that they will receive record crowds for all their performances. Every farmer and every member of his family can take in these entertainments without cost by obtaining a free ticket from the committee in charge.

A Free Lunch

At noon every visitor in the city will be expected to take lunch with the business men of Crookston in the G. A. R. Hall on South Main street. This will give you an opportunity to become acquainted with one another and also with the people of Crookston The ladies and the children will be given a chance to rest and get ready for sightseeing during the afternoon. Ladies will be in charge of the lunch and they will make every effort to make the noon hour pleasant agreeable and comfortable for all who attend the lunch. There is no reason why fully a thousand visitors should not partake of this hospitality provided by the business men of the city.

This feature of the program should be of the greatest interest to every farmer of Polk county and he should see to it that he keeps this day open so that he can journey to the county seat and bring with him every member of his family.

"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hard-workers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good". simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

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THEIVES ARE BUSY

BAD GANG APPEARS TO BE AT WORK IN THE GRANARIES IN THE

VICINITY OF HENNING — HEN COOPS ALSO ARE BEING ROBBED

From Saturday's Daily—

The annual expedition of the night thieves have begun near Henning, only this season they have become more bold and are carrying off more booty and tackling anything from a chicken coop to a 2,000 pound Cary safe. Among the losers by these night prowlers this fall are: Martin Johnson, 60 bushels barley; Oscar Bjorklund 129 bushels of grain, both of the town of Henning; Mr. Trana, Folden, 60 bushels wheat; C. G. Hipple, Henning village 25 chickens.

SHORT TERM IS PROMISED

FEDERAL COURT TERM AT FERGUS HAS BUT FEW CASES TO SETTLE

L. D. FOSKETT CASE CONTINUED —U. S. MARSHAL RIDER HERE THIS MORNING

Deputy U. S. Marshal Rider was in the city over night and left this morning for Lengby to summon witnesses for the term of Federal Court which will convene in Fergus Falls Nov. 20 He had just returned from a trip thru Marshall and Kittson counties on a similar mission.

There were seven cases in all, and it was a question whether any of them would come to trial, the understanding being that if none were to be tried, the petit jurors would be notified that they need not appear.

District Attorney Houpt stated that the grand jury would probably have a few indictments to return, but that the cases would be continued over the term and that there would be no criminal trials until spring.

The call of the civil calendar was then taken up. The first case was that of the United States against Arthur W. Mitton and it was passed the attorneys stating that a proposition looking to a settlement was under consideration.

The next case was that of the United States vs. the Backus Brooks Lumber Company a timber trespass case. It was continued.

The third was that of L. D. Foskett of Crookston administrator of the estate of Herman Aalman, deceased, vs. the Northern Pacific a damage suit. It was continued.

The next was the case of Ivar Wallin vs. the Duluth Elevator Co., a personal injury damage suit. It was set for trial.

The case of Arthur B. Church, administrator, vs. the Northern Pacific Railway Co., was announced as probably settled.

The case of Wright Works who was injured by falling into a coal pit at Dilworth, against the same company was also announced as settled.

The case of eGorge A. Post vs. the Northern Pacific another personal injury case was also announced for trial altho there seemed to be some doubt as to whether it would be tried.

With two cases set for trial, the jurors will be on hand, and the term will open for the trial of cases on the 20th.

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FISH HAVE INCREASED

WHITEFISH IN INLAND LAKES HAVE MULTIPLIED RAPIDLY

NETTING SEASON IS ON AND GOOD CATCHES ARE EXPECTED

The season allowed by law for netting whitefish in the inland lakes of Minnesota opened Tuesday, and there is every prospect that this year's fishing will be better than for many years past.

Reports from those who are posted in the matter state that the whitefish have multiplied greatly in the lakes of Beltrami and adjoining counties, and that the quality of the fish are better than those shipped in from lake points.

The favorite grounds for fishing whitefish and trellips are Lake Bemidji, Lake Plantaganet and all of the rivers and deeper lakes in the vicinity of Bemidji.

Fishermen who net for whitefish and trellips secure enough fish with a few mornings' haul of the net to last them the entire winter. Most of the fishermen either salt or smoke their fish but a number freeze them solid, thawing out the fish as they are needed.

SCHOOLS CLOSED

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH ORDERS SUSPENSION OF PUBLIC MEETINGS

IN THE TOWN OF PERHAM ON ACCOUNT OF SCARLETINA

A telegram received from the state board of health, ordered the Perham board to close all schools, churches and public gatherings in Perham until the scarletina pestilence had been wiped out. The order went into effect yesterday noon.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST ELEVATOR

PLANS FOR CONSTRUCTION AT FORT WILLIAM FORMULATED

Arrangements have been made in Minneapolis for the erection of the largest elevator ever constructed. It is to be built at Fort William, Ont., for the Grand Pacific Elevator company, and will cost, when completed, $1,250,000. James Stewart & Co., general contractors of Chicago, are to do the work.

The negotiations which resulted in arrangements for the erection of the big elevator were conducted at the offices of the Peavey Elevator Company, W. R. Sinks, general manager of Stewart & Co., and formerly with the Barnett & Record company of Minneapolis, and R. H. Folwell son of former president Folwell of the state university, who is engineer for Stewart & Co., represented the Chicago concern. Wheat from the fields of the Canadian Northwest will be housed in the elevator, which will be one of the most complete and up to date structures of the kind to be found anywhere.

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IN HONOR OF GOV. JOHNSON

GREAT CELEBRATION IS IN PROGRESS AT ST. PETER TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH THE THIRD SECCESSIVE TRIUMPH OF GOV. JOHN A. JOHNSON — SPECIAL TRAINS WERE RUN FROM THE TWINS CITIES AND FROM MANY OTHER PLACES—LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR EBERHARDT AND CONGRESMAN C. R. DAVIS WERE AMONG THE SPEAKERS

From Thursday's Daily—

Several thousand Minnesota democrats are attending the big Johnson celebration at St. Peter today when the governor's friends gathered in his home town to celebrate his third successive triumph in the state, and to start the big noise for 1912.

A committee of St. Peter business men has been in the twin cities making arrangements and one special train has been put on, which left the Minneapolis union station at 10 a. m. This and the regular trains carried big delegations from the twin cities and specials were run into St. Peter from all other directions. This afternoon there was a military parade, also a big civic parade. There will be a torchlight parade, speeches from open air stands, fireworks, bands galore and a meeting at the opera house for all who can get in. It is to be a nonpartisan affair, and among the speakers announced are Lieutenant Governor Eberhardt and Congressman C. R. Davis.

THE UNNECESSARY WASTE FROM FIRE

F. W. Fitzpatrick, formerly a resident of Duluth, contributes to the November McClure's magazine a startling array of facts and figures about the unnecessary havoc created in this country every year by fires. Mr. Fitzpatrick has probably given this situation more consideration than any other man in the country and his articles many of which The Herald has published, have made him a recognized authority upon the subject.

Says he in McClure's: "The cost of fire and its accessories in round numbers, is just about an even $600,000,000 a year. It may be but a peculiar coincidence, or perhaps it is an unconscious economic adjustment that with our phenomenal growth and the tremendous boom and vast amount of building carried on in some years, the most active year we ever had in building construction produced just $615,000,000 worth of new buildings and alterations during the twelve months. So that with all our vaunted activity we produce in money value only a trifle more than what we destroy by fire. In the first month of the present year our fire losses were over $24,000.000 and during the same time we spent but $16,000,000 in new buildings and repairs. Our average fire loss is $19,000,000 a month.

"Apart from any incidental or accompanying expense, the cost of fire, of actual combustion and destruction of property in this country, is equivalent to a tax of $2.30 per capita per year; in all of Europe the average corresponding tax is a trifle less than 33 cents per capita. In Italy is is 12 cents; in Geramany 49 cents; in thirty foreign cities the average is 61 cents while in 252 American cities it is $3.10 We have 4.05 fires for each thousand people; Europe has .86 fires per thousand. New York City has 12,182 fires a year with a fire loss of $7,568,666, Her department costs her $10,000,000 a year, and it is estimated that the cost of public and private protection amounts to pretty nearly $60,000,000 a year. Now in all of London there are 3,843 fires in a year, and in the whole of the British Kingdom in the same period there were but 35 fires of over $50,000 cost each, and all of these 35 fires cost but $3,785,000."

While figures of money cost seem to attract more attention, Mr. Fitzpatrick shows that fires have cost us as many as 7,000 lives in a year. The production of gold in the entire world something like $400,000,000 a year, would not recoup this country for its fire losses and the incidental expenses accompanying them in the same period of time. The value of all the coal mined in the country would just cover the cost of our fires, and the value of the lumber production is only a little more.

Perhaps, ifwe do not set about it sooner, our fire losses will begin to decrease when our lumber supply is exhausted, and we can no longer build with inflammable materials—unless, perchance, we then begin building with straw.

SMITH CONVICTED IN SHORT ORDER

FIRST VERDICT IN THE DISTRICT COURT FAVORS THE STATE

After considering the case a comparatively short time, the jury in the case of the state against James Smith at Fargo charged with robbery returned a verdict last evening at 7 o'clock, finding the man guilty as charged in the information.

Smith is the man who held up Fred Gerber near First street and Fourth avenue north recently. Altho only 35 cents were taken from Gerber the defendant now faces a term in the pen. The amount cuts no figure whatever.

The case was prosecuted by Asst. State's Atty. Richardson while B. G Tenneson was appointed to defend Smith.

ROY MORAN IS GIVEN FREEDOM

Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels returned last evening from East Grand Forks where he went with Roy Moran who was arrested in Minneapolis charged with stealing a diamond and various other crimes in East Grand Forks. Moran had a hearing before Judge Sullivan and was dismissed, there not being sufficient evidence on which to bind him over to the grand jury.

Winter blasts, causing pneumonia, pleurisy and consumption will soon be here. Cure your cough now, and strengthen your lungs with Foley's Honey and Tar. Do not risk starting the winter with weak lungs, when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure the most obstinate coughs and colds, and prevent serious results. Sold by all Druggists.

FARMER ENDED HIS OWN LIFE

HOMESTEADER NEAR BAGLEY SHUFFLED OFF MORTAL COIL

BODY WAS FOUND YESTERDAY —LIFE HAD BEEN EXTINCT FOR SOME TIME

From Friday's Daily—

Halvor Jenson, a homesteader residing about 7 miles south of Bagley was found yesterday morning cold in death, hanging in a shed adjoining a stable where he had undoubtedly committed suicide.

From all indications he had been dead for several days. The body was found by neighbors who, not having seen Jenson for a few days wondered what was the matter. They made a search and discovered his remains. They were taken in charge by the county authorities and will be buried tomorrow.

Jenson was single and has no relatives in this section as far as is known. There is no known reason for his rash act and it is supposed that he became temporarily insane.

DYNAMITE FOR FIREWOOD

MRS. ARTHUR EGLEY HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH THIS NOON

CAME NEAR PUTTING STICK OF DYNAMITE IN THE COOK STOVE

From Friday's Daily—

Mrs. Arthur Egley came very near to meeting a horrible death at noon today when she was putting some in the stove. It happened that in gathering up the wood she also got hold of a stick of dynamite and was just on the point of puting it in the stove when she noticed it

A second more and there is no question but what she would have been killed and the house would have been blown to atoms. There was a considerable quantity of dynamite left near the house by former occupants but it was supposed that all of it had been removed prior to this time.

The escape is one of the most sensational recorded in this section.

HACKENSACK SAFE IS BLOWN

From Thursday's Daily—

C. A. Palmer, agent for the Minnesota & International railway company at Hackensack, telegraphed from that place this morning that the safe in the depot at Hackensack had been blown some time between 9:30 last night and 7 o'clock this morning and that $18.22 of the company's money, and $85.52 belonging to the Northern Express company had been taken; and further that nothing else of importance was gone from the depot.

When Palmer was asked if he had any idea who had committed the theft who the burglars were, or where they had gone, he answered that no one knew anything further than he had telegraphed.

Nothing further could be ascertained as to the robbery and it is presumed that the robbers forced an entrance to the depot while the agent was sleeping in another part of the town, and they were not interfered with by anyone before they had taken all the money that was in the building. That they made their escape is certain.

NEW MAHNOMEN COUNTY OFFICERS

The result of the county election in Mahnomen county is as follows:

Auditor—Alfred Aamoth.
Treasurer—A. J. Anderson.
Register—J. H. Sullivan.
Sheriff—T. H Blanchard.
Judge of Probate—Albert O. Vacbon
Attorney—J. T. Van Metre.
Surveyor—Charles E. Leith.
Supt.—Mina Madison.
Clerk of Court—Martin Bowman.
Coroner—H. W. Hicks.

Genius is said to be a certain form of madness, but the madness of most people is more or less uncertain.

The largest sinking fund in the world is represented by the money lost in the sea.

Godfried Wagner And Family Are Cremated

Former Residents Near Crookston Are Victims Of Terrible Forest Fire In Wisconsin.

From Friday's Daily—

Many friends in this city will be shocked to learn that Godfried Wagner with his wife and children were all cremated in a great forest fire near Sheboygan, Wisconsin a few days ago.

The details of the horrible affair have not yet been received but a telegram received was to the effect that they were all burned to death while on a farm near Sheboygan where they had located after leaving this section of the country.

Godfried Wagner and family formerly lived on the Walter Latta farm in the town of Fanny and left here four years ago for their new home in Wisconsin where they have lived ever since.

From what can be learned the family were burned at night. A fierce forest fire, fanned by a tremendous wind swept down upon them in the night, and before they were aware of what the trouble was all hope was gone and they were consumed in their home with all their belongings.

SOO'S MOTION IS OVERRULED

JUDGE MORRIS DECLINES TO DISMISS ACTION WHEN PLAINTIFF CLOSES

PLAINTIFF SEEKS DAMAGES FOR ILL HEALTH RESULTING FROM COLD COACH

Judge Page Morris yesterday at Grand Forks afternoon overruled the motion of the defense for a directed verdict in the case of John Bystrom vs. Soo railway company in which plaintiff seeks damages in the sum of $5,000. The motion was made after the plaintiff had rested his case. Bystrom was a passenger on a Soo passenger train, on his way from Rhinelander, Wis., to Portal, N. D., At a point about five miles from Enderlin the train was stalled and the engine was disconnected, there was no heat for five hours. The plaintiff had to wrap his overcoat around his children to keep them from freezing and he sustained a severe cold, which resulted in lumbago and muscular rheumatism of the back. This ailment is permanent he believes.

After the motion to dismiss was overruled a conductor on the Soo line testified in behalf of the company.

Geo. A. Bangs and W. J. Mayer are plaintiff's attorneys and Young & Lawrence appear for the defendant.

Case Is Dismissed

In the case of Hulda Smith vs. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, in which she sought $5,015 damages for being put off at Red Wing and being obliged to remain in the cold depot for hours, the court yesterday forenoon directed a verdict in favor of the defendant. A motion was made by the defendant's attorney at the close of the case of the plaintiff.

ROBT. KOLSETH WAS SULLEN

HE REFUSED TO TALK WHEN RETURNED TO RED LAKE FALLS

SHERIFF NELSON TOOK YOUNG CROOK IN CHARGE THIS MORNING

From Thursday's Daily—

Sheriff Nelson arrived from Red Lake county last evening and this morning returned to Red Lake Falls with Robert Kolseth, the young man who some weeks ago stole a team from his uncle, Hans Kolseth near Thief River Falls and drove them to this city and sold them for $100 to LePalm and McKinney ditch contractors near Euclid.

The team was recovered by the owner, and Kolseth was arrested on a Soo train a few days later, north of Thief River Falls, and lodged in jail at Red Lake Falls. He succeeded in breaking jail a few days later however, and decamped for Canada, where he remained till Monday evening when he arrived in Crookston and proceeded to accumulate a jag and then bragged about what he had done.

Contractor McKinney happened to be within hearing and promptly held the fellow till Policeman Nelson was summoned and took him in custody. The sheriff of Red Lake County was communicated with and phoned to held Kolseth for jail breaking and several other charges.

This morning Kolseth was fairly sober but refused to do any talking, but is evidently under the impression that his relatives in Red Lake county who are wealthy, will get him out of the scrape as they have done several times in the past. It is understood however, that they will not raise a hand, and allow him to receive a dose of medicine that may do him good.

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WOLFER APPROVES STEPHENS' PLAN

Idea To Give Families Some Proportion Of Inmates Earnings In Penitentiary Meets With Approval.

Senator A. D. Stephens returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis and also visited Warden Wolfer at the state penitentiary with whom he conferred regarding the proposed bill which Senator Stephens has been considering for some time past relative to having some proportion of the earnings of the inmates going to their families.

Senator Stephens has had this idea in his mind for some time past and now fully determined to introduce a bill at the next session of the legislature which will give protection to the wife and children of men who are confined in the penitentiary, so that the family of evil doers will not really be greater sufferers than the inmates themselves.

While those confined lose their liberty, they are provided with all necessaries of life. On the other hand the wife and children of the inmate may have neither food, shelter or clothing except as is provided by charity.

Under Senator Stephens' plans they would receive some income from the earnings of the criminal who is serving time, and this will meet with the general approval, the dependents needing the money to a greater degree than the state of Minnesota.

WHEAT GOING TO BE HIGHER THAN IN YEARS

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN TRADERS SEE HIGH PRICES APPROACHING — ACREAGE OF WINTER WHEAT VERY SHORT — AND SPRING WHEAT FARMERS WILL REAP BENEFIT BEFORE NEXT CROP COMES—CHARLES E. LEWIS OF MINNEAPOLIS DISCUSSES THE SITUATION, CLAIMING THAT IMPAIRED CONDITIONS IN THE ARGENTINE HAVE LEFT EUROPE MORE DEPENDENT ON THE UNITED STATES FOR HER WHEAT — VIEWS OF OTHER BIG TRADERS

From Saturday's Daily—

If Minneapolis men with years of experience in the grain trade may be assumed to know about it, wheat is going higher than for many years before another crop can be sown and harvested. The Chamber of Commerce is the center of interest in a situation that seems stronger every day and the bulls do not hesitate to express themselves.

"I expect," said John R. Marfield "that eventually the Minneapolis cash price for No. 1 northern wheat will reach the level of $1.25 and remain there until by new production the supply situation can be changed."

"Wheat has a pronounced upward trend," said George H. Daggett, "and should sell at least as high as last year's top price, which would be a considerable advance from the present range."

"Only recently," said J. H. McCarthy, "I passed thru the dry country of the Ohio valley and Ontario. Anyone could see that the winter wheat acreage was bound to be cut down, and so the growing strength in prices does not surprise me. I think wheat will sell much higher."

"The fact that so large a part, more than half the crop of Minnesota and the Dakotas, has already been marketed," said G. B. Gunderson, "shows that there is a strong price situation in wheat and suggests that a higher range may not be far ahead."

The big bull in Minneapolis today is Charles E. Lewis. He is outspoken in his convictions.

"There is every indication," said Mr. Lewis, "that the farmers of the northwest are going to get higher prices for their wheat, and that the business stimulus that always follows profitable prices to producers will be felt.

"I am a bull on wheat. We have got to recognize that the market rests on the dead level of supply and demand and that the natural price tendency as stocks decrease and the delicate balance between supply and demand becomes more sharply defined prices will seek a lower level.

"There are more bullish possibilities. The decreased acreage of winter wheat and the sickly condition of the plant augurs a limited supply of winter wheat production of an inferior quality, and as winter wheat is 60 to 65 per cent of the total wheat raised in the United States, anyone can see what this will mean for the 1909 crop and how the spring wheat farmers must necessarily be benefitted.

"Impaired conditions in the Argentine makes Europe more dependent upon the United States for wheat. But we cannot afford to let Europe have our wheat without reducing supplies to dangerously near the limit of our home requirements.

"There can be only one logical conclusion. Wheat will make a great advance, and will go very much higher.

There's nothing makes mean people show it more than trying not to.

Few of us have the courage to point out our own mistakes.

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Northern Counties Want Justice

There is no United States senator to be elected from Minnesota this winter so the legislature will have nothing to distract it from the business of legislation, says the Minneapolis Journal in a timely editorial article.

No excuse can be found this time for failing to make a reapportionment of the state for legislative purposes. The present districts are grossly unequal giving one voter in certain localities as much voice in state affairs as four voters in some of the growing districts of northern Minnesota. The present districts were marked out 12 years ago, and in that time there has been a great shifting in the population of the state. There has been a national census also a state census, to show this drift and a fair apportionment can easily be worked out by using the 1905 census returns.

Two years ago reapportionment was staved off by the objection of the senators, who hold over until 1911. They did not car to pass a bill that would legislate them out of office two years before the allotted time. That excuse does not exist now. The new reapportionment bill will have coincident effect with terms of senate and house members. It is held by the attorney general that there is no bar in the constitution to a new apportionment at any session, and the problem is clearly up to the members of the 1909 legislature.

The two houses are large enough already. A just reapportionment will take members away from some of the southern counties and give them to northern territory. This may not be to the liking of the districts that will lose, but it is only fairness and justice There is no defense for a system that gives one senator to Dodge county, with 12,757 population in 1905, and only one senator to the counties of Aitkin, Carlton, Cass, Itasca and Koochiching, with 47,365 population three years ago, now much increased. Another district, the sixty-first, includes Beltrami, Clearwater, Red Lake and Norman counties, with 54,682 population and only one senator. Many such instances of rank inequality could becited. Hennepin county, for instance, has an average of over 42,000 persons to each senator, while three senators from southern Minnesota have altogether only 42,983 constituents.

An All-Sufficient Reason

There is a rumor that should become an avalanche that the Honorable Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois will not consent to become a candidate for speaker of the next congress. He so the dame says, will prefer to return to the floor as one of the boys.

Still, he will be known as "Uncle Joe" and we can conceive of no way in which he can more surely rehabilitate himself in the favor of the public, and give the old flavor to this familiar name, than by such action. There is at least room for hope.

As The News Tribune has before said, Mr. Cannon is not all bad. Barring his coarseness and vulgarity, he is a very companionable man. Nor does any one doubt his ability, but only object to the purposes for which he uses it and the avenues of its display.

Aside from all this, however, is the preponderating, overpowering and absolutely conclusive objection to Mr. Cannon which logically makes him wholly unabailable as a candidate for re-election to his present position—he has lost the confidence of the people.

It is not necessary to discuss the how or the why of this. It may be just or unjust. He may be a victim of circumstances or of his own personality and temperament. But the bald fact remains and is unquestionable.

In the popular mind he is merely a creature of those interests which stand in antagonism to all the reforms which the people demand. His reelection would be taken as retrogression, as a reversal of the popular will as a slap in the face of progress. He has outlived his day of usefulness as speaker because the people do not trust him.

That should be enough. The Republicans could do nothing more unpopular than to chose him to again control the house. The party nationally is not responsible for his return to congress, but it will be for his retention as speaker.

He is regarded as the exact opposite of those men who today express the temper of the people in public affairs—Roosevelt, Taft, Hughes, Bryan and their kind. He stands for reaction for special interests, for everything that looks backward, and is permanently hitched to the "paramouncy" of capital.

No one ignores his past services. No one wishes to see him humiliated. But there will be a very general hope that he will remove himself from the forefront. If not, then he should be taught his lesson in the only other way—defeat.—Duluth News-Tribune.

Great Advertisement For Polk County

One of the best inducements Polk County offers to the prospective settler secondary only to the wonderful productiveness of the soil of this section, is a splendid public school system.

During the past few years there has been a wonderful improvement along many lines. New school houses, with all modern sanitary ventilation and heating included, have been erected, and the old school buildings have practically all been made modern, sanitary and healthy in every respect.

In addition to the improvement in the appearance and comfort of the school buildings the equipment has been increased materially and made strictly modern and up-to-date in every respect.

This means that the farmers who are looking for new homes do not have to deprive the children of any educational advantages, such as have to be suffered in a new country where schools are scattered and inefficient and where in many places there are no schools at all.

Over and above all this the efficiency of the teachers has been vastly increased during the past few years by raising the standard of the requirements in the examinations. In the early days when it was necessary to have teachers, the best the superintendents could do was to accept whatever timber was available. In Polk county, Supt. Casey has been pursuing a weeding out process for the past few years, insisting that the teachers who were best qualified should in every instance be given preference by the school boards, and until all efficient teachers had secured positions he refused to issue permits to those who had failed in examinations.

Could any county have a better inducement to offer to the home seeker than Polk in the educational line?

In His Own Country

The splendid tribute which the people of St. Peter paid last night to the most distinguished son of that community and to Minnesota's most famous citizen was a significant and a splendid out pouring and that it came from the hearts of the people is not a prophet without honor in his own country. The people of St. Peter the village in which the governor was born and raised, have always been loyal to him and no finer tribute to his sterling qualities could be paid than the following indorsements that have come to him from the people in whose intimate view he passed from boyhood into man's estate.

Yesterday's demonstration, like the three magnificent political triumphs won by the governor, was absolutely non-partisan. It was from the people of St. Peter to the governor of Minnesota, and there was no division of partisanship in the warm outburst of loyalty and affection that the entire community lavished upon the man whose splendid career has given him national fame, the state national honor, and the home community an intense and militant pride in its native son. Happy indeed is the public man who can claim such loyalty in the folks that know him as he is, that have watched his burgeoning and blossoming career in the light of his youth's fair promise.—Duluth Herald.

A sofe answer may not always turn away wrath, but it saves a lot of time.

Don't accuse the old hen of working the shell game because the egg is bad

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Pretty Far Fetched

The great battleships which are built at such cost to the government and are regarded by many as waste ful expense help the farmers and others in a way not generally understood The government always uses the best steel in making cannon, so that as soon as those weapons are out of date it can sell them to founderies. At the founderies the old cannon are broken up and remelted, after which they are made into plows, structural iron roofing, household tinware and a dozen other things of a peaceful nature. Thus, by a somewhat indirect process we are literally beating our weapons of war into plowshares and other useful implements to help the farmer, the builder and the housewife.—Ulen Union. And rumor has it that a farmer east of Ulen owns a plow from which the shot was fired that broke up business for the iron clad Merrimac, it having once been a big gun on the Montor.

"Shall The People Rule?"

What's this? The emporeor of Germany being humiliated and lampooned by his loving subjects merely because of a few amiable vanities and a little light meddling in public affairs? What is the use of being an emperor if somebody else is going to command your tongue and rap your fingers when you poke them into public business? But it shows that the people, even in monarchical Europe, are coming into their own; that monarchies and empires—even despotisms—are becoming outworn garments beneath which is the solid substance of the real owners and rulers of the world—the people.—Duluth Herald.

Much of the charity that begins at home is too feeble to get across the street.

A woman seldom meets her ideal man until she passed the don't worry age.

Correspondence

KEYSTONE

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann visited with John Gerber and family last Sunday.

Rev. Brown visited with the Key Stone farm folks last Friday.

Among those that drove to Grand Forks last week were, John Gerber, Simon Aeschlimann, Henry Ehnen, John Capes and William Grundahdl.

Miss Margaret McDonald called on Miss Tilly Brantl last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick mother of Mrs. John Capes died last Tuesday. She was a long and patient sufferer of Bright's disease. The remains were taken to her former home at Kansas.

Persida Aeschlimann enjoyed a four days' stay at the Key Stone farm last week.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

It is a bad thing to be known as a "good thing."

Sober second thoughts are always best for a toper.

He's a poor expressman who is unable to deliver the goods.

It's surprising how many friends you have when they need you.

A woman's idea of faith is to believe a thing because she believes it.

When a contrary man agrees with you, it's a safe bet you are wrong.

A little candle is as easily blown out as a little salary is blown in.

Some men look for work with about as much enthusiasm as they would look for a case of smallpox.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

The more a woman has birthdays, the less they count in her age.

To a lot of people the only thing that is more unsatisfactory than life is death.

The dissatisfaction a man gets out of having an election go wrong is he can't blame his wife for it.

A woman's idea of respectability is the kind of letter paper she uses; a man's the kind of cigar he smokes.

The reason a girl likes to have her father bring her flowers is she can say one of her suitors sent them.

The Age of Progress

We live in an age of progress. "Former things" have literally "passed away" and instead of meekly submitting to calamities as messengers sent from above to chasten us, we have learned to look about for a reasonable cause of the trouble, and stamp it out For instance, people who are troubled with indigestion take a glass of golden grain belt beer before each meal, which enables them to eat the things they like and eventually effects a cure Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

TARIFF PROBERS HEAR ABOUT SUGAR

(Continued from page one)

pine tariff was so important a question that it might not be considered as being strictly a part of the work of revising the Dingley tariff, but would be taken up separately.

Secretary Wright asked to be heard further on the subject as soon as he could gather more information. He said he favored a limited free entry on sugar and tobacco from the Philippines.

Takes a Poke at the "Trust."

Secretary Wright said that the production of sugar in the Philippines would not increase to any extent. Representative Fordney of Michigan, who has a large number of sugar beet farmers among his constituents, told the secretary that the same argument was put forth with regard to the Cuban sugar several years ago and yet the production in Cuba has increased very largely, and the American beet sugar industry had not increased very much.

"The beet sugar people say that the American Sugar Refining Company has no interest in their factories," said the secretary, referring to the so-called "trust," "yet three years ago they said a trustee, understood to represent the American Sugar Refining Company, owned 51 per cent. of the stock of all the beet sugar factories. That may be the reason why the beet sugar industry in this country has not grown, rather than the importation of Cuban sugar. There has been no reduction in the prices of sugar in a number of years."

"Trust Methods Damnable."

Much information concerning the cost of producing sugar, the profits derived, capital invested and methods of growing and refining, were offered. Col. D. D. Colcock, on behalf of the Louisiana cane sugar growers, said that the methods by which the "trust" names the price which it would pay the grower were unfair and "damnable." Henry T. Oxnard, F. R. Hathaway, C. N. Smith, F. T. Scholes, G. W. McCormick and W. H. Baird, representing the beet sugar manufacturers of the west, asked that the present tariff be maintained, or if changed it be increased, claiming that the margin of profit on beet sugar was too small to permit of any competition with the foreign refiners.

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STANDARD OIL COMPANY
(Incorporated)

GREAT STOCK SHOW IS NOW UNDER WAY

NUMBER OF EXHIBITORS AT SOUTH ST. PAUL IS NEARLY DOUBLE THAT OF LAST YEAR—FEATURE IS ADDED — MONEY PRIZES ARE OFFERED IN THE JUDGING CONTESTS—SHOW TO CLOSE FRIDAY WITH AN AUCTION SALE

Half again as big as the show of 1907, the second annual live stock show given by the Northwestern Live Stock association opened yesterday at the Union stock yards, South St. Paul The number of exhibitors has almost doubled, the number of animals displayed has risen to 1,200 the sheep department has especially improved, and a creditable horse department has been added.

The need of enlarged quarters has distributed the show this year over a much wider area. The Horse Exchange, as the "main building," affords stalls for the more choice specimens of cattle and horses, besides providing in its pavilion a show ring well nigh double the size of the ring used a year ago. Two big tents, instead of one, have been erected behind the Horse Exchange—one for the sheep and the other for the swine. And at the right of the main entrance to the yards a number of pens have been set apart for the exhibition of cattle in carload lots.

From Minnesota and also from the surrounding states exhibitors have sent uniformly high-grade speciments of fat stock ready for the market—since this show, of course, is not concerned with breeding stock. Even after one year the influence of the South St. Paul display is apparent; proportionately more farmers have indicated a desire to put their best stock into the most attractive condition from the buyer's point of view.

The exhibition of hogs, sheep, cattle and horses is by no means the whole of the present show. During the four days scheduled there are to be contests wherein money-prizes for skill in stock-judging will be sought by students from agricultural colleges the contest being open to students from the colleges of Wisconsin, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Idaho, Montana, Washington and Manitoba. Demonstrations are given of judging in "regular exposition classes on foot" with cattle, sheep and swine. Carcass demonstration on cattle, sheep and swine are offered by experts. Lectures, often illustrated with stereopticon views or otherwise upon market types of live stock, breeds and breeding, feeds and feeding, and other subjects important to the Northwestern farmer, are tendered by men prominent in live stock circles, or in the work of agricultural colleges and experiment stations.

Until 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, when the show will end with an auction sale of stock, South St. Paul will have a festive air, with which the fine weather of the opening day has happily accorded. The Exchange building and the business structures around about have been decorated like the show buildings and show tents, with national flags and with bunting of red and white, the show colors. So brilliant is the red and white banner across the entrance street of the stock yards that the more masculine cattle passing beneath have been frequently overcome with a prodigious indignation.

Pink pigs, white pigs, black pigs and reddish-brown pigs, "lard" pigs and "bacon" pigs, adorn, frequently asleep, the swine department. The Yorkshires, the Berkshires and the Duroc-Jerseys are among the prominent families represented.

In the sheep department which is so much larger and more varied than it was a year ago, many of the friends of Little Mary were having their "hairs made" as German girls remark: to-wit, their fleece was being trimmed and brushed.

High Grade Sheep

The breeds on view included Lincolns, Hampshires, Leicester Cross, Shropshires and Oxford Downs. A trained shepherd dog was there looking intelligent enough for duty as a juror; together with a group of little shepherd dogs that barked a stern admonishment at every "ba-a."

Most of the select cattle in stalls were Shorthorns or pure-bred Angusites. In the pens where the carload lots were clustered Angus yearlings were visible, surprisingly brunette, with many Montana yearlings, "range bred and hay fed."

The great horses wearing ribbons and fancy straw garlands attached to their tails were mainly Belgian and French coach horses and Percheron. But a more dainty division included saddle horses and high school steeds.

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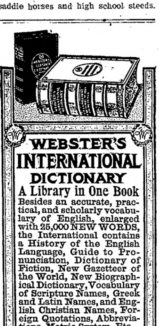

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

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Nov. 15 In History.

1630—Johann Kepler, famous German astronomer, died; born 1571.
1738—Sir William Herschel, celebrated English astronomer and scientist, born; died 1822.
1889—Revolution in Brazil; Dom Pedro, emperor, deposed.
1890—Financial crisis in London.
1903—Santo Domingo shelled by insurgents.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:38, rises 6:45; moon rises 11:11 p. m.; moon's age 22 days; moon at last quarter 6:41 p. m., eastern time, in constellation Cancer; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; possible Leonid meteors in east after midnight.

Nov. 16 In History.

1272—Death of Henry III. of England after a reign of 56 years.
1632—Gustavus Adolphus, king of Sweden, killed at the battle of Lutzen (Saxony) Thirty Years' war.
1776—The British captured Fort Washington, completing their conquest of New York.
1811—John Bright, English statesman, born; died 1889.
1907—Rev. Dr. Moncure D. Conway, noted American author, died in Paris; born 1832.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:38, rises 6:46; moon rises 12:10 a. m.; moon's age 23 days; moon at apogee, farthest from earth; 3:30 a. m., eastern time, Jupiter's satellites Nos. 1 and 2 missing; 4:34 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing 4 1-3 degrees north of the planet from west to east; planet Mercury visible.

TO BEMIDJI—J. P. Easton left this morning for Bemidji where he will confer with the lumber company officials regarding some matters of business.

NAVIGATION CLOSED — Navigation has closed on the Red River for the year. The Fram at East Grand Forks has been tied up. Ice is running freely in the river and it is believed that it will not be long before the stream is frozen over.

ENGINE THREW A SHOE—No. 7 from the south Sunday morning was delayed a short time near Kittson. One of the drivewheels went bump and the superfluous iron was thrown in the ditch while the train continued to Crookston.

DROVE FROM EUCLID —Dr. Dryden drove down from Euclid this morning to look after some private business matters and returned home before dinner. He says Dr. Chapin is improving in Chicago and he believes he will be fully recovered in a short time.

BUSINESS IS GOOD—Chas. Skaug returned from Minot Saturday evening where he has been for the past two weeks, and left this morning for a business trip up the St. Vincent line. He says collections are very good this fall thruout his territory.

SOLD DRIVER FOR $300 —Dr. O. L. Bertelson has sold his fancy driver to a dentist in Fergus Falls for $300 spot cash and the horse was shipped from here Saturday night. The Fergus Falls man has been dickering for the horse for some time and finally came across with the $50 difference.

FERTILE REVIEW HERE—A. P. Hanson, the well known banker of Fertile, who was formerly connected with the Scandia-American Bank of this city spent Saturday afternoon in the city returning home on the G. N. after attending to some important business matters. He reports conditions as most satisfactory at Fertile.

NASH IS STATE'S ATTORNEY — Dudley L. Nash son of W. C. Nash of East Grand Forks was elected state's attorney of Ward county at the late election. Mr. Nash is a graduate of the law department of the N. D. state university and was for a year in the office of George A. Bangs of Grand Forks. The Nash family is of the oldest in western Polk.

PETER HUFF IN SPOKANE—Jos Buckman this morning received a letter from Peter Huff who with his wife and family are now living in Spokane Peter writes that he is working at his trade, a blacksmith, and getting $5 per day. He says he likes Spokane and is doing well.

LOCATE IN NORTH DAKOTA—Friends in western North Dakota are looking for Gardner, the former Carlisle football player to locate in this section, possibly at Buford. Gardner is to share in the division of the Popular or Fort Peak reservation, fifty miles west of Buford but he prefers North Dakota to Montana, and will open a law office in the Flickertail state. He is a deep student and enters into the science of jurisprudence with as much zeal, apparently as he ever went into a football game.

DEATH AT FOSSTON—Shortly after the break of day, Monday, the angel of death claimed one who has lingered for many weeks, patiently awaiting the end with true Christian spirit. Caroline Rogne beloved wife of Rev. K. O. Hildahl pastor of the United Lutheran church, was in her 33rd year, tuberculosis of the lungs causing her early death. Residing here for but the past year, she had won the highest regard of all and her demise is deeply mourned. The funeral took place from the United church on Wednesday afternoon, impressive services being held over the remains. Liberal tributes of beautiful flowers from loving friends bespoke the affection held by them for the deceased. Much sympathy is extended towards the bereaved husband and little daughter in their great loss.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

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From Tuesday's Daily

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Nov. 17 In History.

1558—Mary I. of England, "Bloody Mary," whose reign was noted for persecutions of opponents and rivals, particularly Lady Jane Grey, died; born 1516. Elizabeth ascended the English throne.
1894—Robert Charles Winthrop, statesman and a colleague of Daniel Webster, died in Boston; born 1809.
1907—Admiral Sir Francis Leopold McClintock, English arctic explorer, who discovered the fate of Sir John Franklin, died in London; born 1819.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:37, rises 6:47; moon rises 1:08 a. m.; moon's age 24 days; planet Mercury possibly visible low in east.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

WARRANT ISSUED—Stanley Bond this morning swore out a warrant for the arrest of M. Burns for running an employment agency without a license

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS — A crew of men is at work today rushing the G. N. tool and store house just north of the passenger depot.

ICE TRUST MEETING—J. C. Burton went to Grand Forks this morning to confer with the other officials of the Red River Valley and North Pole Ice Trust.

INSPECTING OIL—Deputy Oil Inspector W. E. Black is at Fertile today inspecting a car of kerosene oil to be certain that it is strictly up to standard. He will return this evening.

EUCLIDITE HERE—Louis Feeman is spending the day here attending to some business matters and calling on his legion of friends. Mr. Feeman is one of the old timers of Euclid and gets to Crookston regularly.

A DRUMMERS' QUARTET —This morning a merry quartet left on the Cass Lake line including Coffee Kelly Soft Clothes Halvorson, Haviland Erickson and Threshing Machine Babcock.

TWO OPERATIONS—Yesterday at St. Vincent's Hospital there were two operations the patients being Miss Rosa Helsa of Mentor and Mrs. Max Champaign of Brooks, both for abdominal troubles.

SLEIGHING AT DETROIT—Traveling men who arrived from Detroit yesterday on the N. P. report that every one is using sleighs in that section the snow fall having been quite heavy.

PROSPEROUS FARMER HERE — J. A. McMillan one of the substantial and progressive farmers on rural route No. 4 out of Crookston is spending the day in the city on business. He says this weather is certainly fine for stock and a great feed saver.

ENROUTE TO LAND SALE—A. C. Warner an extensive real estate dealer of Dixon Ill., was in the city last evening between trains enroute to N. Dakota to attend some land sales and visited with his brother, Rev. C. C. Warner of this city.

BUILDING ENCLOSED—Workmen have enclosed the rear of the J. J. Moistad building on Robert street and the interior repairs will now be rushed as rapidly as possible. Owing to a misunderstanding with the insurance adjusters the work of repairing the building was delayed for several months, but it will now soon be ready for occupancy.

LOAD OF FINE HOGS—H. W. Aker, one of the well known diversifying farmers of Euclid drove down this morning with a fine load of young pork which he disposed of readily at 7 cents per pound. Mr. Aker always has a load or two of pork to turn off in the fall and always gets a good price for it.. He expects to leave for the lumber camps in a few weeks where he will spend the winter as usual.

M. KALAD DISCHARGED — The many friends of M. Kalad will be very glad to learn that after a week's confinement in St. Vincent's hospital following an operation he was able to return to his store last evening and today is getting in touch with the Turkish Emporium again. He is getting on nicely but the loss of 18 pounds of flesh in a week leaves him a trifle weak. He will leave next week for the cities to buy his holiday stock and is today advertising a big sale for this week, including Market Day next Saturday and is selling anything in the store at big discounts.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the directors of the 25,000 Commercial club was called in President Misner's office. The bills for the last Market Day were audited and this was followed by a general discussion.

A committee consisting of Geo. H. Wright and G. S. Chesterman was named to see the business men regarding the next Club banquet, the place and time to be determined later on.

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FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

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Nov. 18 In History.

General Schuyler.

1558—Cardinal Reginald Pole, archbishop of Canterbury under Queen Mary, died; born 1500.
1777—Passage of the American forts on Delaware river by the British.
1804—Philip John Schuyler, American Revolutionary soldier, died; born 1733.
1883—Standard time adopted.
1905—Prince Charles of Denmark elected king of Norway.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun rises 4:36, sets 6:48; moon rises 2:09 a. m.

BACK FROM FARGO — J. J. Padden manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., returned this morning from a business trip to Fargo and returned this morning to his home.

OLD TIMER HERE— Scott Riddell one of the old timers, of this section, later locating in Oregon but finally returning to this section, left this morning for Greenbush on business.

ON LAND BUSINESS—Ole Tiegen left this morning for Erskine in company with G. E. Smith a well known land dealer and capitalist of Indianapolis, and will spend the day looking after some real estate business.

R. ERDMAN IMPROVING—R. Erdman, the well known farmer near Crookston who was very severely injured in a runaway some time ago is in the city today attending to business He is improving steadily but slowly his right shoulder still bothering him to a considerable extent.

BYGLAND FARMERS HERE— S. Sweningson and his son, A. Sweningson, prominent and prosperous farmers of Bygland are spending the day in Crookston taking advantage of farmers' week at the New Store and also looked up a few of their old time friends.

TO VISIT DULUTH—Father Tapin left this morning for a trip to Duluth where he will remain for a day or two only, returning in time for Sunday services. Father Tapin has not been feeling well for some time past but his parishioners will rejoice that he is much improved.

DOING FINE BUSINESS — Gust A. Warnke formerly of this city, now operating a restaurant and billiard hall at Ada is doing a fine business according to J. J. Nault who returned from that place this morning. Mr. Warnke will be in Crookston in a day or two to spend a few days with his friends.

DULUTH TRAIN LATE—The Duluth train this morning was 1:20 late owing to a broken flange on a freight train on the east end. No one was hurt excepting the feelings of a hunter who could not make connections at Grand Forks for western North Dakota.

ALDERMAN HUSSEY RECOVERED—Alderman Hussey was able to attend the meeting of the city council last evening after having been confined to his home for a month with a severe attack of bronchitis. While he is hardly in condition for a football game yet, still he is feeling fairly well and will soon be as robust as usual. He has the severe attacks every two years, and takes them as a matter of course.

N. D. LEGISLATOR HERE—J. M. Anderson of Grand Forks, member of the North Dakota state legislature from Grand Forks County is spending the day in the city arranging for an excursion early in January to Old Mexico where he is heavily interested in lands on the west coast in the territory of Tepic. He is very enthusiastic over the great possibilities in the Republic lying just south of us, and says that "Mexico is the tourists' and hunters' paradise and the land of endless fascination."

ORCHARD IN BACKYARD—Oscar Wick the well known western Polk Co., nurseryman is moving some bearing apple trees from his nursery and a splendid opportunity is offered people who want fruit trees for their back yards. The trees are large and have been in bearing for several years Mr. Wick takes them up with the earth adhering and will guarantee them to bear during the coming year. This is a lot better than waiting for years for them to come into fruitage.

PAT HUGHES STOPPED IT—Last evening the residents of Sampsons addition as they were returning to this side of the river after supper were furnished with considerable excitement for a time. Two men, one a big bruiser, and the other very much smaller, got into an altercation and finally began fighting, the small fellow pulling off his coat and wading in like a professional. About this time P. S. Hughes came along, pulled the beligerants apart, made the little fellow put on his coat and started them across the bridge. They did lots of talking later but did not come to blows.

BUSINESS DULL—There was little doing in municipal court this morning, Judge Gossman only being faced by two drunks. One was a farmer near the city arrested for racing his horse about the streets yesterday afternoon and was fined. The other was a lumber jack enroute to the woods and had no money. He was sent on his way rejoicing.

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PRESIDENT VITTUM AT HIGH SCHOOL

ADDRESSED STUDENTS YESTERDAY ACCOMPANIED BY REV. C. C. WARNER

Tuesday morning President Vittum accompanied by Rev. C. C. Warner in a visit to the High School. After inspection of the various rooms and equipment including the Manual Training department, Dr. Vittum gave a splendid address to the school.

"What are you worth?" was his opening words. He showed the young folks that they were worth vastly more millions of money in their opportunities in life in the best age of the world.

He held up before them the attractiveness of the life of trained ability to "do things." Urging every youth to hold on to his course of study thru the high school he also strongly advised the effort to take advantage of offered college courses.

President Vittum was especially pleased at the Manual Training equipment and declared that he should go home and get himself one of the work benches used here.

Fargo College by the way is doing a fine work!

BARNESVILLE DRUGSTORE ROBBED

Some time last night Dr. Patterson's drug store on Front street at Barnesville was entered by a burglar or burglars and jewelry worth at least $150 and a valuable violin were stolen. The doctor's instrument case which he had left in his office in the rear of the store, had been emptied of its contents and taken, evidently to supply the burglar with handy means of making away with his booty. Entrance into the store was made by means of the basement door in the rear of the store and thence into the store proper by means of cutting a hole in the panel of the door leading into the store from the basement, in which the key had been left. Fortunately, however most of the valuable jewelry is always placed in the safe at night, so Mr. Burglar had to content himself with what he could find in the way of less valuable goods. Suspicion is strongly directed toward a young man who was in the store yesterday afternoon, who stood for some time at a show case near the door thru which entrance to the store was made, and wrote what he said was a letter to some member of his family. The police were notified as soon as the burglary was discovered and efforts are being made to locate the stranger answering to the description of the one who visited the store yesterday.

COUNCIL ESTABLISHED NEW BUSINESS RECORD

WADED THRU MUCH DETAILED WORK IN HALF AN HOUR—SEWER ASSESSMENTS PASSED AND DETAILS REGARDING BOND ISSUES ALL CONCLUDED—MRS. BERTHA BISHOP WANTS $1500 FOR PERSONAL INJURIES—ASSESSMENT ROLLS FOR SAMPSONS ADDITION APPROACHES PASSED

From Wednesday's Daily—

There was a regular adjourned meeting of the city council last evening and a new record for the quick dispatch of business was set. The council met at 8:30 and adjourned at 9 o'clock, being in session just a half hour. The machinery was well greased, however, the work in hand had all been gone over in the committee rooms, and when the council was rapped to order by President Snyder, City Clerk Childs just turned the crank till the business hopper was ended, everything going thru by a unanimous vote.

Aldermen present, Snyder, Christianson, Wright, Hughes, Sargent, Stainbrook and Hussey, Ald. absent, Zerracher.

Third Street Sewer Cost

A report was received from City Engineer Carroll in which he estimated the cost of completing the Third street sewer outlet in detail, and the total cost he estimated would be $2477.02. This is in addition to $3157 already expended.

Engineer Carroll also estimated that the total expenditures of sewer district No. 1 for the coming year would be $5957.33. Both reports were placed on file for future consideration

Assessment Rolls Adopted

The report of the viewers of the new Sampson's addition bridge approaches containing the assessments for damages was accepted, the assessment rolls adopted as submitted and the tax formally levied.

Bond Business Wound Up

A communication was received from U. M. Stoddard & Co., of Minneapolis who were awarded the recent city hall and Sampsons Addition Bridge bonds asking for the passage of a resolution authorizing the bond issue and prescribing the wording of the bonds and the interest coupons was passed unanimously and the money will soon be available.

Mrs. Streeter Protests

A communication was received from Mrs. J. A. Streeter who resides on Bridge Street, Jeromes addition, protesting against the decision of the council to have that street graded, gravelled and curbed with artificial stone. She stated that last May she put in good substantial plank curbing and deemed it an injustice that 6 months later action should be taken to have this replaced. The communication was referred to the Street and Bridge Committee.

Wants $1500 Damages

A formal demand was made in a communication, for $1500 damages by Mrs. Martha Bishop, mother of Mrs. Gene Snyder of South Crookston She claims that on Oct. 22, 1908 on South Main street near the intersection of Pleasant Ave and adjoining a shed of the Crookston Lumber Co., she stepped on a rotten plank in the sidewalk and sustained a fall from which resulted serious injuries. W. E. Rowe is her attorney. The claim was referred to the litigation committee.

Sewer Levies Passed

The sewer levies for the sewer districts which contemplate work next year were passed as follows:

District No. 1, $5957.33; No. 2, $600; No. 8, $1552.05; No. 9 $600.

Sidewalk Assessments

The assessment rolls were also passed for artificial stone sidewalks and curbing on portions of Bertha street and College avenue. The council then adjourned to the next regular meeting in December.

S'GSTAD WANTS SUGGESTIONS

THANKS VOTERS FOR SPLENDID SUPPORT RECEIVED AT THE ELECTION

PLEDGES HIMSELF TO REPRESENT CONSTITUENTS HONESTLY AND FEARLESSLY

From Wednesday's Daily—

The following communication has been received from Representative John Saugstad, who was recently reelected to serve a second term:

To the Voters of Polk county:—Greeting!

Having received my official notification of election I wish to extend through the "Journal" my sincere thanks to all my supporters during the past campaign for the splendid assistence rendered me.

I am pleased and proud of the support received and in return have but one thing to offer as your compensation: My very best endeavor to represent you honestly, fairly and fearlessly during my entire term of office. My every aim shall be to do my duty at all times as I shall find and understand it. I now solicit your suggestions as to legislative matters. Write to me in your own words on any matter you may please and I shall give it my full attention.

I am your servant,

—John Saugstad.

Climax, Minn., November 16th, 1908

WILL LOCATE IN CROOKSTON

TWO ILLINOIS MEN VERY MUCH PLEASED WITH THIS CITY AND VALLEY

J. B. Russell of Roseville, Ill., is spending a few days here attending to some business with Atty. H. W. Stark in the real estate line. Mr. Russell has made several visits to Crookston in the past and is very much pleased with Crookston and the surrounding country. He is contemplating locating in this city permanently in the near future.

E. E. Brunelle, also of Roseville, is in Crookston also. He has some real estate holdings in Kittson County and thinks the Red River Valley is the most healthful place he ever struck and will shortly move to Crookston to make his permanent home.

The day dreamer is sure to attract attention—when he snores.

GRAND FORKS STREET RY. CO.

TENTATIVE ORGANIZATION MADE A FACT AT MEETING HELD AT FORKS

RAILWAY WILL BE CAPITALIZED AT $150,000 — MEAN BUSINESS

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The Grand Forks Street Railway company, which has had but a tentative existence through the various stages of its development up to the present time, assumed an organized form and was duly christened under the above name as the result of a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the subscribers to the capital stock which was held at the Commercial club rooms at Grand Forks last evening. It was decided to incorporate with an authorized capital of one hundred fifty thousand with a temporary board of directors for incorporation purposes, and at a later meeting of the stockholders a permanent board of eleven directors will be provided for and the organization duly completed by the directors. R. B. Griffith officiated as chairman and O. A. Webster as secretary. Various details of the proposed organization were discussed at length and from various view points in the fullest and freest manner, and the action taken as to each was practically unanimous.

CON. FINALLY FOUND HIS BONNET

A well known conductor who arrived in the city last evening from his run discovered when he went to change his uniform as a disciple of Jim Hill to that of an ordinary taxpayer, that some accommodating passenger had helped himself to the conductor's taxpaying hat. Summoning Capt Vonderbeck a search was made about the city to locate the missing lid. Finally the sky-piece was discovered on the head of a passenger who had come in on the train. The conductor was with difficulty restrained from giving the offender a few decorations but the hat was recovered forthwith and the wearer was forced to enter a store and get a new one. The funny part of it was that the conductor was making the search with Capt. Vonderbeck, bareheaded.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

4th MARKET DAY 4th

THANKSGIVING

SPECIAL

Saturday, Nov. 21st, 1908

The Business Men of Crookston again extend to their neighbors, the Farmers, of Polk County and their Families an invitation to spend a day with them of Profit and Pleasure.

At Noon take Lunch with the Crookston Business Men at the G. A. R. Hall.

Vaudeville and Moving Pictures.

In the Afternoon attend the Free Moving Picture Show for which tickets will be given you.

Free Auction Sale

Will be continued--Anything you have to sell bring it in and we will dispose of it without any cost to you.

LIST OF PRIZES:

$2.00 First Prize=

For the largest Dressed Turkey, (this year's brood)

$1.00 Second Prize=

For the next largest Dressed Turkey, (this year's brood.)

The committee guarantees that all Turkeys entered in this competition will be purchased at the highest market price.

$1.00 Prize=

For Largest and Best Pumpkin

$1.00 Prize=

For Largest and Best Squash

WORD CONTEST

The Son or Daughter of any Polk County farmer, residing outside of Crookston, who will submit the largest list of words formed from the nine letters in "MARKET DAY" a Prize of $2.00 in cash will be given.

You must submit your list in person to the Committee by 1 p. m. Market Day, at Headquarters in McKinnon Block.

$5.00 Prize=

For Best Heavy Draft team in harness to wagon--weight not less than 3,000 pounds.

$5.00 Prize=

For "General Purpose" Team in harness to wagon--weight not less than 2,600 pounds.

Judging of these teams will take place 2 p. m. sharp, at Robert Street and Broadway.

$2.00 First Prize=

For Best Jar (3 or 5 pounds) Dairy Butter for table use

$1.00 Second Prize=

For Second Best Jar (3 or 5 pounds) Dairy Butter for table use

All wishing to enter above competitions must have their entries at Committee Headquarters, in McKinnon Block by noon on Market Day. Judging at 1 p. m.

$3.00 Prize=

For Best Dressed Hog, not weighing over 150 pounds.

For competition for any of the above Prizes one Entry will be allowed to each Farmer Only

BIG FREE AUCTION SALE

Will take place at 2:30 p. m., on Third Street, between Main and Broadway.--This Sale offers Great opportunity for you to dispose of anything you wish to sell without any expense--
All you have to do is to bring your things in to the City.

Crookston's Fourth Market Day Will be Greatest Event of Year

Come and Bring Your Entire Family With You

HIDES
10 to 50% more Spot Cash for HIDES and RAW FURS by shipping to us than by selling at home. Fair dealings. Prompt cash returns. Best prices for HIDES, PELTS, RAW FURS, WOOL, ETC. Write for Price List, Market Report, shipping tags and how to obtain our Hunters' & Trappers' Guide. We are the most responsible Hide and Fur House in the N. W. Endorsed by 100 leading agricultural papers.
ANDERSCH BROS., Department 66, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Nov. 12 In History.

1400—Death of Chaucer, father of English poetry; born 1328.
1799—Brilliant display of shooting stars.
1857—Beginning of the commercial panic in England, which soon extended to the United States. In England the liabilities of five of the more important banks aggregated $80,000,000, and those of 140 firms swelled the total to over $200,000,000.
1907—Sir Lewis Morris, English poet, died in London; born 1833.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:41, rises 6:41; day's length 10 hours; moon rises 8:18 p. m.; moon's age 19 days; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; 5:50 p. m., moon in conjunction with Neptune, passing from west to east.

EAST WITH MEN—Stanley Bond, the employment agent left this morning with a bunch of men for the G. N. who will be put to work near Bemidji.

BACK FROM THIEF RIVER—Henry Weideman the secretary of war for Mayor Engel at Euclid, returned last evening from Thief River Falls where he was called on business, and returned to his home this morning.

HERE FROM CLIMAX—Ole Estenson, one of the old time and well known residents of Climax spent yesterday in the city and after attending to some business matters at the court house called on many of his friends.

LEFT FOR WEST—Rev. A. Fladberg, who has been holding special meetings at the City Mission has left for points west where he will continue in the same line of work. He was greeted by large crowds here and did a great amount of good.

MORE HUNTERS—The Cass Lake train this morning carried several more delegations of hunters to the tall timber where they will spend a few weeks either waiting for, or shooting deer and moose.

"SINGERS" GOING EAST—Wm. Emmerich, manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company's office in this city left this morning for Mentor and Erskine and music should be heard from that direction soon.

THOROBRED STOCK—This morning a shipment of thorobred stock passed thru the city from Iowa to Greenbush. This is getting to be almost a daily occurrence and it shows that the people of this section of the country are awakening to the fact that the best is none too good.

HERE FROM ANGUS—Clyde Goodwin and Jos. Goudette arrived in the city last evening from Angus. The latter will spend the winter on the D. H. Miller farm and will devote special attention to a $200 bird dog that this year only managed to point one gopher and a skunk. But it was a $200 dog just the same, and Pete Cram will swear to it.

BUSINESS EXCELLENT—Lenus Johnson, the well known liveryman from Beltrami was here a few days ago on business and reports that business is the best this fall that it has been for a number of years. He is kept busy all the time—one reason being that he takes good care of his patrons and is very popular among the traveling men.

NEW CHURCH DEDICATED—The new Methodist Episcopal church at Detroit, Minn., which has just been completed at a cost of $13,000, was dedicated Sunday. The dedication services were in charge of Rev. A. H. Parr, who has dedicated more churches than any other man in America, and he was assisted by Rev. A. H. Wilcox the local pastor, Rev. A. H. McKee of Fergus Falls, district superintendent for the district, and a number of others. The sum of $5,000 was raised which clears the church of debt and leaves a balance in the treasury.

ADA DAIRY MEET—Thru efforts of Adolph Steensgaard, buttermaker at the Ada creamery, a meeting for dairymen has been arranged for Saturday of this weeek to be held at the city hall in Ada, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Speakers of state and national reputation will be present and deliver addresses and considerable local talent will be contributed. The following speakers will take part in the program: O. A. Storvick, state dairy inspector. J. C. Joslyn who is connected with the dairy division of the department of Agriculture at Washington. M. J. Cort the well known dairyman who is especially acquainted with conditions in the Northwest.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 13 In History.

Catherine II.

1775—General Montgomery captured Montreal.
1796—Catherine II. of Russia died; born 1729.
1868—Rossini, celebrated musical composer, author of "The Barber of Seville," "William Tell" and "Stabat Mater," died; born 1792.
1903—Andrew H. Green, distinguished public citizen, called "the father of Greater New York," shot dead at his door; born 1820.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:40, rises 6:42; moon rises 9:13 p. m.; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; Mercury at greatest elongation west of the sun 19 degrees and 19 minutes distant; maximum of period for Leonid meteors after midnight in east.

FINE NEW WAGON—The Great Northern Express Co., has just shipped a fine new delivery wagon to Crookston and Eric Norrie is putting on a few extra airs as a result of his new equippage.

THREE OPERATIONS—Mrs. Chas. O. Kankel who has been at a Minneapolis hospital for several weeks and underwent three operations, arrived here Wednesday to remain a few days to rest before proceeding to her home at Terrebonne—Fertile Journal.

SENATOR ON A HUNT—State Senator S. D. Works of Mankato came in yesterday forenoon from Crookston where he has invested quite a sum in Red River Valley "dirt". Senator Works is "some hunter" and he went north last night to try his "trusty rifle" at the headwaters of the Tamarac river.—Bemidji Pioneer.

IS WELL PLEASED—Marius Christianson the newly elected county commissioner of this district, is in town today. Mr. Christianson is well pleased with the vote he received in the district, getting a good majority over his two opponents and especially well pleased with the vote received in Fertile. He requests the Journal to extend his thanks to the voters of the district for the confidence bestowed in him.—Fertile Journal.

ANGUS MERCHANT HERE—J. F. Montgomery, the Angus merchant was an arrival in the city last evening, returning home this morning. He wanted to beat the passenger to the city last evening and started down on a freight train. He got here just 5 minutes before the passenger arrived and was three hours on the way. Any one looking for a scrap might just remind him of the incident and there will be plenty of trouble.

MEN FOR GREENBUSH—Phil Dorsey, one of the best known hotel clerks in the Northwest who is now in the employment agency business went to Roseau yesterday with a bunch of men for the work there. Scores of men are being hired for the work there every day, and scores more are quiting for some reason or other, the trains both ways being loaded.

WELL KNOWN HERE—John Morrison, Sr., the "sage of Red Lake" came down yesterday forenoon from his home and spent several hours here on a combined business and pleasure trip, and returned to his home in the afternoon. Mr. Morrison conducts a fine stopping place at the Red Lake agency, where he has resided for many years, and where he commands the greatest respect, from red men and white men alike.—Bemidji Pioneer.

RALPH LYCAN RECOVERING—Ralph Lycan who has been confined to St. Anthony's hospital with typhoid fever for several weeks is improving and will soon be able to be out of the sick room. For the past four days, Ralph has been practically free from the fever, and he will tomorrow take the first form of solid nourishment which has been administered to him since he was taken ill.—Bemidji Pioneer.

HERE FROM ADA—Fred Betcher, one of the well known residents of Ada is spending the day in the city and expects to return home this evening if he gets all his business disposed of.

PLUMMER RESIDENTS—Lars Klov and Ed. Anderson of Plummer, well known threshers of that section arrived in the city last evening and are doing business with N. P. Stone & Co.

KILLED HIS HORSES—R. E. White of Davidson was a visitor in the city yesterday morning. White recently had eleven of his horses killed by the state veterinary on the ground that the ywere afflicted with glanders.

AUDITOR HERE—Daniel W. Eastman auditor for the Hamm Brewing Co., is spending the week in the city at the local branch. Mr. Eastman says that Crookston is one of the prettiest cities that he makes and that there seems to be a good degree of prosperity here.

CLOTHING MAN HERE—E. T. Winship, the well known representative of Hart Schaffner and Marx, the great clothing monufacturers is spending the day in the city with J. H. Ruettell who is making his usual semi-annual purchases. Mr. Ruettell looks for a bigger business the coming season than ever before and as a result his purchases are heavier than ever before. Mr. Winship always has a good word for Crookston.

An Enthusiastic Customer

Told her grocer that if he refused to handle "OUR-PIE" Preparation she would trade elsewhere. She knew she could make Lemon, Chocolate and Custard pies better than the expert cook if she used "OUR-PIE" as all the ingredients, carefully prepared, are in the package ready for immediate use. Each package, enough for two large pies, 10 cents. Order a dozen today from your grocer. Excellent also as a pudding sauce, cake filling, etc.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 14 In History.

1532—Anne Boleyn, English court beauty and lady of honor to Queen Catherine, secretly married to the king.
1832—Charles Carroll "of Carrollton," last of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, died in Baltimore; born in Annapolis 1737.
1907—Opening of the third Russian douma.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:39, rises 6:43; moon rises 10:13 p. m.; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise.

It's worth while asking for "Hickory" Brand Rubbers and Overshoes. They are long wearing—always giving satisfaction. Ask your dealer. St. Paul Rubber Co. Distributors.

Agents wanted to sell Baker Rope Buckles and Halter Ties. Big Seller. Write today for full particulars. Folts Baker Mfg. Co. Minneapolis, Minn.

ENROUTE TO IOWA—Frank Ashley, of Estherville, Iowa, spent the night in the city enroute from Deering N. D., a small town on the Granville branch, to his home. He was very much pleased with Crookston and thinks this is about as fine a city as he has ever struck in his travels.

JUDGE SHULAND HERE—Judge A. G. Shuland of Mohnamen was an arrival in the city this morning and will spend Sunday with his mother, who is also the mother of Mrs. Louis Berquist. Judge Shuland is an old Crookston boy and has a host of friends here who will enjoy his visit.

AFTER JURORS—Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels left this morning for E. Grand Forks with a bunch of subpoenas for jurors for the next term of court. He expected to return this evening.

UP NORTH LINE—G. Fitzgerald left this morning for Warren, Stephens and Argyle where he will make a deposit of a few thousand Preferencias and other brands which he disposes of, and will return home this evening. Business has been so good of late that "Fitz" has a brand new sample case, full leather and a yard wide.

HUNTING IS GOOD—Geo. Heath, the veteran travelling salesman returned this morning from a trip to White Earth. He says the Hunters are reporting good deer shooting in that section, several of the hunters having killed their full limit already.

TRAINS WERE LATE—The trains this morning were all a few minutes behind time. The St. Paul train was delayed between here and Ada by a punk engine, the other trains having been delayed a few minutes from the fact that the heavy fog this morning made special precautions necessary.

FOURTEEN NEW CITIZENS—Before Judge Watts this week, fourteen persons were granted citizenship as prayed for in their petitions. They were Frank A. Bourque, Andrew Carlson, Ed Nilson, Sywert H. Haugo, B. Dan Bjonkman, Anne Olson, Knut Anderson, Olaus J. Hole, Jens Smeland, Gunder J. Langnak, Sivert Benson, Steffen Jacobsen, Abbie L. Irwin and Dreng A. Rikje.

AFTER BIG GAME—Conductors Steve Withey and Billy Clark left this morning on the G. N. Flyer for Roosevelt from where they will hike to the tall timber and shoot a few deer and moose. There is no question but what they will return with something, as it is reported that they have had agents in that section for weeks endeavoring to lassoo some choice specimens and chain them to trees for their special benefit.

THE DISTRICT COURT GRIND

MANY OF THE CASES SETTLED—JURORS DISCHARGED UNTIL MONDAY

AT RED LAKE COUNTY TERM—MANY OF THE CASES WERE SETTLED

From Saturday's Daily—

Judge Watts, presiding at the fall term of the district court at Red Lake Falls on Wednesday suspended the session of court until next Monday and allowed the petit jurors to go to their respective homes. The settling of many cases outside of court was responsible for this move.

The grand jury finished their labors early in the week after returning indictments against Dr. August Grunard for criminal practice; Robt. Kolseth on a charge of horse stealing and against the keepers of the houses of ill-fame in Thief River Falls.

The civil cases so far disposed of are:

G. Somers & Co., vs. B. J. Bakke, judgment stipulated in favor of the plaintiff.

Harm & Oeschger vs. Andy Erickson, continued.

City of Thief River Falls vs. Val Yeager, charged with selling liquor to minors, dismissed, the court holding the city ordinance unconstitutional. On the same charge John Vorachek paid his fine voluntarily.

The case against Policeman Frank Chittick was dismissed. Thrush vs. Newbery & Bullman was settled and of A. D. Brown vs. Rothston continued.

A new venire of eight jurymen was drawn, the men to make their appearance Monday next.

The case of Ole B. Omlid vs. Frank A. Zavoral which was appealed from a justice court by the defendant was dismissed by the court, the appellant failing to prosecute the appeal.

The county seat case will come up for trial by jury on the 18th inst.

State of Minnesota vs. M. O. Sortedahl, et al., doing business as the Bank of Red Lake Falls, in proceedings to enforce personal property taxes came on trial and the taxes were reduced from $195.92 to $49.99 by order of the court.

CEANING UP PROSECUTIONS

E. B. HEIBERG HAS SEVERAL LEFT IN THIS SECTION OF THE STATE

SAYS VIOLATIONS ARE NOT NEARLY AS FREQUENT AS FORMERLY

State Pure Food Inspector E. B. Heiberg who arrived in the city this morning from Duluth, fresh from new glories earned near Grand Marais where he shot two bear and a deer, one of the finest bucks seen in recent years, will remain in this section for several days. He has prosecutions here, at McIntosh, East Grand Forks and several other places, but none of them are of a serious character, most of them being cases where the wholesale houses are the real culprits and will pay the fiddler.

Mr. Heiberg says that violations of the law in this section are growing fewer and fewer, and he is highly gratified with the manner in which he has been assisted by the dealers themselves in an attempt to strictly enforce the pure food laws.

LARGE CROWD IN CITY—Judging from the number of farm wagons and buggies around S. L. Collins' Livery stable early this forenoon, the merchants of Crookston must be doing some business. Farmers drove in from all directions, and the other barns also had their quota of teams. Many of the farmers brought in a large amount of produce.

DEATH CAME YESTERDAY—Casper Krause, 54 years old, residing at 710 Pine street, died yesterday He leaves a wife and six children. The funeral will take place from the family residence Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

SAWMILL BURNED—The sawmill belonging to M. A. Olds in the town of Friberg near Fergus Falls was destroyed by fire about 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. George L. Nichols, was driving by at the time and discovered the smoke and proceeded to investigate. They found the building burning and got out the saws and some other articles, and by the liberal use of water from a flowing well, succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading beyond the limits of the mill. The building itself was burned however. The mill was not in operation at the time, and there is no clue to the origin of the fire. Mr. Olds was not at home, being a member of the grand jury in the district court, in Fergus Falls.

PLUMMER BANK CHANGES HANDS

CHANGE IN CONTROL OF THE FIRST STATE BANK OF PLUMMER

TOUPIN AND DUFFY PURCHASED SIMONS AND BOURDON INTEREST

From Saturday's Daily—

A deal has been completed whereby the control of the First State Bank of Plummer passed into the hands of A. P. Toupin and J. A. Duffy president and cashier, respectively of the Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls These gentlemen purchasel the interests of L. C. Simons of St. Paul and C. N. Bourdon of Red Lake Falls.

Messrs. Toupin and Duffy are solid capable business men and there is no doubt that the Plummer bank will have the confidence of the business people of Plummer and the farmers tributary to that village.

FIVE MORE ACCUSED

DEPUTY GAME WARDEN WM. F. MUNCH RETURNS FROM RED LAKE

HE HAS FIVE CASES FOR VIOLATIONS OF GAME LAWS TRIED LATER

From Saturday's Daily—

Deputy Game Warden Wm. Munch of this city, who has made such a splendid record during the past season returned home this morning from a trip to Red Lake Falls where he made five arrests the hearings to be held later on.

The arrests were all for violations of the game laws of the state which Warden Munch has succeeded splendidly thus far in enforcing. His activity has been most commendable, and he is receiving the support of every true sportsman in northern Minnesota There are those who will criticise any officer of the law when their own toes are pinched, but the fearless and absolutely unbiased course of Warden Munch has been such as to elicit the general praise of all those who want to see the game of Minnesota protected and see the laws enforced regardless of whom be hit.

HILLIGOS TOOK BATH

GREAT NORTHERN CONDUCTOR VICTIM OF ACCIDENT AT BAGLEY YESTERDAY

WENT TO CREEK TO GET PAIL OF WATER AND SLIPPED IN ALL OVER

From Saturday's Daily—

Conductor Hilligos, who runs on the Cass Lake line took a bath yesterday at Bagley, and he is not telling about it either. It seems that he left the caboose with a pail to get some water from the river.

As he stooped to fill the bucket his feet slipped and into the creek he went, going under head and all. Being a good swimmer he soon scrambled out, but every stitch of clothing was soaked and as the icy water was not exactly what he was used to, he hustled back to the caboose and on the trip in was in partial dishabille hugging the hot stove and yelling for more steam.

An English Author Wrote:

"No shade, no shine, no fruit, no flowers, no leaves,—November!" Many Americans would add no freedom from catarrh, which is so aggravated during this month that it becomes constantly troublesome. There is abundant proof that catarrh is a constitutional disease. It is related to scrofula and consumption, being one of the wasting diseases. Hood's Sarsaparilla has shown that what is capable of eradicating scrofula, completely cures catarrh, and taken in time prevents consumption. We cannot see how any sufferer can put off taking this medicine, in view of the widely published record of its radical and permanent cures. It is undoubtedly America's Greatest Medicine for America's Greatest Disease—Catarrh.

BACK FROM CHICAGO—Dr. Dryden returned this morning from Chicago where he went with Dr. J. S. Chapin, and took the later train for Euclid where he went to take care of his practice. He says that Dr. Chapin is doing well, and he expects to see him about as usual in a few weeks tho his condition was alarming when he was taken south.

INSTANT RELIEF OF ITCHING HUMOR

Limbs Below the Knees Were Raw—Feet Too Swollen to Get Shoes On—Sleep Completely Broken by Intense Itching and Burning—Well in Two Days and Says That

CUTICURA IS AMONG HIS HOUSEHOLD GODS

"God bless the man who first compounded Cuticura. Some two months ago I had a humor break out on my limbs below my knees. They came to look like raw beefsteak, all red, and no one knows how they itched and burned. They were so swollen that I had to split my drawers open to get them on and could not get my shoes on for a week or more. I used five or six different remedies and got no help, only when applying them the burning was worse and the itching less. One morning I remembered that I had a bit of Cuticura and tried it. From the moment it touched me the itching was gone and I have not felt a bit of it since. The swelling went down and in two days I had my shoes on and was about as usual. I only wish I had used the Cuticura Remedies in the first of my troubles. They would have saved me two or three weeks of intense suffering. During that time I did not sleep an hour at a time, but was up applying such remedies as I had. Henceforth the Cuticura Remedies will be among my household gods, rest assured. George B. Farley, 50 South State St., Concord, N. H., May 14, 1907."

FOR BABY RASHES

Eczemas and Irritations, Cuticura Is Worth Its Weight in Gold.

The suffering which Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have alleviated among the young, and the comfort they have afforded worn-out and worried parents, have led to their adoption in countless homes as priceless for the skin and scalp. Infantile and birth humors, scalled-head, eczemas, rashes, itchings, chafings, and every form of itching, scaly, pimply skin and scalp humors, with loss of hair, are speedily, permanently and economically cured.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults, consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

MALVIN GETS THE MONEY

RED LAKE FALLS CREAMERYMAN CARRIES OFF FIRST PRIZE AT ST. HILAIRE

HIS BUTTER WAS THE BEST OF TWENTY-NINE ENTRIES—IT SCORED 95

P. L. Malvin, manager of the Red Lake Falls creamery can make "smer" all right. A little while ago he carried off second prize in the state butter scoring contest his score at that time being just one-half point less than that of the man who got first place.

This week he won new honors—first prize in the contest conducted at the Red River Valley Dairymen's Convention at St. Hilaire yesterday and today. There were twenty-nine contestants and Malvin's score is 95 The prize is fifteen dollars.

Among the prominent men in attendance were. Prof. Haecker of the State Agricultural school; E. K. Slater, of the State Dairy and Food Commission; John Farrel of Carver, President of the National Buttermakers' Association; Superintendent A. D. Wilson of the Minnesota Farmers' Institute; Wm. F. Shilling, editor of the Northfield News and a prominent dairymen of southern Minnesota.

HUNTERS ARE RETURNING

SOME OF THEM ARE SUCCESSFUL—OTHERS ARE NOT SO MUCH SO

Hunters are beginning to return from the northern woods, some of them successful, others with little or nothing to show for their trip.

E. B. Heiberg, state food inspector arrived from Duluth, this morning, after a hunt on the Grand Marais for four days, with a deer and two large bears, which were the result of his hunting trip to the north shore which he sent to St. Paul.

The Duluth Herald says: "Mr. Heiberg's friends are uncharitable enough to say that the bears were tame ones which had been in captivity for some time, and whose owners wished to be rid of them. But at any rate Mr. Heiberg has the bears as proof of his prowess with the rifle and also the deer which nobody claims was tame."

Mr. Heiberg brands this story as false.

And the woman who looks as tho she had a secret sorrow is always interesting—until she begins to turn it loose.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

WHIRRY LEASES LOCAL CREAMERY

HAS BEEN BUTTER MAKER HERE FOR A LONG TIME AND IS A GOOD ONE

WILL GO AFTER THE BUSINESS FOR CROOKSTON PLANT VIGOROUSLY

From Tuesday's Daily—

F. S. Whirry who has been manager and buttermaker for the Crookston Creamery for a long time past, has completed a deal for the lease of the creamery for a year, and will in the future operate the creamery according to his personal judgment in all things.

Mr. Whirry is one of the leading butter makers in the valley and has always been successful. He intends going after the business for the Crookston plant vigorously and there is no question but what the local plant will be more successful than ever before.

LANDSEEKERS ENTHUSIASTIC

THINK RED RIVER VALLEY WEATHER THE BEST THEY EVER STRUCK

SAYS THIS SECTION CAN PRE-EMPT ITS CLAIM TO BANANA BELT

R. H. Purvis was an arrival this morning from Minneapolis with two prospective land buyers and will remain here for a couple of days. One of the land seekers happened to accost a Journal representative and queried:

"Is this weather made to order just for our special benefit because we are land seekers, or is it such a sample as may be expected?"

He was informed that this was regular November weather and that frequently it continued until the first of the year and sometimes later.

"Well," said he, "I want to tell you one thing, that this is the swellest sample of the work of the weather man that we have experienced in our travels. The Red River Valley seems to be specially favored and you have good reason to feel proud of your locality. All is necessary to settle up this section of the country is to show the land and let land seekers feel the weather."

WINDING UP DITCH WORK

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAKING FINAL INSPECTION OF DITCHES FOR YEAR

WEATHER IDEAL AND GIVES A CHANCE FOR A MOST THORO VIEWING

From Tuesday's Daily—

County Commissioners Clements, Eklund and Thoreson left this morning for Mallory where they were joined by Commissioner Driscoll and spent the day inspecting the ditch near that place which was dug by Contractor Geo. Coulter and recently completed.

They will return this evening and tomorrow will inspect Ditch No. 60 at the State Experimental Farm, recently completed by Contractor John Wyand providing the engineer, Geo A. Ralph is in the city as expected.

The commissioners have one or two other ditches to inspect before concluding that branch of their work this fall, and are pleased that the weather is so fine permitting a very thoro investigation of the work, there being no snow.

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HENDERSON FAMILY BURNED

BROTHER-IN-LAW OF GODFRIED WAGNER AND FAMILY VICTIM OF FIRE

WAGNER FAMILY SUROUNDED BY FOREST BLAZE AND HAD NARROW ESCAPE

From Monday's Daily—

The report which the Journal received last Friday to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. Gotfried Wagner, who formerly resided on the Walter Latta farm near this city had been cremated with their children in a terrible forest fire near Sheboygan, Wis., was incorrect. Their home was surrounded by fire and they had a desperate fight to save their lives.

Further information shows that it was Chas. Henderson, a brother-in-law of Mr. Wagner, who with his wife and children perished in the same fire, they residing a short distance from the Wagners.

This will be equally sad news as the Hendersons formerly resided near Crookston, and Mrs. Henderson was formerly a Miss Tanner of Fisher. The family had many friends to whom this tragic news will come as a sad blow.

RAISED SOME PRIZE HOGS

JOHN SYLVESTERSON MARKETED FOUR SATURDAY WHICH DRESSED 779 POUNDS

THEY WERE A LITTLE OVER 8 MONTHS OLD—THREE BROUGHT $54.43

From Monday's Daily—

Farmers who are getting into the proper breeds of hogs are rapidly demonstrating that nowhere on the face of the earth can better hogs be raised or with greater profit than right here in the Red River Valley.

As an illustration, John Sylvesterson, a farmer residing a few miles from the city, Saturday sold three hogs to Nels Anderson, the South Main street butcher. There were just a little over 8 months old, and weighed 779. They brought the neat sum of $54.43.

They were magnificent specimens of the English Berkshire breed, and averaged 260 apiece at about 8 months old, and it would be a pretty hard matter to go anywhere and find a better record. Mr. Sylvesterson has been in the thorobred hog business now for several years, and others are rapidly getting into good breeds as they learn the wonderful difference there is between the profit on a scrub and a thorobred porker.

FORMER RESIDENT OF CROOKSTON

MRS. JAMES WARING DIES IN A HOSPITAL AT ROCHESTER

Milton Globe: The death of Mrs. James Waring occurred at the hospital in Rochester, Minn., last Thursday afternoon. Altho not entirely unexpected the news came as a shock to the relatives and friends of the deceased. Being notified of her serious illness, the family started for Rochester on Thursday afternoon's train, but got only as far as Park River when a telegram was received conveying the sad news of her death.

The funeral was conducted from the Wroolie residence in this city on Tuesday afternoon to the Lutheran church, where Rev. Myers preached an impressive sermon. The numerous floral tributes and large concourse of sorrowing friends gave evidence of high esteem in which deceased was held by the community. The body was laid to rest in the Odd Fellows' cemetery north of Milton.

Mrs. Waring was born in Telemarken, Norway, and emigrated with her parents to this country when a young girl, settling on a homestead in southern Minnesota.

In the early seventies she moved west with her husband locating at Crookston which was then a mere village. Later the family moved to Grand Forks where they lived until about eight years ago, when they came to Cavalier county and have since made their home on the Johnson & Wroolie farm in Osford township.

Deceased was loved and respected by all who knew her and the kindly hospitality of the Waring home was a household word in the neighborhood. Deceased leaves to mourn her death a husband and five children, namely, Mabel, Hilda, Mrs. Bliven, Charlie and Angie.

When misfortune overtakes a hustler it knows it has been in a race.

KILLED SIX FINE DEER

C. C. HOCH AND WILEY PHILLIPS RETURN FROM SWAN RIVER FROM HUNT

BROUGHT MAGNIFICENT BUCK WITH THEM WHICH DRESSED OVER 200 POUNDS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The hunters are beginning to straggle in from the big game preserves and are reporting varied success. C. C. Hoch and Wiley Phillips who have been located near Swan River returned last evening and their party including A. C. and Harry Schmidt had six fine deer to their credit, one being a magnificent buck weighing over 200 pounds dressed. They report more deer than they have ever seen near Swan River. Thick underbrush however, and lack of snow makes it hard to get at them.

Newbery Brothers, Jas. E. O'Brien and party returned last evening from International Falls where they have been since the 10th and failed to get anything.

None of the Crookston hunters had heard of any fatalities among the hunters in the districts where they were, and are of the opinion that more care is being exercised this year on account of the long list of accidents a year ago.

The Phillip, Hoch, Schmidt party will return to their private preserves again later on and fill their tickets. They have the swellest camp, so it is claimed, in northern Minnesota and seem to be able to land the game.

C. M. Graves and son returned Saturday evening from north of Bemidji where they killed one deer, a bear, a pheasant and a crow. The fact that they landed some big game made their hunt a most satisfactory one.

MRS. HILLYER BADLY BURNED

FORMER MOORHEAD WOMAN ESCAPES FROM NEAR-FATAL ACCIDENT

DURING ENTERTAINMENT AT HOME OF PRESIDENT OF MAYVILLE NORMAL SCHOOL

From Monday's Daily—

News of a near fatal accident to Mrs. T. A. Hillyer, wife of President of the Mayville normal, formerly professor at the Moorhead normal was received in Fargo and Moorhead yesterday by friends of the victim. The accident occurred at an elaborate function at the Hillyer home where members af the faculty of the normal and city schools were entertained. A profusion of candles were used in the decorations and it was when one of these overturned that the clothing of Mrs. Hillyer caught fire. In extinguishing the flames Professor Thompson suffered severely burned hands.

SISTERS REFUSE TO TAKE DARE

AND DOUBLE WEDDING MAKES FOUR PEOPLE HAPPY IN SHORT ORDER

As a result of a dare, Oacama, S. D., was the scene of a romantic double wedding after a midnight journey of the principals from the extreme southern part of Lyman county to the county seat at Oacama. The principals were Geo. Sweet, of Gregory, and Miss Minnie Austin, and Guy Stearns of Ottumwa, and Miss Sadie Austin. The brides are sisters and the grooms are cousins. The two young men were visiting the sisters and made the daring jest that the sisters had not the nerve to accompany them to the county seat at once and be married. The sisters accepted the dare and the four started on their long journey to Oacama, arriving there at 3 a. m. The services of Rev. N. H. May were secured and the marriage ceremony performed.

HOLD UP PROVED A DRUNKEN ROW

Last evening there were riotous doings for a time on Gorgas Avenue. Ole Bernison was accosted by Will Wagner and ordered to throw up his hands and divide up his "pot." Ole threw up his hands all right but brought them down on Bagner's neck and the two engaged in a fistic encounter. Men nearby rushed to the scene and separated them. The police was called and Capt. Vonderbeck placed them both under arrest. It proved but a drunken squabble but Wagner was given 30 days in jail this morning for being drunk and disorderly by Judge Gossman in municipal court.

Both men are strangers in the city.

BEST TIME TO TAKE

DIRECTIONS TO PREPARE A SIMPLE MIXTURE—GIVES DOSE TO TAKE

TELLS YOU HOW TO OVERCOME RHEUMATISM WITH SIMPLE RECIPE

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the following valuable tho simple and harmless, prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

THOUGHT HE WAS DIVORCED

MAN CHARGED WITH HAVING TWO WIVES; ONE IN DULUTH —WOOED SECOND

WIFE IN CROOKSTON MARRIAGE BEING PERFORMED IN MINNEAPOLIS

From Monday's Daily—

Charged with bigamy David Gray, was arrested by detectives in Minneapolis Sunday. Gray is said to have a wife and a 14-year old daughter in Duluth and another wife and a 3-months' old baby girl in Minneapolis.

Gray admits that he once had another wife, but claims he thought he had secured a divorce from her some time ago. He says he gave a Duluth lawyer $10 for a divorce and that the attorney then handed him a receipt and told him he was a free man. He does not remember the attorney's name.

The story Gray tells is that he married Mrs. Gray No. 1 at Faribault, his old home in 1894. From there the couple went to Scanlon, Minn., where Gray had a small farm well stocked.

Owing however to a scarcity of work in the vicinity he was forced to seek employment in another town While he wa sabsent his wife became enamored of a boarder, who was stopping with them and the couple left for parts unknown, taking Gray's then infant daughter with them.

Since that time Grays says he has not heard from his first wife. Finally he went to Duluth and secured what he thought was a divorce from her. Then he journeyed to Crookston, where he met and wooed and won Miss Olive Hamilton. Later he went to Minneapolis the girl followed and they were married in the courthouse on July 15 last.

Mrs. Gray No. 2 was first informed of her husband's plight thru a telephone message last night.

BIG RAILROAD MAGNATES

Enroute east after having inspected their holding on the Pacific coast, a party of notable railroad officials passed thru Crookston Saturday night enroute to St. Paul. Among the party was James J. Hill and Louis Hill of the Great Northern; Howard Elliott, president of the Northern Pacific; Geo. T. Slade general manager and J. W. Woodward traffic manager; Geo. B. Harris, president and James Miller traffic manager of the Burlington.

Hexamethyrenetetramine

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. Hexamethylenetetramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. Sold by All Druggists.

INSTALLATION VERY IMPRESSIVE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Council for the Installation of Rev. C. C. Warner is holding its sessions today. A representative attendance of clergymen and delegates from neighboring churches is present including the Rev. R. A. Beard Rev. G. J. Powell, Rev. E. H. Stickney and President Vitum, of Fargo, Rev. J. H. Batten and Jas. Twambley Esq., of Grand Forks, Rev. G. A. Traut of Moorhead, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hampson and Rev. and Mrs. Henry Symons of Ada, Rev. and Mrs. Edmund Larke of Bagley, Rev. T. W. Barbour, Cass Lake, Rev. E. A. Mirick, McIntosh and Rev. Mr. Hawkes of Glyndon, with Rev. Dr. Merrill of Minneapolis who arrives at 4:41 today for the evening session.

At 10::30 a Fellowship Meeting was held. Topics of interest to the visitors were discussed including the missionary work of the denomination, the Laymen's Movement, Fargo College and the like.

The Council proper convened at 2:30 at the Congregational church. Rev. G. A. Traut, Moorhead, was chosen Moderator and Mr. Andrews, of Ada, Socribe. After making out the roll the proceedings of the church in calling its pastor and the acceptance of that call were introduced. The ministerial credentials of the ccandidate were presented, namely his letter of dismission from Webster City Association, Iowa, to the Northern Pacific Conference of Congregational churches, and copies of resolutions passed by the Association and the Eldora church. The latter reads as follows:

"Resolution—That we recognize in Rev. Charles C. Warner, a preacher of unusual power, thoroly trained for his work; a man of great force of character, devoted to the interests of his church, and to the welfare of the kingdom of God in the community; of a very kindly Christian spirit, upright and straight in all his dealings in our town; that our most hearty good wishes for his prosperity and usefulness go with him to his new parish."

That from the Iowa Association reads:

Resolution—That the W. C. Association loses thru Brother Warner's removal a most valued member and a brother beloved.

Resolution—That we consider the most faithful way in which Brother Warner executed the arduous duties devolving upon him as Registrar of this Association and his assiduity in attending its sessions worthy of the imitation of all officers and members of the Association. We congratulate the Northern Pacific Conference of Congregational Churches and Ministers on their acquisition of so efficient and valuable a worker."

The candidate Rev. C .C. Warner, presented a statement of faith under the title, The Fundamentals of Christianity. We can give a synopsis of the paper but it lacks the force and vividness of the fuller statement.

Fundamentals of Christianity

I. Fundamentals of Faith.

1. First in my view is the Bible. I hold it in holy reverence. First lessons were learned in childhood at family worship. I believe it today as bringing humanity "religious truth without admixture of religious error." Its authority is by virtue of inspiration by the Holy Spirit. The same Spirit is needful today to inspire the reader.

Problems of the Higher Critic do not disturb. All views arising thence must be held reverently and taught in a way that will not disturb the faith of such as may not be informed in the modern researches.

2. Second fundamental in Faith is Deity. The doctrine of the Trinity is heartily accepted tho not possible of full explanation. The Divinity of Christ and His complete Humanity are held and freely taught. The Holy Spirit, God with us in this dispensation of grace, is held to be the Divine One abiding with believers and the church applying redemption to human souls and perfecting Christian character thru sanctification, and making conquest of the world as God with His Word and Work today.

3. Third fundamental of Faith is Man. He is a free moral agent. He came to be thru Divine Creation thru no matter what natural or material development. He is immortal as to his spiritual nature.

4. Fourth fundamental of Faith is Sin. Man knows it. He has universally tried to expiate his guilt. His whole being is cursed by its fatal influence.

5. Final fundamental of Faith is Redemption. "For God so loved the world that he gave his begotten Son, etc." Man has never been able to redeem himself. Christ died because his death was necessary in order to provide a way of salvation for sinners.

II. Fundamentals in Experience.

1. Conversion is first. It is the manward side of the application of redemption. It may date from merest childhood so that the person has no knowledge of a time when he did not love Christ or it may be like that of the Prodigal.

2. Spiritual Growth. The birth from above is to be followed by a life also from above. It included advance in faith and obedience and love thru the use of the means of Christian grace.

III. Fundamentals in Experience.

1. Righteousness. A life of personal morality is required of the Christian. There must be a consistent exhibition of the spirit of Jesus. The fellowship of Christians should promote the organization of Society after the great commandments of the gospel—love to God and to one another.

2. Usefulness. Here belongs the church as the organization of believers for service. The various means of Christian training and exercise in testimony, worship, and benevolence, including all forms of evangelization are to be recognized and employed to the fullest extent.

The candidate here gave a brief outline of his personal and professional life.

The reading of this paper was followed by other proceedings to be reported tomorrow.

The Council voted to be by itself and in private session individual expression of opinion was sought.

A Committee on Installation. Exercises reported the following program for the evening session, at 8 o'clock.

1 Organ Voluntary, Mrs. G. O. Riggs
2. Anthem, "I will Lay Me .... Down", ...Trio
3 Reading of the Scriptures.
4 Anthem, "But the Lord is Mindful of His Own" ....Choir
5 Prayer.
6 Result of Council, by Moderator.
7 Solo, "Fear Not Ye, O, Israel" .. ..L. S. Miller
8 Sermon, Rev. R. A. Beard, D. D. Fargo, N. Dak.
9 Solo ... ...Mrs. C. C. Warner
10 Installing Prayer, Rev. Edmund Vittum, Pres. Fargo College
11 Right Hand of Fellowship, Rev. G. A. Traut, Moorhead
12 Charge to Pastor and People, Rev. G. R. Merrill D. D. Minneapolis.
13 Congregational Hymn.
14 Benediction by the Pastor, Rev. C. C. Warner

It takes an exceptionally smooth confidence man to sell mining stock to a miner.

A woman can fire a line of talk straighter than she can hurl a stone.

A man with a lot of money is always a great help to himself.

Secrets a woman can't tell worry her as much as the money she can't spend.

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To The Farmer

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CUMMINS ELECTED TO U. S. SENATE

Historical Society

LIFE AMBITION OF IOWA MAN REACHED AFTER LONG HARD FIGHT—GARST NAMED AS NEXT GOVERNOR—BIG RECEPTION HELD FOR THE TWO MEN WHO WERE APPOINTED—GARST IS NOW ACTING GOVERNOR OF IOWA

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 25—The Hon. A. B. Cummins was chosen United States senator today to fill out the unexpired term caused by the death of the late Senator Allison which would have expired March 4, 1909, and Warren Garst was selected as governor to fill out the unexpired term of Cummins, who would have completed seven years as Iowa's chief executive, on January 15, 1909.

Following the election of Cummins, to the senate by a vote of 109 to 35 at 12:20 Lieutenant Governor Garst at 3 o'clock was duly inaugurated and assumed the reins of the office immediately. A reception at which thousands attended was held in the capitol building at 8 o'clock. Governor Garst and Senator Cummins stood in line for more than two hours receiving the congratulations of Iowans. Chief Justice Ladd administered the oath of office to Governor Garst. Senator Cummins will go to Washington early next month to be officially sworn in.

Albert B. Cummins.

MO. VOTES ALL TAFT

Gov. Folk Decides Disputed Question About Electors.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 24.—Gov. Joseph W. Folk Monday afternoon decided that, under the Missouri statute, all the electoral votes of the state should go to William H. Taft.

This decision was made in spite of the fact that Brannock, the Bryan elector for the Sixteenth congressional district, received more votes than Kiel, the second Republican elector-at-large, who received the lowest vote on the Republican electoral ticket. Brannock, however, received fewer votes than the Republican elector for the Sixteenth district. The Missouri statute requires that an elector shall reside in the district for which he is elected.

Taking the vote of the first elector as a basis, the plurality of Taft in Missouri is 1,026. Both the Democratic and Republican electors in the Sixteenth district ran ahead of their respective electoral tickets. This is explained by the theory that some of the voters in the Sixteenth district voted only for the district elector.

Capt. Patrick Henry Is Dead.

Clarksville, Tenn., Nov. 24.—Capt. Patrick Henry, who spent much time in Washington for 20 years as the official representative of the levee board of the Mississippi river, died at his home here early Monday. He was a collateral relative of Patrick Henry of the revolutionary period, was 62 years old and was a graduate of the Virginia Military institute. He had a wide acquaintance among public men in all parts of the country.

Accused Banker Out on Bail.

New Orleans, Nov. 24.—William Adler, president of the defunct State National bank, pleaded not guilty to the charge of misappropriating the funds of that institution before Judge Saunders in the federal court Monday. Mr. Adler was released under the original bond of $10,000.

Strike Breakers at Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 24.—Strike breakers to work on the wharves of the Louisville & Nashville railroad arrived here Monday on special trains from points in Kentucky and Alabama. Nearly 300 negro laborers accompanied by half a hundred detectives were brought in during the day and sent to the three export wharves to load and unload steamships which had been idle for three days on account of the walkout of all the longshoremen in the employ of the company.

TRUST NOT J. D.'S IDEA

ROCKEFELLER GIVES CREDIT TO FLAGLER AND TODD.

Asserts They Were Master Architects of the Combine—Cross-Examination Is Severe.

New York, Nov. 24.—Credit for the creation of the Standard Oil trust, which counsel for the federal government claim still exists as the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, was given by John D. Rockefeller, as a witness Monday under cross-examination in the federal suit to dissolve the Standard, to two men—Henry M. Flagler and Samuel C. T. Todd.

To these two master architects of the oil combine Mr. Rockefeller gave full credit, saying that he was sure it was not himself as he did not possess the ability for so progressive a move.

Mr. Rockefeller spent an arduous day on the stand under the incessant questioning of Frank B. Kellogg, the government counsel, and when adjournment was taken he gave every evidence of delight that the day was done.

Frank B. Kellogg, who with other government investigators has been endeavoring for over a year to locate the missing stock transfer books of the Standard Oil trust, sought Monday through Mr. Rockefeller to find the missing trail of these books and Mr. Rockefeller promised to do what he could to find them. Mr. Rockefeller's examination carried him through the period of the Standard Oil trust and the years of its subsequent liquidation which lasted from 1892 to 1899.

Mr. Rockefeller's memory at times was not clear on the definite details of this trust liquidation period and he told counsel that he could not recall many of the incidents and developments of that time. During the day Mr. Kellogg developed from Mr. Rockefeller that early in the industrial existence of the Standard the presidents of two railroad companies, together with several railroad directors, were stockholders in the oil combination.

After adjournment Mr. Rockefeller told an inquiring audience of reporters that there were better things in the world than making money and since 1891 he had been gradually retiring from business. He added: "There is more important work than making money and there is much for me to do. I belong to the Brotherhood of Man."

TORNADO IN ARK.

One Report Says That Ten Persons Were Killed.

Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 24.—It is reported here that a tornado passed near Ozark, Mulberry and Berryville, Ark., late Monday, killing ten persons.

St. Louis, Nov. 24.—A special to the Globe-Democrat says that a tornado struck Berryville, Ark., Monday afternoon, injuring three persons, and demolishing about a dozen houses and stores. No one was killed. Berryville is a town of 600 people in Carroll county, the northeastern part of the state. It is about 70 miles north of London.

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AT MERCY OF GERMANS

LORD ROBERTS STIRS PEERS BY ALARMIST SPEECH.

HE WANTS GREATER ARMY

Declares Kaiser Could Easily Land Forces in England and Compel Submission to Humiliating Demands.

London, Nov. 24.—Speaking in the house of lords Monday night, Field Marshal Lord Roberts expressed the conviction that the lack of a military force to make hopeless the attempt of an invasion would, in all probability, be the cause of the loss of Great Britain's supremacy at sea.

In a studied speech he pointed out the comparative ease with which Germany could land an army on the shores of England. Under the present conditions England would be forced, he said, to submit to most humiliating demands.

He disclaimed all hostility to or fear of Germany; but he declared that the defense of the islands required immediate attention. There should be an army so strong in numbers and efficient in quality that the most formidable of foreign nations would hesitate to make a landing in England.

No Trouble for Germany.

He had ascertained, the speaker continued, that vessels capable of accommodating 200,000 men always were available in the northern ports of Germany, and that as a result of the new German service law 200,000 men could be collected in the districts of the nearest port without any trouble. The great German steamship lines were in constant practice in embarking and disembarking, and as the railroads were owned by the state, all preliminaries, up to the actual dispatch of troops, could be carried out with the utmost secrecy.

Germany was perfectly aware, the field marshal went on, that it would be essential for her transports to evade the British fleet, and she could easily distract attention by small raids while the main disembarkation was proceeding undisturbed.

Danger Increases Daily.

"It would be folly," declared Lord Roberts, "to shut our eyes to these possibilities, however much peace is desired. The startling events in the near east have brought home to the most careless observer that nothing could save that country which is not prepared to protect itself. If Great Britain continues to neglect the most ordinary precautions she may some day find herself in the hands of the invader and forced to submit to the most humiliating conditions. This danger is daily becoming more threatening. Within a decade Germany has created the greatest sea power that ever existed, except Great Britain, and at the present moment formidable measures are being taken to increase that power. It is calculated that there are 80,000 Germans in employment in Great Britain. They are trained soldiers and if a German force once landed on these shores they would be ready to help."

Speech Causes Sensation.

Lord Roberts' speech caused a sensation in the house. The earl of Crewe remarked on the seriousness of such statements in the present high-strung condition of Europe's nerves, saying he feared there might be regrettable consequences.

Lord Roberts' resolution to the effect that the defense of the islands necessitates the immediate attention of the government to make provision for such a strong and efficient army "that the most formidable foreign nation will hesitate before making an attempt at landing" was adopted by a vote of 74 to 32.

A FIGHT FOR MEXICO'S OIL

INDIANAPOLIS COMPANY HAS ACQUIRED CONCESSIONS.

IS HEADED BY W. K. BELLIS

Standard, Pearsons and Others Are Contestants — Barnsdall Getting Control of the Western Gas Territory.

City of Mexico, Nov. 24.—It is declared that during the coming year a fight on a large scale will be waged in the republic of Mexico for control of the local oil market and of the rich and vast fields which experts declare will be opened up. The chief contestants in this struggle will be the Standard Oil Company and S. Pearsons & Sons, Limited, an English corporation.

New companies, however, are constantly acquiring immense tracts, although most of this is being done quietly. The latest to enter the Mexican field is an Indianapolis corporation capitalized at 40,000,000 pesos.

Big Concession Obtained.

It was made public Monday that this company had acquired concessions from the federal government and from the state of Chihuahua to explore 10,000,000 acres of land in the eastern part of that state. The president of the new corporation is W. K. Bellis of Indianapolis. Meanwhile it is stated that a syndicate headed by W. R. Hearst and James R. Keene have acquired rights over 220,000 acres in eastern Chihuahua.

The Standard Oil Company is reported to have recently purchased large tracts of oil land in the state of Tamaulipas.

Barnsdall Gets Western Gas.

New York, Nov. 24.—Reports from Pittsburg say that Theodore N. Barnsdall and associates have practically obtained control of all gas territory west of the Mississippi river, having recently acquired, it is rumored, control of the gas fields of the states of Oklahoma and Kansas.

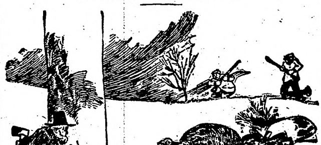
It is said that Mr. Barnsdall is planning to lay a 24-inch main from Oklahoma to St. Louis, a distance of 400 miles, which will cost about $7,500,000. Added to this another $7,500,000 will be expended before the natural gas will be piped into the homes of St. Louis, as it is explained that the city, being tubed for artificial gas, must be retubed for natural gas.

The belief is entertained in some quarters that Mr. Barnsdall is acting for the Standard Oil Company in the deal. It is recalled that the fact was brought out about a year ago in testimony in the Standard Oil suit that the latter company had made a loan of $7,500,000 to Barnsdall.

Pursuing Murderous Half-Breed.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 24.—Warrants were issued Monday by the United States and Canadian authorities for Joseph Gooselake, a half-breed who murderously assaulted Joseph Copeland, an Emerson (Man.) farmer, Saturday night. Gooselake is making for the bush of the Two Rivers country in North Dakota and is armed with revolvers and guns. He is being pursued by deputies.

GETTING IT FROM BOTH SIDES.



TARIFF PROBERS INVITE CARNEGIE

COMMITTEE WISHES TO HEAR HIM ON IRON AND STEEL—IS RESULT O FHIS ARTICLE—IMPORT TAX ON TILES, LIME, CEMENT AND KINDRED MANUFACTURES IS CONSIDERED AT A LONG SESSION

Washington, Nov. 24.—As a result of the declaration of Andrew Carnegie in an article in the forthcoming number of the Century Magazine that the tariff schedules on iron and steel should be reduced, the ways and means committee of the house Monday night formally invited Mr. Carnegie to appear before it this week to tell what he knows about the steel industry and the possibility of the reduction of the tariff on iron and steel products.

The committee desires him to appear, temporarily, Wednesday, when the iron and steel schedule will be taken up in the hearing now being held by the committee looking toward a revision of the tariff. The hearings on the iron and steel rates will continue until Friday and if Mr. Carnegie finds is impossible to appear Wednesday the committee is anxious to hear him on Thursday or Friday.

Invitation to Ironmaster.

The telegram was as follows:

"Washington, Nov. 23, 1908.—Mr. Andrew Carnegie, New York City: This committee will have a hearing on the iron and steel schedule Wednesday, the twenty-fifth instant, and continuing Friday, the twenty-seventh. We would be very glad to have you appear before the committee on one of these days for instance, (temporarily on Wednesday), and give the committee such information as you are able upon the subject. The daily sessions commence at 9:30 a. m. Sereno E. Payne, chairman."

ANDREW CARNEGIE.

The members of the committee were a unit in refusing to discuss Mr. Carnegie's article, although all of them admitted having read it as published.

Tiles and Lime Considered.

Sitting in a long night session to consider the tariff schedules on tiles, lime, cement, carbons and kindred articles, the committee put in at work Monday.

In the course of the night session, H. L. Sheppard and Orin F. Perry of the Rockland-Rockport (Me.) Lime Company, were put through a grilling examination when they asked that the present duty of five cents a hundred pounds on lime be maintained.

Mr. Perry asserted that his company was organized in 1900, when seven or eight firms were purchased. He admitted the price of lime had advanced ever since.

Chairman Payne asked why his firm was the only one that demands a duty.

"Because we are so near to the Canadian manufacturers and because ours is the best made in the United States," he repeated.

"Why, we have the best in the world right in New York," declared Mr. Payne, with a show of state pride.

"Yes, we sell most of our product in New York," retorted Mr. Perry.

Using figures furnished him, Representative Clark figured out that the company is making 24 per cent. profit.

Official Vote of Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 24.—The state canvassing board Monday finished its canvass of the election returns. The total vote cast in Kansas for president was 375,895, as follows: Taft, 197,166; Bryan, 161,209; Debs (Soc.), 12,420; Chafin (Pro.), 5,032; scattering, 68. Taft's plurality, 35,957. W. R. Stubbs (Rep.), vote for governor was 196,692; Botkin (Dem.), 162,385; Stubbs' plurality, 34,307. The two amendments submitted, one providing for increased pay for legislators and the other relating to pay of probate judges, were both overwhelmingly defeated.

A jealous man appears to almost as good advantage as a jealous woman.

It's easier to lead a balky horse to water than it is to drive him to a wagon.

Won't Exhibit Hunting Trophies.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 24.—President Roosevelt will not make a display at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition of the trophies of his African hunt next year. In reply to a formal request, sent two weeks ago, Secretary Loeb for the president has replied that it will be impossible to comply.

Two Minnesota Boys Drowned.

Cass Lake, Minn., Nov. 24.—Albert Gamache and Charles Dupont, boys, were drowned near here while skating on thin ice.

CUTS HER HEAD OFF

SHOCKING MURDER COMMITTED BY MAN AT CARONA, KAN.

With One Slash of Razor He Decapitates Neighbor Who Quarreled with His Wife.

Pittsburg, Kan., Nov. 24.—Following a neighborhood quarrel at Carona, 20 miles south of here, Hezekiah Stradler, a carpenter aged 20 years, slashed Mrs. Butts, his next-door neighbor, with a razor, cutting her head entirely off.

The murdered woman was housekeeper for Stradler's cousin, who lived next door. Trouble started between Stradler's wife and Mrs. Butts, following an old neighborhood feud. The men, it seems, had not been paying much attention to the trouble between the two women. When the trouble broke out again and angry words were hurled across the backyard fence, Mrs. Butts picked up a brick and hurled it at Mrs. Stradler, cutting a gash in her mouth.

Mr. Stradler then, getting his razor, attacked Mrs. Butts. He made one slash with the razor and the head of Mrs. Butts was cut off clean at the shoulders, the head rolling into the yard, while the body of the murdered woman fell bleeding at his feet. Stradler was arrested.

PYTHIANS CELEBRATE

Fortieth Anniversary of First Western Lodge Is Observed.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 24.—Six thousand members of the Knights of Pythias Monday began a celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the establishment of the first lodge west of the Allegheny mountains. That lodge, known as Nebraska No. 1, was founded in Omaha November 23, 1868, with nine members, George H. Crager instituting the lodge.

The meetings are being held at the Auditorium where the famed Iola team of Dayton, O., Monday afternoon gave a portrayal of "Damon and Pythias" in tableaux. Mayor Dahlman delivered the address of welcome which was responded to by John C. Cleland of Fremont, grand chancellor for Nebraska.

A feature of the evening program was the conferring of the third rank on a class of 1,080 members, the largest ever taken into that rank at one time. Eight states are participating in the celebration and many others have sent representatives.

Harlan Revisits His Alma Mater.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 24.—After an absence of many years, Justice John M. Harlan of the United States supreme court returned Monday to do honor to his alma mater, Transylvania university. His visit was made a gala event at the university, the leading citizens of the city attending to meet the distinguished jurist.

Emma Eames Not to Retire.

New York, Nov. 24.—Since Mme. Emma Eames, the operatic star, announced she would not return to New York in opera next winter, reports have been in circulation that she intended retiring from the stage. It is now announced that Mme. Eames has no intention of giving up her operatic career.

$100,000 TO BOOST STATE

NEW STATE LEGISLATURE WILL BE ASKED TO APPROPRIATE

CLYDE J. PRYOR OF BEMIDJI INTERVIEWED IN ST. PAUL BY PIONEER PRESS

NOT ONLY SETTLERS ARE DESIRED BUT TOURISTS AS WELL

The following is taken from the St. Paul Pioneer Press:

Clyde J. Pryor of Bemidji is preparing a canvass of the state legislators on the question of giving to the state board of immigration $100,000 the coming year for the purpose of advertising and furthering the interests of the state of Minnesota.

Mr. Pryor is the member of the executive committee of the State Federation of Commercial Clubs from the Ninth congressional district. He was in St. Paul yesterday and approached many state politicians with his cause.

"The state board of immigration last year only received $12,000 to extend its campaign after paying its own operating expenses. From this it got 60,000 letters in reply. The pathway of immigration into Minnesota as into the whole Northwest should be made smooth and the volume of these letters would increase and settlers and tourists would come into Minnesota in marvelously increasing numbers.

Seek Tourist Business

"Settlers, of course, are not our only object. We realize the great advantage of a high class of tourists. They spend much money here and would carry information of this territory to people of the East and other countries from which undoubted return would be continually reaped.

"We will present by mail to each and every legislator of the state a series of questions with respect to the plans of the State Federation of Commercial Clubs in connection with the hundred thousand dollar appropriation to the state board of immigration. These answers will be collated and upon them we will base a large part of our campaign."

Each member of the executive committee will submit his idea of what questions should be asked the state legislators to Secretary Curtis L. Mosher of the bureau of publicity of the State Federation of Commercial Clubs and from these various ideas will be drawn the circular for submission to the legislators, many of whom already have signified their approval of the federation's plans.

TWO INDIANS AS GUESTS

SHERIFF GONYEA HAS TWO ABORIGINES AT THE POLK CO., JAIL

BROUGHT HERE BY GAME WARDEN MUNCH FOR KILLING DEER

From Friday's Daily—

Sheriff Gonyea has two Indians as guests Fred Aganash and Joe Wadena They were brought here this morning from Mahnomen Co., for violating the game laws by killing big game out of season, by Game Warden Munch and Deputy Sheriff Kejune of Mahnomen Co., there being no county jail at that place, and will serve a term of 30 and 60 days each respectively.

Fred Aganash was arrested Oct. 7 for trapping out of season, pled guilty and after a stay of 60 days was sentenced by Judge A. G. Shulind of Mahnomen to 30 days in jail or a fine of $28.20.

Wadena was arrested Sept. 25 for killing a cow and a bull moose was re arrested Oct 7th plead guilty and after a stay of 60 days was sentenced to 60 days in jail or a fine of $119.80.

Tuesday last Warden Munch arrested Na-ta-wash at Mahnomen for selling wild ducks. He paid a fine before Judge Shulind of $14.60.

Warden Munch returned this morning but at once left for Brooks where he has another hen on.

There isn't anything very far wrong with a man who can find nothing that in his opinion, beats staying at home.

A mother's idea of as good luck as any one can ask for is to occasionally find a pair of stockings in the pile that doesn't need darning.

The woman are learning more about busiess matters every day, but the men are not taking any more interest in cooking. It seems that in the course of a few years women will have everything to do.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

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A SUICIDE NEAR BAGLEY

CHRIST TRULSON HANGS SELF IN AN APPLEBY SHANTY

HAD BEEN DRINKING HEAVY AND BECAME MENTALLY DERANGED

From Friday's Daily—

Thursday at noon Sheriff and Coroner Wagner of Clearwater Co., were called out to the Appleby shanty south of Bagley where Christ Truelson had been found dead yesterday morning, by his brother Truls. Truls had missed his brother and was around looking for him when he entered the Appleby shanty on the eighty that his brother Christ had bought last spring where he saw him sitting on the bed, apparently drunk or asleep. He spoke to him but received no reply. Upon investigation he found a small string around the man's neck and fastened to a nail in the celing. He was dead. Beside him on the bed lay an almost empty bottle. This was the only clew to a possible cause. Mr. Trulson immediately went home got his horse and went after sheriff and coroner.

Mr. Holst upon returning stated that there were no signs of foul play. It was clearly a suicide.

The event was not surprising to several people as they remembered that Christ had been into the hardware store at Bagley Monday trying to buy a revolver. He also told another man who slept with him at the hotel that the devil had been after him a whole week now.

He was drinking quite freely while at Bagley.

Dr. Olson of Erskine was in the city from Erskine yesterday on professional business.

SUNFLOWER PHILOSOPHY
(Atchison Globe)

A man and his political prophecies are soon busted.

A girl makes love to a man by making him do it to her.

The thing that makes a woman happy is to imagine she is.

Women put on their stockings first so that if anybody should come in they will feel dressed.

No matter from what point of view you take a fat woman in, all of her seems to be on that side.

Little girls and engaged girls do not care about boys at parties.

There are as many stories told on a jealous woman as there are on one who flirts.

The man who amounts to nothing usually resents it when another man does.

When a man finds a nice, old-fashioned well he also finds that not long ago a cat fell in it.

A man and woman can argue pleasantly until they marry each other, and then they can't.

When a husband is mean patience in his wife is never regarded by any of the neighbors as a virtue.

The expression "They say" has ruined many a man.

You laugh at some people; others laugh at you.

Did you ever notice how hard it is for people to get along with each other?

If you should die and find yourself a ghost is there any one you would haunt?

There is always something happening to keep you excited.

The long run seems to demonstrate that the man who was a little selfish displayed more sense than those more generous.

The girl who comes out plain every once in a while with the words: "I cannot afford it; we are too poor," is not a general favorite in society, but when she marries, she is a great favorite with her husband.

Every little while we meet a young man who has deliberately set out to be president, after models found in the school books. Such a man is always disagreeable. A young man who attempts to act like Abe Lincoln is little less than a nuisance.

There is only one thing people like that is good for them—a good night's sleep.

BEST TIME TO TAKE

DIRECTIONS TO PREPARE A SIMPLE MIXTURE—GIVES DOSE TO TAKE

TELLS YOU HOW TO OVERCOME RHEUMATISM WITH SIMPLE RECIPE

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the following valuable tho simple and harmless, prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

ADA FIRE BOYS ELECT OFFICERS

H. W. THUNE CHOSEN TO BE CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT

At the regular meeting of the Ada fire department was held at the city hall at that place Wednesday evening the advisability of joining the state firemen's relief association was discussed and a committee was appointed to confer with the city council to investigate the matter and report to the department at the next regular meeting.

This being the annual meeting, the election of officers for the ensuing year was taken up, which resulted as follows: H. W. Thune, chief; Claud Simpson secretary; Isidore Roesch treasurer; Dr. Bjorn physician. The chief appointed Mike Roesch as his assistant. G. Kittilson was elected captain of hose cart No. 1 Matt Hoch captain of No. 2 and Claud Simpson captain of the hook and ladder. The executive committee is composed of N. L. Nelson, Jacob Rigg an dG. Kittilson

BUTLER BROS. UP AGAINST IT

Butler Bros., who built the state capitol and a portion of the state hospital in Fergus Falls had a rather interesting experience with the tariff not long ago. They were building a tunnel under the river at Detroit to connect the American and Canadian sides. In its construction they had to excavate a good deal on the Canadian side and fill on the American side so they loaded the clay, as it proved to be onto scows and took it across to the American side. A customs officer met them with the first load and assessed them a dollar a ton, that being the tariff on clay under the Dingley bill.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure —F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Tolemade by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan do, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

No matter how smart a woman thinks a man is, she is clever enough to flatter him by making him believe she thinks it's a lot more than she does.

Don't long for good luck. It will only result in an extra dose of bad luck

DISTRICT COURT HAS ADJOURNED

THE NOVEMBER TERM IN NORMAN COUNTY BROUGHT TO A CLOSE

AT ADA YESTERDAY JUDGE GRINDELAND OF WARREN PRESIDED

The Norman County district court adjourned at Ada yesterday after having disposed of several important cases.

The Schulz case which was on trial last week was decided against the defendamt.

In the suit for damages for injuries received from falling on a broken sidewalk wherein Agnes Lystrem sued the City of Ada for $2,000 the jury brought in a verdict of $280 for the plaintiff. It is probable that an appeal will be taken to the supreme court.

In the action entitled C. R. Andrews & Co., vs. J. W. Snider et al, a suit to recover on a note, plaintiff was awarded a verdict for the face value of the note.

The suits brought by a number of land owners in Lockhart against A. Perusse, the ditch contractor, for damages sustained from overflow were continued until next term.

Criminal Cases

The case of the state of Minnesota against Gilbert Olson was dismissed.

After being out two days and nights the jury in the case of state against Ernest Pinske failed to agree and was dismissed by Judge Grindeland last night. Pinske was indicted by the grand jury on a charge of injuring the highway. The jury stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

THE GOVERNOR'S VICTORY

Milbank, S. D., Review: Under all of the circumstances his success is indeed a marvel. It can be accounted for by the fact that he has made a a safe, conservative and hard working public official, and to those who know or have seen him they understand the man. His triumph at this time without doubt makes him a national character and with one consent he now becomes the choice of the Democratic party as its candidate for the presidency four years hence. There were many within the party who while admiring Bryan for his great and good personal qualities, and who agreed with him in his political economic policies nevertheless honestly believed that Governor Johnson would have made a stronger presidential candidate at this time and would have been elected. However that may have been, there is little doubting that the Democratic party will now with one accord look forward to victory four years hence with John A. Johnson as their standard bearer.

Springfield, Mass., Republican (Ind) Governor John A. Johnson three times elected governor of the strong Republican state of Minnesota, and twice in presidential years, looms large in the eyes of Democratic newspapers. The Cleveland (Ohio) Plaindealer comments: "Governor Johnson may not be the Democratic nominee four years hence, but it is no rash assertion to state that if a Democratic national convention were to be held this week the Minnesota man would be speedily selected."

Cleveland, (Ohio) Plaindealer: Of course there may be nothing in it, but Governor John Johnson might just as well put on his rubbers when the walking is bad and carefully watch his digestion thus keeping himself in trim for the year 1912.

Madison Independent Press (Rep): Not having noticed any message under a Madison date congratulating Governor Johnson on the outcome of the late unpleasantness, we wish at this late date to congratulate him upon his splendid victory and at the same time assure him that we did the best we could to "bust" him up in business.

Morris Sun (Rep.): The Republican party of this state might try endorsing Johnson.

Trying Times

These are parlous times for autocrats and warlords. The czar of Russia has had to call a parliament, such as it is, the sultan of Turkey has had to do the same and yield still further the empress dowager of China has had to make her first and last surrender and the emperor of Germany finds he is not the whole thing in the German Government. Perhaps some day the speaker of the American house of representatives may get his comb cut.—St. Paul Dispatch.

There is entirely too much remedy in this country that is not applied.

TURKEY LOW IF MERCURY'S HIGH

THANKSGIVING BIRD AND THE WEATHER ARE ON TEETER-TOTTER

IF THE WEATHER CONTINUES WARM GOBBLER WILL BE REASONABLE

It's not going to be Willie's fault if he does not get all the turkey he wants this Thanksgiving. The twin city market is simply flooded with the Thanksgiving bird, and more are coming all the time—alive, dressed and every way they can be transported, coming by the carload.

Some one will probably say: "They are plentiful, but the price is prohibitive," that's the way it seems at present, when the price is soaring at eighteen cents for the dressed fowl. But listen! There's a conspiracy some where. The weather man promises warmer weather for the immediate future, and who will say that it will not be warm for a week? Here is the scheme: If it is warm until next Monday, the market is going to take a big slump, just as if the bottom dropped out. Then turkeys will be at 12½ cents a pound and no one is going to stop buying turkey with the price so low. Then, too, they say that some men desire a low market, and the poor turkeys are doomed to wabble around the streets begging to be eaten.

But if It's Cold, Then—

But if the cold snap should come the tables will be turned and the bird still roosts high on the 18-cent limb But as conditions are now, the market men can't keep the turkeys under any circumstances and must dispose of them as quickly as possible.

Everything points to a merry feast next Thursday for altho the supply of turkey is great so is the demand. There is going to be all the good things to go with the palatable bird that one wants. Cranberries are fine and the best ever. The market will supply all needs. Fruits and puddings and pies and the grape juice, and so on to the end of the bill, are within reach of all.

ELK LODGE AT DICKENSON

INSTALLATION OF NEW LODGE WILL BE MARKED BY ELABATE PROGRAM

Dickinson, N. D., is getting ready for the installation of the Elks lodge which takes place on December 11. The different committees of the Elks are all getting busy with their work and are doing their utmost to see that everything will work in perfect harmony. All of the visiting Elks and their wives and sweethearts will be properly taken care of and a good time is promised to each and everyone who attends. The installation of the new lodge will take place in the armory. The visiting wives and sister will be entertained in the opera house.

The decoration for this occasion will be something immense, something that has never before been seen in western North Dakota. The streets, the stores, the halls, and in fact all the residences will be decorated in the grandest style.

Several Crookston Elks are planning on attending.

If you Are Over Fifty Read This

Most people past middle age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders which Foley's Kidney Remedy would cure. Stop the drain on the vitality and restore needed strength and vigor Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. Sold by all druggists.

John W. Sandberg is spending the day at Fisher on business.

BABY TORTURED FOR 6 MONTHS

By Terrible Itching Eczema—Face and Head a Solid Sore—Spread to His Hand and Legs—Would Scratch Until He Bled—Tiny Sufferer Immediately Relieved and

ENTIRELY CURED IN 2 MONTHS BY CUTICURA

"When my son Walter was three weeks old, eczema appeared on his face. We did not know what it was so went to a doctor who treated him for three months. Then he was so bad that his face and head were nothing but one sore and his ears looked as if they were going to fall off, so we tried another doctor. He said he could cure him and we doctored there four months, the baby never getting any better. His hand and legs then had big sores on them and as for his sleeping, we could not think of it, the poor little fellow suffered so terribly. First I tied his hands to the crib to keep him from scratching, but when it got so bad I tied him in a shawl or he would scratch himself all bloody. When he was seven months old we tried a set of the Cuticura Remedies. The first application of Cuticura let him sleep and rest well, in one week the sores were gone but it stayed red and sometimes it would itch so we used Cuticura for two months, then he had a clear and white face. Now he is two years and seven months old and has never had eczema again. I hope this letter will help some who are suffering from skin disease. Every mother who has a baby suffering with skin disease should just try Cuticura; there is nothing better. Mrs. Louis Beck, R. F. D. 3, San Antonio, Tex., Apr. 15, '07."

A single set of Cuticura Remedies is often sufficient to cure torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, and scaly humors, eczemas, rashes, and irritations, from infancy to age, when all other remedies fail.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

☞ Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases

LESS LOGGING TO BE DONE THIS YEAR

DEPUTY SURVEYOR OF MINNESOTA EXPRESSES THIS OPINION

The cut of logs in Minnesota will be 119,000,000 feet less than it was last winter. That is the opinion, expressed yesterday by Deputy Surveyor General Sinclair.

Like the opinion expressed by other logging authorities, including R. H. Chute representing the Weyerhauser interests in Minneapolis as well as the Mississippi and Rum River Boom company. The reason is two-fold—the large supply of logs on hand and the unusually light demand. The great part of the loss will come on the farmers, for whom last winter the surveyor general's department scaled between 75,000,000 and 100,000,000 feet but for whom this year Sinclair thinks not 10,000,000 feet will be scaled.

In addition, certain sections have been exhausted. In the Hibbing district, according to the surveyor general's office where 18,000,000 feet of logs were cut last winter, there is practically nothing left, altho this exhaustion of one source of supply would mean only an increased cut elsewhere if the demand were higher or even normal.

"In a general way," said Mr. Chute "I think the logging season will be unusually light except where contracts are already in force. Many logs have been carried over, and then the demand for lumber is not at all what it has been."

"The cut will be lighter than last year's," said Sinclair. "I should say by 25 per cent, anyway. There is practically no market now for logs."

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

A Mistaken Idea

that it takes a large amount of money to start a checking account—or that you do not need a checking account because you pay out your money as fast as you receive it. That is just what a checking account is good for—to pay out money. It is the safest, most convenient way and furnishes you with your cancelled check as a receipt — indisputable evidence of payment.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

Largest and strongest bank in Northern Minnesota.

Weak Lungs
Bronchitis

For over sixty years doctors have endorsed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs, colds, weak lungs, bronchitis, consumption. You can trust a medicine the best doctors approve. Then trust this the next time you have a hard cough.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Ayer's Pills keep the bowels regular. All vegetable and gently laxative.

JEFFERS GETS $12.500 DAMAGE

WELL KNOWN LOCAL MAN WHO LOST LIMBS AT BLACKDUCK

GETS A VERY FAIR SETTLEMENT —NOW REGISTER OF DEEDS IN RED LAKE CO.

From Thursday's Daily—

Frank Jeffers who lost both feet in a railway accident near Blackduck while employed with McKenzie-Robbins Printing Co., in this city has settled with the company, receiving $12,500 on account of his injuries. Mr. Jeffers is a brother of Mrs. J. P. Kennedy of Fergus Falls. Since the accident he has been elected register of deeds of his home county, Red Lake.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

reported by Strander Abstract & Investment Co.

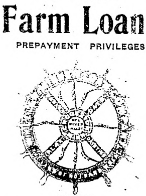
Elin E. Ostby to Ole N. Mork 120 acres in Secs. 2 and 11-147-42 $1800
A. D. Stephens to Harry Blowers a tract in Sec. 27-149-43 Mentor ...$50
Wm. J. Davidson to J. F. Cannon SE 1-4 sec. 22-150-45 ... ...$4800
Chas. A. Grow to John R. Mascall NW 1-4 sec. 29-149-46 ... ...$1
Mary L. Fretts to Charles Fretts part lot 2 Sec 25-150-47 ... ...$1
O. H. Severson to Elsie Severson S 1-2 Sec. 1-152-47 ... ...$12,800
Benjamin Swanson to W. J. Buckley and E. P. Fried part lot 3, Sec. 35-152-50 ... ...$2900
Hendricka Kaulum to M. H. Ducharme lot 8, block 8, Cromb & Sletten's subdivision $500
K. D. Chase to Ole M. Sivertson Lot 8 block 1 Chases addition $150
Paul Johnson to Bridget Handlon lots 13 to 16 Block 7 Lake Park addition to East Grand Forks $1
Frank Kerian to Thomas A. Anderson lots 2 and 4 block 11 Traill's addition to East Grand Forks ...$1650
Anton D. Lystad, to Oscar J. Lystad lots 1 and 2 blk 2, Budge's addition to East Grand Forks $4000
E. J. Martin to Alfred Vonderbeck lots 1, 2 and 13 blk 3, Euclid $150
Nellie M. Young to Mary B. Knutson lots 6 and 7 blk 5, Fisher $1000

Sign Out

The Chicago Record Herald announces that Senator Foraker wants to hold his seat. To most any one spanked as thoroly as Foraker has been, the S. R. O. sign would look like a glimpse of heaven.—Thief River Press.

Every married man is chaperoned by his wife.

LOW RATE
Farm Loans
PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES



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FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y

11,000 MEETS FOR FARMERS

SUPT. T. A. HOVERSTAD TELLS ABOUT INSTITUTE WORK IN COUNTRY

THIRTY-EIGHT THOUSAND FARMERS ATTEND MEETINGS IN NORTH DAKOTA

From Friday's Daily—

Great preparation is being made for the institute work in North Dakota during the coming season. Discussing the subject generally, T. A. Hoverstad, superintendent of farm institutes, and for years superintendent of the Crokston State Experimental farm and well known here, said:

"It is comparatively few years since the first farmers' institute was held in America. Now there are annually held about 11,000 sessions with a total attendance of more than 1,500,000.

"In North Dakota the farmers' institute has been in existence for several years. As an institution it is now well established. Several institute annuals have been printed and distributed. Last year 89 institutes were held In 233 sessions there was a total attendance of 38,000 people. This large attendance can be attributed to several causes. Roads, as a rule, were excellent. Stormy days were very few. Bad roads and stormy weather always reduce the attendance at the meetings. The business men of the town took unusual interest in the institutes They helped in the advertising. Very often free dinners were served to the farmers who attended these meetings.

"The institute season will open about one month earlier than last year. We have now on file about 70 applications. In order to hold meetings in all sections of the state every year it will be necessary to make the institute season as long as possible Professor Thomas Shaw has already been engaged for this winter's circuit as a special lecturer. We consider ourselves very fortunate in securing his services as other states were anxious to have his name on their list of institute speakers.

"Institutes will be conducted on the same general plan as in previous years. New topics for discussion will be introduced. A new edition of the institute annual is in progress of preparation. Articles are being prepared especially for this edition. It is the intention to make this publication a handbook as well as a year book. This book will be ready for distribution by December 1st.

"The schedule for the winter circuit will soon be made out. All towns desiring an institute the coming winter should send in their applications as soon as possible. Commercial and farmers' clubs, private individuals or organizations may send in requests for meetings and the same will be considered by the local board. It is desirable to hold meetings in localities where none were held last year, so as to distribute the work over the state as much as possible."

Forestry schools are given a boost by E. G. Cheney, secretary of the Minnesota Forestry association, in an article which will appear in the next issue of the Minnesota Forester a magazine devoted to the interests of forestry. The article also contains a plea for extending the scope of the school of forestry at the University of Minnesota, thru an appropriation of $10,000 by the next legislature.

"Wherever forestry has attained any considerable degree of development you will find efficient forest schools, and it is the work of these schools that is really the foundation for the existence of intelligent forestry," says Professor Cheney.

"The state of Minnesota needs today to have its forest school in the University of Minnesota put onto the most efficient basis. The state has already in its possession over 40,000 acres in its forest reserves. There are this year seventy young men taking the forestry course in the university. In order to make these young men thoroly practical foresters they must have experience in forestry. The state reserves need the labor of these young men, and these young men need the experience that they will get in working on the reserves for the state.

"At the recent meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, Professor Green of the university stated that he thought the state ought to appropriate at least $10,000 a year for student labor on its forest reserves; that this would furnish what seemed most necessary to make the forestry work of the university most helpfoul.

"This is a moderate request and it seems to me that something of this kind should receive the favorable attention of the legislature. The forests of the state have contributed enormously to its welfare and to the welfare of the great treeless section adjoining, and are capable of being perpetuated if they are looked after by practical trained men.

There is no more expensive luxury in the world than getting even.

BIG PROTEST BY THE JEWS

MANY DISAGREE WITH DR. HIRSH ON INTERMARRIAGE—RABBI SILBER SAYS

UNION OF JEW AND GENTILE IS EXPRESSLY PROHIBITED BY BIBLE

From Friday's Daily—

Neither the orthodox nor the reformed Jews can ever look with favor upon intermarriage with gentiles according to interviews this morning with spokesmen for both branches of the Jewish faith in Minneapolis. Both classes united in disagreeing emphatically with the utterances Sunday last of Dr. Emil G. Hirsh of Chicago, who told the Sinai congregation of that city that intermarriage with other races was the surest and quickest solution of the problems now confronting the Jewish race.

Rabbi S. M. Silber of the Anshe Tavrig and other orthodox congregations said that Dr. Hirsh was an extremist. "He is a radical reformer," declared Mr. Silber. "Don't believe him. Look it up in the Bible where the Jews are prohibited from intermarriage. Yes, I regard Dr. Hirsh's remarks as very disturbing. He is entirely wrong. But, then, he is not only a reformer, but he is a radical."

Rabbi S. M. Reinard of the Temple Shaari Tov, reformed, said he regarded the utterance as very unfortunate, but thought very little attention would be paid to it. "It is a suggestion that will be condemned by all the more conservative Jews," he said. "It will be condemned by a great majority of the rabbis. We here in Minneapolis have taken a decided stand against intermarriage. Of course, Jews do intermarry, and no other Jew would think of trying to prevent it. But Dr. Hirsh is going further than reform. Intermarriage is prohibited by the books of Moses, altho this prohibition referred specifically to seven idolatrous nations of Palestine. Yet Malachi, Ezra and Nehemiah took a decided stand against it, and the prohibition has come to be understood to apply to all other nations I amagine Dr. Hirsh's words will have little effect, unless, perhaps to encourage those who are already given to that way of thinking. Our authoritative bodies, however, will regard the utterance as very unfortunate."

ROBBERY MAY RESULT IN MURDER

One night last week several Detroit boys followed a Frazee man down the tracks and after beating him into insensibility, robbed him of $60. It is feared the man will die and the boys have been held by the police to await developments. The man had been working out west and was on his way home. He arrived on the flyer which did not stop at Frazee so he got off at Detroit and started to walk home. The boys followed him and the robbery and probable murder was the result. It is said that the boys implicated are only about 17 years old. The matter has been kept as quiet as possible.

OFFICIAL TOTAL IN MARSHALL

Jacobson 1165, Johnson 1462; Steenerson 1634, Braaten 245, Sageng 864; representative, G. H. Mattson 1191, Robertson 1288, Tullar 956, Bjorenson 604, Erickson 259, Enstrom 309; auditor, Lundgren 1524, Malberg 1274; treasurer, Dagoberg 1921, Bjorgaard 838; register of deeds, Hanson 1499, Tell 1323; sheriff, Forsberg 1677, Durand 1138; judge of probate, Holm 2884; attorney, Brown 1513, McClernan 1298; surveyor, Mack 2147; superintendent, Mithuu 2113; coroner, Biedermen 1921.

Sacred from Attack

President Roosevelt has again in his characteristic way, shown the country the absurdity of religious bigotry. The religious belief or practices of a man, even if he is a candidate for public office, should be sacred from attack or criticism. If he is a Christian man of good moral character, he certainly should have the right to worship God as his conscience dictates. The people of this country represent all nationalities and all shades of religious thought and the effects of narrow-minded bigots to drag religion into politics should be frowned down. The days of "knownothingism" have, happily passed away forever, and a man should be elected to public office because of his fitness rather than his religious belief.—Albert Lea Tribune.

A spendthrift like a buzz saw scatters lots of dust while running around and has nothing but his board to show for it.

"DOLLAR WHEAT" IS SLOGAN

NORTH DAKOTA CONVENTION OF AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY

NOW MEETING IN MINOT—MEMBERS ARE VERY ENTHUSIASTIC

From Thursday's Daily—

"Dollar wheat" is the slogan of the delegates to the North Dakota convention of the American Society of Equity who assembled at Minot yesterday.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Brown and the principal address of the morning was delivered by J. Weller Long, of Chippewa Falls Wis., national organizer of the society He rehearsel the remarkable growth of the movement thruout the United States and said that the society had a great work to perform in North Dakota.

He said the main purpose of the organization was to secure fair and equitable prices for the farmers thruout the United States. The object was not to buy cheap, but to get a good price so that farmers could afford to pay a good price for the articles they need.

He said that the society had raised the price of wheat this year at least twenty cents a bushel. He urged the organization of societies thruout the state, and pointed out the beneficial results from organizations thruout the country.

Professor Arvold of the State Agricultural college spoke in the afternoon and there was also an address by United States Senator Hansbrough. Mayor Clark welcomed the delegates.

OLD SETTLER PASSES AWAY

OLE G. THORTVEDT OF MOLAND, MINNESOTA PASSES AWAY

Ole G. Thorvedt, one of the oldest settlers of Clay county, died Monday night at his home in Moland township He had been in excellent health up to a few days ago, but suddenly collapsed the end coming Monday night as stated above.

Deceased leaves four children surviving him, the old wife and mother having passed over the divide a number of years ago. The children are: Mrs. O. G. Mildgarden, Mrs. Gunder, O. Lee, Levi Thorvedt and Mrs. O. C. Miller all residing in Clay county.

Mr. Thorvedt was a man whom all respected and he deserves and will hold, an honorable name in the history of Clay county.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 1:00 o'clock at the house and 2:00 o'clock at Concordia church at Moorhead.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

When a woman has her hair fixed up she is half dressed.

Lot's wife may have been peppery before she turned to salt.

It's awfully hard for a crooked man to keep in the straight path.

A man may follow his natural bent and yet be perfectly straight.

Probably a fountain pen is so called because it is forever overflowing.

You can flatter a homely man by telling him that his baby looks like him.

Many a girl who marries for money doesn't even draw a housekeeper's salary.

If you require food for thought go to the public library and get a free lunch.

Beauty is only skin deep but the skin of a rhoinocerus is too deep to show it up to advantage.

And it occasionally happens that after sowing his wildoats a young man reaps a grass widow.

A woman would rather have a man say he loved her and lie about it than have him really love her and say nothing.

If you suffer from constipation and liver trouble Foley's Orino Laxative will cure you permanently by stimulating the digestive organs so they will act naturally. Foley's Orino Laxative does not gripe, is pleasant to take and you do not have to take laxatives continually after taking Orino. Why continue to be the slave of pills and tablets. Sold by All Druggists.

MINNESOTA PIONEER DIES AT THIEF RIVER

Lawrence G. Browning died at Thief River Falls where he resided on the evening of Nov. 11, 1908. For the past ten years he had made his home in Thief River Falls with his daughter Mrs. John W. Eastman, and, altho his acquaintance in this section was somewhat limited, he was one of the pioneers of the Great Northwest and did much towards its development. Born in Edinburgh, Scotland, in the year 1836, he came to America when but 17 years of age. His father died when he was an infant and there was a large family of children—most of whom came to America and all left their marks upon the pages of history in their adopted home. Upon the death of his wife ten years ago, Mr. Browning came to Thief River Falls and was appointed to the office of United States Commissioner for the District of Minnesota. No man ever possessed a higher sense of personal integrity and all business that was intrusted to his care received his most careful attention.

When what is now known as the Great Northern railway system was in its infancy, Mr. Browning came to Minnesota, and acepted the position as station agent for the road. At that time there were but three stations upon this now great system—James J. Hill was the agent at St. Paul and Capt. W. W. Wright the agent at St. Anthony, now Minneapolis. For many years Mr. Browning was the agent at Anoka and when James J. Hill came into control of the road Mr. Browning was appointed the general land commissioner, and was the personal representative of Mr. Hill in the undeveloped Northwest. Havnig been elected—contrary to his wishes—to the office of clerk of Anoka county, he resigned his position with the railroad company and later engaged in farming. Mr. Browning served in many positions of trust and honor in Anoka. He was a member of the first city coucil and for many years was clerk of the school board.

The deceased is survived by one sister, Mrs. Barbara McCallman of Scotland and four children, Clinton and Eugene Browning, of Minneapolis, and John M. Browning and Mrs. John W. Eastman of Thief River Falls.

PLOWING IN POLK CO. ON 20TH OF NOV.

From Friday's Daily—

Today a party of land seekers from Illinois nearly fell out of an automobile in which they were being shown land when they saw several farmers plowing, including the big steam plow on the Anderson farm southwest of the city. They had supposed the Red River Valley was frozen solid at this time and could scarcely believe their eyes.

While the ground was frozen mornings for a few days, there is no frost at all in the ground now, and as good plowing can be done as a month ago. While late plowing is far from as good as early, still the conditions this fall make it less objectionable than were the ground wet. It is dry and mellow and breaks up nicely.

Most of the farmers finished their plowing before the first of the month but a few still have some left and they will continue to plow till it freezes up—of which there is no prospect at the present time.

ONE MAN SAVES STATE $120,000

D. R. Lindsay Causes Deportation of Insane Persons from State.

One man, single handed without even a clerk saved the state of Minnesota approximately $120,000 in the last two years, by virtue of his office. He is D. R. Lindsay state deportation agent. In the biennial period ending July 31, he deported 125 persons, 124 of whom were insane and one a marked victim of tuberculosis. The average life of an insane person is five years and the average cost of keeping such a person for two years is $1,000, or $125,000 for 125 patients The cost to the state of Minnesota in deporting these unfortunates was $5,032.87. The deportations in a number of cases were paid for by the United States government, after Mr. Lindsay had been able thru investigation to prove that the federal authorities had passed the unfortunates at Ellis island, notwithstanding they were insane at the time.

The greater number deported to any one country was 12 to Sweden, Norway being second with 11 and Finland third with nine. Thirty-six were deported to other states in the United States and the balance to countries in all parts of the globe.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

When a girl is so clever with men she is making them think she thinks they are.

A bride has such an imagination she can go on believing it is still the honeymoon when its, just housekeeping.

The only mission a good many people worthily perform in life is when they get out of it.

The reason people seldom ever learn a thing well is they begin at it by thinking they know all about it.

A woman's explanation of why she played a hand of whist the way she did is as convincing as a man's illumination of how he ought to have won a bet but lost it.

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"Making Good"

may be slang but it is a vigorous phrase of tonic qualities and holds a world of solid meaning, hard work, honorable success, accomplishment.

There are many young men, 60 years and under, hardworkers, who have failed to justify the hopes and ambitions of their families and friends; failed to reap the harvest due them; failed to "Make Good", simply because they did not realize the many actual advantages offered them by a check account; the protection afforded their money; the chance to save the extra dollar or two; to build up their credit; the certainty of having to pay bills but once; and other advantages appreciated by the man who has a bank account.

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Thanksgiving

Today will be Thanksgiving Day, a day hallowed by tender associations connected with family reunions. The people of Crookston and vicinity have special reason to be thankful this year, and should render up to the Giver of all good gifts, heartfelt thanks for the blessings of health ,peace and plenty. In his Thanksgiving proclamation, Mayor McPhee enumerated the many things we have to be thankful for the past year, and the bright prospects of the future. But there are other things which should not be forgotten.

There is a lesson for us in our preparation for Thanksgiving in the Old Testament regarding our readiness to give thanks for national hopes and blessings.

Our extreme individualism is often an obstruction to praise. We think so much more readily of our disappointments than of our blessings. We share the spirit of our generation which is always asking more and seldom taking time intelligently to enjoy what is already in possession.

Perhaps, then, the best preparation we can make for praise is to lose our selves in some compound individuality—like the nation or the church—and to forget in thinking of its blessings the smart of our own wounds. Not to be able to do this is an acute development of selfishness. For consider what the world would be if no man rejoiced but in his own private gain! It would be like the rocks that strew a barren plain, and nt like the co-ordinated and beautiful arrangements of those same rocks to make a mighty temple.

A good man will obtain a great share of his happiness in taking part in those larger individualities which we call the family, the state, the church and by other names. He must do so or he will be miserable, or grow stony-hearted in isolation. For goodness is a social quality, and suffers when it is severed from its own natural medium of life.

When we have thought ourselves as citizens of our motherland, as children in the family of God, we shall find reasons enough for praise. Then and then first, the meaning of those splendid Hebrew songs of thanksgiving will open to our souls. For then we shall have come into sympathy with the divine planning of the world's life and will be able to rise above our present troubles and rejoice.

Plea Is A Good One

"The plan of appointing civilians to the army has several good features," said an army officer to the St. Paul Pioneer Press, "that saves the plan from being such a disappointment as several reports have indicated. Those who condemn the plan do so without a thoro understanding of the situation.

"There are many men in the ranks and civil life, who make excellent officers, who are good disciplinarians. and know how to handle men. The army would lose the services of these men if they were required to pass thru West Point because their age would bar them from entering that institution. West Point takes men between the ages of 17 and 22, while civilians may receive a commission at the age of 27 and enlisted men at 30. Then, too, the military academy is too small to supply the necessary number of officers and if all commissioned officers should be West Pointers, the school should be enlarged.

"It is true that many officers get into the army from the ranks and civil life, but they are weeded out pretty fast, as the many cases that come up before court-martial testify. The cause of this is that there are several vacancies to be filled immediately, and consequently the unfit are often accepted, whereas if the men had been carefully examined they would not have been commissioned.

"Now if congress passes the bill to enlarge the army in the case of the officers to 612 commissioned officers, the majority of these will come from the ranks or from civil life, and there is bound to be more or less disappointment in that method. If congress would only take up these matters early enough so that we could select men at our leisure, there would not be so many derelicts in the army, but congress never does these things on time and we must take the whole lump at once, with the subsequent dissatisfaction.

"As for making the army aristocratic, by having all commissioned officers come from the military school, that would never make an aristocracy in the army, for the academy has the most democratic gathering of young men that can be found. At the school are to be seen the physician's, the lawyer's, the butcher's son, and so on making it a most democratic body.

"I think the academy could be enlarged to meet the requirements of the increased number of officers, since the moral training received there, is the strongest point in favor of the military academy. But if an end is made to appointments from the ranks, it will limit the number of enlistments in the ranks, for if a man sees that he cannot climb very high there will not be many enlistments."

"One Great Garden Spot"

On page 8 of this issue an article will be found based on the statement of John W. Lee, a former Iowan, who has some pretty pertinent statements to make regarding the possibilities of the Red River Valley.

There has been a great deal said one time and another, about the Red River Valley and its future. Of its wonderful fertility and possibilities. Some of these were made by men who knew what they were talking about, and some were made by men who were simply enthusiastic — actually knew little but guessed a whole lot.

The statements from Mr. Lee are weighty because they come from a man who has been a farmer all his life. He is a practical farmer and at the same time he is a progressive and scientific farmer. He has studied the government soil surveys, knows what kind of soil he has on his own farm, and what kind of soil is found in other sections of the Valley.

He is devoting considerable attention to potato raising, and with minimum moisture succeeds in producing good paying crops of the tubers, and at the same time is putting his farm in the highest possible state of cultivation.

His statement that tiling will make the whole Red River Valley one great garden spot is significant and it is also significant that the work can be done for one half what it costs in Iowa and Illinois.

This is what must come in the future, and when it does come we will have land worth $100 per acre and on up to $200 for choice tracts in favored locations. Many will live to see this realized. It must come, and it is coming sooner than many people dreamed of a few years ago. Some farmers have already made a start. Several farmers have shipped tiling in by the car load. They propose making the right move at once. The rapid ditch construction is providing adequate outlets. It will be several years before outlets will be provided in all sections, but with the rapid progress being made it will be but a comparatively short time before every farm can be tile drained and then "The Red River Valley will be one vast garden spot."

Character and Food

Eaten to excess or constantly, mutton will cause melancholia; veal causes loss of appetite and energy. Too much mustard causes loss of memory and salt causes indigestion. Eggs grains, ripe fruit and golden grain belt beer are good for vivacity and health. This delicious beverage is produced with scientific care and epicurean judgment and should have a place on your home table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Eveleth News: The Minneapolis Journal talks on tariff to the extent of a full column and then announces it has no particular bias to give the question but is eager to have the people do some thinking. The people have been doing some thinking for a number of years, and just now they are watching events very closely to see whether their representatives are inclined to carry out their wishes. There will be no backward movement on their part.

STAR BADBOY WANTS REVENGE

INDIAN GAME WARDEN LEADS A VERY STRENUOUS LIFE

SHINING BADGE OF AUTHORITY AND $40 A MONTH SALARY ENGENDERS ENMITY

Star Badboy, Indian game warden at Mahnomen is in trouble. He was "Star Badboy" when it came to enforcing the game laws in his territory and for this reason he incurred the enmity of his fellow tribesmen. With Indian-like tenacity of purpose, they conspired to get his scalp, figuratively speaking and with the proverbial cunning of their tribe they succeeded.

Star Badboy has the distinction of being the only Indian game warden in the state. His appointment was made Aug. 1, and it was in the nature of an experiment. As soon as he had received his nickel-plated star the commission began to get results. Numerous were the convictions he secured of violators owing to his natural ability to ferret out the cases.

But "Poor Lo" was to meet his Waterloo. All of the Indians in the neighborhood could not be appointed game wardens and so Star Badboy was handicappel right from the start. His shining star engendered bad feeling and his $40 a month salary looked like so many shares of Standard Oil stock, so it was natural that trouble should result.

When Star Badboy began to earn his salary by haling a few of his tribesmen before a justice of the peace for various violations, he severed the last tie of tribal feeling.

Wife Falls Down

One day when Star Badboy was out on his official duties some "redskins" came to his house—he does not live in a tepee—and managed to induce Mrs. Star Badboy to surrender two nice teal ducks for 25 cents.

When Star Badboy arrived home late that night his wife had the money hid under his plate at the table. It was to be a surprise to him. It was. When he learned that the money represented the selling price of two of the ducks he had shot the day before he informed his wife that she had been duped. She listened attentively while he tried to explain the game laws to her. She had never gone to Carlisle and they sounded like Greek to her.

The plot thickens.

The purchasers of the ducks went to the justice and swore out a complaint for the arrest of Mrs. Star Badboy. Her husband consented to her arrest, and then paid her fine of $10 and costs.

Carlos Avery executive agent of the game and fish commission is already considering recommendation to raise Star Badboy's salary.

STATE PRESS

Mankato Free Press: Hennepin county has no rightful claims on the speakership, and the Republicans of Minnesota should give that county to understand as much.

Albert Lea Standard: Joe Cannon will be speaker again and Tawney will be his right bower of iniquity. The people get what they voted for and will have to take what is coming to them.

Brainerd Dispatch: The coming legislative session will undoubtedly not be as long drawn out as usual. The fact that the lawmakers will draw as much salary if the session continues but one month as they would if it were drawn out over three months will have a tendency to get them down to business earlier. But it will be tough on the clerks and the members of the third house.

Aitkin Age: The tax amendment has been defeated and Northern Minnesota is said to responsible for it. When Southern Minnesota shows some evidence of an inclination to give the northern part of the state a square deal, there may be some reason to expect the north half to throw themselves on to the mercy of the south end but not now.

St. Cloud Times: Bob Dunn, after four years of strenuous objection has finally acknowledged Governor Johnson's claims and ability, as follows: "Two years hence Governor Johnson ought to be a candidate for a fourth term and at the same time make a fight for members of the legislature who will favor his election to the United States senate. There is no reason why he should not go to the senate. Some of his most ardent supporters for governor in 1904 were and are Senator Clapp's bosom friends, and they cannot consistently object to giving the governor a boost towards the presidency."

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

FUNERAL OF JUDGE JOHN McLEAN ONE OF LARGEST EVER HELD IN CROOKSTON

500 PEOPLE MARCHED TO CEMETERY—HUNDREDS FOLLOWED IN CARRIAGES

From Monday's Daily—

All that was mortal of Judge John McLean was laid to rest this afternoon in Oakdale cemetery. The funeral was held from Chesterman's undertaking rooms, and was one of the most largely attended and impressive ever held in Crookston. At 2:30 prayers were said by Rev. C. C. Warner in the chapel after which the cortege moved to Oakdale cemetery. The procession formed as follows:

City Officials;
Escort detailed from Co. I., M. N. G.
Members of the Woman's Relief Corps.
Col. Cobham Post No. 90 G. A. R.
Modern Brotherhood of America.
Polk County Officials.
Polk County Old Settlers Association.
Polk County Bar Association.
Masons.

Following the Masons came the hearse followed by the mourners and a long line of carriages, many old time friends of the deceased driving in 20 and 30 miles to pay a last tribute of respect to one whom they had honored and loved.

Arriving at the cemetery the impressive burial rites of both the Masonic order and the G. A. R. were carried out. No greater honor was ever done any citizen who has departed this life than was done John McLean Not only were there a long array of organizations which did him honor, but following the remains to their last resting place were men, women and children who had not known him as a fraternal brother, but as John McLean the citizen who had done many of them kindnesses which they will never forget and which endeared him to them.

The pall bearers were from the Masonic order and were composed of Messrs. E. M. Walsh, John Wyand, G. C. Wilde, E. A. Mills, M. R. Brown and W. G. Lytle. The honorary pall bearers taken from the members of the G. A. R. were Comrades Jefferson, Sargent, Swift, Andrist, San Piere and Martin.

Geo. McLean, brother of the deceased arrived in Grand Forks this morning and was brought to the city by Will Olds in his auto, arriving in the city just before noon. The only other relative was Mrs. Will Olds, niece of the departed.

The funeral services were a glowing tribute to a man whose life had been an exemplification of Charity in its broadest sense. The people in all walks of life were glad to do honor to his memory because in life he merited the love and respect of all mankind. This was not forgotten when his spirit took its fight. No man was ever paid a higher tribute than was paid to the memory of John McLean this afternoon.

DEEDS, NOT WORDS

Crookston People have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home

It's not words, but deeds that prove true merit.

The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills,
For Crookston kidney sufferers,
Have made their local reputation.

Proof lies in the testimony of Crookston people who have been cured to stay cured.

John Dunn, Sr., of 336 Central Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is more than five years since I first recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, but I can endorse them just as highly today as when I gave my first statement in their favor. Before I used them I had suffered for about ten years from pains in the back and about the kidneys. The kidney secretions were also disordered, being too frequent in action. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at the Wallace's Pharmacy, removed every symptom. The gratifying results have proved of a permanent nature, and I have been recommending Doan's Kidney Pills ever since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

If you should die and find yourself a ghost is there any one you would haunt?

Some people would rather steal a poor living than earn a good one.

It is a long honey-moon that doesn't get eclipsed.

Variety may be the "spice of life" but it causes a lot of moral dyspepsia.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

WIFE NUMBER THREE SUES FOURTH SPOUSE

Demands Damages For Aleinating Affection Of Husband. Claims Rival Urged Suit For Divorce.

One of the most remarkable damage suits in the history of Northern Minnesota is now on trial in the district court at Fergus Falls, Otter Tail Co. The case is that of Leona Voelz vs. Albertina Voelz, nee, Milke, and is an action in which Mrs. Voelz No. 3 is suing Mrs. Voelz No. 4 for $10,000 damages for alienating the affections of Albert Voelz former husband of the plaintiff and present husband of the defendant. Mr. Voelz has been married four times according to allegations of the plaintiff's attorney.

The suit comes from the village of Richville, in the northern part of Otter Tail County. Mr. Voelz has been engaged in business there and also owns a large farm. He is alleged to be worth about $20,000. About a year ago his wife secured a divorce from him on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment, and was awarded $375 alimony.

She now comes into court and asks for additional alimony in a suit against him, and at the same time brings a big damage suit against the woman whom he married soon after she secured her divorce.

Wealthy Widow Enters

The plaintiff alleges that she came from Germany and married the defendant about five years ago and at once took charge of the household affairs on his large farm ,working faithfully and industriously. Her married life was fairly happy up to the time that her husband she alleges became infatuated with his present wife, who was at the time Mrs. Milke, a wealthy widow residing in the vicinity of their home.

This infatuation is alleged to have continued for a considerable period Mr. Voelz, according to the allegations spending a great deal of the time at the Milke house and frequently accompanying Mrs. Milke to public amusements, on long drives and elsewhere.

He is alleged to have become cross and disagreeable at home and to have treated the plaintiff in a very cruel manner. Mrs. Milke who, plaintiff says, pretended to be her friend, visited her occasionally, and Mr. Voelz is alleged to have abused his wife in the widow's presence, whereupon the widow told the wife that she should not submit to such treatment, but should secure a divorce from him, at the same time adding that under the Minnesota law she would not be entitled to any of his property for the reason that she had no children.

Conspiracy is Alleged

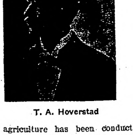
The plaintiff did not wish to take this advice, as she was opposed to divorce. She alleges that she is unable to talk the English language and knew nothing of the laws of this country and is now convinced that there was a conspiracy to get rid of her. She resolutely refused to consult an attorney or bring divorce proceedings and her husband finally deserted her and warned the business men of the village against giving her goods on credit.

She alleges further that when she still persisted in her refusal to bring a divorce action, he came to her apartments and threatened to throw her out into the street but told her he would give her $375 if she would sign a divorce application. She finally yielded and the divorce was duly secured for her. She alleges that her husband waited only the time required by law before marrying Mrs. Milke, and the plaintiff now sees thru the whole "conspiracy."

There seemed to be some question at the opening of the case as to whether a divorced woman could maintain an action against her ex-husband's wife for alienating his affections but the court finally decided to allow the case to go to the jury.

MUCH DURUM PUT IN WITH THE FLOUR

T. A. Hoverstad in charge of the farmers' institute work of North Dakota and for a number of years connected with the farmers' institutes of Minnesota and the experiment station at Crookston, has returned from Washington where he attended the hearing which the United States department of agriculture has been conducting relative to the bleaching of wheat and wheat flour.



T. A. Hoverstad

Prof. Hoverstad like Prof. Ladd of North Dakota has been one of those who contended that bleached flour made bread that fas more or less deleterious to health. He believes however, that if it is stated on the label that the flour is bleached it would not be necessary to prohibit the bleaching of flour entirely.

M. O. Hall of the North Dakota board of grain commissioners, was in St. Paul at the same time and the two discussed while there, the question of bleaching flour and of mixing durum wheat with common wheat.

R. R. Valley Interested

The Red River Valley is especially interested in the use of durum wheat 10,000,000 bushels of this wheat is ground at the Minneapolis mills most of it mixed with other wheat. In many cases it is believed that as much as one-fourth of this wheat is mixed with other flour.

The millers pay about 25 cents a bushel less for this wheat than they do the other, so if they can mix one fourth of this wheat and sell at the same prices as if they used other wheat entirely a mill which used 20,000 bushels of wheat a day will by mixing a fourth of durum save $1,250 a day.

Mr. Hall and Professor Hoverstad contend that durum wheat will make just as good bread as other wheat not as white perhaps but as good for muscle building. If the millers and the housewives and bakers could be made to come around to this point of view it would bring the durum the same price as other wheat in the market. This would be a victory for North Dakota on account of the large amount of durum wheat raised there.

GRASTY BUYS HALF OF PAPER

FORMER BALTIMORE NEWS OWNER BUYS PART OF ST. PAUL DISPATCH

The St. Paul Dispatch announces today that its owner, George Thompson has sold to Charles H. Grasty recent owner of the Baltimore News an equal interest in the St. Paul Dispatch which in the future will be conducted jointly by Messrs. Thompson and Grasty.

The reason a man thinks there's a lot of money to be made in a certain business is he isn't in it.

OFFERED PLACE AS TRAVELING AGENT

WALTER A. McDONALD OF GRAFTON WILL MOST LIKELY ACCEPT

Walter A. McDonald who contemplated leaving Grafton on Nov. 15 for Staples, Minn., to enter upon his duties as depot agent there, has been notified to remain at Grafton until April 1. The position of traveling passenger agent on the Northern Pacific has been offered Mr. McDonald next spring which he will most likely accept.

Read The Journal Wants.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

AFTER A CONTRACT— Jack Gorman and Johnnie Carroll left this morning for Devils Lake where they will figure on a contract for a big reservoir for the Great Northern.

WORK AT EUCLID—August Schuler left for Euclid this morning with a crew of men to do some work on a building being erected by C. Keeley Sr.

FINED $5 AND COSTS—John Morqve of Grand Forks was hailed before Judge Gossman of the municipal court this morning charged with carrying an overload Saturday evening. He was fined $5 and costs.

WILL BURN MEADOW — Swan Ness left this morning for his farm near Erskine where today he will burn the old hay in a large meadow. He thought a good bon-fire might keep the snow off a little longer.

RED LAKE SUPT. HERE—Supt. of Schools McAnulty of Red Lake Co., spent Saturday in the city and called on Supt.-Elect N. A. Thorson of Polk Co. Supt. McAnulty retires with the expiration of his present term Jan. 1.

HERE FOR WINTER—K. O. Peterson who has been absent the greater part of the summer, spending the fore part of the season at Moorhead and the fall at Stephen, has returned to his home, 251 4th Ave. and will remain in Crookston during the winter.

ALL WERE ENTHUSIASTIC— J. P. Johnson, Alfred Olson, Alfred Regedahl and H. O. Budd, "Hairbreadth Harry", were among the Market Day visitors from Beltrami and all are enthusiastic over the success of the day and the possibilities of the day in the future.

FISHER CREAMERY MEETING—Creamery Inspector O. A. Storvick and M. J. Cort left this morning for a meeting of the creamery association at Fisher. They will leave this evening for the state meeting which will be held in St. Paul and which is expected to be the largest gathering of the kind ever held by the state association.

INSPECTING FARMS — J. L. E. Peck of Illinois, who owns three fine farms near Crookston which are looked after by Messrs. Brown and McPhee is spending a few days here and today is on a tour of inspection with Mayor McPhee. He says he never saw this section looking more prosperous.

WOODMEN PLAN BIG MEETING—One of the biggest meetings of the year to be held by the Modern Woodmen is scheduled for Tuesday evening, Dec. 1. There will be several initiations, followed by a social session at which a program will be given and the evening's pleasures will be concluded with dancing and refreshments

LEAVES FOR SEATTLE—LeRoy Moran who acquired more or less notoriety as a result of his sensational escapes from Officer Coan of Grand Forks, and Officer Quigley of East Grand Forks, has gone to Seattle it is stated. He was given to understand that his presence would not be welcomed in Grand Forks. During his sojourn in the Polk county jail for a few weeks he was about the most insolent prisoner ever caged in Hotel de Gonyea.

Saturday afternoon when the N. P. passenger train south bound reached Fertile the conductor wired back: "Boy drowned under N. P. bride at Crookston just as train went over."

Chief Eck was notified at once, and with others made a careful search under the bridge but could find no hole in the ice where a boy could have slipped in and is of the opinion that the conductor was mistaken unless the acident happened some little distance from the bridge. The further fact that no one has reported a boy missing would indicate that the report was a mistake.

However Chief Eck took occasion to examine the river very thoroly Saturday and Sunday in various places, and states that parents should positively forbid their children going on the river as the ice is not safe. There are little patches where it is all right but there are thin spots every few rods and a skater is apt to go thru any moment.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children, safe, sure. No opiates

From Tuesday's Daily

MORE TRAIN CREWS—Three engine crews, engineers and firemen, came up from St. Paul yesterday to help jerk freight trains on the northern division till the rush is over.

JAKE IDE ILL—Jake Ide one of the prominent citizens of Crookston was operated on at the Bethesda hospital today. He rallied nicely and it is believed that he will recover rapidly.

BEMIDJI P. M.— A. R. Erickson, the genial postmaster of Bemidji formerly a resident of this city is spending the day here attending to some business matters.

UNDERWENT OPERATION— Henry Lyngholm deliveryman for E. G. Tornquist underwent an operation at Bethesda hospital today. He is getting along nicely.

COMMITTED TO HOSPITAL—Torkel Sunderlund, a bachelor living in the town of Popple was committed to the hospital for the insane at Fergus Falls Saturday.

BRYAN TO SPEAK IN CANADA—The grand lodge Knights of Pythias, has invited William Jennings Bryan to address the grand lodge of Western Canada when in session in Winnipeg in June, and he has accepted.

AMONG JACK PINES—E. O. Erickson and Oscar Halvorson left this morning for the jack-pine country out east. The former says he will eat Thanksgiving turkey with the lumber jacks Thursday.

ST. PAUL JUDGE CHOSEN—Judge Oscar Hallam of the district court of St. Paul has been chosen to deliver the memorial address on Sunday, December 6, at the Elk memorial service at Grand Forks.

INSPECTING DITCHES — Capt. Vonderbeck is at Euclid today inspecting some ditchwork he has had done on his farm this fall. If he is found napping against a telephone pole tonight he should not be disturbed.

LOOKING AFTER HORSES—Ex-Sheriff A. F. Turner of Grand Forks passed thru the city last evening enroute to Fowlds where he has 30 horses working for the Grand Forks Lumber Co. He says there will be less logging this winter than last.

SON DOING WELL— Mr. Sontag one of the prominent residents of Borup is in the city today with his son who was terribly burned last 4th of July. The son was treated at Bethesda for weeks but was recently discharged, but Mr. Sontag brought him up today to see if all conditions were satisfactory. He was treated by Dr. Holte.

HAS FRIENDS EVERYWHERE — Morgan Curran the popular Great Northern engineer who makes Walhalla on regular trips expects to leave about the middle of December for a visit to the old home in Galoway, Ireland. His many friends—and he has them in every town his engine runs to—will wish "Morg" the pleasantest kind of atrip and the biggest time ever.—Walhalla Mountaineer.

FIRST TRIP OUT—A. W. Rundquist the Minneapolis Tribune hustler in this section went up the St. Vincent line for a days trip this morning, this being his first trip since the critical illness of his wife, who is now rapidly improving.

STAGE DRIVER HERE — August Peterson, the veteran stage driver from Stephen came down last evening and is spending the day in the city on land business. Mr. Peterson is known to every traveling man who makes Northern Minnesota, having formerly run a stage line from Stephen to Roseau till the road was built to Greenbush.

FUNERAL HELD—The funeral of Thomas Buckley was held yesterday morning from the Sacred Heart church at East Grand Forks at 11:00 o'clock, Rev. Father Greene officiating The remains were taken by train to Wadena, Minn., the old home of the deceased for burial.

A THRIVING LODGE—A lodge of the Independent Scandinavian Workingmen's associtaion was organized at Bagley with a membership of forty Henry Huseby was elected president, Anel Ringborg secretary; Sam Buggy treasurer, and Dr. P. C. Bjorneby, medical director.

NO PREJUDICE—Supt. Wm. Robertson has returned from Duluth where Saturday he made an address before the farmers institute held there The Duluth Herald says: "Prof. William Robertson head of the Crookston branch agricultural school, spoke in favor of a branch agricultural school for St. Louis county. He informed those present that there was no prejudice against St. Louis county in other parts of the state, as some people believe, and that the establishment of an agricultural school in this county would prove a boon to agricultural projects. Mr. Robertson pointed out that there was also a great field here for sheep raising and the diversified farm."

YOUNG ROBERTSON GRITTY — Afflictions seldom come singly, and Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Robertson of Wesley college, Grand Forks, are having their full share of late. First their son Harold's illness and then the doctor had to be operated on for the same affliction, appendicitis. And on Saturday Master Carl another son, got tangled up in a football game and broke his arm. He showed more than usual bravery after his accident and walked to the doctor's office to have it set, telephoning his parents where he was. He took ether like a little man and walked home afterward, and Monday morning was at school with the rest of the boys. Carl is a nephew of Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experiment Farm here.

Shortly afternoon today one leg of the stove in the basement of the I. O. O. F. Hall fell off and fearing the stove might tip over and cause a fire the teachers in charge of the two rooms there Misses Munn and Cushing had complete control of the children and as a result of repeated fire drills marched every child out of the building in exactly 40 seconds. This was certainly a remarkably fine showing.

An alarm was turned in, and the department responded, but there was nothing for them to do but put the leg of the stove back on.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

DID A BIG BUSINESS—John Warfel who returned last evening from a business trip to Argyle states that the last Market day there was a grand success in every way, and that the volume of business done by the stores totalled $68,000 for the day. He says the farmers and business men are all prosperous there this year.

LOUIE BERQUIST ILL—Louie Berquist was very low this morning with heart trouble but towards noon showed some improvement. He was on his way to supper last Friday evening when he fell to the street near the Grand Central Hotel and was taken home in a carriage. His condition improved till last night when he had several sinking spells with a critical spell this morning. This is his second severe attack, having suffered a similar one some years ago. His physician believes now that he will survive the present attack.

COUNTY BOARD THRU—The board of county commissioners finished up their work for this session and adjourned last evening. They disposed of a vast amount of routine business and also wound up some important ditch matters.

LITTLE SON ILL — A. W. Rundquist is having his troubles come in a bunch. Mrs. Rundquist is just recovering from a very serious run of typhoid fever, her life having been despaired of for some time and now the litle son, Edward is down with typhoid. He has been ailing for the past few days and the attending physician this morning declared it typhoid.

PHIL ROWE DEAD—Word has been received of the death at Grand Rapids, Minn., of Phil Rowe, a former well known resident of Crookston. He was a cigar maker working for local firms for several years and later travelled for a cigar house. He cut his hand a week ago last Friday blood poisoning set in and just a week later he died. He was a genial whole souled young man and his many friends will learn of the sad news with deep regret.

MISS KROSTUE INJURED—A few days ago Miss Krostue, daughter of Hon. Gunder Krostue of Fisher, was the victim of a serious runaway accident. The horse which she was driving attached to a buggy became frightened and dashed down an alley As a corner was rounded she was thrown to the ground, lighting on her head and was unconscious for some time. The horse wheeled around and started back down the alley and would have run over her prostrate body had it not been for A. W. Rundquist of this city and another gentleman who dashed ahead of the horse and succeeded in stopping it a few feet from the girl. A physician was summoned from this city and she is now about recovered tho her nerves received a bad shock.

Dissatisfied laundry girls should strike while the iron is hot.

Lots of men manage to sneak out the back way when duty calls.

"Boys will be boys," and lot of girls would be if it were possible.

The palmist has no use for a man who is afraid to show his hand.

MAY DRESS LIKE THE OFFICERS

MILITIAMEN MAY NOW WEAR THE DRAB UNIFORMS

Adjt. Gen. Wood of the Minnesota National Guard has issued two important orders recently, affecting the National guard thruout the state. One increases the number of men in a regiment from 570 to 930 and fifty-five officers. The other allows the enlisted men to wear the olive drab uniform which has previously been allowed only the officers. The olive drab will be worn upon all occasions except parade, and at such other times as the officers may designate. The officers will be distinguished by braid on the sleeves.

The khaki dress will be worn principally during the time the guards are in camp. The militia will now be as well dressed as the men of the regular army, with the exception of drab overcoats.

The Third regiment, M. N. G. will not go into camp at Lake City next year. Spent Lake is now being considered and it may be settled upon when the officers of the Third regiment meet next March. A trip to Fort Riley, Kas., was planned but the plan has been abandoned, as the regular army will hold maneuvers there at the time the Minnesota men will be in camp.

BIG MORTGAGES IN KOOCHICHING

OVER FIVE MILLION COVERING POWER AND PAPER MILL PLANTS

A trust deed for $5,000,000 executed by the Minnesota & Ontario Power company to the First Trust & Savings bank and James L. Houghteling of Chicago has been filed with Register of Deeds Long of Koochiching County at International Falls. The mortgage covers the immense power dam and pulp and paper mills being erected there also water and flowage rights and certain parcels of real estate.

Under the terms of the mortgage $3,000,000 is made available immediately for the construction of the big dam across the Rainy river here to develop the water power and the construction of the wood pulp mills, paper mills and sulphite mille. The Rainy River Improvement company also filed a trust deed for $200,000 in favor of the Minnesota & Ontario Power company which concern has absorbed the first named corporation. The filing of these immense mortgages gave Koochiching county a fee of $3,750.

NO DOG PASSES AFTER DEC. 1

OTHER NORTHWESTERN ROADS MAY FOLLOW LEAD OF THE SOO

Dogs will not be carried for nothing after December 1 on the Soo line. The reason which called forth this order which has just been issued is probably that of economy, altho officials would not discuss that point. It is well known that the baggage cars are loaded to their capacity most of the time and that it is a great trouble to the baggagemen to take care of the dogs during the hunting season.

At present there is no distinction as to the way in which dogs are shipped, but under the new rule they will be treated as baggage. A dog which has a collar and chain attached will be rated at 150 pounds of excess baggage which if crated it will be rated as only 100 pounds of excess baggage. This will materially reduce the risks which baggagemen run in handling dogs. It is understood that several of the other northwestern roads will follow the lead of the Soo line and cut dogs off the free list.

While this will save the baggageman much trouble it will also cut off a most fertile source of revenue.

JUDGE HAGEN LAID TO REST

The funeral of Judge E. O. Hagen was held from the family residence in Sampsons addition this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. C. C. Warner officiating. There was an immense concourse of friends present to pay a last tribute of respect to the departed The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. L. E. Gossman, F. M. Brown, Julius Jacobson, John O. Sundet, Martin Ronne, A. B. Holmboe.

The way a girl entertains a man is to listen to the rot he talks to her as if it were sense.

Most women never take their figures to bed with them.

WILL WORK FOR AN APPROPRIATION

NINTH DISTRICT MEMBERS OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE MUCH INTERESTED IN PLAN OF PROF. A. M. DUNTON OF McINTOSH SCHOOLS FOR STATE AID FOR INSTRUCTORS WHERE DESIRED FOR AGRICULTURE AND MANUAL TRAINING—ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS FAVORING ROCKNE AND REV. C. W. B. ELLIS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening six members of the state legislature from the 9th congressional district met at the Hotel Crookston and organized by the election of John Saugstad as chairman and Donald Robertson of Argyle secretary. Other members present were John McGrath of Clay who also held hte proxy of Bjorge of Becker, C. L. Selerud of Norman, J. J. Opsahl of Beltrami and John Holton of Polk. Representative Rockne was unanimously endorsed for speaker, it being known that the five members from Otter Tail had already declared for him.

Rev. C. W. B. Ellis of Hawley was also unanimously endorsed for chaplain of the next house of Representatives.

Prof. A. M. Dunton of the McIntosh schools appeared before the members and made a plea for a state appropriation for provising instructors in agriculture and manual training for schools which provided rooms and equipment.

Prof. Dunton has already introduced those branches in the McIntosh schools and as a result he has 70 pupils from the country where other schools similarly have but a handful. The idea met with the hearty approval of the representatives preesnt and they will ork for such an appropriation.

PUBLIC INVITED TO LIBRARY DEDICATION

PROGRAM HAS BEEN COMPLETED FOR FRIDAY EVENING WHEN EVERY RESIDENT OF CROOKSTON IS URGED TO INSPECT THE NEW CARNEGIE LIBRARY—ADDRESSES AND SOME VERY FINE MUSICAL NUMBERS WILL BE RENDERED — MARKS REALIZATION OF YEARS OF HOPE

From Wednesday's Daily—

President J. W. Wheeler of the Carnegie Public Library board who had the matter in charge has completed the program which will be rendered at the formal dedication of Crookston's magnificent new library on Friday evening.

This is a matter of vital interest to the general public and every citizen of Crookston is urged to be present and inspect the new building which will be ablaze with electric lights. Unfortunately the receiving desk is not yet in place, but the dedication will be carried out just the same. The doors will be thrown open at 7:30 and the program will begin at 8:15 and will be as follows:

Address, Andrew Carnegie, (The Donor) Hon. Halvor Steenerson.

Address, The Educational Value of the New Library" Prof. E. E. McIntyre.

Address, Benefits of the Library, Hon. A. A. Miller.

In conclusion G. S. Chesterman will outline the purposes of the board in the future conduct of the library.

In addition to the above there will be a very high class and entertaining musical program which is in capable hands, and Riggs' Orchestra will be in attendance during the entire evening.

Public pride should induce every resident of Crookston to inspect the new library Friday evening. All will be welcome. This is an institution that belongs to the public. The members of the library board are as follows: J. W. Wheeler, president; G. F. Carpenter, Secretary; G. S. Chesterman, A. M. Sivertson, Allan McKinnon, O. O. Christianson; J. E. O'Brien, John Moore and O. Mercil, Jr.

JOINING FAMILY OF UNCLE SAM

CLASS OF 13 GIVEN INITIATION BY CLERK OF COURT LANCTOT

W. A. Lanctot clerk of the district court, went to the west end metropolis last evening and heard the application of thirteen residents of East Grand Forks for citizens' papers. Several of the number were for first papers and the remainder for full citizenship papers. The applications will be given due consideration by Judge Watts, each candidate being required to answer various quesitons designed to test his fitness for election to Uncle Sam's family and the papers will be issued ninety days later. The courtesy of Mr. Lanctot in going to East Grand Forks obviated the necessity of each of the applicants taking witnesses to Crookston who were in position to testify as to their residence here, a very important requirement to the issue of citizens' papers.

SCHOOLS CLOSED TILL MONDAY

CITY SCHOOLS APPROPRIATELY OBSERVE ANNUAL FESTIVAL OCCASION

The city schools closed this afternoon for the Thanksgiving vacation reopening on Monday. Many of the out of town pupils will take advantage of the occasion to visit their homes, and some of the teachers also will spend their Thanksgiving vacations out of town a number of them going to their homes and others visiting friends elsewhere. Nearly all of the grades had appropriate Thanksgiving programs this afternoon, two rooms generally uniting for the exercises. The program varried in the different grades to suit the ages of the pupils.

It makes a woman on a railroad train awful nervous to think she isn't dressed for a wreck.

PIONEER DIES AT RED LAKE FALLS

WOMAN WHO CAME TO MINNESOTA CAPITAL IN 1827 PASSES AWAY

Martha Bottineau died at her home in Red Lake Falls Sunday at the age of 71 years. She was born at Lake Champlain, N. Y., came to St. Paul, Minn., in 1827, where during the same year, she married Pierre Bottineau, famous as a government guide during the Sioux Indian trouble, and also leader of perilous government expeditions across Northern and Western plains. Mrs. Bottineau came with her husband to Red Lake Falls in 1876, where they established what is known as the French colony in this district.

They were the very first settlers there and took up a homestead upon part of which Red Lake Falls is built. They foresaw the possibility of a city at that point, and gave the place the name of Red Lake Falls on account of the falls in the Red Lake river there.

They lived there constantly since then, her husband dying in 1895.

She was the mother of fourteen children eleven of whom survive her. They are: Mrs. Louis Berthieume Mrs. Val Detling, Miss Emily Bottineau, of Red Lake Falls, Mrs. Fartuna Bourgue, Brooks, Minn., William and George Bottineau, Clearwater Co. Minn., Mrs. B. W. Graychas and Noa Bottineau, Blackduck, Minn., Sidney Bottineau, West Superior, Wis., Norman of Prince Albert, Canada. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's Catholic church yesterday.

Hexamethylenetetramine

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. Hexamethylenetetramine is recognized by medical text books and authorities as a uric solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. Sold by All Druggists.

JUDGE JOHN MC'LEAN ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Jumped Into Sluiceway Above Power House During Night. Left A Note With Portion Of Clothing.

Undoubtedly Was Temporarily Mentally Deranged When Rash Act Was Committed. Honored Pioneer.

From Thursday's Daily—

JUDGE McLEAN'S FAREWELL MESSAGE

Return my office files and books to city. Resignation as Justice and Court Commissioner in drawer. Pay my expenses out of money in pocket book... I desire to be buried by the Masons and Grand Army of the Republic. All the property I have is in the drawer. My army enlistment is at the Soldiers' Home. Goodbye all. Life is not worth living. I am going crazy. It is better to suffer once than long years in the asylum. Forgive me, I can't help it.

—John McLean.

"These clothes belong to John McLean. In race above dam."

This note found under a watch which was lying on top of an overcoat a pair of shoes and a collar by Wm, Anderson on the sidewalk just south of the power house of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., where he is employed, lead him to look into the sluiceway where the dead body of Judge John McLean was seen floating, and was quickly pulled from the water and Coroner Chesterman notified.

It was a plain case of suicide. The people of Crookston never received a greater or a ruder shock than when the news spread like wild fire about the city. His old friends and comrades thaught it incredable and refused to believe it at first.

Deliberately

Sometime during the night, no one will ever know exactly when, Judge McLean had walked to the power house, removed his overcoat, shoes, hat and collar, and left his watch with them with the brief note written on a scrap of paper. He had then taken a small cord and tied it about his waist as tight as he could. Next he worked both hands under the cord, so that they were strapped tight to his side and made it impossible for him to assist himself after he made the fatal leap. Then he leaped into the icy waters and the end came soon.

Body Removed

The body was at once removed to Chesterman's undertaking parlors where they will be prepared for burial. The funeral services will be held Sunday next probably, under the auspices of the Masons and the G. A. R. and the M. B. A. will also have a large delegation as deceased was one of the leading members of that organization.

An Honored Citizen

Judge McLean was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Crookston. He was a very public spirited man, and was always in the vanguard when there was anything to be done for the up-building of the city or the advancement of its interests in any way. He was very generous, and ever willing to assist a friend in distress. The little children all knew him, and he loved them all and many a little heart he has made happy.

Extremely Patriotic

John McLean was extremely patriotic. He fought under the stars and stripes and revered them. Every Memorial day he was the leading figure. He nearly always prepared the program and was energetic in seeing that all arrangements were complete for properly honoring the old soldiers who had passed the Great Divide. He was full of patriotism at all times and never let an opportunity pass to install a lesson in the minds of the young.

Born in New York

Deceased was born in Victor, New York, June 24, 1849, where he spent his early life. He enlisted in a New York company at the beginning of the Civil War and served till its conclusion, being honorably discharged. Later he went to Lincoln, Neb., where he graduated from an Academy and studied law. Later he came on north, locating first at Audubon, and later coming to Crookston.

First Editor of Journal

Judge McLean was the first editor of the Journal, coming here in 1876 and doing the editorial and local work for Publisher Cooke. After following that vocation he practiced law and later formed a law partnership with Judge Ives, the firm being Ives and McLean, the firm doing considerable realestate business also.

Later Moves.

This firm dissolved about 1884 after which Mr. McLean was engaged in the real estate business alone and was also interested in promoting some mining deals in Washington and spent several years there, finally returning again to Crookston. He also spent about a year at Devils Lake, N. D., in the real estate business but finally returned to Crookston and has remained here ever since.

City Official for Years

Judge McLean has been a city official of Crookston longer than any other man. He was elected city justice upon his return from the west and has served continuously ever since in that capacity.

He was also the second county attorney of Polk county, following Jas. Greenhalgh, father of the present city weighmaster, who was the first county attorney. He had also been district court commissioner for some years past, and was a prompt, obliging and efficient public servant.

Parents Buried Here

Deceased is survived by two brother, Geo. who is located at Vashon, Wash., about 12 miles from Seattle, and who will arrive here Saturday and William who resides in this state His parents are both dead and buried in the cemetery here, his mother having died in 1893 and his father three years ago at the age of 90 years.

The funeral will be a very large one the city officials attending in a body.

Worry Brought Trouble On

Deceased has been worrying greatly over his financial affairs for some time past and during the last few days has remarked to several of his friends that he could neither eat nor sleep, and that he was losing his mind Others had noticed that he had acted queerly at times and this was without doubt the cause of his rash act. He committed the deed during temporary insanity.

Message in Desk

After finding the remains, Cononer Chesterman went to Judge McLean's office and opened his desk where the letter published above was found together with a pocketbook containing $127.

Not Seen After Supper

Thus far no one has been found who saw deceased after supper last evening. He was in his office up to nearly 6 o'clock, Major Mix and others being with him. He went to supper at John Fyllings on Bridge St., Jeromes addition where he boarded and roomed, ate little and returned down town.

Visited Dam Yesterday

Andrew Wygaard states that yesterday afternoon he saw Judge McLean right after dinner, coming back up town from the dam, but that the judge avoided him at the end of the Sampsons addition bridge and crossed the street.

When a jealous man marries a jealous woman, there is something doing every minute.

A man is never sure he knows until he makes good.

Every mother knows that her own children are superior to any other children on the market.

A silly woman tries to drive a man; a wise one leads him.

You can't always judge the show by the price of admission.

A woman will do a lot of cheeky things to improve her complexion.

Fortune is sometimes fickle, but misfortune is always sincere.

PROHIBITION DOESNT PROHIBIT

REV. A. S. HALE'S SERMON AT MINOT PLEA FOR MORE CHRISTIANITY

SAYS HE IS INFORMED FIVE CARLOADS OF LIQUOR SHIPPED THERE MONTHLY

"I am informed that there are five carloads of intoxicating liquor shipped into Minot monthly. Five carloads monthly, think of that."—Rev. A. S. Hale in his sermon at the Vincent Methodist church, Minot, N. D., Sunday.

That Minot, N. D., needs Christianity more than it needs new sidewalks better streets, more sewers and finer hospitals, schools and churches is the statement of Rev. A. S. Hale, the new pastor of the Vincent Methodist Episcopal church in his sermon at that place Sunday morning.

Rev. Hale said that he did not mean that Minot was any worse than the average large city, no worse than St. Paul or Minneapolis but he said the supreme need of this city as in St. Paul and Minneapolis of a deeper appreciation of the meaning of Christianity and religious and moral awakening.

He deprecated the fact that 5 carloads of intoxicating liquor are shipped into Minot monthly. This was sufficient evidence of need of a moral and spiritual awakening, when it is remembered that North Dakota is a prohibition state.

WANTS CROOKSTON CLUB TO JION

C. J. PRYOR OF BEMIDJI CONFERS WITH PRESIDENT MISNER

C. J. Pryor, publisher of the Bemidji Pioneer and member of the Executive Council of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial clubs arrived from St. Paul this morning where he has been spending the past few days on business conected with the latter organization. He has been conferring today with President Misner of the Crookston Commercial Club relative to the local organiation becoming affiliate with the State Organization, and President Misner is of the opinion the move would be a good one. The matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the club.

A. P. Hanson the Fertile banker, who was here today also assured Mr. Pryor that the Fertile Commercial club would join the state federation at once.

BUSCUIT COMPANY PLANT IS READY

THE FACTORY WILL BE REOPENED WITH FULL FORCE

The Golden Grain Biscuit company's plant at Grand Forks is ready for reopening today after a shut down of several months as a result of a fire which destroyed everything but the walls of the factory. The factory will be reopened with a full force of employes and will be kept running steadily.

The company has been supplying its customers thru the Crookston factory which was leased until the plant could be put in shape there.

SECURED AN INJUNCTION

The Northern Pacific railway has been planning to abandon Winnipeg Junction and move its station to a point about a mile further north, across the Buffalo river. The people of the village are up in arms and have secured a temporary injunction from Judge Baxter forbidding the removal The company is now negotiating with the people, and it is understood that it has offered to pay them at least a part of the value of their lots and buildings if they will consent to have the station moved and the village abandoned.

A number from this vicinity are planning to attend the meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural society to be held in the audience room of the First Unitarian church in Minneapolis, Dec. 1, 2, 3, and 4. It will be the forty-second annual gathering of the society. The Minnesota State Forestry association, the Minnesota Rose society, the Plant Breeders' society, the Woman's Auxilliary and Minnesota State Breeders' society, meet at the same time and place.

There are to be exhibits in every line, and a lengthy program dealing with subjects of varied interest has been prepared.

FREAK OF ELECTION

ONE VOTE ELECTS THE COUNTY SURVEYOR IN RED LAKE COUNTY

THINKING HE HAD NO OPPOSITION, PRESENT OFFICIAL DID NOT FILE

It is not often that a single voter has the distinction of being solely responsible for the election of a county officer, yet one voter in the town of Silverton in Red Lake county, is responsible for the election of Oscar Ostrom, his fellow townsman to the office of county surveyor. The former overseer of highways, who held the office corresponding to that of county surveyor, C. H. Martz, did not file for the position of county surveyor, as he expected no opposition, and could not file for that of overseer of highways, as the supreme court decided recently that that office was an unconstitutional one.

Of all the 2,600 or more voters in the county, this man in Silverton was the sole one to vote for a man to fill the position, no one having filed and no name appearing printed on the ballot. By writing in the name of his neighbor in the blank space reserved for that purpose, this voter elected Oscar Ostrom to the high estate just as effectively as tho every voter in the county had honored him with their support. Hoping and expecting to save the filing fee of $10 and to get the office by appointment, Mr. Martz, the present surveyor, did not file. The result is that Mr. Ostrom is elected to the position, something that must be classed as one of the most singular and interesting incidents in connection with the recent election.

BERG'S HOMESTEAD FINE TOWNSITE

EX-SECRETARY OF STATE RECEIVES $10,000 FOR RAINY RIVER CLAIM

Hon. Albert Berg disposed of his famous "The Berg Homestead" at Warroad to a real estate company composed of Messrs. Hedberg, Alldrin and Lundbom. Consideration $10,000. The new owners we are advised, have already proceeded to plat the property, to place on the market in residence lots. The location is an ideal one and will make the prettiest residence quarter of Warroad.

MEMORIAL SERVICES ON DECEMBER 6

The Elks held a big meeting last evening initiated a class of candidates and enjoyed a big feed and social session.

Memorial services will be held Sunday Dec. 6th and a committee on arrangements was named as follows: Brothers, Murphy, McPhee, Hitchcock Carlisle, Tvedten and Handy and they meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Attorney Murphy's office.

Brother Ike Lederer of St. Paul was a most welcome visitor last evening having returned from the south greatly improved in health.

BARNEY HART BROKE ANKLE

A telegram was received in the city this morning to the effect that Barney Mart a brakeman, of this city, while working in the yards at Cass Lake last evening slipped and broke his ankle. No other details could be learned.

Regrets for the past seldom keep a woman from accepting the present.

In after years a man has a mighty poor opinion of a young man who likes to dance.

Rather than stand up for their principles some men sit down and let money talk.

If a man is financially weak he's unable to stand a loan.

Broken Glasses Accurately Replaced
Mail the pieces!
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AND HEADACHES
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COMING AGAIN TO THE FRONT

GOV. JOHN A. JOHNSON'S LEADERSHIP OF THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY—BIG PLAY IS TO BE MADE IN WASHINGTON—MINNESOTA'S CHIEF EXECUTIVE WILL PROPOSE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN STATES AT FORTHCOMING RIVERS AND HARBORS CONGRESS—WHEREBY AMENDMENTS TO THE FEDERAL CONSTITUTION WHICH ARE NEEDED MAY BE OBTAINED

Washington, D. C., Nov. 10—A year ago when Gov. John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, came to Washington, as a delegate to the national rivers and harbors congress, his friends deplored the fact that he was diffident and bashful concerning a prospective candidacy for president.

His cordial reception here, and the excellent impression he made at the gridiron dinner and other functions led his friends to believe that the chief executive of Minnesota was good timber for the highest office in the land, but Gov. Johnson himself did not look at it that way. He depreciated any "boom" and to the newspaper men confided frankly that he was not in the national game. He refused invitations to return here in January and he refused many other pressing requests to visit different places in the East and South during the winter. It was not until he came here during the month of May to attend the convention of governors, that Mr. Johnson really worked up to the real situation that there was such a strong opposition to Bryan it might result in the selection of himself as the democratic candidate.

But it was too late then to stem the tide against Bryan altho Johnson showed surprising strength in Alabama, Georgia, Virginia and Maryland.

Early Bird This Time

Gov. Johnson has profited by his experience of a year ago. His closest personal friends say that he was wiser than any of them for he knew that 1908 was not a democratic year, so far as the presidency was concerned.

And these same friends also say that the governor having tried to get out of politics in Minnesota and failed, will no longer remain passive concerning the efforts which are to be made to bring him forward as the leader of the democratic party in the United States.

He is regarded since the defeat of Gov. Folk in Missouri, as the one big democrat in the Mississippi Valley, and his presidential candidacy is to be launched in Washington next month when the national rivers and harbors congress and the convention of governors again assemble co-incident with the convening of congress, Dec. 8.

Gov. Johnson will be here and with him will come his political manager, Fred B. Lynch of St. Paul. Frank A. Day will return here from Porto Rico and be a delegate to the rivers and harbors congress. So too will Mayor Haynes of Minneapolis; Mayor Armson of Stillwater, and perhaps Mayor Lawler of St. Paul.

Gov. Johnson it can be stated on the highest and most reliable authority, will come forward with a proposition which will be extremely popular, if present indications can be relied upon.

Heretofore thees river and harbor congresses have been national talkfests. The delegates came here, listened to papers and speeches by distinguished men adopted resolutions, attended a banquet heard more speeches and went home, leaving to the congress of the United States the full power and prerogative to do something or do nothing. Last December the rivers and harbors congress was the most successful ever held. But congress at the regular long session passed no river and harbor bill and took no heed of the admonitions of such eminent men as James J. Hill, Andrew Carnegie and George Clinton.

Gov. Johnson's Plan

This year Gov. Johnson and the Minnesota delegation to the congress are coming forward with a practical proposition.

Article 5 of the Constitution of the United States provides that whenever two-thirds of the several states shall through their legislatures make application to congress for an amendment to the Constitution, congress shall call a convention for the purpose of considering such amendments.

The Mississippi valley states, together with the solid Southern states and a majority of the Western states will, it is certain unite in such a movement.

If it works successfully, the man who first promotes it in a public declaration will become a center of interest.

The scheme is a broad and comprehensive one, and the details will be hereafter set forth.

There are only two ways of amending the Constitution of the United States.

First—Congress by a two thirds vote of both houses may submit to the legislatures of the several states amendments; or,

Second—Two thirds of the several states may apply to congress through their legislatures for constitutional amendments.

The first ten amendments to the Constitution were proposed by congress to the several states during the First congress in 1789.

The eleventh amendment was proposed to the states by the Third congress in 1794.

The twelfth amendment was proposed to the states by the Eighth congress in 1803, and there were no more amendments until in 1865 the thirteenth amendment was proposed to the states by the Thirty-eighth congress.

Then followed the fourteenth amendment proposed by the Thirty-ninth congress in 1866, and the fifteenth amendment by the Fortieth congress in 1869.

To Create a Precedent

The several states have never proposed amendments to the national congress, but it is proposed that the time is now opportune to do so.

With the federal Constitution as a guide the governors of thirty states can submit to the legislatures the necessity of a change in the Constitution, since it seems to be pretty generally conceded that congress is not going to propose any more amendments to the states.

Probably the one central feature considered will be the water transportation question and the control of the water powers on navigable streams by federal authority.

There are some very absurd and ridiculous matters connected with the national waterways.

Ever since the formation of the government the work of conserving maintaining and improving the national waterways and our harbors has been under the direction and control of one branch or bureau of the war department.

This is the engineer's office which in times of war has to do with difficult engineering feats and in times of peace with civil works such as building bridges military roads and posts. Not one quarter of the time of the engineer's office is given to the waterways question proper.

Congress has rejected the proposition of President Roosevelt to establish a permanent inland water commission. The bill passed the house last session as reported by Representative Stevens of St. Paul, but it went to sleep in the Senate. Congress or rather the senate has time and again refused to propose to the state an amendment to the constitution for the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people. And more than twenty states have memoralized congress for such an amendment.

Are Going to Awaken

The great west including the Rocky mountains the Pacific coast the northwest states and the tier of southern and gulf states are going to awaken to the situation.

It is true that President Roosevelt twenty years in advance of the day, has forseen all of this, and it is true, too, that Gov. Johnson backed strongly by business and industrial sentiment, will propose the constitutional remedy to the existing situation.

The basic feature of course, will be to have an entirely separate and distinct department of waterways independent from the department of commerce and labor, or the interstate commerce commission or even from the proposed department of transportation proper.

By advancnig a constitutional convention, Gov. Johnson will strike a popular chord. And the democratic governors of Ohio and Indiana, who were elected on the question of general license as against moral local option will simply be distanced at the post by Minnesota's strong and growing, young governor.

Deputy Sheriff Burkhardt has just finished issuing the subpoenas for those who are to appear before the grand jury, and Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels will at once serve the papers There are about 20 cases thus far to be brought to the attention of the grand jury which will convene in Polk County on Dec. 1st and the petit jury will convene on Dec. 7th.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Nov. 19 In History.

1752—George Rogers Clarke, American soldier and explorer, whom Thomas Jefferson called "the Hannibal of the West," born in Albemarle county, Va.; died 1818.

1867—Fitz-Greene Halleck, poet, died at Guilford, Conn.; born 1790.

1904—The presidents of the Russian zemstvos convened at St. Petersburg to advocate political reform.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:35, rises 6:49; moon rises 3:08 a. m.; moon's age 26 days; 3:30 a. m., eastern time, all Jupiter's moons seen west of the planet; 10:34 a. m., eastern time, moon in conjunction with Venus, passing 3 degrees north of the planet from west to east.

It's worth while asking for "Hickory" Brand Rubbers and Overshoes. They are long wearing—always giving satisfaction. Ask your dealer. St. Paul Rubber Co. Distributors.

Agents wanted to sell Baker Rope Buckles and Halter Ties. Big Seller. Write today for full particulars. Folts Baker Mfg. Co. Minneapolis, Minn.

ON LEGAL BUSINESS—Atty Ole Vaule returned this morning from Fargo where he had been called on some important legal business.

ARDOCH ON BUSINESS — J. F. Fournet left this morning for Ardoch where he will spend the day on business, expecting to return this evening.

ON COLLECTION TRIP—S. L. Collins the pioneer liveryman and machine dealer left this morning for Mentor and Dugdale where he will spend the day looking after collections.

OFF FOR DEER—Ole Larson, the hardwareman at Hendrum, and a party of friends passed thru the city this morning enroute to Northome from where they will go after the big game for a week or ten days.

SHEVLIN MAYOR RESIGNS—At the council meeting Monday evening Mayor Erickson tendered his resignation. Mr. Erickson has been in poor health of late and he feels that the office requires more of his time than he can spare for it. — Shevlin Herald.

BUSINESS IS EXCELLENT—F. C. Massee, the well known attorney of East Grand Forks was in the city between trains this morning enroute to Badger where he has some important legal matters to attend to. He says business is the best it has been since he located in East Grand Forks.

HUGH McINTOSH IS SHERIFF — Hugh McIntosh will preserve the peace and dignity of the law in Koochiching county. At a meeting of the county board held on Monday he was selected as a successor of the late Sheriff Walsh. Mr. McIntosh has served on the board since the organization of Koochiching county. He is an old resident and too well known to require an introduction to the public. He is a man that is competent attends strictly to business and as he is well acquainted with the conditions that exist in the county will fulfill the duties of the office to the satisfaction of all and give the public good service. —Border Budget.

PLOWS WITH STEAM — O. H. Bang, one of the big and wealthy farmers of Northwestern Polk County, has finished all his plowing. When it is taken into consideration that Mr. Bang owns about 1,500 acres, one can see that he is naturally jubilant over the matter. This year he purchased a 30 horse power Minneapolis engine with a Deere plow with 14 plows attached, whereby he has been able to turn over about 40 acres a day. Besides this steam plow, he has five gangs going. He has thus been enabled to plow about 65 acres a day. O. H. Bang is an uncle of Chas. and Gilbert Bang of this city. His farm residence is the most beautifcl in the northwest.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by All Druggists.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 20 In History.

1591—Sir Christopher Hatton, noted English scientist, died; born 1540.

1894—Anton Grigorievich Rubinstein, distinguished Russian pianist and composer; died; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:35, rises 6:50; moon rises 4:10 a. m.; moon's age 27 days; 10:40 p. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, passing 4 degrees north of the planet from west to east; sun's declination 19 degrees 43 minutes south of celestial equator.

BAGLE YON BUSINESS—Dr. J. S. Kjelland returned this morning from Bagley where he spent a day on professional business.

ATTENDED COURT AT ADA—Attorney J. A. Hendricks attended the term of district court just concluded at Ada, spent yesterday in Crookston looking after some legal matters at the court house and returned to Fosston this morning.

McINTOSH BANKER HERE—C. F. Cronquist the well known banker of Erskine was an arrival in the city this morning and will spend the day here on business. He reports business conditions healthy in that section of Polk, with the farmers getting in better shape every year.

McINTOSH EDITOR IN CITY—C. T. Lanman of McIntosh the veteran editor of the Times at that place, arrived in Crookston this morning and is looking up his friends. One thing he failed to say anything about was county division.

TOOK CRANE TO ASYLUM—Deputy Sheriff Daniels returned from Fergus Falls this morning where last evening he went with Roy Crane who has been residing with relatives in Russia township. He was committed to the insane hospital at once, his case having been one of the most revolting in the history of the local probate court.

RETURNED HOME—Banker A. P. Hanson returned home on the N. P. this afternoon after attending to some business matters in the city over night.

BUSINESS IS GOOD—A. G. Sandberg manager for the Hanson and Barzen-Milling Co., reports that business is strictly first class this fall. The farmers are giving the institution a lot of grain and seed of all kinds, and the "Vivo" flour is meeting with an excellent sale here.

WARM IN MINNEAPOLIS—Robert M. Rosenberg of the Guarantee Clothing House of this city returned this morning from a three days' business trip to Minneapolis. He says the weather there is very warm, and that he did not see a single overcoat while he was away. It makes business dull there in heavy winter wear. He says stores were open, windows and doors, the same as in midsummer.

GRAND FORKS HUNTERS — A bunch of four hunters from Grand Forks passed thru town yesterday en route home having one deer and one moose in their wagon. Their trophies made a unique and impressive looking load. His mooseship lay on his back in the wagon his four feet sticking up and the deer was standing up over the body of the moose between the fore and hind legs and the load was ornamented by a few small ever green trees standing in the wagon. J. J. Sander, formerly of this neighborhood, and now of Grand Forks was one of the party. The game was killed near his old home 12 miles up the ridge.—Fiddle River Pioneer.

NEW LAW ON HANDLING EXPLOSIVES—On October 15 an important regulation of the Interstate Commerce Commission went into effect, relating to the transportation of high explosives such as dynamite and liquid explosives. It applies to kerosene, gasoline, naptha and kindred articles of commerce, and lays down elaborate rules for handling and shipping, all looking toward the safety of the public and the trainmen who handle the stuff. Cars containing these articles must be placarded with a diamond-shaped label of either white, yellow or red color, according to the classification of the goods shipped. Each box or case must be similarly labeled with a smaller label. Every safeguard seems to be thrown around the handling and transportation of this class of traffic and the regulations are much needed.

The meanest thing about mean people is how they don't care what you think of them for it.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Nov. 21 In History.

James Hogg.

1595—Sir John Hawkins, English naval officer who served with Sir Francis Drake in American expeditions, died.

1835—James Hogg, the "Ettrick Shepherd," died; born 1770.

1886—Charles Francis Adams, United States minister to England during the civil war, died; born 1807. The career of Mr. Adams in the place which his father and grandfather had filled before him is often cited among the foremost triumphs of American diplomacy.

1899—Garret A. Hobart, vice president of the United States, died; born 1844.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:34, rises 6:52; moon rises 5:14 a. m.; moon's age 28 days; 6:02 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mercury, passing 2 degrees north of the planet from west to east.

McINTOSH PASTOR—Rev. E. A. Mirick was at Crookston Tuesday attending a fellowship meeting and remained over to attend the installation of the new pastor of the Congregational church of that city.—McIntosh Times.

WOLVES ARE SASSY—Wolves are reported to be very plentiful in the northern Minnesota woods this winter and it is said that many deer are being killed by the beasts.

NEW UNIFORMS— The members of Company I are being measured by Capt. Westerberg for the new kahki service uniform to be issued by the war department soon. The new clothes are of an olive green color and much better grade of cloth than the old uniforms. They are expected about January 1st.

MORE RURAL PHONE LINES—The telephone crew which has been working on the new rural lines to the northwest of Bagley for the past number of months, discontinued work on Tuesday of this week, the weather having become too severe of late to make work progressive. The line is now completed as far as Gonvick.

SECURES DIVORCE — Edward T. Teitsworth appeared before Judge C. W. Stanton at Bemidji Monday in the interests of Mrs. Carrie North who had brought action against Solmon North, to secure a divorce. The court issued a decree of separation as petitioned for. Mrs. North was formerly a resident of Bagley but now making her home at Bemidji.

WHOLESALE STOCK MOVED — The wholesale house of Finch-Winslow Carlisle at Thief River Falls has moved its old store rooms to their fine new quarters just completed near the Soo station at that place. They now have one of the finest houses in the northwest and they, as well as the city of Thief River Falls have reasons to be proud of the new block.

DEMAND AND PRICES GOOD — W. W. Prichard has sold a 240 acre tract of land west of the city to Ole Habbestad of Lanesboro, Minn., for $35 an acre. This the so-called Baardson farm is well improved and well kept up. This is the second big deal in farm lands within the past ten days and both tracts having sold for $35 per acre the indications point not only to a revival in the real estate business but to a revival of prices as well.—Thief River Falls Press.

HELP OUT R. F. D. CARRIERS—At this time of the year it would not come amiss to call the attention to the patrons of the Rural Free Delivery to the fact that the cold weather will soon set in and that they would confer a special favor on mail carriers if they would stamp their letters instead of depositing pennies in the mail box to defray postage. It is no snap in cold weather to draw off your mitts, and with cold fingers, fumble around in the mail boxes gathering up pennies. This could be easily avoided if the people would provide themselves with stamps enought to last them thru the winter months. In summer time it probably does not make so much difference but during the winter, there is hardly any excuse for such imposition.

Who Likes Lemon Pies?

Everybody, but they are expensive and hard to make in the old way. You should try at once "OUR-PIE" Preparation for delicious Lemon pies. It is made from the choicest ingredients absolutely pure. Sure to please you, as it has thousands of others. A lady says: "I will never again try to make Lemon pie in the old way while I can get 'OUR-PIE' Preparation." Each package enough for two large pies. 10c.

It's the worst kind of luck when you have that kind.

But few men who say nothing have the wood-sawing habit.

Everybody knows that a busybody has a nose for scandal.

JUDGE HAGEN PASSES AWAY

PROMINENT POLITICIAN AND RESPECTED PIONEER CITIZEN DIED THIS MORNING

NOTED AS A VIGOROUS WRITER AND HIGH TYPE OF MINNESOTA PIONEER

From Saturday's Daily—

Universal sorrow will be caused by the announcement of the death of Judge Ole E. Hagen at Bethesda hospital this morning at 9:24, from where he had been brought last Wednesday from Badger. He was honored as a citizen and respected as a neighbor, and tho the spirit has left the flesh, his memory, and what he has accomplished during his life's work will not be forgotten.

Faithful Public Official

Judge Ole E. Hagen for three terms Judge of Probate of Polk county, Minnesota, and one of the pioneer residents of Polk county and the city of Crookston died at the age of 55 years at 9.24 a. m. He has been sick for about four weeks and was taken ill at Badger, Roseau Co., Minn., of which county he has been a resident since 1904, while he was canvassing the county as a candidate for auditor to which office he was elected by a large majority at the last general election altho he was ill and unable to be around for more than a week before November 3rd.

Caused by Peritonitis

The cause of death is assigned to peritonitis. The change for the worse came so suddenly that two of his sons Midshipman O. O. Hagen at Annapolis Md., and Chris O. Hagen head of one of the bureaus in the Educational Department at Manila, P. I., were unable to be at his bedside when the end came. Paul Hagen who is a student at the University came up yesterday so that all of his sons and daughters were with him at the last except the two first above mentioned. O. O. Hagen has been speeding homeward since yesterday from Annapolis, Md. and is expected home on Sunday or Monday morning, and a cablegram has been sent to Chris Hagen at Manila.

Reared Large Family

Judge Hagen's wife died eight years ago, and he is survived by five sons and three daughters, Atty. E. O. Hagen, Paul Hagen, Edward Hagen, O. O. Hagen, Cris Hagen and the Misses Thora, Mary, and Inga Hagen.

Most of his sons and daughters have been with him continually since he was taken ill and everything possible has been done for him. Due to the kindness of the local Great Northern officials here he was carefully moved by rail from Badger to Crookston last Wednesday, and placed in Bethesda hospital where however he failed to improve and he passed away peacefully this morning.

A Vigorous, Able Writer

Judge Hagen ever since 1892 has been one of the leading figures in the political and public life of Northern Minnesota. His fame and ability as a writer and editor was known and recognized far and wide and far beyond the confines of his own state of Minnesota. As editor and proprietor of "Rodhuggeren" a weekly Norwegian newspaper published at Fergus Falls in the early nineties he exerted a great influence upon the public and political affairs of Northern Minnesota. He was later editor and one of the proprietors of "Fram" of Fargo and for about a year was editor of Normanden of Grand Forks, N. D. His efforts as a writer were always exerted in the cause of reform, and against wrong and injustice as he saw it. His heart always went out to the weak and the oppressed and this was the secret of his success and great popularity as a writer. He was always fearless and honest in the expression of his opinions on all subjects, and no one ever questioned his sterling integrity and honesty as a man both in private and public life. He was a devoted husband and father,—his private life was always clean and pure and an example to all men, and as a public servant he was ever faithful to his trust.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

OFFICER NELSON WANTS $200 REWARD

Anton Nelson the Crookston policeman, this week applied to Judge Watts in district court for a reward of $200 for the capture of Robert Kolseth charged with horse stealing and who last week plead guilty to the charge. At the expiration of twenty days the court will set a day of hearing and if at the hearing it is shown that Nelson is entitled to the reward, for the payment of which the statute makes provision, the court will direct that an order in payment of the claim be issued.

MARKET DAY SUCCESS BEYOND FORMER ONES

Between 3,000 And 4,000 Farmers In City From All Directions.

From Saturday's Daily—

2150 PEOPLE FED AT G. A. R. HALL —AUCTION SALE BEST YET HELD

Crookston's Fourth Market Day which is managed by a standing Market Day committee under the direction of the 25,000 Commercial Club of this city opened this morning bright and clear with the thermometer registering far above the freezing point and the streams of farmers pouring into the city exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the most enthusiastic promoters. Heretofore the market days have been held during busy seasons. Now the farmers are all thru with their work, and by 9 o'clock there were streams of teams entering the city from all directions, farmers driving as far as 30 miles. Before noon every livery stable and every available shed was packed with teams and livestock brought in for sale. Cattle, horses, sheep, poultry, butter, eggs and every form of farm produce came into the city in treble the quantity ever before seen in one day.

So splendid was the showing by noon that at the free dinner given the farmers in the G. A. R. hall considerable talk was heard in favor of erecting during the winter immense sheds and ample stock yards, together with a big auction stand, and making Market Day a permanent institution once each month and possibly twice a month during the fall months.

The merchants of the city have cooperated to make Market Day the success that was achieved today. Every merchant gives discounts of from 8 per cent to 25 per cent and in addition a free auctioneer is provided so that any farmer who desires may sell anything he has at auction free of cost, stock, machinery, produce, household goods etc., and this feature is a great drawing card, as nothing has ever been brought in yet that has not been sold.

By noon today the streets of Crookston would have made a stranger think Ringlings circus was in the city. At noon it was estimated that between 2,000 and 3,000 farmers were in the city.

Give people what you think they want instead of what they ask for, and you'll make a lot of enemies.

CONTESTS WERE VERY INTERESTING BOTH LIVESTOCK AND PRODUCE

The farmers with their wives and children first gathered at the G. A. R. Hall where a substantial lunch was served and 2150 people were fed.

The Contests

The first contest held was the team judging and a crowd of 2,000 people witnessed it and showed the keenest interest. There was the finest display of farm horses ever seen in Crookston, it being a mighty well-fed and sleek aggregation of teams they were. The judges had a difficult time to decide but finally made the following awards.

3200 Pound Class

1st, Wm. Beisweinger, Lowell Twp.
2nd August Reitmeier, Lowell Twp.

2600 Pound Class

1st, Thomas Lee, Mallory.
2nd, L. Capistran, northwest of city

Other entries in this class were Stevy Altpeter, Lowell, August Prudhomme, Gentilly. A. J. Knudson, Crookston, John Vandeverter, Andover, Thorger Oustby, Vineland, August Ross, Fisher.

Produce Contests

The produce contests aroused a vast amount of interest. It was held in the old Grill Restaurant building and there were scores of entries. For instance at the last butter contest there were 24. That is a fair indication as to the manner the farmers and their wives are becoming interested in Market Day. It is gratifying to note that the winners of two of the prizes, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller drove about 25 miles to attend Crookston's 4th Market Day. They were here last time, and this time they were here with a big bunch of their neighbors, some of whom were here before, and they will all be here again next time.

The Awards

Turkeys, 1st Frank Reber, Crookston.
2nd, D. H. Miller, Angus.
Butter, 1st, Mrs. D. H. Miller, Angus.
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Pumpkins, 1 Jim Stephens Jr.
Squash, A. P. Johnson.
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CROOKSTON GIRL IN HOSPITAL

ALBERTINE FILIATRAULT IS BADLY INJURED IN SPOKANE, WASH.

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Miss Albertine Filiatrault, of Crookston is laid up in a hospital at Spokane Wash., suffering from injuries sustained as a result of a fall on a slippery pavement of that city in attempting to alight from a moving street car. A letter received this morning brought the first news of her accident, which it seems was rather serious. Miss Filiatrault grew to womanhood in Crookston, residing with her parents on State Street Jeromes addition.

According to word received here she was on the car and intended leaving at a certain street. She signaled the conductor to stop the car but it is claimed that he failed to do so. Being anxious to leave the car at that place she jumped off and on the slippery pavement failed to find a secure foothold and went down.

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Miss Filiatrault for the past two years had been employed in the bindery department of the Grand Forks Times, but spent a portion of the summer in Crookston before she left for Spokane where she intended to locate permanently.

One brother, A. Filiatrault resides at Grand Forks, but most of the rest of the family resides in this city, including Mrs. A. J. Neal wife of Conductor Neal of the Great Northern.

The one way to get the best of some people is to catch them at their worst.

ONLY SO IF CO. BOARD SAYS SO

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People with a vivid imagination should study the "rules of evidence" pretty thoroly before they talk much.

TILING NEEDED

TO CONVERT RED RIVER VALLEY INTO ONE GREAT GARDEN SPOT

JOHN W. LEE SAYS VALLEY DESTINED TO BE GREAT POTATO COUNTRY

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"I witnessed land advance in price from $5 per acre to $175 in Iowa. I may not live to see it here, but others will. Of course all the land in Iowa is not worth that price but some of it is. The gumbo soil in the Red River Valley needs tile drainage to make it as rich as any on the face of the earth. Here again the Red River Valley has the advantage over the heavy soil in Iowa and Illinois that required tile drainage as here you only have to drain the low swales, as the high ridges are all right now. This will reduce the cost to one-half the cost of drainage in Iowa. When the tiling is completed the whole Red River Valley would be a garden spot."

This statement was made by John W. Lee who located in Andover Township near this city four years ago and this year raised about 11,000 bushels of potatoes from 112 acres despite the lack of moisture, and will hold all but about 1,000 for seed. His seed potatoes are all Early Ohios, and he expects to ship them south for seed during the winter as they mature very rapidly when sown south and will be shipped back in the form of the early southern crop for the northern market.

Mr. Lee says that with such soil as is found here he can raise a successful crop of potatoes with a half inch of rainfall. However he cultivates his potatoes along different lines than those usually employed. He says the use of the shovel cultivator is ruinous to the potatoes, as the shovels tear up the potato roots and loosen the soil so that the sundries it out to too great a depth and the roots can secure no moisture at all.

He uses a knife like cultivator which goes only from an inch to two inches deep, and this is followed by an attachment which pulverizes the soil on top, leaving a mulching from one to two inches deep, and he says the moisture below this depth will take care of the potato crop if not disturbed.

Many farmers this year had a rather light potato crop, claiming the season was too dry, but while Mr. Lee did not have a bumper crop he averaged 100 bushels per acre nearly, and his potatoes are of a very fine quality and will make a very good paying crop. In addition the land on which he raised potatoes will raise a bumper crop of any kind of grain he wishes to sow on it next year, and this alone is worth a great deal, added to the fact that in addition to the cultivation his potato land is absolutely free from all manner of foul weed soon.

A Piano at a Nominal Price

Chicago's largest music house, Lyon & Healy, announces a Rebuilding Clearing sale of Pianos. Nearly one thousand splendid instruments are offered without reserve until all are sold In this stock are fine new Mehlin, Hardman, Ivers & Pond, Smith & Nixon and other noted pianos formerly owned by the Thompson Music Co., the Healy Music Co., and the big F. G. Thearle Piano Co. All these concerns were bought out for spot cash by Lyon & Healy and the public may now share the advantage. In this sale are also a number of Steinway and Weber pianos. In upright pianos neat instruments at $100, $120, $140, $150, $165, $190, $200 and upwards. This is an unprecedented opportunity that will not occur again. Any piano not proving entirely satisfactory may be returned at their expense. Address Lyon & Healy, 10 Adams street, Chicago. Distance is no obstacle, for in proportion to the saving to be made the freight charges are insignificant. Any banker will assure you of the entire responsibility of Lyon & Healy, and their record of 45 years for honorable dealing. Write today so as to avoid disappointment.

Suit has been instituted in the district court here by the heirs of the Griggs estate against the estate of Mrs. Hattie Hines recently deceased to quite title to the property on DeMers avenue, East Grand Forks, near the bridge formerly occupied by the wyholesale liquor establishment and saloon of Harm & Oeschger, recently destroyed by fire. The land is a small triangular piece of ground, consoidered valuable on account of its location The suit will probably come up at the next term of court. Bronson & Collins represent the plaintiffs.

VERDICT OF $5,000

CONGRESSMAN H. STEENERSON WON HARD FOUGHT CASE IN FEDERAL COURT

CLIENT TERRIBLY INJURED WHILE WORKING FOR DULUTH ELEVATOR COMPANY

IVAR WALLIN AS GUARDIAN OF SON BROUGHT ACTION — SEALED VERDICT

From Tuesday's Daily—

The case of Ivar Wallin as father of James Wallin, a minor vs. the Duluth Elevator Co., went to the jury late Saturday in the Federal Court at Fergus Falls and an agreement was reached about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The verdict was then sealed and was opened in court Monday forenoon. It awards the plaintiff damages to the extent of $5,000.

The boy in whose behalf the suit was brought was severely injured while in the employ of the elevator company, a large scar extending completely across the top of his head and his skull being crushed in to some extent. Physicians were placed an the stand who testified that his mind had been affected by his injuries, as he has sincce shown little disposition to work and complained of sleepiness and has no aptitude for study, whereas he was an unusually bright and industrious boy before the accident occurred. The defense ridiculed the claims and endeavored to give the impression that he was shamming, but the jury felt that he was entitled to damages. Congressman Steenerson handled the case for the boy and wins a handsome verdict for him.

The case of George A. Post vs. the Northern Pacific railway company, is now on trial. This case is one in which the plaintiff was injured by falling into a coal pit at Dilworth. The suit is for $10,000.

It will be the last case tried this term.

ESTABLISH BANK AT FALLS

M. F. MURPHY OF GRAND FORKS AND W. J. MOONEY OF LANGDON

TO PUT IN FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN BOUNDARY LINE TOWN

M. F. Murphy of Grand Forks and W. J. Mooney of Langdon have decided to establish a state bank with a capital of $25,000 in International Falls to be in operation in the old First National bank building Dec. 1.

Messrs. Murphy and Mooney spent several days in the Falls and purchased two lots on which they intend to build a brick block in the spring.

ROADS TO FIGHT FOR BUSINESS

THREE TRANSCONTINENTAL LINES WILL SOON BE IN BRISK COMPETITION

Transcontinental railroads are beginning a hard struggle with one another for the rapidly increasing freight traffic between the Pacific coast and the markets of the east.

During the dull times of the past year the roads were all making preparations for this great battle but only with the return of prosperity and the increase in industrial activity has the competition begun to be noticeable.

The first move has been made by the Northern Pacific road, which has chopped off 24 hours from the running time of its fast freights between here and the Pacific coast.

The Great Northern will follow suit and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road when completed will add a third direct competitor to the list.

D. D. HORTON MAY LOCATE IN WEST

D. D. Horton arrived in the city from Cloquet this morning and is spending the day in the city visiting relatives and attending to some business matters. Mr. Horton is interested in a picture show at Cloquet and reports business is good. He will leave tomorrow evening for the far west to look up some new locations and if he finds conditions as reported will decide to remain there permanently, and sell out at Cloquet, having had a good offer for his business there.

WINNER IN WORD CONTEST

RUDOLPH SAUGSTAD OF CLIMAX WON INTERESTING MARKET DAY FEATURE

FORMED 331 WORDS FROM "MARKET DAY" AFFAIR WAS A GRAND SUCCESS

From Monday's Daily—

The winner of the Market Day word contest was Randolph C. Saugstad Climax, Minn., Route 1, aged 12 years He had 501 words or combinations submitted of which 331 were allowed. The judge's decision being based on Webster's International dictionary as authority. Owing to a lack of time it was not ascertained how many of the 170 words not allowed are found in the dictionary supplement and in the dictionary of names and noted names in Fiction.

The five contestants submitting the greatest number of combinations are as follows:

	Submitted	Allowed
Randolph C. Saugstad ..	501	331
Clara Hoffman	513	173
Cora Millette	482	208
Mabel Lervin	350	188
Josie Nelson, Climax ...	325	135

It should be remembered that in contests of this nature that the new words formed should be not simply combinations of letters, but actual words found in the English language, Words of other languages not "naturalized" should not be allowed. Abbreviations and prefixes are not words a letter may be used as many times only as it occurs in the original. Many of the recent contestants had their numbers cut down nearly half and some more, because they used the letters more times in the new words than the letters are contained in the original.

There were 58 contestants and the contest was a greater success in every way than was anticipated. The interest was widespread and the Journal had repeated telephone calls Sunday and this morning to find who was the winner.

Randolph Saugstad is a son of Representative John Saugstad of Climax and the manner in which he got up his list is certainly a credit to a boy of 12 years of age, or 20 either. It was written on one long narrow list and folded the size of an envelope and addressed to "The Honorable Word Contest Committee." The words formed begining with each letter were separated and all was typewritten.

Prof. N. A. Thorson who went over the lists had a herculean task and was greatly surprised at the long lists submitted.

RAINY LAKE NOT SOLD

W. H. COOKE DENIES CANADIAN NORTHERN HAS SECURED CONTROL OF ROAD

W. H. Cook, president of the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg railroad. and heavily interested in the Virginia Lumber company, upon his return to Duluth Saturday officially denied that the Canadian Northern interests had secured control of the Rainy Lake road or that the Hines interests had secured control of the lumber holdings of the Virginia Lumber company.

"There is absolutely no truth in the report that the Canadian Northern road has secured control of the Duluth Rainy Lake & Winnipeg road," said Mr. Cook. "There is also no truth in the statement that the Hines interests have consolidated with the interests of the Virginia Lumber company in the control of the holdings of that company."

This is the first official statement that has come from the head of the Rainy Lake road and the Virginia Lumber company regarding the many rumors of the purchase of the Rainy.

RAPID RECOVERY OF DR. ROBERTSON

ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL A WEEK AFTER AN OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

Dr. E. P. Robertson president of Wesley college at Grand Forks, and brother of Supt. Wm. Robertson of the Crookston state Experiment farm who underwent an operation for appendicitis a week ago in St. Michael's hospital, had recovered sufficiently to return to his home yesterday afternoon. He is feeling almost as well as ever and will soon be able to look after Wesley college as usual. He is interested in the fact that the excavation work for the new Larimore hall has been commenced. He will take steps to secure a fund of $100,000 as soon as his health will permit.

FRENCH GETS SLATER'S JOB

WABASHA COUNTY MAN TO BE NEW FOOD COMMISSIONER

SLATER WILL SHORTLY BEGIN HIS SERVICES IN AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

From Monday's Daily—

Andrew French of Plainview, Wabasha county, will succeed E. K. Slater as state dairy and food commissioner Jan. 1. The appointment was announced today by Gov. Johnson.

Mr. Slater last summer accepted an appointment as assistant director of the dairy department at the state agricultural school, taking effect at the end of his present term.

Mr. French is the man who has twice made the race for congress against James A. Tawney in the first district. He is a farmer and practical dairyman, and has been active in dairy organizations and all the farmers movements.

He is a member of state board of equalization. In politics he is a strong Bryan man and last spring worked with the Bryan faction against Gov. Johnson's presidential ambitions. Politically his appointment will offset the dismissal of Labor Commissioner Williams who was about the only member of the radical wing of the party in the old administration.

GRANARY CAUGHT FIRE

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FULL GRANARY CAUGHT FIRE BUT HARD WORK SAVED STRUCTURE

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The granary was full of grain and had not the fire got in control the loss would have been heavy and in addition the other buildings would have been threatened and as they are all first class modern buildings the loss would have been deplorable had they burned.

KEY WEST

We are having the finest of weather some of the farmers were plowing till Tuesday when the snow started.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine, Victoria Nyquist, John Grundahl took dinner at the Keystone farm Sunday.

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The Ladies Missionary society will give a chicken pie supper at the M. W. A. hall at Key West Dec. 11 every body is invited to come and have a good time.

Those who drove to Grand Forks were Mr. and Mrs. Jno Caper, Everett Caper, Will Grundahl, P. O. Augustine Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Grundahl and Wm Koelling.

John R. Capes left Sunday for Illinois where he was called on business

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Two boys Albert Gamache and Chas Dupont were drowned near Cass Lake last night. The boys were skating. The ice was not safe. Their parents became alarmed and went in search. They found their coats on the bank and their caps floating in the watter They searched all night and the bodies were found this morning.

If you have the right frame of mind you will be able to find material enough to make a tolerably decent structure of it.

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HARM & OESCHGER PURCHASE THE BUSINESS OF DAN SULLIVAN

"The Maine" one of the best known emporiums of liquid refreshments in East Grand Forks underwent a change in proprietors last evening. Dan Sullivan, the veteran proprietor, disposed of the business yesterday to Harm & Oeschger who recently sustained a loss by fire, which completely destroyed their place of business together with contents. The new proprietors assumed charge last evening. Mr. Sullivan will take a needed rest before engaging in business.

People with a vivid imagination should study the "rules of evidence" pretty thoroly before they talk much.

TILING NEEDED

TO CONVERT RED RIVER VALLEY INTO ONE GREAT GARDEN SPOT

JOHN W. LEE SAYS VALLEY DESTINED TO BE GREAT POTATO COUNTRY

HE RAISED ABOUT 11000 BUSHELS ON ANDOVER FARM THIS YEAR

From Tuesday's Daily—

"I witnessed land advance in price from $5 per acre to $175 in Iowa. I may not live to see it here, but others will. Of course all the land in Iowa is not worth that price but some of it is. The gumbo soil in the Red River Valley needs tile drainage to make it as rich as any on the face of the earth. Here again the Red River Valley has the advantage over the heavy soil in Iowa and Illinois that required tile drainage as here you only have to drain the low swales, as the high ridges are all right now. This will reduce the cost to one-half the cost of drainage in Iowa. When the tiling is completed the whole Red River Valley would be a garden spot."

This statement was made by John W. Lee who located in Andover Township near this city four years ago and this year raised about 11,000 bushels of potatoes from 112 acres despite the lack of moisture, and will hold all but about 1,000 for seed. His seed potatoes are all Early Ohios, and he expects to ship them south for seed during the winter as they mature very rapidly when sown south and will be shipped back in the form of the early southern crop for the northern market.

Mr. Lee says that with such soil as is found here he can raise a successful crop of potatoes with a half inch of rainfall. However he cultivates his potatoes along different lines than those usually employed. He says the use of the shovel cultivator is ruinous to the potatoes, as the shovels tear up the potato roots and loosen the soil so that the sundries it out to too great a depth and the roots can secure no moisture at all.

He uses a knife like cultivator which goes only from an inch to two inches deep, and this is followed by an attachment which pulverizes the soil on top, leaving a mulching from one to two inches deep, and he says the moisture below this depth will take care of the potato crop if not disturbed.

Many farmers this year had a rather light potato crop, claiming the season was too dry, but while Mr. Lee did not have a bumper crop he averaged 100 bushels per acre nearly, and his potatoes are of a very fine quality and will make a very good paying crop. In addition the land on which he raised potatoes will raise a bumper crop of any kind of grain he wishes to sow on it next year, and this alone is worth a great deal, added to the fact that in addition to the cultivation his potato land is absolutely free from all manner of foul weed soon.

A Piano at a Nominal Price

Chicago's largest music house, Lyon & Healy, announces a Rebuilding Clearing sale of Pianos. Nearly one thousand splendid instruments are offered without reserve until all are sold. In this stock are fine new Mehlin, Hardman, Ivers & Pond, Smith & Nixon and other noted pianos formerly owned by the Thompson Music Co., the Healy Music Co., and the big F. G. Thearle Piano Co. All these concerns were bought out for spot cash by Lyon & Healy and the public may now share the advantage. In this sale are also a number of Steinway and Weber pianos. In upright pianos neat instruments at $100, $120, $140, $150, $165, $190, $200 and upwards. This is an unprecedented opportunity that will not occur again. Any piano not proving entirely satisfactory may be returned at their expense. Address Lyon & Healy, 10 Adams street, Chicago. Distance is no obstacle, for in proportion to the saving to be made the freight charges are insignificant. Any banker will assure you of the entire responsibility of Lyon & Healy, and their record of 45 years for honorable dealing. Write today so as to avoid disappointment.

Suit has been instituted in the district court here by the heirs of the Griggs estate against the estate of Mrs. Hattie Hines recently deceased to quite title to the property on DeMers avenue, East Grand Forks, near the bridge formerly occupied by the wyholesale liquor establishment and saloon of Harm & Oeschger, recently destroyed by fire. The land is a small triangular piece of ground, consoidered valuable on account of its location The suit will probably come up at the next term of court. Bronson & Collins represent the plaintiffs.

VERDICT OF $5,000

CONGRESSMAN H. STEENERSON WON HARD FOUGHT CASE IN FEDERAL COURT

CLIENT TERRIBLY INJURED WHILE WORKING FOR DULUTH ELEVATOR COMPANY

IVAR WALLIN AS GUARDIAN OF SON BROUGHT ACTION — SEALED VERDICT

From Tuesday's Daily—

The case of Ivar Wallin as father of James Wallin, a minor vs. the Duluth Elevator Co., went to the jury late Saturday in the Federal Court at Fergus Falls and an agreement was reached about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The verdict was then sealed and was opened in court Monday forenoon. It awards the plaintiff damages to the extent of $5,000.

The boy in whose behalf the suit was brought was severely injured while in the employ of the elevator company, a large scar extending completely across the top of his head and his skull being crushed in to some extent. Physicians were placed on the stand who testified that his mind had been affected by his injuries, as he has since shown little disposition to work and complained of sleepiness and has no aptitude for study, whereas he was an unusually bright and industrious boy before the accident occurred. The defense ridiculed the claims and endeavored to give the impression that he was shamming, but the jury felt that he was entitled to damages. Congressman Steenerson handled the case for the boy and wins a handsome verdict for him.

The case of George A. Post vs. the Northern Pacific railway company, is now on trial. This case is one in which the plaintiff was injured by falling into a coal pit at Dilworth. The suit is for $10,000.

It will be the last case tried this term.

ESTABLISH BANK AT FALLS

M. F. MURPHY OF GRAND FORKS AND W. J. MOONEY OF LANGDON

TO PUT IN FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN BOUNDARY LINE TOWN

M. F. Murphy of Grand Forks and W. J. Mooney of Langdon have decided to establish a state bank with a capital of $25,000 in International Falls to be in operation in the old First National bank building Dec. 1.

Messrs. Murphy and Mooney spent several days in the Falls and purchased two lots on which they intend to build a brick block in the spring.

ROADS TO FIGHT FOR BUSINESS

THREE TRANSCONTINENTAL LINES WILL SOON BE IN BRISK COMPETITION

Transcontinental railroads are beginning a hard struggle with one another for the rapidly increasing freight traffic between the Pacific coast and the markets of the east.

During the dull times of the past year the roads were all making preparations for this great battle but only with the return of prosperity and the increase in industrial activity has the competition begun to be noticeable.

The first move has been made by the Northern Pacific road, which has chopped off 24 hours from the running time of its fast freights between here and the Pacific coast.

The Great Northern will follow suit and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road when completed will add a third direct competitor to the list.

D. D. HORTON MAY LOCATE IN WEST

D. D. Horton arrived in the city from Cloquet this morning and is spending the day in the city visiting relatives and attending to some business matters. Mr. Horton is interested in a picture show at Cloquet and reports business is good. He will leave tomorrow evening for the far west to look up some new locations and if he finds conditions as reported will decide to remain there permanently, and sell out at Cloquet, having had a good offer for his business there.

WINNER IN WORD CONTEST

RUDOLPH SAUGSTAD OF CLIMAX WON INTERESTING MARKET DAY FEATURE

FORMED 331 WORDS FROM "MARKET DAY" AFFAIR WAS A GRAND SUCCESS

From Monday's Daily—

The winner of the Market Day word contest was Randolph C. Saugstad Climax, Minn., Route 1, aged 12 years He had 501 words or combinations submitted of which 331 were allowed. The judge's decision being based on Webster's International dictionary as authority. Owing to a lack of time it was not ascertained how many of the 170 words not allowed are found in the dictionary supplement and in the dictionary of names and noted names in Fiction.

The five contestants submitting the greatest number of combinations are as follows:

	Submitted	Allowed
Randolph C. Saugstad ..	501	331
Clara Hoffman	513	173
Cora Millette	482	208
Mabel Lervin	350	188
Josie Nelson, Climax ...	325	135

It should be remembered that in contests of this nature that the new words formed should be not simply combinations of letters, but actual words found in the English language, Words of other languages not "naturalized" should not be allowed. Abbreviations and prefixes are not words a letter may be used as many times only as it occurs in the original. Many of the recent contestants had their numbers cut down nearly half and some more, because they used the letters more times in the new words than the letters are contained in the original.

There were 58 contestants and the contest was a greater success in every way than was anticipated. The interest was widespread and the Journal had repeated telephone calls Sunday and this morning to find who was the winner.

Randolph Saugstad is a son of Representative John Saugstad of Climax and the manner in which he got up his list is certainly a credit to a boy of 12 years of age, or 20 either. It was written on one long narrow list and folded the size of an envelope and addressed to "The Honorable Word Contest Committee." The words formed begining with each letter were separated and all was typewritten.

Prof. N. A. Thorson who went over the lists had a herculean task and was greatly surprised at the long lists submitted.

RAINY LAKE NOT SOLD

W. H. COOKE DENIES CANADIAN NORTHERN HAS SECURED CONTROL OF ROAD

W. H. Cook, president of the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg railroad. and heavily interested in the Virginia Lumber company, upon his return to Duluth Saturday officially denied that the Canadian Northern interests had secured control of the Rainy Lake road or that the Hines interests had secured control of the lumber holdings of the Virginia Lumber company.

"There is absolutely no truth in the report that the Canadian Northern road has secured control of the Duluth Rainy Lake & Winnipeg road," said Mr. Cook. "There is also no truth in the statement that the Hines interests have consolidated with the interests of the Virginia Lumber company in the control of the holdings of that company."

This is the first official statement that has come from the head of the Rainy Lake road and the Virginia Lumber company regarding the many rumors of the purchase of the Rainy.

RAPID RECOVERY OF DR. ROBERTSON

ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL A WEEK AFTER AN OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

Dr. E. P. Robertson president of Wesley college at Grand Forks, and brother of Supt. Wm. Robertson of the Crookston state Experiment farm who underwent an operation for appendicitis a week ago in St. Michael's hospital, had recovered sufficiently to return to his home yesterday afternoon. He is feeling almost as well as ever and will soon be able to look after Wesley college as usual. He is interested in the fact that the excavation work for the new Larimore hall has been commenced. He will take steps to secure a fund of $100,000 as soon as his health will permit.

FRENCH GETS SLATER'S JOB

WABASHA COUNTY MAN TO BE NEW FOOD COMMISSIONER

SLATER WILL SHORTLY BEGIN HIS SERVICES IN AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

From Monday's Daily—

Andrew French of Plainview, Wabasha county, will succeed E. K. Slater as state dairy and food commissioner Jan. 1. The appointment was announced today by Gov. Johnson.

Mr. Slater last summer accepted an appointment as assistant director of the dairy department at the state agricultural school, taking effect at the end of his present term.

Mr. French is the man who has twice made the race for congress against James A. Tawney in the first district. He is a farmer and practical dairyman, and has been active in dairy organizations and all the farmers movements.

He is a member of state board of equalization. In politics he is a strong Bryan man and last spring worked with the Bryan faction against Gov. Johnson's presidential ambitions. Politically his appointment will offset the dismissal of Labor Commissioner Williams who was about the only member of the radical wing of the party in the old administration.

GRANARY CAUGHT FIRE

R. T. BUCKLER, BIG FARMER IN ANDOVER NARROWLY ESCAPED BIG LOSS

FULL GRANARY CAUGHT FIRE BUT HARD WORK SAVED STRUCTURE

From Monday's Daily—

This morning fire was discovered in the big granary of R. T. Buckler, one of the large and prosperous farmers southeast of Crookston in the town of Andover.

Altho the flames had got under good headway there was fortunately a big tank of water convenient and under the direction of Mr. Buckler the men formed a bucket brigade and after a hard fight the flames were extinguished before a great deal of damage had been done by fire, tho considerable grain was damaged by the water used.

The granary was full of grain and had not the fire got in control the loss would have been heavy and in addition the other buildings would have been threatened and as they are all first class modern buildings the loss would have been deplorable had they burned.

KEY WEST

We are having the finest of weather some of the farmers were plowing till Tuesday when the snow started.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine, Victoria Nyquist, John Grundahl took dinner at the Keystone farm Sunday.

Miss Catherine Nyquist is visiting Mrs. John Caper at the Keystone farm this week.

The Ladies Missionary society will give a chicken pie supper at the M. W. A. hall at Key West Dec. 11 every body is invited to come and have a good time.

Those who drove to Grand Forks were Mr. and Mrs. Jno Caper, Everett Caper, Will Grundahl, P. O. Augustine Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Grundahl and Wm Koelling.

John R. Capes left Sunday for Illinois where he was called on business

R. Thomson was here visiting old time friends the later part of last week and left Saturday for his home on a claim in western North Dakota.

Two boys Albert Gamache and Chas Dupont were drowned near Cass Lake last night. The boys were skating. The ice was not safe. Their parents became alarmed and went in search. They found their coats on the bank and their caps floating in the watter They searched all night and the bodies were found this morning.

If you have the right frame of mind you will be able to find material enough to make a tolerably decent structure of it.

The Bible says: "Without controversy, great is the mystery of Godliness." Which has been erroneously taken to mean that "with controversy" the mystery could be cleared up.

Never show your dislike until there is a point to be gained thereby.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

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VESSELS COLLIDE 70[illegible] ARE DROWNED

Miss Helen De Young Weds.

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—The marriage of Miss Helen De Young, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. De Young, to George Cameron, a business man of this city, was solemnized by Archbishop Riordan Monday. The couple will reside in San Mateo. This is the second wedding in the De Young family within a month, Miss Constance De Young having been married recently to Joseph Tobin.

Mercer County, Ohio, Goes Wet.

Celina, O., Dec. 1.—The local option election in Mercer county Monday resulted in a victory for the "wets" by a majority of 227.

TAFT HELPS BEAT CAN.

HE AND BOURNE WIN IN INTERNATIONAL GOLF GAME.

Hayward and Upham Call on President-Elect—Will Be Pennsylvania University Orator.

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 1.—An international golf game was played here Monday between the president-elect of the United States and Senator Bourne of Oregon on one side and R. S. Borden, Conservative leader of the Canadian parliament, and G. H. Perley, Conservative member of the same body, on the other. The United States won by a score of "8 up."

Secretary William Hayward and Western Treasurer Fred W. Upham of the Republican national committee, called on Mr. Taft Monday on their way west from the Hitchcock dinner at Washington.

"We just talked over the campaign in a merry mood," said Mr. Taft. "Their visit was but a friendly call, having no political or other significance."

The president-elect was Monday invited to attend the annual dinner of the Jewelers' National association at Providence, R. I. He has not decided the matter.

Judge Taft admitted that he was receiving numerous suggestions from many sources as to who should be in his cabinet. "But I notice that very few suggestions are coming regarding the state department portfolio," he added.

Judge Taft was greatly affected by the news of the death of Richard Lindsay in Washington Monday. Mr. Lindsay, an old friend of Mr. Taft as a Washington correspondent, had been with him a greater part of the time during the campaign. After the election Mr. Lindsay came here on the initiative of the president-elect. Before he left here, ill, on Thanksgiving day, Mr. Taft spent some time in his room at the hotel. "Dick was one of those fine men we meet in life who give us a higher regard for human nature," was the sorrowful comment of Mr. Taft.

Philadelphia, Dec. 1.—Announcement was made by the University of Pennsylvania Monday that President-elect Taft will deliver the oration at the University day celebration to be held on Washington's birthday. This day has been observed for many years with great ceremony, and among those who have delivered the oration in later years were President McKinley, President Roosevelt and Joseph H. Choate.

CHINESE POLICIES

Secretary Root and Ambassador Takahira Get Together.

Washington, Dec. 1.—Secretary Root and Ambassador Takahira of Japan exchanged notes Monday afternoon at the state department covering the declaration of five articles which are to govern their policy in China and the Pacific, a full purport of which has been set forth. A final meeting between Mr. Root and Mr. Takahira preliminary to the signing of the note was held, when the matter was gone over finally. The articles will be given to the press for publication Wednesday. The state department is pleased with the manner in which the intentions of the two governments regarding the Pacific and China has been received. The newspaper publications show that there is still some real misconception of the attitude of the two countries, and for this reason Secretary Root says the exchange of notes is useful.

JAPANESE STEAMERS IN CRASH OFF PORT OF CHEFOO.

DISASTER IN DENSE FOG

Both Ships Sink, Carrying Down with Them Many American and European Passengers—Story of Eye-Witness.

Chefoo, China, Dec. 1.—Two Japanese steamships collided off this port Monday afternoon. Details of the accident were lacking, but it was reported that a total of 700 persons had been drowned.

According to the best information available, the vessels were passenger boats and heavily loaded with Europeans and Americans.

The crash suddenly came in a dense fog. The lookouts were unable to see more than a few yards ahead, and could not give the alarm in time for the passengers and crew to take to the lifeboats.

The ships crashed with a mighty impact within two minutes after warning cries had been sent down to those below.

Frantic Rush for Safety.

Instantly there was a frantic rush for safety. Not stopping to lower the boats, scores leaped into the sea. Most of these were drowned.

The vessels sank soon after the collision, taking down with them the passengers and crew who were asleep at the time of the accident.

The catastrophe was appalling, the news agency says, and was so complete that for a time not even the names of the ill-fated ships could be learned. The Japanese government went to work on the case, and expected soon to have the boats identified.

Story of Eye-Witness.

A fisherman who braved the dangers of the fog and plied his occupation during the adverse conditions reported that he heard the crash and happened on the terrible scene as he was making for shore. His description of the plight of the people who sought to escape from the vessels, both of which were passenger steamers, was melodramatic.

Utter Pitiful Wails.

Said the fisherman:

"I heard a crash in the fog, which was somewhat dulled by the distance from where I was fishing, but as I sought to get out of the way of the impending danger I pulled my boat almost into one of the vessels. However, I could not make out the steamer's name because of the dense fog, but I saw an awful scene. Women and children were uttering pitiful wails, and the men were shouting and yelling at the top of their voices.

Flees to Save Himself.

"It was hardly an instant after I happened upon the scene when I heard a man shout: 'She's going down!' I knew that I would be sucked in so with all speed I pulled away, trying to save a woman passenger who was in the water near me. She sank before I could reach her. Although the steamers had collided the impact seemed to drive them back from each other and both sank at about the same moment.

Many Jump Overboard.

"I presume that most of the passengers were below decks but there was a large number who attempted to save themselves by swimming. Most of those who reached the decks jumped into the water before the vessels went down and they were pulled under by the powerful force of the sinking steamers."

FLEET SAILS FROM MANILA.

Battleships Will Make Next Stop at Colombo, Ceylon.

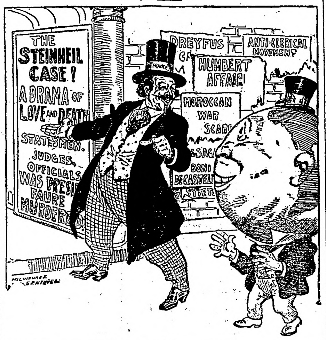
Manila, Dec. 1.—The American battleship fleet under Rear Admiral Sperry sailed promptly at eight o'clock Tuesday morning. The next port of call is Colombo, Ceylon.

There was a series of sports and other amusements on shore Monday for the men, and about 1,500 sailors landed. Admiral Sperry and a number of officers were the guests at a reception given by the Germinal Tobacco Company, and in the evening they attended a reception and ball at Fort McKinley given by the army.

Mrs. McRaney's Experirnce

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for me. Sold by all Druggists.

THE LATEST.



ABRUZZI YIELDS TO ROYAL FAMILY

CABLES MISS ELKINS MATCH IS DEFINITELY OFF—IT WILL NOT BE REVIVED—OBJECTIONS ON BITH SIDES THAT COULD NOT BE OVERCOME—DUKE MAY MAK EANOTHER DASH FOR POLE

Rome, Italy, Dec. 1.—The Elkins-Abruzzi match is now at an end for all time, according to information received from the most trustworthy source. The marriage has been abandoned definitely and there is not likely again to be any question about it.

All efforts to ascertain the exact reasons have been unsuccessful, but it is evident that they are based upon family objections on both sides which cannot be overcome.

This information is confirmed by the fact that the Perseveranza of Milan, a newspaper which is regarded as the mouthpiece of the Italian foreign office, declares the engagement is now off. Simultaneously with this publication the duke of the Abruzzi has dispatched a long cable message to Miss Elkins declaring that he has been unable to remove insuperable obstacles to the marriage.

May Make Dash for Pole Again.

The duke now intends to undertake a long voyage and probably make another dash for the pole. A few days ago he absented himself from Turin so long that it was thought he had gone to France en route to America, but it was discovered that he had gone to the little village of Courmaveur in the valley of Aosta, where he had a long interview all one night with his affectionate guides, Petigaz, father and son, who accompanied him into the polar regions. He then returned to Turin. It is believed the guides were ordered to hold themselves in readiness for another exploring adventure.

Why Marriage Is Dropped.

A final pronouncement is thus put forward by a most credible authority: "It was the duke of the Abruzzi, who decided to abandon the marriage when, after mature consideration, he became convinced it was impossible. Not to speak of certain demands made on the Elkins side, the duke became certain that Miss Elkins' position at court would not be what it ought. Then he concluded that it would be best to abandon the marriage and not expose the young woman to further publicity and press gossip. The Elkins family concurred in the decision and then the duke's cable message closed the affair."

The Perseveranza ends its comments as follows: "Thus there remains of this unpleasant episode only the unpleasant memory of the indecent acrobatic behavior of the yellow section of the American press."

ALLEGED BURGLARS

Federal Officers Make Important Arrests at Hot Springs, Ark.

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 1.—Three alleged safe blowers and post-office burglars whose trail of operation, it is declared, extends throughout the whole of the Mississippi valley, were arrested here Monday, waived examination before a United States commissioner in special session, and half an hour later were locked up in separate cells awaiting their removal to Danville, Ill., one of the places where they are under indictment.

Charles Gallagher, leader of the band, who travels under the aliases of Charles McMullin, "Laughing" Charlie and Charles Martin, was the first arraigned. Joe McCarthy, alias "Big Mack" and William Strong, alias "Yegg" Billie, are the others.

The arrests were made by Chief inspector C. L. Patterson and A. D. Brunsen of the St. Louis secret service office, who have been searching for the men for the greater part of three years. The men made no statements when arraigned.

Insurance Agent Kills Self.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 1.—W. H. True, aged 30, a special agent for the New York Life Insurance Company, killed himself by shooting in a lodging house Monday. His father is said to be a banker in Eureka Springs, Ark., and a brother is a captain in the army stationed at Vancouver barracks, Wash.

The man who amounts to nothing usually resents it when another man does.

CASTRO NOT GO TO PARIS

Otherwise the French Government Will Treat Him Courteously.

Paris, Dec. 1.—The French government is giving consideration to the question as to how President Castro of Venezuela shall be treated upon his arrival at Bordeaux. After the ignominious fashion in which the French minister was expelled from Caracas, the government feels that it would be justified in refusing to allow the president of Venezuela to land, but as Castro is reported to be ill, humanitarian considerations prevent the government from taking such a course.

It is probable, therefore, that a port official will be designated to board the steamer Guadeloupe on which Castro is a passenger, and ascertain his intentions. If Castro desires to be treated at Bordeaux he will be allowed to remain there; if at Berlin, he will be given a passport across France, via Lyons, to the Swiss frontier. But in no case will he be permitted to come to Paris.

President Castro's statement at Basse Terre, which he is reported to have made to interviewers, to the effect that he was proceeding to France to settle a diplomatic matter, was the first intimation the French government had that he had any intention of trying to settle Venezuela's diplomatic differences with this country.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—Neither the Venezuelan charge d'affaires here nor Prof. James Israel has heard anything as yet regarding the report that President Castro of Venezuela is to be operated on by Prof. Isreal when he arrives at Bordeaux.

PLAN TO DIVERT ARKANSAS RIVER

PINE BLUFF CITIZENS DECIDE ON RADICAL DEVICE.

THEIR CITY IS IN DANGER

Approaching Flood Likely to Undermine Big Buildings — Heavy Damage Is Done Near Tulsa, Okla.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Dec. 1.—Fearing that the already weakened banks of the Arkansas river would be unable to withstand the pressure of the water when the full force of the present rise reaches Pine Bluff, it was decided at a mass meeting of citizens held here Monday to divert, if possible, the channel of the river by the cutting through of a narrow strip of land where the river starts a "horse shoe bend" several miles north of this city.

This plan, if successful, while leaving Pine Bluff away from the main channel, would eliminate, it is believed, the danger of an overflow which would cause the destruction of a large amount of property.

The action of the mass meeting followed reports of the coming of a 16-foot rise in the river, the crest of which would probably reach Pine Bluff by Wednesday, and the sloughing off of a large piece of the bank, which has been gradually caving in for several months, following the recent flood.

Big Buildings in Danger.

During the flood of October 4 large warehouses were practically destroyed, and Monday a great crack was discovered in the big two-story warehouse of R. M. Knox, which has been clinging on the brink of the caving bank. That it is inevitable that this structure will go down is the opinion of building experts, and the safety of the Jefferson hotel, a $100,000 structure, and the Jefferson county bank and the courthouse is feared, as the bank has been eaten to within 30 feet of these buildings.

The government fleet arrived at Pine Bluff Saturday and a large force has been hard at work preparing for the construction of revetments, but it is said that this work will take two to three months.

In cutting through the strip of land, about 300 yards, as proposed, it will be necessary to cut through a great levee constructed several years ago. While this would doubtless be in violation of federal laws, the citizens who participated in the meeting have promised to assume responsibility to the government and to property owners for any damage that may ensue.

Damage Near Tulsa.

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 1.—The flood, which was the third this year, did much damage in the vicinity of Tulsa, the Arkansas river being higher than ever before. Bird creek, Sand creek, and the Verdigris river have all risen swept away houses, bridges and fences. No deaths were reported but great damage has been done to oil fields, farm lands and railroads.

The town of Jenks, south of Tulsa, on the Midland valley railroad was partly under water and the railroad tracks were flooded. Telephone and telegraph communication with the oil fields was completely severed. The Arkansas river rose one inch an hour.

Situation at Guthrie Better.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 1.—The flood situation was greatly improved Monday with the water receding at the rate of a foot an hour. Only a few blocks in the lowlands of the city were still inundated.

The Santa Fe railroad resumed regular service Monday afternoon, and most of the factories, which sustained serious loss, resumed operations Monday, although a few in the district still under water will be closed down for ten days. There was no loss of life in the flood, but many families forced to abandon their homes are in distress. No accurate estimate of the damage can yet be secured, but it is believed it will amount to a quarter of a million dollars.

Racial Riots in Prague.

Prague, Bohemia, Dec. 1.—The racial riots, which were widespread Sunday in this city, were resumed Monday, the Czechs and Germans coming into conflict in various quarters. The police cleared the streets with swords and bayonets, many persons being injured.

Gov. Magoon Starts for Home.

Havana, Dec. 1.—Gov. Magoon, accompanied by Col. E. H. Crowder, judge advocate at Havana, and Capt. J. A. Ryan of the Fifteenth cavalry, left here Monday afternoon for the United States. Maj. Gen. Barry will serve as acting governor during Mr. Magoon's absence.

When a man finds a nice, old-fashioned well he also finds that not long ago a cat fell in it.

Read The Journal Wants.

"Innocent Bystander" Shot.

Philadelphia, Dec. 1. — Richard Burk, a bystander, was shot in the breast and probably fatally wounded and Andrew Lonergan was shot in the arm, in an exciting pistol fight between Lonergan and George Medway in front of the Bellevue Stratford hotel in Broad street here Monday night.

Liabilities, $254,560; Assets, $182.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 1.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States district court Monday by Archibald Kerr, a salesman of this city. He gave his liabilities as $254,560, and his assets as $182.

DEATH LIST SHRINKING

VICTIMS OF MARIANNA MINE PROBABLY ABOUT 120.

Nearly All Bodies Thought to Be Recovered—Company Sends Carloads of Provisions.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 1.—The squeaking iron bucket, operated in the 500-foot shaft leading to the Rachel and Agnes mines of the Pittsburg-Buffalo Coal Company at Marianna, Pa., since last Saturday, when a terrific explosion in the mines wrecked the up-to-date elevator of the shaft and snuffed out the lives of miners to a number estimated at from 120 up, had carried to the surface, when darkness fell Monday night, the bruised, mangled and burned remains of more than 100 of the victims of the disaster.

The most reliable count of the bodies recovered at that time was 110, two-thirds of which have been identified. The general belief at that time was that not many more bodies would be found. James E. Roderick, head of the state department of mining, said that from data furnished him by the company and reports from his six deputy inspectors he did not believe the death list would exceed 120.

The sale of intoxicants in Marianna has been prohibited by Coroner Sipe. Food in plenty is being distributed. Mrs. David G. Jones, wife of the general manager of the plant, with a party of friends, is administering to the wants of the miners' wives and children. The company has sent in several carloads of provisions and will provide for dependents of victims until other plans are formed.

Henry D. Thompson, one of the victims, was the last of four brothers, all of whom lost their lives in mine disasters, the first one 15 years ago.

2-CENT RATE IS UPHELD

Supreme Court Reverses Ruling of Virginia Circuit Court.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The supreme court of the United States Monday reversed the decision of the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Virginia, holding to be unconstitutional the order of the state railroad commission fixing a two-cent passenger rate on state business, the effect being to uphold the order.

Indictments in Political War.

Philadelphia, Dec. 1.—State Senator James P. McNichol, leader of the Republican organization in Philadelphia, was indicted by the grand jury Monday on a charge of criminal libel preferred by Max Kaufmann, former secretary of Mayor Reyburn. Kaufmann, in turn, was indicted for perjury. The cases grew out of the political war of 1905.

Sunday Afternoon Newspaper.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The Washington Times, a one-cent evening paper, makes the announcement that its Sunday edition will hereafter appear in the afternoon instead of the morning, at the week-day price. This is believed to be the second instance of a Sunday afternoon newspaper in the United States.

Guilty of Counterfeiting

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. Sold by all Druggists.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

MERGER OF TWO BIG BANKS IS EFFECTED

SWEDISH-AMERICAN IS TAKEN OVER BY THE NORTHWESTERN NATIONAL—TWO MILLIONS IN CURRENCY CARRIED THRU THE STREETS — NORTHWESTERN'S RESOURCES NOW $35,000,000—DEPOSITS $29,500,000

From Monday's Daily—

The Northwestern National bank of Minneapolis has absorbed the Swedish American National bank of the same city. The business and good will of the latter institution were taken over at the close of business Saturday. About $2,000,000 in currency were carried thru the streets of Minneapolis under the guard of detectives Saturday night from the vaults of the Swedish-American National on Fourth St., to the Northwestern National on First avenue S. When the Northwestern National bank opens its doors this morning the transfer was completed and its books show deposits of $29,500,000 resources of over $35,000,000, a capital of $2,000,000 and a surplus equal to the capital—the largest totals possessed by any bank between Chicago and the Pacific coast north of St. Louis.

The Swedish-American bank is the second to be absorbed by the Northwestern National in less than a year. The National Bank of Commerce was merged into the Northwestern National in June.

Was a Complete Surprise

The absorption of the Swedish-American National came as a complete surprise to all except those directly concerned in it. Negotiations were in progress quietly for something over a week. Saturday afternoon the directors of each bank met and gave their unanimous approval of the step

In making the announcement E. W. Decker managing vice president of the Northwestern National bank, said that all the officers of the Northwestern National bank will remain in their present positions. N. O. Werner, president of the Swedish-American National bank, is in ill-health and will retire from active business. C. S. Hulbert, vice president of the Swedish-American National altho a large stock holder h asnever been active as an officer and will retire. J. A. Latta, vice president of the Swedish-American National, will become vice president and a director of the Northwestern National. He will be elected at a directors' meeting to be held tonight or Tuesday. E. L. Mattson cashier and O. V. Ostrum, assistant cashier of the Swedish-American National, will become assistant cashiers of the Northwestern National.

Following is a statement of the condition of the two banks.

The Northwestern National: Capital, $2,000,000; surplus $2,000,000; circulation $1,400,000; total deposits $25,700,000.

The Swedish-American National: Capital $500,000; surplus $350,000; deposits $3,600,000.

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PLENTY TO BE THANKFUL FOR

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In his remarks on Thanksgiving to actors and actresses in Minneapolis Rev. G. L. Morrill went down the line from "a to z" and said he was thankful that:

Brotherhood is becoming universal.
City council has a chance to improve.
Daily press is cleaning its Augean ads.
Earth's harvest has been most bountiful.
Future is bright beyond the grave.
Gateway park is regarded necessary
Health means more than money.
International good will prevails.
Justice between capital and labor is near.
Kindness is more than coronets.
Light is being thrown on trusts.
Mother's memory is the sweetest on earth.
No one is hopelessly bad.
Political campaigns are ended.
Quebec had a splendid tercentenary celebration.
Roosevelt can carry the big stick in to Africa.
Stage has so many good people on its boards.
Taft is elected president.
University team won the football game.
Venice is rebuilding the Campanile
War in Europe is smoothing his wrinkled front.
X bill in my pocket.
Youth may improve by old age's example.
Zero weather has held off so long.

It takes a good man to know how much better any kind of woman is.

Dreams of the Blind.

In my dreams I have sensations, odors, tastes and ideas which I do not remember to have had in reality. Perhaps they are the glimpses which my mind catches through the veil of sleep of my earliest babyhood. I have heard "the trampling of many waters." Sometimes a wonderful light visits me in sleep. Such a flash and glory as it is! I gaze and gaze until it vanishes. I smell and taste much as in my waking hours, but the sense of touch plays a less important part. In sleep I almost never grope. No one guides me. Even in a crowded street I am self sufficient, and I enjoy an independence quite foreign to my physical life. Now I seldom spell on my fingers, and it is still rarer for others to spell into my hand. My mind acts independent of my physical organs. I am delighted to be thus endowed, if only in sleep, for then my soul dons its winged sandals and joyfully joins the throng of happy beings who dwell beyond the reaches of bodily sense.—Helen Keller in Century.

The Cheerful Undertaker.

A most amusing thing occurred one evening upon our arrival at a small town in New Zealand. We found awaiting us at the station the local carriage and pair, with the local undertaker as footman. He was garbed in his usual funereal suit of black, but he had substituted a white tie in order to relieve the situation somewhat, and, evidently with a desire to dispel any morbid impressions he might otherwise have created, he commenced to whistle a selection of the most cheerful tunes he knew, while he held the door open for us and helped us into the carriage.—Clara Butt in Musical Home Journal.

Considerate.

Jasper—Whenever a great man dies Longhair writes a poem about him

Rasper—Well. I must commend his consideration in not writing it before the great man dies.—Boston Globe.

The "Small Purchase" Temptation

is a foe to the man with an average income—too often it overrules his thoughts of thrift, economy and his spirit of "get-a-start" in the world of money.

When you have currency or small change in your pocket isn't the temptation to be a "good-fellow" or buy some inexpensive but unnecessary article or pleasure, a real one?

Why not start a check account with us — others have found this the easiest and surest method of fighting the "small purchase" temptation.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

WINTER CARE OF FARM MACHINES

DEPARTMENT HEAD AT AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE REVIEWS SUBJECT

SAYS 20 PER CENT IS ADDED TO THE LIFE OF MACHINERY BY CARE

From Monday's Daily—

In discussing "Winter Care of Farm Machinery," Hugh J. Hughs of the department of journalism of the North Dakota Agricultural College gives some excellent advice.

"It is not too late in the season to say a word about the all too common practice of letting the machinery stand all winter in the accumulated dust and grease of the season's work, the bright parts exposed to rust, the woodwork exposed to the sun and rain and cracking effects of the frost.

"Wherever a shelter can be provided, there is no excuse for the neglect of so important a part of the farm equipment. Such a shelter need not be expensive, but it should be proof against rain and snow. If it adds 20 per cent to the life of the average binder or wagon—a very moderate estimate—it is a big money saver, when all the machinery on the farm is taken into account.

"There are, we know only too well, a great many who cannot house their machinery. The average renter cannot afford to build the necessary sheds. The new settler moves and could not build machine sheds at each place, but the land owner who wants to see his tenant succeed and have his farm well tilled should provide the machine shed himself.

"At any rate pull the machinery into a row on a clean and high place, where the snow will not be so apt to lodge about it. Take off all canvases reels and sickles. Protect the binder and mover guards, so that chance injury to stock will not occur. Clean all the bearings take off all the chains clean out the tool boxes put everything in shape to hitch the team on in the spring. Make out a list of new castings needed, get them and put them on. Go over all the burrs and see that they are tight. With a cloth rub mard oil over all polished surfaces, such as plow lays. Turn unused wagon boxes upside down. Remove plow tongues or turn them about so that they will not be broken. Take off all clevises and store clevises, sickles (well oiled), plow lays, binder chains and wrenches, twine and odds and ends where they are safe from rust and the small boy."

Salt Lakes.

The Great Salt lake is gradually drying up, and the inhabitants of Salt Lake City seem quite surprised. They ought not to be. All salt lakes owe their salinity to the fact of their having no outlet, and a lake without an outlet is a dying lake.

Nor is death usually long delayed, speaking geologically. Lakes Koko Nor and Lob Nor were undoubtedly extensive inland seas not so very many decades ago, yet Sven Hedin found them reduced to mere acrid puddles set in the midst of well nigh limitless salt deserts that once were their beds.

The terrible Taklamakan desert, too, in which Hedin nearly died of thirst, was once the bed of just such a lake. So also were the salt deserts of Persia. Northern Tibet is studded with salt lakes in process of desiccation. The Aral and the Caspian seas were at one time far more extensive than is now the case, proving that they, too, are undergoing the inevitable process of desiccation to which all such bodies of water are sooner or later invariably subjected.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Examining Wedding Gifts.

"Women viewing another woman's wedding presents say things which are likely to be misinterpreted," said the bachelor who declares he hates weddings, but always goes when invited, according to the Washington Post, "and other things which no favorable interpretation would make complimentary to the bride or to the givers. It's the way of the sex, I suppose. Now, why is it that the most common remark of the women who are inspecting the layout of silver and cut glass and other gifts more or less useful is, 'What a lot of presents she got?' They don't mean anything unkind, but the inference an uninitiated eavesdropper would draw is that they wonder why she got so many, as if by rights she shouldn't have had half so many. Of course they vary the remark, 'What a lucky girl!' says one as if she would like to add, 'Some persons have too much luck.' And another says, 'I wonder where they all came from,' implying almost as if the bride couldn't have enough friends to make so many gifts and must have sent some of them to herself just to making a showing."

In the Customary Place.

A well known English bishop some time since lost his third wife. A clergyman who had known the first wife returned from Africa and wanted to see the grave. He called at the cathedral and saw the verger.

"Can you tell me where the bishop's wife is buried?"

"Well, sir," replied the verger, "I don't know for certain, but he mostly buries 'em at Brompton."—Detroit Tribune.

FORM $150,000 LAND FIRM

EXTENSCIVE HOLDINGS IN MINNESOTA PURCHASED BY MADISON COMPANY

CONCERN WILL HAVE OFFICES AT MADISON, WIS., AND BEMIDJI

From Saturday's Daily—

A land company with a capital of $150,000 has been organized at Madison, Wis., which will take over the property known as the Samuel Mc Clure and the Clearwater Logging company's lands, in Beltrami and Clearwater counties, which have been held for the past year and a half by the Donald Land & Lumber company.

The new company, which has been named the Northern Minnesota Dairy Farm Land company, will have offices in Bemidji, and also at Madison, Wis., The lands are located in the towns of Liberty, Buzzle, Maple Ridge, Roosevelt and Alaska, in Beltrami county, and Dudley, Copley, Holst, Leon, Sinclair and Lammers, in Clearwater county.

IMPROVED CONDITIONS

RESULTS OF INSPECTION SYSTEM OF DAIRY FARMS REPORTED TO HEAD OFFICE

The state dairy and food commission has received a report from Thomas Monley, herd and barn inspector, touching on the general work accomplished by the inspection system for the four years of its existence. The inspector states that the system of surveillance over dairy farms has done much good, and that the farms are under improved sanitary conditions, and the methods of handling the product have greatly changed for the better. The report includes in detail the resula of 408 inspections made.

Sitting Bull.

To look at Sitting Bull one would say that he was always quiet and self contained. In fact, he did usually keep himself under control, but he was cruel and almost heartless. He had practiced cruelty to animals and men from his childhood and as long as he lived; he was full of passion and often very angry. He was always imperious and insolent toward our generals, the Indian agent and other friends of the great father at Washington, whom he claimed to hate. He had great talent and ability to plan campaigns and battles and wonderful influence in bringing Indians together. Notwithstanding all this, he was afraid of death, and, though he planned the greatest victory which the Indians ever gained over white men, Sitting Bull himself was a coward and disgraced himself even before his own people by running away in the very face of success.—General Howard in St. Nicholas.

How Mayne Reid Won His Bride.

It was through his novel, "The Scalp Hunters," that Captain Mayne Reid won a bride. He was thirty years old when he met a damsel of thirteen, with whom he at once fell in love. The child took no notice of him, but he gave her the story to read. Two years later the young lady was at a public meeting where Captain Reid spoke on behalf of the Polish refugees. "An electric thrill seemed to pass through me as he entered the room," she said afterward, and when the meeting was over she went up to him. "I leave for London on the next train," he said hurriedly. "Please send me your address." "I do not know where," she replied, with some embarrassment. He instantly handed out his card and was gone. A formal little note followed: "Dear Captain Reid—As you asked me to send you my address, I do so." By return of post came the answer, "Only say that you love me and I will be with you at once," and then the reply, "I think I do love you."

A Candid Critic.

"A criticism that has helped me a great deal in my work came from a man to whom I took a picture to be framed," said a young woman who spends much of her time copying in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. "As the picture progressed my friends told me it was fine. Some of the other copyists said it had value, character, good coloring and all those things, and even one of the guards in the gallery got real friendly one day and remarked that it was the best copy of that picture he had seen. I began to think that maybe, after all, my several years of study were beginning to bear fruit. At the framer's I picked out a nice frame, and the framer began to figure on the cost.

"'I'll tell you, miss,' he said, 'that frame will come to $3.98. If I were you I'd get something cheaper for that picture.'"—New York Sun.

Couldn't Scream.

"I was afraid you'd scream when I kissed you."

"I didn't dare. Mamma was in the next room and would have heard me."—Houston Post.

The power of necessity is irresistible.—Aeschylus.

ACTRESS TRIES TO COMMIT SUICIDE

ELEANOR MERRON COWPER IS DYING IN NEW YORK.

SEEKS TO FOLLOW FRIEND

She Was Protege and Partner of James H. Wallick, Who Killed Himself by Shooting Last May.

New York, Nov. 28.—Mrs. Eleanor Merron Cowper, a widely-known playwright and actress, shot herself in her room at the St. Regis hotel Friday and will probably die. She was a protege and business partner of the late James H. Wallick, manager and actor, who killed himself at his home in Middletown, N. Y., and in her act of attempted self-destruction she followed closely the method adopted by Wallick.

Before shooting herself, Mrs. Cowper wrote letters to her lawyer, Judge Herbert B. Royce of Middletown, and to John Hood, manager of the King Edward hotel in West Forty-seventh street, where she formerly lived, advising them of her intention to kill herself. A brief history of her life, largely devoted to recounting her career on the stage, was found in her effects.

Was Wallick's Partner.

In all the voluminous writings she left behind she made no mention of any motive that might drive her to suicide. She received royalties on several plays, had an interest in a big farm owned by Mr. Wallick at Middletown, and was in the best of health apaprently.

Mrs. Cowper met James H. Wallick some six years ago, when she went to live at Middletown with her husband, Theodore Archibald Cowper, an actor. He became insane and died about three years ago. Mr. Wallick was greatly interested in Mrs. Cowper and produced one of her plays, called "A Dairy Farm." He also took her into partnership in his stock farm business.

About a year ago Mrs. Cowper took up a residence in the King Edward hotel. Mr. Wallick appeared there soon after and engaged rooms. They were together all the time and Mrs. Cowper addressed the old manager as "Uncle Jim."

It has been learned that Mrs. Cowper sat up until three o'clock Friday morning in her room writing her final instructions. The supposition is that she shot herself soon after that hour, smothering the report of the pistol—which was a small, old-fashioned weapon—by putting a pillow over her head.

Leaves Sketch of Her Life.

Mrs. Cowper was known on the stage as Eleanor Merron, which was her maiden name. Her mother and sister are living at Portland, Me. She was 41 years old and was born in England, coming to this country at the age of three months with her parents. In her life history, left on a table in her room and addressed "To the Press," she said she went on the stage as a child. Her first engagement of any importance was in a company in Boston, of which Edith Kingdon (now Mrs. George Gould) was the star. She was with Charles Frohman for two seasons, playing in "Gloria" and "Fifi."

"I was a member of Daniel Frohman's stock company in the old Lyceum," wrote Mrs. Cowper, "and succeeded poor Georgia Cayvan as leading lady. My most pretentious appearances at the Lyceum were in 'Merry Gotham' and 'The Gray Mare.'

"I also played Countess Olga in 'Fedora,' Audrey in 'As You Like It,' and was for two seasons with Fanny Davenport, who took a great personal interest in me and promoted me from a very small part to be her leading lady. I have played with Effie Shannon and Herbert Kelcey in all their leading shows, and have played leading parts in the Robert Mantell, Walcott and Tyree companies."

The First Mourning Paper.

The oldest known letter written on black edged note paper as a sign of mourning appears to be one dated Jan. 5, 1683. In Addison's comedy of "The Drummer," 1715, reference is made to the fashion in the words, "My lady's mourning paper that is blacked at the edges." A few years later Allan Ramsay, who died in 1758, speaks in one of his poems of "the sable bordered sheet" as a messenger of sorrow. Mann, writing from Italy to Horace Walpole in 1755, says that it was universally used in Florence at that time. The superior elegance of this Italian note paper, with its narrow margin of black, explains its ready acceptance in this country, where it superseded the quarto sheet with a black border sometimes a quarter of an inch wide. In this way it probably gave an impetus to the fashion. But it is a mistake to suppose, as some have done, that the fashion was introduced from Italy.—London Answers.

Lucky.

Rustic—What's the matter? Motorist—Matter! I can't get this car to go. Rustic—Then it's the lucky man you are, for just yesterday a motorist got nearly smashed to bits here because he couldn't get his car to stop.

Her Dig.

Miss Antique—Just think of the nerve of that impecunious fellow to propose to me!

Miss Caustique—Nerve? Why, it was absolute recklessness.—Milwaukee News.

HER FEET WERE SORE AND CRACKED

Soles Seemed as Though Covered with Knife Cuts—Could Not Bear Weight of Feet Even on Pillow—Was Long Unable to Walk—Many Remedies Failed—Now Cured.

WILL PRAISE CUTICURA AS LONG AS SHE LIVES

"Some four years ago I had the misfortune to have my feet get sore. The doctors could not tell me what it was. I used everything I could hear or think of but all to no avail. The feet were all cracked across the bottom as if you had taken a knife and cut them every whichway. They would peel up, and, oh, my! how they did hurt when I would try to walk — which I was not able to do for a long time. One day one of our neighbors came to our house and asked what was the matter. I showed him my feet and he said he had some Cuticura Ointment which would heal them up. There was only enough to apply once, but I found it helped me so much that I sent for a set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills, costing one dollar, and to my great joy, my feet were cured and have never troubled me since. I shall praise Cuticura as long as I live for the great help it has been. Mrs. Margaret Primmer, Plattin, Mo., June 30 and July 21, 1907."

ECZEMAS

And Other Itching, Torturing Humors Cured by Cuticura.

Warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment afford instant relief in the most distressing forms of itching, burning, scaly, crusted humors, eczemas, rashes, inflammations, irritations, and chafings of infancy and childhood, permit rest and sleep and point to a speedy and permanent cure, in the majority of cases, when all other remedies fail.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

EDEN TOWNSHIP BOY DROWNED

Garfield the ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicolas Paulson was drowned last Saturday close to his home in Eden township and within view of his mother and others of the family who were unable to save him.

Garfield and a brother of nearly the same age were engaged in fishing thru the ice, close to their home and near the shore. It appears that Garfield decided he could do better if he had a separate hole in the ice by himself in which to fish, and taking an axe, walked further out from land. With the first blow however, the ice gave way and the boy sank in the water above his depth. His mother and sister saw him go down and hastened to help him, the girl herself getting into the water and was only saved from drowning by being pulled out of the lake with the aid of a garden rake. But the body of the boy was not recovered until after life was extinct.

It was a terrible blow to his parents who have universal sympathy in their great sorrow.

Queer English Laws.

"No statute law of England ever can be obsolete," a legal journal says. "Once enacted, it continues in binding force until repealed."

If such be really the case, there ought to be some lively times ahead for several classes of the community. For instance, what will builders have to say to the act which penalizes any person who erects a house without attaching to it at least four acres of land? This was one of "good Queen Bess'" laws, and it has most certainly never been repealed.

By another unrepealed statute, which dates back to the first year of King James I., it is enacted that not more than a penny may be charged for a quart of the best old ale nor more than a halfpenny for a like quantity of small beer. The penalty for each infraction of the act is 20 shillings, so that if it were rigidly enforced it would not need, apparently, a licensing bill to ruin the brewers. Then, again, a Catholic owning a horse is still legally obliged to sell it for £5 to anybody who chooses to offer that sum for it.—London Graphic.

Long Suffering Bill.

A correspondent sends the following to a remote rural organ of the people:

"Our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. William M. Puckleton, has had several new 'No Trespassing' signs erected on his place. We have had the pleasure of perusing the one facing the Hedgeville pike. It reads:

"Notis.—Trespasers will be persekuted to the full exten of 2 mean mungrel dogs wich ain't never ben overly soshibil with strangers an 1 dubbel barl shotgun wich ain't loaded with no sofy pillers dam if I ain't getin tired of this helraisin on my property. Yurs respecful.
"BILL PUCKLETON."

—Current Literature.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

LITTLE CHILD IS DROWNED

ERNEST, 2½ YEAR OLD SON OF MR. AND MRS. E. N. THOMAS THE VICTIM

LITTLE BOY WAS GRANDCHILD OF CITY CLERK A. M. CHILDS

From Saturday's Daily—

City Clerk A. M. Childs this afternoon received a telegram from his youngest daughter, Mrs. E. N. Thomas of Duluth, to the effect that their son Ernest had ben drowned. No further details have been received and Mr. Childs does not know how the terrible accident happened.

The news will be received with the greatest sorrow and sympathy by the many friends of Mrs. Thomas, who grew to womanhood in Crookston, and since her marriage has visited here often, having been here during the past summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas had but two children the youngest being but a year old. Mr. Childs is unable yet to determine whether he will be able to leave his duties long enough to attend the funeral.

DISTRICT MEET OF I. O. G. T.

IN THE PEET PAVING CASE AGAINST EAST GRAND FORKS

Ambrose Tigue of St. Paul, attorney for Peet the plaintiff in the paving case against East Grand Forks was there yesterday and took the deposition of Thos. Lawson of Grand Forks the engineer who made the plans an dspecifications for the paving and superintended the construction for the city. This case was tried before Judge Watts here without a jury and appealed to the supreme court, which reversed Judge Watts' ruling and sent the case back for trial at Crookston about the middle of December and quite a number of witnesses will be summoned from East Grand Forks, including several members of the city council at the time the paving was done.

TOOK ENGINEERS DEPOSITION

G. T. Hagen, Grand Templar for this district left last evening for Fosston to attend a district convention of the Norwegian branch of the Independent Order of Good Templars today at that place and upwards of 25 or 30 delegates from other places are expected to arrive this evening and tomorrow morning. Among these visiting delegates there will be prominent speakers and the occasion will be one of importance to the Fosston lodge.

This district includes Polk, Norman Beltrami, Red Lake and Clay counties The meeting in progress today is the annual gathering of the Templars from this district.

SUPT' YEAGER QUITS FOSSTON SCHOOLS

Information to the effect that Supt. C. S. Yager of the Fosston public schools had tendered his resignation to the Board of Education and that it had been accepted after considerable deliberation on Wednesday, will come as a complete surprise.

Supt. Yeager was in receipt of a flattering offer from Brown's Valley, this state, and after due consideration decided to accept it. Conferring with the local Board on Tuesday, his request to be relieved from his duties here was voted down, but at a meeting of the Board the following morning his resignation was finally accepted, conditional upon his remaining until a successor can be secured to fill his responsible position, which may be a matter of a few days only, when he will leave to assume his new charge.

The sudden termination of Prof. Yeager's work in this section of the state is regretted on all sides. During the many years in which the schools of Fosston have been under his direction they have made remarkable progress in efficiency and importance and are at present time in a high state of excellence. Browns Valley is indeed fortunate in securing his services as there are few more able men engaged at the present time in the work of the educational system of the state.

When your doctor agrees with your own diagnosis of your disease it is generally safer to get another doctor.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

BIG GAME "SOONERS"

THREE O FTHEM FINED YESTERDAY AT RED LAKE FALLS

CASES AGAINST TWO WERE DISMISSED—STARTED HUNTING NOVEMBER 6TH

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday at Red Lake Falls Chas. and Earnest Seegar, Peter and Henry Stouken and Albert Zimpel were hailed before Judge A. P. Toupin at Red Lake Falls charged by Game Warden Wm. Munch with hunting deer out of season. He moved for the dismissal of the cases against Chas. Seeger and Albert Zimpel and the other three plead guilty to the charge and were fined $12 each.

Some time before the big game season opened the members of the party asked Warden Munch if it was against the law to get into the big woods and establish a camp, and they were informed that there was nothing in the law to prohibit such action, but they must be careful and do no hunting before Nov. 10.

Nov. 6th Warden Munch happened in Hickory Township near Red Lake and five homesteaders were ready to swear that the party had chased and shot at a buck on Nov. 6, four days before the season for big game opened. With this array of evidence the accused decided to plead guilty.

HARM DONE BY MUCH GOSSIP

Secrets, Intended to Stay Secrets, Should be told to Nobody—Men Can Keep silent—Women Should Have as Strict a Code of Honor as Men in Keeping Information

A friend of his told a friend of his
In a confidential way—"

That's the way it begins and is the reason that so many secrets are well known by so many people. If you want to be sure that a certain something be known to nobody, do not tell it even to your dearest friend and then it will remain a secret. We are prone to forgot that our dearest friend has also a dearest friend, and the latter has a dearest friend, until the first thing we know, exerybody knows our secret.

It is almost always a mistake for one to tell his private affairs to anybody let alone the whole world. There is a certain dignity about keeping one's matters to one's self, and a loss of dignity when persons have no reserve.

It is strange that part of the world seems to regard a decent reticence as secretiveness and abuses the man who does not tell everything he knows to any chance comer. Persons of good bringing up are always reserved and do not care to blurt out their private affairs in a mixed company, and sometimes they are abused for what is only good manners.

Then at times we meet the other extreme, the woman who has no reticence about anything and tells her secrets and private matters before the whole world. Strange to say she is often defended by persons who ought to know better, and they call her "so honest, and frank" while the reticent woman who considers it much more refined to be a trifle reserved about famidly affairs is dubbed "secretive."

Persons who tell secrets are very foolish folk, and to tell them to newly married women, or to very young girls is fatal. Young wives tell their husbands everything, and very young girls are sure to unfold to their dearest "chum" all the affairs which they have cressed their hearts and promised never, never to tell to anybody.

If you must tell a secret, tell it to a man. This is not intended as a slur upon womankind in general, but it must be admitted that some men—not all—are better keepers of a seret than the generally of women. Not because they are men, but because their minds are naturally upon greater and more vital things and they do not have time to remember all the gossip they hear. So men usually forget the secrets and that helps.

But what's the use of telling a secret at all? If you have surprised any body in a moment of weakness, if you have overheard something not intended for your ears, the honorable thing is never to tell it to anybody. Consider how you would feel if you had revealed some emotion or circumstance in your life which was not intended for anyone to know, and some body gossipped about you and told the thing which should not be told. If we bring home to ourselves these things, we are not likely to be overconfident with anybody but some one of whom we are sure—and they are scarce.

Much scandal and many a tregedy has been precipitated by an unruly tongue and we cannot be too careful when we are inclined to tell everything we know in a moment of confidence.

NEW STAMPS RECALLED

PRINTER'S ERROR RECALLS STAMPS—NEW SERIES HAD NOT REACHED CROOKSTON

WHEN ORDER WAS ISSUED—ALL WILL BE DESTROYED BY GOVERNMENT

From Saturday's Daily—

It has been discovered that an error was made in the new issue of postage stamps lately sent from Washington to the postoffices for sale.

Under the international postoffice rules the denomination of the stamps is required to be given in Roman numerals as these are understood in all countries. On some of the new stamps the value of the stamp has been given in English letters, as "Two Cents" and this error is regarded as being of so great importance that an order has been issued calling in all the new stamps. None of these stamps have come to the Crookston postoffice, but some of those which have been sold at other postoffices have come to Crookston on letters and packages. The wrongly printed stamps will be in great demand by colectors of odd stamps, as they will be very rare on account of so few ever being in actual use.

All called in by the government will be destroyed.

PENSIONS FOR TEACHERS

BACHELOR SENATOR IN IOWA WOULD ESTABLISH RETIREMENT FUND ASS'NS.

C. C. Dowell, the bachelor senator from Polk county, who has served in Iowa's legislative halls for nearly 15 years will this winter introduce a bill to pension schoolma'ams.

He will offer a measure providing for the establishment of a teachers' retirement fund association, in school districts having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or more. Every teacher, when she accepts a position in the district, becomes a member of the association. The school board will be required to set aside monthly a certain per capita amount, which can be loaned only on first mortgages on improved Iowa farms.

PRAISES SCHOOL AND STATE FARM

Representative Dan Robertson returned to Argyle Wednesday morning after attending the conference here yesterday with others he visited the experiment Farm and the School of Agriculture Tuesday and to a Journal man said:

"A great work is being done at both institutions. Supt. Wm. Robertson is certainly the right man in the right place and in Prof. Harrington and his other assistants he has most able help The work the students are doing now and the splendid training they are receiving will have a marked effect upon the better development of the Red River Valley.

MRS. DANEK GETS A DIVORGE

Mrs. Teresin Danek has been granted a divorce in district court here by Judge Watts from Joseph Danek. Cruelty and inhuman treatment was the accusation against the defendant, in that he used violent means to acquire property at Northland township, north of East Grand Forks which was in Mrs. Danek's name. The couple were married a year ago. Mrs. Danek being Mr. Danek's third wife. Both were 65 years of age and it was brought out in court that the marriage was a proposition entirely to secure her property. Attorney Finlayson appeared for the plaintiff.

A Present.

"That's a very fine purse you have, Henry."

"Yes. My wife gave it to me on my birthday."

"Indeed! Anything in it?"

"Yes: the bill for the purse."

One Exception.

The Husband (during the quarrel)—You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didn't? The Wife—Yes, sir; on my wedding day.

Guilty of Counterfeiting

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. Sold by all Druggists.

CAUGHT THEM WITH GOODS

GAME WARDEN MUNCH MAKES ANOTHER KILING IN ROSEAU COUNTY

TWO MEN KILLED COW MOOSE—COST THEM $104—FISH TRAPPER FINED

From Friday's Daily—

Gamewarden Wm. Munch returned Thursday evening from Palmville Township, Roseau Co., south of Wanaska, where Tuesday he arrested Geo. Bengtson and Peter Johnson for having shot a cow moose on Nov. 17. Warden Munch secured the hide and 100 pounds of the meat which he confiscated. Yesterday the two men were taken before Judge Medicraft of Roseau and given their choice between 30 days in jail and a fine of $50 each and costs. They paid the $104 after pleading guilty.

There are mighty few of the violators getting away from Warden Munch this year. He is thoroly on to the ropes and knows his territory like a book. He has a lot of "live wires" strung in every direction, and the hunter shooting game out of season is almost certain to get a shock from some of them.

By his eminent fairness, Warden Munch has secured the co-operation of every true sportsman in the Northern part of the state, and it is this that greatly assists him in his work.

Warden Munch left for Middle River last Monday, and intended being here for Thanksgiving dinner — and thereby hangs a taie. Wednesday after finishing his work he hired an auto and headed for Karlstad intending to come down to Erskine on the Soo and arrive here yesterday morning. After going a short distance a tire exploded. They laid up all night and yesterday morning started for Greenbush intending to catch the freight to Crookston. Another mile out in the country and the same tire figured in more fire works.

About this time Willing William got wrathy. He rode shanks mare a distance of nine miles into Greenbush wearing a big buffalo coat and carrying a heavy grip, and caught the passenger train in last night. When he jumped from the train he rushed into the depot and grabbing the telephone shouted to Ed Ralston at the Grill "2 dozen fried oysters and plenty with the fresh fried spuds. Rush."

Fish Trapper Fined

Last week Warden Munch also arrested Euclid Beaudry of Poplar River township, Red Lake Co., for trapping fish by means of a dam built across Poplar river. Judge Arthur Lanial of Brooks, before whom Beaudry entered a plea of guilty assessed a fine and costs amounting to $21.50 which was promptly paid, Mr. Beaudry's offense having been the result of ignorance of the law rather than wilful violation.

Fat and Disease.

If the Medical Record is right, man is pursuing in the matter of bodily weight what is bad for him, a common trick, and woman pines for a physical ideal that would mean long life if achieved, something rare indeed for women to do. Most men struggle to be fat. Most women diet to be lean. Dr. Brandreth Symonds draws from a study of life insurance weights that people past the age of thirty live longer if below normar weight than they do if at or above standard. Heart disease is as rare among the underfat as it is common with the heavy folk, and this is true also of Bright's disease, apoplexy, paralysis, cerebral congestions and cirrhosis of the liver. Only in pneumonia and tuberculosis do the underweights carry a greater risk. In all the cases which he examined Dr. Symonds found not a single fat man who reached the age of eighty years, while forty-four short weights passed this mark.

The Best Pride.

A titled Englishman while in Newport talked most entertainingly to a group of ladies about ancestral pride.

"Ancestral pride is an excellent thing," he said, "but there are better things. We have long felt in Great Britain that there are better things. I heard the sentiment rather neatly expressed last season by a duchess. Hers is a great family, but she was talking to a young marquis whose family is incomparably greater. He is a rather worthless, lazy, dissipated young marquis, and he boasted to the duchess about his people.

"'I am very proud of my ancestry, you know,' he ended.

"'Yes,' said the duchess, 'and you have cause to be, but I wonder how your ancestry would feel about you?'"

Matrimony.

Youngly—Did you ever notice that the matrimonial process is like that of making a call? You go to adore, you ring a belle and you give your name to a maid. Cynicus—Yes, and then you're taken in.—Boston Transcript.

The Extremes.

Lobster and champagne for supper—that's high jinks. Sawdust and near-coffee for breakfast—that's hygiene. Between these two eminences, however, there's room for some genuine living.—Life.

CO. I SCORED BIG TRIUMPH

6TH ANNUAL BALL LAST EVENING PROVED A HUGE SUCCESS

120 PEOPLE TRIPPED LIGHT FANTASTIC TOE—EXCELLENT ARRANGEMENTS

The Sixth Annual Ball given last ev
From Friday's Daily—
ening by Co. I 3rd Infantry M. N. G. in Odd Fellows Hall last evening was the biggest success ever scored by the company, the capacity of the hall being taxed to its fullest capacity. The affair emphasized the necessity of an adequate armory, as had there been more room the company could have made an effort to sell more tickets and the crowd could have been doubled or trebled with little effort.

As it was the affair proved a splendid success. The scene was a most animated one, the members of the company wearing their dress uniforms and certainly looked very natty.

The various committees discharged their duties well. The committee on arrangements consisting of Second Lieutenant P. J. Eide, Musician LeBlanc and Private Ebbighausen had slighted none of their duties, and every detail was looked after in order that those present might enjoy the evening to the fullest extent. Very tasty invitations were issued with the dancing program on the back.

The committee on decorations also did some very clever work, and the hall presented a decidedly military appearance with everything arranged in a most artistic manner. This committee consisted of Corporal Oseth, Sgt. Cottet and Private Lucian. Sgt. Arnold acted as floor manager and in that capacity kept things moving very smoothly, announcing a number of popular extras in addition to the program of 11 numbers. Burkhardt's full orchestra furnished most excellent music.

The armory on the first floor was kept open all evening the drill hall being used as a promenade and the other rooms as resting rooms, and this relieved the congestion of the ball room materially.

Every member of the company from Capt. Westerberg clear down the line made an effort to make the evening one of great enjoyment for all present, and both ladies and gentlemen are enthusiastic over the complete success of the affair. It will mean a great revival in the interest taken in Co. I, and assures the complete success of any future social functions which the company may give in the future. The company is getting in better shape steadily, the attendance at drill is good and the future of the company looks brighter in every way than ever before.

What Crookston should do now is to give the company every encouragement to build a new and adequate armory, and the present winter is a good time to mature the plans. The Commercial Club might well devote its energies to this necessary project.

The Popular Coral.

The dealer held up two strings of coral. They were of equal size, but one was dark and dull in hue, the other beautifully pink and translucent.

"The dark one," he said, "is worth 50 cents; the pink one is worth $500. That is what makes coral so popular. It suits all pocketbooks. All over the world it goes. These strings of rough, uncut beads are for the dead of India. They are put round the necks of the bodies about to be burned in the ghats. These large and blood red beads go to Africa. They are much liked by the natives, whose dark skins they perfectly suit. Here are a lot of coral hands with fingers extended in a V—the gesture that wards off the evil eye. The coral hands are for Italy, where the belief in their efficacy is widespread."—Buffalo Express.

Working Too Hard.

The owner of the farm had been enjoying himself at the county fair, while his hardworking wife stayed at home to see that the farm suffered no loss in his absence.

"Well, Sarah," said the owner upon his return, "I'm about all tired out. Is the cows in the barn?"

"Yes; long since," replied his wife, barely looking up from the task then in hand.

"Is the hosses unharnessed an' fed?"

"Yes."

"Chickens locked up?"

"Yes."

"Wood chopped for mornin'?"

"Yes."

"Wagon heel mended an' ready t' start in th' mornin'?"

"Yes."

"Well, then," concluded the exhausted owner, with a sigh of relief, "let me have my supper. I'm goin' to' turn in. Farmin's beginnin' t' tell on me."—New York Herald.

Cashing Up.

"Have you ever played poker wit your son-in-law?"

"Only once," answered Mr. Cumrox. "It wasn't very satisfactory."

"Did he win?"

"No; he lost. But it merely resulted in my having to write him a check so that he could indorse it over to me."—Washington Star.

BEST TIME TO TAKE

DIRECTIONS TO PREPARE A SIMPLE MIXTURE—GIVES DOSE TO TAKE

TELLS YOU HOW TO OVERCOME RHEUMATISM WITH SIMPLE RECIPE

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the following valuable the simple and harmless, prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

MINNESOTA ELECTS STORK

BIRTHS HAD PLURALITY OVER DEATHS OF NINETEEN THOUSAND LAST YEAR

The stork was elected last year in Minnesota by a plurality of 19,000. According to the figures compiled by the state board of health the number of births in the state during 1907 was 39,277, and the deaths, 20,317. Minneapolis has the record for the largest number of births in comparison to the area, with 5,382. St. Paul came a close second, with 4,129. In three of the other counties the figures were over 1,000.

Another report on vital statistics shows the figures with regard to the ravages worked by tuberculosis in Minnesota since 1904. There have been 2,000 deaths from the disease in that time, or 10.8 of the total deaths in the state. Contrary to general opinion, the death rate in Minnesota from tuberculosis is about the same as it is thruout all the states. There has been some falling off in the large cities, but as the population of the state is largely rural this does not count for much.

Christopher Easton, executive secretary for the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, has reckoned out that the 2,000 deaths in the state for the five year period represent 10,000 cases, of which 1,500 were bed-ridden, and that this extent of sickness in the state means an enormous loss to the state both in decreased earnings of the invalids and in direct loss thru caring for the patients.

DR. MARCUM KILLED MONSTER MOOSE

Dr. E. H. Marcum of Bemidji, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Marcum of this city, returned home Wednesday from a ten days' moose hunt in the Battle River country with a party of friends. The party had poor luck colectively, but Dr. Marcum was in the money, shooting a monster moose which dressed 875 pounds and the horns of the animal measured 56 inches from tip to tip. This was the only thing killed and Doc says he pumped 8 bullets into the monster before he dropped him. He will have the head mounted and the hide tanned as a memento of the hunt.

HOWLING BLILZZARD 26 YEARS AGO

According to Zeb Lusian the people of this section enjoyed a howling blizzard 26 years ago today. He was married here 26 years ago yesterday, coming down from Euclid where he was then residing to claim his bride. They intended to go to Euclid the day following but the passenger train was 9hours late owing to the terrific storm His wedding day, people wore no overcoats, it being real balmy but the wind switched to the north and the trouble started.

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State Treasury In Good Shape

Minnesota's treasury is in much better shape than a year ago, as shown by the statement of State Treasurer Clarence C. Dinehart at the close ofg business Nov. 30. While there is an overdraft of $163,969.09 in the revenue fund, compared with a balance of $4,255.28 a year ago, the October school apportionment had not been paid a wear ago. This time it has been taken care of, and this accounts for about $800,000.

Balances in other state funds are as follows:

Soldiers' relief fund, $47,258.98; funding tax fund, $197,969.56; state road and bride fund, $84,848.15; university campus fund, $231,864.54; permanent school fund $14,717.30; general school fund $201,574.99; permanent university fund $5,119.52; general university fund $75,174.31; internal improvement fund, $50,177.47 internal improvement land fund $3,767.98; internal improvement land fund interest, $1,636.69; swamp land fund, $1,228.27; swamp land fund interest, $1,761.63; hay inspection fund $2,285.68; grain inspection fund, $71,989.90.

The net balance on hand is $827,405.88, compared with $743,057.49 last year.

This is certainly a most gratifying showing.

Corn Fed Stock In Red River Valley

A splendid object lesson is furnished the farmers of the Red River Valley today in the marketing in this city of some corn fed steers by Henry O'Neil, the well known and progressive young farmer east of the city.

Ed Erickson who purchased one of them drove to the O'Neil farm yesterday and wanted to purchase all Mr. O'Neil had to sell, but some of them had been contracted for by Jos. Winfield and were delivered today. Mr. Erickson says the steer he purchased which was but a litle over 2 years old dressed nearly 700 and Mr. O'Neil received a check for $43.75 for the animal, tho he had been feeding him corn but a few months.

Mr. O'Neil has been raising corn for several years, and has made a signal success of it. He discovered that to compete with corn-fed cattle from Iowa and other places, it is necessary to feed corn. He raised as fine corn this year as was ever seen anywhere, and next year will raise still more, having saved a big lot of seed.

The beef he brought in, Mr. Erickson says, is as fine a carcass as he ever hung up in his shop, and it has attracted the attention of every customer.

If Henry O'Neil can raise corn and turn off better beef than is shipped in by either Armour or Swift, other farmers can also do it, and if they would do it such a thing as a meat car being run to Crookston, Grand Forks and other cities of the Valley would soon be a thing of the past.

Readjustment Is Coming

Readjustment of the legislative districts is a problem already engaging the attention of a number of the members of the new legislature. The work of reapportionment was taken up two years ago, but by common consent was put over to the present session, and is it taken for granted that something will be done to relieve the present unequal condition of affairs. There has been no change in the state since 1897. Congress makes a new apportionment of the house as a matter of course every ten years after each federal census.

The reapportionment issue did not enter into the contest for speaker. The new speaker of the house, A. J. Rockne hails from a district that is bound to lose by the change and opposition to the measure is looked for from his section of the state. It is understood that Mr. Rockne will not take a sectional stand, however, and that he will reappoint Frank T. White of Elk River as chairman of the reappointment committee. Mr. White as chairman of the committee drafted and introduced a bill last time, and made his campaign for re-election in the big forty-fifth district with the argument that he should be returned for the purpose of insuring a square deal for northern Minnesota.

The White bill of last session, H. F. 1082 was drawn with especial intention to give every county at least one representative as far as possible. It called for the same number of senators, sixty-three, but increased the house membership by ten, bringing it up to 129. The bill was not carefully considered or revised, but is in shape to form the groundwork for the committee to begin on this winter.

The districts in the northwestern part of the state as marked out by the White bill are given as follows, each district having a senator and the number of reprseentatives indicated:

Fifty-ninth—Clay and Becker, each one.

Sixtieth—Norman, Mahnomen and Clearwater, two representatives.

Sixty-first—Polk county, two representatives.

Sixty-second — Marshall and Red Lake, each one.

Sixty-third—Beltrami, Roseau and Kittson, each one.

The 1905 census will doubtless be used in determining what is a fair division but the 1908 vote is a more recent guide for it. Reference to the total vote cast shows the inequality of the present arrangement. The total vote of the state was 355,263 which would give a ratio of 5,639 votes for each senator.

On the other hand every county in the first and third districts has a senator, and six of them cast the following total vote:

Dodge 2,259; Waseca 2913; Nicollet 2,529; Sibley 3,205; Scott 3,000; Carver 3,277; total 17,183.

The people who elect six senators in those districts cast fewer votes than it takes to elect two senators in the northern districts.

The following table shows the vote cast in each congressional district this fall, incidentally bringing out the inequality of the congressional apportion ment made in 1901. It also shows the number of senators each district has at present.

District	Vote	Senators	Per Capita
First … …	40,510	10	4,051
Second …	33,278	6½	5,119
Third … …	36,117	9	4,013
Fourth …	39,087	6½	6,013
Fifth …	49,738	7	7,105
Sixth … …	39,325	7	5,618
Seventh …	36,028	7	5,147
Eighth … …	42,033	5	8,407
Ninth … …	39,147	5	7,829

The house apportionment is rather more even than the senate. It gives 16 members to the first district, 11 to the second, 14 to the third, 14 to the fourth, 16 to the fifth, 12 to the sixth 12 to the seventh, 11 to the eighth and 13 to the ninth. This is still full of inequalities, however.

The White bill, as now drawn, goes too far in cutting down the first and third distrficts. Its plan would give the districts membership in the two houses as follows:

	Senate	House
First … … … …	6	12
Second … … … …	6	12
Third … … … …	6	12
Fourth … … … …	7½	12
Firth … … … …	9	18
Sixth … … … …	7	15
Seventh … … … …	8	15
Eighth … … … …	7	15
Ninth … … … …	6½	15
Total … … … …	63	129

This cuts the southeastern part of the state down below what it is really entitled to for population and vote. Based on the vote this fall, and figuring on the same total membership as the present legislature, the districts ought to fare in a reapportionment as follows:

	Senate	House
First … … … …	7	14
Second … … … …	6	11
Third … … … …	7	12
Fourth … … … …	7	13
Fifth … … … …	9	17
Sixth … … … …	7	13
Seventh … … … …	6	12
Eighth … … … …	7	14
Ninth … … … …	7	13
Totals … … … …	63	119

This sort of readjustment would take three senators and two representatives from the first district, two senators and two house members from the third district, one house member from the fourth and one senator from the seventh district. In would add two senators and one house member to the fifth district, one house member to the sixth, two senators and three representatives to the eighth and two senators to the ninth district.

Rockne For The Speaker

Two Harbor Iron Trade Journal: A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota has been decided upon as the next speaker of the Minnesota house of representatives. He has served in the house for four terms and is eminently fitted for the position.

Sauk Center Herald: A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota will in all probability, be the next speaker of the house in the Minnesota legislature. This is a wise choice. Mr. Rockne has had several terms in the legislature and is known as a square, honorable man and a hard worker.

Elk River Star-News: The Star News is well pleased over the apparent selection of A. J. Rockne of Goodhue county for speaker of the house of representatives. W ehave watched Mr. Rockne's career as a legislator an dbelieve he will make a square and fearless presiding officer.

Glenwood Herald: Hon. A. J. Rockne will be the speaker of the next session of the legislature. The first part of this week his candidacy was endorsed by the delegations from Ramsey and St. Louis counties. It seems that Rockne had a decided lead over his opponent, L. H. Johnson before these counties took action Mr. Rockne had been a prominent member of the degislature several sessions. He is able and absolutely fair and will give efficient service in the honorable position which will be his when the legislature convenes.

Verndale Sun: Rockne of Zumbrota is the next speaker of the house, having won over Johnson of Hennepin county. This suits the Sun nicely, thak you.

Rochester Post and Record: Mr. Rockne has made an able legislator, is a fine parliamentarian and will do credit to the state and himself.

Barnesville Record-Review: In the opinion of the Record-Review, as intimated last week, the choice is a wise one, and we predict that Rockne will make an A No. 1 man for the place.

Ada Index: A. J. Rockne appears to have the speakership cinched. He has been a house leader and will make a good speaker.

STATE PRESS

Supremacy of the People

Hodlingford Advertiser: The supremacy of the common people is shown in Governor Johnson's great triumph. He was confronted with the hardest proposition possible to be put up in a state political campaign, for in the north (the mining districts) he was represented as the enemy of the mining country, and in the south as the frenid or servile tool of the mining interests. His victory shows that the people have a mind and are competent to think for themselves. They are the true rulers of the state, and the lesson is taught that corporations and their political henchmen are losing control of the state politics in Minnesota. May the good work go on.

Proposes Schmahl

Austin Transcript: The Bemidji Pioneer proposes Julius A. Schmahl secretary of state, as a logical candidate for governor for 1910. In support of his candidacy the Pioneer asserts that altho a resident of the southern part of the state, he has been a strong friend of the north half of the state, is a vote-getter, and, if nominated by the Republican party, it believes he will be elected. The party might look farther and fare worse.

Upholds Kicker

Anoka Union: Kick and the world notices you. Acquiesce and no attention is paid you. Kickers accomplish something. They stir up communities, and make them sit up and ponder. They make sleepy towns wideawake and progressive. They kick for this and that improvement until public sentiment is aroused and the improvements are forthcoming. Would to goodness that Anoka had more kickers who would kick and kick, until the march of progress would reach upward and onward.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY WEST

Most of the people are enjoying the fine sleighing that we are having now

John Beveridge and family took dinner with Dave Geddes Thanksgiving.

Mrs. J. F. Lee and sister Olive Champlain spent Sunday evening at the Keystone farm.

Victoria Nyquist spent Thanksgiving with her sister Mary Nyquist in Grand Forks.

The young people of the Key West church will meet at D. Geddes Friday evening. They are preparing a program which will be given at the chicken pie social in M. W. A. Hall December 11, 1908.

Mrs. John Capes and daughter Violet, Edna and Lorene took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rutherford Sunday.

John Grundahl, Catherine and Victoria Nyquist spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Koeling.

Miss Buckhart from Crookston has been visiting with Tiny Lee the past few days.

Miss Brunner who is teaching the Keystone school spent her Thanksgiving vacation with her mother who lives in Crookston.

Elsie Goodwin spent the week of Key West.

Harry Miller from Angus drove down in this neighborhood last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine and daughter Mildred took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Beveridge Sunday

John Beveridge made a business trip to Crookston Tuesday.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. Sold by all Druggists.

There are as many stories told on a jealous woman as there are on one who flirts.

KEYSTONE

Henry and Miss Cora Ehnen spent last Sunday afternoon and evening at the Simon Aeschlimann home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Oppliger and Rev. John Plattner of Sabetha, Kansas visited with friends and relatives last week. Mrs. Oppliger is a sister of Simon Aeschlimann of this place. They were well pleased with the Red River Valley.

Miss Agnes LaGrave who is teaching in district number 30 spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. William Clark of Grand Forks. Her mother returned with her and will spend the winter in the country.

Misses Bessie and Tilly Brantl drove to Angus last Sunday to visit with their friends.

Simon Aeschlimann and family, John Gerber and family, Rev. Plattner and Mr. and Mrs. Oppliger spent last Thursday with Samuel Aeschlimann and wife. All partook of a very delicious dinner, also all wished they could eat Thanksgiving dinner cooked by Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann.

Misses Olie Champlain and Cora Ehnen who are attending school at Grand Forks were enjoying a pleasant visit with their parents last week

Messrs Montgomery and Campion of Angus took advantage of the pleasant weather last Saturday and drove to Keystone to transact some important business.

John L. Gibbs, formerly lieutenant governor died at Owatonna Saturday death being due to a general breakdown. Mr. Gibbs was elected lieutenant governor in 1896, David M. Clough being elected governor at the same time. He made a good official, and was a patriotic and model citizen.

From what has been said the next session will be rather "short." For this reason most editors will be in sympathy with it—they have quite generally experienced the same sensation.

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THE SEASON IS CLOSED

POOREST BIG GAME HUNTING FALL IN YEARS IS AT AN END

WEATHER THIS YEAR HAS BEEN VERY UNFAVORABLE TO SPORTSMEN

From Tuesday's Daily—

The deer hunting season closed last night.

The hunters will have 5 days to get their game out of the woods but it is unlawful to shoot the nimble-footed inhabitants of the forest after today.

Thus ends one of the poorest hunting seasons ever experienced in Northern Minnesota. Not that the game has been scarce, for, it is claimed, that deer were more plentiful this year than last or the year before, but the conditions have been most unfavorable to hunters and it is estimated that not over one-quarter the number of deer have been killed this year that were killed last season.

A great part of Northern Minnesota is composed of swamp land. The weather has not been cold enough to freeze these swamps, so that once an animal gained the thick timber that usually is found in these places, it was safe. There has been no snow excepting one slight fall which only lasted a litle over a day.

With conditions favorable to the annual killing, it is said by those who make a practice of taking part each season, that the sport this year would have been the best in the history of shooting in Northern Minnesota. But the poor season will give the deer a chance to increase and they should be very plentiful by next fall.

It has been a season in which the thoroly experienced hunter generally killed his limit, but the tenderfoot as a rule has returned empty handed.

Crookston hunters have fared far better than the average. Nearly every one has killed his limit and the people of this city have as a rule got at least a taste of venison or moose as a result of the generosity of the big game hunters, who always divide the result of the chase with their less fortunate neighbors.

ARMY DEFEATS NAVY IN GRIDIRON BATTLE

30,000 SPECTATORS WITNESSED THE GREAT STRUGGLE ON FRANKLIN FIELD

Philadelphia, Nov. 30—In one of the fiercest football games on Franklin field this year, the Army vanquished the Navy Saturday afternoon by the small and narrow score of 6 to 4—a touchdown and a goal against a goal from the field. Thirty thousand persons saw the husky cadets from the Hudson conquer the sturdy midshipmen from the Severn in a contest that never lagged. That the navy boys were surprised at the unexpected strength of the Army is putting it mildly—they were fairly overwhelmed with the power shown by the West Point cadets. The Annapolis boys entered the game practically sure of victory while the West Point cadets only hoped to win.

Little girls and engaged girls do not care about boys at parties.

PEOPLE ARE OPTIMISTIC

E. A. NELSON RETURNS FROM A BUSINESS TRIP TO ILLINOIS

SAYS FACTORIES ARE OPENING—PREDICTS BIG LAND SALES AHEAD

From Monday's Daily—

E. A. Nelson publisher of the Hallock News who is devoting considerable time to the land business returned a few days ago from Illinois where he went to close several important land deals. He said the deals had been pending for some time, and that the closing of them depended upon the way financial conditions shaped themselves. He was pleased to find that a very optimistic feeling prevailed in the manufacturing centers.

Many factories have already resumed operations, and many more will start up on full capacity in the very near future. He states that every one in that section of the country is looking forward to better things and that this will mean a big impetus to the Red River Valley land business. He closed the deals he was interested in promptly.

Transferred to Orr

C. D. Hunter who has been in charge of the Great Northern station at Inkster has been transferred to Orr where he will be agent. Relief Agent Green is looking after the Inkster station temporarily.

HOME NEWS

Of Interest to Everyone in Crookston

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places, who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all". But here in Crookston we only publish statements made by Crookston people—the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Are just what overworked kidneys need.

Noel Herbert(carpenter, of 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and totally unfitted me for any exertion, there being times when I had to be helped about. I at last heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box at S. A. Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before I noticed that my back was gradually getting stronger. My trouble son entirely left me and I have not felt a vistage of it since. Doan's Kidney Pills are a most valuable remedy and I give them my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 nearly six years later Dec. 2nd, 1904 he added:

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

FOR TALL TIMBER—Messrs. Sheffield, Thornton, Brosseau, Final, Ashley, Twite and several more commercial travelers headed for the tall timber out east this morning, the two last named being bound for Bemidji.

RETURNS TO CROOKSTON— Attorney Spencer who moved to Minot several months ago will return to Crookston. His office fixtures were shipped yesterday.—Minot Reporter.

A 15 MILE DRIVE — Chas. Skaug left this morning for Stephen from where he will enjoy a 15 miles drive east. About half of the travelling men who went out this morning had a nice overland drive ahead of them.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS — Mrs. Syckson residing near Fosston was brought to Bethesda hospital Saturday and was operated upon for cancer. Her condition is considered grave, but hopes are entertained for her recovery Her daughter Miss Anna Syckson who teaches in the Samson district south east of the city brought her mother in and returned last evening to resume her school duties.

TRANSFERRED TO RED WING— Capt. Bacon and Lieut. McLain who have been in charge of the local barracks of the Salvation Army for some months past, have been transferred to Red Wing. While here they were very successful in their work. They have been succeeded by Adjt. Carlshed from Faribault and a Lieutenant form Devils Lake.

25 WERE "SHOT"— Yesterday afternoon 25 officers and members of the Young Men's Johnson Club "had their pictures took" in the club rooms by Carl Borghen of Chesterman's Studio and they will have a large number of them finished, some nearly two feet square and others about half that size.

FISH FOR ERSKINE LAKES—Sixteen large cans of bass and croppies were received at Erskine this week from the Minnesota State Fish Hatcheries and half of them were planted in Lake Cameron and the rest in Badger Lake. I. I. Stenerson and O. T. Rovang were largely instrumental in securing these fry and 'ere long people of that section expect to be able to eat fresh fish most any meal during fish season.

HER EFROM TENSTRIKE—Vego Peterson, county commissioner-elect in Beltrami county who resides near Tenstrike has returned home after spending a few days on business. Mr. Peterson resides near the valuable timber claim owned by Otto Burkhardt, proprietor of the Cleveland House of this city, and looks after Mr. Burkhardt's interests in connection therewith. Last winter Ross and Ross cut some timber from the Burkhardt claim, and suit has been instituted to recover damages in the district court at Bemidji. Ross and Ross are trying to have the suit transferred to the Federal court at Duluth but it is not thought they will succeed. Mr. Peterson spent most of the summer visiting in the Old Country but returned in time to be elected county commissioner.

"MAKING GOOD" AS FARMERS— Mrs. F. W. Wethenbee, who is living on a homestead on the shores of Pimush lake, in the extreme southwestern part of Beltrami county was a visitor in Bemidji Saturday evening. Mrs. Wetherbee's husband is the famous Frank Wetherbee who was for many years a commercial traveler for the Noyes Bros. & Cutler Drug Co., of St. Paul. Mr. Wetherbee retired from the road, some four years ago, and took up his residence on the shores of the picturesque Pimush lake, where he has farmed industriously and waxed healthy and independent ever since his retirement from active "road work." Frank and Al. Jester of the Jester farm, are shining examples of what a traveling man can do to a farm when they once put their concerted efforts thereon. — Bemidji Pioneer. Mr. Wethenbee made Crookston for over a score of years selling to Messrs. Wallace, Hillard and Andersen and covered the entire northwest and retired because of ill health.

The way to make a woman believe all the nonsense that can be invented is to put it in a love letter.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds: Prevents Pneumonia

From Tuesday's Daily

MISSIONARY HERE— Rev. Hedegaard, the Sunday school missionary has returned from a trip in the country and can be reached by phoning 403-L.

T. D. O'BRIEN RETAINED—T. D. O'Brien a noted legal light of St. Paul, has been retained by Clearwater county as special counsel in the suit being brought by Beltrami county against Clearwater.

ADJUDGED INSANE — P. Anton Berg, formerly in business at Hawley was adjudged insane at Moorhead and taken to the hospital at Fergus Falls. He has been drinking very hard and it is believed rest will help restore him mentally.

PIONEER FARMER DEAD —Knut Gonvick the venerable old man of Gonvick near Bagley, the aged father of Mrs. P. A. Monsrud and M. O. Gonvick died at the home of his daughter on Saturday last. M. Gonvick was a pioneer in that part of the county and one of its most highly respected citizens.

WILL PROVE UP—N. L. Berg one of the prominent farmers near Climax arrived this morning expecting to meet his mother, Mrs. Elena Berg who expected to arrive from her homestead near Roosevelt last evening and will prove up Dec. 3rd. She did not come but will probably be here tomorrow and Mr. Berg will come up again tomorrow.

SHOE MEN BUSY—The shoe men reported the sale of heavy shoes and overshose the slowest for years at this season, but yesterday they did an enormous business and a still bigger rush will be experienced from the country as the farmers come in during the next few days. Despite the storm of yesterday the day was one of the heaviest this fall in drygoods, clothing and footwear lines.

"UNCLE" HARRY PHILLIPS — Dave Phillips, freight conductor on the M. & I. railway running between Bemidji and Brainerd, is again "laying over" in Bemidji over Sunday. Dave is now the proud papa of a fine bouncing baby girl which arrived at his home last week. Conductor Phillips is a brother of Officer Harry Phillips of this city and is well known here.

AT LEAST ONE FARMER — To show his good faith in education Mr. Malm of Big Woods, Marshall County, has sent all his boys away from home to the schools of their choice, Albert to the Agricultural school at Crookston, Willie to Warren and Arthur to Argyle where his sister Minnie had been sent previously. He is dubious as to getting more than one farmer out of the bunch. — Argyle Banner.

MRS. J. C. CUMMINGS DEAD — This community was shocked to learn that Mrs. J. C. Cummings of St. Hilaire who has been ill with pneumonia for the past two weeks, died Saturday morning at 2 o'clock. Drs. Bratlund, of Warren, and Heber of Thief River Falls were in attendance The funeral took place from the residence at St. Hilaire Monday at 2 p. m. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved husband.

DOC GETS HIS MOOSE—Dr. E. H. Marcum's moose, which he shot last week while hunting near Margie in company with Rev. White of this city and a friend from Illinois, arrived in Bemidji this morning on the M. & I. passenger train. The monarch measured fifty-three and three-quarters inches across the spread of the horns and weighed 870 pounds when dressed The horns were an especially fine set and had thirteen points on each side.—Bemidji Pioneer. We have a special tooth for moose down this way. (Pioneer please copy.)

WAS ENCOURAGED— Paul Marschalk has returned to Warroad from a three weeks' trip to the twin cities. Mr. Marschalk was down looking after the interest of the fishing industries of Lake of the Woods. He succeeded in getting U. S. Senator Nelson and Congresman Steenerson interested in the affairs who have placed the matter in the hands of the Department of Commerce and Labor which will endeavor to bring influence to bear on the Fish Commission to amend the proposed law so as to be favorable to Lake of the Woods and other International waters.

EDITOR ALLEN BANKRUPT—A. B. Allen, formerly publisher of the Battle Lake Review and later of Pelican Rapids Press, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court at Fergus Falls yesterday. After leaving Otter Tail Co., Mr. Allen went to Bemidji, where he engaged in the newspaper business. His venture there has not proven a financial success, and he places his assets at $350, all exempt, and his liabilities at $1,853.50. There is only one Otter Tail county firm listed among his creditors, his indebtedness being largely to Twin City paper and type concerns.

TIMELY EDUCATIONAL WORK— Prof. Dunton returned from the Park Rapids educational meeting more than ever impressed with the desirability and timeliness of the industrial school work now being done here. He says that all school men now recognize the desirability of this line of work but that only a few of them have been able to grasp the situation, or to get far enough away from their books to put it into practical operation. He has a plan in view for carrying the work still further, which plan was laid before a meeting of representative citizens last Monday evening. The general plan met with the approval of our citizens and the details will be worked out later. As a result of the work being done here the school now has on the rolls 70 pupils from the nearby country districts. Prof. Dunton left for the south Tuesday evening to interview leading school men in other sections of the state relative to the details of the proposed extension of the work, his expenses being borne by the Commercial Club of this city. —McIntosh Times.

A GOOD SUGGESTION — It was gratifying to se the snow plow out Monday morning. Each ward ought to have its own plow and man so that the walks can be put in shape early in the morning before the teachers and children and girls who work in shops, and stores have to start out in the morning. Wet shoes and wet skirts cause much discomfort and illness. We spend much money in preparing sidewalks and in the past we have had no use of them in the winter The cost of keeping the walks clean and free from snow is not very great if the start is made when the snow first comes. It should be done by the city so that there will be a clean walk in front of the vacant lot as well as in front of the lot that is built upon and in front of the home of the indolent man as well as in front of one who is energetic.—Fergus Falls Journal.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

HAS TYPHOID—Gus Sommers is confined to his home with an attack of typhoid fever.

SLOWLY SINKING—J. W. Coleman who was moved to the St. Vincent hospital a few days ago is gradually failing and his friends have no hopes for his recovery.

AFTER CULPRIT—Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea left last evening for Duluth where he expects to locate a man very much wanted at the present term of court.

QUIET IN MINNEAPOLIS —J. A. McDonald returned this morning from Minneapolis. He says it is rather quiet there, tho the stores look radiant in their holiday attire.

WILL LOOK OVER BANK—J. P. Foote left this morning for Cass Lake where he is interested in a bank and will not return till tomorrow.

FUNERAL TODAY— The funeral of Andrew Erling Peterson of Fanny township was held this afternoon from Chesterman's Undertaking rooms. He had lived with his nephew John Ekblaw in Fanny for many years. He was 67 years of age and had never been married.

BAGGED TWO — R. J. Brown of the firm of Brown & Kaiser, of East Grand Forks passed thru the city yesterday enroute home from Cass Lake where he has been enjoying a week's hunt. R. J. brought back two fine deer with him and it wasn't a very good week for hunting either. We haven't tried the steak yet, but venture the advance assertion that it's all right.

GETTING OUT WOOD—J. H. Hiler, who has a fine timber farm near Erskine, returned home with Mrs. Hiler this morning after attending the funeral of Mrs. Wilson at East Grand Forks. He was accompanied by W. M. Montgomery who will assist him in getting out cordwood this winter. He now has 140 cords of hard and soft wood which he got out last winter.

EVERYONE DODGED THEM — Chief Fadden of Larimore, Chief Overby and Capt. Sullivan of Grand Forks, Officer Leahy of Grand Forks, and Chief Ellingson of East Grand Forks came over this morning having John R. Johnson of East Grand Forks in custody. or apparently they did. The officers were as stoical as Indians and refused to talk. However Chief Ellingson volunteered the statement that the charge was not bootlegging.

OH BIDDY GET BUSY

HEN FRUIT STRICTLY FRESH, WORTH 38 CENTS PER DOZEN IN CROOKSTON

CASE EGGS 32 CENTS—HIGHEST REACHED IN PAST TEN YEARS

From Wednesday's Daily—

"Biddy" and "Old Speckle" are the whole works now. The hen is strictly "Quality Folk." They would not deign to associate even with the festive turkey, tho the holiday season is approaching.

Strictly fresh eggs are worth 38 cents per dozen in Crookston. This is the highest price at which eggs have sold in this city for 20 years, barring perhaps a day or two when on acount of storms farmers could not get in.

Take off your hat to Mrs. Hen. Her fruit is a luxury. Ham and eggs are worth more than a turkey dinner with all the "fixins." The stores are paying 35 cents cash and sell for 38 cents for strictly fresh eggs. Case eggs are selling for 32 cents.

In Minneapolis

Regarding the egg situation in Minneapolis the Journal of that city has the following:

"The controller of the family pocket-book in Minneapolis will have to choose, tonight, when he returns home between ham and eggs for breakfast and cake for supper with a spendthrift indulgence in eggs therefor, or economy and no eggs.

"At this morning's meeting of the Produce Exchange it was decided to anticipate the certain strike on the part of the hens, always incidental with a sudden cold snap, and the price of eggs on Commission row was boosted to 35 cents per dozen — the highest price in the memory of the "oldest inhabitant" with the possible exception of a day or so in midwinter when heavy snows interfered with shipments. Even at this price shipments of eggs are few and far between, and the storage variety are greatly in evidence."

PLEADS GUILTY GETS 1 YEAR

MAN WHO ROBBED LABORER IN SVEA HOTEL TAKES HIS MEDICINE.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Herbert Griffin the man accused of robbing a laborer at the Svea Hotel about three weeks ago of a check for $25 about $30 in cash and a gold watch, did not have his case go before the grand jury. He plead guilty to grand larceny and was brought before Judge Watts and sentenced to one year at Stillwater.

Chief Ellingson finally spotted Griffin when he tried to cash the stolen check in East Grand Forks.

However Griffin would probably have gone scott free had he kept his mouth shut, as the complaining witness has disappeared and cannot be located, and there was no other evidence against Griffin without the appearance of the victim. This is supposed to be a shrewd piece of work on the part of County Attorney Maybury.

CHARGED WITH NON-SUPPORT— Ed Hitchcock was brought before Judge Sullivan of the municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday on complaint of his wife, who charges him with leaving her several weeks ago at Bemidji and failing since then to provide for the support of herself and children. He entered a plea of not guilty and the case was set for hearing on Dec. 8th at 10 o'clock.

SALOON BURGLARIZED— Some one broke the back window in Egger's saloon at Perham last night, took one bottle of whiskey off the back bar and about $9 50 which was left in the cash register and made good his escape. Nothing further was missed but the iron box in which Mr. Eggers kept the Sons of Herman books was found on the track west of the depot. It was smashed open but the books were not injured. Moral.

LIGHT PLANT HAMPERED—The sudden change to extreme cold weather checked the flow of the river Monday night the stream freezing all along its course and the flow being diminished to the extent of the amount of ice formed. The electric light plant had to be shut down at about 2 o'clock in the morning. Some water acumulated and the system started up again about 5 a. m., but had to be shut down again before 7 Some water is being accumulated in the pond today, and it is expected that it will be possible to run again tonight. The low water today has necessitated the shutting down of the mills in this city. — Fergus Falls Journal.

STEENERSON TALKS OF COMING SESSION

Some Important Local Measures He Hopes Will Be Passed During The Next Congress. Short Session.

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Congressman Halvor Steenerson accompanied by Mrs. Steenerson and his private secretary, Fred Dennis and his wife, leave this evening for Washington, D. C., to be in readiness for the next session of congress. Mr. Steenerson was interviewed by a representative of the Journal today as to local matters with which he expected to deal during the coming session, as well as matters of general interest and relative thereto said:

"The coming session of Congress is the short one as it ends by limitation of law on March 4th, and most of the time will be devoted to the preparation and passage of the appropriation bills for the support of the Government.

"I intend to press the Postal Savings Bank Bill before the Post Office Committee and hope that we can get that measure also reported and passed this session.

"Of local interest there are a number of small tracts of pine land in the ceded Indian reservation in this district which were not sold under existing law (Morris Act) because the provision governing the disposal of the timber are so cumbersome and expensive when applied to such small and isolated tracts as to make them impracticable and I expect to secure such amendments as to put these up on the market and make this timber available for local demands.

"There will be no Rivers and Harbors Bill until next session, but when one comes up there will probably be a contest between those representing the big projects and those interested in the smaller waterways. The Propaganda for permanent as distinguished from annual appropriations for waterways seems to limit the scheme to the larger streams only, and this would leave out the Red River and the Red Lake River, and like streams and to this I for one shall strenuously object. The development of drainage in the northwest has raised new problems, for the natural streams have proved inadequate for the additional work thrown upon them, resulting in the damaging of destruction of lands heretofore most valuable. It will be contended that this has nothing to do with navigation but is so closely related to it that we would be justified in taking the position that the problem must be met before we consent to any lavish expenditures for waterways proper.

"The proposition of federal aid to reclamation of wet lands by drainage is still a live one and I shall continue to agitate it, and possibly some practicable and effective scheme may be worked out. It will probably be on lines of more effective co-operation between Federal, State and Local governments."

Of Congressman Steenerson's work the Bemidji Pioneer says:

"Congressman Steenerson states that he will put forth every effort at the coming session of Congress to have the bill passed for the establishment of the Federal building at Bemidji.

"The bill was introduced at the last session of Congress, but on account of the retrenchment at the end of the session, Congressman Steenerson was compelled to abandon active work in passing the bill, as forcible measures would undoubtedly have killed the bill and destroyed any chance there was left for the building for Bemidji.

"Beltrami county friends of Mr. Steenerson will watch the development of this Federal building with much interest."

Bagley Water Tank Bursts

Bands Of Large Wooden Tank Bnrst With Heavy Sound As Tho A Safe Was Blown. To Be Rebuilt.

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

The Bagley city water tank of a capacity of 1,500 barrels burst last evening about midnight the break being caused by the intense and sudden cold snap which swept over this section of the country.

Professor I. S. Hov, superintendent of the Bagley schools was awakened about midnight by a loud report which sounded like the blowing up of a safe. Investigation led to the discovery that the iron hoops which bound the tank had contracted at a greater rate than the wooden tank, owing to the cold and burst, pouring 1,500 barrels of water onto the ground

The city water tank was built in 1906 by the Crowley Electric company of Duluth and was only two years old at the time of its destruction. The structure was built at a cost of $800.

The city council intend to have some of th eold material used again and will rebuild a tank in the near future. During the meantime the city will be furnished water by closing the gate from the water mains to the tank, and supplying the needs of the city by direct pressure.

VALUABLE LAND IS INVOLVED

SUIT ON BEFORE JUDGE WATTS OVER MAHNOMEN COUNTY LAND

A court case is on before Judge Watts today in which John Vig of Fosston is the plaintiff and Albert Lillo the defendant, the title to a valuable quarter section of land in Mahnomen county being involved. W. E. Rowe represents Vig and A. A. Miller represents Lillo.

BROUGHT HOME GAME—A party consisting of Miss Anna Anderson and Miss Hilda Olson and Mr. Sigar Olson and Carl Carlson went up to Noble to spend Thanksgiving. While up there they formed a hunting party and had great success at rabbit shooting, got 115 rabbits in 6 hours. Mr. Lars Engen carried off the medal shooting 36 which was the largest number killed by anyone. After spending their vacation with the Olson's anl Engen's in the most delightful manner returned home on Tuesday evening with their game.

PLANS FOR BIG POULTRY SHOW

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF GRAND FORKS POULTRY ASSOCIATION MEETS

A meeting of the executive committee of the Grand Forks Poultry association was held in the Commercial Club rooms last night to discuss matters in connection with the coming poultry show which is to be held at the Forks on January 27, 28 and 29 These dates were selected because they are the dates fixed for the farmers' institute which has been arranged for, and the two meetings will fit in well together. The institutes in the past have been well attended and have been productive of much good, and the holding of the poultry show at the same time and place will be an added feature of interest and value.

Mrs. L. J. Stevens, from Nebraska City, Nebr., arrived in the city Saturday morning and will spend the winter here, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ned Cannon.

MARKS NEW ERA IN CULTURE OF CROOKSTON

New Carnegie Library Packed at Dedication Last Evening. Splendid Addresses. Fine Gift From D. H. Turner.

The dedication of Crookston's magnificent Carnegie Public Library building last evening marks an era in the history of this city as the center of education and culture in the Red River Valley. The event was a most happy one, and after the building was packed with people, main floor and basement, hundreds could not gain admission.

The doors were thrown open at promptly 7:30, and Riggs Full Orchestra was in attendance and discoursed fine music till the speechmaking began. All the members of the library board were present as follows:

J. W. Wheeler, president; G. F. Carpenter, secretary; G. S. Chesterman, A. M. Sivertson, Allan McKinnon, O. O. Christianson, J. E. O'Brien, John Moore, O. Mercil, Jr.

Crowd Was Enthusiastic

Pleasure and pride was depicted upon every face present, and a happier gathering was never assembled in Crookston nor a more democratic one. Every walk in life was represented, which augurs well for the future usefulness of the splendid institution.

President Wheeler presided, and while Hon. Halvor Steenerson was the first speaker a few facts regarding the history of the Library from its inception to the present time, a portion of the facts gleaned from the closing remarks by Hon. G. S. Chesterman are given at this juncture together with other facts gleaned from the records.

History of Efforts

Mr. Chesterman was president of the city council in 1900, in which capacity he opened the first negotiations with Mr. Carnegie for a library.

It was just 8 years ago last spring when the first steps were taken by Mr. Chesterman by writing to Mr. Carnegie and he had the active cooperation of S. W. Vance, H. R. Robertson, now of Minneapolis, Miss Elizabeth Lommen, who has been the librarian since the public library was established and many others.

A donation of $12,500 was first secured, and then came a delay of two years in deciding upon a location before the present site on Ash street was selected. The site cost $2200 half of which was paid for by the city and the other half by public subscription.

When the plans were drawn it was seen that $12,500 would fall far short of the cost, and application was made to Mr. Carnegie for an additional $5,000 and it was granted and work on the building was begun the summer of 1907 and was but recently completed.

The building is of light colored pressed brick with brown stone trimmings and is a beautiful structure. It consists of a four room basement and one high story, splendidly lighted and equipped with every modern library convenience, the interior finish and furniture being Mission Finish Oak. The building and equipment as it stands represents an outlay of about $25,000.

The First Library

The present public library was established in 1902 in the I. O. O. F. hall and the first library board was G. S. Chesterman, president; O. K. Berget, secretary; L. Ellington, treasurer and Messrs. J. W. Wheeler, A. A. Miller, Rev. H. P. Fisher, John Moore and Halvor Steenerson and the nucleus of the board has never been changed, tho a few individuals have been changed on account of removal from the city.

The start was made by a great book shower, the W. C. T. U. making the first big donation. The library continued under that management for two and a half years when the city council levied a library tax and it became a city institution, the first board having been named by Mr. Chesterman as president of the council and was practically a reappointment of the old board.

Congressman Steenerson was the first speaker introduced by President Wheeler and spoke substantially as follows:

Congressman Steenerson's Address

Andrew Carnegie was born in Dunfirmline, Scotland, November 25th, 1837, came with his family to the United States in 1848, and settled in Pittsburg, Pa. His first work was as a boy of eleven when he was employed as a cotton weaver's assistant earning one dollar a week, and at fourteen he became a telegraph messenger then an operator and later by successive promotions he reached the position of superintendency of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Pittsburg. During the Civil War he served the Government as superintendent of military railways and government telegraphs in the Department of the East.

Foundation of Fortune

The nucleus of his fortune was made in the organization of the Woodruff Sleeping Car Company. He added to his fortune by fortunate investments in oil lands and then embarked in the iron and steel industry as manufacturer in which he has accumulated the most of his collateral fortune. His title to fame will not rest upon the magnificience of his business achievements, but upon the wise and philanthropic manner in which he has in his own lifetime expended his vast accumulations.

Founded Worthy Institutions

He has founded institutions for the advancement of knowledge and scientific research, to encourage and reward brave and heroic conduct in all walks of life, and to laboring men, and public conveniences including more than fifteen hundred public libraries, in all of which it is estimated he has expended more than seventy five millions of dollars. Some of his latest donations have been to advance the cause of international arbitration and peace in the world, he having donated the funds to erect the Peace Palace at the Hague, where the Hauge Conference of International Arbitration will hold its regular meetings, as well as the fund for the erection of a building for the Bureau of American Republics at Washington.

Fortunate When Dead

When Croesus asked Solon who he deemed the most fortunate man, he replied that no man could be called fortunate until he was dead. That Tollus, who lived while his country was prosperous was surrounded by a family of children and grand children that were not only beautiful but good who died on the battle field in defense of his country just as he had achieved a signal victory was in his estimation to be deemed the most fortunate man. Let us hope that Andrew Carnegie may die under like fortunate circumstances with this difference, that before he dies he will have achieved a signal victory over cruel war, the crime of the ages, and shall have established godlike Reason on its throne to dispense Justice among all nations and people of the earth.

Stewardship of Wealth

It is undoubtedly true that with advancing civilization the stewardship of wealth is becoming more and more recognized and that men of wealth must recognize the duty of their trusteeship in order to retain the good will esteem and regard of their fellowman, the possession of which is the true source of genuine happiness.

Lesson of Carnegie's Life

The lesson of Carnegie's life is an inspiration to the young and the humble as well as source of emulation to the rich and mighty, and will continue as a power for good as long as civilization shall flourish among men.

Let us all join wishing him good cheer and many returns of the day.

A Magnificent Gift

President Wheeler between the addresses read the following communication which was heartily applauded:

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Crookston Public Library Board:

We have assembled here this evening to give some expression of our gratitude as a community toward Andrew Carnegie, to whose generosity we are indebted for this beautiful building. To him it represents duty done; to us it means opportunity offered. As a memento of this occasion it being just seventy-one years ago today, November twenty-seventh, that our benefactor was born in far off Scotland. I now wish Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Library Board to present to you as a Carnegie birthday remembrance from my wife and myself these vases and jardinieres with their contents to be forever the property of the Library. These pieces are exact copies of ancient productions of art in copper, and were made to order especially for this building from drawings submitted by us and places with America's leading manufacturer of Antique Art in New York City. As it was our wish to have the artist's work blend in harmony with the beautiful and artistic work found in the construction and finish of the Library Building.

Yours respectfully,

—David H. Turner.

Crookston, Minnesota, November twenty-seventh, Nineteen hundred and eight.

Both the jardinieres and the vases are of hammered copper and very valuable and make magnificent decorations, standing between the massive columns in the four corners of the lobby just inside the main entrance leading to the receiving desk. The citizens on motion of Thomas R. Johnstone unanimously voted to have the secretary of the Library Board exppress to Mr. and Mrs. Turner the hearty appreciation felt for the splendid gift.

A. A. Miller's Address

A. A. Miller delivered a splendid address in which he pointed out the real function of the library, and the difference between the benefits that could be derived from the public library of today and the libraries of the olden days which were only accessible to the rich and learned.

He also dwelt upon the necessity of a strict censorship which should be exercised before books should find their way to the shelves of the public library. He criticised severely the great volume of trash found in book form and the perusal of which did the young reader specially, irreparable harm. He spoke of the wonderful factor the new library could be made if properly conducted, toward making Crookston a center of culture. His address thruout was full of excellent suggestions and his remarks elicited hearty applause.

Prof. McIntyre's Address

Supt. E. E. McIntyre read a paper on "The Value of the New Library From an Educational Standpoint" which was one of the best papers ever heard in Crookston.

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He Preferred Mules.

One of the pet hobbies of Senator Christopher Magee was his newspaper, the Pittsburg Times. He kept the paper well to the front, and it was a credit to modern journalism. One morning the Times had been scooped on a railway wreck.

"Senator," asked an intimate acquaintance, "how do you console yourself on the loss of that wreck story this morning?"

"By congratulating ourselves," he answered quickly, "that we are amor the number who missed that ill fated train."

On another occasion as the senator was approaching the Times building on Fourth avenue he noticed a crowd gathered about a wagon which was filled with huge rolls of newspaper. A wheel was caught in a deep rut in the pavement and could not be budged.

"Senator," laughed a friend, "they managed at last to get your paper into a rut."

"Yes," answered Mr. Magee, his eyes twinkling with good humor, "and I'm not trusting to men to get it out again, but to mules."—Philadelphia Press.

Caught Alive.

A New Yorker, a big game hunter of many years' experience, was lion shooting in Uganda. He had excellent luck. Nearly every day he posed in a complacent attitude beside a freshly killed lion, and his photographer snapped him for the magazines.

One afternoon the photographer, who was taking a nap in the hut, was awakened by a loud noise. He rose and looked out. Sprinting toward him from the jungle, hat gone and coattails flying, came his chief, and, with terrible roars and growls, a huge lion bounded at his heels.

The photographer gazed spellbound at the strange and exciting picture. His chief, perceiving him, shouted:

"Quick, quick! Open the door, George! I'm bringing him home alive!"—Washington Star.

Spoiling a Tragedy.

"If you don't marry me," he said desperately, "I shall kill myself."

"And write a note telling all about it?" queried the maid.

"Yes."

"And hold my photograph in your other hand?"

"I had thought about it."

"Well, just wait a minute," she said, "and I'll borrow pa's pistol for you. My, but won't it be romantic?"

But he faded.

BAD FIRE AT RED LAKE FALLS

BIG MILL OF 700 BBLS. CAPACITY PER DAY COMPLETELY DESTROYED

TOTAL LOSS OF $75,000 INS. $55,000 —WILL BE REBUILT IN THE SPRING

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday morning fire which is supposed to have originated in the elevator or on the 4th floor, completely destroyed the big mill of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., at Red Lake Falls, together with the big elevator, entailing a loss of $75,000 upon which insurance of $55,000 was carried. The only thing to escape was the electric power plant, which also supplies the electric lights for the city.

The mill is owned by a company of which Marcus Johnson of Stillwater is at the head, and he passed thru this morning enroute to Red Lake Falls. He stated that the mill would undoubtedly be rebuilt as soon as possible, as the water power developed there is one of the best in Northern Minnesota.

The company has a line of about 40 elevators and they will be kept running as usual. This means that the Crookston mill will be kept running full capacity day and night all winter.

The Red Lake Falls mill had a capacity of 700 barrels per day, the largest mill in Northern Minnesota.

The Chinese Hoe.

The Chinese farmer stands second to none in all the world. This is all the more remarkable since he has really so few implements with which to work the marvels he produces. His only implements are the hoe, the plow and the harrow. Beyond these the Chinese farmer never dreams of desiring any other. The first of these tools seems never to be out of his hands, for it is the one upon which he relies the most and is his most effective implement. It really takes the place of the spade in England, though the latter is never put to such extensive and general uses as the hoe. The Chinaman can do anything with it but make it speak. A farmer well on in years can easily be recognized amidst a number of workingmen by the curve his hands have taken from holding the hoe in the many years of toil in his fields. With it, if he is a poor man and has no oxen to plow the ground, he turns up the soil where he is going to plant his crops, and with it he deftly and with a turn of his wrist levels out the surface so that it is made ready for the seed. With a broad bladed hoe he dips to the bottom of a stream or of a pond, draws up the soft mud that has gathered there and, with a dexterous swing, flings the dripping hoeful on to his field nearby to increase its richness by this new deposit.—London King.

Half a League.

The class had just finished reciting "The Charge of the Light Brigade."

"Now," said the teacher, "can any one present tell me the meaning of those words, 'Half a league?' "

Up shot the hand of Thomas Jones, aged eleven, football captain and indomitable fullback.

"Please, sir, it means they couldn't get enough clubs to make up the full league."

Some one had blundered.—London Answers.

Not a Bargain.

"Do you think that Miss Kidder was having fun with me?" asked Chawlie.

"Well, old chap, give me the details," was Awthur's response.

"You see, I had my bull terrier with me, and I said to her, 'That dog knows as much as I do.' And she said, 'Don't you think $4.50 was too much to pay for him?' "—Cleveland Leader.

Paraguay's Sweet Plant.

A herb called by the natives caa ehe, but botanically Eupatorium rebaudianum, grows wild in Paraguay. It is remarkable for its sweetness. Indeed, the native name means the "sugar plant." It grows along the borders of the river Amambahi and attains a height of only about five inches. The smallest bit of this plant when placed upon the tongue produces a surprisingly sweet flavor, which, it is said, lasts for hours. The saccharine power is much greater than that of sugar.—Youth's Companion.

The Sleepless Seven.

"There were seven of the twelve," said one of the discharged jurors in speaking of the matter next morning, "who didn't want to sleep themselves and wouldn't let the rest of us sleep. Whenever we dropped into a doze they came around and shook us till we were wide awake again."

"And you had to submit, I suppose, for they constituted the majority?"

"Yes. They were a rousing majority," said the hollow eyed juror, with a pensive attempt to be facetious.—Chicago Tribune.

A Life Note.

"Life is what we make it," said the philosopher.

"Alas," exclaimed the practical one, "that we can't make it a million!"

We ask Providence to make us thankful for what we receive and then go to figuring on just how much Providence is going to send us.—Atlanta Constitution.

HEROISM OF YOUNG LAD

WM. KLINGER WRITES OF RECENT TRAGEDY AT MAPLE LAKE

GRAND SON HELD MRS. KLINGER ABOVE WATER OVER AN HOUR TILL AID CAME

FRANK NELSON, 11 YEARS OF AGE ENTITLED TO CARNEGIE HERO MEDAL

From Friday's Daily—

Otto Burkhardt yesterday received a letter from Wm. Klinger, who boarded with Mr. Burkhardt for 9 years at the Cleveland House, and who was an engineer running out of Crookston for years prior to the time he was employed by the Maple Bay Manufacturing Co., in which he gives the details of the recent drowning at Maple Lake of his grandson, Melvin Nelson. His brother Frank Nelson is certainly entitled to a Carnegie Hero Medal for saving his grandmother from a watery grave also. The Nelson boys lost their mother some time ago and make their home with their grand parents. The letter follows in part:

Maplebay, Nov. 25, 1908.

"We are having a very sad time at our house just now our little grand son Melvin Nelson broke thru the ice and was drowned. The facts of the case are, the ice had been very rotten and we tried to keep the children off and kept a close watch on them but last Saturday afternoon the 21st, Mrs. Klinger told Frank to go after the mail and Melvin begged hard to go along. She consented but made them promise not to go on the ice. I went to the back of the farm to burn off a slough that I had drained out and knew nothing of the accident until all was over. The water being low, left a good place to walk along the shore so they went to the Bay all right and got their mail and some shoes and when they started they were again cautioned by the Jerde folks not to go on the ice. Frank said he was going the road but they went along the road a way when Melvin ran down towards the lake and out onto the ice. Frank went after him to take him off and when he got up to him the ice broke and let Frank into the water. He had a hard struggle to get on top as the ice kept breaking but finally he got to a stronger lot and got on top and when he looked around Melvin was gone. He crawled back and tried to get Melvin but he got under the ice so he could do nothing. He called for help and his mother heard him. This was when he went down. She ran around the shore and took a short cut across the ice to try and save them. When she was about two hundred feet from shore she went down. Frank in the meantime had crawled up in the rushes and saw his mother go down and crawled on his stomach out to where unconscious. The other boat took Frank in. They hurried them to the bay where Mrs. Gjerde and the neighmors had a heated room hot blankets and rubbed them down, started the blood circulating. There was a bottle of brandy in the outfit and that's what did good work. They then fished out the body. If they had been a few minutes longer or some one had not heard the call for help there probably would have been three instead of one as Frank's hold was fast slipping. He barely had the tips of his mother's fingers so the head boat crew said.

Mrs. Klinger sais she could not have held much longer and she said so to Frank, but the little man encouraged her and said, "what will I do when you are gone", and begged her to hold on and said there would be help soon but that hour must have seemed like an eternity to them. I have just brought them home today. They are still in bad shape but if lung fever does not set in or some other complication, we hope they will be all right soon. The people seem to think here that Frank had great presence of mind and grit to do as he did and I think so too. I am thankful they were saved. He certainly did well for a boy that was just eleven years old the 24th of July last. My son-in-law has not arrived. He and Alvah went up into the pine woods east of Inez to a brother of his. It takes some time to get a letter there but we expect tomorrow they will be here. I do not want to bury the child without his father seeing him. With very best regards to you all,

—Wm. Klinger.

she was. She went down three times and came up in the same place. The last time Frank called to her to give him her hand as he just got there. He held onto her hand and with the other arm she hung onto the rim of ice and she was in the water an hour before she was rescued. The reason they did not get help sooner was they could not be seen from the Bay as they were out of sight behind the point. Frank held on to her all this time laying flat on the ice and calling for help, finally there was a young Mr. Johnson came down the other side of the lake and heard them and gave the alarm. They first tried to get drift wood and poles out but the ice was so rotten that as fast as they got onto it they broke thru and then they went after my boat and carried as close to them as possible and broke the ice with an ax and one of the party shoved the boat along in the meantime there was an other boat started from the bay they tried to shove it on top of the ice and got out about one hundred feet when they broke thru. A Mr. Theodore Nelson lost his hold on the boat and went in over his head but finely he caught hold of gunwale of the boat and nearly upset it. If he had they both probably would have been drowned. After a while they managed to get in one at a time and went to shore. Mr. Nelson was out of the game then as he was too much exhausted. They then carried the boat around the shore and started right with a rope and got as close as they dared and threw a loop over Mrs. Klinger and she then let go of the ice and got her arm thru the loop they then broke the ice and lifted her into the boat, she then became

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FAST TEAMS PLAY A TIE

The Deans of Minneapolis and the Eckersalls of Chicago met yesterday on Northrup field and fought a tie game the score being four to four. The battle of the teams made up as they were of former gridiron players, was an interesting one and the best exhibition seen in the Twin Cities this year. Special interest was taken in the game here as Kjelland a brother of Dr. J. S. Kjelland of this city played center. The teams lined up as follows:

Deans	Position	Eckersalls
Burns and Fox	LE	Turner, Dartmouth
Vita	LT	Messmer Wis
Christopherson	LG	Overall, California
Kjelland	C.	Harris, Chicago
Dan Smith	RG	Beall, Vonderbilt
Case	RT	McDermott, Notre D.
Broderick	RE	Yates, Swarthmore
Geo. Capron	LH	Roberts, Carlisle
Harry Capron	Full	King, W. Point
Joe Chicken	RH	Metoxen, Carlisle
Rob Marshall	Q	Eckersall, Chicago

The shoe men, drygoods dealers and clothing stores will do a land office business during the next few days. The banana belt weather thus far this winter has made peek-a-boo waists and open work socks plenty warm. Now felt boots and ear luggs will have an inning.

A Personal Appeal

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. Sold by all Druggists.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

UP GREENBUSH LINE — Supt. Allen of the Northern Division and Master Mechanic Mills went up the Greenbush line this morning.

WILL LOOK OVER RUINS—J. P. Foote left this morning for Red Lake Falls where he will look over the ruins, of the burned mill and attend to some other business matters.

NICHOLSON UNDER QUARANTINE — Asst. Postmaster Nicholson of the Crookston Post Office is quarantined at his home, one of the children suffering with dyphtheria.

FINE BABY GIRL— Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellis who reside in the J. O. Sundet resident 384 E. Fifth street are the parents of a very fine baby girl which arrived this morning. Mother and daughter are doing well and the proud dad is very chesty.

JOHNNY HAAS HAS SON—There is not a better known dispenser of liquid refreshments in the northwest than Johnny Haas of Moorhead and his friends will read with interest of the arrival of a son at his home on Thanksgiving day. He has been married 6 years and this is his first child.

BEAUTIFUL BRONZE BADE—Second Lieut. P. J. Eide has just received from Adjt. General Wood of the M. N. G. of Minnesota a handsome bronze medal for good work as a pistol shot. It consists of a bar on which is engraved "Pistol Sharpshooter" from which suspends a star in the center of which is the circular target and bulls eye. It is a very handsome badge and the members of Co. I are proud of the record made by Lieut Eide.

G. N. REBUILDING BRIDGE—Extensive repairs are being made to the Emerson bridge. False work is being placed under the whole length preparatory to renewing the iron and steel work, so that the bridge will be safe for the big mogul 350 ton engines While the bridge was originally built for railway traffic purposes, engines and trains were not so heavy as they are now. The real ownership of the bridge is in the town of Emerson but as the municipality still owes the provincial government some $40,000 on it. it is probable that it will be transferred to the Canadian Northern, but reserving the highway traffic facilities It is thought this work has been now begun in answer to the new survey of the Great Northern on the East side of the Red river to Winnipeg which has complained before to the Canadian Northern company that the bridge was not strong enough for their trains.

The citizens of Crookston should not forget the dedication of the Carnegie Public Library this evening to which everyone is invited. The doors will be thrown open at 7:30 and from that time till the close, Riggs Orchestra has kindly volunteered to discourse music.

Beginning about 8:15 there will be addresses by Congressman Steenerson A. A. Miller, Supt. McIntyre, and G. S. Chesterman. The new library will be brilliantly lighted, and the books are all in place, and every resident of the city is urged to be present.

Feasting and merrymaking took up a large share of the time of Crookston people yesterday. Dinner parties were numerous and there were a number of guests from out of town. A good many traveling men came in for the day and they found pleasing menus at the hotels. It was a holiday generally and the skating rinks and theatres were liberally patronized. Matinees at the two theatres drew quite a crowd in the afternoon and there were regular performances in the evening. The weather was ideal for Thanksgiving day. There was enough snow to make sleighing possible.

Any 12 Year Old Girl

Can make those delicious Lemon, Chocolate and Custard pies as well as the more experienced cook if she uses "OUR-PIE" preparation, which is now being sold by nearly all grocers. Full directions on each package. Pie is not a luxury, but an article of daily diet and you might just as well make good pies as poor ones. Order a few packages to-day and you will be so well pleased that you will tell all your friends.

The reason a girl likes to have her father bring her flowers is she can say one of her suitors sent them.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Hans Samuelson is spending the day here from Climax.

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide. & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

KILLED FINE BUCK—Messrs. Alfred Christianson and Otto Nelson have just returned from a deer hunt in the big woods and brought a fine buck back with them.

TO LITTLE FORK—Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea left this morning for Little Forks and other points to summon some witnesses needed at the December term of the district court.

RETURNED TO DUTIES —Ole O. Hagen who was called from the naval academy at Annapolis by the death of his father, returned last evening to his duties as midshipman. His brother Paul also returned to the University of Minnesota.

OLD TIMER HERE—Bert Duntley one of the old time Crookston boys spent the night in the city and left this morning for Fosston where he will spend the day, leaving this evening for Duluth to spend Sunday. He says business is very good this fall.

ON DITCH BUSINESS—O. L. Hamery, the surveyor left this morning for Hallock to attend to some ditch business east of that place. He has had a vast amount of ditch work in the north valley for the past two years and has a great deal in sight for the coming year.

FROLAND AT GREAT FALLS — Victor Froland for many years a resident of this city, but who left about two years ago is now located in Great Falls, Mont., where he has a good position in a clothing store and is doing well. He has been located there for some time past.

MOVED TO GREAT FALLS—Peter Peter Hervin formerly resiednt engineer of the Great Northern with headquarters in Grand Forks but who Falls, moved his family to the Monrecently was transferred to Great tant city Wednesday where they will make their home.

SUDDENLY TAKEN SICK —John Rose, the popular tonsorial artist at the Sullivan barber shop, at East Grand Forks was suddenly taken ill yesterday and is now confined to his room. it is believed that Mr. Rose has an attack of appendicitis and may have to be removed to the hospital. Mr. Rose worked for 2 years in the Braley and Palace barber shops in this city.

MAYOR DISAPPOINTED— Mayor McPhee feels greatly disappointed at missing the librar ydedication last evening. He went to Stephen yesterday morning and drove to the country expecting to return on the local train last evening. When the local pulled into Stephen his driver was still ten miles east of that place and he was forced to return on the flyer too late for the exercises.

NOT HELD FOR CONTEMPT—R. E. White appeared before Judge Watts last Wednesday on complaint of Attorney Collins of this city for contempt of court. It was alleged that White failed to appear at supplementary proceedings. Evidence in court however, showed that Mr. White had made an attempt to appear, but finding the office of the justice locked at the hour assigned for his appearance, he left and did not show up again. Judge Watts dismissed the case

BURGLAR SUSPECTS — After a spirited chase across the prairies and after two shots had been fired by the officer, two men giving their names as Frank Wolife and Joseph Velthanse, were arrested by Chief of Police A. D. Forsythe, of Barnesville, two miles south of here. The supposition is that they are connected with the robbery of the Patterson drug store here a short time ago when $200 in jewelry was taken; also that they are connected with the recent box car robberies which ahve taken place of late.

ACCEPTS CONGREGATIONAL CALL—Dr. Thos. W. Barbour of Cass Lake conducted services again in the Fosston Congregational church last Sunday evening and at a meeting of the congregation following the services accepted a call from them to take the pastorate of the church there Dr. Barbour who is district superintendent for this denomination, is a minister of marked ability and pleasing personality and the local congregation is fortunate in securing his services. He will hereafter divide his time between Cass Lake and Fosston, preaching at the lake on Sunday mornings and at Fosston in the evenings.

Agents wanted to sell Baker Rope Buckles and Halter Ties. Big Seller. Write today for full particulars. Folts Baker Mfg. Co. Minneapolis, Minn.

LOOKING OVER ANGUS FARMS—J. P. Foote spent the day at Angus locking over some of his farm properties. The farms about Angus are in the best shape this fall they have been for years.

WILL BUY LAND—E. Fitzgerald, Sr., has arrived from Iowa Falls, Ia., and will spend a month with his son, G. I. Fitzgerald of this city, he of Chancellor and Preferencia fame. Mr. Fitzgerald is greatly pleased with Crookston and will go out on a trip with his son next week to get a better survey of the Red River Valley. He is so much pleased with what he has seen of the Valley thus far that he has determined to purchase some land before returning to his home.

MOVED TO EUCLID —Clyde and Ray Goodwin who have been at Key West for the past few months have moved to Euclid. They drove to the city today to see if any of their friends had been paralyzed with turkeyitis with which they were both seriously effected since Thursday and came down for a prescription from Drs. McCaffrey and Woolery. They found instant relief by the use of their celebrated rainwater decoctions.

NEW TRAINMASTER—The office of assistant superintendent of the Willmar division of the Great Northern has been abolished, and the duties of this position will hereafter be looked after by the trainmaster. Samuel A. Walker, who was assistant superintendent there until the change was made a few days ago left with his family for Havre, Mont., and points on the coast, and after a vacation and a pleasure trip will locate in one of the western cities, probably Spokane. He will engage in business. The trainmaster is J. A. Laird. Mr. Laird had the same position in Willmar at one time, but now comes from Breckenridge where he has made his headquarters while running out of that city to Devils Lake as conductor on 3 and 4.

REDUCED RATE IN FORCE—Agent Lloyd informs us that, commencing last Friday, the Great Northern first class passenger rate from Fosston to the twin cities has been reduced, to meet that of the Soo line, to $5.76 to Minneapolis and $5.96 to St. Paul by way of Crookston. This is the change of which mention was made some weeks ago and will be received with general satisfaction as the majority of travelers find it more convenient to go by way of Crookston other conditions being equal, but as it was the Soo was taking considerable business from along this line. At other stations the change of rates will be proportional. — Fosston Thirteen Towns.

It's worth while asking for "Hickory" Brand Rubbers and Overshoes. They are long wearing—always giving satisfaction. Ask your dealer. St. Paul Rubber Co. Distributors.

Green Spots in Chile's Desert.

Northern Chile, which is so largely mountain or desert, is generally regarded as a forbidding wilderness, but in spite of its natural desolation the landscape presents a scene of great beauty under the softened hues of sunset, and here and there in the waste of sand and salt may be found by looking for them a number of oases, the most conspicuous of which are Pica and Matilla. These oases are supplied with water from the high Andes, but the particular streams that support their life are not certainly known. It has been found that in various parts of the great Atacama desert the earth underneath the surface layer of sand or salt is sufficiently moist to grow crops, capillary attraction spreading the water through the soil. The rainless Atacama desert is the scene of the greatest industry of its kind in the world, yielding enormous quantities of nitrates, used to enrich the fields of Europe and the United States. The oases play a very important economic role in the industries of the region, supplying vegetables and foodstuffs for the support of the workmen, alfalfa for the cattle and various fruits, and also serving as timber producers for the nitrate works, which require much fuel. There is no part of the world where agriculture is more extensively carried on than in these green spots in the Atacama desert.—Zion's Herald.

Extract of Knowledge.

An article on "Examination Humor" in a periodical called Normal Echoes contains some good "howlers." They are none the less interesting for coming from students in training for teachers. A criticism of William Blake that "as a child he was precocious in poetry, but in later years it developed into dogmatism," is a lesson in the art of being inarticulate, while the remark that "the works of the time were mostly satyrs" is quaint, though obvious. Of course there is boggling over proper names. There is nothing, indeed, so good as the description of Cromwell as "a man with coarse features and having a large red nose, with deep religious convictions beneath," or the case of the "lapsed man" who, having by way of exception attended church, admitted to the rector's wife that he had benefited, for he had learned that Sodom and Gomorrah were two cities, whereas he had always thought they were man and wife. — Manchester Guardian.

LAMPHERE IN PRISON

LAPORTE, IND., MAN SENTENCED FOR ARSON.

Is Given from Two to Twenty-One Years for Alleged Crime on Gunness Farm.

Michigan City, Ind., Nov. 28.—Ray Lamphere, under sentence from two to twenty-one years for arson, was brought to the state prison in Michigan City and began his term Friday afternoon.

He received a visit from his aged mother. Though not with him during the trial, she came from South Bend Friday in order to say good-by to him and cheer him up. The meeting of mother and son was a pathetic one, the mother breaking down and crying as she clasped her son in her arms, but the prisoner bore up well, though there was a mistiness about his eyes which he could not keep back. The meeting was too sacred for even the guards, who turned their heads and stood where they could not hear what was said. Attorney Worden announced that he would make a motion Monday morning before Judge Richter for a new trial, and upon the same being denied, he expected to perfect the appeal. The transcript alone in the case will cost over $500, and as Lamphere's family has no means, and his friends by subscription have provided his defense, the general opinion is that the appeal will never be perfected. Another reason advanced as showing the uselessness of making the appeal is the fact that the case would not be reached in the higher court for two years, and by that time Lamphere would be in position, if his conduct has been good, to appear before the prison board and ask for a parole and then a pardon. If the case should be reversed, the chances are that the state would try him on the Helgelein murder charge, instead of the case just ended, while if no appeal is taken it is likely, according to intimations given Friday by Prosecutor Smith, that the other charges will be dropped. The motion for the new trial will be based upon the claim that Judge Richter erred in giving the jury instructions that it could render a verdict of arson. In a statement Lamphere said that he intended to become an exemplary prisoner so he would get the benefit of all good time and would be paroled after his first two years.

MERGER PLANNED

Valley Home Company Is Organized at Saginaw, Mich.

Saginaw, Mich., Nov. 28.—The Valley Home Telephone Company is the name of a corporation just organized, which is to take over, it is announced, practically all the so-called independent telephone interests in northeastern Michigan, including the exchanges at Saginaw, Bay City and Flint.

The authorized capital of the new company is $2,500,000, divided into 25,000 shares.

The board of directors has been announced, as follows: Fred T. Woodwarth, E. T. Carrington, George E. Wedenoff and F. W. Kesseler, all of Bay City; John L. Jackson, John Brand, C. O. Trask and John J. Speed, Saginaw; R. B. McPherson, Howell; James P. Gibbs, Ithaca, and Charles W. Liken, Sebewaing.

Three Hunters Probably Drowned.

Thessalon, Ont., Nov. 28.—William Menor, D. Menor, his son, and Fred Eno failed to return from a hunting trip when expected. Friday a searching party found the wreck of their rowboat. It is believed the boat capsized in the rapids and that all three were drowned.

Dr. Schurman to Speak in Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 28.—President Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell university, has wired his acceptance of the invitation to make an address at the National Corn exposition in Omaha December 16.

Hermit Author Found Dead.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Surrounded by his only friends—his books—Dr. John Norris, 70 years old, an author and recluse, was found dead in his little cottage in Riverside. For several years Dr. Norris has been known as the "hermit of Riverside." Unmarried, keeping by himself, and spending all his time in his library, Dr. Norris was finishing his latest book, "The World's Greatest Pilots," when death came to him.

French Scientist Dies.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The death is announced of Jean Albert Gaudry, the French scientist. He was born in 1827.

It's awfully hard for a crooked man to keep in the straight path.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children, safe, sure. No opiates

BIGGEST TILING IN THE NORTHWEST

Over 1,000 Acres Of Land Overflowed By The Marais Northwest Of Fisher Is Drained For $1500.

Drainage Made Easy By Fall Of 35 Feet In Short Distance Of 500 Feet. Tiling 22 Feet Underground.

State Drainage Engineer Geo. A. Ralph returned to St. Paul Sunday evening after spending Saturday looking over some state drainage work in Becker Co., and yesterday inspecting the big tile drain which drains 1,000 acres of land overflowed by the Marais northwest of Fisher, including portions of the Jos. Jarvis and adjoining farms. Engineer Ralph says this is without doubt the most profitable piece of drainage work yet undertaken in comparison to the cost. The work is being done jointly by the state and Polk county. The drain is only about 500 feet long, and of this distance by 300 feet is tiled, but the tiling is the largest ever used in the state and is laid 22 feet underground.

The drainage of that portion of the Marais however will be complete as the fall in a distance of 500 feet from the bottom of the swamp to the Red Lake River is 35 feet. The vitrified tiling was made in St. Louis and weighs 1040 pounds per 3 feet length and is three inches thick and 3 feet in diameter.

The Marais at that point had no outlet but several ditches emptied into it, and as a result 1000 acres were inundated and this summer about 3 feet of stagnant water stood over the land and the farmers entered a vigorous protest.

The work will be completed in 5 days, and will be the cheapest work ever done in the drainage line, costing only $1500. Engineer Ralph states that Capt. Beard of the Standard Drainage Co., is rapidly completing his contract on the Roseau River, the floating dredge having done splendid work the past season and the conditions having bee nvery favorable.

It is understood however that Capt. Beard's screw propeller dredge, for work in the crevasses on which he has been experimenting, is not coming quite up to expectations, but a stiffening of the shaft and a few other alterations are expected to make the new plan very successful on smaller contracts.

MINE DISASTER CLAIMS TERRIBLE DEATH TOLL

NUMBER OF DEAD IS 125 TO 300 MARIANNA, PA., IS SCENE OF LATEST TERRIBLE MINE EXPLOSION—MINE INSPECTOR JUST OUT OF MINE—CAME UP FEW MINUTES BEFORE EXPLOSION OCCURRED AFTER INSPECTION— MINE FOREMAN AND TWO MINERS ON WAY DOWN IN CAGE WHEN THERE IS TERRIFIC REPORT AND CAGE IS HURLED UP, OCCUPANTS BEING KILLED—DISASTER OCCURS JUST ON EVE OF MEETING OF MINING CONGRESS IN PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, Nov. 30—Not less than 125, and possibly 300 men were killed in the explosion in Marianna mines of the Pittsburg-Buffalo Coal company Saturday.

Ten of the bodies were recovered in the main entry and at at the foot of the shaft awaiting the construction of a temporary cage, when they will be brought to the surface.

Others are distributed in 29 rooms or workings in the mine the entrance to which is still blocked by the debris of the explosion. Officials of the company place the number of dead at 125. Only one miner has been rescued alive thus far.

About 50 of the victims were either Americans or English speaking men. The majority of the foreigners were comparatively new arrivals in this country many of them having left families in their old homes.

Steps have already been taken for the relief of the dependents of the victims. Subscription lists have been opened by charitable organizations and newspapers, arrangements made for a collection in the churches tomorrow, and a special appeal for aid for the sufferers will be made by Evangelist Henry Ostrom, who is conducting revival services here.

The mine was considered the most complete in the world. Cause of the disaster unknown.

It is a fairly wise provision of law that in order to emigrate from the state of matrimony you must go to the court for a ticket. It may cause some vexatious delays, but tends to prevent blockades of traffic.

Every rose has its thorn—and a few more.

A cheerful liar must be a great comfort to himself.

If you suffer from constipation and liver trouble Foley's Orino Laxative will cure you permanently by stimulating the digestive organs so they will act naturally. Foley's Orino Laxative does not gripe, is pleasant to take and you do not have to take laxatives continually after taking Orino. Why continue to be the slave of pills and tablets. Sold by All Druggists.

A Mistaken Idea

that it takes a large amount of money to start a checking account—or that you do not need a checking account because you pay out your money as fast as you receive it. That is just what a checking account is good for—to pay out money. It is the safest, most convenient way and furnishes you with your cancelled check as a receipt — indisputable evidence of payment.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

Largest and strongest bank in Northern Minnesota.

ESTATE OF PAULUS AWARDED DAMAGES

Paulus Was Mistaken For Deer And Shot By William Roddeau, Near Blackduck. Roddeau Left Country.

Thru the sale by execution of a farm northwest of Blackduck, which sale was made by Sheriff Bailey Saturday $2,200 damages were recovered for the taking of the life of Simon Paulus two years ago at the hands of William Paddeau, who mistook Paulus for a deer.

The killing of Paulus caused considerable excitement for some time after he was shot, and there was a suspicion that there had been foul play.

Paulus went out one evening with a light attached to his head, for the purpose of killing deer by means of "shinging." He failed to return the following morning and a searching party afterwards found his dead body in a small clearing. There was a bullet wound in Paulus' head and his rifle lying at his side with none of the cartridges in the chamber having been fired.

The county authorities were at a loss to account for the exact manner in which Paulus met his death, but there was a well-defined suspicion that he had been murdered.

A coroner's inquest was held but no clue as to the killing was ascertained at that time.

A few weeks afterwards, a letter was received from William Poddeau who owned a valuable timber claim near that of Paulus and who disappeared quietly the day Paulus' body was found. In this letter Poddeau acknowledged that he had killed Paulus claiming that he had also been out after deer the night Paulus met his death and that he mistook Paulus for a deer and fired a shot at Paulus before ascertaining that he had been shooting at a human mark.

In this letter Roddeau agreed to deed all his earthly belongings to the wife of Paulus providing he (Roddeau) was not prosecuted for shooting Paulus.

Roddeau's offer was accepted but the latter never went further with his proposal than the offer made in the letter; and Mrs. Paulus instituted a suit for damages for the sum of $4000 for the taking of her husband's life. Roddeau never appeared to defend the suit, and judgment was rendered in favor of Mrs. Paulus in the sum of $4,000.

An execution was issued against the farm which Roddeau had owned, the execution sale the sum $2,200 was bid for the land by John Thompson, administrator of the estate of Simon Paulus, whose killing was the first crime of the kind in that section of the country.

DECEMBER TERM OF DISTRICT COURT

GRAND JURY ASSEMBLED THIS MORNING WAS CHARGED BY JUDGE WATTS, ORGANIZED AND ARE HARD AT WORK—A BIG GRIST OF CRIMINAL BUSINESS AND 25 INDICTMENTS EXPECTED—COUNTY ATTY. MAYBURY WILL BE GIVEN TILL FIRST OF YEAR TO CLEAN UP CRIMINAL CASES—PETAWAY GRAND LARCENY CASE NOW BEING INVESTIGATED

From Tuesday's Daily—

The December term of the District Court opened this morning, Judge Watts presiding. The grand jury reported and the charge was given by the court after which they retired and organized for work by the election of H. Gendron of Gentilly as foreman and J. O. Johnson as clerk. The Grand Jury is in charge of C. H. Jefferson as bailiff.

Judge Watts after a conference with County Attorney J. H. Maybury decided to give the petit jury which will report next Tuesday to the county attorney till January 1st in order to dispose of all the criminal cases first. The civil calendar was then called and the cases all set for after the first of the year.

The grand jury started first with the case against Alois Petaway the colored janitor of the Merchants National bank is accused of robbing that institution of something like $1,000 and is also charged with having robbed the Guarantee Clothing House of a considerable quantity of goods.

There are many other criminal cases mostly involving grand larceny and it is expected that fully 25 indictments will be returned, tho none will be returned before Wednesday or Thursday evening.

J. Milarky of the eastern end of the county and L. H. Hancock failed to report, there having been an error in their initials and were accordingly excused, and Richard Ohm, also from the east end was excused, being exempt from jury duty as he is a miller. Following is a list of the Grand Jurors who are serving:

Grand Jurors

1. Ole Landeen
2. Michael Casey
3. John Johnson
4. Edwin Hauger
5. Chas. Nelson
6. Ed. Lanctot
7. Andrew Peterson
8. Oliver Olson
9. M. A. Harstad
10. Peter Olson.
11. J. O. Johnson
12. L. C. Glass.
13. Albert Lillo.
14. T. Stromstad.
15. C. Mehlum
16. Gustav Christianson
17. Ole Knudson.
18. John Rud.
19. James Nesbit.
20. H. Gendron.

PRISONERS SENTENCED AT GRAND FORKS

Judge C. F. Templeton of Grand Forks yesterday sentenced a batch of prisoners as follows:

John Henry who entered a plea of guilty to a charge of murdering Mrs. Ellen Fulton his housekeeper was sentenced yesterday afternoon by Judge C. F. Templeton to life imprisonment.

William Watkins, colored, porter in a barber shop was sentenced to serve four months in the county jail for carrying concealed weapons. He was held for flourishing a gun on DeMers avenue.

Abner Brown, found guilty of criminal assault by a jury, had nothing to say. The court sentenced him to serve ten years. The charge of outraging public decency was dismissed.

Aubrey Cole, who entered a plea of guilty to a charge of stealing a $75 diamond ring from a tray in Frank V. Kent's jewelry store, stated, in answer to the usual question, that his act was not premeditated.

The court stated that he had concluded to suspend sentence and any time the defendant broke the law he would call him in and give him five years.

S. C. Whalen found guilty of violating a milk ordinance of Grand Forks was sentenced to pay a fine of $5 and costs of $27.95. He paid the fine.

George Wallace was sentenced to serve 100 days and pay a fine of $200 for selling liquor at Larimore. In default of payment of the $200 Wallace must serve 100 additional days, making a total of 200.

Sheriff Hanson will take Henry, Brown and Hardy to Bismarck Saturday evening.

NOLAN ESCAPES PRISON CELL

MAN DOOMED TO CELL BY NOLAN'S EVIDENCE REFUSES TO TESTIFY

TWO MEN WERE IMPLICATED IN ROBBING OF BANK AT STEPHEN

From Tuesday's Daily—

James E. Nolan the young man who turned state's evidence against his confederate James E. Raymond last July, and thru whose testimony Raymand was sent to Stillwater for ten years for the robbery of the State bank at Stephen, has been released from jail at Warren and the indictment quashed.

County Attorney Brown could secure no evidence against Nolan except his own confession. While Nolan admitted his guilt he entered a plea of not guilty to the indictment and the state was powerless to convict, under the rule that a person cannot be convicted upon his own testimony without some corroborating testimony.

Raymond refused to testify against Nolan, altho Nolan's testimony sent him to prison for ten years.

The case caused a great amount of interest here, Attorney Geo. J. Cannon defending Raymond and putting up a brilliant defense. He would have been cleared without a doubt had not County Attorney Brown very cleverly secured a confession from Nolan, and it was his confession alone that convicted Raymond, there being no other evidence that was of any moment.

WARROAD COMING INTO HER OWN

REALIZING HER HOPE OF YEARS AND MUCH MORE

Along with the realization of her hope of years comes to Warroad reason to believe that the town is to have more in the way of stimulas to development and growth than its citizens had dared to incorporate into their fondest dreams. The putting in by the Great Northern of five miles of yard and spur trackage here means that the company contemplates developments at this place that our citizens had not anticipated. Besides the house track always used by the Great Northern, there are two sidings the length of the yard, a dock spur a mile long, a "Y" transfer track, and spur to the lake, taking off from the "Y" This spur will skirt the lake shore and touch the river near the government shops on the point, where the sawmill is to be located.

The junction will be equipped with semaphores and signal tower and interlocking switches, so that trains will not have to stop at the junction. A pumping station is to be installed at the river and 1,600 feet of pipe will be laid to the tank and roundhouse at the northern end of the yards.

While the people of Warroad are looking upon these extensive operations and wondering what the Great Northern wants with all these facilities here, comes the word, almost authoritative, that it is Mr. Hill's purpose to build from Warroad to Duluth and Winnipeg in the immediate future.

GREAT SHIPMENTS OF FARM PRODUCE

McINTOSH MAKES A RECORD TO BE VERY PROUD OF

Nine cars of farm produce in car lots and three tons of live poultry by express, were shipped out of McIntosh during the past week, besides an unknown amount which went forward by local freight. These shipments, with a very few exceptions, all went east to the range and timber country. The car lot shipments included hay, cattle, flax and wheat, four of them being cattle, three wheat and one each of hay and flax.

"DAD" EASTMAN TAKES BRIDE

OLDEST CONDUCTOR ON GREAT NORTHERN TAKES A BRIDE

F. W. Eastman, better known among the employes of the Great Northern railroad as "Dad" and Mrs. Anna E. Pripp were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kyte in Linden Hills.

Mr. Eastman is the oldest conductor on the road in point of service. The bride until recently lived in Fairview Mont. After Dec. 15 Mr. and Mrs. Eastman will be at home in Milaca.

BIG MEET OF ROADMAKERS

FIRST ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MINNESOTA ROADMAKERS' ASSOCIATION

WILL BE HELD IN ST. PAUL DEC. 15-17—PRES. CHESTERMAN IS NOTIFIED

From Tuesday's Daily—

President G. S. Chesterman of the Polk Co., Good Roads Association has received notice from President Geo. A. Nash and Secretary J. H. Mullen of the Minnesota Roadmakers' Association and Secretary Geo. W. Cooley of the Minnesota State Highway Commission of the First Annual Meeting of the Minnesota Roadmakers' Association which will be held under the auspices of the State Highway Commission in the Representative Chamber of the Old Capitol, in St. Paul, Dec. 15, 16 and 17, 1908, commencing at 10 a. m.

It is the desire of the Highway Commission that all persons interested in the betterment of our road system avail themselves of this opportunity to meet and consult on all matters pertaining to Road Construction and Maintenance. Boards and County Commissioners, City and Village Councils, Commercial clubs, and other public bodies are requested to send representatives and take part in the discussions. County Surveyors, Road Superintendents and Road Overseers are especially advised to attend this meeting.

A question box will be a prominent feature of this convention and those who desire discussion on any subject pertaining to Road Work are urged to communicate with the Secretary before the date of the meeting that the matter be given consideration.

The program which will be prepared before the opening of the Convention will provide for consideration of the following subjects: Road Drainage, Construction and Maintenance, Steel and Concrete Bridge and Culvert Construction and Legislation.

Some of the best authorities in this country on Road Building, Road Laws and Steel and Concrete Bridge and Culvert work, have been procured for this meeting and will speak on their special subjects.

FINE SAMPLES OF CORN FED BEEF

HENRY O'NEIL MARKETS A PAIR THAT EXCITE GENUINE INTEREST

Henry O'Neil, the prominent young farmer east of the city today marketed two corn fed steers, Ed Erickson buying one and Joe Winfield the other. The two are as handsome specimens of prime beef as was ever seen in the city. The one sold to Ed Erickson was a little over two years old and dressed nearly 700 pounds and brought $43.75.

Both animals were corn fed and Mr. O'Neil raised the corn that he fed them and will raise still more next year. He had a big crop this year, and those who saw his exhibit, which was a part of the exhibit sent to the state fair by Polk county know that it is as fine corn as was ever raised anywhere.

Mr. Erickson stated to the Journal that he had never handled as fine beef as the one brought in by Mr. O'Neil and he would purchase all he could get like it at top prices. If Mr. O'Neil can make a success of it, so can every other farmer.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflammed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Once in a while a man astonishes himself as much as he does the rest of us by really doing something unselfish.

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SHUFFLED OFF VIA CARBOLIC ACID ROUTE

J. W. Gilbreath, Well Known Resident Of Fosston Committed Suicide Yesterday Afternoon. Family Tronbles & Heavy Drinker,

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon shortly before 3 o'clock the body of J. W. Gilbreath was found in the rear of his barber shop at Fosston, cold in death.

He had taken two ounces of carbolic acid diluted in water. He left a note stating that he was worried to death and tired of life. He had been drinking heavily of late and was worried over his family troubles.

Deceased was married but his wife had not lived with him for the past four years and is at present residing at Cloquet. There are also four childresn all grown one son working on a farm near Fosston and another being at Cloquet, the whereabouts of the other two not being known at present.

Gilbreath was 57 years of age. Several hours before he committed suicide he bought a bottle of carbolic acid at the drugstore stating that he wanted it to clean his tools with.

Undertaker Ross Chesterman who was sent up to investigate found it a clear case of suicide and no inquest was necessary and the body was turned over to friends who will bury the remains at Fosston tomorrow. The wife was notified but did not respond.

FIRST REAL WINTER DAY

SNOWFALL WITH NORTH BREEZE RECALLS FACT THAT WINTER IS HERE

FIRST TOUCH OF WINTER WEATHER THUS FAR EXPERIENCED

From Monday's Daily—

This is the first real winter's day experienced thus far the present season the last day of November. It began snowing quite heavily about the middle of the forenoon, and with a good stiff breeze from the north the air was full of swirling snow. However the thermometer is not low and it is not a bad day to be out, many farmers driving to the city.

The present snowfall will make excellent sleighing as there is a fine foundation for good roads, the first snow, with the thaw following making a bedding of ice that will make the sleighs slip easily.

The first of December with the river not entirely frozen over, and the ice still unsafe for skating, and experiencing the first snow flurry of the season is a good enough record for the Red River Valley—and on top of it all the merchants are rejoicing as it is creating a demand for winter goods, for which there has been no use thus far.

MINNESOTA SUITS BETTER THAN CANADA

AN OHIO FARMER WHO BOUGHT LAND IN CANADA RETURNS "ACROSS THE LINE"

The experiences of a farmer named Stevens from Ohio have a significant bearing upon Federation of Commercial Clubs campaign for $100,000 for the better advertisinfg of Minnesota.

While enroute to Western Canada three months ago, state officers who met him accidentally as he was passing through St. Paul, told him of the richness of the soil and the splendid climate of the Red River valley and asked him why he wisned to travel 1,000 miles farther when he could get the richest land in the world here in Minnesota.

He failed to appreciate their arguments and bought Canada land.

A letter received by one of the state officers brings word that he is back in Minnesota, has bought a fine farm in the lower Red River Valley after the sudden sale of his recently acquired Canadian farm, and is more than satified.

"I tried it up there," he says in his letter, "but Minnesota suits me better. I have had the experience. Now I am content to settle down in a good country to stay. Minnesota suits me right down to the ground and if I can't make money here, I can't make it anywhere."

Meaning of Words

Many words which are spelled alike and pronounced alike have different meanings. The word "rare" is an example. It may mean scarce as used to denote something not usually found, or it may mean choice—this is the meaning when we say that golden grain belt beer is a rare beverage, highly prized for its wholesome qualities and tonic properties. It should be kept in every home. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

SLIPPED AND BROKE ANKLE

MISS ELLA CHRISTIANSON VICTIM OF PAINFUL ACCIDENT

FELL ON SCHOOL STEPS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON—RESTING EASILY.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon while leaving the High School building Miss Ella Christianson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Christianson was the victim of a painful accident, slipping on the steps of the High School building and falling heavily. She got up not realizing her limb was broken just above the ankle, and started down the steps, but fell again and fainted several times before she could be assisted into the building and taken home in a carriage. A physician was at once called and the fracture was reduced and tho the patient was in great pain for a few hours, she rested well last night and is doing nicely today. The break will cause her far less trouble than would have a severely sprained ankle, which would undoubtedly have resulted had not the bone snapped.

Miss Christianson will be confined to her home for three or four weeks and in this conection there is a peculiar incident. She had accompanied her mother to Ada Saturday evening but returned Monday morning as she did not wish to miss school, intending to return to Ada last evening to attend the funeral of her grandmother. In her zeal to avoid missing school, the accident resulted which will keep her from school nearly a month.

ADA PIONEER IS CALLED HOME

MRS. E. A. HELLAND DIED SUDDENLY—MOTHER OF MRS. O. O. CHRISTOANSON

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock Mrs. E. A. Helland one of the pioneer residents of Ada, died suddenly of heart failure. Deceased had been in poor health for some time past, but ate breakfast Saturday morning with the family as usual, suffering a sinking spell shortly afterwards from which she failed to rally.

Mrs. Helland was 79 years of age and is survived by a husband and 7 children, two sons, E. C. who is county treasurer of Norman County, and George who also resides at Ada. The five daughters are Mrs. O. O. Christianson of this city, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Holland of Ballard, Wash., Mrs. Scotland of Rugby, N. D., and Miss Agatha Helland who resided with her parents. Mrs. Scotland went to Ada last evening, Mr. and Mrs. Christionsan having gone down Saturday evening, Mr. Christianson returning this morig but will go to Ada again this evening to attend the funeral services which will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Helland was a pioneer resident of Ada, and the family is one of the foremost in Norman county where they located in 1881. Deceased was a woman of high character and was completely wrapped up in her duties as a wife and mother. Her death has caused deep sorrow both at Ada and in this city where she was well known. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of all in their hour of affliction.

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ST. VINCENT LOCAL CAME TO GRIEF YESTERDAY ON ST. VINCENT SPUR

SMOKER AND DAY COACH BOTH BADLY WRECKED—PASSENGERS SHOOK UP

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday just as the local passenger train for St. Vincent was pulling into St. Vincent over the spur leading from the main track, a broken rail caused a bad spill. The engine and baggage car passed safely over it, but the day coach and smoker went off and took a tumble into the ditch.

There were but few passengers on board and but one was injured at all, and he very slightly, the others just getting a litle shaking up. The two catches however were badly jammed up and are still in the ditch.

Conductor P. C. Keeley and Engineer Matt Milligan and Brakesman Yoder were in charge of the train. A wrecking train left here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in charge of Conductor Darkow and Engineer Hughes and returned this morning with the engine and baggage car at 6 o'clock.

The local work was done between here and St. Vincent last evening by the Winnipeg Flyer which arrived a few minutes late. A special was made up here in charge of Conductor Miller, and left for Moorhead last evening on schedule time.

HITCHCOCK WAS ARRAIGNED

APPEARED IN MUNICIPAL COURT TO ANSWER A GRAVE CHARGE

Ed Hitchcock a former G. N. conductor who was arrested a week ago on the charge of wife desertion and also for keeping company with another woman will appear in municipal court at Grand Forks this afternoon and answer the charges.

Hitchcock has been in jail in Crookston as a result of a complaint served by Mrs. Hitchcock for the past week and was taken over this morning by Deputy Sheriff Gonyea. Attorney Finlayson will appear for the prosecution and Hitchcock will probably have a local attorney to defend him.

Mrs. Hitchcock claims that he deserted her about six months ago in this city and has failed to provide support for herself and two children during that time. Mrs. Hitchcock has been compelled to leave East Grand Forks and go to the home of her parents at Greenbush, but returned to East Grand Forks this morning to testify in the case against her husband.

IT'S ALL OVER BUT SHOUTING

There is no case pending in any court relative to any proposition for the removal of the county seat. Local attorneys today received notice from A. A. Miller, Thief River Falls' attorney, that the last case had been dismissed by him.

The people of Thief River Falls are in just the same situation as they were four years ago when the fight was started—except that there is one puzzle they haven't solved yet.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

The Surprise of Slivnitsa.

"I have never quite made out," says a writer in "Near East," "why the plain of Slivnitsa has come to be regarded as the scene of one of the great decisive battles of the world's history. It did not even decide the Servo-Bulgarian war in 1885. That was decided by Austria intervention. The battle of Slivnitsa is really only remarkable for the comical fact that both sides thought they were defeated, and while Milan of Servia was hurrying home in confusion Alexander of Bulgaria galloped all the way back to his capital before he learned that the tide had turned. Nowadays the village looks sleepy enough, poor and dirty, like most Bulgarian villages, but almost gay when the sun shines upon its red roofs."

The Retort Courteous.

A lady passing through the negro quarter in Mobile, Ala., heard an old woman chanting a dirgelike tune.

"Auntie," she observed, "that is a mournful song you are singing."

"Yassum," was the response, "I knows it's mo'nful, but by singin' dat song an' 'tendin' to my own business I spects to git to heaben."

CRIMINAL GRIND IS ON

WM. LOO[illegible]S BEING TRIED FOR ASSAULT UPON E. J. PETERSON

GRAND JURY FOUND CO. BUILDINGS IN GOOD SHAPE—12 INDICTMENTS

From Monday's Daily—

The grand jury adjourned late Saturday afternoon after reporting 12 indictments, none of which were for very grievious crimes, and none being of a sensational character. They had no special recommendations to make, finding the county buildings in good shape and the prisoners in the jail well fed and cared for.

This morning the first criminal case was called, State vs. Wm. Loomis of Helgeland township charged with having assaulted E. J. Peterson. The two men got in a row over some cattle and came to blows and the prosecution is the result of the tangle.

The petit jurors serving this term who reported this morning are as follows:

E. P. Berg.
Ole P. Krogen
K. F. Uggen
E. O. Rude
Carl Johnson.
A. K. Ingebo.
P. J. Bollie
C. Anderson
Hugh McDonald
Rudolph Erickson.
Andrew Eaton.
Erick Anderson
B. H. Cochrane
John Carter.
O. K. Ose,
Julius Wentzel
Aton K. Tiegen
Henry Ronne
Christopher Coulter
John Davison.
Paul Knutson
G. W. Barth
J. M. Stephens
H. J. Beardmore

SURFACING IS NOW COMPLETED

GREENBUSH EXTENSION TO WARROAD READY FOR TRAFFIC

Over 100 men who have been surfacing the Greenbush Warroad extension of the Great Northern returned last night, most of them proceeding to St Paul at once. The surfacing is practically all completed and thru service will probably be started about the 15th of December but may possibly be postponed till the first of the year. The local passenger will make the round trip from here to Warroad and return the same day, but if the run proves too long it will be divided, one crew making a trip one way each day laying over night at Warroad.

Short of Engineers

The Butte division of the Great Northern road, with headquarters at Great Falls has requested that five engineers be sent there from the Dakota division. Work is falling off to some extent on this division and so a number would just as soon go to Great Falls. Tonight Engineers Chas. Schuyler and J. J. Quigley will leave Supt. M. Nicholson formerly of Grand Forks has charge of the Butte division.

A Gem and Medicine Mine

Mining for precious stones and medicine in combination makes a novel and curious sort of industry in San Diego county in California. The medicine is lithia; the precious stones are tourmalines—a kind of gem that appears to be gaining in popularity. Steadily gaining in popularity, also, is golden grain belt beer, the ideal home beverage. The practice of keeping a case on hand at home is so general that it is well nigh universal. There is no other just as good. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

It sometimes happens that a marriage license furnishes a man with a good excuse for trying to drown his troubles.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Sold by all Druggists.

MAY RETURN TO G. N. RY.

JAMES RUSSELL LIKELY TO TAKE PLACE NOW HELD BY R. W. BRYAN, MINOT

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT BRYAN TO BE GIVEN PLACE IN GENERAL OFFICES

From Tuesday's Daily—

A rumor is strongly current, and recent events give good color to it, that shortly in official circles of the Great important changes will take place Northern and that General Superintendent R. W. Bryan with headquaters at Minot, will take a new position in St. Paul and will be relieved by James Russell now division superintendent of the Burlington railroad. with headquarters at Aurora, Ill. The presence of Mr. Russell a few days last week in St. Paul and the fact that recent visitors with the family in the east bring news that Mr. Russell was made an offer by the Great Northern some weeks ago, lend strong probability to the story.

Should such a rumor prove true, Mr. Russell and his family will be given a hearty welcome back to western railroad circles. Mr. Russell was connected with the Great Northern some years ago, first at Havre, Mont., as chief dispatcher, then at Larimore and Grand Forks in the same capacity and finally as division superintendent at Minneapolis and Grand Forks. He left the service of the Great Northern and went into the ranching business ten miles west of Larimore. Poor crops forced him to give up his land and he accepted a position as division superintendent on the Missouri Pacific at Atchison, Kan., under the late Russell Harding, then general manager. From there he went over to the Burlington where he has made a record for himself, going at increased salary from division to division on this road until his ability in untangling such meshes as rise from increased traffic together with poor help or mismanagement, have made his services valuable.

It is hardly understood what position Mr. Bryan will take on the Great Northern, but it is thought a position is to be created for him in official circles in St. Paul. Both Mr. and Mrs. Russell and their daughter, Miss Margaret, a student at present at Smith college, are well remembered in social circles in Grand Forks and while if the presnt rumor be true, they will make their home at Minot, it will be gratifying to their friends to have them again in the west.

BRAINERD MAN DISAPPEARS

THAT CITY FACES ANOTHER MYSTERY SIMILAR TO THAT OF HESSEL

Brainerd is apparently face to face with another mystery similar to the case of John C. Hessel of that city, who disappeared in St. Paul Nov. 24. Ed Bomberg a delivery man for Brockway & Parker left his boarding place Thursday evening to meet another clerk downtown. He failed to keep the appointment and no trace of him can be found. He had just received his pay check for the month of November, but so far as can be learned had not cashed it. He was about 23 years of age, tall, slim, dressed in a black suit and long black overcoat with a fur collar and wore tam shoes. No possible reason can be assigned for his disappearance.

A Candid Critic.

"A criticism that has helped me a great deal in my work came from a man to whom I took a picture to be framed," said a young woman who spends much of her time copying in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. "As the picture progressed my friends told me it was fine. Some of the other copyists said it had value, character, good coloring and all those things, and even one of the guards in the gallery got real friendly one day and remarked that it was the best copy of that picture he had seen. I began to think that maybe, after all, my several years of study were beginning to bear fruit. At the framer's I picked out a nice frame, and the framer began to figure on the cost.

"'I'll tell you, miss,' he said, 'that frame will come to $3.98. If I were you I'd get something cheaper for that picture.'"—New York Sun.

A Human Bungalow.

Pilkson didn't impress you favorably, then?"

"No; he's just a bungalow."

"A what?"

"A bungalow. He hasn't any foun-

NEW CABINET IS SELECTED

GOV JOHNSON DETERMINES ON DEPARTMENT HEADS FOR NEXT TERM

MOST PRESENT INCUMBENTS RETAINED—SEVERAL CHANGES MADE

From Monday's Daily—

New State Cabinet

NEW STATE CABINET

Private Secretary—Frank A. Day, Fairmont.

Executive Clerk—Harvey W. Grimmer, St. Cloud.

Insurance Commissioner—John A. Hartigan, St. Paul.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—John W. Olsen, Albert Lea.

Assistant Superintendent — C. G. Schulz, St. Peter.

Adjutant General — Fred B. Wood, Austin.

State Librarian—John E. King, Red Lake Falls.

State Labor Commissioner—W. E. McEwen, Duluth.

Dairy and Food Commissioner — Andrew French, Plainview.

State Oil Inspector — E. J. Lynch, St. James.

Custodian of Capitol — Thomas Downs, Minneapolis.

Public Examiner—Anton Schaefer, Adrian (holds over.)

Military Storekeeper—W. W. Hatcher, Minneapolis.

Governor Johnson has determined upon the heads of all state departments who will hold office during his third term. In most cases the present incumbent will be reappointed. Several changes will be made, however, and before the governor left last night for the east, to be gone two weeks, the principal appointments were all definitely settled. Some less important ones are hung up and will be decided after the governor's return.

Efforts of the friends of Labor Commissioner W. H. Williams have been in vain, and the only Minneapolis man at the head of a state department will step down and out Jan. 1. The shift predicted some time ago will be made without any question. W. E. McEwen, the present oil inspector, will go to the labor department, and E. J. Lynch, now deputy labor commissioner, will be made oil inspector.

Another Change

Another change is brought about by the retirement of E. K. Slater dairy and food commissioner, who has refused a reappointment. His successor, Andrew French was announced a few days ago.

Public Examiner Schaefer was appointed for a three-year term last January and so holds over during all of the governor's third term.

A feature of the foregoing list is the record made by the department of education. Messrs. Olsen and Schulz are both republicans and were first named to their present positions by Governor Van Sant in January, 1901. When they finish the term to which they will next be appointed they will round out ten years' of service.

The appointments are well distributed geographically. Messrs. Olsen, Wood and French hail from the first congressional district. Frank A. Day and Messrs. Lynch and Schaefer come from the second, Mr. Schulz from the third, Insurance Commissioner Hartigan from the fourth, Messrs Downs and Hatcher from the fifth, W. E. McEwen from the eighth, and John E. King from the ninth.

Come Next Spring

Appointments on the state board of control and the tax commission do not come until spring. Frank L. McVey of Minneapolis will be reappointed on the tax commission, but W. S. Leavitt will not be retained on the board of control and his successor has not been announced. The governor will have six appointments to make on the board of grain appeals, but they do not fall due until August. There are a number of minor board appointments to be made in January.

Two of the university regents come up for reappointments, A. E. Rice of Willmar and Thomas Wilson of St. Paul. It is understood that Mr. Rice will not be reappointed, but Judge Wilson will probably be retained on the board. He is very nearly 80 years of age, but shows no impairment of his powers and is very faithful in his attendance at meetings of the board.

After next April every man in the capitol under the governer will be a Johnson appointee. Several state boards are appointed for six-year terms and there are a few hold-overs from the Van Sant administration. Governor Johnson's third term victory places him in a position to make an absolute cleaning out of all departments and boards except the elective ones.

ENGINE DOES DITCHING STUNT

FREIGHT TRAIN FIGURES IN A WRECK IN SOUTH CROOKSTON YARDS

ENGINE AND SEVERAL CARS OF WHEAT AND BARLEY WENT OFF AT JUNCTION

From Monday's Daily—

Sunday afternoon a freight train consisting of wheat cars most was being "kicked out the South Crookston yards for Barnesville by a switch engine. A brakeman attempted to throw a switch, but it was froze up or refused to work for some reason and as a result the engine pulling the train started off across the prairie and went gamboling about turning a few sommersaults, and several freight cars also did a log rolling stunt and the snow birds in that section will have an abundance of food for the balance of the winter in the shape of barley and wheat.

One Track Blocked

Engineer McNairnay and Fireman Saunders were on the head engine and both jumped when the engine went over and escaped injury. The St. Paul track was cleared so that the trains Sunday evening were not delayed—but the Moorhead track was still blocked this morning and the passengers were transferred around the wreckage to another train that had been made up on this side of the mixup.

Three Engines

It appears that the train was being pulled by engine 1116 with the "goat" ahead and No. 558 pushing behind. This made plenty of power and the engine that started off across the prairie did a stunt at rooting up the turf that would make the average steam plow look like 30 cents. As a matter of fact it made a good start toward digging a ditch thru Lowell Township and if there had been another engine pushing the job might have been completed.

BACK TO THE OLD HOME

MANY LEAVE FOR SWEDEN, NORWAY AND DENMARK TO SPEND HOLIDAYS

During the past two weeks there has been a fairly large outward-bound business for the steamship lines running to the Scandinavian countries or having conections with them. It is a habit with many Swedes, Norwegians Danes and Fins to return home every now and then and this is particularly true of unmarried people.

Invariably they time their sailings so as to reach their homes just before Christmas and usually they remain until the spring work opens and jobs are plentiful. If they could not land before Christmas and participate in the good cheer that is distinctive of Scandinavian Christmas festivities they would not go.

In the rural districts of Sweden and Norway the old custom of celebrating for twenty days is still the custom and to the visitor from the states these twenty days can not be duplicated in busy and thrifty America

Work of all kind except the necessary care of livestock is completely forgotten and the days are one continuous round of pleasures.

The last of the big special excursions from the northwest left Minneapolis last night. There will be about 200 in the party and they will be joined by another large contingent in Chicago. This party is due to sail on Hellig Olav, from New York on Dec. 10. Ten days later the tourists will be scattered all over the Scandinavian countries.

There will be other opportunities for the Swedes, Norwegians and Danes to reach home before the holidays on later boats but the big excursions must leave early this week to enable those who seek the interior districts to reach their destination betimes.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. Sold by all Druggists.

Daily Journal 30c per Month

THE JURY DISAGREED

AFTER BEING OUT ALL NIGHT COW CASE REMAINS A TANGLE

LOOMIS PUT ON TRIAL AGAIN THIS MORNING BEFORE NEW JURY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The case of the State vs. Wm. Loomis of Helgeland, the charge being asault on E. J. Peterson after a neighborhood squabble over a stock deal, which was tried yesterday, resulted in a disagreement after the jury had been out all night, and the case has been on trial all day today before another jury. Loomis last July was arrested for assault and fined $1 and costs before a local justice and he appealed from the decision. The case will cost the litigants more than the whole herd of cattle was worth before they get thru with it.

The next case to be called will be that of the state against Steve Scherer, the Grand Forks young man who is charged with grand larceny. The case in which Sherer is involved is that of an East Grand Forks employe of the Northern Pacific who some time since pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing merchandise from the depot in that city, implicating in his confession Scherer, who is the proprietor of the Dutsch'e messenger service, then located in Grand Forks.

According to the confession of Opsahl the East Grand Forks railway employe who was mixed in the deal, he stole certain goods and turned them over to Scherer who in turn sold them. The goods were paid for by Scherer, it is claimed tnd he was aware of the fact that the goods were stolen.

W. H. NORRIE LAID TO REST

FRIENDS OF DECEASED PAY A LAST TRIBUTE OF RESPECT

The funeral services over the remains of W. H. Norrie were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Christ's Episcopal Church, of which deceased had been a prominent member and officer for many years. Rev. Richard Cox officiating. The church was crowded with friends who came to pay a last tribute of respect to the memory of an honored citizen. The floral tributes were very profuse and beautiful, special pieces having been contributed by the M. B. A., A. O. U. W. and the D. of H. The pall bearers were Wm. Nicholson, Geo. Frazer, Chas. Broulliard, Gus Johnson, A. A. Glenn and Wm. Millette, two each from the postoffice force, the M. B. A. and the A. O. U. W.

At the grave the services of both organizations were carried out, the funeral having been under their auspices.

CREAMERY IS IN FINE SHAPE

The Annual Stockholders Meeting of the North Star Dairy Association at McIntosh was held at the city hall there on Tuesday Dec. 1st. The attendance was fair and much interest was manifest. The reports of the secretary and treasurer showed the affairs of the company to be in good shape A motion to pay back all donations and assessments to the parties who donated the same was unanimously carried, the payment to be made out of the sinking fund within the coming year. This will even matters up somewhat and relieve the old guards.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: President, K. N. Newton; Vice Pres., G. S. Moen; Secy., Thos. Jorstad; Treas. C. M. Berg; Directors, Christ Matteson, Chas. McCarty and Olof Stardig.

The Word "Charlatan."

"Charlatan," says a writer in the London Chronicle, "is companion to 'quack' in our vocabulary, and of this word the origin is certainly Italian. It is 'ciarlatano,' merely a chatterer, and describes the traveling doctor in his cart who used to offer in an overwhelming torrent of talk his pills to villagers in the market place. He was a dentist as well as a physician and wrenched out the tooth in public. The genus is not yet entirely extinct."

The better you behave the better you'll get along. Now try it.

W. H. NORRIE PASSES AWAY

WELL KNOWN MAIL CARRIER OF CROOKSTON SUMMONED THIS MORNING

HAD BEEN ILL WITH TYPHOID FEVER 11 WEEKS — FORMER G. N. CONDUCTOR

This morning about 7 o'clock W. H. Norrie passed away at his home on Elm street after an 11 weeks' siege of typhoid fever. The fever left him several days ago, but having been in poor health before the attack of the fever, he did not have the strength to rally. The news has caused the most widespread sorrow thruout the city. Mr. Norrie was one of the best known residents of Crookston, having come here in the early days, when in the employ of the Great Northern as conductor, and had a run on the Fosston line for years.

About 15 years ago he left the service of the Great Northern and for a time was in the fuel business, and after that he was named as the first letter carrier after Crookston was given free delivery in 1895, and was therefore carrier No. 1, having been in the service steadily ever since.

Mr. Norrie was known as one of the most popular conductors ever in the employ of the Great Northern, and as a mail carrier he was widely known having carried on several different routes and his cheery words of greeting will be sadly missed by men women and children.

He was in his 50th year, and was an enthusiastic fraternal order man, being president of the M. B. A., Recorder for the A. O. U. W. and a member of D. of H., and carried insurance in each order.

He leaves a wife and six children, two boys having died some time ago. The surviving children are Allan an express messenger on the Great Northern, Erick, driver of the G. N. express wagon here, and Gertrude, Jane Ethel and Margery, the latter being the youngest and ten years of age.

No funeral arrangements have been completed, but they will probably be held under the auspices of the M. B. A., the A. O. U. W. and the D. of H.

DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

ERICK E. WICKSTROM BREAKS NECK IN FALL AT BEAUDETTE

After a night's festivity, with evidently a little more than ordinary partaking of stimulants to the extent of excess, Erick E. Wickstrom a recent arrival in the border territory, accidentally met an untimely ending of his earthly career by a fall down the stairway leading to his room over Thibault Bros.' saloon in Beaudette.

Wickstrom came to Beaudette about two weeks ago from Warren, Minn., his former home, and since his stay here, had been working for the Itasca Cedar Co.

Tuesday evening he received his money, and customary at such times, proceeded to celebrate with the boys. It is not definitely known just what time the accident occurred, but unquestionably between the hours of midnight and six o'clock the following morning, he being seen on the streets at the former time, while his lifeless body was discovered the latter time the following morning at the foot of the stairway, his feet up on the lower steps and his body face downward on the ground approaching the stairway. The discovery was made by Ole Lindahl, the roommate of the deceased, who at once gave notice of his gruesome find. The body was left undisturbed until advices were forwarded to Deputy Coroner Lahr at Bemidji after which undertaker F. E. Johnson took the corpse to his undertaking rooms.

Thursday morning Coroner Lahr arrived and upon learning the circumstances concluded that an inquest was unnecessary death being due to accident.

Advices were dispatched to deceased's friends at Warren, and in reply word was rectived from Mrs. Britka, a sister, to hold the body for shipment, and it is presumed that relatives will arrive today to convey it back home for interment. — Spooner News.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. Sold by all Druggists.

The art or exercise of dancing can be traced back to the early Egyptians, who ascribe that invention to their god Thoth. Beyond a doubt dancing is much older than history. It began in connection with religious rites and was performed in honor of the deities that were worshiped.

BANKS SHOW LARGE GAINS

BIENNIAL REPORT OF PUBLIC EXAMINER DISCLOSES RAPID RATE OF PROGRESS

INCREASE OF RESOURCES AMOUNTS TO THIRTEEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS

Anton Schaefer, state public examiner, filed his biennial report with Gov. Johnson yesterday. He makes a number of recommendations which he asks to have acted upon by the coming legislature.

Mr. Schaefer wants authority to deny the issuance of a charter to a bank in any locality where the business does not warrant an additional bank.

Articles of incorporation he says, should give the number of shares of stock held by each of the incorporators. The vice president of a state bank, he contends, should be a director also.

All active bank officers he holds should give bonds and in the case of trust companies, the irectors should give bonds.

Unclaimed bank deposits, he says, should be advertised annually.

State Bank Statistics

In the last two years Mr. Schaefer reports the state banks have increased in number from 427 to 607; capital, surplus and profits have increased from $13,414,249.45 to $15,999,325.12; net gain, $3,585,075.67. Time certificates of deposit from $27,795,531.60 to $42,085,050.02, a net gain of $14,289,518.42.

Total deposits have increased from $63,802,427.12 to $73,060,346.28 or $10,157,019.10. Loans and discounts increased from $56,766,474.03 to $67,461,307.92, net gain, $10,694,833.89. Total resources increased from $77,807,108.24 in 1906 to $90,535,430.64 in 1908, net gain $12,728,322.40.

There has been only one failure. Since 1907, 135 private banks have become state banks. Prior to that period there were over 200 private banks in operation.

Legislation Recommended

In his report Mr. Schaefer makes the additional recommendations that the banking law be so amended that he be given an official voice in bank receiverships and that investment, guaranty and bonding companies be brought under the control of the department.

For the two years ending with July 1 the department collected $76,677.64 from errors growing out of gress earnings reports.

Attention is called to the immunity of the express companies from the Minnesota corporation laws, the failure of companies operating dining cars to pay a tax on the revenue accruing from the same and the failure of express and private car companies to pay taxes on interstate business entering or passing thru the state.

COULD MAKE RATES HIGHER

N. P. FREIGHT OFFICIAL DECLARES SOME TARIFFS ARE LOWER THAN STANDARD

Altho a man is inexperienced in the department of railroad business which has to do with the operation of the trains he is qualified to establish rates for the handling of freight and is able to tell whether or not the rates are remunerative.

This is the substance of the testimony given yesterday in St. Paul by J. B. Baird general freight agent of the Northern Pacific. in the rate case which is being heard by Charles E. Otis, master in chancery, at the federal building.

T. D. O'Brien conducted the cross-examination for the state, and asked no questions regarding the numerous exhibits which have been presented by Mr. Baird. A series of computations were made by the witness, under the direction of Mr. O'Brien which showed the rates on certain classes of business. In each instance the rates authorized by the Interstate Commerce commission were higher than those actually in effect on the Northern Pacific.

Mr. Baird has presented a mass of statistics which purported to show the effect of the proposed rates on the entire business of the road, and it was expecetd that the attorneys for the state would delve deep into the mysteries of rate-making, as shown by the exhibits, but Mr. O'Brien seemed satisfied with the statements, which showed that if the interstate rates of the commission were enforced the company would receive more for the transportation of freight than according to the rates that are made by competition.

Don't be ashamed to confess your faults. Only fools and liars never make mistakes.

A FORTUNE IN DITCHES

HALF A MILLION DOLLARS SPENT IN MINNESOTA LAST YEAR

AND NEW PROJECTS ARE FORMING MONTH BY MONTH

From Friday's Daily—

The state drainage commission is preparing a detailed report of the work done during the year for presentation to the next legislature.

Geo. Ralph, state drainage engineer, states that the commission has spent about a half a million dollars on ditches, and general expenses. Thirty ditches have been dug in different parts of the state and preliminary work is beginning on three others, bids for which will be opened about the first of the year.

BALED HAY LUNCH PROVES EXPENSIVE

H. G. EBBIGHAUSEN TRIED A NEW SCHEME TO DRAW CUSTOM

H. G. Ebbighausen had the tables turned on him very neatly yesterday by J. M. Stephens and it is so seldom that a veteran like Mr. Ebbighausen gets caught in the toils that the traveling men and other patrons of The Council are holding their sides with merriment. It appears that Mr. Stephens left his sleigh in front of Ebbighausen's place of business last Saturday. Mr. Ebbighausen was struck with an idea that a baled hay free lunch might make a big hit for Saturday nights business, and inveigled a newspaper man, who had formerly walked in the straight and narrow path of rectitude into helping him steal the hay and lug it into the refreshment parlor.

When Stephens returned he needed no auctioneer to announce who stole the hay, and saying nothing but vowing vengeance he bought another bale of hay and went home.

Yesterday he went before Judge Gossman, had the descendent of Prince Bismarck arrested for hay pilfering, and when he was arraigned his extreme gaiety in the presence of the court resulted in a double fine and costs amounting to some 'steen dollars which were later expended at the Council Buffet for "steins" and divers other wonderful decoctions.

Jim Stephens weakened when he saw his old friend before the bar of justice and with tears streaming down his cheeks pleaded with Judge Gossman not to send the offender to the Hotel de Gonyea for 60 days as was the intention, but to make it a straight fine or a sentence to the reform school. The heart of the court was touched and the offender was let down with a fine with the warning that if he ever swiped any more cow food for his patrons he would be given the limit.

It took Jim, Forgy, and ten more about an hour to "shoot" the fine which the court turned over to them, claiming that City Attorney O'Brien had advised him that a special provision in the new city charter prohibited the court from accepting "tainted" money even in fines.

REVISE THE TARIFF

THE SUGAR PEOPLE:
Oh yes, revise the tariff, gents—
Now really, we insist;
But when you're going over things,
Please leave us off the list.

THE COAL BARONS:
We think the tariff should be out;
It is too high by far;
However, when you come to us
Just leave us where we are.

THE STEEL FOLKS:
Revise the tariff, if you must;
It might be done, we own;
But should our products meet your eyes,
Please let them quite alone.

THE TOBACCO KINGS:
The tariff ought to be revised;
On some things it's too high.
We're satisfied the way it is,
So kindly pass us by.

EVERY PROTECTED INTEREST:
Yes, yes, revise the tariff, sirs;
We know it ought to be,
But fix the other fellow's lines—
We're quite contented, see?

—Charles R. Barnes in the New York World.

Remember girls, that the young man who writes the best love letters doesn't necessarily make the best husband.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

FARGO WILL LOSE RESIDENTS

MANY WILL MOVE TO DILWORTH WHEN FARGO TRAIN IS TAKEN OFF

As there is no interurban line running between Fargo and Dilworth, Minn., and as there is no likelihood of such a line being realized, at least for a number of years, it is evident that a large number of the railroads people now living in Fargo will have to take up their residence in the Minnesota town. The shop train, which now runs between the two towns will be taken off this winter and it is rumored that this train will be removed Jan. 1. However, the officials of the road here say that while they are considering the discontinuance of this train they have not at the present time fully decided when it will be removed.

The office building, which has been under construction at Dilworth for the division offices is now sixty per cent completed and the offices will be moved to that place sometime in the spring.

All this points to the fact that the railroad people cannot live in Fargo and work in Dilworth after the shop train has been removed and there is little choice aside from the two of quitting the employ of the company or of moving to Dilworth.

ELKS LODGE OF SORROW

SPECIAL EXERCISES WILL BE HELD AT AUDITORIUM SUNDAY AFTERNOON

BEGINNING AT THREE O'CLOCK—E. E. McDONALD OF BEMIDJI WILL SPEAK

From Saturday's Daily—

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the annual Lodge of Sorrow of Crookston Lodge No. 342 B. P. O. E. will be held in the Auditorium at which time a most impressive program will be rendered, the address to be delivered by Hon. E. E. McDonald of Bemidji, a very forceful orator. The general public is invited to attend the services. All Elks are urged to be in Elks Hall in the Fournet block at 2 o'clock sharp in order to march to the Auditorium in a body at 2:30 sharp.

Following is the program:

Overture ....Orchestra

Opening Ceremonies, in charge of Exalted Ruler W. P. Murphy and Officers.

Music, "Abide With Me", Mrs. Wm Murphy, Miss Meda Chesterman, Mr. A. J. Brager and Mr. Andrew Carlson

Opening Ode, by members, led by quartette.

Invocation, Rev. C. C. Warner.

Solo "Fear Not Ye O Israel" Mrs. Wm. P. Murphy.

Selection, Orchestra.

Address, Rev. E. E. McDonald of Bemidji Lodge No. 1072.

CROOKSTON WATER LEADS THEM ALL

S. Meyer, the proprietor of the Bird Store which has been operated during the past week in the Old Grill Restaurant adjoining Hillards Drug Store and who will move to some other point after Sunday noon, says Crookston has the best water of any city he has ever visited.

The day he came from Grand Forks six of his gold fish were dead but during his entire stay here not a one has died and all are as lively as crickets and need no looking after at all whereas in most cities they need constant watching to keep them alive on account of the water. He says the Crookston water must be remarkably pure and invigorating as this is one of the best tests known.

He says one tap of such water in Chicago would mean an independent fortune in a year and that it would have Standard Oil Stock beat four ways.

A Personal Appeal

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. Sold by all Druggists.

There's nothing makes a woman feel so neglected by her husband as for him not to let her buy his neckties.

The reason a girl objects to a man kissing her is she pretends she does.

BAD FIRE AT ARGYLE

HOUSE OF N. B. HEGNES, PRESIDENT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

DESTROYED LAST EVENING — LOSS $7,000, INSURANCE $4,500

From Thursday's Daily—

While N. B. Hegnes president of the First National Bank of Argyle and his wife were away at a party last evening their splendid residence caught fire from some unknown cause and was completely gutted before the fire department succeeded in staying the flames.

Mr. and Mrs. Hegnes left the house about 8 o'clock and it was 10 o'clock before the fire was discovered. The conflagration then had such headway that all the fire department could do was to save the shell of the house, making the loss almost total.

The loss on the house is about $5,000, on the furnishings $2,000, with a total insurance of $4,500.

ALLEN RETIRES FROM BEMIDJI SENTINEL

MRS. C. M. OPSAHL AND F. O. MELBY HAVE ACQUIRED CONTROLLING INTEREST IN SENTINEL

Bemidji Pioneer: A deal has been consumated whereby Col. A. B. Allen, the veteran newspaper man, retires from active connection with the Bemidji Sentinel and the management of that publication changes hands.

Mrs. C. M. Opsahl (wife of Representative Opsahl of this city) and F. O. Melby (nephew of Mr. Opsahl) have purchased the Sentinel stock formerly owned by Mrs. Allen, which, together with the stock already owned by Mrs. Opsahl gives controlling interest in the Sentinel.

It is announced that Mr. Melby will assume the business management of the Sentinel under the new arrangements, but who will have editorial charge of the paper is not stated; and Mr. Melby says that that portion of the staff has not yet been definitely settled upon.

A. B. Allen the retiring editor of the Sentinel has not yet decided what he will do, altho it is quite certain that he will remain in Bemidji for the present at least.

Mr. Allen under the name of "The Growler" is known largely all over Minnesota.

FEDERAL LID FOR BRIDGE PARTIES

The lid is on the bridge whist party, the euchre party; likewise the cinch party and any other form of game where hand-painted china plates or other favors are offered to the successful players.

In future anyone who wishes to entertain a few friends may not bait them to come out in the cold night by offering inducements in prizes of meerschaum pipes, hand-painted plates, sofa cushions and such like. That is, the host may not send his invitations thru the mails—and get away with it.

A ruling of the postoffice department holds that it is illegal to send invitations thru the mail to bridge parties where prizes are given.. When asked about the decision today, Elias Steenerson, postmaster, said it was merely a new application of the lottery law. That it will be rigidly enforced in future was to be gained from his remarks.

"There is nothing for us to do but enforce the regulations," he said. "It looks as tho the new ruling has hit a phase of the question that has been overlooked for some time."

Penalty is Heavy

A section of the postal regulations approved Sept. 18, 1890 says: "No letter, post card or circular concerning any lottery, so-called, gift concert, or similar enterprise offering prizes, dependent upon lot or chance, and no list of the drawings at any lottery or similar scheme shall be carried thru the postoffice or by any letter carrier. Violators upon conviction shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not greater than $500 or imprisonment for not more than one year."

The A. D. T. boys when told of the new order of things pricked up their ears. "Gee, there's a chance to making a killin' peddlin' invites to de guests," said one. "Ah not much, they'll get busy on de telephone." piped another.

At the postoffice, the officials were not prepared to say whether prosecutions would follow in case the host concealed the fact that prizes were to be given. All that they would say is that no mention of prizes may be made in letters sent thru the mail.

BACHELORS ARE LOOKING FOR COVER

Reported that Trip thru This Section of the Country of Mrs. Leonora Lake Who says Bachelors are Worse than the Drinking Evil—Has Caused Several to Leave for Places of Hiding—Messrs. Foote, Aubol and Bergh Leave City Hurriedly.

Mrs. Leonora Lake of St. Louis one of the leading temperance lecturers of the country, who spoke at a big no-license rally at Lynn, Mass., nearly created a panic among 2,000 ardent temperance reformers when she announced from the platform that she had changed her mind about drink being the worst evil of the country, and denounced bachelorhood as being worse. A storm of hisses greeted her words, but Mrs. Lake kept right manfully to her task. "It is the bachelor who today is the great evil of America," she said. "It is the bachelor who fosters the rum evil. Reformers should drop the rum evil for a while and devote their attention to this one crying need—more husbands." After the rally Mrs. Lake said she had been coming to this conclusion for a long time, and that she had finally decided that it was her duty to speak.

But this is not all. It is reported that Mrs. Lake is headed this way and may pay a visit to Crookston in the very near future. Coupled with this fact is the peculiar co-incidence that J. P. Foote left for Cass Lake yesterday, Deputy Revenue Collector Guy A. Aubol left hurriedly on the St. Vincent train this morning, presumably for Canada, and Albert Bergh left this morning saying he was going to Fosston but may have continued to the big woods, to work in the lumber camps till Mrs. Lake has left these parts.

The man or woman who has friends is the one who treats everybody alike and plays no favorites in the matter of manners. There is now and then some one who, not having enough graciousness to go round saves it for the socially important or the well endowed.

In almost every social set there is a woman of this description and tho it is difficult we tolerate her weakness because we know she cannot help it. She has astigmatism, which makes it impossible to see anybody not very well dressed or of a certain set, and she finds difficulty also in hearing the most brilliant remarks of some one socially unknown but has a laugh always ready for the poorest witticism of the well placed. If she is driving down town, she sits exactly in the center of the back seat going rapidly past her friends who cannot ride, but is horrified to discover Mrs. Summit avenue walking down town because she is tired of her motor, and stops immediately to take her in.

She is often kind and thoughtful for the very poor, as that is absolutely correct and done by the best people. She brings up her daughter to see and know only the best or what she considers the best, and makes an eminent success of herself and her family. Knowing nothing of what life really means, having no deep emotions or feelings of any kind, she is of the greatest value to society as real people would blow everything up in no time, and therefore a wise Providence has arranged that they shall be scarce. There are moments when we feel that a good janitor is of infinitely more account in the great scheme of things, but that is one of our off days, when we do not realize our blessings, among which our rich friends are no small factor. We also sometimes wish there were fewer of her or that the power to snub might be, at times, vested in some one who was real and who could put a woman of this description in her place, but alas, this is no Utopia, and, as a dear old lady said, "them as has, gits," and those who have nothing usually have it taken away from them.

MARTIN STADIG BURIED WEDNESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Svisdal returned last evening from McIntosh from the Swedish Lutheran church four miles west of which the funeral of Mrs. Svisdal's brother-in-law Martin Stadig was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, he having died Sunday at Grand Rapids. There was a very large attendance of his old friends and neighbors and the services were conducted by Rev. Dahle. The pall bearers were Messrs. Chas. Carlson, Erick Erickson, Arthur and Andrew Anderson, Oscar Oppegard, all old boyhood friends, and Arthur Garris, superintendent of the electric light plant at Grand Rapids where deceased had been employed. A. G. Storholm of Thief River Falls a brother-in-law and Mr. and Mrs. Oppegard, the latter a sister, were present. Deceased was a member of the M. B. A. and carried $1000 insurance which goes to his widow.

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INDICMENTS RETURNED

GRAND JURY INDICTS TWO BUT NAMES ARE NOT MADE PUBLIC AS YET

EXPECTED THAT TROUBLE IS BEING STIRRED UP IN VILLAGE OF CLIMAX

From Thursday's Daily—

The grand jury is grinding away today, having called a large number of witnesses fro mGrand Forks and East Grand Forks in connection with grand larceny charges.

This morning two indictments were returned to the court, but the names will not be made public till after the prisoners are arraigned which will probably be some time this afternoon or tomorrow.

It is understood that there have been a large number of witnesses summoned from Climax and that some sensations will be sprung from that direction before the grand jury completes its labors. It now looks as though the labors of the grand jury would extend well into next week.

KITTSON COUNTY PIONEER GONE

COUNTY COMMISSIONER JOHN McFARLANE SUDDENLY PASSES AWAY

John McFarlane, County Commissioner for the fourth commissioner's district in Kittson County died at his home in Hampden on Monday morning, aged sixty-seven years and two months.

The deceased was born in Wellington County, Ontario, Sept. 28, 1841 was one of the early pioneers of Kittson county coming to the Red River Valley in 1881 and resided ever since on his homestead west of Northcote. He came with but little of this world's goods but with a determination to work out his success and with a splendid Christian character and with a broad public spirit that made him an ideal citizen who his neighbors delighted to honor. His business dealings were always on the squart and few have gained a farmer estimation of his neighbors than he. Mr. McFaralne was frequently prevailed upon to serve in local positions of trust and honor and during the past four years served as county commissioner for his district and at the recent election was re-elected without opposition, but with him it was always the case of office seeking the man and not the man the office. He was generally in good health but being stricken with typhoid fever a few days ago, the end came more quickly than could have been expected.

The deceased leaves a wife six sons and six daughters to mourn his loss. J. A. and Daniel McFarlane of Antler, N. D., J. D. McFarlane of Benscarth, Mont., Mrs. J. D. Murray, Mrs. T. D. Winters and Mrs. D. W. McKenzie of Northcotte, Mrs. Wooley of Edinburgh, N. D., Peter McFarlane of St. Paul, Geraldine, Lillian, Ernest and Russell at home with their mother.

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MILLIONAIRE PAYS FINE

OPPENHEIMER ADMITS THAT HE SOLD IMPURE BLACK BERRY BRANDY

HIS FINE AND COSTS AMOUNTED TO $121.50 IN EAST GRAND FORKS

J. S. Oppenheimer of Oppenheimer Bros., Cincinnatifi reputed to be a millionaire was fined $50 and costs, amounting to a total of $121.50 in Judge T. A. Sullivan's court yesterday afternoon in East Grand Forks. He was arraigned on a charge of selling impure blackoerry brandy to A. O. Lystad, a wholesale liquor agent at East Grand Forks and entered a plea of guilty.

Oppenheimer was brought back from Duluth yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff Louis Gonyea. He was represented in court by Attorney Freedom C. Massee.

During the day papers were served in an action for $287.50 claimed by Mr. Lystad as damages because Oppenheimer sold the impure brandy to him. Lystad sold it to the saloon men and they were fined. Lystad paid their fines and now he wants the manufacturer to make good. The civil action will be tried in Judge Sullivan's court.

J. S. Oppenheimer of the firm of Oppenheimre & Bros. Cincinnati, importers and jobbers of liquors was arrested yesterday in Duluth on complaint of O. J. Lystad, of the firm of A. O. Lystad, wholesale liquor dealers East Grand Forks, on the charge of violating the pure food laws of Minnesota. The defendant was taken thru the city by Deputy Louis Gonyea, to East Grand Forks this morning and given a hearing in the municipal court today on the above charge. It will be remembered that some months ago E. B. Heiberg of the state pure food commission visited East Grand Forks and purchased blackbtrry from quite a number of retail liquor dealers. Later the vendors were arrested on the charge of violating the pure food laws and after being made acquainted with the analysis of the goods as made by the chemists of the state pure food department, pleaded guilty and were assessed the regulation fine. Lystad & Co., who sold the mthe goods not only refunded the goods, but paid the fines and costs of the dealers amounting to several hundred dollars in the aggregate, expecting to be reimbursed by the Oppenheimers, having purchased the goods on a guarantee that it would pass the pure food inspection.

When Lystad & Co., demanded reimbursement, however, it is claimed no attention was paid to the demand, and when the jobbers were drawn on for the amount the draft was returned with the notation: "Wishing you good luck in collecting the amount." The case is an interesting one.

Oppenheimer gave $200 bonds this morning and it is understood that he will plead guilty this afternoon and pay his fine. On his arrival at East Grand Forks he was also served papers in a civil action for damages by A. O. Lystad and considerable litigation will follow unless he settles with the plaintiff for what he is out by handling the brandy that caused all the trouble.

SANTA CLAUS TO GET HIS MAIL

LETTERS ADDRESSED TO HIM WILL BE DELIVERED THIS YEAR

Following out the usual custom inaugurated by Postmaster Steenerson two years ago Crookston children who send letters to Santa Claus, asking for certain Christmas presents, will be cared for by the charitably inclined people of the city.

All Santa Claus letters received at the local postoffice will be placed together and be turned over to charitable institutions of the city, instead of being forwarded to the dead letter office as has been the custom in the past.

Lists of articles wanted, and addresses of the little tots making requests will be made out, and good-hearted people of the city who are interested will contribute the necessary money to purchase the presents.

Where parents of the children are known to be in good circumstances their letters will be turned over to the parents but where the parents are known to be poor the charitable institutions and friends with money to spare in making others happy will take care of them.

Guilty of Counterfeiting

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. Sold by all Druggists.

WAS NEARLY OVERCOME

FORMER RESIDENT OF THIEF RIVER FALLS ESCAPES FROM ASPHYXIATION

YOUNG SON SMELLS COAL GAS AND AROUSES HIS MOTHER AND NEIGHBORS

The following taken from the Duluth Herald of last Friday will be of local interest. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horr were former residents of Thief River Falls and are well known here. Mr. Horr in his capacity of traveling salesman for a Duluth concern visits this city every month. Mrs. Horr is a sister of Mrs. J. W. LaBree. The following is the item taken from the Duluth paper:

Mrs. Charles Horr of 822 East 3rd street had a narrow escape from asphyxiation early this morning when she was overcome by gas escaping from a coal stove. Her son, 8 years old, the only other person in the house had evidently had his head covered for he awoke about 4 o'clock and aroused the neighbors.

Mrs. Horr's husband is a commercial traveler for the Zenith Bag company and is on the road. Mrs. Horr and her son retired last night about 11 o'clock, with everything about the coal stove apparently in good condition.

About 4 o'clock the boy, oppressed by the fumes arose and tried to arouse his mother who awakened into a semi-conscious state, but was unable to aid herself. The boy aroused one of the neighbors who opened the doors and windows and summoned a physician.

The physician restored Mrs. Horr to consciousness and she was about the house this morning, tho weak from her experience. The house was filled with the noxious fumes when the boy awakened and Mrs. Horr's friends regard her escape as very fortunate.

CHAIRMAN M'VEY TO BE RETAINED

RETIRING MEMBER OF TAX COMMISSION WILL BE REAPPOINTED SAYS GOVERNOR

Governor Johnson settled one of the most important of his appointments today by announcing that Franklin L. McVey chairman of the state tax commission, will be reappointed at the close of his present term next April.

When the tax commission was first organized in April, 1907, Dr. McVey drew the short term of two years. He resigned the chair of political science at the state university to acept the place. His reappointment will be for six years, which will carry his term forward to 1915.

The tax commission was somewhat of an issue in the recent campaign, owing to the heavy increase in assessed valuation of the iron mines ordered by the commission last year. There have been rumors of a coming change on the commission and these are set at rest by the governor's announcement today.

EMBEZZLEMENT IS CHARGED

A. L. du DOMAIN OF LONDON TAKES MONEY FROM MINOT BOWLING ALLEY

Posing as a member of the church of England and thereby working himself into the good graces of Rev. Elsworth and Rev. Hale, A. L. du Domain is accused of embezzling $78 from the Minot Bowling Alleys.

Mr. du Domain admitted to Judge Murray that he took the money and marked in his bank book the amounts to signify that he had deposited the mone yin the bank. He admits that he took the money and spent it, buying beer at 35c a bottle.

"I did not drink until I came to Minot," said the young man.

Rev. Hale from whom the young man borrowed $5 interceded in his behalf, fearing that a penitentiary sentence might ruin his life. The judge had not decided this afternoon whether he would prosecute the young man or not.

A Proud Record

The Great Northern is rejoicing over the fact that on all its 2,000 miles of track in this state not a passenger has been killed during the fiscal year just closed and only 46 injured. There were however 52 employes killed and 582 injured. A splendid showing as to passengers, but not so good when it comes to the operatives of the road Much of this, of course, was due to the carelessness of the employes themselves and their fellow servants.

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CHICAGO TO COAST TRAIN

GREAT NORTHERN AND BURLINGTON PLAN JOINT SERVICE TO PACIFIC

RUMORED THAT THRU TRAINS WILL BE STARTED NEXT SPRING

The officials of the Great Northern and the Burlington will get together the end of the month to make arrangements for thru service which will be established from Chicago to the Pacific coast it was reported in local railway circles yesterday afternoon.

The new service will ultimately be established, it is said, but not this fall. It is planned to reduce the scheduled time between Chicago and the coast more than seven hours to meet the competition of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, when that road is completed in the spring, and with the Union Pacific, for the mail contracts.

With the establishment of thru service from Chicago to the coast the Oriental Limited, which now leaves St. Paul for Seattle, making the trip in sixty hours, will probably leave Chicago and make the entire journey in sixty-five hours it is said.

It is expected that the new service will be established at the opening of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in Seattle next spring. With the entry of the St. Paul road into the North Pacific coast business, it is expected that one of the bitterest railroad wars in years will be started. The completion of the Billings branch of the Great Northern which connects with the Burlington, places the combined systems in a position to compete with the St. Paul on St. Louis and Kansos City coast business. Over this line oto, the officials of the Great Northern on their late western trip announced that thru trains would be run to Seattle from Chicago.

The Journal received a long distance telephone message from Nashua this morning telling of a most sensational suicide that had just taken place there, A. G. Shannon agent for the Soo railway company, shooting himself thru the heart and dying instantly.

The shooting followed a visit of the officers of the bonding company and railway auditor who came up Wednesday evening to check up his accounts. Shannon was only 21 years of age and his wife, who is a girl of 17, is reported to be in a serious condition as the result of the shock. The shooting occurred about 7:30 o'clock in the morning, and has caused intense excitement in that village.

STRANGE LIGHTS IN SOUTHERN SKIES

FOUR SHAFTS OF LIGHT RADIATE FROM THE SILVERY MOON

Crookston people had an opportunity to witness a very odd and very beautiful phenomenon last evening.

The night was very clear, and from the bright half moon four great shafts of light radiated, at right angles to each other. At the ends of the lateral shafts were moon dogs. The shafts of light kept gradually changing and shifting.

People of this section are familiar with the aurora borealis and have seen many wonderful displays of it, but last night's display was entirely different from the aurora, and appeared in the southwestern sky instead of the north where the aurora is generally seen.

RESIGNATION IS READY

REGENTS WILL MEET FRIDAY TO SELECT MR. RANDALL'S SUCCESSOR

The resignation of E. W. Randall, dean of the state agricultural college will be in the hands of the agricultural section of the university board of regents next Friday. The board meets on that date and a successor to Mr. Randall will likely be named.

Mr. Randall has taken up his new duties with the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company as president, but with the stipulation that the college is to have a share of his time until his successor is elected.

While a number have their eyes on the place, either W. H. Hays, assistant secretary of agriculture, or Henry Snyder wheat expert, are regarded as most likely to be selected by the board.

Manufacturing Chords.

"How is your daughter getting on?"

"Splendidly She's busy just now at Beethoven's works."

"What is it—one of those pottery places?"—Boston Transcript.

STILL PUZZLING OVER ORDER

LAND OFFICE PEOPLE NOT ADVISED OF PARTICULARS OF NEW STONE

AND TIMBER MOVE ON PART OF THE LAND DEPARTMENT

From Friday's Daily—

Officials of the United States land office have received inquiries regarding the change of the government's policy regarding filings under the timber and stone act. But the officials are as much at sea as the public, for no instructions other than to suspend action on all filings under this act after Dec. 1 have been received. Until the secretary of the interior or the commissioner of the general land office gives out additional instructions filings will be received, but no action will be taken on them. The local officials expect some word within a few days from their superiors at Washington, explaining the telegraphic orders

Judge Montague register of the local office said yesterday that he had no idea what the order meant, unless it was for an appraisement of the land The timber and stone act provides that a minimum of $2.50 an acre may be charged for land taken under this act, and up to the present time, this has been the rate.

It may be the intention of the officials at Washington to dispose of the land according to a higher valuation in case it is worth more. Or, according to local officials, it may be the intention to look over all the land remaining open and prohibit the filing of claims under the timber and stone act, where the land is suitable for agriculture.

At the present time filings will be taken the same as usual altho they will be merely filed away until such time as additional instructions are received from Washington.

LOCAL HUNTERS WERE SUCCESSFUL

MESSRS. PHILLIPS AND HOCH RETURN WITH FINE BUCKS

Messrs. Wylie Phillips and C. C. Hoch who were hunting with Gus Schmidt and a party near Swan River, where they had the most complete camp to be found in the big woods in Minnesota, returned this morning with two magnificent bucks, and Gus Schmidt who remained at Grand Rapids sent another big buck home as a result of the chase. The entire party got practically the limit which they are allowed by law.

Mr. Phillips also returned with a wild cat and a big wolf, both of which he will have mounted. The members of the party had a grand time despite the fact that the weather was not favorable to hunting. They enjoyed the outing and returned as tough as lumber jacks and brown as berries.

RECORD GRAIN MOVEMENT

The month of November broke all records in the movement of grain thru the Cass Lake terminal. The records of the state grain inspection commission show that 6,156 cars were inspected last month, compared with the previous high month of October, 1905, when 5,562 cars were inspected. E. G. Seelye is inspector in charge and is assisted by Messrs. Keating, Hilden, Wright, Messberg, McIntosh, Leiser, Erlandson, Hole, Lange and Habein.

The astronomer may be down on his luck even when his business is looking up.

NEW FREIGHT RATES IN WEST

THE SCHEDULES ON THROUGH FREIGHT WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1

GENERAL TENDENCY IS TOWARD AN INCREASE IN THE RATES

A new schedule of freight rates between the Mississippi river and the coast points will become effective on western railroads on Jan. 1, 1909. Intermediate rates are not affected. While the rates on many classes of freight are lowered the general tendency is along the lines of an increase.

On steel and iron products going west from Minneapolis and other Mississippi points, the rate has been boosted from $1.75 to $1.80 per 100 pounds has been announced on linseed oil to coast points. The rate was formerly 90 cents, but will be $1 after the first of the year.

Minneapolis as one of the largest manufacturing centers of linseed oil in the world will be greatly affected. The tariff on this product to the eastern seaports remains unchanged.

The new schedule of freight rates also provides for an increase of 10 cents per 100 pounds on fruits from coast points east.

While there are several increases in the tariff on class freight, there are also many corresponding reductions.

This readjustment of freight tariffs is in keeping with the increase in rates announced by eastern roads, to take effect Dec. 6. The eastern roads have increased their tariffs on an average of between one and two cents on the 100 pounds.

THREE KNIGHTS HAD FINE TRAMP

MESSRS. WESSEL, ROBERTS AND LEVINS HAD TO HOOF IT

A story has leaked out on Bert Levins, Harry Roberts and Joe Wessel, the candy kid. On Tuesday morning they went to Hallock and startid to drive over to Lancaster on the Soo in an auto. When about 8 miles from their destination the auto froze up, and the occupants came near following suit and finally determined to hoof it the balance of the distance.

This was easy meat for Wessel whose legs are long and taking the lead he strode off at about a 5 mile an hour gait. Levins came puffing along a bad second, and Roberts was straggling about forty rods in the rear, and kept hooting at the men ahead to "wait for me, I'm all in."

When they arrived at Lancaster with their grips they did several things before attending to business, and it took Wessel some time to completely resusciate Levins and Roberts. A team was sent back to haul the auto to town.

FILED HIS LAST DITCH STATEMENT

COUNTY AUDITOR HOFFARD HAS SEEN MUCH DITCH WORK COMPLETED

County Auditor Hoffard today filed his last ditch report with the register of deeds, being the 47th since he has been in office. The 47 ditches represent an immense expenditure and their construction has meant the drainage of a vast acreage in Polk county.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
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A Mistaken Idea

that it takes a large amount of money to start a checking account—or that you do not need a checking account because you pay out your money as fast as you receive it. That is just what a checking account is good for—to pay out money. It is the safest, most convenient way and furnishes you with your cancelled check as a receipt — indisputable evidence of payment.

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Direct And Indirect Giving

The Pioneer Press justly points out the superiority of direct over indirect giving, as illustrated by the wonderful success of "tag day" in the twin cities. While something must be conceded to the popularity of this particular cause and the character of the women who stood sponsor for it, the truth remains that there is enormous waste of cash and effort in the various methods of raising money for charitable purposes.

The church, which should be the leader in moral reform, is much to blame for the prevalence of indirect giving. The churches make it their custom to raise a main fund by a subscription, but in every small church the heaviest subscribers are the women's societies, young people's societies, men's clubs and the like. These subscriptions are in effect indirect. The societies do not have the money in their treasuries. They mean to raise it by entertainments. The church is thus used to a large extent as a money-making institution.

The merit of the entertainment habit is supposed to be twofold. Thru the selling of tickets, persons who would not make a direct subscription to the support of the church are drawn in and interested to some extent. Then, the entertainments bring the people together. But it is still doubtful whether the end justifies the means.

An eastern pastor, serving a church in a little town in Connecticut, a few years ago resolved to try an experiment. He abolished all paid entertainments at his church, all burdens on the women, and said to the men that if they wished the church kept open they must come forward and subscribe the amount estimated to be necessary to run it for a year. The men accepted the challenge of the pastor. They raised and paid into the treasury the necessary funds. The result remarkably sustained the judgment of the pastor. The church was helped spiritually beyond anything that had ever happened in its experience. It became a place of worship unhampered by worldly appeals for cash. The atmosphere of the place changed entirely, and at the end of the experimental year the congregation itself took the initiative by resolving that never should there be an entertainment given within its walls to raise money for the support of the pastor. The new plan put him on a footing of dignity which lent value to his message. It gave the people a new idea of what is the real purpose of a church.—Minneapolis Journal.

The True Christmas Spirit

The Christmas-tide is at hand, and it is not out of place at this time to hesitate in the mad rush and turmoil to reflect as to what Christmas signifies and the character of motives that should be inspired within us by the approach of the holiday season.

As a people we are not selfish. There is nothing stingy about the average American citizen, but is a sad fact, on the other hand, that many of us are not as thoughtful as we should be of others less fortunate than we may be in the possession of this world's goods.

Very few Christmas shoppers put any limit on their holiday expenditures. If they see something they like they get it, regardless of price, and the result is they spend more than they can afford, but probably purchase fewer gifts. The result is that someone who should be remembered, if with but a trifling gift, is over looked entirely, and an expensive present is lavished upon another where a simple gift would have been appreciated just as much and would have been far more sensible.

It is certainly advisable at this season to stop and reflect before making your holiday purchases. Do not forget any one who should be remembered. Then make a business of making your Christmas purchases.

Stop and reflect what genuine joy you may bring to some lonely heart by a simple and inexpensive gift which will indicate that they were not forgotten. And on the other hand reflect upon what sorrow and disappointment will result if you are negligent and forget till after Christmas that you should have remembered, this friend or that relative who, perhaps has had the family circle broken during the past year by the Grim Reaper, and who needs all that can possibly be done to increase their Christmas cheer and make them forget their sorrow.

If there is ever a time when we should be thoughtful, it is just before Christmas. Let everyone make a personal effort to be a "joy producer" and what a happy yule-tide this would be.

It is certainly worth thinking about and the consciousness that we have done our best will make our own Christmas a most joyous one, even if others fail to remember us very liberally. We would never think of that, if filled with the more satisfying thought that we had brought joy to others.

Postal Franks Are Costly

The cost to the government during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1908, by reason of the transmission free thru the mails of departmental penalty and congressional franked matters, was $42,544,047 according to the annual report of the third assistant postmaster general, made public today.

This figure includes the matter carried by the postoffice department for itself and the postal service. Added to this is $57,000,000 for uncompensated service in the handling and transporting of second class matter of publishers of newspapers and periodicals.

In view of the complaints from commercial envelop manufacturers, printers, lithographers and their organizations against the printing by the department of envelopes bearing business cards, the third assistant sugbests legislation which will permit the embossing of postage stamps upon envelop blanks furnished by the printer or consumer, "thus producing results beneficial alike to the department, the public and the printing and paper trades.

The report denies that the money-order system is conducted at a loss, as has been repeatedly charged.

A whole lot of the "frank" mail is stuff thrown in the waste basket when received and should be eliminated.

The Blessings Of Fraternalism

"And I do not care what the future holds in store for us, it must be that under any plan which an All-wise Providence is carrying out for the eternity of the souls of man, that due credit will be given for all the acts of charity and those of benevolence and good cheer practiced here on earth by our brother Elks. Let the reward be what it may, it must be that we will receive greater or less as we live near or far from the standard of life to which our order is so thoroly pledged and dedicated.

The above beautiful sentiment expressed by E. E. McDonald in his address at the Elks Memorial services held in this city will appeal strongly to every broadminded man or woman who is unfettered by the narrowing influences of creed and dogma to such an extent that there is no toleration for the belief of any other man or sect. The speaker stated that this was an age of Commercialism. This is true, and at the same time it is an age of fraternalism, and the influences of the latter are at the present time to a great extent dissipating the greedy tendencies of the age, doing more in fact than any other single agency.

The practices of charity of the Elks and other organizations, has saved many a disheartened man from failure. He has been sustained and cheered on to success by his fraternal brothers. Likewise the families of the departed have never been allowed to know the meaning of want and suffering for the necessaries.

Some people who know not of what they speak condemn all fraternal societies or "lodges". Nothing could be more unjust and foolish. The man who is a member of the Elks or any other standard organization, and who carries out the teachings of the order cannot help but be made better thereby, and also made a blessing to all his neighbors and associates.

STATE PRESS

Alexandria Post News: A. J. Rockne of Zumbrota will be the next speaker of the house of representatives. The position is one of great responsibilities. To some it has been a stepping stone to higher honors, to others, the road downward. Mr. Rockne has the reputation of a reformer in politics. We trust he may live up to that reputation.

Walker Pilot: Some men will search half the night with a lantern for their stray cow, but when their daughter is out running the streets they will retire at dusk without even taking the trouble to place a light in the front hall.

Lake Crystal Union: It is stated that President Roosevelt will take a hand in defeating Cannon for the election of speaker of the house. It's time something was done or such men as Cannon will be the means of defeating the whole Republican party.

Rush City Post: Dunn could have made the campaign this year and won out, but he generously gave way to the demand for Jacobson and gave him loyal support, but Dunn's time is coming, slow, true, but as sure as fate There never will be success in the Republican party until he is fully vindicated.

Madison Independent Press: To Mr. Dunn is due the credit of bringing out Governor Johnson for a fourth term, and then the United States senate. The governor had better have a care. Robert, be it remembered, brought out J. F. Jacobson for governor.

Fairmont Sentinel: Mr. Bryan will continue the good work of forcing the Republicans to adopt his reforms.

And the world would be just as well off if some stage-struck people were hit by an automobile.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Agitation is the antidote for stagnation.

You may guess what a woman is, but that's your limit.

He isn't much of a baker who eats all the bread he kneads.

And it sometimes happens that a man is married to his boss.

Many a man with wheels thinks he is the whole political machine.

Ever notice how much happier you are when you render others happy?

The more money a man has the more he is abused—and the less he cares.

It takes a wise man to write a letter to a woman that doesn't mean anything.

When a woman writes a letter she puts in all the useless words she can think of.

The average man begins to sit up and take notice when he hears a noise like a silk skirt.

Sailors' Pickings.

Here and there on an Atlantic liner in midocean sailors with pots of paint and huge brushes painted cowls, stanchions, rails, everything they could reach. Suddenly dropping his brush, one of these sailors rushed to a man in a black suit.

"Oh, sir," he cried distressfully, "you've sat down on fresh white paint."

With a roar the man leaped to his feet, curved himself acrobatically and stared at the seat of his trousers.

"But I've got a bottle of benzine in my bunk," said the sailor. "I'll run and get it. I'll have your pants all right in a jiffy."

Soon the pants were all right, and the man ere he strolled jauntily off (a little wet and smelly, perhaps) gave the sailor a quarter.

"That's the third today, Bill," the man said to his mate. "I tell you, what with all this paintin', us jackies do durn near as well on tips as the stewards."

"That's right," said Bill. "I made a dollar myself yesterday with that little bottle of benzine."

The Children's Friend.

Mr. C., a distinguished lawyer of Boston, was on his way to Denver to transact some important business. During the afternoon he noticed in the opposite section of the Pullman a sweet faced, tired appearing woman traveling with four small children. Being fond of children and feeling sorry for the mother, he soon made friends with the little ones. Early the next morning he heard their eager questions and the patient "Yes, dear," of the mother as she tried to dress them, and, looking out, he saw a small white foot protruding beyond the opposite curtain. Reaching across the aisle, he took hold of the large toe and began to recite, "This little pig went to market; this little pig stayed at home." The foot was suddenly withdrawn, and a cold, quiet voice said, "That is quite sufficient, thank you."

Mr. C. hastily withdrew to the smoker, where he remained until the train arrived in Denver.—Good Housekeeping.

Wellington's Tact.

There was an army of generals assembled at Paris in 1814, and when the various Austrian and Prussian generals, who had been beaten by Napoleon came crowding round the Duke of Wellington and expressing lots of compliments to him for having never been beaten by the French the duke pleased them immensely by saying, "Ah, but you know I never met Bonaparte, and I have always looked on him as being as good as 40,000 men.".

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

Women seem to regard charity work as a stepping stone into society.

The reason the average man can be so satisfied with his brains is he has not any.

The kind of photograph a woman thinks is good of her is one her own mother couldn't guess who it was.

When a girl's hair is a golden halo instead of being just plain red, it's a sign it's her mother describing it.

One of the habits a man acquires by being married is lying to his friends downtown about all the good things his wife gives him to eat at home so that he can't stand the ones in the expensive restaurants any more

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for working this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

In an interview given in New York Saturday James J. Hill said: "What this country needs more than anything else is an adequate system of agricultural colleges. The farmers ought to be taught how to farm. The farmers of other countries know more than we do. The land of England has been tilled for a thousand years, but it is producing more wheat to the acre than most of ours is. It's the same in France, Germany, Belgium and Holland, while the little Japanese till their few acres with an intelligence equalled by no other place in the world.

"General dissemination of information pertaining to scientific agriculture would bring a return beside which all other sources of national revenue would seem insignificant. The products of our mines would be as nothing in comparison."

This is along the same line of arguments always used by Mr. Hill and he is absolutely right.

It's easier to fall in love tha nto get out of debt.

Every time a woman gets a new gown she goes around with a chip on her shoulder.

CONTRACT LET FOR $15,180

MINNEAPOLIS BRIDGE AND IRON CO., TO BUILD NEW SAMPSON ADDITION BRIDGE

CITY IN ADDITION WILL BE CREDITED WITH $250 FOR THE OLD STRUCTURE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The joint committee from the city council and county commissioners today acepted the bid of the Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co., to construct the new Sampsons addition bridge for $15,180 and the city will be credited with $250 which the company pays for the old bridge so the new structure will cost in cash but $14,930.

The contract is being drawn up and will be signed this afternoon. The bridge is to be completed before the river breaks up in the spring.

The city council will ratify the action of the council committee at the meeting to be held this evening and the action of the county board committee does not need ratification by the board before it becomes effective.

GOOD YEAR FOR PHONE COMPANY

RED RIVER INDEPENDENT SYSTEM PAYS DIVIDEND OF SIXTEEN PER CENT

At a meeting of the directors of the Red River Telephone company in Grand Forks yesterday affairs of the company were gone over and preparations made for the annual meeting to be held at Buxton today. The company had a most successful year and the profits amount to 16 per cent. Those who attended the meeting here were: M. F. Hegge, Hatton; O. J. Sorlie, Buxton; T. O. Schjeldahl, Hatton; J. G. Odegard, Northwood; P. M. Paulson, Portland; J. H. Leum, Mayville; W. S. Christian, Aneta; O. S. Estenson, Climax; C. H. Tolan, Mayville.

The company is capitalized at $100-000 and operates the largest independent system, except the North Dakota Independent Telephone company, in North Dakota. Exchanges are operated in the following towns that are also conected by long distance lines: Hatton, Buxton, Mayville, Aneta, Northwood, Reynolds, Thompson and Climax. C. H. Tolan is superintendent of the line.

The company was hit hard by the recent sleet storm and it will cost about $500 to make the necessary repairs. It was the first time in the history of the company that there was any serious damage.

After a six months' chase Officer Quigley Saturday evening arrested John Olson the man who June 8th last stole $85 worth of dresses, skirts, waists, etc., from Mrs. John R. McKinnon from a closet in the McKinnon Block. Mr. Quigley was here last week and Chief Eck reminded him of Olson and on his return to Grand Forks Officer Quigley got busy and in an hour had him in the cooler notified Sheriff Gonyea and he was brought to the county jail Saturday evening. Olson claims he is married and is now living with a half breed woman in East Grand Forks.

Added a Little Sulphur.

Doctor—Did your husband follow my directions? Did he take the medicine I left for him religiously? Patient's Wife—I'm afraid not, doctor. He swore every time I gave him a dose.—Boston Transcript.

WOLVES ARE VERY NERVY

DONALDSON FARMER SAW PACK OF SIX OUT ON PRAIRIE SATURDAY

YOUNG FARMER BOYS PLANNING A BIG HUNT FOR THEIR EXTERMINATION

From Monday's Daily—

A traveling man who arrived in the city Saturday evening from a trip up the north line states that the wolves are getting quite bold up in Marshall and Kittson counties and that Saturday last a prominent farmer entered a store at Donaldson where he was selling goods and reported having seen a pack of six that morning on his way to that place

They have also been seen numerously in other sections of the north country, and the young farmer boys and several from Donaldson are planning on a big wolf hunt in the near future and believe that the animals can be reduced materially in numbers as the result of organized efforts. Thus far no stock has been lost, to speak of, tho one farmer has lost a few sheep.

NEW OFFICERS FOR THE M. B. A.

The M. B. A. met Friday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Will Millette.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Annie Arries.
Sec.—A. A. Glenn.
Chaplain—Mrs. W. H. Norrie.
Conductor—Mrs. Ida C. Peterson.
Inside Guard—S. Charbeneau.
Sentry—Hans Morberg.
Physician—Dr. Nelson.

Directors for three years, Mrs. Ofstad, Hans Morberg, Dr. Nelson. A pleasant evening was passed during which a lunch was served.

NEW ENTENPRISE FOR CROOKSTON

A new company has been formed for the purpose of publishing a Scandinavian paper in Crookston the same to begin the 1st of the year. Local Scandinavian speaking people are said to be interested in the deal.

TERREBONNE

On November 24th Miss Annie Ducharme was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Aime Carrier of Gentilly. The bride was richly attired in white as well as the maid of honor, Miss Amore Ducharme. The groom was attended by Mr. Arel also of Gentilly. There was a large attendance at the ceremony performed by Rev. Fr. Veilleaux

Born, on the 26th a son, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Theroux.

Rev. Fr. Roy come over to Terrebonne last week.

Mr. Frederic Dubuc of Crookston is visiting among friends and relatives.

There is quite an excitement over the new telephone line which can hardly carry all the talking!

Art Lacoursiere acompanied by Miss Maria Benoit and Miss Sophia Lacoursiere visited friends last Sunday.

Reducing the waits between the acts will not lighten a heavy blow.

The "Small Purchase" Temptation

is a foe to the man with an average income—too often it overrules his thoughts of thrift, economy and his spirit of "get-a-start" in the world of money.

When you have currency or small change in your pocket isn't the temptation to be a "good-fellow" or buy some inexpensive but unnecessary article or pleasure, a real one?

Why not start a check account with us — others have found this the easiest and surest method of fighting the "small purchase" temptation.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

COVEY & GILLIS
FARM LANDS AND REAL ESTATE
416 Andrus Bldg.
Minneapolis, - - Minn.
We buy and sell lands in Polk County.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

OLD STAMPING GROUNDS—Conductor Mark Keeley, Brakeman G. Balfour and E. C. Murney left this morning for Euclid where they will spend the day with relatives and friends and noting the changes in the old home town.

VISITING BEMIDJI—John Schmidt left this morning for Bemidji where he will visit a few weeks at the home of his father-in-law, John Schmidt and will probably remain there till after the holidays.

ON DITCH WORK—Surveyor O. L. Hamery left this morning for Marshall County to attend to some big ditch matters and will be absent several days.

MISSIONARY BUSY— Rev. Hedegaard the Sunday school missionary will leave Tuesday for Harold Station where he will hold special services Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and will hold meetings at Benoit on Friday evening and at Dugdale Saturdny evening and Sunday afternoon.

LUMBERMEN'S CONVENTION — Bruce Harris passed thru the city last evening enroute from Western Canada to Minneapolis where he will attend the Lumbermen's convention. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Harris were at the depot to greet him. He will probably stop off a day on the return trip.

MANY PRAIRIE CHICKENS — Thomas Twite states that one day last week he drove from Twin Valley to Gary, and that enroute several great flocks of prairie chickens were scared up, in one of which there were at least 175 or 200 birds. All the traveling men report that in the timber and brush country there are all manner of chickens, the most that have been seen in many years.

TO BIG WOODS—Sam Deck left last evening for Bagley where he expects to remain the balance of the winter. He will be joined in a few days by John Carroll. "Mulligan Row" promises to be rather quiet during the next few months but the welcoming reception in the spring will be a society note of more than passing interest.

HAD A SEQUEL —It appears that there is a sequel to the baled hay lunch proposition. The fact has been developed that Jim Stephens was not purchasing the hay for his own use, but was acting as a sort of free deliveryman and the police are now after him for running a dray line within the city limits without a license. He claims that the fact that he was making no charge for the service performed puts him beyond the reach of the law.

MAY LOSE LIMB—Frank Wagner is in a hospital here for surgical treatment and it is expected that it will be necessary to amputate one of his legs. Early in the fall Mr. Wagner scratched his foot on a wire. The injury was not a serious one, but complications of such a serious nature set in that the amputation is believed to be necessary.

MISSED HIS TRAIN—Ernest Wilde was guyed unmercifully last night and this morning by his brother knights of the grip. He intended taking the Duluth train last evening and was at the depot early. His train pulled in, but as No. 8 was not in, and the Duluth train generally waits for it, he was putting on a Ward McAllister stunt with a bevy of prominent young ladies in the depot when he heard his train pulling out. Grabbing his grips he made a race for the door and dashed down the platform to the Robert Street crossing before he gave up the chase. This morning to sure and not miss his train he was aboard before the train came to a stop.

SCHOOL REPORT OF DIST. 246—Report of school district No. 246 for the month ending Dec. 4, 1908: Those neither absent nor tardy during the month were Stella Volland and Ruth Rohrer. Number of pupils enrolled 20. Average daily attendance 14. Those having an average of 90 or above in spelling were: Bertha Bjoin, 93; Hazel Bjoin, 97; Amy Bixler, 91; Clifford Perry, 100; Marion Roberts, 99; Josephine Clemen 98; Laurence Clemen 97; Joseph Clemen 100; Ruth Rohrer 99; Hazel Perry 99; Lena Welter 98. Those having a general average of 90 or over were: Marion Roberts 92; Clifford Perry 92; Ruth Rohrer 91. — Nina H. Webster,

From Tuesday's Daily

AUTO TRIP—Ed Carlson drove to Beltrami with Dr. Gray in his his auto this morning on a professional call returning at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

BACK FROM CAMPS—R. J. Poupore who owns extensive logging interests in the vicinity of Shooks Spur came in from his camps last evening for a short business visit.

WENT TO FORKS—S. H. Withey left this morning for Grand Forks where he spent the day calling on the members of the Railway Employes Protective Association and arousing enthusiasm generally.

LEFT FOR WOODS—Messrs Emery Samson and Creamer left this morning with a car of horses for Kelliher where they will haul logs for Ross and Ross this winter.

TO ST. PAUL—Senator A. D. Stephens left last evening for St. Paul wheer he will look over the political situation and attend to some business matters for a day or two.

ON THE WING — Deputy Sheriff Daniels returned this morning from Climax on business and at once jumped on the Duluth train for a trip to Blackduck and other points after witnesses in criminal cases.

ON LOGGING DEAL—Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lapainter and Messrs. A. P. Toupin, James Hance, James Belvin, and Huhm Lizee formed a party of Red Lake Falls people who left Saturday noon on their way to Blackduck.

HEARING DEC. 14— The hearing of John Olson accused of stealing a portion of the wardrobe of Mrs. John McKinnon from a closet in the McKinnon block has had his hearing set for Dec. 14. He has retained Atty W. P. Murphy to defend him.

BACK FROM EXTENSION WORK—Brakesman F. H. Lang has returned from work on the Warroad extension of the Great Northern, has fitted himself with a complete trousseau of glad rags and is sporting them about the city all same General Traffic Manager. (Signed, Mike Sullivan.

BACK FROM GRACETON —E. J. Keating arrived last evening from Graceton where he reports his wife and the other members of the New Crookston colony as in good health and enjoying life immensely. He will return to Graceton after attending to some business here and at Bemidji.

SHIPPING WOOD WEST— James Conneran spent yesterday in Crookston yesterday looking after some business matters and took the train this morning to Mentor, to join his brothers John and William who are shipping several carloads of wood to the west.

WARNED ABOUT WINDOW DISPLAYS—Edward Peterson state fire marshal is warning storekeepers thru out the state of the danger from fire likely to result from too heavy displays in their windows during the holiday season. Storekeepers are asked to make the displays as near fireproof as possible.

MINIONS OF THE LAW—Dakota Minions of the law are invading Crookston regularly these days, Chiefs Fadden of Larimore and Overby of Grand Forks and Capt. Sullivan of the Forks having arrived this morning and will be here again tomorrow as the case in which they will appear as witnesses will not be reached to-

TWO CARS CONDEMNED — Two tank cars of kerosene shipped into the state by the Stanlard Oil company have been condemned by the state oil inspection department as below the legal "flash test." One car was consigned to Litchfield and another to Cambridge. The agents of the company declare that the oil tests all right and that a mistake has been made. They have sent to Chicago for an expert, but meanwhile W. E. McEwen chief inspector, maintains that the oil is condemned.

ROSEAU M. W. A.—The annual election of officers of Roseau Camp No. 3742 M. W. A. took place Tuesday night with the following result:

V. C.—Mike Holm.
W. A.—Axel Tornquist.
Clerk—A. Waag.
Banker—T. D. Thorson.
E.—H. F. Miller.
Physician—Dr. Muir.
W.—R. A. Ross.
S.—John M. Holm.
M.—O. A. Holm.

The installation will occur during next month.

PEDESTRIAN REACHES OREGON—Upon a postal card (mailed from Salem, Oregon, on Nov. 23rd) received from C. F. Hasselton of Fosston who is now traveling about Pacific coast states, we find the following clipping: "Colonial Jack" pushing a wheelbarrow around the borders of the United States, a distance of 9,000 miles, on a $1,000 wager, spent part of yesterday in Salem and leaves this morning for Albany." Which proves that "Colonial Jack" who stopped in Crookston several hours on the after noon of Tuesday Sept. 1st, last is making excellent progress upon his long "hike."

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Roy Teal returned to Euclid this morning.

Roadmaster Laughlin went north this morning.

W. A. Marin left last evening for Minneapolis on a business trip.

Peter Stuhr the merchant prince of Euclid spent the night in the city on business.

Don't fail to see the new pictures at the Lyceum tonight. Every picture a feature.

TO VISIT CHICAGO—Chas. Hoven left last evening for Chicago where he will enjoy a two weks' vacation visiting with relatives.

ON DITCH SURVEY—Co. Surveyor Hinds left last evening for Ada with a crew of men to look after some ditch matters today.

A STRAWSTACK AFIRE —Makes a smoke but the man who wants a good smoke would appreciate a box of cigars manufactured by Otto Koeppe. He carries a full line of pipes, pouches, cigar holders and all smokers' supplies. They make elegant Christmas gifts.

NEWSPAPER MAYOR — Mayor Sam Clark of Minot was among the prominent arrivals in the city yesterday and proceeded to Thief River Falls on business. As proprietor of the Minot Reporter and mayor of Minot, Sam, as he is familiarly known, is one of the best boosters the Ward county metropolis has.

SAD MESSAGE — Edward Quee, Bjoin & Carlson's hackman, received a telegram today announcing the death of his father at the family home at Rockford, Ill., and left on the N. P. train to attend the funeral. Deceased was 77 years of age, and had lived in Rock Co., Wis., 25 miles west of Rockford since he came to this country in 1851 till he moved to Rockford 14 years ago. He was a pioneer of that part of Wisconsin and owned the finest farm in that section. He was a very vigorous man, and had survived four severe attacks of pneumonia and a half dozen runaways, as he prided himself on his spirited horses. He is survived by a wife and 13 children, having buried three. Deceased is a cousin of Mrs. Ole Halvorson of S. Main St., this city.

After being out all night the second jury in the case of the State vs. Wm. Loomis, charged with having given E. J. Peterson a left hook in the eye over a brindle cow squabble in the town of Helgeland last summer, reported a disagreement, the jury, like the first one, standing 8 for conviction and 4 for acquittal. The case was then put over till the June term.

The case of two colored men for grand larceny was then taken up and will be finished today.

A.G. BERNARD PASSES AWAY

FORMER PRESIDENT OF MINNESOTA DRAINAGE ASSOCIATION IS DEAD

REMAINS TO BE LAID TO REST AT CASS LAKE — OLD NEWSPAPER MAN

From Wednesday's Daily—

A. G. Bernard died in the hospital at Brainerd Monday night after an illness of several months.

Mr. Bernard who was for many years engaged in the newspaper work at Walker and Cass Lake was quite well known in this city, and when he was taken seriously ill, last summer and underwent an operation many people constantly in quired as to his condition.

After undergoing the operation, Mr. Bernard was taken to the Brainerd hospital, when it was announced that his ailment was of such a nature that recovery was impossible. Since that time, the announcement of his death has been expected, at any time.

The body of Mr. Barnard was taken to Cass Lake, and the funeral services at that place will be conducted under the auspices of the Cass Lake lodge of Masons of which the deceased was a member and it is expected that the funeral will be held today.

MAY NEED IT NOW

IT MAY COME IN HANDY SO MIX THIS AT FIRST SIGN

EASILY PREPARED, AND CURES WEAK KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Here is a simple home made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe Try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and four decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

ELLINGTON APPOINTED

AS DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CROOKSTON'S NEW FEDERAL BUILDING

NORTHERN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY WILL BEGIN OPERATIONS VERY SHORTLY

From Wednesday's Daily—

On recommendation of Congressman Steenerson, Lewis Ellington has been appointed disbursing officer for the Crookston public building.

It is generally believed that the Northern Construction Co., of Milwaukee who was awarded the contract for the construction of the new Federal building will begin the preliminary operations shortly after the first of the year.

Postmaster Steenerson has already received a copy of the acceptance of the bind of this company, which he is instructed to turn over to the superintendent of construction who will be named later, upon his arrival in this city.

TWO KILLED IN COLLISION

YARD ENGINE CRASHES INTO A SWITCH AND ENGINEER AND FIREMAN DIE

While a yard locomotive was crossing what is known as the "puzzle switch" in theCanadian Pacific yard at Fort William, early this morning, it collided with a freight train resulting in the death of E. R. Noble engineer and A. Horseley, fireman.

Both men formerly worked on the Dakota & Northern divisions of the Great Northern.

NEW MINNESOTA POSTMASTERS

The following post master appointments have been announced at Washington:

Casino, Cass county, Angie M. Crocker, vice Mary Ackerson, resigned;

Hazel, Red Lake Co., Paul Bogis, vice J. A. Magnuson, removed.

Jewett, Aitkin county, William T. Marble, vice E. H. Dahlen, resigned.

Leon, Clearwater Co., Nellie Tundy vice J. Albert resigned. Wilton, Beltrami county, Adolph A. Dahl, vice T. O. Melby resigned;

Salol, Roseau county, Ole Sonsting vice L. P. Dahljuist resigned.

The thing that scares a woman to death is to think what an awful thing it would be for her baby to be drowned in the bath tub if she had a baby.

Louis Roy returned this morning after spending the night at Grand Forks on business.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

MAYOR GETS FREAK LETTER

HIRAM STRICKLER WRITES MAYOR REGARDING BURIAL OF GORE UTENSILS

IS LOCATED IN SALT LAKE CITY —MAYOR TO COMPLY WITH REQUEST

From Wednesday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. McPhee has a funeral on his hands. He has not set the date, and cannot do so until he has secured a lot in Oakdale Cemetery or secured a permit from Patrick Connors, superintendent of the city garbage depository for an out of the way corner. He is just in receipt of the most freakish epistle addressed to him during his three terms as mayor, and runs as follows:

Salt Lake City, Dec. 4, 1908.
Mr. Mayor of Crookston:

Sir: A few years ago I was making your city my headquarters, doing all that I could do to build up one of your hotels by urging all traveling salesmen to go there. I was taken ill by the noise in this hotel and the landlord loaned me his gun to go out in the country to shoot some game. I was returning to the hotel when up came a doctor behing me driving at breakneck speed. I offered to give him half of the road and occupy the rest which I was entitled to. I had my gun on my shoulder and when the Doctor would not give me half of the road I pointed the gun straight at him but did not shoot.

"Don't you think, Mr. Mayor, that if I had killed this man that your courts would not have cleared me? Then I bought a small revolver and a knife and was conducting myself decent. Coming down to supper one night two of your policemen told me to halt. I went on about my business into the eating room. They came in after me and when I saw that they was going to arrest me I took out the small revolver and pointed it at them. They jumped on me and with the assistance of a ½ dozen of other men to laugh and scorn at me. Now, Mr. Mayor, this small revolver did not go off, and I only regret that it did not and kill them both. They read no warrant to me, simply jumped on me. Don't you think that the court of your country would have cleared me if I had killed both of them? Next thing they done they took me to your town hall and gave me a trial. I asked for to employ counsel, but the hotel man and the doctor just laughed at me.

This doctor in particular made all kinds of scorn at me when I asked for help.

Now Mr. Mayor your chief of police told me he would take care of my gun and revolver. All I have to say is for you to have this knife and revolver buried in the ground and let God that made us all decide. Please pardon me for being so lengthy with my remarks. Kind regards to you,

Yours,
Hiram Strickler."

Mayor McPhee announced in an official ukase last evening that he would grant the request and directions will be given to that end at once.

NEW RULES CAUSE MORE SWITCHING

REGULATIONS REGARDING INFLAMMABLES ADD TO WORK OF YARD CREWS

Local railroad men say that the new rules of the interstate commerce commission regarding inflammables which are now in force nave added greatly to the amount of switching on railroads and also to the responsibility devolving upon train crews, yardmasters and employes generally in the operating departments of the road. A red, yellow or white diamond label on a package of freight spells "inflammable" or "explosive" to the operatives and that recalls the rules laid down by the commission which have recently gone into effect.

The articles enumerated under the different heads of inflammables, explosives and acids, include alcohol, gasoline, powder and acids, and more than a score of other things closely related to them. Under the new rules a tank car must be at least five cars from the caboose and five cars from the engine, and near the middle of the train; it must not be next to a car containing explosives, or charcoal or cotton; yardmasters and employes must note the position of a tank car in the yard and must be prepared to isolate it quickly in case of fire.

Must Be Watched

Before the car is cut loose from a train the brakes must be tested and the preceding car must be allowed to clear the ladder track, incline or dump before it is cut loose. The next car must be held until a tank car is cleared, and the tank car and adjacent cars must be watched closely for hot boxes. If a package bearing a yellow diamond label is broken in transit the contents must be carefully swept up and removed. If a leaking package contains a liquid with a strong odor the damaged package must be removed if practicable. If necessary, the car must be placed on an isolated siding and the superintendent notified.

When inflammable packages are all unloaded, agents, yardmasters and conductors must see to it that the placards which the car bears are removed. These placards are standard in form, and are printed on thin white paper for pasting to tank cars and on heavy cardboard for tacking to box cars.

HITCHCOCK IS FOUND GUILTY

AFTER TRIAL BY JURY IN MUNICIPAL COURT ON CHARGE OF NON-SUPPORT

WILL BOARD IN POLK CO. JAIL FOR THE NEXT 60 DAYS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Edward Hitchcock, a former Great Northern conductor, was given a hearing in the municipal court yesterday at East Grand Forks on the charge of non-support, and found guilty. He was assessed a fine of $50 and costs aggregating $125 or sixty days in the county jail. He was unable to secure the required amount and was brought to Crookston last night. The case attracted wide attention in the city. The defendant was brought over yesterday morning and was arraigned in municipal court at 10 o'clock and entered a plea of not guilty to the complaint which charged that he had without lawful excuse neglected to furnish food, shelter and clothing to his wife, and two minor children, two and one-half years respectively. The case was set for hearing at 1:30 yesterday afternoon. Hitchcock demanded a jury trial and court was adjourned to the Commercial club rooms.

The evidence indicated that the defendant had been in the employ of the Great Northern railway for some time as brakeman and in September was to be promoted to the position of freight conductor. He had been employed. The only article in the way of clothing he had provided for his family during this time was a cheap hat for his wife. It also appeared that he had devoted some attention to a friend or affinity one Lily Wililams by name, in one of the houses of ill repute and that he had spent considerable money in that direction.

During the same time it appears that his contributions for his family amounted to $15 in July, nothing in August, $8 in September, $35 in October and nothing since. It was further stated that he had allowed his bills to run until his wages were garnished. After the third garnishment in November he was called in by the company, and not being able to give a good excuse he was dischanged. The jury yesterday evidently figured that his excuses as to his family were not lawful and found him guilty. Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock had been married something over three years and had lived in Grand Forks Some time ago it appears Hitchcock sent his wife to visit friends in Minnesota and she has been at the home of a distant relative. Recently her father came down from Greenbush and took her and her two children home again. Mrs. Hitchcock came down yesterday to attend the trial.

C. D. Billings is spending the day here on business from East Grand Forks.

Otto Koeppe left this morning for a trip up the North Line where he will see to it that all the dealers are well supplied with Leaders and everything in the line of satisfactory holiday smoke material.

LOW RATE
Farm Loans
PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
FIRST BANK BLDG
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres.
H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

BOY TORTURED BY AWFUL HUMOR

Almost Covered with Eczema—No Night's Rest for Nearly a Year—Feared Lifelong Disfigurement—All Treatments Failed and Limit of Endurance Seemed Near.

PERFECT RECOVERY IS DUE TO CUTICURA

"With the exception of his hands and feet, my son Clyde (thirteen years old) was almost completely covered with eczema. Physicians treated him for nearly a year without helping him any. While they were very kind and did all in their power, yet nothing seemed to relieve him. And I had tried many remedies sent to me by kind friends but they all failed. His head, face, and neck were covered with large scabs which he would rub until they fell off. Then blood and matter would run out and that would be worse. Many a time he looked as if his ears would drop off. Friends coming to see him said that if he got well he would be disfigured for life.

"When it seemed as if he could possibly stand it no longer, I decided to try Cuticura. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. I used them in the evening and that was the first night for nearly a year that he slept. This may sound exaggerated to you, but in the morning there was a great change for the better. In about six weeks you could not have told that he had ever had anything wrong with him. I treated him twice a day for six months and at present he has a fine complexion and not a scar on his body. This story may seem overdrawn, but neither words nor pen can describe Clyde's suffering and how he looked. Our leading physician, Dr. ——, recommends the Cuticura Remedies for eczema. Mrs. Algy Cockburn, Shiloh, O., June 11, 1907."

Frequent shampoos with Cuticura Soap and weekly dressings with Cuticura stop falling hair, remove crusts, scales, and dandruff, destroy hair parasites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces, stimulate the hair follicles, supply the roots with nourishment, loosen the scalp skin, and make the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp, when all other remedies fail.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞ Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

It's easier to fall in love tha nto get out of debt.

A suspicious woman raises a large crop of doubts.

How large a dollar looks to the man who has but 30 cents!

The better you behave the better you'll get along. Now try it.

Reducing the waits between the acts will not lighten a heavy blow.

A woman who has a nose for news usually has a chin for telling it.

Modesty is one of the things that cannot be successfully counterfeited.

And many a meek and lowly man is known only as the wife's husband.

Two-thirds of the words in the average school girl's letter are adjectives.

Every time a woman gets a new gown she goes around with a chip on her shoulder.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

A fat woman gets slim again long before anybody can notice it.

A man seems to be able to outgrow most any superstition except that his whiskers couldn't be finer.

When a man falls in love with a girl it's a sign she can be just as surprised as if she hadn't done it for him

What makes a woman proud of her children is to be able to tell the wonderful things they did, just as if they really did them.

There's nothing makes a girl's father so suspicious a man is trying to marry her as for the fellow not to be able to support her.

Mrs. McRaney's Experience

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for me. Sold by all Druggists.

BUILDINGS FALL SHORT

STATE INSPECTOR OF HIGH SCHOOLS FAVORS SUPERVISING ARCHITECT

BUILDINGS NOT PLANNED FOR CONVENIENCE OF TEACHERS AND PUPILS

Minnesota needs a supervising architect for its high school buildings to pass on all plans and require that high schools be built for convenience safety and health of pupils. Strong recommendation to this effect is made in the annual report of George B. Aiton, state inspector of high schools, to the state high school board.

Mr. Aiton says that most school boards fail in planning properly for new school buildings, by their unfamiliarity with the problem and most architects have little idea of planning for the convenience of teachers and students.

Details Lacking

"I make the general statement that so far as solidity of structure and adequacy of heating are concerned our buildings are well put up, but the details of ventilation, of handling air are not well understood by our builders or architects," says the inspector

"Our school rooms lack decidedly in symmetry. Ungainly and unnecessary projections are permitted. There is too litle familiarity with the needs of a primary room, and of the various departments of a high school Many buildings so far as height of blackboard and other arrangements are concerned, are finished off as tho all rooms were intended for classes of intermediate and grammar grades.

Supervising Architect Needed

"We need a supervising architect who is familiar with the actual workings of the school, and who possesses a happy combination of artistic taste and scientific training. Such an official should be on a salary. When a board of education needs more school room, he should be at the disposal of that board. He should make them a visit an dstay on the ground as long as may be necessary to give professional advice. Even his expenses of travel should be paid by the state, so that boards of education should have entire confidence in his disinterestedness. He should act in an advisory capacity only. Working plans and specifications should in my judgment, be prepared as now, by competent architects.

"When called upon, I do the best I can to advise boards intelligently, but soon reach a point where the professional knowledge of an architect is necessary. A competent supervising architect could earn his salary ten times over. All school plans and plans for remodeling ald buildings should be submitted to him for approval."

Trade at Home

The man right here at home is the man who will be most accommodating The home merchant is a friend of yours and he takes pains to please you and to have his service, his goods and prices are right. He often accommodates his customers by sending for what they want if he does not happen to have it in stock, he accommodates them too by exchanging things which they have bought. Sometimes it is an accommodation to exchange butter and eggs for merchandise and it is sometimes an accommodation to get a litle credit from the store keeper. It is a good thing to remember that these are accommodations that you do not get from the catalogue and mail order houses.—Marshall Co. Leader.

No Guarantee

A decision has been rendered by the commissioner of patents relating to labels which packers and others place on their products. The commissioner rules that any label bearing the inscription "Guaranteed under the pure food and drugs act of June 30 1906" in which such inscription seeks to convey the impression that the government is responsible for the purity of the goods, will be refused registration. This shows that no dependence can be placed on slips, pasted on canned goods and other products, guaranteeing purity. — Princeton Union.

New G. N. Branch is Opened

The opening of a new extension 22 miles long from Fernie, B. C., to Michel B. C., and beyond on the Crow's Nest Southern Railway, a part of the Great Northern system, is announced by General Manager Gruber of the Great Northern. The extension is ready for business today. Its four stations are Fernie, Hosmer, Olson and Michel.

The fickleness of fortune is only equalled by the faithfulness of misfortune.

WALKED 20 MILES IN RAGING BLIZZARD

Thru a raging blizzard with the mercury hovering low in the tube, three ministers of the gospel, two of them from Duluth all day Monday fought their way across the twenty miles of treacherous ice on Pelican lake.

The party was composed of Dr. E. C. Clemans, district superintendent of M. E. church; Dr. Edward H. Nickolson, superintendent of the Litchfield district; Rev. Thomas Grice pastor of the Asbury M. E. church of West Duluth; Rev. Peter Lightfoot, Indian missionary of Ashawa, and W. G. Armstrong of Cork county, Ireland, who is a guest of Mr. Grice.

These gentlemen returned Wednesday to tell of their exciting experiences, while accompanying Dr. Clemans on his semi-annual missionary trip to the Indians in the wilderness of Northern Minnesota. Twice a year Dr. Clemans holds a conference at the Bois Fort Indian school on the reservation in Koochiching county.

On leaving the Duluth & Rainy Lake road at Gheen on their way to the reservation, they had a walk of 24 miles over broken country before them. Each carried a heavy pack. In describing the journey in, one of the clergymen said: "It seemed to me that we would never get there. For every foot forward we seemed to slip back two, so slippery was the frozen ground but we enjoyed the tramp, nevertheless."

At Bois Fort they held services Sunday morning with the aid of Rev. Lightfoot who interpreted the sermons to the Indians who gathered from miles around to listen to the white man's story of the "happy hunting grounds."

It was on the return trip that they met with their thrilling experiences which sound like romances of frontier life. Remembering the toil of the journey in, the preachers fortunately engaged a number of Indian guides and packers to carry their loads. It was well that they did.

On their return trip instead of returning by way of Gheen they determined to strike out across Pelican lake, for Orrs another station on the Rainy Lake road, which route would save them several miles, if they found the ice firm as they were assured it was by the natives, who had crossed it themselves.

They had been an hour on the lake before a blinding snowstorm set in, accompanied by a fierce wind, which grew into a typical northwest blizzard. They were forced to turn from their direct course across the lake, and seek the shelter of the islands and the shore. It was then that they were thankful that they had hired the Indians, for they would undoubtedly have been lost otherwise.

The snow stung in their faces, making sight more than a few feet ahead impossible. At any moment they ran the risk of sinking thru the treacherously thin ice. And had it not been for the inborn instinct of their guides they would have been in constant peril. As it was they walked blindly ahead mile after mile not knowing the direction in which they traveled or where they were, but placing their lives in the hands of the Indians.

It was a thankful and weary party that that evening, long after dark, trudged into Orrs. They had come miles out of their way to follow the shore line, where the ice was firmer. Tho at no time did their exertions allow them to become cold, they were fatigued almost to despair.

The members of the party which arrived in Duluth last night, state that they would not have missed the experience for a great deal, but they doubt greatly, if they would care to undertake the trip again soon under the same circumstances.

Reforms Arrested

It is said that the reforms never go backward, yet it must be admitted that the progress of reform movements is often stayed and held back for a time. Tho the general tendency is to go constantly forward, events occur now and then that cause a halt in the onward march and even sometimes produce a slight retreat. However, the trend is toward higher and better things and these retreats, whether local, state or national, always stop before the old conditions of things that existed when the reform that was started was reached, despite the lugubrious forbodings of the pessimistically inclined. The election of Harmon in Ohio and the defeat of Folk's senatorial candidacy in Missouri were both setbacks for those who are working earnestly year in and year out for the betterment of American citizenship, but they were not such as to dishearten the reform forces in those states; on the contrary, they will only serve to spur them on to greater efforts to accomplish the great work they have set out to do.—Warren Register.

Von Bulow and Sarasate.

In one of his letters Von Bulow refers to Sarasate as follows: "He has enchanted me beyond measure, particularly in his concert of yesterday, when he played a splendid work, 'Symphonie Espagnole,' by Lalo—played in so genuinely artistic a manner that today I am still intoxicated with it. His playing also of the Saint-Saens concert piece for violin is as entrancing as interesting. It is a shame that he cannot come to see me. N. B. —I have purposely avoided his personal acquaintance. Perhaps he has tried to see me, for over my door stands the notice:

"Mornings—not to be seen.
Afternoons—not at home.

"But perhaps he did not ring the bell. (He never plays under 1,000 francs—he received this sum here at a private musicale.) For secretary he has Otto Goldschmidt, who sent me a pass, which I returned with the remark that for such an important concert I could certainly afford to buy my ticket. Six marks was in no way too much to pay."

Bulow did make his acquaintance, however, as he refers in a later letter to Sarasate coming, quite unexpectedly, to a "conference with Johannes" (Brahms), at which he himself was present.

What's Yours?

It was 1:30 a. m. in the cheap, all night restaurant.

"What's yours?" said the "tough" waiter, arms akimbo.

We gave our orders and in about ten minutes the waiter served my friends, but left me nothing.

"What's yours?" he asked, addressing me.

"Why," said I, surprised and reproachful, "I ordered corned beef and cabbage at least ten minutes ago."

The waiter's jaw became a trifle more aggressive than usual.

"Well," he said grimly, "do you still stick to it?"—Bohemian Magazine.

Judge Ives' Idea Stolen

A few weeks ago we advanced the idea that the Congressional committee of ways and means, sitting at Washington for the purpose of securing data upon which to base a tariff revision, had called every manufacturer and everybody who is interested in such revision, but had failed to call the consumer. The effort was unnoticed by the state press, probably because it came from an obscure country paper. The first of the week just passed, Charles Francis Adams a man of note whose dicta are national and historic, discovered the same fact and voiced it in the great dailies of the nation. The News-Tribune of Duluth early discovered the erudite saying of the great man but failed for more than two weeks to find that a country newspaper of its own state had promulgated the same idea. We failed to copyright our brilliant idea and awoke one morning to find that a great man of national reputation had discovered it.—Cass Lake Times.

No householder was surprised by the news of the butter corner and the prospect that the price will shortly go higher than ever before for a generation, says the St. Paul Dispatch. The present extremely high prices could not be explained in any other way. It means oppression to practically all the people, for it is a very poor and small family that does not use at least 50 cents worth of butter a week or $25 worth a year. If that expense is increased 50 per cent, it will out uite a hole in small incomes. It will compel pinching economy. Even now, the butter costs more than the family's bread half as much as the winter's coal for heating and fully as much as gas for cooking and lighting.

There is the same evidence in extortionate prices of a combine in eggs probably handled by the same people as have engrossed the butter supply. Eggs do not keep well when kept too long, a fact that makes such a corner especially obnoxious.

By such corners in food products made easy by improvement in transportation facilities, the very advantages that should come to the people from cheaper freights are taken all to themselves by greedy monopolies.

But the danger of such monopolies is not alone one of extravagant prices but of ultimate oppression of the dairy interest, in which must be included the smaller creamery men or all those outside of such centers as chicago. Let a few once dominate the business completely and there will be an end of the high prices paid to the farmers and the small creameries. The old story of the monopolization of beef, with low prices for the producer and high prices for the consumer will be repeated as to butter.

Give some people their pick and they will pick flaws every time.

He who thinks only of himself has not any too much to think about.

GREAT SENSATION AT ST. VINCENT

MAN NAMED MORTIMER, WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF THAT PLACE DISAPPEARED THANKSGIVING DAY AND HAS NOT BEEN SEEN SINCE—BELIEVED HE WAS DROWNED IN RED RIVER WHILE CROSSING TO PEMBINA — WAS A NOTED SOCIALIST SPEAKER

From Friday's Daily—

A man named Mortimer whose initials could not be learned and who operated a tailor shop at St. Vincent, has caused a great sensation in that little city by his mysterious disappearance on Thanksgiving day.

He announced that he was going to Winnipeg to deliver a Socialist address, being one of the best speakers that party has in the state, having been sent to the Pacific coast for lecture work a year ago. When he did not return a day or two later as expected inquiries were started as he had always been very prompt about letting his wife know of his whereabouts when it was necessary for him to remain away longer than expected.

It developed that on Thanksgiving Day he had never put in an appearance and it is now believed that in crossing the Red River to Pembina the ice gave way and he was drowned

Yesterday the authorities at St. Vincent started dragging the river but the body had not been recovered up to noon today.

Later inquiries at Winnipeg develop the fact that he had not been there at all and the general opinion is that his body is in the river and will probably not be recovered till spring.

There was no reason for his going away as his home life was pleasant in every way. He was well known and popular and his disappearance has caused a great sensation.

OYSTERS NO NOVELTY

Helen of Troy May Have Eaten Them—Nero Imported Them

"The oyster is the key to that paradise called appetite."

That is what Prof. John R. Philpots says, and he knows more about oysters than all the shuckers from Chesapeake bay to Cotuit says the New York Sun.

Just what we think of oysters as a modern dainty it would be hard to tell, but probably half of the men and women who scan the oyster section of the bill of fare do cherish that delusion. Nevertheless in Nero's time millions of bushels of oysters were eaten annually in Rome.

But even Nero becomes an object of pity to the American when we read that the best of the oysters he had to eat were imported from Britain. Probably the Roman emperors had the same delusion that we have. They doubtless considered that in providing an oyster course at their banquets they were bringing their menu strictly up to date.

They didn't know that in primeval times the oyster shucker was an important personage. This must have been so, for in the remains known as the kitchen middens in Denmark there are thousands and thousands of oyster shells bearing evidences of having been artificially opened. Not only that, but Dr. Schliemann in his search for the ancient city of Troy found oyster shells in the ruins of the prehistoric settlements of Hissarlik.

A writer in the National Magazine says that the oyster is valuable not so much for its nutritive qualities—and these must not be underestimated by any means—as for "its peculiar condimentality and its ready digestibility," For the invalid it is especially valuable for it is the only known food that will not at some time or another nauseate the patient, being unquestionably the most easily digested of all animal foods.

Some reputable physicians, however, have maintained that the use of the oyster should never be permitted any diabetic patient. The Lancet, the most influential medical organ in Great Britain disagrees with this. It says:

"According to our analysis the amount of liver sugar in the oyster was very small, and certainly considerably less than half that found by previous observers. We made a number of experiments on this point, and in no instance did the amount of glycogen in the raw oyster exceed 1 per cent.

"A further examination of the organic portion of the oyster revealed the presence of glycero-phosphoric compounds, which are now used in medicine in the form of lecitline and of the glycero-phosphates of the alkaline metals for the purpose of improving the general nutrition of the nervous system.

"The results on the whole show that altho the actual amount of nutritive material in a raw oyster is small, yet this material comprises all classes of food substances, namely, proteid, carbohydrates, fat and certain mineral salts. Moreover the flesh of the oyster undoubtedly contains these substances in a peculiarly assimilable form.

"Apart from the extreme delicacy of the oyster, and from its peculiarly appetizing flavor, there are, we think reasons on purely dietetic grounds why attention should continue to be given to the cultivation of the oyster which, as the foregoing results indicate, is an excellent article of food."

Interest in the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition to be held in Seattle next summer is becoming wide spread. Many newspapers in the eastern states are devoting considerable space to stories telling of the attractions and benefits of the exhibition and are printing editorials commending the enterprise and the manner in which the work is being carried forward.

The following editorial from the Baltimore American of September 20 1908, is typical of the spirit being shown all over the United States:

"Seattle is in a flutter of pleasurable excitement over the fact that it is further advanced toward its exposition than any other exposition city at the same distance of time from the opening of the gates. Nine months yet remain, and the exposition is so far promoted that it is believed the show will begin with the boards cleared of all the trappings incident to the stage setting. Seattle is therefore, wreathed in a broad smile. It is something to be happy about, that preparations for the great Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition are moving along merrily. Altho a city of but something over a quarter of a million Seattle is broad in hospitality and resources and is fitted to care finely for the multitudes expected to the Coast to see the wonders of the Exposition and to enjoy the matchless scenery of its environs.

The financial situation is gratifying the capital stock of $800,000 has been fully paid in. Congress made an appropriation of $600,000 for its exhibit and its six buildings. There will be found at Seattle the exhibits of all Uncle Sam's dominions. In view of the fact that the exposition is in a Pacific Coast city, the oriental features wil lbe especially strong. It will doubtless be a great exposition and significant of the turn of the tide toward the far west when Asia shall become the doorstep of the United States.

What's the Diff?

Several suits are pending in federal courts against the manufacturers of Canadian Whiskey. Dr. Riley, chief chemist of pure food department, says that the stuff is poison. But what's the difference between whiskey and poison, doctor?—Princeton Union.

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The Argyle Juvenile Dramatic and Concert Co., starred by Master Geo. Tiedt and Miss Keye, and managed by little Miss Lillian Johnson with little Miss Irene Tiedt as accompanist. performed before about sixty people in the city hall last Saturday evening. The price of admission was 2 and 5 cents. It is very truly said that the art of entertainment is a natural gift and that it cannot be grafted into non-conductive timber. In the simple rendition of this little "kid show" there was an under current of pathos that would rival the attempts of the greatest actors in America, and some of the productions appealed to the hearts of the audience. These little shows are educational advantages that should be encouraged by all good citizens.—Argyle Banner.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Sold by all Druggists.

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ANDERSCH BROS., Department 66, - - - MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

JAKE IDE MUCH BETTER — Jake Ide who has been confined to the Bethesda hospital for the past week and who underwent an operation while there, was able to be removed t ohis home Monday and expects to be around in a short time.

HOMESTEADING IT—H. J. Lomen of Fosston, Minn., son of J. J. Lomen formerly cashier of the Security State Bank was an arrival in this section last week and will remain for the winter to assist his father in homesteading up on the Rapid river. —Northern News of Spooner.

THE SIAMESE TWINS—Says the Bemidji Pioneer: "R. R. Ashley of Duluth, the popular young traveling man who is often mistaken for Ernest Wilde of Crookston returned to the city yesterday afternoon from a business trip to Fowlds and spent the night here as a guest at the Markham hotel."

EAST GRAND FORKS DEATH — Mrs. Elizabeth Haws, a widow aged 70 died yesterday morning at his home in East Grand Forks 611 Washington avenue, after an illness of several weeks. The deceased has been a resident of that city for a number of years and was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Haws leaves three sons to mourn her loss. The funeral took place this aftrenoon from the residence at 2:00 o'clock.

MUCH HAY BURNED—A prairie fire out in Mary, Norman County, last week destroyed fifteen or twenty hay stacks and also the house and barn on the Hoff place valued at nearly $1,000 and also the barn on the Beito place. The heaviest losers of hay were John Rud, John Ellingson and Ole Moen. The fire was started by T. O. Evenson, an old man who owns a forty out in that neighborhood, and was trying to burn off some willow bush. He felt very bad about the fire and has disappeared the presumption being that he had left the country.

NO BURYING THIS WINTER — It is announced that the burial of bodies had been discontinued at the Memorial Park cemetery at Grand Forks during the winter months and from now until the frost is out of the ground, bodies will be placed in the receiving vault at the cemetery. This is in accordance with the usual custom at Grand Forks cemetery.

GRAND FORKS SONS OF NORWAY—The Sons of Norway of Grand Forks elected officers last evening and enjoyed a social session. The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January. The following is a list of the officers elected last evening:

President—A. M. Lodmell.
Vice President—N. J. Salkanger.
Secretary—A. Peterson.
Regent—Chris Hanson.
Treasurer—Peter Standal.
Physician—J. E. Engstad.
Trustee—I. Johnson.
Marshal—K. Kporlian.
Inner Watchman—George Carlson.
Outer Marshal—A. C. Anderson.

HORSES TO WOODS— Will Casmey and Roy Teal arrived in the city last evening and this morning left for the woods with 12 horses belonging to C. Teal, Sr., and Barney Thompson of Euclid. They will haul logs during the winter for Geo. Ross. "Old Hickory" will not go up at the present time but will make several trips during the winter to see how the nags are getting on.

NOT MUCH ACCOUNT —The following which is going the rounds of the press, is a pretty truthful statement of the man who doesn't appreciate his home paper: "When you hear a man sneering at the local paper because it is not big, cheap and newsy as the city papers, you can safely bet he does not squander any of his wealth in assisting to make it better and that generally the paper has done more for him than he has for it. The man who cannot see the benefits arising from a local newspaper is about as much value to the town as a delinquent tax list."

"THERE HE GOES" — A well known resident of Crookston has just returned from his first deer hunt and the old story of "There he goes!" has come with him. After tramping the country day and night for miles near Swan River a deer was sighted. The other three men in the party were all experienced hunters and were bemoaning their luck, as they had not even seen a sign of game. One of the men was known as a wonderful shot and seldom failed to bring the deer home once he was in range. As fate would have it the "tednerfoot" was leading the party at the time the deer jumped up; in fact, he stood between the other hunters and the animal, and in a loud voice he called "There is one!" The fleet-footed animal bounded off at the sound of his voice. With his gun loaded and the other hunters praying that he would either shoot or lie down so they could shoot, he again called back, "There he goes!" The whole party returned to camp empty handed and in a sullen mood. The man who had the "buck fever" has been standing for a great deal of what is called "kidding in earnest" as every time the other members of the party see him they say with a sneer, "There he goes!".

Those delicious lemonpies

The kind that "make your mouth water" are easily made with no fussing and at the least possible expense if you use "OUR-PIE" Preparation. It is put up in air-tight packages and contains the right proportions of the choicest ingredients. Every package inspected and guaranteed under the Pure Food Laws. Don't hesitate. Try it to-day and then tell your friends. At grocers. 10 cents.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

We sell Guns and Traps cheap and buy Furs and Hides. Write for catalogue No. 23.—N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

ON COURT BUSINESS—Atty. A. A. Miller is spending the day at Warren trying a case before the district court which is in session there.

TO SURVEY FARM—County Surveyor Orvis Hinds left this morning for Erskine with a crew of men, where he will survey a farm to determine the most advisable drainage system.

A LITTLE FROSTY—It was 10 degrees below zero this morning the frostiest morning thus far this winter. It modified rapidly however and has not been sharp since 10 o'clock.

HORSES FOR WOODS — Garret Smith was down from Euclid last evening returning home this morning. He is sending nine horses to the woods and Messrs, Aker and Thompson of the same place are sending five to the same camp.

EGGS 40 CENTS—Fresh eggs are now bringing 40 cents a dozen and have oysters on the half shell beat 40 ways as a luxury. It is predicted that next week they will be negotiable at any of the banks at 25 cents each and that those fortunate enough to afford them will deposit them in the safety vaults.

COMPLETING NEVING CREAMERY — Alfred Bergeson of Neving states that the Neving creamery is under construction, that they are laying the shingles this week and would complete it as soon as possible. Machinery has been ordered and will arrive in February so that it can be installed and every thing made ready by spring.

KILLED GRUNDY'S BROTHER—The Minneapolis Journal of Sunday contained a story telling of the capture of Almighty Voice, an Indian who lived up near Prince Albert, Canada. A brother of Dr. Henry Grundy of Thief River Falls was one of the mounted policemen killed by Almighty Voice. This happened eleven years ago.

BEMIDJI WOODMEN ELECT — The Bemidji lodge of the Modern Woodmen has elected officers for the following year, as follows: P. L. Foucault, past venerable consul; J. M. Stafford venerable consul; W. J. McCauley, worthy adviser; Frank Wagner, banker; J. P. Lahr, clerk; J. C. Cobb, escort; F. L. Bursley, watchman; John Neumann, sentry; P. L. Foucault, manager.

MADE 25 NEW CITIZENS— The following are the names of those who were granted naturalization papers at the present term of court in Marshall county now in session at Warren: John E. Dahl, Alvina Anderson, John N. Sordal, Amalia M. Johnson, Kristian C. Ruud, Ellen Nilson, Peter Wagenius, Mansour Isaac, John Deep, Joseph Thones, David E. Frausen, Ernest Olstrom, Christian C. Bernstrom, Lindvoald A. Hagen; Otto Forslund, Lars Torgerson, Reginald Storm, John M. Olson, Hermand M. Kristensen, Ludvig P. Amunsen, Karl M. Ness, Oscar Edlund, Franz Agfiren, Edward Evenson, Carl John Christianson.

REMEMBER THE SISTERS—The glad Christmas tide is approaching and those charitably inclined might well remember that anything in the line of linens and drygoods, jellies, suitable clothing or cash will be thankfully received by the Sisters at St. Vincents hospital. While those who are able to pay for care and treatment they are expected to do so, it should not be forgotten that no one is turned away who is suffering, and that the institution is not run as a money making proposition, but as a refuge for the sick and suffering. The St. Vincent's Hospital is one of the splendid institutions of Crookston, and should receive liberal gifts at this season of giving toward a most worthy cause.

HOME FROM SAD MISSION—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lusian returned this morning from Minneapolis where they were called a week ago this evening by the critical illness of Mrs. Lusian's mother, Mrs. John Sweeney, who passed peacefully away last Sunday afternoon at 12:30 aged 70 years, death being due to a general breakdown. She was buried at Excelsior Minn., on Tuesday last. Deceased was the mother of 14 children, 10 of whom survive her. Eight were at her bedside when the end came the two others being in California and Washington. Mrs. Sweeney was born in Canada in 1832 but moved to Minnesota many years ago. She was a lady highly esteemed by all who knew her, a revoted Christian and death was but the passing into a peaceful sleep.

IS HANDED A PACKAGE—Sam A. Johnson was handed a justly deserved package by the Great Northern station employees at Larimore. It seems that rumor was current that Johnson intended to leave for California within a few days to spend a couple of months with his family and the gang thought it a splendid opportunity to hand him something which they proceeded to do in the way of a new suit of clothes and an overcoat. Mr. Johnson is an old time employee on the Dakota division and one of the most popular railroad men in the state.

GRAND FORKS WOODMEN--The Modern Woodmen of America Camp at Grand Forks last evening elected officers for the ensusing year. Following the election, which was held in the hall of the lodge the members enjoyed a social session. The following officers were chosen:

V. C.—Scott Karnes.
W. A.—J. Nuss.
Clerk—M. W. Day.
Banker—Robert B. Cadwell.
Escort—J. W. Young.
Watchman—W. J. Bird.
Sentinel—J. O'Reilly.
Manager for Three Years—James Coulter.

It's worth while asking for "Hickory" Brand Rubbers and Overshoes. They are long wearing—always giving satisfaction. Ask your dealer. St. Paul Rubber Co. Distributors.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY.

WENT TO KENNEDY—D. D. Clark of the Palace Hotel left this morning for Kennedy where he spent the day on business, returning home this evening on the local.

NO RECENT OUTBREAKS—J. F. Montgomery spent the night in the city returning to his business at Angus this morning. He states that peace and quietness prevails in the interior of the province, and that no serious uprisings are anticipated among the natives this winter.

SHERIFF ELECT BUSY— Sheriff Elect Daniels who is at present just a common hired man like the rest of us, is busy as a bee these days. He returned this morning from a trip to Climax and went north to Angus and Warren this morning for another batch of witnesses.

TO NORTH DAKOTA—W. R. Low of Walsh & Low went to North Dakota this morning on land business.

RIVER FROZEN OVER — Traveling men report that for the first time in many years the Rainy river was frozen over the first of this week, so that people could walk across below the ferry which was out of commission for a short time. The river is open there all winter as a rule, and is now open, but the cold spell came so suddenly that the warmer water from the lakes above did not have time to get in action.

WILL MEET CROOKSTONITES— In a letter received today Wm. Asselin formerly a resident of this city, now located in Spokane says that the weather there of late has been much colder than usual, and that considerable snow has fallen, which is not usual. He states that he expects to see quite a number of former Crookston residents who are now located at North Yakima, who will attend the big apple show which will be held in Spokane next week and for which most elaborate preparations have been made. Mr. Asselin likes the west and is doing well in Spokane.

We realize that the world is growing better when it begins to sit up and look our way.

DIRECTORS IN SESSION

DINED BY PRESIDENT MISNER PRECEDING BUSINESS SESSION

MUCH IMPORTANT BUSINESS IS DISCUSSED — COMMITTEES NAMED

From Saturday's Daily—

The board of directors of the 25,000 Commercial Club met last evening in the reception room of the Hotel Crookston and the work of the past year was reviewed at length and plans for the future made.

Previous to the business meeting the board was the guest of President H. C. Misner at dinner at the hotel. This social was enjoyed by the directors and the officers of the club; the dinner was served in the customary faultless manner of the hotel, and it was a most fitting and pleasant episode in the history of the present club administration.

After the dinner a conference was held. The report of the Polk County Exhibit Committee was presented by Treasurer Stair, of the committee. After it had been read, it was referred to a special auditing committee.

The fact that the annual meeting of the club was to be held on January 15, brought it before the board and after some discussion it was decided to make this meeting something out of the ordinary. At this meeting the new officers and a new board are to be elected and an elaborate program will be arranged by the club.

The board after reviewing the work done by the Market Day committee instructed the secretary to convey a vote of thanks from the board to each member of the Market Day committee.

It was decided that rooms would have to be secured at once for the regular meetings of the board and the club and a committee, consisting of J. E. OB'rien, J. W. Wheeler, G. S. Chesterman and L. Ellington, was appointed to see what could be done in this line.

The following participated in the dinner and at the business session: President H. C. Misner; vice president J. W. Wheeler; vice president J. E. O'Brien; Treasurer G. S. Chesterman; secretary Thos. R. Brown, Jr. Directors, O. O. Christianson, J. F. Fournet, O. Mercil, Jr., L. Ellington, Sam Rosenthal, J. A. Cowley, J. P. Dotson, J. D. McPhee, Geo. H. Wright, C. E. Kiewel.

President H. C. Misner anounced the appointment of the following committees:

Committee on Audit, Polk County Exhibit—C. C. Strander, L. W. Larson, W. A. Marin.

Committee of Audit, Secretary and Treasurer's books and Accounts—J. E. O'Brien, F. R. Hamel, Ed Peterson

Committee on Arrangements for Annual Meeting—J. A. Cowley, L. Ellington, J. F. Fournet.

RED LAKE COUNTY WEDDING—The marriage of Mr. Scott L. Lamont of Thief River Falls, Minn., to Miss Elizabeth Grace Marquardt of Cooperstown, took place on Thanksgiving day at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Marquardt, Rev. Oscar D. Purinton officiating, in the presence of about 75 guests. The event was one of the prettiest weddings in the history of Cooperstown and will long be remembered by those present. The bride was attired in white crepe de chine over white taffeta trimmed with green myrtle and carried white roses. She was attended by Miss Grace Houghton. The groom was attended by the bride's brother, Otto Marquardt. After the ceremony all sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner, which was not to be surpassed. The happy couple were the recipients of a handsome lot of presents. Mr. and Mrs. Lamont left on the afternoon train for Winnipeg to spend their honeymoon ad will be at home at Thief River Falls after January 1.

Marriage Customs in Savage Africa.

The charge which is sometimes brought against white men of "marrying for money" cannot be used against their sex in Africa, for there it is the other way about, husbands having to purchase their wives. When a man has a wife bestowed upon him as an act of charity he feels that she is not properly his own, and she, if she will, can treat him with contempt. This custom of wife purchase, although it is to be decried as tending to lower marriage to the level of a commercial contract, is an incentive to young men to work. Lazy youths cannot compete with energetic ones in the matrimonial market, as they are despised by the young women and rejected by their parents as being unworthy of their daughters.—Wide World Magazine.

Don't be a dead one until you get ready to give the undertaker a job.

We are all for reform—if it don't interfere with our financial interests.

The good die young but a bad man is necessarily bad because he has no occasion to dye.

TWO THIRDS OF MILLION FOR DRAINAGE IN POLK

Total Of $650,074,29 Has Been Spent In Ditch Work In Polk Co. To Date. $35,000 More In Prospect,

During Six Years Service Of Co. Auditor Hoffard Bulk Of Work Has Been Done. 69 Waterways Built.

From Saturday's Daily—

Up to the present time Polk Co., has expended $650,074.29 for drainage ditches. This amount has been expended in the construction of 69 ditches, three of which were judicial ditches, and in connection with these, just Polk county's share has been figured in the grand total.

The great majority of this work has been done during the incumbency of N. A. Hoffard as county auditor during the past six years, he having Thursday filed his statement with the register of deeds for the 52nd ditch, the last which he will file before he retires from office Jan. 1st next. The 52 waterways cost a total of $458,407.22 and the 17 prior to Mr. Hoffard's term represented an outlay of $191,667.07, showing conclusively the wonderful rapidity in which the drainage work is gaining headway.

In addition to this there are four ditches which have been petitioned for and which will without doubt be established which will cost about $55,000 and all will be completed the coming year.

This merely represents what has been expended by the Polk county commissioners and does not include the vast amount of lateral surface ditching which has been done by the individual farmers, which would easily equal an equal sum, nor does it include the considerable sum which has been expended in tile drainage, a good start upon which has already been made. The tile drainage could not be successfully carried on until the main drainage ditches had been constructed in order to give an outlet but during the coming two years a vast amount of tile drainage work will be done.

The expenditure of two thirds of a million dollars by Polk county compared very favorably with the $1,000,000 which Geo. A. Ralph engineer of the State Drainage Board estimates the state has expended for drainage during the past two years in the biennial report which he is now preparing for submission to the forthcoming session of the state legislature. Polk County has a more complete drainage system than any county in the northern part of the state, and so satisfactory are the results that the system will be complete within a very few years.

EXPENSE BILL NOT LARGE

POLK COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE EXPENDED ABOUT $700

BILLS PAID AND A BALANCE OF $4.58 IN THE TREASURY

The expense account of the Republican County Central Committee during the recent campaign has been filed with the county auditor and shows that the candidates assessments and other subscriptions amounted to $694.74.

The total expenditures were $690.16 which leaves a balance in the treasury of $4.58 cents.

The Work Horse.

Work horses should be groomed twice a day.

The harness should be removed as soon as the work is done.

Never give food immediately after hard work. The stomach at that time is in no condition to receive food.

The work horse should have a variety of food.

Upon the clean condition of the skin the health of the horse largely depends.

Horses are frequently troubled with brittle hoof, due to a deficiency of water in the hoof, the result of fever.

Keep a lump of salt in the manger.

Never trot a horse downhill.

Never put a dirty, rough bit in a horse's mouth.

Don't leave a shoe on a horse more than four weeks.

Do not allow the stable to be too tight during the summer time.

Balking is caused by overloading, tight harness or abuse.

Keep the mangers sweet and clean.

The best time to clean the mud off the horse's legs is before it gets dry.

The farm horse should be a walker, the road horse a trotter.

For a horse to masticate four pounds of hay will require over an hour, half an hour for four pounds of whole oats and fifteen minutes for four pounds of ground feed.

The following is recommended as an invaluable hoof remedy: Linseed oil, half pint; turpentine, four ounces; oil of tar, six ounces; organum, three ounces. Shake well.

More Worry.

"It used to be my ambition," said the business man, "to accumulate a fortune and then retire."

"Well," answered the friend, "haven't you realized it?"

"No. I've got the money, but I don't dare retire. I've got to stay awake night and day to keep somebody from taking it away from me."

A woman has as much fun getting her fortune told as a man has making his.

A SUICIDE AT WARREN

LARS ERICKSON BECAME DESPONDENT AND HANGED HIMSELF TO A TREE

WAS 61 YEARS OF AGE—LEFT A WIDOW AND FIVE CHILDREN BAD SHAPE

Lars Erickson hanged himself from the limb of a tree near his home in Warren Wednesday forenoon. He was nearly 61 years of age and leaves a widow, two married daughters and three other children, the youngest of whom is nine years of age. He was a man of exemplary habits, but had become despondent from brooding over his physical ailments his poverty and other matters. His funeral was held Friday.

NOVEMBER SETTLEMENT

From Saturday's Daily—

The Polk county tax settlement has been completed today and shows the following totals:

From state taxes	$10,160.84
From County taxes	$40,307.04
City and village taxes	$22,782.05.
Township taxes	$15,582.66
School taxes	$37,473.89
Penalty, interest and costs	$3,154.45
Hunters' licenses	$214.20.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflammed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

ELKS HOLD IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL SERVICES

Earnest And Eloquent Address Delivered By Hon. E. E. McDonald Of Bemidji On Departed Brothers And High Aim Of Order.

Musical Program Included Orchestral And Quartette And Solo Numbers Of High Order. Thanatopsis By Sec. A. J. Kirk.

DEPARTED BROTHERS

Chas. W. Bloom
Chas. G. Rapp
DeForest Bucklen
Emil Anders
W. M. Watkins

Largely attended and very impressive Memorial services were held Sunday afternoon at the Auditorium by Crookston Lodge No. 342 B. P. O. E. brother E. E. McDonald, attorney for the Crookston Lumber Co., at Bemidji delivering a very earnest and eloquent address on the purposes of the order and paid a high tribute to the departed.

Exalted Ruler W. P. Murphy presided. A quartette consisting of Mrs. Wm. P. Murphy, Miss Meda Chesterman and Messrs. A. J. Brager and Andrew Carlson sang several fine selections, Mrs. Murphy contributed a solo, as did Mr. Ross Chesterman. Thanatopsis was delivered by Secretary A. J. Kirk in a very impressive manner. Rev. C. C. Warner offered the invocation, Rev. F. M. McCoy pronounced the benediction and the orchestra rendered several fine selections. About 250 Elks marched to the Auditorium from thier hall in a body. The services were among the most impressive ever held under the auspices of the Crookston Elks. Tho the local lodge has been established many years, and has a membership of over 300, but five members have crossed the Great Divide.

The hall was appropriately decorated with the colors of the order, purple and white and on the platform in addition to those who participated in the program were Past Exalted Rulers J. D. McPhee, Wm. Anglim, and Thomas Morris and James H. Mapbury.

The address of E. E. McDonaid was of such a character that we reproduce it in full below.

Memorial Address

"It is natural that we enter upon memorial exercises of this character some what bowed or depressed with feelings of sorrow. While our order is but in its infancy, yet, many of our brothers have passed beyond. Their acts were distinguished by marked benevolence and good fellow-ship. Their presence ever a blessing; their boundless kindness like warm sun light of Heaven imparting good cheer to all whom they met, and it is not strange that we mourn their absence.

A Beautiful Simile

"Of inanimate creation a beautiful and fragrant flower, perhaps, is most attractive. We gaze long and lovingly upon its beauty and perfection and linger to enjoy its fragrance and wish it could be with us ever. While we grieve at their going, we recall with a peculiar feeling of pleasure their having been with us. In many respects an Elk, who lives in the spirit of goodfellowship and benevolence resembles a beautiful and fragrant flower, but, in many respects they are different. A flower will bloom and fade and pass away, others will bloom beside or succeed it with no appreciable improvement resulting from the existence of the other. Its beauty will pass from view. Its fragrance is disipated with the passing breeze.

Elevating Influences

Not so with those who live in the atmosphere of Elkdom, or come within the influence of its mighty work. Its atmosphere of Elkdom, or come within the influence of its mighty work. Its atmosphere is always preg nant with a lofty spirit of loyalty to our country, protection to that sacred edifice, the home, and the love of friend. No one can live within,—nay no one can occasionally come within, this atmosphere, without being a better citizen, a truer friend, a fonder husband and father, and be surely led in the direction of that life which we are taught to live in order to inherit the Kingdom of Heaven. Its influence is never lost. Its effect is everlasting. Thus, steadily and certainly, is worked by our order the permanent up-building of mankind.

Tribute to the Departed

"It is, perhaps a violation of the cannons of our order to even refer to the good work we are doing, but of the departed friends we may with propriety speak. Their lives were dedicated to charity, justice, brotherly love and fidelity. That our order is today, without any claim on our part given a high place among fraternal organizations, is due to the fact that our departed friends lived lives conspicuous for their charity, brotherly love, goodfellowship and good cheer. Someone has said that selfishness is the root of all evil. To live a life of selfishness is to degrade oneself, and thru the unavoidable contamination and contagion degrade others, and the sum total is general degradation.

Meaning of Charity

Had our departed friends lived lives of selfishness, they would have earned the condemnation of the world, instead of the laurel of "Well done thou good and faithful servant." Charitableness is the antonym of selfishness and, we may add, and all that is evil. For to be truly charitable we must be kind and forgiving, liberal and benevolent. What more, so far as our earthly existence is concerned, could we ask, than to live among, only, friends, who were kind and forgiving liberal and benevolent, toward us.

Justice to All

"To be just means to yield to our brother that which is his. They were just. They were charitable and just. These were attributes enough to earn for our order the high esteem and regard it now enjoys. But this was not all; they were benevolent. They befriended the friendless. They upheld the frail, and extended their generous aid to the needy, and took to the grave the secret of their good work. The story of their work cannot ever be told. But, sublime as were their acts of charity and justice, and benevolence they do not compare. in some minds, to the acts or works of goodfellowship and good cheer for which they were so noted.

Cheered the Disheartened

"Goodfellowship and good cheer are the principal characteristics that distinguish our order from others. Many a good person has laid down his burden, discouraged and disheartened, when with the aid of goodfellowship and good cheer he would have seen the rainbow of promise in the near future and continued his battle and won a marked success. How many have failed for want of this asnsstance dan never be told, and those who have been assisted to success by goodfellowship and cheer of our deceased brothers, no one but the men cheered on to success will ever know

Cash is Not Everything

"When you are thoroly discouraged and disheartened, with every hand, apparently against you, what matters it that some Rockefeller or Morgan places a few cold coins in the palm of your hand, 'tis but the prolongation of your misery, but let this or even a less amount be placed in your hand accompanied by the cheer that comes from the true Elk, and a new future appears to your vision and resolutions to renew struggle are formed at once, and the battle that was about to be given up is fought out to victory. It is well that the physician when he enters the sick room should bring with him the necessary drugs and lotions to aid nature in the patient's recovery. But those skilled in the profession of medicine realize that it is as important to introduce into the sick room and infect the patient with a feeling of cheerfulness as it is to administer the drug or apply the salve, and in many, many cases,, a recovery could not be had were it not for this good cheer thus injected into the case.

The Future

"It is the firm and satisfactory belief of some that the hereafter holds for us such a position, surrounded with such comforts and enjoyments as we in a measure have qualified ourselves for, or have shown ourselves entitled to by our conduct here This may, or may not, be so, but be this as it may, we can draw from this the pleasing thought that those true Elks who have already crossed the Great Divide, are now enjoying the exalted position, surrounded by the comforts and blessings which, by their conduct here, in their devotion to their order, and their fellowman, they so richly earned.

The Reward of Charity

"And, I care not what the future holds in store for us, it must be that under any plan which an All-wise Providence is carrying out for the eternity of the souls of man, that due credit will be given for all the acts of charity and those of benevolence and good cheer practiced here on earth by our brother Elks. Let the reward be what it may, it must be that we will receive greater or less as we live near or far from the standard of life to which our order is so thoroly pledged and dedicated.

Helped the Needy

"There are many of us who are young in Elkdom and, of course, know but little of the good work our order is doing, but we had acquired a general knowledge of its beneficent work long before our admission. An Elk will extend necessary aid and cheer whenever and wherever needed, finding in the consciousness of having done right full and satisfactory compensation for his effort, and make no mention of his deed. And how much of this work our departed friends have done no one but "He, who knoweth all things" will ever know, for the recipients of these benefactions have offered to Him on high their thanksgiving.

Greater Works

"What more need I say of our dead —nothing. All over this land today we are joined by those inside and outside our own ranks in paying these tributes to the memory of our dead. I would be pleased to close here, but I know that I can best pay tribute to the dead by urging the living on to greater works of charity, benevolence and good cheer.

Possible Dangers

"If there is in the future any danger in store for our order it lies in the fact that men will join our ranks not with an aim to make life brighter and sweeter for others that may be in distress or unfortunate, but with an aim to be benefitted themselves by such association. In time this would make of our order a financial beneficiary organization, and there would depart that spirit, that has been prevalent from its inception, of charity, benevolence and good cheer.

A Grand Future

"But if our order is to continue with none among its membership but those who dedicate themselves to charity, justice, brotherly love and good cheer, then, will our order continue to prosper and grow far in excess of the anticipations of the early founders or those who have passed away, or those who are now in our midst. Let us be Elks because in so being we are enabled to do the greatest good to others, losing sight of ourselves the while.

Selfish Charity

"What may appear to us as true charity may in fact be the vilest selfishness. To make sacrifices and live a life of strictest discipline, for the sole purpose of securing an inheritance in the future, may be selfishness He who goes out in the highways and the byways and turns from the paths of wickedness the sinner and the wrong-doer, that his soul may be saved, and the sinner given a future inheritance, has unconsciously, perhaps earned for himself the right to such preference in the future as lies in the power of man to earn.

Real Unselfishness

"A story is told of our lamented Lincoln that illustrates the difference between selfishness and unselfishness. Upon an occasion of his going to attend court, riding circuit, as they called it, he was accompanied by several friends on horseback. The country contained some deep and muddy mire holes along the road. In one of these, as they passed, was observed a large and fleshy pig, apparently, about to be overcome by the mud and water. The party rode on some little distance, leaving the pig in its distress when suddenly Lincoln turned and rode back in haste exclaiming "I must go back and help that pig out of the mud." While he was gone his friends commented upon his kind act of unselfishness, and how thoughtful he was for the welfare of the poor pig. Presently Lincoln returned, bearing upon his clothing the best possible evidence of his successful extraction of the pig from the mire, and his friends, feeling somewhat ashamed and rebuked, inquired why he was so solicitious of the pig's welfare, and Lincoln replied that he did not care a fig for the pig, or its welfare or comfort, but that he had in mind his own comfort and peace of mind. The knowledge that the pig was about to drown, and that he could save it, was making him a very uncomfortable man, and he returned to help the pig from the mire, not to relieve the pig but to relieve himself. And so if we would analyze many of our every day acts, which we choose to term acts of charity, we might find that back behind, as the spring there of, was some selfish end to be gained.

Avoiding Self

"It is apparent that to avoid self in our every-day life is no easy matter. We were born, raised and now live under circumstances that make it almost necessary in order to preserve life, to constantly make the battle for self. It is a strife that we are not responsible for and one that is forced upon us. To be able to work for the good of mankind instead of self requires almost superhuman ability. Yet in its essentials and in results this is the work of our order.

An Age of Commercialism

"We are living now in an age of commercialism when the incentive that prompts our every act is to gain for self all that lies within our reach be it prosperity, distinction, pleasure or comfort. This awful struggle might well be termed the carnage of the greedy. To in a measure temper this struggle with justice and mercy is one of the things expected of our order. If we succeed the fact will be established that mankind can be permanently improved by the process of improving others by improving our selves. It matters not from what walk of life we come we are constantly drilled in the thought that we should not part with anything unless we receive in return something tangible of a sufficiently greater value to represent a profit or reward. This tends toward extreme selfishness. It is to the credit of those who founded and early supported our order and those who have gone before us that their lives were pleasantly conspicuous for their kindness and benevolence. They lived as near as man can now live the exemplary life of an Elk. We mourn the absent ones. We rejoice in the rich inheritance they earned during their brief sojourn here.

A Rock to be Avoided

"We hope that this spirit of commercialism that seems to turn the heart of man to flint—this doctrine of the survival of the fittest—will never lay its blighting hold upon our order. Our order is free, may it ever remain. But as our membership increases the danger of the introduction may increase. The larger the membership the greater the gain to him who joins for selfish ends. Let us then be conscious of his admission and finds new members only among those who are willing in a measure, at least to put aside for a time their solf interest that the welfare of all Elkdom and all mankind may be advanced.

"Our order has wisely abstained from permitting the use thereof for business or political ends, and, may it ever be thus. Any departure from this safe course threatens disaster.

A Sacred Emblem

'Our emblem should be kept as something almost sacred. Let us not by any act of commission or ommission permit or encourage it to be degraded or used except in furtherance of the lofty ideals of our order. Let the love of liberty and loyalty to our countrp stand fixed in our hearts Let the interests of self, and self-advancement, give way to the interests of our friend and brother. Let every thought be shaped by a desire to advance the good of mankind and you will advance the welfare of our order and perpetuate the memory of those who have gone before.

A Worthy Origin

"I may be pardoned to speak to those who are not of our order. The order of Elks sprang from, apparently, an insignificant effort. The benevolent and protective order of Elks recognized as one of the leading organizations, pledging its loyalty to our country its protection to the home and its love of friend, was born in 1867 as the result of some oppressive conditions then prevalent in the city of New York. It found its birth place in a humble boarding house in which a few congenial spirits were housed The love of liberty and appreciation of goodfellowship and good cheer brought it into existence. The hearts of a few men thus thrown together, and who founded the order, were bound together by this spirit of good fellowship and friendship, and from that day to this the prevailing, predominant and guiding spirit or our order are the undissolvable bonds of friendship, the firm resolution of each member to make life brighter and pleasanter, "ministering to the sick, relieving the distressed, aiding the unfortunate, and working together for the common good of all mankind."

300,000 Members

"When it was first organized our order was given another name, and upon a Sunday, February 16, 1868, the present name was selected. Of course an organization of this kind with such aims, dedicated to such work, could not but succeed, and now the order has spread to every American city of any note, gathering under its banner over 300,000 men who represent the highest and best type of American citizenship and manhood Though not a beneficial order, it has been said of us, that we extend more in unostentatious charity than any other organization in the world. The order of Elks "Holds high above all other things, as high as hope's great throbbing star above the darkness of the dead, the love of wife and home and friend.'

Parting Counsel

"To those of our order:

"Then let the memory of our departed friends so spur us on in direction of our lofty ideals in life that all our acts will be so tempered with such kindness and benevolence that all who learn thereof will know they are the deeds of Elks."

SHARP AND FOLLOWERS IN DEADLY POLICE FIGHT

RELIGIOUS FANATIC IN CROOKSTON LAST SUMMER FIGURES IN BLOODY BATTLE—ONE KILLED FOUR MORTALLY WOUNDED AND SEVERAL INJURED—PATROLMAN SHOT THRU HEART WHILE SHARP IS FATALLY IN JURED — PROBATION OFFICER AND ANOTHER POLICEMAN A RE SLIGHTLY INJURED—KANSAS CITY IS SCENE OF SENSATION AL GUN FIGHT BETWEEN JOHN SHARP "ADAM GOD" HIS FOLLOWERS AND THE POLICE—RELIGIOUS FANATICS OPEN HOSTILITIES AND WHOLE FORCE IS NECESSARY TO SUBDUE THE M

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9— Lola Pratt, the child who was wounded while attempting to escape from officers in rowboats, died last night. Sergeant Clark is reported to be at the point of death, while Patrolman Mullane is not expected to live till night.

John Sharp referred to in the following Associated Press dispatch, and his band of followers will be remembered by a great many Crookston people. Sharp, who calls himself the second man Adam, or Adam God, was in Crookston last summer with his wife, five children and another man and woman. The band drew considerable attention by going thru the streets in a small wagon drawn by an old bay horse and singing sacred music, after which they held meetings on the street corners. They were also at Grand Forks, Lancaster and other points in northern Minnesota. One of the most important parts of their evening program was the taking of a collection.

Last summer Sharp started northward, claiming that he was the leader the Doukhobors were seeking. Canadian authorities immediately took the matter in hand, but Sharp by threats of violence and open display of the fact that he and his folowers were armed to the teeth kept the mounted police at bay. The fanatics success fully pursued their way until Sharp learned the Doukhobors didn't propose to have him for leader, and then turned back to the United States.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9 — In the very shadow of the city hall in this city and less than a half mile from the business center, a riot in which religious fanatics and police were the participants and during which a hundred shots were fired this afternoon, resulted in the death of one policeman, the fatal injury of four and the slight injury of two other persons. The dead

ALBERT O. DALBOW, a patrolman.

Fatally injured: John Sharp, known as Adam God, a street preacher; Lola Pratt, aged 13; Michael Mullane, a patrolman; Patrick Clark, a police sergeant.

Slightly injured: Harry B. Stege, policeman; George M. Holt, probation officer.

The trouble occurred when the streets were crowded with people, While the battle was in progress the participants traversed an entire block the final stages of the fight being enacted directly across the street from an entrance to the police station.

Cause of Trouble

George M. Holt probation officer of the juvenile court, went to Fifth and Main streets to investigate a case of alleged abduction. Near that street corner he came upon Sharp, who surrounded by companions was exhorting to a crowd of street loafers. With Sharp were J. Selzer, a woman and five children. The children ranged in age from 14 to 3 years. The officers' suspicions were aroused by the manner in which the woman attempted to secure money contributions from the crowd and he decided that she and her male companions were not proper persons to have the custody of young children.

Uses Revolver

The woman announced that she and "Adam God" would conduct services at Creighton's or Poor Man's Mission, one block north, tonight, whereupon she and her companions started in the direction of the mission. Officer Holt then inquired as to the identity of the children. The woman replied that the officer "had better attend to his own business." The officer presevered in his inquiries, when "Adam God" whose long flowing beard and hair gave him the appearance of a patriarch, threatened the officer with physical violence. Officer Holt was not armed, but stood his ground, and "Adam God" struck him a heavy blow behind the ear with a pistol, making an ugly wound. Holt then started for the police station for assistance and as he moved away the preacher tried to shoot but was so excited that he dropped his revolver as he attempted to draw it and when he picked it up and snapped it at the officer, the cartridge failed to explode.

Rush for Aid

Officer Holt rushed into the police station and announced that a band of religious fanatics, armed to the teeth was at the very threshold of the police station, and he warned the officers to prepare for trouble. The police sergeant in charge ordered Patrolmen Chas. Dalbow and Harry E. Stege to go out and arrest Sharp and his followers.

The religionists were within 50 yards of the police station when the officers stepped into the street. They gave evidence of being in a frenzy of rage and with profane abuse they served notice on all who chanced to hear them that they would preach "right under the eaves of the police station and the police cannot prevent us."

Open Fire on Police

The officers were not expecting serious trouble and were not prepared for the volley of bullets which met them immediately after they appeared on the scene. Dalbow was killed instantly and a bullet passed thru Stege's arm. Other officers, hearing the firing, rushed into the street, and a general battle ensued.

The officers as they stepped from the building, offered themselves as targets to their opponents of the fight but were unable to shoot without endangering the lives of innocent persons. Lieut. Clark who had come into the street unarmed, was shot in the eye and patrolman Mullane was shot in the back as he hurried into the police station for reinforcements.

Sharp Shot Down

In the meantime a riot call had been sounded and policemen were appearing from all directions. Thoroly aroused the officers closed in on Sharp and his followers, firing as they went, but taking great care not to injure any of the children, and when the firing ceased, "Adam God" lay fatally wounded, shot thru the head and body.

During the firing there was a great scattering of the spectators and when the battle was over the police and their antagonists had the block entirely to themselves.

The seriously injured were taken to hospitals and then the police began to clear the streets of all street preachers, and it is said that the trouble today marks the end of religious exhortations on the streets of Kansas City.

Grand Forks Herald: Cards of invitation are out for the marriage of Miss Florence Mallory, daughter of Mrs. O. E. Mallory of Walnut Street to Charles M. Horlacher of Indianapolis, Ind., the ceremony to occur on Wednesday the 16th at the bride's home at four o'clock in the afternoon. The guests will number only family connections and intimate friends, a few of whom will come from a distance among them Mr. Horlacher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Horlacher of Indianapolis. Immediately after the marriage the young people will leave for Bismarck where a few days will be spent with Supreme Judge and Mrs. Charles J. Fisk, before their departure for the new home in Indiana. Mr. and Mrs. Horlacher, Sr., will also visit the Fisk's before their return home.

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MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO ORGANIZE MORE COMPACT BASEBALL LEAGUE

THE GOPHER AND FLICKERTAIL STATE FANS HAVE FEASIBLE SCHEME

From Tuesday's Daily—

The story comes from Fargo that six North Dakota towns, with Crookston and Bemidji of Northern Minnesota may have a baseball league in 1908.

Unless there is a possibility of the Northern league breaking into the Twin Cities Fargo will not be with the old organization. The jumps to Duluth and Winnipeg are too long. Winnipeg and Brandon will undoubtedly align themselves with teams in western Canada and Duluth with the Wisconsin State league or the copper country.

Fargo Wahpeton, Valley City, Hinot, Jamestown, Bismarck, Devils Lake Grand Forks and possibly the two Minnesota towns would furnish a compact league.

It is thought there would be little or no difficulty in securing eight of these towns in a league that could be profitably operated with a short schedule next summer.

Considerable interest has been aroused over the plan and a meeting will be calld soon.

GOPHER FARMERS GETTING WEALTHY

1500 CARS OF POTATOES VALUED AT MORE THAN $400,000

1500 cars of potatoes will be shipped from Princeton this year, which is about 900,000 bushels, valued at nearly a million dollars. Most of t he tubers are brought to town in wagons and from farms of 80 acres each.

In the territory from which these potatoes come there are 15 creameries which with the stock raised in connection with dairying. will add another $400,000 to the income of the farmers. With other products added, the total will amount to fully $1,000,000. The land of these farmers is held at from $50 to $60 per acre. Mille Lacs county is one of the more recently settled in this section of the state Not long ago these lands were considered of little value and went begging at $5 per acre.

BIG SAW MILL ON NO. BORDER

INTERNATIONAL FALLS TO HAVE A NEW SAW MILL — LARGE LOG SUPPLY

It is reported on reliable authority that the Backus-Brooks people, who are putting in a big power plant at International Falls will put in a new sawmill in that city in the near future R. S. McDonald representative of the company, E. W. Backus, president of the company and J. G. Miller, who built Shevlin's big mill at Spooner, have been holding a conference and it is thought that steps will be taken for the erection of the mill. The supply of logs on Rainy Lake and its tributaries is abundant only a small per cent having been cut.

EULOGIUM FROM AN OLD FRIEND

John Cromb one of Crookston's ablest citizens died at his residence on the morning of the 10th inst. Mr. Cromb has been a sufferer for many years and has fought bravely and persistently against it. We first met Mr. Cromb about the time the U. S. land office was moved from Detroit to Crookston, in May, 1879, of which office he was receiver and T. C. Shapleigh was register. Mr. Cromb was a careful painstaking officer and had a host of friends. In later years he held the office of mayor of Crookston and for the last twenty years has been the honored president of the Merchant's Bank. Crookston will miss the genial face of John Cromb and will not easily find one to take his place in the offections of her citizens.—Cass Lake Times, Judge Ives editor.

BUSINESS GREAT SAYS TRAVELER

CROOKSTON SALESMAN SAYS CONDITIONS ARE HARD TO IMPROVE ON NOW

PROSPERITY OVER NORTHWEST DULUTH WHEAT SHIPMENTS ESTABLISH RECORD

"Business this fall is excellent" said A. L. Fuller, one of the best known travelers on the road, with headquarters in Crookston when queried by the Fargo Call editor yesterday. "There is a degree of prosperity evident in the northwest this fall, which cannot go unnoticed. There is money in circulation and not a complaint can be made."

Reports come from every quarter, similar to this. That there is more money in the northwest this fall than for years, is the verdict of those who are in positions to know. While a large percent of the wheat has been marketed, yet there are thousands of bushels yet to be shipped. Referring to the wheat shipments, Mr. Fuller referred to a dispatch sent out from Duluth last week, as follows:

"Grain shipments from the Duluth-Superior harbor for the week just closed broke all the world records. The 11,794,000 bushels of grain that were taken from the head of the lakes elevators during the week ending last night was the largest ever made from any port of the world in that length of time.

"The last two days of the week broke individual records. Friday's shipment was 2,000,000 bushels; and yesterday's was 1,737,000 bushels.

"The D. G. Kerr also shared in the record breaking. This big steamer took out a cargo of over 4,000,000 bushels of durum wheat which is the greatest cargo of one kind of grain that has ever been taken down the lakes from this port.

"The reason for the rush in shipping is the expiration of insurance. Policies ran out at midnight last she she she seses shre seseshrdlu u night on the regular insurance, but the elevators kept on working all night, as there is a large fleet of ships upon which the insurance has been extended until midnight next Tuesday.

"Ships were going out yesterday as fast as they could get loaded and kept up till midnight."

HEAVY HOLIDAY TRAFFIC CERTAIN

Early reservations indicate that very heavy holiday passenger business will be done by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific out of Crookston beginning with next week. Both roads are receiving a number of passenger reservations every day from people who are going East and West for the holidays.

A number of Canadians in this city and vicinity will as usual take advantage of the holiday rates offered to Canadian points, while the rates offered to Chicago and from Chicago East, via the Chicago-New York lines will attract a great many from here

Practically all of the Chicago lines have offered rates to Eastern and Southwestern points.

DEATH RELIEVES SUFFERINGS

J. B. COLEMAN OF THIS CITY DIED FROM CANCER LAST SATURDAY

J. B. Coleman a resident of Jeromes addition in this city for several years died last Saturday night at the hospital, suffering from cancer of which he has been afflicted for some time, and was a constant sufferer for the past three months. Mr. Coleman was 55 years of age and leaves a wife and nine children, most of which are grown. He was a scaler for the mill company and after the closing down here he went to work at Thief River Falls. Mr. Coleman was prominent in the I. O. O. F. and will be interred under their auspices tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Services will be held at the Presbyterian church.

There's hardly anything seems so extravagant to a man as to ride in a cab instead of a street car if it's with any of his own family.

One way to keep your credit good is to pay your debts promptly.

SHIP PACKAGES BEFORE XMAS

EXPRESS AGENT ISSUES TIMELY WARNING TO PEOPLE WHO WOULD SEND PACKAGES

DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE BUT GET GIFTS STARTED EARLY

From Monday's Daily—

"Send your express packages early" say the express agents. "Remember that your's will only be one out of several million Christmas packages that will be sent this year and while it will be given just the same service as anybody else's we can't get it to its destination on time if you send it late or depend upon the same service you get at ordinary times."

Agent Chas. Handy of the Northern Pacific Express Co., said this morning that express packages should be sent a couple of days ahead of the usual time to insure their arriving at their destination by Christmas as there is an awful rush of express at that time and while there would be little or no delay at the sending or receiving office there are chances for packages being delayed at transfer points where the congestion is very heavy.

"People like to get their packages on time," said Mr. Handy, "as if they arrive after Christmas they lose a good deal of their glitter in the receiver's eye. We don't do anything but work Christmas and in a town of this size we have always been able to deliver all the packages that arrived on Christmas day, but it is at the transfer points that the express is delayed. We have a neat little sticker which we paste on the Christmas boxes which tells the recipient that it is not to be opened until Xmas and in this manner the receiver knows that it is a Christmas present and will not open it."

SCHREIBER FOUND GUILTY

FOUND GUILTY OF KILLING FORMER POLK COUNTY RESIDENT

JURY WAS OUT 48 HOURS BEFORE REACHING AN AGREEMENT

From Saturday's Daily—

Duluth, Dec. 12—William Schreiber was found guilty of murder in the first degree here yesterday afternoon at 3:15. He killed Frank Massapust a settler near Ashawa, last February Schreiber tried to cash a certificate of deposit belonging to Massapust, which led to his arrest. The house in which the murder was committed was burned on the night of the tragedy, and the body was almost consumed. The defense contended that the commitment of any crime had not been proved. An acquittal was generally expected. The jury was out 48 hours before reaching a verdict.

(Ed. Note: On page 8 of this issue will be found an account of Massapust's residence in Polk county some time ago.

BOYS RUN AWAY FROM ORPHANAGE

TWO DULUTH LADS START OFF TO MAKE NAME AND FORTUNE

Two boys, John Weatherhead age 15 and Raymond Riley age 14, yesterday ran away from the St. James orphanage at Duluth and have not up to date, been caught, in spite of the efforts of the local police who were soon on the job.

They left at 7 o'clock, and the sisters at the institution are much worried over their continued absence.

Both were homeless boys who were being cared for at the institution. It is believed that the boys wanted to see something of the world.

Biggs Gets Place

Geo. Biggs of Larimore has accepted the position of night yardmaster at Devils Lake succeeding Dick Morgan who has accepted a similar position at Vancouver. James Bannister a yardmaster of the Great Northern yards left for Great Falls where he has accepted the position of yardmaster of the Great Northern yards. Mr. Biggs is a cousin of Mrs. E. W. Robbins of this city and is rapidly advancing as a railroad man.

LAWS CLUTCHES GETS VIOLATORS

GAME WARDEN MUNCH'S VIGILANT DRAG NET GETS MANY VIOLATORS

ILLEGAL OPERATIONS IN CLEARWATER CO. IS STOPPED FOR ALL TIME

From Monday's Daily—

With the conviction at Bagley today of seven violators of the game laws, Wm. Munch the vigilant warden of the state game laws, has brought to the bars of justice, the largest batch that has ever been apprehended in the east country, where it is very hard to catch and convict violators on acount of the sparse settlements and the tendency of the law breakers to shield one another. To make this capture Mr. Munch had to drive about 125 miles during the severe weather of last week.

Those captured and convicted with the amount of their fines were:

J. C. Charles, Adolph, Dave and C. L. Stenlund were found guilty of selling white fish, and each using two more nets than were allowed by law. Their fine was $53 each. L. Halvorson postmaster and merchant at Neving was convicted for having moose meat in his possession. He too was fined $53. Jerome Thayer and Chas Morrow were guilty of using nets not complying with the law and were fined $11.50.

The cases were all tried before Justice Day at Bagley and were proseouted by County Attorney Tietsworth of Clearwater County, who gave the game warden every assistance. The fish were caught in Clearwater lake and the parties convicted are all residents of Clearwater county,

About 1,000 pounds of fish were confiscated and may be sent by Mr. Munch to Crookston and sold for the Game and Fish Commission.

PREPARATIONS FOR YULETIDE

SONS OF NORWAY ELECT OFFICERS AND PREPARE FOR HOLIDAYS

A LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING WAS HELD LAST .... NIGHT BY S. OF N.

From Tuesday's Daily—

The regular annual election of officers of the Sons of Norway was held last night at their meeting in Woodmen hall last night. A large number of the members were present and also much other business of importance was transacted:

The officers elected are as follows:
President—Carl Carlson:
Vice Pres.—G. J. Flaten.
Secretary—H. L. Waage.
Fin. Sec.—Henry Larson.
Treas.—Arthur Anderson.
Regent—Olaf Skodje.
Marshal—Theo. Regeson.
Inside Guard—A. M Lunde.
Outside Guard—Bernard Lein.
Physicians—Drs. Kjelland and Bertelson.

A large Christmas tree with appropriate festivities will be enjoyed some time during Yuletide, and the retiring officers were appointed a committee to prepare for this occasion.

For the grand union festivities to be held at Fargo during the holiday week, the Crookston lodge has elected the following representative citizens to attend: P. J. Tronrud, A. M. Sivertson, Henry Larson and Trigve Randers. The Fargo lodge are figuring on building a large lodge home and wish to have the members of the surrounding lodges assist them in furthering the plans.

The Crookston lodge is now in a flourishing and prosperous condition and see a very optimistic year's work before them.

MRS. GEO. RALPH IS VERY ILL

Mrs. George Ralph, formerly of this city now living in St. Paul is very low, and her friends hold little hope for her recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Will Low have received word to come to St. Paul and they will probably leave this evening. Mrs. Ralph has a large number of friends here who all join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

All things are of a temporary nature so what's the use of worrying?

POPULAR AND PROMINENT

CLIFFORD CARTER'S HOME PAPER SPEAKS IN HIGHEST PRAISE

KNOXVILLE, TENN., SORROWS OVER DEATH—STOOD HIGH AMONG FRIENDS

From Tuesday's Daily—

A copy of the Knoxville, Tenn., Journal and Tribune, received by Donald Prudhomme of this city. It has the following to say regarding the unfortunate death of the late Clifford Carter:

Sad news reached this city yesterday telling of the death of Clifford L. Carter at Crookston, Minn., where he has been for some five years holding a responsible position as manager of the shoe department of the largest department store in that city. Mr. Carter is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carter, 955 North Fifth Avenue, and a brother of Mr. Hal D. Carter mailing clerk of The Journal and Tribune.

The news reached here early in the afternoon in a telegram to Mr. T. W. Carter, briefly announcing the death of his son, who had been in ill health for some time. His family however had not been alarmed over his condition as his last letter home, received some two weeks since did not mention his illness, and it is supposed that he did not mention his being sick in order that his family might not become unduly alarmed over his condition. He had regretted that he would not be able to spend the holidays with his parents, and brothers and sisters, owing to his duties in connection with the responsible position, and the re-organizatio of his firm, and the remodeling of the store and preparations for the new year.

The remains will be shipped to this city by express and will probably arrive Saturday night, and in that event the funeral services will be held Sunday. Announcement as to the time of the funeral will appear later.

The deceased was well known in this city. He was twenty-nine years of age. He had graduated from the Knoxville high school some twelve years ago, after attending the North Knoxville school several years. He was very popular with a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

Following his completion of the schools of this city he entered a business career ,and held a position with the wholesale hat store of S. C. Dismukes & Co., and later went on the road as a traveling salesman for the same firm. For two years he was employed as a salesman for the Harbison Shoe Co., on Market Square where he was employed when he received a flattering offer of a position with a big shoe house in Minnesota. He has made his home in Crookston for the past five years.

LODGE HAS FOUR STATE OFFICERS

MANKATO ELKS LODGE CLAIMS JOHNSON, EBERHART, DINEHART AND SCHMAHL

At the recent election four members of the Mankato lodge of Elks were elected to state offices, Governor Johnson, Lieutenant Governor Eberhart, Secretary of State Schmahl and State Treasurer Dinehart. Congressman Hammond of St. James and Davis of St. Peter and District Judge Pfau are also members of the lodge In view of this great honor the lodge held a Thanksgiving social recently to rejoice with the successful brothers.

FIGURING OUT THE TIME CARD

Whenever there is to be a change in the running of trains, or a new train is to be put on, the trainmen figure out how it is to effect them. The addition of the Warroad extension will make little changes in trains as the passenger will double the road as it does now, but crews will have to be re-arranged. The humor is that no additional crews will be needed, but that three crews will run first in, first out, on the three branches, St. Vincent, Fargo, and Warroad. This is an arrangement no doubt, little relished by those affected, as it will make long hours and leave very little time to them here at home, where the crews will be required to live.

KEELEY NOT TO BLAME

LOCAL OFFICIALS AND DISPATCHERS SAY OPERATOR, IF ANYONE, IS GUILTY

OPERATOR BELIEVED TO HAVE TAKEN NAP AT WRONG TIME

From Saturday's Daily—

Local railway officials do not see any justice in the conviction of Harry Keeley a former well known and popular resident of Crookston, at Missoula on a charge of being responsible for the death of five men who lost their lives in a collision between a passenger train and a freight. As the local men understand the situation Dispatcher Keeley had been misinformed by the operator as to the location of the freight train. Possibly the operator had taken a brief nap and did not notice whether the train had passed. A meeting place was arranged for the freight and passenger train in accordance with Keeley's understanding of the situation and the wreck was a result.

Local railway men stated last night that the blame rests on the operator according to all rules of the company They were very much surprised over the conviction of Keeley, who was well known here, and believe that he will be granted a new trial by the supreme court.

MANY FIRES AT BEMIDJI & HALLOCK

FORMER RESIDENT OF FOSSTON AND HALLOCK SUFFERS A SMALL LOSS

For the second time during the night fire broke out in the barn owned by JJohn Goodman of this city, behind the City Drug store, and almost completely destroyed the structure before the fire department arrived on the scene and extinguished the flames. Mr. Goodman lost a harness, a buggy and some cement supplies which he had stored there, totaling a value of about $200.

LAND OFFICE RULES ENFORCED

STRICT ENFORCEMENT OF RULES MUST BE HEREAFTER ENFORCED IN OFFICES

Officials of the United States land office will lay themselves liable to suspension unless they adhere strictly to the rules concerning their office space. Notice has ben received from the department of the interior at Washington, D. C., that immediate suspension will follow any violation of the ordinance prohibiting attorneys, agents and other persons not officially connected with the office from using that part not reserved for the general public.

K. C.'S SELECT NEW OFFICERS

ORDER IS GROWING RAPIDLY — LOCAL COUNCIL NOT 2 YEARS OLD

Crookston Council No. 1216 Knights of Columbus held an important meeting this week at which officers for the ensuing year were elected. The local council has a membership of 96 and is not yet two years old. It is probable that a big class will be initiated on the second anniversary of the installation of the local council in April. The meeting nights are the 2nd and 4th Wednesday evenings in each month in Woodmen hall. Following is the list of the officers elect for the ensuing year:

Grand Knight, N. B. Moran.
Deputy Grand Knight, A. J. McKinnon.
Chancellor, Geo. J. Cannon.
Warden, Dan Hughes.
Rec. Sec., J. R. Morin.
Fin. Sec., J. J. Flynn.
Treas., F. R. Hamel.
Inner Guard, Wm. Millette.
Outer Guard, J. E. Page.
Advocate, P. J. Russell, Bemidji.
Lecturer, M. H. Thielion.

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JOHN CROMB PASSES AWAY AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

ONE OF THE FOREMOST CITIZENS OF CROOKSTON LAYS DOWN LIFE'S BURDENS PROMINENTLY IDENTIFIED WITH GROWTH OF CITY SINCE EARLY DAYS—ENTIRE CITY MOURNS LOSS OF ONE WHO EXEMPLIFIED THE HIGHEST TYPE OF AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP

From Thursday's Daily—

John Cromb is dead. All Crookston mourns.

After a lingering intestinal illness covering a period of nearly three years, one of the men whose activities have been closely identified with the history of Crookston since 1881 passed peacefully away at 2:45 o'clock a. m. today at his home 401 Hunter street in this city surounded by his four children, aged 65 years and 10 months.

Mr. Cromb came to Crookston in 1881 from Becker county, where he had served several years as county auditor, to assume his duties as register of the United States land office in this city and served in that capacity for several years.

He then became associated with the Merchants National Bank the oldest banking institution in Crookston and Polk Co., and has been president of that institution ever since devoting all his time to that institution till he became incapacitated about three years ago since which time he has not given the business his entire attention. Mr. Cromb has also been a member of the Crookston school board for the past 23 years first serving as clerk, and for many years past has been president of the board, which office he held at the time of his death.

Mr. Cromb was identified with every movement having for its object the advancement of Crookston both morally, educationally and commercially. He was extremely public spirited and contributed liberally to every worthy cause.

He was a man of high morals and the name of John Cromb was synonymous to honesty and integrity in their most amplified interpretation. He had the fullest confidence of everyone and his personality had much to do with the wonderful growth of the banking institution with which he was identified very closely till the last years of its history.

He was an ardent baseball fan, and was one of the main supports of the Crookston Northern League team, as well as all amateur base ball organizations the city has had, but always insisted that the sport be conducted along clean lines, with all rowdyism eliminated. He was largely instrumental in securing the present baseball park.

The loss of no citizen ever caused more sincere mourning than the death of John Cromb. As a business man, neighbor and citizen he was looked upon as having all those qualities, harmoniously blended, which go to constitute the highest type of manhood and American citizenship. It is a byword that John Cromb never had an enemy, and all who knew him was a warm friend.

John Cromb was born in Perthshire Scotland, Feb. 27, 1843, being eldest of three children, a brother James and a sister Alice still residing at the old home. Before coming to this country Mr. Cromb was a railway agent.

Mr. Cromb came to the United States with his wife, first settling at Balmoral, Ottertail Co., Minn., in June, 1869, remaining there till the following spring when he moved to Becker Co., locating in Lake Park township May 20, 1870.

He was appointed as member of the first board of county commissioners by Gov. Austin, at the time Becker Co., was organized in March 1871 and was the first county auditor elected by the people of that county which office he held until the fall of 1881 when he resigned to accept the appointment of Register of the U. S. Land Office at Crookston. He has been a member of the school board for 23 years, a member of the State Normal school board, mayor of Crookston, president of the Merchants National bank of Crookston for over 20 years. Mr. Cromb was also president of the Charter Commission and was one of the most active members of that body.

Mr. Cromb is survived by four children and two grand children, the children all having been born in Becker Co., and they are Mrs. Cecelia C. Boisser of Lake Geneva, Wis., Mrs. Annie F. Brown of Crookston, Dr. John R. Cromb of Fargo, and Mrs. Agnes Gildersleeve of Crookston. The grand children are Arthur Cromb Boissier, and Margaret F. Brown.

Mrs. Cromb died March 13, 1899.

Deceased was a member of Crookston Lodge No. 141, A. F. and A. M. and also belonged to the Crookston Commandery, and was a Shriner, being a member of Zurah Temple, St. Paul, and the funeral services, which will probably be held Sunday will be under the auspices of the Masonic order.

Roosevelt For Presideut Ot University Ot Minnesota

Theodore Roosevelt for president of the University of Minnesota to succeed President Cyrus Northrup. This is the latest development in the university situation.

Regents of the university are said to have discussed the probability of Theodore Roosevelt succeeding Dr. Cyrus Northrop as president of the Minnesota institution and an emissary of the regents, it is rumored, will be sent to Washington to ascertain whether President Roosevelt would accept an offer. That President Roosevelt would come west at the completion of his African trip to assume charge of the western institution is not considered an improbability.

It is said that the name of President Roosevelt was brought up at the meeting of the regents on Tuesday last when the resignation of Dr. Cyrus Northrop was presented to the regents.

The minutes of the meeting do not show that the question of a successor to Dr. Northrop was discussed, but the story goes that the discussion was informal and kept secret among the regents.

Dr. Northrop's resignation was not accepted, and in case Mr. Roosevelt should come to the University of Minnesota Dr. Northrop would remain as president for two years more. The men back of the move to invite Roosevelt to accept the Minnesota presidency are said to point out that the task of directing the policies of the university of Minnesota during the next decade will be one for which President Roosevelt is peculiarly fitted and one to which he could apply himself with enthusiasm.

President Roosevelt has always loved the west and has taken a great interest in the development of the great universities of the west. He is a personal friend of Dr. Northrop and Dr. Northrop has been entertained by him in Washington. As president of the Minnesota institution, Mr. Roosevelt would have ample time to devote himself to literary and lecture work and at the same time take an active hand in the development of the west and the encouragement of educational work in the west.

Rumors have connected the name of President Roosevelt with the presidency of Harvard university, but his friends have stated that Mr. Roosevelt is too much the radical and not enough the trained educator to succeed President Eliot.

The regents at the University of Minnesota would confront a different situation. They favor the selection of an aggressive man who will complete Dr. Northrop's work in the building of the University.

S. M. Owen the onl ymember of the board of regents seen in regard to the Roosevelt possibility denied any knowledge of the movement. —Minneapolis Journal.

One thing is certain, that if such a thing could be brought about it would be one of the greatest advertisements possible for the state of Minnesota. The eyes of not only this country, but the civilized world, and a few of the heathens the president will meet on his African trip, will be centered on Minnesota. He would be worth $100,000 per year as the head of the University of Minnesota.

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MURDERED MAN RESIDED IN POLK

GREAT INTEREST TAKEN HERE IN DULUTH MURDER TRIAL

Many of our citizens are interested in the trial of William Schreiber at Duluth for the murder of Frank Massapust last spring. Frank Massapust was a member of the local order of Odd Fellows and last spring word was received here by the lodge officials that he had burned to death in his shack on a claim in St. Louis county. At that time it was supposed Frank had come to his death accidentally but it turned out that he had been shot by Schreiber who then set fire to the shack and cremated the body in order to cover up his crime. Schreiber the man accused of the crime, was a neighbor of Massapust and a strong web of evidence is being woven to prove his guilt. When Frank was here several years ago he stopped at the home of Otto Kankel all one winter and later worked with the N. P. bridge crew on this division for several years. He was well liked by all who knew him and his friends here hope that his slayer will be brought to justice.—Fertile Journal.

FARMER SUFFERS BIG FIRE LOSS

OSCAR OLSON OF MARSHALL CO., LOSES FINE BARN, HARNESS AND HAY

Oscar Olson living on section 28, town of Fork, Marshall County lost his large barn including about 40 tons of hay, all of his harness and a quantity of feed, by fire Thursday morning. The loss is a heavy one as the barn was valued at $1,200 not including the contents, and was insured for but $700. The cause of the fire we have not learned, but seems to be a mystery so far

The total loss is about $3,000.

MANY HORSES DYING IN CLAY COUNTY

Reports come from the southeastern part of Clay county, points southeast of Barnesville, that a, disease has broken out among horses and that many animals on the farm have died. It is stated that first a sore develops on the forelegs of so irritating a nature that the horse licks the sore spot continuously. The licking of the sore carries a small worm, known as bots into the stomach of the afflicted animal and death ensues in two or three weeks. There was an appearance of the disease last spring, but there came an abatement and now it has broken out again, much to the alarm of the farmers and others who own horses. The live stock sanitary board has been advised.

The First Mourning Paper.

The oldest known letter written on black edged note paper as a sign of mourning appears to be one dated Jan. 5, 1683. In Addison's comedy of "The Drummer," 1715, reference is made to the fashion in the words, "My lady's mourning paper that is blacked at the edges." A few years later Allan Ramsay, who died in 1758, speaks in one of his poems of "the sable bordered sheet" as a messenger of sorrow. Mann, writing from Italy to Horace Walpole in 1745, says that it was universally used in Florence at that time. The superior elegance of this Italian note paper, with its narrow margin of black, explains its ready acceptance in this country, where it superseded the quarto sheet with a black border sometimes a quarter of an inch wide. In this way it probably gave an impetus to the fashion. But it is a mistake to suppose, as some have done, that the fashion was introduced from Italy.—London Answers.

A Real Apology.

"When the late Joel Chandler Harris was an editor here among us," said an Atlantan, "I called on him one day and found him very willing to correct an error about me that crept into his columns.

"We talked about newspaper contradictions, public apologies and the like, and 'Uncle Remus' took down a scrapbook and read me an apology that was an apology indeed. It had happened, he said, in a Transvaal paper. I'll never forget it. I agreed with Mr. Harris that it was the finest specimen of the public apology and retraction extant. It said:

"I, the undersigned, A. C. du Plessis, retract hereby everything I have said against the innocent Mr. G. P. Bezuidenhout, calling myself an infamous liar and striking my mouth with the exclamation: 'You mendacious mouth! Why do you lie so?' I declare, further, that I know nothing against the character of Mr. G. P. Bezuidenhout. I call myself, besides, a genuine liar of the first class.

An Anglo-Indian, says an English newspaper, gave the following "character" to his native cook, who exhibited it with much complacency:

"This servant has been with me for six months. It seems much longer. He leaves me now on account of ill health—my ill health."

ENGINEER RALPH DRAFTS REPORT

George A. Ralph, engineer of the state drainage commission, has prepared the draft of the report to be made to the legislature, which draft has been approved by the members of the commission. The report shows wonderful accomplishments in the redemption of marsh lands; that 1907-8 have seen more drainage work accomplished than all the previous work of this character put together amounted to.

Mr. Ralph's report for the legislature is as follows: For the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing drainage ditches under the provisions of the state drainage laws, the state drainage commission was provided with a fund of $200,000, $100,000 of which was to become available Aug. 1, 1907, and $100,000 on Aug. 1, 1908. Under the provisions of this act, the governor was made chairman, and the state auditor, secretary, of the commission. The commission appointed George A. Ralph their chief engineer at a salary of $3,000 per annum, and instructed him to employ such assistants as might be required for the proper execution of the work. Surveys were subsequently made and plans and estimates prepared for state drainage ditches in Roseau, Kittson, Marshall, Polk, Beltrami, Itasca, Koochiching, St. Louis and Aitkin counties, and surveys, plans and estimates made for co-operative ditches under section 22 of the state drainage laws, in Wilkin, Polk, Wadena, Steele, Nicollet, Wabasha, Todd, Stevens Redwood, Chisago, Norman, Aitkin, Traverse, Le Sueur, Jackson, Kandiyohi and Meeker counties.

Delayed by Litigation.

The unfinished work left over from 1905 and 1906 has all been completed with one exceptiono namely, judicial ditch No. 1, Meeker and Kandiyohi counoties, the construction of which was delayed by legal proceedings.

The report here includes an insert of a tabulated statement showing ditch work accomplished during the season of 1907-8.

This shows that state ditches constructed measure 188.9 miles, with 2,309,967.8 cubic yards excavated, at a total cost of $295,457.73, of which the state paid $152,732.49, and the respective counties paid $142,725.14. These new ditches are draining 177,400 acres of state land, and 163,900 acres of private lands.

In St. Louis county, the state ditch work in detail for the past season was as follows: Township 55, range 17, 13½ miles of ditches, 150,485.9 cubic yards excavated, costing $18,894.25, of which the state pays $11,076.40, the county $7,817.95, draining 12,000 acres of state lands and 8,000 acres of private lands.

In co-operative work (where the cost is overburdensome to country or private property owners under extenuating circumstances) during the past year there have been constructed 146 miles of ditches, 2,169,609 cubic yards excavated at a cost of $178,903.04, of which the state pays $32,500, and the respective counties $1,227. hTe miles of state ditch work of the past year is divided among counties as follows: Marshall, 14; Kittson, 16; Roseau, 26; Beltrami, 5; St. Louis, 39; Koochiching, 38.2; Itasca, 16.83; Aitkin, 38.5. Miles of co-operative ditches were built by counties as follows: Wilkin, 5; Polk, 6; Wadena, 26; Nicollet, 20; Steele, 52; Kandiyohi, 27; Stevens, 10; Redwood, 15; Chisago, 5.

History of Drainage.

Up to 1893, no public drainage work of any magnitude had been done in the state, and very little drainage work had been done by private parties. From the year 1893 to 1900, some ditches were constructed in different parts of the state, principally in the Red River Valley. Since the year 1900, drainage work has been carried on throughout the state on a much greater scale. Each succeeding year brought greater activity in this line, the years 1907 and 1908 being the banner years in drainage work in the history of the state. It is safe to say as much drainage work was done thruout the state in the years 1907 and 1908 as had been done altogether prior to that time.

The policy of the state drainage commission has been to drain only such lands as will become immediately available for agricultural purposes, and lands requiring little clearing or other expense to bring them under cultivation. The work of the commission has to a large extent been confined to localities in the proximity of railroads and trade centers, and of open meadow or marsh lands, avoiding as far s possible

far as practicable the drainage of lands wher the life of valuable growing timber would be endangered.

In the construction of ditches, public highways were constructed along the side of each ditch from the earth excavated from the ditch wherever such construction was practicable. When the drainage work contracted for in the years 1907 and 1908 shall all have been completed, there will be 104 miles of graded roaod along the several ditches, constructed from earth excavated therefrom. These roadgrades have been built at small additional cost, the average cost not being more than one-half cent per cubic yard, $75 per mile of road.

The problems of drainage, highway construction, improvement of natural waterways and conservation of the state's natural resources are so intertwined that the solution of each must be worked out with due consideration of the other. The most important element in the problem of highway construction is drainage. No comprehensive plan of drainage can be worked out without taking into consideration the improvement of natural waterways, such as channel corrections, the construction of empounding reservoirs for the regulation and control of flood waters to the end that disastrous floods may be prevented, that our national waterways may be used for navigation to the utmost limit and that the numberless waterpowers thorughout the state may be used with greatest efficiency.

It is estimated that Minnesota had originally 10,000,000 acres of swamp lands, or lands too wet in their natural condition for agricultural purposes. This vast area, comprising as it does about one-fifth of the land area of the state, is fast being transformed from swamp lands to productive farms. Conservative estimates place the area reclaimed during 1907 and 1908 at 1,000,000 acres. Surveys are now being made for a drainage proposition in eastern Marshall county which contemplates the drainage of over 100,000 acres. Another project is under way in western Beltrami county involving the drainage of 75,000 acres.

Tile Extensively Used.

In southern Minnesota, tile, or under drainage, is being put in quite extensively. Plats for the maufacture of drain tile have been and are being constructed at various points throughout the state, emphasizing the fact that there is great demand for drain tile. During the season of 1908 as many as 50 ditch excavating machines were in operation in the state. These machines are mostly of the floating dredge or steam shovel pattern, the average capacity of each being about 40,000 cubic yards per month. The outlook for increased activity in drainage work throughouto the state was never more favorable.

With our increasing population, the area of unoccupied agricultural lands must constantly diminish and the demand for agricultural products must in the natural order of things contantly increase. No one factor plays a more important part in satisfying this demand than drainage. By continuing the drainage of the wet lands of the state thousands of acres of the most productive lads of the state can be added to the wealth producing area of the state each succeeding year and millions of dollars added to her wealth of agricultural products.

Under our present drainage laws, drainage work may be carried on so that the work need not become burdensome to the state or the individual. The moneys advanced by the state for doing the work are all covered back into the state treasury, together with 4 per cent interest per annum for the time the money is used when the lands so drained are sold.

Long Time Payments.

Ditches constructed under the direction of the county authorities may be constructed and the cos of the work distributed over long periods at low rates of interest.

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It is recommended that the state legislature make liberal provisions for carrying on the state drainage work, that appropriations be made so that a fixed amount will be available for this purpose each year for a time of sufficient duration to drain all the swamp lands available for agricultural purposes.

It is highly important that extensive topographical surveys of the great river systems of our state should be made. Such surveys would serve a three-fold purpose. iFrst, the securing of data from which complete drainage records can be prepared of the entire watershed of the streams. Second, the securing of the data necessary to determine the proper location and cost of construction of empounding reservoirs required to regulate and control the flood waters of the streams. Third, the securing of data from which plans and estimates for the proper improvement of the channels of natural water courses can be made, such as bank revettment, straightening, deepening, removing obstructions, etc., to the end that navigation of our streams may be facilitated wherever possible, and the greatest efficiency of all water power plants obtained. The run-off waters of these great drainage basins would then become powerful agencies in the development of our great state and not dreadful messengers of ruin and waste, as they are now regarded in times of flood on the Red River of the North, the upper Mississippi, and on the Minnesota river.

INTEREST IN POULTRY SHOW— The First Annual Show of the Northern Minnesota Poultrymen's Association will be held in the McKinnon block in this city Dec. 17 to 21 with Hon. D. E. Hale as Judge. Entries are pouring in from all over the north half of the state. Mrs. F. C. Mitchell the secretary receiving some yesterday from Osakis, Minn., and the number of birds exhibited promises to exceed by far any poultry show ever held here in the past. Liberal cash premiums have been hung up and great interest is being manifested in the show. With eggs 40c per dozen here, the hen is looked up to with respect as well as awe and all birds offered for sale will be readily disposed of at fancy prices.

And many a meek and lowly man is known only as the wife's husband.

Agitation is the antidote for stagnation.

You may guess what a woman is, but that's your limit.

He isn't much of a baker who eats all the bread he kneads.

Points From The President's Message

I believe that it is worse than folly to attempt to prohibit all combinations, as is done by the Sherman anti-trust lay.

In the interest of the public representatives of the public should have complete power to see that the rail-roads do their duty by the public.

There are many sincere men who now believe in unrestricted individualism in business.

The reason that led to the formation of the national government was the absolute need that the union, not the states, should deal with interstate and foreign commerce.

Those who believe in efficient national control do not object to combinations.

The danger to American democracy lies in having the power insufficiently concentrated.

It is eminently right that the nation should fix the terms upon which the great fortunes are inherited.

When a workman is injured, what he needs is not an expensive and doubtful lawsuit, but the certainty of rlelief through immediate administrative action.

Beginning with the supreme court, the judges should have their salaries doubled.

"Class consciousness" is equally noxious, whether in an employers' association or in a workingmen's association.

Our judicial system is sound and effective at the core.

A law may be unwise and improper; but it should not for three reasons be declared unconstitutional by a strained interpretation.

For many of the shortcomings of justice our people as a whole are themselves to blame.

Every executive head who advises violent action, or who advocates ill-considered and sweeping measures of reform, is particularly blameworthy.

Our judges should be held in peculiar honor; and the duty of respectful and truthful comment and criticism should be especially binding when we speak of them.

If there is any one duty which more than another we owe to our children and our children's children it is to save the forests.

ELOPED WITH NIECE; ARRESTED AT FORKS

MARRIED MAN FROM NEBRASKA UNDER ARREST—MONSTER IN CROOKSTON AND TRIED TO SECURE WORK FROM MANAGER BRACELIN—ADMITS THAT HE ELOPED OVER FOUR MONTHS AGO WITH NIECE BY MARRIAGE—MOTHER OF GIRL FINDS HER AFTER SEARCH OF MANY WEEKS—MAN IN CASE WILL HAVE HEARING TODAY— MOTHER WILL TAKE HER DAUGHTER BACK TO HER HOME—GIRL BREAKS DOWN WHEN MOTHER GREETS HER

From Friday's Daily—

E. G. O'Fellas ,who three weeks ago was in Crookston with his alleged wife, and tried to secure work as a lineman with Manager Bracelin of the Northwestern Telephone Co., was arrested at Grand Forks last evening charged with having eloped from Hastings, Nebraska, four months ago with Goldie Alexander, a niece by marriage, his wife being a sister of Mrs. Alexander, mother of the girl who became infatuated with him.

Mrs. Alexander arrived at Grand Forks yesterday morning and Chief Overby did the rest. The girl broke down when confronted by her mother in the jail. They first fled to Minneapolis, then to Fargo then to Crookston and then to Grand Forks.

G'Fellas admits his guilt and will have a hearing this afternoon. He is 26 years old and the girl 18. She will return with her mother as soon as G'Fellas gets a start for the N. D. penitentiary.

GRUBER JOINS THE SOCIETY

GENERAL MANAGER OF GREAT NORTHERN TO QUIT SWEARING

J. M. Gruber, general manager of the Great Northern railway is the latest member of the Non-swearing Knights of America, an organization which is having a wonderful growth in North Dakota. Conductor C. R. Wynn, secretary-treasurer, received a letter at Sherwood containing the application blank and the usual fee of five cents required by the order. He has forwarded a certificate of membership to Mr. Gruber. In his letter Mr. Gruber extended best wishes for the success of the organization. Now that he has set the stamp of his approval on the organization it is expected that it will have even a more rapid growth than in the past.

ADA LODGES ELECT OFFICERS

The Masonic officers of the lodge at Ada, for the coming year are W. M. B. E. Dalquist; S. W., G. Kittilson; J. W., L. N. Lee; Secretary, Carl Simenson; Treasurer, Peter Sharp.

The newly elected officers for the M. W. A. at Ada are Severt Bang, V. C.; Carl Simenson, W. A.; Christ Dale, Banker; R. S. Matthews escort; B. E. Dalquist, secretary, [illegible], Watchman and S. J. [illegible] outside guard.

His Successor.

Shortly after the death of one of England's greatest poets a devoted admirer of his visited the little Westmorland villages where the poet had lived and died to gaze reverently at his house, the little church and at some of his favorite haunts where some of his immortal poems were composed..

Seeing an old man a native of the village, the stranger entered into conversation with him, remarking sadly on the death of the poet, to which the old man answered kindly and encouragingly:

"Aye, aye, still I mak' na doobt but t wife 'll carry the bizness on."

Temporary Change

Conductor Chase, of the Northern Pacific has returned to Staples for a few weeks. His place in charge of the local to Pembina from East Grand Forks will be filled by Conductor Flint.

MANY WERE KILLED ON RAILS

151 DEATHS CAUSED BY MINNESOTA ROADS IN YEAR JUST ENDED

The roads in Minnesota last year caused the death of 151 people and injured 1,720 according to the sworn statements of the roads filed with the railway and warehouse commission. These figures include the report of thirty-four roads for the year ending last July. Six small roads, like the Duluth Belt line and similar short stretches are the only ones which have no injury record.

Only three passengers were killed and 156 were injured last year. As opposed to this is the record of eighty two killed and 171 injured "trespassers and others." The number of employes to suffer death from their work was sixty-six with 1,379 injured. There were no railway mail clerks killed and only fourteen were injured during the year.

THE SWORDFISH.

Overlord of the Sea and the Daintiest Feeder That Swims.

The swordfish is the overlord of the sea. Neither the whale, the shark nor any other giant of the deep can conquer him in private fight or public brawl. Nevertheless he is peaceful in the main and seeks the simple life, amusing himself often with worldwide travel and always with delicate gustatory joys. He is the daintiest feeder that swims, always kills his own game and thereby insures its freshness, wherefore his flesh is a delight to the palate of mankind and wherefore, again, men go forth to kill him for market and thereby at times fall upon adventures that make the hunting of tigers and the shooting of grizzlies pale into pastimes for the weary weakling.

For the bold swordfish is still hunted in mode as primitive as that the Eskimo uses to kill the stupid whale, and often the sting of the harpoon changes this luxurious ocean gastronome into a raging water devil, quick to perceive his advantage, charging with the speed of a bullet and the accuracy of a swordsman up against the lone fisherman in the dory who tries to bring him to gaff. Then must the fisherman measure with exactness the lunge of the monster, avoid it by a marvel of nice sidestepping in a plunging dory, or he will be spitted like a lark.—William Inglis in Harper's Weekly.

Uneasy Lies the Head.

Snicker—I dreamed last night that I was a millionaire. Kicker—Well, I might as well have been one for all the sleep I got last night.—Bohemian Magazine.

A Mistaken Idea

that it takes a large amount of money to start a checking account—or that you do not need a checking account because you pay out your money as fast as you receive it. That is just what a checking account is good for—to pay out money. It is the safest, most convenient way and furnishes you with your cancelled check as a receipt — indisputable evidence of payment.

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MAY NEED IT NOW

IT MAY COME IN HANDY SO MIX THIS AT FIRST SIGN

EASILY PREPARED, AND CURES WEAK KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Here is a simple home made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe Try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and four decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

GRAND LODGE OF GOOD TEMPLARS

INTERESTING DISTRICT MEETING WAS HELD AT FOSSTON— OFFICERS ELECTED

The District Lodge of the Third District Minnesota Scandinavian Grand Lodge I. O. G. T. met in semi-annual session last week at Woodman Hall, under the auspices of "Hildurleik" Lodge No. 50, at Fosston.

A class of eight candidates received the district or second degree of the order, and various business matters were disposed of during the day.

District Templar reported having visited the various lodges during the year, and that one lodge has been added to the number, being "Hildurleik" of Fosston.

Indications are pointing to a prosperous growth of the order within the district for the coming year. Much pride is taken in the fact that some of the members of the lodges within the district have gone to other states especially to Washington and that they have there organized lodges, each in their territory; so altho we have lost them as members in our district, they have not been lost to the order but rather, the order has been greatly strengthened by our lodges' individual loss.

The treasurer reported a balance of $120.34 in the treasury.

The executive board was empowered to hire emissaries to work within the district with the end in view of organizing new lodges and building up some of the old ones.

Election of officers resulted in the following:

District Templar—G. T. Hagen, Crookston.

District Advisor—Erick Erickson, Sundahl.

District V. T.—Martin Kokkin, Fertile.

District Secretary—Ludv. E. Nogel Fosston.

District Asst. Sec.—Halstein Wold, Fosston.

District Treas.—H. L. Waage, Crookston.

District Chaplain — Betsy Strand, Fosston.

District Marshal—Robert Mattson, Sundahl.

District Dep. Marshal—H. C. Sampson, Fosston.

District Guard——G. A. Kyllander, Sundahl.

District Sentinel—Victor Hoglund, Sundahl.

As delegate to the Grand Lodge meeting to be held at Sandstone in June, 1909, to represent this district, H. L. Waage was elected.

After the installation of officers, meeting adjourned.

At 8 o'clock in the evening the local lodge entertained the District Lodge visitors at a social where a good program was rendered. Refreshments were served and everybody present had a good time. The main features of the program was a short speech by the C. T., Mr. Buck, a "prolog" written for the occasion by Ludv. E. Nogel and several songs by the "Norden" Male Choir.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Prevents Pneumonia

HARRY KEELEY IN TROUBLE

FORMER CROOKSTON MAN IS FOUND GUILTY OF INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER

AS DISPATCHER GAVE FREIGHT RIGHT OF WAY OVER PASSENGER—5 WERE KILLED

From Thursday's Daily—

Harry J. Keeley for years a well known resident of Crookston and who just prior to leaving for the west was in charge of the local grain brokerage house whose offices were at that time located in the Palace Hotel block at Missoula, Montana, was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter by a jury yesterday. He was formerly a train dispatcher in the Missoula office of the Northern Pacific railroad.

The action resulted from a wreck near Olive, Montana on Sept. 5, when five men were killed. A coroner's jury had previously held Keeley and G. A. Mitchell an operator, on charges of criminal negligence. E. M. Ringer, former chief dispatcher, was also held on a charge of employing incompetent men. Both Ringer and Mitchell is the only one to be convicted.

The jury recommended that he be sent to the state's prison for eight months, and it is understood he will appeal. The most damaging evidence against Keeley showed that he had given a freight train right-of-way over a passenger.

Mitchell was rearrested today at Helena and will face another trial, this time on information charging him with the killing Engineer Thomas Monson one of the five men killed at Olive.

Keeley was a very competent operator, and his friends here believe there must be two sides to the story. The father of Keeley is an engineer running on the Great Northern out of Crookston at the present time.

The unfortunate predicament of Harry, who is married and had one child when he left Crookston, is sincerely regretted by his many friends in this city.

WAYS OF LUMBERJACK GREATLY CHANGED

TENDENCIES TOWARD CUSTOMS OF POLITE SOCIETY—LITERATURE IS WELCOMED

The ways of the lumberjack are changing. Visitors to the lumber camps of recent years have brought back remarkable tales of the passing of the old type of timber wrestler. The new crop is coming in with changed characteristics, they say. The old lumberjacks comment freely on it. Tendencies toward the customs of polite society and an air of unwonted effete cultivation are declared to mark the new regime.

From the lumber camps now comes an appeal for literature. Charitably inclined people are being asked to supply the camps with reading matter with which the woodsmen may improve the long evenings. In some cases small libraries are established in the camps and many of the men acquire more education than they would ever otherwise get thru the reading they do after work at night.

"Can you picture the finish?" asked a resident who used to assist in the destruction of the forests in the old days, in discussing the changing characteristics of the woodsmen. "Can you see 'em sittin' around of an evening, some doin' tattin' while the others reads to 'em from the Ladies' Own Weekly? 'Tis a good thing some of the billies I knew in the old days ain't up there. A fine chance there'd be for learnin' to make handsome chairs out o' flour barrels an' sofy pillers from hair ribbons with a few o' those boys addin' to the gayety o' the evening."

A Personal Appeal

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. Sold by all Druggists.

Poverty Has Its Advantages.

A man on the wane of life observes that poverty has advantages and adversity its uses. If you are poor you can wear out your old clothes. You are excused from calls. You are not troubled with many visitors. Bores do not disturb you. Spongers do not haunt your tables. Brass bands do not serenade you. No one thinks of presenting you with a testimonial. No storekeeper irritates you by asking you, "Is there anything I can do for you?" Begging letter writers do not bother you. Flatterers do not flatter you. You are saved many debts and many a deception. And, lastly, if you have a true friend in the world you are sure to know it in a short space of time, by him not deserting you.—Huntsville

CLIFFORD CARTER ENDS LIFE WITH REVOLVER

PEOPLE OF CROOKSTON TERRIBLY SHOCKED THIS MORNING BY SUICIDE OF WELL KNOWN YOUNG MAN WHO HAD BEEN AT HEAD OF SHOE DEPARTMENT AT THE NEW STORE FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS—ILL HEALTH AND WORRY ASCRIBED AS CAUSE OF THE DEED

From Thursday's Daily—

The people of Crookston were horrified this morning over the report that Clifford Carter, for the past 5 years manager of the shoe department in the New Store had committed suicide in his room in the Palace Hotel, the fatal shot having been fired sometime between 6:45 and 7:15 this morning and death ensued about 11:30, the unfortunate young man never regaining consciousness.

Health Had Been Poor

Mr. Carter had been in poor health for some weeks past, and had been unable to work for several days. Yesterday he laid off but last evening after supper he took a short walk with Robert Cram and said he felt much better and left a call to go to work this morning.

Harold Misner, the night clerk at the Palace, called him at 6:45 this morning and Carter stated that he would get right up. Misner thought nothing more about it till a chamber maid came rushing down stairs stating that Carter was lying on the floor in a pool of blood. His door was partially open and the girl had been attracted by the heavy breathing.

Victim Unconscious

Misner called the day clerk, Will Rice, and together they went to the room and found Carter lying flat on his back with his arms stretched out and under the edge of the rug was found a 38 revolver with one chamber empty, and a hole in the left side of Carter's head told the awful tale. They at once summoned Dr. Dunlop who was on the scene in a few minutes but after a cursory examination he stated that death was a question of but an hour or so.

Parents Notified

The remains were at once taken in charge by Coroner Chesterman who immediately telegraphed to the parents of the deceased who reside at Knoxville, Tennessee, and while no reply has yet been received there is no doubt but what the remains will be shipped there for interment.

Has Been Despondent

For the past month Mr. Carter has been feeling unwell, and prior to that time had been far from robust. Usually he was of a very bright and sunny disposition and possessed all those qualities which go to make a young man extremely popular not only as a salesman, but socially and his companionship was much sought after, but for some little time past he had been morose and down-hearted at intervals. Last evening he was with two of the other New Store clerks till nearly 11 o'clock, and they separated than he had been for some time.

Came North for Health

He had left Knoxville several years ago for his health, and travelled north for a wholesale shoe firm for a time, and then managed the shoe department for a Dakota firm for some time till Wright Ruggles & Co. bought out Fontaine and Anglim when Mr. Ruggles secured him for the store here and he has been with the same concern ever since and was a trusted employe, held in the highest esteem by all his fellow employes.

Enjoyed Sports

Deceased was a great lover of all manner of outdoor sports and every year played baseball with one of the amateur teams in Crookston. His disposition was so genial and the spirit of fairness governed his every action to such an extent that he was extremely popular with all the young people of the city with whom he associated.

Significant Statement

Tuesday evening, while sitting in the Palace hotel conversing with Stanley Bond and Jesse Peterson the subject of another recent suicide in this city was brought up and Mr. Carter during the conversation said: "I think he did just right. He wanted to end his misery and did so. I would do the same thing."

Father a Shoe Man

Mr. Carter who was 30 years of age had been associated with the shoe business all his life his father, T. W. Carter of Knoxville, Tenn., having been in the same line of business, and there was not a better shoe salesman in the Northwest than Clifford.

His many friends in Crookston and thruout this territory are deeply grieved over the sad affair, and this is specially true of those who had worked at his side in the New Store.

He left no farewell message of any kind

A man doesn't realize how small the world is until he tries to dodge his creditors.

Perhaps Lot's wife looked around to see how other woman's dress hung in the back.

COMMENTS ON DIVORCE

DIVORCE IS CONDEMNED

REV. FATHER CLEARY THINKS FUTURE OF THE NATION IS MENACED

.."Marriage, a Most Sacred Social Problem" was the subject of a discourse recently at St. Charles' church in Minneapolis by Father J. M. Cleary. "The divorce evil is our national welfare," said Father Cleary in opening his address. "America today," he continued, "is foremost among the nations of the world in the number of its divorces, statistics showing that there is one divorce to every twelve marriages. It is eating into the vitals of our society, breaking up our homes, and despite our unprecedented prosperity is likely to be the death knell of our country unless its vicious progress is stopped. The life of a nation does not depend upon the greatness of its commerce nor the beauty of its streets. It depends upon its people, and society cannot long be sustained if the sacredness of the home be not guarded. Divorce is the greatest enemy of the home which can now be broken up for the most trival excuse that vicious men and women can think of."

Father Cleary also said that in many cases persons give for seeking divorce are altogether imaginary, as they often find that a second marriage does not improve things for them. And Father Cleary is right regarding at least the vast majority of divorces.

SOCIAL OSTRACISM FOR DIVORCEES

BISHOP WEBB DECLARES THIS MEANS WOULD DISCOURAGE SEPARATIONS

"Social ostracism for all divorced persons, that I believe is the only remedy for the growing evil of divorce" said Bishop W. W. Webb, of the diocese of Milwaukee, yesterday, and discussing this evil.

Bishop Webb has been for many years one of the most active and energetic opponents of the divorce evil He early took an advanced stand against divorce, holding that marriage ought not to be entered into lightly, but that once two people were married they were united for life, that nothing should sever the marriage relation but death.

The bishop is not a preacher alone but he puts in practice what he preaches. "Personally," said Bishop Webb, "I never enter the home of a divorced person in a social way, neither do I invite anyone that I know to be divorced to my home. I have lost many dear friends thru the inforcement of this rule. Of course I have sometimes stopped at the home of people who have been divorced, but at the time I did not know they had been divorced.

"Years ago, in an address delivered in Boston, before I was elected bishop, I took the ground that the only way to meet the divorce evil was to socially octracise all such persons."

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Weed Pest Remedies

Editor Widsten of the Hendrum Review, takes up a timely subject in his last issue, when he discusses the weed pest. The Review says:

Some provision ought to be made for the destruction of weeds. Wild oats and mustard have been about the worst weeds people here have had to contend with, but in late years the Canada thistle, quack grass and other of the more dangerous weeds have been obtaining a foothold, tho none of them are yet general. Here is the plan we should offer: That the state declare all weeds giving the names of the plants to be so classified—as a public nuisance and provide for their extermination by requiring that each owner of real estate destroy those on his own domain, and making the township authorities responsible for keeping the public highways clean of them. We would have it further provided that if the owners refused or neglected to do this the county or township should have it done and charge it up against the property to be paid in the same way as taxes. And to enforce this each county ought to employ a man for three or four months of each year, and to give him considerable authority so that he could take action where necessary without too much loss of time. This man should be independent of local politics, and should be able to give information as to the best methods of killing the weeds, both in direct answer to inquiries and by writing in the local papers—which are always willing and anxious to help in a cause like that. He should try to accomplish the work by advice, but where it was disregarded should be prompt to prosecute. Any county could spend $600 a year for a man like that. Perhaps some of the advanced students in the state agricultural schools would probably make the best inspectors, but if some of the old, retired farmers, or even some of the, active ones who have boys enough at home to attend to the farm work, can be induced to take up the work they would inspire more confidence. To begin with both kinds might be used and a couple of years would demonstrate which was most effective. And the owners of vacant farms—those which have been under cultivation and gone back—should be compelled to seed it to grass. There isn't so much need for a weed law and an officer to enforce on account of the cultivated farm as there is on account of the vacant farms and the public highways They are the main weed nurseries.

The Penalty Of Being Born

The day will come to all nations when instead of paying pensions to soldiers and supporting huge armaments for the destruction of men and property the millions so used will be paid in pensions to mothers and to the aged, as insurance to laborers and in the employment of the unemployed This is one tenet of socialism which is daily appealing more strongly to the common sense and justice of all Americans.

Under the ideal conditions which the founders of this government held in their visions of the future, all this would be unnecessary. They believed that political equality and equality of opportunity would solve the problem as they will in time when they come. But industrial and economic changes have made the fulfillment of this ideal vastly more difficult and have removed them into the far more distant future.

As Olga Nethersole, the actress, said in a recent address in Chicago, upon this general subject, "We must deal with realities," with conditions as we find them. So long as they are as they are there must be armies and navies and there will be war, but it should be America's object as it is, to make these unnecessary.

It should be America's object to make it unnecessary for women, perforce, to be a material factor in our industrial life. When asked from the audience if she and Sarah Bernhardt did not do more for the world by working than they could by marrying, Miss Nethersole answered:

"A thousand times no. We are not doing much. The mother is the one that does most. Governments should make it easier for women to live proper lives, for, while I believe that the holiest thing in the world is motherhood, I believe that the person who takes life is more merciful than he or she who gives it under conditions in which the child does not have a fair chance."

The supreme responsibility of every government is to give that "fair chance," and if natural conditions are against this, then to so equalize them by artificial means, that every child shall have his opportunity, suffering only as he fails to take advantage of it, but penalizing neither him nor his mother for his entrance into the world.

Her Ideal Of A Man

"A Woman's Ideal of a Man" has been interpreted by a divine as follows:

"An ancient philosopher said that human creatures are plentiful but men are scarce, and Carlyle said, in describing the population of his country, that England consisted of so many millions, mostly fools.

The world needs men today, as never before, who can in some degree at least, come up to the ideal given us by the Man of Galilee, and in the degree he measures up to that ideal will he be a true woman's ideal of what a man ought to be.

"The charge has been made that as a rule the men are not as good and true as the women. This may be a just criticism, but there is this to be said, that if men are not up to the standard, in many cases it is because they receive so little help and inspiration from the women. Always will it be true that the highest type of manhood is attained by contact with the highest type of womanhood. Let the woman herself come up to the standard so far as true living is concerned, and it will mean the illumination and suppression in society of most of the undesirable types of manhood, for it is by her scorn or admiration, indorsement or condemnation, that she is able to create public sentiment, giving favor only to manhood's best.

"The ideal woman demands first of all that a man shall build into his life courage, integrity, truthfulness, honesty, generosity and a large pure love He is not afraid of work, nor ashamed of his station in life, provided he is doing his best. He has learned to control himself and for that reason is the master of ordinary circumstances and environments.

"She also demands that the man shall be as pure in mind and habits as she is herself. She will not tolerate one standard for the man and another for the woman, and there is no reason why she should ot demand of the man who leads her to the altar, a heart and life just as white as her own."

The Minnesota Roadmakers' Association which will be in session at the old capitol, St. Paul, Dec. 15, 16 and 17, will discuss the making of roads under all kinds of soil and climatic conditions. Special attention will be given to the maintenance of roads and the construction of steel and concrete bridges and culverts. The membership of the association includes all men in the state who are directly engaged in the work of building and maintaining roads and bridges Some of the best authorities in the country on road building have been secured to take part in the program. The Red River Valley will be well represented.

Hotel men are beginning to feel the effects of the holiday season. The corridors plainly tell the story. All the old familiar faces of the regular traveling men are being missed. They have quit the road—that is, most of them have—until after Christmas. If they did remain on the road they would find little business anyway. This is not the wholesale season. These are the days when the retailer gets his. And while the retailer is making hay while the sun shines, the hotel man must suffer. He takes his medicine philosophically, however, because he knows there's a good time coming.

Somehow a girl seldom thinks it worth her while to trust a trustworthy young man.

A woman can get even with a man by marrying him or by refusing to do so.

STATE PRESS

Aitkin Republican: To the northern part of the state, the most important matter to come before the legislature at its next session is the reapportionment bill. 'Tis true, there is a disposition to give Northern Minnesota more representation, but nothing should be taken for granted, and every northern county should send a delegation of its most influential citizens to St. Paul while this bill is being considered, to let the legislature understand that the people are in earnest in demanding fair and equitable voice in the house and senate, and to give the northern Minnesota members moral support in demanding justice in the matter.

St. Cloud Journal-Press: Governor Johnson has announced that he will reappoint Prof. McVey of the tax commission. The governor is to be commendel for his good judgment in retaining an able and faithful official and to refuse to turn this office over to the hungry politicians.

Madison Independent Press: Once again we are reminded that the speaker of the house should be elected just as the lieutenant governor is, by ballot at the general election.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: The Mineasota legislature is to be congratuluated upon the selection of A. J. Rockne as speaker of the house. Mr. Rockne has shown marked ability as a legislator and no stigma of corporation control is attached to his name Moreover he is one of the best parliamentarians in the state. It is now up to Mr. Rockne to prove his worth by giving the people a show in the make up of the house committees.

Park Rapids Enterprise: Minneapolis has lost the speakership and the state has gained thereby, Hon. A. J. Rockne has the reputation of being a good man in the legislature, he has had large experience and there is a future before him if he deals fairly and [illegible] it is not probable that his friends will be disappointed in him.

Walker Pilot: Wives obtain twice as many divorces as husbands. Many women find that it's a dog's life to feed a brute three times a day and then have him growl between meals.

Walker Pilot: Some folks hate to see their neighbor make a start in life, but they love to see his finish.

WHISKEY MUST BE GRADED

DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONER WOULD HAVE LABELS ACCURATE

MORE EFFECTIVE PATENT MEDICINE AND CREAM LAWS ALSO REQUESTED

A better standard for whiskey with the label giving a truthful statement of its component parts, is demanded by the state dairy and food department. This will be one of its recommendations to the coming legislature, a list of which was today filed with Gov. Johnson.

The department says the whisky on the market today is not what it should be in that the consumer does not always get what he asks and pays for. Samples testel have been everything but good whiskey and because of a defect in the law department has be unable to do anything.

In detail Commissioner Slater says he will ask the legislature for an effective patent medicine law, a measure calling for the weighing of all cream samples, the changing of the oleo law so as to prevent the sale of substitutes resembling yellow butter a law placing the tare weight on all butter packages, the pasteurizing of whey at all cheese factories and the further strengthening of the civil service law.

In the oinspection of local creameries and central churning plants, Commissioner Slater says the law has been enforced without fear or favor tho in the education of those engaged in dairying, favors if anything have been extended to the local creameries as he thinks they are the best for the state.

Mysteries of Civilization.

"You have persuaded the Indian to give up his picturesque headdress and blankets and wear hats and trousers." said the sardonic person.

"Yes; in the interests of civilization."

"And I suppose it is also in the interest of civilization that we pay high prices for these castoff garments of the Indian and use them for wall decorations."—Washington Star.

An Englishman, newly returned from America, was asked if he had visited Philadelphia.

"Oh, ya-as," he replied. "Awfully odd place. Nearly all the people are named Scrapple, and they have a dish they call 'biddle' every morning for breakfast."—Saturday Evening Post.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflammed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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THERMOMETER DAMAGE SUIT

THERMOMETER INDICATED 16 BELOW, FARMER LAID OFF IN FINE WEATHER

DAMAGES MAY BE ASKED OF DEALER FOR LOSSES SUSTAINED

From Monday's Daily—

This is the tale of a little thermometer which may be the cause of a law suit between two well-known residents.

The thermometer was purchased by Charles Butler a homesteader in S. Dakota from a drug firm. It developed that it was out of order, and it registered below zero and the following day 16 below. Butler guaged his farm work by the thermometer and noting by it how cold it apparently was, he concluded not to continue his outside work until the weather became warmer. Therefore he and his hired man remained in idleness two days and hugging the stove in the belief that one of the worst "spells" of cold weather of the winter was being experienced.

He now has learned that the temperature at no time had been below zero and therefore believes he is entitled to damages for the time lost by reason of the faulty thermometer.

THE "DOCTOR."

An Important Functionary on Merchant Vessels Is the Cook.

There is one functionary on merchant vessels of all kinds who has very much more to do with the "peace and dignity" of the floating commonwealth than shore folks usually imagine. I refer to the cook, who is sometimes called the "doctor." Why he is given this cognomen is not altogether plain, for his handiwork seldom has any therapeutic value and in the past, at least, has had much to do with sending poor sailormen to a doctor, if not to Davy Jones' locker. In fact, there was a time in nautical history when the presiding genius of the galley was in such bad repute that to call a man a "son of a sea cook" was a most opprobrious epithet and one that would be emphatically resented. In those days (and to some extent today) the cook was covertly despised by the occupants both of the forecastle and the cabin, though the men "forrard" outwardly professed affection for him and apparently were never so happy as when they could wash his clothes or do him various other favors, with the hope of getting sundry "leavin's" from the cabin table or being granted such privileges as "hanging out" in the galley when rough weather at night made the watch on deck grateful for such shelter. In other ways it was found highly salutary to keep in good graces of his culinary majesty, who frequently was a more powerful person in some respects than the "old man" himself. It is almost needless to add that the more skilled as a cook the cook was the more profound was his influence both fore and aft. But he wasn't often much in the way of skill, all the same.—Shipping Illustrated.

England's Prettiest Villages.

After a very careful survey we venture to write down the names of the six English villages that we consider the prettiest in the land so far as our own opinion and wide experience are concerned. The choice is made impartially and with full knowledge and due recognition of the claims of each to its high place. Here are the six: Bonchurch, Isle of Wight; Clovelly, Devonshire; Witchampton, Dorset; Sonning, Oxfordshire; Shere, Surrey, and Clapham, Yorkshire.—London Strand Magazine.

FRATERNAL ORDERS 1909 OFFICIAL ROSTER

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR OCCUPYING THE TIME OF FRATERNAL ORDERS DURING MONTH OF DECEMBER

E. G. Forks Woodmen

At the regular meeting of the Modern Woodmen of East Grand Forks the following officers were elected for the year 1909. The installation will take place at the next regular meeting.

Council—Jerry Enright.
Advisor—Thomas McCoy.
Banker—Thomas Powers.
Escort—Fred Fieres.
Clerk—G. Purcell.
Watchman—M. J. Enright.
Sentry—J. C. Dangenfield.
Managers—M. J. Sullivan, with the holdovers, J. H. McNicol and M. A. Foote.
Physicians—Dr. G. B. Kirk and W. G. Wilson.

Thief River Falls Eastern Star

The roster of officers who will be at the head of Thief River Falls Eastern Star lodge are:

W. M.—Maude Bishop.
W. P.—Herman Peterson.
A. M.—Sadie Nason.
Sec.—Mable Torrison.
Treas.—Lois Hay.
Conductress—Leesa Lakin.
Associate Conductress—Emily Lakin.

Thief River Falls Woodmen

On Thursday evening of last week the Modern Woodmen of Thief River Falls elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

V. C.—Ira C. Richardson.
W. A.—Edward Rolph.
B.—H. A. Ohm.
Clerk—Louis Lonson.
Escort—Frank Effinger
Watchman—H. D. Cady.
Sentry—Iver Howick.

Roseau Masons

The Roseau Masonic lodge held its annual election of officers last meeting with the following results:

W. M.—G. M. Stebbins.
S. W.—L. W. Thompson.
J. W.—A. H. Foss.
Treas.—T. D. Thorson.
Sec.—T. J. Thompson.

Master-Elect Stebbins appointed the following officers:

S. D.—R. H. Medicraft.
J. D.—Olaf Holdahl.
S. S.—Carl von Rohr.
J. S.—S. T. Holdahl.
Tyler—A. Waag.

Hallock M. W. A.

At the special meeting held on Dec. 8th, for the election of officers of the Hallock M. W. A. camp, No. 5097 the following officers were elected:

V. C.—C. A. Erickson.
W. A.—John S. Anderson.
Clerk—C. I. Moore.
Banker—R. B. Johnson.
Escort—E. Dahlof.
Physician—A. W. Shaleen.
Sentry—Jas. Moen.
Watchman—Edward Berg.
Managers—1 yr., Aug. Sonsteby; 2 yrs., Wm. Hartvig; 3 yrs. Mat Halvorson.

Cass Lake Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors Camp of Cass Lake elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

O.—Mrs. Pease.
V. O.—Mrs. Johnston.
P. O.—Mrs. Kennedy.
C.—Mrs. Kemp.
Recorder—Mrs. Kenyon.
Receiver—Mrs. Partridge.
Marshal—Mrs. Bradbury.
Inner Sentinel—Mrs. Wilson.
Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Klabunde.

Cass Lake Woodmen

The Modern Woodmen Camp of Cass Lake elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

V. C.—Robert Koehn.
W. A.—John Osborne, Jr.
B.—Harry Gamenthaler.
Clerk—John Osborne, Sr.
Escort—Walter Bradbury.
Camp Physician—D. F. Dumas.
Watchman—J. Carriere.
S.—G. O. Drexel.
Manager—P. M. Larson.

Hendrum M. W. A.

The Woodmen Camp of Hendrum held their annual election last week, and the following are the officers for the coming year:

V. C.—Frank Grady.
A.—P. A. Grande.
Treas.—Martin Enger.
Clerk—Wm. Anderson.
The camp now has 46 members.

Warren I. O. O. F.

The Odd Fellow lodge of Warren elected the following officers at the meeting held Monday night:

N. G.—C. Wittensten.
V. G.—A. L. Robertson.
R. S.—Aug. A. Johnson.
F. S.— Ed Natvick.
Treas.—W. H. Dixon.
Trustee—A. N. Lodoen.

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BOUGHT OFF THE BURGLAR.

An Old Banker's Bargain With His Unwelcome Visitor.

"William Winslow Sherman, the old banker, had the coolest nerve of any man I know," said a man who knew him. "Some years ago, when Sherman was an old man and partially crippled by reason of a fall from a horse, he entered his bedroom late at night to find a masked burglar ransacking it.

"The thief had a big gun trained on Sherman in a minute. The banker just waved it aside with a tired hand. 'Put that away,' he said irritably. 'Let us discuss this matter like gentlemen.' The burglar was so surprised he laughed. 'Now, you could hurt me if you wanted to and might get away with some little knickknacks,' said Sherman. 'But you might be caught, and there's a slight probability that you could dispose of my toilet articles profitably. What would you consider a fair cash proposition to go away?' They talked it over in all peace.

"The burglar thought he ought to have $10, but Sherman, after inquiring into the man's habits, said $8 was enough. 'You see,' he said, 'you're a known thief. If this were your first offense, I'd pay your price, but now the police have your picture you ought to be glad to accept any fair compromise and run no risk.'

"The burglar finally agreed to take $8. Sherman pulled out a ten dollar bill. 'Give me $2 change,' said he. And he got it before he paid."—Kansas City Star.

A Life Note.

"Life is what we make it," said the philosopher.

"Alas," exclaimed the practical one, "that we can't make it a million!"

We ask Providence to make us thankful for what we receive and then go to figuring on just how much Providence is going to send us.—Atlanta Constitution.

One Was Enough.

"Papa, why didn't you wear a pair last night?"

"A pair of what, child?"

"A pair of skates."

"What does the boy mean?"

"Why, Bill, the coachman, told the cook that you had a lovely skate on last night when you came home."—Exchange.

QUEER TELEGRAPH POLES.

Made of Adobe In Bolivia—Growing Trees Used In Africa.

The most original telegraph line in the world once extended from the capital of Bolivia, La Paz, to the town of Oruro. In this part of Bolivia there are no growing trees, and wood is so difficult to find that even the ordinary household furniture of the natives is invariably made not of wood, but of dried mud or adobe.

So when the war broke out between Chile and Bolivia and a telegraph line became urgent it was adobe that was chosen for the queerest telegraph poles in existence. These pillars were built on stone foundations and measured about five feet square at the base, with a height of about fifteen feet.

They were placed at intervals of about 361 feet and thus held the wire at a height sufficient to clear the only animals of the country, the llama and the donkey. The total length of the line was 156 miles.

Among other curious telegraph lines is the growing pole line erected in Uganda by an English engineer, who could not find any dead wood which would withstand the white ants and hit upon the idea of transporting growing bark cloth trees to the side of the roads and using them as poles.

In the Dutch East Indies growing trees are turned to account also, but there a wire is stretched across the road between the trees on either side, and the insulator is suspended in its middle, and the line is thus over the road and clear from vegetation.—Chicago Tribune.

Miss Mayme (on vacation)—Oh, auntie, it's a luxury to have nothing to do but just loll in a hammock with my precious Shelley or even the "Vicar of Wakefield-" Elderly Relative—Child, if I hear of any more such scandalous doings I shall write to your mother!—Chicago Tribune.

Riches serve a wise man, but command a fool.—German Proverb.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Sold by all Druggists.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

LEGAL BIZ AT BAGLEY—Attorney Martin O'Brien left this morning for Bagley to attend to some legal business for a client in the Clearwater county courts.

FINISHING TOUCHES — Frank Page the contractor returned from Euclid this morning with part of his crew to put the finishing touches on the fine new $3,000 residence he is building for Colman Keeley at that point.

SECURES PATENT—T. A. K. Oren of Borup has secured a patent from Washington for a display reel, that he has invented. The invention is something new in that line and Mr. Oren expects to realize considerable on it.

BE CAREFUL—The Journal would advise its readers to be very careful about their drinking water and the sanitary condition of their surroundings as quite a few cases of typhoid have developed in the city the past week.

SOUTH FOR WINTER— Ike Lederer of St. Paul the well known and popular Elk, will leave this evening for the south where he will spend the winter. He will be in Cuba part of the time and in Mexico part of the time. Mr. Lederer is well known in this city, and has many friends who wish him a pleasant trip.

OLD SETTLER HERE — Judge and Mrs. McLaughlin of Grand Forks spent yesterday in the city. They attended the funeral of Mr. Cromb an old friend, While here they were the guests of their son Mike McLaughlin. They returned to the Forks last evening.

HILLIGOSS WAS HERE—One of the best known pioneers of Minnesota W. J. Hilligoss passed thru the city this morning and while here greeted a host of friends. Mr. Hilligoss in the pioneer days was resident of Fosston but now resides at St. Cloud. He has a very responsible position with the G. N. land department. He has been on the Pacific coast almost all of the past year and is glad to get back to Minnesota.

WOLF BOUNTIES—The wolf season is now on and there are quite a few farmers who are deriving some revenue from the scalps brought in. The bounty on wolves in this county is $7.50 and each one is a material help just before Christmas. Louis Wentzel of Fisher, Fritjhof of Ugen, of Knute, Ludvig Ludviggulsvig, Belgium, David Flemming, Huntsville, Gustav Rud, Fosston, are parties that visited the auditor after bounties today.

When court convened this morning it was to take up the famous robbery case wherein $1,500 of the Merchants bank's money disappeared and the janitor, Pettaway acused. The readers of the Journal are familiar with the details. A battle royal will be witnessed in the courts during this trial. Pettaway has secured good legal counsel. Frederick L. McGhee the brilliant colored attorney of Minneapolis arriving this morning and will in conjunction of local attorneys defend the prisoner. At the time of going to press only nine jurors had been secured from the regular list and the sheriff was instructed to summon a special venire. Sensational evidence on both sides will be sprung, and this will without doubt be the most interesting and important case of the session.

Six railroad men were without jobs this morning at Minot this morning as the result of high life on a freight train on the Dakota division Friday. A freight car came into Minot Friday minus two cases of quart bottles of champagne which the crew claim had been taken by a hobo enroute. The detectives got busy however, and found upon investigation however that the entire crew was implicated and that each man had received his portion of the "extra dry". The matter was reported to the officials who while they will not prosecute fired all six men who made up the crew.

Box car robberies are not as frequent during the last few months as they have been in the past as every effort is being made by the officials to apprehend the offenders and make the offense a serious one.

From Tuesday's Daily

HAS TYPHOID—Earl Hobet son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hobet has been taken down with an attack of typhoid fever. He is doing very well and no serious results are anticipated.

TRAVELING MEN—Among the belated traveling men in the city from abroad who are making their last annual trip are, Henry Wessel, drygoods and Paul V. Rowens both of St. Paul.

WILL ADJUST LOSS — Magnus Lundberg the insurance expert went to Fosston this morning to adjust a fire loss, sustained by one of his companies.

GONE TO DULUTH—Rev. Father E. Fayolle of Red Lake Falls was a visitor in the city last night, and proceeded to Duluth to confer with the Bishop of this diocese on some important matters affecting the church.

RECOVERS WATCH—Gene Secord of Grand Forks has recovered a valuable watch stolen from him several weeks ago. The watch was in a pawn shop in that city where some one had hocked it for $2.

SETTING STAKES AT WARREN—Engineer O. L. Hamery went up to Warren this morning where he has a few lines to run, and some surveying that will require his attention for a few days.

RIGHT AT HOME— H. C. Misner went up to Euclid this morning to spend the day with Dr. Chapin who is still on the sick list. Mr. Misner will also visit among the old friends, who cast their lot with the valley pioneers of the seventies.

TOWN MONEYS — The following towns have drawn their monies due them from the November settlement. These funds will be kept in town treasuries to pay current expenses: Huntsville $20.28; Gully $26.62; Hubbard $318.71; Liberty $287.04; Winger $383.12.

DEATHS AT BEMIDJI—John Miller a Cass Lake "lumberjack" died in St. Anthony's hospital in Bemidji Sunday night of pneumonia. Up to a late hour last night nothing had been heard from either relatives or friends Mrs. C. H. Williams of that city died yesterday morning at her home on Irvin avenue after being afflicted with heart trouble for several months.

READY FOR SANTA—The Hon. S. Claus who is due in Crookston one week from Friday will find plenty of evergreen trees on which to hang his presents for good little Minot boys and girls for already several of the dealers are showing Xmas trees. There will be plenty of them on hand as more are coming in every day and even the poorest family can afford to buy one this year. In price they are going to range from forty cents to $2.50 and you can get them all the way from two to 13 feet in heighth.

MAIL CLERKS GET BOOST—Mail Clerks Alwin, Loomis, Morefield and Brauner residing at Grand Forks who have been second men on trains Nos. 1 and 2, Great Northern, have been transferred to Nos. 5 and 6 which have been put in the same class as second on the Limited. O'Brien and Bagon of Nos. 3 and 4, and Fodness and Nelson of Nos. 5 and 6, have been transferred to Nos. 1 and 2. The run on Nos. 5 and 6 is preferable and so the older men in the service get it.

HARRY KEELEY—It was with a feeling of deep regret that the many Barnesville friends of Harry Keeley read in the daily papers the first of the week of his conviction on the charge of involuntary manslaughter at Missoula, Mont., last week. Mr. Keeley got his start in railroading in this city, gradually working himself up in the service. His parents reside here and have for many years, his father being a veteran engineer now running on the Northern Division out of here.—Barnesville Review

STOP THE EXCURSION AT ROSEAU—While Crookston is bewailing the lack of an auditorium, Roseau is complacent over the erection of the spacious opera house with a seating capacity of 1,000. Ole Vaa the owner of this building is having the interior finished the stage and fittings having already been placed and soon the citizens of Roseau will have as fine and commodious a public hall as can be found in large cities.—Roseau Co. Times.

The interest in the Pettaway case that now has the attention of the District Court is increasing. As crowds attending attest. The court room is being crowded to its capacity.

The drawing of the jurymen took nearly all of yesterday as each talisman was put thru a thoro examination by the attorneys, Messrs. O. J. Vaule, N. P. Stone and E. M. Lancaster acting as triers.

After about forty had been examined the following jurymen were chosen to sit in the trial: Christ Coulter, John Carter, Bert H. Cochrane, Lewis Cottet, Pascal Toupan, Thomas Harris, Henry Ronne, E. O. Rude, Hugh McDonald, E. P. Berg and P. J. Bollie.

The witnesses so far examined by the prosecution, are A. D. Stephens, cashier of the bank, Virgil McGregor Asst. Cashier; Ed Gildersleeve Teller. Their testimony was mainly relating to the conducting of the affairs of the bank and the relation held there. and the duties of the defendant Patteway Chief Eck testified to the arrest. Mrs. Denham a colored lady who at the instance of the defendant went, with the attorney for defense and found about $400 that had been hid by him in an old barn on the Billings premises on north Main street.

The main interest in the case is the spicy manner of the cross examination by the defendant's attorney, and the hypothetical questions that are shot at the financiering witnesses.

The case will probably require the balance of the week to complete as it will be a legal battle to the finish, and many witnesses have been summoned who are yet to testify.

The state of Minnesota thru the attorney general today brought suit in the district court against the Great Northern Railway company to recover some $113,115 back taxes alleged to be due on the gross earnings of the road for 1906.

The railroad paid 3 per cent on its earnings instead of 4 per cent, required by law, claiming its territorial charter granted it exemption from the provisions of the law.

Don't Try Uncertain Recipes

It is entirely unnecessary to experiment with this, that and the other recipe. Why waste time, money and patience when you can get from your grocer, for 10 cents, a package of "OUR-PIE" Preparation — Lemon, Chocolate or Custard — for making pies that are so good that when you eat one piece you will want another? The way to please the men-folks is to give them good pie.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

ATTORNEY ON SICK LIST—W. E. Rowe has been confined to his home the past week, on account of a fever that at one time threatened to develop into typhoid. He is however recovering and will be able to attend to business in a few days.

FINE SON BORN — Mr. and Mrs. Geo Heller are the parents of a very fine son which arrived Sunday morning. George has been peddling Havana cigars about town ever since, and also entertained a party at the Germania hall last Sunday afternoon.

ENGINE DISABLED —The engine on 33 from Duluth last evening was disabled on the Mesabe division and reached the northern division very late, arriving in Crookston about 3 hours late. The report that a side rod broke just east of Crookston and badly injured the fireman was an error.

PATIENTS DISCHARGED — Judge Middlecoff of the probate court at Duluth yesterday received word from the asylum at Fergus Falls notice that H. E. Peterson Francis Jensen, Jack Ward, Nick Buckovino and Robert A. Towe have been discharged from that institution. The patients were all committed from St. Louis county.

MISSIONARY BUSY—Rev. Samuel Hedegard, the Missionary of the American Sunday School Union will hold special services at Mentor tonight and Thursday night at 7:30, at Brooks on Friday and Saturday evenings at the same hour, and also on Sunday afternoon. Next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings he holds services at Erskine, and at Fosston the latter part of next week.

OLD RESIDENT HERE — James Hanson, of the firm of Hanson Bros. the well known and prosperous hardware merchants of Shelly is spending the day in the city on business. Mr. Hanson formerly resided with his parents four miles west of the city and has many friends here. He says business is good this fall and winter and with Taft at the helm he looks forward to a year of unprecedented prosperity as the farmers are all in good shape for a large crop acreage next spring.

WILL GO AFTER PAWN SHOPS —A watch belonging to Gene Secord of Grand Forks which was stolen from the Y. M. C. A. building of this city in September, was found today at a pawnshop there. The pawn shops were all notified the day after the watch was stolen and the time-piece was later pawned, the second hand jewelers neglecting to notify the chief of police of having secured the watch of which they had a complete description. Chief of Police Overby stated today that he would start an investigation to find out why he was not notified.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

INTERESTING BOOKLET — Ole Schei, formerly of Thief River Falls sends the Journal a handsome booklet giving some idea of the growth and development of Thief River Falls Middle River and vicinity in the past few years. The booklet is handsomely illustrated and very interesting. Mr. Schei has conducted a department store at Thief River Falls known as the "Golden Rule Department store," for years and has been very prosperous. The business was begun as a general store under the firm name of O. J. Schei & Co., and it increased very rapidly being enlarged to a department store in 1904. At the present time the store occupies 10,000 feet of floor space and is one of the best equipped in northern Minnesota. The booklet was issued by Mr. Huseby, formerly of Grand Forks and now located in Crookston.

Knute Thompson of Grand Forks charged with embezzling $200 from the Home Tea company in that city, was arraigned before Judge Templeton in district court this afternoon and pleaded guilty to the charge. He was given a sentence of one year at hard labor confined to the state penitentiary at Bismarck.

Thompson is a resident of Grand Forks and is a married man, his wife and children also residing there. He was employed as driver for the Home Tea company and was given $10 every week with which to make change. It is asserted that he embezzled this money, charging the same up to customers.

Mrs. McRaney's Experience

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for me. Sold by all Druggists.

DRESSING XMAS DOLLS

Every woman delights to dress a doll, for it's hard for even "grown-ups" to withstand the dear doll's witchery.

This year some beautiful wardrobes are being prepared for the gift dolls and fashions are very smart, following closely those adopted by women of wealth.

Evening or opera coats for dolls are as stunningly made as the ones shown in shops for their owners' mammas. Most of these dainty outer garments are decidedly smart, being either of white silk with applique or Irish crochet embroidery, or of light colored broadcloth with hand-embroidered designs as ornaments. They are to be had in both full length or seven-eighths, whichever is more becoming to the little wearer.

Gowns worn under these elaborate wraps are either simple, light dimities prettily made with lace-trimmed yokes, and ruffled skirt, with ribbon girdles for a fitting finish, or they are of Princess models—low neck and arms, and incidentally give them a chance to display the turquoise or coral chains of four strands that are so popular in the toy world this season. Bracelets to match for the same stones are also favorites, tho not so much affected as the necklaces.

A complete rainy-day outfit, including cravenette coat, short cloth rainy day skirt and patent leather sailor or tri-cornered hat, with an umbrella is one of the features of the up-to-date doll's furnishing house.

There are house gowns of wash materials or of silk kimonas, bath robes that any woman would be glad to possess, in adults models, and tiny Turkish slippers for bedroom wear. Extra cloth skirts and shirt-waists, both of white and colored materials made tailor style or for dress occasion, are included in a well-stocked wardrobe for a doll.

Gloves for walking, of heavy pig or dogskin, and long kid ones for afternoon and evening wear, are essential as the dainty plaid and white embroidered handkerchiefs that all dolls must possess nowadays to be considered well gowned.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. Sold by all Druggists.

STEENERSON PUTS IN HIS HIS BANK BILL

Would Limit Postal Savings Deposits To $500 Instead Of $1,000.

Representative Steenerson today at Washington introduced a postal savings bank bill which he framed with a view to meeting the objections to the Carter bill now pending in the senate and which he believes will be supported by many members who represent rural districts.

The main points of difference between the Carter and Steenerson bills are that in the latter state banks are included as custodians of postal savings funds. Such state banks as are designated for this purpose will be required, however, to deposit securities as collateral for deposits, such securities to be approved by the secretary of the treasury and attorney general. They include municipal and district bonds on which there has been no default for five years.

The Steenerson bill also provides that postal savings funds may be invested in municipal securities, at the discretion of the department. Mr. Steenerson also has provided that funds shall be deposited in the name of the depositor, and has stricken out the trustee provision of the Carter bill as that might lead to fraud on creditors of depositors.

Depositors are limited in the Steenerson bill to men married women and minors 10 years old and over ,and the limit of deposit is placed at $500 instead of $1,000 as in the Carter bill.

The Steenerson bill was submitted to Postmaster General Meyer who approved and promised his support for it.

WILL OPEN WAR ON TREE CUTTERS

SUPPLIERS OF CHRISTMAS MARKETS DENUDING NORTHERN MINNESOTA

Gen. C. C. Andrews, executive officer of the state forestry board and Santa Claus are at outs.

General Andrews has declared his intention today of opening war on the men who cut down the festive Christmas trees growing in northern Minnesota. General Andrews states that annually 600,000 small trees—mostly spruce—are cut in northern Minnesota not only for decoration by Santa Claus in Minnesota homes, but for general use in northwest states, and eve to supply the Chicago market. General Andrews states that those who cut these trees do not do so in the heavily wooded districts where such cutting thins the forests to advantage but they do the cutting in spots where young trees are growing on either burnt or cut-over lands; that this cutting is a despoiler of nature's efforts towards referestration of these waste lands. The state forestry board meets tomorrow afternoon and it is probable some action will be taken by the board on General Andrew's suggestion to see what can be done towards preventing the agents of Santa Claus from doing further damage in future years.

NEW LAW FIRM AT FERGUS—County Attorney C. L. Hilton has formed a law partnership with County Attorney Elect Anton B. Thompson and the firm will hereafter be known as Hilton & Thompson. The two men will make a very strong firm Mr. Hilton has been practicing law here for the past twenty years, has been city attornew for two years and county attorney for the past ten years and is now leaving for St. Paul to become assistant attorney general of the state. He will return to Fergus Falls occasionally as his duties will permit and assist in the trial of cases and the handling of the general business of the firm. Mr. Thompson has been practicing law at Henning for the past twelve years, and is justly regarded as one of the county's ablest attorneys.—Fergus Falls Journal.

BARNESVILLE POLICE ACTIVE

MAYOR HAS HIS EYE ON POOL AND BILLIARD HALLS IN THAT CITY

Saturday night Mayor Cowell and Officer Flemming of Barnesville visited the pool and billiard halls of the city, on the lookout for minors and school boys. They only found three in their rounds, those three being in the Crawford place and were ejected. The proprietors of the places promised the officers to implicitly obey the law.

A close watch on the boys are kept in all of the places but some of them will slip in. C. A. Baker has a lunch counter and allows the boys to come in and patronize that but does not allow them to hang about or to play and Mayor Cowell believes that the law is being reasonably well enforced.

COURT ADJOURNED TILL JAN. 4TH

TWO CRIMINAL CASES LEFT BUT WITNESSES WERE NOT AVAILABLE

Judge Watts this afternoon after the jury in the Patteway case had retired anounced an adjournment of the December term of court till Jan. 4th. There still remain two criminal cases to be tried, but neither was ready for trial. This permits all jurors and witnesses to be at home for the holidays, after which the civil calendar will be taken up.

County Attorney Maybury made a good record in cleaning up the criminal business in record time.

The Ainsworth Orchestra of Minneapolis, which furnished the music for the last Crookston Club dance and made a big hit, have been engaged to furnish the music at the annual charity ball to be given by the Bemidji Elks this evening. They will certainly have swell music.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

The "Small Purchase" Temptation

is a foe to the man with an average income—too often it overrules his thoughts of thrift, economy and his spirit of "get-a-start" in the world of money..

When you have currency or small change in your pocket isn't the temptation to be a "good-fellow" or buy some inexpensive but unnecessary article or pleasure, a real one?

Why not start a check account with us — others have found this the easiest and surest method of fighting the "small purchase" temptation.

Scandia American Bank
of Crookston, Minnesota.

KELLY GETS ONE YEAR

COLORED ROBBERS BOTH FOUND GUILTY AND WILL BE SENTENCED LATER

This morning James Kelly charged with robbing a man at East Grand Forks of $22 plead guilty and was sentenced to 1 year at Stillwater by Judge Watts. He will be taken down next week.

Yesterday afternoon the jury in the case against Martin Hill and Chas. Depohnette for robbing Martin Olson of $15, north of the G. N. Depot, found them both guilty.

There is nothing on trial today, but the case against Steve Cherer for robbing a man of $50 at East Grand Forks will be taken up at an evening session tonight or tomorrow.

CROOKSTON TO LOSE VALUED RESIDENT

J. A. McDONALD TO LOCATE IN MINNEAPOLIS WITH SHEVLIN CARPENTER CONCERN

The news of the intended departure from the city of J. A. McDonald, who for the past 9 years has been manager of the St. Hilaire Retail Lumber Co's. general offices in this city will be received with genuine regret He announced today that he intended to remove to Minneapolis with his family shortly after the first of the year It is understood on good authority that Mr. McDonald has been given a substantial recognition of faithful services and ability by being given a promotion in the form of a responsible position with the Shevlin-Carpenter Retail Lumber Co., of Minneapolis and St. Paul with a block of stock also

The general offices of the St. Hilaire Retail Lumber Co., of this city, the Fertile Lumber Co., and the Fargo Lumber Co., owned by the same interests will be moved to Minneapolis and Mr. McDonald will remain the general manager as in the past.

The loss of Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and family will be generally deplored as it is such citizens that no city can well afford to lose but at the same time his friends will rejoice in the recognition of real merit.

The management of every great exposition strives to have their fair different from others in many respects working for distinctive features that will be attractive and advertise the exposition. The management of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition which will be held at Seattle next summer are doing this and expect to go further in distinctive features than any world's fair yet held. There is one feature, however, of the 1909 exposition that is so unique that it will mark the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition as radically different from all other events of the kind held in this country. This exposition is to be dry.

The exposition grounds are part of the great campus of the University of Washington. The laws of the state forbid the sale of liquors within two miles of the University and while there was a disposition on the part of the state legislature to make an exception for 1909 and allow liquor sold on the exposition grounds, the directors and stockholders decided that they would forego precedent and have the first "dry" exposition ever held in the United States. This includes all the cafes and restaurants, the resorts on the Pay Streak and all exhibits. Ample provision will be made for liquid refreshments of the non-alcoholic and non-intoxicating kinds and pipes will be laid for bringing water from one of the best mineral springs in the west right into the grounds.

This novel experiment will, no doubt, be watched with interest by all, as there has been much agitation of the prohibition question in the country during the last year. The management have carefully figured the matter out and believe that the fact of the 1909 exposition being "dry" will not only serve as an excellent advertising feature but it will result in the attendance of many people who wish to show approval to the plan. As far as the financial end is concerned, there is no doubt, for it was long since a settled fact that the selling of liquor on exposition grounds brought in little extra revenue.

The average sinner tires of being preached at by other sinners whose specialties happen to be along different lines.

What wonder that one marriage in twelve results in divorce. Man falls in love with woman in the make-up and is disillusioned when he sees her in the knockdown.

DEATH WAS VERY SUDDEN

NEWS OF DEATH OF FRANK DERESHIA AT TROY, MONTANA

NO DETAILS RECEIVED AND CIRCUMSTANCES AROUSE SUSPICIONS

From Friday's Daily—

A telegram was received yesterday from Troy, Montana, announcing the death of Frank Dereshia son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dereshia of Bemidji and brother of Mrs. Mike Sullivan of this city. No details were given and it is feared he was the victim of an accident or foul play, otherwise he would have communicated with his relatives before he died.

He left Crookston four years ago, for North Dakota, and no trace has been heard of him since till the tragic message today announcing his death. A telegram asking for details was answered briefly to the effect that particulars by mail were enroute here. Deceased was 26 years of age and well known thruout the northern part of the state.

His mother is with her daughter here now, and both are nearly prostrated by the shock.

Unless the letter which is now enroute contains a complete and satisfactory explanation, Mr. Sullivan will go to Troy at once and investigate all the circumstances surrounding the death.

FIRST TRAIN TO WARROAD

DEC. 21 WILL MARK OPENING OF ROAD PROMISED BY JAMES J. HILL

The first regular train over the Warroad extension of the Great Northern road will be run Monday December 21.

The people of Badger, Roseau and Warroad will undoubtedly do some great rejoicing. The people of that section have been waiting for the announcement and now that it has been made by the railroad officials it will be a big relief.

The first regular train will leave Crookston at 8:40 o'clock on the morning of Dec. 21 and will arrive at Warroad at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and arrive at Crookston at 10 o'clock in the evening.

MAHNOMEN CO. HAS TROUBLE

Mahnomen county has been in a peck of trouble since its organization and all on account of the manner in which is was organized Quo Warranto proceedings were once commenced by the publisher of The Tomahawk to annual the county organization, but were dismissed upon a proposition which was submitted to him by certain persons at Mahnomen, who claimed to be acting under the authority of the county attorney of that county, that the case against Wah-we-yea-cumig would be noll'd if the proceedings against the county, were dismissed. The publisher fulfilled his part of the agreement, but the Wah-we-yea-cumig case was not dismissed Now Geo. B. Edkerton a prominent attorney of St. Paul and late assistant attorney general of the state, has been retained to renew the proceeding against the county, and will visit this reservation this week for the purpose of commencing the action.—White Earth Tomahawk.

The stockholders of American corporations with an aggregate capital of $5,800,000,000 number 574,360 while a year ago the same companies had a total of 507,361 holders, an increase during the year of over 67,000. It is estimated that all told there are 1,600,000 stockholders in American rail road and industrial corporations, the number being largely increased during the last year as a result of the distribution of stock, which for one cause or another was liquidated during this period. So far as the actual figures go, it appears that each of the stockholders in railroads owns an average of 119,02 shares, against an average of 136.93 shares a year ago, while the stockholders of the industrial companies own an average of 88.30 shares, against an average of 94.45 shares a year ago. This shows a very healthy condition of affairs.

An Illinois farmer has succeeded in producing cobless corn. That will take all the music out of eating corn for most of us.

Two-thirds of the words in the average school girl's letter are adjectives.

FUR PRICES THIS YEAR

TRAPPERS IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA ARE CATCHING ABUNDANCE OF GOOD SKINS

THE PREVAILING PRICE THIS YEAR MUCH LOWER THAN LAST YEAR

From Friday's Daily—

A Chicago raw fur house which does a large business with northern Minnesota trappers, has issued its first price list of the season, with an explanation to the effect that as the fur season is just beginning values are not yet fully established, but they are given with as much accuracy as possible.

Taken as a whole, prices for raw furs this fall will not be as high as last, according to the circular in question, which is conceded to be one of the most reliable issued. In a few cases better prices will be obtained but the average will be lower altho in a very few instances has there been any very great reduction.

Mink pelts are not commanding quite so high a figure as they were a year ago. Lake Superior mink, classed as among the best in America bring only $6 to $7 a pelt, where last fall the price ran above $10. The price paid for the best Minnesota and Wisconsin skins away from the lake will not exceed $5.50 and the average probably will not run over $4. To command the highest price a skin must be large, in prime condition and so dark in color as to be nearly black

Muskrats are bringing as much as they did last fall. They are selling as high as 31 cents each, which is considered fairly good for that class of fur. Skunks command about the same figure as above. The dealers pay from $1.75 down to 50 cents for skunk, according to their grade. For a while last year exceptionally good skins brought over $2; but not very long.

Marten is another fur in which Northern Minnesota trappers are particularly interested. Marten, mink, muskrat and skunk constitute the biggest portion of the Minnesota trapper's catch. This year it is bringing a fairly good price, $15 to $25 for prize pelts in good condition the price as with the mink depending largely upon the color. A large marten with a prime pelt, but of a light color, will bring only $7 to $12 where another of the same size, with pelt in the same condition only of a dark color will bring as high as $25.

Quite a few otter are also caught in Northern Minnesota. They are selling from $18 to $25 each. The otter is a much larger animal than the marten but its fur is worth no more. Some beaver are left in the state. They are a good deal more difficult to find now than marten, but the very finest beaver skin will not bring more than $8.50

Lynx, at $12 to $15 are unusually high. This is the highest price paid for lynx skins inseveral years in fact.

Prices on other fur-bearing animals trapped in Northern Minnesota are: Grey fox $1.25; red fox, $5.50; fox, cross, $9 to $20; fisher $7 to $12; wolf, timber, $4; wild cat $2.50; weasels, 5c to 40 cents, where two years ago they were $1 each; bear, black, $16 to $20; deer skins, well handled and dry, 40 to 45 cents a pound.

Trapping operations are now well under way in Northern Minnesota. There are a good many men engaged in the business. The rapid settlement and development of the country is every year narrowing the field for trapping operations and it will not be very many more seasons before professionals will have left the state altogether, in search of prolific fields. Settlers and Indians probably will trap as a side line for a good many years yet but fur-bearing animals will not long be numerous enough to make trapping profitable as a business.

It isn't so easy to see how we are going to contrive to give the wage-earner something approaching his share in the profits of our fostered and protected industries; nothing short of that will be either just or permanent.

If President Roosevelt did really bring back a soldier from the Philippines to assist Harvard's football team in defeating Yale, Taft will have four years and probably eight to get even.

The Germans are founding a high-class daily German newspaper in Constantinople to overcome anti-German press influence at the Turkish capital. Now what do you know about that?

Franz Josef of Austria was burned in effigy the other day in Vienna. That's about as favorable a compromise as a modern ruler could expect to make with his subjects.

One editor has just stabbed another Bad enough, but that's better than for the editor to "stick" the paper.

SHOT DEAD OUT WEST

FORMER RESIDENT OF MARSHALL COUNTY KILLED IN A FIGHT OUT WEST

HIS SLAYER AN OLD ACQUAINTANCE AND WAS ALSO FROM MARSHALL COUNTY

From Friday's Daily—

The following will be of local interest as the two men were well known in Crookston, Jim Rafferty having been a son of Lem Rafferty, manager of the big Woodward farm near Warren for years.

Kalispel, Mont., Dec. 11—Jim Rafferty, a partner of Joseph Gangner the pioneer sheriff of Flathead county, who has been engaged in the saloon business for the past 3 years was shot thru the right lung and instantly killed in his place of business by Ed, Finley, a lumberjack, and as a result of four random shots, Al Renert a West Side butcher is nursing two painful flesh wounds.

Finley and Rafferty are old acquaintances from Marshall county, Minnesota, each about 40 to 45 years of age They quarrelled yesterday and Finley had a mania to finish the argument and took a 25 calibre rifle to accomplish his end. He escaped and has not been captured. The sheriff's posse is on his trail and all the surrounding towns have been notified.

MRS. E. NELSON HAD PAINFUL ACCIDENT

FELL FROM TABLE WHILE PUTTING UP CURTAIN AND BROKE ARM

This morning Mrs. E. Nelson, 203 North Main street, while putting up a curtain made a mis-step on the table upon which she was standing and fell to the floor, breaking one of the bones of her forearm. The fracture was at once reduced by a physician. Mrs. Nelson very fortunately escaped any other injury. She is the mother of Conductors Joe Nelson and James Nelson who are now running on the Canadian Northern.

JAMES RUSSEL TO PORTLAND

WILL BE DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT OF SPOKANE, PORTLAND AND SEATTLE

James Russel, formerly connected with the Great Northern in different capacities from chief dispatcher to division superintendent, passed thru the city last evening enroute west. He goes to Portland, Oregon, as division superintendent of the Spokane, Portland and Seattle railroad with headquarters at Portland. A rumor reached Grand Forks a few days ago that Mr. Russell was coming back west as general superintendent at Minot which was disproved by his appearance enrouet west last evening. The road Mr. Russell goes to is connected with the Great Northern and the position is a more lucrative one than the one just left at Aurora, Ill., on the Burlington.

Mrs. Russell will come west immediately after the first of the year and will visit friends in Grand Forks enroute.

Colonel George Harvey, Editor of Harper's, speaking before the St. Hicholas Society said "And is Wall Street itself naught else than a den of iniquity the abode of thieves and scoundrels, insensible to the impelling force of patriotism, actuated solely by sordid, selfish and even criminal motives? We know that Wall Street is the equal, if not the superior, in integrity, in fair dealing, in honesty of purpose, of any financial center of the world, that the basis of success of our great baking houses are intelligence, training, courage and the American spirit of industry born on thru successive generatios."

This omnipotent Devil idea is largely responsible for the stiff game that evil has been able to put up so far.

"You never can stop when the wind
it blows,
And you can't stop the rain from
raining,
Then why, Oh why, go a piping of
your eye
When there's no sort o' use in complaining."

It has been decided that a man has no right to strike his wife with a monkey-wrench. Inch by inch man's divine right to be the head of the family is being undermined.

"Do women dress to please men" asks a feminine writer. Not on your life. They dress to look as good as the next woman, darn her!

ARE CONTENT IN THE PEN

NO PRISONER HAS ATTEMPTED TO ESCAPE IN LAST TWO YEARS

REPORT FILED CONTAINING SOME VERY INTERESTING STATISTICS

From Friday's Daily—

There has not been a single escape or attempt at escape from the Minnesota state penitentiary in the past two years, according to the biennial report of Warden Henry Wolfer just completed and filed with the state board of control.

From the same source comes the information that since Convict No. 1 was swallowed up behind those cold gray walls at the Stillwater institution in 1858, 210 men and women have been sentenced to pass the balance of their natural lives in the prison. All of the "lifers" but nine who were sentenced for crimes against nature were murderers. Twenty-nine of the number died convicts, 39 received pardons, 49 received commuted sentences, 6 were transferred to insane asylums and there are 87 now in prison. The largest number of men and women in confinement during the past 2 years at any one time was 717 The lowest number of prisoners received in any one year was two, in 1858, and the highest 301, in 1907.

Of the 665 prisoners in confinement July 31, 1908, the end of the fiscal year, 163 were from Hennepin county, 57 from Ramsey, 70 from St. Louis and 40 transferred reformatory inmates.

Stealing "Popular"

The most "popular" crime among Minnesota's lawless element is stealig; 146 serving time for grand larceny in the second degree and 54 for the same crime in the first degree, while 52 are serving for burglary.

As to nativity the American-born convicts lead with 155; the Irish are second with 58; Germans third with 41; Swedes fourth with 36, and Africans fifth with 35.

As to habits 59 prisoners are abstinent when at liberty, 385 drink moderately and 221 are intemperate. As to their social relations, 419 are single 184 married, 11 divorced, 45 widowed and six abandoned.

Minnesota's hospitals for the insane numbered 3,314 inmates on the first day of November, according to reports made and filed with the state board of control by the superintendents. The males outnumber the females, there being 2,020 of the former, as compared with 1,394 of the latter. The following are the figures compiled for the five different institutions where insane are cared for:

Fergus Falls, 908 males, 674 females.
St. Peter 516 males, 482 females.
Anoka 293 males, 120 females.
Rochester 629 males, 563 females.
Hastings 303 males, 118 females.

Conditions are more crowded at the Fergus Falls institution than at any of the others but the new detention wing, which is planned to accommodate 60 patients when completed, will relieve the congestion.

ANGUS NEWS

Mrs. J. A. Stroble and son Arthur visited friends in Warren on Thursday.

Sam Morgan, of Crookston, was in town on Thursday.

J. F. Montgomery spent Friday night in Crookston on business.

Mrs. J. W. Campion was a Warren visitor on Friday.

Miss Laura Magladry, of Warren, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Zelia Johnston was home from Warren Saturday.

R. D. Bartlett, of Tabor, passed through here Saturday enroute to Warren.

A. T. Campion and John Henry drove to Warren on Thursday.

The dance on Friday night was well attended. All had a good time.

Ben Sewell spent Monday in Warren on business.

Art Strader drove to Warren Monday.

A. F. and Wm. Stroble transacted business in Warren on Tuesday.

Miss Annie Staska was at Warren on Wednesday on a shopping trip.

L. C. Johnson went to Crookston Wednesday on business.

Albert Peterson and G. E. Arhaug returned home from Crookston on Wednesday morning.

A. T. Campion went to Crookston Wednesday evening.

School District No. 59 will place a telephone in their school house this week.

One of Mail Carrier Iverson's boys is on the sick list.

And it sometimes happens that a man is married to his boss.

DOCTOR'S ORDER WAS: 'CUTICURA'

For a Bad Case of Eczema on Child —Suffered for Three Months— Disease Reached a Fearful State —Pain and Itching were Terrible.

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"When I was small I was troubled with eczema for about three months. It was all over my face and covered nearly all of my head. It reached such a state that it was just a large scab all over, and the pain and itching were terrible. I doctored with an able physician for some time and was then advised by him to use the Cuticura Remedies which I did and I was entirely cured. I have not been bothered with it since. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment but do not know exactly how much was used to complete the cure. I can safely say that Cuticura did a lot for me. Miss Anabel Wilson, North Branch, Mich., Oct. 20, 1907."

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NO CHRISTMAS RATES ARE ON

HOLIDAY SEASON WILL BRING REDUCTION IN SOME STATES

The coming holiday season will witness no change on the part of the railroad officials toward the special rate question in the section of the country where the 2 cent per mile rates is in force. At a recent meeting of the Central Passenger association the tariff committee authorized a holiday rate which amounts to 2 cents per mile each way all over the territory covered by the association. This concession is only nominal inasmuch as most of the states where the association has jurisdiction have 2 cent rate law.

The Western Passenger association at a meeting in Chicago did not even consider holiday rates, all the lines represented at the meeting evidently taking the course pursued by the roads in 1907 and July 4 of this year as final. This means that in South Dakota, Canada and wherever 2 cent laws are not in force the roads will grant the usual fare and a third rate for the holiday season.

APPLE PRICES SOAR SKYWARD

FIRST TIME IN FIVE YEARS THEY COST MORE THAN ORANGES

For the first time in over five years the price of apples is higher than that of oranges.

Fancy Florida oranges are selling on commission row in Minneapolis at $27.5 a box. Apples sell at $2.25 a box. But the orange boxes hold two bushels while the apples are packed one bushel to the box, a difference of 88c a bushel in favor of the apples.

This unusual condition is said to have been caused by excellent crops of oranges both in California and Florida, while the apple crop, tho good is more generally shipped to the smaller cities than in former years, making the big city supply considerably smaller causing a corresponding increase in prices.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Dr. Duggan of Grand Forks passed thru the city this morning enroute to Greenbush on business.

Mayor Nick Engle and son Gus drove down from Euclid last evening with Will Finlayson the Euclid liveryman.

DR. CHAPIN ILL—Dr. Chapin of Euclid is confined to his bed. He recently returned from Chicago where he went for treatment, and returned greatly improved but overestimated his strength and jumped into the harness too quickly.

BACK ON RUN—St Naughtin, one of the well known and popular conductors on the Eastern Minnesota, and who has been laying off for the past two years, has returned to work again and is running a train between Cass Lake and Duluth and the passengers are glad to again greet him in uniform.

WITH NEW FIRM—D. J. Lewis a travelling salesman who has made this territory for many years was here yesterday. He is now with a new house, the Brown-Forman & Co., distillers of Louisville Kentucky, and is pushing "Old Forester" to beat the band. He will make Crookston every three months hereafter.

SECURED A POULTRY SHOW ROOM — The Northern Minnesota Poultry Assn., has been very fortunate in securing the store room in the McKinnon block on South Main Street formerly occupied by Amundson & Bergets Grocery store for their first annual poultry show which will be held Dec. 17 to 21. This location just south of the Scandia American bank is an excellent one. The room is ample in size ,well lighted and is steam heated so all visitors as well as the fowl will be perfectly comfortable

ERSKINE WOODMEN— The Erskine camp of Modern Woodmen met at their hall Wednesday evening and elected the following officers for the coming year: C. P. Hole, V. C.; E. O. Melsness, W. A.; L. R. Larson, E. B.; Theo. Nelson, Clerk; C. E. Dillon, Escort; C. M. Howe, Watchman; T. K. Berge, sentry and A. F. Cronquist as manager. The camp has added a number of new members during the past year and the prospects for the coming year are very bright and at the end of the year Erskine Camp expects to have a much alive bunch of members enrolled and many wives and children enjoying the protection this excellent society affords.

Six coaches strewn along the side of the track about 30 passengers more or less seriously bruised and cut up, and one man reported to be bleeding to death, is the result of the wreck of the Northern Pacific North Coast Limited No. 1, half a mile east of McKenzie.

The wreck occurred about 12:30 o'clock this morning and was caused by the spreading of the rails. The train was going at about 35 miles an hour when the disaster came and was an hour and a half behind time. Just as the train was on a slight fill of 8 or 10 feet the coaches and sleepers left the track in easy fashion turning over. The engine, mail and baggage cars stayed on the track and were pulled up about 20 rods from the wreck. The coaches were crowded and the only thing that saved a terrible loss of life was the easy manner in which the coaches left the track.

The train lies on its side parallel to the track and the cars are not much injured beyond the loss of trucks. Most of the injured are cut by broken glass and bruised. A special left this city about 1 o'clock, taking all the doctors that could be gathered together to care for the injured. The track is completely torn up, rails and ties being scattered for a distance of 25 or 30 rods, and it will take some time to put it in shape for traffic.

EARLY MORNING FIRE— Yesterday morning a fire broke out in the kitchen of the Timothy Sullivan residence on the corner of Pine and 6th Streets. Mr. Sullivan was at home alone his wife being at Grand Forks visiting her daughter who is the wife of Judge P. McLaughlin. The building was a mass of flames before the department reached the scene and the building and all the contents were burned. Loss about $2,000, insurance $500. Mr. Sullivan is employed by the Great Northern railway in the yards here.

FOLEYS HONEY [illegible]
for children, safe, sure. [illegible]

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

MADE FLYING TRIP — Elmer Harris and Chas. Rapin went to Grand Forks last evening returning this morning, and did quite a stroke of busines for a short stay.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES —At Viking Chorus Hall in McKinnon Block on Robert Street, Sunday morning December 13th. Subject: "God, Preserver of Man". A cordial invitation is extended to all.

LITTLE GIRL DIES—Myrtle Horken the seven months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Horken living five miles east of East Grand Forks, died Monday. Funeral services took place Wednesday afternoon at the home, Rev. Jorgeson officiating.

FERTILE BANK OF AGE — The First State Bank of Fertile is twenty one (21) years old this week, and has been all this time under the same management. It is acknowledged by those in position to know to be one of the best managed banks in the state.

LEADER OF THE FAITHFUL — Alex Thompson of Crookston the general agent for the Minneapolis Brewing company came over from Crookston yesterday. Mr. Thompson is one of the stalwart democrats of Polk county and is a leader of the "faithful" in that end of the state.—Bemidji Pioneer.

BIG TILING COMPLETED— Geo. Roberts who has been in charge of installing the big tile drain which drains 1,000 acres of land which was formerly overflowed by the Marais, located northwest of Fisher. The drain was very short only about 500 feet, but it is 22 feet under ground in place, and has a fall of 35 feet in that distance emptying into the Red Lake River.

TO CIRCLE GLOBE — Hon. C. A. Nye, the prominent Moorhead lawyer started last week on a trip around the world. He will sail from San Francisco, and will visit Hawaii, the Philippines, Japan, China and other eastern countries. He will go thru the Mediterranean sea, returning to America across the Atlantic. He will not spend much time in Europe reserving that for a future trip.

ENROUTE TO DENVER — Fred Nash, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nash of East Grand Forks passed thru the city last evening enroute to Minneapolis for a two weeks' visit, after which he will proceed to Denver, Col. where he has secured an engagement behind the footlights and will remain there the balance of the winter after which he will make a trip thru California.

BROKE HIS LEG—Yesterday afternoon while sawing logs for O. H. Bjoin, Albert Simpson sustained a broken leg. With his partner he was rolling a log down from the top of the pile. He thought he stepped far enough back to be out of the way, but the log hit him and the bone snapped just above the ankle. He was taken at once to the home of his son, Sivert South Main street where the broken bone was set and he is resting easy today.

DIVORCE STATISTICS—The government has been doing some investigating as to the causes of divorces and some interesting statistics have been produced. In Minnesota during the 26 years covered by investigation there were 4,192 divorces granted to husbands and 11, 451 divorces to the wives. Drunkenness has been the direct cause of only a small per cent of the divorces. On this account 4.3 per cent of the divorces were granted to the wives and 9 per cent of the total to the husbands.

EGG SHORTAGE HITS N. Y. — People here throw a fit over paying 40 cents per dozen for fresh eggs. Eggs in New York at present are being quoted at top-notch prices, and dealers say the shortage even at this season when the supply is usually limited, is serious. Stocks are being reduced despite the high prices, at the rate of 50,000 cases a week. Fifty to 52 cents is asked for white eggs, while mixed eggs are quoted at from 35 to 42 cents. Low grade eggs bring from 20 to 25 cents, but offerings are light.

PHONE LINE EXTENDED— The Warren Telephone Co., of which Hans Swanson is the manager, has extended the Radium line to Viking and Ellerth connecting at the latter place with a line to Newfolden. The line is already in operation to Viking and by the end of the week will be finished to Ellerth. It will be a great convenience to the people of Warren as well as to those in the eastern part of the county to have telephone communication, and the line will no doubt be well patronized.

Funeral services were held over the remains of Clifford Carter at Chesterman's Chapel this afternoon at 4:30 Rev. Francis M. McCoy of the M. E. church officiating. During the services the New Store was closed, and all the employes of Wright Carpenter &Co., attended together with many other sorrowing friends of the departed. The remains will be taken over the Great Northern on the flyer this evening to Knoxville, Tenn., accompanied by Geo. F. Carpenter.

More sincere sorrow was never expressed than at the services this afternoon. Deceased was a warm personal friend of his employers and all his fellow employes, and with his many friends about the city the deepest regret and sorrow is felt over his sad and sudden taking away.

Good progress is being made with criminal cases in the district court after a dull day yesterday. The jury selected for the trial of Thomas Westre, charged with a hold-up near the N. P. bridge in East Grand Forks was excused today, as an important witness near Blackduck will have to be secured by Deputy Daniels before the state can proceed. J. G. Cannon is defending Westre.

This morning a jury was secured for the charge against Steve Cherer of having received stolen property. He runs a small confectionery stand on the Demers Bridge at East Grand Forks and is accused of having received cigars he knew to have been stolen by an N. P. employe named Opsahl. He is being defended by B. G. Skulason of Grand Forks. All other jurors were excused till Monday morning when the case against A. Pettaway indicted for robbing the Merchants bank for robbing the Guarantee Clothing store and on one other charge will be taken up. This is the most important criminal case for the present term. He will be defended by W. E. Rowe and Chas. O. Longley.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

FATHER VERY ILL—Harry Chapin went to Euclid this morning to spend the day with his father who is not improving as rapidly as could be wished and who is suffering greatly.

OLD SETLERS ATTENTION — The members of the Old Settlers Association will meet at the Commercial club rooms in the City Hall tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 to attend in a body the funeral of the late John Cromb.

SUPT. LUNDBERG ARRIVES — Tuesday morning, Prof C. R. Lundberg reached here from Minneapolis and at once assumed the superintendence of the local public schools. Prof. Lundberg has been hospitably received and expresses himself as being very well pleased with Fosston as far as it has been possible for him to know it in this brief time.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

PROSPEROUS FARMER IN — O. Simmons one of the most prosperous farmers in this section who lives on Rural Route No. 3 out of Crookston was in the city today and decided that he could not get along with the weekly Journal any more and changed to the daily. Mr. Simmons has a fine bunch of 20 milch cows and has 56 head of stock all prime animals.

CONDUCTOR MORIN LAID UP— Conductor Morin of the Great Northern is laid up with two crushed fingers, resulting from an accident last Sunday in which a double cellar door played the roll of villain and smashed two fingers on his left hand which may enforce a layoff of two or three weeks more. He has been railroading 30 years and was never injured till the recent accident in his own house.

LITTLE DAUGHTER DIED—Died, at her home in Erskine yesterday afternoon at 1:30 Hulda Elizabeth Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Carlson, aged twelve years, three months and one day. The sad news of the death of little Hulda has cast a shadow over the whole community. The funeral will be held next Monday and the remains laid to rest in the Hauge's cemetery west of the village where she has a sister and two brothers buried before her.

A GREAT SUCCESS—The Minnesota Co-operative Dairy Association which was organized for the purpose of handling the products of the Minnesota co-operative creameries independent of the eastern commission firms, has proven to be even a greater success than its promoters anticipated. The association has handled over two million pounds of butter since May.

SUCCESSFUL FARMER — H. J. Beardmore, one of the successful farmers of Sandsville who is serving on the petit jury here, returned home this morning, as all jurors not of the Cherer case having been excused till Monday morning. Mr. Beardmore will return on the flyer Sunday evening to be on deck Monday. He is a splendid example of those who have made good in the Red River Valley having become wealthy tilling the soil and he tills it too.

ARGYLE WOODMEN—The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Woodmen Camp at Argyle on Tuesday evening:

V. C.—E. A. Westin.
W. A.—S. E. Thompson.
E. B.—O. H. Moreau.
Escort—Jas. Dundas.
Clerk—G. L. Demers.
Sentry—A. W. Headrick.
Watchman—Matt Hjelle.
Manager—Dave Dundas.

MARTIN ASSISTANT ATTORNEY —The many friends of John M. Martin formerly of Bemidji, will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed as assistant county attorney for St. Louis county, he to officiate in the territory covered by the iron range district. Judge Martin, who is practicing law at Virginia, is a well read attorney, and will undoubtedly render valuable assistance to the county attorney of St. Louis county.

Guilty of Counterfeiting

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. Sold by all Druggists.

STEPHENS IDEA IS EXCELLENT

E. A. NELSON OF HALLOCK NEWS COMMENTS ON PLAN RECENTLY ANNOUNCED

BELIEVES THE IDEA OF SENATOR STEPHENS WILL WORK WONDERS IN FUTURE

From Saturday's Daily—

E. A. Nelson of the Hallock News, former State Librarian and now publisher of the News in addition to dealing extensively in Red River Valley lands, and one of the most wide awake men in the northern part of the state is greatly enthused over the plan recently announced by Senator Stephens to encourage better farming, and in the last issue of the news relative to the matter publishes the following:

"Senator Stephens of Crookston is certainly making splendid use of his wealth and time for the benefit of the farmers of that county. If we had more men in this state that would devote their time to the interest of agriculture as Senator Stephens does, we would devote their time to the interest of agriculture as Senator Stephens does, we would see great change from the northwest.

"Senator Stephens does not only believe in boosting, but he backs his boosting by the cash and offers such inducements from time to time to the farmers of Polk county that they cannot help but become interested. On December 22nd, he offers prizes to the amount of one thousand dollars to the farmers of Polk county for the best grain and stock exhibited for the best grain and stock exhibited in that city.

"Mr. Stephens knows that the soil of the Red River Valley can produce results if properly taken in hand but he also knows that in order to get the best results the farmers have to receive some encouragement which they are justly entitled to. Mr. Stephens' plan for developing an agricultural country is certainly unique and it is hoped that others will follow his plan."

G'FELLAS GOT SIX MONTHS

ELOPED WITH NIECE FROM NEBRASKA AND WAS ARRESTED AT GRAND FORKS

TRIED TO SECURE POSITION IN CROOKSTON—MOTHER OF GIRL LOCATED THEM

From Saturday's Daily—

E. G. G'Fellas who eloped with Miss Goldie Alexander his niece by marriage, from Hastings, Neb., and was arrested at Grand Forks Thursday, entered a plea of guilty today on a charge of living unlawfully with Miss Alexander. He was arraigned before Judge C. F. Templeton and received a jail sentence of 6 months.

Yesterday forenoon G'Fellas was arraigned before Judge P. McLoughlin. He waived examination and was held to the district court. He announced then that he would plead guilty just as soon as given an opportunity.

The accused excuses his action in eloping with Miss Alexander by the statement that his wife nagged him and his home life was so unpleasant that he sought sympathy elsewhere. He became infatuated with Miss Alexander and there was an elopement.

Mrs. Alexander and her daughter plan to leave Grand Forks for Hastings this evening.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

FUNERAL OF JOHN CROMB WILL BE ONE OF MOST IMPOSING EVER HELD HERE

BODY WILL LIE IN STATE AT RESIDENCE FROM 12 TO 1:30 TOMORROW

From Saturday's Daily—

The funeral services over the remains of John Cromb will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 from Christs Episcopal church, Rev. Richard Cox officiating, and the service will be under the auspices of the Masons. The remains will lie in state at the residence, 401 Hunter Street, from 12 o'clock noon tomorrow till 1:30 p. m. with six Knights Templar as a guard of Honor, during which time the remains may be viewed by friends. The casket will not be opened at the church.

The Knights Templar and Blue Lodge of Masons, Order of the Eastern Star, Elks, Polk County Bar Association, Old Settlers Association, Board of Education and City Officials will attend in a body.

The honorary pall bearers will be Messrs. A. D. Stephens, Alden Braley Wm. Watts, J. E. Morrisey, John Moore, M. R. Brown, Max Ericsson and Lorenzo Davis.

The active pall bearers will be Messrs. W. G. Lytle, E. M. Walsh, Frank D. Bell, A. A. Miller, J. W. Wheeler and Lewis Ellington. The floral offerings will be magnificent, coming from fraternal and civic organizations and private individuals.

BLOCKED CROSSING: LOCKMAN FINED

Great Northern Conductor A. G. Lockman, of Grand Forks, was found guilty of violating the city ordinance at the Broadway crossing at Fargo yesterday while in charge of No. 2 by holding the crossing blocked to traffic for almost 15 minutes. Three minutes is the limit provided by ordinance.

Judge Ryan imposed a fine of $5 and costs, which was the minimum amount that the judge could impose under the ordinance.

Six witnesses were examined for the city, among who were four street railway men who testified that one of their street cars was held for 15 minutes by the train and that the street car schedule of the entire city was demoralized for the entire forenoon as a result.

The total amount of fine and costs was $15 which Lockman paid and was discharged. Lockman claimed and the evidence went to prove that he himself was not aware that he was obstructing the crossing, as he believed that his train was clear of the street.

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GREAT ARRAY OF EVIDENCE

SHERIFF AND TWO DEPUTIES ROUNDING UP WITNESSES AGAINST PETTAWAY

JURY RETURNED A VERDICT YESTERDAY ACQUITTING STEVE CHERER

From Saturday's Daily—

Sheriff Gonyea is at Fergus Falls, Deputy Sheriff Alex Gonyea is at Wahpeton, N. D., and Deputy Daniels left on the N. P. this afternoon for Grand Forks, all on the same mission, to secure witnesses to testify against A. Pettaway, the colored porter charged with robbing the Merchants National bank of about $1,000 last summer, and who was also indicted for robbing the Guarantee Clothing store of goods. His case will come up in district court Monday morning and he will be defended by Rowe and Longley and the trial will be the most important on the criminal calendar the present term and will probably last several days.

No cases were on today, all jurors being excused till Monday.

Yesterday morning a jury was secured for the charge against Steve Cherer of having received stolen property. He had a small confectionery stand on the DeMers bridge East Grand Forks, and was accused of having received cigars he knew to have been stolen by an N. P. employe named Opsahl. He was defended by B. G. Skulason of Grand Forks.

The prosecution was hampered by the absence of a material witness. The jury was out less than an hour before returning a verdict of not guilty and the defendant was discharged.

OPSAHL IS FINED $200

[illegible] Opsahl, an employe of the N. Pacific at East Grand Forks, charged with stealing cigars and other goods from the company entered a plea of guilty this afternoon and was fined $200 by Judge Watts.

CLIFFORD CARTER'S REMAINS SHIPPED

The body of the late Clifford Carter were shipped last evening to Knoxville Tenn., where his parents live. Mr. George Carpenter or Donald Prudhomme had planned on accompanying the body to Knoxville but owing to the fact that they were unable to make suitable arrangements at the other end of the line, it was decided that the body would be shipped by express. Many friends were at the depot with the casket.

Remarkable Case; Remarkable Jury

Twice 12 Men, Good and True Failed to Decide Whether Wm. Loomis' Brindle Cow's Penchant for Flirting with E. J. Peterson's Thorobred Holstein was Pronounced and Flagrant Enough to Justify Peterson in Using Language Which Resulted in Loomis Delivering Him a Left Hook in the Eye Free of All Charges.—Jury Fully of Age.

A remarkable case at this term of court, tried by a remarkable jury was that of the State vs. Wm. Loomis who was charged with having assaulted E. J. Peterson of Helgeland. Loomis was arrested last summer and fined $1 in justice court after a jury trial. He appealed from this verdict and the case was the first one tried at the present term. The jury after being out all night disagreed, standing 8 for conviction and four for acquittal.

Another jury was impanelled, the case lasted all day, and they squabbled all night and also disagreed, 8 to 4 just as the first jury. The case will now go over to the June term, after having cost Polk county nearly $1000 for the left hook in the eye which Loomis gave Peterson because the latter objected to a brindled bossy belonging to Loomis flirting with a thorobred Holstein in the Peterson pasture which resulted in the fence being broken down.

But the remarkable part of the second trial was the fact that the jury was composed of 12 men whose ages averaged 58 years, and Capt. M. R. Brown, nearly 70 years of age who was the foreman, was serving his first time as juryman, and after being up all night he said it would be his last, as being over 60 years of age it is optional with him whether he serves as a juryman or not.

The complete list of the jury is as follows: Capt. M. R. Brown, E. M. Lancaster, Pascal Toupin, H. C. Scribner, S. H. Bearnes, H. Y. Ruth, A. O. Johnson, Dick Cooper, H. J. Beardmore, Bert Cochrane, C. Bohn and John N. Kirsch. Over half of the jury was over 60 years of age, the youngest 36, the oldest 70, they had been residents of Polk county an average of 28 years, averaged 58 years of age, all were hale and hearty and fit for a fight—and was it any wonder they did not agree?

Andrew Eaton, of the Township of Knute is another old timer of Polk County who is serving for the first time as a juror. He settled 6 miles north of Fosston 32 years ago and has lived there ever since. There were but six or seven families in that section then among whom were Messrs. Hilligos, LaBree, the two Herschbergers, Flesch and a few others. The only road in that section then was the old Pembina trail, which is still in constant use. It was six years later that they were allowed to file on their land. All their trading was done at Beltrami, the nearest station. A few years later the early residents wanted to organize their township and there were two factions and both had different names to suggest. As a compromise Capt. Brown who was chairman of the board of county commissioners at the time, suggested Knute, which was acceptable to both factions and the difficulty was settled at once.

"ALL ABOARD" FOR "ON TO WARROAD"

Tickets Selling Like Hot Cakes. Business Men Going On Warroad Extension Trip Enmasse.

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+ Late this afternoon arrangements were completed for the Crookston band to accompany the "On To Warroad" special from Crookston to Warroad Friday next. +

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From Wednesday's Daily—

Schedule for Excursion

	Arrive	Depart
Crookston		7:00 a.m.
Tilden Junction ..	7:40 a.m.	7:41 a.m.
Red Lake Falls ..	8:05 a.m.	8:20 a.m.
St. Hilaire	8:45 a.m.	8:55 a.m.
Sandridge	9:40 a.m.	9:45 a.m.
Middle River ...	10:45 a.m.	10:15 a.m.
Strathcona	10:35 a.m.	10:40 a.m.
Greenbush	11:00 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Badger	11:35 a.m.	12:05 p.m.
Roseau	12:35 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Warroad	1:40 p.m.	
Return Trip		
Warroad		2:40 p.m.
Roseau	3:40 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Badger	5:10 p.m.	5:25 p.m.
Greenbush	5:50 p.m.	5:55 p.m.
Thief River Falls	7:20 p.m.	8:35 p.m.

The committee in charge of the 25,000 Commercial club's "On to Warroad" excursion has announced the above schedule of the running time of the "special" which will carray the business men of Crookston thru Red Lake, Marshall and Roseau counties on next Friday.

The schedule as arranged will give an opportunity to the excursionists to stop at almost every town and village enroute to Warroad and at every stop sufficient time will be allowed to make a short visit with the business men and become acquainted with them. A glance at the schedule as arranged will show that the committee has taken into consideration the object for which the trip is made and there is no question but that the time consumed in making these stops will be put to most excellent advantage.

Is Assured Success

There is absolutely no question but that the excursion will be a marked success and the business men of Crookston are worthy of congratulations for the manner in which they have taken hold of the project and the enthusiasm they have displayed in pulling together to make the event a memorable one in the civic life of the community.

The committee in charge of the excursion made a partial canvass of the situation and they disposed of a sufficient number of tickets to secure the special train and at the same time provide funds for the incidental expenses which attend the project.

More Can be Accommodated

It was impossible for the committee to call upon every business man, professional man and citizen, as time would not permit. It called upon a number, who could not be seen, consequently the committee is of the opinion that there are many more who will desire to take in the excursion, but who have not had the opportunity to secure tickets. It is necessary that every one who intends going on the trip ,should communicate with C. R. Winslow of the committee, not later than 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

This should be attended to at once so that they may be included in the special advertising matter which the committee is getting out. This advertising is something different than usually procured and will undoubtedly be a distinct feature of the excursion. If you are going to take the trip, your name should be included on the special card greetings.

Will Receive Warm Welcome

Word has been received from the different towns along the line to the effect that the towns are all anticipating the visit with great enthusiasm and the Crookston people will be given a warm and a rousing welcome. The people of Warroad, Roseau and Badger especially appreciate the sentiment which prompted the giving of the excursion before the regular service has been established. The Crookston special will be the first train with passengers aboard that has ever pulled into these towns and it cannot help but be an event of more than passing importance.

PATTEWAY CASE WENT TO JURY AT 3.20 TODAY

EVIDENCE WAS ALL IN LAST EVENING AND ATTORNEYS FOR STATE AND DEFENSE MADE EXHAUSTIVE AND ABLE ARGUMENTS TO THE JURY TODAY —PATTEWAY CONFIDENT OF ACQUITTAL

The trial of A. Patteway the colored porter at the Merchants National Bank indicted for grand larceny for robbing that institution of about $1,600 early last summer was completed before court adjourned last evening so far as testimony goes, nothing being left but the arguments today, and the jury was charged by Judge Watts and retired at 3:30.

F. L. McGhee, the colored attorney from Minneapolis defended the case and during the session yesterday and today the court house was packed with a crowd such as has never been seen there since the Guilmette murder trial three years ago and scores were refused admission because of lack of room.

McGhee riddled the witnesses for the state unmercifully and his wit greatly amused the crowd and after rapping for order several times Judge Watts threatened to clear the court room if there was another outburst.

This morning County Attorney Maybury addressed the jury for two hours and made a strong and very logical plea for conviction, making the most out of the circumstantial evidence.

Atty. McGhee started his address before dinner and concluded shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon, making a very earnest plea for his client, and showed marked ability as a criminal lawyer.

The state failed to produce any direct evidence against Patteway showing only that defendant had an unusual amount of money for a man in his position, and that it was in silver denominations, and that he had changed much silver for bills at various places but produced a vast array of very strong circumstantial evidence.

On the other hand McGhee showed by a witness from St. Paul that Patteway had left over $800 in cash at the hotel run by the witness shortly before Patteway came to Crookston. It was shown by other witnesses that Patteway also had large sums of money at various places and that before working at the bank had tried to purchase a valuable horse for spot cash but could not agree as to the price.

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Miss Buchanan is visiting with R. Morrison and family.

Maye Montgomery spent last week with Edith Geddes.

Misses Cora Ehnen, Olive Champlain and Tiny Geddes spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents.

Miss Brunner has resigned from teaching the Key Stone school on account of her mother's health. Miss Brunner has made many friends since coming to Key Stone township, who regret her departure.

The chicken pie supper that was given in Key West Friday evening was well attended and everybody seemed to have a good time and also plenty to eat. Tiny Geddes received the most votes as the popular young lady and received a handsome story cake. The program was splendid and enjoyed by all.

Miss Victoria Nyquist took dinner with Mrs. Beveridge Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Lee and Miss Olive Champlain spent Sunday with Tom Rutherford and family.

TO HELP FIGHT WHITE PLAGUE

RED CROSS CHRISTMAS STAMPS RECEIVED BY DR. DAMPIER WILL

BE PUT ON SALE IN DIFFERENT STORES IN THE CITY AT ONCE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Red Cross Christmas stamps were received by Dr. C. E. Dampier this morning to the number of 2,000 and he has spent the day in placing them in the different business houses, where they will be offered for sale. This is an opportunity for the citizens of Crookston to help a most worthy cause along at practically a nominal outlay.

The stamps cost but one cent each and they make a most attractive embellishment for Christmas packages. While conveying from the sender of every Christmas package the greetings of the season, it will at the same time bear a message of hope and cheer to the unfortunates who are under the shadow of the dread afflictian

The stamps have been issued by the Minnesota Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis and it is expected that at least 250,000 will be sold in the different sections of the state. This number has been divided between St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Rochester, Moorhead, Red Wing, St. Cloud, Fergus Falls, St. Peter, Wabasha, Lake City, Owatonna and Crookston the division giving this city the 2,000 which were received this morning by Doctor Dampier.

The stamp movement is a new one and in explanation of it one of the officers of the state association said:

"There is a new stamp in America. These stamps do not carry any kind of mail, but any kind of mail will carry them. This Christmas stamp has been a feature in the anti-tuberculosis movement. For some years it has been used in Denmark. It was first introduced into this country by Delaware three weeks before Christmas in 1907 when nearly 400,000 stamps were sold. The subject was first brought to the attention of the American people by an article in the Outlook by Jacob Riis, July 6, 1907. The National Red Cross Association has undertaken to furnish stamps this year for use thruout the entire country. Wisconsin expects to sell 1,000,000; La Crosse has undertaken to sell 120,000; Madison 100,000. Minnesota wants to sell 250,000 stands before Christmas for the State Anti-Tuberculosis Association.'

The stamps are exceedingly artistic and are in red and green with a holly wreath and bear the words "Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, 1908, National Red Cross Association." There is no question but that the 2,000 stamps should be disposed of in this city in a very short time and by the people of this city taking hold of the project with enthusiasm, they will have participated in a movement that will be of untold benefit to many who at the present time are without hope. The stamps will be on sale in the different stores thruout the city and every citizen should see that every Christmas package he sends out bears the greetings by means of the Red Cross Stamp.

NO CLUE TO ROBBERY OF SANCTUARY

NO TRACE OF ROBBER OR HOLY VESSELS STOLEN FROM E. G. FORKS CHURCH

No clue to the robbers of the sanctuary of the Sacred Heart church at East Grand Forks has been discovered by the police of that city altho the entire surrounding country has been notified of the robbery, which was discovered last Saturday. Philip Tessier, the janitor of church, discovered that the hold communion vessels, consisting of the solid gold chalice and the two ciboriums one of gold and the other of silver, had been taken from the tabernacle.

The robbery is one of the boldest that has ever occurred in the valley and the police are using every effort to locate the thief and the holy vessels. When Mr. Tessier entered the church Saturday morning to ring the bell, he did not notice anything out of order, but when he returned in the afternoon, he noticed the tabernacle was open and the holy vessels gone.

Rev. Father Green is in the habit of locking the tabernacle, but during his illness, he now being confined to the hospital, a very sick man, the tabernacle was locked and the key placed near at hand, where it was located by the thief. The church is left open on Saturday for the accommodation of worshippers and it is thought that the robbery took place sometime during the morning hours after 7 o'clock.

NECK BROKEN BY A FALL

C. McCOY SUSTAINS FATAL INJURY ON HIS FARM NEAR GRAND FORKS

FALLS FROM LOAD OF HAY AND THERE IS NO HOPE FOR HIS RECOVERY

From Wednesday's Daily—

C. McCoy is dying in St. Michaels hospital as a result of a fall from a load of hay sustained on his farm a mile and a half south of Grand Forks on Monday. McCoy was taken to St. Michaels hospital about 4 o'clock yesterday morning. His neck was broken and the physicians informed his son that there was no chance for his recovery. McCoy made his will during the day and prepared for the inevitable.

McCoy was hauling hay in company with his son on the Blackbird farm, a few miles south of town when the accident happened. His son at once sent for a physician and it was decided a litle later that his only hope was to take him to the hospital.

No Hope of Recovery

A consultation of physicians was held yesterday and it was decided that there was no hope for him.

McCoy is a widower and his only relative in this section is his son.

After the accident McCoy was conscious and he was able to arrange his affairs yesterday. Te talked with his son and friends and said goodbye to all of them. Death is expected any moment.

DEMAND MADE BY OLD SOLDIERS

INMATES WANT CONTROL OF HOME AT MINNEHAHA PLACED IN NEW HANDS

An effort to abolish the soldiers' home board and turn the control of the soldiers' home at Minnehaha over to the state board of control, will be made at the coming session of the legislature and there are some indications that the bill will have good support. When the board of control was first established, it was intended to include the soldiers' home but the inmates objected, as they did not wish to be classed with the penal and charitable institutions.

But the inmates have been making complaints for some time and the G. A. R. has sent committees to investigate and found nothing wrong, yet the complaints continue.

This fall the soldiers at the home made an almost unanimous demand to have the present board abolished and the institution placed under the board of control. The soldiers saw the legislative candidates in that district and made them promise to work for a bill to have this change made.

GRAND SIRE NOLEN DIED LAST EVENING

Judge John L. Nolen, grand sire of the soverign grand lodge, Independent order of Odd Fellows, died at Nashville, Tenn., hospital last night at 11:30. The immediate cause of his death was prostration and heart failure following a surgical operation for gall stones.

Judge Nolen was 55 years old and had practiced the profession of law there for 30 years. He was a native of Nolensville, Williamson county, Tenn. Judge Nolen leaves a widow, four sons and a daughter.

N. P. Is Enjoined

The inhabitants of the village of Winnipeg Junction which is liable to be wiped off the map by the removal of the Northern Pacific station to a point on the new double track, had their hearing before Judge Baxter at Fergus Falls yesterday. The court recently issued a restraining order forbidding the company to remove the station or discontinue its train service pending a hearing of an application for an injunction, and this hearing of an application for an injunction making it effective until such time as the railway and warehouse commission can investigate the situation.

The Need of Fresh Air

Surely we need a fresh air campaign in this country as much as we can possibly need anything. We need a truer understanding of the marvelous benefits of fresh air and also of the benefits to be derived from the use of a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. A glass at mealtime and before retiring will aid digestion and induce sound, refreshing sleep. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

MONTAGUE PRESIDENT

IMPORTANT SPECIAL MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD HELD THIS MORNING

IMMEDIATE ACTION NECESSARY ON ACCOUNT OF MUCH IMPENDING BUSINESS

From Monday's Daily—

At a special meeting of the Board of Education called for 11:00 a. m. this morning the following resolutions was unanimously adopted after which the Board adjourned till 11:30 a. m., for the purpose of electing a new member to the Board of Education to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Cromb, also for the purpose of electing a president of the Board. This action was necessary on account of the fact that a number of school orders are due and awaiting the signature of the president. Mr. Ole O. Christianson was elected to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Cromb and Mr. R. J. Montague was elected president of the Board for the balance of the year.

Resolution

Whereas, John Cromb, who died in this city December 10, 1908, had been a member of the Board of Education of the city of Crookston during all the time since August 1, 1885, and during that time had been Secretary of the Board for sixteen years and its President during all the time since August 2, 1902, till the time of his death, and as a mark of respect, immediately upon learning of his death the Board met in special session and ordered the flags of the various schools of this city to be placed at half mast and to so remain until after the funeral and directed that the members of the Board should again meet in special session at eleven o'clock on Monday, December 14, 1908, for the adoption of appropriate resolutions relative to the demise of its President.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Education of the city of Crookston in special meeting assembled at the office of the superintendent of the city schools this December 14, 1908, do hereby, as a testimonial of our respect and esteem for the memory and character of the deceased, adopt the foregoing preamble and these resolutions and order that the same be spread upon the records of the secretary as a part of the permanent records of this school district.

That we feel and know that we but carry out and declare the opinions and feelings of all people of the city who have been fortunate enough to have been familiarly acquainted with the deceased during his lifetime, in stating that his life and career in the city of Crookston during the past twenty-five years has been that of an active earnest and honest man who sincerely desired to promote the welfare of the people; that the members of this Board feel that they and the people of Crooksion have reason to be deeply grateful to the deceased for his work during his lifetime in the cause of education in this city and deeply deplore his death.

MASONIC RULERS FOR COMING YEAR

The Masonic Lodge held its annual election of officers last night and the following were elected and appointed to rule in their respective stations for the year 1909:

Thomas Morris, W. M.
C. L. Bang, S. W.
B. D. Keck, J. W.
E. M. Walsh, Treas.
Oscar Fredricks, Secy.

Following officers were appointed by Worshipful Master Thomas Morris

L. S. Miller, S. D.
Ed L. Schmidt, J. D.
H. L. Marsh, L. S.
Nels Christianson, J. L.
G. C. Wilde, Tyler.

The Christmas Dinner

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, that's a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

At the meeting Sunday of Wheatfield Lodge, No. 463, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen of Grand Forks the folowing officers were chosen:

F. M. Funge, master; M. L. Doyle, vice master; M. Traufler secretary; George Boyd, financier; R. E. McLaughlin, Journal agent; F. C. Whittaker, warden; R. T. Cady, conductor.

MORTAL REMAINS LAID TO REST

LAST SAD RITES OF HOSTS OF FRIENDS AND BROTHERS IMPRESSIVE

ESTEEM OF THE DEPARTED JOHN CROMB SHOWN BY LARGE CONCOURSE

From Monday's Daily—

All that was mortal of one of the city's foremost citizens was consigned to the grave yesterday afternoon amidst the presnce of a large concourse of loving relatives, friends and associates. The funeral of the late John Cromb will live long in the memory of every citizen, as a demonstration of the regard which a life devoted to the interests of other commands.

The funeral was by far the largest that has ever been held in the city and at the bereaved home and the church fellow citizens desired to render their last tributes to the man whose life was so intimately connected with the history of the municipality.

In the morning at 8 o'clock a special celebration of the Holy Eucharist was held in Christ church as a requiem, the members of the family all attending. At 12 o'clock the body was removed from the undertaking rooms to the home, an escort composed of six knights of Constantine Commandery, Knights Templar accompanying it. From this time until 1:30 o'clock the body lie in state and a constant stream of friends and associates of the deceased viewed the remains, and paid this mark of respect to his memory.

Removed to the Church

The remains were then taken to Christ church the procession from the house being lead by the local lodge of Elks, who were followed by the Old Settlers' Association, the School Board, the Bar Association, and the different bodies of Masons, the Knights Templar forming the guard of honor.

The church was filled with citizens who desired to witness the beautiful Episcopal services for the dead and hundreds were unable to gain admittance. The exercises were conducted by the Rev. Richard Cox and thruout they were impressive. A quartet rendered the beautiful music which accompanied the services, this portion of the exercises having been arranged for by Professor Powers, of the local schools.

Beautiful Floral Tributes.

The casket as it reposed at the chancel was banked with the beautiful floral tributes that had been sent by the different societies, lodges, civic organization and personal friends and associates, as their tribute to the memory of the departed. The beautiful emblems were very elaborate and demonstrated the loving respect in which John Cromb was regarded.

Services at Cemetery

As soon as the services were concluded at the church the journey to the grave was started. The funeral procession was lead by the members of the Old Settlers' Association and they were followed by the different lodges and societies participating in the services. After the hearse carrying the remains a large number of carriages carrying relatives and friends followed.

After a short service conducted by Rev. Cox had been concluded the Blue Lodge took charge of the body and the beautiful and impressive service of the Masons was conducted by Worshipful Master Tom Morris.

The lodges and societies participating in the last sad rites of the deceased were: the Blue Lodge, the Knight's Templar, the Chapter, the Elks, the Order of Eastern Star, the Old Settlers' Association, the Polk County Bar Association, the School Board.

The following acted as pall-bearers:

The honorary pall bearers were Messrs A. D. Stephens, Alden Braley, Wm. Watts, J. E. Morrisey, John Moore, M. R. Brown, Max Ericsson, and Lorenzo Davis.

The active pall bearers were Messrs W. G. Lytle, S. M. Walsh, Frank D. Bell, A. A. Miller, J. W. Wheeler and Lewis Ellington.

MANY COMING FOR EXCURSION

CITIZENS FROM ABROAD WILL BE HERE TO ENJOY THE WARROAD EXCURSION

C. E. Kiewel is away at Ule ntoday on business affairs. Everywhere Mr Kiewel goes he is boosting for Crookston and in conversation with a Journal man stated that the excursion next Friday to Warroad will be a very popular one. He will be joined today at Ulen by his father Jac Kiewel from Little Falls who is coming to go up on the excursion. On another page the Journal gives full particulars of the proposed trip.

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

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MISTOOK MAN FOR DEER DIED OF BROKEN HEART

Chas. Wingren, Who Shot His Companion While Deer Hunting Grieved Over Unfortunate Affair.

The following telegram from St. Paul tells of the sad ending of a regretable accident in the history of hunting in northern Minnesota, where in the carelessness of a homesteader resulted in the death of a neighbor and close friend.

"St. Paul, Dec. 22—The state board of control yesterday received news of the death at his home in Koochiching county of Charles Wingren a paroled prisoner. He died suddenly of heart disease. The board thinks it was due more to his troubles than anything else.

"Wingren while hunting last March killed a man, mistaking him for a deer and was arrested under the law which designates such errors as manslaughter. It was plainly an accident and tho friends tried to induce him to make a fight for his liberty he insisted on pleading guilty and was accordingly sentenced to the reformatory.

"Wingren was at once released on parole and was sent back to his family His health failed rapidly, however, and it is said that he died of a broken heart. He has a wife and seven children."

At the time Wingren killed his companion, Judge C. W. Stanton was county attorney of Koochiching county, and that gentleman appeared before the pardon board the same day that Wingren was sentenced by Judge McClenahan. Judge Stanton secured an order from the board whereby Wingren was placed on parole and allowed to return to his home and resume the labor of supporting his family. The death of Wingren is a sad termination of the shooting incident. Wingren was exonerated by his companion before the latter died.

MENTOR SUEFERS FROM DISASTROUS BLAZE

Four Business Houses, Warehouse And Dwelling Burn. Total Loss Nearly $15,000 Small Insurance.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening at 9:10 fire was discovered in the Victor Weidecamper general store at Mentor and by 10 o'clock when the fire was gotten under control that store with A. M. Coffey's hardware store and Jens Olson's feed store, Coffey's warehouse, a barber shop and a residence in the rear were in ashes with contents, and the bank building and others were only saved by hard fighting. Hose was sent down from here on the Duluth train, but arrived too late to be of service, tho the Mentorites appreciated the prompt response made.

The fire is supposed to have started from a stove in Weidecamper's. His loss on stock is about $4000, partly insured; Coffey's loss on stock is about $3,000 partly insured and Olson's loss on stock $1,500 with no insurance. The loss on the above three buildings was about $4,000, while the barber shop, warehouse and small dwelling were worth about $1,500, making the total loss between $14,000 and $15,000.

The loss is a severe one to Mentor, but it is understood that all those burned out will rebuild at once. No one was injured. The fire fighter worked valiantly or the loss would have been much greater.

PEDDLER ROBBED OF HIS LIFE'S SAVINGS

Highwaymen Beat Him To Death And Take $3,500. Brutal Murder. Montreal Peddler The Victim.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 22—As he was carrying the savings of thirty years of endeavor to a bank, Patrick Green of Montreal, a peddler, was beaten to death Saturday by highwaymen who escaped with a valise which contained $3,500.

Green who was about 50, was walking from Plaster Rock to St. John. He had been in the habit of carrying his earnings with him, but on the advice of his friends he decided to deposit his money in a bank. There is no such institution in Plaster Rock and Green started out to walk to this city.

As he was crossing a small foot bridge over a stream he was attacked from the front by a highwayman. He turned and fled and as he reached the end of the bridge another bandit sprang from a clump of bushes and felled him with a club.

Green made a desperate fight to retain his savings as the handle of the valise was found tightly clutched in his hands. The robbers fled with the money. Green was found by pedestrians and the police of St. John were notified. The rifled valise was picked up in a field near the scene of the crime. No trace of the murderers has been procured, altho Green, before dying gave a good description of his assailants.

Roseau Region: There is in the ancient Chinese literature a palindrome which runs to this effect: On entering this world you wept, while those around you smiled; so live that on leaving this world you may smile, while those around you weep. Is not this a beautiful thought?

A period of time is a punctuation mark in history.

DEATH ROLL INCREASING

AUTOMOBILES CLAIM TWENTY LIVES IN WINDY CITY IN ELEVEN MONTHS

INCREASE OF INJURED IS NEARLY ONE HUNDRED OVER REPORTS OF LAST YEAR

Chicago, Dec.22—In the first eleven months of this year, twenty people were killed in automobile accidents in Chicago as compared to fifteen for the same month last year while 327 people were injured but not fatally as compared to 231 for the same months last year.

TWO NEW MEMBERS HAVE BEEN NAMED

JUDGE WATTS FILLS VACANCIES IN THE CITY CHARTER COMMISSION

Judge Watts has named Senator A. D. Stephens and Judge L. E. Gossman as members of the Charter Commission to succeed the late John Cromb and Hon. P. M. Ringdal, the latter now being absent from Crookston practically all the time attending to his duties as member of the State Board of Control.

The new members have both qualified and Judge Watts could not have done better than in the selections he has made to fill the vacancies.

BAGGAGE SMASHERS MAY REFORM

Are the glorious days of baggage smashing soon to be a thing of the past? Will baggage men ever treat trunks and kindred receptacles with tender care? This is all going to come to poss according to the general baggage agents of the Twin Cities. At a meeting the other day plans were discussed for the betterment of the service. Baggagemen who in the past have shunted trunks with careless abandon, agree that there should be a change. So if you see the baggage hustler gently easing your trunks to the pavement, careful least he destroy the varnish finish, be not overcome—don't call the ambulance or ask for a sanity commission. The reform wave has struck the baggage man, that's all.

A man's wife can't even keep him on the water wagon by telling him how her mother predicts he will fall off.

A girl really likes to have red hair if you'll call it something else.

TR'GIC DEATH OF TWO IN N.D.

Minneapolis, Dec. 22—A heroic fight to build a home for himself and his aged wife on the plains of North Dakota has ended with the death of Peter Peterson, 65 years old, and slender chance for the recovery of his wife. Last Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Peterson retired as usual in their home shanty near Esmond, Pierce county, North Dakota, and the discovery of the clogged pipe of their coal stove tells the tale of the tragic end. They were overcome by the fumes.

A MIGHTY FINE XMAS PRESENT

H. E. NESNE GIVES STONE CUTTERS 9 HOUR DAY WITH 10 HOURS PAY

The stone cutters in the employ of the Crookston Marble Works have just received a very fine Christmas present from Manager H. E. Nesne in the form of a formal notice to the effect that in the future they will be expected to work but an eight hour day but will draw pay for ten hours as before.

Mr. Nesne decided that ten hours was too long a shift for that class of work, and hereafter the stone cutters will not have to report for work till 8 o'clock in the morning instead of 7 as in the past.

This is in line with the rules of the large marble works in the east and the consideration shown his employes by Mr. Nesne is deeply appreciated by all the men.

A Shining Mark.

A lady, grievously tormented with a corn on her toe, was advised by one of her friends to anoint it with phosphorus, which in a weak moment she did but forgot to tell her husband before retiring at night. It had just turned 12 when the husband awoke and was startled to see something sparkling at the foot of the bed. He had never heard of a firefly in the locality, nor did he ever remember seeing such a terrible looking object as the toe presented. Reaching carefully out of bed till he found one of his slippers, he raised it high in the air and brought it down with grea force upon the mysterious light.

A shriek and an avalanche of bed clothes, and all was over. When at last he released himself from the bed clothes he discovered his wife groaning in a corner of the bedroom, but she had got rid of that phosphorated corn. —London Graphic.

The man who can be on time to breakfast comes as near being a good husband as there is.

CONCERTED ACTION TO IMPROVE FARM METHODS

SENATOR STEPHENS BANQUETS 50 FARMERS AT HOTEL CROOKSTON AND OUTLINES HIS PLAN TO DISTRIBUTE PRIZES AMOUNTING TO $1000 TO IMPROVE GRAINS, STOCK, ETC., IN POLK COUNTY—ADDRESSES MADE BY LEADING FARMERS OF THE COUNTY WHO ENDORSE THE PLAN OUTLNIED

From Tuesday's Daily—

About 50 farmers from all parts of Polk County gathered today in the city upon invitation of Senator Stephens who banqueted them at dinner at the Hotel Crookston, after which cigars were distributed and the Senator briefly outlined his plan to distribute $1,000 in cash prizes to the farmers of Polk County next fall for grains, and improved stock, the central idea being to encourage more scientific and practical farming in Polk county.

His plan is to give a first prize of $100 divided into three prizes of $50 $30 and $20 for the best results obtained from not less than ten acres, provided 100 must enter the competition yield and quality to be taken into consideration.

2nd prize, $100 divided the same, 100 farmers at least to enter, each one to raise at least 5 acres in competition.

3rd prize, $100, divided same, under same conditions for best five acres of barley.

4th prize, $100, divided same, 50 competitors, for best 2 acres of potatoes.,

5th prize, $100, divided the same, 50 competitors for best 5 acres of corn.

6th prize, $100, divided the same, 50 competitors at least, for best five acres of clover.

In above samples of grains with sworn statement of yield corroborated by neighbor or thresher, to be delivered next November.

7th prize, $100, divided into $50, $30 and $20 prizes where farmers of four townships will purchase four Holstein bulls and rotate them season after season from one township to the other, for the best calf raised, either sex.

8th prize, $100, divided the same, for the best Percheron colt raised either sex, from thorobred sire.

9th and 10th prizes of $100 each for hogs and sheep under terms to decided upon by the farmers.

Addresses were made by many of those present and there is no question but that a spirit of progress has been started which will work wonders in Polk County.

Following is a list of those present:

A. D. Stephens, Crookston.
Prof. Wm. Robertson, Crookston.
J. M. Stephens, Crookston.
B. Clements, Crookston.
Virgil McGregor, Crookston.
T. R. Brown, Jr., Crookston.
James Dewar, Hammond.
A. G. Anderson, Fisher.
M. Benson, Knute.
Iver H. Mjoen, Vineland.
Nels Clementsen, Liberty.
R. T. Buckler, Andover.
C. J. Gullekson, Reis.
Gust Christianson, Scandia.
Joseph Jarvis, Nesbit.
James McDonald, Nesbit.
G. E. Felsing, Woodside.
B. E. Bearson, Garfield.
H. Bundrock, Fertile.
T. Wenzel, Lowell.
H. Cowan, Belgium.
P. Quigley, Tynsid.
Arne Landsverk, Sletten.
T. E. Kjolhaug, Rosebud.
H. C. Misner, Crookston.
H. A. Tofsley, Hammond.
Ole Olson Jr., Russia.
James Hedley, Fairfax.
E. G. Eklund, Fosston.
J. O. Rindahl, Garden.
Omer Sauve, Kertsonville.
A. H. C. Worden, Bygland.
Pierre Brule, Gentilly.
Albert Worden, Bygland.
H. H. Thoreson, Roome.
James Driscoll, Huntsville.
H. J. Beardmore, Sandsville.
G. Evans, Angus.
A. J. Goodwin, Keystone.
James Nesbit, Huntsville.
Herman Berg, Brandsvold.
T. Hanson, Queen.

READY FOR WINTER

Conway, N. D., Dec.22—Th e general store owned by F. P. Klug was rifled by burglars and four furlined coats were stolen with numerous other articles. No trace of the guilty parties has been obtained by the officials.

It's beyond the comprehension of a woman how she can lose her complexion when she says her prayers faithfully.

ELEVATOR BURNED

Milton, N, D. Dec. 22—The Minneapolis and Northern elevator at this point went up in smoke entailing a loss of $15,00 fully covered by insurance. There were 7,000 bushels of wheat in the elevator all of which went up in smoke.

Faith in a man is something his wife has to compensate for all his shortcomings in those things about which she has the faith.

IDENTIF'D AS ROBBERS OF TRAIN

Portland, Ore. Dec. 22—The engineer and fireman of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company's train which was robbed near this city on Thursday night positively identified today Harry Benson and Oscar Johnson as two of the men implicated in that crime. Benson and Johnson together with Chris Bons were arrested here on suspicion for holding up a saloon, Bons attempted suicide by hanging in his cell today, but was unsuccessful.

FINAL PRIZES ARE AWARDED

CROOKSTON MILLING CO. AND OTHER PRIZES ARE AWARDED

The last of the awarding of the prizes in connection with the Northern Minnesota Poultry Show which closed yesterday has been completed in addition to those announced yesterday and are as follows:

For largest number of birds shown by any farmer in Polk Co., John Saugstad, 1 sack of flour, donated by Crookston Milling Co.

For largest number of birds shown by any lady farmer in Polk Co., Mrs. J. H. Beebe, 1 sack flour, donated by Crookston Milling Co.

Boys' prizes for selling tickets, 1st prize, Gus Heldstab, trio of Buff Leghorns, donated by F. C. Mitchell.

4th prize, Gus Heldstab, pair Buff Leghorns, donated by Mrs. J. H. Beebe.

2nd prize, Harry Nicholson, Doz. photos, donated by Harry Chesterman

3rd prize Harry Nicholson, rocking chair, donated by L. Roy.

wo other prizes which are in the form of trios of White Plymouth Rocks will be presented to numbers 55 and 103 when presented to the secretary, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell.

A Favorite Sundae

A college favorite sundae for evening gatherings is merely plain vanilla ice cream served in glass cups with chocolate sauce, into which chopped nuts have been stirred, turned over it. A favorite beverage for the evening refreshment is golden grain belt beer. The pure, wholesome qualities of this beverage has made it the one most popular among particular people. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

The most interesting thing about a hero is the chances he gives you to fool him that he is fooling you.

N. DAKOTA SENATOR

REPORTED THAT HE IS BETTER BUT NOT ENTIRELY OUT OF DANGER

HAS BEEN SLOWLY IMPROVING FOR THE PAST WEEK BUT STILL IN DANGER

Minneapolis, Dec. 22 — Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota who is ill at Asbury hospital continues to improve altho he is not entirely out of danger yet, for nearly a week Senator Hansbrough has been steadily but slowly growing better and resting comfortably.

WARROAD TRAIN LOADED TO RAILS

FIRST REGULAR PASSENGER ON NEW LINE WAS PACKED WITH PASSENGERS

Conductor Miller brought the train back from Warroad last evenig at 10 o'clock ,on time to the second and also brought a train load of people to Crookston, every seat being filled.

Gen. Supt. W. D. Scott made the initial trip and looked over the depot construction and other work now in progress at Roseau, Badger and at Greenbush.

SONS OF HERMAN ELECTED OFFICERS

Crookston Lodge No. 64, Sons of Herman, at a regular meeting last evening elected officers for the ensuing year. The lodge her is in a flourishing condition and growing in membership rapidly. Following is the new list of officers:

Wm. Emmerick, Ex-President.
Wm Becker, President.
Jas Gilhausen, V. P.
Wm Woelk, Cor. Sec.
Carl Reidesel, Fin. Sec.
Sam Meng, Treas.

Herman Fuiller, trustee; holdover trustees, M. Palen, Fred Gotta; Representative to Grand Lodge, Wm. Emmericks.

Bouncing Betsey.

There is an old fashioned flower called "Bouncing Betsey," which every one should love for one trait. We have noticed that it grows on all neglected graves, as if trying to cover up the fact that some one who once lived is forgotten. It may also be found in corners of old fashioned gardens, where it grows and blooms and protests against being pushed out entirely. There are some dear old fashioned people who suggest "Bouncing Betsey."—Atchison Globe.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

MAY NEED IT NOW

IT MAY COME IN HANDY SO MIX THIS AT FIRST SIGN

EASILY PREPARED, AND CURES WEAK KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Here is a simple home made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe Try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and four decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

$26,000 FIRE AT HAWLEY

DEPARTMENT STORE IN A TWO-STORY BRICK BLOCK IS BURNED OUT

DEFECTIVE FURNACE SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN THE ORIGIN OF FIRE

A fire which is believed to have started from a defective furnace burned the Ritteman block at Hawley about 8 a. m. today. The ground floor of the building was occupied by the Eld Mercantile company as a department store. The building and all its $12,000 on building and $14,00 on the contents were destroyed. The loss is stock. The insurance is $10,000 on the building and a like sum on the stock.

The block was of brick and two stories in height. The upper story had just been remodeled for lodgerooms. None of the societies had moved in and that part was vacant. The town has no fire protection, but the absence of wind and the thick walls of the building served to confine the fire to the place of its origin. The main walls of the building are standing and may be utilized in its reconstruction.

Foley Independent: Some of the brethern are clamoring for a candidate for two years hence who will be able to unite the different factions of the Republican party. While we are not sure as to just what they want, we take it that they are looking for sort of an emulsion candidate. In other words, one who represents a blend of water and oil. If that is what is needed we may as well give the Democratic party a ninety-nine year lease, for it will take fully that long to wipe out the old scores. If the "houdah" is occupied by any one but the true-blue we may as well commence to save our money for another tombstone.

As a rule naughtiness does not come to naught.

SPLIT HOOFED ROADSTER

AFTER MAKING A 35 MILE TRIP IN ONE DAY EXCITES INTEREST IN CROOKSTON

FRED IVERSON ARRIVES WITH A LOAD OF SKUNK OIL FROM THE NORTHEAST

Less than 25 years ago about as many farmers drove to Crookston behind ox-teams as behind horses and mules, but for many years past the appearance of an ox-team on the streets has been a decided novelty and scarcely more than one or two a year are seen of late years. The appearance on the streets last evening of a single steer, hitched to a sort of sled, known as a "jumper" or "go-devil" in native parlance, soon attracted a big crowd, and when the driver, Fred Iverson a former resident of Crookston stopped in front of a drugstore and lugged in the oil from 20 skunks, worth $20, and stated that he had driven from a relative's farm 12 miles northwest of Thief River Falls to this city, a distance of 35 miles since morning, stopping enroute for a wolf hunt which delayed him three hours, the incident was deemed very much out of the ordinary.

A 35 mile drive would not be a very bad one for a team of horses with a fair load, and Iverson's steer walked into the city with head up and no signs of fatigue and seemingly proud that he was upholding fallen dignity of steerdom.

Mr. Iverson is of the opinion that the passing of the ox is to be deplored. He says they are kept more cheaply, require much less attention have greater endurance and can cover pretty near as much ground in a day, and do it day after day, as a horse.

He announced that after attending to some business here he would proceed north to Warren a distance of 30 miles with his split hoofed roadster and from there back to the farm near Thief River for another skunk killing, and expected to bring in a batch of wolves also next time, as he believes he can locate the den of the one he wounded yesterday but failed to capture. He says there is big money in skunk shooting up that way, and the receipts are clear profit and will yield a good income for the settler or farmer who wants to keep busy during the winter months.

A ruling of some importance has been made by State Superintendent of Public Instruction Olsen regarding the use of public funds by boards of education in rural districts in the construction of barns at the school houses and the decision was not made until after a consultation with the attorney general. It is the opinion of the department of education that public money may be used in housing horses employed in transporting children to and from public schools. The question was raised in a school district in Lincoln county and the attorney general holds that school boards may provide the necessary funds for the purpose.

This is in line and in encouragement of consolidated districts in rural communities, as the consolidated district may provide proper barns to shelter horses that are driven in by children coming from a distance to the school. It would seem to be good reasoning and the entire state will agree that the provision is a wise one, as it will better equip districts for accommodating pupils who may reside some distance from the school house.

Something the dentist's success depends on the number of snags he runs up against.

What is Honesty?

Every man should live within his means—this is the essence of honesty.

If he does not, he is living dishonestly on the means of others.

Many people there are, who not only live within their means, but save a part of their earnings as a surplus for the day of adversity.

A savings account with this bank will provide a place, both safe and convenient, to invest your surplus until needed.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

Assets over one million one hundred thousand dollars.

BIG YIELD NEW OATS

HENRY BEARDMORE RAISED 70 BUSHELS PER ACRE OF A NEW VARIETY

THEY TESTED 45½ POUNDS TO THE BUSHEL AND ARE COMERS

From Thursday's Daily—

Henry Beardmore, one of the prominent Polk County farmers from the northwest corner in the town of Sandsville, who has been doing jury duty, returned home this morning where he will remain during the holiday adjournment and was well pleased with the rapid disposal of the criminal cases.

Pleased with Stephen's Plan

Mr. Beardmore is very much pleased with Senator Stephen's plan to entertain several farmers from each township in Polk county and distribute prizes amounting to $1,000. The meeting will be held here Tuesday, December 22, and Mr. Beardmore will be one of the representatives from Sandsville at the meeting and thinks the idea will result in great good.

Very Prolific Oats

Mr. Beamore for years has made a practice of selecting the choicest seed grains of all kinds, and has introduced many new varities which have yielded well.

Last spring he secured 4 bushels of Regenerated Swedish Select oats bred up by a large English firm which has 20,000 acres in England used exclusively for the production of seed grains. He sowed the 4 bushels on 2 acres and threshed 140 bushels of oats that tested 45½ pounds to the bushel, and a sample of this was sent to the recent International Grain Exhibit at Omaha, but has not received returns as yet. Such weight and such a yield is remarkable and all the oats raised will be needed this year.

Mr. Thomas, who resides near Warren, sent an exhibit of Barley to Omaha also, and received 3rd prize, which is a good showing for an international contest, and Mr. Thomas did not exercise extraordinary care in selecting the barley which he sent

MAKES SPECIALTY OF DOCTORING DOGS

According to a well defined report "Krabbe Klark" is now doing a dual stunt these days. In addition to his regular stunt on the Grand Forks, Crookston, Cass Lake run, he has purchased a complete set of instruments needed for alleviating the modern ailments of dogs. While it is understood that he will not turn any worthy dog down, and will operate on a yellow mongrel for ingrowing toenails if necessary, still he will make a specialty of lap dogs and poodles with a special course of treatment for swaybacks.

He will have offices at Cass Lake and Grand Forks on week days and has leased the Crookston Cracker factory where he will hold forth on Sundays till larger quarters can be secured. His kit of instruments includes a carving knife big enough to amputate the leg of an elephant at one fell stroke. He carries this with him at all times for emergency calls.

It was in Denmark that the idea of the Christmas stamp originated and like many other good things originated in Scandinavia, it has been taken up enthusiastically elsewhere. Sweden was the first to follow Denmark's lead, and four years ago the sale of the first issue of Christmas stamps for the benefit of the anti-tuberculosis work yielded more than $30,000. The four series of Swedish stamps have yielded about $70,000 in all.

The Christmas Charity stamp has been taken up in America by the Red Cross society and Crookston this year for the first time has opportunity to make use of the pretty red stickers on its holiday packages.

The beauty of the idea must appeal to every heart. In the midst of general giving amongst those united by kinship and friendship the bright little stamp is a reminder of the unfortunate ones, to ameliorate whose condition this voluntary tax is laid on Christmas cheer. The great fight against tuberculosis, the most tremendous battle in which humanity is now engaged, must be kept going. The humble litiel stamp may be turned by widespread generosity into a mighty engine of war for its maintenance.

Says Tariff Benefits Workman.

Washington, Dec. 17. — Edward Brush, vice president of the American Smelting and Refining company, testified before the house ways and means committee regarding the lead schedule of the tariff. He claimed that the duty on lead is for the benefit of the miner, but also said that there would not be any lead produced in this country if the tariff is taken off.

AL. PATTEWAY FOUND GUILTY

OF GRAND LARCENY IN SECOND DEGREE BY JURY AFTER A LONG STRUGGLE

WILL APPEAL CASE—TWO OTHER NEGROES ARE SENTENCED

From Thursday's Daily—

Shortly before 12 o'clock last evening the jury in the Patteway case agreed on a verdict finding the defendant guilty of grand larceny in the 2nd degree for robbing the Merchants National bank of which he was the janitor of about $1500 last May. Patteway was brought into court for sentence this afternoon, but Attorney C. O. Longley asked for a stay of sentence pending preparations for an appeal which was granted and the case will be fought out in the supreme court. If the verdict is sustained Judge Watts can sentence Patteway to a fine as low as $1 or send him to the penitentiary for 5 years.

Martin Hill, for robbing a man named Olson was sentenced to 3 years at Stillwater, and his pal, Chas. Depohnette, was sentenced to the reformatory at St. Cloud and both will be taken away next week.

James Kelly, convicted of beating and robbing a man in East Grand Forks who was sentenced to one year at Stillwater, will be taken down tomorrow night.

Maybury Congratulated

With the conviction of Patteway, County Attorney Maybury has finished his last criminal case as prosecuting attorney of Polk county after four years of successful service, and he has received hearty congratulations for securing a conviction with nothing but circumstantial evidence to work on, and some of that flimsy. And coupled with this was the fact that Patteway was most ably defended by F. L. McGhee whose plea yesterday afternoon resulted in a tear bath of the court room floor in which the entire audience which packed the room contributed.

Just how much abuse and slander a big man should take from a little one before spanking him has always been a matter of dispute, as has been the measure of dignity which is lost or found by resenting persistent insults.

There are a good many small dogs who consider it a prerogative of their size to viciously snap the heels of large dogs. There are a good many men of wealth and power who, behind these breastworks, assume the privilege of throwing ripe eggs at their "inferiors."

There are men whose every spoken or written word is an insult ,and whose arrogance is in itself almost unbearable. Again, there are many good and self-respecting people who consider any breach of the peace or reply in kind a loss of dignity, and that especially a man in official position must bear in silence all that comes his way, no matter how unjust and contemptible.

President Roosevelt frequently grieves these because he absolutely refuses to turn the other cheek, but answers with which ever fist is otherwise disengaged. But on the whole most people like his rough and ready tactics and can see no reason why a president of the United States should simply stand as a target for whatever any evilly disposed person may choose to aim at him.

The armor of conscious honor and goodness is much of a myth and rather guards "mollycoddles" than the strenuous. The Roosevelts at least are not built to be sunk simply because of custom or tradition, and few blame the President for his latest reply as to the Panama canal canards

The rights of the French were bought at a price agreed upon by congress. It was much less than half the price demanded as the lowest French figure. It was that fixed by this government thru a commission of engineers as fair. It was accepted by both the old and new Panama companies, the latter growing out of the reorganization of the former.

Only the property and the franchise were bought, not the companies nor their stocks. They settled their differences in the French court, and these did not concern this company further than as effectig the title.

An American holding company was at one time organized to take over the claims of both companies, but this was soon abandoned, and when the amount was paid it went directly to France thru the banking house of J. P. Morgan and was disbursed in Paris. It was paid out to more than 226,000 individuals, who all called personally and receipted for their payments.

For any Americans to have received a considerable amount in any way was almost impossible under these conditions. To accuse Mr. Taft and members of his family of having been in such a conspiracy and by implication to involve President Roosevelt was nothing less than outrageous.

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD

W. F. HUNT THE RAILROAD PROMOTOR AGAIN VISITS CITY THIS WEEK

HE STATES THAT SURVEYORS WILL START WORK ON THE 1ST OF JANUARY

From Friday's Daily—

W. F. Hunt the promoter of the proposed railroad to run from Thief River Falls to Roosevelt, was in the city the first of the week. Mr. Hunt came to Thief River Falls over the proposed line with H. Robbirstad, a civil engineer, who says that the proposed road can be built at a very small expense as far as grading is concerned.

To the News Mr. Hunt stated that a majority of the organized townships thru which the proposed road is to pass have already voted sums of money from $200 to $400 to assist in making the survey and that a free right-of way has been guaranteed. On the 1st day of January Mr. Hunt says that the surveying party will leave Roosevelt and run the line to Thief River Falls. Some of the homesteaders are so earnest in seeing the road built that they will at once commence the work of grading after the lines have been established.

Mr. Hunt says that he has been given positive assurance that as soon as the road has been surveyed, the right-of-way and terminal ground secured, that he can secure a loan of sufficient amount to do the grading, buy and lay the steel and purchase the necessary equipment. He believes that there can be no question but that the road will be a paying one from the start.—Thief River Falls News.

The action of the University of Minnesota in fixing 65 years as the retiring age for professors has started a small blaze of discussion thruout the country and it is notable that almost every comment that has come to The Herald's notice has been hostile to the idea.

Before the Carnegie foundation made it possible to retire university professors in comfort such a plan would not have been thought of, probably, and it is a little difficult to see just why it should have been thought of even with this refuge open for the superannuated professor.

There is something about a life of mental activity, unaccompanied by physical dissipation, that seems to make not only for longevity but for the retention of mental powers to a late period in life. If all the educators and scientists in the world had always been put upon a shelf at the age of 65 the world would have lost a vast amount of valuable service. In fact, it is impossible to fix an arbitrary age at which mental activity and power may be presumed to have become so materially lessened as to warrant retirement. One man might become worn out at 50, while another might be immensely useful at 80—tho both cases are admittedly uncommon.

The impression seems to be abroad judging by the comments that are being heard, that the Minnesota university has made a serious mistake; and there seems to be good reason to accept that view. The New York World says: "If Cato learned Greek at 80, was it necessary that his instructor should be fifteen years his junior?" The World also gives some instances that go to show that 65 should not mark the termination of lives of mental activity: "Dr. Walcott Gibbs gave up the Rumford professorship of chemistry at 65 but only to fill a larger place in science. When Professor Shaler and J. K. Paine died, each past 65 the feeling was general that they had died untimely. Harvard did not retire Prof. Goodwin until the age of 70, and Charles Eliot Norton at 71. Prof. Sumner of Yale is in harness at 68. The late Daniel C. Gilman was in active service when past 70 as president of the Carnegie Institution. Harvard's president is 74 the age at which President Northrup of the University of Minnesota, which seeks to impose to this limit on intellectual usefulness, has just resigned." And the World might have added that the university which seeks to impose this limit on intellectual usefulness has refused to acept President Northrup's resignation.

If a university were free, both by rule and by custom, to retire any professor when it is clear that his work can better be done by a younger man, that would seem to be sufficient. It is fully as bad to retire at an arbitrary age men who are manifestly good for wears of usefulness as it is to retain men whom age and decrepitude have made unfit to continue at work.—Duluth Herald.

"Seeing" Plants.

Professor Darwin is right. Plants can see—some plants. Take corn and rye, for instance. With proper treatment these plants can be made to see double, and frequently they see things that aren't there.—New York Telegraph.

SUFFERED WITH ECZEMA 25 YEARS

Limb Peeled and Foot Was Like Raw Flesh—Had to Use Crutches, and Doctors Thought Amputation Necessary — Montreal Woman Writes of Cure Seven Years Ago.

BELIEVES LIFE SAVED BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I have been treated by doctors for twenty-five years for a bad case of eczema on my leg. They did their best, but failed to cure it. My doctor had advised me to have my leg cut off, but I said I would try the Cuticura Remedies first. He said, "Try them if you like, but I do not think they will do any good." At this time my leg was peeled from the knee, my foot was like a piece of raw flesh, and I had to walk on crutches. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and a bottle of Cuticura Pills. After the first two treatments the swelling went down, and in two months my leg was cured and the new skin came on. The doctor could not believe his own eyes when he saw that Cuticura had cured me and said that he would use it for his own patients. I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap, three boxes of Ointment, and five bottles of Resolvent, and I have now been cured over seven years, and but for the Cuticura Remedies I might have lost my life. I have lots of grandchildren, and they are frequent users of Cuticura, and I always recommend it to the many people whom my business brings to my house every day. Mrs. Jean-Baptiste Renaud, clairvoyant, 277, Mentana St., Montreal, Que., Feb. 20, 1907."

SLEEP FOR BABIES

Rest for Mothers.

Instant relief and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure, and purest of emollients.

Cuticura Soap (25c.), Cuticura Ointment (50c.), and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

"RUN I AM GOING UP"

THE SUICIDE YELLS WHEN HE TOUCHES OFF BOX OF DYNAMITE

HORRIBLE METHOD SELECTED BY HOMESTEADER TO END HIS LIFE

From Friday's Daily—

"Run for your lives. I'm going up" were the last words shouted by a Deer River homesteader yesterday according to reports brought in by a traveling man who arrived on the train from the east last night.

Then there was a terrible explosion and Claus Carlson's dramatic method of taking his life in a tent, about two miles north of Deer River, horrified his friends and gave the coroner something to do to gather up the fragments of human flesh.

Carlson who was 28 years old recently received a letter from Sweden telling about his sister committing suicide by blowing herself up with dynamite. This is supposed to have preyed on his mind to such an extent that he chose the same unusual method.

It was about 7 o'clock yesterday morning when Carlson gave the warning quoted above to some acquaintances who were in the same tent back of Carlson's home in which some lumbermen's outfit was stored. He was seated on a box of dynamite and was deliberately lighting a fuse running into the explosive. He did not have to give a second warning. The men tore themselves away and then came the explosion. The tent and contents were blown to pieces, while Carlson's body lacerated almost beyond recognition was hurled fifty feet.

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Lake Crystal Union: About all the large money interests of the country have expressed themselves well pleased with th turn of political affairs. It vidently means more wealth for them and a longer continuation in control of the affairs of the nation.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

CIVIL PAPERS — Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels made a trip to Fisher last evening returning on the late train, where he served some civil papers.

RETURNED TO ST. PAUL — Attorney F. C. McGhee left last evening for his home at St. Paul after defending A. Patteway in a most able manner.

ON HOLIDAY TRIP—H. G. Posey who has been railroading out of this city for some time past has left for St. Paul and from there will go to Superior where he will remain for the holidays, returning to work here about the first of the year.

HAPPY HANS HERE—Chief of Police Hans Ellingson of East Grand Forks came over on the Northern Pacific yesterday afternoon on some court business, returning last evening. He has been in Crookston a good portion of the time during the present term of the district court as it was owing to the good work done by himself and force that several of the crooks have been sent over the road.

JOLLIES GENIAL JOE—Joseph F. Koelmel of Crookston was among the traveling men who registered at the Markham yesterday. Mr. Koelmel was for many years engaged in the saloon business at Crookston and while acting as the manager of the "Little Gem" he made many friends in northern Minnesota. "Joe" is now traveling on the road for a wholesale house and is doing very well.—Bemidji Pioneer

THREE FIGHT CANNON— Three Minnesota congressmen, Charles A. Davis, A. J. Volstead and C. A. Lindbergh, took part in the insurgent caucus called to consider plans for revising the rules of the house. The insurgent movement is headed by Representatives Hepburn of Iowa, and promises to become formidable at once. Twenty-five Republicans were present at last night's meeting and another caucus has been called for Tuesday evening. The fight on the rules is not to be delayed until the organization of the next congress but is to be started at once, according to present plans. It is proposed to amend the rules, if possible, so that the speaker must recognize the members in order of their rising, instead of arbitrarily as he does at present.—Fergus Falls Journal.

WILL WINTER IN CANADA—Thore Thoreson, one of the pioneer valley boys raised in western Polk county spent yesterday in the city with friends and left this morning for Kaslo, British Columbia, where he will spend the winter with an aunt. His sister spent the summer there and was much pleased with the country. They may take a claim before returning. He had the Daily Journal sent after him to keep in touch with the homefolks.

A LIVE WIRE — Robert Balfour, one of the live wires of Euclid, spent Tuesday night in the city on business, returning home yesterday morning. He says the New Years Eve Ball to be given at the Woodmen Hall at Euclid Dec. 31, is going to be a hummer. It needs no argument to prove that to a resident of this city, as Euclid is noted for successful dances. Many fro mhere will drive up if the weather is not too severe.

"KING OF NORWAY" HERE — L. B. Larson, one of the well known traveling salesmen of Crookston a few years ago, then travelling for Nichols and Dean, wholesale hardware, arrived this morning from Billings, Montana, and will visit here for a while. Mr. Larson was referred to as "the King of Norway" while making this city headquarters, and the knights of the grip all hailed him by the same title this morning as he stepped off the train and many travelers stood gaping about as they heard the salutation shouted, as tho they expected the real king of Norway was here.

BOUGHT ELLENDALE PAPER— A. M. Beveridge editor of the Lakota American and formerly connected with Grand Forks and Crookston papers, has just completed a deal for the purchase of the Ellendale (N. D.) Record. The transfer becomes effective with the first issue in January, which will be in charge of the new proprietor. He has tendered his resignation as editor and manager of the Lakota American whichtakes effect January 1.

Mr. Beveridge is a thoro newspaper man, knows the business from one end to the other and will doubtless make a success of his Ellendale investment.

NAULT MAKES A HIT—The moving picture machine at the opera house is an exceptionally good one being devoid of the flicker usually found in moving pictures and Mr. Joseph Nault is an adept at running it and Ada people are fortunate in being provided with this real good clean cheap and instructive amusement and those who go show their appreciation by regular attendance. — Norman County Herald.

UNDERWENT OPERATION—Atty. E. O. Hagen has just received word that his brother Chris in the accounting department of the educational department at Manila, has just recovered from an operation for appendicitis. He was taken sick Nov. 1st but being in good health was in the hospital but ten days and was back at work in 17 days, a remarkably rapid recovery.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

AMONG PINES — Otto Koeppe spent yesterday at Wilton and other places on the east line seeing that the boys all had a goodly stock of fine holiday cigars.

ENGINEERS GO WEST — C. P. Hughes, H. M. Woodrand and Ray DeWitt left this morning for Great Falls where they will be employed as engineers on the Great Northern railroad.

MADE TWO TRIPS—H. F. Brown is recovering slowly but steadily from a bad attack of rheumatism. He has made two trips on the road, having just returned from Bemidji and other points.

BOUGHT GOOD QUARTER —Alexandre Brossoit has bought a quarter section of land of Wm. Anglim of this city, in the town of Tamarack, Marshall county. Mr. Brossoit worked this piece of land last summer and realized 19 bushels to the acre.

TO ERECT NEW BUILDING—The Theo. Hamm Brewing company of St. Paul will erect a four-story brick steel and tile store building, for Emporium company, east side of Robert street and south side of Eighth street in that city at a cost of $225,000.

THIEF RIVER FALLS MASONS— At a meeting of the Masonic lodge at Thief River Falls Monday evening the following officers were elected.

W. M.—W. B. Fuller.
S. W.—W. A. Wyman.
J. W.—Dr. Heiber.
Secretary—Herman Peterson.
Treasurer—T. L. Melgaard.

PLASTERING FINISHED — John Green yesterday finished the plastering of the Franklin School building and the balance of the work will be rushed as rapidly as possible. The fine new building will be ready for occupancy in a few weeks. The system of heating and ventilation is said to be the most complete and modern in the northwest.

HUSTLE THEM ALONG— "Send your express packages early" say the express agents. "Remember that yours will only be one out of several million Christmas packages that will be sent this year and while it will be given just the same service as anybody else's we can't get it to its destination on time if you send it late or depend upon the same service you get at ordinary times."

BOOSTING FOR "DAD"—J. C. Sabin of the firm of Griggs, Cooper & Co., the oldest traveling man making this district, and who sells to more of the trade than any other man making this territory, left Argyle Monday evening for St. Paul to spend the Christmas holidays. We know of no transient in our "dictionary" who will receive more wishes for a Merry Christmas than will Mr. Sabin."—Argyle Banner.

DR. WATSON INJURED— Dr. N. M. Watson the well known Red Lake Falls physician is said to be in a critical condition, the result of an accident. While stepping out of a sleigh at Red Lake Falls he slipped and fell to the ground. Mr. Watson did not believe that he had been at all seriously bruised and continued to attend his duties but is now in a critical condition. It appears that in the fall he sustained an internal injury. Dr. Dunlop of Crookston and Dr. McDonald of Minneapolis have been in attendance and the many friends of Watson in this city hope that he will soon recover.

MRS. O. T. TANBERG INJURED— Mrs. O. T. Tanberg, came near being killed at Red Lake Falls a few days ago. She was walking down the big hill on the north side of the river which leads to the bridge and two young boys were coming behind her running a race down the hill. Mrs. Tanberg stepped aside to let one of the boys pass her, and did not see the other boy stepping into his path. When the two met Mrs. Tanberg was thrown into the air and sustained a severe bruise on the back of her head For nearly three hours she was unconscious and for a time it was feared she would not live. She is now getting along nicely however.

CRAWFORD AN INVENTOR — Archie Crawford after several months work has just completed a Christmas novelty which has "Pigs in the Clover" and "How Old is Ann" beat a mile on the first heat. Full details will be published later after patents have been applied for and it is expected to put the device on sale before Christmas this year. It is a combination vegetable and china device, guaranteed to set the purchaser crazy within a week and promote suicide. It will make a great hit with the troublesome mother-in-law. and also promises to greatly encourage the raising of green peas in this section and may result in the Northern Pressed Brick Co., adding a pottery plant at once.

GET PENSIONS — Congressman Halvor Steenerson has secured the granting of two new pensions for worthy applicants residing in this district. One was granted to Eugene Dady of Warren, who will get $12 per month, from Oct. 22, 1908. He was a member of Company C. Eighteenth N. Y. volunteer cavalry, and this is the first pension he has received. The other claim for a pension was from Bella S. Campion of Angus a widow of William Campion of Company A, Thirty-eighth Wisconsin Volunteer infantry. She has been granted a pension of $12 per month dating form May 16, 1908. Mrs. Campion is spending the winter in Los Angeles California.

A meagre report was received from Argyle last evening to the effect that a mail sack thrown from the Great Northern Flyer yesterday morning had been lugged off a short distance by robbers, cut open and the contents rifled.

It is not known what is missing but it is believed that the robbers in some way know that there was to be some heavy registered shipments in that mail, and secured quite a haul. They left no clue. The sack was found by Jack Sinclair.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

SLIGHTLY CHILLY—The thermometer took a sudden drop last evening [illegible] instruction of the weather clerk and with a brisk north wind made a close personal relationship between one's coat collar and his ears.

ENJOYED COUNTRY LIFE—Rev. Hollowell who preaches at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening, returned yesterday from a two days' visit at the R. E. Smith farm south of the city. He leaves Sunday evening for his home at Northfield for a week on business after which he wil lreturn to his duties here for a month or more.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — E. Johnson one of the prominent farmers of Angus, who purchased the F. McLennan farm at that place one of the finest in northern Polk spent yesterday in the city attending to some business matters and joined the family of Daily Journal readers. While in the city Mr. Johnson completed the sale of 40 acres of fine hay land west of his main farm to Frank Taus. Mr. Johnson while one of the new farmers i nthat section is making good.

DISPOSING OF CHURCH PROPERTY—Rev. W. S. Ward and Pastor Evangelist D. K. Laurie of the Presbyterian church spent yesterday at Fisher where they went in connection with the disposal of the church property at Fisher, the congregation having disbanded three years ago there. The pews will be shipped to Roseau for the new Presbyterian church just erected there, and the church building will probably be sold to Hamilton Bros. of Fisher.

Are You Looking For A Pudding?

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The nearest the average man can come to arranging a financial program for the next year is to overestimate his income and underestimate his expenditures.

If they had all turned out men the Lord would have kept on creating more in the hope of getting something better, but when there was a woman it was safe to stop.

WOMAN WEDS WILY WILEY

NOW SHE IS SORRY THAT SHE EVER MET FORMER REAL ESTATE DEALER

MR. TINDOLPH SAID TO HAVE MADE $5,000 OUT OF AN UNSUCCESSFUL MARRIAGE

From Friday's Daily—

Wiley Tindolph well known to the people of Thief River Falls, having been one of the first real estate dealers there, and well known in Crookston also, is in trouble—or at least he had made trouble for the aunt of F. H. Conger. Wiley married last May and altho the marriage does not appear to have been a success, the former Thief River Falls real estate dealer appears to have made a profit of $5,000 out of the deal, even if his heart did suffer some pain.

A short time ago Chief of Police A. W. Lang of Thief River Falls received a letter from F. H. Conger, of the firm of Auld & Conger Co., manufacturers in rofing slate, etc., of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Conger was inquiring as to the character of Mr. Tindolph. The following letter to Mr. Lang will explain itself.

"Mr. A. W. Lang, Chief of Police, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir: Referring again to my inquiry of December 2nd on Mr. Wiley Tindolph, in your city off and on for some years back, I wish to state that this party married my aunt in May of this year and in October she left him and returned east. During the brief time mentioned he inveigled her into deeding her property to him absolutely without any consideration whatsoever; later he compelled her to give him $1,500 in cash and notes for $3,500 before he would deed the property back.

The above mentioned facts which are exactly true are self explanatory. You can obtain considerable data on this party from almost any of the citizens of Vincennes, Ind. I might state in closing that the information given in this letter is not confidential as you are at liberty to use it as you see fit or to refer anyone desiring further details to me.

Yours very truly,
—F. H. Conger.

GUS WARNKE OPENS RESTAURANT

Gus Warnke has leased the restaurant at the rear of the R. J. Berg block on South Main street, the restaurant facing Market Street near the city scales, and served his first meal at noon today. Mr. Warnke has had valuable experience in that line of business, has boarded for many years himself and knows what his patrons want and will give them a good service at all times. The location is an excellent one and he will have a big farmer trade as well as local patronage and should do a fine business from the start. He was kept busy today and believes he will make a grand success of the venture and in this his wide acquaintance in the city and surrounding country will materially assist him.

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: Some of the state Republican newspapers complain because Governor Johnson went to Washington as a member of the conservation congress, and because he stopped by the way in response to invitations to deliver addresses. Were the governor a Republican these same newspapers would devote no end of space to extoll his rare virtues and would defend his absence from the state in that capacity as bringing great glory to the man and the commonwealth he represents. Mr. Johnson is a Democrat, but he is a man that is much bigger than any of the Republican editors of the state that assail him on such silly grounds.

Brainerd Dispatch: Adam Bede told a Washington newspaper correspondent that he had secured "more appropriations for lake harbor improvements in his district than they have had before since the birth of Adam, and more than they will get again before the death of the devil." Referred to Congressman Miller.

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SCHOOL TAX IS LOW HERE

DESPITE SPLENDID FACILITIES COST TO TAX PAYERS LESS THAN AVERAGE

ONLY ONE CITY IN NORTHWEST WHERE LEVY IS LOWER THAN IN CROOKSTON

As a matter of comparison with this city, it may be of interest and value to note the assessed valuation of property and the school tax rate on the same of some of our neighboring high school towns. These figures are taken from the report of the state high school inspector for the year ending July 31, 1908. In some of these cases the school district includes more property than the municipality, and in all, it is likely that the assessed valuation was increasel by the assessment of property last June.

	Assessed valuation	Rate mills
Crookston	$1,595,000	20
Thief River Falls ..	$ 542,000	26
Red Lake Falls	$ 257,000	32
Stephen	$ 255,000	29
Warren	$ 392,000	24
East Grand Forks ..	$ 529,000	46
Fergus Falls	$1,306,000	26
McIntosh	$ 100,000	27
Fosston	$ 239,000	29
Bemidji	$1,216,000	18
Cass Lake	$ 298,000	50

OTTERTAIL PIONEER HAS PASSED AWAY

VINING MINN., BANKER AND POLITICIAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

A telephone message from Vining Otter Tail county announces the death of Andrew T. Lund, following a long illness. Mr. Lund was born in Norway and was 60 years of age. He came to t hat county in 1879 settling at what is now Vining. When the railway came thru and the station was established it was first known as Lund, but the name was changed by direction of the postoffice authorities.

A thriving village grew up and he established a private bank, which was later incorporated as Lund's State bank, he and his seven sons being the stockholders. He was a candidate for the republican congressional nomination, state senate and the Minnesota house, at different times. His death was due to Bright's disease

GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL PLAN IS PRAISED

CROOKSTON HOTEL HAS PROPER RETURN CARD ON ENVELOPES TO MAKE EFFECTIVE

If you send a letter in a hotel envelope and the envelope contains only the card of the hotel in the upper left hand corner, in case that letter is not called for in five days, it is forwarded to the dead letter office at Washington.

"This is a protection to the sender of the letter, and it is surprising how many hotels have their envelopes marked 'Return in five days to Blank Hotel, Grand Forks, N. D.' for instance," said a Grand Forks post official in the Grand Forks Herald.

"The matter was brought to my mind this morning," continued the official, "by the receipt of an envelope which was a model in this respect. This envelope contained the following in the upper left hand corner:

" 'Return in five days, John Jones, Grand Central Hotel, Crookston, Minnesota.'

"All of this 'card' was printed with the exception of the name of the sender, which had been written in by him the hotel man having left a blank space for that purpose when he had his envelopes printed.

"In case the person to whom the letter was addressed could not have been found in five days, it would have been returned to the Grand Central hotel at Crookston and they would have been able to hand it or forward it to Mr. Jones but had Mr. Jones' name not been on the envelope and the person addressed was not know at the local post office. It would have gone to the dead letter office.

"The suggestion has been made that if the traveling public would start an agitation to have hotelkeepers leave a blank space in the card on their envelopes that the hotel man would be glad to make this change in their cards."

Gov. Johnson's official plurality is 27,779. This is the figure reached by the state canvassing board. According to the count completed at noon yesterday. John A. Johnson democrat, received 175,136 votes, and J. F. Jacobson, republican 147,357.

GREETINGS TO NEW NEIGHBORS

SPECIAL TRAIN CARRIED 100 CROOKSTONITES OVER NEW EXTENSION TO WARROAD

GREETINGS EXTENDED TO THE TOWNS NOW CLOSELY CONNECTED WITH THIS CITY

From Friday's Daily—

This morning the special train to run over the recently completed extention from Greenbush to Warroad and under the auspices of the 25,000 Commercial Club of Crookston left at a few minutes past 7 with 100 of Crookston's progressive business and professional men who went to extend greetings to the towns along the newly completed route and congratulate them over the consummation of their hopes for close connections with the outside world by rail.

A liver lot of excursionists never left the city, and a better or higher mission they could not have. The idea of the trip was one of the happiest that was ever evolved for the mutual benefit of the new towns as well as Crookston, and will serve to start a feeling of mutual interest which will be of inestimable value to all concerned.

The train was in charge of Conductor Steve Withey and Tom Gorder did the honors as brakesman, while engine No. 235 which pulled the train was in charge of Engineer Chas. Smith and Fireman Oscar Rustad who jerked the coaches so fast on the way up that only a few of the high places were touched.

The longest stops were made at Roseau, Badger and Warroad, where big crowds awaited the Jollifiers and hearty greetings extended, but shorter stops were made at every point en route either on the up or down trip.

There were sundry and divers wireless messages received during the day, and the wind from the northeast was loaded with music so that the Crookston band was evidently playing without intermission excepting for short intermissions for refreshments in the baggage car.

The bulletins as they were caught at the dispatcher's office read something like this:

"Greenbush—White Seal Klewel and Hamm Rasmussen running a foot race with both hands full, doing the honors."

"Enroute 60 miles an hour. Withey stopped train to pull Squaw straddle of moose out of artesian well."

"11:55 A. M.—Badger taken without resistance. Whole populace present to see covered cars."

"Tom Brown will recover. Resting easy now in baggage car."

"Pure Food Johnson tried to sell pint of ice cream at Roseau and was arrested by Warden Munch for trying to make a killing out of season."

12:35—Love feast starts at Roseau Pipe of peace lit by President Misner and R. J. Bell took second draught"

"Warroad succumbed at 1:40 p. m. amid booming of cannons. Excursionists received with open arms and restocked their personal bread baskets"

DROPPED DEAD WHERE HIS SON WAS SHOT

John Doran one of the pioneers of Eglon township near Barnesville and father of the Doran boy who was accidentally shot to death by a boy companion this fall, dropped dead yesterday within four rods of the spot where his son was killed. He had gone after his mail, and his failure to return resulted in a search.

The overthrow of many a man may be traced to a slip of a girl.

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The Christmas Stamp

Don't forget to put the Christmas stamp on all your holiday letters and packages. When you can contribute to a splendid cause at a cost of only a cent the opportunity is too good to be overlooked.

When you buy a dollar's worth of Red Cross stamps, you contribute 5 cents—less the cost of making the stamps—to the National Red Cross society and its fight against consumption, and you contribute 95 cents to the local anti-tuberculosis society. Not only that, but by affixing the stamps to your letters and packages, you advertise the cause and help to attract public attention to it. The stamps are neat and attractive, and they will ornament your mail while advertising a great crusade for the relief of afflicted humanity.

Put the Christmas stamp on every letter and every package you send between now and New Year's day, and if you have some left then, keep on using them until they are gone.

One-Sided Right Of Appeal

Attorney General Bonaparte supports one of the endeavors of President Roosevet by recommending in his annual report, that congress should provideby law for appeals by the government from interlocutory rulings of the inferior courts in criminal prosecutions. The attorney general cites the $29,000,000 fine imposed upon the Standard Oil company as a case in point. The court of appeals may be right or be wrong in its holding that errors were committed by Judge Landis in the trial before a jury. Whether the appellate court is right or wrong, the defendant insists that its decision should be final. If the decision had been otherwise, the same defendant would have been prompt, of course, to make an appeal It is thus clear that the government must be unimpeachably in the right at all stages of the litigation. in order to prevail while the slightest error is fatal to the exercise of justice Right and wrong both fight on the side of a defendant who has money enough to continue the contest.

The unpleasant situation all comes about from the perversion of a brief clause of the federal constitution that no man shall be twice put in jeopardy for the same offense. That has been taken to mean that any ruling of a court favorable to the defense in a criminal trial must stand, for erroneous tho it may be, the defendant would be in jeopardy if he had to contend upon any technical point of law twice, after prevailing once. We can now see how a general statement in the constitution intended for the protection of the people can be and often is used against the public.—St. Paul Dispatch.

"A Solid North."

The visit of 100 of the business and professional men of Crookston on a special train to the towns along the new extension of the Great Northern from Greenbush to Warroad yesterday, who also visited all the towns along the line from this city to the end of the line, is a long stride in the right direction. The start has been mdae towards a "united Northern Minnesota" and now that the ice has been broken, the benefits of such a condition of affairs will soon be manifest on every hand.

The people of Crookston went to extend greetings to the people of Roseau county who have just realized their dream of years for railway communication with the outside world. Hampered by isolation they have shown wonderful thrift and energy and have developed the county to a wonderful extent under such a heavy handicap.

Now with a railroad which runs from one end of the county to the other there is no limit to the possibilities of this great commonwealth. The villages are thrifty and progressive already, and will certainly grow rapidly in the future.

The bond of friendship that has existed in the past will be doubly strengthened as a result of the excursion of yesterday. The interests of this section, and Roseau county are identical. What means prosperity for one will mean prosperity for the other. They should and will work hand in hand with this idea ever uppermost.

The more Roseau County prospers, the more Crookston and this section will prosper and vice versa.

Now that the proper start has been made, Crookston as a city and every resident as an individual should strive to do his full share toward making the bond of friendship still stronger as the years roll by.

Breeding Snobs

If there is one industry in this country that is more profitless than any other, to the nation or to the world to its originators or to its intended beneficiaries, it is the making of snobs, says the Duluth Herald.

A snob is about as useless an object as the eccentricities of human life can possibly produce. If the snob has any use at all, it—we must insist upon the neuter gender—is as a horrible example of what not to be.

Yet there are fond parents, tragic ignorance of what they are doing, that are deliberately turning their children into snobs, and thereby making for them a future full of hate and scorn and uncharitableness and selfishness and lovelessness and final ignominy.

For instance, the playground movement has reached Baltimore, and has had considerable development there. One unpleasant outcome of it is that sundry wealthy Baltimore people are engaged in providing a playground exclusively for their children. Presumably admission to it will be governed by the commercial rating of the parents. Children who cannot get a proper certificate for their parents from Dun or Bradstreets will have to step aside, and do their playing in the streets or in the playgrounds provided for the recreation of the children of the plain people.

We are informed just how much money parents will have to possess in order to gain admission for their children into this manufactory for snobs. The dividing line between the "plain people" and the "upper classes" varies in various communities according to the scale of wealth. In New York no doubt, the minimum would be very high. Baltimore is rather a wealthy city, and it will probably be pretty high there too. If such a thing were proposed in Duluth it would not be so high, probably as in either of these places, even tho Duluth has quite a number of fairly rich people. It really does not make much difference what arbitrary amount is fixed. If it were $20,000,000 in New York, $5,000,000 in Baltimore, or $50,000 in Oskaloosa, the result would be the same. It would turn children that might, under proper conditions, have become pleasant, useful and admirable citizens, into insufferable snobs.

Beyond any question, the time will come when rich people will learn that the mere possession of money does not life anybody anywhere. It provides better clothes, better food, better housing, but it does not even provide more happiness than a competency. It provides better opportunities, it is true, but they are accompanied by greater temptations, chief of which is the temptation to useless idleness, to a life based upon the belief that having plenty, there is no need to work or to perform any useful service.

Nothing can come out of such an arrangement as these Baltimore families contemplate but bitterness and harm. It means narrowness of vision for the innocent little people to whom only god is intended. It means to implant into their growing minds the shameful notion that there is something about wealth that ennobles and that puts its owners above the "common herd." To say nothing of the arrogance of it, of the effect of flaunting the self-conceived superiority of the rich in the faces of the poor, it will work great mischief with the children of the rich.

A man may reform himself because of his love of a woman, but no love of hers can ever do it for him.

The mere fact that a man doesn't pay his bills is no sign that he owns an automobile.

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Damphool Official

There was a fire in the little town of Bridgburg on the Canadian side of the Niagara and teams and apparatus were sent over from Buffalo to aid in putting out the blaze. Since the flurry over the outbreak of foot and mouth disease the importation of animals to Canada from this side of the line has been prohibited. The Canadian customs officials evidently construed their instructions literally, for they halted the Buffalo fire teams and held them and the department jogged back and let the town burn, which served it jolly well right, under the circumstances. We have read of a queen of Spain roasting before the fire because it was not etiquette for her to move her own chair back, and there was no one present to do it for her, but that was in the dark ages. It seems that some red tape is tied as tightly now as it was then.—Grand Forks Herald.

The Agriculturist: The Secretary of the Interior has promulgated new regulations under the timber and stone act. This act provides that timber and stone lands shall be sold at the minimum price of $2.00 per acre and heretofore since the act was passed in 1878 they have been sold at a flat rate of $2.50 an acre. The Secretary now rules that they must be appraised according to their actual market value and hereafter sold at the appraised value with $2.00 as the minimum. If they are not worth $2.00 they cannot be sold, but they may be sold as high as fifteen or twenty dollars if they prove to be worth it, or even more.

The Minnesota Dairyman: The opinion that has erroneously prevailed in some quarters that farm life is monotonous, slow, uninteresting and unremunerative, may not obtain at the present time for the owner of a good farm home may and ought to be the most happy, independent and contented person on earth; always employed with work of his own planning and choosing and is his own boss; has his paper, magazines and other mail delivered at his door every day by his good Uncle Sam; his telephone reaches the leading cities, business and professional, in the county and county seat, and even to the larger market centers; he is in touch with the world, while he partakes and drinks of nature's blessing at the fountain-head. Given a liking for the occupation, equal ability, natural and acquired, and the farm and farmer will win every time.

Stillwater Mirror: A Pittsburg firm is making a specialty of glass grave "stones" which show portraits of the deceased blown in the front. This is liable to lead some silly and sentimental persons to shuffle off just to have their "ugly mugs" preserved in glass.

McIntosh Times: This is the critical period of the year for the local creamery. Stand by your home institution and do all in your power to induce your neighbor to do likewise.

One cuff on the wrist is worth a dozen on the ear.

GIRLS ARE TAUGHT TO BUY AND COOK

Four Thousand Being Educated in City's Schools—Points on House-keeping Given to the Young Women in the Domestic Science Course Which Has Been Extended So that Valuable Knowledge Can be Obtained

Minneapolis people are going to know something of economical living. About 4,000 girls are learning how to buy so as to get the most for their money and how to cook what they have bought so that it will give their families the greatest amount of nutrition, and while these 4,000 are learning another 4,000 are preparing to take the advanced course in domestic science in the public schools.

Until a year ago the course was one year only but it was changed to two years, and the first class under the new course has just about finished the first half year's work and has learned how to combine proteids, carbohydrates and fats so as to make a proper meal.

On a Scientific Basis

The girls have learned that if they buy oatmeal in bulk they can provide a meal for a family of six for 2 cents Already a number of girls of 13 do all the buying and cooking at home and are as proud as peacocks as they have a right to be.

Even when the amateur cooks don't do all the cooking nor all of the buying, they are able to furnish expert advice when consulted and usually report with much pride that they have made half a dozen or more dainties a week to the delight of their parents, who realize at once the advantages of a public school education.

Extension Helps Them

The change of the course of study from one year to two has enabled these very young women to learn more of the hygiene and sanitation of the kitchen, details in regard to food values and the cost of living, the making of menus and methods of service that could not have been crammed into a one-year course which was already as full as it could be.

There are sixteen centers of domestic science in the public schools and about 240 pupils taking the advanced course in each. They began a year ago by learning how to boil water, and when they finish next June they will know almost everything there is to know about the kitchen.

CHRISTMAS SERMONS

Christmas sermons at the Congregational church by Rev. C. C. Warner the pastor, were on "The Christmas of the Magi, or Men and Their Master," and at night, "The Christmas Message of the Master's or the Birth of Christ in Art."

An outline of the morning sermon follows:

What is Christ to the Wise Men, the strong men, the successful men of the American Twentieth Century? Such it seems to me the Magi may represent. And as they so the men of today should keep this holy feast, for the Christ they adored is the master of manhood, the king of modern men.

I. The Magi Seeking Jesus. Their visit was most significant. The round of cares the rush of toils, the tremendous burden of everyday responsibility do not perfectly satisfy either the Magi or the American. The soul now and then sees a star, beholds a vision of a king, hears a call from the skies. Conscience bids men seek a savior.

They had faith. So has the farmer, the merchant. Exercise it towards the greatest needs the highest ends of life and being. He who like the Magi, seeks Christ shall find Him as surely as did they. The stars in their courses help him.

II. The Magi Worshipping Jesus. Reverent adoration at His lowly throne was their first act on finding Jesus. Today his name is above every name. The reality of Jesus' reign, his power, goodness, and grace, only the ignorant or wilful deny. Surely nothing is more fitting than to bow in worship before Him.

Especially do we Men owe a new worshipfulness. Too long we have been absorbed in material affairs and have left religion to the women and the children. But there has come an awakening call. The Missionary Century has closed with widespread training in Christian Endeavor. Conscience has been strengthened. Intelligent vision and growth in trained power are other results. The youth of yesterday are coming to their own and already a new movement is upon us. God grant that it prove the mightiest in force and achievement. It is the Men's brotherhood movement.

Jesus Christ was a Man—the Divine God-man. The great names in Church history are men. It should be the same today. Awake to your duty, your characteristic leadership, your place as men in the church of today. (There followed an appeal preparatory to planning for the organization of a local brotherhood.)

III. The Magi Giving to Jesus. From the first advent joy until the end of time giving will be the precious privilege of the Christmas-tide. We have in the church our Lord loves an opportunity of immediate ministry to Christ. Let us make our offerings in church support gifts indeed unto our Master.

A vastly more important devotion is the gift of ourselves. Living sacrifices outshine, outvalue, and outlast all other gifts. Every one of us can make such offerings.

Finally serve Christ with manful energy and effectiveness. To win the manhood of today make the church robust and practical. Give it your goodwill, your appreciation of the problems of life, and your sense of personal responsibility.

A celebration of the Christmas in this spirit-seeking, worshipping and Giving to the Christ, will prepare a Happy New Year.

TAFT AND HAMMOND HAVE A CONFERENCE

PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL LEAGUE OF REPUBLICAN CLUBS CALLED TO GEORGIA TO CONSULT WITH PRESIDENT-ELECT—MANY QUESTIONS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE WERE DISCUSSED—HAMMOND IS NOT OUT FOR A JOB

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 22—President-elect Taft conferred today with John Hays Hammond, president of the National League of Republican clubs, and received suggestions which will be given serious consideration respecting new fields of future usefulness for that organization. Mr. Hammond who arrived here today with Mrs. Hammond and two of their sons for an extended stay, Mr. Taft said, was invited by him to come. He added there were many things he wanted to talk over with the eminent mining engineer, including political conditions and appointmets. The two have been friends since their college days when they were class mates. Mr. Hammond was emphatic in saying that he was not a candidate for either the cabinet, the diplomatic corps or any other position under the new administration.

MORE SURPRISES IN INSURANCE WORLD

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE OF STATE OF COLORADO WILL TAKE PRESIDENCY OF THE PROVIDENT SAVINGS LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF NEW YORK—RITTENHOUSE IS TO TAKE ACTIVE CHARGE OF THE WORK ON JANUARY FIRST NEXT

New York, Dec. 22—Something of a surprise was sprung in life insurance circles today when another change in control of The Provident Savings Life Assurance society was announced together with the issuance of a statement that at special meeting of the directors, E. E. Rittenhouse, commissioner of insurance of Colorado had been elected president of the society to succeed Arthur C. Langham. The control of the organization it was announced, has passed from Mr. Langham's hands to those of Judge Nash Rockwood. Commissioner Rittenhouse was present at the meeting of the directors and formally acepted the presidency. He will take charge of the affairs of the Provident about January 1st, 1909.

FRATERNAL ORDERS 1909 OFFICIAL ROSTER

A lively social and business session was held last evening by the Royal Neighbors of East Grand Forks in Gies Hall. The meeting was largely attended by the members of the lodge the young people being admitted later in the evening to the social session dancing party which followed. The lodge is in a very flourishing financial condition and plans great things for the coming year in the line of social activities. Probably no organization in the city has done more to raise the social standard in East Grand Forks than the Royal Neighbors and according to present plans the same feature will predominate with the order during the coming year. The officers elected Monday evening to serve for the coming year are as follows:

Oracle—Mrs. Mary Boese.
Vice Oracle—Mrs. Katherine Bogenrief.
Recorder—Mrs. Ina Coons.
Chancellor—Miss Eva Zenzel.
Receiver—Mrs. Maggie Dangerfield
Marshal—Miss Celia Langan.
Assistant Marshal—Miss Clara McGuire.
Inner Sentinel—Miss Clara Paschke
Manager, 3 years — James Figenshaw.
Camp Physicians—Dr. A. B. Kirk and Dr. W. C. Wilson.

St. Aldemar Cammandery

The St. Aldemar Commandery of Knights Templar of Grand Forks elected the following officers:

Eminent Commander — George F. Duis.
Generallisimo—L. L. Eckman.
Captain General—C. A. Hale.
Senior Warden—J. Bell De Remer.
Junior Warden—J. Nelson Kelly.
Excellent Pilot—Rev. J. H. Burleson.
Treasurer—C. H. Opsahl.
Recorder—Charles Allen.

Knights of Columbus

At the annual meeting of the Knights of Columbus at Grand Forks held Monday evening, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Grand Knight—Fred S. Duggan.
Deputy Grand Knight—T. W. Neville.
Treasurer—Albert E. Collins.
Financial Secretary—B. F. Brockhoff.
ter.
Advocate—D. L. Flynn.
Warden—Michael Neville.
Inside Guard—M. E. Durick.
Outside Guard—J. W. Lowe.
Trustee 3 years—M. Norman.

Following the business session a social was enjoyed

Grand Forks Foresters

The Catholic Order of Foresters of Grand Forks held a meeting last evening and elected officers for the ensuing year. The officers will be installed at the January meeting. The following were elected:

Chief Ranger—M. Norman.
Vice Chief Ranger—M. Neville.
Financial Secretary—Gerald Rafter
Recording Secretary—Herman Neuranter.
Trustees—M. F. Murphy, J. J. Schmitz and Captain J. F. Hayes.
Representative to Grand Lodge—John Sheey.
Alternate—M. Norman.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

The first person to forget a favor is the receiver thereof.

From the big-headed man's viewpoint this is a tiny world.

Some people are witty and some others are not even half-witted.

The knocker has a large audience because he gives a free show.

All women would want religion if it was good for the complexion.

The brain of an elephant is larger than that of a man, but his trunk is smaller than that of a woman.

The push button doesn't always ring the gong of success.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

Marriage, like salad, is a failure when the dressing is poor.

All of the enjoyments of our youth become a mad misfit in our old age.

A girl has such a coaxing way she can make a mirror lie to her own face.

There's nothing quite so horrible to a married woman as what if she weren't.

We accept our trials of the spirit just the way a man acepts a ten-story building when it falls on him.

A bachelor says a mule is the most obstinate thing on earth but married men know better.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

TYPHOID FEVER — Mrs. A. P. Kirsch was taken to St. Vincents hospital this afternoon, suffering with typhoid

VISITING COUNTRY—Ole Sundet left this morning for Badger where he will remain for a couple of weeks a guest at the home of E. A. Meiers.

TO VISIT OLD HOME—R. G. Bartlett and L. M. Bartlett and two children left last evening for the old Bartlett home at Eau Salle, Wis., where they will spend the Christmas Holidays. Mrs. Barelett left this morning for Bemidji where she will visit home folks during the absence of her husband and children.

DEATH OF W. A. DOLL—A telegram received yesterday brought the sad news of the death at Durango, Col., of W. A. Doll, a brother of Chas. Doll, of East Grand Forks. The deceased was 46 years of age. He was at one time a resident of East Grand Forks, leaving Polk County some 14 years ago.

EUCLIDITE HERE—Frank Hutchinson drove down from Euclid this morning with his wife and is spending the day here attending to some business matters. He has just ordered a fine covered rig from McKinnon Bros., which he is having made to order, and it will be one of the very best in the entire north country.

DIED—At his home with his parents at Cass Lake last Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, Leonard, the son and only child of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Latendress, after a short illness aged 7 years. The remains were accompanied Tuesday morning by the sorrowing parents and relatives to Red Lake Falls, where funeral services were held and the body was laid in its last resting place.

MID-WEST TO MAKE CHANGE—It is stated that the Mid-West a weekly publication of Grand Forks will be made a weekly agricultural paper on the style of the Orange Judd Farmer. It is pointed out that there is no strictly farm paper in North Dakota and it is hoped to build up one that will be a success. It is also stated that the last issue of the Mid-West will be the last of the publication in that form.

EDITOR WIGHAM HERE—Editor Wigham of Mahnomen spent Saturday in the city on business returning home last night where he says business is rushing. While here he engaged Miss Emma Rogne, a graduate of the Crookston Business College as stenographer for his offices and she leaves this evening to begin her work there. Miss Rogne has made her home with Mrs. W. L. Davies for several years past and is splendidly equipped for her work with Mr. Wigham.

JOHN MORRISON JR., SILENT—John Morrison, Jr., the 'heap good white chief" of the Red Lake Indian reservation was among the cheerful visitors at the Pioneer office yesterday. John refuses to commit himself concerning the experiences of one G. M. Torrance, who was hunting big game near the agency during the late hunting season. But John smiles knowingly, we wot that he knows a few things that would make good reading. Someone has said that the genial attorney forgot to take along his compass and was looking for the north star, one afternoon, in order to find the agency, but, of course, that is very likely purely malicious.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The passenger service from Crookston to Warroad was started this morning, Conductor Miller, Brakeman Burk, Engineer Jim Keeley and Fireman Tom Hunt being on the points.

The train leaves Crookston at 8:40 arrived at Warroad at 3:10 leaves Waroad on the return trip at 3:25 and arrives at Crookston at 10 p. m.

There will be three train crews headed by Conductors Miller, Byrnes and Keeley who will run on the Fargo-St. Vincent and Warroad runs, first in, first out.

The reason a woman wants to get clothes in the very newest fashion is so as to go and call in them on all her friends who haven't got them yet.

From Tuesday's Daily

Mike Toska was over from Fisher last evening and spent the night here

H. F. Brown is peddling Christmas cigars out on the Fosston line today.

Milburn Griffiths left this morning for Erskine and from there goes to Plummer on business.

DAY AT BEMIDJI—Manager Frank Bracelin, district manager for the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., left this morning for Bemidji to look over the exchange there.

LIKES LOCATION—Ed Garvick returned from Fisher yesterday after spending Sunday with his family. He is pleased with his ew venture there, and is doing a good business.

FULL BLOODED JERSEY— Nels P. Boe of Roseau this morning received a shipment by express of a thorobred yearling Jersey Bull from the Stillwater Stock Farm. The animal will go north tomorrow on the Roseau County Limited.

WILL VISIT AGED MOTHER — E. N. Bergerson, the well known dairyman and farmer who runs the old Childs' farm south of Crookston, left this afternoon for his old home at Creston, Ia., where he will spend a month visiting with his mother who is 82 years of age, together with other relatives.

THEY LOOK FOR IT—Hans Bjornrud, one of the progressive farmers on R. R. No. 1 out of Climax sends in a check for the Journal for another year and says: "We couldn't get along without the Journal. We look for it every morning as regularly as the little folks look for their oatmeal and cream—and relish it just as much."

WENT TO FORKS — Conductor Losier and Brakeman Frank Adams and Bill Gibson have left for Grand Forks and for a time will run on No. 403 between Grand Forks and Breckinridge. They have been running between here and Cass Lake for some time past. Something like a tear could be seen in Conductor Losier's eye as he left, and it is said another one to match it can be found decorating the eye of some one else—left behind for the time being.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. Sold by all Druggists.

The weather thus far has been very moderate, and now that the "divide" has been passed, the back of the winter is broken.

PRESENTS MAY GO ASTRAY

POSTMASTER SAYS MANY PEOPLE DO NOT WRAP PACKAGES CAREFULLY ENOUGH

"People have not yet become educated so that they will properly wrap Christmas packages before sending them thru the mails," said Postmaster Steenerson today. "It should be remembered that the packages are roughly handled, and when the wrapping is only thin paper and the name is not properly written the package stands small chance of reaching its destination in safety. Many of the packages are tied with common cord which is not strong enough to withstand the strain."

The Christmas rush is now assuming big proportions and all day today there was a line of people waiting at the window to have the Christmas packages weighed.

Mrs. McRaney's Experience

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for me. Sold by all Druggists.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Attorney W. A. Marin is at Red Lake Falls today on business.

Deputy Sheriff Orin Daniels is attending to some official business at Winger today.

Fred Strobble spent yesterday in the city from Angus, returning home this morning.

OLD TIMER HERE— Tom Nesbit of Grand Forks is circulating among friends here today and attending to some business matters.

CHAS. LOHN IMPROVING — Reports from Bethesda Hospital are to the effect that Count Reporter Chas. Lohn who was operated upon for appendicitis a few days ago ,is getting on nicely, gaining strength rapidly.

CITY WARRANTS READY— City Clerk Childs states that there are many city warrants awaiting claimants at his office and he would like to have owners call for them and get their cash at once.

ON PROBATE BUSINESS—Attorney J. A. Hendricks of Fosston one of the prominent east end attorneys, is spending the day in Crookston attending to some probate matters before Judge Merken.

HABEAS CORPUS CASE— Judge Watts is at Red Lake Falls today called there to sit in a habeas corpus case which will be argued before him and which is being opposed by the county attorney. He will return tonight.

FINE SON ARRIVED — Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rundquist are the parents of a very fine son which arrived at their home yesterday. Mother and child are doing well and Papa Rundquist is thinking of lowering the rates for the Minneapolis Tribune he is so happy.

OLD TIMER HERE—Jack Goodwin one of the pioneers of Polk county now located at Kew West spent yesterday in the city attending the meeting of farmers calld by Senator Stephens, and drove home today. Mr. Goodwin is hale and hearty as ever and was loaded with his usual bunch of Sunday school stories.

PLEASED WITH NEW LINE — Deputy Sheriff Andrew Johnson returned to Bemidji last evening after a trip to Beaudette where he took prisoner for a hearing. He came down on the new Warroad line which he says is a great thing in making cennection with the border country towns. Formerly they had to go up via Winnipeg to transact all official business and the trip was a tedious and tiresome one.

DATES FOR INSTITUTE— Prof. Hoverstad of the North Dakota Agricultural college has fixed Jan. 29 and 30 as the dates for the Farmers' Institute in Grand Forks. The program will be announced later. The Grand Forks Poultry association will have a show there at the same time.

AUTO MAN HERE—G. F. Burgess, of the Burgess-Whitcomb Auto Co., of Grand Forks is spending the day in Crookston and called at the Bjoin & Carlson Garage. Mr. Burgess looks forward to heavy sales the coming season, and believes it will be the best ever experienced in the northwest. They have a very fine fire proof garage at Grand Forks located opposite the Court House.

LABORERS "SHOT"— About 150 laborers who have been working on the Warroad extension arrived in the city last eevning and left last evening for Minneapolis on No. 6. They constituted about the finest line of "packages" seen in Crookston for many moons, some of them being so drunk they had to be carried bodily on the train and stacked up like hog carcasses—and some of them were little better than an average porker.

Nearly 1,000 Pianos at a Bargain

Lyon & Healy of Chicago, known everywhere as the world's largest music house, are doing a remarkable thing. They are rebuilding their great establishment and offering an enormous stock of pianos to make room for carpenters, painters, etc. Lyon & Healy offer all these pianos on such extraordinary terms that hundreds will buy now who otherwise might wait till next year. In short, here is a chance to get a much better piano for any sum you have in mind than you could ordinarily obtain.

Write today for the list of pianos in this piano sale, which is an event entirely unprecedented in the history of piano-selling. Address Lyon & Healy, 10 Adams street, Chicago. Four distinct plans of easy payments for those who do not wish to pay all cash.

Judge Watts yesterday pronounced sentence on two colored men, Martin Will and J. DeJourant who robbed a man at Crookston some months ago and then fled to East Grand Forks where one was captured and the other was captured later in Larimore. Hill was sentenced to the penitentiary for three and a half years and DeJourant received a reformatory sentence.

Nothing pleases a stingy man more than to hear himself spoken of as being charitably inclined.

GREAT CHICKEN SHOW WAS CONCLUDED MONDAY

BIRDS SCORED VERY HIGH AND GENERAL SATISFACTION IS FELT BY ALL THE EXHIBITORS—NEW OFFICERS ELECTED THIS MORNING WITH REPRESENTATTIVE SAUGSTAD AS PRESIDENT—NEXT SHOW WILL BE HELD HERE THE SECOND THURSDAY IN JANUARY 1910

From Monday's Daily—

President—John Saugstad, Climax

1st Vice President—C. E. Brown, State Farm.

2nd Vice President—August Aas, Climax.

Secy-Treas.—Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston.

Supt.—F. C. Mitchell.

Directors—F. C. Mitchell, John Saugstad, H. C. Scribner, C. E. Brown Frank Hanon, K. L. Harding, Sam Meng.

The above new officers were elected at a session of the members of the Northern Minnesota Poultry Association held this morning. Today concludes the first annual show given by the association and it was a success beyond all anticipations. There were over 400 birds exhibited and over 50 exhibitors, and Judge Hale was highly gratified over the high scoring of the birds. Those in charge of the present show are entitled to unstinted praise for their faithful and effective work. The association decided to hold the next show the second Thursday in January, 1910, when even a better show will be held. Following is a list of the prize winners:

Following is the complete list of the prize winners at the poultry show:

Best General Display

Silver Association Cup—Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell.
2nd—John Saugstad, Climax.
3rd—W. P. Chase, Felton.
For longest distance shipment, Mrs A. S. Webb, Sandstone, 307 miles.

Barred Plymouth Rock

1st—Cockerel, Experiment Farm.
2nd—Cockerel, Hewitson Bros. G. Forks.
1st—Cock, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Sandstone, Minn.
1st — Hen, Hewitson Bros. Grand Forks.
2nd—Hen, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Sandstone.
3rd—Hen, Hewitson Bros.
1st—Pullet, Hewitson Bros.
2nd—Pullet, Hewitson Bros.
4th—Pullet, Hewitson Bros.

Orpingtons

1st—Cock, C. E. Brown, Poultryman State Farm.
1st—Hen, C. E. Brown, Poultryman State Farm.
2nd—Hen, C. E. Brown, Poultryman State Farm.
1st—Cockerel, Harry Boh, Crookston.
3rd—Cockerel, C. E. Brown State Farm.
1st—Pullet, Harry Boh, Crookston.
2nd—Pullet, Harry Boh, Crookston.
3rd—Pullet, Harry Boh, Crookston.
4th—Pullet, C. E. Brown, State Farm.
5th—Pullet, C. E. Brown, State Farm.

White Plymouth Rocks

1st—Pen, John Saugstad, Climax.
1st—Cockerel, John Saugstad, Climax.
2nd—Cockerel, John Saugstad, Climax.
1st—Pullet, C. H. Dunning, Duluth.
2nd—Pullet, John Saugstad, Climax.
3rd—Pullet, John Saugstad, Climax.
4th—Pullet, John Saugstad, Climax.
5th—Pullet, John Saugstad, Climax.
1st—Cock, C. H. Dunning, Duluth.

Silver Laced Wyandottes

1st—Pen, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.
1st—Cock, A. L. Moore, Blackduck
1st—Hen, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.
2nd—Hen, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.
1st—Cockerel, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.
1st—Pullet, C. J. Kapphalm, Alexandria.
2nd—Pullet, C. J. Kapphalm, Alexandria.
3rd—Pullet, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.
4th—Pullet, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.
5th—Pullet, A. L. Moore, Blackduck.

Golden Wyandottes

1st—Cock, Goldie Hanon Crookston.,
1st—Hen, Goldie, Hanon Crookston.
2nd—Hen, Goldie Hanon, Crookston.
3rd—Hen, Goldie Hanon Crookston.
1st—Cockerel, Goldie Hanon Crookston.
1st—Pullet, Goldie Hanon Crookston.
2nd—Pullet, Goldie Hanon Crookston.
3rd—Pullet, Goldie Hanon Crookston.

Buff Rocks

1st—Cock, J. H. Beebe, Crookston.
1st—Hen, J. H. Beebe, Crookston.
3rd—Pullet, J. H. Beebe, Crookston
4th—Pullet, J. H. Beebe, Crookston
5th—Pullet, J. H. Beebe, Crookston

White Orpingtons

1st—Cockerel, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Sandstone.
2nd—Cockerel, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston.
1st—Pullet, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston.
2nd—Pullet, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston.
3rd—Pullet, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Sandstone.
4th—Pullet, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Sandstone.
5th—Pullet, Mrs. A. S. Webb, Sandstone.

White Wyandottes

1st—Pullet, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.
2nd—Pullet, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.
3rd—Pullet, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.
1st—Hen, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.
2nd—Hen, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.
1st—Cock, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.
1st—Cockerel, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds

1st—Cockerel, A. G. Lockman, G. Forks.
2nd—Cockerel, O. C. Countryman, Hannah, N. D.
3rd—Cockerel, O. C. Countryman, Hannah, N. D.
1st—Pullet, O. C. Countryman, Hannah, N. D.
2nd—Pullet, A. G. Lockman, Grand Forks.
1st—Hen A. G. Lockman, Grand Forks.

Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds

1st—Cock, W. P. Chase, Felton.
2nd—Pullet, W. P. Chase, Felton.
4th—Pullet, W. P. Chase, Felton.
1st—Cockerel, W. P. Chase, Felton
2nd—Cockerel, Mrs. A. J. Gilkinson Osakis.
3rd—Cockerel, W. P. Chase, Felton
4th—Cockerel, Mrs. A. J. Gilkinson Osakis.

Buff Cochins

1st—Cockerel, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.
2nd—Cockerel, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.
1st—Pullet, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.
2nd—Pullet, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.
3rd—Pullet, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.
4th—Pullet, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.
5th—Pullet, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Crookston.

Black Langshans

1st—Pullet, S. P. Swedburgh.
2nd—Pullet, S. P. Swedburgh.
3rd—Pullet, S. P. Swedburgh.
4th—Pullet, S. P. Swedburgh.
1st—Cockerel, S. P. Swedburgh.
2nd—Cockerel, S. P. Swedburgh.

White Faced Black Spanish

1st—Pullet, H. C. Scribner.
2nd—Pullet, H. C. Scribner.
3rd—Pullet, H. C. Scribner.
4th—Pullet, H. C. Scribner.
1st—Hen, W. F. Peterson.
2nd Cock—W. F. Peterson.

Houdans

1st—Cockerel, F. C. Mitchell.
3rd—Cockerel, H. C. Scribner.
4th—Cockerel, H. C. Scribner.
2nd—Pullet, H. C. Scribner.
3rd—Pullet, F. C. Mitchell.
4th—Pullet, H. C. Scribner.

Silver Bearded Polish

1st—Pen, Sam Meng, Crookston.
1st—Cockerel, Sam Meng.
2nd—Cockerel. Sam Meng.
3rd—Cockerel, Sam Meng.
3rd Cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd 4th Pullet, Sam Meng.

Non-Bearded Polish

1st cockerel, Gus Heldstab.

Buff Leghorns

1st, 2nd, 3rd pens, F .C. Mitchell, Crookston.
1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th Cockerel, F. C. Mitchell.
1st, 2nd 3rd 4th, 5th Pullet; 1st and 2nd Cock; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Hen, F. C. Mitchell.

S. C. White Leghorns

1st and 2nd pens, John Saugstad, Climax.
1st Pullet, F. C. Mitchell.
2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Pullets, John Saugstad, Climax.
1st, 2nd Cockerel John Saugstad, Climax.
3rd Cockerel, Loyd Bearnes, Crookston.

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Brown Leghorns

1st Cockerel J. Paplow, Everett, Washington.
2nd Cockerel, F. C. Mitchell.

Silver Spangled Hamburg

1st, 2nd 3rd, 5th Pullet, F. C. Mitchell.
4th Pullet; 1st, 2nd Hen,F. A. Plummer, Sarles, N. D.
1st Cockerel, Everett Morlin.
2nd, 3rd 4th Cockerel, F. C. Mitchell
5th Cockerel, F. A. Plummer, Searles, N. D.
1st cock; 1st 2nd 3rd hens, F. C, Mitchell.
4th hen, F. A. Plummer, Searles, N. D.

Cornish Indian Game

1st cock; 1st cockerel; 1st 2nd hen 1st 2nd pullet, H. H. Rolter, Glyndon.

Red Breasted Game Bantams

1st, 2nd hen; 1st pullet; 1st, 2nd, 3rd hens, J. A. Cowley.

Rumpy Bantams

1st cock; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, hen; 1st Pullet, J. A. Cowley.

English Ring-necked Pheasant

1st 2nd pair, Polk Co. Game and Fish Protective Association.

Bronze Turkeys

1st cock; 1st cockerel, 1st pullet; 1st hen, C. J. Kapphalm, Alexandria.

Buff Turkeys

1st cockerel, 1st pullet, Mrs. E. M. Walsh.

Pit Games

1st pen, J. W. Smith.
2nd pen, Sheldon Watts.
1st cock, J. H. Hanon.
2nd cock, Sheldon Watts.
2nd Pullet, Sheldon Watts.
3rd and 4th pullet, J. H. Hanon.
1st hen, J. W. Smith.
2nd hen, Sheldon Watts.
3rd, 4th hen J. W. Smith.
5th, hen, Richard Bergerson.
1st cockerel, J. W. Smith.
2nd cockerel, Richard Bergerson.
3rd, cockerel J. W. Smith.
4th cockerel, Claire Young.

Fan-tail Pigeon

1st, H. S. Dahlnes.

Homer Pigeons

Sheldon Watts.

Pekin Ducks

1st State Farm.

African Geese

1st, State Farm.

Toulouse Geese

1st State Farm.

NEW LITERARY AT STATE FARM

Owing to the present literary society at the state farm becoming too large, and to give more students an opportunity to participate in the debates, a second society was organized among the first year students, numbering 18. About 30 to 40 new students will be added after New Years.

The subject for debate last Saturday night was: Resolved that boys derive more benefit from an agricultural school course, than do the girls. The question was debated by members of the different sexes for their side. The girls won out—of course.

Volume XXIX.

The Sheaf this week begins its 29th volume. There would be room for a great deal of philosophizing on account of this occurrence, but we are too busy to do anything of the kind. The older we become the more work seems to be pressing upon us, the years roll around more quickly, and we are forced to watch constantly for the goal ahead of us. Let the past with its troubles and cares be forgotten. With renewed courage and hope we turn to the future. The present only is ours, and each succeeding week the Sheaf will do the best it can to fulfill its mission is a live paper.—Warren Sheaf.

Albert Lea Times-Enterprise: Our women are persistent in their demand for their right to vote. Well, we're willing that they should just as soon as they learn the language and are able to write and tell who George Washington was and whether America is ruled by a king or an emperor.

ROSEAU COUNTY AN EMPIRE OF WONDERFUL RESOURCES

Excursion Of The Commercial Club Proves Revelation To All Who Attended.

The Crookston business and professional men under the auspices of the Crookston Twenty-Five Thousand Commercial club yesterday invaded Roseau county and a happier thought was never conceived than the one carried out to cultivate a closer business and social relationship between this city and the new territory just connected with Crookston by the new Great Northern extension from Greenbush to Warroad.

The excursionists, 100 strong, left yesterday morning at 7 o'clock and their special train pulled into the depot here shortly after 10 o'clock last night, strictly on schedule, and a jollier more satisfied excursion party never existed.

A Grand Success

The trip was a success beyond all anticipations. At all villages along the line the excursionosts received a most hearty welcome for, while the excursion was primarily in honor of Greenbush, Badger, Roseau and Warroad which are most affected by the extension, all the towns on the line received attention and were serenaded by the band and the hand of good-fellowship extended.

Enthusiastic Receptions

At Greenbush, Badger, Roseau and Warroad the reception given the people from Crookston who went to extend congratulations on completion of the extension, the people turned out enmasse and the visitors were deeply impressed with the great appreciation which was evinced by the people to whom they wished to extend greet and the villages of Roseau County. Their interests are mutual and they will be found fighting side by side for the best interests of Northern Minnesota. They will work for a better development along all lines, and working together they can accomplish wonderful things.

Much Surprise Expressed

For many the trip of yesterday presented the first opportunity to view one of the richest portions of Minnesota. Many had thought of Roseau in the backwoods because of lack of railroad connections, but they were most agreeably surprised to find magnificent farms with splendid buildings and great stock barns which support the numerous prosperous creameries which dot the entire county, telling a tale of prosperity which was in evidence on every hand.

Villages Prosperous

The visitors were also surprised at the wonderful thrift and progressiveness of the villages. Every resident seemed optimistic and looks forward to a bright future. With such a feeling prevailing, a county of unsurpassed fertility and resources that await the magic touch of human endeavor and wishes for a prosperous future now that their one great dream of years for railway communication from one end of the county to the other had been realized.

Means Much in Future

The seed of friendly business and social relations sown yesterday cannot but bring forth a wonderful harvest in the future for both Crookston ergy, there is no limit to the possibilities of the great county of Roseau, which is really an empire in itself.

Royal Welcome

The first stop was made at Red Lake Falls where greetings were exchanged and the run made to St. Hilaire where Editor Ives met the train with other leading citizens. Short stops were also made at Sandridge and at Middle River, Editor Carr being on deck at the latter place with others.

In Roseau County

Strathcona is the first town in Roseau county reached, and the citizens were out enmasse to extend greetings The run to Greenbush was then made where the xcursionists marchd up town headed by the band and called on all the business men. The local photographer took a picture of the crowd, the train whistled and the run to Badger was made.

Enthusiasm at Badger

At Badger the school children swelled the crowd of citizens and joined in the hearty welcome. The children marched thru the train hurried greetings were exchanged and the train pulled out. On the return trip the city council of Badger met the train all marched to the hotel where an informal reception was held, addresses being made by Messrs. J. W. Wheeler E. A. Mills and W. A. Marin.

Great Showing at Roseau

On the trip up the stop at Roseau was short, but the people of the county seat turned out enmasse to welsome the Crookstonites. On the return trip however a longer stop was made at Roseau, excursionists headed by the band and reception committee marching to the new opera house where an orchestra entertained them and champagne was served with refreshments. Editor Medicraft acted as toastmaster and addresses were made by Martin O'Brien, Mayor Bell, Prof. Robertson, Senator Stephens, Israel Sjoberg and Representative Mattson. The entire affair was a love feast.

Warroad Visited

After the first stop at Roseau the run was made to Warroad where the excursionists partook of a sumptuous dinner and then scattered about the city to see the sights.

Warroad it is predicted will soon be one of the greatest summer resorts in the northern part of the state. With th Canadian Northern and Northern Pacific both entering that place, the finest fishing in the world a splendid location an devery natural advantage the thriving young city has a glowing future ahead. Many returned with some fine fish which they secured there for a mere song.

A three year old pet moose here made a hit with Mayor McPhee and others. Some of the building are very fine, the great store of the Warroad Mercantile Co., being as fine as can be found in Crookston or any other place in the north half of the state.

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Homeward Bound

The return trip was then started, with stops at several places for a final greeting. The train was held at Thief River Falls where a splendid supper was enjoyed at Hotel Rushford after which the party scattered and called on business and professional men for a half hour before the run to Crookston was made.

Train Crew Made a Hit

Conductor Withey made a hit with the entire party. Every courtesy was extended and he disseminated information like an animate dictionary. Brakeman Gorder did likewise and the engineers, C. E. Smith and "Bill" Wilkinson, always tooted the whistle till all were aboard.

The management of the Great Northern is also entitled to much credit for making the trip a pleasant one and the furnishing of fine equipment.

Committee Praised

The committee in charge of the excursion, Senator A. D. Stephens, C. R. Winslow and C. E. Kiewel received most hearty congratulations and praises from all sides for the excellence and completeness of their work, and the members of the Crookston band was duly thanked for their excellent services.

Thus endeth an affair which was a success beyond every anticipation.

PERSONNEL OF THE EXCURSION

J. D. McPhee, Mayor city of Crookston.

J. E. O'Brien of J. E. O'Brien & Co.

John Opsahl of Queen City Fruit Co.

Arthur J. Jo[illegible] of Crookston Pure Food Co.

C. E. Kiewel of Kiewel Brewing Co.

J. A. McDonald of St. Hilaire Retail Lumber Co.

E. R. Evans of Crookston Lumber Co.

Charles Bang of Bang Brothers.

Fred Harris, Cigar manufacturer.

J. A. Crawford of Crawford Bakery Co.

Wm. Becker of Queen City Bottling Works.

F. R. Hamel of N. W. Marble Works

J. R. Rasmussen of Hamm Brewing Co.

H. F. Brown, cigar manufacturer.

Fred Brosseau, wholesale liquor.

S. W. Vance of Crookston Brick & Tile Co.

Thomas R. Johnstone of Am.-La-France Fire Engine Co.

Wm. Emmerick of Singer Sewing Machine Co.

E. W. Robbins of McKenzie-Robbins Printing Co.

Wiley Phillips, Steam Laundry.

H. L. Falk of Rosenthal & Falk.

J. F. Fournet of Crookston Novelty and Jobbing Co., and Fournet Furniture Co.

N. P. Stone of N. P. Stone & Co.

G. F. Carpenter of Wright-Carpenter Co.

G. S. Chesterman, Undertaker and Embalmer.

J. P. Dotson of Crookston Daily Times.

W. E. Slocum of Slocum Grocery Co.

W. S. Lycan of Hotel Crookston.

O. Mercil, Jr., of Slyvestre, Mercil & Co.

R. C. Ruettell of Ruettell Clothing Co.

Bert D. Keck, architect.

Ole Bjoin of Bjoin & Carlson.

A. O. Busterud of Busterud Hardware Co.

J. A. Northrop, vice president Bank of Crookston.

J. H. Stair of Stair-McConville Co.

Ernest Rolsch, retail liquors.

A. A. Miller of Miller & Foote, attorneys.

Julius G. Spokely of Spokely Clothing Co.

W. A. Marin of W. A. Marin & Co.

Ed Peterson of Crookston W. W. P. & L. Co.

Lewis Ellington, cashier, Scandia American Bank.

Ed. Ralston, Grill Restaurant.

A. D. Stephens cashier Merchants National Bank.

S. A. Wallace of Wallace Drug Co.

J. W. Wheeler, president First National Bank.

Martin O'Brien, city attorney.

Tom Morris, jeweler.

A. Chabot proprietor New York Store.

W. P. Murphy, attorney, of Murphy & Vaule.

C. C. Strander of Strander Abstract Co.

A. Braley proprietor of Braley Barber Shop.

C. A. Turner of C. A. Turner Co.

E. W. Johnson of E. W. Johnson & Co.

Dr. J. F. Boles, dentist.

R. T. Buckler, agriculturist.

Prof. William Robertson, School of Agriculture.

R. Marotte of Grand Central Hotel

H. C. Misner secy-treas., Wheeler-Misner Loan Co.

William Anglim, vice president, First National Bank.

Marcus Stephens of Crookston Milling Co.

Dr. W. A. Robertson, dentist.

L. J. Cadieux of Peoples Bakery Co.

W. T. Carlisle of Finch, Winslow, Carlisle Co.

C. R. Winslow of Finch, Winslow, Carlisle Co.

S. F. Bonannie of Shelly.

William Munch of State Game and Fish Commission.

H. H. Zaiser of Red Lake Falls.

H. Odney of Foley Bros. & Kelly, St. Paul.

J. H. Maybury county attorney.

S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls.

J. A. Getty of Stone, Ordean, Wells Co.

E. R. Salter of Wright, Clarkson Co.

G. J. Brandon.

C. E. Hardy.

Thos. R. Brown, Jr., secy. Commercial club.

Guilty of Counterfeiting

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. Sold by all Druggists.

A girl sleeps with a love letter under her pillow so she won't be able to sleep for wanting to get up and read it again.

If a woman can't worry about anything else she can about whether she is going to like the baby's wife when it grows up and gets married.

CHICKEN SHOW BIG SUCCESS

THE CHICKEN FANCIERS GREATLY ELATED OVER FINE SHOWING MADE

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE BY JUDGE HALE WAS EXCELLENT—SCORES MONDAY

From Saturday's Daily—

The first annual show of the Northern Minnesota Poultry Association opened Thursday for a four days' session, closing Monday evening is a success beyond all expectations. Judge D. E. Hale of Wayzata started scoring the birds Friday morning and will finish this afternoon, and at the conclusion of his splendid illustrated lecture last evening in G. A. R. Hall he stated that the birds averaged very high, some of them being as fine as he has ever seen in the northwest.

400 Birds Exhibited

There are over 400 birds on exhibition, and over 30 exhibitors, coming from all parts of Minnesota and North Dakota, and many more different breeds than were ever shown here before. This association was organized last year, prior to which the Red River Valley Poultry Association had held exhibits here for many years and may hold one later this winter, but it is believed that the new association has been so successful that the members of the other will affiliate with it, in fact most of them have already.

Best in History

The show rooms this year are the best ever seen here. The association had uniform exhibit coops manufactured and painted an attractive blue, by F. C. Mitchell which vastly improves the general appearance of the exhibit. Financially the show is a great success also, the exhibit rooms having been crowded with spectators from the opening notwithstanding the fact that an admission of 25 cents is charged.

Owing to the splendid educational value of the show, however the Commercial club another year will make arrangements to have the admission free, in order to stimulate as much as possible the interest in improving poultry breeds of all kinds, and with eggs at 40 cents per dozen interest is now at fever heat.

Saugstad's Good Record

Representative John Saugstad of Nielsville broke into the chicken business at this show with a vengeance. He entered 24 birds and thy have attracted widespread attention from all being in magnificent condition. They consist of white rocks and white leghorns, and the fact that he has been awarded 16 single entry prizes shows what strides he has made in the business, tho he started but a year ago.

Pullet's Great Record

Supt. Brown of the poultry department at the State Experiment Farm who is also President of the Poultry Association is one of the busiest men about the show hall. He has one pullet which has a record of 214 eggs last year which is a top notch showing. His barred rocks are beautiful.

Students Coming Monday

On Monday the 68 students and some of the faculty from the agricultural school will march to the city to inspect the chicken show which Mr. Brown says is the best ever seen in Northern Minnesota.

Presents for the Children

On Monday two trios of white rocks will be given away to some of the boys and girls who attend the show. To find out all about this, call at the show rooms and the secretary, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell will explain.

Some of the out of town visitors at the show are as follows:

A. L. Moore, Blackduck; J. Saugstad, Nielsville; Iver Forseth, Climax; A. Finseth, Oslo; Geo. Wise, Edmore, N. D., Rob. Grimer, Northome; Pierre Dufault, Gentilly; Lambert Roesch, Ada; J. A. Roesch, Ada; Wm. Wigham, Mahnomen; P. O. Estenson, Climax; B. L. Bowen and wife, Mallory; B. Danielson, Fisher; T. E. Logan, Fisher; Geo. Wise, Fisher.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflammed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

IMPORTANT DECISIONS OF SUPREME COURT

JUDGE WATTS SUSTAINED IN FOUR ORDERS BY THE SUPREME COURT—CHAS. CARLSON'S VERDICT AGAINST G. N. FOR $1700 STANDS—CONGRESMAN STEENERSON LOSES CASE, E. GRAND FORKS WINS PAVING SUIT—LANDLORDS NOT LIABLE

From Saturday's Daily—

The Supreme Court of Minnesota yesterday handed down four appeal decisions in which important verdicts from Polk county were sustained.

The verdict received by Charles Carlson of Sampsons addition who was checking clerk at the Crookston transfer of the G. N. here and recovered damages in the sum of $1759 for injuries received by having a frozen hog fall on him which seriously injured his leg was sustained. In the nose of the hog a sharp steel prong had been left and did the damage. Steenerson and Loring were the attorneys in this suit.

The suit of Congressman Steenerson to recover land formerly belonging to the rear of his lot on which the Guarantee Clothing Store is located was lost.

In another appeal suit against E. Grand Forks the verdict favoring that city in the famous paving case was sustained and in the fourth appeal case it was held that a landlord under certain conditions was not liable for damages. The syllabus in each case which explains the cases, follows:

The Steenerson Case

Halvor Steenerson, appellant vs. Louis Fontaine and William Anglim respondents.

Syllabus: A resolution passed by a city council as to which all the formalities of an ordinance had been complied with, becomes a legislative act and it is immaterial whether it be called an ordinance or a resolution

Upon the vacation of a highway, absolute title to land covered by it reverts to the owner of the fee, who may not be the abutting owner.

An ordinance vacating a highway over land conveyed by an owner of the fee to a city for highway purposes and none other is not void because the right of the abutting owner to use the street vacated had not been condemned.

The informal repeal of an ordinance vacating a highway will not operate to repeal an ordinance previously enacted with the formalities required by law and to divest the interest of a purchaser from the owner of the fee after title had accrued to such owner upon the enactment of the ordinance.

Here the proprietor deeded the east 100 feet of a certain lot to plaintiff's grantor. Subsequently he deeded, for a nominal consideration, to the city the westerly forty feet of said lot, "for road purposes and no other use." Afterwards the city passed a formal ordinance vacating the westerly forty feet of said lot and of other lots lying south of it. Subsequently an informal resolution amended the original by exempting from its operation the said westerly forty feet. It is held that the owner of the easterly 100 feet was not entitled to an injunction to restrain the improvement and use of the westerly forty feet by one who had after the vacation obtained a quit-claim deed thereto from the original owner of the premises.

Affirmed. —Jaggard, J.

M. E. Thornton, appellant, vs. City of East Grand Forks, respondent.

Syllabus: Action to recover for work and materials done and furnished by the plaintiff's assignor for the defendant, in the execution of a paving contract, as evidenced by estimates allowed an dissued by the defendant's engineer and common council. Held, that the plaintiff's alleged cause of action accrued on the 10th day the month next after the estimates were allowed and issued, that the time limit of the statute of limitations applicable to this case is two years as provided by laws 1895, C. B. S. 347 and, further, that it conclusively appears upon the face of the complaint in this action is barred.

Order affirmed. —Start, C. J.

Damage Verdict Sustained

Charles Carlson, respondent, vs. Great Northern Railway company, appellant.

Syllabus: Evidence considered, in this, a personal injury action, and held that it is sufficient to support the verdict for the plaintiff, and that the award of damages is not so excessive as to justify any interference with the verdict.

Order affirmed. —Start, C. J.

Landlord not Liable

J. A. Erickson, respondent, vs. Theodore O. Propp, appellant.

Syllabus: A landlord, under a lease expressly exempting him from any abligation to the tenant to make repairs or improvements upon or about the leased premises during the life of the lease, is not liable to the tenant for damages to his goods occasioned by the imperfect condition of the leased premises and may recover the rental agreed upon.

Oral evidence of a previous agreement by the landlord to repair was not admissible.

Affirmed. —Jaggard, J.

THIEF RIVER PAPER HAS PIPE DREAM

There is a rumor in circulation in railroad circles that this branch of the Great Northern from Warroad to Tilden Junction is to be sold to the Northern Pacific and that trains will be run thru to Minneapolis and St. Paul by way of Winnipeg Junction. There is said to be good foundation for the rumor. If this new plan went into effect it would prove quite unpopular in Thief River Falls unless train service was still maintained between this city and Crookston. — Thief River Falls News.

SUPERINTENDENT SAVAGE HERE

Rev. E. P. Savage of the Children's Home Society of Minnesota, which was organized in 1899, and which in all has taken care of and found homes for 2840 children in the state, including 28 from Polk county is spending the day in the city, and has received generous subscriptions from the people of Crookston as usual. Two children have been received from Polk County the past year, one Ethel Strangler from East Grand Forks was taken very ill after being taken to the Home but recovered and has been placed in a splendid family. The little Johnson girl from East Grand Forks has also been adopted by a good family.

Rev. Savage goes up the North line tomorrow to prosecute his work, always receiving hearty support from this portion of the state from which the society has taken many little waifs and placed them in fine homes where they are growing to useful manhood and womanhood.

ARTHUR DAHL BOUND OVER

HELD TO GRAND JURY ON THE CHARGE OF GRAND LARCENY IN 2ND DEGREE

STOLE CLOTHING FROM THE McKINNON FLATS LAST SUMMER—$750 BONDS

From Saturday's Daily—

This morning after a hearing before Judge Gossman in municipal court Arthur Dahl was held to the district court under $750 for grand larceny in the 2nd degree charged with having stolen a quantity of dresses, skirts and other wearing apparel from a closet in the J. R. McKinnon flats last June.

Deputy Sheriff Gonyea and Asst. Chief Quigley of East Grand Forks searched the Dahl residence at the latter place and most of the clothing was found. It is believed that Dahl will plead guilty rather than wait till next June for a trial.

FINE PROGRAMS IN CITY SCHOOLS

The city schools closed today for the holiday vacation and this evening's trains will take many of the teachers and others to their homes or the homes of friends.

This afternoon there were many very fine Christmas programs rendered in the various rooms, some rooms joining with others and the exercises were thoroly enjoyed by many visitors.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
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VAST RESOURCES OF ROSEAU CO.

WARROAD EXTENSION OPENED

Roseau

A Brief Sketch of County of Wonderful Possibilities of which Roseau Village is the County Seat. Splendid Developement without Railway Facilities Acomplished through Energy of Progressive People. Great Future Predicted now that new Avenue of Commerce has been Completed through Heart of Great Commonwealth.

Briefly stated, the history of Roseau county is as follows:

Organized December 31, 1904 from Kittson county territory, to which two years later was added about 15 townships from Beltrami county. The area of the county is about 47½ town ships running east and west 60 miles and north and south 32 miles. Roseau county borders on Canada and the Lake of the Woods on the north and for natural drainage has Roseau, Warroad and Two rivers with their tributaries.

The Wonderfully Rapid Development

The rapid growth and development is best evidenced from the fact that at the time of its organization it contained a population of 3,500 had 15 school districts and 13 organized townships with an assessed valuation of $74,000. Roseau county now has a population of 15,000, thirty-five organized townships, 91 school districts five organized villages, Greenbush, Badger, Roseau, Warroad and Roosevelt, three modern equipped flouring mills, six paying creameries and numerous sawmills, with an assessed valuation of over two million and a half.

Attractions for Home Builders

With a magnificent county adapted to all lines of farming, good soil, good water and right conditions, Roseau county has proved to be the land of good results for the home[illegible]. There has never been a [illegible] urated for the se[illegible] c. farming country [illegible] been no rail road [illegible] the settlement [illegible] the improvement [illegible] the advent of the railroad g[illegible] ping facilities [illegible] ty a great [illegible] may be looked for.

Worked Hard [illegible]

To the energy [illegible] ceasing work of [illegible] village of Roseau [illegible] may be given the credit [illegible] after patient endeavor [illegible] of the Great Northern railway, just completed from Greenbush thru Badger, Roseau to Warroad. In 1895 to the appeal of the citizens of Roseau James J. Hill replied that he would build no more railroads in Minnesota. He repeated this from year to year until 1904, when in a speech at Crookston, he declared that he would extend a branch road into Roseau county. Time and money was spent by Roseau citizens, without stint, to bring every influence possible to induce the Great Northern to give them railroad facilities, and the general public can well imagine the joyous feeling now prevailing among the people of Roseau county that at last they have the aid of a great traffic highway to develop one of the best all around farming sections in the state of Minnesota, the soil of which grows the best tame grasses in the world, a county that is destined to lead all others as a butter producer.

Much Drainage Work

It is due to the citizens of Roseau to say that it was the enterprising business men of that village who in 1895 began the aggitation of state aid for drainage of state lands in the county and who continued the work until as a result the state has spent over $100,000 and redeemed more than 100,000 acres of the richest land to be found anywhere.

Roseau Substantially Built

Crookston visitors were surprised to find the village of Roseau so substantially built. The double room 50 foot front postoffice building and 100 foot deep by fifty wide, two story and basement store of Sjoberg Brothers, built of concrete and the fifty foot front First National Bank building of brick are features of the business houses in Roseau while more than a dozen residences cost to exceed $5,000. Roseau has been progressive all right in the face of adverse conditions as its wonderful growth attests considering the lack of railroad accommodations.

Roseau County's Magnificent Highways

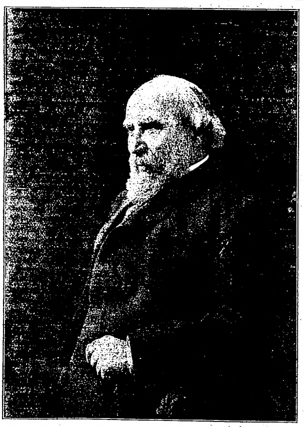
The same progressive spirit which has marked the course of the citizens of Roseau instilled the farmers to a betterment of conditions and while the state has spent its $100,000 to redeem its wet lands, 18 townships have been bonded in sums ranging from $6,000 to $8,000 to raise money with which to build good roads, and as a result Roseau county has good highways and in that line is ahead of any other county in the state.

Interests are Mutual

The business men of Roseau recognize the necessity of getting on the map and establishing friendly business relations with the outside world and the boom given it by the Commercial club of Crookston and its newspapers is, greatly appreciated. The visit of the citizens of Crookston to Roseau by special train, the wide advertisement of the fact and the relations established between the business men of both towns will bring results, for which the good people of the Queen City will be held in kind remembrance by Roseau.

Peek at the Future

The editor of the Journal was informed by R. J. Bell, president of the village council of Roseau also president of the Roseau Commercial Club and a member of the Board of Education and also editor of the Roseau County Times, that now with the railroad, Rosau would undoubtedly put in a water and light plant and build a new school house, costing in the neighborhood of $30,000. Among other enterprises contemplated is a hospital and the erection of substantial buildings on the fair grounds. Roseau already has an opera house of ample proportions and seating capacity which when completed fully will be a credit to the village. Concrete walks and crossings will be put in along both sides of the main business blocks next year, the streets of which are built of gravel. The village has under consideration the erection of two new steel bridges to span the river and will put in a system of sewerage.



JAMES J. HILL

Who promised the Roseauites a railroad before January 1st and who more than kept his promise.

Greenbush

Greenbush is no longer the end of the line. That city must now take its seat on an equal footing with the rest of the cities on this branch of the Great Northern. Greenbush has been somewhat of a puzzle ever since its birth in 1904. Many people did not wish to invest too heavily there for as a terminal it might be all right but should thero ad be extended it was doubtful if this city could make good. And of course one of the great questions before the inhabitants of Roseau county, including Greenbush, was, "When will the road be extended" As long as this question was unsettled, so long would much of the business be unsettled.

Conditions will Change

What influence the extension will have on Greenbush remains to be seen. There is no doubt but that the elevators, hotels and livery business will decrease, but the loss in this respect will be more than paid for by the settled conditions that will prevail from now on. In addition there to will be the increase of business thru out the whole county of which Greenbush is bound to get part. Accordingly it is fair to say that Greenbush will be benefitted by the extension as well as the rest of the cities on the line.

An Interesting History

The career of Greenbush tho yet in its infancy has been interesting. The townsite was surveyed and trains established in the late fall of 1904. With but some exceptions all the buildings seen today were erected or begun that winter. There was a scramble for room and a hurry to get agoing. As a result many of the buildings were made far from substantial. Since then they have of course been repaired and made over so that the tar paper shanties are no longer to be seen. But meantime the hurriedly built chimneys and the always dangerous stovepipes made the danger of fire immenent.

Fortunately the fire protection was always ample and has already up to this time saved the city from disastrous fires in several instances with but one exception.

One Disastrous Fire

During the cold spell last winter the water in t he tank froze and this was not discovered till a fire broke out in what was then the Kukowski block. This fire caused really more than a money loss. The Kukowski block was the pride of the city. It was a two story double front building, and one of its features was the hall on the second story. Greenbush used to pride itself in having the best hall in the county. Besides this block three other business places burned to the ground on one side of it, and the bank building across the street from it. Only the able work of the bucket brigade saved the city from total destruction. These business places have not all been rebuilt

Many Business Institutions

Today Greenbush has two banks, the State and Farmers and Merchants The third one was absorbed by the State Bank not long ago. This bank suffered in the fire above mentioned an dhas now a concrete modern building. The other bank has moved its building to the rear of the lot and has the foundation laid for a modern brick building to be erected in the spring. Of general stores there are the following: Olaf Hildahl, O. Dalby, Grivi Bros., Nelson Bros., T. E. Thompson. These stores handle everything from butter and hair pins to mattresses and ox harness, the different lines not being as yet classified This is not the fault of the merchant. It is the experience in most new towns. The people want it, and the merchant has to cater to the trade. As to hotels and restaurants, there are any number. Of saloons there are only four. We use "only" advisedly, for there use to be six until recently.

All City Attachments

The miscellaneous lines are all represented, such as drug store, harness and shoe repairing, blacksmiths, tin smiths, photographer, barber, milliner, painter, etc. Two churches occupy their respective places, and a four room concrete school house has been erected. Two telephone systems have wire and poles all over the city, but only the McMahan system is operated, the other one being yet in an unfinished state. The farmers line was built last summer, and is rapidly branching out connecting the farming community and the city.

A Thriving Creamery

Last but not least is the creamery which was recognized as an early necessity. This is doing good business, and is rapidly increasing in patronage. The city is also represented professionally both legally and medically.

Highways and Ditches

In general it may be mentioned that the business men of Greenbush recognize that ditching and roads are the salvation of this country, and as a result have co-operated with the farmers in establishing these to such an extent that there is now leading into the city a fairly substantial road in all directions.

Fine Farming Country Surrounding

The surrounding country is a good farming country, but owing to the amount of land still owned by speculators, the farms are not inhabited as they should be. This accounts for an empty house here and there. This has been a detriment to the county, as land buyers are apt to think that the land has been abandoned, when in fact it is held for a big price. But those that do farm have discovered that dairy and stock pay. Whereas formerly a farmer saw money only in the fall when he marketed his grain he now sees a check every month either at the creamery o rat the stock yard.

A Sign of Prosperity

The Greenbush Tribune contains liberal amount of advertising which is always a sign of prosperity in a city. Besides this, we could not help but notice a feeling of general contentment among the business men which is also a sure sign that a city is fonging ahead.

Will Supplant Autos

As many as six automobiles used to meet the trains and take passengers to all parts of the county. The Great Northern will now supplant these to a large extent. Greenbush together with the rest of the cities on this branch of the Great Northern no doubt will see a change as the road extends and this change will surely be in the line of an increase in the amount of business transacted.

Shameful But True

Plainview News: If the old brindle cow should get out many a man would walk the streets half the night looking fo rher, but let a 12-year old son or daughter fail to show up and the parents retire for the night without an anxious thought. We dare not be hopeful over the future of the human race as long as the father and mother thinks more of rounding up a $20 cow or a $3 shoat than they do of corralling their sons and daughters at reasonable hours in the evenig.

In Good Hands

It seems that Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston will probably be made chairman of the senate committee on appropriations when the state legislature convenes in January. If he lands the job it is likely that the interest of northern Minnesota will be better taken care of than in the past. —Plummer Pioneer.

Princeton Union: Mr. Bryan characterizes the presidential election as "the mystery of 1908." There is no mystery about it Mr. Bryan. You were simply running on the wrong ticket.

St. Cloud Times: Harrima says that in fifty years the coal will be gone. However, we can't repress the throb of joy at the prospect of no more rises in the price of it.

A Personal Appeal

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. Sold by all Druggists.

Badger

On the new Greenbush-Warroad extension of the Great Northern Railway line the first place is the flourishing village of Badger. This place was first settled in 1891. It has since grown steadily until at the present, it enjoys a population of 400 inhabitants. Its nearest railroad point until three years ago was Stephen, at a distance of sixty miles.

Progressive Embryo City

The village is prosperous to say the least. It has at present nine gene ral stores, each carrying large stocks of merchandise, one hardware store, one drugstore, two banks, one newspaper, two hotels, three restaurants, four saloons, three confectioneries, one meat market, one physician one dentist, one attorney, four real estate dealers, one barber shop, one tailor ,one harness shop, one shoe repair shop, one photographer, two millinery stores, one dress making shop, three implement dealers, one machine shop, two lumber yards, one pop factory, one grist mill, two feed mills, two saw mills, one concrete manufactory, one creamery doing a yearly business of $30,000,00, five livery barns, two stock buyers, telephone exchange, and farmers' telephone lines, excellent graded school, four churches, three fraternal orders, fire department with incorporated relief association, a commercial club of which all the business men of the village are members.

A Veritable Garden Spot

The country tributary to the village is a well developed farming and dairy country, destined to be the best diversified agricultural community in the northwest. All the small grains are grown successfully, and even corn has been doing well. The soil and climate is very well adapted for the raising of clover, timothy and all kinds of tame grasses, and it is a marvel to strangers to see the production of grasses best fitting to dairying interests. As a country for raising vegetables the territory cannot be surpassed.

First Creamery in County

In view of these facts, dairying will command the best attention of the future and the fact that the first creamery in Roseau county was first established in this village, only emphasizes that the immediate country is the nucleus of the dairying business in that section of the country. For further evidence of this fact the mere statement that this creamery, during the past year, has paid its patrons the sum of $30,000.00 is sufficient. The future, alone, will reveal the dairying possibilities that this vicinity is capable of producing. The farmers have organized an elevator company, with its headquarters in this village but, as yet, have not built an elevator there, altho they have one at Greenbush, but next season will see the erection of one with a capacity of 30,000 bushels.

Land Can be Secured Cheaply

The price of land in this favored district at the present time, is quoted at from $10.00 to $30.00 per acre, but as this will be greatly advanced after the railroad has commenced operations, it will not be surprising to soon see as good prices paid there for land as is paid in the southern part of the state.

A Splendid Showing

When the nearest railroad point was sixty miles from the village and the farmers still doing well with their produce after draying their products that distance, speaks well for the productive qualities of the soil. Besides the growing of the small grains the cattle raising industry occupied the attention of the incoming settlers, and to see the grass fed cattle of this region was sufficient to bring in numerous outside buyers.

Building Wagon Roads

The several townships are now occupied in road building and in a very short time every section line in the vicinity will be found graded. There can be no question but that the influx of new settlers into this region will be very large during the coming season.

Rejoice Over Railroad

At the time of the building of the railroad thru the village during the latter part of October, the people were very enthusiastic, and promptly provided the laborers with a cheerful welcome and a "good time" which they hoped would not soon be forgotten by the true workers.

SHERACK

Mr. A. G. Horn drove to Grand Forks last Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Osteroh and daughter Miss Amber visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann last Saturday.

Mr. Claus Sohl one of Euclid's leading business men visited in this vicinity last week.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann drove to Grand Forks last Monday. Henry daughter Miss Amber B. Tiedemann seems to drive to town quite often of late but he knows whether he drives seventeen miles to see the town or a certain young lady.

Miss Julia Byington left some time ago for Lemmon, S. D., where she will visit her sister Mrs. E. Short till spring and will then join her parents at Basset, Neb., where she will make her future home. She leaves many warm friends here who regret her departure but all join in wishing her luck and happiness in her new home.

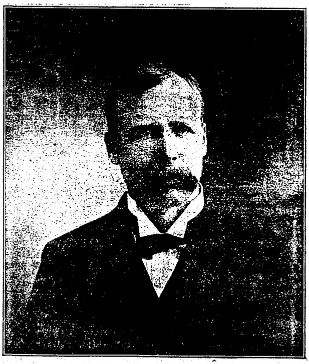
The young people of this vicinity are having advantage of the fine evenings for the merry voices and chimes of sleigh-bells can be heard in every direction.

Messrs. Frank and Tommy Kotek and sister Miss Rose visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann last Monday.

Mr. C. Hiedemann and Claus Sohl drove to Grand Forks last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Sensky and family of Fisher and Mr. Adolph, Albert and Miss Alma Horn and Mr. Art Casmey and Claus Sohl took supper and enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. Tiedemann and family last Sunday evening.

Mr. J. W. Baars celebrated his birthday last Tuesday. He received many congratulations from friends and relatives in this vicinity all wishing him many more yet to come also a long and happy life.



SENATOR A. D. STEPHENS

Who promised to the delegationfrom Roseau County here at the dedication of Stephens Hall that trainswould be running into Roseau before Jan. 1st and yesterday he greetedthem on the special.

FALL TERM ENDS TODAY

WINTER TERM AT SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE OPENS TUESDAY, JAN. 5

40 NEW STUDENTS MAKING AN ENROLLMENT OF OVER 100 CERTAIN

From Wednesday's Daily—

The fall term of the state school of Agriculture closed today with appropriate exercises The winter term opens January 1st and already applications have been received from 40 new students which will bring the total attendance up to over 100. The past term has been a very successful one, and Stephens Hall will be filled with students after the new year.

The work of the school has been highly gratifying to all who are closely watching its progress. The greatest interest is manifested in what is being accomplished by people all over the valley, and this is evidenced more and more as time passes and the number of enthusiastic visitors spread the news of the great work being done there.

It is the concensus of opinion that the school will exert a tremendous influence for better and more successful farming, and that is this way the cash value of every farm in the valley will be materially increased from this influence alone in the next few years.

DRINK CURE FARM AT WILLMAR

BOARD OF CONTROL LOCATES NEW STATE INSTITUTION ON FOOTE LAKE

VERY LITTLE COMPETITION DEVELOPED TO SECURE FARM

From Wednesday's Daily—

Willmar secures the newest state institution, the state hospital farm for inebriates. The state board of control by resolution passed late yesterday decided to locate the farm on Foote Lake, a short distance from Willmar. The exact location depends on proper water supply and sewage disposal, also on securing a spur track from the Great Northern. If all these matters are adjusted the board will purchase a tract of 343 acres on the Northwest shore of the lake, about two miles from Willmar. It is under option for $70 an acre.

The board had little trouble to determine the site, as the Willmar offer was considered by far the most advantageous. There is about $40,000 on hand and the expense of buildings and maintenance will be borne from the 2 per cent tax on liquor licenses provided in the law.

There is now no state institution in the seventh congressional district and the new one at Willmar will give every district in the state at least one institution.

Location of the hospital farm has been delayed while funds have accumulated from the license tax, and also by the suit brought to determine the constitutionality of the law. The law was upheld in a case coming up from Morris, which refused to pay the tax in order to make a test case.

2 POSTOFFICES ARE ROBBED

Martin C. Fosness of the St. Paul department of postoffice inspectors received the following telegram last night from J. B. Spangler, Steele, N. D.: "Postoffice held up, come at once."

Inspector Munroe, Duluth, also wired Mr. Fosness this morning: "Kimberley P. O. robbed last night, no particulars, will go there."

Mr. Fosness in commenting on the news of the cases of the postoffice robberies, said: "We have been suffering for the past two years from a regular epidemic of postoffice robberies in the Northern part of this division. These epidemics come and go at intervals with astonishing regularity like the sun spots. Just now the storm center is in the Red River Valley. An astonishing number of cases of postoffice robberies are coming in from this portion of our territory."

Holiday passenger traffic is taxing the capacity of the railroads out of Crookston. Last evening it was necessary to attach an extra coach to No 8, making nine passenger coaches on that train packed to the bell-cords. All other trains are loaded every trip, the train arriving from Warroad last evening and returning there this morning having three coaches packed full.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

OFFICIALS NAME DEPUTIES

LITTLE BIRD WHISPERS WHO WILL ASSIST COUNTY OFFICERS ELECT

FOUR WELL KNOWN PEOPLE WILL ASSIST IN HANDLING COUNTY BUSINESS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Deputy Sheriff, Pat Sullivan, E. G. Forks.

Deputy Treasurer, H. O. Anderson.

Deputy Auditor, James Hanson.

Deputy Register of Deeds, Miss Louise Mossefin.

According to a little bird, which has never in the past given us a wrong "steer" the above is about the slate decided upon by the various officials elect who will take office on Jan. 1st.

The selection of Pat Sullivan for Deputy Sheriff will meet with general approval and Sheriff Elect Daniels could not have made a choice giving more widespread satisfaction. Mr. Sullivan has been river boss for the Grand Forks Lumber Co., for about 12 years, is level headed, acquainted from one end of Polk county to the other, as well as in surrounding counties, is immensely popular with every one and is amply capable of "taking into camp" the worst crook that ever came down the pike. Here's to "Black Pat."

Treasurer Elect Flaten has announced definitely that he will name H. O. Anderson as deputy. Mr. Anderson until recently was bookkeeper for L. W. Larson and prior to that with Larson-Carpenter & Co., and is splendidly fitted for the duties which will devolve upon him and his many friends will be highly pleased to learn of his certain appointment.

Co. Auditor Elect Welte will name as his deputy the present clerk in the same office, James Hanson. Mr. Hanson has been in the office for several years, is thoroly competent and well fitted to discharge the important duties of deputy auditor and his popularity about the city will be certain of creating a feeling of lively satisfaction among his many friends.

Register of Deeds Elect T. A. Thompson has announced that his deputy will be Miss Louise Mossefin, and that she will take up the duties of the position immediately upon the installation of the new regime. The announcement has met with unqualified approval. Miss Mossefin is eminently qualified for the position which has been given her, as she is an experienced abstractor, having been employed in the office of the Stair-McConville company for the past seven years.

GOOD NEWS

Many Crookston Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

'Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Crookston are glad to learn that prompt relief is witin their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

Joseph Gundlach, cigar maker, living at 319 Broadway, N. Crookston, Minn., says: "I endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a sure cure for kidney trouble. For a considerable time I suffered from pains in my back and through the loins. To this was added a weakness of the kidneys. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and resolved to try them, getting a box at Wallace's drug store. They proved to be just what my case needed and soon the backache was eradicated and the kidney secretions were regular and normal. I advise any sufferer from these troubles to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CLEARING AWAY DEBRIS OF MILL

Marcus Johnson who spent yesterday in Crookston, proceeded to Red Lake Falls today to note the progress being made on clearing away the debris of the big mill recently burned there. He states that the grain has all been removed and that the site will be cleared of all wreckage in about two weeks. Work on the new mill will be started as soon as possible, and the new structure will be rushed to completion in record time and will be one of the most modern mills in the state.

No. Cordelia, a false witness isn't necessarily a bleached blonde.

GROWERS ASS'N ORGANIZED

BY THE FARMERS OF POLK COUNTY AS RESULT OF MEETING YESTERDAY

WILL CO-OPERATE TO MAKE SENATOR STEPHENS' PLAN A SUCCESS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The farmers who gathered from all parts of Polk county yesterday as guests of Senator A. D. Stephens at a banquet at the Hotel Crookston, before adjourning yesterday afternoon effected the organization of the Polk County Growers' Association by the election of J. M. Stephens as president and T. R. Brown secretary. The decided to work heartily in accord with the plan of Senator Stephens to give $1,000 in prizes to encourage better farming methods and better stock raising in Polk County, and will endeavor to see that all conditions are complied with.

A resolution was passed asking Senator Stephens to work against the proposed appropriation of $100,000 for use of the Immigration Bureau, and have the money appropriated for the encouragement of farmers to produce better crops and thus give the state what they believe would be better advrtising.

KEELEY GETS EIGHT YEARS

WELL KNOWN DISPATCHER WHO WAS FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

AS A RESULT OF RAILROAD ACCIDENT IS SENTENCED AT MISSOULA, MONT.

From Monday's Daily—

Harry J. Keeley the former Crookston resident who was recently found guilty by a jury at Thompson, Missoula county, Montana, of involuntary manslaughter in connection with a wreck on the Northern Pacific was formally sentenced by District Judge Henry L. Myers of Missoula county, to serve eight years in the penitentiary.

His attorney immediately filed a motion for a new trial, and pending the decision of the court, Keeley was remanded back to the custody of the sheriff without bail.

OLSEN TO A CERTAINTY

J. W. Olsen, dean of the state agricultural school, is regarded in some quarters as a certainty. The university board of regents will meet Dec. 29 and it is said that the matter will be settled then.

When Mr. Olsen's candidacy was announced some weeks ago it was reported that he had five members of the board favorable to him, and it is now said that two more have been forced into line by the state administration. This with his own vote will be sufficient.

The university board is democratic or at least is controlled by the administration, and it is not believed the administration's wishes in the matter will be disregarded.

KEYSTONE

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann left last Friday evening for Roanoke, Ill., to visit her daughter and son also other relatives and friends. It is a long time since Mrs. Aeschlimann visited her home state and it is needless to say that she is anticipating a very pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brantl and daughter Mary, called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brantl last Sunday.

John and Miss Emma Giese, Lewis and Miss Lydia Aeschlimann and Miss Agnes LaGrave called on Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann one evening last week.

Persida Aeschlimann spent two weeks at the Key Stone farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jerrick and son called on the Brantl family last Monday.

Mr. Henry Ehnen is assisting Mr. Thomas Sticka who is drilling a well at Simon Aeschlimann.

Earl Capes who left for Illinois some time ago to work for his brother writes to his friends here that he does not like Illinois and is longing for Minnesota. Earl knows when he has a good thing and no one will blame him for prefering Gophers to Suckers.

Mr. B. C. Kock and Mr. John Kutzley of Tremont, Illinois were visitors here last week.

GIRL SHOOTS HER COUSIN

ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF RIFLE KILLS FORMER CROOKSTON LAD

SAD ACCIDENT IN FAMILY OF A FORMER EMPLOYE OF J. E. MORRISEY

From Monday's Daily—

Fred Trumbore the 17-year old son of H. H. Trumbore, a plumber employed by William Lowe of Glendive, Montana, died late today as the result of a gunshot wound accidentally received Sunday morning.

Trumbore and a young woman cousin had gone out in the foothills near town to do some target shooting. While the young woman was in the act of cocking the 22 calibre rifle her thumb slipped off the hammer and the gun was discharged the bullet hitting Trumbore above the right eye and penetrating the brain. The girl hurried to town to secure assistance and Doctors D. J. Donohue and J. H. Hunt were summoned.

No inquest was held as the cause of death was clear.

The boy was a member of the 8th grade class in the public schools at Glendive and had been a resident of Glendive a little over a year. He went to Glendive with his parents from Fergus Falls in October 1907.

The News will be received with great sorrow in Crookston, Mr. Trombore having been a resident of this city for several years, having been in the employ of Jas. E. Morrisey. He was a member of the Crookston Band, being an expert snare drummer. The family will have the deep sympathy of many friends here.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $190.06, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Rose Dupuis and Alexander Dupuis her husband, mortgagors, to James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien copartners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., dated January 8th, 1908, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1908 at 10:15 o'clock A. M., in Book 153 of Mortgages on Page 3, and said James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien, co-partners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., are still the owners and holders of said mortgage and the debt secured thereby; and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof. Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of Lot One, in Block Forty-three in the Original Townsite of Crookston, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County, thence running northerly on the west boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet, thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with the westerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet to the southerly boundary line of said Lot One, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet to the place of beginning, situated in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota. Which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the court house in the City of Crookston, in said County and State, on the 8th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $190.06 and interest and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 22nd, 1908.

—James E. O'Brien and
John W. O'Brien, Co-partners
as J. E. O'Brien & Co.,
Mortgagee.

Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minn.
(Dec. 24-31 Jan 7-14-21-28)

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. Sold by all Druggists.

The way a man can keep on being crazy over a girl is for her to keep on being crazy over some other fellow.

CARPENTER $2,000 SHORT

WIFE LEAVES FOR MINNEAPOLIS TO INTERCEDE FOR EMBEZZLER

TELEPHONE MAN GOES WRONG—FORMERLY LOCATED AT CROOKSTON

From Monday's Daily—

D. K. Carpenter, assistant superintendent of construction of the Northwestern Telephone company, with headquarters in Fargo, and having charge of nearly all the North Dakota work of the company, is missing and a charge of embezzlement has been filed against him. Carpenter is charged with the theft of $2,000 of the company's funds. It was reported that the amount might reach $5,000. This is considered improbable. The warrant for Carpenter's arrest was sworn out in Fargo a week ago last Friday, but the fact was kept secret so that he might be caught.

Carpenter's wife was in Grand Forks yesterday, arriving from Bemidji, where she had learned that her husband is wanted. She declares that she does not know where he is at the present time. She is anxious to arrange matters with the company, and left last night for Minneapolis, where she will see the head officials. Her former home is in Minneapolis and she will remain there for the present Mrs. Carpenter arrived in Grand Forks yesterday morning. She is deeply grieved over the troubles of her husband.

May be Hiding in Woods

Carpenter left about a month ago for Ferris, Minn., where he had a claim. Following his departure there was an investigation of his accounts and it was found that he was a defaulter. He had charge of accounts of large construction crews and converted a large share of the same to his own use.

It is believed that Carpenter is hiding somewhere in the vicinity of Bemidji or in the Iron range country. For years he was a resident of Crookston and he knows a good deal about the northern Minnesota country.

The sheriff from Bemidji was in Fargo yesterday to consult with the authorities there.

District Manager Blakely of the Northwestern Telephone company, was in Minneapolis yesterday and so no statement could be secured from him. Travelig Auditor G. U. Barck, of Minneapolis, was here early in the week, but he has also returned home It is understood that he uncovered the Carpenter shortage in the Fargo office.

J. P. FOOTE IS MAKING $10,000

J. P. Foote is about the busiest man in Crookston today—making $10,000—which would make almost any person work overtime.

He is signing new crisp bills in that amount as president of the First National Bank of Cass Lake, and the task is no small one, but if turning a piece of money into legal tender only required a signature, many people would like to indulge in the pastime.

Of course, your neighbor has his faults, but you should have sufficient self-control not to mention them.

Try to get what you are looking for in this world, for you'll get what you are not looking for in the next.

SAUK RAPIDS FATHER FINED

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF NOT SENDING HIS BOY TO SCHOOL —MINNESOTA

FACTORY INSPECTOR IS LOOKING UP THIS CLASS OF CASES

From Monday's Daily—

Aug. Kutzurik of Sauk Rapids was arrested Saturday for violating the laws relating to sending children to school.

Kutzurik pleaded guilty to the change before Justice Coates at St. Cloud and the minimum fine of $1 and costs was imposed. August Kutzurik a 15 year old son of the man, had been out of school all fall and was employed in the saw mill.

When Geo. Walz became factory inspector he learned that the boy had not received proper education and notified the father to send him to school. The father sent the boy for one day and believing that he had met the requirements put him back to work.

SHUN TOBACCO; GET BANKBOOK

PHILANTHROPIST MAKES OFFER TO LADS WHO WILL SIGN PLEDGE

To every boy in Iowa who will take a pledge to use neither tobacco nor liquor. Samuel Saucerman, a wealthy Des Moines resident, will give $1, a cent a day for three years, and another dollar at the end of the three years

The new organization Mr. Saucerman is perfecting to help boys is to be known as "The Trimmer Band" He demonstrated his earnestness when he had deposited $5,000 in the name of "The Trimmer Band."

Each boy must deposit with his dollar, 50 cents to show good faith starting his bank account with $1.50. Each boy will receive 1 penny per day for three years, and at the end of that period he will receive an additional $1. This will give each $12 if he has not saved one cent himself.

The pledge each boy takes on joining the Trimmer Band is to abstain from the use of tobacco and liquor and to taboo gambling and profane and slang language.

MORTIMER'S BODY STILL MISSING

John T. Mortimer a resident of St. Vincent who is supposed to have fallen into an open place in the ice on the Red River between St. Vincent and Pembina has not been found yet. An expert diver from Winnipeg, who is in the employ of the Dominion government, has been employed and has searched the bed of the river in the vicinity of the open place without success. It is now proposed to search a net across the river between St. Vincent and Emerson in hopes that the body may be recovered. Mr. Mortimer was a prominent man of St. Vincent, of good habits and was at one time quite prominent in political circles in Manitoba.

The honeymoon is mostly over when the couple quit buying their meals in hotels, and the bride tries to provide them at home.

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55.00	10c	20c	20c
100.00	10c	30c	30c

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ESCAPED THE EARTHQUAKE

MRS. McCANNA AND MISS FEENEY WERE JUST OUT-THE

ZONE OF DISTURBANCE WHEN AWFUL CALAMITY CAME

From Monday's Daily—
Mrs. S. A. McCanna formerly of McCanna, North Dakota, now of Minneapolis and her niece Miss Agnes Feeney of Rochester, Minn., who were thought to have been among the earth quake victims, are both safe. They had sailed from Toarmina, Italy a few hours before the shock and were outside the earthquake zone.

Charles McCanna of McCanna, a son of Mrs. McCanna stated last evening over the long distance telephone that he had heard nothing from his mother since she left New York for Italy on Dec. 5. She was due to arrive in Rome Dec. 20 and expected to visit all points of interest there and in Italy.

According to the Associated Press, Mrs. McCanna and Miss Feeney left for Taomira. That city was in the earthquake zone. While it is possible they may have escaped, it is more probable that they were victims.

It is believed that had Mrs. McCanna escaped she would have cabled her son, Charles.

Well Known There

Mrs. McCanna is the widow of Simon McCanna who was a well known resident of Grand Forks for many years. She has five children. The oldest, Charles, looks after their extensive farm interests at McCanna. George is attending the University of Minnesota. Two other children are attending an educational institution in Virginia and another is at an academy in Illinois.

Mrs. McCanna resided at McCanna for many years. Nine years ago she moved to Grand Forks and resided there for five years. From there she moved to Minneapolis. There she resided for the past four years.

Has Many Friends

Mrs. McCanna occupied a beautiful home on Reeves avenue at Grand Forks and her hospitality was enjoyed by many friends on numerous occasions.

It is the general hope that she will be found safe and sound, altho her friends are fearful she is a victim of the terrible satastrophe. She is believed to have been the only person from North Dakota in the earthquake zone at the time.

FOUR ECLIPSES DUE THIS YEAR

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF SUN JUNE 17 —OF MOON NOV. 26—BOTH VISIBLE HERE

The new calendar shows that there will be four eclipses in 1909. Two of these, a total obscuration of the sun and a total lunar eclipse, will be visible to the United States.

1. A total eclipse of the moon on June 3rd, visible to South America and Africa, and in a part of North Africa and in a part of North America, Europe and southwestern Asia.

2. A total eclipse of the sun, June 17th, visible to North America as far south as a line drawn from San Francisco to the mouth of the Rio Grande river and from the northern and eastern portion of Asia.

3. A total eclipse of te moon on November 26-27, visible to North America and the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and in part of South America extreme western portions of Europe and Africa and the eastern portions of Asia and Australia.

4. A partial eclipse of the sun on December 12-13 invisible to the United States. Visible to the southern tip of Australia the southern portion of New Zealand and t he southern polar regions.

The new calendar shows that the first Sunday in Lent occurs on Feb. 28, Easter Sunday on April 11th.

Australia's First Theater.

The first recorded production of a play in Australia took place in June of the year 1789. It was called "The Recruiting Officer." The proceeds of the first pay night (some £20) went to the family of a man who had been drowned. In January, 1796, a rough and ready playhouse was opened, and the public had to pay a shilling a head for admission. The payments were made in kind, wheat, flour or rum taking the place of the usual currency.—London Standard.

RUGBY BA CLOSES DOORS

IRREGULARITIES CAUSE DIRECTORS TO TAKE ACTION TO SECURE RECEIVER

CASHIER JONES GONE —FEARED PROSECUTION IT IS STATED

From Tuesday's Daily—
The affairs of the First National Bank of Rugby, of which Andy Jones was cashier, are in a bad tangle according to information received in Grand Forks last evening. The doors of the bank were closed yesterday by Dr. I. M. McBride assistant cashier, acting upon order of the directors and the comptroller of the currency has appointed George W. Swords of Minot as receiver.

Cashier Andy Jones has been gone for a week and the officials of the bank state that they have not heard from him and do not know where he has gone. They believed when he went away that he was going east to seek to straighten out the tangled condition of the bank's assets.

Notes Are Irregular

The immediate cause of the closing of the bank was the fact that some notes were presented for payment that were not of record at the bank. The notes had been given by Jones as a private individual and had been indorsed by him as cashier.

Just how badly the bank is involved is problematical. If the bank is to be held responsible for all the paper issued by Jones it is feared that it will come out of the receivership in bad shape.

The bank had a capital stock of $25,000 and its last statement showed deposits of $200,000.

IRELAND IS ON THE SCENE

ST. PAUL ARCHBISHOP REPORTED TO BE ON HIS WAY TO EARTHQUAKE SECTION

A current report is to the effect that Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul has been requested by the pope to go at once to the scene of last Monday's earthquake as his personal representative, in order to ascertain the fate of a number of Americans and it is said that the prelate will comply at once with the request of his holiness.

The archbishop left St. Paul the first of last December for an extended visit in Europe, going direct from New York to Rome where he was received in audience by the pope.

STATE LEGISLATURE CONVENED TUESDAY

The Thirty-sixth Minnesota legislature convened today. There is no United States senator to be elected and for the first time the members will be on salary instead of per diem.

Legislative reapportionment is one of the big problems of the session. There has been no reapportionment since 1906. Other important questions to be taken up are:

A system of county agricultural schools under state aid.

An act to prohibit brewers from owning or controlling saloon licenses

A public utilities commission, after the New York plan.

Extension of the direct primary law to restore some features of convention system.

Liberal appropriation for state immigration board to use in advertising the state.

Railroad and tax legislation will not cut as prominent a figure this year as in past sessions.

The establishing of a proposed sixth state normal school, for the location of which the city of Bemidji will put forth strenuous efforts.

Disappearing Home Life.

The flat dweller ought not to keep a dog, prefers not to keep a cat, cannot have a garden, has no chance of keeping house, has no possible place for memories and, most emphatic of all, has no use or accommodation for babies. Although it may be possible to make homes without kittens or babies or flowers or memories or cupboards, the spirit of home is hard to woo and win without any of them.—Fortnightly Review.

There is but one virtue—the eternal sacrifice of self.—George Sand.

GOOD SHOWING OF REGISTER

RECEIPTS WERE FAR IN EXCESS OF MAINTAINING THE OFFICE

TOTAL RECEIPTS WERE VERY CLOSE TO $5,000 FOR PAST YEAR

From Monday's Daily—
Following is the report of Register of Deeds Stair for the past year which shows that the receipts of his office were far in excess of the expenditures:

Annual Report of Fees Received

Crookston Minn., January 2nd, 1909.
To the Board of Polk County, Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

The following is a full and correct statement of all Fees, Gratuities and Emoluments of whatever nature received by me as Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, Minnesota, for and during the full calendar year of 1908, and including Jan. 2, 1909, to-wit:

Salary as Register of Deeds for the year,	$1500.00
Fees for making 63 Certified Copies	95.50
Fees for Recording 1247 Mortgages	1647.25
Fees for recording 1234 Satisfactions	792.65
Fees for recording 1477 Deeds	1253.10
Fees for recording 436 Assignments	277.80
Fees for recording 60 Patents	49.00
Fees for recording 105 Commissioner's Certificates	17.25
Fees for recording 46 Wills and Final Decrees	48.75
Fees for recording 86 Powers at Attorney	55.25
Fees for recording 4 Receiver's Receipts	1.60
Fees for recording 22 Writs of Attachment	27.25
Fees for recording 76 Liens	75.75
Fees for recording 52 Lis Pendens	28.85
Fees for recording 22 Agreements	23.75
Fees for recording 16 Redemption Certificates	16.00
Fees for recording 21 Judgments and Decrees	18.25
Fees for recording 2 plats	11.40
Fees for recording 11 Articles of Incorporation	13.50
Fees for recording 210 Miscellaneous	178.75
Fees for recording 5 Tax Certificates	3.00
No fees charged for recording 95 County officers' Bonds and Appointments, Town Treasurers' Bonds Ditch Liens, Auditor's Plats and other Co. papers.	
Total 5300	$4957.90

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

I, JJ. H. Stair being first duly sworn upon oath says the foregoing is a full and complete statement of all Fees, Gratuities and emoluments of whatever nature received by me as such officers in connection with the work of my said office during said calendar year 1908 and including Jan. 2, 1909.

—J. H. STAIR,

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2nd day of January A. D. 1909.

(Seal) —T. A. THOMPSON,
Deputy Register of Deeds.

ST. PAUL SUICIDE IS IDENTIFIED

MAN WHO ENDED HIS LIFE NI ST. PAUL WAS WILLIAM DAVIS

The suicide whose body was found late Thursday afternoon in an outhouse at Indian Mounds Park, has been identified as William Davis a former inmate of the house of the Little Sisters of the Poor, Wilkin street.

The identification was made by Edward Farrell, 612 Fauquier street, who called at the morgue. He said that Davis was 76 years old and had lived at his house for some time, having left the home of the Little Sisters of the Poor about a year ago.

Davis left the Farrell home last Monday, telling Mrs. Farrell that he might be away a few days. That was the last seen of him alive. His wife from whom he had separated, is living at Minot, N. D., and Coroner Miller has notified her of the suicide.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

OLSEN DOESN'T WANT THE JOB

DECIDES HE WILL ACT AS DEAN OF FARM SCHOOL TILL AUGUST ONLY

SELECTION HAS CAUSED TROUBLE—NEWSPAPERS WERE VERY CAUSTIC

J. W. Olsen state superintendent of public instruction, has decided that he does not want to be dean of the state farm school after all. He sent a letter yesterday to John Lind, president of the board of regents, declining to acept the position permanently, but willing to hold it until a real successor to E. W. Randall is appointed.

Under the condition, however, will Mr. Olsen consent to serve as dean more than this school term.

Mr. Olsen's action comes as the inevitable result of the fact that his selection to the position was regarded thru out the state as dictated by political considerations rather than by his superior fitness for the office. Some of the staunchest supporters of Gov. John A. Johnson were extremely disappointed in the way that Mr. Olsen had been pushed thru to head one of the most important educational institutions in Minnesota.

Make Personal Protest

Some Duluth men, for instance, who have stood by the governor thru thick and thin revolted when they learned that the kitchen cabinet proposed to utilize a state educational institution in the furtherance of its scheme to gain control of the state inevery possible way. Some men from the Zenith City came to St. Paul to make a personal protest against the selection Reports indicate that the same feeling of indignation was general thruout the state. In the face of the strong disapproval uttered everywhere, there was nothing left for Mr. Olsen to do except to decline the position.

Gov. Johnson was at the meeting last week when Mr. Olsen was elected Mr. Olsen was at the general meeting but retired when it came to voting There were four regents, it is said, who were opposed to Olsen. It is claimed however that Gov. Johnson had given his word to Mr. Olsen that he would receive his election. Gov. Johnson, impelled by such a promise, it is said, made his wishes known so strongly to the fire regents who were known to favor the election of W. M. Hays, that there was nothing left for them to do except bow to the will of the chief executive of the state.

The fact that the governor in his ex-officio capacity should attend the meeting and use his influence so strongly aroused considerable feeling even among some of Gov. Johnson's most ardent admirers and they expressed marked surprise that he should have conducted himself in such a manner, instead of leaving to the unbiased judgment of the board the filling of so important a place as that of dean of the agricultural school.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

Racking la grippe coughs that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. The sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous condition is quickly averted Take only Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

FORMER RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

MRS. S. O. SAWYER PROMINENT IN BAPTIST CHURCH, DIES IN WISCONSIN

It will be with deep regret that many old friends and neighbors of Mrs. S. O. Sawyer will learn of her death at Augusta, Wis., a few days ago. Mrs. Sawyer with her husband resided for several years on what is known as the Truax Farm northeast of Crookston, and Mrs. Sawyer was very prominent in the Baptist church She leaves a husband and two sons, Ralph aged about 25 and Verne who is about 16 years of age. Mr. Sawyer was about 56 years of age and a woman loved and honored by all who knew her.

A Substitute.

"I am sorry, my dear sir, but I neglected to bring my surgical instruments with me."

"That will be all right, doctor. The plumber who has been working in the cellar has left his tools here."—Ex-

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

FORTUNE AWARDED TO J. BOTTINEAU

LONG LEGAL WAR RESULTS IN VICTORY FOR SON OF PIERE BOTTINEAU

INDIAN LAND CASE SETTLED BY DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SUPREME COURT

From Monday's Daily—
The following from Washington, D. C. will be interesting to people of this section. Mr. Bottineau is a son of the late Pierre Bottineau and his brothers and sisters reside at Red Lake Falls the family being well known thruout the northwest.

Judge Barnard of the District of Columbia supreme court handed a fine Christmas present to John Bottineau of Minneapolis who is known in the northwest as "Turtle Mountain John."

In a decree Judge Barnard awarded Bottineau $23,000 as his share of a fee in recovering from the government payment for 10,000,000 acres of land in North Dakota.

Several years ago "Turtle Mountain John" came to Washington with a contract from his tribe of Indians to secure payment of their claim.

The government offered to settle for $1,000,000 but Bottineau refused and later turned the matter over to a former member of congress from New York as attorney. This man went out to North Dakota and made a new deal with the Indians whereby they agreed to accept $1,000,000.

Bottineau, however, had a contract with the ex-member of congress for a percentage of any fee which might be allowed and brought suit against him for $50,000. The case has been pending for some years, Bottineau appearing as his own lawyer.

The decree just rendered is a decided victory for the old man. Several years ago Bottineau was a justice of the peace in Minneapolis.

ALL BUTCHER SHOPS TO CLOSE AT 6.30

WILL KEEP OPEN EVENINGS ONLY ON SATURDAYS—LASTS TILL NOV. 1

The butchers of Crookston at a meeting held yesterday reached an agreement to close their places of business at 6:30 from this time forward till Nov. 1st with the exception of Saturday evenings when they will remain open till all their customers have been attended to. This is in line with the recent action taken by the general merchants of the city, and is a good move. There is no reason why the butchers and their employes should be kept from their homes every night in the week, and prevented from enjoying public and social gatherings, as any one wanting anything in that line can just as well order it before 6:30 as later. The new plan will meet with hearty public approval. It is high time Crookston was adopting metropolitan closing hours. The same amount of business will be done, and the business men and clerks will not have to be slaves 12 months in the year as under the old late closing system.

PASTOR'S SUCCESSFUL RUSE.

When He Made an Age Distinction All Women's Hats Came Off.

The Rev. Dr. E. Trumbull Lee, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Walkinsburg, a fasionable Pittsburg suburb, the other Sunday morning requested that all the women of his congregation remove their hats before he would proceed with the services. There was much grumbling, and scores declined to make a move toward removing their hats until the minister said:

"The request, of course, does not apply to elderly ladies, but I wish all the younger women to remove their hats."

In less than a minute every woman in the church had her hat on her lap.

Hole in New French Coin.

The French chamber is to be asked shortly to sanction the minting of some new nickel coins to the value of about $15,000,000. There will be two new pieces of five and ten centimes, and these will have a hole in the center, after the manner of Belgian nickel coins. The names of the new coins and their weights are still under consideration. The hole in the center will effectually prevent any confusion with existing silver.

It takes an awful lot of self control to enable a man to go up in the attic every time he feels like swearing.

POLK COUNTY GOT CORN PRIZE

SPLENDID RESULTS OBTAINED FROM PROF. HARRINGTON'S CORN CONTEST

FIRST ATTEMPT TO MATURE MINNESOTA NO. 13 A GRATIFYING SUCCESS

From Tuesday's Daily—
Much gratification is felt here over the fact that Polk Co., received the 17th prize in the corn contest which was held last week in St. Paul in view of the fact that there were 150 entries most of them from the southern part of the state, and 38 prizes awarded, making Polk County's showing better than the average of the prize winners. What is still more significant is that this is the first time Minnesota No. 13 corn was ever sown in this county with the idea of its maturing. Early last spring, Prof. L. P. Harrington gave samples of this and other varieties to the students leaving the Crookston branch State School of Agriculture, for their homes. Six of the best samples returned from this contest at the State School this fall were selected to send to the St. Paul contest and of the six the one grown by Julius Jacobson of East Grand Forks won the prize for Polk Co.

Next spring Prof. Harrington will issue samples on a still larger scale with the idea of further stimulating the interest in corn raising. The work of the State School of Agriculture along this line has been of a most efficient character, and already corn raising is receiving attention in every part of the county. The fact that prize winning corn can be raised here will serve to still further stimulate the industry, and the fact that this was the first attempt to mature it in this section, demonstrates that after it is acclimated once, the maturing will be a much more simple matter. Minnesota dent is a fine yellow dent corn.

The work of Prof. Harrington and the school of Agriculture along this line will meet with most hearty public approval. It is the biggest kind of an advertisement for Polk county to win a prize against such competition from old corn sections of the state, and marks a new era in the prinze cereals which this section can successfully produce. Prof. Harrington is certainly the right man in the right place.

"CAVAIR FROM LAKE WINNEPEG"

SPLENDID CHRISTMAS SOUVENIR ISSUED BY THE WINNIPEG FREE PRESS

For the past eight years the Winnipeg Free Press has presented as a souvenir during the Christmas holidays some handsome gift illustrative of the wealth and resources of Canada. Beginning in 1901 with a miniature sack of "No. 1 hard" Manitoba wheat, it presented in 1902 a miniature sack of reindeer pemican made at Fort McPherson, a Hudson's Bay company post sixey-five miles within the Artic circle accompanied buy an illustrated booklet bound with a deerskin thong. In 1903 the souvenir took the form of a gopher's tail mounted, as a "good luck bringer", in 1904 a pen made from a quill of a Canadian wild goose; in 1905, a flint and steel; in 1906, a pipe of peace—all these accompanied by booklets containing Indian legends on the subject. In 1907 the souvenir was a little barrel of flour made at the Hudson's Bay company's mill at Vermillion 400 miles south of the Artic circle, from wheat grown in the Peace River country.

The Free Press celebrates Christmas of 1908 by sending out a tin of "caviar from Lake Winnipeg" accompanied by a booklet giving an account of the history of caviar and a Cree legend of the sturgeon, given in print for the first time. Caviar is the roe of the sturgeon prepared as a table delicacy and none finer is produced than that which comes from Lake Winnipeg whose fishing grounds are guarded by the mythical monster l'Eturgeon Royal, the great sturgeon of Cree tradition. The Winnipeg Free Press is, in many respects, the greatest newspaper in Canada, and under the direction of Manager Macklin and Editor Dafoe it has achieved a deserved reputation for ability and enterprise.

No man has occasion to apologize for doing his duty.

All Aboard for the Annual Trip on the Water Wagon

"I'm going to have a good time tonight, for I'm going to be a lowly kid for the next year" said a certain young man last evening.

This is the day that nearly everyone is making some resolution for the new year. Some people have penetrated to the depth of their weakness, and have foresworn making resolutions. It is probable that at some time in the past, they made a resolution to never make another New Year's resolution.

But nearly everybody in town has some little resolution tucked away in his or her breast. The men who have the water wagon resolution in their bonnets are most frank about telling about it. Then somebody laughs and they get angry.

Most people select two or three of their most glaring habits and forswear them at least for a short time. It is the cautious resolution maker who usually keeps his resolution. Those people who are going to quit every bad habit they have upon the first of the year are the ones who usually keep these resolutions for about two days.

One man was found in the class which labors in the woods and upon the drive who has really resolved to save money.

This chap will certainly have a large field to start his new and original experiment upon. At the time he told of the resolution, he had 15 cents between him and that gaunt feeling that makes a bun look like a banquet.

However he was brave in the face of adversity. He remarked with grim resolution that there would be no more easy money come-ons in his, that he wasn't coming to Crookston $100 strong, and leave the town with a headache and a plug of coarsecut.

A driver was found who has made a resolution that he won't run his horses up hill. That is one of the very best resolutions that has been made.

There is a rumor that there is a waiter who has resolved not to accept any tips during the course of the new year. This story seemed incredible. After thoro investigation, it was decided that this resolution was made upon the impulse of the moment.

It is also said that one of the lady clerks at one of the department stores had resolved to stop chewing gum. However this report is unofficial and its authority cannot be vouched for.

There are all kinds of resolutions, but the trouble is to get people to be honest with you.

Other typical resolutions made are as follows:

J. E. Morrisey will learn a new tune to whistle.

Tom Young is going to lower the pressure on his vocal organs.

Chief Eck will forswear lute-fisk till Lent.

Alderman Snyder will join the Geo. Washington "Lie Not" club.

John Kirsch will resign as business agent of the "Merry Widows' Club."

Mike Palen will use no more black dye on his whiskers.

Carl Reidesel will stop pinching his feet with small shoes.

Alex Thompson will stop wearing Scotch plaid underwear.

Mike Kalad will stop playing the roll of Beau Brummel.

Tom Casey resolved not to be interviewed.

C. H. Zealand resolves to have another base ball league.

Nault and Simmons of the Amusement Trust resolve to give the people a run for their money.

Capt. Vondenbeck will eat sauerkraut but twice a day this year.

"SO WOULD I."

AMUSING STORY OF SENATOR KNUTE NELSON

Knute Nelson senator from Minnesota, lives east of the Capitol and entirely away from the social swim.

Every evening about dark, when the weather is fairly good, Senator Nelson may be seen plodding along East Capitol street to No. 649 just like a government clerk who wants to save car fare. He makes a queer looking figure, with his derby hat pulled away down over his ears his baggy trousers flapping in the breeze and his funny little bunch of chin whiskers pointed out in front. There could not be a more perfect representative of the typical farmer, even to the big hunk of tobacco in his cheek.

The other evening it was raining pretty hard and the Minnesota senator climbed on a car at the corner of Delaware avenue and B street northeast. The car was jammed with people, and it was all he could do to squeeze himself onto the step. He hung on with one hand as best he could could and swung around curves in great shape, apparently enjoying himself to the limit.

There was another man hanging on the same step. Just after the car had given an unusually severe lurch this man scowled and remarked to Mr. Nelson:

"I only wish I was a member of Congress and I would see that these street car companies gave better service."

"So would I" growled Senator Nelson.—Washington Star.

Suspected Of Insanity

There are still some traces of medievalism in our attitude toward the insane. We haven't altogether gotten rid of the idea even in this enlightened day, that the lunatic is an enemy of society, when he is really an invalid. We have made much progress, it is true, from the day when he was imprisoned, maltreated and killed by slow torture. We have substituted hospitals for asylums, and have provided care and expert treatment at public expense, says the Minneapolis Journal.

The weak point in the present system, however, is the method by which a person suspected of insanity is apprehended, examined and committed. Someone, a friend or relative, files information against him, an officer seizes him as gently as possible, but sometimes with violence, nevertheless and he is brought into the probate court after a night or more spent in jail like a common criminal. Here he is formally charged with insanity, as if it were a crime, and sits listening to the testimony of his family and his friends. After this terrible ordeal—terrible, indeed, for a man whose reason is tottering, and who faces the blackness and despair of lunacy—he is adjudged insane and taken to the state hospital by deputy sheriffs, or he is declared sane and released but with a fearsome stigma fixed upon him, a suspicion that causes the world to on him askance and causes him to doubt himself.

In either case, a great wrong has been done the sufferer by the state. If he is mentally ill, his case has been aggravated by the discussion of it in open court, and the force with which he is often handled. If he is not insane, the mistake may in the end make him so. And there is the chance that he may be mistakenly committed by the court, and may prove, under treatment, only temporarily affected.

In the light of these considerations, the proposal of the Minnesota board of control that detention hospitals be established in connection with each of the state hospitals for the insane, is an advanced and enlightened suggestion. The scheme outlined by the board in its recent report must commend itself to every thoughtful person. These detention hospitals would serve as places where doubtful cases could be observed and treated without the stigma and the nervous strain involved in a probate court examination.

A man who felt within himself the approach of unreason, could submit himself without publicity to expert examination and treatment. Cases are by no means infrequent where a man, fearing he would commit homicide, has asked the authorities to lock him up. Such a desperate step is usually taken after a long struggle with self, and in the deadly fear of lost self-control. If he knew that sympathetic and skilful physicians of the mind were at his disposal in a state detention hospital, and that the fact of his going there would be kept inviolably secret, he would not wait until the last desperate moment before giving himself up, and he might be saved from himself and restored to sanity.

Similarly, a suspect could be persuaded by his family and his physicians to subject himself to observation and treatment. Judges of probate, in doubtful cases could avail themselves of the detention hospitals. The probability of recovery would be greatly enhanced by early treatment under unexciting conditions. The plan outlined by the board provides proper safeguards against the abuse of the hospitals and the unwarranted incarceration therein of any person. No red tape is to be unwound when the superintendent concludes that a detained man is not insane or has recovered from his malady; the door is opened and he goes free.

The project is one that ought to commend itself in principle to the legislature.

ST. VINCENT HOSPITAL

SPLENDID RECORD MADE DURING THE PAST YEAR BY THE SISTERS

210 PATIENTS CARED FOR AND OF THESE BUT 4 OR 5 DIED

From Friday's Daily—

The past year has been very successful and useful one for St. Vincents hospital and the Sisters have earned the thanks of the entire community for their faithful work in caring for the sick and injured.

The records show that during the past year 210 patients have been cared for there. Of these 97 were surgical cases, 34 typhoid fever, 9 diseases of the eye, 14 accidents, and 44 various other diseases such as cancer tuberculosis, rheumatism, stomach and nervous troubles, etc.

Of all these cases there were but four or five deaths which is really a wonderful record, as the condition of many of the patients when they arrived there was nothing short of desperate, but the skillful and kindly care they received at the hands of the self-sacrificing Sisters worked wonders aided by good medical care.

Considerable charity work was done by the Sisters, as the institution is operated for the uplift of humanity and the relief of suffering, and not as a money making proposition.

The Sister Superior and others connected with this splendid institution, desire to thank the kind and thoughtful friends who remembered the hospital on Thanksgiving and Christmas days, and a list of them will be published in the Journal later.

COMMISSION OFFICE CLOSED

CROOKSTON CUSTOMERS MORE FORTUNATE THAN THOSE AT FORKS AND FARGO

The commission offices of Geraghty & Co., in Crookston have been closed together with all that concern's offices, pending a settlement of financial difficulties. Grand Forks and Fargo customers were quite heavy losers owing to their dabbling in railroad stocks which took a sudden tumble. The Crookston customers however, are about $8000 to the good as a result of their dealings thru the firm. Jim V. Thompson the local manager, is still in Crookston and will remain here for a while. He has not definitely decided upon his future movements.

EDITOR CARR TAKES A PARTNER

V. A. GREER TAKES A PARTNER BUYS A HALF INTEREST IN MIDDLE RIVER PIONEER

R. D. V. Carr the well known Middle River editor makes the announcement that he has sold a half interest in the Middle River Pioneer to V. A. Greer, a former well known Crookston land man, and the paper will be published by the two in the future. In addition to publishing the Pioneer, the new firm will engage in the real estate business to quite an extent and expect to dispose of much land in the vicinity of Middle River in the near future. Mr. Greer has been engaged in the real estate loan and insurance business at Middle River for some time past and the two will make a strong team.

KINGSTON BROWN BROKE COLLAR BONE

Kingston Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Brown while wrestling with his brother this morning fell and broke his collar bone. Last week while skating a playmate threw a stick in front of him and he fell cracking the bone, and the fall today completed the fracture and he will be laid up and have to carry his neck in a sling for the next two weks.

Thief River Falls Press: A recent investigation has disclosed the fact that a Pullman car porter is paid $25 a month. But think what he saves by not having to pay for his berth each night.

Litchfield Independent: Governor Johnson has been in the East recently in attendance on the "conservation congress." He is attracting no little attention, and has gained in popularity since his recent third successive election.

The actions of some men remind us of a comic opera without a plot.

LID ON TIGHT AT SPENCER

CITY COUNCIL PASSES A DRASTIC ORDINANCE—DANCES AND RINKS TABOOED

TOWN DADS EVEN GO FURTHER AND BAR CLAIRVOYANTS AND PALMISTS

ACTION FOLLOWS A SERIES OF SCRAPS IN CONDUCT OF A SKATING RINK

From Friday's Daily—

The city council of Spencer Ia., at its last meeting passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any person firm or corporation to conduct any public dance hall or skating rink within the limits of the city.

Not satisfied with opposing dancing and skating, the council went further and said: "It shall be unlawful for any fortune teller, palmist or clairvoyant to ply his or her trade within the limits of the city for hire." The penalty attached to the violation of these ordinances by the town dads is severe. The ordinance, which is No. 109 of the revised code says: "Any person who shall violate this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined from $1 to $100 or serve from one to thirty days in the town bastile."

The passing of such drastic measures was brought about after a series of ructions which followed the operations of a skating rink within the city limits. J. S. Johnson early in the fall secured a license to operate a skating rink.

Last week Johnson was arrested and fined $10 and costs for having struck Mrs. Anna Brown, the cashier at the rink. Mrs. Brown and Johnson had been having difficulty over the amount of wages due to Mrs. Brown and the fight resulted. The mayor, William Wells, also decreed that as additional punishment Johnson's license to operate the rink should be revoked. But the mayor lacked the power to revoke the license already paid for and so the city dads got together and passed the ordinance, making it a misdemeanor for any one to operate a skating rink.

The ordinance has stirred the town from top to bottom. The interpretation of "public dances" is coming in for its share. The question that is most asked is who will be punished in case a dance is held. The city dads are quoted as saying that not only the person running the dance, but the dancers themselves will be arraigned and fined.

Spencer is the town where some time ago the W. C. T. U. caused all of the drug store licenses to be revoked. The town is noted for having fourteen churches to a population of less than 4,000.

NO PAPER ON SUNDAY MORNING

RECENT PLAN ADOPTED BY ST. PAUL DISPATCH DISCONTINUED

In a signed announcement in the St. Paul Dispatchh today C. H. Grasty who recently purchased an equal interest from George Thompson in that paper, announces the discontinuance of the recently projected Sunday morning edition of that paper. Mr. Grasty says owing to the fact that the Dispatch did not have the Associated Press service for its Sunday morning editions and that it could not get it and the further fact that there seemed to be an inherent antagonism toward the Sunday morning newspaper, are the chief reasons for its discontinuance.

Mr. Grasty says concerning the Sunday newspaper:

"Personally I am not a very strong believer in the Sunday newspaper. I think it has a vogue beyond its merits and that the impossible editions, with its multiplicity of pages and its display of 'stunts' and specialties, will either disappear or give place to a saner journalism."

TO SHIP GOODS TO TWIN FALLS

About Jan. 5th or shortly afterwards Alex Gonyea will leave for Twin Falls Idaho, with a carload of household goods belonging to the Gonyea and Longley families. Albert Benoit was expected here to look after putting the goods of L. I. Benoit in the same car, but on acount of the serious illness of his father will not be able to be here Jan. 5th as expected, but will arrive as soon thereafter as the condition of his father will permit.

JUDGE WATTS SUSTAINED

ACTION IN DIRECTING A VERDICT FOR THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD

IN DAMAGE SUIT BROUGHT BY FRED MAGEAU UPHELD BY SUPREME COURT

From Friday's Daily—

The Supreme Court of Minnesota has sustained the action of Judge Watts in directing a verdict for the Great Northern n the damage suit brought by Fred Mageau in which plaintiff asked for $10,000 damages for the loss of his wife, who he claims died as the direct result of injuries received enroute to Crookston in a wreck at Barnesville. The decision rendered briefly is as follows:

Fred H. Mageau, as administrator of the estate of Clara Mageau, deceased, appellant, vs. Great Northern Railway Company, respondent.

Syllabus: In a personal injury action, held, that there was no substantial evidence to sustain the verdict and that the trial court therefore properly ordered judgment for the defendant, notwithstanding the verdict for the plaintiff.

The opinion of a physician, that the death of a person was due to one disease instead of another—both diseases being caused by the action of germs and manifested by similar external symptoms—based upon general observation without a post mortem or microscopal examination, is too conjectural, theoretical and uncertain, standing alone, to sustain a verdict.

Affirmed. —Elliott, J.

FARMERS SERVED ARE GENEROUS

A HAPPY NEW YEAR FOR MAIL CARRIER J. O. TAYLOR

When Mail-carrier J. O. Taylor arrived home from his trip on Route No 3 on Thursday Dec. 31, he was agreeably surprised by finding 100 bushels of oats which were hauled there by Messrs. Martin Anderson and Charles Jebe. This was given as a New Years present by those who wished to express their gratitude for the excellent service which they received at the hands of their mail-carrier.

Those who gave toward the splendid gift were:

B. H. Kliven.
B. D. Hinton.
O. C. Olson.
E. B. Durdahl.
Sivert Quarberg.
Ole Kroken.
George Plante.
Sam Sylvester.
F. Ellinger.
G. Nelson.
C. Nelson.
A. Millard
R. H. Hinton.
Mrs. C. T. Mallmanger.
Erick Mallmanger.
Chas. Moe.
Peter Jebe.
Mrs. O. A. Moen.
John Amundson.
John Sylvester.
O. Simmons.
Ole Solie.
Fred Batz.
A. Sultvedt.
John Johnson.
Nick Welter.
Wm. Benning.
W. S. Feg.
M. E. Williamson.
O. E. Rude.
Mr. Malarky.
T. M. Newhouse.
Newhouse Bros.
Wm. Samson.

JACK TAYLOR IS PROMOTED

CLAIM AGENT WHO LOOKS AFTER THIS DISTRICT OF N. P. GOES UP HIGHER

After holding the position of general claim agent of the Northern Pacific for twelve years, J. F. Newton has resigned and will in the future make his home in Tacoma, Wash. Mr. Newton according to officials of the Northern Pacific has been in ill health for some time and it is said that he is seeking a change in climate and will retire from active railroad work. He is to be succeeded by W. F. Every, who has been Mr. Newton's chief clerk for a number of years.

The change takes place formally on Jan. 1, but Mr. Newton has already left for Tacoma.

J. S. Taylor who was formerly district claim agent for the Northern Pacific with headquarters at Fargo, has been appointed assistant claim agent, a position just created.

There's always room for one more in the crowd at the bottom.

ITCHING HUMOR ON LITTLE BOY

His Hands were a Solid Mass, and Disease Spread All Over His Body —In Four Days the Child was Entirely Cured—Mother Strongly

RECOMMENDS CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"One day we noticed that our little boy was all broken out with itching sores. We first noticed it on his little hands. His hands were not as bad then, and we didn't think anything serious would result. But the next day we heard of the Cuticura Remedies being so good for itching sores, etc., that I thought I would get them. By this time the disease had spread all over his body, and his hands were nothing but a solid mass of this itching disease. I went to the drug store and purchased a box of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment, and that night I stripped my little boy and took the Cuticura Soap and lukewarm water and washed him well. Then I dried him with a soft bath towel, and took the Cuticura Ointment and rubbed him thoroughly with it. I did this every evening before I put him to bed and in three or four nights he was entirely cured. You have my permission to publish this because anybody who suffered as my baby did ought to know of the Cuticura Remedies. I will surely and gladly recommend the Cuticura Remedies, for they are a godsend to all suffering with skin diseases. Mrs. Frank Donahue, 208 Fremont St., Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 16, 1907."

PIMPLES

And Blackheads Prevented and Cured by Cuticura.

Gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, but do not rub. Wash off the Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water and continue to bathe the face freely for some minutes. Repeat morning and evening. At other times use hot water and Cuticura Soap for bathing the face as often as agreeable.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

MAY GO TO A HALLOCK MAN

THE VACANCY CREATED BY THE PROMOTION OF PRESENT

SUPT. C. G. SCHULZ MAY BE FILLED BY E. A. NELSON

From Friday's Daily—

The story is in circulation that E. A. Nelson of Hallock might be appointed assistant superintendent of instruction to succeed C. G. Schultz, who becomes the head of the department.

Nelson was state librarian under Gov. Van Sant and was strongly identified with the Collins faction in the republican gubernatorial fight of four years ago. Following the defeat of Collins, his sympathy, it is claimed, was with the democratic candidate. Nelson is regarded as a republican and conducts a newspaper at Hallock.

Gov. Johnson stated that he would appoint Mr. Schulz to the head of the department, but that he was not interesting himself as to who would be assistant superintendent.

This appointment he said, rested entirely with Mr. Schulz.

E. E. MC'DONALD GETS FINE PRESENT

The Crookston lodge of Elks has presented E. E. McDonald of this city with an elegant silver water set, as a small token of the esteem and appreciation of the services which Mr. McDonald rendered the lodge on Memorial Sunday December 6, when Mr. McDonald delivered the Memorial address at the services of the Crookston lodge.

The water set is of a very elaborate design and on one of the pieces of the set is engraved the following inscription: "Compliments of Crookston Lodge, No. 342, B. P. O. E."

At the time Mr. McDonald delivered the address at Crookston the daily papers of that city were very profuse in their declarations that the address was the best ever delivered there and Mr. McDonald was extended the hearty thanks of the lodge for his very able effort.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The St. Paul Review observes in effect that a gubernatorial probability may be developed at the coming session of the legislature. Maybe. Meanwhile "Pudge" Heffelfinger's friends are not altogether idle; one hears of Ripley Brower several times in a while and there are those who vow and declare that Sam Iverson is slated.—Duluth News-Tribune. And then there is Senator Stephens whose friends expect him to make a noise that sounds like "governor."

INTERESTING REPORT OF STATE ENTOMOLOGIST

State Entomologist Frank L. Washburn has just completed his sixth annual report of the work of his department and it is a document of the greatest interest to every agricultural district in the state. Mr. Washburn was present in Crookston at the meeting of the Red River Valley Horticultural Society and while here also attended the banquet of the commercial club.

His letter of transmission of his report to the governor outlines what has been accomplished by the department and it is as follows:

State Experiment Station,
St. Anthony Park, Minn.,
December 1st, 1908.

To His Excellency, John A. Johnson,
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir: The state entomologist has the honor to present herewith his biennial report of the years 1907 and 1908. As will be remembered by you, it was suggested for the sake of economy, and to better the work of this division, that a printed report from the entomologist should be issued only once in two years, not annually as heretofore, and that from time to time as occasion demanded, press bulletins or press notices, circulars, or station bulletins, should be issued to meet the wants of the farmers, horticulturists and others, the law being complied with by filing with you annually on or before December 1st, a typewritten abstract of work accomplished, and an account in detail of all expenditures incurred in discharge of the work. This plan met with your approval, and appears to give excellent results, besides effecting a saving in this department of several hundred dollars annually. The bringing to the notice of farmers and others important information regarding insects at just the time when it is needed, by means of press notices, circulars and press bulletins, is better than waiting for the publication of a report.

General Insect Conditions.

The years 1907 and 1908 have been average years as regards insects depredations, though in some instances certain species of insect pests have been prominently in view. The occurrence of the "Green Bug," so-called, created a great flurry here a year ago this summer, and the Entomologist did everything possible to get the exact facts before grain growers, and to allay a scare which was, in a large measure, artificial.

In the springs of 1907 and 1908, black flies, small two-winged insects belonging to the family Simulidae, frequently called Buffalo gnats or Turkey gnats, were much complained of. Milch cows fell off in milk; stock of all kinds in pastures located in affected reigons and at work in the field, were driven wild; in certain instances young poultry was killed, and farmers and others lost in consequence. By means of press articles, and by mailing to parties concerned, from this office, a pamphlet on "Insects and Insect-like Animals Affecting Stock," it is to be hoped that some measure of relief was afforded.

Our 1907 mail brought in many inquiries regarding plant lice, for the most part on grain, said inquiries being largely occasioned by the alarming rumors of the presence of the "Green Bug." In almost every instance, when specimens of these grain lice were sent to this office, they proved to be a native form, Macrosiphum granaria, present with us in varying numbers each year, and causing little or no damage.

The Hession Fly worked upon grain in 1907 and 1908, showing, as was expected, some increase in the depredations in the latter year.

Native grasshoppers, noticeably the common red-legged locust or grasshopper, the two-striped locust, and the lesser migratory were abundantly present in some portions of the state in 1907, causing some injury to grain and closer. Last year complaints reached us from Kanabec, Otter Tail, Isanti, Wright and Itasca counties. This year, 1908, they have been still more numerous. Accounts of their depredations have increased. They have, the present season, worked in Otter Tail, Norman, Chisago, Sherburne, Wadena, Anoka, Meeker and Stearns counties, affecting principally clover and alfalfa and pasture lands. The outlook for next year, unless farmers take certain measures, is not particularly reassuring, since our native forms, when very abundant, can be exceedingly destructive. Press Bulletin 32, containing an account of preventive treatment, was issued in September. A copy of this will be mailed to any farmer upon request. In this connection it is interestnig to note that grasshoppers by consuming pastures may materially affect the price of milk.

Wire worms, controlled largely by proper farm practice, have been destructive in certain localities, one farmer known to us, feeling obliged to disk his corn and sow flax, since the former plants had been destroyed by these pests. Just across the line in North Dakota wire worms were reported as having destroyed, in one locality, one hundred acres of grain.

This office has been appealed to in both 1907 and 1908 for suggestions leading to relief from the presence of ants in household and garden. Lawns have been injured and in some places ruined by the White Grub. The irritating Harvest Mite, Leptus irritans, although nearly invisible to the naked eye, has, tiny as it is, placed a ban on picnic parties, ladies and children particularly being subject to attack. Frequently the work of this tiny mite is thought to be "rash" or "hives." Red blotches appear on the skin, accompanied by an almost unbearable itching, which lasts for several days.

The Apple Leaf Hopper, Empoasca mali, has been active in nurseries possibly not so bad in 1908 as in 1907, and hac, at the request of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington, been made the subject of special work by the entomologist under the Adams fund. Various other apple tree insects have been in evidence, and numerous complaints of the Plum Leaf Gall Mite have been received.

Shade trees have suffered materially in different localities from a number of pests. Elms have been affected with lice which are peculiar to that tree. Some oak trees were devastated, notably in Otter Tail and Wadena counties, by the Oak-leaf Caterpillar. The Stalk Borer (different species of Papaipema) has again injured flower gardens.

The Fall Web Worm has been locally destructive and one the increase. Press Bulletin 28, issued from this office in November, 1907, deals with this pest. In 1908 oak trees suffered from the Oak Tree Pruner. Box elder and maples have been attacked by a Maple Twig Borer, reared to the moth stage in the insectary, which may prove to be a new species. Young ash trees in at least one nursery have been destroyed by the hundreds through the work of one of the Stalk Borers, Papaipema furcata, this caterpillar boring in the soft center; and large ash trees in one locality have been riddled by a boring Sesiid, Aegeria Fraxina, tunneling in the solid wood. As we go to press, also, cuttings from birches which have been killed through the work of the Birch Borer, Agrilus anxius, have been left at the office. The Poplar Beetle, Lina scripta, has been in evidence, eating the leaves of these trees. A borer in locusts, Cyllene robiniae, has also been very troublesome.

In connection with shade tree pests we have been frequently consulted by the forester of the Minneapolis City Park Board, Mr. C. N. Ruedlinger, and have extended to him, and through him the park board, all the assistance possible.

Grapes have, as usual, suffered from the attacks of various insects, the fruit being attacked by a grape fruit worm, and the leaves by the Grape Vine Flea Beetle, Haltica chalybea, and the Grape Phylloxera, Phylloxera vastatrix, specimens of the latter being sent us from both wild and cultivated vines at Albert Lea. This latter pest has been present with us on wild vines for some time, and in the event of its becoming abundant on cultivated plants, may call for strenuous action on the part of the grape grower. It is a form of louse which works on both roots and leaves of grape vines, and has called for special legislation in some countries.

The Codling Moth and Plum Curculio have, as usual, been busy on apples and plums, as well as two or three species of plant lice, and we list a small beetle known as Scirtes tibialis, looking like a flea beetle, seriously injuring the leaves of plums, its first reported occurrence in Minnesota.

Crown Gall.

This infectious plant disease, attacking raspberries and blackberries, particularly the former, was noticed by us here in abundance for the first time in 1907, though it has been known to occur here before. Its source has been traced to a few nurseries apparently, where owners have promised us to stamp it out as far as they can. The disease is of such a serious nature, and so destructive to raspberries that a special illustrated publication was issued regarding it. From a legal standpoint a nurseryman is not entitled to a certificate from the state entomologist as long as this disease is found upon his stock.

One strawberry grower has reported (1908) the presence of the Strawberry Root Louse, Aphis forbesi, in his fields. As this is the first time its occurrence here has been known to us, this department is keeping in touch with the case, and making it an object of special study.

Special Experiments.

The office of experiment stations at Washington has suggested the life history of the Apple Leaf Hopper and of the Grain Plant Louse, Macrosiphum granaria, as special problems for this division of the experiment station. To these it has added Bruchophagus funebris, an insect which seriously affects the production of clover seed. The life histories of these three pests have never been completely worked out, and during 1907 and 1908 the entomological force has made special effort in this direction. Most gratifying results have been obtained from work with the first of these, Empoasca mali, and progress made with the other two.

Work with the "Green Bug" has been continued, both in field and insectary, and this louse is found to be quite generally distributed over the state, but by no means in dangerous numbers. It has been discovered that eggs passed successfully through last winter here, and hatched in the spring. A number of other grain plant lice have also been exhaustively studied.

Work with the Cabbage Maggot has been continued during 1907 and 1908, our attention in the latter year being principally given to treatment of radishes to prevent its attack. In the summer of 1907 one man devoted almost his entire time to the studying of means of protecting cabbage and cauliflower plants from the attacks of this pest. Results of this work, embodied in advice and suggestions, were mailed to all market gardeners in April, 1908, as Circular No. 9 from this office, "Remedies for the Cabbage Maggot." Several parasites new to science hve been reared from this pest.

Plum Curculio.

In 1907 and 1908 experiments were carried on by Mr. Ruggles, an assistant in this department, to test the value of spraying plum trees with arsenate of lead, and have proved conclusively that a large per cent of fruit can be saved by spraying at the proper time with this compound.

Comparisons of Liquid Spray and Dust Spray.

During the two years just past these two widely different agents have been tested upon the Russian orchard at the experiment station, which orchard was courteously placed at our disposal by the horticultural division. This work was directed against the Apple Scab, the Plum Curculio and the Codling Moth. The results largely favor the liquid spray as being more advantageously used than the dust spray.

Hydrocyanic Acid Gas.

Experiments with this dangerous but effective medium, made by combining cyanide of potash with sulphuric acid, have been continued, to get further data as to the time elapsing between the dropping of the charge into the acid, and the giving off of the gas; also the distance into a mass of meal or bran to which this gas can penetrate effectively.

Office Publications.

In addition to various communications to the state press, from time to time as occasion demanded, the following publications have been issued from this office during 1907 and 1908:

1907—"Three New Hymenopterous Parasites of Pegomyia 'brassicae'" (technical).

Nov., 1907—Press Bulletin 28, "1. The Fall Web Worm a Menace in Minnesota. 2. Autumn Remedies for the Stalk Borer in Flower Gardens."

Feb., 1908—Experiment Station Bulletin No. 105, "The Importance of the Study of Entomology; How to Collect and Preserve Insects."

Feb., 1908—Circular No. 6, "Crown Gall in Minnesota."

Feb., 1908—Circular No. 7, "Mediterranean Flour Moth."

Mar., 1908—Special Report to the Governor, "The So-Called 'Green Bug' and Other Grain Aphids in Minnesota in 1907."

April, 1908—Experiment Station Bulletin No. 108, "The So-Called 'Green Bug' and Other Grain Aphids in Minnesota."

April, 1908—Circular No. 8, Press Bulletin No. 31, "Sugestions to Those Contemplating Spraying."

April, 1908—Circular No. 9, "Remedies for the Cabbage Maggot."

May, 1908—"A Comparative Study of the External Anatomy of Plant Lice," by R. A. Vickery, Assistant (technical).

Sept., 1908—Circular No. 10, Press Bulletin No. 32, "Insects Affecting Grain and Allied Crops Duding 1907 and 1908."

Oct., 1908—Circular No. 12, "Destruction of Lawns by the White Grub."

Nov., 1908—Circular No. 13, Press Bulletin 33, "Some Destructive Shade Tree Pests."

Nov., 1908—Circular No. 14, Press Bulletin 34, "Spraying for the Plum Curculio.'

Lectures.

The following lectures upon insects and kindred subjects, illustrated in most instances with stereopticon, were given in the months and at the places named: April, 1907, Lake City; December, 1907, Pelican Rapids; January, 1908, Hope Chapel, Minneapolis; February, 1908, Twin Valley; July, 1908, Spicer (Chautauqua series); November, 1908, Crookston; November, 1908, Meadowlands.

Correspondence.

The entomologist's mail has been increasing each year. Its character is, to a certain extent, indicated by the insects listed under "General Insect Conditions," for there were numerous inquiries in connection with these. In 1907 there were approximately 1,500 letters, and in 1908, 1,767 letters. The bulk of this correspondence occurred between June 1st and September 15th of each year, the period when insects are most active, and consequently when the heaviest demands are made upon the entomologist.

Nursery Inspection.

In 1907 fifty-four nurseries were inspected, and certificates granted their owners. In 1908 this number was increased to fifty-nine. As a rule, we find Minnesota nurseries well cared for and free from serious pasts. A careful watch, however, will be kept for Crown Gall.

Insectary.

The insectary is proving especially valuable in our work. We have reared several parasites, some of them new to science, and from various pests, notably the Cabbage Maggot, and have also been enabled to make careful study of life histories of grain insects and other injurious pests, and to so work upon these in the dead of winter as to really double the quantity of work which was done before the building was erected. In 1907 four hundred and sixty separate experiments were carried on in the insectary, and in 1908 to date, four hundred and fourteen. Experiments now running embrace such subjects as the Bee Moth, Clothes Moth, Confused Flour Beetle, various plant lice, notably those affecting grain; the Wheat Stem Maggot, the genus of Stalk Borer known as Papaipema (we have already found that seveal species occur here), the Oak Pruner, Maple Borer, Elm Borer, Birch Borer, Apple Leaf Hopper, Bruchophagus funebris and other insects affecting clover, etc. We regard the insectary as not only a very valuable, but an actually necessary adjunct to the work.

Acknowledgments.

In conclusion, it gives us pleasure to acknowledge our appreciation of the favorable conditions attending our work during the past two years. We have been fortunate in the matter of assistants. In addition to Mr. A. G. Ruggles, permanent assistant, to whom the department is indebted for originating and installing, during the past two years, numerous valuable filing devices, we have had during the summer of 1907 Mr. R. L. Webster and Mr. George G. Ainslie, both close observers and useful workers in field and insectary. Mr. R. A. Vickery served in the insectary from October, 1907, and during the earlier part of the summer of 1908 was working almost constantly in the field under our direction. These three men have recently accepted government positions in the bureau of entomology. In July, 1908, we were fortunate enough to secure the services of Dr. H. J. Franklin, a graduate of Amherst, and a skilled expert in insectary work. He came to us with the best of recommendations, and his work since he has been here substantiates the favorable report which preceded him.

The director and the different divisions of the experiment station have been particularly kind in granting favors which facilitated the work of the entomologist. Our state press has been a means, always generously at our disposal, when it has been necessary to bring information regarding an insect pest quickly to the notice of farmers and other citizens.

Our thanks are especially due various specialists at Washington and elsewhere for naming for us species belonging to their several groups.

Finally, we wish to acknowledge the kindly interest in the progress of the work shown by the governor of the state during the past two years.

Respectfully,
F. L. WASHBURN,
State Entomologist.

A Religious Author's Statement

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

Little Falls Transcript: It would be a good thing to touch up our Uncle Joe Cannon with a few petitions to congress showing that it is the people that demand his retirement and not the newspapers alone. A brilliant man like Joe Cannon should see and read the handwriting on the wall before it is too late.

Daily Journal 50c per Month.

CUT THIS OUT AND SAVE IT

SAYS MANY CAN BE MADE HAPPY AGAIN BY PRESCRIPTION GIVEN

TELLS HOW ANY ONE CAN PREPARE SIMPLE HOME MADE MIXTURE

There is so much Rheumatism here in our neighborhood now that the following advice will be highly appreciated by those who suffer.

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

Our home druggists say they will either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription ready to take if our readers ask them.

WILL BE SUSPENDED DECLARES GRUBER

GENERAL MANAGER PROMISES DRASTIC ACTION IF CROSSINGS ARE BLOCKED

Great Northern trainmen will be careful about blocking crossings in Fargo hereafter. There has been a good deal of agitation concerning the blocking of crossings and the matter was brought to the attention of the president and general manager of the road. The following reply was received from President Louis W. Hill:

"It is not our wish to obstruct crossings or to do anything of this sort in any community."

General Manager J. M. Gruber sent the following reply:

"Mr. Bryan states there have been four cases of the blocking of the streets at Fargo called to the attention of the superintendent during the past thirty days, and in each case the employes at fault had their records marked.

"If any further cases come up the conductors or the men at fault will be given suspension and if that does not have the desired effect more severe action will be taken.

"There is no reason why trains, especially passenger trains, should hold a crossing for thirteen minutes, and the practice, as stated, will be broken up. The switching crew at Fargo is not causing the trouble, but it is due mostly to trains 405, 537 and 538."

Hibbing Tribune: The Humane society in Iowa has discovered a lot of tailless cats and the culprit caught in the act of docking poor pussy has confessed that the tips are bought by furriers to adorn the fashionable neck pieces and muffs. What a pity that the fads of woman, lovely woman, should be incentive to so much cruelty to animals.

Even when a woman really believes in her husband's ability she can't help bragging about it.

KEELEY GOT BUT 8 MONTHS

FORMER CROOKSTON OPERATOR WORKING HARD FOR A NEW TRIAL

EVIDENCE SHOWS THAT OPERATOR AT ANOTHER STATION WAS AT FAULT

From Friday's Daily—

Information received direct from Thompson, Montana, is to the effect that Harry J. Keeley, formerly of this city, and recently convicted of involuntary manslaughter, having been dispatcher when a collission of two trains caused the death of several trainmen, was sentenced to 8 months instead of 8 years as press reports had it.

Keeley, according to the evidence, wired orders to the operator at Perma for the passenger train to meet a freight at Olive, a blind siding. The passenger had already passed Perma when the operator got the message, but he failed to notify Keeley of this and the head-on resulted. His attorney is fighting hard for a new trial and it would seem that he should surely get it.

Naturally the trial has cost Keeley a good sum of money, and as he has a wife and son it is understood that Keeley's many friends here, especially among the railroad boys, are going to give him a lift financially, and the cause is certainly a most worthy one as from the evidence he was not to blame in any way for the accident.

HERE'S A STRANGE BASEBALL TEAM

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 31 — Unless there is something to happen to change the plans of Warden Mudd of the local penitentiary he will organize behind the prison walls early next spring the most unique baseball team on record, for no member of the team will be eligible to play who is not 65 years old or over. The team, too, will be made up almost entirely of men serving life sentences, and practically all of them murderers. The positions of the men on the team will, of course depend upon the speed they show in their "workouts" or preliminary practice, but as the lineup now stands, the average age of the team is 73½ years. They will call themselves "Colts" and when Acting Governor Cox, an enthusiastic "fan" comes over to the capital next summer to hold down the executive's chair while Governor Wilson is up in Michigan fighting off the hay fever, a game is going to be played for his especial benefit. The members of the team and the line-up as now planned follows:

C. C. Cook, 86, Whitley county, murder, catcher.

William H. York, 86, Anderson county, murder, pitcher.

Edward Vurns, 80, Boyle county, forgery, shortstop.

William Joseph, 67, Jefferson county, murder, first base.

Calvin Rains, 77, Clinton county, murder, second base.

William Freeman, 73, Owsley county murder, third base.

Rubin Collinsworth, 66, Perry county, hog theft, center field.

Thomas Depew, 80, Pendleton county, poisoning, right field.

W. T. Bryant, 66, Montgomery county, horse theft, left field.

Aitkin Age: The cashier of an Eastern bank with $100,000 capital has plundered the institution of $85,000 and the bank has been closed. Depositors' guarantee is a bad thing—very bad—even worse than postal savings banks. These people do demand such freak legislation.

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Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

1909

The New Year is at hand. It's about time to turn over a new leaf—to make some good resolutions.

Why not resolve to start out January with a bank account? This bank will welcome you as a depositor—will appreciate your business.

We are serving others to their complete satisfaction. We can serve you likewise.

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The Railroad Committee

Gossip at the state capitol has it that Speaker Rockne will place Mr. Congdon of Duluth at the head of the railroad committee. It is a hobby with The Journal that the railroads should be treated fairly in Minnesota but it does not believe that the public interest is served by placing at the head of the railroad committee one who has been as closely allied with railroads as has Mr. Congdon.

The railroads are great builders of business and population. The state should adopt a broad policy toward them. Speaker Rockne will do himself proud if he will give to the service this winter a railroad committee composed of the broad, fair-minded men of the house, a committee, the chairman of which is neither a member who has had strong railroad affiliations, nor a radical who thinks railroads are without rights.

These remarks are not intended to reflect in any particular upon Mr. Congdon. He is one of the wealthy men of the state, and he should make a valuable member of the house. It merely occurs to us, that from the standpoint of fair play, his appointment to the chairmanship of the railroad committee might prove to be a mistake. Perhaps the gossip presaging such appointment is without foundation however.—Minneapolis Journal

Taking the Postoffice out of Politics

Washington dispatches indicate that Frank H. Hitchcock will be obliged to resign his place as chairman of the Republican national committee before he can be confirmed as postmaster general in Mr. Taft's cabinet. Senators, we are told, will insist that the executive of the great postal department shall not also be the executive head of a great political party, says the St. Paul Dispatch. There should be no controversy over this question. If Mr. Hitchcock is fitted for a cabinet position, as no doubt he is, he will refuse to make that position an asset of any partisan organization. Probably in no post connected with the government of the United States has partisan activity such sinister import as in the postal department. Thousands of employes scattered in every city, town and country district of the nation furnish the material for a political machine of tremendous proportions and crushing effectiveness. The temptation to make use of it ought not to confront any cabinet officer, as it must confront him while he remains also the head of a great political party.

Presidents and cabinets in their partizan zeal are too apt to forget that they are officers of all the people of the United States. Safeguarding party interests by high officers has contributed as much, at least, as any one other cause to American misgovernment in city, state and nation. The higher up the offensive partisan activity, the more dangerous to clean and efficient government. Ward heelers, in high place or low, weaken public service about in the same degree that they strengthen the party machine. Chairmen of county or city committees at the head of city departments are still tolerated in our happy-go-lucky municipal housekeeping. But ward-heeler methods in cabinet positions will hardly meet the approval of the tolerant American public.

It is hoped that partisan management and the management of the postal department will be so thoroly diverced that never again can the change be brought forward that this great service supported by the whole people has been made an instrument for the nomination or the election of high government officers. The spirit as well as the letter of the merit system must be obeyed. If it is to be genuine in any place it must be binding upon the highest as well as the lowest officer of our government.

Condition Must Be Met

As the calendar year closed it was brought home to the Treasury Department and to Congress that there has been a serious shrinkage of the national purse. Since the fiscal year began on the first of July the nation has spent sixty-five millions dollars more than it has collected and this is the showing for only six months of the year. The Secretary of the Treasury estimates that the deficiency will be one hundred and fourteen millions for the entire fiscal year. Last year this deficit amounted to only fifty-eight millions and the preceding year there was a surplus of forty millions. But from a financial point of view the worst is not told in these deficits. Congress is nerved to an expensive program.

No matter how hard the watch dogs of the treasury in the House and in the Senate may bay and growl and show their teeth a raid is determined upon, and appropriation bill are bound to swell and indeed it will be a false economy to postpone river and harbor improvements, the canalization recommended by the President, and by the convention on water transportation recently held in Washington.

These and other national enterprises will cost millions, perhaps billions. They come high but we must have them. They are economical necessities and it is easy to figure that they will return the country a splendid interest on the investment.

The government will simply have to resort to other sources of taxation to raise funds for theseimprovements. A tax on bank checks and on deeds conveying real estate and a few luxuries will easily fill the national exchequer and if to this should be added as was the tax during the Spanish war of a dollar a barrel on beer the nation will have enough to improve the waterways and the roads, to increase the army and navy and to carry on without deficit the multifarious affairs of government.

There is evident anxiety at the White House with reference to the reported conditions on the Isthmus. It has been rumored for some time that the Gatun dam is a failure and altho these rumors have been repeatedly denied they persist and the fact that the President has asked the President-elect to go to the Isthmus, putting at his disposal two war ships and appointing six distinguished civil engineers to accompany him is ground for foreboding with many in reference to the final success of this stupendous undertaking.

Application

Waste hours are seldom set down on the balance sheet, when a man examines his record in relation to the position he holds. He simply decides that he is as smart as his neighbor who is at the head of a great enterprise. He overlooks the important fact that the neighbor used more than the ordinary working hours of a day for work, while he used only six to eight hours. The neighbor put three times as much in a day as the man who complained of results. The man who covers ground at the ratio of three to one will have a wonderful balance in his favor after twenty years. The two young men starting at twenty years will find this out by the time they are forty.

Application helps to equalize talent, and this is overlooked too often. We are endowed with from one to ten talents. Manifestly, the man who possesses one talent cannot overtake the possessor of ten talents. He can, however, level up with the man of five talents who wastes his time. The law is that increasing talents will be given to him who works for the increase, while the man who wastes his talent will close the race a loser.

Application is a great factor for success. It lifts one higher than one can get otherwise. It is synonymous with persistence. It is yourself in action. As one writer expresses it, "Don't think, because your plan or idea has no precedent, or because you are young or inexperienced, that you will not get a hearing."

One can read the history of the world in odd moments, that would otherwise be idle moments. And out of such study ideas will come that will push one ahead.—Minneapolis Journal.

Somehow a man who has no vices gets on your nerves much harder than one who has no virtues.

No matter how much sense a man has he forgets it all when he gets in a political argument.

STATE PRESS

Princeton Union: "Big Counties Pay the Bills" is the caption of an article in a city paper relative to state taxes. Seemingly Ramsey, Hennepin and St. Louis counties pay the major share of the state taxes. But the state auditor's table under the heading of "Total Payments From the State Treasury to Counties," does not show the $700,000 paid out to the state university and the scores of thousands of dollars paid out to office holders in St. Paul and Minneapolis annually, almost every dollar of which is expended in the Twin Cities, nor does it show that the great bulk of the land, timber or mineral the proceeds of which is expended in the Twin Cities, nor does it show that the great bulk of the land timber or mineral, the proceeds of which go to swell the permanent funds, is located in the sparsely settled northern counties of the state. St. Louis county pays more taxes, directly and indirectly, into the state treasury and gets less back from the state than any other county. Hennepin and Ramsey get back a great deal more than they pay into the state treasury.

Pine River Sentinel: Consistency is a jewel but obstinacy is a counterfeit. Be sure you do not mistake one for the other, and especially with yourself.

Eveleth News: Nearly forty Republican members of congress, from the great Middle West section of the country have served converted, but informal notice on the ways and means committee of the house, and on the speaker also, that they will not vote for the removal of the $2 duty on rough lumber. A few more like this from the West and you will see the protection system tumble like a pack of cards,

International Falls Border Budget: The cabinet makers are working overtime finding a suitable location for Frank Kellogg, Minnesota's famous trust buster. Mr. Kellogg is apparently too busy sharpening his lance for the Standard Oil and other corpulent concerns to pay much attention to the busybodies.

Walker Pilot: Political jobs are about as uncertain as the weather and the average politician apparently has a hard job holding onto a soft snap.

Brainerd Tribune: A lot of farmers are deeply interested in good roads—in the winter time—when little can be accomplished along that line.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

HOME NEWS

Of Interest to Everyone in Crookston

In every newspaper in the country you will read statements made by people living in out-of-the-way places, who are supposed to have been cured or derived great benefit from some wonderful remedy or "cure-all". But here in Crookston we only publish statements made by Crookston people—the testimony of your friends, neighbors and fellow-townsmen.

Are just what overworked kidneys need.

Noel Herbert(carpenter, of 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and totally unfitted me for any exertion, there being times when I had to be helped about. I at last heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and immediately procured a box at S. A. Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before I noticed that my back was gradually getting stronger. My trouble son entirely left me and I have not felt a vistage of it since. Doan's Kidney Pills are a most valuable remedy and I give them my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 nearly six years later Dec. 2nd, 1904 he added:

"Doan's Kidney Pills so completely relieved me of kidney trouble six years ago that there has been no return of it. It is a pleasure to again endorse them."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other

A FEROCIOUS EARL.

Alexander of Buchan, Known as the "Wolf of Badenoch."

During the restoration of Dunkeld cathedral the workmen unearthed the remains of Bishop Sinclair, one of those who assisted in the building of the cathedral, and of the notorious Alexander, earl of Buchan, whose ferocity won for him the significant title of the "wolf of Badenoch." A memorial marks the spot where the "wolf" was buried, and it has often been a subject of remark by visitors that a man who plundered churches and in various ways showed his hatred of the clergy should have been laid to rest side by side with bishops and other high ecclesiastics.

Alexander, earl of Buchan, was a younger son of Robert II. of Scotland. During the closing years of the latter's reign the chief powers in the state were delegated to his sons, the earls of Fife and Buchan, and after the accession of Robert III., an amiable but weak prince, this unfortunate delegation was allowed to be continued. The Earl of Buchan ruled over the northern part of Scotland with an authority little less than regal. He has been described as scarcely better than a savage—cruel, ferocious and relentless. Among his exploits was the destruction of the magnificent cathedral of Elgin. He carried off the chalices and vestments, polluted the shrines with blood and finally set fire to the noble edifice, the houses of the canons and the town itself. He also laid waste a large part of the country.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Trying to Make a Hit.

Judge—Do you acknowledge the charge brought before the court of throwing your wfe to the ground and knocking her head repeatedly against the floor? Prisoner (evasively)—I was only trying to make a hit with her, your honor.—Judge.

THE FIGHT FOR FAME.

Man's Heroic Effort to Clutch the Priceless Jewel.

His way was in a bloody lane where clanking caissons splashed along, his goal the line where blazing guns laughed out their song of death. On, on, on he went. His ears were filled with sounds of quick commands, bugle blasts, discordant drums. No fluttering fear was in his heart, no thought of home, no specter of the dread despair that waited at the hearth if he never came again. To him there was no terror in the saber's flashing blade, no warning in the bullet's deadly hiss. Youth trod all reason underfoot; ambition saw all glory overhead. On, on he went to woo and win his bride, the priceless jewel—fame!

Another in a garret sighed for fame. Crusts were his portion and his raiment only rags. Hermit-like he toiled alone, nor cold nor hunger ever daunted him. He marshaled all his hosts, and visions came and went. On, on he toiled. In the snowflakes that drifted in and touched his hands he read a message from the world without, all white, all cheerless. Still as a chrysalis his fancy wove and spun and made its garments wondrous, then burst in splendor on a waiting world.

Both fought the fight, each in his way, one for a heroic shape of bronze, one for a speechless marble face, each for the epitaph, that all the ages in the dust of time might know "he did and died."—Wade Mountfortt in Era Magazine.

A Wedding Decoration.

Whether it was a mistake or a joke or simply an example of bad taste is a question that is still puzzling most of the passengers. But no matter about that. It certainly was a floral masterpiece. Full four feet it stood from the ground, in the form of a cross. Roses white and roses red composed the body of the cross, and dainty white blossoms and green leaves formed the trimmings. In the center the word "Peace" was spelled out in rosebuds.

Everybody in the car admired the offering, and when the boy set it down on the floor all leaned forward to examine it more closely. At length one old gentleman stood up and readjusted his glasses in order to get a better look at it.

"That is a mighty pretty posy you've got there," he said. "Who, may I ask, is dead?"

The boy giggled.

"Nobody 't I know of," he said. "This ain't for a funeral; it's for a wedding."

The old gentleman sat down heavily.

"Good Lord!" he said. "What idiot ever ordered 'Peace' inscribed on a wedding decoration?"

The rest of the passengers smiled, and many of them, being married, wondered as well, but nobody ventured an explanation.—New York Times.

Death and Snuff.

A certain Margaret Wilson of Westminster, who was an inveterate snuff taker, enjoined that a quantity of Scotch snuff should be placed in her coffin. She also ordered that the arrangements connected with her funeral should be as follows: "Six men to be my bearers who are known to be the greatest snuff takers in the parish of St. James, Westminster. Instead of mourning, each to wear a snuff colored beaver hat, which I desire may be bought for the purpose and given to them. Six maidens of my old acquaintance to bear my pall, each to carry a box filled with the best Scotch snuff, to take for their refreshment as they go along." Snuff was also to be thrown on the threshold of deceased's dwelling before the cortege passed out, snuff was to be strewn on the ground at every twenty yards in advance of the coffin, and the officiating clergyman's fee was to be proportionate to the quantity of snuff he consumed during the ceremony.—London Globe.

INDIGESTION IS ENDED FOREVER

ALL STOMACH MISERY VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER EAT YOUR

FAVORITE FOODS WITHOUT FEAR OF DYSPEPSIA OR ANY OTHER STOMACH DISTRESS

Why not start now—today, and forever rid yourself of Stomach trouble and Indigestion? A dieted stomach get the blues and grumbles. Give it a good eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to start the digestive juices working. There will be no dyspepsia or belching of Gas or eructations of undigested food; no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach or heartburn, sick-headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents for a large case at any drug store here, and will relieve the most obstinate case of Indigestion and Upset Stomach in five minutes.

There is nothing else better to take Gas from Stomach and cleanse the stomach and intestines, and besides, one triangule will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all your food the same as a sound, healthy stomach would do it.

When Diapepsin works your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to begin taking Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want to Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to be thoroughly cured of Indigestion.

GLOUCESTER.

The Greatest Fishing Center in the United States.

Everything smells of fish in Gloucester. It is not an odor to which any of the natives object. Nor do visitors find in it anything of which to complain, for it is the pungent ozone of the sea, the smell of fish freshly caught. Gloucester has really never known anything else, for since its beginning, approaching three centuries ago, it has always had fishing for its chief industry, and today it is the greatest fishing center of the United States and, according to the belief of many, of the world.

When a two masted schooner, laden to the gunwales with its cargo of fish, comes into the wharfs the fish are carried in great tubs. Over these stand a company of experts, men who have cleaned hundreds of thousands of fish and who can make the quick cuts and do the scraping with incredible speed. Running to each tub is a hose, and after the waste has been removed an instant under the high pressure of water from the hose cleans out the fish completely and makes it sweet and ready for the next step in the operation. Codfish is dried and salted before being sent to the market, and the work is also done on the wharfs. Here are ranged hundreds of tables exposed to the bright sunlight. The cleansed fish are piled up in such a manner that the warm rays get a most admirable chance at them.

From the open air drying tables the fish are shifted to the boxing and packing establishments, which are also located along the water front, and they are made ready to be shipp... all parts of the world.—Springfield Union.

PROVED A POET.

A Youthful Experience of John Greenleaf Whittier.

John Greenleaf Whittier used to declare that at a very early age he knew himself to be a real poet and would often relate, writes Mrs. Abby J. Woodman in her "Reminiscences of Whittier's Life at Oak Knoll," an amusing experience when he was a student at the Haverhill academy. Mrs. Woodman gives it in Mr. Whittier's own words:

There is but little doubt that at the age of twenty I felt myself to be a real poet, somewhat unknown to fame, but sufficiently acknowledged as such by the committee directing the dedication of the new academy for them to invite me to read an original poem on that occasion.

Robert Dinsmore, an old Scotch farmer in Windham and a writer of rhyme and doggerel verse, was also invited to do the same. The honor of leading the procession which marched through the streets of Haverhill to the new academy was given to the two poets.

I often laugh when I recall the scene to memory. The hale old Scotchman, short and plethoric, his uncertain step and bearing slightly exhilarated by a generous draft of old Scotch whisky before we started, was somewhat of a contrast to me, a rather tall and slender Quaker lad in Quaker hat and coat and half frightened out of my wits by the honor heaped upon me.

However, we delivered our poems all right, and I am thinking that must have been the time when I was dubbed "the Quaker poet,"

Nowhere with more quiet or with more freedom does a man retire than into his own soul.—Marcus Aurelius.

LOTS OF CARS FOR RAILWAY

NORTHERN PACIFIC INVESTED HEAVILY IN ROLLING STOCK IN PAST YEAR

BETTERMENTS INCLUDE MANY PASSENGER COACHES—THIRTEEN LOCOMOTIVES ADDED

From Saturday's Daily—

During the year 1908 the Northern Pacific ordered many large additions to its equipment of rolling stock. The year, while perhaps not the heaviest in additions, was one of the greatest and equipment of all classes was greatly augmented.

Not all of the equipment ordered during the year has been received. Part of the orders of the past few months are to be delivered during the spring months of 1909 in time for the additional service which is to be established in conjunction with the Burlington from Chicago to the Pacific coast.

All the new equipment will be of the latest design and of the largest capacity used in its class. The following is the detail of the additional equipment: 500, 50,000 pound capacity refrigerator cars; 500, 50,000 pound stock cars; 700, 80,000 pound box cars 80, 100,000 pound Rodger ballast cars. The passenger train equipment was augumented by the addition of eight combination mail and baggage cars, eight combination baggage and passenger cars, twenty-four combination baggage an dexpress cars, three parlor cars, twenty-seven day coaches twenty combination smoking and first class cars and two open parlor cars.

To the motice power were added 13 locomotives. Three of these are what is known as the Atlantic type and ten of the Pacific type.

KILLED BY A SNOW PLOW

FREEMAN WALES, NORTHERN PACIFIC ROADMASTER, MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

Freeman Wales, roadmaster on the Fargo division of the Northern Pacific road, was killed yesterday in Hastings, N. D. He was struck by a snowplow which was clearing a cut. Details of the accident are lacking. The body will be brought to Minneapolis at 6:50 a. m. tomorrow, the funeral notice will be given later.

Tickets are Legal

According to the statements of a railroad official, there can be no question as to the legality of the commutation tickets to suburban points in Minnesota that are sold by the railroad companies. The law simply states that the rate must not be more than 2 cents per mile an dthere is nothing to hinder the companies from selling tickets at as low rate as they please. The mileage books are sold at the rate of 2 cents per mile, and are issued for the convenience of the commercial travelers.

E. C. Dugan Leaves G. N. Road

St. Paul, Jan. 2—E. C. Dugan who for a number of years has held the position of chief clerk in the engineering department of the Great Northern has resigned to engage in business for himself. He has ben succeeded by P. J. Rock formerly voucher clerk in the same department.

A noted lecturer announces his retirement from the platform, due to his recent marriage. He will now pose as the audience.

Bargains in Used Steinway Pianos

If you know of anyone who wishes a very good piano at a moderate cost he will be interested in the fact that just at the present time the well-known music house of Lyon & Healy Chicago, have a large salesroom entirely filled with used Steinway Uprights These Steinways embrace a wide variety of styles. All of them, of course, are genuine Steinways, and all of them are in fine condition, but there is a great difference in the cost.

Besides these instruments Lyon & Healy are also now offering at a great Rebuilding Clearing Sale, the pianos formerly owned by the Thompson Music Co., the Healy Music Co., and the big Thearle Piano Co., as well as their own stock. You can secure a fine instrument at 20 to 40 per cent less than usual prices.

These pianos will be sold either for cash or upon very easy monthly payments. Freight on an upright piano is only a matter of a few dollars. All of these instruments are fully guaranteed to be exactly as represented. The opportunity to secure one will undoubtedly be taken advantage of by the shrewd buyers in this vicinity.

A letter to Lyon & Healy, 10 Adams street Chicago, will bring full particulars.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

FINAL SORROWING—C. W. Final left for a trip out on the east line this morning and was grieving because business would not permit of his returning Wednesday evening for the big Elks doings.

CLIMAX BUSINESS MAN— R. H. Johnson, the hustling proprietor of a dray and transfer line at Climax is spending the day in the city on business and will return home this evening. He is one of the best boosters Climax can boast of and has many friends in Crookston.

ON WESTERN TRIP—Messrs. Jos. Larivière, Henry Wilder and Salem Mageau left last evening for Minneapolis where they will join Wm. Samson and together the party will proceed on a western trip, going first to Omaha and later proceeding to Twin Falls, Idaho and other points in the west on a sight seeing trip.

A BLAZE AT LAMBERT— Word was received in this city that the Paquin saloon in Lambert had burned to the ground four days ago. Mr. Paquin had been in the building at about 10 o'clock that day to fix the fire in the stove before going to church and then having closed the drafts. It was an air-tight stove and the supposition is that it exploded. The village has no fire protection. Mr. Paquin carried no insurance, consequently he suffered a total loss.

TO THIEF RIVER FALLS—Manager Frank Bracelin of the Northwestern Telephone Co., of Crookston and M. L. Lane, connected with the same concern who came up from Minneapolis this morning, went to Thief River Falls this morning on company business and will return this evening. Mr. Lane states that water was standing in the streets yesterday, and that overcoats were not to be seen.

At St. John's church at McIntosh Wednesday afternoon occurred the pretty ceremony which united Inga Josephine, second daughter of Mrs. M. C. Iverson, and Charles O. Asp, in the holy bonds of wedlock, Rev. J. B. A. Dale officiating. About one hundred invited guests witnessed the ceremony and attended the reception which followed at the Good Templars Hall. Both bride and groom are well known in Polk County having taught school in several districts, the bride having also grown to womanhood at McIntosh. Both are now teaching in the town of Knute. Their future intentions are unknown to the writer but it more than likely that they will take up their residence on Mr. Asp's homestead in the Eleven Townships.

On Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, occurred the marriage of Miss Octavia Bredeson to Mr. Adolph Wold of Fosston, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Bredeson at Thief River Falls. The bride was attended by her sister, Minnie Bredeson the groom by his brother Bernhard Wold. The bride wore a gown of blue silk a nd carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The bridesmaid wore white and carried a bouquet of carnations. A bountiful wedding supper was served at six o'clock. Only relatives were present, those from out of town including Mrs. J. Wold and Bernhard Wold of Fosston, mother and brother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs Christenson, Miss Larson, Messrs. O. Larson and K. Larson of Brandon, Mr .and Mrs. Wold, Mr .and Mrs. Trochman, and Tyler Wold of Thorwick. Mr. and Mrs. Wold left on the Thursday morning train for Fosston where they will make their future home. The many friends of these young people extend congratulations.

Senator Stephens and Representatives Saugstad and Holton of Polk county, Representative Opsahl of Bemidji, and other members from northern Minnesota left last evening to attend the opening session of the legislature tomorrow.

Alden Braley accompanied Senator Stephens and is slated for an appointment during the session.

One of the most elaborate as well as important social functions of the season will be held this evening when between 40 and 50 guests will assemble at the invitation of Dr. and Mrs. H. Holte will assemble at the beautiful Holte home on South Broadway and enjoy an eleborate course dinner at 7:30 after which the graduates and students from St. Olaf's College will organize a society. Invitations were sent to all graduates or former students of that noted institution of learning who are located in this section of the northwest, and nearly half a hundred have written that they will be present.

The Holte home has been beautifully and elaborately decorated for the occasion, Old Gold, the colors of St. Olaf's College, being the prevailing color. Silk streamers in old gold are draped from the chandelier to the place cards, an dbanners and St. Olaf pennants are in evidence in all the rooms. The decorations also include a wealth of beautiful carnations.

From Tuesday's Daily

THOUGHT IT CRIMPY — Marcus Johnson came up from the cities this morning and left for Red Lake Falls. He thought the air just a trifle too bracing this morning.

HOLDING HIS OWN—Wylie Phillips continues to a little better than hold his own. His fever was lower today and conditions generally are improving.

A FIRELESS COOKER—J. Q. Roemer is selling an attachment for the ordinary barrel churn which converts it into a "fireless cooker." C. Q. was first thought to be joking, but later produced the goods.

RETURNED TO ARGYLE—C. A. Hitchcock returned to Argyle this morning to continue the merchandise auction sale which he started some time ago. The cold weather is not very comfortable but he looks for a warm spell and the weather man promises one.

BROUGHT TO HOSPITAL — Dr. Dryden and Peter Stuhr came down from Euclid last evening with Roy Teal, who they took to St. Vincents hospital suffering with a slight attack of appendicitis. An operation will depend upon future developments

LEFT UNEXPECTEDLY —It was reported today that H. M. Granwold, who has been acting as local manager of the Northwestern Telephone company at Grand Forks unexpectedly left that city Saturday night and has not been located. It is understood that Granwould has left a good many creditors in the lurch.

TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR — In giving the names of the new officers yesterday The Journal inadvertantly omitted the name of the new coroner N. P. Stenshoel. Mr. Stenshoel has been in business in this city for some time past and will without doubt make a capable and painstaking official. The appointment of Thomas Casey as deputy superintendent and jailor is temporary only as he will remain in Crookston only till next spring when he intends looking up a new location in the west.

SEVERE ATTACK—Joe Gilhausen the well known and popular alteration man at the C. O. D. is laid up at the Cleveland House with a severe attack of malignant lapidarious. He is receiving the careful attention of two physicians and three nurses, Gus, the Fisherman, Alex the Surveyor, and Nick the Mugster, acting in the capacity of nurses on 8 hour shifts. The last named, it is said, has to work overtime occasionally as Joe is partial to his ministrations.

Yesterday at St. Vincent, G. Northern conductor Fred J. Bennett was the victim of a very painful accident a switch arm or lever flying back and breaking both bones in his forearm just above the wrist.

He was switching preparatory to leaving St. Vincent. He threw a switch and thought it was locked but as the train backed onto the switch the lever of or arm flew back with terrific force, striking his arm with the resultant fracture.

[illegible]an was called and set the arm and he returned to Crookston last evening on the local train and taken to his home at 619 S. Ash St. The injury is a very painful one and he will be out of the service for some time.

When the Great Northern officials here do things, they do them in a hurry. Early this morning a large crew of men was at work loading the debris from the freight depot on flat cars and it was practically hauled away before evening.

Two crews of carpenters will rush the repair work, and inside of a very few days the work will be completed.

The freight office and the operators instruments were moved into the south end of the ladies waiting room, where they will remain till the former room is repaired. This is the only room damaged, and this was the result of water only.

Quite a number of people lost valuable freight in some instances it being personal effects which money can not replace.

A very important meeting of the Railway Employes Ass'n will be held in the passenger depot of the Great Northern at Crookston at 3 p. m. on Sunday next, Jan 10, and it is desired that every member who can be present will avail themselves of the opportunity.

The legislature is in session, and there are some important measures for consideration which are of vital interest to the railway employes.

The meeting will be addressed by speakers from the St. Paul Clug and will be the most important since the organization of the branch in this city.

The new county officers with their deputies were sworn in this morning an dat once asumed their duties the business of the county going an as tho nothing had happened. The officers and their deputies are as follows:

Sheriff, Orin Daniels; Deputy, P. Sullivan, office deputy, R. G. Burkhardt, jailor, Thomas Casey.

Auditor, Henry Welte; deputy, Jas. Hanson.

Treasurer, George Flaten; Deputy H. O. Anderson.

Register of Deeds, Theodore Thompson; deputy, Miss Louise Mossefin.

Supt. of Schools, N. A. Thorson; deputy Thomas Casey.

Judge of Probate, T. T. Morken; deputy, Mrs. B. O. Anderson.

Surveyor, Steener Steenerson.

Clerk of Court Lanctot holds over two years more and retains his present efficient deputy, Miss Minnie Boe.

Northwestern Hide & Fur Co. Minneapolis, pay 11ct. for Hides and high price for furs. Sell traps cheap.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers keep a bottle in the house. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

HEADS FOR WOODS — Emory Samson left this morning for Kellihar where he has a number of teams working in the woods and will remain there for some time.

TO HOT SPRINGS—Frank J. Zedlick James P. Sullivan and Charles L. Ryan of East Grand Forks are planning to take a trip to the Hot Springs in the near future.

BACK FROM THE WOODS—Louis Carmody made a hurry-up trip from the woods last evening to look up a legacy of several thousand dollars which was recently left him by relatives in Iowa.

A FINE SON—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cottet are the parents of a fine 14 pound son which arrived last evening. The father is so proud that the wholesale warehouse is too small for him this being the first visit of the stork at their home.

SPIRITED CONTEST— A spirited membership contest is on between two U. C. T. bands at Grand Forks captained by Joe Daily and Bud Abrahamson The contest will continue until March and a big increase in the membership of the Grand Forks council is assured The next regular meeting of the U. C. T. will be held in Empire hall, recently secured for the meetings. Several candidates will be initiated.

PROSPECTIVE GUESTS—Priscilla and Ludille Frazier bwere discharged from the count of Judge P. McLoughlin yesterday when arraigned on a charge of disorderly conduct. It was held that there was nothing in the city ordinance which would allow them to be held on the charge preferred. The motion for their discharge was made by Attorney W. L. A. Calder when they were arraigned yesterday. It is possible that they will be arrested on a state charge. In that case they will be turned over to the Minnesota authorities in case they are found guilty. The girls' home is in East Grand Forks.—Grand Forks Herald.

Age of Strenuous Endeavor

This has been called the age of strenuous endeavor and people at the beginning of the 20th century are said to be going the pace that kills in their efforts to keep up with the demands of industrial activity. Equip yourself for the test by the daily use of golden grain belt beer, the ideal table beverage. Being brewed from pure barley malt and hops, it furnishes nourishment in predigested form and acts as a tonic. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

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UNITED DEMAND WILL BE MADE

CONGRESSMEN STEENERSON, MARSHALL AND GRONNA FOR RIVER IMPROVEMENT

STEENERSON GATHERING DATA ON QUESTION OF CONSERVATION FLOOD WATERS

From Wednesday's Daily—

A dispatch to the Journal from Washington says:

"Congressmen Steenerson, of Minnesota, and Marshall and Gronna, of North Dakota, have decided to make a united demand for provision in next river and harbor bill, in this session or next for improvement of the Red River of the North, with a view to preventing floods and improving navigation. Marshall has already taken up the question of improving the river in the vicinity of Grand Forks to increase navigability at that point, and Steenerson has been gathering data on the question of the conservation of flood waters. The matter will be presented to the river and harbors committee at some convenient time during the consideration of the river and harbor bill.

"Several plans for impounding the flood waters of the Red River have been suggested, and several examinations have been made by army engineers but while schemes have been pronounced feasible from an engineer ing standpoint, they have been condemned on acount of the excessive cost."

Letter to Commercial Club

Congressman Marshall had been asked by Commercial club of Grand Forks to secure a larger appropriation for improvement of the Red River than had been secured in the past. In a letter from Washington received yesterday he states that he is deeply interested in the subject of river improvement and will do everything in his power to secure an appropriation of the kind desired in the house. Mr. Marshall states that the river and harbers committee does not seem to be favorably disposed toward an appropriation of this character but he hopes to remove prejudice.

FORM GOVERNESS TO WHITE HOUSE

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt to Take Ethel, Whose "Coming Out" Ball was Held Last Tuesday, to Europe Where She will Meet Many Sovereigns—Mrs. Roosevelt has not Been in Europe Since Her Marriage in London Where She Went to Act as Governess.

The debut of Miss Ethel Roosevelt the second daughter of the President took place at the White House last Tuesday evening. The form of entertainment selected by Mrs. Roosevelt for the coming out of her young daughter was the same as that for Alice, now Mrs. Longworth, a "small dance" for which five hundred invitations had been issued, and for every invitation there were probably more than five heart breaks among the girls who had longed in vain for the coveted piece of card board. The younger smart set is made and limited for the winter by the debut of Miss Roosevelt since an invitation to the dance is the hall mark by which those who are within the magic circle are marked off from those who are without. The dance was a brilliant affair, a beautiful setting, pretty girls in the most gorgeous of directoire gowns and young officers in gay uniforms combining to make the picture.

The East Room so well known to tourists from all over the country was used for dancing and the supper was served in the lower corridor which was one of the additions to the breathing space of the White House when the alterations were made a few years ago.

Miss Ethel, who is far from being a beauty is nevertheless engaging in a girlish, wholesome way, and the President who must by this time have become accustomed to being only a side issue at many of the White House affairs was properly retiring. In his offices in a far end of the building he reigns supreme, whether it be a Cabinet meeting or a gathering of Senators or foreign diplomats but he has so often had to play a secondary part in the East Room where Mrs. Longworth made her debut and was later married and where his younger daughter has now made her bow to the world of fashion, and in the many musical affairs of Mrs. Roosevelt that he has an air of feeling himself something of a supernumerary when he appears there.

Mrs. Roosevelt is looking worn and tired this winter and her close friends are saying that she does not regret that she is soon to retire. A few years ago she said quite frankly that she liked her job but it is believed now that she is looking forward to her proposed trip to Europe this spring where she will spend a year before returning to this country. When Alice Longworth was Ethel's age she was considered too much of a hoyden to be trusted with a trip to Europe and presentation at the courts there but her younger sister has a quieter disposition and has had the advantage of a longer period before the public and at the home in the White House. She will be presented at several European courts and is to have all the advantages and delights of contact with the highest society in the capitals. Mrs. Roosevelt has not been abroad since her marriage which occurred in London and she must be something more than human if the contrast between her position at that time when she had gone abroad to take a place as governess in a family, with that in which she will find herself when she will become the guest of kings does not give her some thrills.

HE SHOULD BE GIVEN LIMIN

BELIEVE ROY J. LATTIMER, ARRESTED AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

LAST WEEK IS A BAD ACTOR —HIS NEW BRIDE GRIEVES

From Tuesday's Daily—

In the last issue of the Press of Thief River Falls there was an account of the arrest in that city, of Roy J. Lattimer on a charge of fleecing residents of Becker county. After commenting on this portion of Lattimer's career, the Detroit Record says:

"If this was all of the story, we could well rest content, feeling that the postal authorities of the government would see that proper retribution was meted out to this imposter. However, there is another phase of the case and one in which an innocent person has been made a victim of Lattimer's duplicity. The person is Miss Anna Jager, daughter of Mrs. C. Jager of Hamden township, and one of the most estimable young women in Becker County. During the short time which Lattimer has been in the community he has succeeded in winning the affections of Miss Jager and on Sunday last they were married at the Heuter home at the Rochert postoffice. Her honeymoon has indeed been brief and the exposure of her husband's villiany has almost prostrated her. She was one of the country's most promising school teachers and has scores of friends who will sympathize with her at this time.

"The authorities here are not very favorably impressed with Lattimer. In fact, they entertain the opinion that he is a polished crook and that he was awaiting a favorable apportunity to desert his young wife."

A BUSY SESSION OF COUNTY BOARD

The county commissioners transacted a vast amount of routine business today. The state, it was discovered owes Polk County $3500 for public highways. The jury list was made out for th eune te m of court.

There is no case on record of a cough cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else. Sold by all druggists.

The reason there will be no purgatory for a woman in the next world is she gets it here in suffering man.

MURDERED NEAR FOWLDS

MORRIS FULLER SHOT ABOUT 3 O'CLOCK YESTERDAY MORNING

TWO MEN ARE UNDER ARREST— PRACTICALLY NO PROVOCATION

From Tuesday's Daily—

Morris Fuller, one of the Crookston Lumber Company's employes in Camp No. 2 at Fowlds, was shot thru the neck by a companion about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, dying twenty minutes later.

Sheriff Thomas Bailey and Coroner Marcum returned to Bemidji yesterday afternoon, with Barney Nelson and Archie Brown in custody from Fowlds, where the former were called to investigate Fuller's death.

According to the story of the shooting, as told by Brown, he and Fuller had been drinking considerably during the night and were walking into Fowlds about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, when they met a man who looked very much like the Barney Nelson now under custody. They invited the man to return to the village and have a drink with them, which he decided to do. Nelson or the man resembling him was walking in front of the two when Fuller placed his hand on the man's shoulder and said "What's your hurry " The latter immediately turned and fired his revolver the ball entering Fuller's neck and causing his death twenty minutes later.

Nelson had been seen drinking last evening and with a revolver in his possession and Brown is of the opinion that he is the man who shot the deceased. Sheriff Bailey took Nelson and Brown into custody this noon and they will be held in the Beltrami county jail, pending the decision of the coroner's inquest over the remains today.

The remains of the deceased were taken to Bemidji yesterday afternoon. Morris Fuller was a young farmer about twenty-five years old who lived near Wadena and had gone to Fowlds to work during the winter.

If you will take Foley's Orino Laxative until the bowels become regular you will not have to take purgatives constantly, as Foley's Orino Laxative positively cures chronic constipation and sluggish liver. Pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

A girl thinks a man has a poetic soul if her eyes are blue and that's his favorite color.

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55.00	10c	20c	20c
100.00	10c	30c	30c

ROAD BUILDING BREAKS RECORD

YEAR SEES 440 MILES OF HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT COMPLETED IN STATE

OF MINNESOTA — BIENNIAL REPORT OF SECRETARY COOLEY

Good roads received the greatest impetus in the history of the state during the past two years. Public highway improvements covering 440.78 miles were completed from last year, according to the biennial report of George W. Cooley, secretary of the state highway commission. The total amount of road work done under state aid, with 46 counties reporting and 10 missing cost $213,969.68. The amount paid out by the state was $62,608.68.

During the year there was also constructed 119 iron culverts; 12 steel and concrete culverts; 17 steel bridges, with a total length of 941 feet and 100 grade railroad crossings.

The commission hopes to receive appropriations from the coming legislature that will permit of the construction during the next two years of approximately 1,000 miles of state roads.

MORE BIG YIELDS OF CLOVER

RED RIVER VALLEY LANDS CONTINUE TO MAKE GOOD

H. Helgeson who resides on a farm near McIntosh, Polk county, threshed 80 bushels of clover seed from 15 acres which he sold at $10 per bushel This was threshed in the ordinary threshing machine.

John H. Luchan of Green Meadow Norman County threshed 13 bushels of clover seed from two acres for which he received $130.

These are but two of the many instances that can be cited as to productiveness of Red River Valley soil.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $190.06, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Rose Dupuis and Alexander Dupuis her husband, mortgagors, to James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien copartners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., dated January 8th, 1908, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1908 at 10:15 o'clock A. M., in Book 153 of Mortgages on Page 3, and said James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien, co-partners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., are still the owners and holders of said mortgage and the debt secured thereby; and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof. Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of Lot One, in Block Forty-three in the Original Townsite of Crookston, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County, thence running northerly on the west boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet, thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with the westerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet to the southerly boundary line of said Lot One, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet to the place of beginning, situated in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota. Which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the court house in the City of Crookston, in said County and State, on the 8th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $190.06 and interest and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 22nd, 1908.

—James E. O'Brien and
John W. O'Brien, Co-partners
as J. E. O'Brien & Co.,
Mortgagee.

Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minn.
(Dec. 24-31 Jan 7-14-21-28)

NEW BANK IN OPERATION

M. F. MURPHY OF GRAND FORKS AND W. J. MOONEY OF LANGDON,

NORTH DAKOTA ARE AT INTERNATIONAL FALLS — BANK STOCKHOLDERS

The International State Bank, capitalized at $30,000 opened up for business Saturday and is now an organized institution of International Falls according to the bank's president, M. F. Murphy of Grand Forks, N. D., who arrived in the city this morning on his way home from the "Falls".

This is the second bank established at International Falls and is a criterion by which the prosperity of the thriving little town on the Canadian border can be judged. This is the first invasion of North Dakota capital in that section of the country, the other bank at that place being controlled by the F. P. Sheldon interests of Minneapolis.

The officers of the International State Bank are: M. F. Murphy, Grand Forks, N. D., president; R. S. McDonald, International Falls, vice-president; John B. Mooney, Langdon, N. D., cashier; and Harry Hilliard, N. D., assistant cashier.

BANQUET GIVEN BY CONDUCTORS

RETIRING CHIEF AND SECRETARY OF O. R. C. HONORED AT GRAND FORKS

At Hotel Frederick, Grand Forks, last evening a banquet was tendered by No. 178 Order of Railway Conductors in honor of J. M. Cooper, retiring chief conductor, and W. A. Stewart, retiring secretary. It was a most noteworthy occasion in the history of the order, which is one of the most influential in the United States, and has seldom been equalled in Grand Forks.

Colonel William H. McGraw who succeeds Mr. Cooper as chief conductor, acted as toastmaster. He called upon each of the members in order and made quite a hit with happy sayings. The responses were humorous and altogether it was a most enjoyable evening.

Among those who were present were: Messrs. McGraw, Hill, Mullen, Maher, Trotter, Fisk, Caldy, Clark, Cooper, Heinze, Stewart, Schuyler, Long and Evans.

Mr. Stewart is succeeded as secretary by Willis Hill.

ADVOCATES OF DIVORCE HEARD

Arguments by experts; students of social conditions; who took sides for and against divorce as a means of alleviating marital unhappiness made a lively ending to the meeting of the American Sociological society at Atlantic City, New Jersey yesterday.

Following the lead of Dr. Geo. Elliot Howard of Nebraska University who claimed that the growth of divorce is necessary for the proper protection of women against cruel or indifferent husbands, Dr. Joseph Krauskopf of Philadelphia, stated his open advocacy of separation of men and women who had been wrongfully bound together by marital ties which galled. In opposition to the theories advanced by these students Walter George Smith, a Philadelphia lawyer and a member of National Divorce congress took the stand that divorce in any form is a danger to both home and state. During the height of his argument the Philadelphian referred to the advanced advocates of divorce as "false prophets, and heretics." Figures that show that over two thirds of the applications made for divorce come from wives, were taken by the divorce advocates as the proof that growth of the spirit that allows separation of mismated couples is only a sign that wives are claiming their rights with the offered alternative of leaving their husbands.

Among the speakers was James M. Hagerty of Ohio university.

Anoka Herald: The Herald believes that two of the constitutional amendments submitted at the recent election should be resubmitted. These two are those advocating good roads tax and educational qualifications in county superintendents of schools. Both are good measures and worthy. Plenty of space should be devoted to a discussion of their merits by the newspapers of the state previous to the voting upon them.

Winona Independent: Mr. Cannon says he won't cross the speakership bridge until he comes to it. That's the sensible way. He may not have to cross it at all.

SENTIMENT FOR CROOKSTON MAN

MUCH ADVERSE COMMENT IS HEARD REGARDING OUTSIDE FIRE CHIEF

ARTICLE IN TIMES CREATES SEVERE CRITICISM AMONG RESIDENTS

From Thursday's Daily—

A few days ago the Times of this city published an article to the effect that the city council had practically decided to offer the position of chief engineer of the Crookston Fire department of this city to Asst. Chief Fitzgerald of the Grand Forks department, providing the ordinance creating a paid department in Crookston is finally passed.

The Journal has convassed the situation quite thoroly and is of the opinion that the Times is booming the wrong man and that there is no basis fo rthe stateemnt that "there is little doubt but what Fitzgerald will be offered the position."

While there may be one or two members of the council who favor Fitzgerald it is very doubtful whether the council would ignore public sentiment which is almost unanimous against going outside of Crokston for a fire chief, thus ignoring the splendid services of the members of the present volunteer fire department who have given Crookston better fire protection than that enjoyed by any city in the northwest, and who have never in the history of the city allowed a fire to get away from them.

With such material, composed of men who have fought fires valiantly with practically no compensation for years, the business men and citizens generally, after a careful canvass, are found to favor the appointment of a chief engineer from among the fire fighters of Crookston who have proved their efficiency by fighting fires as members of the volunteer fire department. While there is no intention of criticising the efficiency of Mr. Fitzgerald, the feeling is that there are just as capable men in Crookston and that there is no necessity of going to Grand Forks or any other place outside for a chief engineer of the fire department if a paid department is created.

NEW BRANCH "FISH LINE"

ALL FISH TO BE SHIPPED EAST AND SOUTH OVER GREAT NORTHERN

WARROAD WILL BE SHIPPING POINT INSTEAD OF KENORA AS IN PAST

It is understood that the completion of the Great Northern branch line from here to Warroad will revolutionize the fish shipping business from the Lake of the Woods and as a result the Great Northern branch to Warroad will handle practically all the business in the future.

Heretofore nearly all the fish were landed at Kenora and shipped over the Canadian Pacific, but it stated on good authority that in the future the fish will all be landed at Warroad and shipped over the branch leading to this city. This will make quite an item as the shipments amount to a carload a day and some times more.

It is rumored that the Warroad line will soon be dubbed the "Fish Line" as a result of these conditions.

A GREAT COMBINATION.

When Husband, Wife and Mother-in-law Co-operate.

Shortly after his marriage, which took place in 1880, John Burns, the British labor leader, settled down as a journeyman engineer in Battersea and twenty years after confessed that he was the first engineer to make with his own hands an electric tram car in Great Britain. In those days, however, people did not believe that electric traction was possible, and Burns had to take the dynamo and tram to the Crystal palace and run the latter round the grounds for six months before people could be induced to believe in the novelty.

But the people were so nervous that, although the charge was only sixpence, none of them would venture in the newfangled invention. Then Burns was struck with a brilliant idea. He said to his wife. "You have got to come down to the palace three times a week and get into the first electric tram car as a decoy duck for the others." This was only temporarily successful. So Burns brought along his mother-in-law, "and," said the energetic labor leader when relating the incident, "when a husband, a wife and a mother-in-law co-operate success is assured."—London Tit-Bits.

The bachelor should beware of the female who offers to swap the contents of her hose on Christmas morning for the contents of his. It's a leap year subterfuge.

DEER HUNTERS RUN TO EARTH

LARGEST SEIZURE IN MANY YEARS MADE YESTERDAY NEAR HINCKLEY

VENISON FOR EASTERNERS—UPWARDS OF THIRTY ANIMALS KILLED

From Thursday's Daily—

The largest seizure of game in Minnesota in a number of years was made yesterday when Carlos Avery, executive agen of the state game and fish commission, raided a camp near Hinckley and captured 775 pounds of venison. Five men, members of the hunting party, were arrested and their outfit confiscated.

The venison representing ten deer was awaiting shipment to New York, and according to settlers living near the camp, the party in the past month shot nearly thirty animals. All of the venison, with the exception of the ten carcasses seized, had been sent East where it realized the purchasers about 50 cents a pound.

Five of the party, who were mostly half-breeds and Indians, were taken to Hinckley where they pleaded guilty and were given thirty days each in the county jail. Their guns were brought to St. Paul and will be sold with the other confiscated hunting property. The meat, consisting of six saddles, six full carcases and a bag of scraps, is now in a local storage house and will be sold.

The wholesale killing of deer in the vicinity of Hinckley was brought to the attention of the commission by settlers. That it has been going on some time was evident, but owing to sparsely settled condition of the territory, it was impossible to get sufficient evidence. When the camp was located yestedav, the meat was found buried beneath a hay stack. The hunters made no resistance.

That venison is in demand was evidenced today in the number of calls for portions of the meat. A price of 25 cents per pound has been placed on it, and it is being readily sold at this price.

Mr. Avery says that none of it has been killed over two weeks.

HAS FINISHED LOG CUTTING

PINE ISLAND CREW HAS 600,000 FEET OF LOGS READY TO BE HAULED

TO THE LANDING NEAR THIEF RIVER FALLS—A LONG HAUL

From Monday's Daily—

The Pine Island camp of the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., in charge of Joe Irving has finished cutting for the winter, having been engaged at the work since early in the fall. Something over six million feet of logs are now on skids waiting to be hauled to the landing. This work will be started about the first of the year.

Just now the road to the landing is being prepared for the immense loads that will later pass over it. The road this year is nearly fourteen miles in length. Over this road after it is firmly packed and iced, six horse teams will haul from 20,000 to 25,000 feet of timber at a load, each team making one round trip daily. At this rate the 60 horses comprising the ten teams will dump at the landing nearly a quarter of a million feet daily So far this has been a good winter for logging and the work has been going along very satisfactorily.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

Some men are so lucky they can have the water pipes freeze in their homes without bursting.

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Men concentrate their minds so much on their stomachs they have no thought left for their souls.

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When a man finally wakes up to what he's really in the world for he's about due to get out of it.

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The thing that can make a man appreciate a fat girl is how nice and warm she is to be close to on a cold sleigh ride.

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The virtues we are proudest of we practice because we have to.

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The reason there will be no purgatory for a woman in the next world is she gets it here in suffering man.

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A girl who sets out to marry a millionaire is lucky if she doesn't wind up by getting only her board out of it

BARRY LOSES TO KAUFMANN

SECONDS THROW UP SPONGE AFTER 39 ROUNDS OF TERRIFIC FIGHTING

NORTH DAKOTA FIGHTER HAS BOTH HANDS BROKEN—DR. ROLLER NEXT

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 31—At the end of the thirty-ninth round last night after both his hands were broken, and to save him from further punishment, Jim Barry's seconds threw up the sponge and Referee Jim Jeffries awarded the decision to Al Kaufmann, of San Francisco. The battle was one of the fiercest and most aggressive in the history of prize fighting. Barry forcing the fighting at all stages and in the early part of the bout keeping the shifty Kaufmann on the run.

In the end, however the superior cleverness of Delaney's protege stood him in good stead and after Barry had broken both hands, it was only a question of how long the plucky North Dakota man could last. At this stage of the battle Barry's seconds influenced by the demands of the crowd and after considerable consultation, decided that to prolong the battle would be only cruelty to their man and threw up the sponge.

Kaufmann will now meet Dr. Roller of Seattle, and if his manager is willing will undoubtedly be matched with Jack Johnson for the world's heavyweight championship.

PAUL WATERSTRADT IS DOING WELL

The following from a Sunnyside, Washington, paper contains intersting news of the prosperity of Paul Waterstradt formerly of this city. It says:

"The Sunnyside Abstract Co. began operations here about a year ago, and has been our greatest source of information concerning titles, incumbrances, etc., to the real property in the valley. They have a complete set of abstract records for Yakima county and are making the most complete and up to date abstracts in the county as well as reducing the size of the abstracts. The two factors of neatness and dispatch they have had a monopoly of and their fees are no greater than those at the county seat, while the abstract is received much quicker. They have made a department of their business the recording of documents, payment of taxes, etc., and are more than generous in giving freely and cheerfully any information desired. The capital stock of the company is $15,000 and the officers are E. G. Peck, president; F. W. Rodgers, vice president; Paul Waterstradt, secretary and treasurer. They have four employes and everything about their office bespeaks industry and careful execution. Mr. Waterstradt is a member of the Odd Fellows and the United Artisans.

The New Year dawned on Crookston with a greater degree of optimism regarding the future prevalent than has been in evidence for many years. With definite assurance that the Crookston Lumber Co., will operate their big sawmill here the coming year after having been closed down for the past year, with a full complement of men for a day and night crew number between 350 and 400 men and a payroll of $8000 per month.

With definite assurance that the federal building costing nearly $100,000 will be erected, work starting early in the spring.

With exceptionally large amounts of other building operations certain.

With the recent organization of a Polk County Growers' Association which will make better farming conditions.

With over 100 students to be enrolled in the Crookston School of Agriculture at the State Experiment Station here for the winter term which means a big crop of young farmer boys and girls thoroly trained to not only cultivate but conserve the riches of the Red River Valley soil.

With the farmers prepared with a bigger acreage ready for crop next spring than they have had in the past ten years, there is every reason to believe that the year 1909 will mark a new era in the prosperity and development of this entire section.

To this should be added the completion of the Warroad extension of the Great Northern from Greenbush completing another great highway of commerce leading to Crookston.

Every business institution in the city has prospered during the past year and the churches, schools and all other public institutions are in a flourishing condition.

And above all, more important than full larders and good bank acounts, is the general good health and the absence of any epidemic among the people.

What brighter prospects could be asked for to begin a new year with?

NOTARIES ARE HARD HIT

YOUNG RULES THAT THEY COME UNDER BAN OF THE ANTI-PASS LAW

HOLDS THAT NOTARIES PUBLIC ARE IN EFFECT STATE OFFICERS

From Friday's Daily—

State notarial commissions—those bits of official looking parchment that Frank A. Day, private secretary to Gov. John A. Jonhson, issues—will not be very popular with some of the holders after midnight tonight.

Attorney General Young has ruled that all notaries are, in effect, state officers and therefore come under the provisions of the anti-pass act. This means that all clerks or officials employed by railroad, telephone, express telegraph or street car companies, who hold commissions, must pay for transportation the same as outsiders.

Tho his business may require a pass or a frank, such as has been issued no employe can accept such favor if he is a notary public. He violates the law if he does.

It is not known how many persons this ruling affects, but the number is large. Almost every lawyer in the state is a notary and every road operating in the state has an attorney in every county its lines traverse. In the legal department of these companies are from one to three notaries, and the same applies to other departments where acknowledgements must be taken.

Employes of these companies in towns and cities who hold municipal board positions and other municipal offices also come under the ban. Quite a few of those affected have resigned their commissions and a number of requests to be dropped from the list is expected the coming week.

If the law is not amended, it promises to make quite a hole in Secretary Day's annual revenue for he receives a fee for each commission issued.

AFTER THE NEW NORMAL SCHOOL

THIEF RIVER FALLS SENDS A DELEGATION TO ST. PAUL EARLY

Thief River Falls will make strong bid for the location of the proposed sixth state normal school. The contest for the institution is between that city and Bemidji, and will be fought out in the legislature this winter. John Morgan and W. B. Fullen of Thief River Falls are in St. Paul today having gone down to make a preliminary survey of the prospects.

It is to be hoped that the latest conviction and sentence of Abe Ruef will "stick." If it does, it will prove that there is a limit to the misuse of the privileges of an accused person, so as to thwart justice. It will also prove that lapse of time, tho the law's delays, has failed, for once, to cool just popular resentment against great wrongs to the public.

The people of the whole country have been watching the San Francisco graft cases, as they have watched no other combat with evil in recent times, to see whether the popular uprising would be effective and not a mere flash in the pan. For a generation the conditions in San Francisco have been a shame to the American people. There seemed to be no righteous discontent with triumphant wickedness. Out of the disaster and death in the earthquake and fire, almost three years ago, came an awakening of the people of that city to a realization of the facts and a determination to clean up the city. That purpose has been maintained, with unabated courage, up to this time. All efforts to defeat it, by other means, have failed so far. If the result of the calamity of 1906, be the purification of municipal administration, the punishment of the corruptionists, and the quickening of an enlightened public opinion that will be a safeguard against corruption, all the woe of those awful April days will not be regretted. It will have proved a blessing in disguise. — St. Paul Dispatch.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

M. A. Brattland of Ada was in the city last evening on business.

L. I. BENOIT ILL—Word has been received by friends to the effect that L. I. Benoit of Twin Falls, Idaho, formerly of this city, is quite seriously ill.

SPENDING DAY HERE— H. Devitt, representing the International Correspondence School, and who is also associated with the Y. M. C. A. at Grand Forks, is spending the day here on business and will return home this evening.

WILL VISIT WEST—Wm. Samson of Fairfax who is spending the week in Minneapolis will from there proceed to Mountain Home and other points in Idaho and the west on a pleasure trip.

FINE HERD OF GALLOWAYS — Peter Sheets and sons, of Spring Creek, have returned home with some fine Galloway cattle which he purchased at the experimental station in Crookston. Mr. Sheets now has about 30 head of cattle of this breed.

SNOW BADLY DRIFTED — M. Grassman who drove in from his farm at Andover today to se that the Journal was left at his door for another year states that the snow is drifted worse than for several years. Between sections 3 and 10 the drifts on the road he stated, were six feet deep and impassable and farmers were obliged to turn out into the fields to get to the city. He noticed many drifts ten feet deep around the farm houses. Yesterday he did not attempt to take his stock out of the barn, but carried water to them, and this morning had to do a great stunt of shoveling in order to get the stable doors open, and also had to shovel out his strawstack.

About Jan. 5th Sheriff Louis Gonyea, Louis Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Longley will leave for Twin Falls Idaho where they will locate. A. G. and John Sandberg will also leave with them and spend some time looking over the west with the idea of locating if good openings can be discovered. The departure of Gonyea and Longley families from Crookston will be deeply regretted. Sheriff Gonyea and family have resided in Croowston for many years and deep regret is felt over their proposed location in the west. They will be followed by the best wishes of a host of warm friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Langevin this morning received a letter from their son Elmer who is attending the McKillid College at Chicago in which he states that he is enjoying his holiday vacation with college friends in Illinois and Indiana. He has been entertained on quail hunting trips several times, and Dr. and Mrs. Langevin will have quail on toast for breakfast New Years morning as a result of his prowess with the gun.

This is the last day of the old year Tomorrow we will write 1909. The past year has been one of many blessings, material advancement for Crookston and widespread prosperity for farmers and business men. Looking ahead there is still brighter prospects for the coming year. Locally the saw mill will be in operation with a great payroll, the new federal building will be erected giving labor to many, and a great amount of other building will be done. Speaking generally the farmers are in the best shape they have been for years, and their fields are prepared for a bigger acreage an d a greater yield than for many years past.

Let us all start out on the new year with a feeling of optimism, and by all pulling together the coming year will be the richest in blessings material and otherwise ever experienced in the Red River Valley.

Today a committee of clerks of the city are making a canvass of all the stores of the city in an effort to secure an agreement to have all business houses of the city closed from Jan. 4 to Nov. 1 at 6 o'clock sharp. The committee received great encouragement as far as the canvass was completed today.

A special effort is being made to have all the clothiers close. Some of them never open Sundays, and others would prefer not to providing all agree to close, but as long as some keep open they are compelled to, to prevent their customers going to other places on Sunday. It is believed that all will sign the agreement the same as in other cities of this size.

Early in January a Retail Clerks Association will be organized for the mutual benefit of the dealers and the clerks, and it is expected that the membership will reach nearly 250.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Harold Misner spent yesterday at Euclid with the home folks.

Bert Chapin was down from Euclid last evening calling on his friends.

RETURNS TO CHICAGO—Dr. J. S. Chapin of Euclid will leave Monday for Chicago where he will take another course of treatment and will be absent several weeks.

MAROONED AT FERTILE— Rev. C. C. Warner who went to Fertile on Tuesday evening to officiate at a wedding was marooned there by the storm, being unable to get a train home till last evening. He states that the storm also delayed the bridal trip of the couple.

..**TO RE-ENLIST**—Geo. Quaster, son-in-law to Ed Thompson, has left for Chicago where he will re-enlist in the U. S. Marine service in which he has already served three years, having been stationed here as a recruiting officer two years ago when he married Miss Thompson.

ONE OF THE BEST—James Stewart manager of the Buffington farm, and one of the live farmers of Polk Co., spent last evening in the city. He says there is to be a big dance at Buffington next Wednesday, and many will attend from Euclid and several from this city.

TO SETTLE OLD SCORES—Papers were served yesterday in a $10,000 damage suit in which J. A. Button at the head of Button's Business College sues J. C. Sathre, president of the Crookston Business College for alleged damages sustained by a letter which the plaintiff claims defendant wrote to a young lady of Underwood Minn. in which he alleges Sathre made the statement "Mr. Button is a swindler." A fued of long standing will now be thoroly aired in the courts.

RUNNING ON SCHEDULE — The N. P. which was forced to use the Great Northern tracks between this city and Glyndon on account of the storm Wednesday, yesterday got a snow plow thru on their own tracks and used them, tho the Winnipeg-St. Paul flyers were both several hours late today. The Great northern had no trouble at all except with the St. Vincent local which was stalled in a snowbank Wednesday and came in 4 hours late.

Simon Kittleson of International Falls came in yesterday morning and was married here by Judge of Probate M. A. Clark to Miss Caroline Larson of Lengby, The newly-married couple returned to International Falls last evening where they will make their future home.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Miss Mary Hughes who is a sister in St. Mary's convent was a guest of her cousin, Dan Hughes last Wednesday. The two had not met for 27 years and the meeting was a most pleasant one, as they had formerly been school mates and very intimate, as well as cousins. Mr. Hughes had lost track of her of late years, supposing that she was still in the West where she had been for years, but for the past two years she had been at Winnipeg, and was just returning from a visit in St. Paul where she learned of Mr. Hughes' location here and stopped off a day to visit him. He regretted that the storm prevented him from showing her about Crookston.

The pasesngers on the trains from Warroad and Duluth last evening spent a delightful New Years eve, at Benoit, leaving, not at all reluctantly some time after midnight. The Warroad train arrived here at 2:30 this morning and the Duluth train at 1:15.

It seems that a freight car jumped the track at Benoit, and the two passenger trains were on the other side of it, and had to wait till a wrecking train from this city got the freight car back on the track.

Several of the passengers were to attend social functions last evening and some of them were headed for the twin cities and they were rather a disgusted lot. None was hurt.

J. M. Bartlett and sons Grant and Irvin and R. D. Bartlett returned this morning from a two weeks' visit with the parents of J. M. and Prof. R .D. Bartlett at Eau Galle, Wis., where they spent Christmas and report a most delightful visit. Mrs. J. M. Bartlett who has been visiting at Duluth and Virginia, Minn., is expected home in a few days. Prof. Bartlett will resume his work at the head of the Tabor schools the first of the week if the weather is not too severe.

If you have presents to shed prepare to shed them now.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

ON BUSINESS TRIP—P. H. Gramer left last evening for Fargo where he will spend a day or two on business.

WILL REPAIR MELGAARD'S HOME—Herman Feidler and a crew of men went to Argyle this morning where he will repair the Melgaard home which was gutted by fire a few weeks ago.

SOLD AN AUTOMOBILE — A. F. Cronquist of Erskine closed a deal with P. J. Gunness of Abercrombie, N. D., last Tuesday whereby he disposed of his automobile which will be shipped out there in the near future.

GOING TO IDAHO—Emil Lindahl came over from Grand Forks last evening and announces that after spending a few days heer he will leave for Idaho where he will continue his work as a Great Northern lineman.

HAD GOOD FALL—Tom Dipuye returned last evening from St. Thomas N. D., where he has spent the past 11 falls threshing and doing other work. He reports a prosperous season this year. He was accompanied by his wife.

IT WAS CHILLY — The heating plant at the Germania hotel went wrong this morning and up till noon Chas. Rauch was slinging schooners with fur mits and felt boots on, to say nothing of a pair of ear lugs which he borrowed from the cook.

FIXIN GUP THE LINES — Geo. Thompson, lineman for the Northwestern Telephone Co., went to Angus this morning. He has been kept busy since the storm Wednesday, getting the lines into good shape again. Yesterday he spent at Euclid.

ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT—Max Ingbong was arrested Thursday evening on a complaint sworn out by Mose Giller charging threatened assault. Ingborg was arraigned before Judge Gossman and held under $40 cash bail and will be given a hearing on Monday in municipal court.

BAC KFROM IOWA—Julius Volker who resides near t he Buffington farm returned yesterday morning from a three weeks visit near Mason City Ia. He states that the farmers were plowing there the first of the week and that the weather was exceptionally fine.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED—Much relief was felt by many friends in the city today when the announcement was made that Wylie Phillips showed some improvement over yesterday when his condition was critical. It is now believed that he has a good chance for recvovorey.

BACK FROM CITIES—J. C. Sabin returned from St. Paul this morning where he spent the Christmas holidays with his family. "Dad" looks more like a colt every year and started out ofter the business up the north line this morning. This time he returned without any scratches and states that he feels like one of Game Warden Munch's ring-necked pheasants of last year's hatching.

STARTED OUT STRONG—Messrs. Schuneman and Roemer headed up the north line today to start the new year's business. Both were going strong for a long heat and Geo. Heath came up in the rear less than half a lap to the bad. Roemer made a resolution New Years day to stop kicking and actually failed to grumble about the cars, the weather, his hay fever or anything till after the train pulled out. It is expected that he will break out more violent than ever before night.

An Enthusiastic Customer

Told her grocer that if he refused to handle "OUR-PIE" Preparation she would trade elsewhere. She knew she could make Lemon, Chocolate and Custard pies better than the expert cook if she used "OUR-PIE" as all the ingredients, carefully prepared, are in the package ready for immediate use. Each package, enough for two large pies, 10 cents. Order a dozen today from your grocer. Excellent also as a pudding sauce, cake filling, etc.

Fiddled Into Office.

Lossing relates that in 1848 he met at Oswego, N. Y., Major Cochran, then nearly eighty years old, a son-in-law of General Philip Schuyler, who told the story of his election to congress during the administration of the elder Adams. A vessel was to be launched on one of the lakes in interior New York, and people came from afar to see it. The young folks gathered there, determined to have a dance at night. There was a fiddle, but no fiddler. Young Cochran was an amateur performer, and his services were demanded. He gratified the joyous company, and at the supper table one of the gentlemen remarked, in commendation of his talents, that he was "fit for congress." The matter was talked up, and he was nominated and elected a representative in congress for the district then comprising the whole of New York west of Schenectady. He always claimed to have "fiddled himself into congress."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

BRIDE-ELECT ON HIS HANDS

HUMBOLT MAN MANAGED TO STIR UP THE GREEN EYED MONSTER

PROSPECTIVE GROOM POUTED AND DESERTED HIS SWEETHEART—RECONCILED

From Saturday's Daily—

It is even dangerous to be polite sometimes, is the experience Eph Clow sampled an Monday last on his way to Crookston. It was simply a case of his liberal supply of good nature and affability that nature had supplied him with and no mean intention of his, that stirred up the green-eyed monster of fiery jealousy—but he unintentionally did it just the same.

When Mr. Clow boarded the train at Humboldt, he did not know that a young couple from St. Vincent was on board on the way to Crookston to get married: He only noticed the young lady in a seat next to his and in his own happy way opened up an entertaining conversation. By the way, it must be said to his justification, that he was already acquainted with her, so it was not a reckless attempt at flirtation with a stranger.

The conversation soon became all-engrossing and entertaining so much so, in fact, that the bridegroom-to-be, felt himself very much left out in the cold and felt within himself the kindling flame of wrath and jealousy. By the time Hallock was reached, the "kindling flame" had asumed the proportions of a raging fire and he concluded to "jump the job" right then and there. With this terrible determination in mind, he addressed himself briefly to Mr. Clow and told him that since he wanted the girl he could have her and abruptly left the train.

Now, here was a pretty kettle of fish Mr. Clow with a bride-elect left on his hands, bound for the same destination as himself, and the groom elect on a strike and off the train. Mr. Clow is a quick thinker and a prompt actor. This saved the day. He followed the young man with injured feelings out on the depot platform and with a few minutes of eloquent and masterful pleading, convinced the young man that he had become exercised over an innocent misunderstanding of the true situation; that no offense or malice was intended, and persuaded him to join his fiance in the car.

The train was only delayed a few minutes and the wedding came off here without any further hitch to mar the event except that the parties were properly "hitched."

Mr. Clow also continued on his journey but while he does not smoke, he rode in the smoker all the way.

EARL GEIL ELECTED BEMIDJI CHIEF

EFFICIENT CHIEF AGAIN CHOSEN FOR THE EIGHTH SUCCESSIVE YEAR

For the eighth successive term, Earl Geil was Wednesday elected chief of the Bemidji fire department, to serve during the year 1909, the vote for Mr. Geil being unanimous, and he having no opposition for the head office of the department.

The firemen held their annual election last evening, electing officers for both the fire department and the relief association as follows:

Fire Department—Earl Geil, chief; A. Halvorson, secretary; John Goodman; finance committee, M. F. Cunningham, J. J. Doran, C. S. Daly; trustees, John Hillaby, Floyd Brown, Robert Russell.

REWARDED FOR SERVICE

MEMBERS OF M. N. G. RECEIVED MEDALS FOR 15 YEARS OF ENLISTMENT

Adjt. Gen. F. B. Wood Minnesota national guard has issued faithful service medals (fifteen years) to the following members of the guard: Corporal A. F. W. Kerston, Co. D. First infantry; First Sergeant Charles H. Lipke, Company E, First infantry, and Private Arnold Arneson, Company C. First infantry, of St. Paul; Reg. Com. Sergeant George R. Egbert, First infantry, Minneapolis; Capt. M. C. McMillan, Company K. First Lieutenant Ira D. Parker battalion adjutant, Second Infantry, Revere, Minn., and Second Lieutenant John McKee Heffner Third infantry Brainerd, Minn.

There is no case on record of a cough cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else. Sold by all druggists.

WRITES FROM CANAL ZONE

FORMER POLK COUNTY BOY HAS MADE GOOD WITH UNCLE SAM

TELLS OF JUGGLING THOUSANDS IN THE PAYMASTER'S SERVICE

From Saturday's Daily—

The many friends of H. H. Koppang who is with the paymasters department of the United States Navy recently wrote a letter to a resident of Crookston who formerly taught school in Tynsid Township which Mr. Koppang attended when but a little lad. He has made good since he entered the government service and is rapidly climbing the ladder of success. His letter written on the United States Steam Ship Prairie, at Colon Panama follows:

"U. S. S. Prairie, Colon Panama, December 16, 1908: My dear good friend: I just got back to Philadelphia from my leave, in time to be one of the thirty thousand and odd Foot Ball enthusiasts, who saw the Navy lads beat to tune of 6 to 4 on Franklin Field November 28th, which naturally was not very gratifying to the Navy, since they were credited with having the best team, and under ordinary circumstances should have won.

The "Good Ship Prairie" left Philadelphia on its present cruise, on Sunday morning December 6th, for Colon, via Newport, R. I., and Hampton Roads, Va., where we took on about five hundred men at each place to be transferred to the Pacific Squadron, lying right opposite on the other side at Panama, a matter of 50 miles from here. The reason for us taking these men and transfering them here, is that, upon the expiration of a man's enlistment the government agrees to furnish him his transportation to the place of his enlistment, which amounts to four cents a mile within the continental limits of the United States, and since most of the men of the Pacific Squadron enlisted on the east coast, the Navy Department figured out that a lot of money could be saved by sending a Navy vessel down here with the thousand men required to replace short-timers on the vessels on the other side, instead of sending these men overland to San Francisco, and paying four cents a mile via this same route to the thousand men coming east.

Incidentally, before leaving Philadelphia, we took on board a small matter of $350,000.00 in gold, in Fives, Tens and Twenties; 70 bags in all, of $5,000.00 each, weighing nearly a ton. The pay officer and I went up to the sub-treasury before leaving and got this amount, taking two large automobiles to carry it, the paymaster in charge of one and I having charge of the other, and I took great pleasure in burying my feet among the seventy five thousand plunks. This money also goes to the vessels on the Pacific, being transferred first to the fleet paymaster, and distributed by him to the various ships, namely the West Virginia, (flag ship) Washington, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Tennessee, Colorado, South Dakota and the California. We just got here at one p. m. today and will transfer the money and men at 6:00 a. m. tomorrow morning via the Panama Railroad to Panama. Since we are lying at the dock right alongside the track, it will be an easy matter, the men being able to walk off the ship right aboard the train. We made a trip down here in October last, during which time I had an opportunity together with some of the other officers on board here to go all thru the canal on one of the inspection cars belonging to the commission. It was very interesting as well as instructive to see the progress and the various dredges, steam shovels, drills and other machines at work. Since we are here only for a short period this time, and being outrageously busy, I even doubt if I will be able to leave the ship this time. However we expect to make similar trips in the near future, and an opportunity may then again arise to partake in another tour of inspection, of which I shall be pleased to give a more definite and detailed statement, should you care for one.

We leave here tomorrow at four p. m. for San Juan, Porto Rico, then Culebra, Cuba, and Havana, Cuba, and finally Hampton Roads, Va., where we await the further pleasure of the Navy Department, expecting to arrive there about January 1st, by which time we will have covered something over six thousand miles since our departure from Philadelphia on the 6th instant. It looks now as tho we are doomed to spend Christmas at sea. Very cheerful, isn't it? However it doesn't matter much to me since I can't spend it at home anyway; and then,—well I have learned more to take things as they come without grumbling—and to obey orders,—which is more than I did that time you took me behind the old schoolhouse and gave me a good spanking in the old-fashioned way. Evidently I had been misbehaving that time.

With best regards to you and family and wishing you the compliments of the season, I am,

Most sincerely,
—H. H. Koppang,
Pay Clerk, U. S. Navy.

LAUDS SCHEME OF STEPHENS

EDITOR CARR OF MIDDLE RIVER PIONEER COMMENTS ON PLAN

BELIEVES FARMERS WILL BE GREATLY BENEFITTED BY THE IDEA

From Saturday's Daily—

Editor R. D. V. Carr has the following article in the Middle River Pioneer in connection with the recent meeting called for farmers in this city by Senator Stephens.

A few days ago Senator A. D. Stephens, of Crookston, entertained a representative gathering of the farmers of Polk county for the purpose of discussing ways and means to further the interests of farming in that county.

In order to stimulate better methods in farming and stock growing, he proposed to give $1000 in prizes, to be awarded in ten different contests. $100 is to be given in first, second and third prizes of $50, $30 and $20 for the respective winners in contests in raising wheat, raising oats, raising barley, raising corn, raising potatoes, raising clover, raising colts, raising cows, raising hogs, raising sheep. In each class there must be from 50 to 100 farmers contesting. It further stipulates that the contestants must adhere to certain conditions, such as agreeing upon a uniform variety of seed to sow and some certain standard of the various kinds of stock to be grown in the contests. The point was strongly brought out at the meeting that the contest will of estimable value to the country aside from all consideration of the prizes, as each contestant even though he may not win a prize will be amply repaid for his efforts in the increased yield of his product, and the general advertising of the country's passibilities that will accrue from the contest will be a great thing. It was even contended forcibly that the $100,000 which the state has agreed to spend in advertising could be more profitably expended in awarding prizes of this nature to actual farmers, than in any other line of advertising, and the organization that was effected by the farmers, went so far as to instruct Senator Stephens to use his best endeavors to divert the appropriation to this channel. The Pioneer believes that the state could very profitably afford to expend a big sum of money in this manner, tho we would not advocate using this means alone to advertise the state. Naturally, we believe in the use of printers' ink; and believe that the state should go after the advertising in both ways. Why not urge upon our legislators to ask for another $100,000 to be used in stimulating agriculture in this manner and the same time carry out the other idea with the $100,000 as originally proposed?

The action of the Polk county farmers in organizing and going into this contest in a business like manner may be very far reaching in its effects. While there are probably not many counties in which a single individual will start the ball rolling by offering $1,000 out of his own pocket as Senator Stephens did, still the farmers in any county will profit by organizing, agreeing on uniform varieties of grains, grasses and stock to be used and where such a number of them enter any contest as is provided for in the Stephens contest, they could easily put up the prize money by a mutual assessment upon the contestants and in the end every one of them would profit greatly by the investment.

OFFICERS OF MILITIA MEET

The officers of the Minnesota Militia will meet in St. Paul Jan. 4 and 5 and Capt. Westenberg of Co. I and Lieut. Peter Eide will attend from this city, the former reading a paper on "What has been and what will be accomplished on home ranges."

MAIL SERVICE ON WARROAD LINE

Announcement was made today that mail service will be established from Greenbush to Warroad on the new extension Jan. 18. At present the new train carries the mail only as far as Greenbush, going by stage beyond that point.

Actions speak louder than words when a girl is discovered under the mistletoe.

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GREAT FIGHT PUT UP BY FIRE LADDIES

HAD UP-HILL WORK IN SAVING GREAT NORTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER DEPOTS IN BAD FIRE WHICH BROKE OUT AT NOON TODAY—FLAMES FANNED BY A 25 MILE AN HOUR GALE —OIL MADE FIRE AN INTENSELY HOT ONE

From Monday's Daily—

Fire broke out in the Great Northern freight depot here at noon today and before it was under control the north end was completely gutted, the archway between it and the passenger depot collapsed and considerable damage was done to the south end of the pasenger depot.

The fire was discovered by Godfrey Parson of the Eclectic Business College who was enroute to dinner and he at once turned in an alarm.

In less than three minutes Chief Barrette and men were on the ground and soon four streams were playing on the fierce flames and inside of half an hour the fire was under control, tho it burned for some time under the roof of the two buildings, being very hard to get at.

The fire originated in some unknown manner in what is known as the 'warm room" at the north end of the freight house, which contained oil and other combustibles, and several barrels of kerosene in the warehouse added to the fierceness of the fire which was fanned by a 25 mile northwest wind.

It was one of the most stubborn and difficult fires which the department has had to fight in several years and the record made by the department was certainly a good one.

The fire crept under the roof to the passenger depot and was extremely hard to get at but was finally extinguished with little damage to that structure.

There was a string of box cars west of the depot and in coupling on to them the rear trucks of the end car were pushed from the track but the string was pulled out without any damage.

The close proximity of the New Store caused much apprehension but the firemen controlled the flames in that direction and did extraordinary good work in confining the fire to the G. N. buildings. It is difficult to estimate the damage to the two buildings and goods in the warehouse but will be inside of $10000. The buildings will be repaired at once.

There was no one in the freight depot at the time, all employes having gone to dinner.

Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

STORES CLOSE AT 6 O'CLOCK

LEADING MERCHANTS AGREE TO GIVE CLERKS THEIR EVENINGS OFF

EXCEPT ON SATURDAYS — WILL REMAIN CLOSED AT 6 TILL NOV. 1

The leading merchants of Crookston have mutually agreed to close their places of business at 6 o'clock from Jan. 4th Monday next, to Nov. 1 next at 6 o'clock excepting on Saturdays. The general public as well as the clerks will thoroly appreciate this consideration for their employes by the merchants, as all shopping can be as well attended to before six as after and the tired clerks will have their evenings to themselves. Following are those who signed the agreement:

Cowley & Holmboe.
Wright-Carpenter Co.
Morin & Dufault.
Rosenthal & Falk.
A. Abas.
M. Kalad.
Lindberg & Co.
Amundson & Berget.
Sylvester, Mercil & Co.
Slocum Grocery Co.
A. Chabot
Crookston Supply House.
Hughes & Scully.
Kroog & Dahl.
M. Bratrud.
Peterson & Booth.
Tom Morris.
S. J. Stieglitz.
Boston Store.
C. Bray.
P. G. Tornquist
A. C. Fournet.
A. J. Sauve.
L. Roy.
Sperry-Klock Millinery Co.
Miss N. Mullen
J. E. O'Brien & Co.
Ole Fylling
Iverson Sisters
A. O. Busterud
J. G. Spokely
J. H. Ruettell.

SEATTLE ELECTRIC CO.'S PREPARATIONS FOR AL.-YUK.-PAC. EXPOSITION, SEATTLE

Expending the lump sums $910,000 for new cars, $600,000 for new trackage and $275,000 for motor generators transformers, high power transmission wire and lighting wires and fixtures, the Seattle Electric Co., which controls the local street car and lighting, will make a handsome record in handling the traffic and lighting of the forthcoming Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. The improvements, new lines, and new power facilities which the company is installing preparatory to the 1909 fair, mark a new era in street railway improvement in the Northwest, and at the close of the Exposition Seattle will be equipped with the most efficient service in the history of the city. For years the electric company has been kept at its wits end in maintaining schedules with its lines constantly impeded by street changes and improvements, not to mention increasing its service to meet the demands of a growing population. The present expenditures will leave the car system in excellent shape after the exposition, and will ensure a prompt and comfortable handling of the crowds at the Fair.

Four lines will tap the fair grounds two of which are now operating, with one more completed and the fourth just begun. Each line is five or six miles in length. All will be double tracked with loop terminals at the grounds and a handsome terminal building and power substation will be installed on the fair grounds. The company expects to be able to deliver passengers at the fair grounds at the rate of two or three cars a minute in rush hours and on special days. As each car comfortably carries 100 passengers, the street railway system will be able to handle twelve or fifteen thousand persons an hour should the occasion demand.

The additional power necessary for those lines will be furnished by the great water power plant at Electron on the Puyallup river, and the steam plant at Georgetown. Twenty miles of 13,000 volt transmission wire will connect this power with the sub-station on the grounds, where it will be stepped down to 2300 volts. Two 1000 kilowat motor generators will be located at this station, and two others at sub-stations in the city. The power will be sufficient to handle cars as rapidly as they can be safely moved over the four lines.

The lump order of 140 cars, forty of which have already been delivered, is probably without precedent among western street car systems.

The cars are of the most modern type, and cost when set up at Seattle about $6500 each. They are manufactured by the St. Louis Car Co., and known as single end, side entrance cars. Each car has four motors of 37½ horsepower, or 150 horepower in all and is capable of developing a speed of thirty miles an hour.

Stone and Webster who control the local company, are not making the investment of one and three quarter millions of dollars with the expectation that it will all come back in nickels during the period of the exposition. To accomplish such a result the street cars would have to handle something like 35,000,000 people during the four months and a half that the fair will last which is obviously out of the question. If a quarter as many people attend, the 1909 Exposition will be a record breaker. The present improvements of the car system are all in the nature of permanent investments.

For the lighting of the exposition the same company has the contract, and it's preparing a most elaborate illumination.

The sub-station on the fair grounds will be a source of current and all wires will be laid in underground conduits thus eliminating the unsightliness of poles or wires on the fair grounds.

The lighting power will come from the same sources as the transportation power. At the sub-station will be four 1000 kilowat transformers, with the necessary regulators and switches. The outdoor or decorative lighting currents will pass thru a reastat, the plan being to turn on the lights all over the grounds gradually, starting with a mere twinkle and growing slowly into brilliant illumination. The water front on Lake Washington and the terraced hillsides overlooking the lake, with the wide avenues of the exposition leading down to the shore, will be brightly lighted, and the night scene from the water promises to be marvelously effective and inspiring.

ANNUAL MEET JANUARY 22

COMMERCIAL CLUB DIRECTORS WERE IN SESSION LAST EVENING

WILL CO-OPERATE WITH SCHOOL BOARD TO CELEBRATE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The board of directors of the 25,000 Commercial club held the January monthly meeting in the reception room of Hotel Crookston last evening.

Important Action

Three important actions were taken last evening. The club adopted resolutions of appreciation, addressed to the officials and citizens of Greenbush, Warroad, Roseau and Badger on the occasion of the recent excursion.

The second action taken was that of taking a membership in the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs. The president was authorized to appoint two delegates to attend the annual meeting in St. Paul on January 14 and 15 next. President Misner has not named the delegates as yet.

Celebrate Lincoln's Birthday

Prof. E. E. McIntyre appetred before the board and suggested that the club co-operate with the board of education in preparing a program of more than ordinary interest for the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. The president was authorized to appoint a committee to take up the subject with the school board.

Preparations for Annual

The special committee appointed to plan for the anual meeting made its report thru Chairman Cowley. The report recommended that an afternoon meeting be held at which the annual reports will be made and the election of officers will take place. In addition a well known speaker is to be secured from the Twin Cities who will deliver an address at an hour to be later announced. In the evening the annual banquet and installation of officers will take place. The committee was instructed to have this banquet at the Hotel Crookston.

The board was entertained at dinner at the hotel by Director J. P. Dotson and Secretary Brown.

DISTRICT COURT RESUMES GRIND

VERDICT GIVEN STOUT BROS. IN SUIT BY JOHN BOYD

Late yesterday afternoon the jury in the case of John Boyd vs. Stout Bros., of Russia over a stallion, involving $400, returned a verdict for the defendant. The attorneys in the case were Geo. J. Cannon and Chas. Loring, the later for the defendant.

Today a well case, P. L. Berg vs. James Campbell of Fosston is on and will take all day to complete.

A man never realizes how old-fashioned his clothes are until he beholds his son's glad rags on his return from college.

ST. OLAF'S CLUB ORGANIZED

WILL BE CALLED NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA ST. OLAF'S CLUB

OFFICERS ELECTED — SPLENDID BANQUET SERVED AT HOLTE RESIDENCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Last evening at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. H. Holte the Northwestern Minnesota St. Olaf's Club was organized with a large membership with the following officers:

President—Dr. H. Holte.

Vice President, Rev. Kolste, Bemidji.

2nd Vice President—Rev. T. A. Mason, Stephen.

Secretary — Hannah Sivertson, Crookston.

Treasurer — Attorney Engeseth, Twin Valley.

The membership will be confined to those formerly connected with St. Olaf's College and the territory embraced will include Norman, Polk, Marshall, Kittson, Roseau, Red Lake, Mahnomen, Clearwater and Beltrami counties.

The business meeting was preceeded by a very elaborate seven course dinner served at the Holte home, which was beautifully decorated with streamers, banners and pennants with St. Olaf's colors, old gold, and the place cards contained the St. Olaf seal and the names in gold.

Following the banquet Rev. Hinderlie of Ada acted as toastmaster, and appropriate addresses were made by Rev. Ove, Rev Grimsrud, Rev. Kolste Atty. Engeseth, Dr. Peterson, Atty. Lavik and Miss Sophia Sivertson and all were thoroly enjoyed.

The annual meetings will be held in Crookston each January and other meetings may be called at the discretion of the officers.

Last evening the company thoroly enjoyed several musical selections by Misses Gusta and Mabel Locken. The guests present heartily appreciate the hospitality and initiative of Dr. and Mrs. Holte.

FREIGHT WRECK TIES UP TRAFFIC

BOXCARS DITCHED AND EASTBOUND ORIENTAL LIMITED IS HELD FOR HOURS

Traffic was tied up for several hours on the Great Northern early yesterday morning as the result of the ditchhing of a few cars near the tower The switch operator threw the switch at the wrong time. Train No. 2, which had been on time was delayed for three hours.

The cold weather demoralized traffic to some extent yesterday. Nearly all the trains were late yesterday morning. The Neche and Hannah trains were late getting out and correspondingly late last night.

It is easier to tell how a thing ought to be done than it is to make good when you try to do it yourself.

STARTS NEW YEAR WELL

GAME WARDEN MUNCH MAKES THREE ARRESTS AT SAND HILL LAKE YESTERDAY

ILLEGAL FISHERMEN THOUGHT THEY WERE SAFE BECAUSE OF RAGING STORM

Feeling secure that they werse protected by a raging blizzard yesterday, Bert Lonston H. E. Olson and Louis Ness were pounced upon yesterday by Game Warden Munch and arrested for spearing fish from fish houses without a license on Sand Hill Lake, taken to Fosston where all plead guilty and were fined $12 before Judge John Vig.

Warden Munch left for Fosston this morning to follow up a clue and his surmise that the law evaders would consider themselves in a raging storm lead him to drive 6 miles from Fosston where he caught them red handed.

POST OFFICE WAS ROBBED

YEGGMEN GET BUSY AT STRATH CONA ON THE WARROAD LINE

TOOK $35 IN CASH AND $40 IN STAMPS—LEFT NO TRAIL BEHIND

From Monday's Daily—

Word has just been received of the robber of the postoffice at Strathcona. The robbers getting away with $35 in cash and $40 worth of stamps

Hans Lerum the postmaster usually sleeps in the building, but was attending a masquerade ball and the thieves took advantage of his absence. They left no clue as to their identiey.

The board of county commissioners met this morning and organized for the year, County Auditor Welte acting as clerk. Ben Cleemnts was elected chairman and Commissioner Ecklund vice chairman. The committees will be announced later.

Marius Christianson was the only new face succeeding Rindahl.

The report of the county auditor showing the receipts of $1558.00 was accepted and a hearing was set for the petition of Hanson Bros., to be detached from school districts 158 and 164 and joined to the Erskine district.

The probate judge was allowed $600 for clerk hire. The county printing bids were received and will be acted upon tomorrow.

At the sound of the dinner bell great minds run in the same channel.

QUEER VIEWS OF DISPATCH

THINKS SCHOOLS OF AGRICULTURE SHOULD BE LOCATED ON HENNEPIN AVENUE

WHERE FARMER BOYS WOULD BE HANDY TO CIGARETTES AND VAUDEVILLE

From Saturday's Daily—

The St. Paul Dispatch says:

"No one will quarrel with Senator A. D. Stephens' opinion that farmers' boys should be persuaded to stay on the farm, whenever possible. It is a good place for any boys who are capable of succeeding as farmers but it takes a boy with brains and energy to make a success there as well as anywhere else. Every boy who is brought up on a farm will not make a good farmer, simply because he has not had an opportunity to get away.

"Hence there is a flaw in the senator's argument that agricultural schools ought to be located only in places remote from large cities so that the students will not be betrayed into leaving the farm. On the contrary it will make better citizens of them if they see city as well as country life, for they will then return to the farm from choice and not from ignorance. The farmer who knows nothing of the city is just as narrow and unintelligent as the city man who knows nothing of the country."

The argument of the Dispatch is misleading. No one will deny but what a general knowledge of city life and an understanding of the way business is conducted in large cities is a valuable addition to the education of any young or old man.

However the average farmer would prefer having his son educated in a school located in an agricultural district where practical work could be carried on in a much more satisfactory and effective manner than in a large city where acreage is lacking.

Experience has also shown that the student will do far better work where he is not subjected to the temptations of the large city. The sources of amusements are so abundant that many a college graduate returned home with his sheepskin perhaps, but with a supply of bad habits large enough to ruin the career of four men, and which keeps the "old man" busy earning enough money to supply his son with cash to gratify many of his vicious and harmful tastes acquired in the large cities.

Who would attempt to deny that the young man or woman who graduates from the Crookston School of Agriculture would not leave the school strengthened by having been surrounded by a more healthy moral atmosphere than the student who had spent several years in a school located in a great city? There is a companionship and personal interest which developes in a school of the size of the one located here, which could never develop in the larger school which should also not be lost sight of.

The position taken by Senator Stephens will appeal strongly to anyone who is personally interested in the results to be obtained. Of course opposition can naturally be expected from certain sources in St. Paul and Minneapolis as they would prefer to have every state institution located there if possible. With the St. Anthony Park Agricultural school located there as the center of the great system to be established, St. Paul and Minneapolis should use every effort to encourage the location of the smaller schools included in Senator Stephens' plan.

BREAKS JAIL AT LANGDON

FRANK BRIDGES HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE BREAKS OUT DURING STORM

MAKES HOLE IN BRICK WALL AND CRAWLS OUT DURING HOWLING BLIZZARD

From Saturday's Daily—

Sheriff Gonyea and Chief Eck were notified yesterday of the daring escape from the county jail at Langdon N. D., of Frank Bridges. Bridges, who was arraigned in justice court two weeks ago, and bound over to the grand jury to face the grave charge of incest, made his escape in the morning shortly before the arrival of the turnkey. Jailer Schwartz reached the court house at about 6:15 a. m., and as usual, went direct to the jail. When he reached there, the prisoners informed him that Bridges had made his escape thru the brick wall about fifteen minutes previous to that time. He had managed to pry loose one of the iron bars that holds the ceiling radiator in place, and using a portion of an adjustable alligator wrench as a punch and the piece of iron as a hammer, he had no trouble in making a hole in the wall large enough to crawl thru. He finished his work just in time to get away before the arrival of the turnkey, so he must have decided on the spur of the moment to make his get away.

Blizard Aids Fugitive

On account of a blizard which raged all day, it was impossible for the authorities to trace him, but telegraph and telephone communication was established with the authorities in the adjoining counties, and he had with him about $25 upon reaching a railway station.

Three other prisoners were confined in the jail on less serious charges, and they preferred to stay and face the court.

Bridges is believed to have escaped to Canada.

Go Right at It.

"Of course you know that germs communicate sickness?"

"Yes," answered the man who is apprehensive about his health, "and the worst of it is that they get right down to business in their communications, instead of employing the scientific circumlocution of the medical profession."—Exchange.

Sailors Drown in Collision.

Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 6.—Unable to swim by reason of their heavy ammunition belts fifteen sailors were drowned in a collision between the pinnace of the British cruiser Encounter and the collier Dunmore.

RECOMMENDS A CHANGE

IN SELLING STATE LAND STATE AUDITOR IVERSON DESIRES THE

LEGISLATURE TO AMEND THE LAW NOW IN FORCE

An amendment of the present law relating to the sale of drained land is urged by State Auditor S. G. Iverson, in his biennial report, the advance sheets of which have just been issued.

The last legislature set a minimum price of $5 per acre plus the cost of draining. The operation of the law is cumbersome and in many cases it has retarded the sale of drainage must be paid in full at the time of making the contract. The law requires that 15 per cent of the price of the land shall be paid at the time of the sale, which with the cost of the drainage, makes a payment at one time which is too large for a large number of those who would otherwise buy state land. The state auditor recommends that the payment of the cost of drainage should be changed so that it would be distributed over a number of years as is the cost of the land itself.

The report shows that the sale of pine lands of the state the past four years amounted to $2,089,652. The agricultural lands of the state which have been sold at public auction during the same time brought in $1,633,777, and the money from mineral lands has amounted to $754,373. The total amount received from these sources during the four years has been about $1,100,000 a year.

Mr. Iverson asks for a law so that he can sell some of the stray city property of the state. He suggests that a board of appraisement to fix the value would be sufficient. The state owns some lots on Lexington avenue, and also the site of the elevator which the state did not build in Duluth.

MILO SHOCK IS TRANSFERRED

GOES FROM NECHE LINE TO DAKOTA DIVISION OF GREAT NORTHERN

Roadmaster Milo Shock who has been in charge of the Neche line of the Great Northern has been transferred to the Dakota division. He is a good roadmaster and his friends predict that he will advance rapidly in the service.

Quite a sensation has resulted from the disappearance Saturday evening of a well known young married woman of this city who left an infant babe behind.

On the same train, and going to the depot with her was a well known railroad man of Grand Forks who had a roll of bills from which he was spending freely.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Historical Society

TEAM WAS KILLED AND CUTTER SMASHED

DRIVER IS CARRIED ON PILOT OF ENGINE FOR SEVERAL RODS BUT IS UNHURT—J. T. CONNOLLY TRAVELLINGMAN, JUMPS JUST IN TIME TO ESCAPE ENGINE—REMARKABLE ESCAPE OF GEORGE BARNES FROM DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY—A. A. NEWGARD, MERCHANT WILL DIE — UNCONSCIOUS SINCE ACCIDENT

From Monday's Daily—

A Great Northern engine crashed into a party driving on the railway track from Munich, Friday night, fractured the skull of A. A. Newgard, a merchant of Munich and Mandan, severely bruised George Barnes, a liveryman of Munich, killed both horses and demolished the cutter. J. T. Connolly, of Fargo, a travelling man, jumped just in time and escaped injury. Newgard was carried for a distance of nearly a half a mile. Barnes was carried half a rod. He was taken to Devils Lake and it is believed he cannot recover. Dr. Sihler was summoned from Devils Lake and accompanied Newgard to the hospital last night.

Had No Warning

The engine was disconnected from a train and sent from Sarles to Munich to get water. The weather was intensely cold and the party did not hear the approach of the engine until it was right upon them. They had depended on trains being run on their schedule time or a little later on the branch.

Connolly passed thru Grand Forks last evening on his way to Fargo. He stated that it was one of the most remarkable escapes from death he has ever witnessed. He had just time to throw himself from the cutter when the horses were run down and the cutter completely demolished.

Engine Crew Did Not Know

The engine crew knew nothing of the accident, Connolly walked to Munich and notified residents. Assistance was sent out and Barnes and Newgard were brought into Munich.

COURT OPENS IN ROSEAU

JUDGE GRINDELAND AND BEVY OF ATTORNEYS WENT UP THIS MORNING

HE HAS TAKEN STAGE ROUTE FOR THE PAST 15 YEARS TILL TODAY

Judge A. Grindeland of Warren arrived i nthe city last evening and left this morning on the Warroad local where he will open the January term of district court.

Judge Grindeland has been going to Roseau County for the past 15 years and this is the first time that he did not have to go by stage. As a result he was rejoicing within himself and stated that if he could not have gone by rail with the thermometer where it stood this morning—28 below that he would have taken the train back for Warren.

Attorneys Wm. J. Brown Julius J. Olsen and Court Reporter W. A. Braggans accompanied him from Warren, and Atty. Wm. P. Murphy went up from this city.

MAY CUT DOWN THE SALOON LIMIT

MOVEMENT STARTED TO REDUCE NUMBER FROM 16 TO 10 AT THIEF RIVER

There is a feeling among the councilmen that Thief River Falls has too many saloons and it is not improbable that an ordinance may be enacted that will reduce the total number from sixteen to ten. As the matter now stands it is pointed out that a number of places have to be run on a somewhat shady basis to make both ends meet, while if the limit was cut, the tandard of all remaining would be raised to where they could run their business in a much cleaner way.

If the ordinance passes the council the license fee will, in all probability be raised from $1,000 to $1,250 annually. It is likely this move would meet with the approval of the liquor men themselves were it not that it is difficult to tell upon whom the ax will fall. Those to survive would be glad to have the others go, but each is afraid he may be one of the elect. It would be a case of the survival of the fittest.—Thief River Press.

If you will take Foley's Orino Laxative until the bowels become regular you will not have to take purgatives constantly, as Foley's Orino Laxative positively cures chronic constipation and sluggish liver. Pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

Engineer Peter Ferguson has been promoted to traveling engineer on the Great Northern for the Dakota division. Sid Fargo succeeded by Ferguson has been transferred to Devils Lake where he will be master mechanic. Ferguson has served as traveling engineer before and is a good man for the place.

MONEY NOW AVAILABLE

DISBURSING AGENT L. ELLINGTON HAS RECEIVED NOTIFICATION

HAT MONEY IS BEING FORWARDED TO COVER WORK AS IT IS DONE

From Monday's Daily—

L. Ellington who was named as the disbursing agent for the new Federal building which is to be erected here the coming year, to the effect that money will be at once forwarded to be placed on deposit in the Scandia-American bank to cover payments on any and all work done as fast as the payments become due and can be checked on by the proper parties.

The work to be done will result in the putting incirculation of a very large amount of money in Crookston the coming year.

TO OUST THE DINKY CABOOSE

RAILROAD MEN TO MAKE AN EFFORT TO HAVE LAW PASSED

It is said there will be a strong lobby of railroad employes in Bismarck during the legislative session, to agitate the passage of several bills designed to make the work of the railway employes more congenial and safe. One of the provisions of the special act desired will be the abolishment of the "dinky" or four wheeled caboose. There are but a few of these short cabooses in use on the Northern Pacific railway in North Dakota but there are said to be a large number in service on the Great Northern lines.

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR COMING YEAR

Henry Diebel, who is well known here and at Grand Forks but who now runs a sash and door factory at Thief River Falls, arrived in the city last evening and is remaining over today visiting with Henry Ebbighausen and other friends. He states that the past year was rather a quiet one in his line of business but that the prospects for the coming spring and summer are much better. He states that there will be a large amount of building at Thief River Falls the coming year and that the business men generally look for a decided increase in business conditions in Northwestern Minn.

All that is needed for a man to think an occupation is beneath him is for him to be able to make a comfortable living at it by industry

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

for children: safe, sure. No opiates

WHERE THE TAXES IN MINNESOTA ARE PAID

Judge L. G. Pendergast, Formerly Of Bemdji, Now Custodian Of Old State Capitol Writes On This Subject.

L. G. Pendergast, custodian, old state capitol St. Paul, Minnesota, has written the following communication to George W. Cooley, secretary of the state highway commission, who requested Mr. Pendergast to furnish the communication as given:

"According to request I submit the following proposition for the consideration of your Commission and the people of Minnesota. I have always thought that town, county or state never was the loser by the use of any amount of money honestly expended on roads. I am heartily in accord with you in your endeavors to improve the roads of this state, and not only the making of good roads but for all other internal improvements which will benefit the state at large and be reasonably sure to pay an interest on the investments of at least 4 per cent the amount we pay on our bonded indebtedness.

"When we consider that the United States in the short space of one hundred years has built up a country that is the wonder of the world, and today has an assessed valuation almost as much as the three greatest nations of the earth. We ask how was it all done? The answer is, simply by going in debt and using the money to good advantage. If no improvements have been made until we had the money on hand to pay for the whole, this country would have only a fraction of the wealth that it has today. This was done mainly by the optimists, those who had faith in the future and energy enough to support that faith.

"When De Witt Clinton advocated the building of the New York & Erie canal he was called a visionary, and the conservatives said if he had his way he would put the state of New York hopelessly in debt, and ruin would follow. The canal was built and has been enlarged and improved several times since, and now the state of New York has appropriated $100,000,000 for further improvements on that same canal, yet the state is not a bankrupt, but on the contrary its wealth and population far exceeds any other state of the Union.

"If we accomplish much in the way of internal improvements we must unite together all over the state and each one work for the interest of all parts of this great commonwealth and be willing to grant exact justice to all.

"If the legislature should pass a law allowing the state to bond for the amount, say, $1,000,000 per year for 25 years, bonds to draw interest at the rate of 4 per cent and to run for a period of twenty-five years each, and at the same time allow the several counties to levy a tax for internal improvements, the state to help each county to the same amount as the several counties help themselves. It would be a great public benefit.

"The assessed valuation of Minnesota in 1680 was $258,055,543, and in 1907 (27 years afterwards) the assessed valuation was $1,048,200,485 and this big increase will be greatly augmented in the future.

"The state could well afford to help the several counties in this way, as it receives yearly 4 per cent of the gross income from over 8,000 miles of railroad which the counties do not receive any part of. Also, the United States government has given the state about 4,000,000 acres of land intended for internal improvements.

"In connection with this a board of public works should be created to take charge of the building of all roads that receive help under this act. It would be possible for us to build one thousand miles of roads each year at a cost of $1,000 per mile and have half the money left for other improvements.

"The common schools in the rural districts should be improved so that every scholar could have a chance for high school education. Normal schools should be located wherever needed thruout the state. Wisconsin has a population about the same as Minnesota with less resources, yet Wisconsin supports eight normal schools, while Minnesota has only five. Clearly Wisconsin has too many or Minnesota has too few.

"Let me call your attention to the drainage proposition. In the whole state we have ten million acres of swamp lands, or one-fifth of the whole This land, in its present condition, is practically worthless. With a good system of drainage such as the state engineer, Mr. Ralph, proposes and is now working on, it can be done at an average cost of $1.50 per acre, and when so drained will become the most valuable in the state. In many places roads and drainage can be worked together to good advantage. Last year the state made a ditch thru the Little Fork swamp ten miles long, eighteen feet wide, and six feet deep. The dirt from the ditch was placed on one side which made a passable road the whole distance, the center of the road bed being ten feet above the bottom of the ditch. I am informed that in no place in that ten miles of ditch the cut reaches thru the top soil.

"What would be the cost to the state in taxes for all this? The principal and interest on this would amount to an average payment of $1,000,000 per year for the next fifty years, which would really amount to forty-five cents per capita a year, gradually decreasing to the amount of fifteen to twenty-five cents per capita at the close of the term. Is it not incredible how anyone would object to the payment of this small tax when it accomplished so much? Every mile of the kind of road proposed would immediately increase the value of every acre on each section that it passed thru to the amount of $5.00, besides the saving of time, team and wagon.

"How many people in the older part of the state have an idea that this taxation would be unjust to them, thinking that they pay nearly all the taxes collected. In the minds of some the northern half is a sandy desert and valueless when the timber is removed. Unfortunately this idea exists in the minds of many. Let us examine and see. Draw a line thru the exact center of the state, it would start at Breckenridge, run thru Fergus Falls, ten miles south of Wadena, three miles south of Brainerd, and thru the south part of Aitkin county to the Wisconsin line. The south part includes the Twin Cities and all the large cities of the state, except Duluth. According to the tax report of the State Auditor, for the year 1907 the north half paid almost exactly 35 per cent of the whole. The 1908 statement is not yet out, but enough is known to show that it will be fully 40 per cent. With the increase of wealth, which is likely to come before any of these bonds become due, the north half of the state will pay considerably over half of all the taxes of the state, and will have only one-fourth of the population. You gentlemen in the southern part of the state have the power to tax us as you see fit, spend the money around your homes or in the Twin Cities, and we cannot help it. But is it just? Again the state owns 4,500,000 acres of land all in the north. When the auditor sells $5.00 worth of land he gives us $1.00 and sends the other $4.00 to you. Are you interested with us in that locality There should be no jealousy anywhere, it is for the benefit of all. The country builds up the Twin Cities and the Twin Cities help wonderfully to build up the country.

"Nature has done its share for our state, it remains for us to improve it.

"The whole northern country is underlaid with iron. Already we produce more than 25 per cent of the world's product, and the ground is hardly scratched. We tax the United States Steel Trust on an assessed value of $193,000,000 per year. Is that too much? I saw by the report of the Trust that for a quarter ending October 1, 1908 it paid a dividend of $27,000,000 which would amount to $108,000,000 per year or 9 per cent on all its stock, water included. Our country right here makes this dividend possible. The iron tax must increase to keep pace with the business of the steel trust.

"Let us all work together for the upbuilding of our state and make it what nature intended it to be, the brightest star on the flag of the American Union."

"Very truly"

"—L. G. Pendergast."

LEFT BABE WITH MRS. BEN OLSON

MYSTERIOUS WOMAN WHO CAME FROM THE WEST LEFT BABE HERE SATURDAY EVENING—MRS. BEN OLSON STILL HAS THE LITTLE ONE AND WILL LOOK AFTER IT

From Monday's Daily—

Mrs. Ben Olson daughter of Louis Johnson residing west of the city has a little baby boy on her hands left to her supposedly by the mother of the little one last Saturday in a most peculiar manner.

Mrs. Olson and her two children arrived in the city last Saturday evening from Spokane, Wash. Having prior to that time resided at Tacoma where Mr. Olson worked in the Tacoma hotel.

She came from the west over the Great Northern but Saturday evening to make close connection she transferred to the N. P. at Grand Forks and paid her fare from there here.

Just about the time the train arrived in Crookston she states that a woman dressed in a blue suit gave her a little baby telling her to take it to the Palace Hotel in a hack and that she (the mother) would follow to the hotel in the bus with her grips.

Mrs. Olson went to the hotel, but the mother of the little one failed to show up and she has seen nothing of her since. The matter has been reported to Chief Eck, and he has been working on the case ever since, and there are some features that may be reported later that will make something of a sensation.

Mrs. Olson left here about three years ago to join her husband in the west. He was formerly employed by the Crookston Lumber Co., in this city as a filer.

Local officials when interviewed this afternoon regarding the case stated that the mother of the child had been located and that there would be some developments in the case in the very near future.

MC'VEY IS ELECTED N.D. VARSITY PREXY

FORMER MINNESOTA PROFESSOR ELECTED BY NORTH DAKOTA REGENTS—WEBSTER MERRIFIELD WILL BE SUCCEEDED BY PRESENT CHAIRMAN OF MINNESOTA TAX COMMISSION, WELL KNOWN OVER THE ENTIRE NORTHWEST

At a meeting of the board of regents of the university of North Dakota held yesterday Franklin McVey recognized authority on taxation and assessment problems was elected president of the institution to succeed Webster Merrifield. The vote of the members of the board was unanimous for McVey who is now chairman of the Minneosta tax commission an appointive office. For eleven years McVey held the chair in political economics at the university of Minnesota where he established an enviable reputation as an educator. President Merrifield retires from office in June.

LOSS TOTAL ON BROOM FACTORY

CARPENTER BROOM WORKS IS DESTROYED BY AN EARLY MORNING BLAZE

LOSS ON BUILDING MACHINERY AND STOCK IS ABOUT $2,000

From Monday's Daily—

The Carpenter Broom Works factory at Grand Forks was destroyed by fire yesterday morning about 5 o'clock The loss is $2000 and there was no insurance. The firm has another building on the same lot and they have made arrangements to continue the business without delay. The building was a two story frame structure.

The firm has employed from four to eight men and has a very good business in Grand Forks. The merchants of the city were very loyal and sold the home product.

The factory is of value to Grand Forks and citizens will be glad to know that it will be continued.

THIRD JUDGE FOR BELTRAMI DISTRICT

JUDGE STANTON MAY BE RETAINED IF THIRD JUDGESHIP IS CREATED

Judge C. W. Stanton of Bemidji, appointed in the fifteenth district to fill a vacancy, but defeated at the general election in a close contest may remain on the bench after all. There is a movement among the members of the legislature from that district to create another judgeship. Should that be done Governor Johnson would have the naming of the judge, and would again appoint judge Stanton. The district covers an immense area and has a heavy calendar considering its small population. — Minneapolis Journal.

Some men make money and some women make alimony.

Let your first resolve be to be true to your last.

If you have a new leaf to turn prepare to turn it now.

PARIS GREEN TO POISON A HORSE

JOSEPH KALCIK NOW FUGITIVE FROM POLICE FOR KILLING LISTON'S HORSE

MALICE OVER LAW SUIT ENDS IN FORMER EMPLOYE POISONING HORSE

From Tuesday's Dully—

That the horse belonging to Mike Liston a gardener residing on the Minnesota point, in Wsetern Polk Co., and which was found dead in the barn on Saturday, was poisoned was established yesterday in an examination conducted by Dr. J. F. Davidson, of Grand Forks, who was called by the Minnesota authorities. Dr. Davidson found evidence of eight ounces of Paris green in the stomach of the dead animal and it was later found that a certain Joseph Kalcik who was employed by Liston last spring had purchased two packages of the poison of a quarter of a pound each the day before at Schlaberg & Griffin's drug store.

The circumstances surrounding the death of the horse made Mr. Liston suspicious and he immediately began a preliminary investigation. Several people had seen Kalcik hanging around the Liston barn on Saturday and it was found that he had secured some Paris Green. These suspicions let Liston to swear out a warrant for Kalcik's arrest, but when it came to serving the warrant it was found that Kalcik had taken the eastbound train, apparently after he poisoned the horse The police are now on his trail, however and it is expected that a few days will see him in the toils of the law.

The motive for Kalcik's act was evidently anger over a law suit for wages instituted by Kalcik against Liston, altho Kalcik won the suit.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

Racking la grippe coughs that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. The sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous condition is quickly averted Take only Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

GRAFT IN HIGH PLACES

THEORY WAS THAT HE MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN OREGON "LAND GRAB."

SENATOR TILLMAN HAS LITTLE TO SAY BUT WILL LIKELY TALK IN SENATE.

Washington, Jan. 9, —by the direction of President Roosevelt, secret service men shadowed Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, on the theory that he possibly was interested in an Oregon "land grab," and the result of that investigation is now before the senate.

The information was contained in a communication from President Roosevelt sent in response to a request made by Senator Hale to the heads of the executive departments for a statement of the activity of secret service operatives. Exhaustive replies were made by the various departments and all of these were forwarded to Senator Hale by the president. They have not been made public, and Senator Hale announced that they would not be given out until after they had been considered by a sub committee of the committee on appropriations, which will be charged with the duty of acting upon that portion of the president's annual message relating to the secret service and criticising members of congress for their restriction of its use.

Much Curiosity.

Soon after President Roosevelt's communication to Senator Hale was received at the capitol yesterday, it became noised about that it contained a reflection upon a senator from a southern state. The name of the senator in question was not divulged for a time and as a result the atmosphere of the senate was surcharged with curiosity and much speculation. When it finally became known that Senator Tillman was the member named, further efforts to procure information concerning the character of the charges were made, but they were without avail. Through the fact that several senators had advance information of the character of the report which was to be sent to the senate, it was learned that the investigation of Senator Tillman followed an attack which he made in the senate nearly a year ago upon an Oregon land company in which he used his name as one of the persons interested in the concern. Previous to the attack Senator Tillman had introduced a resolution directing the attorney general to prosecute suits against the Oregon railroad corporation which had received land grants in the late sixties for a line from a California point to Portland, Oregon. Mr. Tillman had said that the use of his name was without authority and as a result, it is declared, that several persons interested in the land grants became angered. Some of the interested parties are reported to have sent to President Roosevelt copies of letters alleged to have been written by Senator Tillmana, indicating that he had an interest in one of the land companies which would be benefitted through the land companies obtaining possession of the grants in question. After receiving this information it is said a secret service operative was directed to investigate the part Senator Tillman was alleged to have taken in the land cases.

Tillman Will Answer.

The report sent to the senate is understood to contain an account of the investigation of Senator Tillman. It it known that the secret service prepared photographic copies of Senator Tillman's correspondence, but whether these exhibits were sent to Senator Hale is not known.

Senator Tillman was not aware of the fact that his name figured in the report until late in the day. He then took pains to assure himself that the reports concerning the mention of himself were well-founded, but he refused to comment upon the fact further than to say that he would not make any statement until the fact of the use of his name had been officially promulgated, when he would address himself to the subject from his seat in the senate. It is known, however, that Mr. Tillman regards the mention of his name as an attack upon himself by the president and he has indicated to his friends that he will not mince matters in his reply. He also has declared to those with whom he has conversed that he would welcome the opportunity to express his views and explain the situation.

Too many of us want the glory without the school of grace.

ROOSEVELT DISR'PECTF'L

SPECIAL MESSAGE CHARACTERIZED AS DISRESPECTFUL AND UNRESPONSIVE.

AND WILL RECOMMEND TABLING OF SPECIAL MESSAGE SECTION OF OTHER.

Washington, Jan. 9—As disrespectful and unresponsive to the inquiry of the house, the Perkins committee, when it reports tomorrow, will recomment that President Roosevelt's secret service message of January 4, be placed on the table. A similar request will be made for the tabling of that portion of the president's message relating to the secret service on the ground that it reflects upon the integrity of the members of the house.

The special committee concluded its consideration of the message today, and drafted its report, which will be presented by Representative Perkins, of New York. Ahe unusual and extreme course advised by the committee—that of declining to consider any communication from any source which in the judgment of the house is not respectful is likely to create a sensation when it is read.

The report of the committee will include the paragraph of the president's message which refers to the secret service and suggests that the reason congress restricted its use was because the members of congress themselves did not wish to be investigated.

This will be followed by an excerpt from the message of Jan. 4, in response to the request made by the house of an explanation of the language made by the president, which had been interpreted by the house as a reflection upon the integrity of its membership. After setting forth the statement of the president that the house had failed to understand him in the message, the report of the special committee will say that the language itself will be judged according to the accepted interpretations of the English language. That the house is charged only with its responsibility to the people and to preserve its own dignity, will be asserted with great force and if the report is adopted, the house will insist on its own capacity to understand the president's language. It was asserted that the language in question was unjustified and without the basis of fact and that it constituted a breach of the privileges of the house. For that reason the special committee will ask to be discharged from further consideration of the president's message which refers to the secret service and will recommend that it, together with the subsequent message of the president in reply to the house demand for an explanation, be laid upon the table as being unresponsive and constituting an invasion of the privileges of the house by questioning the motives and intelligence of the member.

A Religious Author's Statement

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

When we say we hate flattery we usually mean we dislike to hear it in the third person.

The Collies and Amen.

I once witnessed a phase of prompt evolution of practical and of devotional religion in Scotch sheep dogs on a communion Sabbath among the mountains. The churchyard was crowded with shepherds, accompanied by their dogs, which lay quietly asleep at the feet of their masters. The sermon was finished, the psalm had been sung, the final prayer was being offered, and there was no sign of impatience, but the moment the benediction commenced the devotional doggies all roused themselves, and before the "Amen" they were in marching order.—"Newman Hall—An Autobiography."

Out to Work.

"What society needs is a clearing house."

"What do you mean?"

"I wish I didn't have to go to the Van Squawks' ball next week. The Van Squawks wish they didn't have to ask me. Why can't we exchange certificates and call the thing even?"

INDIGESTION IS ENDED FOREVER

ALL STOMACH MISERY VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER EAT YOUR

FAVORITE FOODS WITHOUT FEAR OF DYSPEPSIA OR ANY OTHER STOMACH DISTRESS

Why not start now—today, and forever rid yourself of Stomach trouble and Indigestion? A dieted stomach get the blues and grumbles. Give it a good eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to start the digestive juices working. There will be no dyspepsia or belching of Gas or eructations of undigested food; no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach or heartburn, sick-headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents for a large case at any drug store here, and will relieve the most obstinate case of Indigestion and Upset Stomach in five minutes.

There is nothing else better to take Gas from Stomach and cleanse the stomach and intestines, and besides, one triangule will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all your food the same as a sound, healthy stomach would do it.

When Diapepsin works your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to begin taking Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want to Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to be thoroughly cured of Indigestion.

One of the real reasons of divorce of interest between men and women of this country is that women do not take an interest in their husband's business. Business bores most American women. We are too idealistic and too intellectual to care for its sordid details. Business does more than bore us; sooner or later the average woman grows to dislike business, and for a good reason, it is her rival in her husband's interest and affections, says the writer of an article entitled "The Inconsequential American Woman," in the January Appleton's. America is full of sad-eyed and well-dressed women who complain that their husbands are so "absorbed by business" that they have no interest left for anything else. If you were to suggest to these women that they had once been given a chance to share in their husband's lives they would stare at you in surprise. It would be useless to tell such a woman that she might have been a consulting partner in her husband's cares had she wished. To this she has the reply, "Man ought to leave his business cares in his office." This is, a man's brain should be neatly divided into two parts; he should be able to switch off the thoughts which have occupied his business hours the way in which one extinguishes an electric light. He should at the same moment switch on the other half of his brain where should burn brightly with affection for his wife, love of amusement and desire for that kind of relaxation which his wife enjoys. The great majority of men have been made to believe that they should "not bring business home," so great is the power of a reiterated suggestion. They actually think that it would not please them to have had their wives taken an intelligent interest in their pressing affairs.

There probably is nothing that is more annoying and distressing than a child that is constantly crying for one thing or another. It shows lack of discipline in the bringing up, and it should be corrected before it gets too firm a hold on the child. Even a young child soon learns that he only has to cry for a thing to get it, and almost before the mother realizes it the child has formed the habit of crying for everything and is making itself a nuisance to every one. The best and most effective way to cure this habit is to let the baby cry until he realizes that he is not going to get what he is crying for. He will soon stop when he sees that his crying is no avail. It will only take several days, or, at the most, a week, to break the habit if the mother is determined not to give in. If the child cries extremely hard the first few times he is denied anything, put him in a room by himself to cry it out alone.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers keep a bottle in the house. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

Habit is a stubborn thing when possessed by a stubborn person.

SUPPORTED BY CHAPMAN

BETTER BANK EXAMINATION IS NEEDED, SAYS PRESIDENT OF STATE ASSOCIATION

ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORT FOR JOHNSON'S SUGGESTION OF A SEPARATE DEPARTMENT

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—In the words of Joseph Chapman, Jr., president of the Minnesota Bankers' association, the burden of poor banking in Minnesota must be laid on the legislature and not the bankers, if the legislature does not follow out Governor Johnson's suggestion in his message of a separate department for bank examination. Mr. Chapman believes provision for better bank examinations in the state is a better and more legitimate form of deposit insurance than the proposed state insurance of bank deposits such as in force in Oklahoma.

The paragraph in Governor Johnson's message in which he urges careful consideration by the legislature of a banking department has the enthusiastic approval of the bankers in the state, both national and state. The governor quoted in full the resolution passed at the July meeting of the Minnesota Bankers' association asking for a bank superintendent and for a sufficient appropriation to enable him to do his work thoroughly.

Gross Approves.

F. A. Gross, president of the German-American bank, said today that the suggestion is a good thing and that the necessity for such a department is generally recognized. The superintendent, he said, should be a practical banker, and his salary should be large. "It would be impossible to get a capable man to accept such a position at a small salary with the possibility of being thrown out at the end of his term," said Mr. Gross today, "and it would be ridiculous for a man getting a $4,500 salary to try to superintend men who get a good deal more than that."

Mr. Chapman said: "The banking fraternity approves of Governor Johnson's suggestion. It's a move for the protection of depositors. That's all there is to it. Members of the state association who know the conditions, made the suggestion that the banks are not examined enough and cannot be, under the present system. They want the Minnesota banking department put on the same basis as that of New York and of Wisconsin. The plan will have the support of all the bankers of the state.

"The resolutions passed at the state convention at Duluth show where the bankers do not believe in unjust or unscientific method of guarantee of bank deposits, but they want everything done to that end so far as possible in a legitimate way. If this is not done the burden must be passed on to the legislature for poor banking and not on to the bankers."

The Alternative.

This thing of brass is here;
These things of stone abide.
These blocks of marble rear
Their cold and sculptured pride.

These things of wroughten steel,
Of centuries long dead,
Their presence still reveal
Despite the ages sped.

Impassionate and still,
Insensate all are they;
Untouched by joy or ill
As lifeless mortal clay.

Durst say 'tis Nature's plan
That these shall live for ay,
The while the soul of man
Alone shall sink and die?—

The soul of man that breathes,
And strives with godlike might;
The soul that loves, and wreathes
The world in bays of light?

Durst say that this is truth
Then better far that we
Give up the dreams of youth,
And stone and iron be!

—John M. Woods.

From time to time the charge is made that American women spend too much on dress. The extravagance of our sisters, wives and sweethearts is supposed to be leading us somewhere—notably, we think, in the case of the last named, to the altar. Recently the wife of a British consul engaged in the social life of the East charged that the whole panic of 1907 was brought about by the extravagance of American wives. This is "going some" for wifely extravagance, but the truth is that American wives and American women generally are not more extravagant than those of any other nation—certainly not more so than the local conditions warrant.

Cherishing the memory of slights and injuries is like filling the pillow with thorns.

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Always send Money by Bank Draft, the best and cheapest way.

If lost, a duplicate can be had more easily and without cost.

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Amount	COST		
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$ 5.00	5c	5c	5c
10.00	5c	8c	8c
35.00	10c	10c	15c
55.00	10c	20c	20c
100.00	10c	30c	30c

GEORGE ROBERTS IS TRUANT OFFICER

At a meeting of the board of education yesterday it was decided to take advantage of the provisions of the compulsory education law of the state and appoint a truancy officer for the local schools. The board at once named George Roberts, a man whom public opinion will approve.

The action of the board should meet with the commendation of every citizen, inasmuch as it will assist materially in keeping the attendance of the schools to the highest limit and at the same time will result in an increase in attendance. There is no doubt but that quite a few children are not attending school in Crookston who should be enrolled, and it will be a part of Mr. Roberts' duty to round these up and compel them to attend.

Following is the state law relative to compulsory education:

Compulsory Education.

Sec. 1445.—Children to be sent to school. Every person having under his control a child between the age of eight and sixteen years shall send him to some school in which the common English branches are taught during the entire time the public schools of the district in which he lives are taught, unless such attendance is excused in whole or in part by the school board or board of education of such district, as hereinafter provided. ('99 c. 226 s. 1.)

See 1905 c. 265.

Sec. 1446. — Excusing attendance. Such board may excuse such attendance when satisfied—

1. That the child is in such bodily or mental condition as to prevent his attendance at school or application to study for the period required.
2. That he is properly taught at home or elsewhere in the common branches.
3. That he has already acquired such branches.
4. That he is engaged in some useful occupation.
5. That there is no public school within reasonable distance of his residence.
6. That such person is unable, on account of poverty, to properly clothe such child. ('99 c. 226 s. 1.)

Sec. 1447.—Duties of chairman. The chairman of each school board shall investigate all cases of violation of the provisions of Secs. 1445, 1446, and secure prosecutions therefor when proper. Any such officer neglecting to secure such prosecution within ten days after service on him by any taxpayer of the district of written notice of such offense, unless the person complained of is legally excused, shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty dollars nor more than fifty dollars. (3780)

Sec. 1448. — Truant officers. The board of any district may appoint and remove at pleasure truant officers, who shall investigate all cases of truancy or non-attendance at school, make complaints, serve notices and process, and attend to the enforcement of all laws and school regulations respecting turant, incorrigible and disorderly children, and school attendance. Whenever any truant officer learns of any case of habitual truancy or continued non-attendance of any child hereby required to attend school, he shall immediately notify the person having control of such a child to forthwith send to and keep him in school. He may arrest without warrant and take to school any such child, and shall act under the general supervision of the board, or, when directed by the board, under that of the city or district superintendent. Such officers shall receive a salary by the board appointing them, but no fees. ('99 c.226 s. 2; '01 c. 156.)

Sec. 1449. — Truant schools. Such board may maintain ungraded schools for the instruction of children of the following classes, between eight and sixteen years of age:

1. Habitual truants.
2. Those incorrigible, vicious or immoral in conduct.
3. Those who habitually wanders about the streets or other public places during school hours, without lawful employment.

All such children shall be deemed disorderly, and the board may compel their attendance at such truant school or any department of the public schools, as the board may determine. ('99 c. 226 s. 3.)

Sec. 1450. — Commitment to state training school. Whenever the board determines that the foregoing provisions have been found inadequate to secure the attendance at school of any such disorderly child, or that he is beyond proper control in the truant or other school to which he has been assigned, it shall direct the truant officer to make complaint to a court or magistrate having jurisdiction over misdemeanors in such district or city. Such court or magistrate shall thereupon issue a warrant for the arrest of such child, and proceed to a hearing on such complaint, and if, upon such hearing, the court or magistrate shall decide that such child is disorderly and beyond the proper control of the schools of the district, and under sixteen years of age, he shall sentence him to the state training school, but in case of a first conviction, the court, in its discretion, may suspend the sentence. ('99 c. 226 s. 4; '01 c. 156 s. 2.)

Sec. 1451. — Penalty. Any person who shall fail or refuse to send to or keep in school any child of whom he has legal charge or control, and who is required by law to attend school, when notified by a truant officer to do so, and any person who induces or attempts to induce any such child unlawfully to absent himself from school, or who knowingly harbors or employs while school is in session, any child unlawfully absent from school, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than thirty days. All such fines, when collected, shall be paid into the county treasury for the benefit of the school district in which such offense is committed. ('99 c. 226 s. 5; '01 c. 156 s. 2.)

St. Peter Free Press: Medical inspection of public schools in Minneapolis has brought out the astounding fact that out of 1410 pupils examined 63 percent were found with symptoms of waste and disease from improper nourishment and in need of a physician's attention. If the word "baker's" had been substituted for "physician's" it would have been more to the point. Want of food and insufficient clothing is probably the main cause of disease with children of school age, and no amount of medical attention can overcome it. To the medical inspection however is due the discovery of this deplorable state of condition, and it should be extended to every city school in the state.

The instant response to the cry of the earthquake sufferers of Italy from all over the world has evidenced that mankind is pretty sure to be depended on for sympathy and help when distress is known to exist, and it is known just where to apply the relief.

A woman never feels hurt if the slippers a man gives her for Christmas are several sizes too small.

FOLEY'S [illegible] CURE

Makes [illegible]

CUTICURA CURED MOTHER AND BABY

[illegible] Woman Suffered With Itching, Burning Rash—Drove Her Nearly Crazy—Her Baby Had Sore on Neck, and Two Other Babies Had Skin Troubles—Calls

CUTICURA A STAND-BY THAT NEVER FAILS HER

"I just can't say enough for the Cuticura Remedies, I can't find words high enough to express my thanks to God for hearing of the wonderful remedies. My baby had a running sore on his neck and nothing that I did for it took effect until I used Cuticura. My face was nearly full of tetter or some similar skin disease. It would itch and, after scratching, it burned so that I could hardly stand it. Two cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment cured me. Two years after it broke out on my hands and wrist. I cured it for a while, but it came again in the summer. Sometimes I would go nearly crazy for it itched so badly. I used ten dollars' worth of so-called blood medicines which did no good at all, then I went back to my old stand-by, that had never failed me. One set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent did the work. One set also cured my uncle's baby whose head was a cake of sores, and I know of another woman's baby who was in the same fix and nothing else did any good. I speak a word of praise for Cuticura whenever I see a case that needs it. Mrs. Lillie Wilcher, 770 Eleventh St., Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 16, 1907."

CUTICURA OINTMENT

The World's Greatest Skin Cure and Purest and Sweetest of Emollients.

Cuticura Ointment is one of the most successful curatives for torturing, disfiguring humors of the skin and scalp, including loss of hair, ever compounded, in proof of which a single anointing with it, preceded by a hot bath with Cuticura Soap, and followed by mild doses of Cuticura Pills, is often sufficient to afford immediate relief in the most distressing forms of itching, burning, and scaly humors, eczemas, irritations, and inflammations, permit rest and sleep, and point to a speedy cure when all else fails.

Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug and Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞ Post Free, How to Cure Skin Humors.

There are fashions in note paper and calling cards, jusct as in everything else, and the knowledge of these same fashions stamps a person as "well bred."

The cards all favor the almost square sizes. The smallest are 2 1-8 by 2 1-8 inches while the largest are 3 1-4 by 2 1-4. The name in script is always popular and in good style and best of all, quite reasonable, but the old English has stood and probably always will stand at the head for style lettering visiting cards.

The old English shaded letter is, then, the style par excellence for visiting cards, and it is also by far the most expensive. The address should now be in the right hand corner, and if one lives in the city, only street and number required. If in the suburbs the town is added. If a reception day is desired, it should be placed in the left-hand corner.

The Roman letter is sometimes used on a visiting card, but seldom unless the name is unusual in spelling, and greater legibility is desired. For a business card, nothing is in better taste than the Roman letter.

Men's cards are 2 1-2 by 1 1-2 and the same style of type as for women is usually used. No address is ever given unless the cards are to be used when traveling or when a man lives at a club.

The following taken from the Todd County Argus applies to every paper published in the United States:

"Our correspondents are requested not to mention in their news letters, the successful holder of a ticket in a raffle or lottery drawing of any kind The law forbids a paper to advertise in any way, a raffle or drawing of any kind, either directly or by giving the name of the successful ticket holder. We have cut out several such advertisements and write this to explain why it was done.

"The postoffice department has been more strict in enforcing this anti-lottery law of late more than formerly, and a single line in some correspondent's letter might render the whole edition of the paper unmailable. It appears as tho this is carrying the anti-lottery opposition to extremes as no one loses much in the average raffle, where tickets are oftener ten cents than more, but the principal, underlying the raffle is the same as that of the old Louisiana lottery into whose coffers, the people poured their earnings by millions, and that powerful institution with its corrupting influence, could not be suppressed without hitting other and similar games of chance."

Alexandria Post-News: The Republican press agitating the repeal of the primary election law should stop and consider the possible result of the last three state elections had the primary law been applied to the nomination of state candidates. Any one of the three defeated candidates would have been stronger with the people if nominated in a primary election.

SHOWING IS EXCELLENT

QUARTERLY REPORT OF MUNICIPAL COURT FILED WITH CITY CLERK TODAY

NEARLY $1,000 HAS BEEN TURNED INTO THE CITY TREASURY IN THREE MONTHS

From Thursday's Daily—

The first quarterly report from the Municipal Court was filed with City Clerk Childs today by Clerk N. B. Moran, and the showing is one which will cause general surprise of the pleasing character as during the past three months the revenue to the city from that court has reached almost 1,000. When the court was established there was some doubt as to whether it would be self sustaining or not, but the report just filed leaves no doubt that the court will be a paying proposition to the city. The report speaks for itself and is as follows:

Crookston, Minn., Jan. 1st, 1909.

To the President and Members of the City Council, of the City of Crookston Minnesota.

Gentlemen:—

Pursuant to your resolution passed at the time of the establishment of the Municipal Court of Crookston requiring a summary report of the fines and fees of the court collected or due for the past year I herewith submit the following report for that portion of the year from the time the court was organized on the 3rd day of October, 1908 to the 31st day of December, 1908.

Fines, costs and fees assessed and collected in civil and criminal cases and turned into city treasury	$ 779.74
Fines and fees taxed against defendants in criminal prosecutions under the city ordinances and which were not paid by or collectable from the defendants, and which are not payable by the city under the salary system of the court officers	161.20
Total fines and fees of the court paid together with fees earned and not paid by defendants who were committed in default of payment	940.94
Witness fees and officer's fees colected by the court and paid out on order of the witnesses and officers..	147.09
Total cash collected and paid into city treasury or paid to witnesses and officers serving papers	$ 926.53

Respectfully submitted,
—Nicholas B. Moran,
Clerk Municipal Court.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, —ss.

N. B. Moran being first duly sworn says that he is the clerk of the Municipal Court of Crookston; that the foregoing statement is true and correct.

—Nicholas B. Moran.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1909.
(Seal) —L. E. Gossman,
Notary Public, Polk County, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 30, 1911.

Madison Independent-Press: At last the Seventh congressional district has scored in the matter of a state institution, and Kandiyohi county is the scorer. That county has captured the state inebriate farm, the "Boozer's Bungalow," the Willmar Republican calls it. It has taken the state board of control two years to locate home for drunks which it has done by select ing 345 acres of land two miles north of Willmar in Kandiyohi county. Ye gods and "little fishes", Kandiyohi at one time an aspirant for the state capital, gets a jag shop! That is like running for president and getting poundmaster. But, joking aside, there is no better place in the state for a home for these self-made unfortunates Pure air, pure water, pure surroundings, a community that believes that the making of drunkards is wrong to begin with, what better could be asked? The home is supported by a 2 per cent tax upon all moneys received from saloon licenses issued thruout the state—but the cash spent for whisky by these unfortunates is a burden still.

The Virginian: J. W. Olsen, state superintendent of public instruction has released for publication advance sheets of his biennial report to the coming legislature, covering the subjects of summer schools of agriculture teachers, medical inspection and play grounds. The superintendent says the first summer school of agriculture was successful. He also says there should be a definite professional standard for teachers. He points out the connection between education and health and recommends medical inspection of the school population.

Men concentrate their minds so much on their stomachs they have no thought left for their souls.

FOUND DEAD IN HER BED

THOMAS JARVIS OF EAST GRAND FORKS HAD A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE

CORONER STENSHOEL CALLED AND FOUND DEATH DUE TO NATURAL CAUSES

Coroner Stenshoel returned last evening from East Grand Forks where he was called yesterday to investigate the death of Mrs. Thomas Jarvis who was found dead in bed beside her husband when he awoke yesterday morning.

No inquest was considered necessary after an autopsy was held by Doctors Witherstine and O'Keefe, of Grand Forks, and Dr. Wilson of East Grand Forks. The doctors found that death was due to natural causes—enlargement of the heart and kidney trouble.

Mrs. Jarvis has been ailing for some time but when she retired Monday evening was feeling no worse than usual. The deceased was formerly Miss L. Olson, and has a wide circle of friends.

Too Much Hysteria

To the ordinary everyday citizen constituents of the house of represent atives it looks as tho the house has already overdone its hysterical reception of the president's criticisms upon the secret service. It is time to be sensible. It is hard to believe the report of yesterday that the house is planning to expunge from its record that portion of the president's record relating to the secret service. This would make the house still more ridiculous and it has already made itself ridiculous enough. The house cannot expunge the president's criticisms from the public mind and whatever virtue there may be on the side of congress in this matter it is certain that the country will uphold the president in his declaration that the action of the secret service can benefit no one but criminals. Congress should at once recede from its peculiar position or give the country some more reasonable explanation than it has attempted. The country has no disposition to judge the congress unheard but it is impatient of so much hysteria and so little sensible discussion of the matter in the house of representatives.—Duluth Herald.

The political tangle in Ohio has untangled itself betimes and nicely. Next week Theodore E. Burton of Cleveland will be elected to the senate. Probably, as far as the Republican legislators are concerned his election will be of the unanimous kind The Democratic brethren who were looking forward gleefully to an old-fashioned Ohio shindy—personal and factional—get nothing out of the situation but a disappointment, says the Grand Forks Times.

A few days ago half a dozen gentle men were competing for the senatorship; others of the "receptive" turn of mind, were visible on the sidelines. Today Mr. Burton has, practically, a clear track, the lieutenant governor person being a negligible quantity. First C. P. Taft, took himself out of Mr. Burton's way. He explained in his candid statement that he put aside an ambition cherished for many years rather than risk the harmony and wel fare of his party. Then Governor Harris over whom Judson Harmon prevailed November 3, and the immemorial Keifer took themselves out of Mr. Burton's way. Then a few hours later Mr. Foraker pulled out, with a final grimace at the Cincinnati candidate and organization and a handsome compliment for Mr. Burton, whom he pronounces well qualified for the senatorship by experience, ability and character. Mr. Foraker admitted in his published statement that his own re-election to the senatorship looked impossible. It has looked extremely problematical ever since his break with President Roosevelt. His last living chance vanished when he listed in the senatorial cabal against his fellow-Ohioan and fellow-Cincinnatian, William Howard Taft.

Mr. Burton has earned his promotion to the senate twice over. He will be a useful, valuable senator, as he would have been an excellent secretary of the treasury. It may be said of him that he has more information and shrewd, practical intelligence where business banking, currency and finance are concerned than any dozen of the younger men in the senate, and measures well up to the best of the seniors. As a senator he should be able to block some of the wasteful, extravagant "amendments" with which that body is sometimes moved to load the house's river and harbor bills.

Little Falls Transcript: St. Cloud liquor dealers have grasped the situation. If the law will not permit the brewery to own their saloons, they propose owning the brewery.

COMMITTEE IS NAMED

BY PRESIDENT MISNER OF THE CROOKSTON COMMERCIAL CLUB

TO CO-OPERATE WITH SCHOOL BOARD FOR LINCOLN DAY CELEBRATION

President Misner of the Commercial Club was authorized to appoint a committee to co-operate with the board of education in planning for an appropriate celebration for the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln has today announced the committee as follows:

Chairman, J. W Wheeler; G. S. Chesterman, W. A. Marin. The outline of the celebration was given to the board by Superintendent E. E. McIntyre at the board meeting and it contemplates a program which will take practically the whole day, February 12. The idea is to have exercises by the school children, singing, recitations, prize essays, etc.; an address by an outside speaker of reputation and importance and other exercises of an appropriate nature.

The entire program will relate to the martyred president and will be of the greatest interest to every citizen. It is expected that the project will be taken up at the next meeting of the board of education and that body will appoint a committee to act in conjunction with the committee appointed by President Misner.

Similar exercises will be held in all sections of the United States and in some cities the program will be a most elaborate one. Chicago, New York Philadelphia and other of the larger cities will make the anniversary one of the most important days of the year. The board of directors of the commercial club believes that Crookston cannot afford to permit the to pass without a celebration which will be commensurate with the importance of the city in this section of the northwest.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $190.06, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Rose Dupuis and Alexander Dupuis her husband, mortgagors, to James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien copartners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., dated January 8th, 1908, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1908 at 10:15 o'clock A. M., in Book 153 of Mortgages on Page 3, and said James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien, co-partners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., are still the owners and holders of said mortgage and the debt secured thereby; and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof. Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of Lot One, in Block Forty-three in the Original Townsite of Crookston, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County, thence running northerly on the west boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet, thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with the westerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet to the southerly boundary line of said Lot One, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet to the place of beginning, situated in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota. Which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the court house in the City of Crookston, in said County and State, on the 8th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $190.06 and interest and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 22nd, 1908.

—James E. O'Brien and
John W. O'Brien, Co-partners
as J. E. O'Brien & Co.,
Mortgagee.

Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minn.
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CUT THIS OUT AND SAVE IT

SAYS MANY CAN BE MADE HAPPY AGAIN BY PRESCRIPTION GIVEN

TELLS HOW ANY ONE CAN PREPARE SIMPLE HOME MADE MIXTURE

There is so much Rheumatism here in our neighborhood now that the following advice will be highly appreciated by those who suffer.

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion one ounce Compound Kargon. three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

Our home druggists say they will either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription ready to take if our readers ask them.

President Roosevelt in his special message to congress on the secret service used this language:

Of course, the more efficient an instrument is, the more dangerous it is, if misused. To the argument that a force like this can be misused, it is only necessary to answer that the condition of its usefulness, if handled properly, is that it shall be so efficient as to be dangerous if handled improperly.

The point could not be more succinctly expressed. Nevertheless, we doubt whether President Roosevelt, who makes the point, himself realizes its full import.

He realizes that the secret service as he would have it constituted, may easily become a terrible engine of discrimination and oppression. What he seems not to realize is that chances are that it would more often be "handled improperly" than "handled properly" such is human nature, such is the irresistibility of temptation to the majority of men who attain power, such is the likilhood of official carelessness or mismanagement, which may result as evilly as active official malevolence.

Thomas Jefferson's mind would have been open to the consideration of these chances, even if so positive a mind as Theodore Roosevelt's is not. Representative republican government is not the most efficient or economical in the world but in the long run it averages best. And that best average is achieved because republican government avoids the abuses of monarchical or oligarchic institutions not mainly because of the peculiar excellences of democratic administration

If Bismarcks could be succeeded by Bismarcks ad infinitum; if Marcus Aureliuses always could be emperors of the earth, benevolent despotisms would leave democracies at the post. But Bismarcks are succeeded by kaisers, and Marcus Aureliuses by dissolute sons, and, therefore, a despotism is a most hazardous system.

What President Roosevelt proposes is to arm the chief executive with an irresponsible power. It may be taken for granted that such power will be "handled properly" by this president. But there is no guaranty that his successors will all prove as vigilant, as honest as intelligent as himself. Jefferson would say that the probability amounts to a certainty that they will not.

Therefore congress, while responsive to the needs of justice is justified in scrutinizing the program of the secret service with jealous suspicion.

Esau sold his birthright for a mess of pottage. The American people, in order to secure the conviction of one more landgrabber or corruptionist, should not be induced to barter away the guaranty of their personal and civil liberties. The American people should not consent to, the creation of a Frankenstein who may become too strong for them.—Minneapolis Journal.

Willmar Journal: Franklyn Hobbs says that advertising is not something apart from business eave as the horse is separate from the cart—when unhitched, the cart is at a standstill.

Some people are witty and some others are not even half-witted.

DELEGATES ARE NAMED

T. R. BROWN AND PROF. WM. ROBERTSON NAMED BY PRESIDENT MISNER

TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL CONVENTION OF MINNESOTA FEDERATION OF CLUBS

This morning President H. C. Misner anounced as the club's delegates to the second annual convention of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs which will convene in the old capitol building in St. Paul next week Thursday and sessions will be held thruout the day and also Friday, the secretary, Thos. R. Brown, Jr., and Prof. William Robertson. The delegation wil lattend the convention without any instructions but will be expected to take such action on propositions which will come before the convention as will be in the interests of this section of the state.

Secretary Mosher has been notified of the action of the board of directors and the names of the two delegates have been forwarded to him with their credentials. At the first annual meeting the club was not a member, but J. W. Wheeler and A. D. Stephens represented the club.

An Interesting Program

A copy of the program shows that i twill be one of great interest and importance. Prof. William Robertson will have charge of the open discussion Thursday afternoon the subject being the address entitled "Minnesota as an Agricultural state and the Necessity of Developing the State's Resources" by Hon. E. W. Randall. There is no question but that this portion of the program will be of the greatest possible interest.

Following is the program in detail:

Program

Second annual convention of Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs, St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 14-15, 1909

Jan. 14, 1909, 10 a. m.—

Addresses of Welcome—Mayors Lawler of St. Paul and Haynes of Minneapolis.

Appointment of committees and organization.

Annual reports of officers.

Business Session.

Jan. 14, 2 p. m.—

Advertising Minnesota

Address—Minnesota as an Agricultural State and the Necessity of Developing the State's Resources, Hon E. M. Randall.

Open Discussion—Led by William Robertson, Superintendent, State Farm, Crookston.

Address—The Settlement of Minnesota's Unoccupied Farm Lands and the Opportunities the State Offers to the Settler, Commissioner George Welch, State Immigration Bureau.

Open Discussion—Led by D A. Wallace, Editor, The Farmer.

Address—$100,000 a Year for Advertising Minnesota's Resources, Curtis L. Mosher.

Open Discussion.

Jan. 15, 10 a. m.—

The Work of the Federation

Address—The Relation of the Federation to the Local Club, President Eli S. Warner, Commercial Club. St. Paul.

Open Discussion.

Address—The Future Work of the Federation in Upbuilding Minnesota, President D. N. Neill, Red Wing

Open Discussion.

Address—The Co-operation Needed Between Our Commercial Clubs and the State Immigration Bureau, W. L. Harris, Minneapolis.

Open Discussion.

Election of Officers.

Jan. 15, 2 p. m.—

Good Roads for Minnesota

Address—How to Build Good Roads Out of the Material at Hand, G. W. Cooley, State Engineer, Highway Commission.

Open Discussion.

Address—The Value to the Farmer and the Municipality of Good Roads G. A. Will, Minneapolis.

Open Discussion.

Thursday evening, Jan. 14th, eight o'clock—informal reception to all delegates an dvisitors by the business men of St. Paul and Minneapolis, at the rooms of the Commercial Club, St. Paul. Smoke social, ten minute talks from prominent men, a social evening and refreshments.

The delegation upon its return to Crookston on the occasion of the annual meeting of the 25,000 Commercial Club will give a detailed report of the convention.

The case of the State vs. Emma Starling and Jeannette Johnson of E Grand Forks is on before the district court today. The complaining witness, Thomas Thompson says he was robbed of $80 in an East Grand Forks sporting house last fall. The defense is of the opinion that he is trying to "shake them down" for a few dollars and they refused to be bled. County Atty. Hagen is prosecuting and C. O. Longley defending.

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Get Together---Then Stick

Unless all signs fail, Crookston is entering upon the most important period of her existence one fraught with most vital movements. A city the size of Crookston cannot stand still. Unless we are forging ahead we are going backwards.

Thus at this particular time it was never more necessary to have every business interest stand together, presenting a solid front for a better and bigger Crookston. If this is done there is no question as to the progress that will be made the coming year.

When it comes to matters that vitally effect the future of the city there should be no petty bickerings. There should not be the slightest business jealousy exhibited, but rather everyone should rejoice the more in the prosperity of others. Business men must prosper or our city cannot prosper, and every citizen is interested in the prosperity of every business interest. Business failures hardly make toward a prosperous city. Prosperity is something enjoyed jointly by a community.

Where any proposition comes up, therefore, which is vital to the progress of the city, there should be a solid front. All classes and conditions should stand shoulder to shoulder, fighting for Crookston first last and all the time. If this is done no power outside a clamigy can prevent Crookston forging ahead. All conditions are ripe for such progress.

The opportunity is here. If we fail to embrace it, we will have no one to blame but ourselves.

The President's Salary

The senate finance committee has reported favorably a bill making the president's salary $100,000 a year and it is believed it will pass, so that Mr. Taft will get the benefit of it, says the Minneapolis Journal.

This movement is the natural sequel of the practical doubling of the salaries of members of congress and members of the cabinet. The president now has $50,000 a year, but he has more than that in fact, in the provision of many things which a citizen in any other office would have to provide for himself. The president's stables are partly provided by the government. His table is partly furnished, and the government pays for some of his servants. In addition congress has made a liberal appropriation for his traveling expenses.

But the development of social life in Washington has been such that the president can do less on $50,000 a year than his predecessors could do on half the sum. The increasing complexity of the social life of the city is something that the president cannot ignore. He must do for foreign ambassadors what is done for them in other coun- The increase would enable the president to do the nation's entertaining without feeling that he was being imposed upon to stand personally the expense of something that belonged rightfully to his country to do.

The Better Way

The state of Minnesota will do well to develop its resources upon the iron ranges for its permanent enrichment instead of attempting to find ways to exploit the ranges and their people for its temporary profit, says the Duluth Herald very advisedly.

The report of the state auditor points out the better way. Mr. Iverson declares that there are 114,575,398 tons of ore in sight upon state lands, that future development will probably disclose additional deposits of great magnitude upon the state lands, that the state's revenue from state mineral leases, principally in St. Louis county, during the past two years has been 432,032.71 and that it will not be long before the state's annual income from its ore lands will exceed $1,000,000 per year.

These are startling facts but they are only a part of the facts. Mr. Iverson's statements are not exaggerated; according to experienced mining men they are in fact far too modest. Mining men declare that there are known deposits of more than 150,000,000 tons of ore upon state lands and they are confident that the development work of the next few years will show a tonnage belonging to the state that will make these figures seem insignificant. The ore now known to exist on state lands is estimated to be worth $30,000,000 and it is exceedingly probable that exploration work will eventually multiply Minnesota's assets in iron ore several times.

With so valuable a property in possession and with such rich prospects in store, how urgent is the need for Minnesota to devote itself to a systematic, intelligent development of its mineral resources. Has the legislature thought seriously of this matter, or has it been so busy with plans to mulct the people of the iron ranges for all the expenses of the state that it has not had time to care for the state's valuable property. The care and development of mineral wealth requires a peculiar knowledge and an experienced management and Minnesota's property in iron ore has grown so great that it can no longer be properly managed with such care as the state auditor may be able to give it in the ordinary administration of the affairs of his office. Instead of attempting to enrich itself by means of a system of taxation which has been rejected by every other state as impractical and unjust, Minnesota ought to be giving thought to the conservation and development of the wealth that it has a wealth so great that it may in the end be made to bear the total burden of state taxation. That were the better way.

Future State Contests Impossible

As the decision of the supreme court on the tax amendment is studied it is evident that no state-wide contest of an election is hereafter possible. It is specifically held that that correctness of the vote as returns "could be determined only by a recount of the entire vote or of such a proportion thereof that even if all the remaining votes were counted one way it could not effect the result."

The court apparently had to hold this in order to decide as it did. Otherwise it would not have been possible that when a contestant carries a recount far enough to overcome the majority returned against him then the burden shifts upon the contestee to continue the recount. This has been the invariable rule heretofore.

Cases are familiar to every one where the contestant has attacked the returns in but one or two precincts or even certain specific votes as cast. If upheld in his contention as to those votes or precincts, and their rejection or recount showed the contestant as having a majority it then was incumbent upon the contestee to either push the investigation farther or surrender. A contestee also always protected himself in this regard by challenging the entire vote, where the contestant merely singled out special precincts.

But all of this is changed now, as the supreme court holds that the burden of proof is never shifted from the contestant until if every vote not recounted is credited to his opponent, still he (the contestant) would have a majority. With all due respect to the court and with no reflection upon their sincerity, integrity and high purpose, it would be hard to conceive a more absurd situation.

The Minneapolis Journal indicates the atmospheric conditions of the Twin Cities' influences in its comment: "The supreme court now declines to overthrow a result, entirely regular upon its face, because of an assumed but as yet unestablished probability of error. And as the other returns have now been destroyed, a complete recanvass is impossible."

All of which must have been written either by a child or a knave; but it serves to illustrate how utterly impossible a complete state-wide recount as at any time as when this partial recount was made and it included over half the vote cast, the ballots in several counties was found to have already been more or less destroyed.

Under the decision a contest of a county election may still be possible but a state election never. It is in its actual effect tho of course not in its intention, notice to political tricksters and grafters that a state election gained or a state measure adopted on the face of the returns, no matter by what fraud or process of corruption, it must stand.

The $29,240,000 Fine Is Dead

The significance of the supreme court's refusal of a writ of certiorari in the Standard Oil case is that the government is limited, in case of another conviction, to a minimum penalty of $720,000 and to a maximum fine of $40,000,000 in case of conviction on all the indictments pending. The decision compels a new trial of the action, and the admission of some testimony claimed by the company to have been wrongfully excluded by Judge Landis. Thirdly, it compels the use of the number of settlements made with the railroads as the basis of computing fines, rather than the number of carloads shipped, says the Minneapolis Journal.

This last is probably the most important result of the litigation so far as the company is concerned. It is reassured upon the possibility of being mulcted in excessive fines by the process of subdividing the offenses, and attaching a count of an indictment to each subdivision. Judge Landis fined the Standard Oil company of Indiana $10,000 on each count, and each carload carried a count. The size of the fine upon each carlot might have suggested to the trial judge that he was exceeding the limit of judicial sense in his assessments, but that does not appear to have occurred to him.

Here is an instance of over-reaching. The government apparently had a good case. At least, it obtained a conviction. Had it demanded a reasonable penalty the chances are that the conviction would never have been over turned. The government would have gained the moral advantage of a victory over a hardened offender. The results could not but have been happy in discouraging rebating by other and lesser corporations. Temporarily, at least this advantage has been sacrificed in an effort to over-ride common sense and common fairness. The appellate court, and now the supreme court of the United States, have been compelled to make common cause with the Standard Oil company in resisting the encroachments of a dangerous doctrine— that of whipping one corporation over another's shoulders.

Principle Features Of The Message

Governor Johnson's message to the State Legislature summarizes Minnesota's remarkable progress during 50 years of statehood and eloquently describes the territory and resources of Northern Minnesota and the new industrial era that will follow the manufacture of iron and steel at Duluth. The state should give well-considered aid to Northern Minnesota's development by generous school provisions, road and bridge development, drainage of public lands, advantageous conditions for settlement of public lands, encouragement of immigration, wise methods of taxation, supervision of public accounts, strict health provisions and general enforcement of laws.

The governor recommends a state bureau of lands, mines and forests; continuance of the work of draining the state lands, with future appropriations for terms of six-eight or ten years; liberal appropriation for the work of the immigration commissioner; a county assessor system for purposes of taxation, with a tax commission of three in Hennepin, Ramsey and St. Louis counties; that no system of iron ore taxation be adopted that would deprive the counties, cities, towns and school districts in the mining regions of their full share of the tax levied; semi-annual payment of railway taxes; the securing of equal and just railroad rates and insistence on the maximum passenger rate being 2 cents a mile; re-enactment of the railroad laws of 1907 with the penalty clause repealed; law to compel carriers, in case of appeal from an established rate, to return excess charges to shippers if courts' final decision is against the carrier; county board of education and non-resident truant officers in country districts; definite professional standard of teachers or superintendents; the care of acutely insane persons in state hospitals and of chronic insane in county institutions, the state to make a per capita payment to the counties; the abolition of the fellow-servant rule in personal injury cases; the establishment of a state banking department; additional state examiners for municipalitie and townships; the initiative and referendum; extension of the primary election law to state officials; a one-half mill tax in lieu of all appropriations for the state university.

Rough Sea For Roosevelt

That the remaining less than two months' term of President Roosevelt's presidency is to be tempestuous sailing if the House and the Senate can make a rough sea, is evident. After all, it may be their love for the President that inspires the plan on the part of the Congress to round out his term with a strenuous life in accordance with his known tastes. It is believed that the President enjoys nothing better than contention, and whether it is big game in Africa, or big game at the Capitol it is all one to him. The President cannot make important appointments except by and with the consent of the Senate, and his appointment to the Public Printing office of Mr. Donnelly is held up in the Senate, and it is understood that Senators Depew, Elkins and Aldrich will make objections to this appointment. On what grounds does not yet appear.

The course pursued by the House of Representatives with reference to that portion of the President's regular annual message which contained the offensive strictures on the secret service matter will probably be to strike from the records the language in the message considered to be offensive to the dignity of the national legislative body.

It is also said that those parts of the President's special message on the 5th inst., criticising Representatives Tawney of Minnesota, Smith of Iowa, Shirley and Fitzgerald will also be expunged. The House may amend the President's message by striking out, erasing, blotting out, expunging, and otherwise obliterating the words on the particular sheet of paper which the President sent to Congress, but as Byron says: "What is writ is writ." It has been published in at least ten thousand newspapers in the United States, and translated into several languages. It is very widely believed to be deserved, and any such action by the House as has been suggested will simply give it wider circulation and publicity.

The action of the House will, of course, be equivalent to a censure of the President, and such pronounced censure as has not been known since the days of President Andrew Johnson, and the action will doubtless be accompanied by oratorical tirades from both Democrats and Republicans but there is a difference between the time of Andrew Johnson and the time of Theodore Roosevelt, and a vast difference in the popularity of the two men, altho they have in some respects similar characteristics. The country sends to Congress a vast body of men to do certain legislative work. The majority of those men are not there to work, but are there with their families, or without them, on a pleasure trip, very much such a pleasure trip as attracts people to the seaside, or mountain resorts, or to Europe But a small portion of the time of the majority is devoted to legislative business. It is well known how so-called statesmen fritter and waste their time there, few of them would be returned. It is a well known maxim that employes without supervision will not use their best efforts for the work of the employer. Members of Congress are no exception to this rule If the Government should appropriate a hundred millions of dollars a year for overseers or detectives to keep Congress to its work, and then some more detectives to keep the detectives to their work, and so on ad infinitum, there might be an improvement in the business of the nation. Representative Tawney who was particularly scored in the President's last message, reached Washington on the 5th inst., as it may be imagined, in a state of boiling indignation, but he has declined so far to say anything for publication

Some democratic members, it is stated, are inclined to take the stand with the President in favor of his recommendation for transfering the secret service to the Department of Justice and permitting it to be used in ferreting out crimes against the government wherever suspected.

The increase in the President's salary is the subject of a memorial from the Board of Trade of Mt. Clair, New Jersey, and was presented in the House on the 5th inst. by Representative Graham of Pennsylvania. The Memorial says: "Not only should the President of the United States receive $100,000 a year, but at the expiration of his term, he being the Commander-in-Chief of the army and navy, should be retired on halfpay ,like other officers when they leave the service, and the wife of the President surviving her husband, should receive a pension of $25,000 a year. A man who is big enough to be president of the United States and the lady of the White House who attends to its social duties during the term of a President should certainly be treated in a generous way by a people who can afford to spend $2,000,000,000 per annum, besides indulging in a canal that will cost anywhere from $500,000,000 to more than $1,000,000,000."

STATE PRESS

Ortonville Herald-Star: There will be several ambitious men in the legislature. During the session covetous eyes from several directions will be cast upon the elegant apartments of the governor, as well as upon most of the other offices in the capitol, while a congressional Barkis will develop in almost every district. Even embyro United States senators will bob up and gently feel the public pulse. It will be a session worth watching.

St. Peter Herald: The Republican party in this state might adjust its differences by submitting them to a peace commission composed of Joel Heatwole, Ed Paradis and Bob Dunn.

Rushford Press, by Mrs. J. F. Stone: The people who do the voting don't believe in a primary election law. It is a political nuisance and ought to be abated.

Walker Post: There is more joy over the one Christmas tree that is cut down than there is over the ninety and nine that stand in the swamp.

Roseau Region: The supreme court holds that a doctor may not legally draw the teeth of a patient — though necessary—because he is not licensed as a dentist. This is doubtless the letter of the law, but the law should be changed, or we may find that a doctor may not legally shave a patient's face to get at a wound or trim his hair in order to heal some scalp disease, because he holds no license as a barber. The idea strikes us as ridiculous.

Paynesville Press: It is stated that the tariff commission has recommended that the duty on "rough lumber" be removed. This is another case of handing the people a lemon. No rough lumber could be imported even if $2 per thousand were paid as a premium.

Wheelock's Weekly: The semi-centennial of Minnesota as a state is safely passed and wonder grows as to what the big cities will offer the legislature this winter as a subject of appropriation and big city exploitation.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

Girls are awful deceitful to make you think they aren't.

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The reason a woman can be so happy is she knows how to think she is.

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A man never gets over admiring how smart he is to have so nearly made a success at anything.

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If spectators had all the best seats in a church to sell on the sidewalk men would be just crazy to go.

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The commonest disease is how many men think they had good singing voices before they smoked so much.

The Carat

This tiny standard of weight altho not one person in a million ever makes practical use of it, possesses great prestige because of its connection with diamonds and other precious stones. Because of its purity and wholesome qualities, golden grain belt beer goes into the homes almost exclusively. A glass of golden grain belt beer at mealtime and before retiring builds up overworked nerve tissues and insures renewed health to body and brain. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Missouri and Ohio

The Missouri and Ohio choices for the United States senate offer a full meal for those who insist that the people must directly vote for candidates for this office. The people did vote in Missouri; in Ohio the legislature acted as authorized by those wise daddies who wrote the constitution.

In Missouri, synonymous with the wisdom of the smart Governor Folk, who typifies all those progressive sentiments that ability, integrity, honesty and patriotism, for which the people are supposed to be anxious to vote, was turned face to the wall. Yet he had proved himself as governor, as the ideal man for this higher position.

The man who defeated him was William K. Stone, Missouri's Foraker, distinguished as a clever politician than whom no mind can shift oftener nor quicker. He is now in the senate and he too has proved himself as being all that Folk is not and little that Folk is.

But Stone was nominated and Folk was beaten and this by direct vote of the people.

In Ohio neither the political intrigue of a Foraker backed by ugly wealth nor a Taft with the prestige of being brother of the president elect and master of the party machine, could win again the man who was fittest by ability temperament and experience. Burton had no statewide machine and no money but he won.

Also he won and Foraker and Taft were beaten by the legislators acting as representatives of the people.

In Missouri the result followed a long, bitter factional fight. In Ohio it followed the friendly development of public opinion and the matured judgment of the legislators. There is no bitterness and no enemities which will work ill to the state.

It must be admitted that there are at least two sides to this demand for the popular election of senators, and those who oppose it cannot be asked to look to Missouri to be "shown."—Duluth News Tribune.

At the age of 16 a girl isn't quite certain whether it is love or merely a bilious attack.

In most cases a man doesn't realize how lucky he is when a woman refuses to marry him.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

Some men make a specialty of getting into trouble.

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Many a man has lost his grip by clinging to one idea.

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A fast young man is usually slow about coming to the front.

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A man may feel his oats and still lack horse sense.

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If you must lie about somebody pick out some one a thousand miles away.

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A mother always expects her son to turn out better than his father did.

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The average man will go thru anything for his wife—including her fortune.

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Some women can lace themselves almost as tight as some men can drink themselves.

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No girl wants to be easily won, yet some of them overdo the thing and get left at the post.

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And it sometimes comes to pass that after a man has made money the money gets busy and unmakes him.

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An ounce of pluck will accomplish more in the long run than a hundred pounds of the average man's brand of luck.

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The man who is aware of his ignorance knows a lot more than some people and he stands a better chance of making good.

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The leap year girl who lost out is convinced that the lobster supply is growing smaller year by year.

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Few of us are interested in those famous pavements made of good intentions, as we don't expect to go there, anyhow.

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles. A Crookston Citizen Shows How to Cure Them

Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they may lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Crookston people testify to permanent cures.

N. L. Nelson, sheet metal worker, of 303 Jackson Avenue, Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint were constant annoyances to me for years. The aching in my back was not continued, but the cause was always there, and it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. I was suffering more than usual when I was induced to go to Wallace's drug store and get Doan's Kidney Pills. Their use promptly took the pains out of my back and helped me generally. I want to give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for working this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

C. Q. Roemer left this morning for Argyle.

Fred Brosseau left on a business trip up the north line this morning.

M. Thornton left this morning for a business trip out on the east line.

Col. Lucke who spent Sunday in the city went to Stephen this morning on business.

Supt. Sheffield the elevator man went north this morning on a business trip.

DIED LAST EVENING—Miss Tillie Sunderland died last evening after an illness covering several months. The date of the funeral will be announced tomorrow.

HAS A NEW STORY—Jos. Wessel spent Sunday in the city and is telling a new story. While it is not original it is the best sample he ever offered.

DID NOT HAVE TO GO—Jos. Koelmel left this morning for a trip north He stated that he might go to Canada but that he did not necessarily have to.

NO ONE KNOWS HIM—Ed Flom the well known deliveryman is traveling about the city incognito. He recently had his whiskers all shaved off and even his best friends do not know him.

ON BUSINESS TRIP—C. A. Pitkin left this morning for Kelliher where he went to look after some personal business matters. He has a fine quarter section of land near that place which contains some fine timber and it is also rumored that there is some valuable minerals in that section.

RETURNED TO ANGUS—Harry Miller, who spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Davies and son Frank returned home to Angus this morning. He has spent the past two years in Canada on a claim but seems very much pleased to get back to Minnesota.

BAD CASE OF ECZEMA—A. W. Rundquist the representative of the Minneapolis Tribune in northern Minnesota who resides in this city has been laid up at his home here for the past two weeks with a very bad case of eczema. However he is not grieving, owing to the fact that his wife and baby are both getting along finely

MAKING GOOD PROGRESS—The carpenters are making very rapid progress on the repairs on the Great Northern depot. Despite the extremely cold weather the shingling is almost completed, tho to accomplish this the workmen have been exposed to great hardship. The work of repair on the interior is also rapidly progressing.

LAND MAN SUICIDES—Minneapolis was treated to another sensation on Wednesday morning last by the suicide of Harry C. Dunham a member of the real estate firm of Dunham & McMurray. Dunham shot himself at his home on Elliot Avenue while officers were waiting to take him to the ceneral police station to answer to the charge of swindling. It is alleged that Dunham had been doing some systematic swindling of clients and the amount uncovered, and for which he was to have been arrested, was about $7,500. It is stated that several land deals which he was manipulating were wholly fictitious and that he was wholly without means personally. It is understood that at least one party near Crookston is interested

INSURANCE DIRECTORS ELECTED—At the annual meeting of the King Town Insurance company held at McIntosh last Tuesday the following were elected as directors for the ensuing year. C. C. Ostby and J. J. Vaatvelt, town of King; John Carlson town of Sletten; John Clementson, town of Knute; Martin Voxland, town of Lessor; H. L. Hanson, town of Hill River; Jacob Bjontegaard, town of Queen; E. O. Melsness town of Badger and K. Flaskerud. The directors will meet to organize and elect officers for the year on January 23rd. At the present time no provisions are made for the insurance of gasoline engines on the farm and a committee was elected to look into the matter. The finances of the company were found to be in excellent condition with all losses paid.

There will be a special meeting of the Current Events club held this afternoon in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building at which the members greeted Miss Clara Baldwin of the state library commission. Miss Baldwin made a most interesting address which was thoroly appreciated covering the subjects connected with her line of work.

On Feb., 1, the contract will be let for the improvements on the New Store as a result of which Wright, Carpenter and Co., will have one of the most complete department stores in the entire northwest.

Journal want ads bring results.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

From Tuesday's Daily

PLENTY OF NERVE—I. W. Kinder left this morning for a trip up the north line, and had a fine 9 mile drive in sight which did not phaze him a little bit.

PROFESSIONAL BUSINESS— Dr. H. W. Smith went north this morning on professional business. He expects to return this evening.

TRIP TO FORKS — H. E. Nesne, manager of the Crookston Marble Works is spending the day at Grand Forks on business.

CREAMERY MAN NORTH—M. J. Cort the well known creamery supply man, was a passenger north this morning, where he has a number of sales in sight.

OLD TIMER HERE—Tom Murray, one of the old time residents of East Grand Forks who has a host of friends here came over on the N. P. yesterday afternoon and is attending to some business matters. He will return home this evening.

A NEW BOARDER—Frank Thomas sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail was brought to the city last evening from East Grand Forks from which place he was sentenced by Judge T. A. Sullivan of the Municipal court. He was brought over by Sheriff Daniels.

HAMPERED BY COLD WEATHER—The trains this morning were all from 30 minutes to 1 hour late, the cold weather bothering the engines to no small extent. It is hoped the south wind prevailing will warm things up as the life of the railroad man has been rather a hard one for the past week.

WELL KNOWN FARMER HERE—C. P. Woodstrom, one of the well known farmers residing on rural route No. 5 is spending the day in Crookston on business and paid for the Daily Journal for another year in advance. He reports that the cold weather previously enjoyed was what made the contrast felt in such a marked degree.

ON DELINQUENT TAX LIST — County Auditor Welte, Deputy James Hanson and Clerk Hans Waage are certainly busy these days working on the delinquent tax list. The job is a big one as well as a very monotonous one, and it will be some time before their task has been completed. In the meantime they have little to say but are sawing wood overtime.

BACK WITH LOCAL FIRM—I. G. Sands, who for four years was employed as stone cutter for H. E. Nesne of the Crookston Marble Works but who last year was employed by a Grand Forks firm, has returned here to resume work for Mr. Nesne. His wife and children are living on a claim near Thief River Falls but will remove to Crookston to reside permanently next spring.

NO CIRCULARS IN RURAL BOXES—A recent Washington dispatch says the postal department has given orders that no letter boxes along the rural routes shall be used for depositing circulars, hand bills or other matter in that has not passed thru the mails in regular order. Violators of the order will be subjected to a heavy penalty. The ruling states that rural mail boxes are under the control of the postoffice department even tho they are provided by the patrons.

OPENS NEW ROSEAU HOTEL—P. E. Dahlquist opened his new hotel at Roseau to the public last week. The hotel is located on the business street a block and a half from the depot and is the nearest hostelry to that place. Mr. Dahlquist is one of best known men in Roseau county and his extensive acquaintance will attract his share of the patronage of the traveling public and county seat visitors. The new hotel has an office and ladies' waiting room on the first floor.

FORMERLY OF THIEF RIVER — Jas. S. Devinay until two weeks ago temporary foreman of the Soo roundhouse here, was killed on New Years eve at Wishek, N. D. While assisting in the clearing away of a wreck on the Soo at that place, he was caught in some way between two cars and instantly killed. He is survived by a young wife and his parents who reside at Enderlin. Mr. Devinay was a man about thirty five years of age, who made this city his home for several months, having succeeded Walter Meroney as the foreman here. He was well known to many local residents.—Thief River Press.

BACK FROM THE WEST — Last evening Jos. Barrette arrived in the city from Twin Falls, Idaho, accompanied by his sister Mary, and they will visit old friends and relatives here for several weeks. Their arrival was a complete surprise, as they located in Twin Falls with the balance of the Barrette family not long ago. They are pleased with their location west and report all members of the family in good health and prospering. Joe is just as genial as ever and takes the change that he brought the cold wave with him with his usual good nature. However he insists that he did not start with it from Twin Falls, but must have picked it up on the way as the train was delayed 53 hours enroute here by the cold weather. The two will remain here for about a month.

GOOD SCHOOL REPORT—Report of School District No. 246 for the month ending Jan. 8, 1909. No. Pupils enrolled 21; average daily attendance 14; those neither absent nor tardy during the month were, Gardner Bjoin, Andy Volland, Ruth Rohrer, Erwin Rohrer. Those having an average of 90 or over in spelling were: Bertha Bjoin 98; Gardner Bjoin 92; Hazel Bjoin 97; Clifford Perry 100; Stella Volland 99; Marion Roberts 100 Amy Bixler 91; Ruth Rohrer 100; Hazel Perry 99; Lizzie Welter 95; Lena Welter 89. Those having an average of 90 or over in writing were, Bertha Bjoin 92; Stella Vallond 90; Marion Roberts 93; Lena Welter 90, Amy Bixler 90. Those having a general average of 90 or over were, Bertha Bjoin 92; Stella Volland 90; Marion Roberts 94; Ruth Rohrer 90.—Nina H. Webster, Teacher.

There is going to be considerable building done in Crookston the coming summer. Among the structures to be erected will be one three story building 140 by 100 on a prominent street, the details of which cannot be published at this time. The owner of the property has decided that the land is too valuable to be covered by the shacks that at present decorate it, and early in the spring work will be started on the new structure.

Full details of the new three story building will be published in the Journal later on, in which store buildings and offices will be fully described.

Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan is getting initiated very rapidly into the fine features of his position. Day before yesterday he was called upon to take a 30 mile drive out in the country to serve some papers with the thermometer registering about 30 degrees below and yesterday afternoon he went to Little Falls on the N. P. for a very much wanted man.

If he lands his game there will be some sensations sprung in Crookston that will be of very general interest. His mission for the present will remain a state secret.

SCOTCH WILL CELEBRATE—The many Scotchmen from this locality will celebrate the birthday of Robert Burns at Mallory January 25. This custom was started about eight years ago by the people in this vicinity and has ben followed with huge success both socially and patriotically. The people of Crookston, East Grand Forks and other surrounding towns are always royally entertained by the Scotch around Mallory and this year promises to be no exception. A program of speeches and toasts is being prepared and besides this a banquet and oldtime dance will be held in the Woodmen Hall. Thomas R. Johnstone as usual will be there and assist

Who Likes Lemon Pies?

Everybody, but they are expensive and hard to make in the old way. You should try at once "OUR-PIE" Preparation for delicious Lemon pies. It is made from the choicest ingredients absolutely pure. Sure to please you, as it has thousands of others. A lady says: "I will never again try to make Lemon pie in the old way while I can get 'OUR-PIE' Preparation." Each package enough for two large pies. 10c.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

ILL WITH RHEUMATISM— Geo. Cannon, the well known local attorney is again confined to his home with a severe attack of Rheumatism.

HERE FROM FARGO—A. Gabrielson, a business man of Fargo arrived this morning and left for a trip up the Greenbush line.

ON BUSINESS DEAL — John C. Burton, the ice man is spending the day at East Grand Forks on a business deal.

TO INSPECT BUSINESS—Marcus Johnson the Red Lake Falls miller arrived from Stillwater yesterday and this morning proceeded to Red Lake Falls on business.

BURIED THIS AFTERNOON—The remains of Miss Tillie Sunderland were laid to rest from the family home on Spendley street, the services having been held at 2:30. Rev. Salveson officiated.

THAWED OUT — After resting peacefully dangerously close to the bottom of the bulb for several days the thermometer indicators began the wake up and rise last evening and today the weather is quite moderate. The thermometers this morning registered only about 8 degrees below.

PURCHASED GOODS — Merchant Melboe of Gully and Mr. Halvorson of the same place spent last evening in the city purchasing stock. They returned home this morning and reported things flourishing out their way.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

MRS. T. SOLBERG ILL — Mrs. T. Solberg who makes her home with her son Charles Solberg is very ill. Yesterday her daughter, Mrs. O. P. Johnson came down from Thief River Falls to assist in taking care of her. Mrs. Solberg is 82 years of age and her illness is due to a general breaking down. She has many friends who are very anxious about her condition.

DISTRICT COURT QUIET—There is little excitement in the district court today. Yesterday verdicts were brought in for the plaintiff in small sums in the colt case from Thief River Falls and a case from McIntosh where a contractor brought suit to recover for work done. Today a local case is on of no general interest.

WENT TO ST. PAUL—F. S. Lycan formerly of this city and now of Bemidji was in the city last evening between trains leaving on the Great Northern for St. Paul where he will do a little lobbying in favor of a good big publicity fund appropriation with which to boost the state of Minnesota Mr. Lycan was always a booster for every good proposition.

FIRE STORY WRONG—There was a rumor current in the city this morning, to the effect that Grand Forks had been visited by a bad fire this morning and that the new block in which J. H. Ruettell was to open a store in a short time had been burned to the ground. The rumor was without foundation as a telephone message received was to the effect that there was not fire enough over there, not even in the furnaces and coal stoves. They considered the story that they had too much of a fire a big joke.

EAST GRAND FORKS REPRESENTED—East Grand Forks is to be represented at the state meeting of Commercial clubs which opens tomorrow in St. Paul. The four men who will represent the East Grand Forks club at the meeting are F. C. Massee who is now in St. Paul, and John Bailey, together with N. J. Nelson and J. H. McNicol who will probably leave for the convention today. This is an annual meeting at which subjects of interest are discussed and plans made to boost the state of Minnesota. The special topics to come before this meeting will be the securing of appropriations for good roads and how to better advertise the state. Prof. Robertson, Thomas R. Johnstone and T. R. Brown will leave to represent Crookston tonight.

What was always known as the "round school" being octagonal in shape in the old Judson district in the Town of Hammond burned to the ground last Friday morning. The fire was started in the morning and the school closed to await the arrival of the teacher and students later. It caught fire probably from the stove, and was a heap of ashes before anyone arrived at the scene. It will be rebuilt.

A FARMERS' SHORT COURSE

A Farmers' Short Course will be held at the School of Agriculture at St. Anthony's Park for one month commencing Friday, Jan. 15th. The course consists of lectures demonstrations and judging of stock and grains. The most practical subjects conected wit farm life will be discussed. The course includes nearly all the farm subjects taught at the School of Agriculture. No entrance examination is given and there is no age limit. The expenses are low. It is hoped that there may be a large attendance of farmers.

There is no case on record of a cough cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else. Sold by all druggists.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

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WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
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CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

HARMONY IS KEYNOTE OF COUNCIL SESSION

Alderman Snyder Elected President And T. A. Harris Vice. Vast Amount Of Important Business Is

Disposed Of. Bills Amounting Nearly $20,000 Paid. A Progressive Year Is Promised.

From Wednesday's Daily—The City Council of Crookston started out the new year with a harmony meeting by the unanimous re-election of Alderman P. Snyder as president and Alderman T. A. Harris as vice president all members being present. The meeting was called to order by City Clerk Childs and the election followed immediately, the very best of feeling prevailed.

$19342 Ordered Paid

The council opened the ball by allowing a large number of bills, amounting in all to $19,342. Of this amount over $8,000 was in salaries, the street commissioner's payroll and other current expenses including over $6,.000 for lights, hydrants, etc., and this of course all comes out of the special improvement funds. The general fund is still in good shape with over $5,000 on hand.

Reports Received

Detailed reports were received from the heads of several departments, including Fire Chief A. J. Barrette, Fire Warden J. W. Risch, Chief of Police Eck, City Weighmaster Greenhalgh, the receipts at the city scales having been $47.60 for December.

Municipal Court Report

The report of Clerk N. B. Moran of the Municipal Court showed cash collected and turned over to the city during the past quarter, amounting to nearly $1,000.

Barrette Re-elected

A report was received from Secretary T. R. Johnstone of the Crookston Volunteer Firemen's Association, reporting the election of A. J. Barrette as chief with the other officials.

Pursuant to the usual custom the council at once proceeded to elect Mr. Barrette as fire chief.

Laid on the Table

Alderman Hussey, who had introduced the ordinance to establish a paid fire department in Crookston, made a motion that the ordinance be laid on the table and this carried, thus disposing of the paid department for the present at least.

The amendment to the dumping ground ordinance suffered a similar fate. J. E. O'Brien was allowed $200 additional on his city hall contracts.

Refunding Certificates

City Engineer Carroll presented a communication recommending an amendment to the city charter to provide for refunding certificates, non transferable, which shall be honored by the county treasurer, in order that they should not be kept out of their money so long, after it is justly due them. President Snyder was authorized to name a committee to confer with the charter commission relative to the matter.

The janitor was instructed to keep a tabulated account of the wood and coal burned to warm the city hall.

Given Use of the City Hall

On motion the 25,000 Commercial Club was granted the use of the city hall Council Chamber for the annual meeting Jan. 22.

C. F. Brennan will be granted a plumbers license two weeks hence at the adjourned meeting.

Passed First Reading

The franchise granting the Tri State Telephone and Telegraph Co., long distance conection privileges in Crookston passed its first reading. The real fight will come up at the second reading at the next regular meeting. The Tri State was also granted a refund of the unused portion of the $50 which had been deposited to pay for the publication of the application of a franchise.

Call for Bids

City Clerk Childs was instructed to call for the city printing and for the position of county physician.

H. G. Ebbighausen was granted a saloon license to continue in his present building.

Wants $200 More

Mrs. Marie Munch put in an application for $200 in addition to what she has received for ground used for bridge approaches stating that she had never authorized any one to accept a smaller sum.

The usual batch of sidewalk assessments, where the walks had been constructed were granted.

Stringent Rules

On recommendation of the city fire committee the council passed some very stringent rules and regulations covering the conduct of firemen who sleep in or occupy the fire hall room.

Payment was also authorized to the Firemen's Relief Association of the balance of $870.50 due on the chemical engine purchased two years ago.

New Hydrants

Three new hydrants were ordered in on Maple Street.

$330 the 2 per cent due from saloon license money in favor of the Inebriate Asylum was ordered paid.

City Clerk Childs was authorized to have bound about 20 copies of the proceedings of the council covering the past year.

Name Changed

An ordinance was introduced providing for the changing of a portion of what is now known as Manitoba Street to Riverside Ave., located in Highland Park. This was referred to the street and bridge committee.

The communications of City Clerk Childs appears in another column of this issue.

The council adjourned for two weeks, at which time President Snyder will announce the council committees for the ensuing year.

Young Paid Fine

One of Attorney General Young's last acts before he retired to private life was to pay the $100 fine levied upon him by Judge Lochren for violating the injunction of the federal court relative to instituting proceedings against the railroad companies as authorized by the state legislature. This leaves our retiring attorney general square with the world and we are glad that this is so.—Detroit Record.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

1909

The New Year is at hand. It's about time to turn over a new leaf—to make some good resolutions.

Why not resolve to start out January with a bank account? This bank will welcome you as a depositor—will appreciate your business.

We are serving others to their complete satisfaction. We can serve you likewise.

LARGEST AND STRONGEST BANK IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA

DEFECTIVE PAGE

MRS. M'CANNA HAS ESCAPED

HER SON SAYS THAT THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT THE MATTER

THE REPORT OF YESTERDAY FROM ROCHESTER WAS NOT TRUE

From Friday's Daily—

Charles McCanna who arrived last evening from McCanna stated that there was no doubt about the safety of his mother, Mrs. S. A. McCanna, and Miss Agnes Feeney of Rochester, Minn., despite the anxiety of Miss Feeney's friends and relatives. Mr. McCanna received a cablegram from Mrs. McCanna dated Naples, in which she told of the escape of herself and Miss Feeney.

The Herald yesterday said:

According to advices received last evening, Minneapolis relatives of Mrs. S. A. McCanna a former resident of Grand Forks ,are somewhat alarmed because the revised list of the Americans who are saved does not contain either her name or that of Miss Agnes Feeney, of Rochester, Minn. In Minneapolis it is stated that there has been no news received from either of the ladies named. A few days ago it was stated that both Mrs. McCanna and Miss Feeney had been accounted for. They traveled together and it is considered probable that both are dead. The Grand Forks Herald received the following dispatch from Rochester, Minn., last evening:

"It is now probable that Miss Agnes Feeney perished in the earthquake in southern Italy. Communications have been received here from her dated at Naples. She stated that she and her aunt Mrs. S. A. McCanna, intended to leave within a fe wdays for Sicily. Her letter was dated Dec. 19. No further word has been received and friends here have given up hope. Miss Feeney was a daughter of Thomas Feeney, a capitalist of this city."

The state department at Washington yesterday received a dispatch from American Consul Gale at Malta, showing the following Americans to be safe and well:

Lillian and Elizabeth M. Wiggins, Henriette L. Stadelman, John B. Wright and wife, Dr. Herbert Norris and wife, Mary H. Dehart, May Sherman, Margaret Mendell, Mrs. Martha Kittridge and daughters, Ethel and Clarissa, Mrs. Alfred Harris and daughter, Rosalia, J. A. Kain and Thomas Robinson families, Catherine Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund D. Garrett, Jullian Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hapgood, Miss Mary Moss, Frances M. and Elizabeth G. Bockius, Emily Croasdi, Estelle Fagan, Eleanor M, Wood,

HIS WIFE DIED VERY SUDDENLY

FORMER FARMER RESIDING NEAR EUCLID LOSES HIS WIFE

B. C. Vonderbeck yesterday received a letter from his wife's brother, Dennis Losey, telling of the sudden death of the wife of Mike Tracey. They formerly resided near Euclid and have many friends in this section. Mr. Tracey woke up early in the morning and found his wife very sick. Before he could summon a doctor she was dead. She leaves three children, the eldest of whom is but 12 years of age.

A CREAMERY FOR KEY WEST

Louis Wentzel, one of the prosperous farmers near Key West is advocating the erection of a creamery at that place. The farmers are all very much interested and it is expected that within a short time enough cows will be pledged to make the venture a success. The interest taken in the project by Mr. Wentzel is most creditable and the establishment of the creamery at that place will mean much for the future prosperity of the community.

Some More Rumors

Frank Everdell was over from Breckenridge Tuesday. Mr. Everdell states that the Great Northern trainmen, a large number of whom make their headquarters in Breckenridge have a report that Fergus Falls is to be made a Great Northern division point in the near future. He states that they are all talking this, and seem to have received the report from authorative sources. The Great Northern is re-arranging its divisions to some extent, and it may be that something will come this way, but thus far nothing has been heard at the local station.—Fergus Falls Journal.

PRIZE FOR BEST GRAIN

MINNESOTA FIELD CROP BREEDERS' ASSN. HAS MEETING ON JAN. 13, 14, 15.

$500 IN PRIZES OFFERED FOR BEST GRAINS, GRASS SEEDS AND OTHER FIELD CROPS

From Friday's Daily—

The annual meeting and seed fair of the Minnesota Field Crop Breeders' association will be held in Minneapolis on January 13, 14 and 15.

Some 500 is to be given in prizes, and for the benefit of those in this section who may desire to enter grain in the contest, we publish the following rules governing the contest:

1. The seed entered in any and all lots must have been grown in the state of Minnesota during the season of 1908.

2. The quality of seed entered in each lot must meet the requirements to be considered for prize money.

3. All entries must have been received by the Superintendent of Exhibits, Mr. L. B. Bassett, not later than 5 o'clock on January 12, 1909. Those sending samples by express should govern themselves accordingly

4. All samples sent in by express must be prepaid to Minneapolis and addressed to L. B. Bassett, Minneapolis, Minn., care Field Crop Breeders' Fair.

5. All samples entered for premiums shall become the property of the Field Crop Breeders' Association and may be offered at auction or private sale at the close of the meetings.

6. No one sample can be entered in more than one class and lot.

7. No person shall be allowed to enter more than one sample in each lot.

THE PLAINTIFF GOT VERDICT

The jury in the case of Berg vs. Robert Campbell of Fosston awarded the plaintiff a verdict of $175 for digging a flowing well. Today the suit of the Russell Grader Co. vs. Messrs. Lerum Roholt and Levi Steenerson of Climax is being tried. It is an action to collect for a grader.

At 6:30 o'clock last evening Miss Mary Frank was married to Mr. Charles E. Stinchfield, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Frank, on Park avenue, in the presence of only the immediate relatives and intimate friends of the contracting couple.

The parlors were tastefully decorated with holly and cedar of which also was composed the bower in which the bridal party stood during the ceremony.

Promptly at the hour appointed the bridal party entered the parlor in which the guests were assembled, Rev Grant Stroh, the officiating minister, leading, followed by the bride and the groom and they in turn by the bridesmaid and the best man. In the beautiful ritual of the Presbyterian church the two plighted their troth and were made one, after which they received the hearty congratulations and best wishes of their assembled friends. Miss Fannie Stinchfield, sister to the groom, was bridesmaid and Mr. James A. Frank brother to the bride was best man.

After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding supper was served. Among the out of town guests who were present were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sinclair of Stephen, and Mrs. Wick of Pembina. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful wedding gifts from their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinchfield left on last night's flyer for an extended wedding trip. From here they go directly to Chicago thence in turn to Evansville Ind., Nashville and Chattanooga, Tenn and Jacksonville, Fla. From there they will proceed down the Florida coast to Titusville and then sail for Havana, Cuba, visiting also the Bahama Islands, Key West, Tampa and Miami, and besides many points of less note in that region, and will be at home in Warren after March first.

The bride is known to nearly every one in Warren, having lived in the city or vicinity ever since her childhood and enjoys the highest esteem of a very large circle of friends. The groom is superintendent of a line of elevators on the Soo road. He has made this city his home but a comparatively short time, during which he has gained the respect of all with whom he has come in contact in either a business or a social way.—Warren Sheaf.

Miss Frank has a great many friends in Crookston having been one of the teachers in the city schools several years ago. She has also taught in many of the schools of Polk county and is a young lady held in the highest esteem by all who know her.

Read The Journal Wants.

BIG MEETING JANUARY 22

ANNUAL COMMERCIAL CLUB GATHERING WILL BE A RECORD BREAKER

BUSINESS MEETING WILL BE HELD IN AFTERNOON—BANQUET IN EVENING

From Friday's Daily—

The 25,000 Commercial club's annual meeting gives promise of being one of the most enthusiastic that has ever been held in this section. The greatest interest is already being taken in the event with the result that an attendance upon the part of the full membership of the club may be expected. The board of directors at a recent meeting appointed a special committee to make all arrangements and plans for the meeting and at a subsequent meeting this committee, which was composed of J. A. Cowley L. Ellington and J. F. Fournet, made a preliminary report. The committee at its own request was increased from three to five members, the two additional committeemen being expected to look after the financial end of the celebration. President H. C. Misner has announced that he has named Mayor J. D. McPhee and C. R. Winslow as additional members of the committee.

There will be an afternoon meeting starting at 3 o'clock. This will be held in the council chamber of the city hall. At the afternoon meeting the business session of the club will be held. Reports will be received from the president, the secretary and the treasurer, while the different committees that have had charge of important matters will give detailed reports of what has been accomplished.

The election of officers will also take place at this session. The club will elect a president, two vice-presidents a treasurer and a board of eleven directors.

While the complete program for the evening of January 22 is not in shape to give indefinite announcement yet the committee has authorized the statement that one of the most elaborate banquets that has been held in Crookston in some time will be given. The board of directors has directed that this banquet be held at the Hotel Crookston and there is no question but that this social feature of the annual meeting will be most enjoyable.

MONTAGUE MAY RESIGN FROM BOARD

Judge R. J. Montague now president of the Crookston Board of Education may have to resign on account of a new construction of the law regarding such matters. President Montague has been a member of the school board for years and is a very active and efficient official in that capacity, and it would be a decided loss if he decides to tender his resignation.

There is use of cheese at breakfast that should be more frequent than it is; namely with eggs, and preferably in the form known as Swiss eggs. This was the favorite supper dish of the celebrated Brillat Savarin. To make it you take of cheese—by preference Swiss cheese—a quantity of the size of an egg; of butter a quantity half the size of an egg, and of eggs take three. This should be enough for two people. Put the eggs in a bowl and add a tablespoonful of water for each egg, as tho to make an omelette. Put the butter in an omelette pan and when melted add to the cheese in fragments and allow it to melt in the butter. Stir the eggs well and pour into the pan and stir there until done, which should take only a few minutes. Season with salt and pepper, preferably paprika. This seems to please almost everyone and has great success as a breakfast dish.

Another use of cheese for breakfast that should be popular is of the kind known as sap sago, male in little conical form and having a green color. The German name for this article is kreuter kase or herb cheese. It is made in the conton of Glarus in Switzerland from a mixture of skimmed milk of the cow and the goat together with butter milk. The curd for this cheese is brought down from the mountains in bags by the herdsmen and the little cheeses are finished in the valley. To each 100 pounds of the curd three pounds of the powdered leaves of Blue Melilotis, a fragrant plant akin to sweet clover is added. It is this herb that gives the cheese a green color and the peculiar taste. It is said that more of this kind of cheese is shipped to the United States than to any other country. At breakfast you put this cheese grated upon bread and butter and you will find it will fill a long felt want. It is improved however, by sprinkling the bread and butter so prepared with fresh water cress cut up finely by a pair of shears. You will not regret this simple breakfast dish.

NEW LAND OFFICE RULES

STONE AND TIMBER LAND MUST BE APPRAISED IN FUTURE AFTER ENTRY

LAND CANNOT BE SOLD AT LESS THAN $2.50 PER ACRE—MAY BE APPRAISED HIGHER

From Friday's Daily—

As many of the residents of this section have taken stone and timber claims and others are contemplating doing so, they will be interested in new rules that have been adopted The new rules include one radical departure from former methods of procedure that of appraising all lands under this act, and instead of selling it for $2.50 per acre as formerly it will be sold for nearer its real value.

The new regulations are practically the same as formerly, differing only where the appraisers make new rules necessary. Heretofore the applicant merely filed his application, made his final proof, and paid $2.50 per acre and $10 office fees. Now he must deposit $10 with his application, and within 30 days after being notified of the appraised value of the land, make final proof, first payment the required price, which cannot be less than $2.50 per acre.

When the applicant makes his filing he must file a sworn statement in duplicate of his estimate of the value of the land and timber separate, and the two together. One of these is filed with the land office and the other sent to the field division. The chief of the field division. The chief of the field division must then decide whether an appraisment is necessary and if it is order it made within nine months of the date of filing. If an appraisment is unnecessary, or if it is not made within nine months of the date of filing, the applicant may make final proof on the land at the figure named in his application. If he fails to act within 30 days after the nine months' appraisment period he loses his timber and stone rights.

The officer designated to make the appraisal of land, must visit the land and make an examination of every legal sub-division. The several kinds of timber must be appraised separately at their stumpage valuation and the land, independent of the timber. The land and timber, in each case, be appraised at $2.50 per acre at least. If the chief of the field division is not satisfied with the appraisal he will return the papers to the appraiser without his approval, and if his objections are upheld by the register and receiver a new appraisment will be made by a different officer.

Whe nthe appraised price is given the register and receiver they will notify the applicant that he must, within 30 days deposit the required amount with them. If the applicant thinks the appraisal too high, he may file a protest against the appraisement and deposit with the register and receiver enough money to pay for a reappraisment by a different officer. The protest must be supported by two competent, creditable and disinterested parties, setting forth specifically his objections.

If the applicant for land does not make final proof after an appraisement is made, the appraisement will stand and the land will be sold to the next applicant at that price. If only one appraisal has been made, he may ask for a reappraisement at his own expense.

The Senate's Hole In the Wall.

When the nineteenth century was as yet only half grown, senators applied customarily for their toddies at the so called Hole in the Wall, a small circular room just off the postoffice of the upper house. The latter body then occupied what is now the chamber of the supreme court, and the postoffice was across the main corridor of the building on the same floor. When a wearer of the toga found himself in need of a "snifter" he had only to cross over to the mails department and pass through it to the little circular room aforesaid, which was about the size of a pantry. The Hole in the Wall was the first senate restaurant, and the bill of fare for edibles was short, though to the point. There was ham, guaranteed to have been smoked for six months. a veritable sublimation of the pork product; there were corned beef and bread and cheese, but very little else. They served, however, as an accompaniment for the fluids, and when the Hole was crowded, as was often the case, senators ate their sandwiches outside, in the postoffice.—Washington Post.

The basis of a woman's faith in any body is how much unhappier she would be without it.

The man who becomes famous usually does so thru the efforts of others to prove that he isn't.

A woman can generally manage to get furs for a Christmas present if she has to give them to herself.

We feel sorry for some men who are compelled to listen to their own talk.

WANTS MONEY FOR INSURANCE

FRED BEHLMER'S FAMILY THINK HE IS DEAD AND WANT INSURANCE

DISAPPEARED FROM CROOKSTON JULY 17, 1901—NOT SEEN SINCE

From Thursday's Daily—

Atty. Theodore Buehler of Alma, Wis., spent yesterday in the city and left this morning for Argyle where he will consult with Mrs. Fred Behlmer relative to the colection of $2,000 insurance which was carried by Mr. Behlmer in the A. O. U. W.

Behlmer was a former resident of this city ,and at one time operated the shoe store where Carl Reidesel is now located on Second Street.

Later on he had a farm northeast of the city and at the time he disappeared he was living in the old Nicholson house near the Great Northern bridge on 8th street and was running a milk wagon.

On July 17, 1901 he bought a pair of shoes of Mr. Reidesel and that was the last seen of him. It is supposed that he took the north train for Canada, but nothing is known definitely about that question. He left his wife and five children, and they have never heard anything from him since.

The family since moved to Argyle where they now reside and Attorney Buehler left for that place this morning to get further information. He was a former school mate of Behlmer and is a friend of the family. Mrs. Behlmer and Mr. Reidesel kept up the insurance for about a year after Behlmer disappeared after which the payments were stopped.

At the time he disappeared Behlmer was treasurer of a school district northeast of the city and after his disappearance it was found that he was $800 short in his accounts and C. Reidesel and Deforest Bucklen, who were his bondsmen, made the shortage good out of their own pockets.

It is supposed that Behlmer is dead, and Attorney Buehler is trying to have him declared judicially dead to collect the insurance.

The average person who has little to do with electricity is apt to become confused by the electrical terms used. An electrical publication gives the following explanation in popular terms.

"When an electric current is flowing in the trolley wire or electric lighting circuit there are three factors involved. One of these is the pressure expressed in volts which causes the current to flow; another is the resistance or opposition offered by the circuit to the flow which is expressed in ohms; the last is the current strength or volume, expressed in amperes which is maintained in the circuit as a result of the pressure overcoming the resistance. The ohm is named in honor of George Simon Ohm, a distinguished German electrician. The volt is named after the Italian scientist, Volta. The ampere is named after the French scientist, Ampere.

"The unit of current is called the ampere. The unit of electrical pressure or electromotive force is called the volt. The unit of electric power is the volt-ampere, and this is called the watt. Seven hundred and forty-six watts per hour equal one horse-power. The unit of energy—the product of electric power and time—is called the Joule, but this unit is too small for practical purposes and the kilowatt hour is the work done by a thousand watts working for one hour.

"These electrical terms are as familiar to electrical engineers as feet and inches are to the average boy; the layman does not understand, because he has never been taught, has never had to use the terms, has never read about them.

"It is easier to understand these terms if we consider electricity as a fluid and liken it to a current of water flowing thru a pipe. The rate of flow of water in the pipe depends upon gravitation and the height of the reservoir or source above the outlet. The greater the height of the source the greater will be the pressure of water and the greater the flow in gallons per minute. It is just the same with electricity. A current flows from a high potential to a low potential whenever the two are joined by a conducting wire. It is merely a difference of level. Watch a stream of water from the nozle of a garden hose striking a bank of soft earth. Considering it as a stream of electricity, which unfortunately cannot be seen the force of the stream or its pressure represents voltage; the size of the stream or flow, the amperage; the wattage the amount of work done in washing away the dirt. Suppose the interior of the nozzle and hose is rough, which offers a resistance to the ready flow of the stream; this fraction and resistance is represented by ohms is an electric circuit."

Some men are so lucky they can have the water pipes freeze in their homes without bursting.

TO ADVERTISE OUTING PLACES

FEDERATION ANNUAL MEETING WILL TAKE UP THIS FEATURE IN STATE ADVERTISING

SESSIONS WILL BE HELD IN ST. PAUL COM. CLUB'S ROOMS INSTEAD OF CAPITOL

From Thursday's Daily—

Secretary Brown of the commercial Club received this morning two important notices from Secretary Mosher, of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial clubs. One refers to the meeting in behalf of the state's summer resorts and it as follows:

At the second annual convention of the Federation, to be held on Thursday and Friday of next week in St. Paul, there will be a special meeting of the representatives of Minnesota Summer resort points at which the secretary will present what is believed to be the cheapest and best system yet devised by which to attract the attention of wealthy tourists, sportsmen etc., to Minnesota. Details of this plan will be thoroly explained. The secretary believes that the ideas which have been worked out will enable many interested Minnesota summer resorts to advertise as never before, and at such a low cost as to make the opportunity exceptionally attractive. The system which is proposed will be discussed in detail with special reference to the resorts represented at this special meeting. A limited number of Minnesota points will join in this plan, but all Minnesota summer resorts will be invited to come in if they wish.

All the necessary work will be done without cost to the various cities and towns represented excepting for one or two items for which it is impossible to avoid expenditures, but such will be distributed in such a manner as to make the burden very light. The secretary will contribute to all interested towns his personal services and experience without cost, and has secured the valuable co-operation of powerful railways, likewise without cost.

To insure the success of this plan and the participation of all Minnesota points interested in summer resort matters, it is very important that your delegates be advised of this special meeting, and if no delegates have yet been appointed, that they be appointed at once. The time is short. The sessions of the convention will open January 14, at 10 o'clock a. m. (Thursday of the coming week.)

The second is relative to a change in place of holding the sessions of the convention. The senate chamber of the old capitol building will be occupied, and the St. Paul Commercial club has offered the use of its rooms. Following is the notice received:

Important Notice

On acount of a conflict of dates it has been found impossible to obtain the use of the senate chamber of the Old Capitol for the use of the Federation on the opening day of its convention, Jan. 14-15 next week Thursday and Friday. For this reason it has been decided to change the place of meeting and to accept the kind offer of the St. Paul Commercial Club of the use of its rooms for our sessions without cost to the Federation. The second annual convention will therefore be held at the quarters of this club on the ninth floor of the Germania Life Building, St. Paul which is located at the corner of Fourth and Minnesota streets. Delegates unfamiliar with the location of this building can find it by turning up Sibley Street from the Union Depot to Fourth St., turning to the left on Fourth Street and walking three blocks. The building stands at the end of the third block on the left hand side of the street.

Several clubs have not yet appointed delegates. This matter should be attended to at once. Two delegates from each club will be entitled to vote. All clubs are welcome and are heartily invited to join with us, irrespective of the fact that they have or have not joined the federation.

Kindly caution your delegates with reference to this change of place of meeting.

From the big-headed man's viewpoint this is a tiny world.

The more a woman knows about the affairs of her husband the less she has to says about them.

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ANDERSCH BROS., Department 66, - - - MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

CALLED TO BEMIDJI—J. R. Rasmussen left this morning on the delayed train for Bemidji where he was called on business matters.

S. M. Graves left this morning for his regular north trip.

OVER ILLNESS—Claude Carpenter the mail carrier who has been ill for the past few days resumed his work again this morning.

BROKE HER WRIST— The many friends of Mrs. R. M. Hufman will regret to hear she fell Tuesday breaking her wrist. The injury is a very painful one. The injured member is a little less painful today.

TWO WEEKS ON CLAIM— Chas. Ackerlund the well known and popular mail deliveryman left this morning for his homestead near Beaudette where he will remain for a couple of weeks. During his absence Emil Rossberg is subing on his route.

BACK FROM LITCHFIELD—Martin Nelson returned yesterday morning from Litchfield, Minn., where he has been on business and visiting relatives. His sister died there last February, leaving a fortune of $25,000 and it was in conection with this that he made the trip below.

SHY OF TOBACCO—Some farmer on Rural Route No. 5 today phoned to the Journal office to have some merchant send a delivery team out that way with a caddy of tobacco. He said he had the only plug of tobacco in the neighborhood and every farmer was begging from him. All stores were duly notified.

HAD A GOOD WAIT— Attorney L. P. Monson of Drayton, N. D., who has been a guest at the home of Mrs. N. F. Woodstrom and family in Lowell Township for the past two weeks was called home Tuesday on business matters, and was fortunate enough to be tied up at Hixon for 1 hours on the trip.

LOOKING UP LOSS—Insurance Adjuster Seeman of the Great Northern is spending the day in the city looking up the loss recently sustained in connection with the freight and passenger depot fire. He has not yet decided what the loss was as in conection with the freight destroyed or damaged it is a very hard matter to ascertain.

BUSY SESSION — The board of county commissioners put in a busy day today, mostly considering ditch matters. The Valley View was tendered the county printing at 6 cents per description of the delinquent tax list and 40 and 20 cents for other notices.

AN OLD TRADITION — The old truism that closing a hotel register will bring bad luck to the house is entertained by hotel men and clerks everywhere and was given a good demonstration in Crookston the other day. A prominent Crookston man was examining the pages of the Crookston register and after a search of several minutes turned to walk away at the same moment starting to close the book. But the action was observed by one of the cashiers just in time to avert the impending calamity. The near-offender man instantly understood and apologized, saying that he was thinking of something else or he would never have been guilty of going against the old tradition.

The social session held last evening by Crookston Lodge No. 342, B. P. O. E. was the most largely attended held in many years past. About 250 Elks were present and the entire evening was one of the most enjoyable ever passed in the local lodge rooms.

The mock trial at which Judge Vaule presided, and at which the leading member of the bar of this section made pleas that brought tears to the eyes of all present, provoked great merriment and as far as learned, while the man on trial was convicted of diabolical lapidermicus swashicontaminaticus, Jailor Tom Casey has received no new guests today, and it is supposed that bail was granted.

When the train arrived from Duluth last evening it was minus a conductor and Conductor Remshardt bunked at Erskine.

When the train was pulling from Erskine last evening the steam was so thick that he could not see it, and decided to take no chances of getting hurt and let the train go on without him. He was not missed till the train nearly reached Mentor. He came in this morning and is ready to fight anyone who joshes him about the mishap.

This morning at 10:30 at St. Annes church, Father Tapin performed the ceremony which united for life Mr. Peter Ayotte of Gentilly and Miss Abbie Patenaude of this city. The bridesmaid was Miss Emma Patenaude, a sister of the bride, and the best man was Mr. Ernest Fountin. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of friends, and after the wedding a sumptuous wedding dinner was served at the Riverside hotel by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patenaude, parents of the bride after which the bridal couple drove to the home of the groom's parents 2 miles from Gentilly where they will visit for a few days before going to the fine farm home of the groom. Both are well known and very popular young people, and the best wishes for their future happiness is extended by a large circle of friends.

Yesterday was known in legends as "Old Christmas' 'and last evening the "Twelfth Night" festivities were celebrated at numerous small and informal parties. The Lord of Misrule, so the old story goes, has reigned since the night after Christmas and last night he was dethroned and all the Christmas greens were taken down and burned as offerings, or else the evil spirit may linger about the house thru the year. Modern hostesses have turned the picturesque old myths into an excuse for a holiday entertainment The Christmas greens were burned in many houses Wednesday evening, not as offerings, but as a preliminary bit of fun to a chafing-dish supper. At the "'Twelfth night' 'supper "mystery" cake is an important part of the fare. And in the cake is hidden a bean. Whoever finds the bean becomes king or queen of the frolic that follows, the supper. Everything the leader does each guest must do, whether it be to eat drink, sing dance or sneeze, so it means that there will be a very merry ending to the "Twelfth night" party.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

ON LEGAL BUSINESS—Attorney G. A. E. Finlayson is here from East Grand Forks today attending to some business at the court house. He will return home this evening.

VISITED FORKS—C. Teal Sr., of Euclid returned home this morning after returning from a business trip to Grand Forks.

ON BUSINESS EAST—A. O. Storvick left this morning on a business trip on the east line and will be absent a couple of days on official business.

C. U. WEBSTER HERE — C. U. Webster Jr., the well known farmer of Beltrami, and one of the best in the northwest, spent yesterday in the city leaving last evening for Fisher where he will visit with his father for a few days before returning home. He reports things quite at Beltrami.

ON PROBATE BUSINESS—Atty. J. A. Hendricks of Fosston is spending the day in the city attending to some important business before the probate court and also has a case in the district court. He expects to return home this evening.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—Attorney H. L. Gaylord of Fertile was an arrival in the city this morning on his return from St. Paul where he was called on some business before the supreme court. He says things are rather quiet at the capitol but that there is apt to be some doings before the legislative session adjourns.

BUYS SAWMILL — Mike Wentel, one of the well known farmers west of Crookston has purchased a portable sawmill which he has had set up seven miles west of this city and will do custom sawing the balance of the winter. He has already booked many orders and expects to be kept busy the balance of the winter. The saw mill will be ready for operation some time next week.

BAD FIRE — Brown Bros. saloon men in East Grand Forks were burned out yesterday morning. The fire started at 4 a. m., from some unknown cause, supposedly from a stove in the basement. Their loss was $6000 and $1200 insurance. They will start business in another place at once.

BACK FROM CANADA — George Rutherford, one of the old time farmers from Keystone has returned from the lumber camps near Bemidji. He came down to meet his son, Wm. A. Rutherford, who is located at Gernsy, Alberta, Canada, who has been ill, but who is better and passed thru the city last evening enroute to Grand Rapids where he will visit a sister for a few weeks.

Senator A. D. Stephens was an arrival this morning from St. Paul and took the "Fish Limited" for Roseau where he was called on important business. Relative to legislative session. Senator Stephens stated that there was very little doing as yet. So far he has introduced but one bill, and that was as chairman of the finance committee,—a bill for $135,000 for legislative expenses.

He predicts that the session will be a very lively one later on, an dexpects some very important legislative matters to come up for consideration.

The school board at a meeting today appointed Messrs. R. J. Montague Carl Reidesel and McIntyre as a committee to confer with a similar committee named from the 25,000 Commercial Club to make definite arrange ments for the proper celebration of Lincoln's birthday.

The two committees will meet this afternoon at 4:30 at which time the preliminary steps will be taken regarding the celebration and it is expected that the program will be one of the best that has ever been arranged for such an occasion in this city.

Creamery Inspector O. A. Storvick has received word from St. Paul that he is to have a assistant in the near future in the person of H. A. Goetsch.

The territory has been too large for one man to handle properly for some time past and the department decided to add another man and at the same time to add three more counties to this territory, Wadena, Otter Tail and Wilkin.

This will give this section a much better service than before.

On Monday morning next at 10:00 o'clock at the school house in Fanny Township the Union Telephone Co., will hold their annual meeting at which time all matters of interest will be taken up and disposed of. The company has erected many miles of lines during the past year, and the patrons are well pleased with the service given. It is expected that during the coming year there will be many more miles of wire strung, and consequently a much better service given as more people will be connected up in that section of the county.

O. C. Taftner the buttermaker for the creamery at Erskine won the second prize in the six months' contest for hand separator creamery class and is now enjoying the free trip to Chicago which was given for that prize.

The idea in giving that prize was to show the buttermaker who was fortunate enough to win what the market conditions were, and how best to meet the conditions in order to get the best results.

The fine showing made by the Erskine creamery is a source of great satisfaction to everyone in Polk Co., as it is an advertisement that will be of inestimable value to this section.

NOT A SUCCESS — It has been found that the method of placing of stamps to the value of ten cents upon mail matter and marking across the stamps "special delivery" has not worked successfully. A great many complaints have been registered with postmasters because of mail so stamped not reaching its destination by special delivery. This was due to the handling of mail by postoffice employes who failed to observe the marking. In many instances the writing of "special delivery" was indistinct and mail matter went thru with the ordinary stamped mail. The method has not been discontinued, but more asurance of quick delivery comes with the use of the regular special delivery

Northwestern Hide & Fur Co. Minneapolis, pay 11ct. for Hides and high price for furs. Sell traps cheap.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

SECURE REDUCED RATES— To Canada from W. E. Black's Collection and Insurance Agency, McKinnon Block, Crookston, Minn.

$5 AND COSTS—Max Ingborg was today fined $5 and costs on a charge of asault preferred by Mose Giller. The fine was paid and the matter was settled in this manner.

BACK FROM CLIMAX— Theodore B. Nelson returned this morning from Climax where he has been selling Singer Sewing Machines for the past few days. He reports business as very good in that section for some time past.

WENT TO FORKS—J. H. Ruettell went to Grand Forks this morning to attend to some business matters. He expects to return this evening. The fact that he got on the train for St. Vincent is not supposed to be for publication.

FINE BABY GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoven are the parents of a very fine baby girl, which his stork-ship left there as a companion for their first arrival, which was a son. Mother and baby are both doing very nicely.

ANGUS FARMER HERE— Albert Brush one of the well known young farmers from Angus spent yesterday in the city returning home this morning. He says that business is very quiet up north this winter—even in the phonograph line.

WILL FAVOR NATIONAL GUARD

CAPT. WESTERBERG AND LIEUT. EIDE RETURN FROM ST. PAUL

THE PAPER OF CAPT. WESTERBERG ONE OF BEST ON THE LIST

From Saturday's Daily—

Capt. Westerberg and Lieut. Eide have returned from St. Paul where they attended the meeting of the Minnesota National Guard. The program included some special papers Monday and Tuesday last at which some of the leading members of the Guard in the country were present and contributed numbers.

One of the best papers was the one read by Capt. Westerberg on "Home Ranges and the Work Accomplished and to be Accomplished on Same."

The paper covered the subject thoroughly and was favorably commented upon by many of those present.

The most important matter which was taken up was in connection with the proposal to pass a law at the present session of the legislature to nave the state pay an equal sum to that appropriated by each city or village where there is a company of militia and the state will pay as much for the maintenance as the local city or village.

THE FIRST VISIT IN FIVE YEARS

H. M. Olson a brother-in-law of C. L. Swisdal, arrived in the city from Grand Rapids with his mother and the two are spending a few days at the two are spending a few days at the Swisdal home on Front Street. They will remain here till Monday when they will proceed to Alexandria where they will visit for a few weeks. This is the first visit Mr. Olson has made to Alexandria since he left there 5 years ago.

ARREST MAY FOLLOW — Sam Deck this morning, made an arrangement with a local coal company to deliver coal. He only lasted for a short time as his partner claimed that he had to do all the work. Sam only lasted for two loads.

WENT NORTH—W. L. Doe representing the Nichols and Sheppard Co., was an arrival in the city this morning and left for a trip up the north line this morning. He will represent this territory the coming year with his headquarters in Crookston.

BABY SON DIED — Mr. and Mrs. eGo. Heller are mourning the loss of their little son two months old who died yesterday morning. The funeral will take place from the family residence on North Fourth St., tomorrow morning. The cause of death was bronchitis.

TWO DRUNKS—Things were very quiet in police circles today the only two cases being drunks who were given the regulation fine of $5 and costs assessed by Judge Gossman in the Municipal court. Both were paid and the offenders went on their way rejoiceing.

BACK FROM CANADA—Harry Miller who has been holding down a claim in Canada for the past two years which he proved up on a few months ago, came down from Angus last evening and will return home Monday morning. Of course he says he likes Canada but his friends seem to think that he is pretty glad to get back to God's country.

HERE ON BUSINESS—D. H. Miller the well known farmer of Angus drove to the city last evening with his cream separator which was out of commission. He had it repaired and will return home this afternoon. Mrs. Miller is one of the farmers who make butter and cannot get enough to supply the demand of his customers in Crookston.

NO CHANGE IN CONDITION—The condition of Wylie Phillips is practically the same as it has been for the past few days. His fever is about the same but his physician is of the opinion that he will recover. Many friends in the city hope this prediction is correct.

JUST 30 BELOW — It was just 30 below by the government thermometer this morning. This is the second time this year that the atmosphere has reached that degree of causticness It is reported that all the bananas were slightly frosted in this section.

BODY SHIPPED BACK — The remains of Miss Flora McDonald 30 years of age, niece of a former street commissioner of Crookston who died recently in California arrived in the city this morning and will be buried here Sunday morning. Deceased is a relative of the McDonalds of East Grand Forks who are well known here.

GENERAL REGRET FELT

OVER THE DEPARTURE FROM CROOKSTON OF LOUIS GONYEA AND FAMILY

HAD BEEN HONORED RESIDENTS OF THIS CITY FOR MANY YEARS

From Saturday's Daily—

There is very general regret felt over the departure from this city of Ex-Sheriff Louis Gonyea and family on the N. P. for their new home at Twin Falls, Idaho. Mr. Gonyea was for many years an honored resident of this city having for years served as chief of police before he was elected as sheriff. His sons have been prominent in social and club circles for many years past.

The departure of Attorney and Mrs. C. O. Longley at the same time is also regretted. Mr. Longley has been one of the most honored members of the Polk County Bar Association since he located here and his departure will be sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends. Mrs. Longley's departure will be a decided loss to the musical circles of the city, being one of the most talented vocalists in Crookston.

A BAD FIRE AT CALGARY

MILLING CO., SUSTAINS A LOSS OF $80000 WHICH WAS

FULLY COVERED BY INSURANCE —EXPLOSION HAMPERED THE FIREMEN

From Saturday's Daily—

Calgary, Alta, Jan. 9—The most disasterous fire in several years visited Calgary last night when the 75,000 bushel elevator and flour storage of the Western Milling Co., burned to the ground. The mill was saved by the splendid work of the firemen. At the first sign of fire an explosion took place which shook the neighborhood. The large structure immediately bursting into flames and one side bulging out. A large quantity of wheat was burned but owing to the mill operating night and day to fill orders was not as great as might have been expected. Several cars of grain on the siding was saved by the yard crew rushing thru flames and coupling onto the blazing cars. Loss to the milling company, $80,000 but fully covered by insurance.

FIRST VISIT IN MANY YEARS

Louis Kronk, from Pine City Minn., a nephew of H. G. Ebbighausen is spending a few days in the city and will remain here for several days longer. This is the first time he has seen his uncle in 11 years and consequently the visit is an especially pleasant one.

RECEIVED DRAFT FOR $2,000

Secretary A. A. Glenn of the local lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America this morning received a draft for $2,000 payable to Mrs. Mary Norrie, widow of the late Harry Norrie, who died Dec. 4, last after a short illness.

The Spirit of Winter

The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in many different ways—sometimes by cheery sunshine and glistening snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse, for rheumatism twists harder twinges sharper, catarrh becomes more annoying, and the many symptoms of scrofula are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but there is truth, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

Mr. Nels Christianson left this afternoon for Minneapolis where he will join his wife who has been visiting there as the guest of her mother for the past few weeks. Mr. Christianson will be gone for about two weeks on his vacation. Mr. Harry Roberts accompanied him to Minneapolis where he will remain for a few days on business.

RED MEN HAVE RE-ORGANIZED

STATE ORGANIZER J. C. HERBST OF BRAINERD VISITING IN CROOKSTON

LODGE WILL RESUME WORK WITH MEMBERSHIP OF ABOUT 50

Tha-ton, ha wi-tha tribe No. 34, Improved Order of Red Men held a meeting Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows hall following a visit here of several days of J. C. Herbst of Brainerd, state organizer at which time the lodge was reorganized by the election of the following officers:

Prophet, Tim Hastings.
Sachem, W. F. Peterson.
Sr. Sagamore, Chas Hoeft.
Jr. Sagamore, Mike Palen.
Chief of Records, G. S. Chesterman.
Keeper of Wampum, Adolph F. Rauch.

On Wednesday evening of next week the next meeting will be held in the Odd Fellows hall at which time a class ofabout 40 members will be initiated, making a total membership of something over 50.

The order is one of the strongest in the fraternal list and had a very large membership here till lately when conditions arose which resulted in a lack of interest.

Under the new conditions however there is no question but what the local tribe will flourish, and eventually have a larger membership than was ever enjoyed in the past. Organizer Herbst will remain in the city till after the meeting next week.

HELD RAZOR OVER HER

ROSEAU WOMAN OBJECTS TO STRENUOUS PRACTICES OF HUSBAND

MRS. LANGELAND ACCUSES HER HUSBAND OF GREAT BRUTALITY TO HER

From Thursday's Daily—

Anna Langeland yesterday commenced an action for a divorce against Peter Langeland in which she charged defendant with threatening to kill her with a knife, chasing her out in the cold for hours and standing over her with a razor as he told her to say her last prayers. Mrs. Langeland is a resident of Honeyford N. D., while Langeland resides at Roseau, Minn. There are five children. Mrs. Langeland asks alimony. Skulason & Conmy are the attorneys. The suit was started at Grand Forks.

RUGBY BANK IS STILL MUDDLED

RECEIVER SWORDS OF MINOT IS BUSY CHECKING ACCOUNTS BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

The condition of the First National Bank at Rugby, N. D., which was closed yesterday announcement having been made in the Journal last evening is not known. George W. Sword of Minot who was appointed receiver is at Rugby today checking things over and according to word received from the Pierce county seat today, has made no statement as to the condition of the bank.

While the general statement floating at Rugby is that Andy Jones who was cashier of the bank, misappropriated funds belonging to the bank to float loans in the east, there is little credit given to the story and while he has been absent from Rugby for a week, it is thought he will return and straighten out the tangle which was made known yesterday when Assistant Cashier McBride who was in charge, was ordered by the directors to close the doors.

Andy Jones is prominent thruout North Dakota and is a large property holder at Rugby. He was a former resident of Grand Forks and is now mayor of Rugby.

LEAVES TO TAKE UP NEW DUTIES

O. Bielland leaves this evening for Minneapolis to assume his new duties as general agent of the Great Northern Copper Co., and will devote his entire time to the disposal of the stock of that company which has mines near Hinckley, Minn. Since he was named as general agent at a meeting of the directors a short time ago in Minneapolis he has secured several new and very substantial stockholders in Crookston, including some of the most substantial business men who have taken large blocks.

AN INCREASE IN SALARIES

MUNICIPAL COURT IS PAYING SO WELL THAT THE JUDGE TOGETHER

WITH MUNICIPAL CLERK WILL PROBABLY GET AN INCREASE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The statement publishehd in the local papers a few days ago regarding the fine showing of the municipal court covering the past three months since it was established, in which the city treasury has been enriched by nearly $1,000 will probably result in the salaries of Municipal Judge Gossman and Clerk N. B. Moran being materially raised at the nevxt meeting of the council by a new ordinance.

The Judge has been getting but $75 per month and Clerk Moran but $25 and it has been intimated that these will be raised to $100 and $75 respectively.

It was acknowledged from the start that the salaries were too low but as long as the court was an experiment, and till such time as the returns could be ascertained to a certainty that the salaries would remain where first established.

Now that it is known what the revenues are it is probable that the two officers of the court will receive a salary scommonshrdle shre shrdluu salary commensurate with the revenue which the Cit yof Crookston is receiving.

KNIGHTS ENJOY AN EVENTFUL DAY

MANY NEW CANDIDATES INITIATED BY THE K. C. COUNCIL

Members of the Knights of Columbus from many points over the northwest gathered in Grand Forks on Sunday to participate in the exemplification of degree work in the Odd Fellow hall. Scores of visitors were present and the occasion was one of the most notable in the history of the lodges of Grand Forks.

At 9 o'clock the members of the lodge marched to St. Michaels church to attend mass. At 10:30 the work of the lodge was commenced. State Deputy Keating of Fargo and T. F. Griffin and J. B. Keefe of Sioux City Ia., exemplified the three degrees. The degree team of the Grand Forks Council. F. S. Duggan, J. P. Conmy, L. Bartholomew and M. Neville did fine work.

In the evening there was a banquet in the Irish-American hall. F. S. Duggan, grand knight of the local council, acted as toastmaster. Among those who responded to toasts were Thomas Griffin and J. B. Keefe, Sioux City, Ia., J. E. O'Brien, Crookston, Minn., C. H. Anreier Fargo; Judge E. W. Conmy, Pembina; Rev. E. J. Conaty, Grand Forks; J. D. McDonald, Michigan City; Judge Montague, Crookston; J. C. Hart, Grand Forks; and Thomas Coyle, Winnipeg.

Equal to the Occasion.

Michelot, the famous comedian, suffered a great deal from the spite of his colleagues and found it necessary to be on the alert at every performance. On a certain occasion he had to scold a servant in one of Moliere's plays, when the "claque." which had been bribed by his rivals, began to hiss.

Michelot was by no means disconcerted. Giving the servant a couple of blows on the ear, not included in the part, he extemporized as follows:

"You vile scamp of a varlet, there is nothing you think of! There you stand quietly listening to the vermin squeaking in the house and never trouble yourself to get the rat poison!"

The effect of this sally was striking. The audience broke out in loud applause, and no subsequent attempt was made to hiss the actor.

When sparking a girl a young man should at least show a spark of sense.

The man who makes a show of himself seldom gets rich from the gate receipts.

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FRECKLES
PIMPLES
and all
Skin Diseases
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HOME TREATMENT
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A BILL TO BAR LIQUOR ADS

MOVE TO HEAD OFF EFFORTS TO PROMOTE AN ILLEGAL TRAFFIC IN STATE

FINE AND IMPRISONMENT FOR PUBLISHERS WHO TAKE ADS. OF LIQUOR HOUSES

J. B. Wineman of Grand Forks has prepared a bill which will cut off the revenues of some of the North Dakota newspapers who have been aiding and abbetting liquor dealers. The bill provides that it shall be unlawful for a North Dakota newspaper to print an advertisement for the purchase or sale of intoxicating liquor. A penalty of $25 to $100, fine or imprisonment in the county jail from ten to 30 days is provided. The provisions of the bill in full, follow:

"Section 1. It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person firm or corporation to print, publish or circulate, within this state, any advertisement for the purchase or sale of intoxicating liquors.

"Section 2. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not less than Twenty-five (25.00) Dollars nor more than One Hundred (100) Dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than ten (10) days or more than thirty (30) days or by both such fine and imprisonment."

TEACHERS' EXAMNIATION

Semi-Annual Examination at Crookston, February 4th, 5th and 6th, 1909

Notice is hereby given that the semi-annual teachers' examination for Polk County, will be held in the City of Crookston, at the Court House, Thursday, February 4th and at the High School building, Friday and Saturday, February 5th and 6th, 1909.

Teachers entitled to renewal of their certificates, and teachers who write to remove conditions, or who desire to exchange their Limited Certificates for Complete Certificates, must bring the last certificate issued them, to the examination.

The examination program laid down by the State Department will be strictly adhered to, and I would advise teachers coming to the examinations by railroad to look up the train schedule, etc., in order that they may be on hand to write on the respective subjects at the time designated in the program,

Program of examinations for teachers' state certificates, Feb. 4th, 5th and 6th, 1909:

Thursday, February 4th
(First Grade Studies.)
A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Geometry.
10:15 Physics.
P. M.—1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

Agriculture may be taken at any one of the above periods, and may be substituted for either Geometry or Physical Geography.

Friday, February 5th
(Second Grade Studies.)
A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00—Arithmetic.
P. M.—1:15 Geography.
2:45Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

Saturday, February 6th
(Second Grade Studies.)
A. M.—8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English History.
11:30 Music.
P. M.—1:45 Physiology-Hygiene.
2:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

N. A. THORSON,
Co. Supt., Polk Co.,
Crookston, Minn.

Jan. 11th, 1909.

Restraining Recollections.

"They say I'm a little close," said Mr. Cumrox thoughtfully.

"Well, you don't exactly spend it as if it were water."

"I try to. But, you see, I used to live in Arizona, where water is scarce." —Washington Star.

Old Fashioned.

"Did he ever castigate his son for playing truant?"

"No; he never fooled with them newfangled ways o' doin'. He jest give him a sound lickin'."—Baltimore American.

Courtesy at the Pawnshop.

"You go first, Frau Meier. I can wait."

Thanks. I'd have you know I'm in no more hurry for my money than you."—Fliegende Blatter.

It requires three years before many species of birds acquire their mature plumage.

When a man finally wakes up to what he's really in the world for he's about due to get out of it.

BEST YEAR IN HISTORY

GOVERNOR'S REPORT OF GAME AND FISH COMMISSION'S WORK SATISFACTORY

WILD GAME BIRD PROPAGATION —LAW IS GENERALLY FAVORED IN STATE

The past two years has been the most successful in the history of the State Game and Fish Commission. This is not only true in this section of the state, but with the wardens all over the state.

The report is given in full below, and their is considerable local pride in the record of Game Warden Munch From Dec. 1 two years ago to Dec. 1 of last year in this section there were 34 arrests, fines amounting to $710 and 270 days served in jail sentences. During December and thus far in January there have been 11 arrests made $34 in fines assessed and 30 days in jail sentences.

There is a scheme on foot to have the present session of the state legislature pass a law for a universal hunting license, which would require all parties hunting whether in their own county or not to take out a $1 license. This plan is followed in Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and other states and has proven very successful. At the present time an appropriation of $35,000 per year sustains the department, and if the proposed law passes the revenue estimated would be $100,000 annually.

It is also proposed to establish a game bird propagation establishment, similar to the present scheme of fish hatcheries, this it is believed would be more economical as well as more successful than the present plan of sending for eggs and hatching them as practiced by the Polk County Game and Fish Protective Association as many of the farmers are not acquainted with the proper methods to pursue. Following is the message of Governor Johnson covering the situation:

The state game and fish commission has during the past two years, expended $165,490.15 for all purposes, including maintenance of the several fish hatcheries, gathering and distribution of fish spawn and fry, salaries and expenses of game wardens and other employes and a number of permanent improvements at fish hatcheries, including the construction of two dwelling houses concrete and cement hatching houses and ponds, a fish car with side track and car shed, the acquisition of lands for hatchery purposes and other expenses and has on hand Dec. 1, 1908, in all funds $32,718.18.

The distribution of fish fry for the two years, 1907 and 1908, to the streams and lakes of the state has been 99,381,300 of all varieties propagated and distributed including the several varieties of trout, pike, perch, crappies and bass. Practically all approved applications for fry have been filled during 1908.

The warden service in the protection of game and fish, and in the enforcement of the law, has been exceptionally efficient. During the biennial period ending Dec. 1, 1908, 659 prosecutions for violations of the game laws have been conducted all but forty of which have resulted in conviction, the total fines imposed having been $10,491.45 and the number of days imprisonment served having been 1,050. Of the prosecutions about half have been for violations of the fishing laws, the balance for violations respecting game birds, deer, moose fur-bearing animals and other miscellaneous provisions. The number of wardens has been increased in the northern part of the state, consequently it has been possible to secure better protection for the big game.

The attitude of the public toward the enforcement of the game laws has greatly improved in many sections of the state as evidenced by the success attained by the wardens.

The commission in its report makes a number of suggestions and recommendations which deserve consideration. It is asked that the present limited resident hunting license system be extended and the universal license system adopted as a source of revenue for the support of the department in its work of protection and as a restrictive measure. It is claimed that the revenues derived from such source would remove the necessity of direct appropriation for enforcement of the laws. The encouragement of the propagation of game birds and animals and food fishes, as a private enterprise is recommended including the sale of game from private preserves under proper restrictions, it being urged that this would tend to remove temptations to engage in illicit traffic in game.

The material value of Minnesota's native game, fish and furbearing animals is tremendous, and constitutes one of her greatest natural resources The number and area of her inland lakes and streams exceed those of any other state, and the present system of artificial propagation of fishes is certain to keep these waters thoroly stocked and one of the most important sources of the food supply of the people conserved and perpetuated. The commission believes that the time has come to extend these efforts to increase the natural and artificial propagation of game as well as of fish, and urges the encouragement of all proposals, state and national, looking toward the dedication of certain areas suited to the purpose as permanent preservation of the moose the largest and most interesting big game animal surviving on the American continent, depends upon the adoption of such a plan.

A system of uniform international regulations designed for the protection and preservation of food fishes in the waters forming the boundary between the United States and Canada has been devised in a code of proposed statutes drafted by the international fisheries commission to take the place of provincial and state laws now in force. Co-operation to secure this reform is recommended.

TAFT IS GIVEN STATE'S VOTE

MINNESOTA GOES SOLIDLY REPUBLICAN AT ELECTION HELD YESTERDAY

EKLUND TO BE MESSENGER —HE DRAWS SLIP THAT SENDS HIM TO WASHINGTON

From Tuesday's Daily—

John J. Eklund of Duluth was yesterday selected by the republican presidential electors of the state to act as messenger to carry to Washington the official ballot of Minnesota for William Howard Taft and James Schoolcraft Sherman for president and vice president of the United States.

The method of drawing lots was adopted as the best means of giving each elector an equal chance of being chosen, and Mr. Eklund was the fortunate man.

Several of the electors desired the honor, and they did not hesitate to make their wishes known. It was also rumored that two or three of the leading candidates were in favor of combining forces and dividing the expense money between them so that more than one could go.

Finally the eleven electors decided to draw lots, and after Mr. Eklund was chosen, the anly remaining thing was to make his selection official by a formal ballot.

Expense Money Ample

The state allows expenses at the rate of 25 cents a mile one way, which amounts to about $275. This would be sufficient to pay the expenses of at least three members.

There was no ill-feeling on account of the disappointment of several of those who had hoped that they would be chosen, as all had an equal chance.

Promptly at noon the eleven electors met in the governor's office as provided by law. Richard F. Thompson of Preston, was elected chairman, and Hiram L. Sumpton, of Hastings, was elected secretary. A. H. Hurretin of Rice, and James E. Melin of Centre City were elected tellers.

There was a little good-natured joking in regard to giving Governor Johnson a complimentary vote, and one of the electors had to ask what Mr. Sherman's first name was but the result of the ballots was unanimous for the republican candidates.

Dunn's Little Joke

Andrew C. Dunn of Winnebago City and Gov. Johnson indulged in a few pleasantries which were an incident of the gathering. Mr. Dunn's sight has been impaired on acount of old age. He asked the governor to assist him by writing his ballots for him.

"This is the first time I ever had a governor act as private secretary for me," said the veteran republican. 'My old friend Gov. Ramsey used to write for me and then ask me to 'have something,'" he added.

"Well, the times have changed since then" said the governor. 'Now it is the custom for people to ask the governor to 'have something.'"

Guests of Eklund

After the meeting adjourned the electors were tendered a dinner at Carling's by Mr. Eklund who took this means of acknowledging the honor conferred upon him.

The following are the electors, all of whom were present: John J. Eklund Duluth; Job W. Lloyd, Le Sueur; Richard F. Thompson, Preston; Andrew C. Dunn, Winnebago City; Dr. Hiram L. Sumpton, Hastings; James E. Melin, Center City; Stewart Gamble, Minneapolis; A. H. Turretin, Rice; Thorbjorn Anderson, Milan; Daniel Anderson, Cambridge, and Eugene J. Herringer, Ada.

Hub—But if you like the young fellow, Kate, why do you object to our daughter marrying him?

Wife—Oh, she'll marry him for all that, but I want to give her a chance to say when they quarrel that "mother didn't want me to marry you, anyway."—Boston Transcript.

WILL DISCUSS FARM TOPICS

SEMI-CENTENNIAL SESSION OF STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

IS NOW BEING HELD IN THE COURT HOUSE IN MINNEAPOLIS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The fiftieth annual meeting of the Minnesota State Agricultural society is being held in the court house at Minneapolis today, Wednesday and Thursday. This afternoon and Wednesday morning the sessions will be under the direction of the Minnesota Live Stock Breeders' association.

B. F. Nelson president of the society, opened the meeting at 9:30 a. m. today. The morning session will be devoted to the naming of committees and to the hearing of an address by Prof. Frank A. Weld president of the Normal school at Moorhead, on "The State Fair as an Educational Institution." The discussion of the address will be led by E. W. Randall, William E. Lee and J. J. Furlong. "Sciences and Agricultural Schools" will be handled by Prof. John H. Gray professor of economics at the state university.

The importance of women's work at the state fair is to be the subject of discussion at the Tuesday evening session. Papers will be read by Mrs. E. M. LaPenotiere Minneapolis, one on "Beautifying the Grounds" by Fred Nussbaumer superintendent of St. Paul parks; "Needs of the Agricultural Department at the State Fair," by Arthur Cooper, St. Cloud, and "Flowers at the State Fair" by Theodore Wirth superintendent of parke Minneapolis .

Two state fair managers will be elected in place of J. M. Underwood, Lake City, and L. D. Baird, Austin. It is expected that a great effort will be made to get on the board at least one man who will have the dairymen's interests at heart. The dairymen, it is said, will bring forward as their candidate either Editor, Shilling of the Northfield Dairy Bulletin, or Robert Crickmore, president of the State Dairymen's association. In the election of the officers there is little interest, as it is thought to be a foregone conclusion that the present officers will be re-elected.

The Minnesota Field Crop Breeder's association will hold its session Wednesday afternoon when James J. Hill will deliver the opening address.

The Minnesota Live Stock Breeders' association will dominate the Tuesday afternoon and the Wednesday forenoon sessions.

Praise for Steenerson

Representative Steenerson is working hard this session. Besides his postal savings bill, he has a measure for the improvement of the rivers, and lakes of Northern Minesota and has likewise prepared for introduction a bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to sell without advertisement small tracts of pine land in Indian reservations. It has been found that there are several isolated tracts on which there is a quantity of merchantable timber that could be sold for the benefit of the Indians. Under the present law, however, it is necessary to advertise each one of these tracts at a large expense, and it is doubtful if any profit could be made on the transaction. Steenerson's bill will obviate the necessity of separate advertising and will enable the secretary to sell timber and to get some money from the Indians from this source.—Thief River Press.

Apt Pupil.

Friend—You took your son into your establishment some months ago to teach him the business, I understand. How did it turn out?

Business Man (wearily)—Great success! He's teaching me now.

A cross man would be worth at least a dollar a day more if he would become good natured.—Atchison Globe.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

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FOUR DELEGATES FROM CROOKSTON

WILL ATTEND FEDERATION OF MINNESOTA COMMERCIAL CLUBS IN ST. PAUL

SENATOR STEPHENS, SUPT. WM. ROBERTSON, T. R. BROWN AND T. R. JOHNSTONE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Wednesday evening Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experiment farm here, Sec. T. R. Brown of the 25,000 Club and Thomas R. Johnstone will leave for St. Paul where they will attend the second annual meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial clubs. Senator A. D. Stephens, who was also named as a delegate by President H. C. Misner is already there and will be heard from.

Supt. Robertson will, on Thursday lead the discussion on the paper to be delivered by Hon. E. M. Randall on "Minnesota as an Agricultural State and the Necessity of Developing the State's Resources."

This will be one of the most important features of the convention which will be by far the most important ever held in the state from a development and immigration standpoint.

Following is the program of the convention:

VERDICT RENDERED FOR THE DEFENDENT

The jury in the case of Slendorf vs. Louis Gonyea as the sheriff of Polk county late this afternoon returned a verdict in favor of the defendant. Last summer Sheriff Gonyea made a levy on some goods held by Slendorf, in the Town of Fanny under a suit started by a man named Peterson, and the sheriff was protected by a bond as usual. However the bond was not necessary in this instance as the proceedings were decided strictly regular and legal in every respect.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Lillie Patterson and R. H. Patterson, her husband, mortgagors, to L. D. Foskett, mortgagee, dated March 5, 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Polk County, Minnesota, on April 14, 1908 at 3:10 o'clock P. M. in book 152 of mortgages on page 202 thereof; that the mortgagors herein have failed to pay $34.17 due October 1, 1908, said sum being due under a certain mortgage executed by the parties named as mortgagors herein and in favor of said L. D. Foskett and by him assigned, which mortgage is a prior lien upon the land hereinafter described, said sum being represented by a certain coupon note bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum after maturity and that there is now due the said L. D. Foskett thereon, under and by virtue of the terms of the mortgage first referred to, the sum of $34.65, he having paid said sum to the holder of said prior mortgage; that said mortgage provided for a reasonable attorney's fee to be paid by said mortgagors upon the foreclosure of the mortgage herein described, and the sum of $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for such foreclosure; that in addition to the sum of $34.65 paid by L. D. Foskett on said coupon note and the sum of $25.00 for attorney's fees, there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of $82.35; making a total due of the sum of $117.00 at this date together with the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees; that by virtue of said default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured thereby, or any part thereof; that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are the northwest fractional quarter of section number 5 in township number 148 north of range number 45 west of the 5th principal meridian, situate in the county of Polk, State of Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Polk County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Crookston, in said County and State, on February 20, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including amount of said coupon note and $25.00 attorney's fees, and the costs of such sale.

Dated January 7, 1909.

—L. D. Foskett,
Mortgagee.

Henry A. Johnson
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Opera Block, Crookston, Minn.
(Jan 14-21-28-Feb-4-11-18)

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HORRIBLE CRIME WAS COMMITTED

NORTH DAKOTA MAN MURDERS HIS WIFE THEN CUTS HIS OWN THROAT

CRIME COMMITTED IN THE PRESENCE OF THEIR NINE YEAR OLD DAUGHTER

From Tuesday's Daily—

Word was received in this city at a late hour this afternoon that a horrible crime had been committed on the farm of Henry H. Bentley near St. John, N. D. and as a result both Bentley and his wife are dead.

It would seem according to the reports received that Bentley who is a well known farmer in that section became jealous of his wife and a farm laborer. Yesterday he found them playing cards together. He did not say anything until after the laborer had departed. Then he upbraided his wife, but nothing of a serious nature developed until bed time. His wife then refused to retire for the night.

Bentley said that he would see whether she would or not and stepping into an adjoining room, returned in a few minutes and going over to his wife without a word of warning drew a razor fro mhis pocket and before she could offer any resistence slashed her throat from ear to ear. He then walked out of the room and out into the yard. He then slashed his own throat, dropped the razor in the well and went back to his room.

The horrible tragedy was witnessed by his nine year old daughter who as soon as possible notified the nearest neighbor. When help reached the house howerver it was entirely too late and in a short time both man and woman were dead.

A coroner's inquest has been held an da verdict returned charging Bentley with having committed murder and then suicide. Besides the child who witnessed the deed there are five other younger children.

FORGER CAME TO GRIEF

TOO STRONG WITH GRAFT I. B. LUCKEN, ALIAS IRVINE YOUNG

CHECK ARTIST, PASSES WORTHLESS PAPER—IS NOW IN JAIL

From Monday's Daily—

C. I. Lucken, (alias Irvine Young) came to grief in Bemidji last evening being arrested after having passed and had cashed a bogus check for $224 and after he had successfully escaped from a Kelliher officer while in custody of the latter on a moving train yesterday morning on his way to the Beltrami county jail from Kelliher, jumping from the train at Turtle River.

Lucken (who gave the name of Irvine Young to the Kelliher authorities) entered Gill Bros.' Hub clothing store and bought a large quantity of clothing, shoes etc., tendering a check on the logging firm of Ross & Ross in the sum of $224 in payment for his purchases.

The appearance of Young was so straightforward and apparently honest that the clerk had no hesitancy in cashing the check Young having been in the store last fall and paid cash for some goods. Young left the store, and the proprietors thought nothing of the transaction.

Later in the evening ex-Deputy Sheriff J. N. Bailey told the Gill Bros. of having ridden on the train from which Young has escaped, in the morning, and the check yas produced, Mr Bailey unhesitatingly pronouncing the check a forgery.

Search was made for Young and he was finally located on the street, Messrs. Phil Gill and J. N. Bailey taking charge of him and searching him. Practically all the money exchanged for the check was found in Young's pockets, after which he was turned over to the police.

Young was searched and on his person was found a card certifying that the bearer (C. I. Lucken) was a member of Webster's Detective agency, and a star accompanied the card.

The prisoner was lodged in the county jail and will be held awaiting the disposal of the various charges against him, he having forged two other checks, at Kelliher bearing the signature of Ross & Ross.

Graft by any other name would produce as many plums.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

Historical Society

OF THE 25,000 C[illegible]IAL CLUB WILL TAKE PLA[illegible]AN-UARY 22

BUSINESS MEETING WILL BE HELD IN THE AFTERNOON—BANQUET IN EVENING

From Monday's Daily—

The present week promises to be one of the greatest importance as regards its relation to the future. Next Friday the annual meeting of the 25,000 Commercial Club will take place and preparations are being made to make it an event which will be felt thruout the present year and probably will have an effect upon the entire future of the city.

The committee on arrangements has been putting considerable thought into the matter and the result is that there is every indication that one of the most successful civic meetings that has ever been held in northwestern Minnesota will result.

The meeting will be for the purpose of winding up the work of the present administration and inaugurating the new officers who will be chosen at the meeting. Reports of all committees will be read and the different officers will report on the work which has been accomplished in the different departments of club activity.

Will Discuss the Future

During the sessions there will be a free and full discussion of the work of the club for the future and the different lines of activity which will be undertaken. This should be of the greatest interest to every citizen as it will mean the greatest benefit to every business house and institution in the city.

At the present time the club has a comparatively large membership, but it should within the coming year be doubled and to this end the work of the club will be planned. There is no question but that during the next twelve months the work and activities of the organization will be greatly enlarged and every line and form of civic activity will be undertaken.

Program for the Event

The meeting will be called to order by President H. C. Misner at 3 o'clock sharp in the new council chamber in the city hall. It is most desirable that every member be present at this time as owing to the great amount of business on hand it will be most desirable to start the meeting on time and carry forward the program without delay. The first session will adjourn at 5:30 o'clock and then reconvene at 7:30 o'clock in the same room The business meeting will then adjourn at 9 o'clock the hour set for the sumptuous banquet at the Hotel Crookston. This social function will also begin promptly on time on account of number of out-of-town visitors who will be present and will have to take the late trains.

Some Program Features

The committee and the secretary have made arrangements to have a number of the leading men of the state present at this meeting to deliver addresses and there is not a speaker invited to be present who will not be of the greatest interest.

Col. R. A. Wilkinson, of St. Paul altho extremely busy at the present time, has accepted an invitation to be present and will deliver an address which will be of the greatest interest to every citizen. It is needless to attempt to dilate upon the ability of Col. Wilkinson to entertain and instruct and were he the only speaker on the program there is no question but that the meeting would be well worth attending.

As business men will predominate at the annual meeting an invitation has been extended to Mr. W. L. Harris, of Minneapolis, and he has accepted. Mr. Harris is head of the Publicity Club of Minneapolis, an active worker in the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs and one of the leading business men of the Twin Cities and in fact of the great state of Minnesota. His address before the recent convention in St. Paul was one of the features and there is no doubt but that he will be greeted by an audience which will do him justice Mr. Harris is an earnest worker in the campaign for state development and he will have something well worth listening to.

Curtis L. Mosher secretary of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs and also manager of the Combined Publicity Bureaus of St. Paul will also be present. He has the reputation of being one of the best publicity men in the entire northwest. he is a strong speaker and will have something to tell the members of the local club which will be both helpful and interesting. His time is in great demand and Crookston is to be congratulated that it is given the opportunity of hearing him.

HOME FROM GREAT ST. PAUL GATHERING

Secretary Brown Reports The Big Gathering Of Federation Of Commercial Clubs Of Minnesota.

From Monday's Daily—

Secretary T. R. Brown, Jr., of the 25,000 Commercial Club, returned yesterday morning from St. Paul where he was in attendance at the annual convention of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs. Prof. Robertson returned Saturday morning and Thomas R. Johnstone, the other delegate, is expected back tomorrow morning.

According to the secretary the convention was a great success from every viewpoint and thru its deliberations a decided step forward was taken in the work of boosting Minnesota and the motto of the federation, "Keep Pushing" will prevail thruout the coming year.

During the convention, Mr. Brown, states that Crookston was decidedly in it. Prof. Robertson delivered a fine address Thursday afternoon which provoked one of the most intertesting discussions of the entire session. Mr. Johnstone was ever ready to let it be known that Crookston was on the map and his participation in the different discussions added greatly to the success of the meeting. The informal address of Senator A. D. Stephens Thursday evening was one of the features of the convention and elicited warm praise and applause.

Senator Stephens was selected as the first vice president of the federation, while Clyde Pryor of Bemidji, was re-elected as a member of the executive committee from the Ninth Congressional District. Mr. Neil [illegible] Red Wing and Curtis L. Mosher of St. Paul, were re-elected as president and secretary respectively.

"The convention was a decided success from every viewpoint," stated Mr. Brown this morning. "The greatest interest was manifested and maintained without a break during the entire convention. It was a difficult matter to bring some of the sessions to a close at meal time, the discussions being so spirited that the delegates did not care to bring them to a close. I have never attended a convention where the interest was more intense.

"The convention took decided ground on a number of propositions. It was decided to ask the present session of the state legislature to appropriate $100000 per year for advertising the state. There was absolutely no opposition to this proposition, delegates from the rural districts and the smaller towns being as enthusiastic as those from the larger cities. The only question that came up was how this money was to be spent.

"The proposition of encouraging the farmers to better farming and the improving of his conditions, as suggested by the Polk County Growers' Association organized by Senator Stephens a short time ago, met with great favor and was believed to be one of the fundamental projects to be carried out if the state is to progress as it should. The senator was also endorsed in the convention action upon the agricultural school legislation. The convention was in favor of the district school in opposition to the county system and in addition endorsed the Davis agricultural school bill now before congress.

"Good roads and good roads legislation received a big boost. This subject was thoroly discussed and it was the opinion of every delegate that the legislature should at once take under consideration the matter and give the most hearty encouragement to the building and construction of good roads in all sections of the state.

"Other matters were taken up, but as a full and complete report will be made at the annual meeting of the commercial club next Friday, I will not now forestall that. It was a great convention and showed that the commercial clubs of the state were taking hold of matters with an enthusiasm that will mean much for the future of the commonwealth."

Mr. Brown stated that there were many most excellent and eloquent addresses made during the meeting and he reports being fortunate enough to secure some of the best speakers who appeared at the convention for the annual meeting next Friday. The federation is greatly interested in northwestern Minnesota and when invited to participate in the meeting in this city the prominent men responded most willingly. Their presence at the meeting will without doubt be of the greatest interest and will help to make the annual meeting one of the most successful and enthusiastic ever held in Crookston.

TWIN DIVORCE SUITS TRIED IN ST. PAUL

On the editorial page will be found an article on the curses of the present free and easy divorce system at present in vogue in the United States. In line with this the following account of twin divorce suits brought in St. Paul as reported from the St. Paul Dispatch will be of interest. The story follows:

"The sequel to the divorce case of Caroline John against Carl John recently tried in the district court is the cose of Fredericka Zeibell, against Chas. Zeibell on trial before Judge George L. Bunn today. In each suit the four parties named bore prominent parts and the grounds in both instances as well as the witnesses and the opposing attorneys were the same

"The case today was a sort of a "tit for tat" divorce brought by Mrs. Zeibell against Charles Zeibell whom she accused among other things of being a "sweetheart" of Mrs. John. In the divorce case of Mrs. John against Carl John, Mrs. John made her principal allegation the charge that her husband was attentive to Mrs. Zeibell.

"Mr. John in the first suit, accused his wife of entertaining Mr. Zeibell and further to complicate matters, Zeibell in his answer to the proceedings brought by Mrs. Zeibell charged that she allowed Mr. John to call on her. Unravelling this tangled condition of the two complaints and separate answers, the allegations are to the effect that while one wife was entertaining the other's husband, the other was receiving attention from the first wife's husband.

Other allegations, in both cases, were cruelty, and to substantiate the charges made in each case, children of both parties were called as witnesses. George Gerlach, Jr., appeared as attorney in the first case of Mrs. John, and in the second case for Mrs. Zeibell, and Attorney Schmidt, of Schmidt, Newman & Olson, appeared in the first case for Mrs. John and in the second for Mr. Zeibel.

"Judge William Kelly, in the John case granted Carl John an absolute divorce on the grounds of infidelity, having found true the allegation that Mrs. John had been intimate with Zeibell, which allegation did not have to be proved in the second case, now under consideration. The allegations of cruelty were found untrue against Mr. John.

"Judge Bunn heard the arguments of both attorneys in the Zeibell case today and then took it under advisement. In settling it he will have to be guided much on the files and allegations in the John case."

A broken promise cannot be mended so that it will look like new.

It always seems the height of impudence in a man to be smarter than we are.

SHORT LINE FROM DULUTH TO PEG

BUILDING OF NEW LINE EXPECTED IN THE NEAR FUTURE

DULUTH WILL BE CENTER OF RAILROAD ACTIVITY FOR YEARS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The purchase of the Wisconsin Central railroad by the Canadian Pacific interests means much to Duluth. A Minneapolis business man, who has been for many years largely interested in Duluth, and who is in a position to learn accurately what is going on "behind the scenes" in the railroad world, writes the following letter:

"The invasion of Canada by the lines of the Great Northern railway and the making of rates to Duluth the same as to Port Arthur have brought the Soo and Canadian Northern roads to Duluth, with their extensions in the United States, much sooner than intended or expected. The acquisition of the Wisconsin Central by the Soo railway is the most important move ever made in the Northwest for the benefit of Duluth. It must result in a new short line being built from Duluth to Winnipeg. With three great lines from Duluth thru the Canadian Northwest, it seems the territory for all time. Trade lines will prove stronger than boundary lines. All future railroads of Canada will not be complete without a line to Duluth. It is logical and what we have all dreamed would come true some time but is now a fact. Railroad activiay with Duluth as a center is certain for several years. You can thank Mr. Hill for it all."

To Shorten Line

A Milwaukee dispatch says: Six million dollars will be expended by the Canadian Pacific railway in the construction of a new Wisconsin Central cutoff on the route between Minneapolis and Chicago. This announcement made authoritively today, is the first concerning plans for the improvement of the Wisconsin Central property acquired Friday by the Soo and Canadian Pacific interests.

It is intended to make the new line of the Central one of the shortest between the Twin Cities and Chicago, instead of the longest as it is at present. The construction of the proposed cutoff will be one of the most important railway projects to be undertaken in Wisconsin the approaching summer. The line will be an extension of the Stevens Point-Portage division to a point on the present Chicago line probably striking the old main line at Burlington in Racine county. It will be about 140 miles long.

Surveys for the new road have been made. They call for a line extending from Portage, in Columbia county, in a southeasterly direction across the northern corner of Dane county touching Dodge county at the southwestern corner, passing diagonally across Jefferson county southeast and northwest, cutting the northeast corner of Walworth county and into Racine county. At Burlington it will encounter the present main line of the Wisconsin Central. Several important towns will be touched by the proposed new road. It will pass thru Waterloo, Jefferson Palmyra and many smaller places.

The Wisconsin Central has labored under a disadvantage in bidding for business for the far northwest in that its line between Chicago and Minneapolis is longer than the lines of competing companies.

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BIG BLIZZARD ANNIVERSARY

JUST 21 YEARS AGO WHEN GREAT BLIZZARD TOOK PLACE IN NORTHWEST

GRETA HEROISM WAS SHOWN BY THE PLUCKY SCHOOL TEACHER

From Saturday's Daily—

Many of the old timers during the past few days have recalled the fact that Thursday, Jan. 14 was the 21st anniversary of one of the most terrible storms in the history of the north west. While it lasted but one after noon and one night the casualties were numerous, the escapes still more so and the suffering very general both to man and beast.

Minnesota got but the tail end of the storm, the center seemingly having raged in North and South Dakota Montana and Nebraska. There were scores of stories told of the terrible sufferings, miraculous escapes, and many deaths of teachers and school children, and nothing ever illustrated the heroic character of the school teachers, male and female, specially the latter as there are more of them, than did this great storm. The storm was severe here, and many were caught out in it. The worst victim was a Bohemian, who was caught by the suddenness of the storm and took refuge in a haystack on Section 13 in the town of Keystone. He tried to set fire to the stack but used all his matches in vain and then as a last resort dug his way into the stack and remained there all night.

At daylight next morning he crawled out and staggered half frozen to the Teal farm and he was at once driven to the Keystone farm where restoratives were applied by J. D. McPhee, now mayor of Crookston but then "Foreman Jack McPhee" and Bob Gaston, who also supplied him with a change of clothing and he was soon able to be taken to the home of a neighboring friend. The back of his neck and wrists were frozen but he recovered eventually. Minnesota was the only northwestern state during the storm in which no lives were lost.

ROSES AND SUNSHINE

FINE EDITION OF THE PASADENA DAILY NEWS RECEIVED IN CROOKSTON

MISNER AND MISNER HAVE A FINE ADVERTISEMENT IN THE EDITION

The Journal this morning received a very much appreciated edition of the Pasadena News—the New Years number—in which "The Tournament of Roses" is fully exploited.

The edition is one which does great credit not only to the newspapers but to the advertisers as well. It shows very conclusively that the business men of Pasadena are loyal to their own city.

We also notice that Misner and Misner have a very attractive advertisement. The firm is composed of C. E. Misner a former alderman and resident of this city for many years, and Harvey W. Misner son of Chase Misner of the Wheeler Misner Loan Co. of this city and they are among the best boosters that Pasadena has. Both of them have secured scores of people from northwestern Minnesota for Pasadena, and have spared no pains or expense in showing the advantages of that section of the country as a grand place for winter residence.

The edition from start to finish is a credit to Pasadena and to the News and those fortunate enough to receive a copy have thoroly enjoyed reading every page from cover to cover.

Riverview Park, Chicago

is one of the largest resorts of the kind in the world. There are miles of walks thru beautiful groves softly lighted by festoons of incandescent lamps. At every step new wonders present themselves almost all made possible by some adaption of electricity. It may interest the reader too, to learn that particular people prefer golden grain belt beer to any other. This pure beverage has all the food value of the richest barley together with all the tonic properties of the finest imported hops. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

GRAIN THIEF HAS BEEN PLACED UNDER ARREST

Mike Kiderofsky, Whom Officials Have Been Looking For All Over State, Landed At Bemidji. Chief Eck Notified This Morning.

From Thursday's Daily—

This morning Chief Eck was notified by the chief of police at Bemidji that Mike Kiderefsky had been arrested there and would be held for the officials of Polk Co. Deputy Pat Sullivan was in Bemidji at the time on other business and was wired to bring Kiderefsky back.

Kiderefsky has a bad record in northern Minnesota but the crime he is wanted for here is the theft of about 150 bushels of wheat and 100 bushels of oats from a granary on the farm of Charles Ross, a well known farmer in Fanny township.

Stole from Employer

Kiderefsky worked on the Ross farm all summer, but blew his money in the sporting houses here as fast as he could draw it. Early in the fall Mr. Ross noticed wheat disappearing from his granary which is located about half a mile from the home place. He kept watch for a return of the thief but was never able to land him.

Finally Ross came to this city and notified Chief Eck who discovered that Kiderefsky late in December had hired a team from Laliberti's livery barn for a drive in the country. The same day he returned and next day sold a load of wheat to the Crookston Milling Co.

Trailed by Officials

Deputy Sheriff Sullivan returned day before yesterday from Little Falls where he learned that Kiderefsky had a small farm and where he had lived before his wife died. Kiderefsky however could not be located, and fears were entertained that as he was so slipery a customer he never would be landed. He will be brought back to Crookston this evening and will have a hearing at once.

Banks Touched

The same man will have to answer to other charges also. In one bank he secured about $50 by giving a morgage on a bunch of cattle that he did not, and never had owned. At another bank he secured $50 on a farm mortgage the amount asked being so small that the bank officials did not look into the ownership of the land.

THE CROOKSTON BANKS SOLID AS GIBRALTER

ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS BY STOCKHOLDERS AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS SHOWED UTMOST CONFIDENCE REPOSED IN THE MEN WHO HAVE DIRECTED THE AFFAIRS OF LOCAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS—PAST YEAR HAS BEEN A PROSPEROUS ONE FOR ALL OF THEM AND DESPITE FLURRY OF A YEAR AGO, THEY ALL SHOWED INCREASED VOLUME OF BUSINESS

Yesterday in Crookston the bank elections passed off without any excitement whatever, the stockholders in the different institutions believing that the administration of the banks during the past year were entitled to a vote of confidence. The result was that no changes have so far been reported on the several boards of directors and the same report is made relative to the subsequent election of officers by the directors.

Every bank in Crookston shows that the past year has prospered materially, each institution being able to show a gain over the previous 12 months and are in a stronger condition than ever before. While financial flurry of a little over a year ago was felt severely in all sections of the country, the impression it made in Crookston was materially less than in any other section of the country and depositors were at no time in danger of losing a cent. The city's financial institutions are all in a flourishing condition: Following is the result of the elections:

First National Bank

The stockholders selected the following directors: William Anglim, E. M. Walsh, J. R. Mc Kinnon, H. C. Misner, S. A. Wallace, J. W. Wheeler, A. D. Wheeler. This is the same board as for 1908. After the election of directors, the following officers were selected: President, J. W. Wheeler, vice president William Anglim, cashier, C. F. Mix, assistant cashier, Harry Marsh. There was no change in the personnel of the officers.

Scandia American Bank

The stockholders of the Scandia American bank decided that no change was necessary in the board of directors of that institution will be under the direction of the same board, which is as follows: J. P. Foote, C. C. Strander, Charles Loring, George Carpenter, Halvor Steenerson, A. A. Miller, L. Ellington, F. E. McGregor, H. Holte. The directors selected the following officers: J. P. Foote, president; Halvor Steenerson and C. C. Strander, vice presidents; L. Ellington cashier; F. E. McGregor, Oscar Fredricks assistant cashiers. The only change made in the officers was the election of Mr. Fredricks as assistant cashier.

Merchants National Bank

The stockholders of the Merchants National Bank held a short meeting yesterday and decided to adjourn the annual election until next Monday, consequently the new board was not selected. The board for 1908 was as follows: A. D. Stephens, Virgil McGregor, J. H. Petterson, Max Ericsson A. Braley, John Moore, John Cromb. The officers were: John Cromb, president; Max Ericsson, vice president; A. D. Stephens, cashier; Virgil McGregor, assistant cashier. Owing to the death of the president Mr. Cromb, a change will be made both in the personnel of the officers and the board of directors.

The Bank of Crookston does not elect till next June.

THE GOVERNOR AND THE LEGISLATURE

Madison Independent Press: The legislature of Minnesota is in session and the capital of this state will be the camping ground of the lobbyist and grafter for the next ninety days.

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: John A. Johnson was inaugurated governor of Minnesota for the third time at noon on Wednesday. Minnesota is one of the bigger states of the Union and it has a governor that is making the state bigger all the time.

Bemidji Sentinel: This cold weather should soon let up with that hot wave due from St. Paul where the solons are congregated. They say things are warming up down there.

Ortonville Herald Star: The legislature and the governor quarreled a little about the doorkeepers and spittoon cleaners to start with but the governor won out as he should. To the victors belong the spoils, spittoons and all.

Thief River Press: The legislature held its opening session on Tuesday. The chances for reapportionment look rather poor. Too many aspiring statesmen from small counties would lose their present jobs to make the idea appeal strongly to the aforesaid statesmen.

Mankato Daily Free Press: The passless legislator is now in full bloom in St. Paul.

Litchfield Independent: The coming session of the legislature will have a "people's lobby" to keep tab on the members to see that they stay true to their oaths and campaign pledges. Now let there be a delegation selected to watch the people's lobby and see that they attend to their knitting, and the legislative woodchucks will be headed off—some of them.

Lake Crystal Union: Governor Johnson in his address, "The Majesty of the Law," delivered in New Jersey, said that he did not believe that the infliction of the death pentaly for a capital crime acted as a determent to law breakers. Nor anybody else that believes in humanity. The taking of —a life does not restore the one taken, but adds another to the list of the number dead. The best, the most human way is to confine the one who takes the life of a human being, to send the murderer to prison for life.

Walker Pilot: The state legislators started in Tuesday to work out their ninety days of "hard labor." which they were sentenced by popular vote early last November.

Brainerd Daily Dispatch: A short session of the legislature is predicted If an adjournment is taken as soon as the real work of the session is done and that work is taken up at once, sixty days will suffice to complete it.

NINETY-EIGHT MILES RIDDEN BY PRESIDENT

Washington, Jan. 16—President Roosevelt rode 98 miles on horseback yesterday and when he dismounted last night at the White House door, more than 17 hours after having departed therefrom, he did not show any marked signs of weariness. The object of his long day in the saddle, as he explained to a representative of the Associated Press, after his return, was to "prove to the critics who have found fault with the recent order ordering all army and navy officers to take a physical test, that if a president, who is not in training can ride 90 miles plus in one day without being laid in bed thereby, it should not be too much to ask the men who are supposed to be in the best of physical training all the time to ride 90 miles in three days."

Mounting his faithful rider and jumper "Roswell" in front of the White House door at 3:30 o'clock yesterday morning, he dismounted at the same place at 8:40 o'clock last night. The journey was to Warrentown, Va., and back "and Virginia roads in the winter time," said the president, "are not usually in the best condition." With the president were Dr. Rixey, surgeon general of the navy; Dr. Carey Grayson, and Captain Archibald Butt, one of the president's aides.

Through Sleet and Rain.

On the return trip the last thirty miles were in almost pitch darkness, sleet and rain, while the last fifteen miles were in almost pitch darkness. Arriving at the Aqueduct bridge, across the Potomac, the president refused to take the carriage which was waiting there for him. When he dismounted his coat and hat were frozen stiff with sleet and ice. There were four relays of horses, the first stage of the journey out and the last in being made by the president on "Roswell," the second out, and the third in being on "Gergia," while the other two were on army horses which the president had never before mounted.

As the four horseback riders, followed by two policemen on wheels and the empty carriage drove into the sheet shimmering grounds surrounding the executive mansion, the president, in front with his broad brimed black slouch hat down over his face, presented a striking picture.

Both the outward and return trip lay through Fairfax court house to Warrenton. Arriving at the latter place about 11 o'clock, where the president's coming had been heralded an hour or so before his arrival, he was greeted by a gathering of citizens and school children, to whom he spoke a few words of greeting. They took luncheon at the Warrenton Green hotel. When they started to return, after a short rest, the master of the hunt of the Warrenton Hunt club accompanied them for a few miles.

No Weariness.

In less than an hour after returning to the White House, the president had changed his ice coated clothing for evening dress and appeared in the dining room, ready for as hearty a meal as he has eaten for a long time.

If any of the critics of his "army riding order" had dropped in about that time they would have been sadly disappointed, for the president did not show in the least that he had been sitting for nearly seventeen hours in a hard saddle.

ELEVEN PHYSICIANS GET CERTIFICATES

ARE ADMITTED TO PRACTICE AT MEETING OF NORTH DAKOTA EXAMINING BOARD

Eleven physicians who took the examination in Grand Forks last week were admitted at a meting of the examining board in Fargo last evening. Seven were admitted by examination and four by reciprocity. The following were admitted by examination: DeWitte Baer Driscol, N. D.; C. Jelstrop, Hendrum, Minn.; N. A. Munro, Bowman; W. A. Plourd, Overly; C. I. Healy, Deer River; R. H. Beach and A. Householder.

L. H. Labbitt, Enderlin; F. T. Osnabrock, S. A. Zimmerman were admitted by reciprocity.

Mrs. Lizzie Schafer yesterday presented a claim against the city of Grand Forks for damages in the sum of $15,000 which she claims because of injuries received on International avenue, near Ninth street, as a result of slipping on the sidewalk. There was an accumulation of snow and ice, she asserts, and the fall resulted in serious complications which affected her health to an alarming extent.

She is still ill as a result of the accident, which occurred on Dec. 16, she sets forth. It is her theory that the city was negligent in allowing the snow and ice to remain on the sidewalk.

By informal afternoon tea is not meant the elaborate function sometimes called a tea; it merely means to most women a little informal 5 o'clock tea to which a few of one's dearest friends have come. As every hostess likes to show her individuality, hints for little changes in what may be served are always welcomed. Tea or coffee, hot biscuits with perhaps a little delicious honey or marmalade make an excellent combination for these chill winter days. If something elaborate is desired wafers and ices might be added.

There is no case on record of a cough cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else. Sold by all druggists.

The leap year girl who lost out is convinced that the lobster supply is growing smaller year by year.

TELEPHONES FOR GREAT NORTHERN

INSTALLING OF SYSTEM IN WESTERN N. DAKOTA & MONTANA NEARLY COMPLETED

The work of installing a telephone system for dispatching trains on the Minot division of the Great Northern from Devils Lake to Williston, 239 miles, is nearly finished. It is to extend from Wiliston to Cutbank, Mont., over the Montana division 437 miles, and also along the Butte division, which covers 507 miles. As the Great Northern is already dispatching the trains on its Willmar division, covering 203 miles, by telphone, this will give a grand total of 1,386 miles.

The Northern Pacific, which for some time has been dispatching trains between St. Paul and Fargo by telephone, as well as blocking them in the same manner is about to put in a telephone blocking system between Trout Creek, Mont., and Spokane, a distance of 125 miles, on its Idaho systems. Trains will still be dispatched over this division by telegraph.

DEMANDS $10,000 FOR DEATH OF HIS SON

Duluth, Jan. 16—Suit was begun in the district court yesterday against the Duluth Street Railway Company by James McDonald, who claims $10,000 for the death of his little son, who was run over and killed by a street car at Superior, Dec. 17, 1907.

The case was on trial all day yesterday before Judge Dibell, and will be continued today. James McDonald, Jr., the victim, was struck by a car on Tower avenue at Eighth street, when he started to cross the street. It is alleged in the suit that the street car company's employes were negligent.

Samuel A. Anderson, of St. Paul, and Warner E. Whipple, of Duluth, appear for Mr. McDonald, and Thomas Wood and Frank Ross are attorneys for the street railway company.

A Winter Love Song.

The sad fields veiled in falling snow—
They are not sad to me;
Not chill to me the winds that blow,
However chill they be.
The eddying flakes that speed away;
With music they drift down
Through myriad lacing branches gray,
On dead leaves crisp and brown.

No bloom upon the whit'ning hill,
No leaf upon the tree;
The music is sad music—still
It is not sad to me.
For song, with my heart's muffled might
My love's sweet breast is warm and white,
And softer than the snow.

—Robert Burns Wilson.

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10.00	5c	8c	8c
35.00	10c	10c	15c
55.00	10c	20c	20c
100.00	10c	30c	30c

UNCLE SAM'S BILLS HARD TO SWALLOW

B. CLARK MAKES UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO GET RID OF STOLEN MONEY—TRANSIENT IS ARRESTED IN GRAND FORKS ON CHARGE OF LULU WOODS A MESSENGER GIRL OF EAST GRAND FORKS THAT HE STOLE A TEN DOLLAR BILL FROM HER—CHIEF OVERBY FINDS HIM TRYING TO CHEW UP TWO BILLS REPRESENTING CHANGE OF STOLEN MONEY

The fact that he was unable to chew and swallow a five and one dollar bill makes a complete chain of evidence against B. Clark arrested yesterday on a charge of larceny for stealing a $10 bill from Lulu Woods in the East Grand Forks messenger service office. Clark was arrested by Chief Overby in Grand Forks and after considerable persuasion was induced to accompany Chief Ellington to East Grand Forks. He was held in $200 bonds and his preliminary hearing set for two o'clock today in Judge Sullivan's court at that place.

The story of Clark's arrest and his subsequent unsuccessful attempt to make tobacco of a couple of Uncle Sam's bank notes is of more than ordinary interest. Yesterday afternoon Chief Overby received a call from Lulu Woods over the phone the girl claiming that a young fellow had taken a ten dollar bill out of her pocket and ran across the DeMers avenue bridge. She gave a description of the man and Chief Overby started toward DeMers avenue. He had little difficulty in spotting his man who was in front of the Council. Clark walked down to the corner of DeMers and Third street where he accosted a man in a rig asking him which way he was going. The driver said he was going north.

"All right," replied Clark, "I'm going to the postoffice."

Overby as Detective

At this point Chief Overby requested Clark to accompany him down to the city hall. The man showed little hesitation and after the chief had reached the office and had listened to his indignant denial of the whole affair, he left him in charge of an officer and started out to see if he could find where he had changed the bill, the fellow claiming that he hadn't had a ten dollar bill for some time. The third store the chief went to was the R. E. Z. shoe store and the clerk there remembered distinctly of changing a ten dollar bill a short time before. He described Clark as the man. The clerk also remembered that he gave the man a five dollar bill, a one dollar bill, three dollars and two half dollars.

Chewed Vigorously

When Chief Overby reached the police station again Lulu Woods was there and the chief proceeded to question his man. When asked to show how much money he had, Clark produced three silver dollars and two half dollars. All this time he was smoking and chewing something very vigorously. In fact so vigorous was the motion of his jaws that Chief Overby finally asked him what he was chewing. Clark replied that it was tobacco. But the chief caught a glimpse of something of a greenish hue and demanded that he spit out what he had in his mouth. Clark refused at first to disgorge but a little persuasion was sufficient and he deposited what he had in his mouth in the spittoon. He still maintained that it was tobacco so the chief rescued the wad with a pen and spread it out on the desk. There was a new five dollar bill and a one dollar bill.

Took It in Scuffle

According to the girl's story she and another girl friend were in the East Grand Forks messenger service office together with Clark and a hack driver The girl flashed a ten dollar bill which she was carrying in a side pocket. It was evidently in a scuffle with Clark soon afterward that he secured the bill. Lulu Woods did not notice that it was gone till some little while afterwards.

For Free Trade With Canada

Prof. William G. Sumner in the New York Herald: Whenever a revision is attempted it can rationally begin by admitting Canada into complete equality with ourselves in the same market. The line across North America is more absolutely senseless than any other. The "pauper labor" and other arguments here all fail. The two populations run together are closely alike and work under similar conditions. The New Yorker trades to the south absolutely without restraint; to the north he is restricted by the great "system." The men of 1776 tried hard to force Canada to join in the revolt. Imagine the calamity if they had succeeded and had brought Canada inside of our constitutional prohibition of import duties between members of the confederation The fact that the Dominion is still in some sense subject to Great Britain is onl yan historical accident. Why should the two states try to keep apart by taxation and imagine that they can prosper in that way better than they could by coalescing economically?

There are in the Dominion great stores of coal, lumber and metals which we need and could use. They are shut away from us by taxes which are a derision of common sense. If we ever take up the tariff determined to serve our own interests rationally, we shall brush away all these hindrances and leave individuals to produce and trade as they see fit.

The same arguments applies equally to all other parts of America. Nearly all of it is inferior to ourselves in economic development and industrial power. It is a grand market which we have renounced in our attempts to get our "system" complete against Europe. We went to war with Spain in 1898, and were drawn on to dream of Oriental trade. We are spending millions to try to get it, and to build a navy with which to defend it. There is more and better trade to be had with Canada, without expense, by repealing taxes.

We accept our trials of the spirit just the way a man acepts a ten-story building when it falls on him.

A girl has such a coaxing way she can make a mirror lie to her own face.

DULUTH FIRM BUMPED BUMPS

BIG GRAIN FIRM HAS GONE INTO THE HANDS OF A RECEIVER

COMPANY ANNOUNCES THAT CREDITORS WILL BE PAID IN FULL

Great interest is taken in Crookston in the announcement that Spencer Moore and company one of the oldest in Duluth became insolvent today after a desperate attempt to cover a long line of outside trading.

It is not known how much the failure involves but it is said to be a large amount. The affairs of the company are now in charge of E. A. Forsyth who has been named as assignee.

The company announces that the creditors will be paid in full and that the affairs of the firm will be settled up immediately.

George Spencer of the insolvent firm is president of the Consolidated Elevator company which is not connected in any way with the failure.

Madison Independent Press: The governor's message to the legislature contains many timely and valuable suggestions or recommendations and if that body is wise it will put aside all partisan feeling in the consideration of his suggestions, to the end that we indorse the message as a whole; we might after a more careful reading; but we do urge that his recommendations be considered in a spirit of fairness by those to whom it was delivered, i. e., the legislature.

Norman County Index: Governor Johnson took a strong stand in his message in favor of advertising and developing our state resources. He also favors a state bureau of lands.

The lovliest thing about a woman is how she can appreciate your telling her so.

DEAN OF THE TRAVELERS

FIRST TRIP MADE BY FRANK WETHERBEE AFTER TWO YEARS RETIREMENT

ONE OF THE MOST NOTED AND MOST POPULAR MEN ON ROAD IN THE NORTHWEST

Frank Wetherbee for years known as "The Dean of the Travellers" made his appearance yesterday on his first trip for two years, having retired from the road two years ago with the intention of spending the remainder of his days in a handsome lodge which he erected on a picturesque piece of property north of Cass Lake which during the past two years he has transformed into one of the real beauty spots of the state.

Mr. Wetherbee recently signed a contract with the Meredith Drug Co. of Fargo for a term of years, and decided to get back into the harness. His health has been greatly improved since his retirement and he is now as rugged as a woodsman.

His appearance in Crookston was a most pleasant surprise to the old time druggists. He has sold goods to F. H. Hillard for over 25 years and to many others in other sections of the state several years longer than that.

He is not only a veteran travelling man in this section, but one of the oldest in the state. When he first went on the road, St. Cloud is the farthest he could come by rail, and from there drove to the remote spots and was intimately acquainted with all the Indian trails, the redskins themselves, the Hudson Bay traders and all the old pioneers who blazed the way for civilization of northern Minnesota, and took an active part in the work himself. He is considered by traveling men and customers as one of the salts of the earth and his reappearance on the road was most heartily welcomed.

INDIGESTION IS ENDED FOREVER

ALL STOMACH MISERY VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER EAT YOUR

FAVORITE FOODS WITHOUT FEAR OF DYSPEPSIA OR ANY OTHER STOMACH DISTRESS

Why not start now—today, and forever rid yourself of Stomach trouble and Indigestion? A dieted stomach get the blues and grumbles. Give it a good eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to start the digestive juices working. There will be no dyspepsia or belching of Gas or eructations of undigested food; no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach or heartburn, sick-headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents for a large case at any drug store here, and will relieve the most obstinate case of Indigestion and Upset Stomach in five minutes.

There is nothing else better to take Gas from Stomach and cleanse the stomach and intestines, and besides, one triangule will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all your food the same as a sound, healthy stomach would do it.

When Diapepsin works your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to begin taking Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want to Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to be thoroughly cured of Indigestion.

GOV. JOHNSON'S MESSAGE

The Irish Standard: The message of Governor Johnson will well repay a perusal ,notwithstanding its extreme length. It contains a lot of valuable information about Minnesota, and the recommendations to the legislature are entitled to the careful consideration of the members thereof. What the governor says in the closing paragraph of his message merits the approval of all who have the welfare of this great commonwealth at heart.

Wheelock's Weekly: Governor Johnson's third inaugural not only has the ring of truth and earnestness about it, but it covers practically every subject of public concern in Minnesota and is a state paper of importance and permanent value.

St. Cloud Journal-Press: The message of Governor Jonson to legislature is an excellent advertising document for the state of Minnesota, and the greatness and prosperity of the commonwealth are painted in bright colors. It will give patriotic Minnesotans that delightful chesty feeling.

Little Falls Herald: Governor Johnson's message should be read by every citizen. It is full of information and valuable suggestions. The governor is certainly a good peace-maker for the legislature.

Cass Lake Times: Governor Johnson's message to the legislature is one of the able papers of the country, and goes long to convince our legislators and scheming politicians that the country is better provided for by electing a man at the head of affairs who is able to write such a message. Governor Johnson has a few enemies in the state who can see no good in any of his acts, but as the head of the executive of a great commonwealth he keeps wonderfully steady at his "wood sawing" and meets all the requirements of a faithful servant. Nowadays an officer is weighed in the scale of justice. If he loves his political party better than duty, he is a fine fellow; if he loves and does his duty, some will curse him.

If you will glance over the files of the Record for the past year you will find many items mentioning live stock shipments from this station. This shows that diversified farming is coming into its own in this portion of the Valley and consequently an era of more money for the farmers. Wheat and other small grains are a good crop, but for the average small farmer with a small amount of working capital mixed farming is by far the most profitable. A car of lambs, a few head of cattle, a good young horse, some wool and a large amount of cream sold during the season in addition to the grain raised on a quarter or half section helps things out wonderfully. Most of our farmers are gradually getting in shape to sell from their farms each season a large amount of dairy products and live stock.—Donaldson Record.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

SEN. CONFIRMS GOVERNOR'S MEN

WILLIAMS' ATTACK FAILS TO AROUSE OBJECTION TO McEWEN

AND LYNCH—THEY WITH OTHERS WERE CONFIRMED

State senators were unmoved by the expose of W. H. Williams retiring state labor commissioner in his special report to the legislature about political control of his department. W. E. McEwen named by Governor Johnson as labor commissioner, and E. J. Lynch present deputy in the office, attacked in the Williams' report, and just named for oil inspector, were confirmed by the senate today, and not a word raised in protest.

The list of appointments sent by the governor to the senate on Thursday was called up today by Senator S. D. Works of Mankato (dem.) who moved that they be confirmed. The motion was put and carried. The appointees will take possession at once.

Governor's Comment

Governor Johnson's comment on the Williams broadside today was short and pungent.

"If what Mr. Williams says about the conditions in his department is true," said the governor "then he confesses in so many words his incompetency and his incapacity to hold the position. No self-respecting man would hold a public office under the conditions which he says existed."

Another list of appointments was sent to the senate today, filling places in several state boards. The only notable change is in the case of the resident normal school director at Winona. Judge H. L. Buck who was a very active Bryan man last spring, is succeeded by S. H. Somsen, a prominent Winona attorney. Karl Mathie of St. Cloud and John C. Wise, Jr., of Mankato are reappointed on the normal board, all for terms of four years.

Other Appointments

Other appointments made today are:

Livestock sanitary board, C. A. Nelson ,Anoka; vice John Frank of Austin resigned for four years; P. H. Grogan St. James, vice W. W. P. McConnell for five years.

State board of dental examiners, for three years, Dr. George O. Orr, Shakapee; vice F. S. James; Dr. J. W. Penberthy, Minneapolis, reappointed.

Game and fish commission, four years, O. J. Johnson, Glenwood, reappointed.

Board of optometry, F. L. Schlender, New Ulm, and J. W. Langaard, St. Paul, for one year, vice C. C. Staacke and L. A. Upham, resigned.

Board of medical examiners, for three years. Dr. P. A. Hilbert, Melrose and Dr. M. S. Fullerton, St. Paul, reappointed.

State board of health, Dr. C. W. More, Eveleth and Dr. W. A. Jones, Minneapolis, reappointed.

State board of pharmacy, five years E. A. Tupper, Minneapolis, reappointed.

WANTS DIVORCE FROM HIS SPOUSE

WM. BALL BRINGS SUIT FOR SEPARATION FROM HIS WIFE

Last evening before Judge Watts there was a hearing in the divorce suit in which Wm. Ball asked a decree from his wife. Both are well known residents of this city. The plaintiff alleges cruel and inhuman treatment, abandonment and several and sundry other charges including an action started against him some time ago in which she was the complaining witness. There will be further evidence submitted at a session to be held later.

JOHN SORLEY WILL LEAVE FOR COAST

WELL KNOWN GRAND FORKS ATTORNEY TURNS BUSINESS OVER TO BRONSON & CHANCE

Attorneys Bronson & Chance yesterday moved to the office of John Sorley at Grand Forks. Attorney Sorley will go to the Pacific coast on acount of the illness of his wife. and Bronson & Chance will take his office and business here. They have had offices in the Clifford building. Mr. Bronson is well known in the courts of both Minnesota and North Dakota and has an extensice practice. Mr. Chance is younger in experience but has been quite successful.

Attorney Sorley was in St. Paul yesterday to appear for the plaintiff in the suit of Bailey vs. Grand Forks Lumber company, in which the district court of Polk county found a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $7,500. He also appeared for Jeff Barton in an appeal in the case brought by Alice Beardsmore who secured a judgment for $2,000 because of an attack made upon her by Dude Smith a hack driver employed by Barton.

LARIMORE GETS NEW RAILROAD

MIDLAND WILL GO THRU WESTERN GRAND FORKS COUNTY IT IS DECIDED

SURVEY CHANGED BECAUSE OF PETITION OF LOGAN TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

A change has been made in the survey of the Midland Continental railroad and it will run thru Larimore and a portion of Grand Forks county, according to information received today. The road will run northeast from Aneta. Recently there was strong pressure brought to bear by residents of Logan township to secure the road for that locality and it is believed they have been successful.

It is definitely decided that construction work on the Midland Continental railroad will be actively commenced on May 1, and officials in Chicago advise the Jamestown engineers to engage 50 teams ready for grading operations. Three crews of men will be put to work according to Locating Engineer Beach one working for Edgeley, one for Jamestown, and the other between the tow towns. It is expected that the grading will be completed by September.

Steel will be laid in the early fall and the James river will be bridged between Jamestown and Edgeley. After a season's work the right-of-way man has cleared the whole 40 miles of right-of-way and it is reported that except in a few instances the right-of-way from here north has been secured

COMPANY IS IN FINE SHAPE

ANNUAL MEETING OF GENTILLY FARMERS' MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

HELD YESTERDAY—OFFICERS ELECTED — COMPANY IS IN SPLENDID SHAPE

At the annual meeting of the Gentilly Farmers Muptual Fire Insurance company of Gentilly, Minn. yesterday the following officers were unanimously elected for 3 years:

President—Remi Fortier, Sr., Crookston.

Vice President—John Linertz, town of Genvais.

Director—A. D. Berry, Louisville.

Secretary, 1 year—J. O. Sauve, of Crookston.

President Fortier and Mr. Sauve were two of the organizers of this company which began operation Mar. 1st 1900. Mr. Fortier has been President of this company since it started and Mr. Sauve has been treasurer until last year and secretary since; and it was as a token of appreciation of their good work for the company that they were re-elected.

This insurance company has enjoyed a steady growth since its beginning and has gained the confidence of farmers and business men by conservative management and square dealing.

COUNTY DIVISION BILL INTRODUCED

JOHN HOLTEN OF FERTILE HAS INTRODUCED MEASURE CUTTING OFF PART OF CO.

The east-end of Polk county which wants to be created into a new county but cannot agree upon a county seat will be able to establish its new county and settle the county seat fight afterward if a bill introduced in the house Tuesday by John Holten of Fertile, is passed. At present the petition for a new county must name the county commissioners and the county seat but in the east end of Polk there are three towns that want to be the county seat and they cannot get together on a petition for a division. Holten's bill provides a procedure by which they can divide the county first and decide upon the county seat and elect county commissioners afterward

A similar situation exists in St. Louis county, where the range towns want to be set apart from Duluth. They had a bill providing for similar procedure two years ago, but it never got thru the house.

Few of us are interested in those famous pavements made of good intentions, as we don't expect to go there, anyhow.

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TO ABANDON ITS OLD LINE

NORTHERN PACIFIC MAKES APPLICATION TO MINNESOTA RAILROAD COMMISSION

CLAIM GRADE TOO STEEP ON OLD LINE FROM WINNIPEG JUNCT. TO STOCKWOOD

The Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission will hear the application of the Northern Pacific railroad on aJn. 27 regarding the abandoning of the old road from Winnipeg Junction to Stockwood, Minn. and going by way of Summit and Hawley. The road claims the grade is too steep at these points and must use push engines to carry the trains up the grade The distance in question is about 12 miles.

The law provides that a railway may abandon a station thru the granting of an application by the railroad and warehouse commission. The towns affected are Winnipeg Junction, Muskoda and Stockwood.

Winnipeg Junction has strenuously opposed the attempts of the company to abandon the town.

OFFICERS CHOSEN—At the annual meeting of the Implement Dealers' Insurance company at the office of Geo. E. Duis of Grand Forks, officers were elected and other business transacted. The business has been satisfactory and no losses of any great amount were sustained. The officers: President, Geo. E. Duis, Grand Forks; vice president, D. G. McIntosh, St. Thomas; secretary, J. E. Sheehy, Grand Forks; directors, J. J. Dougherty, Park River; G. W. Hooton, Wapheton; D. G. McIntosh, Wapheton; Frank Goldammer, Lakota; P. S. Hougton, Geo. E. Duis and J. E. Sheehy, Grand Forks.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Lillie Patterson and R. H. Patterson, her husband, mortgagors, to L. D. Foskett, mortgagee, dated March 5, 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Polk County, Minnesota, on April 14, 1908 at 3:10 o'clock P. M. in book 152 of mortgages on page 202 thereof; that the mortgagors herein have failed to pay $34.17 due October 1, 1908, said sum being due under a certain mortgage executed by the parties named as mortgagors herein and in favor of said L. D. Foskett and by him assigned, which mortgage is a prior lien upon the land hereinafter described, said sum being represented by a certain coupon note bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum after maturity and that there is now due the said L. D. Foskett thereon, under and by virtue of the terms of the mortgage first referred to, the sum of $34.65, he having paid said sum to the holder of said prior mortgage; that said mortgage provided for a reasonable attorney's fee to be paid by said mortgagors upon the foreclosure of the mortgage herein described, and the sum of $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for such foreclosure; that in addition to the sum of $34.65 paid by L. D. Foskett on said coupon note and the sum of $25.00 for attorney's fees, there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of $82.35; making a total due of the sum of $117.00 at this date together with the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees; that by virtue of said default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured thereby, or any part thereof; that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are the northwest fractional quarter of section number 5 in township number 148 north of range number 45 west of the 5th principal meridian, situate in the county of Polk, State of Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Polk County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Crookston, in said County and State, on February 20, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M.; to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including the amount of said coupon note and $25.00 attorney's fees, and the costs of such sale.

Dated January 7, 1909.

—L. D. Foskett,
Mortgagee.

Henry A. Johnson
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Opera Block, Crookston, Minn.
(Jan 14-21-28-Feb-4-11-18)

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $190.06, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Rose Dupuis and Alexander Dupuis her husband, mortgagors, to James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien copartners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., dated January 8th, 1908, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1908 at 10:15 o'clock A. M., in Book 153 of Mortgages on Page 3, and said James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien, co-partners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., are still the owners and holders of said mortgage and the debt secured thereby; and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof. Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of Lot One, in Block Forty-three in the Original Townsite of Crookston, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County, thence running northerly on the west boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet, thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with the westerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet to the southerly boundary line of said Lot One, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet to the place of beginning, situated in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota. Which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the court house in the City of Crookston, in said County and State, on the 8th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $190.06 and interest and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 22nd, 1908.

—James E. O'Brien and
John W. O'Brien, Co-partners
as J. E. O'Brien & Co.,
Mortgagee.

Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minn.
(Dec. 24-31 Jan 7-14-21-28)

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A Gratifying Contest

The people of Minnesota have great satisfaction in the contrast between the speeches of Congressman Tawney in the house and Senator Tillman in the senate in reply to the president. Both had been personally attacked by name by Mr. Roosevelt. Both spoke in their own defense.

The speech of Mr. Tillman was devoted hardly less to his own defense than to a rabid attack upon the president. It was filled with accusation denunciation, flaggelation and exaggeration. It was in this of a piece with his custom in referring to Mr. Roosevelt.

On the other hand Mr. Towney's address was dignified and statesman-like It was devoted wholly to his own defense, personally as an officer of the house and as a member of that body as well as of congress as a whole.

As to himself personally, he showed that President Roosevelt had been mis led in quoting him, and that he had been consistent and frank in his position. As a member of congress he followed abundant precedent in claiming exemption for congress from executive criticism.

Whether one agrees with Mr. Tawney or not in his original position ,no one can fail to congratulate him upon the tone and temper of his reply, his statesman-like attitude and the high plane he maintained in what is conceded to be a really notable defense. —Duluth News Tribune.

Religion In Politics

President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard, in an address in New York recently before the public Education association took occasion to declare that religious difference did not prevent harmonious co-operation of great bodies of electors in this country. It was in speaking of the improvement of municipal boards of education that Dr. Eliot made this point.

"It is contended by some," Dr. Eliot said, "that the great obstacle in the way of school reform is the great racial and religious differences that exist here. But why could not a board of seven members be elected at large here, where there is such a diversity of religious opposition and racial attributes.

"Take Boston, old Puritan Boston, which has now become a Catholic city The Catholics are made of three races, the Italian, Irish and the French Canadians, and they constitute a majority of the voting population. And yet in this Catholic city the school committee elected at large is composed of two Catholics, two Protestants and one Jew.

"Who shall say then that religious differences will prevent harmonious co-operation of great bodies of electors in choosing at large members of a school board And this is no peculiarity of that old New England city.

"What sort of man is it that has been elected to the presidency? A Unitarian Protestant. The evangelical denominations in the west sought to precent his election because of his religion but they failed completely in the attempt. Isn't there an indication here that religious opinions or membership in any religious organization no matter how small, is not going to stand in the way of a man's election to office by popular vote?"

There were movements for municipal reform he said, all over the country, and the beginnings were usually in the reforms of the school boards.

Massachusetts Salary Loan Law

The inevitable salary loan bill has made its appearance in the Minnesota legislature. It is one of those elecmosynary attempts at legislation which frequently fail for want of con stitutional warrant. Inhibitions upon the right to pledge future earnings for an advance of cash is one of these There is real need for such a law. There are few who are really benefitted by the advance made by salary loan companies. They usually pay dearly for the loan.

But the courts, nevertheless ,have held that a sane adult must have the freedom of contract, and the right to anticipate his earnings. The corporation that issues bonds anticipates and spends future earnings. Its freedom of contract is preserved. Why not that of the man whose capital is his muscle? Why should he not have the right to capitalize the future if he can find any one to take the risk? This is the abstract view of the matter which the courts have conversatively held.

But the supreme court of Massachusetts recently was upheld a salary loan law which provides that the assigament is not valid, unless indorsed by the employer, and the wife of the borrower if he has one, as well as himself. This is a severe curtailment of the freedom of contract. It marks an advance in the thought of the courts. It is not a mere sentimental advance, however. The employer has a certain right in the matter from the fact that the assignment of wages may put him to annoyance and expense in case of litigation over the loan. The wife, who is certainly a partner in her husband's earnings, should also be considered.

The Massachusetts law may prove a valuable guide to the Minnesota legislators who have interested themselves in this subject.—Minneapolis Journal.

Two primary Bills

The usual bill to hold the primaries in June instead of about the middle of September has put in an appearance. This is in response to a wide demand for a date when farmers can more conveniently attend the primaries. But the objection to a June primary, entailing an interminable campaign is obvious. Seven weeks is bad enough—don't let us make it worse. The remedy frequently proposed has been to place the primary four weeks before election. In view of the fact that candidates in New York, which has at least three times the voting population of Minnesota and over half its area, manage to make a satisfactory campaign in three weeks, four weeks ought to be sufficient in this state, especially as all officers who have to cover anything larger than a Congressional district can be nominated at any time the party committee chooses We have never heard any good reason advanced against making the first Tuesday in October primary day. For city and village inhabitants it is as convenient as any other day and for farmers ought to be more convenient than any day in June.

The bill offered by Senator Pauly for the separate nomination of judges ought to be approved in principle, at least by all good citizens. For there is no one we presume who regards with favor even the possibility of a partisan bench or the indulgence of candidates for the bench in any more political activity than is necessary. The details of Senator Pauly's bill we do not know, and therefore must confine ourselves to general comment. It may be open to some criticism in minor points and may be susceptible to improvement.

But the general plan to have a separate judicial ticket a separate ballot box and non-partisan filing of candidates and non-partisan voting is along proper lines and would almost certainly remove all partisanship from the selection of judges since the public as a whole would in many cases be in the dark as to a candidate's politics and would be more likely to consider each candidate on his merits. Those who conceive of the judgeships as pawns in the political game would find little to induce their interference.

Apparently the only serious defect which Senator Pauly's bill would not remedy is the scramble of judicial candidates for votes, a scramble forced on many of them by the direct primary system. But this scramble would lose some of its worst aspects if the partisan features were eliminated.

And in this connection it should be said that even if the direct primary were to be abandoned for an officially regulated delegate primary a separate set of delegates should be selected to make nominations for all judicial offices and should meet in a separate convention. The selection of supreme court candidates should be removed from the domain of the regular party conventions and the selection of district, probate and municipal judges should never be restored to the regular party conventions. The delegates to judicial conventions could be selected at the same time and place as the delegates to county and city conventions, but they should be distinct and should be voted for in a sepaarate ballot box.

COMMENT ON THE PRIMARY LAW

Worthington Advance Herald: Without a doubt the present primary election law is the cause of more corruption in politics than the old convention system ever was.

Madison Independent Press: War on the primary law seems to be on the wane.

North Branch Review: While there is little doubt that the primary election law as it stands at present has many foults, it is still a big improvement over the old system, according to our idea, and great care should be taken not to lose the ground already gained.

Panesville Press: Some enterprising law maker can gain everlasting fame by devising a primary election law that will suit the Republicans of Meeker county and at the same time leave no room for complaint on the part of the Democrats of Stearns county.

Stillwater Daily Gazette: There's considerable discussion of the primary election law which is generally conceded as not all that fancy painted it, but that is right in theory iis generally admitted. If there was any way to hold the parties in line, thereby preventing the Republicans voting the Democratic ticket or the Democrats voting the Republican ticket. it would be nearer the thing for the people than anything yet discovered.

Norman County Index: As expected Governor ohnson favors retaining the primary law, which has proved so disastrous to the Republican party. He also favors extending the law to state offices, which is a good idea if the present law stands.

Willmar Gazette: It is generally agreed that the opposition to the primary law is a feint made in order to defeat the extension of the idea to the state offices. The legislature dares not attempt to repeal the primary law.

Albert Lea Standard: The legislature will scarcely venture to attempt a repeal of the primary election law. This people will not stand for a return to a rule of political bosses—and whatever may be the defects of the existing law, they are unitedly and determinedly in favor of retaining the power of selecting candidates directly in their own hands.

Mapleton Enterprise: It will take a brave man to vote to do away with the primary election law and return to the old convention system where the politicians were the whole thing.

Mankato Free Press: There are a great many honest men who prefer that the politicians should control conventions rather than permit a law to remain on the statute books that will allow Democrats and mugmumps to manipulate the Republican primaries That is one great reason why good square Republicans are in favor of the repeal of the primary election law

Curse Of The Wholesale Divorce System

The Journal for some time past has published articles from the pulpit, the layman and the press regarding the curse of the present system of wholesale divorces—a system that has resulted in the granting of a million divorces in the past 20 years in this country, one out of every 13 marriages. The Journal believes this is one of the greavest dangers which society faces today. Marriage is considered too much as a pastime, a frolic or an easy way to solve discontent in a single state, which if it does not prove satisfactory can be easily thrown aside by securing a divorce. The following from the Duluth Herald is a pretty good discussion of the same subject. The Herald says:

The report of the bureau of census upon "Marriage and Divorce" just issued shows an almost even million of divorces granted in this country within the past twenty years.

A million divorces! One divorce out of every thirteen marriages! We have been learning something about the divorce evil in the past few years and now here is the sum of it. We have been thinking and talking and writing a great deal about this matter of late but we confess that out of so many words we have not got much wisdom. The divorce problem is a long way from solution.

The most powerful single force that has thus far applied itself to the solution of the problem is the church and out of the efforts of the church has grown up a certain sentiment for the social ostracism of the divorcee. This, of course, is a punitive, not a corrective measure and as such falls far short of a solution of the matter. Now comes the Interior, a widely circulated and influential church paper, and declares that social ostracism of the divorcee is as the rule terribly unjust and seriously harmful. Ostracism, declares the Interior, "is more apt to betray the righteous into unchristian prides than to punish the sinner," and it approves of ostracism for but one class of patrons of the divorce courts: "Ostracise forever the man or woman who from the judge of divorces has sought legal freedom in order to marry one who courted or was courted during previous wedlock of either."

Here is evidence that the church is beginning to think very seriously and to some purpose concerning the divorce evil. We shall not end divorces by denying suffering men and women justice and by turning the cold shoulder to them because they have been unfortunate. "Before there's any real cure worked out," says the Interior "there must be less hysterics," and it declares that there are larger things than dogmatizing over the scriptural standard and frantic crusading to obtain reform from legislatures, for instance, "duties of example and sympathy and influence still more incumbent upon Christian men and women."

We cannot doubt that a high standard of home life and conjugal living will prove in the end the most powerful deterrent. Thousands of hasty marriages end in the divorce court, when if the unfortunate couples knew better and had before them better and more examples of the right home life, they might learn to have patience and to invoke a love that would bless their lives and that of their children after them from generation unto generation.

"Woman Is Man's Horse"

If there was any woman who did not know it, she knows it now—she is "man's horse." Mrs. Charlotte Stetson Perkins Gilman has said it and what Charlotte says on the woman question goes. Once she said woman was "man's slave," but this alphabetical lady has a scorn of the commonplace of mere repetition.

Just what kind of a horse woman is possibly depends upon the woman. Some certainly are decidedly nettlesome and high spirited; some must have a gentle bit and others the galling curb. There is doubtless the dray horse, as there is the carriage horse, the pony and the racer. Some are fast of gait, while others are plodding. All have to be trained to travel in double harness.

Then there are the show animals up on whose care grooms galore spend their days that they may be resplend ent in the beauty competition. They toil not, neither do they spin, but hair dresser and manicurist, horse modiste and masseuse work over them that they may gain the acclaim of the multitude and be the envy of their rivals.

Really there may be more in this horse simile than the much-named lady might herself admit. She took really a sordid view, she based her thrust largely upon the claim that the husband "measures the wife's oats."

He owns the woman as he does his horse; she no more than the beast is his partner; she takes what he gives be it blows or a hot mash; she works for him and takes the pay. Yet Mrs. Gilman, if she will pardon the dropping of her other titles, may sometimes be unfair to the horse in these comparisons.

There have been horses that would by no means have willingly swapped places with the wife. If either went hungry, it would not be the horse. But such are the very rare exceptions of "a little lower than his horse a little better than his dog," which may be taken as proving Mrs. Gilman's rule.

Conceding, then, that woman is man's horse, it must be granted that New York's real animal horse show is held not in Madison Square Garden, but on the opening night of grand opera at the Metropolitan and continues during the season. Nor is it always "so worse" to be a man's horse.

At the recent birthday celebration concert of a famous singer the equines of swelldom who filled the Metropolitan boxes wore trappings of silk, satin, velvet and lace valued at millions while about their necks on their heads and in their ears were gems worth $60,000,000 more. Yes, woman must be man's horse, and man is the electric battery which more and more as the years pass is doing the horse's work.—Duluth News Tribune.

Congress is wondering how it can "spare" money for the rivers. But the country cannot afford to have the rivers unimproved. It is rather tiresome to have a "poor mouth" made by the watch dogs of the treasury whenever an expenditure that is really an investment for public welfare is demanded. The biggest waste of public revenues lies not in creating wealth by the development of natural resources. Billion dollar Congresses should not get twisted in the arithmetic of their economy.—Kansas City

STATE PRESS

One of the most unjust laws on our statutes is the so-called mortgage tax law. Its practical effect is to add one-half per cent interest paid by the borrower. The lender refuses to pay the tax, and the borrower in order to get the money has to pay it. And even supposing that the lender pays the tax, would there be any justice in allowing a party with say $1,000 to loan it out for ten years and making the mortgage non-taxable on the payment of $5 at the time of the filing of the mortgage while another party with the same amount invested in merchandise or farm land would have to pay a tax of at least $15 per year, or $150 during ten years. The mortgage tax law was one of the few measures for which Governor Johnson did not dare to claim credit during the last campaign altho he approved the bill at the time of its passage. The law should be repealed at the coming session of the legislature. The only beneficiaries of the law are the tax dodgers in the cities.—Argyle Banner.

The Standard Oil Company has promised that it will, if it is permitted to keep on doing business in Missouri give up its practice of disregarding the laws of that state and ignoring the rulings of the Supreme Court. It must be admitted that this is an important concession for the Standard Oil Company to make.—Thief River Falls News.

The Northfield News things an effort will be made this winter to so modify the railroad pass law as to allow passes to certain officials. Why should such a modification be made? Why shouldn't every person not absolutely in the constant employ of the transportation companies pay their car fare? What reason is there for giving to the wife, children or other relatives of a railroad employe free passes than to give a free pass to the washer woman with a family of children to support? Let every person pay car fare. That is just and fair and equitable.—Waseca Herald.

Recommendation has been made by the postmaster general for a local or limited parcels post to utilize the machinery of the government in operation by reason of the rural free delivery system, whereby additional benefits may be secured without additional operating expenses. The plan proposed limits the privilege to parcels originating at the office thru which delivery is to be made. That it not playing into the hands of the big mail order houses, but benefits both the local merchant and rural patron.—Fertile Journal.

Coleraine Optic: If one wants a good lesson in self-control let him try to save one hundred dollars out of his wages. The devil himself will conspire to make him spend it ere he gets half of it together.

TIME IS THE TEST

The Testimony of Crookston People Stands the Test

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and the merit alone will stand the test of time

Crookston people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills they do still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? A cure that lasts is the kind that every sufferer from kidney ills is looking for.

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Wabasha Herald: Governor John A. Johnson was on Wednesday for the third time inaugurated as governor of Minnesota. This is an honor only held before by one previous governor Governor Johnson is also the second Democratic governor to occupy that position and a third term in a state strongly Republican is a fitting tribute to one of our best governors.

Border Budget: In Germany a man's taxes are decreased as his family grows larger. In this country his tax is decreased as his pile grows larger.

LeSueur News: John Johnson of Minnesota achieved greatness. Tom Johnson of Ohio achieved fame, and Jack Johnson of Texas is the third of the name to secure a pedestal from which he will not fall rapidly.

TEACHERS' EXAMNIATION

Semi-Annual Examination at Crookston, February 4th, 5th and 6th, 1909

Notice is hereby given that the semi-annual teachers' examination for Polk County, will be held in the City of Crookston, at the Court House, Thursday, February 4th and at the High School building, Friday and Saturday, February 5th and 6th, 1909.

Teachers entitled to renewal of their certificates, and teachers who write to remove conditions, or who desire to exchange their Limited Certificates for Complete Certificates, must bring the last certificate issued them, to the examination.

The examination program laid down by the State Department will be strictly adhered to, and I would advise teachers coming to the examinations by railroad to look up the train schedule, etc., in order that they may be on hand to write on the respective subjects at the time designated in the program.

Program of examinations for teachers' state certificates, Feb. 4th, 5th and 6th, 1909:

Thursday, February 4th
(First Grade Studies.)

A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Geometry.
10:15 Physics.
P. M.—1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

Agriculture may be taken at any one of the above periods, and may be substituted for either Geometry or Physical Geography.

Friday, February 5th
(Second Grade Studies.)

A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00—Arithmetic.
P. M.—1:15 Geography.
2:45 Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

Saturday, February 6th
(Second Grade Studies.)

A. M.—8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English Grammar.
11:30 Music.
P. M.—1:45 Physiology-Hygiene.
2:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

N. A. THORSON,
Co. Supt., Polk Co.,
Crookston, Minn.

Jan. 11th, 1909.

1909 OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank, which occurred the past week the following were elected directors of the bank for the ensuing year:

DIRECTORS

Wm. Anglim
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J. R. McKinnon
E. M. Walsh
S. A. Wallace,
A. D. Wheeler
J. W. Wheeler

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C. F. Mix, Cashier. O. B. Tveten, Asst. Cashier.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

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WANTED — Local Agent for selling Farmers' Record, direct to the farmers. For particulars apply to E. E. Bernard, State Agent, Ada, Minn.

STILL IMPROVING —The many friends of Wylie Phillips will receive with genuine satisfaction the news that he is improving steadily and that his complete recovery is now but a question of a very short time. He has been gaining every day of late.

A FINE 8 POUND GIRL—Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Oftmark are the parents of a very fine baby daughter which arrived at their home yesterday. Mother and baby are both doing well and they are both very much gratified over the latest appearance of the stork at their home.

JOB IN ROSEAU—Earl Ralph left this morning for Roseau where he will remain for a week or so looking after some survey work. He was accompanied by his wife who will make the trip with him. The hardships of the former trips to that section have been taken away by the completion of the G. N. Extension.

BEST BOY EVER—Robert Sinclair can be recognized for at least a mile of late owing to the radiance of the smile he wears since that fine new son arrived. He says the young man has a chest on him like a prize-fighter and that he never cries during the night—"Lucky Bob." We are just wondering what he would say if he had to walk the floor about five nights of the week with that young hopeful.

This morning the last civil case that will be tried at the present term o fcourt was called that of Wm. F. Peet, against the City of East Grand Forks, an action to recover for paving and the putting in of curbing several years ago. Contractor Thornton was the contractotr who did, or attempted to do the work but it never proved satisfactory, and there has been litigation ever since.

The attorneys in the case are Ambrose Tighe and W. Leightner for the plaintiff, and Bronson and Collins and Judge Guy C. H. Corliss for the defense. The case has been tried several times before and has been carried to the supreme court a number of times. This is the first time that it has ever been tried before a jury and as it is the last case all the other jurors were excused.

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From Tuesday's Daily

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CASE WILL COME UP—A. Pettaway will once more come into prominence in the district court in a few days. Preparations are being made to take another step in the proceedings against him and it is expected that the public will have another opportunity of becoming interested in the matter.

BEEN VISITING HIS SISTER — George W. Hunt brother of Mrs. Will Olds, arrived some weeks ago from Manhattan Kansas, and yesterday left for St. Louis Mo., where he will visit his brother. He is greatly pleased with Crookston and believes it is one of the most progressive cities on the map. This was Mr. Hunt's first visit to this section of the northwest.

RETURNED FROM CITIES—T. M. George of Hallock, was in the city for a short time this morning and while here took the opportunity of stating that the northern end of the valley was growing at a great rate. He left on the morning train for his home town.

LOOKING AFTER BUSINESS—G. T. Ingberg of Hendrum is spending the day in Crookston and is putting his time in attending to some business matters. Mr. Ingberg is one of the largest merchants in Hendrum and he believed that his town is one of the best of the smaller communities in northwestern Minnesota.

WARROAD IS FEELING EFFECTS —J. H. Hedberg the well known resident of Warroad, is spending the day in Crookston looking after some business matters. He says that already the town has felt the effects of the extension of the Great Northern and the business men cannot forget the visit made to them by the business men of Crookston last month.

SPENT EVENING HERE— J. D. Henry a well known attorney from Hallock dropped into Crookston last evening and held a business conference with a number of personal friends. He says that Hallock is highly elated over the great success that its hockey team has met with and its victory over the proud Canadians will never be forgotten.

FINDING BUSINESS GOOD—J. O. Sether, a prominent travelling man who makes his home at Warren, arrived in the city this morning and he reports that he has found business exceedingly good in all sections of his territory. He looks for the year 1909 to exceed in business anything that has been reported far a number of years.

EAST GRAND FORKS DELEGATION—The delegation from East Grand Forks returned this morning to attend the trial of the case of Peet vs. East Grand Forks the old paving case. The case is one of the most celebrated that has ever been tried here and has gone to supreme court a number of times. J. H. Hiler and son, and many other prominent residents of the west end metropolis arrived to give testimony. All of them expect to return home this evening.

A BEAUTIFUL CROSS—Last Sunday before morning prayer the Rev. R. Cox blessed a beautiful brass Altar Cross and Missal Stand which the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Cromb has presented in memory of their father and mother. The cross is a large brass etched one. The morning service at Christ church consisted of a special mission service for Sunday schools and there was a large congregation present. These special children's services will take the place of the usual morning services and Sunday school once a month in the future

PIONEER EMPLOYS NEW PRESS MAN—The Pioneer has secured the services of Walter Marcum as superintendent of the press room of our big job department. Mr. Marcum has heretofore been in the employ of the McKenzie-Robbins company of Crookston and is considered a very competent pressman. This gives the Pioneer an exceptionally clever corps of employes in the mechanical department and will help to turn out the best commercial printing to be had in northern Minnesota. This is one of the many improvements the Pioneer is contemplating. We have recently added a large amount of job and advertising type to our already large plant and will guarantee to satisfy the wants of any one, no matter how fastidious.—Bemidji Pioneer.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS — Grand President Zeigler of Stillwater, was in the city last evening and installed the officers of the Sons of Hermann, and also the officers of Marguetha lodge. The officers of the Sons of Hermann are Paul Drax, president; Joseph Gilhausen, vice president; William Woelk, Secretary; Carl Riedesel, financial secretary; Samuel Meng treasurer. The officers of Marguetha lodge are, Mrs. Carl Riedesel, president; Mrs. William Becker, vice president; Mrs. Paul Drax, secretary; Mrs. M. Palen, financial secretary; Mrs. Adolph Rauch, treasurer. A good social time was enjoyed at the close of the installation exercises. The lodges are in a most flourishing condition.

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FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

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HERE FROM FORKS—Hugh Quigley arrived from Grand Forks this afternoon on the Northern Pacific and is spending the afternoon in the city looking up the Peat Case which is on trial in the district court.

ENROUTE TO BEMIDJI — Tom Shevlin Jr., arrived from Minneapolis this morning and proceeded to Bemidji where he is manager of the big saw mill.

..BACK FROM GOOD TRIP — Otto Koeppe returned this morning from a business trip out on the Fosston line. As usual he disposed of a large number of his popular cigars.

HERE FROM MOORHEAD—A. H. Enderlie was in the city last evening from Moorhead, paying taxes and attending to some other business matters. He proceeded this morning to Fosston where he has business interests.

PUT IN NEW PIANO—K. J. Ike yesterday put in a new piano at the Experimental farm and it is one of the best that has ever been seen in the city. Mr. Ike has been in North Dakota during the past summer and he states that business there is very good in all lines.

WYLIE PHILLIPS IMPROVING— The friends of Wylie Phillips state that he is improving very rapidly. They state that he is getting better every day and that he is getting better so fast that there is no question but what he will get well in course of time.

ONLY ONE DRUNK —There was very little doing in municipal court this morning. Only one lone drunk showed up and he was not very well tanked up. He was given 30 minutes to get out of the city and took the alternative.

HERE FROM EAST GRAND FORKS —For the third day Messrs. James Jarvis, Aaron Brown, Hugh Thompson and about 20 others from East Grand Forks came over this morning on the Peat Paving case. They will expect to return home this evening.

TRAVEL IS LIGHT—Travel is very light during the past few weeks despite the fine weather. While the local travel is heavy, the thru passengers are few and far between. The St. Vincent, Greenbush and Halstad lines are doing a fine business every day but the trains to the coast and from Winnipeg are not doing a great amount of business.

CLEANING THE STREETS —The street cleaning teams were out this morning and it certainly made a hit with the city officials. The hit they made with the citizens regarding the streets was certainly good. What they did with the taxpayers was perhaps different but a hit was certainly made with those who get the benefit of the city lights.

BACK FROM FINE TRIP — G. N. Bergerson who is now operating the old E. D. Childs farm which adjoins Carman and who operates a milk wagon in this city, returned from a month's trip to his old home at Creston, Ia., and Missouri. He reports very fine weather down in that section of the country and was surprised when he returned to learn of the very cold weather that had been experienced here during his absence and was doubly surprised owing to the fact that the weather was so warm on his return. He states that conditions down south generally are very favorable and that the coming years is looked forward to with anticipations of great prosperity.

Conductor W. J. Burnette, who resides in the Collin Block in this city was brought in last evening on the Duluth passenger train on a stretcher and taken to St. Vincent Hospital with a badly wrenched back and other bruises as the result of an accident at Lengby.

It appears that while switching at Lengby, Conductor Burnette was struck by the coal chute and knocked from the train. His condition is not very serious tho he is unable to use his limb. It is expected that he will be about as usual in the course of a week or ten days. His many friends are rejoicing that the accident was not more serious.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

COMPLIMENTED CROOKSTON

PRESIDENT J. P. HEDBERG OF BANK AT WARROAD VISITED THE CITY

REV. R. McFADYN OF ST. PAUL ALSO HAS PLEASANT WORDS TO SAY

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

President J. P. Hedberg of the bank of Warroad returned home this morning after attending to business matters in the city. Mr. Hedberg called at the Journal office this morning and stated that he was very much pleased with the general appearance of thrift in Crookston, and that he was greatly surprised at the fine buildings and the general appearance of thrift about the city.

Mr. Hedberg was accompanied by Rev. R. McFadyn of St. Paul who also visited Crookston yesteday and he took special pains to express his surprise at the splendid appearance of this city. He stated that he had supposed that Crookston was a small burg about at the jumping off place and was greatly surprised to find a city of this size with every appearance of prosperity in evidence. The two gentlemen went to Warroad this morning.

PAUL DRAX BADLY HURT

WAS STRUCK BY A SWITCH ENGINE AT MIDNIGHT LAST NIGHT

TAKEN TO ST. VINCENT HOSPITAL AND CONDITION IS VERY CRITICAL

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Paul Drax, the master brewer at the Kiewel Brewing Co., plant in this city is in the St. Vincent Hospital in this city at the point of death as the result of an accident last evening. He was on his way home shortly after midnight and while crossing the Great Northern tracks back of Collin's livery barn for his home on Front street he was struck by the switch engine and knocked about 20 feet from the tracks.

The engine struck him on the hip and there is where the greatest injury was inflicted, but he was badly bruised all about his body.

Mr. Drax has many friends thruout the city who trust that he will survive the accident, but the chances for his recovery at the present time are far from bright.

If you will take Foley's Orino Laxative until the bowels become regular you will not have to take purgatives constantly, as Foley's Orino Laxative positively cures chronic constipation and sluggish liver. Pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

A PIONEER PASSES AWAY

M. P. LOSEY DIED YESTERDAY AT ST. JOHNS, STATE OF MICHIGAN

CAME TO CROOKSTON IN 1879 AND LATER SETTLED AT EUCLID

From Wednesday's Daily—

Word was received last evening of the death at St. Johns, Mich., of M. P. Losey at the advanced age of 86.

Mr. Losey was one of the pioneer residents of Crookston and the Red River Valley. He came here with his family in 1879, and operated a shoe shop where the Auditorium now stands. After remaining her for several years, he went to Euclid where he located on a farm and later moved into Euclid where he again opened a shoe shop. He prospered at Euclid and when he left there a number of years ago he was in very good circumstances.

Deceased was the father of Ex-Deputy Sheriff June Losey who was well known thruout Polk Co., but who died a few years ago. He leaves several children to mourn his death Mrs. Bennie Vonderbeck of this city, who with her husband leaves for Chicago this evening where the funeral will be held Thursday or Friday of this week, Mrs. Nellie Nelson of Euclid, George Losey of Lincoln, Neb., Dennis Losey of Sebeka, Minn., and Albert Losey who is located a short distance from Chicago.

The wife of the deceased died about two years ago.

JANUARY THAW IS HERE NOW

WEATHER IS REMARKABLY MILD FOR THIS SEASON OF THE YEAR

THERMOMETER WAS ABOVE FREEZING POINT BEFORE DAY LIGHT THIS MORNING

From Wednesday's Daily—

The annual January Thaw is here. The thermometer stood above the freezing point before daylight this morning, and since that time it has been growing warmer steadily and roses would bloom in the back yard this morning.

For years past a thaw at about this season of the year has been experienced, but this year it seems to have come a little earlier than usual. One good feature of the warm weather is the fact that the roads are greatly improved by being packed down hard and the foundation remains for the balance of the winter, making sleighing excellent.

The rural mail carriers are among those who appreciate the improved roads specially, as their daily trips are made much more easily when the roads are good.

INTERESTING LITIGATION

AN INTERESTING LAW SUIT MAY COME FROM EAST GRAND FORKS

IS EXPECTED THAT AN ICE CASE MAY BE BROUGHT HERE SOON

A telephone message from Grand Forks late this afternoon brought the information that some interesting litigation may be pulled off there before long. It seems that Mayor Dunlevy of East Grand Forks and George Hiler also of that city are both cutting ice on the Red river.

Hiler alleges that Dunlevy maliciously sent men to cut and hack up the ice where he, Hiler, was cutting ice, thus making it unsalable. Hiler has retained Attorney Murphy of the firm of Murphy and Duggan to look after his interests and the people of the west end are looking forward to some interesting litigation. The case, since it involves a state boundary will probably be tried in U. S. court and should any appeals be taken, might become a U. S. Supreme court case.

A Religious Author's Statement

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

YOUNG GIRL FORGER CONFESSES HER GUILT

Was Sentenced To State Training School By Judge Grindeland For Indeterminate Term.

Maria Paulson of Ada, a young girl of about sixteen years old, who had forged the name of a farmer by the name of Ole Hesjedahl to a check on a Fertile bank, also endorsed the name of John Hesjedahl as payee on the back of the check and signed her name to it and presented it at a Gary bank for payment and drew $33.00 on same, was arrested by the sheriff and brought before Andrew Grindeland, district judge, after having confessed her guilt and was sentenced to an indeterminate term at the State Training school at Red Wing.

She says she is the only one guilty of the forgery, but it is thought that she had an accomplice in the deal.

FOREST SERVICE WORK REVIEWED

GIFFORD PINCHOT ISSUES REPORT ON IMPROVEMENTS IN DEPARTMENT IN 1908

INTERESTING STATISTICS WHICH DEMONSTRATE SOME OF COUNTRY'S WEALTH

Washington, Jan. 19 — Listing receipts and expenditures and explaining them in plain English much as a railroad president reports to his board of directors, Gifford Pinchot, forester has just made a retrospect of the work of the United States forest service for the fiscal year 1908.

For the administration and protection of the 182 national forests in seventeen states and territories and Alaska, the government spent $2,526,098.02 or about 1½ cents an acre. Permanent improvements, including the construction of 3,400 miles of trails, 100 miles of wagon roads, 3200 miles of telephone lines, 550 cabins and barns, 600 bridges and forty miles of fire lines cost $592,169.19. Telephone wire to build approximately 500 miles of additional telephone lines was shipped to the forester but with the funds available before the close of the year of construction could not be completed. Some of this work was done on each of the forests in the United States.

New Territory Opened Up

Altho many needed improvements could not be undertaken the benefits of what has been accomplished are seen in the more convenient and economical manner in which the forest officers are enabled to carry on their work and in the opening up to forest users of territory hitherto inaccessible The remaining $297,840.40 of the total of $3,416,107.61 disbursed on account of the work of the forest service was used in forest investigations costing $235,855.14 and in diffusion of forest information and federal co-operation.

The forest service is one of the branches of the government where everything is not outgoing. Last year the receipts from sales of timber grazing fees, and permits for special uses of forest resources amounted to $1,842,281.87 an increase of $271,222.42 over the 1907 figures. The per acre receipts from the national forests were a little more than 1 per cent, less than 5 milensludr shr s rdl rdluldluuuuu 5 mills under the per acre cost of administration and protection of the forests.

The amounts paid the states and territories to be expended for roads and public schools from the year's receipts, amounted to $447,063.79. Chiefly because of increasing the revenue to the states from 10 per cent in 1907 to 25 per cent last year, there was a total increase of $294,031.62 in the amounts payable to the states.

Much Free Use From Forests

In addition, the national forests yielded heavily to the public in free use. There were 30,714 permits granted for the free use of timber by settlers, schools and churches, during the year, against 17,399 in 1907. The number of board feet used in this way by the public amounted to 131,582,000 valued at $168,720 compared to 63,000,000 feet valued at $75,000 in 1907.

The aggregate to the free use of the forests for grazing cannot be exactly known, since no permit is required to be taken out and there is no record preserved. It added perhaps 10 per cent to the amount of stick carried by the forests. Settlers living on or adjacent to the forests, and prospectors, campers, and travelers in them are allowed to graze free up to 10 head of milch cows, work animals or horses in use, and purchasers of timber and stockmen on the forests are given the same privilege for the horses needed in their work. In Arizona and New Mexico milk goats to the number of thirty may be grazed free in place of milch cows.

Of free special use permits there were issued during the year 1,768 as against a total of $1.471 previously granted. Of the latter 963 were in force during the year.

The grazing receipts for 1908 were $962,829.40 and were paid by the holders of 19,845 permits to graze 1,382-221 cattle horses and hogs and of 4,282 permits to graze 7,687,111 sheep and goats. Receipts of $849,027.24 from timber sales were paid by approximately 5,189 purchasers, who cut the equivalent of 392,792,000 board feet of timber. The receipts from special uses amounted to $30,425.23 and were paid by 2,065 permittees.

The year's receipts represent profitable use of the forests by some 30,000 individuals or concerns in addition to more than 30,000 getting free use of timber and other resources. About one-fourth of all the timber cut from the national forests was under free-use permits.

The purpose of this free-use privilege is to make the forests contribute most effectively to the public welfare. The timber given to individuals is given for the development of the country thru settlement.

The total receipts from timber sales each year since the national forests have been under the odministration of the forest service have been as follows: 1905, $60,136.62; 1906, $245,013.49; 1907, $849,027.24.

HUMBLE POTATO GETTING CLASSY

SLATED TO GO TO $1.50 A BUSHEL BEFORE GENTLE SPRING BREEZES BLOW

HUNDREDS OF CARS BEING SHIPPED DAILY FROM MINNESOTA TO THE SOUTH

There has been a hot Marthon race recently between food products and the potato has entered the game after training for a sensational advance. It is predicted that the retail price of tubers will be $1.50 a bushel by spring The price has not gone up within the last few days.

The wholesale price however has been advanced so that it will vary from 60 cents to $1 a bushel in car load lots acording to the quality. The increase in the retail price will probably follow, grocers say. The potato crop of last fall is estimated at 60 per cent of the average which is the principal reason for the advance in price.

For several months the housewives have watched prices of butter, eggs and vegetables, meats and poultry go skyward and thep pinned their faith to the 'Murphies." Their trust was requitted with an unvarying price for a long time so that potatoes were within the reach of every one, but now—well people may be eating pepsin tablets soon. They say that the pepsin trust has not boosted the price lately.

The big movement of potatoes to southern states is now on and hundreds of cars are being shipped daily from Minnesota to states in the south Mississippi valley. The south depends almost exclusively on Minnesota and Wisconsin for seed potatoes. The most popular seed potato in southern markets at present is the Triumph which is being shipped for planting next month. The crop will mature in May and June and will reach Minnesota as the earliest spring potato.

In district court there is very little doing the past few days. Aside from the Peat case there has been hardly a thing doing this term of court in the damage suit line.

The Peat Case is one of the few cases which there is no answer to. But the jury only can return a verdict.

And it sometimes comes to pass that after a man has made money the money gets busy and unmakes him.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

ACCIDENT OR SUICIDE ?

MAN NAMED JOHN JOHNSON, NO RELATION TO THE GOVERNOR KILLED

ONE THEORY IS THAT HE THREW HIMSELF UNDER WHEEL OF CARS AT CASS LAKE

From Friday's Daily—

A man whose name is supposed to be John Johnson, a lumberjack, was either accidentally killed or committed suicide at about the time the Sauk Center-Bemidji passenger train departed from Cass Lake at 9 o'clock last evening. The crew of a freight train which was pulling out for the east from the Cass Lake depot, discovered Johnson's body wedged between the platform and the rails of the main track, about fifty feet west of the depot, two hours after the Bemidji train had departed.

The left hand had been severed from the body and there was a gash in the throat, it being evident that Johnson had been instantly killed.

The body was taken to Miskella's undertaking rooms and Coroner Holeman was notified.

Johnson was a passenger on the Sauk Center-Bemidji passenger train last evening getting on the train at Walker. He was slightly under the influence of liquor.

A. E. Jondahl, of Guthrie was a pasenger on the train and in talking to Jondahl Johnson said that he wished he was dead. Jondahl stopped at Cass Lake, and he says that Johnson was on the train when last seen.

It is believed that Johnson either accidentally fell on the track or demented threw himself under the wheels in order to end his earthly career.

The deceased was a lumberjack,

NECESSITIES OF POPULAR GIRLS

MUST BE .TACTFUL, .CHEERFUL, SYMPATHETIC AND FEMININE

First among the qualitiese which a girl must cultivate in order to attain popularity is tact. Tact is common sense exquisitely refined. The girl who is tactful never pieces the feelings of others with poisoned shafts of wit nor bruss their hearts with stupid blunders. She says the right thing in the right place and she knows which things are better done and which are better left undone says an exchange.

Cheerfulness is a good second in the list. Not the senseless gaiety based on an absence of gray matter but the gladness of heart which has for its foundation a strong, sane optimism. Men flee from the gloomy, complaining creature as from a plague. It's a part of womanhood to make the sun seem to shine even when it doesn't Few "missions" have a bigger crowd.

Then the popular girl won't talk much about herself. 'Cause why? There are always others who want to talk about themselves — especially men. And if she has learned to listen well and to draw them on to talk of their interests and plans she has shown a winning card in the game of making them like her.

Sympathy is a quality which comes largely by experience. But, after all, it has its root in unselfishness and so may be cultivated even by the girl whose life has run along the level plain of happiness. And be very sure girls that both men and women like sympathy. They like to be condoned with instead of scolded. It goes to their heart to be told. "Yes, I know" in a sweet understanding voice, and to be made to feel that you do know. Occasionally it goes to their head, too but you must be well balanced enough to prevent that catastrophe—unless you are aiming to inspire something more than popularity.

Finally, be feminine. Whether it is because the masculine mind is jealous of its prerogative, or because it is too sincere to favor a sham (this is a nice supposition, so let's believe it) it looks with contemptuous scorn upon the girl who makes frantic efforts to be mannish. The most rational male creature likes a feminine woman best Femininity does not mean kitteninity It means womanliness. And no girl needs to have explained to her the qualities that go to make up that charm.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers keep a bottle in the house. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

Some men make a specialty of getting into trouble.

MOURNED FOR DEAD CHILDREN

RED LAKE FALLS WOMAN GOES VIOLENTLY INSANE OVER DEATH IN FAMILY

SHE WAS TAKEN TO FERGUS FALLS LAST EVENING BY SHERIFF NELSON

From Friday's Daily—

A very sad case in insanity occurred in Red Lake County in which Mrs. Filipina Close lost her mind over worrying as the result of the death of two children. Her case has been growing worse for some time past, and the chief trouble seemed to be that she expected every few days that her departed children would return to her.

One of the saddest features of the case is that she has two other little children who greatly need a mother's care, her husband being a laboring man who can ill afford to hire a competent person after having been to great expense owing to the condition of his wife for some time past.

Sheriff Nelson passed thru the city last evening with a deputy in charge of the unfortunate woman. At times she is very violent and it is all two men could do to handle her.

Sheriff Nelson and his deputy returned home this morning to Red Lake Falls.

ANGUS AND SHERACK

Mr. G. H. Horn and Mr. Nels Swenson two prominent Keystone gents, spent a couple of days last week in the Queen City on important business.

A goodly number of our young folks attended the dance and basket social given at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Zak. The tables were fairly groaning under the heavy loads of the finest of eatables the land produces. All present report a splendid time.

Miss Mildred Miller, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller, 4½ miles Southwest of this place, celebrated last Monday the anniversary of her 12th birthday. Her many friends wish her a long and happy life full of cheer and sunshine.

Miss Helen Riedesel, who spent her Xmas vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Riedesel of Crookston resumed her school duties last Monday in South Euclid.

A great many of our Modern Woodmen of America drove to Euclid last Wednesday evening to be present at the initiation ceremonies to be held there.

Mrs. L. Osterloh and her three children have all been sick with lagrippe.

Miss Bertha Erdmann teacher in school district No. 59 is proving herself to be an excellent pedagogue and parents and scholars are speaking words of praise of her educational work. Miss Erdmann besides highly educated is a young lady of great refinement.

Mr. D. H. Miller one of our foremost farmers made a business call in Warren.

The thermometer registered 48 degrees below zero here last Tuesday morning at 7:45. We are thus sure of a bountiful ice crop.

A little too much snow for good sleighing.

Mr. Elois Beadel formerly living at Sherack now situated at Enid, Okla., writes to his many friends here, that he is doing well in Oklahoma, but thinks he likes the Red River Valley better.

Miss Louise Tiedemann, returned home last week from an extended visit with her sister Mrs. W. Wallace of North Dakota.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Broadwell have been on the sick list for quite a while, but are of late getting along nicely.

Dr. Dryden of Euclid was called by phone to attend to Mr. Frank Sirek, Sr., who was very sick with throat disease. We are glad to hear that Mr. Sirek is improving and his many friends hope to see their sick friend soon entirely well again.

Miss Alma Horn after spending a few days with friends in Crookston, returned home again. Miss Alma is one of the leading young ladies of this neighborhood and her many friends were glad to see her home again.

Miss Emma Giese daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ludolf Giese of Tabor and a graduate of the Grand Forks N. D., business college, has accepted a position as bookkeeper with a business firm at Rolette, N. D. Miss Giese left for her new place a few days ago to enter upon her duties immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brantl and Miss Bessie Brantl of Tabor and Miss Rose Kotek of Sherack drove to Euclid last Friday.

Holy Communion was held last Thursday in the Roman Catholic church in Tabor.

Journal want ads bring results.

AN OLD TIMER BOBS UP AGAIN

TOM HUTCHINS PASSES THRU CITY ENROUTE TO CITIES FROM CANADA

IS LIVING ON CLAIM THERE WITH WIFE HE MARRIED NEAR ST. CLOUD

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening Tom Hutchins one of the best known and most widely advertised characters who ever resided in Crookston, arrived here and left on the belated train for Duluth from where he goes to Minneapolis to have some changes made in his life insurance policies.

Tom was for years a resident of this city, and did a considerable amount of detective work for the Great Northern his long suit being to collect evidence and he was a master hand at the business.

He is now residing near Regina, Canada, at the present time, where he settled on a claim about two years ago, and he is doing well in his new location.

Tom has a former wife and five children who reside in this city at the present time but has since remarried a young woman named Elmquist who formerly resided near St. Cloud and there was a great flurry at the time of the marriage, or shortly afterwards her parents being opposed to the match, but all the trouble has now been settled and her parents are now located in Regina where her father has engaged in business.

Tom will stop off in Crookston on his return trip for a few days to attend to some business matters here.

DESPICABLE INTRUDER

TWO YOUNG LADIES HAVE BEEN IN PARTIAL HYSTERICS FOR DAYS

MOUSE THAT CAUSED TROUBLE DEFIES EVEN STRONG ARM OF THE LAW

Two school ma'ams who reside in a suite of rooms in the Sathre Block, leased from a well-known deputy county official have had all manner of frightful experiences during the past few days. And the cause of their dire predicament is still running at large. So dire have been their predicament that on numerous and sundry occasions they have washed the dishes kneeling on chairs, tho there is somedoubt as to whether this was in prayer, or simply in an attieude of prayer.

Trained dogs was secured by their landlord to run down the marauder which nightly has terrorized them, and the shelves of the hardware men have been searched for some weapon which would give them protection and peaceful possession of their quarters, all to no avail.

Even an officer of the law was summoned and tried to route the self-invited in habitant of the room, but his efforts were as fruitless as the rest.

Screams from the apartments have aroused the entire block and some were of the opinion that murder was being committed or burglary.

But the little mouse is still scampering across the floor wherever it feels disposed, and has thus far successfully dodged all brooms hair brushes, slippers and frying pans. To add insult to injury, Tuesday night when a trap was set for him, he daintily nibbled the edges of the sugared cookie put in the trap as bait, but carefully avoided being caught.

There is now talk of calling out the fire department and drowning the ill-mannered pest out, even if all the furniture is ruined.

Tillman's Feeble Rejoinder

Those who expected to see Senator Tillman plow thru the president were disappointed. He scarcely landed a good blow. As a pugilistic exhibition it was a rank failure.

About eleven years ago, when President McKinley was heaving under the burden of responsibility of a situation which was, despite his utmost effort, drifting toward war, one Senator Tillman, then in the heyday of his strength, made the senate sizzle with epithets all directed toward humiliating the president because he hesitated on the brink of war.

Tillman may have been wronged by Mr. Roosevelt. We do not know. It is not proved by Tillman's own defense. But if he was, public sympathy will rush but languidly to the defense of the chief protagonist of the southern system of politics.—Minneapolis Journal.

The more clothes a woman buys the more they're not just the thing she needs for some occasion that makes her buy more.

CLARK DENIES ALLEGATIONS

MAN CHARGED WITH STEALING TEN DOLLAR BILL FROM GIRL BOUND OVER

BROUGHT FROM FORKS THIS MORNING BY SHERIFF DANIELS

Long, loud, and accompanied by forceful and vigorous gestures was the denial yesterday in Judge Sullivan's court at East Grand Forks by B. Clark, charged with stealing a $10 bill from Lulu Woods in the East Grand Forks messenger service office. After Clark's flow of words had been stopped by the judge threatening him with three years, or words to that effect, he was bound over to the grand jury under a bond of $200. Unfortunately Clark's supply of currency was just about $200 short of the required bond and he was compelled to go back to jail.

Clark proved to be by all odds the most fluent person of the Ananias type that has yet entered the precincts of the municipal court of that city and his denial of each and every allegation in the complaint against him was such as would make the members of the president's Ananias club blush with shame for being considered in the same class. Clark admitted having been in the messenger service office with the girl, but denied having taken money, denied having changed a $10 bill denied that he had tried to chew up a $5 and a $1 bill in Chief Overby's office on the West side, denied that he told Overby the story Overby said he told him and was evidently ready to deny anything else that might have been brought up against him.

Carroll Sorley of the R. E. Z. store who changed the $10 bill for Clark identified him. Lulu Woods was able even to tell the number of the bill and Chief Overby told of the episode in his office in which Clark tried to chew up something which afterwards proved to be a $5 and a $1 bill. The tilt between Chief Overby and Clark was an amusing feature of the hearing in which the prisoner several times placed the chief in the Ananias class.

This morning Clark was taken over to Crookston by Sheriff Daniels to await the grand jury's finding.

An amusing incindent occurred on Wednesday when Chief Ellingson brought him into the municipal court G. Purcell was busy taking down notes and Clark suddenly arrived at the conclusion that he was a reporter and demanded that he be required to leave claiming that he didn't want anything to get into the papers about his escapade.

SOME ERRORS REGARDING FIRE

There were a few errors in the article published a few days ago regarding the destruction of the "round" school house in Hammond Township which burned last Friday. The real facts in the case are as follows: The teacher and pupils left the school house last Friday at 4 o'clock as usual. The stove was closed and in every way properly taken care of. It happened that there was less fire in the stove at that time than usual, as no coal had been put in the stove after 2 p. m. The school house burned at 10 o'clock that night and how the fire started is a mystery. The general opinion is that had it started from the stove, it would have started before that time as a fire that had not been supplied with fresh coal since 2 p. m. would hardly be hot enough at 10 p. m. to set a building on fire. The origin will probably always remain a mystery.

Many people in Crookston will be interested to know that Rollie Zeider who was brought into the lime light the last season of league ball in this city when he was signed by Manager W. H. McNeil, is now touring Japan and other oriental countries as a member of the All-Americans base ball team.

Zeider was a whirlwind from the start, tho but a kid at the time, and burned up the Northern League from one end to the other. He was a good pitcher, and played a star game at either third or short, and "histed" the ball over the fence oftener than any man in the league, and was good for a safe hit any time it was needed.

And on top of it all he was a splendid fellow, clean in his habits, polite and jovial, and was a rooter from away back.

Last year he played with the Pacific Coast league and set such a hot pace that he was drafted by the Chicago Nationals and will this season don a National uniform and play short stop, one of the most difficult positions on the diamond, and it is dollars to doughnuts that he will make good.

AN ACTIVE SEASON AHEAD

MANY LARGE BLOCKS TO BE ERECTED IN THIS CITY THE COMING YEAR

QUEEN CITY FRUIT CO., WILL ERECT MODERN BUILDING ON SOUTH MAIN

From Friday's Daily—

The prospects for a busy building season the coming year are the best they have been in many years. Already four brick blocks are assurred, a new hotel, a new office building with store rooms on the first floor the new federal building, and lastly, arrangements were completed yesterday for the erection of a new brick block for the Queen City Fruit Co. This concern will occupy a block, modern in every respect, which will be erected on the Buhn property on South Main street, which will give them excellent shipping facilities, as the property abutts on the Great Northern right of way.

This concern will add groceries to their present line as soon as they move into their new building, which will have 100-foot frontage and extend clear back to the Great Northern side track.

The full details of these buildings will be published in a few days, including the location of each. In addition to the above, the Wright-Carpenter Co. will soon let the contract for the complete remodeling of the New Store making it one of the most modern and up-to-date department stores in the northwest.

HIS INJURIES PROVED FATAL

A. A. NEWGAARD DIES AS RESULT OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN MUNICH ACCIDENT

MUNICH MERCHANT IS TAKEN TO HIS OLD HOME IN MINNESOTA FOR BURIAL

A. A. Newgaard who was struck by a Great Northern engine while driving on the railway track between Munich and Clyde died of his injuries at a hospital in Devils Lake. His skull was fractured and he never regained consciousness.

The deceased's body passed thru Grand Forks Monday night on the way to his old home in Minnesota, where the funeral will be held.

From the first it was feared his injuries would prove fatal. He was hurried to a hospital in Devils Lake and an operation performed, but it was of no avail.

The deceased was engaged in business as a merchant at Munich and also a store at Mandan, where he resided for many years. Before going to Mandan he had resided at Milnor. N. D. His wife and three children survive him at Mandan.

WAS WELL PATRONIZED

NEARLY 17,000 BOOKS WERE LOANED BY LIBRARIAN LOMMEN PAST YEAR

REPORT SHOWS HOW PUBLIC APPRECIATES THE CARNEGIE INSTITUTION

Miss Elizabeth Lommen has made a brief abstract of her annual report and the figures are certainly most gratifying, showing that during the past year nearly 17,000 books were loaned. The report also shows nearly 3,000 volumes on the shelves, an increase of about 100 over last year, but new books are the greatest need of the institution at the present time, as well as periodicals, as suggested by Miss Warner when here recently. The report follows:

Librarian's Report

Report of Crookston Public Library for 1908:

No. volumes in at beginning of year 2823.

No. of volumes added by purchase 112.

No. of volumes added by gift 88.
No. of volumes rebound 294.
Volumes lost or withdrawn 114.
Total number at end of year 2909.
Number of borrowers registered 240
Number of books loaned for 1908, 16,870.
Fines collected $223.13

I would be pleased to have books that are overdue brought in and oblige,

—Elizabeth Lommen,
Librarian.

And a woman's idea of a pretty hat is one that costs a lot of money, regardless of what it looks like.

HARROWING EXPERIENCE

LOUISVILLE MERCHANT HAS ALL MANNER OF TROUBLE IN DRIVING HOME

HORSE FALLS IN SNOWDRIFT — TOOK HALF OF THE NIGHT TO RESCUE IT

From Thursday's Daily—

Mr. Huot, proprietor of the general store in Louisville township, Red Lake County, just across the line from Polk Co., and formerly located in this county, had an experience Tuesday night that he will not care to repeat.

He had driven to Crookston with a single rig for a load of goods. The roads were bad, and he got a late start on the return trip, having secured a heavy load of goods.

Along about midnight, John Sullivan, who formerly run the Riverside Hotel in this city, and who now resides on a farm several miles north east of this city was awakened by vigorous pounding at his door.

Some one shouted back that his horse was stuck in a snow bank about half a mile away and he wanted assistance.

Mr. Sullivan got up and dressed, and found Mr. Huot at the door. The latter stated that his horse had floundered in a drift, got off the road and he had tried in vain to get the animal on its feet but needed help. Mr. Sullivan harnessed a team and drove to the rescue. The horse was still lying in the drift, and it took half an hour to rub some life in the stiffening limbs of the animal and get him on his feet. Mr. Sullivan then hitched his team to the sleigh and leading the horse drove back to the Sullivan home it having taken about four hours work in the bitter cold in the middle of the night to do it.

After working over the animal nearly all night the two men managed to rub the effects of the cold from him and Mr. Huot continued his journey yesterday morning.

GIRL WAS HIS LITTLE 'DAUGHTER'

MAN ELOPES WITH 15-YEAR OLD GIRL FROM EAST GRAND FORKS

NABBED AT DEVILS LAKE — BROT BACK AND GOES SCOTT FREE

From Thursday's Daily—

Frank Jones and little daughter is the way a Grand Forks man who had eloped with Priscilla Frazier of East Grand Forks, a week ago, registered at a rooming house at Devils Lake. Jones was so successful in passing the girl off as his daughter that the land lady never suspected she was anything else. The little girl had a cot in the same room as Jones.

The exposure came yesterday when Officer Dan Leahy of Grand Forks trailed Jones to his rooming house found him engaged in writing an order to an East Grand Forks liquor house for a consignment of goods. Miss Frazier, who is 15 years old, was in the room. Officer Leahy had a warrant for the arrest of Jones on charge of passing some bad checks in Grand Forks. He brought him here last evening. The acused bought a ticket for the girl in the case to Grand Forks She lost no time in getting over to East Grand Forks when the train arrived here.

Settles his Case

Jones telephoned to East Grand Forks from the city hall and an East Grand Forks saloon man promptly agreed to make good the amount of the checks and the costs of the case. The merchants who had been swindled decided not to prosecute and the case was dropped. Jones was discharged. He had an account in the bank but it was overdrawn. He claimed he had no intention to swindle anyone.

It is reported that he may be arrested on a charge of abduction. The Devils Lake authorities may cause his arrest on a more serious charge.

Jones has been in Grand Forks for some time. He has gone under several names and his real name is not believed to be Jones.

MRS. BIEVER BETTER—Mrs. Tim Biever whose condition was critical at Hamilton, Montana for some time, has been improving for the past few days according to a letter received by J. A. McCaffrey from Mr. Biever yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Biever were well known and popular residents of Crookston for many years, Mrs. Biever leaving for California for her health over a year ago and Mr. Biever following last summer. They expect to remove to Darby, Mont. in the near future. Mrs. Biever's many friends here, at Euclid and Argyle sincerely trust that her improvement may continue steadily.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

H. E. Nesne is spending the day at Grand Forks on business .

P. J. Carey departed for Thief River Falls this morning after spending yesterday in the city.

Northwestern Hide & Fur Co. Minneapolis, pay 11ct. for Hides and high price for furs. Sell traps cheap.

DR. CHAPIN BETTER—Dr. J. S. Chapin who went to Chicago some time ago for treatment, write that he is greatly improved and intends leaving for his home at Euclid on Saturday.

MAKES EASTERN TERRITORY—Fred Hall of this city is hard at work making the territory in this section which is usually covered by Bob Saterlee. Mr. Saterlee has been ill for some time and is unable to cover the ground.

WENT TO GREENBUSH — O. J. Kippen of Duluth, an old friend of Rev. A. Salveson, who arrived yesterday and was a guest at the Salveson home, left this morning for Green bush where he has business interests to look after and will remain there several days.

ROY TEAL BETTER—Roy Teal of Euclid, who has been confined to St. Vincents hospital for some time past is somewhat better. Tuesday he had a turn for the worse, but it was short lived, and it is now expected that he will soon be on the high road to recovery.

TRAINS LITTLE DELAYED—Despite the high wind this morning the 5 not getting in till shortly after 8 o'clock. The temperature fell matrains were not much delayed, but all of them were a few minutes late, No. terially last evening, and a high wind prevailing made ilt bad for the railroad boys.

CONTINUES TO IMPROVE — Reports from the bedside of Wylie Phillips continue to be very encouraging He has shown steady gains for several days past, and his physicians and friends now believe that his recovery from the run of typhoid is merely a matter of a few short days.

WILL ENJOY TRIP SOUTH—S. A. Wallace will leave on a combined business and pleasure trip to Mexico on Monday next. He will visit many places while absent, among them Tampico where there are a number of Crookston people, and it is brobable that while there he will make some investments. He expects to be absent from Crookston for at least two months. One of his friends states that he has been preparing some special tablets to prevent home-sickness.

NEW MANAGER OF TELEPHONE OFFICE — B. H. Courtney who has been manager for the Northwestern Telephone company at Grafton has been promoted to be manager of the Grand Forks office and will arrive there this week to take charge. Manager Fairbanks of the Larimore office will take Mr. Courtney's place at Grafton. The Grafton Record says:

"The people of Grafton will be sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Courtney but will be pleased to know that Mr. Courtney's application to business, courtesy and ability have won him a substantial promotion."

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — J. K. Kathman one o fthe well known farmersc on rural route No. 1 spent yesterday in the city and transacted business with local merchants. This was his first trip to the city for several days on account of the cold weather. However he states that all the farmers now have fine protection for their stock, and the only inconvenience caused by the snappy atmosphere was to create a desire for the farmer to stay indoors instead of coming to town unless there was actually a reason for coming.

EXPECTS BRISK BUSINESS— R. P. Workman the well known horse dealer of St. Hilaire was in the city last evening between trains enroute to St. Paul where he will spend a few days on business. He says the prospects for a good demand and lively business generally is the best for the coming year it has been for many years. He deals in both driving and draft horses, and states that many of the farmers are beginning to buy light horses for driving, believing that it is a saving idea to keep heavy draft horses off the hard roads as much as possible.

WANTED "THE CHEAPEST"—A traveling man, who is much at the Palace Hotel was getting shaved in the barber shop there the other day and said something in a spirit of fun that was taken seriously, which made it all the more amusing. "Will you have bay rum or witch hazel on your face?" inquired the barber of the traveling man. "Witch is the cheapest," was the unexpected response, and a fat man in the next chair was so surprised at this seeming lack of information about such matters that he could not resist turning his head to look at the speaker, and the barber came near cutting his chin as a result of the movement.

TOOK INITIAL DRIVE— Sheriff Orin Daniels took his initial drive into the country since his induction into office after the first of the year. He drove to Fairfax and Kertsonville to serve some papers. As he has been on the hop during his long service as deputy the experience was not unusual.

MAKES FINE SHOWING — The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Langevin of this city will be pleased to learn that he has just been notified that he passed the examination before the Minnesota Dental Board with a very creditable standing. He took the examination in December and then returned to Chicago where he resumed his college work and will graduate in April after which he will return to Crookston.

Any 12 Year Old Girl

Can make those delicious Lemon, Chocolate and Custard pies as well as the more experienced cook if she uses "OUR-PIE" preparation, which is now being sold by nearly all grocers! Full directions on each package. Pie is not a luxury, but an article of daily diet and you might just as well make good pies as poor ones. Order a few packages to-day and you will be so well pleased that you will tell all your friends.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Albert Brush came down from Angus last evening and returned home this morning with some more phonograph rolls.

HOME NEARING COMPLETION—Workmen went to Euclid this morning to put a few more of the finishing touches on the fine new residence being erected there by Section Foreman C. Keeley.

BUSINESS AND PLEASURE—Albine St. Marie left last evening on the belated Duluth train for Superior where he will attend to some business matters and visit for four or five days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berthiaume.

BACK TO AGENCY—Delore Gravelle, a cousin of the Marottes who has been visiting here since last Saturday, left this morning for the Red Lake Agency where he is employed in the big agency store of John Morrison. He has many friends in the city and all are pleased to note that he is doing well up among the Indians. A large crowd was at the depot to bid him farewell.

FORGING TO THE FRONT — The many friends of Charles Buckingham formerly of Crookston will be highly gratified to learn that he is now the cashier of a bank at Brook Park, Minn a thriving little city on the line between Duluth and St. Paul. He left Crookston about a year ago and his rapid advancement is a source of much gratification. Thus do Crookston young men nearly always give a good acount of themselves after seeking new pastures green.

EUCLIDITE HERE — Theodore Neiers, the Euclid merchant who is in partnership with Peter Stuhr in the operation of the big general store there spent last evening in the city and returned home this morning. He stated that he was surprisel at the cold weather here as linen dusters and straw hats had been the vogue in Euclid for some time past, and that they were all sold out and he had to come down for a hurry-up order.

BUILDING NEW STORE — G. G. Jackson, head clerk at Sjoberg Bros. large store at Badger, passed thru the city this morning enroute home after spending several days in St. Paul and Minneapolis looking after some business interests. He was greeted at the train this morning by a lange bevy of traveling men who had heard he was married while away, but he came alone. He states that Sjoberg Bros., are erecting a large new store at Badger which will be ready for occupancy this spring.

PREPARATIONS ALL MADE — Marcus Johnson passed thru the city last evening enroute home to Stillwater after spending a few days at Red Lake Falls. He says the debris is all cleared up now from the big mill fire, and that just as soon as the weather moderates in the spring the work of building a new and strictly modern mill will be commenced. The water power he has developed there is one of the best in the state and there was never any danger of Red Lake Falls losing the industry as a result of the disastrous fire.

WORK PRACTICALLY FINISHED —Master Carpenter Mills of the Northern Division of the Great Northern has made a good record on the work of repairing the damage done by the recent fire. All the outside work is finished, and much of the interior work is done. However the business office of the freight department is still located in the waiting room and will remain there for several days yet. All the telegraphing is still handled in the Northern Division office building and this plan will be continued till the repairs are complete in the room in the south end of the pasesnger depot formerly accupied by the force which juggled the freight books and where the operators formerly delivered the train orders and the engineers and conductors registered.

There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth by pasengers who were awaiting the trains from Grand Forks last evening, which did not reach Crookston till 2 A. M. and the passengers on the evening train for Grand Forks which leaves here at 7 p. m. were also in a sad state of mind as they were held up at Mallory also for about 6 hours by a freight train which became stalled.

First the westbound passenger train tried to push the freight train ahead but that failed and a fresh engine from Grand Forks had to be sent for and side track the dead freight before any of the three passenger trains could pass.

EXTENDED TRIP—Adolph Wentzel left last evening for an extended trip south and west to be absent several weeks. He first goes to Texarcana to visit his brother-in-law Mike Hines and will then visit several points in Mexico. He will return thru Oklahoma Colorado and Montana via a different route and the trip will be a very fine one. H. F. Krueger had intended to accompany him but owing to the illness of his wife decided to remain here.

ADDRESSED STUDENTS—Rev. C. C. Warner of the Congregational church addressed the students of the Crookston Business College this after noon on the subject "The World is Growing Better" and it was one of the finest the students have listened to. Rev. Warner is a practical worker, every time he talks he says something, and that something always tends to make people better.

LITTLE CHILD BURIED— Ralph William infant child of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rundquist was buried this afternoon from the family residence, 508 Hunter street, Rev. Salveson officiating and the remains were laid to rest in the Synod church plot at Oakdale Cemetery. The funeral was private.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

TRIPLETS NEAR BAGLEY— An addition of three healthy young ladies to a family of five children is the unusual happening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bestul who reside about four miles northeast of Bagley The little ones are well and in the best of health. When seen Mr. Bestul was feeling highly elated over the event.

BARN BURNED—Yesterday afternoon about three o'clock fire broke out in a barn belonging to Wm. Karkas a farmer living about six miles north of Shevlin and the barn was completely destroyed, together with about five tons of hay which was in the barn and a large number of chickens which were in a coop attached to the barn. The fire originated from a stove in the chicken coop and it is thought the stove became too hot and ignited the building.

SLIGHTLY BETTER—Many friends will be glad to learn that there is a slight improvement in the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hovet who suffered a relapse after a hard siege of typhoid fever. While he is not out of danger he has a much better chance than before and all join in hoping that he will recover. Mr. Hovet will remain off the road till his son is completely recovered.

AGENTS ON LOOKOUT—Were it not for the constant watchfulness of the ticket agents there would be grief at the depots all the time. This morning, for instance, a man purchased a ticket for a nearby town. He was so busy counting his change that he forgot about the ticket altogether and moved away from the ticket window with nothing but his change when Ticket Agent Stewart called him back Had he got on the train without his ticket he would probably have sworn by all that was good and holy that he had been robbed or that the agent had bam-foozled him.

GOES TO TEXAS—Wm. Halverson of McIntosh is making arrangements to leave for Texas next Monday and is trying to induce Mrs. Halverson to make the trip with him. He has large property interests there in the vicinity of Longsworth and says that the reports received from there are very gratifying. While his plans for the future are not definitely settled he is seriously considering removing to Texas with his family and taking up his residence there, and it is largely with a view to definitely settling this question that he is making this trip.

CONDITION CRITICAL—The condition of Mrs. Tim Biever, formerly of this city and now at Hamilton, Mont., has taken another turn for the worse following an improvement which gave hope to friends. On Monday evening her mother, Mrs. F. Tiedt Sr., of Argyle and her brother Henry Tiedt of this city will leave for Montana to be at the bedside of Mrs. Biever.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

APPRECIATE MINNESOTA

WATER PIPES FROZEN AND DEEP SNOW IN NORTH YAKIMA

STOVES WERE BLOWN UP AS A RESULT—PLUMBERS CHARGED $1.25 PER HOUR

From Saturday's Daily—

J. O. Sauve recently received a very interesting letter from his daughter, Mrs. Louis Mailloux who is located at North Yakima, Wash., and the letter will be very interesting to the people of Crookston, Gentilly and the county generally because of the fact that the writer and her husband are both well known here and the further fact that frozen water pipes seem to cause more trouble in the land of the fruit grower than it does in the paradise of the bread and butter producer.

The letter states, under date of Jan. 10, that the thermometer went 18 degrees belw zero in the Mouse Valley and many claimed that it was worse than that. There was 8 inches of snow and at the time the letter was written there had been a steady week of cold weather without any sign of a change for the future. On the date that the letter was written the writer stated that the water pipes were frozen all over the city and there was all kinds of trouble. In the immediate neighborhood where Mrs. Mailloux resides, three stoves were blown up by the explosion of steam in frozen pipes and practically all were frozen up tight.

To add to the interesting conditions the plumbers only charged $1.25 per hour and not half enough could be secured at that price to supply the demand.

This interesting news, absolutely reliable will make the residents of the banana belt more satisfied than ever before.

BIG MEETING OF MODERN BROTHERHOOD

OFFICERS WERE INSTALLED LAST EVENING AND SOCCIAL SESSION ENJOYED

Last evening the Modern Brotherhood of America held an important session. The officers for the ensuing year were installed and a class was initiated after which the evening was spent in playing cards and having a good time generally. At the next meeting another large class will be inifiated as many new applications have been received.

Following is the list of officers installed last evening, H. L. Selleneit acting as installing officer:

President—Wm. Milliette.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Frank Arries.
Sec.—A. A. Glenn.
Treas.—Richard A. Gadde.
Chaplain—Mrs. Ida Peterson.
Watchman—Severe Charbeneau.
Sentry—Harry Krause.
Physicians—Drs. O. L. Bertelson and H. E. Nelson.
Trustees—Amanda Ofstad, H. E. Nelson and Hans Morberg.

The meeting was attended by visitors from Warren Red Lake Falls and New Folden.

POSTOFFICE BURGLARS CAUGHT —Norman Grambo a halfbreed and Frank Fredericks have been apprehended as the men who robbel the postoffice at Robbin, Kittson county, last week. Fredericks plead guilty before Judge Gindeland and was sentenced to three years imprisonment at hard labor. Grambo is being held at Hallock for trial. He is one of a party of halfbreeds who lived on the Red river near Drayton, N. D. and who has had trouble with Marshall and Kittson county authorities before.

ON TO CUBA — A card received from Joe Holtor and dated at Washington, D. C., Jan. 9th, informs us that himself and brother were then in Washington, having stopped off a few days sightseeing at Chicago and Pittsburg. Refering to Washington he says "it is very interesting and beautiful city" and a very "White City" as compared with Pittsburg. They expect to visit Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York before sailing for Havana. —McIntosh Times.

McINTOSH FIREMEN'S BALL — At the regular meeting of the Fire Department held Monday evening at McIntosh the new officers for the ensuing year were elected and a committee was also appointed to make arrangements for a Firemen's Ball to be held at a date in the near future to be determined at a special meeting to be held next Monday evening. The new officers of the department are S. P. Swenson, Chief; H. F. King, Asst. Chief; Charles Martin, Clerk; E. King Treasurer.

HOOPING 'ER UP FOR MINNESOTA

From Friday's Daily—

The people attending the annual meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs at St. Paul know there is such a place as Crookston on the map. The discussion lead by Prof. Robertson caused widespread attention yesterday afternoon, and Thomas R. Johnstone of this city was one of the three named on the Committee on Credentials. The convention will close with the election of officers this afternoon.

The St. Paul Dispatch of yesterday says:

"Keep pushing talk Minnesota." This was the motto for the opening meeting of the second annual convention of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs, held at 11 o'clock today in the parlors of the St. Paul Commercial club. One hundred delegates were present, representing the commercial organizations of all of the larger cities of the state.

"Two meetings were held today, and a reception and smoker for the delegates will be given tonight at the Commercial club. Two meetings will be held tomorrow, the election of officers to take place tomorrow morning, and the convention to close after the afternoon session.

"The first session today was called to order by Eli Warner, president of the St. Paul Commercial club, who introduced D. M. McNeil, president of the federated clubs as presiding officer.

"Mayor J. C. Haynes, of Minneapolis, extended greetings to the delegates and spoke of the work that can be accomplished by the combination of commercial clubs of the state. Mayor Daniel W. Lawler gave the address of welcome for St. Paul. In speaking of the close relation that exists between the interests of St. Paul and Minneapolis, Mayor Lawler said: "There is not really the amount of antagonism between St. Paul and Minneapolis an outsider would think from reading the newspaper accounts and as a matter of fact, a large part of the difference has been brought about by the newspapers. Some editors are willing to take a story from a reporter just because it is hot stuff, without regard to its possible effects." He expressed a desire for a more close relation between St. Paul and Minneapolis.

"Responses were made by Frank Y. Locke former president of the St. Paul Commercial club and Wallace G. Nye of Minneapolis.

"The topic for discussion at the afternoon session of the convention was "Advertising Minnesota." E. D. Randall spoke on Minnesota as an agricultural state and the necessity for developing the state's resources. The open discussion was led by William Robertson, superintendent of the state experiment station at Crookston. The settlement of Minnesota's unoccupied farm lands and the opportunities the state offers to the setler, was discussed by George Welch of the state immigration board. The address delivered by Curtis L. Mosher of the St. Paul Consolidated Publicity bureau, upon "100,000 a Year for Advertising Minnesota's Resources" was the most important feature of the first day of the convention, and the delegates took an active part in the discussion.
to know more definitely the method

"The delegates expressed a desire proposed for distributing the money before any action recommending the appropriation was taken. Mr. Mosher dwelt at some length on the necessity for a more thoro system of advertising in order to keep Minnesota on a par with other states of the Northwest."

President McNeill appointed the following members as the committee on credentials: Thomas R. Johnstone, Crookston; F. G. Wade, Fairmont and W. J. Lawrie, Lake City.

AGED MAN ENDS LIFE

GUNDER ELLEFRUD ENDS HIS LIFE IN ROSEAU CO., AGED 74 YEARS

HE HAD BEEN DESPONDENT SINCE THE DEATH OF HIS WIFE

On last Friday Conorer Muir was notified from Fox that Gunder Ellefrud generally known as Gunderson aged 74, had committed suicide by hanging himself in the homestead residence of his son, Andrew, located a mile west of Fox postoffice, Roseau County, on the ridge road and a few rods from the house where he had lived for 14 years.

Investigation showed that the aged man had made every preparation to commit the act. A neighbor, Lars Molsness not seeing the old man around for a week went to the house and discovering that his pipe lay on a chair and that his fur coat was packed in his trunk, made search and finally with the aid of neighbors forced an entrance into the house of the son and ther found him hanging by the neck from the ceiling by a rope. The rope had been passed thru holes bored in the ceiling and every precaution taken to prevent the rope from slipping or becoming unfastened. The windows had been carefully covered and the door securely fastened on the inside.

The wife of Ellefrud died a few years ago since which time the old man has lived alone. He had sold his land but continued to reside in his log cabin. He was a kindly man, courteous and friendly and all who knew him greeted him with pleasant words. Andrew his son, was notified at Roosevelt where he was at work, and took charge of the funeral and burial.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

Racking la grippe coughs that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. The sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous condition is quickly averted Take only Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

NED FISK PASSES AWAY—Word was received yesterday morning that Ned Fisk formerly a railroad man in East Grand Forks and a brother of Conductor John Fisk of the Northern Pacific had died at 7:30 in Chicago o' heart trouble.

A fast young man is usually slow about coming to the front.

FROM FARGO TO WARROAD

TWO CREWS WILL MAKE LONGER RUN—CHANGE IN TIME

WILL CONNECT WITH TRAINS TO DULUTH, TWIN CITIES AND WEST

The Red Lake Falls Gazzette is responsible for this:

"There is to be another change in the passenger schedule on the Great Northern. The run will be lengthened and there will be two regular crews making the run. Each crew will make a trip one way each day. The run is to be from Fargo to Warroad. By this new arrangement there will be convenient connection with trains to Duluth the twin cities and all points west.

"The trains will run on about the same schedule as before the establishment of passenger service on the Warroad extension. The northbound train will arrive at about 10:25 a. m. and the southbound at 5:15 p. m. The change is not to be made at once and no official statement has been made, but there is little doubt that the change is to be made.

Bearing Fruit

Governor Johnson's vigorous and attention-compelling demand for the development of the resources of Northern Minnesota is already bearing fruit. This portion of the message which the governor has made so large and so vital a part of the message that it dominates all the rest, is the talk of the hotels, of the offices, of business and professional men everywhere It will be the text of sermons and it is flooding the newspapers with arguments and facts and enthusiasm for the speedy development of Minnesota's northern empire. The message is already being put to one use for which it has probably never entered the governor's mind that it would be used. People are calling at The Herald office eagerly asking for copies of the message to send to prespective visitors to the state, business men are demanding copies of the message to be distributed with their other advertising literature and there is every reason to believe that the Northern Minnesota portion of the message at least will be most widely distributed of any message ever sent to the legislature by the governor of any state.—Duluth Herald.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

DEFECTIVE PAGE

SAYS HE'S UP AGAINST IT

MAN WHO STOLE WHEAT OF HENRY ROSS HELD TO THE GRAND JURY

MUCH CREDIT DUE TO THE SHERIFF AND CHIEF OF POLICE ECK

Mike Kidrowsky was this afternoon arraigned before Judge Gossman of the municipal court charged with stealing wheat from the granary of Henry Ross in the township of Fisher The accused waived examination and was bound over to the Grand Jury under $500 bonds which he could not furnish.

Mr. Ross feels highly gratified over the splendid work done in landing the accused by Chief of Police Eck and Sheriff Daniels. The slim clues they had to work on, and the fine manner in which the guilty party was landed was very gratifying to them. Two bank officials are standing ready with more complaint as soon as the present charge is disposed of.

Kiderofsky will also have to face other charges which will later be preferred by two of the banks of Crookston.

ROWE WINS DAMAGE SUIT

MRS SARAH ANNE NEWBERRY GETS $2000 FROM THE GREAT NORTHERN

From Saturday's Daily—

Shortly after noon today the case of Mrs. Sarah Anne Newberry of Wilton, Minn., a small station this side of Bemidji was given to the jury by Judge Watts after a short charge and shortly before 4 o'clock returned a verdict of $2,000 in favor of the plaintiff.

The case has been the longest of the present term, having lasted over two days with witnesses from all over Northern Minnesota, including expert testimony given by Dr. E. H. Marcum of Bemidji and two physicians from Fergus Falls and trainmen from all over the Northern and Dakota divisions.

Mrs. Newberry claims that on returning on a Great Northern passenger train from Bemidji to Wilton she was not properly assisted in alighting from the train, fell and sustained serious injuries and asked damages on that score.

Attorney W. E. Rowe represented the plaintiff and Attorneys J. W. Mason and James H. Maybury of this city the Great Northern.

CHICKEN THIEVES MAKE A BIG HAUL

The loss of 30 chickens by W. Buckley from his slaughter house at East Grand Forks yesterday morning. The biddies were taken Saturday night and were of various sizes and values Several hundred chickens are kept by the butcher in his slaughter house just outside the city limits. As it happened several hundred were kept in one large pen and 0 or more that were taken in another. The thieves emptied the small pen but evidently overlooked the other or were satisfied with their booty. The police had no definite clue last evening and the fact that the robbery was not reported until yesterday morning practically insures a safe getaway for the thieves.

Pianos at a Discount of 20 to 40 per Cent

When Lyon & Healy of Chicago started in to rebuild their big establishment the entire piano trade of the United States wondered what Lyon & Healy could do with their vast collection of fine instruments, for these were no cheap factory pianos, but pianos of makes of the highest reputation.

What Lyon & Healy have done is to mark pianos, hundreds of them, at a discount of 20 to 40 per cent. The response upon the part of the public is marvelous.

If you know the names of good standard makes of pianos and the prices always paid, you will need no second invitation to write to Lyon & Healy, 10 Adams street, Chicago, for lists and terms. For you can secure a genuine $300 upright for $180 or other bargains in proportion.

Lyon & Healy give their own guarantee with every one of these pianos Nothing like this opportunity has ever been given to music teachers, students and music lovers heretofore.

QUESTION DECIDED

GREAT TRIBUNAL DECIDES THAT PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WAS RIGHT

IN PORTION OF MESSAGE IN WHICH HE DISCUSSED SECRET SERVICE

Last evening the Carnegie Literary Society held an important meeting which will be of great value to the people of the entire country as before adjournment the question, "Resolved that that portion of the President's Message relating to the Secret Service was Fair and Necessary" was settled for all time. Papers have devoted columns to the discussion and political leaders have been in a quandary as to what to say.

Last evening it was all decided. The oratory for the affirmative was discharged in great broadsides by Messrs. Arthur Johnson, and Julius Spokely, while O. E. Ring and T. P. Boukind turned their howitzers loose from the opposing elevation. The judges decided 2 to 1 in favor of the affirmative. That settles that momentous question and Teddy can now go a-hunting in Africa with a clear conscience on the secret service question.

Next Friday evening the society will settle another question, one of international importance, and which has been the cause of great concern on the part of Uncle Sam and Johnny Bull for years. The question for debate is; "Resolved that a Reciprocal Tariff law with Canada would not be beneficial to the United States." The affirmative side of the uestion will be taken care of by Messrs. G. A. Hage, Fred Morin and James Hanson and the negative by H. E. Kjorsvik, Geo. Hamery and Oscar Fredricks.

Special police will be detailed to prevent any serious clash between the Whigs and Torries, with Sheriff Daniels and a platoon of jailbirds in reserve.

DEANARY MEETING AT LITTLE FALLS

GATHERING OF MISSISSIPPI VALLEY DEANERY OF DULUTH DIOCESE JAN. 26

The Mississippi Valley Deanery of the Protestant Episcopal church in the diocese of Duluth will be held at Little Falls in the church of Our Savior Tuesday and Wednesday Jan. 26 and 27.

The deanery consists of the counties of Big Stone, Traverse Stevens, Pope, Stearns, Benton, Mille Lacs, Wadena, Hubbard, Crow Wing, Aitkin Cass, south half of Beltrami, Clearwater and Kanabec.

The clergy at work in the deanery and who are expected to attend the meeting are the Right Rev. James D. Morrison, bishop of Duluth; the Ven. H. F. Parshall, arch deacon of Duluth; the Very Rev. Theodore C. Hudson, dean of the convocation; Rev. Joseph R. Alten, Brainerd; Rev. John R. Atwill, St. Cloud; Rev. E. M. Davies, Bemidji; Rev. Erick Forsberg, Eagle Bend; Rev. E. S. Murphy, Grand Rapids; Rev. J. G. Ward, Fergus Falls; Rev. Arthur E. Bruce, Detroit; and Rex. George E. Platt Little Falls. Of the Indian clergy the following were in attendance; Rev. Lewis Manypenny, Leach Lake; Rev. George Smith, Ponsford; Rev. F. W. Smith, Redly; Rev. Charles T. Wright, Cass Lake.

The appointment of Elias Steenerson as Postmaster of Crookston was sent to the senate for confirmation Jan. 12 and favorable action will without doubt be taken today or Monday. While there was no doubt in the minds of those who were on the inside as to what the result would be regarding the postmastership in Crookston, there have been divers and sundry reports some of which were to the effect that Postmaster Steenerson was going to retire voluntarily to attend to his large personal business interests, but there was never any intention on the part of Mr. Steenerson to take such action and his reappointment will set all speculation as to what would happen at rest.

The reappointment of Postmaster Steenerson will be very pleasing to his many friends, and is looked upon by them as a reward of merit.

"Come on, Bill," whispered the old burglar in disgust. "It's no use wasting time here."

"Don't you think those two lovers will get off the steps soon?" queried the new burglar.

"No. I heard him say that was the last kiss. They'll be an hour yet."

Always Counting.

"Your husband says that when he is angry he always counts ten before he speaks," said one woman.

"Yes," answered the other, "I wish he'd stop it. Since he got dyspepsia home seems nothing but a class in arithmetic."

WARM AND DRY TO STAY WELL

AUTHORITY GIVES SIMPLE PRESCRIPTION ALSO TELLS HOW TO TAKE

TELLS READERS HOW TO PREPARE THE MIXTURE AT HOME

Now is the time when the doctor gets busy and the patent medicine manufacturers reap the harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and keep the feet dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble weather is here, and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple home-made mixture at the first sign of Rheumatism or if your backaches or you feel that the kidneys are not acting just right. This is said to be a splendid kidney regulator, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rheumatism which is caused by uric acide in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter out. Any one can easily prepare this at home and at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vicinity when shown the prescriptions stated that they can either supply these ingredients, or if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them.

IS PLEASED WITH MEETING

PROF. ROBERTSON RETURNED THIS MORNING FROM ST. PAUL—OTHERS LATER

Prof. Wm. Robertson returned this morning from St. Paul where he went as a delegate representing the Crookston Commercial club at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial clubs and was one of the leading speakers at the gathering He was well pleased with the interest shown, and hopes the results will be widespread.

The other delegates from this city were Thomas R. Brown, editor of the Times and Thomas R. Johnstone, who will return Sunday, while the other delegate was Senator A. D. Stephens A more detailed account of the gathering will be published later.

FOSSTON GAVE BEMIDJI HARD RUB

LOCAL BASKETBALL TEAM WAS WEAKENED BY ABSENCE OF STAR FORWARD AND GUARD

With Markham the best forward in northern Minnesota and Biddinger, one of its "crack" guards absent from the line-up the "Big Bemidg" basketball team narrowly averted a defeat last night at the hands of the Fosston team, in a game that was a fast contest at all times.

Gill was substituted at forward for Markham and Warren was placed at guard in the place of Biddinger.

The members of the visiting team started the game with a series of rushes, displaying splendid team work and two minutes after play was called had thrown a field basket. They gained another point on a foul basket; after Geil had missed three chances in trying to throw field baskets luck breaking poor for the "Big Bemidg" captain.

It looked as if the Fosston team was going to run away with a big score, Bemidji took a brace and held the visitors fairly even altho there was some very poor playing and miserable team work on the part of the locals, owing to the absence of Markham and Biddinger, regular players.

The first half ended with Fosston in the lead, by a score of 9 to 7 and Bemidji entered the second half by placing Biddinger in his old place. This arrangement greatly strengthened the locals and they went into the second half with much better form.

In the second half Bemidji scored 11 points against 4 for Fosston the latter being out played at every point the game ending 18 to 13, in favor of Bemidji.

Biddinger refereed the first half, Prof. Thornton officiating in the second half. Both Gave satisfaction. —Bemidji Pioneer.

Cab Wit.

The French have an expression about "cab wit"—that is, a Frenchman returning from a party and alone in his cab thinks of lots of clever things he might have said. There is a great deal of cab wit outside of France.—Atchison Globe.

WILL EXTEND THEIR LINES

NORMAN CO. TELEPHONE CO., ELECTS OFFICERS FOR COMING YEAR

OFFICERS FOR OTHER ASSOCIATIONS ARE ALSO NAMED AT MEETINGS

From Saturday's Daily—

The new officers of the Norman County Telephone Co., for this year are: A. L. Honson, president; W. B. Bosworth, vice president; and, C. C. Allen, secretary and treasurer. It is the intention to extend the lines into the rural districts where the business will warrant the extension.

Creamery Officers

The Ada Creamery Association has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, A. D. Laughlin; vice president, N. C. Logan; secretary, Ben Aschmach; treasurer, Wm Froehlich; directors, Lars O. Ness, Matt Olson and Louis Storey.

Won Prize

In the recent piano contest held by the Norman County Index, Miss Bessie Lynes of Ada won the piano with Miss Agnes Moe of Gary, Minn., second place.

Equity Officers

At the county meeting of the Society of Equity held here officers for the following year were elected as follows President, Justus C. Bergh, Hendrum; vice president, William Wilkins, Ada and secretary and treasurer, Ole Hagen, Hendrum.

FINDS HIRED MAN HANGING IN BARN

DISCOVERY IS MADE BY JULIUS ANDERSON NEAR CRARY—HAD BEEN GLOOMY

Julius Anderson a prominent farmer residing five miles north of Crary was startled when he discovered the dead body of Oscar Johnson his hired man, hanging from a beam in the loft of the barn. The body was still warm and it was evident Johnson had been dead only a short time. At an inquest held by Coroner Gilbertson of Ramsey county, a verdict was found that Johnson had committed suicide. He had been despondent for some time and Anderson had been closely watching his movements. Johnson had been thrifty and had a comfortable bank account at the time of his death. Letters from Norway telling of good times at his old home caused him to be despondent.

SWITCHMAN JACK SEEKING $50,000

Alleging that both of his legs were cut off when he was thrown under a switch engine while trying to manipulate an automatic coupling, William Jack of Devils Lake has brought a suit against the Great Northern Railway company for $50000 damage. Jack was employed by the company as a switchman at the time the accident occurred on Oct. 28 last.

Some time ago it was given out that Jack had settled with the Great Northern. A few days later it was learned that a St. Paul firm of attorneys had stopped payment of damages to Jack and declared he had entered into a contract with them to give them a share of the amount recovered by the road. The filing of the suit in district court at St. Paul is taken to mean that settlement with the Great Northern has been repudiated.

Jack is a cousin of W. R. Jack who owns a skating rink at Grand Forks.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentlemen's List

Anderson A L
Berg F. C.
Bray Hastings 4
Brolhprulcu Adolph
Burns Myron
Corfy David
Fullerton R
Kurylowicz Peter.
Moe L. U. Christian
Moe Eddie
Patterson L E
Reisdorff Chas.
Russell A. T
Rypka A T
Sava Mr.
Sorenson Gunder
Thompson William L

Ladies' List

Auddette Mrs. Paul
Husely Miss Christina
Lauvdahl Miss Sigrid P
Olson Miss Emely
Sournson Miss Ida
Staples Mrs. Edna
Sundet Miss Helga
Thorson Miss Anna

—Elias Steenerson, Postmaster.

FISH! FISH!

Received a car of Fresh Fish consisting of nice

PICKEREL, PIKE AND WHITE FISH

We sell to everybody at wholesale price if you buy 25 pounds.

M. Giller, Crookston, Minn.

BOOSTING FOR ROSEAU

DEAN BENSON OF COUNTY SEAT OF NEW LINE IS IN THE CITY

DAIRYING AND GENERAL FARMING MEANS RICH BUSINESS CENTERS

Dean Swenson one of the substantial and well known residents of Roseau, the county seat of Roseau county, arrived in the city last evening from Hallock where he has been attending to business matters for the past few days. He will remain here over Sunday looking after some business matters and will return home Monday morning. Mr. Benson is heavily interested in Roseau county and also in the city of Roseau, where he has been making his home for the last few years and he is one of the best boosters for the northern part of Minnesota that was ever turned loose.

He states that the completion of the new extension of the Great Northern thru Roseau County has naturally added greatly to the value of the land there, and that the people are all jubilant that their dream of years has come true.

Mr. Benson was one of the men who made it a point to see that every Crookstonite who went on the excursion was welcomed personally. He appreciates very highly the cordial sentiment expressed by the excursion, and states that the people of the entire county of Roseau feel very kindly towards Crookston. Regarding the development of the dairying industry in that county. Mr. Benson states that the progress has been wonderful during the past few years and that it will be even greater in the next few years to come.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS (Chicago News)

A good fighter dodges lots of quarrels.

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Many a pretty shoe covers a homely foot.

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Trying to make money often results in making trouble.

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Unlike a man, a hen is satisfied with a pickup dinner.

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Once in a great while a young man manages to tame his wild cats.

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A girl may have a face that is a poem—but lots of men don't understand poetry.

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If a woman doesn't continue to trust her husband, it's because he is a trust buster.

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Wise is the man who is willing to climb down off his dignity long enough to do his duty.

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Every maried man would have grounds for divorce if the "obey" clause in the marriage ceremony had any legal standing.

Making It Easier.

Little Jean's dolly had met with an accident, and her mother had procured a new head for it. The removal of the old head proved to be a rather difficult task, which Jean watched with great interest.

"I'm afraid, Jean. I can't get this old head off," said the mother.

Jean's face glowed with the light of an inspiration as she said:

"Never mind, mamma; just take the body off."

SHAFER CASE TO BE TRIED

JUDGE KNEESHAW TO PRESIDE AT TRIAL OF ALLEGED HORSE THIEF

UNDERSTOOD CASE AGAINST MRS MARY WRIGHT, ACCUSED OF MURDER TO BE TAKEN UP

From Tuesday's Daily—

Judge W. J. Kneeshaw of Pembina was in Grand Forks last evening on his way to Devils Lake, where he will preside during the trial of Schafer, accused of being a horsethief and whose case was taken from Benson to Ramsey county upon the filing of an affidavit of prejudice against the people of Benson county and Judge Cowan. George A. Bangs left last night for Devils Lake to defend the accused The Shafer case will come up for trial tomorrow.

It is understood that the case against Mrs. Mary Wright accused of the murder of Beulah Cox, will next be taken up. Next on the list is the murder case of W. H. Howard who is accused of slaying his brother-in-law Thomas.

The Wright case will probably take many days. The evidence against Mrs. Wright is circumstantial, and she will make a desperate effort to show that her niece was the victim of heart disease. The state claims the accused suffocated her foster daughter.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 18—That the change in circuit of the Wisconsin-Illinois league was brought about by the traction interests of Eastern Wisconsin who intend to employ the organization as a feeder for the car lines, is the statement of President Rooney of the LaCrosse club in regard to the change.

It is expected that a new league will be formed to be made up of La Crosse Winona, Eau Claire, Wausau, Superior, Duluth, Ashland, and Stillwater. Negotiations for that purpose were started today. This organization will be the successor of the disbanded Northern league and will be a class C organization.

Cannon Falls Beacon. This is a good time to change your mind on those subjects, on which you have for a long time known you were wrong but were too stubborn to admit it.

Floodwood Broadaxe: Everybody knows how to fight a fire—to suit him self.

LOW RATE
Farm Loans
PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY
CROOKSTON MINN
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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

FINE TRIP TO TWIN FALLS

MANAGER A. G. SANDBERG OF HANSON AND BARZEN LOCAL AGENCY RETURNS

BALANCE OF PARTY ALL DECIDED TO REMAIN IN TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

From Monday's Daily—

A. G .Sandberg manager of the local agency of the Barzen & Hanson Milling Co. of Thief River Falls returned home yesterday after a three weeks' trip west where he went with ex-Sheriff Louis Gonyea and sons, Louis, Alex and George, his brother John Sandberg and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Longley.

Attorney Longley has decided to locate at Twin Falls as has the Gonyea family. Mr .Longley will probably form a partnership with John Sandberg for the transaction of a general real estate business.

Mr. Sandberg was absent for three weeks and states that the trip west was a most delightful one. The party first went to Minneapolis then to Omaha thence to Denver, Salt Lake City, Ogden, Ponsatella and finally to Twin Falls. At the latter place he met all the former Crookston residents, among whom was J. H. McNichols who with his wife and child have located there and intend making Twin Falls their home in the future, having bought a fine home there. Mr. McNichols and Alex and Louis Gonyea plan opening a fine billiard hall there in the near future.

Mr. Sandberg states that there is great building activity at Twin Falls Work has already been started on 12 fine brick blocks and in addition to this the coming summer will see a new $150,000 court house erected there and a six story brick block erected by the leading bank to cost a similar sum.

He also states that the scenery enjoyed was immense on the trip, the Rotal Gorge scenery in Colorado being specially awe inspiring. He states that there are great opportunities at Twin Falls. Real estate is moving so fast that two properties which he had intended to purchase were sold before he could reach the real estate office. He believs that the investor has great opportunities and that Messrs. Longley and Sandberg will do well from the very start.

M. B. HAYES DIES SUDDENLY

SAD NEWS RECEIVED OF FORMER WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF CROOKSTON

From a niece of the deceased Mrs. E. M. Lancaster this morning received a letter conveying the sad intelligence of the death at Wright, Ia., on Saturday last of M. B. Hayes, a former well known resident of Crookston, but who with Mrs. Hayes has for the past several years made their home at Mentor.

The death will come as a great surprise, for, tho Mr. Hayes has not been in good health for some time past, his condition was not considered critical, but a sudden stroke of paralysis proved fatal. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes had gone to Iowa to spend the winter with relatives and the death occurred at the home of a brother.

Mr. Hayes was 65 years of age. The family resided in Crookston for many years, Mrs. Hayes being a teacher in the public schools, and both were highly respected citizens, and the news of Mr. Hayes' sudden death will cause widespread sorow. Details were not received but it is supposed that the funeral took place yesterday and that the remains were laid to rest at Wright, Ia.

There were no children and Mrs. Hayes is extended deepest sympathy in her bereavement.

If you will take Foley's Orino Laxative until the bowels become regular you will not have to take purgatives constantly, as Foley's Orino Laxative positively cures chronic constipation and sluggish liver. Pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

The reason a woman wants her husband to do most of the things she nags him about is he doesn't want to.

If a good make-up was the only thing necessary to success nearly every woman would be a great actress.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

GREAT GATH[illegible] TO BE HELD IN MINNEAPOLIS FROM FEB. 4TH TO THE [illegible]TH

LAYMEN'S MEETINGS WILL BE ADDRESSED BY FOREMOST SPEAKERS OF COUNTRY

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Laymen's Missionary Movement, which has crossed the continent spread thru Canada, England, Scotland, Germany and Austria, has reached the Northwest. The Minnesota conference is set for Feb. 4-7 at Minneapolis. It is expected that it will be attended by 1,500 laymen representing churches in every county in the state, besides a large gathering of pastors, who are invited to attend as honorary members.

The movement is inter-denominational and does not interfere with the methods of missionery work of the churches, but simply seeks to interest the laymen in the missions, and thru them strengthen their support.

A number of notable speakers are to deliver addresses, among them Col. Elijah W. Halford the founder of the Chicago Inter-Ocean; Wm. T. Ellis well known as a newspaper correspondent on missionary topics; J. Campbell White considered the greatest foreign missionary speaker of this generation and D. F. Wilber, U. S. consul general at Nova Scotia.

The conference will be inaugurated by a dinner Thursday evening at the West Hotel, at which Pres. Cyrus Northrup of the State University of Minnesota will preside. Gov. Jno. A. Johnson is to be one of the speakers.

The meetings at the Wesley M. E. Church where the conference is to be held begin Friday morning with a pastors' meeting to be addressed by Col. Halford, Rev. Charles E Dradt of Chicago, and J. Campbell White. In the afternoon campaigners' conferences are to be held and in the evening a mass meeting for men, presided over by Hon. David P. Jones of Minneapolis. Saturday morning there will be another campaigners' conference at which practical questions of missionary work will be discussed by speakers from the standpoint of experience. Saturday afternoon the conference will be divided into denominational meetings for consideration of the amount of support of foreign missions that should be undertaken and the steps necessary to secure it.

Saturday night a mass meeting will be held, which will be presided over by Jas. Supydam of St. Paul. At the churches Sunday morning and evening the pulpits will be occupied by laymen speakers on the subject of foreign missions. In the afternoon an inter-denominational conference will be held.

This is by far the most important gathering of the kind ever held in the Northwest and will bring together for united effort many of the most influential churchmen of the state.

NEW TELEPHONE CO. ORGANIZED

RUSSIA AND FAIRFAX FARMERS WILL CONNECT WITH CROOKSTON AND OTHER PLACES

The Russia-Fairfax Telephone Co., has been organized by the farmers in those two townships and will be all ready for active construction operations early in the spring. They will connect up with the Northwestern at Crookston first, but plan later to also connect with Mentor, Maple Lake and Fertile.

O. Sanness one of the well known and substantial farmers in that direction who was in the city today, states tha tthe work of construction will be pushed early in the spring and that one of those interested in the company is now getting out the poles. The officers elected are as follows:

President, B Hinton.
Vice Pres.—Seivert Qualberg.
Sec.—O. Sanness.
Treas.—E. Durdahl.
Directors, E. Durdahl, W. Benning and Carl Moe .

Little by little the farmers are getting all the conveniences of the city, an dat the same time have to put up with none of the inconveniences.

Two Harbors Iron News: Senator Tillman is honest of course. But he could not help taking a little bit of the pie while he was passing it around to the dear people.

PROMINENT PEOPLE ARE KILLED IN COLLISION

Well Known People Were Victims Of The Awful Steamer Collision

W. J. Mooney Killed And Mrs. M. F. Murphy Very Badly Injured.

New York, Jan. 25—The wireless telegraph on Saturday spoke but the prologue of the great drama being enacted out upon the sea behind the impenetrable curtain of fog where the steamship Florida, with 1,100 souls aboard, had rammed the White Star liner Republic, with upwards of 800 souls aboard.

Yesterday by the same magic means the full drama was enacted before the attentive world, and soon revealed itself a tragedy.

"Regret that first-class passengers of the Republic, Mrs. Edward Lynch and W. J. Mooney, were killed; also Mr. Lynch and Mrs. M. F. Murphy badly injured.—Ransom."

Death not Baffled

This wireless message received by the officials of the White Star line grimly refuted the "all safe" and "no lives lost" messages that had gladdened the watchers on shore.

Science had done much to lessen the horrors of this great modern disaster of the sea but death was not baffled. It came quick and terrible when te sharp prow of the Florida cut its way into the side of the Republic, crushing to death the two passengers as they slept in their berths and maiming those who slept but an arm's length away.

It visited the hold as well as the deck and four members of the crew believed to be coal passers at work deep in the hold of the ship, were killed by the crushing blow that doomed the Republic.

The dead and injured as reported by wireless are as follows:

THE DEAD

W .J. Mooney Langdon ,N. D .
Mrs. Eugene Lynch ,Boston ,Mass.
Four Members of the Crew, unnamed.

THE INJURED

Eugene Lynch, Boston ,Mass.
Mrs. M. F. Murphy, Grand Forks.

Those named above were first cabin passengers and occupied adjoining staterooms on the saloon deck on the port side of the Republic where the bow of the Florida crashed into the vessel.

New York, Jan. 25—W. J. Mooney, who was killed in the collision of the Republic and the Florida was from Langdon, N. D. and was one of the most prominent citizens of that state He was owner of the Mooney state bank in Langdon and half owner with M. J. Murphy whose wife was serious ly injured on the Republic, in the new bank at International Falls, Minnesota.

H. Bendeke, a friend of Mooney, is Norwegian consul in North Dakota and is at present stopping at the Knickerbocker hotel in New York.

"The Mooneys and the Murphys were making the voyage to the Mediterranean together. I am agent for the White Star line in North Dakota and I made their arrangements for them," he said.

"Just before going aboard the Republic, Mrs. Murphy who is a rather timid woman remarked that she felt afraid of crossing the ocean. I introduced her to Captain Zalby whom I knew as a good seaman ,and what I told her of him restored her confidence somewhat."

The Murphys have four children in Grand Forks. Mr. Bendeke has been in communication with them almost hourly since the collision.

The belated report of the casualties is believed to be due to the fact that they were not known at the time the first messages were sent out from the Republic for aid, and when discovered were delayed by the press of messages directing the work of relief.

Most Thrilling Experiences

Passengers of the Republic who lived thru the peril passed thru the most thrilling experiences yet recorded in the history of marine disasters. Transferred from a sinking ship by small boats in a black fog, abandoning their effects and glad of the chance for their lives, they found themselves aboard a vessel but little safer than the damaged hulk they had left and facing a rising gale.

For fourteen hours they were crowded upon the decks of the Florida, with her 900 excited passengers, sleepless and poorly nourished, while the fog made the midnight of their peril never ending.

Helpless and with the knowledge that the rolling ship beneath them could not outlive the promised storm, at almost midnight by the clock and when they were told they must face another peril, that within 24 hours they must twice be transferred from the decks of sinking liners by means of small boats, must climb down the frail rope ladders thrown over the swinging sides of the ship until like human pendulums they were swung aboard the cockleshells tossing on the waves below ,only to climb the steep sides of the great Baltic, where at last they were to find safe refuge.

The retransfer of the passengers of the Republic from the Florida to the Baltic and the transfer of the fright-stricken passengers of the Florida was begun at 11 o'clock on Saturday night under the most trying circumstances ,and in all 1,650 passengers were taken from the Florida. It required almost twelve hours to perform the herculean task.

Searchlight Aids Stricken Passengers

When the time for the transfer came a procession of twenty-two small boats set out from the Baltic, on their way thru the fog guided by a great searchlight of the Baltic, and cautiously approached the Florida.

With two sailors to each passenger the women and children were first put into the boats. The Baltic was more than 200 yards away from the Florida and the path of her searchlight faded to a bright blur in the fog from the decks of the Florida. But it was a safe beacon for the steersmen and there was not a mishap during the transfer, ten to a boat of the 1,650 passengers.

Growing Old a Habit

The face cannot betray the years until the mind gives its consent. The mind is the sculptor. We renew our bodies by renewing our thots; change our bodies by changing our thots. The best thing to preserve youth and beauty is the daily use of some good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer. If served regularly at mealtime will invigorate the muscles and make rich; red blood. Order of your nearest dealer or be suplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

There will be no more white flour no more white bread after the first of the month. Instead there will be nice yellow bread that looks like sponge cake. It is all because James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, ruled against flour bleached by nitrogen peroxide and Minneapolis millers will abide by the decision and the first unbleached flour put on the market Feb. 1.

"There will not be as much difference between the bread made from unbleached flour and present bleached flour bread as there is between angel cake and sponge cake," says C. H. Briggs, with the Howard Flour Testing company.

"Flour," he says, "will be of creamy color instead of clear white, and the bread will be light golden color. However, there will be absolutely no difference in flavor."

Most men are cheerful givers when they have a chance to hand out advice.

THE ITALIANS ARE PRAISED

GRAND FORKS MAN DECLARES THEY DESERVE MORE CREDIT

THAN DO THE AMERICANS IN DISASTER TO THE OCEAN LINERS

Michael F. Murphy, of Grand Forks president of the Bankers' association of North Dakota who, with his wife, was injured on the Republic made a statement last night at St. Vincent's hospital, New York, where he and his wife were being attended by Dr. Geo. V. Stewart. Mr .Murphy sustained a lacerated face and cut foot, and his wife has a compound fracture of the right leg and contusions of the body.

"I am glad," he said "to get an opportunity to say a few words of praise for the crew, officers and stewards of the Florida. I noticed statements that have been given out that praise is unstinted for the crews of both the Republic and the Baltic, but in my opinion the Italian crew did as valiant work as the crews of either of the other vessels.

Italians Praised

"Those who were simply transferred from the Republic to the Florida and were not injured had but little opportunity to judge of the merit of the Italian crew but I had to take my injured wife on board, and I can truthfully make the statement that our treatment aboard the Florida was much better than that accorded us on either of the other vessels after the accident. The first real medical attendance my wife had was that which she received from Dr. Alderio Rinaldiatt ship's surgeon on the Florida, and when one considers that there were only five persons injured aboard the Republic—two of them, Mr. Lynch and my wife, seriously—it is impossible to enthuse over the efficiency of the medical service aboard the Republic.

"Everyone who was taken aboard the Florida was given the best that the ship had. Cognac flowed freely, and what poor provisions the ship had were very liberally distributed. Every attention was shown Mr. Lynch and my wife and the people who were brought aboard seemed to be willingly given preference everywhere by the obliging Italians.

Riot Talk is Rot

"I believe that this talk of riot is rot. When I attempted to move my wife for the re-transfer aboard the Baltic the emigrants made a passage way for us to ascend, and when I got her to the deck I received my first impressions of the attentive crew and captain of the Baltic for an officer of that ship told me positively that his ship would receive no injured persons. That was five o'clock Sunday afternoon and it was 11 o'clock before by continued and persistent efforts I was able to make arrangements to have my wife taken aboard the Baltic She was strapped to a stretcher and taken across on a life boat and then altho we were first class passengers aboard the Republic we were assigned to quarters in the steerage of the Baltic, and was almost 2 o'clock in the morning before I could arrange to have my wife removed to quarters above. This may be chivalry and system but I am uable to appreciate it.

PHYSICAL CULTURE CLASS HERE

C. Q. ROEMER WILL BRING PROF SIMPSON HERE FROM WARREN

C. Q. Roemer is very much interested in the proposition to establish a physical culture class, or classes in Crookston and with that end in view on Wednesday of this week will bring Prof. Simpson the physical culture teacher of Warren, to this city. He has canvassed the situation somewhat and has been given great encouragement by those who believe the boys who have nothing to do in the evenings have some place to go.

It is the plan to secure the paraphernalia now in the Armory of Co. I and add to it as necessary, and have a physical culture room open every evening of the week, with Prof. Simpson here on certain dates to give instructions to classes of men, women and children. The idea is a most excellent one and should be encouraged.

A satisfactory thing about inheriting a lot of money is you don't need to inherit any brains with it.

EXCELLENT SUGGESTIONS

CAPT. M. R .BROWN WANTS SUCCESSFUL CORN RAISERS TO PUBLISH

DETAILS OF HOW THEY HAVE RAISED CORN HERE FOR BENEFIT OF OTHERS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Capt. M. R. Brown was on the streets yesterday for the first time in several week having been indisposed As usual he had some good suggestions to make and when asked for something by the Journal man he said:

"It appears to me that the Journal would make a good move by publishing an article calling on the farmers who have made a success of corn raising, to call and give some details regarding the methods they pursued in making a success of raising that valuable and important serial.

"A great many farmers have raised fine corn in Polk Co. and other parts of Northern Minnesota, and a great many more would if they knew just how to go about it.

"If a number of those who have been in the business and succeeded, could be induced to give a detailed account of just how they proceeded what brand of corn they sowed, how, they prepared the land ,what time they planted the corn, how they cultivated and how often and what with, it would be of great benefit to the general public and no doubt many of those who have been successful with corn would be only too glad to give the information when invited."

This is a splendid suggestion and the Journal invites every farmer who has raised corn successfully in this section to either write the Journal giving the information suggested above or call at the Journal office and give it personally.

SIEVER CLIFFGARD SENT UP AGAIN

PERPETUAL ANNOYANCE AT THE G. NORTHERN STOPPED TEMPORARILY

Seiver Cliffgard was given another 60-days sentence at the county jail this morning by Judge Gossman on the charge of vagrancy. This is about the 99th time he has been sent up and it is an outrage that there is not some place provided by the state where such characters can be taken care of. He has the St. Vitus dance and several other dances which he has a patent on. The city pays for his board at the Columbia hotel, with room also but it would take four policemen and five deputy sheriffs to make him stay there. He spends most of his time at the Great Northern depot begging from strangers, and tells them all that the city of Crookston will do nothing for him and that he is behid in his board. It is generally believed that his wild tales now would justify his being sent to the insane asylum, as he is not only crazy but vicious as well.

PAUL DRAX HAS LEG AMPUTATED

IS RESTING AS WELL AS COULD BE EXPECTED UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES

Drs. Smith and Randolph assisted by Dr. Just this morning amputated one of the limbs of Paul Drax who was so seriously injured a few days ago while returning home, by being struck by a Great Northern box car near the Crookston Flouring mill. Late this afternoon he was doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

A Religious Author's Statement

For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

A CREDIT TO CITY COUNCIL

NEW CHAMBERS MAKE AN IDEAL CONVENTION HALL, SOMETHING BADLY NEEDED

CHAMBERS ARE LARGE AND ALSO PRESENT VERY FINE APPEARANCE

From Saturday's Daily—

During the annual meeting of the 25,000 Commercial Club yesterday in the council chambers many compliments were heard regarding the ideal place it made for holding such conventions since the building was remodelled.

A convention hall was an absolute necessity for Crookston and now those who were criticising the council for making the changes that have been brought about see the error of their ways and are enthusiastic in their support of the Aldermen who had to fight tooth and nail in order to get the repairs made as planned.

SUBPOENAS ARE QUASHED

DECISION OF FAR-REACHING IMPORTANCE HANDED DOWN YESTERDAY

BY JUDGE WARD IN THE FAMOUS LIBEL SUIT IN NEW YORK CITY

From Saturday's Daily—

The subpoenas calling for the appearance before the federal grand jury of J. Angus Shaw, secretary of the Press Publishing company publishers of the World, "to testify all and everything which you know generally on the part of the United States," the validity of which had been questioned by the attorneys for the World, were set aside and quashed today by a decision handed down by Judge Ward in the United States circuit court at New York.

The opinion which invalidates the subpoenaes in question, affirms the principle enunciated in the fifth amendment to the constitution which provides that no one shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself. A subpoena duces tecum calling for the production before the federal grand jury of the books and receipts of the World is also set aside by the decision. Today's action by the court upsets the established practice of nearly 50 years and is considered to be of very far-reaching importance.

CROOKSTONITES IN THE MONEY

LAND SEVERAL PRIZES AT THE POULTRY SHOW AT FARGO

Among the prizes which have been awarded at the poultry show in Fargo are the following:

Bearded Polish

Sam Meng Crookston, first second and third cockerel, first, second, third and fourth pullet.

S. C. Hamburgs

F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, first, second, third and fourth pullet, third cockerel.

ST. HILAIRE CREAMERY WINS OUT AGAIN

The St. Hilaire creamery captured the gold medal on creamery butter at the State Dairymen's convention held this week at Montevideo. This is but one of the many triumphs scored by Buttermaker Geo. Austin.

ADA WON THE DISTRICT DEBATE

Last evening at Ada the Ada high school won the 9th district high scho ol debate for the Minneapolis Journal prize from Fergus Falls 2 to 1. The question was "Resolved that Cuba should be annexed to the United States." Ada had the affirmative and was represented by Frank Prigge Ernest Helgeson and Girling Norby. The debaters for Fergus were Walter Unger, James Evans and Carl McKee. The judges were Supt. McIntyre of Crookston, Supt. Bohlander of Detroit and Supt. Van Cleeve of Barnesville. The timekeepers were F. L. Hanson of Ada, Supt. Christofferson of Fergus Falls, and Supt. Boraas of Ada. Fine music was furnished by the high school band of Ada. Ada will now have to debate with the team from some other district.

FALL OF RAIN MELTS SNOW

VALLEY ENJOYS BALMY JANUARY WEATHER WHILE SLEET FALLS

SLEET BREAKS DOWN WIRES AND POLES BETWEEN JAMESTOWN AND BISMARCK

From Saturday's Daily—

The Northwest had some remarkable weather for January yesterday. In this section it was warm during the day and the snow melted. In the evening there were frequent showers of rain.

In some sections of North Dakota sleet fell and caused a good deal of damage. Between Jamestown and Bismarck the wires of the Western Union telegraph company and the North western and Tri-State Telephone companies went down early yesterday morning and communication with the capital city has been completely cut off. Coming at this time when the legislature is in session the interruption of the service hits the newspapers hard.

The damage is reported to be very extensive. The sleet broke down the wires for miles and the cross arms and poles are broken in many places. It will take days to repair the damages it was stated. The Western Union resumed service via Helena today

Early this morning it was stated that there had been no damage between this city and Minot.

A storm between St. Paul and Chicago was reported during the evening and the wire service last night was badly crippled.

E. G. FORKS LOST SUIT

THE JURY IN PAVING CASE OF PEET VS. EAST GRAND FORKS

BROUGHT IN VERDICT FOR OVER $11,000 AND INTEREST FOR PEET

From Saturday's Daily—

This morning at 3 o'clock the jury in the case of Peet vs. East Grand Forks brought in a verdict of over $11,000 and interest for several years back in favor of Peet.

Atty. Collins who represents East Grand Forks states that he will at once ask Judge Watts to set aside the verdict and direct one for defendant, and if unsuccessful will appeal

Miss Ruth Sargent arrived in the to the supreme court.

city this morning from Moorhead where she is attending the state normal and will be the guest of her parents over Sunday returning Monday morning.

THE SOO PLANS A NEW LINE

WILL BE BUILT NEXT YEAR FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS TO SOLAN, MINN.

Northern Minnesota is soon to have a new line of railroad. According to announcement made by Vice President Edmund Pennington of the Soo that road will build, in 1910 a 250 mile extension from Thief River Falls on its Winnipeg line southeastward to Solan on the Brooten-Duluth line, now under construction.

Surveys for the new line were made some time ago and speculation regarding what road would build it has been rife. It was at first rumored that the line would be a branch of the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic another of the Canadian Pacific subsidiary lines.

The new line will pass thru the lake park and pine region of Minnesota.

DEATH OF WELL KNOWN CITIZEN

CHAS. HANSON OF TWIN VALLEY DIED AT HIS HOME LAST WEEK

Charles Hanson one of the best known citizens of Eastern Norman county died at his home at Twin Valley ,Tuesday Jan. 5th after a sickness coverin ga period of more than two years death being caused by consumption. Deceased was 50 years of age, having been born in Norway in 1859 and came to this country ten years later with his parents.

He was one of the early settlers of Norman county and one of the first business of Twin Valley running a grocery store in the early days of that village and later a jewelry store. Besides a wife he is survived by four children.

MYSTERY HAS BEEN CLEARED

CHIEF ECK HAS LEARNED ALL DETAILS REGARDING THE MYSTERIOUS CHILD

"THE WOMAN IN BLUE" LOCATED AND HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH BABY

From Friday's Daily—

Chief Eck this morning received a letter from the Chief of Police at Tacoma, Wash., relative to Mrs. Ben Olson. The statement that she had ever worked in the Tacoma Hotel was incorrect. She did work in the Tacoma Steam Laundry for a short time, but nothing could be learned as to where she had stopped, or regarding any of her movements while in that city other than has been already stated.

Chief Eck has been working on the case steadily since the arrival of Mrs. Olson. He has located the "Woman in Blue" but also learned that she had nothing at all to do with the little baby. Enough has been learned to make it certain that Polk county will never have to provide for the little baby which Mrs. Olson brought back with her, as no matter whose it is it does not belong in this city or county, or state either for that matter, and the authorities here will not permit the care of the little one to devolve upon this county or city.

THROUGH TRAIN TO CROOKSTON

REPORTED ON GOOD AUTHORITY THAT CHICAGO-SPOKANE LIMITED

WILL BE RUN THRU CROOKSTON BETTERING ALREADY GOOD TRAIN SERVICE

From a reliable source it has been learned that the new thru train from Chicago to Spokane which has been under consideration for some time past, has been practically decided upon, and will be started in the near future. It has also been decided that the new limited will be run through Crookston thus giving another train for this city.

EAST GRAND FORKS WOMAN INSANE

Mrs. C. C .Daly of East Grand Forks was brought to Crookston this afternoon on the Northern Pacific and will be examined by the county insanity board. After caring for his wife for years Mr. Daly saw that her condition was daily growing worse and notified the county officials that she was insane. Daly has been employed by the Grand Forks Lumber Co., ever since its establishment there having officiated the past year as machinist. Mrs. Daly even at the time they moved to that city some ten years ago was afflicted with fits of melancholia and convulsions and since then she has gradually grown more and more of a care. She has been out of the house but a few times in all these years and then only with some one to watch her. Of late a guard has been kept over her night and day and her husband finally decided that the only thing to do was to have her placed in an asylum.

She will probably be taken to Fergus Falls this evening as Judge Morken of the probate court has known for some time of her condition.

USED EXCELLENT JUDGEMENT

The Great Northern is now putting on the roof of the freight depot which was destroyed a short time since by fire, and excellent judgment is being used in making a change in the former plan. Instead of ceiling over the archway a few feet under the roof the same as it was before, the roof is simply being celled up, and this will avoid communicating a fire from one building to the other as was the case recently.

The firemen found their greatest difficulty in preventing the fire from getting into the passenger depot as a result of the ceiling which proved a regular draft for the flames and the firemen were forced to chop their way thru the roof both underneath and from the roof in order to get at the flames, and before this was accomplished considerable damage had been done to the south end of the passenger depot.

Under the plan that the repairs are now being made this difficulty will be avoided.

STANCHFIELDS LOOK FOR BOY

SEARCH BEING MADE IN TWIN CITIES FOR LAD WHO DISAPPEARED RECENTLY

GENERAL BELIEF THAT BOY IS ALIVE AND WELL SOMEWHERE IN COUNTRY

From Friday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. M. Stanchfield of Grand Forks are in the twin cities searching for their son Donald who left Grand Forks for points unknown shortly gefore the first of the year. A quiet search has been made for him by the police here and elsewhere but without result. Another boy disappeared about the same time and it is believed that they left together. Mr. and Mrs. Stanchfield believe that the boy will be found unharmed. He had some money saved out of his earnings in his father's store, with him. He was fond of adventure and it is thought that he decided he would see something of the world.

Shortly before his last disappearance he came to Crookston and was located h ereeihybC shrdlue shrdlu located here by Chief of Police Eck and Mr. Stanchfield came over and got him.

SENATOR WORKS WOULD KNOW

ADMINISTRATION LEADER ASKS INFORMATION ABOUT STEERING COMMITTEE

SAYS HE IS INTERESTED—SEWARD SUGGESTS THAT HE LOOK AT SENATE JOURNAL

From Friday's Daily—

Senator S. D. Works of Mankato, the senate administration leader, but who is well known here as he has spent a great portion of his time here during the past 2 years looking after his large farm near Euclid, injected interest into the senate deliberations today when he arose to inquire if some republican member could furnish him with information regarding the latest creation, the senate steering committee.

"I want to know where I can find this committee whose business it is to determine for us what bills shall pass and what shall not. I am greatly interested."

"Possibly the minority party has such a committee, and probably the populists are so equipped," added the senator. "All I want is information"

In reply, Senator Seward on the republican side ,made answer that if Mr. Works was so anxious for information he should consult the senate journal. "Of course, if you saw it in the newspapers why I can not say anything." said Mr. Seward.

Senator Works' sly dig at the majority grew out of the reported republican steering committee, which the leaders of both houses have organized. Such committees have been named, but the leaders deny any such activity as claimed by Mr. Works.

The Mankato man is back of several bills recommended by Gov. Johnson but the passage of some of them is not over bright. His bill for the creation of a department of lands and mining is not looked upon with favor by the republicans.

PAUL DRAX IS MUCH STRONGER

FRIENDS ARE NOW MORE HOPEFUL THAT HE WILL RECOVER FROM INJURIES

Ernest Rolsch remained with Paul Drax last night, and reported this morning that the injured man appeared much stronger and was brighter in every way. The belief is general now that he will recover from his injuries tho the danger point is not yet passed. However the chances are better for his recovery now than they have been at any time since he was hurt, and if no further complications set in there is little question but what he will pull thru.

STEPPED OFF MOVING TRAIN

Pete Sullivan. whose home is in Fisher Minn., had a narrow escape from serious injury last evening just as the train from the east was about to pull over the Great Northern bridge at East Grand Forks. He fell off the step just at the approach and rolled down the bank. The train was stopped but it was found that he escaped with only a few bruises.

McKIBBON ACQUITTED

JUDGE GOSSMAN DISCHARGED HIM THIS MORNING FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE

SCHOOL FIGHT LAST EVENING WAS SETTLED IN COURT TODAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Wm. McKibbon was arraigned in municipal court this morning before Judge Gossman, charged with disorderly conduct and after the testimony of a few of the witnesses was taken he was discharged for lack of evidence.

It appeared that there had been a snowballing contest between members of the Crookston Business College and the Crookston High School students.

It also appears that the affair came to a serious conclusion late in the afternoon some blows having been struck and one of the small attendants of the high school received a black eye.

The evidence, however, showed that McKibbon had no part in the trouble that he had just come down stairs when the policeman nabbed him. That there was serious trouble was evident to all who reside in that neighborhood but McKibbon was evidently not the right party.

It would probably be a hard matter to settle who was to blame for the affair, but the police were certainly justified for taking a hand in the matter and putting a stop to it just when they did as people residing in the vicinity did not care to have all their windows broken. It is also a very easy matter to see that the police would have a hard time to locate just who was to blame in the matter.

FINDS VERDICT AGAINST CHIEF

JURY AT RUGBY DECIDES BERDAHL IS ENTITLED TO DAMAGES OF $300

PLAINTIFF ALLEGED BRUTALLY AND THREW HIM INTO JAIL

From Thursday's Daily—

John Buoye chief of Police of Rugby, must pay $300 to Ole Berdahl for beating him without due cause and holding him in jail when guilty of no crime. Berdahl who is a farmer contended in an action for $5000 that Buoye attacked him while he was talking with some friends. They had something to drink, but were not intoxicated. According to the plaintiff the police chief struck him a blow over the head and knocked him to the ground. Then he was bustled off to the city jail and while there was further punished being kicked in the face and badly injured. As a result of his injuries he was laid up for several weeks. Berdahl contended that the attack was due to malice on the part of the chief.

Andy Jones the missing mayor of Rugby was one of the bondsmen for the chief and he was made a party to the suit.

Scott Rex, who appeared for Berdahl returned to Grand Forks last evening.

Civil Action on Trial

The trial of the case of McBride vs. Marlton was commenced yesterday in Rugby. The plaintiff seeks to recover damages because of some defect in a furnace. The defendant was a former resident of this vicinity and is well known here.

Monday evening at Rugby there was a joint banquet for the McHenry county Bar and Editorial association. Covers were laid for 53. The banquet was given at the Cramond. C. J. O'Connell of Towner was toastmaster.

SIGNED LEASE FOR 16TH YEAR

POSTMASTER AGAIN LEASES HIS FARM TO HANS J. KJERSRUD

Postmaster Elias Steenerson returned this morning from a business trip to Climax and while there he signed the 16th successive lease of his farm to Hans J. Kjelsrud. Mr. Steenerson's farm is one of the finest in Polk Co. and Mr. Kjelsrud has kept it up in splendid manner. Mr. Steenerson states that he is only hoping that he can sign yearly leases to the same party for 16 years more.

Todd County Argus: Brother Tawney very likely drove the last nail in his political coffin when he got mixed up in that matter of cutting down the appropriation for secret service men.

COULD NOT WALK FOR FOUR MONTHS

Mass of Itching, Burning Humor on Ankles—Feet Fearfully Swollen —Opiates Alone Brought Sleep— Many Treatments Failed but

TORTURES OF ECZEMA YIELDED TO CUTICURA

"Cuticura Remedies are all you claim them to be. I had eczema for over two years. I had two physicians, but they only gave me relief for a short time and I cannot enumerate the ointments and lotions I used to no purpose. My ankles were one mass of sores. The itching and burning were so intense that I could not sleep. I could not walk for nearly four months. One day my husband said I had better try the Cuticura Remedies. After using them three times, I had the best night's rest in months unless I took an opiate. I used one set of Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and my ankles healed in a short time. It is now a year since I used Cuticura, and there has been no return of the eczema.

"I had a small lump in the corner of my eye for over a year which was very painful and got larger all the time. I thought I would try Cuticura Soap and Ointment on it, and now it is gone. I am seventy-three years old and have lived on the farm I now occupy for twenty-seven years. Cuticura Remedies are the safest and most reliable I have ever used for all skin humors. Mrs. David Brown, Locke, Crawford Co., Ark., May 18 and July 13, 1907."

DISFIGURED

For Life Is the Despairing Cry of Thousands

Of skin-tortured and disfigured victims of humors, eczemas, tetters, and rashes, who have tried and found wanting many remedies, and who have lost faith in all. To such Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills appeal with irresistible force. They are absolutely pure, sweet, gentle, and wholesome. They afford immediate relief in the most distressing cases, and point to a speedy cure when all else fails.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

☞Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

MRS. C.C. DALY GOES TO FERGUS

SHE WILL BE TAKEN TO INSANE ASYLUM THIS EVENING

EAST GRAND FORKS AUTHORITIES HAVE DECDIED ON SUCH ACTION

From Thursday's Daily—

Mrs. C. C. Baley will be brought over from East Grand Forks this evening charged with insanity and will without doubt be taken to Fergus Falls, where she will be committed by Judge T. T. Morken.

She has been out of her head for some time past, and her husband who has been employed by Grand Forks Lumber Co. for the past ten years, is well known not only in East Grand Forks but thruout Polk County and he has a reputation for veracity that can not be refuted.

WELL KNOWN MEN IN THE NEW BANK

NEW SECURITY BANK OF RUGBY WILL START UNDER FAVORABLE CIRCUMSTANCES

O. B. Bergeson who travels for the firm of McKibbon, Driscoll & Dorsey was in Grand Forks yesterday. Mr. Bergeson will be associated with O. T. Tofsrud in the Security Bank of Rugby a new financial institution mention of which was made in Tuesday's Herald. The bank has been organized with the following officers: O. T. Tofsrud, president; Ed. Seel, vice president; N. I. Romness cashier; O. B. Bergeosn and John Kellisvig directors The movement to organize the bank was started several months ago.

The men back of the enterprise are well known in the northwestern part of that state for commercial integrity and financial strength. O. T. Tofsrud is one of the leaders of affairs at Rugby and twice has represented his district the 34th in the state legislature where he enjoyed the fullest confidence of the men who did thing for the state's best interest. Mr Bergeson has been for 17 years with the hat and fur house of McKibbon, Driscoll & Dorsey which position he will retain. Ed Seel, John Kellisvig and Nels Romness are men of conservative business principles so important in the conduct of a bank.

Mr. Bergeson is closing up some business deals for his firm and will leave shortly for Arizona where he will visit his little daughter for a while.

Le Sueur News: Tawney, Tillman and Theodore. Well, the latter seems to be "it" with the people.

TAKE FIRM STAND FOR PROGRESS ALONG ALL LINES

Annual Meeting And Banquet Of 25,000 Commercial Club The Most Enthusiatic 'And Largely Attended In History.

General Determination Is Expressed To Push The Wheels Of Progress. H.C. Misner Reelected Pres. Of Club.

From Saturday's Daily—

The grand banquet which concluded at the Hotel Crookston this morning after 2 o'clock was the crowning event of the annual meeting of the Crookston 25,000 Commercial Club and brought to a close three of the most remarkable gatherings ever held in the city—gatherings that point to a bigger and better city, for civic improvements of every nature, a better development of the surrounding country and closer relationship with the people immediately tributary to Crookston as well as more united action with the other commercial bodies of the state which means concerted action for the betterment of the entire state in every way.

About 200 Present

The banquet hall at the Hotel Crookston was filled with about 200 guests when President Misner who acted as toastmaster seated the guests at about 9:30, and from that time till the close after 2 a. m. there wa ssomething doing all the time and the deep interest manifested is a good indication for great things for Crookston i nthe future.

Music was Creditable

The music was furnished by the Juvenile orchestra of the city and just pride was taken in the fine music they furnished the strangers expressing great surprise at the character of the pieces played which included five selections and solos with band accompaniment by Noble Jones on the bari tone and Clarence Nicholson on the trombone. Two vocal solos by Master T. Reed Brown also elicited great applause.

Spread was Excellent

The service of the banquet as well as the menu was a credit to the Hotel Crookston. The large crowd was served to an eight course affair without least confusion and much favorable comment was heard regarding the excellence of the spread both Mr W. S. Lycan and Mr. Jos Eckert being on the floor personally and looking after the wants of the guests.

The Addresses Excellent

Owing to the fact that the guests of honor with the exception of Col. Wilkinson had to return to the cities on the Great Northern Flyer, Toastmaster Misner called on Hon. Geo. Welsh of St. Paul, State Immigration Commissioner, Hon. W. L. Harris of Minneaolis and Hon. Curtis L Mosher of St. Paul between the courses as they were served.

Both Witty and Wise

Mr. Welsh who was called upon first, continued along the same lines as his address in the city hall. He said money was needed to get people to locate on the lands of Minnesota and a liberal appropriation should be secured from the state for this purpose. He said what was needed was more people and the right kind of people. Good farmers who would diversify their operations and help to make the Red River Valley and other portions of the state a veritable garden spot. He also made a number of witty sallies aimed at W. L. Harris which created much amusement.

Mosher Encouraged

C. L. Mosher was next called upon and briefly outlined the plan of action of the Minnesota Federation of Clubs of which he is the secretary. He spoke of how good work had been done in the past and that when the whole state is organized for action what a power there would be to carry out any given line of action—an irresistible force woud be behind every movement made. He spoke of his gratification over the fact that the Crookston 25000 Commercial Club had cast its lot with the Federation and he looked for great prestige from Northwestern Minnesota as a result.

Complimented Crookston

W. L. Harris who delivered a magnificent address in the evening next responded to a call from the toastmaster. He complimented Crookston and her people most highly and believed that with the advantageous location, railroad facilities the city was certain of a great growth and a bright future in every way. The opportunities are here and he believed that would be embraced. He said he had every confidence in the future of Min nesota from a business standpoint and that it was up to all men to stand shoulder to shoulder and work for the common cause. In conclusion he made a very witty retort to the sallies of Messrs. Welsh and Mosher which brought down the house.

A Talk from the President

President H. C. Misner then made a few preliminary remarks before calling on any of the other speakers. He said he realized that there were those who charged that the 25,000 club had never done anything. He stated that this was unfair and that he wanted to see the club accorded a fair measure of the credit for what had been accomplished in the past at least either in whole or in part thru the activities of the club. Along this line he enumerated the Euclid and Ives roads ,the split log drags sent in to the country in all directions, assisting in getting the school of Agriculture and advancing financial aid when it was imperative to keep the school open, securing of a cone factory, the Market Day proposition, the slogan baner idea, the state fair exhibit, the excursion to Warroad, the adoption of a revised charter and numerous other things along that line.

New Home for Club

He stated that if the young men would take hold of the Commercial Club and push as they could with little effort, Crookston's Commercial Club would soon be in a home of its own where the members could spend their evenings, where gatherings could be held at any time and where every convenience could be procided for the comfort and convenience of not only the members but strangers in the city as well.

Th espeaker insisted that in a spirit of fairness that the commercial club should be given due credit for all that it had done or assisted in doing for the city.

Program of Addresses

The regular order of addresses on the program was then taken up and followed out. The first toast "Municipal Affairs" was responded to very ably by City Attorney Martin O'Brien who took a shot at the toastmaster by remarking that he was glad he had found out who was responsible for the new charter as he went around the city for weeks with a big club looking for the man who would admit the charge.

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experiment Farm responded in a very amusing vein to the toast, "Clubs, Past, Present and Future" and his remarks were among the most humorous during the entire evening.

Murphy Explained

To the toast, "How I Happened to Join the Profession" Attorney Wm. P. Murphy made a most humorous response and the reasons he gave brought down the house.

An Able Address

One of the excellent addresses of the evening was in response to the toast "A Young Man's Part in the Up-building of a city" by A. J. Kirk. His address was one of the surprises of the evening and when he had finished every young man was very much conscious of the fact that he had a duty to the community in which he lived and should perform it—that the young men of today would be the men of affairs tomorrow and they should improve every opportunity presented. was something doing all the time and Crookston in the future.

Goodfellowship

The toast "Goodfellowship" was to have been responded to by Rev. T. T. Ove, but as he was unable to be present thru illness Rev. Hallowell of the Baptist church responded in a short but pithy address in which he laid special emphasis on the cordial treatment he had received since coming to Crookston and believed goodfellowship was a characteristic of the people of this city.

Dr. W. A. Robertson responded to the sentiment "Our Scotch Citizen" with a characteristic address in which native wit was liberally sprinkled.

Value of Good Morals

Rev. C. C. Warner made one of the earnest talks of the evening is response to the toast, "The Commercial Value of Good Morals." He gave some excellent advice to the young men, who if they expected to ever reach success in the commercial world must possess this asset of good morals, as the many who were lacking in that respect was terribly handicapped.

Necessity of Home Loyalty

James E. O'Brien was the last speaker, responding to the sentiment "Loyalty to Our Own Institutions" and he handled the subject in a manner that made a deep impression. He cited many instances where home industry was not patronized ,and the money kept in circulation in our own city, and accused some of the leading business men who were guilty of the practice.

Vote of Thanks

Before the audience was dismissed Mr. George Wright proposed a vote of thanks be extended to the management and employes of the Hotel Crookston for corteous treatment accorded to Juvenile Orchestra for their excellent music, and to Master T. Reed Brown for his contribution to the program. The motion passed unanimously.

Program

Toastmaster—"The President"

Selection—Crookston Juvenile Orchestra.

Banquet.

Selection—Orchestra.

Toast—"Municipal Affairs"—Martin O'Brien.

Toast—"Clubs, Past, Present and Future"—Wm. Robertson.

Solo—Master T. Reed Brown.

Toast—"How I Happened to Join the Profession."—W. P. Murphy.

Toast—"A Young Man's Part in the Up-building of a City"—A. J. Kirk

Selection—Orchestra.

Toast—"Good Fellowship" — Rev. Hallowell.

Toast—"Our Scotch Citizen."—W. A. Robertson.

Selection—Orchestra.

Toast—"Commercial Value of Good Morals"—Rev. C. C. Warner.

Selection—Orchestra.

Toast—"Loyalty to Our Own Institution"—J. E. O'Brien.

Menu

Chicken Bouillon in Cups
Celery en Branch Queen Olives
Sweet Breads and Mushroom Patties, au Supreme
Larded Tenderloin of Beef, Chateaubriand Sauce
Saratoga Chips
French Peas in Caises
St. Julienne
Bread and Butter Sandwitches
Fruit Salad, Cream Dressing
Toasted Wafers
Vanilla Ice Cream
Assorted Cakes
Bent's Crackers Cream Cheese
Coffee

TWO BUSINESS SESSIONS HELD

A new departure was made by the club this year and two sessions were held, one in the afternoon starting at 3 o'clock and the other in the evening at 7 o'clock. Both meeting were largely attended, the capacity of the city council chamber being taxed almost to the limit in the evening. The greatest harmony existed in both meetings and not a sentiment was uttered which did not breath civic improvement and development.

Election of Officers

The election of officers for the ensuing year was taken up at the after noon meeting ,directly after the president's address.

As soon as the request for nominations for president was made J. E. O'Brien in an eloquent effort placed in nomination the name of H. C. Misner, and it was quickly and enthusiastically seconded.

A motion was then made and carried with applause that the nominations be closed and the proper officer be instructed to cast the ballot of the club for Mr Misner for president for the ensuing year.

Mr. Misner was on his feet in an instant and started in to expostulate with the club and said that he believed it would be for the best interests of the organization to select another man. He even insisted upon the members taking this view of the situation. They refused however to see it in this light and when Vice President O'Brien put the motion to a vote every member jumped to his feet and expressed himself enthusiastically on the matter. Mr. Misner was accordingly elected president.

Vice Presidents Re-elected

Nominations for vice presidents were then made and J. E. O'Brien was elected unanimously as first vice pres ident and J. W. Wheeler as second vice president. G. S. Chesterman whose faithful service as treasurer during the past year has been worthy of the highest praise, was honbred by a unanimous re-election.

The next business was the election of a board of eleven directors and Sam Rosenthal moved that a committee of three be appointed by the chair to recommend the names of eleven directors. The motion carried and the chair appointed Messrs. J. F. Fournet, S. W. Vance and Prof. William Robertson. The committee after conferring at some length reported the following names which were unanimously elected as directors by the club:

J. D. McPhee J. F. Fournet, Thomas R. Johnstone, A. D. Stephens, J. P. Dotson, Sam Rosenthal, J. A. Cowley, George H. Wright, O. Mercil, Jr., L. Ellington, O. O. Christianson.

An Eloquent Address

While the nominating committee was conferring relative to the selection of the board of directors, Col. R. A. Wilkinson was introduced to the audience and he devoted his time to showing the common-sense manner for commercial clubs and the large public corporations to aid in one another's work. He said that the railroads at least the one which he represented, the Great Northern, believed that what benefitted the country it served, benefitted it, and vice versa. The railroads were interested in the upbuilding of the sections thru which they passed and the railroads serving Crookston could be depended upon to co-operate with the commercial club in any movement looking for the development of this section. In case of differences, he believed the proper way to adjust them was by each approaching the subject in a fair manner and use some common sense.

Col. Wilkinson then showed the trouble the railroads were having in keeping anywhere near the great development of the country and he believed that invaluable injury was being done not only the railroads, but the people themselves by the unwarranted and wholly unreasonable attacks made upon the railroads by newspapers and individuals.

Delegate Makes Report

Thomas R Johnstone who was one of the delegates who represented the club at the recent convention of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs in St. Paul reported what had taken place at that meeting and eloquently outlined the different projects which had come before the federation He also stated that he believed the organization would be a great factor in the development of the entire state and by co-operation on the part of the local club, great benefits would be received by the Red River Valley and especially Polk county. The report was roundly applauded.

Leader of Movement

Curtis L. Mosher, secretary of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs and secretary of the Consolidated Publicity Bureau of St. Paul was next introduced. Mr. Mosher outlined the work that the federation was attempting to do in the upbuilding and development of the commonwealth and showed how results were going to be attained. He related what other clubs were doing in the state and paid a high tribute to the life and vigor shown by the club at Crookston.

Develope the State

The subject of Mr. Welsh's address at the evening session was "State Development." The work of the state immigration bureau was taken up in detail and he showed by figures and fact that Minnesota had practically done nothing to boost herself while states all around her and Canada and Mexico, had been most active and alive to the possibilities. He outlined what could accomplished by systematic work and argued for a more liberal treatment of his department by the state legislature. He told also what was being done to secure an appropriation of $100,000 and hinted at many possibilities which would become realities if the fund was created

A Memorable Effort

The business sessions of the annual meeting were closed by a speaker who made an impression on Crookston which will last for a long time, a plain business man whose earnestness optimism an deloquence sank deep into the minds of his audience and will without doubt be productive of great benefits. W. L. Harris, president of the Publicity Club of Minneapolis, and one of the leading business men of the state, closed the evening session and from the beginning to the end of his address, he was constantly interrupted by applause.

Mr. Harris' talk was all meat and it is almost impossible to pick out sections of points to comment on. He demonstrated the possibilities of the citizen and exhorted the citizen to do the things of life with earnestness and zeal. His address was replete with appropriate stories and frequently he pressed home his points by quoting with great eloquence choice bits of poetry.

At the conclusion of his address he was given an ovation such as has seldom ever been given a speaker in this city. An adjournment was then taken to the banquet hall at Hotel Crookston.

REPORT OF CROOKSTON PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CO.

Following is the report of the Crookston Public Improvement Company, the organization having charge of the manufacturing site, and, while the money in the hands of this organization is not available for general purposes, yet it is available for one of the important departments of club activity, namely the encouragement of manufacturing development:

Crookston, Minn., Jan. 21st, 1909.

To the 25,000 Commercial Club.

Gentlemen:—As per your instructions the Crookston Public Improvement Company was duly incorporated.

We purchased of J. F. Ingersoll the north half of the southwest quarter (N½ of SW¼) of section thirty-six (36), township one hundred fifty (150), range forty-seven (47), at the agreed price of $8,000.00. We have had 9 blocks of said ground platted, each block containing 12 lots, in all 108 lots.

We have received in cash for lots sold	$ 6500.00
We have paid the following expenses:	
1908 taxes	$ 37.72
Ditch tax	54.86
Recording	2.75
Incorporating	104.50
Grading the streets	223.18
Recording the plat	10.40
Miller & Foote (services of A. A. Miller in connection with platting said ground)	5.00
We have paid J. F. Ingersoll	4800.00
Total of cash disbursements.	$ 5238.41
Balance with J. W. Wheeler, treasurer	$ 1261.59
	$6500.00

J. E. Carroll did the surveying and we gave him one lot of the value of $100.00 for his services in connection with said surveying.

We still have 8 lots that are undisposed of.

None of the manufacturing site lots have been disposed of and there is something like 36 acres of said ground still unplatted.

J. P. FOOTE,
Secretary.

As soon as the secretary concluded his reading, the following address was made by President Misner:

Gentlemen:—You have heard the report of the secretary, which gives you a good idea of what the club has accomplished, what is hoped for it, as well as its financial standing, etc., but I wish very briefly to call up a few of the items mentioned in his report, and also offer a few recommendations.

First is the Manufacturers' Site.

At one of the largest attended meetings of the membership, a committee was named to go ahead and arrange for the purchase of the tract of land recommended by the locating committee, and accepted by the members of the club.

This committee merely carried out your instructions; it did not stop by the wayside, but kept at work until it had accomplished the object for which you had named it. All of this was done, without a dissenting voice, at least, at any of the meetings of the club.

This is mentioned as I understand some (who most likely are not members of our club) have carried the idea that it was a scheme of your committee. And I believe that I am in a position to say, that the only scheme your committee had was to carry out your instructions, which they did, as has been tne custom of nearly every committee appointed during the past year.

And for the benefit of any doubting Thomases, I will say that I am proud of the work done by the different committees of our club during the past year. They have been active and alive, even though it has taken much time from their own business affairs—propositions have not been permitted to die in committee, but have been carried out to a finish.

Finances.

I also wish to call your attention to our financial statement showing $457.11 on hand in all funds, and this has been accomplished during a year of financial difficulties, which caused numbers of our members to either let their dues go by default, or drop out of the membership entirely. These financial conditions of the club, of which we are justly proud, were brought about by putting each proposition taken by the club, on its own financial footing, by raising sufficient funds to finance that particular proposition, and come back to the club with a deficit to be met out of the general fund. Our club should be run on business principles, the same as we are supposed to run our personal business affairs.

I am convinced that the time has come when we must secure for ourselves a permanent home, as during the past years we have only met at the banquet table, and these were of necessity most entirely social functions.

These banquets should be continued, by all means, but we need a home, where we can hold regular stated meetings of the membership, as well as those of the directors. This can be done by very little aaded expense and, as suggested by our secretary, is an important problem that should be solved by the new administration.

Market Day.

The Market Day has been a success and should be continued the coming year.

Excursions.

I believe that another business men's excursion should be run the coming season, and in my opinion one or more of them should be conducted each season.

I am also of the opinion that every encouragement possible should be given to Mr. W. J. Murphy to encourage him in the building of the large dam for waterpower above the city, as I fully believe that as soon as this power plant is completed, we will have the best of inducements to offer manufacturers to locate in our city, and Mr. Murphy will be one of the best of boosters for us, as he will want his power used.

Therefore, as we have not the money necessary to finance this large undertaking, don't let us be the "dog in the manger," but instead, invite him into the manger; let us work with him, rather than against him. It is not necessary to hand over our birthright to our business associates, for merely a mess of pottage.

Slogan.

As we have adopted the slogan, "Crookston Offers Opportunity," I would recommend that every business and professional man in the city give the slogan the utmost possible publicity, by using it on all stationery, bill heads, etc. All that is necessary is the request of your printer to place it on all new work, and if this is done it will mean something and stand for something.

Good Roads.

In building up the business of a city, much depends upon the trade secured from surrounding territory. We are pretty well supplied with railroads running in nearly every direction, but we also need good wagon roads leading into the city. We have spent some money in the building and repairing of roads, but I believe a general plan of action should be adopted and that each season we should build or repair some main line road as far as 15 to 20 miles out from the city. After fair dealing, nothing helps to build up the trade capacity of a city more than good roads leading into it.

I offer these suggestions at this time, as I believe they are for the best interests of our club and city, and will not take up any more of the time of the club, as we have the business to dispose of, after which we will have the pleasure of listening to some talks from our guests.

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Preservation Of The Home

The importance of the preservation of the home intact was the centrol theme around which the discussion revolved at the conference on the care of dependent children which formally was opened by President Roosevelt at the White House in Washington Monday. The subject under consideration was "Should the Breaking of a Home Be Permitted for Reasons of Poverty ,or Only for Reasons of Inefficiency or Immorality?"

It was the unanimous opinion of an array of notable charity workers and others who took part in the discussion that the child can best be reared under the influence of the home and that they should be removed from the family circle only when proper supervision at home has become impossible It also was the consensus of opinion that where poverty exists in the home state aid should be given. While this subject formed the principle topic of discussion other questions of equally vital importance to the welfare of the child were considered

The historic east room of the White House was the scene of this notable conference. President Roosevelt previous to calling the gathering to order received 200 delegates in the East room.

An emphatic affirmative was given to the question "Should the State Inspect the Work of All Child Caring Agencies Including Both Institutions and Home Finding Societies?"

The principal speakers on this topic were Amos W. Butler secretary of the sttae board of charities of Indianapolis and Hugh F. Fox, president of the state board of charities of Indianapolis New Jersey.

The affirmative answer given to the question "Should the Child Caring Agencies Aim to Co-operate With Each Other or With Other Agencies of Social Betterment for the Purpose of Diminishing or Removing Altogether the Causes of Orphanage, of Child Destitution and Child Delinquency?"

Among those who discussed this subject were Prof .Chas. R. Henderson president of the National Children's Home association.

The last topic was "Should the Approval of the State Board of Charities Be Necessary to the Incorporation of All Child Caring Agencies?" Timothy D. Hurley of the visitation and aid society of Illinois spoke on this subject.

Business Benevolence

How does it happen that the great life insurance companies of the country are so indifferent in the matter of reducing mortality and that efforts in this direction are confined almost entirely to fraternal insurance organizations?

One of the big fraternal organizations is now actively engaged in an attempt to reduce its death losses from tuberculosis. The official reports of the Modern Woodmen show that more than 14 per cent of their total mortality is due to tuberculosis From the years 1891 to 1907 the Modern Woodmen paid out $9,09,500 for 5,156 deaths, showing that each death cost the organization $1,700. Pondering on these figures the officials of the order saw that they could save $1,700 for every life that they saved. When they considered in connection that 14 per cent of their deaths are due to tuberculosis, they wondered if, as a society they could not do something to reduce the number of deaths. They concluded that they could, and they decided to establish an open air colony in Colorado for the treatment of Woodmen afflicted with tuberculosis. Exactly what this colony will cost the organization is not yet known, but from the results thus far achieved it is believed that the Modern Woodmen will save nineteen-twentieths of the average cost of each death for every man that they rescue from the clutches of the disease.

This is business benevolence. The experiment is apparently a business success. The money that it will save the members of the order is enormous It will within a few years mount up into the millions of dollars. This is the business end of it. Also thousands of lives will have been saved to the world, thousands of breadwinners saved to society to help lift the burden of helpless wives and children from the public shoulders. Such savings will mount up to the billions. This is pretty good business as well as benevolence.

If the Modern Woodmen can make a business success of saving lives, why cannot the "old line" companies d otehasmeshrde shrde shrdluu ies do the same thing The fact that the greatest insurance organizations in the world are making no attempt to save the lives of their insured but are content to go on paying death losses, when for a small fraction of the cost of the death loss they can keep the insured alive is a matter for wonder. The big insurance companies are not wont to let their smaller rivals outstrip them in the matter of profits. It is generally supposed that the old line companies have always pointed the way to the El Dorado of profits. Yet in this they have not only been beaten but they are apparently content to remain beaten. The siauation is puzzling the public.—Duluth Herald.

Making Bad Boys Good.

New York is just now poking fun at a German musician who claims that music will make bad boys good. He says "music, the right kind of music will change their natures and they will drop into the proper groove of life and go on as nature intended they should go."

No other people know as much of psyscology as the Germans, and after all this one is not so far from the realms of common sense. Every nation has its martial music and its great war song that keys its army to battle pitch. When battles were fought in the mass they were often won by men whose hearts were stirred to victory by the chorus of their own voices

Religion, too has its music that touches the souls of men and times them in harmony with the infinite. This is the uplift of devotion and worship whose superlative is expressed in anthem and hymn. There is also the music of the dance, of joy and rejoicing.

There is the music of love and the music of fun; strains filled with the sensuous or with mirth; just as others tell of ribaldry and the revel of drunkenness. Sin has its music as well as has the church; both the devil and the priest know its powers, as do the warrior and the lover .

Moreover it is everywhere by every one recognized as the highest expression of the human soul ,heart and mind, and the lowest expression of man's basest thoughts and longings. Why, then ,should not music be a powerful curative of evil in the young Why indeed is not familiarity with "the right kind of music" an essential element in the training of youth, both as a corrective and an inspiration? As much so as the appreciation of good literature dulls the taste for the bad.

Indeed it is so recognized now by by educators. It is largely this which gives music its place in all complete school systems ,and that gives as great care to the kind of music taught to children as that their text-books shall be true.

It is the testimony of all teachers that in no other way can children be as quickly and surely influenced and controlled as by music but it must be the right kind and rightly taught. To give the full effect there must be understanding, and understanding presupposes what is worth while.

New York may laugh but in the broad sense the German is right, and no money is so well spent in education as is that which goes for the development of the musical instinct born in all of us; the appreciation of what is musically good and familiarly with what is musically true and strengthening, as also gentle and inspiring.—Duluth News Tribune.

New Ulm Review: The Review ventures the prediction that Prof. Olson will make so good during the next six months as dean of the agricultural school that the objecting members of the board of regents will be only too glad to reappoint him, politics or no politics.

Warren Sheaf: Governor Johnson and President Roosevelt are alike in that they both write long messages. The president's message contains more ginger in it, while the governor's is charged with remedies of a more soothing kind. Both are able state papers however.

STATE PRESS

Waverly Star: James J. Hill announces that he will build another railway line from Winnipeg Can., to Noyes Minn., and has already secured the terminal property and the right-of-way has been surveyed. Work will be commenced in the spring. This line is considered the forerunner of other Hill lines extending thruout Western Canada, and the "empire builder" will make a strong bid for the business. Hill has been a potent factor in the upbuilding of the Northwest and his entrance into the Canadian field will aid materially in bringing us in closer relation with our neighbors across the border.

Eveleth Star: Congress need not waste any time trying to impress the people with the absurdity in the use of the presidential cane. The cane or big stick has been used to most excellent advantage, and it is useless for congressmen to longer make themselves ridiculous.

Wheelock's Weekly: Senator Sageng's effort to report bills out from committee within twenty days is worthy of all praise. The committee burials do not have enough pomp and circumstance about them to please the people.

Biwabik Times: We should respectfully ask the south-state people if Pennsylvania has put the tonnage tax on its coal product. There is just as much reason for such imposition as there is for taxing iron ore by the ton. If such a policy is put in force it is certain that there will be a mixup that will do great damage to this section of the country.

Hibbing Messaba Ore: The salary of the president of the United States has been raised from $50,000 to $100-000 which makes the job worth while to some of us poor chaps who have heretofore fought shy because our incomes would not permit.

Winona Independent: Women's feet are said to be getting bigger decade by decade. Is this the basis of the movement to place women on the same footing as man?

Little Falls Herald: The richest woman in America Mrs .Hetty Green is taking the rest cure. But her money isn't.

Anoka County Union: Even a state must advertise and residents of Minnesota are just realizing that fact.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

The handsome show girl naturally has the best show.

A matchless cigar may be lighted in some other manner.

A woman is surprised when the unexpected fails to happen.

Of course, people wear eyeglasses for the looks of the thing.

Most of the things people tell you are of no earthly benefit.

If a man doesn't enjoy his work the job won't please the boss.

The back yard of many a brownstone front looks like a junk shop.

A man's wife is never as proud of him as his mother was the day he wore his first short dress.

And some people seem to derive a lot of satisfaction from being misunderstood.

Its' awfully hard for a woman to manage her house to the satisfaction of the hired girl .

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR
(New York Press)

A man acquires mighty few virtues till his obituary is written.

What makes a woman believe she is sure of a man is to know she isn't

A girl knows she won't lose anything by refusing to kiss a man because he'll do it just the same.

A magazine writer says that poverty is a blessing in disguise. Well, the disguise is so perfect that but few of us are able to see thru it.

One of the miracles of a college education is how much smarter it makes a son than his father without his being able to earn a living the way the old man can.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

Racking la grippe coughs that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. The sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous condition is quickly averted Take only Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

A String On Waterpowers

The refusal of President Roosevelt to approve a measure granting federal permission for the improvement of a water power in James river, Missouri, until certain conditions preserving public rights have been attached to the grant, is based on a just and proper principle. We have no detailed knowledge of this particular case but it is probable that the proposed improvement would be a positive benefit to the region in which it is to be made, and that it will cause injury to no one—at this time. But it is the duty of the government to look into the future, and to guard the interests of future generations, says the Minneapolis Journal.

There have been other times when the federal government and those of the states did not look into the future and did not guard the interests of later generations. The country was young and eager for development. There was land and to spare for all. No one foresaw the marvelous growth that impended. Even as late as 1854 Mr. Chase believed that the Mississippi would always mark the western boundary of the settled portion of the country.

Then came the railroad. It was welcomed with shouts and acclamation and bidden to go out and help itself to the one thing that was cheap and valueless—land. Vast empires were turned over to anyone that would build a railroad thru them. As we look back now on these early periods, we can see how mistaken and shortsighted was this policy of giving up the people's heritage, no matter how vitally important was the building of railroads. The states would have been far better off, if they had kept the lands and provided funds for the roads, tho the burden of taxation would for a time have been grievous. At any rate the statesmen of that day, had they posssessed powers of prevision, could have done what the president now wants to do for the waterpowers of the country — they could have saved the land for the people, the land with its mineral forest and agricultural wealth .

The potential waterpowers of this country have scarcely been touched as yet. Under present conditions they are valuable only as the power they generate can be used in their vicinity The market for the energy must be near at hand. But no one can say at what moment invention will make it possible to use this energy, so tremendous in the sum total anywhere and everywhere. How bitter would be the discovery at such a moment that the rights of the people in these God given waterpowers had been given away irrevocably.

The president contends that in some way the government must "keep a string" on them. He wants to limit the terms of such grants and reserve powers of regulation. Whether what he proposes is the best way to get at the problem, is a question. Senator Nelson, whose bill the president vetoed, makes much of the superior rights of the states over these waterpowers. He may be right. These are technicalities that can and must be arranged. The important thing is that the people's rights in these powers, which one day may become the great source of light heat and energy for the public, shall be preserved. What assurance has Senator Nelson that the state government of Missouri in the case under discussion will reserve these powers, once the federal government grants the permit?

The lawyers of congress ought to be able to work out a practicable scheme under which permits to improve water powers may be given, and at the same time the people's interests safeguarded. These improvements are important and valuable to all concerned. They should not be hindered by overmuch red tape. But the things that the president demands are, in principle, highly essential.

We have with spendthrift hand given away empires of unimagined value Let us go slow when it comes to giving away forever, without condition of any sort the energy that is latent in the rushing, tumbling streams on their way to the sea.

CORRESPONDENCE

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mrs. J. B. Goodwin was calling on Mrs. Jos. Cowden one evening last week.

Miss Dulu Evans took the train for Euclid last Friday evening.

The Key West dance last Friday evening was a grand affair. The Key West people are known to be first rate entertainers.

Quite a few people around here and in the neighborhood are suffering with quinsy and neuralgia.

Miss Anna T. Sirek one of our prominent young ladies went to Warren last Monday morning via the G. N.

Mr and Mrs. Harvey D. Strickler and little ones were visiting with Mrs. Strickler's father Mr. F. Stroble last Monday.

Leapyear was not a success with the young ladies around here and the neighborhood and all over the United States there was a marked falling off in the number of matrimonial contracts. The girls surely must have been bashful and timid and are not as fierce and dominant as they often try to appear. It being leapyear, every body was expecting a land office business in the army of Cupid and blushing swains were praying to become captives but the fair captors lacked courage and grit. This is quite a problem for the advocates of free suffrage to explain. Never mind girls, cheer up. Leapyear has passed and the next four years to come the brave lads will have their chance again.

Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Evans drove to Warren last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Yuergens entertained a large number of young folks at their hospitable home last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Pulkrabek returned home one day last week from the Warren hospital. Mrs. Pulkrobek tho a little improved is still very weak.

The little baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tans is very sick. Dr. Bratrud of Warren is attending to the little sufferer.

This part of Minnesota is at least blessed with the most beautiful spring weather one can wish for.

Mr. Frank Tans one of our prominent farmers drove to Warren last Thursday.

The dance at the Woodmen hall here last Friday evening was a No. 1 affair and all had a royal good time.

Mr. Louis Osterloh one of our leading agriculturists took the train last Tuesday evening for the Queen City.

KEY WEST

Miss Tilly Brantl spent last week with friends at Grand Forks.

Miss Amelia McDonald was on the sick list last week.

G. H. Horn, Simon Aeschlimann and sons Andrew and Samuel, and Miss Agnes La Grave drove to Grand Forks last week.

It is a pleasure to visit school Dis Grave. The pupils are doing fine work in every line. Judging from the singing one would imagine themselves in a large instead of a small school. The organ which was purchased with social money last spring is also doing its part.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiles who were living on a farm near Key West for the last three years will soon leave for Illinois. Their many friends here will greatly regret their departure but will wish them success in whatever they do.

Mr. and Mrs. William Koeling, Henry Ehnen, Mr. Clint and son William, Elmer Barland, Agnes La Grave, Victoria Nyquist, Lewis, Joseph, Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wiles last Sunday. This being their last visit they sang, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" and "Sad Hours of Parting" at the close of their pleasant visit.

S. D. Wiles, William Hattler, William Koeling and Miss Victoria Nyquist drove to Grand Forks last Saturday.

Miss Bessie Brantl called on Miss Rosa Kotek last Sunday.

This beautiful weather of the lest week makes the people feel as if it was April instead of January.

Miss Mary Brantl celebrated the anniversary of her 10th birthday last Monday. Her many friend wish her many more to come full of cheer and sunshine.

THE COAL OIL OR KEROSENE LAMP. CHEMISTRY OF FIRE

Bulletin No. 11—State of Minnesota, Office of Edward Peterson State Fire Marshal, St. Paul.

Many children are badly burned and some burned to death by the blowing up and by the overturning of coal oil lamps. When a lamp explodes, or is dropped or knocked over and broken, burning oil is splashed about and the clothes of persons within reach of this liquid fire begin to burn upon their bodies.

All the facts of the chemistry of fire, and of explosion as well, can be told in a simple story of what occurs in the light of a coal oil lamp. While the lamp burns the oil slowly disappears, being changed to gases which cannot be seen. Kerosene, being the thinnest of oils, sale for use in lamps, is drawn rapidly to the top of a wick.

When a match flame is touched to the oil in the wick's top its heat loosens the atoms of carbon and hydrogen of which the oil is made. They then unite with atoms of oxygen of the air for which they have a greater attraction than they have for each other. This causes a flame.

Atoms that are Greedy

Each carbon atom is so greedy that it seizes two atoms of oxygen from the air to form carbonic acid while each pair of hydrogen atoms takes one of exygen to form water. The carbonic acid, which is a gas and the water in the form of a vapor are carried out of the top of the chimney.

Gunpowder and dynamite do not need air to burn them because they already contain oxygen. Having oxygen of their own they can be set afire by a spark and exploded while shut in a gun or cannon. The force of an explosion is from the solid matter being quickly changed to gas which takes up hundreds of times more room.

The Use of the Chimney

The chimney of a lamp forces the current of fresh air caused by the rising of the heated air within it, to pass close to the flame, so that oxygen can be taken from it. This movement of air is called a draft.

Light is made by the particles of carbon becoming white hot before they are burned up. The hottest flames make no light.

Do not try to blow out a lamp while the flame is high. Doing so may break chimney or force the flame dowh until the blaze is half its usual size and then blow over the chimney's top; not down it. To turn the blaze quite low and blow into the burner is more dangerous. If the top of the wick is above the top of the tube when the lamp is not lighted, oil will be drawn up and will run down over the lamp.

How Does a Lamp Explode?

The heating of the brass in the burner may warm the oil until it gives off a vapor in the lamp globe. If the wick is too small to fill the tube the flame will flash down to this vapor and the lamp will blow up.

The screen must be kept open so the flame can breathe. If the chimney is not clear down on the burner, the lamp smokes because the flame gets too much air. When a lamp wick is too high it smokes because there is too much fuel for the air supply.

The brass in the burner and collar should be kept clean and bright so that the heat wil pass off. Only dirty burners heat lamps so as to make them explode.

When a burner cannot be rubbed bright it should be thrown away because it dangerous.

A lamp should not be set in the sun nor close to a fire nor hung to the ceiling over a table on which a lamp is used.

Filling the Lamp

When a lamp that has been burning needs to be filled, do not take off the burner near another light or a fire. The vapor in the bowl of the lamp may expand until it reaches a blaze and explodes. Flaming oil is then thrown over every one who is near. Above all remember that filling a lamp without first putting it out is very dangerous.

When two-thirds of the oil in a lamp has been used it should be filled again. Once each week the oil left in a lamp should be poured back into the can thru a piece of cloth on a funnel to filter it clear. This is to remove dirt which has settled to the bottom.

The Wick

The char should be removed from the wick every day. When a wick is half burned up a new one should be put in. A lamp cared for in this way will give bright, white light and will not blacken the burner nor explode. The burners for round wicks are safer than those which use flat ones.

Air mixed with one-eight oil vapor will blow up, if it touches a flame. In this state more than one house was fired each week in 1908 by the exploding or upsetting of coal oil lamps. In the United States last year 340 persons died from being burned by the exploding of lamps.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

N. C. Ludvigson was an arrival from Grand Forks this morning.

Adam Getty came over from Grand Forks this morning and left on a regular trip.

TWIN GIRLS—Yesterday twin girls babies left by his storkship at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Arneberg in Highland Park. The happy parents are now considered in the Roosevelt Protege Class.

A LITTLE DAUGHTER—The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Buhn at Mentor was brightened Sunday by the arrival of a very fine daughter. All concerned are doing well, and the genial landlord of the Hotel Buhn at Maple Lake is so highly pleased that his guests next summer expect to see an addition of at least an inch to "the smile that won't come off" which he always wore.

HOWARD BAILEY DEAD—Howard Bailey ,a son of Ex-Sheriff Thomas Bailey of Bemidji, and who resided with his wife and child in this city till a short time ago, died suddenly in Bemidji yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock of pneumonia. While he had been suffering with Bright's disease for some months past, it was never dreamed that the end was so near and the news comes as a great shock to many friends here.

There were merry times in East Grand Forks this morning. The entire police force of that city raided the tenderloin district and eleven men some of them prominent residents of East Grand Forks were arrested, taken before Judge Sullivan of that city and fined for disorderly conduct.

Needless to state the fines were all paid quickly but the affair caused a great deal of excitement all over the city. Just who is behind the raid has not yet appeared.

Geo. Fuller arrived from Fargo and Moorhead this morning and reported that on Saturday evening there was a fall of snow there amounting to 18 inches. The snow fell in regular blankets and was the heaviest in a given time that had been experienced for many years.

Whil there was a slight fall here, it amounted to but little, while as near as Beltrami there was a very heavy fall. Nearly all of North Dakota was also covered.

The Robert Burns Club at Mallory will hold their annual celebration there this evening in the Woodmen Hall. A fine program has been prepared which includes Grand Forks, Crookston and Mallory talent, and the musical talent of Mallory has prepared some very special music. Among those from Crookston who will attend are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Johnstone and children, Miss Maggie Crawford, Mrs. John Harper and Miss Swanson.

From Tuesday's Daily

HERE FROM ADA—F. L. Hampson, H. O. Hampson and H. Symons were prominent Adaites who arrived in the city yesterday and attended to some business matters.

ROADS ARE FINE—Mr. and Mrs. Dominick LeBlanc spent yesterday in the city from Kertsonville doing some trading with Crookston merchants and the former reported the roads in that direction were exceptionally fine.

FIRST TRIP OUT—Peter Cram is spending the week calling on the St. Vincent line trade. This is his first week out since the early part of December having had every disease on the calendar during that time with the exception of croup and smallpox.

LEFT FOR WOODS—Henry Schmidt left this morning for lumber camps near Bemidji after having been home since before the holidays having been detained by the illness of his children He will remain there now till the breakup in the spring.

HERE FROM EUCLID — Section Foreman Billy Donovan was down from Euclid to spend last Sunday. He formerly resided in Crookston but has been stationed at Euclid for the past two years. Many friends enjoyed his visit.

CLIMAX FARMER HERE — Ole Romo one of the well known farmers of Climax spent today in the city and had his Journal advanced for another year. He thinks the weather of late about as good as the farmer could make to order.

ROADS IMPROVING—B. A. Anderson who resides on the O. H. Richardson farm in Fairfax south of the city is here today on business and advancing his Journal for another year. He says the recent snow has helped th eroads out in great shape.

PROMINENT RESIDENTS—Mayor Nick Engle of Euclid and Barney Thompson of the same place were arrivals in the city last evening and spent the evening attending to some business maters of importance and remained over today. They return home tomorrow morning.

FIRST TRIP IN WEEKS—A. W. Rundquist the Minneapolis Tribune representative in the Northern part of the state, left this morning for Bemidji this being his first out since Nov. 6th, having been ill himself in addition to having a great deal of illness in his family.

PAUL DRAX STRONGER —Paul Drax passed a very comfortable night last night and has been gaining steadily ever since the operation for the amputation of one leg ta the knee yesterday morning. He is showing remarkable strength and was evidently in fine physical condition.

LEFT FOR FRANCE—Albert Becker left last .evening for a trip to France and will visit other sections of Europe as well. If he finds conditions there to his liking he may remain, but his friends are very firm in their belief that he will return to this country again after a short visit Some even intimate that more than one may return.

WILL SOON BE OUT—Wylie Phillips has been sitting up for several hours every day for the past week and in a few days expects to be able to drive out for an airing if the weather continues fine. He has had a hard siege of it but will soon go out just to give people an idea of "what he can do."

ENJOYING HIS TRIP—Wm. Becker has received a very interesting letter from Adolph Wentzel who is now in Texas, having left here about two weeks ago. He is enjoying his southern trip immensely and will later visit Montana. He states that the weather is fine down there and that he has met quite a number of former residents of this section of the country.

SERVICES APPRECIATED—J. P. Marcum Rural Route Mail Carrier on Route No .1 which runs southwest of the city was a very pleasantly surprised man last Saturday when three of the patrons of his route joined in presenting him with a great fat dressed turkey, a huge piece of tenderloin and a bag of onions. Mr. Marcum is one of the most faithful carriers on a route out of Crookston and the recognition of his faithful and painstaking services is naturally highly appreciated by Mr. Marcum and came as a great surprise.

PLEASED WITH TRIP — J. F. Montgomery and J. W. Campion prominent residents of Angus spent the night in the city enroute home after a ten days' trip to Bemidji and Gemmell Mr. Campion having a number of horses working in the logging camps near the latter place. They then proceeded on the M. & I. to International Falls, inspected the big dam in process of construction there, and also visited Beaudette, Rainy River and other points coming back via Warroad and the new line. They were greatly pleased with the country along the new line and believe it has a great future. They proceeded home this morning accompanied by Mrs. Campion and the children.

"PAPA COME" — A quartette of travelling men and a few other friends enjoyed a good joke at the expense of "Dad" at the Great Northern depot yesterday morning. Mr. Sabin was going to Red Lake Falls but went to the depot an hour early to meet a gentleman whom he wanted to see before leaving the city. He casually strolled from the smoking room to the ladies waiting room and was peering out of the window up Second street to see if his friend was coming when a little tot one of a group of four children travelling with their mother piped out "papa come" and as "Dad" was the only man in that part of the depot he was promptly dubbed "Papa Come" by all the traveling men present and by all those on his train later on. When he arrived at the hotel in Thief River Falls after calling on a customer, some wag had register ed him under that name. "Dad" is swearing vengeance.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo
Lucas County,—ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

J. F. CHENEY & CO.,
Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It's easier to make a bluff than it is to get other people to stand for it.

Don't worry. Things are never half

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

DIED NEAR KELLYS—Malina Lommen, aged 35 years and unmarried died at her home near Kellys yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon from the resi-

WILL SPEND A FEW DAYS HERE—E. M. Mathews the piano tuner arrived this morning from Grand Forks and will spend several days here on business. He is stopping at the Palace hotel.

HALLOCK WINS—The Morris, Man., hockey team was defeated in a game at Hallock last night by a score of 8 to 0. The score in the first half was 1 to 0 in favor of Hallock. There was a large attendance and much interest was taken in the game.

ANGUS FARMER HERE — Louis Osterloh one of the prominent and pioneer farmers of Angus came down last evening and is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters and called at the court house to deposit his taxes for the year with Co. Treasurer Flaten.

FIRE ESCAPES FINISHED—Jas. E. Morrisey's crew of workmen yesterday finished the erection of the fire escapes in the new school house in the south part of the city and they are most complete and all the children who attend that school are certainly safe as far as fire is concerned.

GETS THIRTY DAYS—"Scar Faced Burke" an old offender in E. G. Forks was held up in municipal court yesterday as an "undesirable citizen" and was given 30 days by the judge in th ceoyueonthm shrdlue ludluuu in the county home for such characters.

AFTER THE BUSINESS — When the New Store puts on a sale it can be relied upon to be a real sale. The sale the Wright-Carpenter Co., is conducting at the present time is the largest and most successful in the history of that store. The patrons cf the sale save big money in every purchase they make.

FINE ICE RACE TRACK — The race course on the Red Lake river has been again cleared and A. J. Couvrette who is responsible for the work, announces that it is now ready for use. This makes the third time the present year that the track has been cleared. Some intersting brushes may be witnessed during the coming few months, or until spring comes.

BAD FOR THE LILLIES—Mrs. J. P. Marcum yesterday received a letter from Mrs. W. H. Collins formerly of this city but now of Kennewick, Wash in which it was stated that at the time the letter was written the thermometer stood 20 degrees below zero and a foot of snow had fallen. This is disastrous weather for a fruit country, and grave fears are entertained regarding the fruit trees, many fearing that they have been frozen out entirely.

A FINE DAUGHTER — Word was received yesterday by O. W. Anderson one of the popular brakemen on the Great Northern running out of this city ,of the arrival of a fine baby daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rasmussen who formerly operated a restaurant in this city but who are at the present time located on a farm near Fosston. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely. Mrs. Anderson who is a sister of Mrs. Rasmussen, is there at the present time but is expected home the first of next week .

5 CENT PICTURE SHOW— Johnson Bros., have decided to open a 5-cent picture show and will open Friday evening in Marin's Hall on North Broadway. The Hall is 100 feet deep and will take care of an immense crowd of people.

FRAZIER DISGUSTED—The many friends of James Frazier are having a great deal of fun at his expense today as a result of an incident at the Eagles Ball last evening. When the time came for the ladies' choice Mr. Frazier sat in a very receptive attitude. A young lady started from across the hall directly towards him and he had the words "with pleasure" almost out of his mouth when the lady with a gracious smile asked C. C. Hoch for the pleasure of a dance. Mr. Frazier fairly snorted but gained some comfort when he looked across the hall and found that Bennie Moe was also playing the wall flower act.

KERMIT, N. D. IS WIPED OUT

ENTIRE BUSINESS SECTION OF SOO TOWN IS DESTROYED BY FIERCE FIRE

Starting in Mahart's hardware store a fire swept over the entire town of Kermit, N. D. this morning wiping out practically the entire business section. Langley's poolroom and hotel Wallace's hardware, Miller's butcher shop, the Cross millinery, postoffice, Kermit News, McCormick's drug store Heddrick's general store and Mahart's all were totally destroyed. The loss is estimated at from $25,000 to $30,000 with but small insurance. The business men are totally discouraged and there is little talk of rebuilding.

INDIGESTION IS ENDED FOREVER

ALL STOMACH MISERY VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER EAT YOUR

FAVORITE FOODS WITHOUT FEAR OF DYSPEPSIA OR ANY OTHER STOMACH DISTRESS

Why not start now—today, and forever rid yourself of Stomach trouble and Indigestion? . A dieted stomach get the blues and grumbles. Give it a good eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to start the digestive juices working. There will be no dyspepsia or belching of Gas or eructations of undigested food; no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach or heartburn, sick-headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents for a large case at any drug store here, and will relieve the most obstinate case of Indigestion and Upset Stomach in five minutes.

There is nothing else better to take Gas from Stomach and cleanse the stomach and intestines, and besides, one triangule will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all your food the same as a sound, healthy stomach would do it.

When Diapepsin works your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to begin taking Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want to Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to be thoroughly cured of Indigestion.

WOMANLY WISDOM

If a cloud hovers over us let us not despond but strive to see thru it and beyond it.

If a small boy is quiet his mother wonders what ails him.

Children often pull on the heartstrings of a parent's life like two puppies pull a rag.

If anybody has a pain, lay a bag of hot salt over the place. It is fine to remove the ache.

When the wind howls around the corner of the house see that the cats and dogs have warm quarters.

I put the pockets on the underside of my kitchen aprons and find that they are just as convenient for use and will not catch on door-knobs and get torn.

A good tooth cleaner and preserver is precipitated chalk and ground orris root. Clean white teeth and breath like "sweet frangincense and myrrth" make up for many a deficiency in feature.

Blankets should be washed in luke warm, not hot water, or they will shrink. They should be hung upon the line and firmly stretched full length and a heavy weight fastened to each hanging corner to prevent the wind swaying and wrapping them into a roll upon the line. The weights hold them in shape, and when spread out in this manner they dry quickly.

Meat may be kept this way for months or late into the warm weather Grind, mix and season it ,pack in two quart stone jars that are perfectly clean and sweet. Bake for four hours in a moderately hot oven, take out and press with a heavy weight for 12 hours or overnight; then take off the weight. There will be some fat on top but not enough to cover, so heat lard to the boiling point and pour over enough to cover. This excludes the air Keep in cool, dry place.

—From February Farm Journal.

FRANKHAUSER IS FOUND GUILTY

George Frankhauser was found guilty of robbing a Great Northern train, extracting $40000 from the registered mails and placing the lives of the custodians in jeopardy by a jury in the federal court at Helena, Montana, yesterday and he will be sentenced by Federal Judge Hunt Thursday. Under the law he must serve the rest of his life in a federal prison at hard labor.

A SETTLEMENT WITH CONTRACTORS

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the members of the Carnegie Library board met with the contractors who constructed the new library building and Architect Keck for a final settlement All the affairs in connection with the construction of the library will be gone over thoroly and everything adjusted.

TRAGEDY IS DUE TO JEALOUSY

G. FITZMAURICE SHOOTS MISS G USTA NELSON AND KILLS SELF AT MOHALL, N. D.,—GIRL DIES FEW MINUTES LATER — FITZMAURICE SHOT THRU HEAD AND CANNOT SURVIVE—DAUGHTER OF PROMINENT SHERWOOD ELEVATOR MAN IS SHOT BY A JEALOUS LOVER AS SHE IS LEAVING HER ROOM IN COMPANY WITH TWO FRIENDS BY GEORGEO FITZMAURICE A PROMINENT YOUNG MAN OF TOWN

From Wednesday's Daily—

Just as she was stooping to lock the door of her rooming house Miss Gusta Nelson a clerk in Whitford's department store, was shot thru the lungs by George Fitzmaurice, her lover, with a rifle of large calibre at Mohall, N. D., last night. He then turned the weapon upon himself and inflicted a mortal wound in the head. Miss Nelson died a few minutes afterward and tho Fitzmaurice was alive this afternoon physicians say he cannot survive. Jealousy together with the fact that Fitzmaurice was a heavy drinker could not control himself, are the cause of the tragedy which, owing to the prominence of the people involved, has caused a sensation.

At the time of Fitzmaurice's deed, Miss Nelson, her chum and roommate and her friend, Dick Telsow, were leaving the girls' boarding place for the Masonic hall to attend a dance to which Fitzmaurice had not been invited. Crazed with jealousy Fitzmaurice was waiting and as the girl he loved stooped to turn the key in the door, he fired. The heavy charge passed thru her lungs and she fell to the ground and was dead before any aid could be given her. Fitzmaurice immediately turned the gun on himself and fired, the bullet passing thru his head.

George Fitzmaurice is a brother of Dr. Thomas Fitzmaurice, one of the prominent residents of the city and his parents reside in Crystal, N. D. Miss Nelson is a daughter of Mr. Nelson of the firm of Kehoe & Nelson elevator men west of Sherwood, N. D.

CLEANED UP OLD BUSINESS

CITY COUNCIL HELD SHORT BUT ACTIVE SESSION LAST EVENING

A NUMBER OF IMPORTANT MATTERS WERE DISPOSED OF BEFORE ADJOURNMENT

From Wednesday's Daily—

There was an adjourned meeting of the city council last evening at which a large amount of business was disposed of. The Crookston Times was named as the official paper of the city and a number of sidewalk assessments were abated.

The principal interest of the meeting resulted from a motion by Alderman Hussey for the appointment of a committee of three to confer with Poor Commissioner Sargent to look into the case of John Bergum

Bergum was a city employe who was injured some time ago while working in a sewer at the corner of Third and Main streets. His brother Martin who was foreman of the street crew, was lowering a 2x6 down the manhole and the stick and rope being slippery it slipped thru and struck John Bergum on the head inflicting a bad wound.

He was given prompt attention by Dr. Randolph and three days later was on the streets as usual. Three weeks later, about however, he was stricken with paralysis, one entire side being affected, and has been in that condition ever since. He was taken to St. Vincents hospital and several physicians were called, but none seemed to suit his brother Martin. Later he was removed to Bethesda hospital. It appears that his condition is critical as a blood clot has formed on his brain. A committee consisting of Alderman Wright, Christianson and Hughes was finally named to confer with the poor commissioner regarding the case.

Other Business

The purchasing agent was instructed to purchase 20 bushels of oats at once for the fire nags.

A resolution to increase the salary of the clerk of the municipal court to $50 per month was held illegal under the city charter by City Attorney O'Brien, as the salary of no officer can be increased during his term of office under the charter and President Snyder ruled the motion out of order.

Messrs. Walters and Erickson were ordered paid $35 for removing the barn near their laundry off the property near the approach to the new bridge.

Dr. Wilson Randolph was again named city physician of Crookston.

FREIGHT OFFICE GREATLY IMPROVED

The crews of Master Carpenter Mills of the Northern Division of the Great Northern have completed the repairs to the freight office in the Great Northern passenger depot which was recently badly damaged by fire. The office is far better than ever before and the employes are getting located today. The appearance of the office which was formerly rather dingy is now bright and cheerful and the finely polished counter at the east end is a big improvement over the old one.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT

MAN NEAR ERSKINE HAD KNEE CAP CUT OFF YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

SLIPPED WHEN NEAR CIRCULAR SAW—FAMILY IN POOR CIRCUMSTANCES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon a terrible accident took place four miles north of Erskine when a brother of the Great Northern section foreman at that place while working around a circular saw slipped and had his knee cap cut off and a short piece of bone cut from each side of it.

Master Carpenter Mills happened to be there and with Dr. Kahala drove to the scene and the knee cap was restored and the wound attended to and it is hoped the leg may be saved tho at the best it will be stiff.

SPEECHLESS FOR 3 YEARS

DEATH ENDS SUFFERINGS OF HANS OPHUS PROMINENT FARMER OF ERSKINE

Yesterday morning ended the sufferings of Hans Ophus a well known farmer residing three miles from Erskine. Deceased was stricken with paralysis three years ago and since that time has been unable even to speak and has suffered greatly, but was patient thru it all and was glad when the end was at hand.

Deceased was the father-in-law of Knute Strandy pump repairer for the Northern Division of the Great Northern who resides at 422 Stewart Avenue Sampsons addition, and Mrs. Strandy, is now at the old home near Erskine where she will remain till after the funeral which will be held tomorrow.

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SHEEP PASTURING ON GREEN RYE

SHREEP PASTURING cmrfde sh N. C. HANSON HAS 200 ACRES OF WINTER RYE UP SIX ICHES —HE IS NEW PASTURING HIS FLOCK OF SHROPSHIRE SHEEP ON THE RYE WHICH MAKES EXCELLENT GRAZING

From Friday's Daily—

N. C. Hanson the well known farmer who resides two and a half miles west of Crookston and on the south side of the river is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters.

Mr. Hanson is one of the progressive farmers who believes in diversified farming and for the past few years has been raising more or less winter rye and has been very successful.

Last fall he seeded 200 acres and it is now six inches high and as green as grass ever was in spring. Mr. Hanson has a fine flock of thorobred Shropshire sheep and they are now feeding on the rye which makes ideal grazing for them.

At the same time Mr. Hanson states the pasturing of the sheep on the rye really benefits the crop. Last year he pastured sheep and cattle also on a rye field and the crop was better there than on another field which he did not pasture all other conditions being the same.

The sight of sheep feeding on green fields the latter part of January in Northern Minnesota is one that would be read like a fairy tale in the east, but the fact remains that banana belt weather seems to strike this section more often than any other this winter.

A SENSE OF HUMOR

It is a big thing to be born with a sense of humor. It will force smooth sailing on life's roughest seas and will make even drudgery bearable, says an exchange.

The woman who cannot see a joke even at their own expense is to be pitied—and so are her fun-loving friends. There is nothing harder on both sides than a humorism that fails flat.

The good people who are interested in the decrease of divorce should have a law passed that the serious minded and the joker may not wed. It means ructions ere the orange blossoms fade.

A man not long ago was bewailing a broken engagement. A friend who knew them both said:

"It is the Lord taking a hand to save you from a lifetime of misery. Georgia couldn't see no fun if it were labeled JOKE and you couldn't help joking tho it meant a separation from those you loved best."

But it is one thing to have a sense of humor and another to have a warped sense of humor. There is no one more maddening than the person who roars at our mishaps and thinks it "so funny" to mortify his friends.

You can afford to laugh—if you feel like it—when you fall in a crowded ballroom or lose your false puffs in church; but you have no friendship so tender that will warrant a smile when a friend does the same .

It is the woman with the misplaced sense of humor who tells embarrassing anecdotes about family makeshifts or who repeats as a good joke to a common friend something you have said about her, but never intended her to hear.

One of these misplaced humorists is the husband who thinks it funny to ask a guest to have certain dishes and when she accepts to tell her "We are just out of it."

Have you never been covered with embarrassment by having such a man ask you to say grace at his dinner table and shriek with laughter at your efforts to get out of it

Then there are humorists who, when you tell a good story think it "smart" to receive it with forced guffaws, and others who willfully refuse to laugh at the point.

Laugh all you can but have a sense of fitness in your laughing. To joke over the bumps in your own life will do much to smooth them; to find humor in the mishaps of your friends is soon to find yourself friendless.

Sauk Rapids Sentinel-Free Press: Barley Jim Tawney has been invited to a seat in President Roosevelt's Ananias club. Jim manages to keep in the public eye some way.

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ANGUS

Mr. D. H. Miller was transacting business last week in Warren.

Mr. Frank Taus called on Mr. J. B. Goodwin last Friday morning.

Mr. S. Clover took the train for the Queen City last Thursday evening.

Quite a number of young folks called at the home of Mr. Douglas Snelling last Friday evening and a royal time was enjoyed by all.

The raffle and dance at Euclid last Friday evening was a grand success.

Dr. Dryden and Mr. Bert Chapin of Euclid were here last Friday on professional business.

A good sized blizzard from the N. W. made things lively around here last Saturday.

Mr. Frank Sirek Sr., suffered quite a relapse the latter part of last week but is now improving again nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodwin and children and Miss Bertha Erdmann teacher in school district number 59 spent last Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh.

Our rural mail carrier Mr. O. Iverson has of late a hard road to travel on account of the many snow drifts.

The U. S. mailpouch was blown away early last Monday morning and some of the mail was picked up later on along the railroad track. Those fearful Minnesota storms do not even respect Uncle Sam's mail.

A great deal of oream is shipped from this station and our farmers are discovering at last that the dairy business is a paying affair.

Mr. J. F. Montgomery our prince-merchant left for Bemidji last Monday on business.

The faithful "Biddies" are helping their keepers defraying expenses. Now ye farmers let this be an incentive to you and help the "Biddies" in return.

Last Tuesday and Wednesday were two spring-like days.

Nels Swanson the veteran well man, while drilling well for Mr. G. H. Horn of Key Stone had his nose frozen badly one day last week. Mr. Swanson says tho not blessed with a very prominent nasal ornament, he is glad amputation will not be necessary.

The people around Angus and that neighborhood are a very sociable and pleasant class of inhabitants and are full of good will and goodfellowship to one another. Surprise parties too numerous to chronicle are of daily occurrence.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann is on the matrimonial sicklist. His many friends are hoping some fairy doctor may come to his rescue.

Mr. Simon Aeschlimann Sr. celebrated his birthday the other day.

Mrs. Ed Pulkrabek is at the Warren hospital. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. C. E. Broadwell the popular mail carrier on route 1 from Euclid is a very painstaking and oblinging official.

Miss Rose Kotek one of the most popular young ladies of Sherack is visiting her parents Mr. and Brs. Thomas Kotek.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Clover and children left last Wednesday evening for Nevada, where they intend to make their future home. Their many friends wish them godspeed on their journey.

Stillwater Daily Gazette: Winona "should doff her hat to Congressman Tawney" says the Winona Independent "as but few cities in the United States can boast of having one of her citizens mentioned in a president's message." That isn't the only reason. He is one of the strongest and most influential men in the house of representatives and a credit to Winona the state of Minnesota and the country at large.

WARM AND DRY TO STAY WELL

AUTHORITY GIVES SIMPLE PRESCRIPTION ALSO TELLS HOW TO TAKE

TELLS READERS HOW TO PREPARE THE MIXTURE AT HOME

Now is the time when the doctor gets busy and the patent medicine manufacturers reap the harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and keep the feet dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble weather is here, and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple home-made mixture at the first sign of Rheumatism or if your backaches or you feel that the kidneys are not acting just right. This is said to be a splendid kidney regulator, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rheumatism which is caused by uric acide in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter out. Any one can easily prepare this at home and at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vicinity when shown the prescriptions stated that they can either supply these ingredients, or if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them.

CARIBOU ARE BEING DESTROYED

FORTY-FOUR DEAD MOOSE SEEN IN THE BIG BAY DISTRICT BY HUNTER

Albert Smith of Red Lake has reported that caribou are being destroyed in great numbers in the region known as the "big bog country" north of Red Lake. He counted 44 moose in this region on a recent visit, and says that the timber wolves are doing deadly work in their destruction.

HOME FROM A VERY SAD MISSION

W. T. Carlisle returned this morning from Aberdeen, S. D., where yesterday his mother was laid to rest. She died Tuesday after a long illness and was buried in the cemetery at Aberdeen. She left three sons and one daughter, the latter, Mrs. W. O. Jones residing at Aberdeen, together with J. A. Carlisle another son. The other two sons are W. T. Carlisle of this city and C. W. Carlisle of Lander, Wyoming, and all were present with the exception of the last named, who was home just a few days before the end and who was called back west on account of urgent business and could not return.

The New Senate and the Tariff

The legislatures of several states "seen their duty and they done it" yesterday. Oregon's almost solidly republican legislature chose Governor Chamberlain the democratic winner in the primary. The North Dakota republican legislature chose M. N. Johnson who had a small plurality of the votes in a republican popular primary. Senator Hopkins who won out in the Illinois popular primary over Congressman Foss and a field of opponents, is having a hard time and is still "shy" 24 votes, Elihu Root has been made the unanimous choice of the republican caucus for senator from New York and B. F. Shively will be the democratic senator from Indiana.

These men will not have to wait until next December to show what kind of senators they will be. They will have a chance shortly after March 4, when President Taft calls congress together in extraordinary session to revise the tariff. The democrats have gained two senators, and they will be expected to be low-tariff senators. If Hopkins gets back he will have to stand for real tariff revision, since he is the senator who, as chairman of the resolutions committee, reported the tariff plank of the last republican platform.

What Senator Root's views on the tariff are, we don't know exactly from him. He has been engaged in executive work, but undoubtedly his views are that the tariff should be so adjusted as to propagate our South America trade. He did not take that long journey to the south, without learning more about our trade relations than most of his colleagues in the senate know at the present time. The new senate promises to be more truly representative than the old on the tariff issue.—Minneapolis Journal.

PRESERVE RED LAKE FOREST

REPRESENTATIVE STEENERSON AND OFFICIALS OF INDIAN OFFICE HELD CONFERENCES—PLAN TO HAVE MATURE TIMBER LOGGED BY THE INDIANS

From Friday's Daily—

As a result of a conference between Representative Steenerson and officials of the Indian office and forest service, it is probable that an agreement will be reached in a few days on a plan for the disposal of pine timber on the diminishing Red Lake reservation. Officers of the forest and Indian office are anxious to preserve this timber which is practically the only solid body of white pine left in Minnesota and to sell only the mature timber and otherwise administer the forest in accordance with the present conversation policy of the government.

The plan proposed is to have the mature timber logged by the Indians and sold for their benefit. It is said that under this plan the forest will be preserved, and will produce steady revenue for the Indians for years to come. Altho Mr. Steenerson has not given his final approval the preservation and income feature of the proposed plan appeal to him as the best thing for the Indians and for the settlers of the Red river valley.

Representative Steenerson has had a conference with members of the subcommittee on rivers and harbors in charge of surveys and has urged that provision be made in the emergency bill soon to be reported for surveys with a view to the improvement of the Red Lake river, Warroad harbor, and the harbor of refuge at Zipple. He hopes that all these projects will be included in the bill.

HER HUSBAND IS TOO HANDSOME

Isabel Rush Nelson Actress, has an Unique Complaint Against James Hervey Simpson—She Sues for Divorce — Marriage to St. Paul Man was the Culmination of Romantic Courtship Begun at Football Match

The Central News Bureau of New York in a special says:

"Isabel Rush Nelson, the actress, has instructed her counsel to begin action for divorce from James Hervey Simpson of St. Paul whom she met at a Yale-Princeton football match and whom she married in 1905. She describes her husband as being 'too terribly handsome.'"

James Hervy Simpson mentioned in the dispatch is the only son of Mrs. J. H. Simpson of this city, one of the best and most beloved of pioneer women identified with the beginnings of the city, related to many well known families and widow of Gen. J. H. Simpson, U. S. A. who died in St. Paul at the old Borup place in lower town about twenty years ago.

Hervey Simpson as he is known here was educated at Yale and after leaving college went to work for a well known firm of lawyers in New York, and met the young woman who is concerned in this action at that time. He is the nephew of the late Theodore and Gustave Borup and by marriage a nephew of Richards Gordon.

His mother Mrs. Simpson and his sister Miss Marion Simpson have been spending much of their time for the last year and a half with Mrs. Badger eldest daughter of Mrs. Simpson whose husband has been commandant at Annapolis. Mrs. Simpson's Summit avenue home has been leased during her absence to Vice President Levey of the Northern Pacific road.

For more than a year Mr. Simpson has lived in the East. He was associated with the Wanamaker company in New York and some months ago was it is said, transferred to the Philadelphia establishment.

He is a member of the Minnesota Boat club and two years ago was coxswain for the senior and junior eight crews.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Cannon Falls Beacon: In its controversy with Mr. Tawney two years ago the Beacon indicated that gentleman's attitude toward the president and his policies with an accuracy confirmed by every official act and utterance by the gentleman from the "first" since that time. Mr. Tawney in Minnesota and Mr. Tawney in congress are contrasting and contradicting characters. In Minnesota among his constituents, he would fain be a Roosevelt reformer, but at Washington he is a hostile of hostiles, a stand patter, and a faithful and obedient servant of a corporate power.

Too much time is wasted in trying to reform things that are not worth reforming.

TRY TO BLUFF THE PRESIDENT

SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN REQUESTED TO STOP PERSONAL BICKERINGS

QUEER FACTS ABOUT OMNIBUS BILL, WHICH IS NOW PENDING IN THE SENATE

Washington, Jan. 25—It is quite apparent to those senators and representatives who have always stood, and are now just as firmly supporting President Roosevelt as in the earlier days of his administration, that the president's enemies and opponents are determined to have his administration end with some sort of discredit if possible.

The special committees of both the senate and the house are for the most part composed of men who do not like Mr. Roosevelt personally and have long bided their time to give him a dig. But it is most unfortunate for them that they have waited until the closing month of his administration to undertake to put the president under a cloud.

By a dilatory process the investigations of the secret service will drag along until a week or two before the inauguration, and then whatever report the committee will dare make will be proclaimed.

It is an interesting conjecture to speculate a little as to what the people in their respective districts and states will have to say to those of the senate and house who have spent a greater part of this session in trying to find some way to put Mr. Roosevelt in a bad light.

They have been thus engaged while the great measures which he has time and again importuned congress to pass sleep quietly in the pigeon holes of the files of some of the leading committees of the house, while petty personal bickerings are pressed forward.

But Washington is hearing from the home folks.

A Stereotyped Bluff.

In replying to their constituents who write numerous letters requesting the passage of the postal savings bank bill, the inland waterway commission bill, the bill to divide the work of the interstate commerce commission so that there will be a separate bureau of transportation, the Washington statesmen are replying with that old stereotyped bluff:

"This, my dear sir, is the short session of congress, and only the big appropriation bills which are necessary to the government can be considered."

Well, the session is more than half over, and of the nine big appropriation bills but two have reached the president for his signature. Meanwhile congress at the north and south ends of the capitol keeps up a sort of moving picture show in which Tillman, Rayner and Bailey in the senate are permitted to by the big republican majority of that body to keep up a continuous performance, while in the house time is wasted in talking of what should or should not go into the Congressional Record of a most outrageous speech of one of its members.

The Omnibus Claims Bill.

History does not record just how or when or why the title to certain lesislation which appropriates money in payment of claims against the government should be designated as the "omnibus claims bill." It is so printed in the official record, notwithstanding the fact that it takes years for the omnibus to come along and carry the appropriation through.

An omnibus claims bill is now up before the senate, and it has been more or less of a standing question between the government and the claimants for the past forty years.

Many of the original claimants are dead and their heirs are camping in Washington in the hope of at last reaping the labors of years. Some of the items are peculiar. They are for the most part Civil War claims for property either destroyed or appropriated by the Union or Confederate soldiers which belonged to loyal citizens during the period of the rebellion. One claim is for a growing crop of corn that was trod into the ground. Another claim is for forty hogs at 8 cents a pound. Another for 13,800 fence rails at $3 per cord. One claim is for two large navy revolvers, the true value of which was $150, and for powder and shot for the same $100.

Mr. Dorr and Senator Some More.

Although Senator R. B. Tillman has had a great deal of the bravado taken out of him, he is still spoiling for more fight, and it will take a special effort to muzzle him during the remainder of this session.

It seems impossible for the Oregon land case to blow over, and Senator Tillman, who is pretty near to the bad thus far in his efforts to secure a "vindication," sits up and takes notice whenever the St. Paul and Pacific syndicate and the Messrs Dorr have anything to say.

Throug' the Dispatch mail bag of last Saturday Mr. R. R. Dorr takes issue with th statement that a fraud order was ever issued against his son, and is rather inclined to criticise the Dispatch Washington correspondent for stating that a fraud order had issued.

But Senator Tillman not only says that there was such an order issued but he calls on both R. R. Dorr and Bryan R. Dorr to prove it there was not.

In a letter to Senator Tillman from R. R. Dorr dated St. Paul, March 2, 1908, the latter says: "Under date of February 21st, my son writes me as follows: 'The government has passed a fraud order against me on account of the circulars about the Coos Bay wagon road grant'."

And on February 21, 1908, Mr. Bryan R. Dorr, in a letter to Senator Tillman, says: "I learn today that a fraud order has been issued against me for using name in connection with circulars, etc."

All of these letters are printed in the Congressional Record of Jan. 14, last.

The Dispatch correspondent has felt some remorse because of the fact that Senator Tillman in giving out his sensational interview of last February, to some extent imposed on good nature in not telling the whole story which came out only after he had made charges against the Dorr syndicate in the open senate. But it takes both sides of a case to make the right kind of a newspaper story and only the exact facts have been given from his end. Mr. Dorr, like Mr. Tillman, seems to want to talk too much.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS ELICITS ENTHUSIASTIC APPROVAL FROM THE SECRETARY.

"WANT IT IMMEDIATE AND WANT IT THOROUGH," SAYS MR. COSGROVE.

Officers of the Minnesota State Agricultural society welcome the proposed legislative investigation of their department as a means to make the members of the legislature understand its needs more fully than would be possible in any other way.

Representative J. T. Johnson of Fergus Falls introduced the resolution in the house calling for the appointment of an investigating committee. The officers of the state fair board say that the detailed financial report of the affairs of their organization, which is called for by Mr. Johnson, is just what they want to get before the legislature. They say they hope that every member of the senate and the house will take enough interest in the investigation to familiarize himself with the details of management of the state fair.

B. F. Nelson, president of the state fair board, is out of the city, but C. N. Cosgrove, the secretary, said today that the board was heartily in favor of the investigation.

Want It Thorough.

"All we ask is that the investigation shall be immediate and thorough," said Mr. Cosgrove. "Nothing could please us more than that a complete investigation of the way the fair is managed should come at this time. We are about to appeal to the legislature for an appropriation for the purpose of supplying the fair with much needed equipment, and the opportunity to make these needs known through an investigation of the fair management is sure to result to our great advantage."

As to the renting of the race track for automobile races last summer, and the livestock pavilion for a skating rink this winter, Mr. Cosgrove said:

"The automobile races were held in July, at the time of the Shriners' convention in St. Paul and on Aug. 11, I received and placed in the treasury of the society $150 for the use of the track. Under our contract with the management of the skating rink the society is getting 25 per cent of the gross receipts, and so far this winter I have received $600 from this source. Both of these transactions show in detail on our books and both were authorized by the board of directors in regular session. Our books are kept in such manner that every transaction, even though it involve but 25 cents, is shown in detail.

Correspondence With Johnson.

Mr. Johnson, who presented the resolution calling for this investigation, wrote to me a short time ago and asked for a report of our business for 1908. I replied that the report for 1908 had not been printed as yet, but I sent him one of the reports for 1906 and one for 1907. The report for last year will make 200 printed pages, so it would have been practically impossible for me to have had a typewritten copy of it prepared for Mr. Johnson."

Journal want ads bring results.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

BACK FROM THE CITIES—Bert Ruettell returned from the cities this morning, where he has been spending the past few days. He reports the weather remarkably fine down there, the same as it has been here.

FAMILY LOCATED — Conductor Chase of the Northern Pacific has moved his family to East Grand Forks from Staples. He now has the passenger run between there and Pembina.

PEOPLE ALL GOOD—The business in the office of Sheriff Daniels is decidedly on the quiet order today all the employes being at home. There was not even a civil paper to be served today, and even Office Deputy R. G. Burkhardt was on easy street.

SUDDEN CHANGE—There was a very sudden change in the weather during the night the wind switching from the south to the north, making a decided cool wave. However the temperature is still as high as could be expected at this season of the year.

RETURNED FROM FARGO—Sam Felsing returned this morning from a business trip to Fargo where he has been for the past few days. He reports things rather quite there but stated that business men are looking forward to a good year's business.

ALGOT ECK ILL— Algot Eck who is emloyed at the Journal was ill this morning and could not report for work. He stated when he was called that the doctor told him not to report till the first of next week at the earliest.

QUIET IN AUDITOR'S OFFICE—The force in the office of County Auditor Welte reports business quiet with the exception of a large amount of routine work. All the force is busy taking care of the regular work in the office.

ON BUSINESS TRIP—J. A. McDonald returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis where he has been spending the past few days. While there he attended the meeting of the Masonic Grand lodge.

WENT TO DEER RIVER—Gunder Krostue, the well known banker from Fisher passed thru the city this morning enroute to Deer River where he was called on business. He says that business at Fisher was never better and that the bank there is in the finest shape it ever was.

RETURNED THIS MORNING—Architect B. D. Keck returned this morning from a business trip to the cities where he has been for the past three days. He attended the meeting of the meeting of the Masonic Grand lodge while in St. Paul and reports the gathering one of the largest ever held in the state.

NO ONE WAS HURT—This morning a farmer's team caused some excitement on Robert street. They were left standing and were frightened by some blowing paper and started for Jeromes addition at a gait that was not slow. Fortunately before they had got under very good headway they were stopped, a student of the Crookston Business College seizing them just as they were crossing Ash Street.

REV. McCOY AT GRAND FORKS—Rev. F. M. McCoy of the M. E. church will leave for Grand Forks this evening to deliver an address before the Wesley College on the subject of Homilitics or the art of preaching. Rev. McCoy will certainly give the people of Grand Forks something to think about in nrs address this evening.

SAYS BUSINESS IS GOOD—Wm. Emerich the manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., branch office in the city left this morning for Fosston Lengby and other points on the east line. He states that business is fine in the sewing machine line, and that all the agents are turning in good orders.

OLD SOLDIER HERE—A. Strobel one of the well known old soldiers of Angus returned home this morning after spending the night in the city. He states that everything is quiet in the burg to the north and that nothing has occurred of late to mar the even tenor of the ways of the people up in that direction.

HOME FROM ST. PAUL—Dr. A. H. Kahala of Erskine returned this morning from a combined business and pleasure trip from St. Paul. He has been down for a week and reports that the business men there are complaining about the dullness of business more than they are here. He states that the weather there was very fine while he was here but that there appeared to be a very decided change when he arrived here this morning.

DUMPED THE TRUCK—A truck load of trunks was dumped at the Great Northern depot this morning and the matter would have received much notoriety had it not been for the fact that Agent Bell was responsible for the "spill." He was assisting in moving a truck load of trunks across the tracks when the truck came to grief, one of the wheels catching on the rails and the trouble followed. It might be added that the genial agent of the Great Northern did not even use one little cuss word, tho the temptation was great.

SETTLED IN COURT—Two hackmen got into trouble last evening at the Great Northern depot over an old score and the matter ended in blows The case was called in municipal court this morning before Judge Gossman and adjourned till 3 o'clock this afternoon when Capt. Vonderbeck who made the arrest can be present.

LUTHER LEAGUE MEETING — The regular meeting of Luther League will be held this evening at eight o'clock at the residence of E. J. Loken on 110 Bridge St. Election of officers for the ensuing year will be held and other important business transacted. The attendance of all members is requested.

The many friends of Paul Drax will be pleased to learn that his condition improved materially last night. He gained considerably in strength and during the day has rested much easier.

It appears that the published reports regarding the accident were not exactly correct. He was not struck by a switch engine as stated. He was passing between two box cars which had been standing on the track a few feet apart for several days.

Just as he stepped between them the switch engine struck them and jammed them together and he was caught between them.

He was badly jammed about the hips and otherwise bruised up, but his splendid physical condition is standing him in good stead and it is now believed that he will recover with the excelent care he is receiving at St. Vincents Hospital.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

ON LEGAL BUSINESS—Attorney James Montague left this morning for Roseau where he has some legal business to attend to.

FROM TOWN OF KNUTE—Olous Nelson a well known resident from the town of Knute is spending the day in the city enroute home from a vacation trip from Warren.

TO WEST END—Jos. Koelmel left this morning for East Grand Forks where he will confer with Manager N. C. Ludvigson of the Heileman branch agency for the day, returning home this evening.

BUSINESS FOR BLACKSMITHS—The soft weather is making all kinds of business for the blacksmiths of the city. The roads in the country as well as in the city are very slippery and horses have to be sharp shod.

TRAINMEN ARE REJOICING — The present mild weather is being thoroly enjoyed by the railroad men. All the trains are pulling in promptly on time and the work of the train men ,especially the freight brakeman is greatly lessened as a result of the change for the better in the weather.

MUCH WORK IN SIGHT — The carpenters of the city state that there is more work in sight the coming spring and summer than there has been for many years. They are looking forward to a very active season and expect there will be work for all and at good wages.

WOLVES INCREASE — Timber wolves in the northern country are so numerous and so destructive of deer, moose and caribou that the state game and fish commission will ask the legislature to increase the $7.50 bounty on wolves. Some counties pay on additional bounty and others will be asked to do so.

OLDEST SWITCHTENDER DYING—Mathias Diedrich the oldest switchtender in the Union station railroad yards at St. Paul, is at Bethesda hospital in that city at the point of death from injuries which he suffered in being struck by a train about a week ago. His injuries in part are internal.

BACK FROM TRIP — J. H. Stair, who started on the road with the Peters Cartridge Co., the first of the year ,returned this morning from a several weeks' trip to South Dakota and the southern part of North Dakota. While he was diffident regarding the success he had, "the smile that won't come off" indicated that he got his share of the business at least.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL — Mrs. H. W. Norrie was taken to the Bethesda hospital this morning and it is expected that she will be operated upon for appendicitis i na few days. The physicians are not certain as yet what the trouble is, but all indications point to appendicitis. Her many friends are very much concerned about her condition.

MUCH LOCAL INTEREST—Much local interests taken in the forthcoming election of the grand lodge officers of the Odd Fellows of Minnesota. All of the candidates for grand master are well known here and there is a division of sentiment as to who will be the successful candidate. All of them are popular however, and any one will be satisfactory. The contest, while friendly, is very keen.

TWO FINE HOSPITALS—Comment is frequently heard on the streets by outside physicians who bring patients here, over the excellence of the two local hospitals. Both the St. Vincent hospital and the Bethesda are modern in every respect and are equipped with all modern appliances for surgical work. Both have splendid records for the past year regarding the small number of patients who have died. This is due jointly to fine equipment and splendid nursing in addition to as good medical talent as can be found in the country.

BUSINESS TRIP—W. T. Carlisle and A. G. Jacobson of the local whole sale house, left this morning for Grand Forks where they were called on business matters. Mr. Winslow went over yesterday on the same mission and will remain several days.

PROTEGES OF ROOSEVELT—Mr. and Mrs. Rosenthal of Richdale, this county, are the happy parents of a little son born last week. This is the tenth son born to this couple and they are also parents of six daughters Fourteen of the sixteen children are living.—Fergus Falls Journal.

AFTER INSANE PATIENT—Sheriff Daniels went to East Grand Forks this morning where he was called to bring an insane person over for examination. He had not learned her name or any of the attendant circumstances before his departure, other than the fact that she was violent.

RETURNED TO ANGUS— Harry Miller who has been spending the past few days in the city a guest at the home of Mrs. W. L. Davies, returned this morning to his home at Angus. He states that the weather the past few days is great for the stock and is a great feed saver for the farmers.

BUILDING A FINE LAUNCH — Messrs Albert Larviere and Walter Blair are now at work constructing a fine 25 foot launch at the C. Viau shop on North Broadway. They will equip it with a six horse power gasoline engine and after trying it out on the river here in the spring will ship it to Maple Lake where it will be put in service next summer.

BACK TO THE FARMSTEAD — C. C. Bowen and A. H. Kahlert left this morning for their homesteads south of Graceton. They have been spending the past few days in the city this shrdlue she shseshne m—bfason on business matters and returned this morning to make extensive improvements on their farms. Both are of the opinion that they have valuable claims and all others who have seem the timber which they have are of the same opinion.

The ills that follow our lusts we usually charge up to our luck.

No woman would wear glasses if they didn't improve her looks.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Northwestern Hide & Fur Co. Minneapolis, pay 11ct. for Hides and high price for furs. Sell traps cheap.

WANTED — Local Agent for selling Farmers' Record, direct to the farmers. For particulars apply to E. E. Bernard, State Agent, Ada, Minn.

EUCLIDITE DOWN—Wm. Casmey drove down from South Euclid today with some produce and reports the roads for a sleigh about the limit.

GREENHALGH TO SPEAK — At the Lincoln day celebration at the city hall Feb. 12 James Greenhalgh will deliver the address representing the Grand Army.

STILL HOLDING HIS OWN—The condition of Paul Drax at St. Vincent Hospital still continues to be such as to give hopes that he will recover He is getting now so that he rests considerably and his friends have strong hopes that he will eventually fully recover.

WANT TO BE JUDGES—There is a rumor in circulation to the effect that Ole J. Vaule of Crookston and Frank A. Grady of Red Lake Falls have entered into a combination and are to oppose Judges Watts and Grindeland at the next election — Thief River Falls News.

SAW NO GEESE — Peter Gramer returned this morning from a business trip to Halstad. It was reported that there were several flocks of geese heard down that line last evening but Mr. Gramer when closely cross questioned denied that he nad started the story, tho he stated the browsing for geese in that direction was fine and there was plenty of water for a bath for them.

HAS THOROBRED PURP—When it comes to talking dog, not common mongrel, but real dog of high degree blue blooded and with all the pedigree frills, Conductor Mark Keeley is there with both feet in the front pew. This morning he received a thorobred Scotch Collie from a dog fancier of Minneapolis and in the future will be right there in the bench shows.

ROY TEAL CONVALESCING—Roy Teal who was operated on last week at St. Vincent Hospital for appendicitis was able to sit up today for the first time. He will soon be moved to the home of his sister Mrs. Will Nelson where he will remain till he is able to return to his home at Euclid.

OLD TIMER HERE—Chas. Wittenstein one of the old timers of Warren, having managed the big Irish farm southwest of that city for years and later moved to Warren where he is now heavily interested in business spent last evening in Crookston and attended the Commercial Club Banquet returned to Warren this morning. He is heartily in favor of the commercial idea and never lets an opportunity pass to boost either in his home city or any where else.

WELL KNOWN RAILROAD MAN—E. S. Greenhalgh, a former well known resident of Crookston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Greenhalgh for a few days. He was enroute back west where he was located and stopped off for a few days to see the home folks and greet old freinds. Engineer Jack Greenhalgh is also here from Grand Forks for a few days.

PROMINENT FARMER—J. B. Retzner one of the well known farmers on Rural Route No .5 out of Crookston is spending the day here attending to business and decided that a farmer should use printed stationery the same as any other business man and accordingly orderedly a supply from the Journal. It would look just as business-like for a farmer to use as the merchant whom he supports by his patronage.

Today a deal was closed by Mr. and Mrs. A. St. Marie for the lease of the Vendome hotel for one year ,the transfer to take place Monday next. Mr. Brule will leave soon for an extended trip south and west in the hope of benefitting his asthma. His family will remain here at the home of his father.

Mrs. St. Marie is a sister of Mr. Brule and with her husband has resided at the Vendome ever since it was opened and the details of the hotel business are thoroly understood by both of them and there is absolutely no question but they will be as successful as Mr. Brule has been in the past, the hotel having a splendid patronage.

Those delicious lemon pies

The kind that "make your mouth water" are easily made with no fussing and at the least possible expense if you use "OUR-PIE" Preparation. It is put up in air-tight packages and contains the right proportions of the choicest ingredients. Every package inspected and guaranteed under the Pure Food Laws. Don't hesitate. Try it to-day and then tell your friends. At grocers. 10 cents.

Mail Carriers' Merit System

Even civil service reform is not perfect, as we know from the improvements the government is making in the rules for promotion letter carriers There is always a chance to make it a little better. The postoffice department is going to have a black book in which it will record various delinquencies of the carriers, according to a graduated scale of enormity, and base advancement upon the results. So far, so good. A merit system is a sham, unless the officers in charge may be required to give good reasons for their decisions. Otherwise it becomes merely an excuse for unjust preferencies and discriminations. The great body of men who are placed under such a rule must be protected by strictly defining the powers and duties of those over them.

Yet the system of demerits, adopted by the postoffice department might be improved by adding thereto a system of merits or credits for better than merely passable work. If carrier is to be disciplined for small delinquencies, why should not he be rewarded for unusual excellence of work? In that view of the case, the following schedule of credits, merely as examples, is submitted to the proper authorities:

For making a second call, rather than leaving a letter in an insecure place one credit.

For returning a courteous answer to a foolish question, five credits.

For completing a route ahead of time, ten credits for each such day.

Any postmaster can suggest other works of supererogation worthy of reward.—S. Paul Dispatch.

Sauke Centre Herald: If you heave a rock into a bunch of dogs and one of them turns tail and scurries away yelping like mad, it's a safe bet that one was hit. What's the matter with applying the same reasoning to the outcry raised by congress—especially by our dear Jimmie Tawney—relative to the president's message on the secret service?

He who lives only in future joys will know many present pains.

There's nothing ever coming to the public from anybody, and it gets it.

NATURAL GAS DISCOVERED GREAT EXCITEMENT

Located Just Across Line In North Dakota West Of Eldred, Polk Co.

Great excitement has been caused by the discovery of gas on the farm of Rudolph Anderson three miles west of Reynolds, N. D., which is located just across the Red River from Eldred, Polk Co.

It was struck 60 feet down by artesian well diggers and when lighted could be seen a distance of three miles and the roaring could be heard a mile. The well was discovered late yesterday afternoon and the whole community is greatly aroused.

Other farmers both on the Dakota and Minnesota side of the river will at once begin prospecting as the discovery means wonderful things for that section.

LEGAL NOTICES

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $190.06, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Rose Dupuis and Alexander Dupuis her husband, mortgagors, to James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien copartners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., dated January 8th, 1908, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Polk, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1908 at 10:15 o'clock A. M., in Book 153 of Mortgages on Page 3, and said James E. O'Brien and John W. O'Brien, co-partners as J. E. O'Brien & Co., are still the owners and holders of said mortgage and the debt secured thereby; and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof: Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Commencing at the southwesterly corner of Lot One, in Block Forty-three in the Original Townsite of Crookston, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County, thence running northerly on the west boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet, thence easterly on a line parallel with the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet, thence southerly on a line parallel with the westerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 150 feet to the southerly boundary line of said Lot One, thence westerly along the southerly boundary line of said Lot One a distance of 80 feet to the place of beginning, situated in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota. Which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Polk County at the front door of the court house in the City of Crookston, in said County and State, on the 8th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $190.06 and interest and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 22nd, 1908.

—James E. O'Brien and
John W. O'Brien, Co-partners
as J. E. O'Brien & Co.,
Mortgagee.

Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minn.
(Dec. 24-31 Jan 7-14-21-28)

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Lillie Patterson and R. H. Patterson, her husband, mortgagors, to L. D. Foskett, mortgagee, dated March 5, 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Polk County, Minnesota, on April 14, 1908 at 3:10 o'clock P. M. in book 152 of mortgages on page 202 thereof; that the mortgagors herein have failed to pay $34.17 due October 1, 1908, said sum being due under a certain mortgage executed by the parties named as mortgagors herein and in favor of said L. D. Foskett and by him assigned, which mortgage is a prior lien upon the land hereinafter described, said sum being represented by a certain coupon note bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum after maturity and that there is now due the said L. D. Foskett thereon, under and by virtue of the terms of the mortgage first referred to, the sum of $34.65, he having paid said sum to the holder of said prior mortgage; that said mortgage provided for a reasonable attorney's fee to be paid by said mortgagors upon the foreclosure of the mortgage herein described, and the sum of $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for such foreclosure; that in addition to the sum of $34.65 paid by L. D. Foskett on said coupon note and the sum of $25.00 for attorney's fees, there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of $82.35; making a total due of the sum of $117.00 at this date together with the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees; that by virtue of said default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured thereby, or any part thereof; that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are the northwest fractional quarter of section number 5 in township number 148 north of range number 45 west of the 5th principal meridian, situate in the county of Polk, State of Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Polk County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Crookston, in said County and State, on February 20, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including amount of said coupon note and $25.00 attorney's fees, and the costs of such sale.

Dated January 7, 1909.

—L. D. Foskett,
Mortgagee.

Henry A. Johnson
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Opera Block, Crookston, Minn.
(Jan 14-21-28-Feb-4-11-18)

Opposed to Board of Trade

Prof. Alfred G. Arvold of the North Dakota Agricultural college delivered an address before the Tri-State Grain Grower's Association Tuesday in which he denounced the board of trade, and wheat gambling in general as the greatest of American evils and called for legislation for its abolition On the same day, Representative Sawyer of Minneapolis introduced a resolution in the Minnesota House in which he proposed to extend thanks of the state of Minnesota to J. A. Patten, the leading bull in the Chicago wheat pit, for keeping up the price of wheat, and thus distributing millions among the farmers of the northwest. The resolution was laird over by the legislature. The question whether speculation in wheat has a tendency to raise or lower prices is one in regard to which there is quite a difference of opinion.—Fergus Falls Journal.

Monticello Times: Congressman Tawney has put President Roosevelt in a class of liars all by himself.

Medical Inspection in Schools

The general understanding is that the Minneapolis school board decided to withhold experimenting with medical inspection the coming year. As a result the board is being subjected to criticism by some of the interests that are pushing for such inspection.

The fact is, the school board has not taken such decisive action. The four new members were unacquainted with the subject hence referred it back to the committee for study. That is all the action meant.

The Journal likes the ways of the new school board. Its members should not be hurried into action, when the very thing the public most needs is intelligent conduct of business. It will be time to bring public agitation to bear when final action calls for it. In the meantime the board is justified in delaying a reasonable time, in order that the new members may investigate and understand the medical inspection proposition. — Minneapolis Journal.

WOULD REOPEN LAND CASE

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT TO GIVE RICHARDSON ANOTHER HEARING

CASE NI WHICH CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON IS INTERESTED TO BE REOPENED

From Monday's Daily—

It is indicated at the interior department that C. E. Richardson attorney for the White Earth Indians will be given a hearing before the law officers of the interior department some time this week on his application for a re-opening of the swamp land case filed with Secretary Garfield Saturday

It was stated at the department that there was some doubt as to just what was to be accomplished by giving this hearing, inasmuch as the attorney general had once given an opinion relative to the ownership of the lands in controversy at the time of the passage of the swamp land grant in 1860, and presumably he was cognizant of and took account of the treaty of 1855, when he decided that the lands were not in Indian ownership in 1860.

It is probable the secretary will not delay his decision on this latest application on behalf of the Indians, as he indicated on Thursday that he was anxious to close up the state's land account.

REPORT OF GOOD ROADS COMMITTEE

The Good Roads Committee of the Twenty-Five Thousand Club, respectfully makes the following report for the year 1908.

The Committee was authorized by the club to take steps toward the construction and completion of a road from this city to Maple Lake. At the subsequent meeting of the Board of Directors of the club, the committee was authorized to abandon the Maple Lake road for the present for the reason that the old grade of the Great Northern Railway across the Benoit Flats could not be obtained upon reasonable terms. The consequence was that the committee diverted its entire attention to the development of the road to Dorothy.

It was the intention of the committee to expend some money in the vicinity of Crockston for split log drags and certain members of the committee and of the club took charge of certain roads leading from the city and some work was done upon each road with the split log drags. However, the season was so favorable for good roads that very little work was necessary, and the scheme was to a large extent abandoned; but the road to Dorothy has been completed.

The Town of Parnell was given a lease of the right-of-way of the old Great Northern grade, and this committee furnished culverts to that town to replace the culverts which had been taken out of the grade by the railroad company. In doing so the Town found it convenient to fill in about one-half of the old culverts entirely and to put the metal culverts, furnished by us, into the other one-half. Between the Town of Parnell and Dorothy postoffice it was not practical to obtain the right of way from the railroad company because certain farmers there have certain portions of it fenced in, and have negotiated with the railroad company for the right-of-way. We found it necessary to run a grade from the east town line of Parnell to the graded road which runs into Dorothy. This grading cost us $40 and in our judgment was much cheaper than it would have been to fill up the open places in the railroad grade east of that point, as the grade was high there and there were some very long gaps. We found it necessary to expend some money for smoothing the grade thru the Town of Parnell. That Town had done considerable smoothing but not sufficient to make the road practical to travel over. It will be necessary to do some more work in the spring.

The total amount of money raised by subscriptions was $206.00. Of this your committee has expended $158.80 leaving a balance on hand of $47.20. There was a considerable amount of money subscribed which we found it unnecessary to collect in order to pay the expenses.

We attach a copy of the account to this report and our check for the balance of the money in our hands.

Respectfully submitted,
—Good Roads Committee,
By Charles Loring,
Chairman.

Good Roads Account

Year 1908—	
June 29, Deposited in First National Bank	$ 50.00
July 6, Deposited in First National Bank	25.00
July 18, Deposited in First National Bank	10.00
Sept. 3, Deposited in First National Bank	50.00
Dec. 4, Deposited in First National Bank	25.00
	$ 206.00
July 20, To chk. to P. Gramer for culverts	$ 76.80
Sept. 3, To chk. to Bjoin & Carlson, livery	17.00
Oct. 28, To chk for work on Dorothy road	40.00
Dec. 3, To chk for livery	5.00
Dec. 3, To chk for work on Dorothy road	20.00
	$ 158.80
	$ 206.00
	$ 158.80
Balance on deposit	$ 47.20

There are two culverts in our hands still unused.

PRAISE FOR TANNERY

HENRY O'NEIL CALLS ATTENTION TO A GREAT LOCAL INSTITUTION

CROOKSTON TANNERY DOING BETTER WORK THAN CAN BE SECURED ELSEWHERE

From Monday's Daily—

Henry O'Neill, the well known farmer residing east of the city on R. F. D. No. 2 made a statement to the Journal this morning that is of general interest. It appears that a short time ago he brought a hide to the Crookston tannery and had it tanned and lined for a robe. The work cost him the sum of $9 and a livery man on seeing the robe accidentally offered him $35 for it. In discussing the matter Mr. O'Neill said: "Crookston has one substantial industry which is not half appreciated. The people do not seem to know of it as they should. I have seen work done, and had it done by three other tanneries and the Crookston tannery has them 'skinned a mile.' There may have been a time in the early days when hides tanned in Crookston were a trifle stiff and did not mbake a satisfactory robe.

"Now it is different. Skins come out as soft as a rag and are good for all purposes. I have just found out that they have reached a standard of excellence that has not been reached by the Minneapolis and St. Paul tanneries as yet."

Mr. O'Neill made a most excellent suggestion. Here is an institution doing better work than can be secured from outside places. He has demonstrated it himself. It is such business enterprises that should be given every encouragement in Crookston. The business men should stand behind it as a business institution that will mean additional business for Crookston as the years go by and its growth means more employes located in this city.

It is vastly better to foster the industries we have than to go after new ones when those we have are neglected.

The plant of Aug. Miller & Son is without doubt entitled to much more patronage than it has received but we cannot help but state that perhaps a little more judicious use of printer's ink might have aided the growth of the institution considerably. While there is no malice of any sort, otherwise we would not have printed such an article as the above, the fact remains that publicity regarding such an institution is its only means of growth, and the newspaper is the only means of such publicity.

The Journal wants to see the Crookston Tannery and every other local institution grow ,and we believe that people who do not patronize products of the Crookston factories are not entitled to patronage of Crookston people. If this idea was carried out there would be something doing in many business institutions in the very near future.

Two Doors.

Here is a door that opens on
A chamber darkened, full of gloom,
A ghostly light shines in upon
The dwellers in this spacious room.
Here Fear and Trouble pace about;
Anxiety and Woe and Grief;
Foreboding, Weariness and Doubt,
And Worry that escapes relief.
This door I call "Forgetfulness"—
In letters deep the word is cut—
And though the dwellers madly press,
I kept it ever tightly shut.

This other door "Remembrance" is.
It opens on a cheerful scene—
Past joys, and little tastes of bliss,
And happy moments that have been.
Dear Peace and sweet Content are here
And little deeds of kindness done;
And Hope, and Love, and Faith, and Cheer,
And blessings that my life hath won.
This door is open all the while,
Flung wide that everyone may share
Possessions that make life a smile,
And put to rout all thoughts of care.

—John Kendrick Bangs in Ainslee's.

SUICIDE'S SISTER LIVED IN FARGO

MISS OLLIE LAW ATTENDED BUSINESS COLLEGE HERE LAST FALL

LEFT SUDDENLY AND IT WAS FEARED THAT SHE WAS THE VICTIM

From Monday's Daily—

When Prof. F. L. Watkins read the account of the suicide of Miss Alice Law at 5427 Indiana avenue, Chicago in yesterday morning's Call, he was of the opinion that she was a member of his household last fall while in attendance at the Dakota Business college. An investigation was started at once and a telegram was sent to her mother at Wilton.

Last fall Miss Ollie Law of Wilton N. D., was a student at the D. B. C. and worked for her board at the Watkins' home. Suddenly she left making up her mind one day that she did not care to become a stenographer and packing her trunk she left the city with but a few hours' notice, telling no one where she went. It was feared that she had gone to Chicago and becoming stranded, committed suicide and there was a mistake in the first name—but such, however ,was not the case.

The victim of the windy city suicide was a sister of the Miss Law who spent several months in this city. Altho the girl was the daughter of a Chippewa chieftain the Indian blood could not be noticed by the average person.

No word could be received from the mother of the girls who is supposed to reside at Wilton.—Fargo Call.

GOOD NEWS

Many Crookston Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

'Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Crookston are glad to learn that prompt relief is witin their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

Joseph Gundlach, cigar maker, living at 319 Broadway, N. Crookston, Minn., says: "I endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a sure cure for kidney trouble. For a considerable time I suffered from pains in my back and through the loins. To this was added a weakness of the kidneys. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and resolved to try them, getting a box at Wallace's drug store. They proved to be just what my case needed and soon the backache was eradicated and the kidney secretions were regular and normal. I advise any sufferer from these troubles to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

The Sea-Shell

Where the old shores were purple a glossy sea-shell lying
Upon the pale sands listened to the rune of long gray seas,
And far from its birth-billows now forevermore 'tis sighing.
And dreamlike crooning to itself those vagrant melodies.

List here—the harp-notes of the wind in morning skies of amber,
And now the boom of breakers on some sweep of sundown lea
And now the song the ripples sang in every iris chamber ,
A merry lilt o' moonlight for mermaiden revelry!

Oh, faithful is the heart of it to all dear haunts of ocean,
And evermore we hear in it the magic of their spell,
Nor time nor inland exile can mar its fond devotion
Forever sung unwearied in the singing of the shell!

—L. M. Montgomery.

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers keep a bottle in the house. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

Eyes Only For Her.

Martha—You don't mean to say you have accepted that Mr. Spooner? Why, he is so awkward, you know! I saw him holding an umbrella over you the other day, and all the water it caught he allowed to drain right on to you. Nancy—What better proof could I have that he is in love with me? He hadn't the least idea that it was raining, the dear man!—Boston Transcript.

HONORED BOBBY BURNS

CELEBRATION OF BIRTH OF GREAT SCOT BARD AT MALLORY WAS IMMENSE

CROWD OF 350 SPENT ENTIRE NIGHT IN MOST ENJOYABLE MANNER

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Scotch of Mallory scored the biggest success last evening that they ever did in a grand celebration in honor of the Great Scotch Poet, Robert Burns. There were 350 people present from Mallory and surrounding country, with large delegations from Crookston and Grand Forks. The society is now confronted with deciding one of two questions, shall the celebration last two days hereafter, or, shall a more commodious hall be erected before the annual next year?

There must be one of the two things done.

One of the features of the entertainment last evening was the music by Finley's orchestra of Grand Forks. Wm. Finley's imitations of the bagpipe on the violin aroused the greatest enthusiasm and he was given three cheers and a vote of thanks.

In addition to the program and banquet, there was plenty of dancing in which Scotch reels Highland flings and other Scotch dances, and some of the old timers certainly did the steps in a manner to show that there is no such thing as an age limit on the part of the "Cany Scot" who resides in the Red River Valley .

The supper was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowen, as has been their custom for years and haggis, oat meal cakes, Scotch Scones, Finnin, Haddie and scores of other Scotch delicacies were served in addition to turkey and everything else that could be imagined. A wireless message also stated that there were both "big and wee Donal's" available to those who were initiated. The banquet tables were beautifully decorated with a profusion of carnations.

There was something doing all the time, not a dull moment intervening from the time the festivities commenced till the trains pulled out for Crookston and Grand Forks this morning. Thomas R. Johnstone and the balance of the large delegation from Crookston report the affair the most successful of the kind ever pulled off in Mallory and all are loud in their praises of the hospitality of the people of Mallory and vicinity.

The delegation from this city which returned this morning included Thomas R. Johnstone and Tommy Jr., Mesdames A. P. Kirsch and John Harper, Misses Margaret Crawford, Margaret Swanson, Ada Moeckel and Birdie Stuhl and Mr. Don McDonald. Following is the program rendered, and every number was thoroly enjoyed, all responding to encores some several times.

Program

Address of Welcome by President D. B. Ferguson, Mallory.

Response Thomas R. Johnstone, Crookston.

Scotch selections by the Finley orchestra of Grand Forks.

Address, Robert Burns, by E. E. Healey, Grand Forks.

Address to the Haggis, by James Cummings, Mallory.

Violin Scotch airs by Wm. Finley.

Address, The Poet and Scotchmen at Home and Abroad, Thomas R Johnstone.

Recitation, Miss Anna Samuels, of Grand Forks.

Scotch song, The Reason Noo I Wear A Kilt, by Tommy Johnstone Jr., Crookston.

Song, Will Ye No Come Back Again Miss May Nisbet, Mallory.

Recitation, Miss Alice Dinnie, Grand Forks.

Song, David Morrow, Mallory.

Recitation, Miss Alice Dinnie, Grand Forks.

Scotch song, Harry Hannah, Mallory.

Violin Solo, Nannie Will You Gang Wi Me, Wm. Finley.

Strong Monosyllables.

Instructors in the art of literary composition usually condemn a string of monosyllables, but in the well known hymn "Lead, Kindly Light," written by a master of the English language, you may count thirty consecutive words of one syllable only. They offend neither the eye nor the ear.

Milton often uses a series of monosyllables. In the second book of "Paradise Lost" we have:

The fiend
O'er bog or steep, through strait, rough, dense or rare,
With head, hands, wings or feet pursues his way
And swims or sinks or wades or creeps or flies.

Such lines are not uncommon in the book:

Rocks, caves, lakes, fens, bogs, dens and shades of death.

And again:

Of neither sea nor shore nor air nor fire.

—London Notes and Queries.

MRS. FRAZIER IN LIMELIGHT

IS CHARGED WITH MISTREATING MRS. DALY AN INSANE PERSON

SENSATION CREATED YESTERDAY BY SHERIFF DANIELS IN E. G. FORKS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The arrest by Sheriff Daniels of Mrs. Caroline Frazier and her two daughters Sarah and Lucile the former on a charge of mistreating an insane person and two girls for being incorrigibly vicious created considerable of a sensation in East Grand Forks yesterday afternoon. The insane woman whom Mr. Frazier is alleged to have ill-treated is Mrs. C. C. Daly who was taken from E. G .Forks last week, adjudged insane by the county board on Friday and is now in the asylum at Fergus Falls. The story of the case is a revolting one if true and the state claims to have good evidence to establish their contention.

For some seven or eight years in fact ever since Daly has lived in Grand Forks, Mrs. Frazier has lived with him as housekeeper. During this time Mrs. Daly has been mentally diseased with fits of melancholia and has steadily grown worse. Under these conditions the Frazier woman is supposed to have taken her place in the home. Whether any charge will be preferred against Daly was not stated yesterday.

The condition of the insane woman under these circumstances was pitiful She became more or less of a burden and according to some people was kept confined, shut away from the sunlight and the fresh air, the only things she could enjoy in her mental state, for the greater part of these years. Together with this it is claimed that she was insufficiently clothed and that nourishment was given her only when it seemed necessary. When found the woman was in a pitiable condition and the evidence introduced in the hearing before the insanity board in Crookston was deemed sufficient to hold the Frazier woman responsible on serious charges.

When arraigned in the municipal court yesterday. Mrs. Frazier pleaded not guilty and her hearing was set for tomorrow at 2 o'clock.

The charge of being incorrigibly vicious brought against the two girls Sarah and Lucile aged 12 and 14 years respectively, will be supported by plenty of evidence. That these moral degenerates should be sent to training school is admitted by all. They will not go to school nor do respectable people wish them to be in school with their children. It is true that most of their escapades have been in Grand Forks but their home is in E. G. Forks and Polk county has decided to act.

Left to their own ways there is but one end for these girls but confined in a training school they will at least be kept from contaminating other children. Their hearing was also set for tomorrow afternoon.

There is no case on record of a cough cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else. Sold by all druggists.

"Mr. Snug," said the doctor gravely, "I am afraid your wife's mind is gone."

"I am not surprised at that," replied Mr. S. "She's been giving me a piece of it every day for the last fifteen years, and it wasn't much to start on, either.

DEATH COMES TO REV. SJOBLOM

RETIRED HEAD OF AUGUSTANA CONFERENCE SUCCUMBS AT HIS DAUGHTER'S

HOME IN MINNEAPOLIS SUNDAY —MANY FRIENDS IN CROOKSTON GRIEVE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Nearly 75 years old and for almost a quarter of a century president of the Minnesota conference of Augustana Synod the Rev. P. Sjoblom, one of the oldest Swedish Lutheran clergymen in the country died early yesterday morning at the home of his daughter Mrs. Ida S. Dearborn, 2221 Portland Avenue, Minneapolis and deep regret is felt by many friends in Crookston. Heart disease was the immediate cause of death.

Dr. Sjoblom was born and educated in Sweden. He came to America in 1866, and after three years in Indiana, came to Minnesota. There were then in the state ten Lutheran ministers fifteen congregations and church property worth $10,000. When he became the head of the synod its field embraced Minnesota, the Dakotas, North Wisconsin, Oregon Utah and California. When he resigned his active leadership there were 150 ministers ,350 congregations, a college, two academies, an orphans' home, a hospital, property worth $1,500,000 and a membership of 80,000. He retired six years ago.

WARROAD HAVING A BIG BOOM

C. A. MOODY SAYS NEW EXTENSION IS MAKING THINGS HUM UP THAT WAY

C. A. Moody the prominent resident of Warroad where he has been located for years, accompanied by his son, L. B. Moody passed thru the city yesterday enroute to Warroad after a business and pleasure trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis. Mr. Moody states that since the completion of the railway connections with Crookston via Roseau that a boom has started in that section of the state which is greater than anything ever seen there. A vast amount of property is changing hands, not as the result of speculation but that the purchasers are persons who want city property for their personal use, and that farm lands are in great demand by actual home seekers who are buying small tracts upon which they will locate in the spring.

He believes the future was never so bright for that part of the state, and looks for a great influx of settlers to all parts of Northern Minnesota the coming spring.

INVESTIGATING THE GAS FLOW

Professors from the University of North Dakota and the N. D. School of Agriculture are today investigating the gas flow near Reynolds, N. D. just across the river from Eldred, Polk Co., and as far as learned the reports are most encouraging in every way for a permanent supply. Within a few days a full report on the subject will be made.

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stops the cough and heals lungs

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EMERSON HAS TERRIFIC FIRE

BLOCK IN MANITOBA TOWN IS WIPED OUT WITH A LOSS OF $100,000

BIGGEST BLOCK IN MANITOBA IS GUTED — BUILT IN BOOM DAYS

From Monday's Daily—

The worst fire that has ever occurred in Emerson occurred last Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock and completely destroyed $100,000 worth of property. The fire started in the extreme north end of the Alexandria block in a store formerly occupied by Bell & Co., and at present rented to Pereles Bros., who have been conducting a bankrupt stock sale.

Amongst the heaviest losers are Pereles Bros., stock in hand, covered by $8,000 insurance; Good Bros, restaurant loss $2,000 insurance $2,100, postoffice and C. P. commercial office, loss $1,000, insurance $500; Emerson Journal office, loss $1800, insurance $500; Caselman's drug store, loss $8-000, insurance $4,000; Manitoba government telephone office, loss $1,000 insurance unknown; W. J. Scarff, loss $2,000, small insurance.

Occupied as Flats

The two stories of the block were used as residential flats and offices and among the losers are: W. J. McClelland, $800, insurance $400; W. B. Fairburn, partial loss $500, no insurance; F. Stock loss $600, no insurance Mrs. Good, loss $600 small insurance; W J. Cherry, loss $100 no insurance; Mrs. Sitlington loss $400, no insurance D. Forrester loss $500 small insurance Principal Crearer loss $200 no insurance; W. J. Nichol, loss $200 no insurance.

Besides the numerous small losses an Emerson syndicate owners of the block, lose two-thirds of an $80,000 building covered by $20,000 insurance.

Incendiarism Suspected

There is suspicion of incendiarism and it is likely an investigation will be held. The occupants of the store at the time of the fire state that the stove was knocked over, causing the blaze. In 20 minutes after the fire commenced, the entire end of the large block was in flames and with the assistance of a strong northwest wind it looked as if the whole business portion of the town was doomed.

CLEMENTSON IN PITIABLE SHAPE

MINNESOTA MAN WILL LOSE HANDS AND FEET AS RESULT OF SPREE

Anton Clementson, a resident of Eglon township in Clay county who was so badly frozen a while ago will go thru the rest of his life minus his hands and feet as the result of an operation performed at a local hospital recently. It will be remembered that Clementson was badly frozen a few weeks ago while on his way home from Winnipeg Junction, which place he left in an intoxicated condition.

A COMMON ERROR

The Same Mistake is Made by Many Crookston People

It's a common error.

To plaster the aching back,

To rub with liniments rheumatic joints.

When the trouble comes from the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills,

And are endorsed by Crookston citizens .

A. A. Olds, painter, 339 Ash St., Crookston, Minn., says: "The statement I gave in 1898 recommending Doan's Kidney Pills was true in every particular and I gladly confirm it now. I suffered continually from backache and other symptoms of disordered kidneys but Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Wallace's Pharmacy relieved me when everything else failed. they removed the difficulty and in spite of the fact that my occupation causes more or less strain on my back, I have had very little kidney trouble since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

If spectators had all the best seats in a church to sell on the sidewalk men would be just crazy to go.

N. C. HANSON TALKS ON CORN

Historical Society

LAST YEAR HE HAD CORN FULLY RIPENED [illegible] WEEKS BEFORE FROST CAME

SAYS CORN SHOULD BE PLANTED FIRST TIME WHIPPOORWILL SINGS

From T[illegible]ay's Daily—

N. C. Hanson, the well known farmer residing west of the city and on the south side of the river is very much interested in the campaign the Journal started at the suggestion of Capt. M. R. Brown to induce the farmers of this section to exchange ideas as to the methods they pursued to raise corn successfully.

Farmers Interested

Henry O'Neill residing east of the city was the first farmer to respond with a very able article on the methods he has followed in raising prize corn and experiencing no trouble in ripening it.

This article has been widely commented on and many farmers have called at the Journal office to get copies of the paper to preserve for future reference.

Preserve the Articles

In this connection a very good suggestion was made by Capt. Brown to the effect that farmers should get a scrap book and paste in it every article regarding corn raising and the future articles that will be published on bean and pea raising, potatoes and vegetables as well as grain. Such a book would be invaluable for future reference as the communications or interviews will be from practical farmers who will discuss their experiences.

Six Weeks Before Frost

Mr. Hanson brought to the Journal office an ear of corn which would make the Iowa or Illinois farmer sit up and take notice. The kernels are plump, the ear long and filled to the very tip. This corn ripened six weeks before a frost was experienced.

Mr. Hanson does not know what variety it is. He found an ear of it in the garret of his farm house 8 years after he had purchased the place, and the corn may have been older than that.

He planted it side by side of some extra early sweet corn which he secured from the south but this corn was ready to eat two weeks ahead of the sweet corn. He will sow all he has next spring but will then have some for sale as seed.

Rich Land Necessary

Mr. Hanson says this corn was raised on very heavy, rich land. He believes that richness of soil is more necessary than sandy soil, as there is no sand where this corn was raised. However he believes that soil that is not so heavy can be vastly improved for corn by heavy manuring, in fact he says any land will be improved for corn by manuring.

Time for Seeding

He states that no date can be set for corn planting. He has a peculiar rule which he follows. He never sows corn till he hears the first whippoorwill sing. Then he says he is never afraid to plant it and has no fear of damage by frost.

Hailstones That Kill Cattle.

"Hailstones as big as baseballs—hailstones that kill cattle!"

"Rubbish!"

"It is the truth," declared the weather man. "These hailstones fall in the neighborhood of the Sierra Tapalgiren, near Buenos Aires. Darwin himself is my witness. Darwin testifies for me in his splendid book, 'The Voyage of the Beagle.'

"The great scientist saw what I saw, hailstones the size of oranges, crashing and smashing with a noise like a railroad collision. After the storm he came upon thirteen dead deer and fifteen dead ostriches. His companions saw several ostriches blinded in one eye and another ostrich running furiously in crazy circles, blinded in both eyes, by those terrible stones.

"What I saw was a herd of forty cattle, all lying dead. About them the grass was gray and white with slain birds—ducks, hawks, partridges."

Like the Bee.

"I, sir," said Mr. Dustin Stax, "am like the busy bee. I have industriously stored the good things of life."

"Yes. And anybody who tried to stop you was very likely to get stung."—Washington Star.

Force of Habit.

Captain of Signalers—G—G—G, what the deuce does the fellow mean? There's no word with three G's running. Corporal—Beg pardon, sir, but Signaler Higgins he stutters!—London Punch.

HOME FROM OLD MEXICO

MR. AND MRS. W. R. LOWE AND ARTHUR FOURNET RETURN FROM TAMPICO

ALL HIGHLY PLEASED WITH THE SUNNY SOUTH—SAW MANY CROOKSTON PEOPLE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lowe and Arthur Fournet arrived home yesterday afternoon on the Northern Pacific from an extended trip to Tempico, Mexico, where Walsh and Low are interested in selling lands, and all report a most delightful trip .

Many Views

Mr. Fournet had his camera along and took nearly 200 views and is very enthusiastic regarding the tropical scenery, the orange groves being loaded, sweet corn in season all the year round and ideal weather. Eudor Brosseau who accompanied the Walsh party may remain there permanently.

Mr. Low Enthusiastic

Mr. Low is very enthusiastic over the proposition. He stated that the party of 12 which Mr. Walsh took down from Minnesota were all eager to buy and thought the country great. Mr. Welch decided to remain till his ticket expired and Mr. Low will return with another party of buyers in a few weeks.

Mrs. Fournet Improved

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Fournet and Miss Mamie are still at Tampico and will remain the balance of the winter. Mrs. Fournet whose health had been very poor is getting strong and robust She walks several miles every day and her rheumatism is not bothering her at all.

Sam Wallace Takes Tumble

Sam Wallace is having the time of his life. He and Mr. Low took a horseback ride a few days ago and Mr. Wallace's horse stepped into a hole. Mr. Wallace alighted — none too gracefully—but no bones were broken. He insisted that he had simply dismounted—and no one who saw him denied that he was certainly dismounted.

Capt. Keller Prospering

A portion of the Crookston delegation took a side trip to Aquescationtes 450 miles from Tampico, where Capt. H. L. Keller formerly of this city is now located, holding a responsible official position with the Mexican Central Railroad. He has a large office building to himself and is prospering in every way. Mrs. Keller and the children are also in good health and happy.

Saw Bull Fights

The Fournets and several others went to the City of Mexico a short time ago and witnessed a real bull fight in which 9 bulls and 17 horses were killed. Other smaller fights were witnessed in the vicinity of Tampico and Mr. Low reports that the Mexicans simply go wild over the sport.

A. A. OLDS ONLY SISTER IS DEAD

FAMILY ONE OF THE LEADING ONES IN HUDSON WISCONSIN

Alfred A. Olds of this city just received a Hudson, Wis., paper giving an account of the death of his sister, Mrs. Charlotte C. Jones of that place death having occurred on Tuesday, one week ago. Mr. Olds was notified by wire but has been ill for some time and could not attend the funeral. The paper states that deceased with her family was one of the pioneer residents of that city and county, and were foremost among those who were interested in the progress and development made.

Deceased was born in Middletown Pa., July 28, 1829 and was united in marriage to George R. Jones at Delphi, Ind., on August 18, 1845.

Preston R. Jones is the only surviving son and resides at Hudson.

The only brothers are Alfred A. Olds of this city and his twin brother, Albert K. Olds of Hudson.

An Appeal For Mercy.

"Judge," said the prisoner, "I suppose you're going to soak me."

"You are a habitual offender," replied the judge; "were caught with the stolen goods, and the court will have to do its painful duty."

"I don't want to seem unreasonable," replied the prisoner. "I don't mind a long sentence. I'm used to it. But say, judge, cut out the lecture that usually goes with it, won't you."—Philadelphia Ledger.

SPECIAL COURT TERM IS ON

A. PATTEWAY, COLORED, BEING TRIED ON CHARGE OF STEALING CLOTHING

FROM THE GUARANTEE CLOTHING STORE—THEFT COMMITTED IN APRIL

AND THE GOODS LOCATED IN JULY—THREE OTHER CRIMINAL CASES.

From Tuesday's Daily—

A special term of the district court convened this morning for the trial of several criminal cases, chief of which is that of A. Patteway who has already been convicted of robbing the Merchants National Bank of cash while acting as porter but that case having been appealed to the Supreme Court the state decided to try him on another charge, also, that of robbing the Guarantee Clothing Store of a considerable amount of goods which were found in his possession. F. L. McGhee of St. Paul and W. E. Rowe are defending and E. O. Hagen county attorney prosecuting.

The Guarantee store was robbed of the clothing and other goods last April and the goods were found in Patteway's possession in July.

The jury was secured at noon today and this afternoon the county attorney outlined the case of the state and the witnesses were then called, including M. Rosenberg, Capt. Vonderbeck, Chief Eck and others in connection with the finding and identification of the clothing.

There are three other criminal cases for minor offenses to be tried, one against Sam Anderson and Landry charged with a holdup and one against Westry for a minor offense.

It will be remembered that Patteway was found guilty of the larceny of funds from the Merchants' National Bank after one of the longest and in some respects most sensational trials that has ever been held in Polk county. Since his attorneys have taken an appeal to the supreme court of the state. While this appeal is pending the state authorities believed it might be advisable to take up the second indictment, consequently things will be doing in the district court tomorrow morning.

The sheriff's office has summoned a special venire of eighteen residents and they reported at the court house this morning. Following are the names of the venire: P. S. Hughes, August Schuler, Joseph White, William Lytle, John Wyand, John Monroe, H. J. Castle, Carl Woodstrom, A. J. Rosberg, August Koeppe, William Heidrich, J. J. Andrist, all of Crookston; Christ. Houston, Walter Latta, J. J. Herberg, Napoleon Montague, of town of Fairfax; John Amundson, of town of Andover.

H. D. COOPER BURIED MOTHER

WAS CALLED FROM TEXAS FOR SAD MISSION AT GRAND FORKS

H. D. Cooper returned last evening from Grand Forks where at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the family residence the funeral of his mother, Mrs. G. H. Cooper was held, she having passed peacefully away last Friday after a prolonged illness.

H. D. Cooper who left here some time ago to start another business at McKinney, Texas, was called to the bedside of his mother by a telegram, reaching Grand Forks a week ago Sundays and was with her for five days before the end came.

The Cooper family is one of the pioneer families of this section. They arrived in Crookston in the spring of 1879 before the railroad was completed to Grand Forks and drove to that place from here by stage. They settled on a farm a few miles west of the Forks and remained there till five years ago when they moved to Grand Forks, residing at 504 Belmont Ave., ever since, the funeral occuring from there by request of the departed, tho she had for years been a faithful member of the Presbyterian church. Deceased leaves a husband, one son, H. D Cooper and two daughters, Miss Lotta A. Cooper, teacher in the Belmone school at Grand Forks and Mrs. M. L. Dryburg of Medford, N. D.

H. D. Cooper will leave here for McKinney, Texas, in a couple of days.

Like money, people borrow courtesy and seldom pay it back.

PROPOGATE MORE GAME

POLK CO. GAME AND FISH PROTECTIVE ASSN. TO HOLD ANNUAL MEET

WILL BUY QUAIL FOR POLK CO. AND GET MORE PHEASANT EGGS

W. M. FERGUSON MAKES FINE OFFER FOR PHEASANT PROPOGATION

From Tuesday's Daily—

The annual meeting of the Polk County Game and Fish Protective Association was held in the City Council chambers last evening and was largely attended. The association now has 130 members and is the strongest organization of the kind in the Red River Valley, all backing the work of the game wardens to a man, and in addition lending personal assistance to aid in the enforcement of the game laws.

Last year the association purchased 500 Ring Necked Pheasant eggs and the result was fairly satisfactory, tho some errors in handling the young birds the coming year will be avoided as it has practically been decided to have all the eggs placed with one experienced man who will hatch the eggs under hens to be provided and raise the birds till they are old enough for distribution and then scattered about the county. W. M. Ferguson, the representative of the Peters Cartridge company has offered the use of his farm at Maple Lake and will also furnish the man free of charge.

It was decided to purchase $100 worth of pheasant eggs this spring as soon as they are available. In addition to this the hens hatched last year will all be laying and as they lay from 20 to 40 eggs each there will very soon be quite a sprinkling of pheasants in Polk county.

It was also decided to order $100 worth of live quail from the State Game and Fish Commission to be placed in proper locations about the county. There are a number of ideal locations for their propogation, the Fertile locality and a portion of Louisville township being exceptionally good places for their breeding

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—Martin O'Brien.

Vice President—Judge L. E. Gossman.

Secretary—A. C. Schmidt.

Treasurer—A. G. Anderson.

The same executive committee of five at present serving will continue, consisting of Wylie Phillips, S. H. Withey and the officers.

The general sentiment expressed was to the effect that with the excellent protection being afforded game and fish sports afield would be enjoyed more than ever in the future.

In addition to other work accomplished the past year the Polk County Association had 2,000 pamphlets printed and distributed among the school children of Polk County setting forth the songbirds of this section and urging their protection by the children. This pamphlet also contained other information which would tend to inculcate the protection of all game and the observance of all game laws by the rising generation.

The Crow Indian Fair

On the banks of the Little Big Horn river, out in Montana, the harvest season marks the recurrence each year of the Annual Crow Indian Fair. This Fair is unique in being the only one Indian in management and participation. Worthy of note, too, is the fact that for a pure, wholesome table beverage nothing can equal golden grain belt beer. Keen appetite comes with its use and it removes indigestion. Have it on the home table at all times. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

A Case of Auto Suggestion.

A baker on the upper west side who purchased an auto delivery wagon was surprised to receive the following message from one of his most particular customers: "Please send no more orders to me by your new wagon. The smell of gasoline in the rolls made almost the entire family sick."

The baker sent word to the customer that, as the auto was driven by electricity and no gasoline was used at all, she must have been mistaken and added, "Perhaps the cook had just cleaned her gloves that day."—New York Press.

Mankato Free Press: Prohibition Bill walked right thru the Tennessee legislature notwithstanding the governor's veto.

DISCREDITS GROUND HOG

SAYS MAN IN MOON GIVES EVERY ASSURANCE OF VERY EARLY SPRING

SOME BAD WEATHER MAY BE EXPERIENCED IN APRIL—OTHER COMMENTS

From Tuesday's Daily—

E. A. Mills master carpenter of the Northern Division of the Great Northern dealt a body blow to the historic infallibility of the ground hog as a weather prognosticator when he made the statement that the moon gives every assurance that the coming spring is to be a very early one, exceptionally early.

Saw His Shadow

The groundhog certainly saw his shadow today, except perhaps in N. Dakota where all pigs as well as hogs are blind more or less. It looked for a while early this morning as tho the famous weather indicator would be unable to see his shadow but clouds soon disappeared and a clear sky prevailed most of the day.

Mr. Mills Certain

Mr Mills is certain of his ground and has the advantage in the argument in that the moon is older than any ground hog of which we have any record, and if His Moonship predicts an early spring we are not going to argue the question and are perfectly willing to discredit Mr. Groundhog.

Court's Order

By virtue of said decision an alternative writ of mandamus is hereby asked for compelling the weather clerk to produce the goods or appear and show cause for failure so to do.

Sustained By Mayor McPhee

P. S.—Mayor McPhee who has hit the weather thus far this winter right on the head made the following statement: "With all due respect to the ground hog, we are going to have an early spring. The groundhog may do farther south but he makes some awful blunders. Mr. Mills is hereby officially sustained in his prognostications and the whole official machinery of the city will be started to block any movement to the contrary.

OLE KNUTSON HAS HIS SAY

IS SARCASTIC IN REFERENCE TO PROPOSED GAME LAWS

Mr. Editor:

I see that our legislature proposes to make it unlawful to shoot prairie chickens for a long time to come. I believe that such a measure would be for the welfare of the farmers of this part of the state. The prairie chickens are raised on the farms and by right they should belong to the farmers, but the city chaps start out on the first day of September in automobiles and other rigs that scare the farmers' teams, and keep on shooting the chickens right under the farmers' noses from that time until the season closes; so that if the poor farmer wants to get any chickens he has to hunt them before the city hunters start in or after dark. I think the law should be so that nobody should hunt chickens except those who live in the country on farms and that the farmers should have the right to hunt the chickens at any time he pleases. We also suggest that the farmer have the right to shoot all dogs running on his land, and be given the right to take possession of all automobiles scaring his horses or the rest of his folks. Last summer the writer saw a party of hunters from Crookston in a big yellow geared automobile run down a flock of wild geese and I think automobiles should not be alowed to hunt geese. I hope our Honorable John Saugstad and John Holten in the legislature and farmer Stephens in the Senate do all they can to protect the farmers with the chickens by law.

—Ole Knutson.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." Sold by all druggists.

STEENERSON ASKED TO BIG BANQUET

Will Attend Dinner of the American Scandinavian Society In New York.

Washington, Jan. 29—Representative Steenerson has accepted an invitation to attend the banquet of the American Scandinavian society at New York, Feb. 15. The object for which this society was formed was the exchange of members of the faculty of universities and colleges in Scandinavian countries and the United States and for the promotion of intercourse between the people of the two countries.

Among others who will attend the banquet are Ministers Gude of Norway, Lagerkranz of Sweden and Brune of Denmark. Senator Nelson and Representatives Volstead of Minnesota and Haugen of Iowa were also invited but will not be able to attend owing to the pressure of public business.

OPEN WAR THE GOVERNOR NOW

St. Paul, Jan. 30—The St. Paul Despatch says:

The republican majority in the lower house of the Minnesota legislature has been lined up against Gov. Johnson and his official family.

This attitude was shown today by the passage of the Nolan bill, making the public examiner elective by the people, instead of oppointive by the governor.

The same spirit was again displayed in a resolution calling for the immediate drafting of an employers' liability act, instead of a delay of two years, pending a report by a special commission as advised by the governor.

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The determination of the republican steering committee of the house to make a fight on the measures advocated by Gov. Johnson and to antagonize his administration on every opportunity, was made evident today in three instances.

The house refused to refer the Nolan bill, making the public examiner elective, to the committee on banks and banking as was suggested.

The house then amended the bill to make the examiner's term four years, and passed it by almost a party vote, 78 to 27

A resolution by D. A. Stuart, calling for the immediate framing of an employers' liability bill, instead of the creation of a commission to do that work and report two years hence, was adopted.

A lively discussion on the merits of the bill was provoked when C. L. Sawyer of Minneapolis moved to refer the bill to the committee on banks and banking, which would prevent it from coming up for passage today as scheduled.

The motion was lost by a vote of 74 to 34 several of the republicans voting with the democratic minority.

Sangstad Incident Aired

The bill is a strict party measure but several republicans were opposed to it on the ground that office required a technically trained person, who can better be selected by appointment.

Mr. White said that only in the past few days an instance ocourred which showed how closely the public examiner's office was allied with the administration. He referred to the inability of the special committee to get the examiner's report on the board of control. It had been sent to the governor's office he said, and the governor, being out of town, the committee could not get the report.

John Saugstad, chairman of the committee said that he had not demanded the report of the governor in writing until yesterday.

"But you made several previous oral demands did you not?" asked Representative Lennon.

"I couldn't. The governor was out of town," said Mr. Saugstad.

"Well, anyway, you didn't get it, did you?"

"Not yet," was the reply.

Sawyer's motion being lost, the bill was later passed, as above stated.

These Broke Party Lines

The following republicans voted with the democrats to have the bill referred:

Bendixen, Carlson, Conley, Davies, Duea, Haugland, J. N. Johnson, Lee, Mattson, McGrath, McNeil, Opsahl, Rosenwald ,Stuart and Ware. Three prohibitionists, Lobeck, Noble and Sulerud, also voted with the democrats.

Four democrats, Baldwin, Dorsey, Fitzpatrick and Virtue, voted with the republicans.

On the final passage of the bill the republicans who opposed the bill were Adams, Austin, Davies, Duea, Haugland, Holmberg, J. N. Johnson, Lee, Mattson, McGrath, McNeill, Rosenwald, Sawyer, Ware, C. J. Wright.

The following democrats voted for the bill: Baldwin, Dorsey, Fitzpatrick Herzberg, Phillips, Sahler, Sikorski, Virtue.

Lobeck and Noble, prohibitionists, voted against the bill.

Otherwise there was a strict party vote on the bill.

More Politics

Partisan politics were again evident in the house in the introduction by D. A. Stuart of a resolution calling for the immediate drafting of an employers' liability act.

The resolution had the sanction of the official house republican steering committee as was evident for it was passed without any opposition. Later a member admitted connection with the resolution and stated for the consideration of the house at the proper time.

There will be no commission, "as advocated by the labor commissioner and those he claims to have conferred with," to use the language of this particular member of the steering committee. "We are on to the whole game and we intend to put out a bill at once, without the help of any commission," said he.

The resolution in detail cited the injustice suffered by employes generally in the bringing and settlement of personal injury suits. In conclusion it urged that immediate action was necessary and to this end asked for the apointment of a committee to five to draw up the proper kind of a bill.

The resolution declared that it was "apparent that the delay of such legislation as will grant proper relief in the premises is being attempted by those interested in maintaining the present condition of things ,and that by various methods, statements and promises ,such employes are being misled to believe that the present is not an appropriate time for the employe to ask for that to which he has been a long time since entitled; and by reason of all which the employe is about to be deprived of the righteous and beneficial protection of such legislation for an indefinite time."

What the Majority Means

The Stuart resolution and the determination of the republican majority to "beat the governor to it" as a member phrased it, was considered yesterday afternoon at a lengthy session of the house steering committee.

The governor's special message proposing appointment of a commission to look up data for the purpose of giving to the legislature two years hence, an employers' liability bill, safeguarding the interests of all concerned, was before the committee and it was decided to oppose it to a man. According to the interpretation given it by the most ardent partisans of the committee, the message was nothing more than a shrewd political game, on the part of the governor and his cabinet with sanction of the employing interests; to side track any labor legislation for the present.

St. Cloud Times: When Mr. Taft told the girls of the state normal school of Georgia at Atlanta that they should not regard matrimony as necessary he violated one of the first commandments of a sociological administration.

Le Sueur News: Ohio is doing well in national politics even with a late start. Minnesota, take notice.

Madison Independent Press: Instead of having the editor of the New York World indicted for libel it would be better to first show that the statements made by the World were without foundation in fact. The country at large would then be less apt to regard a prosecution for libel as a matter of revenge. Still there is a point beyond which even a great daily paper may not go with impunity.

WARDENS MAKE A BIG HAUL

FRED SPRINGHORN WAS CAUGHT USING GIL NETS IN LAKE OF WOODS

HE WAS FINED AND 5,000 POUNDS OF FISH WERE CONFISCATED

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Game Warden Wm. Munch returned last evening from Warroad where in company with Deputy Warden E. C. Cooke of Roseau Fred Springhorn was arrested for gill net fishing and 5,000 pounds of white fish and pike was seized and confiscated, being sold to the Warroad Mercantile Co., for $210, the biggest price brought for fish at that place this winter.

Springhorn was taken before Judge Medicraft at Roseau and fined $30 and costs.

The seizure was made after a drive of 50 miles to American Pointin what is known as the Northwest Angle or jot of land which extends north of the balance of the boundary of Minnesota, and the drive was made across the Lake of the Woods. Two teams were secured to haul the siezed fish back and the trip with the fish was a most strenuous one. The party started Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock and after travelling all afternoon and all night, arrived at Warroad yesterday morning at 6 o'clock having stopped only to feed the horses, the entire trip having been made over the Lake of the Woods. Breakfast was taken yesterday morning with the Indians on Buffalo Point.

There are practically no white men in that section of the state and it is extremely difficult to locate illegal fishermen, and the landing of Springhorn with therefore have a most salutary effect on the balance of the poachers.

It is understood that Springhorn had already caught and sold about 7,000 pounds of fish it is estimated. 200 pounds of other fish which Springhorn had sold were also located and may be seized and may be confiscated later on. The last bunch was located at Beaudette.

Springhorn was arrested at Warroad from where he was taken to Beaudette and is very lucky to have got off with as small a fine as was imposed, but it is understood that this was the result of representations on his part that he was a poor man and had no money when as a matter of fact it is now understood that he is in good circumstances.

OLD LANDMARK IS DESTROYED

FIREMAN WM. PATTERSON'S RESIDENCE IN SOUTH CROOKSTON IS DESTROYED

OVERHEATED STOVE SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN CAUSE OF THE BLAZE

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening about 10 o'clock fire broke out in the residence of Fireman William Patterson in South Crookston and the flames, fanned by a high wind soon reduced the place to ashes and the firemen did well to protect surrounding property.

Mrs. Patterson is away visiting at Rugby, N. D. and Mr. Patterson came over to attend the moving picture shows. He was about to start for home when he heard the fire bell and rushing towards the city hall he saw the fire team start for South Crookston. He looked in that direction when he reached Main Street and saw there was something doing. He hurried across the bridge never thinking that it was his own home, but when he reached the scene nothing but a pile of ashes was left, the only thing having been saved was one sole rocking chair.

The supposed origin of the fire was an overheated stove, but the cause will never be definitely known. There was some insurance on both the house and furniture but not half enough to cover the loss.

The place is one of the old land marks in South Crookston, having been the old E. D. Childs office, situated just south of the residence of E. D. Childs when he lived there .

There was general fear when the flames were seen that the fire was in the sawmill or lumber yard, an had this been true no power on earth, with such a wind ,could have saved the complete destruction of all property in the path of the wind.

Albert Lea Times-Enterprise: Walley Wellman who did not discover the north pole in a hot airship is kept rather busy these days constructing sarcastic remarks about those whom the king delighteth not to honor. Well 'tis much more comfortable work in weather like this than to be colliding with Greenland's icy mountains.

BACK FROM STATE MEETING

WM. BECKER REPORTS GRAND MEETING OF THE SONS OF HERMAN

HELD AT MANKATO — OFFICERS ELECTED—MEET NEXT YEAR IN MINNEAPOLIS

From Friday's Daily—

Wm. Becker has returned from the annual state convention of the Sons of Herman which closed yesterday in Mankato. He represented the Crookston branch of the order and reports one of the grandest meetings the order ever held in the state. There was a large attendance and the order has made advances all along the line the past year including a substantial increase in membership.

The state convention yesterday elected the following officers:

Grand president, Gustave Borchert, Minneapolis.

Vice president, L. F. Schultz, St. Paul.

Secretary, Charles Harpke, St. Paul

Treasurer, FrankNoethen, Minneapolis.

Guide, Julius Boettcher, Duluth.

Inner guard, William Daugs, Henderson.

Outer guard, Chris Rinkel, St. Peter.

Directors, William Budy, St. Paul; Arnold Nillius, Minneapolis; Matt Lellman, Minneapolis; O. P. Anacker St. Paul.

Trustees, Chris. Figge, St. Paul; Ernest Frey, St. Paul; Herman Vogt, Minneapolis.

Delegates to the national convention Fritz Ziegler, Stillwater; Frank Noethen, Minneapolis; Carl Harpke, John Kunz and Lattin Krahmer, St. Paul.

Duluth made a strong effort to land next year's convention, but Minneapolis secured it .

Minor changes were made in the sick benefit clause of the constitution and the medical examination was made more rigid, but no amendments affecting the insurance department were adopted. It was decided to continue the aggressive policy of organization of the past year and to keep a deputy in the field.

PAUL DRAX PASSES AWAY

DIED AT ST .VINCENT HOSPITAL SHORTLY AFTER NOON TODAY

MADE A BRAVE FIGHT BUT INJURIES BAFFLED BEST MEDICAL AID

From Thursday's Daily—

Paul Drax the master brewer at the Kiewel Brewing Co., of this city who was crushed between two freight cars the evening of Jan. 19, while crossing the tracks enroute home near the Crookston Milling Co's. plant died shortly after noon today at St. Vincent hospital after a wonderful show of vitality. It was found a few days ago that the amputation of one limb at the knee was necessary and after this was performed he rallied nicely but gradually grew weaker and expired in a sinking spell today. He was given the very best medical attention possible and the most careful nursing but the injury was more than any constitution could stand.

The deepest sorrow is felt over his death. He was a man popular with all who knew him, honest and upright in his dealings, charitable and kind to his family.

Deceased leaves a wife but no children.

The remains will probably be shipped back to the old home at LaCrosse for interment, and the remains will be sent on the Northern Pacific tomorrow afternoon and Mrs. Drax will be accompanied by a delegate from the Sons of Herman Lodge of which deceased was a member.

Deceased leaves his wife well provided for. In addition to property in LaCrosse amounting to a considerable sum, he carried insurance in the Sons of Herman and in the Manhattan.

The body is now at Chesterman's Undertaking Parlors but will be removed to the residence near the brewery Friday morning where services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Princeton Union: Some villain of deep dye entered a St. Paul schoolhouse last week and appropriated an Old Glory which the pupils had purchased with their savings. The children are naturally much wrought up over the theft of their pet flag and are virtually in mourning over the loss. A man or woman who stoops so low as to steal a flag purchased by a number of school children with their pennies should be tarred, feathered, dipped into a vat of coal oil and then touched off with a match.

BEMIDJI HOME IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Overutrned Lamp In Pickles Home Results In Most Disastrous Manner.

Bemidji, Jan. 29— For the second time yesterday an alarm of fire was sent in about 6 o'clock last evening and the fire department was called to 623 First street south, where the flames were rapidly destroying the residence of John Pickles.

Thru some mistake the fire department was called to the corner of the Miles Block and ran out 100 yards of hose before the error was discovered.

The fire at Pickles home was started in the parlor from the overturning of a lamp. Most of the house was destroyed and all the furniture lost before the fire could be extinguished.

The furniture was almost a total loss but is partially covered by insurance.

Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

BURNED TO DEATH AT BIG FALLS

From Thursday's Daily— ...

One of the most destructive fires in the history of Big Falls occurred yesterday morning and as a result two people are dead and four are in a serious condition.

Shortly after 12 o'clock fire broke out in the rear of the second story of Audette & Gagnon's building which was occupied by Jack Tremain and P. Lawrence as a saloon, restaurant and lodging house, the fire being caused so it is supposed by the explosion of a lamp in one of the bedrooms.

The walls of the rooms upstairs in Audette & Gagnon's building were composed of heavy canvas and paper tacked to the studding and was very inflammable. The fire gained rapid headway and soon consumed the entire building and its contents nothing being saved. The flames spread to Ed Larson's saloon on the south side and the building was destroyed altho the contents were saved.

J. J. Curley and Joseph LeBlanc two homesteaders living near there and who were sleeping on the third floor were burned to death being unable to escape from the doomed building on acount of the rapid headway made by the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lawrence were sleeping on the second floor when the fire commenced and succeeded in escaping thru the flames but only after being severely burned. Mrs. Lawrence had her left side literally cooked and left shreds of flesh in her footprints as she hurried across the street to safety. Mr. Lawrence sustained burns on the hands, face and back of the head. Two unknown men, who were sleeping at the hotel, were also badly burned. They attempted to get down stairs but the flames were too hot and they were forced to jump from the second story window.

The injured were given medical attention yesterday by Dr. Ratcliffe and sent to St. Anthony's hospital at Bemidji on yesterday morning's train.

The property losses of the fire are estimated as follows: Audette & Gagnon $3,000; Lawrence & Treman on stock and fixtures $2,000; Larson's building $1,500.

The volunteer fire department did excellent work and is deserving of much praise for saving the adjoining property from the flames.

J. J. Curley who was cremated with Joe LeBlanc was a homesteader living eighteen miles down the Big Forks river from Big Falls and was on his way to Minneapolis. He was about forty years old and unmarried. LeBlanc was living on a claim thirty miles from Big Falls on Caldwell Brook.

Fred Gagnon, one of the proprietors of the burned building was saved from a horrible death by the sagacity of his shepherd dog, which jumped upon his bed and awoke him when the house was full of smoke. Gagnon and his dog were unable to get out by the stairway and were forced to jump from a second story window, neither being injured by the fall.

Mrs. Paul Lawrence of Big Falls, who was so badly burned was brought to St. Anthony's hospital in Bemidji and died at 11 o'clock yesterday morning from the effects of her burns.

Mr. Lawrence is also suffering from severe burns about the hands and head. Erick Skogen and George Roy the two men unknown to our Big Falls informer, are also in a very serious condition as a result of the fire, Roy having dislocated his hip when he jumped from the window of the burning hotel.

STARVING HORSES EAT ONE ANOTHER

New Orleans, Jan. 29—A remarkable case of horses driven mad from hunger and turning teeth upon the living flesh of each other, was reported to the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals here last night.

The horses were locked up in a stable by a negro and left for days without food or water. When found dying they had gnawed off the tails and torn large pieces of flesh from the bodies of each other.

The Marconi Operator

John R. Binns, the Marconi operator aboard the ill-fated Republic awakens this morning to find himself famous. He has joined the Jim Bludso class, celebrated in the verse of John Hay as having held "her nozzle against the bank till the last galoot's ashore."

"Jack" Binns was in his wireless cabin when the Florida rammed the steamship. He proved the unseen hero of the wreck. While passengers poured up from the staterooms while officers feared lest any moment the deck sink beneath their feet, while the huge steel construction wallowed helpless on the sea, the Marconi operator cooly sent forth the wireless call, the single subtle force that could conquer waste of ocean, banks of fog, leagues of distance.

Sitting in his narrow wireless cell he repeated the "C Q D" that spelled appeal for help. He could not see nor sense the electric waves that his fingers sent pulsating thru the atmosphere in a widening circle, who diameter became a hundred, two hundred, three hundred miles. He could not know that the vibrations would enter the electrical receivers on vessels steaming many scores of miles away. He could only have sublime confidence in his instrument, faith in the science whose mysterious laws the Italian inventor had utilized.

There is something fine in this cool and quiet reliance upon impalpable electricity at the moment in which annealed steel and triple expansion engines and the force of a trained crew were proving vain.

"Jack" Binns, 'tis said, passed thru the tumult of the Genoa earthquake and kept the Wireless going then. He is but 25 years old, but for five years now has been the joyful slave of the Marconi miracle. He has proved himself a worthy servitor indeed, of Wireless, and has established his mistress Electricity in the affections of mankind.

He is English, characteristically cool. He has shown on board the Republic what breed he is—the breed that has won the seas, that keeps them even today, that when ships are foundering and women and children are to be saved, keeps its head and sticks to its post.

Binns clung to Wireless stayed there with his captain until the ship made ready to sink. His full duty having been done, he accepted a place in the lifeboat. Had his work not been done he would have died at his post!—Minneapolis Journal.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Northwestern Hide & Fur Co. Minneapolis, pay 11ct. for Hides and high price for furs. Sell traps cheap.

WANTED — Local Agent for selling Farmers' Record, direct to the farmers. For particulars apply to E. E. Bernard, State Agent, Ada, Minn.

TRIP EAST—E. J. Brink and F. B. Harris left this morning for Fowlds where they will spend the day on business.

HEALTH MUCH IMPROVED—Dr. J. S. Chapin came down from Euclid last evening to attend to some business matters returning home this morning. His health appears to be fine since he returned from Chicago.

RETURNED TO THIEF RIVER—Charley Teal, the veterinarian of Thief River Falls returned this morning after visiting Roy Teal at the St. Vincent hospital and spending a few days at Euclid.

VISIT LOGGING CAMPS—C. Teal came down from Euclid last evening and this morning left for the logging camps near Blackduck where his horses are at work. He will spend several days there.

BACK FROM PARK RIVER—Gus Engle returned last evening from Park River where he spent a few days with his brothers, and this morning returned to Euclid where he is operating a large dairy farm in a very successful manner in company with his father.

FINED $5 AND COSTS—This morning before Judge Gossman the two men arrested yesterday for cutting a hole in the Red Lake River and leaving it unprotected, as a result of which Geo. Ruth lost a valuable horse which fell in the hole, both men plead guilty and were fined $5 and costs which they paid.

CARPENTER WON—In a fast roller race here last evening. Harry Carpenter of this city defeated Al Thorpe of Fargo. The second race of the series will be pulled off at Bemidji Friday evening and if Thorpe wins there it is probable that the third of the series will be run at Fargo next week deciding the championship of the northwest. Carpenter led the entire race.

GETS SALARY INCREASED—Judge Grindeland has issued an order increasing the salary of P. A. Peterson sheriff of Norman county from $1,000 per annum to $1440; payable in monthly installments of $120. Mr .Peterson made application at the January meeting of the county board for an increase in salary and the commissioners refused to grant an increase. Mr. Peterson then appealed to the district judge as the law provides, and Judge Grindeland issued his order increasing the salary as stated.

SHOW IS GREAT SUCCESS—The first annual show of the Grand Forks Poultry and Pet Stock association is being held in Grand Forks. It opened with a surprisingly large number of exhibits. Chickens, geese ducks, turkeys, pet canaries, and various other birds are shown and the space is filled to its capacity. Ten cages of pet canaries help to make things interesting. Some Hamburg silver spangled birds are dainty birds. F. C. Mitchell of Crookston sent them over with some white faced black Spanish fowl.

DISCOURAGED IN CANADA—Ole Melburg, custodian of the court house is in receipt of a letter from M. S. Berg, formerly of Anthony, who is now located about 500 miles west of Winnipeg. Mr. Berg states that conditions in that section have been very discouraging of late and people living there have experienced hard times during the past three years.—Norman Co. Herald.

BOGGS WAS BOGGED—Early yesterday morning the police of the city noticed that a door in the old Commercial Hotel had been smashed in and an investigation showed that a man giving the name of Ed Boggs was peacefully snoozing in one corner of a room. He was arrested and Judge Gossman of the Municipal court sent him to the Hotel de Daniels on the Hill for 20 days on a charge of vagrancy.

ELECTED OFFICERS— The Gary Telephone company has elected the following officers:

President—Nels Moe.
Vice President—A. K. Rude.
Secretary—Gregor Moe.
Treasurer—Theo. Rishof.
Directors—J. J. Rude, Theo. Johnson and J. B. Luchau.

An effort was made to increase the yearly telephone rent from $3.50 to $5.00 but was defeated by a close vote.

REAL WINTER WEATHER OUT WEST—In a letter dated Jan. 8th received from E. H. Bridger a well known former resident of Fosston now located at Portland Oregon, the writer tells of eight inches of snow being on the ground there at that time and the thermometer registering 15 degrees above zero, and adds: "Now this is something unknown here in twenty-one years, and reminds me of old times. The street care are almost all out of commission and the people here think it is something terrible."—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

HIS TURN CAME — A couple of young ladies in this city thinking to have some fun with a certain young man they expected to call on them during the evening, put up a job to do everything he did. When he arrived and after the usual courtesies the first thing he did was to blow his nose. Each of the girls promptly followed suit, with giggling accompaniment. Thinking it a strange coincidence, the young man somewhat nervously stroked his hair. Both the girls imitated. Then he straightened his collar, and the girls did the same, with boisterous laughter. By this time the wise young man was "next" to their game. Positive of his ground, he calmly stooped down and turned up the bottom of his trousers and then was his turn to giggle.

HOME FROM CHICAGO—Tom Morris returned this morning from a several days trip. He spent some time in St. Paul attending the Masonic Grand Lodge meeting and then proceeded to Chicago where he made some extensive purchases of up-to-date jewelry for his new store. He says there are some very handsome new creations in that line which he will soon have on display.

SENDING OUT NOTICES—County Treasurer Flaten has been sending out notification cards during the past week to all parties on the personal property tax lists. Personal property taxes must be paid before March 1st after which date a penalty of ten per cent is added .

PAINFUL ACCIDENT— The other day while splitting wood Mr. Roy Young accidentally let the ax slip and cut thru his shoe and making a severe wound on his foot. Roy will probably be confined to his home for a couple of weeks.

LEFT ON TRIP WEST—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Forshaug of Twin Valley, left Saturday for a somewhat extended trip in the western country. They go by way of Minneapolis Council Bluffs, Denver, Salt Lake City, and on to Los Angeles their destination. On their return trip a month or two later they will go north to San Francisco, Sacramento, Eugene, Portland, Seat-

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

ILL WITH LAGRIPPE—The many friends of Mrs. R. E. Smith will hear with regret that she is suffering with an attack of the grippe. To make matters worse yesterday she sustained a fall which did not help her condition at all tho she is not in a serious condition.

SUSTAINED BAD FALL — Miss Schusser and Mrs. Paul Holzknecht who have been visiting at Bemidji passed thru Crookston last Friday evening enroute home from a visit to their sister Mrs. P. W. Roark. While stepping from the train, Miss Schusser fell and sustained injuries that have kept her confined to her bed since that time.

CREAMERY FOR REINER—Messrs. Aakre, Antonson and Vraa of the town of Reiner, announce that a new creamery is to be built in the town of Reiner in the near future by the Enterprise Creamery company a co-operative farmers' concern. A large number of farmers, who own over 400 cows, are back of the new institution and the Peoples' State Bank of this city has guaranteed to furnish whatever financial assistance is needed. The town of Reiner altho one of the newest in Red Lake county, is very well settled and there is no reason why a creamery located there should not forge to the front at a rapid rate.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED—At a meeting of the directors of the Red Lake River Transportation company held Thursday at Highlanding the following officers were elected:

President—Joseph Duchamp.
Vice President—W. G. Hunt.
Secretary and Treasurer—Stephen Singer.

The head office of the company was removed from Highlanding to Kratka. It is understood that Joseph Duchamp will be elected captain of the boat by the directors at a meeting to be held later and he will have charge of the company's business this summer.

HOW COULD HE DO IT—James E. Morrisey entered the Oyster Bay Restaurant yesterday and asked Mine Host O. N. J. Hagen if he would give a meal to a fairly hungry man for 25 cents. In his usual affable manner O. N. J. replied that he would. "All right, serve me with what the members of the Fat Man's Club of New York consider a meal" replied Mr. Morrisey and he then produced the following clipping: "The Fat Men's club of New York had a feast prepared for its twenty-five members—several bushels of oysters, huge steaks, baskets of rolls, pies and other substantial articles of food.

Former Alderman Frank J. Detzler who weighs 380 pounds, arose with scorn when he saw the food, and said "Why Jack Grossman, Jack Probst and myself could get away with that little snack all by ourselves. How do you expect to feed twenty-five?"

Another fat man then arose with this proposition: "Make it a sporting event. Let each of those three put up $50. The one who eats most gets back his fifty and another one; the other money goes to the club." Everybody agreed, the gigantic trenchermen fell to and here is the score:

Frank J. Detzler, 380 pounds; 275 oysters, 8½ pounds of steak, 12 rolls, 11 cups of coffee, 3 pies.

Jack Grossman, 315 pounds; 210 oysters, 6 pounds of steak, 9 rolls 10 cups of coffee, 3 pies.

Jack Probst, 320 pounds; 190 oysters, 7½ pounds of steak, 10 rolls, 6 cups of coffee, 4 pies.

Detzler was proclaimed the winner by a big margin, and got his $50 bill and that of one of the other eaters. The remaining $50 fed the rest of the clubmen, who had to go to a restaurant, because there wasn't a scrap left after the three champions had satisfied their appetites."

The funeral services over the remains of Paul Drax will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Marys church, Father Smiers officiating. From the church the remains will be taken to the home of the deceased where they will remain till evening when they will be taken to the Great Northern for shipment on the flyer to the old home at La Crosse Mrs. Drax being accompanied by an old friend of the family, Ed Krause of La Crosse, and a delegate to be selected by the local Sons of Herman.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

The departure of Mr. and Mrs. George Murch and family will be a surprise to most Crookston people. They will leave in March for their new home at Marshfield, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. Murch and also Miss Scharlotte and George have many friends in this city who regret to hear of their departure. Miss Scharlotte had not intended graduating this year, but now she thinks she would like to finish in the Crookston schools so she is doing extra outside work and will graduate this year.

GOING TO THE WOODS—Emory Sampson is spending the day in the city with W. H. Bryson of Mallory, the latter being here to send his horses to the woods for Ross & Ross whom Sampson represents. A carload of horses will be shipped this afternoon to their lumber camps which are near Blackduck.

REV. SAVAGE IN CITY—Rev. E. P. Savage of the Children's Home Society of Minnesota is spending the day in the city. He was called here in connection with the baby brought here by Mrs. Ben Olson. This child was taken to the Home about a week ago but Rev. Savage is here to look after the legal steps regarding the adoption of the child. He left this morning on the north line regarding several more children which the society was expected to adopt. The work of the society appeals to all who know of its working and is entitled to the support of every one.

"TRETTEN TOWNS SETTLINGS HISTORIE" —Olaf Huseby left for Crookston on Wednesday afternoon, expecting to return today or tomorrow accompanied by Mrs. Huseby and the family and they will take up quarters with the Strand Sisters for the present. Upon his return, Mr. Huseby will enter acticely upon the extensive work which he has undertaken, the compiling of a history of the Thirteen Towns and the pioneer settlers thereof, to be put in book form and printed in the Norwegian language. Altho the full extent of this work is not yet definitely understood it is intended that this historical publication will occupy from 700 to 800 pages of a large leaved book and will contain from 1,000 to 1,200 views and portraits. The principal villages within the territory are taking a leading interest in the enterprise, and it is confidently expected that the country generally will take part in the work. Elev O. Bakke has been largely instrumental in bringing Mr. Huseby here and will ably assist in certain parts of the undertaking. The financial committee, consisting of Martin Benson and G. K. Espeseth of Erskine, C. M. Berg and Gunnar Huseby of McIntosh and Tollef Landsverk and J. A. Hendricks of Fosston ,will meet here next Wednesday to form an organization or company to promote the work. The literary committee in connection therewith is as follows: Rev. J. O .Saeter, and Halstein Lade of Fosston, Revs. L. J. Njus and Dale of McIntosh, and O. H. Dale and Thomas Torgerson of Erskine.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

The following is certainly an illustration of strenuous society doings in eastern Polk county taken from the McIntosh Times: "A dancing party was given at the old Daniel Jacobson place in the town of Lessor last Saturday evening at which the heavy snow of that night played an important part not only in holding the dancers there until morning; but also in making it interesting for some of them to get there. One young man with two girls to his lot broke his cutter and was obliged to return and borrow a rig from the father of the young ladies, and this delayed matters so that he was obliged to walk most of the way to the dance and break a path for the horse ,while the ladies followed in the rig. Another incident that added flavor if not pleasure to the occasion with the fight to a finish between the promoter of the party and an over boisterous youth who was conceedingly too loud with his mouth and lasted just long enough to regret it."

Hans Olson one of the pioneer lumber men of this section was killed in the camp of the Crookston Lumber Company at Fowlds yesterday by being strick by a falling tree. The remains were buried at Bemidji.

For the past fourteen years, Olson had made his headquarters in Thief River Falls and was well known here by a large number of people. In the winters he usually went to the woods and the summer time worked in the sawmill, He had a homestead on the eleven towns on which he had made final proof and is said to have money on deposit in a Thief River bank. The only relative in this country of the deceased, so far as is known is a cousin in Wisconsin. A father and mother and brothers and sister reside in Norway.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Lillie Patterson and R. H. Patterson, her husband, mortgagors, to L. D. Foskett, mortgagee, dated March 5, 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Polk County, Minnesota, on April 14, 1908 at 3:10 o'clock P. M. in book 152 of mortgages on page 202 thereof; that the mortgagors herein have failed to pay $34.17 due October 1, 1908, said sum being due under a certain mortgage executed by the parties named as mortgagors herein and in favor of said L. D. Foskett and by him assigned, which mortgage is a prior lien upon the land hereinafter described, said sum being represented by a certain coupon note bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum after maturity and that there is now due the said L. D. Foskett thereon, under and by virtue of the terms of the mortgage first referred to, the sum of $34.65, he having paid said sum to the holder of said prior mortgage; that said mortgage provided for a reasonable attorney's fee to be paid by said mortgagors upon the foreclosure of the mortgage herein described, and the sum of $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for such foreclosure; that in addition to the sum of $34.65 paid by L. D. Foskett on said coupon note and the sum of $25.00 for attorney's fees, there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of $82.35; making a total due of the sum of $117.00 at this date together with the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees; that by virtue of said default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured thereby, or any part thereof; that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are the northwest fractional quarter of section number 5 in township number 148 north of range number 45 west of the 5th principal meridian, situate in the county of Polk, State of Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Polk County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Crookston, in said County and State, on February 20, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including amount of said coupon note and $25.00 attorney's fees, and the costs of such sale.

Dated January 7, 1909.

L. D. Foskett,
Mortgagee.

Henry A. Johnson
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Opera Block, Crookston, Minn.
(Jan 14-21-28-Feb-4-11-18)

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SCHOOL BUILDING CREDIT TO BOARD & CROOKSTON

Not Only A Handsome Structure But Health Of Students Has Been Taken Care Of By Architect B. D. Keck.

Crookston has a new school building of which every citizen takes just pride—the new Franklin school which replaces the one which was destroyed by fire in what is known as the "Woods district." Many have not yet inspected it, but all will have an opportunity at the formal opening, the date for which has not yet been definitely set but which will probably be held about the time of the convention of High school teachers in this city Feb. 18th and 19th tho no definite arrangements have been made, but on those dates High School Inspector Aiten will be here and the occasion would be opportune.

The Journal representative yesterday inspected the new building and the architect, B. D. Keck very courteously agreed to show our representative thru the splendid new building which is nearly completed but not entirely, tho several of the rooms are already occupied.

Of Classic Design

To begin with the building is of most classic design and viewed from any direction presents a splendid appearance, there being three entrances one facing the corner of the block and one each of streets making the building a decided ornament no matter from which point it is viewed.

The building is of pressed brick, cut stone and concrete so combined as to present a most beautiful and substantial appearance.

Cost $38,000

The building is one of the most modern in Minnesota, costing $38,000 including heating, ventilation and sanitary plumbing. The building contains 8 class rooms 25 x 30 feet with the exception of one which is 25 x 40 and four class rooms on the first floor and 4 on the second floor, the building accommodating 400 scholars. There is also one recitation room on each floor.

Ideal Ventilation

On both the first and second floors there is a central hall into which all the rooms and stairways open making the plan ideal for both light and natural ventilation. The artificial ventilation is splendid. Even the wardrobes are provided with fresh air and foul air flues are in every room in the building, the fresh air being forced in by a big electric fan, the air heated at the same temperature as that at which the rooms are kept. The large flues provided give perfect ventilation and the health of the students is perfectly guarded in this connection.

Fire Escapes

The fire escapes provided include iron stairways leading from both the first and second flors, and the interior arrangement makes them possible to reach without the least danger from any room, no matter where the fire is. The safety of the children from fire danger is still further guarded by the fact that all walls and partitions are of solid brick, with all woodwork eliminated where possible and in addition the under side of the stairway is plastered on metal lathing.

The Lighting Perfect

The lighting of the building is as near perfect as it could be made. All windows are on the left side of the students' seats. The top lights are of prism glass which throws the sunlight to the ceiling and the light from the lower glass can be easily regulated by curtains.

Pleasing in Appearance

There are steel ceilings thru the first and second stories and all are painted white. All the woodwork on the first and second floors is natural birch finish and in the basement everything is Norway pine.

Fine Stairways

The stairways are broad and substantial, built of oak and birch, and the floors on the first and second stories and in the gymnasium in the basement are of hard maple.

Blackboard Ventilation

In addition to all the other modern devices the blackboards in every room are provided with a patent dustless ventilator which is a patent invented by Architect Keck. It consists of dust from the boards and erasers, with flues below which draws all dust from the boards an derasers, thus getting rid of a most objectionable feature of blackboard work, the students getting none of the dust, which under the old system was inhaled by them. This is a feature which is not provided in any other school in the state.

A Fine Basement

The basement is finished thruout, having ample light, play rooms for the boys and girls on separate sides with toilets adjoining, and separate stairways for the use of each, making them completely separate and perfectly sanitary in every way, being equipped with the most modern appliances.

Fine Gymnasium

Asplendid gymnasium is also provided in the basement 32 x 56 feet with high ceiling and fine finishings. The basement ceilings are all plastered on steel laths. The fan and motor room are also located in the basement.

Mechanical Ventilation

The ventilation is on a plan different from anything found in the northwest. The fresh air is taken from the outside and blown by the electric fan thru tempering coils, thence into a concrete tunnel under the cement floor of the basement, and forced up the large brick flues to the different rooms. The fan is 6 feet in diameter and 3½ feet wide driven by a 12 horse power motor and furnishes 21,500 cubic feet of air per minute at a temperature of 70 degrees.

Fine Heating Plant

The building is heated with steam, the plant being located in a separate fire proof building at the rear and is up to date in every respect.

The Contractors

The contractors for the building are Hogland Bros., of this city, James E. O'Brien & Co., doing the sanitary plumbing, and the Crookston Plumbing and Heating Co., putting in the heating and ventilating systems while J. E. Morrisey has just completed the fire escapes. Architect Keck has given the building his personal supervision and at the formal opening every resident should be presnt. The school is a building in which all can take great pride.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ARE MUCH IMPROVED

GREAT NORTHERN IS AGAIN USING ITS OWN LINES ON COAST

S. J. Ellison assistant general passenger agent of the Great Northern passed thru Crookston last night on his way to St. Paul. He has been on the Pacific coast and reports traffic conditions greatly improved. Floods caused an immense amount of damage and it became necessary for the Great Northern to secure the use of other lines temporarily. Yesterday's eastbound limited was the first that had been run over the Great Northern own line since the trouble started. From now on the trains will be run over the regulation route to the coast.

Wedding Present Problem.

What people ought to do when they send out invitations to a wedding is to add after the R. S. V. P. the letters P. S. L., which stand for "Please send list." The would-be donor would then send a selection of, say, four articles from 1 shilling to £1,000 in value, and the bride would pick out what she wished.—London World.

LAND OFFICE JOB TO SEN. E.B. WOOD

WELL KNOWN LONG PRAIRIE MAN TO SUCCEED RECEIVER KOLL AT CASS LAKE

The news that E. B. Wood of Long Prairie has been named as receiver of the Cass Lake land office has been received, and it came as a surprise to a great many, as nothing had been mentioned concerning the matter.

The fact is Mr. Wood was not a candidate for the place until a very short time before the appointment was made and it was on the advice of his closest friends, that he became a candidate.

The position is considered one of the best places in the gift of Congressman Lindbergh as it pays $3,000 per year. Mr. Wood will take charge as soon as all preliminaries are arranged, but will not move his family to Cass Lake at least for some time. Mr. Wood is to be congratulated upon securing the office.—Long Prairie Argus.

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Red River Valley The Favored Spot

During the past week the press dispatches and private information shows conclusively that the Red River Valley has been the most favored spot in the entire country. A great storm covered practically the entire country Trains were stalled, cattle frozen, fruit trees ruined and all manner of havoc and inconvenience wrought.

Near Marshalltown, Ia., for instance one farmer had a bunch of about 40 fat steers frozen to death in last Fridays' storm, causing a loss of over $2,000.

Did any one ever hear of such a catastrophe in the Red River Valley?

Near Charles City, Ia., the same storm blew down 18 windmills in a small area and caused all manner of damage to the buildings. No such damage was ever done by a blizzard in this section of the country.

For days past trains have been stalled in Iowa and Wisconsin, some of them being held in the grasp of snowbanks for three days. The worst that trains have been affected here this winter is a delay of two or three hours at the most, and these instances have been extremely rare.

In Florida a killing frost has caused immense damage to the fruit crop, which in places will be a total failure.

In the New England states storms and severe cold have caused intense suffering.

Has any one heard of any suffering in the Red River Valley?

The favored conditions existing in this section should result in greater local pride than ever before, and it would be a good thing if every one made it a point to give the Red River Valley some most valuable advertising all over the country by writing to their friends and relatives calling attention to conditions existing here this winter.

Write today.

Big Increase In Minnesota Dairying

Minnesota creameries in 1907 made 87,044,817 pounds of butter, according to the biennial report of the state dairy and food department. There were 71,769 patrons supplying the creameries and 166,819,567 pounds of cream were delivered, for which they were paid $18,912,042.59. The milk was supplied by 546,595 cows. The list shows 527 co-operative creameries and 195 independents and their running expenses were $2,187,373.27. The 1906 report shows 61,375 patrons of creameries with 490,728 cows, and $16,170,720.13 paid out for butter fat.

Illegal Foods

The report of the state chemist, Julius Horvet, shows 7,085 samples examined in the two years ending Aug. 1, 1908, of which 2,409 were found to be illegal. A large per cent of flavoring extracts were condemned, and of 251 samples called olive oil or "sweet oil" 75 were found wholly or partly cottonseed oil, and 6 oil of sesame. Of 497 samples of spices 39 were found adulterated, 83 short in weight, and in 86 cases the net weight was not given. Many samples of candy were condemned because of aniline dyes.

Little Genuine "Blackberry"

"Blackberry Brandy" is knocked out by Mr. Hortvet. He had 367 samples of it analyzed, and in only 21 did he find the coloring matter derived even in part from the juice of the blackberry. In the absence of any proper standard, however, he has classed all samples as legal unless containing coal tar dye or preservative.

"For many years past," says Mr. Hortvet, "there has been much misapprehension regarding the character of genuine blackberry brandy. The product is colorless or nearly so, the color depending on the time of storage, resembling whisky in appearance and flavor."

Out of 804 samples of liquor the analysis showed 105 containing coal tar dye 128 containing vegetable dye, 43 containing salicylic acid and 89 benzoic acid.

The best showing was made by cocoa and chocolate and by honey, in which no illegal samples were found Only three samples of canned fruits and vegetables were condemned out of 43 but baking powder made a bad record 183 samples being declared illegal out of 297 examined.

Against The Farmers

In this issue of the Journal will be found an interview from Capt. M. R. Brown in which he raises his voice against the proposed legislation to repeal the law against the manufacture of Oleomargarine, colored, which was formerly sold as butter and which was a menace to the dairying industries of the country.

As he states there has been an increase of the dairying industry in this section, of from 50 per cent to 75 per cent since this law was passed and the probability is that his estimate is very low for this section. The increase has probably been that great or greater for the entire country. In the Red River Valley it has without doubt been a great deal higher.

What interests are behind the passage of a bill repealing the oleomargarine law as it now stands cannot be determined definitely at the present time, but one thing is certain, it is no one interested in the welfare of the farmer.

For the past few years the farmers of this section have been getting into dairying more and more every year. This has resulted from several causes Among them is the fact that butter has been increasing in price steadily, and another is that everyone has been urging the farmer to give more attention to the cow.

The passage of such a bill would seriously affect the whole country. Anyone can look back a few years ago to the time when butter was selling at from 8 cents to 10 cents per pound and there is no encouragement to farmers to contemplate such low prices for their produce. Then a herd of cows was more of an item of expense than anything else to the farmer. Now a few cows will produce almost enough to support a family upon

By the repeal of the Oleomargarine law the favored few would be benefitted and the farmers would all be injured and it stands everyone in hand to see to it that the Minnesota representatives in congress and the U. S. Senate take a firm stand against this vicious bill which is being agitated in Washington.

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University Finances

The University of Minnesota needs money. It is the duty of the legislature to provide it. There will be a deficit at the end of the current year which of course the legislature will take care of. But there is a larger question involved than the mere caring for a deficit. The legislature should take steps to put the university upon a financial basis that will avert deficits. This can be done very simply by raising the direct tax to which the university is entitled from 23-100 of a mill to a half mill. The present rate yields a revenue of about $240,000. A half mill. The present $240,000. A half mill tax would yield $500,000 and turn the annual deficit into a surplus large enough to take care of increasing demands.

The revenues of the university are made up of direct appropriations, the fractional mill tax, some grants from the United States treasury and fees collected in the university. It is interesting to note that the university provides $200,000 of its own receipts From student fees it gets $159,000 mainly in the professional schools. This sum represents a tax upon education. It is not the policy of the state to make these fees burdensome They are intended mostly to regulate the matter of entrance upon the various courses. The state should provide the funds for the running expenses of the university over and above moderate fees in the professional schools. The half mill tax would not appreciably increase the taxes of any one, and would immediately put the university on a sound footing.—Minneapolis Journal.

Need of the Farmers

The greatest need of farmers in the northwest is not national aid but an increased recognition of the profitableness of thoro cultivation of the soil. Nine farmers out of ten, even if they concede the argument that thorough cultivation is better than the ordinary plowing and harrowing still in their hearts say it is all right in theory but that they have not time to go over their land six or seven times before putting in the seed. The fact is that they have no time to do any less than that, for any less than thorough pulverizing of the soil and thoro fertilizing it when it needs manuring, is absolute waste of time. The farmer who does not practice thoro cultivation, these days, is out of date; he is a slip-shod old foggy. He ought to have some sons at agricultural school who might some day come home and "make the old farm hum," but he himself is hopeless. — The Northwestern Agriculturalist.

Journal Columns Open

In this issue of the Journal will be found a communication from Henry O'Neill in which he tells of the methods he has pursued in successfully raising corn in this section. Those who saw the splendid samples of corn which he furnished for the Polk Co., exhibit to the state fair last fall know the degree of success he has attained There are others who also furnished equally fine exhibits and the suggestion made by Capt. Brown that the corn raisers of this section tell how they raised corn in order that the balance of the farmers could get the benefit of practical experience is a most excellent one, and the Journal wishes to announce that its columns will be open to all such communications as Mr. O'Neill's whether devoted to the subject of raising corn or to the cultivation of any other cereal, vegetable, the raising of hogs, cattle sheep, chickens, or in fact anything of interest to the farmers.

The Journal believes that the prosperity of this section depends upon the prosperity of the farmers and the publication of articles regarding practical experience is the very best information that can be placed before the farmers.

Anyone is invited to use the columns of the Journal along this line and communications will be thankfully received and cheerfully published free of cost.

Knocking Your Home City

Few people know how often a perplexing situation arises in the office of the local newspaper. Some one will come to the office with a grievance. Something in connection with municipal affairs is not going to their liking. They want the newspaper to take up the cudgels and give some official of the city, or all the officials a rich brown roast.

There are many times when this is very right and proper. Any independent newspaper is supposed to call attention to such matters and is glad to do so.

But there are other times when there is a grave question as to what should be done. If every kick and knock was published and commented upon, there would be very little else in the papers. There is always some one with a grievance.

Consequently a paper that would follow the policy of running a regular "kicking machine" would soon be looked upon as "knocking" the city in which it was published and its usefulness would very soon be at an end.

It is certainly very poor advertisement for the city to have column after column descriptice of the awful social conditions, the crookedness or inefficiency of public officials, and general deplorable conditions. Anyone who is fair minded will recognize the truthfulness of this statement.

The Journal is very desirous that people who believe there are conditions existing which should be corrected, or where there is any glaring mistake made by public officials, should report them. The Journal is unfettered by any connections which can impose the sentence of silence. It matters not who is to be criticised, the Journal is free to do so and will at any time when such criticism will result in any good.

On the other hand the Journal must reserve the right to exercise judgement before getting into a controversy which cannot but give the city the very worst kind of advertising. If we wish to build up instead of tear down Crookston, we want to advertise our advantages rather than parade our shortcomings before the world.

A little reflection will easily convince any fair-minded person that the attitude of the Journal in this matter is the best for the city as a whole and every individual resident as well.

Big Conventions Coming

Two big conventions are scheduled for Crookston during the next few months in addition to many smaller ones. The first big one will be the State Sunday School Convention in May and the second will be the annual tournament of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen in July. These are big events. They mean a vast amount of work. Committees have been named but a committee can not do it all. The people of Crookston as a whole should put their shoulders to the wheel and push. Not only that but while the conventions are in progress every citizen should consider himself and herself a committee of one to see that the visitors are warmly welcomed. Make every one from outside return home with the idea that Crookston is the most hospitable city in the northwest.

Littlefield Independent: The Oregon Republican legislature came to the scratch manfully and elected Democrat Governor Chamberlain to a seat in the U. S. Senate according to the dictates of the people at the primary election in accordance with the pre-election pledges made by the members of the legislature. Tremendous efforts were made by the Republican bosses to have the members of the legislature ignore their ante-election pledges and choose a Republican but not enough could be swerved from their pledged word to accomplish this purpose. Governor Chamberlain is a good man and one who has the confidence of the people of his state.

When a man does try to be good but few people will believe it.

Le Sueur News: Northern Minnesota is entitled to the same consideration at the hands of the legislature as is Southern Minnesota—no more, no less. It is all Minnesota. Let us not forget it.

Little Falls Transcript: Establishment of an international big-game preserve in Northern Minnesota and in Western Ontario is being agitated by leading sportsmen in both the United States and Canada.

Stillwater Gazette: Here's a few words from A. J. Russell in the Minneapolis Journal, that are absolutely true: "If you cuss the town you live in or the firm you work for, it's proof that your salary is too high already."

CASS LAKE FIRE CAUSED $12,000 LOSS LAST NIGHT

THREE BULIDINGS IN CENTER OF BUSINESS SECTION OF TOWN, TOTALLY DESTROYED—DARK INSINUATIONS THAT FIRE WAS OF INCENDIARY ORIGIN

From Tuesday's Daily—

Cass Lake was last night visited by a fire, which, but for heroic work of the fire department, would have wiped out the entire business section of the village and which as it was, destroyed three large buildings and scorched a fourth.

The fire was discovered at about 9:30 o'clock and had such a start that H. Mullen's saloon building was a mass of flames before the fire department arrived on the scene.

The firemen put up a heroic fight to stop the flames and their splendid work finally controlled the fire, which was extinguished when it seemed certain that the big Tedford block would go the way of the others.

Three buildings in all, were totally destroyed entailing a loss estimated at $12,000 pretty well covered by insurance.

The origin of the fire is not exactly known, but there are strong hints that an incendiary "torched" the Mullen block, and that the destruction of the two adjoining buildings was assured.

In making the assertion of incendiarism, some local people point to the fires which have occurred there in the past and which have been the subject of investigation by special insurance agents, but nothing ever came of it.

CORRESPONDENCE

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mr. and Mrs. C. Tiedemann and daughter Tina and Mrs. A. Meyer and son August all of Euclid, were visiting last week a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann and with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn.

Anton Sirek agent of the Monarch Elevator at Sherack is the right man in the right place and gives great satisfaction both to his company and his patrons Anton is a young man of sterling worth and his many friends around here are glad to see him prosper.

B. Tiedemann of Sherack and Casper Tiedemann of Euclid received a letter from Germany conveying to them the news of the death of their only sister Mrs. C. Schradeck. The deceased lady was the mother of Mrs. Robert Black of Larimore, N. D.

Miss Lulu Evans of this place took in the Robert Burns festival at Mallory and afterwards participated in the Key West masquerade dance. Miss Evans was there awarded the ladies' first prize for her unique and pleasing mask and Dr. Dryden of Euclid received the gentlemen's first prize for his becoming and fascinating apparel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodwin were visiting with Mrs. Goodwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Evans.

Mr. Nels Anderson and Mr. L. Osterloh returned from Crookston on Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller and Mr. E. Johnston took the train for the Queen City last Thursday evening.

A grand calico dance will be given Friday February 5 at the M. W. A. hall in Angus. Excellent music, a delicious supper and the best time of your life, will be the main points.

Anton and Charles Sirek of Tabor and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Belhke of Sherack were visiting last Tuesday evening with the family of Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh.

D. H. Miller and E. Johnston gave Frank Sirek, Sr. a friendly call last Wednesday morning.

Clyde Goodwin of Key West was here last Wedesday and his many friends were glad to see him hale and happy.

The weather nowadays is truly phenomenal around here and Minnesota is fast becoming a wonder state.

Miss Leila Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston is attending the high school at Warren and is making great strides in her studies.

Mr. G. H. Horn and son Adolph drove to Grand Forks last Wednesday

Miss Margaret McDonald called on Miss Bessie Brantl one day last week.

Miss Rose Koteck one of Sherack's fairest damsels, visited with the Brantl family for a few days last week.

Quite a number of young people from Euclid attended the masquerade dance at Key West last Friday.

John Vavrina has returned from Bemidji where he has been attending to business matters.

Miss Tillie Brantl is visiting with friends in Grand Forks for a few weeks.

Fred and Theo. Goosen were Crookston visitors last Saturday.

Miss Alma Horn was suffering with a very severe cold for a few days last week.

Arthur Arnold of Sherack left for St. Paul one evening last week and intends to join the U. S. Army. Mr. Arnold is a fine young man. He was everybody's friend here, and now the fair maidens are all in mourning and are displaying crape rosettes.

Miss Louise Tiedemann visited her sister Mrs. A. Senesky of Fisher.

Miss Amelia McDonald has been on the sick list for several weeks, but of late she is recovering nicely.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann drove to Key West one day last week to purchase a frau. Wonderful things will happen.

Miss Bessie Brantl called on Miss Rose Kotek last Sunday.

William and Daniel McDonald, Charles Brantl and Jos Short spent last Sunday evening with the Harm family.

Mr. Carl Shulz was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann, last Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Tiedemann, Carl Shulz and Albert Harm spent Sunday evening with the L. Giese family.

KEYSTONE

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann returned one day last week from a five weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Illinois. She reports a very delightful visit but was very glad to get back to the Red River Valley where the climate is more healthful than in Illinois

George Gentzert and wife of Harmon, Illinois, and B. C. Koch of Tremont, Illinois were at the Key West farm several days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Gentzert were well pleased with this country and will no doubt bring their family up next spring.

Mrs. John Capes is at present at Illinois where she is assisting her son Elmer and family to move to Minnesota. They intend to arrive about the middle of this month. Elmer and family intend to live on a farm near Grand Forks. A hand of welcome is extended to them and hope they will be as well pleased with the country as the rest of the Illinois folks who are living here. Earl Capes who has been in Illinois since last fall will also return with his mother and brother

Mr. and Mrs. George Gentzert, Mr. John Capes and Mr. B. C. Kock were visitors at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Wednesday night.

John Gerber drove to the Joseph Vavrina farm one day last week.

Jerry Brantl called on his brother Albert and wife last Sunday.

Simon Aeschlimann and son Lewis transacted business at Grand Forks last Saturday.

John Giese and Charlie Brantl were callers at the Gerber home last Sunday.

FOURNIER WANTS A NEW TRIAL

Paul Fournier who was convicted nearly two years ago for complicity in the Dahl murder and is now serving life sentence in Stillwater prison has thru his attorney Chas Scrutchin of Bemidji perfected an appeal for a new trial to the supreme court, hearing on which will be had at the April term.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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TO NORTH DAKOTA — Thomas Twite left yesterday morning for Edmore, N. D., on business and will be absent in North Dakota for several days.

MRS. D. F. MILLER ILL—Mrs. D. F. Miller is quite ill as the result of a severe cold which she contracted and which has resulted in an attack of rheumatism which is very painful.

TO KEEP COWS BUSY — M. J. Cort, the creamery supply man left this morning for Orleans on the Soo and will sell some more stuff to keep the cows busy in that section.

WENT TO McINTOSH— Receiver John Peterson of the local U. S. land office left this morning for McIntosh where he has some business matters that will require his attention for the day.

HAS TONSILITIS—Howard Woolery has been laid up for the past few days with a severe attack of tonsilitis but expects to be around as usual again in the course of a day or two.

ON DAKOTA TRIP—Robert Sinclair left this morning for a trip to Walhalla and other points in North Dakota where he will dispose of a few carloads of Swift & Co's products.

WENT TO SEATTLE—Peter Haaland left yesterday for Seattle, where he expects to locate permanently, but will first look over the situation before he decides definitely. He has many friends here who hope that he will decide to return later.

FOSSTON BUSINESS MAN HERE —Last evening Knute Rierson the well known Fosston butcher was in the city on business. While here he completed arrangements with the Northwestern Marble Works for a fine tombstone which will be placed over the grave of his mother.

J. C. SABIN BACK—J. C. Sabin the veteran travelling man returned this morning from a trip to St. Paul where he has been for the past few days. He states that the storm down there was much worse than here, tho the weather moderated greatly yesterday.

SERIOUSLY ILL—Mrs. Leculler of Gentilly is reported as very ill. Her advanced age makes her friends very apprehensive regarding the outcome. Dr. Hodgson was called there Sunday and her condition is considered very grave tho there is a chance for recovery.

ON PROBATE BUSINESS—Thomas Nisbet of Grand Forks formerly of Mallory and William Lealos, one of the prominent farmers of western Polk county were arrivals in the city this morning to attend to some matters before the probate court. During the day they looked up Geo. O'Reilly and other old Fisher friends.

ROSEAU BANKER — Ben Holdal, the well known banker from Roseau returned home this morning after a business trip to St. Paul and in this city. He says the prospects were never brighter in Roseau county than at the present, and the business men and farmers are all looking towards a steady and substantial development.

HAD EYE INJURED—Albert Becker was the victim of a very painful accident last Friday while working in his father's bottling works. It appears that he was doing some work in the bottling room when a small piece of metal struck him in the eye inflicting a most painful injury. He went to a physician at once and will be able to attend to his usual duties in a a day or two.

TRAINS ON TIME—All the trains were on time this morning with the exception of No. 5 which was one hour late because of connections. All the local trains were right on the dot. The depot presented about the busiest appearance it has for weeks, the St. Paul train, the train for Duluth, the St. Vincent train and the Warroad train all being on the track ready to pull out at the same time.

HAD PLEASANT VACATION — Oscar Erickson has returned from his annual visit at the old home at Rushford, Minn., where he visited the old folks for a few weeks and from there proceeded to the Range country where he did a good stroke of business for the Burley and Ryrrell Co., of Chicago, the successors to Wemott-Howard Co., which concern he represents since that company was taken over by the Chicago house, the St. Paul branch of which is still located at the old Wemott-Howard Co., 385-387-389 Jackson street.

HAD VERY PLEASANT TRIP—Mrs. Wm. Cronkhite who returned Friday evening from an extended trip to the Pacific coast with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Newland, the later being her daughter, proceeded to her home west of Argyle Saturday morning. All report a most delightful trip and returned in the best of health. Mr. Newland took a very much deserved vacation from his duties as agent of the Great Northern Express Co., at this point and is now back in the harness as usual.

NOT MUCH CHANGE—M. A. Mossefin, the merchant tailor returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis where he has been for the past few days purchasing spring goods and learning of any changes in the styles for the coming spring and summer. He states that there will be no radical departures from last year tho there are a few new wrinkles which will be injected.

WORKS HERE ANOTHER WEEK —Joel G. Winkjer who is now working in the interests of the dairy industries under the auspices of the federal government will work out of this city for another week before going to Bismarck and other outside points to be absent for sometime. Mr. Winkjer when acting as dairy and food inspector for this district prior to the appointment of O. A. Storvick did fine work as his successor is now doing.

Secretary A. M. Locker of the State Sunday School Union left Crookston last evening for St. Paul highly pleased with the great enthusiasm evidenced regarding the meeting of the State Sunday School Convention which will be held here May 4-5-6. He made two addresses yesterday one at the M. E. church at 3 p. m. when he addressed the Sunday School teachers of the city and outlined to them what would be expected of Crookston in connection with the state convention.

In the evening he addressed a union Contractor Louis Johnson who has been awarded the contract for the excavating for the new Federal Building here by the Northern Construction Co., and will start work on the same in a few days.

Mr. Johnson also received word from the same company that a carload of scaffolding and other material of that character had been shipped from Chicago and would be here in a few days and this will be taken care of by Mr. Johnson.

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MILITARY MAN HERE—Capt. Ryan of Grand Forks who for years headed the militia company at that place and who was a most efficient officer arrived from Grand Forks this morning and is spending the day here. He is now superintendent for the Minnesota and Dakota Elevator Co.

BOON TO RAILROAD MEN—The warm weather prevailing resulted in all trains arriving on time today. This weather is a great boon to the railroad men who suffer great hardships when the weather delays traffic and keeps them out all kinds of hours.

FORMER MAYOR HERE —Knute Flakne who was for years mayor of Beltrami but whose family is located now in Minneapolis left this morning for Bemidji on business. Mr. Flakne spends a good portion of his time now in this section making Crookston his headquarters. He is quite extensively engaged in the land business.

BEMIDJI HOMES BURNED — The homes of Claude Ritchie and Ole Rudd were totally destroyed by fire Saturday night at Bemidji from flames which originated in an overheated stove in the Ritchie house, at the corner of Fourteenth street and Beltrami avenue

CONSTRUCTING ICE BREAK — Master Carpenter E. A. Mills of the Northern Division of the Great Northern has sent a crew of 8 men to Lergen, just across the river from Wahpeton, to construct an ice break to protect the new bridge constructed across the Red River. It is expected that the work will be completed in plenty of time before the breakup.

LENGBY BUSINESS MAN —Geo. Lillo, one of the prominent business men of Lengby is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters and visiting with his brother-in-law, O. N. J. Hagen of the Oyster Bay. He will leave this evening for Grand Forks. Mr. Lillo has dealt heavily in cord wood for many winters past and has sold a large amount in Chrookston.

HORSES IN FINE SHAPE—C. Teal Sr., has returned from the logging camps near Kelliher where he spent a few days looking after his horses which are working in that section. He reports that they are in fine shape and that things are progressing well with the loggers. The extremely soft weather of two weeks ago threatened to destroy the logging roads but they are now in good shape again.

FIREMAN ILL— Roy Larson the well known fireman on the Great Northern who has a run on the flyer between Barnesville and Emerson left for his home at Shevlin this morning where he will recuperate from a very severe cold which he contracted on a run a few days ago. He rooms at F. H. Whirry's and they felt quite alarmed over his condition.

BIG SHIPMENT RECEIVED—Manager Whirry of the Crookston creamery this morning received a shipment of 12 cans of cream over the Great Northern. The shipments are increasing steadily as the farmers are discovering that more satisfactory returns are received from shipments to the Crookston Creamery than to the Twin Cities. Occasionally they do well in the cities, big payments being made for the first shipments for bait, but later deductions more than make up for this.

RETURNED TO PLUMMER—Editor Chas. Latta of Plummer who yesterday buried his wife in this city, returned to Plummer this morning where he was forced to return to make out his monthly reports as postmaster. The three boys remained at the home of their grand parents, Alderman and Mrs. J. O. Sargent, and will probably remain there permanently. Mr. Latta will return to the city tomorrow. He went via Red Lake Falls this morning and drove across country from there by team.

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Henry Tiedt left this morning for Argyle.

J. F. Montgomery, the Angus merchant returned home this morning after attending to business.

Theodore Neiers the Euclid merchant spent the night in the city on business.

WHEAT BUYER HERE — Anton Sirek the wheat buyer at Sherack and his brother James returned home this morning after attending to some business matters in the city.

ILL WITH FEVER—Word was received from Saskatoon Sask., yesterday that Thomas Quigley, a son of Hugh Quigley of East Grand Forks, was quite sick there with the fever.

MARRIED BY JUDGE — This morning at 10 o'clock Judge Gossman officiated at the marriage of Mr. John Gerstner, who runs a dray and transfer line at Fertile, to Miss Emma Gullickson of the same place.

HERE AS WITNESS—Chief of Police Ellingson and Jos. Jarvis are here from East Grand Forks as witnesses in a criminal case which may be started today, but which will probably not be reached till tomorrow.

FINISHING TOUCHES— Herman Feidler went to Argyle with a crew this morning to put the finishing touches on the residence of Banker Melgaard which was recently gutted by fire.

COURT AT BAGLEY—District Court is in session at Bagley and there are a number of important cases to be disposed of. A large number of attorneys are gathered there from over Clearwater and Beltrami counties and Eastern Polk.

REVIVALS A SUCCESS—The revivals in Mendenhall church which closed a short time ago, and at which Rev. W. S. Ward of this city assisted doing most of the preaching while Rev. Georgi did the personal work, proved a great success, 25 new members having been received into that church last Sunday.

NEW FARM RESIDENCE— John Green left last evening for Elbow Lake last evening where he will build a residence on the farm of Jack Scott of this city. Mr. Scott left Sunday evening taking another man from here with him and the building will be rushed. The residence burned last fall and a new one must be finished in time for the renter of the land, who has been living in Elbow Lake during the winter, to get back to the farm for spring's work.

RED MEN CHIEFS WERE UPRAISED

BIG GATHERING HELD LAST EVENING BY DESCENDANTS OF THE SCALPERS

Tha-Ten-Ha-Wi-Tha Tribe No. 34, Improved Order of Red Men held a large and enthusiastic meeting last evening, the main event being the upraising of the Chiefs, District Deputy Great Chief Timothy Tastings officiating.

Following this the degree team under the leadership of Chief Jump-Over A-Ditch-and-Fall-in-Swamp Henry Castle, did some crack practice work which showed the result of much drilling. The next batch of pale faces adopted will certainly get what is coming to them. The Chiefs upraised were as follows:

Elective.

Sachem—W. F. Peterson.

Sr. Sagamore—Chas. Hoeft.

Jr. Sagamore—Mike Palen.

Keeper of Records—G. S. Chesterman.

Keeper of Wampum. — Adolph F. Rauch.

Prophet—Timothy Hastings.

Appointive

1st. Sanap—Bennie Moe.

2nd Sanap—Louis Bergquist.

Guard of the Wigwam—Knute Aldal

Guard of the Forest—Henry A. Castle.

Warriors. — J. F. Anaker, Archie Crawford, Mike Sullivan, Ed Hoeft.

Braves — Sterling, I. E. Folsom, Knute Aldal, Wm. Marrotte.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

EAT SAUSAGES AN NEW BREAD

OR ANY FAVORITE FOOD WITHOUT FEAR OF INDIGESTION—DISTRESS

FROM DYSPEPSIA OR A DISORDERED STOMACH VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of a case of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach if you will occasionally take a little Diapepsin after eating.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea. Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Billiousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in the Stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. Each triangule will digest all the food you can eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking today and by tomorrow you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

ARE READY FOR WORK

HEADS OF VARIOUS COMMITTEES TO PREPARE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

NAMED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON —CHAIRMEN TO SELECT OWN COMMITTEES

From Wednesday's Daily— . . .

Last evening at a conference between the central committee named in connection with the State Sunday School Convention to be held here in May, and the various pastors of the city in addition to the Central committee of which H. C. Misner is chairman the following were selected as the chairmen of the various committees and each chairman will select the members of his own committee, it being thought that more harmonious and effective committees would be secured in this way, and each chairman would be responsible for the work of the members of his own committee. The chairmen were named as follows and excellent judgment was used in the selection:

Geo. H. Wright, chairman of Entertainment committee.

George S. Chesterman, chairman of Reception committee.

J. W. Wheeler, chairman of Committee on Finance.

Rev. W. S. Ward, chairman of Visitation committee.

Prof. J. H. Powers, chairman of the Committee on Music.

Lucius Miller, chairman of Registration committee.

Rev. C. C. Warner, chairman on Place of Meeting and Arrangement Committee.

Thos. R. Brown, Jr., chairman of Committee on Publicity and Secretary of Central Committee.

Music Will be Grand

Among the great features of the convention will be special music. In addition to a special orchestra composed of a large number of the best players that can be secured which will be present at all the sessions, Chairman Powers of the Music Committee plans on a great chorus of about 150 voices which will render special numbers each evening. This will be a feature alone that will be worth coming miles to hear, Work on the organization and drilling of the chorus will be started at once.

Everyone Should Assist

While the real hard work will be attended to by the various committees named for each branch of the preparatory work, the committees must have the hearty co-operation of every resident of Crookston. If a person is asked to sing there should be cheerful compliance, and if any other duty in connection with the convention is required, comply graciously and willingly and then do exactly what is assigned you. In the meantime boost the convention every day. When you write to your friends tell what a grand and great gathering it is to be.

Some people believe everything they hear and a lot they dream.

Some men would rather own an automobile than have nothing to worry them.

CREAMERIES IN FINE SHAPE

DAIRY INSPECTOR O. A. STORVICK ATTENDS ANNUAL MEETINGS

SUCCESS WHEREVER GOOD SALARIES AND COMPETENT MEN HAVE CHARGE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Dairy Inspector O. A. Storvick has been spending most of his time of late attending annual meetings of creamery associations. He has attended meetings at Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire, Lengby and Fisher and the reports show up well. In fact he says they always make a good showing excepting where cheap and incompetent men are placed in charge. This class prove the most expensive in the long run.

Last week Inspector Storvick looked into the milk supply at East Grand Forks. He is doing splendid work all along the line.

HAROLD FARMER TALKS CORN

SAYS FARMERS NEAR RIVER HAVE ADVANTAGE OVER THE PRAIRIE FARMERS

THINKS FEW YEARS WILL SEE CROP GENERAL ONE—RAISES IT EVERY YEAR

From Wednesday's Daily— . . .

C. Nelson, a well known farmer near Harold station south of the city on the Northern Pacific is interested in the Journal's "Corn Department" and writes a very interesting letter. He thinks Mr. O'Neill does not make allowance for a difference between conditions close to the river where there is shelter and back on the prairie.

Planting Trees

But he at the same time calls attention to the fact that as soon as the groves planted by the farmers get a little higher, the conditions will be the same, and believes it to be but a few years till corn is on of the leading crops.

Profitable Aii the Time

Mr. Nelson has raised about 30 acres of corn every year for the past six years and has found the step a profitable one every year, even when the corn did not mature, as the fodder and the value of the cultivation to the soil for succeeding crops of either grains made the work well worth the while. Following is his communication to the Journal.

Mr. Nelson's Letter

Editor of the Crookston Journal:

I have read a few and maybe all of Mr. H. O'Neills' letters printed in the Journal of how successfully he can raise corn on his farm. But he has never once stated how close to the river and the timber, he is with his farm which certainly we all know makes a big difference to the protection for the corn. In the first place it forms a wind-break, on the other hand protection from late frosts in the spring and early fall, like which happened last year when we out here by Harold on the open prairie had frost that killed corn the 27th day of August and his down there by the river was green for a month or 5 weeks longer.

But wait Mr. O'Neill, till our groves get little bigger and all the farmers go to raising corn like they do in Iowa or Illinois. As stated in the recent letter people probably won't have to go clear to the river to see good corn raised, as the cultivating of the land has a great deal to do with the warming of the soil too, and the changing from corn to small grain every second year like they do in the above mentioned states and in the southern part of Minnesota.

As for handling the ground before and after planting Mr. O'Neill's plan is good and just like ours but we always harrow our twice before it is up if the weather is suitable.

We have from 20 to 30 acres planted every year ad 3 years out of 6 had matured and as hard corn as in any state and find it a good profitable crop even if we get only the fodder. It makes good feed for cattle and horses and it makes the land yield better crops the next few years after and pays for the work done the year before. Even on that point a man is ahead in planting corn.

Would like to hear some more from Mr. O'Neill, for one, and many others, as all are interested to hear farmers' opinions on good farming.

—C. Nelson
Harold, Minn., Feb. 2, 1909.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Sold by all druggists.

IMPLEMENT MEN MEET

MANY FROM NORTHERN MINNESOTA PRESENT AT FARGO CONVENTION

GEO. F. CARPENTER OF THIS CITY IS THE SECRETARY AND TREASURER

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening Allan McKinnon of this city, Chas. Wittensten, Andrew Larson and Nels Johnson of Warren, Lewis Hancock of Fosston and a number of other implement dealers from this section left for Fargo to attend the tenth annual convention of the North Dakota and Northern Minnesota Implement Dealers Association, of which Geo. F. Carpenter of this city is the secretary treasurer, he having gone down Sunday evening.

With several hundred members present from various points in the northwest the convention opened yesterday morning with President D. G. McIntosh of St. Thomas presiding.

The annual address of the president was delivered. Mr. McIntosh called attention in a pleasant manner to the advancement that has been made for the consideration of the members.

Today's program is as follows:

Wednesday, Feb. 3rd, 10 a. m.

Address—Fire Protection for Small Towns, Chas. H. Dixon, Fargo, N. D.

Address—Automobiles for Canvassing, E. S. Babcock, Wahpeton, N. D.

Report of Secretary and Treasurer, Geo. F. Carpenter, Crookston, Minn.

Greetings from Natl. Association of Imp. and Vehicle Manufacturers. Cost of Doing Business, H. M. Kinney, Winona, Minn.

2:00 P. M.

Report of Legislative Committee, Geo. E. Duis, Chairman, Grand Forks, N. D.

Address—A. J. Brosseau, Nat'l Plow Association.

Our National Federation.

Report of Delegates to National Federation, Paul N. Allen, Jamestown, N. D.

How Can Our Membership Be Increased?

Entertainment during the evening by business men of Fargo.

"500 MARK" NEW SLOGAN

CROOKSTON HAS ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY TO WIN DISTINCTION

LOCAL WOODMEN WILL GO AFTER THE STATE BANNER 150 NEW MEMBERS

From Wednesday's Daily—

"Crookston Offers Opportunity" and Crookston Woodmen propose to take advantage of every opportunity to bring distinction. In the past crack forester teams from the Crookston lodge have given the city excellent advertising.

Now they propose going still farther and landing the state banner which is awarded to the camp making the biggest percentage of gain during the year. Minnehaha Camp of Minneapolis held this banner for nearly 20 years till Austin captured it last year.

Crookston Camp has a membership of 55 and they want 500. That would cinch the banner. This means 150 new members and they propose to get them.

To this end District Deputy John C. Moore of St. Paul, and Special Deputy A. F. Nelson of St. Paul have been secured to assist in the membership campaign, having arrived this morning, and will assist the local members for from 3 to 6 weeks as is found necessary.

"Watch the local Camp grow."

FIFTH ANNUAL HAMM BANQUET

HAMM BREWING CO.'S EMPLOYES ENJOY BIG SPREAD AT ST. PAUL

John Rasmusson, A. J. Kirk and Fred Langdon, agent, bookkeeper and collector respectively for the local branch of the Hamm Brewing company returned yesterday from St. Paul where they have attended the fifth annual banquet given by Mr. Hamm to his employes. The affair was held in the Elk rooms in St. Paul and few rivals for magnificence and splendor can be found for Wm. Hamm, when it comes to banquets. All report a great time. Manager Gullickson of the Thief River Falls agency was also down.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

BABY GIRL CRIED AND SCRATCHED

All the Time—Torturing Eczema Covered Her Body—Could Not Sleep—Doctor Said Sores Would Last for Years—Skin Now Clear.

CURED IN THREE MONTHS BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I take great pleasure in telling you what a great help it was for me to use Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for my baby niece. She was suffering from that terrible torture, eczema. It was all over her body but the worst was on her face and hands. Her hands were so bad that she could not hold anything. She cried and scratched all the time and could not sleep night or day from the scratching. I had her under the doctor's care for a year and a half and he seemed to do her no good. I took her to the best doctor in the city and he said that she would have the sores until she was six years old. But if I had depended on the doctor my baby would have lost her mind and died from the want of aid.

"I used all the remedies that everybody told me about and I tortured the child almost to death. Then I saw in the paper how Cuticura was the thing for irritating skin. I bathed her with warm water and Cuticura Soap and used the Cuticura Ointment. She was cured in three months. Now her skin is as clear and smooth as it could be. I shall recommend the use of Cuticura wherever I see the skin in bad condition. Alice L. Dowell, 4769 Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo., May 2 and 20, 1907."

GROWS HAIR

Cuticura Removes Dandruff and Soothes Itching Scalps.

Warm shampoos with Cuticura Soap, and light dressings with Cuticura, prevent dry, thin, and falling hair, remove crusts, scales, and dandruff, destroy hair parasites, soothe irritated, itching surfaces, stimulate the hair follicles, loosen the scalp skin, supply the roots with energy and nourishment, and make the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp when all other treatment fails.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.
☞ Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

HAD FLOOD AT G. FORKS

CITY MAIN BROKE AT GREAT NORTHERN DEPOT THIS MORNING

THERE WAS WATER THIS MORNING TO DO EVERYTHING BUT BURN

From Saturday's Daily—

This morning the passengers on the Great Northern train were given an exhibition that their tickets did not call for at the Great Northern depot at Grand Forks. It seems that the frost was too severe for the water pipes and one of the mains burst which flooded the tracks and for a time it looked as tho the entire right of way would be flooded.

Finally some one was found who turned the water off and the train was allowed to pull out of the city on schedule time without any serious difficulty tho the coaches were all covered with water and ice.

OLD RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

MRS. MARSHALL OLSON DIED WEDNESDAY EVENING NEAR BURWELL

On Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the farm home near Burwell, Mrs. Marshall Olson died of tuberculosis after a lingering illness. The body was embalmed yesterday by County Coroner Stenshoel and after services at the farm residence a half mile north of Burwell this morning the remains were brought to Stenshoel's undertaking parlors and this afternoon were shipped over the Northern Pacific, to the old home at Radcliffe, Ia., for interment. Deceased was 28 years of age and leaves a husband and 3 small children.

PRICE OF TUBERS IS GOING UP

Word reaches this city from St. Paul to the effect that the price of potatoes will soon be boosted and that by spring tubers may reach the extraordinary price of $1.50 per bushel.

The wholesale price today varies from 60 cents to $1 in carload lots, according to quality, and an increase in the retail price will probably follow in a few days.

Reason for this remarkable advance in the price of tubers is given as a shortage in the yield last year. The crop is estimated at about 60 per cent of the average.

SWINDLERS WORK COUNTRY

SOLICIT FUNDS IN POLK COUNTY FOR ITALIAN EARTHQUAKE SUFFERERS

MANY COMMUNITIES DUPED BUT PEOPLE IN THIS SECTION ARE NOW WARNED

From Saturday's Daily—

The "meanest man" is always bobbing up somewhere. The expression has lost its meaning and, in present day parlance, it may safely be applied to anyone guilty of a particularly despicable act. There are a few "meanest men" in this section at present and efforts are being made to apprehend them and save possible victims from the effect of their operations.

Swindlers play on all man's passions. Unusually they choose avarice but now and then sympathy is what they count on to cause the average man to shell out his coin to them. When sympathy for themselves is sought, it isn't so bad. But when they play on the sympathy of men for other unfortunates, so that they may gain money for themselves they are descending into the lowest depths of their trade.

The recent earthquake in Italy and the dire straits to which the people of Messina, Reggio and surrounding towns have been reduced by nature's forces has sent a few of the swindlers out thru the Red River Valley, it is said. With Italian cast of countenance, they go forth seeking aid, ostensibly for the earthquake sufferers, but really for themselves. Unsuspicious people readily give up money to what they suppose is a good cause, only to be shamelessly duped.

Fortunately there is believed to be but very few such swindlers operating and the influential Italians, who have the real relief work in hand, are warning their countrymen and the public at large to be sure of the good faith of solicitors before they contribute anythink to a fund for the sufferers.

ADJOURNMENT DAY PROPOSED

REPRESENTATIVE SAUGSTAD SUGGESTS LAST DAY OF MARCH FOR END OF SESSION

JUST TO OPEN DISCUSSION—RESOLUTION HELD UP, BY GIVING NOTICE OF DEBATE

From Saturday's Daily—

If Representative John Saugstad of Climax has his way the present session of the legislature will come to a close at midnight March 1. A resolution to that effect was offered by him, but it went over a day under notice of debate.

The resolution further provides that the introduction of bills shall cease with March 10, except with the consent of the governor.

Mr. Saugstad said later that the resolution was not offered with the idea of making the dates named the specific time for the closing of legislative business but rather for the purpose of obtaining the views of the members.

There is a general desire to bring the session to an early close, consistent with the proper consideration of important measures now in committee and to come but the setting of the exact time is in dispute.

A Tribute to Lincoln

From humble parentage and poverty,
old Nature reared him,
And the world beheld her ablest,
noblest man;
Few were his joys and many and terrible his trials,
But grandly he met them as only
true great souls can!
Our nation's martyr—pure, honest,
patient, tender—
Thou who did'st suffer agony e'en
for the slave,
Our flag's defender our brave immortal teacher!
I lay this humble tribute on thy
grave. —Paul DeVere.

ANNUAL GATHERING OF CHURCH HELD

The annual meeting of the United Lutheran church was held this week and the following officers were elected:

Trustees—P. J. Tronrud and Hans Vaagen.

Secretary—A. E. Moerck.

Deacons—Messrs. Jorgensons, T. T. Morken, S. O. Bangen and Mr. Klemsrud.

Prof. Rydning accepted the position of pipe organist.

No cordelia, the hand-maidens mentioned in the good book were not palmists.

SARAH FRAZIER FOUND GUILTY

OLDER OF TWO GIRLS ON TRIAL WILL GO TO THE TRAINING SCHOOL

LUCILE'S RECORD SUCH THAT SHE IS DECLARED NOT INCORRIGIBLE

From Saturday's Daily—

Judge Sullivan of East Grand Forks yesterday afternoon rendered his decision in the cases of Lucile and Sarah Frazier charged with being incorrigible and ordered that Sarah the 14 year old girl go to the training school The younger girl Lucile, aged 11 years was released there being little evidence that she was incorrigible. Mrs. Frazier promised that the girl would be kept in school and not allowed to run the streets. The older girl will spend the next two years in either the training school at Red Wing or St. Cloud, but will probably not be taken from the city for a week or two. Sarah had been taken out of school and her whole record was such that the judge decided the best place she could spend the next two years would be in a training school.

No trace has as yet been found of Drucella, the 16 year old Frazier girl who was wanted even worse than the other two. Drucella seems to have been the ring leader and her escapades are well known to the police on both sides of the river. When Mrs. Daly was taken away she evidently had an idea that something was going to happen and made her escape. According to Sarah she left the night before the arrests were made, while Mrs. Frazier said she was away on a visit. Both the other girls disavowed any knowledge of where she was.

Mrs. Frazier who was found guilty of ill-treating Mrs. C. C. Daly an insane person and fined $25 or 30 days in the county jail, had not yet decided whether an appeal would be taken or the fine paid.

CROOKSTONITES WIN PRIZES

LOCAL CHICKENS SEEM TO BE ABOUT THE BEST ON THE MARKET

The Grand Forks Pet Animal Show closed yesterday and the prizes have been awarded. While the exhibitors from Crookston simply sent over their birds as exhibits they seemed to get a few prizes just the same and following are a few that came to this city and East Grand Forks people.

Silver Laced Wyandottes

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, Minn., third cock, first hen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, Minn., third cockerel.

J. J. Sanders, East Grand Forks, Minn., third cockerel, second pullet.

J. J. Sanders, East Grand Forks, Minn., third pullet.

Barred Silver Polish

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, first cockerel, first pullet, first hen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston second pullet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, third pullet.

Silver Spangled Hamburgs

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston second pullet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, third pullets.

French Houdan

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookton, Minn., first cockerel, first pullet, first pen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston second pullet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, third pullet.

White Orphingtons

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Crookston, second cockerel, first pullet.

When John Was In Doubt.

John was a coachman who took life most seriously and, being very particular, would return frequently in the course of the day to make sure he understood the orders that had been given him in the morning. One afternoon he presented himself before his mistress and began:

"Mrs. T., Oi'm not quite certain ez to Mr. T.'s ordher this mornin'. Oi was droivin' him to the thrain, an' he noticed that the horse was lame, an' he told me to do somethin' to him, mum; but, sure, Oi don't know whither he told me to shoe him or to shoot him. Mebbe ye can till me."

A shoeing was evidently required, but the execution of the order and likewise of the horse was deferred until Mr. T. returned.

His Record.

"The late Admiral Balch," said a Raleigh man, "used often to complain of the increasing cost of national armaments. The armaments, he would say, continually cried out for money, money, nothing but money. They were like the shopkeeper's son.

"'When did James last write to us?' the shopkeeper asked his wife one day.

"'Look in the cash book,' the wife replied."

VERY MUCH AGAINST FARMER

CAPT BROWN REGISTERS PROTEST AGAINST PERIL OF OLEOMARGARINE LAW

HE THINKS REPEAL OF THE LAW WOULD BE DETRIMENT TO FARMERS

From Saturday's Daily—

Capt. M. R. Brown, who started the agitation to secure interviews or communications from farmers who have successfully raised corn, which is already bearing fruit, today made another statement which should be spread broadcast. He said:

"I want to go on record against the present effort that is being made in congress to repeal the anti-oleomargarine law. This law was passed for the benefit of the farmers and it has proved of great benefit to them. The farmers can all remember when the price of real butter went down to 8 cents and 10 cents when it was put on the market with colored oleo-margarine and any repeal of the law would be directly against the farmers and in favor of a few packers who would reap the benefit.

"The dairying industry in this section has been increased at least 75 per cent since this law was passed, and it would certainly not be to the interests of the farmer to have the law repealed. A few years ago the farmer who had a number of cows had a drug on the market. Now the farmer who has a few cows has practically an income for the entire family.

"That is the difference. Tell me the name of the man who can show any other conclusions."

CROOKSTON MAN TAKES A HAND

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE FAVORS MINNESOTA RESERVOIRS

Members of the joint legislative committee appointed under the Rosenwald resolution to report on a plan for canalizing the Minnesota river, held an open meeting at the old state capitol last evening. George A. Ralph state drainage engineer, and F. L. Cliff of Ortonville talked on the subject of reservoirs and the discussion was mainly on that point.

It was agreed that the best protection for the lowlands along the river can be had from reservoirs and that the federal government should construct them as an aid to navigation. The committee will draw up a report on the subject at an early date, which will go with the report of the drainage commission's survey of the valley as documents in the case before congress.

FINE SHOWING OF FERTILE CREAMERY

L. E. George of the Fertile Journal arrived in the city yesterday and said regarding the local industries of Fertile:

"The Fertile Creamery shipped 37 tubs of butter this week, an increase of twelve tubs of a year ago. The smallest make for one week this winter was 22 tubs or 1364 pounds while the smallest week's make last winter was 11 tubs or 682 pounds. The price paid to patrons for December was 33c per lb., clear of all expenses and for December 1907 it was 30c. If the increase of output continues thru the summer as it has so far this year the creamery will be unable to take care of all the cream in its present building, as it was crowded to its utmost capacity last summer."

Don't Try Uncertain Recipes

It is entirely unnecessary to experiment with this, that and the other recipe. Why waste time, money and patience when you can get from your grocer, for 10 cents, a package of "OUR-PIE" Preparation — Lemon, Chocolate or Custard — for making pies that are so good that when you eat one piece you will want another? The way to please the men-folks is to give them good pie.

Foul or Fair Weather.

Small Wallace accepted an invitation to a party, as follows:

"Dear Louis—I will come to your party if it don't rain" (then, thinking that he might have to stay at home in that case), "and if it does."—Delineator.

A Real Tumbler.

"I saw a goblet today made of bone."

"Pshaw! I saw a tumbler made of flesh and blood last night."

"Where?"

"At the circus."

SACRED VESSELS ARE FOUND

CIBORIUMS AND CHALICE FOUND IN EAST GRAND FORKS—VESSELS STOLEN

FROM THE SACRED HEART CHURCH DEC. 12, NEAR G. N. BRIDGE

From Friday's Daily—

The mystery of the stolen ciboriums and chalice which disappeared from the Sacred Heart church in East Grand Forks early in December was solved about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when all the missing articles except the bowl of one of the ciboriums were found partially covered with snow near the Great Northern bridge by three lads.

Murray Sullivan and Tim and Howard Cummings were in the vicinity of the Great Northern bridge with a sled gathering wood when one of them noticed something sticking out of the snow. The three lads went to work and in a few moments had uncovered the chalice and two ciboriums one of which is very valuable. They immediately headed up town with their booty. It was later discovered that the bowl of one of the ciboriums was missing and Chief Ellingson and one or two others went to look for it. It grew dark however; too rapidly, and the missing bowl was not found. The theory is that the thieves simply threw away their booty and it is expected that the bowl will be found today.

Story of the Theft

The vessels stolen were a solid gold chalice of exquisite workmanship and set with gems together with two ciboriums, one of solid gold and the other of silver. The estimated value of the property is $300. The robbery occurred sometime on Saturday, Dec. 13, under very peculiar circumstances and the police were never able to find a clue. Just how the robbery occurred will probably never be known to the people of the city. Phillip Tessler, the janitor was at the church at 7:00 o'clock on the same day, he saw that the cloth used to cover the communion service was lying in the aisle. An investigation disclosed the open tabernacle with the gold and silver vessels missing, and who took them or just when they were taken has not been found out.

It looks as tho the robbers broke into the church with the idea of taking something of value and picked out the ciboriums and chalice from their booty, forgetting that they would have great difficulty in not only carrying their booty very far but in disposing of it. It is thought that after they carried it as far as the Great Northern bridge they realized their mistake and threw away the vessels. Though somewhat tarnished the ciboriums and chalice are as valuable as ever and the lads who were lucky enough to find them will undoubtedly be suitably rewarded.

WERE UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Last evening at 6:45 at the home of the bride's parents in Sampsons addition, Rev. O. F. Johnson officiating, Miss Anna Sandberg was united in marriage to Mr. J. E. Johnson. The bridesmaid was Miss Carrie Nelson and the best man was Mr. Martin Johnson. Following the wedding a wedding dinner was served at the bride's home which was beautifully decorated with pink jonquils and white carnations, and candles with white shades were used. There were 16 guests present, all immediate relatives including Mr. A. Hendrix of Bismarck, N. D., brother-in-law of the groom. The bride was beautifully gowned in a white embroidered swiss and a feature of the dinner was a huge wedding cake which was cut by the bride. They are well known and popular thruout this section, will at once begin house keeping in the Collonade flats on North Broadway.

A Coincidence.

"I'm afraid, George," said his fiancee, "that you are going from bad to worse."

"Quite a coincidence," muttered George. "That's what Clara said when I threw her over for you."

Out of Port.

Old Timer—The worst experience I ever had was when we ran out of port in a gale of wind. The Amateur—Gracious! I thought sailors always drank rum.

Luck.

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" asked the young man.

"Yes," answered the home grown philosopher. "There is a lot of intelligence and perseverance in it."—Exchange.

In Saxony no one is permitted to shoe horses unless he has passed a public examination and proves that he is properly qualified.

TELLS HOW TO RAISE CORN

HENRY O'NEILL RESPONDS TO SUGGESTION OF CAPT. M. R. BROWN

OTHER CORN RAISERS URGED TO USE JOURNAL COLUMNS TO TELL EXPERIENCES

From Saturday's Daily—

A few days ago the Journal had an interview with Capt. M. R. Brown and he suggested that the farmers of this section who have successfully raised corn, tell what methods they pursued, thru the columns of the paper in order that those farmers who had not attempted to raise corn, or had tried and made a failure of it, might have the benefit of the experience of those who have had splendid success. Henry O'Neill is the first to respond and his letter is published below. It is hoped many others will call or write articles on how they have successfully raised corn, winter rye or any other cereal. Mr. O'Neill's letter is as follows:

Editor Journal: In a recent issue of the Journal I see where Capt. M. R. Brown suggests to a reporter of that paper that it would be a good idea to encourage those who have raised corn in the valley to offer some of their experiences to other people that might wish to grow some.

We have raised and ripened good corn here ever since 1895. Of late years have raised exceptionally good corn of a yellow dent variety. To one wishing to grow corn they should try and plant on a somewhat sandy soil if possible. Plow deep in the fall or about April 15th if in spring and disk good before planting.

Corn can be planted from the first to the 20th of May according to the earlyness or lateness of the season. Three or four kernels in a hill three feet, six inches square and about two inches deep. If a rain comes after corn is planted and before it is up it is necessary to drag the ground good a day or two before it is above the ground.

That breaks the crust and kills the pidgeon grass that always grows after a rain especially in corn.

If you do not drag after it is over ground, which many do in the corn countries, you must not loose any time in cultivating, going lengthways first and close up to the hills very deep. In about a week or ten days go across and quite deep also. Remember that the first two times you go over your corn to turn the shovels of cultivator out so as to let the sun warm the land down to the roots and by so doing you will not be so liable to smotherd the small plants. The next time you go over the field turn the shovels so as to throw the clay to but do not go too close to the corn or go too deep as that would be liable to injure the roots which would give the corn a severe set-back. If one wishes to plant pumpkins with the corn do not plant till the corn is 8 or 10 inches high and then plant 3 or 4 seeds in every 4th hill and in about every 4th row.

The kind of seed that seems to do the best in this climate is Dakota Red Dent, Minnesota No. 13, Minnesota King, Pride of the North and King of the Earliest.

They are all dent corn and of a good quality too. McGill & Co. seed house at Fargo, N. D. would be the most likely place to get any of the above seeds. They get all the native grown corn they can and it is all kiln dried and will surely grow. To anybody thinking corn raising is a joke in this country we would advise them to pay us a visit at our farm four miles east of town on south side of the river about September 10th next and they may think they got into Illinois or Iowa.

—Henry O'Neill,
R. R. No. 2

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Most of the things people tell you are of no earthly benefit.

If a man doesn't enjoy his work the job won't please the boss.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL GOES TO CASS LAKE

Canvass Of Situation Shows That Decision Has Pratically Been Reached.

St. Paul, Jan. 30—The fight for the location of the new normal school, which has engrossed the attention of six towns, has about reached a finish. A canvass of the situation practically gives the school to Cass Lake. Representative McGarry has charge of its claims in the house and it is said that Dan Gunn has cinched things in the senate.

The Bemidji representatives who left for their homes late yesterday, admitted that Cass Lake was in the lead but refused to admit that their own chances were entirely gone.

Cass Lake had the best of the argument from the start which resulted in a combination of the field with its efforts directed in favor of a bill leaving the location of the school to the state normal board. This, the Cass Lake advocates contended, meant giving the school to Bemidji, as it was believed that administration influences would be directed to that end. They succeeded in practically killing the proposition in the house committee.

REV. WITHAM PASSES AWAY

FORMER PASTOR OF GRAND FORKS IS SUDDENLY STRICKEN AT MINOT

SUSTAINS STROKE OF PARALYSIS AND LIVES BUT HALF AN HOUR

Stricken with paralysis last night while walking on the viaduct in Minot on his return from the M. E. church, where he had been acting as janitor Rev. Henry Witham, retired M. E. minister, died in half an hour. He was conveyed to the city hall, where he expired. His wife was with him when he died.

The deceased was for six years presiding elder of the Fargo district. For ten years was connected with the M. E. church for a number of years. He went to North Dakota from Cincinnati in 1893. He was a graduate of the Wesleyan college and the Boston Theological Institute. He was a brilliant preacher and was highly successful in his work in North Dakota. Some years ago his health failed and he was obliged to abandon his work as minister. He occupied himself with other work since that time. He is survived by his wife and two sons.

Friends all over the northwest will regret to learn of his death.

IS THE DULUTH AND SOUTH SHORE COMING?

RUMOR THAT DULUTH & SOUTH SHORE WILL HAVE A LINE TO THIEF RIVER FALLS

The Thief River Falls News says: "The Duluth newspapers have been filled with proposed railroad developments in this section of the state the past year. The announcement that the Soo is going to build a new line from Thief River Falls to Duluth is causing all kinds of speculation and no doubt within the next few years there will be all kinds of railroad building in Northern Minnesota.

"There is a rumor in circulation to the effect that Thief River Falls is not only going to have the new Soo extension to Duluth but that the Duluth & South Shore is going to have a line into Thief River Falls also. As is well known the Duluth & South Shore has the right to run trains from Duluth to Fosston over the Great Northern system. By building a line direct from Thief River Falls to Fosston, a distance of about sixty miles, connection could be given to the Canadian Pacific, the parent road of both the Soo and Duluth & South Shore with Duluth at once. This new line would be used only for passenger business, and freight would be hauled over the new Soo extension when it is built and over the Brooten extension at present.

"The past week a number of surveyors have been at work in the country southeast of Thief River Falls and is is quite probable that work on the Duluth South Shore line will be commenced early in the spring."

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: No, gentle reader, this is not the spring breakup. Old Mr .Winter never shirks his work in this neck of the woods—he is just spitting on his hands for a fresh hold.

Gary Graphic: Judge Crindeland says—What we must do is to encourage the farmers we have with us to cultivate and farm better, and then we must see that their success becomes known to the world.

MRS. FRAZIER FOUND GUILTY

IS FINED $25 AND COSTS —STAY OF SENTENCE GRANTED UNTIL TODAY

CASE AGANIST LUCILLE AND SARAH FRAZIER FOR INCORRIGIBILITY STILL ON

From Thursday's Daily—

After a hearing which lasted all yesterday morning Mrs. Caroline Frazier was found guilty of ill-treating Mrs. C. C. Daly an insane person, by Judge Sullivan in the municipal court at East Grand Forks, and fined $25 and costs, or in default of this 30 days in the county jail. A stay of sentence asked by Attorney F. C. Massee for the defendant was granted until today. Just what action will be taken in behalf of Mrs. Frazier is not known but it is probable that the case will be appealed. The hearing of the two girls, Sarah and Lucille charged with incorrigibility was not finished when the court adjourned yesterday afternoon and was resumed today. If the records of the Grand Forks court are allowed as evidence the state will have a strong case to send them to the training school.

Chief Ellingson the complainant in the case of Mrs. Daly was the principal witness against Mrs. Frazier. He told of going to the Daly house and finding Mrs. Daly ill clad and ill fed in a dark room provided with a bed and dirty bed clothes. He found only a hard crust on the chair and the first thing the woman asked for was something to eat. Dr. Wilson told of the condition of affairs and of Mrs. Daly's condition and McDonald, bookkeeper for the Lumber company, was a witness. For the defense Mrs. Frazier, Mr. C. C. Daly, the two girls and Mrs. Frazier's son Fraine declared that Mrs. Daly was well cared for. Mrs. Frazier seemed to take the whole affair as a joke but the case assumed a more serious aspect when the judge found her guilty as charged in the complaint.

There was testimony galore to show the incorrigibility of Lucile and Sarah Frazier, Prof. Burnett and the police officers telling what they knew of the conduct of the girls. The principal evidence of the prosecution however, is the record of the Grand Forks district court in the recent Abner Brown trial and Attorney Massee objected to the introduction of this. After arguments by Attorney Massee and Assistant State's Attorney Finlayson, Judge Sullivan took the point at issue under advisement and will announce his decision today.

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT FARMERS INSTITUTE

The farmers' institute of yesterday at Twin Valley was well attended there being present between 250 and 300 farmers, completely filling Murphy's hall The state speakers advertised were all present and gave interesting discussions on various farm topics that should prove of great benefit to the farmers if they will act upon the suggestions offered. The institute people expressed themselves as especially well satisfied with the attendance while the farmers seemed equally well pleased with the information given out and from their remarks we judge they would be ready and willing to attend another tomorrow. As Mr. McConnel said, the institute was doubtless the largest and best ever held in that village. The dairy cow, chickens, hogs, corn, clover rotation of crop, etc., were topics discussed.

WARM AND DRY TO STAY WELL

AUTHORITY GIVES SIMPLE PRESCRIPTION ALSO TELLS HOW TO TAKE

TELLS READERS HOW TO PREPARE THE MIXTURE AT HOME

Now is the time when the doctor gets busy and the patent medicine manufacturers reap the harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and keep the feet dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble weather is here, and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple home-made mixture at the first sign of Rheumatism or if your backaches or you feel that the kidneys are not acting just right. This is said to be a splendid kidney regulator, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rheumatism which is caused by uric acide in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter out. Any one can easily prepare this at home and at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vicinity when shown the prescriptions stated that they can either supply these ingredients, or if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them.

JOSEPH MURRAY ANSWERS CALL

WELL-KNOWN G. N. ENGINEER SUCCUMBS TO TUBERCULOSIS AFTER A LONG SICKNESS

After an illness lasting for 15 months Joseph Murray of East Grand Forks, a well known G. N. engineer and a former resident of this city, 36 years of age, and residing at 211 S. Fourth street, finally succumbed to the ravages of tuberculosis at 8:30 o'clock last evening. The end came not unexpectedly and was peaceful. The deceased leaves a wife and one child, a girl. For 15 years Mr. Murray was in the service of the Great Northern railroad company most of the time as engineer and was in the service when stricken with the great white plague some 15 months ago. He went to Arizona for his health returning last March. Everything that medical aid could do for him was performed but he grew steadily worse. The deceased came to East Grand Forks in the spring of 1878 from Clayton, Ont., and has resided in that city and Crookston ever since. He was well liked and respected by a large circle of friends who mourn his demise.

Besides his family, deceased has three brothers and two sisters all residents of East Grand Forks. These are Thomas, William and Patrick Murray and Mrs. Morris J. Sullivan and Mrs. W. J. Buckley. The deceased was a member of the Eagles' lodge and the Locomotive Engineers. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the Sacred Heart church at that place.

The funeral will be attended by many railroad men from this city. Engineer Jack Greenhalgh arrived from Barnesville this morning and will go to East Grand Forks this evening with the balance of the delegation. Deceased left his family in very comfortable circumstances, his estate being worth about $12000 in addition to his insurance in the Order of Locomotive Engineers, Eagles and Woodmen.

Deep regret is felt here over his death as he was a genial, whole-souled ma..

SIX MONTHS IN PENITENTIARY

B. Clarke brought over from E. G. Forks charged withgrand larceny in the 2nd degree yesterday entered a plea of guilty before Judge Watts and was sentenced to serve six months in the state penitentiary at Stillwater. He will probably be taken down tonight by Sheriff Daniels.

Warren Register: In the present contest between the president and congress the press of the country seems to be almost solidly with Roosevelt. Many editors are of the opinion that the president may have been a little too brash, that he may have used stronger language than the facts would warrant; but, nevertheless, they express full confidence in his motives and are not hanging out much sympathy to congress.

LITTLE GIRL WAS BADLY INJURED

HAD EYE BADLY CUT BY HOCKEY STICK LAST EVENING ON RIVER

Last evening Lillie Nyquist was painfully injured last evening while skating on the ice rink on the Red Lake river. It appears that a number of boys were playing hockey and one of them accidentally struck her over the eye with his hockey stick, making a heavy swing and not seeing the girl. The wound bled profusely but was staunched with handkerchiefs She was hurried home and a physician called to dress the wound. The injury while painful is not permanent and will not affect her eyesight.

TOM STAHL SAW SNAKES MONDAY

Conductor Tom Stahl the veteran conductor on the Great Northern who passed thru the city last evening in charge of the Great Northern Flyer stated on his honor that on Monday last at Emerson a snake was killed wriggling along on the sidewalk. As Sir Thomas does not indulge in Canadian or any other kind of whiskey this can be put down as an absolute fact. What the snake has been indulging in to venture out on the 25th of January will never be known as it was promptly sent to snake heaven. However it will have the distinction of being stuffed and placed on exhibition there as a snake that showed up in January.

HELD BIG DAIRY MEET AT LENGBY

Prof. Wm. Robertson of the State Farm and Dairy Inspector O. A. Storvick of this city yesterday attended a most successfull dairy meeting at Lengby the occasion being the annual meeting of the Lengby Co-operative Creamery Ass'n. Both made addresses as did C. O. Carlson of Erskine. There were 200 present at the meeting which was a very enthusiastic one. The creamery there is in a very prosperous condition and will do a much bigger business the coming year than ever before many new stockholders having been secured at the meeting.

MRS. CHAS. LATTA DIED SUDDENLY

The sad news of the sudden death of Mrs. Chas. Latta, wife of the editor of the Plummer Pioneer and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sargent of this city was received this morning. No details of the cause of death were received. The remains will be brought to this city for interment either this evening or tomorrow morning. The funeral arrangements will be announced later. Deceased was for years a resident of this city and her death will be learned with the deepest regret by a large circle of friends.

Real Ratemaking Basis

The report of Expert Morgan of the estimated cost of reproducing the rail roads of Minnesota deals with a subject of the utmost importance. A broad principle of fairness animates all law—or should do so—bearing upon freight rates. The money invested in railway enterprise is entitled to fair return, but from these values must be squeezed the water. The theory is that the cost of reproduction equitably represents the basis of the earning capacity of the transportation companies; that upon the sum so ascertained the companies have the right to base rates which will yield fair and just profits—and no more. Mr. Morgan's report seems to be a thoro one, and the courts must eventually determine whether it is an accurate one, in the sense of the honest judgment applied. That it differs essentially from the exhibits made by the railway companies themselves is entirely natural and reasonable. The viewpoint is different. If the valuation were to be made for the purposes of assessment the same differences would occur, but it is safe to say their relation would be exactly reversed. As a matter of fact, the neighbor state of Wisconsin had just that experience, several years ago in her effort to arrive at a reasonable basis of valuation for the purpose of taxation. The chief difference between the figures of the Morgan report and those of the railway accountants is attributable to the difficulty of reaching exactitude in the valuation of land and terminals. The most competent judges will differ in that respect, and expert testimony in the courts must finally decide. Meanwhile, the basis has been supplied by each party to the rate controversy and litigation may be expedited thereby.—St. Paul Dispatch.

KEEN IMAGINATION.

The Way One of His Lectures Affected Louis Agassiz.

Children are not the only holders of the precious key of the imagination. The finest minds often keep the power of "make believe," much to their own and the world's benefit. That such a possession coupled with ardent enthusiasm makes demands on the nerves and strength is shown in the following anecdote, related by the late Moncure Daniel Conway in his autobiography. He was at one time a pupil of that famous man of science, Louis Agassiz.

One particular lecture Agassiz devoted to displaying some fossils of saurians, newly come into his collection. He made the subject a text for a general review of the chain of reptilian life.

As he proceeded, darting off to the blackboard to illustrate, comparing the extinct with the contemporary fauna, he became more and more animated. His face reddened with excitement until at last he said:

"Gentlemen, I ask you to forgive me if today I end the lecture at this point, although the hour is not out. I assure you I have been describing these extinct creatures until they have taken on a sort of life. They have been crawling, hissing, darting about me. I have heard the crawling and hissing until I am really exhausted. I regret it, gentlemen, but I trust you will excuse me."

Our admiration for the grand teacher was such as to make us break through all rules, and we gave him a hearty cheer. He bowed low to us and quickly disappeared.

EYE EXERCISE.

One Method by Which Poor Vision May Be Improved.

"Have you a high roof?" was the apparently irrelevant question put by the distinguished oculist to the woman who had complained of having bad eyes. "Higher than the roofs of the surrounding houses?"

"Oh, yes," said the woman, "a good deal higher."

"Then what I want you to do," said he, "is to go up there every day and look around for half an hour. That will do you more good than glasses. One trouble with your eyes, and with many pairs of eyes in New York, is that you exercise them so little at long range. They are used to looking at short distances only. Long distance looking is good for eyes. Persons who habitually have a wide expanse of sea or plain to gaze upon very seldom have weak eyes. Of course you cannot move out to the plains, neither can you spend a life on the ocean wave, but you can let your sight travel across the Hudson river every day, and I advise you to do it."—New York Press.

Vagaries of Memory.

The vagaries of the old man's memory are indeed curious. Lord Houghton told Sir Mountstuart Grant Duff that he had once been present when Lord Lyndhurst and Dr. Lushington were asked what was the most interesting thing that they remembered. "Oh," said Lyndhurst, "undoubtedly the day which I spent with Washington at Mount Vernon." "Oh," said Lushington, "undoubtedly the week which I spent with Burke at Beaconsfield." Naturally they were asked to tell something of what had passed on these occasions, but neither of them could remember anything whatever. There is much to be said for assisting the memory of good things with a diary, as Sir Mountstuart himself did. —London Chronicle.

Paid For a Peep at Royalty.

In the eighteenth century the Londoner could look at royalty on Sunday for a modest fee. In a guide to London, published in 1767, it was said, "At St. James' chapel royal by knocking at the side door and slipping a shilling for each person into the hand of the verger who opens it you may have admittance and stand during divine service in the presence of their majesties, and for a shilling each person more you may sit in their royal presence, not in pews, but in turnup seats on the side of them."

A Vague Idea.

During his first visit to a farm little Willie came into the house crying softly.

"What is the matter, dear?" asked his mother.

"I went out to see the cows, and they didn't give nothing but milk," sobbed the boy.

"What did you expect?" inquired the mother.

"I'm not sure what I expected," replied Willie, "but, mother, where does beef tea come from?"—Judge.

A Hint.

"Yes," said the young student thoughtfully, "when I get interested in a subject I never stop until I have embraced it thoroughly."

"That's nice," was the hesitating reply. "Do—do you think I'm an interesting subject?"

Great Expression.

"They tell me, Grimley, that your daughter sings with great expression."

"Greatest expression you ever saw. Her own mother can't recognize her face when she's singing."—Home Herald.

Insects' Wings.

The wings of the housefly vibrate 335 times a second; those of the honeybee 440.

Every one complains of the badness of his memory, but nobody of his judgment.—La Rochefoucauld.

A DARING BUCCANEER

Edward Thatch, Who Was Known as the Blackbeard Pirate.

HIS BATTLE WITH MAYNARD.

After the Hand to Hand Conflict the Desperado's Head Hung at the Bowsprit End of the Lieutenant's Sloop as She Sailed Back to Virginia.

It is almost 200 years since Edward Thatch, better known as the pirate Blackbeard, was a name with which to terrorize the Atlantic coast of the then new country of America. As a buccaneer whose deeds of desperate daring made him feared wherever his name was known he stands a close rival of the famous Captain Kidd, if indeed in some respects he did not surpass that notorious freebooter.

The date of Thatch's birth is lost in history, and his native place is variously given as Bristol and Jamaica. He first appears as a foremast hand to Major Stede Bonnet, a gentleman of Barbados, who, although a man of property and having small knowledge of the sea, thought proper to fit out a sloop and take to a life of piracy, the explanation of his being "a little distracted" being charitably given by one biographer. However that may be, his crew missed in the major the qualities of a successful commander. They deposed him and elected Thatch in his place. Bonnet was tried and executed in 1711.

Thatch's first independent exploit of which we have a detailed account took place in June, 1718, when he captured two French ships near the Bermudas, one laden with sugar, the other empty. Transferring to the latter the crew of the laden vessel and letting them go their way, he sailed with his prize of vessel and sugar for Bathtown, N. C., with the governor of which place, Charles Eden, he had previously arrived at a pleasant understanding.

Thatch gave out that he had found the French ship deserted. Governor Eden received sixty hogsheads of sugar as his share. Tobias Knight, his secretary, took twenty, and the remainder fell to Thatch and his crew. Thatch lingered there for some months, plundering and insulting the merchants of the place. These, understanding at length the futility of expecting redress from Eden, applied to the governor of Virginia to rid them of the pest.

The governor, after consultation with the captains of the Pearl and Lime, then lying in the James river, agreed to provide two sloops, the warships to furnish a complement of men. Lieutenant Maynard of the Pearl was placed in command, and the punitive expedition sailed on Nov. 17, 1718. On the 21st the pirates were sighted in an inlet about sixty miles from Bathtown, and Maynard anchored for the night.

On the following morning Thatch, maneuvering to elude attack, ran his vessel aground, but Maynard's sloop, drawing more water, though she had no guns on board, failed to get to close quarters. The lieutenant, however, threw out his ballast and in answer to a truculent defiance from Thatch promised to be "soon aboard him with his sloop." Coming at last within close range, a broadside from the pirate killed or wounded twenty of Maynard's crew and nine on board his consort.

Maynard now ran alongside the pirate, when, under cover of a discharge of grenades, Thatch and fourteen followers boarded the king's ship. Maynard and Thatch, pistol and sword in hand, engaged in a desperate personal encounter. The lieutenant's sword broke, and more than once he narrowly escaped a fatal injury. But at last Thatch, having received sixteen wounds, fell dead in the act of cocking a pistol. His followers jumped overboard and cried for quarter. Maynard hung Thatch's head at the bowsprit end, sailed for Bathtown, where he seized the governor's storehouse, and then, still with his grisly sign of triumph swinging in the wind, rejoined his ship in Virginia, where thirteen of the captured pirates were hanged.

One of the Blackbeard's crew who obtained pardon was Israel Hands, who makes his appearance in "Treasure Island." Shortly before Thatch met his death Hands had been lamed for life by a pistol shot in the knee fired by Thatch from under the cabin table, at which he, with Hands and others, was carousing, just to remind his crew in general "who he was." Such an act was only one of the many eccentric brutalities of Thatch's career.

When he felt himself in the vein or was going into action his appearance was somewhat startling—his bushy black beard tied up with ribbons, the ends of which were thrown over his ears; a fur cap on his head, with a lighted match on either side, and three brace of pistols slung across his shoulder. Of the usual condition of himself and his crew much may be gathered from the fact that "our company somewhat sober" was a circumstance deemed worthy of note in the diary found after his death.—London Globe.

Not Yet.

"Do you desire a room with a bath?" asked the affable clerk.

"Gee whiz, no!" replied the gentleman with the canvas telescope. "This is only Tuesday, ain't it?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Children have more need of models than of critics.—Joubert.

DELICATE OPERATION

SKULL OF PAUL BERGUM OPENED AND BRAIN EXAMINED SATURDAY

CLOT OF BLOOD LOCATED BUT COULD NOT BE REMOVED BY PHYSICIANS

From Monday's Daily—

Saturday afternoon Dr. Sneeve, a nerve specialist from St. Paul assisted by four local physicians performed an operation on John Bergum who was injured while in the employ of the city in a sewer some time ago.

A large section of the brain was laid bare and the clot of blood which was supposed to have resulted in the paralysis of the left side was located but being at the base of the brain and in a position very difficult to reach the physicians thought it futile to attempt to remove it.

The sick man is resting as well today as could be expected and while the outcome is in doubt fears are entertained that his chances for recovery are very slight.

REMAINS TAKEN TO LACROSSE

BODY OF PAUL DRAX WILL BE LAID TO REST THERE TODAY

FUNERAL SERVICES WERE LARGELY ATTENDED AND EVERY HONOR PAID DEPARTED

From Monday's Daily—

The remains of Paul Drax master brewer at the Kiewel Brewery who died from injuries received from being caught between two freight cars January 19, while crossing the Great Northern tracks at the rear of Collins Livery barn on his way home, were taken to the old home at LaCrosse, Wis, Saturday evening accompanied by Mrs. Drax, the widow, Mr. Ed Krause who came from LaCrosse to attend the funeral and Carl Reidesel representing the Sons of Herman of this city.

The funeral was held Saturday from St. Mary's church and was one of the most largely atended ever held in Crookston, hundreds of friends joining in doing honor to the memory of one who was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

The floral offerings at the Drax residence were very profuse and paid mute tributes to the memory of the unfortunate man whose life was ended by a most unusual accident.

The pall bearers were Carl Reidesel M. Palen, Adolph Rauch, Ernest Rolsch, F. Gorder and Wm Becker, and the same gentlemen escorted the remains to the Great Northern depot Saturday evening where many friends again gathered as a mark of respect.

A telegram was received by C. E. Kiewel this morning that the remains of Paul Drax arrived at LaCrosse and the funeral services were held there today and were very largely attended.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentleme's List

Anderson Fred
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Bray E H
Condick Mr.
Ekeroth Ben
Evenson Gilbert
Fitzsimons John
Fog L M
For Chrest
Hanson Ted
Hardy E
Henny Elmer
Kristenson Karl
McLain P
Nuzum Miss Ethel
Peterson Arne
Rager W H
Rakstra John
Robinson Paul

Ladies' List

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Hanson Miss
Heberd Mrs. Geo.
Johnson Miss Martha
Nelson Mrs. C.
Rosetta Miss
Slatter Miss Kara H.
Starken Miss Josephine
Tompson Mrs. Lizzie
West Nellie M

—Elias Steenerson, P. M.

Gamekeeper (to cockney sportsman)—If you don't hit a hare the first shot, fire the other barrel at him!

Sportsman—And if I miss him, then what shall I do?

Gamekeeper—Then—then you might throw your gun at him!—London Telegraph.

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SUICIDES WITH CARBOLIC ACID

FAY KIRK, RESIDENT OF RESORT DISTRICT IN E. G. FORKS KILLS SELF

WOMAN WAS DESPONDENT OVER CONTINUED ILLNESS—RELATIVES IN SIOUX FALLS

From Monday's Daily—

Tired of life Fay Kirk, alias Myers, aged 22 years ,an inmate of the hollow district known as "1900" in East Grand Forks committed suicide yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock by drinking carbolic acid. The cause for the act was despondency over sickness coupled with the fact that the woman was a heavy drinker and had been intoxicated all day. She was found soon after she had taken the poison and an ambulance called. Help came too late, however and she was dead before the Deaconess hospital was reached after being unconscious for over an hour.

Fay Myers went to East Grand Forks about eight months ago and has been a resident of the district known as "the Point" since that time. She has twice before atempted to kill herself by taking poison but each time it has proved successful. About a month ago the woman was taken sick and since that time has been despondent, fearing that she would never recover, She left a note with the address of persons living in Sioux Falls, S. D., but whether they are parents or other relatives is not stated.

The remains were taken to the undertaking parlors on the west side and the relatives in Sioux Falls notified.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT

ADELORE VALLEY WELL KNOWN FARMER FELL AND BROKE HIS WRIST

SLIPPED WHILE CARRYING PAIL OF WATER TO HOUSE—VERY PAINFUL

From Monday's Daily—

Last Saturday afternoon Adelore Valley one of the prominent farmers residing seven miles each of Crookston was the victim of a very painful acident, as a result of which he will be incapacitated for work for several weeks.

He was carrying a pail of water into the house when he slipped and fell near the back porch, breaking his wrist. Dr. H. Holte of this city was at once summoned and reduced the fracture and the patient is doing well and it is not expected that any permanent injury will result. The accident however is a most painful one and the many friends of the unfortunate man greatly regret it.

SOME SURE THINGS.

Do Not Bet on Your Ability to Perform These Feats.

Bets to be avoided by those who are cocksure they can do all things are those relating to athletic feats. It would seem that a good runner could easily give a start of fifty yards in a hundred to a man who was doing the fifty yards by hopping on one leg. But few runners, if any, can afford to give that amount of start to any man who is at all strong on his legs. For the first five yards or so they go at practically the same pace, so that to run ninety-five yards while his opponent is hopping forty-five he has to go more than twice as fast, and it is a weak man indeed who cannot hop fifty yards in ten seconds.

An ordinary wooden match is easily broken in the fingers, but, although there are many who will bet they can do it, none succeed in accomplishing the task if the match is laid across the nail of the middle finger of either hand and pressed upon by the first and third fingers of that hand, despite its seeming so easy at first sight.

No one can crush an egg placed lengthwise between his clasped hands.

Not Too Late.

Not long after the great Chelsea fire some children in Newton, Mass., held a charity fair by which $18 was realized. This they forwarded to the rector of a certain Boston church who had taken a prominent part in the relief work, with a letter which read somewhat as follows:

> We have had a fair and made $18. We are sending it to you. Please give it to the Chelsea sufferers. Yours truly, etc.
>
> P. S.—We hope the suffering is not all over.

Piety.

Piety is not an end, but a means of attaining the highest degree of culture by perfect peace of mind. Hence it is to be observed that those who make piety an end and aim in itself for the most part become hypocrites.—Goethe.

The Bird In Hand.

Lonny—Say, let's promise to marry each other when we grow up. Gracie—Oh, no. I might like somebody else better then. Lonny—Me too. Gracie (hastily)—Oh, yes; let's do promise.—Kansas City Times.

BODY FOUND IN SNOWDRIFT

FARMER H. STEVENSON FROZEN TO DEATH WHILE IN INTOXICATED CONDITION

SON BECAME ALARMED AT HIS FAILURE TO RETURN HOME AND SEARCHES

From Monday's Daily—

Alarmed over the failure of his father to return home a son of Henry Stevenson started a search yesterday and in the afternoon found the body lying near some buildings two miles south of Milton, N. D. Stevenson had been frozen to death.

Stevenson who resided a few miles from Milton had been there on Thursday, and when he left for home he was very much intoxicated. When he failed to return to his home that night there was no alarm as he had often stayed in Milton for a couple of days when intoxicated.

Yesterday his son learned that Stevenson had left Milton for home. He started a search for him and succeeded in finding the body.

Unable to Get Up

It was evident that Stevenson had made an effort to get into the vacant building but had fallen in a snow drift and perished.

Stevenson was about 60 years old. His wife died a few months ago and then. He is survived by five children he has been drinking heavily since

The body was taken to Milton. It is expected that there may be some developments concerning the sale of liquor to Stevenson.

No inquest has yet been held but it is expected that the death will be thoroly investigated.

HE SEEKS TO PRESERVE DUCKS

Representative Mattson has been heard from and it is very likely that the honorable gentleman from Roseau will hear from a few of his constituents. Mr. Mattson has introduced a bill. His bill provides for a closer season to shoot ducks, but unfortunately the close term is on the wrong end of the season to suit the duck hunters in the northern part of the state. Mr. Mattson's duck bill would have the time to shoot ducks commence on September 15th. Evidently the suave statesman from Roseau county in his ambition to introduce a bill and get his name in the papers, has allowed himself to be horn-swaggled by some one interested in preserving the life of the ducks until they should fly further south. The admirers of Mr. Mattson thruout the district will no doubt be pleased to learn that he is well and is attending the daily sessions and adjournments of the legislature and that the first subject he has tackled is "ducks." Why not ducks

Does ay one question his knowledge of ducks and his experience as a duck hunter? To be sure "ducks" were not mentioned in Mr. Mattson's platform, but this need not create any surprise as it was expected great things would eminate from so much avoirdupoise and the limitation of the gentleman's information as to needed legislation would place him in a front seat without the necessity of elevating his feet upon the desk as other distinguished statesmen are prone to do.

If this country is to be protected and preserved in principal and glory, if its people are to be free and enjoy good government it must look to men of large capacity and broad views to make and execute laws beneficial to mankind. The burning question of county option appeals only to the man who aims to deprive his fellow man of the right to pour down his throat, misery, for himself, his family and friends. But what is alcohol imbibed compared to ducks. Ducks appeal to the appetite and satisfy the sportsman who would rather wade in water with wet feet all day to kill a duck than own a brewery.

Representative Mattson has taken a bold stand for ducks. He has made a beginning and he will accomplish all the things the Times said he would.

The Times took a square issue with the people as to the ability of Mr. Mattson to represent Roseau county and the people would not take the word of the Times and the man of promises was elected. We now acknowledge our mistake. The Times was deceived in his platform and did not know that the gentleman had other great ideas up his sleeve. It was ducks. The majority are to be congratulated upon their choice. DUCKS.

Since the above was in type, word comes from St. Paul that Mr. Mattson's proposition to shorten the time of duck shooting was turned down in the committee and the bill amended to apply to chickens.—Roseau County Times.

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SEVERAL ARE IN MOURNING

SHOEMAKER LEFT BETWEEN TWO DAYS AND HIS CREDITORS GRIEVE

BELIEVED THAT HE HAS LOCATED AGAIN IN DEVILS LAKE, NORTH DAKOTA

From Monday's Daily—

A few days ago John Kron, shoemaker who was located on South Main street left the city between two days, and there are a number of business men who are grieving.

It appears that Kron managed to get accommodations from fuel dealers and others, having borrowed some money from some business men, and promised to pay them with several others he owed on a certain date.

The night preceeding that date he took a train out of the city. Several railroad men state that they have seen him since in Devils Lake, and he will hear from his local creditors later if this is the case. As far as can be learned he said nothing to any of them, and it is certain that he gave no intimation to at least four of them that he was going or his luggage might have been stopped.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES HELD

LAST SAD RITES OVER REMAINS OF MRS. CHARLES LATTA THIS AFTERNOON

This afternoon the funeral services were held over the remains of Mrs. Chas. Latta at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sargent, 706 South Ash street, a short sermon having been preached by Rev. Willard S. Ward of the Presbyterian church. The house was filled with the friends of the bereaved family who desired to pay a last tribute of respect to one loved and honored by all who knew her. The floral tributes were numerous and aside from the individual contributions there was a special contribution "from the newspaper fraternity" of which the bereaved husband has been an honored member for years.

May E. Latta was 36 years and 7 months of age. She died at her home in Plummer at 2:15 a. m. last Friday as the result of on internal hemorrhage. Tho she had been ill for some time her condition had promised complete recovery until the attack which resulted in her death which was very sudden. She is the only surviving child of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sargent and her remains were laid to rest beside those of her sister, Miss Maude Sargent in Oakdale Cemetery, who died several years ago. Deceased came to Crookston from Rice county with her parents in 1879 and has lived in and near Crookston ever since, having moved to Plummer four years ago. She leaves three sons aged 7 5½ and 3 years respectively, and a sorrowing husband.

A specially sad feature of the funeral is that today is the 10th anniversary of her wedding which took place at the family residence where the funeral was held this afternoon, ten years ago this evening.

Deceased had been a faithful member of the Woman's Relief Corps in Crookston for years and that order attended the services today in a body and sent a special floral offering.

The pall bearers today were Messrs. John Crawford, Robert Cram, I. W. Kinder, Walter Stone, D. H. Turner and Archie Hillard.

The members of the stricken family have the deepest sympathy of all in their hour of sorrow. Deceased was loved and honored by all who knew her and her sudden death has cast a veil of sorrow over both Crookston and Plummer.

WHO OWNS THE AIR?

Ancient Legal Maxim Says Man Owns Land "Up to the Sky."

It is still a moot point whether or not the flying of airships over private property may be opposed by due process of law.

In England there is an ancient maxim embodied in the English common law which says, "He who owns the land owns it up to skies." This venerable rule, a legal authority points out, is as good today as ever it was and is full of menacing significance to the airship builder.

The effect of this rule is to give the owner of land the exclusive right to the free enjoyment of the air over and above the four corners of his holding, and any interference with that enjoyment, however apparently slight and harmless, constitutes a trespass, for which an action may be brought.

Applications for injunctions against airship owners and actions for trespass by aggrieved landowners are not unlikely proceedings in the near future.—New York Sun.

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CROOKSTON CO. WON SUIT

MAPLE BAY MANUFACTURING CO. WINS SUIT REGARDING PATENT RIGHTS

OF FAMOUS WINDSTACKER FORMERLY MADE HERE—RIGHT SINCE SOLD

The United States Court of Appeal for the District of Columbia has just handed down a decision which will be of general interest here in that the Maple Bay Manufacturing Co., won the suit protecting the patent on the Maple Bay Windstacker which was later sold by the local company to the Indiana Windstacker Co.

The local company however had to protect the patent in a big suit which ha sbeen in court for some time past. Chas. Loring who represented the Maple Bay Manufacturing Co., of this city just received notice of the decision.

S. A. SMART VISITS CROOKSTON

GENERAL BAGGAGEMASTER OF GREAT NORTHERN SPENT DAY HERE

General Baggagemaster S. A. Smart of the Great Northern returned to St. Paul last evening after spending the day in Crookston where he attended to some business matters in connection with his department. He found things in good shape under the efficient management of Ed Gunderson the local baggageman.

N. Y. C. PRESIDENT CLIMBED FROM BOTTOM

William C. Brown new president of the New York Central road, was once a railway telegraph operator in the twin cities. When H. L. Williams at various times assistant general super intendent in Minneapolis general manager of the Milwaukee system and now president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound road, was train dispatcher of the river division in Minneapolis more than 25 years ago, Brown was a telegraph operator at St. Paul and was frequently called upon to do a little dispatching himself. Mr. Williams later recommended Brown to the Burlington and he was made dispatcher at Beardstown, Ill.

Mr. Brown was a son of a Baptist minister at Lime Springs, Iowa, brother of the railroad station agent. Now the brother is traveling freight agent for the New York Central and W. C. Brown is president.

It was as section hand that Mr. Brown started railroading. He worked on the section at Thompson, Ill., between Savannah and Rock Island, on the old Racine & Southwestern road, now the Chicago & Council Bluffs division of the Milwaukee road.

Pneumonia Follows La Grippe

Pneumonia often follows la grippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar for la grippe coughs and deep seated colds. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

There is a striking similarity between some monkeys some mules and some men.

BUILDING AT ADA GUTTED

FIRE DAMAGED THE MATTSON BLOCK THERE THIS MORNING AT 1 O'CLOCK

BANG RESTAURANT COMPLETELY DESTROYED—GROCERY STORE WAS DAMAGED

From Tuesday's Daily—

This morning a fire started by an explosion of a gasoline stove in the Martin Bang restaurant in Ada ruined everything in the restaurant and badly damaged the Whynot Grocery store in the same building, while the law office of Peter Mattson, who owns the building and has offices there was smoked out, but all his law books were carried out with but little damage.

The fire department did great work. The building is a frame structure in the center of a block with frame buildings on both sides but three streams of water soon had the fire under control tho the building is completely gutted. Had there been a wind the residents fear it would have been the worst fire in the history of Ada.

Bang's loss is $400 with no insurance.

Fred Wattson, proprietor of Whynot Grocery loss on stock $500, insurance $300.

SAYS FARMERS ARE IN GOOD SHAPE

LOTS OF PLOWING DONE AND ALL HAVE PLENTY OF SEED GRAIN

James A. Stroble, the agent for the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co. at Angus spent last evening in the city on business, returning home this morning. Mr. Stroble is also the veteran assessor of that township and the county auditor says he is one of the best in the business.

Mr. Stroble says farmers around Angus are in fine shape for the coming year. They have lots of plowing done and have plenty of seed grain something that has been scarce among them, many of them having to buy from year to year.

He also says that very few places are shipping any more cream and butter than Angus—another most favorable sign.

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OLD SETTLER PASSES AWAY

HANS H. BERG ONE OF THE FIF FARMERS IN POLK COUNTY

ENDURED MANY HARDS' IN EARLY DAYS—FIN PROSPERED

P. L. Berg of Climax was an arrival in the city this morning from Climax near where he resides on the old Stortroen farm south of Neby, which he purchased a few years ago dividing his time between looking after the farm and sinking artesian wells.

He brought the news of the death of Hans H. Berg of the town of Vineland one of the very first settlers in Polk county, who drove to the valley before the railroads were built, coming overland with an ox team. He settled on the homestead in Vineland where he lived till the end came on Jan. 7, after several years of illhealth tho he was confined to his bed but a week before he died.

He was a man highly thought of by his neighbors and general sympathy is extended to the bereaved wife and children.

Hans H. Berg was born in Toten, Nonway Dec. 7, 1839 and was the fourth of five children born to Hans and Kirstine (Olson) Hanson. His father was a farmer and blacksmith and deceased was reared in the same occupations. He remained at home until he was 25 years of age. After his marriage he came to America in 1867. He crossed the waters on a sailing vessel and five weeks and four days was consumed in the journey. He set sail from Christiania and landed at Quebec, from which point he went direct to Detroit and Chicago and thence to Freeborn County Minn. The first year of his residence there he hired out to others and then spent six years at the blacksmith trade.

He came to the Red River Valley in August 1873 in company with Hans Bangen, Ole O. Estenson and Peder A. Thompson making the trip with oxen and taking other stock along. It took one month to complete the journey. They arrived at their destination too late to break land and went to work cutting hay for stock. Mr. Berg built his own log house with his wife's assistance.

That summer he went to Oak Lake, Becker county, and filed on one hundred and thirty-five acres of land in section 10 of Vineland township and this tract has been his home continuously since that date till his death.

His first house was a log structure with no floor, door of windows. He later built a pleasant residence and was comfortably situated.

Mr. Berg marketed his first wheat at a flat-boat near Frog Point now Belmont. This boat was owned by Clark & McClure and the wheat was shipped north to Manitoba for seed there.

The Red River flood of 1897 following the hard snowy winter flooded the land around Mr. Berg's barn and he put his calves and sheep in the hay loft and kept his large stock outside on the prairie until the water subsided.

Mr. Berg was always deeply interested in the affairs of his township and during his early residence there served as chairman of the township board for six years. He was also interested in the educational advancement and served as school treasurer since the organization of school district No. 6 until his death.

Mr. Berg was married at the age of 2‑ years to Miss Tidna Thompson. Mrs. Berg died in 1884. Mr. Berg was later married to Miss Syverine Hanstad in 1886 and the following children were born to this union: Karine, Hilda Theresa, Emma, Sara, Hans Laura Marguritte, and Hanna Soffie. All of whom are living. Deceased is also survived by his wife.

Partly So.

"Confess," he thundered, "you are another's!"

She shivered.

"Partially," she faltered. "This hair"—she pressed her hand to her brow—"and the upper teeth I wear are borrowed; the rest—yours."

The Feminine Paradox.

The uneducated woman has often the quickest perception, the finest tact, the most vivid sensibility. She will feel without speaking; she understands your inmost thoughts; she knows without being told.—London Black and White.

MORE PRIZES FOR VALLEY

SPLENDID WORK OF MARSHALL CO. MEN IS TO BE PRAISED RECEIVED

FIRST PRIZE FOR BEST HALF BUSHEL OF WHEAT AT OMAHA—COMPETED WITH WORLD

From Tuesday's Daily—

Still more prizes have been captured by Marshall county farmers at the Omaha corn exposition. L. Lamberson the Warren Banker has just been notified that he has been awarded the first prize of $90 in competition with the world for best half bushel of wheat milling test for pastry flour. Thus again has the superiority of our No. 1 hard wheat been recognized, the wheat that has made the Red River Valley famous.

A country that possesses a sail and climate capable of producing such excellent wheat oats, barley, flax and clover, as has been demonstrated in this contest, is bound to become rich and populous.

SLAYER OF GIRL DIES OF WOUND

GEORGE FITZMAURICE WILL NOT HAVE TO STAND TRIAL FOR HIS CRIME

RELATIVES OF DECEASED TAKE BODY TO HOME AT CRYSTAL FOR BURIAL

From Monday's Daily—

George Fitzmaurice who shot and killed Gusta Nelson, of Mohall N. D. in a fit of drunken rage because she was going to a party contrary to his wishes, died yesterday morning at 8:10 in a hospital at Minot where he had been hovering between life and death since January 26 the day of the tragedy. His death ends the interest of the state authorities in the case. Following the murder he had been placed formally under arrest altho there was no hope for his recovery at any time. The parents of the deceased who are residents of Crystal and his brothers and sisters were present when the end came. The body was shipped to Crystal for burial.

Popular as a Student

Fitzmaurice was about 33 years old and when a student at the University of North Dakotaa few years ago distinguished himself in athletics. He was a popular young man in those days. He attended the university from 1897 to 1902 and failed to graduate.

On the day of the murder he told Miss Nelson aged 18 years to whom he had been paying some attention that if she attended an entertainment that evening he would kill her. She paid no attntion to his talk as he often made rash statements when intoxicated.

Waited at the Door

Fitzmaurice drank more liquor and when Miss Nelson left her boarding place in company with a girl chum and Dick Teslow he was waiting with a gun. Miss Nelson ran backward toward the door saying: "My goodness are you going to shoot me."

Fitzmaurice fired and Miss Nelson fell to the ground. He then turned the revolver on himself and inflicted a fatal wound in his head.

There is a great deal of sympathy for his relatives who did everything in their power to reform him.

Suiting His Theory.

"When I hear of a new theory," said a scientist, "I am reminded of the two geologists. At a certain summer resort one brilliant afternoon the younger geologist from his bedroom window saw the older man rolling a great rock down the side of a mountain.

"He watched the work for nearly three hours. The old geologist, thin and little and white whiskered, had a hard time of it to guide that rock almost as big as himself. But he persevered. He got the rock down where he wanted it just as the dinner bell rang.

"The younger man said to him wonderingly at dinner:

"'What were you doing with that rock this afternoon, professor?'

"'Why,' the professor answered, 'the fact is the thing was 600 feet too high to suit my theory.'"

"Do you speak the truth?"

"Not always."

"Why not always?"

"I hate to be impolite."—Nashville American.

MRS. WRIGHT GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Cr/me harged Against Prisoner was Murder Of Young Girl She Adopted. No Eye Witnesses.

Devils Lake, N. D., Feb. 10—Guilty of manslaughter in the second degree and fixing the punishment at five years in the state penitentiary was the verdict in the case of the state vs. Mrs. Mary Wright charged with the mruder of her foster daughter Babe Wright at their home on a farm near this city last summer. The case has ben heard before Judge Cowan and has consumed all the time of the court for past several weeks. There was much testimony of a sensational nature introduced during the trial.

The defense set up the claim that the girl died of heart disease and the state claimed death was due to strangulation or suffocation at the hands of Mrs. Wright the prisoner.

Numerous depositions were made by people residing in the former home of Mrs. Wright and her daughter, as regards the character and the past life of the defendant and much of the testimony went to bear out the contention that she always lead a straight life.

The evidence that convicted the woman was the fact that she was seen to destroy a bloody handkerchief shortly after the death of the girl and a number of remarks that she made in the presence of witnesses regarding her relations with the murdered girl.

The story of the crime is familiar to all. The girl had been to a country dance and upon her return home engaged in a quarrel with her foster mother and the next morning the young woman's body was found cold in death upon her bed. Neighbors were called in by Mrs. Wright and it was at this time she dropped the remarks that lead first to her arrest and finally to her conviction yesterday evening. The jury went out at 2:45 i nthe afternoon and did not return the verdict until 9:15. The case will undoubtedly be appealed.

Cab Wit.

The French have an expression about "cab wit"—that is, a Frenchman returning from a party and alone in his cab thinks of lots of clever things he might have said. There is a great deal of cab wit outside of France.—Atchison Globe.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER IS A NORWEGIAN

DEERFIELD NEWS, WIS., NEWS STATES THAT HE WAS BORN ON A FARM OWNED LATER BY HALVOR BJOIN FATHER OF OLE H. AND THOMAS BJOIN OF THIS CITY—THEIR MARRIED SISTER, MRS. OLE KLONGLAND IS NOW LIVING ON THE FARM—DESCRIPTION TALLIES CLOSELY WITH THAT OF THE OIL KING

John D. Rockefeller is a Norwegian. At least that the way the Deerfield Wis., News has it figured out, and what makes the story published by that paper particularly interesting to Crookston people is that Rockefeller alleged father, Torbjon Berrenuten at the time John D. was born resided on a 40 acre farm which he later sold to Halvor Bjoin father of Ole H. and Thomas Bjoin of this city, and at the present time their sister, Mrs. Ole Klongland is residing on the same tract, it having been bought by them following the sale of the property after the death of Halvor Bjoin, which occurred three years ago the coming spring. Ole H. and Thomas Bjoin are very much interested in the story published in the Deerfield News, under date of Jan. 20 which is as follows:

"Reliable evidence has come to this office that John D. Rockefeller is a Norwegian. His father, it is now figured was Torbjon Berrenuten and he lived on a 40 acre piece of land in the town of Pleasant Spring, Dane Co., Wis., six miles south of this place which is now owned by Halvor Bjoin.

Berrenuten died in 1860. He had a daughter who was married to a wealthy Watertown man. He also had a son who was considerably younger. Berrenuten took a trip to the southern states and while there gave his son away to a well-to-do family. The age of the boy corresponds so the neighbors say, and he has many of the characteristics of young Berrenuten.

"Berrenuten was a tall gaunt man very powerful, and in many ways brilliant. It is told of him that once when he borrowed a fanning mill, he put a rope around it and carried to to his home a couple of miles away. Another time he borrowed a wagon box of a neighbor, flung it upon his back and carried it to his place a mile away.

"He was witty and entertaining in conversation, and his mental makeup was in many ways identical with that of Rockefeller's. His face, shape of head and baldness of pate also bear a striking resemblance to the Oil King."

On this same subject Joseph Bartles father of Chas. Bartles of Grand Forks and president of the Bartles Oil company of St. Paul, and of the Bartles Dakota Oil company of Grand Forks was for 15 years connected with the Standard Oil company, and knew John D. Rockefeller intimately. He has a fund of anecdotes concerning the oil magnate which are quite interesting. In a recent interview in the St. Paul Dispatch in which he had a column article, among other things he said:

"There always was some mystery about John D.'s father. Some time ago there was a story to the effect that he was a horse trader in North Dakota and that he died there recently without being acknowledged by his son. The old man was said to have been a sport and was fond of horse racing." The Dakota man referred to was Dr. Livingstone.

Waiters on Horseback.

In great French houses of days gone by dinner was announced by the blowing of hunting horns, and it is on record that at certain gala feasts the dishes were brought in by servants in full armor mounted upon caparisoned horses, a practice we could only look for during the reign of chivalry. Of the attendants at dinner the carver and server took precedence over all the others. They stood probably on each side of their lord. The server, it may be mentioned, was the officer who placed the dishes on the table.

Buddhist Ceremonies.

Some Buddhist ceremonies present a striking analogy to certain Christian rites. An old missionary says: "The very titles of their intercessions, such as 'goddess of mercy,' 'holy mother,' 'queen of heaven,' with an image of the virgin having a child in her arms holding a crescent, are all such striking coincidences that the Catholic missionaries were greatly stumbled at the resemblances between Chinese worship and their own when they came over to convert the natives to Christianity."—London Standard.

BLOODY FIGHT IN E.G. FORKS

TWO EMPLOYES IN GREAT NORTHERN FREIGHT DEPOT ENGAGE IN FIGHT

ONE STABBED SERIOUSLY AND IS IN HOSPITAL—OTHER MAN IN JAIL

From Monday's Daily—

Last night Chas. Laughlin and Jas. Dunn, employes in the Great Northern freight depot at East Grand Forks got into a fight the origin of which is not yet known, with the result that Laughlin stabbed Dunn with a sharp office spindle used to hang bills on.

Dunn bled profusely and was hurried to the hospital and Laughlin was placed under arrest and will be arraigned late this afternoon charged with assault with a dangerous weapon. The seriousness of Dunn's injuries cannot be told for a day or two, and complications may set in which will make them fatal.

OLD SETTLERS OF EUCLID.

AN ASSOCIATION WAS ORGANIZED AT MEETING HELD LAST FRIDAY EVENING

OFFICERS ELECTED AND THOROLY GOOD TIME ENJOYED—MEET FEB. 19

From Monday's Daily—

On Friday evening, last nearly 100 of the old settlers of Euclid gathered in the town hall at that place and enjoyed an old-fashioned good time. The early part of the evening was given up to an interesting program, some of the special features of which were a couple of well rendered male quartets some fine German solos by Paul Useldinger and Charlie Habick, a few good readings and last but not least, an original song by Dr. Chapin. After this came a few impromptu speeches, notably one by Mr. John Goodwin, the mayor of Key West.

It was unanimously voted to organize an Old Settlers Club with Dr. Chapin as president, Peter Stuhr, secretary, and Mrs. Nelson, treasurer. The club will meet again on Friday Feb. 19th when the constitution and by-laws will be adopted and signed.

After the literary and business part of the program was disposed of, the remainder of the evening was given over to cards and dancing, and the service of a bountiful supper.

That the organization of this club is a step in the right direction is the universal opinion, as it cannot but prove helpful as well as entertaining, and it shows a progressive spirit among the people of the community.

The spirit of good-fellowship has long been dominant in Euclid, but it has remained for the Old Settlers Club to demonstrate the fact in the fullest degree.

HOME ENDORSEMENT

Hundreds of Crookston Citizens Can Tell You All About It

Home endorsement, the public expression of Crookston people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Crookston reader. Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterances of strangers residing in faraway places. Read the following:

R. G. Burkhardt, bookkeeper, Robert and Ash Sts., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is a pleasure for me to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as they proved their remarkable value by removing pains of a rheumatic nature from my back and limbs. I was also greatly bothered by weak kidneys and I knew this caused the trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended that I procured a box at Wallace's drug store and began using them. I improved immediately and continued taking them until the pains in my back disappeared. My present good health is due to Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Even one taste of defeat may be hard to swallow. as bad as it is possible for them to be

LEMONS RAISED IN CROOKSTON

AGENT W. E. HANDY OF N. P. GOES CORN RAISERS ONE BETTER

HAD LEMON PIE YESTERDAY FROM LEMONS PLUCKED FROM HIS OWN TREES

From Monday's Daily—

While this has been termed the "Banana Belt" no one ever tried raising bananas in the Red River Valley There has been much crowing since it has been demonstrated that corn, apples and all small fruits can be successfully raised in this section.

However it remained with W. E. Handy to make the master stroke. Yesterday at his home a lemon pie was served made from lemons raised on a tree within the city limits of Crookston, Polk County, Minn.

This is no pipe dream or fairy tale. It is a fact. The lemon was picked from the tree about a week ago and the pie was made yesterday. The flavor was fine, Mr. Handy says, just a little superior to southern raised fruits.

Now let the people of Iowa and Illinois sit up and take notice. "Come on up and have a lemon pie with us," should be the P. S. added to letters sent to friends and relatives in the cold middle states.

PRINTING PLANT AUCTIONED OFF

OUTFIT OF GEORGE A. WHEELER & CO. AND MID-WEST CO. BRINGS $3,000

The plant of Geo. A. Wheeler & Co. at Grand Forks was sold at Sheriff's sale Saturday and Dr. L. L. Eckman was the purchaser. He paid $3,000 for the plant. After deducting the amount claimed for taxes and the costs of the seizure and sale Receiver Edmunds turned over the balance to the Union National Bank, which held a mortgage on the outfit for $3,059.87. George A. Wheeler served notice on Deputy Sheriff Benson that he would redeem the property. He has five days in which to redeem it. The plant is invoiced at $12,100.

This is one of the oldest job plants in Grand Forks. The oldest, barring the Herald.

SARAH FRAZIER TO REFORM SCHOOL

INCORRIGIBLE E GRAND FORKS GIRL 14 YEARS OF AGE TAKEN AWAY TODAY

Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan arrived from East Grand Forks this afternoon in charge of Sarah Frazier of East Grand Forks who has been committed to the State Reform School at Red Wing.

The girl is one of the worst as far as being wild is concerned, that ever bobbed up from the west end of Polk Co. She has run the complete gamut of experiences from a sensational elopement down. She got as far as Devils Lake travelling as a man's daughter, and her extreme youthful appearance caused no suspicions till officers went after the man on another charge when their pretty plans were all sent awry.

The girl will now serve an indeterminate sentence at Red Wing in the hope that she may be reformed.

London on American Clothes.

Observes the London Chronicle: "In London the man who demands respect has his clothes made for him. But no New York man who is not a millionaire or near it buys anything but store clothes. And the ready made clothes are so standardized that you have but to confess your inches and you are clothed in America."

Public Opinion.

The single snowflake—who cares for it? But a whole day of snowflakes—who does not care for that? Private opinion is weak, but public opinion is almost omnipotent.

Wolfskin makes the best banjo parchment.

There is only one cure for public distress, and that is public education, directed to make men thoughtful, merciful and just.—Ruskin.

POLICE DID GOOD WORK

TOM TORVELL ARRESTED ADMITTED HE STOLE THE MISSING FEED

WAS FINED $15 AND COSTS, TOTALING $25 BY JUDGE GOSSMAN

From Saturday's Daily—

Chief Eck and his force did some clever work by locating the man who stole the 13 sacks of feed which were left outside the S. C. Johnson last Monday evening by Geo. Traston a farmer east of this city who was to call for them.

Following a clue Chief Eck yesterday sent Cat. Vonderbeck to arrest Tom Torvell, who resides north of Gentilly. The feed was found in Traston's sacks, Torvell was arrested brought before Judge Gossman yesterday afternoon and his fine and costs amounted to over $25.

Torvellsonly comment to Chief Eck was "How the d—l did you know it was me that stole it "

TERRIFIC BLOW CRUSHES FACE

CHRIS GUNDERSON OF FARGO IN NEAR FATAL ACCIDENT AT DILWORTH

From Saturday's Daily—

Struck squarely in the left side of the face by a portion of a scantling thrown with terrific force, from a circular saw it is believed, Chris Gunderson, of Fargo was possibly fatally hurt at the Northern Pacific yards at Dilworth yesterday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock.

Gunderson is employed by the N. P. as car repairer. He was engaged in regular work when dealt the terrific blowwhich rendered him unconscious. The exact cause of the accidentcould not be ascertained.

The sight of the left eye was destroyed and the cheek bone crushed in. He is a man of about 40 years. A wife and family reside in Fargo.

"GUILTY BUT NOT PROVEN"

PARAGRAPH IN THE JOURNAL REGARDING PATTEWAY TRIAL MISINTERPRETED

In Thursday's issue of the Journal at the conclusion of an article headed "Patteway Acquitted" which had reference to his last trial which was for robbing the Guarantee Clothing Store, the following comment was made:

> "During the last trial the court room was again packed, the case of the colored man having aroused intense interest, many thinking that he was convicted the first time because he was colored."

A number of people have made inquiries regarding the article, having received the impression that the Journal believed Patteway was innocent of robbing the Merchants Bank.

No such thought ever occurred to the author of the article. The Journal never doubted Patteway's guilt either in the bank case nor in the clothing case which was tried last. What the Journal did mean to say was that many who attended the trial did not believe that the Evidence presented would have convicted a white man who was as ably defended. The Journal has never heard a single person express the belief that Patteway was innocent. The general sentiment is that it was a case of "Guilty but not proven". For instance the evidence in the last case was much stronger than in the bank case. The money stolen could not be identified. The clothing in the last case was absolutely identified. and was found in Patteway's trunk. His only defense was that he had secured the goods in a Minneapolis pawnshop. Still the jury acquitted him.

This fully explains the statement in the Journal that many thought he was convicted in the first trial "because he was colored" not because he was innocent, but because his guilt was not as clearly proven to suit many and on top of it all must be remembered that those who expressed such opinions had been listening to Atty. McGhee who had striven in every way to impress that same fact, that were it not for his color Patteway would be promptly acquitted. His address had more effect on the audience, evidently, than it had on the jury sitting in the case.

The Journal hopes that its position is now clearly understood. It was publishing the news, not voicing its own sentiments by any means.

The hard drinker is usually an easy one.

PLANS FOR LINCOLN DAY

CONTEST WILL BE HELD THURSDAY EVENING AT 7:45—FISH TO SPEAK FRIDAY

TWO PROGRAMS IN CITY HALL FRIDAY MORNING AND AFTERNOON

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon there was a joint meeting of the Lincoln Day Celebration committees and the work was found to have progressed in a most satisfactory manner. The contest will take place between the students of the public schools Thursday evening at 7:45 in the Assembly Room at the High School at which time there will be eight competition essays on the life and character of Lincoln delivered by students, and the four best will be selected and given Friday morning in the city hall at 9:30 with the balance of the program. The best recitations also being selected. The contest program is as follows and the program Friday morning will be the same with the elimination of four of the essays.

Program

Music—Orchestra.
Essay—Ada Houston.
Declamation—Gettysburg Address.
A. Prugh
Recitation—The Present Crisis.
Nina Judson
Essay—(Freshman.)
Recitation—From the Bigelow Papers (Johnathan & John)
Edw. Hagen
Essay—(Senior)
Essay—(Junior)
Reading—Selection from Uncle Tom's Cabin—Fay Welcome.
Essay—(Sophomore)
Essay—(Junior)
Recitation—My Captain—Cassie Ball
Declamation—Troussant L'Ouverture H. Anglim.
Essay—(Freshman)
Reading—From Crisis (Churchill)
Meda Chesterman
Essay—(Sophomore)
Recitation—Our Slaves in Chains.
Hazel Leguee
Essay—(Senior)
Recitation—Whitman's Account of the Assassination of Pres. Lincaln at Ford's Theatre.
Oscar Locken
Decision of Judges.

Afternoon Exercises

There will be asecond gathering in the council chambers of the city hall Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at which time Hon. Daniel Fish of Minneapolis a recognized authority on the life of Lincoln and a speaker of great ability.

Mayor McPhee and other leading citizens will participate in this gathering and as it is a public holiday business will be generally suspended and the capacity of the council chambers will be taxed. The general public is also invited to participate in the program at the city hall Friday morning at 9:30 .

Further particulars will be furnished from day to day as they materialize.

SEVEN STITCHES OVER HIS EYE

Wednesday afternoon as Trainer Will Keenan who has charge of the Lycan string was jogging the Walsh colt, a passing auto frightened the animal and he wheeled short tipped over the rig and began plunging and kicking fiercely.

Trainer Keenan is not one of the kind to let loose of the reins and tho he received a vicious kick, laying open the flesh over the right eye to such an extent that seven stitches were necessary to close the wound, he held to the reins and stoppd the frightened horse.

HIS BANK ACCOUNT GROWS STEADILY

John P. Georgen one of the progressive farmers near Euclid for the past 21 years was in the city the other day on one of his regular trips which he makes every two weeks with butter and other produce. He has regular customers in the city the year around who take all the butter he can make from his 18 cows. Mr. Georgen has 50 head of cattle and is gradually increasing his herd. He also raises several hundred bushels of potatoes every year and last year he sold the entire crop at an average of 75 cents per bushel. His real early potatoes he sold readily at $1.50 per bushel and gradually the price went down till in the fall he disposed of the balance at 60 cents. This crop also netted him a neat sum. His last trip to the city he had his Journal pegged ahead for another year. It might be stated also, that during the past 21 years Mr. Georgen's bank deposit has been growing steadily.

NEW INDUSTRY FOR CROOKSTON

HOME BAKERY DEPARTMENT TO BE ESTABLISHED BY SLOCUM GROCERY CO.

LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR A BIG MANUFACTURING PLANT —WIDE FIELD

From Saturday's Daily—

The Slocum Grocery Company decided upon a new and very important branch to the business, a branch that promises to grow vastly bigger than the business of which it will be started as an addition, by the establishment of a home bakery department.

What It Means

This should not be confused with a bakery in the ordinary acceptation of the term, but rather a plant along the line of those maintained by Geo. H. Wilder of Grand Forks, Yerxa and others, of Minneapolis and St. Paul, and other large metropolitan stores in which an immense business is worked up and catered to in outside towns, and tributary to Crookston there is a vast field for operations with ideal shiping facilities in all directions.

The Products

In addition to bread, which is really a side issue, everything in the line of pastry will be baked, candies manufactured, saratoga chips, baked beans, salads prepared and everything of that kind turned out ready for the table. There is practically no limit to the products in that line.

A Metropolitan Move

This is ametropolitan move, and means that the people of Crookston and surrounding territory will be given all the advantages enjoyed by people of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Products of the department will be shipped to any point and there is hardly any limit to the possibilities with no similar institution operating in Northern Minnesota.

Not Competing with Bakeries

The establishment is not in any way competing with the local bakeries tho some of the products will naturally be the same, but the idea is to make the Slocum grocery strictly metropolitan and give the people the same service they can secure in the larger grocery stores of the big cities and at the same time give surrounding towns the same advantage.

A Model Plant

Mr. Slocum has matured all his plans. He spent last week in Minneapolis inspecting the similar departments in the large grocery stores there, getting the very latest ideas and also conferred with dealers in the necessary machinery and equipment, and everything installed will be of the latest and most improved design, capable of the highest class of products.

Secured Competent Man

A. R. Faust a thoroly competent man has been secured who will begin at once to partition a large room the entire length of the spacious store room at the rear of the Slocum Block which will be planned with every convenience for the new department and it is expected that the machinery will be installed and the plant ready for operation by March 15 and perhaps before that time. Mr. Faust comes from Glendive, Montana but prior to going there had valuable experience in Minneapolis and St. Paul and is a high class man.

High Class Trade

The department will be a model of cleanliness, and will at all times be open to the inspection of the public. It is the intention to cater to parties either in the city or at any outside point. Orders can be sent in from any part of this territory and will be filled and shipped promptly.

Great Possibilities

Mr. Slocum believes that this department as started will be the foundation of a manufacturing plant the possibilities of which there is scarcely any limit. The field here is broad almost without limit, and there is no reason why the industry should not grow to such proportions that a separate plant with many employes will be necessary, and the industry one of the most important of any in Crookston.

It is simply another step of Crookston towards assuming more metropolitan propositions and means that the smaller cities and villages tributary to this city can get a service which heretofore they could not secure.

It means that they will have to look to Crookston more than ever before.

COL. STADSVOLDS FATHER ILL

Col. S. S. Stadsvold a prominent business man and politician of Fosston came in on the local last evening and departed on the flyer later on for a trip south. He will spend a few days with two of his children who are

A man's descriptive ability is apt to go lame when he tries to tell his wife how some other woman was dressed.

ADVERTISING CROOKSTON

JUDGE HALE OF RECENT POULTRY SHOW HAS KIND WORDS FOR THIS CITY

PRAISES POULTRY, CITY, AND THE MANNER IN WHICH THE SHOW WAS CONDUCTED

From Saturday's Daily—

Conventions of any kind advertise a city. Many people who are called upon to contribute toward defraying the expenses of a convention feel as though it was a donation pure and simple, when as a matter of fact it should be looked upon as on investment which will bring abundant returns. D. E. Hale officiated as judge at the Poultry Show held here in December and is associate editor of the Western Poultry Journal which has an immense circulation thruout the central states and following is the conclusion of an article which appears in the latest issue of that Journal:

But after visiting Santa Claus we had to hike for Crookston. Surprised? Well, I should say yes. We expected to find a town of about 3,000 but we found one between 8,000 and 10,000 and everything real meropolitan. The poultry show. Well, it was the prettiest set up show I ever saw and that is saying a good deal. In the first place the boys showed their high forehead in putting Mrs. Mitchell in as secretary, for she knows her business and was there early and late doing her work well and infusing a spirit of sunshine that spread thru the whole show. Of course Mr. Mitchell was there hustling all the time, but he is willing to give Mrs. Mitchell all the credit. The boys have made their own cooping system regulation size, painted blue, covered and partitioned with white muslin that certainly showed the birds off fine.

They had a good sized hall so the cages were only single decked and certainly looked swell. Another year they will try and coop each bird singly. There was plenty of quality, especially in all the Rocks, White and Buff Leghorns, Orpingtons, Hamburgs, Polish W. F. Spanish and Pit Games. These were all large and fine classes. We heard no complaint here about birds being late and under weight. Here we have birds raised way north, you might save 98 per cent of them up to weight, with one White Rock cockerel weighing 9 3-4 pounds.

Just to show they are hustling all the time, they elected Mr. Saugstad to the legislature. He is one of the leading exhibitors, showed a big string won his share of the ribbons and promises to help us all he can to get that appropriation for a chair at the agricultural college. By the way, we elected the same kind of a man from our home county, Olmstead County, Minn. It is time the chicken men made their wants known and use their vote right it is bound to count and command respect for the business.

Crookston has a good crowd of enthusiastic Pit Game breeders, showing about twenty cockerels. We judged them the only real way to judge Pit Games and there was no doubt about the winners and everyone seemed pleased. Don't you score Pit Games is often asked. Oh, yes, every time he scores a knockout he moves nearer the blue ribbon. It don't go everywhere, but it does some places and is the only real way. We are writing this at Rockwell City and from here we expect to get home for Christmas and see if the folks will know us.

—D. E. H.

THE COMMERCIAL CLUB OF ROSEAU

HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION—R. J. BELL AT THE HEAD

At the meeting of the commercial club of Roseau the following officers were elected for the ensuing yar:

President—R. J. Bell.
Vice President—Mike Holm.
Secretary—J. H. Witmaack.
Treasurer—Olaf Holdahl.
Directors—Israel Sjoberg, A. O. Hagen, A. H. Foss, A. Waag, S. T. Holdahl, T. D. Thorson, R. H. Medicraft.

The executive committee is composed of the president and secretary and Messrs. Sjoberg, Hagen and Waag.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." Sold by all druggists.

Running up bills soon runs a man's reputation down.

HOUSE KILLS COUNTY OPTION

BILL IS BURIED BY A MAJORITY OF TWENTY-NINE VOTES, NO DEBATE PERMITTED

SEVERAL MEMBERS IN EXPLAINING THEIR VOTES, PROTEST SUPPRESSION OF SPEECH

From Friday's Daily—

St. Paul, Feb. 5—County option was given a two year set-back yesterday when the house defeated A. K. Ware's bill by a vote of 44 to 73. The opponents of the bill refused to accord a hearing to those in favor of the measure, by voting to eliminate all debate on the question. The latter motion was carried by a vote of 66 to 51.

When the house was called to order by Speaker Rockne at 11 o'clock today the galleries were filled with spectators who evidently anticipated a clash between the backers and opponents of the measure. That mast of the onlookers were county optionists was apparent when they applauded each member who voted in favor of the bill Their enthusiasm became so rampant that Representative L. H. Johnson, of Minneapolis, arose to a point of order and requested the speaker to have the rules of the house enforced, which prohibit demonstrations of such character.

The majority report of the committee on temperance, recommending the indefinite postponement of the bill, and the minority report, advising its passage had barely been read by the clerk when R. J. Wells of Breckenridge, moved the previous question.

The motion was not debatable but that rule did not prevent several members from speaking to the main question by explaining their votes.

Protests against the application of gag rule were made by Representatives Lennon, McKenzie, Washburn, White and Ware, the author of the bill.

The Vote in Detail

The vote on the motion to adopt the minority report which would give the bill a chance for its life, was as follows:

Ayes—44

Adams, Bendixen, Bicknell, Bjorge, Burnquist, Campbell, Carlson, Conley, Davies, Davis, Ferguson, Gates, Haugland, Holmberg, Holten, Horton, Johnson, C. E Johnson, J. N. Johnson, J. T., Lee, Lobeck, Mattson, McGrath, McMartin, Melby, Nagel, Nelson, O. B., Noble, Opsahl, Putnam, H. A., Putnam, W. H., Rines, Robertson, Rosenwald, Rustad, Sampson, Saugstad, Sawyer, Spooner, Sulerud, Swendson, Wallace, Ware, Wright, C. J.

Noes—73

Allen, Anderson, Austin, Baldwin, Bargen, Brady, Brown, Buck, Carey, Carley, Christensen, Congdon, Conroy, Dalzell, Denzer, Dorsey, Dower, Doyle, Duea, Emmel, Fitzpatrick, Friedman, Gartside, Goodspeed, Graham, Grant, Greene, Handlan, Henry, Herzberg, Hinds, Johnson, L. H., Jorgenson, Kelly, Kling, Krause, Lende, Lennon, Mackenzie, McGarry, McNeill Mork, Murphy, Nelson, H., Nimocks, Nolan, Nye, O'Brien, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pfaender, Phillips, Rodenberg, Rowe, Sahler, Selb, Sikorski, Stence, Stone, Stuart, Sullivan, Thayer, Virtue, Washburn, Webb, Wells, Welter, Westcott, White, Wohlhuter, Wright, F. B., Zelch.

STEPHENS PRESIDENT OF MERCHANTS BANK

VIRGIL McGREGOR SUCCEEDS HIM AS CASHIER—OTHERS NOT YET NAMED

The directors of the Merchants National Bank met this afternoon, A. D. Stephens having arrived from St. Paul this morning to attend the meeting and look after some other business matters. The election is in progress as we goto press, A. D. Stephens having been elected president to succeed the late John Cromb, and Virgil McGregor having been elected as cashier to succeed Mr. Stephens. M. Ericsson is vice president and C. E. Gildersleeve assistant cashier.

WILL GO TO ALBERTA FARM

Bert Neill, the well known and good natured brakesman on the Fargo-St. Vincent run who resides in this city, will leave this spring for his farm in Alberta where he will spend the summer, He is going to take four fine oxen up with him and will do a stunt at breaking up land that will surprise the natives. He never drove oxen before and is going to establish a new code for their guidance, instead of "whoa, haw, gee, buck" he is going to use the regular train signals on them, and expects by this mthod to get greater speed with less friction.

ITCHING ECZEMA FIFTY-FIVE YEARS

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MAKE QUICK WORK OF EMBEZZLER

JAMES E. McDONALD IS TAKEN TO THE PENITENTIARY FROM RUGBY

Pierce County, N. D., authorities made quick work of James E. McDonald, telegraph operator for the Great Northern at Rugby who was arrested last Friday on a charge of embezzling funds belonging to the Western Union company.

McDonald was nabbed at Casselton by the Great Northern detectives Friday and was taken to Rugby. He was on No. 3 on his way out of the state, it is thought.

He was taken before the authorities at Rugby and pleaded guilty getting one year in the penitentiary.

Sheriff Erickson of Pierce county yesterday took McDonald to the penitentiary at Bismarck.

GUILTY OF SUNDAY OPENING

The last case to be considered by the special term of the district court which convened last Tuesday was disposed of at an after supper session last evening, being the trial of Kittleson and Holte of East Grand Forks charged with keeping open on Sundays. The jury reached an agreement of guilty after being out nearly all night.

A stay of 20 days was granted.

In the assault case in whichOle Myrben charged his bartender, Hans Wang with having assaulted him. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty. This was an appeal case from the municipal court of East Grand Forks.

FAIR ASSOCIATION IS IN FINE SHAPE

The annual meeting of the Red Lake County Agricultural Association was held recently at Thief River Falls Dr. G. A. Penny the secretary of the association made his annual report and it showed that the association is in a prosperous condition. The dates for the fair this year will be Wednesday Thursday and Friday, August 4, 5 and 6. As the lease on the fair grounds expires this year, a committee was appointed to select a new location.

Wahkon Enterprise: Senator Witherstine of Rochester would impose a fine of $2 on the citizen who does not vote on election day, and he would disfranchise the voter until the fine is paid. How would it be to use those fines as a healing balm for defeated candidates?

FEAST FOR RNIG FRIENDS

J. L. SULLIVAN PLANNING TO REVIVE ANCIENT MEMORIES AT SEATTLE EXPOSITION

WILL GIVE REPRODUCTIONS OF GREAT BATTLES, USING MEN WHO FOUGHT THEM

Seattle, Feb. 6—Having dipped generously into about everything else, John L. Sullivan is about to launch himself into occultism.

The one time champion of all the "champs" is planning a resurrection, or a materialization, or some other psychic stunt and as a result of it, so he declares, the pugilistic ghosts of othera days will be conjured to do their turn for a little time, as they did it in the days of the greensward and the skin tight glove.

It seems something like a century and a half now, since the oBston boy laid Paddy Ryan low on the banks of the lower Mississippi. To be accurate, it was in 1883 that the one good Irishman was laid away by a better one and the question of the championship brought down out of the air.

It was a whole lot later than that, but almost as long ago, so far as memory serves, that Jake Kilrain was planted on the same well greased toboggan and between that time and this there has been many another good man sent on his way to the place where all good mittmen go, via the same route.

It is these ghostly shadows of the past that Sullivan would bring back into the theater of events, that present generations may see what manner of man it was who fought when nothing save pistols was barred and the anvil was considered a legitimate weapon of offense.

It is in Seattle that Sullivan plans this wholesale revivification of the dead ones. He has arranged with the directorate of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition for a concession on the "Pay Streak" and there he will set up a ring of the old days—not a ring with a velvet carpet on the floor and a lot of sofa pillows stuck around, but a real turf ring, with a rock or two here and there to make it feel homelike—and with the four posts jerked from a farmer's fence, with the nails left in them. There will be none of your cozy corners, says John L. for either principals or seconds.

And through the ropes will go those pugs of the other day and some of a later day, who still were fighters, for Kid Lavigne will be among those present and there is none to say he was not a grand little man, who took the gaff and liked it when it came his way.

Charley Mitchell, traditional rival of the Boston lad, is in with Sullivan on the real and stranger things could happen than that they two should get together in the late autumn of their careers to settle that long mooted question—they came near to a mill only a pair of years ago.

Sullivan has also pulled Jake Kilrain out of the never never land, and Peter Maher, champion of Ireland, it is announced, will repeat that celebrated Mexican experience of his. Joe Choynski, one of the greatest of the old ones, who still lays claim to a punch, will be another, and there is many a man today in fistina who remembers the time Choynski and Jim Corbett went up San Francisco Bay on a barge to have it out.

"I forgot my gloves," said Joe when the barge came to anchor.

"Take these," said Corbett, "and cut the fingers off them," and he pulled from his pocket a pair of driving gloves with beautifully sewed silk welts down the backs of them. An hour later these same welts had made the bank clerk's face look like an unimproved hamburger steak. It was only the foolish or uninformed who after that said Corbett had the streak in him.

That Corbett will be one of them, may not be said, for—bless you, man—he is now talking of tearing Jack Johnson's head off and throwing it in his face and it is not seemly that ghosts should talk like that.

But if Corbett isn't, the rest of the old guard will be, an even score of them, and it will be such a show as will touch the hearts of the right ones, and be a lesson to those today chaps who settle their differences with cream puffs at twenty paces.

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DECREASED R.R.EARNINGS

STATEMENT FOR LAST HALF OF 1908 SHOWS SUBSTANTIAL LOSS OVER 1907.

OMAHA ROAD AND THE M. & ST. L. REPORT GREATER NET INCOME THAN IN 1907.

The statement of the earnings and expenses of the Great Northern system for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1908, shows a decided falling off in the income of the road as compared with the six months ending Dec. 31, 1907. The operating expenses for the last half of 1907 amounted, after deductions for expenses, to $12,858,712.34, while for the last half of 1908 the the operating income was $12,492,100.27, showing a decrease of $366,612.07, or a little less than three per cent.

In the operating income of the road there was a decrease of $3,700,325.52, or more than 10 per cent, but the adoption of a policy of retrenchment and a reduction in the expenses of the road along almost every line, together with careful management, served to counter-balance a large part of this. The total operating expenses were cut $3,512,928.26, or about 17 per cent.

The heaviest decrease was in the revenue from freight traffic, where there was a decrease from $26,441,193.87, to $23,175,892.28. or $3,265,301.59. In the passenger department the decrease was not quite so marked, tho it amounted to $543,499.49.

The percentage of decrease for December was less than for the preceding six months. The total operating revenues of the road for that month were $4,135,634.42. This is $453,561.14, or about 9 per cent, less than the revenues for December, 1907.

While the figures show that business improved somewhat in December, as compared with the months immediately preceding, the actual operating income showed a greater decrease compared with December, 1907, than the decrease of the six months ending Dec. 31, 1908, comparel with the six months ending Dec. 31, 1907. The operating income for December, 1908, compared with December 1907, shows a decrease of $106,349.82, or over 7 per cent.

Omaha Road Did Well

For the six months ending Dec. 31, 1908, the gross earnings of the Omaha road were $7,137,739, and the net income was $333,662 greater than for the same period in 1907. The gain was made through reductions in operating expenses.

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Horticulture Versus Theology.

Small Johnny had on his best clothes, and his mamma told him not to play in the dirt with them on.

"Don't they have any dirt in heaven to play in?" he asked.

"No, of course not," replied his mother.

"Then what do little boys do up there?" queried Johnny.

"Oh, they play harps and sing and sit under beautiful trees," was the reply

"Well," said the little fellow, "I don't see how they can have trees if there ain't no dirt."—Houston Post.

In Great Luck.

"I have been looking over my financial operations," said Mr. Easigo. "I must say they are more successful than usual."

"Have you been making large profits?"

"No. I don't expect anything like that."

"But you say you were successful?"

"Comparatively successful. During the month I have loaned money to five friends, and only three of them have quit speaking to me."—Washington Star.

You can't keep happiness from breaking out on your face.

WANT GOOD REPUBLICANS

MINNESOTA SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN ARE NONE TOO AMIABLE.

THE GOPHER DELEGATION FEELS THAT THE PRESIDENT HAS NOT BEEN DIPLOMATIC.

Washington, Feb. 6—Minnesota senators and members of the house are not in the most amiable frame of mind during the closing months of this administration.

It is evident from talking with them that they feel that efforts along certain lines have not been successful for the reason that the president at sundry times has made appointments without consulting with either one of the senators and with no member of the house.

One of the senators in speaking of this the other day, said: "We would not care so much, if the president would appoint good, able republicans to positions of responsibility, for we consider his administration as republican. But when he names prominent democrats for official favor, men who have run for office on the democratic ticket and then turn around and say they are republicans, it certainly puts the Minnesota delegation in Washington in a bad light at home."

The reference to democratic appointments applies specifically to the case of M. J. Costello, for years private secretary to Mayor Smith, of St. Paul, who is now on the road as a special field agent, and to Gustave Scholle who is to enter the diplomatic service as secretary to some foreign embassy.

None of the Minnesota delegation has aught to say against either of these men. In fact, they are on friendly terms personally with them, but they would not think of indorsing them for an office. But their appointment by the chief executive renders it practically impossible to secure the appointment of two republicans, since all Minnesota appointments are charged to that state.

Stevens Smiles, But Is Mum.

Congressman Fred C. Stevens smiles when he hears of the designation of Gustav Scholle, his whilom opponent for congress, for preference in the diplomatic service. Everybody likes Mr. Scholle, who supported Taft, but the boys at home would like to know what is doing in Washington, anyway, when the good republican workers are left out while democrats pluck some rich, ripe fruit. For, be it known, the appointments of Scholle, and Ambassador Riddle, at St. Petersburg, who is also classed as democratic, are charged up to the state, and there are not many big places abroad for a state like Minnesota.

Tawney May Tilt.

The legislative, executive and judicial bill carrying the increase of salary for the president-elect, is now in the hands of the conference committee between the two houses. Representative Tawney, chairman of the house committee on appropriations, has stated that he will not oppose the increase. Mr. Tawney believes in liberal salaries for high officials. But he may tilt some of Mr. Roosevelt's pet schemes before the session is over He fought the two-battleship proposition hard the other day, and is opposed to many of the increases in the army. When the sundry civil bill is reported, look out for a rejuvenation of the secret service fight.

Davis the Insurgent.

Congressman C. R. Davis is sore at the Cannon regime which still flourishes in the house with unbroken sway. He has been trying to persuade Gardener of Massachusetts to announce his candidacy for speaker. Davis declares that notwithstanding the strong public sentiment that is back of his bill for government appropriations for agricultural schools, he will not be able to do anything with it this session because the cards are stacked against him.

J. Adam Bede contents himself by telling how he will devote himself to the inland waterways, even in defeat. He also tells an occasional new story. This is his latest: "The other day Senator Stone, of Missouri, whom Tillman designated as Gum Shoe Bill, met Congressman Ira Wood, of New Jersey. It was on a corner and just as the senator and member were about to shake hands a handsomely dressed and dashing appearing woman came by. Now, there is nothing strange in that, is there?" continued Mr. Bede, "but it is a fact that Stone first turned to Wood an then Wood turned to Stone, and then they both turned to rubber."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

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PAPER FOR THE JESUITS

MANY PROMINENT CLERGYMEN WILL BE ASSOCIATED WITH N. Y. PUBLICATION.

New York, February 6—Prominent Jesuits are here to form the staff of a new weekly review, to be printed in magazine form, which is to represent the Catholic point of view of both spiritual and temporal affairs. Its contributors and correspondents in all parts of the world will number between four and five hundred, and already it has placed its bureaus in the capitals of Europe.

Rev. Father John J. Wynne, noted Jesuit scholar and one of the editors of the Catholic Cyclopedia, is to be in charge. The offices are in the old Hicks Lord mansion, at No. 32 Washington Square West, famous in the social history of New York. The editors will live in them ansion, where they will do their work, while the details of the publishing are to be carried on in another part of the city.

The publication will be modeled on the plan of the Tablet the leading Roman Catholic organ of Great Britain, and in form it will be of the long pamphlet variety which is used by try will be the Outlook.

The nucleus of the review is the zine, which is being published at Fordham University under Jesuit auspices, and part of the staff of the monthly is to be transferred to the new weekyet been determined upon, as that and the London Spectator and other literary reviews abroad. The weekly periodical nearest akin to it in this counMessenger, a high class literary magaly. The name of the review has not other matters are to come up before the council, which is soon to convene.

Plans for the review have been under consideration for the last two years, and it has the sanction of the pope and of Archbishop Farley. While the periodical is not designated as the official organ of the Catholic Church, it will be looked upon as the mouthpiece of Catholic thought and as representative of Catholic ideals.

Editors of the review were chosen three weeks ago at a convention of the Jesuit order in St. Louis. The first of the staff to reach here is Rev. Father M. J. O'Connor, of Omaha, until recently vice president of Creighton university. He, as well as most of the staff, have resigned important executive positions in order to enter this new field.

Father O'Connor and Rev. Father E. P. Spillane, of the Messenger, will devote themselves specially to the American branch of the church and to the study of conditions generally throughout the United States. They will have under their direction a large corps of correspondents in the important centers of the country.

Rev. Father Dominick Giacobbi, of Spokane, Wash., will look after the Italian and Austrian interests. Rev. Father Henry Drummond, who has given up the vice-presidency of St. Boniface university in Manitoba, will look after the English, Canadian and French news, while Rev. Father Betten, until lately professor of history in St. Louis university, will have charge of the German interests.

There are to be several other members of the central staff, but their names are not to be announced until a later date. Contributions, however, are nt limited to the Jesuit order, although the society will have general editorial supervision, and those who write will have in view a clientele composed of representative clergy and laity.

The literary department of the publication will suggest the Spectator of London, although it will be somewhat more popular than the Athenaeum. Special attention will be paid to South American countries and conditions there will be carefully reported. The course of the immigrants who come to the United States will be minutely followed. The policy of the journal will be not only to give correct views, but to broaden the Catholics and to bring them closely in touch with the national life. It is believed the first number will be issued about Easter.

Off Guard.

"How did it happen that your friends got the best of you?" queried the inquisitive person.

"They got busy while I was watching my enemies," explained the man who had got the short end of it.—Chicago News.

Simplified Spelling.

"Write me an example of simplified spelling, children," said the teacher, and Tommie wrote: "The man who carves monuments urns his living."—New York Times.

Man's great fault is that he has so many small ones.—Richter.

Read The Journal Wants.

SWAN TORKELSON DRAWS TWO AND HALF YEARS

Ex-Sheriff Of Clearwatar County Is Convicted Of Serious Charge Juror Fined For Being Intoxicated.

The second week of court at Bagley for Clearwater county is well under way and from present indications the session will last during the greater part of next week.

One of the sensational trials of the term was that of the State of Minnesota vs. Ex-Sheriff Swan Torkelson of this place who has been found guilty on two serious charges. Torkelson was yesterday sentenced by Judge McClenahan to two years and a half in the state prison at Stillwater.

Judge McClenahan also sentenced G. A Melland to twenty-four hours in jail and his forfeit of his per diem and mileage, and excused him from further service as a juryman, Mr. Melland having reported for duty in an intoxicated condition.

The jury sworn in in the case of the State of Minnesota vs. J. H. Ferris, indicted for grand larceny in the second degree brought in a verdict for the defendant.

Charles Payne, indicted on a charge of grand larceny in the second degree withdrew his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to petit larceny and was fined $100 or ninety days in the Beltrami county jail.

But little has been done as yet with the civil calendar. A number of minor cases have been settled out of court. A few of the more important cases will be tried at this term, and a number of cases have set to be tried at chambers in Bemidji at some future date suitable to the parties to the different suits.

Court work in Cleanwater County has been behind for some time owing to the vast amount of work devolving on the two judges. Judge McClenahan intends to finish as much of the work as can be done at this time.

STOCK ROOTS

By Supt. A. J. McGuire of the Grand Rapids Experimental Farm.

Stock roots under ordinary field conditions yield from 10 to 15 tons per acre; from 350 to 550 bushels. When the soil is very fertile, and given extra care, they may be made to yield as high as 30 tons or 1000 bushels per acre.

The cost of growing roots taking everything into consideration, such as value of land, cost of machinery seed, labor, etc., need not exceed $25 per acre, or from $1 to $1.75 per ton. Two acres of stock roots are grown on the experiment farm every year They are grown in rotation with barley, clover and peas. They are sown with a garden drill in rows 24 inches apart. When the plants appear above ground they are gone over with a wheel hoe and later with a horse cultivator every week thruout the growing season.

When the plants are about two inches high they are thinned out, a common hand hoe being used for this purpose. The stock carrot is thinned to eight inches, and the rutabaga and mangel to 12. Thinning the plants early with the hoe lessens the hand thinning later. With the plants far apart they are much easier kept clean and their yield is greater than when grown thickly. In pulling the roots in the fall they are laid even in the row with the tops all one way. The topping is then done with a corn knife, cutting the tops off two or three with a single stroke. The roots that are fed early in the fall before they are put in the root cellar, may be fed top and all, thus lessening the labor. In storing roots for the winter, a cellar is necessary, and should be in connection with the barn for convenience in feeding. Roots that are to be fed in October, November and the forepart of December may be piled on the ground near the barn and covered over with straw and litter sufficiently to keep from freezing.

In storing the roots in a cellar care must be taken to remove as much of the dirt as possible to avoid heating. The freer from dirt the better they will keep.

In feeding mangels and carrote to stock it is desirable to cut them, but not necessary. When the fall work is rushing they may be fed whole, but later when time is ample it is advisable to cut them.

Mangels, sugar beets, stock carrots and rutabagas have been compared on the experiment farm. On high well drained soil and favorable season mangels give the largest yield, but on low ground and in a cold, wet spring are apt to fail. This is also true of the sugar beet. Stock carrots have never failed to produce a crop. Rutabagas are also very hardy but are objectionable for dairy cows.

Taking all conditions the stock carrot is recommended for this section of the state. Rutabagas may be grown for sheep, pigs and young stock but either the stock carrot or mangel for dairy cows.

A sandy loam soil is best for roots and it should be well manured. In preparing the seed bed harrow thoroly immediately after plowing, as the soil is most easily pulverized at that time. It is also well to plank or roll it before seeding as the garden drill is difficult to work in uneven ground. A garden drill is the first thing that should be secured in preparing to grow roots. With a garden drill an acre can be sown in half a day. A good drill may be bought for $8 or $10 Two or more farmers may buy one in co-operation to good advantage. In seeding sow plenty of seed. The surplus may be thinned out easily. For carrots and rutabagas sow from one and one-half to two pounds per acre for mangels 15 to 20 pounds. The time to plant will depend upon the season, from May 10 to June 10. Carrots and rutabagas may be seeded quite early without danger. Rutabagas may be sown as late as July and a good crop secured but earlier planted is safer.

Live stock of all kinds needs some succulent feed in winter to be healthy When roots are fed there will be no need of expensive stock foods and medicines. Grow roots. They have a good value not only in themselves but also in the effect they have on other feeds fed in connection with them, making them more digestible and nutritious.

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Doing Splendid Work

The Commercial Club of Warren is attracting wide attention as a result of the splendid work thatis being done by that organization to encourage the farmers to raise the standard of their products and then seeing that the results are given the greatest possible degree of publicity. The Club has held its annual meeting, re-elected the old officers and plans a more active year than ever before. Their annual banquet is scheduled for tonight an da number of very fine addresses are on the program.

But this is not all. The business me nof Warren as individuals have taken an active interest in advertising Marshall county. They have superintended the sending of many entries to the Omaha exposition and as a result a number of prizes were won including first for clover and first for best half bushel of wheat in competition with the world and many minor prizes.

This not only advertises Warren and Marshall County but the entire Red River Valley. For this course the commercial club and business men generally of Warren, and the wideawake farmers of that section including such men as Henry Beardsmore, who, by the way resides in Northern Polk County, are entitled to the highest degree of credit. Their example may well be emulated thruout evry county in the Valley.

Protcted Game Preserves System

A system of protected preserves whereby such big game as moose can be preserved is recommended by the state game and fish commission in its biennial report to the governor, the advance sheets of which have been gotten out. The commission believes that the state should co-operate with th efederal government in establishing such a preserve and the idea is a very good one.

A law should be passed ayyowing non-resident hunters of big game to take the game killed home or else not allow them to hunt in this state at all.

The law at present allows the nonresident hunter to kill one antlered moose but forbids the taking out of the state any animal killed. The commission recommends that the hunter should either be prohibited from killing the moose or be allowed to take it to his home.

The universal license system is recommended by the commission, as the present law is unsatisfactory.

The commission urges the building of more fish hatcheries to correspond with the growth of the state.

A Humiliating Spectacle

It is a melancholy spectacle presented by a governor under indictment but Governor Haskell is entitled to the presumption of innocence which the law declares. He is charged with conspiracy to defraud the Creek Indians thru a land monopoly which would deprive them of their rights under auction sales provided by law; in other words of lining his pockets at the expense of the red men under government ward. The charge looks binding. The ordinary governor of the ordinary state placed in such a jeopardy would have general sympathy and the presumption of innocence would be very strong. It is unfortunate for this hero of one of the startling incidents of the last presidential campaign that he did not emerge without the smell of smoke upon his garments. His denials were made with Oklahoman vigor and he has instituted suits in defense of his character, but that he fell under popular disfavor is beyond dispute, and his withdrawal from the Bryan campaign management is not believed to have been entirely voluntary. The cloud cast about him by the strenuous lecture work of William R. Hearst has not been dissipated and the gloom is thickened by the current government charge. The regretable feature of the presnt situation is the spectacle of a state governor under indictment. It is humiliating to the American people.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Valley Weather

During the past two days the St. Paul and Minneapolis papers have been keeping the wires hot trying to get the details of the "blizzard" in the Red River Valley wanting to know what the effect was on railroad traffic and any other damage done.

It appears they cannot believe that while the Twin Cities and the southern part of the state North and South Dakota have been in the embrace of the worst storm of the winter that the Minnesota side of the Red River Valley has escaped entirely. Such, however, is the fact, as everyone residing here knows. This section has been the most favored in the entire northwest. Yesterday was one of the fiercest experienced in Minneapolis and St. Paul in years. There is plenty of snow there, and a terrific wind prevailed for two days. Street car traffic was completely disorganized any attempt to run on schedule being futile.

Railroad traffic was also greatly hampered, trains being all the way from 1 to 12 hours late, and some of them were abandoned, while all local trains in this section have been running right on the dot.

During the entire winter there has been no inconvenience to railroads in this section from storms. The stock has never suffered for a minute and the weather thruout has been just as near ideal as could be wished.

And this is the Red River Valley, the bread and butter valley where corn is a staple product, where clover takes first prize in world contests, and where lemon pies are made from fruit raised right here.

Great is the Red River Valley. We are the people this winter.

The Old Soldier Ignored

Is the old soldier being ignored in Minnesota? Are the men who answered to the call for troops too willingly and in such numbers when the Civil War broke out, and who fought so valiantly as to arouse the admiration of the entire country to be sidetracked? The following statement of facts regarding the state legislature looks as tho the old soldier had been ignored pretty much. There was a time when the numerical strength of the old veterans was such that no party dared to ignore them. Is it because the ranks are thinning that they were "passed up" when the legislative pie was cut. Here are the facts in the case.

Of the 140 employes in the present senate and house just three are old soldiers. This has caused a great deal of comment around legislative halls especially in view of the fact that two years ago, a law was passed which states specifically that old soldiers shall be given the preference in appointments and promotions in all public departments.

One of the representatives, when asked for an explanation of this state of affairs said that in his opinion the veterans were not physically capable of doing the work on account of their advanced age, but several others who have always opposed the wholesale employing of men at high salaries, are of the opinion that it does not require a man in the prime of life to act as doorkeeper or gallery sergeant.

The "third house" as the employes have been nicknamed is generally acknowledged to be a nuisance, but there are those who attempt to excuse its existence on the ground that it is an institution hoary with age and that it is kept alive to subserve the demands of the constituents of the various members.

The constituents in large measure, are the beneficiaries of the legislators but in some instances the members have courted the disfavor of their constituents and have secured positions for members of their immediate families. There are a half dozen employes whose fathers or brothers are either representatives or senators. Most of these receive $5 per day.

Boost The Other Man's Business—It Helps Your Own

Crookston is just on the verge of the most substantial progress it has ever experienced. Business men are all optimistic regarding the coming year. Prospects are bright not only for the city, but rather in the city because the general conditions in the rural districts are the best they have been in many years.

Crookston must grow. There are many things we need and need badly. We need more industries of every kind. The best way of securing them is to encourage every one we have. Encourage every move in that direction no matter how small it is. A vast number of small industries is infinitely better than a few very large ones.

The man who makes a success of his business is the man who looks after the smallest details with as great care as the large ones.

The city that will thrive the best is the city whose people will look after the little things.

No better advertisement could be given a city than to have it known as a patent fact that its business men stand together. That they boost for one another, even though they are competitors. If a new business institution is to be started of a legitimate nature and promises to be permanent, boost for it even tho it may be in competition with your own. Every new business institution means that greater effort will be made to reach out after trade.

And finally remember that when you boost for the other follow you boost for yourself in the most effective manner possible.

Hands Off The Anti Pass Law

A disposition to trifle with the antipass law has begun to show itself in certain legislative quarters. It ought to be understood from the outset that the people of Minnesota will not for a moment tolerate anything of that kind, says the Minneapolis Journal in an editorial in today's issue.

The law was passed in deference to a strong public sentiment by an unwilling legislature. It has already demonstrated the wisdom that dictated its passage. No cleaner legislature nor one less infested with lobbyists was ever seen in Minnesota than the one now in session. At least a share of the credit for this state of affairs must go to the anti-pass law. It has put both railroads and lawmakers on an independent, business basis—which is, of course, just where they ought to be. It has put all classes of the travelling public on an equal footing—namely, that of paying their fare when they travel. And that, too, is just as it ought to be.

The protest of W. D. Washburn, Jr., of the Hennepin delegation against any change in the law that will affect in the slightest degree its basic principle, will find cordial response from the public. Mr. Washburn has done the people a service by his protest. If it is possible, without hurting the law, or opening doors that ought to be kept shut, to permit uniformed public servants to ride on the street cars without paying fare, there will be little or no objection. But any attempt, no matter how skillfully disguised, to defeat the purpose of the law, and to bring back the old days of passes for legislators and other public officials should be promptly squelched.

Effective Immigration Work

Speaking of the immigration work in Minnesota the St. Paul Pioneer Press says:

The fortunes of states often furnish contrasts as do the fortunes of individuals. While Californians are demanding restriction of immigration, Minnesotans are rejoicing that soon several hundred aliens are to sail from Germany to find homes in this state and will start this way a stream of immigration that will bring 250,000 new settlers within five years.

These German immigrants will come from Galicia, where, tilling fiveacre tracts of land they have accumulated fortunes large enough to give them a good start in Minnesota. They must have had to exercise frugality in their home lives and extreme economy in the treatment of the soil in order to have been able to lay up even modest wealth from their little farms in an old agricultural region. The richness of Minnesota land surely will have full appreciation among these people, and their demonstration of intensive farming should be a fine example for other farmers.

The state immigration department, which has taken special pains to acquaint the more desirable districts of Germany and Russia with the merits of the "Bread and Butter" State as a home, has started this movement from Galicia. Similar results can be shown by the department and what could be accomplished with a larger working fund may be learned by any legislator of other person who may inquire of Mr. Welchor his assistants. Plenty of evidences and arguments are at hand to prove that money thus expended is well appropriated.

Another Attack On Cow

All present-day theories of scientific agriculture, sociological research, irrigation, political economy, rotation of crops, and other things from the trans migration of souls to the fight against the mail order houses may be overthrown by a discovery reported to have been made in Vidalia, La. In this small, but thriving village is said to have been discovered a secret by which oil may be extracted from the cocklebur, says an exchange.

Leading experts on the cocklebur agree with remarkable unanimity that with the weed a commercially valuable product of the soil a peaceful, but widespread revolution in all present-day ideas is inevitable.

Instead of being warred against and driven from all cultivated land the cocklebur will find itself protected and guarded by high walls and iron fences Without these the valuable burs may be easily stolen, as a small boy, by running rapidly thru the patch will be able to accumulate at least a quart of unrefined oil on his garments, and the collie dog could have the material for nearly a gallon of lubricant stuck tightly to his tail.

Tarheel, Tenn., scientists, not to be outdone by their brethren of the bayous are now said to be experimneting with a secret process whereby a fine quality of cheese may be extracted from the leaves of the milkweed.

INSOMNIA.

Curious Way In Which It Affected a Woman's Imagination.

"I can't stand this any longer, doctor," said the nervous woman. "If the patient in the next room to mine, No. 22, doesn't keep quiet at night I must change my room or leave the sanitarium altogether."

"What's the trouble?" asked her physician.

"She has one of these squeaky old wooden bedsteads, and every time she turns over it awakens me. Last night she did nothing but toss to and fro, and I didn't get a single wink of sleep."

"I'll see to that at once," he assured her. "A woman in your condition certainly must have absolute quiet at night. I'll have the patient in No. 22 sleep on the roof. The fresh air will be better for her anyway."

The next morning the nervous woman appeared in the consultation room of the sanitarium in radiant mood.

"How did you sleep?" asked the doctor.

"Perfectly," she replied. "I'm so much obliged to you. It made a great difference."

"I knew it would," he said gravely.

He was telling the truth, because he knew the power of the imagination in disease, especially of the nerves. As a matter of fact, No. 22 had not been occupied at night for three weeks. The patient had been sleeping on the roof all the time.—Exchange.

THE OLD CIRCUS POSTER.

Pretentious Language With Which the Show Was Described.

The grandiloquent extravagance of language of the old time circus poster is illustrated by this reproduction, which is given verbatim:

"There will be presented a resplendent series of sublime, moral, interesting, instructive, amusing and wonderful scenes which would appear entirely too fabulous if expressed in an advertisement. They must be seen to be duly appreciated. These great displays will unfold in all the loveliness and beauty of enchantment, carrying the minds of the bewildered or spellbound spectators off on the gentle wings of the imagination to such pageantry as they might dream of after reading a few pages of 'Arabian Nights' Entertainments.' Words are really wanting to give adequate expression. Webster's unabridged fails most signally in language to fully portray a semblance of the reality. Zoonomy may be learned at this great college in a single evening. Here the visitor will see splendid specimens of the zygodactylous race that live upon the earth or float and poise upon the wings of gold and silver plume in the cerulean arch, and in reference to these the corps of superintendents in courtly dress will elucidate the peculiarities of each with guarded suavfloquence."

To make luminous paint, mix a small quantity of calcium sulphide with ordinary white paint.

WARM AND DRY TO STAY WELL

AUTHORITY GIVES SIMPLE PRESCRIPTION ALSO TELLS HOW TO TAKE

TELLS READERS HOW TO PREPARE THE MIXTURE AT HOME

Now is the time when the doctor gets busy and the patent medicine manufacturers reap the harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and keep the feet dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble weather is here, and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple home-made mixture at the first sign of Rheumatism or if your backaches or you feel that the kidneys are not acting just right. This is said to be a splendid kidney regulator, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rheumatism which is caused by uric acide in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter out. Any one can easily prepare this at home and at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vicinity when shown the prescriptions stated that they can either supply these ingredients, or if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them.

CONSOLATION.

The Musician Reminded the Poet of the Case of Guarnerius.

The musician with a compassionate smile watched the poet trimming the fringe from his cuff.

"After all," he said, "your verse may live when Marie Corelli, Winston Churchill and Hall Caine himself are forgotten. Remember the case of Guarnerius."

"Who was he?" the poet asked.

"A pauper and a violin maker. Guarnerius in the seventeenth century made violins that everybody thought too thick; hence they brought only $2 apiece. Musicians would buy them and have them pared down.

"Guarnerius insisted that they were not too thick. When he heard of one of his instruments being pared down he flew into a frightful rage. He had a grouch against the world because it wouldn't agree with him about violin making. He died a pauper because the world would have none of his violins.

"A Guarnerius is now and then to be picked up. Usually it is a pared instrument, and its value is not very high. But find an unpared Guarnerius and you can get anything you like for it. It is one of the world's few perfect violins.

"But Guarnerius died a pauper. The Hall Caines and Winston Churchills of the violin world of his day refused with sneers to drink with him. He, too, trimmed his cuffs."—Los Angeles Times.

Australia's First Theater.

The first recorded production of a play in Australia took place in June of the year 1789. It was called "The Recruiting Officer." The proceeds of the first pay night (some £20) went to the family of a man who had been drowned. In January, 1796, a rough and ready playhouse was opened, and the public had to pay a shilling a head for admission. The payments were made in kind, wheat, flour or rum taking the place of the usual currency.—London Standard.

"Do you give your wife an allowance, or does she ask you for money when she wants it?"

"Both."—Cleveland Leader.

JUDGE SPOONER BACK TO BEMIDJI

TO OPEN LAW OFFICE AT THAT PLACE—WIFE'S HEALTH IS POOR

Marshall A. Spooner, a farmer resident judge of the district court for the Fifteenth Judicial District returned to St. Paul after having perfected arrangements preparatory to his again residing in Bemidji.

Mr. Spooner arrived in the city from International Falls, where he has been retained by Mr. Forrier, in the latter's contest for the office of sheriff of Koochiching county which will be tried at the term of court at that place next week.

About a year ago Mr. Spooner resigned his position as district judge and moved to Spokane, Wash., where he entered the practice of law.

Mr. Spooner stated to the Pioneer that he was well pleased with his western location but was obliged to return to northern Minnesota on account of Mrs. Spooner's health, she being in poor health all the time while they were residing in the west.

Mr. Spooner will return to Bemidji the latter part of the week and will practice law there having arranged for a suite of rooms in the Bacon block.

Mr. and Mrs. Spooner have a large circle of friends thruout this section of the state and in Bemidji who will extend to them a most cordial welcome on their return to Minnesota and to this section of the country.—Bemidji Pioneer.

KEY WEST

P. O Augustine made a business trip to Grand Forks last Thursday.

Miss Edith Geddes spent a few days of last week visiting friends in Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Geddes visited with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong last Wednesday.

John Capes and daughters Violet, Edna and Lorine, Everett Capes, Miss Johnson, Miss Havoch, John, Wm. Anna, Francis and Clara Grundahl and Ragna Skarstead spent last Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. P. Augustine.

Miss Victoria Nyquist spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Mrs. Koeling.

J. E. Stewart returned from the woods Saturday morning where he had been looking after some horses which were sent there from the Buffington farm. He says two of their horses are dead but the rest are doing finely.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustine spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong and family.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expells the cold from the system. Sold by all druggists.

Some men talk of their superiority every time they resist temptation.

Job never had to endure having a

Sometimes a mans' silence speaks volumes for his discreetness.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

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100.00	10c	30c	30c

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

BELTRAMITE HERE—Otto Will who is teaching at Beltrami spent Friday and Saturday in the city taking the teachers' examinations.

SANDRIDGE AGENT HERE—Ole Mickelson the station agent at Sondridge was in the city Saturday spending the day and taking examinations. He returned to Sandridge for work again this morning.

McVEY HAS ACCEPTED—Franklyn L. McVey has formally accepted the presidency of the North Dakota University and will take up his work in that capacity at the beginning of the next college year. His final acceptance was received today.

THERMOMETER DROPPED— The thermometer dropped down below 20 degrees last evening and held to that figure till quite late this morning. This afternoon it is moderating and tomorrow the weather clerk promises warmer still with brisk south winds.

ADDS TO LINE—Jos Wessel member of the state game and fish commission, peddler of patent cough drops and other confectionery has added a fine line of crushed fruits to his line. He started peddling samples on the north line local this morning and made quite a hit.

TEMPERANCE LECTURE —Tuesday evening a temperance lecture will be delivered at the G. A. R. hall beginning at 8 o'clock by Rv. Alfred Kalin, of Minneapolis one of the best temperance lectures in Minnesota. All are welcome to this lecture. Admission free.

BACK FROM CITIES—D. D. Miller a prominent real estate and insurance man from Bemidji passed thru the city this morning enroute home from St. Paul where he has been spending a couple of days. When asked about the new normal school site he smiled adn looked wise, incidentally jerking his thumb towards Bemidji.

FRANK O'CONNOR HONORED — J. F. T. O'Connor of Grand Forks, graduate of the University of North Dakota who is taking a post graduate course in Yale, has accepted an invitation to deliver the principal address at the birthday anniversary celebration of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot to be held in the Grand theatre New York, Sunday, Feb. 28. This is quite an honor for the young orator who has made so many fine addresses in North Dakota.

Grand Forks had a fire scare last night when some rubbish and papers in the basement of the Western Union Building on DeMers Ave. called out the department. Little damage was done by the fire but the smoke did considerable damage in Taugbel Sisters Millinery.

F. E. B.

We heard a man say the other morning that the abbreviation for February—Feb.—means Freeze every body, and that man looked frozen in his ulster. It was apparent that he needed the kind of warmth that stays, the warmth that reaches from head to foot, all over the body. We could have told him from personal knowledge that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives permanent warmth, it invigorates the blood and speeds it along through artery and vein, and really fits men and women, boys and girls, to enjoy cold weather and resist the attacks of disease. It gives the right kind of warmth, stimulates and strengthens at the same time, and all its benefits are lasting. There may be a suggestion in this for you.

Wireless Lighting

We have wireless telegraphy and wireless telephony, and now we are to have wireless lighting. It is known to science that an electric current passing thru a vaccum will produce a vivid light. A scientific investigation proves golden grain belt beer to be not only the purest of all beverages but also the most beneficial to body and mind. Keen appetite comes with its use and it removes indigestion. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

The State and the Individual.

The state may make it easy for a man to acquire a small holding, but it cannot give the man the energy, the industry, which are necessary if the boon is to be an abiding blessing to him. The state may help men over bad times, but it cannot give men the moral character which enables those who possess it by their energy, determination, industry, to place themselves beyond the reach of temporary disaster.—London Strand Magazine.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

From Tuesday's Daily

STOCK TO ST. PAUL—Will Newhouse left last evening for St. Paul with a car of stock which he bought up in the vicinity of his home north of the city. The market has been very strong for the past two days.

PHONE COMPANY MEETING — Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the Lowell Township Rural Telephone Co will meet at the home of N. C. Hanson west of the city in annual session for the election of officers and the transaction of other important business matters.

ONE PIER COMPLETE—The concrete pier at the south end of the new Sampson addition bridge has been completed and work will be started at once on the north pier. The concrete work will probably be finished by the end of the week. The false work for the main span of the bridge is also coming along rapidly.

VISITS OLD PARISH — Our old friend Rev. Mirick, once stationed here as pastor of the Congregational church, dropped in on us the first of the week to keep a pleasant acquaintance alive. Rev. Mirick is now located or sojourning at McIntosh and has charge of three missions in that vicinity. He looks no older than when he was here some six years ago and can we hope do many hard days' work in the Lord's vineyard. He came here to attend the dedication of the Congregational church which took place last Sunday.—Cass Lake Times.

This morning the engine on No. 5 from St. Paul which was one hour late struck one horse of the coal delivery team owned by L. W. Larson and driven by Knute Opskar knocking the animal down with terrific force, death ensuing in about 15 minutes.

Opskar did not know the train was approaching and was unloading coal from a car west of old G. N. freight depot, the team standing between the car on the side track and the main track. The train passes that point at pretty good speed and the accident was the result. The engineer saw the team but supposed Opskar would drive out of the way.

WILL CUT MUCH TIMBER — M. Hegstad left this morning for Wanke, in Johnson township, the extreme northeast corner of Polk county, almost straight east of Plummer, where he will spend the next three or four months looking after the sawing of some timber on a farm he bought at a government land sale a few years ago. He has a large amount of oak on it, of good size, and has secured a portable saw mill with which he will do the sawing, and will also cut some soft timber. The oak is very valuable as it is getting scarce in this section. Mr. Hegstad also has a good farm in Gully township, located just south of Johnson.

EDUCATORS MEET AT WARREN —The school officers and teachers of Marshall county will hold their fifth annual convention in Warren on Thursday and Friday Feb. 18 and 19.

Asplendid program has been prepared of addresses by prominent educators. Co. Supt. Mithun urgently requests every teacher and school officer in the county to attend. As this is not a very busy time of the year a big attendance and a successful meeting is assured. Warren will do all in her power to entertain the visitors. the commercial club having already appointed a committee, consisting of Supt. G. E. Keenan, W. N. Powell and C. E. Lundquist to co-operate with the county superintendent in this matter. A banquet and social time has been arranged for Thursday evening Feb. 1.

Serious Interruptions.

The truly lazy man is not a common figure in this country, and when he does appear he is not treated with proper respect. Ideal laziness is an art as difficult as playing on the violin. A writer in the Washington Star tells of one member of the Sons of Rest who deserves recognition.

"I s'pose John is still taking life easy?" said the woman in the spring wagon.

"Yes," answered the woman who was carrying an armful of wood. "John has only two regrets in life. One is that he has to wake up to eat, and the other is that he has to quit eating to sleep."—Youth's Companion.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and re- all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had fail- commend Foley's Kidney Remedy to ed." Sold by all druggists.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

OLD STAMPING GROUNDS—A. F. Skaren of the tailoring firm of Nelson and Skaren left tis morning for Warren to attend to some business matters and visit with old friends.

WILL CONFER WITH COMPANY —K. J. Ike left last night for Minneapolis where he will confer with the Kimball Piano Co., for a few days before starting out for another year's work for them. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ike and the baby who will visit friends there for a few days.

ABLE TO TRAVEL — Conductor Burnett who was injured by being jammed between two cars at Lengby several weeks ago and who has been confined to St. Vincent Hospital since that time till a couple of days ago, is able to walk about a little with the aid of a cane. He left this morning with Mrs. Burnett and the baby for a visit at Big Falls. It will be some time before he is able to return to work.

TRIP TO CALIFORNIA—H. C. Misner left last evening over the Great Northern for Pasalena Cal., where he will visit his son Harvey and brother Charley for a week making a flying trip with the intention of returning by the 25th of February. He goes over the Northwestern to Kansas City and on the Santa Fee to Los Angeles and on the return trip will come to Omaha over the Union Pacific. His trip is for both business and pleasure and while he would like to remain longer imperative business compels his immediate return. Agent Bell gave him a printed pamphlet of advice last evening, and pinned his money to his undershirt to prevent his being flimflammed by sharpers. He was going to pin a badge across his back "Crookston Offers Opportunity" but Mr. Bell dissuaded him with the statement, "if any of the sharpers see you coming they will realize that you offer them an opportunity without labeling yourself."

STORM WAS TERRIBLE — R. A. Mathews a prominent merchant of Humboldt was in the city this morning between trains enroute home after a trip to the cities. He came in o No. 7 and says the flyer plowed thru snow drifts all the way up till Barnesville was reached. He states that yesterday was a wild day in the cities the wind blowing a gale and the air so full of snow that it was almost impossible to be out of doors. Streets car traffic was paralyzed and business generally tied up.

SPEARING A BEAR.

Bruin's Sharp Teeth Bit Through the Copper Sheathed Weapon.

"Twice in my chase of bruin I have made use of a bear spear as my weapon of attack," writes Count Eric von Rosen, "and I may take this opportunity to maintain that the use of a spear entails no greater cruelty than any other mode of attack and that every hunter should be armed with one in reserve, since these powerful beasts have a vitality that triumphs over a stray bullet or more unless lodged in a vital region, and when wounded their retaliation is redoubtable and easily fatal. In Karelia, Finland, the bear is yet regarded as a noxious horror. The great black haired 'slagbjorn,' or killing bear, is still rampant there, and a couple of winters back I was able to wreak justifiable vengeance on some beasts that had killed over a score of cows and nine horses. News had been brought me that some of these rascals were hibernating on a small marsh bound island.

"We found no difficulty in locating their lair, and I took up my post at the entrance to it, armed only with my spear. I may explain that a bear spear consists of an ash staff some two yards long and about a couple of inches in diameter. There is a blade of steel about twelve inches in length, and the shaft is copper cased as a prevention against the teeth of bruin. As soon as my gentleman appeared I tried to stick him in the throat, but he parried adroitly, and I missed. I made another lunge and succeeded in driving my spear point through his breast.

"He started roaring furiously and snapped at my copper cased staff, then made an attempt to strike at my arm with his huge fore paw, so that I might drop my weapon. The powerful brute hung on to my spear at the one end, while I as grimly held on at the other end. His bites went through the copper plate, and he started shredding the wood beneath. Strenuously I checked his further advances, and gradually, for his wounds began to tell, his resistance weakened, and he dropped at last over the aperture of his den.

"I pulled out the spear, but so much strength still remained in him that he seized the blade and bit it with a force that left deep indentations in the steel. My companion then finished him off with his own weapon. This struggle from start to finish covered five minutes."

Exclusive.

"Now that your son's in college, I suppose he'll be getting exclusive; he'll be getting into the Four Hundred."

"Oh, he's more exclusive than that! He's on the nine already."—Exchange.

BOUGHT WHOLE DAIRY HERD

NELS ANDERSON SECURES BALANCE OF REV. LYNNE HERD AT ELDRED

WILL BRING THEM HERE FIRST WARM DAY AND SELL THEM AROUND CROOKSTON

From Wednesday's Daily—

Nels Anderson the south Main St. butcher has returned from Eldred he purchased the balance of the fine dairy herd owned by Rev. Lynne. Most of them are Guernseys, and they will be brought to this city the first warm day and sold to the farmers about Crookston.

Rev. Lynne was located at Eldred till about a year ago when he went to Iowa and his renter has decided to leave so he disposed of the entire herd

Mr. Anderson will go to Eldred this evening with I. J. Corry, the latter having purchased four of the cows for his Montana ranch and will try to make a deal for the thorobred Guernsey bull to ship west with them.

They are all high grade cows, and Mr. Anderson will keep one of them for his own use. Several of them are fresh now, and the balance soon will be.

TO FACILITATE IMPROVEMENTS

EAST GRAND FORKS SENDS DELEGATION TO ST. PAUL

The committee of the East Grand Forks Commercial club appointed to air in the passing of the bill introduced in the legislature last week in the interests of citizens desiring waterworks and sewer extensions, passed thru Crookston last evening for St. Paul, where they will appear before the senate and house committees today. The members of the committee who left for the capital were Judge Sullivan, Attorney F. C. Massee and Attorney G. A. E. Finlayson.

As has been indicated before there is little difficulty anticipated in getting the bill passed the main object now being to get it out of the mands of the committees and recommended for passage. N. J. Nelson the fourth member of the committee saw to the introduction of the measure on a trip to St. Paul last week and was prevented from going at this time by business engagements. Several cities are interested in the measure and if united action can be brought to bear on the committees the bill should go through without friction. The members of the East Grand Forks committee will return the latter part of the week.

TOM SHEVLIN WINS KENTUCKY BELLE

HIS YALE SWEETHEART IS WON BACK — MARRIED A WEEK AGO

A week ago Monday Thomas Shevlin Jr., manager of the Crookston Lumber Co., at Bemidji, was united in marriage at Louisville, Ky., to Miss Shirley.

This ends a romance which began when the two were attending Yale. The two were engaged there, but Miss Shirly broke off the ngagement. Miss Shirley was known there as "The Belle of Yale" and is a very beautiful and vivacious young lady. Young Shevlin followed her from place to place and was all broken up over the affair and the newspapers were full of accounts of his unrequitted love.

Later, however, there was a reconciliation and the wedding was one of the most brilliant affairs in the history of Louisville. Miss Shirley belongs to one of the oldest and most aristocratic families in Kentucky, and Col. Shirley is a noted horse owner and sportsman and has always been an admirer of Shevlin because of his prowess on the football field.

Where They Know How to Economize.

At the request of a woman in search of a servant the manager of an employment agency asked each of the girls lined up against the wall if she had ever been employed in a minister's family. None of them had been.

"May I ask why you are particularly anxious to know if these girls have had an engagement of that kind?" asked the manager.

"Because we are very hard up just now," the woman replied, "and I must have a girl who is economical. I have found that of all servants those who have worked in ministers' families know best how to economize."—New

Actions speak louder than words, when deaf mutes talk.

MORE ABOUT CORN RAISING

HENRY O'NEILL SAYS CORN HAS FROZEN CLOSE TO RIVER IN THE WOODS

WHEN IT WAS UNTOUCHED ON PRAIRIE — DISCUSSION IS CONTINUED

From Monday's Daily—

Henry O'Neill has written another article on corn raising in response to the communication published in the Journal a few days ago from Mr. Nelson, a farmer residing near Harold Station in which the subject of corn raising is gone into still more in detail The letter follows:

Editor Journal: In Mr. Nelson's letter to the Journal giving his experience on raising corn I see where he refers to my article on the same subject and complains that I never mentioned the fact that I lived on the river and therefore had the advantage of shelter and protection thereby making it easy for me to raise good ripe corn.

If we understood the thing right we were simply to give our experience in as few words as we could—that I did. We thought it uncalled for and unnecessary to say anything about a thing that is so uncertain. Mr. Nelson however raised a point that surely would be too bad to lose sight of in this particular case. We will endeavor to produce reasonable facts tho that ought to be encouraging to people with prairie farms that may intend planting corn this coming season and may probably be startling to any man that thinks it always freezes four or five weeks earlier on the prairie farms than it does along the river. My good neighbor Mr. Nelson must have failed to notice as he drove to town last fall that the first and very same frost that froze his corn also froze Mr. Latta's. Anybody that has seen Mr. Latta's farm in summer will admit that it is as good and early a farm as is along the river. He usually starts cuting his small grain before I do even tho we plant it the same day. If Mr. Nelson had come over a little further and still closer to the timber he would see Mr. White's corn on the Hall place also froze and if he should go across on the north side of the river he would see what he well might think strange. He would see the corn along the river on land low enough to be called river bottom land frozen and the corn upon the open prairie where there was a breeze was not touched by frost at all. Two different times since we began raising corn we had the same experience. That is the corn we had in the low places along the river and close to the timber was frozen and the corn up on the prairie was not touched by frost for weeks afterwards. About five years ago we were busy clearing up some land right by the river and all surrounded by woods when an Iowa prospective land buyer came along. He asked us what we first intended planting on the land and we told him, corn. He said "You don't want to do that. Don't you know that the early frosts always settle in the low places and always follows the river?" We told him it was news to us. Then he told us how he had a piece similar to that on the farm he just left in Iowa and the early local frosts always got that piece and his "corn up on the prairie where there was a breeze" never froze. That was not very encouraging to a man with no experience but we went on just the same and planted corn on that piece and never failed to raise good corn. About three years ago Mr. Wheeler and Anderson whose farm is one mile up the river planted two pieces of corn one on their prairie land and one on their bottom land close to the river and timber. We also had some corn. The corn grew up nice, tasseled out and got ears on some of it when about Sept. 10th along came a sharp frost and froze Wheeler & Anderson's corn. It froze mine too But mine was ripe and out of the way of frost as it was dented and hard. It seems most people have their own views vastly differ from others. Not long ago a certain man that has now left these parts told me I had the advantage of everybody in raising corn mellons, etc., as I had the best farm to begin with. A short time after that he wanted to buy my place and when I asked him the same price as other farms were sold at he pointed out at once the facts that my farm was not worth as much as the average farm as it was poorly located etc. You see "it is a poor scheme that won't work both ways." I don't think myself that my farm is any better located or worth a bit more than any body else's even if Mr. Nelson does say so. According to his own letter to the Journal he on his prairie farm has been more successful with corn than most of my neighbors along the river. From indications what the country wants is more men of Mr. Nelson's type. I would not assume the responsibilities of advising anybody as to what kind of corn to plant, but if I lived on the prairie "Dakota Red Dent" would be my first choice. That variety is raised successfully from Pembina, N. D. to the Bad Lands, S. D. It is raised right on the big prairies of N. D. 40 miles from the timber and it would be strange indeed if it could not be raised here in the heart of the Red River Valley. It is a good dent corn that don't grow too high but has ears well up from the ground which makes it easy husked and is also serviceable when cutting with a binder. It is very easy to husk as the stem that holds the ear is quite small.

If the local feed stores do not have it for sale, J. H. McGill of Fargo is sure to have it. We are told that there are men in the western end of the county also in the Thirteen Towns that have raised corn 15 or 20 years.

It would be interesting and beneficial to us to hear from them as I am certain what I do not know about corn would cover one whole side of the Journal.

Mr. Nelson in his letter said the time was not far distant when one would not have to go down to the river to see good corn. Nothing would suit me better than this coming season to see better corn on the prairie than we may have on the river as that would go to prove what I have always contended—that corn could be raised on the prairie just as well as along the river. The sooner that time gets here the better it will be for all.

There will not be so many farms for rent possibly. In my first letter I referred to Iowa and Illinois in speaking of corn. We wish to say we were not the originator of that reference.

Probably a score of people within the last 3 years that happened to see our place about September 1st and noted the ripe water and musk mellons and also the corn which some years was twelve feet high, said that "for the time being they might think they were in old Iowa or Illinois." Anybody wishing to see a sample of the corn we raised last year can see it at the First National Bank or the Scandia American Bank and at the Bank of Crookston there is a fair but not good sample and also a picture of the corn as it stood in the field.

We believe that if the people writing letters to the Journal would devote them strictly to telling of their experience only the main object would be attained and it would be of more benefit to all concerned.

Crookston Feb. 6, 1909.

—Henry O'Neill,
Route No. 2.

As long as a man can keep out of jail he never doubts his natural goodness.

The age of a colored woman may be a dark secret.

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THOS. LOWRY'S LIFE IS ENDED

RAILROAD AND STREET CAR COMPANY MAGNATE PASSED AWAY

DEATH CAME AT HIS HOME IN MINNEAPOLIS AFTER PROTRACTED ILLNESS

From Friday's Daily—

Thomas Lowry died at 8:50 yesterday morning at his home in Minneapolis, after a long illness from tuberculosis and liver trouble. He had been in ill health for more than four years He was critically ill last August, but raillied and until a few days ago was not thought to be in immediate danger.

Thomas Lowry, lawyer, financier, railroad and street car magnate, was born on a farm in Logan county, Illinois, Feb. 27, 1843.

He studied law at Lombard university Galesburg, Ill., but was compelled by ill health to abandon his studies before graduating. He took up the study of law and was admitted to the bar at Rushville, Ill., in 1867.

He came to the Twin Cities in 1867 and for seventeen years practiced successfully at the Hennepin county bar. In 1884 he abandoned the law to care for his real estate holdings.

He took up the work of reorganizing the street railways of the Twin Cities, which were in financial straits, and built up a traction system unsurpassed in the United States.

He was early identified with the Soo railroad was one of the most enthusiastic of those advocating the building of the line and became its president a post he retained until his death.

He was a large holder of realty in the Twin Cities, and always a firm believer in the future of the two towns, improved his holdings by erecting costly buildings.

In politics he was a republican, altho he never held office. In 1901 following the death of Senator Cushman K. Davis, his friends persuaded him to seek the place, but Moses E. Clapp was selected by the legislature after a short, strenuous campaign.

CARPENTER RE-ELECTED

AS SECRETARY OF N. D. AND NOR. MINN. IMPLEMENT DEALERS ASSOCIATION

HONOR FORCED UPON HIM FOR THE 8TH SUCCESSIVE YEAR

From Friday's Daily—

The Tenth annual convention of the North Dakota and Northwestern Minnesota Implement Dealers' association held in Fargo passed into history yesterday morning when officers were elected, committee reports heard and resolutions adopted. In every respect the convention can be classed as most successful the sessions being pleasant and profitable for the visiting delegates.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are:

President—O. C. Olson, Drayton, N. D.

Vice President—Paul N. Allen of Jamestown, N. D.

Secretary Treasurer—Geo. F. Carpenter, Crookston.

Directors for one year—C. E. Jones Lisbon, N. D., Paul N. Allen, Jamestown, N. D.; D. G. McIntosh, St. Thomas N. D.

Directors for two years—John E. Paulson, Hillsboro; O. C. Olson, Drayton; D. A. Crites, Willow city, N. D.

This is the 8th successive time Mr. Carpenter of this city has been elected secretary despite his protests, and is an honor that indicates very clearly the high class service he has rendered the association.

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES MUST BE PAID

tI will be well for taxpayers to remember that personal property taxes became due and payable on Jan. 1. On March 1 a penalty of 10 per cent is added and on April 1 the sheriff may visit you if the required amount is not paid.

Neither Treasurer Flaten nor Sheriff Daniels are over joyous in pressing this matter but it is the state law. You have elected them to perform a certain work, and this is a part of their duty. A small tax if unpaid and a penalty attached, together with other costs incurred may amount to considerable—many times the amount of the original tax.

attending the state university after which he will continue to Iowa, where he will visit his father whose health has been far from satisfactory for some time past.

A FIREBUG IN ADA?

SALOON ADJOINING BUILDING GUTTED LAST WEEK SCORCHED AT NOON TODAY

RESIDENCE ALSO COMES NEAR BEING BADLY DAMAGED THRU CARELESSNESS

From Friday's Daily—

People of Ada are beginning to wonder if a firebug is not busy down there. Fire which was discovered at 1 o'clock this afternoon having badly damaged the saloon of Wm. Shields.

Mr. Shields was in the front end of the saloon when the fire broke out but did not notice it for a few minutes. The department made a hurried run and extinguished the flames after about $500 damages had been done. Loss covered by insurance.

The saloon adjoins the Mattson Block which was gutted last week and this causes the speculation.

Yesterday at Ada also the residence of Isadore Roesch a brother of Frank Roesch of this city had a narrow escape. In some manner an electric light fell down on a bed and the coverlets caught fire. It was discovered and the bedclothes thrown out of the window before anything else ignited.

However these fires are the first Ada has had in years and they feel fortunate.

GRANDPA FULTON HAS BAD STROKE

IS LEADING RESIDENT OF ADA AND FATHER OF MRS. W. B. SHEFFIELD

Last evening Grandpa Fulton of Ada, one of the pioneer residents of that city and father of Mrs. W. B. Sheffield of this city suffered a severe stroke of paralysis his entire left side being agected. He is reported somewhat improved today.

E. L. QUIST BUYS THIEF RIVER PRESS

A deal was closed this week whereby E. L. Quist formerly register of deeds of Red Lake county, becomes the owner of the Thief River Falls Press, having purchased this property of S. W. Bagley. While not a practical newspaper man, Mr. Quist is an able writer and is sure to make a success of the paper.

Mr. Bagley is undecided as to the future but it is quite likely that he will locate somewhere in the west for the benefit of his health and engage in some other line of business.

The best wishes of the newspaper fraternity of this section is with him.

Homer Mussey, who has had much practical experience as a newspaper man and is a young hustler, is taking care of the news end of the Press and is sure to get out a good breezy sheet.

BANQUETTED BY ADA FIREMEN

Last evening the Ada Firemen banquetted the citizens of that place this ebing an annual event with them. The smoke social following was thoroly enjoyed, addresses being made by Messrs. C. C. Allen, M. A. Brattland and D. C. Lightbourn and Rev. Symons. There were about 100 present and the affair was a grand success.

Thomas R. Johnstone of this city had expected to be present but was detained in St. Paul.

WILD DUCKS ARE GROWING TAME

MALLARDS BRAVE MINNESOTA WINTER AND FEED WITH THE FARM DUCKS

Rather than make the long journey southward in the fall, six mallard ducks have made Lawndale springs nine miles south of Barnesville their home this winter. On several occasions the birds have flown to farmhouses in that locality in search of food. After being fed with the domestic ducks they fly back to the icy springs. No one has yet attempted to kill them and the farmers in that vicinity watch for their flight daily to and from the springs.

This is vouched for by well known railroad men of this city who run between here and Barnesville.

Madison Western Guard: Dr. Clara Scott of New York says that "nobody with brains will kiss in the days to come." But Miss Clara must remember that all will not be born doctors.

SISTER DEMANDS JUSTICE BE DONE

MARY BANGLE BELIEVES THAT BROTHER'S MURDERER IS AT FRAZEE, MINN.

SISTER OF MAN BRUTALLY MURDERED STARTS AN INVESTIGATION

The murder of Herman Bangle is a resident of Frazee, Minn., according to the opinion of Miss Mary Bangle, a sister of the victim. News of finding the body of Herman Bangle was published in the Journal Saturday which time the belief was entertained that he was accidentally killed near Frazee where his body was found. Further investigation showed that his skull was crushed and the top of his head shot off.

Miss Bangle, who is employed by the Great Northern Express company at Barnesville states that she is thoroly convinced that her brother had been murdered in cold blood. A Frazee character is suspected by her and altho there is no direct evidence at hand, she is satisfied that she can pick the guilty party and no stone will be left unturned to bring about justice.

The Bangle parents are old and unable to defend the family and Miss Bangle states that it would devolve on her and a younger brother to start an investigation. Heart broken over the affair, she is making a brave fight to expose the murderer.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF BIG FALLS FIRE

The terrible Big Falls fire which occurred at that place Tuesday night, January 26th claimed death of Erick Skogen at the St. Anthony's hospital in Bemidji yesterday.

Skogen was on the second floor of the burning hotel and was unable to rescend by the stairway, being badly burned and finally forced to jump from the windows to the ground a distance of twenty-five feet.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Lillie Patterson and R. H. Patterson, her husband, mortgagors, to L. D. Foskett, mortgagee, dated March 5, 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Polk County, Minnesota, on April 14, 1908 at 3:10 o'clock P. M. in book 152 of mortgages on page 202 thereof; that the mortgagors herein have failed to pay $34.17 due October 1, 1908, said sum being due under a certain mortgage executed by the parties named as mortgagors herein and in favor of said L. D. Foskett and by him assigned, which mortgage is a prior lien upon the land hereinafter described, said sum being represented by a certain coupon note bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum after maturity and that there is now due the said L. D. Foskett thereon, under and by virtue of the terms of the mortgage first referred to, the sum of $34.65, he having paid said sum to the holder of said prior mortgage; that said mortgage provided for a reasonable attorney's fee to be paid by said mortgagors upon the foreclosure of the mortgage herein described, and the sum of $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for such foreclosure; that in addition to the sum of $34.65 paid by L. D. Foskett on said coupon note and the sum of $25.00 for attorney's fees, there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of $82.35; making a total due of the sum of $117.00 at this date together with the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees; that by virtue of said default the power of sale in said morigage has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured thereby, or any part thereof; that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are the northwest fractional quarter of section number 5 in township number 148 north of range number 45 west of the 5th principal meridian, situate in the county of Polk, State of Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Polk County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Crookston, in said County and State, on February 20, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including amount of said coupon note and $25.00 attorney's fees, and the costs of such sale.

Dated January 7, 1909.

—L. D. Foskett,
Mortgagee.

Henry A. Johnson
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Opera Block, Crookston, Minn.
(Jan. 14-21-28-Feb-4-11-18)

CROOKSTON AUTO COMPANY

FORMER CONCERN TAKES IN NEW PARTNERS—FIRST FORDE CAR HERE

THE GARAGE WILL BE LOCATED AT N. P. STONE AND COMPANY'S

WALTER AND WILL STONE WILL B ETHE ACTIVE MANAGERS AND PUSH SALES

From Thursday's Daily—

The Crookston Automobile Co., has reorganized by taking in several partners including N. P. Stone & Co., and Charles Ebbighausen and have jumped in after the business with a vengeance, their first Forde car having already arrived and is on exhibition at N. P. Stone & Co.'s large machine warehouse on North Main Street which will be used as a garage, an ideal location with ample room for the storage of all their cars as well as cars owned [illegible] ay one as they will make a business of housing and repairing cars.

Fordes and Overlands

The company still includes Chas. Loring, S. D. Felsing and other local people, and it is the plan to go after the business with a vengeance. Walter and Will Stone will be the active managers and will push the sales to the limit, and with their usual energy they will do business thruout this section. The company will handle an $850 Forde two seated car, and $825 Forde runabout and a splendid Overland Touring car, two grades for $1250 and $1500 respectively.

Complete Repair Shop

A complete repair shop will be operated in the rear of the block which will be in charge of Charlie Ebbighausen who is an expert workman, and can be depended on to handle all work promptly and with dispatch.

A Step Forward

The new company means a step forward for Crookston. They propose going after the business as firms located in other cities do and it will soon be known to the outside world that an automobile can be purchased in Crookston.

IS REPRIEVED TO APRIL 2

LEBEAU'S SANITY IS QUESTIONED AND HE MAY NEVER BE HANGED

GOVERNOR GRANTS REPRIEVE SO THAT HIS CONDITION MAY BE NOTED

A message from Great Falls states that Fred LeBeau, the former Grand Forks man who was to have been hanged yesterday at Kalispel for the murder of Riley Yoakum and his son Frank, ranchers, near Eureka, June 16, had been reprieved until April 2 to determine his mental condition. A question as to LeBeau's sanity was raised some time ago and Governor Norris finally decided to reprieve him.

LeBeau has not worried much since his conviction. He has been engaged a great share of the time in inventing railway appliances. It is thought that some of them may prove valuable

He is known to a number of people here where he made his home for some time each year after trips to the lumber camps.

FIREMEN MEET AT CASS LAKE FEB. 19

ASSOCIATION WILL THEN SET DATES FOR HOLDING NEXT TOURNAMENT

The executive committee of the Northern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament association will meet at Cass Lake on Friday, the 19th of February At this meeting the delegates will decide when and where the next tournament will be held and will also transact their annual business.

At their meeting in Park Rapids last June the place for holding the next tournament was not definitely decided It is believed that Grand Rapids will be given the honor of handling the tournament next June should they desire to accept. If not in all probability it will be held in one of the range towns or at Cass Lake.

There are several new matters that will be brought up at this meeting. It is expected that the committee will introduce new features for the coming tournament.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Personal injury cases may be handled by a state commission if the bill advocated by the state labor commission is passed Almost any plan would be an improvement over the present law.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEY WEST

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ehnen and son Henry took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ganzert and B. C. Kack visited the Keystone last week.

Jno. Beveridge made a business trip to Grand Forks Wednesday.

S. D. Wiles and wife left for Illinois this week. Mr. and Mrs. Wiles made many friends while living here who regret their departure.

The people of Key West were very much elated over the item that was read in the columns of the Journal concerning the establishment of a creamery in Key West. They hope that Mr. Wentzel is not only thinking of this matter but will make a complete success of it.

This fine weather is certainly appreciated by the people of this district, altho the sleighing was ruined on some roads.

Mr and Mrs. Beveridge visited with W. Gunnus last Thursday.

Mr. A. Armstrong drove to Grand Forks on Thursday.

Breckenridge Telegram: Representative Kahn of California says that his state will pass the proposed laws hitting the Japanese in spite of the national government. In that case the national government ought to allow the Jap navy to call around some morning and wipe a few coast cities off the map, with the understanding that they would then steam away. The people of the Golden state are acting like a lot of kids and a good spanking by the Japs or someone else would do them a world of good.

Being good comes natural to a woman; a man has to be sentenced to it.

HENDRUM

Ed Helland of Ada was in town on Friday.

Peter Stennes who attends college at Crookston was home over Sunday

Miss Tillo Velo of Ulen who is teaching near Shelly visited with the Hadle Stennes family over Sunday.

Sivert A. Stennes returned to Erskine Friday morning having visited relatives and friends here for some time.

We understand that Gordon & Grande will close out their business here. The closing out sale began on Monday.

The Tarvestad school, taught by Nora Qually is preparing for an entertainment to be given some time in February.

SHELLY

Mayren Mauritson is sick with scarlet fever.

M. S. Mauritson has bought a new upright piano.

Selmer Oistad was in town Saturday on business.

E. Hole was here from Anthony on business Saturday.

Miss Julia Oien gave a party to a few of her friends Sunday.

Dr. Budworth made a business trip to Nielsville Thursday.

Peter Peterson of this place has accepted a position with O. O. Odegard.

Miss Nora Horte left for Halstad to visit friends Thursday and returned Saturday.

James Hanson has purchased M. S. Hanson's share in the firm of Hanson Bros., our hardware dealers.

PIONEER N. D. R'Y MAN DIES IN EAST

J. M. GRAHAM SUCCUMBED YESTERDAY AT NEW YORK AFTER ACTIVE LIFE

Word was received in the city last evening from New York announcing the death of J. M. Graham vice president of the Erie railroad and a former pioneer railroad man in North Dakota. He will be remembered by the early day settlers as the superintendent of the North Dakota division of the Northern Pacific in the early 80's where he was active for several years From this division he went to Winnipeg where he was general manager of the Manitoba line, leaving there to become assistant superintendent of the G. N., then going to the B. & O. after which he went with the Erie.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

(New York Press)

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The thing that makes a man conceited about his talents is not to have any.

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The thing that puts enthusiasm into people's prayers is wanting what they pray for.

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The only thing that can reconcile a woman to wearing goloshes is how much too big they are for her.

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You can tell when a man isn't a success in business by how sure he is somebody else who is a success is also a thief.

Some suggestions for valentine entertaining for the young people: Make paper daisies for "He loves me, he loves me not" games and to each daisy attach a tiny envelope containing the man's name. Often the name is a very laughable surprise.

Have a large paper Cupid fastened on the wall with a silver dart in his hand. Blindfold the players one at a time and the first girl sucessful in purloining the arrow will, of course get the first husband.

To tell fortunes with cards use only the face cards and the ten, nine, seven and ace spots. The queen of hearts represents a brown-haired woman with blue eyes; queen of spades, a decided brunette; queen of clubs, a dark woman with light eyes; queen of diamonds a blonde. The same types for men. The king represents married men, the jacks single men. Write any desired sentiment upon the cards shuffle them, cut into three packs, look for the player's individual card, then read the cards found nearest to his or her particular card.

If a man has dollars his wife should at least have sense.

OLD SETTLERS TO ORGANIZE

PIONEER RESIDENTS OF EUCLID WILL MEET FRIDAY EVENING FEB. 5

MANY FROM THIS CITY AND SURROUNDING CITIES ARE ELIGIBLE

On Friday evening of this week an Old Settlers' Assn. will be organized at Euclid which will include many of the old timers thruout the section and includes many eligibles from this city among whom are President H. C. Misner of the Commercial club and wife, and many other prominent citizens.

Dr. J. S. Chapin is the prime mover in the affair and this gives double assurance that the affair will be a success and attract many of the old timers from a distance. Euclid has a great reputation for hospitality, and never does anything by halves and the affair tomorrow night will be on the same order.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

If bread don't rise in baking it's a hat failure.

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Speaking of work that's as near as some men ever get to it.

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It doesn't take much of a carpenter to construct an air castle.

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From a dog's viewpoint an ounce of freedom is better than the pound.

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A man's money and credit usually disappear about the same time.

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Wise is the man who discounts his expectations at 50 per cent for cash.

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Some girls who wear false hair have queer ideas about women who have false teeth.

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Make the best of the present—if you are unable to exchange it for something better.

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It sometimes happens that man gets what he is looking for after he has ceased to expect it.

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A woman is always discovering cheap hats in milliners' windows that look absolutely fascinating on dummies.

Floodwood Broadaxe: Poverty has its blessings after all. We did not notice the name of any country editor killed or injured on the ill-fated steamship Republic. Poverty and globe trotting are not compatible.

HIDES

10 to 50% more Spot Cash for HIDES and RAW FURS by shipping to us than by selling at home. Fair dealings. Prompt cash returns. Best prices for HIDES, PELTS, RAW FURS, WOOL, ETC. Write for Price List, Market Report, shipping tags and how to obtain our Hunters' & Trappers' Guide. We are the most responsible Hide and Fur House in the N. W. Endorsed by 100 leading agricultural papers.

ANDERSCH BROS., Department 66, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

TO HOT SPRINGS—Charles Ryan of Western Polk has gone to Hot Springs, Ark., where he will enjoy the balmy air and rest for a few weeks.

HERE FROM MILWAUKEE—John Klema of Milwaukee is here for a ten days' visit with his cousin Geo. Klema and other friends.

RECEIVED INSURANCE MONEY—Mrs. P. J. Barclay as secretary of the Degree of Honor has received a draft for $1,000 from the head officers of that order in favor of Mrs. W H. Norrie as insurance on the life of her husband. Mrs. Norrie has already received the money. The action of the D. of H. was very prompt.

FRIENDS ARE GRIEVED—This afternoon Ole J. Skare of Union, N. D. and R. B. Larson of Leeds, N. D. arrived on the N. P. to call on G. T. Hagen and were greatly distressed to learn of his misfortune. They were in Grand Forks on business ,and as they were old schoolmates of Mr. Hagen's, and had not seen him for 30 years they decided to take a run over for the afternoon. They will return this evening.

POOLROOM BURGLARIZED—The Riverside poolroom at Grand Forks owned by Mike Cleary, was burglarized some time on Monday night. The proprietor discovered the robbery when he opened the place yesterday morning. The gas meter had been broken into and the cash was gone. Some cigars had also been taken. No boxes were stolen but the thief evidently took a number of handfuls from the case. From the gas meter $5.25 was taken. Entrance to the building was secured thru the front door, on DeMers avenue. There is a storm shed and door on the building and so the thief had a chance to work where no one could see him. The window was broken near the door lock. Then the robber put his hand thru the opening and shoved back the catch. After securing the plunder he left thru a rear window.

The police are scouring around for evidence as to who the thief was who stole 13 sacks of ground feed from in front of the S. C. Johnson elevator night before last.

The feed was set outside when time came for closing in the evening, as the farmer was to call when he was ready to leave for home late in the evening.

When he called he found some other or local man had called ahead of him and taken the feed and neglected to leave a card.

This morning at 4 o'clock a special train in charge of Conductor P. C. Keeley passed thru the city from Barnesville headed for St. Vincent. The special contained general Supt. W. D. Scott, Mr. Hoaglund and F. C. Stevens, formerly chief engineer on the Great Northern and later on the Panama Canal, together with several other officials .

They returned south thru Crookston just before noon today and will now make a trip of inspection over the Breckenridge division.

A most remarkable fish was taken out of the river yesterday afternoon by the Grand Forks Concrete company's crew while scooping out sand It must have come from far below the riverbed, as the scoop taking it out had been working for several days in the same place.

The fish has the appearance of an eel; is about 10 inches long, has no eyes, and seems to breathe thru a string of small holes or openings on both sides of the neck. Instead of a mouth it has a row of openings on both sides of the neck with oval suckers around it.

It seems to breathe very heavily thru the openings on the sides, when taken from the water.

CAUSED A LAUGH—Congressman Steenerson recently made a recommendation for the appointment of a postmaster at Twin Lakes, Mahnomen county, which caused a laugh to roll from the seventh to the lower floor of the postoffice department. Mr. Steenerson proposed that Star Bad Boy, who has been a good boy ever since he has been a federal postmaster, be succeeded for political reasons by Fred Big Wind.

The reward anybody receives for early rising is having the rest of the family find fault with him for not getting the house warmer while they were still in bed.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

Knute Strandy went to Lengby this morning to look after the Great Northern pump at that place which has a bad wheeze.

TAKING VACATION—T. Thoreson a clerk in the store of Sam Thoreson at Fisher is at Thief River Falls where he is spending a few days with his brother. While in Crookston he visited with K. Strandy and other friends between trains.

FINE SON ARRIVED—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brosseau are the parents of a fine 16½ pound son which arrived at the Germania Hotel this morning. Mother and child are doing well and friends are smoking clear Havanas instead of Old Tom.

BAND IN GOOD SHAPE — Bandmaster G. O. Riggs returned this morning from Bygland where he went last evening to instruct the band organized there last summer. The band is in good shape, with the members enthusiastic and doing faithful practice.

BAGLEY TIMES SOLD—With this week's issue the Bagley Times which has heretofore been published by E. N. Falk passes into the hands of the new proprietor, C. E. Perkins having bought the plant and good will of the paper last Monday and will hereafter conduct the same. It is not known here what Editor Falk's future plans are.

RETURNED TO FORKS — N .C. Ludvigson, the Helleman manager at East Grand Forks came in on the Northern Pacific this afternoon and took the Great Northern home after calling at the branch agency here between trains. He says business is fine for this time of the year and there will be something doing later on this year.

SETTLED FOR $1,200—The flowage case of H. K. Rude vs. The Crookston Lumber Co., was settled by the defendants paying $1200.00 damages to the plaintiff. J. A. Hendricks of Fosston appeared as attorney for the plaintiff. It was on the calendar to be tried at Bagley this week.

SUCCESSFUL FARMER — John Skauge, one of the successful dairy farmers near Hendrum, returned home Wednesday evening after spending a few days here having some dental work done. He has been paying a great deal of attention to dairying for years and has made an unqualified success of it.

HEADED FOR HOME—Gene Roy left last evening for Grand Forks after a day here, and from there will go to Hillsboro, N. D. where he will call on a few customers before heading for Minneapolis and spend a few days in the wholesale furniture house which he represents. He says the furniture business is just beginning to pick up and the coming season looks very promising .

SECURES A PENSION—Mrs. Marial Olson a patron of Route No. 1 out of Thief River Falls has received official information thru Congressman Steenerson that her claim for pension has been allowed, and she will receive her first payment at an early date. Mrs. Olson is the widow of John Olson, who was a member of Company H 1st Regiment Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry during the Civil War.

BASE BALL FAN HERE — Matt Camitch, the 32nd degree baseball fan who has been one of the main supporters of the Fargo team thru thick and thin, and who has contributed all kinds of money to keep the professional game going, is spending the day in the city on business. He has nothing to say regarding baseball at this time—he never has—but can always be depended upon to get in the game when the spring fever starts.

LEFT FOR DAKOTA—Joel Winkjer who is doing special work for the dairying branch of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, has left for Fargo and from there will proceed to Bismarck, N .D. where the state legislature is now in session to attend to some special business matters after which he will again return to Crookston. He is kept very busy these days and is doing splendid work for the betterment of the dairy farmer.

ENJOYED TRIP—Elmer Ellington who returned yesterday from the convention of the North Dakota and Northern Minnesota Implement Dealers Convention and spent the day with relatives, continued to Donaldson this morning where he is in the hardware business and will also handle machinery. He says the convention was a success in every way and much enthusiasm shown. The addresses were good and the people of Fargo showed all the visitors a good time.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

BACK FROM MINNEAPOLIS—Rev. T. T. Ove and little son arrived this morning from Minneapolis where the little boy has been staying for some time pastwith relatives.

VISITED HOME FOLKS—Ed Nelson who is employed with the Great Northern at Greenbush returned to that place this morning after visiting with his parents at Stephen for several days.

BACK FROM THE WEST — Wm. Samson has returned from an extended trip west during which time he looked up many friends at North Yakima and other points. He thoroly enjoyed the vacation. Enroute home he stopped off at Ossea, Minn., where he visited with his parents.

WILL LOCATE IN MINNEAPOLIS—R. O. Belland who has been in the real estate business in Grand Forks for some time past has disposed of his interests there and after a visit with his brother here left last evening for Fargo. He will remain there but a short time before going to Minneapolis where he will engage in business with his brother from this city who is general agent for the Great Northern Copper Co., having recently opened offices, and is at the same time doing a general real estate business.

BACHELORS BALL AT EUCLID—A large sized time is being anticipated by those who attend the Bachelors Ball to be given by a few of the 32nd degree eligibles of that class at Euclid. The ball will be given Feb. 12 and the committee is working hard to make it a red letter event. Dr. Dryden is reported to be working over time in that direction. The affair will be held in the Woodmen hall and the best of music will be provided. If the weather is at all favorable about 12 couples will go up from Crookston.

BOTH TAKE SECOND PLUNGE—It will be of interest to a number of Crookston people to learn that Mr. A. C. Cowing, a former Crookston hardware merchant, was married last week to a Minnesota girl at Seattle, Wash., and his divorced wife was also married at the same time in Sacramento, Calif.

RED LAKE FALLS BANK ELECTION—The directors of the First State bank of Red Lake Falls who were elected at the meeting of the stockholders held Jan. 12 met at the bank building Tuesday evening for the annual election of officers. Theodore Garceau, who has been cashier of the bank for years, was elected president, Frank E. Hunt was re-elected vice president. Geo. F. Hennings, who has served the bank as assistant cashier, was promoted to the position of cashier, was promoted to the position of cashier. Harry Garceau and Noel Delorme were re-elected tellers.

The spring teachers examinations conducted by Supt. Thorson and Asst. Thomas Casey closed today with a record attendance for spring examinations, 180 having registered. The papers will now be sent to the State Superintendent for markings.

Not in the Same Class

Congressman Rainey of Illinois is bidding for a little temporary newspaper notoriety by his attacks on the floor of the house upon such men as the brothers Taft and W. N. Cromwell each and all of whom are in a class he has not yet been able to reach. With such exhibitions as the Baileys, Tillmans and Raineys are making of themselves in the senate and house is it any wonder that the country has ceased to hope for anything worth while from the minority party in congress? A Calhoun a Marcy, a Thurman, or a Douglas, or even a Tilden, a Voorhees, a Hendricks or a Randall would be able to cut some ice at Washington, however large might be the opposite party's majority in either or both branches of congress; but the minority bunch down there now seem to be able to initiate nothing—all they do is to kick, kick, kick about what is done by the majority. The majority party does not seem to be burdened with an oversupply of states men in congress, but it has some, while the minority seems to be entirely destitute.—Warren Register.

No Discrimination

It has been ruled by the state supreme court that all clubs which maintain bars must pay the regular local liquor license. Heretofore only a government license has been required by these clubs. The decision is a just one. There should be no discrimination made for the selling of liquor is the same whether dispensed over the bar of a saloon or the bar of a clubroom.—Roseau Region.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Sold by all druggists.

And a house party by any other name would be a lot of chair-warmers just the same.

EAT SAUSAGES AN NEW BREAD

OR ANY FAVORITE FOOD WITHOUT FEAR OF INDIGESTION—DISTRESS

FROM DYSPEPSIA OR A DISORDERED STOMACH VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of a case of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach if you will occasionally take a little Diapepsin after eating.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea. Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Billiousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in the Stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. Each triangule will digest all the food you can eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking today and by tomorrow you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

WIDOW AT FORKS ON WAY NORTH

MRS. W. J. MOONEY, WHOSE HUSBAND WAS KILLED ON THE REPUBLIC, RETURNS

A pasesnger going thru Grand Forks yesterday enroute from New York to her home at Langdon was Mrs. W. J. Mooney, Widow of the late W. J. Mooney, who was killed in the wreck of the Republic near New York, about ten days ago. Mrs. Mooney was accompanied by her father, Mr. Griffin of Chicago and her step son John Mooney cashier of the bank at International Falls, Minn. She was met at the train yesterday morning by some friends and in a little interview gave a graphic description of the finding of Mrs. M. F. Murphy of Grand Forks. In searching the wreckage of the Republic Mrs. Mooney with the aid of lighted matches and some of the ship's crew finally located at some distance sticking up from a mass of debris a human arm. Examination proved it to be that of Mrs. Murphy and she was after some difficulty extricated from her perilous position. Altho suffering the most intense pain she never murmured. It was soon found she had sustained very severe injuries. Her thigh bone was snapped in twain and two bad breaks of the leg were between that and the knee. After she was taken to the hospital two large splinters of wood were taken from her side. The best medical aid in New York city has been at her side ever since doing everything science can suggest to help her and to save her as much as possible from permanent lameness. From all indications it will be at least the first of May before Mrs. Murphy can be brought home and then only under the most favorable conditions.

Mrs. Mooney went to Langdon but will return to Grand Forks in a few days and will probably be a guest at the Murphy home most of the time until the large Mooney estate can be probated and settled up. After that she will return to her parents' home in Chicago, where she will live.

The Joys of Life in Africa.

You must never walk barefoot on the floor, no matter how clean it is; or an odious worm called a jigger will enter your foot to raise a numerous family and a painful swelling. On the other hand, be sure when you put on boots or shoes that, however hurried, you turn them upside down and look inside lest a scorpion, a small snake or a perfectly frightful kind of centiped may be lying in ambush. Never throw your clothes carelessly upon the ground, but put them away at once in a tin box and shut it tight or a perfect colony of fierce biting creatures will beset them. And, above all, quinine!—Winston Churchill, M. P., in London Strand.

Luck.

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" asked the young man.

"Yes," answered the home grown philosopher. "There is a lot of intelligence and perseverance in it."—Exchange.

In Saxony no one is permitted to shoe horses unless he has passed a public examination and proves that he is properly qualified.

HIS SKULL FRACTURED; NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

John Ulben Fatally Injured At Bagley By A Blow From Intoxicated Companion.

Shortly after noon today at Bagley Jerry Demo while in an intoxicated condition, struck John Ulben a heavy blow forcing him thru the door of the saloon of Erick Flesche.

Ulben fell heavily on the stone pavement, fracturing and crushing the skull to such an extent that his death is expected at any moment.

Demo was at once arrested and is in jail awaiting the recovery or death of his victim.

Demo is a well known character around there and has a good reputation that is none too good. He is a single man about 22 years of age.

Ulben, is a teamster in the employ of the Red River Brick and Tile company of Grand Forks, and is a single man about 22 years of age.

PATTEWAY IS ACQUITTED

THE JURY WAS OUT BUT 45 MINUTES YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

HE HAD THE STOLEN GOODS BUT CLAIMED HE GOT THEM FROM PAWN SHOP

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Attorneys F. L. McGhee of St. Paul and W. E. Rowe of this city turned the tables on the State in the second trial of A. Patteway. He was convicted of robbing the Merchants National Bank of this city of $600 while acting as porter last summer, his trial having taken place in January and created more interest than any trial in this city in recent years, the court room having been packed to such an extent that the doors were locked.

An appeal to the supreme court was taken by the defense in the bank case and the State asked for a special term and Patteway's trial on a charge of having stolen some goods from the Guarantee Clothing Store resulted in a verdict of not guilty at six o'clock last evening, the jury having been out but 45 minutes. The goods had been taken from the Guarantee Clothing store in April, and they were found in Patteway's trunk when he was arrested for the robbery of the bank in July. Patteway claimed he had bought then in a pawn shop in Minneapolis.

The sensational part of the trial was that Patteway claimed that when his trunks were being gone thru by Chief of Police Eck of this city, a $5 bill and the receipt from the Minneapolis pawnbroker had been stolen. The Pinkerton man was not present at the trial and the attorneys for the defense scored a point when Chief Eck admitted that the detective might have stolen the pocket book when he was not looking.

Attorney McGhee today argued the motion for a new trial in the bank case and with Attorney Rowe assisting him feels confident of acquittal in case of a new trial.

During the last trial the court room was again packed, the case of the colored man having aroused intense interest, many thinking that he was convicted the first time because he was colored.

After the completion of the Patteway case yesterday afternoon a jury was drawn for the trial of Sam Anderson, who with Gus Lunde is charged by Andrew Hill with holding Hill up in broad day light in East Grand Forks and robbing him of $83. He claims the two men choked him almost into insensibility preventing him making any outcry till the two made their get-away. The Anderson case occupied the balance of the afternoon and was given to the jury just before noon today.

It took the jury in the district court in the case of Sam Anderson who with Gus Lunde was charged with holding up Andrew Hill near this city last fall, just 30 minutes to return a verdict of guilty yesterday afternoon.

The Lunde case on the same charge was immediately called. Practically the same evidence was introduced against Lunde as against Anderson. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the Lunde case.

The case against Wang for assaulting Ole Myrben of East Grand Forks is now on.

Mohammedan Serenity.

A Mohammedan people enjoy one great advantage over all others—they never suffer from the anticipation of that which is to come, and, as a natural result, they can always enjoy the present, although only a few hours may separate them from disaster or even from death. Their implicit belief in an ordained future imparts a dignified repose and outward calm to all their actions. Thus, in spite of the trials and troubles which threatened the state during my stay at Fez, a smooth surface of anchangeable serenity veiled the inner thoughts of every individual, from the sultan to the negro at his gates.—Blackwood Magazine.

MAKING FINE PROGRESS

MPLS. BRIDGE AND IRON CO. HAS DAY AND NIGHT CREWS ON NEW BRIDGE

CONCRETE ABUTMENTS FINISHED NEXT WEEK—STEEL COMING IN TEN DAYS

From Thursday's Daily— ...

Record breaking time is being made by the Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co. ,in erecting the splendid new Sampson addition steel bridge. Yesterday the work of putting in the concrete abutments started and will continue with day and night crews till the work is finished.

They secured a large concrete mixer which has a capacity of 150 yards per day, and the laying of the concrete for the abutments started yester day afternoon and the crew continued work all night and the work will be presecuted unceasingly till the entire abutment is completed, which, the weather permitting will be about the middle of next week.

The sand and granite for the concrete is heated before being mixed and after it is set freezing is prevented by the use of six heaters, the entire abutment being enclosed within a temporary shanty covered with tar paper.

Supt. R. C. Jones is here from Minneapolis looking after the work and states that the steel work for the superstructure is being fabricated by the Minneapolis Steel Machinery Co. and the first car o. steel is expected to arrive here next week

While waiting for the steel the crew will erect the false work for the Main span of the bridge and that work has already been started.

The enterprise being shown by both the contractors erecting the bridge and the company fabricating the steel, and City Engineer Carroll is also entitled to commendation for the manner in which he is looking after the construction work and urging the work on as rapidly as possible.

Tug of War

Senator Root and Governor Hughes appear in a "Tug of War" over the line of direct and indirect primaries. This is certainly one of the great issues of the day and the sooner it is settled right the better.

It is to be hoped that Minnesota solons will also consider this issue.—Thief River Press.

Mattson's Views

We do not believe there will be much party advantage to make the office of appointive examiner elective instead of appointive as proposed by the Nolan bill. We remember that a republican public examiner once upon a time, proved a thorn in the flesh of the party and was to quite an extent responsible for its defeat at the polls.—Warren Sheaf.

A lazy man makes as much fuss when he has a litle job of work on hand as an old hen who is trying to raise one chick.

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MAYOR AND COUNCILMEN REFUSE TO GET ON THE WATER WAGON

Alderman Wright Suggested That Mayor McPhee And President Snyder Climb On But They Protested.

Mr. And Mrs. Robert Huffman Want $7,000 Damages From The City Stringent Poolroom Ordinance.

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Mayor J. D. McPhee, president of the Council P. Snyder and finally the entire city council last evening at the regular meeting of the city council publicly refused to get on the "water wagon" and furthermore refused to be put there. They individually and collectively asserted that their proper place was not on the water wagon, and while this is known to be quite true with possibly one exception, nevertheless it was not generally supposed that they would publicly refuse if the matter was forced upon them at an official gathering.

The fact that there were no Barkises present, developed thru an innocent resolution instructing City Clerk Childs to call for bids for advertisements to be placed upon the city sprinkling wagons as has been the custom in the past. Several aldermen objected to the practice believing that city property should not be used to advertise the business of any one merchant of Crookston, even if a fancy price were to be paid for it.

Alderman Wright then proposed that Mayor McPhee's picture be painted on one side of the wagons and President Snyder's on the other. Both gentlemen were on their feet in a minute shouting protests against riding on such a vehicle, specially in the summer time when cooling steins were the most tempting. Finally bids were called for painting the wagons, it having been decided almost unanimously that no advertisements should be placed on the wagon, other than an inscription advertising Crookston, probably the slogan adopted by the commercial club, "Crookston offers Opportunity."

Want $7,000 Damages

Thru her attorneys, James E. and R. J. Montague, Mrs. Emma Huffman put in a claim for $5,000 damages which she claimed was due her as the result of a broken limb which she sustained last fall on the north side of Robert street, west of the G. N. tracks due she alleges to a defective sidewalk. She signified a willingness to submit to an examination at any time and referred the council to Drs. Holte and Nelson, who attended her. Her husband Robert Huffman also filed a claim for $2,000 for loss of his wife's services and worry resulting from the accident. Notice was given that if settlement was not effected in ten days suit would be instituted. Both suits were referred to the litigation committee and the city attorney.

Mr. Huffman is employed at the G. N. roundhouse and the family resides at 404 Stewart Avenue, Sampsons Addition.

Drastic Pool Hall Ordinance

An ordinance was introduced providing for the closing of all pool rooms from 11 p. m. till 6 a. m. and on Sundays, prohibiting all games of chance but granting them the right to remain open for the sale of confectionery and cigars at any old time. The maximum penalty for violation is $25 fine or 10 days in jail.

Fulton New City Justice

Major C. H. Mix sent a communication to the city council thanking them for the honor but declining the office of city justice. The council proceeded to ballot for a justice with the result that D. H. Fulton received 4 votes and W. E. Black 2 votes and the former who has his law offices over the New Store was declared duly elected.

Monthly Bills Allowed

The council disposed of a large amount of routine business also. The usual monthly payrolls were allowed as recommended by the finance committee without debate.

Will Widen Seventh Street

The street and bridge committee reported favorably on the application to widen a portion of 7th street as soon as the property holder interested formally vacates certain property and made the proper filings with the city. The report was adopted.

Will Pile River Bank

The recommendations of the street and bridge committee that the river bank be held by piling along portions of Lorings addition adjacent to the ball park were adopted and the work will be done at once.

The report of the finance committee abating certain sidewalk taxes where the property owner had constructed the walks was also adopted.

Monthly Reports

The weighmaster reported $48.40 cents receipts for January. Fire marshal Risch reported three fires in January, the G. N. Freight depot, the Patterson residence in Carman where the loss was total and the Sullivan hotel where the damage was slight.

Fuel Consumed

Janitor Holmgren of the city hall pursuant to a resolution passed at the last council meeting submitted a report covering the daily consumption of fuel. He reported a total of 24,990 pounds during the month, with a half cord of wood. The most coal consumed in one day was 1050 pounds for several days during the only cold snap of the winter.

The report of Chief of Police Eck for January showed 10 arrests, 9 drunks 4 vags, 2 disorderlies and the balance minor offenses.

Will Improve Jail

The city hall committee reported in favor of making much needed improvements in the city jail including reinforced concrete floors sanitary water closets, changes in cells providing a separate apartment for female prisoners etc. The report was adopted and plans will be drawn and submitted to the state board of control after which the work will be done, probably by contract.

Engineer Carroll's Busy Day

Last evening was City Engineer Carroll's busy night, or rather his recommendations showed that he had been busy for several days past. His recommendation that S. O. Fox be granted a certificate of competency to do plumbing work was adopted, as was his recommendation that a new ordinance be drawn regulating the moving of buildings within the city limits and matters relative thereto and an ordinance will at once be prepared which covers the ground thoroly, fully protecting the interests of the city.

Buy Cinders for Approach

The city engineer also recommended that the city at once close a deal with the Crookston Water Works Co., for the purchase of all the cinders they have. It will require 300 yards to complete the south approach to the new Sampsons bridge and the cinders are very close and make an ideal filling and can be secured for 15 cents per yard. The city will buy the cinders at once.

Use of Streets

The city engineer also recommended an ordinance governing the use of streets by contractors. The council adopted the suggestion and after the ordinance is prepared and passed contractors and others who are granted the use of a portion of the streets for materials etc., will have to live up strictly to the provisions of the new measure, file a bond to insure the cleaning of the street when they are thru and protect the city in every way.

Bid for Cement Work

Engineer Carroll also recommended that bids be called for to do the cement sidewalk and crossing work for the city the coming year, and the city clerk was so instructed by the council.

Want Taxes Reduced

The following persons asked to have their personal taxes reduced. Mrs. Emma Mullen $75 for a piano which had already been assessed to John P. Tuff. Granted.

S. W. Wheeler, household goods from $250 to $125 referred to finance committee.

C. M. Anderson from $360 to $185 referred to finance committee.

Wheeler Land & Loan Co., office furniture from $140 to $76, referred to finance committee.

Bills Paid

The council ordered an order drawn for $100 in favor of [illegible] and for $100 in favor of the Merchants National Bank for property condemned for approaches to the Sampsons addition bridge.

The bond of the Times as the official paper was duly approved.

Applications From Plumbers

Applications for plumbers licenses were received from James E. Morrisey, Howie and Anderson and Henry Ellis. The first was granted and the last two referred to the city engineer and city attorney.

Messrs. Anton Howie and Henry Ellis also applied for certificates of competency which were referred to the city engineer.

Band Room Proposition

The application of the members of the Juvenile band, signed by 228 business and professional men of Crookston, for a room in the basement of the city hall and the fire committees, and a committee from the Juvenile band will confer with them regarding the proposition.

Other Business

The application of L. Johnson for the use of a portion of the street to pile sand and gravel for the Federal building was refered to the street and bridge committee.

The application of A. A. Glenn for a housemover's license was put over till next meeting during which time he can file his bond.

The council then adjourned for two weeks.

WESTERN POLK PIONEER DEAD

GEO. ZENGEL HAD BEEN A RESIDENT OF THIS COUNTY FOR 30 YEARS

Death claimed another of the pioneer residents of East Grand Forks Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock when George Zengel aged 58 years for 30 years a resident of that city died of dropsy and rheumatism. Mr. Zengel had been sick for some time and death was not unexpected. The end was peaceful and the family were at the bedside.

George Zengel went to East Grand Forks some 30 years ago and had seen the town grow from a few huts to its present size and prosperity. He was alderman of the ward in which he lived and served a term as city treasurer. With Mr. Mundinger he built the East Grand Forks brewery. He retired from business some time ago and leaves a good sized estate.

Besides Mrs. Zengel a family of seven children all of whom were at home are left to mourn his loss. The children are Eva, Walter Julia, Anna, Margaret, George and Helen, a babe of six months of age.

The funeral was held from Sacred Heart church at East Grand Forks this morning at 10 o'clock and was very largely attended.

A CREDITABLE SCHOOL REPORT

Report of school district 246 for the month ending Feb. 5 1909:

No. pupils enrolled	21
No. days	20
Average daily attendance	17

Those not tardy during the month were: Bertha Bjoin, Gardner Bjoin, Stella Volland, Andy Volland, Marion Roberts, Amy Bixler and Clinton Roberts.

Those having an average of 90 or above in spelling were:

Bertha Bjoin 98; Hazel Bjoin 93; Clifford Perry 99; Marion Clemen, 97; Joseph Clemen 97; Ruth Rohrer 99; Hazel Perry 100; Lizzie Welter 91; Lena Welter 96; Clinton Roberts 97.

Those having an average of 90 or above in writing were: Bertha Bjoin 93; Stella Volland 93; Andy Volland 90; Marion Roberts, 96; Amy Bixler 91; Clinton Roberts 90.

Those having a general average of 90 or above were: Bertha Bjoin 90; Hazel Bjoin 90; Clifford Perry 93; Stella Volland 91; Andy Volland 90; Marion Roberts 95; Ruth Rohrer 92; Clinton Roberts 92.

—Nina H. Webster, Teacher.

THIRD JUDGESHIP BILL PASSED

St. Paul, Feb. 10— The bill which creates a third judge in the Fifteenth Judicial district which includes Beltrami county passed the house of representatives yesterday.

The majority in favor of the bill was more than two to one, the vote being 67 to 31.

Read The Journal Wants.

MILLIONS FOR WORK IN PEG

RAILWAYS WILL SPEND GREAT AMOUNT OF MONEY IN 1909 IMPROVEMENTS

GRAND TRUNK HAS COMMENCED WORK ON UNION STATION TO COST $3,000,000

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

Millions of dollars will be spent in Winnipeg and vicinity this summer on railroad terminals and facilities. The Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Northern railroads have already commenced construction of a union station costing between $3,000000 and $4,000,000. The Northern Pacific and Great Northern will build terminals which include a station, freight sheds and general railroad shops. The national transcontinental is advertising for tenders for shops in the immediate vicinity of Winnipeg which will cost several millions. The same company is erecting a steel bridge across the Red River which will be over half a mile long while the Canadian Northern is about to build extensive additions to its shops in the south end of the city.

RETURNS FROM SAD MISSION

BROTHER OF MRS. CHAS. L. SKOUG KILLED BY TRAIN NEAR TRACY

Chas. L. Skoug has returned from Tracy, Minn. where he was called by the tragic death of Edward Jacobson brother of Mrs. Skoug of Sampsons addition, and Miss Julia Jacobson who is also well known in Crookston.

Deceased had been to Balaton, attending several social functions and a week ago last evening he took the train to Tracy and it is not known whether he got off there and started to walk down the track towards home, and was struck by the train, or whether after getting off he jumped on the same train and fell off. At any rate his remains were found the next morning two miles west of Tracy.

The Garvin Leader pays a high tribute to the young man who since the death of his father several years ago has assumed the responsibilities of the head of the family, being the main stay of his mother. He was upright honest and industrious, and his sad death has cast a gloom over that entire vicinity, and the deepest sympathy is felt for the stricken relatives. Deceased was 22 years old and leaves besides his mother, Clarence a brother, and Julia and Mabel his sisters are still living. The deceased also leaves two half sisters and one half brother, Mrs. C. L. Skoug, of Crookston, Minn., Mrs. J. T. Hanson, of Overly, N. D., and K. T. Nordby of White Rock, S. Dakota.

TWO MORE PLUMBING FIRMS TO START

At the meeting of the city council this evening two applications for plumbers' licenses will be considered one from Henry Ellis who has been in the employ of Chas. F. Brennen, and who will launch the Northwest Plumbing Co., and the other from Howie and Anderson, who have been employed by James E. O'Brien and Co. This will enrich the city treasury to the tune of $54 as certificates of competency will also be applied for by Messrs. Ellis and Howie at $2 each, the plumbers licenses being $25 each.

TWO PRISONERS ARE SENT AWAY

SARAH FRAZIER AND SAM ANDERSON TAKEN TO SERVE SENTENCES

Last evening Sheriff Orin Daniels left for the State Training School at Red Wing with Sarah Frazier the 14 year old incorrigible girl from East Grand Forks who has been putting on a stunt of moral gymnastic or immoral, that would do credit to a female of 25 for the past year. Deputy Sheriff Sullivan and Rand Smith of East Grand Forks also went down with Sam Anderson the hold-up artist who drew two years at Stillwater.

poem read to him from manuscript.

Even hard cash will melt sooner or later.

BEMIDJI SCORCHED BY $10,000 FIRE YESTERDAY

Two of the Old Landmarks Were Totally Destroyed by the Blaze Several Lost Heavily.

From Tuesday's Daily—

A bad fire at Bemidji yesterday completely destroyed the building occupied by A. Benner as second hand store and residence of John Spillet, and also damaged the brick block commonly known as the "Street block," causing an approximate loss of $10,000 the loss being partially covered by insurance.

The fire which was noticed in the rear of the Benner building, gained such rapid headway that the intense heat burst the large windows in the rear of the photograph studio of Crippen & Reese.

Mr. Crippen who was asleep in the building was awakened by the crackling of the flames, and was obliged to fight fire in order to secure his clothing and books and private papers.

Considerable damage was done to the stock of the printing office beneath and also the taxidermist stock of Joslyn Brothers which was on the first floor and in the basement of the "Street" building.

The loss is estimated as follows: Benton County State Bank, on brick building, $1,000 fully covered by insurance; on the Benner building $2,000 insurance $1,000; on the Spillet building $600 insurance $300; Record Printing Co., $300, fully covered by insurance; Joslyn Bros., $400; Crippen & Reese, $3,500 insurance $2,000 A. Benner $1200, insurance $600; John Spillet $500.

Moral: Insure with Magnus Lundberg.

WARRENITES ARE A VERY LIVE BUNCH

Commercial Club Doing Much For Marshall County And Valley.

The Warren Commercial Club has its annual meeting for the election of officers. During the past year the club has done a great deal of work to advance the interests of Warren and the country tributary thereto. That much was gleaned from the reports of the various standing committees submitted at this meeting. As an illustration of the kind of work the club is doing, may be mentioned that last spring it prepared and published a pomphlet on clover for free distribution among farmers. This pamphlet has been the means of creating a great deal of interest in this important subject among the farmers of Marshall and adjoining counties and today the Red River Valley promises to be in fact has already become the best clover growing section of the state.

In this and many other ways, the Warren club has endeavored to advance the agricultural interests which are the foundation upon which the prosperityl and growth of every city in the valley must always rest. Good roads, improved markets for farm produce the building of creameries, the holding of farmers institutes, the promotion of education, the improvement of streets and beautifying of the city, are some of the subjects considered at the meetings of the club.

At the annual meeting of the club decided to give wider publicity to the great successes scored by Marshall county farmers in the grain contests at the corn exposition at Omaha and at the field breeders' contest at Minneapolis and the entire Red River Valley will share in the benefits of this publicity.

The report of the treasurer was very gratifying there being a healthy surplus of cash in the treasury.

Proceeding to the election of officers the members showed their appreciation of the work done by the old officers by re-electing them unanimously for another year as follows:

Judge A. Grindeland, President.
C. E. Lundquist vice president.
H. L. Wood, Secretary.
C. A. Nelson, Treasurer.

The third annual banquet will be held this evening beginning at 6:30 sharp. The following program has been prepared:

Toasts

Effects of Mail Order Houses on the Rural City and its Territory, C. E. Lundquist.

North Star College, O. E. Abrahamson.

Improvements of Public and Private Property, Albin Young.

Marshall County at Omaha Exposition L. Lamberson.

Carnegie Library for Warren, R. C. Mathwig.

Knockers vs. Boosters W. O. Braggans.

County Fair, O. H. Taralseth.

Amusements for Young Men of the City, Prof. G. E. Keenan.

Music by Vivo Orchestra.

LOCAL CHICKENS SENT TO SHOWS

F. C. MITCHELL AND J. F. HANON SENT BIRDS TO DULUTH SHOW

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell shipped 28 birds to the annual poultry show at Duluth and J. F. Hanon shipped 8 to the same place. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell have been very successful this year winning many first prizes wherever they have exhibited. This evening they will also ship ten birds to the Minneapolis show.

In addition to the prizes which the Journal has already mentioned which they won at the Fargo show, in the S. C. Buff Leghorn class at that show they won 1 2, 3 on hen, 1, 2, 3, and pullet, 2nd on cockerel and 1st pen.

At Minneapolis they won 1st hen, 2nd pullet and 3rd hen on Hamburgs.

At the recent Omaha show they won 3rd cock, 2nd and 3rd hen and 1st pullet in the S. C. Buff Leghorn class and 3rd cockerel, 2nd and 5th pullet and 1st and 2nd pen in the S. S. Hamburg class.

This was a magnificent showing when the immense territory with which they had to compete is con-

THIEVES BUSY IN WESTERN POLK

ARNESON MERCANTILE CO. IS ROBBED—CHICKENS FROM KNUDTSON FARM

Thieves stirred things up ever in western Polk county last night. Robbers entered the store of the Arneson Mercantile Co., and stole some revolvers and cutlery, and also took what cash there was in the till, the amount not being large. The police believe that the theft was committed by some boys but are not certain.

Another gang of crooks got busy on the Oscar Knudtson farm located just south of the Oscar Wick fruit farm in western Polk County., and stole a large number of thorobred chickens. No trace of them has been found tho the entire country was scoured this morning.

Worry gives the undertaker more business than hard work.

tist's or visit his wife's relatives.

Read The Journal Wants.

sidered. It is also possible that they won the price for making the longest shipment.

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WERE DEEPLY IMPRESSED

LEGISLATORS RETURNED TO ST. PAUL ENTHUSED OVER CROOKSTON SCHOOL

OF AGRICULTURE—WILL LINE UP FOR MORE SUCH INSTITUTIONS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The State School of Agriculture idea received marked impetus in Minnesota as a result of the visit of the delegation of 15 states senators and representatives who visited the Crookston School of Agriculture yesterday, where they remained from 11 a. m. till 6 p. m., enjoying a sumptuous dinner at 12 o'clock and a light lunch at 4 p. m. and making a thoro inspection of the buildings, the methods pursued and the results obtained by the 102 students. All are enthusiastic over the work being done and last evening expressed their lively satisfaction without exception, and the plan in some form will be heartily favored, all apparently favoring the plan of Senator Stephens for the creation of one school in each congressional district in the state.

Last evening the visitors were tendered a public reception at the Crookston Club rooms and the solons were bubbling over with enthusiasm regarding the great benefits to be derived from such institutions scattered about the state as the most effective weapon to fight for more intensified farming, with resulting increased prosperity, together with the Normal school committee returned to St. Paul last evening.

Entertained at Smoker

The delegation of legislators were entertained last evening at a smoker in the Crookston Club rooms at which a general social time was enjoyed. Light refreshments were served and cigars passed after which a couple of hours were passed very pleasantly in a social manner. Vocal music was furnished by Messrs. Ross Chesterman Geo. H. Pietsch, Charles and Hector Rapin, Harry H. Chesterman, Edson Jerome and others, and W. A. Marin gave a very fine reading and Mr. Michael Kjelmarson McLaughlin told a few funny stories in his inimitable manner.

ELEVATOR AT MALLORY BURNS

ST. ANTHONY & DAKOTA RAZED —IS WORK OF INCENDIARIES

THERE WAS NO FIRE PROTECTION AND PEOPLE WERE HELPLESS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The fine St. Anthony & Dakota elevator of 35,000 bushels capacity located at Mallory burned to the ground shortly after midnight this morning and there is clear evidence that its destruction was the work of incendiaries.

The elevator contained 4,000 bushels of wheat and 2,000 bushels of flax and was suplied with an annex and coal shed, all of which is a total loss. The value of the elevator and its contents was in the vicinity of $25,000, partially covered by insurance.

The fire was discovered about 12:30 o'clock this morning and must have started at least half an hour before that time in the pit. Unsupplied as the village is with fire fighting apparatus the headway gained by the conflagration was so great that nothing could be done to save the building which stands by itself.

When the elevator was reached, however, the doors were found broken open and this is taken as conclusive evidence that the fire was the work of some individuals who have a supposed grudge to pay. There is a well grounded suspicion as to who the offenders are, and if evidence can be found they will be vigorously prosecuted.

The Difference.

Marriage is a good thing for single men," said the bridegroom elect.

"Hum! Yes," remarked Mr. Henpeck, "for single men only."—New York Times.

The disappointment of manhood succeeds the delusion of youth.—Disraeli.

[illegible] HINES IS BUSY AGAIN

FORMER MINNESOTA PROMOTING A FARMERS' LINE IN SASKATCHEWAN

HAS THE PEOPLE OF THAT SECTION ALL WORKED UP OVER SCHEMES

News comes from Prince Albert, Sask., that Farmer Hines who years ago had the farmers of Northern Minnesota, and North Dakota all stirred up over railway prospects is busy in that section. He is described as the president of the Farmers' Railroad company and "celebrated as an organizer of railway companies." It is asserted that he has a good show of success in building a line in a district of Saskatchewan not convenient to any line at present. Mr. Hines will shortly visit in Crookston and Grand Forks on his way east to consult with capitalists in regard to the proposed new line.

In Polk county his railroad scheme cost many farmers much money, several losing thousands of dollars.

Mr. Hines goes from Prince Albert to Melfort where he will hold several meetings, after which he contemplates an extended tour thru southern Manitoba the east and points in the states visiting Langdon, Grand Forks, Crookston, Duluth, Minneapolis and St. Paul Chicago, Pittsburg, Washington and New York, returning by way of Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa. He expects to get back to Davdson his present home about the middle of April. It is expected operations will be begun about that time on the Regina-Melfort line but at what point is not certain.

MANUFACTURE CANVAS GLOVES

MESSRS TUFF AND LOOMER TO START A NEW INDUSTRY IN CROOKSTON

WILL GIVE EMPLOYMENT TO 12 GIRLS ON START AND MORE LATER

From Monday's Daily—

Messrs. John P. Tuff and G. H. Loomer inside of four weeks will have a plant for the manufacture of canvass gloves going in full blast in this city and will give employment to 12 girls on the start and many more later.

The machinery and material is already ordered and will be installed in a large room in the rear of Tuff's Music Store on South Main street. There is no such factory this side of the twin cities and there is a wide field for such an industry, which should be given every encouragement by the people of Crookston, for it is bound to grow.

GETS INCREASE OF PENSION

WELL KNOWN VETERAN, NEARLY 90 YEARS OF AGE TO DRAW $30 PER MONTH

Ambrose Godbout the oldest member of the Col. Cobham Post. No. 90 G. A. R. of this city, but who now resides at Grand Forks, has just received notice of an increase of pension from $20 to $30 per month. He will be 89 years of age March 14 next and is still hale and hearty, remarkably vigorous for one of his age. He is father of Officer Sam Godbout of the local police force.

M. Godbout made application for the increase early last fall thru Congressman Steenerson and the bill passed the senate yesterday and only awaits the signature of the president. Mr. Godbout was notified by Atty. Chas. Loring who received a message to that effect from Congressman Steenerson who introduced the bill.

Cheaper.

Servant—Please, sir, missus wants you to send for the plumber, 'cos she's dropped her diamond ring down the bath pipe. Mr. Nuriche—Tell your mistress not to be ridiculous. I'll buy her another diamond ring! — London Mail.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

TWO MEN KILLED BY NORTHERN PAC. TODAY

Mail Carrier Andrew Kuchar And A Companion Riding With Him Struck On Crossing Near Voss, N.D., And Instantly Killed.

From Monday's Daily—

Just before noon today, passenger train No. 14 on the Northern Pacific due to arrive here from the North at 2 o'clock this afternoon struck a rural mail carrier named Andrew Kuchar, and a companion who was riding with him, killing them both instantly.

The accident happened near Voss, N. D., but the details have not yet been received. The train backed up and the remains of the two men were taken to Voss and placed in freight house to await the action of the coroner.

Owing to the fact that the train crew changes at Grand Forks the crew which brought the train to Crookston knew none of the details.

The train was in charge of Conductor Haubernesette who resides in Grand Forks.

NEW SCHOOL FOR ERSKINE

MAGNIFICENT 8-ROOM 2-STORY BUILDING TO BE ERECTED THIS SUMMER

SPECIAL MEETING WILL BE CALLED IN FEW DAYS TO VOTE NECESSARY BONDS

From Monday's Daily—

The special meeting of the residents of school district No. 230 last Saturday, called for the purpose of deciding whether or not a new school house should be built during the coming year in the village of Erskine, was fairly well attended and the vote cast on the question stood 41 to 4 in favor.

The size was discussed at some length and then it was unanimously decided that an eight room brick building should be built finishing the lower four rooms at the present time.

The school board is now in communication with an architect and as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made a special election to bond will be held. Erskine believes in doing things right and has started well.

Prof. and Mrs. H. C. Bailey have been re-engaged for another year so satisfactory have their services been in the past.

HELLYER SHORT IN LODGE ACCOUNTS

INKSTER MAN MISSING WITH $300—LEAVES WIFE AND CHILDREN

It was announced yesterday that Robert Hellyer who mysteriously disappeared from Inkster recently, took with him funds of the Woodmen, Yeomen and Forester lodges of which he was treasurer. He left unexpectedly and deserted his wife and children. The total amount due to the lodges is about $300. Hellyer has a neat and comfortable home and was supposed to be in moderate circumstances. It is supposed that he made away with the funds before his departure. His wife asserts she knew nothing of his intention to depart. She is grief stricken. The authorities are making an effort to locate him.

COAST TRAIN TO RUN VIA ANETA

WESTBOUND TRAIN NO. 3 WILL CHANGE FROM LARIMORE LINE

The Great Northern will make some changes in the running time of No. 3 westbound which goes via Larimore at present. Beginning on Feb. 28 the train will run via Aneta and Casselton Train No. 4 will come east via Larimore as usual. The running time of No. 3 will be shortened two hours making it 64 hours and five minutes from St. Paul to the coast. The train will arrive at Devils Lake at 10:50 a. m.

BIG MERCHANT IS OPTIMISTIC

P. I. HOLEN RETURNS FROM BUSINESS TRIP TO ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS

THINKS COMING YEAR WILL BE ONE OF BEST EXPERIENCED FOR YEARS

From Tuesday's Daily—

P. I. Holem of the firm of Olson & Holen of Argyle, the biggest mercantile firm between Crookston and the Canadian boundary, passed thru the city yesterday enroute home after a several weeks stay in St. Paul and Minneapolis where he has been on business for the firm and looking after some legislative matters.

Mr. Holen looks forward to the coming year as giving every indication of being the most prosperous experienced in the Red River Valley for a number of years, and believes many new farmers will come in the coming spring and summer.

He says everything points to the dawn of a new era of prosperity in this section, and that with better farming methods, good prices for all farm produce, this section is certainly "coming into her own."

He states that the snow in the cities is a fright, but would like to see a good heavy fall here before the spring breakup comes as he believes the moisture would be a good thing, and better than rains later on.

WIFE AND SON GET ENTIRE ESTATE

MRS. W. J. MOONEY AND STEPSON WILL SHARE IN ESTATE OF BANKER

In the will of the late W. J. Mooney, of Langdon, E. J. Fox and John Sheehan, of Langdon are named as executors of the estate. Mrs. W. J. Mooney and John B. Mooney are the only legatees mentioned in the will and it is understood that the various business interests with which Mr. Mooney has along the same lines as heretofore. been connected, will be conducted

J. B. Mooney has resigned as cashier of the new bank at International Falls and will take his father's place in the bank at Langdon. Mrs. Mooney will remain in Langdon until the estate is settled up after which time she will probably make her home with her parents in Chicago.

The Editor's Sally.

City Editor—What do you mean by saying in this robbery story that "Brown was knocked down and relieved of a hundred dollars?" Were you ever robbed yourself? New Reporter—No, sir. City Editor—That accounts for it. If you'd been robbed you wouldn't describe the loss of a hundred dollars as a relief.—St. Louis Republic.

His Line of Study.

"My boy is undecided about what collegiate course to take."

"Um!"

"What would you advise?"

"That depends. Does he want to build up his back muscles or his wind?"—Kansas City Independent.

T. A. SULLIVAN TENDERED PLACE

IS OFFERED POST OF MOUNTED AID IN THE GREAT INAUGURAL PARADE

STEENERSON PROFERS POSITION OF MOUNTED AID TO EAST GRAND FORKS CITIZEN

From Monday's Daily—

A signal honor was conferred on the city of East Grand Forks yesterday afternoon when Judge T. A. Sullivan received the following telegram:

Tim Sullivan:

East Grand Forks, Minn.

I have the privilege of nominating a mounted aid to be assigned to the civic division in the inaugural parade. I tender the place to you or some one of your choice who will attend. I will provide horse. Wire at my expense.

—H. Steenerson.

This means that East Grand Forks will be represented at inaugural ceremonies March 4, when President-Elect Taft takes the chair of chief executive of the United States.

Judge Sullivan unfortunately will not be able to attend owing to business duties. He said however, last evening that his prozy would be certainly chosen from among the residents of East Grand Forks and would be a man who could do full justice to the occasion.

The inaugural ceremonies when Taft takes the chair are to be the most elaborate in the history of the nation. Committees have been at work planning for the event forseveral weeks.

Judg Sullivan has already proffered the honor of his place in the parade to a well known official of E. Grand Forks who will decide today whether or not he can attend. Until he decides his name is withheld from publication The people of the city sincerely regret that the judge is unable to attend for no one could do the honors of the occasion better than himself but just at this time he does not feel that he could afford to be away from his home.

THE SOCIALISTS VERY ACTIVE

THEY HAVE TRIPPLED THEIR MEMBERSHIP HERE SINCE LAST FALL

HAVE MOVED HEADQUARTERS TO ODD FELLOWS BLOCK—OPEN EVERY EVENING

From Monday's Daily—

The Crookston Socialists are doing themselves proud these days. They seem to have great success in getting new members. They say they have trippled their membership since last fall when they opened up headquarters. The most remarkable feature is the large number of ladies who take a very active part in the Socialist cause.

They are now located in the Odd Fellows Building where they have free reading rooms open to the public every evening after 7 o'clock. The big halls will be used for lectures debates musical entertainments, etc. They also will occasionally entertain their friends at a dance, which they hope will attract the younger generation and thereby create attention to the study of economics.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and reall sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failcommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to ed." Sold by all druggists.

Occasionally a father says that twins are a double blessing, but more often he says things that wouldn't look well in print.

When a girl isn't willing to flirt with a man he's related to her.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

SHOOTS SELF WITH REVOLVER

MRS. B. A. BARLOW INFLICTS A SEVERE WOUND WHILE TEMPORARILY INSANE

WAS FORMERLY MISS EDITH COCHRANE OF CROOKSTON MUCH SORROW HERE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The following will be of especial interest here as Mrs. Barlow was known here as Miss Edith Chapman and formerly resided with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane east of the city and was a prominent member of the M. E. church here. Her brother, Bert Cochrane resides on the farm still. Her father resides at Park River.

Mrs. B. A. Barlow wife of the assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Park River shot herself with a revolver yesterday in her home in Park River. The wound inflicted is a serious one but it is believed she may recover as no vital organ was struck The last week or so she had been afflicted with an acute religious mania. Her condition is critical however.

Mrs. Barlow was insane when she attempted to take her life it was stated. She had been ailing for some time and was in Grand Forks for a month recently to secure treatment.

TRIED TO END HIS OWN LIFE

RESIDENT OF BLACKDUCK TRIED TO ENTERTAIN AT NECKTIE PARTY

PASSED THRU CROOKSTON ENROUTE TO FERGUS FALLS LAST NIGHT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Deputy Sheriff Markham and Probate Judge A. M. Clarke of Bemidji passed thru the city last evening enroute to Fergus Falls with John Peterson a farmer who resided near Black duck.

Peterson was in terrible shape. Friday last he tried to hang himself, but was discovered and taken into custody Since that time he tried it again several times but was watched closely, and everything with which he could injure himself was taken away from him. He imagined someone was after him all the time and his condition is extremely pitiable.

FARMER MADE WINE GOT INTO TROUBLE

FARMER NEAR HIBING FINED $50 AND HOME MADE WINE DESTROYED

Fritz Schmidt, a prominent farmer near Hibbing, Minn., will never make any more home made wine by the keg and allow his friends to sample it. Last fall Fritz and his good wife made a large keg of wine from wild grapes, two kegs in fact, and this winter he has entertained a number of his friends for an evening and they got to talking about Fritz' fine wine.

A revenue officer got wind of it and a few days ago pounced down upon Fritz arrested him and seized the wine. Fritz was hauled into court, fined $50 and costs and his wine confiscated. It is understood the revenue officers are making a specialty of getting after wine manufacturers who endeavor to avoid the government tax and several special agents are reported to be in the state working on this class of cases.

Pneumonia Follows La Grippe

Pneumonia often follows la grippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar for la grippe coughs and deep seated colds. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

One of the most wasteful things a man can do is saving money for his heirs to throw away.

Who Pays The Taxes In City Of Crookston?

Complete List Of Those Who Contritribute Personal Property Taxes To The Public Treasury And The Amounts They Are Assessed.

There are about 730 personal property taxpayers in the city of Crookston, and for the information of the Journal readers the complete list is published below. This information is a matter of public record and is published for the information of those who wish to make any comparisons, or for any reason desire to know what the "other fellow" is paying. Every care has been taken to secure an absolutely correct copy from the public records in the office of the county auditor. Following is the complete list published exclusively in The Journal:

Abar Andrew	$1.28
Abas A	64.00
Advance Thresher Co., L. W. Larson Agt.	52.40
Akerlund, August	3.34
Alderman, Frances	.82
Allard, H. F.	2.16
Amundson, Ga	1.19
Amundson & Berget	69.85
Anaker, J F	23.91
Anderson, Lars M.	3.56
Anderson, Albin	21.02
Anderson Nels	36.23
Anderson, H. O.	1.86
Anderson, A. G.	97.81
Anderson, A. W.	2.45
Anderson C. M.	14.46
Anderson, Harold H.	.58
Anderson A	5.05
Anderson B O	1.31
Anderson, P. N.	1.00
Anderson John G	2.15
Andrist, C. W.	4.14
Andrist, Mrs. F.	3.04
Andrist, J J Mrs.	7.55
Andrist Mrs. J.	4.08
Anglim Wm.	24.98
Arneberg, C.	5.62
Arnold Mary O	3.60
Atlas Lbr. Co.	191.49
Asselin, E.	2.45
Austin K K	34.89
Austin Andrew	.75
Axelson John	.65
Bardson, John	5.05
Backen John A	19.94
Bailey Theo.	1.48
Ball, J M	12.20
Ball J D	1.22
Ball Jos.	45.55
Bales Mrs. G. C.	.99
Bank of Crookston	380.93
Babcock C. A.	8.69
Bang, Gilbert	1.70
Bangen, S. O.	4.26
Bangen, Charlotte	6.31
Bangen Ole	2.87
Banks Geo.	9.28
Barrette Joe A	14.52
Barrette Albert J	7.07
Bartlet John	5.05
Bartley P J	3.60
Becker, John	26.11
Becker, Mrs. Wm.	3.84
Bell F D	3.59
Benoit Mrs L I	4.16
Benoit Frank	2.74
Berg R J	15.43
Berg Emma A	46.37
Berg Martin	3.60
Bergerson Nelia B	36.08
Berget Mrs. O K	3.07
Bergstrum Andrew	2.61
Berkland A L	2.60
Bertelson O L	27.83
Bertelson E	9.60
Biever T E	.96
Billings C D	28.16
Bjoin O H	14.25
Bjoin & Carlson	115.09
Black W E	8.07
Bloom A	4.52
Boles J F	10.40
Booth C P	6.15
Bougie I	3.65
Braley A	15.25
Bracelin Frank	1.82
Braff Emil	.75
Brandow H W	35.34
Bratrud M A	38.95
Bray Mrs. Euclid	.57
Bray C	23.63
Brennan C F	40.59
M. Briggs	.58
Brink E	4.56
Brosseau Ed	6.92
Brosseau Eudore	17.99
Brosseau Fred	67.83
Brosseau Henry	46.91
Brosseau Noe	6.45
Brouillard L	.57
Brown Mrs. M. W.	11.76
Brown F. M.	10.71
Brown C. T.	6.89
Brown M R	4.78
Brown H F	79.99
Brown Thos. R. Jr.	4.91
Brule Arsene	21.44
Bruley Mrs. H	1.16
Brunelle T G	29.34
Brunner Ellen	.53
Brustad O	5.42
Buckingham Mrs A A	2.44
Burke J J	1.91
Burkhardt Mrs. R C	2.68
Burkhardt Otto	38.40
Busterud Arne O	228.92
Button J A	9.19
Berg P H	1.74
Burnett Mrs Wm	3.48
Burton J C	24.43
Byers C H	12.94
Byrnes Jas J	5.81
Cadieaux L J	13.94
Cardin H	.85
Cameron Mrs A N	3.65
Campbell Lydia	17.10
Cannon Ned	3.05
Cannon Geo. J	10.43
Coauette Joe	10.20
Capistran Aleide	1.42
Carlisle W G	7.25
Carlson Andrew	19.05
Caron Oliver	4.06
Carpenter Geo. F	10.61
Carpenter J E	7.00
Caroll Mrs J E	4.35
Caroll Mrs J M	2.44
Casey Thos.	1.40
Casmey R.	.86
Chabot A	471.62
Chapin Edith M	10.23
Chapin H C	2.32
Charron Victor	3.27
Chapman Mrs. Chas J	4.75
Chesterman G S	86.65
Chesterman H H	27.18
Christianson O O	20.52
Clements A	8.70
Christianson Nels	5.06
Clapp W T	3.88
Clark D D	21.90
Cohen H	19.57
Collins Bertha	1.45
Collins S. L.	66.19
Cooper, H. D.	6.15
Cornelius John	9.16
Couverette & Cardin	88.35
Couverette A J	.74
Cowley & Holmboe	312.35
I E Crain	44.21
Cram Pete	.99
Cram R H	5.66
Crawford J	28.82
Cromb John	4.27
Crookston Auditorium Co.	76.80
Crookston Journal	61.02
Crookston Marble Works	135.04
Crookston W W P & L Co.	2823.09
Crookston Mfg. Co.	42'63
Crookston Milling Co.	245.72
Crookston Milling Co.	48.72
Crookston Pure Food Co.	44.93
Crookston Supply House	90.05
Crookston Lumber Co.	1584.85
Crookston Creamery Assn.	16.68
Crookston Times Printing Co	173.55
Culbertson Wm	1.17
Dahl B A	.96
Dalquist Mrs E	1.50
Dampier C A	29.75
Daubenberg	2.74
Davies N S	.57
Davis Fred	2.78
Darkow John	10.91
De Mott Mary H.	9.97
Denniston C H	11.45
Dotson J P	.79
Douglas A W	3.89
Dubuque Moise	.46
Dufault Jos Jr.	.65
Dufour Mrs. Margaret	2.85
Dunlop Alex	29.50
Dupuis Alex	4.82
Duval W M	2.23
Duval C	1.59
Ebbighausen Minnie	18.34
Ebbighausen Geo	1.79
Eck Aaron	3.48
Eckert Joe	1.50
Egley Arthur	5.30
Eickhoff Christ	2.54
Eide P J	3.04
Eide John P	.96
Ellingboe Mrs A J	1.74
Ellington L	12.66
Emmerick Wm	3.84
Engstrom E	1.45
Engstrom N G	6.09
Ericsson M	93.20
Erwin Mrs. Thos	2.42
Erickson Ed	63.00
Erickson Emil	31.55
Erickson August	15.94
Erickson Mrs A L	4.52
Espe O A	1.47
Evans Mrs E R	4.73
Farley F C	6.81
Felsing Samuel D	10.43
Ferguson Wm M	3.73
Finch Winslow Carlisle Co.	979.33
Florin John	4.52
Finlayson Agnes	2.11
First Natl. Bank	1995.62
Flaten Geo J	3.19
Fortier Remi	2.77
Foskett L D	6.84
Foote J P	3.93
Fournet F	20.33
Fournet A C	138.44
Fournet J F	28.39
Fox Earl	2.03
Fox Mrs Lillian	5.63
Fretts Mary L	9.46
Frisch John N	11.60
Froelick C F	2.20
Frost Mrs J	.17
Fuller W G	4 74
Fuller A R	17.11
Funk H P	.58
Fylling Ole	52.32
Gardner A W	4.67
Gatton Mrs Geo	1.25
Gerard J J	.64
Getts Geo W	16.80
Getty Mrs H C	8.82
Geise John	.85
Gilbert C J	.88
Gilbert W F	2.85
Gildersleeve C E	1.58
Giller M.	28.62
Glenn A A	12.20
Gonyea Louis	2.75
Gossman L E	8.27
Graves C M	1.42
Graves L S	.37
Green E K	1.28
Griffiths M L	4.08
Gramer Mrs P H	1.16
Gunderson E	4.30
Hill Dan	1.87
Hillard F H	44.37
Hitchcock C A	9.29
Hoch C C	42.34
Hodge G E	2.89
Hodgson H H	7.83
Hoffard N A	6.98
Hoglund C O	3.43
Holmboe Julia	3.54
Holt Chas	3.94
Holte Dr. H	46.25
Horton D D	3.59
Hoven Wm H	1.91
Howie M F	1.63
Hogum Peder J	4.55
Hufman Mrs R M	5.87
Huggard Elizabeth C	3.60
Hughes Dan	1.11
Hughes & Scully	34.37
Hulger Andrew	1.11
Humphrey J L	.52
Hunt Tom	2.87
Habel Louis	3.84
Hagen Thora	3.48
Hagen O N J	19.04
Hagen G T	15.36
Hagen E O	11.19
Hall F W	9.07
Halvorson O A	2.08
Hamel F R	9.57
Hamery Geo F	7.83
Hamery O L	5.51
Handy W E	3.89
Hanson Louis	2.74
Hanson Emil	1.70
Harding Geo M	2.08
Harris F B	28.80
Harris T A	9.57
Hatteberg A F	2.32
Hazeltine Frank	1.77
Heath Mrs. Geo W	6.36
Heilman Brewing Co.	63.66
Heldstab John	33.07
Hellner & Strandell	5.57
Hetler J F	5.36
Hilde M S	2.60
Hilman Mrs S M	4.23
Ike K J	13.65
Ingersoll A M	3.25
Internationa Harvester Co. L W Larson Agt.	72.05
Internationa Harvester Co. S. L. Collins Agt	19.20
Ireland Mrs W L	1.59
Iverson Julia	19.75
Jacobson Mrs A G	5.10
Jenson Oscar F	.96
Jerome Frank	6.21
Jerome A E	3.16
Jewell W H	5.79
Johnson H A	11.66
Johnson Aug	2.84
Johnson John	4.41
Johnson Oliver	30.73
Johnson C J	2.85
Johnson Lars B	1.64
Johnson John E	6.31
Johnson James	2.43
Johnson Louis	6.95
Johnson Carl	.57
Johnson Mrs A	2.93
Johnson J A	1.88
Johnson O F	1.59
Johnson S C	107.88
Johnson Gust	5.76
Johnstone Thos. R	5.88
Jones E W	19.51
Judson Mrs. E	4.59
Just A A	23.98
Kassar A W	3.89
Kalad M	64.00
Keok Bert D	14.73
Kelley John J	5.94
Kelly Mrs Margaret	1.28
Kier Alex	6.93
Kelsey W E	1.70
Kiewel Jno.	2.50
Kiewel Benj.	1.03
Kiewel Chas. E	15.91
Kiewel Brewing Co.	207.01
Kirk A J	2.32
Kirsch M E	3.60
Kirsch A P	1.12
Klema Mike	.99
Knights John	2.90
Koelmel Jos F	38.04
Koeppe Otto	32.69
Kohler Jacob	2.67
Krogman H	.67
Krouse Mrs W B	5.23
Kroog & Dahl	42.91
Kjelland J S	12.64
Laliberte A	57.74
Lanager H B	.57
Lancaster Mrs I A	3.48
Lanctot F A	2.01
Lanctot W A	1.73
Langevin H	7.41
Laramj J J	5.25
Lariviere Andrew	5.87
Laughlin Mrs J	6.09
Laurent Will	1.33
Larson O L	2.15
Larson W m	1.33
Larson L E	64.00
Larson & Carpenter	36.02
Larson L W	32.66
Leblanc Alphonse	.75
Leblanc Jos	13.88
Leick R L	8.34
Leishman P M	3.71
Lesard P	1.79
Lewis John W	10.70
Levins Bert	8.16
Lindberg Mrs C E	2.44
Lindell C N	6.10
Lobb Wm	.24
Locken Julia	2.00
Locken E J	1.33
Lohn Chas M	7.41
Longley Mrs C O	2.62
Loring Chas	33.21
Low W R	16.93
Lowham Wm	3.84
Lucas J D	1.04
Lumpkin C M	3.94
Lundahl Olaf	.84
Lundberg Magnus	18.05
Lundberg C J	26.18
Lundberg & Co.	27.76
Lunde Iver	1.83
Lycan W. S.	211.18
Lytle W G	4.96
Lytle A	5.16
Lytle S. C.	3.31
Lyngholm S H	2.20
McCabe Mrs Jas	2.72
McCaffrey J A	28.35
McDonald J A	5.81
McElroy W B	2.44
McGregor V L & F E	7.12
McIntyre E E	6.14
McKenzie Robbins Prt Co.	63.41
McKinnon A J	8.25
McKinnon A J & A	53.62
McKinnon Archie	8.90
McKinnon Dan	5.17
McKinnon John R	7.06
McKinney J H	5.05
McLaren Margaret	.61
McMahon Jos	6.72
McNichols & Co.	60.07
McPhee J D	5.34
McPhee & Brown	15.78
McTagget Theo	.97
Mackoff Joe	5.93
Malone Mary	2.62
Malone Mrs M C	1.96
Maplebay Mfg. Co.	110.71
Marcum J P	5.42
Marin W A	22.21
Marin Adelaide	2.16
Marotte R	113.96
Marsh H L	7.62
Matheson John	5.76
Mathews E M	5.39
Matton Henry	1.82
Maybury Jas H	12.99
Melsness Mrs. Ole M	.39
Meng & Garvick	25.28
Merchants Nat'l Bank	2321.67
Mereness D J	1.59
Mickelson Geo	3.25
Millette Mrs. H	4.87
Miller & Hanna	17.48
Miller Jas	.67
Miller A A	86.62
Miller Hilda	2.43
Aug. Miller	2.44
Miller & Foote	55.41
Miller A A guardian for Culver and Jeanette Page	17.10
Miller Mrs A P	1.45
Mills E A	7.56
Milligan M B	4.56
Minneapolis Brew. Co.	95.17
Mitchell F C	8.95
Mix C F	6.17
Moe Ben	15.77
Moeckel E	7.20
Molstad J J	24.74
Monroe John	2.62
Morrisey J E	43.81
Monroe B F	.57
Montague Napoleon	.45
Montague Frank	4.56
Montague R J	15.91
Moran Anna B	2.49
Moran N B	.85
Morberg A	.96
Morck A E	1.82
Morgan Mrs S S	2.09
Morin J. B.	6.15
Morken T T	4.76
Moeland W L	5.70
Morley G A	25.81
Moore John	8.24
Morris Tom	85.19
Morrisroe P J	3.26
Mortenson & Kelly Co.	5.80
Mossefin M A	8:38
Mullin Mrs E	5.23
Mullen Nellie	4.79
Munch Mrs Marie	3.94
Munch W F	4.25
Munn C	2.23
Munn Aug	7.70
Murch Geo F	4.84
Murney E C	4.39
Murphy Wm P	10.17
Myersven Ed	3.16
Nelson P	2.22
Nelson J O	1.60
Nelson Carl	5.01
NelsonWi ll J	1.85
Nelson John J	9.57
Nerland Ole	18.81
Nesne H E	6.21
Ness C A	1.86
Newman Otto F	4.29
Newbery C W	8.94
Newland Herb	3.03
Noah T	9.31
Noeson Mrs Rosa	2.10
Normann J P	24.62
Normandin Jos	.75
Northern Pressed Brick Co.	78.30
Northrup J A	7.41
Norrie W H	.79
Northwestern Marble Works	171.97
O'Brien J E & Co	241.10
O'Brien J E	10.15
O'Brien Martin	16.08
O'Brien J W	1.42
Odney H W	5.05
Olds W H	37.75
Olson Theo	1.43
Opsahl John	1.32
Orvick Adolph	4.35
Ostgaard John	5.58
Ove Rev. T T	4.96
Page Frank	4.81
Palen Mrs. M.	4.14
Panke & Garvik	12.80
Patterson Mrs W	1.74
Paulsberg Anthon	3.60
Peterson S H	13.51
Peterson W F	30.79
Peterson Mrs M	2.75
Petterson John	.99
Peterson O W	3.65
Peterson Andrew	1.67
Peterson John E	.59
Peterson J H	35.81
Feterson E F	5.95
Peterson Ed	3.34
Peterson E S	149.67
Peterson Nels	6.61
Phalen Mrs Mary	3.65
Phillips Wiley	30.27
Pietsch Geo. H.	5.99
Pitkin Mrs A H	5.25
Powell Mrs. A	1.45
Prudhomme A	7.66
Prugh Emily C	1.98
Phillips A A	8.38
QuamAndrew	3.88
Quamme Gudrid	1.83
Queen City Fruit Co	35.47
Quesnelle Anthony	6.39
Ralph GeoA	25.67
Ralston Ed L	22.09
Remshardt Fred	1.63
Rapin N	48.79
Rasmussen Mrs Emma	2.23
Rasmussen J R	6.96
Rauch A F	48.37
Rauenbuehler M	28.35
Reber F H	20.47
ReitmierM E	7.87
Remele H W	5.55
Reyer Fred	4.67
Richardson O H	2.44
Reidesel C	106.43
Riggs G O	6.09
Rivard E	5.84
Rivard Louis	1.04
Rivard A	14.44
Robbins E W	.70
Roberts G W	.23
Robertson W A	18.43
Robertson H R	7.87
Roesch F J	2.09
Rolsch Ernest	50.56
Rosenberg R	3.52
Rosenberg & Cohen	124.94
Rosenberg Ben	93.63
Rosenthal Sam	8.39
Rosenthal & Falk	485.87
RossbergA J	5.41
Rowe W E	13.28
Rowe W D	.97
Roy Louis	155.46
Ruettell J H	9.42
Ruggles Walter H	6.39
RustadMrs Tillie P	1.45
Rustad Sam	.89
Rustad N J	2.44
Salen A	7.68
Salveson Adolph	3.74
Sandberg J W	3.65
Satter E R	5.10
Sandberg A G	18.51
Sargent & Hanna	36.16
L Sargent	10.09
Sargent J O	1.69
Sathre J C	3.89
Sathre E M	.29
Sauve A J	94.04
Scandia American Bank	1711.77
Skaaren & Nelson	10.57
Schmidt Henry	1.93
Schmidt Mary E	2.39
Schraeder Mary	6.92
Schroeder Mrs C G	3.77
Scribner H C	5.19
Scully Matthew	1.02
Secord Wm	6.38
Schaff H A	.29
Shelly Mrs A M	4.81
Sellineit H L	11.09
Sheffield WB	5.30
Simmons Mrs I	5.37
Singer Sewing Mch. Co.	13.10
Sivertson A M	5.75
Siverson O M	3.02
Skogness Simon	5.19
Skoog C L	2.27
Slocum W E	105.00
Smith John F.	12.80
Smith Chas E	1.16
Smith H. W	52.76
Snyder E L	.98
Snyder P	4.41
Solberg Chas	2.76
Sommers Mrs G	1.52
Spence Mrs W R	3.36
Spence Thos	30.40
Spendley Elsie H	3.59
Sperry Mrs R E	7.86
Spokely Julius	184.06
Stadsvold Mrs J S	6.55
Stainbrook Roy	4.41
Stair J H	16.65
Standard Oil Co.	50.91
Stainbrook Frank	2.61
Storvick O A	2.01
Stark H W	6.09
Stauning A	7.02
Stenshoel N P	14.27
Steenerson Elias	14.87
Steenerson H	65.41
Stephens A D	22.46
Stevens Mrs H B	.74
Stieglitz S J	58.66
St. Marie Neri	5.53
St. Marie E L	10.27
Stone N P	5.91
Stone N P & Co.	27.07
Stone N P & Co. Agt. Russell Grader Mfg Co.	16.01
Stone N P & Co. Agt. Aultman Taylor Mch Co.	12.80
Stone N P & Co. Agt. Internat'l Harv. Co.	12.80
Stone Geo F	44.54
Strader Mary A	3.36
Strandell Mrs E	.74
Strander C C	10.83
Strander Abst & Inv. Co.	180.12
Strassburger E	5.89
Strandy Knute	.96
Sullivan W L	3.65
Sullivan M	.53
Sundet J O	9.96
Sundet O O	17.35
Sundet Tom J	1.96
Swedburgh S P	16.39
Swanson Mrs N	3.36
SylvesterMercil & Co.	147.73
Teigen Ole	4.89
Thebarge Mrs	10.53
The Crookston Brick & Tile Co	93.55
The Hamm Brew Co.	108.96
The Robertson Lbr. Co.	210.96
The Ruettell Clo. Co.	402.58
The Wrkm. Bldg. & Loan Assn.	196.50
Theilen M H	5.83
Teidt Henry	3.47
Tronrud P J	2.16
Thompson Sam	1.14
Thompson W H	2.20
Thompson Alex	4.73
Thoeberson Christ	2.15
Thornton Mrs M	2.32
Tolan Herbert	.29
Tornquist P G	90.15
Tuff J P	42.15
Turner D H	7.01
Twedten Christ M	2.53
Vance S W	10.45
Vannet Alice J	5.46
Vaudrin S J	2.37
Vaule & Murphy	19.69
Vaule Ole	8.99
Vonderbeck E G	1.27
Verreaux J F	20.18
Viau O	24.75
Walker Mrs F R	.61
Walker Eliz	2.81
Wallace S A	149.86
Walsh E M	54.28
Walsh & Low	7.89
Walstad Bertha	2.56
Walters & Erickson	44.88
Walters Julia	2.13
Walton L M	2.16
Ward W S Rev	3.93
Warfel John	36.44
Waterstrat Wm	4.27
Waterstradt John	5.79
Watts Wm	32.75
Webb M M	2.71
Welsh W H	5.84
Welch G	1.14
Wellcome H J	3.48
Westerberg F E	1.70
Westerberg Chas	30.29
Westover James	11.63
Wheeler J W	45.43
Wheeler Misner Loan Co.	163.75
Wheeler S W	8.29
Wheeler Land & Loan Co.	9.33
Whirry F S	6.15
Wiseman Sam	1.34
Wilde G C	3.36
Wilson Elsie	2.44
Wilson F J	2.03
Winfield Mrs Jos	1.12
Wigard A	18.74
Withey S H	5.68
Wright Geo H	8.94
Wright Carpenter Co.	767.74
Wood C A	1.57
Woodham Isabella S	2.62
Woolery Howard	15.61
Woodstrom Carl A.	3.60
Wyand H A	67.14
Wyand J	.67
Yeo Norman H	22.72
Yonke Wm	2.38
Zealand C H	7.07

WOODMEN ARE VERY ACTIVE

DEPUTIES ARE WORKING HARD AND ARE BEING ASSISTED BY ALL

EVERY EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO LAND COVETED STATE BANNER

From Saturday's Daily—

Crookston Camp No. 2303, M. W. A. will entertain members and their friends at a smoke social and entertainment Tuesday Feb. 16 at 8 p. m.

Graxton L Reilly one of the head officers will be on the bill for a short talk as well as several other prominent citizens who are members of the society.

As has been mentioned before in the Journal the local lodge or camp of Crookston is endeavoring to land the state banner of the society for the greatest increase in members in one year. Everything seems to favor the effort inasmuch as the camp has been located here since May 23, 1894, 15 years ago, has had control of the hall known as Woodmen hall, has now 355 members and is contemplating erection of a large building for meeting purposes only and is the largest camp in the ninth congressional district. The Degree Team of Foresters being the winner of 2nd prize for drilling at the Fair Grounds two years ago They are now contemplating going to Buffalo at the next national convention where they will be thrown in contact with possibly over 10,000 drilled Foresters representing from 700 to 800 camps from all over the jurisdiction.

Crookston Camp has received from the head camp for its beneficiaries $20,000 and has spent over $1500 in otherwise aiding needy members of the order. The Crookston Camp believes in scattering a few flowers on its memebrs when living so that they know and can appreciate the value of belonging to and being one of them.

Martin O'Brien of the local camp has been a state delegate ever since the organization of the camp and was at the last meeting of the head officers elected one of the seven national auditors whose duty it is to audit all the books and departments of the order at the head offices in Rock Island. The society has now an entire membership of over 1,300,000 members and has one-seventh of the entire membership of about 160 fraternal orders. It has over 1 and one-half billion insurance in force which is over one-sixth of the entire insurance in force of total number of fraternal orders now doing business.

One of the greatest achievements the Modern Woodmen have done is to erect a Sanitarium at Colorado Springs for the cure of consumption in all its various forms. At the hospital members of the order who have contracted this dread disease can be treated FREE OF CHARGE.

Prominent physicians who have ex-Woodmen Sanitarium pronounce it amined the open air treatment at the perfect and claim that fully 96 per cent of the patients treated for consumption in its first stages can be entirely cured by their methods.

GRAND TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN

The memorial services held yesterday afternoon in the city hall by the citizens of Crookston were largely attended and of a high order. The address by the Hon. Danliel Fish of Minneapolis was exceptionally fine and was an inspiration to all present. Mr. Fish left for his home on the flyer last evening.

WILL EXTEND THE WORK

PROF. HARRINGTON WILL ENCOURAGE CORN CONTEST ON LARGER SCALE

PRIZE WON BY POLK AT RECENT STATE CONTEST WILL BE AN INCENTIVE

From Thursday's Daily—

Prof. Harrington of the Crookston School of Agriculture has received photographs of some of the prize winning corn at the state contest held at St. Paul the latter part of last year in which ten ears of corn raised by students of the school at their homes last summer was awarded one of the prizes the corn having been raised near East Grand Forks.

This in itself will serve as a great stimulent for future endeavor in the corn raising line as Polk County was in competition with the southern counties of the state where corn has been a recognized staple for many years. The photographs show the exhibit from this county up in fine shape.

The first prize was won by a McLeon county boy, a former pupil of Prof. Harrington's when he resided there.

This year Prof. Harrington expects even a more successful contest in Polk county than last year. He will have the boys experiment in the raising of corn from the seed that matured early here last year, and side by side with it he will have corn shipped from the southern part of the state planted, all of the same variety to see whether the corn raised here will not mature slightly earlier than the corn shipped in. He believes it will. Along this line, as along others, the School of Agriculture as well as the Experiment Farm is doing a splendid work.

SHIPPERS MUST MAKE OUT BILL

N. P. FREIGHT DEPT. REQUESTS OWNER TO MAKE BILL OF LADING

Hereafter any person shipping goods by Northern Pacific freight will be compelled to make out a bill of lading himself before the goods will be accepted at the freight depot for shipment. The local freight depot has been supplied with new blank bills of lading and shipping blanks and has received strict orders that all goods to be shipped are to be listed by the shipper.

The reason for this ruling is that the shipper will hereafter be responsible and will be unable to claim that he had shipped goods not listed on the bill.

The general freight office issued this order some time ago and now considers that sufficient time has been given in which patrons of the road might become accustomed to the new ruling and it is to be strictly enforced from this time on.

The failure on the part of shippers to comply with this law of the railroad company may be the cause of delay in shipping goods presented. Often goods are presented by a person other than the owner without furnishing written instruction as to the shipment of goods. The owners should see that such instructions are presented at the time the freight is delivered at the depot.

Hub—But if you like the young fellow, Kate, why do you object to our daughter marrying him?

Wife—Oh, she'll marry him for all that, but I want to give her a chance to say when they quarrel that "mother didn't want me to marry you, anyway."—Boston Transcript.

THE TIME MAY COME

There will be many times in your life when a banker's good word in your favor will be a great help to you.

When that time comes, if you are transacting business with this bank you may be assured of our most friendly consideration.

We give you an invitation to bank here. The service we give our patrons will make it of advantage to you.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

Assets Over One Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars

RETURNS FROM THE SOUTH

E. M. WALSH RETURNS FROM THE LAND OF PERPETUAL SUMMER TIME

SAYS TAMPICO IS JUST BEGINNING ON A NEW ERA—NORTHERNERS PLEASED

From Saturday's Daily—

E. M. Walsh returned yesterday from an extended trip to Tampico, Mexico, where he went with a party of land seekers several weeks ago. He was accompanied on the return trip by Sam Wallace whom he left last Wednesday at St. Louis. Mr. Wallace proceeded to Chicago and is expected home tomorrow or Monday, the balance of the Crookston delegation remaining at Tampico. The Fournets will remain there several weeks yet, and Eudore Brosseau will probably locate in business there permanently.

Mr. Walsh is better pleased with the country about Tampico than ever, and W. R. Low will leave Monday with another party of land seekers. Mr. Walsh states that settlers are coming in fast and that the coming year will witness a wonderful influx.

He states that Tampico is a city of 20,000 people, but that the buildings are all ancient and that the new regime is just beginnnig and that paving, water works and sewers are just being installed. Despite the size of the city, there is no steam laundry there and Eudore Brosseau is considering a plan to install one.

The weather there was fine, but enroute Mr. Walsh ran into some bad streaks. He states that near Albert Lea the snow is about six feet deep along the railroad tracks, and all trains were badly delayed as a result.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Lillie Patterson and R. H. Patterson, her husband, mortgagors, to L. D. Foskett, mortgagee, dated March 5, 1908, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Polk County, Minnesota, on April 14, 1908 at 3:10 o'clock P. M. in book 152 of mortgages on page 202 thereof; that the mortgagors herein have failed to pay $34.17 due October 1, 1908, said sum being due under a certain mortgage executed by the parties named as mortgagors herein and in favor of said L. D. Foskett and by him assigned, which mortgage is a prior lien upon the land hereinafter described, said sum being represented by a certain coupon note bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum after maturity and that there is now due the said L. D. Foskett thereon, under and by virtue of the terms of the mortgage first referred to, the sum of $34.65, he having paid said sum to the holder of said prior mortgage; that said mortgage provided for a reasonable attorney's fee to be paid by said mortgagors upon the foreclosure of the mortgage herein described, and the sum of $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for such foreclosure; that in addition to the sum of $34.65 paid by L. D. Foskett on said coupon note and the sum of $25.00 for attorney's fees, there is claimed to be due on said mortgage the sum of $82.35; making a total due of, the sum of $117.00 at this date together with the sum of $25.00 attorney's fees; that by virtue of said default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured thereby, or any part thereof; that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are the northwest fractional quarter of section number 5 in township number 148 north of range number 45 west of the 5th principal meridian, situate in the county of Polk, State of Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Polk County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Crookston, in said County and State, on February 20, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including amount of said coupon note and $25.00 attorney's fees, and the costs of such sale.

Dated January 7, 1909.

—L. D. Foskett,
Mortgagee.

Henry A. Johnson
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Opera Block, Crookston, Minn.
(Jan 14-21-28-Feb-4-11-18)

The trouble with reform is everybody wants to apply it; nobody wants it to be applied to him.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT

FARMER BOY NEAR FERGUS FALLS ACCIDENTALLY HANGS HIMSELF

WAS CLIMBING WITH A CHAIN ABOUT HIS NECK—MISSTEP CAUSES BROKEN NECK

From Friday's Daily—

While practicing some new gymnastic stunts with which to surprise his brothers and sister, James Steichen, a farmer boy residing near Fergus Falls, slipped from a bar in the haymow, and a log chain which he was carrying over his shoulders tightened about his neck which was instantly broken by the drop, and death ensuing in a few minutes. There he was found a little later by his brothers and sisters.

The children took great interest in athletics and had a trapeze, horizontal bars and other paraphernalia in the haymow, all being very proficient in the work. They had all been doing turns and went to the house, James returning later to practice a new stunt he had in mind, and the terrible accident followed.

NOVELTIES IN VALENTINES

TOKENS OF ALL KINDS TO TEMPT THE AMOROUSLY INCLINED YOUTH

The youth in Crookston who contemplates remembering the girl of his fancy on St. Valentines day, Feb. 14 next Sunday, will not be at a loss this year to select an appropriate gift. The shops are full of sentimental tokens, which range in price from a few cents to several dollars. There are many novelties this year, including love missives on match-boxes, pickles, and all sorts of fuit, including lemons. Then there are the expensive satin valentines and still more expensive tokens in the form of hammered brass and copper pieces.

Booksellers have placed their books of sentimental poems in conspicuous places, the confections have stocked their show-windows with heart-shaped candy boxes containing elaborate decorations, and florists have laid in an extra stock of violets and other flowers for the swain who prefers to express his affecton in a reckless manner.

BAGLEY DISTRICT COURT ADJOURNED

In the case of the state against Thurlow Young, tried on an indictment for carnal knowledge of his daughter, 11 years old, was submitted to the jury and after benig out all night and until about 10 o'clock the next morning were unable to reach a verdict and were discharged and the case continued over the term.

Fredricka Severson tried with Swan Torkelson on an indictment for fornication, was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 or 90 days in the county jail and a stay of execution granted for 60 days for the purpose of making a motion for a new trial. After these matters Judge McClennahan adjourned the term of court. Swan Torkelson having been committed to state's prison on the conviction for criminal assault was not sentenced on the fornication verdict.

JOHN RISTOW BROKE LEG

Mr. and Mrs. August Michaél returned this morning from Fountain City, Wis., where they have been visiting and brought news of a painful accident sustained a few days ago by John Ristow who formerly resided here. He stepped on a stone, turning his ankle with such force that his leg was broken and he will be laid up for some time to come.

W. E. BLACK IS REAPPOINTED

W. E. Black this morning received official notice of his reappointment by State Oil Inspector E. J. Lynch of St. Paul as deputy state oil inspector. This is a substantial recognition of the services rendered by Mr. Black in his official position during the past four years.

BANQUETTED HIS FRIENDS

ALEX THOMPSON CELEBRATED HIS BIRTHDAY IN ROYAL MANNER LAST NIGHT

PIPER HERE FROM WINNIPEG — HOST PRESENTED WITH MAGNIFICENT PRESENTS

From Saturday's Daily—

The biggest birthday celebration ever held in Crookston took place last evening when Alex Thompson banquetted over 100 of his friends at the Palace Hotel in royal fashion. The guests assembled at 10 o'clock and immediately after the address of welcome by the host a splendid menu was served in such a satisfactory manner that a vote of thanks was extended to Proprietor D. D. Clark for the splendid service. The following excellent menu was faultlessly served:

Menu

New York Counts

Clam Chowder

Scotch Dill Pickles Queen Olives
Michigan Celery

Finnan Haddie
Granton Potatoes

Mountain Lamb, a la Scott
Potatoes Duchess

Baked Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
Brabank Potatoes

Orange and Walnut Salad

Wheat Bread Graham Bread
Rye Bread

Scones Oat Cakes

Neapolitan Ice, Assorted Cake

Coffee Wines

Cigars
Scotch Whiskey
Golden Grain Belt Beer

The following were guests at the banquet: Alex Thompson; John Essler, Bemidji; David McMeechan, Bemidji; Don McDonald, A. J. Kirk, John J. Kelly, Thos. R. Brown, Jr., J. M. Stephens, H. L. Falk, Wm. F. Munch, J. P. Dotson, Wm. P. Murhy, G. S. Chesterman, E. R. Evans, P. Snyder, H. G. Ebbighausen, Adolph F. Rauch, Jas. E. Morrisey, H. W. Chambers, W. B. Martin, C. C. Hoch, A. C. Schmidt, M. Palen, N. S. Davies, J. A. McCaffrey Henry Brosseau, A. J. McKinnon, O. Halvorson, E. W. Robbins, C. H. Babcock, Wm. Laurent, A. McKinnon, P. Cram, A. J. Couvrette, N. Rapin, Geo. O'Reilly, Fred Brosseau, B. F. Monroe W. E. Black, John Walters, Paul V. Rauen, E. L. Nixon, Jos. F. Koelmel, B. Levins, C. W. Final, Orin Daniels, Chas. Holt, A. McConville, J. King, J. D. McPhee, F. McLennan, A. H. Fritz, S. J. Stieglitz, Ole Teigen, E. Asselin, H. Langevin, H. F. Brown, Carl Riedesel, Thos. Casey, C. A. Hitchcock, Martin O'Brien, C. F. Mix, J. P. Foote, J. S. Crawford, J. R. Rasmusson, Tom Morris, F. B. Harris, W. E. Handy, Wm Anglim, Joseph Nault and J. E. O'Brien, Crookston; John F. Walsh, Minneapolis; N. M. Watson, Red Lake Falls; J. V. Robert, Winnipeg; and Ronald Stewart the Winnipeg Piper.

An Ideal Toastmaster

After full justice had been done to the feast prepared, Dr. N. M. Watson rapped for order and first called for a selection from Ronald Stewart, the famous bagpipe artist from Winnipeg who made a tremendous hit and during the evening was repeatedly called upon for entertainment, and managed to get some of the canny scots so deeply interested that the highland fling was being flung in all parts of the dining room at once.

Magnificent Voice

Another treat which was most thoroly enjoyed was the singing of Scotch songs by Mr. David McMeachen of Bemidji. He was compelled to respond time after time and gave those present the benefit of one of the finest voices ever heard in this city, rendering many of the old Scotch songs in a manner to set the audience in such a mood that nothing would do but more.

But that was not all in the musical line. "We're Here Because We're Here" was started alternately by Toastmaster N. M. Watson and W. E. Handy, and "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" was used as a change of program every seven minutes. Don McDonald played several fine violin solos

The Dutch Heard From

After Dr. Watson had prescribed for the Germans present they were called upon to sing a few selections and Messrs. Adolph F. Rauch, C. C. Hoch, A. H. Fritz, Jos. F. Koelmel, H. G. Ebbighausen, A. C. Schmidt, M. Palen, and Jos. King with Carl Riedesel as prompter, sang several medleys which brought down the house.

Solos were also sung by Messrs. C. F. Mix, Thomas Casey, Nixon, and Messrs. N. Rapin and Eli Asselin who sang the Marseilles and Messrs Rapin and Alex Thompson.

Interesting Addresses

During the evening a number of very interesting addresses were made "Our Guests" being responded to by Martin O'Brien; "Our City" by Mayor McPhee; "The Heather from Scotland," by John Crawford; "The Ladies Not Present," by J. P. Foote, and other addresses were made by Joseph Roberts of Winnipeg, T. R. Brown, C. W. Final, J. J. Kelly, J. E. O'Brien, W. P. Murphy, Chas. Holt, G. S. Chesterman, F. McLennen, Adolph F. Rauch, whose flights of oratory and witty sallies came near causing a stampede, Allan McKinnon, A. McConville, Will Munch, Carl Riedesel and others.

Three Fine Gifts

J. E. O'Brien made the presentation speech and on behalf of the guests presented Mr. Thompson with a handsome diamond stick pin and a full leather dress suit case and Joseph Roberts on behalf of himself and Mr. O'Connor of Winnipeg presented Mr. Thompson with a beautiful Elks' watch charm, made of two teeth from an elk killed by Mr. Roberts and handsomely gold mounted. Mr. Thompson responded in a most feeling manner and was visibly affected.

Remained Till Late Hour

The guests were loathe to leave the hall, remaining till after four o'clock this morning. The gathering was one of the most congenial and happy ever held in Crookston, and the host was cheered to the echo repeatedly.

Attractive menu cards and programs were used containing the cut of the host, and the dates "1860-1909". There were a few wee and big Donalds and an abundance of cigars, the host providing for every possible wish of his guests.

The affair is one that will be long remembered by all present.

FOUND CUTICURA INDISPENSABLE

For Her Children—Little Girls Suffered with Itching Eczema Which Simply Covered Back of Heads—Baby Had a Tender Skin, Too.

ALL PROMPTLY CURED BY "WONDERFUL OINTMENT"

"Some years ago my three little girls had a very bad form of eczema. Itching eruptions formed on the backs of their heads which were simply covered. Before I heard of Cuticura, I used to try almost everything, but they failed. Then my mother recommended the Cuticura Remedies. I washed my children's heads with Cuticura Soap and then applied the wonderful ointment, Cuticura. I did this four or five times and I can say that they have been entirely cured. I have another baby who is so plump that the folds of skin on his neck were broken and even bled. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and the next morning the trouble had disappeared. I am using the Cuticura Remedies yet whenever any of my family have any sores. I can never recommend Cuticura sufficiently; it is indispensable in every home. I cannot find its equal. Mme. Napoleon Duceppe, 41 Duluth St., Montreal, Que., May 21, 1907."

PAINFUL ULCER

On Foot for a Year. Healed by Two Sets of Cuticura

"I had an ulcer on my foot for a year or more and it was very painful as it was a running sore. I had a doctor, but his treatment did not heal it. About eight months ago I commenced to use Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills. I used two sets and it is now all healed up. Mrs. E. F. Ryder, West Brewster, Mass., April 29, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

WERE PARTNERS 35 YEARS AGO

The visit to this city of Hon. Daniel Fish of Minneapolis today resulted in his meeting his old friend H A. Ball of Grafton who is visitig his brother J. D. Ball of this city the two not having met in many years. About 35 years ago Mr. Ball furnished the cash and Mr. Fish the experience in establishing the Delano, Minn., Eagle which they ran for several years.

The world doesn't look very large to the man who has a tourist's ticket around it.

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Farmer Coming Into His Own

The visit to this city yesterday of a delegation of 15 members of the state legislature to inspect the Crookston School of Agriculture and the deep interest displayed, as well as the lively satisfaction evinced after the work being done by the school had been thoroly investigated shows that the law makers of the state are thoroly aroused to the prime importance of taking care of the interests of the agricultural interests of the state, in view of the fact that 75 per cent of the population is engaged in agricultural pursuits ,and that the prosperity and better development of the state is dependent upon more intensified farming.

The delegation which visited the Crookston school of Agriculture yesterday received many eye openers, regarding the character and thoroness of the work done, and were still more deeply impressed with the thoroly practical methods employed. When the student leaves the school he goes back to the farm with a practical knowledge of agriculture. not theoretical, but practical, and the knowledge he has gained, he is in a position to apply.

He also goes back with the idea that there is as much dignity in the pursuit of agriculture as in any professional calling. As one speaker stated yesterday, "the time is coming when the aristocracy of the land will be the agriculturalist, the same as in old countries."

Is The President Sustained

It is a question how far the testimony of the four bureau chiefs, on the use of secret service men, makes against the position of the President. In quarters where that position is objectionable, the conclusion will be promptly reached that the President is unhorsed by his immediate friends. But is that true? The bureau chiefs gave opinions to the effect that in their respective departments, their own detective forces did and could do better work than detailed secret service men, which may be acepted as true. But the President in the appendix to his message, cited numerous and unquestioned instances wherein secret service men were invaluable to the government, in the prevention the detection and the punishing of crime; and his purpose was to prevent the passage of an iron-clad amendment which would make it impossible to divert the secret service where it might be particularly required. He laid down the principle that to decrease the efficiency of the service could be in the interest only of the criminal class. To lessen the number and efficiency of crime detectors must necessarily be in the interest of criminals; and it is difficult to detect a flaw in this simple postulate. Where a bureau is already well equipped with detective forces with special technical knowledge, the assistance of the secret service is not necessary. It might easily be detrimental. And that is really all that the four bureau men told Mr. Tawney and his committee. —St. Paul Dispatch.

Taxing A Necessity

The more one looks into the tariff on sugar the more iniquitous the tax appears. Here is an article used by everybody a household necessity taxed at 80 per cent while a luxury like automobiles is taxed at only 45 per cent, says the Duluth Herald and it hits the nail squarely on the head. Congress should get busy in an honest revision, and shift the heavy duties from necessities to luxuries.

The people of this country pay between $140,000,000 and $150,000,000 a year for sugar which would be entirely saved by the abolition of the tax on sugar this amount being the extra cost of sugar imposed by the tariff tax of 80 per cent. It is the testimony of the independent dealers everywhere that practically all of this $140,000,000 per year goes to the sugar trust. The jobber and the retailer do not get any of it. Every one of our 80,000,000 people use sugar and every one of us are thus compelled to pay tribute to the sugar trust. There could not be a clearer instance of wringing money from the pockets of the people to fatten the bulging pocket books of the few.

As to the matter of protection, what do we protect by the annual expenditure of this vast sum of money? The cane sugar interests of the United States and the beet sugar interests together produced this year a little less than 750,000 tons of sugar out of 3,200,000 tons that the people of this country consumed. Thus, in order to "protect" an industry which does not supply one-fourth of the product that we need, we yearly tax ourselves $140,000,000. The production of American sugar this year is the largest in the nation's history. Moreover the consumption of sugar in America is increasing more than three times as fast as the native product is increasing. In other words, instead of getting strong and robust under protection, the sugar industry is yearly growing to be more and more of an infant.

There are other strong reasons why the duty on sugar should be largely reduced, if not entirely wiped out. The overwhelming financial interest of the whole people in such a reduction should be sufficient, however to secure it. A complete abolition of the duty it is generally estimated would result in a reduction in the price of sugar of 2 cents per pound and the total saving to the American people during the coming year would probably exceed $150,000,000. While we are struggling to devise means to escape from the heavy exactions of the trusts, why should we overlook such a splendid opportunity as this? The sugar trust is today practically the only advocate of the present duty on sugar. The independent dealers declare that they would gladly see the duty wiped out, and Sereno E. Payne, standpatter and one of the authors of the present tariff, admits that the present tariff on sugar was adopted blindly "because it was impossible to get the exact facts," and he further admits that the duty is excessive.

The majority party is pledged to "an honest revision" of the tariff. If it keeps this pledge it cannot fail to remove the larger part, if not all, of the tarifl on sugar, a necessity that is now taxed higher than most luxuries for the purpose of protecting an industry that grows more "in need" of protection the longer the protection is continued.

HUOT ITEMS

Mr. Rock Audette, aged 19, who resided with his father 4½ miles northeast of Huot, was taken sick with typhoid fever about ten days ago and died Friday night, Feb. 12, at 10 o'clock. His brother, Artel Audette, aged 22, was taken sick at the same time and died Saturday morning, Feb. 13, at 10 o'clock. The funeral of the two young men was held at Huot Monday and was largely attended. Both were born and grew up in the vicinity of Huot and were highly respected. Their mother is at the point of death at the same home with the same disease, so that the father of the boys could not attend their funeral.

Willie and Frank Pepin, of Huot, have both been down with typhoid fever for a week, but are reported as improving.

Eugene and Arthur Lacousier, two more brothers, have typhoid fever and were brought yesterday to the St. Vincent hospital.

People should be very careful about the water they drink and throw a handful of lime (air slacked) in the well occasionally.

F. C. Mitchell, of Highland Park, expects to start in a few days for Idaho, with a view of locating.

London Street Noises.

A hundred years or so ago no punishment could have been worse than that of subjecting the victim to the inferno of modern London noises if they had then existed. Dropping water on the forehead, torturing with tweezers, setting food before the starving culprit—out of reach—all of these were exquisite and refined forms of horror, but they all pale before a night and a day in a modern London street. —Town and Country.

Abraham Lincoln--The Pratroit And Master Of Men

From Friday's Daily.—

Today, thruout the length and breadth of the land the highest honors are being paid to the memory of one of the best loved Americans that ever lived, Abraham Lincoln. The United States has developed many great statesmen, many noble patriots, many master minds. Men who were capable of coping with most grave situations, but standing out in bold relief as combining rare qualities which no individual statesman ever possessed is Abraham Lincoln.

It is a matter of much gratification that Crookston has observed the centennial anniversary of the birth of this great citizen in an appropriate manner. While young and old are greatly benefitted by dwelling on the life of Abraham Lincoln, still more important is the effect such exercises have upon the minds of the rising generation who will be the future men and women of our country. The influences that are set at work are so far reaching in their effects far beyond any estimate.

Abraham Lincoln was a great man --great in the truest sense of the word, great in the keenness of his intuitions and in the greatness of his soul. Other men knew more other men had wider experience, other men were more clever, others far surpassed him in diplomacy, in business acumen, in finance, but none were as great a man as he. He was the master of all men of his time.

Nothing more clearly demonstrated the mastery of Lincoln over his fellows than his relations with Stanton the great war secretary. Stanton was a rugged man, impatient of restraint and of opinions other than his own. He was a Democrat thoroly devoted to the cause of the Union. He was a man of wide experience of great legal learning, a man of iron, utterly devoted to his principles and utterly hostile to anything that crossed them.

Lincoln, the backwoods lawyer, he regarded with coarse contempt and coarser speech. The election of Lincoln to the presidency he regarded as an utterable calamity; by reason of it he despaired of keeping the Union alive.

Naturally bitter, this act of unparalleled follow on the part of the American people lashed him to a fury of contempt and criticism of the unschooled, ill-lettered Lincoln, and seldom, if ever, has a president of the United States been so assailed as was Lincoln by Stanton.

This is the man whom Lincoln called to be his secretary of war—a man so hostile to Lincoln personally that he disdained to speak to him, a man who so held Lincoln in contempt that he accepted his appointment because he sincerely believed that unless Lincoln had men of his experience and ability the country was irretrievaby ruined. When in the history of the nation has another such appointment been made? But Lincoln knew his man. It made no difference to him what might be Stanton's prejudices concerning himself.

For four years the two men worked together, the irrasible, peppery unyielding Stanton and the merciful, great hearted Lincoln. Again and again did Lincoln outrage the judgment of Stanton by his interference with discipline, Lincoln decided according to the dictation of a great heart. And how did it al lend? When Lincoln lay dying his ears deaf to praise or blame, the iron Stanton bent over him, weeping, and said, "This is the man who was master of us all." Time has swept away the petty heart burnings and jealousies of his contemporaries and of his captious critics Mortal man must have his failings and his limitations and Lincoln had his, but as a great leader and a master of the hearts and minds of men, he was without an equal in his time and no man in all the world's history has been more than his peer.

A Disgrace To The Goddess Of Liberty

Investigations by the agents of the United States District Attorney's office have resulted in the assertion by Assistant District Attorney Parkin that fully $5,000 men "owners" of white slaves in the disorderly houses of Chicago, live in idleness off the earnings of their victims. This startling assertion and the state laws which he recommends in an article in the Chicago magazine, Woman's World, have been endorsed by the Illinois Vigilance Association. They hit hardest at these "owners" by making their work a felony. Fake marriage is a frequent device by which innocent girls are obtained for lives of shame, Mr. Parkin asserts in this article and he cites such cases.

In endorsing these bills, the Illinois Vigilance Association, which has dealt with many cases where marriage, fake or genuine were used as a means of procuring girls has recommended that the enactment provide that the estate of marriage shall be no bar to testimony of girl victims.

Mr. Parkin's recommendation that detention of girls in disorderly houses to compel the liquidation of indebtedness be made a felony as explained by him in the Woman's World article furnished the reason for the term "white slave" which has been applied to the girl victims of the appalling traffic which the state legislatures of Illinois and other states soon will be called upon to crush.

"One of the greatest weapons in the hands of the white slavers and of the keepers of houses of ill-fame to prevent the escape of fresh recruits and to submerge theme into hopeless slavery is the system of indebtedness which is practiced in these places," says Mr. Parkin. "The one object of those concerned in the subjugation of a girl who has become a victim to the wiles of the white slaver is to break down all hope of escape from the life of shame and bitterness into which they have been entrapped. Nothing has been found so effective a means to this end as the debtor system. The first thing a girl is compelled to do on being thrown into one of these houses is to buy an expensive wardrobe at from five to six times its actual value.

"To be more definite I have in my possession bills, rendered against certain inmates taken from the dens. In these bills stockings costing 75 cents have been charged at $3.00; shoes costing $2.50 are charged at $8.00, and kimonos costing $4.00 are charged at $15.00. As the goods themselves were seized as well as the bills for them, I am able to make this statement. In every case I have found that the girl was compelled to renew her outfit of finery whenever the keeper so dictated, with out regard to her need of it. Our investigations have all shown that when a keeper imagined that a girl, an inmate, is intending to leave the place either openly or secretly, a new outfit is forced upon her at absurd figures and she is told that she cannot leave the place until every cent of her indebtedness has been wiped out and that if she attempts to do so the officers of the law will be called in and she will be brought back. In the dozens of cases which I have examined there has not been a single one which has failed to show evidence of this kind. I have in my possession numerous copies of bills rendered against these wretched women in which their costumes reach as high a figure as $1,200 and even $1,500. This indebtedness system is mutually recognized and enforced between the keepers of all houses; in other words, no girl can leave one house and enter another unless she is able to show that she leaves no indebtedness behind her."

How long, O Lord, how long will such leprous practices disgrace America? Southern slavery did not compare with it in horror.

If We Had the Time.

If I had the time to find a place
And sit me down full face to face
With my better self, that can not show
In my daily life that rushes so,
It might be then I would see my soul
Was stumbling still toward the shining goal,
I might be moved by the thought sublime—
If I had the time!

If I had the time to let my heart
Speak out and take in my life a part,
To look about and to stretch a hand
To a comrade quartered in no-luck land,
O God! if I might just sit still
And hear the note of the whip-poor-will,
I think that my wish with God's would rhyme,
If I had the time!

If I had the time to learn from you
How much for comfort my word could do,
And I told you then of my sudden will,
To kiss your feet when I did you ill!
If the tears aback of the coldness feigned
Could flow, and the wrong be quite explained—
Brothers, the souls of us all would chime,
If I had the time!

Women take religion almost as seriously as men take politics.

Trying hard to keep out of debt is about as hard as being it.

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The Art of Being Glad

Wrote one because he had no wealth of money, "I have never had an hour of happiness." He was never glad. He was not Cleon and his soul spent itself in bewailing the fact, not realizing that it might be happier.

He who refuses to be happy because he has not money could not be happy if he had it. He does not know the art of being glad. Money may be a great help to being glad, but it alone does not teach the art. Money brings its trials, temptations, obligations, burdens, as well as its chance of joy. The man who does not know how to be glad without money is not fit to have money; money, in the end, will plunge him deeper in the pit of unhappiness.

The poorest man that ever lived had much to be glad for. Health and sunlight and friends, the green of the grass and the blue of the sea and the goodness of God—everyone has some of these to be glad for,, and any one of them is better than money. The poorest man and the richest man have alike the same opportunity to overcome evil with good, and the disposition and the ability to do it is the root of all gladness, all happiness.

There are victories for every man to win. All the wealth in the world cannot give him the gladness that the winning of one of them will. Every man, no matter what he may be or what he may do, can resolve to be the best in his class, to see beauty and do goodness. Such a man cannot help being glad and radiating gladness and accumulating a wealth of good will which is among the choicest of earth's blessings.—Duluth Herald.

The New Way

Henceforth those people who are anxious to press forward business, sosial, political, or religious questions can do so in the new and better way. It is very simple and not overly burdensome. Just buy space in the newspapers and turn loose until there is absolute relief. The old style of expecting the publisher to do all these things in a charitable way is something of the past. It has gone glimmering. It is among the things that were but are not. The publishing of a newspaper is a business proposition, every line in it costs the publisher good hard cash, and there is no just reason why he should paddle your canoe for you.—McIntosh Times.

Mighty Good Bait

A man in San Francisco who stole eight cents was sentenced to prison for eight years, and a bank wrecker in the same city and on the same day was given a year and a half for stealing nine million dollars belonging to depositors. The socialists can all use this kind of judicial bait and use it when they go angling for votes.—Prison Mirror.

Good Boom Material

First prizes are coming to the Red River Valley so often that anyone should be convinced of the superiority of this section. We beat the world in clover, wheat, oats and other grains and last week the St. Hilaire creamery took first prize at the state contest for butter.—Ada Index.

The Journey.

A little work, a little sweating, a few brief, flying years; a little joy, a little fretting, some smiles and then some tears; a little resting in the shadow, a struggle to the height, a futile search for Eldorado—and then we say good night. Some moiling in the strife and clangor; some years in doubt and debt; some words we spoke in foolish anger that we would fain forget; some cheery words we said unthinking that made a sad heart light; the banquet, with its feast and drinking—and then we say good night. Some questioning of creeds and theories and judgment of the dead, while God, who never sleeps or wearies, is watching overhead; some little laughing and some sighing; some sorrow, some delight; a little music for the dying—and then we say good night.—Walt Mason in Emporia Gazette.

Syringe Bearing Firemen.

A studious fireman looked up from his book.

"In place of all these here electric engines, automatic chutes and so on," he said, "the only instrument they had to fight fire with in the seventeenth century was the syringe. Under the roof of every building that they thought worth saving—like cathedrals and such—there were big tanks to catch the rainwater, and beside each tank hung a syringe a yard long. Then when a fire came—squirt, squirt, they went with their syringes, and the building quickly burned down to the ground."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

One on the Court Jester.

Timon of Athens had just been married. As he wafted down the aisle of the chapel with his bride the court jester cried:

"Wait, Timon. I would have a word with you."

The misanthrope turned. Here was the one chance of his life for a quip.

"Timon tied waits for no man." he said. "There, now; I'm square with you." And he drifted out the portal.—Exchange.

ONE WEAK SPOT

Most Crookston People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It's the Back.

Everyone has a weak spot.

Too often it's a bad back.

Twinges follow every sudden twist.

Dull aching keeps up, day and night.

Tells you the kidneys need help—

For backache is really kidney ache.

A kidney cure is what you need.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys,

Cure backache and urinary ills.

Crookston people recommend the remedy.

Joseph Gundlach, cigar maker, formerly of 319 Broadway N., Crookston, Minn., says: "I highly endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a sure cure for backache and kidney ailments. For a considerable time I suffered from pains in my back and added to this was a difficulty with the kidney secretions. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a box at Wallace's drug store. They proved to be just what my case needed. Soon the backache was removed and my kidneys restored to a normal condition. The results were so satisfactory that I advise any sufferer from kidney trouble to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

The Ohio State Journal states that Taft will lean on Knox. The great Pennsylvanian will have to have reinforced concrete construction for his legs.—Minneapolis Journal.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

Just a Few
Words of Advice

from his banker has helped many a man to establish himself firmly on the financial ladder. Why not put YOURSELF in position to get this help in case of need? No expense, just open an account with this bank. No account too large or too small to receive the personal attention of our officers. Their experience in financial affairs has been long and varied they know the strong points which won for successful men — the weak points which brought failure to others.

Scandia American
BANK
Crookston, Minn

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

DAUGHTER VERY ILL—Miss Lydia Hinz. daughter of Rev and Mrs. Hinz is very ill with an attack of lung fever

SUBMITTED TO OPERATION —Mrs. J. J. Burke was taken suddenly ill Saturday last. She was hurried to St. Vincent hospital where an operation was found imperative yesterday. She is doing as well as can be expected today. M. Burke night foreman at the Redlands transfer will tak a layoff till Mrs. Burke is out of danger.

MURDER IN SECOND DEGREE—The trial of Dr. Thor Moeller on a charge of murder in the second degree will be commenced in Minot today. Attorney E. R. Sinkler, of Grafton who will assist State's Attorney Dudley Nash in the trial of, the case was here last evening on his way to Minot. Dr. Moeller will be defended by Judge Edward Engerud, Judge Palda and Sutton and Barret.

MRS. L. FREEMAN DEAD—News of the death of Mrs. L. Freeman at Pierre, S. D., was received here a week ago last Saturday and the funeral was held at Piere Monday. The deceased was a resident of Grand Forks from Abercrombie, where she was one of the first settlers. Her husband died a number of years ago. She has been making her home with her son, Harry, who is a druggist at Pierre She also has a brother residing in Pierre. Mrs. Freeman visited in Grand Forks and at Maple Lake last summer Her death wil be mourned by a wide circle of friends.

GRAND FORKS U. C. T's—At the meeting of the U. C. T's. at Grand Forks Saturday evening ten new members were initiated. The work was performed in the most approved form and was greatly enjoyed. About a score more have signified their intention of joining and there will be a special meeting held a week from next Saturday night for the purpose of initiating them. The teams captained by Bud Abrahamson and Joe Daley are running close and the outcome is doubtful. It is predicted that the membership will be increased '50 in March. Following the business session last night lunch was served and there was a social session. Early today it was reported that Joe Kelley was still looking for a certain chapter and verse in St. Mathews. Sink, who has been very pale during the initiation ceremonies, was gradually recovering his color.

This morning while switching a car of oranges consigned to the Finch-Winslow-Carlisle Co., in South Crookston, the car ran off the track on the turn table, tipping it partially over, smashing the car badly and spilling the oranges all over the prairie, resulting in the total loss of about one fourth of the shipment.

Henry Ellis returned last evening from Duluth where he has been for the past few days purchasing a supply of heating and plumbing goods which will arrive in a few days and will be at once installed in the basement of the Steenerson & Wickstrom Block on South Main street, which he is having fitted up i fine shape. He has decided to engage in business for himself and as he is a competent workman and well acquainted, will without doubt do well from the start. He will keep a full and complete stock of suplies at all times. John Sundet who accompanied him to Duluth will return this evening.

ANOTHER NEW FAMILY FOR CROOKSTON— I. W. Kinder who has been selling groeries for the Wright-Clarkson Co. of Duluth for some time past, is now with W. B. and W. D. Jordon, wholesale groceries of Minneapolis the firm represented in this territory by C. M. Graves till he went with Geo. R. Newell. Wright-Clarkson & Co. will be represented in this section by L. H. Marshall of Devils Lake, who was formerly with the Finch-Smith Co. here, and is well acquainted with the territory. Mr. Marshall for the present is stopping at the Hotel Crookston, but will soon move his family to Crookston, making one more travelling man to swell the throng already here.

CABBAGE IN BLOOM—J. F. Montgomery, the Angus merchant spent the night in the city and left this morning for a trip up the "Fish Line" having in charge J. P. Easton. Mr. Montgomery pooh-hoohed the lemon ripening story in which W. E. Handy figured and stated that Angus was crowing some too, as he had a cabbage in full bloom and that the seed would mature early enough to be planted for the new crop in hotbeds. Well no one would doubt that anything would bloom at any old time at Angus, as that is one of the most "bloomin' " sections of Polk County.

From Tuesday's Daily

ON PROBATE BUSINESS —Attorney N. B. Moran, clerk of the municipal court left this morning for Warren where he will spend the day attending some probate business.

ON BUSINESS TRIP—J. P. Foote left last evening for St. Paul where he was called on business and expects to remain over Wednesday, returning home Thursday morning.

INTERVIEWED ADAITES—John R. Rasmussen left last evening for Ada where he will get in touch with the people and do a stroke of business for Billy Hamm.

SECTION FOREMAN ILL—August Carlson, section foreman for the G. Northern at Erskine was operated up on by Dr. Kahala for appendicitis at the Fosston hospital last week and is now doing nicely.

WILL VISIT WARROAD — H. F. Brown and Cfl. E. Kiewel left this morning for Warroad and intervening points where they will see to it that the people are all supplied with "comfort producers."

CALLED TO HUMBOLDT—Archie McKinnon left this morning for Humboldt where he was called to attend to some business matters for A. and A. J. McKinnon and will return this evening.

WILL WATCH THE SOLONS —County Commissioner Ben Clements left last evening for St. Paul where he will remain for two or three weeks attending to some business matters and watching the legislative machinery of the state work.

HERE ON BUSINESS—James Stroble, the wheat buyer for the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co., at Angus spent the night in the city on busi ness, returning home this morning. He says we are to have an early spring and there are no two ways about it.

"TWO HANDLED SHOVEL"—Supt W. B. Sheffield of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co., left this morning on the east line. He received a letter from one of his ambitiousc wheat buyers last evening in which a request was made for a "two handled scoop shovel" and Mr. Sheffield took it out to him this morning.

BOUGHT BIG STOCK—Miss Vaughan who is the buyer for the firm of Vaughan Brothers, merchants of Germantown, returned home yesterday after several weeks spent in the cities on a purchasing trip. The conditions about Germantown are excellent, with prospects for the best year ever experienced in that sction of the country.

TO LOCATE SNIPE FACTORY —Howard G. Woolery and Fred Langdon left this morning on the north line to locate a snipe factory. It could not be learned whether this was under the direction of the state game and fish commission or has reference to the discarded stubs of cigars to be used in the manufacture of "snoose." Their complete plans will be announced later.

GOOD FARMERS COMING— John Betcher of Austin, Minn., who was up here about two weeks ago looking the country over was so favorably impressed with what he saw that he has decided to remove here with his family and make this his future home. Betcher is a dyed in the wool German farmer who has been schooled to work the soil for all there is in it from childhood up and Mrs. Betcher is a niece of Mrs. Goldberg who now lives on the old McIntosh place. They will rent the K. K. Hoffard farm until recently owned by Thom Dahl and will make it put its best foot forward.—McIntosh Times.

ANNUAL CREAMERY MEETING —The patrons of the Erskine Creamery met at the Woodmen Hall there last week and audited the books of the association for the past year and elected officers for the ensuing year. C. C. Nass was elected as president; Olai Carlson was vice president; A. F. Cronquist, treasurer; H. T. Gilbertson secretary; John Mahlen, Emil Johnson and H. A. Bakken as directors and John Clemenson, O. H. Dale aend E, O. Melsness as auditors. A committee of five was appointed to revise the constitution and by-laws and to formulate some plan for the distribution of shares, said committee consisting of C. C. Nass, O. H. Dale, A. F. Cronquist, H. T. Gilbertson and Emil Johnson. The report of the business transacted during the past year was adopted.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL—Mrs. A. B. Larson, who has been occupying apartments at the Riverside hotel, was yesterday sent by County Commissioner Ben Clements to St. Vincent Hospital in a critical condition suffering with typhoid fever. She has been ill several days but Mr. Clements could not persuade her to go to the hospital because of some difficulty with her household belongings which was finally straightened out. With her husband she came from North Dakota last fall and he has been unable to secure work. Mr. Clements secured him a position working on the new Sampsons addition bridge. Both formerly resided here.

WILL LOCATE HERE—Mrs. Chas. Peterson of Hallock returned home yesterday morning after spending a day in Crookston, Mrs. Peterson owns several sections of land near Hallock, in addition to other property and has decided to move to Crookston next spring and erect a handsome dwelling and make this city her future home. She has two children and the educational facilities of this city are very attractive to her. The location of people of such means in Crookston is very desirable and her decision has caused general satisfaction among her many friends here.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

FOSSTONITES HERE— Attorneys J. A. Hendricks and John Vig of Fosston are before Judge Watts this afternoon arguing a court case.

PREPARING FOR SEEDING—Capt. Emil Vonderbeck left this morning for Euclid where he will see that preparations for spring work are properly started. He always insists on the cleanest and best seed grain.

LOOKING UP CONTRACTS—H. L. Larson of the firm of Larson and Larson went to Warren this morning to look after some contract work which will be let there in the near future.

MORE THOROBRED STOCK—This morning a thorobred bull shipped from the Woodend Stock farm at Mound, Minn., passed thru the city enroute to its new owner at Bagley. It was consigned to Geo. H. French of Bagley.

GROCERS CONVENTION— C. M. Graves who sells groceries in this territory for Newell will attend the Grocers convention which will be held in Minneapolis the forepart of next week Several other grocery salesmen will also attend from this city as the meeting is expected to be a hummer.

OVER WEIGHT REPORTED —There was an error made on the part of the person reporting the arrival of a little son at the S. P. Swedburgh home yesterday. The young gentleman only tipped the scales at 9 1-4 pounds but is nevertheless a healthy youngster. Both mother and son are getting along very nicely.

THREE NEW PRISONERS— Yesterday Matt King was given forty days in the county jail by Judge Gossman for drunkenness and Deputy Sheriff Sullivan today brought B. Cunningham and Ed Collins from East Grand Forks for 15 and 30 days respectively on the same charge.

ORCHESTRA MADE A HIT—"Micks" Juvenile orchestra which played a number of selections at the Bijou last evening made a decided hit and were applauded liberally. The members are making a great showing and the people of Crookston are proud of them.

ROY TIEDT ILL — Many friends will be sorry to hear of the serious illness of Roy Tiedt, who has had such a long siege of sickness, and of late has been confined to his bed. Ray has made a gallant fight against his troubles for several years and the sincere hope of a host of friends is that he may overcomes this very severe attack.—Argyle Banner.

ROSEAU ATTORNEY HERE —Mayor R. J. Bell of Roseau one of the leading attorneys of Roseau County and editor of the Roseau Times was an arrival in the city last evening to attend to some business matters and at the same time greet many old friends. He says things look fine as a fiddle up that way.

NO. 5 LATE— No. 5 was an hour late from St. Paul this morning and the Duluth, St. Vincent and Warroad trains were here all in a bunch. Crookston has been unusually fortunate this winter in avoiding the inconvenience of late trains. All the local trains and practically all the thru trains have been right on the dot except on very rare occasions.

"BALDY" COUVRETTE DOING WELL — U. J. Couvrette is getting along nicely at Mountain Home, Idaho according to advices received from that place recently. He has a valuable 20 acre tract of land near the city a fine house and lot and considerable other property. He is chief of the fire department there, and is making good all along the line. This will be most gratifying news to his many friends in Crookston and he has a host of them.

NOT THE ONLY LEMON TREE—W. E. Handy the Northern Pacific agent at Crookston claims to be the only lemon grower in northern Minnesota,

DOES NO HARM BUT MUCH GOOD

THE RECIPE EASILY PREPARED, AND MANY SAY IT IS SPLENDID

MANY OF OUR CITIZENS SPEAK WELL OF THE HOME PRESCRIPTION

Mix the following by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. A local druggist is the authority that these simple, harmless ingredients can be obtained at nominal cost from our home druggist.

The mixture is said to cleanse and strengthen the clogged and inactive Kidneys, overcoming Backache, Bladder weakness and Urinary trouble of all kinds, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease.

Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back, clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

DEEP SNOW SAVES LIVES

GREAT NORTHERN PASSENGERS' REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM DEATH IN WRECK

Deep snow was all that saved passengers on the Grand Forks-Winnipeg train from death yesterday morning when the train which left Grand Forks yesterday morning for the north was wrecked at a point three miles north of Ardock at about 10:00 a. m. The engine remained on the track but the five coaches were derailed. The combination baggage car was ditched. The smoker and observation car were tipped on their sides. The day coach remained upright. The track was torn up for 40 feet. Nearly all of the 150 bruises or cuts. Among those who passengers on the train received were hurt were the following:

Mrs. J. Rasin, Grafton, injured internally and severely bruised.

Thomas Elliot, Minto, scalp severely cut and face lacerated.

"Cinch" McCrea, Chicago, travelling man, forehead cut.

Mrs. Robert Campbell, wife of a Grand Forks doctor, hand lacerated and sustained severe bruises.

Napoleon Lafleur, Grafton face cut and severely bruised.

Mrs. Floyd Lang, Grand Forks, bruised and face cut.

Goes to Hospital

Mrs. Rasin had just returned from Hot Springs, Ark., and she was hardly prepared to withstand the terrible experience. She was the only one taken to the hospital.

The pasesngers were transferred to the Walhalla line train and taken to Grafton. Last night's train arrived over the line less than an hour late..

The train left Grand Forks several minutes late and was going at a fast pace when a broken rail was struck. The snow was deep in the ditch on both sides of the track and this is believed to have saved the passengers from death.

The line was cleared yesterday afternoon by a wrecking train which left here at noon. The coaches are still in the ditch , but will probably be picked up today.

Cass Lake will share the honors in that the writer can asure Mr. Handy that Mrs. Broeker has grown lemons for several years with pronounced success, the varietty being much larger and more finely flavored than the southern kind. For pies, sponge cake and lemonade, Mrs. Broeker's lemons are unexcelled.—Cass Lake Times..

DR. STACY DEAD—Dr. Stacy for years a resident of Grand Forks and Lakota, is dead at North Yakima, Wn. after a long illness, according to a message received yesterday by his brother, Dick Stacy. The deceased was a veterinarian. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias, Woodmen and Yeomen lodges. He was genial and popular with all. The deceased left Grand Forks a couple of years ago for North Yakima. He has been ill for several weeks and his death was not expected. He is survived by his wife and son.—Grand Forks Herald.

SENATOR STEPHENS PLAN IS THE MOST FAVORED

His Idea For The Establishment Of Schools Of Agriculture Endorsed In Preference To Others.

W. M. Hays Favors It And Minneapolis Tribune Devotes Much Space To An Explanation Of It.

eNver before has the question of Agricultural Schools received the attention from the state legislature of Minnesota that it is receiving at the present time. The city papers are pub lishing columns on the subject. Many plans have been suggested, but the plan of Senator Stephens is receiving the greatest degree of endorsement. Relative to the subject the Minneapolis Tribune has the following:

"Realizing the necessity of agricultural education in Minnesota which is essentially an agricultural state, the present legislature wil lundoubtedly enact some kind of a measure which will provide some such form of education.

"While there are a variety of bills before the legislature, the most interesting thing that has grown out of the agitation for agricultural schools is the intense interest that has awakened over the necessities of the situation and the earnestness with which the advocates of the different measures have gonee into the proposition.

"Professor W. M. Hayes acknowledged to be the leading exponent of scientific agriculture in Minnesota now of the department of agriculture at Washington has reduced his ideas of agricultural education to writing. his plan being practically that which has been evolved by Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston who would provide nine district agricultural schools for the state.

"James J. Hill, empire builder of the Northwest who has for years been urging the necessity of increased knowledge of farming and who has urged the necessity and importance of intensive agriculture in place of the more or less haphazzard methods now in vogue is backing the general plan involved in the different schemes that have been advanced.

Bill is Introduced

Senator J. M. Hackney of St. Paul has introduced a bill providing for a correspondence school method the instruction to be furnished from the state agricultural school.

"This proposition is meeting with a great deal of support and has also received the indorsement of Mr. Hill, who sees in the plan a method of disseminating scientific knowledge of farming broadcast among the farmers who actually till the soil of Minnesota

"Back of it all is the realization of the necessity of changed methods. Minnesota is still a new country, yet it is only a few years since Indian incursions were dreaded and the pioneers were breaking the soil.

"Back of that is the memory of the comparatively brief time ago, when America had only 3,000,000 people, as compared to its 90,000,000 of today.

"Populations are like snow balls, they increase in proportionate ratio to their size and it is acknowledged there is justification for the statement recently made by James J. Hill that within a short time the United States of America will be supporting a population almost as dense as that of the Chinese empire.

"It is a realization of these facts, the legislators say, that has resulted in the strength of the present agitation for agricultural education.

"Of the different plans proposed, that of the Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston, endorsed by Professor Hays, seems to be meeting with the widest favor. Senator Stephens is an enthusiast on farm education. He believes the young men and the girls too, should be educated to live on the farms, and not away from them.

"He believes they should be taught to live as well as to derive the best results from their farms.

"The Crookston senator becomes enthusiastic as he discusses the opportunities for advanced living that can be obtained at the presnt day. How the use of windmills, gasoline engines, etc., will furnish the country home with all the possible modern conveniences that can be obtained in the cities.

"His plan provides for nine schools, one in each congressional district, or some other district division that would correspond He would appropriate $25,000 for each school and provide for their maintenance.

"One such school is already established at Crookston and there is the nucleus of a school at Grand Rapids. His plan would give three such schools to the northern part of the state, establishing seven new ones in all, plus the ones at Crookston and Grand Rapids.

"Mr. Stephens' plan involves a comprehensive scheme of agricultural education. He believes that instruction suitable to farm boys and girls should be included in the courses of the country schools. Then the district, agricultural school would furnish an oppor tunity for the farmer boy to continue his education along this line. The education furnished in these schools would be of a general nature, but would include an education, thoro and complete, in scientific and practical agriculture, with the opportunities for practical agriculture, with the opportunities for practical application as in farm culture, stock raising and judging, dairy experimentation, etc.

"When the course in the district school was complete the boy would be in a position to fill any vocation in life —he would have a good common school education and would possess advanced ideas of agriculture which would enable him to farm with wisdom and success.

Then if the boy wished to continue his studies along these lines, he could do so in the state agricultural school, which turns out graduates who are immediately qualified to draw salaries ranging from $1,800 to $6,000 a year.

"Mr. Stephens points out that an appropriation of $200,000 would take care of 2,000 students. There are 4,000 students at the university and as the population of Minnesota is 75 per cent agricultural, he thinks this could hardly be called unfair. He would provide an appropriation of $20,000 a year for the maintenance of schools and stations, which would include 160 acres of land.

"What is known as the senate agricultural school bill provides for the location of several experimental schools, all in the southern part of the state. It provides for a nappropriation of $15,000 for each school. It locates them as follows: Austin, Mower County; Dodge Center, Dodge County; Waseca, Waseca county; Mapleton, Blue Earth County; Marshall, Lyon county; Windom, Cottonwood county; Hutchinson, McLeod county; Foley, Benton county.

"None of these schools is farther north than 66 miles from the southern boundary line of the state.

"Representative Lawrence H. Johnson of Hennepin, is the author of the county agricultural school bill, which has passed the house. The bill allows each county to raise $15,000 for its school. The county is to pay one-third and the state two-thirds for the original cost and for maintenance.

"The plan would start with the location of six schools, for which $90,000 is provided.

"The chief objection being urged against this bill is that it would locate the schools in the towns and would be inadequate, as compared with the sums of meney being used for other forms of education.

"Conferences will be held this week to see if some arrangement can be reached which wil harmonize the different ideas of agricultural education."

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expells the cold from the system. Sold by all druggists.

Journal want ads bring results.

Is It Your Own Hair?

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! Use this splendid hair-food, stop your falling hair, and get rid of your dandruff.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

WORDS PROVE INDEQUATE

MEMBERS OF BEREAVED FAMILY EXPRESS GRATITUDE FOR SYMPATHY SHOWN

The following is taken from the Plummer Pioneer of which Chas. W. Latta is the editor and publisher, in connection with the death of his wife whose remains were laid to rest here:

"In time of great sorrow the burden of the afflicted is lightened and the keenest bitterness taken from their grief when true, kind hearts lend their sympathy and aid. Without these manifestations of human sympathy we are prone, in times of trouble to lose our faith in the good of humanity and in our God. For several years the writer resided in Crookston and was principally engaged in newspaper work. During those years it was a pleasure many times enjoyed to speak well of the glorious christian work of the Women's Relief Corps and many other of the true hearted people in that fair city. The mission of the members of the Relief Corps is to help and comfort the afflicted and the noble band of women belonging to the order in Crookston are never known to fail in the full performance of their duties as members of their order and as true christians. They have soothed many an aching heart, lightened many burdens of sorrow and helped in many ways to smooth the way for weary feet and aching hearts.

On behalf of the bereaved father and mother and my children and myself I tender heartfelt thanks to the members of the Women's Relief Corps for their kind ministrations; to the newspaper fraternity of Crookston for their remembrance and courtesies extended; to the true hearted friends we knew in bygone years, and find still true friends who forsook the duties of their every day life to assist and attend at the last sad rites of our loved one. Words are sometimes too weak to express our full meaning, but the many kindnesses received by us from these will always remain fresh in our memory and preserve in our hearts a kindly feeling for the people of Crookston.—Chas. W. Latta."

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Sold by all druggists.

The man who things he knows it all never misses an opportunity to butt in.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

LOW RATE
Farm Loans
PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
U. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y

TRUANT OFFICER FINDS 108

ATTENDANCE IN CITY SCHOOLS HAS INCREASED THAT NUMBER SINCE

THE FIRST OF THE YEAR—OFFICER ROBERTS DOING EXCELLENT WORK

From Friday's Daily—

The showing made by Truant Officer Geo. W. Roberts who began his duties the first of the year is remarkable. Since that time he has located 193 children who should have been in school and who are now attending regularly, but who were not going, some of them not having been in school for two and three years. All are now attending and a second visit has not been necessary. In addition there are 5 more students who will start school Monday. This increase in but litle over a month shows the value of such an officer. Mr. Roberts has been very diligent in his work as the results plainly show.

ANGUS-SHERACK

We are sorry to chronicle that Mrs. B. Teal of Euclid is very sick and that some fears are entertained for her recovery.

Mr. Clarence Johnston son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston of this place writes his parents from Red Cloud, Nebraska that he will return home this spring and intends to make the Red River Valley his future home.

Our friend Steve Oliver formerly teacher in school district 171 is at present principal of schools at Truax N. D. Mr. Oliver writes to some of his friends here, he is much pleased with his surroundings at Truax and has charge of quite a good sized school.

Quite a few days cold and snappy and the stiff northwest winds made things hum merrily.

Miss Anna E. Sirek only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sirek of Tabor and Mr. Albert F. Sirek of Lankin, N. D., were married last Monday evening in Crookston, the Rev. Father Smiers officiating. The happy event was celebrated the next day at the home of the bride's parents in royal style. The bride is a highly esteemed young lady of this neighborhood and the happy bridegroom is a prosperous young farmer of Lankin. The happy couple were the recipients of many costly and beautiful presents. The Crookston Journal joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sirek, in wishing them a long and happy married life.

A. J. Goodwin, Esq., one of the leading citizens of Kew West called on some of his friends here last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sirek and four little girls returned to the Queen City last Wednesday evening via the G. N.

Mrs G. H. Horn celebrated the anniversary of her birthday last Wednesday.

Charles and Louis Sirek returned from Warren last Thursday morning.

Mrs. Clifford McLellan of Thief River Falls has been visiting with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller.

Ed. Brantl of Tabor was here on business last Thursday.

L. Osterloh was transacting business at Sherack Thursday last.

Mr. Walter Miller took the train for Warren Thursday morning.

Miss Rose Kotek and Miss Bessie Brantl drove to Tabor one day last week. We will keep quiet, but look out for something to happen 'ere long.

Miss Alma Horn is making quite an extended visit with friends in Grand Forks.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

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PREVENTION OF FLOODS

SENATE COMMITTEE WAS NAMED YESTERDAY BY STATE SENATE

TO VISIT WASHINGTON—SAGENG ENTERED A VIGOROUS PROTEST

Despite the strenuous protest of Senator Ole Sageng that the passage of the resolution simply meant a good junket for members of the legislature the state senate yesterday decided to send two senators to Washington in the interests of a congressional appropriation for the purpose of installing a system of reservoirs and channels to prevent the periodical floods of the Minnesota and Red river valleys.

The concurrent resolution for the appointment of a delegation was introduced by Senator Farrington on the recommendation of a joint committee of the house and senate.

Senator Sageng voted against the resolution. He explained his vote by saying: "The state of Minnesota has eleven men in Washington who are being paid $7500 a year who are looking out for the state's interest. They are capable of caring for the state on this project. This resolution simply authorizes a good junket for certain members of the legislature."

Senator Farrington and Senator C. A. Johnson were appointed as the senate's commissioners to Washington.

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR MUCH WORK

HELLNER & STRANDELL HAVE MUCH TO DO THE COMING SEASON

E. Strandell returned this morning from a several days 'visit with friends and relatives at Moorhead and Fargo. He states that Moorhead plans on a large amount of paving the coming year and that a very good feeling prevails among the business interests regarding the outlook for the coming year.

Mr. Strandell states that his firm has a considerable amount of work in sight for the comnig year. There is to be a large amount of sidewalks laid in the city, and in the surrounding towns there is also considerable work to be done and more will be in sight later on.

Hellner & Strandell have manufactured a considerable amount of tiling which they have in stock and will be prepared to handle more work than ever as this season they have two experienced concrete mixers for the season.

WILL BUY $1,400 PIPE ORGAN

CARNEGIE OFFERS $500 TOWARD INSTRUMENT FOR WARREN CHURCH

Not long ago the authorities of the Swedish Lutheran church of Warren sent an application to Andrew Carnegie, the great philanthropist, asking him for financial assistance in procuring a pipe organ for the church. Rev. Chelgren has just received a letter from Mr. Carnegie's secretary stating that the sum of $500 will be donated for said purpose. provided an equal or larger sum be raised by the congregation. The church will proceed at once to raise the necessary funds to make Mr. Carnegie's generous offer good. The young ladies of the church already have a fund of about $150 for such a purpose, and other methods, perhaps a concert or two, will be arranged, to raise the balance. It is the intention to have the new instrument, the first of the kind in that city installed the coming spring.

Iver Nepstad the fourteen year old son of C. G. Nepstad, who resides in Mary township, about 14 miles southwest of Ada met with an accident which will leave him a cripple the remainder of his life. With his brother Martin 2 years older, he was chopping wood at their home when in some manner Iver reached over to stand a piece of wood on end at the same time his brother brought the axe down to the chopping block. The axe struck Iver's left hand just above the wrist The extent of the injury was not fully realized until the young man was taken to Dr. Bjorn's office at Ada where on examination it was found necessary to amputate the hand, which was taken off at the wrist joint.

A man may get rich by attending strictly to his own business but the monotony gets to something fierce.

BAD FIRE AT BAGLEY

PATTERSON SISTERS MILLINERY STORE COMPLETELY DESTROYED

FIREMEN DID VALIANT WORK TO PROTECT OTHER PROPERTY

From Thursday's Daily—

Fire, caused by a short circuit in electric light wires destroyed the Patterson Sisters Millinery & Ladies' Furnishing Emporium last night at Bagley. The loss on the stock and building is placed at $4,500 with $2,500 insurance.

The prompt and effective work of the fire department kept the flames from spreading to adjoining property Chief Wagner is entitled to considerable credit for the good head work he displayed in at once turning the attention of his men to the work of saving the adjoining buildings, instead of wasting precious time on the already doomed structure.

C. W. STANTON JUDGE AGAIN

GOVERNOR TO APPOINT HIM TO FILL NEW PLACE IN THE FIFTEENTH DISTRICT

C. W. Stanton of Bemidji will again be appointed district judge in the fifteenth judicial district by Governor Johnson, this time under the act passed yesterday creating a third judge in that district. Judge Stanton was appointed once before upon the resignation of Judge M. A. Spooner but was defeated at the general election by B. F. Wright of Park Rapids.

The district is large territorially and it is claimed that three judges are needed.

The bill has not reached Governor Johnson for his signature but he said today that he would sign the bill and reappoint Judge Stanton, tho no request has yet been made for the appointment of anyone in particular.

GREAT SHOWING OF ST. HILAIRE CREAMERY

TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS WERE $64,556—FARMERS GET $62,570

Annual report of the treasurer for the St. Hilaire Co-operation Creamery Association, for the year ending Jan. 25, 1909.

Receipts

Cash on hand beginning of the year	$ 2051.11
January sales	3131.83
February sales	3236.02
March sales	3938.50
April sales	6107.36
June sales	9441.38
July sales	7373.72
September sales	6415.79
October sales	5798.40
November sales	3396.35
Total amount of cash received during the year	$ 64556.47

Disbursements during the Year

January	$ 2670.01
February	3621.68
March	3670.31
April	4566.29
May	4617.61
June	5645.38
July	8411.75
August	7909.64
September	7053.16
October	5873.91
November	5512.99
December	3016.91
Total amount disbursed during the year	$ 62570.29
Balance in the treasury	1986.18
Grand total	$ 64556.47

—Chas. Gustafson, Treas.

The best thing in the world for nerves is sleep, the next, proper food and third, proper dress. But as good as one of these is a hobby.

How often does one hear the expression "Oh, that is So-and-So's hobby," spoken rather disparagingly. It is the tendency of theaverage mind to regard a person who has a pronounced enthusiasm as a species of harmless lunatic, rather to be pitied. The truth of the matter is that any one who has any especial fad is greatly to be envied, as it probably provides more interest and amusement for its possessor than anything else. Any decided interest in life, whether it is dignified by the name of an occupation or is simply an enthusiasm or even mentioned slightingly as a fad is eminently desirable.

KNOCKED HIS KNEECAP OFF

RAILROAD MAN AT INTERNATIONAL FALLS WAS TERRIBLY INJURED

DYNAMITE HURLED STONE QUARTER OF A MILE THRU HOTEL ROOF

From Thursday's Daily—

Mike Callahan a railroad man came near losing his life, and was crippled for life by being struck by a 13 pound piece of stone which was hurled by a dynamite explosion from the International Falls dam a distance of a quarter of a mile crashing thru the roof of his hotel and crushed his knee cap.

The accident is one of the most peculiar in the history of heavy dynamiting. The injured limb will be stiff for life, but the unforunate man is thankful that his life was not crushed out.

PROF. SIMPSON OPENS SCHOOL

Prof. Simpson of Warren arrived in the city last evening and has decided to open a physical culture school in the Armory in I. O. O. F. Hall on Tuesday next, and will be here five evenings of each week hereafter the dates to be announced later, and the term to extend from Feb. 15 to May 15. The present equipment will be added to and made thoroly up-to-date and a hand ball court will be installed. The course will include instruction in wrestling, boxing, jeu jitsu, and general physical culture. This will be welcomed by the people of Crookston generally and will receive much encouragement. Prof. Simpson now has classes at Warren, Stephen and Fertile and is a thoroly competent instructor.

Inferences from Lincoln's Life

One may get a fair education without schools and almost without books.

The thing which probably most influenced Lincoln's English style was the fact that he read only a few books and read them to pieces.

It is not necessary to be handsome or well-dressed in order to get a hearing. If you have anything to say that is worth while, it will outtalk your clothes.

In the business of influencing men, a sense of humor is a means to an end It seldom succeeds by itself.

Worldly wisdom is not amiss in a big battle. Lincoln did not hesitate to lead Douglas to a pit and push him in. All he asked was, Did Douglas dig the pit for others?

Lincoln always said that he was doing the best he could all the time. In this sense every man can be a Lincoln if he will.—Minneapolis Journal.

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LOWELL PHONE CO. IN FINE SHAPE

ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD YESTERDAY—FINE SERVICE AT MINIMUM COST

The annual meeting of the Lowell Rural telephone company was held yesterday afternoon at the home of N. C. Hanson west of the city. The company is in splendid shape in every way and the 25 subscribers are getting the convenience of telephone service at the low cost of $4.80 per year and this amount includes provisions for a surplus.

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Last year they paid their linemen but $5 for repairs and $5 to the collector, the balance going for exchange fees for connections with the Northwestern the assessment being 35 cents per month, this being raised to 40 cents this year to provide a surplus Last year new cross arms were put on and another mile of wire strung and this year another wire and more cross arms will be placed. The company shows what can be done when rural companies are properly manager. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President—Jacob Widenhoefer.
Vice President—Emil J. Peterson.
Treas. and Collector—J. K. Quamme
Sec.—O. K. Berget.
Linesman—Carl Christianson.
Asst. Lineman—Wilhelm Johnson.
Directors—John Peltier, N. C. Hanson and Wilhelm Johnson.

War Scare is Over

A congratulatory note sounds thru the leading editorial comment of the country upon the action of California in the defeat of anti-Japanese legislation. The war scare is laid for the present, at least, and there is no difference of opinion in awarding the credit to the watchful energy of President Roosevelt. At the same time it is the universal view that the states on the coast have surrendered no sovereign right in recognizing the paramount interest of the national government and the greatest good to the greatest number of the American people.—St. Paul Dispatch.

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Making Silage Without Silos

As most every one of you is aware, I have for a number of years had a couple of silos which I, every fall, have filled to their full capacity. The ensilage during the winter months forms with me an important part the the ration for the cows. It is a succulent food, easily digested and well liked by all kinds of stock, which if fed silage, seems to have better appetite for hay and other dry roughage also. So I, for my part, like the silo very much and as long as I keep stock, and especially dairy cows, I could not afford to part with mine.

But inasmuch as not every farmer can afford to put up a silo and equip himself with necessary machinery for handling a crop of fodder corn, the method of making silage without a silo fits nicely in its place. I tried it last fall and with such good success. that I would recommend it to every farmer in the community.

Every farmer can raise a few acres of fodder corn which handled in this way, can be put up at a nominal cost, so every one would be able to provide a certain amount of succulent food for his cows during the winter months. Last year I had about 30 acres of fodder corn and after having filled and re-filled both my silos, I had about 7 acres of fodder left which I put up in a stack about 16 feet in diameter and pressed down with an outfit called the Jenson Press.

This press outfit consists of 4 jacks or presses, 4 18 foot chains 1 lever and 4 anchor rods and costs $50. Besides that you need some poles and a couple of timbers on top and that is all.

But if you don't want to go to the expense of buying this outfit you can obtain pressure in some other way—for instance by using 4 common jack screws costing $1.50 apiece. Jack screws can be placed on top of the timber a small wooden block on top of the jack screws and chain across the wooden block and then you can press your corn down all you want to It requires a few more chains in this way than by the Jensen Press. Of course, the Jensen Press is the most convenient as it takes only a minutes' time to go around the corners of the stack and tighten a notch or two wherever there is a slack on the chain. In regard to the quality of the silage in the stack compared with that in the silo I consider it about the same.

Now is the time to make plans; speak to your neighbors and get them interested. The corn can be put in with a shoe drill, if you do not have a corn planter and as a corn binder is needed two, three or four can very well club in for one. Whatever you do, by all means raise some fodder corn.

Before leaving the subject, I would make a comparison between the silo and the stack. Most farmers who have had experience in doing chores know the difference in having hay in the barn and outside the barn at all seasons—one point in favor of the silo.

If any more information is wanted by anyone along this line, I would be glad to give it.

—Peter Engelstad.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

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ENJOYED BEAN BAKE—The members of Co. I enjoyed a fine drill under the direction of Corp. Engdal from Ft. Snelling and later participated in a "bean bake" which was a huge success.

BARNES TAKES NELSON CURE—George Barnes formerly manager of the Buffington farm filed a petition for bankruptcy in the United States court at Fergus Falls yesterday placing his assets at $1,465, all exempt and his liabilities at $3,039.84.

JOHN CARTER IMPROVING—John Carter, whose condition has been very serious for some time past with dropsy and other complications is somewhat improved, and if no further complications set in there is good grounds for strong hopes of his recovery.

NORTH DAKOTAN HERE—H. T. Taber, who runs the Valley Lumber Co., at Valley City, N. D., arrived in the city last evening enroute home from a trip east to the lumber camps and is spending today here with J. D. Ball. He is very much pleased with the appearance of things in Crookston He states that the outlook for a good business thruout the northwest is better for the coming spring and summer than it has been for many years past.

WANTED WEATHER DETAILS—J. W. Barlow, a well known farmer residing east of Crookston dropped in the Journal office this morning and subscribed for the Journal for a year for H. M. Sherwood, Rockwell, Ill., who owns considerable land in this section. Mr. Sherwood had been informed the character of lemon ripening weather we have been experiencing here and Mr. Sherwood could scarcely believe it and wanted to get regular information on the subject.

FORKS LOSES FACTORY—The Grand Forks Broom Factory was destroyed by fire a short time ago, and its owner, Mr. George Carpenter instead of re-establishing it, has accepted a position as manager of the Fergus Falls Broom factory and will assume his duties March 1st. The Grand Forks factory will be in a sense consolidated with the Fergus Falls factory. Two of Mr. Carpenter's brothers and their families will also come here to reside. All are men very highly spoken of in the community in which they have made their homes and they will be heartily welcomed to the city. The consolidation will enable Mr. Blood to devote all of his time to travel in the interest of the business.—Fergus Falls Journal.

FARGO CLOTHIER HERE—S. Stern proprietor of the Globe Clothing Co., of Fargo, one of the leading clothing houses of the northwest, arrived in the city this morning and has been looking over the local clothing stores to get any new ideas regarding shelving, cases, general arrangement, etc., that might be available. He is very much pleased with the clothing stores of Crookston and he secured a number of pointers that will be useful to him. He contemplates moving to a new location in Fargo in the near future, right in the heart of the business district, one of the very best locations in Fargo. Mr. Stern had not visited Crookston in many years and displayed a lively interest in the progress that has been made here. He stated that if he had been dropped off in the night without knowing where he was, he could never have located himself as in Crookston. But of course he thinks Fargo is the only town.

N. P. KILLED A HORSE—Not to be outdone by the Great Northern, which yesterday morning killed a horse belonging to L. W. Larson, of this city, the Northern Pacific, while passing through Fertile last evening, ran into and killed another horse. The accident caused considerable excitement amongst the passengers and delayed the train about a half hour. It was reported at first that the train had struck a man, but investigation showed that it was a horse which had gotten too close to the tracks.

The killing of two horses in a single day by trains establishes a record for Polk county. Both of the animals were highly prized by their respective owners and there is no doubt but that both accidents will result in efforts to recover from the railroads.

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

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REDEEM SPRINTING PLANT—George A. Wheeler of Grand Forks made satisfactory arrangements yesterday to redeem the printing plant sold at the receiver's sale last Saturday to Dr. Eckman. He took possession this forenoon. As a result of the sale the Mid-West interests have nothing further to say in regard to the plant.

DEATH AT ADA—Charley Andrews of Ada died Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at a hospital in Fargo death being caused by nephritis of the kidneys. On January 4th he went to that city where he underwent an operation on his nose and later complications set in causing his death from the disease stated. Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Andrews and was born in Ada 22 years ago last November. He grew to manhood there and after graduating from the Ada High School with the class of '06 spent a year at Carleton college and the following year at Oberlin, fitting himself for the proper position in man's estate to which he recently entered and his death takes from the community one of its most promising young men.

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FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

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Northwestern Hide & Fur Co. Minneapolis, pay 11ct. for Hides and high price for furs. Sell traps cheap.

BOUGHT GASOLINE LAUNCH—Prof. E. E. McIntyre has purchased a fine gasoline launch which he will place on Detroit lake in the spring, which will add to the pleasures of his summer cottage there.

BELTRAMI MERCHANT—E. W. Johnson the well known merchant of Beltrami has returned home after attending to some important business matters at Thief River Falls.

RALPH LYCAN TO ANNAPOLIS—Ralph B. Lycan, son of F. S. Lycan of Bemidji has been appointed by Congressman Steenerson to the vacancy in the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis.

FINE TOURING CAR—F. S. Lycan and a few friends at Bemidji have jointly purchased a fine touring car which they will enjoy as soon as the roads are fit next spring. One of the first long trips will be a run to Crookston.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION—All the Great Northern station agents of the Northern division are dropping in to take a new and rigid physical examination which is required by the company. During the past week over a score of them have been here for that purpose.

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD—Chas. L. Skoug the hustling agent of the Advance Thresher Co., spent yesterday at Warren and Stephen. Mr. Skoug is very optimistic regarding the prospects for business the coming year and thinks business in all lines will be more active than it has been for a number of years.

SERVING PAPERS—Deputy Sheriff Walter Markham, formerly conected with the Hotel Crookston Buffet, returned to Bemidji yesterday after having spent a day in Thief River Falls summoning some witnesses wanted at the next term of court in Beltrami County to be held at Bemidji.

BROTHERS RETURNED HOME—H. B. Borneman Jr., agent for the Great Northern at St. Hilaire has returned to his duties after spending a few days here taking the physical examination. His brother, A. D. Borneman who is with the G. N. at Hallock was also down for the same purpose and returned yesterday.

BUSINESS AT LAKE—Alderman T. A. Harris spent yesterday at Cass Lake attending to some business matters. He has some contracts there and the way business is opening up he will have one of the busiest seasons in the structure moving line that he has had in several years, tho last year he was busy all the time having several large contracts across the Canadian line.

CLAIM AGENT HERE—C. S. Flannery, Great Northern claim agent has been spending the greater portion of the week here on business for the company. His is one of the business departments in connection with the road and business is good the year around, as there never is a time but what someone has, or thinks he has a claim against a railroad.

ATTENDED K. C. FUNCTION—John Lynch, the Grand Forks ice man was in the city yesterday enroute to Maple Lake after attending a big meeting of the Knights of Columbus at Fargo. He says the meeting was a hummer with a large attendance from many North Dakota towns. He is nearly thru cuting ice at Maple Lake.

COMPLETING FINE LAUNCH—Walter Blair and Albert Lariviere are completing a 25ft. gasoline launch at O. Viau's shop on north Broadway. It will be six feet wide and will carry a good deal of passengers. They have just ordered an 8 horse power engine and the boat will have all manner of speed, "Greased Lightning" being one of the names they are considering. They will launch the boat in the river here, but later in the summer expect to ship it to Maple Lake.

CROOKSTON SUITS HIM—John W. Sandberg returned yesterday from Twin Falls, Idaho and other points out west, having been absent on a several weeks' trip. While he did not go west with the definite intention of locating he kept his eyes open for a good opening and had he found what suited him he would have remained. He is back to Crookston, and back to stay, and says that Crookston looks mighty good to him compared with anything he saw out west. He has not definitely decided just what he will do, further than that he will continue in the clothing line in which he has been engaged for many years.

DEAL FELL THRU—Miss Calla Bell who is operating a hotel at Roseau returned home yesterday after spending a few days here. She had intended buying a hotel at Erskine from Mr. and Mrs. Swanson who came here to close the deal, but at the last moment Mrs. Swanson changed her mind and decided that she would not make a sale and the deal accordingly fell thru. Mr. Swanson has been figuring on going to North Dakota to open a bank with another gentleman from Erskine but will now probably remain at Erskine for the present at least.

QUIET IN CITIES—Col. S. S. Stadsvold returned to Fosston yesterday after a few days spent in St. Paul and Minneapolis attending to some business matters. He reports things very quiet in the cities tho great interest is being taken in some of the pending legislation, the capitol building being the center of attraction. Col. Stadsvold has always taken a keen interest in politics, but has never sought honors in that line himself—in fact on several occasions he has refused to accept political honors when urged to accept by friends all over Polk County In this respect he has very few counterparts.

IMPROVING RAPIDLY—Roy Teal who recently was critically ill at St. Vincents hospital and was operated upon for appendicitis is regaining his strength rapidly. He has been at Euclid for some time and was feeling well enough to take a run down here day before yesterday and remained over night. Tho doing well he would not make much of a showing yet in a wrestling match.

HAD PLEASANT TRIP—Ed Carlson returned this morning after a month's trip to Chicago, St. Louis and other points and reports a most pleasant trip. However he was glad to get back to Crookston and intimated that the conditions here were just a shade better than any place he visited and several degrees better than the average. During his trip he encountered considerable bad weather and expected to see snowdrifts galore and railroad traffic tied up the same as it has been farther south. He was most agreeably surprised when he discovered that there was practically no snow here.

AN EARLY SPRING—Gus Gilbertson of Climax, Tobias Johnson of Nielsville and Knute Akre who is just half way between, have returned home after a business trip to Crookston. All are substantial farmers and are looking for an early spring. Mr. Akre says conditions are fine in that section with the farmers in good shape for the next years crop. That is a section of Polk county where the farmers all do well, is they farm their land right, and have been diversifying for many years past.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

Women say lots of things they don't think and men think lots of things they wouldn't dare say.

The Bible is a good book to read. If you doubt it, brush the cobwebs off your copy and look into it.

CARPENTER IS CHAMPION

SET A PACE THAT MADE AL THORPE OF FARGO DIZZY AFTER FIRST MILE

THORPE QUIT IN 27TH LAP WITH CARPENTER FOUR LAPS TO THE GOOD

From Friday's Daily—

There is nothing to it for Harry Carpenter in the three mile championship race with Al Thorpe of Fargo at the Auditorium rink last evening, Carpenter racing Thorpe off his feet in the second mile and after Thorpe had fallen three times and Carpenter had gained a lead of four laps, Thorpe quit in the 27th lap or before the second mile had been finished and Carpenter finished the three miles alone.

Carpenter started out at a terrific pace and Thorpe held him very close for the first mile. Carpenter was then as fresh as when he started with wind to spare, and started spurting the second mile. Thorpe showed distress and plainly demonstrated that he could not stand the terrific pace long.

The race was witnessed by a big crowd, the largest of the season. If Carpenter would train carefully there is no question but what he could skate in any company in the country.

MAIL VOTE IS UNDECISIVE

NO CANDIDATE FOR GRAND MASTER RECEIVED ONE-THIRD BALLOTS CAST

The vote taken by mail on grand master of Minnesota Odd Fellows resulted in no election for the reason that none of the candidates received one-third of the total vote. The grand master will, therefore, be elected next June at the meeting of the grand lodge the candidates to be limited to the three receiving the larger number of votes. The result of the election follows:

Grand Master—W. M. Barber, Long Prairie, 546; George E. McDermott, Rochester 452; F. H. Costner, Minneapolis, 396; H. W. Phillips, St. Paul, 391; F. O. Ricve, Northfield 192.

Those who were elected are:

Deputy Grand Master—W. H. Parker, Winnebago City, 1,917.

Grand Warden—Peter A. Nelson, Red Wing, 848; R. E. Barragan, Albert Lea, 575; M. H. McDevitt, Minneapolis 549.

Grand Secretary—A. L. Bolton, St. Paul, 1914.

Grand Treasurer—C. M. Sprague, Sauk Center 1909.

Grand Representative—Charles H. Budd, Montevideo, 1944.

VISITED GREAT MORMON TABERNACLE

Capt. and Mrs. M. R. Brown are Thoroly Enjoying Their Trip West.—Spent Two Days in Salt Lake City and Then Left for Los Angeles—Their Train Delayed by a Freight Wreck

According to a letter received this morning by friends, Capt. and Mrs. M. R. Brown are thoroly enjoying their trip west. The letter was dated last Sunday, and was written from Salt Lake City where they spent two days, leaving Monday for Los Angeles where they will spend some time before proceeding to San Diego where they will remain the greater portion of the time, making occasional side trips to places of interest.

Capt. and Mrs. Brown were greatly interested in the magnificent Mormon Tabernacle at Salt Lake City, which cost $5,000,000 and has a seating capacity of 10,000 people. They attended a special Mormon sevice in the church and the music was beautiful almost beyond description, the pipe organ being one of the largest in the world. The Tabernacle stands east and west, and is patterned after the one erected by Moses after crossing the Red Sea.

Capt. Brown writes that the scenery from Denver to Salt Lake City thru the rock ribbed gorges is grand, the snow capped peaks being dazzlingly beautiful. At Salt Lake City they also have a very fine Episcopal church which Capt. and Mrs. Brown attended Sunday morning.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expells the cold from the system. Sold by all druggists.

IMPRESSIVE EXERCISES IN HONOR OF LINCOLN

Three Fine Programs Rendered. The Council Chambers Were Packed Twice Today.

The Prize Essay And Reading Contests Were Of A High Character. Many Present.

From Friday's Daily—

Never has the celebration of the birthday anniversary of any great American taken such elaborate form as that yesterday and today marking the centennial of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. The observance began yesterday when in every room in the public schools special exercises were participated in by the students, even the tiniest tots participating in flag drills and to this was added patriotic songs, essays on Lincoln, readings of anecdotes of his life, etc.

Last evening te capacity of the assembly hall in the High School building was taxed to accommodate the crowd attending the contest between two seniors, two sophomores, two juniors and two freshmen all of whom gave essays on Lincoln, his life and characteristics.

At 9:30 this morning another monster crowd packed the commodious council chambers at the city hall, the corridors even being packed to their capacity to listen to one of the finest programs ever rendered in Crookston including recitations, essays on Lincoln, and special music all by the students, and addresses by Judge Montague and Jos. Ball, and short remarks by Comrade James Greenhalgh Commander of the local G. A. R. post representing the old soldiers.

This afternoon there is another immense crowd at the city hall in the nature of a citizens memorial service. Business was practically suspended all afternoon, and everyone paid homage to the great American Emancipator. Hon. Jerome W. Wheeler presided, and following the invocation a few remarks by Mayor J. D. McPhee the main address was made by Hon. Daniel Fish of Minneapolis and was a very fine effort. Patriotic songs by a male quartet were interspersed.

Program Was Fine

The program at the contest in the High School Assembly hall last evening was exceptionally creditable to the participants and the judges Mrs. Powers, J. W. Wheeler and Rev. W. S. Ward had quite a task to pick the winners. Miss Meda Chesterman and Edward Hagen were awarded the head prizes for readings and recitations respectively and appeared on the program at the city hall today as did Ella Regedal, Frankie Hoch, Edythe Turner and Raymond Rossberg who won the prizes for essays on the life of Lincoln. All received handsome prizes in choice literature, the first two receiving 9 volumes of Shakespeare.

All the essays and readings were excellent, as were the musical selections.

Much Interest Displayed

The deepest interest was displayed in the two meetings at the city hall today. The council chambers were decorated with flags and a large portrait of Lincoln was draped with a beautiful flag owned by R. C. Burkhardt which had seen actual service.

Hon Daniel Fish who spoke this afternoon, arrived this morning and was met at the depot by Mayor McPhee and Jos. Ball and escorted to the Hotel Crookston.

Program Was Changed

Owing to the fact that the dinner hour arrived before the morning program was completed, the afternoon program was lengthened by the addition of all members left over from the morning, and the programs as carried out were revised as follows:

THE PROGRAMS

Thursday Evening Feb. 11, 1909—High School Assembly Room, 7:45 P. M.

Music—Reign of the Roses, Orchestra
Essay—Abraham Lincoln .... Ada Houston
Declamation— Gettysburg Address .... Albert Prugh
Recitation—"The Present Crisis" .... Nina Judson
Freshmen Essays—
  The Political Career of Lincoln .... Marietta Nicholson
  The Last Hours of Lincoln's Life .... Ella Regedal
Music—The Old Guard, Mixed Chorus
Recitation — Jonathan and John, from Biglow Papers .... Edward Hagen
Senior Essays—
  Life and Character of Abraham Lincoln .... Frankie Hoch
  Abraham Lincoln, Lynn Robertson
Recitation — Lincoln's Favorite Poem .... Bertha Beck
Reading — Selection from Uncle Tom's Cabin .... Fay Welcome
Music—Patriotic Song .... Girls' Glee Club
Junior Essays—
  Lincoln's Policy During the War .... William Carleton
  Early Life of Lincoln .... Edythe Turner
Recitation—Freedom, from Lowell .... Jane Tuff
Recitation—My Captain .. Cassie Ball
Declamation — Toussaint L'Ouverture .... Harold Anglim
Music — Tenting on the Old Camp Ground .... Boys' Glee Club
Reading—Selection from Churchill's Crisis .... Meda Chesterman
Recitation—Our Slaves in Chains .... Hazel Leguee
Sophomore Essays—
  The Story of Lincoln .. Noble Jones
  The Boyhood of Lincoln .... Raymond Rossberg
Recitation — Walt. Whitmans' Account of the Assassination of President Lincoln at Ford's Theatre.. .... Oscar Locken

Judges:
Mrs. J. H. Powers, J. W. Wheeler, Rev. W. S. Ward

Journal want ads bring results.

Friday Feb. 12, 1909, 9:30 A. M. at City Hall

Music .... High School Orchestra
Invocation ...... Rev. C. C. Warner
Opening Address .... R. J. Montague
Chronology of Lincoln's Life...... .... Mrs. Spendley
Senior Prize Essay ....
Music .... Girls' Glee Club
Boys' Prize Recitation ....
Anecdote—"I'll Hit it Hard" .... Miriam Wheeler
Anecdote — "An Experience with Jack Armstrong and the Clary's Grove Boys" ..... Clinton Peterson
Extracts from the Freeport Debate
  Lynn Robertson impersonating Lincoln; Will Montague impersonating Douglas.
Junior Prize Essay ....
Music—The Old Guard, Mixed Chorus
Address .... Joseph Ball
Girls' prize reading — Selections from Churchill's Crisis .... Meta Chesterman

Citizens' Program

Friday February 12, 1909 2:00 P. M. City Hall. J. W. Wheeler, Chairman.
Address .... Major J. D. McPhee
Music—"Hail Us, Ye Free" ....
Gettysburg Address ..... Albert Prugh
Quartette—Messrs. Powers, Thorson, Peterson, Powers.
Invocation .... Rev. W. S. Ward
Music—Soldiers' Chorus from Faust .... Viking Chorus
Anecdote—"Lincoln's Nearest Approach to Profanity" .... Chase Mix
Recitation—Address to Cabinet on Day Prior to Issuing Emancipation Proclamation .. Lydia Ziebeck
Sophomore Prize Essay ....
Instances of his Executive Clemency .... Ida Hagen
Lincoln's Stepmother's Estimate of Him .... Ida Shelley
Music—Tenting Tonight .. .. Boys' Glee Club
Freshman Prize Essay
Account of Funeral Pageant from New York to Springfield .... Charlotte Murch
Song—America .... Audience
Remarks .... James Greenhalgh
Address .... Hon. Daniel Fish, Minneapolis
Song — Star-Spangled Banner,...... .... Audience

SOLONS ENTHUSE OVER SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

Scope Of Work, Attendance And Splendid Supervision Far Exceed Their Expectations: They Will Co-operate.

Big Delegation Of Legislators And 30 Citizens Of Crookston Inspect School And Partake Of Dinner.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Far reaching in its effects, and lasting and most substantial in the benefits that will accrue, was the visit of the delegation of senators and representatives from the state legislature to the Crookston school of Agriculture today. The solons numbered 15 and they arrived this morning on No. 5 from St. Paul and were escorted by the committee in charge at once to the Hotel Crookston where they were breakfasted, after which they took a cursory view of the business section of Crookston, one section being piloted about by Senator A. D. Stephens and the others scattering about.

Driven to School of Agriculture

Shortly before 11 o'clock the visitors were driven to the Crookston School of Agriculture accompanied by 30 of the prominent business and professional men of the city. The weather was ideal, much better than it was in St. Paul when the legislators left for the jaunt here, and the drive was an ideal one.

Personnel of the Party

The members of the legislature who arrived this morning were Messrs. Kelly, C. E. Johnson, Dan Robertson, Thorpe, Wetherstine, Dale, McGrant, Stephens, Anderson, Donaldson, Moonan, Seward, Swanson, Mork, and Holton, and they were accompanied by Mr. Authier, special representatives from the Minneapolis Tribune.

Those from this city who participated in the hospitality of Prof. and Mrs. Robertson in the inspection of the School of Agriculture and in partaking of a most bountiful dinner and a four o'clock luncheon included the following:

Messrs. Chas. Loring, Thomas Spence, G. S. Chesterman, J. P. Dotson L. Ellington, Bert Ruettell, Elias Steenerson, James E. and Martin O'Brien, Wm. Munch, W. A. Marin, W. A. Lanctot, J. G. Spokely, J. F. Fournet, Lawrence Larson, Ole J. Vaule, John A. Cowley, T. R. Johnstone, Jos. Ball, W. E. Slocum, O. Mercil, Jr., C. C. Strander, J. W. Wheeler, Marcus Stephens, Arne O. Busterud, Geo. F. Carpenter, C. M. Anderson, T. R. Brown of the Crookston Times and N. S. Davies of the Crookston Journal.

Attended Chapel

The guests were ushered into the Ladies Building where they were cordially welcomed by Supt. and Mrs. Robertson, Principal L. P. Harrington Miss Woodruff, the preceptress, Mr. Brown and the balance of the faculty, after which all attended morning chapel.

The scene here was a most interesting one, there being 102 students present, and a brighter, more intelligent and earnest set of faces were never looked into than facd Prof. Harrington who lead the exercises. After one song and a responsive reading, the balance of the exercises were rispensed with in order that the students might listen to a few remarks from those present.

Students were Unanimous

Supt. Robertson first called upon Senator Stephens who spoke very briefly but gave the students some most wholesome advice.

Senator Stephens before closing asked every student in the room whether or not they believed that the same privileges they enjoyed should be extended to other localities of the state. and if so to raise their right hands. 102 hands shot up in the air as tho all worked by one spring, and they were, the spring of earnest enthusiasm. The vote was declared unanimous and the attitude of the students certainly impressed all visitors present.

Patriotic Address

Senator Seward of Marshall Minn., was next called on and made a very patriotic address in which he referred to flags with which the chapel had been decorated since the Lincoln Day exercises. He advised their being left there, and only wished that every school house in the land was so decorated. He stated that students in the east had magnificent monuments to gaze at on every hand, erected in honor of the heroic deeds of great patriots of the Aevolutionary and Civil wars but that the flag was the only patriotic emblem to be seen in a new country.

He also referred to the advantages which the students of the school of agriculture possessed over the students of his days who attended school in log structures, woefully lacking in equipment. He wanted to see such schools as the one at Crookston, scattered all over the great state of Minnesota.

Future Teachers

Senator Moonan of Waseca called upon, paid a high compliment to the shrewdness and foresight of Senator A. D. Stephens in fathering the new departure in agricultural education which resulted in the present magnificent school.

He said he was thoroly convinced that such schools were the great necessity of the state of Minnesota today That what was needed was more of them, and that two years hence he hoped to have one in operation in his section of the state. He said that instead of centering such schools in the cities, they should be located in the rural districts where they would attract the sons and daughters of farmers and girls and boys from the city as well, and that the result would be as it is in the older countries, the aristocracy of the land would soon be located in the country.

Stephens for Governor

In closing he said that the pride of the people in Senator Stephens who had fathered this school was most pardonable, but that two years hence the people could not refer to him as "our senator" but that the people of the whole state would refer to him as "our governor" a sally that brought forth a great deal of applause.

Work Most Important

Representative McGraff was the next speaker. He endorsed the work of the school most heartily and stated on of the greatest needs of the day was the application of every possible influence to deter the boys and girls from the country going to the city. He said the tide should turn the other way, as the prosperity and future advancement of the country demanded that the agricultural regions should receive every attention.

Mr. Authier, special representative of the Minneapolis Tribune made a few brief remarks in which he convulsed those present by witty references to the workings in the state legislature, which he 'covers for his paper, but concluded with a high compliment to the members present, because they went to the legislature with a definite object in view. He complimented the school most highly and assured all that in-sco-far as his paper could render aid to such institutions it would be given.

Closing Addresses

Representative John Holten of Polk County next made a few remarks in whic hhe wanted the students to make the best of their time and that every encouragement would be given the school. Senator Witherstine made the closing remarks, and they were of a most patriotic character.

A Grand Dinner

Supt. Robertson then announced that dinner was ready and pupils and guests filed into the spacious dining room in Stephens Hall where a most substantial dinner was served, the cooking attracting numerous comments, and the splendid service still more.

An Air of Refinement

Thruout the entire day all present were impressed by the air of refinement everywhere prevalent. The faculty of th school is ideal in that respect, and while there is no formality the influence of such teachers inspires th estudents with a certain dignity which in itself elevates the splendid calling for which they are preparing themselves.

Pleasant Social Hour

The visitors next adjourned to the residence of Supt. and Mrs. Robertson where a social hour was passed after which the party divided into three squads and were shown thru all the buildings, Stephens Hall, the ladies building, the boys dormitory, and the industrial buildings, and also visited the stables and other points of interest.

Expectations Far Exceeded

The Normal school delegation from the legislature which went to Warren this morning, returned on their special car attached to the freight train arriving at the State School this afternoon the train stopping at the state farm for their convenience, and they participated in the inspection. All who were present stated that the school of agriculture and state experimental farm far exceeded their expectations, as there is no question but what the visit here is one of the best strokes of diplcmacy ever inspired by Senator Stephens. The legislators need not be told what the institution is. They have seen with their own eyes, and they will depart tonight loyal and staunch friends of the institution and want more of them established.

Reception Tonight

This evening beginning at 8:30 there will be a public reception tendered the visitors at the Crookston Club rooms at which light refreshments will be served.

J. C. SHERLOCK TO REPRESENT 9TH DIST.

WILL BE MOUNTED AID IN THE INAUGURAL PARADE MARCH FOURTH

Alderman J. C. Sherlock of East Grand Forks will represent the Ninth District in the grand inaugural parade March 4th, when William Howard Taft takes the oath as president of the United States. When Judge Sullivan decided he would not be able to take advantage of the profer himself he immediately picked the genial alderman as an excellent man to do the honors of the occasion. Mr. Sherlock on Sunday decided he would be able to make the trip and on February 27 according to the present plans he will start for the capital city.

That Alderman Sherlock will fittingly represent the Ninth District is admitted by all. The fact that Mr. Sherlock is a fine horseman stands him in good stead on this occasion as he will be a mounted aid.

ANNUAL CONCERT OF VIKING CHORUS

SOME EXCELLENT TALENT HAS BEEN SECURED FOR MARCH FIFTH

The Viking Chorus is preparing for their annual concert which will be given March 5th. For soloists they have secured Miss Eleanor Olson, Contralto; Miss Ethel Olson, Soprao and Reader, and Miss Alice R. Walden, Concert Pianist. These artists will render the greater part of the program However, the Chorus will sing some excellent numbers, one of them being Schumann's "Gypsy Life," with orchestra.

ATTENDING GRAND LODGE OF A.O.U.W.

The Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. of Minesota will meet today in St. Paul and will be in session two or three days, only a short session being expected. Last year the session lasted nearly a week in connection with the change in rates that was adopted. A. A. Glenn left last evening to represent the local lodge, and was joined by M. Hagestad who represents the East Grand Forks branch of the order.

When to Bow and Shake Hands

In one's house, for instance, it is correct to shake hands with every one and from this rule there is no deviation. In other peoples' houses it is by no means necessary to shake hands on the occasion of a casual introduction; in fact it would look ignorant to do more than bow. It is always considered good form to serve golden grain belt beer at mealtime. This mild delicious beverage is as good for the health as it is to the taste and keen appetite comes with its use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

EAT SAUSAGES AN NEW BREAD

OR ANY FAVORITE FOOD WITHOUT FEAR OF INDIGESTION—DISTRESS

FROM DYSPEPSIA OR A DISORDERED STOMACH VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of a case of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach if you will occasionally take a little Diapepsin after eating.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea. Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Billiousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in the Stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. Each triangule will digest all the food you can eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking today and by tomorrow you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

MAY LOCATE IN CROOKSTON

WEALTHY NORTH DAKOTAN DISCOVERS ATTRACTIVE BUSINESS PROPOSITION HERE

H. A. Ball who has been visiting his brother, J. D. Ball here for the past few days, returned to Grafton, N. D. this morning, Mrs. Ball having returned last Friday evening. Mr. Ball has been looking over the field here very carefully with an idea of investing here and engaging in business and succeeded in discovering a very attractive proposition, and it is within the realm of probabilities that he will move to Crookston and make his future home here. Mr. Ball would be a most desirable citizen, and has ample means to carry out his plans, and also has a host of friends here who would be glad to have him make such a move.

MUCH INTEREST IN TAX LIST

JOURNAL'S FEATURE OF SATURDAY LAST MADE A HIT WITH THE PUBLIC

The greatest degree of interest has been manifescted by the publication of the list of personal property taxpayers in the city of Crookston and the amount they paid, as published in the Journal on Saturday last. Up to noon today nearly 200 extra copies had been sold, and the Journal has but 10 copies left of the 300 extras printed The matter is one of general interest, and the Journal has received many compliments for the feature, tho it involved a considerable amount of work in order to insure accuracy. Little else has been talked about since the issue of the Saturday edition.

Bad to Worse

He told himself,
"I think I'll go
And see a moving
Picture show;"
He went and found
That he had sat
Right in behind a
Great big hat;
"Lady will you
Remove your lid?"
He asked, and lo!
The lady did!
"What!" said he, "are
Things what they seem,
Or is the whole thing
Just a dream!"
He looked again,
Then had a fit—
Stuck on her head
With hoops on it
A Psyche knot
Stood up so tall
He could not see
The stage at all.

—Houston Post.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

A PLAIN BUSINESS PROPOSITION STATED

Gasoline Traction Engine Being Manufactured Here Is Attracting Much Attention. Product Of Crookston Brains.

Crookston Manufacturing Company Has Force Of 12 Mechanics Making Them. Will Sell Limited Number Of Shares.

That there is a large and increasing demand for a traction power with which to do all classes of farm work, such as plowing, seeding, harrowing, harvesting, threshing and in hauling heavily loaded wagons on the road, is more than evidenced by the many inquiries being received by the Crookston Mfg. Co., regarding their new Gasoline Traction Engine.

This new traction is the work of Crookston brains, and is without the slightest doubt, the most practical traction ever invented.

It combines lightness in weight, with maximum of power and can be produced at a reasonable cost.

This traction is designated to meet all the requirements of the farm, is simple in construction, neat in appearance, easily managed either in the field, on the road or when being used as a stationary power, and is destined to become the favorite power of the Northwestern farmer.

The demand for this traction is by the very best and well-to-do farmers thruout the small grain belt of Minnesota, North Dakota and Canada, who are amply able to purchase for cash.

One farmer in Kittson county now has one of his men at work in the shops of the Crookston Mfg. Co., familiarizing himself with all the working parts of the traction, and has placed his order for the first traction turned out, and states that his locality will take all the tractions the company can build this season, and that every sale will be a cash sale.

It takes a certain amount of cash to establish and conduct a factory, in order that all obligations may be met promptly, such as labor, material, etc., and for this reason, the Crookston Mfg. Co. are offering a limited amount of their capital stock, to Crookston investors, believing absolutely, that they are offering an investment that will, in a very short time, be worth many times the amount paid, and that it will pay a fair return in way of dividends.

The first carload of iron material has been received, and a force of 12 mechanics are at work building the new tractions.

Do you want to be one of the original investors If so, call at the office of the Crookston Mfg. Co., at once, as now is the time they need the money. Shares are selling at one hundred dollars each, and not less than one full share can be purchased.

MEXICAN CITY SCENE OF FATAL THEATRE FIRE

WOODEN STRUCTURE EASY PREY FOR THE FLAMES—MOVING PICTURE MACHINE WAS CAUSE OF FIRE—MANY PROMINENT PEOPLE OF COUNTRY NUMBERED AMONG THE DEAD—IMPOSSIBLE TO GET NAMES OF AMERICANS IN THE CITY

Mexico City, Feb. 16 — Between 250 and 30 people were burned to death and many were injured in a fire which destroyed the Flores theatre in the city of Acapuca last night The news of the disaster reached this capital this afternoon telegraphic communication with Acapulco having been destroyed last night. when the telegraph office adjoining the theatre was burned.

The Flores theatre was a wooden structure and last night over 1,000 people crowded into it to witness a special performance given in honor of Governor Damian Flores of the state of Guerro, who was visiting the past at the time. One of the numbers on the program consisted of a series of moving pictures. While the operator was exhibiting these a film caught fire and a blaze was quickly communicated to some bunting used for decorative purposes.

In an incredibly short time the flames spread to all parts of the structure. There were but three narrow exits and the panic stricken audience rushed to them, many persons falling to be crushed to death their bodies choking the way of escape.

The screams of those imprisoned were terrifying. Owing to the rapidity with which the fire spread and its intense heat it was impossible to attempt rescue work and those imprisoned were literally roasted alive, as the fire burned with little smoke and few were suffocated. The efforts of the fire department were confind to attempting to save the adjoining buildings and the firemen succeeded so well the property loss was small. The telegraph office, postoffice, and custom house were damaged, but all of the governments records and registered mail were saved.

Today pitiful scenes of grief were witnessed on the streets. Men, women and children wandered from place to place hunting for relatives or for friends. Many of the dead are from the first families of the state, the affair at the theatre being a social event of considerable importance and calling out the wealthiest and oldest families for miles around. In some instances whole families were wiped out of existence. The municipal authorities today caused large trenches to be dug and into these the bodies of the dead were laid. Identification of the dead was impossible the bodies having been burned in most cases to a crisp.

Telegrams sent to the American consul at Acapulco by the Associated Press asking for the names of the American dead have not been answered. Acapulco on the west coast of the state of Guerrero, is one of the three important ports of the Pacific coast of Mexico. Nearly all of the steamer lines make it a port of call, and the harbor is counted the best in Mexico.

Horticulture Versus Theology.

Small Johnny had on his best clothes, and his mamma told him not to play in the dirt with them on.

"Don't they have any dirt in heaven to play in?" he asked.

"No, of course not," replied his mother.

"Then what do little boys do up there?" queried Johnny.

"Oh, they play harps and sing and sit under beautiful trees," was the reply.

"Well," said the little fellow, "I don't see how they can have trees if there ain't no dirt."—Houston Post.

Could Not Explain.

"Look hyuh," said Mose, reading from the newspaper. "In New York dey's puttin' up a thirty story buildin', an' dey's beginnin' at the fifteenth story an' workin' up an' down!"

"What keep de middle 'spended in de air while dey's wo'kin' up an' down?" demanded his wife suspiciously.

"Ah—Ah didn't fink 'bout dat!" returned Mose, with widening eyes "Anyhow, dat's whar de brain ub de c'ntractor come in. No niggahs like you or me am pow'ful 'nough t' splain dat!"—Town and Country.

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EDUCATOR IN THE TOILS

FORMER WELL KNOWN MINNESOTA EDUCATOR IS ARRESTED IN SPOKANE, WASH.

WENT BY NAME OF A. F. ALLEN THERE, REAL NAME PROF. J. S. CARLSON

From Tuesday's Daily—
E. W. Evenson, secretary of the Inland Empire Hardware and Implement Dealers' Association, stationed in Spokane, Wash., has fully identified Professor J. S. Carlson, once prominent in educational and political circles in Minnesota, who was arrested in that city under the name of A. F. Allen on February 9 and developed erysipelas while in the city prison. Mr. Evenson knew him as a professor of mathematics and languages in Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter, Minn., Mr. Evenson said in an interview:

"Mr. Carlson has the degree of Bachelor of Arts and Doctor of Law and was once prominent in the political circles of Minnesota. He speaks five languages and was called from Gustavus Adolphus college to a chair in the modern language department of the Minnesota State University. During the '90's he was elected to the state legislature, defeating the present governor, John A. Johnson. He also defeated C. R. Davis, now a congressman, for a state office. Mr. Carlson was considered an exceedingly bright man and a fluent orator. He has a wife and four children living in Minneapolis. He probably got the name of A. F. Allen from having grips with that name, there being an A. F. Allen in the Gustavus Adolphus college at the head of the commercial department. Drink is probably accountable for his present condition."

Many former students of Gustavus Adolphus college and the State University in Crookston and vicinity are well acquainted with Prof. Carlson and deeply regret his downfall.

KILLS SELF IN DAKOTA

COLAN A. CHISHOLM WAS FORMERLY A POLICEMAN IN DULUTH

NO KNOWN CAUSE FOR HIS TERRIBLE DEED—HE DIED DRESSED UP

From Monday's Daily—
Colan Archie Chisholm formerly a Duluth policeman, committed suicide in Pembina township, North Dakota, Saturday last. News of the tragedy was received today.

Mr. Chisholm who was 59 years old, was a member of the Duluth police department under Mayor Sutphin. He was quite well known and was popular with his associates on the force.

The man committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver. The day before his death he drew $100 from the Pembina bank and purchased a new suit of clothes. There is no known reason why he should have wished to die.

Chisholm was born in Nova Scotia. So far as known he had no relatives living. His service on the Duluth police force covered a period of two years.

MUNICIPAL HOUSE CLEANING

Pearl Clark the landlady and Grace Hastings charged with frequenting a disorderly house, were arraigned in the municipal court at East Grand Forks and their cases continued over until Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Bonds of $150 in the first case and of $100 in the second case were required and were furnished. The two women were taken as the result of a rail of the rooms over one of the saloons on De Mers avenue and more raids are promised.—Grand Forks Herald. If the East Grand Forks authorities make anything like a clean sweep, Sheriff Daniels and Jailor Thomas Casey will have a regular harem on their hands and Deputy Pat Sullivan will have to charter a cattle car to transport the flock of soiled doves to the county jail.

Historical Society

NE KIND OF RING WHEAT

A MANIT FARMER CLAIMS TO HAVE COVERED SOMETH MARVELOUS

SIX-ROWE EAD HE SAYS WILL YIELD 60 BUSHELS PER ACRE

A gentleman who Sundayed in the city tells of a new variety of wheat that is being tried, in a small way up in Manitoba, and from which great things are expected.

One R. J. Taylor who lives a few miles north of Carlyle, Sask., is in possession of forty pounds of the new kind of wheat which he hopes will increase the yield of the west. The very striking feature of this new variety is that it grows on the head in six rows instead of the usual two.

Two years ago Mr. Taylor while cutting his wheat, noticed a six-rowed head, saved it planting the seed and getting ninety-four heads. These ninety four heads he sowed last spring and now has forty pounds of the seed, enough to sow about fifteen acres.

Mr. Taylor claims that this wheat yields sixty and more bushels to the acre so this fall he expects to have at least 1,000 bushels from his forty pounds. This wheat grades No. 2 Northern and is sai dto be less susceptible to frost than any of the varieties now grown in western Canada.

POLK COUNTY PIONEER DEAD

MRS. MARY MURPHY 92 YEARS OF AGE PASSED AWAY EARLY THIS MORNING

WAS ONE OF THE PIONEER WOMEN OF WESTERN POLK COUNTY

From Tuesday's Daily—
At 12:30 o'clock this morning the death angel claimed Grandma Murphy aged 92 years who resides on the Minnesota point in western Polk county just south of East Grand Forks. Mrs. Murphy was quite ill yesterday and death was not unexpected being due to old age. It is believed that up to the time of her death Mrs. Murphy was the oldest resident of Polk County.

The deceased was one of the pioneers of this section coming here with her husband in 1880. She has resided here ever since and survived her husband for 18 years. Four children are left to mourn her demise. They are James Murphy, Garrett Murphy, Maggie Murphy and Mrs. O'Leary. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

OLD SOLDIER DIED SUDDENLY

DEATH AT MENTOR AND ANOTHER IN CROOKSTON THIS AFTERNOON

Coroner Stenshoel was yesterday called to Bygland to investigate the death of Gunder Salveson who died of heart trouble at the home of his brother, Amund Salveson Saturday last, aged 74. Death was due to old age and a weak heart. Deceased was single and an old soldier. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

Miss Salina Larson died at Mentor yesterday after a short illness. Funeral announcements will be made later.

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Mrs. S. A. Larson who was sent to St. Vincent Hospital from the Riverside Hotel a few days ago by Commissioner Clements suffering with typhoid fever died at 2:30 this afternoon. She leaves a husband here and several children by a former husband who have been notified.

The Roller.

"A rolling stone gathers no moss," remarked the proverb dispenser.

"And, like the human high roller," rejoined the thoughtful thinker, "it also gravitates downhill."—Chicago News.

In the march of life don't heed the order "right about" when you know you are about right.—Holmes.

CAPT. BROWN IN SAN DIEGO

WRITES INTERESTING LETTER REGARDNIG HIS WESTERN TRIP—PLEASED TO

NOTE INTEREST HERE IN CORN RAISING—FAVORS STEPHENS SCHOOL PLAN

From Tuesday's Daily—
Capt. M. R. Brown writes very interestingly of his trip west. With Mrs. Brown he arrived at San Diego the 14th inst. and they will remain there for some time. In a postscript Capt. Brown states that he is highly gratified to note the interest the farmers are manifesting in the cultivation of corn as evidenced in the discussions and communications published in the Journal, as he believes corn culture means much to this country.

Regarding the Agricultural School proposition he says:

"Senator Stephens' bill for one agricultural school for each congressional district is all right and should be accepted and passed. If there is too many schools established they will very likely be poorly cared for, and soon become unpopular and useless. We should establish no more than can be well provided for, then they will be useful."

Descriptive of the trip after leaving Salt Lake City, Capt. Brown writes as follows:

"We reached this place last Sunday evening the 14th inst from Los Angeles. Came by boat, and a very pleasant trip, non-eventful after getting out of sight of land. Our trip from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles, was very pleasant, the scenery is varied from beautiful snow-capped mountais down to a sad desert not even a cactus to show life, but pure sand for miles on either side.

"Los Angeles is certainly a business city. They claim 300,000 people. There is every indication of thrift and prosperity, many modern buildings showing excellent architectural designs, that would do credit to an eastern city and their appearance indicates the expenditure of millions of dollars. Many private residences are simply grand and were no doubt built by millionaires who would probably like to enjoy them a thousand years or more. But alas—

'If life was merchandise,
That men could buy,
The rich would live and none
But the poor would die.'

"In visiting the cemetery ground I notice they are neatly kept and made very inviting at least the multitudes stopping there would indicate it.

"We were five days in the city. The weather conditions were very unpleasant, as it rained every day. Ladies wear furs there, same as at Crookston and men wear overcoats and everybody carries an umbrella hoisted. The people there say that the rainy season there has only spells. We expect to remain here a few weeks, the weather is like our summer."

A Squid In Hawaii.

In discovering the failings or eccentricities of a person Hawaiians not only show perspicacity, but an aptness in applying a nickname to the one possessing such characteristics: The politician who changes his faith too often is called a squid (octopus). One species of this animal is caught by the aid of a torchlight in shallow water. While a bag net is held some distance in front of it, so that it can conveniently run into it and be caught, it is prodded behind by the fisherman's foot. Sometimes the squid will go directly into the trap, but often it will run forward, with every indication of being enmeshed, to a point within two feet of the net, when it will suddenly turn about and go back to its starting place. Then it is likely to describe a right, left or oblique angle, always contrary to the fisherman's desire. So in Hawaiian metaphor the politician or candidate who switches from the straight track is a squid.—"Paradise of the Pacific."

Where They Know How to Economize.

At the request of a woman in search of a servant the manager of an employment agency asked each of the girls lined up against the wall if she had ever been employed in a minister's family. None of them had been.

"May I ask why you are particularly anxious to know if these girls have had an engagement of that kind?" asked the manager.

"Because we are very hard up just now," the woman replied, "and I must have a girl who is economical. I have found that of all servants those who have worked in ministers' families know best how to economize."—New

HUMAN CUR POISONS DOGS

EVIDENTLY JEALOUS OF SUPERIOR INTELLIGENCE OF 4-LEGGED CANINES

FIVE DOGS IN JEROMES ADDITION POISONED BY COWARDLY SNEAK

From Tuesday's Daily—
Some monster in human form has developed the dog poisoning habit in Jeromes addition and yesterday and this morning 5 dogs of residents of that section of the city have been poisoned, three of them being dead while two will probably recover.

Mayor McPhee's fine spaniel "Turp" who never harmed or bothered any one was the first victim, dying yesterday and valuable bird dogs belonging to Steve Withey and Mr. McKinney are also dead while bird dogs belonging to Messrs. Riggs and Jacobson are poisoned but will probably survive. Mayor McPhee could probably have saved his dog had he ever dreamed of strychnine poisoning, as the dog was such 2 1-2 hours before his agony was ended by death.

The greatest indignation prevails thruout the city over the outrage, and if the identity of the perpetrator of the vile deed is disclosed there will be something doing.

Any person so low, so devoid of all humanity, honor or common decency as to commit so loathsome an act as to put poison out for dumb animals, prized for their usefulness and as family pets, is of the same stripe who would stab a person in the back or commit murder if they were not so cowardly. It is not moral compunction that prevents their being open outlaws, but cringing cowardice.

Words fail us to express proper contempt for the human monster that would commit such a trick, unless Billingsgate should be resorted to and that would exclude the paper from the mails. We only hope the perpetrator may read this item and imagine about fourteen long dashes for which he can substitute the most loathsome appelations in the English, German, French and Scandinavian languages and apply them to himself with the compliments of the Journal, Mayor McPhee and about 50 others who have reported the outrage to this paper.

EASILY DECIDED

This Question Should Be Answered Easily by Crookston People.

Which is wiser—to have confidence in the opinions of your fellow-citizens, of people you know, or depend on statements made by utter strangers residing in far-away places? Read the following:

Mrs. H. Johnson, 217 Washington Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills proved of inestimable value to a member of our family who had suffered for a long time from kidney complaint. Doan's Kidney Pills disposed of all the symptoms of my trouble and my kidneys were invigorated. I have also used Doan's Kidney Pills for headaches, backaches and that languid feeling so common to kidney complaint with excellent results."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

An Obedient Tiger.

"How entire," remarks the London Globe, "is the confidence of the native East Indian in the government may be gathered from the following anecdote, which comes from Lahore: A tiger had escaped from the zoological gardens, and its keeper, hoping to lure it back, followed it. When all other inducements had failed, he lifted up his voice and solemnly adjured it in the name of the British government, to which it belonged, to come back to its cage. The tiger, it is needless to add obeyed at once."

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." Sold by all druggists.

SAFE BLOWER IS ARRESTED

BELIEVED GEORGE DEEN ROBBED DEPOT AT HORACE SUNDAY NIGHT

MAN RELEASED FROM JAIL LAST WEEK ARRESTED AT FARGO

From Tuesday's Daily—
When Chief Grant and Officer Tietgen of Fargo placed George Deen under arrest yesterday it is believed they nabbed a professional whose most laborious duty is blowing safes with common pilfering a side issue. Deen was arrested on suspicion of having robbed the Great Northern station at Horace Sunday night and goods were found in his possession which it is believed were taken from the place. He was released from the county jail last week after serving time for selling booze.

From Horace the report was received that the depot was entered Sunday night. An attempt was made to gain entrance by dynamiting the door. This was unsuccessful it being necessary to break a window to get in. The exact loss could not be ascertained last night.

ROLSCH BUYS BLOODED STOCK

RETURNED YESTERDAY FROM SOUTHERN MINNESOTA WITH MAYOR McPHEE

PERCHERON BROOD MARES AND HEREFORD HEIFERS WERE SECURED

From Monday's Daily—
Ernest Rolsch returned Sunday morning from a trip to the Southern part of the state with Mayor J. D. McPhee and several days were spent near Worthington where Mr. Rolsch purchased some blooded stock for the Lytle farm south of the city one of the best in the county, which Mr. Rolsch purchased last year.

He secured six fine percheron brood mares and three Hereford heifers which will be fresh this spring together with a fine Hereford bull, and intends to raise nothing but the best of stock.

This means that Mr. Rolsch will have one of the very finest farms in Polk county, as he is starting right. It will be but a few years till he has a splendid herd of Herefords, and doubtless others will follow his example. Mr. Rolsch has already sent a man after the stock which will arrive about March 1st.

Both gentlemen report snow all the way from 10 to 20 feet deep according to where it was measured, and state that we do not know what winter is up here in the Red River Valley.

BABY BOY HAS A NARROW ESCAPE

ROBERT MASSEE FIRES CLOTHING BUT ESCAPES WITHOUT BURNS

One of the narrowest escapes from death by fire on record occurred Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Massee at East Grand Forks when their year-old son Robert touched a match to his clothing. The little fellow attracted his mother and a domestic by his screams and altho both his outside clothing and underclothing were burned there is not a burn on his body.

According to Mrs. Massee the baby boy was asleep in a room upstairs in the afternoon. He evidently woke up, climbed out of bed and secured some matches from the dresser. He managed to scratch these and the flame ignited his clothing. The little fellow began to scream and the mother and a servant who were down stairs ran to see what was the matter. They found Robert enveloped in flames but soon quelched them. It is nothing short of marvelous that the baby was not severely burned but his mother says there is not a mark to show the experience he went thru.

STRONG ON THE GUN PLAY

COUPLE MARRIED AT HILLSBORO N. D. IN TROUBLE AT DULUTH

WIFE CLAIMS HUBBY USED HER AS TARGET IN PISTOL PRACTICE

From Tuesday's Daily—
Claiming that she has been subjected to cruel and inhuman treatment at the honds of her husband for several years, Nettie Hollem has brought suit in district court for divorce from her husband John A. Bergquist Hollem.

Mrs. Hollem is 27 years old and her husband is 42 years. They were married at Hillsboro, N. D. Sept. 11, 1899 and have one child, Lester Wallace, aged 8 years.

Gun play was Mrs. Hollem's strong point, according to the complaint filed by his wife. In Brainerd in 1903 she says, he shot at her twice and in the same year at Chisholm, she says he pulled a gun and threatened to shoot her. She says that on several occasions he beat her and subjected her to other forms of cruelty.

Mrs. Hollem says her husband is a stationary engineer capable of earning big wages but he has not furnished her and the child with the necessities of life in the way of food and clothing, preferring to spend any money he might earn in gambling. She says that she has had to work to support herself and the child.

She asks a divorce, the custody of the child, alimony and the restoration of her maiden name, Nettie Glockner.

TIME CLOCK FOR COUNTY OFFICERS

SAUGSTAD BILL PROVIDES FOR DOCKING OFFICIALS WHO NEGLECT DUTIES

WOULD HAVE COUNTY AUDITOR KEEP TAB ON OTHER OFFICIALS

From Monday's Daily—
John Saugstad and his fellow citizens of Polk county have considerable difficulty in finding some of the county officials of the county according to Mr. Saugstad, and he introduced a bill today which he is convinced will compel these officials to attend to business This measure will compel all county officials to keep their offices open 3 hours in the morning and 3½ hours in the afternoon. They must keep office hours and must not be absent more than three days a month without the consent of the county board but will be allowed a vacation of two weeks.

The county auditor will keep a check on the office hours of his associated officials. The absence of officials from their post without leave will make them liable to a deduction in their pay.—Minneapolis Journal.

We would like to know which official could not be located. It will certainly be great to listen to Sheriff Daniels, Deputy Burkhardt, Judge Morken, Clerk of Court Lanctot and the rest of the bunch timidly approaching County Auditor Welte or Deputy Hanson and murmur, "Please may I go out?"

HAD HIS FEET BADLY FROZEN

Travelnig men will sympathize with Herbert L. Landblom of Fargo, traveling for Nichols & Shepard Machine Co., is at his home suffering from severely frozen feet. He arrived Tuesday. In company with Tom Olson a timber cruiser, Mr. Landblom went last week into the timber north of Duluth to look at some timber land. They started out on snow shoes, but later got into a small brush and had to abandon them and take to the ordinary way of travel. In this way it took them two days to cover a distance which it was thought would take only one day and both men had their feet badly frozen.

When we hear a woman say that all men are alike we wonder how she found it out.

THREE CURES OF SEVERE ECZEMA

Michigan Woman Tells of Her Brother's Terrible Suffering with the Disease—Grandchild and Another Baby also Permanently Cured.

CUTICURA REMEDIES PROVED INVALUABLE

"My brother had eczema three different summers. About the same time each summer it came out between his shoulders and down his back, and he said his suffering was terrible. He used different kinds of medicines that were said to be good for that disease, but nothing seemed to do him much good. When it came on the third summer, he bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and gave it a faithful trial. Soon he began to feel better and he cured himself entirely with Cuticura and has never been bothered with eczema since. He also used Cuticura to cure a bunch over his eye and a terrible corn which was so bad that he could not wear his shoe. A lady in Indiana heard of how my daughter, Mrs. Miller, had cured her little son of terrible eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. This lady's little one had the eczema so badly that they thought they would lose it. She used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and it cured her child entirely. and the disease never came back. Mrs. Sarah E. Lusk, 67 Peckham St., Coldwater, Mich., Aug. 15 and Sept. 2, 1907."

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Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

TAX PAYMENT REGULATIONS

BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF THE PROVISIONS OF MINNESOTA TAX LAWS

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES MUST BE PAID IN FULL THIS MONTH

Taxes become due on the first Monday in January in each year after they are assessed. Personal property taxes must be paid in full on or before Feb. 28. One-half of real estate taxes may be paid before June 1 and the balance before November 1 the same year without penalty. If one-half is not paid before June 1, a penalty of 10 per cent is added to the entire amount If the half which should be paid before June 1 is not paid 10 per cent penalty is added to the amount remaining unpaid at that date. On the first Monday of January next they become delinquent, when an additional penalty of 5 per cent and cost of advertising and entering judgment is added.

Tax sales take place on the first Monday of May following and amount of sale draws interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum until redeemed If not redeemed within three years from date of sale all lands become the property of the purchaser.

Thunder at Home.

Husband—Did you hear the storm when it broke this morning? Wife—That wasn't the storm. It was the new girl washing the breakfast dishes. —Baltimore American.

A Respectable Fortune.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a "respectable fortune?" Pa—One that is large enough to make its possessor's opinion on any subject respected, my son.—Chicago News.

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DIED FROM LOCKJAW

EMPLOYE OF CROOKSTON LUMBER CO. DIED AS RESULT OF INJURY

FRANK O'NEIL BEMIDJI THE VICTIM — FUNERAL HELD TODAY

From Friday's Daily—

Frank O'Neil of Bemidji who recently had his foot amputated below the knee, died Tuesday afternoon of tetanus.

Mr. O'Neil was employed on the Crookston Lumber Company's steam decker for loading logs near Fowlds and had his foot crushed by a heavy chain on February 2nd. He was taken to the St. Anthony's hospital Bemidji and his foot dressed. On the 5th inst., it was found necessary to amputate the injured leg just below the knee. Nine days after the operation tetanus was manifested and the patient, weakened by his injury, was unable to withstand the disease, dying Tuesday.

It is understood that tetanus was caused by germs contained in Mr. O'Neil's sock at the time his foot was crushed. The sock driven into the foot and the blood took up the tetanic germ which was carried into other parts of the body before the leg was amputated.

Mr. O'Neil is survived only by a wife, there being no children by their marriage. Mrs. O'Neil's father and brother are now in Bemidji.

The funeral was held from the Catholic church in Bemidji today. Mr. O'Neil has many friends in Crookston who will learn of his death with deep regret.

SET GOODS IN STREET

SHERIFF DID THINGS AT WARROAD YESTERDAY AND HOTEL IS CLOSED

BRIGADE OF DEPUTIES SOON EMPTIED HOTEL AND THE BUFFET

From Friday's Daily—

Quite a stir was caused at Warroad yesterday when the sheriff with a squad of 20 deputies entered the hotel at Warroad and proceeded to set all the furniture of the hotel and the contents of the saloon operated in connection, out into the street as the result of foreclosure proceedings. There has been some trouble between proprietor Boyd and the owners of the building for some time past and they have been endeavoring to have a change made.

They made it yesterday and the affair caused considerable excitement.

A new hotel, containing 100 rooms and modern in every respect will be erected at Warroad by a joint stock company of local business men the coming summer but it will not be completed till next fall.

EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION

SUPT. McINTYRE LEFT FOR CHICAGO VIA DULUTH LAST EVENING

Supt. E. E. McIntyre of the city schools left last evening for Chicago where he will attend a meeting of the Suprintendents Convention and will be absent for about a week or ten days. The convention will be addressed by the leading educators of the entire country and it is most fortunate that Supt. McIntyre was able to attend. He left last evening for Duluth and will proceed from there to Chicago.

Watched Closely

The city dailies are trying to create the impression that the "interests" are not paying any attention to the legislature. This is wrong. Lobbyists are watching every move and it is already charged that "powerful and substantial arguments" are ready to be used as occasion requires.—Roseau Region.

This is good logic from the Duluth Herald: Supporting the home institutions doing business with your neighbors, buying at home, is not merely a matter of sentimental concern for those you know the best, but a hard headed business policy that means dollars to your own pockets.

LARIMORE DEPOT IS IN RUINS

ALMOST ENTIRELY WIPED OUT BY FIRE WHICH STARTS FROM EXPLOSION

LAMP EXPLODES AND SCATTERS FIRE ALL OVER BAGGAGE ROOM

From Thursday's Daily—

The Great Northern depot was almost totally destroyed in Larimore last evening about 7 o'clock. The loss is about $18,000. The building was valued at $20000. The company carried its own insurance on the structure.

The fire started in the baggage room. The baggage man lighted his lantern went outside to light the lamps. He was absent not more than a couple of minutes. When he returned the baggage room was a mass of flames. It is believed by the railway officials that the lantern exploded.

Building Soon a Mass of Flames

The woodwork building burned like tinder. It was a brick structure which had been built in 1890 for a division headquarters building as well as a depot and the offices were better constructed than those in the Grand Forks depot. The fire department could do very little to save the main structure as the building was a mass of flames on their arrival. They were successful in stopping the fire at the walls dividing the main structure from the freight office.

All of the building east of freight house wall was destroyed.

All of the express, freight and baggage was saved.

The Western Union and Great Northern wires went down and communication west of Larimore was shut off for a couple of hours. A lineman was busy making the necessary repairs before 8:00 p. m.

Build Temporary Structure

Carpenters were sent to Larimore on the Oriental Limited and Assistant Superintendent W. H. Kelsey stated a temporary freight depot would be in place by 9:00 o'clock this morning.

There is enough of the west end of the building left to make a fair sized depot.

Since the division headquarters were removed from Larimpre to Grand Forks only the lower portion of the Larimore building had been used by the company.

ERSKINE HOTEL CHANGES HANDS

MISS CALLA RIDDELL AND MOTHER PURCHASE PAYING PROPERTY

OLE OIE TAKES THEIR HOTEL AT ROSEAU—SWANSONS TO TAKE TRIP

Last evening in this city Miss Calla Riddell and her mother purchased the Arlington hotel at Erskine from Mr. and Mrs. Nels N. Swanson to take possession Feb. 23. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson have operated the hotel for many years and have amassed a comfortable fortune and plan on taking a rest and will enjoy a trip to Florida Mexico and other southern points. Mr. Swanson will probably later engage in the banking business in North Dakota.

Ole Ole who served as register of deeds for six years in Roseau County has purchased the Hotel at Roseau formerly conducted very successfully by Mrs. and Miss Riddell, who were very successful there, and who are popular with the traveling public and will undoubtedly make a success of the business at Erskine.

The deal was handled by Geo. F. Fuller, representing Geo. E. Perley of Moorhead.

Take Four Choice

Gus Beaulieu, editor of the White Earth Tomahawk and chief agitator for the Red Man on the White Earth reservation insists that the woes of Mahnomen county have not yet come to an end hints that that county may be dissolved by the higher courts. If this fails, the doughy Gus appeals to the noble Red Man or the remnants of this once mighty race, to band together and organize for the purpose of capturing all the county offices—next time.—Norman County Herald.

Pneumonia Follows La Grippe

Pneumonia often follows la grippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar for la grippe coughs and deep seated colds. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

POGUE AGAIN BEMIDJI MAYOR

CITY ELECTION YESTERDAY UNUSUALLY QUIET, ONLY 732 VOTES POLLED

BAILEY, MALOY AND CAHILL ARE WINNERS — FIVE NEW ALDERMEN

From Thursday's Daily—

In one of the most quiet elections ever held in Bemidji Mayor J. P. Pogue was elected to a third term yesterday with a comfortable majority of 95 over his opponent, William McCuaig. Of the 950 electors in the city of Bemidji only 732 polled their votes which is 90 less than were cast at the city election a year ago.

Earl Geil and George Kirk, respectively candidates for city treasurer and alderman at large were without opposition and were elected.

In the municipal judgeship was centered the liveliest contest of the election, there being four candidates. Judge Bailey, who was appointd last August by Governor Johnson when the court was created, was elected to the office by a plurality of 110, having a majority of 280 over his nearest competitor, H. A. Simons. The vote for municipal judge stood, H. W. Bailey, 402; Attorney H. E. Simons, 122; Attorney A. A. Andrews, 96; Attorney A. M. Crowell, 74.

Thomas Maloy, the present incumbent of the office of the city clerk, was re-elected by a majority of 120 over T. Beaudette which is considerable less than his majority of 238 a year ago; and City Assessor Cahill was retained with an excess of 256 votes, being opposed by J. P. Omich.

Five new faces will appear at the council meetings after March 1st. Dr. E. A. Shannon defeated John Goodman in the first ward by a majority of 22; W. A. Klein won over William Blocker in the second ward; J. Bisiar in the third ward, won out over his opponents, John Marin and W. G. Schroeder; C. D. White and M. F. Cunningham were opponents in the fourth ward the former winning.

WANTS ROAD MONEY DISTRIBUTED

POLK COUNTY UNDER NEW BILL WOULD SECURE PORTION OF $62,000

Senator A. L. Hanson of Ada wants the funds apportioned to counties by the state highway commission, but held up because of non-compliance with its rules, distributed at once to the municipalities of the state. He introduced a bill in the state legislature yesterday directing the state auditor to drawn his warrant in favor of the counties for the amounts apportioned in 1907 and 1908 but not distributed.

These amounts are in turn to be paid out to the villages and towns according to the amounts they spent for roads in those years. The amount involved is about $62,000 and something is due to about seventy counties in the state including Polk county.

The bill is opposed to the highway commission's policy which is to pay state money only where roads have been built on specifications approved by the state engineer.

Want Cock Fighting Restored

Warren Sheaf: That the moral standard among the Cubans is lower than with us may be seen from the following editorial which we clip from the Havana Post of Feb. 20. A newspaper that would advocate cock fighting as a source of revenue in the United States would be promptly boycotted:

Another important bill before congress yesterday was that to restore cock fighting. As this necessitates the revocation of an existing military order, it was referred to the committee on codes. Just as soon a sit is returned from that body it is practically certain that Cuba will again hear the lusty crowing of the cock in pits thruout the island. As the bill provides that the license money shall go into a provincial treasury, this will help toward solving the problems of how to pay provincial salaries.

LeSueur Sentinel: The Butterfield Advocate says that editing a newspaper is like hugging a pretty girl. It doesn't pay but you hate to quit.

All men are born helpless and some never outgrow it.

Poverty prevents a lot of people from getting the gout.

WAYWARD GIRL COMMITTED

DRUCILLA FRAZIER OF EAST GRAND FORKS SENTENCED TO RED WING

SISTER WAS SENT SHORT TIME AGO—14 AND 15 YEAR OLD INCORRIGIBLES

From Friday's Daily—

Another chapter and it is to be hoped the last—in the case of Mrs. Caroline Frazier and her three daughters, Lucile, Sarah and Drucilla of East Grand Forks was enacted this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in Judge Sullivan's court, when Drucilla the eldest of the trio of girls, was arraigned on a charge of incorrigibility and committed to the state training school at Red Wing. Mrs. Frazier was found guilty and fined $25 and costs for not taking proper care of Mrs. C. C. Daley an insane person and Sarah the eldest of the two girls, was recently committed to the state training school at Red Wing. The evidence against Drucilla was even stronger that that against Sarah.

Mrs. Daly Returned

In this conection it was learned yesterday that Mrs. Daly adjudged insane by the state board and sent to the asylum at Fergus Falls is now at her home in East Grand Forks and has been there for several days. It is understood that the asylum authorities released her on the ground that she had visible means of support. The law provides that relatives, in this case her husband. Chas. Daly must take good care of an insane person. The authorities will undoubtedly see to it that the law is kept and the Mrs. Frazier episode not re-enacted.

A Clever Capture

Sheriff Daniels with Drucilla Frazier in custody went to East Grand Forks from Crookston yesterday morning much to the surprise of the officials who had not learned of the arrest of the girl. She was found boarding at a hotel in Portland, N. D. a town a short distance from Mayville in western Traill county, where she had been left by S. H. Pratt, alias Frank Smith.

Her whereabouts was learned in a rather interesting manner. Pratt, who went under the name of Smith, was selling wet goods on a commission for an East Grand Forks house, and stopping at the hotel with the girl, who he passed off as his daughter. Finally the hotel man became worried about the size of his bill and wrote to the East Grand Forks house for a settlement. In this way the matter came to the attention of Assistant State's Attorney G. A. E. Finlayson, who immediately suspected that Smith was none other than Pratt. About this time a letter was given to Chief Overby addressed to Mrs. Pratt. It was written by the Portland chief of police who learned that Smith's real name was Pratt from the girl. The letter was opened by some Mrs. Pratt of Grand Forks who turned it over to Chief Overby. Attorney Finlayson immediately advised Sheriff Daniels to get in touch with Chief Overby and as a result Sheriff Daniels made the trip to Portland on Tuesday. He found the girl staying at the hotel where she had been left by Pratt, who was afterwards arrested at Fargo. She had run a big bill at the hotel but the landlord did not like to turn her out witout any visible means of support. His persuasion together with that of the sheriff induced Prucilla to accompany him to East Grand Forks and as soon as the state of Minnesota was reached the girl was formally arrested.

When arraigned yesterday in court the girl, who looks like a mere child asked what she was going to be tried for. The judge replied that the court would endeavor to learn whether or not it would be better for her to spend the next few years in a place where she would be properly taken care of or whether she should be allowed to continue as a free citizen.

Assistant State's Attorney Finlayson, in order to guard against any further complications asked that she be placed under $500 bond. In default of this she was given over to the custody of the sheriff and brought to Crookston. The two returning to East Grand Forks this morning. The girl will spend the next two years at least at Red Wing.

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COLD STORAGE PROBLEM SOLVED

CROOKSTON PURE FOOD COMPANY OFFERS TO ERECT COLD STORAGE PLANT

PRESENT FLOURISHING INDUSTRY WOULD BE LOCATED IN SAME BUILDING

The Crookston Pure Food Company has solved the cold storage plant problem which Crookston has been wrestling with for some time past without success. The annual meeting of the Crookston Pure Food Co. was held in this city last Monday, the same officers were re-elected with Arthur J. Johnson continuing as the manager.

The operations of this concern since its location in Crookston has been signally successful. In addition to the manufacture of ice cream, which is now being shipped thruout Northern Minnesota and North Dakota and the manufacture of soft drinks, an ice cream cone manufacturing plant which was later established proved very successful and a dividend of 10 per cent was declared at the meeting Monday.

The company at this meeting decided that if the proper co-operation was extended by business men of Crookston they would erect a large and modernly equipped building, which they would use for the manufacture of ice cream and ice cream cones, and would also make ample provisions for the installation of a modern and commodious cold storage plant for the handling of eggs, poultry and other produce, and would be prepared to meet any further demands in that line as the future may develop is needed.

The building would then be erected the coming summer, together with a large ice house and the fact that Crookston may have such a plant will be greeted with genuine enthusiasm as it is one of the most imperative necessities to promote the growth of Crookston as a market center, and will make it impossible for farmers to glut the local market with produce a condition that has occurred repeatedly in the past.

The plant would be a grand beginning of a new departure the growth of which cannot be even forecasted, and it means a growth of the city along lines never before atempted there.

ROBBER NABBED AT CASS LAKE

JOHN HURLEY A LUMBER JACK GOT AWAY WITH $200 WORTH OF SHOES

STOLE THEM FROM G. N. DEPOT —BOOTY RECOVERED—HURLEY IN JAIL

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday officer McKinney of Cass Lake Police Force arrested John Hurley a lumber jack on the charge of stealing $200 worth of shoes consigned to a Cass Lake firm from the Great Northern depot at that place. The robbery occurred Monday last and yesterday after some clever work McKinney nabbed Hurley and recovered all the stolen goods. There is evidence which will land Hurley in the pen for a term of years.

SHEAF BOOSTS SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

The Warren Sheaf calls attention to the good work on the experiment farm and the Crookston school of agriculture in the following:

"Agricultural schools are doing much for Minnesota. A very minor instance is the investigation recently completed at Crookston, which shows that contrary to the usual supposition there is a tremendous variation in the productive power of laying hens ranging from 15 to 220 eggs per year. The establishment of this fact has led at once to scientific steps towards the production of a breed that will possess maximum powers. If the Minnesota hen can be elevated to her proper standard of productiveness the farmers of the state will gain $1,000,000 per year. This work was chiefly done by farmers' boys at the Crookston School. Its future results promise to be of enormous importance and yet it is all about that comparatively insignificant citizen of the barnyard, the common hen. Minnesota still has something to learn in an agricultural way, and the Crookston farmers' boys are proving it."

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

OLD TIMER HERE—Jack McGlogan a former lineman for the Great Northern stationed here, but now superintendent of the telegraph service for the entire system arrived from St. Paul this morning and took a trip up the Warroad line.

OVERLOOKED MAHNOMEN CO.—Foster County, N. D., claims to have the youngest county auditor in the state and perhaps in the Union. They have overlooked Mahnomen county, Minn., as Mahnomen county hasn't only a younger auditor but it also has a younger treasurer both being less than 25 years of age. And the coroner is only 21. That ought to stop the shouting.—Mahnomen Free Press.

MANY FRIENDS REGRET DEPARTURE—J. M. Ball who has been a leading dealer in Red River Valley land for the past ten years formerly belonging to the firm of Odette and Ball, will leave this evening for Mexico where he will make his future home. He will go first to Tampico with his family and expects to locate there.

SAME OLD SMILE—Wylie Phillips the genial proprietor of the Phillips Steam Laundry, whose face has been missed for several weeks past, is now down town several times a day and is looking fine. His under pinning is not yet in shape for him to make any star plays on a football team, but he is rapidly gaining in strength and states that he feels fine with an appetite like a wolf.

WILL ATTEN DCONFERENCE—Contractor Louis Johnson left last evening for Minneapolis where he will represent the local church at the Minnesota conference of the Swedish Mission church which opened Tuesday and will continue till next Tuesday. Before returning he will also get some prices on cut stone and other building material to be used in buildings to be erected at Hibbing and Chisolm upon which he will later submit bids.

SHOT IN BREAST—John Wambach, the 15-year old son of Jacob Wambach of Georgetown, was accidentally shot by a 22 calibre rifle at the Wambach home last Saturday evening. The rifle stood in the corner of the room and behind the gun lay a pair of mittens belonging to the boy and as John stooped over to pick up his mittens the gun was in some peculiar way accidentally discharged. The bullet struck the boy over the left breast. The wound will not be fatal.

AUDETTE FAMILY STRICKEN—Jierre Audette a farmer residing near Huot northeast of this city is prostrated as a result of the loss of two grown sons and his wife in less than a week. Last Friday Rock Audette aged 19 died of typhoid fever. Saturday last another son Artell aged 22 died of the same trouble. The two were buried Monday last and while the funeral was taking place Mrs. Audette passed away of typhoid and was buried yesterday.

OLD GAL WANTS LAND—Gay-away-so-sae has begun suit against the United States government in the federal court at Fergus Falls to secure an allotment of 160 acres of land to which she claims to be entitled under the government treaty with the Indians. She claims to be a full-blood Chippewa and as such entitled to an allotment. Gay is not a highly educated woman, she does not write very much, but instead of signing the complaint with a small "X" which is the customary form when people are unable to write their names, she signs with a thumb mark.

EX-POLICEMAN HERE—Ed P. Monson who at one time served on the Crookston police forse, residing with his family in Sampsons addition arrived last evening from his homestead near Thief Lake where he has been residing with his family for the past few years. He proved up a year ago and has a valuable claim. He is much pleased with that section of the country, and is boosting it for farmers. He is here today as a witness for another homesteader in that section who is proving up on his land before the land office here.

REV. WARNER RETURNS—Rev. C. C. Warner returned from Fargo this morning. He reports a very interesting session of the Men's Brotherhood convention. Among those present were Pastor Shaw formerly of this city and son, well remembered in Crookston. Mr. Shaw's son is a student in Fargo College. Mr. Warner looked in at St. Luke's hospital yesterday. He found Mrs. Clark and her daughter Miss Kemmerer there, the latter able to sit up and hopes to get away for the trip home Saturday. She may find herself not quite strong enough for the trip, if so she will wait a few days longer.

BUSINESS IN CITIES—O. O. Christianson the real estate and insurance man returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis where he went last Saturday. He says there is plenty of snow in that section.

MINORS PLAY POOL—It has just been discovered (?) that boys are playing pool in Crookston. Yesterday complaint was filed against O. Vereau an dtoday he was assessed a fine of $10 by Judge Gossman.

MRS. GAAB ILL—Mrs. Matilda Gaab, sister of Adolph and Charles Rauch of this city, is very ill with typhoid fever, and her sister, Mrs. Warninger has arrived from Bemidji to nurse her during her illness. She is at her home, 702 North Front street and many friends join in wishing her a most speedy recovery.

PREPARE TO LET CONTRACT—Alderman Geo. Wright left last evening for St. Paul where he will go over the plans for the alterations in the New Store Block with Messrs. Fontaine and Anglim, Mr. Anglim having left for St. Paul last evening also. Everything will be settled so that the contract can be let immediately after his return to Crookston Friday morning.

HAD DELIGHTFUL TRIP—S. A. Wallace returned this morning from an extended trip to Mexico spending the greater portion of his time at Tampico where there is quite a Crookston colony. He returns in the best of health and reports every minute of the time spent in Mexico as extremely pleasant many interesting sights having been witnessed. While south he made a few investments in real estate.

OLD CARMAN RESIDENT DEAD—Alphonse Lalonde yesterday received word from Mondak, Montana of the death of Mr. Beaudoin, who with his wife formerly operated a hotel in Carman for many years. Some time ago they went to Montana and located on a claim where they have since resided. Their daughter, Miss Clara Beaudoin was recently visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lalonde, but was called home two weeks ago by a telegram announcing her father's critical illness and arrived just in time to see her father alive. He was nearly 70 years of age.

CONFERRING WITH MISS LOMMEN—Miss Miriam Carey who is working under the direction of the State Librarian Commission of Minnesota is spending a few days here conferring with Miss Lommen relative to the work here and assisting her in every way possible. Miss Carey is a childhood friend of Rev. C. C. Warner, her father having been pastor of the church at Freeport, Ill., at the time Rev. Warner joined. Miss Carey formerly occupied a similar position in Iowa and is very efficient and enthusiastic regarding library work. She will go from here to Bemidji on a similar mission.

JUDGE GRINDELAND LECTURED—Judge A. Grindeland arrived in the city last evening from Minot where Tuesday evening he delivered a fine lecture. He returned to Warren this morning and stated to the Journal that Minot is certainly a lively little city, and that the "Magic City" was not in any way a misnomer. Judge Grindeland is getting into the lecture business to quite an extent of late. Following is what the Minot Reporter has to say of his address Tuesday evening: "The lecture given by Judge Grindeland of Warren, Minn., last evening proved an intellectual treat for those who were present at the First Lutheran church to listen to this well known and fluent man. The judge took for his subject, "Honesty is the Best Policy" and gave an eloquent discourse on his chosen theme."

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

F. McLennan left this morning to see if the grass was sprouting and the robins singing up at Angus. He says they always show up there first.

BACK FROM TRIP—Will M. Casmey returned to Euclid this morning after a trip to Bemidji, Fargo and other points where he has been looking after business matters.

WOULDN'T MISS IT—Robert F. Leick left this morning for Mentor and Dugdale. He would not venture farther as he wanted to get back tonight sure, in order to attend the Washington party this evening at the C. C. Strander home as he has never before had the pleasure of meeting Martha and George.

BUYS HALF INTEREST—Deputy Sheriff Joe Markham of Bemidji who was formerly connected with the Hotel Crookston Buffet here, will resign his position in a few days and devote all his attention to the Bemidji Sentinel in which he recently purchased a half interest. He likes newspaper work and will apply all his time and energy.

MAIL CLERK ON VACATION—W. M. Shannon one of the clerks on the Duluth-Grand Forks railway postoffice, departed yesterday afternoon on the westbound Great Northern passenger train for Bonita, Montana, where he will spend a few weeks at the home of his brother. Mr. Shannon will go to Seattle, Wash., and other points on the Pacific coast for short visit with friends and relatives before returning to his run.

CROOKSTON PEOPLE ARE INTERESTED—Mr. Bush was over again last week. He reports the "Air Line" surveyors expected to reach the sandridge north of Moose River, in about ten days from the time the boys wrote and now we heard last night that they are actually surveying not far north of the ridge. Somebody must have some confidence that Mr. Hunt can build his railroad and gives expression to it in a tangible shape. It costs real money to run surveying crews in the winter time.—Middle River Pioneer. This is great news to a number of Crookston people who have land near there.

TAKING LAYOFF—Robert Henry passed thru the city this morning enroute home from Duluth where he has been visiting his sisters for the past few days and proceeded to Angus where he will visit Mrs. A. T. Campion another sister, for a few days before returning to his work on the Great Northern at Grand Forks. He injured his foot a short time ago and has not completely recovered.

Mrs. Will Nelson and daughter left this morning for Euclid where they will spend a few days with Mrs. Robert Teal, Mrs. Nelson's mother, and will also visit with other friends there.

TYPHOID AT ST. HILAIRE—Four cases of typhoid fever have developed in this village in the past two weeks and in all of the cases they have been drinking river water. There has been a considerable number of typhoid fever cases in Red Lake Falls the past season and there are several cases there at present. All of the Thief River Falls sewerage is emptied into the river and under no circumstances should anyone drink water from the river as it is extremely dangerous, and typhoid will be very likely to follow. If no other water is available see that it is boiled before using. This will also apply to water from melted ice as freezing does not kill the germs.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

MADE FORTUNE IN FEW YEARS—A. Paquin, better known in the town of Lambert as "the governor" was in Thief River Falls last week attending to business matters. Mr. Paquin is a man of push and energy and is making a great success of farming in Red Lake county. To the News Mr. Paquin stated that he commenced to farm in town of Lambert 15 years ago without hardly a dollar capital. For a few years he had rather a hard struggle but now things are going along nicely and is was no effort at all to add a few thousand dollars each year to his wealth. He has a farm of 560 acres all under cultivation and a few years ago he built a creamery upon his farm and manufactures his own butter which he ships to New York markets. He not only does this but last summer he paid to his neighbors $15,000 for cream that they delivered at his farm. At present "the governor" saye that he is milking thirty-five cows upon his farm and he employs quite a small army of help. This spring he will commence the erection of another large barn and will continue to increase his herd of cattle. He likes farming and is getting rich at it as fast as anyone could desire.—Thief River Falls News.

Read The Journal Wants.

SON WAS DISCHARGED—Hjelmer Henry was discharged in the municipal court this afternoon after a hearing on the charge of assaulting his father, Nels Hennry last evening. His father had him arrested but the evidence showed that elder Hennry came home intoxicated last evening and started using vile language directed toward his wife. His son took the old gentleman down and sat on him for a while till he stopped his flow of vicious language and the court held that he was justified in so doing.

A BOOST FOR C. G. SCHROEDER—C. G. Schroeder formerly of this city and who is now manager of the big concern of E. J. Meilicke and Sons at Outlook, Sask., handling land, lumber, farm loans and machinery is evidently making a hit in his new position. The firm carries a big six column ad. in the Outlook and that paper in a local in its last issue has the following: "E. J. Meilicke & Son's office will be one of the nicest in town Mr. Schroeder who is in charge, evidently believes in having things neat, up-to-date, and homelike."

VISITING EDITOR HAGEN—Lars Steenerson one of the wealthy farmers on the Goose River, near Portland N. D., where he has been located for the past 20 years, spent yesterday and last night in the city with Editor G. T. Hagen, the two having been brought up in the same place in Norway and enjoyed a very pleasant visit Olaf Eastvold a machinery dealer of Portland was also here for the day, having run over from Grand Forks where they had business, specially to see Mr. Hagen.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

VISITING ST. HILAIRE—Ed Peterson of the Water Works Co., here is spending theday at St. Hilaire looking after some business matters.

DAUGHTER ILL—The daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Emil G. Vonderbeck is confined to her hame with scarlet fever. She is not very ill but the home will be quarantined for several weeks.

HAS SCARLET FEVER—Beryl Davies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Davies is ill with scarlet fever. The other children are in the meantime staying with their grandmother Mrs. W. L. Davies, Lincoln Ave.

RETURNING TO CLAIM—E. J. Keating arrived this morning from St. Cloud where with his wife and family he has been visiting for the past few weeks. Mrs. Keating and the children will remain there till after school closes while Mr. Keating will proceed to the claim near Graceton and start the cabbages and pumpkins in a hot bed.

WHEELER A BANKRUPT—George A. Wheeler engaged in the job printing business in Grand Forks yesterday morning filed with Clerk Montgomery of the United States district court, a petition that he be adjudged bankrupt. He placed his liabilities at $908.55 and his assets at 3,875, all of which he claims exempt.

INFANT CHILD BURIED—The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ralston, of New Solum, was held at the M. E. Church in Warren Monday. The remains of the little one were accompanied to Warren by the parents and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Porteous, the latter the grandmother of the deceased. Mr. Ralston is a brother of Ed Ralston of this city and formerly resided here.

"BOB" IN SOCIETY—An enthusiastic meeting of the colored people in Cass Lake was held last night and a club to be known as the "Taft Social Club" was organized. The object of the club will be to become more closely united and to have pleasant gatherings. The following were elected officers: President, Mrs. Jennie Lett; vice president, Mrs. Hattie Mosley; secretary, Robt. B. Moseley; treasurer Mrs. Lillian Gross. "Bob" Moseley is well known here having been a former employe of the Times.

GETTING FAMOUS—Adolph F. Rauch is getting famous as an after dinner speaker his last big hit being at the birthday banquet tendered by Alex Thompson to his friends. Since that date Mr. Rauch has received several invitations to speak at functions which will be given on Washington's birthday, but business interests have forced him to decline. A close friend however has secured a promise from Mr. Rauch that he will deliver the oration at the next Fourth of July celebration held in Crookston.

McINTOSH COMMERCIAL CLUB—At a meeting of the board of managers of McIntosh Commercial Club the election of officers and the appointment of committees was taken up and disposed of. The officers elected are Pres., John H. Hagen; V. P., F. A. Mathieu; Sec'y, H. Helgesen; Corresponding Secy, A. M. Dunton; Treas, Jacob Talle. The committees are: Membership, O. C. Narveson, Gilbert Abrahamson; Executive, C. M. Berg; N. Zetterberg, E. A. Webster.

POLK CO. PIONEER IS BURIED—The funeral of James Adare living in Western Polk County and who died early Thursday morning was held from the house today at 12:30 o'clock Rev. H. W. Georgi officiating. Mr. Adare was one of the pioneer residents of Polk county having come to this section 31 years ago. He was born in Ontario Canada on June 18. 1849, and was 63 years of age at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and three children, Edward, William and Annie. Both the boys are grown up, the daughter living at home. Death was not unexpected due as it was to tumor of the stomach.

HEARING POSTPONED—Deputy Sheriff Sullivan returned last evening from East Grand Forks with Drucilla Frazier of that place, who is having a hearing on a charge of incorrigibility before Judge Sullivan there. The hearing has been postponed till next Tuesday, Monday being a holiday and while evidence has already been given sufficient to warrant her being committed to Red Wing there is still more to follow.

Louis Fontaine arrived from St. Paul this morning and this afternoon Architect B. D. Keck who drew the plans for the remodelling of the New Store Block awarded the contract for the carpenter work and masonry to Contractor W. E. Walker whose bid was $6,424.60 the lowest of a half dozen bids submitted. He will start the work at once and will have it all completed before May 1st.

The contracting for the painting and decorating the plumbing and the heat will be let later.

Mr. Walker constructed the building in the first place for Fontaine and Anglim and is therefore in a position to do the work with greater facility than a contractor unacquainted with the building.

A CHILD'S HEROISM.

The Story of a Visit to the Beautiful Glasnevin Cemetery.

A pathetic story of a child's heroism is told by a Dublin gentleman. Recently he proposed to drive with his wife to the beautiful Glasnevin cemetery. Calling his son, a bright little boy, some four years old, he told him to get ready to accompany them. The child's countenance fell, and the father said:

"Don't you want to go, Willie?"

The little lip quivered, but the child answered, "Yes, papa, if you wish."

The child was strangely silent during the drive, and when the carriage drove up to the entrance he clung to his mother's side and looked up in her face with pathetic wistfulness.

The party alighted and walked among the graves and along the tree shadowed avenues, looking at the inscriptions on the last resting places of the dwellers in the beautiful city of the dead. After an hour or so thus spent they returned to the carriage, and the father lifted his little son to his seat. The child looked surprised, drew a breath of relief and asked:

"Why, am I going back with you?"

"Of course you are. Why not?"

"I thought when they took little boys to the cemetery they left them there," said the child.

Many a man does not show the heroism in the face of death that this child evinced in what to him had evidently been a summons to leave the world.—London Telegraph.

His Mean Trick.

"There certainly are differences in feelings," said the woman who sometimes philosophizes, "or at least different ways of expressing them.

"A few days ago a shocking incident occurred in the apartment house where I live. The janitor, who was an unusually good looking man, about thirty-five years old, killed himself for some wholly inadequate reason, some difference with his employer. Of course everybody in the house was much upset by the tragedy, and I, with other tenants, went down to the basement to see his wife and offer aid.

"The wife, however, seemed more resentful than grief stricken.

"'Would you ever think such a fine man would do such a mean trick!' she exclaimed."—New York Press

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The mixture is said to cleanse and strengthen the clogged and inactive Kidneys, overcoming Backache, Bladder weakness and Urinary trouble of all kinds, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease.

Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back, clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

Fifty representatives from different county fair associations throughout the state gathered at the Merchants Hotel in St. Paul recently and formed what will hereafter be known as the Minnesota Federation of County Agricultural Associations. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed and work will be started at once to forward the county agricultural exhibits, to strengthen the county associations in existence and to establish associations in counties which have none.

The legislature will be asked to double the apportionment allotted to county agricultural exhibits, and to enact a law whereby the state will be in position to replace county agricultural buildings destroyed by fire or wind. Strong resolutions were adopted to bring about uniform action in the work of the various county agricultural societies and spread the movement throughout the entire state.

Crookston was well represented and Thomas R. Johnstone was elected treasurer of the association, and Senator Stephens put on the board of directors, as a representative from the Ninth Congressional district. He was also placed on the legislative committee. The full list of officers selected were as follows:

President—J. J. Furlong, Mower county; vice president—J. J. Maloney, Waseca county; treasurer—Thomas R. Johnstone, Polk county; secretary—John H. Brown, Lincoln county; board of directors, one member from each congressional district—First, F. A. Duncan, Steele county; Second, George Atkinson, Blue Earth county; Third, S. L. Manhart, Rice county; Fourth, John Zeloch, Washington county; Fifth, Ernie Waddell, Hennepin county; Sixth, H. W. Vogel, Wright county; Seventh, S. Hutchins, Pope county; eighth, T. W. McGuire, Stevens county; Ninth, A. D. Stephens, Polk county. The following committees were established: Legislative—A. D. Stephens, John Zelch; Resolutions—T. H. Maloney, F. A. Dunham, George Atkinson; By-laws—F. A. Dunham, T. H. Maloney.

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The Father Of Our Country

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From Monday's Daily—

Today is the 177th anniversary of the birthday of George Washington, one of the greatest generals, one of the greatest patriots and one of the most noble minded men the world has ever known. Today thruout the length and breadth of the land tribute is being paid to the memory of the man to whose ability, self-sacrifice and patriotism in its highest and best conception this country owes its existence

To him, and the statemen whom he in his broad wisdom gathered about him such as Jefferson and Hamilton as members of his cabinet is due the foundations laid in the beginning, which has made the United States of America the greatest, the grandest country in the world, and the very name, thruout the civilized world is recognized as synonymous with Freedom.

Two names stand out pre-eminently in American history as loved and honored above all other national characters, George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. They were both great men, and both good men and both rose to the occasion fully and met conditions which would have overwhelmed most great men. Both were great men, but they were strikingly different in every way. In comparing the two Washington is often made to suffer because he was regarded as cold and distant, lacking in that sympathy which brought Lincoln so close to the people.

Washington was reserved outwardly but within was a heart large enough to share in the love of all his countrymen, and the patriotist, born of that love, prompted sacrifices greater than Lincoln was ever called upon to make sacrifices of fortune and the endurance of personal hardships, exposure and abuse which must have tried his very soul. Therein he showed his real greatness.

In his address at the birthplace of Lincoln President Roosevelt enunciated a great and grand truth when he said:

> "There have been other men as great and other men as good; but in all the history of mankind there are no other two great men as good as these, no other two good men as great."

Washington was the embodiment of the highest conception of goodness, greatness and patriotism. His memory has ever been an inspiration to old and young. In every schoolhouse thruout the land special exercises have been held, and always will be held, to keep the memory of Washington fresh in the minds of the rising generations. America will never have another Washington, but our grand country is now, and always will be in need of as many men who are inspired by the same grand motives as he, and a lack of men with such motives would be the most serious menace which could confront this country. Commercialism must not be alloyed to stultify patriotism.

The memory of Washington alone, is enough to inspire all with a patriotism such as this great Republic needs today for in times of peace there are great questions to be solved, questions which require self sacrifice and earnest effort.

The Livest Issue Of The Day

There can be no question that the one, incomparable problem which this country has now to solve is the business question. What shall we do with the trusts, the corporations, the great combinations? How shall we secure to every man a fair share of the product of his labor? How shall we put an end to the abuses by which capital uses labor for its aggrandizement and returns to labor only such share of the profits as the law of mere living compels it to? quiries the Duluth Herald.

There is nothing now about these questions. We have had them staring us in the face for centuries. But from being one of the questions of vast public interest they have come to be the question that overshadows all the others. The interrogation point to this question is a big black one that lies over the face of the whole continent and casts its shadows over half the earth.

Ten or twelve years ago we were minded to destroy the trust. How to find a law by which we might put an end to it was our thought. But we have found that killing will not do. So we have been studying the question. The whole people have been studying it from the general view point, labor unions have been studying it from their point of view and capital has been studying it under some compulsion. We have not learned a great deal but we have settled upon a few general, elementary conclusions which we believe express the fundamental truth upon which we are to build the superstructure of the proper relations of capital and labor. Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith presents these fundamentals in concise form in his annual report recently made public. The principles laid down by Mr. Smith do not involve any new matter; they are simply conclusions to which the government and the general public too, have come after a decade of suits at law, discussion and investigation. The commissioner lays down these guiding principles:

The the real issue is: What are the intent, metheds and effect of a given combination or corporation? What a great corporation does and how it does it is of far more practical importance that the mere question whether it is legally a combination or not.

That the first step in such an advance must be to establish a board system of corporate publicity thru a federal office.

That the system adopted shall provide, as far as possible a basis for the conference and co-operation of all interests.

Here we have the assertion that combinations of capital must be regulated not killed and that publicity is the general basis upon which all regulation shall take place. There are very few of us who will not subscribe to both of these statements. We have not succeeded in all the years that we have been at it in killing a single combination; we have compelled a few of them to change their form or organization, that's all. The Northern Securities company is just as much an actual merger today as it was before it was dissolved and the paper trust has the same grip on the users of paper as it had before it was "killed" by federal suit. As to publicity, we have seen its beneficial effects. It has already wiped out corporation contributions to campaigns and has practically abolished freight rebates. Organized upon the proper basis there is good reason to believe that publicity unaided, will do away with the larger part of the abuses of great combinations of capital.

This, then, is our starting point. Practically the whole scheme has yet to be worked out. We have come a long way already and we have accomplished a great deal if it is no more than these two fundamental principles of regulation and publicity. The how of them both is yet to be found. The need of finding it is imperative. The terrible inequalities of present conditions are not to be endured; relief must be immediate and must be made complete in the shortest possible time. That time will not be very soon, but it is on the way.

First, Forgive.

When ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have aught against any, that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses.—St. Mark xi, 25.

In friendship we see only those faults which may be prejudicial to our friends. In love we see no faults but those by which we suffer ourselves.—De la Bruyere.

Dignified.

Certainly the coachman to her late majesty, Queen Victoria, had a befitting sense of the dignity and responsibility of his position. On the occasion of the jubilee of 1887 he was asked if he was driving any of the royal and imperial guests at that time quartered in Buckingham palace.

"No, sir," was his reply. "I am the queen's coachman. I don't drive the riffraff."

Blocking The Streets

Every so often, a crusade is started against contractors who make a practice of blocking the street with materials, and who extend their line beyond that allowed in the permit from the city, who use the street after the expiration of the indemnifying bond, and in other ways act with a reckless disregard of the fact that the use of the public street for storing materials, is a privilege and not a right. From time to time, the matter becomes acute and occasionally a contractor gets hauled into court and fined. This action is distressing and usually causes the feeling that as the matter is usually condoned, it is unjust to take such action. But it is seldom realized that while the action is condoned, there is also a great deal of provocation to vigorous action in the matter. Citizens who are compelled to detour widely around piles of material left in the street, often complain over the inattention of public officials toward such matters.—Improvement Bulletin. However there is a middle course that can be pursued, whereby contractors can be given necessary privileges and at the same time be given to understand that they must keep within bounds.

Carroll D. Wright Statistician

By the death of Carroll D. Wright, America losses her foremost statistician. When the office of United States commissioner of labor was created, President Cleveland offered the post to Mr. Wright, tho he had been an opponent of Mr. Cleveland's election and a member of the convention which named Mr. Blaine. But Mr. Wright was a statistician first and a politician afterward, as he had demonstrated in his conduct of the Massachusetts bureau of statistics. Mr. Wright served as federal commissioner from 1895 to 1905 and built up that great organization whose statistics and reports gave him international fame. The publication of nearly fifty volumes of labor reports and the voluminous publications of the eleventh census attested his capacity to make statistics reliable and yet aglow with life.

On the labor question, Mr. Wright made many addresses and published one book, in which he set forth the theory that a religion of life based upon the development of the sense of justice will provide the only permanent solution of social and industrial problems. His views accord with those of President Eliot, that the problem is one of ethics. President Eliot relies more upon publicity than Mr. Wright who put the emphasis upon the development of the religion of life in the individual.—Minneapolis Journal.

Semi-Monthly Pay Days

The bill compelling all corporations employing more than a limited number of men to pay their employes at least each two weeks has passed the house, says the Duluth News Tribune in a most timely editorial.

The merits of the measure are so manifest it certainly should pass the senate.

The only objections to it are those of inconvenience and consequent minor increase of expense. It undoubtedly would considerably add to this specific branch of the bookkeeping in railroad and other large corporations and some slight loss of interest, but no more so in proportion than for those companies which now pay not once each two weeks, but every Saturday, which in right should be the universal pay day.

With railroads pay day is about the 20th of the month. Nor do they pay to that date but for the preceeding month. Indeed it is the custom where payments are monthly to hold back in this way about a half a month or more of wages which are earned.

This system is also an incentive to extravagance. It leads to buying on credit the running of monthly bills, which are paid only in part and frequently embarrassing debt is the result. So general did this become that many employing companies were delayed by garnishments so that they had to make a rule discharging any employe whose wages were attached in this way for debt.

They failed to realize that it was but a consequence of their own fault, and that Saturday night payments would have better relieved the situation by restricting credit and gradually inducing a habit of cash payments. It is not just than an employing corporation should always owe its men from a week to six week wages and that never at any time should men be paid to date.

Frequently also in case a man wishing to end his employment he is embarrassed by the difficulty of getting his wages due promptly. These are but a few of the reasons why this bill should pass and after all are enumerated that which is chief is the abstract right of a man to have the wage that he has earned without a considerable part of it being withheld from his use as a sort of penalty or security for good behavior or subserviency.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Pluck loses no time on account of hard luck.

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Blessings of poverty may look good to the millionaire.

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A price mark looks all right on almost anything except a man.

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It is easier to dodge responsibility than it is to dodge the result.

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A legal fight naturally feels put out if the judge turns him down.

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Some people are always looking for a new kind of mistake to make.

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It's difficult to convince a loafer that he isn't smarter than men who work.

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Never borrow trouble—and never lend it to a man who has a strenuous disposition.

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The manly art of self denial is apt to go lame when it encounters a woman's eyes.

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The man who boasted that he always says what he thinks may be only a third class liar.

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A man's last silver dollar looks as big as a cart wheel just before it disappears around the bend in the pike.

Too Inquisitive.

Magistrate—Why did you strike the telegraph operator? Prisoner—It wuz like this, yer honor. I give him a message to send to me gal, an' the feller started to read it. Then I swiped him. —London Telegraph.

Wife—What would you like for your birthday, dear?
Husband—Nothing at all. I haven't any money.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

Read The Journal Wants.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR
(New York Press)

What a woman likes about maknig her husband go to an afternoon tea is how he hates to.

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A lot of trouble in this world comes of men interfering in other people's troubles to settle them.

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No matter how much money a man can save on his drinks and cigars he wants to do it on his coal bills.

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A man can stay out all night without getting sleepy, but if he spends the evening at home he can't keep his eyes open after 9 o'clock.

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The most fascinating trick a girl has is to get so tangled up with a man when she won't let him kiss her that it happens even more than he intended.

Carving a Hippopotamus.

To cut up a hippopotamus is no easy task. In some places the hide is almost two and a half inches thick, and before you have got through a hand's breadth your knife has completely lost its edge and requires to be resharpened. The head and the feet are put on one side to be preserved as trophies of the chase, while the remainder of the flesh is cut into long, thin strips, which, after they have been dried by hanging them on the tree branches, will keep good for a very long time. The ivory of the teeth and tusks, which is of very fine quality, used to be employed almost exclusively in the manufacture of false teeth. Nowadays, says the Wide World Magazine, it is turned to all the purposes of ordinary ivory. As for the hide, cut into strips it is made into sticks, which are as good defensive weapons as one could wish to possess. Treated with oil, they become transparent as tortoise shell and look quite pretty. Out of hippopotamus hide bullock drivers likewise make thongs for their whips which are positively everlasting and fetch relatively speaking quite a good price.

BATTLESHIP FLEET RETURNS HOME

Special to the Journal—

Hampton Roads, Feb. 22—At noon today the American battleship fleet, fresh from its around the world cruise steamed into Hampton Roads, from which place it set sail Dec. 16, 1907 more than fourteen months ago. Today the fleet will be the center of interest for the entire United States. Sunday night President Roosevelt and his cabinet with many invited guests of distinction left Washington for Hampton Roads. The president reviewed the fleet, after the manner of his review when it was about to sail away The event was spectacular in the best meaning of that word, and it is rather significant, because it will be Mr. Roosevelt's last official public appearance as president.

The fleet has practically completed an undertaking without parallel in the history of the world and one in which every good citizen will have a proper pride.

The booming of salutes, the wild enthusiasm of the hundreds of thousands of spectators and the equally wild enthusiasm of the marines will make the scene one never to be forgotten by those who participated, marking as it does, the completion of the greatest cruise of a naval squadron ever attempted by any nation in the history of the world.

ITINERARY OF CRUISE

Start Dec. 6, 1907, from Hampton Roads.
End Feb. 22, 1909 at Hampton Roads.
Total distance—41,897 miles.

Individual Stretches

	Miles
Hampton Roads to Trindad	1,850
Trindad to Rio Janero	3,100
Rio to Punta Arenas	2,228
Punta Arenas to Callao	2,666
Callao to Magdalena Bay	3,050
Magdalena Bay to San Francisco	1,200
San Francisco to Honolulu	2,100
Honolulu to Auckland	3,700
Auckland to Sydney	1,284
Sydney to Melbourne	575
Melbourne to Albany	1,350
Albany to Manila	3,500
Manila to Yokohoma	1,753
Yokohoma to Manila	1,753
Manila to Singapore	1,368
Singapore to Colombo	1,560
Colombo to Suez	3,440
Suez to Gibraltar	1,920
Gibraltar to Hampton Roads	3,500

SUNDAY LID FITS AT GRAND FORKS

THEATRES, SKATING RINKS, BOWLING ALLEYS, BILLIARD, ROOMS CLOSED

When an audience gathered in the Empire theatre Sunday afternoon at Grand Forks to witness the performance promised by Manager Ralph Carter he explained that he had decided to give no erformance but hoped to open on Sundays in the near future The police were on hand to arrest the players. Carter had a few moving pictures run off to put the audience in good humor. No tickets were sold.

The orders of the mayor in regard to the discontinuance of all billiard and pool, skating, bowling and card playing were obeyed. No arrests were made.

As the mayor is likely to stand pat on the theatre opening proposition it seems likely that the supporters of Sunday theatres will see that other amusement places are closed on that day.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentlemen's List

Adler Embile
Brigen Ole
Briggs Silas
Brunelle Jule
Conway J. J.
Fissertau U T
Gilbertson Edwin
Johusson Andrew S
Johnson John G
Johnson Havid
Moran Patrick
Pederson A
Peterson C E
Smith Austin J
Thompson Almer
Wissler C F
Wumkes P E

Ladies' List

Ashlund Miss Rose
Bailey Mrs. Howard
Blake Miss
Gilbertson Miss Bertha
Hansen Mrs. Paul
Johnson Miss Lillian
Moen Miss Alma
Thomas Mrs.

—Elias Steenerson P. M.

Church-going has cured many a man of insomnia.

Some people are kept busy butting into other people's business.

Some young men haven't even a lame excuse for carrying a cane.

And the self-made man sometimes makes a noise like a phonograph.

MINNESOTA'S CHANCES GOOD

NORTHROP AND UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS HOPE TO SECURE A FOREST LABORATORY

President Northrop and Professors Greene and Jones of the University of Minnesota have returned from Washington satisfied that the university's claim to have a federal forest laboratory located there had been well represented and disposed to believe that Chief Forester Pinchot's decision will be in its favor, despite strong pressure exerted by the University of Wisconsin.

The delegation saw President Roosevelt and Secretary Wilson and presented the matter to them and have enlisted aid of some of the lumbermen from that section who are there on tariff matters. Senators Nelson and Clapp and members of Minnesota house delegation have also assured President Northrop that they will do all they can to bring about a favorable decision.

It developed that members of the faculty of the University of Minnesota have been working to have the government laboratory placed at Minneapolis for more than a year. They have been conducting a quiet campaign among lumbermen in the northwest and have secured the indorsement of two associations in Wisconsin which were presented to Pinchot at hearings.

The impression at Washington is that the choice lies between Minnesota and Wisconsin, the University of Michigan having lost ground in the past few days since the superior advantage of Minnesota as a location for the laboratory has been shown.

Best Way to Water Palms

To make palms thrive in an ordinary sitting room sponge the leaves once a week with lukewarm water to which a little milk has been added. then stand the plant for two hours in lukewarm water. The best way to insure good health, contentment and enjoyment of life is to serve daily at mealtime golden grain belt beer the ideal home beverage—as good for the health as it is to the taste. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

C. D. Billings is spending the day in the city having arrived this morning from Grand Forks.

BEN HAS AN HEIR—Friends of Ben Cooperman a popular traveling man congratulated him during the week on the arrival of a son in St. Paul.

ON LEGAL BUSINESS—Atty. H A Johnson left this morning for Beaudette where he has some important legal business to attend to. He expects to return Thursday or Friday.

INVADING THE FISH LINE—Messrs Cort, Schuneman, Powers, Sabin, Skoug and Fuller started up the Warroad branch this morning to see how much trouble they could kick up.

MAY GO TO THE COAST — Dan Flynn claim agent for the Great Northern may take the Washington district for the company It will mean more work but wil be a more paying proposition.

R. A. ELZY HERE—R. A. Elzy, the ditch contractor from Marshalltown, Ia., who has done a vast amount of work in northern Minnesota during the past few years, arrived yesterday morning and this morning went to Warren to look after some contracts that are to be let and will return this evening to attend to some business here.

IS RECOVERING—Frank McCrea, the well known traveling man is recovering from a couple of bad cuts on his head sustained in the wreck of a Great Northern train at a point near Ardock. He is stopping at the Hotel Dacotah at Grand Forks until it is time to take the bandages from his head. He has not yet made a settlement with the company.

WITH GROCERY FIRM —Herman Krueger has accepted a position with Collin and Billadeau of the Crookston Supply House their business has been increasing to such an extent that more help was necessary. They were fortunate to secure the services of Mr. Krueger who is not only an xperienced man in that line, but who has a host of friends in Crookston and surrounding country and will add still more to the patronage of his firm.

The Euclid Old Settlers Club held their second meeting Friday February 19 at the Modern Woodmen Hall. There were about 200 of the old timers and their friends present. An excellent program was given by the members assisted by the Euclid Quartette composed of Willie Teal, J. S. Chapin, W. A. Dryden and Robt. Balfour. A constitution and by-laws adopted and J. S. Chapin was elected president for the ensuing year. The evening was spent in various games of cards and dancing by the old and new timers. Competent judges pronounced the dancing of the Old Timers to be the best stunt of the evening. A five course supper was served at 12 o'clock and dancing continued until the wee hours of the morning. In fact some of the old timers were seen driving out of town at the hour of six in the morning.

Senator Stephens took advantage of the holiday to run up from St. Paul this morning to look after some business matters. He was asked if the big writeup of the Crookst on School of Agriculture in the Sunday Minneapolis Tribune, in which he was given much praise had scared him from the cities, or whether it was the gubernatorial boom for him in the same paper, taking a column of space but he onl ylaughed and confessed that he had not read the governor boom as yet. He will return to St. Paul this evening.

Ben Franklin's Keenness.

Two incidents recall the keenness and the thoroughness—the great twin abilities, to see and to utilize—of Ben Franklin. One day he chanced to observe a lady in the possession of an imported whisk broom. With his usual interest and careful consideration he examined it as a novelty. He discovered on the brush of the broom a seed, which he carefully removed. Presently he planted it, and the growth from this seed was the first crop of broom corn in this country. Again one day when Dr. Franklin was walking by Dock creek he saw stuck in the mud a wickerwork basket, which had sprouted. Carefully he fished out the basket and carefully took it apart. He gave cuttings to his friend, Mr. Charles Norris, who planted the twigs in his garden, where they grew to great size. They turned out to be yellow willows and, as Franklin had foreseen, proved of great commercial value.

Magistrate—If I remember rightly, this is not your first appearance in court. Prisoner—No, your honor; but I hope you don't judge by appearances. —Harper's Weekly.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

From Tuesday's Daily

TO BUY STOCK—Ed Erickson the Main street butcher is sending the day at McIntosh where he expected to buy two car loads of cattle.

OFF FOR ST. PAUL—Dr. Watson, C. E. Boughton and J. A. Duffy of Red Lake Falls went to St. Paul last evening on legislative matters, and Senator Stephens of this city also returned after a busy day here signing $10 bills.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN — From the back of one Geo. O'Reilly, one porous plaster. The plaster was applied yesterday afternoon and when Mr. O'Reilly arose this morning it had disappeared and despite the use of two bloodhounds and nine bird dogs the blarsted thing cannot be located.

J. J. HILL WILL SPEAK — It is officially announced that Hon. James J. Hill will speak at the convention of the Minnesota Retail Grocers and General Merchants' Association in Minneapolis on next Wednesday, February 24. For the occasion the associations have secured the use of the St. Paul Auditorium, believing that this would be the only hall in the Twin Cities which would accommodate the crowd which would desire to hear Mr. Hill. The program which has been arranged will be one of unusual interest. It is expected that a number of Crookston men will be present and take part in the proceedings of the convention.

MACKOFF IS PROSPERING — Word has just been received in this city of the great success befalling M. Mackoff, who was a short time ago located in the furniture business in Crookston. He has just secured the contract for thoroughly furnishing with furniture, two of the largest hotels in Spokane and did it in competition with a score of other furniture houses. Mr. Mackoff has been extremely successful in business in the west, a fact which his many friends in this city will learn with considerable satisfaction.

W. E. Rowe left last evening for Bemidji where he will represent the plaintiff Mr. Ackerberg, in a $5,000 damage suit against F. A. Mayo, a druggist of Bemidji for the death of this son which resulted from an over dose of poison contained in a prescription which had been given over the telephone and which was misunderstood and wrongly compounded according to the complaint.

Seven doctors of Crookston gave depositions on the cause of death based upon a hypothetical question, and the case will be one of the most interesting at the present term at Bemidji.

The George Washington Memorial Military Ball last evening was one of the biggest successes ever scored by Co. I M. N. G., and the Odd Fellows Hall, which was elaborately decorated with flags, bunting and stacked arms presented a very pretty scene, the members of the company all being in full dress uniform. The affair was attended by 60 couples and the committee in charge were highly complimented for the splendid arrangements Very attractive invitations in red, white and blue were issued for the affair. Frappe and wafers were served during the entire evening and excellent music was rendered by Burkhardt's orchestra. The ever increasing popularity of Co. I was thoroly demonstrated last evening. The armory was used as a promenade and cloak room.

The "Snowball" Party given last evening by Crookston Lodge No. 342, B. P. O. Elks in their hall in the Fournet Block was the most brilliant, successful and spectacular function ever given in Crookston. This is the unanimous verdict of all those present and the committee in charge consisting of Messrs. G. O. Hage, J. D. McPhee, O. B. Tyedten, F. E. McGregor and W. F. Munch received unstinted compliments for the very thoro and competent manner in which their duties had been attended to.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expells the cold from the system. Sold by all druggists.

Cautious.

Prospective Best Man—Got the marriage license yet? Prospective Bridegroom—No; I'm not going to get that until the last thing. She may go back on me.—Chicago Tribune.

The Modern Husband.

Mrs. Knicker—We are to have a thousand foot skyscraper. Mrs. Bocker—I suppose that means that Henry will be detained at the office 500 feet later.—

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

MOVED TO NEW RESIDENCE — Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Welch have moved into the residence on Hunter Street formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ball, which they recently purchased.

"MIKE" WAS HERE—Former G. N. Ticket Agent Mickhils of this city who is now in the G. N. Ticket office in Minneapolis was greeting friends in the city last evening.

MOVED TO NEW LOCATION — Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Musselman who have been residing on Spendley street have moved into the H. C. Scribner residence, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Welch.

FATHER GREENE IS NEARING END—Father Greene of East Grand Forks was reported early this morning as very low and it is not expected that he will survive the day. In spite of intermittent periods of apparent strength, he has been growing rapidly weaker during the past few days and it has been realized that the end was rapidly drawing near.

CLIMAX FARMER HERE— P. O. Satermoe one of the prominent and prosperous farmers near Climax is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters and paid the Journal a very pleasant call having his subscription advanced another year. He would like to see a fall of about 8 or 10 inches of snow between now and the first of March or before the spring breakup.

HORSE COMMITTED SUICIDE — A horse belonging to P. H. Konzen, Mayor of Hallock "committed suicide" the other day. The animal had been hitched in a stall where the feed is conveyed from the loft thru a wedge-shaped box manger and it is supposed that in trying to reach for feed up the hollow of the manger the animal got its head caught and hung itself ,for this is the position in which it was found stone dead.

HAS TYPHOID FEVER—Miss Clara Glenn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Glenn, is confined to her home with typhoid fever. She has been ill for the past week and her parents and friends are looking for a rapid convalescence.

PLEASED WITH SCHOOL—Albert Gullickson, Andrew Morvig and Evan Roragen, of Fertile spent Monday at the Crookston School of Agriculture. They inspected the institution thoroughly and are highly pleased with the methods followed. They will return to the southern section of the county ready to boost for the school.

WILL HOLD SPECIAL MEETING —Chris. Houston president of the local branch of the Society of Equity, instructed Secretary Elias Steenerson to issue a call for a special meeting to be held in this city next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting will take under consideration several matters of legislation which farmers are interested in and it is very desirable that a large attendance be had. The meeting will be held in the city hall.

KEY WEST

Pearl Morrison is visiting at the Buffington farm this week.

A basket social will be given at the Key West church Friday evening, Feb 26, for the purpose of starting an organ fund. Everybody come and ladies may bring baskets.

Miss Nyquist visited her people near Fertile over Sunday.

Miss Johnson visited friends in Crookston over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Capes and family Mr. and Mrs. John Capes and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Augustine Sunday.

Hugh Morrison spent Saturday and Sunday at the Buffington farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore, Mr. Cotton and Mr. B. C. Kach visited the Keystone this week.

Mr. Aeschlimann's young people, Everett and Violet Capes and Glenn Hopkins took supper with Mr. Ehnen's Sunday evening.

Mr. John Lee drove to Grand Forks Monday.

Mr. Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge went to Grand Forks Tuesday.

Mind and Religion.

The more highly developed the mental life is, the more correctly one thinks, the more complete and perfect his knowledge, other things being equal, the better will be his type of religion.—Rev. John W. Rowlett, Unitarian, Atlanta, Ga.

Heaven on Earth.

If there is anything that is heaven on earth it is for the provider of the family when there is real need of provision to come back with the day's wages or the day's provision for the loved ones.—Rev. Dr. S. Edward Young, Presbyterian, Brooklyn.

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FRAZIER GIRL TO TRAINING SCHOOL

JUDGE SULLIVAN DECIDES COMMITMENT IS THE BEST POLICY

Shortly before 6 o'clock last evening, after a trial which lasted all day, Judge Sullivan of East Grand Forks decided that Drucilla Frazier charged with incorrigibility should be committed to the state training school at Red Wing, where her younger sister Sarah already is confined.

The girl took the decision in a stoical manner and had little to say. She was placed under $500 bonds until committed, and as this was not furnished was brought to Crookston last evening by Deputy Sheriff Sullivan.

The girl herself was placed on the stand yesterday and admitted everything she had testified to with regard to the Abner Brown case in Grand Forks. She also gave some interesting facts regarding S. H. Pratt alais Smith, alias Jones. The girl told how Pratt passed her off as his daughter. hired her out at the hotels where he stopped and applied what she earned on his board bill. Drucilla said he told her he was getting 75 per cent commission on his liquor sales, but says she knews he secured the money he had by forgery. Pratt told her at one town that her name was to be Smith and at another town that her name would be Jones while they were staying there.

Contrary to former reports it was learned yesterday that Drucilla Frazier will not be 16 years of age until some time next May. She first met Abner Brown when she was between 13 and 14 years of age. Sarah Frazier already at the training school, has written that she likes the place and is not anxious to come back home. The girls are to be kept at the school for two years, and longer if the school authorities think best. It is believed that the younger child Lucile has been sufficiently impressed by the way her two sisters have been dealt with to follow the straight and narrow path for some time at least.

A VICTIM OF TUBERCULOSIS

BADGER, MINN. MAN WILL BE LAID TO REST AT MIDDLE GROVE

Ole Anderson of Badger, Minn., died at the home of his brother-in-law R. J. Folven in Blooming township, Sunday morning, aged 26 years. The deceased leaves a mother and two brothers in Greenbush, Mrs. Forsman, Albert and Andrew and a brother and sister at Mekinock, Iver Anderson and Mrs. R. J. Folven. Death was due to tuberculosis. He had been ill for four months. The funeral services will be held in Middle Grove church. Thursday, at 2 p. m. Rev. Hjertaas will conduct the services.

TO DIVIDE LARGE HALLOCK FARM

OWNER OF FARM PROPERTY DECIDES UPON A WISE MOVE

Dr. E. C. Borley who is the owner of the farm west of Hallock, generally known as the Kelso farm intends to divide the large farm up into three or four smaller farms and has already made plans for a residence to be built on each of these farms, including barns, granaries, etc. With good buildings erected on these farms he wil have no trouble in finding purchasers. This is an example which would be a good idea for other farmers to follow who have more land than they can properly handle.

GRAND FORKS COLLEGE MEET

MEMBERS OF DIRECTORATE FROM CROOKSTON ATTEND

Today a corporation meeting of Grand Forks College is in session at that city and some important matters will be considered. Among the directors who attended from this section are Judge A. Grindeland of Warren, Rev. Aastad of Thief River Falls, Mr. Digstad of St. Hilaire and Rev. Salveson and O. O. Christianson from this city.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

CITY FATHERS FAIL TO ELECT ALDERMAN

RESIGNATION OF ALDERMAN ZERRACHER ACCEPTED BUT A DEADLOCK OCCURRED OVER A SUCCESSOR FROM SECOND WARD—MESSRS. J. D. BALL AND A. E. MORCK ON FINAL BALLOTS RECEIVED 4 VOTES EACH—DEADLOCK APT TO CONTINUE FOR SOME TIME—CONSIDERABLE ROUTINE BUSINESS DISPOSED OF—BOBBY HUFFMAN HAS A JUST GRIEVANCE

From Wednesday's Daily—

At the meeting of the city council last evening there was a deadlock over the election of a succesor to Alderman B. F. Zerracher from the Second ward, whose resignation was read and the seat declared vacant as provided by the charter. Alderman Zerracher has removed to Minneapolis and his seat is apparently hard to fill. J. D. Ball received four votes on each ballot, there being four scattering votes the first ballot, going to C. Reidesel, John Heldstab, J. F. Hetler and N. P. Stone respectively and A. E. Morck receiving the other four votes on the second and each succeeding ballot, Ball getting the other four. After repeated ballots in which Messrs. Ball and Morck received 4 votes each the seat was left vacant and other business taken up.

Bobby Huffman Protests

During the session an unusual circumstance developed in the petition of R. L. Huffman to have his personal property taxes reduced. It appears that he has been paying taxes on a piano for the previous five years and never owned one, or had one on the premises. He discovered the fact last year and the assessor was notified, but the assessment on the piano bobbed up serenely again this year and Mr. Huffman protests.

Others Want Assessment lowered

Carl Nelson also asked to have his assessment reduced $50, claiming that he had been raised $49 over last year and that he had been assessed $1 for a dog when he had none.

S. H. Peterson asked for a reduction of $85 on his assessment and August Linden also wanted a reduction. All applications were referred to the finance committee.

Cement Bid Tabled

As there was but one bid submitted for the cement work to be done by the city it was tabled unopened, as the council wants more than one bid before they will be considered, even if it comes from outside contractors.

Will be Sent West

The Thibedeau family which has been receiving aid from the city will probably be sent west. A relative proposed to Poor Commissioner Sargent to pay half of the R. R. fare for the family to Idaho where relatives will assist them, if the city will pay the other half. Alderman Sargent was authorized to use his own discretion in the matter and he will send them.

New Plumbing Co.

The bonds of Howie and Anderson who will operate the Queen City Plumbing and Heating Co. were approved and license granted. This concern will open for business about March 1st in the building on North Broadway formerly occupied by the Vesterheimen and Crookston Press. In the meantime they will be found at the Cleveland hotel for any work desired.

The bond of A. A. Glennfi housemover and City Justice Fulton were also approved.

Hydrant Tampered With

The Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., in a communication complained that a city hydrant was being tampered with and the matter was referred to the Light and Hydrant and Fire committees for investifation.

On motion it was decided to have the interest earnings on the special paving fund credited to that fund in future.

INFLUENCE FOR GOOD

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MOVEMENT HAS EXERTED WORLD WIDE INFLUENCE

VISIT OF STATE SECRETARY HOWELL TODAY AND TOMORROW IMPORTANT

From Wednesday's Daily—

The visit of Secretary Howells of the Minnesota Endeavor Union calls to mind the significant history of that great movement among Young People. Organized twenty-eight years ago by a Congregational pastor in Portland, Me., it has grown to numbers past recording. [illegible],000 societies in every country on the globe are included under the "C. E." banner. The World's C. E. Convention is to be held in 1909 in the city of Agra, India which suggests the changes that are taking place in far off lands.

This is an Inter-denominational movement and has had great effect in promoting mutual confidence, fellowship and co-operation between the different churches while honoring the special opinions and methods of these denominations.

A tendency in the direction of denominational young people's societies caused the separation of the larger portion of the Methodist youth under the Epworth League, the Baptists in the B. Y. P. U. and the Lutheran in their Lutheran League but that tendency has been to a considerable extent checked and already there are signs of a return to the original unity of the Christian youth of the world. The latest example of this was the recent action of the United Brethren Societies which added the name Christian Endeavor to their denominational name bringing over 83,000 recruits to the C. E. ranks.

The International Convention for the United States and Canada is coming close to us, being set for St. Paul in July 1909. This will be one of the greatest meeting the state will have this year. These gatherings occur every two years, the last being at Seattle, with several Crookstonians in attendance.

The conference and rally to be held there tonight at the Presbyterian church and tomorrow night at the Congregational church are for the purpose of developing acquaintance with the methods and spirit of this movement.

GRAFTON MAN WOUNDS SELF

CHARLES UHLER WILL DIE FROM INJURY INFLICTED WHILE DESPONDENT

UHLER PAYS BILLS BUYS REVOLVER AND SHOOTS SELF IN HIS ROOM

From Wednesday's Daily—

Charles Uhler a farmer of Walsh county whose home is in Grafton shot himself in the head with a revolver yesterday forenoon and inflicted a fatal wound. The bullet entered his right ear.

Uhler had been despondent over his financial affairs. He had been obliged to give up his farming operations recently. Last summer he sustained a sunstroke and since then he has not been exactly sane.

Yesterday forenoon Uhler cashed a check for $10 at a bank and purchased a revolver at a hardware store. He went around town and settled several bills he owed, including one for livery rig which he had used the day previous. He went to his rooms, over a restaurant and shot himself. His wife found him in a pool of blood.

Dr. Glaspell was summoned and cared for the wounded man. He was unconscious following the shooting, until early today. He has no chance of recovery it is believed.

He has a wife and one child.

LENTEN SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

ANNUAL SEASON OF FASTING AND ABSTINENCE ENDS ON APRIL 11

Today is Ash Wednesday the first day of Lent and during the day will held in the Christ's, Catholic, and Episcopal churches and several of the other churches.

The season of fasting and abstinence will continue until Easter Sunday which falls on April 11 this year.

GUS HANSON IS NOT YET FOUND

CLAIM OF WARREN MAN THAT HE IS IN AN INSANE HOSPITAL IS DECLARED BASELESS—WETTENSTINE ADMITS THAT HE BASED HIS CLAIM ON THE FACT THAT MAN WAS SENT FROM RAMSEY COUNTY TO AN ASYLUM AT FERGUS FALLS—CLAIMED $100 REWARD FOR HIS INFORMATION—WHEREABOUTS STILL A MYSTERY

Employes of Hanson Bros'. Pool and billiard hall in Grand Forks investigated the claim of Commissioner Wettenstnie of Warren, Minn., that he knew the whereabouts of Gustave Hanson and last night it was given out that the missing Grand Forks man had not been located. Questioned by telephone the Warren man stated that Hanson had not been in Warren lately but had been committed from Ramsey county to the asylum at Fergus Falls. As the police had been notified to look out for Hanson it would have been impossible for him to have been locked up on an insanity charge without identification.

Ole Hanson was in communication with employes last evening, and he agreed that the claim of the Warren man was baseless. Gus has a claim some where in the vicinity of Warren but he was penniless when he escaped from private hospital in Minneapolis and in his demneted condition would have found it impossible to board a train and escape identification.

Claims the Reward

Yesterday forenoon Wettenstine called up Chief Overby from Warren and declared that he knew where Gus Hanson could be found. He claimed the $100 reward offered by Ole Hanson As the chief understood Wettenstine the missing Grand Forks man had been sent from Warren to the asylum at Fergus Falls.

The police of the twin cities have been busily engaged in making a search for Hanson, and his brother, Ole has been in Minneapolis following up every clue possible. He inserted advertisements in the twin city newspapers, offering $100 reward for information in regard to the whereabouts of his brother and Commissioner Wittenstine saw the advertisement.

Insane Since July

Gus became insane last year. It was at the time the fair was in progress last July that it was noticed he was unbalanced. He insisted that the gas company's big chimney was going to fall and made other odd predictions. Ole took him to Minneapolis and placed him in a private hospital. He failed to improve and it was considered probable he wolud have to be taken to an asylum about the time he made his escape. Ole fears he has perished somewhere on the prarie, as no trace of him can be found.

THE BEST FRUIT FOR RED RIVER VALLEY

List adopted by the Minnesota State Horticultural Society Dec. 3, 1908 for the guidance of planters in Minnesota:

Apples

Of the first degree of hardiness: Duchess, Hibernal, Patten's Greening, Okabena.

Of the second degree of hardiness: Wealthy, Malinda, Anisim, Iowa Beauty, University.

Most profitable varieties for commercial planting in Minnesota: Wealthy, Duchess, Patten's Greening, Okabena, Anisim.

Varieties for trial: Salome, Eastman, Yellow Sweet, Milwaukee, Newell's, Lowland Raspberry, Jewell's Winter, Gilbert, Evelyn, Windsor Chief.

Valuable in some locations: Wolf River, McMahon, Yellow Transparent, Longfield, Northwestern Greening, Charlamoff, Peerless, Teofsky.

Crabs and Hybrids

For general cultivation: Florence, Whitney, Early Strawberry, Minnesota, Sweet Russett, Transcendent.

Varieties for trial:

Faribault, Shields.

Plums

For general cultivation:

DeSota, Wyant, Stoddard, Wolf (freestone) Forest Garden, Surprise.

Varieties for trial:

New Ulm, Brittlewood, Campass, Cherry, Terry.

Grapes

First degree of hardiness: Janesville Beta.

Second degree of hardiness: Moore's Early, Brighton, Deleware, Worden, Agawam, Concord, Moore's Diamond.

Raspberries

Red varieties: King, Turner's Miller, Loudon, Minnetonka Ironclad.

Blackberries

Ancient Briton, Snyder, Eldorado.

Currants

Red Dutch, White Grape, Victoria, Long Bunch Holland, North Star, Pomona, Red Cross, Perfection, London Market.

Gooseberries

Houghton, Downing, Champion, Carrie, Pearl.

Strawberries

Perfect varieties: Bederwood, Enahnce, Lovett, Splendid, Glen Mary, Clyde, Senator Dunlap.

Imperfect varieties: Crescent, Warfield, Haverland.

Native Fruits

Valuable for trial. Dwarf Juneberry Sand Cherry, Buffalo Berry, High Bush Cranberry.

The above list was prepared for the use of the public at the last annual meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society, and represents the results of present experience in Minnesota in the growing of fruits as regards what varieties may best be planted.

This society is supported by the state from public taxation and has no other purpose than to acquire information on horticultural subjects and disseminate it among the people of the state. To assist in this purpose the society publishes monthly a magazine of 40 pages called "The Minnesota Horticulturalist" which is sent to its members and furnishes its members also a bound volume of over 500 pages entitled "Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota" and also some plant premiums for experimental purposes.

Anyone may become a member for one year upon the payment of the annual fee of $1.

A number of valuable premiums for few varieties of seedling fruits are offered by this society.

Fuller information on these subjects and a sample copy of the magazine will be sent to all applicants, Address and remit to A. W. Latham, Secretary 207 Kasota Blk. Minneapolis, Minn.

Destroy The Fish Destroyers

A bill has been introduced in the senate which has for its object the destruction of carp, dog fish, garfish and suckers. The idea is commendable if the state wishes to save the bass and pike but the bill has its objections in the method provided to carry out its provisions.

The bill provides that after licensing responsible parties to seine such fish they shall do so under the supervision of a duly appointed deputy game warden and the party securing the license "shall pay such deputy $2.50 for each day so employed."

This is the wrong method. Such deputy should be paid directly by the state game and fish commission, so that the deputy may act independently and without any obligation to the licensed seiner. But the licensed party should be made to pay directly to the commission the per diem due the deputy by depositing a sum in advance to cover the time expected to be consumed by the licensed seiner in completing his work.

The object of this bill is to exterminate from the lakes of Minnesota the fish that destroy the gamesters, and there should be no favoritism shown the seiner in permitting him to take other than rough fish which might, and probably would, be the case, if the deputy looked to the licensed seiner for his compensation.

The bill should also provide that no person may be eligible to the office of deputy game warden who has ever been convicted of the violation of any of the state laws.

The compensation provided in this bill, for deputies to supervise the seining seems hardly adequate, and might well be increased, in view of the fact that better service would thereby be secured. The purpose of the bill—the destruction of carp—is a good one, and the sooner an effective law is in operation the better it will be for the preservation of the game fish.—St. Paul Dispatch.

NEW TRIAL IS DENIED

VERDICT OF $5,000 FOR HALLOCK'S BOY'S INJURIES IS SUSTAINED

CASE WAS TRIED AT FERGUS FALLS—BOY MAY GO INSANE

From Saturday's Daily—

Judge Page Morris of the United States Federal Court at Duluth has just handed down a decision denying a new trial in the case of James Wallin against the Duluth Elevator Co.

The case was started in the Kittson Co., district court but was transferred to the federal court on motion of the defendant and was tried at Fergus Falls where a verdict of $5,000 was returned for the plaintiff.

The elevator company at once filed a motion for a new trial and after considerable delay, owing to a trip south for his health Judge Morris ,before whom the case was tried denied the motion.

The defendants still have recourse to an appeal to the United States Court of Appeals at St. Louis, but no appeal has yet been taken.

James Wallin ,the plaintiff was injured in the Duluth Elevator at Chatham a private siding just this side of Hallock. The foundation of the elevator gave way, and the company hired a crew of men, among whom was young Wallin to empty the bins, and the grain was being carried out in bushel baskets when a board from the roof fell and struck Wallin on the head.

Physicians from Fergus Falls, and the asylum physicians at that place testified that they believed that the victim of the accident would become insane, but Dr. C. E. Dampier of this city disagreed with that opinion.

Attorney Chas. Loring of this city represented the plaintiff in the case, and the denial for a new trial will be very interesting news to the people on the St. Vincent line where Wallin is very well known, and where much sympathy is felt regarding his unfortunate accident.

PROF. DUNTON IS WELL PLEASED

HEAD OF McINTOSH SCHOOLS SATISFIED WITH PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Prof. A. M. Dunton of the McIntosh Schools who made a trip to St. Paul has returned from St. Paul where he interviewed the members of the legislature in regard to the passing of a law which would permit the rural schools to associate themselves with the village school for the purpose of assisting in maintaining courses in agriculture, manual training and home economics in the High School and of extending the influence and supervision of the central school over the rural schools.

He reports that a number of bills have been drawn by independent parties and there has been so far no atempt to work out a state system.

Thru the courtesy of Sen. Stephens Prof. Dunton was permitted to address a meeting of senators and representatives interested in the different bills. As a result of this meeting it was decided to appoint a committee of five from each house to consider the different bills and frame a state system.

There is every reason to believe that a satisfactory solution of the matter will be reached and that the legislation needed for the carrying on of the work here will be secured.

AGED MOTHER BROKE HER LIMB

Mrs. P. K. Haselrud and H. M. Fenrite returned this morning from Madison, Minn., where they were called by a serious accident to their mother who about ten days ago while walking on the side walk started for the middle of the street where there was less snow and as she stepped off the walk fell and broke her limb just below the hip joint. As she is 67 years of age the accident is a very serious one, and to make it worse the physician first called did not discover the fracture, and it was not till the next day after she had been taken to the hospital that the physicians there on examination discovered the fracture, the two ends of the broken bone being overlapped about an inch. The limb was placed in a plaster cast and the patient is doing as well as could be expected but it will be a week before any definite decision can be made.

PROGRAM WAS ELABORATE

COLONIAL DAYS WERE RE-CALLED BY FUNCTION AT STRANDER HOME

PROGRAM WAS FINE AND MARTHA AND GEORGE MADE A DECIDED HIT

From Saturday's Daily—

The Washington's birthday social held by the Opportunity Club of the Presbyterian church at the C. C. Strander home last evening was one of the most elaborate and successful social functions of that character ever held in Crookston. Every detail was carried out to a nicety, decorations, program and refreshments all being in perfect harmony.

When the guests arrived they were ushered in the front entrance by a colored servant who was all courtesy and a second colored footman directed the, guests up-stairs where their wraps were disposed of.

Upon descending the stairway and entering the parlor they were greeted by George and Martha Washington, and the makeups they were reflected colonial days to a nicety. Ray Young impersonated George Washington splendidly wearing a wig, bow, knee breeches etc., while Miss Inga Dahl, Mrs. Strander's sister took the part of Martha splendidly, wearing a Dolly Varden Gown with Watteau pleats behind and other colonial "duds". George took special pains to kiss the hand of each lady, but the gentlemen were given no such a treat by Martha.

A very entertaining program was then rendered, every number being heartily encored and the performers compelled to respond. A colord quintette consisting of Messrs. Ross Chesterman, Harry Chesterman, Geo. Pietsch, Byron Leick and Chas. Rapin sang several times during the evening and could not sing often enough to suit those present. Miss Helen Strander gave a piano solo which was very fine and Geo. Pietsch sang a "coon" song with quartette chorus which made a hit. Byron Leick rendered an exceptionally fine piano solo "Dawn" which was followed after he responded to an encore, by a very fine piano solo by Miss Andrews. A vocal duet by Mrs. Young and Ray Young was also greatly enjoyed.

A parlor farce "Katrina and Hans" was put on by Miss Lucy Lofthouse and Roy Wilde who did exceptionally well, Roy being one of the most insistent lovers Crookston has ever known, but he fell into a trap laid by the cunning Katrina and made love to her in a different make-up and was denounced when she threw off her mask. At about this juncture Katrina's mother (Mrs. M. Phalen) appeared on the scene and the way she chased the fickle Hans about the room made the guests dodge for cover.

The rooms were very artistically and effectively decorated with red and white hatchets and the affair thruout including very fine refreshments was a signal success.

MRS. BARLOW DIES OF WOUNDS

VICTIM OF SELF-INFLICTED INJURY KNOWN HERE AS MISS EDITH COCHRANE

Mrs. B. A. Barlow wife of the assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Park River who shot herself with a revolver Tuesday is dead as a result of the wound inflicted. The bullet from the revolver entered close to her heart.

Former Resident

Mrs. Barlow was a resident of Crookston for several years before her marriage. She was Miss Edith Cochrane.

EBBIGHAUSEN NAMED BOILER INSPSCTOR

GOV. JOHNSON APPOINTS MEMBER OF CROOKSTON AUTO CO. TO POSITION

Gov. Johnson has announced the names of the boiler inspectors for Minnesota to serve the ensuing two years and the list includes the name of Chas. Ebbighausen of this city, who is the expert machinist for the Crookston Automobile Co., at N. P. Stone & Co's., and can handle both positions to a nicety, being thordly qualified.

Nils Johnson is named as the boiler inspector for Marshall Co.

An absent-minded man seldom forgets his troubles.

One way to get out of a tight place is to sober up.

FAIR MADE PERMANENT

CLEARWATER COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY HELD MEETING AND

ELECTED OFFICERS—WILL ERECT BUILDINGS THIS YEAR AT BAGLEY

The Clearwater County Agricultural society held a very enthusiastic and well attended meeting last evening at Bagley at which it was decided to hold a county fair next fall.

At this meeting the association decided to make the fair a permanent institution for Clearwater county and appointed T. K. Berglund, H. C. Peterson, O. T. Davids, E. H. Reff and Jerome Thayer as a committee to oversee the purchasing of grounds and erecting the proper buildings thereon, they to report at a meeting to be held April 3nd.

L. Jensen, F. S. Kalberg and E. H. Reff were appointed a committee to draft a suitable set of by-laws. A committee on membership was appointed and they will commence an active canvas for the association. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Pres., L. Jenson; Vice Presidents, George French, H. G. Larson, Gilbert Tollefson and C. O. Teigland; Secretary, F. S. Kalberg; Treasurer, E. H. Reff; Directors L. Jensen, John A. Wick, O. T. Davids, George French, Oscar T. Stenwick, C. C. Teigland, Jerome Thayer, A. Kaiser, Oscar Barness H. G. Larson, O. K. Berglund, Julius Stromme, Theodore Welte, Martin Heinzelman, Gilbert Thompson, F. S. Kalberg, H. C. Peterson, L. O. Jacobson and D. M. Wethern.

The Clearwater county fairs have done considerable towards advertising the resources of Clearwater county and it is the intention of the members of the association that the coming fair will be the best ever held in the county.

WARRENITE WAS BADLY INJURED

W. L. Officer of Warren met with a mishap yesterday afternoon that is likely to keep him on the invalid list for a little while. He was driving from Angus to Warren when the bridle bit came apart in the horses' mouth leaving him unable to guide or control the animal. Afraid that his sleigh might at any moment be upset and he himself thrown down, he decided to jump out when the horse started to "hit up" his speed. In jumping he sustained a very severe sprain of one of his ankles. Fortunately another rig bound for Warren came upon the scene at this juncture and took Mr. Officer aboard and took him to town where a physician gave him the attention his injuries required. For a few days at least he will find it convenient to use a pair of crutches in his travels.

PRESIDENT-ELECT TAFT A MASTER MASON

Masons thruout the country are interested in the fact that William H. Taft president-elect of the United States is a master mason. The impressive ceremony which brought him this distinction Thursday was conducted by Charles S. Hoskinson, "the most worshipful grand master of the grand lodge of the most ancient and honorable fraternity of Fre and Accepted Masons of the state of Ohio."

The highest Masonic authorities of 17 states witnessed Mr. Taft's admission into the order. as did a body of men represnting distinguished citizens of Cincinnati and members of Kilwinning lodge of which Alfonso Taft father of the president elect, was a member and in which Charles P. Taft was inducted under the auspices of his father. Scottish rite cathedral, an ancient edifice devoted to the higher degrees of masonry, was the scene of the ceremonies. Its main floor and gallery were filled when the distinguished candidate arrived. The procedure which culminated in the declaration that Mr. Taft was a mason, occupied about 35 minutes.

As a mason Mr. Taft's appreciation was of his father's character as such and of his own regret that the delay had been so long in his own case, and a rejoicing that his brother, „Charles P., who was present had been made a mason under the tutelage of Alfonso Taft. Mr. Taft received many greetings on a new plane of fellowship as he was escorted from the hall by the committee having in charge his initiation.

McINTOSH TIMES SOLD

C. T. LANMAN PIONEEER EDITOR OF POLK COUNTY SELLS HIS PAPER

G. T. ENGLUND OF ALEXANDRIA IS NEW EDITOR AND PUBLISHER

From Saturday's Daily—

The following statement is made in this week's issue of the McIntosh Times by Editor C. T. Lanman, one of the veteran editors of Polk County, and whose retirement will be regretted by a large circle of friends in the newspaper fraternity thruout this section.

"With this issue the Times passes from the control of the writer into the hands of G. T. Englund of Alexandria who has already taken possession and will remove his family here as soon as suitable quarters can be secured.

"While a stranger to this community Mr. Englund comes to us with references and credentials that leave no question as to his integrity, or his ability to give our readers and patrons a paper that will be a credit to both himself and the community and we bespeak for him the hearty co-operation and support of all our friends and patrons.

"As to ourselves we have little to say at this time. For upward of twenty years we have faithfully endeavored to give the community as good a paper as the conditions would warrant, and we can now truthfully say that we retire with a clean conscience, malice towards none, and good will to all.

"Our future is yet unsettled, almost unthought of. For the present our hands will be fully occupied closing up our past business relations and looking after our somewhat extensive real estate interests. Later we hope to so arrange matters as to engage in business in this community.

"In closing we wish to again sincerely thank our friends and patrons for such support and co-operation as they have given us, and to bespeak for the new proprietor an even greater measure of prosperity than we have ourselves enjoyed."

ICE CREAM AT WARREN CREAMERY

The stockholders of the Warren creamery held their annual election this week and chose the following-named officers for the ensuing year: John W. Thomas, president; C. W. Abrahamson vice president; H. J. March, secretary; C. A. Tullar, ,treasurer; E. Springmier, director.

The reports of the officers for the two years ending Feb. 3, 1909, made a most excellent showing and one that was very satisfactory to the stockholders. The net profits earned by the creamery during the two years averaged more than twelve per cent. The business done is constantly on the increase and the profits to the investors will be yet greater the coming year.

The Warren Creamery Company is soon to put in a plant for manufacturing ice cream in connection with their butter making industry. The necessary machinery has been purchased and is now enroute. On its arrival it will be installed and, as rapidly as possible, everything will be gotten in readiness for the manufacture of ice cream. This move has been contemplated for a long time and needed only the endorsement of a general meeting of the stockholders, which it has now received, to get it under way. The company believes it will prove a paying proposition.

BOOKS AUDITED AND FOUND O.K.

The board of directors of the Northern Minnesota Poultry Ass'n met during the past week and audited the books of the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, and all accounts were found to be in excellent shape.

All the bills of the Association have been paid, with some cash still in the treasury, and in addition the association this year had $75 worth of cooping constructed, which is an asset and next year will have as much more done in the same line.

The association fully appreciates what the business men did in the way of co-operation last year and promise that next year the show will be bigger and better than ever.

Mrs. Mitchell, the secretary states that every exhibitor who showed birds here this winter, has signified his intention of having birds here next winter, and many more will also have an exhibit.

FULLY EQUIPPED FOR MODERN MERCHANDISING

Over $12,000 Will Be Expended In Making New Store Most Modern Department Store In Northwest.

Contract Awarded At Once And Remodelling Will Be Completed May 1. Model Of Convenience And Beauty.

Geo. Wright of the Wright-Carpenter Co., returned this morning from St. Paul where yesterday all arrangements were completed with Messrs. Wm. Anglim and Fontaine for the complete remodelling of the New Store which with the new interior fixtures will cost $12000 and make the New Store the most modernly equipped department store in the northwest. There will be some that are larger, but none more convenient or with as many modern conveniences.

Occupy Three Floors

The New Store will occupy the same space in the grocery department as at present, and that portion of the building will not be altered at presnt The portion occupied by the clothing and drygoods department, however, will be used including a full modernly equipped basement and the second story as well, all the offices being removed and everything made strictly modern as on the first floor.

Handsome New Front

The plans drawn by Architect B. D. Keck call for a magnificent new front which will be very beautiful with a marble base, and solid plate glass for the front of the 50 feet occupied by the clothing and dry goods departments. The second story windows will also be enlarged giving ample light for that department.

All in One Room

The brick wall that now separates the clothing and dry goods departments will be removed and those two departments including the shoe department will be in one immense room The front entrance will be in the center the present stairway being from the street removed together with the present stairway in the rear.

Handsome Balcony

A 14 foot balcony extending across the entire rear of the room, 7 feet high will be constructed the north end of which will be used for office purposes the cashier, etc., and the south end will be utilized as a parlor, with every appointment modern and beautiful providing the ladies with a place to rest at intervals during their shopping.

Broad Stairway

The stairway to the balcony will be located in the center of the building and from the balcony a second stairway will lead to the second floor. The under part of the latter stairway will be handsomely pannelled, and beneath the first flight will be the stairway leading to the basement.

The Shoe Department

The shoe department will be located clear across the rear of the building underneath the balcony and on each side as far as the balcony projects, giving ample room. A row of fine chairs, facing the rear will be used in this department, replacing the benches formerly used, thus affording the patrons a greater degree of privacy.

A Fine Basement

The basement will be well lighted and will have a cement floor. The regular rest room will be located here It will be large and commodious, with hard wood floor and every convenience for the ladies from the country who wish to leave their children there their wraps or bundles. The ladies and gents toilets will also be located in the basement.

In addition to the stairway at the rear, another broad stairway will lead to the basement from the front entrance turning to the south, and it will be protected by a beautifully fashioned and finished railing.

New Hardwood Floors

New hardwood floors will be laid and all the interior finishings will be new. Everything will harmonize from one end of the store to the other The back of the big plate glass display windows will be finished in quarter sawed oak and large plate glass mirors wil be placed at the ends of the front windows.

New Shelving and Cases

All the shelving will be new, and together with the display tables, the chairs and the clothing cabinets and entire inside finishing will be constructed of Washington fir with rather a dark and very beautiful stain, and the balcony will be of the same material, thus creating a very handsome effect.

The new clothing cabinets will run from the archway leading to the grocery department, back to the shoe department.

The shelving along the walls will be but 6 feet high and the balance of the shelving located in the central portion of the store will be low enough so a complete view of the entire floor can be obtained from any place in the room. Many new and handsome show cases will also be placed.

Public will be Pleased

It is the purpose of the Wright-Carpenter Co. to be in a position to extend every facility to their patrons Their business last year increased by such leaps and bounds that the heavy expenditure is fully justified and the public will certainly be pleased when the remodelling is completed, and shopping can be done surrounded by the same comforts and elegance as in St. Paul or Minneapolis.

Messrs. Fontaine and Anglim entered enthusiastically into the plan and are glad to know that Crookston is to have such a modern merchandising establishment.

Many a woman's idea of a smart gown is one that cost at least 98 cents more than her neighbor's did.

Take two parts of wind and two parts of noise, mix thoroly and you have a political debate.

Luck is Perseverance In Disguise

The man who possesses a snug bank account is considered lucky, but nine times out of ten it is the result of perseverance

If you would be lucky also, come to this bank and open an account today, then—persevere, work, save, and in a short time your luck will take the form of a cozy Bank acount.

Largest and Strongest Bank in Northern Minnesota

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.

Assets Over One Million One Hundred Thousand Dola

FARMERS ARE INTERESTED

MANY NEAR THIEF RIVER FALLS TO GO INTO POTATO RAISING BUSINESS

MEETING OF FARMERS IN THAT CITY A VERY SUCCESSFUL ONE

From Friday's Daily—

A meeting of farmers was held in Thief River Falls to consider the proposition of going into potato raising on an extensive scale in that vicinity Organization was perfected by the election of J. O. Thorstad president and Peter Engelstad secretary.

Short talks upon the subject were made by E. L. Quist, Supt. J. H. Hay, O. J. Schei, Walter Quist and C. M. Evenson. It appeared to be the unanimous opinion of all that there was good money to be made in the raising of potatoes and quite a number of farmers signified a willingness to go into this branch of farming quite extensively next spring. A committee consisting of Walter Quist, S. O. Lee and Fred Copp was apponited to select a suitable seed. This committee will investigate the various varieties and report at a meeting to be held later.

It is the intention if possible to secure at some time in the future an expert potato raiser to come to Thief River Falls and address the farmers upon the subject of potato raising.

The idea is a good one and a similar meeting in Crookston would be a good thing.

Kill the Canadian Thistle

Canada thistles are a very persistent weed, hence are destroyed with a good deal of hard work. Late fall plowing is severe on all weeds that are propagated from roots that water in the soil. A spring fallow every week with a spring tooth harrow continued till June will destroy many of the roots. Plant to corn and dont allow a thistle to grow during the summer. Use a surface cultivator with steel points or sweeps which will cut the thistles of just below the surface. Use a sharp hoe about the hills of corn. Small patches may be destroyed by keeping them cut with a hoe or spade The roots cannot live if the tops are kept from growing.—N. W. Agriculturist.

VETERAN DEAD; LEAVES LARGE FAMILY

FATHER OF 19 CHILDREN PASSES AWAY NEAR NEW YORK MILLS

The will of Jos. W. Rogers whose death occurred in the vicinity of New York Mills on Feb. 12 was presented for probate in the court in Fergus Falls Wednesday. The estate is valued at $300 in personal property and $10,000 in real estate. Albert Kimball and Fred Cole are named as executors.

Mr. Rogers was a veteran of the civil war and was 74 years of age at the time of his death, which was due to rheumatism. He was the father of 19 children, of whom 15 are living. His first wife the mother of fourteen of his children, has been dead for about 20 years. He was married again a few years ago and leaves a young wife with five small children, who were with him at the time of his death also three of his older sons. The other children are scattered in different parts of the country.

The will names only ten of the children as heirs.

NINE BIRDS WON SEVEN PRIZES

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mitchell have just received returns from the St. Paul Poultry show. They sent 9 birds to this show and the judges awarded them seven prizes nowithstanding the competition was very sharp. These were not the birds sent to the Duluth show, a separate lot of 25 having been shipped to Duluth, where many prizes were also won. This ends the poultry shows in Minnesota for the present winter. Following are the prizes they were awarded: Bearder Silver Polish—1, 2, 3 Pullet.

S. C. Buff Leghorns, 1st and 2nd hen and 1st pullet.

W. F. Black Spanish, 2nd pullet.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Sold by all druggists.

THIEF RIVER BANK SOLD

W. W. PRICHARD DISPOSES OF HIS INTERESTS IN THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

H. C. AND ALFRED AAMOTH OF MAHNOMEN ARE THE NEW PROPRIETORS

From Friday's Daily—

A business deal has been closed at Thief River Falls whereby H. C. and Alfred Aamoth of Mahnomen, became the owners of the stock in the First National Bank of that city formerly held by W. W. Pichard. Mr. Pichard also disposes of his residence in Thief River to the Messrs. Aamoth.

The new proprietors have had years of experience in the banking business having lately been the owners of a bank at Mahnomen which they sold last summer. Alfred Aamoth is the county auditor of Mahnomen county and will not be actively connected with the bank until his term of office expires but H. C. Aamoth who is at present in the west, will arrive in a few days and take active charge of the institution.

Mr. Prichard and his family will remove to Tacoma, Wash., where Mr. Prichard will engage in the lumber business. Mr. Prichard is at present in Tacoma.

WILL BUILD A NEW BREWERY

MANAGER RASMUSSEN OF HAMM BREWERY LEFT FOR BEAUDETTE TODAY

Manager John Rasmussen left this morning for Beaudette where the Hamm Brewing Co., is to erect a new cold storage plant. They completed a new one but a few weeks ago but fire broke out in the old storage plant there and both buildings were burned to t hrodueg hrdluetaoinshrdluetaoin to the ground. Work on the new building will be commenced at once and rushed to an early completion.

SHOCK HEAVIEST LOSER IN FIRE

ROADMASTER OF GREAT NORTHERN IS OUT MANY VALUABLE CURIOS

Some of the railroad employes who used the upper portion of the Great Northern depot at Larimore as rooming places lost quite heavily in the fire. L. J. Trudeau agent, lost about $300 worth of furnishings and clothing. Frank Lee wife and children, lost everything in the way of clothing and furniture. They are out about $500. Lee is car clerk. Milo Shock roadmaster, is the heaviest loser. He had his rooms fitted up in fine shape and $900 is a conservative estimate Among other things he had four elks' heads which were valued at $100 each.

The loss of express and baggage was so little that the company's local officials considered it not worth putting in figures. All the records and tickets were saved.

FIRST SHIPMENT OF BRIDGE STEEL

The first shipment of steel for the new Sampson's Bridge arrived this morning and teams have been busy all day hauling it to the approach on this side of the river. The balance will be here in a few days and the placing of the big span will soon be completed after which the balance of the work will be finished in short order.

Albert Lea Standard: The more you read Governor Johnson's message about Minnesota the more inspiration it gives to every citizen and to every young man, especially to share in its progress and glory. He tells of 200,000 farmers tilling 25,000,000 acres, but with one-half of its agricultural lands uncultivated, producing a barrel of flour and a five pound jar of gilt-edged butter for every American family and then some for export, with a railroad investment equalled by but four other states in the union and with an iron deposit in sight that one-fourth of the whole world's supply—and that this is only a hint of what is contained in his eloquent exposition.

Mankato Free Press: The coal man and the ice man are getting jealous of the egg man.

DISCUSSED THE TOURNEY

FIREMEN OF CROOKSTON HELD A SPECIAL MEETING LAST EVENING

RELIEF ASSOCIATION ELECTED OFFICERS AND DISPOSED OF BUSINESS

From Friday's Daily—

Last evening there was a special meeting of the Crookston fire department called to discuss plans in connection with the coming annual tournament of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association which will be held in Crookston the coming summer.

On motion a committee was named to act in conjunction with the committee of the Commercial Club to complete plans for the reception and proper entertainment for the visiting firemen, and the following committee was named: Chief A. J. Barrette, A. C. Schmidt, W. P. Stone and president Morris of the Relief Association.

The firemen fully realize the magnitude of the job that confronts them, and realize that nothing but the united and hearty co-operation of all citizens can make the affair a success and Crookston cannot afford to have the tourney anything less than the biggest and best one ever held in Northern Minnesota.

Four Days' Celebration

If the citizens realize what a monster gathering the tournament will bring to Crookston there will not be the least trouble in having the biggest four days celebration at Crookston that has ever been had and the benefits that will accrue are well worth all the money and time that will be necessary. The preliminary preparations must be made at once in order to avoid confusion and delay later on.

The Crookston Firemen's Relief Association also held a meeting last evening and elected officers. Thomas Morris was re-elected president and

Relief Association Officers

Thomas R. Johnstone Secretary, both having served ever since the Relief Association was organized. It is in splendid shape financially, with good fat balance in cash. Following is the complete list of officers elected

Pres.—Tom Morris.
V. P.—A. J. Barrette.
Sec.—Thos. R. Johnstone.
Treas.—F. B. Harris.
Surgeon—H. W. Smith
Trustees—A. A. Glenn, J. W. Risch A. C. Schmidt.
Finance Committee—W. P. Stone, M. Palen and L. J. Palmer.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

The reason a woman brags about what her children can do is they can't

The only person who really believes that a girl has all the suitors she thinks she has is her mother.

Unless a girl has the right kind of first name she is very superstitious over the way it may not fit in a romance.

A woman gets awfully vexed with her husband for having so little self-control as to get vexed with the children.

The hen-pecked husband has more than a peck of trouble.

This is a fast age; everythnig goes fast—especially money.

A woman is really in a hurry if she says good-by that way.

The face value of courage shows up when it faces misfortune.

Cooks may come and cooks may go, but the eating habit goes on forever.

How a lucky man does enjoy pointing with pride to his superior judgment!

After a man has acquired a million he can afford to call his waistcoat a vest.

It's surprising how much respect worthless man is capable of generating for himself.

Mr. Chas. Sirek a prominent young farmer of Tabor returned from a short visit with his brother Frank Sirek of this place last Tuesday.

Morrison County Democrat: The public is fond of fancying that Mr. Taft has the smile that won't come off, but if anything can succeed in effacing it, four years in the White House are likely to do it. We hasten to predict that in march, 1913, he will find it harder to get that the smile on than to get it off.

Northfield News: A Minneapolis judge resigns because his salary is inadequate; and a Red Wing judge has not drawn his salary for three years, and there is $14000 coming to him. Queer world.

A Doctor's Medicine

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is not a simple cough syrup. It is a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. It cures hard cases, severe and desperate cases, chronic cases of asthma, pleurisy, bronchitis, consumption. Ask your doctor about this.

"I have used a great deal of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and hard colds on the chest. It has always done me great good. It is certainly a most wonderful cough medicine."—MICHAEL J. FITZGERALD, Medford, N. J.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

You will hasten recovery by taking one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime.

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mr. Frank Taus spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn of Key Stone.

Miss Emma Giese writes from Rollette, N. D., to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ludolf Giese of Tabor, that she is much pleased with her new position and surroundings. She states Rollette is a town only three years old and has already a population of over 500.

Our little hamlet paid a glowing tribute February 12th to the memory of the immortal Abraham Lincoln on this centennial anniversary of his birth. The teachers and scholars of Districts 59 and 174 gathered in the school house of district 171. A fine programme was carried out to perfection by the scholars of Prof. B. J. O'Brien of school district 171.

Prof. O'Brien made a splendid speech and his scholars acquitted themselves in a most patriotic manner Prof. W. N. Frost of school district 174 told in a very pleasing manner some of the anecdotes of the immortal President Lincoln and to say the least his tales touched the little ones hearts Beautiful songs were rendered in a very apreciative manner by the Ladies' Quartette of Angus. Such is the way to make true patriots and noble Americans.

Carl Zak of Tabor was here on business last Saturday.

Mr. Albert Horn celebrated the anniversary of his birthday February 14. Albert is now 21 years old and has thus become a man and more than that—a proud American citizen. Mr. Horn is a young man of sterling worth and his many friends wish him a long and happy life, all of cheer and sunshine.

Mr. Elois Beadel writes to one of his friends here from Enid, Okalahoma that on January 29, the town of Carmonne was completely destroyed by fire. Carmonne has a population of about 1500 inhabitants and is a new town and the destruction wrought by the fire fiend is a particular hard blow to the people this time of the year. Mr. Beadel states: "The firemen ad citizens fought like demons, but the fearful wind and the scarcity of water made the town succumb to the inevitable.

Litle Earl Johnston is sick with a very sore throat.

Mr. D. H. Miller and Mr. E. Johnston two of the jolliest Scotties of our neighborhood were representing our humble hamlet last Monday in Warren.

Little Miss Amber Osterloh only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh is on the sick list.

Prof. Wilford Frost teacher in school district 174 meets with great success in his school. Prof. Frost possesses the happy faculty of inspiring his scholars into their studies in a pleasing manner by progressive methods.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sirek of Tabor were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. Sirek of this place.

The two youngest children of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodwin are sick with a very bad cold.

Miss Alma Horn one of the leading young ladies of Key Stone town, intends to take a course in instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gustorsmson were going to pay a visit to Mrs. K. Snelling last Monday evening. As bad luck wanted it Mr. Gustorsmson forgot his compass and consequently lost his bearings in the twilight. The first thing our friend John knew, his faithful nag returned him and his better half to his doorstep. Now John, better give your true friend an extra feed of oats or your male friends will call for Brown's Selects.

CROOKSTON SCHOOL PLEASES VISITORS

Legislators Are Entertained At Agricultural College In Northern City. New Idea Of Farm Education Proves

Big Success From The Outset. The Boys And Girls Are Trained To Make Home Life Happier.

Under the above prominent headlines on the first page of the Minneapolis Tribune in Sunday morning's issue the following special with a Crookston date line appeared. It was written by George F. Authier, special representative of the Tribune who was in Crookston with the special delegation of state senators and representatives who recently visited the Crookston School of Agriculture to get a better idea of what is being accomplished here. The Tribune article is published in full below:

(By George F. Authier)

Crookston, Minn., Feb. 21—(Special)—Minnesota is talking about some feasible plan of agricultural education Numerous plans are proposed ranging from the county school proposition advocated by former Speaker L. H. Johnson, to the district methods fathered by Senator A. D. Stephens but Crookston furnishes a concrete example of what can be done in at least one methed.

The school has been on exhibition this week and the visiting committee of legislators lead by Senator Stephens, whose home is in Crookston and who secured the original appropriation which made the school at this point possible was shown about the institution and received new ideas.

Boys' Room Tidy

The visitors were first taken into Stephens hall, and secured a glimpse of the rooms used by the boys. neat and tidy the walls ornamented with pictures in the most excellent taste, and were then later shown into the chapel room, where the morning exercises were held.

This room was so crowded with earnest young men and women who are taking the course, that it was almost impossible for the legislators to find room to sit down a condition that was used by Superintendent William Robertson as an argument for additional appropriation for an increase in the school's facilities.

There is room for a wide divergence of opinion as to the best methods of securing agricultural education but the school at Crookston is an eloquent sermon in what can be done and of the ready response which the invitation meets from the country boys and girls

The school is located just a few miles out of Crookston on the farm experiment station of the state consisting of 476.61 acres.

New Educational Idea

Here is a new idea in education. It takes cognizance of the fact that 75 per cent of the population of Minnesota is agricultural. It aims to fit the boys and girls of the farm to live on the farm. It educates to the farm rather than from itfl It gives them a good training which will help them to become better farmers. It instructs them in the right ways of living. It provides fine associations it furnishes exercise in the way of military drill and manual training. The boys are taught farm hemistry and farm botany they are instructed in soil culture and in the best methods of obtaining the most desirable results. The big state farm gives them an oportunity for experimentation and for explicit application of the things that have been learned in the school rooms.

The institution is co-educational and the girls are taught most of the subjects taught to the young men. In addition they are instructed in domestic economy, in laundering, in cooking and housekeeping.

Train Hand and Mind

It is the combined system of the education of brain and hand, with especial application to life on the farm.

From almost nothing the school has grown from a handful of pupils to its present enrollment of 119 with a faculty of seven people. Most of the equipment is inadequate but it has taught its lesson and the general verdict of the legislators who visited it was that the agricultural school had come to stay and there is no doubt but the Crookston school will receive an additional appropriation this year of generous proportions.

The course of training at the Crookston school covers three years. At its close the students have a good common school education with a special scientific education, designed to fit them for farm life, or for special work in the state agricultural college. That the course of instruction is liberal as well as specific is indicated by the following list of subjects furnished by Professor Robertson; Agricultural chemistry, agricultural physics, agriculture, algebra, blacksmithing, breeding, carpentry, civics, cooking, dairying, domestic chemistry, domestic hygiene, drawing, dressing and curing meats, entomology and zoology, English, farm accounts, farm mathematics farm botany, feeding, field crops, forestry, fruit growing, plane geometry, handling grain and machinery, home economy, home management, household art, laundering, military drill, music, sewing, social culture, soils and fertilizers, stock judging, study of breeds and vegetable gardening.

The student who has mastered these courses should be in position to make a good farmer or to make a good farmer's wife, and that is the aim kept in view in the course of instruction.

Boys are Happy

The rooms in which the boys live are triumphs of cleanliness and good housekeeping. Two ocupy a room, each being furnished a separate bed and everything is kept as neat and clean as it could be kept by the most exacting housewife or mother.

The aim is to give the boys and girls home life as a home should be. It is demonstrated that the most advanced conveniences can be furnished on the farm as in the towns. Windmills furnish water, gasoline engines furnish power and heat, sewage and drainage is installed and a daily example is given the pupils that farm life can be made just as convenient, just as enjoyable and just as delightful as residence anywhere.

That the students enjoy themselves is shown by their happy faces, their confident bearing and in the earnest way in which they go about their daily tasks.

Surrounding the two main buildings are the farm barns, and the blacksmith and carpentry shops. In these shops the boys are taught manual training. They are taught to artifice in wood and iron, to make their own repairs, to forge simple tools out of iron and to do the necessary and ordinary carpentry work that may come up about a farm.

They like the work and take to it with an avidity and eagerness that is good to see.

Fine Stock in the Barns

In the barns are kept the finest breeds of cattle, hogs and sheep and the boys are taught to care for and judge stock, to experiment in dairying and in every other form of farm endeavor.

The poultry barn contains some of the finest breeds of chickens and the boys are taught to make the best out of the feather breeds.

The girls are taught cooking, sewing laundering and other household duties and it would do the average citizen of Minnesota a great deal of good if he could see these girls with faces bright and flushed working out some simple lesson in cookery. Their dresses are neat and adapted to their work and their duties are made a joy and pleasure.

One of the gallant legislators remarked that only the fact that he was a married man, kept him from coming to the Crookston school to pick out a life partner and the charming appearance of the girls induced the legislators to the belief that it might be a good place for the unmarried members of the law making body to spend their vacations.

Students from Country

And the boys and girls taking this coure are bona fide residents of the country too. Only one student in the institution comes from the city of Crookston.

The people of Crookston are proud of this institution. During the visit of the legislators, they thronged the place and their faces beamed with pride as they expatiated on the merits of the school and urged the necessities of further appropriations.

Senator Moonan, the Democratic senator from Waseca started a round of applause at the chapel exercises by unging the father of the institution, Senator "Andy" Stephens for governor.

The Crookston school is the basis upon which Senator Stephens would build up his system of district agricultural schools. He would have seven additional schools established in the state, on the plan of the successful in- state, on the plan of the successful institution at Crookstonu, the other already established, being at Park Rapids. These schools would be located in the various congresional districts so that they would cover the state geographically. It is the same plan advocated by Prof. W. M. Hayes of the national department of agriculture at Washington.

EAT SAUSAGES AN NEW BREAD

OR ANY FAVORITE FOOD WITHOUT FEAR OF INDIGESTION—DISTRESS

FROM DYSPEPSIA OR A DISORDERED STOMACH VANISHES FIVE MINUTES LATER

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of a case of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach if you will occasionally take a little Diapepsin after eating.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea. Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Billiousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in the Stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. Each triangule will digest all the food you can eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking today and by tomorrow you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

WARREN MAN TO GET REWARD

FURTHER DETAILS AS TO INCARCERATION OF GUST HANSON IN ASYLUM

Further light as to the manner in which Gust Hanson was sent to the asylum at Fergus Falls was received yesterday in a communication to The Grand Forks Herald from Charles Wittensten, of Warren. The letter shows among other things that at no time has Hanson been wandering around on the prairie in the vicinity of Warren. Mr. Wittensten writes:

"I have a statement from the probate court of Ramsey county saying: 'Mr. Hanson was sent to Fergus Falls on Feb. 6. Description of this man is as follows. Age 40 years, Single. Born in Sweden. Name of father, Hans Olson, and mother, Benedicta Olson. Was picked up on streets in St. Paul on Feb. 1. Examined by Drs. A. Stierle and Arthur Sweeney and adjudged insane by Judge of Probate E. W. Bazelle.'

"The probate judge of Marshall county also had a phone message this afternoon from the asylum at Fergus Falls saying that Gust Hanson is still there.

As it was the information of Mr. Wittensten which resulted in Gust being located in the asylum at Fergus Falls, it would appear that he is entitled to the $100 reward offered.

A scientist claims that 10,000 microbes can roost comfortably on the point of a pin. That's more than one man can do.

NO CHANGE IN PRIMARY LAW.

HOUSE COMMITTEE WILL REPORT TO POSTPONE OLE PETERSON BILL.

FAVORABLE ACTION TAKEN ON MEASURE TO PREVENT BREAKING OF PARTY LINES.

There will be no repeal of the state primary law at this session of the legislature at present indications.

The subcommittee, named by the house elections committee, to pass on the measures in its hands, reported out the Ole Peterson bill repealing the primary law, for indefinite postponement and, according to the leaders, it will be sustained on the floor.

While refusing to sanction the repeal of the law, the committee also reported adversely on those measures in its hands extending the primary law to state officers. The committee is composed of Representatives Wells, Horton and Dorsey.

This action will likewise be sustained by the house.

The only primary bills to receive favorable consideration were those designed to compel parties to cast not less than 30 per cent of their vote, registered in the previous election, to entitle their candidates to places on the regular ballot. The idea is to prevent the participation of members of one party in the primary of another. A general bill along this line will be reported on.

As stated by one member of the committee, they were agreed to a man in disliking the primary law and desired its repeal, but they did not have the "nerve" to stand for its repeal. In the country, it is claimed, this demand is more general than in the cities.

They could come out openly, however against the extension of the law, and this the subcommittee agreed to do.

THE CREAMERIES MADE MONEY

TWO NORMAN COUNTY CONCERNS MAKE FLATTERING REPORTS

The creameries of Norman county are certainly prosperous institutions The Flom creamery is one of the most prosperous in the county, and its annual statement shows that $24,154 was paid to patrons in 1908, and there was still left in cash on hand $954. The total number of milk patrons was 78; cream patrons 31. The officers elected for the coming year are:

President—Hans Dorseth.
V. Pres.—Hans Skundsgaard.
Treas.—Andrew Rogen.
Sec.—Edvin Gunderson.
Directors—F. Sornson, Erick E. Urdahl and Joseph Hauglum.

As all debts were paid, it was decided at the annual meeting to pay 14 per cent two years due to shareholders, from the cash on hand, which was obtained from a sinking fund of 1 cent per pound of butterfat. From the remainder there shall be paid 15 per cent on all shares, to be deducted from the amount paid for same.

During 1908 the Perley creamery paid patrons $15,680. During the year $822 was paid for permanent improvements in the way of a cement floor, sewer and new machinery. The running expenses and incidental expenses footed up to $1,879. Patrons received an average of 27 cents per pound for butterfat.

Since the creamery started, in 1902 a total of 466,000 pounds of butter has been received and the sum of $83,801.68 has been paid to the patrons. The cvreamery is valued at $4000 and has been paid for in full.

BAGLEY WOMAN INHERITS COIN

Mrs. William Baragy of Bagley, has made the executor of her husband's estate and $700 which is her husband's share of his father's estate at Mason City Ia., was turned over to her. Her husband is believed to have died in the Klondike. No word has been received from him in fifteen years.

Sheriff C. A. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson of Clearwater Co. were in the city last evening enroute to Fergus Falls with Mrs. Jenson from Bagley who is insane. The condition of the woman is pitiable, her ravings when in convulsions which occur many times a day being such as to send cold chills down ones spinal column.

Just a Few Words of Advice

from his banker has helped many a man to establish himself firmly on the financial ladder. Why not put YOURSELF in position to get this help in case of need? No expense, just open an account with this bank. No account too large or too small to receive the personal attention of our officers. Their experience in financial affairs has been long and varied they know the strong points which won for successful men — the weak points which brought failure to others.

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THE RULES TO GOVERN LENT

BISHOP McGOLRICK GIVES OUT REGULATIONS TO BE FOLLOWED

FEB. 24, IS ASH WEDNESDAY THE FIRST DAY OF LENT

The Lenten regulations of the diocese of Duluth which includes Crookston and all northwestern Minnesota, for the year 1909 have been prepared in pamphlet form and are ready for distribution. The regulations follow:

"In this year of grace 1909, the 24th day of February will be Ash Wednesday the first day of Lent.

"All faithful, unless legitimately excused or dispensed are bound in conscience under penalty of grievous sin to observe the Lenten regulations.

"All the days of Lent, the Sundays excepted are days of fast.

The precept of fast restricts use of food to one meal toward the middle of the day and a collation in the evening not exceeding the fourth part of a full meal—custom, however, authorizing the taking in the morning of a cup of coffee, tea or chocolate with a small piece of bread.

"For the collation theologians allow solid food to the amount of eight ounces. The food taken in the morning should not exceed two ounces.

"When the full meal or principal repast cannot be taken without serious inconvenience towards the middle of the day, the order of repast may be reversed the full meal or principal repast being taken in the evening and the collation earlier in the day.

"The use of flesh meat is allowed at all meals on Sundays and the principal meal on Mondays. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays except the Saturday of Ember week, March 6 and the Saturday of Holy week April 10.

"The use of fresh meat there is forbidden at all meals on Wednesdays, Fridays, the Saturday of Ember week and the Saturday of Holy week, and on all other days outside of Sundays it is forbidden at other repasts, outside the full meal.

"The use of lard is permitted at all times in the preparation of food.

"Both fish an dfresh meat cannot be taken at the same meal even on Sundays.

"Persons legitimately excused or dispensed from the precept of fasting may use fresh meat at all meals on whatever day there is general permission to use it at the principal meal.

"From the precept of fast are excused: Those under the age of 21 years or over the age of 60; the infirm and the convalescent; women bearing or nursing children, persons engaged in hard labor or other duties exhaustive of physical strength; persons who from poverty are unable to procure for the proincipal meal a sufficiency of nutritive food.

"From the precept of abstinence are excused: The young under the age of 7 years; the sick; persons who are so situated as not to be able to procure for themselves abstinence food.

"In virtue of the authority conceded to bishops of the United States by a recent pentifical indult, permission is granted to 'working people' to use meat on all days of Lent, with the exception of Friday Ash Wednesday the Wednesday and the Saturday of Holy Week.

"This dispensation from abstinence extends to all three meals in the day.

"The usual prohibition remains against using flesh meat and fish at the same meal.

"Where the wage earner in virtue of the indult, uses meat all the members of his household may likewise use it. The church does not wish to impose upon the household the inconvenience of double cooking. But in cases of this kind, the members of the household who are bound by the precept of fast are alowed the use of meat only at their principal meal.

"The Soverign Pontiff exhorts all who make use of the privilege of the indult to be still mindful fo their duty to practice self-denial, and he counsels that instead of abstinence from meat some other sacrifice of bodily comfort be practiced the Soverign Pontiff himself suggesting as such sacrifice abstinence from intoxicating drink.

"The Pontifical indult, of which we have spoken exempts working people fro mabstinence on vigils and ember days, except when such vigils and ember days fall on Friday and on such days the indult also exempts from abstinence in the same conditions as for the Lenten season the members of the household of the wage earner.

"Pastors will make to their flocks in the usual terms due announcements of approaching ember days and vigils—adding to such announcements a statemnet of the privileges given by the indult to 'working people' "

ELOPES WITH HIRED MAN

LOCAL AUTHORITIES ARE ASKED TO KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR THE COUPLE

ADA PIERSON AND OVA JOHNSON WENT TO MASQUERADE BALL THEN SKIPPED

Chief Eck has been notified to be on the lookout for a couple of young people wanted at Clermont, S. D. According to the story of Miss Ada Pierson daughter of George Pierson who resides near Clermont, and the Pierson hired man, Ova Johnson went to the masquerade dance at Clermont recently and since that time nothing has been heard of them. The girl is said to be only 17 years old and the man Johnson is in that case liable to state prison for abduction. The father of the girl is using every effort to trace the pair but up to last night nothing had yet been heard of them. Johnson came from Illinois last spring and since that time has been employed on the Pierson farm.

RETURNED FROM BRIDAL TRIP

Emil Erdmann returned Sunday morning with bride after a very pleasant trip to southern Minnesota and Iowa points. They visited a sister of the groom's at St. Paul an uncle at Storm Lake, Iowa, and friends and relatives at Juniata, Ia., and Trumann, Minn., and report a most delightful trip. They were gone four weeks and report that it seemed like getting back to the tropics after their experience with stalled trains and paralyzed telephone and telegraphic communications, hundreds of poles and wires being down. Trains were stalled from a week to ten days on some of the branch lines and snow drifts ten and fifteen feet deep could be seen any where in Iowa or southern Minnesota. Considerable stock was frozen and farmers suffered many inconveniences.

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PATTEWAY SENTENCED

GIVEN TWO AND A HALF YEARS BY JUDGE WATTS THIS AFTERNOON

MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL DENIED — TOOK SENTENCE VERY STOICALLY

From Monday's Daily—
This afternoon Judge Wm. Watts of the district court sentenced A. Patteway to two and a half years in the state penitentiary at Stillwater for grand larceny for having been convicted of robbing the Merchants National Bank when working in the capacity of porter there nearly a year ago.

Atty. F. L. McGhee argued a motion for a new trial when he was here at the last trial but the motion was denied and sentence imposed this afternoon. He will probably be taken to Stillwater tonight. Patteway was stoical when sentenced. It is believed further efforts will be made later to secure a new trial by appeal to the state supreme court.

ADDRESSED THE STUDENTS

ATTORNEY W. P. MURPHY TALKS TO STUDENTS OF AGRICULTURE

POINTS OUT WHERE THEY ARE WELL PREPARED FOR LIFE'S BATTLES

From Monday's Daily—
Yesterday at the Crookston School of Agriculture the students were addressed by Attorney W. P. Murphy at their regular Sunday afternoon meeting.

He dwelt emphatically on the fact that the graduate of a school of agriculture was better prepared for making a living, and a substantial and happy existence, than graduates from the average college or high school. He also claimed the student of agriculture and manual training was far better fitted for the battle of life than a member of the professions. The average income of a lawyer, for instance, he stated was $500 while the day laborer earned as much on an average.

The student school in manual training and agriculture could easily make a living at manual labor if not successful at one of the professions while the specialist was helpless in all but one single line.

His address was listened to with deep attention and was an excellent one in every sense of the word.

WATCH RECOVERED IN ODD MANNER

JUDGE McLOUGHLIN SEES A STRANGER HANDLING TIMEPIECE LOST BY DAUGHTER

A watch lost by Miss Josephine McLoughlin, daughter of Judge P. McLoughlin of Grand Forks was recovered yesterday in a remarkable manner. Miss McLoughlin lost her watch on a train between Grand Forks and Crookston. She did not say anything about it to the judge. At noon yesterday Judge McLoughlin has occasion to go to the depot at Grand Forks. Just before he left Officer Bliven told him about the loss of his daughter's watch At the depot he noticed a stranger show a friend a watch he had found. The judge approached him and asked to see the watch, at the same time explaining that his daughter had lost one and describing the inscription. The stranger showed the judge the watch and he identified it.

Hub—But if you like the young fellow, Kate, why do you object to our daughter marrying him?

Wife—Oh, she'll marry him for all that, but I want to give her a chance to say when they quarrel that "mother didn't want me to marry you, anyway."—Boston Transcript.

Declining.

"Miss Frocks has reached her declining years," said Jones.

"Nonsense," replied Brown. "She's not more than twenty-five."

"But she has declined half a dozen men."

NO INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA

MISERY FROM AN UPSET STOMACH GOES IN FIVE MINUTES —TAKE SOME

DIAPEPSIN NOW AND FOREVER END ALL DISTRESS FROM A DISORDERED STOMACH

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you eat seems to fill your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangule after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery, because it willshdlu stomach misery is at your Pharmacist waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

JUDGE JOHN R. MARTIN PASSES "GREAT DIVIDE"

FAMOUS ATTORNEY SUCCUMBS TO CANCER—WELL KNOWN HERE

Judge John M. Martin assistant county attorney of St. Louis county, died at his home in Virginia, Minn., Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock after an illness of several months of cancer of the liver with complications. Judge Mratin was taken to the hospital at Rochester, Minn., last December where he was operated upon and after some time returned to Virginia where he failed gradually until his death.

The announcement of the death of Judge Martin came as a shock to his many friends in Crookston and thruout this section where he was a prominent character during the early days.

But few people were aware that the judge had been ill, and his death was unexpected to the people here.

Judge Martin was born at Ocean Springs, Miss., Aug. 25, 1842. He graduated at the Columbian University at Washington, D. C., and at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. He came to Duluth in 1890 and to Bemidji in 1898.

Judge Martin was one of the early justices of peace of the village of Bemidji before incorporation into a city and as such official his original character and unique decisions made him noted all over northern Minnesota.

He was one of the organizers of Norman county and was judge of probate of that county several years, besides being for some time mayor of Ada the county seat. He was also, at one time, mayor of West Duluth.

Judge Martin was appointed assistant county attorney for St. Louis county last December asuming his duties early in January.

Judge Martin was Dr. Ames' attorney in the famous trial of the doctor when he was tried for corruptness while mayor of Minneapolis.

The deceased is survived by a wife and four children, the eldest, Dennis Martin, being a resident of California. Lulu, Warwick and Maurice Martin reside at home in Virginia.

Judge Martin was universally well-liked and was known as a kindhearted man whose acts of generosity were numerous and well placed. His demise is greatly regretted.

The funeral will be held at Virginia Wednesday.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

A BIG CORPORATION LAUNCHED IN CROOKSTON

Crookston Co-operative Fuel And Commission Company Organized For Business Here.

With Capital Stock Of $40,000 Company Will Begin Operations At Once. Has Wide Field.

From Tuesday's Daily—
In this issue of the Journal on page 4 will be found the articles of incorporation of the Co-operative Fuel and Commission Co., which will operate in Crookston principally but may launch out on even a broader scale later on As will be seen by the articles of incorporation the nature of the business of the new concern will be as follows:

"The buying and selling of wood, coal and fuel of all kinds; the buying and selling of grain, flour and feed of all kinds; the buying and selling of farm produce of all kinds, and conducting a general commission business the buying, holding, improving, leasing and selling of rural and urban real estate; and this Corporation shall have the power to perform all acts and make all Contracts necessary and incidental to the furtherance of the above mentioned purposes."

The capital stock of this company is $40,000, which will give it an ample working capital. The three incorporators J. D. Ball, Nelson Miller and T. A. Harris are all well known business men of Crookston as well as the first board of directors, who include, aside from the incorporators C. E. Potts, manager of the Atlas Lumber Co., of this city, and Alexander Keir while the first officers are as follows:

J. D. Ball, President.
H. A. Ball, First Vice-President.
H. T. Taber, Second Vice-President.
Ellery Riley, Third Vice President.
Remane Keltz, General Manager.

There is no question but what there is a broad field for operation by such a concern, and the slogan from the outset will be "Go after the business." The fuel business is to a greater or less extent confined to the winter months as gasoline and electricity are now greatly used, the latter for ironing, etc., but the commission business is one that opens such a wide field during the entire year that the extent of the business possible cannot be estimated.

The company has still further plans which are covered by the articles of incorporation but which will not be announced at the present time. It is needless to state that the concern has ample backing and that its growth will be rapid from the start, as a vigorous campaign for business will be inaugurated at once and continued in a systematic manner.

In conclusion it might be stated that the plan is one that has been worked upon for some time past, and the originators have received every encouragement from the start. This strong factor of public sentiment behind the new concern augurs well for its success in the future.

BUY EQUIPMENT FOR PAPER PLANT

Fonr Paper Making Machines Of Latest Type Are Purchased For Plant At International Falls.

From Monday's Daily—
The Backus-Brooks company, Minneapolis, has bought from the Pusey and Jones company of Wilmington, Del., four paper making machines of the largest type for installation by July next in the enormous plant that company is constructing at International Falls and Fort Frances.

The machinery will fill 50 cars and will cost $250,000. Contracts will shortly be let by the Minneapolis office for 1,500 tons of structural steel. The Backus-Brooks management had expected to let the steel contract earlier but by waiting will be able to put its order in with the inflow of other business to the steel making centers, resulting from the recent reduction in prices.

Arago's Modesty.

Arago, the great French scientist, was never seen with a decoration on his breast. He valued honors lightly. One evening Leverrier, the astronomer, called on him on his way to dine with a minister. He expressed a wish to appear decorated with an order to which he was entitled, having received the official notice of the honor, although he had not as yet the decoration itself.

"Open that drawer," said Arago, "and take whatever you want."

In that drawer were all the crosses and ribbons which kings and emperors confer.

While Arago wished above everything to promulgate science and to make his researches useful, he did not attempt to identify himself forever with his discoveries by writing books. He had no time for writing, but contented himself with noting the results of his work in the record of the bureau of longitude or announcing it verbally to the academy.

Nowhere with more quiet or with more freedom does a man retire than into his own soul.—Marcus Aurelius.

The Valuables.

The man with a wife and seven children hauled up in front of the hotel desk, registered, got his bellboy and was starting off when the clerk, thinking maybe he might jolly the new arrival, called to him.

"I beg your pardon," he said, "but hadn't you better leave your valuables in the safe?"

"Do you think I ought to?" inquired the man innocently enough, to hear him say it.

"Well, it is the best plan."

"All right," said the man, and, turning to his wife, "Here, Mary, pass the children over to the gent behind the counter. He'll look after them and give us a rest."

Whereupon the clerk apologized.—Judge.

Exempt.

"Jes' you come right home, Henry Hiram—breakin' the Sabbath day in that scan'lous, sinful fashion."

"Well, Jimmy Hicks is let play on Sunday."

"The commandant don't apply t' him. His paw's a vegetarian."—Life.

PROPOSED CLUB ROOMS

LEFT TO CANVASS BY A COMMITTEE OF THREE—NAMED LATER

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO ENTERTAIN FARMERS—BAND MADE BIG HIT

From Tuesday's Daily—
At the meeting of the Commercial club in the City Council Chambers last evening Elias Steenerson at the opening addressed the club members regarding entertainment for the meeting of the Society of Equity which will be called here soon to form a county union. The members endorsed the idea heartily and J. E. O'Brien acting chairman on motion appointed a committee consisting of L. Ellington W. E. Slocum and S. Rosenthal to act with Mr. O'Brien and Secretary Brown to provide a dinner for the visitors, estimated at 150, and also make arrangements to transport them to the School of Agriculture.

Band Made a Hit

At this juncture Bandmaster Riggs and the Consolidated band of 65 pieces marched into the council chambers and played two fine selections. The band was given a great ovation on entering as well as at the conclusion of each piece. The showing made was a most creditable one, and a challenge is issued for any city in the state the size of Crookston to show a band of the same size or trained to such a fine degree.

Club Room Proposition

Chairman O'Brien then outlined the main purpose of the meeting in connection with the proposition to secure permanent club rooms for the Commercial club. He realized that to be a success such a move needed the united support of all the members.

Several members were called on including S. Rosenthal who with Chas. Loring thought any action relative to club rooms should be deferred till a representative gathering of members could be secured. A. J. Johnson and John Fournet thought the members should agree to an increase of dues to $24 per year. Other addresses were made by Rev. Warner, Rev. Cox, C. H. Zealand, and Supt. Allen of the G. N., D. H. Turner, G. S. Chesterman and others. The prevailing sentiment was that nothing should be done till the situation had been canvassed regarding support and a committee of three will be named in a day or two as soon as President H. C. Misner returns from his California trip.

Opinions Differed

Secretary Brown submitted a report of the probable cost of the maintenance of club rooms in the Union block, the estimated cost being from $85 to $100. The propositions for club rooms in the I. O. O. F. block and in the Marin block were also submitted by him. Atty. W. P. Murphy made the most extended argument against the securing of club rooms on that basis contending that for maintenance of club rooms alone, at least $2500 per year would be necessary, and gave the cost of maintenance of the Crookston club rooms to substantiate what he said.

The opinion was practically unanimous that the rooms should not be secured till a committee had secured sufficient pledges to insure the financing of the proposition.

DRUCILLA AND PATTEWAY SHIPPED

Last evening A. Patteway who was sentenced yesterday for 2½ years at Stillwater for grand larceny and Drucilla Frazier, the incorrigible girl from East Grand Forks who was sentenced to the Red Wing Training school were taken to their new homes Both had little to say, the girl appearing just a trifle flippant while the colored man was more on the sullen and stoical order.

Generous.

"My husband is the most unselfish of men!" exclaimed Mrs. Youngwife. "I gave him a whole box of cigars, and he only smoked one and gave all the rest away."

Paradise is for those who control their anger.—Koran.

J. A. NORTHROP HOME SCORCHED

FURNITURE ALL COMPLETELY RUINED AND HOUSE BADLY DAMAGED

INSURANCE OF $2,000 WILL COVER ABOUT 60 PER CENT OF THE LOSS

From Monday's Daily—
Shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon fire was discovered in the J. A. Northrup residence on Hunter street next door to the L. Ellington residence, and within an incredibly short space of time the furniture on both floors was practically completely ruined and the residence badly damaged.

Mr. Northrup stated to the Journal that he had about $1,000 insurance on the house and $1,000 on the furniture, and that he estimated this would cover 60 per cent of the loss. Only one picture and two chairs were saved and the loss included a 250 volumn library.

Mr. Northrup was home at the time the family being at the dinner table. The fire started from the stovepipe or chimney to the wood heating stove in the parlor, and the room was a mass of flames when the fire was discovered.

The department made a quick run but the main damage had been done before the department arrived. Most of the damage to the kitchen furniture was done by the water. Fortunately no one was injured. The residence is the one formerly owned by City Clerk A. M. Childs.

FIREMEN ARE ENTHUSIASTIC

NORTHERN MINNESOTA FIREMEN'S TOURNEY HERE TO BE HUMMER

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD HERE LAST EVENING

From Tuesday's Daily—
The executive committee of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association held an enthusiastic meeting here relative to the annual tournament to be held here the coming summer and the affair was fully discussed. It was decided to change the distance in the hub and hub race and the hook and ladder climbing contests and other minor changes were made. Following the meeting a banquet was enjoyed at the Grill. Those present were Secretary Walter Stone and Tom Morris and Fred Harris, Crookston; G. D. LeSage L. T. Bronson, Thief River Falls; Joseph Salby, Red Lake Falls; Chas. Moore, Hallock; A. Halvorson, Bemidji.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY

EDWARD W. SAVAGE OF WINDOM MINN., SUCCEEDS SAMUEL HEDEGAARD

Edward W. Savage arrived yesterday from Windom, Minn., and will succeed Rev. Samuel Hedegaard as the representative of the American Sunday School Union in this territory and will have headquarters in Crookston. Rev. Hedegaard has been located here for some time past and has conducted a very active campaign in the rural districts. He will probably remain in some branch of the work in this territory.

Mr. Savage is a very pleasant gentleman to meet and will without doubt be just as aggressive and successful as his predecessor.

Rev. Hedegaard will go to Burwell tomorrow morning and will hold services there tomorrow evening and may continue them for a week.

The Riddle.

Here is a strange riddle which we have never met before. It is sent us by a friend from Jhansi, India:

Divide 150 by o. Add two-thirds of 10. So ends the riddle.

Here is the answer: CoLENSO.

C—100.
L—50.
EN—two-thirds of TEN.
SO—ends the riddle.—London Scraps.

BABY'S EYESIGHT WAS THREATENED

By Terrible Eczema—Head Became a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores —Would Scratch Till Blood Came —Much Money Wasted in Fruitless Treatments—Disease Was Soon

CURED AT SLIGHT COST BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head were all one sore. We used different remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. At night we had to pin her hands down. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent, and in three weeks — what a change! I kept using the Cuticura Remedies for two months and our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fair as a new-born baby, and all for the small cost of a dollar and seventy-five cents where we had spent ten times the money for doctoring. She is now two years old and has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, R. F. D. 4, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, 1907."

SLEEP KILLED

By an Itching Humor. Another Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"I broke out with a humor which spread almost all over my body. The itching would get worse on retiring, so I could not sleep. I tried several remedies but it grew worse until I got some Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Pills which began to relieve me at once. By the time I had used one vial of the Pills, the humor was entirely gone. I wish every sufferer could secure the Cuticura Remedies. Travis Bates, Hamburg, Ark., April 26, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

MARSHALL COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

MAKE ARRANGEMENT FOR NEXT FAIR TO BE HELD IN AUGUST

The stockholders of the Marshall County Fair Association, held their annual meeting, on Tuesday evening at Warren when the following Board of Directors were chosen: H. L. Wood John W. Thomas, W. H. Dixon, O. H. Taralseth, Julius J. Olson, C. Wittensten, C. E. Lundquist, A. A. Ayres, L. M. Olson, A. Grindeland and L. Lamberson. Directors met shortly after and chose the following officers: L. Lamberson, president; John W. Thomas, vice president; O. H. Taralseth, secretary; and L. M. Olson, treasurer.

A great deal more interest is being taken in the fair thruout Marshall county than has been the case formerly, and this augurs well for the success of this year's fair. Farmers begin to realize that they are the ones specially benefitted. The next fair will be held the first week in August the exact date to be fixed later.

FAVOR THE GENERAL BILL

HOUSE NORMAL SCHOOL COMMITMITTEE FIGHTS CASS LAKE

It will be Cass Lake against the field in the fight for the location of the sixth normal school. The house committee on normal schools has decided to recommend the Hinds bill establishing a school in the territory north of the main line of the Northern Pacific railway and west of the meridian thru Brainerd the exact site to be selected by the state normal school board. The Bemidji, Thief River Falls, Farren, Park Rapids and Red Lake Falls bills are indefinitely postponed. P. H. McGarry will bring in a minority report in favor of Cass Lake location.

The nine members of the senate normal school committee are hopelessly at outs concerning the location of the new normal school, and the choice of a location for the school will be left to the senate. Cass Lake, Bemidji and Thief River Falls want the school and each will present her case on the floor of the senate. Each has three votes in the committee.

What a woman likes about maknig her husband go to an afternoon tea is how he hates to.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

LARGE CROWD WAS PLEASED

DR. CLEMENS ENTERTAINED MANY AT THE M. E. CHURCH LAST NIGHT

MEN'S BANQUET BIG SUCCESS—REV. McCOY WELL PLEASED

From Saturday's Daily—

Last night Dr. E. C. Clemens of Duluth delighted a large audience at the Methodist church by his popular lecture "Every Man his own Paradise."

Preceeding the lecture thirty men of the congregation gathered in the Epworth League Rooms where a banquet of good things had been prepared and tastily arranged by the Ladies Aid. Bouquets of jonquils, paper whites, and hyacinths graced the banquet tables. At the close of the banquet Prof. Wm. Robertson, as toastmaster, with his characteristic wit reand ability introduced Mr. B. D. Keck who responded to the toast "Men and the Church of the Past." Mr. G. W. Wright followed speaking on "Men of the Church of Today and Tomorrow." Dr. Clemens spoke on "Men Movements within the Church". Committees were appointed looking toward an immediate organization of a Men's League in the church. Prof. Robertson was elected as temporary chairman and Mr. Newberry as temporary secretary to serve until further organization. Following the banquet the men gathered with the large company already assembled in the auditorium to listen to the lecture of the evening.

Dr. Clemens introduced his lecture by the thought that in his judgment Good meant every man and every woman to enjoy a paradise here and now. In the economy of the Creator each human being had within the circle of his command the possibility of making or losing for himself his paradise.

The lecturer recited the story of the ruler of Bagdad who controlled great wealth and resources for bodily comfort and earthly pleasures; yet tired of the emptiness of it all and cried to Allah for a truer comfort and peace in his sickness and suffering. In a distant hut dwelled a beggar without comforts, without food, and scant of clothing; he lay wretched in sickness and misery and want. Upon his rude cot he cried to Allah for relief and solace. Angels were sent of Allah in answer to these prayers and these planted the seed of an angel-lily midway between the hut and palace and then one carried the beggar the other the rich ruler and placed them by the angel-lily seed. While lying there wonderingly the angel-lily grew rapidly before their eyes and so beautiful was its flower and sweet its enchanting fragrance that both beggar and ruler lay in a paradise under its protecting shadow and within the circle of its sweetly pervasive and influence.

With this as his introduction the lecturer eloquently and very amusingly dwelt upon the everyday experiences which make or unmake paradise for every soul. Those who "borrow" trouble like the pessimistic negro named Lazarus, who, after a series of unfortunate experiences declared that if the Lord should come upon earth and say "Lazarus, come forth", it would be just his luck to come fifth every time.

Dr. Clemens urged contentment as a prerequisite of happiness. Under this heading as under the first he showed the illusion that exists in the minds of many that true happiness is not found alone in wealth of possessions nor environments, but in the soul itself. The arguments of the speaker were pointed shafts of humor which went straight to the mark. The empty and false living of some of the present-day financiers was scathingly dealt with in an irresistable flood of logic and conclusive argument and apt illustration.

Dr. Clemens reminds one of his noted cousin Mark Twain in his constant flow of wit intermingled with flashes of truth that takes strong hold because of their unusual setting. The speaker held his audience for over two hours in a unique lecture the impression of which will remain with many as long as they live to lighten and gladden life's way.

The Magnet.

"Yes, she advertised for a husband and got 2,700 replies."

"Gracious! She must have advertised herself as very beautiful."

"No, she didn't. She just said she had $700 in the bank."—Kansas City Independent.

There is no substitute for thoroughgoing, ardent and sincere earnestness. —Dickens.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

GOOD BOOSTING FOR CROOKSTON

SECRETARY OF THE 25,000 CLUB GIVES CITY FINE ADVERTISING

SAYS COUNCIL IS DIVIDED REGARDING "PROGRESS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT"

From Saturday's Daily—

The Secretary of the Crookston 25,000 Club, who is drawing a salary for boosting Crookston sends the following fine advertisement for Crookston as a residence city to the Minneapolis Tribune. A prominent business man said this morning that he specially appreciates the compliment that is paid to Crookston and the manner that business is transacted here. He suggests that the salary of the secretary be doubld in order to get more advertising of the same character. The item in which "The fight to the last ditch between aldermen representing progress and law enforcement and those who take the other view of municipal government" is as follows:

Crookston, Minn., Feb. 25—(Special—The city is minus an alderman at the present time and the Second ward one of the largest and located in the business district finds itself entirely without representation in the city council. This is the third time that this state of affairs has existed during the past six months, but each time a different ward has been affected. The situation is brought about on account of a provision in the home rule charter, adopted over two years ago, which provides that the council shall immediately accept the resignation of an alderman.

At the council meeting last evening Alderman Frank erracher's resignation was read and accepted. The council then proceeded to elect his successor, but after a number of ballots had been cast the aldermen were found to be hopelessly divided and the council had to adjourn without naming a man to represent the important section of the city.

It is possible that this state of affairs may continue for some time as there are two factions in the city's governing body and each is striving to secure the election of an alderman who will be favorable to themselves. The vote stood on the last ballot 4 to 4. Whoever is selected will give the majority to one or the other of the factions. It is believed that the present situation will develop into a last resenting progress and law enforcement and those who take the other ditch fight between the aldermen repview of municipal government.

J. D. BALL MAKES A STATEMENT

WILL NOT ACCEPT ALDERMANIC HONORS UNLESS ALDERMEN ARE UNANIMOUS

Editor Journal:—

There seems to be a great deal of interest in the election of an alderman in the second ward to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Alderman Zerracher. Will you allow me to express my sentiments. As soon as the vacancy occurs in any ward that ward should elect another alderman at the expense of said ward. Then the alderman goes in the council clean and leaves the fight behind. There seems to be two factions in the council, and that they may, as well as the people of the second ward may understand where I stand, I will state that I will positively refuse to pledge myself to any faction and will not acept an election unless it is by the unanimous action of the council, that harmony may prevail. Respectfully,

—J. D. Ball.

Isle of Wight.

The Isle of Wight inhabitants are not alone in speaking of "going to England" when they leave their own fragment of the kingdom. A patriotic Cornishman also "goes to England" when he crosses the Tamar. Similarly inhabitants of the Balkan peninsula talk of "going to Europe" when they leave their own corner of the continent—in curious contrast with the people of our own island. We regard ourselves as both of and in "Europe," and accordingly it is only "the continent" that we visit. The record in the splendid isolation line is probably held by that minister of the Cumbraes, in the Clyde, who prayed for a blessing upon "the inhabitants of Great and Little Cumbrae and the adjacent islands of Great Britain and Ireland."—London Graphic.

A lot of trouble in this world comes of men interfering in other people's troubles to settle them.

TO FIGHT WHITE PLAGUE

CHAIN LETTER STARTED HERE TO BUY ISLAND IN LAKE OF THE WOODS

FOR BENEFIT OF THOSE IN FIRST STAGES OF TUBERCULOSIS

From Friday's Daily—

Not long ago several residents of Crookston started chain letters for the purpose of raising money for the purchase of a fine island in the Lake of the Woods upon which buildings will be erected for the benefit of people who are in the first stages of tuberculosis.

The chain letter asks for a donation of mut ten cents, and the money is already beginning to pour in from all directions, and from all indications it will be but a short time till sufficient money has been received to complete the purchase after which the full details regarding the proposition will be published.

INSPECTED THE LOCAL COMMANDERY

EMINENT GRAND CAPTAIN GENERAL BLACK VISITS CROOKSTON

Last evening Constantine Commandery was officially inspected by Eminent Grand Captain General Black of Duluth. There was a very large turn out of members, many coming from outside points, the gathering being one of the largest ever seen since the Commandery was instituted here.

The inspection proved very satisfactory in every way and following the official work a fine collation was enjoyed.

BIG MONEY IN RAISING CLOVER

We notice by the Little Falls papers that a representative of a Minneapolis seed house has been going thru Morrison county buying up the clover seed from the farmers. He bought 572 bushels in two days and left $3,000 in the hands of the farmers. From one farmer he got 68 bushels, paying $375 for the same; from another he bought 18 sacks for $250 and so on. One farmer's clover seed yielded four bushels to the acre. The average price paid for the seed was $5.25 per bushel. We like to see these reports from other counties. It shows that the farmers generally realize the value of growing clover, not alone for the valuable seed crop, but bcause it enriches the soil, supplying elements which become lacking from continued cropping.

PLANT ONLY PURE SEED POTATOES

If the farmers of this vicinity wish to maintain their reputation for raising the finest potatoes grown anywhere in the country they must change their seed occasionally. Potatoes are bound to deteriorate in size and quality if the farmer persists in planting year after year stock grown on his own farm. Potatoes raised on sandy soil should be exchanged occasionally for tubers raised on clay soil and vice versa. Great care should be exercised to keep the varieties pure. Mongrel potatoes will not command as good prices as the pure varieties. The white varieties in this vicinity, notably that old standby the Burbank, are deteriorating in size and quality. Pay more atention to your seed potatoes. Raise pure varieties, It should not require an extended argument to convince any intelligent farmer that it will pay him to plant purse seed potatoes.

The Bridge of Lions.

A bridge comparatively little known was constructed long ago in China in the reign of the Emperor Keing Long. It is situated near to Sangang and the Yellow sea and measures not less than eight miles and a half. The Bridge of Lions, as it is called, is supported by 800 immense arches, and its foundation is twenty-one meters under water. On each pile of this wonderful bridge is a marble statue of a lion three times larger than life size. The coup d'oeil of these 300 enormous lions, each one supporting an arch, is stupendous in its magnificence.

A Bad Quarrel.

"Why don't you try to get him to straighten up?"

"He's his own worst enemy."

"Well?"

"It's pretty hard to patch up that kind of a quarrel."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

GREAT FUTURE IS PREDICTED

M. MERCIL GIVES INTERESTING INFORMATION REGARDING CANADIAN CITIES

"TWIN CITIES" OF PORT ARTHUR AND FT. FRANCIS GROWING RAPIDLY

From Friday's Daily—

M. Mercil, a former resident of Crookston, is here for a visit of a few weeks with his parents, his cousin, O. Mercil, Jr., and other relatives and friends. Two years ago Mr. Mercil went to Pt. Arthur, Can. to engage in the real estate business. At that time he bought considerable property and is now of the opinion that Port Arthur and Ft. Francis have a great future. The two cities are but three miles apart from center to center and are connected by a street car line which has 11 miles of trackage, and Mr. Mercil states that he believes that within ten years it will be practically one city with a population of at least 100,000 people.

He says that the two cities are practically at the head of navigation and that practically all the Canadian North west must be served commercilly as the Grand Trunk now has a from coast to coast line and that the Canadian Northern and Canadian Pacific will have trunk lines to the coast within three years from date.

New industries are developing very rapidly, as power is very cheap. At Port Arthur a 1200 water power has been developed in the Current river and at Dug Lake Falls the government engineers have been surveying for some time past and believe that fully 60,000 horse power can be developed at a cost of $1,500,000 and work will be started at once on this proposition the power being transmitted to the two cities by cable a distance of 60 miles.

The credit of Port Arthur is well illustrated by the sale recently of 5 per cent 20 year debentures at a premium of $7.27 per $100 where a couple of years ago it was impossible to borrow money at any rate of interest.

Mr. Mercil states that little has been heard of Port Arthur or Ft. Francis in the United States, because of the fact that the tide of immigration to Canada from the States has been practically all thru Winnipeg until recently. He states that the two cities are now connected by a double track street car system and that the main streets of Port Arthur are macadamized while Ft. William's main streets are paved with brick.

Port Arthur owns all its public utilities including street car service electric light plant, water works, and telephone system and all are on a paying basis and giving excellent service The Canadian Northern has an elevator at Port Arthur with a capacity of 7,500,000 bushils and the Grand Trunk has the foundation laid for a 10,000,000 bushel elevator at Ft. Francis which will be completed the coming year.

Ft. Francis has its water supply piped in a distance of 20 miles the big storage tank locate don a high hill several hundred feet above the level of Ft. Francis.

Mr. Mercil has an illustrated booklet covering many sights of interest in Ft. Francis and Port Arthur and surrounding territory which shows great scenic beauty in that section of Canada. This afternoon Mr. Mercil with relatives, drove to Terrebonne where he will visit with a brother. He expects to return to Canada in about two weeks.

PATTERSON SELLS LIVERY BUSINESS

A deal was concluded last Saturday in which Daniel Patterson sold his livery barn and the entire equipment at St. Hilaire to Satterberg & Fellman. Mr. Patterson has been in the livery business in St. Hilaire since 1882 his barn having been at its present location since 1883 and bears excellent reputation. He has been in business there longer than any other man. We are not advised as to what if any, business he will engage in, but he has no intention of leaving St. Hilaire. Of the new firm Mr. A. Satterberg has been in the draying business for several years and is well and favorably known. Mr. Gust Fellman, the other member of the firm is at present working for the Neils Lumber Co. at Cass Lake and expects to return with his family about March 1st. Mr. Fellman is a young man who has grown to manhood in Red Lake county and has a large circle of friends.

It is easier to dodge responsibility than it is to dodge the result.

FAVOR NEW ARMOUR PLANT

THE LOCAL SOCIETY OF EQUITY WANTS PLANT AT NEW BRIGHTON ESTABLISHED

ALSO ENDORSE PLAN FOR FARM MACHINERY PLANT AT THE PEN

From Friday's Daily—

The Crookston local unions of the Society of Equity held a special meeting in the city hall yesterday afternoon and took important action relative to pending legislation voiced in resolutions publishe din this column.

The action was unanimous and President Chris Houston and Secretary Elias Steenerson were instructed to call a mass meeting in this city, Thursday, March 11 at which time a county union of the society of Equity will be organized, and in this meeting the society has called upon the commercial club for assistance.

The resolutionsc pasesd yesterday are as follows:

Whereas, there exists a trust on farm machinery, and which we believe has driven out of the state independent farm machinery manufacturers, and the price of farm machinery has constantly increased since said trust was formed, and

Whereas, there is pending in the legislature of the state of Minnesota, a bill known as House File No. 6 which has for its object the establishment of a plant for the manufacturing of farm machinery at the state prison at Stillwater.

Be it therefore resolved: That we heartily endorse said bill and urge our senator and our representatives to give said bill their undivided support, and

Whereas, We further believe there exists, a combination or trust among the grain dealers at Minneapolis and Duluth, fostered and cherished by the Chamber of Commerce of Minneapolis and the oBard of Trade of Duluth, and

Whereas, Our representative John Saugstad has introduced a bill to amend Section 3112 of the revised Laws of Minnesota of 1905, which has for its object the regulation of such organizations,

Be it Therefore Resolved: That we heartily approve of said bill and urge our senator and representatives to give it their undivided support, and

Whereas, our attention has been further called to a bill to prohibit stock yards and slaughter houses inside of certain limits and

Whereas it seems to us that said bill may have been instigated from other motives than solicitude for the health of the respective districts affected, and rather to head off an industry of great value to our state on the part of a competitor,

Be it therefore resolved, that we believe said bill should be voted down, unless it appears absolutely necessary for sanitary reasons that such a law be enacted, and

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to our state senator, A. D. Stephens, and our representatives in the state legislature, John Saugstad and John Holten.

FOOT CRUSHED BY G. N. TRAIN

As the Great Northern train was pulling out of Greenbush Wednesday Syver Syverson of Strathcona, slipped and the car wheel passed over his foot badly injuring the same. The injured man was taken to the Commercial hotel there, where the wound was dressed by Dr. Torgerson. Mr. Syverson was taken home the next day. It was a very serious injury and may cripple him for life.

The injured man is a brother-in-law of Ole Brenna of Middle River and well known there. He was taken to Thief River Falls by Mr. Brenna and it was found necessary to amputate the foot.

No matter how much money a man can save on his drinks and cigars he wants to do it on his coal bills.

TRY
A JOURNAL WANT AD
SURE AND QUICK

Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine. Sold for over 60 years.

This is the first question your doctor would ask: "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that daily action of the bowels is absolutely essential to recovery. Keep your liver active and your bowels regular by taking laxative doses of Ayer's Pills.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
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JUDGEMENT SUSTAINED

THE SUPREME COURT CONFIRMS JUDGE WATTS IN THE BAILEY PERSONAL INJURY CASES

LUMBER CO. IS PROTECTED BY A CASUALTY COMPANY WHICH WILL PAY JUDGMENTS

The Minnesota supreme court has handed down a decision in the two actions of John Bailey vs. the Maryland Casualty Company of Baltimore, and, as a result, the lower court is sustained in giving Mr. Bailey decisions for $7,500 and $900. This will probably end one of the most interesting and hardest fought legal actions that has been tried in Polk county for many years. Burney Bailey, son of John Bailey, was working in the saw mill of the lumber company at East Grand Forks in the summer of 1907 handling the saw that cut logs into shingle blocks. The saw was a lift and came up from the roller platform and was worked by a lever. Due to the saw being loose, the boards above it were sawed away for several inches which left it exposed. Bailey one day went to walk down the roller platform and stepped into the revolving steel and, as a result, his leg was so badly lacerated and the bone so badly sawed that the attending physicians found it necessary to amputate the leg above the ankle.

Suit was brought in the district court for $10,000 damages and a verdict secured for $7,500. Another action was later brought for wages that Bailey could have earned before becoming of age and a verdict was received in the district court for $900. Both cases were appealed and the decision mentioned above was handed down. The Grand Forks Lumber company will not have to pay any of the money, as they were protected by a bonding company.

Secretary C. L. Mosher of the Minnesota Federation of Commercial Clubs in a circular letter to all the clubs of the state calls attention to the fact that all thru the east a very erroneous impression prevails as to the frequency and severity of Minnesota's storms. He urges that the daily papers of the northwest carefully scrutinize all news articles sent in by correspondents bearing on the weather and suggests that the word "blizzard" be eliminated and conditions be stated exactly as they are instead of being exaggerated, as these articles are copied in the eastern papers and exaggerated a thousand fold. He asks the clubs to secure the co-operation of the local papers in pushing a campaign of dissipating the false impressions and placing the real facts before the people. The movement is one of vital import to the development of northern Minnesota and there is no question that the country papers of this part of the state will fall in line. In fact most of them have, on their own initiation, been laboring along that line and calling down the dailies for their libelous statements for a long time past.

Bee Economics.

The organization of bee life is a fascinating study. The workers in a beehive may be divided, says the University Correspondent, into (1) harvesters, who bring in honey and pollen from flowers, wax from buds of pines and poplars, water to mix with pollen and honey to make the pasty food for the larvae; (2) scavengers, who in early morning carry out debris, including dead, sick or injured workers; (3) ventilators, who stand erect and keep their wings in continual movement in order to ventilate the hive; (4) guards, who defend the hive from wasps, robber bees and other enemies.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

SUNDAY IS HORSEWHIPPED

RELIGIOUS FANATIC ATTACKS EVANGELIST IN SPRINGFIELD OHIO.

AUDIENCE OF 8,000 PEOPLE, IS THROWN INTO PANIC BUT SOON QUIETED.

Springfield, Ill., March 1—Rev. W. A. (Billy) Sunday, a former baseball player who is now an evangelist, was horsewhipped last night by a religious fanatic at the Sunday Tabernacle, where, in the presence of 8,000 people, he was conducting the opening service of a religious revival meeting.

The evangelist had just made his opening remarks, and was leaning against the pulpit on an elevated platform while a hymn was sung, when a powerful man, who said his name was Sherman Potts, sprang forward with a buggy whip and struck Mr. Sunday several terrific blows. Sunday leaped from the platform and dashed at his assailant, whom he knocked down in the center of the aisle. The audience was on the verge of a panic, with women weeping and children screaming, while Potts and Sunday rolled and tumbled in the aisle.

Mr. Fischer, choir director, directed the choir and the audience to sing and in a few moments the entire audience was calmed, few leaving their seats. Several men soon seized Potts and held him until policemen came and took him to jail. Mr. Sunday said he suffered several painful bruises from the buggy whip.

The prisoner said his home was one mile east of Lovington, Ill. The police say Potts is a religious fanatic.

GREAT VALUE OF ALFALFA HAY

Professor More of Wisconsin, says: "Alfalfa hay, if properly cared for, is equal pound for pound to the best wheat bran in feeding value." In an address before the Wisconsin Experiment Association, in February, Gov. Hoard says: "No question before the farmer is of deeper importance than that of alfalfa. Last year I placed 180 tons of alfalfa hay in my barn grown on 35 acres, every ton of which is worth in actual feeding value, from three to four tons of timothy hay; the best timothy hay that you and I can grow. Look at these figures, timothy hay standing about 3 per cent protem, alfalfa 11. Now what does that mean Alfalfa producing 5 tons to the acre with timothy 2. Alfalfa and corn silage form an absolutely perfect ration. I maintain my brood sows upon nothing but alfalfa hay. It will grow on any kind of soil. I would rather risk it in the Wisconsin winter and summer seasons than red clover twice over. Seed 20 pounds of good clean seed to the acre with one bushel of barley for a nurse crop, and cut as soon as you can see the blossom. No live stock man can afford to be without this great forage plant.

WELL DESERVED

The Praise That Comes From Thankful Crookston People

One kidney remedy never fails.
Crookston people rely upon it.
That remedy is Doan's Kidney Pills.
Crookston testimony proves it always reliable.

John Freeburg, tailor, 601 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "In summer of 1898, I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills and from the good results I gave a statement in which I strongly recommended this remedy to any one suffering from weakened kidneys. The passages of the kidney secretions were too frequent and my rest was much disturbed. The many remedies I used proved of little value and at last I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Wallace's drug store. My kidneys were strengthened and soon became normal."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Found Him Guilty.

Counsel (to the jury)—The principal fault of the prisoner has been his unfortunate characteristic of putting faith in thieves and scoundrels of the basest description. I have done. The unhapy man in the dock puts implicit faith in you, gentlemen of the jury!

She Had to Mend Them.

Benham—I believe in putting my best foot forward. Mrs. Benham—I have noticed that your toe always goes right through your stocking.—New York Press.

Talk not of a good life, but let thy good life talk.—Schiller.

WILL CHANGE ITS NAME

BANK OF CROOKSTON CHANGES ITS NAME AND FILES ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

CAPITAL STOCK INCREASED TO $40,000—WILL ADD TO CITY'S FINANCIAL STRENGTH.

The Articles of Incorporation of the Crookston State Bank have been filed in the office of the register of deeds and the Bank of Crookston will cease to exist after March 15, next. This move has been known of in financial circles for some tim and it is greeted with approbation by the commercial interests of the city.

The new articles give the incorporators as L. E. Jones, Iowa Falls, Ia.; E. O. Ellsworth, Iowa Falls, Ia.; J. A. Northrop, Crookston; L. D. Foskett, Crookston; J. H. Ruettell, Crookston; Edwin A. Mills, Crookston, and the first board of directors will include these, with the exception of Mr. Ellsworth.

The capital stock of the bank will be $40,000, fully paid in, but the articles provide for an increase in the capital stock up to $100,000, whenever a majority of the stockholders may determine. The new bank will begin business the middle of March and there is no question but that it will meet with success from the very outset.

The incorporators are all well known to the people of Crookston and there is no question but that the new institution will have the confidence of the entire community. The articles of incorporation in full will be found in another column of this issue.

A Cynic's View of Love.

The Innocent. What is love?

The Cynic. An affliction of the spirit, caused by beer or beauty.

I. What happens to a man who falls in love

C. He loses his senses, divests himself of his dignity, is a nuisance to himself, and becomes an object of compassion to those about him.

I. What is the result of love?

C. It usually begins and ends with court.

I. I don't quite understand.

C. In the lower classes marriage and the Police Court; in the middle classes, breach of promise in the county court; in the upper class, decree in a divorce court.

I. But how does it begin with court?

C. Courtship.

I. What is courtship?

C. The ship love is wrecked on.

I. Can you describe the symptoms of love?

C. General vacuity of the mind and loss of, speech combined with an overwhelming desire to please.

I. Are there any other symptoms

C. Yes; a sudden ambition to compose poetry.

I. With what results?

C. Compositions equally devoid of rhyme and reason.

I. Then I suppose they are never published?

C. On the contrary, they frequently find their way into print, as they afford excellent reading and make first-class "copy" for the reporters of the breach of promises cases.

I. Then they are not devoid of merit?

C. They have the merit of being amusing.

I. What is matrimony?

C. The tie which results in loves undoing.

I. What is a bride?

C. A thing to weep over.

I. Why is the bridegroom's super called "the best man?"

C. Because he is still unwed and has the best of it.

I. What is a wedding?

C. The apotheosis of a woman.—London Express.

Echo of Dark Ages

The action of the church board of the M. E. church of Reedsburg, Wis., in demanding the resignation of the pastor of their church because he refereed a basket ball game, savors of "a tempest in a teapot." Basket ball is an innocent sport that is witnessed by church people everywhere and if it is all right for church people to go to see the games, it is equally right for the preacher to officiate as umpire if he wants to.—Middle River Pioneer.

Dressing the Sponge.

When sponges are first torn from the sea bed they are of a dark color and living. By tramping and pressing them with the feet a milky substance oozes out, whereupon the sponge dies. They are then immersed in the sea for a space of eight or ten hours. The dark, skinny substance is then removed by scraping, and gradually, through cleaning, drying and bleaching, they take on the fine yellow color which characterizes many of them.

PLAY WITH A WARRIOR

ADMIRAL EVANS SPENDS INTERESTING MORNING WITH J. J. HILL'S GRANDCHILDREN

TELL NAVAL MAN HOW THEY WILL REPEL ATTACKS OF CRABS AND WORMS

A great big warrior, a man who represents the roar of Long Toms, the tumult of the mad waters, the sinking of mammoths of the sea, the conflict of arms, spent a large part of his morning today playing with two little babies and telling them how fishworms crawl up out of the sands and how crabs reach out their tremulous claws to pinch little boys' fingers if they don't watch out. The great big warrior was "Fighting Bob" Evans, of Uncle Sam's navy, and the little wonder-eyed open mouthed babes who listened to his tales of adventure were Courty and Jerome Hill, the sons of Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway, and grandsons of James J. Hill, who sat on the other side of the fireplace in his Summit avenue home taking part in the sport with absolute indifference to the price of consols or the temper of Wall street.

Admiral Evans and his host had been enjoying a morning chat over the logs when George E. Harmon, who is managing the fighter's lecture tour, dropped in with a Dispatch representative, for a little business visit. Business was interrupted by the entrance of the two children. Courty led the way, and Jerome came after, dressed up in a fuzzy-wuzzy fur thing that made him look like a fat, chubby Teddy Bear. The flaxen hair that wouldn't stay down rose all over his big young head in billows of curls. "The man who has lived more stories than Zogbaum or I could invent," stretched out his hand.

"Hallo, there!" he exclaimed.

"Hallo," said Jerome, stoutly.

Jerome Pleads Guilty.

"I want to know who sent those flowers up to my wife this morning—that's what I want to know," said the Admiral sternly.

"I did," said Jerome, with a stout assertion of his right to send all the flowers he pleased to anybody's wife.

"Well, I want to know where you got all those flowers in such cold weather."

"F'm Talifornia," said Jerome, "in a dreat big tar."

"F'om Talifornia in a tar, eh?"

"An' I'm doin' in a tar, too."

"So'm I," said Courty, in a little hurry for fear of being left out.

"And youre going in a great big car? Well, well—and where are you going?"

"Talifornia."

"What for?"

"To dig," said Jerome with the air of a Forty-niner.

"To dig! To dig gold?" inquired the Admiral, interestedly.

To Dig Shells.

Courty and Jerome snorted contemptuously.

"No!" said Jerome. "Shells."

"Shells?"

"Yes," said Jerome. "An' I'm doin' to det you a pointed shell."

"What are you going to get me?" asked the railroad magnate on the other side of the fire. Courty turned and faced him thoughtfully. Then he came to a conclusion.

Whitefish for Grandpa.

"A white fish," he said, solemnly. "A long, white fish, like 'at," and he measured off a piscatorial dream as far as he could stretch his tiny arms. Somehow or other, Grandfather Hill looked as though he'd rather have that fish than another railroad, and the Admiral seemed to envy the magnate his good fortune.

"When you're digging in the sand," said the admiral, addressing Jerome earnestly, "you'll come across a shell that moves, like that," and he wiggled his fingers like a crab, right up to Jerome's little nose. "Then what'll you do?"

"Hit 'im wif my shovel!" said Jerome.

"And put him in my pail," said Courty.

"And then you'll see a long worm, and it'll come up out of the sand and go like that," and the admiral imitated a fish worm squirming its accordion length toward Jerome's big dreamy eyes. "What'll you do then, eh That's what I want to know."

Jerome thought a minute.

Would Use Shovel Again.

"I'd hit 'im wif my shovel, too."

"And put him in my pail," said Courty, with an air of finality that quite did for the poor worm. "And then I'll fish a big whale and put him in my pail."

"That's right," said the admiral. "If you come across any little things like whales and porpoises and sharks, just hit 'em wif your shovel an' put 'em in your pail. But if you find a monkey—a big monkey, all dressed up in blue pants and a red coat and a funny cap, you want to remember him. Don't forget him. He walks on his hind legs like a man."

"Put him in my pail," said Courty.

"Hit 'im wif my shovel," said Jerome.

And then the nurse came and took them away, and the great big warrior and the railroad magnate sat and gazed into the open fire and saw wonderful pictures.—St. Paul Dispatch.

EDUCATORS WILL GATHER IN CROOKSTON

The officers of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association have announced the preliminary program for the annual convention which will be held in Crookston, March 18 and 19 next. It is expected that the attendance will be exceedingly large from all sections of the northwestern portion of the state. The evening previous to the convening of the convention the board of education announces that the new Franklin school building will be dedicated, and an invitation to all is extended.

The following outline of the program is made public:

GENERAL SESSIONS.

THURSDAY P. M., MARCH 18.

Central Theme: The Concentration of the Present Educational Ideas.

Principal subjects:—

1. The Fundamentals in the City Schools.
2. The Essentials in the Common Schools.

THURSDAY EVENING, 7:30.

1. Lecture by Dr. Frank L. McVey, President of the North Dakota University and late Chairman of the Minnesota Tax Commission.
2. Reception by citizens and teachers of Crookston.

FRIDAY A. M., MARCH 19.

I. Convention of Rural School Officers and Teachers. Leader, N. A. Thorson, Superintendent of Polk Co.

II. General Session.

1. The Elimination of Non-Essentials 2. The Practical Enlargement of the Present Educational Tendencies.

3. How Can the Schools Best Fill the Needs of Society?

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

Round Tables.

I.

1. Rural School Teachers.
2. Manual Training.
3. Domestic Science.
4. Red River Valley Athletic League.
5. Boards of Education of Cities and Villages.
6. High School English.
7. Primary and Intermediate Grades.

II.

Visit to State Agricultural School.

General Notes.

(1) The Crookston schools will be in session Thursday forenoon, March 18, and visitors are cordially invited to inspect any of the work of the schools.

(2) School officers will kindly take notice that County Superintendent Thorson, of Polk County, has planned meetings for their special interest, at which discussions of practical subjects relating to rural school administration will be led by the Superintendent of Public Intsruction and by other leading educational authorities. It is to be borne in mind that school officers attending this meeting are entitled to mileage and per diem. School officers interested in the discussion of any special topic or particular school problem are invited to communicate same to the County Superintendent as soon as possible before the final program is made out.

(3) Among those who will be conspicuous on the program and in the general discussions:

Mr. H. C. Misner, president of 25,000 Club.
Pres. Weld, Moorhead.
Mr. Geo. B. Aiton, State High School Inspector.
Mr. S. A. Challman, State Graded School Inspector.
Mr. R. J. Montague, Crookston.
Supt. Wm. Robertson, Crookston.
Supt. E. E. McIntire, Crookston.
Supt. J. J. Bohlander, Detroit.
Supt. Leonard Koos, Red Lake Falls.
Supt. J. H. Hay, Thief River Falls.
Supt. A. P. Richie, Bemidji.
Supt. E. A. Williams, Stephen.
Supt. G. E. Keenan, Warren.
Supt. J. J. Boraas, Red Wing.
State Supt. C. G. Schulz.
Prof. Rankin, University of Minn
Supt. E. C. Stackman, Argyle.

(4) Crookston Hotel has been selected as headquarters.

Free entertainment, in whole or in part, will be provided for many of the lady teachers in the homes of the citizens, but those wishing to avail themselves of this opportunity should send their names to Elizabeth Sadley, Secretary, Crookston, Minn., a few days in advance of the meeting.

Satisfactory meals can be secured at the restaurants and some of the hotels for 25 cents each, or on the European plan.

(5) Every effort is being put forth by the officers of the association, the citizens of Crookston and the teachers of the city schools to make this meeting one of interest and value. Excellent music under the direction of Professor Powers will be a feature of all the programs. The co-operation of all city superintendents, principals of graded and semi-graded schools, school officers and friends of education is earnestly solicited to make this meeting full of help and inspiration.

(Signed.)

Ingmaar Boraas,
President.
Elizabeth Sadley,
Sec'y-Treas.

Don't Grouch

Prosperity is coming or going—it all depends upon how you look at it. It will not come to us unless we get out, hustle a few and greet it with open arms. You cannot sit idly on the apple barrel, industriously engaged in doing nothing, and get a call from prosperity. Prosperity only calls on people who are awake, alive and up to the minute. If you are a dead one there is little prospect that you will meet or even overtake the prosperity entry. Look yourself over, give an honest opinion and see what class you are in. If you are not in the prosperity class duck away from the pessimists and move over into the ranks of the boys who are doing things Everybody is not favored with success, but it is more pleasant to be with a cheerful, optimistic crowd than with those who have on a grouch. Don't be a groucher.—Fertile Journal.

A Busy Time.

On a windy day it is quite trying for a woman to attempt to hold up her skirt, hold on her hat and hold her tongue all at once.—Philadelphia Record.

All's to be feared where all's to be gained.—Byron.

Just a Few Words of Advice

from his banker has helped many a man to establish himself firmly on the financial ladder. Why not put YOURSELF in position to get this help in case of need? No expense, just open an account with this bank. No account too large or too small to receive the personal attention of our officers. Their experience in financial affairs has been long and varied they know the strong points which won for successful men — the weak points which brought failure to others.

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Want The Packing Plant

The farmers of this section of the state, and in fact of the entire state, are very desirous of seeing the Armour Packing plant located in Minnesota. They want it located at New Brighton if that is where the Armour interests want it and insist upon having it there or nowhere.

The farmers realize as the other business interests do that the location of such a plan in Minnesota means a better market for a vast amount of farm produce. They know it means a new industry in the state with millions to be paid out in payrolls, and multi-millions for cattle hogs, etc., to the farmers of the state. The reports have been so very conflicting that it is all but impossible to judge from this distance to what degree the residence section of St. Paul, or the State University would be injured, if at all, but we believe that we could stand any smell from a plant located from two to four miles from us. Such propositions should be viewed from a broad standpoint, and the interests of the entire state of Minnesota should not be sacrificed for the interests of the few, and specially if there is no real injury or inconvenience to any one.

A Notable Vietory

The closing hours of the Roosevelt administration seems destined to be marked by the accomplishment of one of the most notable reforms contended for by the president and his advisers and repeatedly indorsed by the people of the country but obstinately refused heretofore by reason of the persistent opposition of special interests.

The house of representatives yesterday afternoon passed by a narrow majority the Appalachian and White Mountain forest reserve bill. The bill has yet to go to conference and may possibly fail, but chances for its final passage today or tomorrow are good. It is the cap sheaf of the measures that have been put forth during the past few years to conserve the natural resources and particularly the forests and the water sources of the country. Altho of local significance in its title, the bill applies to all the states and territories of the Union. It creates the national forest reservation commission for the purpose of acquiring by condemnation or purchase, such lands are needed to promote or protect the navigability of streams on whose watershed they lie. The bill reduces the matter of forest conservation and the protection of head waters to a system and will undoubtedly be the basis for all future work along this line on the part of the government.—Duluth Herald.

Helping The Farmer

President Roosevelt's commission on country life having added appreciably to the nation's fund of humor by its recent report, the moment may be opportune to remark that the movement for which the commission stands is one of the most important which has yet engaged the attention of the people of this country says the Grand Forks Times.

The problem of bringing greater contentment to the people of the rural districts really overshadows the tariff question or the regulation of railroads. At the present time the farmer is envious of the city person, who, apparently is better appareled, properly manicured and more frequently washed. The agriculturist is obvious of the fact that the "bossed" counter jumper or desk slave is quite as envious.

With the awakening resulting from the work of the government commission, it is readily seen that the advantage is with the farmer. He may bring city advantages to the farm, and retain his independence. In fact, he is already at work to this end. The report refers to the upbuilding of social centers in the country, to cluster around the community church and the school house and the institution of different systems of education.

The farmer is quite willing, but he says: "What's the use without good roads?" Quite properly, he demands these first. Next he wants more free mail delivery. He needs these to help the proposed social and educational schemes. His program as to sequences is sound, and the entire nation must poin him in starting the legislative machinery to give him what he wants. It is mainly a question of transportation.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

(New York Press)

The thing a man likes about washday dinners is that is the day he does not come home to his.

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There's hardly anything seems so wonderful to a woman as how cunningly the baby could talk if it knew how.

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A woman can thrill as deeply over her preparations for housekeeping as a man over getting ready to go fishing.

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If a woman can't marry a man herself because she already has a husband, she'll marry him to somebody else, anyway.

LOW RATE

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS

(Chicago News)

The sunlight of happiness seldom falls upon a shady reputation.

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Even a slow-witted man may eventually get next in a barber shop.

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The man in the moon is the only chap who seems to thrive on a highball.

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He's a wise man who makes the mistake of guessing a woman's too young.

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To render marriage a success the husband must be patient and the wife a martyr.

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And you can't always tell by a girl's looks whether she has a cold in her head or is in love.

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It is better to lead a procession than to follow it—unless the leader is in a black wagon with glass windows.

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It is far easier to criticise the small mistakes of others than it is to make a few larger ones yourself.

The Purpose of Life

Life is simply time given to man to learn how to live. Mistakes are always part of learning. The real dignity of life consists in cultivating a fine attitude toward our own mistakes and those of others. An essential to right living is the daily use of golden grain belt beer. This pure, wholesome beverage, if served at mealtime, gives a feeling of bodily comfort and mental exhilaration—makes rich red blood and healthy tissue. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Journal want ads bring results.

STATE PRESS

Sauk Rapids Sentinel-Free Press: Minnesota is proud of four of her congressmen: Lindbergh, Volstead, Steenerson and Davis. They are with the "insurgents" who are opposed to the continuance of the Cannon czardom. With the succession of Clarence B. Miller to J. Adam Bede a fifth member from this state will be added to the list. Nye and Stevens, too are done too devoted to the Cannon regime. But Jim Tawney—well ... him is different.

International Falls Press: President-elect Taft will be sworn in next week, March 4. Mr. Bryan is supposed to have done his swearing on Nov. 4.

Detroit Record: Again a corps of competent engineers have reported that work on the Panama canal is progressing favorably and that the lock type is the most practical, etc. This ought to last us until after the first of the coming year.
PRESS e shre she she shrdld

Perham Enterprise: Attorney General Simpson has decided that the good roads amendment, was carried in 1906 as well as the wide open tax amendment. One of those measures was certainly defeated but Simpson refuses to be 'shown" that they were.

All a woman has to do to discover brains in a man is to be his mother.

CORRESPONDENCE

KEYSTONE

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann and sons Lewis and Andrew and Miss La Grave drove to Grand Forks last Saturday.

Mr. John Gerber visited school district No. 30 last Friday. Mr. Gerber is the treasurer of the school mentioned and thinks that the pupils are progressing fast in all their studies. The teacher, Miss Agnes La Grave deserve praise from parents and visitors.

Mr. Simon Aeschlimann is at present visiting among his many friends and relatives in different parts of Illinois.

Mrs. R. Ehnen celebrated her birth day on the 15th of this month. She received many beautiful birthday cards, also many good wishes for many more happy returns of the day.

Mr. Adolph and Mr. Albert Horn two prominent young gentlemen drove to Grand Forks one day last week to transact business.

Mr. Everett Capes and sister Miss Violet, Mr. Hoffman, Miss Agnes La Grave and the Messrs and Misses Aeschlimann enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. Ehnen and family last Sunday.

The teacher and pupils of district number 30 enjoyed a vacation last Monday.

Miss Agnes La Grave and Miss Lydia Aeschlimann are joyfully thinking of the future. They consider themselves the "Old Maids" of Key Stone. As soon as Miss La Grave's school closes they intend to keep old maids' hall, somewhere between here and Grand Forks. An automobile and a cozy cottage will be their greatest and future delights. May the lives of the old maids be long and happy.

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mr. Simon Aeschlimann lost a valuable work horse one day last week.

A great deal of grain handled at the two Sherack elevators.

Valentine day was appropriately remembered around here,

Mr. Chas. Sirek of Tabor was here Thursday to meet relatives.

Mrs. H. Osterloh spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Sirek Sr., of Tabor.

Messrs. D. H. Miller, L. Osterloh, J. B. Goodwin, J. McLellan, E. Johnston and Douglas Snelling drove to Euclid last Wednesday evening to see a new Woodman initiated in the secrets of Woodman craft.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobias of Brandt drove to Tabor last Thursday.

We hope our Angus weather prophet may be right in predicting an early spring; conservative people like to count the little Biddies after the eggs are hatched.

Miss Bertha Erdmann left last Friday evening via the G. N. for the Queen City to visit with home folks and celebrate Washington's birthday.

L. Osterloh drove to Key Stone on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sirek a newly married couple left last Saturday morning via the Soo from Warren for Lankin, N. D., their future home. Their many friends around here wish them a long and happy married life.

Mrs. J. W. Campion has been very ill, but is of late improving nicely.

Little Oliver Goodwin is a very sick boy.

Mrs. E. Pulkrabek is improving steadily.

Pessimists are scarce around here; our inhabitants are a lively enterprising class of people, full of vim and get-up.

Hay and straw stacks are disappearing fast and our farmers are now busy getting their seed grain ready, the harness repaired, cleaned and oiled and everything in good shape for spring work.

Mr. Frank Sirek, Sr., returned from Warren last Saturday morning.

Mr. Frank Taus transacted business in Warren last Saturday.

Mr. C. E. Broadwell of Euclid, rural mail carrier on route one had the misfortune last Friday to lose one of his sled runners and Mr. B. had to make the return trip afoot. Never mind' says Charley "Uncle Sam's mail got there just the same."

Mr. Joseph Brantl a prominent Taborite and progressive farmers was shaking hands with Sherack friends last Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Baars was visiting with Mr and Mrs. G. H. Horn of Key Stone last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Alma Horn returned home one day last week from a four weeks' vis-

The most important thing about having a good time is imagination enough it with relatives and friends in East Grand Forks.

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann after spending five weeks with relatives and friends in Illinois her former home state, returned home last week.

Mr. Nels Swanson the Crookston veteran well digger finished a flowing well at Mr. G. H. Horn's and now Mr. Horn has all kinds of water for his large herd. Mr. Swanson is now taking a lay-off and is enjoying a well earned rest.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh and family were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston last Saturday evening.

Adolph and Albert Horn two prominent young mben of Key Stone drove to Grand Forks last Thursday returning the next day.

Miss Rose Kotek celebrated last Sunday, the anniversary of her 19th birthday.

The Key Stone Cheer Up Club is likely to die soon in its infancy. The fairies claim the old bachelors are too stubborn to yield to the pleadings and entreaties of the souffragettes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn of Key Stone were visiting with Angus friends last Monday.

The dance in Euclid last Monday in honor of Washington's birthday was a swell affair and Angus, Key Stone and Tabor were well represented. The dance was gotten up for a benevolent purpose. The Euclid people are known to be kind-hearted and charitable.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goodwin of Key West were visiting here the first of the week with their children Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brantl entertained last Tuesday evening at their beautiful and ever hospitable home a great number of young folks. The evening was spent in playing various games and in vocal and instrumental music. The duet sung by the Misses Tillie Brantl and Rose Kotek was of a high order and was very much appreciated. A dainty luncheon was served at mid night and the visitors did not go home until morning. In leaving the young folks voted Mr. and Mrs. Brantl splendid entertainers.

Miss Bessie Brantl left last Saturday for East Grand Forks where she intends to spend the rest of the winter.

Miss Tillie Brantl and brother Jerry drove to Tabor last Sunday morning to attend divine services.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

MANY WILL BE HELPED

HOW TO PREPARE A MIXTURE TO CURE—SAYS THIS IS VERY GOOD

DREAD DISEASE, WHICH IS SAID TO YIELD TO SIMPLE HOME RECIPE

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription forces the clogged up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and tortuous disease, but dangerous to life this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescriptions regularly a dose or two daily ar even a few times a week would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce indeed, and when you need it you want it badly.

WONDERS OF VELOCITY.

A Piece of Thin Cardboard Will Cut Through Wood.

Velocity has a great deal to do with one substance's ability to break through another, and it is remarkable what can be accomplished by a comparatively soft substance against a much harder one when the former is given enough velocity. A bullet made of a tallow candle would smash flat if fired against a board from a toy gun, but when shot from an army rifle it will go right through the board. A stream of water has been known to have such swiftness of movement that a sword was broken in two when a strong man tried to cut it through. Cyclones have been known to drive such frail projectiles as straws well into a tree.

An interesting experiment showing what a soft substance can do may be performed by attaching a bristol board disk to the motor of an electric fan and setting it to revolving at the fan's usual rate. If a piece of wood, such as a lead pencil, for example, be carefully applied to the edge of the revolving disk, the wood will very readily be cut through. Of course if the disk were to revolve slowly the wood would soon blunt its edge.

A cross man would be worth at least a dollar a day more if he would become good natured.—Atchison Globe.

RADICAL RULING BY LAND OFFICE

HEREAFTER ONLY ELECTIVE, FEDERAL, STATE AND COUNTY OFFICERS

WILL BE GIVEN PRIVILEGE TO ABSENT THEMSELVES FROM HOMESTEADS

From Tuesday's Daily—

Only persons elected to federal state or county officers hereafter will be allowed to absent themselves from their homesteads and have such absence credited to them as constructive residence, according to a departmental circular just received here from the general landoffice. The circular follows:

"For many years it has been the practice of the department to permit a homestead entryman who has established residence upon his claim and afterwards had been elected or appointed to a federal, state or county office to be absent from his entry if required by his official duty and to consider such absence constructive residence upon his claim. This ruling includes deputies and assistants in such offices. Sec. 2 L. D., 147, 6 L. D., 668; 7 L. D. 88; 523-525; 17 L. D. 155.

"This privilege which is not a statutory right but rests solely upon departmental rulings, has led to such grave abuse that the objects of the homestead law have been to a great extent defeated. Threfore, the department has decided to discontinue the said practice in so far as it has been applied to persons appointed to office and limit it to persons elected to office. All decisions and instructions heretofore given, not in harmony with the view, are hereby overruled or modified in so far as they accredit such absence as residence to persons not elected to office.

"It is not intended however, to disturb the status of persons who have acted under the rule heretofore prevailing, nor to deny the benefit of the rule to persons who, prior to April 1, 1909, shall have been appointed to such office. Persons having homestead entries, who enter upon public service in non-elective positions to which they were not appointed prior to above date will be required to comply fully with all of the provisions of the homestead law just as other settlers."

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

MOTHER IMPROVING—F. M. Slyter has returned from Indiana where he was called by the serious illness of his mother. She is somewhat improved now.

EXAMINING LANDS— Mayor McPhee is spending the day near Euclid where he is examining some lands for parties who reside in Indiana . He will return this evening.

VISITED BEMIDJI—William Hughes of Crookston, the postoffice inspector of this district returned to the city this morning from a trip to the postoffices north of here and spent today in Bemidji.—Bemidji Pioneer.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — Henry Ross, one of the well known farmers residing on Rural Route No. 5 out of this city, is spending the day here attending to some business matters.

SIGNED WARRANTS — President Snyder of the city council as acting mayor today signed several city warrants in order not to delay the getting of money due by several parties. He said he wanted to sign one for himself but City Clerk Childs refused to make any of them out that way.

WERE MARRIED HERE — At 10 o'clock this morning Mr. Andrew Oen a wealthy farmer near Minot N .D. and Miss Annie Olson of the same place, were united in marriage by Rev. Salveson in this city. Mrs. McFadden a sister of the groom accompanied them here. They will leave for their North Dakota home this evening.

WILL VISIT PACIFIC COAST — Emil Hedberg cashier of the Bank of Spooner left this morning for a three weeks' annual vacation trip. He goes first to Minot, N. D. and from there will proceed to Seattle and other Pacific coast points. He has been in Crookston since last Friday, visiting with his brother, Robert Hedberg and his cousin, Lawrence Hedberg.

A GREAT RUNNER.

One of His Feats of Which He Had to Be Reminded.

"I'm the real thing as a runner," said Howard James majestically as he seated himself at the first home dinner since his return from college. His mother and sister looked at him in sheer admiration.

"Yes, mother, I wish you could have been at the university to see me run. During the football season I ran away from every one on the team. They were not in it for a minute. In the classes I took the lead, leaving them in the lurch. I always stood highest in my lectures. And then when it came to selecting a president for the class I made the race. When the voting started I ran second, but at the last, well, I ran ahead of all of the other candidates. There's no doubt about it, I'm a runner. Of course, when the baseball season opened the crowd wanted me to get on the team. At first I hesitated because I realized my superiority, but persuasion succeeded. I went on the team, and the way I ran bases was a positive shame. Then I went into the track meet. I ran ten yards in ten seconds, almost equaling the world's record. Yes; I am a runner. Then"—

"Then you ran into debt," interrupted Old Man James, with a distinctive grunt, "and I have to pay you out."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

DARK DOINGS.

The Reason One Woman Is Disgusted With the Voting Proposition.

When any one asked little Mrs. Pratt her opinion on the question of equal suffrage she had her answer ready. "I don't want to hear anything about it," she would say pleasantly, but firmly, "and I'd just as soon tell you why. It's because there's got to be a concealment and mystery about voting, and I like things open and aboveboard. It's the way I was brought up and the way I shall always feel if I live to be a hundred.

"I've had one experience, and that's all I want. A friend of mine talked and talked to me about voting on the educational question till at last I said I would, because I was brought up to think a great deal of education, and I always shall. So I gave up an engagement to go to the polls and register (and the dress was almost spoiled on account of my missing that trying on, too, because she didn't wait to see whether it fitted or not, but stitched the seams right up), and then I took the greatest pains to go and vote just as they'd told me to, and what do you suppose Henry Pratt told me afterward? My vote was thrown out because I had the frankness to write my full name and address on it!

"I told Henry that nothing would surprise me after that—nothing!"

At His Expense.

She—Jack told me that that hospital was built entirely at his expense. Is it possible? He—Well, Jack's uncle cut him off with a hundred dollars and left the rest of his money to build the hospital.

Journal want ads bring results.

From Tuesday's Daily

WILL ESTABLISH DITCH— Surveyor O. L. Hamery left this morning for Warren where today it is expected Judge Grindeland will establish Judicial Ditch No. 8 this being the date for the final hearing.

MAYOR NOT FOOLED—Mayor McPhee went to Euclid this morning on business. He was not fooled by lamb like March and tho it was warm and balmy he went with all the accoutrements for an artic trip, barring the dog sleighs.

LOOKING AFTER PROPERTY — Cashier L. Ellington of the Scandia American Bank is spending the day at Angus looking after some real estate business for the bank. He will return this evening.

BUSINESS MEN OPTIMISTIC—S. D. Felsing returned this morning from a business trip to Climax. He says the business men there are all looking toward a fine business the coming season, the best that has been enjoyed for several years past.

FARM SALE AT HALLOCK—C. A. Hitchcock left this morning for Hallock where he has a farm sale to cry. Yesterday he was in Tynsid township where he auctioned off a lot of property on the old Erik Jordahl farm, every thing bringing good prices and practically all sales were for spot cash.

SOLD SNUFF TO MINORS—August Erickson the proprietor of the Svea Hotel on North Broadway who also operates the confectionery in the same building, was brought before Judge Gossman in Municipal Court this morning charged with selling snuff to minors. He entered a plea of guilty and was fined $10 and costs. The complaint was made by Chief Eck. Erickson employed no attorney not desiring to fight the case as the evidence was conclusive against him.

WARREN BANKER HERE—Harry Wood, the well known banker from Warren returned home this morning after a business trip here. He says conditions up north are more promising than they have been for years, and with the good returns from the crops and produce last year both farmers and business men are feeling very optimistic regarding the future. He also states that there is more inquiry for land than for some time past, and many more actual sales to bona fide settlers.

SHOW A WINNER—Princess Tarpeia, who is the vaudeville feature at the Bijou this week made a big hit last evening to a packed house. She slipped out of handcuffs with no effort unlocking any number of them, released herself from a chair to which she was bound by a committee from the audience in which 60 feet of rope was used and slid out of a straight jacket in an incredibly short time. Her act is one of the best ever put on here and withal is very refined.

SHEFFIELD A CANDIDATE— W. B. Sheffield superintendent of the St. Anthony and Dakota Elevator Co. for this district, is certainly a candidate for a Carnegie Hero medal. This morning as the Greenbush train was pulling up in front of the depot Supt. Sheffield was standing on the platform and all of a sudden let a war whoop out of him in which he warned E. A. Mills, master carpenter for the Northern Division of the Great Northern, in thundering tones to "get out of the way of that engine." Mr. Mills jumped from the track and landed about 22 feet in the clear and turning in the direction of the approaching train discovered that while "it was coming" that it was still about two blocks away. He cast a casual glance at Supt Sheffield who was by this time hotfooting it for another train, and never looked back. What Mr. Mills said could not be distinctly understood, but there is no question but what he was thinking of Supt. Sheffield would sound much more vigorous in print than what he muttered.

The Retort Courteous.

Professor Bates was quizzing a student named Pond, who seemed to know nothing of the subject in hand. "Are there no fish in this pond this morning?" he exclaimed at length.

"Yes, professor," replied the student, "but the Bates no good."—Lippincott's.

Good Family.

"My daughter appears to have married very happily," remarked a lady. "Her husband has not wealth, it must be admitted, but he has family."

"Yes. I heard he was a widower with six children!" a neighbor sniffed acridly.

The Midnight Sun.

The midnight sun is visible wholly above the horizon at the North Cape from May 13 to July 30, at Hammerfest from May 15 to July 27 and at Tromso from May 20 to July 22.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

GOLD LAID WATCHES FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS American Movement, Guaranteed for doing a few hours' easy work. Send name and address Today. We'll send full particulars by return mail. Manager, Box 362, Worthington, Minn.

HERE FROM EUCLID— Manager Alfred Vonderbeck of Senator Works' farm at Euclid, and Ray Goodwin one of the salt of the earth of Euclid, drove down this morning and will return home this afternoon. They both predict an early spring and state that conditions were never more favorable in that section.

DAMAGE SLIGHT—Little damage was caused by the fire broke out yesterday morning at 4:30 o'clock above the Club saloon on DeMers avenue in East Grand Forks. The flames which started from a burning chimney were discovered in good time and quick work by the fire department disposed of the fire in a few minutes. The chemical engine was used and spite of the fact that the work was done without an authorized chief it was well done. The building was owned by Young Bros. & Poupore and the damage is covered by insurance.

FINE NEW SCHOOL—B. D. Keck the well known local architect, has completed the plans for the new school house which will be erected at Erskine. The plans are now on exhibition in the east end town and there is no question but that when the structure is completed it will be a distinct addition to the importance of Erskine.

WANT VALLEY LAND — L. Lamberson a well known banker of Warren was in the city yesterday and he took occasion to state that in his opinion this is going to be one of the mose prosperous years that this section of the Northwest has experienced in many years. He looks for a big movement of land seekers to the Red River Valley and is confident that many will find their way to Marshall county.

FIRE AT ST. HILAIRE — At about 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning the American Hotel at St. Hilaire caught fire and before the blaze was extinguished the structure was completely destroyed. The fire was the most complete one that has ever been recorded in the city. The furnishings of the place were completely destroyed and, in addition to the property, $200 in cash was burned up.

There is no knowledge as to how the fire started. The fire department arrived on the scene in short order, but it was impossible to save the structure, and all the firemen could do was to confine it to the hotel. The fire was most spectacular and most of the citizens of St. Hilaire were aroused and witnessed the destruction of the old land mark.

The loss is partially covered by insurance. It was operated and owned by a Mr. Abrahamson.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures cough quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.
Sold by all druggists.

COLORED WOMEN MIX—Two colored women arrested by Officer Quigley, of East Grand Forks for engaging in a public fistic encounter were arraigned in the municipal court yesterday afternoon and furnished a rather humorous diversion. Maggie was the first to appear on the scene and plead guilty t othe charge of remarking that she might have to plead guilty again. When the judge asked her what she meant she said she intended to give the woman a real beating up the next time she saw her. She paid her fine good naturedly and left the court shaking a rather formidable pair of 'dukes' in imitation of the way she intended to use them on Nellie. Nellie appeared in a few moments very much slighter and smaller than the redoubtable Maggie and told a harrowing tale of how Maggie was entertaining her husband at her restaurant in spite of her orders to the contrary. She also paid a fine of $9.50.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Some Facts About Smut

N. P. Stone & Co. Mail Very Important Circulars To Farmers Of This Section.

N. P. Stone & Co., have had a circular printed for the purpose of mailing to the farmers of this section, containing "some facts about smut" in which the subject is treated exhaustively by Prof. H. L. Bolley of the N. Dakota College of Agriculture located at Fargo, and the enterprise of N. P. Stone & Co., in getting this information before the farmers is certainly entitled to great praise as it shows a commendable interest in the welfare of the farmer. The article is as follows:

There are several diseases of grain which are commonly known as smut.

Smut is recognized by the transformation of some part of the plant, into a mass of very small dark colored bodies, known as spores. The stinking, or covered, smuts of wheat or barley, and the loose smut of oats, are by far the most prevalent and are therefore the most destructive. Wheat smuts will not affect or grow in oats or barley, neither will the oat or barley smut affect wheat.

Grain is infected, by the smut spores becoming lodged upon the grain in the field in threshing, in handling, etc., and the spores are planted with the seed grain. When the seed germinate and penetrate the seedling. As the grain plant grows, the smut plant grows inside of it, but is not apparent until the grain plant begins to produce a crop of seed. The seed or other parts of the plant are then replaced by a mass of smut spores.

It only takes a very few heads in each acre of grain, to infect the whole crop, as the spores, or particles of smut, are fine like dust and are easily blown from plant to plant and from field to field by the wind. **One spore** will infect a healthy grain, and the spores developed in this healthy body will then go on infecting other heads, the spread thus being very rapid. The only way the spores have of living and carrying on their deadly work from season to season is in the seed grain for they do not remain in the ground. From the infected seed grain in the spring comes the damage.

Every grain grower knows that the question of stinking smut in wheat, and the smut of other grains, is a serious one. Statistics show, that sowing untreated smutty wheat lessens the yield from one to twelve bushels per acre and gives a poor quality of wheat, grading either "no grade" or rejected; and thereby lessening the price from 5c to 25c per bushel.

Millions Lost Each Year Thru Smut.

Dr. J. Howard Faull, cryptohamic botanist, of the University of Toronto has just completed a comprehensive tour of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, where he has been making a preliminary investigation of the wheat smut problem of the West. Special inquiries were conducted at a number of representative centers. In Southern Alberta he was joined by Mr. G. H. Clark the Dominion seed commissioner.

Dr. Faull says that with the exception of rust, there is no disease of wheat that occasions such a large annual loss to the country as smut—or stinking smut—a loss that amounts each year to millions of dollars. There is a loss all the way thru with a smutted crop, in the decreased yield, the lower price per bushel paid to the farmer, the cost of scouring, and the infrior quality of flour at the end. Moreover, as smut is probably poisonous, and in any case unpalatable, its presence in comparatively small quantities vitiates wheat used for food.

Here a few extracts from the speech of Henry L. Bolley, Professor of Botany and Zoology at the North Dakota Agricultural College and Experimental Station, Fargo, N. D., at the Tri-State Grain Growers' Convention: ...

"Smut is one of the drawbacks to the growth of wheat in the Northwest. The farmer ought to object to the growth of smut for every reason, especially as he is in a position to object with the best hope of success. He can prevent the appearance of smut in the crop which he has for sale.

Then the excuse for grading down the quality of the wheat cannot exist. The chief reason, however, why he should prevent the growth of smut is to remove the element of gambling with nature, as to this feature of his farm work. Sometimes a man may sow smut seed which the elevator man may accept, but what was the loss in yield? This loss in yield is the greatest element. I have known crops of wheat upon the same soil, from the same quality of seed, which was seeded upon the same day, to give a great variation in yield, according as the treatment for preventive was successful, partially successful, or a failure. Often a crop which has been found to have but a few actually smutted heads in it has been found to possess much shrunken and light wheat, and to give a much reduced yield and low grade. Smut was in the straw but did not reach the heads before maturity of the grain.

The remedy of the evil equals prevention. **Stinking smut of wheat can be entirely prevented by a treatment of the seed grain befor sowing, so as to kill the smut spores** (seeds of the smut plant). **This can be done without injury to the germinating qualities** of the seed grain.

Indeed I have been found that the **treatment actually increases the yield** of wheat, even when applied to No. 1 Hard unsmutted wheat. My records show increased yield for treated seed over untreated seed, varying from **on-half bushel to 12 or 15 bushels per acre**, according to how badly the seed used was smutted. Thus one plot of wheat seeded upon the same ground and upon the same day, using smutty wheat treated and untreated, showed for **the treated sample a yield of 27 bushrels** of hard wheat; for the **untreated plot a yield of 17 bushels of a** lighter grade of wheat This untreated plot showed **28 per cent of actual smutted heads.**

The smut of oats, barley and millet each have one or more kinds of smut of their own, that is, one kind of smut does not affect more than one kind of plant. The same treatment recommended for wheat seems to be successful in thoroly preventing smut upon these three crops."

Here are some questions asked of Prof. Bolley, and their answers:

Q. How often is it necessary to treat wheat?

A. I should treat my wheat every year with Formalin (trade name for Formaldehyde.

Q. Isn't Blue Stone treatment as good?

A. Blue Stone will not get as good a yield as Formalin. Nearly four bushels better out of twenty-bushel crop.

Q. How much wheat will the 40 gallons cover?

A. I am able to apply 40 gallons to 70 bushels of wheat. Be sure to get the whole surface of the grain wet.

Q. Will the Formalin have the same effect on the seed if you allow it to dry on the seed?

A. It will.

Loose Smut in Oats

Smut in oats is just as destructive as in wheat. In 1901, 20 per cent of the oat crop in Wisconsin was infected with smut which cost the farmers of that State more than $6,000,000.00. This great loss aroused the farmers to the fact that something must be done. In 1902 treating seed oats with farmaldehyde was quite general, and the results were very effective and satisfactory. In all cases where the remedy was properly applied, smut was entirely prevented.

A Positive Cure for Smut

Experiments at the different State Experimental stations all over the country have proven that the spores of the stinking smuts of wheat and barley, and the loose smut of oats, can be killed on the seed grain, without injuring the grain in any way whatever, and the reappearance of smut in the crop be absolutely prevented.

The treatment is very simple and inexpensive. Use formaldehyde (40 per cent strength), the trade name of which is formalin, at the rate of 16 oz. avoirdupois, to 40 gal of water. Mix well and apply thoroly to seed grain. With this method of treating, failure to prevent smut is absolutely impossible except by the use of weak or poor formaldehyde, or thru careless and indifferent application. The latter is the cause of the largest number of failures.

Prof. E. C. Parker of the University of Minnesota, Agricultural Experimental Station, writes under date of Dec. 18, 1906, in response to our letter:

"The 'stinking' or 'covered smuts' of wheat and barley and the 'loose smut' of oats may be prevented from reappearing in succeeding crops, by treating the grain before seeding, with formaldehyde. It should be borne in mind that smuts are parasitic plant diseases, the seeds or reproductive bodies of which are the black smut particles; and that each smut particle will give rise to a smut plant that will grow and thrive within the tissue of the cereal host plant, if favorable conditions for germination and infection are given. Formaldehyde treatment of grain affected with 'stinking smut' or 'loose smut' in case of oats, will destroy the germinating power of these smut particles, and thus insure a clean crop the succeeding year."

The above is simply an extract from the letter. But from the fact that Prof. Parker is an acknowledged authority on the subject, it proves our statement, that formaldehyde will positively cure the above mentioned smuts.

The Proper Way to Apply Formaldehyde

There are a great many different methods by which this treatment can be applied, such as sprinkling, or placing the seed in sacks and then placing the sacks in barrels or vats and soaking it. But the only way in which it can be successfully applied, to be sure of satisfactory results, is by a special machine made for that purpose.

Figure out the Saving

Just take a pencil and paper and figure out what you can make and save on your farm. We will figure out as an example here, the saving on 40 acres of wheat.

If you sow good plump seed, free from smut and weeds, you should harvest at least 30 bu. per acre, or 1,200 bushels on the 40 acres. Now if you were to sow the very same seed, but infected with smut to any extent, this yield would be reduced fully 20 per cent or 240 bushels.

Aside from the reduction in yield there is also a very serious reduction in the grade of wheat raised from smutted seed.

Taking the light weight wheat and the lower grading on account of smut an estimate of 8c per bushel reduction in the market value would be very low. According to the above estimate, the following would be the result:

Loss in yield, 240 bu. at 80c per bu.	$192.00
The total yield after deducting the above would be 960 bu., deducting 8c per bushel	76.80
Total loss	$268.80

You can figure the same proportionate losses in oats or barley when infected with smut.

The above estimate of loss is very low, as you will see by referring to Prof. Bolley's figures, given at Fargo, N. D. His records show an increase of from 1 to 15 bushels per acre, when seed is treated with formaldehyde.

If you raise only 20 acres, you lose one-half of the above, or $134.40. If you raise 80 acres you lose double the amount, or $537.60.

Is it worth your while making a small investment, and taking a little time, to save these sums?

Read The Journal Wants.

A young woman whose furs seemed to last her an unusually long time without visits to the furrier for repairs says she owes their preservation to a hint given by an old furrier who had gone out of business. When the fur seems to be flattened or crushed, she wets a clean, rather soft hairbrush and brushes the fur the wrong way and then puts it in the air to dry. When no longer moist the fur is beaten lightly on the wrong side with a small carpet beater and then is combed in the right direction of the fur with a coarse hair comb.

Compensation.

Friend—If your washerwoman charges by the piece, it must be rather expensive. Young Housekeeper—Oh, no! She loses so many things that her bills are never high.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes.
Sold by all druggists.

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WELL KNOWN FARMER LOST HIS LIFE

Gunstein Jorgenson, A Farmer Residing Near Plummer Lost His Life As Result Of

A Peculiar Accident. Sleigh Tipped Over And He Was Pinioned Under Flour.

From Thursday's Daily—

A fatal accident took place near Plummer yesterday when Gunstein Jorgenson a farmer residing near Garness 15 miles from Plummer was found lying dead within two miles of home with a sack of flour on his head.

Jorgenson left Plummer at 6 o'clock last evening with Ole Berkland who is a neighbor, the later having been somewhat under the influence of liquor.

At 10:30 last evening Berkland straggled into Plummer without a hat but was too drunk to give any details and this morning when he woke up he could give no details of the sad affair. The team was discovered by a farmer and Postmaster Carl Moen of Garness and John Lundin started back towards lPummer and discovered Jorgenson with a sack of flour over his neck and nearby was the wagon box and the balance of the load of feed and flour the tip-over having taken place on a sharp bend in the road.

Coroner Mellbye of Thief River Falls was at once called and it was decided that the cause of death was concussion of the brain due to the fall.

Deceased was formerly a resident of Polk County and his father is now a prominent farmer of Bygland township. He was 40 years of age and leaves a widow and 8 children all young.

The deceased had not been drinking much, and the fault is laid to his companion who was paralyzed.

"JUNK" FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 26, 1909—(Special to the Journal)—Today the Senate was assuming a rather quiet air in listening to the first reading of a number of house bills, quite a contrast to yesterday when some very heated outbursts of oratory were indulged in over the Rowe Bill which involves the allowance or disallowance of the Armour Packing Co., to construct a packing plant between the twin cities.

The odor from such a concern is what is troubling the solons and especially the citizens of St. Paul. The House will have its say in airing this subject tomorrow when its "stink committee" (as a representative called it) reports the matter to the house.

Our genial Senator was asked, "How are you getting along?" He answereded with a smile, "I don't know, as some may think I am not doing enough."

The House was adjourned to allow the use of the large hall for a public hearing before the Retail Trade committee in regard to the law proposed to prohibit the use of trading stamps for premiums as is quite general among retailers.

Some very plain facts were propounded by twin city merchants and all seemed to favor the passage of such a law. But the trading stamp concerns were not wanting in representation and Representatives Lennon of Minneapolis declared he knew that all day paid lobbyists were "working in the dark" for such interests.

He pronounced all trading stamp methods as "bunco" only to "bunco" the people and then went on to say it places the people trading in the same position as a fellow smoking cigarettes till it killed him before he would get enough stamps to get a pipe.

The Senate and House in joint session will have the pleasure of seeing and hearing Rear Admiral Bobby D. Evans tomorrow at 11:00 a. m. in the hall of the House of Representatives.

Ex-auditor of Polk County, N. A. Hoffard was seen and he reported rather busy times as special accountant for the committee of Expenditures of which Representative Saugstad is the chairman. The latter said that it was rather disagreeable work to have to look around for labors in probing expenditures that should not be questioned.

Notes from the State "U"

The Crookston contingent at the University of Minnesota are all doing creditable work and it will be a pleasure to the citizens of the Queen City to learn that none of her sons or daughters are numbered among the 56 "flunkers" as a result of the final semester examinations held the last of January.

After a number of events among which may be mentioned various post-exam jubilees the visit of the state Legislature and the Girls' Basket Ball tournament in which the 'freshies" gained the laurels over a close second by the juniors things have assumed a quieter strain owing to the opening of lent and it is predicted that all will be more faithful to studies as a result.

Athletics at the University have had a very valuable addition to its many lines by having a swimming pool constructed in the Armory.

The tank is a large one and is very popular among the students as can be seen by the great numbers that indulge in swimming and diving every day. The water is heated and is changed often. A spring-board is in readiness for the high and acrobatic divers.

If the ideas of President Roosevelt are carried out by the presidents who succeed him in regard to the coinage of money, the famous Indian head, and maybe even the Goddess of Liberty, will disappear from American coins and the heads of great Americans will take their places. President Roosevelt has already issued an order for a design for a one-cent piece which will bear the head of Abraham Lincoln instead of the traditional American Indian. The design is a special profile of Lincoln by Victor Brenner in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the martyred president. It is claimed that the head of the American Indian now used on out one-cent pieces is "no more like the head of an Indian than it is like the head of a Chinese" says the Duluth Herald.

The dress of feathers is alleged to be the only resemblance. Partly on this account and partly because he advocates the European custom of placing the heads of men of the nation upon our coins, the president has ordered the new one-cent design to contain the head of Lincoln. The custom with most European countries is to carry the head of the reigning monarch upon their different coins but while the heads of famous Americans have been used upon our paper money, we have adhered to the custom of using only the heads of statesmen who are not living. The Lincoln one-cent piece will be the first American coin to bear the likeness of an American statesman.

It will be remembered that President Roosevelt has had other ideas in regard to our coins, one of which did not meet the approval of the people of the country. By his order the words "In God We Trust" were omitted from gold pieces only to be replaced by the direction of congress. In no other respect has congress ever given any direction as to the design of coins or paper money, the matter being one which is left entirely to executive discretion.

We are not satisfied with the honor which we have been able to give the memory of Abraham Lincoln and the new Lincoln coins will be welcomed regardless of what we may think of the policy of stamping the likenesses of statesmen upon coins in place of the figures now used.

FACTS ABOUT C. E. MEET

ST. PAUL CONVENTION CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY WILL

BE GREATEST INTERNATIONAL MEETING EVER HELD—MUCH INTEREST FELT

The visit of Secretary Howells of the State Endeavor Union has aroused special interest in the international convention of the C. E. Society which will be held in St. Paul. Following are a few facts regarding the convention which will be of special interest at this time.

As usual the convention will open Wednesday evening, (July 7) and close with the evening session on Monday (July 12). Delegations should plan to reach the city as early as possible on the opening day so as to have time for registration and assignment of entertainment before the opening of the convention.

Registration

The registration plan at previous conventions will be followed. The fee will be one dollar, which will entitle the delegate to the reduced rate for accommodations, the official Convention badge, the program, the privileges of the various state headquarters, and a copy of the St. Paul Convention Souvenir edition of the hymn book "Jubilant Praise" which will be used during the convention. Only persons wearing official badge will be admitted to the principal sessions, until after the hour set for beginning, which protects the delegates against being crowded out by local people and sightseers. No attempt will be made to register delegates in advance of their arrival, such plans having failed of a satisfactory degree of success in the past.

Entertainment

The standard rate for accommodations in private homes or boarding houses, obtaniable thru the entertainment committee, will be: lodging, fifty cents per night; breakfasts, twenty-five cents; luncheons, twenty-five cents; dinners, fifty cents. The entertainment committee expects to be able to furnish satisfactory accommodatoins to all who desire them, at this special rate of $1.50 per day. Those desiring special accommodations or hotel rooms will be served by the committee who will have schedules of rates, etc., on file.

Railroad Rates

The Western Passenger Association has made a general rate of one and a half cent a mile from all points in its territory west of Chicago, and it is expected that all passenger associations in the country will later make reduced rates.

Halls

St. Paul is unusually well equipped with adequate convention meeting places. We will need no tents, and there will be no necessity to take a street car to get to any of the regular places of meeting, from the main convention hall. The principal sessions will be held in our magnificent new $500,000 Auditorium,—"The finest hall in which a Christian Endeavor convention ever assembled"—which seats ten thousand people. This is a beautiful fire proof structure, with wonderful acoustic properties, seating more people than Madison Square Gardens, New York, and especially designed for the accommodation of great conventions.

Five large churches and the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium will be used for the various sectional meetings, the School of Methods, Quiet Hour, denominational rallies, etc. All these are within a radius of a few blocks from the Auditorium. One of the large churches will be devoted to the Juniors and Junior workers, thruout the week.

Convention Program

The program as always, is in the hands of the program committee of the United Society, who are not yet ready to make a complete announcement. The great central theme will be, "Thy Kingdom Come," and it will be treated by experts in its relation to the individual, home, social, civic, business and religious life, in its world-wide sweep. Each day will open with a great, central Quiet Hour service. This will be followed by the wonderfully helpful School of Methods, meeting in its six sections.

Mr. William Phillips Hall and Dr. James A. Francis who were so successful in the evangelistic work at the Seattle Convention, will hold great noonday evangelistic meetings in the Metropolitan Opera House one of the largest theatre buildings west of Chicago. They will also arrange special outdoor and shop meetings.

Speakers

The list of speakers will include some of the most famous men of the present day, and men of national reputation will be the rule, rather than the exception. They will include statesmen, leaders of reform and uplift work, business men, pastors, missionaries and practical workers from all departments of Christian activity. The names will be announced later.

Convention Features

Special features of the St. Paul Convention will be the Educational Exhibit and the singing parade and outdoor patriotic service.

The Educational Exhibit will be installed in the Armory the second largest hall in the city. It will consist of models, pictures, charts, literature, etc. Stereopticon and moving pictures will be used by experts in lectures to be given at stated hours.

On Thursday afternoon will come the great patriotic demonstration, similar to the famous service held on the east front of the Capitol during the Washington, 1896, Convention.

The tens of thousands of delegates will march from the Auditorium to the State capitol, where they will be massed on the steps and terraces for the great patriotic song-service and an address.

Music

This is to be the "Jubilant Praise" convention. Delegates to "St. Paul, 1909" are warned not to let anybody do their singing for them. We will be led by a monster chorus made up by combining specially drilled choirs from several cities, under the direction of Prof. E. O. Excell and Mr. Percy S. Foster. The book to be used is a new one "Jubilant Praise" which will be issued March 1, by the United Society of Christian Endeavor. It will have the "songs we all like to sing" and a special souvenir copy will be furnished free to each registered delegate. The best musical talent of the Northwest will render an oratorio on Saturday evening, to which the delegates will be admitted free.

St. Paul 1909 Rally Song

Tune: "The Battle Cry of Freedom."

We are marching in the Southland, we
are marching in the North,
Shouting the message of Endeavor!
In the East and in the West, see the
army going forth
Shouting the message of Endeavor!

Chorus:
For Christian Endeavor we sing as we
march,
True to our motto, "For Christ and
the Church;"
And in nineteen-hundred-nine, then
We'll rally in St. Paul,
Shouting the message of Endeavor!

See! the starry flag is waving beside
the Union Jack,
Leading the army of Endeavor!
And our march is ever onward, no
thot of turning back,
Shouting the message of Endeavor!

We are marching for Immanuel, our
Captain and our King,
Shouting the message of Endeavor!
From Quebec to California we make
His praises ring,
Shouting the message of Endeavor!

Let us rally in convention, full thirty
thousand strong!
Rally the Army of Endeavor!
And we'll win a mighty conflict
against the power of wrong,
Shouting the message of Endeavor!

—Walter D. Howell.

(Copies of the above song, words only, in leaflet form, can be had for 30 cents per 100 copies, postage prepaid, by addressing The Minnesota Endeavor News, 329 Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.)

FLE BULLET KILLED BOY

RALPH ANDERSON WHO VISITED HERE LAST SUMMER KILLED AT BLACKDUCK

PLAYMATE AND HIS BROTHER SCUFFLED AND RALPH SHOT AS RESULT

From Friday's Daily—

Paul Charbeneau of this city today received a letter telling of the tragic death of Ralph Anderson at Blackduck yesterday. Ralph with his brother Carl and a neighbor boy were playing and the two latter entered the Anderson house and took a 22 rifle from the wall. Carl took it away from the other boy or was trying to, when the weapon was discharged the bullet going thru the wall and striking Ralph who died the following day.

Ralph was 6 years or age, and last summer visited Paul Charbeneau in this city. His mother is a widow who is also known here.

A man can stay out all night without getting sleepy, but if he spends the evening at home he can't keep his eyes open after 9 o'clock.

WHO WILL BE THE NEXT GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA

Geo. F. Authier Discusses Possibilities In The Minneapolis Tribune.

Geo. F. Authiers the special representative of the Minneapolis Tribune who was here recently with members of the state legislature who visited the Crookston School of Agriculture, sizes up the political situation in Minnesota as follows:

Governors are being made during the present session of the legislature. They are not being made by legislative enactment, but one of them will be turned out to make his appearance two years hence. Whether he will be republican or Democratic remains to be seen. Incidentally the constitutional provision, which makes it impossible for senators to take the governorship after having voted to increase the salary of the executive, makes it extremely embarrassing for on both sides of the fence.

Looking first at the Republican side of the proposition, Lieutenant Governor A. O. Eberhart is credited with having special and direct lines out on the governor's chair. The lieutenant governor lives in the southern part of the state, is a Scandinavian with a German name and has a state-wide acquaintance which would make him a formidable candidate both for the nomination and for the office. His four years' association with the senthe way of acquaintance. He is saying ate gives him a strong following in nothing, but is inviting the stroke. But there are others. Secretary of State Julius Schmahl is almost an avowed candidate, and even if he is not avowed it is generally accepted that this is his position. Mr. Schmahl has been playing the game pretty strenuously and his recent attack on the primary law at the Ryan hotel banquet is taken as a bid for the nomination on strict party lines. State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart is also being mentioned as a candidate altho it is being given out that he would be satisfied with retention in his present place for another two years' term.

State Auditor S. G. Iverson is also listed as a possible candidate and the Republican mind naturally strays in the direction of Ripley Brower as a possible candidate, and the republican mind naturally strays in the direction of Ripley Brower as a possible candidate but it is suggested that Mr. Brower is likely to prefer the practice of law rather than engage in the vicissitudes of politics. Robert C. Dunn of Princeton is taking a hand in the framing up game that is going on during the legislature while Joel P. Heatwole makes frequent visits to St. Paul. While the day of evil is a long way off the gubernatorial aspirants see in the present session an opportunity to prepare and they are preparing with a vengeance.

Were it not for the constitutional provision the senate would undoubtedly furnish a number of candidates. This fact rather galls the upper body. There are a number of able and patriotic statesmen in that body who are of the opinion that they would like to become the Republican Moses, but they voted to increase the governor's salary and the constitution say them nay. The trouble affects Democrats as well as Republicans. Among the Republican possible gubernatorial aspirants is Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston, who might like to get in the race, but can't. Incidentally Mr. Stephens may run for congress in his district two years hence, altho he is giving no sound that would indicate his intentions. However, it is rumored that the Steenerson forces in the Ninth are watching his actions closely. But that is another story. The national congress has set an example in the case of Senator P. C. Knox, for whom the salary of secretary of state has been reduced so that he might accept that portfolio under President-elect Taft. If this can be done in the case of Mr. Knox why not do it here, and there have been suggestions looking to a reduction of the salary of Gov Johnson in the interest of the senators who are now out of the running. Whether Gov. Johnson would take kindly to this proposition is not a matter of record, but the chances are that he would deprecate any such program. Barring this possibility the senators are wondering if some other method of avoiding the constitutional provision might not be found and legal authorities are being consulted.

No such handicap exists in the house where there are a number of potential governors and at least one potential lieutenant governor. This personage is none other than W. A. Nolan of Grand Meadow chairman of the house Republican steering committee and a man who will undoubtedly receive strong backing for the place when the time comes.

The Democratic program is a hard one to solve and Republicans are intimating that the plan is to place Gov Johnson in such a position that he will be compelled to run a fourth time. Outside of the possibility of Gov. Johnson being a fourth time candidate, Senator S. D. Works of Mankato would be the most promising aspirant for the place were it not for the constitutional provision. Appearances indicate that the Democrats hope to get around this provision if necessary, and it would be in the interest of Works. The Mankota man is a man of considerable wealth and a resident of the second district. He would be able to finance his own campaign and his Second district residence would help the Democrats in the effort to hold that territory. All indications are that Senator Works is being groomed for the place. He has long been prominent in Johnsonian politics. He campaigned all over the northern part of the state last fall with the governor and has been brought prominently forward. The governor is aiming to make his plan for the organization of a conservation bureau his strong card and Senator Works was selected to handle this as well as all other administration measures. As a preparation for this he was sent to Washington by Gov. Johnson as one of the delegates to the national conservation congress called by President Roosevelt. The only weak point in the chain of circumstances is the constitutional provision and the senators are not generally willing to admit this is an insuperable bar.

Congressman W. S. Hammond would seem to be the logical man in the succession but the St. James statesman is casting a canny eye to the future and he sees the prospect of a hot fight in his district for the Republican nomination, and in such an event he believes he could slip under the wire for another term. Mayor J. G. Armson of Stillwater is still another possible candidate. but it is expected that the Stillwater man will be taken care of by a place either on the board of control or at the head of the tax commission.

Entitled To A Hearing

After a spirited debate yesterday the Minnesota senate refused to accept the report of the election committee recommending indefinite postponement of Snator Ole Sageng's bill calling for the submission of the question of women's suffrage to the people. The bill was referred back to the election committee.

Senator Seward and Senator Sageng championed the cause of the women yesterday, while Senator Dunn was of the opinion that the senate had settled the question of woman's suffrage two years ago and that further hearings on the question were unnecessary.

Senator Seward did not go on record as favoring women's suffrage, but he did believe in a square deal. "Yesterday you voted to allow the opponents of the tuberculin test for cattle to present their case on the floor of the senate," he said. "The interests of the women of our state are just as valuable as the health of our bull calves."

And the position taken by Senator Seward is right. The women are certainly entitled to a fair and impartial hearing.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

MOTHER IS ILL—Mrs. Jos. Winfield left yesterday morning for Middle River where she was called by the serious illness of her mothr.

FOSSTONITE HERE—B. J. Hogden the well known restaurant and confectionery man of Fosston was in the city yesterday and called on his old friend W. F. Peterson.

HUSTLING FOR MEMBERS — E. A. Humm, district deputy for the M. W. A. is spending a few days out on the east line hustling for new members.

LITTLE SON BURIED—Harry the year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Adelaird Barry, of south Ash street was buried yesterday from St. Annes church. He died after a short illness.

LEFT FOR WISCONSIN—Guy Aubol, deputy revenue collector for this district has left for Manitowac, Wis., where he will spend a week or more with relatives and friends. He has recently completed his annual report.

FERTILE ATTORNEY HERE — P. R. Lavik, candidate for the nomination for county attorney of Polk Co., was here yesterday enroute to Bagley on legal business, returning to his home at Fertile last evening.

ST. HILAIRE EDITOR HERE—Editor Harry E. Ives was in the city this morning enroute home after a business trip to Grand Forks. He states that things look bright in Red Lake Co., for the coming season.

LENGBY BUSINESS MAN HERE—Albert Lillo a brother of Mrs. O. N. J. Hagen, spent yesterday in the city attending to business matters and attending to business matters and after a visit at the home of Mrs. Hagen returned to Lengby.

ENJOYING A VACATION— E. K. Green, the well known and popular clerk at the New York Store is enjoying a well earned month's vacation Mr. Chabot thoroly appreciates his services and thought the present time the most opportune to give him a month's rest. Mr. Green has decided to spend his vacation in Crookston.

OLD TIMER HERE— Steve Teal formerly foreman on the Buffington farm and now located at Oakes, N. D. and Andrew Teal of Ontario, Edwards Co., is spending the day in the city both having arrived yesterday,. Both are nephews of C. Teal Sr., of Euclid better known as "Old Hickory." They will visit in this section for several days.

OLD TIMER HERE—O. C. Bergland a former well known resident of this city now located on a farm near Moorhead is spending a few days in the city visiting at the home of Sheriff and Mrs. Orin Daniels. He is doing well in his new location as he is one of the progressive farmers of the valley.

A JOLLY ELK — J. W. Sanness, chairman of the judiciary board of the Elks Grand Lodge, writes a letter to Mayor McPhee, which was received this morning relative to important matters of interest to the Elks. Brother Sanness is a jolly good Elk, too modest to ask for anything himself, but a host of his friends would like to see him elected as the head of the order. He is a princ of good follows in the best sense of the word.

CROOKSTON BOY DOING WELL—W. E. McWaters a former well known Crookston boy, or remembered as such tho he is now a full grown man and running an elevator for the Duluth Elevator Co., at Auburn, N. D. sends the JoJurnal a check for another year's subscription to the Journal, as he cannot get along without the news from his home city. Many friends will be glad to learn that he is doing well, having done an exceptionally well during the last season. Like other Crookston boys, he is making good.

MANY SUCCESSFUL MEETINGS—Rev. Hedegaard has just returned from a very successful trip to St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls and surrounding country where he held many meetings to further the cause of the American Sunday School Union. He has resigned his position and will retire March 1st. He may remain in this territory however as a pastor of one of the rural churches in this section or as traveling evangelist, but has not yet thoroly made up his mind. Rev. Hedegaard can be reached by phone 403 L.

HAS PUZZLEITIS—A well known farmer of western Polk county is in a peck of trouble. He writes to Mayor McPhee that his wife has "puzleitis" on the brain. She spends half her time trying to work out the puzzles published in a well known daily published in the twin cities. So absorbed in the puzzle proposition is the lady referred to that her husband tiptoes into the house at mealtime, and if there is nothing in sight to eat he takes to the barnyard again. The situation is critical and Mayor McPhee fears a tragedy may yet be enacted in the near future.

PLEASED WITH COLLEGE—Wm. Street one of the well known farmers of Beltrami who formerly resided near Crookston spent yesterday here attending to some business matters with S. L. Collins, the pioneer liveryman on North Main street who knows every farmer within 50 miles of Crookston, and also called on his son who is attending the Crookston School of Agriculture. Mr. Street is highly pleased with the work being done at the school and paid a high compliment to Prof. and Mrs. Robertson, Principal Harrington, Miss Woodruff and other instructors.

GLAD TO GET BACK—Matt Skala the big general merchant of Red Lake Falls who set the pace for all northern Minnesota by establishing a rule to buy anything and everything the farmers have to sell from a hide to the whole animal and from an onion to a thousand bushels of potatoes, was in the city yesterday morning enroute home from a trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis where he spent a week buying stock and doing a little missionary work among the legislators. He says he is glad to get back and get away from real winter weather.

BACK FROM THE "BUSH"—W. S. Lycan and Deputy Game Warden Munch returned last evening from near Kellifher where they spent a couple of days looking over a timber claim owned by W. S. Lycan on which there is valuable timber and for the cutting of a part of which Mr. Lycan concluded arrangements. They were accompanied on the trip by F. S. Lycan of Bemidji. Regarding their experiences the stories told of the trip by the three vary so widely that none of them will be published. However any one of the three could make a very good feature in any paper and more may be heard of the trip later on.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

VISITED FISHER — Alphonse Lalonde went to Fisher this morning to attend to some business matters and will return this evening.

LEFT FOR MT. CLEMENS—A. Chabot left last evening for Detroit, Mich. from where he will proceed to Mt. Clemens to take a course of baths. He will be absent several months.

DEATH AT GARDEN—Mrs. Chas. Iverson of Garden township died on Tuesday. She was 35 years of age and leaves beside her husband, several small children. Further particulars are unavailable.

MOTHER VERY ILL—Clarence Kolden and his elder brother came up from Crookston Saturday to stay over Sunday and Monday but on account of the serious illness of their mother they did not return at the time intended and are still here.—Middle River Pioneer.

ED HUMM A "HUMMER" — Ed Humm of Crookston, lodge deputy of the Modern Woodmen, was in town on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week working up new members for the Middle River lodge of that order and we are informed thad good success having secured about a dozen applications for membership.—Middle River Pioneer.

A GOOD IDEA—As a stimulous to encourage the handling of the dairy properly and profitably the Red Lake Falls creamery association will give prizes for cows producing the largest amount of butterfat in a given time. Three prizes are offered, a first prize of $25, second prize of $15, third, $10. Why not adopt the plan here.—Fertile Journal.

LEFT FOR MT. CLEMENS—Fred Simmons of the firm of Nault & Simmons, left this afternoon for Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he will spend a month in the hope that the baths will benefit his rheumatism. His many friends here trust that he will rapidly improve. He has been confined to the house for the past week and has suffered a great deal as a result.

..GOES TO HIBBING—City Attorney D. T. Collins of East Grand Forks passed thru Crookston this morning enroute to Hibbing where he will arrange for the opening of his new office in that city. Mr. Collins expects to begin work in Hibbing by March 1, but his connection with the office in East Grand Forks will make frequent visits here necessary.

ENJOYED CONVENTION— Robert Cram, who has been in the cities attending the groceryman's convention during the past few days returned this morning and reports a fine meeting with a large attendance and some excellent papers and discussions. Henry Francis who went down Monday evening also, will be back in the morning.

G. N. EMPLOYE DEAD—Fred Fitzgerald died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at a Grand Forks hospital where he had been ill for ten days. He was 22 years old. He is survived by his mother and two brothers, John of Grand Forks and James of Fargo and tow sisters, Mrs. Charles Leeson and Pearl of Grand Forks. He had been employed by the Great Northern in the train service out of Grand Forks and was a faithful and popular employe.

WILL HAVE TO STAND TRIAL—Wa-we-ya-coming, an Indian residing on the White Earth reservation who killed another Indian with a spade, will have to stand trial for murder in the first degree. The supreme court so decided last week when it refused to pass on the question as to the legality of the organization of Mahnomen county. Friends interfered to the extent of bringing quo warranto proceedings to test the validity of the grand jury which brought in the indictment.

MRS. MURPHY'S FUNERAL—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Murphy was held from the Sacred Heart church at East Grand Forks yesterday morning Father Conaty officiating. The auditorium of the church was filled with friends and relatives of the deceased who was one of the pioneer residents of the city and was loved and respected by all who knew her. The pall bearers were: J. R. Poupore, H. P. Ryan, Mayor Hugh Dunlevy, H. P. Gies, John Liston, and Charles Wurzbacher.

JUDGE BROWN WITH G. N.—Frederick V. Brown judge of the fourth judicial district court at Minneapolis who resigned recently from the bench has entered the employ of the Great Northern road as counsel. He will have charge of the legal business of the Great Northern in the states of Washington and Idaho, with headquarters at Seattle. Judge Brown has not yet completed arrangements with regard to his new residence, but it is probable that his Minneapolis home at 2117 Kenwood parkway, will be given up and that he will become a resident of the Pacific coast shortly after March 1, on which the Great Northern appointment becomes effective.

LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON — Ald. J. C. Sherlock of East Grand Forks leaves this evening for Washington D. C. where he will be one of the mounted aids in the grand inaugural parade to be held March 4. Mr. Sherlock intends to spend a day in St Paul enroute and then proceed at once to Washington. Congressman Steenerson who tendered the appointment to T. A. Sullivan of that city has been in touch with Mr. Sherlock by letter and the genial alderman has been well informed as to what will be expected of him. The honor connected with the affair is no small one and East Grand Forks feels rather proud of its representation at an inaugural which promises to be by far the most elaborate ever attempted in the history of the United States.

INFORMATION WANTED— Chief of Police Lang is in receipt of a letter from George Peterson clerk of the district court of Pembina county, North Dakota, inquiring as to the whereabouts of Garret F. Cowan or any member of his family and is willing to pay a reasonable price to anyone who will furnish the information. Mr. Cowan was an old soldier and formerly conducted a confectionery store in this city, selling out to N. W. Tarrant eleven years ago and going up to Shotley Brook in the Red Lake country where he took a pine claim. From there he left for the west and no one here, so far as known has heard from him since then.—Thief River Falls News.

THE HOME GAME—If people were forced to stay at home once they would find it great sport. A family in Kincaid, Kan., was quarantined and the head of the house published this card of thanks: "We wish to thank the city authorities for quarantining me and my family for two weeks recently because one of the children had the smallpox. During that time my wife caught up with her sewing, undisturbed by callers. We had three square meals a day and no one came in and my wife was not permitted to go out. We enjoyed two weeks of good, long nights' sleep and, best of all, a cousin with four children arrived to visit us saw the sign on the door and left town so scared that she will never come back again. I wish to thank the city authorities and hope they will think of our comfort some time again." This is only a humorous view of the old poem, "Homekeeping hearts are happiest." Settle down and look around the old shack some day. There are conditions and things in the attic and basement that may surprise you.— A. J. R. in Minneapolis Journal. It does not cut any figure, either, whether it is smallpox or scarlet fever.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY—Edward W. Savage has been named as the representative of the American Sndiuay school Union to succeed Rev. Samuel Hedegaard who has been stationed here for the past year. Rev. Hedegaard has been very active and has accomplished a vast amount of good work. He has made many friends who are in hopes that he will decide to remain in this section.

THAT "KILTER" GAME—There is more fun than a litle about the city regarding that "kilter" game. A whole lot of people think it is identical with poker. Chief Eck says it is the same thing with the exception that the "Jack" is the "kilter". Another party says that it was the kilter that "kilt him" instead of kilter. Those who have already played the game appreciate the joke.

WILL TAKE BRIDE WEST—Henry Nelson accompanied by his bride is spending a couple of days in the city with relatives an difriends. He was formerly a resident of Lowell township where he resided on a farm with his father, but left three years ago for North Yakima. He was married on Wednesday last to a well known young lady of Wheatland N. D., and tomorrow they will leave for North Yakima where they will make their future home. The many friends of the young couple here will extend most hearty congratulations. Chief of Police Eck is a warm friend of the groom and is showing them the sights of the city today.

The funeral of Alice Lundberg was held this afternoon at 2:30 from the Chesterman Chapel. Owing to the distressing circumstances the services were semi-private in character. Close friends of the family gathered in sympathetic mourning while choir and pastor led the tender service. "Abide with Me," "Nearer My God to Thee" and the "Sunshine Song" used in the Congregational Primary Sunday school were rendered by a quartette: Mrs. I. B. Fisher, Mrs. C. C. Warner, Chester Warner and Lucius Miller.

A NEW CREAMERY—The Fosston creamery is planning on a new and up-to-date building and equipment.

FARMER FROM RUSSIA — Fred Baatz one of the progressive farmers of Russia township, who is served by Rural Mail Carrier No. 3, is attending to business matters in the city today. He says the Journal is the most welcome daily visitor at his farm and he pegged his subscription ahead for another year.

ANGUS REPRESENTED — J. F. Montgomery and Messrs. A. T. and J. W. Campion came down from Angus last evening to attend the meeting of Constantine Commandery and returned home this morning. They report a mos tenjoyable meeting. No fresh blood has been spilled recently at Angus.

STOLEN SWEETS COME HIGH

GAME WARDENS MUNCH OF THIS CITY AND BAILEY OF BEMIDJI

MAKE IT INTERESTING FOR POACHERS—TWO MEN HEAVILY FINED

From Saturday's Daily—

Deputy Game Warden Munch returned this morning from a trip to Blackduck and Tenstrike where he made an official trip with Deputy Game Warden L. E. Bailey of Bemidji who was chief of police there for several years.

The two drove east of Tenstrike to Robedeau Lake where they arrested Stephen King changed with killing two deer on Feb. 10. He entered a plea of guilty before Judge Charles Gustafson of Tenstrike and paid a fine of $100 and costs and two fine rifles were confiscated.

The wardens then went to Blackduck where Knute Fullerton was arrested for buying moose meat and Judge L. F. Parker of that place fined him $50 and costs which was paid.

Deputy Warden Bailey is making good and his 8 years' service as chief of police is standing him in good stead in his new position.

The Good Fat Men.

Jones—You never hear of a fat criminal, do you? Bones—Certainly not. Look how difficult it would be for a stout person to stoop to anything low! —Kansas City Independent.

No one deserves to be praised for goodness unless he has strength to be bad. All other goodness is most often only sloth or weakness of will.—La Rochefoucauld.

Read The Journal Wants.

A FARMERS INSTITUTE

FARMERS' NISTITUTE HAS BEEN PLANNED FOR EAST GRAND FORKS MARCH 13

NOTABLE AUTHORITIES ON FARMING ON THAT DATE TO TALK TO FARMERS OF POLK

From Thursday's Daily— ...

As a result of the persistent and untiring efforts of G. R. Jacobi, cashier of the First National Bank of E, Grand Forks backed up by the Commercial club, East Grand Forks is to have the first farmers' institute in the history of the city on March 13. Sec. McNicol of the Commercial club received a letter yesterday morning from the authorities of the farm school in charge of the holding of institutes in the different towns of the state for the benefit of farmers, stating that a meeting would be held in this city on that date if agreeable. Last fall when the state farm school started this work, Mr. Jacobi began his efforts to secure an institute meeting for East Grand Forks as diversified farming and the raising of stock is one of his hobbies and he was ably assisted in his efforts by the Commercial club.

Three notable authorities of the state on farming subjects will be the speakers of the afternoon. Horace Henry one of the most noted men in the northwest in this line, will have charge of the meeting. Mr. Henry is a recognized authority on the raising of clover. C. O. Carlson of Erskine, who operates one of the most successful dairy farms in the state of Minnesota, will give the farmers who attend some valuable pointers on his special line of business. The third speaker of the day will be Mr. Lambertson of Warren.

Saturday the 13th will be one of the big days in the history of East Grand Forks and the Commercial club proposes to make the meeting such a success that it will be an annual affair. According to present plans dinner will be served all farmers who attend free of charge, and the institute will be opened immediately after the dinner in Keller's hall. The Commercial club will send out 800 letters to farmers in Polk county and will see that all who take advantage of these invitations are well taken care of. It is expected that not only farmers in the immediate vicinity of the city but for many miles around will be on hand to hear the speakers.

Of late years the farmers' institute has become a valuable auxiliary of the agricultural colleges and farm schools of the country in disseminating information which farmers should have to be more successful. In this way the results of experiments with grains, the value of crop rotation, and the advantages of diversified farming are brought home to the present day farmer in a way which is bound to mean more money in his pocket and consequently greater prosperity for the country. The future generation of farmers are learning all this in the farm schools of the country, but the only method of informing their fathers is by bulletins and by farmers' institutes.

TOM MAHER FOUND GUILTY OF ARSON

STAY OF SIXTY DAYS GRANTED IN CASE AT INTERNATIONAL FALLS

In the case of the state against Thomas and George Maher who were charged with setting fire to the Axdahl warehouse at Big Falls a year ago the jury found Tom Maher guilty after a trial at International Falls. He has been sentenced to the state reformatory at St. Cloud but a stay of sixty days has been granted, as his attorney intends to argue a motion for a new trial.

The case against George Maher has been continued until the next term of the Koochiching county court in July.

Horticulture Versus Theology.

Small Johnny had on his best clothes, and his mamma told him not to play in the dirt with them on.

"Don't they have any dirt in heaven to play in?" he asked.

"No, of course not," replied his mother.

"Then what do little boys do up there?" queried Johnny.

"Oh, they play harps and sing and sit under beautiful trees," was the reply

"Well," said the little fellow. "I don't see how they can have trees if there ain't [illegible] dirt."—Houston Post.

It's difficult to convince a loafer that he isn't smarter than men who work.

LIQUOR DEALERS ARE CAUTIONED

AGAINST SELLING TO THE HALF BREED OR INDIAN—EXPRESS CO.'S TAKE NOTICE

EVERY PACKAGE SHOULD BE MARKED AGAINST DELIVERY TO INDIANS

From Thursday's Daily—

The express companies are sitting up and taking notice of the difficulties that surround the carrying of packages of liquor to such points as Walker Bemidji and Detroit, Minn., and to points on the Jamestown & Northern and to Mandan, N. D., all being points adjacent to Indian reservations. The danger is not so much in carrying the stuff as in delivering it to a half breed or an Indian. The federal law is very strict upon this point and it is being strenuously enforced. Such a heavy penalty attaches to delivering packages containing liquor to Indians or half breeds that the express companies have cautioned all shippers to paste upon every package of liquor this legend: "This package contains liquor and must not be delivered to a minor, half breed or Indian."

Some of the liquor houses have been doing this very thing for the past year; they have done their best to avoid shipping to Indians but in cases in the past the express agents who have been negligent in observing the notice attached to the packages and have thereby gotten the dealers into trouble.

HOWELLS IS FINE SPEAKER

FIRST VISITED CROOKSTON 12 YEARS AGO AS AN N. P. SURVEYOR

From Thursday's Daily— ...

A lively company of young people greeted Mr .Howell last evening at the Presbyterian church. He very promptly won everybody by his good nature and practical sense. A dozen years ago he visited Crookston as a member of a Northern Pacific surveying party and he spoke of changes he noted in the place.

As a Christian Endeavor worker he gave a fine exposition of the true spirit and purpose of the Society and by questions drew out some of the local difficulties and suggested remedies for the same.

Altogether it was a real treat to meet and hear Secretary Howell, and those who failed to share last night's conference are distinctly losers and ought by all means to take advantage of tonight's opportunity.

This evening he speaks at the Congregational church. His address will be for everybody and deals with the wonderful modern young people's movement in its world-wide spread and efficiency. It is an inspiring subject and it is safe to say that Sec. Howell will handle it in an inspiring way. He is just returning from filling an appointment at the Provincial convention at Winnipeg, Manitoba. This indicates his standing as a speaker. Remember too that his message will be of equal interest to everybody whether in church or out of it and regardless of denominational relations.

The address will be at eight o'clock free to all.

DEATH ENTERS LUNDBERG HOME

LITTLE ALICE LUNDBERG DIED IN ST. PAUL OF TYPHOID-PNEUMONIA

Late yesterday afternoon the news was received here by Geo. Hamery thru a telegram of the death of little Alice Lundberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Lundberg.

Mrs. Lundberg went to the cities on a visit and the little girl was taken ill with scarlet fever and Mr. Lundberg was called there several days ago by her critical condition. Later typhoid-pneumonia developed and the end came yesterday.

The deceased was 8 years of age, and a very bright and winsome little girl, beloved by all who knew her. The remains will arrive tomorrow morning and the funeral services will probably be held Saturday but definite announcement will be made tomorrow in the Journal.

The sympathy of the entire community will go out to the bereaved parents.

THE FARMERS ARE INVITED

SECRETARY BROWN ISSUING INVITATIONS FOR SOCIETY OF EQUITY MEETING

COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL GIVE THEM MOST CORDIAL GREETING

Secretary Brown of the Commercial Club is today having printed invitations to the farmers of Polk Co., to attend the meeting called for March 11, Thursday by the American Society of Equity. While the 25,000 Club is not taking an active part in furthering the organization, Secretary Brown was instructed by the Commercial Club members to extend a cordial invitation to all farmers to visit Crookston on that date and assure them that they would be heartily welcomed and the circular outlines the entertainment that will be afforded them.

There will be prominent speakers present, all visitors will be given a fine dinner and a free ride to the School of Agriculture and return.

GROSS EARNINGS SHOW A LOSS

FIGURES OF RAILROADS IN MINNESOTA INDICATE SHRINKAGE OF $10,000,000

The railroads of Minnesota lost heavily in their gross earnings last year as compared with 1907. There was something like a shrinkage of $10,000,000 in the total earnings of the roads which is attributed to the financial depression.

In 1908 the Great Northern cleared $19,649,762.71, while in 1907 the gross earnings were $22,952,896.92. The taxes for 1908 amounted to $785,990.51 which is more than $200,000 over the nearest competitor, the Northern Pacific which pays $532,988.09 on its gross earnings of $13,324,702.35.

This Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul is the third road in the matter of earnings. The road cleared $10,228,610.39 in 1908, but in the preceding year it showed a decrease of $1,000,000.

The figures are shown by the returns reported to the state railroad and warehouse commission.

DIFFERENT STYLES.

How Meredith and Browning Might Describe the Same Incident.

If Browning and George Meredith were describing the same act they might both be obscure, but their obscurities would be entirely different. Suppose, for instance, they were describing even so prosaic and material an act as a man being knocked downstairs by another man to whom he had given the lie. Meredith's description would refer to something which an ordinary observer would not see or at least could not describe. It might be a sudden sense of anarchy in the brain of the assaulter or a stupefaction and stunned serenity in that of the object of the assault.

He might write: "Wainwood's 'men vary in veracity' brought the baronet's arm up. He felt the doors of his brain burst and Wainwood a swift rushing of himself through air, accompanied with a clarity as of the annihilated."

Meredith, in other words, would speak queerly because he was describing queer mental experiences. But Browning might simply be describing the material incident of the man being knocked downstairs, and his description would run:

What then? "You lie" and doormat below stairs
Takes bump from back.

This is not subtlety, but merely a kind of insane swiftness.—Gilbert K. Chesterton.

His Choice of Poetry.

The Pest—I'd like to write some verses for your paper. What kind of poetry do you like best? The Editor—Typewritten, darned short and paid for at advertising rates.—Cleveland Leader.

Disgrace is not in the punishment, but in the crime.—Alfieri.

The sleeping beauty evidently did not sacrifice her beauty sleep.

A Religious Author's Statement

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy."

Sold by all druggists.

A DOUBLE DECK BED

ANGUS FARMER DOES STUNT IN VERY INTENSIFIED FARMING

CONVERTS OLD-FASHIONED BEDSTEAD INTO A TWO-DECKER

From Wednesday's Daily—

A travelling man who visited Angus yesterday called at the Journal office today and told of an instance there of a farmer believed in making every inch of space count. It seems that a lady there who is about to leave had a fine old-fashioned bedstead which she did not want to take with her.

She gave it to a neighbor, and as it was of the wooden variety and with high head and foot-board he decided to make a double decker. He did so, and now the inventive father with his son sleep on the hurricane deck and the mother and daughter sleep on the lower deck.

This is intensified farming with a vengeance and was introduced by a foreigner from North Dakota.

THE MEASLES CANNIBAL.

Method of a Vancouver Island Tribe to Drive Away Disease.

A few years ago an epidemic of measles broke out among the Indian tribes living on Vancouver island, in British Columbia, not far from Fort Rupert, and the shamans or medicine men came to the conclusion that a cannibal sorcerer, whom they termed the "hamatsu" (measles cannibal), was slaying their children to eat them and that he would continue to do so until he was killed.

As they could not slay a ghost in his own person they arranged a ceremony in which one of their number posed as the cannibal and was treated as they would have liked to treat the real foe. This fact of a substitute was, of course, not made public, only the medicine men knowing the truth of the matter.

Against a wall of rock was painted an imitation opening, in the center of which the "cannibal" was fastened. At the proper time, after going through various incantations, a covering was jerked away, exposing the cannibal apparently springing through the solid rock. He was promptly grasped by two of the priests, who dragged him out and rushed him through a fire which was burning in front of the place and which was surrounded by all the members of the tribe beating drums and singing at the top of their voices. By some jugglery the cannibal was got rid of, and the people were told that he had flown away through the air and would not come back.

After this ceremony had been repeated several times to put an end to other epidemics, which were only too prevalent among the Indians, it grew into a sort of annual affair, managed by the members of a secret society whose members know that the supposed "hamatsu" was only a man.—Scientific American.

Punishment In Effigy.

Punishment in effigy was legally practiced in France and with great solemnity up to the time of the first revolution. If the man condemned escaped, a dummy was put up in his cell and the entire routine of the law allowed to take its course. The warrant was read to it, and on the day appointed it was conducted to the scaffold in the presence of all the legal functionaries and with all the circumstance of the law. Sometimes the same person was executed in effigy simultaneously in several cities, but that did not exempt him from actual punishment should he be afterward caught.

Warning the Suffragettes.

Bridgewhist—What is the subject of Mrs. Suffragette's lecture this afternoon? Mrs. Clubwoman—The disasters of married life. Mrs. Bridgewhist—I suppose she will have her husband on the platform as an exhibit.—Town Topics.

Rare Combinations.

"The time, the place and the girl—how seldom we see them together!"

"And another rare combination is the man, the scheme and the coin."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The United States submarine tenders fly a flag with a black fish on a white background surrounded by a red border.

Proof Enough.

Patient—Are you sure, doctor, that this health food that you have recommended is nourishing? Doctor—Sure? Why, I know it. The man who introduced that health food not only lives but supports a large family on it.—Stray Stories.

A Bitter Retort.

"Do you think," he asked, "that you could learn to love me?"

"I don't know," she answered. "I might, but if I were a man I'd hate to think that I was an acquired taste."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A few things gained by fraud destroy a fortune otherwise honestly won.—German Proverb.

NAT CAMPBELL HEARD FROM

CAMPBELL AUTOMATIC GAS CUT-OFF GIVEN GREAT BOOST IN OREGON

STATE SENATORS CALL IT ONLY DEVICE OF KIND IN THE WORLD

From Wednesday's Daily—

In the last issue of the Daily Oregon Statesman, the biggest paper published in that state there is an item relative to Nat Campbell ex-mayor of Crookston, which will be read with interest here. He left Crookston several years ago and located in Portland Oregon where he organized Campbell's Automatic Safety Gas Burner Co., for the manufacture of an invention of his brother Victor. The company was capitalized at $500,000. Relative to the company the Oregon Statesman published at Salem, Oregon says in a recent issue under the caption "Bad for Public but Good for Company, Legislature Admits Campbell Co., has the only Practicable Shut-off Device."

"The bill that passed the house, requiring automatic gas cut-offs in public buildings in Oregon, failed to pass the senate, for the reason, as stated in the speeches of several of the members of the upper house, that it would create a monopoly, in favor of the Campbell automatic device.

"There is no other perfect automatic cut-off device in the world, declared Senator Kay and some of the other members of that branch of the legislature; therefore the passing of the bill would create a complete monopoly in favor of the Campbell device.

"This was unfortunate for the general public, which ought to be protected against the dangers from explosions and asphyxiation; but it was a great advertisement for the Campbell device and the stock of the company owning this device is largely held in Salem. Some of the best business men of the Capital City are stockholders.

"The Campbell Automatic Safety Gas Burner Co., the company owning the patent, has a factory for its manufacturing at Twenty-second and Thurman streets in Portland and it is a very active concern.

"It would appear that the stockholders of this concern has something that is going to grow into a great concern to rank with the air brake and other devices that are already and are bound to be adopted for the protection of life and property."

WAGNER MADE IT HOT.

The Composer's Trick When Money and Firewood Were Scarce.

Here is an anecdote of Wagner's early life as related by Liszt: "Wagner, Bulow and I were all quite young when we lived together in Leipzig and had a good time—that is, I enjoyed myself, but Wagner was already fermenting with his political and philosophical ideas, and our prosaic circumstances offered little ground for the idealists of the future. We called Bulow 'Kritikus,' and we, especially I, always feared his sharp tongue a little. Of course all of us had little money, but Wagner put our slender purse to great strains. He could not bear money worries, and we let him feel them as little as possible.

"Once, after a long autumn, it became cold suddenly, and Wagner with his 'nerves' suffered from the sudden change in the temperature. He demanded a heated room at once. For two whole days the debate raged between him and Bulow as to the immediate purchase of wood with our reduced purse.

"I was not asked, because Bulow knew that I would yield, but he as treasurer contended that it was ridiculous to buy wood in the month of September. 'But I am freezing,' said Wagner in a rage, to which the inexorable Bulow suggested that he go out and get warm by running or warm himself by his muse. Laughing at his cheap, spiteful advice, Bulow and I went out, but when we returned after two hours we were thunderstruck to find Wagner in the room heated to suffocation. He sat at his writing table deep in his work. His face was red.

"'Where'— began Bulow, but the words stuck in his throat, for a glance around the room showed him how Wagner had helped himself. Several chairs and our work tables lay on the floor, permanently crippled. Wagner had cut off their legs and made the fire with them. Bulow was speechless with rage, but I stood at the door and laughed till the tears came at this ingenious way of helping oneself. Bulow lamented that we would have to replace the landlady's chairs and tables and that he could not sit down or work.

"Wagner answered spitefully: 'I have what I needed! Fellows like you, who do nothing but go walking, need neither chairs nor tables. If you had given me the money right off, your valuable furniture would still be in existence. You wished it so! Firewood would have been cheaper!'"

FOR SALE—Old papers, done up in neat and big packages for 5 cents — Journal Office.

FR. J. F. GREENE LAID TO REST

MEMORY OF BELOVED PRIEST OF SACRED HEART CHURCH OF E. G. FORKS

WAS HONORED YESTERDAY — MANY PRIESTS AND K. C's PACKED CHURCH

From Tuesday's Daily—

Never before in the history of East Grand Forks has there been a more widely attended or impressive funeral service than the last rites over the remains of Father James Frederick Greene conducted yesterday morning in the Sacred Heart church in that city which he served so faithfully. The body of the beloved priest was transferred from the parochial residence to the church at 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, where it lay in state during the evening and thru the night. Not only the members of the parish but Protestants and Catholics alike from both this city and East Grand Forks took the opportunity to look for the last time on the features of the deceased.

Church Packed

Long before the appointed time for the service 10 o'clock the large auditorium of the Sacred Heart church was taxed to its capacity with the devoted friends and parishioners of the departed leader. Many of those who could not find room in the church stood on the outside to catch if they could some part of the service. Two low masses were said before the requeim high mass, the most elaborate as well as impressive tribute to the departed. The Reverend Father Ellie Theillon was the celebrant and he was assisted by Father D. W. Lynch as deacon and Father James Hogan as sub-deacon with Father C. V. Gamache as master of ceremonies. The funeral sermon was by Father H. A. Lloyd from the text "Blessed are the dead that die in the fear of the Lord." The sermon was an eloquent tribute to the deceased and his work in this city and will long be remembered by all who heard it, as a sermon of wonderful power and beautiful thought.

A Notable Gathering

Such a distinguished gathering as never before was seen in the Sacred Heart church. Special reservations were made in the large edifice for seating the 19 visiting priests, over 100 Knights of Columbus and a large delegation of Catholic Foresters, and every available inch of space, including the aisles was packed with parishioners and friends from Grand Forks and East Grand Forks and other places.

In Requeim Mass Vestments

The remains of the departed priest were clad in the Requeim High Mass vestments but even in this familiar setting the features wasted by long, tho patient suffering, were so wan as to be hardly recognizable by visiting friends who had not seen Father Greene during his last illness.

The honorary pall-bearers were T. A. Sullivan, Mayor Hugh Dunlevy, H. P. Gies, Joseph Driscoll, F. W. Kolars and I. Kingman. A large concourse of people, including a hundred representatives of the Knights of Columbus followed the casket to the depot. A large number of members of Knights of Columbus of Crookston were over to attend the funeral, Father Greene having been a member of the Crookston lodge and Grand Forks was also well represented, Catholics and Protestants alike joined in doing this honor to the deceased and followed the remains to the depot on foot.

Schools and Stores Closed

The city was given over entirely to the service during the morning and many of the business houses complying with the request of Mayor Dunlevy. The schools were closed and altho no children were allowed in the church, they took part in the exercises which followed.

Many Priests Present

The following priests were in attendance: Fathers D. W. Lynch, Duluth; M. William Proctor, Eveleth; C. V. Gamache, Hibbing; Ellie Theillon, Gentilly; S. Veulleux, Terrebonne C. Marsonnat, Crookston; L. M. Bosseau, Argyle; James Hogan, Virginia; H. A. Floyd, Eveleth; T. Filiatreault, St. Boniface College, Winnipeg; G. W. Smiers, Crookston; Patrick J. Killen, Coleraine; J. S. O'Dwyer, Bemidji Joseph Wurm, Aitkin; G. C. Bachland St. Michael's hospital, Grand Forks; Simpson, Larimore; Connaty, Grand Gorks; A. Tapin, Crookston.

The choir was composed of the following: Mrs. H. Burton, Mrs. F. Tessier, Mrs. George Buckley, Ed Enright P. Tessier, Fred Craig, H. Monley, Hazel Burton, Lila Craig and Mrs. R. E. Austin.

An Impressive Cortege

The casket was carried from the Sacred Heart church to the Northern Pacific and the cortege was a most impressive one. The visiting priests headed the procession, marching four abreast and the Knights of Columbus and Foresters followed in similar formation, with citizens and others following, the procession being the longest ever seen in East Grand Forks afoot, and probably the largest ever held in the Northwest anywhere.

Remains Shipped East

The remains were shipped to Naugatuck, Conn., the home of several of the deceased's relatives on the N. P. passing thru Crookston yesterday afternoon and were accompanied this far by many priests and the local delegation of the Knights of Columbus.

They were also accompanied by the brother and sister of the departed priest John and Mary Greene, and by his cousins Miss May McLoughlin and Patrick Duffey.

The Crookston Delegation

The officers of the local council of the Knights of Columbus Messrs. J. J. Flynn, N. B. Moran, James O'Brien and Allan McKinnon acted as relay pallbearers and among the delegation from the local K. C's. were Father Smiers, N. B. Moran, J. E. O'Brien, J. W. O'Brien, A. J. McKinnon, A. McKinnon, John Naughtin, A. D. Dufault, Dan Hughes, Henry Welte, Dr. Norman, John Driscoll, R. J. Montague, F. R. Hamel, John Laughlin, J. J. Flynn and M. E. Kirsch.

SAM SUTOR GETTING EVEN

CASS LAKE HOTEL MAN WAS THE VICTIM OF FAKE HORSE RACE

TO THE TUNE OF FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS—WELL KNOWN HERE

From Wednesday's Daily—

A special telegram from St. Paul to the Duluth News-Tribune says:

"Samuel Sutor, of Cass Lake, Minn., who was one of those recently swindled by the gang recently exposed at Little Rock, Ark., passed thru St. Paul this evening on his way to Council Bluffs, where he will appear against J. C. Maybray and others who are charged by the government with perpetrating the gigantic swindle. Sutor says he lost $5,000 on a fake horse race at Council Bluffs more than a year ago."

Rumor has it that Sutor, who is a prominent hotel man at Cass Lake, was "taken in" to the amount of not less than $5,000 by the "sharks" who have been "getting" nearly every sporting man of prominence in the country.

Sutor has said but little of his loss but has waited for the "easy money" gentry to get in limbo; and he will undoubtedly derive considerable satisfaction in testifying as to how they got his money and thereby assist in sending the "conners" to the penitentiary.

Sutor is well known in Crookston, having formerly been located at Fosston for years and it is hoped here that he will be able not only to assist in sending the swindlers to jail, but that he will also get back some of his money.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

Sold by all druggists.

The Cause.

Wife—What was the matter? I thought you would break down the house. Husband—I dreamed I was trying to put on my clothes in the upper berth of a Pullman.—Life.

POPULAR OUTCRY HELPS ROWE BILL

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE IMPRESSED BY OPPOSITION TO PROPOSED PACKING PLANT

MAY MAKE BLIND REPORT — NO RECOMMENDATION IS POSSIBLE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The St. Paul Dispatch of yesterday says:

The popular demonstration before the house committee on public health in the matter of the Rowe packing house project, yesterday afternoon, has already had beneficial results.

Word was brought to members of the Ramsey county delegation today that there had been a decided change of front in the committee, and instead of reporting the Rowe bill out for indefinite postponement a report turning the bill over to the house without recommendation was among the possibilities.

This action one member of the committee said, would have been taken yesterday afternoon, following the hearing, if there had not been objections from several who advised that they wait a few days. Prior to the meeting, the committee, with the possible exception of three, was against the bill.

Minneapolis members today were busy checking up the house members on the Rowe bill and at the close, claimed sufficient to kill the measure. Those in charge however, among them Frank Nimocks would not show the checked lists.

St. Louis county, it was reported, had considered the matter and had decided to split its vote of six between the two cities. The Duluth men fear retaliation if sides are taken by them. Outside of the Ramsey and Hennepin county delegations, the Rowe bill is not regarded in the light of a measure over which they should become excited and naturally most of the country members, with axes to grind, are seeking to play with the majority which in this case is Hennepin. It has more votes in the house than Ramsey county.

Alumni of the state university over the state are writing letters to the country members. They all protest against the close proximity of the plant to the university, and their objections are having some weight.

WILL BANQUET GOV. JOHNSON

MINNESOTA CLUB BUSY AT SPOKANE — A. C. CLAUSEN PRESIDENT

April 16 Gov. Johnson will visit Spokane and deliver an address in that city. Members of the Minnesota club of which A. C. Clausen formerly of Crookston is president, will entertain the governor at a banquet that evening and it is expected that there will be 1,000 banqueters at the tables. Governor Johnson will meet many former Minnesota people while in Spokane and residents of the Inland Empire are preparing to give him "the time of his life" while a visitor there.

"If you could take your choice, wha would you have to eat every day?"

"Well, suh, I 'spects I'd have chicken foh breakfus an' watermelon foh dinner."

"And what would you have for supper?"

"Lawsy, boss, I didn't know you was gwinter stint me. I 'spected dat watermelon to be 'nuff to las' till bedtime!"—Washington Star.

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STEAMER IS SUNK IN A COLLISION

Historical Society

All on Board Saved Before Ship Goes Down.

OTHER VESSEL DAMAGED

Latter Is Bound From New York to Boston, but Finding She Is Likely to Sink Runs Ashore on Cape Cod. Rescued Passengers of the Lost Steamer Taken Off by a Lifesaving Crew.

Boston, March 11.—In a collision in Nantucket sound the Eastern Steamship line steamer Horatio Hall was rammed and sunk by the Metropolitan line steamer H. F. Dimock. The Hall kept afloat long enough to flash news of the accident by wireless to shore points and to enable the Dimock to take off all on board, including a few passengers and a crew numbering about forty. The Dimock, which was bound from New York for Boston, resumed her course after the accident, but, finding that she was likely to sink, ran ashore six hours later off Orleans, on the eastern shore of Cape Cod.

Ten persons, including the passengers of the Horatio Hall and one of the officers of the Dimock, have been brought ashore by the Orleans lifesaving crew.

The Hall cost $450,000 and is a sister ship of the United States hospital ship Relief, which was the John Englis of the Maine Steamship line.

PEDESTRIANS IN BAD SHAPE

Limping Around Track in Six-Day Contest.

New York, March 11.—Painfully limping over the sawdust covered clay and cinder track the surviving pedestrians in the six-day go-as-you-please race in Madison Square Garden are reduced to eleven and a half teams. Louis Semeran of Brooklyn, who for the second time since the race started was without a partner, composed the half team.

The Frenchmen, Cibot and Orphee, seemed to possess an inexhaustible store of energy and had a lead of over sixteen miles on Davis and Metkus, a reconstructed team. Davis and Metkus in turn were nine miles in front of the Irish-pair, Feegan and Curtis, who have made heroic efforts during the last twenty-four hours to get to the front.

HEAVY RAIN CAUSES FLOOD

Five Persons Drowned in River at Montgomery, Ala.

Montgomery, Ala., March 11.—Five persons were drowned in the Alabama river here in the rising waters which followed a severe storm. Three whites and a negro were drowned from a ferry and William Dillard, a white boy, playing near the river bank, fell in and was drowned.

The rain storm was the heaviest here in twenty years. Five and a half inches fell in a little more than five hours.

STIRLING FREE FROM HIS AMERICAN WIFE

Decree in Sensational Divorce Case at Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, March 11.—The sensational Stirling divorce suits were decided by Lord Guthrie, who granted the husband's petition, awarded him the custody of his children and denied the cross petition of Mrs. Stirling.

John Alexander Stirling, laird of Kippondaire, was married three years ago to Clara Elizabeth Taylor, an American show girl, who came from New Jersey. Last fall cross suits for divorce were filed, Mr. Stirling naming Lord Northland and Mrs. Stirling naming Mrs. Atherton as co-respondents.

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MRS. JOHN A. STIRLING.

In giving his judgment Lord Guthrie said the case had no legal interest and that it should not have any public interest. Most of the evidence had been taken up with the petty questions of selfish and idle lives, which contained little or nothing romantic and little that was even mock heroic. Mr. Stirling, he said, in meeting Mrs. Atherton had welcomed an introduction he should have shunned. Continuing, Lord Guthrie discredited the idea of a plot to get rid of Mrs. Stirling by forcing her to a guilty affection for Northland, but he thought her letters to Lord Northland were indicative of guilty relations.

Lord Northland's counsel immediately gave notice of an appeal. Both Lord Northland and Mrs. Stirling were present in court when the decision was rendered.

The acts of this life are the destiny of the next.—Eastern Proverb.

DISORDERS AT ONCE BEGIN

Lower House of Austrian Parliament Reassembles.

Vienna, March 11.—The lower house of the Austrian parliament, which closed in disorder Feb. 5 after a scene of extraordinary turbulence arising from the old antagonism between the Germans and the Czechs, reopened with every promise of a continuance of the disorders. The galleries of the house were crowded with partisans of the two factions and immediately the ministers appeared hostile shouts thundered from the Czech and Radical benches, drowning the cheers of the members of the Left party and the Poles. Premier von Bienerth, amid an incessant tumult, declared the nineteenth session opened, saying he hoped the work would be crowned with success and the proceedings not disturbed. His statement sounded ironical in face of the unbroken uproar.

MINERS STILL ENTOMBED

Frequent Slides Prevent Rescue of Two Men at Salt Lake City.

Salt Lake City, March 11.—The rescue of George and Jerry Peterson, who have been entombed in a tunnel of the St. Patrick mine for the past forty hours, has not yet been effected. The rescue party is encountering great difficulty on account of frequent slides, due to the looseness of the surrounding ground.

Air and nourishment is still furnished the imprisoned men through the two-inch iron pipe.

UP TO ATTORNEY GENERAL

Question of Assigning Marines to Duty on Warships Only.

Washington, March 11.—Marines may not be reassigned to duty on battleships and armored cruisers despite the recent provision of congress that money appropriations for the maintenance of the marine corps must not be used unless the marines are aboard the warships. Secretary of the Navy Meyer has asked the opinion of the attorney general regarding the constitutionality of the restoration provision.

BAILEY CALLS ON TAFT

Texas Senator at White House for Second Time in His Life.

Washington, March 11.—Senator Bailey of Texas came to the White House for the second time in his life, he said, the first time being many years ago.

"I called simply to pay my respects to President Taft. He is a delightful personality."

Senator Bailey's visit was brief.

Read The Journal Wants.

BILL TO ABOLISH HANGING KILLED

VOTE ON THE MEASURE IN THE HOUSE IS CLOSE — ELOQUENT PLEA FOR THE BILL—MADE BY REPRESENTATIVE MACKENZIE OF GAYLORD, WHO URGED THAT THE STATE SHOULD ABOLISH ITS BARBARIC POWER OF TAKING HUMAN LIFE—MANAGER ADMITS AMERICAN BOOK COMPANY WAS HELD TO BE A TRUST IN TEXAS

St. Paul, March 10.—The house killed Representative Bendixen's bill for the abolishment of capital punishment. The vote was close, however—35 to 31—and the attendance was light.

G. A. Mackenzie of Gaylord made an eloquent plea for the bill. He urged that the state should abolish its barbaric power of taking human life. The word "whoso sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed," were written when only the faintest light of moral civilization had illuminated the intellect of man. He believed this law was abrogated when the Nazarene commanded men to love one another.

F. T. White of Elk River reminded the house of how the Younger brothers got out of prison and said that one of them is now running a vadeville show exploiting their crimes and how Tracey broke out of prison and left a trail of blood over the states of Oregon and Washington. Burdette Thayer of Spring Valley said that if there is no capital punishment, mobs would be more likely to lynch criminals. Others who spoke against the bill were G. H. Mattson of Roseau, C. J. Swendsen of St. James and R. F. Grant of Duluth.

Recommended for Passage.

The house committee on express, telegraph and electric lines recommended for passage the Zelch and Anderson bill which will apportion the gross earnings tax received from suburban electric lines among the towns through which the lines pass. In its present form the proportion each town, village or city gets will be based on the value of the company's property in that town. The recent decision that suburban lines are common carriers would give the state the whole tax unless this bill is passed.

The bills relating to women suffrage were reported without recommendation by the house committee on elections. One is the J. N. Johnson bill to submit to the men voters the question of whether the women shall vote and the other is A. K. Ware's bill to let the women vote on the question of whether they want the right of suffrage.

By a vote of 24 to 23 the senate committee of the whole adopted an amendment proposed by Frank Clague of Lamberton so amending the Cass Lake normal school bill that the state normal board is given authority to locate the new normal school in the northwestern part of the state. Having suffered this defeat, the supporters of Cass Lake retrieved their lost by excepting the report on S. F. No 53 from the report of the committee of the whole. This has the effect of leaving the Cass Lake bill on the desk and a motion will be necessary to restore it to general orders. It is, however, the amended bill which is on the desk, the non-acceptance of the report on the bill from the committee of the whole not having the effect of killing the amendment.

Cigars by the Pound.

Arguing that if green cabbages are sold by the pound, that cigars should be also, Senator V. B. Seward of Marshall tried to carry a motion to kill the bill of Senator J. W. Pauly of Minneapolis relating to the selling of vegetables by weight. The fight was sharp and will be renewed.

Senator E. S. Durment of St. Paul introduced his second employers' liability bill. This reduces the maximum amount of damages from $25,000 to $15,000 for the loss of both feet and both hands. This bill also eliminates the employers' liability for negligence of the workmen.

The senate committee on commerce and trade reported the peddlers' license bill for passage.

That the American Book company not long since was indicted in Texas and convicted of being in an unlawful combination and fined $15,000, was brought out in the legislative investigation of the methods of book publishers in Minnesota. W. M. Morton Chicago manager for the American Book company, admitted on the stand that his company, formerly organized under the laws of New Jersey, now under the laws of New York, was fined $15,000 under the Texas indictment and driven from the state. The company is doing business in Texas now, though under its New York charter.

Dealing with book values, Mr. Morton said that Minnesota was getting its school books, which he estimated would cost $1,000,000 to replace today, as cheaply as any other state cost per pupil being considered.

He denied absolutely and unequivocally the statements, implied and direct, that the American Book company was in combination with any other book company or that it had any subsidiary concerns.

ASK FOE TO ADDRESS THEM

Chicago Prohibitionists Have Anti-Dry Man as Guest of Honor.

Chicago, March 11.—Chicago Prohibitionists made a unique move in inviting to their annual banquet, to be held tonight, one of their opponents. The unusual guest of honor is Clarence S. Darrow, the famous lawyer and author, whose part in the programme will be a speech against prohibition.

The subsequent proceedings will partake partially of the nature of a joint debate. Reply to Mr. Darrow will be made by Oliver W. Stewart, former chairman of the national committee of the Prohibition party; W. P. F. Ferguson, editor of the National Prohibitionist, and others.

Seeks a Match With Jeffries.

New York, March 11.—James J. Jeffries has received an invitation from Jack Johnson to meet him in the office of Johnson's attorney in this city to arrange a fight. The invitation was handed to Jeffries by an attorney for Johnson.

Hopkins Gets Increased Vote.

Springfield, Ill., March 11.—The vote for Senator Hopkins on the forty-second ballot shot up to 76, as compared with the 61 which he received Feb. 25, the last day on which there was a quorum present. Only two pairs were noted, while there were twelve on the last ballot when a quorum was present.

Turkish General Ends Life.

Constantinople, March 11.—General Soifullah Pasha, who was Turkish chief of staff during the Turco-Greek war, in which he distinguished himself, committed suicide here by shooting with a revolver. The motive for the act is not known.

SENDS CADDY TO COLLEGE

Taft Rewards Youth Who Carried Golf Sticks.

Washington, March 11.—President Taft has sent his caddy to college. Elmer W. Loring, who carried the distinguished golfer's sticks around the links at Hot Springs, Va., last summer and exercised such discretion that the president brought him to Washington as his special messenger, has left for Charlottesville to matriculate in the University of Virginia. He will take a course calculated to fit him for some work Mr. Taft has in view for him and the president will defray all of his expenses, allowing him, it is said, $2 a day.

Two Killed in Street Duel.

Emporia, Va., March 11.—In a street duel here J. Thomas Brantley, a police sergeant, was shot and instantly killed and P. B. Sheffield, a cotton mill operator, was so badly wounded that he died later.

Officer Guilty of Cruelty.

Brussels, March 11.—Lieutenant Arnold of the Belgian army, who was at one time denounced by the missionaries for burning and pillaging villages and committing assassinations and other atrocities in the Congo, has been found guilty of a series of charges of this nature and sentenced to imprisonment for twelve years.

Must File Bond of $100,000.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 11.—An appeal bond of $100,000 was the basis on which a writ of error for an appeal to the supreme court of the United States will be granted to the Standard Oil company of Indiana and the Republic Oil company of Ohio, according to action taken by the supreme court of Missouri.

ENDS LIFE NEAR CLOSE OF TRIAL

Defendant in Iowa Murder Case Hangs Himself.

BED COVERLET FOR ROPE

Accused of Brutal Killing of Newly Married Couple at Muscatine Late in 1907—Prosecution Had Concluded Its Testimony and Defendant Was Scheduled to Take Stand In His Own Behalf.

Muscatine, Ia., March 11.—Urry Jones, on trial here for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. William Van Winkle on Dec. 3, 1907, hanged himself from the top bar of his cell door in the county jail. Jones had cut the coverlet to his bed into strips and formed a rope. The prosecution had finished the introduction of its testimony in the case and Jones was supposed to at once take the stand in his own behalf.

The murder was an exceptionally brutal one. Mr. and Mrs. Van Winkle had only been married a few weeks when one night Jones is supposed to have entered their bedroom and while they were asleep beat the brains of both to pulp with a club. The country was searched to find the accused and a year afterward he was located at Milan, Kan., and brought back to this city for trial. His real name is supposed to be Frank Beatty, under indictment in Washington county, Pa., for the murder of his wife years ago.

CLOSES FOR PROSECUTION

Attorney General Garner Addresses Jury in Cooper Case.

Nashville, Tenn., March 11.—An immense crowd attempted to gain admission to the courthouse to hear Attorney General Garner close the Cooper case for the prosecution, but only a small portion of it gained admission. Attorney General Garner said:

"I want you, gentlemen of the jury, to consider the condition of mind of these defendants. It is impossible to believe that three men on trial for their lives should tell anything that would injure themselves except by accident. Remember, too, that no matter what Senator Carmack said on the stump or wrote in the Tennesseean about Colonel Cooper there was no justification for murder. The law gives another recourse."

ALLOWED TO SEARCH JAIL

Mob at Ottumwa, Ia., Demands Negro Murderer.

Ottumwa, Ia., March 11.—Just at midnight a mob of 100 men, most of them masked, called at the county jail and demanded of Sheriff Jackson that he turn over to them John Junken, the confessed murderer of Clara Rosen. The sheriff told the mob that Junken was not in the jail. The crowd would not agree to leave until the sheriff permitted it to go through and see if what he said was true. When it had finished the inspection the crowd dispersed.

Junken is in Sigourney, where he will remain until Judge M. A. Roberts takes up his case next week.

DECLARED TO BE INELIGIBLE

Labor Leader Elected Member of Manila Municipal Board.

Manila, March 11.—Governor General James Smith has decided that Dominador Gomez, the labor leader recently elected a member of the municipal board, is ineligible on the grounds that he is not a citizen of the Philippines and has been convicted of a crime. Gomez was identified with the radical Filipino party which was led by Simon Villa at the late municipal election. More recently he has been leader of the dock strike, which has been in progress for some time.

PASSES THE IOWA HOUSE

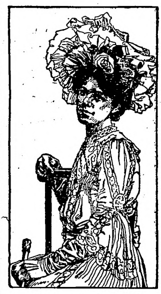
Bill Submitting a Prohibition Amendment to the People.

Des Moines, March 11.—The resolution calling for a vote of the state upon an amendment to the constitution in favor of the prohibition of intoxicating liquors passed the house by a vote of 69 ayes and 6 nays. Should the resolution pass the senate it cannot be submitted to a vote until 1911.

ETHEL BARRYMORE TO WED

Will Marry Son of Millionaire Rubber Man.

Boston, March 11.—Miss Ethel Barrymore is to be married here next Sunday to Russell Griswold Colt, eldest son of Colonel Samuel Colt, president of the United States Rubber company and of the Industrial Trust company of Providence, R. I.


ETHEL BARRYMORE.

Colonel Colt, who is reputed to be worth several millions, is much pleased with the match and has announced his intention of making a large settlement on his son, who is twenty-six years of age. Miss Barrymore will remain on the stage.

ASSASSINATED BY THREE MASKED MEN

Polish Priest Killed in Rectory at Newark, N. J.

Newark, N. J., March 11.—Rev. Father Erasin Ansion, rector of the Polish church of St. Stanislaw, was shot and almost instantly killed by three masked men in his rectory here. Miss Antonia Sewrzytska, housekeeper for the rector, who attempted to prevent the assassination, was slightly wounded in the abdomen. As there has been a dispute among the leaders of the church over its affairs the shooting was believed to have been the outcome of that disagreement.

Three men, who were unknown to the servants, called at the rectory while the rector was celebrating mass in the church. They were admitted to the parlor and Father Ansion was notified of their presence as soon as he returned from mass. As the rector entered the parlor the men opened fire on him. One bullet penetrated the breast near the heart and the two others lodged in the abdomen. Father Ansion died in the ambulance while on the way to the hospital.

The housekeeper was wounded in the abdomen, but not seriously. Other priests in the rectory, hearing the shots, rushed toward the parlor, whereupon the assassins fled from the house and escaped.

The tragedy is believed to be the culmination of a series of factional fights which have disrupted the church for many months.

BEST SKATERS WILL MEET

Baptie and Wood Among Competitors in Cleveland Contests.

Cleveland, March 11.—Five of America's best professional ice skaters, including the present and past holders of the championship title, with others, will get together here tonight, tomorrow and Saturday in a great series of races. Some of the best contests in the history of ice racing in America are expected.

Among the cracks who will compete are Baptie, champion of America; Wood, the former champion; Neilson, Sinnirud and Bellefeuille. It will be the first meeting of Baptie, Wood and Neilson. As the championship title may depend on the outcome of the races they are sure to be close and interesting.

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SHUMWAY HANGED YESTERDAY P. M.

Supreme Court Refused To Further Stay Sentence. Man Was Executed At 2:32 P.M. Yesterday.

Hard Fight Was Made To Save The Life Of Murderer Of Mrs. Sarah Martin. Of Unsound Mind.

Lincoln Neb. March 6—R. Mead Shumway was hanged this afternoon at 2:32 the supreme court having refused to entertain a motion for a further stay of sentence and Governor Shallenberger refusing to step in when the court, after having reviewed all the matter relating to the case, had declined to further postpone the death of the convicted murderer of Mrs. Sarah Martin.

The fight to save Shumway was persistent and resourceful. Seeking a stay in hte district court of Lancaster county, Attorney Hamer found him self baffled by the court's statement that it had no jurisdiction since the recent passage of the Wilson act, which places examination for sanity in the hands of the trial court. Hamer then attacked the constitutionality of this act, but the supreme court held that the act was valid. Then the affidavits were exhibited showing Shumway to be of unsound mind although the physicians Hay and Mehay who examnied him di dnot go so far as to say that prisoner was insane. The court did not hold that these affidavits established a degree of mental unsoundness that would warrant the vacation of the sentence.

Prohibiting Miscegenation

The bill introduced in the Minnesota legislature by Senator Calhoun forbidding the intermarriage of whites and negroes, is one that instantly commends itself to the judgment. The mixture of two such dissimilar races as the Caucasian and the African, is not alone repubnant to a very proper and natural feeling of race pride, but the offspring of such marriages are likely to combine the weaker traits of both races and to lack their better ones. This is a phenomenon often noted where races have mingled. The Eurasians of the orient are oftentimes paraiahs, contemned by their white fathers and objects of suspicion to the people of their mothers' race.

Race prejudice is a deep seated and natural characteristic of man kind. Often blind and unreasoning, often provocative of violence and rapine, it is nevertheless implanted in the human breast as a guardian to purity of race. It is one of the great facts of life that cannot be blinked or removed. To enact its inhibition against interracial marriages into law seems to us a proper and necessary thing to do.

Such enactment involves no necessary reflection on the members of either race. It simply effectuates the general sentiment that such marriages are subversive of morality and provocative of race prejudice in its baser manifestations. The fact that the negro has been invested with citizenship, and, in the north at least permitted to vote and participate in the government carries withit no right, implied or expressed, to enter the maital relation with members of the other race.—Minneapolis Journal.

Fire's Havoc

F. W. Fitzpatrick, a former Duluthian writing for the Popular Science Monthly in its current issue, sets out some facts that are startlingly significant of the tendency to waste in American life.

Mr. Fitzpatrick's facts deal somewhat with our loss from fires and the figures that he gives tend to moderate somewhat our enthusiasm over the immense amount of building that we are doing each year. For instance for the past year of 1908, he shows that "the total destroyed values and incidental cost of fire" was $564,000,000, while the total amount of new building done was $510,000,000. That ought to stop all of us for a moment.

Fire in America in 1908 cost us $2.72 per capital In most of the countries of Europe it averages 33 cents. In Italy it is but 12 cents. In Germany it has never gone above 49 cents. A fair comparison as to cities is found in the cities of Rome and St. Louis, both towns with about half a million of population. In St. Louis there were 3,200 fires with a loss of $1.289,000 while the cost of the fire department was $1,018,000. In Rome there were 270 fires, which cost $56,000 while the city paid out $50,000 for fire protection. Surely the contrast is great enough to cause us to do some careful thinking.

Mr. Fitzpatrick's remedy for this condition of affairs is fire proof buildings, but he goes to far greater lengths than millions of us have dreamed of. "The thing to do is to absolutely prohibit inflammable construction the use of wood, in the structural parts of buildings erected anywhere within the jurisdiction of a city." He declares that fire limit districts are only half measures which do not give more than a small fraction of protection, besides which the frame building district of today is certain to fall within the fire limits tomorrow with its host of fire traps on all sides. Mr. Fitzpatrick declares that it is a popular mistake to think that fireproof buildings cost so very much more than those that are not fireproof, in which statement he is sustained by many architects of standing. According to Mr. Fitzpatrick the increased cost is only from 12 to 15 per cent. This increase moreover is only to the first cost and is soon saved in insurance and greater longevity.

Incidentally in taking a fall out of so-called fireproof buildings, Mr. Fitzpatrick points out that every floor in a big building ought to be a compartment of the building which can be instantly shut off from every other floor and he thus makes a suggestion which ought to be applied to hotels at least if not to other large buildings, by legislative enactment. Almost every destructive fire that occurs in a great hotel is spread thru the elevator shaft If it were possible at the first discovery of the fire to instantly slide into place fireproof doors separating each floor from every other floor, 99 per cent of these disastrous and fatal hotel fires would amount to no more than a comparatively trifling blaze.

Fireproof buildings have come to be one of the great American jokes and the reason for this is revealed by Mr. Fitzpatrick when he declared that out of 12,000,000 structures in this country there are but 8,000 "in which even the slightest effort has been made at fire protection." A chain is no stronger than its weakest link and a fire proof building is not much more fire proof than its most inflammable part.

The figures which Mr. Fitzpatrick gives as to our annual loss by fires ought certainly to arouse every man who intends to build to a consideration of the profit that there will be to him in building so as to be proof against this terrible agent of destruction.—Duluth Herald.

Princeton Union: It is announced that President Roosevelt will visit Duluth previous to his departure for Africa. He probably deems it wise to practice on the bears of the eZnith Cit ybefore tackling the hippopotami, rhinoceri and cannabalt of the African swamps and jungles.

There's nothing makes a woman so happy as making somebody she loves happy.

MANIA TO HORRIFY

MISS MARGARET HICKEY TELLS TALES OF MURDER TO LITTLE CHILDREN

ARREST IS CAUSED ON CHARGE OF INSANITY—TELLS VIVID TALES OF HAPPENINGS

TO LITTLE ONES — SHE IS A WELL KNOWN SPINSTER

Grand Forks March 6— Afflicted with a mania for telling children blood-curdling tales of murder and other crimes which caused the little ones to cry out in terror as they slept Miss Margaret Hickey a spinster was arrested and locked up in the county jail yesterday. Miss Hickey is charged with insanity.

The accused has been boarding at a number of places around town and it is the opinion of those who know her that her mind is affected. Her general conduct did not bother the people so much as her effort to scare the children. The litle ones drank in her terrible tales with horrified interest and sleep badly disturbed was the result.

Made Threats to Slay

The arerst was made at a boarding house on Cheyenne Avenue. The boarding house keeper asesrts that Miss Hickey had threatened to kill her and others and is very violent at times. She had been there for two weeks. Previous to that time she boarded elsewhere in the city and people at the house believe she is crazy.

WERE MARRIED AT SIGHT

ALEX MACKEL WOMAN THEY DINE AND THEN THEY WED

People here will be interested in the following news dispatch which refers to one of the former well known residents of Ada who was a frequent visitor in Crookston.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27 — Rescued from under the wheels of a street car and married to her rescuer within two hours, Miss Ellen Shellito of Crossville, Tenn., has established a new record for speedy matrimonials in Seattle.

Miss Shellito had been here but a few hours when in crossing a downtown street she became confused and stepped directly in front of an approaching car.

Alex Mackel, six feet six inches tall a lawyer of Butte Mont., seized her and lifted her from danger. He proposed and was accepted. A few minutes later they were married.

"We would have been married half an hour sooner if it had not been for a pinheaded waiter, who stuck around our table," said Mackel.

NOTHING DOING IN ADA POLITICS

Altho only six days remain until the annual city election is held in Ada, so far there has been absolutely "nothing doing" in local politics. Two caucuses have been called; one by the temperance people for Friday night and a general cuaucus on Saturday night. It is probable that there will be two tickets in the field but up to date there have not been enough candidates mentioned to fill one ticket. As a general thing the city campaign does not open uuntil Monday before election and it is expected that this rule will hold good this year. For mayor those who have been mentioned are the present incumbent, C. J. Lofgren and Jake Volland and Sam Olson.—Ada Herald.

Warren Register: The Duluth Herald says the people of the country would have more respect for Pulitzer Smith and others indicted for libelling Robinson, Taft et al. in the Panama canal matter if they would "quit skulking behind the skirts of the goddess of free speech and come out into the open and fight a fair fight." Perhaps the reason for their failure to fight in the open is the non-existence of any facts which they can urge as a defense for the accusations that they have iterated and re-iterated against the president that is and the president that is to be.

DAMAGE BY THE STORM

WIRELESS MESSAGE FROM BALTIMORE BRINGS BAD NEWS

PROMINENT MAN IS VICTIM OF STORM'S RAGE—MAN WAS OVERCOME

BY THE COLD AND FELL BY THE SIDE OF THE TRACKS

Baltimore, Md., March 6 — Latest and careful estimates based on information obtained today and tonight, place damage by storm to public service corporations at from $700,000 to $1,000,000.

Harry Granger brother-in-law of George R. Gaither who at last election was republican candidate for governor was found today, a victim of the storm, beside the tracks of the United Railways. It is thought that Granger attempted to walk from the home of friends in Mount Washington a suburb to his home in Forest Park a distance of several miles, and that he was overcome by the cold.

CHURCH TO COST SIXTY THOUSAND

FINE PLACE OF WORSHIP TO BE BUILT BY PRESBYTERIANS OF GRAND FORKS

At a business meeting of the board of the Presbyterian church at Grand Forks last night a resolution was adopted calling for a meeting of the congregation to act on the proposition to erect a new church. The board recommends that a $60,000 building be erected and that work be commenced just as soon as plans can be drawn and a contract awarded.

There is no question but that the action taken last night will be ratified by the congregation. A large share of the amount needed has been subscribed.

The new church will be constructed on lots owned by the congregation and a part of the present site. It is probable that it will be unnecessary to tear down the building in use at present until the new one is completed

The new church will be one of the finest in that state.

FARMER TERRIBLY CUT BY SAW

Lars P. Solberg who lives ten miles northeast of Fertile met with a queer accident last Thursday and one that will probably cripple him for life. He was working around a wood sawing outfit and while in the act of picking up a chunk of ice to throw out of his way backed into the saw and received a cut about 14 inches long in his leg extending from his thigh down. The flesh was cut to the bone and badly torn and the wound filled with bits of torn cloth. The great sciatic nerve that supplies feeling and motion to the limb below the knee was torn to shreds and will deprive him of the use of his leg. Mr. Solberg was brought to Crookston and placed in a hospital where he can receive the care and attention that his condition calls for.

Moorhead Independent: Owing to the observance of Lent the saloons will lay off most of the barkeeps—maybe.

Only those who have held office in one of the large cities can appreciate the grave peril that lurked in the bill to require county officials to be at their offices during certain hours of every day. Not that they would wish to shirk their duties did they dread the bill, but they had a lively sense of the inconvenience of being obliged to anywhere in particular, for certain, during campaign time, where the "moochers" might lie in wait for them —St. Paul Dispatch.

A man is as ashamed of not knowing the baseball percentage as he is of knowing his church deacons.

A man seems to think he can convince his wife he is a great scientist if he can make her believe he understands the furnace when he doesn't.

Any excuse is good—if you can make people believe it.

Even the girl with a rat in her hair is afraid of a mouse.

EXPLOSION OF A GASOLINE PLANT

A Defective Lighting Plant Stirs Up Trouble. Near-Fatal Accident In Kulm N. D. Hotel.

W. Fields Eyesight Destroyed And Several Others Were Seriously In Small Town On Soo Line.

Kulm, N. D. March 6—The explosion of the gas lighting plant in the Kulm hotel last evening cos tthe eyesight of W. Fields of Aberdeen S. D., traveling representative of the International Harvester company besides seriously if not fatally injuring four others, including the proprietor of the place and a pastor who was a guest.

Just how the accident occurred is not known and possibly never will be The house is lighted by a gasoline system which apparently was working all right. Without warning there was a terrific explosion and the guests were thrown in a panic. The first thought was to save the structure from flames which followed. With this accomplished aid was given the injured.

It is possible that an investigation will be determined to dehrdluetaoin will be started to determine where the fault lies and examine the plant which was at the root of the trouble.

Lots of grown folks are as hard to amuse as baby.

The improved quality of living nowadays may be worth the additional cost, but this is poor consolation to the man who hasn't the price.

BIG MINNEAPOLIS AUTOMOBILE SHOW

Over $2,000,000 worth of automobile and motorcycles were sold from the floor of the Chicago Automobile show held early in February and of this astonishing number a great many purchases were made by persons in agricultural pursuits. It was partly with the purpose of bringing almost to the door of the northwestern farmer the possibilities of the modern automobile for country use that the Minneapolis Automobile Show will be held in the new Minneapolis Armory, March 13 to 20.

With the rapid improvement in country highways and with the many advances made in motor car manufacture designed to overcome existing obstacles to comfortable travel on the roadways still unimproved the practical advantages of the motor car in the country are being generally recognized by the farmers of the prairie regions. Further acquaintance with the original and maintenance cost of the modern machine serves to convince the farmer that he is saving money by investing in an automobile up to date.

To these various conditions and reasons are ascribed the remarkable sale of automobiles now being made in country districts.

The Minneapolis Automobile Show will have on its 42,000 feet of floor space practically every kind of machine and accessory now known to the scientific automobile builder. There will be touring cars, roadsters runabouts, trucks, surreys, and heavy and light machines of all sorts, ranging in price from less than $1,000 to over $4,000. Demonstrators will be at hand thruout automobile week to give inquiring visitors practical illustration on the roads of Hennepin county of the ease with which the modern automobile may be made to negotiate the most difficult of country highways, while the experts in charge of the exhibits in the armory will be glad to explain any detail of construction or operation.

This assembling of the machines which are doing so much to bring about the "horseless age" will be practically the same as that found in the Chicago, New York and Boston Shows with this advantage—it will be within a few hours' ride of every farmer in the northwest.

The Minneapolis Automobile Show Association will be under an expense of $10000 in arranging for the preliminaries of the Minneapolis show of March 13 to 20. But Minneapolis ha sbecome one of the greatest motor markets in America; Minnesota farmers are following the example of farmers in Illinois, Iowa and states farther east, and the Minneapolis automobile men believe the time has arrived to show farmers of this section all there is to see in the latest thing in automobiles.

PHYLLIS ABSTAINS.

Ah, Lent's a dreary time at best, with nothing doing in the town,
Society in somber garb and rectors toning Satan down;
But I'd no quarrel with those days of penitence; indeed, sometimes
I've felt a bit contrite myself on hearing those dear, dulcet chimes
Calling fair sinners to their prayers, bidding a recreant world make haste
To gain the sanctified retreat wherein its sins might be erased;
But now I heed them not at all, howe'er they call appealingly—
"You must abstain," the rector said, and Phyllis now abstains from—me.
"It's only forty days," she said, "and I am yours for all the rest.
In Lent, my dear, the rector says, one must give up what one loves best,
Abstain from every worldly thing, and you are worldly, aren't you?
Besides, it's but a test," she said, whether or not your love rings true."
No plea of mine availed against the rector's ban on worldly taint;
'Twas her absession (great word, that, and thus it was my pretty saint
In chastened mood and heart contrite took up her role as devotee,
Dismissed pomps and vanities, be- neath which head she barred out me.
Surely that rector graced his robes! Lofty of brow, a soulful gaze,
Six feet of sweetness and of light; sometimes one sees at matinees
Such deities the idol of a turong of femininity—
And to the rector Phyllis paid devotions afternoons at three,
In tending souls so ardent was the rector's zeal that ere Lent waned
I found a Phyllis lost to me, and what I'd lost the rector gained.
Prate to me not of keepin Lent! Phyllis, immune to every plea,
Kept Lent and kept the rector, too, that's why she now abstains from me.
—Life.

Stillwater Gazette: Some inquisitive fellow in the Duluth Herald asks: "Are you keeping Lent? And what for? For the good of your soul or the applause of the public?" We cannot answer, but we have often wondered if some of those who pretended to be following out instructions were really and actually playing honest. There are a great many people who are truly conscientious in church matters as they are in everything, but there are people who make a great display that are only fooling the casual observer. Those who make it a point to know who's who, can spot these pretenders with one eye shut and both hands and feet tied.

After losing a case a lawyer is willing to "try, try again"—as long as his client is willing to pay the freight.

Ask Your Own Doctor

If he tells you to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your severe cough or bronchial trouble, then take it. If he has anything better, then take that. We have great confidence in this medicine. So will you, when you once know it.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
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We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

INTERESTING DIVORCE CASE

TIME DURING WHICH DIVORCE ACTION IS PENDING NOT A PART OF

STATUTORY PERIOD OF DESERTION—DAVIS CASE UP FOR A SECOND TIME

From Thursday's Daily—

The divorce case of Edon Davis of Red Lake County against Mary Davis tried before Judge Watts of Crookston on Tuesday brought to light a rather interesting point of law. Vaule & Murphy of this city appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney G. A. E. Finlayson of East Grand Forks for the defence.

The plaintiff brought an action for desertion in November 1907, which was tried April 22, 1908 the court holding that desertion for the statutory time had not been proven. This action was dismissed by the plaintiff Nov. 21, 1908, and on December 2, 1908, the plaintiff instituted a second action for divorce, alleging desertion. The defendant denied the charge of desertion and set up a cross complaint on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment.

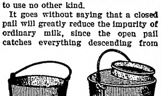
The case was called Tuesday before Judge Watts for trial, and the defendant's attorney called attention to a decision of the Minnesota supreme court which held that the time during which an action is pending for a divorce may not be considered as a part of the statutory period of desertion. The case was submitted, and although a decision has not been handed down the court intimated that a divorce would probably be granted the defendant, with alimony, together with the custody of the minor child.

COVERED MILK PAILS.

They Are Best For the Dairy, as Experiments Have Shown.

A prominent dairyman says: We have yet to meet the man who has tried a good kind of covered milk pail and who likes clean milk who has not thought them a great improvement over the ordinary open pail. Yet our observations on their use is to the effect that not more than eight cow owners out of ten use them. It would certainly be a good habit for everybody to get into to use no other kind.

It goes without saying that a closed pail will greatly reduce the impurity of ordinary milk, since the open pail catches everything descending from above. Experiments have plainly brought out the advantage of covered milk pails, and, while they require somewhat more work of the person who washes the dairy utensils, no one who is interested in pure milk could consider this an argument of more than featherweight description. A good kind of pail is one in which the top fits on as a cover and the milk opening is covered with screening or is fitted with a hoop so that cheesecloth can be used for that purpose. There is little difficulty in thoroughly cleansing such a pattern of pail.



UNCOVERED AND COVERED MILK PAILS.

The closed pail is a subject which it would seem local creameries could agitate with direct benefit to themselves. In a way much of the advice offered to the farmers in the interests of purer milk is wasted since it is impracticable.

Crushed.

Stonebroke—Do you think your father would object to my marrying you? Heiress—I don't know. If he's anything like me he would.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

FINE CLASS OF FARMERS

COMMERCIAL TRAVELER FROM CHICAGO PRAISES CHARACTER OF

THE STURDY FARMERS FOUND IN NORTHERN PART OF MINNESOTA

"Northern Minnesota has the most sturdy lot of settlers that you can find anywhere in the Northwest and I am acquainted with the territory that I am speaking about," said A. C. Worrell, who makes the northwestern territory for a large Chicago wholesale house, to a Duluth Herald reporter.

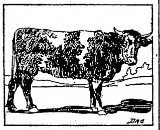
"I have ben traveling over the northwest for the past fifteen years. During that time I have seen many people come to various parts of the northwest. The people of Northern Minnesota are a different class from the rest of the people who have come to the northwest in the time that I have been going over that part of the country.

"They are a sturdy lot of the best class, and they have come to the northern part of the state despite the fact that many people have told them that it is impossible to make a success of farming in this part of the state. They have come here to make a success of their work and what I know of the settlers in this part of the state, there is a great agricultural future ahead of Northern Minnesota.

"Down in Iowa and over in Wisconsin they have some of the best farmers in the entire country. But for sturdy character and determination to succeed they are not superior to the settlers who have come to this part of the state. The characteristics of determination and character are the dominant ones of the settlers who have taken homesteads in the extreme northern part of the state. They have contended with many obstacles but very few of these settlers have abandoned their claims. Most of them have remained to build homes in that part of the state. The settlement of Northern Minnesota will be very rapid from now on and I also believe that some of the best settlers in the country will come to this part of the state."

BEEF CATTLE ON THE FARM.

There are hundreds of farmers who for various reasons are not making a business of dairying, but are keeping only two or three family cows, and yet these same farmers are perhaps raising hogs or growing grain as a specialty and therefore have considerable roughage that should be converted into beef profitably. Corn fodder, oat straw and clover hay are usually abundant on every farm of much size and unless fed to cattle or sheep must be otherwise disposed of and perhaps at a loss financially, and of course the soil suffers when such products are sent off the farm.



SHORTHORN, BEEF TYPE.

Selecting the cattle is half the battle, writes an Ohio breeder in Rural New Yorker. It is useless to raise dairy steers and expect top prices for them at selling time. The straight backs, full loins and blocky quarters of the beef breeds or beef grades are what you want in the feeders you select. Usually a farmer has two or three calves of his own raising, and if he can use more he may buy some calves from his neighbors at weaning time and thus have his bunch of cattle even in age and size. Where one needs a carload or more one can get range calves, or a stock buyer can get a bunch of native stock together in a short time, or one may go to some large stockyard and pick the calves or older stock personally.

My own practice is to buy some calves at weaning time three to six months old and keep them till they will do to export. I frequently keep them till they are four years old.

"Come on, Bill," whispered the old burglar in disgust. "it's no use wasting time here."

"Don't you think those two lovers will get off the steps soon?" queried the new burglar.

"No. I heard him say that was the last kiss. They'll be an hour yet."

Even when a man proves that he is a woman's superior, she doesn't believe it.

U. DAILY AGAIN SHOWS FIGHT

PACKING HOUSE "LID" DISREGARDED AND STRONG PROTEST APPEARS

APPEALS TO LEGISLATORS—EXPERIENCES AT CHICAGO "U" REFERRED TO

From Thursday's Daily—

St. Paul Dispatch: The Minnesota Daily the State University student publication today declared its independence of the self-appointed mentors of that institution and again entered the fight against the proposed Armour packing plant south of New Brighton. Until today the university paper has said nothing since the "lid" was put on nearly two weeks ago.

The Minnesota Daily quotes from the Daily Maroon the University of Chicago student publication, as follows: "The University of Minnesodents are up in arms against the establishment of a packing plant within three miles of the campus. They have the moral support of the University of Chicago as we have it on good authority that when the wind is in the northwest a skilled cook can cut a chunk of campus atmosphere and make a very nourishing consomme."

The Minnesota Daily continues: "We are further informed by one of our professors, who formerly lived within a block of the University of Chicago that he had sometimes been awakened from sound sleep by the packing plant odors and had often gone without breakfast because they were so disagreeable."

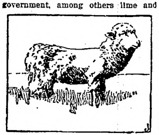
The legislators are advised to proceed carefully and not allow the location of the plant on the proposed site until it is ascertained whether the statements set forth are based upon facts. The Minnesota Daily speaks not alone for the university proper, but also for the college of agriculture, located only a short distance from the Armour site.

SHEEP SCAB.

Cause of This Contagious Disease and Best Dips to Cure It.

Scab in sheep is caused by a parasite scarcely visible to the naked eye. The eggs hatch in from three to ten days, and under favorable conditions the product of one female in three months is 1,500,000. The disease is contagious and may be contracted by touching the sick animal or from anything that has touched it. The mites have been known to live apart from the sheep on wool or other objects for ten days. Those parts of the body covered by thick wool are worst affected. The fleece becomes matted and finally drops off, as shown in the illustration. On account of the intense itching the sheep bites itself and rubs against posts, trees, feeding racks and the corners of buildings, so that healthy sheep touching these objects are likely to get the disease. In some cases the skin cracks and in others becomes compact and hard, like leather. The mortality from scab has been known to run as high as 75 per cent.

The only remedy is to do a thorough job of dipping and disinfection. Various dips have been approved by the government, among others lime and sulphur, tobacco and sulphur and numerous coal tar and creosote preparations. Objection to the first two is that they discolor the wool and the tobacco makes the sheep sick. In using the coal tar or creosote dips it is best to get one of the proprietary solutions bearing on the label the indorsement of the agricultural department.



A BAD CASE OF SCAB.

Dipping should be done immediately after shearing in liquid at 103 to 105 degrees, holding the sheep under at least two minutes and immersing the head once. In ten days dip the animals again. Scabby sheep should never be driven along a public road, and all quarters in which they have been should be thoroughly disinfected and left four weeks or more before using again.

The reason every man wants to marry a pretty girl is everybody else thinks he ought to marry a sensible one.

One Way.

Child—Suppose I called you a mean old pig. What would happen? Governess—I should tell your father, and he would punish you. Child—And if I only thought it. Governess—No harm so long as you don't say it. Child—Then I only think it.—Life.

Lots of people wouldn't know what to do with patience if they had it.

IS HEARTILY APPROVED

EARLY CLOSING OF BUSINESS HOUSES DOES NOT INCONVENIENCE PUBLIC

THERE SHOULD BE NO FRACTURES OF THE ARGUMENT BY ANYONE

From Saturday's Daily—

The early closing program inaugurated by the business men of Crookston some time ago is meeting with the most hearty public aproval. The clerks who were formerly compelled to rush home for supper and rush back again to hang around stores till late in the evening, preventing them from being with their families or attending evening functions, now have a few hours to themselves for pleasure and recreation, and during the hours they are on duty give the patrons of the stores a better service than ever before.

The people are now all accustomed to the new regime and there is no necessity for any of the business places remaining open after 6 o'clock, and no complaints have been made of any one attempting to go back on the agreement that was made.

Another feature of the 6 o'clock closing plan is that it gives Crookston a much more metropolitan air. In all of the large cities early closing has been in vogue for years, and during the summer months many of them close at noon Saturday giving employes a half holiday. It is a step forward and is receiving the most hearty endorsement of the people of Crookston. The village swaddling clothes of "open all evening" should never again be donned in Crookston.

CROOKSTONITE PARTICIPATES

THIRD ANNUAL BANQUET OF U. OF M. MEDIC CLASS OF 1912

The third anual banquet of the Medic Class of 1912, University of Minnesota was held in Donaldson tea rooms Minneapolis on Feb. 27, an dthe affair was a very elaborate and successful affair. Much local interest is attached to it as Ralph L. Kirsch of this city is the treasurer of the class, and is also making a record of which his many friends in this city have every reason to be proud.

The programs for the occasion were very unique, and bore the gruesome skull and crossbones. The program included a solo by Clyde Undine who was a member of the University Glee Club which visited Crookston last year and scored a great hit. Mr. Undine also scored a personal triumph amnog the eligible young ladies of Crookston at a social function given in honor of the visiting delegation in that connection of which more will be heard later on.

CASE AFTER CASE

Plenty More Like This in Crookston

Scores of Crookston people can tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills. Many a happy citizen makes a public statement of his experience. Here is a case of it. What better proof of merit can be had than such endorsement?

Noel Herbert, 338 Hunter St., Crookston, Minn., says: "My back pained terribly and unfitted me for any work. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and finally procured a box at Wallace's drug store. I started using them and it was not long before my back became stronger. I am glad to state that the old trouble entirely left me and I have not felt a return of it since. I give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement with the hope that others may be convinced of their merit."

The above statement was made by Mr. Herbert in 1898 and nearly six years later he added: "Doan's Kidney Pills so completely relieved me of kidney trouble six years ago that there has been no return of it. It is apleasure to again endorse this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Time's Changes.

"Before we were married you said you'd lay down your life for me," she sobbed.

"I know it," he returned solemnly, "but this confounded flat is so tiny there's no place to lay anything down."—Harper's Bazar.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

NOBLE WOMAN GOES TO REWARD

MRS. JOHN R. McKINNON PASSED AWAY AT 6:45 THIS MORNING

WHOLE CITY MOURNS DEATH OF A PIONEER RESIDENT

From Thursday's Daily—

Thursday at 6:45 a. m. the spirit of Mrs. John R. McKinnon passed from its earthly environment to "that better house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens."

While it had been feared for weeks that Mrs. McKinnon could not survive the wonderful vitality she had shown gave rise to the hope in the hearts of many that she might yet rally and survive this attack, but the attending physicians had given up hope long ago as cancer of the stomach had reached such a stage that no medical skill or surgical operation could avail anything.

All Crookston is in mourning. In the death of Mrs. John R. McKinnon this city has lost one of the most noble minded, earnest conscientious and charitable Christian women ever known. Words are inadequate to in any measure express the true worth of such a beautiful character, embodying all that is true all that is best, all that is purest in womanhood in its very highest sense.

No woman was better known, more highly honored, more deeply respected or more sincerely loved than Mrs. McKinnon. Nothing can be said which can present what such a woman represents in a community. No words can express what loss has been sustained or the sorrow that is felt.

No one will ever know the extent of her charity. Many know of many of her good deeds. None know all. She was a woman of deeds rather than words. None ever appealed to her for aid but what received succor and no one who needed sympathy or a cheering word but who found it.

As a wife, mother and neighbor she embodied those qualities which are all too rare and which made her a woman who has done much for the community in making its social life better its religious life more profound and inspiring the true conception of the better and truer life in all others with whom she came in contact.

Mrs. John R. McKinnon, whose maiden name was Miss Harriet McDonald was born in Glenevis, Glengarry Co., Ontario, Canada on April 26, 1850, and would have been 59 years of age next month. She grew to womanhood there, later removing to Ausaba, Michigan, and in Bay City, Mich., July 22, 1874 she was united in marriage to John R. McKinnon who survives her.

The family removed to Crookston in the spring of 1880 and resided here ever since. The union resulted in 8 children, two of whom are still living Mrs. George Capser (Margaret) and Miss Hattie McKinnon. There were also three adopted children, Jeanette McDonald, Archie McDonald, and Ella Frazier, the latter having died some months ago.

Deceased also has one sister still living, Mrs. Cox of New Haven, Conn., who is very feeble, and a brother, Allan McDonald who resides at the old ohme Glenevis, Ont., who was also unable to be here.

As a model Christian woman the character of Mrs. McKinnon stands out with pre-eminence. She was a member of St. Anne's church until St. Mary's parish was organized since which time she has been a faithful and active member in that church being identified with all the societies connected with the church and having been at the head of them many times. She was recognized as one of the most earnest, faithful and successful workers in the church and was the central figure in the character of gatherings which tend to make the social life of a city purer and better.

In her church work she was unostentatious and a great deal she did in the name of the Master she so faithfully served, is only known to those she befriended. Her ear was ever lent to those in trouble and her counsel has guided the feet of many young girls safely over the shoals of temptation. Her life in every way was an inspiration to all those with whom she associated and no woman's death could be more deeply mourned. During her long illness she displayed a quiet resignation that can only come to those who live in Christ, and who look upon death as but a transition to the nearer relation to Him. Never could the words apply better, "Oh Grave where is thy victory, Oh Death where is thy sting?"

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From Saturday's Daily—

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. John R. McKinnon were held this morning at 9:30 in St. Mary's church. The edifice in which the deceased had been such a devoted worshipper for years was inadequate to contain all who had gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to her memory.

The impressive Requiem High Mass was said by Father Smiers and there was special music including a solo at the conclusion by Miss Rose Campbell. The floral tributes were especially significant, as in addition to the beautiful floral pieces there were great masses of individual tokens, which spoke in the mute but beautiful language of flowers of the spirit that had departed, and recalled her thoughtfulness in attending to those little acts of kindnesses during life, the remembrance of which seem to bring back with them the delicate perfume of the rarest flowers because of their beauty and goodness.

No funeral oration was delivered by Father Smiers by the special request of the departed. None was necessary. Her life itself portrayed with a greater eloquence than commanded by the tongue of man the beautiful character that had been moulded.

The remains were taken to the Catholic Plot in Oakdale Cemetery where they were committed to the final resting place and short services were held there in the presence of a great gathering of relatives and friends many of whom came from a distance.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Allan McKinnon, Archie McKinnon Dan McDonald, J. P. Foote, J. F. Creamer, M. Ericsson, James Powers and John O'Brien.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

A woman is somewhat of a fast express—unless she is tongue-tied.

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Don't stay up all night because you can't learn it all in one day.

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In looking backward a man sees only the bright spots in his past.

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Life is merely a sentence at hard labor—with something added for good behavior.

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Might doesn't always make right; occasionally it falls down while trying to make good.

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Keep your eye on the coal supply. There may be a large supply of cold storage weather still in stock.

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If some people were to think twice before speaking they would probably forget what they wanted to say.

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Too many people make the mistake of putting up their future happiness as collateral for the loan of a few dollars.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Duluth's Experience

The red light district in Duluth which has caaused so much trouble among the city council and mayor is not ended yet. The men who clamored for the removal of these palaces of impunity believed they were doing the right thing and if humanity were only purer or built upon a different plan, or brought into the world without the stain of the Garden of Eden upon them, their position would have been tenable. Howevtr experience is this odd world of ours teaches that this form of sin is with us, and that it seems to be almost so closely interwoven into man's nature that it takes more than an edict of a city council or the act of the mayor to blot it out. The red light district in Duluth was smashed up into fragments, but the fragments flew to so many parts that a goodly portion of Duluth today is contaminated by the presence of some quesitnable person or persons. Speaking to aminister of the gospel in Duluth a few days ago, he said that one of his "new" next door neighbors was a couple of women whose lives were such that discredit was reflected upon the whole neighborhood. He also said that scattering such 'people all over the city was a great mistake. He said that he was one of the members of the Civic League that did the scattering but really it was a mistake. A few years ago when Chris O'Brien was mayor of St. Paul, one of the very first things that he did was to send out a proclamation to this class of people and ask them to "hike." They were out of their haunts in a day or so but they were in and among the respectable elements of the city in such numbers that no lady was safe on a street car, in the opera or any other public place. Respectable families in flats had to move out because of the contamination and next door "hell" that was oftentimes located over night.

The public streets of Duluth today contain hundreds of these questionable characters that parade for no other purpose than to allure the unsuspecting man and secure his fall.—Eveleth News.

Should Tea And Coffee Be Taxed?

Consideration of the proposed internal revenue tax of 3 cents a pound on coffee and 10 cents a pound on tea will be forced upon the new congress along with the revision of the tariff. A yawning deficit that may equal $150,000,000 for the current year and the probable loss of receipts by the reduction of some import duties, are two facts that compel a search for new sources of revenue. The proposed tea and coffee taxes would net about $36,000,000 on the basis of present consumption.

Yet the proposed imports would be unjust in the form suggested because they would bear on the people in the proportion of their needs and not of their ability to pay. The poor man who drinks two or three full-sized cups of inexpensive coffee with a meal would be taxed many times as much as the millionaire who sips his afterdinner demitasse of a more costly beverage. The woman who drinks 50-cent tea would pay as much as she whose brew costs $3 a pound.

Rightly regarded, coffee or tea is a necessity at a moderate price. Three-dollar tea or 50-cent coffee is a luxury, a privilege of the rich but extravagance when indulged by the poor.

Better than an internal revenue tax without regard to the value of the article would be an ad valorem import duty. A 10 per cent tariff—or whatever rate might be fairest—would distribute the burden more equitably. Better yet, coffee or tea, up to a certain price, might be admitted free and the high-priced article heavily taxed.—St. Paul Dispatch.

STATE PRESS

St. Cloud Journal-Press: The Minnesota senate killed the bill for the nominating of United States senators by direct vote of the people thru fear that Governor Johnson might win if referred to the people. This might have been obviated by having the law so drawn that each party could nominate its candidate for senator, and have the members of the legislature vote for the candidate of their own party. For instance, if Moses E. Clapp was the choice of the republican voters and John A. Johnson was the choice of the Democratic voters Republican voters in the legislature would vote for Clapp and the Democrats for Johnson. Voters would understand that the election of legislators was directly involved in the choice between a Republican and a Democrat for United States scenators. The Journal-Press believes that the people should be given a chance to express their choice on so important an office and the legislature should give the people such a law while preserving the party system.

Albert Lea Standard: One of the best and noblest acts of President Roosevelt in the latter days of his administration was that setting aside nearly a million acres of the timber and stone lands in St. Lauis, Lake and Cook counties in the northeast corner of the state, as a national forest reserve. If it is so maintained it will become a national blessing.

Two Harbors Iron News: Roosevelt has gone, but about 300 pounds of his shadow still remains with us.

Willmar Journal: What! Do the Minnesota Democrats think that John A. Johnson ras a life tenure of the oce of governor of Minnesota, that they are laying plans for a fourth term? Yet if the Republican party persists in over-riding the wishes of the people composing it they may let Johnson have another term. The candidate wanted by the people is the only one that can be elected by the Republican party—not the candidate wanted by the Republican politicians. It's time the lesson was learned.

Buffalo Journal: Governor Johnson probably did the state a great service when he appointed Louis W. Hill president of the Great Northern railway company a member of the state highway commission of which he is chairman. If he will divert some of the Hill energy to the public service good results are sure to follow.

LeSueur News: President Taft says the four great professions are law, medicine, journalism and teaching. If true, is it not about time to do something for the faithful long-neglected teacher? The others can care for them selves.

Walker Pilot: It isn't to be expected that young married couples should never quarrel. There is a certain amount of brimstone to every match.

Moorhead Independent: Teddy to the tall timber—to cut some more big sticks—maybe.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

And the unfairness of the fair sex is proverbial.

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That man who is unable to master himself is a slave.

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The smile that won't come off soon gets to be monotonous.

Much reading of modern books maketh a man full of nothingness.

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Most people want what they want till they get it, and then they don't want it.

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There are many men of many minds—but a lot of them are unable to mind their own business.

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Truth may have hid at the bottom of a well because it was unable to make falsehood ashamed of itself.

CONSERVATION OF AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES

James J. Hill addressed the members of the Minnesota legislature last week on the conservation and development of the resources of the state. The talk was made at the special invitation of the lawmakers and both houses took an adjournment for the afternoon to listen to Mr. Hill's speech.

Mr. Hill addressed one of the largest gatherings ever assembled in the house chamber. Not only were all the members of the lawmaking body present, but state officials and prominent citizens were eager to hear Mr. Hill and all that the big room could hold were crowded in, the rules of the house being suspended in deference to the general demand for admission.

When Mr. Hill appeared at the main entrance, flanked by an escort of senators and representatives, the entire assemblage arose as a mark of respect to the venerable pioneer, and remained standing until he had mounted the speaker's high seat and had been welcomed by the speaker.

Mr. Rockne extended a welcome to the legislature's guest and in presenting him to the audience referred to Mr. Hill as one of the greatest authorities on conservation of resources in the world.

Mr. Hill said he had chosen to speak on a topic which had interested him more than any other for at least a quarter century—that of the preservation of the state's agricultural resources. He said that everything of value comes from four sources: the sea, the forests, the mines and the farm.

Farm Real Producer.

"The farm," he said, "produces more real value in the United States than all the others multiplied many times over. The value of the agricultural crop for the last season amounted to $7,800,000,000." He said this is more than all the mines in the United States have produced from the earliest days to the present time and more than the foreign commerce of the whole world.

He then proceeded to urge the importance of insuring the preservation of the sources of this great wealth and traced from earliest times how countries rich from their agricultural resources had dissipated these and are now but deserts and barren wastes.

"All the great industries of the world rest on coal and iron," said Mr. Hill. "When our iron resources are exhausted what are all these millions of people to do that are now engaged in the various industries? How are they to be employed? There is but one answer, and that is that they must go back to the land; they must go back to Mother Earth that bore them, and the will treat them kindly and well if they do not abuse her kindness."

"Now I want to call you attention to what I think will make an intelligent start in the direction of helping the agricultural interests of the state. Within about twenty-five years the yield has decreased from about twenty or twenty-five bushels per acre on reasonably new land to an average of about twelve and a-half bushels. That admonishes us surely enough that we must at once set about preserving the fertility of the soil. That can only be done by better methods of farming. You cannot continually take out of the soil one crop, year after year, any more than you can go to an elevator and year after year take grain out of the elevator, unless you put something back into it, and it is just as easy to increase the fertility of the soil as it is to increase your capital by loaning money at interest. The fertilization of the soil is better understood than it was years ago; the chemical analysis of soil has shown the chemical proportion that is taken out by the different crops, The state of Wisconsin, at its agricultural school, is doing better work, more accurate and more intelligent, and more advanced work, than is being done anywhere else in the United States in that direction. While most of the agricultural schools are doing well, our own here stands well toward the front; but the Wisconsin interest is greater, and they have given more attention to the thorough and accurate care of the soil.

Made the State Well Known.

"They have made the state known as the market for thoroughbred stock, both cattle and horses. Professor Moore, of the Agricultural school at Wisconsin, after a few years' experience, has developed a variety of corn suited to the climate and soil of that state; and I had the figures given to me that he has raised an average yield of from twenty-seven to forty-seven bushels, and that in one year the difference due to increase in yield has amounted to $15,000,000 for that state. I never passed a more interesting or happier afternoon than I did last September in Madison; and think, while the session is fairly well advanced and you have a great deal to do, I still think that your agricultural committee could afford to spend a day or two at Madison seeing what they are doing. I am sure it interested me; and within a day or two I was speaking with Mr. Page, who is one of the trustees of the National Educational foundation, which is working in conjunction with the department of agriculture in seeking to raise the condition of agriculture through the state, and he told me he had spent a day there, and was going back to spend three more, because he had never seen such intelligent and good work done anywhere. They are doing good work in the agrcultural department in Washington. A great deal of it is theoretical, and we must always have a certain amount of theoretical work, but it lacks the exact, close sound methods that are pursued over here in our neighboring state; and if they continue for the next five years as they are going at present, Wisconsin will take rank as an agricultural state that her soil does not entitle her to; but the men who are behind the guns are doing the work that will push her upward and give her a position among the states that is much better in proportion than she would have from any ordinary use of the methods in vogue.

"Now, to begin with, are we to wait until the children from the farms come to the state agricultural school and are educated, and some of them go back to the land, and others go to the cities? We have no such time to lose. If you are going to educate the children of the state you would not bring them to the cities for education, you don't bring them to the universities or the large schools in the cities, you carry the education to where they are.

"Now, let us see if we cannot devise a plan that will carry the education to the farmer on his own farm, and teach him to do it with his own hands. I am sure that it would be better for us. You may be interested—Mr. Page wrote me several pages of manuscript telling me what they were doing. I won't read them all to you, but he tells of what they are doing dwon in the south.

"'The agent goes among the farmers, he sees the farmer, makes him plant his cotton in a certain kind of a row. The agent brings the seed—well selected seed—and he makes the farmer plant it. Then he comes around at intervals and sees that it is done as it should be, and shows him how to do it with less labor, trouble, and better results. When the cotton in this plot of one or two acres is ripe, the agent comes along and the farmer says, "'"Why couldn't I make my whole field yield as much?"'" The agent says, "'"You can; I came here to make you see that you could. If I had told you without showing you. you wouldn't have believed me."'"

Educate on the Farms.

"Now if the legislature will appropriate $50,000 to be expended under the direction of the state agricultural school and the state agricultural school will pick out some man who has absolute knowledge to superintend this work, and take 200 graduates, if they can find two hundred graduates who are well equipped and know how to do the work, and how it should be done,—you can pay them, if you like, $25 a week, and for six weeks they receive $150 each—200 would cost $30,000—let them go to the country and see the farmer, let them start two weeks before seed time, selecting the farmers, and say to them, 'I have the seed for an acre of wheat an acre of barley and an acre of oats, and if you will prepare these acres as I tell you, make it a good seed bed, manure it properly before we commence—if you will do all this, I will stay and show you how to put this seed in the ground and start it as it should be started, and if you won't, I will go to some neighbor who will.' If he wants to raise three acres of wheat, by all means let him; if he wants two acres of oats and one of wheat, let him have it; but let him see that better cultivation will give him results and that the difference will make him rich.

Personal Experience.

"Last year on my farm at Humboldt in this state, my farmer wanted me to summer fallow some, and I said to him: 'McCleary—he is not a member of congress, but is a cousin of his, raised over here in Pearce county, but is a very good farmer—I want you to take all the manure, save it carefully and put it on the land as far as it will go; do a good job and let us see what the result will be. I know what it will amply pay you. I am ashamed that a farmer of mine should burn the straw every year. He did that as he was told, and he thoroughly manured 190 acres out of a field of about 2,000 acres. The yield was a little over 35 bushels, and it was all No. 1 hard and weighed nearly 60 pounds to the bushel on that 90 acres. The average of the field was a little over 16 bushels. The average of my neighbors was from 8 to 14 bushels.

"Now, if farming by proxy, as I do, by proper cultivation and by proper fertilization I can get 35 bushels per acre, we ought at least, and we have the right to expect that we could, by farming in the state of Minnesota get a yield of 25 bushels. Now if you take 25 bushels at $1 per bushel, $25, and I am sure that for seed, cultivation, with proper cultivation and fertilization of the soil, that might require $8 an acre, which would leave $17 an acre profit. I don't think the farmers in Minnesota, even at the present price of grain, are getting $4 an acre profit. The $17 per acre would be $10 per cent return annually on $170 an acre, and if we raised 25 bushels of wheat to an acre the question would be solved as to how we would feed 200,000,000 of people.

"Now with $30,000 expended for graduates of the universities to go right to the farmer and show him how to do the work, the seed will probably cost from $7,000 to $8,000; oats, we will say from 36 to 40 pounds per bushel for seed, can be secured—that is a common yield seed—can be secured. On the shores of Puget Sound the farmers get from 120 to 150 bushels of oats an acre, and some of them claim as high as 200 bushels; but I have seen the field where they raised 12, 130, 140 and 150 bushels of oats to the acre, and some of it weighed 42 pounds to the bushel. Our farmers pay little attention to the quality of the seed; they will sow oats that weigh 27 to 28 pounds to the bushel and expect to get a good yield. There isn't enough vitality left in the seed to give a good crop.

The Method.

"Now the secret, or the method—it's no secret—of improving our agriculture, is a knowledge of the contents of the soil and all that certainly can be done by state agricultural schools. There ought to be there a bureau of soil analysis, to which any farmer can send the soil of any field he has got and have the mtell him what it wants. The cost would be a mere bagatelle and a big advantage to the farmer. Then the adaptation of the soil to seed, and the selection of seed that is known to be good sound seed, with enough vitality to yield a good crop.

"Some people, and I hope there will be very few, might say: 'We have all our own burdens to bear and we cannot spend this additional money; we cannot spend this additional money for improving the method of farming or of preserving the fertility of the soil. But, let me answer them with this; from this time on Minnesota has no other source of revenue than that which comes from the field. If we go on for the next 25 years as we have for the past 25, bearing in mind that for the past 25 years the yield, particularly in the northern part of the state, has gone from—in some cases it was 35 and even 45 bushels, and they expected an average of 25 bushels an acre, and the man who didn't get 20 bushels thought he had at least a partial failure of crop; now he is satisfied with from 8 to 14, or if he is not satisfied he has to accept from 8 to 14 or 15, and an average of about 12½. Very well, if our farmers are allowed to go for the next 25 years as they have for the past 25 it will take 50 years to bring them back to where they ought to be, and many of them will be like the farms in a large portion of this country, particularly in New England, where you can buy them for one fourth of the cost of the buildings on the land. We have no other source of income than what comes from the cultivation of the land, nothing will support our villages, our towns or our cities, our churches, or our schools, our commerce, our banks, our professional men, or anything else. I don't want to take a shingle off the roof of any educational institution in this state; but we have no more use for a state university than if we were in the desert of Sahara if we allow our lands to go as they have been going for the last 25 or 30 years. (Applause.)

Can Afford to Be Generous.

We can afford to be generous in a policy that will preserve the fertility of the soil; but if we are to live—if we are to live and enjoy a fair measure of prosperity, it is an absolute necessity that we pay more attention to taking care of the soil than we do to any other interest in this states. Men may come and men may go, men are born and they die, but man may sell his land and the land remains there, and with the land—as it prospers or as it is poor—the prosperity of the people who live in this state will keep absolute step with the condition of the land; they will either be prosperous or be poor with it. There is no escape from it.

"Now, as I said before, if we are to wait until the children grow and we can send them to the agricultural school and some of them come back and do better work, and others see them doing it and will adopt their methods, etc.—let me say to you again —we haven't time; we must begin now, we must begin right here, if we would succeed, and we must carry that education to the farmer, to the man who is on the land and has his feet in the soil; we must teach him how to raise twenty-five to thirty-five bushels to the acre, and if that work is done as I suggested, carrying the work onto the land, 200 students, 200 graduates of the state agricultural schools could at least take care of an average of one plot of two or three acres each, and that would make 2,000 acres in the state. Now, how many farmers will come to see how that particular plot of ground yielded? As a means of education I don't know how to put a limit on its value. The year after, in place of $50,000, I think $100,000 could be well spent. The farmers must be taught in Minnesota to sow clover, clover is the best fertilizer. Next to clover the barnyard manure. The manure from a cow is worth from $20 to $22 a year; and from a horse about $25 a year; it is worth a little more than that compared with the price of commercial fertilizer.

Must Educate Farmers.

"How long are we going to continue our present methods? And think of it in every conceivable way as I have shown, how will you improve it unless you carry the education to the farmer? As I said before, if you wait until the children grow up and are educated at the agricultural school, it will be too late. You cannot do it. Now let me ask you, gentlemen of the legislature, to give that your most serious thought. I don't care whether you represent the city or the town or the country constituency, you are all equally interested in it because your city and your town will crumble into ruins if you haven't an agricultural population behind to support you.

"Now you may feel that I would say something on the question of transportation, you might be disappointed if I didn't, and so that you will not be disappointed I will have a very few words to say on transportation. I won't take long, and I have practically put it in such form that it will take less time, and I will be less likely to ramble. To begin with, I want to compare our average freight rates I want to compare the work being done by our railroads with the work being done in other countries, and I think I will give you some official figures that will throw some light upon the subject."

Mr. Hill took up in some detail some of the legislation of the past and some now pending touching upon railroads and corporations.

The time a girl feels she can really trust a man not to kiss her is before her father, and that's why she never lets him stay around.

THE USES OF MONEY

The way a man uses money—makes it, saves it, spends it —is perhaps one of the best tests of character.

Money should not be regarded as the principal end of life, nor should it be regarded with contempt, for it represents to a great extent the means of mental and physical comfort.

The finest qualities of human nature are related to the right use of money—generosity, honesty, justice and self-sacrifice.

A little self-sacrifice, a svaings account with this bank, and a determination to use your money right (by saving it) will soon accumulate a snug balance to your credit.
Assets Over One Million Dollars.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.
Assets over One Million Dollars

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

RURAL ROUTE OUT OF WARREN—Rural free delivery route No. 4 out of Warren has been established to go into operation April 1st. The service will be tri-weekly. The carrier has not yet been appointed.

MRS. RUNDQUIST STILL ILL — The many friends of Mrs. A. W. Rundquist will regret to learn that her improvement has not been as rapid since she left the hospital as was expected. For the past three weeks she has been very poorly.

WARREN DRUGGIST ILL—E. Quistgard of Warren proprietor of the Warren Pharmacy was suddenly seized with an attack of appendicitis Saturday of such severity that an immediate operation was decided upon. He was taken to the Warren hospital where the operation was performed that evening. Everything went well and Mr. Quistgard is now getting along all right.

ERSKINITES NOMINATE—The citizens of the village assembled at the village hall last evening and nominated the following ticket for the ensuing year. Gunder Odegaard, President of Council; Gunder Stenerson, H. T. Gilbertson and S. P. Jorgenson as trustees; T. K. Berge, recorder; Theo. Nelson, treasurer; Torger Nelson, assessor; and C. P. Hole as justice of the peace.

VICTIM OF WHITE PLAGUE — Miss Tilda Larson aged eighteen years and two months died at her home in the town of Lessor last Saturday from consumption which she contracted about a year ago and has been confined to her bed for the past four months. The funeral was held from the home on Thursday last and the remains laid to rest in the cemetery north of the track east of the village. Deceased was the youngest daughter of L. T. Segberg.—Erskine Echo.

BOUND OVER — Deputy Marshal Rider has taken J. A. Mickelson, who is charged with selling liquor without a government license to Fergus Falls. Mickelson will answer for the offense at coming term of the United States court in that city. The offense is alleged to have been committed at the village of Winger, Polk county. Mickelson has been making a good deal of trouble there and was arrested some time ago on the charge of running a blind pig. He failed to learn a lesson from this, and the charge of selling liquor without a government license has now been preferred against him.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN—Napoleon Gamache son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gamache of this city died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ildaige Latendresse at Cass Lake. The cause of death is unknown and Mr. Gamache had been ill only five days. The remains were brought to Red Lake Falls this morning and funeral services were held from St. Joseph's Catholic church, Rev. Fr. Pichery officiating. Deceased was twenty-one years old and is survived b yhis parents, three brothers and three sisters and many other relatives. Deceased had been employed at Cass Lake for the past few months, but for two years previous to that time had been a student at St. John's University.—Red Lake Falls Gazette. Deceased had many friends in Crookston who deeply regret his death.

SIMMONS DOING NICELY— Jos. Nault received a letter from Fred Simmons today. The writer states that he is getting on fine at Mt. Clemens where he is taking the baths, and expects to come home prepared to enter the Red River Valley Marathon which will be run here during the firemen's tournament in July.

Break, Break, Break.

Break, break, break,
  On thy cold gray stones, O Sea!
And I would that my tongue could utt
And I would that my tongue could utter
  The thoughts that arise in me.

O well for the fisherman's boy
  That he shouts with his sister at play!
O well for the sailor lad
  That he sings in his boat all day!

And the stately ships go on
  To their haven under the hill;
But, O, for the touch of a vanished hand,
  And the sound of a voice that is still!

Break, break, break,
  At the foot of the crags, O Sea!
But the tender grace of a day that is dead
  Will never come back to me.

—Alfred Tennyson.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

From Tuesday's Daily

AT RED LAKE FALLS — Chas. Hoeft, the transfer man, is spending the day at Red Lake Falls on business.

ERSKINE EDITOR HERE— C. P. Hole the editor of the Erskine Echo was attending to business matters here yesterday.

VISITED LAKERS— Walter Stone spent yesterday at Red Lake Falls on business for the firm and also did a few lines of talking in connection with the big firemen's tournament here in July.

DIED THIS AFTERNOON— Miss Annie Hanson aged 28, died this after noon on 6th street where she resided with her mother and her brother, Louis Hanson, the cause of death being lung trouble. Funeral announcements later.

"DUKE OF CLEARWATER"—S. C Bagley who was for years one of the heaviest loggers in northern Minnesota and who was known as the "Duke of Clearwater" returned home yesterday after spending Sunday in the city attending to some business matters. He is now residing near Fosston.

ENROUTE TO NEW HOME—Mr. Ross Miller and bride have arrived in the city and will spend a few days here with relatives before proceeding to their new home at Regina Canada, Following their marriage in Ontario they visited Chicago and other places The groom is a brother of Nelson Miller and Lorenzo Miller and has other relatives here whom he will visit with his bride.

LITTLE BABY DIED—Friends here will learn with regret of the death of the week old baby of County Commissioner and Mrs. James Driscoll. Mrs. Driscoll is a sister of Deputy Sheriff Sullivan who returned from East Grand Forks yesterday and reports that Mrs. Driscoll is also very ill and much apprehension is felt regarding her condition.

NEW BASS FIDDLER—It was the intention of Bandmaster Riggs to limit the number to participate in the Consolidated Band Concert to 65 but another bass viol player having arrived in the city he will be invited to participate thru courtesy of James Heng at whose home the young man is stopping. The visitor arrived last Saturday via the stork route, weighs about 8 pounds and has already shown signs of becoming a good vocal ist his lung power being ample for all purposes. Mrs. Heng and the young son are both doing well.

RECOGNIZED LOCAL SPORTS — George Wright received a letter yesterday from Walter Ruggles from Lincoln, Neb., in which the writer stated that while walking along the streets of Lincoln he noticed a crowd gathered in front of a kodak store. He wondered what interested them, and going closer saw a large kodak picture of Martin O'Brien and J. H. Stair of this city with their dogs hunting in a field near Crookston. Both dogs were on a point and the picture created a great deal of enthusiasm. Mr. Ruggles entered the store and tried to discover how the picture came to be there but the clerk did not know. Anyway it was good advertising.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes.
Sold by all druggists.

Ada, Mar. 9—(Special to Journal)—There are two tickets placed in nomination for the city election Tuesday, one, the Citizens' Ticket and the other a No License Ticket. The contest does not promise to be a very spirited one as either ticket would be satisfactory. The Citizens' ticket being the present incumbents of office and it is the sentiment that they have done well and no cause for complaint, while the no license ticket would probably do just as well. The question of voting on the license will be submitted to the voters and the out-come will probably be very close.

Citizens' Ticket—

C. J. Lofgren, Mayor.

Jason Weatherhead, Allen Harvy, J. E. C. Volland, E. C. Betcher, Aldermen.

Sever Bang, Treasurer.

A. O. Rolfe, Justice.

Oscar Hellerud Constable.

No License Ticket—

R. A. Ball, Mayor.

C. C. Allen, B. F. Tenney, Ben Holte Oscar Lovaness, Aldermen.

Hans Holden, Treasurer.

A. O. Rolfe, Justice.

John Spenningsby, Constable.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

ROADS ARE FINE—J. P. Marcum Rural Mail Carrier No. 1 out of Crookston says the roads are as near perfect as he has ever seen them at this season of the year. He has used a buggy practically all winter and now the greater portion of the way the roads are actually dusty and the trip is a pleasure every day.

ACCEPTED POSITION — Charles Boucier of Crookston has accepted a position with the Crookston Lumber company, and came over from the "Queen City" last night to begin his duties as foreman of the yards, succeeding James Foss, resigned.—Bemidji Pioneer.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED— Charles Byers of Spring Valley, Minn., father of C. H. Byers of this city died at his home in Spring Valley this morning at 6:30. He was 74 years of age. Mrs. C. H .Byers went down about a week ago and Mr. Byers and two daughters leave this evening to be present at the funeral.

LOST FINE DIAMOND— Mrs. J. McKinnon residing upstairs at 113 S. Third street, Grand Forks, reported to the police yesterday that during her absence for a visit of a few hours with her mother someone had entered her room and stolen a diamond ring valued at $75. The ring had been left in her pocketbook. She could give no clue further than people in the shop on the first floor had noticed a man going up the stairs. They gave a fairly good description of him and it is believed he will be captured before a great while.

AFTER McLAUGHLIN— A bunch of the live ones at Grand Forks are planning on putting on a big minstrel show in about a month and last evening the first rehearsal was held. M. McLaughlin of this city has received an urgent offer to act as one of the end men, and there were som attractive cash attachments to the offer. They want McLaughlin as one of the end men and Conductor Willis will be the other blackface artist. The date of the performance has not yet been set.

As a result of the election yesterday on the license or no license proposition, the 'Drys" had much the best of the argument. Following is a list of the results in a number of the villages where the proposition was voted upon.

Dry.

Beltrami, Bagley, Bronson, Climax, Donaldson, Erskine, Fertile, Halstad, Kennedy, Karlstad, McIntosh, Mentor, Roseau, Twin Valley, Shelly, Felton.

Wet

Ada, Badger, Ulen, Stephen, Hallock

No Vote

Greenbush, Gary, St. Hilaire.

Oslo

At the annual village election held in Oslo yesterday 68 votes were cast The following officers were elected:

President—A. J. Hilden.

Trustees—R. W. Frazee, J. B. Figenshau, John Esteseth.

Recorder—R. R. Brown.

This is the fourth time that Mr. Hilden has been elected president.

Argyle

President—N. S. Hegnes

Trustees—H. R. Meisch, G. L. DeMers, H. P. Krogh.

Clerk—E. A. Brekke.

Treasurer—J. A. Wallin.

Assessor—Peter Kirsch

Constable—John Strauser.

Norman County Index: Crookston men are planning to establish a home for consumptives on an island in the Lake of the Woods. That is an ideal place for such a home as it is a beautiful lake with 10000 picturesque islands.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures cough quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.
Sold by all druggists.

Professional Pride.

"I should regret very much to hear that anybody has ever offered money for political influence."

"Yes," answered Mr. Graftwell, "your hearing of it would indicate very crude work on somebody's part."—Washington Star.

The Law of Gravity.

"Silence in the court!" thundered the judge, and the laughter died away.

"Mr. Bailiff," continued the instructions from the bench, "eject the next man who defies the law of gravity."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Most men who are born rich act as if they were smarter to inherit a fortune that their fathers were to make it.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

AFTER AN EMBEZZLER

SHERIFF DANIELS AT SEATTLE TO BRING TOM FLAHERTY BACK

FLAHERTY FORMERLY OF EAST GRAND FORKS—STOLE FROM GUND BREWING CO.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Sheriff Orin Daniels is in Seattle where Thomas Flaherty was arrested on a telegram sent by him. Flaherty is charged with embezzling money from the Gund Brewing Co., and it is expected extradition papers will be granted by the governor of Washington.

Flaherty is well known here and all over northern North Dakota and his friends hope he may be able to explain matters satisfactorily. The exact amount of money taken by Flaherty is not known here, but he is quoted as saying that it is quite a sum but that his property in East Grand Forks will protect the company. It is understood that the mater is likely to be settled satisfactorily. The following dispatch from Seattle tells about the arrest:

"Wanted at Crookston, Minn., for embezzling a large amount of money from his employers, the John Gund Brewing Co., of La Crosse, Wisconsin, Thomas J. Flaherty, a collector for the corporation was arrested by City Detectives James Bryne and Charles Phillips on Second avenue this morning.

"To Captain of Detectives Charles Tennant Flaherty acknowledged that he had taken his employers' money, but he asked for an accounting and had received no reply. He added that he did not know what his speculations amounted to but that they formed a 'pretty big chunk.' Flaherty said that his property at home would fully protect the Gund Brewing Co.

"A warrant for his arest was telegraphed the police here shortly after he left Minneapolis on February 17. It was sent by Sheriff Orin Daniels of Crookston, Minn."

HOLD UP SWITCH CREW

EXASPERATED SETTLER FROM INDIANA FORCED SWITCH CREW TO

SPOT CAR FOR HIM AT EMERSON —JUDGE LET HIM OFF EASY

From Wednesday's Daily— ...

An exasperated settler from Indiana held up a switch crew at Emerson yesterday with a gun. W. J. Veitch, bound for Saskatchewan, with a carload of horses and settlers' effects, unloaded at the quarantine yards Sunday and had undergone inspection, being promised that a car would be spotted at 7 p. m. At 11, not having been accommodated, he renewed his request and was promised relief shortly.

In the meantime his horses were shivering out in the yards.

At 3 a. m. he became desperate and took his stand at the C. N. R. railway bridge swinging his lantern to stop the Canadian Northern switch crew.

Veitch boarded the engine when it stopped and it is alleged "held up" Enginer Sinclair with a gun demanding that his car be spotted without further delay

Fireman Turner was dispatched for Chief of Police Wilson.

Foreman Fox kept his eye on Veitch staying with the car when it was spotted.

Wilson appeared and asked where the gun had been placed. Veitch pointed to his coat hanging in the car Wilson then secured the gun and marched Veitch off to the lockup.

Veitch's trial took place during the moring before Magistrate Whitman and Mayor Hamilton. Veitch pleaded guilty to the holdup, stating that persuasion had failed and, being in desperate straits and only having $39 in cash and his family being on the road to meet him he felt that he had to do something desperate to move someone to get what he wanted. After consulting together for a few moments, the magistrate said:

"As the gun had got him into trouble they would confiscate it and would let him off on suspended sentence, agreeing that with the quarantine regulation and other delays as he had experienced is was somewhat exasperating."

The mean thing about a holiday is all the disagreeable things you have to do then because you don't have the time other days.

TOWN BADLY WRECKED AND THIRTY LIVES LOST

Brinkley, Ark. Almost Wiped Out By Tornado In Short Time.

EVERY BUSINESS HOUSE IN RUINS—HARDLY A DWELLING HOUSE IN ENTIRE CITY NOT DAMAGED IN SOME MANNER—TWO PRIN CIPAL STREETS ARE PILED HIGH WITH WRECKAGE—CATHOLIC CHURCH CONVERTED INTO HOSPITAL—GOVERNOR DONAGHEY ARRIVES ON SCENE OF CATASTROPHE—OTHER CITIES IN THE STATE PLAN RELIEF

Brinkley, Ark., March 10—Thirty or more lives were snuffed out, 60 people were injured and property estimated to be worth $1,000,000 was destroyed as a result of the tornado which wrecked this little city last night. Of the known dead, 14 are white people, as follows:

Issaac Reed.
Mrs. Isaac Reed.
Russell Reed.
Raymond Reed
Porter Foote
J. L. Starrett.
Harry Stovall, Jr.
Mrs. Ethel Phillips.
Mrs. Belle Darden.
Two children of Mrs. Darden.
Charles Frenze.
A. H. Hood.
Unidentified Man.

Among the more seriously injured are: O. K. Dowdle, side and ankle crushed; Mrs. E. M. Mason arm broken and bruised; Daniel Cummings injured about head; Robert Alexander, bruised; Mrs. Claude Leaky cut about body; D. V. Donnelly wounded about head; John E. Waddell of Memphis, cut about head; Miss Clara Rose seriously injured; Thomas Rose bruised; Arthur Rose crushed by timbers; Miss Daisy Rose bruised; Mrs. J. E. Morelock both limbs broken; Mrs. John Smith bruised; Edward W. Livingston hip and back injured; J. E. Stewart bruised and crushed.

The remainder of the dead and seriously injured are negroes.

Took But Few Minutes

The tornado shrieked above the city only a few minutes but its work of destruction was complete. The Roman Coatholic church standing directly in the path of the storm alone escaped destruction and stands tonight grimly in a scene of desolation. It has been converted into a hospital. Main street and Cypress avenue the two principal thorofares of the town are now impassible and are piled high with the wreckage from end to end.

Every busines house is in ruins and there is hardly a home that has not at least suffered the loss of a roof or a window.

The Arlington hotel was totally demolished. Eighty guests were registered there, but all escaped injury, the Brinkley hotel, Southern hotel and Kelly hotel were all destroyed without loss of life however.

Relief squads have been at work all day caring for the dead and injured The Rock Island and Cotton Belt railways have placed cars at the disposal of the local relief committee and many people are leaving Brinkley, seeking a temporary refuge at other points nearby. The dead were sent to Helena, from which point interment will take place.

Governor on Scene

Governor Danaghey, arrived from Little Rock this afternoon in response to a call from the citizens committee He has the situation well in hand and says food clothing and shelter are the things most needed. Hundreds of people are homeless and are wandering about seeking a temporary abode. Three special trains arrived from the neighboring towns today, bringing relief workers physicians and nurses. In the Catholic church doctors and nurses are caring for the injured. The citizens of Helena have offered the use of their homes for the destitute. Mass meetings have been called for tomorrow in Memphis, Little Rock and other cities, to raise funds and supplies for the storm victims.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
reported by Strander Abstract & Investment Co.

T. Thygeson to Thomas P. Thygeson lots 4 and 5 blk. 6, S. Crookston	$1000
State Bank of Warren to Harriet I. Davis S 1-2 14-154-4	$12000
Peters and Penman to W. C. Whitman and Henry Frymier N 1-2 15-154-48	$7900
A. B. Ferrers to Wilbur B. Davis SW 1-4 32-154-47	$4800
The Great Northern Ry. Co. to Ellef Tellefson SE 1-4 SE 1-4 10-147-47	$460
Christopher H. Evje to Hans Evje S 1-2 SE 1-4 and NW 1-4 SE 1-4 and lot 4 Sec. 17-149-39	$1000
Wheeler Land & Loan Co., to Albert Arness SE 1-4 8-149-48	$3400
Charles Kaiser to J. H. McNicoll lot 23 blk. 4 Grand Forks East	$700
Isabella McAdam to J. H. McNicoll Lot 2 blk 5 Grand Forks East	$1500
Martin J. Lynch to J. H. McNicoll lots 22 and 24 blk. 4, Grand Forks East	$1800
William L. Rupert to J. H. McNicoll lot 6 blk 1 Budges First Addition to East Grand Forks	$1500
Ray Blasdell to Benjamin C. Koch Sec 35-153-49	$25,600

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.
Sold by all druggists.

FOR SALE

Interest bearing certificates of deposit in any amount to suit

Interest is the one thing which works days, nights, Sundays and Holidays—takes no vacations.
Why not let it work for you?

A good investment for idle money. Absolutely safe.

Come in and let us fully explain this investment to you.

Scandia American Bank
Crookston, Minn

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Thursday's Daily

VISITING BEMIDJI—M. Kelley of Crookston, an estimator for the Crookston Lumber company arrived in the city yesterday noon for a short business consultation with the head officers of the company. Mr. Kelley accompanied by Tom Shevlin and B. W. Lakin, drove over to the company's camps near Wilton this morning.—Bemidji Pioneer.

MINNESOTA WEATHER—St. Paul reports an average temperature of 18 above during the month of February this year, which is 2 degrees warmer than the average February of the past 27 years. The snowfall during the month was 23.5 inches—almost two feet—and was the heaviest in a great many years. Here in Crookston the snowfall during the month was almost nothnig, the twin cities having had three or four heavy snowstorms that did not touch the western portion of the state.

PLEASED WITH STATE FARM—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith spent yesterday at the Crookston School of Agriculture and the State Experiment Farm and were both very enthusiastic regarding the work being done by the school and at the farm when they were in the city last evening. This was their first visit to the Experiment farm under the regime of Supt. and Mrs. Robertson, and they were loud in their praises of what was being accomplished and spoke in the highset terms of the work of Principal L. P. Harrington, Miss Woodruff the preceptress and the other instructors. They are thoroly convinced that the work of the school will soon be in evidence thruout this section in improved farming methods and improved conditions in general farm life.

Last evening the Socialists had their first meeting of what they call the educational side of it which they intend to hold every two weeks, for the benefit to themselves to better understand the economical question, which is confronting us and must be selved. Several questions were brought to view which resulted in very lively debates and the ladies took part in debating also.

At eleven o'clock some one made a motion to roll up the carpet and have some music so they danced till 12 o'clock when a lunch was served in the dining room, after which they departed for their homes delighted with the good time enjoyed. They expect to give a public entertainment in a week or ten days.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

(New York Press)

Precept never is, but always is to be practiced.

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Some men are willing to go to church so as not to have to stay home

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What a girl likes about a man is the way she thinks she can make him like her.

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The man who knows enough to get rich knows enough to let other people do the shouting about it.

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After a woman has been married to a man a week she can imagine she was a good influence on his life before his grandfather was born.

A Religious Author's Statement

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy."

Sold by all druggists.

"What would you do," the bridegroom whispered hoarsely, "if by some terrible accident I should be drowned?" In the mild moonlight he saw his young wife pale and shudder. "Oh, don't, Tom," she cried. "How can you? You know I don't look well in black!"—Chicago Inter Ocean.

If you promise to be at a certain place at a certain time, get there or send a note that you can't go.—Atchison Globe.

How a bald-headed man does sneer at a woman who dyes her hair!

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

TO ATTEND FUNERAL—Judge P. McLoughlin will atend the funeral of Mrs. J. R. McKinnon in Crookston tomorrow. He had known her for 30 years.—Grand Forks Herald.

FARMERS INSTITUTE FOR GARDEN—The Journal has been asked to announce that a farmers' institute will be held Monday, March 15th, at the Lucken school house in the town of Garden. A regular corps of speakers from the state institute workers will be in attendance and the meeting promises to be one of the best ever held in the county. Farmers living in that vicinity should avail themselves of the opportunity to hear these speakers.

DIES AT MALLORY—Mrs. James Roberton died yesterday forenoon at 10:30 at her home two miles from Mallory. She has been ill for several months. She was 50 years old. She is survived by her husband five sons and a daughter. Two of the sons are Grand Forks residents and are employed by Dan Dow. Her husband, three sons and a daughter are on the farm near Mallory. John Cumming, of Grand Forks, is a brother of the deceased. Peter, another brother, resides at Mallory. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

GUST GROBERG PASSES AWAY—Gust Groberg died Sunday Feb. 28th at 6:30 p. m. Mr. Groberg had only been sick a few weeks and prior to that was in the best of health. The cause of his death as given out by the attending physician was nephrites a form of kidney trouble and Bright's disease. The funeral will take place today at one o'clock from the United Lutheran church in Fertile and the interment will occur at the cemetery of the Swedish St. John's church in Sundahl. Mr. Groberg was the senior member of the firm of Groberg Bros., who have conducted a prosperous harness business in Fertile for the past seven years. He is survived by his wife, two brothers and a sister.—Fertile Journal.

GET THEIR LAND AFTER LONG FIGHT—An order from the department at Washington that the entries of M. N. Karelson and Isaac Staples who live on a quarter section near Morris, be allowed put an end to a fight lasting 21 years. When these two made application for homestead entry on the land they now occupy, the old Hastings & Dakota railway blocked them, and altho many efforts had since been made no results had been gained, but confident that they would win at the last the two continued making improvements on it. The land has been free of taxes to them during the past 21 years and according to the homestead law will be for 7 years more.

Not So Sharp.

"That is a sharp young man your daughter is going with these days."

"Not so sharp as he thinks he is. He thinks he is going to stick me for a home and puncture my bank account, but he isn't."—Houston Post.

Couldn't Scream.

"I was afraid you'd scream when I kissed you."

"I didn't dare. Mamma was in the next room and would have heard me."—Houston Post.

The power of necessity is irresistible.—Aeschylus.

My Prayer

Deliver me till life shall end
From that strange thing—the bosom friend.
Portect me while I'm here below
From those who would my secret know.
Permit me of my earthly pelf
To keep all knowledge to myself
Allow me at each hour to see
In speech my deadliest enemy.
Assist me too, at every turn,
Keep back my thoughts with silence stern,
Whate'er I am, would be, or was,
Help me to keep inside by jaws,
In short permit my giving way
To telling things by night or day.
To keep one's tongue becalmed and still
Serves mightily one's foes to kill.
—Laura W. Sheldon.

Minnesota Mascot: Every man in the Minnesota house of representatives who voted for the "gag rule" by which debate on the county option bill was shut off, should henceforth be a marked man—marked for defeat at the next election.

Some people never get too old to learn and some others never get old enough to learn anything.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

WORTHY SARCASM—When you have an important item of news, keep it from the ears of the local editor. When you have a bunch of free gratis advertising to offer, make post haste to reach the same representative's sanctum. Both efforts will be duly appreciated.—Fertile Journal.

TWO CAMPS BROKEN UP—Kenneth Kelley of this city who has been clerking in one of the Crookston Lumber company's camps near Blackduck returned to Bemidji this morning after completing his work. "Ken" reports that Mitchell's camps, Nos. 2 and 3 have finished the season's work and been broken up. There were 180 men employed in the two camps.—Bemidji Pioneer.

ROCKSBURY FARMER DEAD—Mrs. Olson a sister of Chris Thompson the well known Rocksbury farmer, died last Friday at the advanced age of 73. The funeral services were held on Monday. The deceased had been resident of this section for number of years and her husband resides in California having gone out there about 8 years ago.

PIONEER PASSES AWAY—Mrs. Swen Johnson of Rocksbury, wife of one of the pioneer settlers of Red Lake county died last Saturday. The deceased came to Thief River Falls in the early 90's and for a number of years resided in that city removing to their farm in the town of Rocksbury about five years ago. Besides her husband she leavse two daughters and a son—Miss Gustie Johnson, Mrs. John Morgan and Oscar Johnson. The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon.

SAD DEATH RECORDED—Miss Anna Eeg of Crookston formerly of Waukon died at the Warren hospital Tuesday after a nine days' illness, caused by heart failure. She was born in Baker county this state, and with her parents immigrated to Norman county, locating on a homestead in Waukon, where she lived until two years ago, when her father died. The sudden departure of the young lady, who was thirty four years of age, cast a deep gloom over the community. She is survived by G. O. Eeg, of Hallock, and Mrs. Erick Gullingsrud of Thief River Falls, her brother and sister.

TO BE DEPORTED—A spacial agent of the Canadian government was here the first of the week to investigate the matter of Tommie Kribbs. Kribbs is an English prize fighter that came to this city last summer and in the fall became sick with an attack of rheumatism. He had no funds and since that time has been at the hospital as a city charge. As he was not a resident of the United States and had no legal residence in Thief River Falls the British authorities were notified. They have agreed to take the man back to Winnipeg and if it can be shown that he was subject to rheumatic attacks before he came to this country they will pay all of the expenses the city has incurred and this amounts to over $200.—Thief River Falls News.

Now that the winter season is drawing to a close, renewed interest is manifested in shirtwaists. It was feared by many at the close of the fall season of last year that shirtwaists would go entirely out of style, as they could not easily be brought into harmony with the lines of the prevailing Empire and Directoire styles. This fear was groundless, however, and there is every reason to believe that shirtwaists will be as popular as ever during the coming spring and summer. Shirtwaists have many features which make them a general favorite with women of every station. What makes them particularly inestimable for wear during the hot season is their coolness and the fact that their freshness can easily be renewed by occasional laundering. No matter how smart the cotton or linen frock may be it is never quite as cool as the little blouse which may be fashioned of fabric as flimsy as a cobweb. It is true, the "peek-a-boo" waist with its suggestively airy and often suggestively immodest trimming of open lace insertions and medallions, has not the sanction of women of taste and refinement, but one does not have to wear a "peek-a-boo" waist to feel comfortably cool, even in the hottest weather. The reign of net sleeves and guimpes is still undisputed. The early spring exhibits of messalines show the costumes to be still made on empire lines and with coarse net sleeves, long and close-fitting. Many of these sleeves have large satin-covered buttons extending the full length of the outer arm.

Zumbrota News: The yarns about a break between Roosevelt and Taft will hardly be believed outside the Ananias club.

NO INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA

MISERY FROM AN UPSET STOMACH GOES IN FIVE MINUTES—TAKE SOME

DIAPEPSIN NOW AND FOREVER END ALL DISTRESS FROM A DISORDERED STOMACH

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you eat seems to fill your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangule after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery, because it willshdlu stomach misery is at your Pharmacist waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

LOOKED AFTER NEW BRIDGE

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WILL HOLD SPECIAL SESSION ON MARCH 10TH

Commissioners Eklund Thorson and Driscoll returned yesterday afternoon from near Fertile where they looked over an old bridge over the Sand Hill River for which a petition for a new bridge had been received. The commissioners will make a report to the board at a special meeting which is called for March 10 to dispose of routine business.

Two Pertinent Suggestions

Rep. Spooner has introduced a bill proposing a constitutional amendment for an educational qualification for judges of probate. It would do away with a lot of nonsensical legislation of an educational qualification was required for a member of the legislature. A law that would have smooth sailing in the house judicial committee would be a bill for a constitutional amendment declaring only lawyers eligible to the legislature and to all other elective offices. — Eden Valley Journal.

Can This be True?

We are inclined to think that not a little beneficial legislation will be enacted by the present Minnesota senate and house and perhaps a great deal of injurious legislation will be choked to death. But there is no denying the fact that the combined railroad, steel, and whisky interests ho lda mighty sway over the legislature and that what-ever the people get they will have to fight for.—Sauk Center Rapids Free Press.

Madison Western Guard: The wireless telephone is coming. The voice has been clearly carried a distance of sixty miles in stormy weather. In France a wireless telephone service has been installed between Paris and Marseilles a distance of 600 miles. We'll soon be walking around with a receiver stuck in our ear and a reproducer in our mouth, talking with anybody and everybody both far and near visible and invisible.

Lake Crystal Union: Congress talks of adjourning when Teddy goes out of office as a memorial holiday. Old Cannon will fire his best wishes and Tawney will walk behind to watch its effects.

Glenwood Herald: Representative Rainey of Illinois has been nominated as president of the Ananias club. Minnesota's distinguished member, James Tawney, would do honor to the position.

STOLE AND WAS CAUGHT

CHARLES CARPENTER 17 YEARS OLD, BROKE INTO THIEF RIVER STORE

CLAIMED HE WAS DRUNK AND OTHERS WERE NABBED

Upon the complaint of Ole Rude who conducts a jewelry and confectionery store on North Main avenue in Thief River Falls a warrant was issued for the arrest of Charles Carpenter a seventeen year old boy, for breaking into his store and stealing money to the amount of $12 and some goods.

Carpenter was arrested the next day and admitted his guilt before Judge Bishop. He claimed that his reason for doing the act was that he was drung and that he had purchased his whiskey of Alfred Rasmusson, who conducts the saloon formerly owned by Geo. Williams. The authorities at once caused the arrest of Mr. Rasmusson and the trial was to have been held on Tuesday with young Carpenter as the witness for the state. City Attorney Halvorson however, on Monday evening moved to have the case dismissed, but it is rumored that another complaint will be issued later on.—Thief River Falls News.

MRS. OLIVE BENSON DIES AT BEMIDJI

WIDOW OF LATE JUDGE BENSON OLD RESIDENTS OF CROOKSTON—BURIED HERE

Mrs. Olive Benson died at her home in Bemidji at 3 o'clock yesterday morning after an illness of more than a year past, with heart trouble cancer and other complications, against the fatal nature of which she struggled valiantly, only giving up the struggle when human nature could stand no more, being unconscious for a day previous to her demise, sinking into a deep sleep that was never disturbed and passing away with scarcely a tremor. Deceased was 48 years of age.

Mrs. Benson lived in Crookston for several years before going to Bemidji, arriving there in the early days of Bemidji when the lumberjack held full sway and the every-day life of Bemidji was by no means tame. Mrs. Benson was always a pleasant woman whose disposition made her many friends. When she was taken ill a little over a year ago, she did not take her ailment very seriously, but as time went by and she did not improve very materially, and especially during the past few months, she became resigned to her condition, altho fighting the fatal termination of the disease.

Mrs. Benson is survived by five children, three daught[illegible] Gyda, Bertha and Clara, and t[illegible] sons, Elmer and Chris also a granddaughter Cora.

Funeral services will be held in Bemidji Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and the body of Mrs. Benson will be brought to Crookston Sunday night for burial in the family lot at this place where lie the remains of former Judge of Probate Benson, Mrs. Benson's husband.

The Departure of Judge Brown

Judge Frederick V. Brown is an able lawyer. He was a just, impartial an dlearned judge. He has been an excellent citizen of Minneapolis. His departure for other fields is regrettable because of the loss to the city. He will better himself financially and that is what the young man with a growing family must look out for.

The state does not pay judicial salaries sufficient to assure it the permanent services of the best men. Minneapolis of course, has some very able men on the bench. That they remain there is not because they are inferior to others who have left it to practice again at the bar. There are exceptional circumstances of residence or personal disposition that keep them where they are. Their presence on the bench does not disprove the general statement that the state is niggardly in its financial treatment of its judges and foolish in its insistence upon their running the gauntlet of partizan elections.—Minneapolis Journal.

Todd County Argus: If the legislature repeals the primary law, Governor Johnson will veto it and thereby greatly strengthen the Democratic party in the state.

Willmar Journal: Anyway the old maid who was born on February 29 doesn't have to lie about the number of birthday anniversaries she has celebrated.

CLEVER RUSE OF CROOKS

AGERN, WELL KNOWN IN CROOKSTON WHO WAS BUNCOED BY OLD WRESTLING GAME TELLS

HOW HE WAS WORKED FOR TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ARKANSAS

Dispatches from Little Rock, Ark., telling of the work of a gang of swindlers who have been operating all over the country and mention as one of the men who was victimized to the extent of $2000, Agern of Fergus Falls, well known in Crookston having attended many gun club tournaments ehre who says the report is correct and gives an interesting account of the manner in which he lost his money.

A wrestler named Barney visited Fergus Falls last summer, arranged for one or two matches and made a great reputation. Shortly afterwards he went to Iowa arranged for a match and Agren received a message asking him to come down to act as stakeholder, with the understanding that all his expenses would be paid. He decided to go and on his arrival found the little town alive with excitement over the approaching event.

The stakes, $2,500 a side were to be put up, and before the money was turned over to him, Agern was requested to produce $2,000 of his own as evidence of his reliability and did so after wiring home for the money. It was understood that both the stakes and his own money were to remain in his own hands, but after the 65,000 had been put up by the backers of the match, a dispute arose, one side asscerting that there was a shortage, and revolvers were drawn.

Agren was persuaded to turn over the entire amount, including his own $2,000 under seal, to be taken to the bank and verified. This was the last he saw of the money. The match came off and Barney turned over on the mat with blood spouting from his mouth. Agern consulted the authorities but was persuaded to keep the matter quiet until the present cases could be worked up.

JOHN BAARDSON PASSES AWAY

PIONEER CITIZEN OF FERGUS INTO THE GREAT BEYOND

John Baardson one of the highly respected pioneers of the town of St. Olaf died Feb. 25 at his home there, from that most dreaded of diseases, cancer of the stomach. His wife died Dec. 4, 1904, and he leaves two sons to mourn the loss of a kind and wise father. The elder son, Helmer lives in the state of Washington and the younger, Bernhard has always remained on the old homestead.

Mr. Baardson was born on the Aalberg farm, Parish of Sparbo, county of Norde, Trondhjem, Norway, Oct. 11 1842. He came to America in the spring of 1866, and located first in Winnesheik county, Iowa. There also came Karen Tonette Nilsdatter later in the year, with whom he was united in marriage shortly afterwards.

In the spring of 1868 they loaded their belongings onto a "prairie schooner" drawn by a pair of oxen, and moved to what is now the town of St. Olaf. They located on a claim and began to transform the wilderness into a place of habitation. How well they succeeded their well tiled farm bears witness.

John Baardson took an active part in organizing the town and the school district, and held various school town and county offices. He was also an active participant in various political movements such as the "Grange" "Farmers' Alliance," and "People's Party." He was county commissioner for a number of years and no more conscientious man ever occupied a seat on that board.

Quite a few years ago he laid aside all public and political thoughts and has of late lived a quiet life on his home farm.

The interment will take place at Lakeside cemetery Friday, March 5.

In his death, one of Otter Tail county's leading citizens has passed into the Great Beyond. He was an able, conscientious and fearless man.—Fergus Falls Journal.

It isn't necessary to tell a booze fighter that he should love his enemy.

The trouble with a lot of men who have good intentions is their lack of

The hold-up man does brain work with a sandbag.

NO PART IN CONTROVERSY

SENTIMENT FAVORS LEAVING LOCATION OF PACKING PLANT TO LEGISLATORS

NO ADVERSE SENTIMENT EXPRESSED AGAINST POSITION TAKEN BY ST. PAUL

From Friday's Daily—

After canvassing the situation regarding the location of the proposed Armour Packing plant at New Brighton there seems to be a very decided sentiment among the people of Crookston to take no hand in the matter but to leave the entire subject to the members of the legislature who are in St. Paul and who can become more conversant with the facts in the case, and the extent to which the location of such a plant would be damaging to the State University and a large residence section of St. Paul.

The Journal in an editorial a few days ago took a position in which St. Paul was criticised in a measure for not taking a broader view of the situation. To err is human, and the Journal is free to confess that the stand it took on the matter was ill-advised. After thoro investigation the Journal is of the opinion that the business men of St. Paul are acting in good faith in their fight to keep the polluted sewage from the big plant from flowing thru their sewers.

The packing plant, the Journal believes is greatly to be desired but as to where it is to be located is another question.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT HAS MADE GOOD

Theodore Roosevelt retires as the chief executive of the United States today. He has made good in every sense of the word. He has been severely criticisd by many. He has trod on the toes of many. That is why he has been critcised. He has been a president who has done things. The great majority of citizens of the United States have perfect confidence in him. Here are a few things that have been accomplished during the Roosevelt administration:

The navy of the United States has been more than doubled; it has done what no other similar fleet of a like size has ever done—circumnavigated the globe.

The Panama canal—no feat of so far-reaching importance has been to the credit of this country in recent years.

The peace treaty of Portsmouth was a substantial achievement, as was also the part played by the United States in the Algeciras conference.

The settlement of the anthracite coal strike.

Forest reserves trebled or quadrupled; the forest service reorganized and reservations created for preserving birds and beasts as well as trees.

The national irrigation law enacted second in importance to the creation of the homestead act itself.

The administration of the civil government in the Philippine islands put upon a satisfactory basis.

Cuba transformed into a thriving and prosperous country.

Santo Domingo put on a better basis than ever before.

Position of the United States in regard to the Latin-American republics infinitely improved, as is also the case with Japan.

Law passed improving the administration of the navy and of the national guard.

Department of commerce and labor with the bureau of corporations enabled this country to take the first really efficient step towards exercising proper national supervision over corporations.

The consular service of the United States reorganized.

A law enacted giving vitality to the interstate commerce commission.

National meat inspection and inspection of packing houses provided, also a pure food law.

Juvenile court for the District of Columbia established.

Condition of women and child workers investigated.

Employers' liability law for corporations engaged in interstate commerce for the government itself and for the District of Columbia.

The Alaskan boundary dispute settled.

Pacific cable laid.

Army and navy maneuvers increased the efficiency of the army and doubled the efficiency of the navy.

A movement started for the development of the international waterways.

A movement under way for the betterment of conditions of country life.

Corporations and labor unions brought impartially before the courts.

Many successful suits civil and criminal, undertaken by the government.

SAM FELSING BREAKS ARM

CAUGHT IN BELT OF SAWDUST SPREADING MACHINE HE WAS INSTALLING

INJURY VERY PAINFUL BUT HE WILL NOT BE LAID UP LONG

From Friday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon as Sam Felsing was installing a sawdust spreading machine in the Great Northern ice house at Carman, he slipped on the ice and his arm caught in a belt resulting in a very painful fracture of the right arm between the wrists and elbow. He was driven hurriedly in a hack to Dr. Dampier's office where the fracture was reduced after which Sam walked home with the same smile usually worn. While the injury was very painful his rugged health will result in the knitting of the bones in a short time, when he will be about his usual duties.

ANCIENT ANDOVER SOD-TURNERS FEASTED

Jos. McMahan entertained a number of friends last evening at his hospitable home in Jeromes addition. He issued invitations to a number requesting their presence at a reunion of the Ancient Sod Turners of Andover Township. The meeting was a most pleasant one and included pioneer farmers of Andover and several others who were connected with them in a business way.

Old times were talked over, jokes cracked an da fine oyster supper served. The guests presnt discovered that it was Mr. McMahan's birthday anniversary and he was presented with a handsome gift as a token of esteem and good will. Those present were Lorenzo and Fred Davis, Will, Deb and Sid Lytle, Erick and L. B. Scribner, W. E. Slocum, N. P. Stone, Jake Ide, John Sylvesterson, F. W. Hutchinson, S. L. Collins, Christ Peterson and Dan Hughes. Mesdames Jorgenson, S. C. Lytle, Hutchinson, Christ Peterson, Miss Anna Sylvesterson.

An actress, a suffragette a lawyer, a society leader and an artist, all women yesterday in New York discussed how low a woman's dress might be cut without making it necessary to cut her.

"I wear a very low gown, with only one strap over the shoulder in the second act of 'Miss Innocence,'" declared Miss Lillian Lorraine, "and I had intended having one made like it to wear off the stage.

"I don't see that it matters how low a dress is out in the back, or whether there are straps over the shoulders, so long as it is decently high in front."

"The height of a decollette gown is not a question of morality," said Mrs. Henry I. Siegel, "so I do not see how it can be affected by the day of the week. Personally I can see no objection to wearing a low neck gown on Sunday."

"I understand that a low neck gown is permissible any time after 6 o'clock" said Miss Mary Coleman, lawyer and suffragist. "Personally I have my gowns cut rather high, but I wouldn't care to criticise any one who had hers cut lower."

"I do not wear low neck personally. and one of my principal reasons is because I consider women far more attractive with some sort of covering." announced Mrs. Harriet M. Johnson Wood a successful practicing lawyer. "It is nothing unusual, however, these days," said Mrs. Wood enlarging upon the subject, 'to see a woman with a gown that is cut down to the waist line in the back. So long as it is not that low in the front I suppose we may be grateful."

"The cut of her gown is something that every woman must decide for herself," evaded Mrs. P. H. Mechtold, a playwright.

"Why if I were prettily formed," exclaimed a well known woman artist, merrily, "I would wear my gowns just as low as I possibly could and keep them on. I think women are beautiful and I like to see them in shockingly low dresss."

Fathers and mothers hear Prof. Cozens in Sathre's hall tonight, it will do you good. Examinations this week at Grand Central Hotel. Another lecture Friday, Men only.

DEEP CRACKS FROM ECZEMA

Could Lay Slate-Pencil in One—Hands in Dreadful State—Disease Defied Remedies and Prescriptions—Suffered Seven Years.

FOUND A PERMANENT CURE IN CUTICURA

"I had eczema on my hands for about seven years and during that time I had used several so-called remedies, together with physicians' and druggists' prescriptions. The disease was so bad on my hands that I could lay a slate-pencil in one of the cracks and a rule placed across the hand would not touch the pencil. I used ——, ——, —— Skin Lotion, —— Remedy and others externally but I did not use any internal remedy, and while some gave partial relief, none relieved as much as did the first box of Cuticura Ointment. I made a purchase of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and my hands were perfectly cured after two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one cake of soap were used. I now keep them on hand for sunburn, etc., and use Cuticura Soap for shaving. I could write a great deal more in reference to my cure but do not want to take more of your time. William H. Dean, Newark, Del., Mar. 28, 1907."

CHILD SUFFERED

With Sores on Legs. Cured in Two Weeks by Cuticura.

"My little daughter suffered with sores on her legs all last summer. Her feet were sore, too, and she couldn't wear her shoes. I think she was poisoned by running through weeds but the doctor said it was eczema. I tried several remedies but failed to find a cure. Then I sent for Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her in two weeks. I find Cuticura the best I ever tried for any kind of sore and I hope I shall never be without it. Mrs. Gertie Laughlin. Ivydale, W. Va., Apr. 25, 1907."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases.

ROTTEN COTTON GLOVES.

The Origin of a One Time Popular Slang Phrase.

The origin of "rotten cotton gloves," a phrase which for some years belonged to the slang of England and America, is worth relating. At a time when John le Hay was playing at the Prince of Wales' he was "commanded" to give his ventriloquial performance at a birthday entertainment at Sandringham.

His two figures, the usual squeaky old lady and the usual rude old man, had been newly dressed for the occasion, that their clothes might not suffer too keenly by comparison with the rich surroundings. But when Mr. le Hay had placed them in position and was about to begin his "show" he found to his disgust that his costumer had forgotten to change the old man's dirty cotton gloves for a pair of new kids.

The tone of shabbiness this gave to the male figure was too conspicuous to be ignored by poor Mr. le Hay, and in an eternal half minute his quick wit found a way out of the trouble for him.

"A nice thing," remarked the male doll, looking around at the royal audience with alarm, "bringing me to a swell house like this in these terrible gloves!"

This caused so much amusement that the ventriloquist decided to make more of the "wheeze," and the badly behaved old gentleman's incessant grumble throughout the entertainment, "rotten cotton gloves," proved one of the chief successes of the evening.

The "line" was in all Mr. le Hay's subsequent performances in America as well as in England, and if, say, a man had had a bad deal in Wall street or in Throgmorton avenue it was the usual thing to say that he had a "rotten cotton deal."—London M. A. P.

An Expert.

She—How can you be so sure that you are in love with me and with no one else? Even I wonder at times whether there is a possibility of absolute certainty in such matters. He—You lack experience and the confidence it begets. I've been in love forty times and know every symptom.—Detroit Free Press.

Politeness.

"Politeness costs nothing," said the proverbialist.

"Which may explain," answered Miss Cayenne, "why some people of ostentatious wealth have so little use for it."—Washington Star.

Lacks Tact.

Bates—That nephew of yours called me blackguard. Yates—Just like Ben; no tact about the boy. I've always told him that the truth was not to be spoken on all occasions.—Boston Transcript.

Why She Held on to It.

Mrs. Willful—My husband told me if I didn't like the brooch you'd exchange it for me. Jeweler—Certainly, madam. I'll be only too glad, as four different ladies of your set want it.

Rare Indeed.

How rarely do these three things meet—a man who wants something, is fitted for it and any great number of persons who think he ought to have it!

FINDING HIS INITIAL.

A Tangle of Letters That Was Finally Made O. K.

The man with a soft, low voice had just completed his purchases.

"What is the name?" asked the clerk.

"Jepson," replied the man.

"Jefferson?"

"No, Jepson; J-e-p-s-o-n."

"Jepson?"

"That's it. Eighty-two"—

"Your first name—initial, please."

"Oh, K."

"O. K. Jepson?"

"Excuse me, it isn't O. K. I said 'Oh.'"

"O. Jepson?"

"No, rub out the O. and let the K. stand."

The assistant looked annoyed.

"Will you please give me your initials again?"

"I said K."

"I beg your pardon, you said O. K. Perhaps you had better write it yourself."

"I said 'Oh'"—

"Just now you said K."

"Allow me to finish what I started to say. I said 'Oh' because I did not understand what you were asking me. I did not mean that it was my initial. My name is Kirby Jepson."

"Oh!"

"No, not O., but K.," said the man. "Give me the pencil and I'll write it down for you myself. There; it's O. K. now!"

SIZING UP THE BABY.

Varying Views of the Different Members of the Family.

This is what the Browns had to say of the latest addition to the family:

The Mother—Oh, isn't he the cutest, grandest, handsomest, smartest little fellow in the whole world? Such eyes! Such features! Such shoulders! And hear him talk, will you? Why, he understands perfectly every word I say.

The Father—There's a boy for you! Smith will brag about that kid of his, will he? Well, you just wait until this youngster is a month old, and I'll take the conceit out of Smith!

Little Bobby—So that's what the stork brought, eh? Gee, the stork must have it in for this family!

Little Bella—Oh, ma, he's swallowed all his teeth, and all his hair's blowed off!

Bachelor Brother—I don't want to cause you folks any anxiety, but he's the smallest human being I ever saw outside of a dime museum. You want to feed him upon roast beef and porterhouse steak right away.

Uncle Jack (a dog fancier)—Is his nose cold? Hold him up by the back of his neck and we'll see if he's got any nerve.

Grandma—There you go, spoiling the child as soon as he has his eyes open! I suppose when he's a month old we shall all have to stand on our heads to amuse him! Give me that infant this instant before he has colic and dies!

The Family Cat—Well, that settles my hash! It's either hunt a new home or become a tailless feline inside of a month. Why, that kid's got a grip on him like a longshoreman's!

The Baby—Goo-goo! Goo-goo! Goo-goo-goo-goo! Or, in other words, I'll make it good and hot for this family about midnight!—St. Louis Republic.

His Name Was Sufficient.

San Malato, the famous Sicilian duelist, seemed to have stepped into our prosaic modern life straight from the pages of Brantome. His fame had done more than penetrate the four corners of Europe. It had reached his own home. Some misguided Sicilian bandits held up a coach one night and summoned its solitary traveler to come out. From the shadowy depths of the vehicle came two short sentences in a cold, staccato voice: "Spread out your cloaks. The mud must not spoil my boots when I descend." The cutthroats fled with the awe striking whisper of "San Malato" upon their quivering lips.—London Telegraph.

The Limit.

"What did the doctor say was the matter with you?"

"He said he didn't know."

"Well, what doctor are you going to next?"

"None. When a doctor dares to make such an admission as that he must be about as high in his profession as he can get."—London Mail.

Following Directions.

Mr. McRooney (slightly indisposed)—'Tis not enough av these pills yez got me, Norah. It says, begorry, "Take from two t' four iv'ry night," an', bad cess t' thim, Oi've took thim all, an' 'tis only quarter past 3.—Puck.

Fine Old Spanish Emeralds.

"Fine old Spanish emeralds" is a phrase which means something quite different from what it seems to imply. There never was an emerald mined in Spain, but after the conquest of Peru the conquerors brought home great quantities of loot, of which emeralds formed an important part. In this way the finest emeralds came into possession of the old Spanish families, and as very few had been seen in Europe previous to that time all the best stones soon became classed as fine old Spanish emeralds. Today the expression still applies to the best emeralds of any source.

Japanese Justice.

When a dog barks at night in Japan the owner is arrested and sentenced to work a year for the neighbors that were disturbed. The dog gets off easier, being simply killed.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Happy are the miseries that end in joy.—German Proverb.

MANY WILL BE HELPED

HOW TO PREPARE A MIXTURE TO CURE—SAYS THIS IS VERY GOOD

DREAD DISEASE, WHICH IS SAID TO YIELD TO SIMPLE HOME RECIPE

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription forces the clogged up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and tortuous disease, but dangerous to life this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescriptions regularly a dose or two daily ar even a few times a week would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce indeed, and when you need it you want it badly.

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mrs. H. Osterloh was visiting the school one day last week. Let this laudable act of Mrs. O. be an incentive to others and let them follow her example.

Mr. D. H. Miller went to Crookston last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh and Mr. Carl Schulz of Keystone paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelson of Euclid last Friday.

The municipal and card party last Friday evening, given by our M. W. A. at their hall was a pleasant affair. Seven applications have been sent in for membership. "Keep the log rolling boys" and the membership of Woodmen will grow fast.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stricler and family came over from Euclid last Friday evening to witness the happiness of our jolly wood-choppers.

Master George Goodwin is visiting for a few days with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goodwin of Keywest.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sirek, Sr., of Tabor drove to Warren Wednesday last.

Miss Cora Head, teacher in the Dobias district is proving herself to be an able pedagogue.

Clyde, Raymond and George Goodwin of Key West, three of Polk county's most stalwart and promising young men came over last Friday evening to participate in the M. W. A. festivities.

We are glad to chronicle that our sick people are all convalescing nicely.

Mr. B. J. O'Brien, Mr. W. N. Frost and Miss Magdalene Ehaust took the train for Warren last Saturday.

Mrs. D. H. Miller celebrated last Sunday the anniversary of her birthday. The many friends of Mrs. Miller are wishing her health and happiness the remainder of her life.

Mrs. A. J. Goodwin after visiting a few days with relatives around here, left for her home in Key West last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Taus one of our progressive farmers started for Middle River last Monday morning to buy lumber. Mr. Taus intends to build a substantial barn before long.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh and little daughter Amber drove to Warren last Monday.

Miss Tillie Brantl left one day last week for East Grand Forks where she will keep house for Mr. and Mrs. H. Gebhandt during the later's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Yuergens.

A. M. Carlson a prominent resident of Newfolden was in the city yesterday conferring with some business men on a matter of considerable personal importance. He returned to his home last evening.

It's no disgrace to work for a living—unless you work others.

IS JEFFRIES SHAMMING?

WISE ONES DO NOT BELIEVE FORMER CHAMPION WILL EVER BE ABLE TO FIGHT

SCHEME WHEREBY JOHNSON SHALL "LAY DOWN" AND "LOSE" TITLE

Now that Jim Jeffries has reached New York and been acclaimed as if he were president of a plumbers' asssociation, all talk is of a possible match with Jack Johnson.

Johnson is nearing "our shores" and from Honolulu sends word that he is not worried over Mr. Jeffries, and is open to conviction at any time, provided the glittering coins stack high enough. Johnson says he would rather fight Jeffries than any other man.

Jeffries cautiously says that he will not decide to meet the black champion until he has proved conclusively to himself that it is possible for him to get in his old time form.

The great army of sports declare that Jeff will fight Johnson and whip him.

The wise ones shake their heads and express doubt.

A large number of people believe that Jeffries has no intention of getting back in the ring, but is using his opportunity to boost himself financially by generous advertising.

Fighters incline to the belief that Jeffries can never get back into prime condition again.

One of the best known referees in the country talking to a friend the other day confidentially, said: "Jeffries is not now and never will he the man he was five years ago. He has lived a fast pace and has lost too much ground to ever come back and have his old stamina, speed and endurance. Jeffries' best friends know that Johnson would beat his head off now. If Jeff decides to get back and fight the negro it will be because his head has been turned by universal praise, or because he needs the money. He can never get right to whip Johnson in a fair fight. All the boys on the inside know this, and the talk to the contrary is for advertising purposes only."

A story from New York indicates that a syndicate of sporting men is going to get hold of Jack Johnson and tell him plainly that he is not wanted as champion; that if he insists upon remaining champion he will not be allowed to get on with any good men; that if he is willing to "lay down" and surrender the title in a "fixed" fight, he wil be given money enough to salve his pride and take care of himself with. But as champion he will be blacklisted and boycotted and starved out of color.

This sort of a programme would meet with many obstaoles. Johnson is feeling pretty cocky right now, and, believing that he can whale anybody, he would be very likely to double-cross any man who went on with him under a "working agreement," just as he did Burns.

At this stage of the game the field for Mr. Johnson seems decidedly limited, and unless Jeffries is coddled into a belief that he can whip Jack, the big, black champion's outlook for getting opponents worthy of his steel is not very promising.

MARSHALL MEETS HIM IN JAIL

GRAFTON MAN FACES ANOTHER CHARGE ON BEING RELEASED BY THE STATE

John Gordon a Grafton tailor was brought to Grand Forks yesterday forenoon by Marshall J. Shea on a charge of selling liquor without a government license.

Upon his arrival from Grafton Gordon was arraigned before United States Commissioner George Robbins. He waived examination and his bond was fixed at $100. He went to jail.

Gordon has been serving a term in the county jail at Grafton for selling liquor contrary to the state law. Marshal Shea was on hand when he completed his jail sentence.

Gordon is hopeful of getting a bond In case he cannot he will be obliged to await the meeting of the United States grand jury which will not convene for several months.

Marshal Shea returned last evening to Fargo.

Mrs. I. J. Corey and children expect to leave the latter part of the month for Montana, where they will remain indefinitely. Mr. Corey will still have his headquarters in Crookston, altho he expects to spend a month's vacation with his family this summer.

Journal want ads bring results.

SOUTH SWEPT BY TERRIFIC TORNADO

Many Lives Lost in Hurricane Which Levelled Buildings and Left Awful Path of Devestation Last Night.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Little Rock, Ark. March 9—Four persons are reported dead and a number injured as the result of a violent storm that swept thru western, eastern and southern Arkansas yesterday afternoon and last night.

Three are reported to have been killed at Brinkley and the town was in flames and its complete destruction seems inevitable.

At midnight a special train bearing physicians and nurses and the fire fighting apparatus of that place was started from Forest City for Brinkley Those reported to have been killed at Brinkley are:

—— Foote, merchant.

—— Starret, merchant.

A Cotton Belt passenger train due in Little Rock at 6:30 o'clock last night is lost in the vicinity of Baucum where a tornado struck and is reported to have swept off the track. Another report is to the effect that the train was struck by lightning. Railroad offices in Little Rock have been endeavoring to locate the train for hours, but have been unable to do so.

A tornado struck Fourche Dam within 5 miles of Little Rock killing a negro boy and injuring other negroes. Two houses were demolished and one was completely destroyed by fire after it had been blown to bits. Several negroes are reported fatally hurt.

The tornado crossed the Arkansas river at Fourche Dam and raised a spout of water about 200 feet high. It traveled toward the northeast and swept a clean path about sixty yards wide. The tornado was followed by a hail and rain storm which kept up throughout the night. The same tornado passed into Baucum where the extent of the damage is also unknown and from there to Kerrin, Lonoke county where several houses were demolished and E. B. Adams a farmer was seriously if not fatally injured.

All the windows in a train between Gurden and Rester were blown out. At Malvern the Methodist church was entirely destroyed at a loss of $6,000.

INITIAL TRIP SUCCESSFUL

E. W. SAVAGE ORGANIZED TWO NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL IN NORMAN COUNTY

E. W. Savage the successor to Samuel Hedegaard as the representative of th eAmerican Sunday School Union has returned from his initial trip, having spent several days in Norman Co. His efforts were very successful he having organized two new Sunday schools one at Borup and one five miles west of Borup in Many township. Both are new schools and are live ones giving promise of good work in the future. Mr. Savage discovered that a horse was imperative for successful work and will buy one in the very near future.

ANGUS PEOPLE UP TO DATE

THE ANGUS TABOR TELEPHONE CO. ISSUED FINE TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

The Angus-Tabor Rural Telephone Co. believes in keeping right up in the front rank all the time. They not only have one of the best lines in Northern Minnesota, but are extending every year and the subscribers are all getting a fine service at a minimum rate.

Heretofore they have used simple cards with the call rings on them but have just had printed a fine telephone book, identically the same as the Northwestern's book in this city, and a simple plan has been devised by President J. F. Montgomery so that the calls are extremely simple. The rural lines in that section which connect with the Northwestern Toll Line at Angus, bring that entire north countral portion of Polk county in close touch with the business men of Crookston, and with the Euclid rural lines, and the ones radiating from Crookston, there are few farmers who cannot be reached without trouble.

ADA DEBATERS AGAIN WIN

DEFEATED THE ORTONVILLE TEAM AFTER JOURNAL TROPHY

The Ada High School debating team being the champion team in the 9th district, composed of Erling Norby, Ernest Helgeson and Frank Prigge, defeated the Ortonville team at Ortonville, Friday evening in the debate over the question "Resolved that the U. S. should annex Cuba." The Ada team defending the negative. They will meet some other champion team in the near future and hope to land the Minneapolis Journal trophy.

OLD SETTLERS HAD BIG TIME

FIFTY FULL FLEDGED MEMBERS AND TWENTY SOCIAL MEMBERS

Last Friday evening the Old Settlers of Euclid held a big meeting in Woodmen Hall at which everyone present enjoyed themselves most thoroly. There are now 50 regular members and 20 social members. There was a fine program carried out including a good address by J. B. Goodwin.

One feature was the reading of the official paper "The Euclid Axiom" which is edited by R. G. Davies of that place, an employe at one of the elevators which contained many local hits.

Special music was furnished by a male quartette and Dr. J. S. Chapin convulsed all present with a Dutch song which he sang in costume. A splendid banquet was served after which dancing and card playing was enjoyed till the farmers who were present could drive home in dawnlight.

SAY RED RIVER VALLEY IS BEST

Mr. and Mrs. Kemmerer who have been making their home in Oregon for the past few years, are expected back to Hallock in a couple of weeks Mr. Kemmerer writes since leaving Hallock he has spent in the neighborhood of a thousand dollars trying to look up a desirable location but he says that after a travel covering nearup the whole state he had failed to find as much as a section that would even compare to a garden patch in Kittson county or the Red River Valley, he says, you can raise every thing from a beef to the best wheat, barley flax or oats in the world and you can always get a good price for it, or have the satisfaction of keeping it until you do, but in Oregon all you can raise is fruit, and the prices are so controlled by the fruit trust that it will hardly pay for the packing of the stuff, and you are generally "up against it" because it is a case of accepting the trust price or the stuff goes to rot on your hands.—Hallock Enterprise.

KEYSTONE WOODMEN ARE LIVE BUNCH

Deputy Ed Humm of this city spent two days at Key West last week and as a result Key West lodge No. 6540 adopted a class of 14 new members. On Friday night the lodge gave a grand ball and Deputy Humm states every member there is a live one. Humm certainly was one in getting the new members.

Lots of talk that sounds well is nothing but sound that's unsound.

NO DUTY ON FLEAS

ANOTHER INTERESTING LETTER RECEIVED FROM CAPT. M. R. BROWN

TELLS OF THE CONDITIONS IN AND ABOUT SAN DIEGO—EN-ROUTE HOME

From Monday's Daily—

A personal friend of Capt. M. R. Brown has received another of the series of very interesting letters which the latter has written during his western trip on which he is accompanied by Mrs. Brown.

Capt. Brown also sent some very fine pictures of the ostrich farms in which the plucking was shown, another fine view of the Old Mission Valley near San Diego,, a section of great historic interest in that section of the country.

They will leave San Diego some time this week for the homeward journey which will be made via San-Francisco, Portland and Seattle, with stops at each place. The lecture is as follows:

San Diego, Cal., Mar. 3, 1909:—This city is like all other cities of considerable size and importonce. It has its many places of interest, to attract and amuse the numerous tourists. The surrounding country is somewhat undulating with snow on the tops of the highest mounds. Farmers have not commenced their spring work up there yet, while in the valleys, crops are growing nicely

Fruits are the principal crops such as oranges, grapes, olives figs and lemons, the later being the principal fruit crop.

The soil is very poor indeed and they do not pretend to raise anything without irrigation, not even an umbrella.

Ostrich farming is engaged in quite extensively and we are advised that it is very profitable.

The Chamber of Commerce here in the city is a very interesting lace to visit. It is a bureau of information and also contains a fine display or exhibit of the products of the country, and resources of the city. It will be well for our 25,000 club to adopt some of their plans, which I will present to them after I reach home.

The city is kept quite clean and orderly with very few undesirable places However we innocently dropped into one place in the outskirts of the city yesterday, where they were just laying for us (a chicken farm.)

We took a trip down to Old Mexico a few days since, and visited a little town called Tewane. Its resources are selling curios, etc. On our return at the boundary line, we had to pass thru a custom house, and pay a small duty on all things brought from Tewane (except fleas—by treaty with our government they are exempt.)

The climate of this country is what the people here boast of mostly and we presume it is the most uniform of any place on the American continent. The thermometer ranges from 50 to 90, yesterday it was 67

Everyone makes use of the climate very extensively in their living and some of the inhabitants look as tho it was their principal diet, possibly a few clams may be alternated for a change, the tide flats are close at hand. From outward appearances the principal resources of this city are from tourists, and they tell me it is a sure crop every year.

—M. R. Brown.

KEYSTONE

Mr. and Mrs. R. Ehnen were visitors at the homes of Simon and Samuel Aeschlimann last Sunday.

Miss Edna Capes was very sick last week.

Mr. John Gerber transacted business in Tabor last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Capes visited at the homes of Simon and Samuel Aeschlimann last Thursday.

Miss Tillie Brantl returned home from a week's stay at Grand Forks last Friday.

Miss Mary Brantl was absent from school last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann are the proud and happy parents of a baby girl born March the 4th. Sam has ben wearing a smile that will not wear off ever since but is slowly recovering from the effects and insists on greasing his moustache with the butter knife and sitting on a snowbank to smoke his cigars. He is so excited that he looks over the pages of a cookbook for a suitable name for the little lady.

Many farmers around here are hauling their hay while the sleighing lasts

THE ACCIDENT PROVED FATAL

JOHN BERGUM DIED AT ST. VINCENT HOSPITAL SHORTLY AFTER NOON TODAY

WAS INJURED IN A MANHOLE WHILE WORKING FOR CITY LAST FALL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Shortly after noon today John Bergum died at St. Vincent's hospital as the result of being struck on the head by a scantling while working in a sewer man-hole for the city last fall.

It has been known for some time that the injury was a very serious one having resulted in the formation of a blood clot on the brain. Some time ago an operation was decided upon and a specialist from St. Paul came up and with the assistance of local physicians made the attempt, but the clot was so located that it could not be reached.

The deceased for a time after the accident which caused by an icy scantling slipping from the hands of a fellow workman who was standing on the surface above him, seemed to be improving, but later a change for the worse took place and his condition has grown worse steadily till the end came.

Mr. Bergum is one of the old residents of Crookston and resided with his family at 111 Summit Ave. He leaves a widow and 8 children who have the deepest sympathy of a large circle of friends.

WILLIAM FINLEY IS EXPELLED

FROM MEMBERSHIP IN A. F. M. OF GRAND FORKS, N. D.

At a meeting of the Grand Forks union of the American Federation of Musicians Sunday afternoon William Finley the orchestra leader was expelled from membership. The proceedings were brief. A resolution was introduced shortly after the union was called to order. This resolution set forth that all statements of Mr. Finley in regard to the local union and certain members thereof were proven false and that he should be expelled.

Eddie Pomeroy stated that he believed it quite improper to say that the statements had been fully proven when there had been no hearing given He believed that part of the resolution should be stricken out.

To the School Officers of Polk County

In connection with the third annual meeting of the N. W. Minn. Educational Association to be held at Crookston, March 18th and 19th 1909, there will be a School Officers' Convention, to which every School Trustee in Polk county is cordially invited and it is hoped that you will all avail yourselves of the opportunity to hear the excellent programs which have been arranged for the occasion. Every school officer should feel it incumbent upon himself to attend this convention.

Efforts have been made to secure prominent speakers from different parts of the state, among whom will be present during the two days' session, the Hon. C. G. Schulz, our new State Supt. of Public Instruction. In addition to these, several local speakers will take part in the programs.

We have planned to have the Officers Convention extend over the full time of the Association, and the following is a brief outline of the events and the sessions:

March 18th, Thursday—

Forenoon—Visiting Crookston Public Schools.

Thursday Afternoon—Session.

Thursday Evening — Lecture by Pres. McVey of N. Dak. University.

March 19th, Friday—

Forenoon—Session.

Friday Afternoon until 3:30—Session.

Friday Afternoon after session—Visit to the State School of Agriculture. A special train on the G. N. for this purpose has been provided for by the 25,000 Club of Crookston.

Friday Evening—Lecture.

Those attending the Convention, are entitled to a compensation of three dollars per day and five cents per mile in going to and coming from same, as provided by the Revised Laws of 1905.

Those coming to the Convention by railroad, should buy return tickets and take a receipt in full for the fare from the ticket agent.

Yours for a good convention.

—N. A. Thorson,
Co. Supt., Polk Co.
March 8th, 1909, Crookston, Minn.

90 RECEIVE CERTIFICATES

EIGHT TEACHERS GET FIRST GRADE CERTIFCATES AND 82 SECOND GRADE

SUPT. THORSON RECEIVED RETURNS FROM THE STATE SUPT. TODAY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Supt. of Schools N. A. Thorson today received returns from the office of the state superintendent on the state examinations held here in February. Of the applicants for teachers certificates 90 were successful, eight receiving first grade certificates, and 82 second grades. Following are the names of the successful applicants.

First Grades

Erdmann, Bertha S., Crookston.
Hagen Mary, Crookston.
Finseth, Karen D., Oslo.
McLaren, Jennie G., Crookston.
Leding, Ole J., Gary.
Obert, Evelyn F., Crookston.
Aakhus, G. D., Beaudette.
Mulicke, Bertha, Climax.

Second Grade

Henrickson, J. Leonard, Crookston.
Harding, Hope M., Crookston.
Amundson, Nana, Erskine.
Robertson, Lynn Crookston.
Barrett, F. Grace, E. G. Forks.
Riedesel, Helen L. Crookston.
Houston, Ada L., Crookston.
Peterson, Olga M., Crookston.
Huseby, Dorothy, Beltrami.
Bain, Elsie J., Fisher.
Brunner, Allie M., Crookston.
Berg, Clara, Red Lake Falls.
Fox, Florence, Felton.
Beck, Clara, Crookston.
Parante, Cecelia H. Borup.
McAnulty, H. T., Red Lake Falls.
Asp, Mrs, C. O., McIntosh
Manger, Carolina, A., McIntosh
Gillickson, Ruth W., Beltrami.
Johnson, Esther O., Crookston.
Swenson, Annie, Queen.
Larson, Isabelle T., McIntosh.
McDonald, May E., E. G. Forks.
Gerstner, Minnie, Fertile.
Rasmussen, Emily Violet, Crookston
Edlund, Tina, Fertile.
Woelk, Ottilie, Crookston.
Alanun, Clara, Flaming.
Casey, Mrs. Thos., Crookston.
Vidden, Ole E., Fertile.
Skogness, Ole, Crookston.
Worden, Cortense, Fisher.
Mitchel, Laura L., Mentor.
Goergen, Maggie, Euclid.
Hukee, Sivert O., Erskine
Carlson, E. V., Rhoda.
Peterson, Agnes, Crookston.
Hegtywedt, Anna, Wanke
Bennen, Hannah, Crookston.
Florin, Minnie, Crookston.
Anderson, Valle, Crookston.
Phillips, Ina Mae, E. G. Forks.
Rue, Margit, Fosston.
Horton, Roy, Wanke
Hughes, John P. Crookston.
Onvold, Josephine, M., Crookston.
Gust, Anna F., Crookston.
MacMichael, Anna, E. G. Forks.
Scott, Jessie A., Fertile.
Vavrina, Mary, Tabor.
Jerde, Mabel, Fertile.
Alrick, Mabel J., McIntosh.
Ose, Ingeberg, Fisher.
Hamel, Ignatius, Crookston.
Conneran ,Ella, Crookston.
Hanson, Clara E Crookston.
Stoughton, Katie, Fisher.
Gavin, Nettie, Crookston.
Will, Otto, Beltrami.
Erdman, Karl W., Crookston.
Stoughton, Mabel, Fisher.
Logan, Dollie, Neilsville.
Ziebeck, Aurera, Crookston.
Mauritson, Garfield, Shelly.
Orin, Thora, Shelly.
Orin, Marie, Shelly.
Larson, Tina, McIntosh.
Janke, Lillian L., Fertile.
Anderson, Isabelle J., Fisher.
Allard, Maude, Crookston.
Hiler, Aura A., Erskine.
Newton, Ida A., McIntosh.
McKirney, Agnes, Gentilly.
Thompson, Anna S., Mentor.
Bolstad, Otto, Fertile.
Casey, Martin, Crookston.
Williams, Alice B., E. G. Forks.
Tibesar, Elizabeth, Crookston.
Davis, Lillian, Crookston.
Lance, Josie, O., Crookston.
Bjontegard, Mary, Nielsville.
Evje, Constance, Nielsville.

Norman County Herald: Governor Johnson has a happy faculty of getaid and with the consent of the comting about everything he wants by the the jurors in the Cammack murder case can neither read nor write," says the Baltimore Sun. Well if there is to be any "unwritten law" argument sprung in that trial they ought to be able to judge it as well as any one else.

A girl can always fool a man about what she thinks of him, because he does it himself.

THREE PRISONERS BREAK JAIL

HOLE BATTERED THRU A BRICK WALL DURING THE SUPPER HOUR

CHIEF ECK NOTIFIED OF ESCAPED BAD MEN AT FARGO

From Tuesday's Daily—

Description

Frank Morrison—Age 24 yrs. height 5 ft. 10 in. weight 140 lbs. dark hair brown eyes, wearing dark brown suit.

George Dean—Age 28 yrs. height 5 ft. 6 in weight 140 lbs. black hair, dark eyes, scar on wrist, scar on right cheek bone, wearing brown suit.

Wm. Dudley, negro, age 24 years, height 5 ft. 11 in. weight 145 lbs. wearing dark suit.

Reward $25 on each man.

Chief of Police Eck and Sheriff Daniels were notified during the night of a sensational jail delivery at Fargo an devery stranger in the city is being closely scrutinized.

Taking advantage of the liberty allowed them during the supper hour, of taking exercise in the corridor, Frank Morrison, George Dean and Wm. Dudley prisoners in the Cass county jail, figured in a jail delivery, which was doubtless the most daring ever pulled off in North Dakota. Securing an iron bar used in locking the cells the men punctured the brick wall on the south side of the jail and after knocking out enough brick to permit their crawling thru they said goodbye to the place of confinement and rushed forth to their liberty.

Dean and Morrison are considered two of the cleverest crooks ever held by Cass county authorities. The former has been in jail but a little over a week being the man held for the robbery of the N. P. station at Horace. He was bound over to the district court but a short time ago.

Morrison was indicted atthe last session of the federal grand jury on the charge of postoffice robbery and it is said that there are several jobs of which he could be accused and prosecuted.

Dudley, colored is in the petty larceny class but faced Bismarck being a second offender.

The escape was soon discovered and the wheels in the machinery of criminal catching were started. The sheriff and his deputies sped to every means of exit from the city. The police were notified and in less than an hour every blue coat in Fargo had taken up the hunt for the escaped prisoners. Again the telephone was pressed into srvice and every small town radiating from Fargo was notified. The depots were watched and trains were searched. Altho it is realized that the men are clever, it is believed that before nightfall that trace of the three men will have been received.

Th task of breaking thru the brick wall was a slight one the wall being weakened with age, and not safe at any time. Using the iron bar as a battering ram, their end was accomplished in a very short time. It is stated that when Ex-Sheriff Hunt took the jail he insisted that the walls be reinforced their condition being unsafe at that time.

HOWARD GETS 21 YEARS IN PEN

At Devils Lake Saturday Judge John F. Cowan sentenced William Howard, slayer of his brother-in-law Thomas, at Starkweather, to serve 21 years in the penitentiary. Howard had entered a plea of guilty to a charge of manslaughter in the first degree. Two physicians were called as witnesses yesterday. They testified that Howard was subject to epileptic fits and while afflicted knew nothing of what he was doing. It was their belief that he could not be held responsible for his crime the same as a person who never had fits. The maximum penalty for the crime is 30 years and the minimum 10. Howard shot Thomas after a quarrel in which both men had been pounded up Thomas was hit when leaning over a binder making some repairs. He died in a few days.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

SOLD 8,000 BU. OF SPUDS

J. W. MILLER SOLD 8000 BUSHELS OF POTATOES FOR 90 CENTS PER BUSHEL

SOLD 2,000 BUSHELS LAST FALL AND HAS 2800 BUSHELS LEFT FOR SEED

From Tuesday's Daily—

J. W. Lee one of the progressive farmers residing on Rural Route No. 1, southwest of the city, has just finished loading 8000 bushels of Early Ohio potatoes most of which will be shipped to Kansas City.

He received 90 cents per bushel for them, as they are in fine shape. The price make the crop a very profitable one, even tho last season was not an ideal one for potatoes, lack of moisture early in the season keeping them back.

In addition to the sale now, Mr. Lee last fall sold 2,000 bushels and still has 2,000 bushels for seed. This is making money about as fast as could be made in any section of the country, and the success of Mr. Lee will without doubt result in still more farmers devoting attention to potato raising.

SAVED FROM PAYING FINE

HEALTH OFFICER N. C. HANSON ENFORCES LAW BUT PROTECTS NEIGHBORS

SEVERAL DEAD HORSES HAD BEEN DUMPED ON THE ICE IN RIVER

From Monday's Daily—

Health Officer N. C. Hanson of Lowell Township has had considerable trouble during the past winter regarding the disposal of carcasses of dead horses. It appears that several farmers have lost valuable horses by something resembling typhoid fever.

Instead of burying the bodies as provided by law, the farmers dragged them to the river and deposited them on the ice. Mr. Hanson notified them several times but not until they received formal notice from the county auditor to properly bury them, were the carcasses removed.

Mr. Hanson did not want to have his neighbors arrested and prosecuted, as the fine for polluting the river with carcasses of dead animals is $100 or from 3 to 6 months in the county jail. and a fine of $25 is also assessed where the orders of a health officer are not obeyed. The law provides that all dead carcasses should be buried at least three feet deep.

Mr. Hanson also calls attention to the fact that some of the slaughter houses are not in as sanitary condition as they should be, and this matter should be attended to at once.

GEORGE BLAKELY IS PROMOTED

George Blakely who has been district manager of the Northwestern Telephone company for the northern half of North Dakota for the past three years and previous to that time was manager for Grand Forks, has been promoted to be manager of South Dakota and will make his headquarters in Sioux Falls. He is succeeded here by J. Stokesberry of Sioux Falls.

Mr. Blakeley has been a popular and efficient manager and patrons will regret his departure. He has the best wishes of friends all over his territory

GR. NORTH. MAN WAS INJURED

Will Willer son of Adolph Willer of Middle River who is employed by the Great Northern at Warroad sustained a serious injury Friday morning from falling headlong down a flight of stairs. His collar bone and a coule of ribs were broken and a hip bruised badly besides other minor bruises. The company took him to the Thief River hospital Friday evening.

CALL [illegible]TOR CANI[illegible] BY FORCE

Historical Society

J. J. JORDA[illegible] [illegible]AKES "BIG STICK" OF FRIEN[illegible]IP ALONG WITH [illegible]IM

FATHER OF [illegible]E MORNING CALL REMEMBERED BY THE FORCE

From Tuesday's Daily—

While the city council was wrestling with a treatise on municipal lights, the members of The Call force enjoyed a family reunion preparatory to the departure of Editor J. J. Jordan from service after twenty-five years behind the pen in Fargo. The departure of the father of The Call from journalism was a source of genuine regret to those who have associatel with him in the capacity of employes Charles Branham, advertising manager and the latest acquisition to the "family" rendered "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here" in his exquisite English tenor. For encore he sang "We Won't Go Home Till Morning" supported by the full chorus.

Editor Jordan was then presented with a handsome gold-headed ebony cane from the "gang" some of whom have been associated with him for eleven years—the life of The Call. The "big stick" carried with it the best wishes of the force from the press-feeder to the scandal monger. At the same time Mrs. Jordan was presented with a handsome glass rose jar. As presiding officer on "boquet day" she won a place with the force.

J. J. Jordan came to Fargo in 1884. since that time he has been actively engaged in the newspaper business having piloted the Republican, the Argus and finally The Call which he established in 1889. The growth of that publication was constant and most gratifying to its friends. It is with the genuine regret of his friends that Mr. Jordan retires to forget the cares of the newspaper man and enjoy home life and look after Uncle Sam's interests in the land department.—Fargo Call.

Fargo Call Sold

The rumors that have been flying thick and fast for the last few weeks were confirmed last evening when a deal was closed by which the Fargo News Publishing Company bought the Fargo Morning Call. The morning issue of the Call will be its last and the paper will then cease to exist. It is understood that none of the editorial force of the Call will be retained by the News and that the plan is to sell most of the equipment. The News company does not contemplate increasing the size of their plant for some time. The Morning Call has existed ten years, being established in August 1898, when the publishers of the Call purchased the Fargo Daily Argus one of the oldest papers in the state, having been established in 1878. In retiring from the field of Journalism in the Northwest, the departure of Mr. Jordan means the loss of the best editorial "squib" writer in this section. The Call has been closely scanned every day by hundreds of people who enjoyed the brilliant wit and biting sarcasm of Editor Jordan, who, while he was charitable would nevertheless "turn loose" when occa-

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A. D. Nelson says that a man who went to eastern Colorado reports the country "all in" so far as it being a desirable place for settlement, and that they are not booming it any more Several who went from this locality and took claims or bottom land raised little grain, and some have come back Many people have left the country, one man being mentioned who spent $2,000 in improvements leaving them to get back where he could harvest something.—Windom Citizen.

Paynesville Press: Possibly an employer's liability law may be a necessity; but how is such a law going to effect the small employer? The loss of a hand or a foot by an employe in the small shop might easily put the employer out of business. In nine cases out of ten such accidents are the result of the gross carelessness of the victim and it is difficult to discover the justice of compelling the employer to pay an exorbitant price in such cases. At a glance it looks as tho such a law might tend to increase rather than decrease the number of accidents.

INTRODUCE YAKS IN WIS.

ASIATIC YAKS SAID TO BE THE ANIMAL TO BE USED ON RANGE LANDS

BETTER FITTED TO ENDURE THE NORTHERN WINTER THAN COMMON CATTLE

From Monday's Daily—

A herd of six fine yaks, it is announced is to be imbported by the Canadian Government and started in business on the experimental farm at Ottawa and John Kirsch is of the opinion that it would be a good idea to bring a herd to the Red River Valley. The animal is about the size of common cattle but is better fitted to endure the cold of a northern winter. It is valuable for miwlk, beef, hide and hair and is easily nourished on sparse vegetation. In this Asiatic beast many foreigners living here who are familiar with them, there exists a great opportunity for North America, especially Canada and the northern tier of states for the yak's habits fit him for life on the barren tracts that lie between the natural ranges of the common cattle and reindeer.

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There are thousands of acres of wild lands an empire in extent, which extends over the northeastern part of this state that would be an ideal home for these animals. The U. S. or state government animal department should investigate the possibilities with the view of propogating them on these lands.

BACK FROM AUTO SHOW

ED CARLSON GREATLY PLEASED WITH THE BIG SHOW IN MINNEAPOLIS

SAYS CROWDS WERE IMMENSE AND SHOWING OF AUTOS VERY COMPLETE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Ed Carlson of the firm of Bjoni & Carlson returned this morning from Minneapolis with Ed Quee, the two having spent the past few days there attending the automobile show. They report that the crowds attending were very large and the showing of autos was most complete, the latest models being shown by every company in the automobile manufacturing business.

Mr. Carlson states that Bjoin & Carlson will receive a Kissel Kar in a few days, a seven passenger 30 horse power machine which the former thinks is about the finest thing in the way of an auto that can be purchased for the money.

All of the dealers who were present at the show were of the opinion that the sale of autos the coming spring and summer would be the largest in years. Many of the farmers are making inquiries regarding autos, and many of them contemplate getting machines and saving both time and horse flesh as a great portion of their business in the city or villages could be handled better and quicker by an auto than by team.

Here in Crookston there is a very noticeable increase in interest in automobiles. Several well known business and professional men who have never before been affectd with the "auto bee" are now thoroly infected and the only cure will be the "chug-chug" of the auto.

Time's Changes.

"Before we were married you said you'd lay down your life for me," she sobbed.

"I know it," he returned solemnly, "but this confounded flat is so tiny there's no place to lay anything down."—Harper's Bazar.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful druggs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

SEEK TO RESTRAIN ADA

SOME RESIDENTS OBJECT TO PRESENT SEWER OUTLET

BIG GATHERING EXPECTED AT OLD SETTLERS MEETING IN JUNE

Ada, March 15 — (Special to the Journal)—A suit has commenced in the District court at Ada by C. J. Skarud and others to restrain the city of Ada from maintaining the present outlet for the sewer. The case will be tried at the next term of court here.

A very largely attended farmers institute was held here Friday. The following were the speakers: Mr. Forrest Henry of Dover, Minn., spoke on clover raising. C. O. Carlson of Erskine, Minn., gave a lecture on dairying and Mr. Charles Brown of Elk River, Minn. spoke on potato raising.

The commercial club held a meeting and appointed various committees to make preparations for the Old Settlers Union to be held here in June. The city of Ada is considering the purchase of a forty acre tract of land just up to the city limits to be converted into a park, if the price can be adjusted. This is a natural park and with a very little work can be made into a beautiful park.

BAND CONCERT GRAND SUCCESS

AUDIENCE PACKED AUDITORIUM —MRS. RIGGS' PLAY A FEATURE

BAND NUMBERS FINE—MR. RIGGS AND MISS CAMERONS NUMBERS APPLAUDED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Cosolidated Band Concert given in the Auditorium last evening was a signal success in every particular. The concert was enjoyed by a crowd which tested the capacity of the Auditorium, and from the first appearance of Bandmaster Riggs till the final number every piece was applauded to the echo.

All the band numbers were excellent and created the greatest enthusinasm and when it is considered that 65 pieces from the Crookston band, the Crookston Juvenile Band and the Burnham Creek Band, the work done is really marvelous.

The piano numbers by Mrs. Riggs were a genuine treat. On every hand the highest compliments were heard today and last evening regarding the work.

Miss Cameron made her initial appearance before a Crookston audience as a vocalist and was most cordially received. She graciously responded to a most enthusiastic encore. She will be heard later in vaudeville at the Auditorium.

Bandmaster Riggs played one of the most difficult cornet solos ever heard by a Crookston audience and was forced to respond with a second piece.

When it is considered the difficulties under which the Consolidated band has practiced, with no band room or other convenfences, the splendid success scored last evening is really marvelous. Bandmaster Riggs last evening thanked the members of the Crookston Band for their hearty cooperation, the juvenile band for their faithful practice and the Burnham Creek band for the fine work they did and the trouble they had been put to to attend practices.

April

The rain-drops glisten in the sun,
As down the window-panes they run,
run,
And grasp within their tiny hands
A rainbow bright of colored strands,
Which glitters gladly in the shine
From violet deep to carnadine.

And Phyllis gay—when to her eyes
The glistening tears rebellious rise;
My Phyllis smiles through mists of
tears,
And each a rainbow gay appears,
For Phyllis, like the wayside flower,
Is sweetest in an April shower.

—Harold Emery Jones.

Journal want ads bring results.

MIDCLE RIVER IN QUANDRY

THE TIE VOTE ON LICENSE HAS NOT BEEN RULED UPON BY ATTY. GENERAL

JUDGE WATTS BELIEVES THAT LICENSE WILL BE LEGAL THIS YEAR

Middle River, March 15—(Journal Special)—This village has been in something of a jangle ever since election day, March 9th, over the outcome of a tie vote on the license proposition. At this writing no ruling from the attorney general has been received, but the prevailing opinion among citizens generally, and also the expressed opinion of Judge Watts, is, that license will be legal the coming year. The question was voted upon last spring and license carried by a big majority, and in as much as the statutes clearly stipulate that any decision rendered by the voters upon this question stands until changed by a reverse vote, there really seems to be no grounds for the contention that license is down and out in Middle River.

MENTOR

J. W. Benoy and daughter Stella were Erskine visitors last Monday.

Roy Wadekamper spent last Saturday and Sunday with his sister at Erskine.

Mrs. C. A. Messelt returned the first of the week from a business visit to the twin cities.

Victor Wadekamper returned from a business trip up into the iron range country last Saturday.

The new stock of Groceries at the Coffey store have been put in place and are being doled out to customers

Mrs. Wm. Tice will entertain the Congregational Ladies Aid Society at her home on Thursday afternoon March 18th. Everyone invited.

The local camp of Modern Woodmen at their last meeting decided to have their large commodious hall cellled with oxidized steel and when this has been completed they will have one of the neatest lodge rooms in the state.

The village election held last Tuesday was a surprise to many of our citizens the following ticket being elected: President—Joseph Tagley; Trustees—Louis Larson, Halvor Torkelson and Wm. Halliday; Recorder—F. E. LePage; Treasurer—M. O. Madson; Assessor—J. L. Sletten; Justices—Geo. M. Swift and Nels Paulsrud. The license question was defeated by one vote and the village is joined to the dry list for the coming year.

As evidence of the change of sentiment thruout the state with reference to th slaughtr hous infliction upon St. Paul, attention is directed to the editorial from the Alexandria Post News printed in another column on this page. The Post-News has the precisely correct conception of the duty of a member of the legislature in the premises. A packing plant is a good thing but there is absolutely no necessity of thrusting it in at a point where it will ruin public institutions public parks and private homes. The well-expressed position of the Post-News is becoming more and more general with the state press as the facts beome better understood.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Stillwater Gazette: Some inquisitive fellow in the Duluth Herald asks: "Are you keeping Lent? And what ofr? For the good of your soul or th e applause of the public?" We cannot answer, but we have often wondered if some of those who pretended to be following out instructions were really and actually playing honest. There are a great many people who are truly conscientious in church matters, as they are in everything, but there are people who make a great display that are only fooling the casual observer. Those who make it a point to know who's who, can spot these pretenders with one eye shut and both hands and feet tied.

STRAIGHTEN THIEF RIVER

SURVEYING CREW NOW AT WORK ON THE PROPOSITION IT IS STATED

GEORGE RALPH AT MIDDLE RIVER WHERE THE PEOPLE ARE JUBILIANT

From Monday's Daily—

Middle River, March 15—(Journal Special)—State Surveyor Geo. A. Ralph passed thru here today being enroute to the scene of the labors of the surveying crew east of Thief River, where he will take active charge of the work. In an interview with Middle River citizens Mr. Ralph declared that the state is to immediately put thru a big drainage system for eastern Marshall county. Thief River is to be dredged and straightened its whole length and a complete system of laterals put in on all the section lines on both sides of the river. The survey, Mr. Ralph stated, will be completed in two weeks and the contract for the work let at once so that the entire system will be constructed the coming summer.

This project means everything to Middle River and all eastern Marshall county, It will reclaim hundreds of thousands of wet lands and will be such a stimulas to development that eastern Marshall county will go forward by leaps and bounds and soon become what nature destined it to be—one of the richest dairy and diversified farming sections in the world.

BACK WITH PRISONER

SHERIFF DANIELS AT E. GRAND FORKS WITH TOM FLAHERTY

HEARING IS ON THIS AFTERNOON BEFORE JUDGE SULLIVAN

From Monday's Daily—

Sheriff Orin Daniels returned this morning from Seattle with Thomas Flaherty. He stopped off in East Grand Forks and will not return to Crookston till this evening. Flaherty had a preliminary hearing before Judge T. A. Sullivan of the Municipal court at East Grand Forks, waived examination and will stand trial in the district court in June unless the case is settled in the meantime. There is every probability that there will be a settlement as Mr. Flaherty has property in East Grand Forks and also has some close friends there who will do everything possible for him. The case against him was started by the bonding company and not by the Gund Brewing Co., in whose employ he was at the time the alleged defalcation took place.

ROLSCH BUYS DAIRY COWS

J. B. Retzner, one of the well known farmers who resides on rural route No. 5 out of Crookston is spending the day in the city and delivered to Ernest Rolsch four fine shorthorn dairy cows from his fine dairy herd in the township of Fanny. Mr. Rolsch recently made a trip to southern Minnesota where he purchased some Guernsey cattle and several fine horses, but desired to secure some dairy stock to place on his fine farm south of the city. This he found he could buy right here at home, and the cows he purchased of Mr. Retzner are as fine as could be purchased anywhere in the entire state.

With the fine start he has made Mr. Rolsch will very soon have one of the best dairy farms in the state.

Make it Strong

Princeton Union: A bill has been introduced in the legislature which provides a whipping-post penalty for wife-beaters. That bill should become a law without unnecessary delay, and the minimum punishment should be one hundred lashes. There is no punishment too severe for a wife-beater or a wife-deserter.

HOSPTAL IN FINE SHAPE

ANNUAL MEETING OF DIRECTORS OF BETHESDA HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION HELD

OFFICERS ELECTED AND BUSINESS FOR THE PAST YEAR GONE OVER

From Thursday's Daily—

The annual meeting of the stockholders in the Bethesda Hospital Association was held today in the United Norwegian Lutheran church and the business of the association for the past year was thoroly gone over. The affairs of the association are in excellent condition. The hospital has been well patronized during the past year and has made an excellent showing in every way.

Following the election of the directors the following officers were elected.

M. G. Peterson, Fertile, President.

C. M. Anderson, Crookston, Secretary.

Norman Hanson, Fertile, Treasurer.

Those present from outside the city included the following:

Fertile—Rev. A. Ofstedahl, Rev. Sundheim, Messrs. M. G. Peterson, O. H. Vidden, Norman Hanson.

Ada—P. O. Onstad.

Nielsville—Rev. Braadland.

Fosston—E. G. Ecklund.

Shelly—H. O. Holte, J. T. Redland, Marius Loraas.

Climax—H. H. Thoreson.

Gary—H. O. Hermanson.

McIntosh—C. M. Berg.

Eldred—H. Brevik, M. P. Leikness, L. Locken.

The following directors were elected: A. Ofstedahl, 3 years; O. P. Oien, 3 years; C. M. Anderson, 3 years O. S. Akre 3 years; John Amundson, 2 years.

Auditing committee: Rev. L. Locken, H. H. Thoreson.

BRYAN'S DAUGHTER GRANTED A DIVORCE

TOOK RUTH BRYAN, MRS. LEAVITT, JUST FIFTEEN MINUTES TO SECURE THE DECREE

Lincoln, Neb., March 11—An absolute divorce with custody of her two children was granted yesterday in the district court to Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of William J. Bryan from William Momer Leavitt, her artist husband, to whom she was married five years ago at the Fairview home of her parents following a court ship of a little over two months.

The children are Ruth Leavitt, aged four, and Bradford Bryan Leavitt, three years old.

The application was uncontested, Leavitt being present neither in person nor represented by counsel.

No mention is made of alimony, and the only reservation is that the father shall be permitted to see the children at reasonable times, the court taking the granting of this consideration upon himself without application having been made. Non-support was the only allegation made by Mrs. Leavitt.

Thomas S. Allen, uncle of the plaintiff, and her attorney, chose the noon hour to call the case. The court house was almost deserted, fewer than a dozen persons were in the room when Mrs. Leavitt, who was accompanied by her mother, took the stand.

She testified that almost from the time of their marriage Leavitt had contributed nothing to the support of herself and children. When living at Denver her father at one time sent her $5,000 at another time $500 and her mother had also given her $500, said Mrs. Leavitt. She was asked if her husband was capable of earning a livelihood.

"He is," she said, "and with his talents should support his family."

Mrs. Bryan corroborated the testimony of her daughter. Mrs. Bryan said she had visited the Leavitts when they lived in Denver in a house which Mr. Bryan and herself had furnished. She told of sums of money they had contributed to support the family.

The proceedings did not occupy more than ten minutes.

Mrs. Leavitt was not informed at the time of the decree that her husband was to be permitted to see the children at certain times as that was an after consideration of the court.

Mrs. Leavitt will be 24 years old on her next birthday.

It is better to lead a procession than to follow it—unless the leader is in a black wagon with glass windows.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST DOCTOR

GEORGE W. TOOMB DIED AND DR. OPPLIGER ALLEGES MALPRACTICE

ON PART OF DR. CORRIGAN—DODDS WELL KNOWN HERE

From Thursday's Daily—

George Toomb, employed by the Cross-Dodds Lumber company at Spooner as assistant manager, while driving near the Shevlin-Mathiue Lumber company's planer last Thursday was thrown from the load and struck on his head being severely injured.

Dr. J. E. Corrigan was first called in attendance and afterwards Dr. G. Oppliger. Toombs never regained consciousness and died Saturday evening.

All arrangements for a funeral had been completed to be held yesterday but it developed that Dr. Oppliger in his certificate of death alleged malpractice on the part of Dr. Corrigan and as a result Dr. Corrigan who is chairman of the Board of Health refused to issue a burial permit, necessitating the calling of the coroner from Bemidji and it is expected that he will arrive there today and that an inquest and post mortem examination wil be held.

Geo. W. Toombs was 24 years of age and a son of Alonzo Toomb and was born and raised near Stephen, Minn. The postponement of the funeral has raised an enormous furore in the village as Mr. Toomb was one of the most popular young men there and nearly everyone is arranged on the side of one or the other doctor.

HAS DECIDED TO LOCATE IN VALLEY

HENRY BOLTMAN ARRIVES FROM ILLINOIS—WILL IMPROVE FARM

Henry Boltman and family arrived yesterday from Illinois and will make the Red River Valley his future home. He purchased a farm several years ago just west of Jos. Reitzinger's of Brown & McPhee and has been renting the land since that time. He finally decided however that the Red River Valley would be about the proper place to farm and packed his belongings.

His car of stock etc., is expected any day and he will begin farming equipped in every way to make a success from the start. There is already a fair set of buildings on the farm, but early in the spring Mr. Boltman will erect a modern residence and will have all conveniences, and will also put all the buildings in first class repair.

The Red River Valley is getting more settlers of the desirable class this spring than for many years past and the movement will be heavier a little later than it is now.

THE SPEEDING BULLET.

It Waves the Air as a Moving Ship Does the Water.

Marked changes occur in a bullet fired from a gun after it has been acted upon by the force of the explosion in the barrel. Its surface has become clean, bright and highly polished by the removal of the superficial layers of the sheath, and its temperature has been raised both by the friction against the barrel and by the enkindled gases. Because of this rise in temperature it is thoroughly sterilized and totally destitute of bacteria. Standing behind a twelve inch gun one can easily follow the flight of the projectile with the naked eye.

Under favorable circumstances and with the aid of a telescope it is possible to catch a glimpse of even the small bore bullet as it flashes through the air. Photographs, or, rather, shadowgraphs, of the .311 inch bullet traveling with a speed of over 2,000 feet a second show the cap of condensed gas, about one-tenth of an inch thick, which clothes the nose of a projectile when it is in rapid motion through a gaseous medium.

Minute rotating spherules of gas showing motion remain behind and map out the path of the bullet. These lines and eddies recall forcibly the bow and stern waves made by a ship in motion and the numerous little whirlpools that may be seen in its wake.—Chicago News.

Albert Lea Enterprise: James J. Hill says that we have the resources to support a population of 200,000,000 to 300,000,000 and that he is confident that the American people will meet the situation. Mr. Hill is right in his confidence. The American people have always proved equal to the emergency confronting them. They will in this case.

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JAIL BREAKERS BACK IN CELLS

ALL THREE MEN WHO GOT OUT OF FARGO BASTILE HAVE BEEN CAPTURED

WILL UNDOUBTEDLY RECEIVE HEAVIER SENTENCES THAN HAD THEY REMAINED

A telephone message to Chief Eck received last night stated that Frank Morrison and George Dean who escaped from the Cass County jail at Fargo Monday evening had been captured at Jamestown. They were arrested on the Northern Pacific west-bound North Coast Limited. They were positively identified.

News also came that William Dudley the negro who escaped with Morrison and Dean had been captured at Alexandria, Minn., by the sheriff of Douglass county.

Will Get Heavy Sentences

The three men will undoubtedly receive much heavier sentences than if they had remained in jail. A reward of $100 each had been offered for their capture and local officers have been busy looking out for them.

From Fargo it is reported that sensational developments are looked for. It is considered certain that the men received outside assistance in breaking out, and it is believed that the whole plot will be exposed shortly. The arrest of certain prominent men of that section is promised.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentlemen's List

Barber, Marsh
Bogren, Adolph
Cassady, John H
Christenson, Carl
Hagman, J. R.
Helgeson, John H.
Johnson Henry
Mailloux Leon
Moran Jim
Morrison Otto G,
Nelson Gilbert
Sonmo Hans
Van Housen Clark
White J C

Ladies' List

Booth Miss Florence
Hanson Miss Clara
Kerttu Miss Liisa
Stringer Miss Cressie
Watson Miss May.

THE VETERINARY.

A horse's foot should be examined whenever he comes into the stable, especially if he has been driven on country roads; otherwise a small stone or possibly a nail may remain undiscovered until the horse is made lame.

Distribution of Tuberculosis.

It has been proved by experiments conducted by the Minnesota experiment station that a dangerous medium in the distribution of tuberculosis is the manure of infected cattle, which in its dry form may readily be blown into milk in the stables. The utmost care should be taken to isolate all cattle known to be or suspected of being affected with tuberculosis, not only for the safety of human life, but for the welfare of the herd.

Remedy For Rheumatism.

For rheumatism in horses a breeder says that the following is an excellent remedy: Dissolve two drams of carbonate of potash in a pint of water and mix it with the feed two or three times a day until the animal gets well. Apply equal parts of alcohol and water to the affected joints twice a day.

Enlargements on Horses' Legs.

A recommended remedy for enlargements on the legs of horses is a mixture of potassium iodide, one ounce; iodine, three drams; water, eight ounces. Mix well and apply over the affected parts. The application should be made at the first appearance of the trouble.

For Colts That Are Teething.

Colts suffer from teething at times, and to subsist wholly upon hard, dry food may work injury. Steamed crushed oats or barley thickened with bran will prove appetizing and very nourishing in such cases. Roots may be cooked and the mass extended with ground grain and bran.

A Wash For Mange.

One ounce of carbonate of potassium to each quart of rainwater makes an excellent wash for mange or itch. Wash the affected parts once each week with this mixture and then wash off the mixture with clean rainwater.

Prevention of Ringbone.

Ringbone can be prevented by keeping the horse's feet properly trimmed, not overworking colts while young, careful driving on hard and uneven roads and avoiding all strains on the tendons.

Bright Pupils.

"You have two very bright pupils, Miss Winsome," remarked Mr. Sweetly to the schoolma'am.

"Which ones do you mean, Mr. Sweetly?"

"Why, those in your eyes, to be sure."—Pathfinder.

LOST THEIR WARDROBE

ED WILSON AND MISS CAMERON OF THIS CITY LOST IN FORKS FIRE

BIJOU THEATRE BURNED THERE LAST NIGHT — MRS. FELDKIRCHNER LOSER

From Saturday's Daily—

The Bijou theatre 123 DeMers ave. at Grand Forks was gutted by a fire which started about 7 o'clock last evening. The loss is $6,000 and Mrs. R. Feldkirchner who owned the building and contents, carried no insurance. The building is a frame structure and the insurance companies declined it as a risk while it was used for theatrical purposes.

Ed Wilson, who has leased the Auditorium here for the coming year and who will open it to the public on Mar. 18, and Miss Cameron also of this city who were doing a vaudeville turn at the Bijou at Grand Forks lost practically all their wardrobe. Miss Cameron had just purchased some very expensive dresses for her work here, and all were burned. Mr. Wilson lost nearly all his blackface stuff and nothing was insured.

Mr. Wilson saved two trunks which belonged to the other vaudeville artists. He dashed into the rear of the building and dragged two trunks out which contained considerable valuable stuff, tho most of the contents were in use and were hanging on the walls of the dressing rooms.

The photograph gallery of G. G. Grove, next door to the theatre was damaged to some extent by water. The is fully covered by insurance. The store of Max Rabinovich on the other side came out practically no loss altho at one time it was feared the building would be burned. Mr. Rabinovich stated last night that he would make no claim for insurance. He praised the work of the firemen in heading off the flames.

Thousands of people watched the fire and they agree with Mr. Rabinovich that Chief Runge and his men are entitled to a great deal of credit for their successful work. The theatre building was a flimsily constructed place and it burned like tinder. All around it are buildings of a like character.

Airtight Heater Explodes

The fire started in a dressing room under the stage. An airtight heater which had been started a short time before by the janitor exployed with a loud report. A second later Mrs. Feldkirchner and others who were in the front part of the house saw the flames shoot up and in a very short time the stage was roaring like a furnace.

Very little of the contents of the theatre was saved. The moving picture machine, films and supplies were destroyed. The theatrical people saved some of their trunks. Young Bros., lost two pianos.

Mrs. Feldkirchner was undecided as to her plans last night. Having no insurance the loss of the theatre is a great blow to her. The Savoy was suggested but it was stated that it has been remodeled completely for a wholesale house.

MONTHLY REPORT SHOWS UP WELL

Report of school district number 246 for the month ending March 5:

No. days taught 20
No. pupils enrolled 19
Av. daily attendance 15

Those neither absent nor tardy during the month were: Marion Roberts, Clinton Roberts, Clifford Perry, Hazel Perry, Ruth Rohrer.

Those having an average of 90 or above in orthography were, Marion Roberts 100; Clinton Roberts 100; Hazel Perry 99; Lena Welter 99; Ruth Rohrer 98; Joseph Clemen 98; Clifford Perry 98; Hazel Bjoin 95; Josephine Clemen 95; Lizzie Welter 95; Amy Bixler 90.

Those having an average of 90 or above in penmanship were, Marion Roberts 97; Bertha Bjoin 94; Lizie Welter 92; Lena Welter 91; Amy Bixler 91; Clinton Roberts 91; Clifford Perry 90.

Those having a general average of 90 or above were, Marion Roberts 96; Clinton Roberts 95; Bertha Bjoin 93; Clifford Perry 92; Ruth Rohrer 90; Hazel Perry 90.

—Nina Webster,
Teacher.

A bachelor is a man who thinks it wise to view matrimony from a distance.

You can't reform a man by suggesting that he ought to be as good as you are.

SURVEYING CREW AT WORK

ENGINEER CREW OF STATE DRAINAGE BOARD IN CITY THIS MORNING

HAS CREW AT WORK ON STATE DITCH NEAR MIDDLE RIVER

George A. Ralph, Engineer of the State Drainage board was an arrival in the city this morning and proceeded to Middle River where he has had a crew at work surveying a ditch to take care of the overflow water which has caused the farmers of this section a great deal of trouble in the past.

Mr. Ralph has for years been one of the strongest advocates of drainage, and has probably done more than any one man along that line. There is no other man in the state who is as well posted regarding the needs of the state in that line as Mr. Ralph, and his idea regarding systematic drainage if followed out, will certainly pay the state a thousand times over.

"The world is alway out of joint; all of us are born to set it right," the Duluth Herald says.

The business of reforming the world will never be done this side of the millenium. No sooner have the reformers gained their point than there is something else that needs reforming. There is always a man's work for every man to do. It is very fascinating business this business of reforming the world, and the best men of all time have been busy at it. But of them all, which were the real reformers? Who were the most effective?

An interesting side light upon present day reformations, and one that may be helpful in answering this question, is found in President Taft's narration of how he first met his predecessor. "We found after discussion," says Mr. Taft concerning the early days of his acquaintance with Roosevelt, "that we agreed in quite a marked way in our views of proper political ideals and proper political methods. We were as emphatic in the judgment that the political reformer who was not willing to accept conditions as they were as the basis for his action, and to work for the better things that were practical, without achieving all that he would like to achieve, was rather a hindrance than a help to progress, and merely assisted the permanent control of the boss and the machine. This, I think has been the moving principle of Mr. Roosevelt's career. He has believed in practical progress and not in ideals which make for no real advancement." It is quite evident, from this statement, that "the moving principle" of Mr. Taft's administration will be this same working from things as they are to the next best thing which it is possible to secure.

Men who are animated by such ideas are the real reformers. Thru them we get evolution. If it were not for such men, evils and abuses must pile up until there is no alternative but revolution. Certain it is that the world will go on reforming and reforming until the end of time. Better the reform that comes by evolution than that which comes by revolution.

Reformers who demand that the world mend its ways simply because its ways are wrong, without reference to the limitations of existing conditions, do not help very much in the reformation of the world—except in times of revolution. In the ordinary every day progress of this world of good and evil mixed, the man who is willing to take things as they are and to acept such reforms as he is able to bring about is the real, useful reformer. The man who refuses to accept the bettering of a condition because that bettering is only a partial righting of wrong conditions is, as Mr. Taft says, "merely assisting the permanent control of the boss" and fixing error more firmly in the saddle.

The man who refuses to accept the good that he can get and use it as a stepping stone to get something better justifies himself on the ground that his conscience will not allow him to compromise with wrong. Such a man is sadly out of sympathy with his human fellow creatures who can never be wholly right. Moreover where would a consistent application of his theory bring the world to? Growth would end, evolution cease and revolution universally prevail.

The world is very practical, everyday sort of place and the real reformers in it are those who just do the best they can every day. If that is the kind of a reformer Mr. Taft is, more power to him!

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Does Your Heart Beat

Yes. 100,000 times each day. Does it send out good blood or bad blood? You know, for good blood is good health; bad blood, bad health. And you know precisely what to take for bad blood—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Doctors have endorsed it for 60 years.

One frequent cause of bad blood is a sluggish liver. This produces constipation. Poisonous substances are then absorbed into the blood, instead of being removed from the body daily as nature intended. Keep the bowels open with Ayer's Pills, liver pills. All vegetable.

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ORGANIZED BROTHERHOOD

MEMBERS OF M. E. CHURCH FORM AN ASSOCIATION FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT

OBJECT IS TO ELEVATE MORALS OF MEMBERS AND CITY IN GENERAL

Last evening at the M. E. church a Brotherhood Club was organized which will have for its object the betterment of the morals of the city in general, the members of the club working in every way possible for the benefit of not only the members but for all with whom they associate. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Prof. Wm. Robertson.

1st V. Pres.—W. T. Nicholson.

2nd V. Pres.—H. R. Jones.

3rd V. Pres.—Dr. H. H. Hodgson.

Secy.—J. S. Newbery.

Treas.—B. D. Keck.

Chaplain—A. M. Childs.

Fish

Sec. 40. Fish May Be Taken, When—No person shall catch, take, kill or have in possession or under control, for any purpose whatever, any of the fish hereinafter mentioned within the periods herein limited, to-wit: Any variety of trout, except lake trout, between the first day of September and the fifteenth day of April following; any black, grey or Oswego bass between the first day of March, and the twenty-ninth day of May following; any variety of pike, muskallonge, croppie, perch, sunfish, sturgeon, catfish or any other variety of fish between the first day of March and the first day of May following.

A Religious Author's Statement

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy."

Sold by all druggists.

And you can't always tell by a girl's looks whether she has a cold in her head or is in love.

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WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
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CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

From Thursday's Daily

FINE SON ARRIVED—Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Chapin are the parents of a fine 9-pound son which arrived this morning via the G. N. stork special attached to the Winnipeg Flyer.

GRADUATED WITH HONORS — Miss M. Etta Coulter who taught in the East Grand Forks schools for several years, graduated last week from the Winona nomral school. Miss Coulter will go to East Grand Forks for an extended visit with her brother, J. Coulter.

WILL BE BURIED SATURDAY— The funeral services over the remains of John Bergum will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Deceased was 50 years of age and had been a resident of Crookston for many years. The widow and children of the deceased have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

MEETINGS SUCCESSFUL — Rev. Samuel Hedegaard returned this morning from Burwell where he has been holding special meetings for the past few days. The attendance was very satisfactory, the crowd last evening being very large and all present were deeply interested. He has done very good work there, having been well acquainted with so many of the people in that district. Mr. Hedegaard thoroly appreciates the kindness that has been shown him during his work in and about Burwell.

The Sheriff of Red Lake Co., was on hand today and promptly arrested Otto Morrison as he was leaving the county jail after completing a term of three months for forgery. Forgery in Red Lake county was charged and he will be taken there tomorrow morning.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

FARMERS INTERESTED — The farmers will be interested in the advertisement that John Warfel is running in this issue of the Journal. A careful perusal will save them money.

FALSE WORK ERECTED — The Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co., crew is now at work constructing the false work under the old bride to Sampsons addition which will be taken down in the very near future.

HAD FINGER BRUISED—Carl Aker, son of Knute Aker of Climax, had his finger badly bruised a few days ago while hauling wood. The wound was dressed by a physician and the young man will soon be able to attend to his work as usual.

PUSHING THE "LEADERS"—Otto Koeppe left this morning for a trip over the Fosston line where he will dispose of a few thousand "Leaders" which are popular on both the east line and every other line running out of Crookston.

HERE FROM ULEN—Capt. G. Herbert Melbye of Ulen is spending a couple of days in the city attending to some business matters and visiting with friends. He is well known here and his friends are only limited to the number who know him.

EUCLIDITES HERE— Bert Teal and Gus Engel, two of the well known residents of Euclid spent yesterday in the city. They state that the farmers up north are all preparing for spring's work and are looking forward to a most prosperous season.

WILL DONATE BOOKS — Lilio Lodge, Independent Scandinavian Workingmen's Association at their last meeting decided to donate $15.00 worth of books to the Carnegie Library and a set of Bjornson's works will probably be decided upon. This is a good example for other societies to follow.

DR. HENAULT HERE—Dr. Henault one of the pioneer dentists of Crookston but who has been located at Fosston for several years past was an arrival in this city yesterday and called on his many friends. It is possible that he may decide to make his permanent residence here.

ON DITCH WORK—O. L. Hamery left this morning for Warren where he was called on some ditch work in conection with Judicial Ditch No. 8 which was recently established by Judge Grindeland. Mr. Hamery has a large amount of work in Marshall and Kittson counties for the coming summer, where he has been awarded the most of the ditch work for the past several years.

TO VISIT OLD COUNTRY—Rev. Samuel Hedegaard, will leave tomorrow on the Greenbush train for St. Hilaire where he will hold Revival services. He is also going to Thief River Falls, Germantown, and New Folden where he is engaged for a week or two at each place holding revival meetings. He is also taking a trip which may be for the last time in this section as he is planing to take a trip across the ocean to se his old home.

HOME FROM CONFERENCE—Rev Palm of St. Hilaire and Rev. Aastad of Thief River Falls passed thru the city this morning enroute to their home after attending a special conference of the United Lutheran church for the Wild Rive district which was held yesterday at Ulen.. Some special matters of business were attended to at the gathering and there was some very interesting subjects discussed. The atendance was large from all parts of the district.

A recent order issued by the Great Northern will bring several more engine crews to Crookston. It has been decided that the engine crews on Nos. 5 and 6 shall change here, one crew running from here to Minot and the other from Crookston to Melrose. The engine crews on these two crews have in the past resided in Minot and Melrose but under the new order of things they will reside in Crookston, and this means that several families will locate here.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

VISITING ANGUS—Messrs. Walter and Will Stone are spending the day at Angus where they were called on some business matterse for N. P. Stone& Co., They will return this evening.

UP WARROAD LINE—I. W. Kinder known as the "Jumbo" among the knights of the grip, is making a trip up the Warroad line today and expects to return this evening. While not the biggest man on the road "Irve" is there when it comes to selling the goods, and he has them to sell all the time.

SELLING HARDWARE—E. J. Hensel, the well known hardwareman left this morning for Argyle and doubled back on the freight to Warren where he will do a stroke of business. Mr. Hensel took along a few lines this morning which are sure sellers, includ ing a flat iron which will make a weapon of defense for any woman in addition to being about the smoothest thing in the flat iron line ever seen.

JOHN KIRSCH RETURNS— John N. Kirsch returned last evening from a several weeks' trip to St. Paul, Duluth and the Iron Range country. He has received several flatternig offers but has not yet decided as to where he will locate. Mr. Kirsch is one of the best known newspaper men in Northern Minnesota and wherever he locates he will have the best wishes of a host of friends. Where he should remain is right in Crookston.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY—The funeral of John Bergum was held today from the United Lutheran church, Rev. O. F. Johnson officiating. There was a large gathering of friends who were present to pay a last tribute of respect to a pioneer of Crookston whose unfortunate death caused general sorrow. The widow and eight children have the deepest sympathy of the entire community in their hour of trouble.

SPECIAL SERMONS —Beginning next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock Rev. Willard S. Ward, of the local Presbyterian church will deliver a ser ies of three practical addresses to wage earners and their friends on "The Present Social Problem and Its Soluton." Mr. Ward was for 12 years a member of a trades union and is giving these matters most serious and careful study. There will be special music at each service. Prof. N. A. Thorson will sing next Sunday evening. Prof. Powers on the 21st and the Viking Chorus on the 28th. All interested in the wage earners' problems are cordially invited to attend.

REMAINS LAID TO REST— The remains of Miss Annie Hanson were laid to rest yesterday, services having been held at the home of her brother Louis Hanson. Many friends were present and the remains were followed to their final resting place by a large cortege. The bereaved mother and brother have the sincere sympathy of all in their trouble. Miss Hanson who was the victim of lung trouble was held in the highest esteem by a large circle of friends and will be sadly missed by those with whom she associated.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.
Sold by all druggists.

NEW TIME CARD ON G.N.

CREW ON THE WARROAD LINE WILL GO THRU TO FARGO

ST. VINCENT CREW WILL MAKE THE RETURN TRIP EVERY DAY

From Friday's Daily—

A new time card will go into effect on the Great Northern, probably Sunday at midnight. As a result there will be two crews on the Warroad line Instead of the train crews running thru from Moorhead to St. Vincent, the same crew will run to St. Vincent and back every day from here.

The Warroad train however will be changed as regards the running time. The train to Warroad will leave here at the same time as at present but with the two trains and new train crew it will be possible to get here early in the evening from Warroad. The present schedule gets the train to Warroad about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, while the new schedule will provide starting the train out of Warroad about noon. While the time schedule has not been definitely fixed the train will get here in time to make connections south, west and on to Fargo.

The crew arriving here from Warroad will transfer here to the St. Vincent train and take it on thru to Fargo and Moorhead, and returning from there in the morning will transfer to the Warroad train again.

This transfer is made because the Warroad train could not go thru to Moorhead without being turned around in the South Crookston yards which would take considerable time and it was desired to avoid this feature of delay, being easier to have the train crew change trains.

TORCH APPLIED MOORHEAD CHURCH

PRESBYTERIAN EDIFICE IS BURNED TO THE GROUND EARLY THIS MORNING

At 12:30 this morning fire was discovered in the basement of the Presbyterian church 503 Second avenue south, Moorhead and before the department could reach the scene the flames had gained such headway that they were entirely beyond control and in a comparatively short time the frame building had been reduced to ashes.

There had been no one in the building during the day and no fire built since Sunday from which the conflagration could have originated.

The ugliest kind of rumors were current in Moorhead this morning. The conclusion has been reached that the fire was of an incendiary origin, started by some wretch who wished to satisfy his spirit of revenge.

Rev. D. McIntyre pastor is not in the city, having left yesterday morning for Winnipeg. It is feared when he returns the shock will be more than he can stand, being in a wrecked nervous condition at the present time.

The Presbyterian church was the oldest edifice in Moorhead.

The building which was used before this burned down. This building new cost about $4,000. With the furnishings the loss will be about $5,000. with only $2,500 insurance.

FARGO WANTS BETTER SERVICE ON GT. NOR.

The Fargo Commercial club has sent a delegation of prominent business men to consult with the Great Northern in regard to a rearrangement of the schedule of passenger trains out of that city on the Great Northern branches. The plans of the Fargo club, if followed, will result in a day train to Crookston and Winnipeg, giving both day and night service to those points.

The Great Northern branches now running out of Fargo bring in trains in the evening and leave the next morning. The Fargo club desires to reverse this schedule in order that neighboring towns will be given the advantage of a day in Fargo for trade In case the Winnipeg service is installed the Great Northern will make conections at Fargo with the Fargo-Crookston branch, at Crookston coming back on the main Winnipeg line and continuing north. The road has two night service trains to Winnipeg at present.

After a girl is engaged her mother ceases to revise her letters.

QUARTER MILE GOES TO WOOD

NORVAL BAPTIE HOWEVER, RETAINS HIS HONORS IN MILE EVENT IN CLEVELAND

NORTH DAKOTA WORLD'S CHAMPION LOSES QUARTER MILE IN BIG RACES

From Friday's Daily—

Norval Baptie of North Dakota world's ice skating champion last night at Cleveland surrendered the quarter mile honors to Morris Wood, of New York in the opening series of professional skating races here tonight. He retains however, the one-mile mark, defeating Wood and Nilson. Charles Rankin retained his honors in the fifty yards dash. No records were broken. The five professional skaters with world's records that will take part in the three nights' events scheduled include Baptie, Wood, Nilson, Sinnerud and Rankin. The summaries:

Quarter mile—Wood won; Baptie second; Nilson third, Time 40 1-4.

Mile—Baptie won; Wood second; Nilson third. Time, 2:54 4-5.

Fifty Yard Dash — Rankin won; Wood second; Nilson third. Time, :05 2-5.

DAIRY NOTES
From Northwestern Agriculturist

In 1906 Great Britain imported from America 7,866 tons of butter.

The churn is the only wooden utensil that has a place in the dairy.

Don't expect the boys to be kind to the cows unless you set the example.

No matter how hard it rains, there are always a few dry spots around the barn.

Take care of the babies. They are the future members of the herd.

Attend the dairy meeting or the dairy convention in your neighborhood.

One secret of success in the dairy is in always keeping the cows in good physical conditions.

The manure spreader is no longer looked upon as a luxury by the farmer who feeds stock.

Are you trying to hunt prairie chickens with a bulldog, or to make money milking a beef cow?

Don't let the dairy cow out in the yard unless you can work outdoors with bare hands in comfort.

The average man's idea of cleanliness corresponds with his everyday conditions and conveniences.

A co-operative creamery requires just as good management in order to succeed as any other business.

If a dairyman raises his own cows he ought to be sure that they come from the right kind of stock.

Instead of buying more cows our farmers should spend more money on the best ones they now have.

Don't use musty or dirty litter. The air in the barn is filled with the dust whenever the litter is moved.

It pays to produce good dairy products because there are people willing to pay a fancy price for them.

The dairyman who produces clean milks is never worried about keeping it sweet for a reasonable length of time.

Let us emphasize again that a cow can't be an economical milk producer and an economical beef producer.

A good creamery in your neighborhood makes your land more valuable than one located in a city two or three hundred miles away.

When a fellow gets so busy milking scrub cows that he can't find time to learn any better, he certainly is deserving of pity.

It requires protein to make milk and this ingredient is found in comparatively high percentages in oil meal bran, oats, clover hay and alfalfa.

Learn to make good use of the skim milk and then you will better appreciate the good cow. A warm milk mash for the hens helps increase the profits from the dairy.

Alfalfa hay contains 11 per cent protein, clover 7 per cent and timothy and prairie hay each about 3 per cent hence the difference in feeding value for milk production.

Little Falls Herald: George Washington would have enjoyed the athletic sports of today. Marrathons and all. He had a great deal of activity and once made a standing jump of twenty-two feet, besides throwing a dollar over the Rappahannock river. His fame as a wood chopper is also quite general, even if legendary.

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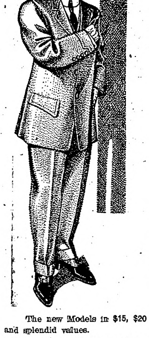

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To Wear

The new Models in $15, $20 and $25 Suits are exceptional and splendid values.

These prices never before bought such excellent tailoring, such choice fabrics—so much style and general, all round Suit goodness.

New ideas are never absent from this store and the "Suit you Ought to Wear," is here!

SPOKELY, THE OUTFITTER.

MILLIONS TO GO IN TRADE SCHOOL

GREAT MECHANICS' INSTITUTION IS PLANNED FOR THE TWIN CITIES—PART OF MONEY SAID TO HAVE BEEN PLEDGED—DEXTER D. MAYNE OF AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL CREDITED WITH ORIGIN

Plans for a great trade school of national scope to cost several million dollars and to accommodate more than 5,000 students are understood to have reached a point where the institution is practically assured for the Twin Cities. Dexter D. Mayne, principal of the state farm school at St. Anthony park, is the man named as the originator and promoter of the scheme. Professor Mayne declined to discuss the matter when questioned concerning it.

A large proportion of the money required is said to have been promised for the establishment of the school and plans for the buildings have been prepared. The proposition has received enthusiastic support from many sources in which it has been outlined.

While those who have interested themselves in the proposition have made every effort to avoid publicity until the success of the scheme has been assured the immensity of the undertaking has been such as to cause talk wherever it has become known.

Leader in Trade Schools

With the establishment of the institution, the Twin Cities would have a school without a counterpart in the United States and one which would be a leader in the trade school movement of the country.

While many of the details of the plan have been taken from other educational institutions the scheme as a whole is remarkable thru its novelty and originality as well as its immensity. The scheme is to teach every trade known to the commercial world and to so train the students as to fit the graduates of the school to take up the work of skilled tradesmen. There will be no entrance requirements except the earnest desire to learn a trade.

In the administration of the institution the methods of Valparaiso college of Valparaiso, Ind., will be followed to a great extent. The cost of the course and the expenses of the students will be held at the lowest possible figure. Dormitories will be provided for the students and meals will be supplied at extremely low rates. Studies will go on all year around, established college customs being disregarded in the effort to give the students the best possible trade education at the lowest possible cost of time and money.

Along Scientific Lines

While keeping the practical side of the subjects to the front, the school is designed to teach as well not a little of the scientific and theoretical so that its graduates will be as well posted in many lines as are those of many techinical schools.

The importance of the plan to the twin cities is believed by its promoters to be immense. They believe it will make the twin cities the center for trade schools of the United States and will establish in them the greatest institution of the kind in the country, turning out thousands of expert trades men each year.

Capital is understood to have been interested in the plan to such an extent that success is practically assured altho much more money must be raised before it can be made a certainty. A site midway between Minneapolis and St. Paul southwest of the state fair grounds, is said to have been decided upon, and several thousand dollars has been expended in plans for the buildings and grounds.

Cambridge Independent Press: There seems to be a few politicians attempting to make political capital out of the fight for a tonnage tax. Here in Isanti county the farmers and others are interested in the growth of Duluth and St. Louis county. The prosperity of the people at the Head of the Lakes means much to us. Every quarter of the state should receive fair treatment and no heed should be given to a handful of would-be political bosses.

Stillwater Gazette: Increase the bounty on the fox and the wolf. These untamed animals of the forest have once more invaded Duluth and there is quite a revival of business at the hardware stores.

Our idea of a true philosopher is a man who is able to explain away his faults to the satisfaction of himself.

Brainerd Tribune: Good sensible talk by The Duluth Evening Herald "Supporting the home institutions, doing business with your neighbors, buying at home, is not merely a sentimental concern for those who know the best, but a hard-headed business policy that means dollars to your own pockets.

Eveleth Star: The extinguishing of the red light district in Duluth has proved a failure. The better citizen the Christian citizen is willing to confess that the civic league blundered when they insisted upon the mayor driving them out all over the city.
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Lake Crystal Union: And if he (Roosevelt) gets away with Zenith City bears, the friends of the ex-president will have no fears of the result of his African hunting trip.

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Weather Forecasts

The fact that Prof. Moore the head of the federal weather bureau found it necessary to issue a circular to explain the meteorological surprise of inauguration day, is evidence, remarks the St. Paul Dispatch of the unvarying interest the people take in the weather. This is especially true of the beginnings of seasons and emphatically true of the beginning of spring. Wearying of winter, longing for spring, everybody is concerned in whatever may bear upon the weather possibilities — the merchant for his trade prospects, the householder for his coal supply, the sportsman for his outdoor amusements and not less the urchin whose playground still carries its winter banket of snow. The weather is the first and last topic of the day.

We have all learned to place a modified dependence upon the official forecasts, the percentage of verifications having justified the faith. It was a shock when the prediction for fair weather for the inauguration was so rude reversed, but Prof. Moore explains it satisfactorily and promises to do better when meteorology becomes an exact science. He vindicates his bureau and expresses no more than the truth in his conclusion:

The forecasters of the United States weather bureau are the equals if not the superiors of any others in the world, and their predictions of frosts cold waves, floods and marine storms although subject to error in the proportion of about one to ten are of such value to the industries of the nation that if one of the newspapers that now so freely criticise because two unverified forecasts for the District of Columbia have fallen on inauguration day, were to omit from its pages the daily predictions of the weather its readers would compel it to restore them, and if the department or congress were to close a station of the bureau in any part of the United States the property interests would demand its restoration. This would not be the case if the hysterical abuse that is now being indulged in was justified.

Another Blow To Romance

Hiram Percy Maxim's successful application of the muffler idea to firearms, and the consequent production of the noiseless gun, is believed by military experts to presage revolutionary changes in warfare. The art of military strategy, reduced to its simplest terms, is the art of sneaking up on the enemy and popping away at him before he is ready for you. But young Maxim has made it possible not only to sneak up on the enemy, but to pop away at him with noiseless, smokeless guns that do not betray the whereabouts of the attackers. The beauty of the invention is that it is applicable to the present firearms, and that new types and patterns are not necessary. Most revolutionary inventions involve the scrapping of much costly apparatus, and the construction of entirely new machines. If introducing noiseless guns involved the making of new guns, the cost of rearming for the armies of the world would run into billions of dollars. But the Maxim device weighing but a few ounces can be attached to the muzle of any gun, says the Minneapolis Journal.

It is evident however, that the noiseless gun means a revolution in literature as well as in strategy. Writers must devise a new vocabulary to describe the battles of the future. The roar of cannon, the rattle of muskettry the sinister purring of the machine gun, and all the variant synonyms by which the noise of the batle is analyzed and made vivid to the reader, are now to become obselete. Thus the traditions of a thousand years are suddenly to be overthrown. Not only that, but melodrama that is up-to-date must give up the reverberatory delights of such fusillades as that shown in "The Round-Up," wherein delightsome and expensive detonations are lavished at every performance.

The fact is that the romance has all but been squeezed out of war. The good, old swashbuckling days must now recede still farther into the past. High-powered guns struck a body blow at romance, and the job is now to be finished by noiseless guns. Napoleon played war as Lasker plays chess. He moved his armies hither and thither, checking and threatening advancing and retreating and finally delivering checkmate that ended the game. But in that day as in all previous history, personal bravery counted for much. The soldier could see and shoot at his enemy, and if need be come to close grips with him. The Old Guard could dash into action and by the perfection of its discipline and the dauntless energy of its courage, pluck victory from defeat. Nowadays, as at Liao-yang and at Mukden, soldiers fight for days without once seeing the enemy. Now is the case for romance any better at sea. What would such a sea-fighter as Paul Jones, accustomed to grapple his ship to the enemy's and fight it out on the decks slippery with blood, think of firing away at a mere speck on the horizon.

Hereafter the soldier must fight, not only without seeing the enemy but also without hearing him. Unless, perchance, the enemy swoos over him in an aeroplane and drops a neat little papckage of dynamite on his head. In fact, science seems in a fair way to make war utterly unattractive. It has long been unprofitable.

Public Effect Of Miscarriage Of Standard Oil Case

The general public will regard as a miscarriage of justice the decision of Judge Anderson by which the Standard Oil Company goes scot free. It will be unable to follow the case thru its legal labyrinth, but, looking at results only will despair of the justice of the courts. Under a certain state of facts a concededly learned judge imposed a fine of many million dollars under the same state of facts, viewed in the light of instruction from a higher court—instruction as obscure as Greek to the lay public — an equally learned judge directs a verdict of acquittal. How may the average citizen reconcile such a proceeding with his conception of the wisdom of the courts and the justice of the law?

That the wealth of the defendant company in some way influenced the result may be the conclusion of the hasty and unthoughtful, but of them only. The view which will generally obtain, unclarified by the slightest knowledge of law, is that the intricacies of the law tend more to supply loopholes for the escape of criminals than its plain and simple construction furnishes means for their successful prosecution.

The feeling that there is no criminal law so simple and drastic, but a shrewd lawyer may find means to circumvent it, is sowing a lamentable distrust of both law and court. Disrespect of courts and lack of faith in the administration of justice deplorable as they are, are encouraged in the masses of the people by decisions such is that of Judge Anderson strictly within the law as is may be.

The main point is that the Standard Oil company has escaped punishment It has found a way as such powerful corporations always find a way, to escape the criminal courts. Even if the fine stood it would not have punished the Standard Oil company. Rather it would have punished the patrons who paid the fine in increased prices. While monopolies control the prices of their products fines anywhere within reason can hardly prove serious to such monopolies. The burden can be shifted too easily. Imprisonment of corporation officers is hardly more effective. Other men are ready to take their places and carry out th eoriginal policies. In fact our criminal laws were made to deal with flesh and blood individuals, and with them only. They were not intended to control the elusive and intangible corporation. If the government prosecutions which have been pushed so vigorously demonstrate their futility as a means of corporation control they will have fully justified themselves. That point established our statesmen can seek a real solution of the perplexing problem.—St. Paul Dispatch.

PROGRAM FOR STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

The completed program for the state Sunday school convention which will be held in Crookston May 4, 5, and 6, of the present year, has been announced by the secretary of the association and there is no question but that it will be one of the most complete programs that has ever been arranged for a like convention.

State wide publicity is being given to the convention by the officers of the association and the recent number of the Sunday School Herald, the official organ of the association, is almost entirely devoted to the coming meeting. It contains a bird's eye view and a two-page write-up of the city, and upon every page there is an exhortation to attend the convention. The Herald has a circulation in excess of 15,000 in the state and there is no question but that it will arouse great interest in the big event.

The convention will continue thru three days and it is estimated that it will attract about five hundred visitors to the city from all sections of the state. Besides the publicity given to the meeting through the Herald envelope stickers, speakers and letters will be set to every Sunday school in the state and the most persuasive arguments will be made to have them represented at the big meeting. Secretary A. M. Locker is anticipating one of the most enthusiastic and largest conventions that the association has ever held.

The program in full is as follows:

PROGRAM.

Theme: **"World Conquest for Christ."**

Golden Text: **"Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every Creature."**

Motto: **"The Whole Business of the Church and the Business of the Whole Church to Give the Whole Gospel to the Whole World, as Speedily as Possible."**

Tuesday Morning, May 4th.

President W. H. Gold, Redwood Falls, Presiding.

9:30 Song and Praise Service led by Prof. J. H. Powers, Crookston.
The Holy Scripture, Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz, Jr., Red Lake Falls.
Prayer, Rev. Geo. Moorhouse, Hallock.
Personal Testimony by many workers.
10:00 A Forward Movement in World Conquest, W. C. Pearce, Chicago, Ill.
10:30 Bible Study, Rev. Geo. R. Merrill, D. D., Minneapolis.
11:00 A practical demonstration of the Visitation Campaign. At this point of the program an actual House Visitation Canvass of Crookston will be made. The local committee has planned to accomplish this task between the hours of 11:00 A. M. and 1:00 P. M. Crookston will be districted and visited in pairs, one a resident of Crookston and the other a delegate at the convention will go out and call upon every home in the city. The result of the canvass will be made known at the following morning session.

Tuesday Afternoon, May 4th.

H. Bendixen, Springfield, Presiding.

1:30 Devotional Services led by E. H. Nicholson, District Superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Litchfield District.
1:40 The Sunday School as an Evangelistic Agency, Rev. E. M. Hullett, Detroit.
2:00 The Pastor and the Sunday School, Rev. Chas. Flesher, Fergus Falls.
2:15 Round Table. Twenty-five Practical Questions on the Pastor and the Sunday School, led by W. C. Pearce.
2:45 Adjourn to Denominational Rallies, held in each of the Churches indicated.

DENOMINATIONAL SESSIONS.

Same Topics Used in Each Church.

3:00 First Topic: The Co-operative Denominational Agencies and the Minnesota Sunday School Association.
4:00 Second Topic: County and District Sunday School Conventions and Institutes as Schools of Instruction and Inspiration.

The first two speakers on each topic will be allowed 10 minutes each. All others three minutes each.

Methodist Episcopal Church—Rev. F. M. McCoy, presiding; Rev. G. E. Tindall, secretary. Speakers to be announced later.

Baptist and Disciples in Baptist Church—Rev. C. T. Hallowell, presiding; Rev. E. M. Hullett, secretary. Speakers to be announced later.

Presbyterian Church—Rev. W. S. Ward, presiding; Rev. Grant Stroh, secretary. Speakers to be announced later.

Congregationalists and United Brethren in the Congregational Church—Rev. C. C. Warner, presiding; Rev. G. A. Traut, Moorhead, secretary. Speakers to be announced later.

Episcopal Church—Rev. Cox, presiding; Mrs. R. H. Passmore, secretary. Speakers to be announced later.

All Lutheran Denominations in the Lutheran Church—Rev. T. T. Ove, presiding; P. O. Onstad, secretary. Speakers to be announced later.

4:45 Adjournment.

Tuesday Evening, May 4th.

Mr. Geo. H. Wright, Crookston, Presiding.

7:30 Service of Song, led by Prof. J. H. Powers and a Chorus of 150 Voices.
The Holy Scripture, Rev. S. E. P. White, Bemidji.
Prayer, Rev. T. W. Barbour, Cass Lake.
8:15 Greetings from Crookston:
For the City, Mayor J. D. McPhee, Crookston.
For the Churches, Rev. T. T. Ove, Crookston.
8:30 A Message from our President, W. H. Gold, Redwood Falls.
Thank Offering.
Appointment of Committees.
8:45 Address: "World Conquest through Men," W. C. Pearce, Chicago, Ill.
Benediction, by Rev. J. M. Stewart, Moorhead.

Wednesday Morning, May 5th.

J. H. Martin, Minneapolis, Presiding.

9:00 Devotional Period, led by John Ferris, State Superintendent American Sunday School Union, Minneapolis.
9:15 Roll Call of Counties. The Chairman of each County Delegation will respond by stating whether the county is Blue Ribbon, Banner, Star or only organized.
10:15 Preliminary Report of the Treasurer, A. C. Hermann, St. Paul.
10:30 From St. Paul to Crookston: A year of Progress, A. M. Locker, General Secretary, St. Paul. The new year—1909-1910, what shall it be? J. H. Martin, Minneapolis, Chairman of Executive Committee, and W. C. Pearce, Chicago, Ill.
Report of Nominating Committee and Election of Officers.
11:15 Lecture, Rev. Kirtley, D. D., Duluth.
11:45 Bible Study: Rev. Geo. R. Merrill, D. D., Minneapolis.
12:15 Adjournment.

Wednesday Afternoon, May 5th.

Julias Boraas, Red Wing, Presiding.

1:30 Devotional Period. Rev. A. H. McKee, District Superintendent of Methodist Episcopal Church, Crookston District.
1:45 A Campaign to Increase the Attendance at the Sunday School. W. C. Pearce.
General Discussion.
2:40 All the Church in the Sunday School. Rev. Frank F. Fitch, Des Moines, Iowa.
General Discussion.
2:40 House to House Visitation. What? How? Rev. John Orchard, Fargo, N. D.
3:00 How we did it in Duluth. Results? Rev. J. A. McGaughey, Duluth.
3:15 How we did it in Crookston. Rev. W. S. Ward, Crookston.
3:30 Shall it be a State Wide Campaign? Dr. R. W. Bowden, Duluth.
3:45 General Discussion. Rev. Arthur H. Wurtelle, Duluth.
4:00 Adjournment to Elementary Grades and Officers Conferences.

OFFICERS CONFERENCE.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

4:00 The County President and his Work. Rev. John Orchard, Fargo, N. D.
The County Secretary and his Work. Rev. F. F. Fitch, Des Moines, Iowa.
The County Treasurer and his Work. A. C. Hermann, St. Paul.
General Discussion, led by S. T. Johnson, Minneapolis.
4:30 Value of the District Association. Mrs. John Stafford, Bruno.
Value of the District Convention. Mr. W. L. Smithies, Duluth.
Duties of District Officers. R. W. McLeod, St. Peter.
General Discussion, led by W. C. Pearce, Chicago.
5:00 STANDARDS OF ORGANIZATION.
(a) Points for a Star County.
(b) Points for a Banner County.
(c) Points for a Blue Ribbon County.
General Discussion, led by Rev. H. H. Parish, North Branch.
6:00 Luncheon.

CONFERENCE OF ELEMENTARY WORKERS.

Wednesday, May 5th.

Miss Grace M. Longfellow, Presiding.

4:00 Devotions.
4:05 "Practical Plans for the Cradle Roll." Mrs. Frank Cadwell, Minneapolis.
Questions.
4:20 Meeting the needs of the Beginners. Mrs. S. B. Johnson, Rugby, N. D.
Questions.
4:40 "What is worth while in the Primary Hour." Mrs. M. P. Fletcher, Minneapolis.
Questions.
5:05 "What is Worth While in the Junior Hour."
5:30 Adjournment.

Thursday, May 6th.

Mrs. Geo. H. Wright, Crookston, Presiding.

3:15 Devotions.
3:20 Round-table, "Elementary Grades." Mrs. J. C. Larkin, St. Paul.
3:50 "Music for the Elementary Grades." Miss Beatrice M. Longfellow, Minneapolis.
4:05 Adjourn to Sections for teaching of the Sunday School Lessons.

BEGINNERS:
4:10 Beginners' Session with lesson taught.
4:45 Adjournment.

PRIMARY:
4:10 "Primary Supplemental Lesson Taught."
4:20 Lesson for May 9th, "Paul's First Missionary Journey." Mrs. A. A. Miller, Crookston.
4:45 Adjournment.

JUNIOR:
4:10 "Hand Work in the Junior Department."
4:20 Lesson for May 9th, "Paul's First Missionary Journey."
4:45 Adjournment.

Wednesday Evening, May 5th.

Rev. Stanley B. Roberts, Minneapolis, Presiding.

7:30 Service of Song, led by Prof. J. H. Powers and the Convention Chorus.
The Holy Scripture, Rev. H. H. Farrell, Wadena.
Prayer, Rev. Henry Symons, Ada.
Thank Offering.
8:15 The Adult Bible Class, Social and Moral Reform, W. C. Pearce, Chicago.
8:45 Address, Mr. T. J. Youngdahl, Assistant Superintendent, Minnesota Anti-Saloon League, Minneapolis.

Thursday Morning, May 6th.

E. J. Krafft, Minneapolis, Presiding.

9:00 Devotional Period, led by Mr. Sulzer, Albert Lea.
Prayer and Testimonies by Many Workers.
9:15 The Sunday School Graded. A. M. Locker.
Round Table. Twenty Questions Answered.
9:50 Child Nurture, Mrs. S. P. Johnson, Rugby, N. D.
10:15 Practical Missionary Study in the Sunday School. Mrs. H. G. Harrison, Minneapolis.
10:45 Address: Adolescent Period, Rev. N. F. Douglas, Sunday School Field Secretary, Episcopal Church, Minneapolis.
11:10 The Superintendent with his School. Twenty-five Practical. Questions Answered, by Dr. H. C. Beise, Windom, and Twenty Other Successful Superintendents Seated on the Platform.
11:45 Bible Study: Rev. Geo. R. Merrill, D. D., Minneapolis.
12:15 Adjournment.

Thursday Afternoon, May 6th.

Jeff. H. Irish, Detroit, Presiding.

1:30 Devotional Period, led by Rev. John Davies, Grand Rapids.
1:40 Adult Bible Class Organization, Advantages, and Essentials, W. C. Pearce, Chicago.
Round Table, Twenty Questions Answered.
2:20 Recognition of Teacher Training Graduates, Louise A. Emery.
2:45 How can our Counties Reach Point 10 A general discussion, led by Rev. J. F. Sauders, Preston.
Awarding of state Teacher Training Banner, E. J. Krafft, Minneapolis.
3:15 Adjourn to Teacher Training and Elementary Grades Conferences.

TEACHER TRAINING CONFERENCE.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

E. W. Young, St. Paul, Presiding.

3:15 How to Handle a Text-book, Louise A. Emery.
3:55 Discussion, led by Rev. S. A. Cook, D. D., Marshall.
3:45 How to Teach a Lesson, Mrs. V. D. Turner, St. Paul.
Discussion, led by Mrs. R. H. Passmore, Minneapolis.
4:00 The Bible's Place in the Teacher Training Class, Rev. C. A. Arnold, St. Paul.
4:15 Discussion, led by Mrs. A. F. Miller, Winona.
4:25 Question-box, conducted by Miss Louise A. Emery.
4:45 Adjournment.
5:30 Teacher Training Banquet.

Thursday Evening, May 6th.

The New President, Presiding.

7:30 Service of Song, led by Prof. J. H. Powers and his Convention Chorus.
The Holy Scripture. Rev. Clair B. Latimer, Winnebago.
Prayer, Rev. B. F. Zuehl, Odessa.
Thank Offering.
8:15 The Spirit of Organized Sunday School Work. Rev. S. M. Dick, Minneapolis.
8:45 Address: W. C. Pearce, Chicago.
Benediction.

Always Counting.

"Your husband says that when he is angry he always counts ten before he speaks," said one woman.

"Yes," answered the other, "I wish he'd stop it. Since he got dyspepsia home seems nothing but a class in arithmetic."

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

EUCLID OLD TIMER—Henry Weld eman one of the old timers of Euclid spent Saturday in the city attending to some business matters and calling on his old time friends.

BACK FROM N. D.—Gene Roy returned this morning from a five weeks' trip thru North Dakota points. He says the people there are looking forward to a prosperous year and business in all lines is picking up rapidly.

A NEW DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Fourn— are the parents of a very fine bab; ughter which arrived at their home this morning. Both mother and baby are doing well and Johnathan is selling furniture at 25 per cent discount.

A NEW FIREMAN—John W. Risch the fire marshal is the father of a very fine son which arrived at his home this morning. The young fireman is slightly small to handle a nozzle as yet, but later on can be depended upon to do his full ludty in that line.

MAKES A FINE SHOWING—J. F. Hetler, the proprietor of the Queen City Greenhouse, certainly has a place well worth visiting at the present time. The editor of the Journal spent a few hours there yesterday and also spent all the loose change he had. The flowers and potted plants are certainly very fine—none could be nicer and the young vegetables are all well started.

PLANTING THEIR GARDENS —The Journal is in receipt of a letter from Wm. Creighton written from North Yakima in which he states that the people out there are busy planting their gardens and setting out their fruit trees. The weather is balmy and everything there, including a big delegation from Crookston and vicinity are prospering. The many friends of Mr. Creighton will be very pleased to learn that he is doing well and is much pleased with his new home. His health is greatly improved since he left this city.

DR. KAHALA WILL LECTURE—Being obliged on account of my health and commercial interests to leave Ers kine and seek a location elsewhere, I wish to announce to all my friends and patients that I will give a farewell address, including a talk on the prevention of tuberculosis (consumption) at the Woodmen Hall Wednesday evening, March 17, at 8 o'clock. I am giving you this talk as a token of my appreciation for your liberal patronage during my stay with you. A musical entertainment will be furnished—also candy for the ladies and cigars for the gentlemen. All are cordially invited. Admission free, of course. Yours very truly, Arthur Kahala, M. D.

From Tuesday's Daily

WILL ATTEND FARGO COLLEGE—Rev. C. O. Warner returned from Fargo this morning. He left his son Chester pleasantly located in the Preparatory Department of Fargo College (not the Agricultural College.) The young man is enthusiastic about the prospects and expects to make good.

NEW WAY TO KILL WOLVES—The Minnesota game and fish commission is reported to be considering the advisability of asking for legislation which will permit it to spread a disease among wolves, with a view to causing their death. The plan is to capture puppy wolves infect them with mange from dogs that are dying of this disease and turn them loose to give it their fellows. The plan has been tried in Montana lately, and quite a number of wolves there are found to have died from the effect of the disease. The animals die of slow torture, literally scratching their hides off, and some objection is urged to the plan for the reason that it would render the hides valueless, and thus destroy one incentive to hunting.

SECURES NEW BAND LEADER—Prof. Maxwell of Chicago has been secured as the leader of the local band and is expected to arrive the latter part of the week to enter upon his new duties. Mr. Maxwell does not need an introduction to most of the people of this city having been leader of the Red Lake Falls band for some years when the organization was at its best and it was due largely to his management that that band scored such triumphs at Winnipeg and the state fair. The local band has advanced rapidity since its organization and it is predicted that under his able management it will be but a short time before it will be second to none of the similar organizations in this part of the state.—Thief River Falls News.

GRAND LARCENY THE CHARGE—John Remus who claims to have come from Illinois was arrested yesterday afternoon and arraigned in the municipal court at East Grand Forks on the charge of grand larceny. His examination was set for 10 o'clock this morning. The complaining witness, H. Gothier a resident of Minnesota Point charges that the defendant stole a bridle and other portions of a harness valued at $7.50 Sunday night. An attempt to sell the stolen articles at the Palace Livery on the west side led to his detection, and he readily consented to coming across to this side. It is understood Remus will plead guilty to the charge which is a felony under the laws of Minnesota and subjects him to a term in the penitentiary.

This afternoon at 5 o'clock the old Sampsons Addition Bridge will be closed to traffic, and the newly completed bridge will be formally opened The formal opening of the new bridge is highly gratifying to the residents of Sampsons addition. They have worked hard for the new bridge and are very justly proud of the fine structure which replaces the old one. The dismantling of the old bridge will start at once and the falsework for that purpose has already been erected.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

ABLE TO BE OUT—James E. Morrisey was able today to get down town for a short time. He has been at his office for several days past but his foot does not permit him to do very much travelling.

STOPPED THE MILK WAGONS—Some one got fussy at Grand Forks last Sunday and as a result the milk wagons were stopped it being held that delivery of milk was not necessary labor and was consequently in violation of the Sunday "blue laws". Come on in, the water's fine.

PAWN TICKET FOUND—A pawn ticket was found yesterday which states: "Crookston, Minn., Jan. 16, 1909. To whom it may concern: In consideration of the sum of $4.00 to me in hand paid the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby sell, transfer and deliver to H. Cohen, all my right, title and interest in and to H. Cohen, all my right, title and interest in and to one Elgin movement No. 11672006, in hunting case 8047806 provided however that this bill of sale will be null and void if I pay to said H. Cohen the sum of $5 within 30 days." The owner of the above ticket can have the same by calling at the Journal office and paying for this notice.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS—The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a competitive examination will be held in Crookston, Minn., on May, 10, 1909, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., for the first grade Customs Service.

Candidates for appointment in the Customs Service must not be less than twenty-one nor more than fifty-five years of age, of suitable physical condition, and mentally qualified. If otherwise duly qualified, the limitation as to age will not apply to honorably discharged United States soldiers or sailors. This examination is open to all citizens of the United States who comply with the requirements.

Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which, with the necessary instructions, may be obtained from E. D. Harris at Crookston, Minn., or J. M. Snoemaker, Secy., St. Paul Minn. Applications must be in the Secretary's office in St. Paul by 4:30 o'clock on April 12, '09. All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and fill them out at once in order to allow time for any necessary corrections.

WANT CLERK AND CARRIER—A competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. civil service commission, for the position of clerk (male or female) and carrier in the postoffice, Crookston, Minn., will be held on Saturday, April 3rd, 1909, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m.

Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which, with necessary instructions, may be obtained from the commission's local representative, Elmer D. Harris, at the Crookston, Minn., postoffice, or from J. M. Shoemaker, secretary Civil Service Board, St. Paul, Minn.

Applications will not be accepted unless received before 4:30 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, March 31, 1909. All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and fill them out at once in order to allow time for any necessary corrections.

MADE A GREAT RECORD

HALLOCK HOCKEY TEAM DEFEATED PRACTICALLY EVERYTHING IN SIGHT

BEAT WINNIPEG, EMERSON AND ROSEAU DURING THE WEEK'S TRIP

From Monday's Daily—

The Hallock Hockey team returned home yesterday after a week's trip thru southern Manitoba, returning via Warroad, and Roseau. During the trip they defeated teams at Winnipeg, Emerson and Roseau and Manager J. E. Bouvette, editor and manager of the Hallock Enterprise has good reason to feel proud of the splendid showing made by the team.

The Hallock Hockey team has given the Red River Valley some very valuable advertising during the past winter, and Editor Bouvette is entitled to a great deal of credit for the enterprise he has shown. Following is the list of those who made the trip:

J. E. Bouvette, Mgr.; A. H. Brown, Capt.; George Johnson, H. Banneman, Wm. Kromholz, O. E. Labossiere, G. Anderson, O. Anderson, P. H. Konzen, D. McKenzie, H. J. Nelson.

SHOULD HAVE ARTESIAN WATER

DIRECTOR RUEDIGER SAYS G. FORKS WATER IS NOT SAFE FOR DRINKING

Grand Forks Herald: The water taken from the Grand Forks filtration plant is still unsafe for drinking purposes according to a report made by Director G. F. Ruediger of the state public health laboratory. He sent in the following report yesterday:

"On Thursday, March 11 the sand in the city filter was cleaned and the water which is now passing thru is quite unsatisfactory from a sanitary point of view. The sample which was collected on Friday, March 12, is by no means free from sewage pollution. and should not be used for drinking purposes without being previously boiled.

The result of the examination is as follows:

Number of bacterial colonies per cubic centimeter at 38 C. 18; number of bacterial colonies per cubic centimeter at 26 C., 76.

"Colon bacilli (from bowel discharges) were found in every four cubic centimeters.

"This water is not safe for drinking purposes without being previously boiled."

CLOSING UP THE BRUSH ESTATE

MRS. THEODORE BRUSH OF ANGUS CLOSING UP WELL KNOWN ANGUS ESTATE

Mrs. Theodore Brush of Angus, widow of the son of the late A. E. Brush arrived in the city last evening and today with L. Ellington of the Scandia American Bank is closing up the Brush estate in the probate office before Judge T. T. Morken.

Mrs. Brush is residing in the village of Angus for the balance of the winter, or till the spring term of school at Angus closed. Mrs. Brush's children are doing so well in the Angus school at which Prof. O'Brien is at the head, that she desires that they remain there.

Later she will leave for Lawrence Kansas, her old home, where she will reside in the future and educate her children. Her departure from Angus will be sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends, and more friends in Crookston will also regret her departure.

The Brush farm at Angus was sold to Andrew Stark of Illinois who arrived with his family the first of March.

MRS. STANGLIN PASSED AWAY

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. Stanglin will regret to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. E. Stanglin Monday evening at 5:30 at the farm home 10 miles southeast of the city. She leaves to mourn her death, a husband and four children, a daughter, Mrs. C. Hagely of Harold and Mrs. Bennie Kleven of Harold and Albert of Bemidji and Joe Kleven residing near Park Rapids, Minn. The funeral arrangements have not been arranged as yet.

COMPANY IS IN FINE SHAPE

ANNUAL MEETING OF CROOKSTON BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION LAST NIGHT

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR AND OTHER BUSINESS TRANSACTED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The annual meeting of the Crookston Building and Loan Association was held last evening in the offices of the Merchants National Bank. There was a large attendance of the stockholders and the association was shown to be in a most prosperous condition in every way.

Two directors were elected as follows:

Martin Mossefin, J. S. Newbery.

Officers were elected as follows by the directors who met immediately afterwards:

President—M. E. Kirsch.
Vice President—James E. O'Brien.
Secretary—Virgil McGregor.
Treasurer—H. L. Falk.
Attorney—James H. Maybury.

Auditing Committee—Ed Peterson, Martin Mossefin, J. S. Newberry. The appraisal committee appointed by the president is A. D. Stephens, M. E. Kirsch and J. S. Newberry.

PRISON BINDER TWINE GOING FAST

ORDERS FROM FARMERS OF STATE ALREADY COVER NEARLY YEAR'S OUTPUT

The farmers of Minnesota are sending in orders for binder twine to the state prison with a rush that was never known before. The output this season will be considerably lager than for any year in the history of prison manufacture.

The orders up to today cover 12,500,000 pounds and are still coming in rapidly every day. The indications are that long before the season closes in August the entire output of the factories at the old and new prison will be covered. That will amount to 16,000,000 pounds or 2,000,000 pounds more than ever before.

As the new prison factory did not begin until half the year was over the output this season will fall short of the increased annual capacity. Warden Wolfer is of the opinion that with all the spindles in both factories running to their utmost they will not be able to meet the demands of farmers of the state at the present rate of use, and not allowing for the yearly growth of the demand. Twine is being shipped in carload lots daily, making room in warehouses for arriving fiber and the new twine.

JAMES PRICE'S HOME BURNED AT BEMIDJI

OVERHEATED COOK STOVE CAUSED FIRE ENTAILING $2800 LOSS

Fire at 7:30 this morning almost totally destroyed the home of Jamse Price on the corner of Tenth street and Dewey avenue causing a loss of about $2,800 partially covered by insurance.

An over-heated cook stove started the flames which spread almost straight upward and destroyed all of the roof and the second floor. The fire department, which quickly responded to the call, did excellent work and saved practically all the furniture on the ground floor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson who lived on the second floor, lost all of their furniture and clothes, valued at $1,000 and partially covered by insurance. Mr. Price carried $600 insurance on his furniture most of which was saved but his home was damaged to the extent of $1,800 with $1,300 insurance. —Bemidji Pioneer.

LICENSE CARRIED IN WARREN

Yesterday at Warren the vote on saloons carried "wet" by a majority of 46 with a total vote of 290 cast. The fight was one of the most spirited in years and was expected to be close but the wets carried by a big majority for the total cote cast.

Next to his beard, a certain type of man seems to think the kind of neckties he wears is the surest sign how smart he is.

PREDICTION OF JOURNAL TRUE

CITY LID HAS BEEN ADJUSTED FOLLOWING FORMAL NOTICE SERVED

GRAND FORKS ATTORNEYS RETAINED BY THE LOCAL POOL ROOM MEN

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon formal notices were served on a number of officials of Crookston and Polk county calling their atention to certain violations of their attention to certain violations. A similar copy has also been served upon the attorney general of the state of Minnesota with his attention called to the formal serving of the notices on local officials.

This action was taken as a result of the recent pool room ordinance passed at the last meeting of the council. The pool room ordinance meets with general approval, but it was the opinion of many that if gambling was to be stopped in one place it should be stopped everywhere, and the general cleaning up is the result.

One of the leading legal firms of Grand Forks are retained and drew up the formal notices served.

The next move will be awaited with still greater interest. Following is a copy of the notices served yesterday afternoon:

Crookston, Minn., March 17th, 1909. To Honorable J. D. McPhee, Mayor; Martin O'Brien, City Attorney; Aaron Eck, Chief of Police; Orin Daniels, Sheriff; E. O. Hagen, Prosecuting Attorney:

Gentlemen:—We desire to call your attention to a number of violations of the statutes of this State and of the City Ordinances. The State law as well as the City Ordinances forbids the keeping of houses of ill-fame, etc. A house of this character is now and for some time past has been conducted at the corner of Gorgas Avenue and Loring Street. Further west on Loring Street there is another house of the same character. Both of these places have been conducted openly and the fact that the proprietors of them have paid fines from time to time in the Municipal Court would seem to be sufficient to show the character of these places.

The State law and City Ordinance forbids all gambling and playing for money in drinking places, forbids the throwing of dice and all tables, etc. in such places. This provision is generally violated by the saloons. Card games for money or cigars are commonly played in a number of the tobacco and confectionery stores of the City.

The State Law forbids all labor except work of necessity or charity on Sunday, and except that fruit, confectionery, newspapers, drugs and medicines may be sold. The hack lines and livery stables have been continuously violating this law openly. The moving picture shows have been operated on Sunday in direct violation of this statute.

We call your attention to these matters and request that you take immediate steps to stop these and all other violations of the State law and City Ordinances.

Respectfully,

—Carl A. Ness,
—John F. Verreaux,
—John F. Smith.

Why He Was Mad.

Stubb—What's the trouble with the writer's husband? He looks angry enough to chew tacks. Penn—And he is. She dedicated her latest book to him. Stubb—Gracious! I should consider that a compliment. Penn—Not if you knew the title of the book. It is "Wild Animals I Have Met."

INITIATED A LARGE CLASS

WOODMEN HELD A BANNER MEETING LAST EVENING—AFTER THE BANNER

JOHN FREEBERG WON THE GOLD WATCH FOR SECURING THE MOST NEW MEMBERS

From Wednesday's Daily—

The Crookston Lodge of Woodmen held a banner meeting last evening at which one of the largest classes in the history of the order was initiated The local lodge is after the state banner with a vengeance and that they will land it is practically a certainty.

Deputies Moore and Nelson who have been working here for some time past offered a gold watch to the member of the local lodge which would secure the greatest number of new members, and this was won by John Freeberg, who won by a large majority, the contest having been on for the past two months.

The presentation speech was made by Martin O'Brien. He took occasion to pay Mr. Freeberg a very high compliment for the splendid work he had done. Mr. Freeberg responded in a most feeling manner, and was specially grateful for the kind words spoken by Mr. O'Brien.

THEODORE EIKEN PASSES AWAY

SON OF FORMER CROOKSTON POSTMASTER DIED THIS MORNING IN ST. PAUL

Rev. Salveson received a message this morning from St. Paul saying that Theodore Eiken had died at his home this morning. He will be remembered here as "Teddy" having been one of the head clerks in the post office here for several years. His father, Andrew Eiken having been post master here at one time. His many friends will regret to hear of his death. He has been ailing for some time past.

"My Dearly Beloved Friend—The time has come when I must ask you a question the contemplation of which has caused me many a sleepless night, bitter tears and anxious days. This is a subject of which I dislike to speak to you or, in fact, any one about, as you know the whole community is agitated at the present time by the same question that is worrying me.

"Many a happy home has been broken up by this same cause, and I too, tho happy, must share the burden of this wicked and uncouth world. I dare not communicate my state of mind to my folks, as you know they are so old-fashioned about such things In my distress I turn humbly to you for sympathy.

"It may surprise you to know that I would consult you upon an important subject which only my heart knows, but, like the morning dawn, the whole affair must come to your friendly hearing, I am sure you will consider the matter and understand me better than I can explain.

"I am asking a great favor and while you are considering this I wish you to set aside all cares, all social joys and properly consider the question. I hate to ask it, but must come to the point:

"Do you think it is too early to change my winter under-wear?

"After giving the question the consideration which it merits, kindly let me hear from you."

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Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

THE USES OF MONEY

The way a man uses money—makes it, saves it, spends it—is perhaps one of the best tests of character.

Money should not be regarded as the principal end of life, nor should it be regarded with contempt, for it represents to a great extent the means of mental and physical comfort.

The finest qualities of human nature are related to the right use of money—generosity, honesty, justice and self-sacrifice.

A little self-sacrifice, a svaings account with this bank, and a determination to use your money right (by saving it) will soon accumulate a snug balance to your credit.
Assets Over One Million Dollars.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.
Assets over One Million Dollars

FOR SALE

Interest bearing certificates of deposit in any amount to suit

Interest is the one thing which works days, nights, Sundays and Holidays—takes no vacations.
Why not let it work for you?

A good investment for idle money. Absolutely safe.

Come in and let us fully explain this investment to you.

Scandia American Bank

Crookston, Minn

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mr. A. J. Goodwin and little grandson, Georgie came over from Key West last Wednesday and were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodwin of this place.

Mr. D. H. Miller drove to Fisher last Wednesday on business.

Quite a few Angusites drove to Euclid last Thursday evening to attend the "Old Settlers Meeting". This new society is in a flourishing condition under the able management of Dr. J. S. Chapin. A very enjoyable time was had by all. Several candidates were admitted to membership.

Mr. Harry Sewell took the train for Warren last Friday.

The ball given last Friday evening at the M. W. A. hall here was a grand success.

Mr. Walter Miller celebrated last Friday, the anniversary of his birthday Long life and happiness to you, friend Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Senske of Tabor were here on business last Saturday.

Mrs. A. Anderson celebrated her birthday last Saturday.

Frank Taus returned from Middle River last Sunday.

Some of our farmers have bought smut machines and others will soon do likewise in order to banish the miserable weed from their fields.

Clyde and Raymond Goodwin came over from Euclid one day and were shaking hands with their many friends around here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Habich and son John came over from Euclud last Sunday to help celebrate the anniversary of Mr. L. Osterloh's 43rd birthday and the anniversary of the 15th wedding day of Mr. and Mrs. Osterloh. Congratulations from their many friends.

Mr. John Sullivan a prominent young man from Key West was calling here last Sunday on intimate friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cowden and Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Evans were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston last Monday evening.

Mrs. E. Johnston and Mrs. L. Osterloh and little daughter Amber drove to Euclid last Tuesday on important business.

Mr. Paul Nelson a pioneer settler of Euclid is growing gradually weaker and fears are entertained for the recovery of our old friend.

Our town election passed off very quietly last Tuesday and the following persons were elected:

Supervisor, 3 years—A. F. Campion.
Town Clerk—J. W. Campion.
Treasurer—D. H. Miller.
Assessor—J. A. Stroble.
Justice of the Peace—J. Guttormson.
Constable—L. G. Johnson.

Mr. G. H. Horn and son Albert drove to Grand Forks last Wednesday on business.

Mr. John Vavrina was in the Queen City last week several days on business.

Miss Louisa Tiedemann left last Thursday evening for Crookston and will visit there with friends for a few days.

Mr and Mrs. Casper Tiedemann and daughter Miss Tina were visiting with friends at Fisher.

Mr. Hugh McDonald and daughter Miss Margarethe drove to Grand Forks one day last week.

A number of our young people drove to the pleasant country home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Tiedemann last Sunday where they spent a delightful afternoon and evening in games, music and singing. Among those present were the Misses Elfreda Shultz, Anna Feemann and Alma Horn and the Messrs. Otto Shultz, Adolph and Albert Horn Art Casmey and William and Albert Tiedemann. These young people have the pleasure of meeting quite often of late and as they all belong to the Gopher state it is needless to say that a jollier crowd can not be found anywhere.

Mr. Alfred Vonderbeck and Mr. Raymond Goodwin drove to Grand Forks last week on important business.

Mr. G. H. Horn, Henry Tiedemann and Adolph Horn drove to Euclid last Thursday evening to attend the "Old Settlers Club." After the meeting the above gentlemen were entertained by Mr. Claus Sohl at th later's cozy residence "Hannover."

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann are the happy parents of a bouncing baby daughter. Mother and baby are doing well and our friend Sam is just handing out the very finest Havanas to his many friends.

Miss Annie Kalek is expected to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kalek in the near future.

EASILY DECIDED

This Question Should Be Answered Easily by Crookston People.

Which is wiser—to have confidence in the opinions of your fellow-citizens, of people you know, or depend on statements made by utter strangers residing in far-away places? Read the following:

Mrs. H. Johnson, 217 Washington Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills proved of inestimable value to a member of our family who had suffered for a long time from kidney complaint. Doan's Kidney Pills disposed of all the symptoms of my trouble and my kidneys were invigorated. I have also used Doan's Kidney Pills for headaches, backaches and that languid feeling so common to kidney complaint with excellent results."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Girls who bleach their hair only want a fair show.

No female lawyer objects to being the woman in the case.

Even an actress may not be able to make up for lost time.

For each disease there are any number of cures that don't help any.

A woman's dream of a bonnet looks like a nightmare to the man who pays the freight.

It is a good thing that some people are self-satisfied for they never could satisfy any one else.

It's easier for the average man to quit drinking if he wants to than it is for him to want to.

After a woman has succeeded in breaking into society she thinks it's up to her to go away twice a year for her health.

Albert Lea Standard: St. Paul and Minneapolis are again in danger of getting into bad odor with each other if they are not careful.

LAND OPENING AT CASS LAKE

VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND BETWEEN BIG FALLS AND LITTLE FORK

OPENED TO SETTLERS—A VERY LARGE CROWD IN ATTENDANCE

From Friday's Daily—
At the opening of the land office at Cass Lake yesterday morning there were 100 persons in line waiting for the opening of the office in order to make filings on lands situate in township 67-25 in Koochiching county, which had been advertised to be opened. The land in question is very valuable as it has considerable timber upon it. Some of it is also within two miles of the M. & I. railway between Big Falls and Littlefork.

A good many years ago a number of people in cruising thru this section of the country discovered this land and settled there several of those filing having squatted on the land five or six years ago.

The first in line was Joseph Bray of Blackduck a brother of Nap Bray of this city. Mr. Bray after filing, stated that he was well pleased with his quarter, which he considered one of the best quarter sections in the gift of Uncle Sam to give to one of his citizens.

The second man in line was Ernest Toupan of Red Lake Falls. The third in line was Theodore Labissoniere the merchant of Red Lake Falls. Number four was Ernie Leberge of Blackduck.

This is the first opening of government lands since Messrs. Bartlett and Wood were appointed as receiver and register of the land office here and they handled their work with neatness and dispatch.

BIG REALTY DEAL; ENRIGHT FARM SOLD

Negotiations for the transfer of Jerry Enright's farm of 480 acres adjoining the city of East Grand Forks on the northeast which have been in progress for some time, were closed yesterday, E. C. Koch of Keystone securing the property for a consideration of $30,000. The farm is one of the most valuable in the county and the price is considered very reasonable Mr. Enright expects to locate in California.

Little Falls Transcript: Citing the fact that agricultural training in the public schools has made Denmark the richest country in proportion to its population, J. W. Olsen former state superintendent of public instruction points out the advantages to Minnesota in adopting a system of industrial education in the schools. The city pupils are well taken care of in this matter, but the 242,000 children in the rural schools are sadly neglected. The high schools received $35,228 last year for manual training and domestic science, while in 1906 the high schools were given only $8,358. Mr. Olsen urges that the normal schools of the state be given sufficient funds to offer these subjects and that permanent summer school be established at the agricultural school for superintedents and teachers and that rural schools be consolidated and assisted in giving instruction in these branches.

Winona Independent: There is a new sect whose creed forbids its members to wear clothes. The New York theatrical managers will probably immediately absorb all the visible supply.

Cannon Falls Beacon: The legislature has no more right to investigate the Citizen's league, the Shippers' association or the Anti-Saloon league than it has to investigate the Republican and Democratic campaign committees. Nor is there a fraction of the need in the former cases that there is in the latter.

St. Peter Herald: A bill before the state legislature requires hunters to report to the state game and fish commission the number and kind of animals and birds taken by them during each year. If passed it will prove fully as effective as the corrupt practices act.

Princeton Union: At the grave Geronimo was lauded to the skies. But this is no indication that the villainous old murderer will ever reach there.

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: "Well they knew I was president all the time."—T. R.

BIG BOOST FOR VALLEY

KNUTE AKER WOULD NOT TRADE FOR IOWA LAND, ACRE FOR ACRE

SAYS CROOKSTON IS THE BEST CITY HE EVER TRADED IN

From Friday's Daily—
Mr. and Mrs. Knute Aker of Climax spent yesterday in the city visiting with friends for a day and attending to some trading. Mr. Aker is enroute home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Olson of Grafton, N. D.

Mr. Aker is one of the most successful farmers in the Red River Valley. He owns a fine farm and to the Journal represntative made this statement:

"I would not trade my Polk county farm, acre for acre for any farm in Iowa. Iowa land never had the staying qualities of Red River Valley land. I would not trade even, and in fact would not trade at all. We have the best farming country in the world and this fact is becoming more generally known every year. The time is not far distant when the price of land here will show what the real value of valley land is."

HAD A FINE TIME AT INAUGURATION

ALDERMAN SHERLOCK RETURNS FROM HIS TRIP TO NATIONAL CAPITAL

J. C. Sherlock returned to East Grand Forks yesterday from his trip to the national capital to participate in the inauguration ceremonies. He had a very enjoyable trip indeed, notwithstanding the weather conditions were not up to the Minnesota standard by several points, and then some. Mr. Sherlock was one of the few favored ones who were successful in witnessing the inauguration ceremonies in the senate chambers and was within fifty feet of the new president when he took the oath of office. Notwithstanding the insinuations certain papers published about his not getting a horse Sherlock was in at the parade from first to last. His explanation of the statement about his horse is that he didn't take anw fancy to the plugs from which the committee offered him his choice and as much as said so. Land Commissioner Fred Dennett, who is well known here, was with a representative of the St. Paul Dispatch and remarked some thing about the Minnesota delegation not being able to get horses. The Associated Press got a story from the Dispatch man made to order, but not particularly in accord with the facts. In the meantime Sherlock, thru the kindness of a mutual friend had gone over across the river and secured the loan of a thorobred Kentucky riding horse from the private stable of General Horriesh which did him good service thruout the parade, lasting over four hours. During his visit there Mr. Sherlock went down to Hampton Roads and visited the big fleet personally inspecting the Minnesota, the Illinois, the Wisconsin and other ships. He also visited Arlington cemetery and other points of interest.

LOOKING OVER THE EAST LINE

GEN. SUPT. SCOTT AND SUPT. ALLEN LOOKING OVER THE EAST LINE

General Supt. W. D. Scott of the Great Northern who arrived yesterday left this morning in his private car for a trip over the Cass Lake line and was accompanied by Supt. Allen of the Northern Division in his private car. They went east attached to the local freight.

St. Cloud Times: Taft's inaugural address is a plain, common-sense paper. No spectacular display no sensational propositions. He appears to intend to follow in the footsteps of his "distinguished predecessor."

Among the silks which are shown in a large variety may be found some new kinds, which have distinctive features of advantage. In the shedwater foulards many chic and attractive patterns may be found. Colored back grounds with pin dots of black, or with pin stripes of the same color, are exceedingly attractive. The two-color effect is also given by little oblongs and groups of tiny dots scattered over the plain surface.

NO INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA

MISERY FROM AN UPSET STOMACH GOES IN FIVE MINUTES —TAKE SOME

DIAPEPSIN NOW AND FOREVER END ALL DISTRESS FROM A DISORDERED STOMACH

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you eat seems to fill your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangule after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery, because it willshdlu stomach misery is at your Pharmacist waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

VALLEY CITY HAS HUGH SENSATION

THE ARREST OF SIX GIRLS MAY LEAD TO WHOLESALE DISCLOSURES

The residents of Valley City, N. D., where Frank Packard is now located, are all agog over the sensations following the arrests yesterday of three young girls on serious charges. It is stated that warrants have been issued for the arrest of twenty men and boys in conection with the cases. A number of the boys are members of the high school while there are some of the young men about town and two or three men of families mixed up in the disgraceful affair. There were a number of girls in the cases who are uder the age of consent and it will go hard with the ones convicted in conection with these cases.

One of the girls who was arrested was a hardened character and has been given a jail sentence and three others who had not traveled so far on the road of crime were sent to the reform school where it is hoped they may be shown the error of their ways and made into respectable women. The girls are all more or less unfortunate one of them having been driven from her home by a stepmother and the others not having had the advantages of good home surroundings.

Most of the charges against the male offenders are of a very serious nature and undoubtedly there will be a number of the young men who will have to serve a term in the penitentiary to pay for their fun.

FOR MATRON IN INDIAN SERVICE

An examination of candidates for the position of matron in the Indian service was held at the federal building yesterday by Secretary J. J. Dunlap. Mrs. Edith Tweet of the Fort Totten school, and Misses Pery and Smith of Red Lake Falls, took the examination. Mrs. Tweet seeks a place at Fort Totten and Misses Perry and Smith want places at Red Lake Falls.

Charles Lamb and His Pipe.

Greatest among the votaries of the pipe was Charles Lamb. He smoked furiously, incessantly—smoked with an air that commanded the respect of his friends. Dr. Parr, who watched him with amazement, ventured to ask how it was he had acquired such a marvelous power. "I toiled after it, sir," replied Lamb, "as some men toil after virtue." He was always on the point of giving up tobacco, but he never quite succeeded. Even as late as 1827, when he had long since professed to have abandoned the habit, he said that, though an extinct volcano, he still emitted occasional puffs.

Journal want ads bring results.

AN ARMORY IS NEEDED

MUCH INTERST IS BEING TAKEN IN COMPANY I, M. N. G.

TWENTY NEW RECRUITS ARE IN SIGHT — TIME TO GET BUSY

From Friday's Daily—
Co. I, of the Minnesota National Guards is taking a big spurt ahead. There are at the present time 20 recruits representing the young business men of the city, which will bring the company up to the full strength, 76 members in the near future.

Now what is needed is an armory. This has been needed for a long time, but at the present juncture it is imperative that an armory be provided. Thief River Falls is going to issue bonds in the sum of $20,000 to provide one, and Crookston cannot afford to be trailing in the rear. Some plan should be devised at once by the Commercial club to take care of this matter. The sooner a move is made the better. Now is the time to act. The matter is not one which permits of delay.

HE DESERTED HIS WIFE

PLAINTIFF IN CASE ADMITS THAT HE IS A DESERTER

Attorney G. C .H. Codiss for the defendant brought up an interesting point of law at the close of the testimony in the divorce case of David Boobes against Anna Boobes in the district court at Grand Forks today. Attorney Corliss made the point apparently upon which the case will hitch when the arguments are brought before Judge Templeton at a later date claiming that the plaintiff has no ground for divorce in that he deserted his wife and has failed to provide for her support.

That Mr. Boobes deserted his wife is evident said Attorney Corliss from his own testimony on the stand, when he said that he left his wife in the old country and was followed by her to Philadelphia then to Chicago where he was arrested and then to Grand Forks. Mr. Corliss added further that such being the case the plaintiff being a deserter, could not obtain a divorce decree.

Many interesting things came up during the progress of the trial yesterday and this morning. Mrs. Boobes when questioned by Attorney Tracy Bangs for the plaintiff, stated that she loved him and for this reason had continually followed him. When Mr. Boobes was asked on the stand if she loved him, he stated that she had him arrested and while he was in jail she came to him and told him she loved him.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR
(New York Press)

Sacrifice is the happiness of woman forgiveness her solace.

The best woman in the world can think evil to hear somebody else's baby praised above hers.

The reason a girl likes to be pretty is so she can think she is much prettier than she is.

The less money a man will give his wife the more generous he thinks he is for letting her ask for it.

The only satisfaction about shaving yourself is how you can lie about being able to do it in the dark without cutting yourself.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures cough quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.
Sold by all druggists.

St. Peter Herald: The departure of President Roosevelt makes it possible for Senator Nelson and Congressman Tawney to resume their White House calls, suspended nearly a year ago. This gives color to the rumor that masterly inactivity is to be the watchword of the Taft administration.

An old toper says it's a shame the way society women waste good alcohol by burning it under a chafing dish

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

MANY FARMERS ARE DEEPLY INTERESTED

COUNTY UNION OF THE SOCIETY OF EQUITY FORMED TODAY—THE ATTENDANCE WAS MOST GRATIFYING—SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE VISITED—VISITORS ENTERTAINED AT DINNER BY COMMERCIAL CLUB

From Thursday's Daily—

Farmers from every section of the county assembled in Crookston today and the result was the formation of a county association of the Society of Equity, which gives promise of being one of the most flourishing organizations of farmers in the entire northwest.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the local branch of the society and at a call issued by its officers and the response received demonstrates the interest the farmers are taking in the movement. From early morning the farmers began coming into the city and when the meeting was called to order by President Chris Houston, of the Crookston branch, there were assembled in the city council chamber at the city hall fully 150 farmers. As the meeting progressed additional residents of the county arrived and it is safe to estimate the number at fully two hundred.

The visitors were enthusiastic and took a great interest in the entire proceedings thruout the day and showed that they were alive to every movement intended for their benefit and profit. While the county organization was not perfected until the after noon session, the farmers remained at the meeting and listened with the closest attention to every address made during the convention.

Hold Preliminary Meeting

When the convention was called to order this morning the objects of the gathering were stated and then addresses were made by local men as to the benefits to be derived from organization. Vice President J. E. O'-Brien appeared in behalf of the citizens and the commercial club, and extended a hearty welcome to the city. He said that the people of Crookston were always pleased to have the farmers visit the city either on business or pleasure; that the interests of the city and the county were identical and the society could depend upon the citizens of Crookston for the most effectual co-operation in its work.

An address was made by Judge L. E. Gossman of this city upon the benefits to be derived from the organization of farmers and it was well received. Addresses were then made by several others, after which Elias Steenerson secretary of the Crookston branch, took up with the convention the bill before the state legislature, dealing with the regulation of the business of chambers of commerce and boards of trade. He explained the purposes of the bill at length and made an eloquent plea in its behalf.

The result of his advocacy was the adoption of the following resolutions:

We, the farmers of Polk county, in convention assembled at Crookston, Minn., this 11th day of March 1909, having for consideration matters of interest to us as producers of grain and other food products for the public markets, find that combinations of middle men control the terminal markets, and that by reason of such control the efforts of the farmers, by means of co-operative elevators and terminal associations to reach the consumers directly, have been frustrated.

We find that while our state laws have been framed so as to allow the producers and dealers in grain and other food products to organize for the purpose of advancing agricultural interests; for inculcating just and equitable principles of trade; for acquiring and disseminating useful business information; and for promoting the general prosperity of market centers and of the whole state, yet the very organizations formed under these laws, by passing by-laws and rules limiting the number of memberships, by refusing to admit or ousting those who represent the farmers and co-operative associations, have defeated the beneficent purposes of the law and have created a monopolized market at terminal points equally detrimental to the producers and consumers. In the large cities of the state, Boards of Trade or Chambers of Commerce have been organized by middle men whose only purpose seems to be to create exclusive commercial privileges for its limited membership.

We therefore find that the agricultural interests of the state, instead of being benefited, are incalculably injured from the effects of these artificial restraints of trade; and that the letter and spirit of the laws for the organization of producers and dealers in grain and other food products are openly and grossly violated in the enactment of by-laws and stringent regulations as to the character and number of members.

We believe the only remedy for the present condition of affairs is in the enactment of such laws as will forever prevent the control of the markets, whether terminal or local by middle men.

The markets should be open to both producer and consumer upon the payment of a fee sufficient to maintain market places. No one should be barred who is willing to pay the fee and deal honestly and fairly.

We believe that the bill known as House File No. 380, introduced by Hon. John Saugstad in the lower branch of the state legislature, if passed into law will relieve the farmer from much of the evil effects of monopolized markets.

Therefore be it resolved that we are heartily in favor of the said bill; and do hereby encourage its favorable consideration and passage into law.

Resolved further, that the secretary of this organization be instructed to sen da copy of these resolutions to the Hon. John Saugstad, in order that it may be used before the state Legislature in furtherance of the said bill.

At this point in the proceedings different farmers from different sections of the county were called upon to express themselves as to the benefits to be derived from organization and whether or not they favored the forming of a county union. They all spoke in favor of the plan and just before the adjournment of the morning session the Viking Chorus was introduced and it pleased the large audience with several excellent songs. They received loud and enthusiastic applause.

Entertained by Club

The visitors took dinner as the guests of the commercial club. They were taken to the several hotels and restaurants of the city and there enjoped the hospitality of the business men, assembling again at the city hall shortly after 1 o'clock.

Organization is Effected

A vote showed that the farmers present were wholly in accord with the object of the gathering and it was decided to elect officers at once. R. T. Buckler of the town of Lowell, was the unanimous choice of the convention for president, and T. D. Stewart of Mallory was elected vice president. E. G. Ecklund of Fosston, was named as secretary and treasurer and Elias Steenerson as county organizer.

Executive Committee

After the election of officers the executive committee was selected and it was as follows: William Bryson, Davidson; Ole Olson, Jr., Beltrami; E. G. Eckluud, Fosston; S. S. Hegg, Winger; Gust Engle, Euclid; S. T. Roberts Crookston; Arne Grundyson, Bygland; Knute Acker, Nielsville.

It was decided that the organization would meet again at Crookston in July. Several short and interesting addresses were then made relative to the value of organizing local branches of the society and there is no question but that Polk will be one of the best organized counties in the state.

Go to State Farm

As soon as adjournment was taken the visitors were shown an exhibition run by the local fire department and they were then taken to the state agricultural school by the commercial club, where they spent the rest of the afternoon inspecting and looking over the big state institution. They were also the guests of the capable superintendent and his wife.

There is no question but that today's meeting was by far one of the most successful farmers' meetings that has been held in Crookston and its influence will be felt for some time to come.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

Litle Falls Herald: Cass Lake and Bemidji are fighting hard over the proposed normal school, and can't be blamed for it. A lot of bright young folks such as most normal school students are, are valuable to any town.

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: Mr. Taft threw an awful jolt into the party worshippers by selecting two Democrats for his cabinet. Mr. Taft is evidently bigger than his party and that augurs good for the nation.

MINNESOTA LEADS WORLD IN IRON ORE

Minnesota has long held the world's primacy in the iron ore industry and is circumstanced for an enormous expansion of her iron ore mines, as has been shown by recent reports of borings made by the leading producers. In a normal year the aggregate value of a year's iron ore production from Minnesota's mines, when placed in the holds of ships or on cars for inland hauls to furnaces, has ranged from $50,000,000 to $65,000,000. All other mineral products of that State last year aggregated about $5,000,000. The conversion of a considerable part of the iron ores produced within Minnesota ere long will occupy a larger number of blast furnaces and steel mills. A good deal of work in that direction has been accomplished and much more will be done after the present depression passes away.

Modern Engineering and chemical science are making steady advances toward the day when a much smaller proportion of Lake Superior iron ores will be shipped down the lakes and the scale of conversion into iron and steel and their products near the iron ore mines will go on increasing. The construction of the great iron and steel plant at Gary, Ind., was in a large sense an acknowledgment of the logic march of events that is forcing the iron and steel makers nearer to large deposits of iron ores.

For a long time Lake Superior iron ores have furnished 76 per cent of the National production. The Southern States afford about 17 per cent of the iron ores of the country, and the central and eastern states yield about 4 per cent. Under present blast furnace consumption the amount of iron ores required for one year's pig iron production is 36,000,000 tons. The central and eastern States consume about 78 per cent of the Lake Superior iron ores. The immense deposits of iron ores in the upper lake ranges made the vast industry in Bessemer steel and products therefrom possible, as nowhere else has the iron trade found such large deposits of high grade hematite ores.

In normal years the lake traffic in Minnesota iron ores affords a tonnage in the short season of navigation that exceeds the aggregate foreign clearances in a year from the ports of London and Liverpool. The value of iron ores being low, the output of Minnesota's mines does not sound large when stated in millions of dollars, but as $1,000 worth of pig iron would not weigh much more than 70 tons, while four pounds of gold is worth $1,000, it is easy to grasp the importance of the iron ore tonnage while it is difficult to measure its value by the round millions that pays for a year's yield. When the first cargoes of Minnesota iron ore came through the Sault Ste. Marie canal, the average value of pig iron made therefrom was $30 per ton, which compares with $15.50 today for foundry pig iron made on the shores of Lake Erie from Minnesota ores.

The great iron ore ranges of Minnesota are the Mesaba and V[illegible]on of which the Mesaba is far and away in the lead, having in a normal year given forth 26,000,000 tons. Last year the Mesaba range produced something more than three-fifths of the iron ore of the Lake Superior ranges. Estimates of the iron ore yet in the Lake Superior region range between 1,500,000,000 and 2,000,000,000 gross tons, of which the United States Steel Corporation controls three-fourths. If a series of calamities should destroy every plant owned by that corporation, its iron ore reserves in lake ranges would make it enormously rich. Minnesota's leadership in iron ores is a creation of little more than a quarter of a century. Twenty-five years ago Pennsylvania was the leader in iron ore production and had held that position for many years with New York in the second place. In 1877 the geographic centre of the iron ore producing industry was in the middle of the northern boundary of Pennsylvania. The tremendous development of Minnesota's iron ore industry has within the years since 1877 shifted the geographic centre of the industry 1,119 miles from Pennsylvania. That centre is now a few miles west of that hustling city of Duluth, which 30 years ago the lively Congressman Proctor Knott named "The Zenith City of the Unsalted Seas" in the course of a speech against giving the then little town a postoffice building. As to the iron ore situation, Duluth has long been the zenith city, and will remain so for many a year to come.—Wall Street Summary.

Analysis Of Liability Bills

In days gone by there has been a marked disposition in Minnesota to resist state development on the ground that such labors should be the sole concern of those most immediately affected, says the Duluth Herald Some traces of this narrow view still remain, but for the most part the people of Minnesota now take the wider view and are willing and anxious that the state take a large part in the development of its resources and in the realization of its tremendous possibilities.

The history of the drainage movement in this state is illustrative of the progress of thought in Minnesota in regard to state development. It is only a few years ago that the drainage of the vast swamp areas of Northern Minnesota was bitterly opposed by the southern half of the state. The matter was one which concerned the pocketbook of the people of Northern Minnesota. They said: Let those who are to get the profits, pay the expense The reasoning was good, but the premises upon which it was based were bad When it began to think the matter over Southern Minnesota discovered that the whole state, as well as its northern half, would benefit from drainage. Liberal appropriations for drainage is now an established policy, whose wisdom is disputed by no one. Northern Minnesota has profited enormously, useless land has been made richly productive, thousands of settlers have been brought in, farms, dairies, homes, factories and cities are multiplying. But the state has also profited. The money that it paid out for drainage it is getting back, and in time it will have every cent of it back with interest. In addition, it has so multiplied the value of its lands that its treasury has already been enriched by thousands of dollars of profit and its school funds will ultimately be increased, from this one source alone, by millions of dollars.

The longest step forward in a proper appreciation of the real work which Minnesota has to do for its own development was taken when Governor Johnson transmitted to the legislature last January his notable message in which the possibilities "of the most interesting, fertile and resourseful region yet undeveloped on the continent of North America" were so strikingly and so eloquently set forth. Governor Johnson's message, dealing for the greater part with this subject, may be said to be the summing up of what the people of Minnesota have been thinking in the past few years about their state. Thought is sometimes long held in solution; in this case the governor condensed it and precipitated it so that all may see it in concrete form Some few have thought in Southern Minnesota, perhaps that he has gone too far and has said more than they really have had in mind, but for the most part what Governor Johnson has reduced to vigorous, atention-compelling words is what the state as a whole has been holding in solution in its thoughts for several years past. We have been gradually coming to the point where we are prepared to take a wider view of the material possibilities of Minnesota and of the work which it is necessary for the state to do in order that the whole state may the more quickly and the more effectively realize upon these possibilities.

Sectional feeling still prevails but in a degree far less marked. Partisan jealousy still holds back wise legislation. But on the whole there is the disposition on the part of all men and both parties in Minnesota to look at the development of the state in the light of the needs of the state as a whole. Those who live in the Northern half of the state are certain to profit more immediately and more largely but no more surely than the people of the southern half of the state. The benefits that the whole state will receive from a liberal policy of state development will duplicate in a score of instances the benefits which the state is now taking from its policy of state drainage. When every man's hand is against every other man's hand, none can prosper, but when all co-operate for the mutual good of all, all will prosper in an unprecedented degree.

The water wagon is way up like an airship when you climb on but as close to the ground as the grass when you fall off.

THE CROOKSTON LID WILL FIT TIGHT

ATTORNEYS RETAINED AND STATE LAW WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED—FOLLOWING ACTION OF COUNCIL, CARDS, DICE AND OTHER GAMBLING GAMES WILL BE TAKEN FROM SALOONS—RED LIGHT DISTRICT WILL BE FORCED TO LOCATE OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS

From Thursday's Daily—

There is going to be something doing regarding the lid proposition in Crookston. It is going to be re-adjusted, and it looks as tho it was going to be applied pretty tight.

Attorneys have been retained and within a few days Mayor McPhee, Chief Eck, City Atty. O'Brien, County Atty. Hagen and other officials will be notified of certain violations of the state law and the city ordinances regarding card and dice games in saloons, cigar stores, and other places, card tables, booths and other matters in saloons which are contrary to law. The existence of the tenderloin district will be cited and in each and every case there will be evidence submitted it is claimed, and the officers will be formally notified to correct the evils.

A copy of all notices will be furnished the attorney general of the state of Minnesota, together with the evidence and it will be up to the officials to apply the "lid" rigidly.

What the outcome will be remains to be seen, but that there will be something doing is absolutely certain.

The Wider View

Examination of the latest two employers' liability bills shows that neither of them is calculated to lessen litigation to any great extent.

The Durment bill lowers the bars against such suits by permitting recoveries of damages for injuries received in hazzardous occupations by excluding the defense of assumption of risk or the negligence of a fellow servant. It also permits recovery of a diminished sum, in spite of contributory negligence if the employer was also negligent.

The house committee bill bars the fellow servant rule, assumption of risk and contributory negligence as defenses against suits for damages for personal injuries in certain ocupations.

Both bills limit strictly the amount for which the employer shall be held in damages.

The committee bill does not discourage the prosecution of speculative suits, with huge claims of damages except indirectly, by making it easier to prove a case that would entitle the injured party to a relatively very small sum for compensation.

The Durment bill goes a little further and provides that, if the state of facts be such as to entitle an employe to compensation thereunder, no recovery can be had under any other law. But the application of that restriction would be extremely limited, because the occupation must not only be hazardous, but the injury must have resulted from a hazard or danger peculiar to the work. Even tho the occupation be hazardous, if the injury resulted from something that might have happened in a less dangerous occupation the new law would not be applicable.

While the Durment bill is an improvement over the Stuart bill, the tremendous differences it discloses afford additional argument in favor of the view that the legislature is not yet prepared to enact a wholly satisfactory bill.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Minnesota's Peat Reserves

A News Tribune reader writes to ask apropos to the statement of James J. Hill before the legislature that coke could be obtained cheaply from peat, and iron manufactured cheaper in Minnesota than in Pennsylvania cannot something be done about it Can't the legislature be induced to look into the matter? queries the Duluth News Tribune.

It is very safe to say that if Mr. Hill was right and had already outlined his plan to the manufacturers of steel that the owners of the plant at Duluth will waste no money bringing coal from Pennsylvania and other states of they can make coke cheaper from peat. But when he is expending only language Mr. Hill sometimes has been known to chase rainbows.

As another reader said: "If Mr. Hill is convinced of the availability of peat why does he not feed it to the locomotives?" Still we realize that it might be available for making coke and not for burning in locomotives, which are not constructed for its use.

The fact is, the fuel resources of this country have barely been scratched. Not only does Germany use its peat as fuel but it conserves its byproducts at a good profit. Nor is there any question as to the extent of Minnesota's peat beds. They cover hundreds of thousands of acres and are in all parts of the state.

But again there is peat and peat. It has as many varieties as coal. As far back as 1871 a plant, located in Faribault county, bricketted peat, selling it to one of the railroads and to farmers at $4 a ton. In 1873 a bill introduced by then Senator John S. Pillsbury authorized an investigation as to its availability for use. This was to be made by the university and an appropriation was made.

Some five years ago, we believe a company was organized at Mankato to exploit the peat beds near there. So the subject has not been wholly neglected and even individuals have tried to use this fuel merely dried and not pressed.

The trouble seems to be that the time and exigencies have not yet come for its extended use. Out in North Dakota there are thousands and thousands of acres of a very good quality of lignite coal. It is much more easily bricketted than is peat.

It also has a higher fuel value. It is extensively used by the farmers and in small towns. It has indeed solved the household fuel problem for that state and in a large measure accounts for its rapid settlement.

But it is not used in a large way. Experiment apparently has shown that properly handled it is the equal of anthracite. But its time also does not seem to have come. Indeed the only answer as to why it and peat are not yet used is merely "we don't have to."

Wherever and whenever the use of either or both will mean economy, a saving of dollars, a promotion of enterprise and the opening of new fields for manufacture they will come into their own. But America has not yet reached that stage and until it does they will remain in the ground as the heat product for future generations.

Mankato Free Press: There is no profession or occupation so underpaid as that of school-teachers. And there is no profession or occupation that ought to be better paid. The average cook or housemaid gets a larger compensation than the average woman school-teacher, considering that they are provided with bed and board. And this should not be. The teachers are worth far more to the community than they are receiving. They not only instruct the young along educational lines, but assist them in laying the foundation upon which can be constructed useful citizenship.

Litchfield Independent: Roosevelt is now an ex-president. He made a considerable stir during the seven or more years that he filled the office of chief executive. His ideas were mostly good and his ideals high, though he fell far short of accomplishing everything he started out to do. His course was erratic, and somewhat on the bombastic order, due to his impulsive nature, and economy was not his watchword. He did not do a mean or small act during his incumbency, but he made his mistakes. Theodore is a pretty good sort of a fellow.

Red Wing Republican: That demijohn of old Kentucky whisky given to President Roosevelt before his departure from the White House may come in handy in Darkest Africa in case of snake bite. Boa constrictors are said to be dangerous.

It is far easier to criticise the small mistakes of others than it is to make a few larger ones yourself.

Journal want ads bring results.

ARE LOOKING TOWARD RED RIVER VALLEY

J. W. Wheeler Returns From A Trip To Illinois. He States That Business Men Are Looking This Way.

J. W. Wheeler returned this morning from a trip to Illinois where he has been spending the past few days on combined business and pleasure. In an interview with the Journal this morning Mr. Wheeler said:

"The people of Illinois are looking toward the Red River Valley. They are more fully convinced than ever before that we have what they want. Not only that but the wholesale houses of Chicago and the east want more business than they are getting in this section because they know that their money is good here. I think there is every reason to believe that we are going to enjoy a sason of prosperity in this section such as has not been experienced for several years past."

CANNON IS NAMED RULE CONTEST ON

INSURGENTS MAKE CONSIDERABLE SHOWING AT THE HOUSE CAUCUS—CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON TAKES A STAND AGAINST CANNON—THE CLASH OVER PROCEDURE MAY BE VERY SHARP TOMORROW—SPEAKER YIELDS A POINT IN THE SELECTION OF COMMITTEE

Washington, March 15—Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois was elected speaker of the sixty-first congress when the house met in extra at noon today.

He was made the organization candidate of his party at a caucus of republican members held Saturday night in the hall of the house of representatives. It is true that he received only 162 of the 186 votes cast, fifty six votes less than the full republican strength. With a full attendance of the house today a majority will consist of 195 members.

Mr. Cannon when he entered the speaker's chair knew that he had been thru a fight. Some of his stanchest supporters admit that the sky is not clear and that there is much hard work ahead. Congressman Halvor Steenerson of Crookston is one of those who voted against Cannon.

Tight Squeezes for Rules

The democrats voted for their leader, Champ Clark of Missouri for the speaker. They will not abandon him in a body at any period to support for speaker a republican selected by the insurgent republicans. Several democrats if forced will desert their party and vote for Mr. Cannon should a coalition between their party and the insurgents be attempted.

The next house will contain 171 democrats twenty four less than a majority. It may develop that the democrats and the insurgents can muster enough votes to amend the rules, but they probably will fail to get enough strength to defeat Mr. Cannon's election as speaker.

Haugen Walks Out

Several recognized dyed-in-the-wool republican rules insurgents attended the caucus last night. It was remarkable therefore that no opposition developed when Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania preesnted a resolution to the effect that the rules of the last congress shall be made the rules of the congress that meets today. On the question no roll was called and there was no division but the house organibation leaders claim that the caucus action is binding upon all of the members present.

Representiaive Haugen of Iowa who had been in the hall relieved himself of all responsibility by refusing to participate in the vote on the rules. He walked out of the hall and claims that he is free to vote as he pleases when the fight over the rules, the real fight of the new congress comes up.

All the Iowa delegation excepting Mr. Hubbard were in attendance upon the caucus and according to precedent will be bound by its action with the exception of Mr. Haugen who maintains his freedom on the adoption of the rules.

The caucus was a smouldering smoking volcano. Its rumblings were heard by the Cannon supporters and an earth quake was feared but by permitting the discontented to voice their opposition in votes for members for speaker who would not under any circumstances permit their names to be used in opposition to Mr. Cannon, demonstration was avoided.

FLAHERTY CASE IS CONTINUED

FORMER EMPLOYE OF THE GUND CO. HELD ON CHARGE OF EMBEZZLING $500

Thomas Flaherty a former agent of the John Gund Brewing company, was brought back to East Grand Forks from Seattle yesterday morning by Sheriff Daniels on the charge of embezzling $500 in cash from the John Gund Brewing Co., of that city, on the 28th of December last. He was arraigned yesterday afternoon before Special Judge Purcell and at his request was given a continuance until March 29th. Bonds were fixed at $1,000, which were furnished by Phil Humble, Harry Harm, Harry Hatch and J. M. Westberg. Flaherty was represented in court by Attorney George A. Bangs. The complaint was filed by John Taylor the local manager of the company.

What's in a name anyway? Theodore Roosevelt was for seven years the most talked-about man in the world, and in all that time the millions who used his name daily never learned to pronounce it correctly. The most common pronunciation was "Rusevelt," with a long "u" and a short "e". A few called it "Rosevelt." The owner himself tried in vain in the earlier years of his presidency to establish th pronunciation which he favored, namely "Rose-y-vult." it never went.—Minneapolis Journal.

ATTENDING THE BIG AUTO SHOW

ED CARLSON AND ED QUEE LEFT LAST EVENING FOR MINNEAPOLIS

Messrs. Ed Carlson of the firm of Bjoin & Carlson and Ed Quee left last evening for Minneapolis where they will spend the next few days attending the Automobile Show. Bjoin & Carlson will handle the "Kissel Kar" this year, and Mr. Carlson wanted to get all the latest pointers in connection with the automobile business.

Need of Ventilation in Winter

The necessity for ventilation in winter is extreme, and it seems strange that so many people who are in all other respects persons of intelligence and thoroly conversant with the needs of the body, should, in this particular instance, demonstrate such a lack of ordinary common sense. Another essential to good health is the daily use of some good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer, the ideal home beverage. It is brewed from the best of nature's products in a better way than other beers and deserves a place on your home table. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Men who say they were driven to drink would doubtless have arrived sooner or later anyway.

MANY WILL BE HELPED

HOW TO PREPARE A MIXTURE TO CURE—SAYS THIS IS VERY GOOD

DREAD DISEASE, WHICH IS SAID TO YIELD TO SIMPLE HOME RECIPE

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription forces the clogged up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and torturous disease, but dangerous to life this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescriptions regularly a dose or two daily ar even a few times a week would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce indeed, and when

A NEW DEPOT FOR THE SOO

THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS TO BE SPENT BY SOO IN THIEF RIVER FALLS

The Soo line is going to spend thousands of dollars in improvements at Thief River Falls this summer in making improvements. A large addition is to be built to the roundhouse and a new handsome and commodious depot will be erected.

The depot is to be one of the finest and most permanent in the Northwest and built with a view of accommodating the business several years hence It will be a two story brick and stone structure 50 feet wide and about 200 feet in length. The ground floor will be fitted up for offices for the master mechanic, roadmaster and other officials of the road.

INDICATIONS GOOD FOR M. & I.

M. & I. AND N. P. OFFICIALS WERE CONSIDERING PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR FALLS

International Falls Echo: International Falls is today entertaining a party of prominent railroad men, they being W. H. Gemmell general manager of the M. & I.; G. A. Mitchell, assistant general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific, and Superintendent Strachen, of the M. & I. the party coming up this morning on a special train.

We are pleased to be able to announce that their visit is for the purpose of figuring out a schedule for a change in train service which is to provide night service between here and the twin cities, commencing the firstt of April.

It has been expected that this change would be made in the early spring but it is not supposed that the service would be inaugurated before the first of May. While not prepared to say anything officially regarding the new service, we learned from Mr. Gemmell that we would have a six-day service with the odds in favor of no train out Saturday evening and none in Monday morning. This arrangement will not only make traveling much more pleasant but it will greatly improve our mail service and increase the popularity of our town as a week-end excursion point.

The time of the accommodation train will be so changed as to take care of local travel between here and Bemidji and combined the two changes will give us a service that will be much appreciated by all travelers. The change is largely because of the increased activity which must come to our town in the spring and this recognition by the railroad company of what is in store for us is also pleasing to our citizens.

CLAIM ALLOWED BY HIS LODGE

DAVID TODD WILL DRAW CHECK FOR $1200 FROM THE AMERICAN YEOMEN

ONE LEG AMPUTATED AND OTHER MUST BE AMPUTATED AS RESULT OF DISEASE

From Tuesday's Daily—

M. W. Spaulding foreman of Golden Grain Homestead No. 264, of Grand Forks last evening received a message from W. E. Davy chief correspondent for the Brotherhood of American Yeomen stating that David Todd's claim for total disability had been allowed and that a check for $1,260 had been forwarded.

Mr. Todd's case has baffled the skill of physicians. He was taken ill on April 29 after working in the field all day. He was taken to the hospital in Grand Forks where it was found that he was afflicted with an unusual disease which shriveled a portion of his leg. At a consultation of physicians it was decided the leg should be amputated. Now his other leg is affected and must be amputated at the thigh to save his life.

Total Disability Claim

The Yeomen is the only fraternal order that has ever allowed any total disability claims, this being the third one in less than five years. The first claim being paid Martin Walsh the second to Thomas Hanrahan and the third to David Todd.

JACK'S RINK TO BE VAUDEVILLE HOUSE

MRS. R. FELDKIRCHNER SECURES THE LEASE OF THE BUILDING AT G. FORKS

Mrs. R. Feldkirchner has made arrangements with W. R. Jack to use the Auditorium at Grand Forks for vaudeville. George Webster the northwestern booking agent spent yesterday there and made arrangements for a new picture machine and acts to be there tonight.

The patrons of the Bijou will no doubt be glad to learn that Grand Forks' successful vaudeville house will be in readiness for them tonight and that Mr. Webster has promised to send the very best acts in the northwest here for the new opening.

Mrs. Feldkirchner has been too busy since the fire to listen to the many expressions of sympathy from all the interested friends, but she appreciates it just the same.

Socialists' Club Dance on Thursday March 18 at Odd Fellows Hall. Good music and good time assured. 50c a couple.

SIMENSON'S RIBS BROKEN IN WRECK

Christian A. Simenson the railway mail clerk who was hurt in the wreck of train No. 3 of the Great Northern Saturday afternoon near Granville, was taken to Grand Forks suffering from three broken ribs and some bruises. The mail car plunged off a fifteen foot bridge and embankment. Mail Clerks Ambrose Bach and J. Sauer escaped with a few bruises.

The baggageman on the train sustained severe bruises but no bones were broken.

The wreck was cleared up so that No. 2 got thru Sunday without transfer being necessary.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Osakis Review: International Falls is to have one of the largest paper mills in the world. The machinery for the plant will fill 50 cars and will cost $250,000. The Backus-Brooks company of Minneapolis are behind the project.

COMMERCIAL CLUB ROOMS NOW CERTAIN

From Tuesday's Daily—

The 25,000 Commercial club is now assured a club home.

The board of directors held a special session last evening and after listening to the report of the special committee which has been canvassing the sentiment of the membership, decided that there was practically unanimity of sentiment in favor of the club home and that it could be established with every indication of being a success.

Already eighty members have signified their intention of supporting an amendment to the Articles of Incorporation raising the dues from one to two dollars per month, and the committee has secured subscriptions to the amount of $1225 to be expended in the purchasing of furnishings for the rooms.

Subscription for Furnishing

In securing the club home it became necessary to secure a fund from which to furnish the rooms and the committee in calling upon the different members also presented this end of the project and the response has been most generous and liberal. When the report was made last evening there was subscribed just $1,225 and an effort is to be made to increase this amount to $1,500.

Membership May Be Limited

There is also a movement on foot to limit the membership of the club to 100 active members. It is believed that in this way membership in the club will become more valued and it will be sought with considerable interest. After the membership reaches the limit the idea is to have a waiting list and whenever a vacancy exists to fill it from the waiting list.

Desire the Traveling Men

An effort will also be made to enlist the co-operation of all traveling men who work in and out of Crookston. For then there will be created an associate membership which will give them all the benefits of the club home and the social features, but which will not entitle them to vote or to hold office. For such membership a fee of ten dollars will be charged payable five dollars each six months in advance. This amount will also cover all dues. The club believes that the traveling men should be enlisted in boosting the city.

As to the nature and character of the furnishings. This committee has a difficult task ahead of it, but there is no doubt but that it will be able to satisfactorily accomplish the task.

Special Meeting Called

The board at its meeting last evening decided to call a special meeting of the membership for an early date next week. At this time amendments to the Articles of Incorporation will be presented covering these changes.

Those Who Have Signed

The following have thus far been seen by the committee and have signed the membership list which will be held by the committee, Messrs. G. S. Chesterman and John A. Cowley and Secretary Brown, and every former members is invited to communicate with the committee and all citizens desirous of membership are requested to do likewise:

Jerome W. Wheeler, Louis Roy, C. C. Strander, Sam Rosenthal, H. L. Falk, W. T. Carlisle, C. E. Kiewel, A. Holmboe, Ed Peterson, J. A. Cowley, G. S. Chesterman, Thos. R. Brown, Jr., J. E. O'Brien, W. E. Slocum, A. C. Fournet, W. Phillips, Charles Loring, J. S. Crawford, J. P. Dotson, Arthur J. Johnson, Geo. A. Wright, Geo. F. Carpenter, A. A. Just, W. S. Lycan, Julius G. Spokely, R. C. Ruettell, H. C. Misner, W. A. Robertson, C. H. Zealand, Wilson Randolph, J. S. Kjelland, J. F. Boles, John R. R. Miles, E. W. Robbins, Ed L. Ralston, J. C. Sathre, H. W. Smith, Bert D. Keck, J. D. McPhee, Magnus Lundberg, J. F. Fournet, Jos Eckert, O. O. Christianson, C. L. Bang, Martin O'Brien, Thos. R. Johnstone, Frank Bracelin, Graham Munch, H. H. Chesterman, B. L. Crowe, P. C. Allen, N. A. Thorson, D. Krouse, G. Oliver Riggs, Geo. T. Hamery, E. E. McIntyre, J. S. Newbery, A. R. Faust, I. B. Fisher, L. Ellington, F. M. Brown, Tom Morris, E. W. Jones O. K. Berget, O. Mercil, Jr., S. A. Wallace, N. S. Davies, Dr. Thos. Spence, L. E. Larson, M. Ericsson, E. M. Walsh, J. H. Boyd, C. E. Brennan, E. Steenerson, C. E. Gildersleeve, Joseph Ball, Virgil McGregor.

MRS. AMIGH MAKES STARTLING STATEMENT

"Summer resorts and excursion centers which are well advertised as Graetna Greens and as places where the usual legal and official formalities preliminary to respectable marriage are reduced to a minimum are star recruiting stations for the white slave traffic," is the declaration made by Mrs. Ophelia L. Amigh, superintendent of the Illinois State Training School for Girls, who speaks with the authority of one who for years has dealt with the effects of white slavery in fact has sent twelve white slavers to prison. In an article written for the Woman's World of Chicago in its campaign for suppression of the traffic in daughters of American homes Mrs. Amigh denounces the Graetna greens and runaway marriages, giving from her experience, a startling explanation. "I earnestly urge all mothers never to allow a daughter to go to one of these places on an excursion or under any pretext whatever, unless accompanied by some older member of the family," she says, "and even then there is something unwholesome and contaminating in the very atmosphere of such a place.

"Do you think that I overstate the perils of places of this kind? Of these gay excursion centers, these American Graetna Greens? I hesitate to say how many girls I have had under my care who were enticed into a 'run-away marriage' at these places—and then promptly sold into white slavery by the men whom they had married, the men who married them for no other purpose than to sell them to the houses of the red light district and live in luxury from the proceeds of their shame.

"Let every mother teach her daughter that the man who proposes an elopement, a runaway marriage, is not to be trusted for an instant and puts himself under suspicion of being that most loathsome of all things in human form—a white slave trader."

Mrs. Amigh mentions some of the innumerable cases which come under her personal observation where the startling fact was made plain that trains to Chicago and other cities and the city stations are "worked" as systematically for girl victims for white slavery as they are for the bus and transfer companies.

DESERVING OF HEARTY PUBLIC SUPPORT

On St. Patrick's Day each year the Woman's Relief Comps gives a supper to raise funds to maintain and care for the soldiers' plot in the cemetery.

Until the Relief Comps assumed this duty the graves of veterans having no relatives living here were neglected and uncared for except on Memorial Day.

Arches were placed at the four entrances, the walks were sodded, the graves marked with headstones, flower beds formed and a hedge of wild roses planted to outlines the whole plot.

Over two of the arches the flowering clematis is trained, while the wild ivy graces the other two.

In the early spring the tulip beds are bright with bloom and the red geraniums furnish a bright spot of color. All during the heat of summer and until the frost cuts them down in the late autumn.

During the season the grass is clipped and watered and the weeds kept down, so that the soldiers' plot bears little resemblance to the bare spot of seven years ago.

The Relief Comps is working for a soldiers' monument to be placed in the center with suitable inscriptions engraved thereon.

They have a substantial sum for the purpose already and if the project receives the support and encouragement it deserves, the monument will be erected by another Memorial Day. This project is very dear to Mrs. A. J. Streeter and she is untiring in her efforts to increase the fund.

The supper the Relief Comps give on St. Patrick's day is to raise money for the maintenance of the Soldiers' burying ground and is worthy of the generous patronage of ever one.

Hibbing Tribune: If you never realized what a rich man you are add your self up by the Lurment bill now before the legislature. Two hundred and fifty dollars for ach big toe and $100 for the other toes. Two eyes $20,000 hand and foot $10,000 to say nothing of the appendix, etc., which ought to top you off to a million.

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PLAN TO SECURE RECORD VOTES

APPLAUSE GREETS SPEECH

Legislator Makes Impassioned Appeal for Shurtleff for Senator.

Springfield, Ill., March 25.—While the fifty-third ballot was in progress Representative Lederer made an impassioned speech, declaring that the right man to be elected senator was Edward D. Shurtleff and changed his vote to Shurtleff. Cheers and applause greeted the words and vote of Representative Lederer, who most of the session has voted for Mason. The ballot then proceeded without incident until Speaker Shurtleff himself voted for Governor Deneen, the first vote to be cast in the joint sessions for the governor.

EDWARD D. SHURTLEFF.

TAFT DISAPPROVES ROOSEVELT METHODS

New President Abandons Many of Predecessor's Policies.

Washington, March 25.—Although less than three weeks elapsed between the inauguration of President Taft and the sailing of Theodore Roosevelt for Africa it is a matter of remark that the new president has placed the seal of disapproval on many of the methods of his predecessor in doing business. A list hastily prepared is as follows:

Disuse of simplified spelling; "through" no longer spelled "thru."

Abandonment of evidence obtained by the bureau of corporations in criminal prosecutions.

Abandonment of the plan of recommending details of legislation to congress.

Rejection of the plan of creating commissions and expending money without the authority of congress.

Reversal of the policy instituted by the Roosevelt administration in closing the Pensacola and New Orleans navyyards.

Departure from the policy of appointing negroes to office in the South over the protest of a majority of the white citizens.

Long messages to congress discarded.

Senators given anew the right to recommend presidential appointments.

New policy in process of formation for enforcing the interstate commerce laws.

Members of the cabinet given the privilege of choosing their assistants.

NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED

Severe Storm Sweeps Over Wise County, Tex.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 25.—Reports received here from Wise county, thirty miles north of here, say that a terrific electrical storm swept that county and that four persons were burned to death in a fire which followed. The town of Slidell is reported practically destroyed by the storm and only two houses were left standing. Many farmhouses throughout the county were wrecked. Bridgeport and Decatur are said to have suffered heavy losses. Two negroes, Henry and Will Cook, were killed by lightning near Sander.

Later advices from the storm swept area give an increasing death list. A. D. Price, a farmer, his wife and five children and a farmhand were burned to death three miles north of Slidell by the destruction of their home. Twenty persons are reported injured.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

Opponents of Payne Bill Hold Conferences.

FIGHT RECIPROCITY IDEA

Assert Plan to Admit Canadian Coal Free of Duty Would Not Lessen the Price to Consumer, but Only Enrich the American Operator—Say Majority of Members Object to Hide and Lumber Schedules.

Washington, March 25.—An effort is to be made in the house to secure record votes on the schedules of the new tariff bill which affect hides, bituminous coal and lumber. The Republican members who are opposed to the changes which the Payne bill makes in these schedules have had several meetings. They believe that the placing of hides on the free list, the reduction of 50 per cent in the duties on lumber and the reciprocity provision for free bituminous coal are not desired by a majority of the members.

There are probably as many members who want a vote on the proposition to place lumber on the free list as there are members who desire to test the feeling regarding the retention of the present lumber duty. The latter sentiment is particularly strong on the Democratic side. Those who desire the present duty of 67 cents per ton on bituminous coal retained declare that the placing of this article on the free list will not reduce the price to the consumer.

They attack the reciprocity provision in the Payne bill which declares that bituminous coal shall only be admitted free when imported from any country which imposes no tax or duty upon coal imported from the United States. The argument presented is that this arrangement would permit the entry of coal free of duty from Canada should that country repeal its import duty on coal.

In event of the latter case, it is contended, the American coal dealers of Pennsylvania and Ohio, who now control a large Canadian market, would add to their pockets the amount of the duty repealed by Canada. The British Columbia coal, which would come in free of duty, it is said, would compete with the great quantity of coal from the American government's coal lands in several Western states, reducing the price which the government receives for this coal.

CHAMP CLARK HAS THE FLOOR

Democratic Leader Speaks on the Tariff Bill.

Washington, March 25.—Interest in the tariff discussion in the house of representatives centered in the speech of Mr. Clark of Missouri, minority leader and ranking Democratic member of the committee on ways and means. From the outset Mr. Clark's remarks commanded attention. At times he injected humor into what he had to say and frequently was interrupted by applause.

As a preliminary to his set speech Mr. Clark provoked the house to great laughter and Mr. Olmsted of Pennsylvania, the chairman, to no little embarrassment by congratulating him upon the advent Tuesday of a son.

For Mr. Payne the minority leader had only words of praise and his remarks in that connection elicited applause on both sides. Mr. Payne's powers of endurance, he declared, were a marvel and his nine-hour speech on the tariff had made him a great historical person. "Indeed," said Mr. Clark, "he has knocked higher than a kite the idiotic theory of Dr. Osler." The speech of the majority leader he characterized as a superb vindication of his physical strength.

Mr. Clark also had a kind word for every member of the committee on ways and means. "We worked like galley slaves in trying to ascertain the truth," he said. He denied that the committee had bullyragged any witness, as, he said, had been charged, and declared that if any witness had received an indecent word in the committee room he had provoked it by his own acts.

Americans Purchase an Island.

Mexico City, March 25.—H. M. Crankshaw of Guaymas and a number of Americans have purchased Carmen island, situated in the Gulf of California, from James Viesca of La Paz, Mex. The island embraces about eight square miles, most of which is solid salt deposit.

THE SENATE KILLS TRADING STAMP

PASSES BILL PREPARED BY JUDICIARY COMMITTEE — NO STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION—MEASURE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE LOBECK OF ALEXANDRIA KILLED IN THE HOUSE—ANTI-TREATING BILL MEETS THE SAME FATE—HOUSE IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE RECOMMENDS PASSAGE OF BILL TO REDUCE MORTGAGE REGISTRY TAX.

St. Paul, March 24.—After a speech by Senator G. P. Wilson the senate passed the bill killing the trading stamp. The bill was one prepared by the judiciary committee after argument in which the best lawyers of the state talked on the constitutionality of the proposed act. The bill prohibits the usual trading stamp, but permits them when the article is stated for which the stamp is good and provided that no definite number of stamps be required before something is obtainable.

Two state senators indulged in personalities at the meeting of the subcommittee of the senate roads and bridges committee appointed to apportion the $300,000 road and bridge appropriation, generally known as the "pork barrel." The approtionment of two years ago, with a 50 per cent increase to use up the additional $100,000, was made in all except two counties. It was over these two counties that the miniature storm occurred, and it ended by the sub-committee passing a motion to reduce the amount for Meeker county by $75, and apply it to Todd county.

The measure offered by E. E. Lobeck of Alexandria providing for a state-wide prohibition and Representative Lee's anti-treating bill were both killed in the house. There were sixty-one votes against the former and thirty-eight for it, while Lee's motion for rejecting an adverse report on his measure was lost by a vote of 40 to 59.

Thayer Bill Recommended to Pass.

The Thayer bill providing a stamp tax on board of trade sales of 1 cent per $100 was recommended for passage by the house after a lively debate. L. H. Johnson of Minneapolis tried to amend the bill so that any broker who paid a $50 license fee would escape the stamp tax, but this did not carry.

The house committee of the whole recommended for passage F. T. White's bill placing sheriffs on a salary basis all over the state. Henry Rines of Mora opposed the bill because it increased the cost to the counties in most cases, but the motion was adopted by a vote of 47 to 45.

The house in committee of the whole recommended for passage Representative Stuart's bill reducing the mortgage registry tax from 50 cents to 10 cents on $100. The vote was thirty-four to fifty-four. This is a substitute for Mr. Stuart's former bill, which exempted them entirely from taxation. There was a question as to the constitutionality of exempting them entirely, so he proposed this nominal tax.

The Stuart bill applies only to mortgages on real estate. A bill for a nominal tax of three mills on other credits, such as state, county and municipal bonds, notes, accounts, tax certificates and the like was introduced by C. M. Bendixen of Morgan and T. J. Kneeland of Minneapolis.

Reapportionment Plan.

Copies of the reapportionment plan which the committee of the two houses are working on were handed to members of both houses. The scheme calls for fifty senators, instead of sixty-three, as at present, but does not reduce the present number of representatives, 119. The senate apportionment is based on one for each 40,000 and for representatives one for each county with one for each 15,000 additional. Every county, except two or three of the new counties in the northern part of the state, gets a representative. Ramsey and Hennepin get the same number as at present—five senators and eleven representatives in Ramsey, and seven senators and sixteen representatives in Hennepin—but some changes are made in the districts.

Kerry Conley of Rochester introduced a bill in the house designed to permit a packing plant to locate at the proposed Armour site provided it is true, as Minneapolis contends, that modern packing plants are odorless and inoffensive. His bill requires any person, firm or corporation establishing a soap factory, tannery, stock yard, rendering plant, packing plant or any other business of a nature that may be offensive within four miles of any state institution of learning, to give a bond to the state in a sum equal to 25 per cent of the cost of the plant, which bond shall be forfeited to the state whenever their plant becomes offensive or obnoxious to the state institutions and they do not remove the offense.

Some of the house members are sorry now that they passed the new prison bill, and a resolution for a committee of five to investigate the matter was presented to the house.

SURRENDER TO THE POLICE

Four Men Recently Indicted at Boston for Conspiracy.

Boston, March 25.—Four men connected with the structural steel business, who recently were indicted by the grand jury for conspiracy to defraud the city of Boston by collusive bidding for structural contracts, surrendered to police inspectors and were placed under arrest. They are Albert S. Miller, Jr., of Worcester; Elmer F. Smith of Marion, Charles M. Pennycuick of Worcester and Frank E. White of Malden.

INMATES ESCAPE INJURY

Bomb Exploded in Hallway of Chicago Residence.

Chicago, March 25.—An attempt to destroy the home of James Macaluso, a steamship and labor agent, was made when a dynamite bomb was exploded in the hallway of the building. Macaluso and members of his family were thrown out of their beds, but escaped injury.

The police made a thorough search of the neighborhood, just south of the loop district, but no trace of the dynamiters could be found.

Macaluso could not understand why the attempt to injure him was made. He said he had had no trouble with anybody and had received no threatening letters.

Severe Storm in the West.

Chicago, March 25.—A severe storm has developed in the Rocky mountain region and telegraphic communication with Denver has been lost over all routes.

His Great Love.

She—Darling, do you love me? He (kissing her rapturously and repeatedly)—Do I? I wish you were a two headed girl. That's all I can say.—London Tit-Bits.

SOUTH POLE NOT TOUCHED

Lieutenant Shackelton's Expedition Fell Short of Goal.

London, March 25.—Lieutenant Ernest H. Shackelton of the British navy and his exploration party did not quite reach the South pole, as was reported.

The expedition reached within 111 miles of the pole, which is 354 miles nearer than the point attained by the "discovery expedition," of which Lieutenant Shackelton was an officer.

As the expedition was undertaken rather for the purpose of geographical survey than with the idea of reaching the pole it may be said to have succeeded beyond expectation.

PRICES ON BOURSE DECLINE

Marked Pessimism at Vienna Concerning Balkan Situation.

Vienna, March 25.—Marked pessimism again prevails here concerning the Balkan situation, but the feeling seems to be based largely on surmise or unsupported facts. Prices on the bourse fell considerably on the report that the powers had failed to reach an agreement regarding the steps to be taken at Belgrade. The powers, however, are still negotiating.

KILLS CHILDREN AND SELF

Connecticut Woman Takes Three Lives While Demented.

Simsbury, Conn., March 25.—The bodies of Mrs. Amos Miller and her two children were found in the Farmington river. The children had been tied together before drowning ensued and through a note left by Mrs. Miller the probabilities are strong that while mentally depressed she took their lives and her own.

Great is the fact that our interests gradually take a wider scope, allowing more scope for the healing power of compensation.—Dinah Mulock Craik.

MINERS APPEAR TO FAVOR PEACE

Convention Proceedings Indicate Modified Demands.

SPEECH IS APPLAUDED

Delegate Advocating Action That Will Result in a Continuation of Work Receives Approval of His Hearers. One Resolution Introduced Asks Only for Recognition of the Union and the "Check Off."

Scranton, Pa., March 25.—That the mine workers now in session in this city will not resort to the radical step of ordering a general suspension of coal mining in the anthracite fields in order to enforce their demands on the employers was indicated by the trend of proceedings in the brief session of the convention in Music hall. One delegate made a plea for the adoption of more moderate demands in the interest of peace and a resolution from one of the local unions read in the convention advocated the continuance of work without an agreement until the men were better prepared to enforce their demands. The speech for peace evoked considerable applause and the resolution was well received. Another resolution asked only for the recognition of the union and the "check off." All the resolutions reported to the convention were referred to the committee which will define the policy of the anthracite men.

The resolutions committee made a partial report. One resolution from a local union provided that the convention drop all demands except recognition of the union and the "check off." The committee concurred in the resolution, but after a brief discussion the resolution was referred to the policy committee.

Another resolution provided that the miners continue at work without an agreement until the men can at a more appropriate time enforce their demands. This was also referred to the policy committee.

A motion then was adopted that all resolutions touching the policy of the anthracite miners be referred by the resolutions committee to the policy committee without reading.

If the situation warrants an officer of the miners' union will present a resolution to the convention asking President Taft to appoint a commission similar to the anthracite coal strike commission to investigate the conditions at present as compared with those that existed in 1902 in order to learn if the demands of the men are just.

LIQUOR INTERESTS TO FIGHT

Claim Destruction of Business by Prohibition Is Illegal.

Cincinnati, March 25.—The liquor interests of the country are about to start a fight in the state and federal courts which will make a new and more thorough test of their rights under the Constitution than has any previous litigation in all the years of the battle against the liquor traffic.

Circular letters have been received by local brewers and distillers asking their co-operation in a meeting soon to be held in this city to formulate plans for the fight.

While the circulars could not be secured for publication it is stated that the liquor people will ask the courts "to determine whether a brewer or distiller who has invested millions in real estate that cannot be removed or realized upon after the destruction of the business, such investments having been made under laws that apparently secured him in the building up of large properties and devoting many lives to its development, all of which is jeopardized and destroyed without due process of law and without compensation for the destruction of the property," can be legally deprived of his rights.

The question is to be raised particularly in the states where there is statewide prohibition. Particular reference is made to Tennessee, where it is said millions invested in such property has been destroyed.

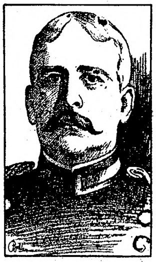
Shoots Father-in-Law and Self.

Jamestown, N. Y., March 25.—Lynn Hodges shot and fatally wounded his father-in-law, A. P. Anderson, at the joint home of the two at Youngsville, Pa. A few minutes later Hodges put a bullet in his own head. Both men will die.

TAFT APPROVES SENTENCE

Major Fremont, Son of "Pathfinder," Dismissed From Army.

Washington, March 25. — Major Francis P. Fremont, Fifth United States infantry, is to be dismissed from the army as a result of his conviction by courtmartial in Cuba on the charge of insubordination, President Taft having approved the sentence of the court. Major Fremont is a son of the "Pathfinder" and is now stationed at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.



MAJOR FREMONT.

KILLS DAUGHTER ON NEW YORK STREET

Father Prevented From Shooting Himself by Passerby.

New York, March 25.—Within sight of several of her schoolteacher friends and pupils on the way to school through a crowded street on the upper East Side Miss Anna A. Mangano, a teacher in a public school, was shot and instantly killed by her father, Phillip Mangano, a court interpreter. He then turned the revolver on himself, but was prevented from carrying out his purpose by Adolph Schwartz, a young man, who grappled with him. Two more shots were fired while the men struggled, but both went wild. Mangano broke away from Schwartz, but was overtaken and arrested by two policemen.

At the police station Mangano refused to say anything about himself, but a bank book in the names of Anna Mangano and Phillip Mangano led to the discovery of his identity. Frank Lacatira, a brother-in-law of the dead schoolteacher, later appeared at the police station and identified the prisoner as the dead girl's father. Lacatira told the police that his sister-in-law was compelled to leave her father's house last January because of his cruel and inhuman treatment of her and had lived at a working girls' home in Lexington avenue since then. He said that Mangano probably shot his daughter in a spirit of revenge because she had left him.

BALLOONISTS REACH SAFETY

Escape Death After Sensational Aerial Trip.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 25.—Captain A. E. Mueller and his five companions have returned to Los Angeles from their sensational balloon trip which began Saturday in Pasadena.

The balloon America, in which the party ascended, was swept by blizzards into the high Sierra Madres, where, after landing, the men found a lonely farmhouse.

They managed to reach Switzer's camp later and telephoned to Los Angeles. The entire forest ranger service and hundreds of other men engaged in the search for the balloonists and it was believed they had perished in the storms.

New Trial on Technicality.

Montgomery, Mo., March 25.—Dr. W. H. Hemphill, convicted and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary in connection with the death of Miss Elizabeth Gleason, a schoolteacher, who was sent to him for consultation by Rev. Clyde H. Gow, was granted a new trial here on a technicality.

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CONVENTION PROVES A GRAND SUCCESS

Both Teachers And School Directors Are Highly Pleased With Convention Just Closed.

OFFICERS ELECTED

President—Prof. George Keenan, Warren.
Vice President—Supt. Hove, Bagley.
Secretary and Treasurer—Co. Supt. N. A. Thorson.

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon the convention of the Northwestern Minnesota Teachers' Association came to an end and the universal sentiment was that it htd been the greatest in the history of the organization. In enthusiasm, interest and atendance it proved more successful than all former annual meetings and as the visitors left for their homes they had the highest praise for the city as a convention place and for the hospitality exhibited by the citizens generally.

While most of the visiting teachers and officers left the city on the evening trains many remained over till this morning and by this evening they will have all departed from the city. The attendance was in excess of five hundred and the registration reached almost that figure.

Election of Officers

Before an adjournment was reached the annual election of officers was held. The honor of being the organization's president fell to Superintendent George Keenan of Warren, one of the most popular and well known educators in northwestern Minnesota. There is no question but that his administration will be one of great vigor and the work of the association will be pushed to the limit.

Superintendent I. S. Hev, of Bagley was selected as vice president and Polk County is represnted thru the selection of Superintendent N. A. Thorson, as the secretary-treasurer. Considerable work will devolve upon him an dther eis no question but that he can be depended upon to push the association with his characteristic aggressiveness.

It is expected that the next convention of the assosiation will be held in this city, this being the most central point and the one most easily to reach from all sections of the district.

Session at Agricultural School

Fully 500 visitors and citizens took advantage of the two special trains which had been provided by the commercial club to afford transportation to the School of Agriculture and the state experiment farm. The first train left the Great Northern depot at 3:45 and carried about 250 visitors. The second train leaving at 4:30 o'clock was also crowded to its capacity.

At the farm the visitors were shown thru the buildings and about the grounds. They also visited the students in their rooms and at their work an dsecured a most thoro understanding of the methods of the institution. They were pleased with the information they had secured and left the institution regarding it as one of the leading ones of the state.

The entire 500 were tendered a luncheon by Prof. and Mrs. Wm. Robertson and a most pleasant social time was enjoyed by the immense gathering. The party returned to the city via the regular St. Vincent train and a special. Great credit is due the officials of the Great Northern for the excellent manner in which they handled the large crowd and with their efforts to make the event pass off with the greatest satisfaction.

Convention Was a Success

There is no question but that the convention was a success in every particular. Those who attended stated that in practical information the meetings had ben a veritable mine and the opportunity afforded for the interchange of thoughts and ideas was ideal in every particular.

Hon. C. G. Shulz, State Supt. of Public Instruction, who spoke on the Minnesota School System and Some of Its Possibilities. Mr. Schulz came into office the first of the year to succeed J. W. Olsen, to whom he had been assistant for several years. Mr. Schulz was the unonimous choice of all the educators of the state for this position. He ranks high with all the leading educators of the country and Crookston will look with pleasant anticipation toward another visit of Supt. Schulz.

Supt. McIntyre, who spoke in his characteristic and forcible way on the rural school situation, and the progress in this field of the work. Mr. McIntyre urged upon the school officers the importance of a better attendance in the schools and brought up the subject of compulsory education laws and the truant officer and his value The address was very well received.

Supt. L. M. Mithun of Marshall Co. was next introduced and in his fearless way he presented some of the every day problems of the country school work. He held the continuous attention of the audience for a full hour and his discussion of school buildings, grounds, heating, lighting and ventilation, etc., was very favorably received by the school trustees and contained some very good suggestions

Afternoon Session

The convention reassembled at 1:30 at the city hall at which time the question box, lead by Supt. Schulz was taken up. Mr. Schulz imparted much useful information in response to the many questions propounded by the school officers from the country districts.

Supt. A. D. Wilson of the farmers institute next addressed the session on the subject of teaching Agriculture in the Rural schools and pointed in a clear and concise manner the importance of this work for the benefit of the country girls and boys in order that the agricultural interests are to get their full share of the present educational work.

Excellent Suggestions

Supt. A. M. Dunton of McIntosh next spoke on the importance of having the agricultural schools located in the country districts, and urged the farmers to hold on to what naturally belonged to them. Prof. L. P. Harrington of the School of Agriculture was the next speaker, who had to confine his remarks to a few brief moments. He outlined the possibilities of the industrial contest for the boys and girls of the county.

Viking Chorus Makes Decided Hit

Special thanks are due to the Viking Chorus which furnished music at all the sessions of the school officers. The visitors were greatly pleased with this feature and the special attention that was given them by the chorus, and the people of the city of Crookston also owe a vote of thanks to the Viking Chorus for the splendid work they did in assisting in entertaining the visitors.

300 School Officers

There were 300 school officers present and they were unanimous in expressing themselves as highly pleased with the program and all believed that the cause of education thruout this section of the state would be greatly benefited as a result.

Pass Strong Resolutions.

Before an adjournment was taken this morning the committee on resolutions presented a report embodying strong resolutions covering agricultural, education, normal school, and other matters which are of the greatest interest to the teachers and all educators. The resolutions are in full as follows:

Whereas, it is generally conceded and acknowledged by all that an additional State Normal School in northwestern Minnesota is needed to carry on the educational work now begun, and that such an additional normal school would, in a great measure, serve to supply the schools of this section with better trained teachers; and

Whereas, a bill known as H. F. No. 117, for the establishment of such a school, has been introduced in the house of representatives by the Honorable E. R. Hines and is now pending before the legislature of the state of Minnesota; and

Whereas, said bill provides that the location of the said normal school shall be left with the state normal board, we believe that said bill is a just and reasonable one, and that no injustice would be done any locality by the passage of the aforesaid bill; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the teachers and other educators of northwestern Minnesota, in convention assembled, in the city of Crookston, on this the 19th day of March, 1909, that we pledge ourselves to the support of the said bill, and most earnestly request the honorable members of the senate and house of representatives of the state of Minnesota to use every honorable means at their command to secure the passage of said bill.

Whereas, we have enjoyed the kindness and hospitality of the citizens and teachers of Crookston, and we greatly appreciate their successful efforts to make our sojourn a pleasant one, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we, the N. W. M. E. A., do hereby extend our thanks to Supt. McIntire and his corps of teachers, to the citizens of Crookston and the press for their efforts in our behalf, and, furthermore do we extend our sincere thanks to the officers of this association for the instructive and very successful meeting arranged by them.

We favor the passage of the bill providing for the election of county superintendents by county boards of education.

We favor the district agricultural school plan, the introduction of industrial work in the high schools, and the introduction of agriculture into the rural public schools.

We recognize that an agricultural education is the peculiar heritage of the farmer and that in all plans for the extension of agricultural education his interests should receive first consideration. That the rural district school as now organized is the farmer's school and that through the highest development of the farmer's school the best results in agricultural education are to be secured, and we favor the passing of the bill encouraging the consolidation of the rural schools.

We believe that rural high schools may render valuable service to their communities by establishing courses in agriculture, domestic science and manual training and by preparing the way for the introduction of these courses into the rural schools, and we favor such appropriations from the state as will enable the rural high schools to do effective work along these lines.

Whereas, the methoda of supplying text books to our public schools have been a matter of investigation by the legislature now in session, and as a result of such investigation a bill is now pending in that body providing for state uniformity of text books and a state text book commission, and

Whereas, our experience in Minnesota, and the experience of every state that has tried the proposed plan, has demonstrated that the state uniformity system was unsatisfactory and a hindrance to do educational progress, therefore, be it resolved,

First, that we are strongly opposed to state uniformity of text books and to a state text book commission, believing that it would be a backward step and a great detriment to the cause of education and

Second, that we urge our senators and representatives to use every honorable means to defeat the proposed legislation;

Third, that each system of schools should be left free to seelct the text books for use in its schools;

Fourth, that a superintendent of a system, supported in his judgment by his teachers, is the proper person to select the text books for use in his system and that no books should be adopted without his recommendation;

Fifth, that we are strongly opposed to the contract clause of our present text book law, and we urge that school boards and school men look with disfavor upon any company or its agents who attempt to bind districts by a contract covering a term of years;

Sixth, that we condemn any attempt on the part of school book publishers or their agents to secure positions for superintendents or teachers or to oppose applicants for any position and we denounce the acceptance of any such assistance as unprofessional.

Signed—
G. E. KEENAN,
A. M. DUNTON,
H. R. TONNING.

Reception to Teachers.

Last evening in the high school building the visitors were tendered a reception by the teachers of the local schools and the citizens. The affair proved to be a great success in every way and as a social event was all that could be desired. The building was crowded and light refreshments were served during the evening. A pleasing program was rendered by Mickelson's high school orchestra and the high school glee clubs.

From Friday's Daily—

The third annual convention of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association will adjourn today after having one of the most successful and profitable sessions in its history. In every particular the convention has proven a success and the teachers, school officers and prominent educators express the highest praise for the manner in which the convention has been conducted and handled. Not an unpleasant incident arose to mar the meeting and the visitors will leave the city this evening with the highest conception of the hospitality of the citizens of Crookston.

Was Well Attended

There are in excess of five hundred visitors in the city today and conservative estimates place the number at almost six hundred. At noon today the register showed 402 names of teachers and school officers and it is believed that fully one third of the visitors attending the convention have not as yet registered. Those registered from all sections of the district, each county being well represented by both teachers and officers.

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State Superintendent Here

The presence of C. G. Schulz, state superintendent of public instruction, in the city today added to the interest manifested in the sessions. He addressed the school officers and the teachers and in a carefully prepared paper showed what the posibilities of the public school system were and his remarks lifted a high goal towards which every one connected with the school system should aspire. His paper called forth great applause and was appreciated by the large audience most fully.

The other addresses of the sessions today were excellent and the round table discussion this afternoon under the different leaders held the interest of every teacher and were the means of transmitting exceedingly valuable information.

Visit Agricultural School

The visitors this afternoon at 3:45 and 4:30 o'clock were taken to the Crookston school of Agriculture on two special trains which had been secured by the commercial club. The first train was well filled with the rural school officers, who adjourned earlier than the teachers. They desired to reach the farm in time to make an inspection of the stock and the stock buildings. The second train which was devoted to the teachers was also well filled and there is no question but that the crowd at the school will be the largest that has visited it with the exception of the day when Stephens hall was dedicated.

The visitors were greatly interested in looking over the buildings and the grounds and also in seeing the students at their work. The keenest interest was manifested in the methods maintaining at the school and there is no question but that the visitors realized most fully the great work that the school is doing in northwestern Minnesota.

After the visitors had been given an opportunity to conclude their investigations, they were invited to the large students' dining room in the new Stephens Hall and were served with a delightful light luncheon by Prof. and Mrs Wm. Robertson. The event proved most enjoyable and at its conclusion the visitors were addressed by Superintendent Robertson who in a few words outlined the methods and the aims of the institution. He made a strong plea for agricultural education and there is no question but that every visitor was convinced that the agricultural school needed a liberal appropriation for its proper development in the future.

Oratorical Contest Tonight

At the city hall this evening the students of the Crookston High School will have an oratorical contest with the students of the Moorhead high school. This event will be of most intense interest as those who will take part in the program have been making preparations for some time and there is every indication that it will be a contest well worth witnessing.

An Eloquent Address

The address of President Frank L. McVey of the University of North Dakota and formerly chairman of the Minnesota state tax commission, last evening in the city hall, proved to be one of the leading features of the convention. Prof. McVey is a pleasing orator and a deep thinker and there is no question but that his effort was one of the most scholarly ever delivered in Crookston. His subject was "The Public School as a Social Agency."

Other details of the convention will be published tomorrow.

**"My three year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkosh, Casimer, Wis.
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YOUNG MAN SI CRUSHED TO DEATH UNDER PLANKS

THOMAS RUDE DIES INSTANTLY—FORMER RESIDENT OF MANVEL VICTIM OF AN ACCIDENT NEAR ST. JOHN—SLEIGH TIPS OVER ON STEEP PLACE ON ROAD AND ENTIRE LOAD OF HEAVY PLANKS CRUSHED LIFE OUT OF RUDE—BODY IS BROUGHT TO GRAND FORKS AND FUNERAL WILL BE HELD NEAR MANVEL FRIDAY—HAD MANY FRIENDS

From Thursday's Daily—

The body of Thomas Rude, who was killed accidentally on a road near St. John, N. D. was brought to Grand Forks last evening and this morning was taken to Manvel where the funeral will be held tomorrow. The body was brought there by John Kittleson of East Grand Forks an uncle of the young man.

Mr. Rude was killed Monday while engaged in hauling planks to Bannerman, a Canadian town a few miles from his farm. When going along a steep place the sleigh was tipped over and Rude was crushed to death under the planks. It is believed that he died instantly. About an hour after the accident he was found and the body was taken to St. John.

Would Soon Have Title

The deceased was 28 years old and was unmarried. He had been living on his claim near St. John for nearly five years and planned to prove up on it April 1. He is survived by his mother and five brothers and sisters. Two brothers and two sisters reside at Roseau, Minn., and one lives at Manvel. His mother, Mrs. B. Silerud also resides at Manvel.

The deceased was a resident all his life near Manvel until five years ago when he moved to his claim near St. John. He was well known in Grand Forks. Many friends will regret to learn of his untimely death.

Industrious Young Man

Mr. Rude had installed a plank sawing machine on his farm and during the winter months has been engaged in sawing planks. He found a ready sale for the product in Canada and was delivering a large load when he met with death.

The funeral at Manvel will be attended by many friends from Grand Forks and East Grand Forks.

Babies And The Ballot

There is no such thing as a free and unlimited suffrage. The ballot does not belong to all men alike; it belongs only to certain men who, the best wisdom of which we have yet been capable, has decided, shall vote for us, says the Duluth Herald.

The rights of the ballot do not extend to women except in certain limited cases; the male kind under 21 years of age are not allowed to vote; most black men do not vote, the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States notwithstanding; and even white men, of lawful age, may exercise the right of franchise only upon certain conditions. It is apparent, not only that there is no free and unlimited suffrage but that there never will be. In fact, there are reasons to believe that the ballot may in time be denied to many who now have it.

Among the contributions to the discussion of woman's suffrage in this country is the declaration of "a courageous woman," as the Outlook calls her, that suffrage should be given to woman, but that it should be given only to married women who are mothers. First produce a baby or no ballot! The reasoning of the "courageous woman" is that suffrage is already too widely extended and that the highest good of the whole people demands that suffrage be restricted, not extended. The state should be governed by those best fitted to govern, she declares. Mothers, having a deeper sense of responsibility than other women can possibly have, are the only women who should have the ballot.

But whether the baby should be the sine qua non of the ballot for women, the suggestion touches nearly a matter which is of concern to every one who desires good government. We may safely start from the assumption that suffrage will always be restricted; there will always be some who may vote and some who may not vote. By what rule shall those who are to have the ballot be separated from those who are not to have it If the wisdom of time has shown us that some restrictions must be made, it is possible that with greater wisdom we shall decide on still further restrictions. For instance, conditions under which the right of suffrage is now exercised as was recently pointed out by The Herald, are such as to make it practically certain that the most ignorant and the most corrupt shall cast their ballots, but that the best intelligence of the country the men whose influence is most desired in each election for good government, shall be largely prevented from voting Commercial travelers and men whose business frequently take them away from home lose their votes by the the thousand in every election, but the bum and the loafer is right on hand with every opening of the polls. If a man is known to be an enemy of good government, ought he be allowed the ballot? Ought we not to remove restrictions which prevent a large proportion of our best citizens from voting?

The question of woman's suffrage is a question which woman themselves must settle. It is not so much for men to give women the ballot as it is for women to take it or not to take it, as they shall determine. But as to whether the ballot shall be confined to women who are mothers and to men of adjudged fitness is a far broader and a far more difficult question. Certain it is that restrictions exist, and that the pressure is rather for still other restrictions than for more universal suffrage. The best government is the government in which the greatest number intelligently and honestly participate and it is to such and such only that the ballot ought to extend.

Augurs Well For Future

The grand meeting of school officers and teachers in Crookston certainly augurs well for progress in educational matters in Northwestern Minnesota. The gathering is the largest of the kind ever held in the northwest and the interest displayed is indicative of a desire to raise the standard of education by improving methods of instruction all along the line.

The gathering is particularly gratifying to Crookston. While this city has naturally been the educational center of the state, the fact remains that there have been too few similar conventions held here in the past. Such a convention naturally means an almost endless amount of work, and the bulk of it falls upon a few in Crookston,. However the endeavor required is paid for a thousand fold by the results attained.

In the first place the effort necessary, together with the financial outlay required is more than recompensed by the general betterment of educational conditions.

In addition to this is the value of such a character to Crookston. Just from a selfish standpoint such a gathering is of inestimable value to Crookston. Such a convention cost money, involved a vast amount of labor etc., but is is worth far more than the cost. Crookston has not been as active in promoting such gatherings in the past as should have been displayed but for the future the present convention has set a standard that will be lived up to in that line.

Everything possible has been done to make the visit of the teachers and school officers both pleasant and profitable, and they have been unanimous in expressing their appreciation of the efforts expended for their benefit.

Nothing is more valuable to a city than a reputation for hospitality, and Crookston has scored a success on this occasion. The work of the 25,000 Commercial club and of Supt. Thorson, Supt. McIntyre and the entire faculty of the Crookston schools, is entitled to the most hearty commendation. It is such a spirit displayed on occasions of this kind that means a greater Crookston. And added to this the general public has assisted in every way possible and responded generously in providing entertainment for the visitors.

CONTEST WAS GREAT SUCCESS

MOORHEAD WON HANDILY BUT LOCAL CONTESTANTS DID GOOD WORK ALSO

THE VISITORS ENTITLED TO UNSTINTED PRAISE FOR THE SHOWING MADE

From Saturday's Daily—

The oratorical contest last evening between the Moorhead and Crookston high schools proved a very exciting affair. A great deal of praise should be given the Moorhead students for their excellent work as they were all very fine. Their selections were good and thy gave them in a splendid manner showing a great deal of hard work.

The Crookston high school was at a disadvantage as the debaters have never had any work along the line of elocution and the Moorhead students have, elocution being one of their studies in school.

However the Crookston contestants did excellent work, and altho they did not win, deserve a great deal of credit for their work.

The judges were the Superintendents Dunton of McIntosh, Koos of Red Lake Falls and Hay of Thief River Falls. From the twelve contestants the three best young ladies and gentlemen were chosen. Miss Alphid Kittelsrude being first, Miss Agnes Louden second and Miss Cassie Ball third Mr. Renel Wiji first, Mr. Edward Frost second and Mr. Norman McLean third

Following is a list of the addresses:

West Point Foot ball game ......
.... Edward Frost, Moorhead
Jonathan and John ....
.... Edward Hagen, Crookston
The Lane that has no Turning. . .
.... Agnes Louden, Moorhead
Shepherd of Kingdom Come ......
. ... Cassie Ball, Crookston
Abner Bar's Trial ....
.... Renel Wiji, Moorhead
Our Countrymen in Chains ....
.... Hazel Legue, Crookston
Cupid and Dickie ... .
..... Alphid Kittelsride, Moorhead
Churchill's "Crisis" ....
.... Meca Chesterman, Crookston
The Soul of the Violin ....
.. Mr. Norman McLean, Moorhead
"Troussaint L'ouverture" ....
.. .. Harold Anglin, Crookston
An Irish Mother ... .
.. .. Miss Lois Dart, Moorhead
Our Countrymen in Chains ....
. . .. Noble Jones, Crookston

MRS. STENSHOEL DIED SUDDENLY

ENTIRE CITY SHOCKED BY THE DEATH OF WOMAN HELD IN HIGH ESTEEM

This morning at 1 o'clock Mrs. N. P. Stenshoel, wife of the coroner of Polk county passed away of heart failure after an illness of several weeks.

Deceased was born Dec. 22, 1868, in Harmony, Minn., and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Kirkelie, her father having died several years ago, her mother, 80 years of age still living Deceased, aside from her husband, and several children, leaves several sisters and brothers, Edward Kirkelie of Harmony, O. A. Kirkelie of Bowbells, N. D., Mrs. J. B. Langum, Anoka; Mrs. C. N. Sanbeck, Waukon, Ia.; and Mrs. Louis Rasmussen, Spokane, Wash.

O. J. TAGLEY INDICTED BY GRAND JURY

FOUR SEPARATE COUNTS LODGED AGAINST PRESIDENT OF NYMORE COUNCIL

O. J. Tagley, president of the village council of the Village of Nymore has been arrested on four indictments returned by the grand jury at the session of the district court at Bemidji and was arraigned before Judge Stanton this morning, but allowed until the close of the Nelson murder trial to enter his plea. He was alowed his liberty on his own cognizance until ordered by the court to appear.

Mr. Tagley is charged with signing four orders for bills not approved by the village council, three of which were for $9.05 tach and one for $4.10 being bills for election judges and clerks at the last general election in the village of Nymore. The bills were paid by the vilalge treasurer.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

PASTORS ENDORSE ACTION TAKEN

REV. SALVESON AND REV. C. C. WARNER WANT TO SEE LAW ENFORCED

CIVIC LEAGUE IS ALSO INTERESTED AND WILL BACK THE MOVEMENT

From Thursday's Daily—

The movement to enforce the city ordinances and the state laws as well in Crookston is receiving most hearty endorsement in this city. Here is a sample of the opinions expressed to the Journal today, being from the only two ministers interviewed:

Rev. A. Salveson of the Synod church: "The stand taken by the Journal for law enforcement is most commendable. I will lend every possible assistance toward such a movement and believe every pastor in the city will take the same stand. The Civic League will also lend its influence, as such a line of action had been previously outlined. The laws are made to be respected. Any one who thinks this is a laughing matter will be mistaken before the end comes."

Rev. C. C. Warner of the Congregational church: "I wish to very readily go on record in favor of seeing the laws enforced. There is no reason why they should not be. No one can criticise Journal for printing the notices served on the officials of the city, county and state. If the laws and ordinances are not desired they should be repealed. You will find every law abiding citizen heartily in sympathy with law enforcement."

Owing to the fact that th ere is a teachers' convention in session it was impossible to see others ministers and business men, but they will be interviewed tomorrow.

The sentiment is unanimous that the pool room ordinance was a move in right direction but that all gambling should be stopped, wherever it is done, whether in a pool room or some other place. There should be no discrimination.

Tomorrow or Saturday two attorneys will be here to look up the city ordinances and city officials will simply be required to enforce all laws as well as a single ordinance.

This is simple justice.

And the Civic League stands behind the movement.

HIS HEALTH IS MUCH IMPROVED

A. CHABOT RETURNS FROM COMBINED BUSINESS AND PLEASURE TRIP

A. Chabot the proprietor of the New York Store returned this morning from a combined business and pleasure trip during which he took a course of baths at Mt. Clemens, Mich., and also visited Chicago where he made some heavy purchases for the New York Store.

He returns to the city looking and feeling better than he has for a long time. He states that the weather has been fairly good while he was away, but that he was glad to get back as it is still better here. He will have some spring showings which will be of special interest to the patrons of the New York Store and which will be announced later on.

While at Mt. Clemens Mr. Chabot saw Fred Simmons and states that the latter is getting on finely. Mr. Simmons expects to return to Crookston in a short time in fighting trim.

WILL INSTALL NEW SONS OF HERMAN

This evening at Bemidji a new lodge of the Sons of Herman will be instituted. The work will be done by a team from Crookston lodge No. 44 who left this morning and will return Saturday morning. There will also be a number of the Grand Lodge officers present. Special messages are expected from Bemidji at any time this afternoon reporting that the city has been turned upside down or thrown into Lake Bemidji, tho Carl Reideset, who headed the delegation from here backed by Wm. Emmerich who took along a Singer sewing machine to keep the bunch sewed up stated they would do all possible to main tain the dignity of the Crookston Hermans. Herman Feidler who also went along can be depended upon to keep the peace as far as lies within his power. Those who left for Bemidji this morning include Mesrs. A. F. Rauch, H. Fiedler, W. Woelk, Aug. Shuler, H. Schmidt, R. Sievert, C. Reideset, S. Meng, Wm. Emmerich, Wm. Becker and C. Hoeff.

RETURNED FROM LONG CRUISE

LIEUT. WHITLOCK HAS EXPERIENCE MANY WOULD DESIRE IN THE NAVY

IS NOW ENJOYING FURLOUGH VISITING AT HOME OF L. D. BROOKS

From Thursday's Daily—

Lieutenant Guy Whitlock, U. S. N. and Mr. I. B. Whitlock of Winona are in town visiting at Mr. L. D. Brook's. Mrs. Brooks is a daughter of Mr. I. B Whitlock.

Lieutenant Whitlock is on furlough after serving three years in command of the gunboat Callao in Chinese waters. He joined the Atlantic fleet at Manila last November and served on the new battleship Nebraska until the fleet reached Gibraltar where he left the fleet and went on furlough thru Spain, France and England.

Lieutenant Whitlock entered the naval academy from the First Minnesota Congressional district in 1897 and has been on sea service eight years. During this service he has visited most of the south and central American ports, the West Indies, Africa including Liberia and a trip to the diamond mines at Kimberly and the gold mines at Johannesburg, Japan, China the Philippine Islands, Ceylon, Cairo, and southern France. At the expiration of his furlough he expects to be ordered to duty on shore for a year or more, probably at some navy yard.

The Nebraska upon which the Lieutenant served recently is a western ship and was built by the Moran Bros. at Seattle and joined Admiral Sperry's fleet at San Francisco.

After joining the fleet the Nebraska won the baseball championship, the signal trophy, came second in the steaming trials, and in many ways the ship and her crew were of marked credit to th e west which they represent. Most of the crew was recruited in the West.

Lieut. Whitlock states that the cruise of the fleet was of great value in increasing our prestige in all parts of the world and created in many ports a demand for American goods.

As a grand pleasure trip as the public has in some cases thought it, he has different views, as in several parts as few as fifty men only have been allowed ashore from each ship, fifty out of eight hundred, leaves about sevenfifty disappointed.

Upon leaving Manila the men all seemed to be anxious to get home and since the fleet has arrived, every opportunity is being taken to let the men visit their homes.

COMPANY PLANS TO ECOMOMIZE

NO G. N. DEPOT WILL BE BUILT IN GRAND FORKS THIS YEAR

Grand Forks Herald: According to an official of the Great Northern who is in a position to know the facts there will be very few improvements made by the Great Northern in North Dakota this year. The road contemplates extensive improvements in Montana and Washington and will employ many men in that section.

Those who have been losing sleep over the possibility that the company would build a new passenger depot in the outskirts of the city this year can rest easy. The company has not changed its plans to build the depot at the corner of Kittson avenue and Fifth street but it has been definitely decided to postpone the building until next year. The present depot will be used in the meantime.

The company would like to build a new depot this year, but feels hardly able to make the improvement in view of the immense expenditurs which will be required in Montana and Washington and that the past couple of years have not been any too prosperous for the road.

CASS LAKE GETS NORMAL SCHOOL

Cass Lake's normal school bill passed the senate yesterday without a single vote to spare. The count was 32 to 25. The result was a foregone conclusion, but Senator Sageng made an effort to arouse his colleagues on the proposition He read the report on reservoirs showing that they back water at times up to the edge of the land picked as a normal school site making it a swampy place,

PRES. TAFT AT NEW YORK

PRESIDENT SPEAKS AT THE MEMORIAL EXERCISES IN NEW YORK

New York, March 22 — President Taft came to New York Thursday to made an address at the Cleveland memorial meeting, held in Carnegie hall. Judge George Gray, of Delaware, was a fellow passenger with the president,, and a speaker at the Cleveland meeting.

President Taft was met by a large throng at the Jersey City station and was escorted to the Twenty-third street ferry and thence to the home of his brother, Henry W. Taft. It was Mr. Taft's first trip as president.

President Taft Speaks.

At the afternoon meeting President Taft spoke in part as follows:

"Grover Cleveland was as completely American in his character as Lincoln. Without a college education, he prepared himself for the bar. His life was confined to western New York. His vision of government and of society was not widened by foreign travel. He was a pure product of the village and town life of the Middle states, affected by New England ancestry and the atmosphere of a clergyman's home. His chief characteristics were simplicity and honesty, courage of his convictions, with a sense of public duty that has been exceeded by no statesman within my knowledge.

Was Untouched By Scandal.

"By his administration of the affairs of his city as its mayor, he showed his power of resistance to, and of overcoming corrupt influences. His reputation in this regard spread over his native state of New York at a time when such an attitude as his seemed exceptional.

"The presidential campaign of 1884 was one of slander, scandal and abuse, but Mr. Cleveland came through it retaining the confidence of the American people in his courage and honesty and his single purpose to better the public service.

"Mr. Cleveland was a democrat. He was a partisan. He believed in parties, as all men must who understand the machinery essential to the success and efficiency of popular government. His impulses were all toward the merit system of appointments in the public service. He dealt with the instruments which he had, and he not infrequently was obliged to yield to the demands of those who had no ideals. Every time that opportunity offered, however, and there was not some greater object in immediate view, he strengthened and assisted the movement toward the merit system.

Represented a New Democracy.

"Mr. Cleveland's political career was so short that he had a great advantage over the prominent men of his party whose records reached back into and were governed by the bitter quarrels of the Civil war. As at political quantity, his history began during the corruption and demoralization in the republican party, which were a necessary result of continued power during the war and the decade succeeding. He represented in a sense a new democracy, about which all the older elements rallied.

"At the end of his first term he was renominated, but was beaten by Gen-Harrison in a close vote. By that time the politicians of the old school in the democratic party had drawn away from him. But so strong a hold had he upon the affections of his party that he was nominated a third time, against the desires of most of the party leaders, and in the election which followed he led his party to the greatest victory in its history.

Stood for Tariff Reduction.

"In this campaign Mr. Cleveland stood for an affirmative idea, that of at reduction of the tariff, so as to make it a tariff for revenue.

"He was positive. He was affirmative. He was courageous. He believed in parties. He believed in party policies and in consistency in regard to them. The first time Mr. Cleveland was in power he was opposed by a republican senate.

"This gave little opportunity for any radical changes, but it did offer an opportunity for Mr. Cleevland to point out to the country the fact that our government is a government of three distinct branches.

"We hear much in these days of the usurpation of legislation by the executive branch. As long as the legislative branch has the power of the purse the danger of executive usurpation is imaginative.

Where the Real Danger Lies.

"The real danger arises from the disposition of the legislative branch to assume that it may completely control the discretion conferred upon the executive by the constitution. The country is under obligation to Mr. Cleveland for having pointed out some of the limitations that there are in the constitution upon attempted legislative action to restrict executive discretion.

That Gorman-Wilson Bill.

"In Mr. Cleveland's second term there was a large majority of his party in the house and a working majority in the senate, so that the whole responsibility of government fell upon the democracy, with Mr. Cleveland at its head. The significance of his second administration centers about three issues. The first was the tariff; the second free silver; and the third the suppression of lawlessness directed against federal authority by use of the process of federal courts and by federal troops. The same influences in his own party which had sought to defeat him for nomination in his third canvass, he found intrenched in the senate so strongly as to be able to defeat the declared policy of his party in favor of a tariff for revenue, and he refused to sign the Gorman-Wilson bill but allowed it to become a law after denouncing it as the result of perfidy and dishonor. This was doubtless the greatest disappointment of his political life, for it destroyed the opportunity to test the wisdom of the party policy advocated by him and declared in the party platform."

THE SENATE COMMITTEES

YOUNG MEMBERS RECEIVE IMPORTANT ASSIGNMENTS IN THE SENATE

Washington, March 22—The committee on committees has completed filling republican vacancies on senate committees. The work resulted in giving to western senators very much greater representation on the important committees. This is regarded as the direct result of the campaign that has been carried on for a long time by the "insurgents." It is asserted that never before in the history of the senate have the western states been so fully represented on these important committees as they are now to be.

The democratic steering committee is still at work endeavoring to make a disposition of democratic vacancies on committees and is about ready to report. The republican committee on committees will accept its recommendations for democratic appointments without question.

In one or two instances the republican representation on important committees has been increased by the addition of one or two members without a corresponding addition in the democratic membership. The committee on military affairs has received an additional republican member. In no instance, however, has the number of democrats on a committee been reduced.

Committee Changes.

One committee, that of conservation of the national resources, has been created. The committee on finance, as reorganized, contains one more senator from the far west. Of the eight republican members, four are now from the west and two from west of the Missouri river. Vacancies were caused by the death of Senator Allison and by the retirement of Senators Platt, Hansbrough and Hopkins. These vacancies have been filled by the appointments of Senators Lodge of Massachusetts, Flint of California, Smoot of Utah, and Cullom of Illinois. The hold-over republicans are Aldrich of Rhode Island, Burrows of Michigan, Penrose of Pennsylvania, and Hale of Maine. Senator Cullom gives up his membership on the committee of appropriations to take the place formerly held by his colleague, Mr. Hopkins, who has not yet been elected by the Illinois legislature.

The democrats will designate Mr. Simmons of North Carolina to take the place formerly held by Senator Teller, the other democratic members of the finance committee being Senators Daniel of Virginia, Money of Mississippi, Bailey of Texas and Taliaferro of Florida.

The three vacancies on the committee on appropriations will be filled by the appointment of Senators Curtis of Kansas, Burkett of Nebraska and Kean of New Jersey. Senator Burkett is one of the economists of the senate.

The one republican vacancy on the committee on foreign relations has been given to Senator Root, former secretary of state, who takes the place of Mr. Foraker. Senators Sutherland and Borah will go on the judiciary and Senators Dixon of Montana and Brown of Nebraska will go on military affairs, Senator Crane will become chairman of the committee on rules, and Senator Perkins will become chairman of naval affairs. Senator Flint of California will become chairman of the committee on interoceanic canals, and Senator La Follette will go to the head of the census committee. These are both rapid promotions to the heads of important committees, Mr. Flint being sixth member of interoceanic canals, while Senator La Follette occupied the same relative position on the census committee.

Senator Burnham of New Hampshire will become chairman of the committee on claims, while Senator Borah will go to the head of education and labor. Mr. Carter of Montana becomes chairman of irrigation and arid lands, while Mr. Smoot of Utah becomes head of the printing committee. Senator Daniel succeeds Senator Teller as chairman of the commitee on private land claims.

Hansbrough's New Place.

When the makeup of senate committees are announced next week, just what will be done with other northwestern senators cannot be learned at this time. It is known, however, that neither Senator Nelson nor Senator Clapp will change his assignments, both being satisfied with his present work. In connection with Mr. Hansbrough's employment as assistant to the committee on appropriations in the investigation of the secret service, it was reported here today that Senator McCumber had or would protest against his former colleagues being given such a place, and that Mr. McCumber would interrogate Mr. Hale as to his authority for giving the retried senator such at position.

The imputation was that Mr. McCumber feared that Mr. Hansbrough would still be in a position to block his ambitions to return to the senate, or at least to hamper the consummation of that ambition.

Mr. McCumber, however, entered a vigorous denial that he had any such idea. He stated today that he had assured Mr. Hale that he was pleased at the assignment of his late colleague to this important work.

New York, March 20.—In the current issue of The Outlook appears the first of a series of articles by Theodore Roosevelt on socialism. It is entitled "Where We Cannot Work With Socialists," and the treatment is in Mr. Roosevelt's vigorous style. Among other things he says:

life by a glorified state free lunch counter and state foundling asylum, deliberately enthroning self-indulgence as the ideal, with, on its darker side, the absolute abandonment of all morality as between man and woman; while in place of what socialists are pleased to call 'wage slavery' there would be created a system which would necessitate either the prompt dying out of the community through sheer starvation or an iron despotism over all workers, compared to which any slave system of the past would seem beneficent because less utterly helpless."

Contending that socialists are not international, Mr. Roosevelt declares that if the leaders of the party in America should endeavor to force their followers to admit negroes and Chinese to a real equality their party would disband promptly. He then says:

"As for the so-called Christian socialists, they either are or should be aware of the pornographic literature and the pornographic propaganda which makes up one side of the movement; a pornographic side which is entirely proper in a movement that in this country accepts as one of its heads a man whose domestic immorality has been so open and flagrant as to merit the epithet shameless."

"The socialist leaders with a curious effrontery at times deny that the exponents of scientific socialism assume a position as regards industry which, in condensed form, may be stated as that each man is to do what work he can, or, in other words, chooses, and in return is to take out from the common fund whatever he needs; or, what amounts to the same thing, that each man shall have equal remuneration with every other man, no matter what work is done.

"Under this type of socialism, therefore, or communism, the government would have the most drastic possible despotism—a despotism so drastic that its realization would only be an ideal. Of course, in practice such a system would not work at all, and incidentally the mere attempt to realize it would necessarily be accompanied by a corruption so gross that the blackest spot of corruption in any existing form of city government would seem bright in comparison.

"In other words, on the social and domestic side, doctrinaire socialism would replace the family and home

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Credit Due The Ladies

The presence of a large delegation of prominent ladies of Crookston at the meetnig of the city council last evening advocating purchase of property souh of the carnegie Library to form an entrance to the City Park and also to be terraced for the purpose of holding band concerts or similar gatherings, shows conclusively the interest that is taken by the ladies of Crookston in important matters.

Those present, members of the Current Events and Woman's Clubs presented a monster petition favoring the plan they presented. The argument used by their spokesman Mrs. Elsie Spendley was certainly a most weighty one. The property desired can be secured now at a merely nominal price. It will be worth three times as much for commercial purposes in a very few years. The matter was referred to the ways and means committee of the council, and it is earnestly hoped that they will find the "ways and means" to carry out the desire of the earnest ladies present last evening, as well as the signers of the monster petition.

Breakers Ahead

Apparently there are breakers ahead of the state legislature in connection with the bill providing that liquor can be dispensed in club rooms at any old time of the day or night to club members where there is no charge made.

The retail liquor dealers to the number of 500 met in Minneapolis yesterday and decided to erect monster club rooms in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth and enjoy the same privileges as others.

If this is done why not erect club rooms in Crookston, Thief River Falls, Bemidji or any other burgh, and the saloons would then soon all cease to exist and be replaced by private club rooms over which the police would have no surveillance.

In juggling with the liquor question it is well to make haste slowly or one of these fine days there is going to be a noise caused by something falling—bars perhaps.

STATE PRESS

Rochester Post and Record: "And the mountain labored and brought forth a mouse." After all the fuss and feathers raised by the insurgents and Democrats of the lower house of congress, over their determination to revise the rules and wrest the autocratic power from Speaker Cannon of doing what he chooses with that body, allowing such bills to be passed as pleases him and killing those that he marks for death, he is still the same boss as ever. The change that has been made in the rules is really insignificant and Cannon is still the house of representatives. Cannon, Tammany and Wall Street are the victors.

Norman County Index: J. F. Jacobson and R. C. Dunn had a long conference in St. Paul Monday and there is a rumor that the latter will try for governor in 1910 backed by Jacobson.

Winona Republican-Herald: Lest you forget, we desire to announce that Memorial day comes on Sunday this year, as does July 4, which will possibly result in a saving of a good many dollars to those who are liable to separate themselves from their coin by celebrating, if these dates fell on any other day. But the days will probably be observed as is usual, on the followng day. Christmas 1909 and New Years 1910 fall on Saturday.

North Branch Review: In Minnesota there are about 600 newspaper men each conducing a job printing plant and each one tamely submits while the government robs them of thousands of dollars' worth of business in the shape of prined envelopes. This in justice will be stopped in time, anyway but why not do it now? Get busy gentlemen and prod your representative at Washington.

MRS. T. E. BEIVER LAID TO REST MONDAy

MANY FRIENDS INCLUDING WOOD MEN AND ROYAL NEIGHBORS ATTEND FROM HERE

This afternoon at Argyle, the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Timothy E Biever were held, and never in the history of that village was greater honor done the memory of the departed. There was a large attendance from Argyle and vicinity and in addition there is a large delegation from Crookston and Euclid, a large number of Royal Neighbors and Woodmen attending from here. Those from this city including Mesdames Geo. F. Carpenter, Crowe, Misner, McCaffrey, Palen, O'Reilly, and Messrs. J. A. McCaffrey and M. E. Kirsch Jay Hazeltine form Harmony, Minn., Harry Harm from East Grand Forks Mrs. J. S. Chapin of Euclid and others.

The floral tributes consisted of a wealth of individual tributes and several set pieces including one from the Royal Neighbors of Crookston and another from the Royal Neighbors from Euclid, a large delegation attending from the latter place.

Mrs. T. E. Biever, whose maiden name was Amelia Tiedt, was a woman loved and honored by all who knew her. Her sunny disposition has cheered many a discouraged traveller down life's journey. Her charity knew no bounds.

To her husband and son, Clifford, an aged mother at Argyle and her brothers and sister, the deepest sympathy is extended by friends thruout this section.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures cough quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.
Sold by all druggists.

Read The Journal Wants.

CROOKSTON BOY LANDS FAT JOB

GETS $5,000 CONTRACT FOR INSTALLING KEWANEE WATER SYSTEM

The following taken from the Wyoming State Journal published at Lander, Wyoming, refers to Ed Morrisey, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Morrisey of this city, and who made his home in Crookston until a short time ago. The contract foots up to more than 5000.

"E. J. Morrisey of the Western Heating & Plumbing Co. of this city has secured the contract for installing a Kewanee system of water supply, over hauling the entire plumbing and installing new fixtures in the school buildings of the St. Stephens Mission St. Stephens, Wyoming. This is one of the largest contracts of its kind that has been let in this part of the state."

MRS. MARY MUNCH DIED SUDDENLY

OF HEART TROUBLE — LEAVES ONE SON WHO RESIDED WITH HER

Last evening at 9 o'clock Mrs. Mary Munch died at her home 504 Woodland Ave., Sampson's Addition, of heart failure, at the age of 63 years She had resided here for many years her only son, Blasius, a well known carpenter residing with her. Deceased was highly respected by all who knew her and her death comes as a shock to them. The funeral will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning from St. Mary's church.

An umbrella dealer says there are lots of hold-ups on rainy days.

MANY WILL BE HELPED

HOW TO PREPARE A MIXTURE TO CURE—SAYS THIS IS VERY GOOD

DREAD DISEASE, WHICH IS SAID TO YIELD TO SIMPLE HOME RECIPE

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription forces the clogged up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and tortuous disease, but dangerous to life this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescriptions regularly a dose or two daily ar even a few times a week would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce indeed, and when you need it you want it badly.

FUNERAL SERVICES OVER MRS. STENSHOEL

LAST TRIBUTE PAID TO MEMORY OF WOMAN BELOVED BY ALL WHO KNEW HER

This afternoon funeral services were held over the remains of Mrs. N. P. Stenshoel, wife of the coroner of Polk County. There were short services at the residence, 622 Cowing street, at which relatives and a few intimate friends were present, after which the public services were held at the Synod church on South Broadway. The funeral is one of the saddest ever held in Crookston and Rev. A Salveson who presided spoke comforting words to the stricken husband and little children for whom the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community go out. Mrs. Stenshoel died suddenly last Saturday morning of heart failure and her husband has been comletely prostrated with grief as a result of the unexpected bereavement.

The church was thronged with sorrowing relatives and friends this afternoon who came to pay a last tribute of respect. The church altar was banked with flowers which in their beautiful but silent language told of the beautiful character of the departed, and the deep but helpless sympathy of friends.

Following the services the remains were laid to rest in Oakdale Cemetery being followed by a large number of friends. The pall bearers were the Messrs. O. N. J. Hagen, H. A. Johnson O. O. Christianson, M. A. Mossefin, C. M. Tveten and Orin Daniels.

Among the relatives present from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Langum the latter a sister of the deceased, of Anoka, Helen Stenshoel of Lanesboro, Minn., H. C. Stenshoel and daughter Ida of Valley City, N. D. E. A. Kirkelie, brother of deceased of Harmony, Minn., Mrs. Christine Stenshoel, mother of Mr. Stenshoel, of Lanesboro, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Sanbeck the latter a sister of Mr. Stenshoel of Waukon, Ia.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentlemen's List

Bone, Billy
Durdal J 2
Fuller William
Green A G
Hemberger J A
Kerttu J A
Moberg C K
Murphy John
Valley Albert O
White John C

Ladies' List

Atkins Miss Emma
Boyd Mrs. Harold
eJnson Mrs. Marta
Lee Miss Mattie
Olson Miss Petra O
Olson Miss Hannah
Sunde Miss Helga

LESUER CENTER DEFEATS ADA

I NSEMI-FINAL DEBATE—JUDGES SO DECIDED BY 2 TO 1 VOTE

DEBATE WAS HELD AT ADA FRIDAY—MUCH SURPRISE OVER DECISION

Ada, Minn., March 22—(Special to the Journal)—The High School Semi-Final debate was held at Ada, Saturday evening. The question was "Resolved that the U. S. Should Annex Cuba." The affirmative was represented by LeSueur Center, the winners of the second and third districts. And the negative was represented by Ada, the winners of the seventh and ninth districts.

Gladys Iltis opened the debate and argued that annexation would benefit Cuba, because it would increase her imports and exports. That Cuba needs capital and population from the U. S. in order to prosper, and that she would not governherself as other Spanish American Republics had failed to do so.

Frank Prigge opened the debate for the negative and showed the progress the Cubans have made under self government and that the progress is largely due to the Cubans themselves furthermore that the revolution of 1906 was a revolution against political corruption.

Maude Elwood argued that it would be a benefit to the U. S. because the Platt Amendment had failed. That Cuba was necessary for protection and that Cuba was really a part of the U. States.

Ernest Helgeson argued that it would be unwise for the U. S. to annex Cuba because it would stir up the old race problem. Furthermore it would be an enormous expense in fortifying Cuba and finally that it would not be practical to annex the island as a state or territory.

Mary Kollars argued that the U. S. had promised to establish and maintain order in Cuba and that could be done thru annexation, and that at the present time there was a conspiracy in the Cuban army.

Erling Norby closed the debate by raguing that the U. S. was not justified in annexing Cuba because of the agreement made in the Platt amendment and the declaration to the rest of the world to maintain Cuban Independence. The rebutal work by both teams was very strong and it was a very close and interesting debate.

The decision was two in favor of the affirmative and one for the negative. The judges were Prof. Kingsford, Moorhead Normal, Supt. McIntyre of Crookston and Attorney Chas. Marden from Barnesville. The final debate will be held at the Minnesota University between th LeSuur Center and St. Charles teams.

The decision of the judges was a surprise to the whole audience and that is the general expressoin since the debate.

ENTERTAINED IN ROYAL MANNER

J. M. STEPHENS GIVES ANNUAL DINNER WITH COW BELL TRIMMINGS

Last Saturday evening J. M. Stephens entertained a number of his friends in a very pleasant manner. The party was driven out to the hospitable Stephens' home northeast of the city in the jag wagon, the horses being decorated with cowbells and the men in full dress. The evening was passed pleasantly with cards and music, a duel by The Two Bills, Lycan and Munch, taking the head prize—that was on the way back. The guests were treated to an elaborate turkey supper, with all the trimmings at 11 o'clock and tarried till 1:30 a. m. when the chickens began to cackle. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens were presented with a beautiful mahogany chair by the geusts. The Misses Emma Sylvester and May Stephens served the supper in a most dainty manner. The guests were Messrs. J. A. Cowley, W. M. Ferguson, W. E. Handy, Ben Clements, Wm. Munch, C. A. Hitchcock Brown, W. S. Lycan and H. Whitmore of Minneapolis.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Cashmer, Wis.
Sold by all druggists.

Journal want ads bring results.

VERY PROUD OF THEIR BAND

PEOPLE OF BYGLAND ENTHUSIASTIC OVER CONCERT GIVEN THERE SATURDAY

ORGANIZED BUT FEW MONTHS MADE A SPLENDID SHOWING THERE

From Tuesday's Daily—

A telephone message was received today from Geo. Olson of the firm of O. G. Olson & Co., at Bygland giving information regarding the band concert given in the town hall there last Saturday evening by the Bygland band of 30 pieces. The people knew they had a creditable band, but did not expect that an organization formed but a few months ago could acquit themselves in such a manner as they did. Every selection was encored vigorously and the band responded liberally.

The band was organized only last fall and has made really wonderful progress. The hall was packed with one of the largest and most enthusiastic audiences ever gathered at Bygland. Over and above all the band has been created out of green material, very few ever having had practice on any instrument.

A reception was held after the concert, and refreshments served. K. Nomeland of Grand Forks complimented the band highly.

Ex-Sheriff Arne Grundyson of Polk Co., took occasion to publicly thank Bandmaster Riggs who has had the band in charge, for his wonderful work in perfecting such an organization out of raw material in such a short time. Others also expressed their appreciation of the excellent work of Mr. Riggs and on behalf of the entire Bygland community thanked him for what he had done. One speaker emphasized the value of such an organization as giving the boys and young men of Bygland something to employ their spare moments, rather than being compelled to "go to town" to get the amusement which every young man wants.

ORGANIZED ELDRED SOCIETY OF EQUITY

SOCIETY STARTS OFF WITH A VERY HEALTHY MEMBERSHIP

Eldred, Minn.,—Editor Journal: A rousing meeting of the American Society of Equity was held at the local Hall Friday evening. O. A. Naplin, General Organizer, spoke for an hour and a half on the necessity of organization among farmers. During his address he pointed out the numerous tricks used by the combinations to fleece the farmers out of their just profits. The necessity of local cooperation in building and maintaing elevators and creameries was emphasized and we hope the farmers will bear the good advice in mind.

A strong local organization was perfected and the following officers were elected: G. W. Marrum, Pres.; M. C. Leikness, V. P.; H. N. Thune, Sec. and Treas. Meetings will be held the last Saturday of each month.

A meeting will be held in Climax next Friday evening.

—An Eldred Farmer.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

ROAD BEST IN HISTORY

MAYOR McPHEE SAYS ROAD TO EUCLID IS FINE AND DRY

ROAD WAS BUILT UNDER AUSPICES OF 25,000 COMMERCIAL CLUB

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. McPhee drove to Euclid yesterday and he returned last evening very enthusiastic over the Euclid road which was built under the auspices of the 25,000 Commercial Club of Crookston. "The road is the best I ever saw at this time of the year" said Mayor McPhee. "After getting past the slush near the city we drove right along. Of course there are a few spots where drifts have made the roads muddy, but these were of no consequence." This road shows what can be done with effort and the example is one which should be followed in other directions.

"This road runs north and south, practically, and is in better shape than roads running east and west at this season of the year as is always the case, but it is far ahead of the average north and south grade.

"This is also the season of the year when work done by the split log drag is very noticeable. The edges of such roads contain no grass where snow and ice can prevent the water from running from the grade as soon as a thaw comes, consequently such grades are in far better shape than those which are lined with weeds and grass."

ED MARTIN IS PROSPERING NICELY

JUST BACK FROM A TRIP TO SEATTLE AND CALGARY, CANADA

Ed Martin, one of the old time Crookston boys, who for the past few years has been with the land department of the C. P. R. arrived in the city yesterday afternoon on the N. P. from Calgary, Canada and spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Martin, leaving this morning for Red Lake Falls to visit his sister, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere for the day, returning this evening to proceed to his headquarters which are now located in Chicago. Mr. Martin spent some time recently securing grain and other exhibits of the resources of Canada, specially in the vicinity of Calgary and has forwarded them to the Alaska-Yukon Exposition at Seattle where the exhibit will be placed by experts. Ed is doing well and recently moved his offices from St. Paul to Chicago. He looks as young and frisky as ever and is enjoying the best of health.

Japanese Fern Ball

For the window, the drawing-room or suspended from the chandelier over the dining room table, nothing is more beautiful than this great ball of green ferns. For the home table we recommend the daily use of golden grain belt beer, the ideal home beverage. Keen appetite comes with its use and it makes for good temper, contentment and enjoyment of life. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

FOR SALE

Interest bearing certificates of deposit in any amount to suit

Interest is the one thing which works days, nights, Sundays and Holidays—takes no vacations.
Why not let it work for you?

A good investment for idle money. Absolutely safe.

Come in and let us fully explain this investment to you.

Scandia American Bank
Crookston, Minn

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

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ALL KNOW HIM— James Leo or Grand Forks a former Crookstonite spent Saturday in the city attending to some business affairs and visiting with his numerous friends.

WELL EARNED VACATION — Alva Newland will leave this evening for a fortnight vacation trip thru the west He will visit numerous places in Idaho, Washington and Oregon. He will combine business and pleasure, not overlooking any good opportunities for investment.

WITH THE NEW STORE— E. K. Green who has for many years been a department manager for the New York Store has severed his connection with that store and accepted a position with the New Store and hereafter will be with the Wright Carpenter Co. Mr. Green has a wide acquaintance and a very large following of friends and his employment by the New Store will mean some new faces among the patrons of that store.

BACK FROM THE WOODS—Peter Engh one of the old timers in this section has returned from Fowlds where he has been spending the winter in the camps of the Crookston Lumber Co. The camps are all broken up now and a cut near Fowlds of 6,000,000 was banked. Mr. Engh will leave in a short time for the headwaters and come down with the drive later in the spring. "Pete" as he is known by everyone, is one of the best in the business.

RETURNS FROM RANGE COUNTRY—Nels Anderson the well known South Main street butcher has returned from a two days combined business and pleasure trip to Hibbing and other range country towns where he says everybody is prospering. He says active preparations are being made for the summer's work about Hibbing. He saw several well known Crookston people there. Con Cappel is in the commission business; W. Brown is running a restaurant. At Shevlin where he spent one night he saw Peter Renne formerly in the restaurant business here, now manager in the big general store operated by Iver Krohn. He is doing well and is little changed. Adolph Erickson son of Ed Erickson is working in the bank at Shevlin and alos doing well. Mr. Anderson says that butchers and general merchants do an enormous business with the mining camps, and it is a common thing to see a wagon loaded with $250 or $300 worth of meat consigned to one camp. The butchers buy all their supplies in carload lots.

Win Championship—The hockey game between Warroad and Hallock at the home rink Thursday afternoon was unanimously pronounced by those who witnessed the contest, the cleanest, fastest and best-played game of the season, and this is true of the playing of both teams. The game resulted in a decisive victory for our home boys, the score being 13 to 3 at the close, and this leaves Warroad with the championship for northern Minnesota. In the evening after the game a dance was given at Parker's hall in honor of, and as entertainment for, the visiting team, at which event an enjoyable time was had. Anderson the goal keeper for the Hallock team, was seriously injured by the puck being driven with full force into his face, breaking his nose, at the outset of the game, and he was disabled for the day. The game was continued by use of a substitute, and although the accident weakened the team somewhat, the boys did extremely well.

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From Tuesday's Daily

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SPENT DAY AT FORKS — H. C. Misner spent yesterday at Grand matters, and returned last evening.

HUSBAND GRANTED A DIVORCE —Judge Watts has granted a divorce to Charles Walter Jensen on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. E. O. Hagen appeared for the plaintiff.

STEAM PLOW DEAL ON—C. L. Skoug left this morning for McIntosh where he went to close a deal for the sale of a big steam plow. The demand for steam plows in this section during the past year or two has been increasing wonderfully.

MRS. KOLDEN VERY LOW — Andrew Eiken left for Middle River this morning to see Mrs. S. S. Kolden, an old resident of this city and a sister of Mrs. Eiken. She is very low with tuberculosis and the end is expected at any time. Mrs. Kolden is also a relative of the Tvedtens of this city.

INSPECTING ICE HOUSES—J. W. Pfeifer who has the contract for filling a great number of Great Northern ice houses arrived from Larimore this morning and is inspecting the G. N. ice house at Redlands which was filled by John Bunton and which he found in tip-top shape. Mr. Pfeifer is an old time friend of Alderman Snyder, who was the first man he met on coming to t he northwest in the early days.

STREETS ARE BAD—John R. McKinnon returned this morning from St. Paul where he has been spending the past fe wdays. He says the streets there are in a deplorable condition, the mud making them all but impassible. There has been considerable rain and the accumulation of dirt during the winter has put the thorofares in a frightful condition, the worst, Mr. McKinnon says, that he ever saw.

MOVED TO BIVINS FARM — Leodore Capistran is busy these days moving on his new place section 9 in town of Andover. He expects to be settled down with his family by March 24th. Mr. Capistran has made his home in the town of Lowell for 26 years, he is an up-to-date farmer and is also an experienced stockman. He will make that part of the section look up-to-date as the place has been neglected ever since Mr. Bivins left it but he expects to soon have it looking like Mr. Bivins did. His many friends in Lowell regret his removal but wish him prosperity on his new place.

DR. KAHALA LEAVES ERSKINE —At the Woodmen Hall last Wednesday evening Dr. Kahala who is about to leave for the far west entertained about four hundred friends to bid them farewell and gave them a fine talk on the subject of Prevention of Tuberculosis which was most highly appreciated and enjoyed by those in attendance Among those present were people from Mentor, Cisco, Brooks, McIntosh Lengby, Winger and other points as well as from every township tributary to Erskine. The Erskine Orchestra rendered some fine selections of music which was also thoroly enjoyed. It was particularly noticed as the many friends shook the hand of the genial doctor in saying farewell that it was with a sad heart, realizing that we are about to lose an able and reliable physician and surgeon in whom they had learned to have the utmost confidence Candy was passed for the ladies and cigars for the gents and a most enjoyable time had.—Erskine Echo. Dr. Kahala who has scores of friends here left last evening for St. Paul.

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FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

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TO ERSKINE—Knute Strande went to Erskine this morning to look after some business for the Great Northern He will return this evening.

WENT EAST— "Sigh" Graves and Jack Jeffries Getty headed up the Cass Lake line today and had their minds all made up to do a stroke of business

FUNERAL ON THURSDAY— The funeral services over the remains of Carl J. Johnson who died Monday, will be held Thursday afternoon from the Swedish Mission church at 2:30 Rev. O. K. Moberg ociating.

SCANDINAVIAN WORKMEN—All members of the Independent Scandinavian Workingmen's Association are requested to meet tomorrow afternoon at their hall at 1:30 to attend the funeral of Brother Carl Johnson which will be held from the Swedish Mission church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

TROUBLE UP NORTH— Reports of trouble up north are xpected at any time today. Messrs Peter Cram I. W. Kinder and M. Thornton headed that way and when they left the city were in a very scrappy mood. In fact they actually assaulted one person and all three will be greeted by Chief Eck upon their return to the city.

ATTENDED CONVENTION—Supt. Ed Peterson of the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., returned this morning from Minneapolis where he has been spending the past few days attending a convention of electrical men and conferring with W. J. Murphy. He says there is nothing special doing in the cities tho all are looking forward to a very prosperous and busy year.

REMAINS LAID TO REST—The remains of Mrs. Many Munch were laid to rest in Oakdale Cemetery this morning at o'clock from St. Mary's church Father Smeirs ociating many friends gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to a kind neighbor and friend, and to express sympathy for the bereaved son.

Shortly after dinner today the fire department was called to the J. McKinney residence on Washington Ave., and quickly extinguished a fire in the basement which originated from a chimney leading from the furnace. No damage was done except from smoke.

BURDENS LIFTED

From Crookston Backs—Relief Proved by Lapse of Time

Backache is a heavy burden;
Nervousness wears one out;
Rheumatic pain; urinary ills;
All are kidney burdens—
Daily effects of kidney weakness.
No use to cure the symptoms,
Relief is but temporary if the cause remains.

Cure the kidneys and you cure the cause.

Relief comes quickly—comes to stay.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure kidney ills
Prove it by your neighbor's case.
Here's Crookston testimony.
The story of a permanent cure.

John Dunn, Sr. 336 Central Ave., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is more than five years since I first recommended Doan's Kidney Pills but I can endorse them more highly than ever.

I suffered for about ten years from pains in my back and kidneys. The kidney secretions were also highly colored and too frequent in passage. Doan's Kidney Pills removed these symptoms of kidney trouble and I was pleased to tell of my experience in a public testimonial. The benefit has proven permanent and I have been recommending Doan's Kidney Pills ever since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

M. B. A. SOCIAL A GRAND SUCCESS

FINE PROGRAM WAS CARRIED OUT AND BASKET SUPPER ENJOYED

The M. B. A. Basket Social on Friday evening was both a financial and social success. An elegant program was given after which the contents of the baskets was partaken of. This was followed by games of different kinds which were continued until the small hours of the morning.

The visitors from out of town included Mr. C. E. Brown, State Manager of N. D., Grand Forks, N. D.; Grand Forks, N. D.

The program was as follows:

C. E. Brown, address, Fraternity.
Alta Arnies, recitation.
Martha Waterstradt, piano solo.
Willie Playfair, recitation.
A. G. Frazer, monologue.
Maggie Waterstradt, song.
Mattie Langton, recitation.
Grace Frazer, declamation.
Bessie and Florence Cash, solo.
Willie Plawfair and Martha Waterstradt, piano and violin duet.
Beulah Frazer, declamation.
H. Krogman, monologue.

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Mr. J. W. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese were visiting John Gerber and family last Sunday.

Miss Tilly Brantl called on Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann last Friday.

Mr. Edward Brantl who is a fireman on the N. P. enjoyed a short vacation last week, which he spent with his parents and also visited at the homes of John Gerber, Samuel and Simon Aeschlimann. His many friends are always glad to see him back.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Augustine and daughter Mildred, Miss Agnes LaGrave and the Messrs. and Misses Aeschlimann took dinner and enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Capes and family last Sunday.

Mr. B. L. Koch and Mr. D. Wiles of Peoria, Ill., were transacting business in Keystone and other parts last week.

Mr. John Alt of Stephen was visiting friends and relatives here last week. Of course he said he come on purpose to see his little niece at Samuel Aeschlimann's but everyone knows that Mr. Alt finds a greater attraction than his niece in Keystone.

Miss Agnes LaGrave celebrated her birthday last Friday and received many good wishes for many more happy returns of the day.

Knew Their Ways.

Walter, aged seven, is a wise son who knows not only his own father, but his mother as well.

"Now, Walter," said the teacher, "if your father can do a piece of work in one hour and your mother could also do it in one hour, how long would it take both of them to do it?"

"Three hours," answered Walter, "counting the time they would waste in arguing about how it should be done."—Chicago News.

Read The Journal Wants.

A. F. RAUCH WAS ELECTED

WILL SUCCEED B. F. ZERRACHER IN THE SECOND WARD OF CROOKSTON

VOTE WAS FOUR TO THREE—PUBLIC SPRITED LADIES PRESENT PETITION

From Wednesday's Daily—

The city council held a regular meeting last evening at which all members were present excepting Alderman Christianson who was called to Grand Forks on a mission which he was in honor bound not to neglect. There was a large crowd present to watch the proceedings.

The most important matter disposed of was the election of Adolph F. Rauch as alderman from the second ward to succeed B. F. Zerracher, resigned, Carl Reidesel having failed to qualify within the prescribed time. The first ballot was informal and stood four for Mr. Rauch and 4 for Mr. Murphy. The formal ballot resulted the same and Mr. Rauch was declared elected. This ends a controversy which has been agitating the city for several weeks. Mr. Rauch is a heavy tax payer, a good business man and having served on the council before has demonstrated that he will make a good alderman. His property interests may be judged by the fact that he paid over $1100 asphalt paving tax alone.

Honored by the Ladies

For the first time in many months there was a very large delegation of ladies present, representing the Current Events and Woman's Clubs of the city who are very much interested in the proposition to have the city purchase the lots south of the Carnegie Library to Robert street to be used as an entrance to the City Park and to be terraced so as to be available for band concerts and other similar public purposes A petition which had been circulated by Mesdames S. Rosenthal and Spendley was presented to the council, signed by 134 prominent business men and President Snyder recognized Mrs. Spendley, who addressed the council on behalf of the proposition, stating that the city had thus far done but litle toward the library proposition in comparison to the splendid gift of $17000 from Mr. Carnegie. She stated the lots could not be purchased for $5,300 and that a few years hence they would be worth many times that amount. She made a very eloquent plea in favor of the project The matter was referred to the ways and means committee to report at the next meeting.

Routine Business

On recommendation of City Attorney O'Brien the payment for three hydrants which had not been used was refunded.

The bill of Dr. Biorne of Ada for $25 for waiting on John Bergum was referred to the finance committee.

A saloon license was granted to J. O. Moe.

J. C. Stewart and C L. Lukkason were granted plumbers certificates. The request of W E. Walker to use a portion of North Main street in front of the New Store was referred to the street and bridge committee with power to act.

$7,000 was ordered paid on the contract of the Minneapolis Bridge and Iron Co. this being all but about $400 of the city's share.

The cement bids were laid over.

FALLS FROM TREE; FRACTURING LEG

CHARLES RYAN PROMINENT FARMER SUSTAINS SERIOUS ACCIDENT IN WOODS

Charles Ryan a prominent farmer living in western Polk and a candidate for the legislature four years ago was the victim of serious accident yesterday morning. Mr. Ryan with one of his farm hands was at work in the timber a short distance from the house getting out some wood. He had just felled a large tree and in falling it lodged in the branches of other trees a short distance from the ground. Mr. Ryan climbed upon the tree and was trimming off some branches when it turned suddenly, throwing him to the ground a distance of about seven feet in such a manner as to strike his leg on a projection of frozen earth making an ugly fracture, splintering the bone just above the ankle. He was removed to the house and medical assistance summoned. He was resting nicely last evening but it will probably be some time before he is able to be out again Charlie has the sympathy of his numerous friends here in his misfortune.

"MAN ABOVE THE DOLLAR"

EX-PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSIONER OHAGE OF ST. PAUL IN CROOKSTON

MAKES STATEMENT REGARDING THE PROPOSED ARMOUR PACKING PLANT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Dr. Justus Ohage ex-health commissioner of St. Paul, who is known thruout the entire northwest the man who established the public baths in St. Paul, spent the morning in the city enroute to Red Lake Falls where he was called as a witness in a Soo R. R. case. He was seen by a Journal representative regarding the proposed Armour Packing Plant at New Brighton and said in substance:

"My idea is simply to place man above the dollar I could not have any personal interest in this fight. I do not want to see the public baths of St. Paul made utterly valueless. If the packing plant is located on the proposed site which is not really at New Brighton but several miles nearer St. Paul, the water will be so polluted that the public baths will be really dangerous.

"There is no valid reason, why the plant should be located there.

"There are scores of locations which would be just as good and where the public health would not be endangered It seemms to me that we should place 'Man above the dollar' in cases of this kind."

Dr. Ohage is intensely earnest regarding the packing house proposition and he impresses all other with this idea.

RESIDENTS RIGHTS ARE VERY SLIM

DOGS SEEM TO HAVE FULL SWAY IN SOME PORTIONS OF THE CITY

From the experience of J. P. Marcum on North Broadway it would look as tho a dog has more rights than a tax paying citizen. If a thief enters your house or barn you are permitted to shoot him if you cannot capture him any other way. But a dog can enter your barn, kill your chickens and mangle them ,attack the owner but you are not permitted to shoot them, even after the owners of the dogs have been notified of the outrages they are committing.

Last Friday dogs killed some chickens at the Marcum home, and the owners of the offending dogs were notified. Day before yesterday the same dogs entered the Marcum barn and tore the feathers and portions of the flesh from some chickens so that some of them had to be killed to end their sufferings.

In addition to this Mrs. Marcum while trying to drive the dogs from the barn was attacked by one and came near being bitten. As a result she suffered a nervous shock which made her seriously ill.

She states that a policeman informed her that she would not be allowed to shoot the dogs inside the city limits While we are not "learned in the law" we have just a drop of common sense which tells us that if any mans dog or his owner or the whole constabulary comes into our bar without due authority and kills our chickens we would take a chance at shooting the whole blooming outfit, and we would not go to jail either.

A person has a right to protect their own property at any and all times, and has the same rights inside the city limits of Crookston as he has out on the prairie No dictations of any municipal officer can override a constitutional right.

ODD FELLOWS' ELECTION IN N.D

RESULT OF NORTH DAKOTA VOTE IS ANNOUNCED BY ODD FELLOWS

The following was the result of the election held by the Odd Fellows of North Dakota:

Grand Master—H. D. Skinner, Cando.

Deputy Grand Master—George W. Willson, Williston.

Grand Warden—F. E. Smith, Wahpeton.

Grand Secretary — Don McDonald, Grand Forks.

Grand Treasurer—F. M. Gilmore, Hope.

Grand Representative—J. H. Cook, Willow City.

BAD STORM LAST SUNDAY

SOO CUTS NEAR MEDFORD FILLED WITH 14 FEET OF SNOW

ROTARY PLOWS HAVE BEEN KEPT BUSY EVER SINCE OPENING ROAD

Cliff McLennon a former well known resident of Crookston, and later in business at Angus, passed thru the city this morning enroute to Red Lake Falls where he was called as a witness in a case against the Soo railroad. For several years he had a run out of Thief River Falls on the Soo and last year while on a run distinguished himself by detecting and capturing a horse thief who stole some horses near Thief River Falls and sold them in the city.

He now has a run on the west end of the Soo and states that near Medford a terrible storm was experienced last Sunday which filled all the cuts some of them having 14 feet of snow He is running on a rotary snow plow and it has been kept busy ever since the storm getting the tracks into shape again. He says the storm of Sunday was one of the worst he has ever witnessed and he has been a resident of the Red River Valley ever since he saw daylight, which dates back into the early 80's.

IMMIGRANT SHOWED FIGHT

JOHN CLARK PUT TWO HOBOES TO FLIGHT LAST EVENING

THEY TRIED TO ENTER HIS CAR BUT FACED A BIG GUN

From Wednesday's Daily—

Two tought hoboes were treated to a surprise party last evening in the South Crookston yards of the Great Northern. An immigrant who was in his car of goods headed for Canada was awakened by some one opening the car door. He had a lantern in the car and complacently watched two tough looking customers enter Mr. Clark gave them a politie invitation to take their departure and in response was given an invitation to go to a region hotter than it usually is here in August.

The two intruders evidently thought they had an "EZ" Mark, but Mr. Clark happened to be of another stripe. He pulled a revolver from his hip pocket and jumping to his feet ordered the two toughs to make a hurryup exit. They hesitated a minute and Mr. Clark re-inforced his invitation with an application of the toe of his boot.

Two more surprised toughs never fell off a car thon those two and a member of a switch crew who saw them limping off about a couple of blocks from Mr. Clark's car thought at first that the pair had been hit by the switch engine

SOO HAS BIG DAMAGE CASE ON

In the district court at Red Lake Falls before Judge Watts today an important damage suit against the Soo Railroad was started in connection with an accident which took place last fall. Among the witnesses were Assistant Supt. of Motive Power Ford, C. D. McLennon a brakesman on the west end and formerly a well known Angus boy, and Dr. Justus Ohage of St. Paul.

LOW RATE

Farm Loans

PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY

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CROOKSTON, MINN.

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THE USES OF MONEY

The way a man uses money—makes it, saves it, spends it—is perhaps one of the best tests of character.

Money should not be regarded as the principal end of life, nor should it be regarded with contempt, for it represents to a great extent the means of mental and physical comfort.

The finest qualities of human nature are related to the right use of money—generosity, honesty, justice and self-sacrifice.

A little self-sacrifice, a svaings account with this bank, and a determination to use your money right (by saving it) will soon accumulate a snug balance to your credit.

Assets Over One Million Dollars.

The First National Bank
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Assets over One Million Dollars

RED RIVER VALLEY LEADS THE WORLD

PREMIUMS AWARDED FARMERS OF WARREN AND VICINITY INCLUDING NORTHERN POLK CO. AT NATIONAL CORN EXPOSITION AT OMAHA, NEB. DEC. 9-19 1908

COMPETITION OPEN TO THE WORLD

CLOVER SEED

1st prize to March Farm Company	Hay Stacker	$ 75.00
7th prize to Munger & Son	Cash	3.00

WHEAT

Milling Test for Light Bread Flour

2nd prize to John Cheney	Powre Grain Grinder	100.00

WHEAT

Milling Test for Pastry Flour

1st prize to L. Lamberson	McCray Refrigerator	90.00

OATS

Oat-Meal Test

2nd prize to A. D. Vansickle	Pitless Scale	87.50
3rd prize to H. J. Beardmore	Feed Grinder	50.00

BARLEY

3rd prize to J. W. Thomas	One-Horse Drill	27.00

COMPETITION OPEN TO MINNESOTA

WHEAT

1st prize to L. Lamberson	Pontiac Top Buggy	100.00
8th prize to Munger & Son	Cash	2.00
9th prize to C. R. Wood	Cash	1.00

OATS

1st prize to A. D. Vansickle	Cream Separator	100.00
3rd prize to H. J. Beardmore	Cash	8.00
4th prize to Munger & Son	Cash	7.00
9th prize to Fred Johnson	Cash	1.00
10th prize to L. Lamberson	Cash	1.00

COMPETITION OPEN TO THE NORTHERN ZONE

SWEEPSTAES PRIZES

WHEAT

4th prize to L. Lamberson	200 lbs. Binder Twine	25.00

OATS

3rd prize to A. D. Vansickle	Windmill	60.00

Winners from Warren and Vicinity Including Northern Polk County, at the Field Crop Breeders' Association at Minneapolis, Minn., Jan 12, 13, 14

Munger and Son

First on Alsike Clover
Second on Medium Red Clover
First on Golden Oats, test 43 lbs.
Second on Timothy.
Third on Emmer or Speltz
Third on Minnesota No. 25 Flax
Ninth on Flint Corn.

Albert A. Ayres

First on Minnesota No. 25 Flax
Second on Emmer or Speltz

C. L. Spaulding

Fifth on Medium Red Clover
Fifth on Timothy.

Anton Kirtz

Fourth on Fife Wheat, test 61 3-4 pounds.

A. D. Vansickle

First on White Oats (Swedish-American), test 45 1-2 pounds.
First on Emmer or Speltz.
Second on Fife Wheat, test 61 pounds
1st prize to A. D. Vansickle ....
Sweepstakes Prize on Oats.

A Religious Author's Statement

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy."

Sold by all druggists.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

Wanted Results.

"You are always trying to throw cold water on my literary ambitions," growled the aspiring author. "You say it doesn't pay. Look at Charles Dickens, will you? He left a fortune of $400,000, all earned with his pen."

"I know it, dear," said his wife, caressing him, "but don't you remember that Aladdin could make more than that in five minutes by simply rubbing an old lamp? I'd so much rather you'd do something of that kind. Will!"

CONVENTION BEGINS MOST AUSPICOUSLY

TEACHERS AND SCHOOL OFFICERS ARE COMING INTO THE CITY PREPARATORY TO PARTICIPATING IN CONVENTION OF EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION—ATTENDANCE WILL BE IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF FIVE HUNDRED—PROGRAM STARTED THIS AFTERNOON WITH LARGE ATTENDANCE—TEACHERS MEET IN FRANKLIN SCHOOL AND THE SCHOOL OFFICERS IN COUNCIL CHAMBER

From Thursday's Daily—

The third annual convention of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association convened this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the new Franklin school building. At the same time the rural school officers and teachers met in the council chamber in the city hall and started a session of the greatest interest.

At noon today fully two hundred teachers and school officers had registered in the high school building and every train is bringing additional visitors to the city. The evening trains will bring the largest delegations of teachers to the convention and there is every reason to believe that before the registration books are closed this evening fully 500 names will be on them. Large delegations are expected from Roseau, Red Lake, Marshall and Kittson counties this evening and the morning trains will increase the number of delegates from the southern portion of the district.

The officers of the convention will be one of the largest that has as yet been held and that former predictions will be more than verified. Those who have already arrived are being looked after by the local committees an deverything so far has proceeded without the least friction.

Many Prominent Visitors

Among this morning's arrivals were many men and women prominent in the educational life of the section and they are taking a keen interest in the proceedings. Superintendents of schools, principals and leading educators are present and there is no question but that the conferences and discussions which will be held during the two days' session will hav ea potent influence upon the educational methods and practices of the section.

The Opening Session

Promptly at 1:30 o'clock this after noon the opening session of the convention was called to order by the chairman. The auditorium room of the school was well filled and all were prepared to give careful consideration to the central theme of the convention namely "The Concentration of the Present Educational Ideas."

After the "Bridal Chorus" had been most acceptably rendered by the High School Mixed Chorus, H. C. Misner, president of the 25,000 Commercial Club was introduced to deliver the address of welcome to the convention. Mr. Misner extended the hospitality of the city most graciously to the visitors and called attention to the fact that every citizen deemed it an honor to entertain the association.

An appropriate response was made by the chairman in behalf of the association and the visiting delegates after which Superintendent E. E. McIntyre read a paper on the subject "The Important Fundamentals in the City Schools." The paper showed considerable thought and contained many valuable pointers which provoked an interesting discussion under the leadership of Superintendent J. J. Bohlander of Detroit. This discussion demonstrated the intense interest being taken in the subject by the teachers and members of the association.

The High School girls then rendered most pleasantly a chorus selection entitled "Down in the Dewey Dell." The effort aroused considerable enthusiasm and added to the popularity of the chorus and their previous exploits.

"The Essentials in the Common Schools," was the subject of a paper by Superintendent J. J. Beraas of Red Wing. This paper also on account of its excellence called forth a long discussion which was lead by Superintendent Leonard V. Kees of Red Lake Falls.

The first session of the convention was a decided success from every view point and there is no question but that the coming sessions will increase in enthusiasm and interest. In another column of this issue the full program for this evening's session and tomorrow's can be found.

Session of the Rural School Officers and Teachers Today

After spending the morning hours i nvisiting the different city schools the rural school officers and teachers assembled in the council chamber at the city hall at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon with County Superintendent N. A. Thorson of this city as chairman. The large assembly room was well filled with the visitors and thruout the afternoon session the greatest interest was taken in the papers, discussions and the addresses. The Viking Chorus rendered a musical selection most acceptably and received merited applause.

Superintendent Julius Beraas, of Red Wing took the place of President F. A. Wold of the Moorhead Normal School, who had not arrived. The subject under discussion was "The Moral Phase of Public School Education." The address was an interesting one and the closest attention was given to it. Prof. W. A. Rankin of the University of Minnesota, was on the program his subject being "The Civic Phase of Public School Education." The professor aroused the greatest possible interest by his views and there is no question but that his paper will rank with the leading ones of the meeting.

Superintendent J. H. Hay, of Thief River Falls, who is well and favorably known to every citizen of Crookston followed with a paper on the "Necessity of Engaging Good Teachers, and Equipping Our Schools Well." The practical side of education was taken up in this subject and Supt. Hay handled it with the greatest possible ability.

J. W. Wheeler, vice-president of the commercial club, appeared at this session and ably represented the people of the city. His talk was enthusiastic and entirely extemporaneous and made the visitors feel that they were welcomed royally to the city and all its institutions.

The first session of the school officers proved to be extremely interesting and there is no question but that the succeeding sessions will increase not only in attendance but also in interest.

New Franklin School Dedicated Under Auspicious Conditions

The immense crowd which was attracted to the dedicatory exercises at the new Franklin school last evening demonstrated the interest which the people of the city was taking in this model building. As soon as the doors were thrown open citizens filed into the structure and wended their way thru the different rooms, giving a careful inspection of the entire building. The most pleased expressions of satisfaction relative to the excellence of the construction and arrangement was heard on all sides. There is no question but that the people of the city are proud of the new school house and they have something which should be appreciated.

Throuout the somewhat lengthy program, the large crowd remained in the building and the applause which greeted the school board and the popular architect whose creation the Franklin school was, showed that the people were in hearty sympathy with the new era which had dawned in school construction in Crookston.

Addresses were made by R. J. Montague president of the school board: F. [illegible] Himel, committeeman for the Franklin School; B. D. Keck, architect of the building, and other local citizens. The addresses showed that great pride was taken in the structure and the spirit of advancement which it represented. Superintendent A. M. Larson of McIntosh was also one of the interesting speakers.

Attention should be called to the work which was exhibited by the boys of the High School and Grades in manual training, and by the girls in sewing. The most careful inspection was given it by the citizens and there is no question but that it demonstrated that the ability shown would compare favorably with that of any other school in the entire northwest. It also proved that the department was in exceedingly capable hands and the results attained were indeed remarkable taking into consideration the fact that the department had only been established a comparatively short time. The exhibits of drawing by the different grades also received the highest commendation.

The Girls' and Boys' Glee Clubs rendered a number of pleasing selections during the evening and Michelson's High School orchestra added to the pleasure of the occasion. There is no question but that a high standard of musical ability is being developed in the public schools of the city and its influence cannot be doubted.

NEW ROAD MAY STRIKE THIS CITY

D. W. HINES OF HANNAH SEEKS TO INTEREST CROOKSTON IN PROJECT

ANTICIPATES NO DIFFICULTY IN SELLING STOCK TO FARMERS ALONG LINE

From Friday's Daily—

D. W. Hines of Hannah was in the city Wednesday night and addressed a meeting at the city hall explaining his latest railway project to some of the business men. The proposition contemplates a line of railroad from Duluth to Hudson Bay, by way of Regina The initial project is known as the Farmers' railroad and a charter has been granted by the Canadian government for the first section, extending from Regina to Melfort, Saskatchewan He plans to secure the co-operation of the farmers along the proposed line and has already sold to a good many of them shares of $100 each, to be paid for in two years in installments. The Canadian government will guarantee the bonds to the extent of $13,000 per mile.

Mr. Hines or Farmer Hines as he is better known, says he anticipates no difficulty in selling stock to the extent of $4,000 a mile to the farmers along the route and that the remainder of the money for the construction will be easily forthcoming. The plan is similar to that on which his former prospective line from the lower Red River Valley was mapped out some ten years ago, and which was also later adopted by the Farmers' railroad, extending north from Devils Lake, and the Northern Dakota railroad extending from Edinburgh to Concrete.

To Secure Charter

Mr. Hines left yesterday evening for Grand Forks and returned here today intending to leave this evening for Blackduck, Duluth and other points along the line for the purpose of interesting residents in his project and will then go on to Ottawa to secure a charter for an extension of his railroad from Regina to the boundary line, where he expects to make connections temporarily with either the Great Northern or the Soo railroads, until the extension to Duluth can be built. He says the first 200 miles of the road will be constructed this year and will be used to haul out a million and half bushels of wheat. Extensions of the work will be pushed as fast as possible.

Farmer Hines was engaged in the promotion of his Duluth airline railroad he was sent to the state insane asylum at Jamestown and remained there for some time, finally taking his departure without saying goodbye or getting leave of absence. He charges that he was drugged by parties interested in heading off his railroad project and that his temporary insanity was due to the drugs administered. He has been holding meeting for some weeks past at various points along the line of his proposed road with a view to interesting the farmers.

The changed route of the road from that first proposed is owing to the Soo road touching Warren and Thief River Falls. Now he proposes to build an American line from Hannah to Grand Forks, thence to Vig postoffice on the Red Lake River between here and the Forks, then to Crookston, and from Vig on to Fargo also.

From Crookston Farmer Hines proposes to run his line thru Lambert, Gully, Gunvick, Olberg, Nebish, and Blackduck, thence on to Duluth.

Farmer Hines while here made overtures to Elias Steenerson for the purpose of securing the charter of the Rainy Lake, Crookston and Pacific railroad, and this will probably be secured.

Mr. Hines is also interested in the water power on the Red River which is being exploited by Mr. Steenerson near Climax, and believes that the proposed road could be supplied with electric power by utilizing this and other water powers which are available along the proposed route.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes.

Sold by all druggists.

A bachelor says that a wise man has no secrets from his wife—because he hasn't any wife.

None are so blind as those who imagine they see it all.

The Taking Cold Habit

The old cold goes; a new one quickly comes. It's the story of a weak throat, weak lungs, a tendency to consumption. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral breaks up the taking-cold habit. It strengthens, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about it.

"I had a terrible cold, and nothing relieved me. I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and it promptly broke up my cold, stopped my cough, and eased every part of my body. It did wonderful work for me."—Mrs. J. F. Lutz, Toledo, Ohio.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills, just one pill each night.

JURIES FOR JUNE TERM

MEMBERS OF GRAND AND PETIT JURIES WERE DRAWN YESTERDAY

REPRESENTATIVE MEN WILL SERVE COUNTY AT JUNE TERM

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday the grand and petit juries were drawn for the June term of the district court as follows:

Petit Jury	P. O. Address
Louis Nepper	Fosston
N. C. Hanson	Crookston
Frank Martelle	Gentilly
Nils Clementson	Fertile
F. M. Hartley	Fosston, route 3
Richard Dorr	Erskine
Peter Heydt	Crookston
P. J. Murphy	Eldred
Christ Houston	Crookston
Knute Omang	Erskine
Charley Bolt	Sletten
Thomas Amundson	Nielsville
Thomas Bakken	Fosston
Iver Amundson	Erskine
M. Christianson	Fosston
John Goodwin	Key West
G. E. Gunhus	Fosston
O. N. Vidden	Fertile
John A. Carlson	Lengby
John Farden	Dugdale
L. O. Fishback	Fosston
N. Montague	Crookston
O. Jones	Crookston
Charles Regelmbal	Crookston

Grand Jury	P. O. Address
Lars Rongen	Fertile
T. E. Kjolhaug	Fosston
J. O. Sargent	Crookston
I. I. Berg	Climax
Alex Lammy	East Grand Forks
S. K. Flaat	Fisher
A. O. Brendraug	Lindsay
E. M. Lancaster	Crookston
Clarence Swift	Crookston
John Lindberg	Olga
John Clementson	Erskine
Math. Johnson	Crookston
E. I. Ulseth	Crookston
A. J. McKinnon	Crookston
M. Driscoll	E. G. Forks
John O'Leary	E. G. Forks
Edward Ralston	Crookston
Pat. Kelly	Gentilly
T. H. Nesseth	Fertile
J. C. Hayes	Nielsville
T. H. Bjoin	Crookston
Thomas Haugen	Winger

"The Fickle Woman"

You are fickle, dear, as all your sex is;
Do you think me destitute of tact,
Why should there be anything that vexes
In a simple statement of the fact?
Mine is not the cunning tongue that flatters,
Framing tarradiddles meant to please
Therefore, I repeat, in certain matters
You are as uncertain as the breeze.

Yet I find you winsome and alluring—
Am I not a suitor at your feet?
Dearest, if your judgments were enduring
Could your personality be sweet?
If when I am earnest in my pleading,
You should answer positively "No"!
Would my hopes of finally succeeding
Crumble underneath the cruel blow?

Frequently, alas, I have offended—
Yes, I own your anger has been just—
Yet your mercy always is extended
When I grovel humbly in the dust,
When my heaving breast with anguish riven,
I am quite the wretchedest of men,
Yet am unaccountably forgiven
How I bless your fickle nature then.
—London Chronicle.

Journal want ads bring results.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

Otto Koeppe spent yesterday up the north line attending to the sale of Leaders and other popular brands.

The remains of Theodore Eiken, the former well known and popular young man of Crookston, will be held from the Synod church in Crookston next Monday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. Salveson officiating. The remains will arrive Saturday morning on the 7:20 Great Northern train accompanied by relatives. Many of the old friends of the deceased will attend the funeral.

SUPPER WAS A SUCCESS— The St. Patrick's Day supper given last evening by the members of the W. R. C. for the benefit of the Old Soldiers' plot in the Cemetery was a grand success in every particular. As usual the patrons got about double value for their money, everything on the menu from the Irish stew down being par excellence.

RETURNED TO ANGUS—Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Evans returned to Angus yesterday after having been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lake for a day. Both are old time settlers of Angus and Mr. Evans is one of t he most prosperous farmers in that section of the country.

ST. VINCENT P. M. HERE—Richard Lapp, better known as "Dick" is spending the day in the city visiting old friends. He came down last evening to attend the session of the Elks and will return home tomorrow morning. He is one of the old timers and his visit here was enjoyed by a host of friends.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — W. A. Wagner one of the prominent farmers on Rural Route No. 5 who has been a resident of this section for the past 21 years is spending the day in the city and called at the Journal office to subscribe. He said all his neighbors took the Journal and he decided to get in line with the rest of them.

Some imagine if they stay in the narrow confines of their own little environment refrain from a few physical indulgences, and attend church quite regularly, they are keeping Lent The way to do real pennance is to get out and see some of the sorrows of others and then set your mind at work on some measures to alleviate them.

A man who spent the winter at Bismarck was heard to say: "I thought I had known trouble, worry, despair in my life, but I went out to the penitentiary one day and when I saw all those poor devils in their cells, locked away from all brightness and sunshine in life, I said: "How narrow a fellow can become unless he gets out i nthe world and sees something like this to remind him of how well off he is."

The most practical seems to lay self entirely aside and think most of others around us and what we can do to brighten their existence. Lay aside all self indulgence, and live for awhile for those less fortunate. Don't fret about what you are or what you should be or spend the time in vain regrets over old sins. Long periods of introspection more often bring despair. A better way to obtain peace is to throw aside all morbid craving for spiritual relief within one, go look outside, and seek to alleviate the sorrow of others about you. In so doing you more often bring surcease from trouble of your own.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

D. J. LEWIS HERE— D. J. Lewis, who is selling "Old Forester" arrived in the city yesterday on the Northern Pacific and after spending the night here left this morning for points on the Warroad line. He will be back either tonight or Saturday.

MET WITH SERIOUS ACCIDENT—While playing in one of the upper floors of the school Wednesday evening the son of F. J. Verreaux thrust his arm thru a glass door and badly cut his wrist. He was given immediate medical attention and it is reported today that no serious consequences will result altho the cut was quite dangerous.

WILL VISIT BEAUDETTE—J. R. Rasmussen left this morning for a trip over the Thief River Falls, Roseau, Warroad line, expecting to return either tonight or Saturday. The new cold storage house at Beaudette for the Hamm Brewing Co., is nearly completed, the old one and a new one to replace it having been recently burned.

OVER FROM CROOKSTON—A. C. Fournet and James Montague, tennis enthusiasts of Crookston were in the city yesterday looking over the tennis courts of the Town and Country club with a view to making plans for courts and a club house near Crookston. A tennis club has been organized at Crookston recently and is made up of a number of first-class players.—Grand Forks Herald.

INTEREST IN EDUCATION—One of the school officers in atendance at the convention is J. P. Salentine of the town of Belgium. Mr. Salentine has during his 30 years residence taken active interest in advancing education. He has great faith in the agricultural school, having a son attending that institution and will give all his children the advantage of an education in that excellent institution.

HAL DAVIES HERE—Hal Davies, a graduate of the Crookston High School who was also the City Editor of the Journal and Times at different times, arrived from Fargo this morning and will probably decide to again make Crookston his home. He has been city editor of the Fargo Call for the past two years and severed his connection with the Call when that paper was purchased by the Fargo Daily News a few days ago. Mr. Davies will probably be connected with one of the local papers.

STEAM PLOW FOR RED LAKE COUNTY—If there is any unbroken land left in the towns of Reiner and Star, Red Lake County it will not be the fault of Sensky Bros. of the town of Star. W. J. LaBree the local agent for the Reeves Threshing company, will this week deliver to the Stenskys a modern steam plow guaranteed to turn over twenty acres of sod in one day. Besides plowing up their own fields these gentlemen expect to take a number of contracts from neighbars and will be busy all summer.

THE SALVATION ARMY — Two nights very special meetings on Thursday and Friday March 25th and 26th Salvation Campaign and battle for Souls led by Major Percy Morton, divisional officer from Minneapolis assisted by the Officers and members of the local work. Reinforced on Friday night by the officers and soldiers of Grand Forks. Meetings at 8 p. m. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

TO RAISE TOBACCO IN MINNESOTA— Dr. Winship mayor of Park Rapids has leased 10 acres of his farm in Straight River township to the Wisconsin Tobacco company for a term of two years. The Wisconsin Tobacco company will sow the tract to tobacco and experiment to determine whether or not tobacco can be raised in Central Minnesota at a profit. Expert tobacco growers will be placed in the change of the tract and the result will be watched with interest.

MRS. FREDRICK OHM DEAD—Mrs. Fredrick Ohm wife of one of the pioneer settlers living up near Middle River died last Thursday at the age of 66. The funeral services were held on Monday. With her husband the deceased settled upon a homestead up near the present village of Middle River 22 years ago and has resided there ever since. The Ohms were about the first settlers in this section and have always been held in high esteem there. Besides a husband, the deceased is survived by ten children. Herman Ohm of this city is one of the sons.

BRUCKMAN SORRY HE WENT SOUTH—Prof. Bruckman late leader of the local band, wishes that he was back in Thief River Falls once again already yet. The Professor went from here to Arkansas and the town he located in was destroyed by a cyclone recently, forty people being killed and many more injured. Such business was not to the Prof's liking and he moved out of the town. In a letter to his old friend Val Yager he asks if the local band is still without a leader and if it is, he would be pleased to return and fill this position again.—Thief River Falls News.

DEATH OF L. K. LUKASON—Ole Lukason of East Grand Forks received a telegram yesterday afternoon notifying him of the death of his nephew L. K. Lukason of Oslo in a hospital in St. Paul, where he had been for treatment. The deceased had lived in East Grand Forks most of his life. leaving two years ago to engage in business at Oslo. He was about 30 years of age. Ole Lukason and Louis Boreen went to St. Paul last night and will accompany the remains to East Grand Forks.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

ONLY SLIGHTLY IMPROVED — City Weighmaster James Greenhalgh who has been ill for some time past is only slightly improved. He is able to be out but is still far from well.

TRUMBORE TO ARGYLE— J. A. Trumbore passed thru the city this morning enroute to Argyle where he was called on business matters. He was formerly located in this city.

LITTLE BABE DIED—This morning the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrisey died of cerebral meningitis and the remains were laid to rest this afternoon. Owing to the serious illness of the mother the funeral was private. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved parents.

EUCLID FARMER HERE — Paul Useldinger one of the well known and old time farmers east of Euclid returned home this morning after spending a few days in the city attending the educational convention. He looks forward to the coming year as one of the most prosperous ever enjoyed by the farmers of the Red River Valley.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—J. A. McDonald returned from St. Paul this morning where he has been on a combined business and pleasure trip. He is now located there as the representative of the St. Hilaire Lumber Co., and his family is there also, but he is still regarded as a resident of Crookston and will make this city quite regularly.

ANGUS SHOULD BE PROUD—Angus and vicinity should be proud of the delegation present representing the school officers of that section at the educational convention. Every schoolboard in that vicinity was represented. Among others there was present D. H. Miller, John Goodwin, Ben Sewill, A. T. Campion, Louis Osterloh, and Prof B. J. O'Brien. This is indicative of the general interest which was taken in the convention, and shows also what interest is taken in education by the school boards of Northern Polk Co.

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the School of Agriculture and the State Experiment Farm left this morning for Euclid where he will address a gathering of farmers which is in progress there today. There will be several other speakers and the gathering is one of the largest the farmers ever had there.

RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF EX-CHIEF HAYES

Whereas, in His infinite wisdom, it has pleased the Almighty Ruler of the universe to remove from our midst the spirit and person of our beloved friend Ex-Chief M. B. Hayes

Whereas in this death the Crookston Fire Department especially feels this departure from this sphere as the great success which has attended the department thruout its existence is unanimously attributed to the wise mind and confident hand that guided the launching of the Fire Department into existence by its first beloved chief, Dad Hayes as he was so familiarly called by all;

Whereas not only has our Fire Department lost a chief and friend and the city of Crookston one of its noblest and best citizens but our nation has lost one of its best defenders, who during the Civil War fought and suffered that we might enjoy a union and when the Maine was sunk in Havana Bay and Ex-Chief Hayes altho a veteran then was the first in the community to offer his life tnd services to his country again to defend her against any insult or foes.

Whereas in such a life of heroism from the cradle to the grave we doubly deplore his sudden departure from us which death occurred when absent from the city that loved him so well and which city he had seen raised from its infancy and which he had many times honored by his unselfishness and devotion.

Be it further resolved, That altho bowing to the wish of Him who doeth all things will we desire to express our deep sympathy by the sudden calling away of our friend and associate from his sphere of usefulness.

Therefore, Be it Further Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of all the honorary and active members of the Crookston Fire Department be tendered to his beloved wife in this, her sad bereavement and further that these resolutions be spread on the records of the Fire Department and a copy sent to Mrs. Hayes and also caused to be printed in the daily papers of the city of Crookston.

Committee,

—Thos. R. Johnstone,
—Tom Morris,
—A. C. Schmidt.

Correspondence

ANGUS-SHERACK

Miss Bessie Hall arrived here last Wednesday evening via the G. N. from Stephens and intends to visit a few days with friends around here.

The first prize for the best lady dancer at the St. Patrick's ball here was carried off by Miss Cora Head and the first prize for gentleman professional dancer was awarded to Mr. Anton Sirek. Tho our friend Anton is a Bohemian by birth, he makes an ideal son of Erin and his many friends around here are of the opinion, he will 'ere long choose a fair Irish lassie as a helpmate.

George Goodwin and John Sullivan of Key West and quite a few prominent young ladies and gentlemen from Euclid, helped swell the happy St. Patrick's crowd here last Wednesday evening.

Louis A. Osterloh who has been under the care of Dr. Dryden of Euclid is getting along fairly well.

Mr. J. P. Foote of Crookston was here on business last Wednesday.

Mr. Charles Sirek, Mr. B. J. O'Brien and Miss Cora Head took the train for Crookston Thursday evening to attend the school teachers' convention.

A few prominent Illinois parties were around here a few days last week looking for suitable land. There is plenty of that kind here, just help yourself.

Mr. S. Oliver of Truax, N. D., remembered his many friends here in sending them beautiful St. Patrick's greetings.

We were having here a nice little sprinkle of the beautiful snow last Thursday afternoon. Mr. Snow will soon leave us and turn his office over to Miss Spring. Oh, fair lady Spring come soon and we'll give you a hearty welcome.

Miss Leila Johnston, student at the high school in Warren arrived here last Thursday evening and will spend a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston.

Mrs. L. Osterloh drove to Euclid last Friday morning.

Mr. A. L. Anderson took two extra fat veals to Warren last Friday.

B. Woolery of Warren arrived here with well machine and is going to drill a new well for Frank Taus.

Messrs. Art Casmey, Albert Tiedemann and sister, Miss Louise took supper and enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn and family last Sunday.

Among those that drove to East Grand Forks last Saturday to attend the farmers' institute were Mr. G. H. Horn, B. Tiedemann, Will Vanek, Albert Horn, L. Giese, A. F. Sirek and William Tiedemann.

Messrs. Will Vanek and John Giese spent last Sunday with the Horn family.

Mr. Robert Linnaberry of Euclid called on Mr. G. H. Horn last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Behlke visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann last Sunday.

Miss Rose Kotek spent last Sunday with Miss Tilly Brantl.

Mr. Will Vanek drove to Tabor last Friday.

Messrs. B. Tiedemann and Carl Shultz visited with H. Osterloh and family last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. G. H. Horn spent several days in the Queen City attending to business matters.

Town meeting was held at the town hall here last Tuesday.

Mr. C. Winslow of Euclid called on Mr. G. H. Horn last Wednesday.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

A single man is doubly attractive —to a spinster.

Money is the thing wives look for while husbands sleep.

Any woman can take a hint—if disguised as a "beauty hint."

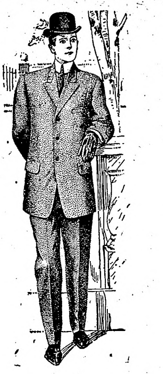
An umbrella dealer says there are lots of hold-ups on rainy days.

The story of Lot's wife should be taken with more than a grain of salt.

It's a good thing to tell the truth occasionally just to keep in practice.

Love is blind but after marriage a man is apt to take an occasional eye opener.

Journal want ads bring results.



SPRING

OUR Spring Clothes are a stimulant.

They're a sort of mental tonic, that contributes largely to a Man's success in life.

The Man who knows that he's not neatly dressed, can't get the best out of himself—he frets away the energy he needs to forge ahead.

If you appreciate the true market value of a good appearance, we have some "top-notchers" in Spring garments that will make a strong appeal to you.

Our good Clothes do not mean "going broke"—not by any manner of means, as our prices indicate.

Suits $10, $15, $20 to $35.

Top Coats $10, $15, $20 to $35

Trousers $1.50, $2.50, $3.50 to $7.00

SPOKELY
The Clothier.

ARRESTED AT MOORHEAD

MR. AND MRS. ORR HELD AT REQUEST OF SHERIFF DANIELS

PAIR ARE CHARGED WITH JUMPING BOARD BILL AT PALACE HOTEL

From Saturday's Daily—

Sheriff Daniels today received a phone message to the effect that a couple supposed to be the same as registered here as Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Orr at the Palace, and who are accused of jumping a board bill at that place.

Here they represented themselves as representing a national conservatory of music with hadquarters in several large cities including Dallas, Texas. Sheriff Daniels will go to Moorhead tonight to bring them back. He did a very quick piece of work in locating them.

Ely Miner: Gambling got somewhat of a blackeye in Duluth Monday when Judge Ensign sentenced two self-confessed proprietors of gambling rooms to tend days in jail and a fine of $200. The judge in passing sentence made some telling remarks and said he failed to understand haw the terms used in the trial, "gambling on the square" and "honest gambler" could apply as during his long career on the bench he had failed to see such cases.

Walker Pilot: The Duluth Herald reports nine divorce case procedings as against no marriages in one of its issues. Which goes to show that Cupid either misses the mark altogether or else hits way out in the side lines.

Itasca Iron News: The first flight of robins arrived here Monday—no we mean a consignment of blind robins. We are not cheerful enough a liar to mislead our readers and the Duluth paragraphers otherwise.

Waverly Star: The Belle Plaine Herald truly remarks that "no community is so small but that it can boast of the best home talent performers ever seen on the local stage.

Journal want ads bring results.

LADS TELL ALL ABOUT CRIME

ARTHUR KELLER AND HARRY EVANS ADMIT THEY ROBBED TWO RIVER STEAMERS

KELLER ALSO SAYS HE ROBBED THE ARNESON MERCANTILE COMPANY'S STORE

From Friday's Daily—

In the arrest of Arthur Keller, aged 18 years and Harry Evans aged 20 years in East Grand Forks yesterday the authorities have cleared up the mystery surrounding two robberies. They are hopeful that further confessions will be made by the young men. The youths were taken in charge for robbing the government boat Ogama and Red River Transportation company's steamer Fram of valuable brass and other goods the total value being nearly $200. The plunder taken was found in a barn on the Evans residence lot. Evans was found at home and was placed under arrest at once. Keller was captured after an exciting chase.

After his arrest Keller confessed that he had burglarized the Arneson store in East Grand Forks some weeks ago. He took quite a lot of goods out of it.

Besides the state charge brought against them it is likely that the government will take a hand and prosecute the boys on a charge of stealing United States property.

Robbed Boats before

A peculiar circumstance is the fact that both boys were arrested several years ago on a charge of robbing a boat, but were released on account of their youth and promises of parents to reform them.

The accused consented to return to Grand Forks without requisition papers and were brought over and arraigned before Judge R. J. Purcell who fixed bail at $500. Parents of the boys altho well able to do so, declined to furnish bail and t he ywere taken to the county jail.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

SHOULD MAKE WAR ON THE CROWS

INVESTIGATION SHOWS THEM TO BE AS DESTRUCTIVE TO CHICKENS AND OTHER TAME AND WILD FOWL AS HAWKS AND MORE SO ON ACCOUNT OF TH EIR NUMBERS — GAME WARDEN MUNCH TO ENCOURAGE THEI R ETERMINATION—IS AIDED. BY FARMERS

Game Warden Munch is very much interested in encouraging the welfare for the extermination of crows. Few people realize the viciousness of these pests, or the number of tame chickens and other barnyard fowl they kill, but one farmer residing near Crookston reported to Mr. Munch that last year he ha. 75 young chickens killed by crows. In addition they rob duck and prairie chicken nests, sucking the eggs and certanily do thousands of dollars worth of damage to corn, oat and other grain fields. Covering the subject Warden Munch called the attention of the Journal to the following article regarding the crow pest published in the March issue of "Recreation."

In the early spring of 1902 I was greatly annoyed by crows stealing the eggs of my tame ducks—as well as those of some wild ones—which nested on the shores of Stag lake in Sussex county, N. J. The crows got to be so expert in finding single eggs and nests of the ducks that we could hardly secure a setting of eggs during the early part of April, when the ducks were laying almost daily; only such eggs as were dropped in six inches or more of water were safe. All attempts to shoot the crows proved futile as long as there was not enough foliage for cover to hide in. Later, however, when the leaves were out the crows soon learned the neighborhood of Stag lake was rather unhealthy, and we succeeded in raising a few broods of ducks.

With the dawn of day the marauding crows were on hand. They would perch in the trees overhead of the unsuspecting ducks and follow them from place to place. I often watched them thru a binocular and counted from a dozen to twenty and more crows watching the ducks around the lake. I repeatedly saw several crows alight beside a freshly laid egg and fight furiously for its possession. One crow would jam its strong beak into the egg and hop or fly some distance with it, and by widening the hole in the shell, eat the yolk and leave most of the white of the egg in the shell on the ground.

Long before being an eyewitness to these thefts, I had formed a great dislike for the crow. When a boy I had witnessed crows robbing smaller birds' nests and remembered reading articles by sportsmen telling of the depredations of crows among the prairie chickens, quail and water fowl on their breeding grounds. Again, I had repeatedly seen a mountain farmer's corn crop damaged by crows pulling the seed corn to the extent of half a crop. Having always been more or less a close student of nature, and especially of everything pertaining to the fauna of the country, I know that the crow does a great deal more damage than good. During the months of April, May and June, our crows will subsist mainly on bird eggs and young birds as well as by pulling planted corn. What direct good a crow may do by destroying obnoxious insects, mice, etc., in a year is, in my opinion nothing to be compared to what good such birds would do that are destroyed by the crows as eggs or young birds. I have seen them rob various insectivorous birds' nests to feed their own young with fledglings. I, therefore, never give a crow quarter in spite of the uncentani statements as to their usefulness by other ornithologists.

While considering how to protect our duck eggs the following spring, I decided to try to shoot the crows by decoying them with a live great-horned owl, descriptions of which sport I had read with great interest in some of the older German sporting literature. I procured an owl, and instead of building a sod-covered dugout, as was generally done in Germany, I built some brush blinds near some of the bare ledges on the mountains around Stag lake. The scheme worked from the start, and by the time our ducks were laying well I had most of the local crows killed off or driven away. It was more than a satisfaction to see these sly, thieving rascals come blindly at the owl with the best intentions of roughhousing or mobbing it—to suddenly find themselves in very hot quarters. Their antics, when they discovered that they were in danger of annihilation were often amusing. They would pump with feet and tail to assist their wings to make headway, a comical spectacle considering the valor of their unsuspecting onslaught of the owl. With the introduction of the owl as a crow decoy, the tables were turned, and a crow is now a rare bird at Stag lake in summer time.

While the punishment and keeping down of the numbers of crows was the main object of thus using a great-horned owl, I soon learned that all of the various species of the predatory birds, anything from an eagle to a sparrow hawk, would decoy to it. The owl was hardly ever given an outing without one or more hawks making a call and paying their respects; and as soon as the crows were taken care of, I found it most interesting study the modes of attack of the various hawks, and with this idea, built new blinds and substituted a mechanically moving mounted owl for the live one. For decoying hawks, the mechanical owl has distinct advantages over a live one. The main advantage is that the mechanical owl can be placed in any conspicuous position, and it remains there while a live owl will often prefed to be on the ground than upon its perch, and a proper perch can never be made to command the same field of view as is made possible by the use of the mechanical owl decoy.

The mode of attack of crows and that of hawks is different. A crow upon spying the owl will generally circle above it a few times and utter its loud war cry to attract all the crows in the neighborhood. If left alone with a live owl they will soon be in numbers and make it most uncomfortable for the poor bird, as some of the crows, more courageous than others, will bodily attack the owl, using their beaks and claws in a surprisingly vicious manner. The best way to clean a certain territory of these black rascals is to kill the first crow that comes within sure killing distance of the gun, as it doesn't take them long to learn the danger, and one crow will warn others. Crows are easily called if one understands how to imitate their by mouth or regularly made crow-calls and such calling, in connection with a decoy owl, is sure to bring almost every crow to the gun which comes within some few hundred yards of the blind. After a crow has been missed a few times, it gets very suspicious and wary, and I imagine that a few crows which survived our arrangements for their destruction did not trust other members of their own tribe thereafter, and would flee from any real crow calling for company.

COURT AT RED LAKE

OPENED TODAY BY JUDGE WATTS —GRAND JURY MEETS TOMORROW

From Monday's Daily—
Judge Watts went to Red Lake Falls today where the spring term of court opens with the call of the calendar The Grand Jury meets tomorrow when Court Reporter Lohn will go up. Among the attorneys who went up this morning were E. O. Hagen, W. E. Rowe, W. A. Marin.

BOARD JUMPERS BROUGHT BACK

MR. AND MRS. WM. N. ORR RETURNED FROM MOORHEAD

From Monday's Daily—
Sunday morning Sheriff Daniels returned from Moorhead with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr, charged with having jumped a $20 board bill at the Palace Hotel. They were arranged today before Judge Gossman, but the hearing was adjournal till tomorrow to give them time to raise money for asettlement if possible.

DIVORCED PAIR MARRIED AGAIN

MINNESOTA COUPLE MADE HAPPY BY JUDGE HASSELL AT GRAND FORKS

WM. BUELL OF DEER RIVER AND ANNA OF BEMIDJI WERE PRINCIPALS

From Tuesday's Dally—
Judge L. K. Hassell at Grand Forks yesterday united Wm. Buell aged 49, of Deer River, Minn., and Mrs. Anna Buell aged 54 of Bemidji. They had been married before and secured divorce. Single blessedness was hardly to their liking and so they decided to get married again. Judge Hassell performed the ceremony with his usual skill on such occasions and the pair happily departed to enjoy their honeymoon.

While admitting that they had been married before and were divorced the pair declined to tell of the way in which they had been reunited beyond that it was a real love affair.

REMAINS TENDERLY LAID TO REST

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD THIS AFTERNOON OVER REMAINS OF THEODORE EIKEN

This afternoon at 2:30 at the Synod church on South Broadway, Rev. A. Salveson officiating, most impressive funeral services were held over the remains of Theodore Eiken, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eiken, the family now residing at St. raux, but having for years been prominent residents of this city.

The altar of the church was completely banked with flowers. The decorations were in charge of the Young Peoples society of the Synod church and all that loving hands could do to honor the memory of the departed, who had been loved by all who knew him was done. The archway was encircled with white crepe, to which was fastened sprays of green smilax, and smilax was interwoven with a wealth of individual contributions of flowers and elaborate floral pieces which completely covered the altar and the steps approaching, the organ and the casket. Many of the floral pieces were sent from St. Paul friends. Rev. Salveson paid an earnest tribute to the high character of the young man who was known as "Ted" Eiken to his Crookston friends, and pointed to him as an example well worth following.

The crowd present far exceeded the capacity of the Synod church, scores remaining on the steps and sidewalk during the services, and the cortege which followed the remains to Oakdale cemetery where the remains were laid to rest was a very large one.

The pall bearers were all old friends of the deceased and included Messrs. O. B. Tveten, Wm. Larson, Norman Mossefin, Arthur Anderson, Wm. Thompson and John Boh.

In addition to the large number of friends from this city, there were present at the funeral aside from the parents of the deceased, a sister Hulda and a brother Will, Dr. Arthur H. Jolstad of St. Paul, Senator Albert Stondall of Madison, Wis., and Halvor Tofte of St. Paul, the two latter being business associates of Mr. Eiken.

HELMER PETERSON COMING TO FRONT

GETS THE DECISION IN A ROPED ARENA AFFAIR WITH SENATOR BAILEY

To settle certain differences of opinion Senator Bailey of Emerson and Helmer Peterson of Noyes formerly of Crookston enjoyed a 5-round contest in the Arena at Emerson. The rounds as reported in deall by a well known Crookston railroad man were as follows, Peterson getting the decision:

Round one—the Senator is on the aggressive—leads forth with a heavy right for Peterson's short ribs but fell short owing to the clever footwork of Peterson.

Round two—there was considerable talking done in this round, the Senator somewhat besting his man. Gong sounds—honors even.

Round three—Peterson is on the aggressive and leads with a heavy left on the Senator's short ribs. Bailey clinches but were separated by Referee McMillan—some talking. Gong sounds.

Round four—Peterson now becomes enthusiastic over his pugilistic aspirations and is on the aggressive but was crowded to the ropes by the Senator who landed a heavy blow on his opponent's abdomen—very litle said in this round.

Round five—Peterson now becomes angered by his slow work and makes a pass at the Senator who was listening to orders from his referee, this landed over the Senator's eye knocking him down. At the count of 8 the Senator was about to rise but his opponent stood over him talking very rapidly thus confusing the referee who counted the Senator out. All honors about even but the Senator says he will soon be in training to meet this opponent again. At present he is nursing a sore eye.

NO INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA

MISERY FROM AN UPSET STOMACH GOES IN FIVE MINUTES —TAKE SOME

DIAPEPSIN NOW AND FOREVER END ALL DISTRESS FROM A DISORDERED STOMACH

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you eat seems to fill your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangule after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery, because it willshdlu stomach misery is at your Pharmacist waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

MRS. TIMOTHY BIEVER PASSES TO BEYOND

DIED YESTERDAY AT DARBY, MONT., WILL BE BURIED AT ARGYLE MONDAY

Mrs. T. E. Biever breathed her last at Darby, Montana yesterday morning Mrs. J. A. McCaffrey received word to this effect last evening. The news will cause the deepest sorrow in this city where the family resided for several years, Euclid where deceased grew to womanhood, Argyle where her mother and brothers now reside. Deceased leaves a husband and one son Clifford, 20 years of age. She was about 39 years of age and was held in the ver yhighest esteem by all who knew her. She grew to womanhood at Euclid and was united in marriage there to T. E. Biever. After residing there for a number of years they removed to Crookston and were residents of this city for several years where both were well liked.

Less than two years ago Mrs. Biever was taken ill with tuberculosis and was at once sent to California, in the hopes that the change of climate would effect a cure. She improved for a time and when she did not improve as was desired she was taken to Montana. There her condition improved for a time, but for the past few months her condition has been critical The remains will be brought here either Saturday or Sunday and will be taken to Argyle Monday morning for interment, and she will be laid to rest there beside her father and two sisters. Aside from a husband and son she leaves a sister, Mrs. Donaldson of Wheaton, Minn. ,and four brothers, Fred, Ray and Victor of Argyle and Henry of this city and Ray is critically ill at the present time. There will be a large delegation from this city who will attend the funeral.

Passed Through the City — Reg Smith of Grand Forks spent Sunday at Maple Lake. His brother Ed Smith, and made final arrangements for their fine new Cabin Launch that they have decided to put on the lake this summer. Reg stated that he and his wife had spent the greater part of the winter in San Francisco, returning recently and that they were in readiness for a good season at Maple

IS STEENERSON TO LOSE CHAIRMANSHIP

RUMORED HE WILL NOT BE HEA D OF THE COMMITTEE ON MILITIA BECAUSE HE BUCKED AGAINS T CANNON FOR SPEAKER

From Monday's Daily—
According to a Washington story, Representative Steenerson of Crookston who stood with the insurgents until the Fitzgerald proposition was sprung in the house, is to lose the chairmanship of the committee on militia and that place will be given to Butler Ames of Massachusetts.

This report, like others, lacks verification however and Mr. Steenerson's friends do not place any reliance in it. It is recalled however, that at the beginning of the Sixtieth congress Ames sought the chairmanship of the committee, but he lost out because Steenerson was the ranking member of the committee and under the rule of seniority entitled to head the committee. From other sources come statements to the effect that Mr. Cannon while he may not be lenient with the new members who revolted will not disturb the older members in their committee assignments, and on this assumption, Mr. Steenerson is safe.

COMMERCIAL CLUB ADOPTS AMENDMENTS

From Tuesday's Daily—
The special meeting of the 25,000 Commercial club at the city hall last evening proved to be very enthusiastic and demonstrated that the greatest interest was being manifested in the establishment of a club home. The discussions were free and interesting and as each of the proposed amendments to the Articles of Incorporation and the By-Laws was taken up the members presnt expressed themselves freely on the subject matter, but they were adopted by a unanimous vote after the changing of a few words and sentences, which had for their purpose no change in the spirit of the amendments but simply a change in the method of expressing them.

The amendment proposed limiting the active membership to one hundred provoked a spirited discussion, some taking the stand that it was not exactly consistent. The large majority of the members were, however, in favor of the limit and after the objection was thoroly discussed an amendment which proposed striking out the limit was withdrawn and the original amendment was adopted unanimously.

Before an adjournment was taken Prof. William Robertson requested the club to issue invitation to the superintendent of Farmers Institutes to hold an institute in Crookston in June. The suggestion was acted upon at once and an effort will be made to have such a meeting held here under t he auspices of the institute.

Board Meeting Will be Called

A meeting of the board of directors will be held in the very near future at which time the matter of giving an authorization to the officers of the club to enter into a contract with the owners of the rooms which will be used for a club home.

At the present time Secretary Brown has received applications of 95 members either for the continuation of their present membership under the change in the articles and the By-Laws or for new memberships and there is no question but that the membership limit will be reached within the coming twenty-four hours. After the limit has been reached applications wil lbe placed on file in the order of their reception.

Committee will Act at Once

When the meeting adjourned last evening Chairman Chesterman of the furnishing committee called the members together and the matter of securing the necessary furniture for the home was discussed. It was decided that another meeting should be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and no further delay should be had in getting the necessary furniture for the home.

Amendments as Adopted

Following are the amendments as adopted:

1. Amendment to Article II. of the Articles of Incorporation, making certani changes so that it reads as follows:

The terms of admission to membership shall be the election by the board of directors in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws, of persons who are adult residents of the City of Crookston and vicinity and the payment of the membership fee prescribed in the By-Laws, which fee shall accompany the aplication for membership.

2. Amendment to Article I. of the By-Laws, making certain changes in Section 1, and incorporating Section 3 so that they read as follows:

Sec. 1 Each applicant for membership shall sign an application, whether for active or associate membership, stating his occupation, place of business and residence, and obtain the recommendation ni writing of two (2) active members of the Club, in good standing, any shall be voted upon by the Directors by ballot in the order of reception, until the active membership reaches one hundred members and then further applications for active membership shall be placed on a waiting list in regular order of their reception and shall remain upon said waiting list until a vacancy in the active membership occurs.

Sec. 3 Membership in the Club shall consist of two classes, Active and Associate. Any person residing within the city of Crookston, or in the immediate vicinity, shall be eligible to active membership and secure all the privileges of this corporation. Any other person is eligible to Associate membership. An Associate membership entitles the holder to all the social privileges of the club, but does not give the right to vote or hold office.

3.—Amendment to Article VII. of the By Laws, making certain changes in Section 1 and Section 2, so that they read as follows:

Sec. 1 The fee for Active membership shall be Five ($5.00) Dollars, which shall accompany the application.

The membership fee for Associate membership shall be Ten ($10.00) Dollars per annum, payable semi-annually in advance and shall be in lieu of all dues for such associate membership.

Sec. 2 The dues for Active members shall be Twenty-four ($24.00) Dollars per annum, payable monthly in advance.

Vote by Which Amendments were Adopted

Those who voted in favor of the amendments either in person or by proxy were as follows:

P. C. Allen
Frank Bracelin
Dr. J. F. Boles
O. K. Berget
Martin O'Brien
W. T. Carlisle
J. A. Cowley
J. P. Dotson
S. Rosenthal
F. Fournet
L. D. Foskett
H. L. Falk
Dr. A. A. Just
B . D. Keck
Magnus Lundberg
V. L. McGregor
Jos Eckert
J. S. Newbery
Wm. Robertson
E. W. Robbins
C. C. Strander
Dr. Thos. Spence
Geo. H. Wright
O. Mercil, Jr.
W. S. Lycan
H. C. Misner
J. D. McPhee
J. E. O'Brien
B. L. Crowe
L. Roy
G. S. Chesterman
G. Oliver Riggs
A. C. Fournet
W. E. Slocum
J. F. Fournet
A. Holmboe
A. J. Johnson
Chas. Loring
W. P. Murphy
J. W. Wheeler
Thos. R. Brown, Jr.
F. M. Brown
W. A. Robertson
R. C. Ruettell
W. P. Stone
O. J. Vaule
L. W. Larson
E. M. Walsh

Total number of votes in favor of amendments—48.

Total number of members—83.

Amendments passed by a clear majority of the membership.

CHARLES JOHNSON IS DEAD — Charles Johnson, a local and well known railroad contractor, died at Bethesda hospital yesterday of typhoid fever, after an illness of several weeks. He was employed by the Great Northern and while engaged in work on one of its branch lines, contracted the disease in a most virulent form. It is supposed that bad water was responsible for the beginning of the disease. The deceased leaves a wife and one child.

The story of Lot's wife should be taken with more than a grain of salt.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

THE FIRST CLASS GRADUATE FRIDAY

Historical Society

Finish A Three Years C[illegible]se On Friday April 2. Exercises [illegible]e Held Sunday.

First Class Represents An Enrollment Of Over 100. Means Great Things For Valley.

From Monday's Daily—

On Friday April 2 th Senior Class of the Crookston School of Agriculture will graduate a class from their three year course. The commencement exercises will be held next Friday, April 2 and 2 o'clock at Stephens Hall and all are invited to be present.

The invitations are already out. The class colors are white and blue and the class motto is "One Step Ahead."

Yesterday the baccalaureate sermon was preached. There was a large number of the relatives of the graduating class present at the ceremonies which were held in the large dining hall. Supt. Robertson presided and the opening prayer was given by Rev. F. M. McCoy of the local M. E. church This was followed by a hymn by all present and next came a quartette composed of Mrs. Robertson, Miss Minnie Walker, J. W. Wheeler, and Geo. F. Carpenter, with Miss Anderson and pianist.

A splendid sermon was delivered by Rev. Robertson of Wesley College at Grand Forks who is a brother of Prof Robertson. His charge to the class was one of the finest things ever heard in Crookston or vicinity.

This was followed by a hymn and a few words of an appropriate character by Prof. Robertson.

The class pin is a clover leaf properly inscribed.

The members of the graduating class are as follows:

Olivia Nelson, Olaf Nelson, Lena Opdahl, Christopher Fossbakken, Lewis Fossbakken, Mollie Fossbakken, Albert Petterson and Louis Regeimbal.

$600,000 DIVIDED AMONG COUNTIES

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND PARCEL LED OUT FOR 1909 AND 1910

POLK COUNTY GETS LITTLE OVER $5,000 FROM THE STATE BARREL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Thomas H. Horton chairman of the house committee on roads and bridges has notified his colleagues to pass their plates for their share of the state road and bridge fund, known as "the pork barrel." This fund has been increased to $600,000 for the two years. The apportionment for the different counties ranges from $750 for Cook county in the northeast corner of the state, to $10,200 for Hennepin county.

While the sums apportioned are to be expended by county and local authorities the legislative members may specify how and where the amount shall be disbursed. Many legislators leave the entire responsibility with the county commissioners, but others divide the money among the towns and villages, in many cases in as small sums as $150.

The apportionment of the road and bridge fund agreed upon by the committee is as follows:

Aitkin $3750; Anoka $6425; Becker $3450; Beltrami $7275; Benson $3000; Big Stone $6000; Blue Earth $9000; Brown $7500; Carlton $3525; Carver $3000; Cass $3750; Chippewa $3000; ter $6000; Cook $750; Cottonwood Chisago $3000; Clay $3750; Clearwater $6000; Cook $750; Cottonwood $7050; Crow Wing $7800; Dakota $7500; Dodge $3700; Douglas $3750; Faribault $7950; Fillmore $4200; Free born $4975; Goodhue $4050; Grant $3000; Hennepin $10200; Houston $3750; Hubbard $6450; Isanti $3150; Itasca $3525; Jackson $3525; Kanabec $6300; Kandiyohi $3750; Kittson $7200; Koochiching $3000; Lac qui Parle, $7500; Lake $1200; LeSueur $7200; Lincoln $5400; Lyon $7050; McLeod $3000; Mahnomen $1500; Marshall $3975; Martin $7050; Meeker $4050; Mower $3525; Murray $3525; Nicollet $6750; Nobles $3525; Norman $3525; Olmsted $7500; Otter Tail $7200; Pine $3750; Pipestone $2700; Polk $5250; Pope $3750; Ramsey $3750; Red Lake $7275; Redwood $3900; Renville $3925; Rice $10200; Rock $3525; Roseau $7,200; St. Louis $6450; Scott $6000; Sherburne $2700; Sibley $6000; Stearns $6300; Steele $2700; Stevens $3000; Swift $2700; Todd $3825; Traverse $3525; Wabasha $3600; Wadena $3000; Waseca $2700; Washington $3450; Watonwan $2700; Wilkin $3675; Winona $4200; Wright $3900; Yellow Medicine $3525.

SEED CONTEST IS POPULAR

PROF. HARRINGTON HAS DONE A GREAT WORK IN THAT LINE

HE WILL CONTINUE IT THIS YEAR AND STILL GREATER SUCESS PROMISED

From Monday's Daily—

The success of last year's corn contest between the students of the School of Agriculture has encouraged Prof. Harrington to such an extent that the practice will be made a permanent feature, and each of the students will this year be given about two pounds of the best Minnesota No. 13 seed corn secured thru the seed house of Northrup-King Seed Co. This seed will be taken home by them, planted and reared to the best of their knowledge. One of the boys of the local school secured a state prize last year something to be very proud of. In view of the fact that the valley is not considered a corn region, the securing of a prize in competition with the entire state is a splendid advertisement for Polk county and the Crookston school.

There will also be seed contests for many varieties of grain and vegetables which will be encouraged by the authorities, and should be taken hold of by the farmers with enthusiasm.

HALLOCK FANS HAVE ORGANIZED

WILL URGE THE ORGANIZATION OF VALLEY LEAGUE— GOOD MATERIAL

A meeting of about thirty business men and baseball enthusiasts was held at Hallock last week for the purpose of organizing a base ball club for the next season. J. D. Henry was elected chairman and A. L. Bennett secretary of the meeting. It was found that there were about fifteen players at home and opinion was divided as to whether there should be any one hired. It was decided to leave that until later. On motion, J. C. Powers was elected manager of the team and A. L. Bennett was elected secretary and treasurer. It was the sense of the meeting that the captain be chosen later by the players. An effort will be made to try and organize a league among several towns along the line but if this cannot be done a schedule will be arranged with good amateur teams around the country.

NO INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA

MISERY FROM AN UPSET STOMACH GOES IN FIVE MINUTES —TAKE SOME

DIAPEPSIN NOW AND FOREVER END ALL DISTRESS FROM A DISORDERED STOMACH

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you eat seems to fill your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangule after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery, because it willshdlu stomach misery is at your Pharmacist waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

STARTED SEEDING OPERATIONS

A NUMBER OF FARMERS NEAR LOCKHART HAVE STARTED SEEDING

SEVERAL HAVE SEEDED FROM 15 TO 25 ACRES—OTHERS ARE READY

Mayor McPhee received a letter today that several farmers in and obout Lockhart had started seeding.

One farmer had started operations but few days ago and seeded a small patch and several others seeded from 15 to 30 acres. This is about the earliest that seeding has been done in this section for many years and the farmers who have been fortunate enough to get on their farms have been talking about it ever since.

GREAT BOOM FOR WARROAD WOODMEN

ED HUMM SECURED 51 NEW MEMBERS IN PAST FEW DAYS

Ed Humm has just returned from a trip to Warroad where he has been spending the past few days. While there he secured 51 new members for the Woodmen Lodge at that place and in a short time there will be a big initiation ceremony. He also organized a Forester team which promises to be one of the best in the northern part of the state. Mr. Humm certainly did a great stroke of business and has again earned his title of the "Hummer of the Humms" in Northern Minnesota.

New Sport of Aviation

How soon shall the average man be able to add flight thru the air to his list of available sports. This is the natural query suggested by the recent successful experiments with flight machines. People are beginning to realize more and more the necessity of serving a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer, at meal time. The practice of keeping a case on hand at home is so general that it is well nigh universal. Order of your nearest dealer of be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures cough quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.

Sold by all druggists.

SCHOOL HAS GOOD DEBATERS

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL DEBATING AND LITERARY SOCIETIES MERY ACTIVE

LITERARY CIRCLES HAVE BEEN PROMINENT THE PAST YEAR

From Monday's Daily—

The past winter has been a very lively one in litertary circles at the Agricultural School. This feature has been much encouraged by the faculty and it has met with a hearty co-operation on the part of the students.

Early in the term it was found that the membership would be too large for one organization so two societies were organized. The Adelphic society and the agricultural literary society. Their meeting nights were Saturdays and with a literary program a debate was held.

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The Adelphic officers of last month were Jake Salentine Pres., and Miss Harriet Coulter, Sec. The question debated last meeting was: Resolved that the road tax moneys should be paid in cash. and road work done by contractors. Miss Thoreson was leader for the affirmative and Mr. Koppang the negative. The negative won.

The election of officers resulted in the following being chosen, these officers will hold over until next year and will have to organize the club. They are:

Martha Moore, Pres.

Miss Linforse, Vice Pres.

Esther Misner, Sec.

The question of debate of the Agricultural literary was, Resolved that boys have better opportunities than girls.

The officers chosen for the next term are:

Carl Eklund, Pres.

Winnifred McDonald, Secretary.

SHIPPING IN FINE STOCK

PRACTICALLY EVERY TRAIN IS BRINGING IN SOME GOOD BLOOD

BEING SHIPPED OUT OVER ALL THE BRANCH LINES TO FARMERS

Anyone visiting the trains from the south every morning will note a very healthy sign as to the trend of the farmers of the Red River Valley toward improving their stock of all kinds. Not a day goes by but thorobred hogs, cattle, sheep or chickens are shipped in and sent to farmers on some of the branch lines running out of this city.

This morning there were some fine Berkshire hogs shipped in for breeding purposes and sent up the Warroad line. This is a most encouraging sign on the part of the farmers who are convinced that none but the best stock will return the biggest profits.

CAPT. JAS. BEARD AFTER BIG CONTRACT

Capt. Jas. Beard, the big ditch contractor, representing the Standard Drainage Co., of Windom arrived in the city this morning from St. Paul enroute to North Dakota, where at Bismarck within a few days a big ditching contract will be let on which he will put in a bid. It is understood that during the coming year there will be a great amount of drainage work done in North Dakota and Capt. Beard will endeavor to land several of the contracts.

Hopeless Case.

"Papa says," remarked the dear girl, "that he will never give his consent to our marriage until you are able to support me."

"Great Scott!" exclaimed the poor but otherwise honest young man. "Does he want his only daughter to die an old maid?"—Chicago News.

Journal want ads bring results.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

HUNTING IS BOUND OVER TO GRAND JURY

Had His Preliminary Hearing Before Judge Gossman This Afternoon.

Was Recently Arrested For Forgery At Hawley By Sheriff Daniels.

This afternoon Thomas Hunting, alais Henry James, was arraigned before Judge Gossman in the municipal court charged with forgery. He was not represented by an attorney and was held to the next term of the district court for examination before the grand jury.

Shortly afterwards several checks signed, supposedly by Mr. Hughes were cashed by business men of the city, and later on it was discovered that all were forgeries. There were five or six checks for amount ranging from $10 to $20.

It appears that Hunting worked for John Hughes a farmer in the Town of Huntsville for a part of a day last fall, and later worked for several of his neighbors. Hughes gave him a check on Merchants National bank of this city. cshe shr

Hunting was arrested at Hawley where he has been working for the past winter at McDonald's livery barn.

James Montague took the testimony this afternoon, Mr. Hughes Bond and others being put on the witness stand.

DR. ROBERTSON HAS VERY NARROW ESCAPE

Vulcanizer Explodes And Metal Is Hurled Within A Few Inches Of Prominent Dentist's Head.

This afternoon shortly before three o'clock a vulcanizer in the office of Dr. W. A. Robertson exploded, the pieces of metal being hurled in all directions, tearing the plaster off the walls on both sides of the room. One half of the vulcanizer tore thru the wall directly by the side of Dr. Robertson and missed him by only a few inches.

Had the metal struck him on the head he would have been instantly killed, and it is a wonder that he was not either killed or maimed for life by the loss of an arm or limb.

HARBINGERS OF SPRING

GREAT FLOCK OF CROWS SEEN FLYING NORTH THIS MORNING

OLD TIMERS STATE THAT THIS IS A CERTAIN SIGN OF WARM WEATHER

From Wednesday's Daily—

This morning about 6 o'clock several big flocks of crows were seen flying north and the old timers state that this is one of the most certain signs of approaching spring.

Robert Rosenberg who is now recognized as the premier weather prophet of Crookston also predicts a fine spell of weather. He has hit the nail on the head for the past six months and hereafter will supplant Mayor McPhee as the official weather forecaster. He has beat the government official forecast all to pieces and by rights should draw a salary.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Some men are so busy being lazy that they haven't time for anything else.

WOULD APPLY TO CROOKSTON

WORKS WOULD AMEND MEASURE REFERRING TO DES MOINES SYSTEM OF RULE

SUBJECT LAID OVER UNTIL ADDRESSES OF YOUNG AND McVICAR ARE GIVEN

From Wednesday's Daily—

An amendment intended to widen the scope of the Senator Works bill which empowers certain cities to adopt commission form of city government so as to include all the cities of the state was offered today by Senator S. D. Works, Mankato author of the bill.

Both the amendment and the bill were laid over till after the address to be given before the legislature next Thursday night by Col. Lafayette Young and John MacVicar of Des Moines.

Mr. Works called attention to the two addresses and said he would not ask for action until the senators had the opportunity of hearing from the distinguished authorities on the subject.

Commissioner MacVicar and Gen. Young will arrive in St. Paul Thursday morning.

"Centralize the responsibility," Mr. Mac Vicar says "and you know where to go for reforms."

Tomorrow evening the Euclid Old Settlers Association will hold a big meeting. A fine program has been arranged and following the program there will be a dance and banquet. Quite a number from this city are planning on attending the meeting as the previous meetings have been a grand success.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
for children, safe, sure. No opiates

THE USES OF MONEY

The way a man uses money—makes it, saves it, spends it—is perhaps one of the best tests of character.

Money should not be regarded as the principal end of life, nor should it be regarded with contempt, for it represents to a great extent the means of mental and physical comfort.

The finest qualities of human nature are related to the right use of money—generosity, honesty, justice and self-sacrifice.

A little self-sacrifice, a svaings account with this bank, and a determination to use your money right (by saving it) will soon accumulate a snug balance to your credit.

Assets Over One Million Dollars.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.
Assets over One Million Dollars

FARMERS ARE ORGANIZING

FARMERS MEETINGS IN BELTRAMI AND CLEARWATER COUNTIES ARE SUCCESSFUL

GATHERINGS HELD THIS WEEK IN RED LAKE AND MARSHAL LCOUNTIES

Supt. Wilson of the state farmers' institutes, has arranged a series of meetings for Roseau county and the extreme easterly ends of Marshall and Red Lake counties, reaching a number of the inland settlements that are remote from railway facilities and which never get institutes.

F. B. McLaren of Wrenshall, Minn., is in charge of the meetings and has as asistants C. O. Carlson of Erskine and O. A. Stonvick of the state dairy and food commission of Crookston. Special attention will be given to the promotion of dairying, altho other lines of farming will also be considered. The territory which the instructors will traverse is one of the richest in grasses in Minnesota, and is largely open prairie, but far removed from railroads. Still in the eastern part of counties named despite that they are from twenty- five to fifty miles from railay facilities, several creameries are in active existence in the section indicated.

Mr. McLaren has just completed three weeks along these lines in Clear water and Beltrami counties encouraging farmers to start creameries. Here he organized nineteen farmers' clubs held 24 meetings and spoke to 12,000 people. Arrangements are completed for meetings at Olga, Lambert Lilo, Highlanding, Kratka Germantown, Grygla, Fram, Wanaska, Ross, Roseau and Badger. These meetings began Monday and cover a period of ten days. It is the purpose of the commercial clubs of the towns on the lines of the Great Northern and the Soo running north from Thief River Falls to have spring meetings held along the railway.

TAILORS WANT WAGE ADVANCE

FIFTEEN GRAND FORKS TAILORS ARE OUT ON A STRIKE

Fifteen tailors employed in the shops of Thomas Griffiths, N. Nordlund and Waxwick & Langford, in Grand Forks went out on a strike this morning for an increase in wages an advance from seven to ten percent being asked, the scale of ages differing in the three tailor shops of this city.

The strike is not likely to cause a closedown in all the shops as it is understood that those other than the three mentioned have met demands of the tailors.

The many friends in the city of Miss Helge Locken were sadened this morning on receiving the news of her death at Minneapolis. She has been at Northfield, Minn., where she had been keeping house for her nieces the Miss Sivertson and Miss Locken the past year who were attending college at that place.

Miss Locken is one of the pioneer residents of the valley and has many relatives and friends here who mournfully feel the loss of one who was ever the friends of the suffering and needy. The interment will take place in Crookston the date to be announced later.

A grass widow usually knows enough to make hay while sun shines.

TO WARROAD VIA WYLIE

R. R. RUMORS ARE AFLOAT THAT ABANDONED G. N. TRACK TO BE REPLACED

TRAINS FOR NORTHEAST WILL AGAIN RUN VIA SHIRLEY AND WYLIE

From Friday's Daily—

Persistent reports are reaching the city that the Great Northern contemplates restoring the abandoned roadbed between St. Hilaire and Shirley, its juncture with the St. Vincent line this spring. Sixty pound rails will be laid and this branch again be made the main line to Warroad.

The reason for making these changes are said to be numerous. It will make a shorter run, and give far better and quicker service to the people residing on the north end of the line. This program will not be very satisfactory to Red Lake Falls. as it will have to again be served by a short line from St. Hilaire.

NEGROES QUIT SUNNY SOUTH

FOUR FAMILIES PASS THRU ON WAY TO NORTHWESTERN CANADA

On their way from hot Oklahoma to the cold region of Northwestern Canada, a party of colored people passed thru Crookston late yesterday.

The party consisted of four families including men and women and several bright looking pickaninies. They were bound for Winnipeg whence they will go to Edmonton, Alberta, their plan being to take up land near there.

The pool rooms of East Grand Forks are following out the instructions of Mayor Dunlevy in prohibiting minors from frequenting the places.

FINE EDIFICE FOR PRESBYTERIANS

GRAND FORKS PRESBYTERIANS ENDORSE PLANS FOR A NEW $60,000 CHURCH

At a meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church last evening the board was instructed to go ahead and secure plans for a $60,000 church as recommended. Plans and specifications will be secured and bids will be called for. It is planned to get the work started as soon as possible this spring.

Of the $60,000 needed for the construction of the church there is less than $10,000 to be subscribed. It was the unanimous decision of the congregation that the full amount should be subscribed before work on the church is commenced.

The Bishop's Rebuke.

A conceited young cleric once said to an American prelate, "Do you not think that I may well feel flattered that so great a crowd came to hear me preach?"

"No," was the answer, "for twice as many would come to see you hanged."—From "The Old Time Parson," by P. H. Ditchfield, M. A.

Ambiguous.

Dobber—I don't know whether that critic meant to praise or blame my work. Cutter—What did he say? Dobber—Well, I had a picture of "The Dead Sea," and he said it was full of life.—Cleveland Leader.

A man would rather be held up by strangers than thrown down by his friends.

BIRTHS 816 DEATHS 389

EVXIDENCE OF THE HEALTH OF POLK CO.—11 TOWNS NO DEATH

COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT TO STATE BOARD OF HEALTH IS COMPLETED

From Friday's Daily—

Clerk of Court Lanotot has completed the report of Polk county's births and deaths and forwarded same to the state board of health today. The figures show up very favorably, the healthfulness of the climate as the births almost treble the deaths.

The total number of births in the county during the year 1908 were 816 and the deaths were 389. The county has 70 towns, villages and cities, of these 11 report no deaths, they are Beltrami village, Brant, Brislet, Eden, Fairfax, Farley, Grove Park, Helgeland, Johnson, Kertsonville and Scandia.

The township of Belgium has sent in no report and it is taken that there was nothing doing out there if so it's the only place in the county that had not at least one birth. The towns of Fanny and Russia have had an equal number of births an ddeaths, one and four respectively.

The city of Crookston reports very favorably, taking into consideration the hospitals that receive patients from the entire valley, its number of births are 177 and deaths 99.

Of the other villages the following report is made:

	Births	Deaths
E. G. Forks	49	45
Fosston	13	15
Fisher	1	2
McIntosh	21	10
Climax	5	27

ED RRIVER RISE ABOUT SAME TIME

THE FIRST RISE IS NOTED ABOUT THE USUAL TIME OF THE YEAR

The recent warm days and the consequent thaws have had their effect upon the Red River and it is now beginning to rise. The first indication of a rise was noted on Saturday noon at the time of the reading of the gauge by Observer H. W. Grass at Moorhead. At that time it was slight but at noon today Mr. Grasse reports a rise of six inches.

From figures compiled by Mr. Grass it is found that the first rise in the river has been noted in the past at the following dates:

1902, February 26.
1903, March 27.
1904, March 22.
1905, March 1.
1905, March 1
1906, March 28.
1907, March 20.
1908, March 12.
1909, March 20.

TOUGH CHARACTER IN CITY LOCK-UP

THE POLICE ROUND UP SUPPOSED LEADER OF GANG OF YEGGMEN

Ole Olson came in from Bemidji last night with his winter's earnings in his jeans. He met few of his old comrades and started to bowl up a few, have a jollification to make up for the many quiet hours spent in the big woods. He woke up this morning in one of the lodging houses minus a wallet containing $50 which he swears was in his possession when he retired. The police were notified and soon had one of the supposed thiefs in limbo. Upon examination the prisoner had many and divers suspicious articles on his person, which lead the police to believe that they have made an important capture. No money was recovered and it is supposed if the supposed victim really lost any, the thieves got away with it. The police are out looking for two pals of the one now in jail.

To Philip Sober.

When a woman who asked Philip of Macedon to do her justice was snubbed by the petulant monarch she exclaimed, "Philip, I shall appeal against this judgment."

"Appeal!" thundered the enraged king. "And to whom will you appeal?"

"To Philip sober." was her reply.

The more money a man spends on smoking the surer he can be it isn't bad for his health.

PEMBINA FARM 2,000 ACRES

THE LARGE PEMBINA FARM UP NEAR WARREN HAS CHANGED HANDS

CONSIDERATIONS ARE $100,000 — WILL BE SUBDIVIDED INTO 5-ACRE LOTS

From Friday's Daily—

A deal was consumated in St. Paul farm adjoining the corporate limits of Warren, on the east, was sold for a consideration of $100,000. The deal embraces an acreage of almost 2,000 acres and was effected thru Mr. Frank O'Meara, of St. Paul who has been an extensive land operator in this section and the Red River Valley for the past dozen years.

The recent purchaser of the Pembina property is Benjamin C. Koch of Tremont. Ill., also a large land owner thruout the Red Diver Valley. Thru the efforts of both Mr. O'Meara and Mr. Koch scores of settlers have been brought into this country during the period of their operations. Several years ago Mr. O'Meara the agent in the recent deal, sold to Mr. Koch the wellknown Keystone farm at Euclid. Since that time scores of Illinois farmers have taken up their abode on the various subdivisions of the farm.

It is said to be the intention of Mr. Koch the present owner of the Pembina property to subdivide section 31 which immediately joins the corporate limits of Warren, into five acre lots. Surveyors are now at work on the acreage proposition. It is said to be the intention of Mr. Koch to place the lots upon the market immediately after the extensive grading, ditch and concrete sidewalk operations will have been completed in the early spring.

MANY ACRES TO BE RECLAIMED

BETWEEN FARRIS AND HEART LAKE BELTRAMI CO. WILL PROVE BOON

Arrangements have been practically completed for the digging of a drainage ditch between Farris and eHart Lake. State Drainage Engineer Geo. A. Ralph has been working on the matter for some time past and is now making active preparations for beginning work. The ditch will mean much to the settlers in that vicinity inasmuch as it will drain over 5,000 acres of land and over six miles in length.

In the neighborhood of 2,000 acres of state land is included in this tract. It is the intention to make a state road along the course of the ditch.

Mesdames Sperry and Klock have made arrangements with H. W. Gossard Co., for a demonstration of the World Famous Gossard Corsets to be given at their Millinery Store on Monday and Tuesday March 29th and 30th Mrs. E. Douse a corseter and demonstrator of note will come from Chicago with all models of this conset to conduct this demonstration which is not for the purpose of urging the ladies who take this opportunity to meet Mrs. Douse, to buy but to acquaint them with the proper model and mode of adjustment for producing the best possible outlines of the form. Free fittings, March 29th and 30th.—Sperry-Klock, Palace Block.

HIGH LICENSE IN E. G. FORKS

APRIL MUNICIPAL ELECTION IS ALREADY THE TALK—CANDIDATES SPOKEN OF

High license wil be the issue in the next municipal campaign in East Grand Forks according to the sentiment which is now beginning to reach the surface.

From present indications high license will be the issue at the coming campaign the arguments in favor being a greater revenue from the saloons to the city. At present the saloons of the city are paying an annual licensev of $500 which under the high license rule will be raised to $1,000.

Mayor Hugh Dunlevy will be a candidate for re-election and Charles and John McDonald are also spoken of as probable candidates for mayor.

Foley Independent: Good-bye Teddy Teddy, we wish you all kinds of good luck. Come back safely, as we shall need you again.

MANY PEOPLE ATTEND MISSION

THE MEETINGS AT ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH LARGELY ATTENDED

THE REV. FR. PORTELANCE OF WINNIPEG DELIVERING GREAT GREAT MESSAGES

From Thursday's Daily—

The past week has been a very pleasant and instructive one for the congregation and many out of town visitors of St. Ann's French Catholic Church.

The annual mission is now in progress and is one of the most successful ever held in the city. Father Tapin is in charge but is being ably assisted by Rev Fr. Portelance from Winnipeg a member of the Oblate order and is the principal speaker.

Father Boisseau of Argyle and Father Berne of Olga, N. D., Two services are held each day, High Mass being celebrated at 9 a. m. and Benediction at 7:30 p. m. with mass at 6:30 a. m. and 7:30, confession from 3 to 6 p. m. and in the morning before high mass.

At the 40 hours devotion Fr. Berne is the celegrant, Father Portelance sun-deacon and Father Tapin master of ceremonies. There will also be a Requem High Mass celebrated Saturday.

The services are being attended by exceptionally large crowds many being present from Red Lake Falls and Gentilly.

Following the present mission one will be held at Lambert and Terrebonne and the priests here leave for the other missions on Monday next.

COUNCIL CONTROL LICENSE IN M. R

LICENSE QUESTION MAY BE CARRIED TO COURTS BY THE SALOON MEN

For the first time since the spring of 1905, the village of Middle River is position having been a tie, upon the "dry" The vote upon the license proopinion of the attorney general and also by advice of the village attorney the council by a vote of 3 to 2 summarily closed the saloons. There is much feeling over the matter.

The question was voted on a year ago and license carried by a large mapority. Section 1528 of the Revised Laws of 1905 says that where a vote is taken upon the question such vote stands until reversed by a subsequent election. On this section the minority of the council took their stand. In a written opinion Judge Watts of this district holds the same view, as do also the majority of the attorneys. The matter probably will be taken into the courts by th esaloonmen.

FINDS MONEY IN POTATOES

THE MAN WITH THE HOE IS THE MAN WITH THE DOUGH

Alvin Hemphill is a progressive farmer who came from Joliet, Ill., two years ago and is making a success at farming in McCrea township, Marshall County. Last year he planted six acres to potatoes from which he raised 1100 bushels. He shipped 692 bushels to Illinois last fall receiving 80 cents per bushel here on track. The balance he stored in his root house and will have no trouble in selling them for as much or more this spring. He will increase his acreage of potatoes this year.

The survey of t he Thief River-Middle River ditch as well as the lateral on the next section line south of that was completed last week and the crew was pushing operations on the other lines. It certainly does look good and will look still better when we see the dredges commence work on or before June 1st. Just watch Middle River and eastern Marshall county grow.—Middle River Pioneer.

St. Peter Herald: What is wanted is the best possible results, and this cannot very well be obtained by trying to maintain inadequately equipped agricultural schools in every county. It would be a useless waste of energy and prove a disappointment in the end. One or two well-equipped schools in each congressional district would outweigh any number of poorly equipped schools. It seems that this point should be carefully considered before passing the bill.

We Trust Doctors

If you are suffering from impure blood, thin blood, debility, nervousness, exhaustion, you should begin at once with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the Sarsaparilla you have known all your life. Your doctor knows it, too. Ask him about it.

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ANGUS-SHERACK

Mr. William Short, a prominent Tabor farmer spent a few days in G. Forks on business.

Mrs. E. Johnston and Mrs. L. Osterloh drove to Euclid last Friday.

Miss Bessie Hall and Mrs. G. N. Wilson after visiting here a few days with friends returned to Stephen last Saturday.

Mr. Ed Pulrabek came over from Tabor last Saturday on business.

A great many of our leading citizens took train for Argyle last Monday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. T. E. Biever formerly of Euclid.

Our town is possessed of an excellent bride and water system.

Miss Rose Kotek was visiting a couple of days with her girl friend Miss Tillie Brantl.

Mr. Ed Brantl came over from Grand Forks and is spending a two weeks' vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Brantl of Tabor. Ed is a locomotive fireman on the Northern Pacific system. His many friends are very glad to see him here once more because he is a lad of the best type and has friends wherever he dwells; still his friends claim there is a mysterious twinkle in his left eye and they are afraid his calling so repeatedly on a certain young lady may mean something serious in the near future. Never mind Ed do what you think is best, there is no home without a wifey.

Miss Tillie Brantl called on Miss Margaret McDonald one day last week.

The Messrs. Edward, Charles and Jerry Brantl and sister Miss Tillie called on the Gerber family one evening last week.

Mr. Vonasek Sr., and Mr. Martin Dvorak were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Brantl of Tabor last Sunday.

The roads are quite muddy now a days and pedestrians are making slow progress.

A couple of snakes were seen in the town of Key Stone the other day and now comes the report from Tabor that a few of t he festive crows have put in an appearance.

The snow is disappearing fast, the lovely water is running gaily in the ditches and all mortals around here are predicting an early spring.

THE JURY FAVORS SOO RAILROAD

IN THE SHUSSER $10,000 DAMAGE SUIT AT RED LAKE FALLS COURT

The jury in the $10,000 damage suit on trial at Red Lake Falls the past week allowed Miss Shussel the plaintiff only $1000 damages the sum offered her by the company to settle the case.

he plaintiff alleged that in stepping off a Soo train at the Thief River Falls depot she stepped between the car and the platform and fell. She was carrying some dishes which were broken, and she claimed that she had received permanent injuries as a result of the fall. The contention was made that there were no lights on the platform as provided by law, and this the company admitted and was willing to settle for $1,000. This offer was refused and the case went to trial. Atty Chas. Loring of this city defending, and Atty. Charles Boughton of Red Lake Falls representing the plaintiff.

Some men are so lucky about money maters that if they found a roll of bank bills they would spend it before they got home and tell their wives about it.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

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FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

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Dr. Thos. Arneson and S. M. Nelson of Kennedy were registered at the Grand Central hotel last night.

City Engineer J. E. Carroll was a passenger northbound this morning. His destination was Angus where he has some work to perform.

STEPPED ON NAIL — Hagbert Samson had the misfortune to step on a rusty nail, it entering his foot nearly to the bone. It will lay him up for several days, no unfavorable results are feared.

A GOOD SALE—The auction sale held at Wm. Samson's farm yesterday was a success, both in attendance and prices received for goods sold. Chas. Hitchcock was the auctioneer and Wm. Lanctot clerk.

A NEW WALK—A much needed improvement has just been completed on Central Avenue leading from the Great Northern track, A walk has been built by the railroad company to connect with the sidewalk.

DEATH OF PIONEER—The death of Mrs. Astrie Bratvold, of Sullivan township occurred yesterday, following an extended illness at the age of 65 years. She had been a resident of the county for many years. A husband and three sons are bereaved. The funeral will take place on Monday from the residence. Rev. A. J. Hulteng officiating.

ANOTHER CHANGE—According to dispatch from Fargo the News which absorbed the Call last week, has been taken over by George Hollister and Jack McAndrews. The News heretofore has been a stock company. McAndrews will be business manager. The paper will continue to be democratic.

MRS. BARRETTE NOT IMPROVING—A letter received from J. A. Barrette this morning conveys the unwelcome news that his mother is not improving and is still very sick. He says himself and wife are enjoying the best of health and are prospering. Mrs. Barrette Jr., especially being charmed with the country and climate.

NEW MAIL HUSTLER—Gene Bardette has taken the position of mail hustler at the Great Northern depot. It is work that requires a steady hand so that during transfer of mails while all the trains are at the depot at one time, no mistakes are made. Sever Charbeneau the former transfer will go into other lines of work.

A SURE TREAT— A very liberal and learned discussion of the socialist questions of the day will be given in the lectures at the I. O. O. F. hall tonight by H. A. Barton. Mr. Barton has met many of the leading men of the city today, and is much pleased with their attitude regarding the leading question political science before the American people at this time. He is also very much impressed with the looks of our town.

THE FARMER-LUST— Farquahar McLennan was a passenger on the north train bound for the farm near Angus. Altho Mr. McLennan has retired from the active life of a farmer he cannot resist the cry of the rural life when the crows and hawks become demonstrative at this season.

at Fowlds on the morning of January

Many improvements are scheduled for St. Ann's Catholic church, the largest church building in the city. A fine large pipe organ will be installed as soon as it arrives, and plans are now under consideration for decorating the interior by fine frescoing.

St. Ann's is one of the largest and wealthiest church organizations in the valley and are continually improving their properties.

FLICKERTAIL SCRIBE — R. A. Quale editor of the Edmore N. D. Herald-News is spending a few days in the city, visiting with his brother E. O. Quale of Gary, Minn., who is confined at the Bethesda Hospital, having recently undergone an operation, and is improving fast. Mr. Quale reports North Dakota as in the finest condition in its history, to grow a banner crop. Every one is in the most optimistic frame of mind, respecting the future activities in every line of real-estate and other business.

NEED MORE HELP—Owing to the fine business being done at the Grand Central hotel a continued increase of help is required. The demand in Crookston being in excess of the supply outside towns must be drawn on to fill the want. Therefore William Marotte has gone out in the east country to recruit the supply. He is accompanied by Ed Larkin one of the finest who ever doned the new style of green lid that top off only the well dressed this spring. Their first stop will be Red Lake Falls, and their admirers are placing bets that will be as far as they go and the winning graces of the two will be sufficient to bring all the help wanted.

"Out of hell! Back to Eden!" This is the exhortation given the young men of the Chicago Hebrew institute by Rabbi Isaac Landman of Philadelphia, who declares that hell is the city and Eden the farm.

"In Eden" says Dr. Landman "there is always work to do. There is beauty for the eye and joy for the ear. There is health, independence and riches too for him who employs brain with his muscle for making the earth give up the blessing ridden there. The excuse that 19 centuries of Christian intolerance have unfitted Jews for the pursuit of agriculture is now invalid."

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

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W. E. Slocum made a trip to Grand Forks yesterday afternoon returning on the late train.

VISITING IN THE CITY—Mr. T. E Blever and son Clifford arrived in the city last night from Argyle. They will remain here indefinitely and while here will visit with Henry Tiedt.

SICK HORSES—Dr. Langevin left this morning for Euclid where he was called to attend to some sick horses on the Peck farm. He states there is considerable sickness among the horses this spring.

ON THE WATCH—Game Warden Wm. Munch left this morning for Union Lake where he was called on official business. He expected to return this evening unless he got some law breaker tangled up.

CONDITION CRITICAL—S. P. Swedburgh who is in St. Vincent's hospital suffering with a serious case of typhoid fever is not progressing as well as his friends woul dwish. His condition yesterday was such as to cause much apprehension but a slight improvement was noted today.

EAST CO. DELEGATES — Martin Hovelsrud and Fred Syverson of Lindsay, Ole Narveson, Chas. McCarthy, George Jorgens and C. T. Lanman, attended the teachers meeting at Crookston. The districts of the surrounding country were well represented at the meeting—McIntosh Times.

SPENT PLEASANT WINTER — Theodore Aker, who has been spending the winter with the home folks at Augusta, Wis., returned this morning and departed for Euclid where he will spend the summer months as usual. He was accompanied by his cousin, Otto Aker, who also resides at Aubusta and who has been home for a visit after spending the winter in lumber camps near Bemidji.

OSLO EDITOR DEAD—H. C. Longballe editor of the Oslo Tribune died on March 12th at the Warren hospital after a brief illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Longballe is well known in this city, having been employed as foreman of the Press some two years ago and has a host of friends here who will be deeply grieved to hear of his untimely death.

BACK FROM THE WOODS—Geo. Elliot of Grand Forks, N. D., who scales for the Grand Forks Lumber Co., passed thru the city last evening enroute from the company's camps near Northome for his home in the Forks where he will enjoy a short visit with his family.

WITH OLD FOLKS—Geo. Cotette has been granted a two weeks vacation from his duties at the wholesale house and left on Friday with his wife for a visit at his home in Crookston. Later he will go to Minneapolis while Mrs. Cotette visits friends at Fertile her former home.—Thief River Falls Press.

GENE ON BROAD GAUGE— Patrick Fearon yesterday received a letter from Atty. E. D. Clough who is now located at Tomak, Wash., where he has opened law offices and is building up a nice practice. The part of Washington in which he is located has cast aside the narrow gauge trolley and is now pushing to the front with a vengeance. Gene is of course in the vanguard.

MURNEY RETIRES—The firm of Hanson & Murney who have conducted a blacksmith shop on 3rd street for over a year past has been dissolved. A. O. Hanson, who formerly conducted the business will continue it, while E. C. Murney will retire. Mr. Murney has not definitely decided on what his future movements will be, but there is no question but that he will continue in the same line of business, either here or elsewhere.

BEARDMORE TALKS — Another feature of the institute was a practical talk by H. J. Beardmore, a prominent farmer residing near Warren. His talk was largely on timothy and was well worth hearing as he proved to be thoroly acquainted with the conditions as they prevail right here and from practical experience gained on our own soil conclusively showed the great value of timothy both to the land and as a money maker for the farmer.—Stephen Leader.

HIS OPTIMISM RADIATES — W. M. Wigham editor of the Mahnomen Plaintalk and also of a very popular and widely read Poultry Journal, is spend ing the day in the city attending to some business matters. Mr. Wigham is the character of a man that does one good to meet. Optimism and good cheer radiates from every pore in his body. Ever welcome, brother Wigham.

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FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

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FISHERITE—Anson C. Merrill one of the Fisher township bonanza farmers was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

CHIPS WILL FLY—Next Tuesday night the Woodmen will have a big night. A large class of candidates will be initiated and a social session with refreshments held.

BEN ON THE JOB— The Collins machinery emporium has secured the expert services of Ben Vondenbeck to assist in getting out the large amount of spring machinery the farmers are purchasing.

CAPT. CHANDLER—"Chuck" Chandler the father of baseball in Grand Forks will this season hold the honor position on the Picketts held last season in admirable fashion by Gene Kellihen. Chandler is the unanimous choice for captain of the 1909 team.

IS QUITE ILL—John Ekblaw one of the well known and well-to-do farmers of Fanny has been confined in the Bethesda hospital for the past ten days suffering with dropsy. His condition is not as satisfactory as his friends would wish, very little improvement having been shown.

BACK TO WAUKON — Mr. C. N. Standveck departed for his home in Waukon, Ia., after a several days' stay in the city. Mrs. Standveck who is a sister of the late Mrs. N. P. Stenshoel will remain in the city for some time yet at the Stenshoel home before returning to Iowa.

PREACHES AT WARREN— Rev. and Mrs. Salveson went to Warren this morning where he will tomorrow conduct the services in the Lutheran church. The Warren congregation being without a minister Rev. Salveson supplies that pulpit. Consequently there will be no services in the Synod church here tomorrow.

RETURNS HOME—H. C. Stenshoel returned via the N. P. this afternoon to his home at Valley City N. D. Mr. Stenshoel was called here by the death of his brother's wife and remained with him several days. While here he met many of our people and was impressed by the hospitality that was shown him.

AT WORK AGAIN—Mail Clerk Mitchell on the Grand Forks Duluth run is back again after a month's enforced vacation caused by a broken wrist He was walking along the streets of Duluth some time ago when he slipped and fell, fracturing two small bones in his wrist. The wrist is still very sore but Mr. Mitchell wanted to get back into the harness again.

IN MINNEAPOLIS HOSPITAL — Mrs. M. M. Davis is being operated on in a Minneapolis hospital today for an ailment that has been troubling her for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have been in Minneapolis the past five weeks visiting with her daughter Mrs. Bert Duntley. Mrs. Davis being unwell all the time and is was decided to undergo the operation in hopes that she will experience relief.

GETS PROMOTION —Henry Deiken, the Northern Pacific handy man of the machinery department has been promoted to the duties of locomotive machinery inspector with headquarters at East Grand Forks. He has many friends and fellow workmen who will be pleased to hear of his successful promotion as he has been in the employ of the N. P. company for a number of years and is well versed on machinery and locomotives.

WILL SERVE RESORTERS—V. N. Bunzey is spending a few days in the city visiting friends and completing the arrangements by purchasing the needed machinery to properly work a truck farm, that he is to conduct near Maple Lake the coming summer. Mr. Bunzey will cater to the Maple Lake summer-colony and will have all the garden delicacies of the season to serve them. He resided in Crookston at one time while employed on the Journal force.

HIGH LICENSE—New York Mills is one of the comparatively few places that will be affected by the passage of the law limiting the number of saloons to one for each 500 inhabitants As the village was dry when the law was passed, and went wet at the recent election, the law becomes applicable there. Two parties had planned to apply for licenses, but only one can be granted and it is reported that one party has just offered $2,000 for the exclusive privilege of selling liquor in the village during the coming year. The council had decided to place the license fee at $750 if two saloons were to be established and at $1,500 if there was to be only one, but this party's offer is $50 higher than the figure suggested.

ALL WORKING IN HARMONY

SEVERAL COMMITTEES OF DIFFERENT ORGANIZATIONS MET LAST NIGHT

THE FIRE TOURNAMENT IN JULY HAS MANY BOOSTERS BACK OF IT

From Friday's Daily—

The three committees from the 25,000 club, the fire department and the N. M. Tournament Ass'n. met last night and transacted much business necessary to the preliminary work that is now being done towards making the Northern Minnesota Firemen's Association Tournament in July a stupendous success. The Woodmen are planning on having their big midsummer picnic at the same time.

Governor Johnson will be invited to be present and will come if there are no conflicting dates. He is a very busy man but will come to Crookston if he can possibly do so. The invitation will be extended thru the Young Men's Johnson club.

Crookston has a reputation among the firemen of the state of being hospitable, and the firemen are all making preparations to be here. The present intention is to have the meeting on July 5, 6 and 7.

IN SWEAT BOX HOBO CONFESSES

THE TOUGH CAPTURED BY THE POLICE IS LOOSENING UP SOME

This morning C. A. Nelson or Johnson admitted that he was one of the three pals of Jens Olson the man who claimed he was robbed of $40 and a watch night before last and that the other two had given him one-third of the plunder.

Nelson claims however that he had nothnig to do with the robbing of Olson.

Chief Eck's theory is that the other two men implicated in the robbery happened to be a little more sober than Nelson and made their get away Nelson proceeded to spend his share of the boodle to complete his spree and was all in when nabbed by the police.

Nelson was arraigned this afternoon at 2 o'clock before Judge Gossman in the municipal court and the case was adjourned till 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. In the meantime Nelson may be induced to tell something more of his palls and where they are likely to be found.

An Obliging Caller.

When M. Clemenceau was in the French chamber of deputies he became for some reason the idol of the workingman, but his popularity, according to the course of nature, brought its penalties. He was besieged by all sorts of people, who came merely to ask questions, and sometimes they were questions of the most trivial sort.

He was originally a doctor and used to give advice for nothing at certain hours of the day. One morning a workingman entered his room, and Clemenceau said without looking up from his writing:

"Take off your coat and shirt. I'll attend to you directly."

Three minutes later he found the man had stripped to the waist.

"There is nothing the matter with you," said the doctor when he had made an examination.

"I know there isn't," returned the man.

"Then what did you come for?"

"To consult you on a political question."

"But what did you strip for?"

"I thought you wanted an illustration of the emaciated body of the man who lives by the sweat of his brow."

The political question remained unanswered. M. Clemenceau was too exasperated to do more than tell the man to dress and go home.

Bliss.

"What sort of time do you expect to have during the social season?"

"Fine," answered Mr. Cumrox. "Mother and the girls will be so busy thinking about their clothes that they won't have time to notice my grammar."—Washington Star.

Aitkin Independent: The conviction is growing that the government has cause to congratulate itself on having escaped from the Standard Oil trial without being fined $29,000,000.

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Taft Worries Politicians

President Taft's new policy of picking Southern Democrats for federal places where the communities do not want negroes and where Republicans are scarce, has stirred up all kinds of interesting troubles at the White House.

Loudest in theircries are the Republican leaders of these states, who insist that they are not getting their share of recognition.

On the other side a wail is coming from the Democratic leaders, who feel their party slipping out from under them. Every time Mr. Taft hands a place to a Democrat they claim he converts a whole army of Democrats to the Republican cause.

Most of the Southern Democrats are Republicans anyway. With the tariff fight compelling them to espouse Republican policies to get the protection favors they want, the Democrats are losing their Democracy with astonishing speed.

And all the pleas which have been made to Mr. Taft to keep the old referee plan intact have failed.

He has been having daily conferences with the Southern Democratic senators to get their views on local candidates but one of these took the president very much aback by the frankest kind of a declaration of policy.

"I am willing to help you pick the proper Republicans for places," this Democratic senator from the big Southern state is reported to have told the president, "but I will not recommend a single Democrat. For I know that the moment you appoint him he will become a republican. And the Democrats can't afford that."

So far the president's chief interest is said to be centered in finding good timber for federal judges in the South. He is said to be displeased with some of the appointments which past presidents have made to the bench south of Mason and Dixon's line. For his part he intends to put the bench on a high plane, if he has to make it a solidly Democratic group.

Aut Wiedersehen

Theodore Roosevelt Tuesday left the shores of his country and set sail for Africa, where he expects to spend a year hunting and collecting specimens of the fauna of the far interior of the Dark Continent.

His departure is especially noteworthy in several ways. He has just retired, voluntarily and in the face of the most tremendous popular demand for him to remain, from the presidency of what we fondly believe to be the greatest nation on earth. His personal popularity with the people of his country is unexampled in our history. None of our retiring presidents have ever taken so unique a method of ocupying their time and energies after retiring from their high office. Such has been the career of Roosevelt, and so extraordinary have been the many acts of his life that anything he does compels the most powerful interest, so that it is doubtful if the whole world has ever before been so absorbed in the undertaking of any one man as it is today in this semi-private, semi-public venture of Theodore Roosevelt into the depths of Africa.

That more than interest of the people of this country goes with him can not be doubted. He has the love of his countrymen in a peculiar degree, and there are few hearts of all out eighty millions who are not saying "God be with you till we meet again!" This country has a wonderful confidence in Theodore Roosevelt; it may not need him again as its president, and it may. But in any event it needs him as a citizen, and it lets him go only with the thought that it will soon have him again. — Duluth Herald (Democratic).

Walt Mason: O tune up the timbrels and kick up a din, and shake up the air with a song; one chieftain goes out and another comes in, and the government moseys along! One chieftain is weary and sick of the strife, and goes to an African vale, where a man leads a quiet and natural life, with lions and snakes on his trail. Afar from the clamor of patriots' tongues, he'll seek a much needed repose, where critters don't battle all day with their lungs, but scrap with their teeth and their toes. One chieftain comes in, and he's stalwart and brave, and he'll need to be dauntless and strong; O long may he prosper and long may he wave—and the government moseys along!

Representative John Saugstad is receiving not a little notice from the twin city dailies altho some of them are not complementary, it is not because he is not doing his duty by his district, but it is because the city lobbyist cannot make him swerve from the right and just course. Mr. Saugstad has been styled an insurgent because he will not line up with the bosses at every beck and call. His picture was humorously caricatured in the Dispatch yesterday.

The catalog houses have caused trouble at Pierz, Morrison county. The Soo road runs a mile from the village and some time ago the catalog houses sent out a number of catalogs to farmers. Many farmers sent in orders probably at about the same time, and a few days ago a carload of goods was received. The merchants of the village rose up and now they declare that if the farmers are going to order their supplies from Chicago they can also sell their products to the mail order houses. A merry war is on and interesting developments are expected.—Thief River Falls News.

The members of Congress must have been rehearsing "Charge of the Light Brigade" as there was Cannon to the right of them, Cannon to the left of them, Cannon in front of them he volleyed and thundered. Into the valley of votes went the army of Representatives then they went back but not the bold voters, as there was Cannon to theright of them, Cannon to the left of them and Cannon behind them, and he volleyed and thundered. —McIntosh Times.

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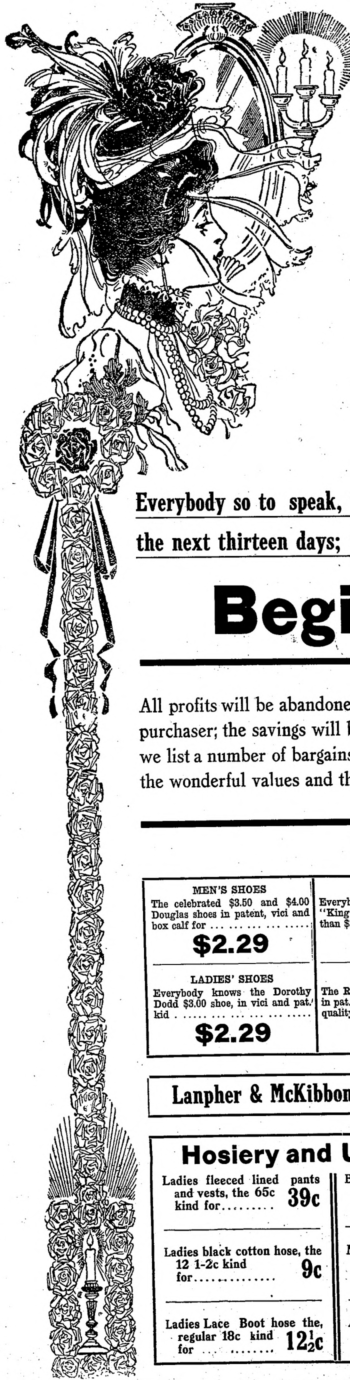

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Chiffon Panama, neatly trimmed, Persian braid and buttons, new shades of blue and green; $30.00 values for ....

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Ladies Suits

Serge Suits, nicely trimmed, a swell make up, in blues, browns and blacks; $20.00 values for.....

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Ladies Skirts

Ladies' Panama Skirts in blue, brown and black; these are especially good values at $7.00; sale price ....

$4.98

Ladies Skirts

Ladies' Skirts in black Panama. These have been our best sellers at $7.50 and $8.50; choice during this sale ....

$5.98

Ladies Long Coats

The new spring style in fancy mixtures, trimmed with buttons, very stylish and up to date; good value at $15.00; special at ....

$10.98

Free Car Fare

To those who reside within a radius of 50 miles from Crookston the railroad fare paid will be refunded with a purchase of $20 or over.

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Everybody so to speak, wants cash, but everybody don't need it as bad as some one else. Here is a

the next thirteen days; rather strong talk and a big lot of money; but we are bound to get it and he

Begin on Saturday, Ap

All profits will be abandoned. the benefit will go wholly to the purchaser; the savings will be 1-3, 1-2 and even more; although we list a number of bargains, it gives a general idea only of the wonderful values and the large assortment to select from.

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MEN'S SHOES
The celebrated $3.50 and $4.00 Douglas shoes in patent, vici and box calf for ....
$2.29

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Everybody knows what the "King" shoes are; never sold less than $3.00; special ....
$2.19

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Pingree's patent calf shoes; a bargain at $5.00; special for this sale
$2.79

BOYS' SHOES
Big values in this line; the regular $1.50 and $2.25 grades, special at
$1.29

LADIES' SHOES
Everybody knows the Dorothy Dodd $3.00 shoe, in vici and pat. kid ....
$2.29

LADIES' SHOES
The Radcliff shoes, blucher style, in pat. kid, lace and button; $3.00 quality ....
$2.39

LADIES' OXFORDS
Vici, gun metal and pat. kid, lace and button; $2.00, $3.00 and $3.50 quality; choice ....
$1.98

LADIES' SHOES
Pingree's cushion sole shoes, never sold less than $3.50; special...
$2.49

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Ladies fleeced lined pants and vests, the 65c kind for......... 39c

Ladies black cotton hose, the 12 1-2c kind for.............. 9c

Ladies Lace Boot hose the, regular 18c kind for 12½c

Boys heavy ribbed black hose 18c has been the price, for....... 12½c

Mens blue and brown mixed Rockford sox, 10c grade for 6c

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Linen Torchon laces, 7 to 10c values 5c; Val. laces, 7 to 18c values for 5c

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Pearl Buttons, pe
Common Pins, pe
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Ladies Cravenetts

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$9.98

Ladies Jackets

Ladies' Cloth Spring Weight Jackets in black, red, blue and fancy mixtures, the real thing; $6.50 value for ... ...

$4.89

Ladies Jackets

Ladies' Jackets in covert cloth, in new spring shades of tan and brown; a big bargain at $15.00; sale price ... ...

$9.98

Misses Jackets

Made of light weight broadcloth, blues, browns and fancy mixtures, ages 14 to 18 years; good bargain at $7.00; sale price ... ...

$4.98

Petticoats

Ladies' Sateen Petticoats, a big seller at $1.00; special for this sale, a limited quantity for ... ...

69c

Petticoats

Ladies Petticoats, good quality of heatherbloom; considered a snap at $1.50; a limited number for this sale ... ...

98c

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Cash Only

Owing to the great sacrifice in prices no charges will be made during this sale.

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is how we are going to do it. The greatest sale ever inaugurated in Crookston or vicinity will

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DRESS GOODS SPECIALS

DRESS GOODS	DRESS GOODS	DRESS GOODS	DRESS GOODS
Novelty dress goods, 38 in. wide, the regular 65c value for	Black voile, 36 in. wide; big value at 65c; special	Black voile, sold very close at $1.00; during this sale	50 in. all cheviot, has been a big seller at $1.25; sale price ... .
39c	**45c**	**89c**	**89c**
SILK	**SATIN**	**DRESS GOODS**	**DRESS GOODS**
27 in. Taffeta silk, blue, black, brown and red; $1.00 quality ...	36 in. Guaranteed satin, all colors, big values at $1.25; sale price	Cotton voile, in white, cream and brown; the regular 20c kind, for..	White dimity, full 27 in. wide; a bargain at 15c; sale price ... ...
79c	**89c**	**13c**	**11c**

lats - - 49c	Mens 50 & 60c Work Shirts - 39c	50c and 60c Overalls - - - 39c

ONS—

card -	1c
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Embroideries 6 to 10c values, 5c; Huck towels 10c values, for 5c.

Those indebted to Mr. Chabot please call and settle their accounts at once.

Look for the Blue Pencil they show the savings.

In order to re-arrange & mark down, the store will close Friday, April 2nd.

Your share of the great bargains, will you get them? Not if you wait until others get them.

Shirt Waists

Ladies white shirt waists, the 65c, 75c, and $1 values for........ **49c**

Ladies white shirt waists, nicely trimmed, $1.25 and 1.50 value for.. **89c**

Ladies white shirt waists, very swell, 1.75 value, for........ **1.18**

Ladies silk waists the regular 5.00 and 6.00 kind for **3.98**

Ladies Jap Silk Waists in black and white only, 2.75 kind... **1.98**

Ladies Jap Silk waists, better quality, 3.75 and 4.00 grade...... **2.98**

THE BLUE PENCIL PRICES SHOW SAVINGS YOU MAKE

DUGDALE IS ALMOST WIPED OFF THE MAP

Fire Destroyed The City Hall And Merchantile Establishment Of Herman Camp.

Loss $15,000.

From Saturday's Daily—

Early this morning a fire at Dugdale totally destroyed the general store of Herman P. Camp and the town hall adjoining entailing a loss of about $15,000 on which there was insurance of $7,000 on th estock of Mr. Camp and $700 on the town hall.

In addition the most fortunate feature of the fire was that Mr. Camp who rooms over his store barely escaped with his life, the ames enveloping the room before he was awakened.

The fire is supposed to have originated in the attic of the store, but this will never be known to a certainty. There was a dance in the hall last evening and the people had all reached their homes and were fast asleep when the alarm of fire was given.

Mr. Camp had a big stock and the insurance which was placed through the C. C. Strander & Co. agency of this city will not cover the loss.

The destruction of these two building very nearly wipe out the town as it is only a small station 20 miles east of Crookston. The Great Northern about two years ago moved the depot to Tilden about a mile west of Dugdale and since then this little town has been handicapped.

It has been impossible to reach Mr. Camp by telephone today to find out what his future intentions are regarding rebuiluding but it is generally believed that he will rebuild. He was doing a fine business and had no competition.

HORSES COME IN GOOD CONDITION

POLK CO. TEAMS IN LUMBER CAMPS COMING OUT IN FINE CONDITION

LUMBER CAMPS ARE BREAKING UP AFTER VERY FAVORABLE SEASON

Parties who had their teams working hauling and skidding report them returning home in fine shape including with a good earning record. Chas Teal Sr., of Euclid had 8 head near Tenstrike which arrived overland today. They were in charge of his grandson Roy Teal. The trip out was made in record time without a mishap.

A FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT

It is reported that the railroad company has settled the Winnipeg Junction case by buying out all property owners there. It costs the company $30,000 and after the company had bought them out it gave the property back again minus the claim to any railroad facilities at the Junction. The Junction will now soon be removed to Lake Park.

Somewhat Puzzling.

It is not at all surprising that the American vernacular should sometimes prove a little too much for the Englishman. A case in point was that of a visitor from London who came to New York last summer and was taken by his host to see one of the league baseball games at the Polo grounds. The game had progressed as far as the third inning without anything in particular happening, when suddenly one of the Giants pounded out a three bagger that set everybody howling with joy.

"That was a bird!" ejaculated the Englishman's host after the excitement had subsided.

A moment later a foul tip sent the ball flying back to the grand stand.

"And what do you call that?" queried the Englishman.

"That's a foul," said his host.

"Ah," returned the Englishman, "a fowl, eh? Well, it seems to me that the language of baseball is most extraordinary. A fowl is a bird and a bird is a fowl, and yet you use these terms to describe two plays that seem to me to be diametrically opposed to each other. Do you call that logical?"

The Englishman is still trying to think it out.—Harper's Weekly.

She Had Tested the Oyster.

Dora, the pet of the household, was very fond of oysters, and after eating her lunch of oysters and crackers she thought of her dear mother busy at her sewing machine. She selected a nice large oyster, put it in a plate and carried it to her mother, who, pleased with her little daughter's thoughtfulness, ate the oyster and said:

"It is most as good as my little girlie."

"Yes," answered Dora, "I know it is good 'cause I licked it all the way from the kitchen."—Delineator.

The Contrast.

The elderly bride regarded in the mirror her wreath of orange blossoms, her gown of ivory satin and old valenciennes and her long rope of perfect pearls.

"There's only one trouble about fine clothes," she murmured. "They make one's face look so shabby."—New York Press.

A DEADLY CONTEST.

Tragic Climax of a Bicycle Race In Australia.

One of the most singular events in the annals of athletics occurred a few years ago at Sydney, Australia. The occasion was a great electric light bicycle race, and the attendance was not less than 10,000 people. There were fifty entries, two of whom, James Somerville and Percy Cliff, were not only professional rivals, but deadly enemies. Both were considered expert riders.

From the start of the race Somerville led, with Cliff a close second. Somerville kept the lead throughout and came into the last lap with Cliff only a few feet behind him. When about twenty-five yards from the finish Somerville put on a terrific burst of speed and drew away from his rival. Suddenly at this point his grip on the handle bar relaxed, and he fell forward. The machine, however, under the tremendous impulse it had received, raced ahead like an arrow, the rider hanging limply over the handle bar.

Four yards from the tape the machine slowed down a little. At this point the front wheel of Cliff's machine struck the hind wheel of Somerville's, sending both wheel and rider across the tape. Somerville won the race, but he was dead several seconds before he crossed the tape.—Chicago Record-Herald.

ANCIENT DOCTORS.

Some of the Things They Knew Twelve Hundred Years Ago.

The Russian Academy of Medicine after examining a Tibetan "Handbook of Medicine," first published 1,200 years ago, acknowledges that it contains many truths discovered or rediscovered by modern physicians. Here are some extracts from the ancient volume:

"Number of bones in the human body, 360; number of nerves, 99; number of pores, 11,000,000.

"The heart is the king of the organs and the staff of life. The lungs embrace it as a mother does her child. Sicknesses are due to man's malice, ignorance and inability to curb the passions, for these things interfere with the proper nourishment of the human organs. All unkind thoughts react upon the heart and liver."

The methods for ascertaining the state of a person's health were very similar to those methods employed today—looking at the tongue, feeling the pulse, etc. Vegetable medicines are advocated; also baths, compresses, massage, bloodletting, etc. Fines were imposed upon physicians who did not keep their instruments clean.

Why Our Railroads Are Narrow Gauge.

Why are all railroads built on the standard gauge of four feet eight and one-half inches? The makers of the first locomotives thought only of putting their machines upon the tramways already in existence, and from that followed a very interesting and curious result. These tram lines naturally had exactly the width prescribed by the strength of one horse. By mere inertia the horse cart gauge established itself in the world, and everywhere the train is dwarfed to a scale that limits alike its comfort, power and speed. Because there is so much capital engaged and because of the dead power of custom it is doubtful if there will ever be any change in this gauge. Still, it might be worse. If the biggest horses had been Shetland ponies our railway carriages now would only be wide enough to hold two persons side by side and would have a maximum speed of twenty miles an hour. There is hardly a reason aside from this antiquated horse why the railway coach should not be nine or ten feet wide—that is, the width of the smallest room in which people can live in comfort and furnished with all the equipment of comfortable chambers.—Atlantic.

MAKE HASTE IS URGED

CONDITION OF PRESENT POSTOFFICE BUILDING URGES OFFICIAL TO HASTEN

WITH THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT BUILDING HERE

From Thursday's Daily—

Newbery and Newbery as agent for Fitger and Co., of Duluth owners of the building has notified Postmaster Steenerson that the building now occupied as the postoffice is in a very unstable condition and that the owner will not be responsible for any damages should an accident occur. Mr Steenerson has forwarded the notice to Washington and will await instructions from the department before taking any action.

There is of course no immediate danger that the building will collapse, but the owners are very anxious to make necessary repairs before the structure is too far gone. To put the building in normal condition again will require the building of about sixty feet of new wall on the west side and to do this it is necessary to vacate.

Postmaster Steenerson is urging the necessity of rushing the new building to completion.

FURTHER ACTION IN HIGH COURT

E. G. FORKS PAVING MATTER TO BE TAKEN TO SUPREME COURT

Former City Attorney D. T. Collins of East Grand Forks and Judge Corliss were in the city yesterday and took the necessary steps preliminary to appealing the paving case tried in the district court in Janury and decided against the city to the supreme court. The case will go on the calendar of the April term and will prably be argued in June. Messrs. Corliss and Collins who represent East Grand Forks in the case are of the opinion that the city stands a very good show of winning when the matter comes up before the supreme court.

GOT FINE FARM FROM UNCLE SAM

The U. S. Land office today received the final proof on the NW. quarter of section 18 town 52 Range 40. Mrs. Elvira C. Hovland, Rhoda P. O. is the party who has completed the required five years residence and fulfilled all the requirements of Uncle Sam and will receive the title to the land. This farm has already been much improved and said to be very valuable.

THIEF RIVER FALLS HAS GUN CLUB

The Thief River Falls gun club recently organized, will soon commence trap shooting and will keep it up until the chicken season opens in September. Officers of the club are as follows:

President—C. A. Nason.
Vice-President—J. F. Brown.
Sec. and Treas.—B. L. Backe.
Field Captain—E. S. Ashley.

He Walked.

"Good afternoon, Miss Brown! Going for a walk? May I go with you?" asked an elderly but ardent admirer of the lady.

"Yes; my doctor says that we must always walk with an object, and I suppose you'll answer the purpose!"

The Exporter.

"Who is your Chicago friend?"

"He is a prominent ex-porter."

"What does he export?"

"I didn't say he exported anything. He used to be a porter at the hotel where I stopped."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Way They Have.

"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "has a way of keepin' der consciences quiet by takin' de minister's advice on Sunday an' de lawyer's advice all de res' o' de week."—Washington Star.

The Considerate Clock.

"One kiss!" pleaded a departing lover.

"Nonsense!" exclaimed his fiancee in a teasing mood. "Some one might see us."

"Who?"

"Why, the clock; it has a face."

"Yes, but it keeps its hands in front of it!"

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT

MRS. L. S. HANCOCK IS IN VERY SERIOUS CONDITION FOLLOWING FALL

SUFFERED A BROKEN HIP AND WRIST AS RESULT OF ACCIDENTIAL FALL

From Saturday's Daily—

Mrs. L. S. Hancock one of the most prominent of our old citizens lies in a critical condition in her home on Cowing street the result of a fall on a slippery walk.

Mrs. Hancock was going from her home to that of her daughter Mrs. Geo. F. Carpenter this morning, when crossing the street she suffered the fall. She was at once taken to her home and a physician called who discovered that she was seriously injured having sustained a broken hip and wrist.

Mrs. Hancock is quite elderly and stout and it is feared on account of her age that the injuries will cripple her for life if the results are not more serious.

REMINISCENSES ARE ENJOYED

READS OLD SETTLERS MEET IN MINNEAPOLIS DAYTON'S TEA ROOMS

The local members of the Reads old settlers association have received the report of the successful banquet and smoker held at Dayton's Tea Rooms in Minneapolis on the evening of March 20.

There were 45 present, a regular program was gone thru but the most interesting part was the personal reminiscences of those present, as well as the many letters from Reeds natives in far off countries.

L. W. Larson, Rudy Burkhardt, J. N. Kirsch and Mrs. Emma Rasmussen of Crookston responded by writing. Some of the letters received were from all parts of the globe. The home coming week will be held in the month of August.

A ROYAL DESPOT.

Wurttemberg Prince Who Sold His Subjects Like Cattle.

Cruel and despotic were some of the petty princes who ruled the fatherland before the Napoleonic wars swept them away. Charles Eugene of Wurttemburg, born in 1728, died in 1793 and during his sixty-five years of life tormented his parents, his wives and his subjects. His first consort, Fredericka of Beyreuth, was worthy of him. When entering Wurttemberg soon after their marriage the girls threw masses of flowers in front of them. "What do those dogs want?" the princess asked her husband. They were always quarreling and never spoke to each other without snarling. The prince was always short of money and sold 6,000 of his subjects to England to raise the wind. He took the poor wretches from the fields, clapped a uniform on them and sent them to their destination as if they were cattle. Once he called all the young men of a certain district before him and made the following speech: "My brave boys, do you want to go to fight in the ranks of the English heroes against the savages of the continent?" No reply was made for the moment. Then a number of the youths stepped forward, and one of them said, "We do not want to be sold like sheep." The prince promptly gave orders for two of them to be seized, put against a wall and shot at once. Then while the blood was running from the mutilated bodies of the two unfortunates the prince by divine right said: "Run away. You see I do not want to impose my will on you. I think of your welfare like a father does of his children. You want to fight by the side of the valorous English." All consented. Schiller heard his father tell this story, and he himself related it in a scene of one of his plays.

Phil May's Drawings.

The late Phil May was popularly supposed to be the "lightning artist" par excellence of England. It is quite true that he could draw many wonderful things "straight off." But when a subject had been chosen for a Punch illustration many drawings were made from a model or models who first had to be discovered. By a process of selection each drawing of the subject bore fewer lines. When the drawing was published most of those who looked at it thought that it had been done with a few rapid strokes of the pen, whereas it probably represented a week's hard work.—London News.

Too General.

Little Eph—Mammy, who was Venus? Mammy—Fo' de law's sake, I knows so many Venuses—Venus Jonsing, Venus Smiff—an', look heah, chile, you mus' be mo' splicit!—New York Journal.

Every man who rises to any profession must tread a path more or less bedewed by the tears of those he passes on his way.—Bayne.

32 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

DEMONSTRATES TO CAPT. DONALDSON THAT THE R. R. VALLEY IS UNEXCELLED

HE HAS TRAVELED EXTENSIVELY AND IS STUDENT OF FARM AND FARMER

From Saturday's Daily—

H. W. Donaldson an old timer of Kittson county, came up from St. Paul Wednesday morning and will put in the season at Hallock working for Burchart-Hulburt Investment Co. During the past four years Mr. Donaldson has spent considerable time in western North Dakota and Alberta, Canada At neither of these two places did he find soil, climate, market, or any thing which goes towards making a good agricultural country to be compared with that of the Red River Valley. Having spent nearly thirty-two years in this county and managed some of the big farms in the early days and has a thoro knowledge of soil, also having seen a great deal of what is supposed to be good farming localtiies and when a man of his experience makes a statement that northern Minnesota is far in the lead, as an agricultural section such a statement ought to be worth something.

EUCLID AUDIENCE LIKE "UNCLE RUBE"

ST. MARY'S DRAMATIC SOCIETY SCORED A BIG SUCCESS AT EUCLID LAST NIGHT

The play "Uncle Rube" given here St. Patrick's eve under the auspices of the St. Mary's Sodalists was repeated at Euclid last night with marked success. Altho the entertainment had not been much advertised a large crowd greeted the players at the Woodman Hall.

The characters of the play "Uncle Rube" were about the same as when presented here, and the individual successes would only be repeating what was said in the Journal of Mar. 19th. The participants drove up

FARMER BROWN DRAGGING

A number of visitors from over west in the city testified to reports that Brown brothers farmers near Key West had three drags in the fields yesterday and the day before. Many farmers have stated that their fields were in trim for the drag but did not belivee it well to get to work until the weather was more settled.

A DRAMATIC CLIMAX.

Effect of One Woman's Pathetic Eyes Upon a Jury.

James T. Brady, who was one of New York's greatest lawyers, was once counsel for a young woman in a case involving an attempt to break a will.

His client sat by his side. She was a very beautiful young woman, whose eyes seemed always to rivet the attention of those upon whom her glance fell. There was a pathetic expression which affected every one. She sat watching the jury during the course of the trial, and at last there was some complaint that she was attempting by means of her glances to excite the sympathy of the jury.

Then Mr. Brady arose and in one of the most touching and beautiful of all the addresses he ever made in court spoke of the blessings which every one who had an appreciation of beautiful things and could see them enjoyed and dwelt for some moments upon the happy lot of the jury who could see the budding of the flowers—it was then springtime—and the charms of nature. Then, suddenly turning to his client, he said, "That blessing is denied my client, for, though she has eyes which seem to look upon you, gentlemen, there is no vision in them, for her sight has been taken from her."

She had been, in fact, the victim of total paralysis of the optic nerve, which had not impaired the beauty of her eyes, but had given to them that singular pathetic expression which she was thus falsely charged with employing that she might secure the sympathies of the jury.

Impressed.

"I appear to have made something of an impression on that man over there," remarked a young lady at a wedding party. "He has been looking at me ever since I arrived."

"If you mean that one with the black mustache, he's the detective engaged to look after the presents!" said a friend.

Very Little Change.

"It's three years since I was in this city," said a stranger in a restaurant as he was walking out after finishing his dinner; "city looks the same."

"I don't find much change!" responded the waiter as he took up the nickel that was left on the table.

HUOT DAM ROCK PILE

OVER 10,000,000 POUNDS OF DAM BALLAST PILED UP NEAR HUOT

THIS REPRESENTS A REVENUE OF $3,000 TO SURROUNDING FARMERS

The proposed water power improvements on the Red Lake River near Huot is proving a bonanza to the farmers in that vicinity who are supply the rock for the dam.

John Lindberg is in from there having spent the past winter buying rock for the Crookston Water Works Power and Light Co., to be used in construction. The farmers delivered 5,000 tons the past winter for which they received $3,000 a very neat sum, and in addition much land was rid of rocks and made more valuable.

The Water Works Co., owned 1,600 acres near Huot last year and have since acquired more which is necessary for the overflow. With the stone secured the past winter there is about one-fourth of the total amount needed for the dam now on the ground, and there looks to be enough to build a Morro Castle. The farmers made good money, hauling about 4 tons to the load on an average.

PASSED RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE

GOLDEN ROD CAMP NO. 798 R. OF OF A. PASS RESOLUTION IN HONOR OF MRS. BIEVER

Golden Rod Camp No. 798, Royal Neighbors of America, Crookston, Minn., March 26, 1909.

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to call from our midst our esteemed and beloved neighbor, Amelia Biever, and

Whereas, Golden Rod Camp No. 798 Royal Neighbors of America, has lost one of its most beloved neighbors, and the bereaved family a faithful and loving wife and mother

Resolved, That Camp 798, Royal Neighbors of America extend their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and a copy spread on the minutes of our local camp and copy be sent to the Royal Neighbors' paper and to the local papers to be published therein, and

Resolved, That our chapter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days.

Mary Palen,
Florence Hoch
Laura Warfel,
Committee.

MURDER THREAT SCARES THEM

GRAND FORKS CHILDREN HAVE THEIR INHUMAN FATHER ARRESTED

Terrorized by their father's threat that he would kill both of them when he returned shortly to their home in Grand Forks, two children of Fred Schneiblei hurried to the police station last night. Chief Overby and Captain Sullivan accompanied the children to their home and arrested the inhuman father.

A warrant charging him with threatening to kill was sworn out in Judge P. McLoughlin's court. His hearing was set for this forenoon at 10 o'clock and he was taken to the county jail.

Makes Murder Threat

Schneiblei had been attending a beer party at the residence of his brother John and when he returned to his home during the evening he told the children that as soon as he found them asleep he would kill them. He left the house and the children lost no time in getting to the city hall.

The mother of the children is dead. There are two boys aged 16 and 8 and a girl of 14.

The police are inclined to believe that the accused may have intended to commit murder. He was drunk and ugly and has been greatly feared by his children.

Too much firewater prevented two Indians on their way from Bemidji to Lakota from making the westbound Oriental Limited at Grand Forks last evening. They were arrested by Captain John Sullivan on a charge of drunkenness and it was found that they had a satchel full of whiskey and alcohol. One of the men lost his hat somewhere. Long before the train arrived they were lined up on the platform but their thirst proved too much for them and they sought a cozy nook.

TENNIS CLUB GOING SOME

NEW CLUB HOUSE BUILT RIGHT AWAY AND GROUNDS TO BE IMPROVED

BOARD OF DIRECTORS WERE ELECTED AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING

From Thursday's Daily—

A meeting of the Crookston Tennis club was held last evening at which important business was transacted also the five directors elected as follows: Tom Morris, C. E. Gildersleeve R. C. Ruettell, Dr. F. Frank Boles, Dr C. E. Dampier.

The building committee named some time ago was authorized to at once enter into a contract for the construction of the fine new club house, plans for which were drawn some time ago. The contract for the building has been let to Larson & Larson who were the lowest bidders, and the plumbing and sewerage work has been let to Chas. F. Brennan. This will be quite a job as several hundred feet of water mains and sewage mains must be laid to make connections. Work on the building will be started at once and Crookston will soon have another evidence of metropolitanism to boast of to visitors in the city.

Social Committee

The club does not intend to neglect the social features during the coming summer and a committee to have charge of the social affairs during the coming season was named as follows: H. H. Chesterman, L. S. Miller, C. H. Zealand. This committee was also happily named and insures that proper atention will be given to social functions.

Most people's generosity consists in all the things they are going to do for others when they can afford it.

Journal want ads bring resul'

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

CITY COFFERS REPLENISHED

CITY TREAS. McGREGOR DREW MARCH APPORTIONMENT TODAY— $13,854.88

THE SCHOOL DISTRICT MONEY IS ALSO READY FOR DISTRIBUTION

From Friday's Daily—

The city treasury was this morning enriched by $1,584.88 when City Treasurer V. L. McGregor went to the court house and had that fund transferred in the local banks to the city's credit.

This money comes from the taxes paid to the county treasurer prior to March 1st. The money will be placed to the credit of the various funds by Clerk Childs and Treasurer McGregor.

For the Carman school district No. 251, its treasurer J. F. Ingersoll drew $978.55 for funds, with which to do business the next six months.

There is another sum of $233.20 due the district for the attendance apportionment. The district receiving $2.20 for each pupils attending six weeks.

The Crookston district No. 1 has still $10,757.21 to its credit in the county treasurer's office. $5,000 having been drawn some time ago. Of this amount $3,480.40 is for attendance apportionment and the other comes from the regular property tax.

Moorhead Independent: Yea, verily history doth repeat itself. Some centuries ago St. Patrick drove snakes out of Ireland. Now comes the Minnesota state legislature and endeavors to drive the snakes out of Minnesota by limiting the number of saloons to one to each 500 population.

The trouble with intellect is how litle it seems to have to do with happiness.

There's no fool like an old husband of a young wife exceppt an old wife of a young husband.

NELSON FOUND NOT GUILTY

AS CHARGED BY BELTRAMI CO., JURY AFTER 29 HOURS OF DELIBERATION

SENTIMENT OF TWELVE MEN WERE FOR LIGHTER CHARGE BUT COURT OVERRULED

From Thursday's Daily—

After being out practically twenty-nine hours, the jury in the case of Barnard Andrew Nelson, accused of the crime of murder in the first degree (of having killed Morris Fuller at Fowlds on the mornnig of January 3rd) at 8:15 last evening, returned a verdict of not guilty, at Bemidji, as charged in the indictment.

The jury came into court yesterday morning and asked for instructions as to whether they could return a verdict of manslaughter in the case; and as to what extent they could ask for clemency for the defendant; also if they could find that the Barnard Nelson indictment was not a true in dictment in the first or second degree. They were given negative answers as to the questions as to returning a verdict of manslaughter and also as to finding the indictment not true, and were given to understand that the question of the extent that clemency could be exercised toward Nelson rested entirely within the jurisdiction of the court.

The jury retired and put in several hours in earnest discussion of the case. Finally, at 3:45 yesterday after noon, the twelve men came into court and reported that they were hopelessly apart and could not reach a verdict They were directed to return for further deliberation; they wrestled with the evidence and all phases of the crime finally reaching a verdict at 8:15 last night.

The reason a man is not a hideous disappointment to himself is he is to everybody else.

When it storms very hard the most irritating man on earth is the fellow who tells you the years it was worse.

SOCIALISTS SPREAD DOCTRINES

THE THREE HOURS MEETING LAST NIGHT WAS CROWDED TO THE DOORS

LECTURER BARTON A U. OF M. GRADUATE KEPT AUDIENCE IN RAPT ATTENTION

From Friday's Daily—

Again the Socialists showed that they never stop campaigning. They are just as lively after as before election. Their meeting last night was a grend success the house being packed to the doors and corridors with people and many had to be turned away. Many of the leading citizens were present to know both sides of the social problem and, who gave the speaker much credit for the cause he stands for and advocates. Mr. Barton who delivered an address on existing evil condition of the day and the final outcome if not remedied, has but few equals. The audience was all attention for the two hours of his speech with occasional tremendous applause.

Mr. Barton certainly gave his listeners something to think about. He said in part: "Education is what we want but if used for individual benefits we trample our less fortunate sisters and brothers beneath us and thus become a curse to civilization. We must educate ourselves and help our fellowmen and thus be sucessful in the uplifting of humanity.

In Minnesota there are about 600 newspaper men, each conducting a job printing plant, and each one tamely submits while the government robs them of thousands of dollars' worth of business, in the shape of printed envelopes. This injustice will be stopped in time, anyway but why not do it now? Get busy, gentlemen and prod your representative at Washington.—North Branch Review.

If you cant talk of anything but your woes dont

RESULTS THAT REMAIN

Are Appreciated by Crookston People

Thousands who suffer from backache and kidney complaint have tried one remedy after another, finding only temporary benefit. This is discouraging, but there is one special kidney medicine that cures permanently and there is planty of proof right here in Crookston.

Here is the testimony of one who used Doan's Kidney Pills years ago, and now states that the cure was lasting.

Mrs. Benj. Campagne, 322 Spendley St, Crookston, Minn., says: "I can just as enthusiastically endorse Doan's Kidney Pills today as I did six years ago. At that time they proved of great benefit to me in banishing a dull backache which had clung to me despite my efforts for relief. I finally procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Wallace's drug store and began using them. They helped me from the first and soon the pains were entirely removed."

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"Yes, but he's so many kinds of an idiot."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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Suburbanite—You are half an hour late this morning. Letter Carrier—Yes, ma'am. The sections of stovepipe I have to wear inside my trousers legs on account of the dogs you keep along this street hamper my movements, ma'am."—Chicago Tribune.

Taft had his snow storm in March Bryan always takes his in November and Teddy had a storm the year round.—LeSueur News.

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The new president in trying to control that element that has made the life of President Roosevelt any other than a peaceful one, without the big stick, will make a complete failure.—Lake Crystal Union.

The Brainerd Tribune is getting tired. It thinks that a legislative session every decade would be often enough. Cheer up, it will soon be good fishing.—Albert Lea Times.

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Red River Valley In Fine Shape

Not for many years have the prospects been as good in the Red River Valley as they are this spring. The farmers have their plowing well done more than they have had in ten years and in addition the plowing was well done. There was a large amount of summer fallowing done last year, and the fall plowing as a rule was done early so that the land that is ready for seeding this spring is in fine shape.

The recent snow was also a great benefit. The ground was dry last fall, but the recent snow which has now practically all melted will fill the cracks with moisture and this will furnish the needed water for grain later in the season should it prove dry.

From present prospects the spring will be early. As stated several days ago, some seeding has already been done, and it would take but a very few days of fine mild weather before seeding would be general.

With all conditions favorable there is every reason for the business men to be optimistic regarding the coming year. The feeling is that way now and will be more so as the season progresses. All indications point at a new era of prosperity in this section of the northwest.

With hundreds of new farmers coming in, the practical, desirable kind, the farming interests of this section are going to receive a boom such as has not been experienced in many years.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

TO NORTH DAKOTA—Robert Ashley left this morning for North Dakota and will visit Neche and Hamilton before returning. He expects to make the two towns today.

SPENT SUNDAY HERE — Tim Toole of Duluth spent Sunday in the city the guest of C. W. Final. The company is very much pleased with the outlook for business in this section the coming year.

A NEW GAME—I. W. Kinder, president of the Travelling Men's Sunday school Association, this morning received a new game called "Egg-O-See' which he started to introduce among the traveling fraternity. It seemed to take very well as he sold several pecks at the depot this morning.

HAS BAD HAND—Chief of Police Eck has a very painful hand as the result of a cut in the fleshy part of his left hand. The wound is healing up nicely but in the meantime is very painful and the injured member is very badly swollen.

HAD HIS BIRD CAGE —Maurice Billedeau spent Sunday in the city from Fisher and returned this morning. He took along a bird cage and also had a package which he claimed contained a bird, but the general supposition here was that he had the bird caught in Fisher before hand.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis.

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A BAD ACCIDENT — Martin E. Hoff had the misfortune to be thrown from his horse while going home last Sunday afternoon and seriously spraining his knee. Dr. Swanson has him in charge and he is improving rapidly but is still unable to take his mail route which is being handled this week by August Berglund.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT—W. A. Sorsoleil arrived at St. Hilaire last Monday from his home near Prince Albert, Sask., and has been visiting with old friends. Mr. Sorsoleil came down at this time on acount of his damage suit against the Red Lake Falls Milling company for $10,000 damages which is being tried at Red Lake Falls this week.

SCHOOL LAND SALE—The state auditor will hold a sale of school lands for Red Lake county at Red Lake Falls on Friday, June 11th. Only four thousand acres are offered for sale in this county, but in Roseau County 60,000 acres will be offered and 45,000 acres offered in Marshall county. This would indicate that the school lands in Red Lake county have been nearly all disposed of and is now in private hands.

CREAM SEPARATOR SALESMAN—Chester Stebbins, the general agent for the DeLaval Cream Separator Co., spent Sunday in the city and left this morning for Thief River Falls where he has a deal on. He states that the demand for cream separators in the Red River Valley has been increasing to such an extent that the companies are paying more attention to this section of the country than ever before.

HEADED FOR CLAIM—J. Rasmissen of Moorhead who has been visiting his son Rudy Rasmussen at Grand Forks arrived this morning from the latter city and will spend a few days here at the home of his son J. R. Rasmussen before proceeding to his claim in Roseau Co., where he will spend some time. Mr. Rasmussen tho advanced in years is still hale and hearty and as vigorous as many men much younger in years.

WERE PHOTOGRAPHED — The Bangen Photographic Studio has just turned out a fine picture of the faculty and students of the Agricultural school. The photo-picture is twelve by fourteen inches and made by tastefully grouping the individual pictures so as to make a fine group picture. There are over 100 persons on the picture each student and teacher has secured one that will be highly prized by them, in the future years to come.

SNOW THREE FEET DEEP—St. Cloud Times: "Fifty years ago today," state C. A. Gilman this morning "the snow lay three feet deep on the level in the woods, and there was not a sign of its clearing up or melting. I was then conducting a sugar camp out near where the Gilmanton Catholic church now stands and came to town thru the snow to attend the Clark-Corbett wedding. That year the snow stayed on the ground in the woods all thru March and April and on the first of May we moved our camp on a sled to the edge of the timber where we could then take wagons." There is quite a difference between the conditions then and today.

NELSON BOUND OVER—O. C. Nelson, charged with the robbing of a transient Friday night was today held to the grand jury by the Municipal court, and not having the $500 bonds he went to jail.

WATTS TO RED LAKE FALLS—Judge Wm. Watts returned to Red Lake Falls this morning to resume the March term of court. Several local attorneys accompanied him.

MIGHT SELL NEW STOCK—C. Q. Roemer went to Dugdale this morning a new stock of hardware. Camp was burned out a few days ago as was stated in the Journal.

RANDKLEV RETURNS — Somewhat browned by southern suns and "trained down" about fifteen pounds in avoirdupois by his energetic traveling, M. E. Randklev has returned to his home at Fosston after an absence of a number of weeks, the greater portion being spent by him in the interesting island of Cuba.

CRAZED BY GRIEF—Ka-Ka-gie-sic one of the Warroad Indians, was taken to Roseau last Friday by Julian Brown of Warroad. He was examined before Probate Judge Holm the following day, adjudged insane and taken to the Fergus Falls hospital by Mr. Brown and Sheriff Olsson. Ka-Ka-Gie-Sic who is a brother of Chief Na-ma-pock, lost his wife and children about a year ago and the misfortune seems to have affected his mind.

A Religious Author's Statement

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy."

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MANY WILL BE HELPED

HOW TO PREPARE A MIXTURE TO CURE—SAYS THIS IS VERY GOOD

DREAD DISEASE, WHICH IS SAID TO YIELD TO SIMPLE HOME RECIPE

To relieve the worst forms of Rheumatism take a teaspoonful of the following mixture after each meal and at bedtime.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

These harmless ingredients can be obtained from our home druggists, and are easily mixed by shaking them well in a bottle. Relief is generally felt from the first few doses.

This prescription forces the clogged up, inactive kidneys to filter and strain from the blood the poisonous waste matter and uric acid, which causes Rheumatism.

As Rheumatism is not only the most painful and torturous disease, but dangerous to life this simple recipe will no doubt be greatly valued by many sufferers here at home who should at once prepare the mixture to get this relief.

It is said that a person who would take this prescriptions regularly a dose or two daily ar even a few times a week would never have serious Kidney or Urinary disorders or Rheumatism.

Cut this out and preserve it. Good Rheumatism prescriptions which really relieve are scarce indeed, and when you need it you want it badly.

From Tuesday's Daily

Gus Schuneman is making the north line today and departed with a smile which nearly covered his face and that is making a pretty broad statement.

VISITING BAGLEY—J. W. Wheeler left this morning for Bagley where he will spend the day attending to some important business matters of a financial nature.

BACK FROM MINNEAPOLIS — Bennie Moe returned this morning from a combined business and pleasure trip to Minneapolis where his mother resides.

ON FINANCIAL BUSINESS—J. P. Foote of the Scandia American Bank left this morning for a business trip up the Warroad line, expecting to return this evening.

VISITING GRAND FORKS— Rev. A. Salveson left this morning for Grand Forks where he will spend the day attending to some church matters and visiting with friends.

A NEW NAME — J. J. Kelly is spending the day attending to some business matters out on the Fosston line. His latest name among the travelling men is "Gold Mine John" alias "Coffee Kelly."

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes.

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HALLOCK BUSINESS MAN HERE—John Henry, one of the prominent business men of Hallock arrived in the city last evening and is spending the day here with friends and is also attending to some business matters.

FANNY FARMER IN CITY—A. F. Michaels of the Town of Fanny is spending the day in the city. He is a well known farmer on rural route No. 5 and his farm is kept up to the highest standard. He was in the city today to have some stationery printed and intends to do business the same as a business man in the city.

HEILEMAN AGENT HERE—N. C. Ludvigson the manager of the Heileman Brewing Co. Agency here and at East Grand Forks who formerly resided here but later moved to East Grand Forks spent the night here and left this morning for the west end county town. He is looking as hale and hearty as ever and is just as good natured.

HERE FROM CLIMAX—Alexander Spokely arrived from Climax this morning and is spending the day with his brother, Julius Spokely, and other friends. He says things are looking fine around Climax, which is one of the garden spots of Polk county.

ON THREE DAYS' TRIP—C. L. Bang left this morning for Warroad and other points on that line where he will spend the next three days getting orders for the Crookston Bottling Works. The business of Bang Bros., is growing steadily owing to active pushing by the two members of the firm.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

TO MOVE TO FORKS—Theodore Tharaldson who has been traveling in North Dakota for the past year states that he is going to move his family to that city in a short time. He has been a resident of this city for a number of years, and the departure of the family will be greatly regretted by a large circle of friends. Mr. Tharaldson is making the move because of convenience as he is spend- Grand Forks.

PROMINENT FARMER IN—Fred Reitmeier one of the prominent farmers residing on rural route number five is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters and at the same time ordering some stationery at the Journal office. He is one of the progressive farmers of Lowell and is a frequent visitor in Crookston.

LOCATES IN NORTH DAKOTA—John Jebe who has been operating a tonsorial parlor at Pomeroy, Ia., has sold his business there and left last evening for Haynes, N. D., where he will engage in the same line of business. He has been visiting for the past week with his father, Jacob Jebe who resides on a farm near Marin station.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

"OLD HICKORY" HERE—C. Teal Sr., the veteran farmer of Euclid drove to the city this morning in time to catch the train for Mentor where he will spend the day on business.

HERE FROM ARGYLE—E. A. Martin one of the prominent business men of Argyle was in the city this morning enroute home after a business trip to Grand Forks. He states that the farmers up that way are all busy preparing to start seeding.

HAS APPENDICITIS—Miss Joetta Wallace who has been ill for the past few days is suffering with appendicitis The attending physicion has not decided as yet whether an operation is necessary and it is hoped by her many friends that she will recover without adopting such a measure.

WILL VISIT OLD FRIENDS—T. E. Biever and son Clifford who have been spending the past few days in the city with friends, left this morning for Euclid where they will spend a few days visiting and will attend the meeting of the Euclid Old Settlers Association which will be held tomorrow night.

SNOW WAS SHORTLIVED— The snow which fell Sunday did not last long. The farmers were all glad to see it fall as the moisture was badly needed, but were just as glad to see it go. While the weather prophets are somewhat at variance regarding the future the old timers are of the opinion that we will have an early spring and they are preparing for it.

CHANGING HIS RESIDENCE — Peter Gramer is today busy moving his family from 226 Lincoln Ave., Jeromes Addition, to 1010 North Broadway, near the Windstacker plant. Instead of taking Horace Greeley's advice to go west and grow up with the country, Mr. Gramer believes in going north.

ONLY FISH STORIES—Jos. A. Wessel left this morning for a trip up the north line. As a member of the State Game and Fish Commission he was supposed to have a few pheasant or fish eggs in his pocket to distribute in this section of the state, but in reality was only armed with a few fish stories—as usual.

TWO LIVE ONES —There was not a great deal doing at the city hall last evening. Two real live drunks were rounded up and they were given the regulation sentence by Judge Gossman in the Municipal court this morning. There were also six "sleepers" who were ushered out of the city this morning by the police.

STILL CLEANING STREETS — Street Commisioner Chas. Duval is still continuing his street cleaning campaign. He has a large force of men at work and intends to have the streets and crossings cleaned up right before he ends the spring cleaning campaign. This is very commendable on the part of the administration. Regardless of all other considerations the streets should be kept clean.

MUSICIAN LEAVES CITY—Clarence Mickelson who was the organizer of what was known as "Mick's" orchestra, which has played at many social functions and was a credit to the city in every way left for his home at Stephen. Gathered at the depot this morning was every member of the orchestra to bid him farewell and many other friends were also present to give him a "send-off". His departure is sincerely regretted by a host of friends.

IN INSURANCE LINE—Samuel Mc Donald who owned a drug store in Grand Forks some time ago, has taken a place with Eugene Fretz of the Northwestern Mutual Insurance company, as assistant general agent for North Dakota. He will have charge of the south half of North Dakota and will make his headquarters in Fargo He has commenced work, and his friends feel sure he will make good. He has all the qualities which make the successful insurance man and his company is second to none.

LUMBER JACKS ARE RETURNING—Every train from the east for the past few days has been loaded with lumberjacks. "Turkeys" at the depot have been a familiar sight. The men are headed for all parts of North Dakota and Northern Minnesota. Many of them are well known in this section and some of them are not known at all. The police have been bothered to a considerable extent by them but Chief Eck and his men have been able to get rid of most of them with but little trouble. Those who had no money were simply "hunched" out of town and those who had the coin and got into limbo paid their fines and said nothing.

BACK FROM CITIES—J. J. Padden manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., returned this morning from a trip to Minneapolis and St. Paul. He is very reticent regarding the rebuilding of the Red Lake Falls Flour Mill this spring. But the fact that no start towards reconstruction has been made as yet makes it look as tho there would be no mill built this spring. Marcus Johnson who operated about 9 mills in Minnesota suffered the loss of two during the past winter by fire. the one at Red Lake Falls and another at Foley about three weeks ago. The mill at Red Lake Falls was the largest in the bunch and there is no question but what it will be rebuilt in time on account of the fine power there.

Simple Remedy for La Grippe

La grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

KEYSTONE

Mr. John Gerber transacted business in Grand Forks last Friday.

Mr. John Capes and Mr. Douglas Wiles two prominent land agents spent last Tuesday night at the home of Simon Aeschlimann. Being the hustlers that they are they will no doubt sell lots of land and get quite a settlement of Illinois farmers in this vicinity next summer and fall.

Miss Cora Ehnen who is attending high school at Grand Forks, N. D. is enjoying a short vacation which she is spending at home.

Miss Tilly Brantl is staying at the home of John Gerber.

Lewis Aeschlimann and Miss Agnes La Grave called on Henry horn last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerber are the proud and happy parents of a fine son born the twenty-third of March. The young man feels his importance as he was preceeded by four sisters and proposes to rule the entire roost. Mr. Mr. Gerber is willing to pass around cigars and has been wearing a smile that won't come off ever since.

Mr. Simon Aeschlimann returned last Sunday from a six weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Illinois, Indiana and Iowa. He enjoyed his visit very much and met many old acquaintances whom he has not seen for many years.

It does not seem as if Mr. Snow could bear to leave this part of the country, as he has been a visitor for several days already.

The Farmers in Illinois are plowing and getting rather anxious about the seeding of their oats. Never mind we will soon get our grain all seeded before very many weeks will pass and can then boast of our grain as well as the Suckers.

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann is very sick with the rheumatism.

Dr. Dryden of Euclid was a caller in Key Stone last Saturday.

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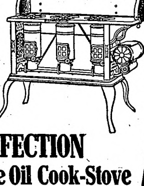

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ANNIVERSARY IS OBSERVED

WILIS A. GORMAN POST, GRAND FORKS CELEBRATES 25TH ANNIVERS

FATHER OF E. M. WALSH THIS CITY THE OLDEST MEMBER OF POST

From Monday's Daily—
The twenty-fifth anniversary of Willis A. Gorman Post, G. A. R. of Grand Forks, was observed appropriately on Saturday evening. The W. R. C. entertained the veterans at a supper and this was followed by a program of addresses of interest. The celebration was atended by a large number of the veterans. Of the three charter members of the G. A. R. Post A. Knudson, J. B. Mossette and J. M. O'Neale the latter an uncle of the Misses Kasser of this city, were the only ones present. Addresses were made by J. M. O'Neale, T. T. Henton, F. J. Peck, A. J. Pierce and J. D. Church. Their remarks related largely to the post's past history.

Thomas Walsh, father of E. M. Walsh of this city, is the oldest living member of the post but owing to illness was unable to be present.

Mr. Pierce read a sketch of the post's history which revived old memories. He had collected the facts carefully and the sketch proved of great interest. He recommended a number of things and laid particular stress upon the necessity of the members furnishing biographical sketches and pictures.

The celebration was brought to a close by the singing of "America." It was mos tsuccessful in every way. The W. R. C. provided a fine feast for the veterans and the only regret expressed was that every member of the post could not be present.

Managing Candles

When candles begin to flare high and flicker on the dinner table, the hostess intent on preserving the life of her set of dainty candle shades, keeps an anxious eye on these frail bits of lace and paper. To instantly extinguish the blaze dip a piece of bread in water and apply it to the wick. When you are fatigued or run down try a glass of golden grain belt beer. If taken regularly at mealtime will build up and feed the nerves, enrich the blood and invigorate the muscles. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

SAYS VALLEY COMPARES WELL

JOS BALL RETURNS FROM A TRIP TO MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA

HE STATES THAT NO SEEDING HAS BEEN DONE THERE AS YET

From Monday's Daily—
Jos. Ball, the land man, returned this morning from a business trip to Marshalltown, Ia., where he has been spending the past few days on a few land deals.

He was much pleased with conditions here when he arrived today. He states that no seeding has been done around Marshallton as yet, and from appearances work in the fields will be general here as soon as it is there As a matter of fact there has been considerable work done in this section already tho the work has not been general.

Iowa farmers are generally supposed to start work a couple of weeks before Red River Valley farmers, but of late years it has been noted that they start at about the same time.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. Sold by all druggists.

A man could afford to buy diamonds for his wife if he wasn't married.

SERVICES IMPRESSIVE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HELD A SPLENDID MEETING YESTERDAY

SERVICES WERE HELD IN MEMORY OF LATE FATHER GREEN

From Monday's Daily—
Most impressive memorial services were held here yesterday by Crookston Council Knights of Columbus in honor of the memory of the late Rev. Father Green who was an honored member of the local council, and for years pastor of Sacred Heart church at East Grand Forks. There was a very large attendance both from this city and East Grand Forks, the delegation from the latter place including Judge T. A. Sullivan, City Clerk C. P. Zimmerman, M. J. Sullivan, E. J. Sullivan, P. Girard and son, Dr. Kirk and others.

The program was a most impressive one the talks by N. B. Moran, Judge Sullivan, Mr. Zimmerman, Judge Montague and J. E. O'Brien being especially illustrative of the life and character of Father Green.

The program was as follows:

Voluntary, Michelson's Full Orchestra
Invocation ...... Rev. J. W. Smiers
Lead Kindly Light, Unison all members, with orchestra accompaniment
Roll Call.
Address by Grand Knight N. B. Moran
Miserere Sextet, Miss Louise Veronneau at organ.
Miss Campbell, Mrs. J. H. McKinney, Mrs. J. E. O'Brien, W. A. Lanctot, J. F. Hetler and F. R. Hamel.
Address, Our Deceased Brother, T. A. Sullivan and C. P. Zimmermann.
Address, Past Grand Knight J. E. O'Brien.
De Profundis .... Sextet
Address .... R. J. Montague
Benediction.
Nearer My God to Thee, All members with orchestra accompaniment.

IS STRICKEN IN THE CAB

ENGINEER SWOONS AND FIREMAN STOPS G. N. TRAIN IN TIME

While at the throttle of an engine of a Great Northern passenger toward St. Paul at the rate of 55 miles an hour, Engineer William Lachappelee aged 40 years was suddenly attacked with acute appendicitis and would have fallen from his cab but for the quick work of the fireman who seized the man with one hand and brought the train to a stop with the other.

Lachapellee had complained of feeling ill for several hours and according to the fireman, had swayed and came near fainting several times but he pluckily remained at his post.

At Atwater 90 miles from St. Paul he swooned. After the fireman stopped the train the sick engineer was assisted to a coach and every attention given him but no doctor was at hand and he did not receive medical care until he reached this city.

He was removed to St. Joseph's hospital where an operation will be performed as soon as he is strong enough.

MAKE CITIZENS AT ERSKINE

CLERK OF COURT LANCTOT MAKING MORE VOTERS TODAY

Clerk of Court Lanctot left for Erskine this morning where he will spend the day taking applications for citizenship papers. There are quite a number of applicants there and the trip of Clerk of Court Lanctot is simply to save them the expense of coming to Crookston, as he can go there alone and take the applications of all who want to become citizens at the same expense that any one of the applicants can come here.

"What would you do," the bridegroom whispered hoarsely, "if by some terrible accident I should be drowned?" In the mild moonlight he saw his young wife pale and shudder. "Oh, don't, Tom," she cried. "How can you? You know I don't look well in black!"—Chicago Inter Ocean.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT AT LARIMORE SUNDAY

Newman Eganson, A Brakesman Of Crookston, Victim Of Fatal Accident Yesterday.

Lost Both Legs At Larimore On Sunday And Died In Grand Forks Hospital Last Night.

From Monday's Daily—
On Sunday afternoon Newman Ergeson one of the well known railroad brakesman of the city residing at 109 N. Front St., was caught between an engine and baggage car while switching in the yards at Larimore was knocked down and run over by the engine, both legs being cut off above the knee.

The injured man was rushed to Grand Forks on a special train where he was placed in a hospital, but death ended his sufferings during the night. The remains will be brought to Crookston on the train this evening and will be buried here. The funeral announcements will be made later.

Deceased was one of the well known and popular men of the city. He leaves his parents and several brothers and sister to mourn his sudden demise, and they are all the recipients of the most hearty sympathy of a host of friends in their terrible bereavement.

The deceased was in Crookston last Saturday evening and left on a trip Sunday morning and little was it thought that such terrible news would be received this morning.

LARGEST MUSTER IN HISTORY

COMPANY I WAS HAMPERED BY LACK OF ROOM TO SHOW OFF IN

HIGHLY COMPLIMENTED BY COL. GERLACH FOR FINE FORM SHOWN

From Tuesday's Daily—
The annual inspection of Co. I, Minnesota National Guard, of Crookston was held last evening, the inspecting officer being Col. Wm. Gerlach, U. S. A. retired. The inspection was a most satisfactory one in every respect, bringing out the largest muster in the history of the company, and within a short time Capt. Westerberg will have the full company strength, 76.

The present armory in the Odd Fellows Hall is so small that Col. Gerlach did not think it possible that Capt. Westerberg could have the company execute any maneuvers, but just to demonstrate that Co. I was not lacking in drill the captain put the company thru some squad formations even in the cramped quarters, that pleased the inspecting officer immensely and he was very emphatic with his expresions om commendation of efficiency of the company under most adverse conditions relative to the lack of a suitable armory where drill could be successfully carried on during the winter months.

WILL PROBABLY LOCATE IN DULUTH

SUPERINTENDENT OF MOORHEAD SCHOOLS IN CITY THIS MORNING

Supt. Lurton who has been at the head of the city schools of Moorhead for several years past was in the city this morning and took the train for Duluth where it is understood that he has opened negotiations for a position. Prof. Lurton has done good work at Moorhead and he has either received a good offer at Duluth or some other town on the Duluth line.

MENTOR PIONEER DIED FRIDAY

Harold Johnson one of the pioneer residents of Mentor, who has been farming there for years, passed away Friday last after a lingering illness of old age. He was 81 years of age and leaves several grown sons. The funeral will be held on Tuesday next at Mentor. The casket was sent out this morning by N. P. Stenshoel the county coroner.

BIG MEETING THE SONS OF H.

CLASS OF 15 WAS INITIATED LAST EVENING—STATE ORGANIZER HERE

OPEN MEETING HELD AND BANQUET SERVED—ROUSING ADDRESSES MADE

From Tuesday's Daily—
The Sons of Herman Lodge of Crookston held a rousing meeting last evening at which a class of 15 candidates have been secured for initiation at the next meeting, being unable to be present at the meeting last night. State Organizer Paul Busch of Mankato was present at the meeting last evening as was President Thome and Guide Silversack of the lodge recently instituted in Bemidji, and following the initiations they made addresses of an enthusiastic character as did Carl Riedesel, Jos. Koelmel, several of the candidates and others.

The ladies were present, the meeting being an open one, and there were over 100 in attendance. The Sons of Herman lodge is rapidly growing and will soon be one of the strongest in the city in point of membership, tho it is one of the youngest instituted here.

START HARROWING IN ANDOVER

P. THYGESON HAD HIS TEAMS IN FIELD YESTERDAY—GROUND IS FINE

Mail Carrier J. P. Marcum on Rural Route No. 1 out of Crookston reports that seeding will soon be on in full blast southwest of the city. Yesterday P. Thygerson, a well known farmer in Andover Township started his harrows at work and the soil worked up fine and mellow. It will take but a few more days of fair weather to put the land in shape so that all the farmers will be at work.

JOHN CHRISTIANSON DIED AT PLUMMER

DEATH WAS SUDDEN AND CAUSE SUPPOSED TO BE TUBERCULOSIS

News was received in the city last evening that John Christianson a former well known young man of Crookston had died at Plummer after a short illness of tuberculosis last Friday. His brother Otto was notified here and left this morning to attend the funeral which was expected to be held today. Many friends of the unfortunate man will sincerely regret the news of the sad death.

UPSET STOMACH OR INDIGESTION

ENDS FIVE MINUTES AFTER TAKING SOME DIAPEPSIN

STOPS FOOD FERMENTATION AND CURES STOMACH TROUBLE BEFORE YOU REALIZE IT

Take your sour stomach—or maybe you call it Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your stomach misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, biliousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle and nothing tempts you or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermantation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a litle Diapepsin.

ELECTION IN GRAND FORKS

LIST OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES IN ELECTION HELD YESTERDAY

In the election held in Grand Forks yesterday the vote in some of the wards was larger than anticipated. The weather was fine and a good deal of interest was taken in the election vote for aldermen. The following aldermen were elected: First ward, Dr. H. M. Wheeler; second ward, L. H. Sannes; third ward, Frank Dixon for one year term and Frank Kent for two year term; fourth ward, Hugh P. Ryan; fifth ward, Geo. Buckingham sixth ward John Vallely; seventh ward, A. G. Sorlie.

Joseph Kennedy had no opposition for the office of member of the park board.

Messrs. Sannes, Kent, Buckingham, and Vallely are re-elected. Messrs. Wheeler, Dixon, Ryan and Sorlie are new members of the council. The other members of the council who did not have to seek re-election this year are Messrs. Griffith, Ellestad, Hunter, Knudson, Lynch and Salisbury.

CASH PRIZE FOR POLK CO. CORN

JULIUS JACOBSON, EAST GRAND FORKS GETS THE MONEY

Supt. of Schools N. A. Thorson of Polk Co., this morning received $5 from Supt. A. D. Wilson won by Polk County at the agricultural contests held in connection with the Minnesota Educational Association in St. Paul. The money goes to Julius Jacobson of East Grand Forks, whose corn exhibit won the prize.

The boys and girls of Polk County should get interested in the contest for the coming year at once, and select their seed and ground. It is the winners in the county contest that have their exhibits sent to the state contest.

It takes a pretty sharp remark to cut a slow man to the quick.

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TREATIES MAKE THE STATE DRY

PROHIBITION'S ADVANCE CLAIM, GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL SAYS IS TECHINICALLY CORRECT

HOWEVER APPLICATION WILL BE GOVERNED BY COMMON SENSE

From Monday's Daily—
Liquor selling, licensed or unlicensed, is illegal in Minneapolis and in nearly all of Minnesota, under the Indian treaties of 1851, 1855 and 1863. This startling claim is made by the prohibitionist state committee which declared yesterday that two-thirds of Minnesota will be forced to go "dry" unless congress comes to the rescue and does away with the old treaty provisions.

The claim is technically good, according to C. C. Houpt, United States district attorney and other federal officials. In fact, it is well established by court decisions. The old treaties are still in force, and they prohibit the sale of liquor in any of the lands ceded by the Indians. Minneapolis lies in the tract of 19,000,000 acres ceded in 1851 by the treaty of Traverse des Sioux.

The trouble with the prohibitionist claim is that enforcement of the treaties lies largely with the Indian bureau as a matter of policy and the department is not interested in Minneapolis but only in territory known as "Indian country."

Hits White Earth Hard

The old treaties are being revived with an important effect, however. The Indian department has taken steps to stop the sale of liquor entirely in the present limits of Indian reservations. Heretofore it has only tried to stop the sale to Indians. Many saloons have been licensed within the White Earth Indian reservation, in the counties of Becker, Mahnomen and Clearwater. Indians receiving their alotments have become citizens and have acquired the right to buy firewater. Now the government is going to close all saloons in this territory and the drouth will extend to white men as well as Indians living within these boundaries.

An agent of the Indian department spent several days in the twin cities recently on this errand. He had a conference with F. W. Zollman of St. Paul attorney for the brewing companies, and it is said that an understanding was reached by which the brewers will withdraw entirely from Indian reservation territory.

MUCH BUILDING AT MAPLE LAKE

BANKER MELGAARD OF ARGYLE BUILDING NEW BOAT HOUSE AT PRESENT

SEVERAL CROOKSTON PEOPLE HAVING PLANS DRAWN FOR NEW COTTAGES

From Tuesday's Daily—
The present season will witness more building at Maple Lake than has taken place in the history of that popular summer resort. John Kyle, a Crookston contractor has been working there for some time past on improvements.

At present he is erecting a fine boat house for Banker Melgaard. Bunnes Bros., have already remodelled the interior of their store in preparation for the coming season's business. Ed Gilbertson is now erecting a model log cabin and will do job work at the lake the coming summer.

A. J. Kelly and Chas. Babcock are having plans drawn for cottages which will be erected by Contractor Kyle early in the season.

During the summer Mr. Kyle contemplates operating a truck garden and has already secured land and will have vegetable seed in the ground just as soon as the weather permits. He will spend the entire summer there.

Even the tadpole can boast of his social position, having been born in the swim.

Read The Journal Wants.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

BACK FROM TRIP WEST

CAPT. AND MRS. M. R. BROWN RETURN FROM SEVERAL MONTHS' TRIP

SPENT GREATER PORTION OF THEIR TIME IN SAN DEIGO, CALIFORNIA

From Thursday's Daily—

Capt. and Mrs. M. R. Brown returned yesterday afternoon from their trip to the Pacific coast where they have been spending the past few months. They visited Salt Lake City, Pasadena, San Deigo, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and several other places on the coast and met many former residents of Crookston while away.

The greater portion of their time was spent at San Deigo where they passed several very pleasant weeks. Capt. Brown returns in the best of health. He is very much pleased with his western trip and states that C. E. Misner of Pasadena, Ex-mayor Nat Campbell of Portland and many others whom he met are all prospering and desired to be remembered to their friends in Crookston. Capt. Brown stated that not since he left Crookston has he enjoyed better weather than is being experienced in Crookston today.

HELD SPECIAL COURT TERM

JUDGE GRINDELAND RETURNED THIS MORNING FROM ADA

THE PARTITION OF SANFORD ESTATE UP FOR CONSIDERATION

From Thursday's Daily—

Judge Grindeland returned home to Warren this morning after having been called to Ada where he hold a special term of court in the Sanford partition case.

The case involves the distribution of 1288 acres of land which is valued at about $2500. Atty. Brattland represented W. G. Sanford, Frank Sanford and Edward H. Sanford. The contest is entitled W. G. Sanford vs. Edward H. Sanford and others. There were two witnesses. Attorney Jas. H. Maybury, of this city ils one of the attorneys interested in the case and he was at Ada yesterday.

All of the interested parties reside at Morris, Ill.

PAYS TO RAISE BLOODED HOGS

C. P. WOODSTROM MAKES GOOD RECORD — YEAR OLD HOG WEIGHS 345 POUNDS

C. P. Woodstrom today brought a hog to the city, a Berkshire which would have been one year old on the 3rd of April which weighed 345 lbs. He sold the hog to Nels Anderson, the South Main street butcher.

Mr. Anderson was very active in getting this strain of hogs introduced in this section. He invested considerable money and spent a great deal of time in interesting some of the farmers, among them the Woodstroms. The results are not being obtained and those who have seen what comes of raising thorobred hogs are themselves getting interested. It is a step in the right direction and more farmers should follow suit.

John Sylvesterson also sold a hog today 5 months old which weighed 11 pounds. This is another example of what it means to raise hogs that are real hogs and not scrubs.

TAKEN TO THE INSANE ASYLUM

DEPUTY SHERIFF JOHNSON TOOK BAD ACTOR TO FERGUS FALLS

Deputy Sheriff Johnson arrived in the city last evening with a patient for the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. The unfortunate man was a lumber jack by the name of Chris Johnson and he was so violent that he had to be strapped to a cot. The case was one of the worst that has ever been seen here and Deputy Sheriff Johnson when he returned this morning showed that he had passed a most strenuous night.

A woman scorned hunts up some other man and proceeds to get even.

FIRST CLASS GRADUATES

GREAT CROWD ATENDS THE EXERCISES AT STEPHENS HALL TODAY.

PROGRAM WAS OF A HIGH ORDER EVIDENCED GOOD WORK

THE GRADUATES

Olivia Nelson, Olaf Nelson, Lena Opdahl, Christopher Fossbakken, Lewis Fossbakken, Albert Petterson and Louis Regembal.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the first class graduated from the Crookston School of Agriculture. There was a large crowd present at the exercises which were a credit to the graduates as well as to the faculty of the school.

The first graduating class represents an enrollment of over 100 pupils The baccalaureate sermon was preached last Sunday by Rev. Robertson of Wesley College, Grand Forks a brother of Prof. Wm. Robertson. The program today was of a highly creditable character but occuring late in the afternoon cannot be published till tomorrow.

NEW LAW FIRM IN CROOKSTON

JUDGE FULTON AND GEORGE JUDSON HAVE FORMED A PARTNERSHIP

George Judson and Judge Fulton have formed a law partnership and will hereafter be associated in business. Both are well known in Crookston. Mr. Judson has been a resident of Crookston for many years. For the past two years he has been in the office of former County Attorney Maybury where he acted as Assistant County Attorney in a most satisfactory manner. He is a young man upon whom dependence can be placed. His knowledge of the law is undoubted and the service that he will give his constituents in the future is unquestioned.

David L. Fulton, the other member of the firm is a graduate of the law department of both the university of Minnesota and Wisconsin. Before coming here he was associated with a law firm in Minneapolis.

The new firm will certainly be a strong one. The fact that one member has been a resident of the city for so long, and has held such a high standing will mean much to many people who want legal advice.

Judson & Fulton will be found in Room 10 in the Rauch Block.

THE FIRE LOSS IS SETTLED

HERMAN P. CAMP OF DUGDALE EXPECTS TO REBUILD STORE AT ONCE

Herman P. Camp, the Dugdale merchant who was burned out a few days ago is spending the day in the city and adjusted his loss thru the Strander Abstract and Investment Co. His loss was practically total and amounted to about $7000 on stock, tho a total of perhaps $1000 worth of stock was saved. He carried $5000 insurance on stock and $2000 on the building all of which was carried thru the Strander agency. He was very much pleased with the prompt settlement. He expects to rebuild at once and again engage in the mercantile business at Dugdale.

The farmers of the Red River Valley are all preparing for the seeding time. A few of them have already started operations, but most of them will not commence till the weather settles definitely.

It is a fact that is to be noted with a great deal of satisfaction that the farmers are this year paying more attention than ever before to the character of the seed they are sowing. The seed wheat is being better cleaned, more carefully selected than ever before, and all other grains for seed are being given the same attention.

This is specially noticeable in connection with seed oats and barley. Heretofore almost anything was considered good enough to seed. It is now recognized that to get good results good seed must be sown.

"As ye sow, so shall ye reap" is recognized to be true regarding crops as well as actions and t he farmers of the Red River Valley have learned the lesson.

This means a higher grade of products than have ever before been raised in this section.

CHARGE MADE IS FALSE

STATEMENT MADE REGARDING CLEANING STREETS IN THE SECOND WARD

IS WITHOUT FOUNDATION—NO ALDERMAN CAN ORDER SUCH WORK

From Thursday's Daily—

The statement was made yesterday very generally to the effect that Alderman A. F. Rauch had put about 20 men at work cleaning the streets in the second ward for the purpose of heading off the petition calling for a new election.

The Journal is not taking any part in this controversy. It is a matter that rests with the people of the second ward alone. However the people are entitled to know the facts in the case.

Everyone knows that the street cleaning force has been busy for more than a week past. Everyone also knows that the force has been working on Main street, Robert street, Second street and Broadway for some time past.

The fact that the work in the second ward just started yesterday is no argument to be used against the new alderman.

Anyone knows that not a cent of money can be appropriated to be expended in any ward without a majority vote of the council. This is a provision of the charter that no alderman can override.

While the Journal is not interested in the second ward controversy in any way, still we want to see fair play. There is nothing to be gained by making false statements. Let the people of the ward settle their own difficulties. But what ever is done it should be done absolutely on a fair basis. If the people do not want Mr. Rauch to represent them they have a remedy. But on the other hand Mr. Rauch should not be charged with something of which he is not guilty and which he had no power to do.

E. M. WALSH IS PRESIDENT

JUDGE MONTAGUE TERMINATES HIS DUTIES ON SCHOOL BOARD

Judge R. J. Montague, after having served on the Crookston School board with credit for many years, handed in his resignation at the board meeting yesterday and was succeeded by E. M. Walsh. Judge Montague has been one of the most enthusiastic and devoted supporters of a high standard of education in the Crookston schools. He has worked untiringly to this end and his work has been effective. He resigned owing to conditions which arose which made such action necessary.

Mr. Walsh, who succeeds him as president of the board is also prominently identified with the educational history of Crookston. He has served many years on the board, and served with credit.

Mr. G. S. Chesterman was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Montague and is one of the very best selections the board could have made.

Mille Lacs Pioneer: On Wednesday of last week the lower branch of our state legislature passed the Bjorge bill placing a tonnage tax on iron ore by a vote of 61 to 57. The senate is yet to be heard from on the proposition, however, and it is the opinion of many who are well informed on the subject and who are in close touch with senatorial sentiment, that the measure will meet with defeat before that body. Laying aside the question of justice or injustice of the measure to Duluth and St. Louis county, it would seem an ill-advised time to enact such legislation, just when the big steel corporation is about to establish a $10,000,000 plant at Duluth. It would be the part of wisdom to allow the steel corporation to establish a plant and then if a tonnage tax bill is thought just to state as a whole let it be enacted into law, thus securing the steel plant and a tonnage tax as well. The tonnage tax proposition will keep. The steel plant proposition may be delayed or flushed by hasty tonnage tax legislation.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Sold by all druggists.

VIOLATED GAME LAWS

GAME WARDEN WM. MUNCH RETURNS FROM TRIP TO MIDDLE RIVER

WM. DIBLEY ADMITTED SELLING GREEN MOOSE HEAD—FINED FIFTY DOLLARS

From Friday's Daily—

Deputy Game Warden Wm. Munch returned last evening from a trip to Strathcona and Middle River. He first went to the former place for evidence and later visited Middle River where he arrested Wm. Debley for selling a green moose head for $15. The defendant was arraigned before Judge V. A. Greer, a former resident of Crookston and fined $50 and costs which he paid at once.

Deputy Warden Munch confiscated the moose head and shipped it to the State Game and Fish Commission at St. Paul where it will be sold.

It is understood that Dibley is not the real name of the man arrested, but that he is one of the most prominent business men in Eastern Marshall county.

The action of Warden Munch in enforcing the law, no matter whether the man pinched is prominent or penniless, will meet with the hearty approval of all The law should be enforced no matter whose toes are tread upon.

ANGUS-SHERACK

Little Miss Margaretha, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Campion was quite sick last week.

Mrs. J. F. Montgomery returned from the Queen city last Friday morning.

Mr. Herman Ostenloh took some fat cattle to Warren last Friday and Mr Douglas Snelling took a few fat calves the same day to Marshall county's seat.

Louis O. Osterloh is still suffering of stomach trouble and is not improving of late.

Mr. J. Overstreet of Illinois has been around here inspecting some of our land intending to make soon an investment in Polk County soil..

Miss Lena Ehaust took the train for Argyle last Saturday.

The following prominent Angus citizens took the train for Warren last Saturday to attend the annual sale at that place. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campion, Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston Mr. and Mrs. E. Yuergens, Mr. D. H. Miller and daughter, Miss Mary, and sons Walter, Robert and Harry, and the Messrs W. N. Frost, A. L. Anderson, F. Taus, J. B. Goodwin, F. Kobetsky and Ed Pulrabek of Tabor

Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Andedson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sewill drove to Warren one day last week.

The Modern Woodmen of Angus held a very important meetnig last Monday evening in their hall and a new member was initiated in the secrtes of Woodmancraft. The billy goat was well trained for the occasion and a splendid time was enjoyed by all. The Angus Woodmen are making Herculean efforts to make their camp come to the front.

Mr. John McLellan one of the old pioneer farmers of our neighborhood was donig business in Warren the latter part of last week. Mr. McLellan predicts a bountiful crop this coming season, all mishaps barred, because the old veteran farmer says, "the fields are in excellent condition and ready to receive the precious seed grain."

Mr. Herman Osterloh was transacting business in Key Stone last Wednesday.

A grand ball is to be given Friday evening Appril 2 at the Angus M. W. A. hall and a fine time is expected.

MAYOR McPHEE WAS IN LEAD

HE STARTED CAMPAIGN FOR A BETTER GRADE OF SEED OATS

Mayor J. D. McPhee was not in the tail end of the procession regarding a better grade of seed oats. Two years ago he secured some high grade seed oats from Canada which he paid a fancy price for.

Since that time he has seeded the oats on his home place and also sold many seed oats to other farmers. He thoroly believes in raising the standard of all grains raised, and wants to see the quality of all grain as well as all stock improved in this section.

ANTICS OF SWORD FISH

REAL "FISH" STORY COMES FROM BEMIDJI TELLING HOW HIS SWORD FISH SAWED ICE

IN LAKE — "DOC" RUTLEDGE IS HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS

The performance of some tame fish which are the property of A. H. Jester, who owns the famous "Jester Farm" out on Lake Plantagenet, south of Bemidji, are the wonder of the good folks who live around the lake which is some seven miles south of Bemidji as the crow flies.

According to "Doc" Rutledge, two years ago, Mr. Jester was able to obtain from the state game and fish commission thru J. A. Wessell, a member of the commission, two dozen sword fish, which Wessell claimed had been imported from Ireland where he asserts they thrive and grow to large dimensions on the north coast of the Emerald Isle. Wessell assured Jester that these fish woull be of great material service to him but "Al" looked with distrust on the assurances of Joseph as he had occasion to remember several April 1st occurrences on the part of Joe that had caused him woe.

However Jester placed the fish in Lake Plantagenet until this winter, when his attention was called to the fact that blocks of ice were being sawed out in the middle of the lake, and knowing that no person had spoken of cutting ice at that particular spot. Mr. Jester decided to watch and find out who was helping themselves to the congealed aqua pura which has made Lake Plantagenet famous for its medicinal propensities.

Mr. Jester went to the point where the sawing had been going on, and repeated his trip three times, before his patience was rewarded.

The morning of his third trip, while it was not yet daylight, Jester heard a scraping and grinding but look as hard as he would he could not see a living soul in sight.

Finally lighting his lantern and making a more diligent search, his labors were rewarded by seeing a long slender object thrust thru the ice, which was being worked up and down from underneath the water. Jester was greatly perplexed until when there was a lull in the working of the object thrust thru the ice he made minute examination and his wonder and gratification knew no bounds.

There thrust thru the ice, and some three feet in length was the bill of one of the sword fish, and at a point about six inches from the base were the initials "A. H. J." with which Mr. Jester had branded all his Wessell fish when he placed them in the lake two years ago

Carefully disentangling the bill of the fish from an old pole and line which had been frozen into the ice, Mr. Jester watched the fish work for about an hour and then went home deciding on taking out the chunks of ice for his ice house as fast as they were sawed by his fish.

As Jester is an honored member of Bemidji lodge No. 1052 B. P. O. E. and bears an enviable reputation for truth and veracity there can be no question as to the story about those fish; at least there should not be, as "Al" agrees to show any skeptical person the exact spot on the lake where the ice was taken from.

SAYS SPRING IS SURELY AT HAND

C. M. GRAVES SAYS WHEN MEADOW LARKS ARRIVE IS SURE SIGN

C. M. Graves left this morning for a trip up the north line. Yesterday he was at Ada and he states that while there he saw a real live meadow lark, a yellow breasted one, and that this is a sign of spring having arrived that never fails. South of Ada he also saw a farmer harrowing and the land was in very fair condition.

"Sigh" Graves never gets enthusiastic unless there is some cause of alarm and in the present instance he is without doubt armed with all the credentials necessary to prove his statements.

Virginia Virginian: Most people like publicity but few like to pay for it, unless it hapens to be the kind that they want suppressed.

Journal want ads bring result

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

FOUND DEAD NEAR BRAINERD

SECTION FOREMAN FINDS MANGLED REMAINS OF ELMER CHURCH

BESIDE N. P. TRACKS YESTERDAY FORENOON—WAS STRUCK BY TRAIN

From Friday's Daily—

The body of Elmer Church of Pine River was found this morning beside the Northern Pacific tracks three miles west of Brainerd by Peter Parsons, an N. P. section foreman and his crew.

It is supposed that the deceased came to his death either by a fall from a moving train or from being struck by a train while walking along the track. Church who was said to be on his way to Montana, came from his home at Pine River yesterday and apparently started to go to Sylvan, the first station west of Brainerd. That he was going to Sylvan is evidenced by letters, unstamped, which he was carrying from his daughter, Miss Lottie Church to friends in Sylvan, and which he would otherwise have mailed. Church's watch was found about twenty feet west of the body, badly defaced and evidently stopped at about 7:20 or 7:30 o'clock. A revolver which he always carried was found about fifteen or twenty feet east of where the body was lying. His neck was broken and his left side caved in and his left hand cut. It is not known at what time he started from Brainerd or whether or not he started afoot, but no tickets to Slyvan were sold last night and he had no ticket on his person as would have been apt to have been the case had he purchased one west of Staples.

A theory which finds credence among the railroad men is that Church started out about supper time for Sylvan and met a special train. Church was probably slow in getting out of the way and the engine struck him caving in his side and breaking his neck.

Another theory of the manner of Mr. Church's death is that he tried to ride on a freight and accidentally fell from the train.

Church was a rather eccentric individual. He formerly lived about seven miles southwest of Brainerd and went from there to Pine River four years ago. He has had an idea for several years that someone was after him and always carried a heavy revolver. He purchased a box of revolver cartridges in D. M. Clark & Co.'s store yesterday afternoon, but the box had not been opened and the revolver was loaded with long rifle cartridges. There is no belief however, that there was foul play.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

COVERING THE MONTHS OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY AND MARCH

Miss Elizabeth Lommen, Librarian in charge of the Carnegie Library has just completed her report for the months of January, February and March which shows how generally the library is being patronized:

Books in library including public documents, 3,064.

Books loaned 4,686.

Non Fiction 510.

Books purchased 23.

Books donated 32; E. M. Walsh 10 volumes; Matrons Club 12; Current Events club and others 4; Mrs. Geo. Wright 1; Mrs. Hannah Sivertson 1; Mary Theno 1; Mrs. Anderson 1; Mr. Gorman 2.

Fines collected $51.00.

Rebound 59 volumes.

Books overdue—
Three Prisoners
David Copperfield
Breaking of a Yachtman's Wife.
Mr. Crew's Career.
Plutarchs Lives.
Man from Glengary
Whittier's Poems
Trail of Lonesome Pine.
The End of the Game.
Stephen Holton.
Boyhood of Lincoln.

Please bring these in and oblige.
—E. Lommen, Librarian.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

Occasionally when a man attempts to stand on his dignity some one spoils it by sitting on it.

EXCELLENT PAPERS ON MARKET GARDENING

Pupils Of Crookston School Of Agriculture Write Able Papers On Important And Neglected Subject.

Prof. Harrington Took This Means Of Testing Views Rather Than Regular Examinations.

At the Crookston School of Agriculture this spring, Prof. Harrington instead of conducting a regular examination to test the knowledge of the students relative to the subject of gardening, he had them all write papers on the subject, but not in answer to a set of questions. The Journal would like to publish them all but this is impossible, so a few were selected which appear below and which are particularly timely at this season of the year. It would be well to read each article carefully and follow the suggestions made. There is also one paper on fruit culture which is also excellent.

The pupils were not assisted in writing these papers in any way and they show clearly what splendid practical training the students are receiving. Following are the papers:

VEGETAABLE GARDEN

(By Hazel Wilkinson, Northwest Experiment Farm, Crookston, Minn.)

Why to have, and what to have.

Every farm home should have a garden. In the busy spring it is sometimes regarded as "not worth whinle" to stop working in the fields long enough to prepare a garden. But nature demands "green food." and if this demand is neglected there is apt to be a doctor's bill to pay that may use up some of the returns from the fields. And then almost everyone enjoys having fresh vegetables to eat.

The soil for the vegetable garden should be free from stones and stumps and easy to cultivate. This should be well draimed, and if possible so placed that water will be handy for setting out plants, such as cabbage and tomatoes, and for watering during dry periods.

A gentle south slope is best for the vegetable garden. This should not be far from the house. And should be fenced so that poultry may be kept out while the tomatoes are ripening and such other times when they would be detrimental.

There are many different varieties of vegetables for the garden. We of this generation are raising many vegetables such as our ancestors had in their vegetable gardens. But we have made some improvements such as stringless beans, uniformly sized tomatoes, etc.

The following list of vegetables should be in every garden: Potatoes, beans, peas, tomatoes, radishes, lettuce, onions, beets, rutabaga, carrot, sweet corn, watermellon, muskmelon, cucumber, squash, pumpkin, parsley, rhubarb, celery, cabbage and cauliflower. Then there are many others which add variety, as, endive, thyme, red pepper, salsify, dill, caraway, lavender, anis and coriander.

All kinds of seeds should be tested before planting. This may save the loss of a crop. A simple way is to place one hundred seeds on a plate covered with dampened blotting paper. Then covering seeds with more dampened blotting paper and keeping seeds warm and damp for several days until all seeds have sprouted that seem to be alive. Then count and determine the percent of seed that is good. In other words that will germinate.

The main point in cultivating vegetables is to keep them free of weeds, and to form a dust blanket. There are so many machines now that nearly all this cultivation is done by machinery.

There are many insect enemies in the vegetable garden nearly all of which are combated by spraying, or [illegible] some poison on the plant so effect[illegible]

Vegetables in the garden should never have the same place they had last year, but here as well as in the fields, rotation should be practiced.

Such plants as radishes and lettuce may be planted in the rows where cabbages, corn, etc., are and will have matured and been removed before the later crop needs the room.

Sweet corn should never be planted within forty rods of field corn, and a greater distance would be desirable.

The seed for all garden vegetables should be procured as near home as possible. This will make the seeds grow and mature earlier.

(By Albert O. Malm.)

On every farm there ought to be a good sized garden, cared for in such a way that it would furnish enough vegetables for the farm home from early in summer until late in the fall and still have enough to store away for winter use. Any farmer may have this by selecting both early and late varieties of vegetables.

In selecting a place for a garden, if early vegetables are wanted a southern slope with a rather sandy soil should be prefered but for potatoes, beets, and vegetables that do not require so long a season, a northern slope is not objectionable. This however need not be considered in northern Minnesota.

A garden should be well drained, so that no standing water will remain on the surface after a heavy rain. The garden should be plowed and manured in the fall, fall plowing leaves the soil in a better condition the following spring. Well rotted manure should be applied to gardens as it adds both humas and fertility which retains the moisture, while if fresh manure were applied to the soil it would take a time before it would be of any particular value as food for plants.

A garden should have sweet corn for table use, the Red Cob Cory for an early variety and Stowells Evergreen for the late variety will do very well. A patch of pop corn may be added to this. Asparagus, radishes, spinach and lettuce are among the first to produce fruit or greens for early use in summer, asparagus is a perennial, radishes, spinach and lettuce are annuals.

The onion grows into a bulb, has a strong taste, it should be planted early, sometimes the seed is sown in hothouses to be transplanted to the garden later.

The beets, carrots and turnips are fleshy roots, and are relished by both man and beast, carrots are raised in some countries for horse feed, it is supposed to be one of the best feeds raised for horses.

The cabbage and tomato plants are generally planted in window-boxes or hotbeds early in spring and transplanted to the garden when the weather becomes warmer, the cabbage is a biennial and the tomato an annual, the cabbage grows into a large head or overgrown bud, while the tomato grows up and branches like a tree, it bears large red fruit of good quality.

In the gourd family we have the watermelons, muskmelons, pumpkins, cucumbers and squash. These have a hard skin or rind on the outside. The watermelon when wanted in this part of the country should be planted in boxes or hotbeds early and then transplanted to the garden as they take a long season to mature.

The beans and peas belong to the clover family, are annuals and among the most valued crops in the garden, They are of easy culture and can be raised on nearly all kinds of soil, we have different varieties of brush beans of which the Dwarf Lima are highly esteemed by those who know them. They are smaller in size than the pole bean, but are more certain to mature well, and easier to cultivate.

The varieties of peas are divided into three classes, those having wrinkseed, and those having edible pods. led seed, those having small round Wrinkled varieties do not germinate as well as the round varieties, nor do their germinating power last as long. They are better in quality than the round varieties. Peas want a heavy cool soil and should be planted about 3 or 4 inches deep. Among the best varieties are the American Wonder, Stratagem, Yorkshire Hero, and Marrowfat. The Stratagem does better on light than on heavy soil.

The Rhubarb or pieplant belongs to the Buckwheat family, its root is perennial and wants a rich soil with plenty of manure, it is of easy culture, the roots may be split in parts and replanted as it is propogated both by seed and roots. It is used for sauces and pies.

The potato is perhaps used more extensively than any other garden vegetable there is scarcely a meal but what we have potatoes on the table. The potato is a native of South America. Some years ago the potato rot ran over the United States and Europe to such an extent that it brought starvation o people who depended entirely upon the potato. Rev. Chauncey Goodrich of Utica, N. Y commenced shipping in potatoes from South America, where the potato originated. The potato has since them improved upon by selection until it has reached the standard of the present time The Early Ohios and Early Rose are the leading varieties as early potatoes Carman No. 3 is a good late variety. Diseases which affect the potatoes are early and late blight which may be prevented by spraying with bordeaux mixture. Potato rot which may be prevented by treating the seed with corrosive sublimate or formalin before planting, Paris Green may be mixed in with the bordeaux mixture to kill the potato beetle which is a common pest in all sections.

There are a number of insects which are destructive to the different garden vegetables, such as the cabbage worm, cut worms, striped cucumber beetle, the squash vine borer, etc. These may all be kept away by using arsenous poisons, kerosene emulsion or tobacco water. The white grub or May beetle, the maggots and chintz bugs do their work under ground by destroying the roots. Their presence can only be remedied by rotating or changing the crop and keeping all grass down, they are destroyed to a large extent by some birds.

The garden should be kept clean by hoeing and cultivating, no grass or weeds should be allowed to go to seed.

On arranging the vegetables in the garden, the garden should be longer than it is wide and the rows running lengthwise. This will save turning if cultivating is done with a horse. The vegetables should be grouped so that the annuals, biennials and perennials are not mixed. That is planting first one row of biennials then one row of annuals, but the biennials should all come after each other. The annuals and perennials in like manner. This will allow a better chance for cultivation as the biennials and erennials can not be plowed every year.

FRUIT GROWING

(By Victor Johnson)

In this section of the state fruit growing cannot at the present time be carried on in the sense of an orchard but it can be limited to a home fruit garden.

A fruit garden consists of an assemblage of fruit bearing trees and shrubs, maintained for the purpose of supplying the home with fruits. In its general purpose, then the fruit garden is intended to accomplish the same results as the vegetable garden.

Only a few years ago the owners of home fruit gardens not only led in the production of fruits but where the authorities as to how and where to grow them. They also were the propogating grounds from where our best varieties of highest quality and greatest commercial value came.

The advantage and pleasures of a home fruit garden are many.

In the spring it is more than a pleasure to see the trees white with sweet smelling blossoms and the birds and bees singing and buzzing from branch to branch.

In the fall or autumn when the trees are loaded with nice red fruit that cannot be beat anywhere neither in flavor nor appearance. It will add a great deal to the interests and courage of the farmer that fruit can be grown.

It will also add greatly to the attractiveness of the table and healthfulness of the diet.

The location for an orchard or the best location is on a high northern slope, sloping toward the north and east, as the trees will be less effected by sun-scold in early spring and drought in summer, it is also a more even temperature on a north slope than on a south slope.

But apple trees can also be raised on level prairie if not northern Minnesota would have to get back in the shade.

Select a high piece of land where the soil is loose and open so that it will take and hold a lot of water, it should be easy to cultivate, it should also be provided with a wind break on the south and west sides, for in this case the trees will have to serve instead of a hill.

The time to plant is in the spring just as soon as possible but not when the ground is sticky.

The trees should be set about 25 or 30 feet apart. This might seem to be a very far distance to set small apple trees, but as they need a lot of cultivating it will make it so much easier to get in there between the rows with a team and plow, and turn around without injury to the trees. Small fruits may also be planted in between the rows such as currants, raspberries blackberries and gooseberries. Or if it is not desired to plant small fruit in between the trees other vegetables may be grown there instead. Such as corn, potatoes or any other garden vegetable that can be cultivated and kept clean, for weeds and grass should never be allowed to grow in the orchard. Clover may be seeded in the orchard and plowed under every 2 or 3 years, in that way it will help to keep up the fertility of the soil, but this should not be done before the trees begin bearing.

In selecting apple trees or any other fruit tree it is always best to get them as near home as possible and they should also be grown on as nearly the same kind of soil as they are to be planted on. Now for the tree itself always get a good hardy tree with a good big root, as the top can readily be changed as the tree is growing by careful pruning and trimming.

Varietiees of Trees

The new beginner has a long list of trees to select from but if he is not familiar with them he is likely to get badly fooled and discouraged. It is always wise to consult some one in the neighborhood that is growing apple trees and the ones that are satisfying him the best ought to do well with his neighbor also if given the proper care.

In buying trees the ones that are the least subject to diseases should be secured. A tree that is effected with blight or any other disease should never be planted in the orchard. The large apple trees that are best ruited for northern Minnesota are Duchess of Oldenberg, Hibernal, Charamoff, Okebena, Longfeld, Anisim,, Wealthy, Milda. Crabs and Hybrids—Virginia Tonka, Minnesota, Martha, Pride of Minneapolis.

Mulching is quite often done and it keeps the moisture in the ground as well as it puts humis in the soil. Common barn yard manure is the best or as good as any, where the land is not too rich. It should be spread evenly around the trees or letting it slope a little toward it. The mulch should be spread out on all sides as far as the branches of the tree.

The Vegetabre Garden

(By Mons Monson, Drayton, N. D.)

The vegetable garden should be on land which may be easily cultivated and the soil should also be well drained as wet land will not raise much of a garden.

The soil should be kept in as good a state of cultivation as possible, this will keep the weeds down and will also prevent evaporation and so increase the soil moisture which is necessary to plant growth, cultivation also makes plant food available for the use of plants.

The land needs to be well manured else the crops will not amount to very much, manure lossens up the soil and also helps to warm it in the spring.

Horse manure is light and ferments quickly, it is therefore very valuable for early spring crops.

When planting the garden especial care should be taken to have good seed. Seed should be procured from a reliable seed company and should be clean and free from weed seeds. It is also desirable to test seeds for germinating powers before planting.

Most vegetables are started in the spring in cold frames or hot beds to get an early start; therefore every garden should have a hot bed or a cold frame as a necessary adjunct to gardening.

There are many insects which cause damage to gardens. The best remedy for most of these is paris green, altho cut worms, the most destructive of all pests are hard to eradicate. They may be poisoned by leaving clover leaves dipped into paris green in the rows of the garden. The squash bug may be eradicated by dusting the plants with paris green.

The vegetables which grow in this northern region should be hardy and strong and of early maturing quality, else they may not mature before the frost comes in autumn.

The first vegetable to appear in the spring is asparagus and it should therefore be found in every garden. It is not difficult to grow.

Next in importance are sweet corn, radishes, lettuce, onions, peas and beans, celery, tomato, and potatoes. There are of course many other vegetables which should be grown in every garden, some herbs like anis, caraway and thyme, are easy to grow and should not be left out, and some vegetables which are only used for seasoning as cress and sage.

In conclusion, the most important points to remember are, keep the weeds down, have the soil in good tilth use plenty of manure, rotate the crops to keep insect pests down and select good seed.

Home Garden

(By A. C. Rindahl, Fertile, Minn.)

The question of the proximity to the house or other buildings is of great importance when locating the garden.

In old homesteads the garden was generally located adjacent to the house, requiring but a few stteps from the kitchen to reach the extreme parts of the garden.

The work of caring for the garden is usually done in spare times and for this reason alone the location should be near the dwelling. In case the site chosen for the garden should become unsuitable for any cause it is not a difficult matter to change the location.

The soil for a garden should be of sandy rich loam, and a slope towards the south or southeast is most desiable for the production of early crops, it is an advantage to have protection on the north or west side of the garden either by a hill or a group of trees.

Good natural drainage is of great importance in a garden the land should have sufficient fall to drain all the surplus water, and there should not be low places in the garden where water will stay for any length of time. It should not be located along banks of rivers where the large floods in the spring will overflow it.

In plowing the location of the various crops in the garden, due consideration should be given to the matter of succession in order that the land may be ocupied at all times.

As a rule it would not be best to have a second planting of the crops following the first, but some such arrangement as early peas followed by celery, or early cabbage or potatoes followed by late beans or corn, and similar combinations, are more satisfactory.

Autumn is the time for plowing hard stiff clay soils especially if in a part of the country where freezing takes place. As the action of the frost during the winter will break the soil into fine particles and render it suitable for planting.

Sandy loams and soils that contain a large amount of humus may be plowed in the spring but the work should be done early in order that the soil may settle before planting.

For garden crops there is no fertilizer that will compare with good well rotted barnyard manure. In localities where a supply of such manure cannot be secured it will be necessary to depend upon commercial fertilizers but the results are rarely so satisfactory.

In selecting manure for garden crops care should be taken that it does not contain any elements that will be injurious to the soil.

An excess of sawdust or shavings used as bedding will have a tendency to produce sourness in the soil.

Chicken, pigeon and sheep manures rank about the highest as fertilizers, their value being somewhat greater than ordinary barnyard manures. The manure from fowls is especitly adapted for dropping in hills or rows of plants.

Supply of seeds for the garden should be secured some time in advance of the planting season.

The most common method of starting plants is by means of a hotbed. The hotbed consists of an inclosure covered with sash and supplied with some form of heat, usually fermenting stable manure to keep the plant warm and in a growing condition. The hotbed should always face to the south on the south side of either a dwelling, barn or a light board fence, will furnish a good location.

Vegetables I would like to have in a garden are as follows: First, a nice patch of potatoes, of Early Ohios, a patch of asparagus, onions, sugar beets, cabbage, turnips, radishes, beans, Lima rought peas, carrots, celery, tomatoes, and a litle patch of Hungarian watermelon; and all these should be kept free from weeds and insects. Theer are many remedies for insects but differs from varieties of vegetables.

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BUYING FINE VALLEY CATTLE

IOWA MAN COMES TO NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA TO SECURE FINE STOCK.

A prominent Iowa cattle dealer has been spending several days in Northwestern Minnesota and the result is that he is about ready to ship back to Iowa about 1,000 head of cattle, which he has purchased in Roseau, Red Lake and Marshall counties. The stock is for the market and it is intended to take them to Iowa and there fatten them.

He stated to a prominent Crookston man that there was no question but that northwestern Minnesota was an ideal stock raising section and if the farmers would pay some attention to the industry they could increase their incomes many fold. He was well satisfied with his trip into this section and stated that he would be pleased to purchase all the cattle he could secure in this section.

His visit has raised the query why, if cattle can be bought at a good price here and shipped to Iowa to be fattened on the high price land, could not the fattening be done on the comparatively cheap land in this section and a big profit reaped?

The appearance of Miss Mabel McKinley in Grand Forks has been an epoch in society and musical circles and the city fairly bubbles over with praise for the great artist. Manager Ralph Carter has been the recipient of much congratulations and the people of Grand Forks feel that they are under great obligations to him for bringing such an attraction to the city.

The following criticism appeared in the Grand Forks Times after Miss McKinley's first appearance in that city:

Miss McKinley is great. She possesses a voice that is indeed a rarity, and from the first note her audience is held spellbound until she finishes, when the silence is broken by a wild, spontaneous applause, demanding encore after encore. In most of her selections she has the orchestra accompaniment, but in "The Last Rose of Summer" and "Comin' Thro' the Rye," which she renders magnificently, she plays her own accompaniment, a grand piano being put in for her special use. Though a classical artist, Miss McKinley has chosen a number of songs which appeal to those who are not musically educated, and feels happiest when these are well received. "Just One Sweet Girl," and "How'd You Like to Love Me," her own composition, were redemanded several times. Miss McKinley's gowns are beautiful and costly, and add much to her many charming and attractive qualities.

Virginia Virginian: Few people would care to be the horse that Mr. Taft rides, but they have no objection to occupying a seat in his band wagon

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A Dormitory Is Needed

The Journal is in receipt of a communication from a well known Crookston young lady, who is attending the University of Minnesota, relative to the necessity of the erection of a dormitory for the accommodation of the young ladies who are attending the university from outside of Minneapolis and St. Paul. The reasons given are so manifestly weighty and cogent that any fair minded person will see that the attitude of the young ladies is just. There should be such a dormitory, and there should be no delay in its erection. The reasons given in the communication are as follows, and will be of interest to every person who takes pride in the greatest educational institution of the state:

1. A dormitory is needed for the out-of-town girls at the University. They are at a great disadvantage now, as compared with the girls from the Twin Cities.

2. The houses in East Minneapolis are not suitably built for boarding houses. They are private houses, many of them old and unsanitary. They are over-crowded, and are necessarily run for profit.

3. A dormitory could offer healthful and comfortable living for the lowest possible price.

4. It would make it possible for the University to know its students personally.

5. In a dormitory, cases of illness among women students could be cared for.

6. In a dormitory the lonely, home sick girl could be helped, and the girl too much inclined to society could be restrained.

7. College education has small value for a woman if thru it she loses her health or her refinement. Only by means of a dormitory can the University guarantee its women students healthful and uplifting surroundings.

Britain War Territied

We would not charge degeneracy to the British nation. Nations die slowly. It will take several hundred years to determine whether Great Britain has passed the high point in its career and is walking downward into the shadow But the "blue funk" into which Englishmen have been thrown by the intelligence that Germany is outstrippnig their country in Dreadnought building, indicates that British nerves are not so good as they used to be. In private life it is the arrant coward who whines and trembles if he does not hold the biggest gun and the longest knife. Men of courage are willing to meet other men on equal terms. Why does not the same rule hold good as to nations?

For generations Great Britain has inisted upon overwhelming sea power She must overmatch any two nations in ships and guns in order to make her bread secure. Two decades ago other nations caught the big navy fever. England saw them creeping up upon her sea power. Then her wise naval men concocted a cunning scheme. They would build a ship which would make all other warships obselete. Then the Dreadnought. It was a game that other nations could play at better than she. Now Germany threatens to overtake Britain. The Kaiser in a few years may have the biggest ship. Britons feel panicky No lion was braver when foes could be met with overwhelmnig force. If we must match them ship for ship, gun for gun, what will become of us? There is but one way—build more Dreadnoughts. Buil them faster. But that game, too, can be overdone. In that way lies national bankruptcy. This is the dilemma before which Britons wail and tremble. It menaces all Europe. The nightmare has crossed over seas. America has joined the terrified procession, burying herself under a mountain of debt to escape the war fiend. As a community becomes civilized some men become brave enough to go unarmed. Then everybody not arrant cowards disarm, also. America is the one nation to set such an example to the war-terrified world. Is America brave enough to do it?—St. Paul Dispatch.

Sunday Baseball

Once upon a time in the state of Connecticut the kissing of the members of one's family upon the Sabbath day was forbidden by law; now the legislature of Connecticut is proposing to legalize the playing of baseball on Sunday, and the movement has the support of a considerable number of clergymen in the nutmeg state. Legislation forbidding kissing on Sunday was one far swing of the pendulum; possibly legislation permitting Sunday baseball is the far swing in the opposite direction. The strange thing is not the legislation, however, but the advocacy of it by the clergymen of the state. Intolerance drove the Pilgrim fathers to New England and when they got there they were just as intolerant in inflicting their opinions upon society as their persecutors in England were in attempting to say how and when and where God should be worshipped. The Puritan believed his religion so thoroly that he made it the government of every man's every act, and according to the dictates of a supersensitive conscience was it decided how each man should live down to the most ordinary acts of life. Time softened the Puritan and his intolerance gradually wore away, but much of it remains to day. Blue laws are still in force on the statute books of Massachusetts and other New England states and quite frequently they are resurrected and enforced, as for instance when but a short time ago the mayor of Boston forbade the production of a scene from "Polly of the Circus" at a charity entertainment. The scene had a bedroom in it and some old blue law of Massachusetts forbade the looking upon of bedrooms except in the darkness of the night. So Miss Mabel Taliferro did not give that beautiful and touching scene from "Polly of the Circus" in Boston town. Where such intolerance yet holds sway upon occasion, we should not have thought it possible that a voice from the pulpit should be raised in defense of the game of baseball upon the Sabbath day. Yet here is the New Haven Register actually printing communications from several pastors in that city favoring Sunday baseball. "If the testimony of other clergymen of New Haven", says the Register, "should be found to agree with that which the Register prints today, there would be a substantial weight in favor of the bill to permit properly regulated baseball in New Haven." If anything could cause a turning over in the graves in New England this ought to do it. In Minnesota of the West, which still has some towns said to be wild and wooly, there is a movement of some strength to discourage baseball on Sunday and in some of our frontier towns the game is impossible by reason of public sentiment against it. The Minnesota clergyman who has the courage to write a defense of Sunday baseball and publish it in the newspapers has not yet published abroad the fact that he has got that courage.

People who look upon Sunday as primarily a day of rest and recreation have no scruples against baseball and other games upon that day; those who look upon the day as a day of worship think differently. But the man who advocates Sunday baseball in the newspapers is something new under the sun.—Duluth Herald. And specially in "blue-lawed" Connecticut.

The School of Traction Engineering, which is now one of the short courses of the School of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota, will be held this year at University Farm, St. Paul, for one month commencing May 25th.

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STATE PRESS

Virginia Virginian: The Creek Indians in Oklahoma are on the warpath again and Chief Crazy Snake is laboring under the hallucination that he is going to overthrow the government. There are a great many chiefs now basking in the sunshine of the happy hunting grounds, who made an attempt to do the same thing. The irate old warrior should profit by their failure.

Albert Lea Times-Enterprise: Some of the interests are wondering if Prof. Frederick Starr of Chicago university knows what he is talking about, when he says that Roosevelt will never come back from Africa alive. They are afraid the professor is wrong and the people hope he is.

If som epeople were to marry for brains instead of for money, they would probably get left just the same.

Moorhead News: It is a noticeable fact that a very large proportion of the purchases made at the auction sales being held in Clay county this spring, are paid for in cash, the proportion taking advantage of deferred payments at so much per cent, being comparatively small. All of which goes to show that the farmers of Clay county have plenty of ready money.

Hibbing Tribune: The Miller reaction has set in. The newspapers around the country are beginning to realie that martyred heroes may be all right dead, but are not a very live proposition to put bills thru congress.

Litchfield Independent:: The iron ore tonnage tax bill passed the Minnesota house last week by a majority of two. The senate will not do a thing to it, but kill it, probably.

1909 Blue Book Fine Publication

Hon. Julius Schmahl, secretary of state, has just issued the 1909 blue book, which is now ready for distribution; and Mr. Schmahl may feel proud of this year's publication, which outshines any previous blue book in the history of the state. In addition to the usual information which has always appeared in the book, this year's edition contains many new features, which include a complete list of state and national banks doing business in the state, and there is also the names of all the principal officials of every state in the union. The Pioneer acknowledges the receipt of a copy of the manual, and cannot but point the many improvements which the genial secretary has made on the book. Julius is a crackerjack in the responsible position which he now occupies.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The Journal expects above is true but the Journal has as yet failed to receive a copy.

For A State Weather Bureau

Maryland has soured on the national weather bureau since the "flare back" that killed the inaugural ceremonies, and cut off Baltimore from communication with the civilized world. The failure of the federal service to predict the weather accurately on that occasion has caused Maryland to put her great constitutional lawyers—and Maryland contains more great constitutional lawyers per capita than any other state in the union—upon the scent. They have intimated tho their final report is not in, that the federal weather service is unconstitutional; that the right to regulate the weather is a state right, which has lapsed thru non user. It is one of those cases cited by Senator Root, where the general government has been compelled to do certain things because the states neglected to exercise their powers.

There is no warrant for the imposition of a federal weather. Mark Twain at one time wrote learnedly of New England weather, describing its fifty-seven varieties, nearly all bad, with graphic force. But Mark was wrong. There is no such thing as New England weather. There may be Maine weather, Vermont weather or Connecticut weather, but New England weather is a broad, unconstitutional classification. The inference of the Maryland authorities is unmistakeable.

Weather is a state concern. It should be observed, depicted and regulated by the states themselves. And while the states cannot put a tariff upon weather coming from other states they can exercise their police powers to prevent ingress of alien weather contrary to laws of the state where it seeks entrance. Minnesota, for example has a perfect right to install a series of blockhouses along her western coast to ward off blizzards. They have no constitutional right to cross our borders and play havoc with our gardens.

Too long we have supinely submitted to vague and unsatisfactory federal regulation. The national bureau seems to think that a kind of weather that is good for one state is good for another. It has no hesitation about letting storms trot about from state to state in a most annoying way. It is time this was stopped. The legislature is in session. It is true, no more bills can be introduced without the consent of the governor, but we cannot imagine his excellency refusing his consent to a bill putting the weather in charge of the state board of health, and providing for an efficient corps of inspectors, wardens and superintendents. Let it decree that no windstorm moving at more than five miles an hour shall come within 2½ miles of the agricultural school or state institution of learning. We may as well have a test of this thing now as any time. The postulates are that federal weather is unconstitutional, besides being no good. We should get better weather and more of it, if it were predicted at home and regulated by our own people.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

A tug is the only thing that has its tows behind.

A bee hasn't much to say, but he usually carries his point.

Mirrors, unlike some people, never force their reflections upon us.

If you look for pineapples on a pine tree your search will be fruitless.

The sun sets only in the West, but an old hen is willing to set anywhere.

A worthless man always seems to have more friends than a worthless woman.

A woman never knows what a man thinks of her altho she thinks she does.

Some people are noted for their ability to recollect things that never happened.

For a practical illustration of economy watch a small boy when he has occasion to use soap.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

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There is a city builded by no hand,
And unapproachable by sea or shore;
And unassailable by any hand
Of storming soldiery for evermore.

In that pure city of the living Lamb
No ray shall fall from satellite or sun,
Or any star; but He who said "I Am,"
Shall be the Light, He and His Holy One.

There we no longer shall divide our time
By acts of pleasures—doing petty things
Of work or warfare, merchandise or rhyme;
But we shall sit beside the silver springs

That flow from God's own footstool, and behold
Sages and martyrs, and those blessed few
Who loved us once and were beloved of old
To dwell with them and walk with them anew.

In alternations of sublime repose—
Musical motion—the perpetual play
Of every faculty that Heaven bestows
Through the bright, busy and eternal day.

—Parsons.

The family with a 16-year-old boy in the house has no earthly use for a 36-volume encyclopedia.

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ANGUS-SHERACK

Quite a few smut machines have been bought of late by farmers here and in the neighborhood.

This being the last week of Quadragesima let all devout Christians prepare for the holy Easter feast.

Miss Bertha Erdmann was visiting last Wednesday with Mrs. L. Osterloh.

Miss Magdalene Ehaust has been critically ill the last few days.

Mr. L. Osterloh had a dental operation performed last Thursday in Warren.

The large Tabor ditch is carrying off the surplus water in excellent style.

Mr. Herman Osterloh returned from Grand Forks last Thursday.

Mr. J. Guttormson was a Crookston visitor last Thursday.

Mr. B. C. Koch of Peoria, Ill., one of the best landmen to be found, is giving this neighborhood quite a few business calls. Mr. Koch owns large and valuable tracts of Polk County land and is a square and punctual man to deal with.

Mrs. J. B. Goodwin after spending a few days with friends in the Queen City returned last Friday morning. John says those three days seemed like three years to him.

The dance at the M. W. A. hall here was a grand affair and a royal time enjoyed by all.

Wild geese and ducks in large numbers east and west from here.

Messrs. J. B. Goodwin and W. N. Frost took the train for Warren last Saturday.

Mr. A. L. Anderson one of our industrious farmers, who believes in diversified farming has the pleasure of taking quite a crate of eggs and a large can of cream to the station. Poultry and cows are truly worth keeping if they are well taken care of.

Mr. L. Osterloh and eldest son Louis drove to Euclid last Saturday morning to consult with Drs. Chapin and Dryden regarding the latter's sickness.

Messrs. D. H. Miller, J. McLennan, Art Strader, E. Johnson, A. Stroble and F. Sirek Sr., took a large herd of cattle to Euclid last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sewell drove to Warren last Saturday.

Mr. Orin Clover returned from the woods one day last week. Orin is suffering with a very sore hand and was consulting a Warren physician last Saturday.

The Misses Mary Miller and Hazel Yuergens called on Warren friends last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cowden entertained last Sunday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. G. Evans.

Very beautiful Easter cards are sent and received by mutual friends as emblems of Christian love and joy over the resurrection of the best friend of mankind.

Joseph Vavrina of Tabor was calling on Mr. E. Johnston of this place last Monday.

It is easy to find fault with other people's affairs, tho to do better and give more satisfaction is far more difficult. Some fault finders would even be dissatisfied should their best fellow go back on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Brantl spent last Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Brantl of Tabor.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann called on Mr. and Mrs. A. Behlke last Monday evening.

Messrs. Wm. and Albert Tiedemann two prominent and well known young men at Euclid spent last Tuesday in the Queen City.

Mr. H. C. Strickler of Euclid called on Mr. G. H. Horn one day last week.

Mr. Albert Brantl spent several days last week in Warren on important business.

Messrs. Edw. Clint and Wm. Gunness took dinner with Mr. G. H. Horn and family last Tuesday.

Miss Rose Kotek enjoyed a several days visit with her friend Miss Alma Horn.

John Giese and Henry Tiedemann were welcome visitors at the Horn home last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tiedemann and baby of East Grand Forks spent several days last week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Tiedemann of Euclid.

Mr. Wm. Huck a prominent and well known young man from Grand Forks will spend the Easter vacation here with relatives. Mr. Huck is one of the brightest students of the Central High School of Grand Forks and his many friends around here are glad to meet him again.

A great number of young folks from this vicinity intended to attend the Old Settlers Club and dance last Thursday evening. On account of the inclement weather and muddy roads the plan of going had to be given up and the young folks know they lost the time of their life, for Euclid is known as a place where pleasure and a good time are always the prominent factors of all the gatherings held at that venerable borough.

Miss Alma Horn spent last Thursday with her lady friend Miss Rose Kotek.

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Without daily action of the [illegible] poisonous products must be absorbed. Then you have impure blood. [illegible] your doctor about Ayer's Pills for constipation.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

George Fuller went to Bemidji this morning to look after some real estate business.

CREAM SEPARATOR MEN BUSY—Chet Stebbins the genial agent of the DeLaval Cream Separator went to Bagley this morning where he expected to do a stroke of business.

SOMEWHAT IMPROVED — The condition of Andrew Austin who has been critically ill with typhoid pneumonia for the past few days is reported some what improved today.

SUPPLIED THEM ALL — Robert Sinclair was busier than the proverbial bee this morning. The Swift car of meat arrived in the city and he was busy with Manager Kimball in dishing it out among the butchers of the city.

BACK FROM CHICAGO—Dr. G. A. Morley returned last evening from a business trip to Chicago where he ha been for the past few days, and is now ready to attend to his patrons as usual.

HAS AUCTION SALE ON—C. A. Hitchcock left last evening for Beltrami where today he has a big auction sale on which includes farm machinery, household goods and all other goods. He expects to return on Tuesday morning.

PETER TRUAX DEAD—Peter Truax well remembered here as the owner of a large farm in Fairfax Township, later owned by Mr. Brooks and who also owned a fine farm in Farley township died last week in his home at Eau Claire, Wis. after a lingering illness. He was very wealthy and had interests thruout this section of the country.

WILL SOON START SEEDING — Arthur Capistran spent Saturday in the city and stated that with the present weather seeding operations will be very general. After seeding is over Mr. Capistran intends to devote his attention to delivering sand and gravel and fuel as last winter he cut about 20 cords of wood. Mr. Capistran is one of the progressive farmers on rural route No. 5 out of Crookston.

THE AFFIRMATIVE WON DEBATE—In the debate regarding the commission system for the government of cities at the Carnegie library Debating society last Friday evening, the decision was in favor of the affirmative instead of the negative as published. The same question will be debated at the meeting this week with the debators as published in the Journal Saturday evening.

DOCTOR FOR ERSKINE—Dr. H. E. Levin of Wisconsin spent last Tuesday and Wednesday here sizing up the village and country tributary and was so well pleased with the outlook that he has decided to move here and make this his home. The doctor is a young man speaks the Scandinavian and German languages and is well recommended. He returned to his former home Wednesday night to pack up and wil probably be back here about the middle of the month.—Erskine Echo.

This morning Col. Wm. Gerlach, U. S. A. retired, Capt. Wm. Hatcher and Capt. A. M. Van Duzee, Jr., arrived from St. Paul and this evening the annual inspection of Co. I, M. N. G. of Crookston will be held.

The visiting military men were met at the Great Northern depot this morning by Capt. Westerberg and a portion of the work of inspection including the going over of the records and the inspection of the equipment was completed today.

Every member of Co. I should be present promptly at 8 o'clock tonight at the armory.

Mayor J. D. McPhee this morning received a letter from Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Wm. M. Regan commissioning him as Acting Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler to act as installing officer at the meeting of Crookston Lodge No. 342 tomorrow evening, at which time the newly elected officers will be installed.

Mayor McPhee has acted in that capacity before and makes a very impressive officer in the work. The secretary of the lodge also received a notice of the appointment of Mayor McPhee which in Elkdom is regarded as a very high honor.

From Tuesday's Daily

Jos. Koelmel left this morning for a trip up the Greenbush line.

VISITING EUCLID—Father Smiers left this morning for Euclid where he is spending the day with his parishioners.

TO THE BUSH—C. L. Skoug left this morning for Bagley where he is spending the day. He said it was on business but his friends are of the opinion that he was going rabbit hunting.

LEFT FOR NORTH DAKOTA — Ole Skogness employed by the Crookston Marble Works leaves this evening for North Dakota where he will spend the greater portion of the summer.

A STATED CONCLAVE—of Constantine Commandery No. 20 will be held this evening at 8 o'clock for work in the K. T. degree. Preparations for the Easter Observance next Sunday will be made and committees will report.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — Tom Gahan and brother-in-law of John Sullivan is visiting here from North Dakota. Mr. Gahan has done well since locating in the Flickertail state, and last year erected a $4000 residence. Mr. Gahan will spend several days in the city.

HERE FROM GENTILY — Father Theillon who has made Gentilly famous all over the United States as the result of the successful cheese factory there is spending the day in the city greeting friends and attending to some business matters. Father Theillon looks after the material as well as the spiritual welfare of his parishioners.

CHRIST CHURCH—Services at 7:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Monday, Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday. On Good Friday 10:30 a. m. 12 to 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. Easter Eve (Saturday) preparation service for Easter Communion. Easter day, 8 p. m. 10:30 a. m. 4 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Annual meeting of the Parish will be held in the Guild room on Easter Monday at 8 p. m.

RUNS OUT OF CROOKSTON — Engineer Paul Busch of Grand Forks arrived in the city this morning and will make this city his headquarters ni the future, running from Crookston to Minot on Nos. 5 and 6. Mr. Busch has many friends here who will be very glad to learn of the change. He is not only well acquainted with all the railroad boys, but every summer spends several weeks in the Busch cottage at Maple Lake.

ON ROLSCH FARM—George Kelmer, formerly on the Vance & Stone farm south of the city, but for some time past residing at Fisher was in the city this morning. He will reside on the Ernest Rolsch farm, formerly the Sid Lytle farm, the coming summer and Mr. Rolsch is fortunate in securing a man of such experience. He will go to the farm at once and to keep in touch with the happenings ordered the Daily Journal for a year.

A deal was completed today whereby Jos. King of Stephen became the owner of the interest of A. L. Erickson in the Crookston Laundry, and the firm hereafter will be Walters & King. Mr. King has been a business man in Stephen for years and has many friends here. The new firm will be a strong one.

Mr. Erickson has several business propositions in view but has not yet definitely decided upon his future movements.

The law firm of Judson & Fulton has just made a satisfactory settlement out of court in the $5000 damage case of Carl T. Hubbard, a North Dakota school teacher against the N. Pacific, acting as attorneys for the plaintiff.

Hubbard was badly injured by being burned with acid shipped by defendant, which was not properly packed. The cork flew out of a bottle of acid and the contents seriously burned Hubbard. The settlement was a very satisfactory one.

Yesterday a deal was completed for the purchase of the fuel and feed business of Miller & Hanna, North Main street, by the Co-operative Fuel and Investment Co. Both Messrs. Miller and Hanna will remain with the new concern for the present at least.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

HERE FROM BLACKDUCK — Ed Bray, a brother of N. A. Bray is here from Blackduck on a visit for a few days.

WENT TO WARROAD—John Sundet and son Ole Sundet left this morning for Warroad where they will spend a couple of days looking over a business proposition.

HERE FROM FISHER—Ed Garvick a former well known resident of this city, arrived from Fisher this morning to spend the day attending to some business matters and visiting with the home folks.

IS VERY ILL—Mrs. N. Bertrand is very ill with stomach trouble. She has been confined to her bed for the past several days and her friends are very much alarmed regarding her condition.

SEEDING UNDER WAY—Quite a number of farmers in Polk County are busy with their seeding. "Timber Jim" Sullivan, Richard Barrett and others have considerable areas seeded already. The ground is in fine condition for working.

GIANT UP NORTH—I. W. Kinder, the Goliah traveling man of northern Minnesota left this morning for a trip up north. Pete Cram went along but no one noticed that he had any sling-shots to cast stones at the big man.

ON A GREAT MISSION — Peter Cram left this morning on a trip for the Queen City Fruit Co. He expects to sell a big consignment of "Red—Red Gum, with an odor like a flower and a flavor like perfume" and about a carload of "Sunkist" oranges. His destination was Angyle but he will visit other places before returning home.

SAYS BUSINESS IS FINE—M. Kalad proprietor of the Turkish store says business for the past two weeks has been the best he ever has had since he has been in Crookston, both wholesale and retail. He is looking forward to the coming summer as the best that was ever experienced by the business men of Crookston. He was at the depot this morning looking after the shipment of several large consignments of goods to various points.

LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA— Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Enright prominent residents of western Polk county, and children took their departure over the Northern Pacific for their new home in California. A large party of friends accompanied them to the station at East Grand Forks and sent them off with many expressions of good will. Mr. and Mrs. Enright have been prominent in social and church circles there for years and their departure will leave a noticeable void among a wide circle of acquaintances.

TRAVELED SOME—W. T. Shepard who recently resigned as mail carrier on R. F. D. No. 1 Grand Forks, after a continuous service of four years and seven months, during that time drove a total of 8,594 miles and handled approximately 357,500 pieces of mail. Mr. Shepard has a splendid record for care and efficiency in handling the work. He never had an inspector on his route and never had a kick from a patron. Archille Barlow succeeds Mr. Shepard as carrier on this route and Edward LaPlante will handle R. F. D. No. 2 which started April 2.—Grand Forks Herald.

WILL LEAVE FOR AND EXTENDED TRIP

Dr. C. H. Denniston and E. D. Kittie, the Chief Dispatcher in the Northern Division offices of the Great Northern will leave this evening for the Isle of Pines where Mr. Kittoe has some property which he will look over and decide upon whether he will make further improvements. The primary object of both however, is a pleasure trip and they will be absent for three or four weeks.

BUSINESS OPENING UP IN GOOD SHAPE

Magnus Lundberg, the well known insurance man returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis. He says that business is opening up well there, and that the wholesalers are all looking toward the Red River Valley with the expectation of a fine business from this section the coming year.

The weather down below is very good, Mr. Lundberg states, but thus far the farmers have done no more there than they have here tho work will be general on the fields in a very few days if the weather continues favorable.

CREAMERIES VERY ACTIVE

M. J. CORT SAYS VAST AMOUNT OF NEW MATERIAL IS BEING PURCHASED

SEVERAL NEW CREAMERIES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED THIS SPRING

From Wednesday's Daily—

M. J. Cort the creamery supply man left this morning for Mentor where he was called on business. To the Journal Mr. Cort stated this morning:

"There was never lively interest in creamery matters than is being displayed this spring. At Reiner, a small place 28 miles from Thief River Falls a creamery has been established, equipped with all the latest machinery and with farmers interested who have a total of 500 cows. This makes success certain.

"At Woodside, between Erskine and Fertile, the Woodside and Garden Creamery Co., has been organized and another thoroly modern creamery will be established which will be in operation in a short time.

"North of Fosston the Hill River Creamery Co., has been organized and has purchased a modern plant. At Hill River a short time ago the farmers held a big meeting and were addressed by Prof. Robertson of the State Farm, Dairy Inspector A. O. Storvick of this city, myself and several others. The farmers met in a farm house and listened with interest till six o'clock in the evening to the addresses given regarding the creamery industry, and would have remained till midnight had not the speakers been compelled to leave to catch their trains. The outlook all along the line was never better for the dairying interests in Northern Minnesota."

LOOK OUT FOR SPURIOUS COIN

CHIEF OF POLICE ECK GETS WARNING OF WORKING OF CROOKS

THEY HAVE BEEN PASSING SPURIOUS $5 AND 10 GOLD PIECES IN NORTHWEST

From Wednesday's Daily—

Chief of Police Eck received notice this morning to keep watch for a gang of crooks which has been busy for some time past in the northwest passing spurious gold pieces. They have succeeded in passing a large number of $5 and $10 counterfeits which while they are light weight and copper colored are easily passed.

The cashier in every business house in Crookston should carefully scan every gold piece taken in in the future as the gang of swindlers may be here at any time, and if they come Chief Eck wants to be notified at once and will land them where they belong.

AN ELABORATE EASTER OBSERVANCE

ST. ALDEMAR COMMANDERY OF GRAND FORKS TO BE GUESTS

Constantine Commandery No. 20, Knights Templar will have their usual Easter services the coming Easter Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal church at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

St. Aldemar Commandery of Grand Forks has been invited and a large number of the Sir Knights of Grand Forks will attend.

Rev. W. S. Ward will officiate as Prelate and Rev. F. M. McCoy will deliver the address.

A double quartet consisting of Mrs. O. W. Peterson Miss Thora Hagen, Miss Minnie Walker, Miss Meda Chesterman, Mr. N. A. Thorson, Mr. A. G. Brager, Mr. O. W. Peterson and Mr. L. S. Miller will render some special Easter Anthems.

The music and the other parts of the services are very impressive and beautiful and the Sir Knights are making preparations to make this Easter observance as successful in every way as possible.

The public is invited to attend the services at the church.

Most of the Knights Templar from Grand Forks will arrive Sunday afternoon at two o'clock and with the Knights of Constantine Commandery will attend the services in a body.

He Was Perfectly Frank With Her.

"I will never marry a man," said a haughty young woman, "whose fortune has not at least five ciphers in it."

"Take me," replied her admirer, a young lawyer. "Mine is all ciphers."—Ladies' Home Journal.

HOUSE CLEANING AT THE COUNTY JAIL

Four Prisoners Enter A Plea Of Guilty And Receive Their Sentences.

Decide To Start Serving Time And Not Lie In Jail Till Next Term Of Court.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Yesterday afternoon there was a regular housecleaning in the county jail. Four prisoners decided to enter pleas of guilty and take their medicine, thus avoiding the necessity of lying in the county jail till the next term of court in June and at the same time getting more lenient treatment from the court than might be expected if they insisted on their innocence and put the county to the expense of a trial.

Thomas Hunting pleaded guilty to forgery in the 3rd degree and was sentenced to 2½ years.

Mike Kaderowski pleaded guilty to grand larceny in the second degree and also got 2½ years.

O. C. Nelson and John Resmus pleaded guilty to the same charge as the above and received six months, their offense not having been as grave as the formers'.

None of the men will be taken to Stillwater for a day or two.

CASS LAKE TO LOSE SCHOOL

GOV. JOHNSON VETOES NORMAL SCHOOL BILL—CANNOT BE PASSED OVER VETO

BIG FIGHT OVER LOCATION OF NORMAL SCHOOL ALL OF NO AVAIL

From Wednesday's Daily—

Governor Johnson vetoed the Cass Lake normal school bill yesterday, the first measure to feel the executive ax at the present session. The governor gives several reasons for opposing the bill. He holds there is no immediate need for the school. There is a school of pedagogy at the University of Minnesota and five state normal schools. The schools at Moorhead and Duluth have room to spare. The state's finances do not warrant the new institution.

As to location the governor says the normal board is opposed to Cass Lake because it has not enough population to supply a model school.

The bill had a bare majority in each house and cannot be passed over the veto.

All likelihood of the enactment of a tonnage tax at the legislative session was dispelled today when Lieut. Gov. Eberhart ruled on the Morris Indian school bill, that it takes a two-thirds vote of the senate to make the bill special order. On previous occasions special orders have been fixed by the majority of those voting. But under objection to the Putnam school aid bill a few days ago and the Spooner bill today, the lieutenant governor has ruled that it takes a two-thirds vote tomake the bill a special order. It is now so late in the session that the tonnage tax bill cannot be passed without some concession on the part of its opponents and it now seems they are determined to fight to the last ditch.

WINNIPEG JUNCTION OFF THE MAP

Winnipeg Junction was wiped off the map at midnight Saturday night, as a railroad town. The junction ponit for the new high line of the Northern Pacific will be Lake Park, seven miles east of the old station of Winnipeg Junction. The N. P. boys who have been making run from here to the Junction will have to get used to the new order of things. A number of Winnipeg Junction business concerns have moved to Summit the nearest town, and others have moved to other towns.

WAS WED AT KALAMAZOO

Fred T. Lincoln, a former Crookston newspaper man and Miss Ella Aris of Hancock were married last evening at Kalamazoo, where the groom is city editor of the Gazette.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. M. Wood, pastor of the Kalamazoo Congregational church, at the home of Mrs. Alson Wood, aunt of the groom. The bride was attended by Miss Angie Wood, cousin of the groom, and the groomsman was A. B. Ogle, a member of the Gazette staff. Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln will be at home at West Vine street, Kalamazoo, after April 20.

SEEDING IS DELAYED

SNOW OF TODAY WILL STOP OPERATIONS FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS

WORK WOULD HAVE BEEN GENERAL THRUOUT THIS SECTION OTHERWISE

From Wednesday's Daily—

The snowstorm which started in this morning will delay seeding operations for several days. Farmers were ready to begin work quite generally and many of them had already started but the soft snow will make the surface so mucky that nothing can be done for two or three days even with the most favorable weather. Considerable seeding has already been done and the grain in the ground will be benefitted by the snow, but any further fall of moisture will not be welcomed for several weeks to come.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

HELD THIS AFTERNOON OVER REMAINS OF ERNEST NEWMAN-ERGESON

The funeral services over the remains of Ernest Newman Ergescon were held this afternoon from the Hauges Lutheran church, Rev. O. F. Johnson officiating. There was a very large attendance, many railroad men being present, Mr. Ergeson having been a well known brakeman for several years past. He was 24 years of age and his tragic death at Grand Forks, resulting from an accident at Larimore was a terrible shock to his friends, and the deepest sympathy is extended to the members of the stricken family. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale Cemetery and despite the inclement weather they were followed to their last resting place by a large number of people.

VOTED BONDS FOR FILTRATION

The people of Fargo by a vote of 1904 to 249 decided at their election yesterday, to issue bonds in the sum of $100,000 for a filtration plant for the water system and the establishment of a municipal electric light plant. It is the general understanding that the power to operate the light plant is to be obtained from the Dayton Hollow dam just below Fergus Falls and the Union Heat and Light company which at present furnishes Fargo with lights, was bitterly opposed to it. There is a question as to the legality of the bond issue and a fight in court is now in order.

If walking is good exercise, the modern housewife surely gets enough according to a local housekeeper who has experimented with a pedometer. She put one on one day and at the close of the day it registered ten miles and she claimed she had only done an ordinary day's work, not the regular cleaning day nor had she been more than four blocks away from her house.

FOR A CITY BEAUTIFUL

MAJOR BROMWELL DECLARES IT WILL BECOME MOST BEAUTIFUL CITY.

Washington, Apr. 3.—Major Charles S. Bromwell, for five years superintendent of public buildings and grounds of this city, has been ordered back to his regular work in the engineer corps of the army, and is going to Milwaukee, where he will be in charge of the harbor improvements of Lake Michigan. In an interview summarizing the work he has done in Washington, he takes the position that Washington is destined to be the most beautiful city in the world—the world's garden spot and architectural wonder, outranking Paris, long the most beautiful city of Europe.

"Washington," says Major Bromwell, "is today second to no city of the world from the standpoint of physical beauty, but with a comprehensive general plan of improvement like that of the park commission, and systematic appropriations from congress, it is eventually to becoe more beautiful than any other city of the world.

Little Work During Winter.

"Landscape gardening is not exactly in the line of what an engineer officer expects, but I became deeply interested in it after I had been assigned to the office of superintendent of public buildings and grounds. The assignment was a most agreeabe onel and I shall remember it with pleasure.

"Throughout the winter but little can be done in the way of improving the ground, for which reason the superintendent of public buildings and grounds is detailed during that season as military aide to the president of the United States, with his station at the White House.

"During the summer the White House is closed, and so the superintendent, during the summer months, has ample time to look after the beautification of the city.

"My opinion is that congress has been rather liberal in the matter of appropriations for the beautifying of Washington. If the money can be furnished as needed, and is used for carrying forward a general plan of beautification, Washington will become a more wonderful city than Paris, or any other city in the world, ancient or modern. There should be a general plan, however, and it should be rigidly adhere to.

"I am not especially committed to the Burnham plan, but in improving the city for five years, I have borne it in mind, and have made changes which would not conflict if that plan should be ultimately adopted.

"With a comprehensive plan, improvements can be made in certain localities as the money is appropriated. There will not be a great deal of improvement going on at any one time, but by constant work, year after year, Washington, in perhaps one generation, certainly in two, will find itself the garden spot of the world.

"Paris now boasts ot its Champes Elysees, which leads from the center of the city, under the beautiful Arc re Triomphe, to the Bois de Bolonge This is a mignificent street of a mile, and the Arch of Triumph, at which twelve avenues intersect, is one of the architectural beauties of France and of all Europe.

To Erect Lincoln Monument.

"It will not be many years before Washington will have an equally beautiful boulevard. The erection of public buildings on the mall, the establishment of parks, and the planting of trees along newly opened thoroughfares, will, I believe, rival the Champs Elysees, if it does not surpass it. This boulevard will extend from the capitol to the west end of Potomac Park, near the river bank, where it is proposed to erect a magnificent monument to the memory of Abraham Lincoln. With Potomac park connected with Rock Creek park, one can readily appreciate what the beauty of such a plan will be.

"Alost all the parks of Washington contain statues. The beauty of Lafayette park, across Pennsylvanit avenue from the White house, will be further enhanced by the erection of two statues on the north end of it. Franklin Park is to have the Barry statue, and ither statues will be properly distributed over the city among its parks, as the money to pay for them is set aside. At the northwest end of the Washington monument lot there is a plot of ground which is to be improved until its beauty rivals that of Lafayette park.

"I believe the white House elipse should be left bare as it is now. It is well graded, is covered with grass and is imposing in appearance.

"The opening of new streets and the extension of old ones in the farther northwest section of the city will develop many new intersections, where undoubtedly, there will be located parks. In these parks in time statues will be placed.

"In time, Washington is to be in a very true sense a city of parks and gardens, and of public buildings, the most attractive from an architectural paint of view, that the world has ever known. The recent completion of the senate and house office buildings, on Capitol Hill, sets off that section of the city in a highly attractive way.

"The new union station, costing almost twenty million dollars, is near the capitol, and is a part of the decorative feature of Capitol hill. This building will always be one of the most imposing in the city. On Capitol Hill, also, it is believed congress is in time to erect a splendid temple of justice, for the surpreme court and the department of justice. These improvements will complete the decorative features of Capitol Hill.

"Millions of dollars have been expended for new buildings in the heart of the mall during the past few years, and the plan to erect practically all of the public buildings of the future within this park enclosure is a wise one.

"With good times prevailing in the country for the next ten years, it is my belief that Washington, at the end of that period, will show a marked improvement over the Washington of today, just as the latter shows improvement over the Washington of ten years earlier.

"Public sentiment in the United States, I believe, is strongly in favor of the building of a capital city which will epitomize and characterize at a glance teh importance of the country among the nations of the world."

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages nad that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh quires a contstituoitnerdlu dled dluu being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers thta they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO.,
Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Lame Excuse.

"A French sentinel in Algeria," said a playwright, "had for his colonel a very tall, lanky, round shouldered man. This round shouldered colonel one night was making a quiet inspection. Passing the sentinel, he found, to his rage and indignation, that he was not challenged. So he returned to the man and roared:

"'You didn't challenge me!'

"'N-no, sir,' faltered the sentinel, saluting.

"'Well, why didn't you?' the colonel demanded.

"'Excuse me, sir,' said the sentinel, 'but I thought—I beg your pardon, sir—I thought you was a camel.'"

His Denomination.

A man who had been playing golf with a clergyman heard him swear two or three times under his breath. Suspecting the lapse, he could not be sure of it until one monosyllable came out with unmistakable clearness. After he had finished the match a friend of his said: "I saw you playing just now with the Rev. Mr. Dash. Of what denomination is he?" "Some people say he is a Congregationalist," replied his late opponent, "but I should call him a Profanitarian."—Argonaut.

An Air Loving World Wanted.

Once get a nation into inviting fresh air instead of barring it out, and not only is that nation going to repel consumption, but it is going to better itself physically in such a measure as to be practically immune from other diseases. An air loving world is what the scientists are aiming at.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Always Counting.

"Your husband says that when he is angry he always counts ten before he speaks," said one woman.

"Yes," answered the other, "I wish he'd stop it. Since he got dyspepsia home seems nothing but a class in arithmetic."

A Hint.

"You seem to be very fond of your dolly," remarked the visitor.

"Yes," replied small Margie. "She's so different from most people. She never interrupts me when I'm talking."—Chicago News.

Dwell not too long upon sports, for as they refresh a man that is weary so they weary a man that is refreshed —Fuller.

It's queer how much we think of our life here when about the most it appears to be is rehearsing for our funeral.

SMITHS ARE IN THE LEAD

ODD FACTS AS TO NOMENCLATURE FROM THE FIRST FEDERAL CENSUS

Washington, April 3.—In the states for which schedules of the first census remain, there were in 1790, 27,340 surnames, according to the latest publication of the census bureau. Of this number almost half—11,934 names—appeared but once, thus each represented but one family. But two names are represented by 3,000 heads of families and over.

While it is impossible to estimate the number of additional names which would have been contributed by the states for which schedules are completely lacking, they form such a small proportion of the total number of schedules that a conservative estimate would place the total number of different surnames in the United States in 1790 at less than 30,000.

All the names thus represented have been classified in this report and the tables presented give in detail the distribution of those names occurring upon the schedules more than 100 times, and hence represented by not less than 500 or 600 persons as members of the family.

Smith Leads Field.

The number of heads of families with approximate total number of persons, under a few of the names of more frequent occurrence, were:

Name—	No. of families.	Total persons.
Smith	5,932	33,245
Brown	3,358	19,175
Davis	2,575	14,300
Jones	2,561	14,300
Johnson	2,646	14,004
Clark	2,242	13,766
Williams	2,283	12,717
Miller	2,225	12,694
Wilson	1,765	9,797

These nine names represented about 4 per cent of the total white population in 1790.

All Proper Names From Parts of Speech.

The surnames which appeared upon the schedules of the first census show a very great preponderance of English and Scotch names. A large proportion of all the names are adaptations of nouns, verbs, and other parts of speech, and in general represent the simplest Anglo-Saxon terms. Inspection of the nomenclature of the surnames of the first census suggest the preponderance of the distinct Anglo-Saxon element.

About 30 per cent of the entrie population was represented by names adapted from parts of speech. Upon a classification, according to the meaning of the names, it appears that the origin of practically all was connected with daily life and surroundings. Classified by meaning, most of the proper names derived from parts of speech which appear in the first census schedules fall under the following topics: Food, eating, drinking, clothing, sewing, materials, household utensils, nations, towns, cities, nationality, kinds of men, condition, appearance or state, bathing, ailment and remedies, occupation, parts and conditions of the body, relationship, games, religion, music, literature, kind of house, building material, belongings, surroundings, furniture, tableware, merchandise and commodities, money, color, objects of nature or features of landscapes, trees, plants, and flowers, fruits, nuts, weather, beasts, birds, flying and creeping creatures, the ocean and maritime subjects, war, death, violence, and time.

Predominance of English Stock.

The analysis of nationality as shown by names indicates the fact that the English stock composed 83.5 per cent of all the white population at the period of the first census, and if the Scotch and Irish be added, the British stock represented a little more than 90 per cent, while the Germans contributed slightly less than 6 per cent and the Dutch 2 per cent.

In fact, so great was the British preponderance in practically all of the New England states that the other nationaliteis were negligible. In no other section of the union was the British element so strong as in New England, a fact strikingly in contrast with the conditions which prevail in that section at the present time.

Were it feasible to make an analysis of the population of the southern states in 1900 similar to that made from the schedules of the first census, in order to obtain percentages comparable with it, it is probable that very little change would be noted from the proportions shown in 1790. There has been a noteworthy preservation in that section of the purity of the stock enumerated in 1790, contrasted with the extraordinary change in the composition of the population taking place in the rmeainder of the nation during the century and more which elapsed from 1790 to 1900.

Read The Journal Wants.

CRITICISM IS UNJUST

FOSSTON THIRTEEN TOWNS THINKS CROOKSTON IS RATHER GREEDY

FOR DECIDING TO CELEBRATE JULY 4TH—FIRST TIME IN YEARS

The Foston Thirteen Towns has quite a warm roast for Crookston in this week's issue because it was decided to celebrate July 4th in connection with the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association annual meeting in this city.

This is the first time in many years that Crookston has celebrated the 4th of July. The time is most opportune not only for this city, but for the hundreds of people who will be here at that time.

We are surprised that the Thirteen Towns editor would criticise any city for celebrating July 4th. The fact that the celebration will be in connection with a firemen's tournament does not seem out of place. This is also, it might be stated the first time that Crookston has had the firemen's tournament in many years. It will cost thousands of dollars and if Crookston people decide to spend a few hundred more for a celebration of the 4th of July, we do not think that Fosston or any other village or city has just cause for criticism.

SU OLVED OVER $25,000

JAMES H. MAYBURY ONE OF ATTORNEYS IN IMPORTANT PARTITION SUIT

SPECIAL TERM AT ADA WEDNESDAY PROVED A MOST STRENUOUS ONE

From Saturday's Daily—

James H. Maybury was at Ada, last Wednesday trying a partition suit involving twelve hundred acres of land valued at about $25,000.00 which is in controversy between the Sanford heirs It was a strenuous day. The testimony of twenty-four witnesses experts on land values and soil was given. Judge Grindeland kept the court grinding continuously from morning until 11:45 at night. Leaving just time enough for Attorney Fosseen to catch his train for Minneapolis.

In an interview with the Journal this morning Mr. Maybury said: "I have about regained my former good health, and have entered into my law business with a renewed vigor. It is very pleasing to find my former clients returning and new ones coming constantly. Since my term as county attorney expired, I have been busier than I expected to be, and feel grateful for the volume and character of my law business. My experience as county attorney helped me greatly in court work and gave me a wide circle of acquaintances."

ALDERMAN HARRIS MAKES STATEMENT

SAYS HE HAS BEEN BADLY MISREPRESENTED AS TO STAND

Alderman T. A. Harris says that he has been misquoted as to the statements he made regarding the use of the city hall by societies. In a statement to the Journal today Alderman Harris said:

"I was badly misquoted and I believe viciously so in a recent published statement regarding what I said at the last council meeting in connection with granting the use of the city hall for society meetings.

"What I said was that I did not think the the city should compete with owners of halls in the city, who had their money invested. There are a number of halls for rent at all times, including the G. A. R. hall, the hall in the Marin Block, the I. O. O. F. Halls, the Union Block Hall, the Germania Hall and a number of others including the Fournet Hall and the Woodmen Hall perhaps on certain nights, tho I am not certain about all of these.

"I simply stated that I did not think that the city should enter into competition with these people who have heir money invested in halls. I made the statement publicly and still believe I am right in the contention. It is not right for the city to compete with people who have their money invested."

A long yarn is sometimes produced from the threads of conversation.

SAYS MINN. IS UNSURPASSED

CAPT. BROWN SAYS CONDITION OF FARMERS HERE IS EXCELLENT

DURING ALL HIS TRAVELS IN WEST NO BETTER PLACE WAS FOUND

From Saturday's Daily—

Capt. M. R. Brown who has just returned from an extended trip to the Pacific coast and intervening states was interviewed this morning by a representative of the Journal with the object of getting a comparison of conditions here with those in other sections of the west and middle west. He covered a great deal of territory and as he is a close observer of conditions his impressions will be of general interest. Capt. Brown had two purposes in mind in making the trip, one object was to enrich his mind regarding the different states of the west, the conditions existing etc. Capt. Brown had quite an extensive opportunity as going from here to St. Paul he travelled thru Iowa and via the southern states to Utah, thru Colorado from one end of California to the other Washington, Montana, Dakota and Minnesota. Capt. Brown said in part:

"I observed as closely as I could the condition of the farming communities and no where in all the states I visited did I find the country districts as bright, prosperous and thrifty as in Minnesota and Iowa.

"The appearance of farm buildings and fences is a true index to the productiveness and prosperity of the country in which they are located. As a rule they are in good shape in Minnesota and Iowa. In other states the buildings in the rural communities had more or less of a tumble down appearance, showing conclusively that there was a lack of productiveness in those states.

"While some other states have climatic conditions which are more agreeable to some people, there are many other conditions which should be very carefully considered by those contemplating making changes for a home place.

"I have fully made up my mind that we in the Red River Valley have excellent opportunities and advantages to make comfortable homes and live a prosperous and happy life, and I return fully satisfied to make my future home here."

AISLES MUST NOT BE PACKED

FORMAL NOTICE SERVED ON THEATRE PROPRIETORS LAST EVENING

AISLES AND LOBBIES MUST BE KEPT CLEAR—TO ENFORCE ORDINANCE

City Engineer J. E. Carroll, who is also the building inspector of Crookston last evening wrote the proprietors of the various theatres of the city that in the future the provisions of the ordinance requiring that aisles and lobbies in all places of public amusement or entertainment or any place where public assemblages are held must be kept clear so as not to prevent egress from said buildings.

The notice was to the effect that no one will be allowed to stand in aisles or lobbies and that admissions must be limited to the seating capacity of the places, as any other practice is a menace to public safety.

This formal notice was signed and sent out last evening by Building Inspector Carroll.

High Pressure Days

Men and women alike haveto work incessantly with brain and hand to hold their own nowadays. Never were the demands of business, the wants of the family, the requirements of society, more numerous. The first effect of the praiseworthy effort to keep up with all these things is commonly seen in a weakened or debilitated condition of the nervous system which results in dyspepsia, defective nutrition of both body and brain, and in extreme cases in complete nervous prostration. It is clearly seen that what is needed is what will sustain the system, give vigor and tone to the nerves, and keep the digestive and assimilative functions healthy and active. From personal knowledge, we can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla for this purpose. It acts on all the vital organs, builds up the whole system and fits men and women for these high-pressure days.

Many a man is an expert hand at putting his foot in it.

TO MAINTAIN BOTH BANDS

COMMERCIAL CLUB WILL CO-OPERATE WITH TWO BAND COMMITTEES

NEW BAND MASTER TO BE SECURED AT ONCE—ACTION IS DEFINITE

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening at the joint meeting of the committees representing the Crookston band and the Crookston Juvenile band, the Commercial club pledged its most hearty support to the proposition to maintain both organizations, recommended that all band contracts be paid to the duly authorized representatives of the Crookston band, and that a contract be closed as soon as possible with one of the several directors with whom negotiations have been opened. Manager J. N. Kirsch, President H. F. Brown and Secretary-Treasurer Geo. LeBlanc spoke for the Crookston Band and Bandmaster Riggs also made a few remarks.

To Fit Club Rooms

The officers of the club were instructed to execute a lease for the third floor of the Union block and the committee on furnishings was authorized to at once proceed and close contracts for the needed furniture so that the Commercial club rooms will soon be ready for occupancy.

SPECIAL TRAIN OF IMMIGRANTS

ARRIVED THIS MORNING ON THE GREAT NORTHERN FROM IOWA AND ILLINOIS

At 10 o'clock this morning a special trainload of immigrants with stock, household goods, machinery etc., pass thru the city on the Great Northern. The immigrants hailed from Iowa, Illinois and other central states and all will locate in the northwest being headed for different destinations.

COLLEGE MOVING TO NORTH BROADWAY

BUTTON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE TO OCCUPY OLD QUARTERS AGAIN

Today Chas. Solberg is busy moving the furniture, typewriters and other paraphernalia used by Button's Business college which during the past winter was forced to secure quarters in the Union Block, the college building on North Broadway not being large enough to acommodate the students, the enrollment having been the largest in the history of the college. Many of the students are now leaving for their homes for the summer, or to accept positions, and the old quarters across from the court house will be large enough to accommodate all remaining.

DEBATE TO BE CONTINUED

COMMISSION FORM OF CITY GOVERNMENT NOT FAVORED AT DEBATE

CARNEGIE LIBRARY DEBATING SOCIETY HAD SPIRITED CONTEST

Last evening the Carnegie Library Debating society held a debate on the desirability of the Commission form of city government. The debate was a very spirited one, the affirmative being handled by Lucius Miller, James Hanson and Oscar Fredricks while the negative was looked after by the Messrs. Kjersvick and F. E. Weseberg, A. J. Johnson being unable to attend on account of the Commercial club meeting.

The Judges decided in favor of the negative by a 2 to 1 vote.

It was decided however to debate the same question at the meeting at next week's meeting when the affirmative will be represented by Messrs. L. D. Foskett, C. E. Ring and George Hamery while the negative side will be taken care of by Messrs. O. K. Berget, I. Mark Oseth and Arthur J. Johnson.

A man running for office has such a naturally candid manner that when he bumps into a lamp post he tries to shake hands with it.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
for children, safe, sure. No opiates

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

WENT TO BEMIDJI—Knute Strande went to Bemidji this morning where he will spend the day looking after some business matters for the G. N.

BARBER SHOP SOLD—The Palace Barber Shop has been sold to J. W. Brock who took possession yester day. The shop was formerly owned by Mrs. Zan Farley and was leased by I. E. Folsom.

WANTED — Two all-around job printers in well equipped job shop. Steady position for right parties. No boozers or men with bad habits need apply. Also 3 boys or girls to learn the trade, Scandinavians preferred.—Normann Prtg. Company, Crookston, Minn.

BOTHERED WITH RHEUMATISM—Ex-County Commissioner Levi Steenerson was an arrival from Climax this morning and departed on the Cass Lake line to attend to some matters of business. He has been suffering from rheumatism for some time past and is now compelled to use crutches. His many friends hope that he will soon recover.

OLD STAMPING GROUNDS — John N. Kirsch left this morning for Euclid where he will spend a couple of days. He went specially at this time in order to attend the meeting of the Euclid Old Settlers Association and anticipated a most pleasant evening in greeting the host of friends he has in that village and vicinity where he resided for so many years.

PROBABLY A LONG TERM—W. V. Kane of International Falls, the county attorney of Koochiching county, who was in the city yesterday afternoon, coming in from Grand Rapids, stated that the present term of the district court for Itasca county, which is being held at the Rapids will probably be a long one. Judge B. F. Wright of Park Rapids is presiding on the bench at Grand Rapids.

KRUSE APPOINTED ALTERNATE—Helmer Kruse has been appointed first alternate to Ralph Lycan, as candidate for the midshipman vacancy in the Annapolis Naval Academy by Congressman Halvor Steenerson to succeed William Russell who found it impossible to take the examinations Kruse is not only a model young man but is also a splendid student, and is graduating from the Bemidji High School this spring with honor. He would certainly make an ideal boy for this rare appointment.—Bemidji Pioneer.

The private car of Supt. F. E. Elliot of the Dakota division of the G. N. was attached to No. 5 this morning, Mr. Elliot having been in St. Paul for the past couple of days confering in regard to a new time card.

Mr. Elliot stated this morning that no definite conclusions had been arrived at regarding the new schedule but that there would be several changes of importance, specially in connection wtih the coast trains and it is very probable that Crookston will benefit as a result of some of the changes.

City Engineer J. E. Carroll has formally condemned the building in which the post office is located as unsafe and has sent the following notification to Postmaster Steenerson:

Elias Steenerson Postmaster:

Dear Sir: I have today made examination of building occupied by postoffice and from such examination and my knowledge of surroundings and past conditions, I am of the opinion that it is dangerous to life and limb to occupy such building and I have this day condemned this building as dangerous.

Signed,

—J. E. Carroll,
City Engineer.

Moyor McPhee was a visitor at the Journal office this morning and suggested that th is is about the time of the year that back yards should be cleaned up. Chief of Police Eck has been ordered for some time past to see that all back yards should be cleaned.

This is the time of year that every one should clean their yards. It should take no notice from the mayor or the chief of police. It is a matter that interests every resident just as much as it does the officials.

However the fact remains that all should take warning of the order issued. While this is the 1st of April it is no April fool order.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into acepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

VISITING EUCLID—Harold Misner the night clerk at Palace Hotel is spending the day at Euclid where he is visiting with the home folks.

THE CANDY SCOUT—Bert Levins the candy scout, is spending the day at Stephen attending to the wants of his customers.

MUSIC UP NORTH—K. J. Ike left this morning for a business trip up the north line where he will sell a few pianos if the weather clears up.

BANKER TO MIDDLE RIVER — J. P. Foote of the Scandia-America bank left this morning for Middle River where he was called on some financial matters.

SELLING CIGARS—Chas. Babcock has accepted a position with the Hooker Cigar Co., of Minneapolis and is selling 'H. B.'s." and other popular brands made by that firm.

SPENDING DAY AT FORKS—Stanley Bateman the night clerk at the Hotel Crookston left this morning for Grand Forks where he is spending the day with old time friends and relatives.

FOOT PRACTICALLY WELL—Jas. E. Morrisey was down town this morning on schedule time, 6:30 and while he was not cavorting like a spring lamb, he was able to walk about as usual and the "limp" was not as pronounced as it has been."

LOOKING AFTER FARM — Capt. Emil Vondenbeck left this morning for Euclid where he will spend the day looking after his farm and seeing that proper preparations are made for seeding.

SERIOUSLY ILL— Andrew Austin is very seriously ill at his home in Sampsons addition with typhoid pneumonia and his many friends are very apprehensive regarding the outcome. He has been ill for several days but his condition yesterday became alarming.

FORMER CROOKSTON RESIDENT—Attorney P. J. Russell a former well known attorney of Crookston who is now located in Bemidji was in the city last evening enroute to St. Paul where he was called on legal business He will return tomorrow morning and expects to remain over here for a day to attend to some legal business and will also visit with his old friends.

TO SOUTH DAKOTA—Reg. Middleton, one of the former well known residents of Crookston passed thru the city night before last enroute to South Dakota where he will spend a week or two visiting. There are a few rumors regarding his visit which should not be published as "the best laid plans of mice and men gang aft aglee."

OUT ON SURVEY—O. L. Hamery left this morning for Middle River where he will spend a few days surveying a proposed county ditch. Mr. Hamery has more work this year than he has had for some time and is kept busy every day in the week. During the past few days he has been called to look after two important jobs in Marshall and Kittson counties.

COUNT VON OTTER HERE—Count Gustav A. Von Otter the well known representative of the Morawetz Co., of Milwaukee who has sold hats, caps gloves and furs in this territory for years spent the night in the city talking over a few of the latest German delicacies with Jos. Eckert, and left this morning for a trip up the north line where he has several customers to meet but expects to return to the city on t he evening train.

GOOD WAY TO RID OF WOLVES—As a result of a trick played at Sturgis, S. D., by the government it seems likely that the old range country this side of the Missouri river will get rid of a great many of the wolves that have been the terror of the stock growers. Under directions from Washington, rangers of the Black Hills forest reserve set traps in which they caught over a hundred without seriously injuring them. These wolves were then confined in an inclosure surrounded by a high fence and infected with the mange. After the disease had made good headway the animals were released. As a result farmers are continually finding dead wolves and others are so weak and emanciated that they are easily killed with clubs.

Not Misplaced.

Hotel Clerk—I found the "Not to Be Used Except In Case of Fire" placard those college boys stole out of the corridor. Manager—Where? Clerk—They'd nailed it up over the coal bin.—Boston Transcript.

Highly Flattered.

"Your glasses," she said, "have made a great difference in your appearance."

"Do you think so?" he asked.

"Yes. You look so intelligent with them on."—Chicago Record-Herald.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

A WELCOME MEDLEY—The medley early this morning in which crows geese, returning song birds and crowing cocks participated was a very welcome concert to the early risers. Such weather as that of today with surrounding conditions make life worth living.

PROMINENT FARMER HERE — Knute Acker, the prominent Climax farmer is spending the day in the city He came up with two great candy pails full of eggs for which he gets top prices as they are always strictly fresh.

TOOK TO THE LAKE—J. M. Stephens and Wm. M. Ferguson left this morning for Maple Lake where they will inspect the Ferguson cottage and set things straight for the coming summer season. It is possible also that they will shoot a few crows and secure the bounty for pin money.

VISITS NORMAN CO. SCHOOLS—E. W. Savage representing the American Sunday school Union will leave this evening for Ada and will be absent till the middle of next week visiting Sunday schools in Norman Co., and getting a line on the conditions there. He has a number of new schools in prospect of which announcement will be made later on. Mr. Savage plans on a very busy summer and there is certainly all manner of work in his line to be done in his district.

City Engineer J. E. Carroll announces that from official measurements the Red Lake River has risen 20 inches during the past three days. Practically all the ditches in the country are open and are pouring water into the river and a continued rise may be expected.

The river below the dam is open half the width of the channel and a general breakup may be looked for at any time. The river is opening considerably earlier than last year and several days earlier than the average.

This afternoon City Attorney O'Brien formally called the attention of Chief of Police Eck to the sections of the city charter which makes it his duty to suppress all houses of ill fame. Chief Eck will take action at once, he has stated, and the places will be closed forthwith.

THROW OUT THE LINE

Give Them Help and Many Crookston People Will be Happier

"Throw out the life line"—

The kidneys need help.

They're overworked—can't get the poison filtered out of the blood.

They're getting forse every minute. Will you help them?

Doan's Kidney Pills have brought thousands of kidney sufferers back from the verge of despair.

Will cure any form of kidney trouble.

N. L. Nelson, formerly of 305 Jackson Av., Crookston, Minn., says: "Backache and kidney complaint annoyed me for many years. The trouble was not continual but it required only a little exertion or a cold to bring on a severe attack. A few months ago I was suffering more than usual and it was hard for me to stoop or lift. I was induced to try Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them at Wallace's drug store. This remedy promptly relieved me of the pains in my back and regulated the passages of the kidney secretions. I give Doan's Kidney Pills all the credit for this wonderful cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

It is every woman's duty to keep young-looking as long as possible, but unfortunately she does not always know the best way to live up to that duty, say an exchange. Avoid worry, hurry and getting flustered. Learn self-control. Anger is a rapid wrinkle-bringer. Be temperate. Moderation does not only refer to the stomach. Overdoing in any way makes for premature age. Love the open air. Fresh air is not a fad; it is a necessity, if one would keep young. Get plenty of sleep. Nothing lines the face like nights of wakefulness. Keep mentally alert. An intellectual back number adds years to her seeming age. Nothing makes for youth like a young mind, save, perhaps, a young heart. Don't let yourself get sluggish and indifferent. Here is where the benefit of massage, physical culture and a vital interest in life comes in. Don't let your face reflect every perplexity. The woman who keeps young need not wear a mask, but she should guard against the so-called speaking countenance," if she does not want a fine crop of wrinkles. Every spinster knows how to manage a husband but—

BIG MONEY IN CLOVER CROP

A. C. ROBINSON WRITES INTERESTING LETTER REGARDING HIS EXPERIENCE

THINKS VALUE OF RED RIVER VALLEY SOIL GREATLY UNDERESTIMATED

From Friday's Daily—

Editor Crookston Journal:

I see so many letters in your paper from farmers all over the state, telling of their experiences in different branches of farming, but so far I have not seen much of anything from Mentor and vicinity, so I thought it might interest some of your readers to know what we can do here, if you will allow me. It will give my experience in raising clover and timothy for hay and also clover for seed, which might be might be entitled, "My First Experience in Clover Raising in Minnesota."

About five years ago, I seeded in four acres to clover and timothy, got a good start. The year after I took from this four acres tract twenty large loads of clover and timothy hay, estimated to be over four tons per acre. That year I seeded in about eleven acres to Medium Red Clover. The following year I had a fine crop on both the first and second seeding. I used it all for hay, with the exception of what I estimated to be about half an acre, which I left for seed. From this I threshed over eight bushels of seed. There was so much said about this large yield of seed, and while some people could hardly believe, others, who had often passed the small plat knew it to be a fact, but to satisfy myself and others, I had the ground measured and found it contained three fourths of an acre. From this I cleaned and sold for over sixty dollars worth of seed and kept about one bushel for my own use. This certainly was a remarkable yield, but nothing more than many others might do this year if we have a favorable season.

The farmers around here are just awakening to the fact that they have gold mines right on their farms and while the most of us have only been experimenting so far, the time has come now that large acreages will be used for the purpose of raising seed and I feel confident that the returns will be larger for all who go into this. The fact that clover and timothy can be grown to so good advantage here as in any part of the state has been the cause of giving stimulas to our creamery industry, which has more than trebled and is still on the increase, so it looks now, as if the capacity of the creamery here in Mentor will have to be increased considerable in order to handle the increasing business.

And yet with all those advantages we have farmers here who are offering their land at from $20.00 to $35.00 per acre, sell out and go west and northwest. I only hope that some one will come and take their places, who will appreciate the value of this soil and the opportunity they have here of getting a good and comfortable home at a very reasonable price. This is my experience here and I think we have one of the best and most prosperous communities to be found anywhere.

Thanking you for the space this shall take, I am,

Yours truly,

—A. C. Robinson,

April 1, 1909. Mentor, Minn.

International Falls Echo: The reaportionment bill which was expected to be enacted into a law by the present session of the legislature, but hope of which now seems to be a forlorn one sets apart Itasca and Koochiching counties as a district, with two representatives and a senator. The passage of the tonnage ore tax indicates the temper of the politicians of the southern part of the state, and it is hardly possible that they would in the same state of mind turn around and legislate away the power which now gives them the right to inflict such unjust measures upon the northern half of the state as the said tax.

A bill has been introduced by Representative Peterson of Nicollett county providing for the naming of farms and the registering of such names in the official records of the county on the payment of a small filing fee. The bill is permissive and not compulsory. An amendment was added that no two farms in the county should be given the same name. The idea appears to be a good one. In Norway and in Scotland, and probably elsewhere the custom of naming farms is almost, if not quite, universal, and in both countries the owner of the farm is known by the farm name, which in Scotland at least is regarded as an honorable distinction.

Easter

No Matter how carefully you may dress on other days of the year, Easter Sunday always calls for your best.

It's splendid foresight to make Easter preparations early so as to secure the best.

If you need a new Suit, just take a look at our "Clothes of Quality" designed, cut and tailored from the choicest fabrics by experts—the best in the land.

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Clothes or no Clothes, you'll surely be wanting an Easter Hat, Tie, and other new Toggery.

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The Clothier.

J. J. HILL EXPRESSES HIS VIEWS ON TARIFF

Sensational stories were printed in the eastern papers regarding James J. Hill's visit to the capitol at Washington yesterday to th e effect that he was tinkering with the various schedules of the Payne bill. Those whom he saw assert that Mr. Hill simply urged the passage of a tariff bill in the interest of the general business of the country.

In an interview in a morning paper however, Mr. Hill said:

"They talk about revising the tariff, while at our present rates of expenditure the tariff is now scarcely on a revenue basis.

'How then is it to be scaled unless we shave down the cost of the government?

"I am not a free-trader, but I see the evils in the recent tariff schedules, altho I don't know how they are to be remedied unless we shall call a halt upon the cost of the government or shift the tax thus placed upon the people to domestic products. As to trusts I guess Mr. Havemeyer was about right when he testified before the committee in this city that the tariff was the mother of trusts.

"But these questions or problems will be solved. They are much more soluble than one of supreme importance which is how to extract from the soil the maximum of production at the minimum of cost. The trust will break down of its own weight long before we solve this great problem. Upon its solution depends wholly the onswer to your question. 'What is the cause and what is the remedy for the present high cost of living?"

Big Boost For The Valley

In this issue of the Journal there are two important articles as bearing upon the importance of the Red River Valley and the conditons here among the farming community as compared with other sections.

One article is an interview with Capt. M. R. Brown, who after an extended trip thru nearly all the western states, gives it as his opinion that there is no secion of he country where the farmers are more prosperous, or where there are more pleasant homes than in Minnesota and Iowa, and specially called attention to the prosperous conditions in evidence in the Red River Valley as compared with other sections which he visited.

He also stated that he returned more satisfied than ever to make his home in Crookston. These are significant statements. Another article of special importance is a communication from A. C. Robinson, a successful farmer located near Mentor. He gives his experience in the successful raising of timothy and clover both as a hay crop and for seed and concludes with the statement that the present price of farm lands in this section is far below the real value. He states that the farmers who are selling their land for $35 per acre and investing elsewhere are making a mistake which they will live to deeply regret.

Such statements are worthy of very careful thought. People who are here in many cases fail to utilize the advantages which surround them. They get a notion that some new section of this country farther west, or in Canada offers greater opportunity. They forget to consider the fact that in the new countries they must wait for years for the school, church and other special privileges which are available here.

The Packing Plant

It is certainly remarkable that the sentiment regarding the location of the Armour plant at New Brighton has undergone such a wonderful change within the past short while. The press of the entire state, practically, favors the location of the plant in the state, they want it, but a very decided stand its taken against is being located where the health of the students attending state and other institutions will be endangered.

The effort of some people to make it evident that St. Paul was opposed to the location of the plant in the state acted as a boomerang. St. Paul was never at any time opposed to the location of the plant in the state. The business men of St. Paul want the plant as well as any other city, but they do not want it located where it will be obnoxious to so many state institutions.

This stand is so ultimately fair, that the position of St. Paul has appealed to the entire state, and St. Paul now has the solid backing of every fairminded person in connection with the fight.

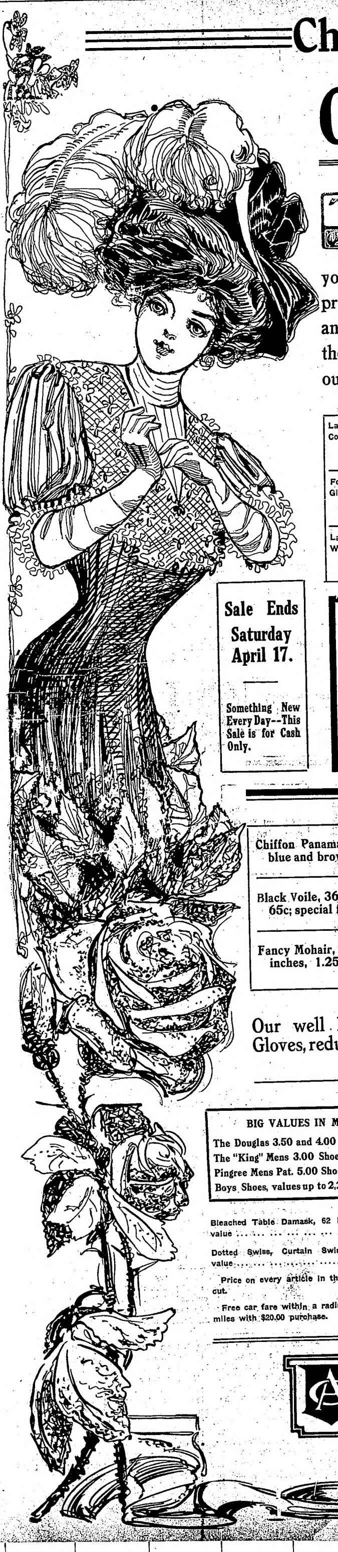
And in this connection Crookston people have taken a position which is highly creditable.

LeSueur News: The tonnage tax bill passed the house. Maybe the principle involved is right, but we cannot see it in that light. If we take it home, and say LeSueur county wheat shall be taxed by the state and the money paid into the state treasury, not the county treasury always carrying in mind the supposition that one crop of wheat can be grown on the lands, and thereafter they would be useless. How would our people like such legislation, and yet that is an exact illustration. We believe the iron ore should be taxed heavily, but the state should receive it only such share as it does from other taxable property. The remainder should be left in the counties where the iron ore is mined, for the benefit of those counties.

It's surprising how much a 16-year old son can tell his father that the old man won't believe.

Chabot's Big Sale a

GREAT SUCCESS



THE unprecedented success of our sale proves unmistakeably and conclusively that the unexcelled values we offer are universally recognized. So, if you have delayed making your purchases or if you are one who profits when the opportunity presents itself, you will be amply repaid by making your Spring and Summer buying during this sale. You may rest assured that the values are genuine, a few more items taken at randum through our large stock:

Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers .. **15c**	Ladies' Muslin Drawers **15c**	Ladies' Muslin Night Gowns ... **39c**	Ladies' Muslin Chemises **39c**	Ladies' lace boot hose, 20c value.. **10c**	10c Dress Gingham, good style. **5c**	Stewart's Safety Pins **5c**
Foille du Nord Gingham **10c**	Darning Cotton per spool **1c**	75c and 85c Shirt Waists **39c**	$1.25 and $1.50 Shirt Waists . .. **79c**	Munsing Gauze Vests, 75c value. **59c**	Men's $3.00 Hats for **$1.79**	Men's and Boys' $1.00 Hats for... **49c**
Ladies' Silk $5.00 Waists **$3.98**	Ladies' Jap Waists, $2.75 val **$1.98**	Hair Pins, 2 pkgs for **1c**	The regular 15c Percales **11c**	The 50c and 60c Work Shirts . .. **39c**	10c India Linon for **5c**	12½c and 15c Lawns for **9c**

Sale Ends Saturday April 17.

Something New Every Day--This Sale is for Cash Only.

Fancy Figured Silk Foulard in beautiful patterns; $1.00 value........	**79c**
A fine quality of Taffeta Silk, 22 in. wide, in black and colors; $1.00 value	**72c**
Wash Silk, 27 in. wide, black, light and dark blue; 50c kind for ..	**39c**
Fancy Figured Suit Silk, beautiful patterns; $1.50 value for ..	**89c**
Fancy Shirt Waist Silks, never sold for less than $1.25, for ..	**79c**
Guaranteed Satin, 36 in. wide, all colors; $1.25 value	**89c**

Chiffon Panama, full 50 inches wide, in black, blue and brown, 1.25 value, for..........	**89c**	White Batiste, all wool, full 30 inches wide; big bargain at 35c. Sale price..........	**19c**
Black Voile, 36 inches wide, a big bargain at 65c; special for this sale	**42c**	Novelty Spring Dress Goods, light weight, and colors, 65c value for	**43c**
Fancy Mohair, in the new shades of gray, 42 inches, 1.25 value..........................	**85c**	All Wool Cheviot, 50 inches wide, a big seller 1.25; sale price..........	**89c**

Our well known F. W. L. Kid Gloves, reduced to	**98c**	Our well known Larome Kid Gloves, sale price	**1.49**

BIG VALUES IN MENS SHOES

The Douglas 3.50 and 4.00 Mens Shoes..	$2.29
The "King" Mens 3.00 Shoes............	2.29
Pingree Mens Pat. 5.00 Shoes............	2.79
Boys Shoes, values up to 2,25 for........	1.29

LACE CURTAIN SNAPS

Good size curtains, 75c value, per pair......	42c
Splendid pat. & size 85c " "	59c
A beauty, big bargain $1 " "	69c
Our best seller at 1.50 " "	98c

BIG BARGAINS IN LADIES SHOES

Radcliff blucher Shoes, 3.00 value........	2.29
Dorothy Dodds 3.00 Shoes................	2.29
Ladies Cushion Sole Shoes 3.50 value......	2.49
Ladies Oxfords, 2.50 to 3.50 values........	1.98

Bleached Table Damask, 62 in., 75c value	55c
Dotted Swiss, Curtain Swiss, 18c value..................	12½c

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White Wash Skirts, blue and white, $3.50 and $4.00 values	$2.98
Ladies' black Panama Skirts, $7.50 and $8.00 values for	$5.98
Ladies' Panama Skirts, blue, brown and block, $7.00 values	$4.98
Ladies' Spring Jackets, new lengths, $6.50 value for	$4.98
Children's Spring Jackets, ages 4 to 14, $3.50 value	$2.98

Some new specials daily.

Imported Curtain Madras, 30c value..	22c
Special lot 8c Torchon Laces	5c

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

DETERMINED TO PREVENT A CLASH

United States and Mexico Watching Events.

ZELAYA IS STILL ACTIVE

Historical Society

According [illegible] ficial Dispatches to Washington [illegible] is a Renewal of Alarm on the Fr[illegible] of Salvador Over the Menacing [illegible] ents of the Nicaraguans—Neutr[illegible] aws Apparently Violated.

Washington, April 15.—According to official dispatches there is a renewal of alarm on the frontier of Salvador over the menacing movements of the Nicaraguans. It was supposed that the decisive action taken by the United States and Mexico in sending war vessels to preserve the peace of Central America would stop further attempts of Zelaya to pursue any belligerent attitude towards his neighbors. Honduras evidently has shown but little disposition to insist on the neutrality laws respecting her territory and it is still regarded as possible that Nicaraguan troops might be able to cross Honduran territory in carrying out hostile purposes towards Salvador. Any important movement, however, will be met by decisive action by the United States and Mexico.

CASTRO INTENDED TROUBLE

Washington Officials Convinced by Cumulative Evidence.

Washington, April 15.—Cumulative evidence which has reached Washington convinces the officials that had he been permitted to remain in the vicinity of Venezuela former President Castro would have made an effort to recoup his lost prestige in that country.

The former president's utterances, printed in the Cologne Gazette, indicating a sentiment in some sections of Venezuela favorable to him and to his ambitions, and other advices, strongly support the view that Castro felt hopeful of again restoring himself in public favor in Venezuela if chance were given him.

RUSSIAN OFFICERS GO FREE

Had Been Condemned to Death for Surrendering to Japs.

St. Petersburg, April 15.—Rear Admiral Gregorieff and Lieutenant Smirnoff, subordinate officers under Vice Admiral Nebogatoff in the Russo-Japanese war, have been pardoned and released from confinement in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul. These officers were sentenced to death for having surrendered their commands, but in view of extenuating circumstances their sentences were commuted to ten years' imprisonment in a fortress. They began serving their sentences in 1907. It is reported that General Stoessel and Vice Admiral Nebogatoff also will be pardoned shortly.

DEADLOCK IN NEGOTIATIONS

Turkey and Bulgaria Unable to Settle Dispute.

St. Petersburg, April 15.—The negotiations looking to a settlement of the Turco-Bulgarian dispute, arising from the Bulgarian declaration of independence last year, are taking an unsatisfactory course. Both here and in Constantinople they have come practically to a deadlock. M. Poprikoff, the Bulgarian minister of foreign affairs, who has been here since March 3, is preparing to return to Sofia unless the negotiations take a turn for the better. The mobilization of the Bulgarian army is regarded as a possibility unless Turkey speedily comes to terms.

Stops Sale of Discarded Arms.

Washington, April 15.—No more will cheap revolutions in neighboring countries be encouraged by the easy manner in which it has been possible to purchase the old arms of the United States. Orders have been issued at the war department stopping the practice of selling the discarded arms of the United States.

Seven Injured, Two Fatally.

Youngstown, O., April 15.—Seven men were injured, two probably fatally, in an explosion at the converting department of the local plant of the Carnegie Steel company. All are foreigners.

KETCHEL AND JOHNSON SIGN

Matched to Fight Twenty Rounds for World's Championship.

New York, April 15.—Jack Johnson and Stanley Ketchel were matched to box twenty rounds for the heavyweight championship of the world at the Colma Athletic club on Oct. 12, 1909. The fighters are to receive 50 per cent of the gross receipts to be divided 65 per cent to the winner and 35 per cent to the loser. Both Ketchel and Johnson signed the articles.

JACK JOHNSON.

Ketchel was anxious to fight forty-five rounds, but Johnson demurred, saying that twenty rounds would suffice to show which was the better man.

BIDWELL SAVES AGED FATHER FROM PRISON

Gives Up Possible Liberty to Secure Leniency for Parent.

Chicago, April 15.—Charles Bidwell's effort to save his aged father, Benson Bidwell, from prison at the cost of his own possible liberty was accomplished in Judge Chetlain's court here.

Both Bidwells were sentenced to indeterminate terms in the penitentiary for alleged swindling through the medium of a "cold" motor invented by the elder Bidwell. Young Bidwell, to save his father, whose physical condition is precarious, agreed with the state's attorney to drop his appeal, in which he had much faith, if the state would agree to a lenient course with his father. In court Benson Bidwell was allowed to plead guilty to a minor charge, under which he must serve ten days in the county jail, after which he will be given his liberty.

Charles Bidwell will be taken to the penitentiary next Friday to serve a term of from one to ten years under the indeterminate sentence law.

LIVING QUIETLY IN NEW YORK

Process Server Finally Locates Evelyn Nesbit Thaw.

New York, April 15.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who has dropped almost completely from public view since the continued confinement of her husband, Harry K. Thaw, at Matteawan, is living quietly at 31 West Thirty-third street. It was there that she was served with papers in supplementary proceedings in the suit of a milliner who got judgment against her last September for $233. Soon after the judgment was obtained process servers began a search for Mrs. Thaw, but it was not until now that they were successful. She accepted the service with the comment that she would be on hand for the examination, which was set for April 19. She declared, however, that she did not owe the money and that the suit was a farce.

Attempts Murder, Then Ends Life.

Boston, April 15.—After making an unsuccessful attempt on the life of Miss Josephine Alberts, Alan M. Fay, aged twenty-eight years, a prominent broker of this city, shot himself through the mouth in an alley in the rear of the Hotel Navarre and died while being hurried to the hospital.

Journal want ads bring results.

THE HOUSE PASSES THE "VAG" BILL

ARDS ALSO INCLUDED—THOSE WHO REFUSE TO SUPPORT THEIR FAMILIES MAY BE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE PROPOSED LAW—ANTI-CIGARETTE BILL REPASSED BY THE HOUSE AND IS NOW UP TO THE GOVERNOR —SENATE KILLS PETERSON'S ARMOUR RESOLUTION

St. Paul, April 14.—The so-called "vag bill," which the Minneapolis police department has been pushing, passed the house after some severe amendments proposed by R. J. Wells had been adopted.

The chief fight was over the section which permits the arrest of any pickpocket, thief, burglar, "yeggman" or confidence man for vagrancy if he is found loitering around depots, banks, railroad yards, hotels or other places named. The aim was to give the police power to arrest or send out of town known crooks before they committed any crime. Wells had it amended so that it stated definitely that no one should be considered a crook under that section unless he had been actually convicted of some crime named in that section and if he did not get into some lawful occupation within thirty days. This was to give released prisoners a chance to reform and get to work before they are arrested as vags. Even with this amendment there were objections to it, and John Lennon said that it did not give them a chance to go anywhere except to the graveyard or the sea.

J. F. Selb wanted to strike out the section making vagrants of habitual drunkards who refused to support their families. He said it was already covered by the present laws, but Wells said that under the present laws he could not be arrested except when drunk.

Those Liable to Arrest.

The bill now allows the arrest as vagrants of persons without any visible lawful occupation, habitual drunkards guilty of non-support, persons with infectious diseases contracted in places of debauchery who require charitable aid, beggars, "street walkers," males who assist prostitutes in getting business or live habitually with them and known crooks.

The house repassed the anti-cigarette bill with the senate amendments, which will make the bill effective Aug. 1 if the governor signs it.

The senate killed the resolution by F. H. Peterson providing for possible injunction proceedings by the attorney general against the Armours.

The resolution instructing the attorney general to look into the possible damage was killed, 50 to 1". It was preceded by several bunches of more or less fervid oratory on a subject of which many of the senators were tired. Senator Peterson sought to protect the state university, and was opposed by Senator Wilson of Minneapolis and others.

Senatorial courtesy was torn to shreds in the state senate when the country members stood shoulder to shoulder and forced the passage of the bill requiring the installation of safety devices for passenger elevators. After Senators Durment, Wilson and Laybourne had spoken strongly for the three big cities, declaring in unmistakable terms that the large cities carry elevator passengers at the rate of over 5,000,000 a year without a serious accident, the country members turned loose and denounced the city members for meddling in the affairs of the country and carried the bill 33 to 23.

Nimocks Bill Passed by the House.

The corresponding house bill by Frank Nimocks was passed by that body while the senators were fuming over their bill.

The house passed Burdette Thayer's bill prohibiting lumber companies from selling lumber cheaper at one place than at another for the purpose of stifling competition.

The house passed Senator Clague's bill proposing an amendment to the constitution so that the state may pay half instead of only one-third of the cost of road and bridge improvements.

Another delegation from the northern part of the state protested to the senate against the proposed tonnage tax measure. Those who spoke were: A. D. Polk of Brainerd, P. E. Dowling of Eveleth, M. M. Williams of Little Falls, Professor Van Dyke of Coleraine, D. Hayes of Two Harbors, Mayor Wise of Brainerd, W. J. Stock of Coleraine and R. C. Dunn of Princeton.

The statement that Senator Wright's Indian pension bill passed the house Monday was an error. It was discussed and laid over for the purpose of amendment. The bill was passed Tuesday after there had been another debate on it.

The house by a vote of 39 to 28 indefinitely postponed the legislative reference bureau bill drawn by Representatives Washburn, Mattson and Burnquist.

The house by a vote of 52 to 50 killed J. F. Rosenwald's bill reorganizing the state agricultural society.

VESSEL FINALLY WRECKED

Has Series of Accidents Before Going on Rocks.

Pittsburg, April 15.—Following a remarkable series of accidents and a tempestuous voyage the steamer Virginia, from Cincinnati to Pittsburg, was finally wrecked in the Ohio river at Wellsville, O.

The boat, the largest plying the upper Ohio, went down close to shore after striking a rock and tearing a hole three feet long in the hull. The passengers, numbering fifty, became panic stricken when the vessel met with the last accident and it was with difficulty a crew of seventy-five men restrained them. The crew managed to place the passengers safely in boats and put them ashore.

Mining Exchange for Duluth.

Duluth, April 15.—Duluth is to have a mining exchange. All of the curb stocks now traded in by Duluth brokers will be listed on the new exchange, which is really a revival of the old mining exchange, which dealt in iron stocks in the boom days.

President Taft's Summer Home

Washington, April 15.—Official announcement was made at the White House that the president has leased as a summer home the cottage of Robert D. Evans at Woodberry Point, Beverly, Mass.

Advantages Wholly Illusory.

Madrid, April 15.—The newspapers of Madrid express little regret at the expiration three days ago of article 4 of the treaty of Paris, which gave Spain equal commercial privileges with the United States in the Philippine islands. They point out that the advantages granted under this article were wholly illusory.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, April 14.—Wheat—May, $1.26⅛; July, $1.26⅞. On track—No. 1 hard, $1.29⅜; No. 1 Northern, $1.28⅜; No. 2 Northern, $1.26⅜; No. 3 Northern, $1.23⅜@1.24⅜.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, April 14.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, $5.00@6.00; fair to good, $4.50@5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, $4.00@5.00; veals, $5.75@6.00. Hogs—$6.95@7.05. Sheep—Wethers, $6.50@7.00; yearlings, $6.50@7.00; lambs, $7.50@7.85.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, April 14.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, $1.27¾; No. 1 Northern, $1.26¾; No. 2 Northern, $1.24¾; May, $1.25½; July, $1.26⅛; Sept., $1.10¾. Flax—To arrive and on track, $1.66¾; May, $1.65¾; July, $1.65¼; Sept., $1.42½; Oct., $1.38.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, April 14.—Cattle—Beeves, $4.80@7.10; Texas steers, $4.60@5.80; Western steers, $4.40@5.80; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.60; cows and heifers, $2.00@5.90; calves, $5.00@7.50. Hogs—Light, $6.90@7.35; mixed, $7.00@7.45; heavy, $7.10@7.50; rough, $7.10@7.25; good to choice heavy, $7.25@7.50; pigs, $5.90@6.70. Sheep, $3.65@6.15; yearlings, $6.15@7.15; lambs, $5.50@8.20.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 14.—Wheat—May, $1.28⅝; July, $1.17¾@1.17⅞; Sept., $1.08⅝; Dec., $1.07¼. Corn—April, 67¾c; May, 68¼c; July, 66¾c; Sept., 66½c; Dec., 58c. Oats—May, 54⅞@55c; July, 48⅜c; Sept., 40¾c. Pork—May, $18.22½; July, $18.17½@18.20; Sept., $18.17½. Butter—Creameries, 22@28c; dairies, 18@25c. Eggs—19½@20½c. Poultry — Turkeys, 17c; chickens and springs, 15c.

CALLS TALK OF A CORNER ALL ROT

Patten Denies Control of the Wheat Supply.

GREAT SCARCITY EXISTS

Declares He Has Preached the Gospel of Higher Prices for Months Because He Saw What Was Coming. Purchased His Holdings When Market Looked Cheap and Intends to Sell at a Profit if He Can.

Chicago, April 15.—The appeal of Pittsburg bakers to Secretary of State Knox to take steps to end manipulation of wheat and other markets caused comment by James A. Patten of Chicago, popularly alleged to control the present market for the high priced cereal.

"In the first place," said Mr. Patten, "I don't control the market. My line at no time has run over 10,000,000 bushels. I have preached the gospel of higher wheat because I saw what was coming. I saw it first, I believe, but when it comes to 'controlling the market' there are two or three hundred other men who have bought who have something to say about that.

"I bought when the market looked cheap, as did others who accepted my view, and I'm going to sell it at a profit if I can. I have already sold a great deal. I have more to sell and when anybody offers me a proper price I will sell more. I just sold some cash stuff at $1.42. There is no corner, no manipulation. Others who bought early sell as demand develops."

Mr. Patten then diagnosed the situation as he understands it.

"For three or four years this has been coming and I saw it. At the end of each crop bins were empty everywhere. With increasing population here and abroad it was obvious that sooner or later the crop of one year would be exhausted before a new crop was at hand. Last fall, if not earlier, I saw it coming. I bought wheat and my friends did likewise. The great unthinking public here and in Europe would not or could not see what was coming. Liverpool would not buy months ago, thinking the prices of that day too high. Now Europe wants 55,000,000 bushels. The harvest was early last year. It has been trying to cover thirteen months instead of the usual twelve and it can't do it. We need wheat for the mills right here in Chicago now."

Cash Wheat Sells for $1.50.

St. Louis, April 15.—The highest price paid for cash wheat in St. Louis in thirty-one years was recorded when sales of No. 2 red were made at $1.47 to $1.50. Largely as a consequence of these market conditions the flour industry has almost ceased locally, several mills being shut down, while others are running on half time.

NO WITNESSES TO TESTIFY

Wisconsin Senatorial Probers Spend Day in Waiting.

Madison, Wis., April 15.—The members of the Stephenson investigating committee of the senate spent the day waiting for witnesses, but none appeared.

State Game Warden Stone's whereabouts are seemingly unknown, even to his wife, who has promised to do her best to find him. There is still a persistent report that he is in the northern part of the state, but if so he left no word that he is on official business.

The so called Bray joint resolution providing for another joint investigating committee to look into the senatorial election, was put over for a week when it came up in the senate branch of the Wisconsin legislature.

Domestic Trouble the Cause.

Kansas City, April 15.—Frank Williams, aged fifty-one years, a laborer, shot and killed his wife Addie, aged forty-nine years, in their home in Rosedale, a suburb. Williams then committed suicide. Domestic trouble caused the tragedy.

Night Riders Are Suspected.

Nashville, Tenn., April 15.—The Presbyterian church at Fredonia, Caldwell county, Ky., has been burned and night riders are suspected. Bloodhounds have been put on the trail.

There is not a single moment in life that we can afford to lose.—Goulburn.

NIGHT RIDERS IN INDIANA

Visitors Terrorizing Land Owners and Tenants.

Washington, Ind., April 15.—Night riders are terrorizing land owners and tenants in the vicinity of Harrimans Ferry, south of this city.

William Schrolucke, owner of 700 acres in that neighborhood, reported that twenty men on horseback visited all his tenants and informed them that if they paid greater rent than one-third of the crop raised their crops would be mowed down before they became ripe. Some of the tenants were threatened with violence.

Farming machinery belonging to three tenants on Albert Himeslv's farm was destroyed.

Thomas Taylor, a wealthy land owner, received by mail a package containing powder and matches, with a note of warning of what he might expect if he insisted on one-half crop rental.

HOPES TO ARRANGE MATCH

McIntosh Confident Jeffries Will Fight Johnson.

New York, April 15.—Hugh D. McIntosh, the Australian promoter who came to this city a few weeks ago saying that his principle object was to arrange a fight between Jeffries and Johnson, sailed on the steamer Mauretania for Liverpool. He expects to return in a month, he said.

"I am confident that Johnson and Jeffries will face each other in the ring," said Mr. McIntosh. "Johnson has been eager for the fight for a long time and won't back out. Jeffries has promised to give me an answer within thirty days as to whether he will accept a proposition to fight Johnson."

PLEADS GUILTY TO MANSLAUGHTER

Young Woman Who Killed Doctor She Claimed Wronged Her.

New York, April 15.—Sarah Koten, the young Russian woman charged with shooting and killing Dr. Martin W. Auspitz on Aug. 7 last, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the first degree when called to trial for her life in the supreme court here. She was remanded for sentence on Friday.

The crime to which the young woman pleaded guilty was sensational in its circumstances and the story which the prisoner told shortly after she had shot down and killed the physician in the vestibule of an up town apartment house aroused widespread interest in her case. She had killed Dr. Auspitz, she said, because he had attacked her while she was under the influence of an anaesthetic during her term of service as a nurse in a sanitarium which the physician conducted at the time. She brought with her to court from Blackwell's island, where she has been a prisoner, the baby boy born to her since the shooting.

Leaders of Rioters Executed.

El Paso, Tex., April 15.—The Herald's correspondent at Torreon, Mex., thirty miles from Velardena, where the riots resulting from an order preventing a religious parade occurred last Saturday, has returned to Torreon from the scene of the trouble and reports that one rurale, one woman and three men were killed in the street fights. Ten of the leaders of the rioters were taken prisoners and executed.

WILL INVADE UNITED STATES

Canadian Pacific Decides to Enter Hill's Territory.

Winnipeg, Man., April 15.—The Canadian Pacific railway has decided to at once invade North Dakota and go after the Hill lines with a vengeance. They will extend their branch, which now ends at Mowbray, in Southern Manitoba, this spring, across into Dakota to connect with the Soo line. The Soo line will also be extended to Brandon, Man., giving a direct line from Brandon to Minneapolis, running parallel and between the two Hill lines which now run into Manitoba, one ending at Brandon and the other at Portage la Prairie. This is in retaliation for Hill's announced intention of building an air line into Winnipeg from the boundary and building extensive terminals here.

Journal want ads bring results.

THE BEST SMOKE ON THE MARKET

STRATHMORE CIGAR

QUEEN CITY FRUIT CO.
Distributors

NEW G. N. TIMECARD PRACTICALLY COMPLETED

Principle Change is in Connection with the Service of the Warroad Line.

Slight Change Will also Be Made in Several Other Local Trains Trains East Later.

The new time card which will be put in effect on the Great Northern within a very short time has practically been completed. There may be a change of a few minutes in some of the trains but the change will not be material from the figures given below.

The chief change is in the service on the Warroad line, the train in the morning leaving at 9:10 for Warroad and returning will arrive in Crookston at 6:10, two crews being used instead of one as at present, and laying over for the night at Warroad.

The train for Duluth in the morning will arrive from the west at 8:35 15 minutes later than at present, and will leave at 8:45. The train for St. Vincent will arrive from Fargo at 8:40 instead of 8:10 and will leave for the north at 9 o'clock.

Returning from St. Vincent the train will arrive at 5:55 and leave for Fargo and Moorhead at 6:25, giving a half hour here for supper.

The train from Duluth in the evening will arrive at 6:20 p. m. and leave for Grand Forks at 6:30 p. m. At the present time it arrives at 6:50 and leaves for the west at 7 o'clock.

The changes in the schedule will be practically as follows:

No. 34 arrives 8:35 a. m. leaves at 8:45 a. m. (From Duluth for the west.)

No. 131 arrives 8:40 a. m. leaves 9 a. m. (From Fargo to St. Vincent.)

No. 33 arrives 6:20 p. m. and leaves at 6:30 p. m. (Evening train from Duluth to Grand Forks.)

No. 132 arrives at 5:55 p. m. and leaves at 6:25 p. m. (Train from St. Vincent to Fargo.)

Train to Warroad leaves Crookston at 9:10 a. m. and returning arrives in Crookston at 6:10 p. m. instead of 10 o'clock as at present.

FINE NEW SAW MILL IS READY

SHEVLIN-MATHIEU PLANT AT SPOONER WAS STARTED YESTERDAY

The Shevlin-Matieu Lumber Co., have completed one of the largest and best equipped sawmills in the northwest, on the site of the former mill, which was destroyed by fire last August at Spooner.

The machinery of the mill was tested yesterday and started for the season's run. Every piece of timber and machinery is strictly new. The concern will employ hundreds of men this season. Knute Nelson of Bemidji will be superintendent.

LAID TO REST IN MEMORIAL PARK

BODIES OF MRS. V. V. FREEMAN AND C. C. RICHARDSON BURIED

The funeral of Mrs. V. V. Freeman and C. C. Richardson whose bodies were brought to Grand Forks from Pierre, S. D., by Harry Freeman on Wednesday night, was held yesterday interment being made in Memorial park. Mrs. Freeman was one of the pioneer residents of Grand Forks having moved there with her husband from Abercrombie in the early days. The pall bearers yesterday included oldtimers who were her friends during her residence there, A. I. Hunter, George Aker, W. C. Nash, William Budge, Steve Collins and Don McDonald.

Under the Yoke

I cannot wear the old clothes
I wore last spring, alack!
Because my waistband now has crept
Quite half way up my back
And as for sleeves more dolorous
Than ever is my song—
Whereas they have been full and short,
Today they're small and long,
E'en one's anatomy is not
Exempt from sudden change!
We take on flesh, or cast it off
In manner passing strange!
Dame Fashion says: "You must be fat,
Or svelte or quaintly lean;
More Botticelli-like and lo!
No other type is seen!"
Oh, Mother Eve why did not you
Withstand the serpent's wiles
Then we, your daughters, had not known
This curse of varying styles!

Mankato Free Press: The Little Falls Daily Transcript is 17 years old and comments on the turning of another milestone in the issue of Saturday The Transcript is a lively little daily and well patronized.

It is usually the blunt man who says the sharpest things.

HALE CANDIDATE FOR GAME WARDEN

IS OUT FOR PLACE HELD BY WILLIAM SMITH OF GRAFTON, NORTH DAKOTA

Gov. John Burke of N. Dakota, has appointed the state game and fish board of control and the members are J. B. Eaton, Fargo, for a term of four years, Herman Winterer, Valley City, for a term of four years; Thomas Griffiths, well known tailor and sportsman, Grand Forks; J. L. Killion, Towner, and David Armstrong Willow City, all for a term of two years each.

The board will meet April 13, when it will appoint the two game wardens and all of the deputy wardens, and the fish commissioner, as is provided for in the new bill. While Capt. R. W. Main of Cando, is just now opposed to W. W. Barrett, former forestry commissioner, it is said that Main has a cinch on the appointment of fish commissioner, and all of his friends feel confident that he is entitled to the place, as it was largely thru his efforts in the recent session of the legislature that the new bill was enacted and the fish hatchery was established at Fish lake in Towner county.

A Bismarck dispatch says: There is some speculation as to who will be named as the two game wardens, tho it is said that Clarence Hale, of Grand Forks is seeking the place for the district against William Smith, of Grafton who expects to succeed himself. Who will oppose Olaf Bjorke, of Abercrombie, in his attempt to succeed himself for the appointment in the Second district is not stated.

Queen Alexandria wore her new diamond necklace, which has been cut from the Cullinan diamond, for the first time at the opening of the parliament. This necklace is the only one in the world that has been made of cuttings from a single diamond. This fact gives an idea of the great bulk of the Cullinan diamond, which has given enough cuttings for two necklaces and still reains one of the largest single stones in the world. The queen's necklace is one of rare beauty, all the stones matching in color and luster. More than half the cuttings are still unset, but all will find their way to Alexandria's jewel box. The queen in old age is as fond of precious stones as when she was a bride. She has 35 tiaras, and by the death of her mother, Queen of Denmark, came into possession of one of the finest collections of gems in Europe. Alexandria's complete collection is surpassed only by those of the czarina and the Queen of Spain. In the last few years Alexandria has bestowed rare pieces from her collection upon her daughters and the Princess of Wales. Still her store grows, however, as she constantly is receiving gifts of jewels from admiring and generous subjects.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

TWO FINE BLOCKS ARE TO BE ERECTED

LOUIS FONTAINE ARRIVES AND MAKES DEFINITE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PLANS FOR IMPROVING PROPERTY—STORE TO BE BUILT NEXT TO C. O. D. BUILDING AND HOTEL ON PRESENT SITE OF UNION RESTAURANT

Louis Fontaine arrived in the city this morning from the twin cities and today made the definite announcement that work would begin in a short time on the erection of two substantial brick buildings, one just south of the C. O. D. clothing store on the vacant lot between that place and the Minneapolis Brewing Company's block for store purposes having a 25 foot frontage and one story in height

The other will be erected on the present site of the Union Restaurant on Second street adjacent to the G. Northern depot. This building will be for a hotel and restaurant and will have a frontage of 40 feet. The lots are 100 feet deep but the building will not be that deep, space enough being left for a driveway to reach the rear of the hotel and the New Store conveniently.

This structure will be three stories and strictly modern in every way. It will be connected with the building in which the grocery department of the New Store is located, and the front of that building on Main Street will be rebuilt to correspond with the improvements being made on the balance of the New Store front and the second story will be remodeled to be used as rooms in the hotel and the basement will also be completely remodelled.

Mr. Fontaine's faith in the future of Crookston is certainly conclusively shown in these investments.

Election Reform Just Begun

When the legislature of Minnesota assembled for its thirty-sixth session early in January of this year, it was quickly discovered that there existed among its members a marked discontent with the operation of the primary election law, a pronounced desire to secure its modification, a certain knowledge that upon no other proposition are the people of the state so determined as that there shall be progress in election reform, not retrogression, and a vast uncertainty as to what it is best to do.

The primary election laws of most Western states are in the main much alike; they succeed, in that they give to the people a larger and surer voice in the choice of their representatives and in that they have encouraged independence in political thought; they are at fault, in that they largely defeat the legitimate purposes of party government and in that they cause the expenditure of vast sums in elections. The faults of the primary election law have been observed from its first operation but the means of remedying them have not yet been suggested. Not knowing how to better the law, we have borne with its shortcomings for the sake of its greater blessings.

The proposal for primary legislation now before the legislature of New York state and advocated by Governor Hughes is a very different experiment in primary reform from that of our own in Minnesota and that in force in most other states of the Middle West. The New York plan provides for a combination of the convention and primary systems of nominating public officials. All nominations are to be made by party committees chosen by the people. These nominations must be ratified by a primary such as we know in the West. If the nominations are not satisfactory, others may be provided for by petition. The plan, it is expected, will work a remedy for the weaknesses of the law as we have found them in the West. While independence of political thought is encouraged, party lines for party purposes are preserved inviolate. While the choice of the candidate rests with the people, the lavish use of money to influence choice is largely prevented. At least it is hoped that such will be the effects of the law. The passage of the bill is somewhat doubtful, but the country at large will be greatly benefited if it has the opportunity to study the operation of such a measure in actual use.

The cry for the repeal of the primary law in Minnesota comes from those who see its weaknesses as well as from the politician who prefers the old system of conventions. It is certain, however, that we shall never go back to the old system. Election reform has come to stay; in fact it has but just begun, and the present laws in Minnesota and other Western states are certain to be extended and modified so as to give the people still larger powers in the selection of their representatives without the evils which are now so manifest in the law. There is a strong demand for the extension of the primary election law to state officials in this state; if it were not for the admitted defects of the present law, such extension would now be accomplished. Many who thoroly believe in the primary principle, hesitate to extend it further until it has been perfected.—Duluth Herald.

How It Happened

Nothing happens on this mundane sphere. There is always a cause for an effect. Just now there is much commotion among a vast number of women in the United States. The cause is the proposed increase in the tariff on gloves, to be raised by the Payne bill.

Let us go a little farther and discover the cause of this proposed raise When the Dingely tariff bill was being formulated, the tariff on men's gloves was reasonable. At this time Lucius Littauer was elected a member of congress from New York. He was one of two heirs of his father, who had become very wealthy making gloves, and with his brother had succeeded to the business. He was too one of those men who are very genial and had a way of ingratiating himself with those with whom he came in contact. He was everybody's friend, 'everybody" in this instance being congressmen. He gave sumptuous dinners to his fellow members, voted for their bills, lent them money and did whatever he could to make them believe he was the best fellow going. Dingley was one who fell under his charm, and at his request put a tax on men's gloves. The result was a monopoly, and a multitude of dollars came his way.

But he wasn't satisfied with this. He wanted the same monopoly in women's gloves and he asked Mr. Payne to incorporate a schedule in his tariff bill raising the rate of that commodity. When the bill was being considered before it was presented to congress, some one asked Mr. Payne why the rate should be raised. Mr. Payne replied, "Mr. Littauer has told us that the importations are greater now than when the duty was put on. I have not looked into it myself."

And there you have it. One man a manufacturer of gloves and a good fellow asked that every woman who wears gloves should pay a higher tax on them. And this tax is not for the benefit of the United States treasury but for the monopoly of which Mr. Littauer is the head. No one else asked it, and probably no one else thought of it. Chairman Payne could give no other reason for the increase than the request of this one man. But that was enough. He got it.

The Winona Republican says there should be patriotism enough to make the payment of the increase in the price of gloves a pleasure to buyers because it stimulates an infant industry. It's a mighty strong, healthy industry, whose owners are rolling in wealth. If one of the proprietors of that paper votes for this increase and also the increase in the duty on stockings he should be defeated at the next election. Watch his vote. —Rochester Post and Record.

Woman, as a rule, is considered to have no sense of humor. In fact, her lack of appreciation of a joke is a standard jest among the men folk. The real truth of the matter is that men don't want women to have a sense of humor. They are afraid of the woman who is very quick to see a joke. They feel that as she is so quick to see the ridiculous side of things, she will be equally quick to see the ridiculous side of them, and that no man can stand.

It is said that it costs 25 cents per ton per mile for hauling from the farm to market in this country as against 7 cents in France and Germany. This is the difference in the roads.

Don't Heat the Kitchen

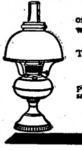
All the necessary family cooking may be done as well on a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove as on the best coal or wood range.

By using the "New Perfection" Oil Stove, the annoyance of an overheated and stuffy kitchen is entirely avoided, even in midsummer. The scientific construction of the

NEW PERFECTION
Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

ensures quick work and a cool kitchen. The "New Perfection" has a substantial CABINET TOP for warming plates and keeping food hot after it is cooked. Also drop shelves on which to set small cooking utensils—every convenience, even to bars for holding towels.

Made in three sizes. Can be had either with or without Cabinet Top. If not at your dealer's, write our nearest agency.



The Rayo Lamp is substantially made of brass, finely nickeled and very handsome. Gives a powerful light and burns for hours with one filling. Portable, safe, convenient—just what every home needs.

If not with your dealer, write our nearest agency.

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Views Differ

Will some Solomon arise and tell us what the tariff law that will succeed the Dingley act is to be like? The contest is now going on at Washington over the various schedules of the Payne bill tends to give every one a pain. All the congressmen Republicans and Democrats, are said to favor tariff revision downward, but do they? The northwestern members, Democrats as well as Republicans oppose the reduction of the present duty on barley, but want the lumber duties still further reduced. In southeastern Missouri they want the duty on zinc raised, but favor lower duties on the products of eastern factories. Southern free traders and advocates of a tariff for revenue only ask for high duties on cotton, rice and sugar. Maine is against the reduction on lumber, tho the northwest generally favors it; and so it goes. Other bones of contention are tea, coffee, hides, iron, steel, citrus fruits wool and its products, cotton goods, etc. When you get them down to tacks, you find that every congressman, whatever his politics, is at heart a protectionist. Some are more selfish than others, as they want protection for only those industries upon which their constituents depend or in which they are financially interested. Those who are protectionists strictly on principle and believe in the national application of the protective policy for which the dominant party has always stood, refusing to play favorites are not so numerous as they should be. We believe the Payne bill all things considered, was a very fair measure as it was reported to the house, but of course it was not perfect. While some of the amendments already tacked on to it are good ones we are of the opinion that the original bill was a better one, taken as a whole, than the one that the house will finally pass and send over to the senate.—Warren Register.

The Spoilsman's Hard Conditions

The spoilsman is hard beset. He finds himself called upon to defend his coveted privilegees on all sides. President Roosevelt's veto of the census bill, in which congressmen were allowed to name the enumerators, was a hard blow, and President Taft's demand that the spoils system be eliminated from the bill means that the spoilsman has lost more ground never to be regained, says the Duluth Herald.

Congressmen naturally cling to the privilege of naming the census enumerators. It enables them to make their seats in congress more secure by increasing the number of those to whom they can grant favors. Naturally the congressman names for census enumerators the men who can be most useful to him in his next campaign for votes. Quite naturally too, such men are often not at all qualified to make the best enumeration. Hence the unreliability of the census; hence the inevitable loss to business interests.

The late Carroll D. Wright, thoroly conversant with every phase of the census system, asserted not long before his death that a year's time and $2,000,000 in money would have been saved to the government if the provisions objected to by Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft had not been included in the last census bill. How much the country lost by reason of them nobody knows.

The house has bowed to the inevitable and has passed a census bill providing for competitive examinations for all clerks and employes of the next census. These examinations will be similar to those now given by the different departments under the civil service rules, and the result will be a census taken by those who are most competent to do the work and by those who are under no obligation to anyone for their positions. The census will cost less money, its results will be the sooner known, and it will be the most accurate census ever taken in this country.

The moral effect of the fight for a civil service census will doubtless be very great and will have great weight in the campaign to put the spoilsman clean out of business.

"And while we are reforming the world, let us begin on the perfume bottles, and carry them to the public square and smash them. Judging from the amount of perfume some women use, the family perfume bill must be as big as the family beer bill. When the perfume soak passes on the street, the effect is not bad, but when she enters a room and fills it with a scent of perfume and usually of an inferior grade, the effect is sickening. Since few have the judgment to use just enough perfume, why use it at all?" growls the Devils Lake Journal editor.

Don't care much for perfumes thank you, but the very, very choicest kind, just a faint delicate scent of violets, but there are worse things than perfumes to worry and the man who kicks so hard about this little vanity of womankind maybe has just had his stomach upset by an overdose of something that makes a man's breath smell worse than any overdose of patchoulie or musk ever spilled. This reminds us of a perfume story A well known druggist had a colored servant whose faithfulness made him wish to give her something pleasing for Christmas. Knowing the darkey's fondness for heavy perfumes, he brought an ounce or two of musk as an offering. A few days after while she was waiting on the table he had occasion to remark, 'Martha, you must have spilled that musk bottle this morning." "O, no, that's just my natcherel smell," was the answer.

The most deceitful thing about a girl is how she can convince you she isn't when you know she is.

Even when a man can build a house that is livable there will be malaria or something around.

When a woman has curly hair of her own she can't appear any more honest about it than she could if it weren't.

The more times a man can kiss a girl when he oughtn't to the less she can count them when her mother asks her about it.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children, safe, sure. No opiates

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

WALKED FROM MENTOR—Stewart Roemer and Clem Morrow "hiked" in from Mentor today. They left Mentor at 8 a. m. and arrived here at 2 p. m.

BACK FROM BEMIDJI—Ed Humm, who is working in the interests of the M. W. R. in northern Minnesota returned last evening from a trip to Bemidji. The lodge there has a con test on and things are humming all along the line.

TWO MORE BOARDERS— There are two more boarders at the county jail today. Deputy Sheriff Sullivan came over from Grand Forks this mor ning with two men, both vags, who will remain at the county jail for the next thirty days having been sentenced by Judge Sullivan of the municipal court.

RETURNED FROM CITIES — Ole J. Vaule referee in bankruptcy returned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul where he attended to some business before the supreme court. He also attended the play, "The Boiling Pot" which has been creating a sensation for some time past.

HERE WITH STOCK— Mr. D. F. Slyter son of F. M. Slyter south of the city arrived here yesterday morning with his car of goods from Berthold, N. D., and is moving out to the farm. He has rented section 26 in town of Andover. His family is expected to arrive in about a month.

HAS LAME NECK—Fred Simmons returned this morning from Mt. Clemens, Mich., Chicago and the cities where he has been spending the past few weeks. He returns in very good health but is in bed today with a lame neck caused by rubbering at the high buildings in the large cities.

IMPROVING HIS STORE— Capt. F. E. Westerberg has his confectionery store all torn up as the result of improvements being made. The painters decorators and paper hangers are really in charge of the store and durnig the next few days they will make the place look like a new "sweety house." Capt. Westerberg wants to be all prepared to take charge of the summer business.

LANDED BIG CONTRACT—Peter Gramer has just returned from Bottineau County, N. D., where he landed a fine contract from the county commissioners for corrigated culverts Mr. Gramer represents the Berger Mfg., Co., of Canton, Ohio, the local agents being N. P. Stone & Co. Mr. Gramer feels specially gratified because there were a large number of bidders and the competition was very keen.

CARD OF THANKS—We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who did all in their power after the tragic death of our son and brother to show their love for him and their sympathy for the bereaved relatives. We are specially grateful for the flowers sent by the Trainmen, and their offers to assist us at the last sad rites. Their devotion to a brother railroad man will never be forgotten by us. We also thank all others who tendered sympathy and assisted us in every way during the hour of trouble.—Mr. and Mrs. Sivert Ergeson and Family.

TO SUMMER IN CANADA—H. O. Budd passed thru the city this morning enroute to Emerson where he will make arrangements for transportation for Mrs. Harry Budd and Miss Marion Budd who will pass thru the city tomorrow morning on the Great Northern Winnipeg Flyer and together they will proceed to Gleinchen, Alberta, Can., where Harry Budd is located. Harry Budd and wife, and his sister Marion will probably remain there fotrhmues shrdleutaomshrdl there for the summer, while H. O. Budd will probably remain for but a few weeks.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. Sold by all druggists.

Badger Herald-Rustler: Children have as much rightt to be well trained as to be well born. Yet with many parents the idea of such training is limited to a year or two of schooling while their moral welfare is not regarded in the least. To allow children full license to run the streets at all hours and form all kinds of associations is one of the surest ways of ruining them.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

FOR AN OPERATION—Dr. H. W. Smith was called to Thief River Falls this morning where he will perform an operation of a critical nature.

CIVIL CASES ON—Judge Gossman took advantage of the holiday to try three civil cases in the Municipal court and was busy with Clerk N. B. Moran practically the entire day taking the evidence.

HOLIDAY OBSERVED—Today being Good Friday and a legal holiday the public offices were generally closed together with the banks the post office, etc. There were more city and county officials to be seen on the street than have been seen since last 4th of July. Even City Clerk Childs was out getting a sunning.

GRAND FORKS JEWELER HERE—C. A. Palmer one of the well known jewelers of Grand Forks is spending the day in the city. He has been a frequent visitor here for the past short while and there are rumors that he may engage in business in Crookston but there is nothing definite in this connection.

QUIET IN CITIES—Dr. N. M. Watson passed thru the city this morning enroute to Red Lake Falls after a business trip to t he twin cities. He says the members of the legislature are working hard to wind up the business of the session. Otherwise Dr. Watson states that things in the city are very quiet.

LOOKING AFTER SEEDING — Charles Wise who owns a large farm near Crookston has arrived from Earlville, Ill., and will remain here till after the crop is seeded. He has Frank Bladstrom as manager of his farm, an experienced man, but Mr. Wise wants to see personally that the work is done in the best possible manner.

POTATOES FOR THE MARKET—R. E. Smith a well known farmer south of the city has just shipped a carload of potatoes thru J. W. Lee to Larimore N. D., at very good figures. The section of country about Crookston is getting to be noted as a potato growing section and good money has been made in that line during the past several years.

WILL SEED FLAX— C. A. Hitchcock left yesterday for Plummer near where he has a farm, and will make preparations to have the entire farm seeded to flax this year. The land there is specially adapted to the culture of flax and Mr. Hitchcock will receive big returns with even a fairly favorable season.

VISITED EUCLID—James and Arnold Balfour of this city spent yesterday at Euclid where they visited their brother Robert the well known elevator man for the day, returning last evening. They state that the farmers about Euclid are all repared to start seeding in a few days.

BUYS SPIRITED HORSE— E. W. Savage the representative of the American Sunday School Union has just returned from Ada where he purchased a spirited horse and a new buggy, or practically new. He has the new outfit at Bjoin and Carlson's bern and today took a number of his friends for a short spin. The white nag can certainly go along some and will be a great aid to Mr. Savage in his work in the rural districts. Mr. Savage has been spending some time in Norman county where he has organized several new schools. It is probable that he will organize another one near Lockhart in the near future.

TROLLEY WILL BE EXTENDED—At a meeting of the Grand Forks street railway directors it was decided to order construction material and equipment for a three mile extension of the railway system. It is expected that the material will arrive next month, and by June 1 at the latest work will be under way on the line. It is planned to have this portion of the line completed so as to handle the state fair traffic. Three new cars will be secured, and additional material and equipment will be ordered later. The committee authorized to secure material and equipment includes Engineer Burch of Minneapolis, James Dinnie of Grand Forks and W. J. Murphy of Minneapolis.

BIG MANUFACTURER HERE — S. W. Raudenbush at the head of the S. W. Raudenbush Piano Co., of St. Paul, spent Wednesday in the city conferring with Prof. Rydning who will open a music store in Crookston in a few days in the large store rooms at the rear of the First National Bank block formerly occupied by the S. W. Wheeler Land Co., and adjoining the Western Union Telegraph office. Mr. Raudenbush left yesterday morning for Bemidji and International Falls having important business to attend to in the northern part of the state.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

BOUGHT FINE TEAM—P. J. Carey yesterday sold a fine span of two year old Hambletonian geldings to Banker Cronquist of Erskine and the team was shipped there last evening in charge of Mr. Cronquist's son.

SOME MONSTER SIGNS— E. B. Hanson, the well known traveling man who sells "Big Four" and "Five Bros." tobacco is placing some monster signs in the city today among his customers. The big policeman causes a look of awe among the younger generation.

OPENS BARBER SHOP—Geo. W. Darkow one of the old time and popular barbers of the city has leased the building located just north of the Germania Hotel and has opened tonsorial parlors where in the future he will greet his friends. George has a host of them and should have a good trade from the start. All will wish him every success in business for himself.

"DAD" PALMER AT GRAND RAPIDS—"Dad" Palmer who was formerly employed on the Independent, but who has been in Minneapolis for the past couple of years came up the first of the week and is emloyed at the Herald Review at Grand Rapids. Dad is as handsome and young looking as ever, they say. He is one of the pioneers of Crookston where he worked an all the local papers, and is one of the veterans in the business.

BIG LAND AUCTION—Sixty thousand acres of government land will be disposed of at Roseau on Thursday, May 10th. A payment of 15 per cent of the purchase price will be demanded at the time of sale, while the balance can be carried for 40 years at 4 per cent interest. State Auditor Iverson will send all applicants an illustrated book on Minnesota lands free for the asking.

CONSULTING SPECIALIST — Attorney R. H. Medicraft of Roseau arrived last evening and is spending a few days here consulting Dr. G. A Morley regarding a serious affection of one of his eyes caused by the stoppage of one of the tear ducts. The eye will not be permanently affected and Editor Medicraft will return to Roseau Monday morning.

BURIED THIS AFTERNOON—The funeral services over the remains of little Miss Schulz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schulz who reside on the Hazeltine farm was held today. Deceased was the victim of appendicitis, her death following an operation. The family formerly resided at Thief River Falls and have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their sad bereavement. Rev. T. T. Ove officiated at the services.

ARE PLEASED WITH SCHOOL—Fred Piquette and Albert O. Malm returned from the Crookston Agricultural college last week having completed the winter term. They were met at the depot and driven out to their homes. The boys enjoyed their course at the school very much and say that they profited much for the time spent. The commencement exercises took place on Friday last and a class of eight graduated. The young men speak very highly of the school. —Argyle Banner.

FANS ARE GETTING FUSSY — Albin Mattson of Warren who is a base ball enthusiast and has delivered the goods from the center of the diamond in many a well contested game. In speaking of the prospects of getting up a team in Warren this season Mr. Mattson said they were somewhat up against it for lack of material, and they did not feel that they could afford to support a team, altho they would like to get into the game with the rest of the towns on the line when the time comes to play ball. Hallock, Kennedy Stephen and Argyle are all waiting for developments and can produce the goods at any time.

APING ROOSEVELT —Arthur H. Kirsch the popular clerk at the post office here and also the accomplished musician who jams wind in the baritone horn when the Crookston Band bows to the public left this morning for Bemidji, where Johnnie Boh and other confederates claimed he went on a lion hunt, following the example of ex-President Roosevelt. Arthur so it is alleged will try his luck in jungles closer at hand but will go to Africa sure if he is not successful in this section in his search for big game.

At a recent institute for farmers held at Morris, Stevens County, Mr. Nelson, in talking on the dairy industry ,stated as a fact that the increase in population was ahead of the increase in dairy cows, and from that premise drew the conclusion that the products of the dairy would always be in demand at remunerative prices.

The man who decided honesty was the best policy avoided passing on it as a principle.

SHERRIF IS VERY BUSY

SHERIFF DANIELS AND DEPUTY SULLIVAN PUT IN OVER TIME

SULLIVAN LEFT THIS MORNING FOR BEMIDJI COUNTRY ON STILL HUNT

From Thursday's Daily—

Sheriff Daniels and Deputy Sullivan are working over time these days. Sheriff Daniels spent last evening at Climax and returning this morning proceeded to Fosston where he was called on other official business.

Deputy Sullivan spent the night at East Grand Forks brought over two prisoners for the county jail, turned them over to Jailor Thomas Casey and jumped on the same train for Bemidji from where he will make a trip up the M. & I. on a still hunt for a much wanted man.

WASH FROCKS

Styles and Materials Popular for Summer Wear

It has been somewhat of a puzzle, as the season for wash dresses has drawn near, as to how these were to be conformed to the princess outlines and high waists of the time. Scant dress skirts and maillot underwear could scarcely continue with fabrics so sheer and limp as wash materials necessarily are, and full starched petticoats clearly were out of the question. The problem has been solved fairly well by the princess petticoat and corset-cover combined. These are to be very generally worn in white and in color, and the adoption of them opens the way for the wearing of princess gowns in a variety of lovelier cotton stuffs than have been seen in many years, says Harper's Bazar.

These run all the way from chiffon cottons which are as sheer and almost as soft as the silk weave, tho they cost but a trifle a yard, to silk and cotton printed chiffons at a dollar and a quarter; from sheer, dotted swisses (having printed and not tufted dots this year) to cotton Directoire cloths that promise to take the place of duck and pique and even of linen. Merchants give these materials any name their ingenuity suggests, but they may be generally described and called for under the name of Directoire cloths. Some have a fine almost perceptible poplin weave.

These and the plain and striped galateas come in all fashionable greens olives, blues, smoke and taupe shades and take cotton soutache trimmings beautifully. They will be made up in coat suits of plain and combined materials. It is possible, for example, to make a high princess skirt or jumper of plain material and a coat of the striped goods, which, ingeniously cut and put on, may form the self-trimming. In other words they make up successfully in forms for which linen is suitable. These cost between 18 cents and 25 cents a yard and vary in width from 27 to 32 inches.

For dancing and commencement frocks and for dainty muslin dinner or lawn party gowns there are numbers of gauzy cotton of much beauty of color and texture. Most of these have striped patterns, which is not surprising in a season that promises to continue to run to long lines on most of the muslins and organdies are thin and shadowy. All the printing is delicate and such floral designs as appear on the thinner stuffs are all small and subdued in color. The floral organdies, for example, are powdered with tiny Dresden figures, over hair lines of black or gray or other tone. Often that tone is too pale to be at once identified.

Some of the English cotton gauzes have pale Paisley stripes two inches wide, which are lovely in a tucked mass. German gauzes generally show quarter-inch lines of pale solid color, while those from the French markets run to plain widths of material and beautiful borders. The effort apparently is to refine all weaves to a gauze thinness and a chiffon softness Even gingham is now almost transparent and sold under the name of cotton tissue. Some of these tissues in plaids and in checks, are now made up over silk slips in both princess and belted Empire forms.

One of the daintiest of the new organdies is shown with pin-point dots in color or in black. There is a selvage border to most of these dotted organdies which is formed of a group of six or eight kuarter-inch colored stripes alternating with white ones of the same width. The group is sometimes dotted with Dresden figures done in the warp and not printed, as is usual with printed goods.

Journal want ads bring results.

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EASTER

Even though you do yourself the injustice to pass our handsome Suits—Top Coats and Easter Garments so full of Spring freshness and Easter bloom—you'll certainly want a new outfit of Toggery for Easter!

Easter Hats

We've stiff and soft Hats of t he new Spring shapes. They are the Hats that lead—coming as they do from the hands of the most noted Hatters. Conservative shapes for conservative Men, or Smart Hats—trim and natty—for Swell Young Fellows. Hats from $2 or $3 to $4 or $5.

Easter Haberdashery

The swellest things in Neckwear 50c to $1.50. The newest patterns in Shirts, from Makers who know, 50c to $3.50. Splendid Underwear, 50c to $5. Choice Spring Hosiery 50c to $2. Toggery of all sorts from Makers, who make things that are "better and different."

We're at your service for Easter Outfitting, and if you'll but make note of the fact you'll see that the good things always come from this store.

SPOKELY

THE CLOTHIER.

The Muckrakers' Conspiracy

The first returns are in from the new muckraking campaign planned recently in Washington by a coterie of magazine managers and others. H. Gilson Gardner a Washington correspondent, who attended the meeting where the campaign was planned, is first on the ground with a long dispatch in which he celebrates the theme, "the Taft administration is reactionary."

The new president has been in his seat barely a month. He has had opportunity to make a few appointments outside of his cabinet. He summoned congress in an extraordinary session that began little more than a fortnight ago. He has had no chance to pass on legislation, and has sent but one message to congress. His inaugural address is scarcely cold yet. Nevertheless, uprises H. Gilson Gardner and denounces Mr. Taft as a traitor, an ingrate and a reactionary.

Now will follow the chorus from the muckazines, as they industriously pursue their rakish way. It will be interesting reading. It will be touched off with the familiar fireworks that are supposed to get the public going. But the public is rather blase in the matter of muckraking. By much observation, the public has learned to be discriminating. It will refuse to condemn Mr. Taft out of hand because he has resolved to be president himself, and not a mere echo of Mr. Roosevelt.

There were some aspects of the Roosevelt way of doing things, well enough known in Washington, that were never given to the public. It is perhaps a good thing that we have a president who appreciates and values the dignity of his office and means to preserve it. It is perhaps just as well that he has not yet, in order to convince the public that he mans to carry out the essential "Roosevelt policies," found it necessary to let out a series of wild whoops and cowboy yells.

Meanwhile, the public has not decried any reason for doubting the honesty or the loyalty or the intelligence of William H. Taft. It will judge him by his deeds, and not by the din and the epithets devised by Mr. H. Gilson Gardner and his merry-andrew crew.—Minneapolis Journal.

Financial Situation

It is probable that the money market will pursue an even course during the next few months. There are no indications ahead of any extraordinary demands upon it. Both the collateral loan market and foreign exchange have adjusted themselves now to the immediate effects of the quarterly disbursements. As soon as the dividends become fully distributed the effect upon the market will become more apparent by still easier conditions.

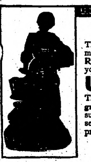
Notwithstandnig the increased business on the Stock Exchange there has been no change in the demand for time accommodations. The supply of call money is abundant enough to meet all present requirements from that source. The conviction that easy money will prevail thruout the summer months and that after that there will be a hardening of rates is expressed by the fact that whatever demand there is is for seven months and over the year money for which 3 and 3½ per cent is bid but which is being steadily held by the banks at slightly higher rates.

The foreign exchanges, both here and on the continent of Europe, declined no further on Thursday, principally because the reduction of the Bank of England rate had been largely discounted and very much speculated upon. The exchange market will probably now follow a natural and less precipitate course, reflecting in a normal manner the influences which the universal money markets will bear upon it. A further reduction in the bank rate will bring it down to the irreducible minimum of 2 per cent. The present rate testifies to the world wide plethora of money.

The recent engagement of $1,000,000 gold for shipment to the Argentine and the withdrawal of $500,000 from the Bank of England on Thursday for the same purpose indicates that the needs of that country are not yet satisfied and that the movement may be continued from here. It is generally believed, however, that not much more will be sent out from here. The total shipments from here this year have been $17,150,000.—Wall Street Journal.

Brainerd Dispatch: While the question of good politics is questioned by some of Governor Johnson's supporters in his appointment of Charles F. Vasaly of Little Falls to the state board of control, there are none who question his good judgment in selecting a man fully capable of filling the position. The term is for six years, and the salary is $3,500 per year Mr. Vasaly's newspaper friends in all parts of the state irrespective of politics will extend their congratulations.

Some surgeons manage to carve out large fortunes.



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Attack On Dairy Interests?

The legislature of Minnesota has need to look closely into the possible effects of a bill regulating the shipment of cream and milk on railroads If the bill, now pending, is as evil as it is feared it will work the greatest hardship upon one of the most important of the state's industries.

The bill provides that all shipments cream and milk must be made in refrigerator cars unless it has been pasteurized. It is claimed that the effect of such a law would be to cut out the small farmer and dairy man from shipping milk. If such would be the result, the great dairy interests of Minnesota would be paralyzed and, what is just as bad the development of Northern Minnesota would be seriously hampered. Agricultural development in Northeastern Minnesota would practically come to a standstill. In St. Louis county dairying is made the principal means. Near Hibbing several thousand acres have been purchased by Iowa parties a colony of farmers has been brought in, and several dairy farms have been begun. Agriculture in such sections must begin with dairying, for dairying will yield the quickest results and will give the farmer support while he is developing his farm. Anything which strikes at independent dairying strikes, therefore, not only at one of the state's greatest industries, but in a peculiar measure at the very growth of the state in those sections where growth is most needed and where it is now making its beginnings.

It is claimed that the aim of the bill is to create a creamery trust in Minnesota. If this is actually the purpose of the bill, it will not get far toward becoming a law now that the light of publicity has been thrown upon it.—Duluth Herald.

Lawmakers Let Railroads Alone

The state legislatures of the past winter have let the railroads pretty well alone, and the result is that the magnates are feeling pretty free to make calculations for the future.

The fight between the Hill and Harriman forces is becoming more intense as time passes, each one cutting into the other's territory, or laying plans for so doing.

These two features are causing the near future in railroad building to look extremely rosy.

It is said that two surveying parties are to leave the main line of the Northern Pacific at different points in the west and invade Harriman territory, and probably be near enough to the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul tracks to hear the whistles of its engines, or possibly cross it into territory south of the recently constructed transcontinental line.

One of the parties of surveyors will probably be sent out by the Northern Pacific to Bismarck, S. D., where the Burlington may be reached for traffic on the Hill lines, and still further south into Denver, where connections may be made with the Gulf, Colorado & Southern for the gulf coast.

The Great Northern will also be very effective, it is said, especially in perfecting its terminals at the head of the lakes, although the bulk of the fight against the Harriman interests will fall upon the shoulders of the Northern Pacific, as indicated by the expected activity of the surveyors in running new line sto the south and tapping territory now claimed by the Harriman roads.

This has been brought about by the paralleling of the Hill lines through the Rocky mountains by the Harriman roads, under the very eyes of the passing passenger trains of the Northern Pacific.

The contracting and labor interests of the northwest have heard of these things an dare laying their plans accordingly. They are elated over the prospects of a lively year in railroad building.

The roads rest a large part of their case on the results of the tariff. Steel rails and ties may be put on the free list, or the tariff materially reduced, all of which means much to the purchasing department of the railroads. When the session has adjourned at Washington there will be a freer movement in local railroad headquarters.

Better To Vote Than To Pray

"It is more important to vote than to pray, more important to attend the party caucus than to go to prayer meeting." So says Bishop Joseph F. Berry of the Methodist church.

Bishop Berry hits squarely at the cause of all our complaint with regard to politics. We score our congressman, but thousands of us fail to vote either for or against him. Southern Minnesota charges the legislator who votes against the tonnage tax with being bought by the steel trust and Northern Minnesota assails the selfishness of the senator who voted down reapportionment, yet a full 100,000 of us, north and south, failed to go to the polls, last November. There is never an election comes around, wherein is a contest, that the contestees do not have to beg the voter to exercise his franchise. The newspapers day after day appeal to the voter to remember registration day. The candidate hires carriages and transports the voter to the polls and back to his home or his work. And yet with all this effort, fully one-fourth or more of us do not vote.

Possibly the good Bishop does not wish to be understood too literally in his declaration that it is more important to vote than to pray. Faith without works is dead but works alone without faith would not be worth much, and if all the world went to vote and forgot to pray we should be worse off than we are now. But the Bishop's appeal to vote strikes home to those who most need to be reminded of this sin of omission. It is not the bum, the ward heeler, the loafer or any other undesirable citizen who neglects to vote. Not at all. Your undesirable citizen votes early and as often as possible. But the better class of citizenship is too busy to attend to the matter of voting oftener than now and then. One has married a wife and cannot come. Another has bought him a business and must stay to set it in order. Others are "very busy" but graciously consent to go and vote when importuned by the candidate "if I can possibly find the time" on election day. On election day it is certainly more important that this class of citizens should go to the polling place than to the prayer meeting.

The failure of reforms, the slowness by which we bring about those which by common consent we all regard as highly desirable in political life and in the maintenance and operation of the government, is due not to the power of the politician nor to the superior strength of special interests, nor is it because there are more who wish for evil than for good, but solely because those who want good things accomplished will not go to the polls on election day and vote for they want. Imagine if you can what would be the result if the people were alive to every issue to the extent that every one of them voted at every election. Ninety per cent of the abuses of politics of which we complain would be wiped out in a single year.

There is food for thought in Bishop Berry's rather startling declaration. —Duluth Herald.

A Great Man.

"Father," said little Rollo, "what is a great man?"

"A great man, my son, is one who manages to gather about him a whole lot of assistants who will take the blame for his mistakes while he gets the credit for their good ideas!"

Not Wholly Personal.

A.—You have used the word "donkey" several times in the last ten minutes. Am I to understand that you mean anything of a personal nature? B.—Certainly not. There are lots of donkeys in the world besides you.

The Eternal Marathon.

"Man," declared the old fashioned preacher, "is a worm."

"And," said a man who had been married three times and who was occupying a small space in a rear pew, "woman is the early bird."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Expensive Education.

"Do you think you could learn to love me?" asked old Gotrox.

"Oh, I don't know," replied Miss Youngbudd. "How much are you willing to spend on my education?"—Chicago News.

Lies Due To Laziness

The old-fashioned mother who believed that lying was an inveltion of Satan and sought to banish it from her offspring by use of the slipper or the rod will probably have scant patience with the contention of the president of Brown university that th great source of untruth in American life is not the deliberate resolve to lie but "intellectual slovenliness, unwillingness to buckle down to hard work and willingness to take shelter in the first and easiest refuge that offers."

Possibly the college president is right, with the certain kinds of lies he had under consideration but his explanation can not fit the entire repertoire of prevarication. It is probably true that no man consciously chooses falsehood as his mode of success, altho this is apparently controverted by the fact that every community has one or more persons to whom the label, "Professional Liar," is affixed by almost unanimous consent. Still, laziness can hardly be assigned as the cause of the ladylike white lie that masquerades as "Not at home" or the bore-bumper lie with which the office boy informs the unwelcome caller that his employer is out to lunch or will be engaged at a directors' meeting for the rest of the day.

It would be rank injustice, too, to change laziness with being responsible for political lies. This form of lying, which has been reduced almost to an exact science, may spring from selfishness but it bears no earmarks of "intellectual slovenliness." Nor is the malicious lie an offspring of laziness. It is bred of jealousy or hate or revenge or some other pernicious motive and, invariably violates all union rules against working overtime. So, despite the dictum of the learned college professor, we do not believe that the lie born of laziness is a very serious menace to American social life. A lazy lie is about as negative a proposition as a lazy person.—St. Paul Dispatch.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Once upon a time a lawyer met a fool and his money; the next day the fool met the lawyer with his money.

When a man falls in love he quits laughing at other victims of the disease.

If a mountain refuses to come to some men they put up a bluff of their own.

The only noticeable thing about some men is that they are unworthy of notice.

Some women just can't help referring to a dollar boat excursion as a yachting party.

There are too many men in this world, who are not content with wasting their own time.

A few people go around the world but the majority of us are satisfied to go thru it.

Every boy has an idea that if his father had lived at the right time he could have thrashed Goliah.

It usually costs less to get a divorce than it does to pose as the defendant in a breach-of-promise suit.

Spoiled His Taste.

"A friend of mine," said a Montana man, "is defending a damage suit for being a party to making a man take the liquor cure without his consent. This man had been on a protracted spree of several weeks, and his business was going to the dogs. My friend thought it would be a kindly thing to send him to a sanitarium for treatment. He did so, and the man was given the cure for the whisky habit. When he was discharged from the sanitarium the first thing he did was to go to a saloon. He called for whisky. He tasted it, but did not fancy the flavor of it. He set his distaste of it down to the cure he had been given by my friend's orders and immediately began suit for $50,000 damages. He says in his complaint that he had a highly cultivated and discriminating taste for whisky, which had taken years to develop, and that was spoiled by the cure. I do not know how my friend will come out, but he is not helping any more 'down and outs' without first obtaining their consent."—New York Journal.

Rings as a Protection.

"I used to be surprised," said a clerk in a high class jewelry establishment, "when a woman whom I knew was unmarried would come in and coolly select a handsome solitaire diamond ring, the sort usually sold for an engagement ring, and then, quite as a matter of course, buy a plain gold band of the wedding ring variety. I couldn't understand it at first, but now I've learned that many unmarried women think two such rings, worn when traveling, for instance, serve about the same purpose as a chaperon. I had a case the other day where a mother came in with her unmarried daughter —a pretty girl hardly out of her teens —and bought two such rings. From their conversation I learned that the girl was to take the trip to the Pacific coast unaccompanied, and the mother evidently thought if her daughter was protected by her rings she'd not be so apt to be criticised for being alone. Funny idea, but the women seem to think it works well."—New York Sun.

Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and is a splendid spring medicine, as it cleanses the system and clears the complexion. Sold by all druggists.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR
(New York Press)

The great secret of success about sure-to-win investments is not making them.

Anyhow if a boy didn't learn cuss words from his father he would from some other boy's.

When Eve got Adam put out, at least he escaped the housecleaning performance every spring.

One of the problems of spring is how much bigger than the winter's coal bill will be the fresh vegetable bill.

Even when a woman doesn't understand any more what a man is talking about than he does, she can make him think he is showing her.

The Chair of Torture.

The most prominent building in the ancient city of Nuremburg is the castle. One of its two towers was used for torture, the other served as a prison. The castle also contained a museum of horrors until it was purchased by the Earl of Shrewsbury and Talbot, in whose possession these relics now lie. One of these was the chair of torture. It was very heavily made and studded over the seat and at the elbows with blunt topped spikes. To it the victim was tightly bound, and in a short time discomfort began to manifest itself and in time became unbearable. During its continuance the torture was increased in several ways by means of wedges being passed between the legs and screws being applied to the thumbs until they began to bleed.

A One Man Jury.

A tailor who was defendant in a case tried in court seemed much cast down when brought up for trial. "What's the trouble?" whispered his counsel, observing his client's distress as he surveyed the jurymen.

"It looks pretty bad for me," said the defendant, "unless some steps are taken to dismiss that jury and get in a new lot. There ain't a man amongst 'em but what owes me money for clothes."

Sarcastic.

Senior Waiter (to rather green assistant at a recent banquet in a celebrated London hotel)—Now, then, young man, do a bit o' somethink, and don't stand a-gaping and staring there as if you was the bloomin' guest o' the hevenin'.—London Mail.

Henry's Better Scheme.

The Vicar's Daughter—Papa's subject tonight is to be "Love One Another." Shall we go, Henry? Henry—No, dear. I think we had better stay at home and practice what your father is preaching.—London Tit-Bits.

Wasted Effort.

Kind Old Lady (talking to a tramp)—Have you ever made an effort to get work?

Tramp—Yes, ma'am. Last month I got work for two members of my family, but neither of them would take it. —London Telegraph.

The Ancient Stone Slingers.

It has been said that Asiatic nations excelled others in the use of the sling, and the slingers of an ancient army used their little weapons with terrible effect. "These natives have such skill," says one old historian, "that it very rarely happens that they miss their aim. What makes them so great in the use of the sling is the training given them from their earliest years by their mothers, who set up a piece of bread hung at the end of a rod for a target and let their children remain without food until they have hit it, when the child who is the victor receives the bread as the reward of his skill and patience."

Occupying.

Dressing dolls has become the serious business of a great many people, but especially of American men.—Puck.

Journal want ads bring results.

FARGO NEGROES IN SHOOTING AFFRAY

Fargo, N. D., April 13 — Charles Clark's restaurant on Front street was the scene last evening of a sensational shooting affray as a result of which Charles Clark, a negro, the proprietor of the restaurant is dead and Ed. Simpson another negro, is being held for murder.

About 8:30 o'clock in the evening Simpson walked into Clark's restaurant and ordered a meal which he ate and then refused to settle the bill. A row followed between Clark and Simpson and the latter was finally kicked out of the place. He immediately went over to a nearby gun shop and purchased a revolver and a box of cartridges. Loading his revolver he made his way back to the restaurant, he walked in and without preliminaries emptied the full change of the gun into Clark's body, killing him instantly. Every bullet took effect as the murderer was at close range and almost any one of them would have been fatal. Simpson threw the revolver down and turning started to run.

Met Him Coming Out

In the meantime the police had been informed of the row which had taken place and arrived in time to meet Simpson coming out of the place He was immediately placed in jail. Clark's restaurant is of the joint order tho the proprietor was not considered a bad negro. Simpson was just released from the county jail a few hours previous to the shooting, where he was being held as witness against Dean another negro who recently broke jail.

Simpson, like most men of low intellect does not seem to realize the terrible nature of his act. On being placed in jail he immediately went to sleep and on waking up early this morning asked his jailor, "Well is that other black man dead?" He showed little concern on being told that Clark was dead.

FAMRERS' ANTI-AUTO SOCIETY

RULES OF THE ROAD

The following is the new code agreed upon by the Farers' Anti-Auto Protective Society, which has just held its annual convention in the different States in the Union.

1. On discovering an approaching team, the automobolist must stop offside and cover his machine with a tarpaulin painted to correspond with the scenery.

2. The speed limit on country roads this year will be secret, and the penalty for violationwill be $10 for every mile an offender is caught going in ecess of it.

3. In case an automobile makes a team run away, the penalty will be $50 for the first mile, $100 for the second mile, $200 for the third mile, etc., that the team runs; inaddition to the usual damages.

4. On appreaching a corner where he cannot command a view of the road ahead, the automobilist must stop not less than 100 yards from the turn, toot his horn, ring a bell, fire a revolver, haloo, and send up three bombs at intervals of five minutes.

5. Automobilists must again be seasonably painted—that is, so they will merge with the pastoral ensemble, and not be startling. They must be green in spring, golden in summer red in autumn, and white in winter.

6. Automobiles running on the country roads at night must send up a red rocket every mile, and wait ten minutes for the road to clear. They may then proceed carefully, blowing their horns adn shooting Roman candles.

7. All members of the Society will give up Sunday to chasing automobiles shooting and shouting at them, making arrests, and otherwise discouraging country touring on that day.

8. In case a horse will not pass an automobile, notwithstanding the scenic tarpaulin, the automobilist will take the machine apart as rapidly as possible and conceal the parts in the grass.

9. In case an automobile approaches a farmer's house when the roads are dusty, it will slow down to one mile an hour, and the chauffeur will lay the dust in front of the house with a hand sprinkler worked over the dashboard.

—By Permission.

A Genuine Russian Peasantry

The communal system of land holding by the Russian peasantry is at an end. We have frequently said that Russia and the Russians could never come into their own until the peasant class was placed upon the land as individual holders, each responsible for his own industrial salvation, says the Duluth News-Tribune.

Under the communal system the land has been most largely held and cultivated in common. The holders of a tract have been grouped in a village. Frequently parts of their holdings have been at some distance from this living place, causing delay, inconvenience and individual discrimination.

Each of these groups was responsible as a whole for the cultivation of the soil for all taxes and penalties. The distribution was made by families, according to the number of male members, and at intervals new allotments were made.

The by-laws and restrictions were very burdensome placing a premium on sloth. The industrious, competent and ambitious were made responsible for the lazy, indifferent and all in all public demands, which have been almost ruinous.

These lands are now all to be allotted individually, and the holders can buy such added acres as are available from the crown lands, this exchange being financed by the government. It is the most momentous change that has come in Russia since the liberation of the serfs.

Nor shall we share the forebodings of a writer in the North American Review, that in completing this transformation thousands will sell their holdings, succumb to drink, laziness, improvidence and waste and turned adrift, be added to the army of the destitute. Nor that tens of millions will be directly cut off from the soil by this measure and be forced to eke out their existence in untried ways and activities that bode no good to the social and political fabric."

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

J. H. Ruettell went to Grand Forks this morning after spending Sunday in the city.

SHERIFF TO EUCLID—Sheriff Orin Daniels is spending the day at Euclid where he was called to serve some important papers. He will return tonight.

WILL WITNESS PLAY — Harold Misner, night clerk at the Palace Hotel left this morning where tonight he will witness the home talent production of a well known play.

BACK TO FISHER—Alphonse Lalonde, who is learning the barber business in the Billedeau shop at Fisher spent Sunday here and returned to his work this morning.

TO ANGUS FOR SEEDING — F. McLennen came down last Saturday evening to attend the Knights Templar meeting yesterday and returned home this morning where he will watch seeding operations.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL—E. W. Savage returned this morning from Lockhart seven miles west of which place he organized a very promising Sunday school with a good membership, which starts out under most favorable ouspices.

BACK TO DONALDSON— Elmer Ellington returned to Donaldson this morning after spending Sunday here. He says the farmers near Donaldson are all ready for seeding and just as soon as the weather warms up a little they will all get out on the fields.

COVERING THE EAST LINE—The S. S. Convention will be advertised on the east line this week. Rev. C. C. Warner visits McIntosh, Fosston, Ebro and Bagley on Wednesday and Thursday for this purpose. He will fill evening engagements at Fosston and Bagley.

BACK TO HIBBING—Otto Salmon a former well known resident of Crookston who has been located in Hibbing for some time past returned there this morning after visiting with friends here for a few days. He is very much pleased with the Iron Range Country.

LIVE BUNCH AT HAROLD—The Harold S. S. Circle is composed of a live bunch. They held a basket social at the station Thursday evening last and took in $22.00. At that rate they will soon be able to pay for the organ which costs $15.00! Rev. C. C. Warner preached an Easter sermon there yesterday.

ENJOYED HIS TRIP—City Treasurer Virgil McGregor returned yesterday morning from a several days' visit in St. Paul and Minneapolis where he had some business matters to attend to. He visited the legislature and watched the law-making wheels turn. He states the weather there was not overly pleasant. He returned by way of Fargo where he saw Loren Wilde who is employed on the Fargo Forum in the capacity of city editor and who is doing well.

ST. HILAIRE BANKER BACK — L. O. Hansen the well known banker of St. Hilaire passed thru the city this morning enroute home after a several days business trip to St. Paul. Mr. Hansen says the legislators are all hustling to get the business wound up before the close of the session. He states the weather there has been chilly and damp the same as here for the past few days. He states however that the business interests of the cities are looking toward northern Minnesota with more confidence than ever.

HAVE FINE DAUGHTER—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. R. Finlayson of Euclid are the parents of a fine baby daughter which arrived at their home last Saturday evening. The mother and little babe are both doing well and the proud father is frantically scanning every automobile catalog he can get his hands on and says nothing but an upto-date touring car will do for that young lady. He will add several to his livery at Euclid and that place promises to become a regular mecca for automobiles. Mrs. Agnes Finlayson of this city mother of W. R. J. is being congratulated as "grandma" from all sides.

The remains of Mrs. S. S. Kolden arrived from Middle River Saturday evening and the funeral will be held tomorrow Tuesday, afternoon at 2:30 from the Synod church.

Rev. Ordahl will preach the sermon in the Scandinavian language and Rev. Adolph Salveson will preach a sermon in English. The death of Mrs. Kolden has caused the deepest Rev. Kolden has caused the deepest sorrow here as well as at Middle River. She has visited here very often and at one time resided here and has many relatives in this city, the Tvetens being cousins. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Andrew Eiken, formerly of this city and now of St. Paul, Mrs. A. O. Daniels, mother of Sheriff Orin Daniels, O. C. Bergland of Clay Co., T. O. Bergland of Ruby, Wash., and the late Mrs. H. B. Tveten.

Despite the fact that yesterday was a cloudy, drizzly, snowy Easter as far as the weather man was concerned the services in Crookston churches made the people forget all about the weather conditions. Splendid programs were carried out in practically every church in the city, the special music being a most enjoyable feature.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

From Tuesday's Daily

TRIP TO WARREN—Will Stone is spending the day at Warren on business for N. P. Stone & Co.

TO FLICKERTAIL STATE—J. F. Creamer left this morning for North Dakota on a short business trip.

BIG LOGGER HERE— Andy Lemark one of the well known loggers on the Wild Rice is spending the day in the city. He represents the T. B. Walker interests there and is known to all the old time lumber jacks.

SERVING PAPERS—Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan left this morning for Warren where he has some civil papers to serve and will return home this evening.

FOOTBALL ENTHUSIAST — J. Friends the well known travelling man who is a 33rd degree football enthusiast was in the city this morning enroute to Hallock. Of course when the football season is not on he roots for baseball or any other healthy out door sport.

READY FOR BUSINESS—The W. N. Buell confectionery and cigar store adjoining the Columbiaa Hotel is now open and "Brady" the old rail" is behind the counter. Mr. Buell runs the pop corn and peanut wagon here and during inclement weather the wagon will be kept in the store where fresh popcorn and peanuts will be made a specialty.

TO ATTEND PRESBYTERY—Dr. E. H. Marcum of Bemidji was a visitor in the city this morning between trains, taking the late train for Warroad having just time enough to run up for a call on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Marcum and get a little of "Ma's" cooking. He was enroute to Warroad to attend a meeting of the Adams Presbytery, joining Rev. Ward of this city at Roseau, he having gone up there yesterday. Rev. White of Bemidji stopped off at Tilden on business and boarded the Warroad train there on the same mission.

The Great Northern Railway company is making a strenuous effort to ascertain the identity of the persons who placed obstructions on the track near Hillsboro Saturday evening and nearly wrecked the west bound Oriental Limited. Four fishplates were placed on the rails. The wheels of the pilot passed over the fishplates and brushed them out of the way of the big drivers of the engine. Had the fishplates remained in just the right position on the track the drivers would have been thrown off and a horrible wreck would have been the result. Railway men say that if the fishplates had been placed on the track where there was a curve the entire train would probably have left the rails. There is a straight stretch of track in the vicinity of the place where the plates were left on the track.

Tom Shevlin Jr., who won fame for Minnesota as an athlete on the Yale football team which he lead to victory and who is now manager of the Crookston Lumber Co. mills at Bemidji, was a transient in Crookston this morning between the St. Paul and Duluth trains, leaving on the latter to attend to some important business matters for the company. Mr. Shevlin expects that the mills will all be started within a very short time and will hum merrily all summer. He looks forward to a very active season in that line and expressed his pleasstarting up of the Crookston mill this spring after the shut down.

Vital statistics for 1908 showed up well in comparison with those of previous years. The state department of public health reports that in the past year there was 44,274 births and 22,160 death.

"No race suicide here," said Dr. H. M. Bracken gloating over the complete nature of the report. "I think that the great increase in the number of reported births and deaths is due largely to the operation of the new law which has been in force during the past year, forbidding burial of a body without a burial permit.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

BACK FROM CANADA — Albert Torgerson a local carpenter has just returned from a trip to Canada. He says there is considerable work there and he may return for the summer.

LOW SINCE OPERATION— Mrs. M. M. Davies one of the old residents of Crookston and formerly of Euclid who was operated upon for tumor at Minneapolis last week is very low. Her advanced age, 68, being a great handicap to her recovery.

ALVA HILLIGOSS DEAD— Alva Hilligoss a former well known Fosston boy died a few days ago near St. Cloud where he was living. His aunt, Mrs. Movolt of Fosston returned from the funeral this morning.

DRAINAGE MAN HERE — Capt. James Beard, representing the Standard Drainage Co., of Windom passed thru the city this morning enroute to Middle River where some repairs are to be made on a dredge before the ditching season opens.

TELEPHONE MAN—J. W. Christie connected with the head offices of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., in Minneapolis, arrived this morning and with Manager Bracelin of Crookston went to Bemidji on business

GRANTED DIVORCE—Judge Watts issued an order in the district court yesterday granting a divorce to Mrs. Mary Sliter from Edmund Sliter on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. Both of the parties live in East Grand Forks. H. A. Bronson appeared for the plaintiff and Skulason and Burtness for the defendant.

A VERY GOOD PRACTICE— The attendance at the last few council meetings is a healthy sign. If this was practiced for about a year it would seem that people generally have some fair knowledge of city affairs and the difficulties with which the councilmen are often confronted.

OFF FOR MAPLE LAKE — Louis Weiler and family will leave this evening for Maple Lake where they will reside. Mr. Weiler has secured a tract of land and will devote his time to raising poultry and garden stuff and training bird dogs. He has been very successful in training the dogs and will have quite a string of them. —Grand Forks Herald.

The City Council last evening walded thru an immense amount of business, the action of most general interest be the ordering of an election in the second ward on May 10, at which time a successor to Alderman F. Rauch will be taken. The candidates will probably be Alderman Rauch and Attorney Wm. P. Murphy and the fight, will without doubt be the warmest waged in that ward for alderman in its history. Both men have a strong following and active work will be done by the friends of both candidates from now until the polls close on the day of the election.

VIKINGS TO PARTICIPATE

WILL ATTEND MEETING OF RED RIVER VALLEY SANGERFEST ASSOCIATION

MEETING WILL BE HELD AT FERGUS FALLS JUNE 4, 5, 6—A BIG FESTIVAL

The Viking Chorus of this city is now practicing for participation in the Biennial meeting of the Red River Valley Sangerfest Association which will be held at Fergus Falls this year June 4, 5 and 6. The Vikings have been honored by being put on the program twice for numbers, and of course all societies participate in the choruses to be sung.

There will be three vocal soloists of note, Gustave Holmquist of Chicago, Mrs. Schact of Fargo and Miss Romsdahl of Fergus Falls. The societies which belong are as follows:

Viking Chorus, Crookston.
Bjarne Chorus, Grand Forks.
Orpheus Chorus, Fargo.
Ljom Chorus, Fergus Falls.
Leeds, N. D. Chorus.

In addition the association has applications from Ada and Thief River Falls where choruses wish to join.

The musical program proper lasts but two days, the last day being for the grand picnic.

Local Market

Wheat No. 1 Hard	1.14½
No. 1 Northern	1.14
No. 2 Northern	1.12
Macaroni Wheat	1.03
Rye	.67
Flax	1.54
Oats	.46
Barley	.49
Flour	3.45

FARMERS ARE OPTIMISTIC

OVER THE OUTLOK — GROUND IS IN FINE SHAPE AND ALL THAT

IS NEEDED IS WARM WEATHER—NO FLOODS THIS YEAR

From Wednesday's Daily—

While the spring has been backwand and but little seeding has been done in this section the farmers are optimistic over the outlook. Contrary to the usual conditions at this season of the year the low sections of the Red River valley are not flooded and there does not seem to be any prospect of floods as the snow has disappeared from the fields in the vicinity of the Red River and its tributaries. The ice is breaking up slowly and it is expected a few warm days will clear the river. If the low parts of the Red River Valley escape the usual flood it will mean a good deal for just as soon as the weather gets a litle warmer seeding will commence The ground is frozen and it has been possible to do a little seeding only on the warm afternoons.

Farmers agree that the land is in an ideal condition for spring work. There is abundant moisture soaked down in the ground and spring weather will soon start the grain growing.

That the high price of wheat will mean a large acreage is the opinion of grain men. The late season may prevent farmers from putting in quite as much wheat as they had planned. They are greatly interested in the tariff legislation.

STUDENTS OF RURAL SCHOOLS

BIG MEETING FOR BENEFIT OF INDUSTRIAL CONTEST WILL BE HELD

AT THE CITY HALL NEXT MONDAY AFTERNOON 2 O'CLOCK FINE MOVE

From Wednesday's Daily—

Supt. N. A. Thorson of Polk Co., Schools announced this afternoon that an industrial meeting had been arranged for Monday afternoon next for the special benefit of the students and teachers of the rural schools in this vicinity.

Rural school boards should at once take action and close every school in this vicinity and have both teachers and students attend this meeting which will be addressed by Prof. L. P. Harrington of the School of Agriculture who was secured thru Supt. A. D. Wilson of Farmers Institutes after hard work by Supt. Thorson.

The meeting is called to discuss the best seeds planting, culture, etc. of grains and vegetables, so that the pupils of Polk County can make a fine showing in the State Industrial Contest next fall as well as the Polk County contest held prior to that.

CLIFF HARRINGTON GOES TO PANAMA

Clifford Harrington, son of Prof. and Mrs. L. P. Harrington of the Crookston School of Agriculture left last evening for Panama where he will do some civil engineering work for the government for some time to come, the date of his return not being set.

Last evening the members of the Crookston Juvenile band gathered at the Great Northern depot and gave him a royal send off, and many other friends were present to wish him a successful trip and a safe return.

BEAUDETTE GETTING METROPOLITAN

That Baudette will have waterworks and sewerage installed during the present year is practically an assured fact. The city council of 1908 of that place had taken preliminary steps to go on with this work, and at the first meeting the 1909 members expressed themselves in favor of going ahead with the proposition. It will be taken up again at a regular meeting next Thursday evening, when it is expected that the date will be fixed for holding an election to bond the village for the necessary funds.

The electric light plant of Baudette will also be remodelled if the proposition is carried as it undoubtedly will be

L. A. ROSING DIED TODAY

MEMBER OF STATE BOARD OF CONTROL AND LEADING MINNESOTA POLITICIAN

WAS PRIVATE SECRETARY TO GOV. LIND — RAN FOR GOV. AGAINST VAN SANT

From Wednesday's Daily—

Genuine sorrow will be caused by the news received here this afternoon over the telephone announcing the death at St. Paul of Hon. L. A. Rosing member of the state board of control, this morning shortly before 9 o'clock. He has been ill for some time past with Bright's disease and his death was expected within a few months but came suddenly.

For many years Mr. Rosing had been a leading democrat of the state. He had been high in the councils of the party, was private secretary to Gov. Lind and was a candidate for governor of Minnesota against Van-Sant.

He was one of the most popular democrats in the state and had warm friends in both political parties. His death will cause the deepest sorrow thruout the entire state.

POLK COUNTY STUDENTS

PUPILS OF SCHOOLS URGED TO ENLIST IN INDUSTRIAL WORK

POLK COUNTY SHOULD LEAD ENTIRE STATE—SELECT THE SEED NOW

A call is hereby issued to the pupils of the Polk County schools to enlist in the Industrial work arranged for this county for the present year. In connection with this work there will be held an Industrial contest in which pupils of the schools under eighteen years are eligible to compete. There will be sewing and cooking for the girls and grain-growing for the boys. Those intending to enter the Grain-growing contest are advised to give immediate attention to the selection of good seed and soil.

A rich county like Polk should be one of the leading counties of the state in this work, and I feel assured that it is possible for the country boys and girls to make it such. Can you not help talk up a good school fair for Polk county next fall? Out of the $1350.00 prize money in the State Contest last year, Polk county received only $5.00. Let us be up and doing. The hearty co-operation of every loyal citizen is invited for the success of this work. Let parents and teachers work together to interest the boys and girls in this practical education.

Those desiring more specific information regarding the Industrial work and the Contest, may write to The Farmers' Club, St. Anthony Park, Minn., or to the County Superintendent, Crookston, Minn., for "Farmers' Club Circular No. 1" and "Rural School Bulletin No. 2."

Very respectfully yours,
—N. A. Thorson,
County Supt. of Schools.
Crookston, Minn., April 14th, 1909.

KRUGER GETS SIXTY DAYS FOR LARENCY

Edward Kruger of Larimore, was given a hearing in municipal court at East Grand Forks yesterday and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of larceny or bringing stolen property into the state. He was given a fine of $50 and in default thereof a sentence of sixty days in the county jail. It appears that Kruger had been doing some janitor work recently for Skulason & Conmy, lawyers on the west side. A typewriter was missed from the office a few days ago and also a sheep-lined coat belonging to Theo. Thompson.

A search for the missing articles disclosed the fact that Kruger had pawned the typewriter in East Grand Forks and it was also learned that he had attempted unsuccessfully to dispose of the coat. The latter was not located. Kruger claims to remember nothing about his transactions in the matter and appears to be slightly off in mental balance. Some time ago he had the editor of a Larimore paper arrested for throwing him out of his office and was in the hospital for some time as the result of a fracas.

He was brought to Crookston last night.

BEMIDJI PAPERS HAVE MERGED

BEMIDJI DAILY AND WEEKLY PIONEER IS NAME OF NEW PUBLICATION

PIONEER, RECORD AND NEWS TO SAIL UNDER ONE BANNER

From Wednesday's Daily—

One of the most important newspaper deals in th ehistory of northern Minnesota has been concluded in Bemidji, whereby the Bemidji Daily and Weekly Pioneer, the recently established Bemidji Record and the Beltrami County News have been merged and will be continued as the Bemidji Daily and Weekly Pioneer.

The merger was completed yesterday and under the new arrangements, G. E. Carson the principal stockholder of the Record, becomes actively identified with the management of the Pioneer Publishing company in conjunction with C. J. Pryor, who has acted as business manager of the Pioneer during the past three years.

A. G. Rutledge who has been managing editor of the Pioneer, is retained and will have supervision of the news columns of the Pioneer and be otherwise identified with the publication.

DAN PATCH & MINOR HEIR

BOTH ARE TO APPEAR AT GRAND FORKS STATE FAIR

GREATEST ATTRACTION IN HISTORY OF NORTH DAKOTA ASSURED IN JULY

From Wednesday's Daily—

President A. L. Hunter, of the North Dakota State Fair association, received a telephone message last evening from Secretary M. C. Bacheller that he had just closed a deal for the appearance at the state fair at Grand Forks in July of Dan Patch and Minor Heir, world famous pacers. Dan Patch has a record of 1:55 and Minor Heir the sensation of last year has a record of 1:59½.

The signing of the contract for the appearance here follows three years of effort on part of President Hunter and a campaign of nearly two years by Secretary Bacheller. Dan Patch and Minor Heir are the greatest combined attraction that could be secured for the fair and it will be a record-breaking event for North Dakota. The horses will be here during the entire week. It is their first visit to North Dakota.

M. W. Savage proprietor of the pacers turned down an offer to go to Winnipeg this season. From Grand Forks the pacers will be taken to the Iowa state fair.

Everybody Interested

Last year there was probably more interest taken in the performance of the phenomenal Minor Heir than those of any horse in the world, with the exception of Dan Patch.

The exhibition by the two great pacers will bring visitors from points all over North Dakota, Manitoba and other sections. It is a wonderful achievement of the fair management. Those concerned are to be heartily congratulated on their success. With Dan Patch, Minor Heir and scores of speedy horses for the race meet and Dr. Stone as starter, those interested in high class racing will find much to interest them there.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Sold by all druggists.

Every time a man gets elected mayor of a village he thinks he's in line for a four years' residence in the White House.

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J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

TURNED THINGS UP-SIDE- DOWN

SECOND STREET SCENE OF AN EXCITING RUNAWAY THIS MORNING

TEAM WITH BIG LOAD OF FEED THOUGHT DR. DAMPIER WAS HUNGRY

From Friday's Daily—

This morning a man employed on the S. W. Vance farm drove to the city for a load of feed. He had a team hitched to a wide tired lumber wagon on which was a large basket hayrack and on this a ton of feed, some cream and milk bottles and other things were placed.

After securing his load he went to Olds Bicycle shop to secure a wheel which he was having repaired. The team which had always been very docile and steady, started off on a run.

The driver dashed after them, but could not catch up. The team turned from Main to Second street and dashed east across Broadway and on reaching the front of the residence of Dr. C. E. Dampier ran into the curb spilling the hayrack and load of feed and tearing on east where they were stopped.

Charley Hoeftlater straightened out the wreck, assisting the man to reload and he started on his way rejoicing shortly before noon little the worse for the experience excepting a few scratches he had received in the turmoil.

NIGHT TRAIN AN THE M.&I.

WILL BE INSTALLED NEXT WEEK FIRST TRAIN WILL COME NORTH MONDAY

Beginning Monday night, April, 12 the M. & I. railway in conjunction with the N. P. will commence the installing of a daily night train between the twin cities and International Falls and intermediate points, including Bemidji.

For some time past there have been rumors that a daily night train would be installed on the M. & I. to the twin cities, and the date for the service was generally set for April 1. It was known that increased business for the road had been necessitated by the great activity of the work of installing the big power dam and paper mills at International Falls and much pressure has been brought to bear on the company to put on the night train

It is announced now that the officials of the M. & I. and N. P. recognize the necessity for better service for the boundary town and the train will be put on next Monday evening, running north from St. Paul 'that night as a special and starting the regular schedule Tuesday night.

LITTLE FOR THE CREDITORS

WILL GET ABOUT 30 PER CENT FROM ESTATE OF SUICIDE LUND

Claims amounting to $320,000 have been allowed against the estate of the late John G. Lund the Minneapolis real estate man, who took his life and objections entered to others amounting to $145,000. There are also contingent claims outstanding that amount to $251,000.

Dates for the hearings on contested claims were set in the probate court by Judge George R. Smith. As there is only about $150,000 in sight from the estate the creditors are not expected to receive much more than 30 per cent of their claims, even if all the claims objected to are disallowed by the court. Lund formerly had a branch office in Crookston.

The time to give proper consideration to opportunities is not tomorrow. Opportunities never present themselves tomorrow. It's always today and the time for their thorough consideration is likewise always today. Many a man can trace both loss and failure to the handy little scratch pad on which he jotted down an idea for tomorrow's consideration, while some other more progressive fellow took advantage of the same idea when yesterday was today, realizing that tomorrow never comes. The business man must cultivate methods down to the minute. the period has arrived when there is more truth in the old proverb, "Time and tide wait not for the slow," than there was when it was stereotyped. Here is an argument wedded to wisdom.—Minnesota Dairyman.

ACID SOON ENDS LIFE OF FURRY

GRAFTON MAN MAKES TWO PURCHASES IN ORDER TO HAVE LOTS OF POISON

LOOKS AFTER HIS TEAM AND THEN TAKES DRINK OF ACID WHILE IN BARN

From Friday's Daily—

News was received here yesterday that John Flurry had committed suicide at Grafton Wednesday afternoon by drinking carbolic acid enough to kill several men. Furry went to a drug store and purchased a small bottle of carbolic acid. He decided it was not enough and returned and pur chased another bottle of the same size, claiming that he needed it for disinfecting purposes. Then he put all the acid in one bottle and swallowed it. He was dying when found in the barn and was unable to speak. Furry left a note saying:

"God forgive me for all my sins and others too."

Employed as Teamster

The deceased has been employed in doing team work. He had a team of his own and before killing himself he fed his horses and cared for them. eH had been drinking heavily for about a month and several times had threatened to kill himself.

The deceased is survived by a wife who is left in poor circumstances.

At the coroner's inquest a verdict in accordance with the evidence was rendered, it being found that he had committed suicide.

Furry was 55 years old and had resided in Grafton for six years.

DEATH OF PIONEER RESIDENT OF FORKS

M. GORMAN WELL KNOWN CONTRACTOR OF GRAND FORKS DEAD

The death of Michael Gorman a well known contractor and pioneer resident of the city occurred at 6 o'clock yesterday morning at the family residence after an illness of several months. Mr. Gorman was born in Ottawa, Canada, in 1855 and come to East Grand Forks in 1887 since which date he has been a resident of the city and engaged in business here. He was a man of the strictest integrity and was highly esteemed by the entire community. Of a quiet and retiring disposition he nevertheless always had a cheery word for everyone. The deceased leaves besides the bereaved widow, four daughters, Margaret, Bertha, Ethel and Ida and six sons, William, Fred, Frank, James, John and Patrick; all of whom are at home except the two sons, William a resident of Seattle and Frank who is in the U. S. army and stationed in California Two brothers, John of Larimore and James of Fargo, arrived before his death; Edward, of Moorhead, arrived last evening; Simon, another brother lives in New York. A sister, Mrs. Stevens lives in Fargo and another sister Mrs. Douglas lives in Ottawa, Can.

The funeral will be held from Sacred Heart Catholic church Monday morning, Father Bounival of St. Boniface, officiating.—Grand Forks Herald

BRYAN WILL VISIT GRAND FORKS MAY 7

PEERLESS ORATOR WILL BE A SPEAKER UNDER AUSPICES OF THE Y. M. C. A.

Announcement is made that Hon. ment of th e Young Men's Christian date for the presidency of the greatest nation on the globe is to favor Grand Forks with a lecture on May 7. Mr. Bryan is to appear under the auspices of the educational depart-William Jennings Bryan thrice candi-Association and will speak on his new and stirring theme, "The Price of a Soul.'

Little Falls Transcript: It looks as if the farmers of Morrison county who want prison made binding twine and have not yet ordered their supply had better begin to wake up to the situation. The prison officials report orders already received for 12,500000 pounds while the full output for this year is not expected to exceed 16,000,000 pounds.

St. Cloud Times: Roscoe B. Higbee of St. Paul enthusiastic director of the late lamented Hearst Independence league in the last Minnesota political campaign has quit the Hearst party Emphatically he is done with Hearst and all his works and workers.

MAGNIFICENT FLORAL DISPLAY

NEW STORE HAS AN ARRAY OF EASTER LILIES AND OTHER PLANTS

THAT HAS ELICITED GREAT PRAISE DURING THE DAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Robert Cram manager of the grocery department of the New Store was busy with a force of clerks this morning arranging one of the most magnificent displays of Easter lillies and other potted plants ever seen in Crookston. One entire display window, one long counter, and the lower portion of the shelving on one side of the grocery department is loaded with such an array of beautiful lillies and other plants such as has sent every lady into ecstacies who has seen them today.

The varieties include a list that is past the knowledge of any one but a florist, and most of them are just beginning to bloom so that by Easter Sunday they will be just right. Of course many of the plants will bloom for two or three months yet such as the azealias, the roses and lants in that class.

The enterprise of the Wright-Carpenter Co., to secure such a stock and give the people of Crookston the benefit of selecting from such a variety is most commendable and is characteristic of that firm in taking care of their patrons.

OLD SOLDIERS ENTERTAINED

WERE GUESTS AT FINE SUPPER GIVEN BY THE WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Last evening the members of the G. A. R. were entertained at a fine hot six o'clock dinner by the W. R. C. of Crookston at the G. A. R. Hall. There was one of the largest gatherings of veterans seen in Crookston in a long time at such an occasion and the affair was a thoroly pleasant one. The menu served was an elaborate one and the guests did full justice to the viands.

Following the supper the old soldiers enjoyed a box of cigars and a very pleasant social hour was passed.

Last evening was the regular meeting night of the W. R. C. The order was never in a more flourishing condition. As indicative of this was the addition of seven new members at the meeting last evening, and there are several more who will be taken in very shortly.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS

Do not Endanger Life When a Crookston Citizen Shows You the Cure

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

If you have any, even one of the symptoms of kidney diseases, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Rear this Crookston testimony:

Leroy G. Burkhardt, 309 Fifth St. E. Crookston, Minn., says: "I speak from personal experience when I say that Doan's Kidney Pills are a reliable remedy for kidney complaint. Being in need of such a medicine I procured a supply at Wallace's drug store and they helped me from the first. Doan's Kidney Pills soon absolutely cured me of kidney trouble and I am always ready to recommend them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Ortonville Herald-Star: An official effort is to be made by the Minnesota State Editorial association to influence congress against a continuance of the government's present unfair competition with country printers in the matter of printing envelopes. No other business has ever been made to suffer such disastrous losses from government competition, and that the press of the country has been quiescent so long is remarkable. Every publisher should give the move his cordial support.

People who live high are not always above suspicion.

FAIR DATES THIS YEAR

RED LAKE CO. FAIR HELD 4TH, 5TH AND 6TH OF AUGUST

DANIEL SHAW AND DR. G. A. PENNEY TO BE SECRETARIES OF THE FAIR

At the meeting of the shareholders of the Red Lake County Agricultural Society held in Thief River Falls it was decided to hold the county fair this year on the first week in August. At a previous meeting it had been decided to hold the fair on the second week in August, but as the first week has been the dates since the organization of the society it was deemed advisable to make no change. The dates will, therefore be Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 4, 5 and 6. The matter of electing a secretary was taken up and no one could be induced to devote the large amount of time required to hold this position. The matter was finally compromised by electing Dr. G. A. Penney and Daniel Shaw as secretaries. Both of these gentlemen have filled the position before in a very successful manner and now each will devote half of time to the task. That they will make a success of the fair goes without saying and they receive the encouragement and support of all citizens. The association is in good shape financially and the fair this year will be better than ever before.

Winona Republican Herald: The two big railroad men Harriman and Hill both see a silver lining back of the present clouds in the business world. Both say that with tariff agitation out of the way things will pick up. As a matter of fact there is every indication of a return of "good times" as soon as the tariff question is settled and our Washington dispatches indicate that this will be long deferred.

BACK FROM THE SUPREME COURT

JAMES H. MAYBURY ENJOYED A TALK MADE BY GYPSY SMITH

Ex-County Atty. James H. Maybury returned this morning from a few days' trip to St. Paul where he was called on business before the supreme court. While there he happened to be fortunate enough to visit the senate during the discussion of the anti-cigarette bill which was one of the most spirited of the session and of the employers liability act in the house where oratory flew right and left. Mr. Maybury thinks Speaker Rockne of the House is quite a genius.

Mr. Maybury also on Tuesday evening atended one of the revival meetings in the Auditorium where, despite one of the worst storms he ever witnessed in the twin cities, 4,000 people were gathered. He would have failed to get in had it not been for Joe B. Pierson formerly of Crookston, and now with the Pioneer Press of St. Paul who piloted him in as a reporter for the Pioneer Press. Mr. Maybury stated that as he failed to "report" down there, he would discharge his duty by reporting to the Crookston papers.

COMMUNICATION

Ed. Journal:—Will you allow me to express my sentiments. I am a resident of the 2nd ward. I have taken no part in the issue now confronting the people of this ward According to the city charter the city council has full power when there is a vacancy of an alderman to fill same. They have done that and Adolph Rauch was appointed and has accepted. Now there is a petition to un-seat him What for?

They say that the city council must be taught a lesson, that a majority of the people must rule. But what about the minority? The city charter says that any time that a minority is not satisfied they can non-seat a man who a majority has placed there and no matter who is elected as soon as he is seated the minority of the ward of 40 per cent will non-seat him and another election must be ordered. Thus you see it is perpetual and we can go on and have elections every month and spend the city's money and at the end of the year we are just where we started. Now my plan is to stop now, while there is yet time and get ready to amend the city charter at the earliest possible moment.—Taxpayer.

FINE BUSINESS PROPOSITION

BUT N. A. BRAY IS NOT LEAVING CROOKSTON PERMANENTLY

IS LOCATING IN CANADA TEMPORARILY FOR BUSINESS REASONS

From Thursday's Daily—

N. A. Bray who with Eudore Brosseau has purchased a hotel at Gleichen, Alberta, Canada, and who has been here for the past two days attending to business matters left this afternoon over the Northern Pacific for Gleichen.

Mr. Bray is one of the well known Crookston boys who has for years been prominently identified with the business interests of the city taking an active part in city, county and state politics. Mr. Bray is not leaving Crookston permanently and will continue to be a subject of Uncle Sam He is going to Alberta temporarily, simply to take advantage of a good business proposition.

He has been a resident of Crookston so long that he will always consider this city his home, and he has a host of friends here who will most heartily welcome his return. He has always been a "live one" willing at all times to contribute to any project for the betterment of Crookston or for any worthy cause, and his friends wish him every success in his new location, tho it is but temporarily.

"GENIAL JOE" FROM ST. PAUL

PIONEER PRESS HEAVYWEIGHT DROPS INTO THE CITY FOR A VISIT

Jos. B. Pierson, formerly connected with the editorial department of both the Journal and Times of this city dropped in this morning and is spending the day with friends here and attending to some business matters at the court house.

"Joe" who was prominently identified with the Crookston Club, and who was a prime mover among the Crookston Club Minstrels last winter has made good in metropolitan newspeperdom. During his stay there he has met many former Crookst on residents and has been in a position to extend them many courtesies—of which they talk much and he says nothing. His many friends will be pleased to note that he has been making doubly good on the Pioneer Press. Just another product of Crookston which has drawn a prize.

(Ed. Note: Joe is still single.)

WHITE DENT CORN FREE FOR SEED

Thru the generosity of Mr. Webber one of the late arrivals from Illinois and who is now located on a large farm 4 miles southwest of town I have a few ears more than I will plant for an experiment, of large White Dent corn.

A few parties wishing to give it a fair trial can have a couple of ears apiece by calling at the Journal office any time after Saturday next. Nothing is required only leave your name and address. It might be interesting to note the different results obtained by plantnig this corn in several different results obtained by planting this corn in several different localities.—Henry O'Neill, R. D. No. 2.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages nad that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh quires a contstituoitnerdiu dled dluu being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers thta they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

If you look for pineapples on a pine tree your search will be fruitless.

UPSET STOMACH OR INDIGESTION

ENDS FIVE MINUTES AFTER TAKING SOME DIAPEPSIN

STOPS FOOD FERMENTATION AND CURES STOMACH TROUBLE BEFORE YOU REALIZE IT

Take your sour stomach—or maybe you call it Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your stomach misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, billousness, sick head ache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle and nothing tempts you or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermantation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a litle Diapepsin.

TRAINMEN HONORED DEPARTED BROTHER

MAGNIFICENT FLORAL TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF NEWMAN ERGESON

The funeral of Ernest Newman Ergeson, the Great Northern brakeman who was fatally injured at Larimore, which was held yesterday afternoon from the Hauges Lutheran church showed above all the loyalty of the Trainmen to their departed brother workmen. They had a magnificent floral tribute in the form of a broken wheel which was contributed by the trainmen and other intimate friends. There were also many other beautiful floral offerings. The pall bearers were all Great Northern men and were as follows: J. C. Culvenwell, Charles Maidment Geo. Bougie, Garnet Balfour, F. H. Lane and Fred Bougie.

TO OPERATE A BIG STEAM PLOW

GOODWIN BROS., WILL SUMMER FALLOW 1,000 ACRES AND SEED SAME AMOUNT

R. C. and H. C. Goodwin are spending the day in the city from Euclid looking after some business matters. Goodwin Bros., will this spring seed about 1,000 acres near Euclid, and have a big steam plow already for operation as soon as the ground is ready.

In addition, during the summer they expect to use their steam plow and turn over about another 1000 acres for anyone who has summer fallowing t odo. Clyde Goodwin will be at the throttle and any one knowing the kind of plowing the Goodwin Bros., were noted for when they did it with horseflesh will not question what they will do with the steam power.

Cass Lake Times: The iron tonnage tax bill which passed the lower house and is now before the senate for action, is creating more comment than any bill before the present session of the legislature. All Northeastern Minnesota is intensely interested, for it is a fact that in the fullness of time, every county of the northern section, even to the confines of the great Red River valley, will be included in the iron range. The iron industry should be fostered rather than restricted, and properties within the iron producing belt should be taxed as other property is taxed and not otherwise.

Mirrors, unlike some people, never force their reflections upon us.

Does not Color the Hair

Ingredients of Ayer's Hair Vigor

Sulphur. Destroys germs that cause dandruff and falling hair. Cures rashes and eruptions of scalp.
Glycerin. Soothing, healing. Food to the hair-bulbs.
Quinin. A strong tonic, antiseptic, stimulant.
Sodium Chlorid. Cleansing, quiets irritation of scalp.
Capsicum. Increases activity of glands.
Sage. Stimulant, tonic. Domestic remedy of high merit.
Alcohol. Stimulant, antiseptic. Water. Perfume.

Show this formula to your doctor. Ask him if there is a single injurious ingredient. Ask him if he thinks Ayer's Hair Vigor, as made from this formula, is the best preparation you could use for falling hair, or for dandruff. Let him decide. He knows.

J. C. Ayer Company, Lowell, Mass.

Why the Menu Was Changed.

The culinary department of an East Indian household, if the story of an American traveler who has recently returned from Calcutta is to be believed, is managed far differently from an American kitchen. "Here we employ an Ethiopian expert at so much a week," says the Philadelphia Record. "There a cook would disdain to place a weekly valuation on his services. His conditions involve a flat rate of so many shillings weekly for the furnishing and preparation of provisions. This system of putting the culinary department out to contract causes a penuriousness on the part of the chef which frequently is not for the best health and welfare of the household. Shortly before last Christmas the above named American tourist had ordered his cook to have steak for dinner. Broiled chicken was served instead. Pressed for his reasons for disregarding the command of the head of the household, the cook explained that the chicken had taken sick and if it had not been killed and served that day he was afraid he would have lost it."

Conscientious Bill.

"Bill had charge of the animal tent," said the old circus man, "and among his pets was a leopard, the only one we had with the show, and quite enough too. This leopard gave Bill more trouble than all the rest of the menagerie put together. It was certainly an ugly brute.

"Well, one day when we were showing in the Midlands I had come up to London to arrange about some advance business. I was eating my dinner in the hotel when a telegram was handed to me. It was from Bill and read: 'The leopard has escaped. Prowling about town. What shall I do?'

"That was just like Bill. He had to have explicit directions, even in an emergency like this. He didn't want to make a mistake.

"I immediately wired back to Bill, 'Shoot him on the spot.' I didn't think any more about it until a couple of hours later, when I received another telegram from conscientious, careful Bill, asking, 'Which spot?'"

Relative Hardness of Precious Stones.

The relative hardness of various stones is easily determined by testing the power of one stone to make scratches on another. If a diamond is rubbed with one of the points of a topaz, the topaz point is blunted and the mark which will be seen on the face of the diamond is only the dust of the topaz, which can be brushed off with the finger. But if the topaz is rubbed against the diamond the latter is unaltered and the surface of the former is marked with a scratch which can be removed only by further polishing down. It is on the basis of this process of comparison that a scale of comparative hardness has been formed represented by ten substances, of which diamond is the highest and graphite the lowest in the scale. It is a curious fact that these two extremes of the scale, the brilliant and hard diamond and soft black graphite, are both chemically the same substance—pure carbon.—Jewelers' Circular.

Could Do It.

It was a mean trick, but, then, that is the kind that's usually successful.

"That dog," said the owner, "will bring me anything I send him for, and I am willing to bet on it."

Straightway a bet was arranged, and then the manager of the billiard hall suggested that he would like to have the pool table brought to him.

"Certainly," answered the owner of the dog, and he pointed to the table and said, "Fetch it!"

The dog raced around it once or twice and then grabbed a pocket and tore it off.

"Hold on!" cried the billiard man. "He'll ruin the table."

"Of course," answered the owner of the dog, "but if you give him time he'll get it all over here. You didn't suppose he could bring it in one trip, did you?"

But the billiard man paid the bet.

The Father Pipefish.

"The best of fathers is the pipefish," said an angler. "He hatches the little pipefish, and after they are hatched he carries them about with him till they can take care of themselves.

"This fish has under his tail a sac. In it he bears the pipefish spawn. Thus the spawn hatch in perfect safety. They are not decimated, like the other fish spawn lying unprotected on the bottom of the sea, by every hungry passerby. No; they all hatch; every one of them.

As soon as they hatch the father fish splits, or nature splits for him, the sac, and all the little fish drop out into the sea, but they cling to papa. Wherever he goes, like a gray cloud those thousands of tiny sons and daughters surround him, and on the approach of danger they pop back again into the sac just as baby kangaroos pop into the sac, or marsupial pouch, of their mamma.

"The male pipefish is, in fact, the female kangaroo of the sea."

Cleveland's Greediness For Work.

President Cleveland was often at his desk in the White House until 3 o'clock in the morning and up again at 9. I fell into the way of working until about 1 o'clock in the morning, and because of the oppressive heat I kept the door of my room wide open. Often during the hours around midnight I would step into the hall in hope of getting a stray breath of air. Once it so happened that as I looked across the hall to the half open door turned toward mine I saw upon its polished surface the reflection of the hand of a man writing with a patience and an industry that amazed me. I knew that the president was at his desk. I used to ask the watchman when I went to my task in the morning at what hour the president had knocked off work the preceding night. I found that it was generally about 3 o'clock in the morning, although sometimes when he had finished some severe task that he had set himself he would stop at 2 o'clock. I usually stopped work at 1 o'clock, but I did once or twice hang on until 2 in the hope that I might, if only for once, show an endurance equal to that of the man next door whose greediness for work had become proverbial.—George F. Parker, in McClure's.

New York's Lobster Palaces.

Nobody of distinction of appetite goes to a lobster palace to eat. One goes there in gaudy mood or when every other place is filled or closed or with the kind of man who thinks gayety means overdressed women, bediamoned men, waiters rushing with champagne as if they had the fire buckets and a caterwauling orchestra. At midnight the din and the excitement incline a sedate man to ask himself whether he is not in a riot. If you have a lobster digestion, you don't hear the din or feel the maelstrom of omnibuses, waiters, head waiters and patrons swirling about you. A man who is eating lobster has to concentrate all his faculties, mental, physical, moral and intellectual, on the ordeal. You have heard no doubt of the young lady who was asked over her first lobster how she liked it. "I think," she declared, "it's perfectly delicious if there weren't so many large bones in it. They look like celluloid, don't they?"—Richard Duffy in Putnam's.

He Was a Poor Guesser.

He was a new conductor and anxious to expedite matters. When he saw a woman holding a two dollar bill in her hand he dispensed with the customary exhortation to pay her fare and began to count out change. There had been a drain on his pockets throughout the trip, and he was obliged to interview half the passengers in the car before he finally secured the desired small coin. Finally the transaction was completed, and the conductor returned to the woman.

"Fare?" he said.

The woman fished a nickel from her pocketbook. Then she looked at the two dollar bill.

"Dear me!" she said. "How careless I am! I forgot I had that money in my hand. Somebody might have stolen it."

"Chump!" growled the conductor.

The woman thought he meant her, but he didn't. He was cursing his own stupidity.—New York Globe.

French Peasant Women Hard Workers.

The French peasant woman, Bretonne or otherwise, works hard as any man. It makes one sad to see the women working in the fields, digging and delving, carrying heavy burdens, driving the cattle, sometimes attending to the machinery employed on the farms. One wonders whether husbands and fathers appreciate it all, especially when you hear some of the ballads, for ballads are supposed to reveal the soul of a people. I heard one the other day of which the refrain is as follows:

> Dear is my good wife Jeanne,
> Her death I should deplore,
> But dearer are my beaves,
> Their loss would grieve me more!

—From Plougastel (France) Letter to New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Not Worth It.

A young man, after his banns had been twice announced, called upon the busy vicar early one morning. He wanted to have a private word with him about the banns.

"Well," said the vicar, "what is wrong?"

"Oh, it's the girl's name."

"Hasn't it been given correctly?"

"Oh, yes, it's correct enough, but I want you to put another girl's name for the third calling. I've changed my mind and would rather marry Mary 'Arris instead of Sarah Jenkins."

The vicar lectured the youth upon his fickleness and told him if he wanted any alteration it would be necessary to make a fresh start and have the banns published afresh.

"What, and pay another shilling?" gasped the lover.

"Certainly," replied the vicar.

"Well, in that case you had better let it be as it is, and I'll marry my first love."—Pearson's Weekly.

R. E. WHITE GETS VERDICT

RECOVERS FROM RAILROAD FOR A BAD DELAY IN THE SHIPMENTS

JURY GAVE PLAINTIFF MORE THAN SUIT WAS BROUGHT FOR — ROWE ATTORNEY

At Grand Rapids in the district court the last case tried was that of R. E. White, a well known farmer of western Polk County who for many years past has done considerable logging business. He had a damage suit against the M. & R. R. Railway Co. White is a logger who in the fall and winter of 1905 was logging north of Deer River. In November of that year Mr. White delivered to the railway company for transportation some sixty men and a carload of vegetables paying the transportation charges.

Delays were experienced in the transportation, Mr. White lost several days of the men's time and when the vegetables were finally delivered they were found to have been frozen. Mr. White's suit was to recover the damages sustained by the perishing of his vegetables and the loss of time by his men.

The Grand Rapids Independent says, "W. E. Rowe, a prominent attorney of Crookston represented White, while R. J. Powell of Minneapolis conducted the case for the railway company. The jury returned a verdict for White, allowing him $813.00."

THE CROOKSTON JUVENILE BAND

ENERGETIC YOUNG MEN WHO ARE MAKING GOOD USE OF THEIR TALENTS

REAL HONOR ROLL AMONG THE YOUNG MEN OF THIS CITY

Crookston people have shown their pride in the Juvenile Band. The Crookston band has long been the pride of the city, but the young men who have made such a fine showing have also received their shore of attention and excited a well deserved commendation because of the splendid showing they made:

A complete list of the Crookston Juvenile band members up to date, including beginners is as follows:

Piccalo—
  Ignatius Hamel
  Oliver Christianson
Clarinet—
  Harry Burkhardt
  Rufus Milne
  Richard Mills
  Chase Mix
  Julian Ellingboe
  Oscar Sivertson
  Herman Sivertson
  Harold Evans
  Will McCaffery
  John Heldstab
  Loren Graves
Saxaphone—
  Emmett Wright, Alto,
  Clinton Peterson, Soprano
Cornet—
  Lyle Brown
  Albert Prugh
  Howard Clapp
  George Larivière
  George Riedesel
  Alvin Granvold
Altophone—
  Henry Bray
  Loyd Carlisle
  Bradford Swedburgh
  John Lytle
Trombone—
  Clarence Mickelson
  Roy Larson
  Harold Vandermark
  Loren Spence
  Arthur Amundson
  Selmer Hogen
Bass—
  Frank Anderson
Baritone—
  Chester Warner
  Noble Jones
Drums—
  Forest Lancaster Bass
  Curtis Monroe, Snare

A worthless man always seems to have more friends than a worthless woman.

A woman never knows what a man thinks of her altho she thinks she does.

If the face of a small boy has a set look it's a sign that mischief is about to be hatched.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

ROSEAU CO. IS BOOMING

EDITOR R. H. MEDICRAFT SAYS GREAT BOOM IS IN PROGRESS

MANY PEOPLE COMING IN, AND FREIGHT SHIPMENTS ARE IMMENSE

From Saturday's Daily—

R. H. Medicraft, one of the prominent attorneys of Roseau arrived in the city last evening and will remain over Sunday attending to some business matters. In an interview with the Journal Mr. Medicraft this morning said:

"The comletion of the railroad to Roseau has shown us what we really had better than ever before. When our freight was being hauled in by wagons from several directions we did not realize the amount of business that was being done there. Now all that is necessary is to watch the shipments that are arriving every day over the Great Northern train. It is really surprising the amount of freight and express that is received there every day.

"Roseau is forging ahead. This year a 10 foot cement sidewalk will be built from the center of the city on both sides of t he street to the new Great Northern depot, a distance of about four blocks.

"We will erect two fine steel bridges the coming summer to replace the wooden bridges over the Roseau River — improvements that will certainly be noticed.

"Roseau is also to have a new $35,000 school building the coming summer which will be a most noticeable improvement and of which every resident will feel a just pride.

"Few people outside our own county realize the real extent of the benefit of the railroad connections which we now enjoy. I was talking to a farmer a few days ago and he told me that he had secured seed for 50 acres of potatoes which he would sow this year. The land about Roseau is ideal for potato growing but in the past we have had no way of shipping them without a long wagon haul and this is too expensive to be rofitable.

"There has also been a very noticeable increase in the price of Roseau County land since the railroad was completed thru our city and never in the history of the county was the feeling so optimistic among both business men and farmers. We are on the verge of the greatest era of prosperity we have ever enjoyed."

COMMITTED TO ASYLUM

SIVER CLIFFGAARD KNOWN AS SHARESPEARE GOES TO ASYLUM

This afternoon Judge of Probate T. T. Morken and two physicians decided that Siver Cliffgaard better known about the city as "Shakespeare" was a fit subject for the asylum for Fergus Falls. His committment was made out and he will be taken down this evening.

The unfortunate man has been a victim of St. Vitus dance for a number of years, and has been extremely obstreperous of late being vicious as well, and has been a nuisance on the streets and around the Great Northern depot. The action of the judge will be most heartily commended.

TAFT TO PRESS A KEY OF GOLD

When President Taft gives the signal from the White House that will flash across the continent and start the wheels whirling at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, June-, his hand will press a key of virgin gold, studded with the first nuggets taken from a claim in the Klondike.

A large nugget set on the key bar, was the first found on bed rock in the discovery claim and the twenty-two nuggets which stud the exquisite jewel were in the poke brought out by the discoverer, George W. Carmack.

The base upon which the instrument rests is white Alaska marble and the button which tips the key bar and which is set off with a nugget, is of walrus vory. On the plate of solid gold are inscribed:

"Presented to the president, William H. Taft, for the purpose of opening the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, June 1, 1909. Made from the finest gold discovered and taken from the Klondike Aug. 16, 1896, and presented by discoverer, George W. Carmack."

SAW FORMER RESIDENTS

CAPT. BROWN TELLS OF FORMER CROOKSTON RESIDENTS LOCATED IN WEST

QUITE A NUMBER ARE LOCATED IN PORTLAND AND ASTORIA OREGON

From Saturday's Daily—

In speaking of his trip west this morning, Capt. M. R. Brown told of meeting several former well known citizens of Crookston. He said among other things.

"On my return from California I stopped a few days in Portland, Ore., where I met several former residents of Crookston. Among them were W. D. Hurlburt, after whom Hurlburt St. in Crookston is named, Sylvester Peterson formerly in the Crookston U. S. Land office and Nat Campbell, former mayor of Crookston. I had a very nice visit with all of them. They are looking well and apparently are prospering in their several followings.

"I went from there to Astoria, about 150 miles down the Columbia River to its mouth. That is one of the most picturesque and romantic cities that I found on the coast. It has so many natural beauty spots that it must eventually make a typical Switzerland city. It is a city of about 15,000 or 20,000 inhabitants. Its principal resources are lumber, and salmon fisheries and canneries.

"There also I met several old time residents of Crookston. The Utzingers among them. C. C. Utzinger and his brother Jake both prominent and well known citizens of Crookston in the early days. They have nice homes and are doing nicely in their occupations. They have very nice families, all grown up, and are industrious. The C. C. Utzinger girls are employed, one as a teacher in the public schools there, and the other two have nice positions as bookkeepers in prominent business houses. One son is also bookkeeper in a bank They all seem to be happy and feeling well and satisfied.

"I should also state that Astoria is a live progressive city and recently a fine court house was erected costing about $200,000 and several splendid public school houses which would be a credit to any city.

"From there I went to Tacoma and Seattle and thence to Crookston and am better pleased with my home city than with any city I visited."

WAS WELL PROVIDED FOR

THOMAS KEEFE OF MOHALL N. D. WELL SUPPLIED WITH CASH

FELL OFF TRAIN THIS MORNING —HAD $2500 ON HIS PERSON

Thomas Keefe, who resides at Mohall N. D., came in on the train from Duluth this morning enroute home. He had been interviewing "Uncle John Barley Corn" and in trying to take a view of Crookston from the car steps, fell off. Edson Jerome pulled him from under the car wheels, and Keefe at once accused Jerome of pulling him from the train.

Officer Nelson, who witnessed the affair took Keefe in charge. He was fined $5, and costs in Judge Gossman's court for being drunk and paid it.

Incidentally it developed that he had about $2500 on his person in cash drafts and checks. A few more, similarly hooked up should fall off in this city and remain.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Gentlemen's List

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Ladies' List

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Hall Mrs.
Hauge Miss Bertine
Johnson Miss Lizzie
Matson Mrs. Carrie
Ohms Miss Ida
Olson Miss Annie
Orens Miss Maggie
Peterson Miss Maud
Sellstad Miss Anna
Walthus Miss M G

Elias Steenerson, P. M.

The man who can't stand prosperity will find it harder to stand adversity.

FARMERS ARE PROSPEROUS

A VAST AMOUNT OF BUILDING TO BE DONE IN POLK COUNTY

AMONG THE FARMERS IN SOUTHERN PART OF THE COUNTY

From Saturday's Daily—

The farmers of Polk County are certainly prosperous. There is going to be more building by them this year than for many years past. The Fertile Journal publishes the following list of improvements to be made in the townships surrounding that village:

Nels West, of Sundahl will erect a large barn.

C. O. Monson, Sundahl will build a large up-to-date farm residence.

Herman Loitten, Bear Park barn 40x70 feet.

Fliflett Bros., of Bear Park will put up a fine large barn.

Geo. Sirjord, Bear Park, a granary.

M. Haugen of Garfield a new barn.

O. Hendrickson of Bear Park a large barn.

Isaac A. Holm of Garden, will do some building.

T. J. Larson of Garden a commodious farm residence.

Mrs. Stromberg, of Bear Park a barn.

Andrew Hoff of Liberty will put up a barn that will compare with the best in his town.

Osten Born of Bear Park, a barn of the latest architecture.

Lars Yetnes Bear Park, a barn.

Knute Bolstad, Garfield will build an addition to his barn.

Christian Motteberg, Sundahl, will make extensive improvements to his residence.

Mrs. H. Juelson, Sundahl, a barn of good dimensions.

Mrs. Hans Gullickson, Garfield an up-to-date farm residence.

Louis J. Larson, Garfield addition and extensive repairs to residence.

Halvor Baaten, Woodside, will remodel his house.

Ole K. Olson, Garden a dwelling house.

Helge Brakhuse, Bear Park, a barn.

Chas. Hansonn, Sundahl, house and barn in Fertile.

Peter O. Monson Sundal concrete store building in Fertile.

Woodside-Garden Creamery Association, creamery building in Garden.

NUISANCE OF DEPOT LOAFERS

LADIES WHO ARE TRAVELING ARE GREATLY ANNOYED BY THEM

GREAT NORTHERN AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES SHOULD TAKE ACTION

One of the biggest nuisances in Crookston, and one of the most anoying to the ladies who are traveling, specially transients, is the habit of a gang of loafers, ranging in age from 14 years to 20 years to gather at the Great Northern depot every evening. They remain there till the last train has pulled out at 10:30. Most of them lally-gag about the ladies waiting room annoying transients by passing remarks and making it very embarrassing for them to take advantages of the conveniences provided for them in the depot.

The Great Northern and local authorities should get together in the matter and engage some one, specially provided with a pair of copper toed boots to assist every one of the loafers to the street and make it more convenient for them to eat their meals from the clock shelf for about two weeks.

A short course of such treatment would make some other place more attractive f otr m. h e shrdluuuuu attractive for them.

Mrs. S. Rosenthal announced today that the Current Events Club had made arrangements for a lecture course the coming winter, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of new books for the Carnegie Library. The course will be strictly high class and will include such attractions as Dr. Lindsey the juvenile court judge of Denver, Col., whose reputation is now world-wide, Dr. McQueen the African explorer, Miss Barget and five musicians of national reputation and other attractions of that character. The idea is a most laudable one and the ladies of the Current Events Club will receive the most hearty cooperation of the general public in their most worthy and commendable undertaking.

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WELL PLEASED WITH VALLEY

B. E. LANE OF CARHART FARM HAS HAD SUCCESSFUL 3 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

PREFERS THIS CLIMATE TO ILLINOIS OR CALIFORNIA — 800 ACRE STOCK FARM

From Tuesday's Daily—

B. E. Lane the owner of what was formerly known as the Carhart farm between Angus and Euclid, consisting of 800 acres is spending the day in the city. He has now been here for the past three years and in a statement to the Journal today he said:

"I can state very emphatically that I am pleased with the Red River Val ley. Prior to coming here I was located in Vermillion, Minn., and before that was located in Illinois for several years and also spent seven years in California. I certainly pre fer the climate here to the winter climate in Illinois and there is no summer weather that can beat that of the Red River Valley. Both myself and my wife far prefer this climate in winter to the climate in California. We feel better, the air is dryer, and we have experienced no discomfort from the cold weather here during the past three years."

Mr. Carhart divides his attention between stock raising and grain raising and has been very successful, also buying stock for shipment. He devotes all his attention in the stock line to beef cattle, tho wherever he gets hold of a good milch cow he sells it to some neighbor who is in the dairy business as he has not time to give the required time to a properly kept dairy.

At the present time he has a herd of 90 cattle and when he makes a shipment they are prime animals which bring top prices in the St. Paul market.

He also has 30 head of horses, practically all brood mares, having bought 11 head of percherons, including a few colts this spring which he shipped in. He says there is no reason why this should not be a most successful stock raising country as conditions in every way favor it. He says gains are being made in the stock raising industry in the Valley every year and he predicts a great future for this section in that line.

Mr. Lane who is a warm friend of Mayor McPhee spent some time with the mayor today.

CANDY COMPANY SUSTAINS LOSS

ESTIMATED THAT GALE COST $2,000 TO GRAND FORKS CONCERN

BASEMENT WHERE WORKERS HAD BEEN ENGAGED FILLED WITH DEBRIS

From Monday's Daily—

Convinced that their lives were in danger, bricklayers employed on the foundation of the new candy factory of the Congress Candy company at Grand Forks declined to work longer in the shadow of the old factory. This was at 10:30 Saturday forenoon. At 4:30 in the afternoon the entire east wall of the old factory crashed over on the basement where the men had been working. The collapse was due to a heavy wind which was blowing from the southeast. The brick demolished the portion occupied by the engine and boiler and damaged the machinery to a large extent. The loss to the company will be at least $2,000 It had been intended to use the old walls by repairing them. It will be necessary to raze them now.

The streets in the vicinity were roped off for a safe distance and the street car traffic on the University line to down town points was suspended.

Dinnie Bros. had the basement walls of the new building about completed and the windows were being put in.

CONDUCTOR REED IS DEAD

News was received in the city yesterday of the death at Brandon of Conductor C. R. Reed, of the Great Northern, who was a resident of Grand Forks for years. He ran on the Churchs Ferry-St. John branch for some time and then was transferred to the Brandon line. His wife and children reside at St. John. He was well known to the railroad men thruout this section.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

SAYS ITS A FARGO MOVE

PEOPLE ALONG RED RIVER OPPOSING MOVE TO DECLARE RED RIVER NAVIGABLE

FROM BELMONT TO FARGO—WOULD HAVE TO TEAR DOWN SIX BRIDGES

From Tuesday's Daily—

The business men in the villages along the Halstad line, as well as the farmers on both sides of the Red River are very much opposed to the proposition of the people of Fargo to have the Red River declared navigable from Belmont to Fargo.

It appears that there are six bridges building jointly by the farmers and business men by subscription, which would have to be torn down if the river is opened to navigation, and this would be a great inconvenience to them.

They claim that it is a move on the part of Fargo from selfish motives and that there is no intention or expectation that the government will ever dredge the river and make it really navigable but that the idea is to get rid of the bridges and thus make the people get on the trains and go to Fargo instead of crossing the river and transacting business in the smaller towns across the river.

Hans Samuelson one of the busines men of Climax is spending the day in Crookston having a petition drawn up protesting against the action, and this will be presented at the meeting to be held at Fargo at which a government engineer will be present.

EVERY HONOR PAID M'MRY OF MRS. KOLDEN

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL WAS HELD THIS AFTERNOON FROM SYNOD CHURCH

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. S. S. Kolden were held this afternoon beginning at 2:30 from the Synod church and high tributes to her memory were paid by a congregation of friends filling the church to its capacity. The church altar was banked with flowers and the floral tributes were very profuse and numerous.

Rev. Ordahl of Middle River, where Mrs. olden died, preached the sermon in Scandinavian and Rev. Salveson preached the sermon in English.

Both speakers referred to the beautiful character of the deceased, her patience and her devotion as a wife and mother.

Following the services at the church the remains were taken to Oakdale cemetery where they were tenderly laid to rest after short services at the grave.

Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Andrew Eiken, formerly of this city and now of St. Paul, Mrs. A. O. Daniels, mother of Sheriff Orin Daniels, O. C. Bergland of Clay Co., T. O. Bergland of Ruby, Wash., and the late Mrs. H. B. Tveten.

WILL LOSE AN EYE FROM ACCIDENT

A tiny piece of steel flying from a piece of work a machinist at the Northern Pacific shops at East Grand Forks who was engaged on Saturday afternoon, struck Herman Neurater, a carpenter in the employ of the company who was passing at the time, in the eye. Efforts to dislodge it proved unavailing and the pain becoming very severe Mr. Neureuter went to St. Paul to consult a specialist. It was found impossible to remove the obstruction, which had imbedded itself in the eyeball and the specialist yesterday found that it would be necessary to remove the eye. Mr. Neurater has the sympathy of all in his affliction. He has been with the company for some time and lives on Walnut street in Grand Forks.

A Notable Clock

The most trustworthy clock in the world is said to be that in the basement of the observatory at Berlin, installed in 1865. This time-keeper is enclosed in an air tight glass cylinder and has run for two or three months with an average daily deviation of only fifteen one-thousandths of a second. It is said, too, that for a pure, wholesome table beverage golden grain belt beer has no equal. Keen appetite comes with its use and it removes indigestion. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

SOO AT WORK ON NEW LINE

WILL JOIN CHICAGO AND WINNIPEG AND BECOME NEW COMPETITIVE FACTOR

THIEF RIVER FALLS WILL BE THE STARTING POINT OF WORK

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Soo line today began preliminary work on 250 miles of new construction in Minnesota that will form the new Duluth to Winnipeg route. It will link Chicago and Winnipeg by a line so direct as to change materially the traffic situation between those cities and bring in a new competitive factor.

Two surveying crews are in the field. Edmund Pennington, president of the Soo, has intimated that because of the desire first to complete the Brooten to Duluth extension and the requirements for the cut off that is to shorten the Wisconsin Central line thru southern central Wisconsin, the construction of the 50 miles referred to may not be pushed till next year, but the preparatory work has begun already.

Thief River Falls will be the starting point. The Minneapolis to Portal line is connected across North Dakota by a Kenmare to Thief River Falls ex tension of about 300 miles. From Brooten, just south of Glenwood, Minn., the line to Duluth, not yet com pleted, begins. On this work will be pushed during the summer. The new 250 miles of road will strike east from Thief River Falls and the first construction will be across Red Lake county to the Indian reservation. Two surveys have been made from there, one north of Red Lake the other to the southward, through Beltrami county.

Besides the old connections direct from Minneapolis to Montreal and to Winnipeg, the Portal connection from Pacific Coast traffic and newer extensions at the western end. The Soo now has Minneapolis, Chicago and Winnipeg linked together and when the Brooten extension into Duluth is completed later in the year it will connect with the western end of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic. Thereby it will strike eastern Canada over this line and thence to Canadian Pacific rails proper as well as by the intimate Canadian Pacific connection at Sault Ste Marie. The Wisconsin division has its direct Duluth line. It makes a strong network,

ATT'Y GENERAL MAY BAR PACKERS

SENATE RESOLUTION DIRECTS STATE LEGAL DEPARTMENT TO ACT

ACTION PROVIDED TO PROTECT UNIVERSITY FROM THREATENED DANGER

What St. Paul failed to effect against location of the Armour packing plant at New Brighton by entreaty the state is to undertake thru legal channels, according to a resolution offered by Senator Frank H. Peterson of Moorhead today.

Stating that the future of the state university is threatened by the proposed construction and operation of one or more meat packing and slaughter house plants, the attorney general of the state is instructed to take "such proceedings in court as he may deem necessary against the proper parties to determine whether such claims of liability to injury to the state's interests are well founded; and if so, that the threatened injurious acts be forthwith restrained."

On notice of debate by Senator A. L. Hanson the resolution was laid over till tomorrow.

NARROWLY ESCAPED INCARCERATION

Deputy Sheriff Sullivan and Jailor Thomas Casey returned this morning from Fergus Falls where they went last evening with Sivert Cliffgaard who was placed in the asylum there Sivert was inclined to be obstreperous at times but the good natured cajolings of Deputy Sullivan and a few Irish stories by Jailor Casey soothed his feelings, in fact he went to sleep during the soothing songs.

According to a special dispatch from Fergus Falls this morning however, Jailor Casey had a narrow escape from being incarcerated in the asylum, himself. Both officers entered into a conspiracy however and refused to give details.

BUSLET LIVES IT IS FOUND

MAN SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED BY G. N. IS ALIVE AT NORTHWOOD

IDENTITY OF VICTIM OF SHOCKING ACCIDENT MUCH A MYSTERY AS EVER

From Monday's Daily—

It was ascertained definitely yester day that the man who was killed by the Great Northern eastbound Oriental Limited near Arvilla Friday morning was not Ole Buslet of Stevens Point, Wis. Buslet according to a telephone message is alive and well at Northwood.

Hans Gaustad of East Grand Forks had a talk with Coroner A. P. Rounsevell, of Larimore last evening. The coroner brought with him a part of the coat worn by the deceased. Gaustad had given Buslet a coat before he left for Northwood. He stated positively that the coat was not the one he had given Buslet. He described Buslet as about 50 years old; and partly bald. The man killed was about 30 years old and had light hair and was of medium size.

According to the evidence secured by the coroner from Tony Smith, who accompanied the deceased from Emerado west to the point near where he was run down and killed, the deceased was a Pole. He was short and heavy set. He furnished a half pint of whiskey for three comrades on the walk from Grand Forks to Emerado.

Coroner Rounsvell believes that the man was killed by the limited because of the condition of the body. He thinks the deceased fell asleep on the track where he sat down to rest. He had complanied of being footsore.

NEW RAILS FOR NORTHERN PACIFIC

NOW BEING SET BETWEEN WINNIPEG JUNCTION AND JOHNSTOWN

Ned rails have arrived for the Northern Pacific railway and a crew of men have already been putting them in place. The new rails will be set between Winnipeg Junction and Johnstown in Grand Forks County now and later in the summer new rails between Fertile and Grand Forks. The rails between Johnstown and Grand Forks are said to be in first class shape, but an entire change has been found necessary between the other points.

FARMER RUN OVER BY HIS WAGON

FELL BACKWARD FROM REACH—WAS TAKEN TO BETHESDA HOSPITAL

Last evening at 9 o'clock Peter Williams, a farmer residing near Burnham Creek was painfully bruised by falling from the reach of his wagon and being run over by one of the wheels. Several of his ribs, his shoulder and his back were badly bruised and are very lame today, but it is not thought that there are any serious internal injuries. He was taken at once to Bethesda hospital where Dr. Randolph waited upon him and relieved his pain as much as possible The accident happened near the plan ing mill. The team was caught at once and the police took Williams to the hospital.

FORKS RAILROAD MAN IS TO WED

Thomas Cox who has been connectted with the Great Northern freight depot at Grand Forks for the past seven years and not taken a day's leave of absence during all that time, has been granted a month's vacation and left Saturday evening for Boston, Mass. His legion of friends will be interested as well as greatly surprised to know that when he returns the Forks after his thirty day trip, he will be accompanied by his bride.

Owing to the fact that he has never made any suspecting trips or even hinted that he had any acquaintance with cupid, the news as given out by himself on Saturday afternoon came as almost a shock to his fellow employes, but, nevertheless, they at once extended him the heartiest of congratulations and are now anxiously awaiting his return, that they may extend the same to his chosen life mate and hear the interesting romance that must have led up to this happy culmination.

One Hundred Dollars

is an easy sum to spend—one dollar or less at a time. YOU can save one hundred dollars by the same method. The saving habit is just as easy to acquire and—is much more profitable.

You will find that an account at This Bank, where you can watch it grow and build up to a sufficient sum for a small investment, will act as an encouragement to further effort to get ahead.

Try it—Our Home Savings Account will get you started.

Scandia American Bank
Crookston, Minn

SUIT STARTED TO GET TITLE

VALUABLE PROPERTY INVOLVED IN SUIT STARTED IN DISTRICT COURT

DAN SULLIVAN WANTS CLEAR TITLE TO THE MAINE SALOON PROPERTY

Several intricate questions of law may be involved in an important suit started in the district court yesterday wherein Dan Sullivan seeks to secure title to the business property on DeMers avenue known as "The Maine" at East Grand Forks.

The place has been occupied by Sullivan for the past 19 years and had become one of the most widely known refreshment parlors in all the northwest. It was fitted up with lavish elegance and there are few resorts in the twin cities or Chicago which compare with it in magnificent appointments. The property is a fine brick building, three stories high with an area 25x100 feet. The Minneapolis Brewing Co. holds a deed to the premises transferred by Sullivan in 1898 and Sullivan has a contract for a deed from the company.

He claims his deed to the brewing company was not bona fide, but was given as collateral for a loan of $4,000 and the action is brought on this ground. Notice was served on Sullivan by the brewing company several months ago to vacate but he declined to be ousted and says he will carry the matter up to the supreme court if necessary. The property is occupied temporarily by Harm & Oeschger, while their own building is under construction.

Both Mr. Sullivan and the Minneapolis Brewing Company have made application for a license to sell liquor in the premises concerned in the action and the council can grant but one license. The property is valued at $25,000. H. A. Bronson represents the plaintiff in the case. The papers were served Saturday by Sheriff Daniels.

ARONOVITCH STORE SEIZED BY SHERIFF

E. G. FORKS MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENT CLOSED BY FORECLOSURE PROCEEDINGS

The general store of Aronovitch & Co., in the Zedlick block, East Grand Forks was closed Saturday evening, Sheriff Orin Daniels taking possession by virtue of chattel mortgage foreclosure proceedings instituted by Da Ryan of Nash Bros. of Grand Forks to whom it was given for goods purchased at wholesale. The store was opened a year ago or more and has been under the management of a son of the owner. J. H. Aronovitch, who is a resident of Grand Forks. Incidentally Mr. Aronovitch filed a petition in bankruptcy at Fargo Saturday placing his assets at $10,075 of which he claims $5,575 as exemptions and his liabilities are placed at $4,798.58 and there may be some question as to the final outcome of the tangle.

The Contrast.

The elderly bride regarded in the mirror her wreath of orange blossoms, her gown of ivory satin and old valenciennes and her long rope of perfect pearls.

"There's only one trouble about fine clothes," she murmured. "They make one's face look so shabby."—New York Press.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

HELD YESTERDAY BY CONSTANTINE COMMANDERY NO. 20 OF CROOKSTON

CHURCH SERVICE WAS HELD AT M. E. CHURCH IN THE AFTERNOON

From Monday's Daily—

Yesterday Constantine Commandery No. 20, Knights Templar, of Crookston held the usual impressive Easter services. Following brief services in Masonic hall the members of Constantine Commandery, augmented by a delegation of 25 members from St. Aldemar Commandery from Grand Forks, marched to the First M. E. church where the public services were held.

The regular Easter ritual was carried out, a most beautiful and impressive one, Rev. Willard S. Ward, prelate of Constantine presiding, after which Rev. Francis M. McCoy delivered the address. It was one of the most eloquent ever delivered here on such an occasion and brought forth many compliments from both local and visiting Knights.

Following the services at the church the Knights Templar marched back to the Masonic hall where a fine banquet was served. The delegation from Grand Forks, which came over on the Northern Pacific train in the afternoon, were escorted to the Great Northern depot and left last evennig on the 7 o'clock train, well pleased with the services and the entertainment they had received.

The Commanderies of Crookston and Grand Forks alternate in holding Easter services, Constantine Commandery having been the guests of St. Aldemar Commandery last year and will go over again next year.

RETURNS FROM WINTERS TRIP

W. LEMEN OF ANGUS PASSED THRU THE CITY THIS MORNING

Wynkeep Lemen, one of the pioneer land owners and business men of Angus arrived in the city this morning from a winter spent at the old home in West Virginia where he has spent every winter in late years. Mr. Lemen remained in St. Paul a couple of days, having caught a severe cold and thought he was going to have a siege of the grip. J. F. Montgomery of Angus went to Minneapolis Saturday evening and accompanied Mr. Lemen up this morning.

Mr. Lemen states that some bad weather has been experienced in the east this spring, tho it was quite warm when he left. Mr. Lemen is noticeably more feeble than he was a year ago but it is hoped that Northern Minnesota ozone will soon bring back his usual vigor.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into acepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

The German "Herr" is an equivalent for the American "Mr." But the American "her" is more than an equivalent for any "Mr." on earth.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

BOLD ROBBER, ARMED WITH GUN IS SHOT

Historical Society

Unknown Man [illegible]ttempts To Hold Up George [illegible]ost And John Melgaa[illegible] In A Store At [illegible]osby.

An unknown highwayman who attempted to hold up George Frost and John Melgaard at Frost's store at Rosby last evening at the point of a gun, was frustrated by a remarkable exhibition of nerve on the part of Mr. Frost who put three bullets into the body of the would be robber and the latter only escaped with his life by a rapid exit in the darkness, and it is very likely that the burglar is now in hiding somewhere in the vicinity, nursing severe wounds, altho diligent search has failed to reveal his whereabouts or to give any trace of him.

It appears that the man who made the attempt at robbery came to Rosby yesterday noon, from the direction of Cass Lake. He stated that he was foreman of a crew of men who were repairing wires along the line of the Great Northern railway. He stayed around the general store which is conducted at Rosby by George Frost formerly of Bemidji, and said that he desired to complete a job on a pole opposite the store before the Park Rapids-Bemidji passenger train passed thru from Cass Lake to Bemidji.

At about 8:30 in the evening while Mr. Frost and John Melgaard were standing beside a showcase in the store, talking, the stranger entered the place and asked Melgaard if he would have a cigar. Being answered in the affirmative Melgaard and the stranger walked to the front of the showcase while Mr. Frost went behind the counter to get the cigars.

When Frost turned from behind the counter he was confronted by a big revolver, which the stranger pointed alternately at Frost and Melgaard, commanding them to "throw up your hands."

Both Frost and Melgaard did as they were bidden, and the man with the gun took a bill book from Melgaard's pocket.

While the robber was going thru Melgaard's pockets, his attention was momentarily diverted from Frost, who "ducked" under the counter.

Discovering that Frost had disappeared under the counter, the robber commanded him to "come up" which Frost did having snatched a revolver from his own pocket. Frost fired his weapon point blank at the robber and the latter doubled up like a jack-nife, evidently being hit by the bullet.

The robber returned the fire at Frost but his aim was bad and the bullet went wild.

Frost aimed another bullet at the robber and says that he hit the intruder in the right shoulder the arm in which the robber held his revolver dropping so that he could not raise his weapon to continue the battle.

The stranger rushed for the door and as he passed thru to the outside, Frost fired again.

The robber had failed to obtain anything further than a valuable bill book from Mr. Melgaard, who had some $50 in gold in his pockets and had not attempted to search Mr. Frost.

The man who attempted the hold-up is described by Mr. Frost as being aboutt 35 years of age; 5 feet, 10 inches tall; dark-complexioned, wearing a mustache with remainder of face a ten days' growth of whiskers; wore dark overcoat, with fur collar, and buttoned tight, dark pants one light sock and one dark one, and low rubbers.

THREE MEET TRAGIC END

ALL INDIANS AND FATALITIES RESULT FROM TOO MUCH LIQUOR

TWO BURNED TO DEATH WHILE THIRD, A SQUAW, IS DROWNED

From Monday's Daily—

Three tragic deaths have just occurred near Walker, the victims all being Indians, and too much liquor is blamed for the death of each. Two were burned to death while the other, a squaw, was drowned. David Wright and Kay-tuck were burned to death at the agency Thursday evening in the Frank Columbe house. Both Indians were in Walker that afternoon and returned to the agency at night very much intoxicated.

The origin of the fire is unknown and the only solution is that one of the Indians slept too close to the stove allowing his clothing to catch fire and burning himself to death, as well as his comrade and the dwelling house. Coroner Holman found one of the charred bodies up against the air-tight stove and a further examination proved an inquest not necessary.

An Indian woman named Mary Martin was drowned in Leech Lake near Bear Island Thursday evening. She was in a sleigh at the time and approaching a large crack in the ice near the shore line, the sleigh was overturned throwing the woman into the water. The horse and man with her escaped without injury.

The woman as well as the man, was intoxicated at the time of the accident.

Voted Right

According to the tariff bill which passed the house last week lumber will not be on the free list. We are glad to note, however, that the Minnesota delegation voted solid for free lumber. It is very doubtful whether the senate will put such a provision in the bill it passes.—Greenbush Tribune.

HIGHER PRICES A MONTH OFF

PRESENT FITS OF WHEAT MARKET WILL BE FELT LOCALLY ABOUT MAY 15

IS BELIEF — GENERALLY THOT RELIEF WILL COME BEFORE THAT TIME

From Monday's Daily—

Since the wheat market has taken to flying high and the flour market is having an aeroplane constructed that it may follow in the milky way of its closely allied partner, the people of Crookston have been hearing and reading many bullish reports as to the price of bread and flour The grocerymen and the bakers are crying with faces to the east, "How long, how long can we continue to do business on our present supply of flour " And the echo comes back from the people, "how long, how long before the groceryman raises the price of my flour and the baker cuts the size of my loaf or increases the price?"

Crookston bakers have a supply of flour on hand which they puchased before the price soared to over $7.25 per barrel. Some of them have enough to carry them for a month, some have a less plentiful amount on hand.

In speaking with one of the bakers The Journal was informed that it depended on how long the high prices were continued. "If by this time in May there is no relief —from high prices," said one, "we shall have to raise the price of bread. I hope that it will be unnecessary but with Patten buying July wheat and continuing his bulling tactics there is a strong possibility that Crookston will feel the effect. Some of the eastern cities have already been made to feel the effect. Bread and flour have both taken a decided jump skyward."

There seemed to be little difference of opinion among the local men as to how long they would be able to retain the present price.

Journal want ads bring results.

GRAND FORKS MAN IS VICTIM OF SWINDLERS

LOSES $1,240 IN THE GAME — GETS NOTES FOR $1090 FOR AMOUNT PAID FOR HORSES HE NEVER RECEIVED — FINDS IT IMPOSSIBLE TO REALIZE ANYTHING ON THE NOTES—APPEALS TO POLICE AND WARRANTS ARE ISSUED FOR THREE ST. PAUL MEN —SWINDLERS ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE CLEANED UP FROM $10,000 TO $15,000 IN DEALS

Dealing in horses without showing the horses is said by the St. Paul police to have enriched three men to the extent of $10,000 or $15,000. The men cannot be found to explain to the police the exact amount they cleared on the alleged transactions.

It was learned yesterday morning that Frank C. Morris who lives near Grand Forks is out $1,240 as the result of dealing with the owners of the invisible steeds. He was to show for the transaction two notes which the banks refuse to honor. Upon information furnished by Mr. Morris, Geo. E. Dix, clerk of the municipal court at St. Paul has issued warrants for the arrest of the trio charging obtaining money under false pretenses.

Attested by an Ad

The warrants are for H. E. Chandler who for a time maintained an office in St. Paul under the name of "H. E. Chandler & Co., dealers in elastic roofing"; Robert Burns with offices at 402 Philipsborn building professing to be in the real estate loan and insurance business and a third man, unknown.

Morris' story is that he went to St. Paul to buy horses. He said he was attracted by an advertisement stating that "H. E. Chandler" had horses to sell. He said that after he had been told of an exceptional opportunity he paid $30 to bind a bargain. A little later, he said, he returned to the office and presented his check for $1,060 in full payment. "Chandler" Morris said, demanded cash, which was obtained and given him. Morris said that when he reached the street he was met by the unknown who told him he had seen Mr. Morris in Chandler's office. Mr. Morris said the unknown confided that the horses he had purchased were spavined and othrewise afflicted.

Would Get Money Back

For $150 in hand the unknown told Mr. Morris he would see "Chandler" and have the purchase price returned Morris and the unknown repaired to Chandler's office, where they were told the cash had been deposited in a bank and checked out for "Robert Burns" was a friend and "Chandler" assured Morris that "Burns" would advance the money. They visited "Burns" according to Mr. Morris and then the two notes were given for the $1,909. The notes were drawn at ten and fifteen days, but Morris has been unable to get any money on them.

The failure of the St. Paul banks to honor the notes aroused the suspicion of Morris who asked the police to search for the trio. None of the men has been located. The St. Paul police say offices were vacated April 10, the day the warrants for their arrest were issued.

The St. Paul police say they believe the trio cleaned up from $10,000 to $15,000 on similar deals.

OLD VETERAN STILL IN RING

HERMAN RUTH TAKES OBSTREPEROUS SON-IN-LAW INTO CAMP

SHOWS MAGNANIMITY AFTER SCRAP BY APPLYING RAW BEEFSTEAK

From Monday's Daily—

As Memorial Day approaches the public anticipates the usual reference to the "thinned ranks an dtottering steps of th e old heroes of '61-'65" but that this feebleness does not apply in some cases was illustrated here Saturday afternoon when Herman Ruth, a member of Col. Cobham Post No. 90 who is well along in the sixties objected to some remarks made by his son-in-law, Wm. Barney, and administered to him the soundest thrashing he ever got in his life.

Ruth is not a large man, being about the size of his son-in-law, but did not hesitate to peel his coat and wade in and he fought like a tiger ts½hr she shre she sh e shrdluetaoin an devery time he landed the blood flew. It was a case of "biff bang" and the ultimate result was that Barney looked as tho he had been run through a sausage machine.

To show his magnanimity after the thrashing had been administered and Barney cried "enough" Ruth loaded him in a hack and took him to his own home where beefsteak was applied to the bruises on Barney's face. Naturally the affair stirred up quite a sensation and Veteran Ruth was quite the hero of the hour.

STATE LAND SALE AT ROSEAU JUNE 10

The sale of state lands in Roseau county will take place on June 10. Through some error this sale has been given a date as of May 10. This is a mistake and should be born in mind by those interested. June 10 is the day set by Auditor Iverson and the sale in Roseau promises to be well attended and bidding spirited.

Constant nagging hardens the softest heart.

RUSHING SEED INTO GROUND

FARMERS ARE TAKING ADVANTAGE OF EVERY MINUTE OF THE GOOD WEATHER

WORK IN PROGRESS FROM ONE END OF THE VALLEY TO THE OTHER

From Tuesday's Daily—

Seeding operations were again resumer full blast Monday morning. The weather Sunday and yesterday was ideal and still warmer weather prevails today. The fields are like one vast garden spot. For the first time in many years when the seeding time started generally thruout the Valley a farmer can run his drill from one end of the field to the other without turning out for even the lowest spot. Every day that good weather prevails means thousands of acres put into crop under more favorable conditions than have prevailed for many years. Ten days of such weather as the present will mean the completion of seeding 75 per cent of the oats and barley, and many farmers will be entirely thru with those grains.

Everybody Seeding

Seeding is general now thruout this section and every farm presents a most animated appearance. The good weather of the past three days has started things moving and the result is that the farmers are all busy. The soil is in excellent condition thruout Polk county and in fact in all sections of the Red River Valley.—E. G. F. Dept. Grand Forks Herald.

Hustling Grain In

P. S. Berg one of the leading farmers of west Eldred, who also is in the well-digging business spent yesterday in the city on business. He says the farmers in that section have made a good tart with their seeding operations and with a good spell of weather will have their crops all in in the best shape they have been seeded for a good many years.

Busy at Hallock

C. A. Hitchcock spent yesterday at Hallock attending to some business matters. He reports that the farmers up north are all rushing the seed into the ground and that conditions in that direction were never better than they are this spring. Two weeks of good weather will see all the wheat and oats in the ground around Hallock with very few exceptions as the plowing is all done for those grains.

W. H. WILLIAMS AGAIN CONFESSES TO FORGERY

Former Crookston Man Who Was In Jail Here For Some For Uttering False Instruments Falls Again.

Admits His Guilt And Is In Jail At Bemidji. Prominent In Church Circles While Here To Be Prosecnted.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Arrested on the charge of forgery in the second degree, late Saturday night, W. Henry Williams, formerly of Crookston, employed by the Northwestern Music company at Bemidji, broke down and confessed that he had wrongfully and wilfully forged a name to a piano contract, last Febroary, and begged for mercy.

Williams was taken into custody while in the Northwestern Music company's store, when he was preparing to leave for his residence. When Deputy Sheriff Andrew Johnson confronted Williams with the warrant for his arrest, Williams was greatly agitated and on being informed by J. H. Crouch the proprietor of the exact nature of the charge, Williams in answer to a question as to his guilt or innocence, broke down and weepingly admitted that he had committed forgery, giving no excuse for his act. He was lodged in the county jail, awaiting a hearing, which was to have been held yesterday but which was postponed because of the physical break-down of the prisoner.

The exact charge lodged against Williams is that of having forged the name of G. E. Semon of Mizpah to an alleged contract with the Northwestern Music company of Bemidji for the sale to Semon of a Schultz piano valued at $375. The contract bears the date of February 4 and the first payment on the contract was supposed to be made on February 15. No money was forthcomnig on that date and J. H. Crouch proprietor of the Northwestern Music House, was not exactly satisfied with the transaction but paid no particular attention to it until some time later.

Last week Mr. Crouch became suspicious of the contract supposed to have been made with Semon and, sending Williams to Grand Rapids so that he would not be in this vicinity, Mr. Crouch went to Mizpah and interviewed Mr. Semon. It took but a few moments for Semon to satisfy Mr. Crouch that he had not made the contract with Williams and Mr. Crouch returned to Bemidji determined to punish Williams for his wrongdoing.

Williams returned from Grand Rapids Saturday morning, but Mr. Crouch deferred serving the warrant on him until late Saturday night.

Mr. [illegible] that he will push [illegible] aided him when that aid was needed most and placed confidence in him. This confidence has been miserably abused and Mr. Crouch is determined that Williams shall suffer for his conduct.

This is not Williams' first offense. He was arrested on a similar charge here a few years ago and was held in the Polk County Jail for several months when his wife's relatives came forward and made a settlement with the Bank of Crookston who had advanced money to Williams on forged paper.

Williams then promised to make a new start entirely and lead an honest life, but it appears that he fell again and Crouch seems determined to push the case to the limit.

Williams was a resident of Crookston for a number of years, was quite a singer and lead the singing in one of the local churches. He was also a musician and gave music lessons and also tuned pianos off and on.

MISS PECK IS SAFE; ROGERS & MAURY DEAD

REV. CHAMBERS AND WIFE ALSO SAFE AS IS REV. CHRISTIE—DEFINITE NEWS WAS RECEIVED BY WIRE FROM CONSTANTINOPLE THIS MORNING—GREAT RELIEF FELT IN CROOKSTON RESULT OF THE NEWS

Constantinople, April 19—Confirmation has been received here of the killing of two American missionaries at Adana. They were Mr. Rogers and Mr. Maury. Others connected with mission are safe including Mr. Christie, who is at Tarsus.

This definite news received by wire this morning from Constantinople means that Miss Sarah Louise Peck formerly teacher in the Crookston schools, who is now in a seminary at Adana is safe, as are Rev. Chambers and wife of Minneapolis and the Misses Elizabeth and Mary Webb, well known in this state, but who formerly resided in Missouri, but who are all located in and about Adana.

The pacific tone of the dispatches received Sunday would indicate that the worst of the trouble is over and that the American missionaries are now safe from further violence.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SWEDISH CONFERENCE

The Fargo Districts of Swedish Lutheran Minnesota Conference will hold their annual meeting in the Swedish Lutheran church in Sampson addition Tuesday and Wednesday April 27 and 28.

Rev. N. O. Grunden from Fargo, P. E. Bergstrom from Maple Cheyenne, N. D., N. Lehart from Detroit, Minn., and several other ministers will attend. The services will commence on Tuesday evening and continue the following day in the afternoon and the evening. The program will be announced later.

It's a wonder that more mone don't become round shouldered from stooping to folly.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

GOT 20 DAYS—Robert Hall was arrested for drunkenness last evening and sent to the Daniels Hotel for 20 days to think of it.

KILLED DOG—The autos have not been out long enough for the dogs to get the real "Auto Dodge" down pat and as a result one dog was run over and killed last evening.

DANIELS AT EUCLID — Sheriff Daniels left this morning for Euclid where he had some papers to serve. The sheriff and his deputies have been very busy for some time past.

ON LEGAL BUSINESS—Atty. Geo. Judson left this morning for Fosston where he was called on legal business for the firm of Judson and Fulton.

COL. STADSVOLD HERE—Col. S. S. Stadsvold, one of the leading business men and politicians of eastern Polk county came down from Fosston last evening and proceeded to St. Paul on business.

HAD BIG MEETING—The Eagles held a big meeting Tuesday evening at which a class of 3 was initiated. The Eagles are very active and taking in new members at every meeting.

ATTORNEY CHILGREN HOME—Attorney Albert Chilgren who has been attending to some important legal matters here for the past several days returned this morning to his home at Williams. He is doing well there and is in the very best of health.

PEET PAVING CASE—The appeal in the Peet paving case against the city of East Grand Forks has been set for hearing May 15th by the supreme court. This is the case that was appealed from the decision of the district court jury against the city when tried last winter.

TO LOCATE IN SEATTLE—Emil Lindell one of the well known young men of Crookston who has been a Great Northern lineman here for some time past and prior to that juggled cut glass behind the mahogany, left last evening for Seattle, Wn., where he will continue with the G. Northern as lineman. He has hosts of friends here who will wish him every success.

PASTOR CALLED — Rev. Mireck conducted services twice at the Congregational church last Sunday. In the evening he preached his farewell sermon. At the close of the service a meeting was held of the members and friends of the church and a formal call was extended to Rev. Michaels of Walker to become the pastor of this church. Rev. Mireck has won many friends during his short pastorate of six months. He will remain at McIntosh. The new pastor is expected to arrive about the first of May.—Mahnomen Plaintalk.

Government Inspector Hinman who was here to look over the local post office decided last evening that it would be safer to move from the present building and it has been decided to move into the vacant room in the McKinnon block facing Main street. The date of the move has not been decided upon.

The farmers about this section are seeding or dragging quite generally this afternoon and a few more days like this will see work going in full blast.

Down the Halstad line yesterday afternoon practically all the farmers were at work. With good warm weather from now till the first of May practically all the wheat and oats would be in the ground as the plowing is all done for those grains.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh quires a contstituoitnerdlu dled dluu being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers thta they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Chicago News: A square meal is some people's idea of a square deal.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

OLD TIMER HERE—Thomas Hunter, of Euclid, took the train for Crookston Thursday evening

JUST ONE DRUNK—There was but one lonely drunk to break the monotony at the police station this morning. He was invited to hop along with the snowflakes.

ROUTED THE FRENCH—In a championship game of pool this afternoon, witnessed by those in high places at Carl Ness' pool room, the colors of France were trailed in the dust and the flag of Norway hoisted.

RECEIVED SAD NEWS—Engineer Alex Johnston, who lives at 212 South Main street, received the sad message yesterday morning from Farewell, Ont., Canada, telling of the death of his father on April 5th.

RASMUS TO STILLWATER — John Rasmus, the man sentenced to six months in the penitentiary at Stillwater for stealing some harness at East Grand Forks, was taken down last evening by Sheriff Daniels to start serving his time.

TRIP TO DUGDALE—C. C. Strander left this morning for Dugdale, taking advantage of the fine weather, where he will attend to some business with Herman Camp, the merchant who burned out recently, the Strander Abstract & Investment Co. having carried all the insurance.

JUST IN TIME—Street Commissioner Duval timed cleaning the business streets of the city just about right. Practically all of them had been swept and the dirt hauled away before the snow this morning, otherwise with the present moisture there would have been a very disagreeable "mush" to wade through.

MOVES TO EUCLID—E. C. Murney, who has been located in Crookston in the blacksmithing business, went to Euclid this morning to spend the day on business. It is probable that Mr. Murney will return to Euclid in a short time and re-open his shop there where he was in business for a great many years.

DIRECTOR RIGGS HERE—Director G. O. Riggs, for many years director of the Crookston band, and considered one of the leading amateur band directors of the country, and now at the head of the Grand Forks aggregation of wind-jammers, came over this morning to spend the day with his family.

UP IN THE WOODS—A. L. Erickson left this morning on a business trip, where he will spend a few days. He has just returned from a trip to Fargo, where he saw Messrs. Loren Wilde, Hal Davies and others from this city.

OPERATOR ILL—A. L. Berkland, the linotype operator for the Journal, was attacked yesterday with a fever and suffered severely all night. He was somewhat improved and the physician believes the fever is broken up, though it may be several days before he is able to resume work.

FORGER BOUND OVER—Guy Zimmerman, the stranger who was arrested Wednesday on the change of forgery, was given a hearing in the municipal court yesterday at East Grand Forks and bound over to the grand jury on the charge of uttering forged paper. Bonds were fixed at $250, but he was unable to secure bail and in default he was committed to the Polk county jail and was brought over last night by Deputy Pat Sullivan.

SELLS SALOON—John Hoyum has sold the Christiana Saloon on South Main street to Cornelius Skibstad, of Halstad, who will take possession at once. The saloon may remain closed a few days while stock is being taken, during which time some changes will be made. Mr. Hoyum has been in the business a long time here and has not made up his mind as to what he will do in the future, though he will probably remain in the city. Mr. Skibstad is an experienced man and has many friends in Crookston and will undoubtedly get his share of the patronage.

O. C. Nelson, who was convicted of holding up and robbing a lumberjack in this city and sentenced to six months in the state penitentiary, had his sentence commuted by Judge Watte to 50 days in the Polk county jail.

OLDTIMER IS HERE—Casper Sands, one of the oldest conductors of the Great Northern, who retired from active service a few years ago to look after his fruit ranch near Puyallup, Wash., arrived in the city yesterday for a visit with his son and Grand Forks friends. He has been very successful in the fruit raising business.—Grand Forks Herald. Conductor Sands ran out of and through Crookston for years and has a fine farm in northern Polk county now.

Read The Journal Wants

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

VISITED SON—Rev. T. T. Ove and son arrived from Minneapolis this morning, where they have been visiting Rev. Oye's other son for a few days.

WORK AT BARNESVILLE—Nels Hagen, G. N. Carpenter, is at Barnesville to repair the incline at the coal chute and to make other minor repairs about the shops and round house.

USED A TIE PASS—Rev. C. C. Warner returned from his trip last evening. He made the four points by liberal use of a "tie pass," walking the track from Ebro to Bagley and from Fosston to McIntosh.

PEDDLING SINGERS—Wm. Emmerich is spending the day at Mentor, where he expects to install several "Singers" before the arrival of the summer boarders and for their entertainment.

HAVE THE AUTO FEVER—Dr. T. Bratrud, the Spaulding livery and Wm. Erickson, all of Warren, are all sporting new automobiles and several others are expected to arrive there before the spring is much further advanced.

VISITED OLD HAUNTS — Sam Rustad, an old time resident of Bagley, came down from Crookston, where he now resides, yesterday, returning in the afternoon. Sam says that seeding has been under way more or less for the past week west of Crookston.—Bagley Independent.

THIEF RIVER DIRECTORY — John H. Ley, who is getting out the directory for the city of Thief River Falls, expects to finish his work in about two weeks. He states that the directory will show Thief River Falls to have a population of considerable over 5,000.

WILL VISIT FAIR—Among the Fertileites who will visit the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle, Wash., this summer are Otto Kankel, Brown Duckstad, Hans Paulsrud and N. H. Romuld. There will, no doubt, be several others who will go from there.

MANAGED TO SLIP OUT—After landing Rasmus in Stillwater yesterday morning Sheriff Daniels managed to slip out past the guards himself and arrived in Crookston this morning.

BACK FROM FERTILE—A. O. Hanson, the well known horseshoer has returned from Fertile, where he spent a couple of days showing some trotting horses and stallions. During the balance of the summer he will spend two days there every two weeks for the same purpose.

A FINE DAUGHTER ARRIVED—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. S. Bond are the parents of a very fine 8-pound daughter which arrived last evening. Mother and babe are both doing well today and the proud dad is furnishing farm help free at the Great Northern Employment Agency today and giving the farmer a cigar in the bargain.

IMPROVEMENTS AT DETROIT—Work has commenced excavating for the new sewerage system which Detroit is putting in this season. Something over four miles of sanitary and storm sewers will be put in. Not only this, but Detroit is building a new $50,000 school building. C. W. Street, of Deer Lodge, Mont., has been elected superintendent of the Detroit schools for next year. He is a Carleton College graduate.

WILL LEAVE FOR IDAHO—Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gooler will leave on Tuesday next, April 20, for Couer d' Alene, Idaho, where they expect to locate. Mr. Gooler has been an employe at the Busterud hardware store for many years and is a competent man. The departure of the family from Crookston will be deeply regretted, and best wishes for success in their new home will follow them.

HOME FROM ST. PAUL—Atty. Chas. Loring returned this morning from a trip to St. Paul, where he spent yesterday arguing a case before the supreme court. The case is an important one from Ferris. Mr. Loring did not have time to visit the state legislature and the only member he saw was Senator F. H. Peterson from Moorhead. He says the weather was fine there, no rain having fallen at all.

TRAP ARTISTS ARE BUSY—President Lodgard, of the East Grand Forks Gun club, has called a meeting of the club to be held at the commercial club rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. An invitation is extended to all interested to attend the meeting, which is called for the purpose of reorganizing the club and electing officers for the season. The grounds and traps have been fixed up in good shape. The meeting will decide when the first shoot will be held. The club has a large membership now and there will be numerous additions this season. A number from Grand Forks have applied for membership.

UPSET STOMACH OR INDIGESTION

ENDS FIVE MINUTES AFTER TAKING SOME DIAPEPSIN

STOPS FOOD FERMENTATION AND CURES STOMACH TROUBLE BEFORE YOU REALIZE IT

Take your sour stomach—or maybe you call it Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your stomach misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, billousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle and nothing tempts you or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermantation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a litle Diapepsin.

MORE POTATO GROWERS ARE NEEDED—A potato expert has given out the statement that the potato is the only important agricultural crop that is produced in this country in quantities insufficient to supply the demand. There are a few men who seem to realize the significance of this statement and they are the only ones who have gone into potato farming on a considerable scale, not to throw it up at the end of one or two years, but to stay by it for a period of years, by which plan they can realize the average prices; and that prices makes some surprising profits for the man who knows how to grow potatoes.

WILL PLANT POTATOES—Two farmers by the name of Christianson and Nelson, of Liberty, who are new settlers, will plant twenty acres each to potatoes this spring. There is no doubt about this country being the best potato section in the state, and we have often wondered why more of the farmers hereabouts do not go into it more extensively.

WITH LAND SEEKERS—A. G. Brager spent yesterday at Thief River Falls showing land to Harry and John Gollerud, two friends from his old home at Osage, Iowa, with whom he is going to trade three quarters of land for a large stock of merchandise. Last evening he took them to Fosston and today they are looking at some land in the town of Gully.

EUROPE IN 1910—Rev. H. W. Georgi, of East Grand Forks, announces that he is organizing a party for foreign travel in the summer of 1910—Passion Play year, under the bureau of university travel, Boston. Announcement is made thus early to allow of plans for saving money and for preliminary reading.

CAPTURED WOLVES — Knute Knuteson went out west of Fertile the other day and within a few hours returned with one female wolf and several whelps. He discovered their den and dug them out and for his trouble will receive a bounty of $26.00. Knute is now entitled to the belt as the champion wolf hunter of Polk county, heretofore worn by his brother, Brown.

WANTS WEATHER BUREAU — Representative, Steenerson has asked Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, to establish weather bureau stations at Baudette, Warroad and Fosston. The purpose of establishing these stations is to ascertain the rainfall in the vicinity of the Lake of the Woods for the benefit of the state drainage bureau, when the time comes to construct drainage works in that section of the state.

Replying to student, we would say that the Cannon rules do not contravene the constitution of the United States. They merely supplant it.—Philadelphia North American.

Forgers frequently give banks a bad name.

A HALF MILLION DOLLARS INVOLVED

Prominent Fosston Men Buy 56,000 Acres Of Land In Cuba. Biggest Deal Here In Years.

Practically $100,000 Paid On Deal. 46,000 Acres Of Mahogany And 1,000 Acre Plantation.

From Friday's Daily—

One of the biggest land deals on record in which Minnesota business men have been interested in years, involving about $500,000, has been practically closed and involves the purchase of 56,000 acres of land in Cuba, those interested principally being well known business men of Fosston, including Col. S. S. Stadsvold, who is now in St. Paul in connection with the deal; M. E. Randklev, who returned from St. Paul this morning; John Vig, L. W. Larson, and others, and Messrs. Horton and Simpson, of Wheatland, Minn., with others of that place. The enormous purchase is located between the Guantanamo and Filipino Rivers and 7 miles from the city of the former name, and very close to the United States fort.

46,000 acres of the land is covered with fine mahogany and 1,000 acres is a plantation ready for cultivation.

Messrs. Vig and Larson, of Fosston, and Horton and Simpson of Wheaton, are now enroute to Cuba to look up a few matters regarding the titles to the land and if everything is alright as expected the deal is closed. The parties interested have already made several trips, the deal having been under consideration for several months. Nearly $100,000 has already been paid in cash to bind the bargain.

Equality In Our Public Schools

The Duluth News Tribune of yesterday contained one of the best and most time editorials that has come to our notice in some time as effecting every community, the home life of all—and, consequently, a most vital subject—the desirability, yea necessity, of democracy in our public schools. The News Tribune discussed the subject in connection with a decision to change admission to the class day exercises, and congratulated the class that the first decision had been reconsidered with the expectation that the affair would be made public. Upon this text the News Tribune discourses at some length and in a most able manner the necessity of maintaining in our public schools a spirit of equality among all students. Purse strings should never be allowed to have the least prestige, neither should the social standings of the parents of the students.

All should stand upon an absolutely equal footing. If the young lady or young man who happens to have a rich dad feels that he cannot associate with those whose parents are of humble means, then they should get out, go to some private school where a diploma can be secured for money regardless of scholarship and not be a menace to our public schools.

How often is it that the student of humble parentage, as far as finances and social attainments is concerned, leads the class! Far more often is this seen than the opposite.

The fundamental principle of the public schools is that of democracy which means that no one should be barred from any of its privileges because of financial reasons, nor in any way be made to feel the inequality of the purse. This necessitates simplicity in all school affairs, social as well as of the class routine.

It should be the pleasure of every pupil to promote this spirit and to preserve the public schools as the one place, the one period of our lives, when there is absolute equality, with a total absence of all class distinctions, whether measured financially, by birth or by social connections.

Every public school student has learned that mentally, in scholarship, in kindly helpfulness and good fellowship, there is no such dividing line. The poor boy and the poor girl are not the ones who have the poor brains nor the poor hearts. All, whether the children of the rich or of the poor, of the favored or less fortunate, meet daily on an equal footing in the class rooms and no barriers should be set up at any other time.

It should be the effort of those from the better homes to make the school life of those from the poorer homes as easy, as pleasant and as happy as possible, and they have but half learned the lesson of the American free school if they have not come to realize that the essentials of manhood and womanhood are not marked by any outward garb.

Virginia's Road Methods

We are accustomed to think of Virginia as a rather backward state in such items of internal improvement as road building. The fact is, however, as a recent Minnesota visitor to the Old Dominion has told in The Journal, that Virginia has adopted a very progressive and prudent policy. Her convicts are put to work on the roads under humane and even beneficial conditions, their labor being furnished free to the counties, and model camps being arranged for their outdoor life.

But that is not all. The last legislature appropriated half a million dollars for permanent road construction. This is expended under the supervision of the state highway commission In order that the various counties may share fairly in the benefits, the expenditures are proportioned to the amount of taxes paid by each county, which is also required to expend an amount equal to that expended by the state.

This sound policy is in sharp contrast to the Minnesota plan of maintaining a state highway commission, and then appropriating a large sum to be distributed direct to the counties, with absolutely no restrictions or safeguards. The result is that Virginia is building a fine system of permanent highways, graveled or macadamized, while Minnesota is pouring her money out for the benefit of the political fortunes of legislators, but with little permanent or correlated benefit to the highways of the state. Minnesota ought to sit at Virginia's feet and learn a few things.—Minneapolis Journal.

WILL MOVE ENTIRE TOWN—Iver Sherry, a Fosston contractor,, is at present engaged in what may sound at first like a huge undertaking, but is not as serious as it seems. He is moving the village or community known as Bijou, on the Soo line south of here. It consists of three buildings in all, which he will locate upon lots platted as a townsite since the structures were erected. The average distance of the move is about 500 feet.

There is no need to attribute the removal of industries from the small towns to to the larger cities to knocking, or jealousy or sentimental reasons of any kind. It has been going on all the time for years. It will continue to go on as long as the railroads are permitted to discriminate against the country and in favor of the city. When you get down to brass tacks that will be found to be the real cause of the abandonment of nine out of ten of all the country mills once prosperous, which are not now in operation.—Northfield News.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

PRESIDENTIAL WORK FOR JOHNSON STARTS

Two Of His Political Managers Said To Be Sizing Up Situation In Washington.

Growing AntiBryan Sentiment Counted Upon To Advance Cause Of Minnesotan.

Washington, April 19—It is a far cry from now to the presidential campaign of 1912. Just the same there is evidence in Washington of underground work in behalf of Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota, with that long distant event in view.

During the past few days two of the political managers of Johnson have been in Washington to get at the true inwardness of the anti-Bryan movement in the house of representatives They noted with keen interest the revolt against Bryan and Champ Clark, led by Representative Fitzgerold of New York.

Several political conferences have been held as a result of the visit here of the Johnson sleuths and further developments will doubtless indicate to what extent the Johnson people will benefit by the outbreak against Bryan.

Revolt Against Bryan Spreading

It will create no surprise if certain Western democrats in the house should be found with Fitzgerald on the next lineup on the basis of Bryanism in the house. There is evidence that the revolt against the Nebraskan is spreading and that Fitzgerald will have additional support the next time an issue is made. Certain Indiana and Illinois congressmen who had pledged themselves to stand with him on the rules fight, weakened at the last moment, but are expected to gather courage enough to show their colors before long.

The Johnson men are operating quietly. They are avoiding the appearance of a propaganda but just the same they are wideawake and letting no opportunity pass to manufacture sentiment for their candidate.

Good Session for Johnson

Johnson is just winding up the affairs of the Minnesota legislature after what his friends consider a most successful session.

When the Minnesota lawmakers got together the republicans appointed to steering committee to put the governor "in bad." They realized that unless something could be done to injure his prestige Johnson would be a most formidable candidate for president in 1912.

The steering committee started out to manufacture trouble for him by blocking all his reform measures.

The governor outwitted his opponents, however, and, as his supporters affirm, secured the passage of a number of popular, progressive laws, Johnson's plurality last November was 28-000. Taft carried the state by 80,000 four years ago Roosevelt carried Minnesota by 160,000 and Johnson carried it by 7,000. In 1906 an off year Johnson was elected by 73,000.

TARIFF MUST BE SCALED

J. J. HILL SAYS NEXT HOUSE WILL BE DEMOCRATIC UNLESS PLEDGES ARE REDEEMED.

DESIRES TO SECURE COURTESIES FOR JAPANESE BUSINESS MEN WHO WILL VISIT COUNTRY.

Washington, April 1 —That the house in the next congress will be controlled by the democrats unless the republican party carries out its platform pledges to revise the tariff downward, is the substance of a declaration made today by James J. Hill.

'The people want the tariff revised downward," said Mr. Hill. "That means a reduction of rates. The people have not forgotten the promises made in the last campaign, and it is incumbent upon the party in power to make good. Party lines in the United States have never been so nearly obliterated as at present It therefore behooves the republican majority in congress to make its deed square with the words uttered by representatives of the party on the stump last fall."

Refuse to Comment on Bills.

Mr. Hill refused to make any comment on either the Payne bill or the measure reported by the senate committee on finance. "I want to see the tariff question settled as soon as possible,' he continued. "I am interested in the return of prosperity. We have had two lean years. Normal conditions of prosperity will be restored, I believe, as soon as the new tariff law is laid on the statutes."

The statement quoted was made by Mr. Hill immediately after a call on Speaker Cannon at the capitol. Mr. Hill was accompanied to the speaker's office by Howard Elliott president of the Northern Pacific; John F. Carroll, counsel of the Burlington, and Representative Stevens, of St. Paul.

Talked With Cannon.

They had a talk with the speaker, but Mr. Hill and the others said it had nothing to do with public questions.

"Mr. Hill makes it a practice," said one of them," to pay his respects to the speaker every time he comes to Washington."

It was learned that one of the objects of Mr. Hill's visit to Washington at this time was to interest the government in the prospective visit to the United States of thirty representative business men of Japan. They have been invited to take part in the Alaska-Yukon exposition, to be held at Seattle.

To Visit Twin Cities.

After looking over the show it is their purpose to make a tour of the Northwest, visiting St. Paul, Minneapolis andother cities in that region, and then proceed to the East, where they will visit important points on the Atlantic seaboard. Mr. Hill wants the government to show the Japanese as many courtesies as possible. Before leaving Washington he will take the matter with President Taft, Secretary of State Knox and other public officials.

Mr. Hill is of the opinion that the visit of the Japanese business men will do much to allay the friction now existing between the United States and Japan.

SPECULATION IS STILL RIFE

SOME QUESTION AS TO WHO WILL COMPOSE EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY COMMISSION.

W. E. McEwen, state labor commissioner.

G. M. Gillette, a prominent twin city manufacturer.

G. V. Mercer, of Minneapolis, a member of the state bar association.

The above persons have generally been picked as the commission likely to be named by Gov. Johnson, following his approval of the Campbell employers' liability commission act, but it is now said that there is a hitch in the program.

The appointment of McEwen and Gillette, according to those close to the administration, is assured, but that of G. V. Mercer is in doubt, Wires are being pulled that may result in the selection of some other member of the bar association.

Pierce Butler is picked by some to be the third member of the commission, but opposition is also being made to his selection. The argument advanced by the opposition is that his insurance connections, in a legal way, make him ineligible.

Gov. Johnson refused today to anticipate the appointment of the commission in any way. He said he would sign the bill, which is now being engrossed, but as to his appointment of those who would compose the commission called for in the bill, he could not see his way clear at this time to make and comment.

New York Press: The impracticable thing about truth-telling is how it would make everybody hate you.

LIBERAL TREATMENT

SAID TO BE CERTAIN FOR CROOKSTON SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

HOUSE ADVOCATES OF AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS ACCEDE TO SENATE BILL

From Saturday's Daily—

The lower house of the Minnesota legislature has decided to withdraw from its position on the agricultural school proposition, and instead of holding out for the L. H. Johnson bill, which the house passed, the friends of the movement will work for the F. E. Putnam bill sent over from the senate, allowing $25,000 a year for state aid to ten high schools putting in departments for agricultural training.

The legislature has in fact created another branch school at Morris, by accepting the Indian school buildings there from the government. To begin with, the omnibus bill as framed today allows $7,000 for equipment of these buildings as an agricultural school, and $5,000 a year for maintenance.

The Minneapolis Journal says that the Crookston branch school is also to receive liberal treatment.

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Crookston Citizen's Experience

Something new is an experiment.
Must be proved to be as represented.
The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.
But the endorsement of friends is.
Now supposing you had a bad back,
A Lame, Weak or Aching one,
Would you experiment on it?
You will read of many so-called cures.
Endorsed by strangers from far-away places.
It's different when the endorsement comes from home.
Easy to prove local testimony.
Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.
Read this case:

John Carter, carpenter, 516 Front St. N., Crookston, Minn., says: "I cannot say enough in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills which I procured at Wallace's drug store. I never knew of a remedy that gave such fine results in cases of kidney trouble. We have been using them in my home and a number of my friends have tried them and in every case they have brought prompt relief. The benefit has been so surprising and gratifying that I wonder that we did not use Doan's Kidney Pills long before."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

There are some words that make every interested woman stop, look, and listen. Hips, hoopskirts and panniers are three of them. These are very dangerous suggestions. They are like a red rag to an angry bull when you shake them before the face of the designer who has worked out his new models on the long and slinky lines that women said they loved a month or two ago; and it is just as dangerous to flaunt them before the woman who owns six Empire gowns. There is good authority (and not the troubled designer either) for the statement that the hour-glass figure will not win out quite yet. The lady with the painful shape—if she were to be admitted—might bring in with her the pannier and the hoopskirt; in fact, all things bouffant. For the present there are but small concessions in her favor. The skirt is the least bit fuller when made of sheer materials and flimsy fabrics that will in no way disturb the present straight line, and the petticoat has really been promised a place some time in the future. The wandering waist line has become fairly permanent—just slightly higher than the actual line—for street wear and tub gowns. Summer materials do not lend themselves to the high waisted treatment. It is, however, believed that the Empire gown will hold its own beside the incoming Princess robe for the elaborate summer gown and for evening occasions, distinctions being made in favor of either for personal or becoming reasons.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into acepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

Anyway, if a man is in debt it proves that he once had credit.

KILLED BY A SOO TRAIN

FARMER LIVING NEAR CALLAWAY KILLED FRIDAY EVENING BY SOO LOCAL

MAN HAD BEEN DRINKING AND WAS PROBABLY ASLEEP ON THE TRACK

From Friday's Daily—

When No. 111, the local day passenger train that runs between Thief River Falls and St. Paul, arrived in Thief River last evening a part of the skull of a man was found upon the tender of the engine. This was the first knowledge that the engine crew had of a person being run over and inquiry was at once made at all of the stations down the line, The body of the dead man was found at Callaway and it proved to be that of Knut Taxson, a well-to-do farmer living near that village. Mr. Tazson, it is said, had been drinking quite heavily for a week or more and it is believed that he went to sleep on the railroad track and was struck by the train which passed through Callaway after it had grown dark.

MISS PECK IN DANGER ZONE

THE WELL KNOWN MISSIONARY FROM CROOKSTON LOCATED AT ADANA, TURKKEY

TWO AMERICAN MISSIONARIES KILLED THERE AND FRIENDS ARE APPREHENSIVE

From Friday's Daily—

The announcement in the telegraphic reports that two American missionaries were killed at Adana, Turkey, as a result of the uprising there, has caused widespread anxiety in Crookston from the fact that Miss Peck, a former teacher in the public schools of Crookston, is located at Adana.

While Miss Peck may have been in no danger, she is as apt to have been one of the victims as any other missionary and detailed reports of the dead, giving their names, etc., will be awaited with intense interest as well as apprehension.

MAKES GOOD NEW BUTTER PRIZE

DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSIONER ENCOURAGES IMPROVEMENT OF PRODUCTS

A new feature is to be added to the butter scoring contests this year, and known as the "improvement" contest. The idea is to give a prize to the contestant who shows the largest percentage of grain this year over his record of last year, irrespective of whether he stands near the top of the bottom of the list.

The Minnesota state dairy and food commission believes that this will supply an incentive to the man who did not win any prizes last year to strain every nerve to better his dairy products this year.

Last year about 200 butter and cheesemakers took part at different times, although only eighty-five entered in all six contests. The first prize in each of the three classes, whole milk butter, hand separator butter and cheese, was a trip to New York and the second a trip to Chicago. Arrangements are now being made for the contests, the first of which will probably be held at the Booth cold storage warehouse in St. Paul, about the middle of May.

NEW I. O. G. T. AT CLIMAX

MAYOR HANS SAMUELSON WAS ELECTED CHIEF TEMPLAR LAST EVENING

Messrs. G. T. Hagen, O. K. Berget, Hans Waage and John Klock returned this morning from Climax, where last evening they organized an enthusiastic lodge of Good Templars with a very flattering membership. and every indication points to a flourishing organization. Mayor Hans Samuelson was elected chief templar of the lodge and the membership includes many of the leading citizens of that progressive village.

Women distrust men too much in general and not enough in particular.

A noise like ready money will wake a man up when an alarm clock fails.

THE TONNAGE TAX BILL PASSES SENATE

Measure Now Awaits Signature Of Gov. Johnson To Be Law. May Be Vetoed.

St. Paul, Minn., April 17.—The so-called tonnage tax bill providing for a tax on iron ore and iron ore lands in the northern part of the state, passed the senate last night after a prolonged debate. The bill was previously passed by the house. The bill provides for a tax on an ad valorem basis on mines producing not more than 20,000 tons of ore a year and for a tax on each ton of ore taken from mines that produce more than 20,000 tons a year. The tonnage tax is to be levied in proportion to the amount of iron ore and will range from three to five cents a ton. The latter is purely state tax.

The people from the northern part of the state made a determined fight against the bill, claiming it will ruin the iron mining industry in the state and cause the United States Steel corporation to pay more attention to the development of iron mines in other parts of the country.

In certain circles there is a well defined rumor that the measure will be vetoed by Governor Johnson.

SURE INDEX OF PROSPERITY

35 PER CENT LESS DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS THAN LAST YEAR

AND 50 PER CENT LESS THAN MANY YEARS—SHERIFF GETS WARRANTS NEXT WEEK

From Saturday's Daily—

The general prosperous conditions in Polk county as compared with past years is very conclusively shown this spring by the fact that there are but 200 delinquent personal property tax payers.

Last year there were 300, which is about the average of the past, while the number has often exceeded 400. This shows there is money in the county, especially among the farmers.

This is a remarkable showing as there could be no better index of the prosperous conditions than the fact that taxes are paid promptly. It means that the money is in the country. The farmers are prospering and, with another good year, such as is promised by all signs, the Red River Valley will be in the best shape it has been in its history by a large majority.

The personal property warrants will be turned over to Sheriff Daniels and his force next week, after which there will be some lively scrambling for cover on the part of those who have neglected to pay up their portion of the expenses of government.

SKRIVSETH SELLS OUT FOR $12,000

FORMER CROOKSTON PHOTOGRAPHER TO LEAVE MINOT FOR SEATTLE

Friends here will be interested in the announcement that J. L. Skrivseth, for years a prominent photographer of Crookston, but who has been located in Minot for some time in the same line of business, has disposed of his studio for $12,000 and will leave in a few weeks for Seattle, Wash., where he intends locating in the same line of business.

In addition, Mr. Skrivseth has two fine residences in Minot which net him $40 per month, and also has several lots there. He has prospered at Minot and the sale is an excellent one.

PLEASED WITH SCH'L OF AGRICULTURE

A. S. BURROWS AND NEPHEW SPENDING DAY HERE FROM GRAND FORKS.

A. S. Burrows, one of the capitalists of Grand Forks, and member of the school board at that place, arrived this morning accompanied by his nephew, Chester Huffman, and, after attending to some business with Walsh & Low, drove to the Crookston School of Agriculture, where he spent the day as the guest of Supt. and Mrs. Robertson, inspecting the school and the state experiment farm.

They returned to Grand Forks on the N. P. this afternoon, Mr. Burrows expressing his keenest satisfaction at the splendid work being done there. Mr. Burrows is a thoroughly practical man, and realizes that the School of Agriculture as well as the experiment farm means much to the future prosperity of the Red River Valley on both sides of the river.

REV. STROH MODERATOR

MEETING OF ADAMS PRESBYTERY AT WARROAD SUCCESSFUL

REV. GILCHRIST AND DR. MARCUM DELEGATES TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

From Saturday's Daily—

Rev. W. S. Ward has returned from Roseau, where he delivered an address in the interest of the State Sunday School Association. He also attended the meeting of Adams Presbytery at Warroad on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Rev. Neil A. Gilchrist, of Thief River Falls, and Dr. E. H. Maroum, of Bemidji, were elected delegates to represent the Presbytery at the meeting of the General Assembly in Denver May 30 to June 2. Rev. Grant Stroh, of Warren, was elected moderator of the Presbytery. The people of Warroad were very hospitable, and the stores were closed in the evenings that their employes might attend the evening services of the Presbyetry.

SPANISH FORTUNE FAKE IN VALLEY

CROOKS FIND AN ALVARADO FARMER TOO WISE TO "BITE"

That hoary old swindle of a rich Spanish girl in want of a guardian Spanish orphan girl in want of a guardian has at last reached Marshall county. It has been exposed times without number, but that fact does not prevent its originators from continuing to try to work it. This is a large country and when it becomes unsafe to push the game in one locality it is easy to find another a has scarcely been heard of and the thousand or so miles away where it unsuspecting may easily be separated from their money by what looks like a good thing.

A good, substantial citizen, supposed to have a streak of philanthropy in his nature, is sent a cleverly worded letter from Spain, the writer beseeching him in the name of sweet charity to take charge of the girl and be a guardian to her and care for her until she reaches maturity, he to receive as compensation therefor the interest on about half a million dollars in gold that is also to be cared for by him and turned over to the girl when the guardianship ends.

One of these letters was received by an Alvarado man recently and naturally excited his curiosity. He wrote to the person from whom he received the letter, asking for further particulars. The answer he got to his inquiry said that for various reasons the girl could not come to him until he should have forwarded to those who were looking after her interests the sum of $300, which would be used to pay her necessary traveling expenses from her home to Alvarado. The Marshall county man refused to bite at the bait offered, so negotiations ended right there.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. Sold by all druggists.

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"I Am Bound To Be True"

In vetoing the tonnage tax bill Governor Johnson again shows that he lacks nothing of the full measure of manhood and statesmanship.

Had the governor's chair been occupied by a man of mediocre abilities had the mere politician sat where Governor Johnson sits were Minnesota served by a governor lacking anything in courage or high purpose to first of all be right, the tonnage tax bill would today be a law Minnesota would be guilty of sacrificing justice to greed and prejudice, the state would have had saddled upon it a subtly pernicious law, capital would have been warned to keep away from Minnesota and the development of the most resourceful country out-of-doors turned back for unnumbered years, while the property and the prosperity of one great section of the state would have been blighted as nothing else short of war could blight it.

For altho this measure was a measure so thoroly bad, it came in the guise of a blessing to the state. By it the state would come into the possession of vast sums of money by which the taxes of the people of the state might be lightened, and these vast sums would be paid not by the people of Minnesota, but by "the rich foreign owners" of the shares of one of the hated trusts. This is the thought that has commended the tonnage tax measure to the people of Minnesota, outside of the immediate iron section of the state, and it is the thought that moves them today. Out of Minnesota's 2,000,000 people not more than 350,000 are actively opposed to the tonnage tax; to the other 1,650,000—the vast majority—it has seemed just and right and highly desirable. In county after county the people have unanimously declared for it, instructed their representatives to vote and work for it, and one great political party, the party of the governor of the state, has declared for it In the face of these facts, of this popular demand for the measure, of party pressure and the dictates of party interest and political self interest, Governor Johnson has stood forth the governor of the whole people, the statesman who sees clearly between right and wrong, the man who declares for the right no matter what the odds may be against him. "I am not bound to win, but I am bound to be true," said Abraham Lincoln, and upon that principle and no other has Governor Johnson acted. He has been true.

The legislature in considering and passing this measure thru the house and senate has not been guided by reason or justice; its members have frankly avowed. Honest sentiment for the measure has been but a feeble minority in either house, but pledges given to constituents and the overwhelming sentiment of the people of many legislative districts was sufficient to whip into line for the measure barely more than a mere majority in each branch of the legislature. Members of the house who voted for the measure bitterly denounced it after they had discharged their obligation to their constituents. The senate was even more frank; upon the floor of that body one senator said, "The bill is wrong, unjustifiable, perhaps brutal." and plainly declared that he voted for it only at the urgent demand of his constituents.

Governor Johnson, however, has considered the bill purely on its merits, and his deliberate judgment is that it is not a fit measure to be a law. His decision is a magnificent triumph of right and justice, ample and authoritative indorsement of the arguments that have been advanced against the tonnage tax, and a splendid vindication of the good judgment of the people of North eastern Minnesota who put their faith in Governor Johnson's manhood and his statesmanship and voted for him in the face of a plank in the Democratic platform declaring for the tonnage tax, believing that he would give them a square deal in any event.

The people of Minnesota believe thoroly in John A. Johnson. They have tested him again and again and have always found him to be true, and again and again he has risen to the heights of the most comprehensive statesmanship, while others dare do no more than cautiously tread the safe paths of political expediency. His veto of the tonnage tax measure will be condemned bitterly in some quarters, but it will cause the people of Minnesota to wake to the fact that there is more to proposal than merely to "make the steel trust pay its just portion of the taxes." The people of the state will now begin to study the tonnage tax question and The Herald has no fear for their fina lverdict which will be that the tax is vicious in principle and unjust to the people of one great section of the state and that Governor Johnson in vetoing it was wise and right.—Duluth Herald.

A United Protest

The centralizers or creamery trust are doing everything possible to put the local creameries out of business.

Next Friday April 23 at St. Paul the centralizers are going to try to induce the state Railroad and Warehouse Commission to favor the further reduction of express rates on cream shipments. Below are the old rates and the proposed rates on ten gallon cans.

Old; 50 miles 24c; 100—31c; 200—50c; 300—75c; 400—80c. Proposed: 50—25c; 100—30c; 200—37c; 300—44c 400—50c; 500—57c.

If these rates are put into effect it will hurt every local and co-operative creamery in Minnesota more or less as the St. Paul Centralizer con get a can of cream transported to St. Paul from Northern Minnesota at just as little expense as the local creameries have in getting a can from some of their nearest stations. Is this fair? By all means, no.

If these rates are adopted it will be just another step of the creamery trust towards getting control of the dairy products of this country. These low rates were put into effect by the Interstate Commerce Commission last winter on certain lines outside of Minnesota but we don't want them here.

The farmers are not in favor of these low rates, neither are the local creameries nor the express companies. Only the centralizers want them in their own interests.

The hearing will be held in St. Paul next Friday so address a letter at once upon receipt of this to the Railroad and Warehouse Commission St. Paul telling them the proposed rates are not to the best interests of the dairy industry of Minnesota your reasons. You will have to hurry, next Friday is the day.

The bill now before the State Legislature to prohibit the shipment of cream only by refrigerator service is a good one. It is S. F. 805 and H. F. 1178 and every buttermaker and dairy man in the state should write the State Senator and representative from his district telling them to work and vote for the passage of this bill.

The prosperity of every community is dependent to a greater or less extent upon the income from the cows and the latest move of the creamery trust should be fought by every farmer and every business man.

If the low rates are established, the trust will throw out all kinds of bait to the farmers for a year or two, or until they have succeeded in puting many or all of the local creameries out of business, then they will have the farmers at their mercy and will put on the screws and pay just what they choose for cream and the farmer will have no alternative. They can get the cream under the present rates if they want to pay for it.

Secretary Austin of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association has sounded the alarm and sent circular letters broadcast warning the farmers and dairymen for the proposed action. The Railroad Commission should be flooded with protests by mail and from the representatives of the people now in St. Paul.

No Difference

The newspapers in speaking of Kermit Roosevelt making a fuss during a dollar limit poker game on shipboard seem to think the small limit an excuse for the young man. A Quaker father taught us many many years ago that gambling was gambling whether it was for marbles, doughnuts, pennies or dollars.—Northfield News.

A man's religion never dies so long as he uses the golden rule in measuring his actions.

STATE PRESS

Now Get Busy.

The weather now shows signs of spring in good earnest. Farmers, you have been having a good time all winter and you must be getting tired of having such an easy time. Now it will be your turn to hustle and get in your crops. And, judging by the price of all farm products, we are certain that few of you will be found wanting in getting in as much as you possibly can into crops this year. Never in the last twenty years has the outlook been so promising for a good price for everything that the farm produces as it is this season. We would advise every farmer to put in all that he possibly can put in and do it right and if the crop is a good one, we predict that the farmers of this state will make a nice bunch of money this year.—Thief River Press.

Must Redeem Pledge.

It is up to the senate to make the new tariff bill conform to the pledge of the republican party. The future success of the party depends upon this and it will be found no joke in the next presidential campaign. One has only to listen to the expression of the members of the party to learn that they are awakening to the fact that not only is the tariff a tax but that the consumer pays more than his share. It would not be at all surprising to witness a revolution in the ranks of the republican party in the west should congress fail to reduce the tariff in accordance with the popular demand of all the people.—Roseau Region.

Strikes at Public Health.

The supreme court of Illinois has taken a backward step by deciding that it is not competent for a board of health to make vaccination a condition precedent to admitting a child to the public schools, because the constitution of the state declares that these schools are free. The error of the court, from a layman's view, is in its construction of the word "free." The public schools are free only to children of school age who are physically fit.

This question of vaccination is raised frequently in different communities. There are many anti-vaccination societies throughout the country, and many parents who insist that their children shall not be subjected to the health regulations in that direction. Regardless of personal opinion in the matter, there is nothing more established in medical science than that the discovery of Jenner makes vaccinated persons practically immune from smallpox, which was formenly listed among the dread diseases. Today all physicians regard it as much less dangerous than scarlet fever, mumps or some forms of measles. Under the circumstances, no decision of a court can furnish warrant for any person to help in spreading a disease by neglecting the known preventives.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Adam had one thing to be thankful for He never had to weed his pa's onion beds when the other boys were going fishing.

Government Demands Improvement Of Rural Roads

The postoffice department at Washington has decided upon an aggressive campaign in behalf of the improvement of the country roads used by the government in the operation of the rural free delivery system. The matter has been under advisement by the federal authorities for several years, and recent letters from Mr. P. V. DeGraw, the fourth assistant postmaster general, to postmasters throughout the country, indicate a determination to take the question up in an effective way.

Several postmasters in Minnesota have been notified by Mr. DeGraw that the intention of the department has been called to the bad condition of the roads on certain rural delivery routes, and the postmasters are requested to call the attention of the proper county authorities to the situation. The postmasters are also instructed to "report results to this office at the expiration of sixty days in order that, if action has not been taken looking to the improvement of the roads, this department may consider the advisability of withdrawing service from those roads which are in bad condition."

This places the matter squarely up to the farmers for whose benefit the rural free delivery system was established. Under the constitution of the United States, congress has authority to exercise control over post roads and the postoffice department, under laws adopted by congress, is vested with power to withhold free delivery from any rural district that fails to keep its highways in good condition. The department already has abolished certain routes in the south because of the poor condition of the country roads and the failure of the proper authorities to take any steps toward their improvement. The recent notice simply serves to again emphasize the great need throughout the country for the betterment of the public highways along some intelligent, systematic plan.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Does Congress Read History?

The suggestion that the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill be helped out by an income tax shows how little confidence congress has in either bill's ability to bridge the chasm between income and expenditure. It shows also how poor readers of history congressmen are, if they lean upon the bruised reed of an income tax. The makers of the Wilson bill did that, and when the supreme court set it aside their calculations as to revenue were knocked to pieces.

The republicans would do well to look also at the history of the McKinley bill. That was a bill avowedly intended to decrease revenue. The country had a surplus. Congress decided to dispose of it by preventing importations. It put prohibitive duties on many articles. Its authors calculated that it would reduce the revenue $50,000,000. It did. When it got going well, it reduced them $100,000,000. Meanwhile, congress increased appropriations $100,000,000. The surplus was wiped out, and a deficit was so near that President Harrison's secretary of the treasury was getting ready to face it with bonds, when Mr. Cleveland conveniently stepped into office and assumed the unpopular burden.

It was then that the democrats had their opportunity. They were a revenue tariff party. They were entitled to tax revenue-producing articles like tea, coffee and sugar. But they didn't. They fell into the hands of protectionist democratic senators, who sheared the Wilson bill of its revenue-producing features and left it a hodge-podge of reduced duties which did the industries of the country no good, and failed to provide the treasury with revenue. The Wilson bill, plus the bond issues, ruined the Cleveland administration. But if the democrats had taken care of the revenue, they might have survived the Wilson bill for, as it was, in its second and third years it began to produce more money for the treasury.

The republican party is at the same point where the democrats were in 1893. It has to produce revenue. It must not make the mistake of the democrats who leaned on a doubtful income tax. The tariff bill itself should take care of the deficit. There are still two ways of doing it, neither of which the republicans have accepted. They may reduce duties to the point where importations, freed from unreasonable restrictions, will enrich the treasury or they may tax noncompeting articles which are certain revenue producers. — Minneapolis Journal.

Mind and Body Building

Some of the best physicians who only a few years ago ridiculed mental healing, are beginning to adopt the principle—so far as they know how—in their practice; especially the power of suggestion. They are finding that their patients are often more affected by mental medicine, by their encouragement and good cheer than by their pills. They are advocating, too, the use of a good malt tonic such as golden grain belt beer; an unequalled appetizer and the best digestive known. Have it on your home table at all times. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex A. Thompson, Crookston.

A few people go around the world but the majority of us are satisfied to go thru it.

A woman nearly always shows up best in an argument when she does not know anything about the subject on tap.

CITY STUDENTS INTERESTED

PROF. HARRINGTON AND SUPT. THORSON WILL VISIT CITY SCHOOLS THURSDAY

AND EXPLAIN THE INDUSTRIAL CONTEST WORK TO THEM—MUCH ENTHUSIASM

From Tuesday's Daily—

The first meeting ever held in Polk county for the encouragement of industrial work in the rural schools which took place at the city hall yesterday afternoon, having been called by County Supt. of Schools N. A. Thorson and was a signal success. One school in this vicinity was dismissed for the day on the order of the school boards and the teacher and students attended the meeting enmasse. The gathering was addressed by Prof. L. P. Harrington of the Crookston school of Agriculture who is working during the summer vacation under the direction of A. D. Wilson, Superintendent of Farmers Institutes, Supt. Robertson of the Crookston Experiment Station, Supt. Thorson and others.

Will Enter Contests

The county grain and vegetable contests were explained, together with the state contest and the best varieties of grain corn, vegetables etc., thoroly discussed. The rural students and teachers displayed a great deal of enthusiasm and the result will be that students in every rural school in the vicinity of Crookston will make individual efforts with the intention of entering the county industrial contest.

Free Seed Corn

Supt. Thorson contemplates securing some prime seed corn and distributing it free to students who will plant the seed individually and send ten ears in next fall to the county contest. The proper preparation of the ground before seeding, the best methods of cultivation and other prominent subjects were discussed fully for the benefit of the students.

Will Bear Great Fruit

This industrial work, supplementing the work done at the school of Agriculture it is believed will bear great fruit in the future development of this section in the line of improving the methods of diversified farming and starting the younger generation of farmers on the right track. Similar meetings will be held at Fosston today and at Climax tomorrow.

City Students Interested

After completing his address at the city hall yesterday to the rural students, Prof. Harrington and Supt. Thorson went to the McKinley school where Prof Harrington explained the industrial work to the students and they displayed the keenest interest and enthusiasm. They wanted to enter the contest also.

So great was the interest that Supt. McIntyre invited Messrs. Harrington and Thorson to make the rounds of all the schools Thursday and this will be done and the work thoroly explained. It is believed that several hundred students from the city will enter the contest.

May Secure Plot

The suggestion has been made, and it is a good one, that some farmer near the city lease a good sized plot of ground on shares, half to go to the students and half to the owner of the land, and that some capable man be secured to direct the work of the students during the summer months allotting each student a plot of ground to work.

Going Like Wild Fire

Prof. Harrington who is working under the direction of Supt. A. D. Wilson of Farmers Institutes, says the work is taking like wild fire. In Sibley County he addressed 500 students in four days. One school decided to have a school garden and do practical work every day. This will be adopted in more of the schools later as competent teachers of industrial work can be secured.

ENTHUSIASM IS AROUSED

LARGE GATHERING AT CITY HALL HEAR INDUSTRIAL CONTEST DISCUSSED

STUDENTS AND TEACHERS PRESENT FROM RURAL DISTRICTS FINE ADDRESSES

From Monday's Daily—

This afternoon a large gathering of teachers and students from the rural schools near Crookston listened to most helpful and interest-arousing addresses by Prof. L. P. Harrington, Supt. Robertson, Supt. Thorson regarding the industrial contests of the state and county, and as a result there is no question but what some excellent work will be done in this vicinity the present season.

The best seeds to select, the most favorable soil, cultivation etc., were fully explained, and when the county contest is held here next fall there will be many entries from this vicinity judging from the interest taken by those present.

Corn, grains, vegetables etc., were all dwelt upon exhaustively, and there will be some fine samples result. This move on the part of Supt. Thorson to encourage industrial work among students is one which will receive most hearty commendation and support thruout the county.

HALVORSON IS NAMED

DAWSON MAN APPOINTED AS A MEMBER OF STATE BOARD OF CONTROL

TO SUCCEED LATE L. A. ROSING—HALVORSON ORIGINAL CIGARETTE BILL ADVOCATE

From Monday's Daily—

Gov. Johnson today announced the appointment of Charles Halvorson of Dawson, Minn., to the board of control in place of the late L. A. Rosing Mr. Halvorson was a member of the state senate n 1899 to 1901. He was the original cigarette bill advocate, having introduced a bill against them in 1900.

PREACHER GETS BEST OF TWO "SMARTIES"

A preacher was riding on a Great Northern train to Crookston from Grand Forks the other day. Two young men were in the smoking compartment with him and, knowing his identity, they started a conversation.

"I heard a great piece of news," said one.

"Is that so?" replied the preacher.

"Yes," was the reply. "I heard that the devil is dead."

Both young men laughed uproariously, but the preacher came back strong. He drew a half dollar from his pocket and handed it to them.

"Here," he said, "take this. I always make it a practice to give alms to orphans."

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

EAGLES HAVE FINE TIME—The Grand Forks Eagles entertained delegations from Crookston and Larimore last evening. There was a most enjoyable social session, following the business session.

WM. MUNCH WILL ATTEND—The Swedish Royal band is to appear in Minneapolis the latter part of this month and among those who will attend from Crookston will be Game Warden Wm. Munch. He may be accompanied by Mrs. Munch.

WILL FACE ROBERT STREET—There is a well founded rumor that when the Great Northern erects the new passenger depot in Crookston it will face Robert street instead of Second street. It is understood that the company has recently purchased considerable property south of Robert street and west of Main.

FINE DAUGHTER ARRIVED — Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Lund are the parents of a very fine daughter which arrived at their home 105 5th Ave. north, Sunday morning and is about the finest little baby that ever happened. Both mother and daughter are getting on very nicely and the proud papa was so excited that he went to church twice yesterday.

ALL PRINKED UP — Roadmaster Louis Anderson headed up the north line this morning and created a sensation all the way up. He had a new spring suit on and a "biled" shirt, and at the depot this morning all the conductors took off their hats to him as he had them beat a mile in appearance.

MISS CHILBECK NOT MARRIED—A short time ago the local papers reported the marriage of Miss Ada Chilbeck at Edmonton, the wedding reported to have taken place in March last. The report was sent in by a young lady who got mixed in the people she referred to, the young lady who was married, also being from Crookston. Miss Chilbeck is still fancy free and is teaching school at Edmonton.

SUPT. GILBERT DEAD—The death of F. W. Gilbert general superintendent of the Northern Pacific railway occurred at his home in St. Paul Saturday morning at 8:17 after a week's illness of pneumonia. Superintendent Gilbert had visited Crookston a number of times and was very highly esteemed by the employes of the company all over the system and had many personal friends in this section.

INTERESTING LECTURE — Walter Thomas Mills, who lectures in the I. O. O. F. Hall here Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock arrived in the city this morning and spent the forenoon here, leaving on the N. P. for Twin Valley from where he will drive across to Ada where he is booked for this evening and will arrive here tomorrow morning on No. 5 to fill his date here. Mr. Mills is a very interesting character. He is not ultra-radical, and his address entitled "Despottism or Democracy" tomorrow is certain to be interestoing. He believes that we have just about arrived at the parting of the ways. Either capital will rule more absolutely than ever or the people will rule. He believes that the people will rule, and that they are on the verge of asserting their rights.

ANOTHER FAMILY FOR CROOKSTON — Thomas Flood the district superintendent for the Thorpe Elevator Co., with headquarters in Crookscton has leased one of the Ericsson residences on Hunter Street and will move his family here from the southern part of the state, expecting to get settled about the first of May. Mr. Flood has been making his headquarters here for the past six months but has been boarding. He is so much pleased with Crookston and the educational facilities here that he has decided to make this city his home. A cordial welcome will be extended to the family.

It was announced today that the Crookston sawmill would start either Wednesday or Thursday of this week. If the weather is warm tomorrow the start will be made Wednesday.

The full crew is here, ready to start at a moment's notice. The old familiar mill whistle will be about the most welcome sound that has been heard in Crookston for the last two years.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Sold by all druggists.

Every boy has an idea that if his father had lived at the right time he could have thrashed Goliah.

It usually costs less to get a divorce than it does to pose as the defendant in a breach-of-promise suit.

From Tuesday's Daily

VISITING PARISHIONERS— Father Tapin left this morning for a trip up the St. Vincent line where he will visit some parishioners.

GETTING ALONG NICELY—Mrs. J. Everson of Fisher who underwent a serious operation at St. Michaels hospital at Grand Forks is getting along nicely.

UP THE FISH LINE—Clayt Final and Dad Sabin left yesterday for a trip up the Fish line. Dad figured on casting his hook at Red Lake Falls first and then angling on up the line.

PREACHED AT BELTRAMI—Rev. Steen returned to Fosston yesterday after having preached at Beltrami Sunday, where they have no pastor in his church.

ATTENDING COURT — Attorney W. E. Rowe left last evening for Bemidji where he will spend a few days looking after some important cases in the district court. He has secured large damage suits to try there.

HAD FANCY SEED SAMPLES — Supt. Sheffield left for the north this morning with a grip full of fancy seed wheat and other grain samples. Most of the farmers have their seed this year but there are some who will have but a little seed.

WHITE SEAL SPECIAL —Chas. Kiewel left yesterday for a trip up the Warroad line and will spend a couple of days seeing that all are prepared for the coming warm spell when White Seal will be in big demand. He took Jos. Koelmel along as a side line.

BACK FROM ST. PAUL—City Attorney Martin O'Brien returned yesterday morning from St. Paul where he has been attending to some legal matters for several days and conferring with the Democratic chieftains.

ARRIVE FOR WEDDING— There were several arrivals last evening for the Couvrette-Desautels wedding to take place Wednesday. The father of the bride-to-be, who resides at Michigan, was one of the arrivals.—Grand Forks Herald.

OLD TIMER HERE—J. H. Griffin of the Great Northern force of traveling hustlers spent yesterday in the city on business and left this morning for Bemidji where he was called on is an optimist all the time and is one of the best boosters for the Red River Valley that ever happened.

HERE FROM OREGON — Anton Ekern one of the former well known business men of Grand Forks who is also very well known in Crookston passed thru the city this morning enroute to Beaudette where he has some business interests. Mr. Ekern is now located in Oregon where he is doing well. He likes that country but still has a warm place under his vest for the Red River Valley, which he says can't be beat.

TRAVELLING FREIGHT AGENT—B. S. Merritt traveling freight agent for the Great Northern is spending a couple of days in the city hustling business for the Great Northern. He says business is picking up tho it has been rather quiet for some time past barring merchandise shipments which have been very fair this spring.

ANNOUNCEMENT—Rev. C. M. Williams from Huron, S. D. will preach at the City Mission 413 W. Robert street tonight at 8 p. m. The service will be conducted in the English language. As Mr. Williams is well known in this vicinity don't miss this opportunity to hear him before he leaves. Lots of singing and music. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

STOPPED PROCEEDINGS— Chief Eck and Officer Phillips this morning stopped the crew of T. A. Harris from moving the Hendrickson house on Stewart Avenue till a housemover's license had been secured. The $25 for the license was promptly deposited and the work was allowed to proceed tho the license cannot be issued till the bonds are filed and approved.

THREE EXTRA COACHES—The G. N. Flyer bound for Winnipeg yesterday morning had three extra coaches attached. The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra was aboard bound for Winnipeg for a week's engagement. J. Friend who was aboard says there was all manner of music in the air. Mr. Friend made a flying visit to the cities, leaving Saturday evening and returning on the flyer yesterday morning.

CAMP TO REBUILD — Herman Camp has returned to Dugdale after spending a few days in the city making arrangements for lumber for the rebuilding of his large store at Dugdale which was destroyed by a fire a short time ago. He will build a bigger and better store than before as he has been doing a fine business there and will go after it harder than ever before. The work of reconstruction will start at once and rushed as rapidly as possible in order that he may take care of his trade.

FORKS MILL STARTS TOMORROW—Preparations are under way at the saw mill of the Grand Forks Lumber company in E Grand Forks for resuming operations for the season's out and it is expected the saws will begin their work tomorrow. The mill closed the season with several million feet of logs on hand last fall and quantities are being shipped in by rail from the company's supply over in the woods to last until the big drive comes down from the Clearwater river which may not be before the middle of June. A full day crew will be employed in all the departments and later in the season a double crew may be employed.

GRAMER GOT A SNAP SHOT—Peter Gramer had Carl Borgen take a snap shot of a scene yesterday which he will have used on some souvenir post cards. It shows Ernest Rolsch in his auto, with Mayor McPhee as his guest. The machine is in the alley near the Olds Garage and the driver is trying to back the blooming thing up but she refused to back. Will Olds was playing horse and trying to pull the blooming thing back. Gramer says Rolsch offered him $5 to suppress publication but the offer was indignantly refused and the pictures will be sent broadcast.

HOME FROM SAD MISSION — Col. S. S. Stadsvold accompanied by Mrs. Stadsvold pased thru the city this morning enroute home to Fosston from Waukon, Ia., where they were called by the death of Mr. Stadsvold's father who died last Wednesday at the advanced age of 80 years, death being due to a general breaking down. The funeral was held on Saturday Deceased resided with his oldest son, Ole, on the Stadsvold homestead near Waukon, Ia., where he had lived for 58 years. Four children survive him, Ole with whom he lived, Col. Stadsvold of Fosston, Mrs. Ole Peterson of Fosston, and Mrs. Gulerud of Mahnomen. His wife had been dead for a number of years. Deceased was one of the best known and most highly respected residents of that portion of Iowa.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

BROTHERS IN NORWAY—There will be a special meeting of the Brothers of Norway tomorrow evening at the Viking Chorus rooms. A large attendance is desired.

LIKE HOT CAKES—E. L. Gilbert, the Crookston land man was in the city on Tuesday and drove out from here to look over some farm lands. Gilbert says that it looks as tho land would be selling like hot cakes before fall.—Thief River Falls Press.

STAIR HANDY WITH HIS GUN — J. H. Stair of Crookston was in the city Monday and in the evening gave an exhibition of fancy rifle shooting at the indoor rifle range. Mr. Stair used a 22 rifle and cut several fancy figures in sheets of tin, among them being a striking likeness of an Indian's head.—Thief River Falls Press.

REPRESENTS ESTATE — W. E. Rowe of Crookston one of the prominent attorneys of Northern Minnesota, arrived in Bemidji last night to appear for the plaintiff in the case of Matilda Akerberg as administratrix against F. A. Mayo, which is being tried at the present session of the district court.—Bemidji Pioneer.

CAPTURED HORSETHIEF — A chimney sweep who went by the name of "Gaff" or "West" was found missing from Moorhead on Saturday and with him a horse and buggy. He claimed to be a chimney sweep and immediately upon being notified Chief Malvey and Sheriff Whaley put the telephone wires in service and landed him near Twin Valley. He had left the rig at Perley.

GETTING ON FINE—George Ebbighausen writes from Adams, N. D. where he is running an elevator that the spring is opening up fine there. The farmers are all rushing the grain into the ground and the land was never in better shape. Mr. Ebbighausen is doing well in his new location. This is no surprise to his friends as he is level headed and a hustler and is bound to prosper where ever he is located.

ANOTHER ELECTRIC LIGHTED TRAIN — Agent W. E. Handy announces that Northern Pacific is putting on another electric lighted train to the coast. The North Coast Limited has been electric lighted for some time past and now Nos. 3 and 4 will be electric lighted. No. 3 which left St. Paul April 19 was so equipped and No. 4 returning which leaves Tacoma Saturday, April 24 will be electric lighted and both trains will be so equipped in the future.

TO MEET BISHOP MORRISON — The members of the Vestry of Christ church, Episcopal, are asked to meet at the Guild room on Friday at 12 noon to meet with Bishop Morrison. The services on Sunday next will be 7:30 a. m. Holy Communion, 10:30 a. m. Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon, 4 p. m. Evening Prayer and sermon 7:45 p. m. Confirmation by Bishop Morrison. There will be special music and the choir will be vested for the first time. — Richard Cox, Priest in charge.

NIGHTMARE IS SERIOUS— John Erickson aged about 40 years and a big man put up at a third story room at the Mohr Hotel at Deer River on Monday night, paid for it, was sober and had over fifty dollars in his pocket. But a nightmare chased John out thru the window and he was discovered hanging too the window sill with the window shut. Before aid could reach him he dropped and landed on a pile of coal. His hip was stove in and he was hurt internally. He was taken on the next train to a hospital at Superior.

HITS FRATERNAL SOCIETIES—Fraternal societies and every society that levies assessments must according to the recent ruling of the postoffice at Washington, levy these assessments on other than postal cards For years postals have been used by various societies to notify their members of dues and their payment. The department has ruled that this is nothing more nor less than a dun and a violation of that postal law which will not permit any line of business to mail a statement of account to a patron in an unsealed letter. The same rule is held to apply to the fraternal assessment.

HEAVY SNOW AT FARGO— The train from Fargo this morning was covered with snow and the trainmen reported that there was a fall of four inches of the beautiful there which will delay seeding operations in that section for a couple of days. There was no snow this side of Halstad and the farmers from that section north to the boundary are all at work seeding today. It was a little frosty this morning but after the sun was up a few hours the frost was all gone. The trainmen state that every field has a team or two at work and that the grain is being rushed in the ground more rapidly than ever before

EXPECTS GREAT YEAR—H. H. Hulbert of the Birchard Hulbert Co., of St. Paul, passed thru the city this morning enroute to Argyle near where the company has large farming interests. Mr. Hulbert looks forward to one of the most prosperous years ever experienced in the Red River Valley. He says the tide has turned this way. Land values must increase and the farmers will be more prosperous than ever because they are adopting better farming methods. The demand for valley land will be greater, and at the same time Valley land will be harder to secure.

KEYSTONE

An entertainment will be given at the Aeschlimann school next Friday the twenty-third. Lunch will be served, a good time anticipated and everybody is cordially invited.

Mr. Lewis Brantl is working for Mr. John Gerber.

Lydia and Persida Aeschlimann returned one day last week from a three days' visit with friends at Stephen.

Miss Rose Kotek spent last Saturday and Sunday at the John Brantl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschlimann and Baby Bernice were visitors at the home of Simon Aeschlimann last Saturday.

Mr. Daniel McDonald transacted business in Grand Forks last Thursday.

Miss Clara McDonald called on her schoolmate Miss Mary Brantl last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann were visitors at the homes of John Capes and Rheinhart Ehnen last Sunday.

Some of the farmers in this community seem to be getting rather anxious, as a few were already working in their fields.

MOTHER SAVED SON ANOTHER DROWNED

Last week the 12 year old son of Fred Hedbom who lives near the old Telen P. O. in Western Marshall Co., accidentally drowned while skating with a brother on a pond-hole near the home. Mr. Hedbom was absent at the time of the accident and the mother with great presence of mind succeeded in getting the two boys from under the broken ice and out of the water and to revive the oldest. The younger one however had been in too long and all efforts to restore life in him proved futile.

SLAIN MISSIONERY BORN IN CROOKSTON

H. C. Baskerville, Killed At Tabriz Persia Yesterday, Was Son Of First Pastor Of Crookston Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Baskerville Stationed Here In 1882-1883. Son Was Leading A Sortie Of Nationalists To Get Provisions.

From Wednesday's Daily—

In the telegraphic columns on the front page of the Journal of this issue will be found a brief account of the death of a man named Baskerville at Tabriz, Persia.

The young man referred to is H. R. Baskerville, who was born in Crookston 26 years ago. He is the son of Rev. H. R. Baskerville the first pastor in charge of the Presbyterian church in this city, having been stationed here from July 1882 to July 1883, the young man killed having been born shortly before the departure of the family from Crookston.

Rev. Baskerrville has had many charges in the state, and is now located at Royalton, Minn.

He went to Tabriz last fall to teach in the Presbyterian boys' school and it was the understanding he would eventually enter the ministry. He was about 26 years of age. He has two brothers in Macalester college St. Paul. The family lived in Kandiyohi county two or three years, the elder Baskerville having charges at Spicer, Harrison and New London.

The latest dispatch regarding the affair is as follows:

Tabriz, April 21—H. C. Baskerville an American who until recently was a teacher in Presbyterian school here, was killed outside Tabriz today while leading a sortie of nationalists from the city. The object of the expedition was to open a way for the bringing in of provisions of which the city stands greatly in need. It was not successful.

The situation here is desperate. The Christians of Tabriz are arming themselves and will put up a strong defense during the bloody disorders that are expected to break out any day. The English residents have sent a telegram to Foreign Secretary Gray at London appealing for immediate help.

Russians Terrified

The Russians have taken refuge at the Russian consulate.

The activity of Baskerville in assisting the Persian revolutionists against the government became known early this month. Possible complications were avoided by the prompt disavowal by the Presbyterian mission at Tabriz of all of Baskerville's acts. The mission gave orders also that he either refrain from interfering in Persian politics or resign his position.

People Starving

As a result of the strong representations made by the British and Russian ministers the shah has consented to a six-day armistice at Tabriz a measure which will permit the obtaining of provisions for the thousands of women and children in Tabriz clamoring for bread. Food in Tabriz was exhausted and the hungry and desperate elements in the city were getting out of control.

Attacks on the foreign consulates were threatening but it is hoped the armistice will avert such disorders.

GRAND RALLY AT FOSSTON

INDUSTRIAL MEETING THERE YESTERDAY WAS A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS

SEVEN RURAL SCHOOLS DISMISSED AND ATTENDED ENMASSE WITH TEACHERS

From Wednesday's Daily—

Supt. N. A. Thorson and Prof. L. P. Harrington returned last evening from Fosston where yesterday they held a monster industrial meeting. Seven of the rural schools about Fosston dismissed and students and teachers attended in a body. The greatest enthusiasm was displayed when the contest scheme was explained, and practically every student old enough will give a garden patch of his own on which corn etc., will be raised with the idea of entering the county contest next fall.

After the rural students had been thoroly posted as to the work by the two speakers Messrs Thorson and Harrington visited Fosston schools and there also they met with an enthusiastic welcome and the students in the village will engage in the industrial work also.

This morning Messrs. Thorson and Harrington drove to Climax where a big meeting is in progress today. This will be the last of the series as Mr. Harrington has no more open dates.

Tomorrow the two will visit the Crookston schools and explain the work and it is expected that similar interest will be aroused among the students here.

Supt. Thorson has an idea that prior to the county contest next fall district contests will be held, thus getting the best samples from a certain district, these contests to be under the direction of the business men or commercial clubs in the various villages, and the winners here will have their samples sent to the county contest, the winners of the county contests having their products sent to the state contest. This plan it is believed would be an excellent one and serve to arouse intense interest.

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EVANS TO MEET GRANDFATHER

YOUNG MAN SENTENCED FOR ONE YEAR FROM GRAND FORKS

IS GRANDSON OF LIFER AT PENITIARY IN BISMARCK, N. D.

From Thursday's Daily—

When Harry Evans sentenced from Grand Forks arrived at Bismarck today, having been sentenced to a year in the state penitentiary after pleading guilty to the charge of burglary he will meet his grandfather, Peter Peterson, whom he has not seen since he was a mere boy 4 years old.

Peter Peterson is now an inmate of the state penitentiary. He is serving a life sentence for the murder of his wife at Pembina, N. D., sixteen years ago, and is now about 70 years of age.

Evans stated that he knew nothing of the circumstances connected with the affair which caused his grandfather to take his graudmother's life, he being so young at the time he said that he only remembered seeing his grand father once.

Evans is now 20 years old and was sentenced recently with an accomplice, Art Keller, on the charge of burglary, the two having admitted that they robbed the government boats on the river at this point of sundry articles.

BRITISH PRINCES.

Very Different From the King In Exemption From Laws.

So privileged is the king of England in his exemption from any and every law that one would naturally expect his children might do pretty much as they like. But Englishmen have always been very jealous of royal personages, and the fact is that princes enjoy very few privileges indeed. A prince of the royal blood may be fined, like any ordinary mortal, if his motor car exceeds the legal limit of speed.

The Prince of Wales cannot be sued personally for debt. If the debt is not paid the creditor may take out a summons, but he must summon the treasurer, not the prince. If the case goes against the treasurer the money is paid out of the prince's assets.

No child of the king who is under twenty-five can marry without the king's consent. Supposing, however, a prince over twenty-five desired to marry and the king refused his consent, then the prince could give notice of his intention to the privy council. After that he would have to restrain his patience for a whole year. If during that time either the house of lords or the house of commons disapproved of the marriage it could not take place. But if both houses of parliament were satisfied the prince could marry the woman of his choice.

A prince has not even the right to educate his own children, for it was long ago laid down that the king has the care and education of his grandchildren while they are minors.—London Telegraph.

Crazy Snake Reported Dead.

Muskogee, Okla., April 13.—There is a rumor here that Crazy Snake, chief of the Creek Indians, who has been sought by the state militia for the past two weeks, is dead, but it cannot be verified. The government has representatives in the field searching for the Indian leader, but has received no word from them.

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THE CLOTHIER

PARDON SOUGHT FOR H. KEELEY

GOVERNOR OF MONTANA TO BE ASKED TO EXTEND CLEMENCY TO DISPATCHER

RAILWAY MEN OF DAKOTA DIVISION OF G. N. SIGN PETITION TO BE SUBMITTED

From Friday's Daily—

Signed by 500 employes of the Dakota division of the Great Northern railway, a petition will be presented shortly to the governor of Montana to extend clemency in the case of Harry Keeley, former resident of Grand Forks and Crookston, who was convicted at Missoula several months ago of involuntary manslaughter and was sentenced to serve eight months in prison. The petition has been signed by every employe of the Great Northern to whom it has been presented.

Among railway men and others who understand the circumstances under which Keeley was convicted there is a good deal of sympathy and a feeling that an injustice has been done him. He was a dispatcher on the Northern Pacific at Missoula. Acting on information from an operator that a certain train had not reached a station he made a meeting place. It turned out that the operator was mistaken. The train had passed the station and a disastrous collision in which several lives were lost was the result. It is the general opinion among railway people that the operator alone was to blame.

Keeley resided here for a long time. He was a dispatcher in the Great Northern offices at Grand Forks, and for a while managed a commission house. He went from there to Great Falls, where he was employed in the Great Northern offices. From there he went to Missoula.

Dispatcher Keeley is a brother of Attorney Keeley, of Neche, and the attorney is sparing no effort to aid his brother.

MEMORIAL DAY IS SET

G. A. R. STATE COMMANDER ISSUES ORDERS FOR THE OBSERVANCE

OF THE EVENT ON MONDAY MAY THE THIRTY-FIRST

From Thursday's Daily—

The date for Memorial Day this year is settled. It will be observed on Monday May 31st, not Sunday, May 30, and not Saturday, May 29. Since Memorial Day comes on Sunday this year, nobody has been certain what would be done, but Marcus W. Bates state commander of the Grand Army of the Republic has issued orders to Grand Army posts requesting that May 31 be observed as Memorial Day.

In his order Commander Bates instructs all post commanders to invite schools in their localities to hold patriotic services Friday afternoon, May 28. Sunday, May 30 will be observed as Memorial day. On Monday the exercises will be held in the cemeteries and flowers will be strewn on the graves of the soldiers.

ANNIVERSARY OF GREAT STORM

ST. CLOUD WRECKED BY TERRIFIC TORNADO 23 YEARS AGO YESTERDAY

MRS. W. L. SULLIVAN OF CARMAN A RESIDENT OF ST. CLOUD AT THE TIME

From Thursday's Daily—

Yesterday, April 14, was the 23rd anniversary of the worst tornado in the history of St. Cloud when business and residence houses were wrecked and the debris strewn all over the city and outlying districts, several people killed outright and many people suffered very narrow escapes.

Mrs. W. L. Sullivan of South Crookston resided in St. Cloud at the time and while young, remembers the awful experience very distinctly which shocked the entire northwest.

One remarkable occurrence was specially impressed on her mind. A very small child was blown from the top of the big hill to the bottom, and was found in the woods several days later, happy as a clam and all right in every way, tho a little on the hungry order.

SEED CORN DISTRIBUTED

GENEROSITY OF HENRY O'NEILL WAS VERY WIDELY APPRECIATED

CORN ALL SPOKEN FOR THE DAY IT WAS LEFT WITH THE JOURNAL

From Friday's Daily—

To show the widespread interest that the people of this section are taking in corn culture throughout this section, the quick response to the offer of Henry O'Neill is ample evidence.

Mr. O'Neill a short time ago received a shipment of white Dent corn from an Illinois party for seed, and decided that he had a little more than he could use. He brought it to the Journal office and instructed this office to offer it free and distribute a few ears to a number of farmers who might apply.

The day after the notice appeared in the Journal, more than 30 applications for seed were received, many farmers telephoning in to have a few ears held for them, one farmer, D. H. Miller, telephoning in from Angus that he wanted to try some of it. One farmer wrote in from east of Middle River wanting some.

The first who applied, of course, were the first to get the free seed, among them being Tom Bjoin, Ben Capistran, D. H. Miller and other well known farmers.

All who received free seed will report their success and have samples of the corn on exhibition in the Journal office next fall.

This goes to show the widespread interest that is being taken in corn culture in the Red River Valley.

VALLEY LAND WILL BOOM

SUCH IS OPINION OF IOWAN WELL VERSED IN LAND VALUES

SAYS RED RIVER VALLEY OFFERS UNSURPASSED OPPORTUNITIES

From Friday's Daily—

F. B. Jacobson, of Humboldt, Ia., who owns a large tract of land near Wheatville, has been spending the past week in Ada making arrangements for the season's work on his farm. Mr. Jacobson is very favorably impressed with conditions in this section and expressed in a very emphatic manner his opinion that the Red River Valley, and especially this section, was soon to enjoy a healthy boom in land values. Mr. Jacobson stated that in his opinion no land in this locality should be valued at less than $40 an acre and the greater portion of it is easily worth from $50 to $75, as compared with values in Iowa, Illinois, and other older settled states. In a conversation, Mr. Jacobson said: "I have dealt a great deal in farm lands, but never have I seen a country that offers such unlimited opportunities for the invester and homeseeker as are to be found right here. It seems to me that land values have reached the bottom mark and I confidently expect to see a marked increase in the price of land before next fall; in fact, the price will go up by leaps and bounds."

IMPORTANCE OF NAVIGATION

Grand Forks Herald: The importance of keeping the Red river open to navigation will be impressed upon the United States authorities at the meeting to be held in Fargo April 29. To the north the Canadians are making plans to extend the usefulness of the Red river and it is the theory here that North Dakotans should take no backward step. While the river from Belmont to Winnipeg will always be of more importance than from Belmont to Fargo, it is believed there will come a time when boats will be navigated from Belmont up river and that end of the river will be of value. Delegates to the Fargo meeting will be appointed shortly.

Whether Mr. Cannon and his supporters will heed the signs of the times expressed by the strong opposition against the arbitrary rulings of the speaker, remains to be seen. The people in every section of the country have rights that congress can not well afford to disregard, and unless this matter is taken care of to reasonable degree the republican majority in congress is in danger of losing control in the near future.—St. Peter Free Press

"U" CO-EDS JUBILANT

OWING TO THE $100,000 APPROPRIATION FOR LADIES' DORMITORY

THE REQUESTS OF REGENTS IN MANY INSTANCES BADLY SLASHED

From Friday's Daily—

UNIVERSITY ALLOWANCE

New Medical building	$200,000
Dormitory for girls	100,000
Addition on hospital	40,000

The state university's expansion for the next two years has been definitely limited by the subcommittee on finance, which has completed the draft of the omnibus appropriation bill as it will be submitted for revision to the appropriations committee of the house and the finance committee of the senate, tomorrow. The requests of the board of regents for new buildings have been more than cut in two.

The college of education must do without a separate building for another two years. There will be no building for animal biology and botany for at least that long. The new building needed for the anatomical laboratories has also been denied, and the school of medicine gets just one building, to cost $200,000. This will but partly relieve the pressure which also cramps the schools of pharmacy and dentistry.

Only three items in the regents' budget are allowed by the committee, but they have been granted in full. The $40,000 allowed for the Elliott hospital is the amount estimated to be needed as a supplement to the Elliott bequest.

Home for Girl Students.

There will be rejoicing over the bill among the "co-eds" of the university, at least those from out of town, for it carries the much-urged provision of $100,000 for a dormitory building to house girl students. This is of special interest in Crookston and northern Minnesota, from where so many young ladies are attending the State U. Miss Elsie Collins, of this city, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Collins, took a very active interest in securing endorsements for the proposition and was very successful in her effort along that line.

Friends of the university will attempt to revise the bill so as to include some other items, but fear that the committee's action will be final. There is a tendency to insurrection in the house against the committee, but it is likely to take the form of cutting rather than adding items to the bill.

As it is drawn, the bill carries no provision for maintenance of the university, for which $165,000 was allowed two years ago. This is because the committee favors the half mill tax levy, and if that bill passes the current wants of the institution will be cared for.

The tax levy bill is being held back in both houses till the subject of the basis of state assessment is settled. The proposition is to adopt the Elwell resolution now before the senate, asking the tax commission to keep the present basis for valuation and assessment of property. Then there will be no question over the amount of revenue the half-mill tax will bring.

MOELLER WAS SENTENCED

GIVEN TEN YEARS IN STATE PENITENTIARY AT MINOT—STAY IS GRANTED

Dr. Thor Moeller was on Tuesday afternoon sentenced by Judge Goss at Minot to a term of ten years in the state penitentiary. This sentence was given after the motion for a new trial had been denied. Immediately upon the passing of sentence, Judge Palda asked for a stay of execution which was granted. The bond of $10,000 under which Moeller has been held since his arrest, was continued in force and he was released.

Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My litle girl was greatly benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and is a splendid spring medicine, as it cleanses the system and clears the complexion.

Journal want ads bring results.

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It doesn't take a man of horse sense to run an automobile.

Save All Your Cream

The United States Cream Separator is the biggest money maker—gets more cream than any other. Holds **WORLD'S RECORD** for clean skimming. Cream represents cash—you waste cream every day if you are not using a **1909 Model**

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They have smaller diameter bowls and yet retain their great milk capacity—easily and quickly washed. Low supply tank—cream pail shelf—easy to pour milk into—see picture. All working parts enclosed, keeping out dirt and protecting the operator. Many other *exclusive* advantages.

Call and see the 1909 Model United States Cream Separator.

For sale by S. L. Collins

G.N. TO SHIP 85,000 TIES

ANOTHER CARLOAD OF ITALIANS ARRIVED THIS MORNING FOR WORK

TIES ARE PILED AT REDLANDS—WILL BE DISTRIBUTED ALONG TRACK

From Friday's Daily—

This morning a carload of Italians arrived from St. Paul, having been shipped from Chicago, and were at once taken to the South Crookston yards, where they will join another crew which arrived a few days ago for the purpose of loading about 85,000 railroad ties which are piled there and which will be shipped along the various branch lines this spring to replace ties that are rotting and unsafe.

The Great Northern would naturally prefer hiring men right here in Crookston for the work, but cannot secure them. This is the second shipment made from Chicago recently. The laboring man here who says that he cannot secure work is therefore not looking for it very hard. And this is not the only instance. It is about as hard to get a man to saw a cord of wood as it is to back a load of coal up-hill. Too many men are out of work because they do not want work. Of course, any of them would accept the presidency of a bank, but a man who really wants work will accept any kind of work till he sees a chance for something better—and that is the kind of a man who climbs the ladder.

SOLD VETERAN TROTTING MARE

P. J. CAREY SELLS "EFFIE W." TO A FERGUS FALLS PARTY

Last evening P. J. Carey shipped "Effie W.", the oldest trotting mare in this section, to parties in Fergus Falls, who will keep her as a brood mare. She was one of the fastest race horses in northern Minnesota for years and has won many a race in her day. She was formerly owned by Dave Callons, of Fosston. She is 15 years of age but is in good condition and should raise several fine colts, being with foal at the present time from one of the fastest sires in this section. The purchaser was a son-in-law of Geo. Fuller.

CHANGES IN FACULTY OF G. F. COLLEGE

The board of directors of Grand Forks college held a meeting at the college yesterday to consider some changes in the faculty for next year. Professor Sathre, who has been at the head of the institution for the past two years, has tendered his resignation to take effect at the close of the present school year. Professor Hagastad also resigned. One of the other instructors may not return.

The board has several persons in view to fill the vacancies, but no definite action was taken. The secretary of the board, Rev. Salveson, of Crookston, is in correspondence with parties and it is expected that the places will be filled by able educators. Another meeting will probably be held in the near future.

As a rule, the citizen who is doing the most for the community is the one who is making the least noise regarding his movements. The public benefactor, who believes that "He who bloweth not his own horn, for him no horn shall be blown," is blowing his horn most of the time and is playing the same tune over and over again regarding two or three things he has done, and forgets to play a few notes he might interject regarding what he might have done but failed to do.

The man who figures in an explosion usually begins at the bottom and goes up.

LAND IN BEST SHAPE EVER

J. P. FOOTE DROVE OVER FIELDS AND WAS GRATIFIED OVER CONDITIONS

NO WATER EVEN IN THE LOW SPOTS—FARMERS WERE ALL SEEDING

From Friday's Daily—

J. P. Foote, president of the Scandia-American Bank, spent yesterday in the country, driving nearly all day. He was at the Malmberg and adjacent farms and around Eldred and states that he never saw the fields in as fine shape since he has been in the Red River Valley and that is a good many years.

He drove from one end of the plowed fields to the other without getting a particle of mud on his buggy wheels. The fields are like huge garden spots, the ground being nice and mellow and in ideal shape for seeding.

While the little snow flurry and mist of today will stop seeding operations temporarily, if it comes off warm and dry the fields will be in as good shape as ever 24 hours after the sun starts to shine.

Yesterday all the farmers were seeding, and because of the excellent conditions the crops could be rushed in this spring quicker than ever before. Two weeks of good weather would see practically all of the wheat and oats in the ground.

CHARIOT RACE DOWN MAIN ST.

FARMER PUTS ON THRILLING STUNT—DID NOT STOP FOR APPLAUSE

A farmer's team put on a stunt yesterday afternoon about 4:30 which for excitement beat a chariot race all to pieces and made a bull fight look like a fake wrestling match. Charley Hoven's team hitched to a heavy lumber wagon, started on South Main street and tore north as far as Sixth street and were winded going up the hill. The wagon just grazed a street cleaning cart, narrowly missed several people, but fortunately collided with nothing.

The owner was hanging onto the tailboard and crawled into the box and toward the front till he saw the lines were dragging when he retreated again and as the team dashed on he was clinging to the rear of the wagon, determined evidently not to give up the ship.

The team stopped near the hill. One horse sustained a badly injured leg, no other damage being done.

MENTAL MARRIAGES ARE BEST, SHE SAYS

A plea for marriages based upon equality was made yesterday by Mrs. Ursula N. Gestefeld in a talk before the members of the Chicago Women's club on "The Ethics of Marriage." If the marriage relation is to progress beyond the stage of a "friendship recognized by the police" there must be real comradeship between husband and wife," said the speaker.

"There can be no union where there is authority on one side and submission on the other," said Mrs. Gestefeld. "There must be a new outlook and valuation. The masculine and feminine natures of the spiritual unit are necessarily equal to each other in value."

She called relationship which had reached this stage "mental marriages."

"This mental marriage, not meaning equal intellectual attainments, but right recognition of each by each, brings intelligent adjustment," she continued. "A balance of masculine rights, desires and privileges with feminine rights, desires and privileges."

Tonic or Stimulant?

There is an immense difference between a tonic and a stimulant. Up one day, way back the next; that's a stimulant. Steady progress day by day toward perfect health; that's a tonic. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a tonic, a strong tonic. The only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. Do not stimulate unless your doctor says so. He knows. Ask him. Do as he says. *J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.*

Constipation is the one great cause of sick-headache, biliousness, indigestion, bad breath, debility, nervousness. Has your doctor ever recommended Ayer's Pills to you?

ANGUS-SHERACK

Mr. W. Miller of Wylie was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. Osterloh last Tuesday.

Mr. E. Johnston has bought a gasoline engine and is now grinding feed for himself and neighbors.

Mrs. J. B. Goodwin has started her incubator.

Miss Annie Freeman of Euclid is visiting with Mrs. D. Miller of this place.

A great many of our M. W. A. drove to Euclid last Wednesday evening to be present at the initiation of two new members of that fraternal order.

The Thorpe Elevator at Sherack has been closed for the summer season.

Mr. Ludolf Giese a prosperous farmer of Tabor called on Sherack friends last Tuesday.

The Misses Rora Kotek and Tilly Brantl spent Easter Sunday with their lady friend Miss Margaret McDonald. Whenever those three fairies meet, one may know there is something a doing.

Miss Alma Horn was visiting with one of her girl friends last Monday.

Mrs. John Brantl and son Edward drove to Grand Forks last Monday.

Mike Brantl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brantl has been on the sick list for quite a while.

Mr. J. W. Baars of Angus was visiting with friends at Sherack last Tuesday.

The instrumental and vocal music at the Roman Catholic church in Tabor during the Easter holidays was of a high and inspiring order.

Mr. Henry Tiedemann drove to Grand Forks Wednesday.

L. Sokals of Milwaukee representing the manufacturers of the Beverly Skirt is in the city today selling Mr. Kalad a new line of skirts. The ladies who desire to have their skirts fitted may do so by calling at the Turkish Store before 8 o'clock this evening.

Miss B. Erdmann spent the Easter days with relatives in Crookston.

We are glad to learn that Miss Magdalene Ehaust is improving some.

Mr. Clarence Johnston returned last Thursday from Red Cloud, Neb., and will spend the summer with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston of this place.

The many friends of Mrs. B. Teal are glad she is recovering nicely from her severe sickness.

Mr. Frank Taus' new well has got a flow of several hundred barrels a day.

Mrs. E. Johnston and Mrs. L. Osterloh and son Louis drove to Euclid last Friday.

A few of our farmers have already commenced harrowing and seeding will soon be in full sway if weather is favorable.

The Royal Neighbors of Olive Camp Euclid held a special meeting last Friday afternoon and a new candidate was initiated in the secrets of that beautiful order.

D. H. Miller, B. J. O'Brien and E. Johnston and sons Clarence and Loyd took the train for Warren last Saturday.

Mrs. J. Zimmermann went to the Queen City last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodwin spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gomer Evans.

Mr. Wynkoop Lemmon returned last Monday from beautiful Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Finlayson of Euclid are the happy parents of a bouncing baby girl and their Angus friends send their congratulations.

Mrs. L. Osterloh and son Arthur drove to Euclid last Monday evening to attend the play given at the M. W. A. Hall.

Mr. Wm. Finlayson, the wide-awake livery man of Euclid drove to Tabor last Monday on business. Will soon will speed his customers with a new automobile.

Mrs. D. H. Miller and Messrs. John Henry and Charles Zimmermann took the train last Monday evening for Crookston.

Mrs. Herman Osterloh and son Edward were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn of Key Stone.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

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Gentlemen's List.

Asmundson, Anton.
Babich, A.
Ball, John, 2.
Brady, Mr. and Mrs.
Crookston Seed Store.
Ditmars, Chas. L.
Elliott, Ezra F.
Evindvig, M.
Gilbertson, Geo.
Gettings, A. K.
Jones, Thos. R.
Kasme, Chas.
Kellett, William.
Martyn, Carlos.
Mittson, Oscar.
Nichols, N.
Ostend, Ole.
Plasen, Knut O.
Pomme, J. K.
Rager, W. H.
Salaaker, Isic.
Sanborn, C. L.
Solum, Peter.
Strand, A. H.
Sulver, A. L.

Ladies' List.

Johnson, Miss Hulda.
Johnson, Lizzie.
Knoudson, Miss Mary.
Laarum, Mrs. Ama.
Normandin, Madame Justine.
Nygaard, Miss Larsine.
Ohm, Miss Ida.
Skjum, Mrs. Emma.

—Elias Steenerson, P. M.

Just Criticism.

The action of the senate finance committee in placing still more "works of art" on the free list is utterly indefensible. If Morgan, Rockefeller and the rest want the works (or copies of the works) of the "old masters," let them pay for them. They made their money over here and ought to be willing to spend some of it on this side of the Atlantic. They must be exceedingly patriotic American citizens, if, as it has been said, they keep their art purchases over in Europe rather than pay the duty that would be exacted from them if they brought them to this country. If the common people were as destitute of patriotism as that, this nation would not endure for a single day.—Warren Register.

Wealth of the Soil.

American farms, according to James J. Hill, produced more wealth last year, in that single year, than all the mines of America have produced since the continent was discovered—more also than the total amount of all the nations of the world. That is a little staggering, but it is not a tithe of what our farms could produce, with thorough cultivation. For example, English acres average three times as large yields of grain as any American acres do, although our soil is naturally the richer.—Hillsboro Banner.

Paid in Advance.

The state legislators haven't raised their salaries at this session but they did change the law so that they will be paid for the last year of their term in advance. What if a special session should be called in 1910 and a member of that august body would have died or moved from the state in the meantime? Would he have earned his salary?—Fertile Journal.

A Consistent Booster.

Nary a week passes these days but Barnesville takes at least one good stride forward in the path that leads to the goal, which is marked "The Best Little City in the Red River Valley." Barnesville is non of your short-winded, short-distance sprinting kind, nixie—it's been in training for some time for the great Marathon race for the commercial supremacy of this section, and what's more to the point, we're out to win. Watch Barnesville grow!—Barnesville Record-Review.

Much more could be accomplished in the way of good roads were townships to consolidate their road work and fix up fewer places and do what they do more thoroly. A few hundred dollars scattered promiscuously over six miles square does not bring the results it would, were more system in work adopted.—Cottonwood Current.

NEW GARAGE FOR BJOIN & CARLSON

THEIR OLD GARAGE HAS BEEN LEASED TO JOHN MATTSON, BLACKSMITH

WHO WILL LEAVE PRESENT LOCATION ON SOUTH MAIN STREET

From Thursday's Daily—

John Mattson, the veteran blacksmith on South Main street on the Bunn property, where Mr. Bunn was located for years before he retired from business, has leased the Bjoin and Carlson livery and feed stable, and will soon be doing business at the new stand.

The brick is on the ground for the necessary chimneys. The garage is admirably fitted for a black smith shop as the entire floor is of cement and well drained, and the location, practically between two livery stables Couvrette and Cardin being directly across the street, where he will be thrown in contact with a vast number of farmers who house their teams there, in addition to his old established trade. He will have one of the most modernly equipped shops in the entire northwest.

A New Garage

This means that Bjoin and Carlson must build a new brick garage on the large vacant corner. Mr. Bjoin, when seen this morning would make no definite statements, but a new garage, he admitted must be provided for and there is no question but the building to be erected will be a fine one and modern in every respect. The vacant corner is one of the finest in the city and is an ideal place for a garage in every way. Definite plans will probably be announced in a few days, as when Bjoin and Carlson do things they do them right as evidenced by everything they have done in the past.

CHINA'S GRAND CANAL.

Sometimes It Holds Water Enough to Float the Boats.

Of some of the crude and outgrown methods used on China's Grand canal a writer in the North China Daily News remarks: "The junction of the real canal with the Wei river was not by means of a lock, but simply a high and steeply sloping mud bank, over which the grain vessels had to be dragged by the force of perhaps many hundreds of men. It should be borne in mind that in China the lock of a canal is not much more like our idea of what that name connotes than it is like a padlock. Amid constant and often serious changes of level, with an uncertain and not infrequently a scanty supply of water, and with a grain fleet which traveled in blocks of some eighty vessels under one officer, it was necessary to devise some way for keeping them together and for transferring them as a consolidated unit with this in view.

"For this reason a Chinese lock on the Grand canal is nothing but a stone gateway into which large boards may be lowered through a groove in the stones, restraining most of the water from its flow, until there is a depth sufficient to float all the craft, when the boards are pulled up and the entire fleet passes through.

"After this the boards are again lowered for another division of the grain boats. In case the water gives out—a by no means unlikely occurrence—there is nothing to do but to wait until more comes from somewhere."

The Hub of the German Empire.

Unter den Linden is the center spot of Berlin and the hub of the German empire. This magnificent boulevard is 198 feet in width, and under the shade of its lime trees the Berliners have a meeting place which is equal in architectural beauty to any in Europe. It is lined on either side with magnificent hotels, restaurants and palaces. At the east end of Unter den Linden, where it enters upon the Opera House platz, stands the magnificent monument of Frederick the Great, which is worthy of the real founder of United Germany. To the right of this monument is the palace of the Emperor William I., now occupied by Prince Heinrich. The north side of the Opera platz is occupied by the buildings of the University of Berlin, and next to it stands the Royal library, which rivals that at the British museum both in its size and the number of volumes it contains. The opera house itself is on the south of the platz and is a building of a nation of music lovers like the Germans.—Argonaut.

She Had Tested the Oyster.

Dora, the pet of the household, was very fond of oysters, and after eating her lunch of oysters and crackers she thought of her dear mother busy at her sewing machine. She selected a nice large oyster, put it in a plate and carried it to her mother, who, pleased with her little daughter's thoughtfulness, ate the oyster and said:

"It is most as good as my little girlie."

"Yes," answered Dora, "I know it is good 'cause I licked it all the way from the kitchen."—Delineator.

STENSHOEL BUYS MAYBURY HOME

WILL CONVERT PORTION OF IT INTO AN UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT

WILL FOLLOW CLOSELY PLANS OF THE DAVIES UNDERTAKING CO.

From Thursday's Daily—

A deal has been completed by Coroner N. P. Stenshoel for the purchase of the James H. Maybury home on S. Main street, what is known as the Louis Fontaine property and one of the finest locations and residences in Crookston, the consideration being $6,600.

Mr. Stenshoel had two purposes, economy, as he will reside there, and facilities for a strictly up-to-date undertaking establishment, patterned after the Davies Undertaking Co., of Minneapolis, the largest in the northwest, who have an institution similar to that one Mr. Stenshoel will have when he has completted the alterations which he has in mind.

To Relinquish Present Parlors

The embalming room will be in the basement, and will be made strictly sanitary. The front room will be used as an office by him and where private services are desired the parlor and sitting room doors will be thrown open, giving ample room for a large attendance.

The entire work will be done there and Mr. Stenshoel will close his parlors on North Main street adjoining the Bijou, so that he will save the expense of the rental he pays there, combining the undertaking parlors with a residence.

Idea is Metropolitan

This idea is a comparatively new one, but is being adopted in the larger cities. The location is ideal, being just far enough from the business center to give privacy to those desiring it, and at the same time close to the business center of the city.

There will also be a vault constructed in the basement where bodies may be held for a week or more while the arrival of relatives is being awaited.

Maybury Will Build

Every attention will be paid to sanitary conditions.

Mr. Stenshoel takes possession May 1st at which time Mr. Maybury will move into a flat temporarily. During the summer Mr. Maybury will build a strictly modern house. He owns several lots in the city and will erect a house that will be a credit to Crookston, tho it will probably not be quite as large as his South Main residence, which was larger than his family required.

Spoiled His Taste.

"A friend of mine," said a Montana man, "is defending a damage suit for being a party to making a man take the liquor cure without his consent. This man had been on a protracted spree of several weeks, and his business was going to the dogs. My friend thought it would be a kindly thing to send him to a sanitarium for treatment. He did so, and the man was given the cure for the whisky habit. When he was discharged from the sanitarium the first thing he did was to go to a saloon. He called for whisky. He tasted it, but did not fancy the flavor of it. He set his distaste of it down to the cure he had been given by my friend's orders and immediately began suit for $50,000 damages. He says in his complaint that he had a highly cultivated and discriminating taste for whisky, which had taken years to develop, and that was spoiled by the cure. I do not know how my friend will come out, but he is not helping any more 'down and outs' without first obtaining their consent."—New York Journal.

Rings as a Protection.

"I used to be surprised," said a clerk in a high class jewelry establishment, "when a woman whom I knew was unmarried would come in and coolly select a handsome solitaire diamond ring, the sort usually sold for an engagement ring, and then, quite as a matter of course, buy a plain gold band of the wedding ring variety. I couldn't understand it at first, but now I've learned that many unmarried women think two such rings, worn when traveling, for instance, serve about the same purpose as a chaperon. I had a case the other day where a mother came in with her unmarried daughter—a pretty girl hardly out of her teens—and bought two such rings. From their conversation I learned that the girl was to take the trip to the Pacific coast unaccompanied, and the mother evidently thought if her daughter was protected by her rings she'd not be so apt to be criticised for being alone. Funny idea, but the women seem to think it works well."—New York Sun.

A Candid Critic.

Author—Have you read my new book?

Friend—Yes.

"What do you think of it?"

"Well, to be candid with you, I think the covers are too far apart."—Chicago News.

MAHMOUT A CHILD IN HANDS OF F. GOTCH

AMERICAN CHAMPION WINS FALLS IN EIGHT AND NINE MINUTES RESPECTIVELY — CROTCH AND HALF NELSON THE HOLDS — VICTORY ESPECIALLY NOTABLE BECAUSE GOTCH DID NOT NEED TOE HOLD—LATEST CLAIMANT TO WORLD'S WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP HELD BY FRANK GOTCH, YUSSIF MAHMOUT OF BULGARIA, TOUTED AS A WORLD BEATER — GOES DOWN BEFORE SUPERIOR STRENGTH AND STRATEGY OF AMERICAN IN JIG TIME

Chicago, April 14—Frank Gotch of Humboldt, Ia., succeeded in retaining his title as champion wrestler of the world tonight by defeating Yussif Mahmout of Bulgaria in a fast and furious match. The much touted Bulgarian was as a child in the hands of the American master of mat strategy Gotch won both falls with crotch and half nelson respectively in 8 and 9 minutes 10 seconds.

The victory of the champion was regarded as all the more notable inasmuch as he did not use his famous toe hold in bringing about the downfall of the powerful foreigner. Gotch was able to secure almost any hold he desired, so limited appeared the Turk's knowledge of the game. The match was fast and exciting, however, thruout. It was full of action, dash and vim, but it was so short that there was not a single idle moment.

DOLLIE TOYE MAKES A BIG HIT IN CHICAGO

Miss Dollie Toye formerly of St. Paul, has made a big hit in vaudeville in Chicago. Miss Toye who is small, petite and of the "cunning" type that would suggest that she had been named after rather than before she grew up, is a singer, and first should the development of a remarkable voice during her six years residence in Crookston. The Chicago American spoke of her appearance there this week as "a genuine sensation" ando f her voice as "phenomenal." Said the American: "She should be billed as the girl with the double voice. She is both a dramatic soprano and a tenor rubusto.

She began her act with a soprano rendering of the Ave Maria set to the intermezzo of "Cavalleria Rusticana". You hear the big soprano ringing out behind the curtain and pay some attention to it because of its volume and fullness—not a great deal of attention of course, for big sopranos are not in vaudeville.

When the Ave Maria is over the curtain rises but the singer does not appear. Mr. Ernest Moeck sits down at the grand piano and begins the accompaniment to the great tenor song from "Pagliacci." From behind the curtain comes another voice—a man's voice—not so fine as Caruso's to be sure, but almost as powerful. You wonder idly who the man is and look at your programme to find his name. It is not there. So you watch the wings for him to come out—and see Miss Dollie Toye emerge in bonnet and laces and a lot of fluffy feminine pink stuff.

You see the whole trick at once—or you think you do. This fluffy pink person is a man, a female impersonator, you decide. The soprano voice in the Ave Maria came from some woman behind the scenes. It is quite a clever trick to fool you, you admit, but it doesn't fool you at all.

Then before you have time to explain to your neighbor just how it is worked, and show him how cleverly you have seen thru this Dollie Toye fake, the singer launches off on the soprano wave again, in some popular ballad. Then you do sit up and take notice.

Men who can warble a thin soprano women with baritone voices, these are common enough. But man or woman with two absolutely distinct voices—well, there is a rarity for your money, and they have it at the American. Each of Miss Toye's voices is more than enough to fill the theatre. As tenor and as soprano she gives vent to an enormous volume of sound — and it is not an unpleasant sound by any means, tho it has no velvet quality. And these two voices are so different that you would never believe they could issue from the same throat unless you saw Miss Toye switching from one to the other with alternate verses of the ballad. She is a "find" certainly; the surprise and the hit of the bill.—St. Paul Dispatch.

PRESENTED WITH A FINE PEN

PRINCIPAL P. S. HUGHES GIVES ECLECTIC COLLEGE GRADUATE SOUND ADVICE

The following speech was delivered by the principal, P. S. Hughes, at the Eclectic Business College this morning, to George Secord, of Crookston, who has been employed as stenographer for the American Union Sunday school. Mr. Secord leaves for Twin Falls, Idaho, Monday, where his father is now located. George is a bright boy and will make good in his new position in the west. Crookston may well be proud of him.

Pen Mightier Than Sword.

"The pen is mightier than the sword. The proudest day of a soldier's life is when the general waits upon him and presents him with a sword, in recognition of services rendered to his country, upon the battle field. On equal standing do we find the amanuensis, when his employer waits upon him and presents him with a pen. He has a right to feel proud and revere the memory of the day he is presented this pen, that I now have the privilege of handing to you from the American Union Sunday school, through its Supt., Rev. E. W. Savage."

Now if each individual property owner or tenant will just appoint himself a committee of one to see to it that his own front and back yards are cleaned up nicely as soon as it dries up a bit, Crookston will be a model city so far as cleanliness is concerned. It only needs a little of the right kind of civic pride backed up by a bit of physical exercise, and presto—the thing is done.

WOMAN MAKES FATAL ERROR

MRS. GEORGE McMILLAN DIES AS RESULT OF TAKING WOOD ALCOHOL

Mrs. George McMillon wife of one of Bottineau's popular business men died today as a result of taking wood alcohol by mistake. Suffering from a severe toothache she took what she thought was medicine to relieve it. The doctors arrived too late to save her. The couple had been wedded only a few months and were living most happily. The husband leaves tomorrow with the remains for the old home at Ruthven, Iowa.

Don't criticize the weather man yet. Give him a few more chances to get squared away for a seeding time. He has been mighty considerate of the Red River Valley all winter and will stick with us.

dream frequently make it a howling nightmare for others.

LOW RATE

Farm Loans

PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.

CROOKSTON, MINN.

J. W Wheeler, Pres.
H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

DEMOLISHED FARMHOUSES

HALF BREED STARTED REIGN OF TERROR NEAR THIEF RIVER FALLS

FARMERS BROKE HIS ARM AND BEAT HIM UP BADLY—POLICE LANDED HIM

From Wednesday's Daily—

Sheriff Nelson passed thru the city last evening having in custody Joe Morin, a half breed whom he took to Fergus Falls. Morin was in desperate shape with one arm broken and his face and body terribly bruised.

It appears he went crazy and terrorized a number of farmers families, near Thief River. He went about with a big club, smashing in windows and doors. The farmers tried to overpower him but did not succeed tho they beat him with clubs, breaking one of his arms and terribly bruising his body and face.

Finally they sent to Thief River Falls for the police and they landed the demented man. He was vicious and was securely strapped when taken down last night.

MUST SEND MONEY DIRECT

IN FUTURE REMITTANCES FROM INDIVIDUALS ONLY—WILL ACCEPTED

AT UNITED STATES LAND OFFICES FROM APPLICANTS

Homesteaders must in the future make personal remittances to the United States landoffices. This decision has been reached by Commissioner Fred Dennett and instructions have been sent to every land office in the country to this effect. In the past proof has been made before a commissioner or other qualified officer and remittance made by that official to the land office. This will not do in the future. Following is the order:

Department of Interior,
General Land Office.
Washington, D. C.

Registers and Receivers, U. S. Land Offices:

Sirs:—Please notify all United States Commissioers and other qualified officers before who, applications proofs, etc., may be made, that all remittances by post office money orders accompanying such applications, proofs, etc., that may be forwarded to your offices, must in each and every case, show the name of the applicant or the entryman as the remitter in the money order. The money order must not show the United States commissioner, or other qualified officer as the remitter. A separate money order must be forwarded for each applicant, entryman, etc.

This will enable the receiver to determine to whom any surplus amount or other returnable amount received in connection with any application or proof is to be returned.

Very respectfully,
Fred Dennett,
Commissioner.

NOT MERIT BUT ADVESTISING

DONALDSON FARMER RETURNS FROM CANADA SATISFIED WITH VALLEY

T. Thompson and family left their home at Cloverdale B. C., April 3. stopped on route at James Clark's at Kensington B. C., and at White Earth N. D., and arrived here Tuesday morning April 13th.

Neither Mr. or Mrs. Thompson are enjoying good health. It is their intention to move back on the old homestead where they will make their home for the future.

Speaking of land in the west Mr. Thompson says that land values in the locality in which he has lived the last three years have doubled since his arrival there but he does not ascribe it's advance so much to the productiveness of the soil as he does to the persistent advertising done in that country.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson's friends are glad to see them back. When the new countries are given a trial and are found wanting and those imigrating to them come back to the valley to settle down for the remainder of their days, is certainly a good indication that, taking the good with the bad, the Valley is O. K.—Donaldson Record.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

BEARS HAMMER WHEAT MARKET

LEADERLESS BULLS ROUTED AND JULY OPTION SENT DOWN OVER THREE CENTS

JIM PATTEN FAILS TO SUPPORT MARKET HIS ACTION IS INTERPRETED DIFFERENTLY

From Wednesday's Daily—

Chicago, April 21—The bulls in the wheat were leaderless yesterday and a dashing bear raid wrought considerable confusion in the pit when July closed at $1.12 5-8; showing a net loss of 3 5-8 @ 3-4 cents. The raid weeded out small margined traders, enabled a lot of profit taking by shorts not to mention the reinstatement of long lines previously disposed of at a higher figure.

"It's old Mother Earth warning Patten that Secretary Wilson knows something about the crop himself," said the bears.

"It's just a natural swing of the speculative pendulum. There has been a long continued advance the reaction is only natural," said the bulls.

"Why didn't the Patten crowd support the market" was the question of inquiry put by small speculators who had pinned their faith to the Patten position and expected that the bull leader would take care that the prices did not run away.

"Because it's none of Patten's business," came the answer from the Patten side.

"He has a lot of wheat but he is not manipulating prices. He knows that conditions will take care of the price. He has neither made or unmade prices, and has no responsibility in the matter."

Whether Patten's purchases were made is a matter for conjecture altho there was an unconfirmed report that the bull leader bought heavily at the decline and stopped July before it got beyond $1.12 1-4 in its headlong tumble.

Customers of the Patten house, however, declared that there was nothing thruout the day to indicate that the leading trader had taken any interest in the market. Apparently he left it to its fate altho his eye seldom left the blackboard where the quotations were marked up.

ADD TO CREWS ON SECTIONS

THE HILL LINES ARE PREPARING FOR SUMMER SECTION WORK

Section agents of the Northern Pacific railroad have received circulars from the main office at St. Paul directing them to increase the number of men upon their respective sections This will mean the employment of a large number of additional men upon the system. This order means that general road repairing will begin in the near future.

It is also expected that the Great Northern will soon begin to increase the number of its road laborers, as general repairs are due to begin some time this month. As soon as the general road repairing and reballasting begins there will be employment for a large number of men that are idle at the present time.

KEY WEST

Wm. Gunnis and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge Sunday.

Miss Sophia Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustine, Mrs. Capes visited in Grand Forks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stewart drove to Crookston Monday.

These nice sunny days takes the farmers to the field.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Capes Sunday and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Ehnen.

Mrs. Capes called on Mrs. Ehnen Sunday evening.

The entertainment given at the Key West church Friday evening entitled "Topsy Turvey" was splendid and was also well attended considering the evening. Each character deserves praise for the way they carried off the different parts. Free lunch was served after close of entertainment.

A woman's faith in a man is based on her instinct that he could not be trusted unless she had it.

A little money is a dangerous thing—at an auction sale.

MUCH TALK; NOTHING DONE

DULUTH HERALD COMMENTS ON NECESSITY OF CONSERVING AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES

COMMENDS SENATOR STEPHENS FOR CASH PRIZE PLAN IN POLK COUNTY

From Monday's Daily—

The Duluth Herald has the following very timely comment upon a subject that is of vital interest everywhere in Minnesota.

"The proposal for conserving the agricultural resources of the state so numerously made and so widely discussed during the past few months appear to have come to nothing so far as the legislature is concerned.

"No state has ever been so thoroly aroused upon this subject as Minnesota in the past months. Discussion of the loss of the soil's productiveness has been general in the newspapers. School men have appeared with numerous remedies. The members of the legislature have provided bills covering every phase of the subject. Out of all this talk, we have thus far got nowhere except to a conclusion that something ought to be done.

"State Auditor Iverson this week in Duluth said that where from thirty to thirty-five bushels of wheat per acre used to be produced in Minnesota we now talk of twelve. James J. Hill declared before the legislature this winter that action must be taken at once to teach our farmers better methods before present wasteful methods have completely bankrupted the soil of its productive elements.

"Senator A. D. Stephens is offering $1,000 in prizes to the farmers of Polk county for the best crops of different products raised under specified conditions in order to rouse the farmer of the Red River Valley to study the subject of soil productiveness.

"We are striving to rouse the state to the fact that we cannot forever take out and put nothing back into the soil withoutt in time making it worthless. Diminishing crops in all parts of Minnesota testify to the truth of this fact and the problem of renewing the soil and of properly cultivating it in the future is a problem of vital interest to Minnesota.

"It is to the solution of this problem that the teaching of agriculture in the public schools has been proposed, it is to this problem that the many agricultural bills now before the legislature address themselves. Some one or more of these bills may become laws, altho the prospect is doubtful. A bill to establish several county agricultural schools has passed the house, the Putman bill granting a liberal appropriation to high schools that teach agriculture has passed the senate the bill advocated by J. J. Hill to send instructors in agriculture thru the state to demonstrate modern methods upon the farms has passed one house, but there appears little prospect that any of these measures will receive the approval of both branches of the legislatture. Two bills for district agricultural schools are still being considered in committee and a committee appointed from senate and house to digest the various bills and agree upon agricultural legislation has failed to report.

The thing aimed at is to rouse the farmer to the fact that his methods are wasteful, to teach him better methods, and to get him to put them in practice. All the agitation we have had may do something to that end, but what is needed is something concrete to put new and concrete methods before the farmer and to demonstrate to him their overwhelming superiority."

CONDITIONS ARE IDEAL THIS SPRING

E. E. LOMMEN SPENDING A FEW DAYS HERE LOOKING AFTER BUSINESS

E. E. Lommen for years one of the leading citizens and business men of Crookston, at one time taking an active interest in politics, but who is now in the banking business at Buxton, N. D., has been spending the past few days here attending to some business affairs in Crookston. Mr. Lommen is well pleased with his new location and states the country around Buxton is very prosperous. The farmers this spring have been at work in the fields for several days and already have a good acreage in crop. He believes the prospects are good for the coming season, and with every indication pointing toward even higher prices than prevailed last year, that the Red River Valley will be more prosperous than for many years of the se ason is fairly favorable.

BAD BLAZE AT CLIMAX

KAHLERT HOTEL BURNED TO GROUND WITH ALL THE CONTENTS

ORIGIN OF FIRE A COMPLETE MYSTERY—ABSOLUTELY NOTHING WAS SAVED

From Tuesday's Daily—

At four o'clock yesterday morning Climax was visited by a disastrous fire which completely destroyed the Kahlert Hotel with all the contents absolutely nothing having been saved.

The inmates were aroused about 4 o'clock and the hotel was a mass of flames then, there being barely time to escape, many getting out in their night clothes, carrying a few articles of wearing apparel under their arms as they fled to safety.

The origin of the fire is a complete mystery, the flames having progressed to such an extent before the inmates were aroused that there was no basis upon which to found any theory.

Mrs. Kahlert carried $1,000 insurance on the building and $1,000 on the furniture, and the loss will be about three times this amount.

It is probable that th e hotel will be rebuilt but nothing definite regarding this will be known till the loss is adjusted.

Mr. Kahlert drove from here to Climax yesterday morning, returning in the afternoon. No one was injured as a result of the fire.

VALLEY SUITS THEM MUCH THE BEST

MR. AND MRS. GILBERT HAUGEN RETURN FROM YEAR'S STAY IN OREGON

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Haugen left yesterday for their farm near Thief River Falls after a year's sojourn in Oregon. They went there with the intention of locating permanently but after a year's stay decided that the Red River Valley was a better place to live in. They had foresight enough not to sell their farm near Thief River and are very glad they did not sell before going west as so many others did, and were compelled to pay double what they sold for to get their land back on their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Haugen spent a week here with their daughter, Mrs. Bergen of Jeromes addition before continuing to Thief River Falls where they have determined to spend the balance of their days.

A $35,000 BUILDING FOR INT'L FALLS

WORK HAS STARTED ON HOTEL AND DEPARTMENT STORE

A large crew of men is at work excavating for the basement of the new hotel and department store which will be built on the corner of Third street and Fourth avenue at International Falls.

The walls of the basement will be of concrete, for which it will require over 400 barrels of cement. The superstructure will be of brick and will require 250,000 to build. The lower floor of the building will provide space for a buffet hotel office, dining room, kitchen, Olsen, Peterson & Co., large department store and post office; the second floor will provide two large parlors, forty-two sleeping rooms and five bathrooms, and the basement will be used for the steam heating plant, laundry and store room. The entire building will cover four lots and will cost close to $35,000. The financiers of the proposition are Olson, Peterson & Co., J. C. Chamberlin, Greeley E. Carr, formerly of Argyle and a brother of Editor R. D. V. Carr of the Middle River Pioneer, and W. M. Gregory.

DINEHART TO ADDRESS RED LAKE STUDENTS

Hon. Clarence C. Dinehart, state treasurer, has promised to deliver the commencement address to the graduating class of the Red Lake Falls high school on Friday evening, June 4. Mr. Dinehart has the well-earned reputation of being one of the best speakers in the state, and the school board is to to be congratulated upon securing him.

NEW STATE LAW LIMITING SALOONS

ULTIMATELY THERE WILL BE ONLY ONE SALOON FOR EACH 500 PEOPLE

The bill below under which saloon licenses will hereafter be granted makes it impossible for the city of Red Lake Falls to favorably consider applications for addition saloon licenses until the number of saloons has dropped below four. We have now seven saloons, but they will not be disturbed by this law. Should one of the proprietors retire from business, however, a license cannot be issued to anyone else as long as the maximum number of four saloons still remains.

As there seems to be considerable misunderstanding as to the provisions of the new law recently passed by limiting the number of saloons we herewith publish the low in its entirety:

A BILL, for an act to limit the granting of licenses for sale of intoxicating liquors:

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Minnesota.

Sec. 1. From and after the passage of this act the number of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors which may be granted by any county or municipality shall be one for each five hundred of population or fraction thereof in any township, town, village or city of this state, such population to be determined by the last preceeding state or national census; provided however, that in all such cities, villages, towns and townships where a greater number of licenses may have been granted or issued at the time of the passage of this act than would be permissible under the foregoing limitation it shall be lawful, and the local authorities are hereby authorized in their discretion to grant and issue licenses equal in number to those granted or issued at the time of the passage of this act, but no additional licenses in number shall be granted or issued in any city, village, town or township until the increase in population thereof brings the same within the foregoing limitation, whereupon additional licenses may be granted from time to time to lawful applications, upon compliance by such applicants with the laws of this state then in force until the total number of licenses in force in any township, town village or city shall equal one for each five hundred of population or fraction thereof, as ascertained by the last preceding state or national census.

Sec. 2. Whenever any county municipality, in which no licenses exist, shall at any time hereafter, grant licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors it shall be lawful for such county municipality to grant licenses only to a number of one for every five hundred of population or fraction thereof, in any township, town, village or city, as ascertained by the then last preceding state or national census, and no more, until the increase in population thereof brings the same within the limitation for one for each five hundred of population or fraction thereof, as ascertained by the then last preceding state or national census, whereupon additional licenses may be granted from time to time, to lawful applicants upon compliance by such applicants with the law of this state, then in force provided that the respective local authorities may grant one license in any township, town or muicipality having less than five hundred of population.

Sec. 3. Whenever any town or municipality in which licenses have been granted to the time of the passage of this act, shall at any time hereafter vote "no license" under the provisions of the local option laws of this state or the provisions of any municipal charter, as the case may be, and such tow nor municipality shall at any time, after voting "no license" again vote for license," under the law of this state or the provisions of any municipal charter, as the case may be the number of licenses which may then and thereafter be granted within such town or municipality shall, in no time exceed one for each five hundred of population or fraction thereof, as ascertained by the then last preceding state or national census; provided that one license may be granted in any town or municipality having less than five hundred of population.

Sec. 4. Nothing in this act contained shall be construed as repealing or modifying existing local option laws.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

There's nobody can stand having the same stuff preached to him that he preaches to others.

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For children, safe, sure. No opiates

TO GO TO CAMP ON JUNE 14TH

COMPANY I WILL LEAVE HERE ON SUNDAY, JUNE 13TH, FOR LAKE CITY

The Third Regiment of the Minnesota National Guard will go into camp at Camp Lakeview, two miles, south of Lake City, on Monday, June 14th. At first it was arranged that the encampment would start on the 21st, but this would get the various companies back to their stations on the last days of the month and this would cause many men to leave camp after only five days' service, so as to get home to do the work which piles up in every office about the last of the month.

Requests for advice were sent out to all company commanders, and the replies received at the regimental headquarters at St. Paul, show that the earlier date was the most favorable. Rifle practice is to be crowded into five days and the other five days will be taken up with field maneuvers and short practice marches. Battle exercises and the pitching of shelter tent camps will be a feature of this year's work.

Company I, of this city, which belongs to the Third regiment, will probably go down with its full quota of members. Active drills for the encampment will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit and all the boys feel as if they could go through the trip and bring back as many honors as last year. The new field uniforms will be here by encampment time and as the members have been doing some strenuous practice on the indoor rifle range, they will be heard from.

SAYS SEED GRAIN SHOULD BE TREATED

IN ORDER TO PREVENT SMUT—CAN BE DONE WITHOUT INJURY

(Furnished by the Minnesota Farmers' Institute, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minn.)

Oat smut and stinking smut of wheat are prevented by treating the seed again. The oat smut is easily seen, as it causes all kernel in a head of oats to turn black, the spores of the smut taking the place of the oat kernels. The stinking smut of wheat, or bunt is not so easily seen, as it produces its spores within the kernels of wheat and they are not seen unless the kernel is broken open. The spores of these smuts do not live over in the soil, but are carried from one year to the next on the surface of the seed. These grains may be treated sufficiently to kill the smut spores without injury to the grain for seed purposes.

Formaline may be bought at any drug store at from 25 to 50 cents per pint or pound. It is a liquid. One pint of formaline added to 45 gallons of water makes sufficient solution to treat 60 to 85 bushels of oats, or 80 to 100 bushels of wheat. Grain should be thoroly fanned before treating. It is just necessary to get the seeds moistened with the solution.

PURVIS CLOSES BIG LAND DEAL

R. H. Purvis left last evening for Minneapolis after several days spent at Grand Forks. He has been there off and on for two months in the interest of the Great Northern Land Company and in that time disposed of 4,000 acres of Grand Forks county land. He closed a deal for sale of 2,000 acres o fland during the past week. The purchasers are six Illinois farmers who will move here within a year.

Mr. Purvis stated last evening as he passed thru Crookston that the outlook for the land business was never better. The tide has turned from the south and there will be heavy buying especially in the Red River Valley.

"The satisfied buyers who have arrived from the middle west are our best advertisers," he said. "They are glad to show their friends what can be done with the reasonably priced land of North Dakota."

PAY FOR STATE PRISON INMATES

Senator Stephens' bill providing pecuniary asistance for penitentiary prisoners and their dependent relatives, passed the house Saturday. The board of control is authorized to pay prisoners at the rate of not more than 25 cents a day according to their ability and conduct.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

PROGRAM FOR DENTAL MEET

AN INTERESTING SERIES OF DEMONSTRATIONS AND ESSAYS FOR CONVENTION

MEMBERS OF NORTH DAKOTA AND RED RIVER DENTAL SOCIETY TO MEET AT FORKS

Historical Society

From Monday's Daily—

The program for the annual meeting of the North Dakota Dental association and Red River Valley Dental society, to be held in the Commercial club in Grand Forks May 11 and 12, was announced yesterday. The dentists expect a large meeting. It is believed that nearly every member of the two organizations will be there The following are the officers of the North Dakota Dental association:

President—Dr. T. G. Thompson.

Vice Pres.—Dr. W. J. Brownlee.

Secretary—Dr. F. A. Bricker.

Treasurer—Dr. S. Rowan.

Executive Committee—Dr. C. L. Tompkins, Dr. H. L. Starling, Dr. G. O. Lee.

The officers of the Red River Valley Dental society are:

President—Dr. Thos. Spence, Crookston.

Vice Pres.—Dr. H. W. Whitcomb.

Secretary—Dr. F. M. Wells.

Treasurer—Dr. C. L. Tompkins.

Entertainment committee—Dr. J. G. Couvrette, Dr. F. M. Wells, Dr. H. W. Whitcomb, Dr. C. L. Tompkins.

The program for the annual meeting will be as follows:

Tuesday May 11.

Clinics—Demonstrations and Essays.

9:00 a. m.—Dr. F. E. Ball, Fargo, N. D. Clinic—Pressure Anesthesia.

10:00 a. m.—Dr. C. C. Hibbs, Bismarck, N. D. Paper and Clinic.

10:00 a. m.—Red River Valley Dental Society business meeting.

2:00 p. m.—Dr. Alfred Owre, Cooperstown, N. D., Paper, "Extraction".

8:00 p. m.—North Dakota Dental association business meeting, followed by lunch and smoke.

Wednesday May 12

9:00 a. m.—Dr. G. A. Rawlings, Bismarck, N. D. Paper and discussion.

10:30 a. m.—Dr. F. H. Orton, St. Paul, Minn. Paper "Pyorrhea Due to Malacclusion." Followed by clinic.

2:00 p. m.—F. H. Orton, St. Paul, Minn. Paper and discussion.

4:00 p. m.—Dr. Alfred Owre, University of Minnesota. Paper, "Some Other Things We Need." Discussion.

HAVE A GOLIATH ON EXHIBITION

LOCAL POLICE NAB MAN WHO IS WANTED AT BEMIDJI—IS 6 FT. 6 IN. TALL

Last evening Capt. Vonderbeck and Officer Nelson landed a lumberjack named Alfred Simonson following instructions received from the Bemidji authorities tho the nature of the charge was not stated. He will be held till this evening when an officer from Bemidi will arrive on the 7 o'clock train and return on the Duluth train later. Simonson is only 6 feet and 6 inches tall and seems to be bubbling over with good nature. He claims not to know what he is wanted in Bemidji for.

Several people tried to persuade Chief Eck to put the giant on exhibition today at 25 cents a throw, but the man with the big star turned a deaf ear to the supplicants and "Alfred the Lengthy" was screened from the vulgar gaze of the public.

That Tired Feeling

That you have day in and out, whether you work or not, is a tired feeling that healthy people don't have.

It is most common at this time of year—upon the return of warm weather—but it comes from a run-down condition of the system in which the blood is impure or impoverished.

It is burdensome and discouraging. Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills positively remove it; they purify and enrich the blood, tone the organs, and build up the whole system.

Thousands of people know this by experience.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills will make you feel better, look better, eat and sleep better. Accept no substitutes.

MUCH ACTIVITY AT MAPLE LAKE

MANY NEW BUILDINGS ARE BEING ERECTED THIS SPRING

SEASON WILL BE THE LIVELIEST EVER EXPERIENCED THERE

From Monday's Daily—

[illegible]ming season will be the liveliest e[illegible]ienced at Maple Lake the popular summer resort 25 miles southeast of Crookston. The delightful weather of Sunday drew scores of the cottage owners there to make preparations for the formal opening of their places for the summer season.

Contracts have already been let for the erection of a large number of new cottages including fine places for Messrs Chas. Bourdon and Hunt of Red Lake Falls, Harry Randall and Ladd of Grand Forks, C. Bray and Babcock and Kelly, of Crookston and many others will build a little later on. All of these cottages will be erected on what is known as Washington Heights.

There will also be a number of new sail and motor boats, some private and others to be put in service for the benefit of those who do not own boats of their own. To add to the attractions at Maple Lake, the fishing will be better this year than ever before as the state Game and Fish Commission for several years past has been stocking the lake up and the first consignments are large enough for good sport this season.

Samuel Rosenthal spent yesterday at his cottage and says things look fine. Reg Smith and others were also there from Grand Forks.

OLD TIME CROOKSTONITE HERE

EDITOR SHAESGREEN OF IRON TRAIL ARRIVES FROM MINNEAPOLIS

Ed Shaesgreen publisher of the Iron Trail, one of the leading railroad papers published in the United States which has an international reputation, arrived in the city this morning to attend the funeral of Albert Harris, the two having been warm personal friends years ago when Mr. Shaesgreen was running out of Crookston on the Great Northern, his father at that time having been superintendent of the Crookston saw mill.

Mr. Shaesgreen left Crookston a number of years ago and started the Iron Trail. It was a very modest affair on the start, but grew rapidly and now is a very fine publication with an immense circulation, and stands with the top notchers in its line.

COSTLY RELICS OF DEPARTED GREATNESS

ED WILSON, ERSTWHILF MANAGER OF AUDITORIUM TAKES FRENCH LEAVE

Ed Wilson, late manager of the Auditorium Theatre took French leave this afternoon, boarding the N. P. train for some point, no one here cares much where, tho a few have suggested a destination where his fuel bill would not run up so high but what he could pay for it.

Wilson managed to secure quite a following during his short stay in the city—of creditors, and a number of them followed him to the depot. Personally the Journal is not grieving, as he only "stuck us up" for $2 and that is guaranteed by another party. We grieve slightly for the other party.

Others however have been 'stung' for goodly sums, close up to the $100 mark.

It is unfortunate that the Auditorium should have fallen into the hands of Wilson, whose ability to bluff and bluster exceeded any ability he had as manager of a vaudeville house.

Any one desiring to secure some accounts cheap can do so by applying to any one of a long list which will be furnished free at the Journal office.

You may not be able to do great things, but you can at least try to do the small things in a great way.

HON. H. STEENERSON WAS HIGHLY HONORED

WAS ONE OF FIVE SPEAKERS, ALL OF NATIONAL REPUTATION AND AT THE HEAD OF THE FOREMOST EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS OF THE COUNTRY AT FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET OF THE AMERICAN-SCANDINAVIAN SOCIETY IN NEW YORK—GIVEN IN HONOR OF FOREIGN MINISTERS FROM SWEDEN, NORWAY AND DENMARK

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Journal is indebted to Dr. J. S. Kjelland for a copy of the Scandinavian Times of New York which contains an account of the First Annual Banquet given at the Astoria, New York, by the American-Scandinavian Society at which Hon. H. de Lagercrantz, minister from Sweden, Hon. Ove Gude, minister from Norway and Count C. Moltke, minister from Denmark were guests of honor.

Hon. Nicholas Hurray Butler of Columbia University presided, Hon. Elmer E. Brown, U. S. Commissioner of Education, Wash., D. C., acted as the toastmaster and the five speakers included such noted men as Chancellor McCracken of the University of N. Y. President John H. Finley of the College of the city of New Work, Robert Watchorn, Commissioner of Immigration Ellis Island, Montagu Donner, Esq., and Congressman Steenerson of this city who was the third speaker.

There were over 400 at the banquet and relative to Congressman Steenerson's presence the Scandinavian Times says:

"We highly appreciate that a Norwegian Congressman from Minnesota Halvor Steenerson, also came from Washington to represent, and most worthily, the Scaandinavians in the Congress of the United States."

Mr. Steenerson in his address said:

"I want to say in behalf of the Scandinavians of America that we join you all in this greeting to the three representatives of three great governments in the north. In Washington we recognize these gentlemen as among the most eminent of ay representatives of foreign nations and in the lagislative branch of the government we honor them especially because they represent those nations who have given such a shining example to the world how to settle disputes without resort to arms. We feel perhaps more than anyone else the burdens of taxation resulting from either preparation for war or paying for past wars. It is the House of Representatives of the American people that holds the purse strings, that regulates taxation. Today 65 per cent. of all the revenues of the United States are expended either in past obligations for war or in preparation and maintenance for future war. We therefore appreciate in a very high degree the presence of the gentlemen whom are willing to regard as the possible bearers of peace to the world. The ideas underlying the foundation of this government, the concepts that the revolutionary fathers had of government were the same as are entertained today and have for many genertions been entertined by the people of Scandinavia. They have always loved liberty, religious liberty, civil liberty and independence and they have always believed in the participation of the people as a whole in the affairs of government. These are the foundation principles of our government. We inherited our ideas of liberty from Great Britain, but England in turn got them from the north.

"The Scandinavians in this country have prospered in every way—but best of all they have achieved a good name and fame so that they are every where welcomed and everywhere counted on as ardent and loyal supporters of the highest and bzest ideals in society. They have done well and I have no doubt that the educational feature will be taken care of by this Society. This is a very happy moment. I have no doubt that this Society will do a great deal of good. It will no doubt bring over a great many of those treasures in literature and art that ought to be more familiar to the American people than they are now. There are vast riches there and I believe in that way alone this Society will justify its foundation. I am admonished by the lateness of the hour that the best thing I can do is to wish you you all a happy morning and a good night. (Prolonged applause.)"

BIG RISE IN REAL ESTATE

FEVERISH EXCITEMENT WAS RECORDED IN NORTHWEST YESTERDAY

ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS OF TRANSFERS IN THIS SECTION ECLIPSED

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Patten wheat corner looked like 30 cents worth of sausage skins compared with the phenomenal rise in real estate in the northwest yesterday.

The trouble started at noon and before darkness settled upon the land "Old Boreas" had transferred about 7,000,000 acres, surface measure in Northern Minnesota and North Dakota and about the same amount was transferred from Manitoba to the two states.

The travelling men returned last evening with their ears, eyes and lungs full and the laundrymen will have to work over time for a week to clean the soiled linen.

The dust storm was the worst experienced in many years and farm work in the afternoon was entirely suspended.

Passengers arriving on the evennig trains from the west and north stated that it was the worst dust storm day they had ever experienced. Trains were not affected to any extent.

The temperature took a great fall. From 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. there was a fall of 39 degrees.

At midnight the wind was moderated and the temperature was falling rapidly and this morning the air was clear but cold.

MISSING MAN IS FOUND IN RIVER

BODY OF JOHN F. MORTIMER IS TAKEN FROM RIVER NEAR EMERSON SUNDAY

DISAPPEARED LAST DECEMBER ON HIS WAY TO PEMBINA—FELL THRU AIR HOLE

From Tuesday's Daily—

The body of John F. Mortimer of St. Vincent Minn., who was drowned in the Red River near Pembina about five months ago, was found Sunday afternoon at a point about two miles north of Emerson, Man. Tho in the water for a long time the remains were in a fairly good state of preservation.

Mortimer's sudden disappearance last December was one of the most mysterious with which the officials of that section have had to deal. He left his home at St. Vincent to go to Winnipeg expecting to board the train in Pembina. It was necessary for him to cross the Red river in order to reach Pembina and as it was dark, he failed to see the many bad places in the ice and went thru. Several days later whe nhis wife failed to hear from her husband an investigation was started. The river was dragged as thoroly as possible but no trace was secured of the missing man.

The body when found was lodged in the underbrush along the river bank where it had been carried by the high water. John Mortimer was formerly very prominent in Manitoba politics. He was at one time a member of the official family of the province and was heavily interested in various business enterprises.

AUNESTAD IS VIOLENT

BYGLAND FARMER THREATENED TO KILL HIS AGED PARENTS AND ARRESTED

BROUGHT TO CROOKSTON AND WILL BE EXAMINED AS TO SANITY SOON

From Tuesday's Daily—

Yesterday Deputy Sheriff Sullivan was called to Bygland township where he arrested Knute Aunestad 49 years of age, who lived with his aged parents and who recently became sullen and at times violent and had threatened to kill them both. He has a brother and sister in the asylum at Fergus an uncle in another asylum and a brother in the Stillwater penitentiary.

He was taken to Bethesda hospital where he will be treated for a few days for extreme nervousness, before having his examination.

EX-SHERIFF GONYEA BACK FOR SUMMER

LOUIS JR., AND ALEX GONYEA ARE PROSPERING AT BOISE, IDAHO

Ex-sheriff Louis Gonyea has returned from Boise City, Idaho, where he removed with his sons Louis Jr., and Alex from North Yakima, who are doing fine operating a cigar store at Boise.

Mr. Gonyea is in good health tho he has lost about 18 pounds since going west. He will spend the greater portion of the summer here with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sandberg, and at Maple Lake as soon as the weather warms up. He says things are prosperous out west and he likes it first rate but is glad to greet old Polk county friends.

ANTI-CIGARETTE LAW LIKE RUBBER

MINNESOTA TOBACCO DEALERS MAY STRETCH IT WITHOUT FEAR

The anti-cigarette law will go into theoretical effect Aug. 1 next but it seems generally understood among tobacco dealers that they will make no attempt to live up to its provisions. They have been given to understand in the first place that, according to United States supreme court rulings, it is unconstitutional; and in the second place, that it is very easily evaded.

The tobacco stores, as a whole, will continue to carry cigarette stocks as they do now but they will not be exposed in glass cases. Customers who ask for them will get them. This is the plan that will be tried; and if the authorities in certain towns insist in enforcement of the regulation against the "coffin nail" then "the makings" will be sold in a way that it is believed cannot be prohibited. The cigarette papers will be sold as at present in little books but they will be labeled 'eye glass cleaners" instead of "cigarette papers." The cigarette tobacco will be sold as in the "gold old days, but it will be labeled "pipe tobacco." And if the man who buys the "eye glass cleaners" and the "pipe tobacco" sees fit to combine the two into the naughty, naughty cigarette, who has scorned the law?

ANNUAL MEETING OF SWEDISH CONFERENCE

The Fargo district of the Minnesota Conference will hold its yearly meeting the the Swedish Lutheran church Tuesday and Wednesday April 27 and 28. Tuesday evening the sermon will be by Rev. W. O. Grunden from Fargo, N. D., Wednesday at 2 p. m. sermon by Rev. P. E. Bergstrom from Hatwood, N. D. After the service refreshments will be served by the Ladies Aid Society. In the evening at 7:45 p. m. Communion service. Sermon by Rev. N. Leharht from Detroit Minn. All Scandinavian people are cordially invited to attend these meetings and listen to these good speakers. The church choir will sing several songs. All are welcome.

ALBERT HARRIS LAID TO REST

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE HELD THIS AFTERNOON AT THE M. E. CHURCH

REMAINS FOLLOWED TO LAST RESTING PLACE BY HUNDREDS OF FRIENDS

From Monday's Daily—

This afternoon all that was mortal of Albert G. Harris was laid to rest in Oakdale Cemetery, and more impressive funeral services were never held in Crookston, the capacity of the M. E. church being taxed by relatives and friends, many coming from a distance, who gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to the memory of one who in life had held the highest esteem and friendship of all who knew him. Short services wer held at the residence of his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Harris, after which at 2:30 services were held in the M. E. church Rev. McCoy officiating. The Crookston fire department, trainmen, city officials, and members of the W. R. C. attended in a body and occupied reserved sections.

The floral tributes included beautiful set pieces from these organizatons and scores of individual offerings, which completely covered the casket and banked the pulpit. Rev. McCoy referred to the frank, generous and charitable disposition of the departed, and spoke words of comfort for the bereaved family.

The cortege that wended its way to the cemetery attested to the high regard in which the deceased was held being one of the longest ever seen in Crookston. Trainmen marched in the lead, followed by the Crookston Fire Department and following the remains came the chief mourners, in carriages followed by the city officials, W. R. C., and nearly 100 other carriages containing friends in Crookston and from a distance. Among those present from out of the city were Messrs. Ed. Sheasgreen, of Minneapolis; Wm. Seibert of Staples, J. Wheaquer, St. Paul, Wm. Huseby, Devils Lake and scores of railroad men from all directions.

The honorary pallbearers were, Wm Remshardt, Wm. Sieberts, Staples; Wm. Huseby, Devils Lake; Wm. Martin; Jas. Sullivan, Milford Atkins.

The active pallbearers were all veteran members of the Fire department as follows: Tom Morris, A. C. Schmidt C. A. Hitchcock, A. A. Glenn, Albert J. Barrette, W. P. Stone.

THE RURAL ROADS MUST BE FIXED

MUST BE PUT IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION FOR MAIL CARRIERS

Postmasters thruout the State have received the following order from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General at Washington under date of March 29, that should be read by road overseers and some action taken to relieve present road conditions on some of the routes from this office: To the Postmaster: Sir — You will take the matter up with the local road authorities and patrons residing in the locality of bad roads on routes from your office and inform them that the department insists upon roads covered by rural delivery being kept in good condition for travel at all times, and this matter should receive their immediate attention. If it is found that sufficient interest is not shown in the service to maintain the routes in good condition for travel, they will likely be amended so as to avoid neglected roads, or if this cannot be done the discontinuance of the routes will have serious consideration. You should report results to this office at the expiration of sixty days from date hereof, in order that, if action has not been taken looking to the improvement of the roads, the department may consider the advisability of withdrawing service from these roads which are in bad condition.

Aitkin Age: Gypsy Smith the evangelist has been cutting a wide swath in that wicked city of St. Paul but we fail to see any improvement in the members of the legislature, or the editor of the Pioneer Press.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
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ALBERT HARRIS WAS INSTANTLY KILLED

Former Well Known And Popular Crookston Boy The Victim Of Frightful Accident. Crushed Under Car Wheels.

This entire community was terribly shocked this morning upon receipt of the telegram that Albert Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Harris had been instantly killed in the Great Northern yards at Devils Lake. Mr. Harris was day yardmaster and stepped between the cars to pull a coupling pin. He missed his footing, fell, and three cars passed over his body before the engine was stopped. Death was instantaneous. The accident happened shortly after 8 o'clock this morning.

Albert Harris grew to manhood in Crookston. He was a big hearted, generous, public spirited young man and was one of the most popular young men in this city.

He left for Devils Lake nearly two years ago and was advancing rapidly in the service, being a most capable and trusted employe and his sudden death brings to an abrupt close a successful career in railroading.

During his residence here deceased was a prominent member of the Crookston Fire department, was a valued member of the first running team the department had and was foreman of the department, and later assistant chief under Chief Morris for several years. He was one of the hardest and most popular members of the department, absolutely fearless, but always cool and self possessed.

He leaves a widow but no children, and is survived by his parents and a large family of brothers and sisters. Definite arrangements will not be made for the funeral till word has been received from his brother Bruce Harris who is supposed to be at Medicine Hat. The remains may arrive tomorrow morning, and will be here certainly by Saturday evening.

In their terrible affliction the members of the stricken family have the most profound sympathy of the entire community.

76 DEGREES IN SHADE AT MIAMI FLORIDA

This is the average for ten years during the month of April. Here is the government statistics for it. The mean temperature follows:

Jan. 69 degrees; Feb. 70; March 73; April 76; May 79; June 82; July 83; Aug. 83; Sept. 82; Oct. 78; Nov. 73; Dec. 69; Annual 76.

Miami, Florida is just six miles from the lands owned by the Florida Fruit Company and are now offered for sale at an average price of $16.25 per acre.

Can land in such a climate that will produce better oranges, lemons and grape fruit and as many to the acre as Southern California remain at such a price and in addition produce peaches, pears, plumbs and such fruit in abundance besides pineapples, celery, etc., and where results can be obtained as was obtained by Alfred Hawkins of Wazata, Minnesota, proprietor of Deephaven Nurseries. Mr. Hawkins went to Florida last November and purchased land near ours and on his garden truck he realized on tomatoes $500 per acre; beans $600 per acre; potatoes $250 per acre, beets one-half acre $500. Cabbage unsold.

We sell you a farm and a town lot for $240.00, $10.00 down and $10.00 per month. How long would it be before an man would be independent under such conditions.

Why are such lands so cheap—because they are overflowed lands and are now being drained by the state of Florida and we went in ahead of the dredges and bought 508,000 acres at a price that enables us to sell 180,000 acres the first allotment at that price. The state owns every other section and holding it until after the country is settled before offering any more for sale. We are also holding the remainder of our land for a higher price.

Our company sold 300,000 acres under the same plan last year in Southern Oregon in seven months. And the 180,000 acres we are now offering will not last long because they have men all over the country telling the people about this wonderful section and it cannot last long because this section has been visited by interested parties who come back with glowing reports and the contracts are rapidly being taken up.

Don't forget that the state doing the drainage guarantees that the work will be done and the land we are now selling is to be drained in about 14 months.

Don't over-look this wonderful opportunity but resolve to own a farm. A card addressed to Chas. M. Roush, District Agent, Florida Fruit Lands Co., Crookston, Minn., will obtain an interview and literature describing the wonderful section or write Richardson-Kellett Co., Managers for Florida Fruit Lands Co., in Wis. & Minn., 103 Fourth St. So. Minneapolis, Bank of Commerce Bldg., who will gladly answer all inquiries.

N. B. Look around you. Who are the well-to-do men today? Men who saw an opportunity and had nerve enough to grasp it.

Able Work By Senator Stephens

The people of Polk County and the entire northwestern portion of Minnesota will view with deep-seated satisfaction the splendid service Senator A. D. Stephens has rendered in securing liberal appropriations for the Crookston school of Agriculture and for maintenance of the Experiment Farm.

The Crookston School of Agriculture has passed the experimental stage The work that has been accomplished at the school has deeply impressed the farmers thruout this section and no institution ever had more firm and loyal friends, as the benefits to be derived can scarcely be measured.

It is an institution that will grow but in order to provide for this growth a large amount of money was needed. Senator Stephens has secured it. A new main building costing $40,000 will be erected. A new girls' dormitory costing $27,000 will be erected. In addition $30,000 has been provided for the maintenance for the next two years, or $15,000 per year. Last year there was but $4,000 for maintenance and as a result Supt. Robertson was greatly hampered in every way but by excellent management and personal sacrifice he made a magnificent showing.

Senator Stephens secured a total appropriation of $113,000 for the School of Agriculture and Experiment Farm and his splendid achievement will not be forgotten by the beneficiaries who are limited only by the population of Northwestern Minnesota. He became convinced that education along industrial lines was what was needed more than anything else to secure the best development of this section and he has worked steadily with that object in view.

He has succeeded during the present session of the legislature beyond the hopes of the most sanguine, and the liberal appropriations secured means a more rapid realization of the hopes of those who knew that it was but a matter of time when Crookston would have one of the biggest and most important educational institutions in the great State of Minnesota.

Bouquets for Works

State senator Works of Blue Earth county gets a few bouquets for behaving nicely. The people appreciate the services of a representative who represents the people and not the booze factories or some big, fat corporation. —Lake Crystal Union.

A BIG BUNCH OF LAWSUITS

HALSTAD PARTIES WILL FIGHT IT OUT IN CLAY COUNTY COURT

A TOTAL OF 15 CASES TO BE TRIED—CLOSE FRIENDS FALL OUT

From Friday's Daily—

Judge Myron D. Taylor of St. Cloud is in Moorhead for the purpose of trying the cases of Larson vs. Slette.

There are fifteen of these cases and B. B. Larson is represented by F. H. Peterson and K. O. Slette by Messrs. Nye & Dosland. The cases have by stipulation of parties been transferred from Norman, Red Lake and Douglas counties to Clay county.

The fight between these two men is a bitter one and of long standing, B. B. Larson of Halstad and K. O. Slette, of Culbertson, Mont., were at one time close personal friends and business associates. They are yet joint owners of a chain of banks at Halstad, Climax and Nielsville, Minn. and at Culbertson, Mont. They are also heavily interested in a ranch deal which did not turn out well. For some cause there was a falling out, and since the beginning of the trouble the breach has steadily widened, until now it is apparently a case of dog eat dog.

They are so involved in these various deals that it is hard for them to get together upon terms of a separation of interests— hence these suits. Both Mr. Larson and Mr. Slette are financially strong, and the numerous cases arising out of their differences has aided materially in distributing their wealth among the attorneys.

ONLY ONE

The Record in Crookston Is a Unique One

If the reader has a "bad back" or any kidney ill and is looking for relief and cure, better depend on the only remedy endorsed by people you know. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve quickly—cure permanently. Crookston citizens testify to this. Here is a case of it:

Mrs. Gus. Johnson, 218 Ash Street, N., Crookston, Minn., says: "Although I am averse to having my name published in the newspapers, I cannot withhold my endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills. It is needless to go into details about my case, but I will state that Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Wallace's Drug Store rid me of kidney trouble after doctors had failed to help me. I am willing to tell other sufferers of Doan's Kidney Pills.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

AN AGED MAN DROPS DEAD

Coroner Mellby of Red Lake County was called to St. Hilaire yesterday to investigate the death of Robert Swanson one of the pioneer residents of that place, but now living up at Esplee in Marshall county. The cause of Mr. Swanson's death was heart failure and no inquest was deemed necessary by Mr. Mellby.

The dead man had intended to go to Thief River Falls Monday but missed the passenger train and at two o'clock went to the depot to take the freight when he suddenly dropped dead.

The deceased was about seventy years of age and came to St. Hilaire about twenty years ago, purchasing a farm just south of the village. Later he sold his St. Hilaire farm and removed to Esplee, Marshall county, where he took a homestead and was postmaster of Esplee. He was a veteran of the Civil War and a man held in very high esteem in this vicinity. He was the father of a large family of children and was down to St. Hilaire to pay a visit to a daughter.

Spurned It

When Governor Johnson recommended that a commission be appointed to investigate and report to the next session on a desirable employers' liability bill, the legislature spurned the recommendation and proposed to pass a bill this session. Now they are talking about eating their words and adopting the commission plan. Some people's hindsight is better than their foresight. — Sauk Center Herald.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
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TRAGIC DEATH OUT WEST

SON OF MR. AND MRS. J. K. HANNAY FORMERLY OF ST. HILAIRE KILLED

WAS RUN OVER BY TEAM AND LIVED BUT SHORT TIME AFTER THE ACCIDENT

From Friday's Daily—

One of the saddest and most unfortunate accidents in the history of Mount Vernon, Wash., ended early Wednesday morning, April, 14, in the death of William Hannay, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hannay, formerly well known residents of St. Hilaire, where Mr. Hannay was for a number of years engaged in the banking business.

While hauling a load of cordwood from his farm his team was startled by the noise of a passing wagon load of empty milk cans. Mr. Hannay jumped to the horses' heads to stop them; but forced down a steep grade by the heavily loaded wagon the horses dashed him to the ground where he was tramped upon by the team and crushed by the rear wheel of the wagon. The driver of the milk wagon immediately came to his assistance and made him as comfortable as possible. Everything possible was done for him by the physicians and the family and for the next twenty-four hours his condition improved as much as to dispell all fears. His injuries were almost entirely internal several ribs being broken, the right lung punctured and a bloodvessel beneath the shoulder ruptured and on thoro examination being impossible, the extent of them was not known until after death. It was not till shortly before the end came that those in attendance became apprehensive of the worst.

William Hannay was born at Huron S. D. Jan. 20, 1883. After finishing school he took up farming as his life work as he had already evinced a strong leaning towards that pursuit.

SAYS WEST IS PROSPEROUS

W. E. McKENZIE RETURNS FROM SEATTLE TO LOOK AFTER BUSINESS

SAYS CROOKSTONITES LOCATED IN SEATTLE ARE ALL DOING WELL

From Friday's Daily—

W. E. McKenzie one of the former well known business men of Crookston arrived yesterday afternoon on the N. P. from Seattle where he has been located for the past few years in the real estate business and wholesale paper business. He recently disposed of the controlling interest in the paper business and the new member of the firm has assumed the active management so that Mr. McKenzie is foot-loose for the present, tho he still has considerable real estate holdings there.

He reports the Crookston colony in Seattle prospering nicely in their various lines and Mrs. McKenzie and the children are all enjoying good health. He states that real estate prices are higher now than during the boom, having more than recovered from the slight slump that took place during the panic.

He states that the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition is going to be a great show, and that a literal swarm of visitors is certain during the entire summer. Elaborate arrangements have been made for the entertainment of the immense crowds and there will be no confusion.

Mr. McKenzie is not certain how long he will remain in Crookston, but will devote some time to looking after his business interests here. He is enjoying the best of health and will soon be in the heavyweight class.

CARTER WILL GO TO ROCKFORD, ILL.

WILL TAKE CHARGE OF THEATRE IN TOWN NOT FAR FROM CHICAGO

Ralph Carter manager of the Empire theatre at Grand Forks and formerly a resident of Crookston, will leave shortly for Rockford, Ill., where he will take charge of a theatre. He took charge of the Empire last fall, and has been quite successful. Fred Luger will take charge of the theatre.

The eighth wonder of a married man's world is why he ever did it.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

Impossible to be Well

It is impossible to be well, simply impossible, if the bowels are constipated. You must pay attention to the laws of nature, or suffer the consequences. Undigested material, waste products, poisonous substances, must be removed from the body at least once each day, or there will be trouble. A sluggish liver is responsible for an immense amount of suffering and serious disease. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills. He knows why they act directly on the liver. Trust him. *J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.*

SOME LEGISLATION THAT WAS ENACTED

MINNESOTA SOLONS FINISH UP WORK AND ADJOURN — HOUSE NIGHT SESSION BREAKS UP IN A ROW—STATE TAX LEVY CUT TO 1.2 MILLS — APPORTIONMENT BILL ADDS ONLY ONE MEMBER TO HOUSE—TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS REACH $9,500,000—INHERITANCE TAX INCREASES REVENUE

From Friday's Daily—

The 1909 session of the Minnesota legislature came to an end at noon yesterday its business being practically finished at the end of protracted night sessions early yesterday morning when the house broke up in a row over the Hanson bill providing for the examination of the books of the state fair management by the public examiner instead of the present board of audit. Twenty senate bills on special order were left untouched when the house adjourned none of them of great importance however.

Some Bills that Passed

$2,250,000 for new prison.

Tonnage tax (vetoed.)

Cass Lake normal (vetoed).

University campus extension.

Prohibiting cigarettes.

Prohibiting indecent medical advertising.

Graduated inheritance tax.

Peddlers' license.

Regulating trading stamps.

Giving $600,000 to roads.

Ten-cent mortgage tax.

Extending Torrens system to whole state.

State fair grand stand.

Eminent domain gas plant bill.

Three medical buildings for university.

Permitting Sunday baseball.

Requiring restitution of overcharges by railroads.

Employers' liability commission.

State aid for agricultural courses in high schools.

Limiting saloons to one for 500 population.

Three normal school dormitories.

Teachers' pension bill.

State hail insurance.

Indian war pensions (vetoed.)

Wages for state prisoners.

Creating bank department.

Permitting commission government

Keeping minors from saloons.

Extending probation system to the whole state.

Solons Spend $9,500,00

Minnesota's legislature for 1909 disposed of close to $9,500,000 including expenses and appropriations in the omnibus bill.

The actual running expenses of the two houses was $288,000. Of this $150,000 was appropriated when the session convened. This was followed by $35,000.

In the amnibus bill the members appropriated $12,000 and yesterday $90,000 was paid to the members as advance payment for next year, tho the legislature will not work unless called together by Governor Johnson which is unlikely.

The $9,500,000 includes a great part of the regular maintenance of state institutions which is not provided by standing appropriations.

Adds to Revenue

The legislature Wednesday evening finished considerable of the Kneeland Stuart bill relating to inheritance taxes.

The new schedule of taxes will increase the revenue but the change in classifications makes any comparison impossible. The tax is graduated from 1 per cent on the wife's interest to 5 per cent on the interest to a stranger or a corporation. These primary rates are based on a bequest of $15,000.

The rates are multiplied as the size of the bequest increases to $30000 $50,000, $100,000 and over. When over $100,000 the rate is three times the primary rate, or 16 per cent on bequests to strangers.

Signed Kidnapping Bill

Gov. Johnson signed the teacher's pension bill last night. He also signed the kidnapping bill, making the maximum penalty for the crime 40 years in the penitentiary.

With the governor's signature to the house bill passed by the senate last night Minnesota will have a department to look after the working women and children employed in the state.

A small beginning toward this end was made two years ago, when a woman inspector was appointed. The need for further work in the interest of working women was so evident that an assistant commissioner of labor is appointed with power to appoint other women to investigate the working conditions of women.

The house passed the Allen bill adding $350,000 to the university campus extension fund. The fight in the house was one of the hardest and closest of the session. The bill was definitely postponed at the morning session by a vote of 42 to 37. It was reconsidered after the noon recess. The bill was then passed by a vote of 62 to 57.

Killed Johnson Bill

The house killed the last of the county and district agricultural school bills and the redrafted L. H. Johnson bill, which passed the senate Tuesday.

Johnson has worked for three sessions to get a county agricultural school bill thru. It passed early this session but the senate was then in favor of the district plan. A conference committee was appointed, which finally killed all the bills except the Johnson bill which the committee redrafted so as to provide four district schools under county control.

The senate passed this Tuesday, but in the meantime Senator Putnam's bill for state aid for agricultural course in high schools had passed both houses and many thought that was enough for the present.

The state tax levy was reduced from 1.7 mills to 1.2 mills.

Energy Wasted

Prof. Rankin said that 90 per cent of the energy of city superintendents of schools in Minneapolis is wasted in trying to hold their jobs. He was formerly inspector of high schools and should know. It would seem they hardly earn their salary for the 10 per cent of energy left.. As a confirmation of his statement it is noticable that thirty-four young men flunked recently at the state university all high school graduates, from schools where athletics excel. It is well known that something is wrong thruout the state. Possibly Prof. Rankin made a tenstrike in making his statement.—Le Sueur News.

Journal want ads bring results.

FOLEYS KIDNEY CURE
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Save All Your Cream

The United States Cream Separator is the biggest money maker—gets more cream than any other. Holds **WORLD'S RECORD** for clean skimming. Cream represents cash—you waste cream every day if you are not using a 1909 Model

U. S. Cream Separator.

They have smaller diameter bowls and yet retain their great milk capacity—easily and quickly washed. Low supply tank—cream pail shelf—easy to pour milk into—see picture. All working parts enclosed, keeping out dirt and protecting the operator. Many other *exclusive* advantages.

Call and see the 1909 Model United States Cream Separator.

For sale by S. L. Collins

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

LOOKING AFTER BUSINESS — L. Ellington left this morning for Erskine where he will spend the day looking after some business interests.

WORKING UP INTEREST—Rev. C. C. Warner left this morning for Red Lake Falls where he will spend the day working up interest in the State Sunday School Convention.

MAY LOCATE AT HIBBING—Messrs. Tim and Henry Biever left this morning for Hibbing where they will look over the situation with a view to locating in business there.

WENT TO HALLOCK— Attorney George J. Cannon left this morning for Hallock where he was called on legal business. He also wanted to see if he could not find a place a little cooler than Crookston was this morning so headed north.

A HANDSOME QUARTETTE — Messrs. I. W. Kinder, Wm. Emmerich Bert Levins and J. R. Rasmussen headed up the Roseau line today, thinking to dodge the wind by getting into the brush country.

SPECIAL SNOW PLOW — C. L. Skoug is spending the day at Warren He had a model of a specially constructed snow plow for clearing village and city streets and expected to do a land office business.

WIL TAKE TRIP ABROAD—Ole Mynben and Charles Hansen of East GrandForks are arranging to take a trip abroad the latter part of the week. They propose visiting Norway Sweden, Denmark, Germany and France, and will probably be away until the first of August.

HAVE BIG BREAD MIXER—J. L. Cadieux has just installed a fine new two barrel dough mixer in the Peoples Bakery. His business has been increasing to such an extent that he found the improvement a necessity. He will now be able to take better care of his patrons than ever before.

TO STIR THEM UP— Ed Murney left this morning for Euclid where he went to see that all the farmers were busy. He will soon have his blacksmith shop in operation there. He has not decided when he will remove his family from Crookston, and they may remain here for some time.

GENIAL "JIM"— James Robinson one of the live wires connected with the Great Northern at Grand Forks passed thru the city this morning enroute to Grand Forks from the twin cities. He stopped off long enough to roast Ticket Clerk Stewart for the cold weather and then headed for North Dakota.

PLENTY OF WORK—S. O. Lund, the genial section foreman who has charge of the section on the Dakota Division between Crookston and Fisher has a crew of 12 men at work replacing rails etc. The work of replacing the old ties will soon be started, some of the new ties have been distributed already.

PRESIDENT WOLFF HERE—Wm Wolff, president of the East Grand Forks Gun Club spent the night here attending to some business matters, returning home this morning. He says the first shoot of the season will take place there Friday of this week and that interest among the trap artists was never greater than it is this spring.

MAY FLOWERS IN BLOOM—Conductor Paul Busch who came in with a freight train from Minot this morning, states that this side of Minot till the Red River Valley is reached the prairie is covered with May flowers. There was no snow west of Larimore to speak of, and the weather has been warm at Minot for several days past and farm work has been pushed without interruption.

BOUGHT HORSE BACK — Dr. O. L. Bertelson looks more natural than ever since his sorrel horse arrived and he is seen driving him about the city. He sold him to a party in Fergus Falls over a year ago, and bought him back about a week ago, the animal arriving Saturday evening over the Great Northern. The animal is one of the best in the business for a physician's use and Dr. Bertelson feels very fortunate in having been able to get the horse back again at the same price he sold him for.

DEPARTED FOR DULUTH — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Orr and baby left this morning for Duluth. Mr. Orr yesterday completed serving 30 days in the county jail for jumping a board bill at the Palace Hotel. The boys are now joshing Deputies Casey and Sullivan, charging them with trying to work up business at the county jail by promising a visit of the stork to all boarders for 30 days or over. This is an entirely new plan and will be watched with interest by students of criminology.

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FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

TO EMERSON FOR SUMMER — Geo. Ruth left this morning on the flyer for Emerson near where he will spend the coming summer.

CLAIM AGENT HERE—C. S. Flannery the G. N. claim agent is spending the day here attending to some special business in his line.

ONE BAD PEDAL— Depot Agent Thurston now walks with one foot behind him, the result of dropping a heavy skid on that member while unloading freight last Friday.—Ada Herald.

TO WORK AT BAGLEY— Harry Ness left this morning for Bagley where he has accepted a position in a barber shop and expects to remain there all summer.

PEDDLING LEADERS — Otto Koope left this morning for a trip up the St. Vincent line where he will spend the day talking big crops and dishing out a few thousand Leaders.

HEADED FOR DAKOTA — J. J. Flynn and Ole Miller left this morning for North Dakota the former to spend the day at Grand Forks while Mr. Miller will chase the Flickertails on several of the branch lines.

ON INSURANCE BUSINESS—Milburn Griffiths went to Warren this morning where he will spend a couple of days talking Germania Life, in which he is writing a splendid line of insurance these days.

JACK GREEN HALGH HERE — Engineer Jack Greenhalgh was an arrival from Grand Forks this morning and is scouting about the old haunts to see if any of the faces are missing, and visiting with the home folks.

SCOUTING OUT EAST—Jack Fournet, Bob Ashley, Irv Kinder, H. F. Brown and C. Q. Roemer headed out east this morning to skirmish for business and if they don't land something the people out that way need a spring tonic.

PROPHESY GOOD YEAR— Since the light rain of last Friday the weather has been very favorable for seeding and farmers have been at work in the fields thruout the county. The soil is in better condition than it has been for years and the "old timers" all prophesy a good year.—Ada Herald.

INCREASED ACREAGE—Both the corn and potato acreage in this section will be double what it has been any previous year. The wheat acreage will also be at least 25 per cent over last year as 50 per cent more land is plowed and ready for crop than for any year in the past five.

BISHOP MORRISON HERE—Bishop J. D. Morrison arrived from Duluth last evening and today met a number of members of Christs Episcopal church during the noon hour. He goes from here to Ada to meet the parishioners there and later proceeds to Moorhead where he will spend Sunday.

LUMBERJACK PASSED AWAY — Frank Foster, better known as "Biddy" a character who has been making his home at Ada for several seasons died yesterday afternoon at the home of Oscar Melburg where he was being cared for. Foster spent the winter working in the lumber camps and returned to Ada about two weeks ago. Shortly afterwards he was taken sick.

MISS HOLTE INJURED — Miss Marie Holte mail carrier on R. F. D. 3 out of Ada met with an accident last Saturday which might have proven serious. When on the return trip about four miles from Ada the kingbolt on the wagon broke and the closed vehicle in which she was riding was thrown into the ditch. Miss Holte received several painful bruises on her head and face, but none of the injuries were serious.

GIRLS HAD A "LARK"—The result of a lark feast by a few youngsters caused considerable excitement in town Wednesday evening. A few young girls having prepared a meadow lark and some potatoes in a kettle thought it a good idea to light a fire in T. O. Wermager's hay shed, which came near proving dangerous, but was quickly extinguished, causing no particular damage.—Gary Graphic.

SHOWS DIVERSIFICATION—Monday Peter Ingberg of Hendrum made a splendid contribution to the collection of seeds, etc., at the court house in the shape of eight half bushel samples of various seeds and grains. The varieties are: Primrose flax, spring wheat, alsike clover, timothy, medium red clover, brown beans, winter wheat fall rye, six row barley. Every one of the samples would be worthy of a prize at a fair.—Ada Index.

DEPUTY RESIGNS — James Bulman has resigned as deputy sheriff of Red Lake county at Thief River Falls. The reason of Mr. Bulman's resignation is due to the fact that about the 1st of May he will remove to Prince Albert Canada, to engage in the lumbering business. It is understood that Sheriff Nelson will not appoint any deputy for Thief River Falls but wil attend to work here in person.

Myron Thornton left this morning for a days trip up the Warroad line.

J. J. Padden of Red Lake Falls is spending the day in the city looking after some business matters for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

TO VISIT INDIANS—E. O. Erickson left this morning for a trip to Erskine, Mahnomen and other points on the reservation where he has a fine line of business.

FINE SON ARRIVED—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tiedt are the parents of a very fine son an dheir which arrived yesterday morning. This is the first visit of the stork at their home and Sir Henry is walking like a horse with the string-halt.

WILL BUILD LATER — Herman Camp is spending the day in the city on business. He has fixed up another store building for temporary use and the work on the new building will not be started till the later part of June. A complete new stock is now open for business in the temporary quarters.

400 MORE WAISTS—Mike Kalad announces that in addition to the big waist sale announced on page 8 of this issue, he will have 400 new waists arrive Saturday morning together with a new shipment of embroidery and white skirts. Before noon today The Turkish Store has sold 250 waists and Mr. Kalad at once wired for another shipment in order that all customers would receive the bargains as advertised. The ladies this morning who called with the intention of purchasing a single waist, when they saw the extraordinary values bought in half dozen lots.

PEOPLE MUST RESPOND— The canvass is now in progress to secure entertainment for the delegates to the Sunday school convention which will be held in Crookston May 4-6 inclusive. The delegates are entertained for bed and breakfast only. Thus far the response has not been as liberal as it should be. As a convention city Crookston people cannot afford to be found lacking in coming forward on such occasions. There are sufficient homes in which visitors can be entertained to take care of three times the number of delegates who will be present. The response should be generous and free without any persuasion on the part of the committee. Any one prefering to pay for entertainment of one or more delegates at a hotel can do so.

Thursday evening of last week occurred the marriage of Miss Lena Josephine Lene and Oscar Swenson, both of whom formerly lived at Twin Valley tho for the past four years or more Mr. Swenson has been a resident of Tioga, N. D., where he has a claim while Miss Lene has for some time past been conducting a millinery establishment at Erskine. The ceremony took place at the United Lutheran church, Rev. Gaardsmoe of Gary officiating. Supper was later served at Murphy's hall where light refreshments were also served. Sunday the bridal party left for Erskine and from that point they went to Tioga, N. D. their future home. With them go the good wishes of a large circle of frends

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

WENT TO ST. PAUL—Jake Ide and S. Thompson left last evening for St. Paul wheer they will remain till next Wednesday and get in touch with life in the big cities.

ATTENDING SHERIFF'S SALE—Attorney O. A. Euland of Halstad arrived in the city this morning and is spending the day here attending a sheriff's sale to take care of the interests of a client.

SISTER VERY ILL—Albert Johnson left last evening for St. Cloud where his sister, Miss Hulda who is attending the normal, recently submitted to a serious surgical operation She graduated from the Crookston High school last year.

BACK FROM SUOTH—Adolph Wentzel returned yesterday from a three months' visit with his sister, Mrs. Hines at Texarcana. He says the strawberries were ripe there when he left, and all vegetation far advanced He reports a pleasant visit.

OLD FLICKERTAIL PALS— Will Churness has arrived from Berthold, N. D., and will spend a few days here as the guest of Ed Flom, the two having been old friends at Mayville, N. D., for several years. In 1902 Churness threshed for Mr. Flom and drew the neat stipend of $2,000 for the job.

REPRESENTS DULUTH FIRM — Julius Hilman, formerly in business at Grand Forks and a relative of Mrs H. W. Odney of this city spent yesterday in Crookston on business. He now represents a Duluth piano company and is doing well. He spent some time here two years ago and has many friends in Crookston.

BAD BITE FROM CAT—A. A. Olds is nursing a very ugly wound on his right hand as the result of a bite night before last by the family cat. Mr. Olds was petting it when the brute, which had always been very kind bit him viciously. He is having the hand treated by a physician but the hand and arm are very painful and badly swollen.

WENT TO FORKS—Messrs. Carl Ness and Beck are spending the day at Grand Forks having plans drawn for a fly paper factory. They have a special brand of tanglefoot which will be applied and will catch either flies or two legged human pests. The factory will be located here and Beck will supply the special brand of "Goo".

WILL MAKE HOME HERE—John Andrist who has been visiting his brother Jake Andrist for the past three weeks while enroute to his home near Kasson Minn., from California where he spent the winter, left last evening for Kasson where he has a fine farm. After looking after seeding operations he intends returning to Crookston to locate and will make some investments here.

THE FISHING LAWS—As the season for spearing fish is here it might be well to know the law on this subject. The law provides that pickerel suckers, redhorse, carp and bullheads may be taken with a spear at any time of the year without limit. A light may be used except in May and June in catching these fish. Fishing with hook and line is prohibited until the 1st of May and bass cannot be caught until May 30.

WAS NOT GREENE—There was a persistent rumor yesterday to the effect that the man found in the Red Lake river day before yesterday was a working man named Greene, who had been employed on the J. W. Barlow farm east of the city last summer Mr. Barlow drove to the city this morning to investigate and stated positively that the remains were no those of Greene, the features bearing no resemblance, and the clothing being entirely different to that worn by Greene Nothing has yet been heard from Plummer, where it was rumored a man disappeared last fall and had not been heard from since.

COLLAR BONE BROKEN — Fire Marshall John Risch was severely injured late yesterday afternoon while starting to exercise one of the fire teams. When the automatic harness was dropped on one of the horses the collar failed to snap. The team is high spirited and as they leaped thru the door of the fire hall the harness slipped back. This frightened the animals and in attempting to stop them the driver simply pulled the fire trucks on the team and they started to run away. They dashed down the street for a block when the driver steered them into a huge pile of sand and one of the horses fell. The stop was so sudden that Risch was hurled to the pavement breaking his collar bone and sustaining severe bruises. By-standers caught the team before further damage was done. Mr. Risch is resting easy today and will not be laid up but a short time.

NEW AUTOMATIC SCALES—Manager Robert Cram, of the grocery department of the Wright-Carpenter Co., is busy between times thees days explaining the fine new Anderson Automatic scales which have been installed. They are the finest made and models of accuracy. Three of them have been installed and they show the weight to the minutest fraction, and the total cost at any rate per pound. They are great time savers as a patent device stops the tiresome "teetering" of the ordinary scale. The patron is certain of getting just what he pays for, and pays for just what he gets, without any guesswork.

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The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, biliousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle and nothing tempts you or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a litle Diapepsin.

MALLORY NEIGHBORS ARE HOSPITABLE

Big Delegation from Crookston and Grand Forks were Guests of the Mallory Royal Neighbors Last Evening—Large Class Initiated and Visitors Banquetted — All had a Jolly Good Time

Last evening the Royal Neighbors of Mallory entertained large delegations from Crookston and Grand Forks, the occasion being the initiation of a class of six new members. The delegation from Grand Forks were taken to Mallory in automobiles and the degree team from Grand Forks did the initiatory work in a highly creditable manner. Following the initiations the Mallory Neighbors served a most elaborate banquet which was thoroly enjoyed by all present. Following this the Grand Forks delegation returned home. The Crookston delegation remained over night and were entertained in a most pleasant manner by the people in and near Mallory who shared their homes with the visitors, and the Crookston delegates were loud in their praises of the splendid entertainment afforded.

The Grand Forks delegation included Mesdames Hattie Fitzgerald, Ella Carr, Jennie Karns, Martha Nicholson Georgia Turner, Marie Doty, Alice Parry, Eliza Westicot, Elizabeth St. Laurence, Ina Riley, Stella Carl, Dora Willis, Anna Schuyler, Laura Young, The Misses Pearl Griffiths, Ethel Fennel, Leone Cary, May Nesbit, Messrs C. E. Carr and Andrew Byrne.

Those attending from Crookston were: Mrs. Mary Phalen, Mrs. F. Arries, Mrs. Wm. Farley, Mrs. Agnes Finlayson, The Misses Rosanna Asselin, Caroline Erdman, Eva LaPlant, Mamie Stainbrook, Dora Thebarge, Rose Jerome, Messrs Wm. Millette, J. N. Kirsch and Mrs. Brewster of Fisher.

The candidates who were initiated, included Mrs. C. R. Coulter, Mrs. Wm Montgomery, Misses Beatrice Bain, Elsie, Cora McKinnon and Sedia Gangness.

Tribute to L. A. Rosing

In the death of Leonard A. Rosing chairman of the State Board of Control, which occurred last week. Minnesota loses one of its foremost citizens. Mr. Rosing was once democratic candidate for governor and took an active part in politics for the past fifteen years. His death occurred after an operation Mr. Rosing having been ill for several months.—Norman County Herald.

BODY FOUND IN THE RIVER

REMAINS OF MAN ABOUT FORTY YEARS OF AGE RECOVERED LAST EVENING

NOTHING TO IDENTIFY—BADLY DECOMPOSED—REMAINS WILL BE HELD FEW DAYS

From Friday's Daily—

Quite a sensation was caused here last evening by the discovery of a body in the Red Lake River by Ben Krueger near Mose Giller's warehouse east of the N. P. depot. Krueger went to the bend of the river after wood and was horrified to see the floater Capt. Vonderbeck and Officer Godbout were summoned and fished the body out. It was in a bad state of decomposition.

Coroner Stenshoel took charge of remains and after the clothing had been searched nothing could be found to identify the remains. The victims watch had stopped at 9:55. His purse contained two $5 bills showing that the man had not been the victim of foul play with robbery as the motive.

There was a time book found, but this only contained certain days work checked off, but did not contain the name of the firm he worked for or his own name.

He had evidently drowned some time the past fall as he had on cotton underwear and overalls only. The remains looked to be those of a man 35 to 45 years old. They will be held for a few days in the hope of identification. They might have floated down from Red Lake Falls or Thief River Falls and the authorities there will be communicated with at once.

There are several rumors afloat as to who the dead man might be. Geo. Ruth thought he was a man who had worked on the ice wagon with him for a few days last fall.

Another story is to the effect that he was a man who spent some time here last fall at a hotel, and was dickering for the purchase of a horse from Harry Wyand.

Still another is that he is a farmer residing near Plummer who disappeared last fall, and whose wife has been searching for him ever since.

However none of these rumors can be verified, but it is hoped that a silver watch which he carried, gold embossed on the back case, open faced, may possibly lead to his identification later on.

LOOKING OVER NORTH LINE

GENERAL OFFICIALS ACCOMPANIED BY NORTHERN DIVISION FORCE

General Manager Gruber and General Superintendent W. D. Scott of the Great Northern arrived from the east line last evening and this morning their car was attached to the St. Vincent local train and they were accompanied on the trip of inspection by Supt. Allen Master Carpenter Mills and Roadmaster Laughlin of the Northern Division. There was no special significance in the trip, merely a general inspection of the line and looking up minor improvements that are necessary.

ACTIVE SEASON FOR THE TENNIS CLUB

WORK ON NEW CLUB HOUSE HAS STARTED — FINEST TENNIS N COURTS IN NORTHWEST

The Crookston Tennis Club is starting the most active season in its history. Last summer new courts were purchased in Highland Park a most picturesque site on the north bank of the Red Lake River being selected. This spring money was raised for a handsome new Club House and work on this is already started. The courts will be as fine as can be found in the state.

It is possible that another year the Crookston Tennis Club will be changed to the Crookston Tennis and Golf Club but the expense of securing links and getting them into shape would be too heavy for one year.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. Sold by all druggists.

Hunting in the dark is the quickest way to find a thing you are not looking for.

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What Jim Patten Found Out

Patten says that he is not a speculator but a business man, that he did not gamble in grain, but that he studied the situation and found out that the country is not producing enough wheat. So he bought wheat. While we may be inclined to question his [illegible] that he is not a gambler in [illegible] we ought to take to heart one thing that Jim Patten found out. He found out that country is averaging a yield of only ten bushels per acre, says the Duluth Herald in a most timely editorial.

Ten bushels of wheat per acre from the rich prairie lands of the northwest! Few lands in all the world so rich in productive elements as these; yet only ten bushels per acre. When man first put the plow to these fertile pairies, he scratched the surface with it and sat down and let nature work until the summer time when he took off a crop of 35 to 40 bushels per acre. Now he plows deeper and gets but ten.

What Jim Patten found out should be morning and evening thought with every farmer. It is the thing we have been hearing so much about from agricultural teachers of late, it is the text of nearly every interview which our farmer-railroad president, James J. Hill, has been giving out these past two years or more, it is the subject of considerable thought and some attempts at legislation, it is practically the only matter of real importance with which the legislature of 1909 of Minnesota concerned itself.

Says the Sioux City Tribune: "From the Genesse valley to Manitoba the earth rewarded the farmer with a yield of wheat ranging from 30 to 45 bushels per acre. For thousands of years nature had been storing up in the soil the fertility that made this yield possible. How did the farmers treat their inheritance? By maintaining this fertility? By returning to the land what the crop took from it? Did they not claim that the fertility was inexhaustible? Did they not grasp more and more acres to raise wheat on? Did not congress feed land hunger—land greed is the truer term—by giving quarter section homesteads? How could the farmer keep up the fertility of such an area? He didn't And he saw his fields giving yearly les and less return. Then he sold out and went to fresh land and repeated the process."

A faithful picture from Iowa of what also happened in Minnesota and the Dakotas and of what is now happening in the Great Canadian northwest. The day of this thing is not yet done in Minnesota, and unless we mend our ways if Jim Patten studies the situation two years hence he may find that we are raising less than ten bushels of wheat per acre.

"Ten years ago there were great bonanza farms in the Red River valley. Millionaires owned them and ran them for what there was in it ten years ago. Every settler had 160 acres of land, but it did not content him and he mortgaged it and bought the adjoining 160 acres. Did he have a good crop, he took the proceeds and applied it as partial payment on the remainder of the section. Soon he was land poor. He had neither the equipment the money or the men with which to more than scratch so big a farm. Putting anything back was out of the question. So he scrapped the surface until a bad year or two or three in succession made his huge farm too great a burden and the mortgage companies got it. They, too, farmed it for what they could get out of it ten years ago. They rented it out, and the renter farmed it for what he could get out of it ten years ago. Nobody had any permanent interest in the soil. Everybody took out greedily. Nobody put back.

The soil of the Northwest is still wonderfully fertile, but we have learned that we must put back as well as take out. Hence the cry for intensive farming. If we do not heed it we shall have ten, eight, six bushels per acre and more Jim Pattens.

What Jim Patten found out is the significant thing in the farm life of the Northwest today.

The Teaching Of Journalism

The University Press club is about to bring the question of a school of journalism before the university regents again. If the regents will consult practical and experienced newspaper men in this conection, they will ascertain that there is a broad field of real usefulness for the university which is now untouched, says the Minneapolis Journal.

In some quarters the antiquated notion still obtains that reporters can be trained only by practical experience. There used to be a similar notion about business men, insurance men, railroad men and the like. It has been demonstrated however that it is as practicable and desirable to train men for these vocations as for engineering, medicine or law. It is true that not so much special and technical knowledge, and more general information is desirable for the young man who is to enter newspaper work or business pursuits.

Some of the more advanced state universities have already installed departments of journalism—notably the universities of Wisconsin, Missouri and Illinois. These have been successful from the outset, altho they are made up largely of courses selected from other departments, with the addition of a few technical courses, designed to give the student some facility in the use of the tools of his trade.

Such courses would not only be beneficial directly to young men who desire to do reportorial work and to the newspapers that are now obliged to hire raw recruits, but they would yield indirect benefits to the public in the improvement that would result in the character of newspapers generally. Newspaper English is far from being what it ought to be. If reporters came to their work better trained in writing, a great improvement in that English would certainly follow. Since the newspaper furnishes for a large proportion of the public almost all of its reading matter, the effect on general intelligence and culture would be beneficial. It is this consideration that differentiates the call for a school of journalism from the reasonable requests for the broadening of the purely business courses.

We believe the regents would do a wise thing, were they to authorize the beginning in a modest way of a school of journalism, in which might be co ordinated the courses in English, history and economics already given in the academic department, and in which might be given a few courses in the technique of newspaper work.

It goes without saying that an aspirant for a newspaper career must have natural ability for the work. He must have a news sense, keen powers of observation, an active intellect and adaptibility to circumstances But with such natural equipment as this, he needs the training that the university can so well give.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

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Let Him Break It

President Taft is expected to break up the "solid south." Other presidents have been credited with such an attempt for several past administrations but the southern states come up smiling with the same old democratic majorities and they always will Just why the people of the south should join the republican party is difficult to conceive and is a proposition as preposterous as it is imaginary. You might as well declare that Champ Clark will break up the polical solidity of Pennsylvania as to assume that the smile of Taft will win the south from its political faith.—Roseau Co. Times.

Time waits for no man. The only chap who can beat it is the musician.

STATE PRESS

Roosevelt and Taft

Already there may be noticed a difference between former President Roosevelt's way of doing things and that of President Taft. The administration under Roosevelt made a noise that was heard from one end of the country to the other—with excellent effect in many cases. The last administration believed in the efficacy of agitation—and there was certainly need for it. President Taft seems to believe he can get along without any unusual agitation, and his mind appears to be engrossed with the serious business of doing something without agitation. We do not think—as some do—that this is a backward step. Roosevelt was the man of the hour. He did what he believed was right and did it vigorously, much to the discomfort of many. Taft, in following out the Roosevelt policies, will be less aggressive, tho just as firm, and in the end, with the aid of what Roosevelt accomplished, will secure what he wants. Tho Taft is built somewhat like Roosevelt and will accomplish the same ends, he will pursue a different course in doing so. He is an active conservative. — Roseau Region.

No matter how silly a pretty girl talks men never seem to notice it.

Getting Excited

It makes a lot of difference whose ox is gored. When Frederick A. Hyde Henry P. Dumond and John A. Benson of San Francisco were removed to the District of Columbia to stand trial for land frauds the press was quite unanimous in its applause. Now that it is proposed to bring newspaper traducers of the government to the same place for trial some members of the press are greatly excited. —Duluth Herald.

A Mixed Blessing

The bakers of Chicago proposed to increase the price of bread one cent a loaf after May first as a result of the advance in price of wheat. For the poor people who have to buy their bread, the increase is quite a hahrdship. Patten's manipulation of the grain market is therefore not an unmixed blessing.—Warren Sheaf.

No Difference

We would like to have some of our exchanges tell us the difference between voting for Cannon for speaker and voting for Tawney, a lieutenant of Cannon for that office. As we see it, it is about the same as the difference between tweedledee and tweedledum.—Warren Register.

The Yawning Wheat Pit

The wheat pit is a yawning hole that cannot be filled. It is bottomless, and few there be of those who go down into its insatiable maw that live to come out again.

Mr. Patten says that he has no corner. He says he is a trader, not a speculator. However that may be, he is gambling in wheat. When he thought he saw a shortage of wheat long months ago, he deliberately gambled on his judgment. A thousand things might have occurred to upset his calculations. But they did not happen or they have not happened yet. He made a bold, big gamble, and won—at least he has won thus far. Whether he will win in the end may be doubted; but certain it is, that everybody else has lost.

As a result of Patten's big gamble in wheat, hundreds have been ruined some have taken their lives, others face what appear to be certain enormous financial losses, while millions are having wrung from them the pennies and dollars that go to make up the enormous winnings of the very few,, winnings which will in all probability be lost ere long to other gamblers in wheat.

In the wheat pit men gamble in wheat. It is bad enough in itself that men will gamble, but gambling with a necessity like wheat means losses and distress for everybody, and perhaps even death to some. Already because of the Patten wheat corner, or speculation, or lucky gamble, or whatever else one may be pleased to call it, the cost of flour has been raised materially. It is impossible to buy as muchbread for a penny today as it was yesterday. The losses of those of us who live in luxury or in comfort, or even by hard, unremitting toil, may not matter much in themselves, but how about the thousands who are already on the ragged edge of starvation? The price of bread is up in London. What does that mean to the "awful poverty of the city's East End" There are thousands to whom a penny means one meal a day. Already they are starving and they are at the end of their ability to increase their revenue. How many of them will die the quicker because of Chicago's wheat pit and Jim Patten's corner?

The professional gambler is not highly esteemed of men. He keeps as much as possible to himself and his fellows. Society looks down upon him and shuns him. His business is not regarded as an honorable business. So much for the man who makes gamblinghis business. But of the man who makes his business gambling, we seem to have a better opinion. The man who accomplishes a corner in wheat is a man to be admirer for his genius, and respected for his business ability. What is the difference? The man who frankly avows that his business is gambling is certainly the more honest of the two gamblers.

Men will probably gamble as long as they are men. But we have made professional gambling illegal, and we ought also to make gambling with the necessities of life illegal. The professional gambler may ruin the individual, but the man who gambles with a necessity like wheat, ruins thousands, pinches millions, and brings death to some and misery to the multitude.

That's the kind of gambling they do in the yawning bottomless wheat pit.—Duluth Herald.

Adana A Turbulent Spot

Adana, which has been the scene of the worst outrages committed by the Turks against the Armenians during the present uprising, is the capital of the Turkish province of Adana. The population of the villayet is placed at 403,000. It is situated in the southeast of Asia Minor on the Seihun (Ancient Sarus), about forty-two miles northeast of the seaport of Mersina, with which it is connected by rail. The population is about 45,000 including a large number of Armenians and Greeks. Tarsus is not far from Adana.

Mersina, the seaport of Adana villayet is situated on the southwest coast of Asia Minor.

The harbor an open roadstead, is not very deep, and the larger vessels usually anchor a long distance from the town. The commerce amounts to oven $5,000,000 a year. The United States is represented there by a consular agent, A. Donaldson Smith. Mersina is of recent origin. Its population is estimated at 12,000 about one-half Christian.

The struggle between the Armenians and the Turks really never ceases altho the European powers occasionally patch up a nominal peace such as has been in existence since 1896.

Armenia is divided among the Turks, the Russians and the Persians. The Persian and Russian revolutionists take delight in stirring up the Armenians who always have grievances of their own against Turkey, the Armenians having been Christians since the second century, and the Turks being Moslems.

The last great series of massacres occurred from 1894 to 1897.

In August of 1894 occurred the massacre of Sassuan in which men women and children were ruthlessly murdered by the Turks. The fever of murder spread and the massacres continued throut the spring and summer of 1895. Then England, France and Russia backed up by their warships secured from the sultan promises of reformation. The murders continued and it was claimed that the Kurds to whom the work of "pacifying" the Armenians had been delegated, were beyond control. Whole villages were destroyed, and men, women and children were murdered. A pitched battle was fought at Diarbekr in which 5,000 men perished.

The outrages did not subside until late in 1896. In August of the latter year a mob in Constantinople at the instigation of the government stirred up the Armenians, and four thousand of the latter were beaten to death in the Turkish capital. No reparation was made, for the Turks claimed that the Armenians had brought the trouble on themselves.

Since 1896 sporadic attacks upon the Armenians have continued but the powers have done nothing to compel the Turkish government to fulfill the sultan's promise of better behavior.

ALBERT (OLE OLSON) HARRIS

A TRIBUTE

By Ed. E. Sheasgreen, Editor of the Iron Trail.

A time comes in the heart of every man when certain events happen that carry him back to the days of his boyhood, to the days of the school room and the swimmin' hole. Such a time was struck last Friday in the hearts of many who are men of today of Crookston and of many others in far away places—and the strokes tolled off the death of an old schoolmate, comrade and friend who went down in the faithful performance of duty.

"Ole Olson" Harris! Who was there in all the great prairie country round about and far to the south and west who did not know him, who had not been cheered on by him, who was not glad when they had met him, and who always felt better for having come in contact with him—even tho distance intervened and only the wave of his hand could be seen.

In the loss of him we are carried back to the time when his schoolmates named him—and they named him better than they knew—"Ole Olson." It happened thus: Recess was on. The June breezes were coming sweet and fresh from the prairies. Every heart was glad that summer was so close at hand with her vacation time, for all of us were tired from school. Yet we had vim enough left to play another game of ball—and it was that game that made "Ole Olson."

The bases were all full. Some hard batting had been done, two bats had been broken when Albert's turn came to bat. As he ran to his place swinging the heavy oak stick, made from a Munn wagon pole, high over his head, he was shouting in great excitement, "Let Ole shoot! Let Ole shoot! Ole he mek guid home run! Ole show 'em how! Let Ole shoot!" The ball came with a whizz, was caught square on the bat and soared high and far over Brown's old white fence. The batter with half of his bat in one hand headed for first, and not only the three men on bases but the new "Ole" scored! What a game! What cheering!

And down thru all the years the new name stuck.

The great characteristic of our beloved friend—this great ability of always getting in the game of life just at the right time and then making good—was one of the big reasons why we all loved him so. Many a time he went to bat just to help the other fellow out, and in helping out his friend "Ole" always scored a big score for himself. This accounts why, now that he has scored the final home run—has passed on around life's curves, and is lost to view from us—that we find as we count the scores to his credit so great a record, a record any man could be proud of and that few attain. Such a record is not to be bought with gold.

Often as boys we used to tramp out to the north, or far to the south of the town in the moonlight and there in the silence of the early night make our great plans for the future and watch the trains pass into or out of the division. We had the "measles" bad! Nothing but the engines and cars for us, and the time came when our boyish ambitions became the great stern realities of life.

No man, let his length of service be ever so short, can enter engine, train or yard duty but that certain bonds of affection and friendship for his fellows are formed that can never be forgotten and when that strong word, Friendship is used among us of the line, it means that just as "Ole" went down at his post of duty, so, too, could he have died for a friend.

He liked to do good. He would fight his weight in wild cats for the under fellow any time, and this characteristic shown one time in a school mix-up when he punched the nose of one of the boys for striking a little girl, shone out strong in him as a man and as a conductor when a wreck had one time happened and he stuck by an injured comrade until this boy had been properly taken care of and he forgot all else—position and all—thinking only for the comfort of his friend.

Was a comrade of the rail hungry or tired out from over-work? "Ole" would divide his lunch, often himself going without, or sharing his blanket, sitting up while the other fellow slept.

And so he lived and worked among men, going back many times to make sure that some one had taken no offense at what he had said or done, whether to man, woman or child.

A strong vigorous man he was, who could be gentle to the weak, who could stand true to the right, who could understand a child because he had the simple heart of a child, who could love to the end his wife as he had loved his mother and father and sister and brothers, who loved with a devotion and fidelity of the highest order all the good his mother taught him, who was human thru and thru, and because he was so human is why he understood his fellow men so well.

To have the friendship (and that word is here used in the very highest sense) of every man on the road with whom he came in daily contact from the highest down even to the mite of a callboy, whose little heart was broken because of the loss of his big friend; to have the friendship of thousands of people to the north, to the south, the east and the west; to have the friendship of men who loved him so that they walked, for two miles to the cemetery, in the teeth of a raging sand and dust storm (typical of the storm of grief and sorrow that was raging in their hearts) rather than to ride so they could thus show to the world the better how they loved "Ole", to have friendships such as these does notcome to the lot of every man. Money can not buy them, itis only by living as "Ole" lived that any of us are entitled to them.

And as we should gather from what happens in life only the good there is the bright and the precious thing, so let us gather from his life and from the floral tributes, that as he worked his way up the ladder of life he always found time to give us sweet music from the harp of love and that he did this until a break in the wheel occurred and he came to his cross.

And so he came into our lives, and we knew him, and we loved him and we are glad.

Two Views

The farmers rejoice at the high price of wheat and the man who put up the corner enriched himself by four million dollars at the expense of other gamblers in the pit. The poor are paying a penny more for a loaf of bread. To a tenament half starved family a cent means a whole lot, while four million dollars means nothing compared to the thinner slice of bread the little tots in the city will have to be satisfied with. That is all. Do you want to be the man who made the millions?—Roseau County Times.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

BACK FROM TURTLE—S. R. Moorhead foreman of the Journal job deparment spent Sunday at Turtle River attending to some business matters.

BUSINESS AT MENTOR—Attorneys Geo. J. Cannon and H. W. Stark spent Saturday at Mentor attending to some business matters and also took a peep at Maple Lake but decided it was too chilly for a plunge.

OLD R. R. CONDUCTOR BACK — Casper Sands who served as a passenger conductor on the G. N. for many years arrived Monday from Puyallup, Wash., where he now lives, to look after seeding on his big farm near Alvarado.—Warren Sheaf.

FARMERS ARE BUSY—Dr. J. S. Chapin drove down from Euclid this morning and says that Euclid road is the best it ever was in the spring of the year, dry as a bone and smooth as a pavement. He is spending the day here on business with H. C. Misner.

OVER SOO TERRITORY — Supt. Sheffield left last evening for Erskine from where he will visit a number of points on the Soo. The favorable conditions this spring has materially broadened that patent smile of his.

FERTILE BANKER HERE— A. P. Hanson the well known banker of Fertile and formerly of the Scandia American Bank here, arrived on the Northern Pacific this afternoon and will spend the night here to look after some business matters.

TAKING SMITH'S PLACE—J. Merrick, formerly travelling engineer on the Wilmar division of the G. N. is taking the place of Master Mechanic J. W. Smith of the Northern Division during the latter's absence at Hot Springs, Ark., accompanied by Mrs. Smith.

MUCH HAY BURNED— Considerable hay was burned west of Fertile last week when prairie fire swept over a large portion of meadow land in the town of Liberty. Sam Rasmuson and Mrs. John Connery lost several stacks.

STEPHEN JEWELER HERE—E. T. Haggerty the well known jeweler of Stephen returned home this morning after spending Sunday in the city with friends. He says things never looked brighter up the north line than this spring and that busines is expected to hum as never before.

INSPECTING CREAMERIES — Creamery Inspector A. O. Storvick left this morning for Oslo and other points on the Soo where he will inspect creameries. He started in on this branch of the work last week and will visit every creamery in this district. He says there are many new modern creameries being built this year and that conditions generally were never so favorable as at the present time.

FOUR DAYS' TRIP—C. L. Bang left this morning for a four days' trip up the Warroad line, and will also visit Beaudette and International Falls for the Crookston Bottling Works. He says as the weather warms up the demand for red pop will keep him hopping the balance of the summer months.

OLD SETTLER DEAD—A. O. Enerberg one of the early settlers of the town of Liberty died last Thursday in a Minneapolis hospital where he had gone for medical treatment. His remains were brought back from Minneapolis Monday and the funeral took place Tuesday from Vaernaes church which was largely attended. Mr. Enenberg was about 50 years old, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife and several children.

INSPECTED THE CROPS — Pete Cram, travelling for the Queen City Fruit Co., is taking a deep interest in the crop outlook this spring. He is not satisfied with the cursory view he gets from the train or his automobile and last Thursday "hoofed" itin from Eldred so as to carefully inspect each field. The report that he has a pair of bunions and a quartette of bunions was indignantly denied by the redoubtable Peter this morning.

SAYS THINGS LOOK FINE—Sam Rosenthal spent yesterday at Maple Lake looking over his cottage and making preparations to open up for the season. He says it was fine out there yesterday and he is anxious to get that launch of his spinning around the lake again. And by the way it is one of the finest and smoothest running boats ever launchedl in Northern Minnesota, to which he has many friends that will testify. Reg Smith and Prof. W. W. Hall were also at the lake yesterday taking "gapings".

Deputy U. S. Marshal Rider passed thru Crookston this morning enroute from Moorhead to Noyes and as he was accompanied by Post Office Inspector Chase and was armed with a number of subpoenas, there is certainly going to be something doing tho Marshal Rider as usual had nothing to say.

However it is known that there are to be some arrests made, and several postmasters will be called as witnesses.

Chief Eck today received a telephone message from F. S. Kolberg a well known resident of Bagley asking to have the remains of the man found in the river last Friday held till his arrival this evening. The remains were buried Saturday but if Kolberg identifies the watch or clothing the body will be exhumed. Mr. Kolberg did not state whom he thought the dead man was.

APPENDICITIS OPERATION—Saturday last at Bethesda hospital Mrs. Bernhart Lane, of 702 South Ash St., was operated upon for appendicitis by Dr. O. L. Bertelson. She recovered from the shock nicely and is resting very easily today with every indication that she will soon be able to be removed to her home.

SPEARED FISH—H. O. Gilbertson spent the first part of the week here and before returning to Crookston enjoyed an outing at Sand Hill lake and speared a few of the first fish of the season. A number of parties here made fishing excursions to the Sand Hill during the past week, meeting with varying success.—Fosston Thirteen Towns.

RETURNED TO ROSEAU— Chas. Thampson who looks after the interests of the St. Hilaire Retail Lumber company's interests at Roseau has returned there after spending a day in the city. The company purchased a large amount of lumber from the farmers and business men there during the winter season.

HERE FROM LOCKHART— Gust T. Eckstad who has been with the G. Northern at Lockhart has been spending the past week in the city. He will continue with the G. N. but does not know as yet where he will be located. He says the farmers are well along with their seeding near Lockhart having been at work for the past three weeks with the exception of a few mornings when it was too frostv.

VALLEY LOOKS FINE—J. A. McDonald, formerly with the St. Hilaire Retail Lumber Co., with offices in this city, and now with the same concern in Minneapolis, who has been spending a few days here on business, left for East Grand Forks this morning. He says the Red River Valley never looked better to him than it does this spring and he believes a prosperous year is ahead.

SUNDAYED WITH FAMILY—Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan returned this morning from East Grand Forks where he spent Sunday with his family. He says the west end metropolis is booming this spring and the coming summer will witness more municipal improvements than any year in the history of that city. He also states that the farmers are very optimistic regarding the conditions under which the seed is going into the ground. There will be a larger acreage sown land under more favorable conditions than have prevailed for the past ten years.

FORMERLY LIVED IN FOSSTON—The following item from a Bakersfield, Cal., paper, relates to the death of a young lady who resided in Fosston for some years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brabander, (the former of whom preceded his daughter to the grave several years ago). The family removed to Bakersfield from Fosston about six years ago. Stella was a bright girl and many friends here will be saddened to learn of her untimely demise: "Mrs. Stella Irwin was born in South Dakota in January 1887. She grew to young girlhood in Fosston, Minnesota. With her mother, Mrs. Brabander she moved to California in 1903 and settled in Bakersfield. She was married to Mr. Irwin in 1905 by Rev. J. W. Horn, and died here in Bakersfield, April 5th, 1909 at age of 22 years. She leaves a little baby girl eight weeks old and her mother and four brothers. Mrs. Irwin was a good, true and faithful woman in all things. She suffered much in the last few months of her life, and when called to die, she passed away gently and in full possession of her faculties. She bid mother and brothers good-bye and said "I am going, good-bye all." She knew her Savior and was not afraid. Loving friends laid her to rest in Union cemetery."

Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My litle girl was greatly benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and is a splendid spring medicine, as it cleanses the system and clears the complexion. Sold by all druggists.

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From Tuesday's Daily

Geo. Heath went to Ada last evening on business.

RECOVERIN GRAPIDLY—Mrs. P. S. Dainerd wife of the foreman of the saw department at the Crookston saw mill who was operated upon at the St. Vincent Hospital last Saturday is recovering nicely and will soon be able to be removed to her home.

IS ATTRACTING ATTENTION — The S. S. Convention attracts the attention of the eastern publishers. Scribner's Sons have sent a supply of the new "Hasting's" Bible Dictionary for examination by S. S. workers. The new "Standard' Bible Dictionary by the Funk & Wagnalls Co., will also be represented.

RETURNED HOME—A number of those who were here to attend the funeral over the remains of Albert G. Harris yesterday left for their homes today. Mrs. George Blaisdell returned to Devils Lake this morning, after accompanying Mrs. Harris here and doing everything possible to render assistance during the trying hours. Ed. E. Sheasgreen left for Minneapolis on the N. P. this afternoon and Bruce Harris returned to Prince Albert on the N. P. also. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris return to Bemidji tonight and will be accompanied by Mrs. Albert Harris who will visit there for several days.

A GRAND FORKS BOOSTER—C. H. Kelsey, one of the best known real estate men in N. Dakota was in the city yesterday on business. He looks for an exceedingly prosperous year in this section of the northwest and states that North Dakota is in fine shape for a big crop. Mr. Kelsey is one of the best and most consistent boosters that Grand Forks can boast of and his motto "Watch Grand Forks Grow" has been potent in pushing the North Dakota metropolis to the front.

At the meeting of the directors of the Commercial Club last evening President Misner was authorized to name a committee to have charge of the formal opening of the club rooms which will take place some time early in May.

The Winnipeg Eagles were formally invited to come to Crookston on July 5th for their annual outing and the club will co-operate with the local Eyrie for their entertainment.

The furnishing committee was extended a vote of thanks for the excellent service they had performed.

ANOTHER GRANDSON—Jake. Francis this morning received word that a young son had arrived at the home of Ensign and Mrs. Geo. Wolverton, Mrs. Wolverton being his daughter and Mr. Wolverton having been stationed here for some time in charge of the Salvation Army barracks. This makes 4 grand sons and three grand daughters for Mr. Francis and he is as proud as Licifer over it.

Mrs. Sullivan, mother of Reputy Sheriff Sullivan of this city was dangerously injured this morning as the result of falling down the stairway at her home in East Grand Forks. She did not regain consciousness till afternoon and on account of advanced age, 78 years, great apprehension is felt over the outcome. Deputy Sullivan left on the N. P. this afternoon for her bedside.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

FELL IN THE DRINK—Norman Bivins while working in the sluiceway at the sawmill yesterday stepped on a log which rolled and he took an involuntary and very chilly bath.

LEFT FOR CHICAGO—Dr. J. S. Chapin has left for Chicago to continue treatments. He will stop at Grafton, Ia. for a few days on business.

JUMPED BOARD BILL—Albert Simonson, who was arrested here Monday night by Captain Vonderbeck, was taken to Bemidji last evening to answer to a charge of jumping a board bill.

YOUNG DAUGHTER DEAD— The death of Grace the five-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blackmore, occurred at the family home on Minnesota Point, south of East Grand Forks after an extended illness. The funeral arrangements are not completed.

DREDGE FOR CLIMAX—The entire dredge crew located at Stephen has left for Climax where they will at once set about getting the dredge into shape preparatory to starting the large amount of ditching they have to do in that vicinity this summer.

HAS HIS EYE WITH HIM—N. C. Ludvigson was in the city this morning enroute to points on the Warroad line. Mr. Ludvigson is an enthusiasmember of the Crookston, East Grand Forks Gun Club and the spring practice work has already started with "Lud" showing up in fine form.

ON WESTERN TRIP—Ralph [illegible] tour. He will stop first at Livingston, Montana, and will visit a number of other places before returning. He plans on a very interesting trip and without doubt he will have it as he knows how to get enjoyment if there is anything of that nature in sight.

KITTSON COUNTY FAIR DATES—The date for the Kittson County Fair this year has been set for August 6 and 7 Friday and Saturday. The Patten Carnival Co., which gave excellent satisfaction last year has been engaged for the occasion and efforts will be made to have a better fair than ever before. The dates this year will follow immediately after those of Warren which will be the first four days of the same week.

PUNCH BOWL AND GOBLETS — The North Dakota State Fair association of Grand Forks received word this morning from the Merchants hotel of St. Paul to the effect that the prize to be offered at the state fair in Grand Forks by hat hotel would be a silver punch bowl with goblets. The bowl and goblets will be gold lined and the prize is one well worth striving for. It will be one of the numerous specials in the cattle department.

PARTRIDGE COMMITS SUICIDE—At H. T. Bergsland's home south of Plummer Sunday afternoon the family and some visiting friends were startled by a terrific crash and a clatter of falling glass. An investigation developed the fact that a partridge in its headlong flight had crashed against the window and gone thru both the outside and inside glasses. The bird must have been startled by something and flew straight thru the window. The egdes of the glass cut its neck and it was dead in a few minutes.

SELLING VALLEY LAND — Geo. H. Richardson who has been in the land business in Hallock for the past six years came up from Lemars. Ia., a few days ago to open up his place of business there and make preparations for another season of land business. Mr. Richardson states that on account of the excessive rains in Iowa seeding is very backward this spring. Mr. Richardson was accompanied by G Rozenboom of Orange City, Ia., who came up to look over the country.

A GOOD SHOWING — Following is the statement of business done at the Plummer creamery during the month of March:

Cream received, 34,533 lbs.
Average test 22.8.
Butter fat 8,334.81 lbs.
Overrun 22.2.
Butter sold 10.072 lbs.
Total cash received $2,753.81.
Total paid patrons $2,503.37.
Running expenses $165.55.
Surplus $4.55
Price paid patrons for butter, 30.4 cents per pound.

HALLOCK MAN GOES WEST — Aug. Jergensen of Hallock has left for San Francisco, California, where he will remain for some time visiting with friends and relatives before leaving for the state of Washington where he will make his future home. Mr. Jergensen is an old resident of Kittson county having resided there for over 25 years in which time by economy and hard work he has accumulated considerable wealth, which enables him now to enjoy the fruits of his labor. It is dollars to doughnuts that he returns to the Red River Valley before many months like the majority of other do who leave.

DEATH AT GREENBUSH — The sudden death of Nels O. Fernstrom at Greenbush early last week is learned with regret here. The evact cause of his demise has not been learned but is understood to have been caused by blood poisoning brought about by the lancing of a boil in his nose. Mr. Fernstrom is well known in central Marshall County but for the past few years has resided with his family on their homestead near Strathcona. Besides his wife and two children one boy and one girl, he leaves to mourn his loss his aged mother Mrs. Per Person of Nelson Park and four brothers, Peter, John, Charles and Elof Fernstrom and two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Merdink and Naemi Fernstrom.

SMALL BLAZE AT HALLOCK — The Hallock fire department was called out Monday to put out a small blaze in A. P. T. Suffel's drug store. The fire was caused by a lighted match coming in contact with the gas while making a search for the leak in the gas pipe. The explosion which followed the ignition of the gas caused a considerable shaking up and scattering of things in the front part of the store, but causing no serious damage. In the excitement which followed the explosion nothing was thought of fire until smoke was discovered issuing forth from the cornice of the roof, when the fire department was called out, and it was found that the fire had worked its way up between the walls and if it had not been for the promptiness of the boys the entire roof would have been in one mass of flames.

Correspondence

SHERAC

Mr. G. H. Horn and Henry Tiedemann drove to Grand Forks last Thursday on business.

Mr. Wm. Vanek made a flying trip to Tabor last Thursday where he transacted some very important business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gaston and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Horn last Thursday.

J. W. Baars was visiting with his many friends around here last week.

Miss Rose Kotek enjoyed a several days' visit with her girl friend Miss Tilly Brantl.

Messrs. Harold Misner and Wm. Riedesel two well known and prominent young men of Crookston spent last Monday and Tuesday visiting with friends at Euclid.

Mr. Henry Giese a student of the Union Commercial college of Grand Forks is visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese of Tabor.

Messrs. Robert Walker, Ed Brantl, Thos. Pender and James Butler, four young railroad men of Grand Forks were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. Brantl of Tabor last Wednesday. The young lads made the trip in record breaking time in a beautiful auto.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jahotek drove to Tabor last Sunday.

Miss Agnes LaGrove teacher in school district No. 30 town of eKy Stone finished her term of school last Friday. Miss LaGrove has given great satisfaction and parents and scholars are speaking well of her work.

Mrs. Herman Osterloh of Angus was visiting last Friday with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. B. Tiedemann.

The home talent play, "Gertie's Vindication" given at the school house in district No. 30 town of Key Stone was a grand success both socially and financially. "The old man" represented by Daniel McDonald was done in a very fine style, while Miss Tillie Brantl was pronounced by all those present, the leading star of the evening. The other actors were well suited to their pars and did well. Owing to the busy season the crowd was rather small, altho Tabor was well represented.

Mrs. A. Belhke of Tabor called on Mrs. B, Tiedemann of Key Stone last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brantl entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. Gerber and children.

Miss Tilly Brantl entertained last Sunday at supper two of her girl friends. Miss Tilly is a splendid entertainer as all her friends know.

KEY STONE

Mrs. John Brantl and daughter Miss Silvia spent last Sunday night at the home of Mr. Joseph Jerrick.

All present at the entertainment given at the Aeschlimann school report a good time. The school house was prettily decorated. The play "Gertie's Vindication" was a decided success. Lewis Aeschlimann who represented Jack the Negro, kept the audience in an uproar. A certain lady who has a daughter attending school said the program was worth walking two miles to see. A delicious lunch was served at midnight.

Miss Agnes LaGrove finished a very successful six months' of school last Friday. The pupils speak very highly of her teaching and her work was praised by visitors and parents. Miss LaGrove and her mother left for Grand Forks last Saturday to visit relatives for a few weeks. During their stay in Key Stone they made many friends who greatly regret their departure.

Mr. Lewis Brantl called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brantl last Sunday.

Mr. JohnGerber and family enjoyed a very pleasant visit with Mr. John Brantl and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann drove to Grand Forks last Saturday.

It seems that as soon as spring opens a boy's first thought is to remain true to his favorite game of baseball as was the case in this vicinity last Sunday when a few of the boys met for the first time at the Brantl farm and played just to see what it was like.

The farmers are rejoicing over the fine weather and are very busy with their seeding.

Misses Clara McDonald and Silvia Brantl took supper at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Wednesday.

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THE "BUBBLES" OUT IN FORCE

Sunday was the first real warm spring day that has been experienced during the month of April, and while the automobils owners have been doing stunts in fur coats occasionally, yesterday was the first day that they were out in force with the fair sex arrayed in their Easter finery. There are double the number of Automobiles in Crookston this spring over last year.

The Auto germ has got in its work and many business men have either purchased a machine or have a malignant attack of the fever which cannot be reduced by anything but the ownership of a car of some description.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Lorena Hansen, plaintiff,
vs.
Ole Hansen, Defendant.

State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action which complaint has been filed in the office of the district court in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block in the city of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within thirty days after the service of this summons and complaint upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said complain within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint in this action.

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial district.

E. Jenne Schroeder, Plaintiff,
vs,
Carl G. Schroeder, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court aforesaid, at the court house in the city of Crookston, in said county and state, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block, in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated April 22, 1909.

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. Sold by all druggists.

Iron Trade Journal: If the farmers of the southern part of the state were one-half so enthusiastic about running their farms as they are dodging their taxes there would be no need for J. J. Hill or any one calling them down for not making the state's statistics show up better.

LOW RATE
Farm Loans
PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES
WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.
CROOKSTON, MINN.
J. W. Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y.

PROGRAM FOR THE GREAT SANGERFEST

FOUR SINGING SOCIETIES WILL SING SEPARATELY AND IN GRAND CHORUS AND GUSTAF HOLMQUIST THE GREAT BASS SINGER OF CHICAGO, MISS AUGUSTA SCHACT, OF FERGUS FALLS, AND MISS MILDRED IRENE ROMSDAHL OF FARGO WILL SING SOLOS

The program committee has completed the program for the first Biennial Musical Festival of the Red River Valley Scandinavian Singers' Association, to be held in Fergus Falls next June. It is as follows:

Grand Concert—8 O'clock Friday Evening June 4.

1. Selection ... ...
Orchestra, Fergus Falls, A. J. Anderson, Conductor.
2. Brede Seil ... ... Reissiger
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
3. Det forste Mode .... Grieg
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
4. Ulabrand .... Wendelborg
Bjarne Singing Society, Grand Forks, J. L. Shefstad, director
5. Ung Magnus .... O. A. Grondahl
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.
6. a. Solo ... ... Selected
b. Solo .... Selected
Gustaf Holmquist
7. Hor os, Svea, ... Wennerberg
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director
8. Selection ....
Orchestra
9. Norge, Norge .... Selmer
Orpheus Singing Society, Fargo, P. A. Rudd, director
10. Sigurd Jorsalafar .... Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.
11. Vaarsang .... John Dahle
Ljom Singing Society, Fergus Falls, John Prestbo, director.
12. How Nearly was I Sleeping (Aria from "Der Friedschutz") Von Weber
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
13. Star Spangled Banner ...... Key
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
14. Landkjending ... ...Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.

2:30 Saturday Afternoon June 5

1. Selection ... ...
Orchestra, Fergus Falls, A. J. Anderson, Conductor.
2. Skona Mai ... .Been
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
3. a. Solo ... ... Selected
b. Solo ... ...Selected
c. Solo ... ...Selected
Miss Agusta Schacht, Fergus Falls
4. Varde .... Haarklo
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director.
Solo P. A. Rudd
5. Fiskalen .... John Dahle
Orpheus Singing Society, Fargo, P. A. Rudd, director
6. Naar Fjordene Blaaner .. Paulsen
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
7. Aftenroster ... ...Borg
Viking Chorus Society, Crookston, T. T. Ove, director.
8. Selection ... ...
Orchestra
9. Norden er et Soskendlag. .Stuntz
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director
10. Annie Laurie ....
Bjarne Singing Society, Grand Forks, J. L. Shefstad, director
11. Al Himlen Priser ... Beethoven
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
12. Sumos Sang ... ...Paculs
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
13. Satt Maaskinen i Gang Lindblad
Ljom Singing Society, Fergus Falls, John Prestbo, director.
14. Ossian .... Haarklou
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo. Director

8 O'clock, Saturday Evening June 5

1. Selection ... ...
Orchestra, Fergus Falls, A. J. Anderson, Conductor.
2. Naar Fjordene Blaaner ....
... ...A Paulsen
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
3. a. Solo ... ...Selected
b. Solo ... ...Selected
Gustaf Holmquist
4. "Soldiers' Chorus," from Faust opera ... ... Gounod
Viking Chorus Society, Crookston, T. T. Ove, director.
5. Sigurd Jorsalafar ... . Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
6. Cry Aloud (Aria from "Iasiah")
... ...Patten
Miss Romsdahl
7. Brudeferden ... ... Kjerulf
Bjarne Singing Society, Grand Forks, J. L. Shefstad, director
8. Selection ... ...
Orchestra
9. Jotunheimen ... .Ole Olson
Orpheus Singing Society, Fargo, P. A. Rudd, director
10. Staa Stark ...... G. Wennerberg
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director
11. Vidste du .... Warmuth
Miss Romsdahl
12. Vaarvon ... ...
Ljom Singing Society, Fergus Falls, John Prestbo, director.
13. a. Solo ... . Selected
b. Solo .. ..Selected
c. Solo ... ...Selected
Miss Agusta Schacht, Fergus Falls
14. Landjkending ... ...Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.
15. Den Store vide Flok .... Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.

A Systematic Campaign

No act of a governor of the state of Minnesota ever resulted in more favorable comment in the press and from individuals than the veto of the tonnage tax bill by Gov. Johnson. One clause of his message vetoing the bill is particularly significant to the northern part of the state as follows:

"Northern Minnesota claims, with some show of reason that had its counties a legislative representation based on a just population apportionment this bill would never have passed. Fifty-nine counties of this state receive more money from the state treasury than they pay into it, and it scarcely seems possible that these districts should attempt to impose upon another section of the state a system of taxation based upon an inequality. Such attitude obviously threatens the state with a condition of sectional hatred and prejudice which is ominous to the state's future peace, harmony and progress.'

This statement on the part of Gov. Johnson is well founded upon facts. The northern part of the state lacks just representation and it is none too early to start a systematic campaign to secure just representation at the legislative session two years hence. Nothing can be secured in that line till then, but it will take organized effort to secure our rights even two years from now. We are entitled to equal representation but we are not getting it, and the sections of the state which have more than a just representation based upon population will fight any measure which will give this rapidly growing part of the state what it is entitled to. The campaign for justice should be started now in order that we are prepared when the time comes to make the fight.

Commenting on the same subject The Duluth Herald sizes up the situation as follows:

"What Northern Minnesota needs to secure its fundamental right to representation in the legislature, is unity of purpose and coherence of effort. No practical, systematic effort has yet been made to secure justice in this respect. Northern Minnesota already has the votes to secure a proper apportionment for the entire state from and including the Twin Cities north, is in favor of reapportionment. What is now needed and at once is organization. A reapportionment league should be formed at once with funds sufficient for a determined and systematic and continuous campaign to unite the people in a demand for reapportionment. Such a demand is a latent power; it can be made active, when it can no more be resisted than can the rising of the tide.

"Equitable representation in the legislature is the fundamental need of the people of Minnesota today; without it, the state is subject to the greatest evils, for such is always the case when the few have more power than the many."

No Law "Agin" It

The St. Paul Dispatch is taking a straw vote from its readers to determine whether it will discontinue its comic supplement. This is a case of the referendum applied to private industry. If you are opposed to the institution a dollar's worth buy a score of papers and duplicate your vote. There's no law agin it.—Albert Lea Times-Enterprise.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

POLK COUNTY PIONEER DEAD

CORNELIUS O'NEILL PASSED AWAY SUDDENLY AT BONNERS FERRY LAST WEEK

BROTHER OF HENRY O'NEILL AND LIVED ON SAME FARM 30 YEARS AGO

Much sorrow will be felt by the pioneers of this section by the announcement of the death of Cornelius O'Neill brother of Henry O'Neill one of the pioneer residents of Polk county which occurred last week suddenly in Idaho.

Cornelius O'Neill or "Con." as he was known by old timers here years ago, died at Bonners Ferry, Idaho on the 15th inst.

He came here with his father who now lives at Moorhead, over 30 years ago.

The first winter he spent in a log house with sod roof on the place that his brother, Henry O'Neill now owns. Sam and Jas. Hays of Nielsville and Climax and also "Duke" Jewel, G. N. engineer, spent the greater part of the winter with him. He farmed here for a time and then went west.

A bad cold followed by pneumonia was the cause of his death. He was buried there for the present but will probably be taken to Moorhead where the family owns a cemetery lot and where the mother and a daughter Nellie are buried.

Deceased was 44 years of age and was unmarried. L. J. O'Neill who owns a section of land in eastern Polk and who was a partner of Cornelius in timber land in Idaho was with him all the time he was sick and finally buried him.

ADDRESSED STUDENTS OF HIGH SCHOOL

On Thursday last Prof. Harrington and Supt. Thorson visited the city schools and explained the industrial work planned.

Supt. McIntyre made the announcement to the high school that the music period would be changed and that Mr. Harrington of the Crookston school of agriculture and Supt. Thorson would furnish the music. Mr. McIntyre made a few remarks, telling how the people in olden days wished for their children to have "better advantages at school" and asked if the advantages are to help the young people to work for their living, or for them to wait for their parents to leave them fortunes so that they can lead an idle and "easy life". He then introduced Mr. Thorson and by the applauding Mr. Thorson is assured that the high school pupils appreciate what he has done for them.

He started by saying that he was asked to sing but that on account of not having enough time to prepare anything he would try to speak instead. Mr. Thorson says, "I am like a man in the southern part of the state, he was going to introduce a man to a large audience and like me it was the first time he had ever spoken in public. He hesitated and then pointed backwards and said, "That's him."

Mr. Thorson said that he and Mr. Harrington were at the high school for the purpose of getting the pupils into an industrial contest where the boys would raise wheat, corn, and oats for a prize of $50 for the best and the girls were to make an apron or a loaf of bread, or a cake and a large prize was offered for the best in that line.

He said that the local prize winners would then send their articles to the state fair and try for a prize there Mr. Thorson said then that he would introduce Mr. Harrington who would finish telling about the contest.

Mr. Harrington started by saying that this country needed advertising. That the only way it could be advertised properly, was by showing the public what it could produce.

He said that on his way home from Fosston he saw several unoccupied farms and he asked why these farms were vacant. He said that these farms must be operated with new vigor. Mr. Harrington said that this was not a corn country but by planting Minnesota No. 13 or Red Dent that we would have corn here by Sept. 20.

Mr. Harrington then spoke of the girls and said that every girl should be able to sew, darn and bake bread Te said that every one should make bread as we could get along without sewing by using pins" and he then asked the boys what they thought of the girls doing these things, and naturally the boys think that it's great. He closed by saying that if a real nice layer or loaf cake is sent in, that he, Mr. Thorson and Mr. McIntyre will sample it; but he found that Mr. Powers was making a long face and said that he "can come in on the side."

HIS NAME IS C. GOODRICK

IDENTITY OF VICTIM OF ORIENTAL LIMITED IS ESTABLISHED

The identity of the unknown man who was ground to pieces under the wheels of the east bound Oriental Limited of the Great Northern near Arvilla two weeks ago has been established by Coroner A. P. Rounsvell of Larimore yesterday. The deceased name is Charles Gordrick, and he has a brother-in-law residing at Calumet, Mich. The rest of his people live in Europe.

The coroner secured his information regarding the identity of the man from Ed Paulson. Identification was a difficult matter, for the body was badly dismembered and portions of it were carried from the scene of the accident one and one-half miles east of Arvilla to Grand Forks.

It was found at the inquest that the deceased had been in Grand Forks and had walked west with other wanderers. He had been drinking a good deal and while nearing Arvilla he became tired and wanted to crawl into a straw stack. His comrade urged him to walk on but he was unable to do so and he was left. It is believed he laid down on the track and was ground to pieces.

GREAT RACE PROGRAM FOR STATE FAIR

The speed department of the State Fair is now in the hands of that veteran horseman George Atchinson of Mankato, Minn. Mr. Atchinson aside from being one of the board of managers of the State Fair is the superintendent of speed, succeeding Mr. C. M. Griggs of St. Paul, in this position Immediately after the close of last year's fair, upon the resignation of Mr. Griggs, the new superintendent of speed made up his mind to cultivate the acquaintance of western horsemen and visited several of the late race meeting for this purpose. It is no easy matter to arrange a racing program of such proportions as is offered at the State Fair, and it is an extremely difficult task to please both the public and the horsemen at the same time. Mr. Atchinson is a particularly fortunate selection as a successor to Mr. Griggs as he is an old horseman, always owning a few fast ones himself, having a large acquaintance in harness horse circles and for several years he has had charge of the speed department of the Mankato fair, whose races have always been second to the State Fair's. It is safe to say he will make a record in his new position, as the program already outlined is sure to meet every requirement.

WOMEN DON'T WANT TO WEAR DOMESTIC HOSE.

Spokane, Wash., April 26—Protesting against being forced to wear domestic stockings, which they declare are shapeless and inferior in grade, members of the Spokane Floral association, headed by Mrs. John W. Gilson, joined the women of Chicago in a movement for reduced rates on woman's wearing apparel, urging also a cut in the duty on raw and refined sugars.

In a letter to United States Senator Wesley L. Jones, the association filed formal protest against the proposed increase in the tariff on stockings and gloves, urging the senator to use his best efforts to obtain a reduction all along the line. The petition, which is to be presented to the United States senate, says that while this is the greatest fruit-growing country in the world, "our exports of jams and jellies are comparatively small, as we cannot compete in neutral markets like Great Britain, which have the advantage of free sugar. We believe that a reduction of the sugar tax would greatly increase domestic consumption of these articles and would give us a much larger share of the export trade. A reduction of this tax would therefore be an unquestioned advantage to the people of the entire country."

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into acepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

Many a man keeps one eye on a policeman while boasting of his honesty

The Rent is Reasonable.

A modern up-to-date Safe Deposit Box in our absolutely fireproof vaults costs but one dollar a year.

You carry the key, and have access to the vaults at any time during banking hours. It's just the place where your valuable papers should be kept.

Drop in and look over the vaults.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.
Assets over One Million Dollars

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

It doesn't take long for a handsome young widow to convince a woman hater of the error of his ways.

And many a man after robbing Peter to pay Paul tries to stand Paul off.

It's usually the man who is too lazy to carry a stick of stovewood that goes around with a chip on his shoulder.

Speaking of shooting stars it would be very wrong to take a shot at some of those who pose behind the footlights.

Say Farmers Broke Faith

The business men have awakened to the fact that some of the farmers who promised them their custom if they would vote out the saloons are still buying groceries out of town. The names of the farmers are known and the Times has been asked to publish the list which includes nearly all who signed the petition to Roseau business men to vote out the saloons "and they (the petitioners) would patronize home merchants exclusively." It is not our funeral. In the long run the farmers will find that they can really obtain better goods at better prices at home. What goods we have seen shipped in to the farmers have been put up in old dirty boxes and the canned goods had on wrappers several years old and if new wrappers had been put on, the cans showed the age. The goods we have seen were a dirty looking mess.—Roseau County Times.

Very Important

The announcement is made by Dr. George B. Frankfurter professor of science at the state university, that he has, after twelve years of investigation, discovered a process whereby paper pulp can be made from fir trees or even sawdust. At present spruce is the only wood that can be used for this purpose and as the supply of spruce is limited this discovery is of world wide importance. C. A. Smith the wealthy Minneapolis lumberman has become interested in the discovery and has faith in it to the extent that he will erect a plant for the manufacture of pulp by the new process.—Hutchinson Leader.

May Be Real Goods

Of all things La sakes! Just think of Aldrich throwing a lower tariff rate at the people. Looks suspicious but it may be the real goods. There is no change in fish but cocoa is returned to the free list and fashioned hosiery is put back under the existing law. There is nothing doing in tobacco but iron ore is put back on the dutiable list at 25 cents per ton. The wool schedule has been restored as now existing but the schedule is revised. Hats and bonnets come in for a reduction but wood pulp is still in the air. What's the use?—Roseau Co. Times.

The Inevitable Result

In the state of Kansas, where the centralizers have secured control of the cream product, the average price paid per pound for butter fat in 1908 was 18 cents. In Minnesota, where two-thirds of the creameries are cooperative, and controlled by the farmers, the average price was 28 cents. The advantage of co-operation over centralization is very apparent.—Good Thunder Herald.

It is human nature to sympathize with the under dog—until he gets licked.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR
(New York Press)

When a woman loses her figure it's a sign she is not going to advertise for it.

The suburbanite thinks he is a wild dog if he gets home one train late for dinner.

Some people can be glad to be run over by an automobile because it's a rich man that does it.

When a girl makes up her mind to marry a man it's a sign she can make up his for him too.

A woman would rather have a butler who is no good on earth, than five plain ordinary competent servants.

Prices All Right, Produce More

The farmers have been busy for some years in an effort to unite in such a way that they may be able, in a measure to control the price of their products. They certainly have done well. They have organized the American Farmers' Society of Equities and several other organizations that appear to have done good work in advancing the price of wheat. Wheat selling in the large markets at over $1.25 is indeed encouraging to the farmers. Now let us all boost and see if we can't get a better price for—well what more do you want? Everything, that the farmer produces is way up and what the farmer wants to do is to get busy and raise enough to supply the demands.—Thief River Falls Press.

A So-far Job

Take it from us that it is a safer and much more pleasant job to umpire a ball game between the Saints and the Millers than to be the boss of Turkey. You can never tell when a mutiny will be jarred loose from the army and as they have real guns the damage they can do is much more serious than usually results from the throwing of pop bottles. Turkey looks better to us dead and nicely cooked. —Stillwater Gazette.

Toggery for Men Who Know

CRITICAL Men with a liking for distinctive and refined styles in Haberdashery, will find here an opportunity for the exercise of their individual tastes.

Our Spring Toggery represents a choice selection of the "best things" made by the Best Makers. Shirts, Ties, Underwear, Collars, Cuffs Hosiery, etc., in makes and styles that are different.

We'll take pleasure in showing you the new Spring Toggery, Sir, and you'll not find an over-priced article in our entire stock.

SPOKELY
The Clothier

RED LAKE COUNTY COURT HOUSE BURNS

Frame Structure Burned Like Tinder Last Night. By Hard Work All The Records Were Saved.

County Board In Session This Afternoon To Provide Temporary Quarters. May Mean Renewal Of Co. Seat Fight.

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening about 9 o'clock fire was discovered in the court house of Red Lake county at Red Lake Falls, and within a very short time the frame structure, dry as tinder, was a heap of ashes.

The fire is supposed to have originated as the result of a defective chimney, but, tho four people were in the building at the time, no one will ever know definitely where he fire really originated.

The department was on the scene shortly but the flames had reached such headway that there was no hope ot saving the building, which was a raram-shackle affair patched up from several old buildings, and was but one story in height.

The main efforts of the firemen and citizens was directed towards saving the records of the county, and County Auditor O'Brien in a long distance telephone message stated that every thing of value had been saved. He opened the vault in the Auditor's office at noon today and found the contents in good condition.

The board of county commissioners met this afternoon and are busy making arrangements for temporary quarters for the county officials. The loss is estimated at about $4,000 fully covered by insurance. It is rumored that the destruction of the court house will mean the immediate renewal of the county seat fight with more vigor than ever before.

Fortunately no one was injured in the least and the report that several residences had been burned was withoupt foundation, nothing having been touched but the court house.

WILL RETURN FROM WEST

L. J. O'NEILL TO RETURN TO POLK COUNTY AFTER TWO YEARS IN IDAHO

HAS ONE OF FINEST FARMS IN EASTERN POLK CO. LOCATED IN CHESTER TOWNSHIP

From Saturday's Daily—

L. J. O'Neill, after two successful years in Idaho, has decided to return to Polk county to make his future home. His wife and children are now enroute here, and Mr. O'Neill will be here just as soon as he can settle up the estate of his brother Cornelius who died suddenly last week and with whom he was in partnership.

L. J. O'Neill went to Chester township 20 years ago with a young wife, his homestead right and a very few dollars. After 18 years of work he left two years ago for Idaho. He took about $2,000 with his and left 680 acres of a farm and cattle ranch free from all debt behind. He was one of the best known men in that end of the county and one of the heaviest tax payers and largest cattle owners.

He worked hard for Columbia county and was one of the County commissioners of that county until it was knocked out by the Supreme Court of the state of Minnesota.

L. J. O'Neill has many friends here among the old timers. His home is in Chester township. It is on the north side of Lost river and the place is known as Riverside Ranch with a nice house with Kentucky blue grass lawn. and Norway, white pine and balsam for shade trees along nice gravelled walks.

His wife was formerly Edith S. Shumway and was a sister of H. E. and Miss Nealia who now is in the office of the state drainage board in the new capitol at St. Paul. L. J. O'Neill at one time was a partner of Jud. Carruth's in a roller rink in Crookston and he also was a partner of Dan McDonald's former chief of police of Crookston. That was about 25 years ago. He and Mr. McDonald took contracts on railroad work, etc. They dug the basement of the present Shevlin saw mill. His coming back to Polk county again to live after two successful years in Idaho is certainly a good advertisement for this country. He now has three children Gladys, Owen and Nora the oldest being about 18 years.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists.

Daily Journal 30c per Month.

CONSPIRED TO ROB THE G. N.

MERCHANT AND AGENT JOIN IN AN EFFORT TO SECURE $531 IN CASH

CLAIMED GOODS SHIPPED BY CHICAGO FIRM AT NOONAN DID NOT ARRIVE

From Saturday's Daily—

Trapped by Detectives Allman and Delaney, of the Great Northern railway, Charles Rouse, merchant at Noonan, N. D., and M. Laremore, Great Northern agent at that point, confessed they had plotted to defraud the company out of $531 by taking goods from a shipment of merchandise received from Marshall, Field & Company of Chicago. The pair were placed under arrest and held for trial in the district of Williams county. They furnished bonds. The agent was promptly discharged by the company.

After a large shipment of merchandise arrived from the Chicago firm Rouse put in his claim to the Great Northern. He asserted that he had checked the goods over with the agent and found valuable articles missing. The agent agreed with him. The claim was for $531.

GOOD PROGRESS BEING MADE WITH SEEDING

DESPITE COOL WEATHER GRAIN IS BEING RUSHED INTO THE GROUND

Despite the rather cold weather during the major portion of the past week, the farmers of the Red River Valley have made splendid progress with seeding operations. At least 25 per cent of the wheat is seeded and a few farmers have finished soil conditions are such that a gen- in the morning there has been a slight crust of frost which delayed work for a, couple of hours, but the cool weather made the work easy on the horses the balance of the day so that nearly as much has been accomplished as would have been done had the weather been very hot. The coil conditions are such that a general feeling of optimism prevails thru out this section.

THE DONALDSON SCHOOLS CLOSED

Owing to a number of cases of diphtheria in Donaldson the schools there have been closed for the present week at least and may remain closed longer One death, the child of the Great Northern depot agent has occurred. The teachers there, Misses Glenn and Hamery of this city are having a week's vacation.

WANT ERROR CORRECTED

JOURNAL RECEIVES COMMUNICATION FROM REPS. SAUGSTAD AND HOLTEN

POLK CO. RECEIVES $10,500 FROM STATE FOR ROADS INSTEAD OF $750

From Thursday's Daily—

The following communication has been received from Representatives John Holten and John Saugstad of Polk county relative to the amount of money which will be received by Polk County from the state for building roads and bridges in this county for the coming two years. From some source the rumor was spread that Polk county would receive but an insignificant sum, tho the Journal published the correct sum, $10,500 some time ago. The communication referred to is as follows:

To the Citizens of Polk County:

Whereas, there appeared in the "Fertile Journal" of April 8th, 1909, a statement to the effect that Polk County will receive only $750.00 out of the $600,000 appropriation for roads and brides for the coming two years, and

Whereas, the said paper failed to make proper corrections in its revised statement of April 15th, 1909, and

Whereas, the said statements are misleading to the readers of the Fertile Journal, and to our constituents and unfair to the Polk County members of the 36th Legislative Session,

Therefore, in justice to our constituents and ourselves, do we wish thru the Crookston Daily Journal to state to our constituents the facts as they are, and hope you will give us the required space.

Polk county will receive $10,500 from the said $600,000; $5,250 for the year ending July 31st, 1910 and $5,250 for the year ending July 31st, 1911.

John Holten,
J. Saugstad.

SOLD AUTO TO FARGO PARTIES

CROOKSTON AUTOMOBILE CO. MADE SALE IN NORTH DAKOTA—DELIVERED CAR

Yesterday Messrs. Chas. Loring and W. P. Stone of the Crookston Automobile Co., drove to Fargo in a Ford car which they had previously sold to parties there. They made the trip from Crookston to Fargo in 3:20 which is remarkable considering conditions. They went thru Climax so fast that P. H. Gramer had great difficulty in flagging them and then managed to just barely catch the tail end of the machine.

The Crookston company is certainly out after the business when they land sales in Fargo.

CONTRACT LET THE NEW GARAGE

BJOIN AND CARLSON TO HAVE ONE OF THE FINEST IN THE NORTHWEST

As announced exclusively in the Journal about ten days ago Bjoin and Carlson will erect a new garage this spring. The contract for the brick work has been let to L. Johnson and for the woodwork to Larson and Larson. The foundation will be started Monday and the building will be completed inside of 5 or 6 weeks. It will be one story, 12 foot ceiling, cement floor and an office 12 by 12 will be located at the corner of Ash and Robert streets. The building will face Robert street with a 42 foot frontage and will be 70 feet deep.

The office will have a hardwood floor, wainscoating and fittingly decorated. The improvement will be a very noticeable one on East Robert Street.

Messrs. Bjoin, Carlson and Quee will have Kissel Kars on exhibition at the new Garage at all times and intend going after the business with a vengeance.

Preparing For the Worst.

Both boys had been rude to their mother. She put them to bed earlier than usual and then complained to their father about them. So he started up the stairway, and they heard him coming.

"Here comes papa," said Maurice. "I am going to make believe I am asleep."

"I'm not," said Harry. "I'm going to get up and put something on."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Journal want ads bring results.

MANY PRESENT AT CLIMAX

OVER 100 STUDENTS ATTENDED INDUSTRIAL MEETING THERE YESTERDAY

MANY BUSINESS MEN AND PROMINENT FARMERS LISTENED TO PLAN

From Thursday's Daily—

Supt. N. A. Thorson and Prof. L. P. Harrington were highly gratified at the industrial meeting held yesterday at Climax. They drove from this city yesterday morning an dvisited three schools on the way down where the plan of the corn and other contests were fully explained and the students and teachers in each instanc were deeply interested and will take up the work with much enthusiasm.

At Climax a big meeting was held. There were over 100 students from the surrounding rural schools present and in addition many teachers, business men and prominent farmers attended the gathering at which Andrew Steenerson presided.

Mr. Steenerson an dothers present stated after the plan had been explained that the idea was a most excellent one, and they offered to do all in their power to stimulate interest and get the students to engage in the competitive contests. The business men there will without doubt arrange for a district contest prior to the Polk County contest, and there promises to be a great number of entries.

The industrial work is being seized with great interest thruout the county and Supt. Thorson made a most commendable move in arranging for the three meetings to be addressed by Prof. Harrington who is one of the most capable men in that line in the state, having made a specialty of it during his terms as county superintendent of schools in the southern part of the state.

A good start has been made in Polk county, and the work should be pushed by everyone. Take an interest in whatthe students are doing encourage them in every way, and let them know that the work they are taking up means a greater degree of prosperity for the future than has ever been enjoyed in the past.

RETURNED FROM SOUTHERN TRIP

Wm. Anglim returned this morning from a several weeks' trip thru Texas Colorado and other southern and western states where he went on a combined business and pleasure trip accompanied by Miss Alice Lappan. Mr. Anglim enjoyed the trip exceedingly and was much interested in the development of that section of the country marked progress being evident. However he is glad to get back to the valley an dafter all his travels is more satisfied with Crookston than ever before.

Miss Lappan remained in St. Paul where she will visit with Mrs. Geo. Capser and the Fontaines till Saturday when she will return to Crookston.

TRIED TO ROB TURKISH STORE

This morning about 4 o'clock M. Kalad who sleeps over the Turkish Store was aroused by a noise in the store. Ceasing a poker he tiptoed down the stairs and found a panel of the bock door removed and two men standing outside. He opened the door knecked one man down with the poker and then tackeled the other one. Both men fled and disappeared in the alley.

Fine white Chinese crepe is leading all materials for wash waists. It is the fashion of the moment. One can pay almost any price for such a blouse, according to the quality of the crepe, the name of the maker and the weave of lace or embroidery used on it. Domestic crepe, which is a good imitation of the imported weave, sells at less price, and the ready-made blouses of it are within the average purse. The usual trimming on these is a narrow Cluny lace, although women who have Irish lace without immediate use for it, apply it to these blouses and make them quite handsome. The newest touch is to use a center band, three-inch cuffs and straight collar of polka-dot pique. No lace or hand-embroidery is used in combination with the pique. The use of the latter gives the shirt waist a severe tailored style, which makes it quite appropriate for morning use with cloth coat suits.

STEPHENS SCORED FOR AG. SCHOOL

KEEPS BILL FOR DISTRICT INSTITUTIONS FROM BEING RECONSIDERED

CONCURRENCE OF HOUSE TO AMENDMENT WILL MAKE IT A LAW

From Thursday's Daily—

Senator A. D. Stephens scored a second victory this morning for the district plan for agricultural education in Minnesota. During the entire session Senator Stephens has advocated the plan for an agricultural school in each congressional district similare to the school that has attained national success at Crookston. This is the plan that has received the hearty endorsement of Professor Hays of the agricultural department at Washington.

Several plans for agricultural education have been advanced including that of Senator F. E. Putnam of Blue Earth of state aid to high schools for the purpose of establishing an agricultural course in those schools.

Yesterday afternoon Senator Stephens brought up and secured the passage of what is known as the Lawrence H. Johnson bill for the establishment of a district agricultural school in each congressional district along the lines that have proven so successful in the Ninth District near Crookston. In spite of the opposition of Senator Putnam, Senator Stephens secured the passage of this bill.

"This bill nullifies mine," said Senator Putnam with considerable bitterness, "and I thank the senate for its compliment."

This morning Senator Putnam endeavored to secure a reconsideration of the Johnson-Stephens bill but failed ignominously. The measure now requires only the concurrence of the house to an amendment offered by Senator Moonan of Waseca to become a law.

INSPECTING NOR. DIVISION

GENERAL MANAGER GRUBER AND GEN. SUPT. SCOTT OF G. N. ARRIVE TONIGHT

WILL REMAIN HERE OVER NIGHT AND MAKE TRIP TO NOYES TOMORROW

From Thursday's Daily—

This evening General Manager Gruber and General Superintendent Scott of the Great Northern will arrive on the train from Duluth in a special car for the purpose of making a tour of inspection of the Northern Division.

They will remain in Crookston over night and tomorrow will make a trip to Noyes. A considerable amount of minor improvements will be made this spring as usual and the purpose of the trip is to look over the general conditions.

In order to make track improvements the section crews are all being materially improved. The crew on the section between here and Fisher for instance has been increased to 12 men and corresponding increases are being made to other crews, thus giving employment to a vast number of additional men in the aggregate.

DUCKS ENTICED THE HUNTERS

MINNEAPOLIS MEN GET INTO TROUBLE BY YIELDING TO TEMPTATION

George P. Douglas brother of W. B. Douglas ex-attorney general of the state, together with Loyal T. Bintliff well known Minneapolis men got into trouble at Annandale, Minn., yesterday when they were arrested for violating the game laws. They had in their possession eighteen ducks which they had bagged in one day.

The Minneapolitans explained to the authorities that they came out primarily to test their new shotguns but fell vict imsto the tempation of capturing a few of the ducks which hovered in their vicinity. No explanation would satisfy the game warden and it was not until Mr. Douglas had telephoned Gov. Johnson and had the latter intercede for him and his partner that the justice of the peace would release them on their own recognizance.

Before leaving however, the two pre-season sportsmen had to promise to appear in court to answer to a maximum fine of $450 and confinement in the county jail for eighteen months.

BUSINESS IS LOOKING UP

GEO. F. CARPENTER RETURNS FROM A TEN DAYS' TRIP EAST

SAYS BUSINESS CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVING—RED RIVER IS FORTUNATE

From Thursday's Daily—

Geo. F. Carpenter of the Wright-Carpenter Co., returned yesterday afternoon on the N. P. from a ten days' business and pleasure trip during which he visited the twin cities, Chicago, Columbus, Cincinnati and other large centers. Last Sunday he went from Chicago to Cincinnati and says the weather was scorching hot.

Mr. Carpenter states that business conditions are improving and that in all circles a prosperous year is being looked forward to. That section of the country was affected a hundred fold worse by the financial depression than the Red River Valley. In fact Mr. Carpenter says that the people here have no conception of what hard times are. The depression there resulted in actual suffering to thousands of people. Many felt the pangs of hunger, suffered from the cold and went about half dressed. The large cities had more poor than they could properly provide forand in addition to that there is the class of people who are too proud to ask or accept help, but who could not secure work much of the time and suffered both mental and bodily pain as a result.

This is a condition of affairs never experienced in this section. People have been hard up for cash, but when it came to being clothed and well fed such conditions never existed and never will exist.

THIEF RIVER FALLS $20,000 BONDS CARRY

COUNCIL REPEALS THE TRI-STATE TELEPHONE COMPANY'S LOCAL FRANCHISE

The Thief River Falls council held an important meeting Tuesday evening and transacted much business of importance.

The vote upon the bond issue was canvassed and the council declared that the issue had carried, and application to the state was made for a loan of $20,000 the amount of the issue.

It was voted to extend the water works mains from Bridge street south to the Knox school house and also to buy 500 feet additional hose for the fire department.

An ordinance was introduced by Alderman Forder repealing the ordinance which gives the Tri-State Telephone company its franchise in this city. This move is made in order that the city may operate its own telephone exchange.

POPULATION OF THIEF RIVEA OVER 5,000

JOHN H. LEY, HAS COMPLETED DIRECTORY AND GIVES OUT THE RESULT

The population of Thief River Falls is over 5,000 This fact is announced by John H. Ley the well known directory publisher, who has just completed compiling a directory and numbering the streets of Thief River Falls. Mr. Ley is one of the most accurate directory publishers in the Northwest and has been engaged in this line of business for a number of years.

VISITED CLIMAX TEMPLAR LODGE

Last evening Messrs. G. T. Hagen, E. Strandell and Rasmus Warpe visited the new Good Templar lodge at Climax. A fine program was carried out and a fine supper served. The Crookston delegation instructed the members of the new lodge regarding the work and the balance of the evening was spent in a most pleasant manner socially. Mayor Hans Samuelson Chief Templar of the new lodge,(with the other officers are determined to have a live organization and a consistent campaign will be made for new members.

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

NINTH DIST. BANKERS HAVE ENVIABLE RECORD

Banks are in Fine Shape Without a Single Failure Recorded During Stringency. Meeting Grand Success.

Address of President Berg Greatly Enjoyed as Were Other Papers and Discussions. Election of Officers Tonight.

The Sixth Annual meeting of the Ninth District Group of the Minnesota Bankers' Association, was convened in the 25,000 Commercial Club Rooms this morning shortly after 10 o'clock with an attendance of about 100, including the leading financiers of northwestern Minnesota. Every person on the program was present with the exception of L. Lamberson of the Bank of Warren who was unable to be present on account of illness.

Visitors Welcomed

The meeting was called to order by President C. M. Berg, Cashier of the First National Bank of McIntosh, and after the invocation by Rev. Willand S. Ward, closing with all repeating the Lord's Prayer, Mayor J. D. McPhee delivered a most hearty address of welcome in which he expressed the hope that the meeting would prove both pleasant and profitable and that the official white convention tag would make the wearers immune from arrest no matter what the dark blue statute was fractured and that Chief Eck and his sleuths had been so instructed.

A Hearty Response

President Berg responded in a most hearty vein and extended, and complimented the Commercial Club upon the appearance of their elegant new home.

President Berg then made his annual report which was a very interesting document which will be referred to in another column of this issue. Following this business reports were made and committees named after which the regular program was taken up.

The session of the Ninth District Group, Minnesota Bankers' Association which will close this evening with the election of officers following the banquet at the I. O. O. F. hall will conclude the most important gathering ever held by the leading financiers of Northwestern Minnesota. The bankers of Crookston have proven themselves fully equal to the demands of the occasion, and nothing was left undone that would contribute to the success of the convention.

Conservative Bankers.

The bankers of this district are known as safe conservative men. Depositors have never had any need to worry about the safety of their deposits. The bankers have looked after the welfare of their patrons at all times, and when help was needed to tide over poor crop season they never failed to respond. Their conservative methods were shown conclusively during the financial stringency which caused so many bank failures. The Ninth district banks were solid as Gibralter.

Sessions Very Interesting.

The program today was of a most interesting character, and every address and the discussions were closely followed. The visitors united in expressing lively satisfaction over the pleasure and profit obtained from the meeting, and were pleased with the courtesies extended them.

Report of Secretary.

Secretary Baker submitted to the group his annual report which showed that the organization was in an exceedingly flourishing condition and that almost every banker in the entire district was enrolled upon the membership. He showed the growth of the group since its organization and suggested that every effort be made until every one eligible to membership was secured.

Committees Report Tonight.

The appointment of committees by President Berg was as follows:

Committee on resolutions—A. G. Anderson, of Fergus Falls; L. W. Oberhauser, of Frazee and L. A. Huntoon, of Moorhead.

Committee on nominations—J. W. Wheeler of Crookston; A. P. White, of Bemidji and Norman Hanson, of Fertile.

The committees will not report until after the banquet this evening.

Work of State Association.

Charles R. Frost, secretary of the Minnesota Bankers' Association, was introduced and he delivered an able and interesting address on the work of the state association. He told in what manner the organization was attempting to assist the bankers in all sections of the state and gave a review of the growth of the organization. Mr. Frost's address was well received and he was given the closest possible attention.

Crookston School of Agriculture.

Prof. William Robertson, of the Crookston School off Agriculture was the next speaker and his subject was "Agricultural Education". He reviewed what had been accomplished in the past and what the state was attempting to do. He appealed to the bankers to assist in the work of interesting the sons and daughters of the farmers of this district in acquiring a practical and up-to-date agricultural education which would be of the greatest value to the prosperity of the entire district. Prof. Robertson was given an ovation when he concluded.

Immigration Commissioner Welch Speaks.

Commissioner of Immigration Geo. Welch delivered an address, of great interest, his subject being "Immigration". He told of the success with which the efforts of the state commission was meeting and gave a roseate view of the future in regard to immigration into the ninth district, which he believed at the present time offered great opportunities to the practical farmer and homeseeker. Mr. Welch's address throughout breathed optimisms and undoubtedly added to the faith of every one present.

District Clearing House.

L. Lamberson, of Warren, who was to talk on "The Banker and the Farmer", was unable to be present owing to illness and President Berg introduced W. D. Willard, cashier of the First National Bank of Mankato, who devoted his time to the "District Clearing House." This was a subject of great interest and Mr. Willard was given the closest attention.

Recent Legislation.

"Legislative Matters and Results", was the subject of an able address by Senator A. D. Stephens. The Senator paid considerable attention to the recent session of the legislature and gave an interesting review of the work accomplished for better banking and also for the protection of banks and bankers. The address was exceedingly important as it interpreted the laws which had been written on the statute books during the past ninety days.

Taxation.

John N. Allen, special attorney on taxation for Hennepin county, delivered the final address of the convention, his subject being "Banking Taxation." His subject matter was of present interest and those in attendance gave the closest attention to the speaker. His thorough familiarity with the question made what he said authoritative and of much benefit.

Round Table Discussion.

At every bankers' convention there is held a round table discussion which always proves of greatest interest, and every delegate present receives much help and benefit. Today's round table was presided over by J. W. Wheeler, of the First National Bank of this city, and he proved a most able and helpful official. A number of subjects were taken up and given a thorough consideration and the delegates present participated with considerable enthusiasm.

Ride to Farm Postponed.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather it was decided to call off the automobile ride to the school of agriculture and other points of interest about the city. This was a source of keen disappointment as the delegates were counting upon this and had taken much interest in this portion of the program.

At 6 o'clock this evening the visitors will be tendered a banquet in the dining hall of the Odd Fellows hall by the bankers of Crookston. It is expected that this social function will be a fitting climax to the most successful convention the Ninth District Group has ever held. Besides the visiting delegates there will be present at the banquet as the guests of the Crookston bankers the board of directors and the officers of the Commercial club.

Address of the President.

The annual address of the President, C. M. Berg, of the Group was excellent. Mr. Berg paid Crookston a high compliment and his remarks were given the closest attention. His address in full is as follows:

Gentlemen of the Convention:—

I take great pleasure in greeting the delegates and visitors to the 6th annual convention of the Ninth Dist. Group of the Minnesota Bankers' Association. I understand that as president of the Group, I am expected to make a speech, though I would rather sing a song. But if I were to sing my favorite song you would all be carried away with it and as that would interfere with the proceedings of this meeting, I will talk instead and if any-one goes to sleep, I will ask the secretary to turn in the fire alarm. We wish you all to have a good time at this convention. Take part in its deliberation and partake in the good things prepared for you.

Compliments Crookston.

We were honored in receiving an invitation to hold this meeting at Crookston, the largest and, in many ways the most distinguished city in our district in fact the metropolis of the northern part of this state. Not many years ago, this all belonged to the Indians, but things have changed now. Many of those sturdy pioneers who first settled here have gone and others can only sit by the fireside and live over in memory the events of those early days. The log cabins and sod houses have given way to modern dwellings; the corner grocery stores with latest stock and equipment.

Banking Center of Valley.

We find Crookston of today a city of about eight thousand people, a center of wealth, manufacturing and commerce; a city of beautiful homes, a seat of learning. With all these, it is naturally the most important banking town in the so famous Red River Valley. The so-called panic of 1907 has gone into history and the return to normal conditions throughout the country has been a gradual one, so there now appears to be a stronger hope of full industrial recovery in both trade and financial circles.

Conditions Excellent.

The conditions in the northwest are indeed satisfactory. High prices have prevailed for all farm products and a great majority of farmers have turned off all that could be spared. This means, of course, money in plenty for all necessary demands and still leaves a balance for payment of debts, mortgages, the purchase of more land, needed improvements, machinery and so forth. Our district has at the present time 121 members and, as far as I can ascertain, 32 non-members. Six have become members during the last year. It appears to me that every bank, not only in this district, but in the entire stae should no hesitate a moment but become members of the state association, as it is through united efforts that great things can be accomplished and I hope that our next group meeting will show that every banker in this district are members of the Minnesota Bankers' Association.

Legislation.

I will dwell but a short time on legislative matters pertaining to banks as we have on our program for an address on this subject a prominent banker and legislator, State Senator A. D. Stephens. But, nevertholess, I want to say that we have been fortunate this year in the bills passed by our legislature relating to banks. For instance, Senate File No. 301 provides for a banking department, the appointment of a superintendent of banks, eight examiners and other employees necessary to properly administrate the office. Senate File 285 provides that anyone making false statements to banks as a basis of credit shall be guilty of gross misdemeanor and punished as described by statute for such an offense. Again, Senate File No. 435 extends the time for payment of demand notes from 60 days to eight months. This means that the endorser may be held eight months without protest or renewal. Senate File No. 281 provides that anyone found with burglar tools or explosives in his possession shall be guilty of a felony and that possession of such tools or explosives shall be prima facie evidence of intent to use the same unlawfully. Also a number of other bills of importance to banks.

Agricultural Legislation.

There is another measure which has become a law upon our statute books at the present session of our legislature which in my judgment is a very important law to the whole state, and not only this state but practically every state in the union. A bill for an act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of departments of agriculture, manual training and domestic economy in state high, graded and consolidated schools and to authorize rural schools to become associated with such state and graded or high schools, and making state appropriation for same. This means the giving of an agricultural education to every boy or girl living in a rural community. These schools mean great feeders for the state colleges of agriculture; I mean that colleges of agriculture will be filled with students.

Crookston School of Agriculture. N

Take for instance the state school of agriculture and experimental farm here at Crookston, has had at the present school year one hundred and one students while the business colleges in this city have between three and four hundred students learning shorthand, typewriting, book-keeping and so forth. Would it not be better if it was reversed? The boys and girls are being educated away from home so it is no wonder we have so many vacant and heavily mortgaged farms. For the last hundred years we have had the boundless wealth of the untempered west to fall back upon. Today there is no west. The population of the country is increasing rapidly while the productiveness of the soil has decreased. If this wastefulness continues, we will not be able to supply our wants. Mr. Hill said at the dedication of Stephens Hall in this State School of Agriculture in this city last summer ,that inside of fifty years the United States would have a population of over two hundred millions of people. Consequently the main question at issue in the education of our children today is the matter of practical education according to their environments. The term "agriculture" includes the complete environment of the rural child, not the soils, the crops and the cattle only, but the home life, the groves, the bird life and so forth. Hence, a true agricultural education would aim to give the farm child a knowledge of Arithmetic, Geography, Language, History and so forth in the terms of his farm life. This will mean better farming, better farms and better farmers as well as business men. The farming will be more on a business principle and consequently increase the revenue from the farm and also increase the price of land. More money in circulation and larger deposits in the banks, and a more legitimate call for money in our agriculural districts.

The Banker's Mission.

But what about the bankers? They are not mere hoarders of wealth, they are not watch-dogs of money. The bankers and their institutions are part of the arterial system of the nation through which must circulate the commercial life-blood of the people and the blood is not the bankers' but the peoples'. They must have it or commercial sickness, starvation and death follows. When the people are financially well, the banker is the guardian; when they are financially sick, they must become physicians. The bankers are not only working for interest, they are laden with heavy responsibilities. They are upon times which will try men's souls. The banker's opinion is needed and their influence should be felt. The nation needs citizens who are not afraid to tell the truth. We heard so much in the last campaign about government guarantee of deposits and postal savings banks.

Want Big Returns.

But legislate as you will and safeguard to the utmost the deposits of the people you will still find a great number looking for larger interest and bigger returns. If not stock market, such as gold, copper, oil stock and so forth, it will be the races or games of some sort. It is human nature. It is fair to presume that right now depositors can find plenty of banks as safe and sound as human wisdom or honesty can devise in which they may deposit their money, but the allurements of large percentage and big interest is always present. It may be that government guaranteeing of deposits and postal savings banks will prove a wise and efficacious measure for the protection of depositors and bringing out in the channels of trade much hoarded money, but I doubt it.

In Conclusion.

It just came to my mind the word "sufficient". In concluding, it reminds me of a story about two farmers who were unable to come to an agreement about where a certain line dividing their farms should run. One was an Irishman and the other a Scandinavian. So one day they determined to fight it out and the one that said the word "sufficient" first was the loser. After fighting on for a long time the Irishman says "sufficient". "That's it," said the Scandinavian, "just what I have been trying to think of for the last fifteen minutes." I do not wonder but that some of you have been trying to think of this word ever since I started.

Again thanking the citizens of Crookston for their hearty welcome extended to use through Mayor McPhee. I thank you for your kind attention.

Stephen

Seeding is in full blast this week while last week some of the farmers did considerable work on the fields, yet they did not get in full swing at seeding until this week. The ground is in ideal condition for seeding and prospects look good for a large acreage being sown.—Stephen Leader.

Probably the easiest way to mark table linen is to leave the baby and a blackberry pie alone at the table for a few minutes.

WEBER TO BE G. N. TRAVELLING AGENT

CHANGE TO BE MADE MAY 1—CHARLES TAYLOR WILL BE DEPOT AGENT

It is rumored today that W. S. Weber agent for the Great Northern at the passenger depot in Grand Forks is soon to be promoted to the position of traveling passenger agent with headquarters at St. Paul and will probably have this territory as the field for his work.

It is understood that the change will probably be made May 1 and that Charles Taylor now assistant to Mr. Weber at the depot at the Forks will become agent. Who will take Mr. Taylor's place has not been decided on.

Mr. Weber has been a very efficient agent for the past three years at this point and a valuable employe of the Great Northern. His many friends regret to see him leave but are glad to know that he will visit this section often in attending to his new duties as traveling passenger agent.

INDUSTRIAL WORK IN SCHOOLS

SUPT. OF SCHOOLS THORSON VISITING ANGUS AND EUCLID SCHOOLS TODAY.

Superintendentof Schools N. A. Thorson left this morning for Angus and Euclid where he will visit the schools and will also do some effective work encouraging the students to engage in the industrial contests. Supt. Thorson is devoting a great deal of attention to practical industrial work and it is a move that will meet with most hearty commendation throughout this section.

To Make Worry Impossible

Good robust health is a great enemy of worry. A good digestion, a clear conscience, and sound sleep kills a lot of worry. It is not a very difficult thing to make worry impossible. We can keep ourselves perfectly free from worry enemies by doing everything that must be done sanely and by the daily use of a good malt tonic, such as Golden Grain Belt Beer. Serve this wholesome food beverage at meal time and you will strengthen and upbuild your entire system. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Itasca County Independent: Those were poor deluded robins and crows which were seen here last week. The house flies were wiser.

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ACTIVITIES ARE BRISK IN WEST

RAILROADS HAVE MANY SURVEYORS AND SECRET AGENTS ON FIRING LINE

ARMY OF MEN ARE AT WORK TRYING TO FIGURE WAY TO GET BEST OF RIVAL

From Tuesday's Daily—

Railroad activities are at their height all over the Pacific northwest, and it is claimed that more than 600 railroad surveyors and secret agents are scattered over the several states west of the Missouri river. In some quarters the number is estimated at 1,000. This army of men is engaged in its unit entities in what the country at large knows to be the most gigantic and spectacular competitive railroad building war in the history of the west.

The last addition to the army arrived a day or two ago at Mobridge on the main line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway.

In the Flathead country of Montana the Milwaukee road has a force of right of way and secret agents while three crews of Hill surveyors who are contesting with the Milwaukee men for every inch of territory number as many more.

The influx of Milwaukee engineers into the eastern part of South Dakota as told by the dispatches is taken as evidence of the determination of Milwaukee managers to vigorously follow the policy of the road, but recently revealed of being the first to seize advantageous railway locations mountain passes and the like, in the various undeveloped agricultural timber and coal regions of the Pacific northwest. All the news being received on the subject is to the effect that the new Milwaukee field forces are destined to the Cheyenne reservation in South Dakota, where there is a very fine agricultural region never before touched by railroad activities.

PLANS FOR VERY FINE RESIDENCE

W. E. ROWE WILL ERECT FINE HOME ON CORNER OF ASH AND 4TH STREETS

Architect B. D. Keck has completed plans for a very fine modern residence on the corner of Ash and 4th streets known as the old McKinzie property where the parents of W. E. McKenzie resided for a number of years. The property is very high and several lots are included so that the house will show up very nicely. There are some very handsome trees on the place and the location is considered among the finest in Crookston. Bids will be called for in a short time.

SHERIFF GUARDS A DRUG FIEND

In order that R. J. Scott a confirmed drug fiend and thief, would not stop off in Crookston on his way to Missouri, Sheriff O. G. Hanson of Grand Forks accompanied him as far as Gary yesterday. Scott had 20 days of a jail sentence to serve but his folks in Missouri sent him a ticket and it was decided to start him south. Sheriff Hanson instructed the conductor to turn his ticket over to the conductor of the connecting line in Minneapolis and to instruct that conductor to keep up the practice.

Change in Walhalla Run

On the Great Northern yesterday an order went into effect to have the Walhalla freight leave Grand Forks Monday. Wednesday and Friday and return Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. This will make it so the crews will spend Sunday in Grand Forks.

The crews on the Neche line will tie up at Grafton and will run through to Portage hereafter. It will be a mixed train run. The run used to be to Neche and a new crew took the train to Portage.

She is a wise young wife who tries her first cake on a tramp.

Running may or may not be healthful exercise; it depends on what is chasing you.

BROTHER IS HONORED

HIGH TRIBUTE PAID TO SGT.-MAJ. JOHNSTONE, BROTHER OF T. R. JOHNSTONE

EVENING CITIZEN OF GLASGOW, SCOTLAND TELLS OF RECORD AND MEDALS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The following article taken from the Evening Citizen, published at Glasgow, Scotland, is relative to a brother of Thomas R. Johnstone of this city, and with it was a fine two column cut which closely resembles "Tommy."

The latter says that while he is a good marksman himself he has to doff his cap to his soldier brother. Following is the article referred to:

"In December last Sergeant-Instructor Johnstone of the Cycle Corps of the 9th (Dumbartonshire) Battalion Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders (whose headquarters are at Helensburgh), was appointed Sergeant-Major in succession to Sergeant-Major Kerr who was promoted Quartermaster.

"Sergeant-Major Johnstone has spent a good number of years in India Enlisting at Glasgow in 1889 in the 93 Highlanders he went to India in 1891 and went thru the Chitral campaign in 1895 acting as Brigade Transport Sergeant while he was with his regiment in the Waziristan Expedition in 1897. He also took part in the fighting in Somaliland in 1902-04. He has the Chitral Medal with three bars and the medal for Somaliland. Last year he was awarded the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.

"In 1905 he returned from India on furlough and the following year he joined the staff of the 1st D. R. V. as sergeant-instructor of the cycle corps Sergeant-Major Johnstone has frequently distinguished himself with the rifle and revolver. For a number of years he was the best shot in the 2nd Battalion of the Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders while he also held the championship of India for revolver shooting, besides being the bronze medalist for rifle shooting in the Indian Army. Three years ago, at Darnley, he won the N. R. A. medal for revolver shooting."

A TABOR WOMAN VIOLENTLY INSANE

MRS. ANTON STRAUS TAKEN TO FERGUS FALLS FOR THIRD TIME—VERY SAD CASE

Mrs. Anton Straus of Tabor aged 35 and mother of 5 children was taken to Fergus Falls last evening by Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan. She was very violent and had to be put in a straight jacket. Her ravings were terrible. She was taken down seven years ago and released after a year and later spent another year there. It is feared there is no hope for her recovery now.

SUIT INVOLVES SOME VERY FINE POINTS

In the ejectment proceedings brought by the Minneapolis Brewing Co. against Dan Sullivan at East Grand Forks, in Judge Gossman's court here this morning, the complaint was found faulty and the plaintiff given until Friday to amend it. It seems the property was not properly described and it is alleged the plaintiff did not want to describe it properly as a portion of the building is located on a street which was never vacated. They have to be up and doing when they get ahead of "Dominican Dan."

LOST TWO TOES IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Bergen who returned from Bemidji Saturday reports that her son Olaf was jute seriously injured in an accident in the sawmill at that place. While at work a big timber fell on his foot, smashing it so that it was necessary to amputate two of his toes There may also be other injuries develope later but everything is being done to avoid further complications.

$50,000 BLAZE SUNDAY AT VALLEY CITY, N. D.

FIRE ORIGNATING IN GAS STOVE WRECKS BLOCK IN SHORT TIME

MAYOR COWELL CUT BY GLASS—FIRE MOST DISASTROUS IN RECENT YEARS

Starting from a gas stove in the Burnham Cafe a fire accompanied by a terrific explosion totally wrecked one building, knocked in the walls and roofs of several other, injured Mayor Cowell and did damage amounting to $50,000 at Valley City, N. D., where Frank Packard formerly of Crookston is located, yesterday morning. The blaze started at 8 o'clock and before an hour's time had been consumed the disastrous results had been tolled.

The Burnham building occupied downstairs by the offices of Dr. L. F. Platou, was almost destroyed. About fifteen minutes after the fire started an explosion occurred, the origin of which has not been definitely ascertained but thought to have been in a large soda fountain which was in the building, causing the northwest wall to topple over, wrecking the Bijou theatre, knocking in one wall of the Rudolph Hotel and knocking in the roof of a cottage.

Mr. Burnham the proprietor of the building in which the fire started, lies at the point of death with typhoid fever and it is stated that the insurance on the building had lapsed at a very recent date.

Mayor Cowell had his face badly cut by flying glass and pieces of the structure. He was the only one injured.

The conflagration is one of the most disastrous in that city in recent years

RED LAKE COUNTY TO REBUILD COURTHOUSE

The board of county commissioners of Red Lake county have adopted resolutions declaring that as the courthouse at Red Lake Falls has been destroyed by fire another should be built and bonds to the amount of $35,000 for that purpose issued. The board will meet May 22 to open and consider plans for the new building.

Some claim that the attempt to offerr bonds for sale for a new courthouse may revive the county seat fight and result in further proceedings in the court, thereby depriving the county of a suitable building for months.

ROADS IGNORE BICKNELL LAW

COMMISSION MAY COMPEL KEEPING OF EXCESS FREIGHT ACCOUNTS

Trouble is brewing for the railroads of the state over their failure thus far to comply with the Bicknell bill, which became law at the last session of the legislature, and which requires all freight charges in excess of the rates prescribed by the state, where the roads take an appeal from such rates.

Charles Elmquist member of the railroad and warehouse commission, says that if the roads fail to make the report required of them by the law, on the 10th of May he will turn the matter over to the attorney general. It is said that the roads intend to ignore the law, and force the state to take the matter into the courts. The principal argument against the law is that it will require a double accounting force to keep tab on all that is required.

It is understood that big shippers, especially those dealing in grain, are keeping a record of all shipments, with way bills and freight receipts in order that they may present them and have their excess payments refunded, in case the present litigants over the commodity rates, now pending in the federal courts, is decided adversely to the common carriers.

JERRY FLINT DIED SUDDENLY

REMAINS TAKEN FROM WARREN TO RIVER FALLS LAST EVENING

Yesterday morning Jerry Flint of River Falls died suddenly from appoplexy while visiting friends at Warren. His remains were taken to River Falls last evening by Clint Winchester and Archie Noyes. Mr. Flint was interested in the mercantile business at Angus in the early days. The firm being Flint, Winchester and Co., and he was also interested in farm lands and in Warren property.

Deceased was about 60 years of age and was well known to many people in this section who came from in and about River Falls. He was never married.

The man who thinks he is witty gets a lot of self-approval.

HOW TO HANDLE BACK YARD GARDENS

MAY YIELD VEGETABLES FOR A HALF YEAR WITH LITTLE EFFORT

A space 20 by 50 feet may under intensive culture be made to yield fresh vegetables for a small family thru half the year.

With 40 by 50 feet or 50 by 100, there can be a garden spelling riotous plenty.

Have the spading done as early as possible, use thoroly rotted manure, and supplement it with some good commercial fertilizer either broadcasted and raked in or put in hills or drills.

It is a waste of seed, strength and time to plant a garden in poor soil. The seed will come up, the spindling plans will be harder to work than if they were luxuriant and the resultant crop will be mostly conspicuous by its absence.

So if it is impossible to do more, make small rich beds, four feet wide and as long as the manure holds out and sow them crosswise with such things as radishes, lettuce, cress, parsley, beets and onions. Make the rows a foot to eighteen inches apart, or sow the radishes broadcast.

Lettuce also yields more for broadcast sowing. Pull out the thriftiest as soon as edible and leave the rest to grow. Radish tops make excellent greens, sometimes better flavored than mustard. By sowing thickly you can have dishes of greens.

Say the garden is 40 by 50 feet this is something what the planting of it should be: Dwarf early peas, medium early and late peas, beets, early and late; beans in succession, including bush limas; carrots, radishes, tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers.

Do not adventure upon corn unless it is sweet corn planted on the pea space as a second crop, to come in just before the frost. Make an asparagus bed all across one end of the plot setting 2-year old roots and fertilizing the bed heavily in early summer just after cutting ceases.

Peas are so hardy they may be planted before snow is past, provided, of course the ground is right when they go in. Make it fine and light, cover the seed at least three inches deep then tramp the earth over them, setting the feet so one track touches the other. A quart of seed will sow 10 feet of drill the proper thickness. An ounce of beet seed will sow the same row length.

Cultivate your garden with a wheel hoe or use the trowel and hand hoe, remembering Izak Walton's adjuration as to the bait worm: 'Use him as tho you loved him.' As one thing yields pull it up and plant something else.

"TOWN PUMP" WAS GUTTED

FIREMEN FOUGHT DESPERATELY TO PREVENT DISASTROUS CONFLAGRATION

C. C. HOCK AND A. F. RAUCH THE HEAVIEST LOSERS—A NASTY BLAZE

From Tuesday's Daily—

A few minutes before midnight last night fire broke out in the second story of the building owned by A. F. Rauch on Main street and occupied by C. C. Hoch as a saloon and in a very few minutes the entire interior of the building was a mass of flames.

The firemen responded promptly and within a short time six streams of hose were deluging the building. The firemmen fought under great difficulties as the smoke was dense at both ends of the building there being scarcely any wind.

The dauntless firemen however scaled the walls and got on the roof of the block and poured great streams while other lines played thru first and second story windows from front and rear and protected the frame building but three feet distant on the north, occupied by Harry Brandow, which was not even scorched. The brick wall on the north side of the Ericsson building proved a perfect fire break tho the smoke seeped thru badly.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. There was no one in the rooms on the second floor and no one in the saloon but Mr. Hoch who was checking up his cash register. The fire however was discovered by parties walking down the street near Ebbighausen's and Mr. Hoch did not even hear the fire whistle till the crowd began gathering.

Some parties heard two explosions, but Mr. Hoch only heard one and can not figure out what it was that exploded.

The fire was witnessed by an immense crowd and the fire department was highly praised for the splendid work done. Had there been a north west wind Ericsson's and Ruettell's buildings would have been almost certainly doomed.

Mr. Rauch expects to have the building repaired as soon as the insurance is adjusted.

C. C. Hoch's loss estimated at 80 per cent covered by insurance on stock, fixtures, furniture in restaurant in rear and second story to amount of $3,200; $1500 of above in Northern Insurence Co., $1200 in American Central and $500 in Mercantile Fire and Marine.

This was all placed thru the W. E. Black Insurance Agency.

A. F. Rauch who owned the building is a heavy loser as he only carried $1500 insurance.

Brandow's store stock suffered from smoke and water fully to the extent of $300 insured thru W. A. Marin, M. Griffith and W. E. Black insurance agencies,

M. Ericsson suffered some loss from smoke in the saloon and living apartments upstairs specially to clothing, draperies, etc., fully covered by insurance. The solid brick wall stopped damage from fire.

Dr. H. E. Nelson and wife who had a suite of 4 rooms over Brandow's as an office and rooms for light housekeeping sustained considerable damage from smoke and water but most of his goods and furniture was removed. He was fully insured.

Reinhart P. Hellberg the shoemaker who occupies the rear apartments over Brandow's also suffered some damage to his furniture and clothing by smoke. His wife and another lady were in the rooms at the time the fire broke out. His loss is fully covered by insurance.

The building occupied by Mr. Brandow was not damaged at all barring broken windows.

Frequently the cap and the wristband are of the foulard and the full portion or middle of the sleeve is net, of the same shade of the gown, lined with white chiffon or white net. On some models this central portion of the sleeve is made of cream or white batiste. Actual puffs and frills are seen about the elbows, showing out from beneath the upper half of a sleeve that is no longer as close fitting as the winter models.

NOT COLDEST IN HISTORY

ONLY TWO YEARS AGO AVERAGE TEMPERATURE FOR APRIL WAS LOWER

WEATHER CLEARING IN WEST AND WEATHER TODAY IS IDEAL IN VALLEY

From Monday's Daily—

The man who says that this is the worst spring he ever saw had better take a back seat—the records are against him.

The weatherman completed the summary of April weather recently, and the average temperature for the month was 39. Just two years ago, if people will think back that far, it was worse for the average then was 37. But both were bad enough, for the records show warmer April until back in 1893, when the average was 39. Then they have to go back to 1873 and 1874 before they find any more cold springs. Those years the averages were 36 and 38 respectively.

The average April temperature since the local office was started is 46. The highest temperature last month was 65 on the 17th, and the lowest 18 on the 9th.

The precipitation for the month was 2.42 inches, and it took 10.8 inches of snow besides some rain to make this amount of water. A year ago April brought down 4.23 inches of water two years ago 1.32. The average for 39 years is 2.39 just a small fraction under the precipitatio last month.

What May will bring no one knows. The first day of May was considerable of an improvement over the last day of April, and the weather man promises still better for today.

There is warm weather hovering around Montana, and it is coming this way gradually but it will take a couple of days before the full effect of it is felt.

The low barometer center, which has caused all the storm and trouble, hovering over Lake Superior yesterday and moving slowly northeastward The low center was down at Kansas City a couple of days ago, and instead of going straight east took a course to the northeast which partly explained the delay of the snow and cold in leaving this section.

W. G. KAISER DIED IN CALIFORNIA

BROTHER OF EDWARD AND A. KAISER VICTIM OF PARALYTIC STROKE

A. Kaiser president of the First National bank of Bagley received a telegram Saturday announcing the death at Coalinga, California, of his brother, W. G. Kaiser, aged 32 years.

W. G. Kaiser was born at Winona Minn., the home of the Kaiser family and grew to manhood in that southern Minnesota city. His health become very poor four years ago and he moved to California, in the hope of benefitting his condition, and was apparently gaining ground, when he suffered a stroke of paralysis which was of so serious a character as to cause death.

That the invalid had improved very much, was confident of ultimate recovery of his wonted robustness, was evidenced by his marriage, December 27, 1908, to a popular young lady of Portland, Oregon, who was the only relative at the bedside when death ensued, after the paralytic stroke.

The body is enroute from Coalinga to Winona, where the remains will be interred in the beautiful Woodlawn cemetery often visited by the deceased.

W. G. Kaiser is survived by his wife a mother, three brothers and three sisters. He had hosts of friends thru out southern Minnesota, and his untimely demise will be sincerely mourned in his native city and other points where he had temporarily resided.

A. Kaiser left today for Winona to attend the funeral.

If clothes didn't make the woman some of them would look like men.

Perhaps love is blind, but it manages to find its way to the ministers.

There are men in this world who wouldn't cheat another man—unless they could.

LEGAL NOTICES

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk,
ss.
In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial
district.
E. Jenne Schroeder, Plaintiff.
vs.
Carl G. Schroeder, Defendant.
The State of Minnesota to the above
named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court aforesaid, at the court house in the city of Crookston, in said county and state, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block, in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated April 22, 1909.
W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.
Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk,
ss.
In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial
District.
Lorena Hansen, plaintiff,
vs.
Ole Hansen, Defendant.
State of Minnesota to the above
named defendant:

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W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

FATHER NOESON HIGHLY HONORED

PRIEST RAISED IN TOWN OF RUSSIA ACTING BISHOP OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Word has just been received of the acceptance by the Pope of the resignation of Bishop Stariha of S. Dakota, and the appointment of Vicar General Noeson, formerly stationed at Lead, S. D., as acting bishop till the meeting of the bishops in the Arch Diocese at St. Paul names a successor. Father Noesen is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Noesen and was raised in the town of Russia south of this city.

Bishop Stariha resigned because of failing health and will return to his old home in Austria to spend the remainder of his days. He had been stationed in South Dakota for many years.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. Sold by all druggists.

Sarcastic.

Senior Waiter (to rather green assistant at a recent banquet in a celebrated London hotel)—Now, then, young man, do a bit o' somethink, and don't stand a-gaping and staring there as if you was the bloomin' guest o' the hevenin'.—London Mail.

LOW RATE

Farm Loans

PREPAYMENT PRIVILEGES

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN CO.

CROOKSTON, MINN.

J. W Wheeler, Pres. H. C. Misner, Sec'y

FOUND $105 IN CLOTHING

UNIDENTIFIED MAN BURIED SATURDAY HAD MONEY SEWED IN LINING OF VEST

CORONER STENSHOEL DISCOVERED IT IN SECOND SEARCH YESTERDAY

From Thursday's Daily—

Coroner N. P. Stenshoel yesterday before burning the clothing worn by the man whose dead body was discovered in the Red Lake River last week decided to make a final examination in an effort to discover some clue that would lead to the identifications of the remains which were buried last Saturday. The clothing when cut from the body the day the corpse was found, was frozen and while the pockets were searched carefully, resulting in the discovery of a purse containing $10, the lining of the coat and vest was not cut for concealed papers.

The search yesterday afternoon resulted in the discovery of $105 in $5 and $10 bills sewed between the lining and the outside of the vest. The bills were wrapped in a Swedish newspaper, published in Minneapolis, for while there was no reading matter on the scrap of paper, there were several display advertisements of Minneapolis firms.

Other than this there was not the scratch of a pen, and absolutely nothing which might lead to the identification of the unfortunate man. Several inquiries have been received however and the clothing may serve as a means of identification and will be preserved for a few weeks.

WILL HELP FARMERS OF MINNESOTA

STATE AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL IS MAKING ELABORATE PLANS FOR COMING SEASON

Dean J. W. Olson of the Minnesota State Agricultural college and his staff are already formulating plans to get into touch with the farmers so as to achieve the best results from the courses in agriculture thru the mail, authorized by the recent legislature. The appropriation of $30,000 becames available Aug. 1 but the details of the work will probably be presented at the meeting of the board of regents of the university in June.

In addition to the mail method the probabilities are that men will be sent out from the college to superintend actual work in cases where farmers desire. Under this plan one expert agriculturist might give assistance to a score of farmers.

Before the plans are formed for the approval of the regents the department staff will confer with the farmers' institute boards and the superintendents of the institutes thruout the state.

MUCH HAY BURNED NEAR LOCKHART

The prairie fires that have recently burned in Lockhart and vicinity have destroyed considerable hay, but fortunately no lives have been lost while fighting it. Last week about 160 tons of hay were burned in Good Hope most of which was owned by Lockhart people and Monday a fire started in Lockhart and swept east and southeast fanned by the terrible wind until it run over into Spring Creek burning several stacks of hay belonging to the Neuewenhus Bros., also the barn on the place owned formerly by Gideon Hassel. The neighbors turned out and fought for some time to get a fire break to stop the flames from Mr. Casselman's grove and this was finally accomplished, thus checking the fire in that direction.

"Alaska wheat," the wonder-working cereal that burst upon an astonished world about a year ago, and promised to revolutionize all agricultural has received its death blow. Frank H. Hitchcock postmaster general, has issued a fraud order against the Alaska Wheat Seed Grain company of Juliaette, Idaho, with a branch at Minneapolis and St. Paul.

The Willmar Tribune has issued a table showing 39 dry towns in Minnesota have voted to stay dry, 40 wet towns have voted to stay wet 26 wet towns voted to go dry and 7 dry towns voted to go wet, making a net gain of 18 towns for the drys.

The man who gets mad at what the newspaper says about him should return thanks three times a day for what the newspaper knew about him and suppressed, says an exchange.

ATTEMP MADE TO KILL BRAKEMAN

HE IS STABBED IN THE BACK AT SARLES AFTER A BIG ROW

THREE WOUNDS INFLICTED BY GEORGE GRUBB, WHO IS PLACED UNDER ARREST

From Thursday's Daily—

William Gill, brakeman, employed on the Great Northern who was a resident of Grand Forks last fall, was stabbed in the back at Sarles Tuesday night by George R. Grubb, but the knife failed to reach any of the vital organs and Gill will live, unless there should be blood poisoning. News of the affray reached Grand Forks yesterday morning and Assistant Superintendent Kelsey, of the Great Northern left for Sarles to investigate the case for the company.

Grubb was placed under arrest and was held in the city jail at Sarles. Last evening States Attorney Dickson and Sheriff Peter Reid arrived in Sarles from Langdon to investigate the case.

Attack Follows Quarrel

The affray followed a spirited argument over some work at the wye. Grubb became angry and during the altercation drew a knife and attacked Gill.

Physicians stated last evening that Gill would recover. He was resting easily at a hotel in Sarles.

Gill was not quarrelsome but he was rather aggressive at times. Grubb had a bad temper.

Brakeman Gill has been making his home at Sarles during the past few months. He had a run on the branch from Sarles to Lakota.

Preliminary Hearing

Grubb's preliminary hearing was commenced at Sarles last evening. Several witnesses were examined by the state and an adjournment was taken at 11 o'clock till today. The physicians stated that it would be inadvisable to take the testimony of Gill in his condition last evening but might be possible today.

In the testimony given last evening it was brought out that Grubb and Gill had some words after the arrival of the train about 6 p. m. The stabbing affray did not occur until after 6:30 p. m.

Grubb has a wife and four children He has been employed by railroads for several years. Besides acting as a watchman at the round house, he looked after some of the work there.

Keeley was convicted in Saunders county, Mont., on the charge of involuntary manslaughter and sentenced to serve a term of eight months in the state penitentiary. Last fall a serious wreck occurred on the Northern Pacific near Perma, Mont. Keeley was at the time the dispatcher at Missoula and had the solliding trains a freight and a passenger under his charge. Several lives were lost and the wreck was one of the most appalling which has ever occurred in Montana. The operator at Perma and Keeley were indicted. Mitchell, the operator was acquitted and Keeley was found guilty. A petition numerously signed by railroad employes, prominent residents of western Montana, and the jury which convicted Keeley, was presented to the governor some time ago, as was also a letter from Judge Meyers, district judge before whom the cases were tried. Meyers recommended that the pardon be granted.

SPRING BIRDS HARD HIT BY STORM

FLUTTER HELPLESSLY WHEN CAUGHT BY UNUSUALLY SEVERE APRIL WEATHER

The snow storm of yesterday made it hard for robins and other spring birds which have arrived. A man who resides near the city park, stated last evening that the birds were in a pitiful plight. Some dashed against the house in an effort to get in where it was warm. Many were overcome and fluttered helplessly. He predicted that there would be hundreds of birds frozen to death.

He suggested that steps be taken to provide the birds with suitable places of shelter. A few rough boards could be nailed together and placed here and there thru the parks for the protection of the birds.

Hoarseness, bronchitis and other throat troubles are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar as it soothes and heals the inflamed throat and bronchial tubes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by all druggists.

UPSET STOMACH OR INDIGESTION

ENDS FIVE MINUTES AFTER TAKING SOME DIAPEPSIN

STOPS FOOD FERMENTATION AND CURES STOMACH TROUBLE BEFORE YOU REALIZE IT

Take your sour stomach—or maybe you call it Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gastritis or Catarrh of Stomach; it doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain Triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your stomach misery.

The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, billiousness, sick head ache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is fickle and nothing tempts you or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a litle Diapepsin.

NEW POSTAGE ON THE WAY

SPECIAL SEATLE EXPOSITION STAMP WILL BE ISSUED ON JUNE FIRST

Stamp collectors will soon be made happy with a new postage stamp—the Alaskan. This stamp is to be issued at Washington about June 1, to commemorate "the development of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific territory" in other words, the Seattle exposition.

The stamp will be red and of the two-cent denomination only, but it will be larger than the present two-cent issue. It will be inscribed "Alaska-Yukon-Pacific, 1909" and will bear the portrait of William H. Seward who as secretary of state conducted the negotiations resulting in the purchase of Alaska from Russia.

No commemorative issue will be made, in this connection, of stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers or postal cards.

KITTSON COUNTY HAS POOR FARM

At the Kittson County commissioners' meeting at Hallock this week the arrangement for caring of the county poor was considered. A home for the poor has been provided for. A place where they will have proper care and at the same time feel that they are not a burden to anyone. The County Board has leased what is best known as the old Benson place, now owned by M. O. Moen a farm located three and one-half miles southeast of Hallock. The board not only leased the house, but barn, granary and other buildings and sufficient ground for the raising of all the necessary garden truck for the inmates of the place. All leased at the rate of $15.00 per month. House is repaired and put in first class shape. Bids are published asking for lowest bids for a man and woman to care for the inmates and superintending the institution. The institution will be opened on May 15, 1909. This will at least for the present solve the problem of caring for the poor who have no friends or relatives to look after them.

LeSueur News: Governor Johnson is a level-headed servant of the people. While he has not been asleep during the session and at no time has there been a movement afoot in the legislature unknown to him, yet he has not been playing politics. It must be admitted that the third-term governor made good for the people.

Uneasy sits the tooth that wears a misfit crown.

BANKERS CLOSE MOST SIGNIFICANT MEETING

Active Interest Displayed In Promoting Best Interests Of Farmers By Encouraging Better Farming Methods.

Will Result In Hastening New Era Of Prosperity. Heartily Approve Of Agricultural Education.

The New Officers of Ninth District Group, Minnesota Bankers' Association:

President—T. H. Canfield, Battle Lake, Minn.
Vice President—H. L. Wood, Warren, Minn.
Secretary Treasurer—K. K. Peterson, Rothsay, Minn.
The executive Council consists of the officers above and F. J. Evans Fergus Falls, J. Maloy, Jr., Moorhead.

From Thursday's Daily—

The Ninth District Group of the Minnesota Bankers Association in closing its 6th annual meeting last evening in the Commercial Club rooms completed the most largely attended and most successful convention the members have ever held. Secretary Chas. R. Frost of the State Association characterized the program carried out as the best he had ever participated in viewed from the actual good that would result, not only to the members but to the communities in which they lived. Just 130 people participated in the banquet tendered the visitors at 6 o'clock last evening and a social session was held in the evening in which many visitors contributed entertainment.

Soil Has no Superior

The address of Geo. Welsh, State Commissioner of Immigration was received with the greatest enthusiasm, and he demonstrated to the satisfaction of all present that with equal cultivation and soil conservation. the Red River Valley would produce more acre for acre than Illinois or any other central state.

The next Convention will be held at Bemidji, the date to be decided by the executive committee later.

Banquet a Grand Success

The banquet served at I. O. O. F. hall at 6 o'clock reflected a great deal of credit upon the ladies of the Presbyterian church, who served it. The tables looked very resplendent, the decorations being as fine as ever were seen in Crookston and the arangement was most artistic. Ferns were laid flat on the table and at each place was laid a beautiful red carnation, the combination being very beautiful. In addition on each table there were great pots of white lilies and the chandeliers and windows were also decorated with lillies and carnations. A candelabra holding about a dozen red candles also produced a very charming effect. The place cards were gold on white and each had a beautiful handpainted lady slipper. The menu served was very fine consisting of five courses and the service was excellent, there being no confusion and the service being prompt and efficient in every way. The visitors highly complimented the ladies in this conection.

The following resolutions reported by the committee was unanimously adopted:

Report of the Resolutions Committee of the Ninth District Group of the Bankers' Association of Minnesota.

Representatives of the Ninth District Group of the Bankers' Association of Minnesota, assembled this 28th day of April, A .D., 1909, hereby resolve:

First, That we congratulate the Bankers, Farmers and Business Men in general of this state, and particularly the Ninth District, upon its prosperous conditions.

Second. We heartily indorse the bill just passed by the Minnesota Legislature, establishing a separate banking department.

Third. That in the selection of a Superintendent of Banks, and his Deputies, party politics be divorced entirely, and earnestly request Governor Johnson to make such appointments entirely on the merits and fitness of the candidate regardless of party affiliation.

Fourth. We heartily commend the candidacy of Mr. A. P. White of Bemidji, Minnesota, for Superintendent of Banks, and as recommended by the Executive Committee of the State Bankers' Association.

Fifth. We are opposed to the so-called Postal Savings Bank and Government Guaranty of Deposits.

Sixth. We heartily commend the able addresses of all the speakers and we especially commend the able address of George Welsh, State Commissioner of Immigration, and commend it to the Bankers of the Ninth District, to the end that the truh regarding the actual conditions existing in this District, be promulgated.

Seventh. We extend to the Bankers and Commercial Club of Crookston, our appreciation of the generous and kindly treatment and for the many courtesies extended.

Eighth. We extend to our retiring officers and to all those who took part in this convention, our sincere thanks.

—A. G. Anderson,
—L. W. Oberhauser,
—Lew A. Huntoon,
Committee on Resolutions.

When the resolutions were passed a rising vote of thanks were extended to the Ladies of the Presbyterian church for the splendid manner in which the banquet was served.

Turkish Women Will Benefit By Abdul Hamids Downfall

The Christian world it appears, has had a marked misconception of the character and attainments of the women of Turkey. Abdul Hamid the deposed Sultan, used every method possible to restrict familiar intercourse between the Moslems and the Christian people of his realm with the result that even the missionaries who have spent their lives in the religious and reform work in Turkey have but scant appreciation of the real nobility of character of the Turkish women.

During all these years in which the name of urk has been synonymous to the Western mind with duplicity, deceit and immorality, the women of Turkey have been working out their own emancipation and teaching their children that honor was paramount to power, and loyalty to their country was second only to their loyalty to their God. These women have done a wonderful work in teaching the Turkish youth the principles of love of liberty and justice and human progress. They have performed marvelous work in a quiet way, in framing conditions that have wrought the recent change in the government of Turkey and for the improvement of the conditions of the people.

Epert authorities in Turkish affairs state that when the Young Turks' movement was in its infancy the women worked for the revolution and conducted themselves admirably thruout the progress of the conspiracy. They carried dangerous papers under their veils, which are inviolable and cannot be touched. The Young Turks have had no more reliable and enthusiastic support than that of the women of Turkey who have given their very best to the advancement of the interests of their people.—St. Paul Dispatch.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

AUTOS AT ADA — The four Reo automobiles that were ordered for Norman county parties arrived in Ada Monday night direct from the factory. In the lot are a touring car for Editor Lightbourn of that place; a runabout for M. E. Dahl, of Twin Valley, and a touring car for D. C. Jones of Gary.

COMPLETE CHANGE AT BIJOU—The Gladstone Sisters, as dainty and clever a pair as ever appeared in vaudeville in Crookston will put on a complete change of program at the Bijou tonight. Lipman and Lewis will also change and the moving pictures will all be new.

DOING NICELY—Mrs. M. Sullivan of East Grand Forks mother of Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan of Polk county, who sustained grave injuries by a fall Tuesday morning, is doing as well as could be expected but will probably not be able to be up for some time yet.

NEW AGENT—James Parsons agent of the Great Northern railroad at Hannah will be transferred to East Grand Forks this week to take the place of Joseph Diven, who has resigned to go to Hill City, where he will have a position as superintendent of the Hill City & Minneapolis railway.

WAS OPERATED ON YESTERDAY—C. A. Blomburgh a former resident of this city, came down from his home stead in Eastern Marshall County last Friday and yesterday underwent an opertion for the removal of a tumor on his right arm. Altho very weak today he is improving as nicely as can be expected. He will remain here visiting relatives in the city until he is in good health.

CHAPERONED BANKERS— J. W. Wheeler boarded the Warroad train this morning being of the opinion that Messrs. C. L. Hanson, Dan Patterson, Bendix Holdahl, J. P. Hedberg, A. H. Fuss, T. S. Lundeval, Oscar Sjonheim and a few other bankers up that line needed a chaperon till they had got a good start on their way home. He went only as far as Red Lake Falls. G T. Hennings and W. L. Erickson were kept under close surveillance till Mr. Wheeler had them at the Red Lake Falls bank.

ANOTHER MAPLE LAKE COTTAGE—Dan Patterson the St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls banker who returned to his home at St. Hilaire this morning after attending the bankers' convention, announced that he had purchased the lumber for a fine new cottage at Maple Lake which will be erected at once and be ready for occupancy as soon as the weather is warm enough to make lake life desirable.

"LITTLE JIMMY" DEAD —James McGuire a well known hack driver for S. H. Ashley's barn at Grand Forks died at midnight last night. He had been ill with asthma for quite a while. The deceased was born in Hamilton, Ont., and he was 53 years old. He had been employed as a driver in Grand Forks for 18 years. Twenty-eight years ago he drove a hack at the funeral of President Garfield at Cleveland, Ohio, and he often recalled the event. He was a driver of exemplary habits and deportment and patrons often asked the management to send Jimmy as he was better known. He has a sister and a niece residing in Winnipeg and a brother ad other relatives in Hamilton. He spent nearly every winter at Hamilton. The funeral arrangements have not been completed. — Grand Forks Herald. "Jimmy" is known to scores of Crookston people who visit Grand Forks. He was a courteous, kindhearted man and a friend of everyone. He filled his litle sphere in a manner that makes his death the cause of genuine sorrow.

The annual meeting of the Fargo District of Swedish Mission church opened Tuesday evening and closed last evening. There was a large attendance and special sermons were preached by Rev. N. O. Grunden of Fargo, Rev. P. E. Gergstrom, Harwood, N. D., and Rev. N. Lehard, Detroit, Minn. The district is in a prosperous condition, with several new churches and congregations added during the past year.

Praise the Lord

Governor Johnson has signed the anti-cigarette bill making it a misdemeanor for any one to handle cigarettes in Minnesota except for interstate trade. The exit of the cigarette in the state is set for Aug. 1st. After that date any one caught selling or disposing of cigarettes in any manner will be liable to prosecutions and severe penalties. Praise the Lord, and His servants the Minnesota legislature.—Fairmont Sentinel.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

BRECKENRIDGE PASTOR HERE—Rev. Abramson of Breckenridge will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church next Sunday and will represent that church as pastor thru the Sunday School convention.

VISITING FORKS — Bert Ruettell left this morning for Grand Forks to participate in the ski tournament. Kind friends at the depot warned him to be sure and get skis and skates on.

BOUGHT A SNOW PLOW—L. W Larson left this morning to inspect his farm near Fosston. He took a snow plow along and says he will scoop the snow off and start his grain drills at once.

GOOD FOR WHEAT—Supt. Sheffield went west this morning. He stated that the snow did not bother him in the least as it was the finest thing in the world for the wheat which has been seeded, and he states that there is a big percentage of the wheat planted thruout this section.

TALKING TO HIMSELF — Will Keenan left this morning for Warren talking to himself about the weather clerk. He took the fur collar off his coat a short time ago banking on the prediction of Mayor McPhee of an early spring and now threatens a damage suit.

NO POLL TAX AT MOORHEAD—At Moorhead the city banks have agreed to pay two per cent interest on daily balances on city funds. The city council has decided to levy no poll tax for this year as the amount to be received from the banks as interest will more than offset the amount which would have been received as poll tax.

DEPARTMENT CALLED OUT —An incipient blaze at Mrs. Boh's residence 608 Pine street, called out the fire department last night. No damage was done, tho considerable smoke was caused from the fire smouldering in a piece of carpet in the basement. It was probably started by the dropping of a match early in the evening.

REGARDING THE WEATHER —Those who have been spending the winter or a portion of it on the Isle of Pines, Mexico and California have about all returned and bring great reports of the balmy weather, blooming flowers, etc. However the people who remained here are firm in their convictions that when it comes to fine weather the Red River Valley—Oh, piffle.

WESTERN HENS AT WORK— The hens of the Middle West have been working so industriously during the past week that eggs are now coming into New York at the rate of 8,200,000 a day. As this is considerably more than New York can use, the surplus is being put into cold storage for future consumption. This great influx of eggs has sent the wholesale price down to about 23 cents a dozen.

ENROUTE TO CANADA—Reginus Johnson, Christ Elofson, Emil Stormon and their families were in the city last evening from Bagley and left this morning for the Saskatchewan Valley, Canada where they will locate on claims. Carl Thorson of Bagley has just returned from that section where he filed on a claim. The parties who went last evening shipped several carloads of stock, machinery and other goods several days ago.

STIRRING UP ENTHUSIASM—E. W. Savage representative of the American Sunday School Union left this morning for Thief River Falls and Germantown where he expects to revive a few Sunday Schools and boost for the state Sunday school convention which opens here next Tuesday, May 4th for a three days' session. He will return in time to attend the convention.

AFTER THE BUSINESS—E. Miller general agent of the Acme Harvester Co. The independent binder manufacturing concern, which is at war with the International Harvester Co., spent the night in the city and left this morning for McIntosh where he expected to close a deal with Carpenter and Webster for a full line of machinery manufactured by this concern. The Acme concern was recently reorganized and Mr. Zollers, who did much to make Wm. Deering famous as a harvester manufacturer is at the head of the reorganized concern.

FARM HOUSE BURNS—The farm residence of G. E. Felsing of Woodside burned to the ground Monday forenoon. The fire started from the roof and when first noticed flames were shooting from under the shingles The terrific wind caused the flames to spread rapidly and within a few minutes the whole house was enveloped in flames. A few articles were saved from the burning structure but the major part of the household goods and wearing apparel went up in smoke along with the house. Had the wind been blowing in the opposite direction it is very likely Mr. Felsing's barn and other buildings would have suffered an alike fate. The house was insured in the Garfield Farmers' Insurance Co., but we are unable to state for how much.

ALEX THOMPSON APES MINISTERS —Friends of Alex Thompson are having considerable sport with him these days accusing him of trying to break into the ministerial class. Following the example set by Rev. W. S. Ward, Rev. C. C. Warner and Rev. Adolph Salveson he has had his mustache amputated, presumably following the example of Dan Sullivan of East Grand Forks who palmed himself off as a priest during a session of the North Dakota legislature when the fight was being put up against resubmission about 10 or 12 years ago.

LOCATE IN SEATTLE—Joe Harris and Frank Horton have left for Seattle where they intend locating permanently. Mr. Horton, employed for years as a marble cutter in Crookston, has secured a fine position in the same line there at a big advance in salary. Deck Horton who has been attending to business here for the past two weeks will leave in a day or two for Seattle where he has been doing some real estate hustling since he left Crookston.

According to the concensus of opinion of about 60 assessors from all parts of Polk county, who were in the city yesterday getting their assessment books and special instructions from County Auditor Flaten, the snow which has been falling since last evening will be a great thing for the wheat crop this year.

This afternoon shortly before six o'clock if the train is on schedule time a special train bearing 450 soldiers from Ft. Brady, Mich., will pass thru Crookston enroute to the Pacific coast their destination being San Francisco. They came to St. Paul via the Soo and were there transferred to the Great Northern. Many residents of Crookston plan on being at the depot to give the blue coats a cheer. It is poscsible that the special will not reach Crookston till after supper but it is expected shortly before.

Mrs. Arne Bergene left this morning for Bemidji where she was called by the serious injury of her son oOlaf who is working in a sawmill there. He is in the hospital but the extent of his injuries are not known.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

TO NORTH DAKOTA—T. R. Johnstone left this morning for North Dakota points where he was called on business.

PROBATE BUSINESS—Attorney J. A. Hendricks returned to Fosston last evening after spending the day here attending to some probate business before Judge Morken.

VISITING FISHER—Oliver Granum went to Fisher this morning and after attending to some business matters there will proceed to drive to the N. P. and return on the 2 o'clock train this afternoon.

RED LAKE CO. TEACHERS MEET—A meeting of the Red Lake county Teachers' Association will be held at Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday May 21 and 22. It is expected that many prominent speakers will be secured to make addresses before the meeting.

SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL— Once a year the Warren Fire department gives a grand ball. This custom has been followed without a miss for sixteen years and on the 14th of next month the seventeenth of these dances will be held. Several Crookston firemen expect to attend.

SEEDS OATS ONLY—Garret Smith one of the leading farmers of Euclid spent yesterday in the city. He states that he has 10 acres of oats seeded. He has raised oats almost exclusively for several years. Last fall he sold over 3,000 bushels of oats at 50 and 55 cents per bushel, part of them netting him $27.50 per acre. He will sow no wheat this year at all.

LITTLE CHILD BURIED—The funeral of Bertha Helen Bond, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bond was held yesterday from the family residence, South Main street, Rev. T. T. Ove, officiating. The little one passed away Thursday after noon, aged 13 days, after a short illness, spinal meningitis being the cause of death. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of many friends.

AFTER GOPHERS—Here is something for the boys out of town to take notice of: Up to last Friday Oscar and Margot Ekeberg of Brandsvold had trapped 24 gophers—and were still busy. Since the county offers a bounty of five cents each for these pests, a number of wide awake boys like these have made gopher hunting a business for their spare moments. All required is the front feet of the dead animals. These can be presented to the chairman of the town board in order to secure the bounty.

FIRST REPORT ERRONEOUS —The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. Morck of Los Angeles, Cal., and formerly of Warren, were rejoicing over the news received that they were the happy parents of twin babies, a fine boy and girl, but now comes a later report that the increase in the family was due to two chickens hatched from one egg. Verily, verily, we commend to Mr. and Mrs. Morck St. Paul's definition of faith as "being the substance of things hoped for and the evidence of things not seen."

WANTED TO KNOW—The writer of a letter received by the clerk of the district court yesterday wants to know whether thereis a law in this state which forbids intermarriage between cousins and between uncles and nieces. Now the genial district clerk is trying to figure out some tactful and sympathetic way of answering the query. The old cousin game was bad enough—especially when it was the girl's only excuse—but the uncle and niece stunt!

COLD IN CITIES—Hugh Thompson with Harm and Oeschger of East Grand Forks in the capacity of bookkeeper passed thru Crookston this morning enroute home from a day's business trip to St. Paul. He says the weather was cold and damp there several inches of snow having fallen there yesterday making the streets very slushy. He also reports business rather quiet there since the legislature adjourned. He called on Billy Franklin and other former residents of East Grand Forks now located in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

ARE COMING BACK— Walter J. Leden who it will be remembered formerly lived in this township, having been postmaster at Ingalls a few years ago, and left his farm and moved to Canada writes to A. C. Kvennes that he is going to move back here in June. Gunder Skramstad has also announced his intention of moving back to his farm this season some time. And still another is Wm. Hodap who went to Canada leaving a Rollis homestead who was here a short time ago and informed the writer that he intends to move back to Marshall county after he proves up in Canada. Yes, they are coming back. And when the drainage now projected becomes an established reality they will be coming back, not by ones, twos and threes, but by the score and hundred. —Middle River Pioneer.

HALLOCK BOYS RAISE POTATOES—From now on until the snow flies you will hear of nothing else but the talk of potatoes. Every available vacant lot in this town will be utilized for the purpose of raising potatoes. The boys of this town are busy organizing a company with sufficient capital to pay for seed potatoes and cash in advance for rent of vacant lots or piece of ground conveniently near the town that can be used for raising potatoes. This is a splendid idea on the part of the boys and we hope they will carry it out. It would also benefit the town as the vacant lots would show up much better covered with potato vines than as they now appear, full of thistles and other foul weeds. Here is an opportunity for the boys to show whether they have any business ability or not. This is really an opportunity knocking at their own door and if managed right will yield them handsome returns. It will also give them some real practical experience in handling soil and managing actual business. We hope that the enthusiasm shown now in this enterprise will not grow cold when weeds and bugs make their appearance among the potato plants. Now boys show us what you can do.—Hallock News.

NORTH LINE BALL LEAGUE FORMED

A. E. Brekke and Paulson of Argyle and A. A. Dickenson of Stephen were in Hallock on Monday for the purpose of making arrangements for a schedule of baseball games for the coming season. A home team league was organized in which the following teams will play, Argyle, Stephen, Hallock and possibly Kennedy and Pembina. A. Bennett of Hallock was elected president and A. E. Brekke, secretary of the league. The first schedule game will take place on May 15.

Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

Crowding the street cars may not be right, but a lot of people have to stand for it.

The mosquito isn't a prohibitionist yet he wants the bars removed.

Good Clothes!

Men, as well as women, like to be well dressed, but many of them don't know how to go about it.

The majority of Clothing stores can't help them much, either—they CLOTHE them, 'tis true—but they certainly DON'T DRESS THEM.

Thats Where This Store Comes In!

We dress Men well—we spare no pains to do it.

Clothes quality, these days, counts for as much as price in the way of an inducemenn, when asking for patronage.

If you care for Clothes excellence, Sir, come here

Suits $15 up to $40
Top Coats $15 up to $40
Trousers $2 up to $7

Exclusiveness and excellence in Hats and Haberdashery

SPOKELY
Clothes of Quality

CRIME MAY BE MURDER

CONDITION OF WILLIAM GILL, STABBED BY GRUBB, CAUSING MUCH ALARM

ONE WOUND IN HIS BACK REACHED THE LUNG AND IT IS A VERY SERIOUS CASE

From Friday's Daily—

While physicians have given out reassuring reports there is great alarm among friends of Brakeman William Gill, who was stabbed by Watchman George R. Grubb at Sarles Tuesday evening. Gill was stabbed in the back of the neck in the shoulder and below the shoulder and there was a slash nearly all the way across the back, which took 16 stitches to close

It is the wound below the shoulder which is causing alarm. It penetrated Gill's lung, it has been ascertained. His splendid constitution is in his favor. He was in excellent shape, physically, when wounded, having never used liquor or tobacco.

If Gill should die Grubb will face a charge of having committed one of the most cowardly murders in the history of North Dakota.

Grubb Furnishes Bond

The preliminary hearing of Grubb was concluded yesterday afternoon and he was held for trial in district court of Cavalier couty. His bond was fixed at $500 and he was successful in renewing the cash bond which kept him at liberty since shortly after the murder attempt was made.

At the hearing it developed that the trouble had started over the fact that Grubb wanted the coaches held on their arrival from the south until he could put on coal. Gill did not want to wait as he was tired after the long trip, and he suggested that Grubb put the coal in the coaches in the morning before the train started for Lakota. Gill gave the signal to go ahead to the roundhouse. He jumped on the engine and Grubb started after him, still arguing about the matter of coaling the coaches. The engineer made him get away from the engine and ride in a coach. When the switch was reached Gill jumped off and after attending it it jumped on the last coach. He stood facing outward from the coach while he was in that position Grubb attacked him with the knife his intention evidently being to murder him.

Strong Case Against Accused

At the hearing yesterday Grubb was represented by George R. Price a Langdon attorney. It was a foregone conclusion that he would be held for the crime as the state's case was com plete. Gill's testimony was taken as he lay in the hotel where he is being cared for.

In railway circles there is a good deal of unfavorable comment on the bond being fixed atsuch a low figure. It was pointed out that a bond of thousands, at least should have been required in such a serious case.

Little Falls Transcript: A Norfolk, Va., postmaster who has a humorous turn of mind, and is incidentally an enthusiastic baseball fan, has caused the following notice to be posted in the office "All requests for leave of absence on account of toothache, severe colds and minor physical ailments, and on account of funerals, picnics, church socials and the like must be handed to the superintendent of your division before 10 a. m. on the morning of the game.

HALVOR OLSON IS INSANE

ORDERED COMMITTED TO FERGUS FALLS HOSPITAL THIS MORNING

WAS SINGLE AND HAS RESIDED AROUND MENTOR FOR MANY YEARS

From Friday's Daily—

This morning Halvor Olson a single man near middle age, was declared insane by the examining physicians in Judge Morken's court and the probate judge ordered him committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls He will probably be taken down tonight.

Neighbors filed information of insanity. Olson had been acting queerly for some time. His parents reside in the old country and he became imbued with the idea that he had committed some crime there and could not return and that he was being pursued by enemies constantly.

E.D. CHILDS SELLING N. YAKIMA LANDS

WILL VISIT CROOKSTON SOON AND BOOM THE YAKIMA COUNTRY

E. D. Childs who has been located at North Yakima for some time past and who has a fine residence and a fruit farm on Knob Hill, has written his brother City Clerk A. M. Childs that he will visit Crookston in about a week or ten days and will remain here some little time. He is greatly enthused over North Yakima and the tributary country and has secured a large list of lands which he will endeavor to dispose of during his trip to this section.

MUCH OPPOSITION TO OPEN RED RIVER

Te proposition of making the Red River navigable from Belmont to Fargo will meet with strenuous opposition on the part of a number of Minnesota towns just across the line. Several of these places have built bridges which will be removed in case the stream is declared navigable and as they draw considerable trade from the North Dakota side their objection to the plan is quite natural. A public meeting has been called by the government to be held at Fargo on April 29 for the purpose of discussing the subject. The villages particularly affected are Climax, Nielsville, Halstad, Hendrum, Perley, George town and Kragness. On this side of the river (in Traill county at least) the public has taken but litle interest in the matter.—Hillsboro Banner.

Virginia Enterprise: The trout fishing season opened yesterday. And by the way, a fishing rod that registers the weight of the catch can now be had, but unlike the man behind it tells the truth. Bound to be unpopular.

New Ulm Review: A man's citizenship should be measured by his alley as well as by his front yard.

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The Law And The Coal Trust

We fancy that there will be some people in the country whose irreverent sense of humor will lead them to laugh when they take in the meaning of yesterday's decision of the United States supreme court on the "commodity clause" of the Hepburn railroad rate law, says the Duluth Herald.

Congress passed a law forbidding coal carrying railroads to own the coal they transport. It was a good law, too, because it was aimed at a practice upon which the insatiable coal trust was built. Obviously, when the big coal miners were in control of the coal-carrying roads, there wasn't much show for independent miners who didn't own any railroads. The trust had been formed, was busy bleeding the people, and it was a good deal like locking the barn door after the horse was stolen, but it was better late than never.

The lower court held the law invalid, and the government took it up to the supreme court, when the belated decision was handed down yesterday afternoon, a hasty reading of it made it appear a government victory. A more careful reading shows that it is also a railroad and coal trust victory, and this victory is far more important than the government's.

The supreme court says that the government has a right to enact such a law, and there is occasion for gratitude that the court has conceded this privilege. Under the law, says the court, railroads can't own the commodities they transport. But, says the court in the next breath, they can own stock in the companies that actually own the coal. It doesn't say how much they can own so presumably they can own it all. They can't own the coal, but they can own the companies that do own the coal, and if that isn't the same thing when it comes to results it certainly isn't very radically different.

Some of the coal railroads already control their coal mines that way, and they will not have to change. Others, which have actually owned the coal, have been preparing stock among the railroad stockholders. All they will have to do is to keep on with their plans.

There is one gleam of hope in the decision—and but one. The court having graciously conceded the right of congress to make such regulations, it seems possible that congress may also have the right to prohibit coal-carrying railroads from owning stock in coal mines, or at least from owning a controlling interest. The attempt is worth making, if congress can be induced to make it.

For The Betterment Of Mankind

Crookston has today a gathering of men and women, some veterans in the work, others just beginners but all fired with an enthusiasm born of a desire to make the world better for their having lived—fired with a steadfast purpose to make mankind better and happier.

The 51st annual convention of the Minnesota Sunday School association which opened a three days' session in this city this morning has brought together an asemblage of people whose high purpose in line makes them a tremendous power for good, both as individuals in the communities which they reside in, and as members of an organization which is exerting a powerful influence for good thruout the land.

We heartily welcome them to Crookston. This city, located in one corner of the state, was highly honored by the decision a year ago to hold the convention here. It was a recognition of the importance of this portion of the state and a tacit acknowledgment that Northwestern Minnesota was interested in the great work being done and willing to lend great influence in furthering the work being done.

Many great organizations, with perhaps as high a purpose as the Sunday School association are not so well known to the general public because the rank and file are not in as close touch as with the Sunday school workers. The Sunday school is close to the home. It accomplishes great things for the betterment and purity of the home. It reaches communities where the influence of a church are not felt. Scattered thru the remote sections there are scores of Sunday schools where there are no churches and where preaching services are seldom held.

So thoroly organized is the work now that there are very few communities where there are no Sunday schools. The work is done along well defined lines. Instead of the old haphazzard methods the best minds in the land have evolved plans for systematic work whereby interest is aroused which makes the Sunday Schools live, vigorous organizations exerting an influence for good that is felt in every community in the land.

To bring such conditions about means a vast amount of work on the part of energetic and self-sacrificing men and women. We welcome them to Crookston. The addresses that will be made and the discussions which will follow mean more effective work the coming year than ever before. It means that this great force fighting the good fight of faith, having for its object the spreading of the gospel, will be better equipped for effective work by the exchange of thoughts and the enthusiasm which is born of such great gatherings which impress upon all the vast importance of the work.

Many delegates have journeyed hundreds of miles in order to participate. May the efforts they have expended be rewarded threefold. May they return to their homes at the conclusion of the convention feeling that it was good for them to have been here. May they return with an enthusiasm that will be contagious and fire others with a greater desire to take an active interest and display individual effort to do their full share in the great task volunatrily as assumed by the Sunday school worker.

And may this great gathering of earnest men and women serve to leave its imprint upon the community which has been honored by its realization of what the Sunday school is doing and what it has still to accomplish.

In conclusion let us not forget that Sunday Schools cannot be run without money. Let us all remember that when we send our children to Sunday school to see that they are provided with a contribution commensurate with our means. The object of the Sunday school is not the collection by any means. However it is but just and right that we who are receiving the benefit should do our share. Many who do not attend Sunday school send their children. They want them there. They know that it is a good place for children to be. Then let us do our share towards contributing to the support of one of the greatest and grandest organizations for the betterment of all mankind.

Veto Endorsed

There is compartatively little criticism of Governor Johnson's veto of the tonnage tax even in southern Minnesota. The trouble is that very few people understand the principal involved in a tax of this nature and most of those insistent for the tax predicated, their belief on the theory that it was a deserved "swipe" at the steel trust. However as the burden of the tax would fall most heavily on the independent mine owner and the "innocent bystander" it is but fair to ask that such a radical change in taxation methods be postponed for a little while. The farmers of the Red River Valley find a market for many of their products in the iron country, and they are particularly interested in preventing a season of depression on the ranges.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

A Fine Joke

The public was presumed to be satisfied when it was proposed to reduce the tariff on rough lumber $1 per thousand but they very soon saw thru the sham. The only rough lumber imported is by the manufacturers which they are interested in securing as cheaply as possible but as soon as they run it thru a planing mill it becomes finished lumber and ready to sell to consumers and on all other such lumber the Payne bill provides a prohibitive tariff. A nice little joke.—Fairmont Sentinel.

STATE PRESS

Virginia Virginian: The people of Southern Minnesota do not understand that there are living, breathing men and women in this section of the state. Closing their eyes to all else. they look upon the United States Steel corporation as a monster to be crushed. They do not realize that in crushing the monster of their imagination they will crush also rising, flourishing communities. They would render a part of their state less prosperous and retard its advancement not knowing that they would injure the whole state and consequently themselves. It is certainly up to Northern Minnesota to get busy. Let the people in the southern part of the state understand the true effect of such measures at the Bjorge bill and the demand for a law of the kind will be so feeble that it will not be heard in the halls of the legislature.

Stillwater Gazzette: Many women declare that the comic page of the newspapers is responsible for many pranks and has a bad influence on the younger children. The exaggerated colored supplements have outlived their usefulness.

Grand Rapids Herald-Review: By the way under the Constitution, Northern Minnesota should not pay any state taxes. Taxation without representation is unjust and unlawful.

Foley Independent: Someone has suggested that the legislature be cut down and the terms of members lengthened to six years in the house and eight years in the senate. For instance, the salary grabbing bunch! Wouldn't the people rejoice in the fact that legislation for the next eight years would continue on a level with that of the session just closed? —Royalton Banner.

Elk River Star-News: The legislative session which closed last week costs the taxpayers $228,000 nearly half as much more than sessions in the nineties cost. Public officials are getting more and more extravagant with public funds as time passes. The time will come when a halt will have to be called.

Lake Crystal Union: Robert Dunn of the Princeton Union is loud in praise for Governor Johnson. This is certainly magnanimous on the part of Mr. Dunn. It takes courage for one to forgive his political enemy as well as for one to do some other heroic act.

Sandstone Courier: The southern part of the state seemed willing to make the northern part pay all the taxes, but were not willing to allow a just representation from that district. The south now holds the power but it will be different in a few years.

Aphorisms From Depew's Seventy-Fifth Birthday Speech

(Delivered Monday, April 26, before the Montauk club of Brooklyn)

Longevity and happiness are in continuing to the extent of your strength the work which is most congenial and which you have been accustomed to do easily.

Retirement for rest and recreation usually means that apprehension brings on the troubles you fear, and the reaper gathers you in because you are overripe and dried up.

The birthdays of youth are passed in trying to divine the future; of age with reminiscences.

If political currents were always placid, and religious movements ever calm and scientific thought and effort bound by tradition or fear, tyranny, bigotry and ignorance would hold in perpetual bondage liberty of thought and action.

The anxieties of youth in love for a career and with disappointments are ever present, Age can be serene.

Laugh with your friends, at your friends and with them at yourself is sane philosophy.

My misfortunes have been my greatest blessings. My most serious troubles have been about things which never happened.

My pride in the past is that I never knowingly said or did anything against anybody which would leave a sting of pain.

The great authors of all time, the nation builders, the leaders of mighty movements for the advancement of humanity have been of slow growth and have reached mature age with continuing and increasing strength.

The Bosses Vs. Hughes And The People

The stage is being set in New York state for a very pretty battle. On one side are the party bosses, drawn up in solid phalanx, refusing to treat or to yield an inch; on the other is Governor Hughes, appealing to the people.

The party bosses in the New York state legislature have rejected Governor Hughes' reform plans in toto. His proposal for a primary election bill was decisively rejected while his plans for the control of telegraph and telephone companies and for a new charter for Greater New York have been effectively put to one side. In order to spike one of the governor's most effective guns, the legislature created several commissions which will investigate all these subjects and report at the next session. These commissions of investigation, the bosses think, will prevent the governor from calling an extra session.

The battle is already joined. Before the legislature was half way thru its program of defeating his plans and tying his hands, Governor Hughes was at the city of Rochester addressing a vest gathering of the people of that city upon the primary election problem. Several other addresses of the same kind had at that time already been planned for. There is every reason to believe that the governor will now devote himself directly to the task of explaining to the people just what was the program of reform which the legislature rejected. If he does that the bosses have need to strengthen their line of battle at every point. They will find that they have enlisted for a war and not for a single battle; that every success they gain will be at a heavy loss in men, and that victory will rest upon their colors only after the most desperate fighting if at all.

How, Governor Hughes can fight the West knows. His speeches were the most convincing delivered in the presidential campaign last fall. His addresses were very few in number, but they won votes right and left. The bosses fight on the defensive against an enemy who is thrice armed, for his cause is just.—Duluth Herald.

Editor Hunt's Education

We have just learned that the reason that Lattimore and Swanson had to mark their brilliant? "communications" of half a column in length "to be continued" was because it took them so much time to correct the errors in the Sunbeam, for which we are very sorry, but we attended the state University between two plow handles and graduated with honor, back of a farmer's barn behind a manure fork, and our office pup got at our old Webster dictionary and destroyed it. So now when we have anything to say, we just crawl up on the type stool and "lash it to um" and if our high toned gentlemen don't understand what we mean, they can ask our farmer subscribers and they will tell them, and they will not have to go far to find one, as they found them plentiful enough to suit them on the last election day.—The Sunbeam.

The signs of the times seem to indicate that religion is on the wane; but this is not the truth. We are all just as religious as ever we were; some of us more. We could not live without religion any more than we could live without love, says Eternal Progress. We all have souls, or, to speak the exact truth, we are all souls and the real life or religion cannot be separated from the real life of the soul. When the soul feels the result is religion; though all souls may not feel in the same way. Some souls are feeling after God; other souls are feeling after the spirit of things, but in each case the real object is the same. We are all trying to find that interior oneness with infinite life, which we know will bring peace; and however we may proceed, we must admit that it is strictly a religious process. We must also admit that the more religious we are in this higher, more sublime sense, the more beautiful is life. And after all has been said and done what is it that we all want? Nothing less than life—real life—the most beautiful and the most masterful life that we can possibly find.

ROOSEVELTS SLAY LIONS

FOUR BAGGED THE FIRST DAY BY EX-PRESIDENT'S HUNTING PARTY

EX-PRESIDENT PROVES HE IS A DEAD SHOT BY USING ONLY THREE BULLETS

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 1—Four lions are trophies of the ex-president's camp in the Mau hills tonight and the 200 or more native followers are joining with the American party in celebration of the unusually good luck.

The lions were bagged yesterday and Roosevelt's mighty gun brought three of them to earth, each on the first shot. Thus one of the ex-president's fondest ambitions had been realized. and he is proud too, that the fourth of the jungle kings fell before the rifle of his son Kermit, who, however took three shots to kill his quarry.

Both father and son are jubiliant. It was their first lion hunt and so magnificent a kill was far beyond their expectations but lions have been plentiful in the hills for the last month, and the English hunter, F. C. Selous has been out for several days laying plans for their extinction.

CUPID WON OUT DESPITE IRATE DAD

Cupid played in great luck yesterday in the case of Alpheus Hastings and Esther Brunk both of Elmerado who came here to be married. It was after 4 o'clock when they appeared at the court house and some of the offices were closed. Judge Hassell was about to leave when the bridal party appeared. They had misunderstood directions as to the place where a license could be secured and waited in the clerk of court's office for quite a while. They were directed just in time to the right office.

The bridegroom was somewhat nervous as the bride's father had opposed the match and he feared he might show up any minute. He did not say anything about the opposition until after the knot was tied. He had Judge Hassel perform the ceremony just as soon as the license was issued.

The bridegroom gave his age as 21 and the bride stated that she was 18. They were just old enough to get the license without the consent of their parents.—Grand Forks Herald.

Hard Work as Medicine

Great responsibility seems to be a powerful health protector. People in very responsible positions are rarely sick. When a man feels that great results are depending on his personal effort, illness seems to keep away from him as a rule, at least until he has accomplished his task. Another good health protector is Golden Grain Belt Beer. This beverage is as good for the health as it is to the taste and keen appetite comes with its use. Serve at mealtime and enjoy good health. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

And when a woman tells how successful her husband is in business it's usually a safe bet that he isn't.

All boys imagine they will do just as they please as soon as they are 21 but some of them get married.

KENNEL AT MAPLE LAKE

LOUIS WEILER NOTED DOG TRAINER WITH WM. FERGUSON

ESTABLISH SAND POINT KENNEL AND POULTRY FARM—SPORTSMEN INTERESTED

From Monday's Daily—

The sportsmen of this country will be pleased to know that the veteran professional dog handler Mr. Louis Weiler who for the past 20 years has been handling field trial and hunting dogs has located at Maple Lake the popular summer resort. He with W. M. Ferguson who represents the Peters Cartridge Co., has started what will be known as the Sand Point Kennel and Poultry farm. They have at present time in their kennel, as fine a string of Chesapeake, Irish water spaniels and setters as can be found anywhere. The Spaniels being their specialty as they can be raised and trained at home, there being no better duck pass in the west than Ferguson's Point.

They have at this time two litters of Irish and Chesapeake spaniels and in near future will have some field trial prospects from "Two Spot Whitestone" and "Trapshot." The Whitestone strain is world renowned, she being a magnificent specimen of the field trial class.

"Trap Shot" is a "Toney Boy" strain winner of 2nd in membership stake in Dakota Trials last year. A dog of perfect type and phenomenal endurance. Quoting the American Field's Representative "Dr. Bruett's" remarks at last years trials, "no dog carries a license to out-leg that fellow." The longer he is down the greater his speed seems to be.

Mr. Weiler will take outside duck dogs to train, besides furnishing registered spaniel puppies or matured dogs. We certainly wish them success in their new venture, and if honest, conscientious dealings will furnish the goods, their future success is guaranteed.

COURTING BEFORE JUDGE GOSSMAN

MUNICIPAL COURT IN CROOKSTON TO TRY EAST GRAND FORKS CASES

East Grand Forks has taken to going away from home to do its courting now. The Minneapolis Brewing company Saturday served papers on Dan Sullivan in an ejectment suit for the possession of the property known as "The Maine" and the case comes up tomorrow before Judge Gossman of the municipal court of this city. F. C. Massee appears for the plaintiff and H. A. Bronson for the defendant.

On the same date another case from East Grand Forks in which Max Rabinovich, of Grand Forks is the plaintiff in an ejectment suit against Emma Starling of East Grand Forks. An identical case was recently tried before a jury in the municipal court in that city with the same plaintiff and defendant and the jury gave the defendant a verdict. All the municipal courts in the county, however, have jurisdiction anywhere in the county and the Grand Forks man may try his case in them all if he does not get a verdict before.

What civilization has reduced us to is that we even praise the cook for putting too much salt in the soup.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

WILL SELL VALLEY VIEW—Judge Watts has ordered a sale of the plant of the Valley View of East Grand Forks to be held May 25th. He has appointed Hugh Dunlevy as receiver. The action was brought about thru a petition by Editor Stember of the firm of Stoughton & Stember publishers of the Valley View and made necessary by the continued illness of Mr. Stoughton who has been a patient at the Fergus Falls asylum for the past year with no signs of improvement.

WILL LOCATE HERE — Tracey Pape, the representative in this territory for the Oliver Typewriter Co., is expected in the city the latter part of the week with his family and will locate permanently in Crookston as this will be a more central point and will obviate the necessity of going to Minneapolis every time he wants to take a meal at home. This makes another family for Crookston. They will reside in a house leased on North Front street.

Saturday evening a man employed by a local firm indulged too freely in "joy water". He fell up against the nickle in the slot shoe string machine in front of C. Riedesel's and embraced it. Both fell together and the glass in the machoine was smashed. This morning Judge Gossman talked to the masher and the talk cost $5 and costs.

The train from Duluth passenger, due here at 7 o'clock this morning did not arrive till about 3 o'clock this afternoon having been delayed as the result of an ore train at an early hour this morning in the Range country.

A freight crashed into the ore train tearing up a long piece of track which had to be repaired before the passenger could pass.

From Tuesday's Daily

TWIN BOYS—On Sunday evening Dr. Kjeliand was at the head of the reception line which welcomed the stork which left twin boys at the Brandvick home, 818 Pleasant Ave. Both mother and sons are doing well.

WIFE OPERATED ON—K. K. Roe the Bemidji grocer passed thru this morning enroute home after spending several days at Hendrum where his wife was operated on. Her folks reside there. She is getting on nicely.

WRIST IS IMPROVING — S. H. Withey is getting about pretty spry these days. His fractured wrist is not bothering him very much tho he will be carrying it about in a sling for some weeks to come.

WHEAT BUYER HERE—J. P. Bagstad the wheat buyer at Harold station is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters. He says seeding operations are progressing nicely and that the present warm weather means a rapid start for the grain.

WANT ANOTHER NICKEL — A movement is under consideration by the union barbers of East Grand Forks looking to an additional charge of a nickel to patrons who have their necks shaved, instead of including this without extra charge as now, when shaving a customer.

NEW LOCATION — Geo. Darkow who has been operating a barber shop on the west side of Main street has removed to the basement of the Rauch block. He will install new chairs and intends making many other improvements. The location is an excellent one and he will do a much better business than in the old stand.

STATE LIBRARIAN HERE—State Librarian John E. King was in the city this morning enroute from St. Paul to Red Lake Falls where he will spend a few days attending to business matters. He reports something like Sabbath quietness since the adjournment of the legislature and the state officials have all been drawing long breaths. Regarding the Kitchen cabinet he had nothing to say.

LAID TO REST—The funeral service over the remains of Mrs. Annie Mickelson were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 from the Synod church Rev. Salveson officiating. The services were largely attended and the remain were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. August Miller, Andrew Ellingboe, N. J. Rustad John Cornelius, H. B. Tveten and Ole Storholm.

OLD TIMER HERE—Jack Goodwin one of the Civil War veterans but about the livest wire among the old guard, is spending the day in the city. Mayor McPhee appointed a special plain clothes policeman to keep tab on him during the convention but when Mr. Goodwin discovered this fact he drove home after paying his compliments to President Misner of the Commercial Club. Mr. Goodwin was a member of the same Wisconsin Company as City Clerk A. M. Childs during the war.

VONDERBECK WAS WRATHY—"Fire, Fire!" shouted a well known citizen last evening as he saw flames issue from the C. C. Hoch saloon. Capt. Vonderbeck was just coming out of the Oyster Bay Restaurant and shouted back, "Where?" "In the Town Pump" yelled the excited fire discoverer. "Don't get smart" said the captain "or you will get run in for giving a false alarm" and then the big policeman bethought himself that the Town Pump happened to be a saloon and turned in the alarm.

FINE NEW BUS—John Fisher the Hotel Crookston bus driver is proud as a peacock today He had his spotless white chargers hitched to a brand new bus which just arrived from Janesville, Wis., and which was lettered at the McKinnon shops here. It is a very nifty affair with fine leather cushions and a regular hack seat in front and a great improvement over the old bus, being much lighter and easier to ride in. John also blossomed out in a spanking new uniform and looks like a page to King Alphonso. He is one of the best known and most popular bus drivers in the North west and stands ace high with the commercial travellers and other patrons of the Hotel Crookston.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

CONDITIONS FINE—Chas. Moeckel took a drive in the country this morning and reports conditions in the country the best ever saw during seeding time. He predicts a bumper crop.

FERGUS FALLS OPENS COURT—

Many litigants, lawyers and witnesses passed through the city last night enroute for Fergus Falls, where a session of the U. S. Federal court convenes today. The fact that most of the business before the Fergus Falls court comes from east and north of us emphasizes the reasons for holding the sessions in this city when the federal building is completed. Major Mix and Guy Aubul from this city went down last night. . . W. Smith and wife and Jos. C. Roy, of Red Lake, were among the number that went.

CONDUCTOR HILBY RECOVERING

J. H. Hilby, who for years had run as passenger and freight conductor on the Dakota division, is recovering nicely in a Tacoma hospital from wounds in his hip and shoulder, which were inflicted by a crazy Italian. The Italian passenger was traveling on the train from Tacoma to Portland. Conductor Hilby was in charge. When the Italian flourished a revolver he attempted to quiet him and in doing so was wounded. While his wounds will keep him off the road for quite a while there is no doubt that he will recover. The Italian has been jailed and will be tried for his crime if it appears that he is not insane.

PRIEST FOR EAST GRAND FORKS

Rev. James Hogan, of Virginia City, Minn., has been appointed by Bishop McGolrick as pastor of the Sacred Heart Catholic church in East Grand Forks, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Father Green. Father Hogan, in a letter to Judge Sullivan, of that city, yesterday stated that he will arrive in East Grand Forks on Saturday next to assume charge of the work and will hold regular services on Sunday next. The pastor is a young man of splendid reputation and is known as one of the ablest priests in the northern part of the state. Sacred Heart church is fortunate indeed in securing such a minister to look after its spiritual wants.

Mr. Arthur Wasshausen, the new director of the Crookston Band arrived in the city last evening, coming via Grand Forks and will meet with the members of the Crookston Band in the Marin Hall for a short practice this evening at 7:45 and get a line on the conditions that exist.

Mr. Wasshausen is full of enthusiasm and the Crookston band is entering upon a new season of activity and success. He comes highly recommended, is of a very pleasing personality and will be given the most hearty support of the general public.

Every member of the Crookston band should be at the meeting this evening promptly at 7:30. Mr. Wasshausen is a brother-in-law of Mr. Bucklen, who resides on the Chabot farm west of the city, and is a guest there for the present.

A man may be honest because there is money in it, or he may be otherwise for a similar reason.

The more a man can be a hero to his mother, the less he can be to anybody else.

FOLEY'S [illegible]

EMBEZZLER FOOLS SHERIFF

Jackson (Minn.) Physician Escapes by Feigning Illness.

Kansas City, May 6.—Dr. Frank R. Hanson, who is wanted in Jackson, Minn., on a charge of forging a check for $8,000, escaped from Henry Terhaar, sheriff of Jackson county, Minn., at the Blossom House by feigning illness.

Six weeks ago Hanson disappeared from Jackson, where he has been a practicing physician. He was arrested last week in Colorado Springs and Sheriff Terhaar went after him.

Hanson's apparent illness when they reached Kansas City caused the sheriff to take him to the hotel rather than contiuue on the journey.

SHAH GRANTS CONSTITUTION

Persian Ruler Issues an Important Proclamation.

Teheran, Persia, May 6.—A proclamation granting a constitution to Persia has been signed and issued by the shah. The document announces that as a constitutional regime alone is capable of bringing about the restoration of order and promoting the welfare of the people his majesty accords a constitution to the nation. Elections will be held in accordance with the new electoral law, to be published shortly, and should be completed by July 19, when the deputies will assemble at Teheran.

Smith on Leave of Absence.

Manila, May 6.—Governor General James Smith, who has secured a long leave of absence, will leave here next Saturday. He will go first to Japan, where he will embark on board the Minnesota for Seattle. From Seattle he will go to San Francisco and then to Washington for a conference with President Taft.

Famous Opera Singer Dead.

Lebanon, O., May 6.—News was given out here that Johanna Poehlmann, famous opera singer, who sang with Conried, died at a private sanitarium here of pneumonia. She held at the time of death a $5,000 per week contract with Oscar Hammerstein, the New York impressario, it is said.

Canadian Town Wiped Out.

Winnipeg, Man., May 6.—Fire wiped out the little town of Wesley, twenty-five miles west of Nelson near the United States boundary. The Yale-Columbia Lumber company's mill, employes' houses, several other buildings and a stock of lumber valued at $250,000 were destroyed.

Turks Occupy Persian Town.

St. Petersburg, May 6.—It is reported here that Turkish troops have occupied Urumiah, in Northern Persia. The Russian foreign office has no confirmation of the rumor. Urumiah is forty miles from the Turkish frontier and a week's march from Tabriz.

Ends Life Following Quarrel.

Duluth, May 6.—Believing he had killed his wife Peter Swenson, a hotelkeeper at Nickerson, cut his throat with a razor, dying almost instantly. He had quarreled with his wife and struck her over the head with a stone. She will recover.

Inheritance Tax Bill Killed.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 6.—The Missouri house of representatives rejected Governor Hadley's inheritance tax measure. The vote was 46 to 73. The bill provided an assessment of 2 per cent on all inheritances greater than $10,000.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, May 5.—Wheat—May, $1.26⅜; July, $1.25½; Sept., $1.07½@1.07⅝. On track—No. 1 hard, $1.29¼@1.29¾; No. 1 Northern, $1.28¼@1.28¾; No. 2 Northern, $1.26¼@1.26¾; No. 3 Northern, $1.24¼@1.25¼.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, May 5.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, $5.00@6.00; fair to good, $4.50@5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, $4.00@5.00; veals, $5.00@5.75. Hogs—$6.60@7.05. Sheep—Wethers, $5.50@5.90; yearlings, $6.25@6.50; lambs, $7.00@7.50.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, May 5.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, $1.28½; No. 1 Northern, $1.28; No. 2 Northern, $1.26; May, $1.25½; July, $1.25½; Sept., $1.08. Flax—To arrive and on track, $1.67¾; May, $1.67; July, $1.67; Sept., $1.45; Oct., $1.39½.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, May 5.—Cattle—Beeves, $5.00@7.15; Texas steers, $4.60@5.75; Western steers, $4.70@5.75; stockers and feeders, $3.60@5.60; cows and heifers, $2.40@6.25; calves, $5.00@7.00. Hogs—Light, $6.85@7.25; mixed, $6.95@7.35; heavy, $7.00@7.40; rough, $7.00@7.15; good to choice heavy, $7.15@7.40; pigs, $5.75@6.75. Sheep—Native, $3.80@6.30; yearlings, $6.25@7.50; lambs, $6.00@8.80.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, May 5. — Wheat—May, $1.28; July, $1.15⅝@1.15¾; Sept., $1.05; Dec., $1.02¾@1.02⅞. Corn—May, 71⅞c; July, 69@69⅛c; Sept., 67⅝c; Dec., 58⅜c. Oats—May, 57⅛c; July, 50¼@50⅜c; Sept., 43@43⅛c; Dec., 43¾c. Pork—May, $17.75; July, $17.95@17.97½; Sept., $17.95. Butter—Creameries, 23@27c; dairies, 19½@24½c. Eggs—21@22c. Poultry—Turkeys, 17c; chickens, 15½c; springs, 15c.

SOCIALIST STIRS PEACE CONGRESS

Usual Calm Deliberations Rudely Disturbed.

FINALLY TURNED DOWN

Introduces Resolution Declaring Socialism the "Greatest Peace Force in the World" and Urges Its Adoption—Convention Refuses to Thus Emphasize the Views of Any Faction of Delegates.

Chicago, May 6.—The peaceful deliberations of the peace congress were rudely disturbed when A. M. Simon of the Chicago Daily Socialist attempted to secure formal recognition of socialism as the "greatest peace force in the world."

It happened after the congress had officially adopted a platform in strict keeping with its well known principles along broad lines, carefully avoiding matters of sectional or political controversy.

Mr. Simon arose with 400 words of "whereases" and "be it resolved," outlining socialistic beliefs and accomplishments and attributing the causes of war to "the exploitation of labor and the impoverishment of those who toil."

Great confusion followed. The regular platform had been read and amidst the turmoil aroused by the Simon resolutions there were repeated calls for the original question. On a viva voce vote the report of the resolutions committee carried unanimously. The question then recurred to the adoption of the socialist resolutions.

Secretary Melendy arose to state that he thought industrial causes of war should be recognized and likewise the efforts of those organizations which make for peace, but he could not vote for the resolutions as presented. He suggested a substitute resolution less radically worded.

Ready to Amend Resolutions.

"If there is any way by which this recognition of which Mr. Melendy speaks can be secured I am sure that the socialists and trade unions will be very glad to make an amendment that would recognize this fact," said Mr. Simon.

Judge E. O. Brown of the resolutions committee declared that the regular platform already adopted seemed best to embody the varying opinions of the delegates as a whole without unduly emphasizing those of any one faction.

J. E. Iglehart opposed the Simon resolutions, saying:

"My opinion is that this convention will lose more or less of its moral force, especially with the countries of Europe, if we interject a partisan view of any question like this into the record."

This declaration was received with applause and a motion to lay on the table was promptly seconded.

The chair called for a viva voce vote, the result of which in the ensuing confusion seemed to be against tabling the matter. A second vote seemed to have the same result and a standing vote was then demanded. This showed a vote of two to one in favor of tabling and it was so ordered.

J. J. Sultaire of Milwaukee presented a resolution deprecating the alluring posters used by the army and navy recruiting departments in seeking new material. The resolution was voted down.

LAKES TO THE GULF CANAL

Consideration of Plan Taken Up in Illinois Legislature.

Springfield, Ill., May 6.—Consideration of the deep waterway plans in committee of the whole began with the convening of the house.

Congressman Lorimer gave a description of what the federal government deep waterway plans are and their application to Illinois. He said he wished to go on record now as opposed to spending $1 of the $20,000,000 bond issue for a deep waterway until the United States government agrees to join with the state of Illinois in the carrying on of the great work.

"I am confident, he said, "that when the survey of the government engineers is published that it will demonstrate the feasibility of a waterway from the Lakes to the Gulf."

NOW HOLDS BEST RECORD

Roosevelt Bags Two More Big Lions in Africa.

Nairobi, B. E. A., May 6.—Theodore Roosevelt went lion hunting again and before the chase was over two more big lions had fallen before his gun.

Mr. Roosevelt now holds the record for lion killing in the protectorate. Since Saturday of last week a total of five lions and one lioness have been bagged by him.

Harriman a Lake Shore Director.

Cleveland, May 6.—E. H. Harriman was elected a director of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad company at the annual meeting of the stockholders here.

SITUATION AGAIN SEEMS CRITICAL

Further Anti-Christian Outbreaks Imminent.

NEITHER MONEY NOR FOOD

Terrible Famine Threatens the Residents of Hadjin, Where Missionaries Are Helpless to Render Assistance—Turkish Troops and a British Warship Leave Beirut for Scene of Trouble.

Beirut, Asiatic Turkey, May 6.—The situation at Suadia and Deurtyul again is critical. Trouble is brewing and further anti-Christian outbreaks are feared. Five hundred Turkish troops have been dispatched to those two points.

In addition the British battleship Triumph, with the British consul on board, left here for Deurtyul.

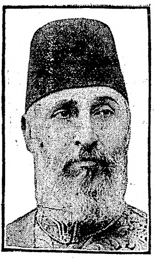
Hadjin, May 6.—Hadjin is facing a terrible famine. There is neither money nor food in the city. The orphans that have been cared for by the American missionaries are crying for bread and the missionaries are anxious that their benevolent friends be notified of the situation here.

DEPOSITED IN FOREIGN BANK

Deposed Sultan Found to Have More Than $5,000,000.

Constantinople, May 6.—The commission which is making an inventory of the property at the imperial palace at Yildiz has discovered, according to the local newspapers, bank notes to the value of $2,250,000 and a large quantity of jewelry, including a rosary alone valued at $375,000. Papers seized at the palace show that Abdul Hamid had something over $5,000,000 on deposit in a foreign bank.

Tewfik Pasha has placed his resignation as grand vizier in the hands of the sultan, but he has agreed to retain the post until after the ceremony of "girding on the sword," which corresponds to the coronation in other countries, and for a few days thereafter until the country is quieter. This ceremony probably will take place next Monday.



TEWFIK PASHA.

Hilmi Pasha has been appointed grand vizier and will assume office on the retirement of Tewfik Pasha.

TO PROCEED AT FULL SPEED

American Cruisers at Gibraltar on Way to Mersina.

Washington, May 6.—Instructions have been sent to the North Carolina and Montana, which have arrived at Gibraltar on their way to Asiatic Turkey waters to protect American interests, to proceed to Mersina as soon as the ships have coaled. Captain William A. Marshall, commanding the squadron, has been ordered to view the situation at Mersina and then continue with one or both of the cruisers to Alexandretta, according to the needs of the situation existing when he reaches Mersina. It will take about two days for the North Carolina and Montana to take on coal at Gibraltar and they have been ordered to proceed at full speed just as soon as coaling has been completed.

It is probable that they will reach Mersina about May 12.

Arrested on Another Charge.

Union City, Tenn., May 6.—Pete and Smith Branham, two of the night rider defendants now out on bail awaiting trial, were arrested and placed in jail here charged with the murder of a man named Phillips on Reelfoot lake late Tuesday afternoon. It is said that the parties were involved in a quarrel of long standing.

Prominent Elk Ends Life.

Toledo, O., May 6.—Delirious from illness Captain William Cook, a prominent Elk, a noted drillmaster and captain of the Elks' Cherry Pickers, a famous drill squad, leaped from a fourth story window and was instantly killed. A daughter tried to prevent her father jumping, but was unable to restrain him.

SEVEN PERSONS SENT TO PRISON

Judgment Day in Pittsburg Graft Cases.

RAMSEY ASKS LENIENCY

Former Bank President Personally Pleads With Court, but Is Sent Up for a Year and a Half—Half Dozen Convicted Councilmen and Others Get From Eighteen to Forty-two Months.

Pittsburg, May 6.—Sentences were imposed in criminal court by Judge Robert S. Frazer on seven persons convicted within the last few weeks in the municipal graft cases. The sentences follow:

W. W. Ramsey, former national bank president, convicted of bribery, one year and six months' imprisonment and a fine of $1,000; Captain John F. Klein, councilman, two years and a fine of $1,000 on the bribery conviction and one year and six months on the conspiracy conviction; Joseph C. Wasson and William Brand, former councilmen, each one year and six months and a fine of $500 for conspiracy; H. M. Bolger, hotelkeeper, two years and a fine of $500 for bribery; Charles Colbert and John Colbert, convicted of attempting to bribe a juror in the Ramsey bribery case, two years and a fine of $500 each.

Former Bank Cashier A. A. Vilsack was not sentenced and it is said will not be till after he has testified in several other cases which are likely to come up soon.

W. W. Ramsey made a plea for the clemency of the court or at least postponement of sentence. He talked to the court for fifteen minutes and presented a petition containing the names of 1,500 prominent men of the city.

Judge Frazer said he had strong personal feeling in this case, but that he could not see why the law should be overlooked. He said also that Ramsey had been given the benefit of every doubt.

HEAD OF WISCONSIN G. A. R.

Edwin D. Coe, Veteran Editor, Dies at Whitewater, Wis.

Whitewater, Wis., May 6.—Edwin D. Coe, department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic of Wisconsin and veteran editor of the Whitewater Register, is dead from a complication of heart trouble and liver and kidney disorders.

Mr. Coe was sixty-nine years of age. He had been United States pension agent in Milwaukee for ten years, retiring from that position about a year ago. He had been a newspaper man for forty years and served one term as president of the Wisconsin Press association.

Mr. Coe enlisted with the First Wisconsin cavalry during the Civil war.

FOUND DYING IN A BUGGY

Double Tragedy Result of Disappointment in Love.

Indianapolis, May 6.—Arthur Stitt and Miss Lesta Stroud were found dying in a buggy in Central avenue. Stitt, it is believed, had given the woman carbolic acid with whisky and then taken a dose of the poison himself. Both died a short time after they were found.

The tragedy is believed to have been the result of Stitt's being spurned by the girl.

Despondency Cause of Act.

St. Paul, May 6.—Sitting on a box in a shed in the rear of his boarding house, calmly waiting for death to relieve him of his misery, John Huesler, an aged bridge carpenter, was found by Mrs. John Rau, in whose home he is a boarder. Blood spurted from a bullet hole in his temple and another in his forehead. He was removed in the police ambulance to a private hospital, where he died a few hours later. Huesler, who was seventy-five years of age, had undergone much hard luck within the last two years and had grown despondent.

Former Queen of Turf Dead.

Philadelphia, May 6.—Sunol, 2:08¼, former queen of the trotting turf, died at Newtown Square, Pa., where she was being kept for breeding purposes. Sunol was foaled in 1886 at the Palo Alta (Cal.) stock farm of Senator Leland Stanford, her sire being the famous Electioneer.

Three Children Killed in Fire.

Sackville, N. B., May 6.—Three children of Charles Crossman, a painter, were suffocated by smoke from a fire which badly damaged their home. A short time before the fire a young daughter of Fred Allen died from burns sustained when playing about a grass fire.

Session May Extend to July 1.

Washington, May 6.—President Taft has come to the conclusion as a result of talks with senators and members of the house of representatives during the past two days that there is little or no chance for an adjournment of congress before June 15 or July 1.

WOULD DELAY BRIDGE OPENING

MINNESOTA TOWNS WANT THEM LEFT UNTIL UPPER RED IS USED FOR SHIPS

GRAND FORKS, FARGO WAHPETON ARE IN FAVOR OF BRIDGE REMOVAL

From Friday's Daily—

At Fargo yesterday was held the hearing called by the war department for purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the people in regard to the removal of bridges across the Red River between Fargo and Belmont. The towns along the Minnesota side of the river did not oppose navigation on the river, but they begged that they be allowed to leave the bridges on the river until it was found necessary to remove them.

Unlike the hearing a wear ago on the question of navigability of the river, the hearing yesterday developed into a keen debate. Both sides have been ably presented and there has been much argument offered both pro and con.

Major Francis R. Shunk of the corps of United States engineers with headquarters at St. Paul called the meeting to order at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and briefly outlined the purpose of the meeting.

He stated that it had been called in response to a request which had been received by the war department of the United States, asking that the obstructions to navigation which are now in the river in the way of pile bridges be ordered removed or modified by the war department.

Question Once Decided

He stated that it was not a question of the navigability of the river. That question was practically settled last March when a meeting was held in Fargo at which the unanimous opinion was expressed that the river was navigable.

"The question before the meeting said Major Shunk, "is simply, has the time come to remove these obstructions from the river?"

He stated that he had no power to make any decision. He would simply preside at the meeting. Those who wished could express their opinions one way or the other and he would simply make a report and he would partment, giving the opinions of both sides and the war department would then take the mater under advisement and make a final decision one way or the other.

He called upon Capt. I. P. Baker of Bismarck to open the discussion.

Remarks of Captain Baker

Captain Baker responded briefly in favor of having the bridges removed and throwing the river open to actual navigation. He spoke of the country wide movement which is now under way in the United States looking toward a more extended use of the navigable streams and stated that he believed that the time had come when the Red river should be more fully developed for that purpose.

He declared the actual navigation was easily practical at least as far north as Fargo, and quoted from a report submitted by a United States engineer who had made a survey of the stream to prove that contention. This report showed that at very little cost a minimum draft of three feet could be maintained from Fargo to Grand Forks and a minimum draft of four feet could be maintained from Grand Forks to the boundary line.

He declared that the character of boats was changing at the present day. It was no longer necessary to have the old-fashioned steam boat with its high stacks but low built power boats with gasoline power could be used. With these boats and would be possible to pass under barges which were light draft, it bridges and he believed bridges to accommodate this class of boats could be used on the Red River.

Judge Corliss Talks

Following Captain Baker, Judge Guy C. H. Corliss, of Grand Forks spoke at length in favor of removing the obstructions.

He stated that he appeared in a threefold capacity at the meeting. In the first and greatest sense as a citizen. In the second as the accredited representative of the Commercial club of Grand Forks, and in the third place in a personal capacity as a stockholder in a transportation company which is at the present time navigating the waters of the Red river.

This navigation company, he declared owned two steamboats thirteen barges and a large number of elevators and warehouses.

He declared that he wanted to talk with the understanding that his remarks were not meant in a harsh manner, but with the rights of those who had built the bridges across the Red River always in mind.

Judge Corliss declared that at the present time there are about thirty obstructions in the way of pile bridge built across the Red river of the North notwithstanding the fact that there bridges are clearly illegal.

He showed that even if the bridges were placed there with the full authority of the state of North and South Dakota and with the authority of the township and county in which they were located, yet they would be illegal because the only authority over an interstate stream is the congress of the United States.

He believed that those who had built these bridges were undoubtedly honest in placing them there, but nevertheless they had done so against the direct commands of the federal law.

Warns Against Delay Policy

"It is because of the supineness of the public regarding the possibilities of this great stream that these conditions exist today," declared the judge "It is simply a policy of neglect and delay that will simply ruin this river if it is allowed to continue.

"The whole country is stirred at the present time over the need for conservation of resources. We have entered upon the age of electricity There is unlimited energy in our running streams and in our falling water. but we must be careful or human greed which has stretched forth a hand in the past and taken to itself many of our best natural resources, will also reach forth its hand to grasp the power that lies in our running and flowing water."

Easy to Make Navigable

Judge Corliss declared that it would be a very easy mater to make the river navigable as far south as Fargo or even farther.

"It is one of the easiest rivers in the country to dredge," declared the jujdge. "Taking into consideration the amount of water which flows thru it the Red river is a remarkably narrow channel. It is easy to dredge, and once dredged because of the deep swift fiflow, it would scour itself and could be maintained as a navigable stream at a trifling cost."

He told atlength the amount of business which the Grand Forks Transportation company did on the river below Belmont last year, and also spoke at length of the possibilities of further enlarging this business and the business for many other transportation companies if the river were opened up, as had been asked.

Hildreth Against Bridge Removal

Following Judge Corliss, Atty. M. A. Hildreth of Fargo spoke at length as the representative of seven townships along the Red river against the removal of the pile bridges.

In beginning his remarks he stated that he was retained by several hundred people who made their homes along the Red river on both the Minnesota and North Dakota sides, for the express purpose of presenting their views before the meeting.

"There are two sides to this as to every question," said Mr. Hildreth. "and I come here with considerable evidence of what we believe to be our rights in this matter."

"In the first place you cannot have a navigable stream without water, and although I have listened very attentively to what Judge Corliss has had to say, I have not yet heard where he is going to get enough water to make this river navigable. His argument lacks water.

"I represent a vast number of citizens who have built up their homes and have built up communities on both sides of the river. They are depending on those bridges which have been built across the stream.

"These people have established churches on one side of the river or the other and they are dependent on there bridges to get to and from these structures.

"Congress has passed laws establishing the rural route and has made use of these very bridges which are said to be illegal for the purpose of reaching the people on both sides of the river. If they are removed it will mean that the government will be put to great expense to entirely change these routes or these people will be deprived of their mail service.

Interfere with Social Relations

"Schools have been established on both sides of the river and the education of the children in these communities depends on these bridges. If these bridges are wiped out, it will mean that all these social and other benefits will be wiped out. It would mean interference with the souls of men with their church and Sunday school and school privileges."

He then spoke of the business reasons against their removal. He declared that in the towns of Perley, Georgetown, Hendrum, Nielsville, Halstad, Shelley and Climax the people were against the move; that a great business relation had been built up between the farmers who use these bridges and these towns and that all this would be wiped out.

In closing his argument he read a number of petitions which he declared to be signed by between 400 and 500 names, all against the removal of the bridges and these petitions were filed with Major Shunk.

Baerstein Speaks

Following Mr. Hildreth, Secretary Baernstein of the Farfgo Commercial club announced that he had been delegated by the club to make a vigorous and emphatic protest against the bridges in the Red River and in favor of having them removed at once.

Keeney Makes Accusation

E. J. Keeney followed Mr. Baerstein and he stated that he wanted to go on record as being of the opinion that Mr. Hildreth was representing the Fargo & Moorhead Street Railway Co.

Mr. Hildreth made a vigorous and emphatic denial of this, but Mr. Keeney declared that it was his opinion that the Fargo & Moorhead Street Railway company was back of the whole agitation.

Mr. Keeney spoke at length concerning the navigability of the Red River of the North. He told of the wonderful developments which had been made in the river in Canada and of the possibilities of developing it along its upper course.

He had pictures and papers to show the damage that had been done by flood in the past because of obstructions in the river, and declared that the flood danger would be a menace as long as these obstructions remained

Fargo Paving Afloat.

"Unless these obstructions are removed there will come a time in Fargo when not a foot of the miles of block paving in this city will not be afloat." was Mr. Keeney's prediction.

At the afternoon session, addresses were made by Judge Corliss, Dean A. Bruce, of Grand Forks, Colonel Hildreth and F. R. Barnes, of Wahpeton who represented the Commercial club of that place. He spoke in favor of having the obstructions removed.

WORKHOUSE FOR GRAND FORKS CO.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE MATTER UP AT MEETING OF MAY 11

At the meeting of the board of county commissioners of Grand Forks County to be held on May 11th, the board will take up the matter of establishing a new county forkhouse in accordance with the wishes of the people expressed at the election last November. The vote was about three to one in favor of the establishment of the workhouse. The matter is not optional with the board. They must establish the workhouse within a reasonable time after the people have voted for it. The board will probably decide at the May meeting what will be the size of the structure and its location.

Under the presnt system it has been impossible to carry out the sentence of the court "at hard labor" and the prisoners have had a fine easy time of it. Most of the criminals find it no punishment to spend a while in jail. It is predicted that there will be less law-breaking in that county after the workhouse is properly established.

PIONEER FARMER EXPIRES SUDDENLY

HIGHLY RESPECTED CITIZEN OF SCANDIA DIED OF HEART TROUBLE

Yesterday Coroner Stenshoel was called to Russia to investigate the sudden death of Bernt Anderson, a pioneer and highly respected farmer of the town of Scandia. He decided that an inquest was not necessary, death being due to neuralgia of the heart. Deceased had been troubled with rheumatism for some time. Yesterday he complained of severe pains in the chest and went to bed to rest. His wife heard heavy breathing and reached his bed just as he was breathing his last.

Deceased was 63 years of age and leaves a wife and 7 children several of whom are by his first wife. The funeral will probably be held tomorrow.

Wanted—A Proper Lubricant

A celebrated physician has declared strongly against soft drinks. He states that soft drinks have enough hard stuff in them to build a ten story block on. One hundred samples of syrups used in the manufacture of these drinks showed large quantities of caffeine and marble dust. If you insist on the marble dust get it at the quarry and take it straight, but don' mix i with a dangerous drug like caffeine. The query now is, what may we lubricate with and run no risk?—Roseau Region.

It's a grave error to believe that every Bostonian is saturated with culture.

BIG CHORUS FOR CONVENTION

REHEARSAL FOR THE CHORUS WHICH WILL SING AT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

CHORUS MEMBERSHIP TO BE GIVEN FREE ADMITTANCE TO ALL THE SESSIONS

From Thursday's Daily—

The chorus which will render the musical program for the Sunday school convention, which will convene in this city next Tuesday morning, will have a rehearsal this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Methodist church. Prof Powers who will be in charge of the chorus and the musical end of the program throughout the convention, desires every adult, male and female, who can sing, to be present at this rehearsal this evening. The final rehearsal will be on Monday evening at the same hour and in the same church, but every one should take an interest in this evening's rehearsal, as it is very desirable that the many selections which will be rendered during the convention shall become thoroly familiarized.

Membership in the chorus will give free admittance to all meetings of the convention and those participating in the singing will be provided with one of the regular badges, without which no one can attend the sessions. Besides the large chorus an orchestra of twenty-one pieces has been secured and there does not seem to be any reason why the Crookston convention shall not exceed in interest all former conventions of the association. The large chorus will be divided during the convention a portion singing in the Methodist church under the direction of Prof. Powers, while another portion renders the music in the Baptist church under the direction of Rev T. T. Ove.

All Must Have Badges

Every one who desires to gain admittance to any of the sessions of the convention must provide himself with one of the official badges of the association. In order to secure these, he must be registered and pay a membership fee of 25 cents. This applies to local citizens as well as visitors and delegates from outside of the city. This membership fee goes to the Sunday school association to defray expenses of the organization.

When to Register

Chairman L. Miller has announced that registration will begin next Monday evening. The committee will be installed at the Baptist church and be ready for work as soon as the evening trains begin to arrive. Local people should see to it that they register early in order to avoid the rush on Tuesday morning. By doing so they will also greatly assist the committee on registration and entertainment.

Committees All Working

All the committees looking after the work attending the holding of the convention are busily engaged in looking after their respective departments. It is anticipated that the convention will be one of the largest that has been held in Crookston and delegates and visitors will be present from all sections of the state. The entertainment committee has already had a number of applicatons for entertainment and each mail brings a bunch of them to the chairman, George H. Wright.

A COMMON ERROR

The Same Mistake is Made by Many Crookston People

It's a common error.

To plaster the aching back,

To rub with liniments rheumatic joints.

When the trouble comes from the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills,

And are endorsed by Crookston citizens .

A. A. Olds, painter, 339 Ash St., Crookston, Minn., says: "The statement I gave in 1898 recommending Doan's Kidney Pills was true in every particular and I gladly confirm it now. I suffered continually from backache and other symptoms of disordered kidneys but Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Wallace's Pharmacy relieved me when everything else failed. they removed the difficulty and in spite of the fact that my occupation causes more or less strain on my back, I have had very little kidney trouble since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Playing Safe

Judge Landis, who fined the Standard Oil Company some $29,000,000 recently fined a defendant 1 cent. Evidently the judge took his lesson in moderation quite seriously. Anyhow, he took no chances on a reversal owing to excessive damages.—Roseau Region.

FINE TEST ON CLOVER SEED

MESSRS. MUNGER AND SON OF WARREN, SCORE HIGH ON SAMPLES

SUBMITTED TO U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

From Thursday's Daily—

Messrs. Munger & Son, of Warren recently sent samples of clover seed to the United States Department of Agriculture, at Washington for the purpose of determining the purity of the seed and its germinating quality. The report has now been received from the Botanist in charge of the government seed and laboratory giving the result of these tests.

The purity test is for the purpose of determining the percentage of purity of the seed, the inert matter and foreign seed in a sample and according to this test, Alsike Clover scored 97.96 per cent of purity the Red Clover-Medium, scored 91.81 per cent and Red Clover-Mammoth, scored 99.96 cent. This is indeed a very high score in as much as the small percentage of foreign seed in the samples was timothy and white clover which are not harmful in the least.

In the germinating test the Red Clover-Medium scored 95 per cent, Red Clover-Mammoth 88.05 per cent, and the Alsike Clover 98.93 per cent. The seed that did not germinate in the four to six days allowed for the test ,are the so-called "hard seeds," which have unusually hard seed coats, preventing them from taking up water readily; yet when allowed to remain in the water or in the ground for a long time will most of them become sufficiently softened to permit growth.

The above tests demonstrate the high quality of the clover seed grown in this section of the state. Messrs. Munger & Son have also received a letter from Prof. Moore. of the Agricultural Department of the University of Wisconsin congratulating them on having such excellent seed.

It is again demonstrated that the Red River Valley leads the world in clover.

HALL IS GIVEN FINE PRESENT

RETIRING DIRECTOR OF GRAND FORKS CITY BAND GETS ALLIGATOR BAG

A pleasant surprise was given Prof. W. W. Hall, past director of the Grand Forks Military band, after the rehearsal last evening. He was presented with an alligator traveling bag The presentation speech was made by Fred Redick in a few well chosen remarks. He stated that Mr. Hall had been at the head of most of the bands organized in Grand Forks during the past 20 years and has done much to advance the musical interests of the city in both band and orchestra and it was genuinely regretted that it was not possible for him to continue.

Mr. Hall responded in a few remarks assuring the boys that he appreciated the good fellowship that was shown by his efforts and thanking the boys for their co-operation. B. F. Brockhoff vice president of the band made a few remarks followed by members of the band. All desired in some way to show the esteem that was held for Mr. Hall.

Mr. Riggs, formerly of Crookston, the new director made a few pertinent remarks and also stated that he was more than pleased with the support the band was being given by the business men and it seemed to him that Grand Forks was assured of a band second to none in the northwest.

After congratulations were extended Mr. Hall refresments were served and the evening ended with a cornet solo by Mr. Riggs and a few selections by the 'nit band." President John Dinnie acted as chairman of the meeting.

How It Works

We heard a lot of farmers discussing the local creamery pro and con the other day. The simple fact that there are one-half less the number of creameries now than there was five years ago in Iowa is an answer to all arguments. The local creamery was the thing that made the farmer prosperous. The centralized creamery is a good thing until the local creamery is gone, then the farmer will see how shortsighted he was in not sticking to home industry when he had the chance.—Britt Tribune.

A man who thinks more of a dollar than he does of his self-respect is insult-proof.

UNCLE SAM IS AFTER MORE MEN

MINNESOTA HAS NOT HER QUOTA IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE SO THERE

IS GOOD CHANCE FOR MANY MORE APPLICANTS FOR POSITIONS

Thereare a lot of positions open in the forestry service of the United States government. An examination to secure eligibles for the position of clerk will be held at several points in June 16. The nearest will be at Deadwood, Aberdeen, Sioux Falls and Watertown, S. D. Eligibles will be subject to appointment for service in forest supervisors' offices at various points thruout the west. The notice for the examinations name more than 50 national forests. For the position of clerk, in some places owing to local conditions, only male applicants can be considered. It is stated that many of the places of employment are desirable from a residence point of view.

Examinations to be held soon in Duluth will be to secure eligibles for the following positions in the government service: Game law clerk (male), in the bureau of biological survey, department of agriculture; apprentice plate cleaner, transferrer and engraver, in the bureau of engraving and printing, Washington, D. C.; medical interne, for the government hospital for the insane, Washington, D. C.

The members of the board of examiners in Duluth have information that Minnesota and other Western states have only about one-third as many employes in the various government positions as the population of these states entitle them to.

The reason is that more eastern people take the examinations and qualify for the positions. Senator La Follette and others from the Western states also have charged that there are many holding positions in the government service that are registered from western states who never say the western side of the Alleghany mountains.

Civil service examinations are held frequently in Minnesota, at Duluth, St. Paul and Mankato, only examinations in connection with the mail service being held in Crookston. In some states they are held in a much greater number of places. For instance in New York state they are held in thirteen different cities.

ANGUS SHERACK

Miss Tillie Brantl has been suffering of late with a very sore eye. Her many friends hope she will soon be well again because without Miss Tilly society around here is at a standstill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kotek and family intend to leave here in the near future and will make their future home in Northland. Mr. and Mrs. Kotek have made many friends here and all are sorry to see them leave.

Seeding is in full progress and everybody around here is busy to the utmost.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kluzak entertained at dinner last Sunday the Misses Tilly Brantl and Rose Kotek and Mr. Ed Brantl.

The dance in Tabor the other evening was a swell affair and all reported a delightful time.

Miss Mary Aslun of LaCrosse, Wis., was here the other day to attend the funeral of Mr. Jas. Holley.

Last Wednesday a veritable dust storm raged nearly all day and made things very unpleasant while the storm lasted.

Mr. Ed Brantl one of Tabor's leading young society men went to Crookston the other day on very important business. Quite a few of his friends are on to his game and have already commenced buying wedding presents.

Mr. E. Johnston had the misfortune of having the point of a pitch fork run into his left leg. Altho the wound is very painful, nothing serious is anticipated.

Mr. Andrew Anderson sprained his back a couple of days ago by lifting too heavily. Dr. Dryden of Euclid is attending one suffering friend.

Mr. G. H. Horn one of the leading and most progressive farmers of the Red River Valley purchased last week the "Success Manure Spreader" made by Kemp and Burpee Mfg. Co., Syracuse, N. Y.

Miss Magdalene Chanot, tho very weak yet is slightly improving. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

The rain of last Wednesday will prove to be of great help to the growing grain and a bumper crop is to be expected.

Does Not Stimulate

Ayer's Sarsaparilla does not stimulate. It does not make you feel better one day, then as bad as ever the next. It is not a strong drink. No reaction after you stop using it. There is not a drop of alcohol in it. You have the steady, even gain that comes from a strong tonic and alterative. We wish you would ask your doctor about this. He knows. Trust him. Do as he says. *J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.*

What are Ayer's Pills? Liver Pills. How long have they been sold? Nearly sixty years. Do doctors recommend them? Ask your own doctor and find out.

Every American Family Pays Tribute To The Sugar Trust

Just $113,723,347 could have been saved to the housekeepers of the country last year had there been no tariff on refined or raw sugar. That represents the excess which the American pays for his sugar over what he would pay if he could buy it as cheaply as it is sold in London. Who gets the money? The government received about $60,000 of it and the rest went into the purse of the sugar trust. The figures are from the report of the federal bureau of statistics.

The average wholesale price of sugar in London in 1908 was 2.70 cents a pound. In New York it was 4.96 cents a pound. The United States consumed over 6,000,000,000 pounds of sugar in 1908 and paid over $113,000,000 more for it than if it could have been purchased here as cheaply as in London. That is a mater of about $8 for every family in the nation.

The Dingley schedules, which Senator Aldrich is seeking to perpetuate provide for a tariff of about 80 per cent on refined sugar, or about 2 cents a pound. The sugar trust is the largest beneficiary of this tariff extortion as the independent refiners frankly and frequently have asserted that they require no protection and favor the admission of both raw and refined sugar free of duty. The fact that the sugar trust has recently sold for export large quantities of sugar at almost 2 cents a pound less than it was offered to American consumers, should be convincing proof that the trust can refine sugar without protection much better than every American housewife can afford to pay the tariff of fully 20 cents every time she fills her ten-pound sugar jar.

Naturally every proposition looking to the removal of the duty on sugar or the reduction of it, calls for a protest from the stand-patters who insist that such action would ruin the sugar beet industry in this country. The evidence shows that the sugar trust owns a very large if not a controlling, share in the beet sugar refineries of the country. Further it is claimed that the beet sugar manufacturers could continue their business at a fine profit, owing to the ir advantage in railroad rates to points of consumption, and would not in fact be ijured by a radical reductio nof the sugar schedules. While there are about 100,000 farmers who are engaged in raising sugar beets, there are about 10,000,000 farmers who pay a tribute of 2 cents a pound on sugar for their households most of which goes directly to the sugar trust. Altho this is the greatest fruit growing country in the world, it is asserted that the stunting of the canning and preserving industry thru lack of cheap sugar today robs the farmers of what might be an enormous demand for their fruit.

The American housewife will be interested in learning that she pays an 80 per cent tariff on sugar while the tariff on champagne is 56 per cent.

Relation Of School Gardens To The Cost Of Living

While the school garden movement had its origin in a desire to furnish occupation for the mental and physical energies of school children in the larger cities, its development has resulted in the discovery of latent possibilities in the plan that may prove a big factor in solving the economic problem of the home. Experience of the last few years has given some hint of the astonishing amount of vegetables that may be raised on small plots of ground well tilled and the utilization of these waste spaces may go far toward piecing out the limited incomes of families and materially reducing the outlay for table necessities.

New York furnishes a striking illustration of the enthusiasm with which city children undertake the work of gardening. A vacant city lot located in a thickly settled district, has been cut up into "farms" that are just four feet one way by eight feet the other and each of these land parcels has been put under the care of a small boy or girl to be farmed. There were ten aplicants for each of the plots and the successful ones last year enjoyed perhaps for the first time in their lives real fresh crisp vegetables of their own raising. Those in charge report that it has proved a great source of health that it has proved source of health and happiness to the children as well as of some profit to the parents.

With the stimulas given to this work by the School Garden society in St. Paul, there is a chance to turn the spirit of the work to advantage in finding relief in the back yard garden in the task of making the family income balance with the family needs. Intelligent effort and direction in this form of garden work yields a dividend in improved health of the gardeners and in table necessities and delicacies.—Minneapolis Journal.

Good Advice

Last Tuesday afternoon closed the hearing of a Justice Court case which lasted four days. Bond was given and case carried over to District Court. Some valuable lessons should be learned from this case by parents who have boys and girls. It's another instance where idleness has caused ruin and disgrace. It is strange how people treat such matters lightly. Even old, yes very old people take a special delight in rehearsing such matters in presence of children even their own children, when instead of they have to mention such matters at all it should be done with an expression of regret and warning when children are in their presence. If old people treat such matters lightly what is to be expected from the children and who is to blame if they go wrong —Hallock News.

An ambitious author may attain a high position by contributing a fiery article to a powder magazine.

Viewed From Up a Tree

The publisher of any weekly paper in anytown has the privilege of buying his groceries from Washington—Uncle Sam's home. The merchant of any country town has the privilege of buying his envelopes from Washington—Uncle Sam's home. While this is a privilege, isn't it wrong in principle when put into practice? Wouldn't it be better for the publisher to buy his groceries from the home merchant, and the merchant to buy his envelopes from the publisher? It looks this way to a fellow up a tree!—Western Publisher.

Some Comfort

Dispatches state that the Young Turks has permitted Abdul Hamid, the deposed sultan to retain fourteen wives. That is probably the worst punishment that could be inflicted. Whether it is to rule or be ruled by so many is a more difficult task than to guide the destinies of the whole Turkish empire.—Warren Sheaf.

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SOMETHING DROPPED

QUARTET OF ALLEGED BLIND PIGGERS ARRESTED AT ROSEAU YESTERDAY

OVER $1,000 WORTH OF LIQUORS SEIZED BY SHERIFF OLSSON

Sheriff E. T. Olsson yesterday morning, assisted by a half dozen deputies, served warrants sworn out by S. Kvam upon Jonas A. Johnson, Andrew Elliott, Frank Wheatcroft and Flossie Eldridge, charging each of them with selling liquor contrary to law and the vote of the people of Roseau at the March election.

Search warrants were also issued and the sheriff seized a large stock of liquor in Wheatcroft's place, a smaller quantity at Jonas Johnson's residence and a barrel of bottled beer at the Eldridge premises. No liquor was found in Elliott's place.

The arrests are the result of investigations conducted by a couple of outside detectives and had been expected for some time by the knowing ones. The statute provides that in case a defendant is found guilty all liquors seized shall be destroyed, and in these cases the sheriff secured over $1,000 worth of wet goods, of which he will retain possession until the cases are decided.

All defendants entered pleas of not guilty and the trials will take place before Justice Miller as follows:

Jonas Johnson, May 10; Andrew Elliott and Frand Wheatcroft May 11; Flossie Eldridge, May 12.

A side issue to the proceedings was the arrest of one of the detectives for selling liquor to Harvey Wilcox. The complaint was sworn to by Andrew Elliott. Defendant gave bonds for his appearance on May 12th.

County Attorney Stebbins is prosecuting the cases.

TWO MORE TO CRAZY HOUSE

HALVOR OLSON OF MENTOR TAKEN DOWN LAST EVENING BY DEPUTY SULLIVAN

JOS. SIMNA OF BELTRAMI CO. TAKEN DOWN BY DEPUTY JOHNSON

Two additions to the Fergus Falls asylum were made last evening. Deputy Sheriff Pat Sullivan, assisted by Co. Commissioner Christianson went down with Halvor Olson of Mentor and Deputy Sheriff Johnson of Bemidji, assisted by Deputy Cisco of Beaudette went down with Jos. Simna of Beaudette.

Sifna who was confined in the city jail for a few hours while waiting the departure of the flyer says that he got "crummy" during his short stay here, and in a speech on the train insisted that he was as dousy as a pet coon.

Deputy Johnson says that Olson, committed from here, was formerly in Bemidji, where he showed signs of being "off" and he was promptly hustled out of town. This was many months ago.

A BAD WRECK ON THE SOO LINE

BRAKEMAN CARNEY IS KILLED AND HUGH BERRY SERIOUSLY INJURED

A fatal wreck occurred on the Soo Line a mile east of Kimball Prairie on Wednesday evening. A freight train going down the line found itself out of water and uncoupled to go to South Haven for a supply, leaving the train on the prairie and right in a curve. Jack Carney and Hugh Berry remained in the caboose while the rest of the crew were absent getting the water. A special freight had followed them down the line, and not knowing of the train stopping on the prairie, came along at full speed. The engine of the special struck the caboose and the result was that Jack Carney was instantly killed and Hugh Berry had a leg broken and his skull cut open besides half a dozen cars being telescoped. The injured men are possibly responsible for the accident as it was their business to go back on the line and flag any approaching train.

This wreck was the cause of the north-bound limited, which was 10 hours late.

John Carney who was killed is a brother of Roadmaster Carney with the Northern Pacific at East Grand Forks, and he left Thursday to attend the funeral.

SUCCESSFUL DAIRYING

M. L. RILEY BIG DAIRYMAN FROM SOUTHERN WIS., PLEASED WITH POLK COUNTY

HAS 1350 ACRE FARM AND FINE DAIRY HERD NEAR MELVIN NEW CREAMERY

From Saturday's Daily—

M. L. Riley formerly in the dairy business on a large scale in Southern Wisconsin, but who over a year ago purchased a 1350 acre farm near Melvin, south of this city on the N. P. was in the city a few days ago and reports that the Melvin Creamery Association has been organized and practically all the stock subscribed necessary for the construction of the creamery at once. The creamery will be located at Melvin and 465 cows have already been pledged and this number will be materially increased in the near future.

Mr. Riley took an active interest in promoting the creamery project as did Mr. Temanson, father-in-law of W. F. Peterson who resides near Melvin and other prominent and progressive farmers. Mr. Riley resides on what is known as the Old Sunstad place. He has 165 acres fenced in and 300 acres now under cultivation. He also has a fine herd of 32 milch cows, and this number will be increased rapidly his intention being to have at least 50 before the summer is over.

Mr. Riley says that the Red River Valley is unsurpassed as a dairying section and he believes it will be the leading industry in a very few years More cows can be pastured on one acre of $35 or $40 valley land, than can be kept on $100 and $200 an acre Illinois or Iowa land, and more fodder can be raised from it as well with the same amount of cultivation.

$1200 has already been subscribed for the creamery and it is expected that the creamery will be built and equipped before the end of June.

M. L. Riley is a brother of P. W. Riley, formerly in the wholesale business here and now at the head of the Riley-Ramsey wholesale grocery company of Port Arthur. His father who died several years ago, was for years a resident of Lakefield, Minn., and was at one time a member of the Minnesota legislature.

Mr. Riley says there will be a big influx of new settlers to this section during the coming summer and that most of them will be substantial diversified famers who will go into the dairying business extensively. More farmers of the stamp of Mr. Riley are wanted in the Red River Valley.

STEALING THUNDER FROM POLK COUNTY

PICTURE OF CARLSON'S DAIRY FARM, ERSKINE, USED TO BOOST WABASHA CO.

A resident of Crookston today took occasion to call the attention of the Journal representative to a cut of a dairy farm, including barns, silo, and fine dairy herd belonging to Ole Carlson and Sons near Erskine, Polk Co., as published in the Minnesota Farmers Institute Annual, under the dairy department, page 197. It is a fine farm and a fine cut.

He also showed us a copy of "Great Opportunities in Minnesota" which advertises the fact that 300,000 acres of school and other state lands will be offered for sale by the state auditor in Minnesota the coming summer. On page 38 of this publication the Carlson Dairy Farm cut is again used, but underneath it is the following inscription: "Farm Scene in Wabasha Co."

It is certainly a high compliment to Polk Co., when counties in the southern part of the state have to be boomed by the use of cuts of dairy farms in Polk county.

LOOKED OVER BRIDGE SITES

Commissioners Ecklund and Thorson returned this morning from Northwestern Polk county where with Commissioner Driscoll they have been looking over the sites of several proposed bridges and also looking into some road matters.

They stated that many of the farmers in that part of the county have completed wheat seeding and several have large acreages seeded to oats. While the weather has been disagreeable they state farmers are very optimistic regarding the crop outlook.

No matter how a woman can't get along with her servants she has to be on confidential terms with them so as to get the latest news about the neighbors.

GILL HURRIES TO MICHIGAN

WAS DETERMINED TO REACH BEDSIDE OF WIFE WHO IS CRITICALLY ILL

FORMER FOOTBALL STAR DEFIES PHYSICIANS AND LEAVES HIS SICKBED

From Saturday's Daily—

Risking his life to see his wife before she is dead, William Gill, passed through Grand Froks last night on his way to Paynesville, Mich. Gill was stabbed in the back Tuesday evening by another employe of the Great Northern, one lung was punctured. Fears of his recovery were expressed by friends and doctors told him he would have to remain in his room until danger period was past. A thoughtless person told Gill yesterday of telegram that his wife was dying. Gill insisted on leaving on the first train and all protests of physician and his friends were unavailing. Upon his arrival in Grand Forks he was met by Dr. Williamson, Great Northern physician, who dressed his wounds. Gill announced that he was going to get all right and he was only anxious to reach his bedside of his wife.

When Sarles train arrived at Lakota Gill insisted on walking from the coaches. On the eastbound train, No. 6, he was obliged to rest in a sleeper A berth had been reserved for him. In Grand Forks he was greeted by many of his friends. He announced that he would soon be all right and if there is an alumni-university game next fall he will be able to take a hand.

Gill will receive treatment in St. Paul and will be in good shape for the rest of the trip, he believed last night

Dr. Williamson stated that there was no indication of blood-poisoning or pneumonia. Rising temperature is an indication of infection and Gill's temperature was normal. It is possible that there may be blood-poisoning later, as it is a little early to assume that he has passed the danger period.

Dr. Williamson was of the opinion however, that Gill is risking his life in making the trip.

The Great Northern made every arrangement possible for the comfort of the young man.

LIVED IN CROOKSTON QUARTER OF CENTURY

MRS. ANNIE MICKELSON AGED 76 YEARS PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY

Yesterday morning, Mrs. Annie Mickelson aged 76 years, who resided with her son, Gunder Mickelson, 107 Nelson street, passed away, death being due to a general breaking down. Deceased has been a resident of Crookston for over 24 years, coming here in the early days with her husband, who died several years ago.

Aside from Gunder, her daughter Mary Mickelson lived with her and another son, Andrew, who is married resides in Crookston. She also leaves a daughter and one son in Michigan none of whom can be present at the funeral.

The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Synod church on South Broadway Rev. Salveson officiating.

SAYS WEATHER WAS SOMETHING FIERCE

FIVE INCHES OF SNOW COVERED GROUND NEAR EAU CLAIRE YESTERDAY

Dr. J. S. Chapin was in the city between trains this morning enroute home from a business trip to Grafton Iowa, and Chicago, Ill., spending only one day in the latter place. He states that yesterday morning enroute home the country about Eau Claire, Wis., was covered with 5 inches of snow In Chicago it snowed first, then rained and the streets were in very bad shape. There was snow all the way enroute, and the fall has been less here than at any other place he visited while away.

If you want to feel well, look well and be well, take Foley's Kidney Remedy. It tones up the kidneys and bladder, purifies the blood and retores health and strength. Pleasant to take and contains no harmful drugs. Why not commence today? Sold by all druggists.

Even when a man knows that he's on the wrong track he thinks his train of thought has the right-of-way.

MAY FLOWERS ARE SCARCE

HOWEVER CONDITIONS HERE ARE NEARER NORMAL THAN IN OTHER SECTIONS

CO. COMMISSIONERS STATE WHEAT NEARLY ALL SEEDED IN NORTHWESTERN POLK

From Saturday's Daily—

There was no May-pole dances in Crookston today at least not out of doors. There is however some talk of an impromptu ski tournament this afternoon or Sunday. Sleighing parties may also be popular amusement as being very much out of the ordinary.

Since Thursday evening the snow snow has been falling steadily and since Friday noon it has been blowing a gale from the northwest. It is one of the heaviest snow storms that has been experienced in many years at this season.

However the pioneers are all jubilant over the heavy snow fall and insist that it is an unfailing sign of a good crop of wheat, the biggest produced here in many years. They estimated that 75 per cent of the wheat had been seeded. The snow on the seeded fields is a regular fertilizer and as soon as the present flurry is over and warm weather comes on, the wheat will shoot up like magic.

Theer is ample time to finish the balance of the wheat seeding the first week in May which is plenty early, and the flax and barley will all be seeded in good time if the weather clears up within the next few days. In addition to the wheat acreage, there is also many thousands of acres of oats seeded.

PREPARING FOR BUSINESS

ANNUAL MEETING OF CO-OPERATIVE FUEL AND COMMISSION CO. HELD TODAY

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR AND BUSINESS DISCUSSED

The first annual meeting of the Co-Operative Fuel and Commission Co., was held today in the offices of the company in the Rauch block and the following officers elected to serve for the ensuing year.

President, J. D. Ball.

First Vice Pres.—H. A. Ball.

Second Vice Pres.—L. C. Hanna.

Gen. Manager and Treasurer—Nelson Miller.

Secretary—R. S. Kiltz.

Board of Directors, Nelson Miller, L. C. Hanna, J. D. Ball, S. L. Davis, and Alexander Kerr.

The stockholders have been in session all day discussing plans for the future of the concern which will go after business thruout this section with great energy.

PIONEER SETTLER DIED SUDDENLY

Jens Olson (Semlines) who has resided a few miles from Ada on the south side of the Wild Rice river, for the past thirty years died last Friday from heart failure. Mr. Olson had been sickly thruout the winter but was apparently well for some time before his death.

Deceased was born in Bergen, Norway, June 23, 1836, and was 73 years and 10 months old at the time of his death. He came to Norman county thirty years ago. Besides a wife he leaves nine children.

The funeral occurred Monday the services being conducted by Rev. Hinderlie at the home and interment being at the Ada cemetery.

GREAT WORK OF SPLIT LOG DRAG

A well known travelling man of this city who does a great deal of driving thruout this section called the attention of the Journal this morning to the splendid work which many of the farmers of this section are doing with the split log drag. He says it is coming into quite general use and that the minute a piece of road is struck ni which this device is used, you can tell it right away.

He believes that the agitation should be kept up and that everything possible should be done to encourage the farmer to use the drag more and more.

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INPIRING SESSIONS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS

From Wednesday's Daily—

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED THIS AFTERNOON

President—J. H. Martin, Minneapolis.

Vice Presidents—Rev. A. H. Wurtele, Duluth; W. H. Gold, Redwood Falls; E. O. Onstad, Ada; E. J. Krafft Minneapolis; H. W. Kingsbury, Winona.

Rec. Secretary—C. E. Woodward, Minneapolis.

Treasurer—A. C. Hermann, St. Paul.

Board of Directors, 3 year term—C. J. Hunt, St. Paul, J. E. Bell, Minneapolis, J. H. Irish, Detroit, H. B. Avery, Minneapolis.

The second day's sessions of the convention of the Minnesota Sunday School association started this morning in the Methodist church under the most favorable circumstances. President W. H. Gold called the session to order with the church well filled.

Animation and enthusiasm characterized every delegate and there can be no question but that in point of interest the present convention will be regarded as memorable.

Every train arriving in the city brought visitors from north east south and west. Between noon yesterday and noon today as many delegates registered as were on the books previously.

The needs of the association in regard to securing the services of an assistant to Secretary A. M. Locker were placed before the convention.

International Secretary W. C. Pearce took charge of this portion of the program and it was but a short time before the total amount needed, $1400, had been raised.

After the devotional period under the leadership of John Ferris, state superintendent of the American Sunday School Union, a roll call of counties was made. The delegates from each county responding as to the manner of organization in their respective counties.

Owing to the absence of State Treasurer A. C. Hermann, of St. Paul, on account of illness in his family the annual report of the treasurer was read by the Secretary. t

Secretary's Annual Report

One of the interesting portionsof this morning's session was the annual report of Secretary A. M. Locker. The work accomplished since he was elected has meant the success of the association and at the presnt time his enthusiasm, his ability and consecration is carrying the organization forward to new fields of conquest and accomplishment.

Committee on Nominations

At this stage of the proceedings the following committee was appointed to nominate officers for the coming year: George H. Wright, of Crookston; Rev. R. W. Bowden of Duluth; R. W. McLeod, of St. Peter. The committee will report at a late hour this afternoon or this evening.

The Bible study under the leadership of Rev. George R. Merrill of Minneapolis was disposed of and after the benediction was pronounced adjournment was taken.

This Afternoon's Session

The devotional period was in charge of Rev. A. N. McKee district superintendent of the Methodist church for the Crookston district. Secretary W. C. Pearce then gave a most interesting address showing how to start and continue a campaign to increase the attendance at the Sunday school. This was followed by a most able address on the "Adolescent Period" by Rev. J. S. Kirtley of Duluth.

Owing to the absence of Rev. Frank F. Fitch, of Des Moines on account of illness his place on the program was taken by Rev. F. L. Tredstad of Superior, but formerly of this city.

What the Visitation Means

Rev. John Orchard of Fargo, addressed the convention on the subject "House to House Visitation. What. How" while Dr. R. W. Bowden, of Duluth talked on "How We Did It in Duluth. Results."

A general discussion closed the afternoon session under the leadership of Rev. Arthur H. Wurtele of Duluth.

At 4 o'clock the officers conference an dthe conference of elementary workers convened.

Convention Notes

At 7 o'clock this evening the Juvenile band of Crookston will give an open air concert in front of the Methodist church in honor of the delegates and visitors.

At 4:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the local central committee will meet in the office of Chairman H. C. Misner an devery chairman is requested to bring bills contracted for the convention.

DELEGATES REGISTERED

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Rev. G. R. Merrill
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Rev S. M. Dick
Mrs. P. H. Passmore.
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Miss Beatrice M. Longfellow.
Miss Grace M. Longfellow
Miss Marion W. Noir
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Mrs. Mary E. Cadwell
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Mrs. N. Scott Coe
Miss Eleanor Fletcher
Miss Winnifred A. Terrell
Mrs. J. O. Gust
Mrs. H. E. Coleman
Miss Mollie Eldsvold
Mrs. C. D. Seible
Mrs. A. E. Aiken
John O. Ferris
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A. M. Locker
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Miss Bell
Rev. E. H. Nicholson,
P. J. Youngdahl,

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Miss Carrie S. Pond
Mrs. S. L. Howell
Mrs. J. C. Smith
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Mrs. Robert Schroee
Mrs. H. C. Skinner
Mrs. Carl F. Mattson
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Rev. Henry Nobbs
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Walter D. Howell
N. S. Mears
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Mrs. Mildred Hurlbut, Warren.
Miss Fai Wadsworth, Warren
T. G. Bolton, Plainview
Miss Bertha Norby, Detroit
Mrs. Louis D. Davis, Wanbon
Miss Pearl I. Hamilton, St. Louis Park.
Miss Louise A. Emery, Rushford
Mrs. E. R. Haycroft, Madelia
Mrs. H. M. Rogers, Madelia
Mrs. P. Stuhr, Euclid
Miss Olga Hulten, Lancaster
Mrs. F. A. Vanderpool, Park Rapids
Mrs. J. N. Scott, Lake City.
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Mrs. I. Bird, Barnesville.
Mrs. B. K. Franklin, Barnesville.
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Mrs. Clara Strader, Pelican Rapids
Mrs. A. W. Wells, Herman
Mrs. S. J. Dunn, Herman
Mrs. Margaret Hal, Balaton
Miss Dora M. Fisher, Long Prairie
Mrs. I. C. Hayes, Nielsville
Mrs. J. C. Hayes, Nielsville
Mrs. Robt. E. Nelson, Breckenridge
Miss Edna Adams, Breckenridge
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Mrs. F. H. Gray, Fergus Falls
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Mrs. J. J. Bohlander, Detroit
Miss Alice Cameron, Hallock.
Miss Margaret McGitham, Warren,
Mrs. Wm. Morris, Winona
Miss Anna McAskill, Duluth
Mrs. L. D. Thayer, Clarissa
Miss Grace E. Duncan, Duluth
Mrs. A. C. Taylor, Duluth
Miss Belle Chalmers, Madison
Miss Maud C. Davis, Long Prairie
Mrs. I. A. Blau, Duluth
Miss Manda Matteson, Duluth
Miss Mable McLean Duluth
Mrs. F. H. Lake, Fergus Falls
Mrs. F. O. Quaintaine, Fergus Falls
Mrs. Geo. A. Byfed, Duluth
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Jas. S. Burrell, Hawley
Rev. H. J. Taylor, Hawley
F. J. Bujan, Hawley
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H. P. Long, Carleton
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Rev. Austin Wurtele, Duluth
Rev. G. E. Morehouse, Hallock
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C. E. Fulton, Nora
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Rev. R. W. McLeod, St. Peter
Glenn Potter, Mizpah
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B. J. Fuller, Pine River
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Thos. Platten, Sauk Centre.
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Thos. Scotton, Williams
Rev. J. F. Cox, Hallock
Rev. H. F. Parshals, Cass Lake.
W. H. Gold, Redwood Falls.
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H. R. Brown, Mallory.
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Mrs. O. Jones, Felton
Peter O. Onstad, Ada
Mrs. J. H. McNicol, E. Grand Forks
Rev. John Orchard, Fargo
Orin Rosaaen, Fisher
Miss Flossie Woodward, Fisher
Mrs. Stella Henderson, Fisher
Ada F. Brown, Davidson
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J. S. Kingan, Breckenridge
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Miss Carrie E. Weller, Detroit
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Mrs. B. F. Tenney, Ada

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Miss Reine Bishop
L. D. Foskett,
Miss Lizie Reinhardt
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Herman Sivertson
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Josephine Jorgenson
Mrs. L. W. Larson
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R. R. DeMott
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J. A. Northrup

FINE MEETINGS LAST EVENING

M. E. AND BAPTIST CHURCHES FILLED WITH ENTHUSIASTIC MEN AND WOMEN

FIRST OPPORTUNITY OF HEARING MAMMOTH CHORUS AND BOYS' ORCHESTRA

From Wednesday's Daily—

The sessions of the Minnesota Sunday school association last evening were of the greatest interest and the two largest churches in Crookston the Methodist and the Baptist were required to hold the number who desired to attend the services.

At Methodist Church

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock Prof J. H. Powers started the service of song and for thirty minutes the large chorus, composed of one hundred voices, accompanied by an orchestra of twenty pieces and the big pipe organ, sung hymns of great beauty and inspiration Prof. Powers is entitled to great credit for the work done.

George H. Wright of this city presided. Rev. S. E. P. White of Bemidji, read the Scripture lesson and Rev. T. W. Barbour, of Cass Lake asked for Divine guidance and inspiration.

Welcome to the City

Mayor J. D. McPhee extended a cordial welcome to the delegates and visitors in behalf of the city of Crookston. Rev. F. M. McCoy followed with an address of welcome on behalf of the churches of the city.

President W. H. Gold of the state association responded to the addresses in an eloquent manner and paid high compliments to the hospitality of the people of Crookston.

He paid tribute to the cleanliness and beauty of the city.

An Inspiring Address

The address of the evening was delivered by W. C. Pearce of Chicago international secretary. The speaker is probably one of the best known Sunday School workers in the world. An eloquent and persuasive speaker, he gets to the hearts of his audience at once.

His theme was "The Meaning of the Modern Sunday School Movement." He traced the progress of Sunday School work in all its many activities and departments; told of the Sunday School association of the World then of the national movement, of the state organizations and then of the district, county and local organizations.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. M. Stewart of Moorhead.

At the Baptist church

At the same time the service at the Methodist church was in session the Baptist church was well filled with delegates and local people, who were give nthe opportunity of enjoying a most meritorious program. The program started with a song service under the leadership of Rev. T. T. Ove He also had a large chorus composed of the Viking Chorus supplemented by a number of volunteers. This portion of the service was most pleasing and rivalled in excellence the work done by the larger chorus in the Methodist church.

After the reading of the Scripture lesson by Rev. C. E. Fulton of Mora and prayer by Rev. C. C. Warner of Crookston, City Attorney Martin O'Brien extended a welcome to the convention on behalf of the city. His warm words of greeting fittingly demonstrated the sentiment of the local people towards the visitors. Rev. W. S. Ward extended the welcome of the churches of the city and a respense was made by Rev. George R. Merrill, of Minneapolis.

General Secretary A. M. Locker presided.

An Address of Great Merit

The speaker of the evening was Rev. J. S. Kirtley, D. D., of Duluth. His subject was "In the Barefoot Kingdom" and his earnestness and force of diction and thought made his effort a great treat. He is an exceedingly popular speaker and whatever he has to say carries force and conviction.

SHERAC

Mr. G. H. Horn drove to Grand Forks last Monday on business.

Mr. B. Tiedemann was on the sick list for several days this week.

The Misses Helen Riedesel, Louise Tiedemann and Maude Allard enjoyed a several days' visit with parents and friends at Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Habich of Euclid called on Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Tiedemann last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goosen and Mr. and Mrs. F. Goosen drove to Red Lake Falls last Sunday to attend the funeral of Herman Shultz. The deceased had been ailing for the last few years with consumption and had gone to the Hot Springs in Colorado thinking it would improve his health. Mr. Shultz was a brother of Mrs. Fred Goosen.

Miss Alma Horn called on her girl friend Miss Rose Kotek last Tuesday.

Mr. J. J. Jenrick and family moved to Grand Forks last week where they intend to make their future home.

Messrs. Henry Giese, Joe Bush, Henry Tiedemann and Will Svoado spent last Sunday evening with the Horn family.

Miss Tilly Brantl one of most popular young ladies of this vicinity called on Tabor friends last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Fleman of Euclid spent last Sunday at the home of J. Goosen.

Last Sunday a number of the Sherack boys met at the Brantl farm to ascertain whether or not our team was to be represented on the diamond this year. They have not yet chosen a manager but came to the conclusion that the team would be stronger and better than ever before, without the "Suckers" aid.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuie is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

Where charity begins is not so important as that it can never end without a howl of indignation by those who have had it.

Did you ever see a married woman who wasn't in love with her husband's wife?

FOLEYS HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

The Rent is Reasonable.

A modern up-to-date Safe Deposit Box in our absolutely fire-proof vaults costs but one dollar a year.

You carry the key, and have access to the vaults at any time during banking hours. It's just the place where your valuable papers should be kept.

Drop in and look over the vaults.

The First National Bank
of Crookston, Minn.
Assets over One Million Dollars

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HAD MAYOR ON GRIDDLE

FARMERS FROM MARIAS SCORED HIM FOR KEEPING TRI-STATE OUT OF CROOKSTON

MESSRS. DUNC. FERGUSON, JOS. JARVIS AND NELS CHRISTIANSON HOSTILE

From Monday's Daily—

Last Saturday Mayor McPhee called on the Journal representative for assistance fearing bodily harm from three old friends who reside on the Marais northwest of Fisher. They were Duncan B. Ferguson Jos. Jarvis and Nels Christianson, all large and prosperous farmers and they thought they had a grievance against the mayor for keeping the Tri-State Telephone Company's long distance lines out of Crookston. It took the mayor some time to convince the irate farmers that he was on the other side of the fence.

Messrs. Ferguson, Jarvis and Christianson requested that the following statement be made: "We buy most of our machinery in Crookston. We have a farmers' telephone line that is connected with the Tri-State at Grand Forks. We want to conect with Crookston. Then if we want repairs a new machine or anything else in Crookston we can telephone for it and have it shipped out to us either morning or evening. If you want our business you must give us the same conveniences we have with Grand Forks.

"We prefer doing our trading in Minnesota. We have a rural line with many subscribers and this year another line to connect with the Grand Forks Tri-State line will be constructed to Keystone and intervening townships. We do not care about your local scraps, but we want long distant phone connections with Crookston. You cannot expect to get our business if you won't let us talk with you. The telephone during the haying, harvest and seeding seasons saves us long and costly trips. Before leaving Crookston we are going to see several business men whom we deal with and state our position."

MIXED MARRIAGES BARRED JULY 1

WHITES CANNOT MARRY BLACKS ACCORDNIG TO LAW PASSED IN NORTH DAKOTA

After July 1 there can be no marriages of white and blacks in North Dakota. The question of color is included in the list to be asked by the county judge when issuing a license and on him rests the responsibility of heading off mixed marriages. The applicant will be required to testify that neither of the parties to the contract are white or black, as the case may be.

It is stated that there has been very few cases where white women have married negroes in North Dakota. So far as could be learned no white men have married blacks.

WANTS WATER STREET VACATED

MINNEAPOLIS BREWING CO., SUIT AGAINST E. G. F. ON BEFORE JUDGE WATTS

The case of the Minneapolis Brewing company against the city of East Grand Forks was on for trial in the district court before Judge Watts today. City Attorney Finlayson appeared for the city, Cobbs & Wheelock and Childs of Minneapolis for the plaintiff and H. A. Bronson for the Griggs estate and Fulton & Gowran. The action is brought to compel the city to vacate Water street, between the Maine and Harm & Oeschger saloon in East Grand Forks. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sullivan, Judge and Mike Sullivan Mayor Dunlevy and others are present with the attorneys in the case.

At the conclusion of the testimony the case was put over to the June term of court expecting to get the testimony of Ex-Mayor Brandt and G. R. Jacobi the latter being in California.

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PRIZE VALLEY FAT CATTLE

ED ERICKSON BUYS FULL CARLOAD FROM C. O. CARLSON OF ERSKINE

AS FINE BEEF CATTLE AS WERE EVER SHIPPED INTO CROOKSTON

From Tuesday's Daily—

Ed Erickson has returned from Erskine where he purchased a full carload of high grade fat heifers, as pretty a lot of [illegible] cattle as he ever saw. They are [illegible] s and were among those which [illegible] on, one of the most successful [illegible] in the Red River Valley did no[illegible] keep as milkers.

What pleased Mr. Erick[illegible] tly was the splendid conditions [illegible] animals were in, fat as butter and sleek as seals. He says such beef cannot be beat by any packing house meat shipped in, whether it be from corn fed cattle or any other class of stock.

This shows that beef cattle, and the finished product can be put on the market here as well as anywhere else. It is such beef that brings top prices and gives the producer good returns for his labor and investment.

The stock will arrive Wednesday night.

CROOKSTON HAS A ROOSEVELT

ARTHUR EGLEY IN CLASS WITH MIGHTY AFRICAN JUNGLE HUNTERS

In peaceful Crookston there lives a man who while not disposed to boast of his prowess as a big game hunter, would completely over-shadow the mighty prowess shown by the members of the Roosevelt party in the African jungles whose stunts have filled columns of the great dailies of the world for several weeks past.

Last evening while enroute home from the picture shows, Sir Arthur Egley who juggles whole page ads for patrons of the Times was attacked by a fierce pocket gopher. The ugly brute bit at his panties viciously and Sir Arthur, unarmed and alone gave battle. He had no weapons but his No. 11's but he planted a 900 pound kick in the solar plexus of the gopher and with a few convulsive quivers the brute made its debut in gopher heaven or the other place.

Sir Arthur carried the carcass home triumphantly and today it is on exhibition in the counting rooms of the Times. It will be mounted and forwarded to the Smithsonian Institute, at Washington, and the Sauer Kraut Club will at once apply to the Carnegie Hero fund commission for a medal for bravery for Sir Arthur.

CANADIANS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC

EAGLES WANT TO COME TO CROOKSTON JULY 5TH—COMMITTEE RETURNS

Last evening Will Marrotte and Bennie Moe, who went to Winnipeg to confer with the Eagles regarding the proposed excursion to this city July 5th, returned home, Jack Walsh and Alex Thompson leaving for a trip to Warroad and other points. The delegation from here conferred with hte president of the Winnipeg Eagles and a committee and all were enthusiastic over the proposed trip to Crookston.

All were enthusiastic and are desirous of coming. Elks and Knights of Pythias, headed by Jos. Robert and Billy O'Connor both of whom belong to the Elks Lodge here, will come and the only question is the securing of a low rate. The Canadian Northern will give a rate of one fare for the round trip as far as the border but thus far the Great Northern has refused to give any reduction from the border down.

The Commercial Club of Crookston should get busy at once and see if some reduction could not be secured at least so that a round trip ticket to Crokston should be secured for an even $5. If such a rate can be secured a crowd of from 1000 to 1500 can be banked on.

SOME RECORD PRICES FOR VALLEY LANDS

RECENT SALES SHOW THAT THE PRICE OF RED RIVER VALLEY SOIL IS BEGINNING TO APPROACH ITS REAL VALUE—SEVERAL FARMS SOLD FOR SPOT CASH AT PRICES RANGING FROM $60 TO $110 PER ACRE—GENERAL OPINION THAT LAND WILL NEVER AGAIN SELL AS CHEAP AS AT THE PRESENT TIME IN THIS SECTION

From Tuesday's Daily—

For some time past there has been a slow but steady stiffening in the price of Red River Valley Lands. A great deal of land that had been on the market has been withdrawn gradually, and instead of offering their land for sale, many farmers have not only withdrawn their lands from the market but are buying more. The consensus of opinion is that Red River Valley lands will never again be as cheap as they are today.

In support of this there are a number of recent transfers in Polk and Marshall counties. Ben Koch a well known dealer in Valley lands from Peoria, Ill., has just sold the Jerry Enright farm consisting of a full section of land near East Grand Forks for $110 per acre.

The Chris Coulter farm near Mallory has been sold to an Iowa man for $60 per acre, all spot cash.

Not long ago L. Lamberson the Warren banker, sold his farm a full section for $73.80 per acre an even $50,000. This was a well developed farm with commodious barns and other buildings.

Such sales 10 years were hardly dreamed of, and while the prices received are far above the average, and the farms in better shape than the average farm, the soil is not one whit better than the average, better development and cultivation being alone responsible for the good prices obtained.

Jerome W. Wheeler, president of the First National Bank of Crookston an institution heavily interested in Valley lands, is advancing the price on all the bank's holdings and in an interview yesterday said:

"Never before was the outlook so good in the Red River Valley. The farmers have awakened to the meaning and necessity of soil conservation. They have learned that something must be put back into the soil when so much is taken out. The result is that within a very few years the farm that have not been cultivated as they should have been in the past will be brought up to a high state of cultivation. This class of farms can be sold for a big price. We have the soil and with the cultivation such as is given Illinois and Iowa lands worth from $100 to $150 and $200 per acre will produce just as much or more. Valley lands will never be as cheap as they are today."

And this is the sentiment of not the few, but the many. The glowing prospects and ideal conditions for a big crop the present season will add to the tendency towards increased prices. Another strong factor tending towards an increase in land values is the fact that land which has not been under cultivation for several years owing to its having been held by speculators coupled with the fact that the seasons have not been favorable owing to too much rainfall and insufficient drainage, is being cropped this year, having been summer fallowed last year. This makes the entire Red River Valley appear to better advantage than for several years past.

DOG SURPLUS A BAD ASSET

CAPT. M. R. BROWN SAYS AS A RULE THEY INDICATE LACK OF PROSPERITY

IN CITY WHERE THEY ARE AS NUMEROUS AS IN THIS CITY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Capt. Brown wants to see Crookston rid of its surplus of dogs. He wants every one in Crookston to assist the Dog Catcher Welch to increase the population of dog heaven. Capt. Brown in giving his reasons said to the Journal:

"In my travels I have noted that in every live, progressive and prosperous city and town, dogs were very scarce On the other hand places over ridden by dogs are as a rule dull, unprogressive and lacking in prosperity.

"If a stranger should visit Crookston and judge the city's prosperity on the dog basis, the conclusion would be arrived at at once that mighty little business was being done here.

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"In addition to this, however, dogs running about are a real nuisance. If they remained on the property of their owner it would not be so bad, but they do not. The person without a dog is just as apt to have his flower beds and lawns scratched up as any one else. In addition they are filthy brutes to have running at large and damage flower pots, bushes and anything else left out of doors.

"I think it high time that a war of extermination be waged against the useless curs that infest this city. The owners of valuable dogs should keep them in kennels or chained up on their own property. If they need exercise the owners can give it to them in a manner to avoid annoying other property owners who want ice lawns and flower beds. The dog catcher should prosecute his work vigorously and every unlicensed dog should be done away with and those that are licensed should be taken care of by the owners."

THREE FINGERS CRUSHED OFF

ANDREW OLSON THE VICTIM OF A MOST PAINFUL ACCIDENT AT SAWMILL

GLOVE CAUGHT IN GANG FEED ROLLER STRIPPING NAILS AND FLESH FROM HANDS

From Monday's Daily—

On Saturday Andrew Olson a gang sawyer at the Crookston Sawmill caught his glove in the feed roller leading to the saw and lost three fingers, the nails and flesh being pulled from the bones with the glove.

Had his hand been drawn in straight the accident might have been much worse but his fingers were caught cornerwise and his arm was not drawn in.

The bones were amputated above the second joint. While the accident is a most painful one leaving a badly crippled hand and enforcing a lay-off of two or three months, it might have been fatal had Mr. Olson's arm been drawn in as it would have torn his arm off completely and possibly drawn in his entire body which would have meant instant death.

DIED SUDDENLY IN MINNEAPOLIS

REMAINS OF MISS JOSEPHINE TORBERSON WILL BE BURIED HERE TOMORROW

The funeral services over the remains of Miss Josephine Torberson will be held from the United Norwegian Lutheran church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. T. Ove officiating. Miss Torberson died suddenly Saturday morning at Minneapolis where she had been employed for some time past. She was operated on for appendicitis and was recovering nicely but was too ambitious and left her bed before she was entirely recovered, intestinal obstruction developed and peritonitis set in causing her death.

Her mother left Friday evening last for her bedside and arrived just in time to see her daughter alive. The family resides at 824 Front street, Crookston. Many friends feel deeply for the sad affliction which has come upon the relatives.

LAYING OF CORNERSTONE

SUGGESTED BY MEMBERS OF THE YOUNG MEN'S JOHNSON CLUB THAT CEREMONIES

OF FITTING CHARACTER MAKE CORNER STONE LAYING OF FEDERAL BUILDING

From Tuesday's Daily—

The Young Men's Johnson Club has started a movement for elaborate public ceremonies at the laying of the corner stone of the new federal building here. The date cannot be set for some time to come but plans will be completed for a fitting celebration and it will probably take place during the Northwestern Firemen's Tournament in this city the first week in July.

Several business men who had the subject broached to them were very favorably disposed towards the project. A band concert followed by an address by some good speaker and short remarks by local speakers has been proposed and the arrangements will without doubt crystalize into some definite action in a very short time.

CONVICTED OF P. O. ROBBERY

ANDREW HENDELL SENTENCED TO 15 MONTHS FOR ROBBING STRATHCONA P. O.

The case against Andrew Hendell charged with burglarizing the post office at Strathcona was tried in the United States court at Fergus Falls yesterday and the jury brought in a verdict of guilty. Judge Morris immediately sentenced him to one year and three months in the government prison at Leavenworth, Kans.

The evidence against Hendell was entirely circumstantial. Testimony was introduced to show that he had over $100 worth of stamps shortly after the robbery, but he denied this and his children came onto the stand and testified that he had been at home at the time the postoffice was burglarized. The children were all small and their testimony would have carried a good deal of weight with the average jury.

It appeared howeevr, that Hendell had served two previous sentences for post office burglaries and the jury doubtless took this fact into consideration in returning a verdict of guilty. The case was the last of the term and court closed Saturday evening.

N. P. TIME TO BE CUT 17 HOURS

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD INAUGURATES CHANGE IN SCHEDULES MAY 23

According to reports received here the Northern Pacific railroad will inaugurate its improved service from the coast to Chicago on May 23, at which time the North Coast limited will run thru from Portland to Chicago on a schedule which will reduce the previous time by 17 hours.

Other changes will be the two trans-continental trains running from Portland to St. Paul. A daily trascontinental train will also be run from Portland to Kansas City and St. Louis to make faster time than any of the other transcontinental trains now running.

The Great Northern also annouces that the Oriental Limited would run from Tacoma to Chicago, via the Burlington roadbed in 72 hours. The Fast Mail it is also reported will make a 70 hour run from Tacoma to St. Paul.

Journal want ads bring results

FAMILY IN DIRE STRAITS

DISTRESSING TALES IN HOME OF JOS. RITKO OF SOUTH CROOKSTON

TWO CHILDREN DEAD OF SCARLET FEVER — FAMILY WITHOUT NECESSITIES

From Monday's Daily—

A pitiable condition of affairs has come to light in the family of Jos. Ritko of South Crookston. Last Wednesday Wesley aged 6 died of scarlet fever and Friday night John aged 11 died of the same ailment. The little baby a few months old is now critically ill, and there are three other children who show symptoms.

Saturday it was discovered that the family had nothing in the house to eat. Neighbors at once attended to the immediate wants and Poor Commissioner Sargent was notified by G. S. Chesterman Saturday.

Mr. Ritko is a laborer on the railroad and an honest hard-working man but has been idle for the past three months and now is in quarantine and will be kept there for some time.

With his wife he protested against having the little ones buried by the city, and will pay Mr. Chesterman

Should Raise a Purse

This is a case where the charitable people of Crookston should take immediate action. The Journal has taken the initiative and secured the consent of Rev. T. T. Ove to accept all contributions and turn the money over to the family. More than enough should be raised to pay the funeral of the two children who have passed away. It will not be given to the Ritko family as objects of charity but rather as a good will offering from generous people who have an abundance to an unfortunate fellow beings who are in distress.

Those who do not see Rev. Ove may leave their contributions with the Cashier in the Journal office, and a list of the contributors will be published in both local papers unless any one should desire to have their names withheld, in which case the contribution will be credited to "friend", "citizen" or any other name desired.

The response should be prompt and a small amount from each individual will make up a sufficient sum within 24 hours.

The Journal office force starts the list off with $2.

BEDE TO SPEAK TO THIEF RIVER SENIORS

THIEF RIVER WILL GRADUATE ITS LARGEST HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

The senior class of the Thief River Falls high school has secured J. Adam Bede to deliver the commencement address on the evening of Friday, May 28. The class is the largest in the history of the school. The class day program will be presented by the graduates on the evening preceding the commencement exercises. The following comprise the graduating class: Volka Evenson, Blanche Chittick, Marie Gilbertson, Avis Akre, Henry Chittick, Inga Hallan, Ralph Douglas, Leslie Brady, Stafford Curran; James Curran, Odin Brudie, Frank Kratka, Charles Erickson and Harry Prichard.

County Superintendent Anderson of Red Lake County, has arranged for the annual meeting of the school officers of Red Lake county to be held in Thief River Falls on May 28. It is expected there will be an attendance of at least three hundred.

PIONEER DENTIST GOES TO CANADA

Dr. Henault who has been located at Fosston for the last few years, but who was one of the pioneer dentists of the Northwest having been located at Crokston in the early days, left for Napanee, Ontario Sunday night. He had been staying in Crookston for the past few weeks under a doctor's care, his health being very poor. He will remain with relatives in Ontario for some time in the hope of regaining his health. He has many friends throout this section who will hope for a speedy recovery.

STATE S. S. CONVENTION PROVED GRAND SUCCESS

FINAL MEETINGS WERE HELD LAST EVENING IN M. E. AND BAPTIST CHURCHES—PROMINENT LEADERS IN THE STATE WERE ENTHUSIASTIC IN THEIR PRAISE OF THE RECEPTION OF DELEGATES AND COURTESIES EXTENDED BY PEOPLE OF CROOKSTON—CENTRAL COMMITTEE AUDITS BILLS AND FUNDS ARE AMPLE TO MEET ALL REQUIREMENTS

From Friday's Daily—

The Fifty-First Annual Convention of the Minnesota Sunday School Association has passed.

Its story has been told, its history written and in many respects the unanimous sentiment places it in the forefront of all former conventions. Its ethusiasm, its inspiration, its liberality was marked and much in advance of the average and there is absolutely no question but that it has left its imprint upon the moral fibre of this community and its beneficial effects will be apparent thruout the future in many sections of northwestern and northern Minnesota.

Crookston is Praised

It appeared a difficult matter for those who were most immediately connected with the life of the convention to speak final words which brought the program to a close and every opportunity which was offered was taken advantage of to express the convention's appreciation of Crookston's hospitality and courtesy. General Secretary A. M. Locker appeared before the central committee in whose hands were the plans and arrangements for the convention, and in the warmest possible manner he thanked the people of Crookston thru the committee for its hospitality and entertainment.

"In behalf of the Minnesota Sunday School Association I wish to publicly member of the Association for the hos express the appreciation of every pitality and courtesies extended us." said Mr. Locker. "In many respects the Crookston convention will be always regarded as one of the most successful meetings the asociation has ever held. In point of enthusiasm, in numbers, in inspiration, inliberality, a record has been established during the past three days which will ever be remembered by the association and every officer. The hospitality of your people has been warm and every delegate has felt that he was in the care of a real and true friend.

Association out of Debt

The Crookston convention of 1909 will be remembered by the association as the one in which the organization was placed on a solid and substantial financial basis.

Treasurer A. C. Herman, of St. Paul is most enthusiastic in regard to this phase of the convention's success and he made the following statement:

"Never has a convention of the association responded so liberally and freely to the financial interests of the association as the Crookston convention. The manner in which the financial needs has been taken care of is a source of great gratification upon and northwestern Minnesota have the part of the officers. Crookston done themselves proud with the respone that they have made to our needs and a record has been established which will not be excelled in some years.

Auditing Committee Reports

Just before the adjournment of the convention the auditing committee went over the records and books of the treasurer checked up his accounts and then submitted the following report to the convention:

Crookston, Minn,
May 6. 1909.

Report of Auditing Committee:

Your committee appointed to audit the books of the Treasurer of our Association beg leave to submit the following report:

We find the books and accounts of the Association are neatly and properly kept for which our Treasurer should be highly commended.

The proer vouchers and bills were found for all disbursements made and the balance of cash on hand and in the bank was found to be $581.81 corresponding with said accounts.

Respectfully submitted,
R. W. McLeod,
Geo. H. Wright,
W. L. Vannet,

The Closing Sessions

In point of attendance and devout enthusiasm the twin meetings held last evening in the Methodist ad Baptist churches exceeded all previous meetings an dserved as a fitting climax to the three days' sessions of the convention.

The music in both churches was excellent and all who atended the convention expressed themselves most enthusiastically in appreciation of the services of the choirs and their efficient leaders, Prof. J. H. Powers and Rev. T. T. Ove.

Service at Baptist church

Rev. S. M. Dick, of Minneapolis, delivered the address at the Baptist church. He is a pulpit orator of great force and ability and his subject "The Spirit of Organized Sunday School Work," offered him an opportunity to display his talents to best effect.

At the Methodist Church

International Secretary W. C. Pearce, was the rincipal speaker at the Methodist church and he confined himself to the same topic as Rev. Dick. Having been conected with Sunday School work for many years and being acknowledged as the leader of such work in the United States what he had to say was received as authority.

Tribute to Secretary

After a large number of short, sentence prayers had been uttered and just previous to the farewell hymn called Secretary Locker to the front and benediction, Secretary Pearce of the platform and then, in a loving manner told the convention how much the success of the orgaization depended upon the ability, the consecration and the devotion of Secretary Locker. The convention testified its approval by rising and giving the Chautauqua salute. Mr. Locker responded in a few words and then thanks were given to the choir to the people of Crookston to all who had in any way contributed to the success of the convention, and finally the audience expressed its appreciation of the work done by Mr. Pearce.

The farewell hymn was then sung and the benediction pronounced and the Fifty-first annual convention adjourned.

Teacher Training Department

After the regular services yesterday afternoon the Teacher Training Department held a conference in the Methodist church at which E. W. Young of St. Paul presided.

The program included a large number of discussions in which Rev. S. S. Cook, of St. Paul; Mrs. V. D. Turner, of St. Paul, Mrs. R. H. Passmore, of Minneapolis; Rev. C. A. Arnold of St. Paul and Mrs. A. F. Miller, of Winona, took prominent parts. The discussions were of the greatest interest thruout.

Miss Emery's Report

Miss Louise A. Emery superintendent of the department, and whose ability and energy have been responsible for the success attained by the department conducted a question box and this proved of great interest and helpfulness. Miss Emery has decided to not accept a reappointment as superintendent a fact which is greatly worker.

Alumni's Reception and Banquet

The fourth annual reception and School Teacher Training Alumni Association was an event which will live long in memory. It was held in the Congregational church from 5 to 8 o'clock and over one hundred members and invited guests participated in the function. From 5 to 6 o'clock a pleasant reception was held in the church parlor.

Promptly at 6 o'clock the dining rooms in the basement of the church were thrown open and a most beautiful and attractive appearance they made. The flowers an dother decorations were beautiful and had been arranged by hands which knew the possibilities of their beauty. Every seat which had been repared was filled and after the Doxology was sung the members and their guests enjoyed the following delightful menu:

Menu

Frigit Macedoine
Veal Loaf
Scalloped Potatoes Green Peas
Buttered Rolls
Sherbet
Fruit Salad
Nut Bread Sandwiches
Ice Cream Cake
Coffee

At the termination of the banquet Mrs. A. A. Miller president of the association who acted as toastmistress, expressed the appreciation of the local members of the association for the attendance and interest of the visiting members and at once introduced the following program:

Invocation .. .. .. Rev. F. M. McCoy
Roll Call by Counties .... Miss L. A. Emery
Flute Duet.... ....N. A. Thorson O. W. Peterson
Encouragement .. Mr. W. C. Pearce
Solo ... ...O. W. Peterson
How to Gain Recruits .. A. M. Locker
Music .... Michelson's Orchestra

Services were Appreciated

Before the program had been concluded Miss Mildred Longfellow of Minneapolis was introduced and in a few words of deep feeling she expressed the love and regard which every member of the association felt towards Miss Louise A. Emery superintendent of the teacher training department of the association.

Secretary Pearce added a few words of appreciation of Miss Emery's work and then the delightful function adjourned to attend the evening meetings.

Next Convention City

The location of the next convention was not decided before adjournment but it is the prevailing opinion that it will be either in Winona or Mankato. This will be decided by the executive committee at a later date.

Central Committee Meets

The central committee, which had full charge of the plans and arrangements for the late convention, held a meeting in Chairman Misner's office yesterday afteroon for the purpose ot ordering paid all bills contracted by the different committees.

The committee checked up all bills against it and they were ordered paid by the treasurer J. W. Wheeler. There will be a small balance left in the treasury.

From Thursday's Daily

The final day of the Sunday School convention was marked with great enthusiasm and notwithstanding that almost every minute has been taken up for the past forty-eight hours with sessions of the convention the delegates appeared just as much interested and eager to take advantage of the opportunities offered as at the opening session and participated in the program with as much zest.

Special Resolution Passed

Just before the close of yesterday afternoon's session Rev. Arthur H. Wurtele, dean of the Episcopal diocese of Duluth called attention to the Turkish massacres in which thousands of Armenians had been ruthlessly murdered.

Last evening Secretary A. M. Locker forwarded the telegram containing the resolution to the president.

Greetings to Montano

During yesterday afternoon's session a telegram was received from the Montana state convention as follows:

Montana Association in enthusiastic convention assembled sends greetings. Psolm 125 and second verse is our confidence.

The officers of the Minnesota Association responded at once with the following telegram:

Minnesota Sunday School Association in convention assembled sends greetings. 2nd Timothy 2 and 15.

This Morning's Session

An exceedingly interesting devotional period marked the opening of this morning's session after which many prayers and testimonials were given by workers from all sections of the state.

Secretary A. M. Locker conducted an interesting round table discussion in which many participated, after which an excellent address by Mrs. S. P. Johnson, of Rugby, N. D., entitled "Child Nature" was given.

One of the most interesting papers of the convention was next on the program and was given by Mrs. H. G. Harrison, of Minneapolis, her subject being "Practical Missionary Study in the Sunday School."

Superintendents' Session

At this portion of the program the Sunday School superintendents took charge of Dr. H. C. Boise, of Windom, took charge of a round table at which twenty-five questions were considered Many superintendents participated in the discussion and the resulting debate was of great interest and practical value.

Dr. George R. Merrill, of Minneapolis closed the morning session with "The Hour with the Book—A Message from Experience, from Hosea."

Afternoon's Session

The program this afternoon was one of the greatest interest thruout, the delegates attending in large numbers and taking the most careful participation in each address or discussion which came before the session.

"Adult Bible Class Organization, Advantages and Essentials," was the topic of a talk by International Secretary W. C. Pearce, of Chicago and he presided at a round table discussion. "Recognition of Teacher Training Graduates" was the subject of an address by Miss Louise A. Emery, and a general discussion, lead by Mrs. A. F. Miller, of Winona, on the subject "How Can Our Counties Reach Point 10!" followed.

All that remains of the program for the three days is the conference of the teachers' training department, the Alumni Association banquet and the twin meetings in the churches this evening and then the curtain will be rung down on one of the most successful coventions ever held by the Minnesota Sunday School Association.

A DISTRCT ORGANIZATION

IS BEING FORMED BY THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETIES OF THIS SECTION

ENTHUSIASTIC CONVENTION IS BEING HELD IN THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

From Friday's Daily—

Representatives of many counties which form the Crookston district for the Christian Endeavor organization are in session today at the Congregational church and was characterized by great enthusiasm and energy.

The convention was called by the state organization for the purpose of forming a district organization composed of ten counties, Kittson, Marshall, Roseau, Beltrami, Koochiching Red Lake, Polk, Norman and Clearwater. This will be known as the Crookston district.

The session was called to order this morning by Secretary W. D. Howell an dhe explained the form of organization of the state society. He also showed why the district organizations helped greatly in the work, and the need of such an organization in this section. S. B. Pilnney of Stephen also spoke and encouraged the district organization.

Have a Number of Societies

During this morning's session it was ascertained that at least twenty-five Christian Endeavor societies were in existence in the district. Itwas felt that this number, if enrolled in a district organization, would expand and grow until the Crorokston district became one of the leading organizations of the state.

Decide to Organize

After the project had been discussed at considerable length it was decided that immediate steps should be taken towards the organization of the district. The chair named the following committee to draft by-laws and a constitution, also nominate the first officers: Mrs. Lucy Chapin, of Euclid; Rev. J. C. Mapson, of Tenstrike; Miss Nellie Knott of Bemidji; Miss Ethel Bourdon, of Red Lake Falls; Clifford Frazer of Crookston and Mr. Howell. This committee will report this afternoon.

Juniors Render Program

The Junior Society of Christian Endeavor of the local Presbyterian church rendered a most acceptable and able program this afternoon.

This Evening's Program

A large meeting is scheduled to take place this evening at 8 o'clock in the Congregational church and the general public is invited to participate in the session.

Following is the program in part:

8:00 o'clock — Devotional Service, Address—S. B. Pinney of Stephen.

Solo — Miss Meda Chesterman, of Crookston.

Address—Walter D. Howell, state field secretary.

Installation of district officers.

PROMINENT ADA RESIDENT DEAD

Samuel B. Craggin one of the prominent citizens and early settlers of Ada died at his home in that city Sunday morning at two o'clock. Mr. Cragin had been in poor health for some time but had been confined to his bed only a few days. About two o'clock Sunday morning he began to fail rapidly and expired within a few minutes before his grandson Dr. W. H. Corson with whom he was living could reach his bedside.

Samuel B. Cragin was born at North Anson, Maine, June 30th, 1828, and was nearly 81 years of age at the time of his death. In 1849 he was married to Abbie Williams, from which union there were eight children. He went to Ada with his family in 1882. Mr. Cragin was a man of high character and upright morals; a good man in all that the term implies. He was prominent in local affairs and served as mayor of Ada three times. Upright in his dealings, generous and thoughtful of others he enjoyed the respect of all. The funeral occurred at Ada Tuesday.

Seeding time is now at hand and it behooves every patron of the creamery to reserve a portion of his land for fodder corn for cow feed next winter. The big shrinkage that has been noticed in the milk flow with the drying up of the grass every season can be largely lessened with great profit to the dairyman if he will act on this suggestion.

JONES WILL BE IN JAIL SOON

GOVERNMENT CLOSE ON TRAIL OF MISSING PRESIDENT OF RUGBY BANK

GRAND JURY IN SESSION AT FARGO IS SAID TO HAVE INDICTED HIM

From Thursday's Daily—

Marshal James Shea, of Fargo has been very busy since the grand jury assembled in Fargo and it is surmised that there will be some sensational arrests made before long. While the marshal declined to discuss matters it is pretty well known that Andy Jones the missing president of the Rugby National bank is one of those indicted. It is expected that he will be in custody within a few days.

It is stated that the government is well posted as to the present whereabouts of Jones. He would have been arrested long ago had it not been that no indictment had been returned against him and so nothing could be done.

After leaving Rugby Jones spent two weeks in Minneapolis and he was seen there by a North Dakota man. Jones was stopping at the National hotel and had been enjoying life. He spent his money freely for champagne.

VISITORS PLEASED WITH FINE MUSIC

JUVENILE BAND SERENADES CONVENTION VISITORS WITH FINE OUTDOOR CONCERT

Shortly after 7 o'clock the Juvenile band under the leadership of G. Oliver Riggs, marched to a point between the Methodist and Baptist churches last evening and for half hour played a number of selections which were roundly applauded by the delegates and visitors. The work of the band was excellent in every particular and there is no question but that all were more than pleased with the honor shown them by the action of the boys.

The courtesy was spontaneous and the city is under great obligations to Director Riggs and the members of the band for adding so materially to the entertainment of the city's guests. On every hand surprise was expressed at the excellent appearance made by the band and the ability displayed by the young musicians.

HORSE CASE IS KNOTTY PROBLEM

It's an open question whether under the latest code of morals horse stealing isn't an approved art and possibly an improvement over other methods of acquiring posssession of equines. It appears also to be an open question whether a man whose horse is stolen can gain possession thereof again, even if he should be so fortunate as to locate the animal and be able to make a complete identification.

The municipal court at East Grand Forks was occupied nearly all day yesterday with the replevin case of William Boulger of McVille, N. D., vs John Davidson a farmer living in northwestern Polk county. The case was tried before a jury, G. A. E. Finlayson and J. J. Sampson, of Lakota, appeared for the plaintiff and F. C. Massee for the defendant. It appeared from the evidence that the plaintiff in November last rented a horse and buggy to one James Murphy for use in traveling over the country selling patent medicines or other "dopes." The charge for the use of the rig was to have been $1.50 a day. In March last Murphy appeared here with the rig and disposed of the outfit to James McDonald a well known hack driver for $100. A little later McDonald disposed of the rig to Davidson, the defendant in the case, exchanging the horse for livestock valued at $145. About this time Boulger located the horse in the possession of Davidson and brought the present action in replevin to recover the rig or its value. He demands from McDonald $160 as the value of the horse and $75 as damages. A second action is against Mc Donald to recover the value of the buggy and harness. It was stipulated by the attorneys and defendants that the judgment in the second case should follow that in the case tried yesterday. Murphy, the peddler, is supposed to have gone to Canada immediately after disposing of the rig.

The case was given to the jury at 3 o'clock, but after wrestling with the question until 10 o'clock last night the jury could not agree on a verdict and Judge Sullivan ordered the jurors locked up over night and they are still wrestling for a verdict.

PLAN FOR THE FALL MEETING

C. E. DISTRICT CONVENTION YESTERDAY ORGANIZED A COUNTY UNION

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED—VERY INTERESTING ADDRESSES WERE MADE

From Saturday's Daily—

Yesterday's C. E. convention was of special interest and importance.

Delegates were present from all quarters of this northwestern part of the state with some from adjoining districts. The aim was organization of a district union to conform to the system followed in the rest of the state. Nine counties are concerned, namely Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Beltrami, Polk, Red Lake, Norman, Mahnomen and Clearwater. Representatives of at least six of these counties were in the convention. Field Secretary W. D. Howell of St. Paul presided with usual ability. Free discussion of the proposition was had and the unanimous approval of the plan was voiced.

A constitution was adopted and the following officers chosen:

President—S. B. Pinney of Stephen

Vice President—C. C. Warner of Crookston.

Secretary—Miss Nellie Knott, Bemidji.

Treasurer—Mr. Morris, Tenstrike.

It is proposed to hold a district convention in the early fall when the entire district may be more fully represented and the new organization established on a distinctly working basis. The place of meeting has not been decided but will very likely be Crookston, the logical "convention city" of this region.

Yesterday's program included practical conferences led by Mr. Howell addresses by Rev. Mapson of Tenstrike, President Pinney of Stephen, Rev. C. C. Warner of Crookston and best of all "The Endeavor that Pays" by Mr. Howell. This last was a real treat and the people that stayed at home last evening missed a rare opportunity.

The music from Gospel songs was supplemented by two solos, "Callest Thou Thus O Master" by Mrs. Warner and "The Day is Ended" by Miss Meda Chesterman. The accompanist was Miss Lancaster. These numbers elicited many appreciative compliments.

The visitors freely expressed their pleasure in the cordial hospitality of Crookston and they will no doubt be the more ready to respond to later calls for convention duty, and privilege among us.

IRON ORE IN CLEARWATER

LAND OWNERS CHARY OF SELLING UNTIL GROUND IS WELL PROSPECTED

There is further excitement in the southern part of Clearwater county over the recent strikes of iron ore. Two borings were made near Mallard recently and it is said pay ore was found on a place belonging to Harry Sinker. Land owners have either taken their holdings from the market or will only sell on condition that the mineral rights are reserved.

G. N. TOWNSITE MAN IN CITY

A. A. WHITE SAYS DEMAND FOR REAL ESTATE IS PICKING UP AT PRESENT

A. A. White, the Great Northern Townsite man is spending the day in the city being on his return from a western trip. He says that at Kalispel, Montana, in April his company sold $21,000 worth of lots there and in March $11,00 worth. All thru the west, he states, business is beginning to boom and in this section the outlook is very bright, the best in recent years. Mr. White will leave this evening for Bagley and from there goes to Little Fork and other points in that section.

Mr. White is a veteran in the townsite business and is known from one end of the Great Northern System to the other and has a host of friends in every city village and hamlet where he has done business.

Never judge an argument by its sound; it may be all sound or not sound at all.

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

MOVES FAMILY HERE — Martin Flom the popular "mixologist" at the Mint, has moved his family to this city from McIntosh and they are now nicely domiciled on east Robert street in Jeromes addition.

HAZELTINE BUILDS—The permit issued several days ago to E. W. Hazeltine at Grand Forks for a residence on Vernon avenue in that city, has been increased from $800 to $1,800. Th second permit was secured Tuesday.

EDITOR TUNHEIM WILL SPEAK—Mr. S. Tunheim, editor of Bud og Hilsen will have a meeting tonight at the Swedish Mission church in Sampson addition beginning at 8 o'clock. All are heartily ivited. The Scandinavian language will be used.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL—Charles Lapsky a well known farmer northwest of the city is at St. Vincent hospital where he is being treated for heart trouble. He is improving and it is believed he will recover in a short time. He recently returned from a trip west which proved too strenuous for him. He caught a severe cold and the trouble seemed to center in his heart.

FINE NEW AUTO — C. M. Graves the popular traveling man, received a new automobile yesterday, that will be a source of much enjoyment to the family the coming summer. His son, Lorne, will be the chaffeur. Mr. Graves will find good use for the machine in making trips to the surrounding towns calling on his trade.

REV BECKSTROM HAS LEFT—Rev. J. M. Beckstrom, of Landa, N. D., who has so ably assisted in conducting the special meetings at the Scandinavian M. E. church for the past week or so, left Crookston this morning for his charge in North Dakota. Rev. Beckstrom has proved himself a very able and convincing speaker and the service this evening, at which he will preach, will undoubtedly be largely attended. Last evening Rev. F. L. Trelstad, of Superior, Wis., preached to a good sized congregation. Next week the meetings will be continued, when Rev. H. O. Jacobsen, of Hillsboro, N. D., will be here to assist the local pastor.

At Helena, Mont., yesterday the state pardon board postponed action on the pardon recommended for Harry J. Keeley the Missoula dispatcher, former resident of Grand Forks, who is serving a sentence of eight months on a charge of involuntary manslaughter. The pardon board will probably dispose of the matter today. It is believed Keeley will be given his liberty. He has served four months of his sentence.

The following sensational story is taken from the Fargo Forum. The person spoken of is not known to be or ever to have been a resident of this city.

"One of the most indignant of prisoners in the Moorhead police court today was Jeanette Byron a gorgeously dressed blonde young person from Crookston. She was arrested for being drunk and disorderly last night. Her indignation was aroused to the highest pitch because when she was placed in the woman's department, she found it occupied by a young colored woman. The latter occupied the only couch in the cell, and which was large enough for two. Miss Byron sat up all night, seated as close to the cell door as possible. She paid the fine imposed, but was held as a witness at the instance of the city attorney, who says he cannot show his hand just yet, but may before the day is out At the close of court the city attorney had a long conference with the woman."

What the Traveler May Wear

When one is touring, the smart two piece tailored suit of dark-colored linen or pongee worn with separate blouses is practically the only answer to the old problem, how to be clean comfortable and good-looking in hotels and railroad coaches. The crepon waist altho not particularly new, that can be washed out in one's room at bedtime and be worn fresh and immaculate at breakfast will prove a godsend this summer to the woman who has to live more or less in a suit-case on the short side trips and expeditions when her boxes and heavier luggage are an uncertain commodity.—The Delineator for June.

Voters Will Have a Say

The Red Lake Falls Gazette announces that it is going to take a hand in the legislative fight in the Marshall-Roseau-Kittson district and that Donald Robertson is to be retired. The voters up there may have something to say about the matter.—Thief River Falls News.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

SPENT NIGHT AT FORKS— Leo Baer proprietor of the Boston Store spent the night at Grand Forks on business returning to Crookston this morning.

FATHER JAGER ELEVATED — Rev. Francis Jager formerly pastor of the church of St. Elizabeth, Minneapolis, and now of St. Boniface, Minn., has been appointed by Archbishop John Ireland to the irremovable rectorship of St. Vincent's church in St. Paul.

VISITS BEMIDJI—Bemidji Pioneer: Joseph Koelmel (just plain "Joe" is better) of Crookston was a guest at the Hotel Markham yesterday and last evening, being here as the traveling representative of a wholesale concern "Joe" was for many years the owner of a refreshment parlor in the "Queen City," and he has hosts of friends over Crookston way.

BUSY ISSUING STOCK—President J. D. Ball and Secretary Kiltz of the Co-operative Fuel and Commission Co., have been busy for the past two days issuing stock which has been sub scribed for. The company is getting in fine shape to go after the business and the stock is being disposed of in most gratifying manner.

LITTLE SON ARRIVES—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker of Concrete, N. D. are the parents of a beautiful new baby boy who made his arrival at St. Michael's hospital yesterday morning and mother and son are progressing nicely. Mr. Walker is well known in sporting circles as a baseball player of fame, and Mrs. Walker was formerly Miss Seymour, of this city.—Grand Forks Herald. Harry Walker was an old time resident of Crookston and Warren and was a crack pitcher in balmy baseball days.

A FREQUENT VISITOR — A. E. Palmer, the Grand Forks jeweler, who is interested in the land company with which Senator Works of Mankato is conected, with large holdings in this section, is a frequent visitor in Crookston these days. He reports active inquiries and many transfers.

WILL VISIT CALIFORNIA— Nels Johnson, a former well known resident of Crookston but for the past several years in charge of the Red Lake Falls Milling Company's warehouse at Thief River Falls is spending the day in the city shaking hands with old friends He leaves this evening for a five weeks' trip to California accompanied by Leonard Peterson and Lars Brink and a very pleasant trip is anticipated.

Much sorrow has been caused in Crookston and Fisher by the death of Mrs. A C. Leslie wife of Dr. Leslie which occurred at Hannaford, N. D., Tuesday night. The remains were brought to Fisher where she formerly resided, and the funeral was held this morning. Deceased was a member of Golden Rod Camp No. 789 Royal Neighbors of America of this city, and several members of the camp went to Fisher this morning to attend the services. She left Fisher about six years ago. Her parents still reside there.

Supt. Wm. Robertson left this morning for St. Vincent where today he adressed a meeting of the Kittson County Teachers' Association. There are about 60 teachers present, many of whom took part in the program. A member of the faculty of the Moorhead Normal went up this morning and delivered an address and Principal Crerar of the Emerson schools gave a very interesting address on the school system in Manitoba. For the special benefit of the visitors 'The Woodman Picnic" will be reproduced this evening by the same cast that produced it a short time ago.

The Scandia bank of Fergus Falls narrowly escaped a serious fire Wednesday evening. About 7:30 in the evening, a blaze was observed thru the window of the office, and a hasty investigation showed that some papers in the waste basket under the desk had taken fire. The flames shot up and burned thru the drawers in the desk above destroying some papers, but this was the extent of the damage done. The headway gained by the fire was not very great, and it was quickly extinguished when discovered The origin is unknown, but it was probably due to the fact that someone had thrown down a cigar stub, which had smouldered for some little time before starting the blaze.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. Sold by all druggists.

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FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

TO THIEF RIVER—J. Harry Stair better known of late as Col. Peters (smokeless) journeyed to Thief River Falls this morning where he was chaperoned by Frank Bracelin.

LOOKING AFTER FARM— G. O. Riggs left this morning for his farmstead at Angus with some special varieties of pumpkin seed which is guaranteed to produce fruit so lange that four make a full carload.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS— The Citizens State Bank of Fertile is improving the interior of their bank by decorating it with a steel ceiling and walls. The improvement is quite noticeable.

MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC AND WATER PLANT—The village council of Hawley has ordered a special election for May 20 to vote on a proposed issue of bonds for an electric light and water works plant to cost $16,000. The two propositions will be voted on separately.

ILLINOIS LAND MAN HERE — Rev. C. C. Warner enjoyed a flying visit last evening from his brother A. C. Warner of Dixon, Ill. Mr. Warner is extensively interested in North Dakota and will spend three weeks in this region looking after spring business.

CHANGES TIME—The Red Lake Falls train on the Northern Pacific will run under a new schedule after this week. The train will leave E. Grand Forks on Monday, Wednesday andFriday mornings and will run only to Fertile. Returning it will arrive in East Grand Forks at 6.45 a. m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

$4,000 PER YEAR FROM DAIRY HERD— C. O. Carlson informed us that during the past year they have received in cash from their fine dairy herd about $2,100.00 in creamery checks and that they now have about $1,900.00 worth of young stock to dispose of which will make the grand total about $4,000.00 from their herd during the year.—Erskine Echo.

MUCH SNOW IN WISCONSIN—M. V. Evenson of Thief River Falls received a letter the first of the week from a brother who resides upon a farm in central Wisconsin. The letter stated that it snowed every day during the last three days of April and that on the first day of May farmers were hauling hay to town on sleighs. Seeding will not be started in that section until about the fifteenth of May.

BROKE HIP BONE—I. L. Erickson one of the proprietors of the E. & E. Clothing Co., at Thief River Falls sustained an injury yesterday morning that will keep him confined to his bed for a few weeks. While on top of a moving stepladder which is about 8 feet high, Mr. Erickson fell to the floor and one of his hip bones was broken. He was removed to his rooms and is now getting along as nicely as could be expected under the circum-

LEAVE FOR CANADA—Ex-Deputy Sheriff James Bulman and wife of Thief River Falls passed thru Crookston yesterday enroute to Prince Albert, Canada, where they will make their future home. Mr. Bulman has purchased a farm in the province and will devote his summers to running the farm while the winters will likely be spent in company with his brothers who are interested in a vast lumber concern.

FATHER FAYOLLE REURNS — Rev. Father Fayolle has returned to Red Lake Falls from his sojourn in the south and his many friends are delighted to not a great improvement in his physical condition. He spent most of the winter in Arizona. On the return trip he went thru the Pacific coast states, stopping at several of the important cities, and at North Yakima, Wash., where he met many of the former Red Lake Falls people now living in that locality. Altogether, Father Fayolle spent a most enjoyable winter, and the rest from his clerical duties and the change in climate has resulted in the hoped for improvement .

FANS NOT ENTHUSIASTIC—Emil J. Brink returned yesterday afternoon on the Northern Pacific from a trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis and also made a long trip over his regular territory having been absent from Crookston for three weeks. He was at the opening ball game at Minneapolis when Kansas City played the Millers, the contest being witnessed by over 10,000 people. He also atended the game yesterday between Minneapolis and Toledo and says there were not 100 people present, the bad showing made by the millers having taken all the enthusiasm out of the most loyal diamond fiends.

FARM RESIDENCE BURNED — The farm residence on Edwin Peterson's place in Garfield was burned to the ground last Sunday afternoon. The house was occupied by John Black who has the place rented. Mr. Black succeeded in getting his household goods out of the burning building but not far enough away and they caught fire from the flying cinders and were completely destroyed. The house was a log one butwas in good repair and the loss is estimated at about $500 with no insurance. Mr. Black's loss on household goods will amount to several hundred dollars.

LOOKED AFTER FARMS—Editor L. E. George of the Fertile Journal is spending the day in the city enroute home from North Dakota where he has been for the past two days looking after the renting of a section and a half of land owned by his father who lives in southern Minnesota. One section is near Jamestown and the balance farther west. He says it is practically all seeded and conditions are fine. His brother, who died a month ago, had been looking after the property before, his father being 85 years of age.

HOME ENDORSEMENT

Hundreds of Crookston Citizens Can Tell You All About It

Home endorsement, the public expression of Crookston people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Crookston reader. Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterances of strangers residing in faraway places. Read the following:

R. G. Burkhardt, bookkeeper, Robert and Ash Sts., Crookston, Minn., says: "It is a pleasure for me to endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as they proved their remarkable value by removing pains of a rheumatic nature from my back and limbs. I was also greatly bothered by weak kidneys and I knew this caused the trouble. Doan's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended that I procured a box at Wallace's drug store and began using them. I improved immediately and continued taking them until the pains in my back disappeared. My present good health is due to Doan's Kidney Pills."

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THE ELEMENTARY WORKERS CONFER

REPORT OF MISS LONGFELLOW SHOWING WHAT HAD BEEN ACCOMPLISHED

In the Baptist church the department of elementary workers assembled yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock and until nearly 6 o'clock one of the most interesting sessions of the convention was in progress. The conference was presided over by Miss Grace M. Longfellow, of Minneapolis who is one of the most enthusiastic workers in the state and is exceedingly popular wherever there is a Sunday School organization.

After the devotional period Mrs. Frank Cadwell, of Minneapolis, formerly of this city, talked on "Practical Plans for the Cradle Roll" and held the attention of the large audience thruout. Her suggestions were practical and exceedingly helpful to those engaged in Sunday School work with the younger scholars. Mrs. M. P. Fletcher of Minneapolis, Miss Carrie S. Pond of St. Paul, and others participated in the excellent program which had been prepared and a most interesting discussion followed each subject.

The annual report of Miss Grace M. Longfellow, who is superintendent of the elementary grades of Sunday School work was most interesting and complete.

LATTIMER GETS OFF VERY EASY

Roy Lattimer who impersonated a postoffice inspector in the vicinity of Detroit, was sentenced to spend thirty days in jail by Judge Baxter at Fergus Falls yesterday. He secured only $2.50 fraudulently and as he has been in jail since last December the court felt thathe had already been punished to a considerable extent. Lattimer is the young man who married a young lady of Becker county on a few days acquaintance.

The grand jury finished its work and was discharged Wednesday.

The case of the LaCrosse bank to collect for certain potato digging machines is still on trial, and will be the last civil case of the term.

The criminal case against Mr. Handel and a liquor case against John Johnson an Indian, will be called for trial as soon as this trial is completed.

When the boss is away his assistant poses as a wise guy.

INDANS SUE TO RECOVER LANDS

SUPPOSED HALF-BREEDS DISCOVER AFTER SALES THAT THEY ARE FULL-BLOODED REDS

CASE NOW ON IN UNITED STATES COURT AT FERGUS FALLS

From Friday's Daily—

An interesting case has been instituted in the U. S. Court at Fergus Falls being an action entitled the United States of America, against Philip S. Converse, John Robinson and J. E. Diamond. The suit is brought to set aside an Indian land patent, and it is reported that many others of a similar character are likely to follow.

In 1886 congress passed a law to the effect that Indians and halfbreeds could secure allotments in severalty under certain conditions, but that the patents to such lands were to be held intrust by the government after their issuance to be turned over to the allotees at the expiration of a period of twenty-five years. The act provided further that any sales of such lands made by the allottees during the period should be null and void.

This law was modified by a subsequent act which went into effect in 1906, and this subsequent act permits persons of mixed Indian blood to dispose of their allotments as soon as they receive them. The twenty-five year period still holds good in the case of the full-blood Indians.

Since the new law went into effect the mixed bloods, who constitute a large proportion of the population of the White Earth and Red Lake reservations, have been securing their allatments and in many cases have disposed of them for anything they could get. Many of the farms were very valuable, but the allottees were looking for immediate enjoyment of their good fortune and were ready to sell or mortgage to get hold of some money.

In several cases the allottees who were mixed bloods when they secured and sold their allotments, have discovered they are full-blooded Indians, now that their money is gone, and as full-blooded Indians had no right to sell their lands, they are anxious to get them back, and ask that the transfers be declared null and void. This is the first suit of the kind that has been instituted, but if it proves successful it is rumored that the number of full blooded Indians will increase very rapidly from this time forth.

WERE FOODLESS FOR SIX DAYS

HOMESTEADER AND HIS WIFE AND THIRTEEN CHILDREN FOUND STARVING

Dr. Christianson of Cass Lake, who is county physician in Hubbard county, while making a trip to Laporte, passed a homestead owned by a man named Maloon. The doctor entered the cabin wherein lived the homesteader, his wife and thirteen children A horrible sight met his gaze. The entire family was confined to their beds and hardly able to move.

The father told a pitiful story. He said that for six days the whole family had not had a bite to eat. The few pennies he had were spent on the family for food. When his money was all gone his nearest neighbors, who lived several miles away, gave what they could afford but they too, were poor. The homesteader's family began to weaken until they were in an almost helpless condition.

The doctor hurriedly returned to Cass Lake, which is about twenty-five miles from the homestead. A large amount of provisions was gathered together and will be taken to the destitute family.

EMMA STARLING WON HER SUIT

The case of Max Rabinovich vs. Emma Starling an action for ejection which was recently tried before a jury in the municipal court in East Grand Forks where the property is located, resulting in a judgment for the fair defendant, was tried again yesterday before a jury in the municipal court here. Judge Gossman presiding, and again resulted in a judgment for the defendant. The premises which the plaintiff sought to obtain possession have been for some time occupied by the defendant as a sporting house.

The case of the Minneapolis Brewing company vs. Dan Sullivan is on trial in the municipal court today before Judge Gossman.

PATTEWAY MAKES ESCAPE

COLORED MAN SERVING 2½ YEARS FOR ROBBING MERCHANTS BANK

WAS A "TRUSTY" ACTING AS A COACHMAN OF WARDEN WOLFER

Allius Patteway a negro trusty convict who was coachman for Warden Wolfer, escaped from the state penitentiary at Stillwater Tuesday evening about 8 o'clock. He took the private team of the warden to the barn and then left, and he is still at large. He was received at the prison March 2 from Polk county under a sentence of two years and a half for grand larceny in the second degree for having stolen money from the Merchants Bank while acting in capacity of porter about a year ago.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING

FRANK HICKERSON ATTEMPTED TO CROSS THE RIVER ON THE ICE

Frank Hickerson a night watchman at the power house of the Beltrami Electric Light & Power company on the Mississippi river five miles east of Bemidji had a narrow escape from drowning this morning. Hickerson was walking up the bank of the river about a mile from the dam, when he started to cross on the ice to the other side. The ice was in a very unsafe condition, and when Hickerson reached the middle of the river the ice gave way beneath him and it was only by clinging to the ice with a stick which he had been carrying, that he was able to keep from being swept down the river.

Hickerson shouted again and again and as the wind happened to be blowing towards her farmhouse a half a mile away, Mrs. Albert Brewer heard the cries. Mrs. Brewer ran a half-mile to the dam and secured men, returning to the river just in time to save Hickerson who had been in the water for three hours.

The adventuresome man was almost frozen and unable to speak. He was taken to the power house and wrapped in blankets. It is thought that he will recover.—Bemidji Pioneer.

ANGUS

Mrs. J. A. Stroble and little son Arthur and Mrs. D. H. Strickler and two little daughters were visiting with Mrs. H. Osterloh.

Miss Magdalene Ehaust is nicely improving of late.

Mr. J. W. Baars took the train for Euclid last Tuesday evening to attend the R. N. A. lodge at that place.

Mrs. Peter Stuhr of Euclid is visiting for a few days in the Queen City with her daughter Miss Ruth who is attending school there.

Mrs. D. H. Miller returned from Crookston last Thursday morning via the G. N.

Mrs. J. A. Stroble took the train for Warren last Thursday morning.

The rain of last Wednesday night was a godsend to the farmers and a bumper crop may now be expected.

Field and garden work is rushed to the utmost and everybody is as busy as possible.

Mrs. Christ Nelson the veteran hostess of Hotel Nelson is enjoying a splendid patronage. Mrs. Nelson is a first rate landlady and her tables are always loaded with the best of the land.

Wonder why Euclid has not got any cream stations. They prove to be a boon to other towns.

The cream agents at Angus are kept busy handling the very best butter fat. The Angus farmers keep excellent milch cows and care for their stock in a proper way.

Divine service was held last Wednesday forenoon in the Roman Catholic church in Euclid. The Rev. Father Smiers of Crookston was the officiating clergyman and a large audience was treated to a very eloquent sermon by the Rev. Father.

Mrs. Herman Osterloh drove to Warren last Thursday afternoon.

Able to Be Around—S. P. Swedberg who has been confined at the hospital by a serious spell of illness, is again able to be out. While he was sick his business was ably taken care of by Noah Lanctot.

Some matrimonial alliances are defensive and all are expensive.

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The Red River Valley Coming Into Her Own

In the news columns of the Journal today these are two significant articles which tend to show very conclusively the general trend of conditions in the Red River Valley. It means that the new era of prosperity has dawned. The change to better farming methods has been gradual but steady, and it has been going on for years. There is room for great progress yet but a splendid start has been made.

The two articles referred to is the sale of a carload of extra fancy fat beef cattle by C. O. Carlson of Erskine to Ed Erickson, the well known local butcher and another is the sale of several farms at prices which range from $60 to $110 per acre, prices that a few years ago were unheard of.

Farm lands will never be as cheap in the Red River Valley as they are today. It is now a recognized fact that with the same high cultivation given land in Iowa, Illinois, and other older states where land has been held at from $100 to $200 per acre for years, the soil here will produce just as much and with less labor, and the net proceeds per acre will be larger also.

Diversified farming is past the experimental stage in this section. The vast majority of the farmers are engaged in the dairy and stock raising business to a greater or less extent. The necessity and value of crop rotation is recognized by all of them and the results are plainly evidena.

The farmers as a rule are running no store bills. They have money the year around and pay cash for what they want. Instead of wanting to sell their farms and locate elsewhere, their farms are not on the market and they are buying more land. Scores of those who left a few years ago during the land boom when they sold their lands at what they thought were fancy prices being a big advance over the prices of te nand 15 years ago are returning and buying back their farms at a still bigger advance.

No section of tht United States has more flattening prospects of substantial growth and development, prosperity and plenty than the Red River Valley today.

The Farce At Washington

If the vested interests of this country are back of Senator Aldrich in his fight for a sham tariff revision, as they seem to be, they are showing very short vision and very small intelligence. The only way to quiet the agitation for tariff revision is to revise the tariff in a way that will give real relief to the consumer, says the Duluth Herald. The Aldrich program will not only afford no relief whatever, but it will make conditions even worse than before. That cannot fail to give the demand for real tariff revision a new stimulus, and to add to it a vein of bitterness that will banish all hope of political and economic peace.

The Republican party pleaded, last campaign, that the friends of the tariff be permitted to revise it. They are showing, now, how they go about it, and the result will be that the people will have no further patience with revision by the friends of the tariff. They will most asuredly turn revision over to the enemies of the tariff, if enough of them can be found, and that would mean returning the patient to the operating table for a more critical operation; with attendant disturbance of business all along the line.

Real revision could be done now, if congress were free, with far less disturbance than will be possible for a long time to come. The failure to provide real revision will be doing an injury not only to the tariff-grabbing interests, but to the whole American people.

Senator Clapp of Minnesota showed that a realization of how the country looks, at it has reached Washington when he said the other day: "What we are doing now is a mere farce, mere boys' play. The greatest enemy of protection is the man who would abuse the policy because he has the power to do so."

Redwood Reveille: As almost all of our exchanges are in the southern half of the state, we looked for an almost unanimous censure of Governor Johnson for his veto of the tonnage tax. To our surprise, half of the comments are laudatory, most of the remainder ascribe to him only right motives, and only a handful burst forth in the old-fashioned withering diatribes with which the ancient partisan was wont to sjuelch his opponent.

Wisdom Of A Park System

The active interest the Women's Clubs of Crookston are manifesting in urging the necessity and desirability of a park system in this city is most commendable. Last evening for the second time a large delegation of the leading ladies of Crookston appeared before the city council urging that action be taken at once looking toward the immediate purchase of the property facing Ash Street south of the Carnegie Library to Robert St., and having it terraced and converted into a beautiful entrance to the City Park. The council committee reported in favor of issuing bonds for the purchase of the property if they could be sold at a low rate of interest and if the property could be secured at a lower figure than had been offered by the owner. There the matter was dropped.

Last evening the ladies again attended a council meeting and several of them stated their reasons for securing the needed property together with property north of the library, and pointed out the necesity of securing it at once before it was sold to private individuals who would erect buildings thereon. The ladies also had an eloquent champion of their cause in the person of Capt. M. R. Brown who presented the subject squarely before the council.

There is no question as to the wisdom of the plan advanced by the ladies to have park bonds issued in a sum adequate to purchase the desired property, and several other smaller plots in various parts of the city to be converted into beauty spots and rest places for men, women and children during the summer months.

In another column of this issue will be found a letter from President Taft in which he strongly advocates parks and playgrounds for children and believes the investment one of the best a municipality can make.

Other cities are spending thousands and millions even, according to their size on public park systems.

Buenos Ayres in South America has appropriated $6,000,000 for public park purposes. Kansas City has appropriated $4,000,000 and other progressive cities are following suit.

The Grand Forks Park board has just received $30,000 from the state of North Dakota from the sale of park bonds and in addition have a large sum annually from tax levies.

It should be remembered that property that can now be purchased for a few paltry dollars, in the years to come it will cost fortunes to secure. Never again can the property be secured for as little money as at the present time.

The sooner the property is secured, the sooner trees can be planted and improvements made to that the present generation can receive some benefit. The progressive women who have made Crookston their home for many years want to see this city keep abreast of the times. Crookston cannot afford to be lacking in the attractions that other cities have. If we pose as a residence city we must have advantages that will favorably impress the people who visit this city.

Let everyone second the movement started by the public spirited ladies of Crookston who, last evening pledged that if the property for a park entrance was purchased by the city, they would see that a band stand and other improvements were made without cost to the city.

Walker Pilot: It's a strong heal and a weak backbone that is putting the state Republican party to the bad just at present.

It's easy to convince a superstitious a horseshrlluetaoinhrdluetaoinshrdlu man that finding a dollar is luckier than finding a horseshoe.

STATE PRESS

Roseau Times: The friends of Governor Johnson claim that his veto of the tonnage tax will recommend him to the business world as a safe and sane presidential possibility. From now on Governor Johnson's press agents will endeavor to keep him in the limelight and launch his name at the next Democratic national convention as the man who can lead his party to victory. As is now stands Gov. Johnson could carry Minnesota by a handsome majority, and if congress makes a muss of the tariff bill, he would carry the state by a whooping majority as a candidate for president on any old ticket.

Walker Pilot: Haven't the old Republican sores of six years ago healed sufficiently to have us all unite for Bob Dunn for governor? Either Dunn or Dinehart could send the state Democratic barometer down to zero.

Aitkin Republican: The Republican party in the last campaign promised tariff revision downward and if the country does not get it the party will be held responsible. The people have not very much technical or hair-splitting knowledge about the tariff, but they can tell next year whether a given protected article costs as much as it does this year.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: The Adrian Democrat philosopher has discovered that it ismuch easier for a father to support ten children when they are young than it is for ten grown-up children to support one father when he is old.

Fairmont Sentinel: Governor Johnson has vetoed the bill designed to reduce the mortgage registry tax from 50 cents to 10 cents per $100. Good boy.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR
(New York Press)

What a woman adores about a romantic novel is how unreal it is.

The more you trust a man the more it scares him to be asked to trust you.

In a lot of marriages the woman imagines that she still loves, and the man that he once did.

A woman would rather have anybody assail her character than say she doesn't know how to dress.

Every once in a while a college boy turns all right by going to the other extreme after his graduation.

Nelson's Idea

Senator Knute Nelson doesn't dote much on ancestry—it is what a man is himself, not what his great-great-grandfather was, that counts. Senator Nelson says some of his ancestors' way back may have been Norwegian pirates—he can't say as to that, for he hasn't taken the trouble to look them up. What does the world care about Abraham Lincoln's forefathers, who probably lived in England a thousand years ago and were no higher in the social scale than slaves? Does it detract from Roosevelt's fame that his ancestors a few hundred years ago may have been only common dyke builders in Holland? What difference can it make to the Americans, who have admired and loved Jackson, Blaine, McKinley and Bryan that their ancestors of ten or fifteen generations ago may have "kept the pig in the parlor" in dear old Ireland? After all, there is a chance for one of lowly parentage to rise and make a name for himself, while the son of a Cromwell, a Richelieu, a Gladstone, a Pitt, a Washington, a Napoleon, an Alexander, a Caesar, a Hamilton and Bismarck have their opportunities for attaining fame greatly diminished by the wonderful achievements of their fathers. Blood will tell, 'tis said. No doubt that is true, tho there is little in the lives of great figures of history to prove it.—Warren Register.

Will Hear From People

If congres carries out the outlined plan of increasing the tax upon the necessities and reducing the tariff on the luxuries they will hear from the common people at the next election in a way that will make the Cannon outburst of the late election seem like the report of a toy pistol in comparison. The Cannon wing of the republican party seem determined to kill off the entire party if necessary to protect the interests—Breckenridge Telegram.

How It Works

The state legislature of Washington has passed a law against tipping, holding both the giver and receiver guilty of a misdemeanor. Visitors to the Seattle exposition will find out how it works.—Warren Sheaf.

Mater of Choice

Walter Wellman announces that he will start for the north pole in a balloon next August. We would rather try smoking a pipe in a powder house.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

If a woman could hang on to her money the way she can to her high trumps in whist her husband could pay some of his bills.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Your luck is good if the other fellow's is worse.

A high roller cuts a queer figure when he gets a skate on.

The speer mania never hits a boy very hard on his way to school.

The way not to interest a woman is to praise some other woman.

Anyway there's no danger of an ald toper's dying of water on the brain.

One thing in the world that is used by us all for a spell—the alphabet.

A woman should trust her husband but it isn't always advisable to let him know it.

TUNING A PIANO.

A Professional's Experience With Irritable Von Bulow.

"Piano tuners are for the most part graduated from piano factories," says one of them. "While the piano tuner is required to know every part in the makeup of a piano, he is not necessarily a piano repairer. Nor can the average piano maker or repairer tune a piano. There are hundreds of expert makers and repairers of pianos who wouldn't be able to tell one tune from another.

"The piano tuner is born, not made. His acute sense of the vibrations of sound is given to him at his birth, and the man who hasn't got this sense can't become a piano tuner.

"Quite a number of years ago, when Hans von Bulow was in America, I tuned the piano upon which he played. He wouldn't allow the instrument to be tuned in the wareroom, one of his whims being that even a short removal of a piano knocks it all out of tune—something in that theory at that. So I tuned it upon the platform upon which he was to perform. He stood over me all the time, letting out agonized whoops and German cuss words until I couldn't help but laugh in his face.

"Finally, when I had the piano almost tuned, he gave a few more shrieks and, grabbing the wrench, began doing the job all over again. I let him go ahead, and inside of three minutes he had the piano so hopelessly out of tune that it took me three hours to get it into shape again. Herr von Bulow had to pay double for this little exhibition of temper."—Spokane Sportsman Review.

Making It Last.

A young man was lately leaving his aunt's house after a visit when, finding it was beginning to rain, he caught up an umbrella that was snugly placed in a corner and was proceeding to open it when the old lady, who for the first time observed his movements, sprang toward him, exclaiming: "No, no; that you never shall! I've had that umbrella twenty-three years, and it has never been wet yet, and I am sure it shan't be wetted now!"—London Express.

LEFT FOR WASHINGTON—This afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott left on the Northern Pacific for Castle Rock, Wash., where Mr. Scott will engage in the feed business on a large scale in company with a cousin. Mr. Scott has been there before and believes he has a very good thing. He disposed of his horses, cows, etc, some time ago and recently sold his residence on South Main Street to Mrs. John Bergum. Mr. Scott has been a resident of Crookston for the past four years, having been in the dray business here and was a prominent member of the Woodmen and Eagles. Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Scott regret their departure but wish them every happiness and a full measure of prosperity in their western home.

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What Some American Brides Have Paid For a Title

Duchess of Roxburghe (May Goelet)	$10,000,000
Countess Boni de Castellane (Anna Gould)	6,000,000
Duchess of Marlborough (Consuelo Vanderbilt)	5,000,000
Lady Curzon (May Leiter)	2,000,000
Dowager Duchess of Marlborough (Miss Hammersley)	2,000,000
Duchess of Manchester (Helena Zimmerman)	2,000,000
Countess of Suffolk (Daisy Leiter)	2,000,000

From Monday's Daily—

New York, May 10 — Two million dollars is reported to be the "dot" that goes with Miss Nora Iselin, whose marriage to County Colloredo Mannsfield is announced to take place today at the Iselin country home at New Rochelle.

No elaborate wedding marks this latest union of American dollars and a foreign title. On the contrary, it has seemed to be the desire of the parties most concerned to avoid publicity in regard to the marriage and the details of the wedding. This extreme reticence is said to be due, in port at least, to the early opposition on the part of C. Oliver Iselin to his daughter's choice of a husband. The well known banker and yachtsman is understood to entertain a strong dislike fon international matrimonial alliances, particularly where a member of his own family is concerned. But the determination of his wife and daughter won the day, and after a personal interview with his prospective son-in-law, in which the latter made a most favorable impression, Mr. Iselin gove his consent for the marriage to take place.

Miss Iselin and Count Colloredo Mannsfield met for the first time last year, when Mr. Iselin and his family were in Rome. They became engaged to be married before Miss Iselin returned to New York, and the marriage would have occurred earlier had not Mr. Iselin been opposed to his daughter's marriage to a foreigner.

The count is secretary of the Austrian embassy at Rome and is said to belong to a highly distinguished family. His mother is the sister of Baron Aehrenthal, Austrian minister for foreign affairs, who incited the seizure of Bosnia and Herzegovina and so threatened the peace of Europe. The family own a castle near Aquileja which was built in 1302. The head of the house is Prince Joseph, who married twice but is childless.

By marrying Miss Iselin the count allies himself with one of the first families of New York. For many years the Iselins have been prominent in finance in business and in the social life of the metropolis. The head of the family was Adrian Iselin who died four years ago. His father was a Swiss capitalist, who came to this country from Basle, Switzerland, early in the last century as a representative of the silk and glove industries of Lyons.

Adrian Iselin was the founder of the banking house of A. Iselin & Co., of 36 Wall street. At the outbreak of the civil war his firm had gained such strength that it helped to finance the government. At his death Mr. Iselin's wealth was estimated at upwards of $30,000,000.

Adrian Iselin left seven children of whom C. Oliver Iselin is the oldest and consequently succeeded his father as head of the family and of the great banking house bearing their name.

AFTER BETTER TRAIN SERVICE

FARGO COMMERCIAL CLUB MAKES WINNIPEG CAMPAIGN FOR TRADE EXPANSION

Better local train and mail service is an aim of the Fargo Commercial club. From the Great Northern a concession was secured for a passenger coach on the local freight between there and Crookston, and more recently mail service was established on the Great Northern local between here and Grand Forks. The train leaves at 3:30 in the afternoon and returns at 10:30 in the morning.

The Northern Pacific has agreed to hold the Fargo-Marion line trains till 10 a. m. This will give shoppers from that line an opportunity to trade in Fargo in the early forenoons.

Efforts are being made to secure a double passenger service on the Fargo Southwestern between here and Edgeley.—Fargo News.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

WARREN GIRL IMPROVING — Miss Alma Lundeen a well known young lady of Warren who was operated upon Friday at Grand Forks is improving rapidly.

SUNDAYED AT FORKS — Albert Peterson spent Sunday at Grand Forks visiting with his brother Seymour and with his aunt, Mrs. Julius Cresien of East Grand Forks.

SUNDAYED HERE —Banker Hanson of St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls returned to his home at the latter place this morning after looking after some business interests here over Sunday.

SELLING SOFT STUFF—Charles Bang went out on the Fosston line this morning to load up the dealers with hot weather drinks. He thinks it is about time that Old Sol made a an ice cream soda and red lemonade sell at a premium.

HIT THE NORTH TRAIL—Messrs. J. C. Sabin, Peter Cram and M. Thornton left this morning for a trip up the north line and all had their lemonade clothes on. Dad looked as tho he was just starting on his honeymoon trip.

ITALIAN LABORERS — Another Carload of Italians for labor on the Great Northern in Western North Dakota and Montana passed thru the city this morning that class of labor being used very langely for certain classes of hard manual labor.

GERM IS WORKING — Yesterday afternoon there was a large number of baseball players out for a couple of hours practice. There was no regular game but about 20 players limbered up—and today everyone of them are as stiff as pokers.

LOOKING FOR MOISTURE—A. J. Marrotte of the Grand Central Buffet left this morning for Wilton on business. At least he said it was on business but his close friends state that he was trying to avoid a portion of the two days drought.

LOOKS FOR GREAT YEAR—H. H. Hulbert of the Burchardt-Hurlbert Land Co., arrived from St. Paul this morning and went north to look after extensive farm interests near Stephen and Donaldson. He believes the outlook the best it has bee in many years for a good crop thruout this section.

PRACTICALLY THRU SEEDING—Elmer Ellington returned to Donaldson this morning after spending Sunday with the home folks. He states that the wheat is practically all seeded in that section of the valley and many of the farmers have a good average sown to oats and barley for early feed.

BACK FROM DULUTH—B. Levins better known as "gum drop" returned yesterday from a trip to Duluth where he visited the house. He says he plans on opening his summer cottage at Maple Lake before end of the week as Mrs. Levins is anxious to get there as soon as the weather will make it at all pleasant.

BACK FROM BELOW—John Boyd returned this morning from a trip to Iowa and the cities where he has been on land business. He says conditions are more favorable here for the farmers than in any section he has visited. He believes there will be a big movement in real estate the coming season.

LOOKING AFTER INTERESTS — A. J. McGuire who is spending a few days here looking after his interests from the southern part of the state says he never saw the Red River Valley look better at this season of the year. He has seen the grain farther advanced but never saw the soil in such garden-like conditions and is glad to note the immense acreage that was plowed last fall and is now in perfect condition for crop.

TWO FLYING TRIPS—Ed Carlson made two flying trips today taking a travelling man to Fisher this morning and on his return left at 11 o'clock with Dr. Dampier for Red Lake Falls on a hurry up professional trip. The run about is an ideal machine for this class of work and during the coming season Mr. Carlson will without doubt ride a mile or so. Last fall he made some record trips.

CANNOT MAKE TRIP — Charles Skoug who had intended to go to Seattle about the middle of June to attend a family reunion to remain till about the 10th of July and also attend the big exposition has decided that he will have to forego the pleasure of a trip as the big machine firm which he represents cannot see their way to dispense with his services during that length of time during a very busy portion of the year. Mr. Skoug regrets his inability to go west as it has been ten years since the members of the family were all together.

The Hill Hustlers as they were known last year, and the Crookston Hustlers as they style themselves according to the legend on the front of their new uniforms in great big letters came to grief yesterday in a game with the Carman team. The Hustlers never played in uniform before and each player is said to have carried a pocket mirror and they were sizing themselves up so much of the time that they for got to play ball in their last year's form. However they propose to practice every day from this time forward and the next game will show up to much better advantage.

A. H. Pitkin left this morning for St. Hilaire where he has purchased the big stock of general merchandise formerly owned by Rapp and Post. Mr. Rapp died several years ago and Mr. Post has been conducting the busi ness as trustee.

Mr. Pitkin has been there several weeks looking over the situation and Saturday closed a deal for the purchase of the entire stock and will conduct the store in the future.

The store is the largest one there, and the post office is located in it. Mr. Pitkin is thoroly posted in that line of business and he will remove his family there in a short time.

The annual tax sale was on at the court house today, about 1100 descriptions being offered. All the farm taxes were snapped up quickly and many of the village lots, everything in Fertile and McIntosh being handled by the two banks. Among the bidders were K. K. Hoffard of the McIntosh Bank, Norman Hanson of the Fertile bank, Ole Christianson, M. E. and Arthur Kirsch, and J. H. Stair, R. G. Burkhardt and Thomas Casey, the last three represnting eastern buyers.

Many others were present to buy up certificates on single tracts.

From Tuesday's Daily

SPENT SUNDAY HERE — Henry Funk has returned to Emerson where he is running a hotel, after spending Sunday with the family here.

IMPROVING RAPIDLY —Mr. Herman Krueger continues to improve following her operation and friends hope to se her entirely recovered in a very short time.

LOOKING AFTER FARM — Carl Vonderbeck left this morning for Euclid, where he will note the progress of seeding operations of his farmstead for a day.

VISITING FLICKERTAILS — Sam D. Felsing left this morning for Hannah N. D., where he will dispose of a shipment of manure spreaders and tanks, the demand for which is very good this year.

UP FISH LINE—J. Harry Stair and C. Q. Roemer left this morning for points up the Warroad line. They expected to do a litle fishing and their friends here hope they will have all kinds of luck.

IOWAN HERE—L. L. Lathrop of Strawberry Point, Ia., is here attending to some business interests and was being shown the shortest route around the block by Charley Hitchcock and Ed Ralston this morning.

LOOKING AFTER MILLS—Marcus Johnson arrived this morning from Stillwater and proceeded to Red Lake Falls on business. He says everything is quiet in the cities barring the wheat market which is the center of a great deal of interest.

NLOCATED AT GREAT FALLS — James Frazer and Sam Meng have left for Great Falls, Montana, where both expect to locate permanently. They left Sunday evening and a large number of friends were at the depot to bid them farewell.

ATTENDING DENTAL MEETING —Dr. W. A. Robertson and Dr. Thomas Spence left this morning for Grand Forks where they will attend a two days' session of the Red River Valley Dental Association and the North Dakota Dental Association, the two holding their joint annual meeting.

MRS. VONDERBECK IMPROVING —Mrs. Ben Vonderbeck who underwent a surgical operation at St. Vincent's Hospital last Friday is reported improving rapidly and it is expected that she will be able to be removed to her home the latter part of this week if no complications develop.

HAS CALL TO WARREN — Rev. Muhlsberg of Duluth who has been spending the past few days as the guest of Rev. Adolph Salveson of this city left this morning for Grand Forks where he will visit a day or two. He is considering a call from the Synod Lutheran church of Warren and will probably accept.

BACK FROM SAD MISSION — Al Kaiser the banker of Bagley was in the city this morning enroute home after a trip to Winona where he went to attend the funeral of a brother who died a short time ago in Seattle, the remains having been brought to the old home for interment. The deceased was the youngest brother and his death which followed a very short illness was a great shock to the members of the family.

ARTHUR IS WELCOME — A. H. Kirsch one of Crookston's most popular young men arrived in Bemidji Saturday for an over Sunday visit with friends here. Art is a great admirer of Bemidji and asserts that we have not only a fine summer resort but that our attractions are fine, at any season of the year. Come again, Arthur, you are always welcome. — Bemidji Pioneer.

NEW WEATHER STATIONS—Congressman Steenerson has asked Secretary Wilson of the departmena of agriculture to establish weather bureau stations at Baudette, Warroad and Fosston. The purpose of establishing these stations is to ascertain the rainfall in the vicinity of the Lake of the Woods for the benefit of the state drainage bureau, when the time comes to construct drainage works in that section of the state.

NEBY FARMER HERE—Ole Bruun one of the well known and prosperous farmers near Neby arrived yesterday and has been attending to some important business matters? He says that seeding operations in that section are pretty well wound up practically all the wheat being in the ground with many farmers thru with their oats and coarse grains as well. He says a good crop is being anticipated in that section.

TRADES FARM FOR STORE—Mr. Theodore Newhouse had traded his farm south of the city for a big mercantile stock at Williams, Minn., owned by Henry Wormninger. The transfer will not take place till Mr. Newhouse has taken the present crop off next fall. Mrs. Newhouse, however will go to Williams in a short time and familiarize herself with the stock and be in readiness to take charge in the fall when Mr. and Mrs. Wormninger will move onto the Newhouse farm which they will operate.

BOUGHT HALF SECTION — Ben Vonderbeck yesterday afternoon drove to Fanny township north of the city where he sold the east half of section 19 to a land buyer from Illinois who will move his family here during the summer and become a tiller of Red River Valley soil.

HAS MANY CONTRACTS—Wilhelm Johnson is busier than the proverbial bee these days. In addition to the basement of the New Store he has the village work at Fisher and a few days ago was awarded the contract for 2200 feet of cement walks about the Fisher school house and also will construct concrete steps there. Yesterday he spent at Fosston bidding on some big contracts there.

RUMOR WAS GROUNDLESS — Someone started a rumor ot the effect that some one in the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Bengerson of the River Side Dairy had scarlet fever and this made some of their patrons apprehensive regarding the safety of taking milk from them. The story has no foundation in fact as they have neither scarlet fever or any other sickness in the family or any one employed there and have not had any illness in the past.

AUTO HOSPITAL—Will Finlayson the Euclid liveryman who recently purchased an automobile in honor of the arrival of a young son at his home had trouble with the "devil wagon" the first lap. He couldn't make the durn thing go at-all at-all and yesterday hauled it to Crookston to the hospital for lubrication or whatever was needed. It appears, according to friends(?) that Will had filled the gasoline tank with lubricating oil and oiled the machine with gasoline. Consequently there was all manner of explosions around the wheels and the gas tank was fine and greasy.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral services over the remains of Miss Josephine Torberson were held this afternoon from the United Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. T. T. Ove officiating, the remains having arrived from Minneapolis where death followed peritonitis which set in after an operation for appendicitis. Many friends gathered to pay a last tribute of respect and there were many beautiful floral tributes. The remains were laid at rest in Oakland cemetery.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

Atty. W. A. Marin is attending to business today at McIntosh.

Peter Gramer went to Thief River Falls this morning to look after some business matters.

EXTENDED TRIP—El Paterno Fitzgerald left last evening for a trip to Staples, Brainerd and other points where he expects to do a land office business.

A NEW GENERAL DELIVERY CLERK—Miss Valla Alderman is acting as the general delivery clerk at the post office during the absence of some of the other regular employes.

MAYOR SAMUELSON HERE — Mayor Hans Samuelson of Climax is spending the day in the city on business. He says seeding operations are nearly completed in that section all wheat having been seeded some time ago.

AFTER LAND OWNERS—Wm. H. Blake left last evening for Iowa where he expects to secure a number of land buyers to bring to the Red River Valley. He looks for the best movement in lands this season that has been experienced for a number of years.

BOUQUET FOR LUKKASON—Carl Lukkason has arrived here from Crookston to take a place with Spriggs Bros., plumbers. He is a fine clarinet player and will be a valuable addition to the Grand Forks Military Band.—Grand Forks Herald.

BEAR CUBS EXHIBITED— A. K. Austin has a cunning pair of bear cubs on exhibition in the show window in his place of business in the Opera Block. They were caught by a friend from Thief Lake who has just arrived from his claim near that place.

A 30-DAY BOARDER—Deputy Sheriff Casey returned this morning from Grand Forks where he went to get Ole Anderson who was sentenced by Judge Sullivan to 30 days in the county jail for too close an acquaintance with Flowing Bowl and Protracted Toot, two well known residents of the west end metropolis.

"A. W." A SMOOTH ONE—A. W. Rundquist who is about the smoothest article "on the pike" when it comes to soliciting subscriptions for daily papers came to the city yesterday from his home at Crookston and will "do" this city and surrounding towns for the Minneapolis Tribune, which he so ably represents "on the road."—Bemidji Pioneer.

PLEASED WITH PROSPECTS — T. B. McManus of the State Grain and Warehouse Commission will return to Duluth this evening after spending a couple of days looking after seeding operations on his farm east of the city. He says conditions have not been so favorable to seeding in many years as this spring. The soil being in ideal shape.

BIG CUT OF LOGS—Clair Craig, the north-country representative for the Thief River Falls Lumber company, has returned to Blackduck, where he makes his headquarters. Mr. Craig states that his company will take out about 29,000,000 feet of logs from the upper country, around the rivers tributary to the eastern arm of Red Lake. These logs will be taken down the Blackduck and Cormant rivers into Red Lake, will be towed by steamer across the lake to the Red Lake river and driven down the latter stream to the company's mill at Thief River Falls there to be sawed into lumber. The J. A. Irvine company has the contract for driving the logs from their present location to the mill.

KEYSTONE

Mr. John Capes returned one day last week from Illinois and Indiana, where he transacted some very important business.

Miss Tillie Brantl drove to Grand Forks last Monday, returning Wednesday.

Mrs. John Capes and son Everett spent last Saturday night at the home of Elmer Capes and family in East Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann and son Andrew were in Grand Forks last Saturday.

Mr. Henry Ehnen was a caller at the Simon Aeschlimann home last Saturday evening.

Mrs. McDonald and daughter Clara and son Daniel drove to Grand Forks Saturday.

Mr. B. C. Koch of Tremont, Illinois one of Key Stone's well kown land agents was a business caller here last week.

Mrs. and Miss LaGrove are visiting with relatives at Esmond, N. D. They report a pleasant journey and are well pleased with North Dakota. They intend to visit relatives at Montana before returning to their home in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aeschliman and baby Bernice, Miss Rosa Kotek and the Messers and Misses Aeschlimann were pleasantly entertained by Mr. John Brantl and family last Sunday.

Miss Barbara Holly is seriously sick with typhoid fever.

Mr. Edward Brantl was a business caller in Crookston several days last week.

Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann celebrated her birthday last Tuesday May 4th. She received many beautiful gifts, several birthday cards, and many good wishes for many happy returns of the day.

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HOW TO TREAT THE NEWSPAPERS

BISHOP SCADDING OF OREGON HAS SOME PERTINENT THINGS TO SAY—HE GIVES SOME ADVICE ON PREPARATION OF CHURCH NOTICES FOR NEWSPAPERS WHICH MAY BE READ TO AN ADVANTAGE IN CROOKSTON—WHEN YOU HAVE AN ITEM OF REAL NEWS DON'T FORGET THE REPORTER

Spokane, Wash. May 11—"Newspaper men should be treated as allies instead of as spies and impertinent meddlers in things which do not concern them. We can take them into comradship in the work we are doing and, by treating them as friends instead of enemies, secure their confidence, good will and co-operation."

Rev. Dr. Charles Scadding, Bishop of Oregon, said this in the course of an address on "The Secular Press as a Missionary Agency" at the biennial sessions of the Eighth Missionary department of the Episcopal church in Spokane, when high churchmen from Washington, Montana, Oregon, Idaho Wyoming, California, Utah, Nevada, New York, Pennsylvania and several other states were in attendance.

Bishop Scadding intimated that the average minister does not know news, when he mentioned that frequently an item of vital importance is concealed in a mass of matter otherwise of not the least interest to the reader. On this point he said:

"If you could hear the righteous indignation and the unrighteous abuse, and, I fear, profanity, created in newspaper offices of Friday nights when all hands are called to 'fix up the church notices' for publication, there would be instant reform in this direction I am told that week after week and year after year there are poured into the newspaper offices these carelessly written notices, often in almost undecipherable chirography, with no regard for the style of the paper for which they are written, frequently written on odds and ends of papers and often on both sides and thrown together in a haphazard sort of way.

"The task of preparing several hundred notices has become the most detested work in the newspaper offices, and every Friday night our civilizing influence on the working staff is in a large measure undone. It is only due to the newspapers that we be courteous, even in this small matter, and cleanliness and to present well-dressed and carefully prepared 'copy.'

"In preparing matter for the press you should observe newspaper rules of composition: Tell your story in the first three lines—three words are better—and elaborate afterwards. Then the reader can not 'ring off' before you have told him the gist of what you have to say."

Bishop Scadding said the value of the newspapers as a missionary agency depends upon the willingness of the ministers to go and make some effort in assisting it; "and" he added, "in considering the subject it is necessary for us at the outset to appreciate not the theoretical function of the secular press, but what it actually is, and what it actually does for the people.

It is not the 'moulder of public opinion', often it is not even the leader; but it does supply the facts, the fancies, the fallacies, if you please, on which public opinion is based.

"It must be borne in mind that the newspaper even tho it has 24 pages has not a single line to waste. It pays thousands of dollars for matter it does not print, and it is safe to say that no newspaper uses half the matter poured in upon it by the press associations, its special correspondents and the public generally. The great bulk of this news matter is bought and paid for, 'tho never destined to see daylight, not because it is not news, but because matters which the trained senses of the editor pronounce more important news crowd it out.

"Those same trained editorial senses are constantly on the alert for the important item. Just mention in the midst of three columns of really important church reports the mere incidental fact that the Rev. John Doe has resigned and that the resignation was accepted, and be prepared to turn out of bed at night and explain to half a dozen reporters all about the affair. The next morning the line of resignation may appear as three columns, while the three columns of church news will occupy scarcely more than that many lines. The editor knows that only three lines in your article contained the real news of the day and would help the sale of his paper.

"Now it can not be argued that we should encourage sensational doings, with the view of calling public attention to the church and its work. Even to a salacious morsel the editor himself would prefer a piece of news of an entirely different character, but he has his finger on the public pulse and he knows what is required. To me it is a certain indication when a newspaper shows disinclination to give space to an article that it will not be read if published.

"We can assume a different attitude to the newspapers. We can take a generous view of existing conditions, accept the newspapers as having a right to all our news and show them that we are with them.

"If we are to make good use of the secular press we can not overestimate the importance of the make-up of our articles and news notes. I believe that there is much of our work that could be presented in such dress that it would be attractive to the editor and consequently to the people. I fully believe that the establishment of a news clearing house in the Eighth department under the management of our departmental secretary to whom missionary experiences news notes and brief church teaching could be sent for general publication in the secular press, would be an experiment well worth trying.

"It must be remembered that the secular press is a democratic forum. The clergyman or layman who comes into this agora and mingles with the Attic demos must gird himself. The demos in its collective capacity is a juggernaut. It reminds me of what the colored porter in the barber shop said the other day, attributing his words to the 'good book.' 'The Lord' he quoted 'ain't got no respect for nobody.'"

DEFECTIVE PAGE

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CROOKSTON, MINN.

J. W Wheeler, H. C. Misner, Sec'y

CONFERENCE OF OFFICERS

MANY VALUABLE DISCUSSIONS OF SUBJECTS OF VITAL INTEREST

Immediately after the adjournment of the regular session yesterday after noon the Methodist church was turned over to Sunday School officers and a number of exceedingly helpful and interesting discussions were enjoyed by those present. The conference was well attended and the most enthusiastic interest was manifested in the session.

Rev. John Orchard of Fargo, told about the county president and his work, while other prominent workers from different portions of Minnesota related their experiences and told of what they had learned were the best methods of getting the best results. General discussions were lead by Secretary W. C. Pearce of Chicago, and Rev. H. H. Parish, of North Branch.

One of the principle discussions was lead by R. W. McLeod of St. Peter. who has taken a prominent part in the work of the different sessions. His subject was the "Duties of the District Officers."

DEATH OF PIONEER VALLEY RESIDENT

Mrs. Francois Lambert who has been critically ill for the past several weeks, died at her home in Red Lake Falls last Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were held at ten o'clock Thursday morning from St. Joseph's Catholic church, of which deceased was a member. Rev. Father Fayolle officiated. Mrs. Lambert was a pioneer of the county and leaves a large number of relatives to mourn her death. She was born in Canada sixty-two years ago. Forty years ago she and Mr. Lambert were married and to them fifteen children have been born, thirteen of whom are living. Twenty-eight years ago the Lambera family moved to what is now the town of Lambert, then a part of Polk county, and the town was named in their honor. For the past three years the family home has been in Red Lake Falls Five sons and five daughters, all married reside in the township of Lambert and three daughters are at the home. Besides these and Mr. Lambert there are a number of other relatives living.

RUSSIA ONSTAD DITCH ESTABLISHED

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HAVE BIG GRIST OF WORK AHEAD OF THEM

Yesterday the board of County Commissioners established ditch No. 80 known as the Onstad-Russia ditch and bids will be advertised for at once. Today the board is considering a large amount of routine business. Tomorrow at 10 o'clock the proposition to establish a county road from Fisher to Huntsville will be taken up.

CUSTOM OFFICER MUST STAND TRIAL

Herbert Wright a Canadian government customs officer is in Fergus Falls to answer to a change of having assisted persons to cross the boundary who are not entitled to enter the United States. He is under indictment and his case is set for trial at the term of court which opens this week. The indictment was returned a long time ago, but a great deal of negotiation was necessary with the Canadian government before he was gotten under the jurisdiction of the United States.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

LEGAL NOTICES

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial district.

E. Jenne Schroeder, Plaintiff.,
vs.
Carl G. Schroeder, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court aforesaid, at the court house in the city of Crookston, in said county and state, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block, in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated April 22, 1909.

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

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W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.

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Keep the Balance Up

It has been truthfully said that any disturbance of the even balance of health causes serious trouble. Nobody can be too careful to keep this balance up. When people begin to lose appetite, or to get tired easily, the least imprudence brings on sickness, weakness or debility. The system need a tonic, craves it, and should not be denied it; and the best tonic of which we have any knowledge is Hood's Sarsaparilla. What this medicine has done in keeping healthy people healthy, in keeping up the even balance of health, gives it the same distinction as a preventive that it enjoys as a cure. Its early use has illustrated the wisdom of the old saying that a stitch in time saves nine. Take Hood's for appetite, strength and endurance.

Aitkin Republican: If Northern Minnesota ever expects to get reapportionment, it will have to send men to the legislature who will make all measures of local interest and benefit subservient to the question of the passage of a just reapportionment bill and who will unite and work for such a law to the exclusion if necessary, of all other laws. Without the power it is entitled to in the legislature, Northern Minnesota will always be at the mercy of the members from the southern part of the state, who are not always guided in voting by a sense of right and justice.

Sauk Center Herald: The 1909 legislature did a few—very few—good things. It certainly reached the limit when it came to helping anybody but itself. It's adjourned, and that's something to be thankful for. There will probably be still further cause for thankfulness when the next legislature convenes, for unless all signs fail most of the 1909 chairwarmers will be left at home. Mark the prediction.

Pine River Sentinel: The farmer that refuses to take chances on free distribution of seeds from Washington for his summer vegetables should not be accused of being a quitter. Of all the rotten grafts the United States government permits, the seed graft is the worst.

ACTIVITY IN MIDDLE RIVER

CREAMERY BEING ENLARGED TO TAKE CARE OF SKIMMING STATIONS

GENERAL FEELING OF OPTIMISM PREVAILS IN EASTERN MARSHALL COUNTY

Middle River, May 8—(Special Correspondence)—The creamery at this place has flattering prospects for a largely oincreased business the coming summer. Buttermaker Berggren recently made a trip to Randen, 25 miles east of here. where he worked up a skimming station by means of which on May 15th, eighteen new patrons will commence sending their cream to the Middle River creamery. The cream will be sent in regularly twice a week, a man and team having been employed to do the transorting. In anticipation of this and the increased receipts from earer by contigious territory, the creamery board has added another large receiving vat to the creamery's equipment.

Leonard Johnson of this township, and R. G. Marlette of Argyle, have been appointed appraisers of the state lands in Marshall County and started out on their work today. The lands yet unappraised lie mostly in the vicinities of Thief and Mud Lakes and the appraisers expect a few days of strenuous work as they will have to travel almost altogther on foot.

At a special school meeting held in this village a few days ago the district voted bonds to the amount of $800 for the purpose of finishing and eqipping a second room. Thus next year Middle River will have a semi-graded school and employ two teachers instead of one.

Postmaster Hjertos is today at Fergus Falls in attendance as a witness in the trial of the man charged with the robbery of the Strathcona postoffice a short time ago.

Preliminary steps have been taken towards the organization of a Farmers' Telephone Co., to build and operate a line between Middle River and Newfolden. It is confidently predicted that the project will be speedily pushed to materialization

Notwithstanding the lingering of the cold weather and late spring snow storms, seeding operations in this locality are farther advanced than at this time last spring. The wheat is all sown and considerable of the oats and the ground being so exceptionally dry, with a few warm days now the seeding will all be completed with flattering prosects for a bountiful crop

PHILLIPS MADE FINE RECORD

A prominent Iowa paper has the following relative to a brother of Wylie Phillips of this city who evidently has something of the same independence for which Wiley is noted.

"Charlie Phillips has resigned his job as secretary of the state Pharmacy commission. He did it because he got tired of the bickerings of the "cheap bunch" now trying to run things under the Carrollian dynasty at the state house. Of the fine record made by him the Dubuque Telegraph Herald has the following to say:

"More than a quarter million dollars passed thru his hands and not a dollar misappropriated or misspent or lost or not accounted for. That is the record which Hon. C. W. Phillips leaves behind him as he turns the office of secretary of the pharmacy commission over to others this week. There is no state official with cleaner record or having the confidence of all his associates.

"Mr. Phillips came from Jackson county, still his nominal residence and he early took an active interest in politics. He was good enough republican to be county chairman before he was of age and he displayed such masterly ability that he was a committeeman in charge of the campaign which landed Joe Lane in congress. Then the republicans of his district—the men who never had even a thought of voting for a democratic candidate for governor—put Phillips on the state committee and kept him there eight years. He could have continued longer but positively declined.

"Mr. Phillips had a great deal to do with swinging the second district into line for the progressive cause in Iowa republicanism and for this he has been liberally hated by a few who regretted the passing of the old regime. He was repeatedly threatened with loss of his position and other punishments, but nothing ever caused him to waver in his support of the party and its principles."

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MICKELSON IS JAILED

MUST SERVE 30 DAYS FOR SELLING LIQUOR WITHOUT A LICENSE

SENTENCED AT FERGUS FALLS TO 30 DAYS AND $100 FINE

From Saturday's Daily—

A. Mickelson, arrested for selling liquor in the town of Winger a few months ago without a government license was sentenced by Judge Baxter of the U. S. Court of Fergus Falls to 30 days in the Polk County jail and to pay a fine of $100. He was brought here yesterday by Deputy Marshal Rider. At the end of the 30 days by taking the poor debtor's oath to the effect that he is not worth over $20 he gets out of aying the fine by serving 30 days additional in jail.

COMMISSIONERS HAVE ADJOURNED

DISPOSED OF A BIG GRIST OF WORK DURING PAST THREE DAYS

The board of county commissioners finished up a big three days session yesterday afternoon and adjourned.

The road and bridge committee have, during the past week, looked over several locations where bridges have been petitioned for, and have recommended the following, in which the whole board concur:

Steel bridges, the cost of which is partially paid by the town, are located in the towns of Hubbard, Andover, and Sandsville. A wooden bridge is located over Tabor Ditch No. 2. in the town of Northland; also one in Higdem.

The Russia-Onstad ditch number 80 was established. This ditch will cost approximately $2,787 and will be three and one-half miles long.

The county road along the G. N. right of way between here and Grand Forks, petitioned for by Gervais and others was established.

The money appropriated to the county road and bridge fund by the legislature was divided among the different towns as follows:

RALPH RE-ELECTED AT $3,000 PER YEAR

WILL BE ENGINEER FOR STATE DRAINAGE BOARD FOR ANOTHER YEAR

George A. Ralph for years a resident of Crookston but for the past few years engineer of the State Drainage board has been re-elected for another year at a salary of $3,000. He has planned some vast drainage projects for the state during his term of service and a number of others are now in progress.

ALDERMAN RAUCH FIGHTING HARD

ELECTION MONDAY NEXT PROMISES TO BE RED HOT AFFAIR

The election on Monday next in the second ward for the selection of an alderman is developing into a very red hot affair. The present incumbent, Adolph F. Rauch is putting up a hard fight with his lieutenants scouring the ward for votes. The work has been prosecuted steadily but very quietly.

The supporters of W. P. Murphy are also very busy and great interest centers in the outcome.

All saloons will be closed on Monday and following Sunday lid the 32nd degree members of the Nose Blossom Association will have a rather strenuous session to keep up their spirits unless they lay in a good supply Saturday night.

Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

A man doesn't always do his duty when he does something he wants to do.

COMMONER IN CROOKSTON

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN PASSED THRU CITY THIS MORNING

WILL COMMENT ON REPUBLICAN TARIFF REVISION LATER — IN FINE HEALTH

From Saturday's Daily—

Wm. Jennings Bryan thrice defeated candidate for president of the United States but still recognized as one of the most important factors in the politics of the country, passed thru Crookston this morning enroute from Grand Forks where he delivered his famous lecture on "The Price of a Soul." to Grand Rapids where he lectures tonight.

Mr. Bryan is in excellent health tho somewhat weary having attended a reception and banquet after the lecture, but received the representative of the Journal in his usual pleasant manner. Asked as to what he had to say regarding the tariff tinkering in Congress he said:

"I am waiting to see what the republicans mean by tariff revision. When they get thru I will have something to say."

Mr. Bryan spoke encouragingly of the outlook of the party. He declared that the situation could not be more satisfactory from a democratic standpoint. The republicans he declared, showed no disposition to keep their promises made before election. So far there had been no indication that the tariff would be revised so as to help the common people.

Mr. Bryan stated that after his present lecture engagements had been filled he would not work so strenuously in that line but planned on being at home to attend some other work which has had in view for some time past but was unable to accomplish from lack of time.

BIRD DOGS MAY BE MISSED

FARMERS WARN CROOKSTON DOG OWNERS BEFORE USING GUNS

Farmers residing east of the city who were in the city today desired thru the Journal to warn dog owners of Crookston against permitting their birds dogs to range in the country and kill barnyard fowl. Four dogs it seems, some pointers and some setters have been making excursions to the Jones and White farms and other places and have already killed a number of ducks and chickens. They did not want to shoot the dogs as they are evidently valuable hunting dogs, but desire to warn the owners that the dogs will be shot by someone very surely if they continue their ravages.

SULLIVAN WINS IMPORTANT SUIT

EJECTMENT CASE BROUGHT BY MINNEAPOLIS BREWING CO. DECIDED IN HIS FAVOR

The case of the Minneapolis Brewing company vs. Dan Sullivan, an action in ejectment, brought to secure possession of the property known as The Maine in East Grand Forks was tried before a jury in the municipal court here yesterday and decided by the jury in favor of Mr. Sullivan. This leaves Sullivan in complete possession of the premises. The suit has aroused much interest over the county.

Why They Change

The public man may wrong the people and be forgotten; he may serve them faithfully, with the same result. Corporations have memories. Favor them and they reward you handsomely; injure them and they hound you to the end. It is not strange therefore, that the political careers of so many able and honest men are cut short, nor that public officials so frequently find it convenient to favor the party with the long memory.—Twin Valley Times.

The Plummer Pioneer has been sold by Chas. W. Latta to E. L. Quist editor of the Thief River Press, who has installed Homer Mussey as manager of the paper. Mr. Mussey has been connected with the Press for several years is a good newsgatherer and an all around newspaper man. Here's hoping the Pioneer will succeed to the limit under the new management. Mr. Latta, one of the veteran newspaper men of northern Minnesota has not as yet announced what his future movements will be.

NELLIE WANTS COOL $25,000

SAYS HER AFFECTIONS HAVE BEEN DAMAGED TO THAT AMOUNT

SUES EAST GRAND FORKS BREWERY AGENT FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

From Thursday's Daily—

Papers have been served in a sensational damage suit in which Miss Nellie Rogers of East Grand Forks seeks to recover $25,000 damages from Charles Hanson, agent for the Val Blatz Brewing Co., at the same place, for breach of promise to wed.

Plaintiff alleges that Mr. Hanson has been keeping company with her for the past nine years and that their wedding was set for 1905, but that he failed to keep his agreement and that since that time he has refused to marry her.

She has a stack of letters written when Hanson was away on trips in which he addressed her in the most endearing terms and talked of marriage in them frequently. Plaintiff alleges that she did not know that Hansan was a married man till three years after they had been keeping company and that in the mean time plaintiff and Hanson had lived together.

It is believed that Hanson got wind of the suit as he left on a trip to Norway yesterday, but when he crossed into Minnesota from Fargo enroute to St. Paul an officer was on the train to serve the papers. Miss Rogers was also there and it is possible a reconciliation was effected as she has not yet returned to East Grand Forks.

Some are of the opinion that Hanson decided to take her along on the European trip.

The case will cause a big sensation in Grand Forks where Hanson's wife and family reside.

CLAIM LAW IS VIOLATED

UNIONS WANT NEW TRAIN CREWS AT THE BOUNDARY LINE

The Canadian trainmen's brotherhoods have placed before Canada's labor department at Ottawa an interesting international complication. G. Northern trains run into Manitoba out of Minnesota and North Dakota The unions claim that this is contrary to the alien labor law and that new train crews must be secured on that side of the boundary.

AFTER THE VIOLATORS

E. B. Heiberg of the state Pure Food Commission arrived in the city last evening from Roseau, Thief River Falls and other points in that section where he has been looking after the enforcement of the law. He says that the dealers as a rule are co-operating with him as they are as much interested in seeing that their patrons are protected as any one. As a rule it is the wholesalers entirely who are at fault.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages nad that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh quires a contstituotnerdlu dled dlun being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers thta they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Biwabik Times: Another state legislature has passed into history without having increased the gross income tax of the railroads to the point where they will pay their proper amount of taxes. Railroad companies are less subject to regulation than any other form of business in Minnesota. All this due to the political activity of the corporations.

DISPATCHER KEELEY PARDONED BY BOARD

LEAVES PRISON NEXT TUESDAY — PETITION THIRTY-FIVE FEET LONG IS PRESENTED TO MONTANA BOARD—FORMER CROOKSTON MAN BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN UNJUSTLY PUNISHED FOR CAUSING TRAIN WRECK HAD NO OPPOSITION AT HEARING—HAD ANOTHER MONTH TO SERVE — DISPATCHER DECLARES H EWAS GUILTY OF N O CRIME

From Friday's Daily—

At Helena, Montana, yesterday the state board of pardons approved the pardon extended to Train Dispatcher Keeley, of Missoula, Mont., by Acting Governor Allen two weeks ago. There was a good deal of satisfaction expressed among the railway men and others of Crookston where Keeley resideed for several years, when they heard that this action had been taken. Keeley has friends here.

Keeley was convicted in Sanders county, Montana, of involuntary manslaughter it being alleged that he was responsible for the Northern Pacific passenger wreck at Perma, Mont., last fall, when six lives were lost. He was sentenced to serve a period in the penitentiary of eight months. In another month his term would have expired.

When the board met yesterday no protests were submitted to the pardon but a petition 35 feet long and signed by men in every walk of life was presented to the body soliciting favorable action on the pardon. The board at once approved the governor's action and fixed the date when Keeley will be released for May 11. Nothing is known of Keeley's future plans.

Not Guilty of Crime.

"Keeley was guilty of no crime," said a Great Northern dispatcher yesterday. "He did exactly as any dispatcher would have done under the circumstances. An operator reported a train had not passed a station, Keeley made a meeting point accordingly. There was a wreck. The operator should have known if the train had passed. He had evidently been asleep and when there was an investigation he threw the blame on the dispatcher Keeley had been unable to get the operator to answer a call for some time and when he asked the operator about it he claimed he had been out of the station for a while and did not hear the call. He gave no hint that he had been asleep. On the contrary he denied it. Had he admitted the truth the dispatcher would have held the other train at a station above and no wreck would have occurred.

'It would be interesting to have a photograph of the jury which convicted Keeley. It is a safe bet that they were men who had grievances against the railway company and wanted to get even by convincing the dispatcher. I have heard that they were nearly all ranchers who were incensed because some men of the same calling had been killed in the wreck, and nursed old grudges against the railroad company.

A "Clean Up" Campaign

During the Bankers', the Sunday School and the C. E. conventions recently held in Crookston, visitors were very loud in their praise of the general appearance of Crookston. The asphalt streets and cement sidewalks caused much flattering comment. Visitors notice such conditions and to have them leave with good impressions is the biggest advertisement a city can have.

Crookston's streets are kept clean and are a credit to the city. However there are other things besides the streets which could be kept clean. For instance some of the alleys in the business district. Some of them are shameful. Old paper, rubbish and offal of every kind can be found without any search. The business men should take more pride in appearances and if they do not the authorities should insist that they get busy and have the rubbish cleaned up at least every other day. Several business houses could club together and have the rubbish removed at least every other day and every day would do no harm and the expense would be very slight under that system.

The larger cities as well as the smaller villages thruout the state and country as well, conduct regular "clean-up" campaigns with a grand final clean-up day when the finishing touches are put on and the Journal would suggest a similar campaign in Crookston.

The mater is one that should be taken up by the Commercial club and we are advised that Mayor McPhee would assist to the extent of his ability as chief executive of the city.

We would suggest that next Thursday May 13, be selected, as clean-up day, just to prove that it is not on unlucky number. There is no need of a long winded campaign. Let every one get busy and clean up their yards, fix their fences, sidewalks, etc., and on Thursday next unite in a general movement to put on the finishing touches.

Would not such a campaign make Crookston a city beautiful indeed?

Get busy.

No Time For Retreat.

In an Irish garrison town a theatrical company was giving performances, and some soldiers from the local barracks were engaged to act as supers. Their duties included the waging of a fierce fight in which, after a stirring struggle, one army was defeated on a given signal from the prompter. For a few nights all went well, but on the Friday evening a special performance of the piece was to be given under the patronage of the colonel and other officers of the garrison. The two armies met as usual at the end of the second act, when they fought and fought and kept on fighting, regardless of the agonized glare in the eye of their (actor) general, who hoarsely ordered the proper army to "Retreat, confound you." But the fight still went on, and soon the horrified manager saw the wrong army being driven slowly off the stage, still fighting desperately. Down came the curtain amid roars of laughter, and the fuming manager hastened to ask the delinquents why they had failed to retreat on hearing the signal.

"Retraite," roared a burly fusileer whose visage had been badly battered, "and is it retraite ye'd have us, wid the colonel and all the officers in the boxes?"—London Scraps.

Perfectly Correct.

A young minister in the course of an eloquent sermon on the pomps and vanities of the world staggered his congregation by exclaiming:

"Here am I standing, preaching to you with only half a shirt on my back, while you sit there covered with gewgaws and other baubles."

The next day a parcel containing several brand new shirts was left at his house by one of his hearers, a kind hearted old lady. Meeting the donor a few days afterward, he thanked her exceedingly, but expressed much surprise at receiving such an unexpected gift.

"Oh," said the lady, "you mentioned in your sermon on Sunday that you had only half a shirt on your back."

"Quite true," added his reverence, "but you seem to forget that the other half was in front."—London Answers.

The Chinese Sampans.

In Canton 400,000 people spend their whole existence in boats, which are there called sampans. They are born in them, live in them from infancy to old age and finally die in them. Collectively these boats form a floating suburb to the city proper, one of the most amazing human settlements in the world. Every creek is crammed with them. Along the main banks of the river they are huddled twenty deep —so close together that the covering of mats appears continuous as far as the eye can reach. And each sampan houses a separate family, with its own big brazier lamp, which serves for heating, lighting and cooking the evening meal. The scene when a really serious conflagration once gets a proper hold in the midst of these floating wooden homes may be imagined. Escape is impossible except for those moored at the outermost edge. In one of these conflagrations over a thousand persons lost their lives.

Wanted Her.

"An old couple from the east," says the Detroit Free Press, "are visiting their son in this city. If the mother gets out of sight of the father, he is constantly asking for her and is not content till they are together again. The other evening she went to another part of the house while he was in the parlor and after he had asked for her a half dozen times the son said, rather curtly:

"'It seems as though you couldn't be without mother five minutes at a time.'

"'You're right,' said the old gentleman slowly. 'That's the reason I married her.'"

Took Her at Her Word.

"I'll never tell another man I'd rather dance than eat."

"Why not?"

"He kept me waltzing until all the restaurants were closed."—Exchange.

Wherever there is a failure there is some giddiness, some superstition about luck, some step omitted, which nature never pardons.—Emerson.

DISGRACE ENDS IN SUICIDE

CLERK OF SCHOOL DISTRICT WHO WAS SHORT $64 ENDS LIFE

IN PEMBINA RIVER—HAD CASHED ORDERS FOR OTHERS AND USED THE MONEY

From Thursday's Daily—

Eugene Crueset aged 64 drowned himself in the Pembina river two miles east of Neche last night. He tied a sixteen pound sledge with a short cord to his throat. He left a note on the table at the home of Simon Lemier for whom he worked for his board, stating his intention of committing suicide by drowning. He wrote that he was unable to face the disgrace that he had brought upon himself by appropriating to his own use funds of the school district, of which he had been clerk for many years.

His peculations were made in the following manner: The school had been discontinued in his district and the pupils were sent to a neighboring district. Orders were issued to the other district for tuition and these Crueset cashed with the understanding that he was to give the money to the proper persons. Instead, he kept it himself. It is thought that in two instances the name of the president of the district was forged by Crueset whose wrong doing had been known for some time.

The school board of his district held a meeting on May 2 at which the case was discussed, Crueset admitting his offense. The total amount taken was $64 and the board told Crueset that they would allow him to continue as clerk, his salary of $25 for last year and the same for this year to apply on the amount.

No ill-feeling was shown, as Crueset had enjoyed the respect of all for many years and the disposition of the people of the district was one of profound regret at the discovery of the dishonesty of their old friend.

At a coroner's inquest held yesterday a verdict of premeditated suicide was soon reached. Crueset has no relatives in these parts.

FARGO CLUB MAY GO TO COAST

FARGO COMMERCIAL CLUB HAVE JUNKET TRIP TO ALASKA-YUKON EXPOSITION

The Annual Junket Trip of the Fargo Commercial club may be a trip to the Alaska-Yukon exposition this year

A committee of the club will investigate the possibility and feasibility of such a trip and George R. Hall will be the chairman of this committee.

The proposition to go to the Alaska-Yukon exposition in a special car or train was the result of the hustling propensities of the Northern Pacific road. This road thru their local agent, Mr. Johnson submitted to the club a statement of a similar trip which is to be made by the commercial club of Worcester Mass. They urged that the Fargo club should consider such a proposition and on motion of W. W. Smith the committee was authorized.

Nelson Fighting for Justice

It is gratifying to the newspaper publishers of Minnesota to note that Senator Nelson has taken up the fight in their behalf against the government usurpation of the job printing business. The senator has introduced a bill in the senate identical with the Ton Ville bill in the house providing for the prohibition of government printing of envelopes for private concerns. It was thru the solicitation of the Minnesota Editorial Association that the senator was induced to introduce this bill. Thus is the power of organization demonstrated. If the editorial associations of all the other states in the union take up this or any other proposition they can carry it thru. Senator Nelson is considerable of a scrapper and with him pushing this measure in the senate and a similar fight for it going on in the house there is every reason to hope that this unfair governmental discrimination against the job printers will be wiped out.—Middle River Pioneer.

A Card

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BIG DAMAGE SUIT AT BEMIDJI

BLACKDUCK WOMAN ASKS $5,000 FOR ALLEGED IMPROPER CARE OF HER SON

SHE SUES DR. KOCH OF BLACK DUCK FOR MALPRACTICE

From Thursday's Daily—

A $5,000 damage suit instituted by Mrs. Mary Johnson of Blackduck against Dr. Koch also of Blackduck, was taken up in district court at Bemidji and promises to be one of the hardest fought legal battles ever waged in Beltrami Co.

Senator Peterson of Moorhead is attorney for plaintiff and E. E. McDonald of Bemidji is defending Dr. Koch. Mrs. Johnson alleges that Dr. Koch attended her son in March, 1908, and owing to neglect and misbehavior of the physician, young Johnson died of diphtheria.

The case was taken up at noon and the jury secured at 4 o'clock after a searching examination by both attorneys.

While the jury was being secured Senator Peterson moved that Dr. Koch be sworn so as to ask the defendant if he was not at the time of the death of Johnson protected against actions for malpractice by a surety bond. Objection was made, but the motion was sustained and Dr. Koch stated that he was so pratected at the time and hal renewed the bond since then.

Senator Peterson in opening the case state that he intended to prove that the defendant physician had been guilty of neglect and incorrect diagnosis and wrongtreatment which had caused the death of young Johnson.

Dr. Koch was called for examination and was still on the stand when court adjourned this evening.

STATE AID MONEY ALL APPORTIONED

FERGUS FALLS WILL NOT SECURE $2,500 FOR AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

City Superintendent MacLean of Fergus Falls County Superintendent Charlotte M. Knudson of Otter Tail Co., Senator Sageng and A. G. Anderson of Fergus Falls returned from St. Paul Tuesday night where they went to endeavor to secure $2,500 state aid for the purpose of establishing an agricultural course in the Fergus Falls high school. The legislature appropriated $25,000 for the purpose of establishing such courses and the money is to be divided among ten high schools of the state.

Fergus Falls will not be one of them, however, the board which has the distribution in charge deciding to turn the money over to the Alexandria school instead. The Perham school was also a candidate. One thing believed to have affected the decision not to give the money to Fergus Falls was the fact that this city is already receiving a good deal of state money, having the insane hospital located here. The policy of the board having the distribution of the money in charge also appears to have been to give it to smaller schools rather than the larger high schools of the state.

The ten schools which will receive $2,500 each are those of McIntosh, Canby, Glencoe, Wells, Albert Lea, Cokato, Alexandria, Hinkley, Red Wing and a consolidated rural school in Lac Qui Parle county. Red Wing was selected as one of the places for the reason that ithas a $65,000 building erected especially for its domestic science and mechanics art department.

Owatonna Journal-Chronicle: The source of the state capitol letters, written by a "competent observer" and describing the work of the legislature which so many Minnesota news papers have been publishing is at last revealed. It is found that these were letters provided by an organization of Republican state officials in the capitol who furnished funds and employed the scribe to furnish these letters free to the country newspapers The best that can be believed as to their motive is a desire to advance the interests of the Republican party by coloring the legislative reports to that end. The worst to be believed of the scheme is that it was for the purpose of advancing the personal interests of the officials contributing thereto, and the interests of their particular friends and allies in the legislature. Take your choice. As for this paper it wanted and accepted none of the letters, whatever thtir source or object.

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Lessons From The S. S. Convention

The 51st annual convention of the Minnesota Sunday School Association is now history. It was one of the greatest and most successful conventions held since the state association was organized. It brought together some of the foremost Sunday school workers in the United States and the addresses given at the various sesions of an inspiring character.

Such great gatherings of men and women, banded together with the sole purpose of the spread of the gospel exerts a tremendous influence for good They represent a great army of people who are striving to uplift mankind and raise the standard of morality and good citizenship by spreading the gospel and teaching the great principle of charity and brotherly love.

As a result of such great conferences the very best thoughts and suggestions are interchanged and every delegate present returned home with a ninspiration to work harder, live better lives and exert a greater influence for good.

The pessimist who says the world is growing worse is mistaken. The survey of the field as shown in the reports made, demonstrates that substantial gains have been made for the cause of righteousness all along the line in Minnesota and those from a distance brought the same glad tidings.

To Crookston the convention was especially important. In addition to the renewed local interest that has been aroused hundreds of delegates from a distance have returned to their homes with a very much revised opinion of this section of the country and before departing were unanimous in a hearty expression of appreciation of the hospitality extended by the people of Crookston, and in their praise of the beauty of the city its cleanliness and orderliness.

The benefit to a city that comes from such great conventions cannot be overestimated. and the committees in charge are entitled to great credit for the able and effective work they did. It meant unremitting effort on their part and they are entitled to the thanks of the people of the city for it.

Scientific Tariff Making

Is the tariff a political question It once was, in that bygone time when free trade had a following when democracy was more or less committed to the heresy, and when whole sections as opposed to other sections combated the principle of protection.

But there is no political vitality in free trade today. The country no longer divides upon the question of protection. Even the south demands protection in a broader measure and is willing to accord protection, in exchange, to the products of other sections.

The principle of protection stands virtually unchallenged today. The principle is settled; the practical application of it to a thousand concrete commodities remains. Is it in any sense a matter of politics whether these diverse commodities get this or that measure of protection It is much more nearly a matter of science.

At least, the scientific method should be employed to determine the schedules. That method is, first exhaustive investigation as to the facts essential and surrounding, and then, a mathematical calculation upon the facts as to the rate of protection demanded by the ascertained conditions.

The day of political tariffs is passing. The day of the scientific tariff is just commenced. A political tariff, even when it justifies itself, is a crude affair compared to the twentieth century scientific tariffs which French and German trained economists prepare and which French and German parliaments adopt.

What measure of protection in any given year a commodity requires, should be as much of a technical ques tion as whether six and eight inch guns should be included in the armament of our new battleships, or whether our ships are armored sufficiently high.

Now that the battle for the principle of protection has been won, the day for scientific construction of tariffs has arrived. In the natural evolution of things the crudities of political tariffs will tend to disappear. Schedules must be recognized as commercial and industrial affairs.

The Payne-Aldrich tariff should be about the last one framed politically. A bureau or a commission, sitting continuously, whose function is the scientific determination of tariff schedules from the study of the business and industrial facts, should report its investigations and recommendations to congress as the basis for future tariff laws.—Minneapolis Journal.

Good Advice From A Forger

A few maxims as a guide to young men entering business were given at Chicago Tuesday by Peter Van Vlissingen former real estate operator, whose gigantic forgeries covering a period of twenty years, were unfolded last week. Van Vlissingen is serving a sentence in Pollet prison, but is in Chicago trying to straighten out his books for his creditors.

This is the advice which the "forger king" would have young men follow to avoid his own fate:

"Be honest in small things; all criminals begin by practicing small dishonesties."

"Do not permit your conscience to become calloused. Once this occurs the fall will be certain."

"Be economical, and never risk other people's money in a venture, no matter how certain success may seem."

"Once you commit a wrong, make restitution immediately for delay means ruin, maybe death."

Van Vlissingen said sadly that once he was known as "Honest Pete." His first forgery was for $2,500. A clerk discovered this and absconded with all the money. Then Van Vlissingen had to forge again, and he kept at it until a year ago when he was exposed.

This is the experience of most crooks. Fortune may seem to smile on them for a time but in the long run they come to grief. Disgrace follows exposure and the future holds but litle encouragement for them.

The practically of being absolutely honest in little things leaves no opportunities for paving the way to larger peculations.

Hides And The Tariff

Sufficient data has been furnished to President Taft to convince him that the proposed tax of 15 per cent ad valorem on hides can not benefit the farmer or cattle raiser. It means simply a handicap of about $2 per hide upon the independent leather dealer or shoe manufacturer and a bonus of that amount to the Leather trust, which is controlled by the combine of packing house magnates.

The import duty enables the packers to screw up the price of hides to the independent tanners and in order to reap the full advantage of their position, the packers have gone into the tanning business themselves. If the proposed duty on hides is retained the next step of the packers' combine will be to go into the shoe manufacturing business and so absorb the tanning and shoe leather idustries.

Senators and Representatives in congress who contend that the tariff on hides is protecting the farmer simply are fooling themselves. The farmer knows better. In 1907, when the farmers were selling their cattle for $12.50 a head the packers were selling the hides for $9 each. The duty on hides operates to force up artificially the cost of all articles manufactured of leather and the ultimate consumer foots the bills.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Milaca Times: The Milaca Times editor knows something about Socialism but wisely keeps it to himself. —St. Cloud Times. And the editor of the St. Cloud Times knows nothing about Socialism and is unwisely exposing his ignorance.

CONG'MAN STEENERSON IS HOT AFTER M'VEIGH

CROOKSTON CONGRESSMAN WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT PURE FOOD RULINGS—INTIMATES THAT YOU CAN POISON THE PEOPLE BY IT IF YOU HAVE A PULL—INTRODUCES RESOLUTIONS CALLING FOR INFORMATION FROM SEVERAL DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS ABOUT EXECUTIVE ORDERS SUSPENDING RULES

Acting on what he believes to be reliable information to the effect "that if you have a pull you can poison the people and profit by it," Representative Steenerson of Minnesota, according to a Washington special yesterday introduced four resolutions in the house calling upon the department of commerce and labor, department of agriculture, department of justice and the treasury department for information as to whether there has been any executive order suspending the operation of the pure food law or suspending prosecution in any case where a charge of violation has been made.

Mr. Steenerson says that he has information to the effect that there has been such executive orders by some of the departments, and if this is true he wants to know what they were, who secured them, and why.

"It appears," continued Mr. Steenerson, "that there are a great many instances in which there is a very close question whether a certain food comes under the ban of the law, or whether it does not.

"This question is reported to be decided by some individual in some of the departments. In other words, there seems to be a pile of good fish and a pile of bad fish. If the fish is doubtful and belongs to a man with a pull, it goes to the good pile. Otherwise it goes to the bad pile.

"What is wanted is to know by just what process the decision is made."

One bill of information which Mr. Steenerson has is a statement credited to Speaker Bancroft of the Wisconsin legislature, who is quoted as saying:

"The present secretary of the United State treasury is a man of ability because he has succeeded in making a million dollars by cheating the American people with adulterated foods. For this reason he was chosen to guard the money of the country and incidentally, override the rulings of the national food commissioner."

Mr. Steenerson hopes to get action on his resolutions within a week or ten days.

HIS BODY IS FOUND ON HIS FATHER'S GRAVE

CHARLES E. RICH MANAGER OF WESTERN UNION AT GRAND FORKS SLAYS SELF WHILE INSANE — BODY OF DECEASED IS FOUND BY SEXTON IN CEMETERY AT MAQUOKETA, IOWA—DECEASED LEFT GRAND FORKS FRIDAY NIGHT AND HIS WHEREABOUTS WERE UNKNOWN UNTIL FATAL NEWS — WAS BROTHER OF MRS. C. C. HARRINGTON AND GEORGE RICH

Many friends were shocked yesterday by the news from Maquoketa, Ia., that Charles Rich, manager of the Grand Forks office of the Western Union, had committed suicide in a cemetery.

The following brief message dated Maquoketa, Ia., was received from the Associated Press by The Herald yesterday:

"Charles E. Rich of Grand Forks, N. D., shot himself on his father's grave in this city early this morning. His body was found by the sexton. Rich was formerly a telegraph operator at this place and in Chicago. He was 45 years of age and married."

That Manager Rich was insane when he took his life is not doubted by those who knew him best. He had been worrying over his business affairs and had been drinking heavily for the past few weeks. His affairs are in bad shape according to the Western Union employes. There is no shortage to furnish a motive. Insanity seems to be the only plausible theory. For a period of over six months he had acted queer at times and it is believed that his excessive drinking was due largely to a desire to overcome his mental affliction.

The deceased left Grand Forks Friday of last week. He caught an evening train for Crookston and purchased a ticket for that point. All efforts to trace him from Crookston failed. His relatives had the police use every effort to find him. It was thought Monday that he had gone to Duluth.

Assistant Superintendent Bradley of Minneapolis is at Grand Forks to look after the office. He found everything in good shape. If there should be any shortage it will not be over $100. Rich left $170 in a local bank. From this it is certain that it was not any financial difficulty which troubled him.

The deceased is survived by a daughter aged six years, who has been making her home here with him, his sister, Mrs. C. E. Harrington formerly of Euclid and now of Grand Forks and his brother George Rich. They left for Iowa to attend the funeral. The deceased will be laid to rest by the side of his father, who died several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrington and Mr. Rich passed thru Crookston last night and were accompanied this far by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Misner old friends, who went to Grand Forks yesterday on receipt of the news.

GERMANS VOTED IRISH ELECTED

WM. P. MURPHY ELECTED ALDERMAN YESTERDAY BY VOTE OF 140 TO 80

BIGGEST VOTE POLLED EVER RECORDED IN SECOND WARD —TWO BLANKS

From Tuesday's Daily—

The dust is all settled in the Second ward. The battle of ballots waged yesterday in the aldermanic fight resulted in the election of Wm. P. Murphy by a vote of 140 to 88, giving Mr. Murphy a majority of 52.

The vote polled was the largest in the history of the Second ward, 230, there being two blank ballots.

From early morning till the polls closed at 7 o'clock the two factions hustled out the votes. Mr. Murhy will qualify at once and take his seat in the council at the next meeting.

This settles a controversy that has been the subject of much discussion since the retirement of B. F. Zerracher who resigned some months ago. Mr. Rauch has atended but two meetings during his appointment to fill the vacancy.

STRUCK BLOW; MIND FAILED

SAD CASE OF BOY TAKEN TO HOME FOR THE FEEBLE MINDED

ONE TAKEN FROM POLK AND ONE FROM RED LAKE COUNTIES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Last evening county commissioner Ben Clements went to Faribault in charge of Otto Leadhoff aged 21 years who was committed to the home for the feeble minded. He has been living with his sister, Mrs. John Gilstorf who resides on section 15 in the town of Crookston.

His mother accompanied him. The father deserted his family several years ago and his mother claims that Otto was bright until his father hit him over the head with a cord wood stick when he was about 12 years old.

Sheriff Olson came down from Red Lake County also last night with Ragnild Roning who was also committed to the home for the feeble minded She has been supported by the town of Numedal for years. She is 55 years of age and single.

IN THE INTEREST OF PRODUCERS

Plan to Organize Cattlemen and Grain Growers.

MEETS IN SPRINGFIELD, MO.

National Farmers' Union Proposes to Carry Out the Same Plans in the West and Southwest as It Has in the South, Where It Is Now Claimed That Organization Controls the Price of Cotton.

Springfield, Mo., May 13.—The first step toward securing closer relations between the grain growers and cattle raisers of the West and Southwest was taken here at a mass meeting of the National Farmers' union, which has a membership of 3,000,000. The sessions will be executive. Charles S. Barrett of Union City, La., president of the union, however, gave an outline of the body's work in a significant interview before calling the meeting to order.

"We have," said President Barrett, "found a solution for one of the most important problems in the South, the handling of the cotton crop to the best interests of the grower. There has been no consolidation of the farmers into a 'trust,' but an amalgamation of warehouses. At the present time we have a thorough organization that can regulate the price of cotton. We are deriving as much benefit in the cotton markets today as the market manipulators. We have now reached nearly the height of our usefulness to the South and have turned to the assistance of the Middle West and the Northern farmer with our organization and financial support.

"I am not familiar with the condition and needs of the grain and stock growers, but the solution we have found in the South will be the basis of our work here."

DETRIMENT TO FLOUR TRADE

Wheat Manipulation Affects Our Foreign Business.

Washington, May 13.—"Wheat manipulation at Chicago has rendered business in American flour impossible for months," reports Special Agent M. H. David of the department of commerce and labor. Mr. David has been in Europe for several months investigating conditions of the markets there for grain and flour. He writes the bureau of manufactures touching the effect of recent speculation in this country in wheat as follows:

"I confidently believe that if the wheat speculators had let the market alone we should have had exported at least 2,000,000 barrels more of flour to Great Britain and Europe on the current crop than the figures will now show.

"Dealers everywhere were turning their attention to America, influenced somewhat by the work done to regain their trade, and they were finding that the improved quality of our product and better shipping service was telling in their favor. Then in October the corner began to develop and trade was turned aside. The price of bread and the distressed financial conditions on this side did not justify in the minds of buyers any faith in higher prices. The result is the home mills on this side have done more business than usual and the importers less."

MERGER OF COAL COMPANIES

New Concern the Largest of Its Kind in the World.

Baltimore, May 13.—The Consolidation Coal company has announced that negotiations have been completed for merging the Piedmont Coal company, the Somerset Coal company, the Clarksburg Fuel company, the Pittsburg and Fairmont Fuel company and the subsidiaries, including railroads, floating equipment, docks and other property owned, with the Consolidation Coal company, thus making the latter corporation the largest mining industry of its kind in the world.

The companies have a combined capital stock of $37,650,000 and own and control 200,000 acres of coal lands in Maryland, West Virginia and Pennsylvania. The capital stock is exclusive of the bonded debt and outstanding capital of the subsidiaries.

Roosevelt's Luck Continues.

Nairobi, B. E. A., May 13.—Theodore Roosevelt's hunting luck continues. The former president, on his last expedition, shot a leopard and captured the animal's two cubs. A buffalo and two giraffes have also been captured by the expedition. The party is still in camp near Machakos. No further cases of smallpox have developed among the porters.

Probably Means End of Matter.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 13.—The Missouri state senate refused to recede from the tax rider amendment to the prohibition joint resolution and asked the house for a conference committee. This action is taken generally as spelling the end of legislative action on the subject at this session of the general assembly.

WANDERING LEG GETS BACK HOME

SWEDE LEAVES HIS ARTIFICIAL LIMB IN CUSTODY FOR FOUR YEARS

C. E. MISNER OF PASADENA AIDED HIM TO REACH HIS BELOVED BROTHER

From Wednesday's Daily—

"For four years the ghost of a cork leg has been stalking about the country," says the Pasadent, Cal., Star, "but at last it has been returned to its owner, and Charles E. Misner, now with the Frank C. Platt Investment Co., is relieved to think that the troubled spirit will cease its wanderings.

"Mr. Misner, before he came to Pasadena, was chairman of the poor committee at Crookston, Minn., where it was his business to destroy the reputation Crookston had long enjoyed, a sa haven for weary vagrants and gentlemen of leisure trying to collect the living which the world owed them

"In February, 1905, one Emil Johnson a Scandinavian, came down from Winnipeg, when the thermometer was forty degrees below zero. Emil was a plain hobo, but he had a cork leg extending almost to his thigh and he also had a desire to be entertained at the expense of the town of Crookston.

"Mr. Misner as chairman of the poor committee soon convinced him that he could not be the guest of the municipality, and was going to send him back to Winnipeg. Emil wanted to go to Duluth instead, saying he had a brother there, but this was the usual story given in such cases, and carried little weight.

"Finally the Scandinavian offered to leave his cork leg as security, if he could be provided with the $7.77 necessary to transport him to his brother's residence. Mr. Misner agreed, and the leg was placed on file in the records of the poor committee.

"Soon Mr. Misner came to Pasadena Shortly afterwards he received two postal cards from Emil in Chicago, His epistle was commenced on one card and ended on the other card. It was to the effect that "Ay got job here but ay bane ned my leg to hold it."

"Mr. Misner referred the serial communication to his successor as chairman of the poor committee at Crookston.

"Last week there appeared in the Detroit Fre Press a dispatch to the effect that the cork leg had finally been returned to its owner. It was worth $125.

"During the four years' interval, the press of the middle west has been filled with stories of the affair. Several of the sensational journals faked up photos of Mr. Misner walking down the street with the long leg under his arm.

"Now the leg is firmly attached to Emil's hip again and the Scandinavian probably will not let it out of his possession again."

DIRTY FIGHT IN GRAND FORKS

CITY COUNCIL DETERMINED TO MAKE MAYOR TAYLOR SIMPPLY A FIGUREHEAD

LEGALITY OF MAYOR'S ACTION IN REMOVING DURICK SETTLED IN COURTS

From Monday's Daily—

A mandamus action will probably be instituted today by Attorneys Scott Rex and G. C. H. Corliss in be half of M. E. Durick street commissioner removed by Mayor J. D. Taylor of Grand Forks which will decide the legality of the mayor's action in removing Durick, vetoing a resolution paying him for services after his removal and appointing John Dunlop to succeed him.

The attorneys for Mr. Durick who have looked up legal authorities, say in regard to the proposition that they are convinced that the mayor's acts are clearly illegal.

Before Judge Templeton

The case will be taken up before Judge C. F. Templeton and it is likely that it will be taken to the supreme court for a final decision no matter what he may rule.

The mayor vetoed the resolution authorizing the payment of Durick's salary Tuesday.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuie is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

Smart Clothes

The Smart Dresser, who will wear nothing but "nifty" Clothes —Clothes that are right up to the hour, or a few moments ahead, in style, can satisfy his "longings" here.

We dress these Young Fellows with their ideal garments. Suits with every new twist, turn and quirk in Cut and Tailoring.

The lapels are just right, the dip of the coat is correct— the slant of the pockets, the artistic flaps and natty cuffs are just the thing. Then the cut of the vest with its pocket flaps and the smart cut trousers with cuffs, combine with the style of the new fabrics to make suit swellness.

These Suits cause many a Young Man to exclaim—"Ah!—that's it, exactly!"

$15, $20 to $35

SPOKELY
CORRECT CLOTHES

LIBERAL RESPONSES

BOTH CASH AND PROVISIONS PROVIDED BY A GENEROUS PUBLIC

NORTHWESTERN TELEPHONE CO. INSTALLS A FREE TELEPHONE

From Wednesday's Daily—

People are responding very liberally to the Ritko relief fund. Up to this noon $43.25 had been subscribed in cash and in addition fuel and provisions have been provided.

The Northwetern Telephone Co. thru the courtesy of Manager Bracelin very generously offered to install a free telephone in the woodshed of the Ritko residence so that aid can be secured if the two children now very ill need a physician hurriedly of if other assistance is needed, they could be had in short time.

If the cash subscriptions continue to come in the amount necessary to defray the funeral expense of the two children who have already been called by the Grim Reaper will have been secured.

Following is a list of those who have already offered assistance:

Journal Force	$ 2.00
N. P. Stenshoel	1.00
W. F. Peterson	1.00
Mrs. B. Sampson	2.00
Mrs. Chas. Holt	1.00
Martin Mossefin	1.00
Andrew Holger	.50
T. T. Ove	.50
M. Ericsson	2.00
G. H. Wright	1.00
Chas. E. Klewel	2.50
C. F. Mix	1.00
C. A. Kroog	.25
G. T. Hagen	.25
T. T. Morken	.25
P. H. Ramstad	.25
E. N. Eklund	.25
T. H. Rude	.25
S. Bangen	.25
A. G. Andersen	1.00
W. G. Lytle	2.00
P. K. Haslerud	2.00
H. C. Misner	1.00
Friend	10.00
G. Hamery	.50
J. W. Wheeler	5.00
C. H. Byers	1.00
C. O. D. Clothing House	2.00
Friend	.50
Friend	.50
Friend	.50
Total Cash	$43.25
John A. Nelson,	load of wood
J. L. Thompson	Provisions
Supt. Robertson, Ex. Farm	Provis's
Equitable Fraternal Union	Prov.
S. L. Collins,	free delivery of Prov.
Northwestern Tel. Co.	Free Tel. Ser.

BELIEVE BABE WAS MURDERED

BODY OF LITTLE BABY WAS FOUND IN THE RED LAKE RIVER

CORONER STENSHOEL AND OFFICERS ARE TRYING TO LOCATE GUILTY PARTIES

From Wednesday's Daily—

A profound sensation was caused in this city last evening by the discovery in the Red Lake River just below the new Great Northern bridge near the foot of Front street of a little baby girl, fully developed, with its forehead crushed in by a blow from some blunt instrument, and Coroner Stenshoel, Chief Eck, Sheriff Daniels and County Attorney Hagen all are unanimous in the opinion that it is a foul murder.

The infant had not been in the water more than a day or two and was in perfect shape. All the machinery of the law has been started to unearth the guilty party or parties, and as the tragedy has been enacted so recently the officials feel certain that arrests will follow within a day or two.

There was nothing on the child that might lead to identification. It had been thrown into the river absolutely naked. The body was in such perfect state of preservation that the marks of the fatal blow were very distinct.

No stone will be left unturned to mete out justice to the guilty.

CANADIAN RIGHTS SOLD

BEN CLEMENTS MACHINE TO BE MANUFACTURED IN WINNIPEG

SOLD RIGHTS AT A GOOD PRICE AND WILL GET A ROYALTY BESIDES

Ben Clements has completed a deal for the sale of the right to manufacture and sell his ditching machine in Canada. The machine for the Canadian trade will be manufactured in Winnipeg by a big concern.

The price paid for the right was a good one and in addition Mr. Clements will receive a royalty on every machine manufactured.

MAKING HOMES IN THE TIMBER

MOOSE CREEK COUNTRY IN BELTRAMI COUNTY RAPIDLY DEVELOPING

"The territory around Moose creek is being rapidly settled with a progressive set of farmers who will soon have that section developed into one of the most progressive agricultural and dairying districts of Beltrami county" says J. R. Kolar, who has a homestead near the mouth of Moose creek.

Several homesteaders who made filings at the Cass Lake office on lands in the Moose creek country are already on their claims and are building homes and preparing for the summer's work. There are many Bohemian settlers in the Moose creek country. They are first class farmers and of a thrifty disposition—just the kind of people needed to develop a new country.

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BUILDING A NEW RAILROAD

IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENT IS GOING ON IN CENTRAL MINNESOTA

RAILS BEING LAID FROM SWAN RIVER TO HILL CITY

From Tuesday's Daily—

An important event for central Minnesota was the arrival of the track layers at Hill City yesterday over the road bed of the Mississippi, Hill City & Western Railway. This is a new railroad enterprise, running from Swan River on the Great Northern railroad's Duluth line into Hill City in northwestern Aitkin County.

It opens a rich section of cou[illegible] hitherto inaccessible, but which has already attracted a good many settlers, drawn thither by the superior quality of the sail and the existence of large bodies of fine hardwood timber. It was this hardwood timber which led outside capital, assisted by residents of the locality, to organize and build this independent railway for the purpose primarily of getting out this hardwood for manufacturing purposes.

Hill City is beautifully situated on the west shore of Hill Lake, a body of water five miles long, but which narrows opposite Hill City, where it is crossed by the railroad, which terminates in the village.

This is destined to be a prosperous dairy farming country with excellent markets near at hand in the iron mining towns.

Central Minnesota has been much neglected heretofore because of lack of railroad facilities, but the penetration by an independent line into that region between the Great Northern and Nor. Pacific is going to change the condition of things in that quarter. Trains will run regularly from Swan River to Hill City about June 1st.

Historical Society

GREAT PRAISE FOR PROF. RYDNING

CROOKSTON MUSICIAN IS GIVEN A HIGH COMPLIMENT AT GRAND FORKS

Speaking of the 17th of May celebration at Grand Forks yesterday the Herald says:

"Both afternoon and evening programs were given and on both occasions the large auditorium was packed to its greatest capacity. The afternoon exercises were opened with a magnificent pipe organ solo by Prof. P. H. Rydning, of Crookston, whose playing was received most enthusiastically. Prof. Rydning has the honor of being recognized as the greatest Norwegian pipe organ soloist in America. He played the pipe organ with brilliant success in the large cities in Norway when but 11 years of age. His renditions yesterday at both entertainments were a revelation to the music lovers present."

MOORHEAD MAN GETS CONTRACTS

HAS SEVERAL CONTRACTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CROOKSTON WALKS

Contractor Godfrey of Moorhead has been given several contracts for the construction of cement walks in Crookston. Among those whom he will build sidewalks for near the court house are Chas. Loring, W. A. Marin and G. S. Chesterman. Local contractors state that while there is considerable work in sight later on, that more sidewalk work could be handled at the present time.

Montana is getting to be a favorite playground for train robbers. The gang that would let an engine run wild into a passenger train as the bandits did Saturday night near Mead should be hung, and hung quickly. Robbery is bad enough but a set of brutes who take fiendish delight in the slaughter of human beings after robbing a train are so low that no prison sentence is severe enough. They are not human.

Journal want ads bring results.

SHOCK FELT AT WINNIPEG

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK PARTICULARLY SEVERE AT REGINA, WESTERN CANADA

PEOPLE IN SEVERAL CITIES WERE TERROR STRICKEN—FIRST IN HISTORY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Earthquake shocks varying in intensity were felt all thru the west Canadian prairies at about 10:20 o'clock central time Saturday evening in most places rattling dishes banging doors and shaking windows, while at several points people were driven in alarm out of doors.

At Woolseley the well of the electlight plant caved in just before [illegible]k was felt and the town was plu[illegible] darkness.

At Re[illegible]tients in the hospital were shaken out of bed and people rushed in terror from hotels and big buildings.

Light at Winnipeg

The shock was very light in that city but was distinctly felt at Selkirk on Lake Winnipeg and from there the disturbance was noted at scattered points for 1,000 miles west across the prairie.

The shocks appear to have been most severe in the heavy "Gumbo" country of the Saskatchewan along the main line of the Canadian Pacific but were felt as far north as Prince Albert.

First in Country's History

It is the first time in known history that earthquake shocks have visited the Red River or Saskatchewan valleys and Professor Frank Allen, Ph. D,. of Manitoba university said last night that they might never recur.

The professor attributes the disturbance to a wave or echo of serious earthquakes in South America or the central Pacific, and holds that the vibration thus caused has followed the shord of a circle coming out in the Canadian Prairie.

He points out that the last earthquake on record was noticed at first in the observatories of western Europe, and it was some weeks before it became known that the disturbance actually occurred in the barbarous region of northern India and Persia. He thus thinks that information will come to hand of an upheaval in the southern part of the continent or in the waters of the Pacific.

The following towns in Manitoba experienced the shocks: Selkirk, Deloraine and Virden; and the following in Saskatchewan: Moosomin, Langham, Maple Creek, Swift Current, Theodore, Qu'Appelle, Wolseley and Creelman.

Felt in North Dakota.

North Glasgow, Havre and Great Falls, Mont., were severely shaken, and the shock was felt as far east as Dickinson and Fryburg, N. D., where telegraphers were frightened from their posts.

HAD NOT MET IN TWENTY YEARS

One of the Knights of Columbus who attended the big gathering here yesterday, coming down with the bunch from Winnipeg on a special car was L. T. Moore a prominent business man from Montreal who hapuened to be in Winnipeg on business and dropped down to attend gathering and also to shake hands with his cousin, E. M. Walsh the two not having met for the past 20 years.

The day's visit was thoroly enjoyed Mr. Moore leaving last evening on the Great Northern flyer for the return trip to Montreal.

Immediate Results.

Mrs. Hinnesy—Jamie, phwat's thot noise? James—'Tis little Paddy Mulligan pokin' a shtick into th' ribs o' Casey's goat. Mrs. Hinnesy—Ah, he's shtopped now! James—No, mother; he's goin' yet. I think he won't shtop till he strikes th' house.—Exchange.

A Little Slow.

"How's collections at your church, Brudder Shinn?"

"Well, we ain't nebber had to stop in de middle ob a collection to go an' impty de box." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Grateful Man.

"Whenever I look at my wife," said the husband of the celebrated fattest woman on earth, "I feel that I have a great deal to be thankful for."—Chicago Tribune.

DARING ROBBERS HOLD-UP GREAT NORTHERN TRAIN

Rifled Mail And Wrecked Cars Near Colbert Wash. Booty Valued At $20,000.

Crew Attempts To Foil Robbery. Desperados Say "We Have Been Heard of Before."

From Monday's Daily—

In the hold-up of Great Northern passenger train No. 3, between Colbert and Mead shortly before 12 Saturday night 12 persons were injured when the engine and mail car were run wild down the track by the bandits after they had rifled the mails collided with the remaining cars of the train. The bandits detached the engine and mail car from the train ran them down the track and after the registered mail had been opened sent the car back to collide with the balance of the train.

The conductor saw the wild cars running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour and he and the trainmen placed a tie on the track in an effort to stop them.

When the train reached Colbert, some switching had to be done. While the engine was busy two men appeared in the cab and ordered engineer William Miller to couple his engine to the train and pull out.

Machine-Like Work of Robbers

After the train had proceeded a few miles the engineer was ordered to stop and he and his fireman were forced to leave the cab. Two robbers then went to the door of the mail car and ordered it opened. Their commands were obeyed by Benjamin F. Stumps mail clerk.

Meanwhile two other bandits were with the engineer and fireman who were uncoupling the mail car and the locomotive. Soon after the train stopped, conductor C. L. Robertson jumped from the car but was driven back by a dozen revolver shots. Hastily climbing into the cab the outlaws sent the engine down the track how far is not known.

Half an hour after the engine and mail car had disappeared they were seen coming down the track and hurried preparations were made to ditch the runaways but without complete success.

Two Trainloads of Deputies

Two special train loads of deputies were hurried from Spokane when word of the hold-up was recerved. Doctors were also taken out on the train to care for the injured. Chief Ryan of Hillyard sent out with a posse and watched all roads leaving Spokane. No trace of the robbers was found. It is reported that the bandits obtained a large sum of money from the registered mail, the amount being placed at $20,000.

As the robbers entered the cab at Colbert, one said to the engineer:

"You have heard of us before," indicating that they had been involved in other train hold-ups in the vicinity of Spokane, the last few months.

Many Rumors Afloat

There were many rumors afloat Great Northern employes here last evening and this morning. One was to the effect that the express car had also been robbed of about $15,000 and another was that several cars were smashed to pieces and three persons killed when the engine and detached cars collided with the train, but none of them could be substantiated.

WILL ASK FOR EXTRA SESSION

NORTHERN COUNTIES PLAN PETITION URGING NEED OF REAPPORTIONMENT

HARRY IVES GIVES INTERVIEW TO A MINNEAPOLIS NEWSPAPER

From Tuesday's Daily—

According to Harry S. Ives of St. Hilaire a monster petition is to be sent from northern Minnesota to Governor John A. Johnson, asking him to call a special session of the legislature to pass a legislative reapportionment bill. Mr. Ives was at the state capitol yesterday and said the movement was already under way. He was a republican candidate for the house last fall in district composed of Beltrami, Cleanwater and Red Lake counties.

"We think the only chance for northern Minnesota to get justice in legislative representation is a special session called for the purpose," said Mr. Ives to a Minneapolis Journal representative. "There will be a federal census next year, but the result will not be out in time for the legislature of 1911 to use it for a basis of apportionment. Southern Minnesota will put us off again on the pretext that we must wait for the federal census. So it will go on year after year, unless the legislature's duty is brought up to it by a call for a special session. Our district has six times the population of some in southern Minnesota even going by the 1905 census. A petition will soon be circulated and will be signed by thousands of voters in northern Minnesota. Governor Johnson has called attention to the ujust codition of affairs and I think if the public demand for reapportionment is made strong enough he will make the call for an extra session."

The pessimist doesn't bore us with his alleged funny stories.

DISCUSSED NEW STATE ROAD

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION MET RELATIVE TO NEW PARK $10,000 ROAD

SENATOR HANSON VOTED AGAINST THIS BILL PROBABLY BY MISTAKE

From Monday's Daily—

The State Highway Commission has just concluded a session held at Douglas Lodge, Itasca Park relative to the construction of the new state highway leading to the park which will make it possible to get to the park either from Park Rapids or from Bagley.

At the recent session of the state legislature a bill providing for a $10,000 appropriation for this purpose was passed, the only negative votes being cast having come from Senator Hanson and Ole Sageng, the vote of Hanson probably having been by mistake.

The road has been badly needed for some years past and the people thru out that section are rejoicing that it will be constructed this year.

Any money expended on highway construction is money well expended. We want more good roads just as fast as they can be built.

"17 DE MAI" QUIET HERE

The 17th of May, Norwegian independence day passed off very quietly here, there being no special celebration. The Viking Chorus went to Leeds, N. D., to help celebrate there. Fargo, Grand Forks, Bemidji and other points had big celebrations but as July 5th is to be a red letter day here coupled with the firemen's tournament it was not thought advisable to celebrate the 17th.

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PREPARING FOR TOURNEY

PLAN METHOD OF RAISING FUNDS FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF FIREMEN AND EAGLES

OF WINNIPEG — GREAT 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION IS PLANNED

From Tuesday's Daily—

A start was made today to prepare for the big event of the year—the Firemen's Tournament and the 4th of July celebration. The committees appointed by the Commercial club and the Crookston Fire Department met in the commercial club rooms this morning and the result was that from now on the many details will be taken care of and there is no question but that the result will be one of the been held in Crookston.

While the committee assembled this morning with the special object of planning for the financing of the project, considerable time was taken in discussing and talkig over the program which would be arranged for the event and from the plans which have been formed there is no question but that thousands of visitors will be attracted to Crookston and for at least three days the city will have all the visitors that can be looked after.

Great Fourth Celebration

In the first place it is the intention of the committee to pull off a Fourth of July celebration of such magnitude as has never before been attempted in this section of the northwest. There will be a display of fireworks which will be specially made up for the occasion and the past few years of inactivity along this line will be more than made up for. Many set pieces have been selected already pending the final ratification of the committees and all kinds of different colored fire, rockets, Roman candles, bombs etc. At the same time citizens generally will undoubtedly lay in a store of fireworks larger and more extended than heretofore thought of and thruout the day and night patriotic enthusiasm will be at fever heat.

The national holiday will be celebrated on July 5 and this feature of the program cannot help but attract residents from all sections of northwestern Minnesota. Already word has been received from different towns and cities in the section that they would have large crowds here to participate in the celebration.

Tournament Opens July 5th

The opening day of the Firemen's Tournament for Northwestern Minnesota will be July 5 and the following three days will be devoted to the association's entertainment and pleasure. The firemen always attract large crowds and the indication is that owing to the central location of the tournament city great crowds will attend from all directions.

Secretary Thomas R. Johnstone has been spending some time in visiting the different cities in this section and arousing enthusiasm along the lines of sending running teams to take part in tournament and he has met with great success. Many will come with well trained and drilled teams and some will bring their entire fire department. Others will bring their local bands, baseball clubs and many of their citizens so that there will be no question as to the success of the tournament.

Winnipeg Eagles Coming

Thru invitations extended by the local lodge of Eagles the fire department, the city officials and the commercial club the lodge of Eagles of Winnipeg will celebrate the Fourth of July in Crookston. At the present time arrangements are being made to bring a big excursion to the city from the Canadian city and it is estimated that if the plans now farmulated are carried out at least 1,000 Cnadians will spend July 5 in the city.

This will give the celebration international importance and interest and will be of the utmost benefit to the city.

A Woodmen's Day

One of the three days of the tournament will be devoted to the Woodmen of Northwestern Minnesota and special prizes will be offered for the best drilled and uniformed Forester team. It is expected that nearly every lodge in this section will have its team present and this will add greatly to the attendance and enthusiasm prevailing.

Special Trains Necessary

It will be necessary to secure several special trains on the different branches of the lines reaching Crookston for July 5. The committee has got this under consideration and there is no doubt but that every facility will be afforded so that every section can reach the city in time to participate i every feature of the program. A special will be absolutely necessary from Winnipeg and also from Warroad while the other branch lines will also be looked after.

Committee Will Visit All

In order to have this large celebration it will be necessary for the citizens of Crookston to furnish the funds to entertain the large crowds which will make Crookston their headquarters for at least three days. The fireworks and the prizes offered to the competing teams during the tournament will involve considerable expense and the committee on finance has decided to give every one an opportunity to participate in the pleasure of the event. Different members of the committee will start out next Thursday morning and make a thoro canvass of the business section of the city and it is hoped that they will meet with a most liberal response.

Whatever is to be done must be done at once as in a very short time advertising matter must be gotten out and sent into all sections and at the same time the program has to be arranged and all the preliminary details must be made ready. The committee desires to close up its canvass in as short a time as possible and to this end it is desired that an announcement should be made of its visit.

START SUIT AGAINST E. G. F.

TO RESTRAIN MUNICIPALITY FROM USING NEW DUMPING GROUNDS

HEARING ON 24TH BEFORE JUDGE WATTS IN THIS CITY

From Tuesday's Daily—

Pauers were served yesterday on Mayor Dunlevy, City Recorder Zimmerman, members of the city council, and City Scavenger Garland of East Grand Forks in a joint quadruple action started before the district court in Crookston to secure an injunction restraining the city from making use of its new dumpig grounds for the purpose for which the land was bought. The plaintiffs in the case include the state of Minnesota, the town of Grand Forks, in Polk county, School District No. 2 and Belama Brunell, Robert Kerr, Andrew Redving, Margaret Iland, B. J. Hagen and Iver M. Johnson The case is scheduled to come up before Judge Watts in chambers here on the 24th inst.

A protest was recently filed with the above named officers and the city council on considering the same, decided to not heed the protest and allow a test case to be made, instruct City Attorney Finlayson to defend the same. The city will take the position that until there has been an actual violation of the law the plaintiffs will have no cause of action and an effort will be made to prevent the misuse of the ground. The complaint in the case charges that there has already been violations of the law since the ground was purchased. The attorney general will appear in the case for the state and Bronson & Collins for the other plaintiffs. The state will assist in prosecuting the action to the limit as a warning to other communities.

NORMAN COUNTY S. S. ORGANIZED

STATE SECRETARY A. M. LOCKER SPENDS SUNDAY AT ADA

A. M. Locker, Secretary of the Minnesota Sunday School Association was at Ada Sunday and organized a County Union with the following officers:

P. O. Ohnstad Ada, president.

Wm. Anderson, Hendrum, Vice President.

C. G. Allen, Ada, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. A. L. Hanson, Ada, superintendent of Evangelical work.

C. R. Andrews, Ada, Supt. Training Department.

Gilmer Moen, Ada, Supt. Home Department.

DISPATCH BUYS PIONEER PRESS

NEWSPAPER CONSOLIDATION IN ST. PAUL COMES AS GREAT SURPRISE

INFORMATION IS GIVEN OUT BY OWNER OF THE PIONEER PRESS

From Monday's Daily—

St. Paul, May 15—Webster Wheelock editor and one of the principal owners of the Pioneer Press company, yesterday announced to the Associated Press the sale of the Pioneer Press newspaper afternoon and morning, the 12-story building and its manufacturing plant to C. H. Grasty and others interested in publishing the St. Paul Dispatch. Mr. Wheelock said that altho the final transfer of the stock of the Pioneer Press company had not yet been made, the preliminary negotiations toward that end had been completed.

The absorption by the Dispatch of the Pioneer Press will undoubtedly mean the discontinuance of the Evening Pioneer Press, the afternoon edition of that paper.

WANTS MONEY FOR HUBBY

ASSERTS THAT WEALTHY WOMAN ALIENATED AFFECTIONS OF HER HUSBAND.

DEFENDANT IS WELL KNOWN IN ROCK ISLAND, MOLINE AND DAVENPORT, IA.

Los Angeles, May 17—The romance of Mrs. Jane Harris culminated yesterday in the filing of a suit for $150,000 damages for alleged alienation of her husband's affections, against Mrs. Grace Velte Harper, a former resident of Rock Island, Ill., Mobile, Ala., and Davenport, Iowa, and reputed to be wealthy, Stuart Harper, her husband, is also made a defendant to the suit.

The complaint avers that Mrs. Harper used her "arts, enticements and allurements," to maliciously alienate the affections of Sidney Harris, husband of the plaintiff and chaffeur of the defendant, from his lawful wife.

What the Wife Says.

Mrs. Harper had employed Harris six months previous to his marriage with the defendant, and after months of wedded bliss, according to the complaint, he surrendered to the mistress of the automobile of which he was pilot.

Rock Island, Mrs. Harper's home, was the center of the whirlwind of trouble that followed. It was there, in December, 1907, that the defendant is alleged to have obtained the supremacy over the contested affections of her chaffeur, and from that time until the following January held undisputed sway.

In January, Mrs. Harris effected a reconciliation with her husband and departed with him from Rock Island. In March he returned to Rock Island, and the alleged wiles of Mrs. Harper, against the wishes of his wife, so she says.

STUNTED OAKS.

Miniature Trees That Are Grown In China Bowls.

In the window of a florist stood some quaint china bowls, in each of which grew a tree—not a shrub, but a full sized tree, dating back many years. "Yes," replied the florist to the writer's inquiry, "they are real trees—oaks, maples and beech trees. We get them from Japan, where the secret of how to rear them is known only to a few. They are raised from seeds or specially selected cuttings, which are watched and tended with that marvelous patience inherent in the eastern races. Fifty years may pass before the tree is considered salable. During this period the plant is trained and its natural tendencies subjugated to the will of the rearer. The gardener prunes and trims and rears and directs with what Carlyle called genius—'an infinite capacity for taking pains.' A wayward twig may be bound up for two or three years to insure its correct growth. Periodically the tree is repotted. Each time this happens the roots are carefully examined and useless fiber cut away. Everything is done to concentrate the life of the tree in the smallest possible space. And in time, after years of labor, the plant loses its ability to send out long, lusty shoots and becomes a delightful miniature of its larger brethren."—Montreal Standard.

Off Guard.

"How did it happen that your friends got the best of you?" queried the inquisitive person.

"They got busy while I was watching my enemies," explained the man who had got the short end of it.—Chicago News.

DIVISION IN RED LAKE

PENNINGTON PROPOSED AS THE NAME OF NEW COUNTY— PETITION BEFORE

GOVERNOR — THIEF RIVERITES WANT SOUTH END OF CO., TO PLAY BY THEMSELVES

From Monday's Daily—

A special from Thief River Falls says:

"Petitions calling for the division of Red Lake county into two counties were circulated on Monday and Tuesday, and in less than twenty-four hours had received more than one thousand signatures of bona fide voters who favor the action indicate. These petitions were filed with the governor last evening and are now a matter of record, and the next step in the proceedings will be for the executive to call for a vote on the proposition at the next general election.

"That the proposition will carry by an overwhelming majority is admitted by all conversant with the county seat fight. The petition designates the proposed new county as Pennington, in honor of the president of one of the leadig railways of the north west and suggest the names of five residents of the proposed county as the first board of county commissioners.

"The division line runs east and west a little south of the center of the county and creates two counties of the average size of those of southern Minnesota.

"This action is the sequel to a long train of events many of dramatic interest. It is considered that county division is the most satisfactory solution of the situation ,and that the two contending sections of the county can care for their respeotive tho diverse interests better apart than one county."

TWO DEATHS IN HILL RIVER TWP.

Died—at the home of her son, M. L Lindfors town of Hill River on Monday, May 10th, Mrs. C. M. Lindfors aged 83 years and nine months.

This aged and respected lady was born in Stockholm, Sweden, coming to this country with her husband about eighteen years ago. Nine years since her husband was called from her and she was taken down with paralysis soon after, remaining an invalid up to the time of her death.

She is survived by five sons; two, J. and M. L., who reside in Hill River P. V., and E. M. now in Colorado and G. T., who has his home in Massachusetts.

The remains were tenderly laid away in their last resting place Thursday afternoon at the Swedish Lutheran cemetery, Hill River, services being conducted by Rev. J. Alm.

Death also entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Iver Opdahl on Wednesday 12th inst., claiming their daughter, Dina aged 18 years, who died from tuberculosis of the lungs after a lingering illness. The deceased was a sister of Erick Opdahl of Fosston.

The funeral was held from her home in Hill River this afternoon with services at Vernes church.

FARGO TO HAVE EXCLUSIVE SERVICE

The New Oriental Limited on the Great Northern whose terminus has been changed from St. Paul to Chicago is going to be made the fastest train on the system as soon as it is put into service on May 24. All stops between Minneapolis and Fargo are eliminated and the stop here will only be long enough to take on water for the engine. The Great Northern is after the mail contracts of the government and is accordingly trying to put on the fastest time between Chicago and the Coast.

His Mean Trick.

"There certainly are differences in feelings," said the woman who sometimes philosophizes, "or at least different ways of expressing them.

"A few days ago a shocking incident occurred in the apartment house where I live. The janitor, who was an unusually good looking man, about thirty-five years old, killed himself for some wholly inadequate reason, some difference with his employer. Of course everybody in the house was much upset by the tragedy and I, with other tenants, went down to the basement to see his wife and offer aid.

"The wife, however, seemed more resentful than grief stricken.

" 'Would you ever think such a fine man would do such a mean trick!' she exclaimed." —New York Press

FISH CAME VERY HIGH

FERTILE BLACKSMITH FINED $30 AND COSTS FOR USING A SEINE

ADMITED HIS GUILT — WARDEN MUNCH DETERMINED TO ENFORCE LAW

From Monday's Daily—

Deputy Game Warden Munch has returned from a trip to Fertile where he arrested Ole Tyssee who was brought before Judge F. J. Conningham on the charge of fishing with a seine in the Sand Hill River. Tyssee, who is the blacksmith at Fertile entered a plea of guilty to the charge an dwas fined $30 and costs which he paid.

Mr. Avery of the state Game and Fish Commission in an interview in a St. Paul paper yesterday stated that there had been more convictions during the present spring for illegal fishing than there had been in the same period in the history of the department. Warden Munch who has charge of this district has contributed his full share of the convictions.

BARTON MUST PAY MRS. BEARDMORE

DISTRICT COURT DECISION UPHELD BY SUPREME COURT OF MINNESOTA

BOTH DAMAGE SUIT AND CRIMINAL ACTION WAS TRIED IN CROOKSTON

From Monday's Daily—

The supreme court at St. Paul filed a decision this morning affirming the decision of the lower court in the action of Mrs. Agnes Beardmore of Rugby, N. D., against G. W. Barton of Grand Forks to recover damages.

The action was brought about as a result of an attempted assault on the part of "Dude" Smith. Mrs. Beardmore was being transferred in a hack belonging to G. W. Barton from the East Grand Forks depot to a point in that city when the crime was committed, "Dude" Smith being the hackdriver employed by Mr. Barton.

In June, 1908, the district court at Crookston decided the case in favor of the plaintiff allowing judgment for damages to the amount of $2,000. This amount was later considered excessive and a motion was made in district court to have the judgment cut down. The motion was denied and an appeal was taken to the supreme court, that body affirming the decision of the district court.

Attorney F. C. Massee and Attorney G. A. E. Finlayson represented the plaintiff in the action while Attorneys Cooley, and Skulason & Husband of Grand Forks represented the defendant.

Dude Smith is now serving time in the penitentiary having been sentenced by Judge Watts for the crime.

Hunting With Lighted Crabs.

A group of clubmen seated about an odorous cedar fire talked of hunting.

"Once I hunted with lighted crabs," said an ex-consul. "It was in the desolate region of France called La Vendee. There is no hunting there but sea gulls (which the French adore to shoot) and rabbits. It was to get the rabbits that we used the crabs. We caught some dozens of small, lively fellows, fastened on their backs lighted candles and shoved them down into rabbit holes. The rabbits, scared to death by those strange moving lights, rushed forth frantically—forth into the very muzzles of our guns. This sounds rather fishy perhaps, but it is a Vendean custom as widespread as coon hunting in the south."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Grant and Sumner.

Concerning the reliability of things in print, it is recalled that Charles Sumner criticized General Grant savagely, and some time after some one was talking to Grant about atheism in New England and remarked, "Even Sumner does not believe in the Bible." "Why should he?" quietly replied Grant. "He didn't write it."

Gathering Ammunition.

"What makes you think our new congressman is going to be so successful as a speechmaker?" said one constituent.

"Because," answered the other, "whenever he hears a story that strikes him as funny he goes into the hall and makes a note of it in his memorandum book."—Washington Star.

A man's fate lies in his character and not in his conditions.—Mable.

A Hard One.

Mrs. Nuvoe Reash—Did you get my letter? Mrs. Bloodgood—The one where you asked me to your holiday house party? Mrs. Nuvoe Reash—Exactly. Mrs. Bloodgood—No, I didn't get it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

COUNTY AUD'OR O'BRIEN DEAD

PROMINENT RED LAKE FALLS RESIDENT DIED FOLLOWING OPERATION

END CAME AT 12:10 THIS MORNING—LEAVES WIFE AND ONE CHILD

From Monday's Daily—

This morning at 12:10 Co. Auditor J. B. O'Brien of Red Lake Falls who was brought to the St. Vincent hospital here and operated upon Tuesday for appendicitis, breathed his last.

His condition was critical from the start and much apprehension was felt regarding the outcome. Yesterday however he appeared somewhat improved and strong hopes were entertained that he might recover.

Mr. O'Brien was about 45 years of age. In 1893 he taught school for a year at Red Lake Falls and following that for 12 years he was at the head of the St. Hilaire schools.

He was elected county auditor of Red Lake county two years ago last fall, and again last fall and was a popular and able official. He began ailing last Saturday but was at his office a portion of the dy. Sundy he was very sick and Monday was brought here. He is survived by a wife and one child. his wife having been at the bedside when the end came this morning. She returned to Red Lake Falls this morning but will be here this evening and accompany the remains to St. Paul the former home of the deceased where the funeral will be held. A delegation from Red Lake Falls will also accompany her.

DECORATION DAY PLANS

MAYOR McPHEE TODAY NAMED GENERAL COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENTS

Today Mayor J. D. McPhee named the general committee on arrangements for Decoration Day which will be observed on Monday, May 31 as follows:

C. A. Hitchcock chairman.
Oliver B. Tveten,
Joseph Eckert.

This committee will confer at once and after outlining plans the balance of the committees will be named by Mayor McPhee Monday.

WANT THE DOG NUISANCE ABATED

Several well known ladies of the city called at the Journal office this morning to thank this paper for the suggestions made regarding ridding the city of the superfluous dog nuisance and aiding Dog Catcher Welch i nhis crusade in every way possible.

One of the ladies finished making her flower beds yesterday afternoon and before supper time some vagrant dog had scratched them all to pieces and now she has to do the planting all over again, and the seeds she first planted will come up haphazard spoiling the effect she had planned in the line of uniformity of rows etc. Dogs are personal property and owners must take care of the mor pay for the damage they do. The ladies are starting a petition to have the ordinances strictly enforced.

MET AFTER 15 YEARS—This morning George Brager arrived from Clear Lake, Iowa, and left on the later train for Argyle where he was called on an important land deal expecting to return this evening. He is a cousin of A. G. Brager of this city and the two had not met for 15 years. The latter is trying to persuade his cousin to remain over a day and make a trip to Fosston before returning to Iowa.

WILL LAUNCH BOAT — Messrs. Blair and Lariviere this afternoon launched their gasoline boat in the river near the Great Northern bridge and will give it a try out on the river this evening and tomorrow. It is a "lollapalooser" and will ply the waters of the Red Lake river this summer unless they ship it to Maple Lake.

Park Rapids Clipper: Ever pour grain into a sack and wonder why it didn't fill up? Investigation disclosed a big leak in the sack? It's the same when a man expects his town to fill up with people, to bubble over with prosperity and real estate values to rise, while his assistance toward that prosperity is going to help build up some foreign mail-order house.

Some Alcohol Questions

Is alcohol a tonic? No! Does it make the blood pure? No! Does it strengthen the nerves? No! Is Ayer's Sarsaparilla a tonic? Yes! Does it make the blood pure? Yes! Does it strengthen the nerves? Yes! Is it the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol? Yes! Ask your doctor about this non-alcoholic medicine. If he approves, your confidence will be complete. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Dull boys! Dull girls! Dull men! Dull women! Heavy-headed! Downhearted! All very often due to constipation! Yet the cure is so easy.—Ayer's Pills. Ask your doctor.

MINNESOTA POLITICS

And Johnson Too

Today's St. Paul Dispatch digs up another candidate for Senator Clapp's shoes as follows:

With Frank B. Kellogg the government trust buster, being actively boomed by his friends for United State senator to succeed Moses E. Clapp the attention of the politicians naturally is being directed to state capitol where itis reported that Frank A. Day has in mind that same job for his chief—Gov. John A. Johnson.

"How Mr. Day, aided by the Kitchen Cabinet is going to get the governor into the game and secure the approval of a republican legislature for a democratic candidate is not known but the boys on the outside have been assured that it can be done. At the proper time they will be let into the secret.

"The job of making a United States Senator out of Gov. Johnson would require a complete change in the political complexion of the next legislature. That might be accomplished by offering democratic legislative candidates in every district. While that course wil be followed there is no assurance that a majority of them will be elected. Politicians generally say that, while such a result is not impossible it will not happen. However candidates on both tickets might be urged to run on a platform calling for the election of the St. Peter man for United States senator and, if a sufficient number were elected the trick would be turned. Other schemes are said to be under consideration, but their nature is being kept a secret.

Managers will Not Talk

"Gov. Johnson's future beyond retirement to private life, is refused discussion by Mr. Day and his advisers. The Fairmont king-maker declares the presidential venture far fetched and ridicules the idea of another term for the present governor. He is persistent in his declaration that Gov. Johnson is a sick man and wants to be let alone.

"With many eyes being turned towards Indiana where Gov. Marshall has sprung into the limelight as a new democratic progressive, one member of the Kitchen Cabinet was asked today if that did not mean trouble in a presidential way. He had heard of Gov. Marshall but was confident that the St. Peter man could worst him if the East should become busy in Johnson's behalf.

"We cannot do a thing with the governor," said this particular member of the cabinet. "Chances to address several large national gatherings, that would mean columns of good newspaper publicity were offered to him, but he has turned them all down. He tells us that he detests the whole thing.

Bryan's Intrusion

"Gov. Johnson's vacation at Old Point Comfort however, is not without its good points in a publicity way, for he is receiving much good Southern and Eastern newspaper mention, but his gain there is being somewhat over shadowed in Minnesota and the Dakotas by the presence in the Northwest of William Jennings Bryan, who seems to have booked unusually heavily in the towns of the three states by the bureau to which he is attached.

"Mr. Bryan doesn't talk politics but his presence helps the gossip along thatline, and that course for a good deal when it is known that the relations between the Johnsonites and the Bryanites, especially in Minnesota are not any too cordial. That is now shown in Minneapolis, a hotbed of Bryanism, where, because of past Bryan-Johnson differences, the administration is having hard work in finding a "regular" as a successor to the late Judge Donahue.

"Practically all the live candidates were Bryanites in the last campaign and the set purpose of the cabinet to not recognize any candidate who was not "regular". Harry Mead an insurgent probably has the best backing for the place but he might as well quit. He cannot get it."

St. Paul Dispatch: Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul is to succeed Mosses E. Clapp as United States senator from Minnesota.

This may not be the official action of the legislature of 1911, which will be entrusted with the task of naming a successor to the present junior senator, but it is the intended programme.

Mr. Kellogg refuses to give his reported candidacy confirmation, but friends of the man selected by former President Roosevelt as his chief "trust buster" confirm it and say their energies will be directed from now on to making his selection a certainty. While refusing to admit his candidacy, Mr. Kellogg does not deny it. He is non-committal.

Return Starts Talk

Mr. Kellogg's return from the East yesterday where he has been conducting the government case against the Standard Oil company, started a renewal of the gossip connecting his name with the next United States senatorship from Minnesota. It was broadly discussed and the opinion hazarded that he would be in the game with both feet at the proper time.

Talked of two years ago when Senator Clapp was named to succeed him self, Mr. Kellogg made no effort to take advantage of the work being done in his behalf, but there was every evidence to show that he had ambitions and an attempt at their realization would be made at some future date. Because of this fact he has generally been looked upon as timber for 1911, and the news of his candidacy does not come as a surprise.

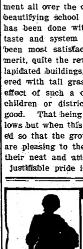
Clapp's Chances Poor

That Senator Clapp will ask for reelection is certain but the chances for realization are not considered as among the best by politicians generally Doubt is entertained and the opinion is that if he does land it will only come after a heated battle. His election four years ago came after an insipid contest in which little of general interest was shown.

There is a rapidly growing sentiment all over the country in favor of beautifying school grounds. Where it has been done with any regard to taste and system the results have been most satisfactory. There is no merit, quite the reverse, in having dilapidated buildings, and grounds covered with tall grass and weeds. The effect of such a condition upon the children or district is anything but good. That being so it naturally follows but when this condition is changed so that the grounds and buildings are pleasing to the eye by reason of their neat and attractive appearance justifiable pride is roused and with it leadership and ambition, a needed amount of labor and a small outlay of money are sufficient with good taste to turn almost any eye sore into that which is pleasing and beneficial.

Warren proposes to forge ahead this year. Many improvements planned including water main extensions, new cement sidewalks more bridges across the Sake River and many minor improvements. Warren already has a beautiful park.

The lazy man would rather take half a loaf than work for a whole one.



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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

CITIES ON BUSINESS—J. M. Stephens is spending a few days in Minneapolis and St. Paul attending to some business matters.

WILL HUMM AT DETROIT—Ed Humm left yesterday for Detroit where he will hustle new members for the Woodmen lodge for the next three weeks.

SHERIFF AT CLIMAX—Sheriff Daniels is at Climax and vicinity today where he is collecting taxes and finishing up summoning jurors for the June term. Deputy Sullivan is at Fosston and Lengby on a similar mission.

NEUKOM TO DULUTH — John Neukom came up from Sa. Paul last Thursday morning and will spend two weeks at his home here after which he goes to Duluth wherehe has accepted a position with Joe Coiton a prominent attorney.—Ada Herald.

IN TALL TIMBER—Guy Aubol of Crookston, deputy internal revenue collector for this district came to the city yesterday and will make Bemidji his headquarters while he is officially visiting many of the smaller towns hereabouts before going to other parts of this district.—Bemidji Pioneer.

WELL KNOWN HERE —The suicide of Ex-Sheriff John Bernick of St. Cloud at St. Paul yesterday caused deep regret here. He was well known here having visited Crookston often, and former residents of Wabasha, where the Bernick family formerly resided, knew him well, including the Burkhardts, Kirschs and others.

WILL GO WEST—Jos. Jarvis and wife old time residents near Mallory where they own one of the finest farms in the Red River Valley will leave about June first for the west where they will spend a couple of months. They will visit their sons Joe, Ralph and Mose at Hood River, Ore. and Frank Roseberg and will take in the Alaska-Yukon,Pacific exposition at Seattle later on. Joe has a farm at Hood River or rather a fruit ranch, for which he was recently offered $1400 per acre, but he did not want to sell.

HAS A FINE CLAIM—C. E. Smith the well known and popular Great Northern engineer returned this morning from a trip to his claim at Fairpoint. S. Dakota. He has a fine piece of land there on which his wife and children who accompanied him down, will reside during the summer and the family residence atCarman will be closed for the summer at least. Mr. Smith will remain here for some time and has made no definite plans as to when he will join his family at Fairpoint except for occasional visits He also has a fine 120 acre piece of land across Maple Lake from Buhn's hotel which he has about decided to sell.

CONVENTION A BIG SUCCESS—Drs. J. F. Boles, Thomas Spence W. A. Robertson of this city, Argue of Red Lake Falls and dentists from Bemidji and other portions of northern Minnesota, returned last evening from Grand Forks where they attended the joint convention of the Red River Valley Dental Association and the North Dakota Dental Association. They state that the program was a very excellent one and that royal entertainment was provided for the visitors. The next annual convention of the Red River Valley Dental Association will be held at Bemidji.

TOO DRUNK FOR INJURY—While the Great Northern Winnipeg train was going north last night a man walked to the end of the rear car, losing his balance fell to the ground. The train was a short distance north of Ada at the time and was travelling at the rate of fifty miles an hour. As soon as the accident was reported, the train was stopped and two trainmen with torches started back to find what they fully expected would prove to be a corpse. Instead of this, they found the man practically unhurt except for a sprained wrist. He was very drunk and as his muscles had been relaxed instead of being rigid as would have been the case of a sober man falling, he had escaped unhurt. He was taken back to the train which continued its journey after only a brief delay.—Ada Index.

FORMER ADA RESIDENT DEAD—B. F. Tenney left last Friday night for St. Paul where he was called by the announcement that his brother Theodore was seriously ill and not expected to live. Mr. Tenney arrived in St. Paul a few hours too late to see his brother before he died. Theodore Tenney was a resident of Ada for several years having left here about six years ago going to Sawyer, N. D., where he was engaged in the real estate business. About two weeks ago he was taken seriously ill and went to St. Paul for treatment. B. F. Tenney of this place accompanied by Mrs. Theodore Tenney took the remains to Oberlin, Ohio, where the funeral was held Monday. The deceased is survived by his mother who resides at Oberlin, his wife and brother. —Ada Herald.

A heavy rain fell yesterday covering the eastern portion of the Red River Valley and extending east beyond Bemidji, covering all the agricultural lands of the valley to within a few miles of the Red River. The rain will be of great benefit for while there is an abundance of moisture in the ground the surface was getting dry and a rain means the immediate starting of growth of all grains. As practically every acre of wheat is seeded it will now soon be up.

From Hallock north to Emerson it rained very heavily nearly all day yesterday. W. A. Marin who spent yesterday at McIntosh stated that a fine rain fell there which was worth thousands of dollars.

In this immediate vicinity there was but little rainfall, and while there is plenty of moisture in the ground, a good rain would wet up the surface and hurry the sprouting process.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

SERVING CIVIL PAPERS—Deputy Sheriff Sullivan went to Fosston last evening where he had some civil papers to serve.

MRS. SCHELL ILL—Walter Schell of Plumer, N. D., is at Warren attending to business matters. His mother Mrs. J. P. Schell is seriously ill at a hospital in Fargo.

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS—County Atty. E. O. Hagen went to East Grand Forks this morning to look after some legal maters and will return home this evening.

WARRENITE HERE— Ed Frank, the Warren ceterinarian who came down last evening to attend to some business matters returned home this morning. He says the northern country has great prospects this season.

WAS DISAPPOINTED—Geo. Berg who went to Detroit, Minn., a few days ago to accept a position as stenographer has returned to Crookston, not being at all satisfied with the place offered him in an attorney's office.

GOIN' FISHIN'—Judge C. F. Templeton of Grand Forks will pass thru Crookston this evening for Bemidji and other Minnesota points, where he will do some fishing. He will be accompanied by C. M. Cooley, Dean A. A. Bruce, B. G. Skulason, Prof. Joseph Kennedy, and W. A. Joy.

HOME FROM MINNEAPOLIS — J. M. Stephens returned this morning from Minneapolis where he has been spending a few days on business matters. Mr. Stephens states that the cities are quiet but are looking forward to a prosperous year in Minnesota. Ben Clements will return home tomorrow morning.

ELLISON IS CHOOSEN—W. C. Ellison of Minneapolis state commissioner at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition to be opened June 1 at Seattle has been selected to place awards at that exposition, also at Winnipeg, Spokane, Grand Forks, Huron, Des Moines, Keokuk, Topeka, Lincoln, Sioux Falls, Waukesha, Green Bay and Fort Dodge shows.

WANT MAIL SERVICE POSITIONS—The largest class ever enrolled for examinations for positions in the railway mail service will go to Minneapolis to take examinations beginning Saturday. The successful candidates will be placed on the waiting list for positions in the service in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Wisconsin and northern Michigan.

DRAINAGE CODE—County Attorney of Marshall County left Tuesday for St. Paul to confer with the state drainage commission relative to the codifying and annotating of the drainage laws, upon which work he has been engaged since the adjournment of the legislature. Mr. Brown has his task almost finished and when it is completed the commission will have the drainage code printed in pamphlet form.

SLEUTH BRITT HERE—Detective Tom Britt of the Great Northern force of sleuths is spending the day in the city having arrived this morning from G d Forks. He stated as usual that there was nothing special doing—what he always says till some one is landed behind the bars for committing depredations on Great Northern property.

SLIGHTLY BETTER—County Auditor O'Brien of Red Lake Co., who was brought to the city Wednesday for an operation for appendicitis at St. Vincents hospital is some better today. He was a resperately sick man but it is now believed that he will recover. Dr. Watson, who has been attending him with Dr. Dunlop of this city, returned home this morning.

ATTENDED OPENING—J. F. Montgomery came down from Angus last evening on business and attended the formal opening of the Commercial club rooms. He returned home this morning to take care of his multifarious duties as merchant prince and telephone magnate. He was chaperoned by J. Harry Stair who gave a lecture on the way up on the virtues of the Peter's cartridges.

WASSHAUSEN TO THE RESCUE—Director Wasshausen of the Crookston band is getting into the harness in a hurry. Were it not for him the Crookston Club minstrels would be in somewhat of a pickle. Recently they sent for the music for the orchestra accompaniment to the nine songs they will sing at the Crookston Club Minstrel show next Tuesday and Wedday. They received word back that it could not be secured. They at once appealed to Director Wasshausen and he very obligingly set to work on the orchestration of the music and will have the scores completed in time for the rehearsal Sunday. It is extremely fortunate that this is a line of work in which he is very efficient but which isn't any part of the work of a bandmaster.

SUDDEN DEATH— Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Melgard and Andrew and Anton Bjurseth of this city and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Melgard, of Argyle returned today from Cooperstown, N. D., where on Tuesday they attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Burseth, who died in a hospital at Fargo last Saturday. When Mrs. Burseth went to the hospital several weeks ago it was to have removed growths in her nose that obstructed her breathing and she was otherwise apparently in perfect health. The operation was performed and tho she did not get well as soon as was expected she seemed all right Friday and was counting on returning home almost immediately. The next day wholly without warning she went into convulsions and in a little while breathed her last. Her death is attributed to Bright's disease. She was a sister to Mrs. O. L. Melgaard, of Argyle and was married to her surviving husband eleven years ago. —Warren Register.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

PROF. BAILEY HERE—Prof. L. H. Bailey arrived in the city this morning and is spending the day here from Erskine atending to business matters.

SUPT. SCOTT HERE—General Supt. W. D. Scott of the G. N. passed thru the city last evening enroute to St. Paul after a visit at Grand Forks and Dakota points.

MAKING IMPROVEMENTS—W. B. Sheffield and Dave Fulton, the latter of Ada went to Maple Lake this morning to look over their cottages and prepare them for the summer season.

ADVANCE AGENT HERE—A. H. Barkley the advance man for Campbell Bros.' circus spent yesterday in the city completing arrangements for the appearance here June 8th afternoon and evening. The show will come here from Fargo and will arrive early in the morning.

MEETS WITH PAINFUL ACCIDENT—Last Sunday Mrs. Erick Lejonquist of Stephen while returning from church services in the Methodist church stubbed her toe on the sidewalk and fell into the gutter breaking her right forearm and dislocating the arm at the elbow.

BACK FROM CANADA—Will Low has just returned from a trip to Canada. He says wheat seeding is about over there and that the fine rain that fell along the line between Canada in the United States during the week has made conditions most favorable.

REV. WARNER BUYS FARM — Rev. C. C. Warner spent Wednesday and Thursday in N. D., in company with his brother. He invested in a quarter section of land and reports that there is a fine crop of prairie chickens getting ready for harvest about Sept. 7th.

CROP ABOUT IN — Nick Welter one of the progressive and wellto-do farmers on rural route No. 3 out of Crookston is spending the day in the city on business and paid for his daily for another year in advance. He is about thru seeding and says the ground is in great shape.

PUTTING ON STYLE—W. E. Black is having his offices in the McKinnon Block completely renovated. He is having very attractive paper put on the walls and ceiling the woodwork all revarnished, Svisdal and Norseth doing the work, and will then have the floors covered with linoleum. This will give him one of the finest suites in Crookston.

AND GOOD LOOKING ALSO—W. P. Murphy otherwise known as "Billy Murphy" was elected alderman of the 2nd ward of Crookston by a whooping majority. It was a special election to fill a vacancy. William, who is by the way a handsome fellow and a good lawyer, will no doubt fill the position of a city dad to the satisfaction of everybody and at the next election he will be voted in as mayor.

—Roseau Co. Times.

MAY QUIT STATION WORK — R. A. Campbell former station agent here returned last Friday and Monday Mrs. Campbell joined him and they were the guests of Miss Linda Lundin until Tuesday when they left for Fisher for a visit with Mrs. Campbell's parents. We understand Mr Campbell has been offered a fine position in the auditing department of the G. N. but as yet has not determined as to whether he will accept the place or remain at station work.—Stephen Leader.

KITTSON CO. PIONEER DEAD—Mrs. Cecelia Lindahl the beloved wife of John Lindahl of Red River died at her home on Monday May 10 after only a few days serious illness, at the age of 82 years, 9 months and 20 days Mrs. John Lindahl was born at Mylleby, Sweden on Aug. 30, 1826 came to Red Wing, Mnn., in 1869 and lived on a farm in Welch, Goodhue county, until in 1887 when she moved with her husband to Red River Kittson Co., where with her son Bennett, they made their home. In 1890 her son Bennett died and her only son Pete has since had the old couple with him on their old Red River homestead.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TO HAVE PARKS—Mayor Hamre made the following appointments for members of the City Park Commission: Dr. Penney, A. H. Fasel, Perl W. Mabey, Herbert Fuller and E. L. Quist. The object is to purchase that tract of land at the south of Porter's Addition commencing just below E. E. Zeh's residence and turning that fine place, so well fitted by nature for a park into one of the beauty spots of the city. Some other smaller parks may also be established in time and thus the looks and pleasure resorts of the city be greatly enhanced.—Thief River Falls Press.

THOUGHT REV. MOBERG TOO SEVERE— We read an article in a Scandinavian paper of Crookston last week where Mr. Moberg editor of Var Tjenare, of that place, gave vent in a comical effort to his ideas about Viking and what he saw during his week's stay here some time since. From a literary standpoint it was very good, Mr. Moberg, but from all other points it was too one-sided to be very much appreciated by us. It seems rather strange that he should in a whole week's stay only have discovered that particular feed mill as being worthy of mention and that he should so fashion his two page article that it conveys to the uninitiated reader the impression that all that Viking is composed of is a mnister, and that "feed mill" of doubtful reputation. As to his slur against our young people, it was altogether uncalled for. Every community has its gay characters and Viking is no exception to the rule, but the worst thing that the big average of our young people ever did was to go to sewing societies and there should be little fault to find with that. We all liked Mr. Moberg when he was here and were rather disappointed in his big writeup of his stay among us.—Viking Correspondent in the Warren Register.

ONE WEAK SPOT

Most Crookston People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It's the Back.

Everyone has a weak spot.
Too often it's a bad back.
Twinges follow every sudden twist.
Dull aching keeps up, day and night.
Tells you the kidneys need help—
For backache is really kidney ache.
A kidney cure is what you need.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys,
Cure backache and urinary ills.
Crookston people recommend the remedy.

Joseph Gundlach, cigar maker, formerly of 319 Broadway N., Crookston, Minn., says: "I highly endorse Doan's Kidney Pills as a sure cure for backache and kidney ailments. For a considerable time I suffered from pains in my back and added to this was a difficulty with the kidney secretions. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a box at Wallace's drug store. They proved to be just what my case needed. Soon the backache was removed and my kidneys restored to a normal condition. The results were so satisfactory that I advise any sufferer from kidney trouble to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Ely Miner: Isn't it too bad that none of the members of late senate can be made governor owing to a constitutional prohibition. Wouldn't it please some of the 300,000 people in the northeastern end of the state to vote for the bunch that voted "yes" on the tonnage tax, and wouldn't it please all the southern end and Red River Valley farmers to vote for those who voted "yes" on the bushel tax?

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Stopping One Source Of Crime

Indiana has made progress in an experiment that has thus far attracted little attention, but that is of mighty importance in the work of lessening crime, imbecility and pauperism. Briefly its plan is to sterilize degenerates when they come into the hands of the law, and thus to prevent their becoming prognitors of long and ever widening lines of criminals, imbeciles and paupers.

Heredity is an important factor in the making of criminals and others whom the public is always at an expense to care for and safeguard against. While it seems a desperate remedy, sterilization is certainly an effective way of stopping trouble at its source.

Two years ago Indiana legelized this method, and since that time eight hundred confirmed criminals have been sterilized. Oregon has recently enacted a similar law, tho it has barely begun its experiments under it. Like bills have been introduced in several legislatures, and there seems to be a prospect that the practice will widen rapidly.

What it means to let physical, moral and mental degenerates propogate their kind is vividly shown by the famous case of the Jukes family. Two wild sons of an early Dutch settler in New York married two sisters and of their 1,200 descendants the careers of 709 have been traced. Of those traced 280 were public paupers 140 were criminals and a very large number were depraved, diseased and insane. In seventy-five years, it is estimated, that the family has cost the people of this country $1,308,000. Had this stream of crime and pauperism been checked at its source, had those two Jukes boys died childless the saving to the nation would have been incalculable. Every confirmed criminal is a center of possible evil influence which does not stop with his heredity line. No man can say how much pauperism, crime and misery this single family has cost the nation.

A New York judge, discussing this case, recently said: "The Jukes family is by no means an exception. The 'down and outs' are notoriously prolific, partly from their very irresponsibility. Marriage and the raising of a family is a responsibility the gravity of which is not sufficiently realized, and anything that will cause people to look before they leap is to be encouraged. While I am not prepared to say that we in New York state should follow the law which apparently is working well in Indiana and Oregon we ought to study and ponder it."

So should the people of all the states. It is a delicate subject, and the execution of it shouldn't be trusted to any but the wisest and most careful experts obtainable. But it is hard to think of the Jukes family, to remember that it is but one out of many, to reflect that many in the criminal class were sinned against by their ancestors and by society for permitting them to be born, without realizing that there is much in this plan that commends it to careful study.—Duluth Herald.

Parks And Play Grounds

The recognition of the absolute necessity of ample parks and play grounds for children is worldwide at the present time, and the movement started by the public spirited ladies of Crookston finds strong endorsement in the action of the larger cities all over the civilized world.

In a recent issue the Journal stated that Rio de Janiero, South America, had appropriated $4,000,000 for park purposes. This was putting it very mildly. The amount appropriated was really $400,000,000. Portions of the business section of that city have been condemned, and regardless of expense that city is providing ample parks and playgrounds.

Parks are an asset to any city. The property owners in every part of a city with parks are beneficiaries. Crookston should not be content with bringing up in the rear. A park system should be established now when property is cheap.

Along this same line the following from the St. Paul Dispatch is of special interest:

"The demand for play room for the children has led the authorities of New York to order certain streets in the densely populated sections of the city to be closed to traffic during certain hours of the day and to devote them exclusively to furnishing children with a place for outdoor exercise free from the danger that threatens them when they play, as they will in spite of police regulations on the crowded streets. The traffic that is barred from one street is given exclusive rights on the street adjoining from which children are kept away.

"The condition in New York contains a timely hint to other cities. St. Paul has not reached the stage where it is necessary to close streets in the congested districts in order to form play grounds for children, but with the rapid growth of the city there is certain to be a demand for such play grounds and the authorities will be compelled to meet it. The play ground is a necessity of modern city life and wisdom would suggest that sites for future use be selected before the natural increase in the price of real estate makes their purchase practically impossible."

Redwood Reveille: The tonnage tax has been an issue for a number of years and if its veto was not just, it will continue to be an issue. In spite of all the talk how few of us are really posted. A number of legislators stated that they had pledged their constituents to vote for the measure at a time when they were not fully informed, and later regretted the action. Let us embrace every opportunity that affords real knowledge on the subject, so that we may vote understandingly in 1910.

Royalton Banner (Rep.): There is at least a full year ahead in which the state press may do lots of good advertising for the best state in the Union. We may settle the question of the next governor for good, and all with the next month, but what's the use when John A. may decide to reconsider his statement and again accept the office.

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White Plague Crusade Making Poor Progress

Nahtan Straus' citation of health statistics to show that there has been an increase of 33 per cent in cases of tuberculosis in New York city the past two years, forms a disagreeable surprise to those who have been leading the nation-wide crusade againnst the disease, for the impression has prevailed that great progress was being made toward checking the ravages of the disease. Mr. Straus contends that the increase in the cases is due to the tuberculosis cow, but on this point there is wide difference of opinion among specialists.

While the showing is discouraging it will serve to arouse the workers against the white plague to renewed endeavor. Census returns show that each year 153,000 persons die of this disease in the United States, Science has demonstrated that tuberculosis is communicable and therefore preventable. The failure to combat the spread of the disease involves an enormous economic loss in production in home life, in education and in morals. The one clear need in the fight apparently is provision for separate hospitals for the treatment of tuberculosis sufferers This has been difficult to obtain because of the slowness of the people to recognize that the disease is communicable. Statistics show that separate beds should be supplied for tuberculosis patients thruout the country. There are now less than 15,000 such beds, or only one for every ten tuberculosis patients. It is estimated that it would require $37,500,000 a year to supply the needed accommodations for the proper treatment of tuberculosis patients in the country. That would about equal the cost of five battleships and the country could much better afford to invest the amount in life-saving appliances than to spend it for engines of destruction in order to maintain a position as a "world power."—St. Paul Dispatch.

The Tariff Outlook

The situation at Washington would not be so hopeless if it were merely a matter of the senate itself. The senate will probably pass the Aldrich bill, by virtue of a combination shrewdly managed by its author. But that wouldn't settle it if the house were free.

The house will no doubt refuse to concur in the Aldrich bill. That means the appointment of a conference committee. Aldrich will dictate the senate half of that committee and Cannon will dictate the house half. Then, after a litle theatrical tug of war over it, the season will be far advanced, it will be pleaded that business needs an immediate settlement of the question, and an outrageous and criminal compromise will be forced down the throats of the American people by the pitchfork of partisanship. No matter how much the farce may be prolonged there isn't one chance in ten thousand that it will come out any other way. The trusts will get their will. That is what Aldrich and Cannon are there for.

While it will not be by wide margin, the Aldrich bill will pass the senate by a vote almost strictly partisan. Aldrich will have enough Democratic votes on amendments to keep the bill in the shape he desires but these votes will go against the bill as a whole, tho if he really needs them he may be able to get a few. At any rate, the bill will pass the senate, in whatever infamous shape it finally assumes.

The passage will be brought about by a combination of the East with the Far West—a case of "you tickle me and I'll tickle you" as Senator Nelson said in the senate the other day, Eight Pacific and mountain states—Idaho, Washington Montana, Utah, Nevada, Colorado, Wyoming and California have promised to stand by New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, West Virginia and Ohio in keeping rates up on manufacrured goods, provided the West gets what it desires on lead, coal, other minerals, wool, lumber, sugar and citrus fruits. The Middle West stands between, and will fail for lack of votes to withstand this peril. Nor is the Middle West unanimous. The two Michigan senators, with one vote in Wisconsin, one in Illinois, one in North Dakota and one in Kansas, will stand by the Aldrich program to the finish. Then, too, there is grave danger that when it comes to the final test, some of the Republican senators who are now holding out will be whipped into line by charges that by voting against the bill they will be deserting their party and voting with the Democrats. That still seems to be a useful weapon at Washington, tho its effect is but trifling back among the people.—Duluth Herald.

Tariff Questions Not Wanted

The tariff debate in the senate degenerated sadly last week into personalities and peevishness. With the oncoming of Washington's hot and muggy period it may be expected to sink to even lower levels.

The interrogative attitude of the middle western senators seems to have stirred Senator Aldrich and his lieutenants profoundly. They could bear with equanimity a reasonable number of eloquent philippics against the super-protected beneficiaries of the finance committee's tariff bill.

But the goad of incessant questions is different. If a schedule is raised, if benevolent revision upward is attempted, they ask for the reasons. Now the real reasons do not always sound well, and specious ones are hard to frame under the fire of interrogation.

Hence the irritation of Senator Gallinger, for instance, who declared in debate that Senator Aldrich has been assailed with "such vituperation" and "such wilful disregard of the common decencies" as he would never have believed possible a dozen years ago. Other senators, rushing to the rescue, added earnestly that Senator Aldrich is a perfect gentleman! The conclusion is irresistible. Therefore, let us revise the tariff upward, and let senators cease asking so many questions about it.

It was not surprising that debate of this kind should have stirred Senator Root to the observation that he thought it undignified and dishonorable for senators to make speeches merely to make votes at home, knowing that no one in the senate was listening. That was a just and timely observation. There is so much posing for effect so much empty eloquence in the senate that the public business suffers. Perhaps if the senate had a rule that all members must listen to all the speeches made, a way would be found to dam up the floodtide of sham eloquence.

As for Senator Money's ill-tempered and ill-mannered attempt to rebuke Senator Root, because he is a newcomer in the senate, it was of a piece with the rest of the day's debate.—Minneapolis Journal.

A Fencing Campaign

Now is the time for the farmers to begin a fencing campaign. Many may not know that wire fencing was never as cheap as it is today. During the past week it has dropped 20 cents and there may be a further drop. Weyerhauser the lumber baron has jumped into the game and purchased a wire fence manufacturing plant and has thrown down the gauntlet to the wire trust and proposes to sell fence wire for what he chooses.

The farmers need more land fenced To raise stock successfully there must be ample pasturage and good pasturage. In addition to the money made from the stock pastured land recuperates and when cropped again produces as much as the virgin sod did in the early days. The land is cleaned of foul weeds and crop rotation can be carried on to much better advantage.

It is a patent fact that any country where pasture fences are seen on the farm, not a single pasture. but several of them so that the grass is not allowed to run out, is a prosperous country.

Land can be fenced at smaller cost now than ever before. Many farmers have already started the good work and the balance should take advantage of present conditions.

STATE PRESS

Albert Lea Standard: Without doubt the iron mines of the steel trust ought justly to pay a higher rate of tax and so, also, should other great property interests, which shirk their fair share. For instance some state officials and others maintain that southern Minnesota farms are assessed ridiculously low, the average per acre for some years being only about $14. This is supposed to be on the basis of 40 per cent of the actual value of about $35 per acre. Not many improved farms, we will have to admit, can be bought at such a price. Rather $50, $60 and $75 would be considered nearer the right figure.

Austin Transcript: The good roads subject has been of absorbing practical interest for the past month in this locality. The trouble is that when the roads get passable again we forget to agitate for permanent improvement.

Winona Independent: and yet the members of the house of representatives will not be idle during the five of six weeks the senate will be working on the tariff bill. The wise representatives are at work on a plausible set of explanations and excuses to deliver to their constituents when they return home.

Princeton Union: City newspapers continue to harp on the "pork barrel" the omnibus road and bridge bill—and it is intimated that the supreme court will be called upon to pass on the constitutionality of the law. It looks as if an attempt was being made to manufacture sentiment against the bill. The supposition is that courts cannot be influenced by public sentiment as voiced by the newspapers, but it is a rather far-fetched supposition.

Zumbrota News: We are not a socialist or an anarchist but we are predicting that the people of this United States are not going to stand for some things very much longer. When James Patten gets a corner on wheat and can make $5,000,000 in one week that is more than his share and especially when the people have to pay for it.

Two Harbors Iron Trade Journal: The papers of the southern part of the state are insisting that there is no ill feeling against Northern Minnesota. That's the talk. Keep it up and perhaps after a time the people down there may get to believe it. Allow us a just representation in the legislature and we may get to believe in the wordy overtures ourselves.

MINNESOTA POLITICS

Governor Johnson, wearing a regulation Taft smile, returned to his official duties at the state capitol Monday.

Ten days at Old Point Comfort, Va., and several more at Washington, had given him a slight tan, while his cheeks displayed a color that contradicted the stories of his bad health. "I never felt better in my life," he declared to those who gathered to meet him.

Old Point Comfort, he insisted, furnished little in the way of politics. Washington, however, was a veritable hotbed of it, and what he failed to give in the shape of an opinion concerning the questions at issue while there, the interviewers kindly supplied.

"What I had to say regarding congress and its so-called revision of the tariff I believe preceded my arrival," said Governor Johnson. "There will be no revision of the tariff in the full sense of the word and those in control admit it. The East and the South will not stand for any material revision downward, such as the republican party has promised, and so there you are.

"Out here in the Middle West, we are thoroughly wedded to actual revision, and that downward, and failure along the promised lines, I am positive, will have a reactionary effect as far as the republican party is concerned. I wouldn't be surprised to see it take on revolutionay features.

"That this condition appeals to the leaders is evident, for I was informed, continued the executive, "that Senator Aldrich had practically told those in charge that they would have to do without the Middle West next time. He acknowledged that the bill under consideration was the opposite of what they desired, yet it could not be bettered. Even a compromise was impossible."

Gov. Johnson refused to take seriously the talk connecting him with the United States senatorship to succeed Moses E. Clapp.

Smiles at Senatorship Talk.

"It is rot," was his brief comment, adding that he had given out nothing that would even show that he contemplated going after the place. He new of no scheme to make the next legislature democratic, and he could not possibly conceive of any way of getting its support without it being democratic. And as to changing its political complexion, he believed it to be beyond the most resourceful of leaders.

It was suggested that the revolution he spoke about might bring such a thing around.

"It might," answered the governor, "but if there is such a result, it is more likely to hit the congressional districts. If the Middle West does not get the tariff bill it wants, I would not be surprised to see several congressional districts out here go democratic."

Gov. Johnson, while at Washington, was assured that President Taft would visit St. Paul this summer. No date was given or cause assigned, but he thinks that the visit will be in connection with a tour to the coast, where the president will attend the Seattle exposition.

The governor was also given to understand that congress will not adjourn before July 1. That seems to be the opinion of the leaders.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS
(Chicago News)

Free lunch is often food for thought

Never condemn a man's foolish actions until you are wise to his game.

The actuality of today seldom looks as good as the theory of yesterday.

If you would dodge your creditors don't become famous.

Don't hit the pipe; give it a swift kick.

Never judge what a woman thinks by what she says.

It is not always the head of the family that foots the bill.

Ever notice how easy it is for a man to be good natured when every thing is coming his way?

Some men are a good deal like froth; their usefulness is at an end as soon as they get to the top.

A man has a heavy load to carry when his wife tries to share it by putting all his earnings on her back.

Our idea of a hero is a young man who attempts to prove that two can live as cheaply as one just because his best girl told him they could.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.
(New York Press)

Some men attempt so much that they never get anything finished.

And flour by any other name would savor of high-priced wheat.

Nobody has a good enough temper not to go wild if you tell him he has not.

Speaking of love, a man should look before he leaps — otherwise he may fall in.

What a girl always wants to make sure of a man is that he is never sure of her.

A man's idea of public spirit is trying to get a reserved seat on a reviewing stand at a police parade.

A girl can put a man on her list of suitors the day before she knows she is going to be introduced to him.

Take care of that dog of yours or the boogy man will get him sure. The ladies of the city have decided that they will not have their flower beds scratched up by curs. And they are backed up by the men. Tie up your dogs and build a yard for them.

Some men seem to be happy only when they have a grievance.

PLANT FLOWERS THIS TIME

GOOD TIME TO GET BUSY AND BEAUTIFY HOMES AT VERY SMALL COST

HIGH PRICES FOR FLOWERS AT CERTAIN SEASONS NO GUIDE

Sweet Peas Morning Glories and Other Varieties Give Richer Returns in Beauty, Health and Happiness than 100 Times the Sum Invested

This is the season for planting flower seeds. It will last till well along in June and we want you to take advantage of it. There is not another way on earth to get so much for so little as in buying and planting a few flower seeds. It's the only investment which brings all profit and no loss. A dollar put into flower seeds with a little thought and care, and a little time that you ought to spend out of doors anyway, will make your home a beauty spot from June till November.

Yes, we know all about the high prices paid for flowers. We have heard of the Lawson pink, we have priced American beauties at Christmas and looked at the tag on fancy lillies at Easter. But these things are no guide to the necessary cost of flowers. They are the prices paid for notoriety, oddity, for getting plants to bloom out of their natural season. If you are willing to take your joys in season and to plan for them a bit ahead, you can buy more beauty for 10 cents than Lawson did for his four figure check.

There are sweet peas for instance. For a few cents you can buy a quarter of a pound of mixed seed, enough to plant a double row twenty feet long. If you will prepare your trench carefully and soak the seeds over night in warm water, you will have results that are a thousand times worth while. That double row of sweet peas will brighten the house with color and scent it with perfume for three months, and the more you cut them the freer they bloom.

That is one item for the cheap flower garden, the flower garden on a small lot. Morning glories are another. Ten cents will put a screen of green and purple over your porch, and turn your unsightly coal shed into a mound of beauty. Ten cents' worth of morning glory seed plus a little care and digging—and be sure you make the seed salesman cross his heart and hope to die if the seeds aren't fresh. It may not be an absolutely necessary port of the flower culture seed. Perhaps they are all dead or reformed by this time .

To sweet peas 15 cents; to morning glories, 10 cents; to nasturtiums 10 cents. You remember the old "stertians" at home, don't you, patches of orange-colored flame against the fence? Better take the dwarf kinds and plant them where they will get plenty of sun and water. They do not give as rich returns of beauty and fragrance as the sweet peas do; but they have a saucy, assertive cheerfulness that you can't afford to miss. Ten cents for nasturtiums.

Then there are poppies. We don't quite know why poppies have been neglected of late years; perhaps because they do not make good cut flowers. But out in the open there is nothing that will give you such a silken richness and brilliancy of color as oriental poppies.

Then there are two other flowers that we have been keeping to balance up against the poppies—mignonette and sweet alyssum. These are as homely and sweet and fragrant as the poppies are gorgeous. A packet of each will be enough for a small garden, and they are usually sold at 5 cents a packet.

And there are literally a hundred variations of the garden theme we have given. The only fixed points are the sweet peas and the nasturtiums. You can substitute cosmos for the morning glories, or pansies for mignonette; or, if you keep chickens, here is a trick to combine beauty and profit: Put a hedge of sunflowers around that chicken yard. The biddies need the shade in summer; and if there is anything more gorgeous than such a hedge, with its sturdy stalks, and its brown and gold blossoms a foot across, we don't know what it is. Neither do we know anything that chickens like any better than they do sunflower seeds.

Plant flower seeds. They will give you richer returns in beauty, health and happiness than a hundred times the sum invested in anything else. plant flower seeds, and begin now.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
for children; safe, sure. No opiates

MEET OF THE K. C.

NEARLY 300 KNIGHTS WERE PRESENT AT INITIATION OF CLASS OF FORTY

SPECIAL TRAIN FROM GRAND FORKS — BIG DELEGATION FROM WINNIPEG

From Monday's Daily—

About 300 Knights of Columbus gathered in Crookston Sunday from thru out the northwest and participated in the ceremonies incident to the initiation of a class of 40 into the local council. A delegation of 40 Knights came down from Winnipeg and the third degree work was put on by the team from that city. A special train was run from Grand Forks returning last night at midnight, bearing 90 Knights from Grand Forks and East Grand Forks and the Canadian delegation came down in a special car.

The first and second degree work was exemplified by Deputy Grand Knight James E. O'Brien of this city assisted by State Deputy Lee Aball of Duluth and Knights A. J. McKinnon, L. E. Gossman and Daniel Hughes of this city and the third degree work was put on by the Winnipeg degree team consisting of Dr. J. K. Barrette, Dominion Inspector of International Revenue assisted by Thomas Jobin, F. Cantwell, Frederick Gallagher, Wm Call, J. H. O'Connor, E. S. Tecktenius McDonald and T. J. Deegan, Territorial Deputy, Knights of Columbus for Western Canada.

There were delegations also from Duluth, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Cass Lake, Bemidji and other Duluth line towns, Fargo, Gretna, Minot and many other places thruout the north west. It was the largest gathering of Knights of Columbus ever held in this section.

At 6 o'clock the visitors were treated to an elaborate banquet in I. O. O. F. hall, served by the wives and daughters of the local K. C's. the tables being loaded with cut flowers, principally red carnations. The initiatory work was all completed before the banquet.

In the evening a social session was held in the Woodmen hall most of the delegates returning to their homes on the late trains.

FIELDS ARE ONE VAST GARDEN SPOT

CONDITIONS ARE MOST SATISFACTORY IN THE COUNTRY DISTRICTS

Another of such weather as has prevailed and seeding will be completed thruout this section with the exception of corn and potatoes. The wheat is nearly all up and a 100 mile crop inspection tour yesterday in an automobile shows condition the best in many years.

The fields look like one vast garden spot. The grain is coming up even and there is not a weed in sight. The grain is getting such a start this spring that the weeds will be choked out as soon as they start if they ever do start.

The winter rye is geoing to make the best crop ever raised. None of it was frozen out and it has already got a big start this spring. Owing to the ideal weather Sunday, many took auto trips into the country and all are unanimous that the fields never before looked as fine.

Hints for the Business Man

There is a great difference between speculation and investment. Cultivate your customers—"A pleased customer is the best advertisement." Keep a superior class of goods, for people remember quality longer than they do price. When ordering a beverage for the home table be sure to get Golden Grain Belt Beer, as there is no other just as good. Keen appetite comes with its use and it makes for good temper and enjoyment of life. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

A. L. Peterson superintendent of salesmen for Schwartzchild & Sulzberger Co., at Leavenworth, Kansas, sent out his salesmen the following sentiment, which was much appreciated: "When the whole world seems gone to pot, and business is on the bum, a 2-cent grin and a lifted chin help some, my boy, helps some. Yours truthifully, Al Peterson." That is the spirit which always results in success.

Have you planted those flowers yet which will add 100 per cent to the appearance of your yard. A garden patch in the rear of the lot is more sightly than a weed patch.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

Atty E. A. Jordon returned to Fergus Falls last evening after spending Sunday in this city.

ON LEGAL BUSINESS—Atty. Ole Vaule went to McIntosh last evening to attend to some legal matters. He will return tonight.

LEFT FOR EVANSVILLE— Chas. Brennan left last evening for Evansville where he will spend a few days on combined business and pleasure.

GETTING UP CLASS—E. L. Bishop is spending a few weeks in the city getting up a new class for initiation into the Equitable Fraternal Union.

HERE WITH PRODUCE — Mrs. Voelker and son Emil drove in from the farm, today with produce and to attend to some business matters. C. Stuhr of Euclid is in Crookston today.

HEADED FOR RANCH — Geo. F. Stone left this morning for his ranch out on the east line where he will spend a day or two looking after business matters. t

A FLYING TRIP—Louis Miller left last eveing on a flying business trip to Jaynesville, Wis. He will be back in time to participate in the minstrel show.

INSPECTING EAST LINE— Supt. Allen of the Northern Division of the G. N. went to Cass Lake last evening in his private car on a trip of inspection. He will return tonight .

ATTENDING COURT AT ADA — Attys. W. E. Rowe and J. H. Maybury left last evening for Ada to attend a term of the district court which opens there today.

RETURNED TO ST. PAUL—Tom Britt, special agent for the Great Northern returned to St. Paul last evening after spending some time in this section of the country on a still hunt.

DR. KOEHNE HERE — Dr. J. B. Koehne, the noted lecturer who held his audiences spell-bound here a year or two ago when he gave a short course of lectures, lectured at Warren Saturday night and will complete a course there. He is one of the finest lecturers ever heard in Crookston.

BOUGHT BROSSEAU OUT — Eli Asselin Saturday purchased the saloon formerly run by Maurice Brosseau just south of the Spokely Clothing House on Broadway. Mr. Asselin is thoroly qualified for the business and has a host of friends and is certain of his full share of the business.

DR. HENAULT VERY ILL — Dr. Henault of Fosston, who spent a few weeks here before leaving for Napanee(Ontario where he went for the benefit of his health has reached that place and according to a letter received from his relatives by Dr. W. A. Robertson this morning Dr. Henault is in very bad shape. He is with a sister there at the present time.

SUNDAYED AT FOSSTON—A. G. Brager of this city went to Fosston Saturday night with his cousin, Geo. Brager of Cedar Lake Ia., and spent the day as the guest of O. A. Brager, assistant cashier of the bank at that place, he being a brother of A. G. Brager. The two returned last evening, Geo. Brager proceeding to Iowa on the G. N. Flyer. He had not seen his two cousins in 15 years.

RAKED THE WRONG YARD — Friends are having a good laugh at the expense of O. C. Flakne. Saturday he borrowed a rake of Dr. Kjelland and started raking up old grass and dead leaves industriously. After working about an hour, and becoming tired and covered with perspiration he stopped for a rest and his wife called him to ask what he was raking Geo. Flaten's yard for. Flake stared around for a minute and then went home talking to himself as he realized he had been raking his neighbor's lot. His own is not raked yet.

GOOD MOVE—Mankato and the farmers of that territory have jointly set an excellent example in good road work, says the Glencoe Enterprise. During the winter months about 5000 loads of gravel have been hauled onto the roads leading into that town by farmers who whenever it was possible took out a load of gravel when in that city. Undoubtedly other cities and towns would be willing to furnish the gravel if similar co-operation on the part of the farmers could be obtained as at Mankato ,and if this scheme was carried out extensively thruout the state a material improvement of highways would result.

KICKED ON THE HEAD—Walter Kerr, the young son of Robert Kerr, living north of East Grand Forks was the victim of a peculiar accident Friday. He was riding a young horse to school ,one mile north of their farm and just as he was nearing the school house a gust of wind blew his hat from his head and it landed squarely on top of the horse's head. This frightened the horse, which reared up and backward so suddenly that Walter was precipitated over the horse's head to the ground and before he could get out of the way the horse struck him on the head with its hoof making an ugly wound across the back of his head. He was taken home and a physician who was quickly summoned had to take a number of stitches, The boy is getting along as well as could be expected.

WANTS $18,000—Commercial News of Cioux Falls, S. D.: Cyrus Spurling traveling salesman in this state and in North Dakota and Nebraska as well as Minnesota being well known in Crookston has begun a suit in the United States court against the Demster Mill Mfg. Co., for $1000 on account of personal injuries received three years ago in falling thru the elevator shaft into the basement during a convention. Mr. Spurling has been crippled ever since and the indications are he will never fully recover the use of his legs. He has been operated on by the Mayos at Rochester without receiving any benefit. Mr. Dempster of the Dempster Mill Mfg. Co., says he cannot see where they can be held responsible as they were not to blame. Mr. Spurling is confined to his home in this city.

GUESTS GUESS AT OLD PICTURES—Pictures taken nearly half a century ago furnished lively entertainment for members of the Deads Landing association, who met last night at the home of Mrs. Mary L. Giessler, 2739 Irving Ave. south. The photographs were of members of the organization and a prize was hung up for the one who could identify the greatest number of the prints. There were forty pictures in the exhibit and Miss Edith Funke named thirty-nine of them. W. J. Miller identified the smallest number. The date of the annual homecoming was set for the last Saturday in August of each year. Refreshments were served during the evening and the forty members had an enjoyable time.—Minneapolis Tribune. This would not be a bad evening's entertainment for the large number of Wabasha and Reads Landing people in Crookston and vicinity.

Sheriff Olson arrived Saturday evening from Roseau with two prisoners Flossie Eldridge had a ticket from a justice in Roseau which entitles her to 60 days board with Sheriff Daniels without charge for running a blind pig at Roseau and getting caught at it.

The other prisoner was a young boy who was taken to the state institution at Red Wing.

From Tuesday's Daily

SINGER AUDITOR HERE— Auditor Booth of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., is in the city and will spend a few days with Wm. Emmerich the manager for this district.

WILL TOUR WEST— Emil Hedberg, son of J. P. Hedberg who has been cashier of the Bank of Spooner arrived in the city last evening and is visiting with friends for a couple of days. This evening he will leave for the west where he will spend a few weeks touring the country with a view to locating in some prosperous city.

HOTEL MAN HERE—Pete Orness the proprietor of the Warroad Hotel is spending the day in the city attending to some business matters. He greatly appreciates the newly completed branch which makes it possible to reach the metropolis of northern Minnesota so readily. He is enroute home from a trip to Minneapolis.

POCKET SAVINGS BANKS— The First National Bank has just received another big consignment of pocket savings banks which are for free distribution. They hold between $6 and $7 in silver and cannot be opened except at the bank. They are the best money savers a person ever carried about and with no apparent effort a good bank account is soon started. Get one.

GENERAL LUCKNOW HERE — General Von de Lucknow spent last evening in the city exploiting a new tonic just put on the market. This morning he had a group picture of several friends and has had the inscription painted underneath "After an outing with Lucknow." Each of the friends he had with him last evening is to receive one as a souvenir of the occasion. W. F. Peterson is trying to buy up the entire edition.

BACK FROM FUNERAL —Dr. N. M. Watson returned this morning from St. Paul where he went to attend the funeral of former County Auditor O'Brien of Red Lake County whose death occurred here suddenly Saturday morning. Among others who went down were H. E. Ives of St. Hilaire, Oscar Post Leonard Holmes, Fuller, Brady, an uncle and others. Mrs. O'Brien will remain in St. Paul for about ten days before returning.

Suit has been commenced for $5,000 damages for the death of Bennie Anderson who was killed last year while playing about an exposed tumblingrod at the Russell elevator at Stephen.

The unfortunate lad was returning home from school and took a short cut home. In stepping over the elevator tumblingrod which was unprotected he was caught and instantly killed.

Districtt court opened at Ada yesterday with Judge Grindeland on the bench. There are eighteen civil cases on the calendar and the most important of these are the suits against the city of Ada by C. J. Skarud to enjoin the city from using the present terminus of the sewer and the suit by J. R. Miller against the Great Northern for $6000 for personal damages.

There are three criminal cases with the grand jury investigating some more. Five applicants for citizenship were heard and granted.

This morning just before No. 5 the passenger train on the Great Northern train which arrives here at 7:20 arrived at St. Cloud an unknown man was crushed to death.

He was stealing a ride, being between the baggage and express cars. He was discovered at a stop beyond St. Cloud and the conductor ordered him off.

"I can't. I'm killed," gasped the unfortunate man, and as the end door to the baggage car was opened the man fell into the car. He was taken to St. Cloud and died shortly afterwards.

Just how the accident occurred is not known, but it is believed that he slipped between the cars and was caught when the train stopped by the two cars coming together.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

DROVE TO EUCLID— Mayor McPhee drove to Euclid this afternoon on business and will look over his farm near that place.

WANKE MAN HERE—T. E. Hovet one of the prominent business men of Wanke is spending the day here on business. He reports ideal conditions in that section of Polk county.

GONE TO SHOOT DYNAMITE— Geo. Berg left yesterday morning for Blackduck where he has accepted a position as head dynamite shooter. We hope Mr. Berg will like his new occupation.

FIRST COMMUNION—At St. Mary's curch tomorrow morning the first communion class consisting of 16 girls and 21 boys, a total class of 37 will receive their first communion. Being Ascension day there will be special services and there will be a very large attendance.

NIELSVILLE DELEGATION— Mayor Hans Samuelson, Gus Gilbertson and C. M. Nelson of Climax arrived in the city this morning. They state that seeding is practically over in that section and that the grain is growing rapidly with the best prospects in recent years for a bountiful crop.

HAD A RUNAWAY — O. Ulseth, carrier on R. R. No. 4 had a runaway Monday afternoon the horse becoming scared at a hole in a culvert. The harness was broken and the mail scattered while Mr. Ulseth sustained a badly sprained ankle. He borrowed a harness, picked up the mail and get back somewhat behind schedule.

GETTING FREE ADVERTISING— The city council some time ago decided that no advertisements should be put on the sprinkling wagons this year but that they should be repainted as usual. For some reason the wagons are still carrying the advertisement of the Ruettell Clothing Co., very good advertising and cheap as it is absolutely free. This is a snap for the favored concern but the other fellows in the same line of business are not getting much benefit from it.

G. N. RAILWAY FINED—The Great Northern railway Co., was yesterday morning fined $200 in United States court by Judges Charles F. Amidon for violation of the 36-hour law. Thru Attorney C. J. Murphy of Grand Forks, representing the defendant company, guilt of two charges was admitted. The action is quasi-civil being brought for the collection of the fine that has been provided by congress. The keeping of cattle in transit in cars more than 36 hours is prohibited by the law in question.

LEFT FOR WINNIPEG—Ben Clements went to Winnipeg on the N. P. this afternoon where he will remain a couple of weeks. He is interested in the company that bought the patent rights to his grader which will be manufactured there and his son Charley will be the bookkeeper in the office of the concern. Mr. Clements will spend considerable of his time there and in Minneapolis where another concern will manufacture the machine for sale in the U. S.

NOW ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Man Who Attempted to Kill Garfield's Assassin.

Washington, May 20.—William ("Bill') Jones, who many years ago attracted national interest when he attempted to avenge the killing of President Garfield by shooting at Charles Guiteau, the assassin, while the latter was being removed from the courthouse to the jail in this city, was placed on trial here charged with the murder of John A. McPherson, a former marine, who was employed by Jones as a farmhand. McPherson was killed on Oct. 11, 1908, in Jones' home about two miles from this city. Jones pleaded self defense.

It was during Guiteau's trial that Jones created a nationwide sensation. One day while the trial was nearing its close Guiteau had been placed in the prison van to be taken to the jail. Jones, mounted upon a spirited animal, dashed through the crowds toward the wagon and, whipping out a revolver from his hip pocket, fired several shots at the assassin, one of the bullets grazing his head. Jones made his escape into the country. Later he was captured and brought back to the city, but was never prosecuted.

GENERAL STRIKE SEEMS A FAILURE

Conditions in Paris In All Respects Normal.

Paris, May 20.—The life of Paris was in all respects normal up to noon and the general strike, decreed by the General Federation of Labor, to commence with the building trades, promises to be a huge fiasco. The movement, which was to be followed by strikes on the part of all the other trade unionists of France, was voted by the hotheads against the better judgment of the conservatives, who realized that the time was not ripe for such action and that the whole proletariat movement, which had been preparing for so long, was likely to be compromised for years to come by failure.

Moreover, it was learned that the strike had been voted by representatives of the minority. Only eighty-two out of a total of 180 union delegates favored the movement and with the exception of the building trades and the electrical workers these delegates represent the least powerful of the syndicate.

The government now regards the agitation as purely revolutionary and as foredoomed to result in failure.

A soldier on duty at a branch postoffice was attacked and almost stabbed to death by three discharged postmen.

IS LAID WITHOUT CEREMONY

Last Rail on Pacific Extension of St. Paul Road.

Butte, Mont., May 20.—The last rail to connect Chicago with Seattle and Tacoma on the Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound railway was laid just east of Hell Gate station, about 100 miles east of Butte. No ceremony marked the practical completion of the coast extension of the St. Paul system. It is expected that the road will soon inaugurate transcontinental freight service, soon to be followed by the operation of through passenger trains.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, May 19.—Wheat—May, $1.29½; July, $1.27¼; Sept., $1.08⅝. On track—No. 1 hard, $1.32; No. 1 Northern, $1.31; No. 2 Northern, $1.29; No. 3 Northern, $1.27@1.27¾.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, May 19.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, $5.00@6.50; fair to good, $4.50@5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.00@4.00; veals, $5.00@5.75. Hogs—$6.85@7.10. Sheep—Wethers, $5.50@6.50; yearlings, $6.25@7.00; lambs, $7.50@8.00.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, May 19.—Wheat—On track—No. 1 hard, $1.31½; No. 1 Northern, $1.30; No. 2 Northern, $1.28; May, $1.27⅝; July, $1.27⅝; Sept., $1.09⅝. Flax—To arrive and on track, $1.73; May, $1.72; July, $1.71½; Sept., $1.49½; Oct., $1.43.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, May 19.—Cattle—Beeves, $5.00@7.25; Texas steers, $4.75@6.40; Western steers, $4.75@6.00; stockers and feeders, $3.60@5.65; cows and heifers, $3.50@6.40; calves, $5.25@7.50. Hogs—Light, $6.75@7.25; mixed, $6.90@7.37½; heavy, $6.95@7.40; rough, $6.95@7.10; good to choice heavy, $7.10@7.40; pigs, $5.75@6.70; Sheep—Native, $3.90@6.25; yearlings, $6.10@7.20; lambs, $6.00@8.25.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, May 19.—Wheat—May, $1.29½; July, $1.14⅞@1.15; Sept., $1.06⅝@1.06¾; Dec., $1.05. Corn—May, 73⅜c; July, 68⅞@69c; Sept., 66⅛c; Dec., 57¾c. Oats—May, 59⅜c; July, 51⅞c; Sept., 44¼@44¾c; Dec., 44¾@44⅞c. Pork—May, $18.27½; July, $18.37½; Sept., $18.45. Butter—Creameries, 20½@21c; dairies, 18@23c. Eggs—19¼@21¼c. Poultry—Turkeys, 15c; chickens, 15½c; springs, 15c.

TRACES BROTHER AFTER 30 YEARS

WORCESTER, MASS., MAN FINDS HIS RELATIVE IN McINTOSH

NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY AIDS IN UNITING TWO BRANCHES OF THE FAMILY

The following interesting story comes from Worcester, Mass.

"After a search of 30 years, Adam Tideman of Worcester, 85 years of age and totally blind, has at last found in the person of his niece, Mrs. Charlotte Hast of McIntosh, Minn., the first trace of his lost brother, Reinhult Tideman.

"The two brothers came from Sweden together. After living here for a time Reinhult, a massive and powerful man, sought his fortune in the middle west. Neither man heard from the other since, and each branch of the family had believed the other to be lost.

"As his eyesight began to fail him, Adam made another effort to find his brother or some of his relatives if he left any, and decided to tell his story to the newspapers. The local papers came to his aid, and by the merest chance succeeded in effecting a successful search.

"Out thru the middle west where more than a million Swedish-Americans live on the big grain farms, the story was spread of the search of the Worcester brother. The local Swedish societies took up the distribution of the papers.

"Mrs. Hast, the last survivor as she supposed of her family read the story She was instantly struck with the similarty of name to that of her long lost uncle, and becoming convinced that it was really Adam Tideman, from whom neither she nor her relatives had heard in 28 years she wrote at once.

"Adam Tideman's daughter, Mrs. Calling received a letter from McIntosh in a handwriting strange to her. On opening the letter the contents cleared up a family mystery, which been a puzzler for more than quarter of a century. Mrs. Calling found that her uncle was indeed dead but that her cousin Mrs. Hast, was still alive and in prosperous circumstances.

"The mising links of family history are being rehearsed in subsequent letters and now the two branches so long divided by thousands of miles and by the belief that neither existed are happily reunited.

"The aged blind man, passing his days in darkness in Worcester, has been acquainted with the facts, and is overjoyed that a child of his brother lives and is prosperous."

Charles Hast was well known to many Crookston and McIntosh people as is his widow who survives him. Hast died six or seven years ago and Mrs. Hast's father Reinhart Tideman died about a year later at the age of 85 or 90 years. Like his brother in Worcester he was totally blind and been several years before his death.

The Hast farm adjoined the one on which Martin Flom of this city formenly lived, and the families were well acquainted. The farm was located 3 1-2 miles southwest of McIntosh in the town of Knute where Mrs. Hast still resides.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. Sold by all druggists.

IS GLAD TO GET BACK

LAWRENCE O'NEILL RETURNED FROM THREE YEARS' STAY IN IDAHO

SAYS RED RIVER VALLEY POSSESES ADVANTAGES NOT TO BE FOUND IN WEST

Lawrence O'Neill who returned a few days ago from Idaho with his family, after a sojourn in that state for three years, is in Crookston today, this being his first trip to Crookston since his return.

Mr. O'Neill who owns one of the finest farms in Polk county, consisting of a full section in the town of Chester, highly developed, says that he is glad to get back and that the west has no further attractions for him. While he made some money while there, having bought timber lands and did some jobbing business in telephone poles, posts, etc., he says the Red River Valley has attractions which the west cannot offer and does not possess.

He is congratulating himself that he did not sell his Polk County farm and states that hundreds more Minnesotans who went west would return if they had a farm to come back to or money enough to get here.

The Journal will in a few days publish an article descriptive of the west from the pen of Mrs. O'Neill who is a very versatile writer and who contributed to the Crookston papers before her departure for the west.

Mr. O'Neill will get back in the stock business at once and is now in the market for 100 head of young steers which he will fatten for the market.

BIG ORE SHIPMENTS FROM PEARL DISTRICT

J. D. George who has a lease on the LeVan group of mines at Pearl is in the city and today received returns in the sum of $2597 on a car of ore shipped a short time ago to the United States Smelting company at Bingham Junction, Utah. The car contained 19 tons of ore of a lead, quartz and iron formation and was exceedingly rich."

The Hennebery Mining and Development company of Crookston have claims in close proximity to the Le Van group of mines at Pearl, and the above clipping from a Boise daily more than enthuses the stockholders here.

It is understood that they are about to close the corporation, which means there is no more stock for sale, as they have received some private information from their own mines which caused the directors to decide on closing the sale of stocks.

All Right.

"That girl's all right," said the blond girl in the dressing room after she had looked everywhere for her overshoes. "The one who has just left, she's gone off with both the right overshoes and left me the left ones."—New York Times.

An Early Riser.

"Are you an early riser, Pat?"

"Am I? Sure, I'm sich an early riser, sor, that I'm afeared some time I'll ketch mesilf gittin' up when I'm goin' to bed!"—Yonkers Statesman.

The man who doesn't know one note from another is always getting next to things that are selling for a song.

WHO?

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You may rest assured someone is investing it and getting the benefit of its earning power.

Why not start an account with this bank NOW? Save a part of it and make your own investments. Keeping your dollars working for you means that YOU and not some one else reaps the full profit from your labor. The bank acount plan has proven profitable to others, who don't you try it?

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Crookston, Minn

DIDN'T GIVE D-- FOR THE MAYOR

NINE YEAR OLD BOY STARTED ROUGH HOUSE IN MAYOR'S OFFICE

CONVERTED IT INTO COMBINATION PLAY AND POULTRY YARD

From Thursday's Daily—

Mayor McPhee had a caller this morning, and when he got rid of him he fell in a heap in his big arm chair in the office of complete nervous exhaustion.

The boy was but nine years of age, but after he had completed a 30 minute stunt the office of the mayor looked like the sorting room at a church rummage sale.

The boy, Selmer Anderson, was brought to the mayor's office by his mother. She had been working for a man named Mickelson for some months past, and prior to that lived near Halstad. At the latter place a few years ago the boy was kicked by a horse and has been foolish ever since, tho perfectly harmless.

She has relatives at Little Falls but had no funds and went to the Mayor to get a ticket for Moorhead stating that she had friends there who would assist her in finishing the journey.

On entering the mayor's office Selmer, who is of an investigating turn of mind, headed first for the waste paper basket. He discovered a worn out typewriter ribbon which had just been discarded and in 7 minutes had the office cobwebbed with it. The mayor tripped over it once and fell head long against the safe.

Then Selmer took a lunch of a large banana and threw the peeling on the floor and his mother slipped on a piece of this and collapsed and the mayor had to resuscitate her with a glass of water after lifting her into a chair.

Next the busy Selmer turned the waste basket upside down and sat down and scattered the envelopes and letters etc., all over the floor. He next wanted the bottom book in a large pile and in pulling it out brought down the whole library with a crash.

At this juncture Mayor McPhee anounced that he would see Poor Commissioner Sargent and see that a ticket was provided to Moorhead South America or the Philippines if they would just step out.

Alderman Sargent was located and after getting a ticket took the woman and her son to a restaurant for dinner as she was out of funds. What Selmer did to the restaurant has not been reported as yet, but it is probable that another chapter covering his busy time in Crookston may appear later.

The mayor has been suffering with a nervous headache all afternoon.

ELLSWORTH TO HEAD THE K. P.'S

GRAND LODGE HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS AT ST. PAUL

The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias held its election of officers at St. Paul yesterday. The following officials of the grand lodge were chosen: Frank S. Ellsworth of St. James, grand chancellor; James Wharton, of Duluth, grand vice chancellor; Frank S. Atwood, of Lamberton, grand prelate; F. E. Wheaton, of Minneapolis, grand keeper of records and seals. Charles W. Farrell, of Minneapolis, grand master of the exchequer; H. W. Ferguson, of Luverne, grand master-at-arms; A. J. Bishop, of St. Paul, grand inner guard; Charles Conger of McIntosh, grand outer guard.

The U. C. T. hall where the grand lodge is holding its sessions, was crowded early last evening when St. Paul Lodge No. 2 gave an exemplification of the ranks of page and knight. The work was done with remarkable precision and smoothness. Later in the evening the knights repaired to the Bowlby hall for the ceremonial by the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassen. Eight candidates rode the camel and arrived at Khorassan in fair condition. Luncheon was served followed by a well received vaudeville entertainment.

It is time that more of a stir was being made regarding the big firemen's tournament to be held here the first week in July. Posters should be out before the end of the month, and all surrounding cities and towns be invited to celebrate with us. Make the occasion a hummer.

Have you started cleaning up your yard yet?

WILL LOCATE A COLONY

DICK LAWRENCE AND HENRY COOK LEAVE FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

TO LOOK OVER COUNTRY—IF SATISFACTORY THEY WILL LOCATE COLONY

From Thursday's Daily—

Dick Lawrence who has been the binder for the McKenzie-Robbins Printing Co., for years, and prior to that was with the Times in the same department, in company with Henry Cook of Germantown will leave Saturday morning on the Winnipeg Flyer for British Columbia where they will spend three months looking over the country with the idea of locating homesteads.

They intend selecting some valley if a suitable one can be found, and will then return and secure a colony from this section to locate there. Mr. Lawrence has had trouble with his eyes and was forced to resign his position some weeks ago and intends enjoying out door life for the next few years. Unless they find just what they want they will not locate there, and will look over the country very thoroly with the intention of securing the very best location available.

As both Mr. Lawrence and Mr. Cook are old timers and used to frontier life their judgment can be banked upon.

SCHOOL TO TEACH AGRICULTURE

WARREN BOARD OF EDUCATION DECIDES TO INTRODUCE NEW DEPARTMENT

The board of Education at Warren has decided to introduce the study of agriculture into the public schools. A tract of ground has been secured and school gardens will be planted. A separate department of the high school will have charge of this work next year. A delegation representing the board of education and the Warren Commercial club appeared before the high school board last week and endeavored to secure one of the agricultural high schools which were selected at that time but failed to secure the school.

OLD SETTLERS ASS'N JUNE 26-7

The Norman County Old Settlers' Association will hold its second annual meetin gat Ada this year June 26-27. Ada is already at work preparing to make it a success and a general committee of nearly forty members has been appointed to look after details and see that nothing is left undone that would add to the comfort and enjoyment of the individuals that will make up the big gatherig. Members of the Executive committee from this part of the county are as follows: Twin Valley, A. H. Froshaug; Wild Rice O. S. Bentley; Fossum, Henry Benson; Flom, Erick Holum; Home Lake, H. C. Tvedstulen. Auditor Fulton, the historian of the society will appreciate it if information be sent him concerning the first settlers here an dof the doing of early times in the county. Such information will grow i value as the years go by.

MAIL CARRIER HAS BAD FIRE LOSS

CHRIST NELSON LOSES HOUSE AT BAGLEY WITH ALL ITS CONTENTS

The home of Christ Nelson the Zerkel stage driver near Bagley was entirely destroyed by fire with all its contents day before yesterday. Nelson had started a fire in the stove and went to the barn to do his chores befor breakfast, preparatory to coming to town with the mail. He had not been absent but a few moments when he saw smoke coming thru the roof and by the time he got to the house the whole building was enveloped in a mass of roaring flames. The rest of the family was sleeping when the building caught fire and escaped in their night clothes. The house was an exceptionally good farm dwelling and well furnished. Mr. Nelson carried $500 insurance on the house in the Farmers Insurance Co., of Cleanwater County which will not cover more than half the loss at the most.

Don't leave slander laying around where it will twist the tongue of gossip.

HOTEL BLOCK IS IN ASHES

$60,000 LOSS ON BUILDING AND ADJACENT PROPERTY AT BRECKENRIDGE

FLAMES FANNED BY A FIERCE WIND WERE HARD TO SUBDUE

From Thursday's Daily—

One of the fiercest fires this town has ever witnessed started in the basement of the Bobson hotel block a three-story brick building owned by Henry Bobson of Minneapolis.

The fire was discovered at 2 a. m. yesterday by the messenger boy of the Great Northern railway who quickly spread the alarm but a strong wind from the south soon whipped the blaze into a roaring furnace and the firemen were unable to check the flames. Streams of water were then turned on the surrounding buildings in an effort to keep the fire from spreading, but this had to be abandon ed and dynamite was resorted to in order to save the homes and other buildings in the block.

The loss is estimated at $60,000, which is partially covered by insurance.

FROM SECTION TO FAME

LUDVIG DAHLGREN OF ARGYLE PROVES A WONDERFUL FLUTIST

HITHERTO UNKNOWN HE SIGNS CONTRACT WITH MINNEAPOLIS ORCHESTRA

From Friday's Daily—

There is a very interesting little story in connection with Mr. Dahlgren of Argyle who appeared on the program at the Commercial club reception last evening in several flute solos. He arrived from Nonway only about a year ago. He could not speak a word of English and went to Argyle where he has since been working on the Great Northern road as a section hand. It soon developed that he was a flutist above the ordinary and became affiliated with the Argyle Band and orchestra. Last Sunday he went to Minneapolis, having been sent for by the leader of the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra who had been told of his ability by a travelling man. The result of one rehearsal was that he has affixed his name to a contract with that organization for a year. He is a very unassuming young man but can fairly make a flute talk and with no apparent effort. Director Wasshausen states that with the training he will receive with the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra he will develope into a player within a short time who will be heard from.

This is but an instance where real merit won. Mr. Dahlgren was given a tremendous ovation last evening having been recalled twice and the audience would have liked to listen to several more selections.

"NOTHING IN IT" HE WROTE HER

YOUNG LADY NEAR CROOKSTON RECEIVES FORMAL NOTIFICATION

A well known young lady received formal notification from a prominent young man a few days ago to the effect that there was a rumor had been put in circulation to the effect that the two were to be united in marriage shortly. "I write you" the letter ran "to asure you there is nothing in the rumor and no foundation for it."

This was real nice of him, as otherwise the young lady in question might have been married off without knowing anything about it herself which would have put her in a very embarrassing predicament.

ELDEST SISTER DIED—J. P. Marcum received a telegram this morning announcing the death of Mrs. Spengler, his eldest sister, who resided in southeastern Iowa. She died Thursday evening but the telegram was not received here till this morning so that he will be unable to reach the home in time to attend the funeral services and so will not go down. Mrs. Spengler was about 65 years of age and leaves a husband and six children. She died suddenly having been bothered with heart trouble for some time.

TRADED FARM—Charley A. Rucker formerly in the pool hall with John Smith has traded his farm off south of the city for an Illinois city residence.

THREE CASES IN BANKRUPTCY

CROOKSTON AND OTHER WHOLESALE HOUSES WANT THEIR MONEY

FROM RED LAKE FALLS MERCHANT, KITTSON COUNTY FARMER ADMITS INSOLVENCY

From Friday's Daily—

Three bankruptcy petitions were filed in the United States court at Red Lake Falls yesterday. The Wright-Carlson Mercantile company, Gowan-Twohy company, Finch, Winslow, Carlisle Co. ;and the Queen City Fruit company united in a petition asking that Exerie Chatel, a merchant of Red Lake Falls, be adjudged bankrupt. No estimate of assets and liabilities is given, but the petitioners allege that his indebtedness to them amounts to $3,625.58.

C. J. Haugen, a farmer of Hampden, Kittson county, filed a voluntary petition placing his assets at $196 and his liabilities at $3,556.96 and L. C. Larson a mail carrier of Artichoke, Big Stone county, filed at the same time, placing his assets at $530 and his liabilities at $1,979.75.

The Duluth Herald in a very timely editorial says that Senator Nelson bit the nail squarely on the head in his direct manner when, in a debate in the senate Monday he said: "Mr. President, I am tired of being lectured about these schedules and about or thodoxy of the Republican party. Let us recognize the fact that with the tariff bill it is justas it is with the rivers and harbors bill. You tickle me and I tickle you. You give us what we want on the Pacific coast for our lead ore and for our citrus fruit and we will tickle you people of New England and give you what you want on your cotton goods. The people who stand between these two elements are ground between the upper and lower millstones. We are willing to accept a reasonable reduction on our products. How is it with the rest of you?"

This is the secret of tariff scandal of tariff robbery, of tariff corruption. It is this system of log-rolling and of trading that gives men like the infamaus Aldrich the power to dictate a tariff bill in the interests of the trusts The tariff is so much a local issue in congress that common national interests are lost sight of ,and in the confusion of sectional grabbbing the shrewd agents of the trusts calmly pull the wires and manipulate such in famies as the Dingley tariff law and the Aldrich tariff bill. Nothing but an inmediate awakening of the consumers of the land, made plainly evident in Washington, will prevent the infliction upon the American people of a tariff law even more viciously corrupt than the Dingley law of 1897. NSffishrdlu she she she shrdlue dluu

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Too many politicians are good milkers but it is the public they milk. Society folks in Des Moines and thruout Iowa have been shocked at the discovery that Governor Carroll not only keeps a red cow but that he milks her himself.

Every morning promptly at 5:30 the governor rises from the gubernatorial couch dons a pair of overalls and hies himself to the cowbarn. The governor is a rapid milker and does the job with neatness and dispatch.

Every evening as soon as he quits the executive office the governor goes to his home and again dons his blue jeans. And again he "pails" bossy.

Many times fashionable people have wondered why the governor has been late to early evening banquets The secret came out when a leading Iowa politician called up his house the other evening to ascertain why the governor had not put in an appear ance at a certain function.

"He's out milking the cow now. If you will leave your number I'll have him call you," was the reply from the executive mansion.

The secret was out.

The governor has not as yet followed the example of President Taft who has been tethering his cow on the capitol grounds. Instead, the governor's son, Paul, drives the cow to pasture each morning and brings her back at night.

The neighbors say that the governor has never been heard to utter a cross word when bossy whisked him in the face with her tail or tried to kick the milk bucket into the next county.

If you want to feel well, look well and be well, take Foley's Kidney Remedy. It tones up the kidneys and bladder, purifies the blood and retores health and strength. Pleasant to take and contains no harmful drugs. Why not commence today? Sold by all druggists.

WHEAT SEEDING COMPLETED

REPORTS FROM ALL DIRECTIONS IS OF MOST ENCOURAGING NATURE

RAIN THIS WEEK HAS DONE A VAST AMOUNT OF GOOD—ALL OPTIMISTIC

Wheat seeding thruout the Red River Valley is practically over. Supt. W. B. Sheffield returned this morning from Fargo states that between here and there farmers are all busy now seeding barley and the later grains and grasses. He says the same conditions prevail in his entire district, there being but few farmers who have not finished their wheat seeding, not enough to cut any figure.

The recent rains he states, have done a vast amount of good and will start the grain at once.

The same reports are received from all directions from travelling men and business men who have been here during the past few days and the outlook is far brighter than it has been at this time for many years past.

Most Favorable Spring

During the past few days the weather has been cloudy and gentle showers of rain have fallen at intervals. All the wheat has been seeded and will start to grow at once, now that warm weather has set in. Old farmers say they have never seen a more favorable spring for the wheat crop. Considerable barley oats and flax have also been seeded, and there is ample time yet for the seeding of these grains. There will be more ootatoes planted in this vicinity this year than ever before and many farmers will no doubt receive a large income from the sale of tubers in the fall. A large amount of grass seed has also been sown, such as clover, tmothy and alfalfa.—Warren Sheaf.

Crops Never Better

E. Ellis manager of the Imperial Elevator Co., spent Wednesday at Hallock looking after the company's business there. Mr. Ellis states: "During all these years that I have travelled thru the northwest as manager for the Imperial Elevator Co., I have never heard as much talk about the Red River Valley as there is this spring. Seeding is further advanced in the Red River Valley than in Iowa. Dakotas and southern Minnesota. Never saw the soil in better condition for crop than in the Red River Valley this spring. With the general heavy rain there is every reason to believe that the Valley will have a good crop and a large immigration of actual settlers."

A Large Acreage

There will be very little vacant prairie land if any, between Hallock and Kennedy this year. Capt. Donaldson is busy with a big force of men and teams breaking up one quarter section after another. He has already contracted for the breaking and seeding of one section into flax and if weather and time permits he intends to break and seed in at least a half section more into flax. The present prices on flax is very encouraging and Capt. Donaldson is not going to lose an opportunity. Knowing what Kittson county soil can produce he will without doubt come out all O. K. on his flax venture.

The Magnet as a Detective.

In America the magnet has come rather extensively into use in the handling of iron and steel castings. Suspended from a locomotive crane, it can also be used for collecting scraps of metal from floors and yards. Large amounts are said to be saved in this way. And as the magnet moves over the ground it may bring to light pieces which have mysteriously disappeared —concealed, it may be, by employees to hide blunders in their work. Some years ago in England the magnet was found useful in a somewhat similar way in the detection of fraud. Manufacturers of bone manure found that they were buying old iron along with the bones. Collectors found that it was profitable to insert bits of old metal in the larger bones and thus increase the weight. So the manufacturers provided themselves with a powerful magnetic apparatus under which all the bones were passed before being weighed. As the bones were slid along a broad groove a large one would suddenly jump up and cling to the wall where the magnet was concealed. On examination it would be found to contain perhaps a rusty old poker in place of marrow.—London Globe.

No Such Good Luck.

Nervous Old Lady (for the seventh time)—Oh, captain, is there any danger—shall I be drowned? Exasperated Skipper—I'm afraid not, ma'am.—London Fun.

The smart man knows when to quit the game, but the fool keeps everlastingly at it until he advertises his failure.

MAYOR TAYLOR IS UPHELD

JUDGE TEMPLETON DECIDES IN FAMOUS GRAND FORKS MANDAMUS CASE

WILL NOT RECEIVE PAY FOR THE WORK HE DID AFTER BEING FIRED

From Monday's Daily—

That M. E. Durick has no salary due him for services performed in the capacity of street commissioner at Grand Forks after his removal from that office on April 22 is the opinion of Judge C. F. Templeton, and he handed down a decision to that effect yesterday morning. The application of M. E. Durick for a writ of mandamus directing that Mayor Taylor and City Auditor Alexander pay his salary as street commissioner after April 22 were presented before Judge Templeton Wednesday afternoon. The question arose as a result of Mayor Taylor issuing an order on April 22 by which he removed Mr. Durick from the office of street commissioner appointing John Dunlop ad interim.

FERGUS FALLS PAPER SOLD

SYNDICATE HEADED BY SENATOR OLE SAGENG PURCHASES THE UGEBLAD

The Fergus Falls Ugeblad the leading Norwegian newspaper of Otter Tail Co., published at Fergus Falls, has been purchased from A. Solem by a company headed by Senator Ole O. Sageng, of Dalton. The officers are: Senator Sageng, president; Halvor Brekke, vice president; O. P. B. Jacobson, secretary and manager, and Oliver Olson, treasurer. The company is capitalized at $10,000. Mr. Jacobson will edit the paper and it is understood that Senator Sageng will contribute articles.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk,
ss.
In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial district.
E. Jenne Schroeder, Plaintiff.
vs.
Carl G. Schroeder, Defendant.
The State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court aforesaid, at the court house in the city of Crookston, in said county and state, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block, in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated April 22, 1909.

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk,
ss.
In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.
Lorena Hansen, plaintiff,
vs.
Ole Hansen, Defendant.
State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action which complaint has been filed in the office of the district court in the city, of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block in the city of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within thirty days after the service of this summons and complaint upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and, if you fail to answer the said complain within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint in this action.

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

Read The Journal Wants

CLUB ROOM OPENING WAS A VERY HAPPY AFFAIR

LARGE NUMBER THOROLY ENJOYED INFORMAL GATHERING AT THE NEW HOME OF THE 25,000 COMMERCIAL CLUB IN THE UNION BLOCK LAST EVENING, A HIGH CLASS PROGRAM RENDERED—MANY COMPLIMENTS PAID THE CLUB FOR THE ENTERPRISE SHOWN IN THE ELEGANT APPOINTMENTS OF THE SUITE OF ROOMS

From Friday's Daily—

The formal opening of the magnificent new club home of the 25,000 Commercial Club of Crookston, comprising a suite of 9 rooms and occupying the entire third floor of the Union Block on Robert street took place last evening and was one of the most pleasant social functions, as well as one of the most important in the history of Crookston. Only club member and their ladies were invited and about 300 were present at the gathering.

An excellent program including orchestral selections, selections by the Viking Chorus, the Viking Male Quartette, readings by Miss Mayme Westerberg, cornet solos by Director Wasshausen of the Crookston band, who made his initial bow to the people of Crookston and flute solos by Ludvig Dahlgren of Argyle, was carried out following an address by President H. C. Misner of the Commercial club. Thomas Morris presided at the gathering.

President Misner's Address

President Misner in his address stated that he was very much pleased at the presence of so many of the ladies. He wanted them to keep in close touch with the Commercial Club and aid by their influence in every way. He wanted them to encourage their husbands to attend the meetings and make a practice of dropping up to the club rooms frequently. He also advised them against giving them the marble heart or stony stare when they had remained at the club rooms a little beyond the limit in the evening.

Every Number Applauded

Every number of the program was heartily applauded and the audience insisted on responses to most hearty applause, which was graciously granted. The male quartette consisted of Rev. T. T. Ove and Messrs. Skaren, Geo. Hamery and O. W. Peterson, who did splendidly as did the Viking Chorus which gave two splendid numbers.

Miss Mayme Westenberg was not allowed to retire until she had given three very fine readings and never appeared before a Crookston audience to better advantage.

Ovation for Band Director Wasshausen

Mr. Arthur Wasshausen the director of the Crookston band appeared for the first time before a Crookston audience and he received a splendid ovation. He is certainly a master of the cornet and the enthusiastic recalls he received showed how great was the appreciation of those presnt. Everyone present believes Crookston has a band leader of exceptional merit. Incidentally Mr. Wasshausen paid Miss Fern Lancaster who accompanied him on the piano, and who presided at the piano during the entire evening a very high compliment for the splendid work she did with him on such short notice and brief rehearsals.

Dahlgren a Wonder

One of the surprises and genuine musical treats of the evening was the artistic work of Ludvig Dahlgren, who was scheduled for a flute solo. His work is truly wonderful. He has been making his home at Argyle since his arrival from the old country a year ago. His talent was recently recognized by people from Minneapolis and last Sunday he was called to that city and signed a contract for a year with the Minneapolis Symphony orchetra Last evening he was recalled several times.

Orchestra was Very Fine

The music by the orchestra assembled by Fred Walker was also of a very high class. They played several selections during the program and furnished the music for the dancing which was enjoyed following the program until after midnight. The orchestra consisted of 7 pieces and included Mr. Dahlgren from Argyle.

Decorations very Pretty

The decorations were very pretty, consisting of immense ferns and carnations. Frappe and wafers were served in the directors' room, the Misses Ethel Vance, Maryan Wheeler, Lillian Schmidt and Ella Christianson presiding.

The affair was an unqualified success from beginning to end and marks a new era of activity on the part of the Crookston Commercial Club. Many compliments were expressed on the elegance of the club rooms. The committee in charge of the program last evening consisting of J. G. Spokely, J. P. Foote and Tom Morris are entitled to much credit for the able manner in which they discharged their duties.

The following guests were present:

Messrs. and Mesdames H. C. Misner H. E. Nesne, Thomas Morris, George F. Carpenter, S. Rosenthal, G. S. Chesterman, Thomas Spence, J. S. Kjelland, C. H. Zealand, George T. Hamerry, A. A. Just, W. E. Slocum, James E. Montague, Frank Bracelin, E. E. McIntyre, George H. Wright, C. C. Strander, F. M. Brown, Arthur J. Johnson, R. T. Buckler, L. W. Larsen, C. L. Bang, C. E. Gildersleeve, Charles Loring, A. O. Busterud, J. E. Carpenter, S. W. Vance, O. K. Berget, J. W. Wheeler, A. C. Schmidt, A. A. Miller, W. A. Robertson, William Watts, A. R. Faust, Thos. R. Brown, Jr., J. E. O'Brien, Magnus Lundberg, O. O. Christianson, W. A. Marin, F. R. Hamel.

Mesdames W. B. Sheffield, W. F. Arnold.

Misses Luverne Carlisle, Carrie Casseman, Helen Misner, Meda Chesterman, Ethel Vance, Mayme Westerberg Lily May Schmidt, Ethel Robertson, Maryan Wheeler, Etta Christianson, Scharlie M. Robertson, Inga N. Dahl, Kate M. Kranz, Lena Sparby, A. L. Fallansbee, Mae Houston, Fern Lancaster.

Messrs. J. P. Foote, C. F. Brennan, W. T. Carlisle, H. W. Brandow, Jas. Heng, J. H. Boyd, E. W. Jones, Alex Arnold, Bert D. Keck, Louis Roy, A. D. Stephens, J. Frank Boles, A. H. Kirsch, J. P. Dotson, Wm. P. Murphy, N. S. Davies, Martin O'Brien, H. W. Remele, Arthur Wasshausen, William Anglim, L. S. Miller, N. A. Thorson, Elmer L. Hamery, O. J. Jensen, A. E. Marck, M. G. Selvik, Oluf Skodji, Louis Skodje, G. W. Munch, H. N. Thorson, V. L. McGregor, F. E. McGregor, W. P. Stone, P. C. Allen, H. H. Chesterman, B. L. Crowe, H. L. Falk, Ole Norseth, James Maybury, Charles Chesterman.

Out of town guests: Mrs. Frank Cadwell, Minneapolis; Miss B. E. Shephard, Exeter, England; Miss Eva Desautel, Michigan City, N. D.; Mr. H. W. Stephenson, Minneapolis; Mr. E. A. Davis, Minneapolis; Mr. J. F. Montgomery, Angus; Mr. J. V. Godfrey, Moorhead; Mr. H. A. Rudolphi, Minneapolis.

The Right Way

President Taft is going about the conservation of the nation's water power in the right way. In the first place he has assigned it to the Geological Survey, who has men in its service well qualified for the work, the task of finding out how much there is to conserve and in what parts of the country it is located. And the next point on which Mr. Taft will seek enlightenment is the existence of statutes under which the federal government is given the necessary authority to exercise special guardianship. The country will entirely approve of the President's desire to see his way clear before acting in this matter and will rest secure in the belief that he is upholding the Roosevelt policies in principle tho his methods of going about a thing are so diametrically opposed to those of his predecessor.—Stephen Leader.

$15,000,000 in the Hole

Senator Nelson is after the government printing office to stop commercial printing, which it furnishes to business men at a dead loss to the government. The government printing office run the government in the hole fifteen million dollars last year.—Roseau Co. Times.

Too Bad!!

Roosevelt has killed at least three lions since he reached Africa. It is too bad that his luck did not start a little earlier. We might then have been rid of Aldrich and Patten and a few of the other lions and bears that make it their business to prey on their fellow beings. — Thief River Falls Press.

Muffled voices must be uncomfortable in warm weather.

ANOTHER LINE MAY BE BUILT

GREAT NORTHERN SAID TO BE PLANNING TO BUILD EXTENSION IN CAVALIER

G. N. ACTIVITY DUE TO PROPOSITION OF SOO AND C. P. R. TO CONNECT

From Friday's Daily—

Mt. Carmel of Cavalier county, N. D., is excited over the prospects of securing a railroad. Two lines have been talked of. Recently it was given out that the Soo and Canadian Pacific planned to connect the Mowbray and Thief River lines. During the past week the Great Northern has had a right of way agent at work looking over the section north of Mt. Carmel and from there eastward. The projected plan is to extend what is known as the Northern North Dakota railway from Concrete northward.

The Northern Dakota railway is owned by Grand Forks and Cavalier county now but it is operated in connection with the Great Northern. It is believed that the Great Northern will make an effort to extend the line before the Soo gets thru.

LITTLE SON WAS LAID TO REST

The following communication was received from a friend of the bereaved family relative to the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones, the funeral having been held yesterday from the family residence:

Edward R. Jones, infant son of H. R. and Alma Jones was born May 18 1908, died May 11th, 1909. Little Edward was a playful, happy little child full of joy, and ever known to smile and play, with all who noticed him. The friends and neighbors will greatly miss him as well as the bereaved parents. Funeral services were held at the home 2:30 p. m. May 13, 1909, conducted by Rev. McCoy of the Methodist church, assisted by Rev. Gilman of Beltrami. Many friends and relatives were present from Crookston, St. Hilaire and Beltrami. There were many beautiful flowers to decorate the casket, given by the many friends.

The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery.

In after years it will be sweet for the parents to read the following lines:

"Two wee little feet went pattering
by, years ago,
They wandered off to the sunny
'sky, years ago.
They came never back to the heart
they left
They climbed never back to the
arms bereft, years ago.
Again I shall hear the two little feet
pattering by,
Their music a thousand times
more sweet, in the sky.
And I love to think that a Father's
care,
Will keep them safely
Till we get there,
Bye and bye.

—A Friend.

NEW PASTOR FOR POLK CO. TOWNS

The five commencement day speakers for the university of North Dakota were selected at the oratorical contest held yesterday afternoon in which seven participated. The following were selected: A. K. Reading Richard Wenzel and George Warmer, of the liberal arts college. E. A. Healy, of the law department and Miss Mary B. Esctes, of the teachers' college. The two others who participated in the contest were William M. Bryant and Miss Dora Hermann. Prof. Gottfried Hult, Dr. John M. Gilette, Prof. L. E. Birdzell and Albert J. Becker were the judges.

Mr. Warmer has been appointed the pastor at Fosston and Erskine, Minn., for the summer by District Superintendent A. H. McKee, of Crookston.

Stephen proposes to make the eagle scream July 4th and committees to raise funds and have charge of the affair were named at a recent mass meeting. It is none too early to get into the game. However the great celebration of the 4th for the entire Red River Valley will be in Crookston as the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association will be in session here at that time, and the Winnipeg Eagles will be here over 1,000 strong.

If a wife refuses to divorce her dyspeptic husband—that is love.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

CROKSTON DELEGATES RETURN FROM STATE CONVENTION AT MINNEAPOLIS.

ENDORSED PLAN TO RAISE $500,000 FOR CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY AT WASHINGTON

From Thursday's Daily—

Judge L. E. Gossman returned this morning from St. Paul where he attended the state convention of the Knights of Columbus as one of the grand lodge officers, having been the Grand Advisor, and reports a very largely attended and enthusiastic gathering. He was accompanied home by his mother who will make an extended visit here.

Messrs. J. E. O'Brien and N. B. Moran who were delegates from the Crookston lodge of that order, returned home yesterday.

About 100 delegates were present. The delegates endorsed the proposition of the national council to raise $500000 for the Catholic University of America at Washington.

The social features of the last day were a trolley ride in the morning, a reception at the West hotel in the evening, and then a visit in a body to the Orpheum Theatre. The election of the officers resulted as follows

J. H. Nightingale, Minneapolis, state deputy.

E. F. Kelly, Faribault, state secretary.

J. F. Fitzgerald, Owatonna, state treasurer.

John Barry. St. Paul, Advocate.

L. F. Kennedy, Minneapolis state warden.

JaJmes E. Hickey, Mankato, delegate to the national convention.

BUNCH OF LAND CHANGED HANDS

J. M. HETLAND DISPOSES OF 3360 ACRES OF NORMAN COUNTY LAND

One of the largest land deals ever made in Norman county took place last Saturday when John M. Hetland sold seventeen farms in various parts of the county to Senator Dale, a banker located at Madison, this state. The total number of acres transferred were 3360 at an average of $28.50. There has been considerable activity in real estate here this spring and the indications are that land will rapidly advance in price, some of the most optimistic ones predict that land values will double in the next two years. Land men coming here from the southern part of the state have a great deal of faith in this section and state that there is an unusual demand for Valley lands this year. The quality of our soil, together with present high prices of farm products should tend to make our land fully as valuable as that of Southern Minnesota and Iowa.

$1,000 LOSS IN PRAIRIE FIRE

RAINFALL IN VICINITY OF FERGUS FALLS LIGHTEST IN YEARS

Prairie fires have done much damage in the vicinity of Fergus Falls during the past few days. In the town of Western a fire swept over a wide extent of territory and burned over 10 tons of hay, the loss amounting to over $1,000. The rainfall in that vicinity this spring has been the lightest in years.

A. Lariviere drove the "Black Marrie" today which hauled 9 dog carcasses to the dumping ground this afternoon and Dog Catcher Welch acted as chief mourner, executioner and general high mogul. He officiated at a similar function not long ago when seven dogs were sent to dog heaven, making a total of 16 thus far this spring.

The public is thoroly aroused over the subject of dogs. There are about twice as many in the city as there should be as at least one half of the dog population consists of useless curs The city should be rid of them and the general public will give him moral backing in enforcing the ordinance to the letter.

Crookston cannot afford to be known as the "dog city" a title which might fittingly be applied at the present time.

In after years when a man finally tumbles to the fact that he doesn't understand women he can't help suspecting that he has been a fool.

The
Rent is
Reasonable.

A modern up-to-date Safe Deposit Box in our absolutely fireproof vaults costs but one dollar a year.

You carry the key, and have access to the vaults at any time during banking hours. It's just the place where your valuable papers should be kept.

Drop in and look over the vaults

The First Nationai Bank
of Crookston, Minn.
Assets over One Million Dollars

PROGRAM FOR SANGERFEST

GREAT MUSICAL TREAT TO BE GIVEN IN FERGUS FALLS ON JUNE 4-5

THE VIKING CHORUS OF THIS CITY WILL TAKE AN IMPORTANT PART

The great sangerfest, a biennial event, will take place in Fergus Falls this year on the 4th and 5th of June. The Viking chorus of this city will take a prominent part and scores of Scandinavians from all parts of the northwest will be in attendance. Following is the program:

Friday Evening, June 4th

1. Selection ... ...
Orchestra, Fergus Falls, A. J. Anderson, Conductor.
2. Brede Seil ... ... Reissiger
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
3. Det forste Mode .... Grieg
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
4. Ulabrand .... Wendelborg
Bjarne Singing Society, Grand Forks, J. L. Shefstad, director.
5. Ung Magnus .... O. A. Grondahl
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.
6. a. Solo ... ... Selected
b. Solo .... Selected
Gustaf Holmquist
7. Hor os, Svea, ... Wennerberg
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director
8. Selection ... .
Orchestra
9. Norge, Norge .... Selmer
Orpheus Singing Society, Fargo, P. A. Rudd, director
10. Sigurd Jorsalfar .... Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.
11. Vaarsang............ John Dahle
Ljom Singing Society, Fergus Falls, John Prestbo, director.
12. How Nearly was I Sleeping (Aria from "Der Friedschutz") Von Weber
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
13. Star Spangled Banner ...... Key
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
14. Landkjending ... ...Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.

2:30 Saturday Afternoon June 5

1. Selection ... ...
Orchestra, Fergus Falls, A. J. Anderson, Conductor.
2. Skona Mai ... .Been
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
3. a. Solo ... ... Selected
b. Solo ... ...Selected
c. Solo ... ...Selected
Miss Agusta Schacht, Fergus Falls
4. Varde .... Haarklo
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director.
Solo P. A. Rudd
5. Fiskalen .... John Dahle
Orpheus Singing Society, Fargo, P. A. Rudd, director
6. Naar Fjordene Blaaner .. Paulsen
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
7. Aftenroster ... ...Borg
Viking Chorus Society, Crookston, T. T. Ove, director.
8. Selection ... ...
Orchestra
9. Norden er et Soskendlag. .Stuntz
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director
10. Annie Laurie ... .
Bjarne Singing Society, Grand Forks, J. L. Shefstad, director
11. Al Himlen Priser ... Beethoven
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
12. Sumos Sang ... ...Pacuis
Miss Mildrid Irene Romsdahl, Fargo
13. Satt Maaskinen i Gang Lindblad
Ljom Singing Society, Fergus Falls, John Prestbo, director.
14. Ossian .... Haarklou
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo. Director

8 O'clock, Saturday Evening June 5

1. Selection ... ...
Orchestra, Fergus Falls, A. J. Anderson, Conductor.
2. Naar Fjordene Blaaner ....
... ...A Paulsen
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
3. a. Solo ... ...Selected
b. Solo ... ...Selected
Gustaf Holmquist
4. "Soldiers' Chorus," from Faust opera ... ... Gounod
Viking Chorus Society, Crookston, T. T. Ove, director.
5. Sigurd Jorsalafar ... . Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, Fargo, Director
6. Cry Aloud (Aria from "Iasiah")
... ...Patten
Miss Romsdahl
7. Brudeferden ... ... Kjerulf
Bjarne Singing Society, Grand Forks, J. L. Shefstad, director
8. Selection ... ...
Orchestra
9. Jotunheimen ... .Ole Olson
Orpheus Singing Society, Fargo, P. A. Rudd, director
10. Staa Stark ...... G. Wennerberg
Grand Chorus, John Prestbo, director
11. Vidste du .... Warmuth
Miss Romsdahl
12. Vaarvon ... ...
Ljom Singing Society, Fergus Falls, John Prestbo, director.
13. a. Solo ... . Selected
b. Solo .. ..Selected
c. Solo ... ...Selected
Miss Agusta Schacht, Fergus Falls
14. Landjkending ... ...Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.
15. Den Store vide Flok .... Grieg
Grand Chorus, P. A. Rudd, director.
Solo, Gustaf Holmquist, Chicago.

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Barnum Star-Gazette: The talk of making Lieutenant Governor Eberhart the Republican candidate for governor two years hence grows apace, and really at the present time indications point more strongly toward Mr. Eberhart as the logical candidate than atany other man yet mentioned. At any rate, no better man thn the lieutenant governor could be named for governor. He is a good, clean, square gentleman thru and thru; able, conservative and fair-minded. He would make an excellent governor. Push him along.

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CITY PARKS DISCUSSED

QUESTION OF ACQUIRING MORE GROUND FOR PARK PURPOSES REFERRED TO

SPECIAL COUNCIL COMMITTEE—MUCH ROUTINE BUSINESS TRANSACTED

From Wednesday's Daily—

The city council held a busy session last evening. The ladies representing the Federation of Woman's Clubs were present again to hear the report of the ways and means committee reported the price at which several plots could be secured but did not go into the band proposition.

City Attorney O'Brien took the floor and suggested that he would favor the purchase of the desired ground by getting a contract for deed and making payments as the funds were available. He did not think further bond issues were advisable as he wants the city in shape in 1910 when he claims the franchise of the water works company expires to acquire the plant or dictate the terms of the franchise.

Special Committee Named

It was finally decided to refer the park acquisition matter to a special committee and today President Snyder of the council appointed as such committee Alderman Wright, Murphy and Hughes, who will report on some plan devised at the next meeting of the council.

The Crookston Fire Department asked the council for an appropriation of $100 to help defray the expense of a delegation from the local department to attend the State Firemen's meeting to be held at Cloquet. City Atty. O'Brien was asked for advice and stated that the charter prohibited the council for appropriating money for such a purpose. The department has already received this sum in the past.

Will Assist Company I

Capt. Westerberg presented a formal application from Co. I for an appropriation of $250 per year to help pay armory rent. Under the new law the state will pay a similar sum as is paid by the city. City Atty. O'Brien was instructed to draw up a resolution covering the appropriation which will be passed at the next meeting of the council.

New Cement Crosswalks

The council ordered the construction of many cross walks mostly in the third ward with the understanding that the contractors would not present their bills for the same till there were sufficient funds credited to that ward to pay for same.

Considerable more routine business of an unimportant character was disposed of before adjournment.

PREPARE FOR FAIR EXHIBIT

FARMERS SHOULD SELECT SPECIAL PLOTS TO RAISE PRIZE STUFF

EXHIBIT COULD BE SENT DOWN FOR HALF THE COST OF LAST YEAR

It has been suggested that the farmers of Polk county would do well to make plans at once for furnishing the exhibit to the State Fair from Polk county the coming fall. Last year the plan was not decided upon till late and everything had to be done in a rush. It was a big task to scour the county for the class of exhibits wanted and it was necessary to get a little here, a little there and a little somewhere else. This could be avoided to a great extent if the farmers would plant their exhibit grains, vegetables, etc., in one plot and give them special attention.

A better exhibit could in this manner be raised and collected for the state fair than last year, and the cost would be less than half of what it cost last year. The decorations including set pieces etc., are all in good shape, and with a touch here and there and some brightening up could practically all be used again, the arrangment only being changed.

Adecision, however should be reached at once as to what is going to be done, as much better results can be obtained in this way. It would be a good idea for the committee in charge to offer prizes at once for the best showing of various lines of grain and vegetables and in this way the farmers would bring the exhibits in themselves.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds Prevents Pneumonia

GOV. JOHNSON A FEATURE

COMMITEE WILL MAKE COMPLETE CANVASS OF THE CITY AT ONCE

FOR FUNDS TO TAKE CARE OF BIG FIREMEN'S TOURNEY AND 4TH CELEBRATION

The committee selected by the Commercial club and the Firemen's committee to selicit funds for the annual tournament of the Northwestern Firemen's Tournament Association to be held in Crookston early in July will start the canvass at once. This gathering which will include a monster 4th of July celebration, the entertainment of the 1000 Eagles from Winnipeg, etc., will cost a great deal of money, but it is money well invested as the largest crowd will gather here that has been seen in Crookston for many years.

Gov. Johnson as Orator

Efforts are now being made to secure the presence of Gov. Johnson who will be invited to deliver the 4th of July oration on Monday, July 5th, and it is learned from high sources that as he has promised to visit Crookston some time this summer that he can be secured for the occasion. He would be a great drawing card ond would insure a monster crowd for the first day of the tourney.

KEELEY GETS $100 REWARD

LANDS A HORSE THIEF AND JUSTICE WATTS DIVIDES THE $200 REWARD

GEO. SNOW NABBED SOME WEEKS AGO AND IS NOW DOING TIME

Atty. N. B. Moran yesterday received a draft for $100 from the county auditor of Roseau County which is half of the reward of $200 for the capture of a horse thief and the money was turned over to P. J. Keeley the Great Northern conductor, who some weeks ago arrested Geo. Snow at Strathcona for stealing a horse at Roseau.

The other $100 went to a liveryman at Roesau who was on the train at the time the arrest was made. He was also in pursuit of Snow and had given Conductor Keeley a description of the man. As the train approached Strathcona Conductor Keeley saw the man wanted standing on the platform and promptly placed him under arrest.

Judge Watts decided that the reward should be split in two.

ONLY $225,000 FOR CLAIMANTS

MUST BE USED TO SETTLE $1,725,000 DAMAGES IN THE REPUBLIC DISASTER

HEIRS OF WILLIAM J. MOONEY OF LANGDON, N. D., ASK FOR $50,000

Less than $225,000 is available to settle claims aggregating $1,725,000 filed against the owners of the Lloyd-Italino line steamship Florida. The time limit set for the presentation of the claims growing out of the ramming of the White Star liner Republic expired today. The courts must now find some means of distributing among claimants the $225,000 proceeds of the sale of the Florida. The largest single claim is $1,662,100, made by the Ocean Steam Navigation company, owner of the Republic.

The heirs of William J. Mooney of Langdon, N. D., who was killed in the collision, ask for $50,000. James B. Connolly the writer, who was a passenger, filed a claim for $1,600.

RECEIVED CHECK FOR $1,000 INSURANCE

POLICY ON FATHER GREENE'S LIFE PAID TO HIS SISTER ELLEN

N. B. Moran is in receipt of a check for $1000 the amount of a policy carried in the Knights of Columbus by Father Green. The draft has been forwarded to his mother, Ellen Greene who resides at Kingariff Arva, County Cavan, Ireland.

A man may know his wife like a book but he can't shut her up like one.

INSPECTING DREDGE WORK

MAJOR SCHRUNK IS IN CHARGE OF GOVERNMENT HARBOR WORK LOOKING

OVER THE WORK BEING DONE AT WARROAD AND INTERNATIONAL FALLS

Major Schrunk who has charge of the work being done by the Government in harbors, was in Crookston yesterday enroute to Warroad and International Falls where the government has dredges at work cleaning out and deepening the channels. He will sped several days there with Capt. Henry who accompanied him. The dredge work has been in progress there for a number of years past, and more or less will be done every year as traffic on the lake is increasing steadily.

With beter railroad connection that section of the state it is expected that its importance as a summer resort will be greatly increased and thousands of tourists will make annual trips there. This will mean the addition of many boats in the next few years for both passenger and freight business.

AUTOMATIC STOKERS WILL BE INSTALLED

NORTHERN PACIFIC AND GREAT NORTHERN TO PUT THEM ON SOON

Automatic stokers will be given a trial in the near future on the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroads. The mechanical departments of these roads have been considering the idea for some time and it is said that the arrangements have so far matured that several of the devices will be placed in service. If they prove satisfactory they will undoubtedly be put in general use on all engines on the lines.

The Chicago & Alton railroad recently anonunced that it had decided to adopt the mechanical stokers after a successful tryout. The equipment consists of a conveyor which loads and unloads mechanically, thus saving an immense amount of hard work on the part of the fireman.

The principal advantage claimed for the contrivance is the fireman's attention is not entirely monopolized in shoveling coal, giving him time to assist the engineer. Another important advantage is that the fireman's eyes are protected from the glare of the fire making his vision clearer when on the lookout for danger signals.

VERDICT FOR DR. JOHN KOCH

FAMOUS DAMAGE SUIT AT BEMIDJI DECIDED IN FAVOR OF DEFENDANT

Dr. John Koch formerly of Fergus Falls has won out in the damage suit that was brought against him by parties at Blackduck and tried at Bemidji It was claimed that he had made an incorrect diagnosis in the case of a patient suffering from diphtheria and a damage suit was instituted which has been on trial for two weeks, and has been very hard fought on both sides. The case went to the jury Monday and a verdict was returned in his favor yesterday. The verdict in effect exonerates him from any blame in the premises. Dr. Koch's numerous friends will be pleased to learn of the outcome of the case.

The Tomb of Genghis Khan.

Genghis Khan, the Mongol chief, in the thirteenth century proved himself one of the world's greatest warriors. His tomb exists at Edchen Koro and is described in Count de Lesdain's "From Pekin to Sikkim:" "Two small tents, one behind the other and connected by a very low inner door made of wornout felt and admitting through their rents the rain and the wind, are the 'monument' destined to perpetuate the renown of the greatest conqueror the world has known. The ashes of the body of Genghis Khan are deposited in a kind of chest cubic in shape and placed on a wooden support made of small colored pillars adorned with paintings on all its sides except that facing south, which is covered with a finely worked copperplate representing a divinity surrounded by four animals which are not easy to identify. The tomb, in fact, has not always been here, but it is difficult to know exactly where the first [illegible] of the great [illegible] is [illegible]

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

HAD BEEN IN FAILING HEALTH

Death of H. H. Rogers Not Wholly Unexpected.

APOPLEXY CAUSE OF END

Had Suffered From Same Ailment in July, 1907, and Had Since Placed His Affairs in Order in Event of Another Attack—Last Illness of Noted Capitalist of Only an Hour's Duration.

New York, May 20.—The death of Henry H. Rogers, vice president of the Standard Oil company and a stockholder in various other corporations, while sudden was not wholly unexpected, as Mr. Rogers had been in declining health for several years and at one time in 1907 his condition was serious. Mr. Rogers rose as he usually did about 5 a. m. At 6 o'clock he complained of feeling ill and a physician was summoned. His heart action was weak and it was apparent that he was suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. This was the second illness of this nature suffered by Mr. Rogers, the first having occurred in July, 1907. In spite of all that could be done for him Mr. Rogers sank rapidly and the end came peacefully at 7 o'clock.

HENRY H. ROGERS.

Following the seizure of apoplexy in 1907 Mr. Rogers began putting his affairs in order and he has been out of the stock market entirely for months. His interests in all of the corporations with which he had been identified have been placed in other hands during the past year. This step was taken in order to safeguard his properties in the even of sudden death.

Was a Prominent Financier.

Mr. Rogers was for many years one of the most prominent financiers of the country. He took a leading part in all of the enterprises undertaken by the Standard Oil group of capitalists, was vice president of the Standard Oil company and was the active spirit in the organization of the Amalgamated Copper company, of which he was president up to the time of his death. He also was interested in a number of railroads, serving as a member of the board of directors of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Union Pacific. The news of his death came as a surprise to Wall street. Mr. Rogers was at the office of the Standard Oil company Tuesday and appeared to be in good spirits. His health has been failing somewhat for several years past and he had curtailed his financial operations to some extent on that account, but he continued to perform the duties of vice president of the Standard Oil company.

The death of Mr. Rogers follows closely upon the completion of the great railway project to the accomplishment of which the energies of his later years, his genius for organization and a very considerable portion of his private fortune was devoted. This was the building of the Virginia railway, a line which opened up a rich bituminous coal country in West Virginia, extending 443 miles from Deepwater, W. Va., to a tidewater terminal at Sewells Point, Va. This road was distinctly an individual undertaking of Mr. Rogers and he personally bore the greater part of the cost of its construction, which has been estimated at $40,000,000. Mr. Rogers had embarked on his venture some time prior to the financial panic of 1907, which checked similar undertakings by some of the large railroad companies of this country, but the work of building this line went on to its finish mainly because of the energy and faith which Mr. Rogers applied to the achievement of his purpose.

His death coming so soon after the end of this work and before he saw the fruit of his labor in the development of the section served by his road is regarded by his friends and associates as a regrettable ending of a brilliant career.

PRESIDENT TAFT IN THE SOUTH

Attends Unveiling of Statue on Virginia Battlefield.

LAUDS NORTH AND SOUTH

Couples With Every Tribute to Union Soldiers a Eulogy of the Valor of the Confederates—Declares War Between the States Had to Be Fought and That Enduring Good Had Come of It.

Petersburg, Va., May 20.—Paying a tribute alike to the soldiers of the North and South President Taft witnessed the unveiling of an heroic statue in bronze, erected at Fort Mahone, on the Petersburg battlefields, in memory of General Hartranft and the Pennsylvania volunteers who fell in the stubborn fight about this outpost of the Confederate capital. The president arrived in Petersburg shortly after 9 o'clock in his private car, the Olympia, which was detached from the regular Washington train at Richmond and was run as a special from there. The president went immediately to Fort Stedman, where a tablet was unveiled, and then proceeded to Fort Mahone, where he made his first address of the day.

The day was warm, but the sky was overcast throughout the morning and the heat was not seriously felt. The president coupled with every tribute to the Union soldiers a eulogy of the valor of the Confederates.

"We could not dedicate this beautiful and enduring memorial," he declared "to the volunteer soldiers of Pennsylvania with such a sense of its justice and appropriateness had they not been confronted by an enemy capable of resisting their assaults with equal vigor and fortitude. Pennsylvania's pride must be in the victory achieved by her men against so brave, resolute and resourceful an enemy."

The president declared that the battle between the states had to be fought and that enduring good had come of it.

KIRBY SUCCEEDS VAN CLEAVE

Is Expected to Continue Policy of Predecessor.

New York, May 20.—Ratification of the new officers chosen by the nominating committee, discussion of reports of committees and a banquet were on the programme of the concluding day of the annual meeting of the National Association of Manufacturers in this city. The nominating committee's choice of John Kirby, Jr., of Dayton, O., as president and the other officers so selected was generally accepted by the delegates and the members looked to Mr. Kirby to continue the contest undertaken by James W. Van Cleave against labor legislation regarded as inimical to their interests.

The report of the committee on immigration declared that "public sentiment in the United States on the whole appears to be in favor of selection rather than restriction of immigration, having no objection to a considerable amount of immigration if of a desirable quality." The principle which is embodied in the present immigration laws was approved by the committee.

FAMOUS RESORT BANKRUPT

Moulin Rouge at Paris Forced to Suspend.

Paris, May 20.—The Moulin Rouge, probably the most famous resort in the history of Paris, has been declared bankrupt by the tribunal of commerce. Of late the vogue of the resort has been steadily decreasing, owing to the work of the purity crusaders, who have brought about the elimination of some of the sensational dances that were the chief features of the place.

The various managers of the concern have made fortunes in it, but many more have met ruin in trying to conduct it on a lavish scale necessary to attract tourists.

MILLIONAIRE SWIFT WEDS

Elopes With Young Heiress of Lafayette, N. Y.

New York, May 20.—Julian W. Swift, nephew of the multimillionaire meat packer of Chicago, and a millionaire in his own right, who is known in New York as a man about town, was married in Hoboken Monday night to Miss Mary Emma Miller, a beautiful young heiress of Lafayette, N. Y., whom he met only three weeks ago.

The pair eloped from the Hotel Knickerbocker and hurried to Hoboken in a large touring car. Only a few of their intimate friends went with them.

Duty Remains the Same.

Washington, May 20.—Changing his amendment, which had originally placed linotypes on the free list, so as to provide a duty of 10 per cent, Mr. Paynter asked for a vote, and the amendment was defeated, 35 to 43. Messrs. Borah, Bristow, Brown, Burkett, Clapp, Dolliver, La Follette and Nelson, Republicans, voted with the Democrats.

SMOOT DENIES THE ASSERTION

Senator Defends Head of Mormon Church.

BEET SUGAR DISCUSSED

Mr. Clay Charges That Joseph F. Smith Fixes the Price of Beets in the Interest of the Factories of Utah and Against the Producer. Mormon Senator Brands Statement Absolutely Untrue.

Washington, May 20.—Declaring that Joseph F. Smith, the head of the Mormon church, every year fixes the price of beets in the interest of the beet sugar factories of Utah rather than in favor of the producers of beets, Senator Clay, in the senate, called for the characterization of his statement as "absolutely untrue" by Senator Smoot, himself an official of the Mormon church. Mr. Clay declared that Mr. Smith, as president of the beet sugar factories of Utah, received $20,000 annual salary. "He is always in favor of the factories and against the growers," said Mr. Clay.

Upon Mr. Smoot's denying this statement Mr. Clay declined to be interrupted further.

Mr. Clay declared that as votes already taken in the senate demonstrated that the finance committee had full power to obtain agreement on its tariff bill as reported he favored an early vote on the bill, as delay was useles in affecting tho rates carried by that measure.

REED SMOOT.

By a resolution introduced by Mr. La Follette the interstate commerce commission is instructed to inform tho senate what railroads have failed to comply with the law limiting the hours of service of their employes, together with the names of the roads which have contested the validity of the law and the result of such action. Upon motion of Mr. La Follette the consideration of the resolution was postponed for a day.

WATCHORN OUSTED BY TAFT

New Yorker Succeeds Him at Important Immigration Post.

Washington, May 20.—William Williams of New York has been selected to succeed Robert Watchorn as commissioner of immigration at New York.

The post, which is considered the most important in the immigration department of the country, has not been conducted in a manner satisfactory to the president.

This is taken as the cause of Mr. Watchorn's resignation.

ON A CHARGE OF FORGERY

Relative of Former Minnesota Governor Under Arrest.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 20.—Blaine Taylor, twenty-six years of age, an attorney, son of the late T. B. Taylor, a capitalist and nephew of former Governor Van Sant of Minnesota, was arrested here on charges of having passed fictitious checks and forged others to the amount of nearly $8,000. Taylor denies the amount of money he has obtained is anything like the sum charged and states $80 or $100 will cover the entire amount.

Owen Wister Seriously Ill.

Philadelphia, May 20.—Owen Wister, the novelist, is seriously ill at his country home near this city. He is suffering with nervous breakdown brought about by a stomach difficulty and although his condition is said to be somewhat improved the change is not such as to relieve to any great extent the anxiety of his family.

His Recovery Remarkable.

White Plains, N. Y., May 20.—Stephen Barno, a painter of Brooklyn, who fell April 1 and broke his back and has been in the White Plains hospital ever since, has been pronounced cured. His case has attracted widespread attention and his recovery is regarded as remarkable.

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INTENSE INTEREST IN INDUSTRIAL CONTESTS

PROF. L. P. HARRINGTON ACCOMPLISHES SPLENDID WORK THRUOUT THE STATE IN STIMULATING INTEREST—HE IS RECEIVING MOST ENCOURAGING WO[illegible] COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS AND OTHER EDUCATORS—[illegible] COUNTY TAKING WORK UP—SUPT. THORSON OF POLK CO., TAKES MOST ACTIVE INTEREST

Historical Society

From Monday's Daily—

Prof. L. P. Harrington of the faculty of the Crookston Schhool of Agriculture spent Sunday in the city after a tour of Roseau Co., holding meetings to stimulate interest in Industrial Contest work among the school children, leaving last evening for Ortonville where he will continue the work. Prof. Harrington is very diffident about talking of what he has accomplished but is intensely enthusiastic regarding the general awakening thruout the territory he has visited and the enthusiastic encouragement given everywhere.

Supt. Thorson is taking hold of the work with a vim in Polk County which augurs well for its success here, and he should be given the assistance of all in his efforts to have Polk county make a creditable showing.

In an interview with the Journal Mr. Harrington yesterday said:

"I am urging the importance of agricultural education of hand training for boys and girls, and of schools that will fit our young people for the common everyday duties of life. It has been said that we allow our boys and girls to leave our schools unfitted for their duties and with a disposition to look down on the common vocations of life. This should not be and the sooner we correct these conditions the better it will be for our young people who are in school today and tomorrow are the men and women of our country.

"Superintendent and teachers in all parts of the state are making up to the importance of agricultural and industrial edication and are taking steps to introduce such training.

"Industrial contests introduced several years ago in a few counties of Minnesota under direction of county superintendents, have proved that boys ad girls "like to do things" and that with the doing of some of the simpler things on the farm or in the home has come an interest in the whole subject. A boy who can raise better corn on the home farm than has been previously raised by his father sees other lessons in connection with farm work that he had not thought of before.

"The young person on the farm who is interested in showing a better sample of wheat oats, corn, vegetables and fruits will begin to study the processes by which better articles can be produced. Selection of seed, rules for picking the best and a general knowledge of soil and plants will result. The girl who makes a plain work apron for a contest is quite likely to become interested in sewing as she would not have been had she not been given an opportunity to try. The girl who bakes a loaf of bread or cake for a contest will be likely to do the same work afterwards in assisting in household duties. County industrial contests will stimulate work of this kind and state contests will give opportunity to boys and girls from all parts of the state to show what they can do, to prove their excellence of judgment in selecting and their care in preparing.

"All this will teach them to be industrious to work as well as play, to have an interest in what grows on the farm or in the garden, to be readers, to be observing, and to do well whatever is undertaken. Many counties in the state are doing this work and I herewith give extracts from circulars issued by some who are just introducing it.

Some county superintendents' reason for starting Industrial contests:

Supt. Ingalls of Lac Qui Parle county gives the following as the purpose of a contest. The purpose of this contest is to improve the seed and crop conditions in our county, to interest our boys and girls in the farm and home and in the things that grow on the farm and to teach them some of the fundamental truths which will help them to devblep into good men and good women."

Supt. Geo. Miller of Lincoln County says: "That our boys and girls should be educated to the farm instead of away from it is past the stage of debate. It is an accepted fact that is generally admitted that the young man can choose no vocation more pleasant and profitable than farming and our rural schools should do more to fit its pupils for this life."

Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Glencoe High School says:

"The industrial changes of the past 50 years have been rapid and radical. On a New England farm time was when a boy learned nearly 50 trades. The girl in the home was taught to spin, to weave, to sew, to cook, because nearly all things of necessity had to be home and hand made. Now thru the system of the division of labor and the multiplication of machinery and devices neither the boys nor the girls learn a tenth of these things The factory has succeeded the home in production. There has been growing up a generation of girls and boys unskilled in handcraft. At school they have crammed history dates and geographical names. They have learned to count backwards and to solve any number of arithmetical puzzles—but there has been no opportunity given to acquire skill of hand and of the eye. The girls have been given no training in household duties and arts. Manual training was the first practical work to come in. The boys may now learn how to use tools, to handle rough material, to saw and to plane, to use the rule and the square, the chisel and the bevel to make things of use and ornament—to satisfy that natural proper desire in every boy's heart to make something."

"In some counties the young people contest work is a leading feature of the county fair. The McLeod County Fair Association had a substantial building erected for the school and industrial exhibit of the county and used for no other purpose. The young people fill this building each year and their contest is considered one of the attractions of the county fair.

"Supt. F. A. Wildman encourages and directs this work in which he is thoroly interested. Olmstead County under the supervision of Geo. F. Howard has a regular County School Fair managed and controlled by the boys and girls under the advice and direction of their able county superintendent. Many other counties have very creditable exhibitions at their county fairs.

"Among them we might mention, Carver, Supt. F. L. Williams; Douglas Supt. T. A. Erickson; Pipestone, Supt Jessie Walkup; Pine, Supt R. H. Blankenship; Redwood, Supt. H. J. Bebermeyer; Braverse, Co. Supt. W. F. Williams; Aitkin, Supt. E. H. Hall Sibley Co. Supt. W. M. Cawn; Washington Co. Supt. J. F. Lawson; Lyon Co. Supt. H. R. Painter; Meeker Co. Supt. ate M. Jones; Pope Co., Supt. G. C. Torgerson and many others.

"These county superintendents generally admit that these schools have been improved by the contests they have had, teachers have been interested and a general uplift has been given to the practical side of the school work without any loss on the side of the intellectual. The best boys and girls in the general work of the school have been those who were active in the industrial contests. Teachers in these schools have found time for simple practical lessons in agriculture, illustrating some of the fundamental principles of the subject.

"Other counties are preparing for work this year. Among the number Lincoln Co., Supt. Geo. C. Miller; Todd Co., Supt. Bertha F. Roddis; Roseau Co., Supt. Anna C. Olson; Carlton Co., Supt. R. J. Coloont; Big Stone, Supt. Anna Sorenson; Mahnoing it up this year.

"Is there any reason for delaying men, Supt. Miss C. Madison; Polk Co. Supt. N. A. Thorson and many others.

"This is only a partial list of counties doing the work at present or taking this work. Contests must of necessity be started on a small scale but the work should not be delayed. We believe in the boys and girls, the men and women of tomorrow, then why not let them show that they are the making of efficient men and women. Let them help to show that Minnesota is a great industrial and agricultural state and that our schools train toward the farm and the farm home and not away from it."

In Roseau County

"In my recent trip to Roseau county I found much interest in agricultural and the industrial contest. Teachers and school children were interested and all were loyal to their county. The business energy push and progress and spirit manifest in the towns of Roseau County, might well be emulated by many of the older richer but more conservative towns of southern Minnesota. I spoke at Greenbush, Badger, Warroad and Roseau to good audiences in each place, talked to many business men and farmers. They all believe in a great agricultural future for Roseau county and are ready to support any project that will have a tendency to improve rural conditions.

"The county superintendent in taking up this industrial contest work for young people will do more than any one can at present estimate, for the future of the schools of the county. The work Mrs. Olson is starting should have the support of every farmer and business man in Roseau county.

"At Badger I met an old friend, Supt. T. B. Diamond who has had charge of the schools at that place for many years. His work is appreciated and the class of students which leave his school would do credit to many larger schools. I found good schools in all the towns visited and a general spirit of progress.

"At Roseau they have a county fair association, have purchased grounds and hold an annual fair. In this the county is far in advance of many of the older counties. The young people's industrial contest will be held at the time of the county fair and should be one of the most interesting features. Mrs. Olson deserves the heartiest support of teachers, school officers, business men and farmers. She will have no trouble in enlisting the children and we predict a successful contest in the county and a good showing for Roseau Co., in the state contest."

CAMPBELL BROS. AGENT HERE

SAYS CIRCUS HERE WILL BE BETTER THAN EVER THIS YEAR

F. W. McIntosh general agent for Campbell Bros'. big circus is spending the day in the city. The circus will be here Tuesday June 8th and the advertising cars will arrive tonight to bill the city tomorrow. The circus is bigger and better than ever this year and recently played to packed houses for 8 days in Kansas City. The show will appear here exactly as there not a single feature being omitted.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM A BEATING

VENTURESOME YOUNG MAN GETS TANGLED UP WITH BARRELS IN RACE FOR FREEDOM

A well known young man in this city had a thrilling experience Sunday evening, and he is trying to hide his light under a bushel.

Along about midnight he tore down the street yelling for the police claiming that he had been stopped by two men who wanted to hold him up. Instead the young man said he turned and fled down the alley west of Main Street, and in his flight he fell over a few barrels, wheelbarrows and a few other things. His watch fell out and he was in all manner of a pickle.

Capt. Vonderbeck went back with him and the watch was found about ten rods from where he thought he lost it. It was engraved with the initials O. E. R. and was easily identified. The police think the young man was browsing in somebody else's pasture and was caught at it taking flight when the rule of the roost showed up suddenly.

A woman is never willing to admit that her shoes are too small or

Many a man has been caught at his own game by people who let him think he was fooling them.

SAYS HE HAS PAINS IN HEAD

FORMER LARIMORE PRINTER MAKES COMPLAINT CONCERNING HIS CONDITION

HE MAY BE FAKING TO HELP A $5,000 DAMAGE SUIT

From Tuesday's Daily—

Edward Kruger former Larimore printer, who was sentenced in East Grand Forks to serve 60 days in the Polk county jail for seeking to sell a stolen typewriter to Skulason & Conmy, has been complaining about pains in his head. Physicians have been called to see him. It is not announced what they have found. One doctor told Kruger that the pain was in his leg and since then Kruger is said to have complained of a pain in his leg.

Kruger had a $5,000 damage suit against A. L. Richter of Larimore for hitting him on the head, but the case was dismissed at the last term of court owing to some tecnicality. It is hinted that another suit will be instituted shortly and it will be claimed that the theft of the typewriter and the subsequent irrational acts of Kruger are evidence that his brain was affected, as a result, when he was struck on the head.

Kruger's theft of the typewriter was hardly a bright act as he must have known he would get caught.

According to those posted on the situation there will be some interesting developments in the case shortly.

LETS THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG

STURDINESS AND LONGEVITY OF BRUCE CO. ONT., MEN EXPLAINED

It has been proverbial for years past that the men from Bruce Co., were a remarkably large, well developed and healthy lot, and the reason has just been discovered. Mayor McPhee and others of like stature boast of Bruce county prowess some even claiming that a man under six feet high and weighing less than 225 pounds was not allowed to vote in that county. They are also noted as a painfully moral lot, many of them never having been so rash and profligate as to chew gum even.

We happened in Mayor McPhee's office this morning and picked up a copy of the Paisley Bruce Co., Advocate and read the following which explains it all:

"Every family should have a curfew and it should 'ring tonight' and all other nights if needed. These curfew are inexpensive and can be made at home. Take a piece of siding two feet long and whittle one end to a handle. Take the child who needs the curfew and bend it over a barrel. Now take the siding and use it as a clapper. Put it on hot, dividing the strokes evenly and see that none miss Good for girl or boy up to eighteen and three applications are warranted to cure the most pronounced case of street loafing that exists. The music is said to be more effective than singing "Where is my wandering boy tonight."

From reliable sources it is learned that this sort of curfew was "rung" on the former generation regularly, hence the good habit.

THIEF RIVER FALLS STUDENT BANQUET

The junior-senior banquet of the Thief River Falls high school was held Friday evening at the Hotel Evelyn. Covers were laid for forty-nine, this number including the high school faculty as well as the members of the two upper classes. The Thief River high school has advanced in numbers so rapidly during the last three years that it now ranks fourth in point of enrollment among the schools of Northern Minnesota. Besides the usual courses found in a high school it maintains complete commercial and normal training departments. The domestic science and agricultural work will also be extended this year so as to install these lines of effort in entirety in the school. The total enrollment of pupils in all the schools of city is 1,150.

FOUNDRY SCORCHED

BLAZE AT CROOKSTON IRON WORKS SATURDAY NIGHT CAUSED DAMAGE

HARRY SCHMIDT HAD HANDS CUT FROM FALL THRU A SKYLIGHT

From Monday's Daily—

Saturday evening fire broke out in the foundry of the Crookston Iron Works causing several hundred dollars damage before the department subdued the flames.

Mr. Morrisey had been casting late in the afternoon, but drenched the foundry later and thought everything safe. Later in the evening he went to the foundry again with W. E. Handy to see if everything was safe and there was no evidence of a fire, but an hour later, four hours after the casting had been concluded fire started from a slug which had become lodged between two boards.

Hose was laid across the G. N. tracks and the flyer and Duluth train were delaped for several minutes before other lines were laid. Harry Schmidt who had the nozzle of the first line of hose was badly hurt, water having been turned on before he was notified. He was knocked over and slid down the slippery roof onto a skylight, falling thru to the floor below. One finger on the left hand was terribly cut and other scratches and bruises were received.

TARGET PRACTICE WELL ATTENDED

Co. I spent the greater portion of last Sunday at target practice on the rifle range east of the city. While no exceptionally high scores were made the general average was very fair, a number of those shooting having had little or no previous practice.

The target practice is being given a great deal of attention by Capt. Westenberg and the boys with the intention of making a better showing than ever at the Lake City encampment the coming year.

Following are the scores on the 300 yard range out of a possible 50 targets:

Anderson	34
Wade B.	33
Lyngholm	30
Dalness	24
Johnson	28
Lehman	25
Arnold	36
Oseth	27
Wallace	17
Molstad	22
Biever	17
Miller	4
Torrison	30
M. Helgeson	34
Wm. Woelk	35
M. Ide	21
Kelley	39
Ebbighausen	30
Morberg	34
E. Hansen	30
Daniels	24
Dillebough	18
Densley	20

WHITE SEALS HUMBLE HAUGHTY PICKETTS

The White Seal ball team went to East Grand Forks yesterday where they took the much vaunted Grand Forks Picketts into camp to the tune of 7 to 3. The Picketts were not in it at any stage of the game until it came to dividing the gate receipts up when they demonstrated their ability as financiers. The White Seals were to get 40 per cent of the gross receipts, win or lose but before making the division the Picketts deducted the pay for water boys, for fixing the grounds, for the umpire, and for a square meal for each of the Pickett players. The only reason they did not have expenses to eat up all the receipts was that they did not start to think in time.

Marcus Stephens pitched for the White Seals and Pat Martin caught and both were there with the goods.

Money may make the mare go, but it falls down when it attempts to start a stubborn mule down the pike.

How it tickles a man's vanity when he is asked to settle a disputed point!

LOOKING OVER STATE FARM

MR. SMITH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AT WASHINGTON IN CITY

CONFERRED WITH ENGINEER JAMES T. STEWART IN CHARGE OF TILE DRAINAGE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Supt. Wm. Robertson of the Crookston State Experimental Farm is today entertaining Mr. Smith of the department of Agriculture at Washington and has been showing him over the farm and the school buildings together with J. T. Smith who had charge of the installation of the tile drainage on the state farm.

Mr. Smith is very much pleased with the work being done at the state farm and commended Supt. Robertson very highly in an interview this afternoon.

Mr. Smith believes such institutions as the state farm and Crookston School of Agriculture mean great things for the agricultural sections of the country, and believes they should be encouraged in every way.

MAY PURCHASE PHILLIPS LAUNDRY

ROCK ISLAND CAPITALIST IS LOOKING OVER SITUATION HERE

Mr. M. J. Cowing a well known laundryman from Rock Island Ill., and formerly proprietor of the Tri-City Laundry of that place one of the biggest laundries in Illinois arrived in the city this morning. He is looking over the country for a location and is today conferring with Wylie Phillips regarding the purchase of the Phillips Laundry. He will leave in the morning for [illegible] on his [illegible] the latter part of the week a deal will probably be made with Mr. Phillips. He has land near Grand Forks and Brandon, Man. He is very much pleased with Crookston and the business outlook here.

ANGUS MCKINNON DOING WELL

IS IN CHARGE OF 100 MILES OF N. P. CONSTRUCTION WORK IN N. DAKOTA

Many friends here will be pleased to learn that Angus McKinnon a young man who grew to manhood here is assistant engineer on the N. P. construction work in North Dakota and has active supervision of the 100 mile extension from Cannon Ball west to Mott with offices at Mandan. He is doing well.

VALLEY VIEW SOLD TO P. STOUGHTON

BELIEVED THAT THIS MEANS JUDGE SULLIVAN HAS CONTROL OF IT

This afternoon the Valley View plant at East Grand Forks was sold to ePter Stoughton of Manvel, N. D. an uncle of W. R. Stoughton who was in partnership with Stember in running the newspaper but who is now in the isane hospital at Fergus Falls.

While nothing definite has been given out it is believed that this means that Judge Sullivan will have control of the paper. The plant was sold for $2200.

TEACHERS AT THIEF RIVER FALLS

A meeting of the rural teachers of Red Lake County was held in Thief River Falls Saturday and was attended by instructor's from all sections of the county. Miss Irene Caldwell of Thief River Falls was elected president of the association of Red Lake county, and Miss Berg was chosen secretary.

The junior-senior banquet of the Thief River Falls high school was held at the Hotel Evelyn. There were forty-nine guests.

SLASHED HER THROAT FROM EAR TO EAR

Mrs. Liza Gangstad, A Pioneer Resident Near Fosston Ended Her Life In Horrible Manner Yesterday.

Sent Husband To Fosston For Minister And Committed Terrible Tragedy In His Absence.

Yesterday afternoon at her home on a farm 5 miles east of Fosston, Mrs. Lisa Gaugstad ended her life by cutting her throat from ear to ear with a pocket knife. Shortly after committing the deed her body was found about 20 rods from the house in a clump of bushes.

She had shown symptoms of not being right mentally of late but her case was not considered serious. Yesterday morning she asked her husband to go to Fosston and get the minister of the church they attended as she wanted to talk with him. Her husband having other business there humored her and made arrangements for the minister to come to his home later.

On his return home Mr. Gangstad inquired of Josie Mikkelson a fourteen year old girl who makes her home there, where his wife was and the girl said she left a few minutes ago and supposed she had gone to the home of a married daughter who lived but a short distance away. Mr. Gangstad started a search and discovered the body which was still warm, tho life was extinct.

About 8 weeks ago Mrs. Gangstad broke 2 ribs as the result of a fall and had been in bed most of the time since and seemed somewhat downcast.

Deceased leaves a husband and six grown children. She was 64 years of age and was one of the pioneer residents in that section of Polk county.

Coroner Stenshoel went to Fosston last evening and the remains were brought to that place. After careful inquiry it was decided that an inquest was unnecessary as it was a plain case of suicide during a temporary fit of insanity.

NEW PAPER FOR FERTILE

WILL BUY FERTILE JOURNAL OR START A NEW PUBLICATION

FERTILE PUBLISHING CO. IS INCORPORATED WITH $5,000 CAPITAL

From Thursday's Daily—

The Fertile Publishing company has been organized and steps have been taken to incorporte with a capital of $5000. The stock has been fully subscribed.

The following officers wer elected: Martin G. Peterson, president; G. J. DeMars secretary; J. F. Hanson, treasurer. Seven directors were also chosen. The articles of incorporation will be published at once.

It is the intention of the new company in which Representative John Holten and other business men are interested, to purchase the Fertile Journal as it has a large circulation and is one of the newsiest and best edited weekly papers in northern Minnesota. It is not known whether Editor L. E. George will sell out or not.

TO BUILD A 10 STALL ADDITION

ROUND HOUSE CAPACITY IN GRAND FORKS TO BE INCREASED

The Great Northern has awarded a contract to E. C. Richmond to construct a 10-stall addition to the round house at Grand Forks. The improvement will be made at once. It is necessary on account of the increased business of the road. The new stalls will be large enough to accommodate the largest engines on the road.

The Great Northern built a new round house a couple of years ago and it was supposed then that it was large enough to accommodate all the engines of the Dakota division. Of late it has been impossible to house all the engines and so more room is to be provided.

Is Insignificant

The action of the Great Northern indicates that the company will continue to increase the importance of Grand Forks as a division center. Engines are now being run thru from St. Paul to Grand Forks on the Oriental Limited train. It is not unlikely that the commpany will find an increase to its round house force necessary with the new addition to the round house.

It takes a woman to admire herself for the beauty she would have if her figure, feature eyes, and complexion were just a little different.

TO HELP RURAL MAIL CARRIERS

STEENERSON HAS A BILL FOR CARRIERS WHO GO OVER 24 MILES

UNDER PRESENT RULE MAXIMUM SALARY IS $900, REGARDLESS OF DISTANCE

From Saturday's Daily—

Representative Steenerson yesterday introduced a bill in lower house which calls for an increase in the pay it rurol mail carriers on long routes, such as are the rule in Minnesota. The bill provides that for every additional mile over 24 miles the carrier shall receive a compensation of $18.75 annually.

The standard route now is 24 miles long. Carriers on such routes draw $900 per year. As the routes are shortened they draw less salary at the rate of $37.50 for each mile cut off. But under the present law they do not draw any more salary for making a 30 or 50 mile route than they do for a 24 mile route.

The postoffice department is not very favorable to the bill. It is set forth there that there will be a constant pressure from thousands of mail carriers all over the country to increase the length of their routes by taking in more farm houses and going long lanes to reach them. Mr. Steenerson's reply to this is that he has cut increased pay per mile to one-half the present rule which he does not believe will be such an inducement to increase the length of routes.

While 24 miles is the standard route there are thousands of them that are longer. In Mr. Steenenson's district the average route is 30 miles long. There is one rural route in the United States that is 56 miles long and there are hundreds over 35 miles long.

No, it is not her nightgown that milady is wearing to an early breakfast. Neither is it her sleeping apparel that she dons when she prepares for a restful afternoon in the quiet of her own bedroom. It is her new negligee, says an exchange. These spring garments are of the finest and sheerest white muslin, trimmed with rows of wide embroidery, made with Dutch neck and wide elbow sleeves and caught together in the front and at the waistline with pink or blue ribbon. They are so much prettier than the mussy, although possibly very expensive kimona, and at the same time so much cheaper and more serviceable than the elaborate "matinee" or tea gown. They really look very sweet and dainty in the morning and are cool and comfortable for the afternoon nap. They wash beautifully, which is more than can be said of the colored muslins; those always fade. And all together, the new white cotton negligee is a charming boudoir addition to milady's wardrobe.

PREPARING FOR OLD SETTLERS

PEOPLE OF ADA ARE MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR ANNUAL PICNIC IN JUNE

BIG SUM RAISED FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF VISITORS AFTER GOOD SPEAKERS

From Thursday's Daily—

A meeting of the various committees having in charge the arrangements for the old settlers annual meeting to be held in Ada next month was held at the city hall last Wednesday evening. The program committee reported that they were in correspondence with some of the leading orators in the country and on one of the days some man of national reputation will address gathering. Such men as LaFollette, Gov. Folk, Cummins and others are under consideration. The committee has written to Gov. Johnson with a view of securing him as one of the orators. Gov. Burke of North Dakota is another man under consideration.

At the meeting held last Wednesday night the finance committee was instructed to get busy and this they did on the following day. Up to date over $400 has been subscribed by the citizens and the committee hopes to secure $500 by individual contributions. At a meeting of the council held last night it was voted to spend not to exceed $250 in preparing Pfund park for the occasion and another donation was made to the band for music on the two days. There is now about $900 in sight for the expenses of the meeting and the old settlers can prepare to go some when they meet at Ada.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial district.

E. Jenne Schroeder, Plaintiff.
vs.
Carl G. Schroeder, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the clerk of the District Court aforesaid, at the court house in the city of Crookston, in said county and state, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Palace Hotel Block, in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within thirty (30) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated April 22, 1909.

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Polk, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Lorena Hansen, plaintiff,
vs.
Ole Hansen, Defendant.

State of Minnesota to the above named defendant:

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W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.

Apr. 29 May 6-13-20-27 June 3-9.

Albert Lea Tribune: While Governor Johnson is in Washington and Virginia the peerless Nebraskan is "doing" Minnesota. This may mean nothing but the fact that Mr. Bryan expects to carry Winnipeg solid may put a ruffle in the faces of some of the governor's advisers. Mr. Bryan spoke in Winnipeg a few days ago, and the people up there are said to have been captivated by his eloquence and suavity.

Read The Journal Wants

BOAT TRIP TO PEG IMPORTANT

GOVERNOR BURKE AND OTHERS TO ASCERTAIN POSSIBILITIES OF RED RIVER

PARTY OF SEVENTY-FIVE REPRESENTATIVE BUSINESS MEN TO GO TO WINNIPEG

From Thursday's Daily—

For the first time in 28 years a large steamer will make a trip on the Red River from Grand Forks to Winnipeg. Loaded with nearly 100 representative business men of Grand Forks, the Grand Forks will start on her journey from there June 6. Gov. John Burke of North Dakota will be one of the distinguished passengers on the trip and Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota has been invited and it is believed he may accept.

Assurances have been received from Winnipeg that the visitors will be royally entertained there. The trip will bring about a better understanding of the possibilities of Red river navigation and may result in some changes in navigation on the Red river which will result in mutual benefit for Winnipeg and Grand Forks.

Manitoba has been making extensive improvements on the Red river and it was announced a few weeks ago that navigation would likely be carried on by a Canadian steamboat line between Winnipeg and Grand Forks.

The trip from Grand Forks to Winnipeg will take about two days, it is figured.

MUNCH NAMED AS RANGER

RECEIVED HIS APPOINTMENT FROM C. C. ANDREWS, FORESTRY COMMISSIONER

WILL HAVE CHARGE OF RED LAKE AND POLK COUNTIES— WOE TO FIRE SETTERS

From Saturday's Daily—

Wm. Munch deputy state game warden for this district today received his appointment as Ranger for this district from C. C. Andrews, the Forestry commissioner for Minnesota.

Mr. Munch has already assumed his duties and it is safe to say hereafter that people who carelessly set prairie fires which prove destructive will be vigorously prosecuted.

The law is very stringent on this question, and a person can be arrested and fined heavily for leaving a fire which might do damage whether it actually does or not.

The smallest fine that can be imposed upon conviction is $50 and one half of this goes to the person furnishing the evidence. Many are of the opinion that the law for protection against fires only applies to the forests, but this is a mistake. Any prairie fire comes within the scope of the law where it gets off the land owned by the setter, or which might possibly jump to surrounding property.

The law covering the proposition will be published Monday, or a short resume of it giving the principal features. Any person having information regarding carelessness in setting fires should communicate at once with Ranger Munch. This work will fit in very nicely with his duties as Deputy State Game Warden.

ALMOST A RIOT AT EMERSON

Emerson, Man., May 22—(Journal Wireless Special)—As we go to press news was flased over the wires to the effect that Friday flags were flying and all the city draped in its national colors over the laurels won by Mr. E. Stephens as the local champion this city, his friends all in dress parade each with a bottle of Canada's most favorite brand "Joseph Seagram" waited on him in his apartments at the Russell House. A din of confusion prevailed, street car traffic was impeded for nearly two ours police force not being able to cope with the situation. The militia had to be called out to quell what might have been a riot the public were only pacified by Mr. Stephens and Mr. Peterson's public appearance on the veranda of Emerson's prominent hostelry (The Russell House) and publicly announcing that their backers were negotiating for a contest to take place in the near future. Both men promise to be in the pink of condition for this contest and wish all who can to attend and try to make it a success.

Some Alcohol Questions

Is alcohol a tonic? No! Does it make the blood pure? No! Does it strengthen the nerves? No! Is Ayer's Sarsaparilla a tonic? Yes! Does it make the blood pure? Yes! Does it strengthen the nerves? Yes! Is it the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol? Yes! Ask your doctor about this non-alcoholic medicine. If he approves, your confidence will be complete. *J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.*

Dull boys! Dull girls! Dull men! Dull women! Heavy-headed! Downhearted! All very often due to constipation! Yet the cure is so easy.—Ayer's Pills. Ask your doctor.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY PROCLAMATION ISSUED

Monday May 31 has been designated as the annual Memorial Day upon which occasion the people of a grateful nation will unite in paying tribute to the valor and patriotism of those who responded to the call of their country when their services were needed to preserve the nation.

In Crookston the usual services will be held to honor the memory of those who sacrificed their lives in the terrible conflict, and with whose blood the freedom of the nation was bought, and at the same time to again publicly acknowledge to the veterans who survive, the debt of gratitude owed to the brave men to whose courage and devotion the integrity of this great nation is due.

This is an occasion upon which the opportunity is embraced to honor all the departed. Many of those laid to rest never fought in the military ranks, but they have shown a patriotism and love of country for which their memory is honored on this sacred day. We are glad of an occasion upon which we can pay special tribute to the noble and self-sacrificing women who gave their strength and energy freely in nursing the sick and dying soldiers, or who remained at home working heroically to support parents and children whose husbands and sons were at the front.

I would at this time urge upon every resident of Crookston the great importance of a fitting observance of this day as tending to instill upon the minds of the children of today who will be the men and women of tomorrow, the great lesson of the reward of patriotism and loyalty to country and flag which is taught upon such an occasion.

Let all unnecessary labor be suspended and the day spent in a proper observance of the occasion. Let us dispense with all pastimes that could be interpreted to savor of irreverance or a lack of appreciation of the significance of the day.

I would specially urge that business houses be closed during the services in the afternoon in order that clerks and all other employes may be at liberty to participate in the exercises.

Year after year on Memorial Day the line of veterans who march to the cemetery grows shorter. In a few short years none will be left to witness the ceremonies which will then but commemorate the devotion to their country of the departed. While there yet remains a few among us let us with increasing reverence for both living and dead patriots, strew the graves with flowers with a deeper conception of the sacrifices made that we might today enjoy the blessings of living in the greatest and the freest nation in the world.

—J. D. McPHEE,
Mayor.

Memorial Day

May 31, Monday will be observed this year as Memorial day. While this day is set aside primarily as an occasion upon which to honor the memory of those brave men who gave their lives for their country, and to the noble women who encouraged them, nursed them back to life alleviated their sufferings in every way, and maintained the homes in many cases while the men were fighting at the front, it is developing into an occasion upon which honor is paid to every patriot and to the departed in general. The day is one which should be observed thruout the land by every man, woman and child and all should participate in the exercises. As usual there will be a program carried out in Crookston, the details of which will be announced later on.

It has become customary for the schools to hold special exercises the Friday before Memorial day, but this year in Crookston the special exercises will be held tomorrow in order not to interfere with the examinations which will be in progress next week.

All the schools this year will unite in holding exercises in the new Woods school, and they will be in progress all day with Supt. McIntyre in charge The members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be presnt, and prominent citizens will be invited to address the students.

Attention is called to the able Memorial day proclamation published in this issue of the Journal and Times and the suggestions there made should be carefully read and followed.

Prosperity In Full Swing

The coming of periods of national prosperity is as insinuating as the coming of times of depression is insidious. But, while the latter is marked at its climax by a panic the former is full blown in its development while we are still waiting for it, and watching for a sudden maturity corresponding to the crisis of hard times.

Just now, while the people of this country are wondering when business will resume its great swing and the public mind is irritating itself over delays of tariff revision, there is every where conclusive evidence that business has not waited on congress and that the full swing has already begun.

In every line of industry and production there is a steady, substantial and rapid expansion. Immigration has resumed almost maximum proportions and there is no better index of industrial conditions.

The iron and steel workers have had notice of a restoration of wages to the prosperity scale. Last week Mr. Gary in his address at Gary said that the furnaces of the United States Steel were working at seventy per cent of capacity, or double the output of a year ago. Incidentally this recalls the general understanding that when the output reached this volume work was to begin on the Duluth plant.

Among the railroads there is the same trend of news. There is a general and large increase of traffic. Large orders for rails have been placed, and the new construction announced for the year has seldom been exceeded. The passenger business shows, too, that there is no lack of ready cash among the people.

The banks are full of money, there is no lack of funds for any legitimate investments and speculative ventures find strong support where the rainbow element is not too pronounced.

Finally, but most important, the crop outlook is most encouraging. The weather and soil condition foretell a fine harvest, and this means billions of dollars in new wealth. There is no use waiting for a prosperity that is so evidently here; the course of wisdom is to get in the swim now and gain the full advantage of the current.—Duluth News Tribune.

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The United States Cream Separator is the biggest money maker—gets more cream than any other. Holds **WORLD'S RECORD** for clean skimming. Cream represents cash—you waste cream every day if you are not using a 1909 Model

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NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM THURSDAYS DAILY

LOOKING UP LOCATION—Messrs T. A. Biever and Henry Tiedt left last evening for Mankato to look up a location for business. They will also visit at Wabasha and other points before returning.

NELSON TO SPEAK—United States Senator Knute Nelson will deliver the opening address at the state fair, on Sept. 6. A formal invitation to the scenator was voted by the board of managers at their meeting today and it is understood that he will accept.

PAINFULLY INJURED— Mrs. G. I. Fitzgerald while playing her first game of tennis on the courts just completed by Mr. Fitzgerald day before yesterday, slipped and tore the ligaments on one of her limbs and walking will be painful for some time, tho the injury will not be permanent.

LITERING THE STREETS—Street Commissioner Duval called attention to the fact this morning that many people were in the habit of raking off their yards and around other property and throwing the litter into the street. This is a very bad practice and is strictly against the ordinance of the city. Litter cannot be thrown in the street any more than slops can. and look fully as bad. Paper and dead grass thrown in the street look wretched and in addition will scare a horse that is at all skittish.

HAS FINE POSITION—John Neukom has left Ada for Duluth via the Twin Cities. Mr. Newkom has accepted a position with Joseph Cotton the well known attorney of the Zenith city, who has had charge of the steel corporation interests in this state for a number of years. Mr. Cotton has recently withdrawn from this corporation and has affiliated with some of the large mining corporations as general solicitor. Mr. Neukom's position as his private secretary will take him to many of the mining sections of the country. Will Neukom succeeds his brother as private secretary to Mr. Bunn, general counsel for the N. P. Ry. Co., at St. Paul. Both are well known in Crookston, John having lived here several years.

DOMINICAN DAN GETS LICENSE—Several matters of interest came up before the meeting of the city council of East Grand Forks, held last evening, the principal of these being the granting of a license to Dan Sullivan. There have been several law suits tried indirectly bearing upon the action of the council last night and whether or not Mr. Sullivan would be given a license has grown almost as famous locally as has Hamlet's query "To be or not to be." However, the license was granted last evening the council voting, as follows: Yeas, Aldermen Borchers, Craig, Sullivan, Kelleher; Nays, Aldermen Bydal and Sherlock.

Lloyd Ericsson will leave this evening for a trip to Pacific coast cities and Alaska. He will be accompanied by Mr. Brady of Boston, a former partner of M. Ericsson in St. Paul and has extensive mining interests in Alaska.

Lloyd Ericsson will combine business and pleasure and anticipates a very pleasant trip.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

ON LAND BUSINESS—Jos Ball is attending to some land business in St. Paul and points farther south, having left here with a couple of land seekers who spent several days looking over several farms near this city.

A PROSECUTION ON—Dairy Inspector O. A. Storvick left yesterday for Tenstrike where he had a prosecution to attend to. He is insisting that the laws for the protection of the health of the people be observed and after due warning the violator is prosecuted. This is what laws are for.

SHOWING VALLEY LAND — Ole Tiegen is out in the country today with a land seeker. Mr. Tiegen is doing a fine business this spring and has been giving the valley some very fine advertising.

STUCK IN THE MUD — Ernest Rolsch went to his farm yesterday in that new auto accompanied by Mayor McPhee. The rain proved fine for the crops but made poor wheeling an they were stalled but finally got to town.

A. O. PAULSRUD HERE— A. O. Palusrud son of Ex-Sheriff Poulsrud of Polk Co., who died many years ago visited Crookston yesterday. He represents the Buffalo Pitts Thresher Co. with headquarters at Fargo. He had just received a letter from his brother Ed who is now in Boston, running a linotype machine for a daily newspaper owned by the city of Boston. He went there from Chicago where he was employed on the Chicago American for three years. He was a former employe of the Journal.

TOMMIE KRIBS GOES HOME — Tommie Kribs the English prize fighter who arrived in Thief River Falls last summer and since October has been confined in the hospital with a severe attack of rheumatism was taken to Quebec Tuesday morning by Policeman Farr and there will be put aboard a steamship and furnished with transportation to "dear al Lunnon." The expense of the trip and charges for medical attendance here will be paid for by the British government. It is Mr. Farr's intention to remain for a short time in the east and will visit at his old home in Ontario before returning to Thief River Falls.—Thief River Falls News.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY

Chas. Skoug is spending the day in Grand Forks.

OLD TIMER HERE — Chas. Wettensten one of the old timers of Warren and for years manager of the Irish farm spent the night in the city on business.

SIZING UP CROPS—Receiver John Peterson of the local U. S. land office left this morning for McIntosh where he will attend to some business matters and size up the crops in that section.

ON PROBATE BUSINESS —Atty. J. A. Hendricks is here from Fosston today. He is attending a final hearing on the Henry Peterson estate before Judge of Probate Morken and is also interested in a hearing in the Ringstad estate.

BOUGHT STEPHENS' DRIVERS—Dr. Hendrickson of Fertile while in Crookston one day this week purchased a fine team of drivers from Senator A. D. Stephens. He took the sorrels home yesterday and can boast of one of the toppiest teams in the Valley.

WILL GO TO HAVRE—Dan Leahy special officer of the Great Northern at Grand Forks has been instructed to go to Havre, Mont., to look after the company's interests there. He will leave next Monday. James P. Johnson arrived last evening from St. Paul to look after the work at the Forks Dan's friends wish him lots of success in his new location.

DEATH AT RUSSIA — Thursday at the home of her parents in the Town of Russia Miss Elizabeth Linberg passed away of tuberculosis after a lingering illness. Deceased was 23 years of age and was held in high esteeme by a large circle of friends who deeply regret her untimely death The funeral services will be held on Sunday.

HOME FROM EXTENDED TRIP—Architect B. D. Keck returend from on extended trip this morning to Edmonton, Calgary, and other points in Canada, coming home via Minneapolis He says things are lively in Canada in the building line and he will furnish plans for several very large business blocks to be erected this summer. The crops are not so far advanced as here but are coming on ra-

ON FISHING TRIP—Messrs. Frank Bracelin and J. P. Dotson left this morning for Cass Lake where they will endeavor to depopulate that pond of everything belonging to the finny tribes, and will make a specialty of muskalonges. A wireless late this afternoon from the middle of Cass Lake was to the effect that Mr. Bracelin had made a big catch—fell into the drink and caught a large sized cold. He was rescued a few hours later straddle of a saw log, by a gasoline launch.

BACK FROM MINNEAPOLIS—A. W. Rundquist representative of the Minneapolis Tribune in this section. returned this morning from Minneapolis where he atended a meeting of all traveling representatives of that paper which was in progress the first five days of this week. He says he saw Maurice Malone, formerly of this city who is now filling a position on the news staff of the Tribune.

BOYS SHOULD BE CAREFUL — A number of the smaller boys about town who have air guns and small rifles may get themselves in serious trouble if they persist in killing song birds. The malicious killing of song birds is unworthy of any boy who has a speck of manhood in him and besides it is a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine. It is to be hoped that the wanton destruction of the little feathery songsters will be stopped before the authorities are compelled to stop in and make examples of a few of the offenders.

AMATEUR NIGHT A SUCCESS—Amateur night at the Empire theatre last evening was a great success. Several very good stunts were put on. The first prize was awarded to Miss Katherine Goels who of the Hotel Crookston proved a reader of exceptional grace and merit. Geo. Gonyea also put on a double with one of the regular vaudeville artists at the Empire and Prof. Lloyd "Edison" Ball did another electric dancing stunts which also made a hit. The affair was such a success that Manager Deeming will make it a regular Friday evening feature in the future.

HAD A PICKLE ON—"Sousy" and a few more of the "old trappers" had a lovely "Pickle" on this morning. They arose at 5 o'clock this morning and got a lovely start. Before noon they were all peacefully sleeping. As near as could be discovered nothing was lost by the party but a cane, a necktie, a pair of glasses, about $10 in cash each and a night's scleep. One member commonly known as "Sousy" by those who love him, was even ahead of the game. He was ahead to the extent of a red nose accumulated during the night.

FORTY HOURS DEVOTION—Rev. James Hogan of East Grand Forks announces that a forty hour's devotion will be held at the Sacred Heart church in that city next week the opening service to take place Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Tuesday morning there will be low masses during the early hours, and high masses during sermons and benediction will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock. Wednesday the services will be the same as on Tuesday and on Thursday closing ceremonies will be held with high mass at 9 o'clock.

The following priests from out of town will assist in the services: Rev. Father Floyd, Eveleth, Minn.; Rev. Father O'Duyer, Bemidji, Minn.; Rev. Father Walsh, Proctor, Minn.; Rev. Father Hileen, Bovey, Minn.; Rev. Father O'Gorman, Blackduck, Minn.

Three New Hats.

Milliners have other troubles besides the frequent difficulty of collecting bills. One milliner tells of a letter she received from the wife of a man who in a brief time had advanced from poverty to great wealth. His family was still in obscurity, but was preparing to emerge.

"I want you should make a bonnet and two hats right off," wrote the wife, "for me and the girls, and expense is no account

"My measure is nearly twelve inches from ear to ear over the head and eight under chin and six from top of forard to back hair and that's near enuff for both the girls

"I'm sandy, Jane is dark, and Lucy's got red hair. We want lively colors, and I want blue flowers and strings on mine, besides some plooms.

"Jane wants hers green, and Lucy wants pink. We don't care what shapes, but they must be becoming and so as they won't blow to peaces in the wind. Nor we don't want them loud, for my husband won't hear to such.

"Please send within five days, and if satisfatory bill will be paid at once."—Youth's Companion.

Curly Hair Means Obstinacy.

The curly headed man uttered an exclamation of maze.

"Strange," he said, "I have been drawn for juries time and again, but I have never served. They always challenge me. I wonder why?"

"It is your curly hair," said a lawyer. "A curly headed man kills a jury He always causes it to disagree."

"That is not true. You must be crazy," said the other.

"It is the gospel truth," the lawyer persisted. "Curly heads are as obstinate as mules They think they know it all. They disagree with everybody.

"It is because," he hastened to add "their curly hair makes them so good looking. In childhood they are spoiled by their parents, and in maturity women spoil them, falling in love with them on every side. So they become conceited. They disagree with everybody. Lawyers the world over recognize that as jurymen they would never do."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Had an Answer.

This story is being told on a Swede in central Kansas who was given to excessive use of the bottle. He was working at a certain house, doing odd jobs, and the daughter of the house knew of his reprehensible habits. She thought it time for some one to remonstrate with him on the error of his ways.

"Why," she asked, "are you not ashamed to spend all your wages and make your wife take in washing? Why don't you give her some money?"

"Well," he answered, "I have an income besides my wages."

"Oh, is that so?" said the daughter somewhat mollified.

"Yes," he said, "I have an income from the queen of Sweden."

"What for?" asked the girl.

"For minding my own business," answered the Swede, going on with his work.—Kansas City Journal.

All Right.

"That girl's all right," said the blond girl in the dressing room after she had looked everywhere for her overshoes. "The one who has just left, she's gone off with both the right overshoes and left me the left ones."—New York Times.

Every married man knows how much easier it is to deceive himself than it is his wife's mother.

The photographer is the same before taking and after taking.

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Grecian Food For Dreamers.

Hasheesh, the strange drug which has given our language its word "assassin"—a man so frenzied by the drug that he accomplishes murder—is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of a plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnesus (southern Greece), in the district about Tripolitza. The plant grows to a height of about four feet, and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds. The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees reckless and results in a wreck of their mental and physical constitution.—Montreal Standard.

Immune From Arrest.

In Washington, in the capital of the nation, there reside 200 men who, with their households, have absolute immunity from the laws of the land, even though they commit crimes of the first degree. They may shoot down the man who injures them; they may, if they see fit, paint the equestrian statue of General Phil Sheridan a vivid pea green, yet the hands of Uncle Sam must be kept from their shoulders, and woe unto the unterrified policeman or other servant of the law who undertakes to bring them to justice once they have declared their official connections. These men who are so clothed in immunity are the members of the diplomatic corps, and their shield is international law. It is provided in the laws of nations that they must answer before the tribunals of their own countries for the offenses they commit here in Washington, but that they shall not be tried by any court of the United States.—Washington Star.

A Realistic Actor.

Malcolm was three years old. He stood stock still in the middle of the floor, one arm extended horizontally. His mother, looking up from her sewing, saw the door open.

"Shut the door, Malcolm, please," she said.

No response. She repeated her request. Still no response.

"Malcolm," she said more sternly, "I asked you to shut the door."

Still Malcolm stood in the middle of the floor with his arm outstretched and did not move.

"Malcolm," said his mother, "if you don't shut the door at once I shall have to punish you."

Malcolm burst into tears and flung himself on his mother's knees. "Muvver," he cried, "I was bein' a wooden sign, an' wooden signs can't shut doors!"—Woman's Home Companion.

Memory Studies.

A small boy went into a South Boston drug store, wrinkled his face, rubbed his head and rubbed his left foot up and down his right leg in an effort to remember something that had escaped him.

"Say," he began, "will you tell me the name of the place where we Americans have so many soldiers?"

"Fort Sheridan?"

"Oh, no. It's farther away than that."

"The Philippines?"

"That ain't just it, but it's somewhere around there."

"Perhaps you mean Manila?"

"Manila! That's right! I knew I would get it after awhile. I want a bottle of manila extract for flavorin'. They're goin' to have ice cream."—Boston Record.

Old Time Temperance.

The first temperance society is said to have been founded by Margrave Frederick V. in 1600, and it is instructive to learn that the noble members of that society were bound by a pledge good for two years not to drink more than seven bumpers of wine with any meal nor more than fourteen bumpers a day. They were, however, permitted to quench any surplus of thirst with beer and to drink one glass of whisky on the side. By this ideal of abstention may be gauged the ordinary drinking habits of our forefathers in the good old times when knighthood was in flower.—Morris Hillquit, in Socialism.

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One Million Women In White Plague War

One million women, representing towns, villages and isolated rural settlements in every section of the country, are today enlisted in a campaign against tuberculosis, according to a statement issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. In legislatures, in Congress at Washington in society gatherings, inchurches and clubs, thru speaking and writing—in every possible way, the women of the country are persistently fighting consumption.

With an organization established in every State of the country, under the direction of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and with associated clubs in Alaska, the Hawaiian Islands, Porto Rico and the Canal Zone, the women of the country have entered a systematic crusade to carry the message of the prevention and cure of tuberculosis into every American home.

The organization of the women's anti-tuberculosis campaign was definitely begun in St. Paul in 1906, at the time of the biennial meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, when that body sanctioned a resolution "to make the prevention and cure of tuberculosis a subject of study" and made Mrs. Rufus P. Williams of Cambridge, Massachusetts, chairman of the new department, called the "Health Department of the General Federation of Women's Clubs". For the purpose of extending the campaign into the many cities and towns of the country, the Central Committee makes every local and State Club under its jurisdiction, responsible for the work in its own community.

The Executive Board of the Mothers' Congress has also recently entered into the crusade, and has prepared circulars and literature on the prevention of consumption which are being circulated broadcast thruout the country. In every city where the Congress is represented, an Advisory Board of local physicians is being formed to help educate mothers about tuberculosis. Other national organizations of women have given favorable consideration to the campaign against tuberculosis.

One of the most notable campaigns which is being carried on by the women is that in the Southern States in connection with the traveling exhibit of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis In Tennessee, Florida and Alabama whole States have been stirred by the activity of the women's organizations. In North and South Carolina plans for similar campaigns are now in progress.

A large number of women occupying prominent positions in society or on the stage, are taking an active interest in the anti-tuberculosis campaign. Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt has recently given a million dollars for sanitary homes for consumptives. Mrs. Keith Spalding of Chicago has erected a sanatorium for the Chicago Tuberculosis Institute at a cost of about fifty thousand dollars; Mrs. Collis P. Huntington and Mrs. Borden Harriman have given largely to the consumption fight. In Porto Rico Mrs. Albert Norton Wood, wife of a prominent army officer stationed at San Juan, has stirred the entire island thru the anti-tuberculosis crusade she inaugurated. Mme. Emma Calve is a most enthusiastic worker, and has given largely of her talent and money for the relief of tuberculosis sufferers, and Miss Olga Nethersole has even lectured before the public on tuberculosis.

And the fight is not only being carried on by women organized in clubs and by the wealthy women, but by the working women in the general labor movement against tuberculosis, and by the women who are battling hand in hand with the disease in connection with the religious and philanthropic organizations of the country. The special tuberculosis nurse, too, is a recent addition to the fighting force enlisted against consumption, and almost all of these are women. No city campaign today is complete without such a nurse and on this account hundreds of them are devoting their lives in unselfish service for the relief of human suffering.

With such organized and concentrated efforts there will surely be progress made in this great effort to curb the ravages of consumption.

A Serious Defect

There is one fatal defect to the proposition now being considered at Washington to have the new tariff bill framed finally by a conference committee to be composed of the entire Ways and Means committee of the House and the Finance committee of the Senate, instead of referring the disputed points to a conference committee of three or four members from each branch of congress. The objection is that the conference committee will have no power to reduce schedules in dispute below the lowest figure fixed in either the house or the Senate bill. It is possible that such action might result in restraining the lowest schedules fixed by either house —and that would be something of a concession from the Senate bill—but the measure so finally agreed upon would offer no material relief from the Dingley rates now in effect. The Dingley schedules were avowedly about 20 per cent higher than were needed for the protection of American industries and the country will not be satisfied with any measure that does not provide for a marked reduction from the existing rates. It will help however if the House, in such a conference, insists upon placing hides and iron ore on the free list and holds the Senate to other reductions proposed in both the Payne and the Aldrich bills.—St. Paul Dispatch.

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Journal And Times Consolidated

Saturday, May 29, the Crookston Daily Journal will make its last visit to its large family of readers. Likewise the Polk County Journal will be issued for the last time on Thursday, May 27.

On Tuesday, June 1st, the Crookston Daily Journal will be consolidated with the Crookston Daily Times, and the Polk County Journal after this week will be consolidated with the Weekly Times

This announcement means considerable to Crookston. It means that this city will be the home of the biggest daily paper published in the state of Minnesota outside of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth. It means that the two biggest papers in Northern Minnesota will be united.

This step was not taken hastily. It was only after careful consideration that such a step was decided upon. The beneficiaries will be the readers of both the Journal and the Times and the advertisers.

Beginning the first day of June the advertisers in the Times consolidated with the Journal will reach every subscriber of the two papers. This means that the entire Northwestern portion of Minnesota will be thoroly covered for advertisers. Instead of being compelled to advertise in two papers to cover the field thoroly, they will need to use but the one medium, making not only less expense but less trouble.

On the other hand the subscribers will be the gainers as well. They will get the benefit of the news service of both papers but will pay for but the one paper. Every subscriber to the Crookston Daily Journal who is paid up beyond June 1st will receive the Daily Times and Journal for what ever period they are paid up to on the Journal.

With the consolidation the Crookston Daily Times and Journal management will put forth every effort to issue a publication which will be in keeping with the increased circulation and importance of the publication. While there will be no radical departures with the first issue after the consolidation, there will be additional news features added beginning at once and increasing steadily as conditions justify, with the steadfast purpose in view of publishing a paper that will cover the news thoroly.

With the consolidation every effort will be put forth to publish a newspaper in the best sense of the word. It will be the mouthpiece of no clique or faction, but a newspaper, and the news will be published without coloring. It will be a publication for the masses and for no favored classes. All will be treated alike. The only difference is that there will be one great family of readers instead of two smaller families, the united family getting in one paper what was formerly contained in both publications together with new features which neither contained before.

A policy of eminent fairness will be pursued and every effort will be put forth to advance the interests of Crookston and the Red River Valley. To accomplish the desired purpose the co-operation of the patrons of both papers is needed, and is most respectfully solicited. We believe that the support will be merited in the publication of a newsy newspaper wih a broadminded and liberal policy.

The consolidated Times and Journal will be published in the Crookston Daily Times Building the present Times plant being modern in every respect with the most mordern press to be found in Northwestern Minnesota.

Expensive For Legislators

The idea of asking Governor Johnson to call a special session of the legislature to take up reapportionment has met with some favor in the northern part of the state, but we fear that those who have approved it have leaped rather hastily to their conclusions. A little consideration will show that this is not the way to get reapportionment, and that the idea of getting it that way should not be considered for a moment.

In the first place, the present legislature has gone on record on this question very definitely. It was shown beyond question at the regular session which closed a month ago, that if Northern Minnesota is ever to get a fair deal in the matter of legislative represntation, it cannot get it from the present legislature. The senate defeated, overwhelmingly, two different reapportionment bills. Neither of these measures met the needs of Northern Minnesota, and from the manner in which they were drawn it was clear that the senate, as constituted at present, will never concede a just reapportionment. The bill which originated in the senate committee on reapportionment was deliberately framed with a view to having it defeated, and Senator Clague the chairman of that committee while openly professing friendship for reapportionment, secretly worked to concoct a bill which he knew could not pass. The other bill, which originated in the house, was a miserable substitute for real reapportionment and would have given no relief to Northern Minnesota.

The only way Northern Minnesota can get reapportionment is to get together, elect a delegation to both branches of the legislature pledged to stand for reapportionment before anything else, and to use its power as a unit in the accomplishment of that end.

The only possible excuse for a special session would be as a joke upon the members of the legislature, who collected all their pay in advance, and would have to serve at their own expense.—Duluth Herald.

Industrial Contests

In this issue of the Journal an interview is published, which was secured from Prof. L. P. Harrington of the faculty of the Crookston School of Agriculture, who has been working since the school closed several weeks ago under the supervision of the State Farmers' Institutes of Minnesota, and has been devoting his time and energy to the promotion of interest in the industrial contest work.

Prof. Harrington is one of the pioneers in this movement in the states of Minesota. While superintendent of schools in McLeod county he devoted a great deal of time to the work and aroused an interest which has been of vast benefit to the county in improved farm methods, the younger generation taking an interest never before exhibited, and demonstrating their ability to raise more from the same land than their fathers before them did.

Prof. Harrington has covered many of the counties of the state of late, making addresses to school children and teachers and has succeeded in arousing a great deal of interest, and some idea of what has been accomplished can be learned from the article above referred to.

In Polk county this work is just getting a good start. County Supt. of Schools N. A. Thorson is deeply interested and wants more attention paid to industrial work. In this he should receive the most hearty co-operation of every farmer and business man. The industrial contest work has received great encouragement here from Supt. Wm. Robertson of the State Experiment Farm, and Prof. Harrington, and last year some most creditable exhibits were sent in for the county and state contests.

This line of work means better farming methods, a greater production per acre and a corresponding increased prosperity which means greater land values and wealth. The subject is one of vital importance to all, and should receive united support.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE FIRE WARDENS

A Heavy Penalty Attached to Carelessness in Setting Fires—Circular No. 34.

State of Minnesota, Office of Forestry Commissioner, St. Paul, Minn., May 26, 1909.

1. The new Forest Fire Law of 1909 makes several changes:

Slashings must be piled and burned.

Rangers appointed in dry seasons.

Minimum penalty raised to $50.

Half the fine goes to informer.

County attorneys removed for not prosecuting.

Justices punishable for neglect of duty.

Brush piled before burning in clearing land.

No fires set in dry weather.

No fire to be smouldering in dry weather.

Town clerks added to list of wardens.

Pay of wardens increased.

Ground cleared ten feet around campfire.

R. R. companies to patrol in dry weather.

Locomotive engineers and master mechanics punishable for neglect.

Fires must be reported within three days.

2. Wardens must make themselves familiar with the law. The names and addresses of those who fight fire, and amount claimed by each must accompany the report of the fire. Accounts to be approved by town board. It is preferred that accounts be made and sent not oftener than October 1st and January 1st. People are not to be paid for simply protecting their own property.

3. Several years' experience in the Minnesota National Forest has shown that it is practicable to burn slashings any month in the year. Unless there should be exceptionally bad weather slashings must be burned within a week from time of cutting. Wardens will keep the Commissioner informed as to the way the law for piling and burning of slashings is complied with. They will be prosecuted themselves if they neglect to have the law enforced.

C. C. ANDREWS,
Forestry Commissioner.

The Right To Citizenship

The Duluth Herald has a very able editorial comment on the decision of the supreme court of Minnesota in which Marius Hanson was declared a full fledged citizen, even tho his ignorance was something appalling.

The appearance of the Northwestern Reporter, with the full decision of the Minnesota supreme court in the case of Marius Hansen, involving his right to citizenship papers, does not tend to calm the apprehension that the supreme court established in that case a precedent that is not good public policy. A layman should not, perhaps, question the law of the decision, but it seems necessary to question the condition under which such admissions to citizenship are possible as the one involved in this case.

The decision is one of those 3-to-2 affairs, Justices Elliott and Jaggard dissenting. In his dissenting opinion Justice Elliott declares that there ought to be some limitation to the right of citizenship and that it ought not to be conferred indiscriminately. Surely he is right in this. As to the amount of discrimination shown in this case, the testimony, quoted by Justice Elliott, is illuminating.

This man was 46 years old had lived in this country twenty-four years and had children going to school. Questioned by the government attorney he didn't know what polygamy was. Asked what it meant to be a citizen, he said, "Well, I get all the papers." He didn't know where the nation's capitol was; didn't know where the nation's capital was; didn't know whatis meant to take the oath of allegiance; didn't know what the Constitution of the United States was, but had heard of it; asked who was president, he said "Ain't it George Washington?" asked who was governor of Minnesota he said "I ain't get him, I don't remember his name"; asked what the capital of Minnesota is, he said "Ain't it Washington?" when convinced that Washington wasn't in Minnesota, he said the capital might be Duluth or maybe Minneapolis; asked who made the laws he said "I guess the governor." When the court took him in hand for questioning he thought Roosevelt was governor of Minnesota.

This man was made a citizen of the United States, and the supreme court upheld his right to citizenship.

One could hardly express dissatisfaction with this decision more emphatically than did Justice Elliott in his dissenting opinion, even though he was commendably polite in doing so. Said he: "To hold that a man who believes that Washington is president, that Minneapolis or Duluth is the capital of the state, and that the laws are made by the governor, is entitled to citizenship, would seem to me absurd if it were not for the fact that a majority of my brethren think otherwise." This is a very polite reservation, the example of which The Herald will have to follow. However, we agree thoroughly with the following quotation from the dissenting opinion: "The fact that this man lived in Minnesota for twenty-four years makes against him instead of in his favor, as it shows gross and culpable indifference to matters which are most intimately connected with the political duties he desires to perform."

That man can now vote. The most brilliant and most learned and wisest woman in Minnesota canot vote. Is further comment necessary?

Farmers Institute

In another column will be noticed a formal announcement of a farmers' institute which will be held in Crooksto on Thursday, June 17th. The meeting will be addressed by prominent speakers and the business men of Crookston should from this time forward urge every farmer with whom they do business to come to the city on that date and bring their wives, sons and daughters as there will be special separate addresses on home economics, care of milk and other subjects of equal importance.

Industrial work is being given a great deal of attention thruout the country. Minnesota is paying more attention than ever before to it and Red River Valley wants to be right at the front, and not occupying a back seat, and Polk county wants to be at the head of list of Valley counties.

Supt. of Schools Thorson is taking a deep interest in the work and it should be but a very short time till Polk county is referred to as the county that is setting the pace.

If that hope is to be realized, every business man, every professional man must join in encouraging the movement. Urge the farmers to attend the institute here June 17 and keep urging them.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages nad that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh quires a contstituoitnerdiu died dlun being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Not Piety, but Pork.

The following bit of humor is taken from "The Farringdons," an English romance. The speakers are Mrs. Bateson and Mrs. Hankey, worthy wives, but not altogether above feeling a certain pleasure in showing up the ways of husbands:

"They've no sense, men haven't," said Mrs. Hankey; "that's what's the matter with them."

"You never spoke a truer word, Mrs. Hankey," replied Mrs. Bateson. "The very best of them don't properly know the difference between their souls and their stomachs, and they fancy they are a-wrestling with their doubts when really it is their dinners that are wrestling with them.

"Now, take Bateson hisself," continued Mrs. Bateson. "A kinder husband or better Christian never drew breath, yet so sure as he touches a bit of pork he begins to worry hisself about the salvation of his soul till there's no living with him. And then he'll sit in the front parlor and engage in prayer for hours at a time till I says to him:

"'Bateson,' says I, 'I'd be ashamed to go troubling the Lord with a prayer when a pinch of carbonate of soda would set things straight again.'"

"Nothing is liklier to keep a man within compass than having constantly before his eyes, the state of his affairs, in a regular course of account."—John Locke.

This is true. Therecan be no real economy without system.

And the business system without a bank account is no account.

We will be pleased to have you open an account at this bank and let us keep a record of all your business transactions.

The First National Bank
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Assets over One Million Dollars

WILL FIGHT PORK BARREL

SENATOR COOK EMPLOYS COUNSEL TO BRING ACTION AT ONCE.

WILL ATTEMPT TO ENJOIN STATE AUDITOR FROM ISSUING WARRANTS.

The constitutionality of the $600,000 "pork barrel" bill authorized by the last Minnesota legislature, is to be tested in the courts. Senator L. O. Cooke, of Wabasha county, who was in St. Paul yesterday, employed W. B. Douglas, former attorney general and former state supreme court justice, to bring an action to restrain S. G. Iverson, state auditor, from issuing warrants under the provisions of the "pork barrel" bill. The case will be filed in the Ramsey county courts at once.

The 1909 "pork barrel" bill prepared by the good roads committees of the house and senate, appropriated $600,000 out of the state revenue fund and scattered it over the state for the purpose of building bridges and "improving" roads. An analysis of the bill shows that the measure appropriated state money for the improvement of city and village streets, and the building of bridges within corporate limits. The "pork barrel" is a biennial affair, and although it appropriates money to be spent entirely without state supervision it has been defended on the ground that it gives the farmer his only "dip" in the state treasury.

Speial Grants Authorized.

The new feature of the 1909 bill was the fact that it appropriated $200,000 more than ever before and that instead of being confined to the betterment of country roads its provisions authorized special grants for highway improvements inside city and village limits. In 1907, when the first omnibus road and bridge appropriation bill was passed, there were provisions for road and bridge improvement inside city and village limits, but such provisions were not on the wholesale scale of the 1909 bill.

The state highway commission has nothing to do with the expenditure of the money appropriated in the bill. There is no check on the persons named in the measure to supervise the expenditure of the state funds and in many cases members of the legislature are themselves named as the dispensers of the funds. In fifteen counties the money is turned over to the county commissioners. The $600,000, if spent, will come from the state revenue fund, which is obtained partly from railroads and other corporations, and partly by direct tax.

Senator Cooke, who has characterized the "pork barrel" as a "grab," has instructed General Douglas to fight the case to a finish and the supreme court will undoubtedly be called upon to decide the constitutionality of the bill. General Douglas is probably as well equipped as any other lawyer in the state to question the constitutionality of the bill, for he is the author of the "good roads" amendment of 1898, an amendment which will figure prominently in the coming litigation.

On Two Grounds.

The constitutionality of the "pork barrel" will be tested on two grounds. In the first place it will be urged that it is in violation of Section 5, article 9, of the constitution, and in the second place that it is contrary to the constitutional amendment of 1898, known as the "good roads amendment."

Section 5, article 9, of the constitution, prohibits the appropriation of money for internal improvements with in the state except where the appropriation is from money derived from grants of land to the state for specific purposes. The part of the section on which General Douglas will rely reads: "The state shall never contract any debt for the works of internal improvement, or be a party carrying on such works, except in cases where grants of land or other property shall have been made to the state, especially dedicated by the grant to specific purposes, and in such case the state shall devote thereto the avails of such grants and may pledge or approriate the revenues derived from such works in aid of their completion." Prior to 1907 the appropriations for internal improvement land fund, a fund for road and bridge improvement fund, which is to be divided up by the granted to the state for purposes of internal improvement. General Douglas will argue that the appropriation of money from the internal revenue is illegal.

The good roads amendment of 1898 creates the state highway commission and the "state road and bridge fund." This fund, under the provision of the constitution, not only includes money derived from the internal improvement land fund, but "all funds accruing to any state road and bridge fund, however provided." General Douglas maintains that under this provision, whether the constitution authorizes the legislature to appropriate the state's money for village and city roads, renders the bill unconstitutional, as the bill does not place the fund sion for distribution.

Judge Douglas said last night that he had not prepared papers in the case, but that he would begin work at once. It is probable that pending the decisions of the courts, State Auditor Iverson will be restrained from issuing warrants under the provisions of the bill.

The Newsboy.

Unmoved, among the motley of the
market place he stands,
With the deeds of divers races in his
little grimy hands;
Round the press of thronging thousands, in the thick of straining strife,
He will cry you for a copper all the
trafficings of life.

Though you hail from sunset islands
girt by seas of jeweled foam,
He can cheer you on your journey
with a greeting from your home;
Though your heart is linked by memories to the countries of the morn,
He can barter you a message from the
land where you were born.

Through the strident stress of noontide, through the blazing bloom of
night,
Down the slow, slack hours of morning, ere the coming of the light,
In the times of joy and laughter, in
the darkest days of dearth,
He can give you brave adventures
from the farthest ends of earth.

At the portals of the city, at the gateways of the sea,
Where the ringing wheels of commerce shout their sounding symphony,
Where the flags of every nation are to
all the winds unfurled,
He will sell you for a penny all the
romance of the world.

—Appleton's.

Tact is the eiderdown that cushions against life's hard knocks. Where it is lacking there is an endless friction and general misery. Some are "born" with tact—and more blessed are they than the traditional silver-spooned individual. It may also be "achieved." But here the likeness between tact and "greatness" ceases—the former is never "thrust upon" anybody. There is no use denying that the road to "achievement" is a hard one to climb, but it certainly is worth the while of every woman to climb it.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. Sold by all druggists.

Read The Journal Wants.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE WEEK

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY

ON SAD MISSION—Thomas Livingston, manager of the gent's furnishing department of the New York Store left Saturday night for Louisville summoned by a telegram announcing the sudden death of his wife as the result of a second stroke of paralysis. She had been ill for some time and left the city several weeks ago.

LITTLE DAUGHTER ARRIVED — Saturday evening a fine little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bang. This is the first girl in the family, three young sons having preceded her and the entire family joined in extending a card of thanks to His Storkship for bringing a baby girl. Mother and daughter are both doing well.

HAS FACE DECORATED—Edson Jerome returned this morning from Fergus Falls where he spent Sunday with friends. He brought back a slightly decorated nose which he claims he took down with him Saturday but his explanation of the how and wherefore is taken with a grain of salt by his friends.

PRIVATE TESTS—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the American Jersey Cattle Club held May 4th 1909, the following resolution was adopted: "No private test shall be accepted for record, or published by the club, that was made more than twelve months prior to the report of said test to the Club. This resolution to go into effect January 1st, 1910.

OLD RESIDENT BACK — E. D. Childs for many years one of the foremost residents of Crookston and brother of City Clerk A. M. Childs arrived last evening from North Yakima and will spend some time here on combined business and pleasure. He has been busy shaking hands with his friends and talking over old times He is much pleased with Yakima and has a beautiful place on Knob Hill.

DUKE OF TURTLE—E. O. Erickson, the well known Crookston traveling man, who claims to be the champion fisherman of the Knights of the Grip, and who knows every school of fish in Cass Lake, personally, together with the smaller surround ing lakes, and is generally known during the fishing season as the Duke of Turtle River, returned from Cass Lake this morning with a big string of fish and a sunburned face that would be the envy of a New York clubman during the summer resort season.

LARIMORE EDITOR HERE—E. L. Richter editor of the Larimore Pioneer one the newsy weeklies of North Dakota is spending the day here in connection with an automatic cigar slot machine. It has a capacity of ten brands and is about the smoothest money maker on the market. He sells the exclusive right to the machine to one man in each city and they place as many of them as they desire and where they desire. A deal has been practically closed here with a local confectioner.

From Tuesday's Daily

WORKING IN EAST END—Dr. M. Langevin left this morning for eastern Polk county where he has work that will require his attention for a number of days. Each night he will head for Mentor and remain at his Maple Lake cottage.

HERALDITES HERE—Harry Wilson, business manager of the Grand Forks Herald and Peter Morgan the pressman for the same paper, both having been anchored to that paper since the water subsided from the Red River Valley spent the afternoon here on business, returning home on the Northern Pacific.

SERIOUSLY ILL—Mrs. Atkins who has been with her daughter Mrs. S. H. Withey left this morning for Bemidji where she was called by the serious illness of her son-in-law Milford Stafford who has bronchial pneumonia. He formerly resided at Fosston.

RUNNING DITCHING ENGINE — James Muir left yesterday for Humboldt near where he is juggling the throttle of a big engine which furnishes the power for a large ditching machine being operated on county ditch work by Contractors Maxwell and Woodruff.

GOOD YEAR AHEAD—Charley Ragin returned to Maple Lake this morning where he has opened his grocery and confectionery store and dance hall for the season. He says the outlook is the best ever for lively year at Maple Lake many of the cottagers being already on the ground. He was accompanied by Mrs. N. Ragin who will spend the summer there.

TRIP TO COAST — Max Lehman dropped in yesterday from Dawson, N. D. where he has been filling a lucrative position, for a visit with home folks for a couple of days. He will leave this evening for a trip to Seattle where he will visit the exposition and will later visit other points in the west and may locate there. He will be absent for three months.

REMOVED TO HER HOME—Mrs. N. Bertrand who has been receiving treatment at St. Vincent hospital for some time past for inflammation of the stomach was removed to her home several days ago and is now improving very rapidly. Her condition for a time was very serious and her improvement is good news to a large circle of friends.

FISHING WAS FINE — Messrs. Frank Bracelin and J. P. Dotson who returned Sunday evening from a fishing trip to the mouth of Turtle River which is about 9 miles across Cass Lake report very gratifying success. They landed all the fish they wanted and their friends in Crookston are feasting on fish as a result, at least as far as the supply held out.

GREAT GROWING WEATHER — A steady rain set in Monday afternoon and continued during the greater part of the night. The moderate precipitation which has prevailed during the past two weeks, keeping the surface moist has made conditions as near ideal as they could well be. The growth of all vegetation is phenominal and the advance can be noted from day to day.

A PAROCHIAL SCHOOL — Rev. Father Hogan the new pastor of Sacred Heart Catholic church at East Grand Forks is considering the advisability of establishing a parochial school in conection with the church which he hopes to see worked out in the near future. The plan is to erect a suitable building on the church lots adjoining the church building and to establish a school where the children of Catholics may be given religious as well as other training.

DAKOTANS ARE GREEDY—Complaint has been made that anglers from North Dakota have been seriously fracturing the fish laws of Minnesota by sipping more than the legal amount of fish from the state, 50 pounds; and also that some shipments have been made in the name of parties that were not fishing at all on this side of the line. The matter is being investigated and there will be some prosecutions in the near future.

GOOD BROODING SPRING— The lack of anything approaching flood conditions at any time this spring has made conditions ideal for the nesting of prairie chickens ducks and other game birds. As a result there will be more birds hatched in this section this summer than for many years past with the promise of some fine shooting next fall.

LOST ARM AT 84— The following from the Paisley, Ont., Advocate will be of interest here as Wm. Miller is a brother of James Miller of Crookston, watchman for Finch-Winslow-Carlisle Co., and visited here last fall. He resides on a farm in Bruce Co., adjoining that on which Mayor McPhee's folks resided. The Advocate says: "Mr. Wm. Miller, Elora road north, had his left hand amputated a little above the wrist on Thursday. Dr. Lucey of Guelph, wielded the surgical instruments assisted by Drs. Houston and Gage. The bone of the forearm was so diseased that this radical treatment was the only remedy. Altho Mr. Miller is now over 84 years of age, he stood the operation remarkably well and is confidently expected that his general health will soon be restored to normal by the removal of the only serious trouble he has yet suffered from in his whole long life."

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY

G. A. Peterson—Piano and organ tuner, with Tuff's Music House.

Albert Bergh went out on the east line this morning on business.

LOSS OF $1500—Fire at Oslo Thursday caused a loss of $1,500 in the store of John Espeseth.

BUSINESS AT FOSSTON—Archie McKinnon is spending the day at Fosston where he was called on some business for A. J. and A. McKinnon.

ALL HEADED NORTH —Messrs. Chas. Babcock, Graves, Roemer, Cram and Grames went north this morning to cop out a few shekels in their various lines.

HIED TO THE LAKE—Louis Gonya returned to Maple Lake this morning after a couple of days spent here. He expects to spend practically the entire summer there with the exception of what time it will require to attend to business interests.

LOOKING AFTER FARMS—J. P. Foote went to Angus this morning to look after some farm interests for the Scandia Bank. Mr. Foote is very much pleased with the crop outlook this year.

ON OCEAN LINER—Max Ericsson today received letters from his son Lloyd written from Spokane and other points enroute to Seattle. Lloyd and Mr. Brady sailed today from Seattle for Alaska where they will spend the summer months.

BOUGHT FINE DRAY TEAM—L. W. Larson reutrned this morning from a business trip to St. Paul, Minneapolis and St. Peter. At St. Peter he purchased a high priced dray team which will be here in a short time and will be used on the Larson coal wagon.

BUILDING NEW CREAMERY—Contractor L. Johnson went to Fosston this morning where he has a new creamery under construction the work being in charge of his son. The plant is one of the most modern in the state and will be completed and ready for operation within a very short time.

CITY FORGING AHEAD—Alderman Fred Craig came over from Grand Forks this morning for a trip up the fish line. Mr. Craig says East Grand Forks is booming this summer and great progress will be made before the close of the summer including many municipal improvements etc.

UNDER NEW VAG LAW — This morning the police arrested Fay Sloner and prosecuted him under the new vagrancy law. The new law is much broader than the old one and gives the police a chance to lodge a number of charges which were not covered before. Brother Sloner was sent up to visit Jailor Tom Casey by Judge Gossman of the municipal court.

EAGLES INITIATED—Last evening the Eagles held a very largely attended and enthusiastic meeting. A class of candidates was initiated and a very fine lunch was served. The local Eyrie is growing rapidly there being initiations at practically every meeting. The local Eagles are looking forward with a great deal of interest to the visit here of the Eagles of Winnipeg July 4th and 5th and are making elaborate preparations for their proper entertainment in conjunction with a committee of firemen and from the Commercial club.

MOVING STORE HOUSE — The building which has been used by the Wright Carpenter Co. as a store house at the rear of their department store is being moved from that location across the Northern Pacific tracks to Mose Gilier's place, he having purchased the building to use as additional store room. It is substantially built and covered with sheet iron. The New Store with an enlarged basement will not need a store room and the removal of the building will make a big improvement in the appearance of things from the Great Northern depot.

BLOSSOMED OUT BEAUTIFULLY—Carl Ness proprietor of the Robert Street confectionery store and billiard hall will soon have his place transformed into a regular bower of potted plants. He has already placed on exhibition a magnificent variety known as the climbing Clintonius Littlerium which is now in full bloom. It blossoms out at least twice a year spring and fall, and the beautiful bloom lasts for weeks, preserving all its initial beauty and then fades gradually except for sudden spurts which last for only one day or evening at a time. It was the object of many a admiring glances yesterday and last evening the ladies being especially interested.

Postage Stamp Slot Machines

The Posct Office Department is considering a number of stamp-selling machines. These devices which, sell stamps of all denominations, could be placed in the streets and public buildings. The intelligent public in general agree that golden grain belt beer is not only the purest of all beverages but also the most beneficial to body and mind. Have it on your home table at all times. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Both.

"What are you talking about? A thing can't be a great help and a great drawback at the same time."

"I don't know. How about a mustard plaster?"—Boston Transcript.

Under Pressure.

Isn't it queer that when a man really wants to go somewhere he can do as much work in half an hour as would ordinarily take him half a day.—Portland Express.

The best o' working is it gives you a grip hold o' things outside your own lot.—Eliot.

Hoarseness, bronchitis and other throat troubles are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar as it soothes and heals the inflamed throat and bronchial tubes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by all druggists.

HALF OF ADA TO BE HERE

E. J. HERRINGER SAYS BIG DELEGATION WILL BE HERE FOR FIREMEN'S MEET

THOMAS R. JOHNSTONE AROUSING INTEREST IN DULUTH LINE TOWNS

From Tuesday's Daily—

E. J. Herringer one of the foremost citizens of Ada while in the city on Sunday evening enroute home from Fosston said that great interest was being taken at Ada in the coming tournament of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association to be held in Crookston the week beginning July 5th. The running team from the fire department there, the baseball team, and the Ada band will also be here. as in many instances the same men belong to all three organizations.

The train service from Ada is very fine as all these who desire can come up in the morning and return home in the evening if they so desire.

Boosting out East

Thomas R. Johnstone left this morning for Bemidji, Blackduck and Hibbing where he will endeavor to arouse interest in the coming tournament and induce teams to compete at the tourney from those places. He says the meeting will be one of the very best ever held in the northern part of the state and looks for an immense attendance.

SOLDIERS HIT THE BULLSEYE

TOOK REDLANDS INTO CAMP IN CITY LEAGUE GAME YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

WHITE SEAL TEAM BEAT GRAND FORKS PICKETTS, UMPIRE AND ALL

From Monday's Daily—

A good crowd gathered at the City Ball Park yesterday afternoon to witness the practice game between the Redlands team and Co. I of the city league the regular schedule of which opens tonight with a game between the White Seals and Redlands.

Redlands seemed to have the game well in hand with a score of 2 to 6 in their favor till the 7th inning when the soldier boys turned loose and made 6 scores, all that were made during the balance of the game, winning by a score of 6 to 10. Both teams showed up fine for the first game and some great sport is promised before the end of the season.

Lehman pitched for Co. 1 and did fine work, and Carlson was at the receiving end, while Evenson pitched for Redlands holding the Soldiers down well, but received ragged support in one inning which proved disastrous. Outside of the 7th inning Redlands played steady, consistent ball and the team is very well balanced.

HUSTLERS WIN FROM BURWELL

The Hill Hustlers took Burwell into camp yesterday on the latter's grounds by a score of 7 to 4. Becker and Morlin were on the points for the Hustlers. Umpire Jabe.

GREAT GAME AT FOSSTON SUNDAY

Yesterday E. J. Herringer's Colts from Ada played at Fosston and the contest was one of the best ever played there. The game being called at the end of the 13th inning without a single score having been made. Summers and Bechter and Cadreau and Roy were the respective batteries and both were in great form.

MENTOR WON FROM OAKLAKE

Yesterday at Erskine the Mentor team defeated the Oak Lake ball tossers by the score of 15 to 13 it was one of the old-fashioned hit and run games and the rooting was heard for miles around.

The longer a man can hang from a picket fence because the seat of his trousers was caught on it, the more convinced he could become that it was because he was so clever at that sort of thing.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

ALL ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE FOR THE OBSERVANCE ON MONDAY NEXT

REV. F. M. McCOY IS SELECTED AS ORATOR OF THE DAY—GOOD MUSIC

Yesterday afternoon the committee in charge of the arrangements for the observance of Memorial day in Crookston met at the First National Bank and completed the program and other arrangements for next Monday afternoon.

As stated in his proclamation Mayor McPhee urges that as far as possible all unnecessary business be suspended next Monday afternoon in order that clerks and other employes will be given an opportunity to participate in the exercises at the cemetery. A good program has been prepared including special music, readings etc., in addition to the exercises under the direction of the Old Soldiers, and the oration will be delivered by Rev. F. M. McCoy.

Following is the list of officers of the day, committees and program:

OFFICERS OF THE DAY
C. A. Hitchcock, Marshal.
O. B. Tvedten
Jos. Eckert
FINANCE COMMITTEE
J. D. McPhee
John Crawford
COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENTS
C. A. Hitchcock
O. B. Tvedten
Jos. Eckert
COMMITTEE ON MUSIC
O. W. Peterson
C. F. Mix
COMMITTEE ON INVITATION
L. E. Gossman
E. O. Hagen
James H. Maybury
COMMITTEE ON GROUNDS
C. Duval

Line of March

Line of march will move, 1:30 sharp as follows: Form on Broadway at City Hall facing south, thence to Loring street, from Loring street to Main, down Main to Sixth and west on Sixth to cemetery.

Order of Procession

Police department.
Band.
School children.
Mayor J. D. McPhee.
Orator of the day, Rev. F. M. McCoy
Clergymen in carriages.
City council in carriages.
Co. I Minn. Nat. Guards.
Spanish war soldiers.
Col. Cobham Post No. 90, G. A. R.
Women's Relief Corps.
Fire department.
Societies.
Citizens in carriages.

Program at Cemetery

Music by band.
Prayer, Rev. W. S. Ward.
Music by Choir.
Reading of memorial and exercises Col. Cobham Post, No. 90.
Music by band.
Address of welcome, Mayor J. D. McPhee.
Music by choir.
Reading by Miss Mayme Westerberg.
Music by choir.
Oration by Rev. F. M. McCoy.
Music by band.
Benediction.
Firing salute Co. I, Minn. National Guards.
Taps.

LANDED A BIG CONTRACT

MESSRS. HITCHCOCK, WINFIELD, MENG AND SOPER SUPPLY 3500 MEN WITH BEEF

WILL ALL GO TO MANDAN AT ONCE—KILLING TEN BEEF A DAY NOW

From Monday's Daily—

C. A. Hitchcock and Jos Winfield returned this morning from Mandan where yesterday they landed the contract to furnish the construction crews on 250 miles of new track with beef during the summer. Sam Meng and Walter Soper are associated with them.

There are now 3,500 men at work and there will be more later on. All four men will go to Mandan at once and remain there during the balance of the summer. They are now killing ten head of cattle per day.

This is a big contract and the local men are very fortunate in landing it.

The girl who is wise never gives a young man a lock of her hair. She may decide to change the color of it later.

COPS CANNOT HIT THE PIPE

CIGARS AND CIGARETTES PROHIBITED IN ORDER TO FORKS POLICEMEN

MAYOR TAYLOR SAYS RULE HAS BEEN FOUND TO BE GOOD THING ELSEWHERE

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mayor J. D. Taylor of Grand Forks yesterday issued an order that none of the members of the police department should hereafter smoke while on duty. The order created a mild sensation at the city hall. The policemen all smoke and some of them were hopeful that the order was one framed up by some joker. It was shown that the mayor had issued it and so the officers decided to make the best of it.

"It will be all right if I lose all desire for smoking," said one of the patrolmen. "A good smoke helps to while away the long hours all right."

In Force Elsewhere

Mayor Taylor admitted last evening that the order had been issued. He considered it a step in the right direction, he stated. 'Other cities have the same rule and find it a good on.

A number of persons stated that the order would make the job of patrolman less popular.

The order was in effect last night and it is expected that pipes and cigars will be worked overtime after 7 o'clock this morning.

J. M. BALL IS BADLY HURT

SUSTAINED FALL OF 11 FEET STRIKING ON HIS HEAD ON HARDWOOD FLOOR

EXPECTS TO RETURN TO MINNEAPOLIS IN A SHORT TIME TO RECUPERATE

From Monday's Daily—

H. C. Scribner this morning received a letter from Mr. J. M. Ball which tells of a very serious injury to Mr. Ball a short time ago. While building a house for a tenant at Altamira, Tampo Texas, he fell from the roof, one of the joists breaking, and landed on his head on a hardwood floor 11 feet below.

He did not regain consciousness for 24 hours and is now only able to get around with the aid of a cane and crutch and is bothered with severe pains in the head nearly all of the time.

As soon as he is able to travel the family will leave Texas for Minneapolis where they will remain till Mr. Ball has recuperated.

KEYSTONE

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Aeschlimann left for Stephen last Saturday morning to visit with friends. They returned Monday evening.

Earl Capes spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother Elmer and family at East Grand Forks.

John Alt of Stephen drove down last Friday visited friends and relatives and returned Saturday.

A very interesting ball game was witnessed by a large crowd at Tabor last Sunday. Edward Brantl choose nine boys to play against some of Tabor's most prominent players. The score was 26 to 16 in favor of Edward Brantl's side. Sometime ago we heard that a team is stronger and better without the Suckers' aid, but it did not seem to be true last Sunday as two Suckers were on the winning side and received many cheers from all present. Altho being defeated the Tabor boys treated the winners in a very pleasant way, and are anxious for a game with Key West but the Key West team consists of men and high school students and might beat the game.

Miss Tillie Brantl called on her friends the Misses McDonald last Thursday.

William Grundahl, Gustave Miller Edward and Miss Tillie Brantl and Messrs and Misses Aeschlimann were at the ball game at Tabor last Sunday.

Miss Tillie Brantl is staying at the John Gerber farm.

Samuel Aeschlimann was at Crookston last Saturday returning home Sunday noon.

Men are like some dogs, all they do is to lie around and growl.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE
Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

DEFECTIVE PAGE

PATRIOTIC EXERCISES

WERE CARRIED OUT TODAY BY SCHOOL CHILDREN OF CROOKSTON

ALL STUDENTS ASEMBLED AT DIFFERENT TIMES IN FRANKLIN BUILDING

From Friday's Daily—

The special patriotic exercises which are usually held in the public schools of Crookston the Friday before Memorial day were held today, one week earlier than usual on account of the school examinations which will be on next week.

The students from all the schools united today in exercises in the new Franklin School, the various departments from the other schools coming at stated times, and the little ones attracted a great deal of attention as they marched in a body to the Franklin school.

The exercises lasted the entire day and the programs carried out were of a most interesting character. Addresses were made by members of the G. A. R. who with the W. R. C. attended in a body and several citizens also made short remarks.

Many parents and others interested were present and all thoroly enjoyed the exercises. Prof. McIntire spent nearly the entire day there and with teachers was highly commended for the pains taken in preparing for the occasion.

WERE WEDDED AT HIGH NOON TODAY

The Ellington-Willey Nuptials Solemnized at the Home of Mrs. W. E. Slocum—Elaborate Wedding Dinner Served Following the Ceremony After which the Young Couple Departed for Cities on Wedding Tour

A very pretty wedding took place in Crookston at high noon today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Slocum on Bridge St., when Miss Grace Willey a cousin of Mrs. Slocum, became the bride of Mr. Elmer Ellington. The bride looked charming in a white net gown over a white silk slip, carrying a cluster of bridal roses. The groom wore the conventional black.

The impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. C. C. Warner under a large white wedding bell uniquely fashioned out of white roses, ribbons and smilax. Miss Fern Lancaster played Mendelssohn's wedding march and little Marguerite Low acted as ring-bearer. The parlor was banked with arbors of white cut flowers and twinings of smilax, which made an exquisite and appropriate setting for a bridal party. The large dining room was transformed into veritable garden of pink flowers and summer fragrance

Immediately following the ceremony the guests enjoyed a course luncheon from a table made handsome with dainty appointments. A large wedding cake was in evidence and the chairs of the bride and groom were joined with white satin ribbons.

The bride's going away gown was of brown broadcloth with hat, gloves and shoes to match.

The happy couple imagined they had evaded their friends at the depot by taking a touring car to the railroad crossing and boarding the train from there but the guests calmly walked down to the N. P. depot and took the train to Fertile and if there was any passenger on that train who did not know there was a newly married couple aboard he was deaf, dumb and blind, for the coach was festooned with white streamers, placards etc.

Both bride and groom have the well wishes of a large circle of Crookston friends. They expect to remain in Minneapolis for a week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fawcett. They will also spend some time at Duluth and Chicago before going to Donaldson where Mr. Ellington is engaged in the hardware and machinery business and where they will make their future home.

Those present at the wedding were Messrs. and Mesdames L. Ellington, A. A. Miller, C. C. Warner, H. L. Marsh, A. A. Just; Mesdames Leguee, W. F. Arnold, F. Cadwell of Minneapolis, M. L. Hall, A. J. Streeter; Misses Mabel Stone, Fern Lancaster, Alice and Mary Arnold, Janet Page, and Marjory Warner; Messrs. Lucius Miller, Alex and James Arnold, and C. R. Winslow. Mr. and Mrs. Ellington were the recipients of a large number of beautiful presents in cut glass, silver and china.

What convinces a man he is having a good time doing anything is for none of his family to be along.

AUTOMOBILE RUNS AMUCK

C. J. MURPHY'S MACHINE RUNS OVER HIM AND LANDS AGAINST BIG HOTEL

ATTORNEY HAS LEG AND ARM BADLY BRUISED BUT NO BONES BROKEN

From Friday's Daily—

An auto owned by C. J. Murphy, counsel for the Great Northern railway, ran amuck in Grand Forks last evening. It knocked Mr. Murphy down and ran over him, careened down Alpha avenue at a lively rate and crashed into the cafe of the hotel Frederick wrecking a window and breaking a lamp and spring.

Attorney Murphy had one arm and leg badly bruised but no bones were broken. His clothing was torn. Mrs. Murphy and sister Miss Lizzie Sullivan, jumped when the machine started to run away.

The accident occurred near the corner of Alpha and Fourth. The machine is a light one, weighing only 1,700 pounds, a fortunate circumstance for Mr. Murphy.

No Chance to Escape

When the accident happened Mr. Murphy was standing in front of the machine cranking it up. The high speed clutch happened to be in the wrong place and the auto fairly leaped at him.

He was taken to his home in W. H. Kelsey's automobile and will soon be able to be out it is said.

INJUCTION IS ISSUED

RED LAKE CO. COMMISSIONERS WILL NOT SELL BONDS OR BUILD COURT HOUSE YET

MATTER HAS BEEN TAKEN INTO COURTS AND IT WILL CAUSE DELAY

From Friday's Daily—

There will be a meeting of the county commissioners of Red Lake county tomorrow to sell the $35,000 worth of bonds and accept plans for a new court house. The commissioners will not do it however as they have been served with a restraining order and are asked to appear before his honor Court Commissioner Samuel T. Johnson at his office in Thief River Falls on the 29th day of May to show cause why an injunction should not be granted.

Of course there is right to appeal to the district judge and then to the supreme court but this all takes time and Pennington county may have been created before the matter is decided in the courts.

PREPARE FOR CELEBRATION

MINOT ELKS MAKE ELABORATE PLANS FOR LAYING OF THE CORNER STONE

At a meeting of the officers of the Elks lodge at Minot Tuesday plans were made for the ceremonies which will accompany the laying of the corner stone of the new Elks Home next Saturday. Invitations have been sent to every Elk in North Dakota and to all of the lodges in the state and in Minnesota.

Lee Combs one of the prominent Elks of Valley City will deliver an address at that time and with his esquire from that town will assist in the initiation of the candidates in the evening.

Detroit Record: If it is found that the Republican majority is so bound up by trust influences that it is unable to give the people a square deal, and such a tariff schedule as the business interests of the country demand as a whole there are millions of voters who will include that it is time to make a change. There is a political storm brewing, and it remains to be seen whether certain party leaders will heed its protest in time to seek the shelter of honest legislation for the people. "The people be damned" may have been considered good argument in the days of Vanderbilt's prime, but not so following a Roosevelt administration.

Albert Lea Standard: Tempered by Governor Johnson's eight vetoes, the late legislature was not altogether as lamentable as it might have been. So let all cheep up—Governor Johnson may make it sixteen the next time.

DIED AT AGE OF 102 YEARS

BER TANDERSON RECEIVES THE NEWS OF DEATH OF HIS AGED GRAND FATHER

HAD LIVED ON FARM NEAR ALBERT LEA SINCE BEFORE THE WAR

From Friday's Daily—

Bert Anderson today received word of the death of his grandfather Andrew Johnson, at his home on a farm near Albert Lea Minn., at the advanced age of 102 years. The deceased was a very rugged man, and six years ago when Bert Anderson visited there he was hale and hearty with his mind as clear as a bell.

His wife died several years ago. He had five sons in the civil war, three of whom were killed in action. They enlisted at Madison Wis., driving over from Albert Lea in a cart pulled by a mule and an ox.

There were two daughters, Mrs. Ole Anderson who died some years ago and Martha Johnson who never married but kept house for her father.

GREAT PROGRAM MONDAY NIGHT

CROOKSTON ORATORIO SOCIETY WILL GIVE ENTERTAINMENT MONDAY NIGHT

On next Monday evening the Crookston Oratorio Society will give an entertainment at the M. E. church which will be one of the big musical treats of the summer.

The rehearsals have been going on for some time past and no one can afford to miss this splendid opportunity to hear some splendid solo and chorus work. The society is doing a great work in Crookston and the patronage Monday evening should be very liberal.

ADA SECURES CONVENTION

FEDERATED CLUBS TO HOLD DISTRICT MEETING IN ADA NEXT YEAR

Mesdames R. S. Matthews, C. R. Andrews, F. L. Thurston and H. F. Bosworth of Ada returned home last Friday from Detroit where they attended the annual district convention of Federated Clubs as representatives of the Twentieth Century Club of this city. Mrs. Mattheys read a paper before the meeting on the subject, "Co-operation of Parents and Teachers."

The Ada delegates were entertained at the homes of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Conway, Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Phillips, former residents of Ada.

The annual meeting of the clubs for this district will be held in Ada next year at a date to be announced later.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Recording secretary Mrs. Wm. Russel, Moorhead; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. S. Matthews, Ada; treasurer, Mrs. A. H. Hamilton, Detroit.

TRI-STATE CO. TO REACH KEY WEST

AGREEMENT REACHED WITH MUTUAL COMPANY TO CONNECT WITH LINE TO FORKS

The Tri-State Telephone company was successful last evening at Key West in closing a deal for conenctions with a mutual telephone company. About 30 telephones are involved. The stockholders voted unanimously in favor of securing connections with the Tri-State.

NORTHERN PACIFIC CHANGES TIME

Agent Handy announces a cange of time on the Northern Pacific. The south bound passenger train after Sunday will leave Crookston at 1:05 p. m. instead of 2:05 as now and will arrive in Minneapolis at 9:20 instead of 10:20 as at present. There will be no change of time in the north-bound train.

A girl's notion of an ideal hero is one that would be in a padded cell if he wasn't on the stage.

WHAT IS THE N. P. UP TO?

RAILROAD RUMORS REVIVE THE MUCH TALKED OF STAPLES CUTOFF

SUPT. SOVERIGN OF NORTHERN PACIFIC VISITS THIS SECTION

From Friday's Daily—

Supt. Soverign of the Minnesota division of the Northern Pacific Ry., in his special car, visited Fertile this week remaining over night there and proceeding the next morning up over the Red Lake Falls branch to Grand Forks. There is much speculation as to the cause of the superintendent's frequent visits here of late and the theories advanced are varied and many. Some are of the opinion that the cutoff from Fertile to Staples, so long talked of, is to become a reality.

This is given much credence by reason of report from White Earth that Northern Pacific surveyors are at work running line across the reservation and headed this way. Others say the N. P. wants a shorter route to Winnipeg and will run the flyer from here over the Red Lake Falls branch and thence over the Warroad branch, making the distance much shorter. These are only speculative rumors and nothing may come of them. But in case they do, Fertile will surely be made a division point.—Fertile Journal.

A CHAMPIONSHIP SCRAP PULLED OFF

HOT SESSION PULLED OFF IN ROPED ARENA AT EMERSON MANITOBA

Emerson, Man., Canada, May 20—(Special to the Journal)—In the arena at Emerson two more young men one of this city (a local) and the other somewhat of a roving nature yesterday met in the roped arena here to settle a difference in opinion. Round 1—Mr. Stephens the local was in the aggressive in this round and leads with a sledge hammer blow for the top of his opponent's head but he being a man of very slight physique did not have to exercise much skill to avoid the blow which went wide Gong sounds, honors even, both men go to the bar for a drink.

Round 2—There was considerable talking in this round. Referee A. Johnston having to call time on both the men. The tourist bested his man in this round. Gong sounds.

Round 3—Mr. Stephens now became angered at his slow work and makes a rush at his opponent forcing his man to the ropes. Both men grab for nose hold and had to be separated by Referee Johnston. Honors even.

Round 4—The tourist makes an effort to put his man out in short time so makes a heavy swing for the end of his opponents nose. This landed and so angered Mr. Stephens that he leads with a heavy left for his opponent's jaw knocking him to the mat Gong sounds, honors even.

Round 5—Mostly all talking in this round and referee Johnston had to decide in favor of the local who is now going around with the belt.

Mr. Stephens has challenged Mr. Peterson the present holder of the local championship belt to a 10 round contest to take place in the near future.

St. Cloud Times: The Minnesota delegation in congress are certainly endeavoring to use their efforts for real tariff revision. The effort may be in vain but whatever the result is their constituents will have nothing to regret from the stand taken by their two senators and the nine congressmen who represent Minnesota.—Brainerd Dispatch.

Suppose that Seators Nelson and Clapp who are making a fight for lower duties shall, when the Aldrich bill is on final passage with all of the outrageous rates on certain articles which have condemned fall into line and vote for it, as did our house members, then what will their constituents think It looks very much as if much of this discussion, and efforts to amend were merely intended to keep certain senators and representatives "solid" with their contituents The way to defeat the tariff iniquity is to vote against it first, last and all the time. Thus and thus only can the Aldriches be compelled to consent to an equitable tariff.

Mora Times: The new Aldrich tariff law does not look good to the people of this section of the country. There is altogether too much revision upward or none at all.

The Oil Stove With a CABINET TOP

The New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove differs from all other oil stoves.—*It has a CABINET TOP.* This means you can keep dishes and utensils within easy reach while cooking, *and can keep food hot after removing it from the blaze.*

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J. J HILL TO BE HONORED

BUST OF EMPIRE BUILDER TO SYMBOLIZE MINNESOTA AT SEATTLE EXPOSITION.

STATUE TO FORM CENTERPIECE OF GROUP IN KLONDIKE CIRCLE.

James J. Hill, empire builder and railroad king, is to be honored by having a bronze statue of himself used to symbolize Minnesota at the Seattle exposition. The bust will be nearly seven feet in height and will stand on a base of Minnesota, Japanese and Washington state granite, twenty-one feet high, a tribute to the glory and the progress of the Northwest.

At the right of the bust will stand a model of the battleship Minnesota, and on the left that of a rilroad train. Gov. John A. Johnson has undertaken to send the Minnesota granite, and the Japanese consul general will send the Japanese granite.

Finn H. Frolich, a Seattle sculptor, is now making the clay model for the bronze bust. He is working as fast as his sitter will allow him, for the whole work has to be finished and in place by August 3, which is Minnesota day at the exposition.

Has Place of Honor.

The tribute to Minnesota's greatest man will occupy the place of honor in Klondike circle, at the entrance of the "Pay Streak." When the exposition is closed the statue will be removed to the grounds of the Washington state university, Seattle, where it will be placed on the campus.

In the celebrated art gallery at the Hill mansion Artist Sculptor Frolich is busily engaged putting James J. Hill into clay expression.

Although the clay is only in its early stages, the reporter recognized it among the works of art, as he came down the hall. The bust was turned toward the door, but the back of the head alone was enough.

"It's a strong face and head," said the artist. "There are so many distinctive points about it that it would be hard for a sculptor to miss getting a likeness."

"Can Mr. Hill spare you much time?" he was asked.

"That's just the difficulty," said Mr. Frolich. "The sittings are necessarily short. From 9 till 10 in the morning and after 5:30 in the evening. Mr. Hill is a forceful character with a great deal of personal magnetism. Before one gets acquainted with him this is a drawback; after one gets accustomed to the subject, it is a great advantage.

Work Still Unfinished.

"Though it looks finished to you and resembles J. J. Hill, I'll admit, there are three days' work to be done on it yet. No one but an artist would understand this. But wait till all the finishing touches are made. You'll get the life expression then—the man himself as he moves and breaths and thinks. Just wait a few days."

Among the former Minnesotans who are looking after the preparation for the statue in Seattle are: Judge Thomas Burke, Judge G. M. Hawthorne, C. W. Corliss and Col. Blethen, of the Seattle Times.

Finn H. Frolich, the sculptor, is a native of Christiania, Norway. He received a large part of his artistic education at L' Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris. He has been in Seattle now some two years.

As soon as the clay model is complete a plaster cast of it will be taken and Mr. Frolich will take it to New York, where the bronze mold will be made.

JACK JOHNSON IS TOO SLOW

NEGRO FAILS TO DO MUCH TO JACK O'BRIEN IN FAST SIX ROUND BOUT

NEGRO CHAMPION SLOW—PHILADELPHIAN ENTITLED TO A DRAW

Philadelphia May 29 — Jack Johnson, the big colored heavy-weight champion failed to win over Jack O'Brien, the Philadelphia light-heavy-weight last night in a six round bout. The fight was even and the consencus of opinion was that it should have been a draw had a decision been permissible. O'Brien's marvelous fast foot work and his superior blocking saved him from damage in several close mixes, and three times he was forced to his knees by the great strength and weight of Johnson in the clinches.

It was a fast fight, O'Brien doing the greater part of the leading. Johnson was slow on his feet and appeared not to be in the best condition. Repeatedly the champion rushed his smaller antagonist but seldom landed effectively. A right hand counter in the fifth round cut O'Brien's right eye and this was the sum total of the damage done in the six rounds.

O'Brien was in and out like a flash in nearly every round, stabbing Johnson on the face but the blows lacked force and had no effect other than to make the big man grin and wave his hand at the crowd. The spectators shouted wildly every time O'Brien landed and hooted Johnson for his apparent rough work in the clinches.

Referee McGuigan said after the fight that O'Brien did remarkably well under the circumstances. He weighs 162½ pounds while JoJhnson's acknowledged weight was 205 and it was probably more.

"Johnson looked tired and anxious in the fourth round and O'Brien appeared confident thruout the bout. He certainly fought a game fight," said McGuigan. "Johnson had nothing to say after the bout except that he thought he had the better of it. O'Brien was enthusiastic over his showing. He said today he accepted a proposal to meet Al Kaufman in San Francisco in the near future.

Stillwater Gazette: Sometimes we think, after thinking a few about the political situation in Minnesota, that if the boys would get together and agree to discard all the old decks of cards, buy a new and clean deck and commence all over it would be just about the best move for peace, harmony and victory that could be brought forth. How about it?

The building activity in Crookston this spring is more noticeable than for many years past and visitors in the city are commenting upon it very freely.

IMPRESSIVE SCENE IN ST. MARY CTH. CHURCH

Class Of 37 Took First Communion Services Under Direction Of Fr. Smiers With Several Assisting Priests.

From Friday's Daily—

A spectacular scene at St. Mary's Catholic church on Ascension Day in the city of Crookston, Thursday a memorable feast of the church marked the day one of pomp and ceremony long to be remembered by first holy communion class of 37, consisting of 21 boys and 16 girls, ably prepared by the pastor Father John W. Smiers. The scene in the church cannot fail to leave an impress, not only with the communicants but the congregation as a whole. The excellent training given this first communion class comes of a master mind and a teacher out of the ordinary in training children.

Impressive Sight

The order of the ceremony was as follows: Procession from the Sacristy led by the altar boys, cross bearer, John McKinnon, Eugene Rauenbuehler and Laurence Regan, followed by the girls all in white wearing wreaths and veils and white gloves. The boys were dressed all in black and also wore white gloves. The flower girls were as follows: Elmira Andrist, Kathleen Ures, Helene Greening. Next came the pastor, then prayer by the communicants in concert, after which they sang the hymmn "Come Holy Spirit".

The "Te Deum" mass was then sung. Celebrant of the mass, "De Deum" mass John W. Smiers, deacon of the mass Rev. Father Corbinia Hermanutz, O. S. B. Sub-deacon of the mass, Rev. Father Claud Massonat. Master of ceremonies Rev. Father V. Koelman, of Reynolds, N. D.

Just before the communion was administered, acts of Faith, Hope and Charity and Contrition were recited in concert by the communicants, they then sang hymn "O Lord I am not Worthy". The girls led by the angels approached to receive holy communion first, the flower girls representing angels, the boys following in regular order. The Hymn "What Happiness can Equal Mine" was then sung by the class, followed by the Litany for the occasion recited by the communicants.

Special Choir

A special choir was chosen for this ceremony. The mass sung by the choir was Bartholomeus in E. flat, assisted by Miss Eva Desautels, county Superintendent N. A. Thorson, Mrs. James O'Brien, Mr. Oscar Peterson, At the offertory Miss Eva Desautels beautifully rendered "Ave Maria" by Petri. The solos were all very well rendered. The organist Miss Louise Veronneau was at her best and the music was inspiring.

After the ceremony the procession returned to the Sacristy.

At 2:30 occurred the enrollment of the scapular. After that Father Smiers took the children to the studio to have their photos taken. They returned with Father Smiers and were treated to cake and candy.

Examination Results

Percentage of the children at catechism in their examination:

John Altepeter,	98 4-12	Passed most excellent
Fred Baatz	89 7-12	Passed
Peter Baatz	89 2-12	Passed
Fred Bertrand	100	Passed most excellent
Peter Carey	92 6-12	Passed most excellent
Albert Clennen	99 7-12	Passed most excellent
John Coergen	83 4-12	Passed
Byron Gossman	99 3-12	Passed most excellent
Donald Hughes	99 7-12	Passed most excellent
Joseph LaPlant	90 10-12	Passed
Thomas Laughlin	83 4-12	Passed
Willie Laughlin	97 7-12	Passed most excellent
James Malone	99 2-12	Passed most excellent
William Murphy	99 7-12	Passed most excellent
Allan McKinnon	82 11-12	Passed
Maurice McMahan	99 5-12	Passed most excellent
Michael Regan	100	Passed most excellent
Ralph Stephens	99 2-12	Passed most excellent
Angus Wallace	76 3-12	Passed
Andrew Welter	90 5-12	Passed
Fred Welter	97 7-12	Passed most excellent
Philomiene Altepeter	99 2-12	Passed most excellent
Winnifred Callaghon	99 7-12	Passed most excellent
Martha Carey	100	Passed most excellent
Joseph Clennen	100	Passed most excellent
Winnifred Carey	98 4-12	Passed most excellent
Agatha Carrol	98 9-12	Passed most excellent
Annie Kaiser	77 6-12	Passed
Rose Kaiser	97 11-12	Passed most excellent
Sadie Logan	99 7-12	Passed most excellent
Marietta Morrisey	89 9-12	Passed most excellent
Marguerite McDonald	83 7-12	Passed
Theresa Pfaff	91 3-12	Passed most excellent
Tillie Schneider	100	Passed most excellent
Adde Schraeder	99 7-12	Passed most excellent
Genevieve Wallace	65	Passed
Lizzie Welter	99 2-12	Passed most excellent

Evening Services

Evening services began as in the morning, procession from the Sacristy headed by the cross bearer followed by the pretty little girl strewing the path with flowers, then the girl communicants following in single file carrying blessed candles. The procession started in center aisle, the boys in same order, led by another pretty little flower girl then came the altar boys, then two assistant priests followed by Father Smiers all around the church back the center aisle where the hymn "Come Holy Ghost" was sung by the communicants, after which the girls all kneeling in the center aisle were met by two flower girls as they approached the altar in pairs to renew their Baptismmal vows The boys followed in regular order of this impressing part. The class then sang "Mother Dear O Pray for Me." Father Smiers then gave a practical sermon reminding the children of their sacred duty to God and impressing upon them their duty of obedience to their parents. He then addressed a few remarks to the parents advising them to look after their children by setting a good example.

Solemn Benediction was then given completing the ceremony.

PICKS O'BRIEN TO SUCCEED ELLIOT

GOVERNOR ANNOUNCES SELECTION OF ST. PAUL MAN FOR SUPREME BENCH

WAS SUPPOSED TO BE SECRET BUT LITTLE BIRD GOT VERY BUSY

From Friday's Daily—

Governor Johnson announced today that, with the understanding that Judge Charles B. Elliott of the Minnesota supreme court is to be Judge Charles A. Willard's successor on the supreme bench of the Philippine islands, he has selected Thomas D. O'Brien of St. Paul for the resulting vacancy.

No official report of Judge Elliott's selection is given out. He himself declined today to discuss it, saying that all information must come from Washington. The story comes from unofficial sources there, but was confirmed by Governor Johnson today.

"My informant was the president of the United States," he said. "The news was given me in confidence. Now that it has come out, I see no reason to deny it. Judge Elliott is to be appointed to Judge Willard's place in the Philippines and when he resigns from the state supreme court I shall appoint Thomas D. O'Brien to that place. The vacancy may not occur for several weeks, but I have consulted Mr. O'Brien, have his acceptance and have informed him that I will appoint him."

How Change Occurs

The proposed judicial shift comes from appointment of Judge Charles A. Willard of Minneapolis as United States district attorney for Minnesota. Judge Willard has been serving as associate justice of the supreme court of the Philippines. Judge Elliott was formerly on the Hennepin district bench, but has been a supreme court justice since 1905. His term expires next year.

T. D. O'Brien was associated with the state administration as insurance commissioner. He resigned to go into private practice with R. A. Stone and was retained as special counsel for the state in the railroad rate injunction cases. Since E. T. Young's retirement as attorney general he and Mr. O'Brien have been actively in charge of the prolonged hearings of these cases.

The salary of supreme court justices in Minnesota is $7,000 while in the federal judgeship in the Philippines pays $10,000.

PROSPECTS FOR LATE HARVEST

MANITOBA'S PRIME MINISTER SAYS MONTREAL IS FIGHTING FOR EXPORT GRAIN CROP

R. P. Roblin prime minister of the province of Manitoba enroute to Winnipeg from Montreal, was in Crookston today. Montreal, Mr. Roblin said, is making a great fight against New York for the export grain trade of the Atlantic coast, is progressing all along the line, and is handling a larger volume of business both in and out. There is a tone of optimism in east Canada.

West Canadian advices, Mr. Roblin said, were of favorable weather. He says that his absence from Winnipeg had put him out of touch with the crop situation. There had been a late start in many parts of the grain area, and a prospect for a late harvest. Whether the good weather had brought the crop along enough to make it compare in progress with an average season, he could not say. The immigration outlook for west Canada, he said, is very favororable and there has been a great inrush of new settlers most of whom had money. Very largely they have settled in Alberta and Saskatchewan, but Manitoba got a good share as well.

The possibilities of unbleached muslin are not appreciated. This cheap material is of a mellow, creamy tone, which lends itself peculiarly to artistic decoration. For summer cottage hangings it is a most desirable material, the unevenness of weave suggesting certain silken fabrics. A pretty bedroom in a cottage at Atlantic City is to have the walls papered with delicate pink and yellow roses upon a creamy ground. All the hangings—the window curtains, the door curtains, the bedspread, the couch and chair covers and cushions—are to be of unbleached muslin finished with bands of cretonne to match the wallpaper.

The hobo rides about the country in a box car while waiting for his ship to come in.

TOM FLAHERTY CASE DISMISSED

JUDGE DECIDES EAST GRAND FORKS COURT HAS NO JURISDICTION

$400 COSTS ACCRUED IN BRINGING FLAHERTY BACK CHARGED TO TAYLOR

The well known Tom Flaherty case was decided yesterday by Judge T. A. Sullivan of the municipal court at E. Grand Forks the court finding that he had no jurisdiction in the case. The court declared in the order that having heard the evidence in the case, the complaint was dismissed on the ground that the crime, if any crime had been committed was committed in Ward county, North Dakota, and he had no jurisdiction. He further found that the complaint was wilful, malicious and without proper cause and charged the costs accrued in the proceedings to John Taylor, agent of the John Gund Brewing company in East Grand Forks. The costs in the case make quite an item amounting to almost $400.

The case against Flaherty is an interesting one and has attracted much attention to this section. The law point involved on which the defendant fought his entire case is also an unusual one. Flaherty, employed as an agent of the brewing company at Minot is charged with having left for Seattle with about $400 of the company's money an don complaint of the company was brought back to this city.

According to the evidence of Flaherty was instructed to deposit money collected in the bank at Minot and on this point the defense largely based their claim that the East Grand Forks court had no jurisdiction. The case dragged along in the municipal court for some weeks and in the meantime it is understood the bond company settled the claim and were reimbursed so that "all's well that ends well" except for the costs accrued.

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GODFREY AND MAPLEBAY

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Garden making is in order.

The rain last week improved the crop conditions considerable.

Mrs. Anna Kitlesotn visited with friends and relatives at Fertile last week.

It is said there ought to be game wardens of game wardens as well as review of reviews.

Miss Clara Tedmansen visited her sister, Mrs. Ringquist at Underwood N. D. last week.

Arthur Nes is putting up a feed and livery stable at Maple Bay. Knute Pederson is the architect and builder of same.

Dedrick Klaus is now the right arm to Otto Kankel at the feed mill. Dedrick is a good boy and chose a fine place to work.

Next Sunday evening the Maple Bay Young People's society will give a fine program at their church. You are invited to attend,

It is rumored that the people will soon raise the fish laws as they claim the law is framed in the interest of the sports from the cities.

Iver T. Nordheim has bought a new manure spreader and you ought to see the manure leaving the barn yard and spreading over the fields.

Carl Johnson made a trip to Rock Springs, N. D., and while there look up a part of Uncle Sam's domain which Carl says will be his some day.

Iver T. Nordheim has taken the job to move the house owned by Mrs. Mali Hammer in Fertile to the Claus Solli farm, now owned by Ludvig Hammer.

Farmers should bear in mind that it is necessary to plant some fodder this spring if they wish to keep up the flow of milk next winter and keep the creamery at Maple Bay running next winter.

The present low prices of fence wire is being generally taken advantage of by the farmers of this section to construct additional pastures. Wire is selling for 20 cents less than ever before in this section, thus materially decreasing the cost of fence construction. To facilitate crop rotation many farmers instead of having one large pasture will have two or three smaller ones and change oftener.

The recent prairie fire in Spring Creek has been reported to the state authorities and its origin will be investigated. County Attorney Brattland is in receipt of communications from both the state fire warden and state forestry commissioner relative to the matter and it is probable that some prosecutions may follow. They should.

$35,000 OPERA HOUSE SOON TO BE A REALITY

Commercial Club Behind Project To Raise $10,000 Bonus. House Will Probably Be Built This Summer.

From Friday's Daily—

At the meeting of the 25,000 Commercial club last evening it is more than probable that the Opera House problem was solved as interest in the project was shown by the presence of about 75 of the leading business and professional men of the city who were unanimous in the opinion that the time had arrived that something must be done toward securing the construction of a modern, commodious and artistic opera house.

Secretary T. R. Brown laid before the meeting two propositions made by a big theatrical firm in Minneapolis who were willing to take stock in a joint stock company to erect an opera house or who were willing to give a bond that would bind them to at once construct a $30,000 opera house, which with the cost of the lot and incidentals would probably run over $35,000, providing a cash bonus of $10,000 was raised.

Secretary Brown submitted the plans for the proposed building which would be modern with a capacity of 850, 200 more than the old opera house would seat.

Members were Enthusiastic

The success of the project to raise $10000 bonus was assured by the enthusiastic support given by all present. It was the unanimous opinion that Crookston could not longer afford to be without an opera house. It is one of the advantages that residents demand, and travelling men and others who can as well make their home somewhere else could not be expected to make their home or head quarters here without advantages which they could secure in other cities within reach.

Another phase of the matter dwelt upon was the thousands of dollars every month by people of Crookston being left in Grand Forks and Fargo and the large number of small villages radiatoing from this city who had to go to these cities to hear an opera or good play which required a large opera house. People in surrounding towns have a right to look to Crookston for such advantages.

Short addresses were made by J. E. O'Brien, A. D. Stephens Charles Loring, A. Holmboe, T. R. Johnstone and many others and all were of the same opinion.

Committee Named

President Misner was authoried to name a committee and today announced the following: James E. O'Brien, Sam Rosenthal and Ed. Peterson.

This committee will start work at once. $10000 is a considerable sum but it is believed that it should be raised.

The time is limited. The Minneapolis company must know within 30 days in order that bookings may be made for the Crookston House the coming season.

Every citizen should do his full duty. The burden must not fall on the few. There are a number who can afford to donate large sums and they will not be found wanting, but the small donations must be forthcoming also to make the project a success. The committee should be greeted by willing givers toward a most important cause, and not as a trio of beggars for a favor.

Membership Limit Raised

The club also raised the membership limit from 100 to 125 and increased the membership fee from $5 to $15 25 applications were considered last evening by the directors after the general meeting of the club, and all were elected to membership so that the full quota is enrolled.

New applicants for membership will be posted and placed on the waiting list, and elected to membership as vacancies occur.

At the next meeting a new by-law will be adopted granting honorary memberships to the clergy of the city.

To Improve Lots

It was also decided to get an estimate from some one as to the cost of seeding down and mowing off the lots on the manufacturing site addition to the city to prevent the growth of unsightly weeds. Some of the lot owners are planting potatoes or other garden stuff on them and the balance should be seeded to grass.

Moorhead Citizen: A few of the Republican papers in the state that are so narrow that they cannot see anything but their side of the question are hollering "steel" trust at the governor because he had the manhood to veto a tonnage tax bill that was unjust to a certain portion of the state. Who was it ha-pu in money o help to elect J. F. Jacobson? The steel trust and nobody else in the last campaign. Who was it that had these mining properties taxed to the limit on the iron range? Governor Johnson and his tax commission. Why did not the Republicans do this when they had a Republican in the governor's chair for at least forty years? Because they did not want to. Governor Johnson did not veto the tonnage tax because the steel trust wanted him to, but because it was for the best interests of the state and its people.

Patrons of the co-operative creamery can learn a lesson from the remarks of Patrick Howley, of Beauford as chronicled in our Beauford correspondence this week. While Mr. Howley secured 30 cents a pound for butterfat his brother in Kansas, where the co-operative creamery has been driven out, secured but 16 cents.—Mapleton Enterprise.

Anoka Union: The Union is free to maintain in language quite plain that it would be a great deal better for the Republican party of Minnesota of a large number of men who pretend they are Republicans and are working for the opposition would leave that organization and go where they belong.

Virginia Virginian: After reading the divorce proceedings in the daily papers it's refreshing to turn to a story on the celebration of a golden jubilee by some happy old couple.

Business Refuses to Wait on Tariff

Reports from the commercial agencies and the manufacturing centers of the country show that business expansion has refused to halt on account of the tariff tinkering at Washington. This may be due to the fact that the business interests are convinced that there is to be no marked change in existing schedules, and it may be that the great consuming body again is appearing in the market and buying liberally, after the depression which began in September 1907, and lasted for about fifteen months. The federal government is feeling the effects of renewed business and industrial activity and the treasury department reports that its receipts are now daily in excess of expenditures. This improvement has been so marked in the last few weeks that there is a prospect that the deficit scheduled for the end of the fiscal year, on June 30 will be cut down to $60,000,000 or less instead of the $130,000,000 estimated by the treasury experts some months ago. Railway earnings are improving every day. Building activitie are greater thruout the country than at any time since 1906. Increased consumption runs thru every department of industrial activity, and as the logical result, mills and factories that have been on short time for more than a yearare now pressed to their capacity to supply demands. The entire country appears to be determined to show that business is more important than politics.—St. Paul Dispatch.

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A FARMERS INSTITUTE

WILL BE HELD IN CROOKSTON ON THURSDAY JUNE 17—BIG GATHERING

THREE SPEAKERS WILL ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS AND TALK ON LIVE SUBJECTS

From Wednesday's Daily—

A Farmers' Institute is to be held at Crookston on Thursday June 17th commencing at 10 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Prof. Wm. Robertson of the Crookston School of Agriculture will be in charge of the Institute and will be assisted by Mrs. Ida E. Tilson of West Salem, Wis., O. A. Storvick of the Dairy and Food Department, and Supt. L. P. Harrington of Crookston.

The regular Institute sessions will be devoted to a discussion of the lines of farming that are particularly adapted to this part of Minnesota, dairying, swine raising, clover, rotation of crops, etc. Poultry, fruit growing, vegetable gardening, schools, etc., subjects in which all members of the family are interested, will also be given attention.

In the afternoon, commencing at 1:30 a special session for women and young people will be held in a separate hall, where lectures on the care of poultry, home economics, schools, and the industrial contest for boys and girls will be given by Mrs. Tilson and Supt. Harrington.

Questions

In the daily work on the farm many things happen that we cannot quite understand. We ask first one party and then another and each usually gives a different answer.

Many questions come to our minds about agriculture that we would like to have explained. How to feed roots; how to keep the boys and girls on the farm; the hired man question; how to test our seed; how to grade up our cows; the best methods to follow in various work; the latest ideas in building and co-operation, and a thousand other every day questions. All of the above you have the privilege of asking at the Farmers' Institute and they will be answered by men who are paid by the state for knowing how to answer them.

At Crookston, Thursday June 17th.

Care of Milk

The care of milk: Too much of the milk and cream sent to the creameries arrives in poor condition. This is often due to some cause that can be easily remedied. If you keep cows it will pay you to learn about this matter at the Institute.

Value of Hens

There is a prospect that the present high prices for poultry and eggs will continue. A small flock of hens can be made to pay the grocery bills and it is worth while to learn something more about this branch of farm stock. Mrs. Tilson is one of the best paultry lecturers in the United States.

All Invited

Every member of the family is invited to attend,—from the youngest to the oldest. Sessions commence sharp at 10 a. m. and 1:30 p m.

COUNTY SEAT FIGHT RENEWED

INJUNCTION RESTRAINS ISSUE OF BONDS FOR RED LAKE FALLS COURTHOUSE

Another step has been taken in the county seat fight between Thief River Falls and Red Lake Falls. The county commissioners were to meet last Saturday and take steps to issue $35,000 worth of 6 per cent bonds for the purpose of constructing a new county seat house at Red Lake Falls to replace the old one recently destroyed by fire. They are restrained, however by an injunction issued by Court Commissioner Johnson whereby cause must be shown next Saturday for such action. This probably will throw the mater again into the courts, where it will drag its length until such time as may seem convenient for the disputants.

As it is the intention of the north portion of the county to have the seat removed to Thief River Falls by a division of the county, and in view of the fact, that a petition to this effect is now on file with the secretary of state the courts will be kept busy.

A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough heals the lungs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuie is in a yellow package. Sold by all druggists.

CROP GROWTH VERY RAPID

ALL GRAIN IS SHOWING WONDERFUL GROWTH, THRUOUT RED RIVER VALLEY

MANY FARMERS BUSY PLANTING LARGE ACREAGES OF POTATOES

From Wednesday's Daily—

Reports from all directions continue to be of a most encouraging character regarding the crops. Many farmers state that they never saw grain grow so rapidly as this spring, and that it is fully up with grain sown much earlier in other years.

While the surface of the ground is not very moist, there is an abundance of moisture underneath with the result that the grain is sending roots down deep which will make it capable of withstanding a great deal of dry weather later on.

Potato Acreage

Many farmers are busy seeding potatoes. Albert Lee is seeding 80 acres, J. W. Lee over 100 acres, R. E. Smith 20 acres all in one locality southeast of the city and many others are sowing even larger acreages.

Fertile

Farmers in general are well-pleased with the crop conditions. While the season was late in comparison with some years nevertheless the grain was put in the ground in fairly good season and the ground was in ideal shape for working. The late snows helped the small grains and the late rains and cool weather is giving it a good chance to take firm root. The prospects were never better for a good crop.—Fertile Journal.

COMMERCIAL CLUB IS FLOURISHING

MEMBERS OF ADA CLUB ARE TAKING GREAT INTEREST—FINE CLUB ROOMS

E. J. Herringer who was in the city recently states that the Commercial club of Ada is prospering. It was organized last fall and already the club has a fine home consisting of a brick building with bowling alleys and billiard hall on the first floor and reading smoking, card and assembly rooms on the second floor. All the members are taking an active interest. Mr. Herringer is the president and this is one reason why the club is a success. Mr. Herringer is a hard worker, a consistent booster and one of the most patriotic and public spirited men in Northern Minnesota.

CASS LAKE TO BE DEPOPULATED

MESSRS. SMITH. O'BRIEN AND THE LYCAN BROTHERS ON A FISHING TRIP

This morning Dr. H. W. Smith, City Attorney Martin O'Brien and W. S. Lycan left for Cass Lake on a several days' fishing trip. At Bemidji they will be joined by F. S. Lycan who will act as chaplain during the trip. The retail price of fish has been lowered two cents per pound already by the local butchers owing to the proposed trip as it is a certainty they will glut the market within a few days.

Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

Barring It Out.

Irate Parent—So you think my daughter loves you, sir, and you wish to marry her? Young Lover—That's what I called to see you about. And if you don't mind I thought I'd just ask first if there is any insanity in your family. Irate Parent—No, sir, and there's not going to be any.—London Express.

Parliamentary Procedure.

"How about my letter of proposal?" demanded the young congressman.

"It has been advanced to a second reading," answered the haughty Washington belle.—Kansas City Journal.

To draw a caricature of our contemporaries is not difficult. It requires only a small portion of talent and a great want of courtesy.—Disraeli.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

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HEAD OF CENSUS BUREAU RESIGNS

Director North Forced to Quit His Position.

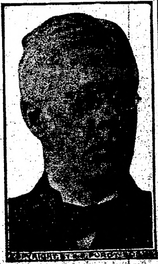
OUTCOME OF CONTROVERSY

Friction Between Secretary Nagel and Retiring Official Had Continued Some Time and Finally the Cabinet Member Informed the President That Either He or Mr. North Must Leave the Service.

Washington, May 27.—S. N. D North, director of the census, has tendered his resignation to President Taft and it has been accepted. E. Dana Durand, deputy commissioner of corporations, has been named to succeed Mr. North. Mr. North's resignation is a direct result of his recent controversy with Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel.

Mr. Durand, who succeeds Mr. North as director, is from California. He has been in the bureau of corporations for some time and it is believed he will work in harmony with Secretary Nagel.

It had been supposed up to within the last few days that the controversy between Secretary Nagel and Director North had been amicably adjusted. The friction between the two continued, however, and at last Secretary Nagel put the matter squarely up to President Taft, saying that either he or Mr. North would have to leave the service, as existing conditions between them were impossible.


S. N. D. NORTH.

Director North held to the belief that the census bureau was an independent institution and that he was responsible only to the president. A congressional enactment put the census bureau under the department of commerce and labor, however, and Secretary Nagel felt that in spite of the great powers conferred by congress on the director that official should be subordinate to the cabinet officer in charge of the department. It was because of this friction that Director North was finally forced to step out.

NOTHING DEFINITE RESULTS

Commissioner Neill Confers With Georgia Strike Leaders.

Atlanta, Ga., May 27.—Long private conferences with the strike leaders here and a dreary rain, which almost stopped all sorts of transportation in the strike district, made a quiet day in the Georgia railroad firemen's struggle for preference over negroes.

United States Commissioner of Labor Neill spent several hours negotiating with General Manager Scott of the railroad and Mr. Ball, the firemen's leader.

"Nothing definite has yet resulted," said Mr. Ball. We simply placed our side of the matter before Mr. Neill."

The local postoffice authorities reported that mails were still practically at a standstill.

Automobile parties out in the strike district reported that they found no one suffering for the necessities of life, but that business was badly disorganized.

TWO YEARS FOR BRIBERY

Pittsburg City Railway President Sentenced to Prison.

Pittsburg, May 27.—Charles S. Cameron, president of the Tube City railroad, convicted of offering a bribe to former Councilman W. A. Martin, now serving time in the penitentiary, was sentenced by Judge Van Swearingen to serve two years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $500.

On the charge of obstructing justice Cameron will also be sentenced next week by Judge Evans.

Highest In Its History.

El Paso, Tex., May 27.—The Rio Grande river is the highest in its history and villages and farms in the valley above and below El Paso are inundated. In El Paso county a force of men has been constantly at work cutting away driftwood in order to save the bridges.

INDICATES NEW CONTROL

J. P. Morgan, Jr., Succeeds Rogers In Steel Directorate.

New York, May 27.—J. P. Morgan, Jr., has been elected to fill the vacancy on the board of directors of the United States Steel corporation made vacant by the death of H. H. Rogers This is another important step toward substitution of young Morgan for his father in the world of finance It is also considered significant that a Morgan should succeed a Standard Oil man.

Morgan interests have been in nominal control of the trust since its organization, although for a few months when the stock broke to $10 a share the trust was understood to be owned chiefly by the Rockefellers. It developed that their purchases were largely speculative and as they liquidated on the advance Morgan brokers purchased and controlled the company for several years.

The aggressive buying of the last few months has been chiefly by the Morgans also. The change in the board suggested to Wall street that Standard Oil interests had been liquidating steel at the record high prices

GASOLINE LAUNCH CARRIED OVER DAM

Four Persons Are Drowned at Grand Rapids, Wis.

Grand Rapids, Wis., May 27.—Four persons were drowned and four others rescued from a capsized gasoline launch which was carried through the sluice gates of the dam of the Consolidated Water Power company of this city and dashed to the rocks below. The drowned are: Miss Bessie Anderson, Miss B. Bogiger, Miss May Forse and Ralph Anderson.

The unfortunate party went up the river to a place on Big Island called Lovers' nook to roast marshmallows Upon their return, in attempting to make a landing and not knowing the gates of the dam were opened, the swift current caught the stern end of the craft and all were carried to the river below. Screams for help brought a party of rescuers, but four members of the party became exhausted before help arrived. The remaining members were almost exhausted, but were resuscitated after strenuous efforts.

ALLEGES ILLEGAL MONOPOLY

Minnesotan Files Complaint Against Express Companies.

Washington, May 27.—A general attack on the system of management of the principal express companies doing business throughout the country has been started by State Senator B. E. Sundberg of Minnesota.

Senator Sundberg has lodged a complaint with the interstate commerce commission in which he declares the American, Adams and United States Express companies have formed themselves into an illegal monopoly for the control of the express business throughout the United States and that they are conducting such a monopoly in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act of 1887. He asks the commission to break up the monopoly and fix a schedule of prices for the express business which will bear a fair relation to the cost of transportation.

DEFENDS JAPS OF THE WEST

Speaker at the Presbyterian General Assembly.

Denver, May 27.—That the Japanese resident of the West is a better Christian than the one who seeks to keep him out of the schools and the country was the intimation of Dr. A. W. Halsey of New York, secretary of the board of foreign missions, in his address following the report of the board before the general assembly of the Presbyterian church.

"I have just received a letter," said he, "from a man representing 1,000 Japanese in various Western states. He says that his people have raised $8,000 for the evangelizing of the Japanese and he wants the assembly to give a like amount. They are scorned, but they are Christians and I wonder if not better than the ones who scorn them."

PANIC STRICKEN BY THREATS

Man Under Indictment Mortally Wounds Passerby.

St. Louis, May 27.—Unnerved by threats William Wright, under indictment for killing Sam Young a constable, became panic stricken at Franklin and Ewing avenues and mortally wounded a passerby. Wright said he had been told that Young's friends were planning to "get" him and that he began firing when five men started towards him out of an alley. Alfred M. Neilson, the victim of the shooting, was on his way to work and crossed the street in the path of Wright's bullets. None of the witnesses of the shooting saw the five men of whom Wright complained.

Captor of John Brown Dead.

Mitchell, S. D., May 27.—Major Israel C. Greene, who captured John Brown of Osawatomie, Kan., at Harpers Ferry, is dead on a farm near here, where he [illegible] for thirty-four years. [illegible] was a close friend of G[illegible] Robert E. Lee, was eighty-five [illegible]

M'ENERY DISCUSSES TARIFF

Says South Is Changing on Question of Protection.

Washington, May 27.—Promptly resuming discussion of the sugar schedule of the tariff bill Mr. McEnery of Louisiana, in the senate, dealt with the attitude of the Southern states and Southern statesmen toward the policy of protection. He said:

"That there is a change of sentiment going on in the Southern states in relation to protection was shown recently and I hope senators from the South who have supported protection of every industry in the state may extend the vision of their horizon and accord protection to great national interests."

Mr. McEnery spoke specially of the need of a protective tariff on lumber, which industry, he said, employed $5,000 men, producing lumber worth $44,000,000 annually.

After pointing out that Southern senators had voted for a duty on lumber, which produces a revenue of only $2,000,000 annually, Mr. McEnery called attention to the vastly greater income produced by sugar, which yields a revenue of $60,000,000. "I want to appeal to Southern senators," he declared in ringing tones, "to abandon their absurd ideas of a tariff for revenue only and vote to support the industries of the United States."

KING EDWARD'S ENTRY WINS DERBY

Captures Classic Event by a Very Close Margin.

Epsom, May 27.—The Epsom derby, the classic event of the English turf and the blue ribbon feature of the racing season, was run here and won by King Edward's Minoru. In this victory the famous bay colt has made history, being the first occasion on which the greatest of all flat races on the turf has been won by an animal belonging to a reigning monarch. W. Raphael's Louviers was second and Lord Michelham's William the Fourth was third. The American crack, Sir Martin, owned by Louis Winans, an American resident of London, and bred in Kentucky by John E. Madden, of whom so much was expected, was nowhere in the race and fell down.

Magnificent Minoru scored his victory by a head only, while half a length divided the second and third horses. The victory of the king's horse was greeted by an outburst of enthusiasm the equal of which never has been witnessed at Epsom.

The crowd at the course was wild with excitement and broke through the police cordon and almost mobbed King Edward as, following the time honored custom, his majesty, as owner of Minoru, led the champion into the paddock.

TWO SONS WILL CONTEST

Fight Over Spreckels Millions to Begin in July.

San Francisco, May 27.—The contest involving the estate of the late Claus Spreckels, the sugar magnate, who left a vast fortune divided between his widow and three of his children to the exclusion of his other two sons, will be begun July 19, according to a decision of Probate Judge Coffey.

The matter at the bar is the demurrer filed by John D. Spreckels and Adolph Spreckels to the petition for a partial distribution entered by Rudolph and Claus Spreckels, executors under the will.

The protestants are the two children ignored by the terms of the will and the argument on the demurrer may be the first step in a great will contest in California.

WIRING OF FUSE DEFECTIVE

Alleged Attempt to Blow Up Lake Steamer at Buffalo.

Detroit, Mich., May 27.—President William Livingstone of the Lake Carriers' association has received word from Buffalo that an attempt was made there to blow up the steamer F. T. Heffelfinger. Four sticks of dynamite, with a partly burned fuse attached to them, were found by members of the steamer's crew in the discharge pipe of the ballast pump.

"Only the fact that the wiring of the fuse was defective," said President Livingstone, "saved the Heffelfinger from being destroyed."

The F. T. Heffelfinger is a modern steel freighter, 430 feet long, and is owned by the Peavy Steamship company of Duluth.

HUNDRED FISHERMEN PERISH

Violent Tempest Rages Off the Coast of Spain.

Bilbao, Spain, May 27.—A violent tempest has been raging on the Bilbao coast. More than sixty vessels of the fishing fleet have foundered and it is estimated that 100 fishermen have been drowned.

Taft May Name Cromwell.

Washington, May 27.—William Nelson Cromwell of New York, whose association with the American acquisition of the Panama canal zone is well known, would be nominated by President Taft as American minister to China if the senate could be induced to give its assent thereto.

LORIMER GETS HOPKINS' SEAT

Senatorial Deadlock in Illinois Finally Broken.

VOTING BEGAN ON JAN. 20

Election of Chicago Man Made Possible by a Coalition of Democrats and Anti-Hopkins Republicans, Fifty-three of the Former and Fifty of the Latter Casting Their Ballots for the Congressman.

Springfield, Ill., May 27.—Congressman William Lorimer of the Sixth congressional district was elected United States senator by the joint session of the general assembly.

The election of a junior senator to represent Illinois in the upper house at Washington came about through a coalition of Democratic assemblymen and the anti-Hopkins Republicans. The hall of representatives, through the hours speeding the close of the deadlock, was crowded with a host of politicians. Strong efforts were made by former Senator Hopkins' aids to head off the break to Lorimer, but they were unavailing. The dramatic last act of the deadlock, which has waged since Jan. 20, played to a small crowd.

REPRESENTATIVE LORIMER.

In the many joint ballots of the deadlock nearly 150 candidates have been listed for the office of United States senator, the great majority of them being Democrats.

Of the eighty-nine house members who voted for Senator Lorimer forty-seven were Democrats and forty-two Republicans. In the senate six Democratic senators voted for Lorimer.

Sketch of New Senator.

Although William Lorimer's progress in politics has been steady and consistent from the time when he began securing city contracts for his firm of contractors until he was elected to the United States senate he never can be president, for he was born in England.

Mr. Lorimer's biography in the congressional directory is one of the briefest, about fifty words, and omits to mention that he first saw the light in 1861. At the age of five he was brought to this country by his parents. At the age of twelve he worked as a sign painter's apprentice. Later he labored at the stock yards, of which in after days he was known as the "boss." Next he gathered in the nickels on a street car. Meanwhile he had become a political factor. He became a contractor, was called the "blonde boss" in the newspapers and was counted on to deliver the packing house district to the Republican ticket. In 1892 he was defeated for a county office, but three years later he was elected to the Fifty-fourth congress, where he has remained, with the exception of one term, ever since. The Fifty-seventh congress saw him not, for he was beaten in his own stock yards district by one who was comparatively a mere stripling, John J. Feely, then in his twenty-sixth year. This was in the Second district. Mr. Lorimer then moved into the Sixth district, which promptly sent him back to Washington.

IS A BAR TO "JOY RIDING"

Bill Passed by Wisconsin Legislature Regarding Autos.

Madison, Wis., May 27.—There will be no more "joy riding" in Wisconsin if a law passed in the state legislature can stop it. The senate passed an assembly bill which prohibits the use of autos by other than their owners and providing a heavy penalty for such use of a machine. The bill is primarily due to a series of accidents in Milwaukee during the early spring when several chauffeurs took out the autos of their employers and met with fatal mishaps before reaching home.

Wind Plucks Seven Geese.

Mattoon, Ill., May 27.—Caught in the furious blast of a tornado, which swept farms southwest of this city, seven geese, swimming on a pond on the farm of E. M. Thomas, were plucked clean by the wind, swept up in the air and blown into a haymow. Scarcely a feather was left on the birds when Thomas found them after the wind had passed.

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